

On Generalized Tetranacci Numbers: Closed Form Formulas of the Sum $\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2$ of the Squares of Terms

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Abstract. In this paper, closed forms of the sum formulas $\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2$ for the squares of generalized Tetranacci numbers are presented. We also present the sum formulas $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k$, $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k$, and $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k$. As special cases, we give summation formulas of the of Tetranacci, Tetranacci-Lucas and some other fourth order linear recurrence sequences.

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1. Introduction

There have been so many studies of the sequences of numbers in the literature which are defined recursively. Two of these type of sequences are the sequences of Tetranacci and Tetranacci-Lucas which are special case of generalized Tetranacci numbers. A generalized Tetranacci sequence $\{W_n\}_{n \geq 0} = \{W_n(W_0, W_1, W_2, W_3)\}_{n \geq 0}$ is defined by the fourth-order recurrence relations

$$(1.1) \quad W_n = rW_{n-1} + sW_{n-2} + tW_{n-3} + uW_{n-4}, \quad W_0 = a, W_1 = b, W_2 = c, W_3 = d, \quad n \geq 4$$

with the initial values $W_0 = c_0, W_1 = c_1, W_2 = c_2, W_3 = c_3$ not all being zero.

This sequence has been studied by many authors and more detail can be found in the extensive literature dedicated to these sequences, see for example [7,10,11,16,25,26].

The sequence $\{W_n\}_{n \geq 0}$ can be extended to negative subscripts by defining

$$W_{-n} = -\frac{t}{u}W_{-(n-1)} - \frac{s}{u}W_{-(n-2)} - \frac{r}{u}W_{-(n-3)} + \frac{1}{u}W_{-(n-4)}$$

for $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$. Therefore, recurrence (1.1) holds for all integer n .

In literature, for example, the following names and notations (see Table 1) are used for the special case of r, s, t, u and initial values.

Table 1 A few special case of generalized Tetranacci sequences.

Sequences (Numbers)	Notation	OEIS [24]
Tetranacci	$\{M_n\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 1, 2; 1, 1, 1, 1)\}$	A000078
Tetranacci-Lucas	$\{R_n\} = \{W_n(4, 1, 3, 7; 1, 1, 1, 1)\}$	A073817
fourth order Pell	$\{P_n^{(4)}\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 2, 5; 2, 1, 1, 1)\}$	A103142
fourth order Pell-Lucas	$\{Q_n^{(4)}\} = \{W_n(4, 2, 6, 17; 2, 1, 1, 1)\}$	A331413
modified fourth order Pell	$\{E_n^{(4)}\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 1, 3; 2, 1, 1, 1)\}$	A190139
4-primes	$\{G_n\} = \{W_n(0, 0, 1, 2; 2, 3, 5, 7)\}$	
Lucas 4-primes	$\{H_n\} = \{W_n(4, 2, 10, 41; 2, 3, 5, 7)\}$	
modified 4-primes	$\{E_n\} = \{W_n(0, 0, 1, 1; 2, 3, 5, 7)\}$	

Here OEIS stands for On-line Encyclopedia of Integer Sequences. In the rest of the paper, for easy writing, we drop the superscripts and write P_n, Q_n and E_n for $P_n^{(4)}, Q_n^{(4)}$ and $E_n^{(4)}$, respectively. For generalized fourth order Pell numbers and generalized 4-primes numbers see [17] and [23], respectively.

The evaluation of sums of powers of these sequences is a challenging issue. Two pretty examples are

$$\sum_{k=0}^n R_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(-R_{n+4}^2 - 3R_{n+3}^2 - 4R_{n+2}^2 - 4R_{n+1}^2 + 3R_{n+4}R_{n+3} + 2R_{n+4}R_{n+2} + R_{n+4}R_{n+1} - R_{n+2}R_{n+1} + 43)$$

and

$$\sum_{k=0}^n P_k^2 = \frac{1}{56}(-9P_{n+4}^2 - 57P_{n+3}^2 - 68P_{n+2}^2 - 65P_{n+1}^2 + 42P_{n+4}P_{n+3} + 20P_{n+4}P_{n+2} + 6P_{n+4}P_{n+1} - 4P_{n+3}P_{n+2} + 2P_{n+3}P_{n+1} - 12P_{n+2}P_{n+1} + 9).$$

In [15], the author showed that

$$(1.2) \quad \sum_{k=0}^n M_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(1 + 3M_n M_{n+1} - (M_{n+1} - M_{n-1})^2 + M_n M_{n-2} + M_{n-2} M_{n-3})$$

by using induction with a (long) proof. In this paper, as an easy corollary to our main result, we find that

$$(1.3) \quad \sum_{k=0}^n M_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(-M_{n+4}^2 - 3M_{n+3}^2 - 4M_{n+2}^2 - 4M_{n+1}^2 + 3M_{n+4}M_{n+3} + 2M_{n+4}M_{n+2} + M_{n+4}M_{n+1} - M_{n+2}M_{n+1} + 1).$$

By using Binet formula of Tetranacci numbers (or the fourth-order recurrence relations (1.1)) it can be seen that the rights sides of the formulas (1.2) and (1.3) are equal.

In this work, we derive expressions for sums of second powers of generalized Tetranacci numbers. We present some works on sum formulas of powers of the numbers in the following Table 2.

Table 2. A few special study on sum formulas of second, third and arbitrary powers.

Name of sequence	sums of second powers	sums of third powers	sums of powers
Generalized Fibonacci	[1,2,6,8,9,18]	[5,19,21,22,27]	[3,4,12]
Generalized Tribonacci	[14,20]		
Generalized Tetranacci	[13,15]		

2. Main Result

Let

$$\Delta = (r - s + t - u + 1)(s + u + r^2u + su^2 + rt + 2su - t^2 - u^2 - u^3 - rtu + 1)(r + s + t + u - 1).$$

THEOREM 2.1. *If $\Delta \neq 0$ then*

(a):

$$\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 = \frac{\Delta_1}{\Delta},$$

(b):

$$\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k = \frac{\Delta_2}{\Delta},$$

(c):

$$\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k = \frac{\Delta_3}{\Delta},$$

(d):

$$\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k = \frac{\Delta_4}{\Delta},$$

where

$$\Delta_1 = \sum_{k=1}^{20} \Gamma_k, \quad \Delta_2 = \sum_{k=1}^{20} \Theta_k, \quad \Delta_3 = \sum_{k=1}^{20} \Phi_k, \quad \Delta_4 = \sum_{k=1}^{20} \Psi_k$$

with

$$\Gamma_1 = -(s + u + r^2u - su^2 + rt + t^2 + u^2 - u^3 + rtu - 1)W_{n+4}^2,$$

$$\Gamma_2 = -(s + u + r^2s + r^3t - su^2 + r^4u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - r^2u^3 + rt + r^2 + t^2 + u^2 - u^3 + 2r^2su - 2rtu^2 + r^3tu - r^2su^2 + 2rst + 3rtu - 1)W_{n+3}^2,$$

$$\Gamma_3 = -(r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - 2rtu^2 + 3rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2u + s^2 + 2st^2u - su^2 + s + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+2}^2,$$

