# Binomial Cubic Fibonacci Sums

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#### Abstract

We evaluate some binomial cubic Fibonacci sums.

### 1 Introduction

As noted by Nagy et al. [4], there is a paucity of binomial cubic Fibonacci and Lucas identities in existing literature.

Let  $F_j$  and  $L_j$  be the  $j^{th}$  Fibonacci number and Lucas number, respectively. Our main goal is to evaluate the following sums,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3}, \quad \sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3}, \quad \sum_{k=0}^{n} 2^{k} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3},$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} \binom{n}{k} 2^{n-k} F_{k+s}^{3}, \quad \sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} \binom{n}{k} 3^{k} F_{k+s}^{3}, \quad \sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} 3^{n-k} F_{k+s}^{3},$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \binom{n}{2k} F_{2k+s}^{3}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} \binom{n}{2k-1} F_{2k+s}^{3},$$

and the corresponding series involving Lucas numbers, for any non-negative integer n and any integer s.

The Fibonacci numbers,  $F_j$ , and the Lucas numbers,  $L_j$ , are defined, for  $j \in \mathbb{Z}$ , through the recurrence relations

$$F_j = F_{j-1} + F_{j-2}, (j \ge 2), \quad F_0 = 0, F_1 = 1;$$

and

$$L_j = L_{j-1} + L_{j-2}, (j \ge 2), \quad L_0 = 2, L_1 = 1;$$

with

$$F_{-j} = (-1)^{j-1} F_j, \quad L_{-j} = (-1)^j L_j.$$

Throughout this paper, we denote the golden ratio,  $(1 + \sqrt{5})/2$ , by  $\alpha$  and write  $\beta = (1 - \sqrt{5})/2 = -1/\alpha$ , so that  $\alpha\beta = -1$  and  $\alpha + \beta = 1$ .

Explicit formulas (Binet formulas) for the Fibonacci and Lucas numbers are

$$F_j = \frac{\alpha^j - \beta^j}{\alpha - \beta}, \quad L_j = \alpha^j + \beta^j, \quad j \in \mathbb{Z}.$$
 (1)

Koshy [3] and Vajda [6] have written excellent books dealing with Fibonacci and Lucas numbers.

## 2 Required identities

**Lemma 1.** For real or complex z, let a given well-behaved function h(z) have, in its domain, the representation  $h(z) = \sum_{k=c_1}^{c_2} g(k) z^{f(k)}$  where f(k) and g(k) are given real sequences and  $c_1, c_2 \in [-\infty, \infty]$ . Let j be an integer. Then,

$$5\sqrt{5} \sum_{k=c_1}^{c_2} g(k) z^{f(k)} F_{jf(k)}^3$$

$$= h(\alpha^{3j}) - h(\beta^{3j}) - 3 \left( h\left( (-1)^j \alpha^j z \right) - h\left( (-1)^j \beta^j z \right) \right),$$
(F)

$$\sum_{k=c_1}^{c_2} g(k) z^{f(k)} L_{jf(k)}^3$$

$$= h(\alpha^{3j}) + h(\beta^{3j}) + 3 \left( h\left( (-1)^j \alpha^j z \right) + h\left( (-1)^j \beta^j z \right) \right).$$
(L)

*Proof.* Set m = 3 in Adegoke [1, identities (F) and (L)].

**Lemma 2.** Let a, b, c and d be rational numbers and  $\lambda$  an irrational number. Then,

$$a + \lambda b = c + \lambda d \iff a = c, \quad b = d.$$

**Lemma 3.** For p and q integers,

$$1 + (-1)^p \alpha^{2q} = \begin{cases} (-1)^p \alpha^q F_q \sqrt{5}, & \text{if } p \text{ and } q \text{ have different parity;} \\ (-1)^p \alpha^q L_q, & \text{if } p \text{ and } q \text{ have the same parity.} \end{cases}$$
 (2)

$$1 - (-1)^p \alpha^{2q} = \begin{cases} (-1)^{p-1} \alpha^q L_q, & \text{if } p \text{ and } q \text{ have different parity;} \\ (-1)^{p-1} \alpha^q F_q \sqrt{5}, & \text{if } p \text{ and } q \text{ have the same parity.} \end{cases}$$
(3)

