

## New Features for $k$ -Jacobsthal and $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas Sequence

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**ABSTRACT:** Special integer sequences can be generalized by different many ways. The basic form of these ways is to add a parameter to recurrence relation. From special sequences,  $k$ -Jacobsthal,  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences are obtained adding a parameter to the recurrence relation of the Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers. In literature, there are some papers concerning the properties of  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences. But, we think they are not sufficient, so we aim to study new properties of these generalized sequences. The features related with  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences will be acquired through the Binet formulas, recurrence relations, generating functions of these numbers.

**Keywords:** Binet formula, Generating function,  $k$ -Jacobsthal number,  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas number

### $k$ -Jacobsthal ve $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas Dizileri için Yeni Özellikler

**ÖZET:** Özel tamsayı dizileri birçok farklı yolla geliştirilebilir. Bu yolların temel biçimi, yineleme bağıntısına bir parametre eklemektir. Özel dizilerden, Jacobsthal ve Jacobsthal-Lucas sayılarının yineleme bağıntısına bir parametre eklenerek  $k$ -Jacobsthal ve  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas dizileri elde edilir. Literatürde,  $k$ -Jacobsthal ve  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas dizilerinin özellikleriyle ilgili bazı makaleler bulunmaktadır. Ancak, bunların yeterli olmadığını düşünüyoruz, bu nedenle bu geliştirilmiş dizilerin yeni özelliklerini incelemeyi amaçlıyoruz.  $k$ -Jacobsthal ve  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas dizileriyle ilgili özellikler, Binet formülleri, yineleme bağıntıları ve bu sayıların üreteç fonksiyonları aracılığıyla elde edilecektir.

**Anahtar Kelimeler:** Binet formülü, Üreteç fonksiyonu,  $k$ -Jacobsthal sayısı,  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sayısı

## 1. Introduction

By changing recurrence relations, starting values or both of them are the most used type of obtaining generalized special integer sequences. Sloane gave a very valuable and popular on-line encyclopedia of integer sequences to the mathematics world in [2]. The Fibonacci sequence was the earliest special integer sequence in literature. Zhang provided some identities about generalized second-order integer sequences in [14]. A generalization of the Fibonacci sequence called  $k$ -Fibonacci sequence was studied by Falcon, Plaza, Bolat, and Catarino [2,3,6,8]. The Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are also popular examples of types of the second-order sequence. In recent years, many authors have investigated these numbers. You can see the references [1,4,5] and cited therein. In the year 1996, Horadam first studied in detail the Jacobsthal sequence [1]. We reproduce following Definitions 1.1 and 1.2. by Horadam. Srisawat, Sriprad, and Sthityanak derived fundamental identities for the Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences by some properties of the matrices in [10]. Cerin discovered interesting sums formulas of the Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers in [4,5]. There are some papers concerning the properties of  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences in literature as [9,11]. A different generalization of Jacobsthal sequence is encountered in [12].

In this section, we present a generalization of the classical Jacobsthal numbers by mean of a recurrence equation with a parameter  $k$ . In the sequel, we will prove some properties which generalize the respective properties of the classical Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers.

**Definition 1.1** For any natural number  $n$ , the Jacobsthal sequence  $\{J_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is defined beginning the values  $J_0 = 0, J_1 = 1$  with  $J_n = J_{n-1} + 2J_{n-2}, (n \geq 2)$  [1].

After the German mathematician Ernst Jacobsthal, they are called Jacobsthal numbers.

**Definition 1.2** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and the Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence  $\{C_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is defined recursively by beginning the values  $C_0 = 2, C_1 = 1$  recursively by  $C_n = C_{n-1} + 2C_{n-2}, (n \geq 2)$  [1].

The characteristic polynomial for the Jacobsthal and the Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers is denoted by  $x^2 - x - 2 = 0$  and the roots are  $2, -1$ . The Jacobsthal numbers are obtained by the Binet formula as

$$J_n = \frac{x_1^n - x_2^n}{x_1 - x_2} = \frac{2^n - (-1)^n}{3}. \text{ The Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are obtained by the Binet formula as}$$

$$C_n = x_1^n + x_2^n = 2^n + (-1)^n \text{ [1].}$$

**Definition 1.3** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}, k > 0, k \in \mathbb{R}$ , the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence  $\{J_{k,n}\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is defined recursively by

$$J_{k,0} = 0, \quad J_{k,1} = 1, \quad J_{k,n} = kJ_{k,n-1} + 2J_{k,n-2}, \quad (n \geq 2) \text{ [9,11].}$$

If we take  $k = 1$ , the classical Jacobsthal sequence is obtained.