$$\Gamma_4 = -(r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 4rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - 4rtu^2 + 5rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u^2 + 4st^2u - st^2 - su^2 + s - t^4 - t^2u^3 + t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+1}^2,$$

$$\Gamma_5 = 2(rt^2 + r^2t + ru^2 - ru^3 + r^3u - tu^2 + rs + st + tu - rsu^2 + r^2tu + rsu)W_{n+4}W_{n+3},$$

$$\Gamma_6 = 2(r^2u + rstu + rtu^2 + rt - s^2u^2 - s^2u + st^2 - su^3 + su + t^2u)W_{n+4}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Gamma_7 = 2u(r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_{n+4}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Gamma_8 = -2(r^2stu + r^2tu^2 - r^2tu - rs^2u^2 + rst^2 - rsu^3 + rsu^2 - rsu + rt^2u - rt^2 + ru^3 - ru^2 + s^2t - stu^2 + stu - st + tu^2 - tu)W_{n+3}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Gamma_9 = -2u(r^2su - r^2u + rst - rtu^2 - rt + s^2u + s^2 + su^2 - s - t^2u)W_{n+3}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Gamma_{10} = -2u(rt^2 - t + ru^2 - ru + st + tu + t^3 - rsu^2 + rt^2u + r^2tu - stu^2 - stu)W_{n+2}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Gamma_{11} = (s + u + r^2u - su^2 + rt + t^2 + u^2 - u^3 + rtu - 1)W_3^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{12} = (s + u + r^2s + r^3t - su^2 + r^4u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - r^2u^3 + rt + r^2 + t^2 + u^2 - u^3 + 2r^2su - 2rtu^2 + r^3tu - r^2su^2 + 2rst + 3rtu - 1)W_2^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{13} = (r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - 2rtu^2 + 3rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2u + s^2 + 2st^2u - su^2 + s + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_1^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{14} = (r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 4rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - 4rtu^2 + 5rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u^2 + 4st^2u - st^2 - su^2 + s - t^4 - t^2u^3 + t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_0^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{15} = -2(rt^2 + r^2t + ru^2 - ru^3 + r^3u - tu^2 + rs + st + tu - rsu^2 + r^2tu + rsu)W_3W_2,$$

$$\Gamma_{16} = -2(r^2u + rstu + rtu^2 + rt - s^2u^2 - s^2u + st^2 - su^3 + su + t^2u)W_3W_1,$$

$$\Gamma_{17} = 2(r^2stu + r^2tu^2 - r^2tu - rs^2u^2 + rst^2 - rsu^3 + rsu^2 - rsu + rt^2u - rt^2 + ru^3 - ru^2 + s^2t - stu^2 + stu - st + tu^2 - tu)W_2W_1,$$

$$\Gamma_{18} = -2u(r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_3W_0,$$

$$\Gamma_{19} = 2u(r^2su - r^2u + rst - rtu^2 - rt + s^2u + s^2 + su^2 - s - t^2u)W_2W_0,$$

$$\Gamma_{20} = 2u(rt^2 - t + ru^2 - ru + st + tu + t^3 - rsu^2 + rt^2u + r^2tu - stu^2 - stu)W_1W_0,$$

and

$$\Theta_1 = (r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_{n+4}^2,$$

$$\Theta_2 = (r^3su + r^2st - r^2tu^2 + r^2tu + rs^2u + rs^2 + rsu - rt^2u + rt^2 - ru^3 + ru^2 + st - tu^2 + tu)W_{n+3}^2,$$

$$\Theta_3 = (-r^2tu^2 + r^2tu + rst^2u + rsu^3 - rt^2u + rt^2 - ru^3 + ru^2 - s^2tu^2 - s^2tu + st^3 + stu^2 - tu^2 + tu)W_{n+2}^2,$$

$$\Theta_4 = u^2(r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_{n+1}^2,$$

$$\Theta_5 = -(2r^2su - r^2u + r^2 + 2rst - 2rtu^2 + 2rtu + s^2u + s^2 - t^2u + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+4}W_{n+3},$$

$$\Theta_6 = (r^3u + r^2t - rs^2u + 2rsu - rt^2u - ru^3 + ru - s^2t + 2stu^2 - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_{n+4}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Theta_7 = u(-r^2u + r^2 - s^2u - s^2 + t^2u - t^2 + u^3 - u^2 - u + 1)W_{n+4}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Theta_8 = -(r^4u + r^3t - r^2s^2u + 3r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u - r^2u^3 + r^2 - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 2rst - rt^3 - 3rtu^2 + 2rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u - st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s - t^2u + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+3}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Theta_9 = u(r^3u + r^2t + rs^2u + 2rs - rt^2u - ru^3 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_{n+3}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Theta_{10} = -(r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - rtu^3 - 3rtu^2 + 3rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u^2 + 2st^2u - st^2 + su^4 - 2su^2 + s - t^4 - t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+2}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Theta_{11} = -(r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_3^2,$$

$$\Theta_{12} = -(r^3su + r^2st - r^2tu^2 + r^2tu + rs^2u + rs^2 + rsu - rt^2u + rt^2 - ru^3 + ru^2 + st - tu^2 + tu)W_2^2,$$

$$\Theta_{13} = (r^2tu^2 - r^2tu - rst^2u - rsu^3 + rt^2u - rt^2 + ru^3 - ru^2 + s^2tu^2 + s^2tu - st^3 - stu^2 + tu^2 - tu)W_1^2,$$

$$\Theta_{14} = -u^2(r - tu^2 - ru + st + tu + rsu)W_0^2,$$

$$\Theta_{15} = (2r^2su - r^2u + r^2 + 2rst - 2rtu^2 + 2rtu + s^2u + s^2 - t^2u + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_3W_2,$$

$$\Theta_{16} = -(r^3u + r^2t - rs^2u + 2rsu - rt^2u - ru^3 + ru - s^2t + 2stu^2 - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_3W_1,$$

$$\Theta_{17} = (r^4u + r^3t - r^2s^2u + 3r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u - r^2u^3 + r^2 - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 2rst - rt^3 - 3rtu^2 + 2rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u - st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s - t^2u + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_2W_1,$$

$$\Theta_{18} = u(r^2u - r^2 + s^2u + s^2 - t^2u + t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_3W_0,$$

$$\Theta_{19} = -u(r^3u + r^2t + rs^2u + 2rs - rt^2u - ru^3 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_2W_0,$$

$$\Theta_{20} = (r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 + 4r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - rtu^3 - 3rtu^2 + 3rtu + rt - s^3u^2 - 2s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 + s^2u + s^2 + st^2u^2 + 2st^2u - st^2 + su^4 - 2su^2 + s - t^4 - t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_1W_0,$$

and

$$\Phi_1 = (r^2 + rtu + rt - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_{n+4}^2,$$

$$\Phi_2 = (r^3tu - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 - r^2s + r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - rs^2t - 2rstu + rt^3 + rtu^2 + rtu - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_{n+3}^2,$$

$$\Phi_3 = (r^3tu + r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - rs^2tu + 2rstu + rt^3 + rtu^2 + rtu - s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + st^2u^2 + st^2 - su^4 + su^2 + t^2u)W_{n+2}^2,$$

$$\Phi_4 = u^2(r^2 + rtu + rt - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_{n+1}^2,$$