*Proof.* We have

$$(-1)^{p+q} + (-1)^p \alpha^{2q} = \alpha^{p+q} \beta^{p+q} + \alpha^{p+2q} \beta^p$$
  
=  $\alpha^{p+q} \beta^p (\alpha^q + \beta^q)$   
=  $(-1)^p \alpha^q L_q$ . (4)

Similarly,

$$(-1)^{p+q} - (-1)^p \alpha^{2q} = (-1)^{p-1} \alpha^q F_q \sqrt{5}.$$
 (5)

Corresponding to (4) and (5) we have

$$(-1)^{p+q} + (-1)^p \beta^{2q} = (-1)^p \beta^q L_q \tag{6}$$

and

$$(-1)^{p+q} - (-1)^p \beta^{2q} = (-1)^p \beta^q F_q \sqrt{5}. \tag{7}$$

Identities (4), (5), (6) and (7) imply

$$(-1)^q + \alpha^{2q} = \alpha^q L_q, \tag{8}$$

$$(-1)^q - \alpha^{2q} = -\alpha^q F_a \sqrt{5},\tag{9}$$

$$(-1)^q + \beta^{2q} = \beta^q L_q, \tag{10}$$

$$(-1)^q - \beta^{2q} = \beta^q F_a \sqrt{5}. \tag{11}$$

**Lemma 4** (Hoggatt et al [2]). For p and q integers,

$$L_{p+q} - L_p \alpha^q = -\beta^p F_q \sqrt{5},\tag{12}$$

$$L_{p+q} - L_p \beta^q = \alpha^p F_q \sqrt{5}, \tag{13}$$

$$F_{p+q} - F_p \alpha^q = \beta^p F_q, \tag{14}$$

$$F_{p+q} - F_p \beta^q = \alpha^p F_q. \tag{15}$$

Lemma 5. We have

$$1 - \alpha = \beta$$
,  $1 - \beta = \alpha$ ,  $1 + \alpha^3 = 2\alpha^2$ ,  $1 + \beta^3 = 2\beta^2$ , (16)

$$1 + \alpha = \alpha^2, \quad 1 + \beta = \beta^2, \quad 1 - \alpha^3 = -2\alpha, \quad 1 - \beta^3 = -2\beta,$$
 (17)

$$1 - 2\alpha = -\sqrt{5}, \quad 1 - 2\beta = \sqrt{5}, \quad 1 + 2\alpha^3 = \alpha^3 \sqrt{5}, \quad 1 + 2\beta^3 = -\beta^3 \sqrt{5}, \tag{18}$$

$$2 + \alpha = \alpha \sqrt{5}, \quad 2 + \beta = -\beta \sqrt{5}, \quad 2 - \alpha^3 = -\sqrt{5}, \quad 2 - \beta^3 = \sqrt{5},$$
 (19)

$$1 + 3\alpha = \alpha^2 \sqrt{5}, \quad 1 + 3\beta = -\beta^2 \sqrt{5}, \quad 1 - 3\alpha^3 = -2\alpha^2 \sqrt{5}, \quad 1 - 3\beta^3 = 2\beta^2 \sqrt{5}, \quad (20)$$

$$3 - \alpha = -\beta\sqrt{5}$$
,  $3 - \beta = \alpha\sqrt{5}$ ,  $3 + \alpha^3 = 2\alpha\sqrt{5}$ ,  $3 + \beta^3 = -2\beta\sqrt{5}$ . (21)

*Proof.* Each identity is obtained by making appropriate substitutions for p and q in the identities given in Lemma 4.

