



On Pell and Pell-Lucas Generalized Octonions

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ABSTRACT. In this study, we gave a generalization on Pell and Pell-Lucas octonions over the algebra $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$ where a, b and c are real numbers. For these number sequences, we obtain Binet formulas and gave some well-known identities such as Catalan's identity, Cassini's identity and d'Ocagne's identity.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Let a and b be real constants, the generalized quaternion algebra is $\mathbb{H}(a, b)$ with the basis $\{1, e_1, e_2, e_3\}$. And the multiplication table for this basis of $\mathbb{H}(a, b)$ can be given as follows:

\cdot	1	e_1	e_2	e_3
1	1	e_1	e_2	e_3
e_1	e_1	$-a$	e_3	$-ae_2$
e_2	e_2	$-e_3$	$-b$	be_1
e_3	e_3	ae_2	$-be_1$	$-ab$

For $a = b = 1$, $\mathbb{H}(1, 1)$ is the quaternion division algebra, for $a = 1, b = -1$, $\mathbb{H}(1, -1)$ is the algebra of split-quaternions or also called coquaternions, para-quaternions, anti-quaternions, pseudo-quaternions or hyperbolic quaternions.

The octonions constitute the largest normed division algebra over the real numbers and with notation \mathbb{O} . The octonions have eight dimensions and they are alternative, flexible, power-associative, non-commutative and non-associative.

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Let $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$ be the generalized octonion algebra over the \mathbb{R} with the basis $\{e_0, e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5, e_6, e_7\}$. And its the multiplication table as follows

\cdot	e_0	e_1	e_2	e_3	e_4	e_5	e_6	e_7
e_0	e_0	e_1	e_2	e_3	e_4	e_5	e_6	e_7
e_1	e_1	$-a$	e_3	$-ae_2$	e_5	$-ae_4$	$-e_7$	ae_6
e_2	e_2	$-e_3$	$-b$	be_1	e_6	e_7	$-be_4$	$-be_5$
e_3	e_3	ae_2	$-be_1$	$-ab$	e_7	$-ae_6$	be_5	$-abe_4$
e_4	e_4	$-e_5$	$-e_6$	$-e_7$	$-c$	ce_1	ce_2	ce_3
e_5	e_5	ae_4	$-e_7$	ae_6	$-ce_1$	$-ac$	$-ce_3$	ace_2
e_6	e_6	e_7	be_4	$-be_5$	$-ce_2$	ce_3	$-bc$	$-bce_1$
e_7	e_7	$-ae_6$	be_5	abe_4	$-ce_3$	$-ace_2$	bce_1	$-abc$

If $\gamma \in \mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$, then we can write $\gamma = \gamma_0 + \gamma_1e_1 + \gamma_2e_2 + \gamma_3e_3 + \gamma_4e_4 + \gamma_5e_5 + \gamma_6e_6 + \gamma_7e_7$. The conjugate of γ is $\bar{\gamma} = \gamma_0 - \gamma_1e_1 - \gamma_2e_2 - \gamma_3e_3 - \gamma_4e_4 - \gamma_5e_5 - \gamma_6e_6 - \gamma_7e_7$. The trace and the norm of γ are, respectively

$$t(\gamma) = \gamma + \bar{\gamma} = 2\gamma_0$$

and

$$N(\gamma) = \gamma\bar{\gamma} = \gamma_0^2 + a\gamma_1^2 + b\gamma_2^2 + ab\gamma_3^2 + c\gamma_4^2 + ac\gamma_5^2 + bc\gamma_6^2 + abc\gamma_7^2$$

[5].

The Pell sequence $\{P_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$ is well known sequence among integer sequences which satisfies the recurrence relation

$$P_n = 2P_{n-1} + P_{n-2}$$

with the initial conditions $P_0 = 0$ and $P_1 = 1$. Similarly, Pell-Lucas sequence $\{PL_n\}_{n=0}^\infty$ satisfy the recurrence relation

$$PL_n = 2PL_{n-1} + PL_{n-2}$$

with Pell sequence except the initial conditions $PL_0 = 1$ and $PL_1 = 1$. In this case, the Pell-Lucas sequence is called modified Pell sequence.