$$\Phi_5 = (-r^3 - 2r^2tu - r^2t + 2rs^2u + rs^2 + 2rsu^2 - 2rt^2u - rt^2 - ru^2 + r + s^2t + 2stu - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_{n+4}W_{n+3},$$

$$\Phi_6 = -(r^2su + r^2s + r^2u^2 + r^2 + 2rst + 4rtu - s^3u - s^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2 + st^2u - st^2 - su^3 - su^2 + su + s + t^2u^2 + t^2 - u^4 + 2u^2 - 1)W_{n+4}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Phi_7 = u(r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + r + s^2t + 2stu - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_{n+4}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Phi_8 = (r^3su + r^3u^2 + r^2st + 2r^2tu - r^2t - rs^3u - rs^2u^2 + 2rs^2u + rst^2u - rsu^3 + 2rsu^2 + rsu + rt^2u^2 - 2rt^2u - ru^4 + ru^2 - s^3t - 2s^2tu + s^2t + st^3 + stu^2 + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_{n+3}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Phi_9 = -(r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u + 3r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2u + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - rtu^3 - rtu^2 + 5rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^2 + s^2 + 3st^2u - st^2 - su^3 - su^2 + su + s - t^4 + 2t^2 - u^4 + 2u^2 - 1)W_{n+3}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Phi_{10} = u(r^3u + r^2tu + 2r^2t - rs^2u + 2rsu + rt^2u + 2rt^2 - ru^3 + ru - s^2tu - 2s^2t + 2st + t^3u - tu^3 + tu)W_{n+2}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Phi_{11} = -(r^2 + rtu + rt - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_3^2,$$

$$\Phi_{12} = -(r^3tu - r^2s^2u - r^2su^2 - r^2s + r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - rs^2t - 2rstu + rt^3 + rtu^2 + rtu - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_2^2,$$

$$\Phi_{13} = -(r^3tu + r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 + r^2u^2 - rs^2tu + 2rstu + rt^3 + rtu^2 + rtu - s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2u^2 + st^2u^2 + st^2 - su^4 + su^2 + t^2u)W_1^2,$$

$$\Phi_{14} = -u^2(r^2 + rtu + rt - s^2u - s^2 - su^2 + s + t^2u)W_0^2,$$

$$\Phi_{15} = (r^3 + 2r^2tu + r^2t - 2rs^2u - rs^2 - 2rsu^2 + 2rt^2u + rt^2 + ru^2 - r - s^2t - 2stu + t^3 + tu^2 - t)W_3W_2,$$

$$\Phi_{16} = (r^2su + r^2s + r^2u^2 + r^2 + 2rst + 4rtu - s^3u - s^3 - s^2u^2 + s^2 + st^2u - st^2 - su^3 - su^2 + su + s + t^2u^2 + t^2 - u^4 + 2u^2 - 1)W_3W_1,$$

$$\Phi_{17} = -(r^3su + r^3u^2 + r^2st + 2r^2tu - r^2t - rs^3u - rs^2u^2 + 2rs^2u + rst^2u - rsu^3 + 2rsu^2 + rsu + rt^2u^2 - 2rt^2u - ru^4 + ru^2 - s^3t - 2s^2tu + s^2t + st^3 + stu^2 + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_2W_1,$$

$$\Phi_{18} = -u(r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + r + s^2t + 2stu - t^3 - tu^2 + t)W_3W_0,$$

$$\Phi_{19} = (r^4u + r^3tu + r^3t - r^2s^2u + 3r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2u + r^2t^2 - r^2u^3 + r^2u^2 + r^2u + r^2 + rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 + 4rst - rt^3u - rt^3 - rtu^3 - rtu^2 + 5rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u^2 + s^2 + 3st^2u - st^2 - su^3 - su^2 + su + s - t^4 + 2t^2 - u^4 + 2u^2 - 1)W_2W_0,$$

$$\Phi_{20} = -u(r^3u + r^2tu + 2r^2t - rs^2u + 2rsu + rt^2u + 2rt^2 - ru^3 + ru - s^2tu - 2s^2t + 2st + t^3u - tu^3 + tu)W_1W_0,$$

and

$$\Psi_1 = (r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 - rsu + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_{n+4}^2,$$

$$\Psi_2 = (-r^3s + r^3u^2 - 2r^2stu - r^2st + r^2tu^2 + r^2tu - r^2t + rs^3u + rs^3 + rs^2u^2 + rs^2u - rs^2 - rst^2u - rst^2 - rsu^3 + rsu^2 + rs + rt^2u^2 - rt^2u - rt^2 - ru^4 + ru^3 + s^2t + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_{n+3}^2,$$

$$\Psi_3 = (r^3u^2 - r^2stu - r^2st + r^2tu^2 + r^2tu - r^2t - rs^2u^2 - rst^2u - 2rst^2 - rsu^3 + 2rsu^2 + rt^2u^2 - rt^2u - rt^2 - ru^4 + ru^3 + s^3tu + s^3t + s^2tu^2 - s^2tu - s^2t - st^3u + stu^3 + stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_{n+2}^2,$$

$$\Psi_4 = u^2(r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 - rsu + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_{n+1}^2,$$

$$\Psi_5 = (-r^4 - r^3t + r^2s^2 + r^2su - r^2s + r^2t^2 - r^2u + r^2 - rs^2t + 2rst + rt^3 - rtu^2 + rt - s^3u - s^3 - s^2u^2 - s^2u + st^2u + st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s - t^2u^2 + t^2u + u^4 - u^3 - u^2 + u)W_{n+4}W_{n+3},$$

$$\Psi_6 = (-r^3s - r^3 - r^2st - r^2tu + rs^3 + 2rs^2u - rs^2 + rst^2 + 3rsu^2 - rs + rt^2 - ru^2 + r - s^3t - 3s^2tu + st^3 - stu^2 + 2stu + st + t^3u - tu^3 + tu)W_{n+4}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Psi_7 = -(r^3t + r^2su + r^2s + r^2t^2 - r^2u + r^2 - rs^2t + 4rst - rt^3 - 3rtu^2 + 2rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2t^2 + s^2u + s^2 + 3st^2u - st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s - t^4 - t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_{n+4}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Psi_8 = (r^3tu - r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2s^2 - r^2su^2 - r^2s + r^2u^2 - r^2u - rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 - 2rst - rt^3u + rt^3 + rtu^3 - rtu^2 - rtu + rt + s^4u + s^4 + s^3u^2 - s^3 - s^2t^2u - s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2 + st^2u^2 + st^2 - su^4 + 2su^3 - 2su + s - t^2u^2 + t^2u + u^4 - u^3 - u^2 + u)W_{n+3}W_{n+2},$$

$$\Psi_9 = u(r^3s - r^3 + r^2st - r^2tu - rs^3 + 3rs^2 - rst^2 + rsu^2 + 2rsu - rs + rt^2 - ru^2 + r + s^3t + s^2tu - 2s^2t - st^3 - stu^2 + 3st + t^3u - tu^3 + tu)W_{n+3}W_{n+1},$$