#### 3 Binomial cubic Fibonacci identities

**Lemma 6.** For non-negative integer n, integers j, r and s and real or complex x and z,

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} x^{n-k} z^k F_{j(rk+s)}^3 = \alpha^{3js} (x + \alpha^{3jr} z)^n - \beta^{3js} (x + \beta^{3jr} z)^n - (-1)^{js} 3\alpha^{js} (x + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^n + (-1)^{js} 3\beta^{js} (x + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^n,$$
(F1)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} x^{n-k} z^k L_{j(rk+s)}^3 = \alpha^{3js} (x + \alpha^{3jr} z)^n + \beta^{3js} (x + \beta^{3jr} z)^n + (-1)^{js} 3\alpha^{js} (x + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^n + (-1)^{js} 3\beta^{js} (x + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^n.$$
(L1)

*Proof.* Set m=3 in Adegoke [1, identities (BF') and (BL')].

**Theorem 1.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3} = \frac{1}{5} (2^{n} F_{2n+3s} + 3F_{n-s}), \tag{22}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} L_{k+s}^{3} = 2^{n} L_{2n+3s} + 3L_{n-s}, \tag{23}$$

*Proof.* Set  $x=1,\,z=1,\,j=1,\,r=1$  in (F1), utilizing identity (16), to obtain

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3} = 2^{n} (\alpha^{3s+2n} - \beta^{3s+2n}) + 3(\alpha^{n-s} - \beta^{n-s});$$

and hence identity (22). To prove identity (23), use these  $(x,z,j,\ldots)$  values in (L1).

The s=0 special case of (22) was obtained by Stanica [5].

**Theorem 2.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} (-1)^k F_{k+s}^3 = \frac{1}{5} ((-1)^n 2^n F_{n+3s} - (-1)^s 3F_{2n+s}), \tag{24}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} L_{k+s}^3 = (-1)^n 2^n L_{n+3s} + (-1)^s 3L_{2n+s}, \tag{25}$$

*Proof.* To prove identity (24), set x = 1, z = -1, j = 1, r = 1 in (F1), noting the identities in (17), to get

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^3 = (-1)^n 2^n (\alpha^{n+3s} - \beta^{n+3s}) - 3(-1)^s (\alpha^{2n+s} - \beta^{2n+s}),$$

from which the identity follows. The proof of (25) is similar. Use these values in (L1).  $\Box$ 

Stanica [5] also found the s = 0 case of identity (24).

**Theorem 3.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} 2^k F_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2-1} (F_{3n+3s} - (-1)^s 3F_s), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n-3)/2} (L_{3n+3s} + (-1)^s 3L_s) & n \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$
(26)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} 2^k L_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2} (L_{3n+3s} + (-1)^s 3L_s), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n+1)/2} (F_{3n+3s} - (-1)^s 3F_s) & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
 (27)

*Proof.* The proof of (26) proceeds with the choice j = 1, r = 1, z = 2 in (F1), employing the set of identities (18), giving

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} 2^{k} \binom{n}{k} F_{k+s}^{3} = (\sqrt{5})^{n} (\alpha^{3n+3s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{3n+3s}) - 3(-1)^{n+s} (\sqrt{5})^{n} (\alpha^{s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{s}),$$

from which the identity follows in accordance with the parity of n. The proof of (27) is similar. Use these (x, z, j, ...) values in (L1).

**Theorem 4.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} 2^{n-k} F_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2-1} ((-1)^{s-1} 3F_{n+s} + F_{3s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n-3)/2} ((-1)^{s-1} 3L_{n+s} - L_{3s}), & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(28)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} 2^{n-k} L_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2} ((-1)^s 3L_{n+s} + L_{3s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n+1)/2} ((-1)^s 3F_{n+s} - F_{3s}), & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(29)

*Proof.* The coice x=2, z=-1, j=1, z=1 in (F1), noting the set of identities (19) gives

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} \binom{n}{k} 2^{n-k} F_{k+s}^{3} = (\sqrt{5})^{n} (-1)^{n} (\alpha^{3s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{3s}) - (\sqrt{5})^{n} (-1)^{s} 3(\alpha^{n+s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{n+s});$$

from which we get (28). The proof of (29) is similar.

