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SUM OF THE SQUARES OF TERMS OF GAUSSIAN GENERALIZED TRIBONACCI SEQUENCES: CLOSED FORM FORMULAS OF $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_k^2$

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, closed forms of the sum formulas $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_k^2$, $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_k$ and $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_k$ for the squares of Gaussian generalized Tribonacci numbers are presented. As special cases, we give sum formulas of Gaussian Tribonacci, Gaussian Tribonacci-Lucas, Gaussian Padovan, Gaussian Perrin, Gaussian Narayana and some other third order linear recurrence sequences. All the summing formulas of well known recurrence sequences are linear except the cases Gaussian Pell-Padovan and Gaussian Padovan-Perrin.

1. INTRODUCTION

The sequence of Fibonacci numbers $\{F_n\}$ is defined by

 $F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2}, \quad n \ge 2, \qquad F_0 = 0, \ F_1 = 1.$

The Fibonacci numbers and their generalizations have many interesting properties and applications to almost every field. The generalized Tribonacci sequence $\{W_n(W_0, W_1, W_2; r, s, t)\}_{n\geq 0}$ (or shortly $\{W_n\}_{n\geq 0}$) is defined as follows:

$$W_n = rW_{n-1} + sW_{n-2} + tW_{n-3}, \qquad W_0 = a, W_1 = b, W_2 = c, \quad n \ge 3$$
(1)

where W_0, W_1, W_2 are arbitrary complex numbers and r, s, t are real numbers. The sequence $\{W_n\}_{n>0}$ can be extended to negative subscripts by defining

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

for n = 1, 2, 3, ... when $t \neq 0$. Therefore, recurrence (1) holds for all integer n.

If we set r = s = t = 1 and $W_0 = 0$, $W_1 = 1$, $W_2 = 1$ then $\{W_n\}$ is the well-known Tribonacci sequence and if we set r = s = t = 1 and $W_0 = 3$, $W_1 = 1$, $W_2 = 3$ then $\{W_n\}$ is the well-known Tribonacci-Lucas sequence.

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In fact, the generalized Tribonacci sequence is the generalization of the wellknown sequences like Tribonacci, Tribonacci-Lucas, Padovan (Cordonnier), Perrin, Padovan-Perrin, Narayana, third order Jacobsthal and third order Jacobsthal-Lucas.

We now present some background about Gaussian and Gaussian generalized Tribonacci numbers. In literature, there have been so many studies of the sequences of Gaussian numbers. A Gaussian integer z is a complex number whose real and imaginary parts are both integers, i.e., z = a + ib, $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$. These numbers is denoted by $\mathbb{Z}[i]$. The norm of a Gaussian integer a + ib, $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ is its Euclidean norm, that is, $N(a + ib) = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = \sqrt{(a + ib)(a - ib)}$. For more information about this kind of integers, see the work of Fraleigh [4].

If we use together sequences of integers defined recursively and Gaussian type integers, we obtain a new sequences of complex numbers such as Gaussian Fibonacci, Gaussian Lucas, Gaussian Pell, Gaussian Pell-Lucas and Gaussian Jacobsthal numbers; Gaussian Padovan and Gaussian Pell-Padovan numbers; Gaussian Tribonacci numbers.

The Gaussian generalized Tribonacci sequence $\{GW_n(GW_0, GW_1, GW_2; r, s, t)\}_{n \ge 0}$ (or shortly $\{GW_n\}_{n>0}$) is defined as follows:

$$GW_n = rGW_{n-1} + sGW_{n-2} + tGW_{n-3}, \ GW_0 = W_0 + W_{-1}i,$$
(2)

$$GW_1 = W_1 + W_0i, \ GW_2 = W_2 + W_1i, \ n \ge 3$$

where r, s, t are real numbers.

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

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

for n = 1, 2, 3, ... when $t \neq 0$. Therefore, recurrence (2) holds for all integer n. Note that for $n \geq 0$

$$GW_n = W_n + iW_{n-1}. (3)$$

and

$$GW_{-n} = W_{-n} + iW_{-n-1}$$

In fact, the Gaussian generalized Tribonacci sequence is the generalization of the well-known sequences like Gaussian Tribonacci, Gaussian Tribonacci-Lucas, Gaussian Padovan (Cordonnier), Gaussian Perrin, Gaussian Padovan-Perrin, Gaussian Narayana, Gaussian third order Jacobsthal and Gaussian third order Jacobsthal-Lucas. In literature, for example, the following names and notations (see Table 1) are used for the special case of r, s, t and initial values.

