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# **Some Finite Sums Involving Generalized Fibonacci and Lucas Numbers**

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By considering Melham's sums (Melham, 2004), we compute various more general nonalternating sums, alternating sums, and sums that alternate according to  $(-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}$  involving the generalized Fibonacci and Lucas numbers.

## 1. Introduction

Let *a*, *b*, and *p* be assumed to be arbitrary nonzero complex numbers with  $p(p^2+2)(p^2+4) \neq 0$ . Define second-order linear recursion  $\{W_n\}$  by

$$W_n = pW_{n-1} + W_{n-2},\tag{1.1}$$

with  $W_0 = a$ ,  $W_1 = b$  for all integers n. Since  $\Delta = p^2 + 4 \neq 0$ , the roots  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  of  $x^2 - px - 1 = 0$  are distinct.

Also define the sequence  $\{X_n\}$  via the terms of sequence  $\{W_n\}$  as  $X_n = W_{n+1} + W_{n-1}$ . The Binet formulas for the sequences  $\{W_n\}$  and  $\{X_n\}$  are

$$W_n = \frac{A\alpha^n - B\beta^n}{\alpha - \beta}, \qquad X_n = A\alpha^n + B\beta^n, \tag{1.2}$$

where  $A = b - a\beta$  and  $B = b - a\alpha$ .

For a = 0, b = 1, we denote  $W_n = U_n$  and so  $X_n = V_n$ , respectively. When p = 1,  $U_n = F_n$  (*n*th Fibonacci number) and  $V_n = L_n$  (*n*th Lucas number).

Inspired by the well-known identity

$$\sum_{n=1}^{j} F_n^2 = F_j F_{j+1}, \tag{1.3}$$

Clary and Hemenway [1] obtained factored closed-form expressions for all sums of the form  $\sum_{n=1}^{j} F_{mn}^{3}$ , where *m* is an integer. Motivated by the results in [1], Melham [2] computed all sums of the form  $\sum_{n=1}^{j} (-1)^{n} F_{mn}^{4}$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{j} (-1)^{n} L_{mn}^{4}$ . In [3], Melham computed various nonalternating sums, alternating sums, and sums that alternate according to  $(-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}$  for sequences  $\{W_n\}$  and  $\{X_n\}$ . The author gathers his sums in three sets. Here we recall one example from each set for the reader's convenience:

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} W_{n} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{p} V_{(j-i+1)/2} (W_{(j+i+1)/2} + W_{(j+i-1)/2}) & \text{if } j-i \equiv 1 \pmod{4}, \\ \frac{1}{p} U_{(j-i+1)/2} (X_{(j+i+1)/2} + X_{(j+i-1)/2}) & \text{if } j-i \equiv 3 \pmod{4}, \end{cases}$$

$$\sum_{n=4i}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2n} = \frac{p}{\Delta - 2} U_{4j-4i+4} X_{4j+4i+3},$$

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{n} X_{n} = \frac{p}{\Delta - 2} V_{4j-4i+5} W_{4j+4i+3} + 2W_{0}.$$
(1.4)

We refer to [4] for general expansion formulas for sums of powers of Fibonacci and Lucas numbers, as considered by Melham, as well as some extensions such that

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} F_{2k+\delta}^{2m+\epsilon}, \qquad \sum_{k=0}^{n} L_{2k+\delta}^{2m+\epsilon},$$
(1.5)

where  $\delta, \epsilon \in \{0, 1\}$ .

For alternating analogues of the results given by Prodinger, that is,

$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} F_{2k+\delta}^{2m+\epsilon}, \qquad \sum_{k=0}^{n} (-1)^{k} L_{2k+\delta}^{2m+\epsilon},$$
(1.6)

we refer to [5].

Hendel [6] gave the *factorization theorem* which exhibits factorizations of sums of the form  $\sum_{j=i}^{n+i-1} F_{aj-b}$ . The author also introduced a unified proof method based on formulae for the factorizations of  $F_{q-d} + F_{q+d}$ .