**Theorem 5.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} 3^k F_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2-1} (2^n F_{2n+3s} - (-1)^s 3 F_{2n+s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ -5^{(n-3)/2} (2^n L_{2n+3s} + (-1)^s 3 L_{2n+s}), & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(30)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} 3^k L_{k+s}^3 = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2} (2^n L_{2n+3s} + (-1)^s 3L_{2n+s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ -5^{(n+1)/2} (2^n F_{2n+3s} - (-1)^s 3F_{2n+s}), & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(31)

*Proof.* Choose x = 1, z = -3, j = 1, r = 1 in (F1). This gives, with the use of the identities in (20),

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} \binom{n}{k} 3^{k} F_{k+s}^{3} = (\sqrt{5})^{n} (-1)^{n} 2^{n} (\alpha^{2n+3s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{2n+3s}) - (\sqrt{5})^{n} (-1)^{s} 3(\alpha^{2n+s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{2n+s}).$$

Identity (30) now follows. The proof of (31) is similar.

**Theorem 6.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} 3^{n-k} F_{k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2-1} (2^{n} F_{n+3s} + 3F_{n-s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n-3)/2} (2^{n} L_{n+3s} + 3L_{n-s}), & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(32)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} 3^{n-k} L_{k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 5^{n/2} (2^{n} L_{n+3s} + 3L_{n-s}), & n \text{ even;} \\ 5^{(n+1)/2} (2^{n} F_{n+3s} + 3F_{n-s}), & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(33)

*Proof.* Set x=3, z=1, j=1=r in (F1) and use the set of identities in (21) to obtain

$$5\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} 3^{n-k} F_{k+s}^{3} = (\sqrt{5})^{n} 2^{n} (\alpha^{n+3s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{n+3s}) + (\sqrt{5})^{n} 3(\alpha^{n-s} - (-1)^{n} \beta^{n-s});$$

from which (32) follows. The proof of (33) is similar. Use the same (x, z, ...) values in (L1).

**Lemma 7.** For non-negative integer n, integers j, r and s and real or complex z,

$$5\sqrt{5} \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} 2 \binom{n}{2k} z^{2k} F_{j(2rk+s)}^{3}$$

$$= \alpha^{3js} (1 + \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} + \alpha^{3js} (1 - \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} - \beta^{3js} (1 + \beta^{3jr} z)^{n} - \beta^{3js} (1 - \beta^{3jr} z)^{n}$$

$$- (-1)^{js} \alpha^{js} 3 (1 + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n} - (-1)^{js} \alpha^{js} 3 (1 - (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{js} \beta^{js} 3 (1 + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n} + (-1)^{js} \beta^{js} 3 (1 - (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n},$$
(F2)

$$2\sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2\rfloor} \binom{n}{2k} z^{2k} L_{j(2rk+s)}^{3}$$

$$= \alpha^{3js} (1 + \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} + \alpha^{3js} (1 - \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} + \beta^{3js} (1 + \beta^{3jr} z)^{n} + \beta^{3js} (1 - \beta^{3jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{js} \alpha^{js} 3(1 + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n} + (-1)^{js} \alpha^{js} 3(1 - (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{js} \beta^{js} 3(1 + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n} + (-1)^{js} \beta^{js} 3(1 - (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n},$$
(L2)

$$5\sqrt{5} \sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} 2 \binom{n}{2k-1} z^{2k-1} F_{j(2rk+s)}^{3}$$

$$= \alpha^{3j(r+s)} (1 + \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} - \alpha^{3j(r+s)} (1 - \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} - \beta^{3j(r+s)} (1 + \beta^{3jr} z)^{n} + \beta^{3j(r+s)} (1 - \beta^{3jr} z)^{n}$$

$$- (-1)^{j(r+s)} \alpha^{j(r+s)} 3 (1 + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n} + (-1)^{j(r+s)} \alpha^{j(r+s)} 3 (1 - (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{j(r+s)} \beta^{j(r+s)} 3 (1 + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n} - (-1)^{j(r+s)} \beta^{j(r+s)} 3 (1 - (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n},$$
(F3)

$$2\sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} \binom{n}{2k-1} z^{2k-1} L_{j(2rk+s)}^{3}$$