Table 1 A few special case of Gaussian generalized Tribonacci sequences.

Sequences (Numbers)	Notation
Gaussian Tribonacci	$\{GT_n\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 1+i; 1, 1, 1)\}$
Gaussian Tribonacci-Lucas	$\{GK_n\} = \{W_n(3-i,1+3i,3+i;1,1,1)\}$
Gaussian third order Pell	$\{GP_n^{(3)}\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 2+i; 2, 1, 1)\}$
Gaussian third order Pell-Lucas	$\{GQ_n^{(3)}\} = \{W_n(3-i,2+3i,6+2i;2,1,1)\}\$
Gaussian third order modified Pell	$\{GE_n^{(3)}\} = \{W_n(-i, 1, 1+i; 2, 1, 1)\}$
Gaussian Padovan (Cordonnier)	$\{GP_n\} = \{W_n(1, 1+i, 1+i; 0, 1, 1)\}$
Gaussian Perrin	$\{GE_n\} = \{W_n(3-i,3i,2;0,1,1)\}\$
Gaussian Padovan-Perrin	$\{GS_n\} = \{W_n(i, 0, 1; 0, 1, 1)\}$
Gaussian Pell-Padovan	$\{GR_n\} = \{W_n(1-i, 1+i, 1+i; 0, 2, 1)\}$
Gaussian Pell-Perrin	$\{GC_n\} = \{W_n(3-4i,3i,2;0,2,1)\}$
Gaussian Jacobsthal-Padovan	$\{GQ_n\} = \{W_n(1, 1+i, 1+i; 0, 1, 2)\}$
Gaussian Jacobsthal-Perrin	$\{GD_n\} = \{W_n(3 - \frac{1}{2}i, 3i, 2; 0, 1, 2)\}$
Gaussian Narayana	$\{GN_n\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 1+i; 1, 0, 1)\}$
Gaussian third order Jacobsthal	$\{GJ_n^{(3)}\} = \{W_n(0, 1, 1+i; 1, 1, 2)\}$
Gaussian third order Jacobsthal-Lucas	$\{Gj_n^{(3)}\} = \{W_n(2+i, 1+2i, 5+i; 1, 1, 2)\}$

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In 1963, Horadam [9] introduced the concept of complex Fibonacci number called as the Gaussian Fibonacci number. Pethe [13] defined the complex Tribonacci numbers at Gaussian integers, see also [5].

There are other several studies dedicated to these sequences of Gaussian numbers. We present some works on Gaussian Generalized Fibonacci Numbers in the following Table 2.

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Name of sequence	Papers which deal with Gaussian Numbers
Gaussian Generalized Fibonacci	[1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 20]
Gaussian Generalized Tribonacci	[15, 19]
Gaussian Generalized Tetranacci	[16, 18]
Gaussian Generalized Pentanacci	[17]

Table 2. A few special study of Gaussian Generalized Fibonacci Numbers.

2. Main Result

Let

$$G\Delta = (s + rt - t^{2} + 1) (r + s + t - 1) (r - s + t + 1).$$

Theorem 1. If $G\Delta \neq 0$ then

(a):

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_k^2 = \frac{G\Delta_1}{G\Delta}$$

(b):

$$\sum_{i=k}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_k = \frac{G\Delta_2}{G\Delta}$$

(c):

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_k = \frac{G\Delta_3}{G\Delta},$$