The generating functions for the Pell sequence and Pell-Lucas sequence are as follows

$$\sum_{n=0}^\infty P_n x^n = \frac{x}{1 - 2x - x^2}$$

and

$$\sum_{n=0}^\infty PL_n x^n = \frac{2 - x}{1 - 2x - x^2}$$

respectively. Moreover, the Binet formulas for these sequences are defined as

$$P_n = \frac{\gamma^n - \delta^n}{\gamma - \delta}$$

and

$$PL_n = \frac{\gamma^n + \delta^n}{2}$$

respectively, where $\gamma = 1 + \sqrt{2}$ and $\delta = 1 - \sqrt{2}$ are solutions of the characteristic equation of $x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$. The positive root γ is called silver ratio (see for details [13]).

Pell and Pell-Lucas numbers appear in many subjects of mathematics. They appear as solutions of the Pell equation $x^2 - 2y^2 = (-1)^n$. The solutions of this equation are (PL_n, P_n) .

In 1963, Horadam [7] defined Fibonacci and Lucas quaternions for detail [6, 8, 10, 12]). And also generalizations of Fibonacci and Lucas quaternions are ([2, 9, 14, 16]).

Fibonacci and Lucas octonions are defined by Kecioglu and Akkus as follows

$$Q_n = \sum_{s=0}^7 F_{n+s} e_s \quad \text{and} \quad T_n = \sum_{s=0}^7 L_{n+s} e_s$$

where F_n and L_n are n th Fibonacci and Lucas numbers [11]. They gave generating function, Binet formulas and some identities for the Fibonacci and Lucas octonions. Also, they defined Split Fibonacci and Lucas octonions similarly in [1]. Savin [15] gave generalized Fibonacci and Lucas octonions over the octonion algebras $\mathbb{O}_{\mathbb{R}}(a + 1, 2a + 1, 3a + 1)$ where for real number a .

Cimen and İpek [4] defined Pell and Pell-Lucas quaternions as

$$QP_n = P_n + iP_{n+1} + jP_{n+2} + kP_{n+3}$$

and

$$QPL_{k,n} = PL_{k,n} + iPL_{k,n+1} + jPL_{k,n+2} + kPL_{k,n+3}$$

where P_n and PL_n are the n th Pell and Pell-Lucas numbers. They obtained many properties of these quaternions such as Binet formulas and Cassini's identity. Szynal-Liana and Wloch [17] introduced the Pell quaternions, the Pell octonions and gave some properties of them.

Catarino [3] studied on modified Pell and modified k -Pell quaternions which are defined by

$$MP_n = q_n + iq_{n+1} + jq_{n+2} + kq_{n+3}$$

and

$$MP_{k,n} = q_{k,n} + iq_{k,n+1} + jq_{k,n+2} + kq_{k,n+3}$$

where q_n and $q_{k,n}$ are the n th modified Pell and modified k -Pell numbers, respectively.

In this paper, we study the Pell and Pell-Lucas octonions over the octonion algebra $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$. At first, we show the Pell and Pell-Lucas octonions over the octonion algebra $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$ by the following notations:

$$PO_n = \sum_{s=0}^7 P_{n+s}e_s \quad \text{and} \quad RO_n = \sum_{s=0}^7 PL_{n+s}e_s$$

For generalized case with negative indices is given by

$$PO_{-n} = \sum_{s=0}^7 (-1)^{n+s+1} P_{n-s}e_s \quad \text{and} \quad RO_{-n} = \sum_{s=0}^7 (-1)^{n+s} PL_{n-s}e_s$$

respectively. We also obtained some properties of these octonions including Binet formulas, Cassini's, Catalan's and D'Ocagne's identities.

2. BINET FORMULAS AND GENERALIZATIONS FOR SOME IDENTITIES

Binet formulas for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions are given by the following theorem.

Theorem 2.1. For any integer n , n th Pell generalized octonion is

$$PO_n = \frac{\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n}{\gamma - \delta} \tag{2.1}$$

and n th Pell-Lucas generalized octonion is

$$RO_n = \frac{\gamma^* \gamma^n + \delta^* \delta^n}{2} \tag{2.2}$$

where $\gamma = 1 + \sqrt{2}, \delta = 1 - \sqrt{2}, \gamma^* = \sum_{s=0}^7 \gamma^s e_s$ and $\delta^* = \sum_{s=0}^7 \delta^s e_s$.