$$\Psi_{10} = u(r^3t - r^2su - r^2s + r^2t^2 + r^2u - r^2 - rs^2t - 2rstu - rt^3 + rtu^2 - rt + s^3u + s^3 + s^2t^2 - s^2u - s^2 + st^2u - st^2 - su^3 + su^2 + su - s - t^4 + t^2u^2 - t^2u + u^3 - u^2 - u + 1)W_{n+2}W_{n+1},$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi_{11} &= -(r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 - rsu + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_3^2, \\
\Psi_{12} &= (r^3s - r^3u^2 + 2r^2stu + r^2st - r^2tu^2 - r^2tu + r^2t - rs^3u - rs^3 - rs^2u^2 - rs^2u + rs^2 + r \\
&\quad st^2u + rst^2 + rsu^3 - rsu^2 - rs - rt^2u^2 + rt^2u + rt^2 + ru^4 - ru^3 - s^2t - 2stu + st + t^3 + tu - t)W_2^2, \\
\Psi_{13} &= -(r^3u^2 - r^2stu - r^2st + r^2tu^2 + r^2tu - r^2t - rs^2u^2 - rst^2u - 2rst^2 - rsu^3 + 2rsu^2 + rt^2 \\
&\quad u^2 - rt^2u - rt^2 - ru^4 + ru^3 + s^3tu + s^3t + s^2tu^2 - s^2tu - s^2t - st^3u + stu^3 + stu - st - t^3 - tu + t) \\
&\quad W_1^2, \\
\Psi_{14} &= -u^2(r^3 + r^2t - rs^2 - rsu + 2rs - rt^2 - ru^2 + ru + s^2t + 2stu - st - t^3 - tu + t)W_0^2, \\
\Psi_{15} &= (r^4 + r^3t - r^2s^2 - r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2 + r^2u - r^2 + rs^2t - 2rst - rt^3 + rtu^2 - rt + s^3u + s^3 + \\
&\quad s^2u^2 + s^2u - st^2u - st^2 - su^3 + su^2 + su - s + t^2u^2 - t^2u - u^4 + u^3 + u^2 - u)W_3W_2, \\
\Psi_{16} &= (r^3s + r^3 + r^2st + r^2tu - rs^3 - 2rs^2u + rs^2 - rst^2 - 3rsu^2 + rs - rt^2 + ru^2 - r + s^3t + 3s^2 \\
&\quad tu - st^3 + stu^2 - 2stu - st - t^3u + tu^3 - tu)W_3W_1, \\
\Psi_{17} &= -(r^3tu - r^3t - r^2s^2u - r^2s^2 - r^2su^2 - r^2s + r^2u^2 - r^2u - rs^2tu - rs^2t + 2rstu^2 - 2rst - \\
&\quad rt^3u + rt^3 + rtu^3 - rtu^2 - rtu + rt + s^4u + s^4 + s^3u^2 - s^3 - s^2t^2u - s^2t^2 - s^2u^3 - s^2 + st^2u^2 + \\
&\quad st^2 - su^4 + 2su^3 - 2su + s - t^2u^2 + t^2u + u^4 - u^3 - u^2 + u)W_2W_1, \\
\Psi_{18} &= (r^3t + r^2su + r^2s + r^2t^2 - r^2u + r^2 - rs^2t + 4rst - rt^3 - 3rtu^2 + 2rtu + rt - s^3u - s^3 + s^2 \\
&\quad t^2 + s^2u + s^2 + 3st^2u - st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s - t^4 - t^2u^2 - t^2u + 2t^2 - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_3W_0, \\
\Psi_{19} &= -u(r^3s - r^3 + r^2st - r^2tu - rs^3 + 3rs^2 - rst^2 + rsu^2 + 2rsu - rs + rt^2 - ru^2 + r + s^3t + s^2tu - \\
&\quad 2s^2t - st^3 - stu^2 + 3st + t^3u - tu^3 + tu)W_2W_0, \\
\Psi_{20} &= u(-r^3t + r^2su + r^2s - r^2t^2 - r^2u + r^2 + rs^2t + 2rstu + rt^3 - rtu^2 + rt - s^3u - s^3 - s^2t^2 + s^2 \\
&\quad u + s^2 - st^2u + st^2 + su^3 - su^2 - su + s + t^4 - t^2u^2 + t^2u - u^3 + u^2 + u - 1)W_1W_0.
\end{aligned}$$

Proof. First, we obtain $\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2$. Using the recurrence relation

$$W_{n+4} = rW_{n+3} + sW_{n+2} + tW_{n+1} + uW_n$$

or

$$uW_n = W_{n+4} - rW_{n+3} - sW_{n+2} - tW_{n+1}$$

we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 u^2 W_n^2 &= W_{n+4}^2 + r^2 W_{n+3}^2 + s^2 W_{n+2}^2 + t^2 W_{n+1}^2 - 2r W_{n+4} W_{n+3} - 2s W_{n+4} W_{n+2} \\
 &\quad - 2t W_{n+4} W_{n+1} + 2rs W_{n+3} W_{n+2} + 2rt W_{n+3} W_{n+1} + 2st W_{n+2} W_{n+1} \\
 u^2 W_{n-1}^2 &= W_{n+3}^2 + r^2 W_{n+2}^2 + s^2 W_{n+1}^2 + t^2 W_n^2 - 2r W_{n+3} W_{n+2} - 2s W_{n+3} W_{n+1} \\
 &\quad - 2t W_{n+3} W_n + 2rs W_{n+2} W_{n+1} + 2rt W_{n+2} W_n + 2st W_{n+1} W_n \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 u^2 W_1^2 &= W_5^2 + r^2 W_4^2 + s^2 W_3^2 + t^2 W_2^2 - 2r W_5 W_4 - 2s W_5 W_3 \\
 &\quad - 2t W_5 W_2 + 2rs W_4 W_3 + 2rt W_4 W_2 + 2st W_3 W_2 \\
 u^2 W_0^2 &= W_4^2 + r^2 W_3^2 + s^2 W_2^2 + t^2 W_1^2 - 2r W_4 W_3 - 2s W_4 W_2 \\
 &\quad - 2t W_4 W_1 + 2rs W_3 W_2 + 2rt W_3 W_1 + 2st W_2 W_1
 \end{aligned}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.1) \quad u^2 \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 &= (r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + 1) \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 + 2(-r + rs + st) \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1} W_k \\
 &\quad + 2(-s + rt) \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2} W_k - 2t \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3} W_k + W_{n+4}^2 + (r^2 + 1) W_{n+3}^2 \\
 &\quad + (r^2 + s^2 + 1) W_{n+2}^2 + (r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + 1) W_{n+1}^2 - 2r W_{n+4} W_{n+3} - 2s W_{n+4} W_{n+2} \\
 &\quad - 2t W_{n+4} W_{n+1} + 2r(s-1) W_{n+3} W_{n+2} + 2(-s + rt) W_{n+3} W_{n+1} \\
 &\quad + 2(-r + rs + st) W_{n+2} W_{n+1} - W_3^2 - (r^2 + 1) W_2^2 - (r^2 + s^2 + 1) W_1^2 \\
 &\quad - (r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + 1) W_0^2 + 2r W_3 W_2 + 2s W_3 W_1 - 2r(s-1) W_2 W_1 \\
 &\quad + 2t W_3 W_0 - 2(-s + rt) W_2 W_0 - 2(-r + rs + st) W_1 W_0.
 \end{aligned}$$