**Definition 1.4** For  $n \in \mathbb{N}, k > 0, k \in \mathbb{R}$ , the  $k$ -Jacobsthal Lucas sequence  $\{C_{k,n}\}_{n=0}^\infty$  is defined recursively by

$$C_{k,0} = 2, \quad C_{k,1} = 1, \quad C_{k,n} = kC_{k,n-1} + 2C_{k,n-2}, (n \geq 2) \text{ [11].}$$

If we take  $k = 1$ , the classical Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence is obtained.

If we consider the given recurrence relations for  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal Lucas sequences as a difference equation, we get  $r^2 = kr + 2$  with the solutions of the equation are  $r_1 = \frac{k + \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}, r_2 = \frac{k - \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}$ .

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}, k > 0, k \in \mathbb{R}$ , the  $k$ -Jacobsthal numbers are obtained by the Binet formula as

$$J_{k,n} = \frac{r_1^n - r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2}. \tag{1.1}$$

Similarly, the  $k$ -Jacobsthal Lucas numbers are obtained by the Binet formula as

$$C_{k,n} = r_1^n + r_2^n \tag{1.2}$$

[9, 11].

**Lemma 1.5** The following relations are satisfied by  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers

- a)  $C_{k,n} = kJ_{k,n} + 4J_{k,n-1}$
- b)  $J_{k,n}C_{k,n} = J_{k,2n}$
- c)  $J_{k,a+b-2} = J_{k,a}J_{k,b-1} + 2J_{k,a-1}J_{k,b-2}$
- d)  $J_{k,mn+r} - C_{k,m}J_{k,m(n-1)+r} + (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r} = 0$
- e)  $J_{k,n+6} = (k^2 + 4)J_{k,n+4} - 4J_{k,n+2}$  [13].

## 2. Some Properties on $k$ -Jacobsthal Sequence

In the section, we present new features of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence.

**Theorem 2.1** For any  $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$ , the following equality holds for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence

$$J_{k,a+b-2} = \frac{J_{k,a}J_{k,b} - 4J_{k,a-2}J_{k,b-2}}{k}.$$

**Proof.** We use the recurrence relation and Lemma 1.5(c) for the proof;

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,a+b-2} &= J_{k,a}J_{k,b-1} + 2J_{k,a-1}J_{k,b-2} \\ &= J_{k,a} \left( \frac{J_{k,b} - 2J_{k,b-2}}{k} \right) + 2 \left( \frac{J_{k,a} - 2J_{k,a-2}}{k} \right) J_{k,b-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{J_{k,a}J_{k,b} - 2J_{k,a}J_{k,b-2} + 2J_{k,a}J_{k,b-2} - 4J_{k,a-2}J_{k,b-2}}{k} \\ &= \frac{J_{k,a}J_{k,b} - 4J_{k,a-2}J_{k,b-2}}{k} \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.2** The expression  $(k^2+8)J_{k,n}^2 + 4(-2)^n$  is always equal to a perfect square.

**Proof.** From the Binet formula for  $k$ -Jacobsthal numbers; we get

$$\begin{aligned} (k^2 + 8)J_{k,n}^2 + 4(-2)^n &= (r_1 - r_2)^2 \left( \frac{r_1^n - r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} \right)^2 + 4(r_1 r_2)^n \\ &= r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n} - 2r_1^n r_2^n + 4r_1^n r_2^n \\ &= r_1^{2n} + 2r_1^n r_2^n + r_2^{2n} \\ &= (r_1^n + r_2^n)^2 = C_n^2 \end{aligned}$$

It follows that, this is also a perfect square.

**Theorem 2.3** For any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n > 0$ , the following equality holds for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence

$$\frac{J_{k,n+1}^2 - 4J_{k,n-1}^2}{k} = J_{k,2n}$$

**Proof.** Using the recurrence relation of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence, we get  $J_{k,n} = \frac{J_{k,n+1} - 2J_{k,n-1}}{k}$  and by Lemma 1.5, we have  $C_{k,n} = kJ_{k,n} + 4J_{k,n-1}$  and  $J_{k,n}C_{k,n} = J_{k,2n}$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} C_{k,n} &= kJ_{k,n} + 2J_{k,n-1} + 2J_{k,n-1} \\ &= J_{k,n+1} + 2J_{k,n-1} \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying the equations together, we get the result

$$J_{k,n}C_{k,n} = \frac{J_{k,n+1} - 2J_{k,n-1}}{k} (J_{k,n+1} + 2J_{k,n-1}) = \frac{J_{k,n+1}^2 - 4J_{k,n-1}^2}{k} = J_{k,2n}.$$

**Theorem 2.4** The following equality holds for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence

$$J_{k,n}^2 + J_{k,n+1}^2 = \frac{C_{k,2n+2} + C_{k,2n} + 2(-2)^n}{k^2 + 8}$$

**Proof .** We use (1.1) for the proof where  $r_1 = \frac{k + \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}$ , and  $r_2 = \frac{k - \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}$  the roots of difference equation of recurrence relation for  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence.