Proof. Let us consider the following for Eq. (2.1) and $PO_n = \sum_{s=0}^7 P_{n+s}e_s$:

$$\gamma PO_n + PO_{n-1} = \sum_{s=0}^7 (\gamma P_{n+s} + P_{n+s-1}) e_s.$$

By the help of the identity $\gamma^n = \gamma P_n + P_{n-1}$, we get

$$\gamma PO_n + PO_{n-1} = \gamma^* \gamma^n. \tag{2.3}$$

Similarlay, using the identity $\delta^n = \delta P_n + P_{n-1}$, we have

$$\delta PO_n + PO_{n-1} = \delta^* \delta^n. \tag{2.4}$$

From the equations (2.3) and (2.4), we obtain

$$PO_n = \frac{\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n}{\gamma - \delta}.$$

Eq. (2.2) can we obtain similarly. □

Now, we give some useful identities. These identities play very important roles throughout the paper for calculations.

Lemma 2.2. *We have the followings identities*

$$\gamma^{*2} = \xi_1 + 2RO_0 + 2\sqrt{2}(\xi_2 + PO_0), \tag{2.5}$$

$$\delta^{*2} = \xi_1 + 2RO_0 - 2\sqrt{2}(\xi_2 + PO_0),$$

$$\gamma^* \delta^* = \tau + 2RO_0 + 2\sqrt{2}\sigma, \tag{2.6}$$

$$\delta^* \gamma^* = \tau + 2RO_0 - 2\sqrt{2}\sigma \tag{2.7}$$

where

$$\xi_1 = 1 - 114243abc - 3363ac - 19601bc - 99ab - 3a - 17b - 577c,$$

$$\xi_2 = -40391abc - 6930bc - 1189ac - 35ab - 204c - 6b - a,$$

$$\tau = abc + ab + ac - bc + a - b - c - 1,$$

$$\sigma = (bc - b - c)e_1 + (2ac - 2a - 2c)e_2 + (-6c + 1)e_3 \\ + (-12ab - 12a + 12b)e_4 + (-34b + 5)e_5 + (68a - 2)e_6 - 33e_7.$$

Proof. Using the multiplication table for the basis of $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma^{*2} &= \left(\sum_{s=0}^7 \gamma^s e_s\right) \left(\sum_{s=0}^7 \gamma^s e_s\right) \\ &= 1 - 114243abc - 3363ac - 19601bc - 99ab - 3a - 17b - 577c \\ &\quad + 2RO_0 \\ &\quad + 2\sqrt{2}(-40391abc - 6930bc - 1189ac - 35ab - 204c - 6b - a \\ &\quad + PO_0) \\ &= \xi_1 + 2RO_0 + 2\sqrt{2}(\xi_2 + PO_0). \end{aligned}$$

The last equation is the Eq. (2.5). Similarly

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma^* \delta^* &= \left(\sum_{s=0}^7 \gamma^s e_s\right) \left(\sum_{s=0}^7 \delta^s e_s\right) \\ &= abc + ab + ac - bc + a - b - c - 1 \\ &\quad + 2RO_0 + 2\sqrt{2}[(bc - b - c)e_1 \\ &\quad + (2ac - 2a - 2c)e_2 + (-6c + 1)e_3 + (-12ab - 12a + 12b)e_4 \\ &\quad + (-34b + 5)e_5 + (68a - 2)e_6 - 33e_7] \\ &= \tau + 2RO_0 + 2\sqrt{2}\sigma. \end{aligned}$$

The last equation is the Eq. (2.6). The others can be proved similarly. □

After having Binet formulas, we can obtain some identities for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions. The following theorem gives us Catalan’s identities for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions as follows.