$$= \alpha^{3j(r+s)} (1 + \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} - \alpha^{3j(r+s)} (1 - \alpha^{3jr} z)^{n} + \beta^{3j(r+s)} (1 + \beta^{3jr} z)^{n} - \beta^{3j(r+s)} (1 - \beta^{3jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{j(r+s)} \alpha^{j(r+s)} 3(1 + (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n} - (-1)^{j(r+s)} \alpha^{j(r+s)} 3(1 - (-1)^{jr} \alpha^{jr} z)^{n}$$

$$+ (-1)^{j(r+s)} \beta^{j(r+s)} 3(1 + (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n} - (-1)^{j(r+s)} \beta^{j(r+s)} 3(1 - (-1)^{jr} \beta^{jr} z)^{n}.$$
(L3)

*Proof.* In the identities

$$h_1(z) = 2 \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} {n \choose 2k} z^{2rk+s} = z^s (1+z^r)^n + z^s (1-z^r)^n,$$

$$h_2(z) = 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} {n \choose 2k-1} z^{2rk+s} = z^{r+s} (1+z^r)^n - z^{r+s} (1-z^r)^n,$$

identify

$$g(k) = 2\binom{n}{2k}$$
,  $f(k) = 2rk + s$ ,  $c_1 = 0$ ,  $c_2 = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$ ,  $h(z) = z^s (1 + z^r)^n + z^s (1 - z^r)^n$ ,

and use these in (F) and (L) to obtain (F2) and (L2).

Similarly, use of

$$g(k) = 2\binom{n}{2k-1}$$
,  $f(k) = 2rk+s$ ,  $c_1 = 1$ ,  $c_2 = \lceil n/2 \rceil$ ,  $h(z) = z^s(1+z^r)^n - z^s(1-z^r)^n$ ,

in (F) and (L) gives (F3) and (L3).

**Theorem 7.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$10 \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} {n \choose 2k} F_{2k+s}^3 = 2^n (F_{2n+3s} + (-1)^n F_{n+3s}) - 3(-1)^s (F_{2n+s} - (-1)^s F_{n-s}),$$
(34)

$$2\sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2\rfloor} \binom{n}{2k} L_{2k+s}^3 = 2^n (L_{2n+3s} + (-1)^n L_{n+3s}) + 3(-1)^s (L_{2n+s} + (-1)^s L_{n-s}).$$
(35)

*Proof.* The choice of z = 1 = j = r in (F2) gives

$$10\sqrt{5} \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor} \binom{n}{2k} F_{2k+s}^3 = 2^n (\alpha^{2n+3s} - \beta^{2n+3s}) + (-1)^n 2^n (\alpha^{n+3s} - \beta^{n+3s}) + (-1)^s (\beta^s \alpha^n - \alpha^s \beta^n) - 3(-1)^s (\alpha^{2n+s} - \beta^{2n+s});$$

from which identity (34) follows. The proof of (35) is similar; use z = 1 = j = r in (L2).  $\square$ 

**Corollary 8.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$10\sum_{k=0}^{n} {2n \choose 2k} F_{2k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 4^{n} L_{n} F_{3n+3s} - (-1)^{s} 3 F_{n+s} L_{3n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ 4^{n} F_{n} L_{3n+3s} - (-1)^{s} 3 L_{n+s} F_{3n}, & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(36)

$$2\sum_{k=0}^{n} {2n \choose 2k} L_{2k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 4^{n} L_{n} L_{3n+3s} + (-1)^{s} 3L_{n+s} L_{3n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ 5(4^{n} F_{n} F_{3n+3s} + (-1)^{s} 3F_{n+s} F_{3n}), & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(37)

*Proof.* Write 2n for n in each of the identities (34) and (35). Simplification is achieved by the use of the following well-known Fibonacci identities which are valid for any two integers u and v having the same parity:

$$F_u + (-1)^{(u-v)/2} F_v = L_{(u-v)/2} F_{(u+v)/2}, \tag{38}$$

$$F_u - (-1)^{(u-v)/2} F_v = F_{(u-v)/2} L_{(u+v)/2}, \tag{39}$$

$$L_u + (-1)^{(u-v)/2} L_v = L_{(u-v)/2} L_{(u+v)/2}, \tag{40}$$

$$L_u - (-1)^{(u-v)/2} L_v = 5F_{(u-v)/2} F_{(u+v)/2}.$$
(41)