Next we obtain $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1} W_k$. Multiplying the both side of the recurrence relation

$$uW_n = W_{n+4} - rW_{n+3} - sW_{n+2} - tW_{n+1}$$

by W_{n+1} we get

$$uW_{n+1}W_n = W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - rW_{n+3}W_{n+1} - sW_{n+2}W_{n+1} - tW_{n+1}^2$$

Then using last recurrence relation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 uW_{n+1}W_n &= W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - rW_{n+3}W_{n+1} - sW_{n+2}W_{n+1} - tW_{n+1}^2 \\
 uW_nW_{n-1} &= W_{n+3}W_n - rW_{n+2}W_n - sW_{n+1}W_n - tW_n^2 \\
 uW_{n-1}W_{n-2} &= W_{n+2}W_{n-1} - rW_{n+1}W_{n-1} - sW_nW_{n-1} - tW_{n-1}^2 \\
 &\vdots \\
 uW_3W_2 &= W_6W_3 - rW_5W_3 - sW_4W_3 - tW_3^2 \\
 uW_2W_1 &= W_5W_2 - rW_4W_2 - sW_3W_2 - tW_2^2 \\
 uW_1W_0 &= W_4W_1 - rW_3W_1 - sW_2W_1 - tW_1^2
 \end{aligned}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.2) \quad u \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k &= (W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - W_3W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k) \\
 &\quad - r(W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - W_2W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k) \\
 &\quad - s(W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_1W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k) \\
 &\quad - t(W_{n+1}^2 - W_0^2 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2).
 \end{aligned}$$

Next we obtain $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k$. Multiplying the both side of the recurrence relation

$$uW_n = W_{n+4} - rW_{n+3} - sW_{n+2} - tW_{n+1}$$

by W_{n+2} we get

$$uW_{n+2}W_n = W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - rW_{n+3}W_{n+2} - sW_{n+2}^2 - tW_{n+2}W_{n+1}$$

Then using last recurrence relation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 uW_{n+2}W_n &= W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - rW_{n+3}W_{n+2} - sW_{n+2}^2 - tW_{n+2}W_{n+1} \\
 uW_{n+1}W_{n-1} &= W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - rW_{n+2}W_{n+1} - sW_{n+1}^2 - tW_{n+1}W_n \\
 uW_nW_{n-2} &= W_{n+2}W_n - rW_{n+1}W_n - sW_n^2 - tW_nW_{n-1} \\
 &\vdots \\
 uW_3W_1 &= W_5W_3 - rW_4W_3 - sW_3^2 - tW_3W_2 \\
 uW_2W_0 &= W_4W_2 - rW_3W_2 - sW_2^2 - tW_2W_1
 \end{aligned}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.3) \quad u \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k &= (W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - W_3W_1 - W_2W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k) \\
 &\quad -r(W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_2W_1 - W_1W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k) \\
 &\quad -s(W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 - W_1^2 - W_0^2 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2) \\
 &\quad -t(W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_1W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k).
 \end{aligned}$$

Next we obtain $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k$. Multiplying the both side of the recurrence relation

$$uW_n = W_{n+4} - rW_{n+3} - sW_{n+2} - tW_{n+1}$$

by W_{n+3} we get

$$uW_{n+3}W_n = W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - rW_{n+3}^2 - sW_{n+3}W_{n+2} - tW_{n+3}W_{n+1}$$

Then using last recurrence relation, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 uW_{n+3}W_n &= W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - rW_{n+3}^2 - sW_{n+3}W_{n+2} - tW_{n+3}W_{n+1} \\
 uW_{n+2}W_{n-1} &= W_{n+3}W_{n+2} - rW_{n+2}^2 - sW_{n+2}W_{n+1} - tW_{n+2}W_n \\
 uW_{n+1}W_{n-2} &= W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - rW_{n+1}^2 - sW_{n+1}W_n - tW_{n+1}W_{n-1} \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 uW_5W_2 &= W_6W_5 - rW_5^2 - sW_5W_4 - tW_5W_3 \\
 uW_4W_1 &= W_5W_4 - rW_4^2 - sW_4W_3 - tW_4W_2 \\
 uW_3W_0 &= W_4W_3 - rW_3^2 - sW_3W_2 - tW_3W_1
 \end{aligned}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2.4) \quad \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k &= (W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_3W_2 - W_2W_1 - W_1W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k) \\
 &\quad -r(W_{n+3}^2 + W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 - W_2^2 - W_1^2 - W_0^2 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2) \\
 &\quad -s(W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_2W_1 - W_1W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k) \\
 &\quad -t(W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - W_2W_0 + \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k).
 \end{aligned}$$

Solving the system (2.1)-(2.2)-(2.3)-(2.4), the results in (a), (b), (c) and (d) follow.

3. Specific Cases

In this section, we present the closed form solutions (identities) of the sums $\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2$, $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k$, $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k$ and $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k$ for the specific case of sequence $\{W_n\}$.

Taking $r = s = t = u = 1$ in Theorem 2.1, we obtain the following proposition.

PROPOSITION 3.1. *If $r = s = t = u = 1$ then for $n \geq 0$ we have the following formulas:*

- (a): $\sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(-W_{n+4}^2 - 3W_{n+3}^2 - 4W_{n+2}^2 - 4W_{n+1}^2 + 3W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + 2W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - W_{n+2}W_{n+1} + W_3^2 + 3W_2^2 + 4W_1^2 + 4W_0^2 - 3W_3W_2 - 2W_3W_1 - W_3W_0 + W_1W_0)$.
- (b): $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k = \frac{1}{6}(W_{n+4}^2 + 3W_{n+3}^2 + W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 - 3W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 3W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 3W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 5W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_3^2 - 3W_2^2 - W_1^2 - W_0^2 + 3W_3W_2 - W_3W_1 + W_3W_0 + 3W_2W_1 - 3W_2W_0 + 5W_1W_0)$.
- (c): $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k = \frac{1}{6}(W_{n+4}^2 + 4W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 - 5W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + 2W_{n+4}W_{n+1} + 3W_{n+3}W_{n+2} - 9W_{n+3}W_{n+1} + 4W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_3^2 - 4W_1^2 - W_0^2 + 5W_3W_1 - 2W_3W_0 - 3W_2W_1 + 9W_2W_0 - 4W_1W_0)$.
- (d): $\sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k = \frac{1}{6}(W_{n+4}^2 - 2W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 + W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - 4W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 3W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 3W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 2W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_3^2 + 2W_1^2 - W_0^2 - W_3W_1 + 4W_3W_0 + 3W_2W_1 - 3W_2W_0 + 2W_1W_0)$.

From the above proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of Tetranacci numbers (take $W_n = M_n$ with $M_0 = 0, M_1 = 1, M_2 = 1, M_3 = 2$).