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,n}^2 + J_{k,n+1}^2 &= \left( \frac{r_1^n - r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{r_1^{n+1} - r_2^{n+1}}{r_1 - r_2} \right)^2 \\ &= \frac{r_1^{2n} - 2(r_1 r_2)^n + r_2^{2n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} + \frac{r_1^{2n+2} - 2(r_1 r_2)^{n+1} + r_2^{2n+2}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{C_{k,2n-2}(-2)^n + C_{k,2n+2-2}(-2)^{n+1}}{(r_1-r_2)^2} \\
 &= \frac{C_{k,2n} + C_{k,2n+2} + 2(-2)^n}{k^2 + 8}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.5** Let  $m, n$ , and  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n \geq 2$ . The following equalities are satisfied

- a)  $J_{k,mn} = J_{k,m(n-1)}C_{k,m} - (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)}$ ,
- b)  $J_{k,mn+r} = J_{k,m(n-1)+r}C_{k,m} - (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r}$ .

**Proof.** From (1.1) and (1.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &J_{k,m(n-1)+r}C_{k,m} - (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r} \\
 &= (r_1^m + r_2^m) \frac{r_1^{m(n-1)+r} - r_2^{m(n-1)+r}}{r_1 - r_2} - (r_1 r_2)^m \frac{(r_1^{m(n-2)+r} - r_2^{m(n-2)+r})}{r_1 - r_2} \\
 &= \frac{r_1^{mn+r} - r_1^m r_2^{m(n-1)+r} - r_2^m r_1^{m(n-1)+r} - r_2^{mn+r} + r_2^m r_1^{m(n-1)+r} + r_1^m r_2^{m(n-1)+r}}{r_1 - r_2} \\
 &= \frac{r_1^{mn+r} - r_2^{mn+r}}{r_1 - r_2} = J_{k,mn+r}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.6** For any  $m, n$ , and  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ , we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_{k,mn} x^n &= \frac{J_{k,m} x}{1 - C_{k,m} x + (-2)^m x^2} \\
 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_{k,mn+r} x^n &= \frac{J_{k,r} + J_{k,m+r} x - C_{k,m} J_{k,r} x}{1 - C_{k,m} x + (-2)^m x^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** Let  $T = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_{k,mn+r} x^n = J_{k,r} + J_{k,m+r} x + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} J_{k,mn+r} x^n$ .

We first multiply  $T$  with  $-C_{k,m} x$ , then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 -C_{k,m} x T &= -\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_{k,m} J_{k,mn+r} x^{n+1} = -C_{k,m} J_{k,r} x - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_{k,m} J_{k,mn+r} x^{n+1} \\
 &= -C_{k,m} J_{k,r} x - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} C_{k,m} J_{k,m(n-1)+r} x^n.
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, multiplying  $T$  with  $(-2)^m x^2$  then we have

$$(-2)^m x^2 T = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-2)^m J_{k,mn+r} x^{n+2} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r} x^n.$$

From these equations, we get

$$T(1 - C_{k,m} x + (-2)^m x^2) = J_{k,r} + J_{k,m+r} x - C_{k,m} J_{k,r} x + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} [(J_{k,mn+r} - C_{k,m} J_{k,m(n-1)+r} + (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r})] x^n.$$

By Theorem 2.5, we know that  $(J_{k,mn+r} - C_{k,m} J_{k,m(n-1)+r} + (-2)^m J_{k,m(n-2)+r} = 0)$

Thus,  $T = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_{k,mn+r} x^n = \frac{J_{k,r} + J_{k,m+r} x - C_{k,m} J_{k,r} x}{1 - C_{k,m} x + (-2)^m x^2}$ .