where

$$\begin{split} G\Delta_1 &= -(t^2 + rt + s - 1)GW_{n+3}^2 \\ &-(r^3t + r^2t^2 + r^2s + r^2 + t^2 + 2rst + rt + s - 1)GW_{n+2}^2 \\ &-(r^3t + r^2t^2 + s^2t^2 - rs^2t - s^3 + r^2s + 4rst \\ &+r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + rt + s - 1)GW_{n+1}^2 \\ &+2(r+t) (s+rt) GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} \\ &+2t (r+st) GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} \\ &-2t (s-1) (s+rt) GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} \\ &+(2rst + 2r^2 + t^2 + rt + s - 1)GW_3^2 \\ &+(r^3t + r^2t^2 + r^2s + 2rst + r^2 + t^2 + rt + s - 1)GW_2^2 \\ &+(r^3t + r^2t^2 + s^2t^2 - rs^2t - s^3 + r^2s + 4rst + r^2 \\ &+s^2 + t^2 + rt + s - 1)GW_1^2 \\ &-2 (r+st) GW_4GW_3 - 2t(r^2 - s^2 + rt + s)GW_3GW_2 \\ &+2t (s-1) (s+rt) GW_2GW_1 \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{split} G\Delta_2 &= (r+st)\,GW_{n+3}^2 + (s+rt)\,(t+rs)\,GW_{n+2}^2 \\ &+ t^2\,(r+st)\,GW_{n+1}^2 \\ &- (2rst+r^2+s^2+t^2-1)GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} \\ &+ t(r^2-s^2-t^2+1)GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} \\ &- (r^3t-rt^3-rs^2t+r^2s-s^3-st^2+2rst+r^2 \\ &+ s^2+t^2+rt+s-1)GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} \\ &+ (r^3-rs^2-rt^2-st)GW_3^2-(t+rs)\,(s+rt)\,GW_2^2 \\ &- t^2\,(r+st)\,GW_1^2-(r^2-s^2-t^2+1)GW_4GW_3 \\ &+ (r^2s-st^2-s^3+2rst+r^2+s^2+t^2+s-1)GW_3GW_2 \\ &+ (-rt^3+r^3t-rs^2t+r^2s-st^2-s^3+r^2 \\ &+ s^2+t^2+2rst+rt+s-1)GW_2GW_1 \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{split} G\Delta_3 &= (r^2 - s^2 + rt + s)GW_{n+3}^2 \\ &- (rs^2t - rt^3 - r^2t^2 + r^2s + s^2 - s)GW_{n+2}^2 \\ &+ t^2(r^2 - s^2 + rt + s)GW_{n+1}^2 \\ &- (r + t)\left(r^2 - s^2 + t^2 - 1\right)GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} \\ &- (r^2s - st^2 - s^3 + 2rst + r^2 + s^2 + t^2 + s - 1)GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} \\ &+ t\left(s - 1\right)\left(r^2 - s^2 + t^2 - 1\right)GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} \\ &+ (rs^2t + r^4 - r^2s^2 - r^2t^2 + 2r^2s - rt^3 + r^3t + s^2 - s)GW_3^2 \\ &+ (rs^2t - rt^3 - r^2t^2 + r^2s + s^2 - s)GW_2^2 \\ &- t^2(r^2 - s^2 + rt + s)GW_1^2 \\ &- (r^3 - t^3 - rs^2 - rt^2 + r^2t + s^2t + 2rs + r + t)GW_4GW_3 \\ &+ (r^3s - st^3 + s^3t - rst^2 - rs^3 + r^2st + rs^2 + rt^2 + r^2t \\ &- s^2t + r^3 + t^3 + rs + st - r - t)GW_3GW_2 \\ &+ (s + rt - t^2 + 1)\left(r - s + t + 1\right)(r + s + t - 1)GW_3GW_1 \\ &- t\left(s - 1\right)(r^2 - s^2 + t^2 - 1)GW_2GW_1 \end{split}$$

Proof. First, we obtain $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_k^2$. Using the recurrence relation

$$GW_n = rGW_{n-1} + sGW_{n-2} + tGW_{n-3}$$

i.e.

$$GW_{n+3} = rGW_{n+2} + sGW_{n+1} + tGW_n$$

or

$$tGW_n = GW_{n+3} - rGW_{n+2} - sGW_{n+1}$$

we obtain

$$\begin{array}{lcl} t^2 G W_n^2 &=& G W_{n+3}^2 + r^2 G W_{n+2}^2 + s^2 G W_{n+1}^2 - 2r G W_{n+3} G W_{n+2} \\ && -2s G W_{n+3} G W_{n+1} + 2r s G W_{n+2} G W_{n+1} \\ t^2 G W_{n-1}^2 &=& G W_{n+2}^2 + r^2 G W_{n+1}^2 + s^2 G W_n^2 - 2r G W_{n+2} G W_{n+1} \\ && -2s G W_{n+2} G W_n + 2r s G W_{n+1} G W_n \\ && \vdots \\ t^2 G W_2^2 &=& G W_5^2 + r^2 G W_4^2 + s^2 G W_3^2 - 2r G W_5 G W_4 \\ && -2s G W_5 G W_3 + 2r s G W_4 G W_3 \\ t^2 G W_1^2 &=& G W_4^2 + r^2 G W_3^2 + s^2 G W_2^2 - 2r G W_4 G W_3 \\ && -2s G W_4 G W_2 + 2r s G W_3 G W_2. \end{array}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$t^{2} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = \sum_{k=4}^{n+3} GW_{k}^{2} + r^{2} \sum_{k=3}^{n+2} GW_{k}^{2} + s^{2} \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k}^{2}$$