COROLLARY 3.2. *For $n \geq 0$, Tetranacci numbers have the following properties:*

- (a): $\sum_{k=0}^n M_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(-M_{n+4}^2 - 3M_{n+3}^2 - 4M_{n+2}^2 - 4M_{n+1}^2 + 3M_{n+4}M_{n+3} + 2M_{n+4}M_{n+2} + M_{n+4}M_{n+1} - M_{n+2}M_{n+1} + 1)$.
- (b): $\sum_{k=0}^n M_{k+1}M_k = \frac{1}{6}(M_{n+4}^2 + 3M_{n+3}^2 + M_{n+2}^2 + M_{n+1}^2 - 3M_{n+4}M_{n+3} + M_{n+4}M_{n+2} - M_{n+4}M_{n+1} - 3M_{n+3}M_{n+2} + 3M_{n+3}M_{n+1} - 5M_{n+2}M_{n+1} - 1)$.
- (c): $\sum_{k=0}^n M_{k+2}M_k = \frac{1}{6}(M_{n+4}^2 + 4M_{n+2}^2 + M_{n+1}^2 - 5M_{n+4}M_{n+2} + 2M_{n+4}M_{n+1} + 3M_{n+3}M_{n+2} - 9M_{n+3}M_{n+1} + 4M_{n+2}M_{n+1} - 1)$.
- (d): $\sum_{k=0}^n M_{k+3}M_k = \frac{1}{6}(M_{n+4}^2 - 2M_{n+2}^2 + M_{n+1}^2 + M_{n+4}M_{n+2} - 4M_{n+4}M_{n+1} - 3M_{n+3}M_{n+2} + 3M_{n+3}M_{n+1} - 2M_{n+2}M_{n+1} - 1)$.

Taking $W_n = R_n$ with $R_0 = 4, R_1 = 1, R_2 = 3, R_3 = 7$ in the above proposition, we have the following corollary which presents sum formulas of Tetranacci-Lucas numbers.

COROLLARY 3.3. *For $n \geq 0$, Tetranacci-Lucas numbers have the following properties:*

- (a): $\sum_{k=0}^n R_k^2 = \frac{1}{3}(-R_{n+4}^2 - 3R_{n+3}^2 - 4R_{n+2}^2 - 4R_{n+1}^2 + 3R_{n+4}R_{n+3} + 2R_{n+4}R_{n+2} + R_{n+4}R_{n+1} - R_{n+2}R_{n+1} + 43)$.
- (b): $\sum_{k=0}^n R_{k+1}R_k = \frac{1}{6}(R_{n+4}^2 + 3R_{n+3}^2 + R_{n+2}^2 + R_{n+1}^2 - 3R_{n+4}R_{n+3} + R_{n+4}R_{n+2} - R_{n+4}R_{n+1} - 3R_{n+3}R_{n+2} + 3R_{n+3}R_{n+1} - 5R_{n+2}R_{n+1} - 16)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n R_{k+2}R_k &= \frac{1}{6}(R_{n+4}^2 + 4R_{n+2}^2 + R_{n+1}^2 - 5R_{n+4}R_{n+2} + 2R_{n+4}R_{n+1} + 3R_{n+3}R_{n+2} - 9R_{n+3}R_{n+1} + \\
 &\quad 4R_{n+2}R_{n+1} - 7). \\
 \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n R_{k+3}R_k &= \frac{1}{6}(R_{n+4}^2 - 2R_{n+2}^2 + R_{n+1}^2 + R_{n+4}R_{n+2} - 4R_{n+4}R_{n+1} - 3R_{n+3}R_{n+2} + 3R_{n+3}R_{n+1} - \\
 &\quad 2R_{n+2}R_{n+1} + 23).
 \end{aligned}$$

Taking $r = 2, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1$ in Theorem 2.1, we obtain the following proposition.

PROPOSITION 3.4. *If $r = 2, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1$ then for $n \geq 0$ we have the following formulas:*

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 &= \frac{1}{56}(-9W_{n+4}^2 - 57W_{n+3}^2 - 68W_{n+2}^2 - 65W_{n+1}^2 + 42W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + 20W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + 6 \\
 &\quad W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 4W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 2W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 12W_{n+2}W_{n+1} + 9W_3^2 + 57W_2^2 + 68W_1^2 + 65W_0^2 - 42W_3W_2 - \\
 &\quad 20W_3W_1 - 6W_3W_0 + 4W_2W_1 - 2W_2W_0 + 12W_1W_0). \\
 \text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k &= \frac{1}{56}(3W_{n+4}^2 + 19W_{n+3}^2 + 4W_{n+2}^2 + 3W_{n+1}^2 - 14W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + 12W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - 2 \\
 &\quad W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 36W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 18W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 52W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - 3W_3^2 - 19W_2^2 - 4W_1^2 - 3W_0^2 + 14W_3W_2 - \\
 &\quad 12W_3W_1 + 2W_3W_0 + 36W_2W_1 - 18W_2W_0 + 52W_1W_0). \\
 \text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k &= \frac{1}{8}(W_{n+4}^2 + W_{n+3}^2 + 4W_{n+2}^2 + W_{n+1}^2 - 2W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - 4W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + 2W_{n+4}W_{n+1} + \\
 &\quad 4W_{n+3}W_{n+2} - 10W_{n+3}W_{n+1} + 4W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - W_3^2 - W_2^2 - 4W_1^2 - W_0^2 + 2W_3W_2 + 4W_3W_1 - 2W_3W_0 - \\
 &\quad 4W_2W_1 + 10W_2W_0 - 4W_1W_0). \\
 \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k &= \frac{1}{56}(11W_{n+4}^2 - 5W_{n+3}^2 - 4W_{n+2}^2 + 11W_{n+1}^2 - 14W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - 12W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - 26 \\
 &\quad W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 20W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 10W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 4W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - 11W_3^2 + 5W_2^2 + 4W_1^2 - 11W_0^2 + 14W_3W_2 + \\
 &\quad 12W_3W_1 + 26W_3W_0 + 20W_2W_1 - 10W_2W_0 + 4W_1W_0).
 \end{aligned}$$

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of fourth-order Pell numbers (take $W_n = P_n$ with $P_0 = 0, P_1 = 1, P_2 = 2, P_3 = 5$).

COROLLARY 3.5. *For $n \geq 0$, fourth-order Pell numbers have the following properties:*

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n P_k^2 &= \frac{1}{56}(-9P_{n+4}^2 - 57P_{n+3}^2 - 68P_{n+2}^2 - 65P_{n+1}^2 + 42P_{n+4}P_{n+3} + 20P_{n+4}P_{n+2} + 6P_{n+4}P_{n+1} - \\
 &\quad 4P_{n+3}P_{n+2} + 2P_{n+3}P_{n+1} - 12P_{n+2}P_{n+1} + 9). \\
 \text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n P_{k+1}P_k &= \frac{1}{56}(3P_{n+4}^2 + 19P_{n+3}^2 + 4P_{n+2}^2 + 3P_{n+1}^2 - 14P_{n+4}P_{n+3} + 12P_{n+4}P_{n+2} - 2P_{n+4}P_{n+1} - \\
 &\quad 36P_{n+3}P_{n+2} + 18P_{n+3}P_{n+1} - 52P_{n+2}P_{n+1} - 3). \\
 \text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n P_{k+2}P_k &= \frac{1}{8}(P_{n+4}^2 + P_{n+3}^2 + 4P_{n+2}^2 + P_{n+1}^2 - 2P_{n+4}P_{n+3} - 4P_{n+4}P_{n+2} + 2P_{n+4}P_{n+1} + \\
 &\quad 4P_{n+3}P_{n+2} - 10P_{n+3}P_{n+1} + 4P_{n+2}P_{n+1} - 1). \\
 \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n P_{k+3}P_k &= \frac{1}{56}(11P_{n+4}^2 - 5P_{n+3}^2 - 4P_{n+2}^2 + 11P_{n+1}^2 - 14P_{n+4}P_{n+3} - 12P_{n+4}P_{n+2} - 26 \\
 &\quad P_{n+4}P_{n+1} - 20P_{n+3}P_{n+2} + 10P_{n+3}P_{n+1} - 4P_{n+2}P_{n+1} - 11).
 \end{aligned}$$

Taking $W_n = Q_n$ with $Q_0 = 4, Q_1 = 2, Q_2 = 6, Q_3 = 17$ in the last proposition, we have the following corollary which presents sum formulas of fourth-order Pell-Lucas numbers.