Theorem 2.3. *Let n and r be integers, we have*

$$PO_{n+r}PO_{n-r} - PO_n^2 = (-1)^{n-r+1} \left[\frac{1}{4} (\tau + 2RO_0) (PL_{2r} + (-1)^{r-1}) + \sigma P_{2r} \right]$$

and

$$RO_{n+r}RO_{n-r} - RO_n^2 = (-1)^{n-r} \left[\frac{1}{2} (\tau + 2RO_0) (PL_{2r} - (-1)^r) + 2\sigma P_{2r} \right].$$

Proof. By using the Binet formulas for the Pell generalized octonions, we have

$$\begin{aligned} PO_{n+r}PO_{n-r} - PO_n^2 &= \frac{1}{8} [(\gamma^* \gamma^{n+r} - \delta^* \delta^{n+r})(\gamma^* \gamma^{n-r} - \delta^* \delta^{n-r}) \\ &\quad - (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n)^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{8} [-\gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^{n+r} \delta^{n-r} - \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^{n+r} \gamma^{n-r} \\ &\quad + \gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^n \delta^n + \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^n \gamma^n] \\ &= \frac{1}{8} [-\gamma^{n-r} \delta^{n-r} (\gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^{2r} + \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^{2r}) + 2(-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0)] \\ &= \frac{1}{8} [(-1)^{n-r+1} ((\tau + 2RO_0)(\gamma^{2r} + \delta^{2r}) \\ &\quad + 2\sqrt{2}\sigma(\gamma^{2r} - \delta^{2r})) + 2(-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0)] \\ &= \frac{1}{8} [2(-1)^{n-r+1} (\tau + 2RO_0) (PL_{2r} + (-1)^{r-1}) \\ &\quad + 8(-1)^{n-r+1} \sigma P_{2r}] \\ &= (-1)^{n-r+1} \left[\frac{1}{4} (\tau + 2RO_0) (PL_{2r} + (-1)^{r-1}) + \sigma P_{2r} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

The second identity in theorem can be obtained similarly. □

For $r = 1$, Theorem 3 gives Cassini’s identities for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions as follows.

Corollary 2.4. *For any integer n , we have*

$$PO_{n+1}PO_{n-1} - PO_n^2 = (-1)^n \left[\frac{1}{2} (\tau + 2RO_0) + \sigma \right]$$

and

$$RO_{n+1}RO_{n-1} - RO_n^2 = (-1)^{n-1} [(\tau + 2RO_0) + 2\sigma].$$

D’Ocagne’s identities for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions are given in the following theorem.

Theorem 2.5. *Let n and m be integers, we have*

$$PO_m PO_{n+1} - PO_{m+1} PO_n = (-1)^n [(\tau + 2RO_0) P_{m-n} + 2\sigma PL_{m-n}]$$

and

$$RO_m RO_{n+1} - RO_{m+1} RO_n = 2(-1)^{n+1} [(\tau + 2RO_0) P_{m-n} + 2\sigma PL_{m-n}].$$

Proof. By using the Binet formulas for the Pell generalized octonions, we get

$$\begin{aligned} PO_m PO_{n+1} - PO_{m+1} PO_n &= \frac{1}{8} (\gamma^* \gamma^m - \delta^* \delta^m) (\gamma^* \gamma^{n+1} - \delta^* \delta^{n+1}) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{8} (\gamma^* \gamma^{m+1} - \delta^* \delta^{m+1}) (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n) \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} [(-1)^n (\gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^{m-n} - \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^{m-n})]. \end{aligned}$$

If we substitute equations (2.6) and (2.7) into the last equation, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} PO_m PO_{n+1} - PO_{m+1} PO_n &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} (-1)^n [2\sqrt{2}(\tau + 2RO_0) P_{m-n} + 4\sqrt{2}\sigma PL_{m-n}] \\ &= (-1)^n [(\tau + 2RO_0) P_{m-n} + 2\sigma PL_{m-n}]. \end{aligned}$$

We can obtain the second identity, similarly. □

3. SOME RESULTS FOR THE PELL AND PELL-LUCAS GENERALIZED OCTONIONS

In this section, we give some identities which can be obtained from Binet formulas for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions.