$$-2r \sum_{k=3}^{n+2} GW_{k+1} GW_{k} - 2s \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+2} GW_{k}$$

$$+2rs \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+1} GW_{k}.$$

$$(4)$$

Note that if we replace the followings into (4),

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=4}^{n+3} GW_k^2 &= -GW_1^2 - GW_2^2 - GW_3^2 + GW_{n+1}^2 + GW_{n+2}^2 + GW_{n+3}^2 \\ &+ \sum_{k=1}^n GW_k^2, \\ \sum_{k=3}^{n+2} GW_k^2 &= -GW_1^2 - GW_2^2 + GW_{n+1}^2 + GW_{n+2}^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n GW_k^2, \\ \sum_{k=3}^{n+1} GW_k^2 &= -GW_1^2 + GW_{n+1}^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n GW_k^2, \\ \sum_{k=3}^{n+2} GW_{k+1}GW_k &= -GW_2GW_1 - GW_3GW_2 + GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} \\ &+ GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} + \sum_{k=1}^n GW_{k+1}GW_k, \\ \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+1}GW_k &= -GW_2GW_1 + GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^n GW_{k+1}GW_k, \\ \\ \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+2}GW_k &= -GW_3GW_1 + GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^n GW_{k+2}GW_k. \end{split}$$

$$t^{2} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = (-r^{2}GW_{1}^{2} - r^{2}GW_{2}^{2} + r^{2}GW_{n+1}^{2} + r^{2}GW_{n+2}^{2} - GW_{n+2}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} + s^{2}GW_{n+1}^{2} - GW_{1}^{2} - GW_{2}^{2} - GW_{3}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} + GW_{n+2}^{2} + GW_{n+3}^{2} + (1 + r^{2} + s^{2}) \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2}) + (2rGW_{1}GW_{2} - 2rGW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - 2rGW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + 2rGW_{2}GW_{3} + 2rsGW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - 2rsGW_{1}GW_{2} + (-2r + 2rs) \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}GW_{k+1}) - 2s(-GW_{3}GW_{1} + GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k}).$$
(5)

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

$$tGW_n = GW_{n+3} - rGW_{n+2} - sGW_{n+1}$$

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$$tGW_{n+1}GW_n = GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} - rGW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} - sGW_{n+1}^2.$$

Then using last recurrence relation, we obtain

$$tGW_{n+1}GW_n = GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} - rGW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} - sGW_{n+1}^2$$

$$tGW_nGW_{n-1} = GW_{n+2}GW_n - rGW_{n+1}GW_n - sGW_n^2$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\begin{split} tGW_3GW_2 &= GW_5GW_3 - rGW_4GW_3 - sGW_3^2 \\ tGW_2GW_1 &= GW_4GW_2 - rGW_3GW_2 - sGW_2^2. \end{split}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$t\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_k = \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+2}GW_k - r\sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_{k+1}GW_k - s\sum_{k=2}^{n+1} GW_k^2.$$

Now it follows that

$$t\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k}$$

$$= (-GW_{3}GW_{1} + GW_{n+3}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k})$$

$$-r(-GW_{2}GW_{1} + GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k})$$

$$-s(-GW_{1}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2}).$$
(6)

Now, we obtain $\sum_{k=2}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_k$. Multiplying the both side of the recurrence relation

$$tGW_n = GW_{n+3} - rGW_{n+2} - sGW_{n+1}$$

by GW_{n+2} we get

$$tGW_{n+2}GW_n = GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} - rGW_{n+2}GW_{n+2} - sGW_{n+2}GW_{n+1}$$

Then using last recurrence relation, we obtain

$$\begin{split} tGW_{n+2}GW_n &= GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} - rGW_{n+2}^2 - sGW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} \\ tGW_{n+1}GW_{n-1} &= GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} - rGW_{n+1}^2 - sGW_{n+1}GW_n \\ &\vdots \\ tGW_5GW_3 &= GW_6GW_5 - rGW_5^2 - sGW_5GW_4 \\ tGW_4GW_2 &= GW_5GW_4 - rGW_4^2 - sGW_4GW_3. \end{split}$$