COROLLARY 3.6. *For $n \geq 0$, fourth-order Pell-Lucas numbers have the following properties:*

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n Q_k^2 &= \frac{1}{56}(-9Q_{n+4}^2 - 57Q_{n+3}^2 - 68Q_{n+2}^2 - 65Q_{n+1}^2 + 42Q_{n+4}Q_{n+3} + 20Q_{n+4}Q_{n+2} + 6 \\
&\quad Q_{n+4}Q_{n+1} - 4Q_{n+3}Q_{n+2} + 2Q_{n+3}Q_{n+1} - 12Q_{n+2}Q_{n+1} + 689). \\
\text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n Q_{k+1}Q_k &= \frac{1}{56}(3Q_{n+4}^2 + 19Q_{n+3}^2 + 4Q_{n+2}^2 + 3Q_{n+1}^2 - 14Q_{n+4}Q_{n+3} + 12Q_{n+4}Q_{n+2} - 2 \\
&\quad Q_{n+4}Q_{n+1} - 36Q_{n+3}Q_{n+2} + 18Q_{n+3}Q_{n+1} - 52Q_{n+2}Q_{n+1} - 43). \\
\text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n Q_{k+2}Q_k &= \frac{1}{8}(Q_{n+4}^2 + Q_{n+3}^2 + 4Q_{n+2}^2 + Q_{n+1}^2 - 2Q_{n+4}Q_{n+3} - 4Q_{n+4}Q_{n+2} + 2Q_{n+4}Q_{n+1} + \\
&\quad 4Q_{n+3}Q_{n+2} - 10Q_{n+3}Q_{n+1} + 4Q_{n+2}Q_{n+1} + 7). \\
\text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n Q_{k+3}Q_k &= \frac{1}{56}(11Q_{n+4}^2 - 5Q_{n+3}^2 - 4Q_{n+2}^2 + 11Q_{n+1}^2 - 14Q_{n+4}Q_{n+3} - 12Q_{n+4}Q_{n+2} - 26 \\
&\quad Q_{n+4}Q_{n+1} - 20Q_{n+3}Q_{n+2} + 10Q_{n+3}Q_{n+1} - 4Q_{n+2}Q_{n+1} + 477).
\end{aligned}$$

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of modified fourth-order Pell numbers (take $W_n = E_n$ with $E_0 = 0, E_1 = 1, E_2 = 1, E_3 = 3$).

COROLLARY 3.7. *For $n \geq 0$, modified fourth-order Pell numbers have the following properties:*

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_k^2 &= \frac{1}{56}(-9E_{n+4}^2 - 57E_{n+3}^2 - 68E_{n+2}^2 - 65E_{n+1}^2 + 42E_{n+4}E_{n+3} + 20E_{n+4}E_{n+2} + 6E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - \\
&\quad 4E_{n+3}E_{n+2} + 2E_{n+3}E_{n+1} - 12E_{n+2}E_{n+1} + 24). \\
\text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+1}E_k &= \frac{1}{56}(3E_{n+4}^2 + 19E_{n+3}^2 + 4E_{n+2}^2 + 3E_{n+1}^2 - 14E_{n+4}E_{n+3} + 12E_{n+4}E_{n+2} - 2 \\
&\quad E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - 36E_{n+3}E_{n+2} + 18E_{n+3}E_{n+1} - 52E_{n+2}E_{n+1} - 8). \\
\text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+2}E_k &= \frac{1}{8}(E_{n+4}^2 + E_{n+3}^2 + 4E_{n+2}^2 + E_{n+1}^2 - 2E_{n+4}E_{n+3} - 4E_{n+4}E_{n+2} + 2E_{n+4}E_{n+1} + \\
&\quad 4E_{n+3}E_{n+2} - 10E_{n+3}E_{n+1} + 4E_{n+2}E_{n+1}). \\
\text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+3}E_k &= \frac{1}{56}(11E_{n+4}^2 - 5E_{n+3}^2 - 4E_{n+2}^2 + 11E_{n+1}^2 - 14E_{n+4}E_{n+3} - 12E_{n+4}E_{n+2} - 26 \\
&\quad E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - 20E_{n+3}E_{n+2} + 10E_{n+3}E_{n+1} - 4E_{n+2}E_{n+1} + 8).
\end{aligned}$$

Taking $r = 2, s = 3, t = 5$ in Theorem 2.1, we obtain the following Proposition.

PROPOSITION 3.8. *If $r = 2, s = 3, t = 5$ then for $n \geq 0$ we have the following formulas:*

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_k^2 &= \frac{1}{7968}(299W_{n+4}^2 + 2155W_{n+3}^2 + 2608W_{n+2}^2 + 6683W_{n+1}^2 - 1526W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - 1048 \\
&\quad W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - 2310W_{n+4}W_{n+1} + 1560W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 5222W_{n+3}W_{n+1} + 4760W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - 299W_3^2 - \\
&\quad 2155W_2^2 - 2608W_1^2 - 6683W_0^2 + 1526W_3W_2 + 1048W_3W_1 + 2310W_3W_0 - 1560W_2W_1 - 5222W_2W_0 - \\
&\quad 4760W_1W_0). \\
\text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+1}W_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-55W_{n+4}^2 - 503W_{n+3}^2 - 80W_{n+2}^2 - 2695W_{n+1}^2 + 334W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + 24W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + \\
&\quad 798W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 56W_{n+3}W_{n+2} - 2142W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 920W_{n+2}W_{n+1} + 55W_3^2 + 503W_2^2 + 80W_1^2 + \\
&\quad 2695W_0^2 - 334W_3W_2 - 24W_3W_1 - 798W_3W_0 + 56W_2W_1 + 2142W_2W_0 + 920W_1W_0). \\
\text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+2}W_k &= \frac{1}{7968}(43W_{n+4}^2 + 683W_{n+3}^2 - 5008W_{n+2}^2 + 2107W_{n+1}^2 - 406W_{n+4}W_{n+3} + 1768 \\
&\quad W_{n+4}W_{n+2} - 1638W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 3240W_{n+3}W_{n+2} + 6214W_{n+3}W_{n+1} - 8456W_{n+2}W_{n+1} - 43W_3^2 - \\
&\quad 683W_2^2 + 5008W_1^2 - 2107W_0^2 + 406W_3W_2 - 1768W_3W_1 + 1638W_3W_0 + 3240W_2W_1 - 6214W_2W_0 + \\
&\quad 8456W_1W_0).
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n W_{k+3}W_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-23W_{n+4}^2 - 983W_{n+3}^2 + 208W_{n+2}^2 - 1127W_{n+1}^2 + 526W_{n+4}W_{n+3} - 328W_{n+4}W_{n+2} + \\ &382W_{n+4}W_{n+1} - 120W_{n+3}W_{n+2} - 3262W_{n+3}W_{n+1} + 1064W_{n+2}W_{n+1} + 23W_3^2 + 983W_2^2 - 208W_1^2 + \\ &1127W_0^2 - 526W_3W_2 + 328W_3W_1 - 382W_3W_0 + 120W_2W_1 + 3262W_2W_0 - 1064W_1W_0). \end{aligned}$$

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of 4-primes numbers (take $W_n = G_n$ with $G_0 = 0, G_1 = 0, G_2 = 1, G_3 = 2$).