Corollary 9. For non-negative integer n,

$$10\sum_{k=0}^{n} {2n-1 \choose 2k} F_{2k}^{3} = \begin{cases} (2^{2n-1}-3)F_{2n-1}L_{n-1}L_{n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ (2^{2n-1}-3)5F_{2n-1}F_{n-1}F_{n}, & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(42)

$$2\sum_{k=0}^{n} {2n \choose 2k} L_{2k}^{3} = \begin{cases} (4^{n} + 3)L_{n}L_{3n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ (4^{n} + 3)5F_{n}F_{3n}, & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(43)

*Proof.* To prove (42), write 2n-1 for n in (34) and set s=0. To prove (43), set s=0 in identity (37).

**Theorem 10.** For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$10\sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} \binom{n}{2k-1} F_{2k+s}^3 = 2^n (F_{2n+3s+3} - (-1)^n F_{n+3s+3}) - (-1)^s 3(F_{2n+s+1} - (-1)^s F_{n-s-1}),$$
(44)

$$2\sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2 \rceil} {n \choose 2k-1} L_{2k+s}^3 = 2^n (L_{2n+3s+3} - (-1)^n L_{n+3s+3}) + (-1)^s 3(L_{2n+s+1} + (-1)^s L_{n-s-1}).$$
(45)

*Proof.* Set z = 1 = j = r in identity (F3) to obtain

$$\begin{split} &10\sqrt{5}\sum_{k=1}^{\lceil n/2\rceil}\binom{n}{2k-1}F_{2k+s}^3\\ &=2^n(\alpha^{2n+3s+3}-\beta^{2n+3s+3})-(-1)^n2^n(\alpha^{n+3s+3}-\beta^{n+3s+3})\\ &+(-1)^{s+1}3(\alpha^{2n+s+1}-\beta^{2n+s+1})+(-1)^{s+1}3(\alpha^n\beta^{s+1}-\alpha^{s+1}\beta^n); \end{split}$$

from which identity (44) follows. The proof of (45) is similar.

Corollary 11. For non-negative integer n and any integer s,

$$10\sum_{k=1}^{n} {2n \choose 2k-1} F_{2k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 4^{n} F_{n} L_{3n+3s+3} - (-1)^{s} 3L_{n+s+1} F_{3n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ 4^{n} L_{n} F_{3n+3s+3} - (-1)^{s} 3F_{n+s+1} L_{3n}, & n \text{ odd;} \end{cases}$$
(46)

$$2\sum_{k=1}^{n} {2n \choose 2k-1} L_{2k+s}^{3} = \begin{cases} 5(4^{n}F_{n}F_{3n+3s+3} + (-1)^{s}3F_{n+s+1}F_{3n}), & n \text{ even;} \\ 4^{n}L_{n}L_{3n+3s+3} + (-1)^{s}3L_{n+s+1}L_{3n}, & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(47)

*Proof.* Write 2n for n in each of the identities (44) and (45) and make use of identities (38) – (41).

Corollary 12. For non-negative integer n,

$$10\sum_{k=1}^{n} {2n-1 \choose 2k-1} F_{2k-1}^{3} = \begin{cases} (2^{2n-1}+3)5F_{2n-1}F_{n-1}F_{n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ (2^{2n-1}+3)F_{2n-1}L_{n-1}L_{n}, & n \text{ odd,} \end{cases}$$
(48)

$$2\sum_{k=1}^{n} {2n \choose 2k-1} L_{2k-1}^{3} = \begin{cases} (4^{n}-3)5F_{n}F_{3n}, & n \text{ even;} \\ (4^{n}-3)L_{n}L_{3n}, & n \text{ odd.} \end{cases}$$
(49)

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