If we add the equations by side by, we get

$$t\sum_{k=2}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_k = \sum_{k=4}^{n+2} GW_{k+1}GW_k - r\sum_{k=4}^{n+2} GW_k^2 - s\sum_{k=3}^{n+1} GW_{k+1}GW_k.$$

Now it follows that

$$t(-GW_{3}GW_{1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k})$$

$$= (-GW_{4}GW_{3} - GW_{3}GW_{2} - GW_{2}GW_{1} + GW_{n+3}GW_{n+2} + GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k}) - r(-GW_{1}^{2} - GW_{2}^{2} - GW_{3}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} + GW_{n+2}^{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2}) - s(-GW_{3}GW_{2} - GW_{2}GW_{1} + GW_{n+2}GW_{n+1} + \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k}).$$

$$(7)$$

Solving the system (5)-(6)-(7), the results in (a), (b) and (c) follow.

3. Specific Cases

In this section, we present the closed form solutions (identities) of the sums $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_i^2$, $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{i+1}GW_i$ and $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{i+2}GW_i$ for the specific case of sequence $\{GW_n\}$.

Taking r = s = t = 1 in Theorem 1, we obtain the following Proposition.

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Proposition 2. } If \ r=s=t=1 \ then \ for \ n\geq 1 \ we \ have \ the \ following \ formulas: \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{4}(-GW_{n+3}^{2} - 4GW_{n+2}^{2} - 5GW_{n+1}^{2} + 4GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} \\ + 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + 3GW_{3}^{2} + 4GW_{2}^{2} + 5GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{4}GW_{3} - 2GW_{2}GW_{3}), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{4}(GW_{n+3}^{2} + 2GW_{n+2}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} - 2GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} \\ - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{3}^{2} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - GW_{1}^{2} + 2GW_{2}GW_{3} + 2GW_{1}GW_{2}), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{4}(GW_{n+3}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + GW_{3}^{2} - GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{2}GW_{3} + 4GW_{1}GW_{3}). \end{array}$

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From the above Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian Tribonacci numbers (take $GW_n = GT_n$ with $GT_0 = 0, GT_1 = 1, GT_2 = 1 + i$).

Corollary 3. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Tribonacci numbers have the following properties:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GT_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{4} \left(-GT_{n+3}^{2} - 4GT_{n+2}^{2} - 5GT_{n+1}^{2} + 4GT_{n+2}GT_{n+3} + 2GT_{n+1}GT_{n+3} - 2i \right),$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GT_{k+1}GT_{k} = \frac{1}{4} \left(GT_{n+3}^{2} + 2GT_{n+2}^{2} + GT_{n+1}^{2} - 2GT_{n+2}GT_{n+3} - 2GT_{n+1}GT_{n+2} \right),$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GT_{k+2}GT_{k} = \frac{1}{4} \left(GT_{n+3}^{2} + GT_{n+1}^{2} - 2GT_{n+1}GT_{n+3} - 2i \right).$$

Taking $GW_n = GK_n$ with $GK_0 = 3 - i, GK_1 = 1 + 3i, GK_2 = 3 + i$ in the above Proposition, we have the following Corollary which presents sum formulas of Gaussian Tribonacci-Lucas numbers.

Corollary 4. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Tribonacci-Lucas numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GK_{k}^{2} &= \frac{1}{4} (-GK_{n+3}^{2} - 4GK_{n+2}^{2} - 5GK_{n+1}^{2} + 4GK_{n+2}GK_{n+3} \\ &+ 2GK_{n+1}GK_{n+3} - 36 - 16i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GK_{k+1}GK_{k} &= \frac{1}{4} (GK_{n+3}^{2} + 2GK_{n+2}^{2} + GK_{n+1}^{2} - 2GK_{n+2}GK_{n+3} \\ &- 2GK_{n+1}GK_{n+2} - 12 - 8i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GK_{k+2}GK_{k} &= \frac{1}{4} (GK_{n+3}^{2} + GK_{n+1}^{2} - 2GK_{n+1}GK_{n+3} - 36). \end{split}$$

Taking r = 2, s = 1, t = 1 in Theorem 1, we obtain the following Proposition.