**Theorem 2.7** If  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $n \geq 2$ , then the following identity is satisfied by the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences

$$J_{k,2n+3} J_{k,2n-3} = \frac{C_{k,4n} - (-2)^{2n-3} C_{k,6}}{k^2 + 8}.$$

**Proof.** We use (1.1) and (1.2):

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,2n+3} J_{k,2n-3} &= \left( \frac{r_1^{2n+3} - r_2^{2n+3}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) \left( \frac{r_1^{2n-3} - r_2^{2n-3}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} - r_1^{2n+3} r_2^{2n-3} - r_2^{2n+3} r_1^{2n-3} + r_2^{4n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} + r_2^{4n} - (r_1 r_2)^{2n} (r_1^3 r_2^{-3} + r_2^3 r_1^{-3})}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} + r_2^{4n} - (r_1 r_2)^{2n} \frac{(r_1^6 + r_2^6)}{(r_1 r_2)^3}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{C_{k,4n} - (-2)^{2n-3} C_{k,6}}{k^2 + 8} \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.8:** If  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $n \geq 2$ , then the following property is satisfied by the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence

$$J_{k,n-2} J_{k,n-1} J_{k,n+1} J_{k,n+2} - J_{k,n}^4 = \frac{2^{2n+3} - (-2)^{n-2} C_{k,2n} (k C_{k,3} + 16)}{(k^2 + 8)^2}.$$

**Proof.** The proof will be conducted using the Binet formulas associated with the sequences:

$$\begin{aligned} &J_{k,n-2} J_{k,n-1} J_{k,n+1} J_{k,n+2} - J_{k,n}^4 \\ &= \frac{(r_1^{n-2} - r_2^{n-2})(r_1^{n-1} - r_2^{n-1})(r_1^{n+1} - r_2^{n+1})(r_1^{n+2} - r_2^{n+2}) - (r_1^n - r_2^n)^4}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\ &= \frac{[r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n} - (r_1 r_2)^{n-2} (r_1^4 + r_2^4)][r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n} - (r_1 r_2)^{n-1} (r_1^2 + r_2^2)]}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} - 4r_1^{3n} r_2^n + 6r_1^{2n} r_2^{2n} - 4r_1^n r_2^{3n} + r_2^{4n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} + r_2^{4n} + 2r_1^{2n} r_2^{2n} + (r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n})[-(r_1 r_2)^{n-1} (r_1^2 + r_2^2) - (r_1 r_2)^{n-2} (r_1^4 + r_2^4)]}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{4n} - 4r_1^{3n} r_2^n + 6r_1^{2n} r_2^{2n} - 4r_1^n r_2^{3n} + r_2^{4n}}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \end{aligned}$$

After some basic algebraic operations, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{8r_1^{2n}r_2^{2n} + (r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n})(r_1r_2)^{n-2}[-r_1^3r_2 - r_2^3r_1 - r_1^4 - r_2^4] - 4(r_1r_2)^n(r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n})}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\
 &= \frac{8r_1^{2n}r_2^{2n} + (r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n})(r_1r_2)^{n-2}[-r_1^3r_2 - r_2^3r_1 - r_1^4 - r_2^4 - 4r_1^2r_2^2]}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\
 &= \frac{(r_1r_2)^{n-2}[8(r_1r_2)^{n+2} + C_{k,2n}[-r_1^3(r_1+r_2) - r_2^3(r_1+r_2) - 4r_1^2r_2^2]}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\
 &= \frac{(-2)^{n-2}[8(-2)^{n+2} + C_{k,2n}[-kC_{k,3} - 4(-2)^2]}{(r_1 - r_2)^4} \\
 &= \frac{2^{2n+3} - (-2)^{n-2}C_{k,2n}(kC_{k,3} + 16)}{(k^2 + 8)^2}.
 \end{aligned}$$

### 3. Some Properties on k-Jacobsthal-Lucas Sequence

In the section, we present novel features of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence.

**Theorem 3.1** The following property is satisfied by the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence

$$C_{k,n}C_{k,n+1} = C_{k,2n+1} + k(-2)^n.$$

**Proof.** We use (1.2) for the proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{k,n}C_{k,n+1} &= (r_1^n + r_2^n)(r_1^{n+1} + r_2^{n+1}) \\
 &= r_1^{2n+1} + r_1^n r_2^{n+1} + r_2^n r_1^{n+1} + r_2^{2n+1} \\
 &= C_{k,2n+1} + (r_1 r_2)^n (r_1 + r_2) \\
 &= C_{k,2n+1} + k(-2)^n.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.2** The following property is satisfied by the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence

$$C_{k,n+4} = (k^2 + 4)C_{k,n+2} - 4C_{k,n}.$$

**Proof.** The proof will be conducted by employing the recurrence relation of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence:

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{k,n+4} &= kC_{k,n+3} + 2C_{k,n+2} \\
 &= k^2C_{k,n+2} + 2kC_{k,n+1} + 2C_{k,n+2} \\
 &= k^2C_{k,n+2} + 2C_{k,n+2} - 4C_{k,n} + 2C_{k,n+2} \\
 &= k^2C_{k,n+2} + 4C_{k,n+2} - 4C_{k,n} \\
 &= (k^2 + 4)C_{k,n+2} - 4C_{k,n}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.3** The following identity is satisfied by the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence

$$C_{n-1}C_{n+1} + C_{n-2}C_{n-2} = 2C_{k,2n} + (-2)^{n-1}C_{k,2} + (-2)^{n-2}C_{k,4}.$$