Theorem 3.1. *Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions satisfy the following identities;*

$$\begin{aligned} RO_n^2 + PO_n^2 &= \frac{3}{8} [2(\xi_1 + 2RO_0) PL_{2n} + 8(\xi_2 + PO_0) P_{2n}] + \frac{1}{4} (-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0), \\ RO_n^2 - PO_n^2 &= \frac{1}{8} [2(\xi_1 + 2RO_0) PL_{2n} + 8(\xi_2 + PO_0) P_{2n}] + \frac{3}{4} (-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0), \\ RO_{n+r} PO_{n+s} - RO_{n+s} PO_{n+r} &= (-1)^{n+r} (\tau + 2RO_0) P_{s-r}, \\ PO_{m+n} + (-1)^n PO_{m-n} &= 2PL_n PO_m, \\ PO_m RO_n - PO_n RO_m &= (-1)^{m+1} (\tau + 2RO_0) P_{n-m}, \\ PO_m RO_n - RO_m PO_n &= (-1)^{m+1} [(\tau + 2RO_0) P_{n-m} - 2\sigma PL_{n-m}]. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. We prove the first and fourth identities. We need the Binet formulas for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions.

$$\begin{aligned} RO_n^2 + PO_n^2 &= \frac{1}{4} (\gamma^* \gamma^n + \delta^* \delta^n) (\gamma^* \gamma^n + \delta^* \delta^n) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{8} (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n) (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n) \\ &= \frac{3}{8} [\gamma^{*2} \gamma^{2n} + \delta^{*2} \delta^{2n}] + \frac{1}{8} (-1)^n [\gamma^* \delta^* + \delta^* \gamma^*] \\ &= \frac{3}{8} [(\xi_1 + 2RO_0) (\gamma^{2n} + \delta^{2n}) + 2\sqrt{2}(\xi_2 + PO_0) (\gamma^{2n} - \delta^{2n})] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{8} (-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0) \\ &= \frac{3}{8} [2(\xi_1 + 2RO_0) PL_{2n} + 8(\xi_2 + PO_0) P_{2n}] + \frac{1}{4} (-1)^n (\tau + 2RO_0). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, using Binet formulas again, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 PO_{m+n} + (-1)^n PO_{m-n} &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} [\gamma^* \gamma^{m+n} - \delta^* \delta^{m+n} + (-1)^n (\gamma^* \gamma^{m-n} - \delta^* \delta^{m-n})] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} [\gamma^* \gamma^m (\gamma^n + \delta^n) - \delta^* \delta^m (\delta^n + \gamma^n)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} PL_n (\gamma^* \gamma^m - \delta^* \delta^m) \\
 &= 2PL_n PO_m.
 \end{aligned}$$

The other four identities in this theorem can be obtained similarly. □

Since the algebra $\mathbb{O}(a, b, c)$ is non-commutative, then we have the following theorem.

Theorem 3.2. *Let m and n be integers, then we have*

$$PO_n PO_m - PO_m PO_n = \sqrt{2} (-1)^{m+1} \sigma PL_{n-m}$$

and

$$RO_n RO_m - RO_m RO_n = 4 (-1)^m \sigma P_{n-m}. \tag{3.1}$$

Proof. Using Binet formulas for the Pell generalized octonions gives

$$\begin{aligned}
 PO_n PO_m - PO_m PO_n &= \frac{1}{8} (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n) (\gamma^* \gamma^m - \delta^* \delta^m) \\
 &\quad - \frac{1}{8} (\gamma^* \gamma^m - \delta^* \delta^m) (\gamma^* \gamma^n - \delta^* \delta^n) \\
 &= \frac{1}{8} [-\gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^n \delta^m - \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^n \gamma^m \\
 &\quad + \gamma^* \delta^* \gamma^m \delta^n + \delta^* \gamma^* \delta^m \gamma^n] \\
 &= \frac{1}{8} [-4\sqrt{2}\sigma (\gamma^n \delta^m + \delta^n \gamma^m)] \\
 &= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma [\gamma^m \delta^m (\gamma^{n-m} + \delta^{n-m})] \\
 &= \sqrt{2} (-1)^{m+1} \sigma PL_{n-m}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Eq. (3.1) can be proved similarly. □

4. RESULTS AND SUGGESTIONS

In this paper, we study on the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions. We derive some new and interesting properties for the Pell and Pell-Lucas generalized octonions. After this study and results, Binet formulas, Catalan's, Cassini's and D'Ocagne's identities and some properties can be obtained on the k -Pell and k -Pell-Lucas generalized octonions.

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