COROLLARY 3.9. For $n \geq 0$, 4-primes numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n G_k^2 &= \frac{1}{7968}(299G_{n+4}^2 + 2155G_{n+3}^2 + 2608G_{n+2}^2 + 6683G_{n+1}^2 - 1526G_{n+4}G_{n+3} - 1048G_{n+4}G_{n+2} - \\ &2310G_{n+4}G_{n+1} + 1560G_{n+3}G_{n+2} + 5222G_{n+3}G_{n+1} + 4760G_{n+2}G_{n+1} - 299). \\ \text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n G_{k+1}G_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-55G_{n+4}^2 - 503G_{n+3}^2 - 80G_{n+2}^2 - 2695G_{n+1}^2 + 334G_{n+4}G_{n+3} + 24G_{n+4}G_{n+2} + \\ &798G_{n+4}G_{n+1} - 56G_{n+3}G_{n+2} - 2142G_{n+3}G_{n+1} - 920G_{n+2}G_{n+1} + 55). \\ \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n G_{k+2}G_k &= \frac{1}{7968}(43G_{n+4}^2 + 683G_{n+3}^2 - 5008G_{n+2}^2 + 2107G_{n+1}^2 - 406G_{n+4}G_{n+3} + 1768 \\ &G_{n+4}G_{n+2} - 1638G_{n+4}G_{n+1} - 3240G_{n+3}G_{n+2} + 6214G_{n+3}G_{n+1} - 8456G_{n+2}G_{n+1} - 43). \\ \text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n G_{k+3}G_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-23G_{n+4}^2 - 983G_{n+3}^2 + 208G_{n+2}^2 - 1127G_{n+1}^2 + 526G_{n+4}G_{n+3} - 328G_{n+4}G_{n+2} + \\ &382G_{n+4}G_{n+1} - 120G_{n+3}G_{n+2} - 3262G_{n+3}G_{n+1} + 1064G_{n+2}G_{n+1} + 23). \end{aligned}$$

Taking $W_n = H_n$ with $H_0 = 4, H_1 = 2, H_2 = 10, H_3 = 41$ in the last proposition, we have the following corollary which presents sum formulas of Lucas 4-primes numbers.

COROLLARY 3.10. For $n \geq 0$, Lucas 4-primes numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n H_k^2 &= \frac{1}{7968}(299H_{n+4}^2 + 2155H_{n+3}^2 + 2608H_{n+2}^2 + 6683H_{n+1}^2 - 1526H_{n+4}H_{n+3} - 1048H_{n+4}H_{n+2} - \\ &2310H_{n+4}H_{n+1} + 1560H_{n+3}H_{n+2} + 5222H_{n+3}H_{n+1} + 4760H_{n+2}H_{n+1} - 23203). \\ \text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n H_{k+1}H_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-55H_{n+4}^2 - 503H_{n+3}^2 - 80H_{n+2}^2 - 2695H_{n+1}^2 + 334H_{n+4}H_{n+3} + 24H_{n+4}H_{n+2} + \\ &798H_{n+4}H_{n+1} - 56H_{n+3}H_{n+2} - 2142H_{n+3}H_{n+1} - 920H_{n+2}H_{n+1} + 10575). \\ \text{(c): } \sum_{k=0}^n H_{k+2}H_k &= \frac{1}{7968}(43H_{n+4}^2 + 683H_{n+3}^2 - 5008H_{n+2}^2 + 2107H_{n+1}^2 - 406H_{n+4}H_{n+3} + 1768 \\ &H_{n+4}H_{n+2} - 1638H_{n+4}H_{n+1} - 3240H_{n+3}H_{n+2} + 6214H_{n+3}H_{n+1} - 8456H_{n+2}H_{n+1} + 19741). \\ \text{(d): } \sum_{k=0}^n H_{k+3}H_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-23H_{n+4}^2 - 983H_{n+3}^2 + 208H_{n+2}^2 - 1127H_{n+1}^2 + 526H_{n+4}H_{n+3} - 328H_{n+4}H_{n+2} + \\ &382H_{n+4}H_{n+1} - 120H_{n+3}H_{n+2} - 3262H_{n+3}H_{n+1} + 1064H_{n+2}H_{n+1} + 27119). \end{aligned}$$

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of modified 4-primes numbers (take $W_n = E_n$ with $E_0 = 0, E_1 = 0, E_2 = 1, E_3 = 1$).

COROLLARY 3.11. For $n \geq 0$, modified 4-primes numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_k^2 &= \frac{1}{7968}(299E_{n+4}^2 + 2155E_{n+3}^2 + 2608E_{n+2}^2 + 6683E_{n+1}^2 - 1526E_{n+4}E_{n+3} - 1048E_{n+4}E_{n+2} - \\ &2310E_{n+4}E_{n+1} + 1560E_{n+3}E_{n+2} + 5222E_{n+3}E_{n+1} + 4760E_{n+2}E_{n+1} - 928). \\ \text{(b): } \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+1}E_k &= \frac{1}{2656}(-55E_{n+4}^2 - 503E_{n+3}^2 - 80E_{n+2}^2 - 2695E_{n+1}^2 + 334E_{n+4}E_{n+3} + 24E_{n+4}E_{n+2} + \\ &798E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - 56E_{n+3}E_{n+2} - 2142E_{n+3}E_{n+1} - 920E_{n+2}E_{n+1} + 224). \end{aligned}$$

$$(c): \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+2}E_k = \frac{1}{7968}(43E_{n+4}^2 + 683E_{n+3}^2 - 5008E_{n+2}^2 + 2107E_{n+1}^2 - 406E_{n+4}E_{n+3} + 1768E_{n+4}E_{n+2} - 1638E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - 3240E_{n+3}E_{n+2} + 6214E_{n+3}E_{n+1} - 8456E_{n+2}E_{n+1} - 320).$$

$$(d): \sum_{k=0}^n E_{k+3}E_k = \frac{1}{2656}(-23E_{n+4}^2 - 983E_{n+3}^2 + 208E_{n+2}^2 - 1127E_{n+1}^2 + 526E_{n+4}E_{n+3} - 328E_{n+4}E_{n+2} + 382E_{n+4}E_{n+1} - 120E_{n+3}E_{n+2} - 3262E_{n+3}E_{n+1} + 1064E_{n+2}E_{n+1} + 480).$$

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