**Proof.** From (1.2), it is obtained that

$$\begin{aligned} C_{n-1}C_{n+1} + C_{n-2}C_{n+2} &= (r_1^{n-1} + r_2^{n-1})(r_1^{n+1} + r_2^{n+1}) + (r_1^{n-2} + r_2^{n-2})(r_1^{n+2} + r_2^{n+2}) \\ &= r_1^{2n} + r_1^{n-1}r_2^{n+1} + r_2^{n-1}r_1^{n+1} + r_2^{2n} + r_1^{2n} + r_1^{n-2}r_2^{n+2} + r_2^{n-2}r_1^{n+2} + r_2^{2n} \\ &= 2r_1^{2n} + 2r_2^{2n} + (r_1r_2)^n \left( \frac{r_2}{r_1} + \frac{r_1}{r_2} \right) + (r_1r_2)^n \left( \frac{r_2^2}{r_1^2} + \frac{r_1^2}{r_2^2} \right) \\ &= 2C_{k,2n} + (-2)^{n-1}C_{k,2} + (-2)^{n-2}C_{k,4}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.4** The following equality holds for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence

$$C_{k,n+1}^2 - 2C_{k,n}^2 = k C_{k,2n+1} + (-2)^{n+3}.$$

**Proof.** We use (1.2) for the proof:

$$\begin{aligned} C_{k,n+1}^2 - 2C_{k,n}^2 &= (r_1^{n+1} + r_2^{n+1})^2 - 2(r_1^n + r_2^n)^2 \\ &= r_1^{2n+2} + r_2^{2n+2} + 2(r_1r_2)^{n+1} - 2[r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n} + 2(r_1r_2)^n] \\ &= r_1^{2n}(r_1^2 - 2) + r_2^{2n}(r_2^2 - 2) - 8(r_1r_2)^n \\ &= r_1^{2n}(kr_1 + 2 - 2) + r_2^{2n}(kr_2 + 2 - 2) + (-2)^{n+3}. \\ &= k C_{k,2n+1} + (-2)^{n+3}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.5** Assume that  $m \geq n$ , then the following equality exists.

$$C_{k,2m}C_{k,2n} = C_{k,2m+2n} + 4^n C_{k,2m-2n}$$

**Proof.** By (1.2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} C_{k,2m}C_{k,2n} &= (r_1^{2m} + r_2^{2m})(r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n}) \\ &= r_1^{2m+2n} + r_1^{2m}r_2^{2n} + r_2^{2m}r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2m+2n} \\ &= C_{k,2m+2n} + (r_1r_2)^{2n}(r_1^{2m-2n} + r_2^{2m-2n}) \\ &= C_{k,2m+2n} + 4^n C_{k,2m-2n}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.6** The  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence verifies the following equality

$$C_{k,2n+2}^2 + C_{k,2n}^2 = C_{k,4n+4} + C_{k,4n} + 5 \cdot 2^{2n+1}.$$

**Proof.** We use (1.2) for the proof:

$$\begin{aligned} C_{k,2n+2}^2 + C_{k,2n}^2 &= (r_1^{2n+2} + r_2^{2n+2})^2 + (r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n})^2 \\ &= r_1^{4n+4} + r_2^{4n+4} + r_1^{4n} + r_2^{4n} + 2(-2)^{2n+2} + 2(-2)^{2n} \\ &= C_{k,4n+4} + C_{k,4n} + 2^{2n+1} \cdot 5. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 3.7** Assume that  $m \geq n$ , then, the following equality holds:

$$C_{k,m+n}^2 + (2)^{2n} C_{k,m-n}^2 = C_{k,2m+2n} + 2^{2n} C_{k,2m-2n} + 4(-2)^{m+n}.$$

**Proof.** We employ (1.2) for the proof

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{k,m+n}^2 + 2^{2n}C_{k,m-n}^2 &= (r_1^{m+n} + r_2^{m+n})^2 + 2^{2n}(r_1^{m-n} + r_2^{m-n})^2 \\
 &= r_1^{2m+2n} + 2r_1^{m+n}r_2^{m+n} + r_2^{2m+2n} + 2^{2n}(r_1^{2m-2n} + 2r_1^{m-n}r_2^{m-n} + r_2^{2m-2n}) \\
 &= C_{k,2m+2n} + 2(-1)^{m+n}2^{m+n} + 2^{2n}[C_{k,2m-2n} + 2(-1)^{m-n}2^{m-n}] \\
 &= C_{k,2m+2n} + 2^{2n}C_{k,2m-2n} + 2(-2)^{n+m} + 2(-1)^{m+n}2^{m+n} \\
 &= C_{k,2n+2m} + 2^{2n}C_{k,2m-2n} + 4(-2)^{m+n}.
 \end{aligned}$$

#### 4. Some Features Between $k$ -Jacobsthal and $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas Sequence

In the section, we present novel features between the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences.