Proposition 5. If r = 2, s = 1, t = 1 then for $n \ge 1$ we have the following formulas:

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_k^2 = \frac{1}{9} (-GW_{n+3}^2 - 9GW_{n+2}^2 - 10GW_{n+1}^2 + 6GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} \\ &+ 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + 5GW_3^2 + 9GW_2^2 + 10GW_1^2 - 2GW_4GW_3 - 4GW_2GW_3), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_k = \frac{1}{9} (GW_{n+3}^2 + 3GW_{n+2}^2 + GW_{n+1}^2 - 3GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} \\ &+ GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 6GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} + GW_3^2 - 3GW_2^2 - GW_1^2 - GW_4GW_3 \\ &+ 4GW_2GW_3 + 6GW_1GW_2), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_k = \frac{1}{9} (2GW_{n+3}^2 + 2GW_{n+1}^2 - 3GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} - 4GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} \\ &+ 8GW_3^2 - 2GW_1^2 - 5GW_3GW_4 + 8GW_2GW_3 + 9GW_1GW_3). \end{split}$$

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian third-order Pell numbers (take $GW_n = GP_n^{(3)}$ with $GP_0^{(3)} = 0, GP_1^{(3)} = 1, GP_2^{(3)} = 2 + i$).

Corollary 6. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian third-order Pell numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k}^{(3)2} &= \frac{1}{9} (-GP_{n+3}^{(3)2} - 9GP_{n+2}^{(3)2} - 10GP_{n+1}^{(3)2} + 6GP_{n+2}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} + 2GP_{n+1}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} - 2i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k+1}^{(3)} GP_{k}^{(3)} &= \frac{1}{9} (GP_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 3GP_{n+2}^{(3)2} + GP_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GP_{n+2}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} + GP_{n+1}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} - 6GP_{n+1}^{(3)} GP_{n+2}^{(3)} - i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k+2}^{(3)} GP_{k}^{(3)} &= \frac{1}{9} (2GP_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 2GP_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GP_{n+2}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} - 4GP_{n+1}^{(3)} GP_{n+3}^{(3)} + (170 + 135i)). \end{split}$$

Taking $GW_n = GQ_n^{(3)}$ with $GQ_0^{(3)} = 3 - i$, $GQ_1^{(3)} = 2 + 3i$, $GQ_2^{(3)} = 6 + 2i$ in the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which presents sum formulas of Gaussian third-order Pell-Lucas numbers.

Corollary 7. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian third-order Pell-Lucas numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GQ_{k}^{(3)2} = \frac{1}{9} (-GQ_{n+3}^{(3)2} - 9GQ_{n+2}^{(3)2} - 10GQ_{n+1}^{(3)2} + 6GQ_{n+2}^{(3)}GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} + 2GQ_{n+1}^{(3)}GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} - (81+6i)), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GQ_{k+1}^{(3)} GQ_{k}^{(3)} = \frac{1}{9} (GQ_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 3GQ_{n+2}^{(3)2} + GQ_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GQ_{n+2}^{(3)}GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} + GQ_{n+1}^{(3)} GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} - 6GQ_{n+1}^{(3)} GQ_{n+2}^{(3)} - (54+9i)), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GQ_{k+2}^{(3)} GQ_{k}^{(3)} = \frac{1}{9} (2GQ_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 2GQ_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GQ_{n+2}^{(3)} GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} - 4GQ_{n+1}^{(3)} GQ_{n+3}^{(3)} + (-162+30i)). \end{split}$$

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian third-order modified Pell numbers (take $GW_n = GE_n^{(3)}$ with $GE_0^{(3)} = -i, GE_1^{(3)} = 1, GE_2^{(3)} = 1 + i$).

Corollary 8. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian modified third-order modified Pell numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k}^{(3)2} &= \frac{1}{9} (-GE_{n+3}^{(3)2} - 9GE_{n+2}^{(3)2} - 10GE_{n+1}^{(3)2} + 6GE_{n+2}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} + 2GE_{n+1}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} - 2i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k+1}^{(3)}GE_{k}^{(3)} &= \frac{1}{9} (GE_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 3GE_{n+2}^{(3)2} + GE_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GE_{n+2}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} + GE_{n+1}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} - 6GE_{n+1}^{(3)}GE_{n+2}^{(3)} + 5i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k+2}^{(3)}GE_{k}^{(3)} &= \frac{1}{9} (2GE_{n+3}^{(3)2} + 2GE_{n+1}^{(3)2} - 3GE_{n+2}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} - 4GE_{n+1}^{(3)}GE_{n+3}^{(3)} + 4i). \end{split}$$

Taking r = 0, s = 1, t = 1 in Theorem 1, we obtain the following Proposition.