**Theorem 4.1** Let  $k \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $n$  be a non-negative integer. The following recurrence relations hold

$$J_{k,n+1} = r_1 J_{k,n} + r_2^n$$

$$C_{k,n+1} = r_1 C_{k,n} - (r_1 - r_2)r_2^n$$

where  $r_1 = \frac{k + \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}$ ,  $r_2 = \frac{k - \sqrt{k^2 + 8}}{2}$ .

**Proof.** If we use (1.1), we see the proof easily.

**Theorem 4.2** The  $k$ -Jacobsthal and the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences verify the following equality

$$J_{k,2n}C_{k,2n+1} = J_{k,4n+1} - 4^n.$$

**Proof.** For the proof, the Binet formulas of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences are used.

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_{k,2n}C_{k,2n+1} &= \frac{r_1^{2n} - r_2^{2n}}{r_1 - r_2} (r_1^{2n+1} + r_2^{2n+1}) \\
 &= \frac{r_1^{4n+1} - r_2^{4n+1}}{r_1 - r_2} + \frac{(r_1 r_2)^{2n} [r_2 - r_1]}{r_1 - r_2} \\
 &= J_{k,4n+1} - 4^n.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.3** The following relation is obtained

$$J_{k,2n+3}C_{k,2n+1} = J_{k,4n+4} + k(-2)^{2n+1}.$$

**Proof.** According to (1.1) and (1.2), we establish

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_{k,2n+3}C_{k,2n+1} &= \frac{r_1^{2n+3} - r_2^{2n+3}}{r_1 - r_2} (r_1^{2n+1} + r_2^{2n+1}) \\
 &= \frac{r_1^{2n+3}r_1^{2n+1} + r_1^{2n+3}r_2^{2n+1} - r_2^{2n+3}r_1^{2n+1} - r_2^{2n+3}r_2^{2n+1}}{r_1 - r_2} \\
 &= \frac{r_1^{4n+4} - r_2^{4n+4}}{r_1 - r_2} + \frac{r_1^{2n+3}r_2^{2n+1} - r_2^{2n+3}r_1^{2n+1}}{r_1 - r_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= J_{k,4n+4+k}(-2)^{2n+1}.$$

**Theorem 4.4** The following relation is provided

$$J_{k,n}C_{k,2n} = J_{k,3n} - (-2)^n J_{k,n}.$$

**Proof.** According to (1.1) and (1.2), we get

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,n}C_{k,2n} &= \frac{r_1^n - r_2^n}{r_1 - r_2} (r_1^{2n} + r_2^{2n}) \\ &= \frac{r_1^{3n} - r_2^{3n}}{r_1 - r_2} + (r_1 r_2)^n \frac{(r_2^n - r_1^n)}{r_1 - r_2} \\ &= J_{k,3n} - (-2)^n J_{k,n}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.5** The following equations are computed:

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,n}J_{k,m+1} + J_{k,n-1}J_{k,m} &= \frac{C_{k,m+n+1} + C_{k,m+n-1} + (-2)^{n-1}C_{k,m-n+1}}{k^2 + 8} \\ C_{k,n}C_{k,m+1} + C_{k,n-1}C_{k,m} &= C_{k,m+n+1}C_{k,m+n-1} - (-2)^{n-1}C_{k,m-n+1}. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof .** According to (1.1) and (1.2), we denote

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,n}J_{k,m+1} + J_{k,n-1}J_{k,m} &= \frac{(r_1^n - r_2^n)(r_1^{m+1} - r_2^{m+1})}{r_1 - r_2} + \frac{(r_1^{n-1} - r_2^{n-1})(r_1^m - r_2^m)}{r_1 - r_2} \\ &= \frac{r_1^{m+n+1} - r_1^n r_2^{m+1} - r_1^{m+1} r_2^n + r_2^{m+n+1} + r_1^{m+n-1} - r_1^{n-1} r_2^m - r_1^m r_2^{n-1} + r_2^{m+n-1}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{C_{k,m+n+1} + C_{k,m+n-1} - r_1^n r_2^m (r_2 + r_1^{-1}) - r_1^m r_2^n (r_1 + r_2^{-1})}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{C_{k,m+n+1} + C_{k,m+n-1} + r_1^n r_2^m \left(\frac{r_1 r_2 + 1}{r_1}\right) + r_1^m r_2^n \left(\frac{r_1 r_2 + 1}{r_2}\right)}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{C_{k,m+n+1} + C_{k,m+n-1} - r_1^{n-1} r_2^m - r_1^m r_2^{n-1}}{(r_1 - r_2)^2} \\ &= \frac{C_{k,m+n+1} + C_{k,m+n-1} + (-2)^{n-1}C_{k,m-n+1}}{k^2 + 8}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.6** The following relations are evaluated:

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,m+6} &= k(k^2 + 6)J_{k,m+3} + 8J_{k,m} \\ C_{k,m+6} &= k(k^2 + 6)C_{k,m+3} + 8C_{k,m}. \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** The proof will be conducted by employing the recurrence relation of the  $k$ -Jacobsthal sequence and some algebraic operations

$$\begin{aligned} J_{k,m+6} &= (k^2 + 4)J_{k,m+4} - 4J_{k,m+2} \\ &= (k^2 + 4)kJ_{k,m+3} + 2k^2J_{k,m+2} + 8J_{k,m+2} - 4J_{k,m+2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &=(k^2 + 4)kJ_{k,m+3} + 2kJ_{k,m+3} + (2k^2 + 4)J_{k,m+2} - 2kJ_{k,m+3} \\
 &=(k^3 + 6k)J_{k,m+3} + (2k^2 + 4)J_{k,m+2} - 2k(kJ_{k,m+2} + 2J_{k,m+1}) \\
 &=(k^3 + 6k)J_{k,m+3} + 2k^2J_{k,m+2} - 2k^2J_{k,m+2} + 4J_{k,m+2} - 4kJ_{k,m+1} \\
 &=(k^3 + 6k)J_{k,m+3} + 4(kJ_{k,m+1} + 2J_{k,m}) - 4kJ_{k,m+1} \\
 &=k(k^2 + 6)J_{k,m+3} + 8J_{k,m}
 \end{aligned}$$

The other proof is made by a similar way.

### 5. Sum Formulas on $k$ -Jacobsthal and $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas Sequences

In the section, we present novel sum formulas for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and the  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences.

**Theorem 5.1** The following binomial sum is evaluated:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \frac{k^i J_{k,i}}{2^i} = \frac{J_{k,2n}}{2^n}.$$

**Proof.** The proof is denoted by (1.1), the binomial expansion, and the difference equation for the recurrence relation as  $r_1^2 = kr_1 + 2$ ,  $r_2^2 = kr_2 + 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \frac{k^i J_{k,i}}{2^i} &= \frac{2^n}{2^n} \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \frac{k^i}{2^i} \left( \frac{r_1^i - r_2^i}{r_1 - r_2} \right) = \frac{1}{2^n(r_1 - r_2)} \left[ \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (kr_1)^i 2^{n-i} - \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} (kr_2)^i 2^{n-i} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^n(r_1 - r_2)} [(kr_1 + 2)^n - (kr_2 + 2)^n] = \frac{1}{2^n} \left( \frac{r_1^{2n} - r_2^{2n}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) = \frac{J_{k,2n}}{2^n}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 5.2** The following binomial sums are obtained:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=0}^{2m+1} \binom{2m+1}{i} J_{k,2i} (-2)^{2m+1-i} &= \frac{k^{2m+1} C_{k,2m+1}}{r_1 - r_2} \\
 \sum_{i=0}^{2m} \binom{2m}{i} (-2)^{2m-i} C_{k,2i} &= k^{2m} C_{k,2m}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** The proof will be carried out using the Binet formulas and recurrence relations for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers and the properties of the summation formula:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=0}^{2m+1} \binom{2m+1}{i} J_{k,2i} (-2)^{2m+1-i} &= \frac{1}{r_1 - r_2} \sum_{i=0}^{2m+1} \binom{2m+1}{i} (-2)^{2m+1-i} [r_1^{2i} + r_2^{2i}] \\
 &= \frac{1}{r_1 - r_2} (r_1^2 - 2)^{2m+1} + (r_2^2 - 2)^{2m+1} \\
 &= \frac{(kr_1)^{2m+1} + (kr_2)^{2m+1}}{r_1 - r_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

and, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^{2m} \binom{2m}{i} (-2)^{2m-i} C_{k,2i} &= \sum_{i=0}^{2m} \binom{2m}{i} (-2)^{2m-i} (r_1^2)^i + \sum_{i=0}^{2m} \binom{2m}{i} (-2)^{2m-i} (r_2^2)^i \\ &= (r_1^2 - 2)^{2m} + (r_2^2 - 2)^{2m} \\ &= (kr_1)^{2m} + (kr_2)^{2m} = k^{2m} C_{k,2m}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 5.3** The following binomial sum is deduced:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{i} (-2)^{2n-i} J_{k,i} C_{k,i} = k^{2n} J_{k,2n}.$$