Proposition 9. If r = 0, s = 1, t = 1 then for $n \ge 1$ we have the following formulas:

$$\begin{split} & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = -2GW_{n+1}^{2} - GW_{n+3}^{2} - GW_{n+2}^{2} + 2GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + \\ & GW_{3}^{2} + GW_{2}^{2} + 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{4}GW_{3}, \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k} = GW_{n+3}^{2} + GW_{n+2}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} - GW_{n+3} - GW_{n+3} - GW_{n+3} - GW_{n+3}^{2} - GW_{2}^{2} - GW_{1}^{2} + GW_{4}GW_{3}, \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k} = GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} - GW_{3}GW_{4} + GW_{1}GW_{3}. \end{split}$$

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian Padovan numbers (take $GW_n = GP_n$ with $GP_0 = 1, GP_1 = 1 + i, GP_2 = 1 + i$).

Corollary 10. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Padovan numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k}^{2} &= -GP_{n+3}^{2} - GP_{n+2}^{2} - 2GP_{n+1}^{2} + 2GP_{n+2}GP_{n+3} + 2GP_{n+1}GP_{n+3} - (1+2i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k+1}GP_{k} &= GP_{n+3}^{2} + GP_{n+2}^{2} + GP_{n+1}^{2} - GP_{n+2}GP_{n+3} - GP_{n+1}GP_{n+3} - (1+2i), \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GP_{k+2}GP_{k} &= GP_{n+2}GP_{n+3} - (1+3i). \end{split}$$

Taking $GW_n = GE_n$ with $GE_0 = 3 - i$, $GE_1 = 3i$, $GE_2 = 2$ in the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which presents sum formulas of Gaussian Perrin numbers.

Corollary 11. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Perrin numbers have the following properties:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k}^{2} = -GE_{n+3}^{2} - GE_{n+2}^{2} - 2GE_{n+1}^{2} + 2GE_{n+2}GE_{n+3} + 2GE_{n+1}GE_{n+3} - (9 + 14i),$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k+1}GE_{k} = GE_{n+3}^{2} + GE_{n+2}^{2} + GE_{n+1}^{2} - GE_{n+2}GE_{n+3} - GE_{n+1}GE_{n+3} + i,$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GE_{k+2}GE_{k} = GE_{n+2}GE_{n+3} - (6 + 4i).$$

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian Padovan-Perrin numbers (take $GW_n = GS_n$ with $GS_0 = i, GS_1 = 0, GS_2 = 1$).

Corollary 12. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Padovan-Perrin numbers have the following properties:

$$\begin{split} \sum_{k=1}^{n} GS_{k}^{2} &= -GS_{n+3}^{2} - GS_{n+2}^{2} - 2GS_{n+1}^{2} + 2GS_{n+2}GS_{n+3} \\ &+ 2GS_{n+1}GS_{n+3} - 2i, \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GS_{k+1}GS_{k} &= GS_{n+3}^{2} + GS_{n+2}^{2} + GS_{n+1}^{2} - GS_{n+2}GS_{n+3} \\ &- GS_{n+1}GS_{n+3} + i, \\ \sum_{k=1}^{n} GS_{k+2}GS_{k} &= GS_{n+2}GS_{n+3} - i. \end{split}$$

Taking r = 0, s = 1, t = 2 in Theorem 1, we obtain the following Proposition.

Proposition 13. If r = 0, s = 1, t = 2 then for $n \ge 1$ we have the following formulas:

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{2} (GW_{n+3}^{2} + GW_{n+2}^{2} + 2GW_{n+1}^{2} - GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - GW_{3}^{2} - GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} + GW_{4}GW_{3}), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{4} (-GW_{n+3}^{2} - GW_{n+2}^{2} - 4GW_{n+1}^{2} + 2GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + 4GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + GW_{3}^{2} + GW_{2}^{2} + 4GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{4}GW_{3}), \\ &\sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{2} (GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + 2GW_{1}GW_{3} - GW_{3}GW_{4}). \end{split}$$

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian Jacobsthal-Padovan numbers (take $GW_n = GQ_n$ with $GQ_0 = 1, GQ_1 = 1 + i, GQ_2 = 1 + i$).