**Proof.** We shall demonstrate this by employing the binomial expansion (1.1) and (1.2) for the  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{i} (-2)^{2n-i} J_{k,i} C_{k,i} &= \sum_{i=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{i} (-2)^{2n-i} \left( \frac{r_1^i - r_2^i}{r_1 - r_2} \right) (r_1^i + r_2^i) \\ &= \frac{1}{r_1 - r_2} \sum_{i=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{i} (r_1^2)^i (-2)^{2n-i} - \frac{1}{r_1 - r_2} \sum_{i=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{i} (r_2^2)^i (-2)^{2n-i} \\ &= \frac{1}{r_1 - r_2} [(r_1^2 - 2)^{2n} - (r_2^2 - 2)^{2n}] \\ &= \frac{k^{2n}}{r_1 - r_2} [r_1^{2n} - r_2^{2n}] = k^{2n} J_{k,2n}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 5.4** The following sum is obtained:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{C_{k,i} J_{k,i}}{2^k} = \frac{-4^n J_{k,2-2n} - J_{k,2n} + J_{k,2}}{2^k(1 - k^2)}.$$

**Proof.** The proof will be carried out by employing (1.1 and (1.2) and geometric series expansions:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{C_{k,i} J_{k,i}}{2^k} &= \frac{1}{2^k} [(r_1^0 + r_2^0) \left( \frac{r_1^0 - r_2^0}{r_1 - r_2} \right) + (r_1^1 + r_2^1) \left( \frac{r_1^1 - r_2^1}{r_1 - r_2} \right) + (r_1^2 + r_2^2) \left( \frac{r_1^2 - r_2^2}{r_1 - r_2} \right) + \dots \\ &\quad + (r_1^{n-1} + r_2^{n-1}) \left( \frac{r_1^{n-1} - r_2^{n-1}}{r_1 - r_2} \right)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2^k(r_1 - r_2)} (r_1^2 - r_2^2 + r_1^4 - r_2^4 + \dots + r_1^{2n-2} - r_2^{2n-2}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2^k(r_1 - r_2)} [(r_1^2 + r_1^4 + \dots + r_1^{2n-2}) - (r_2^2 + r_2^4 + \dots + r_2^{2n-2})] \end{aligned}$$

After we use geometric sum formula, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2^k(r_1 - r_2)} \left( \frac{r_1^{2n} - r_1^2}{r_1^2 - 1} - \frac{r_2^{2n} - r_2^2}{r_2^2 - 1} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^k(r_1 - r_2)} \frac{r_1^{2n}r_2^2 - r_1^2r_2^2 - r_1^{2n} + r_1^2 - r_2^{2n}r_1^2 + r_1^2r_2^2 + r_2^{2n} - r_2^2}{(r_1^2 - 1)(r_2^2 - 1)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^k(r_1 - r_2)} \frac{(r_1r_2)^{2n}(r_2^{2-2n} - r_1^{-2n}) + r_2^{2n} - r_1^{2n} + r_1^2 - r_2^2}{(r_1^2 - 1)(r_2^2 - 1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

By the property  $(r_1^2 - 1)(r_2^2 - 1) = 5 - (r_1^2 + r_2^2) = 5 - ((r_1 + r_2)^2 - 2(r_1r_2)) = 1 - k^2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2^k(1 - k^2)} \left[ -(r_1r_2)^{2n} \left( \frac{r_1^{2-2n} - r_2^{2-2n}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) - \left( \frac{r_1^{2n} - r_2^{2n}}{r_1 - r_2} \right) + \left( \frac{r_1^2 - r_2^2}{r_1 - r_2} \right) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^k(1 - k^2)} \left[ \frac{-(r_1r_2)^{2n}}{r_1 - r_2} \left( \frac{r_2^{2n-2} - r_1^{2n-2}}{(r_1r_2)^{2n-2}} \right) - (r_1^{2n} - r_2^{2n}) + (r_1^2 - r_2^2) \right] \\
 &= \frac{-4J_{k,2n-2} - J_{k,2n} + J_{k,2}}{2^k(1 - k^2)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Conclusion**

Some interesting features are obtained for  $k$ -Jacobsthal and  $k$ -Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence in the study. We think that it can be found many more identities for these numbers. The Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences may attract attention as Fibonacci and Lucas numbers by virtue of charming identities in scientific area.

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