Corollary 14. For $n \ge 1$, Gaussian Jacobsthal-Padovan numbers have the following properties:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} GQ_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{2} (GQ_{n+3}^{2} + GQ_{n+2}^{2} + 2GQ_{n+1}^{2} - GQ_{n+2}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+1}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3}GQ_{n+3} - 2GQ_{n+3}GQ_{$$

Taking $GW_n = GD_n$ with $GD_0 = 3 - \frac{1}{2}i$, $GD_1 = 3i$, $GD_2 = 2$ in the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which presents sum formulas of Gaussian Jacobsthal-Perrin numbers.

Corollary 15. For $n \geq 1$, Gaussian Jacobsthal-Perrin numbers have the following properties:

 $\sum_{k=1}^{n} QD_k^2 = \frac{1}{2}(QD_{n+3}^2 + QD_{n+2}^2 + 2QD_{n+1}^2 - QD_{n+2}QD_{n+3} - 2QD_{n+1}QD_{n+3} + (-18 + 16i)),$ $\sum_{k=1}^{n} QD_{k+1}QD_{k} = \frac{1}{4}(-QD_{n+3}^{2} - QD_{n+2}^{2} - 4QD_{n+1}^{2} + 2QD_{n+2}QD_{n+3} + 4QD_{n+1}QD_{n+3} - 56i),$ $\sum_{k=1}^{n} QD_{k+2}QD_k = \frac{1}{2}(QD_{n+2}QD_{n+3} - (12+4i)).$

Taking r = 1, s = 0, t = 1 in Theorem 1, we obtain the following Proposition.

Proposition 16. If r = 1, s = 0, t = 1 then for $n \ge 1$ we have the following formulas:

$$\begin{split} & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{3} (-GW_{n+3}^{2} - 4GW_{n+2}^{2} - 4GW_{n+1}^{2} + 4GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} + 3GW_{3}^{2} + 4GW_{2}^{2} + 4GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{4}GW_{3} - 4GW_{2}GW_{3} - 2GW_{1}GW_{2}), \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+1}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{3} (GW_{n+3}^{2} + GW_{n+2}^{2} + GW_{n+1}^{2} - GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} + GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{2}^{2} - GW_{1}^{2} - GW_{3}GW_{4} + GW_{3}GW_{2} + 2GW_{1}GW_{2}), \\ & \sum_{k=1}^{n} GW_{k+2}GW_{k} = \frac{1}{3} (2GW_{n+3}^{2} + 2GW_{n+2}^{2} + 2GW_{n+1}^{2} - 2GW_{n+2}GW_{n+3} - \\ & GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{2}^{2} - 2GW_{1}^{2} - 2GW_{3}GW_{4} + 2GW_{3}GW_{2} + \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+2} - GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3} - \\ & 2GW_{n+1}GW_{n+3}$$

 $3GW_3GW_1 + GW_1GW_2$).

From the last Proposition, we have the following Corollary which gives sum formulas of Gaussian Narayana numbers (take $GW_n = GN_n$ with $GN_0 = 0, GN_1 =$ $1, GN_2 = 1 + i$).

Corollary 17. For $n \geq 1$, Gaussian Narayana numbers have the following properties:

 $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GN_{k}^{2} = \frac{1}{3} \left(-GN_{n+3}^{2} - 4GN_{n+2}^{2} - 4GN_{n+1}^{2} + 4GN_{n+2}GN_{n+3} + 2GN_{n+1}GN_{n+3} + 2GN_{n+3} - 4GN_{n+3}^{2} - 4GN_$ $2GN_{n+1}GN_{n+2} - 2i),$ $\sum_{k=1}^{n} GN_{k+1}GN_{k} = \frac{1}{3}(GN_{n+3}^2 + GN_{n+2}^2 + GN_{n+1}^2 - GN_{n+2}GN_{n+3} + GN_{n+1}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+2}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+3}GN$ $2GN_{n+1}GN_{n+2} - i),$ $\sum_{k=1}^{n}GN_{k+2}GN_{k} = \frac{1}{3}(2GN_{n+3}^{2} + 2GN_{n+2}^{2} + 2GN_{n+1}^{2} - 2GN_{n+2}GN_{n+3} - GN_{n+1}GN_{n+2} - 2GN_{n+3} - 2GN_{n+3}$ $GN_{n+1}GN_{n+3} - 2i$

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