In [7], Curtin et al. derived formulae for the shifted summations

$$\sum_{j=0}^{d-1} F_{n+j} F_{m+j}, \qquad \sum_{j=0}^{d-1} L_{n+j} L_{m+j}, \qquad \sum_{j=0}^{d-1} F_{n+j} L_{m+j}, \tag{1.7}$$

and the shifted convolutions

$$\sum_{j=0}^{d-1} F_{n+j} F_{d-m-j}, \qquad \sum_{j=0}^{d-1} L_{n+j} L_{d-m-j}, \qquad \sum_{j=0}^{d-1} F_{n+j} L_{d-m-j}$$
(1.8)

for positive integers *d* and arbitrary integers *n* and *m*.

In this paper, our main purpose is to consider Melham's sums involving double products of terms of  $\{W_n\}, \{X_n\}, \{U_n\}$ , and  $\{V_n\}$  given in [3] and then compute several more general nonalternating sums, alternating sums, and sums that alternate according to  $(-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}$ .

## 2. Certain Finite Sums of Double Products of Terms

In this section, we will investigate certain sums consisting of products of at most two terms of  $\{W_n\}$ : nonalternating sums, alternating sums and sums that alternate according to  $(-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}$ . From the Binet forms of  $\{W_n\}$  and  $\{X_n\}$ , we give the following lemma for further use without proof.

**Lemma 2.1.** Let a, b, and p be as in Section 1, and let  $r = aW_2 - bW_1$ . Then for all integers k,

$$b^{2}U_{2k} + 2abU_{2k-1} + a^{2}U_{2k-2} = W_{k}X_{k},$$

$$b^{2}U_{2k+1} + 2abU_{2k} + a^{2}U_{2k-1} = W_{k+1}X_{k} + (-1)^{k}r,$$

$$b^{2}V_{2k} + 2abV_{2k-1} + a^{2}V_{2k-2} = X_{k}^{2} + (-1)^{k}2r,$$

$$b^{2}V_{2k+1} + 2abV_{2k} + a^{2}V_{2k-1} = X_{k}X_{k+1} + (-1)^{k}pr.$$
(2.1)

**Theorem 2.2.** *Fix integers c, d, and m.* 

(i) If *m* is even, then for all integers j > i,

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} = \frac{U_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{\Delta U_m} - \frac{(-1)^c (j-i+1) X_{d-c}}{\Delta}.$$
(2.2)

(i) If m is odd, then for all integers j > i,

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} = \begin{cases} \frac{U_{m(j-i+1)} W_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{V_m} & \text{if } j-i \equiv 1 \pmod{2}, \\ \frac{V_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{\Delta V_m} - \frac{(-1)^{c+j} X_{d-c}}{\Delta} & \text{if } j-i \equiv 0 \pmod{2}. \end{cases}$$
(2.3)

*Proof.* Using the Binet formulas, we compute

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} = \sum_{n=i}^{j} \left( \frac{\alpha^{mn+c} - \beta^{mn+c}}{\alpha - \beta} \right) \left( \frac{A \alpha^{mn+d} - B \beta^{mn+d}}{\alpha - \beta} \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{(\alpha - \beta)^2} \sum_{n=i}^{j} \left( A \alpha^{2mn+c+d} + B \beta^{2mn+c+d} \right) - \frac{(-1)^{mn+c}}{(\alpha - \beta)^2} \left( A \alpha^{d-c} + B \beta^{d-c} \right) \quad (2.4)$$
$$= \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{n=i}^{j} X_{2mn+c+d} - \frac{(-1)^c}{\Delta} X_{d-c} \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{mn}.$$

Since  $X_n = W_{n-1} + W_{n+1}$ , we can obtain that for even *m* 

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} X_{2mn+t} = \frac{U_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(j+i)+t}}{U_m}.$$
(2.5)

The result follows.

For example, when i = 2, m = 3, a = 0, b = c = p = 1, and d = 5, we obtain

$$\sum_{n=2}^{j} F_{3n+1} F_{3n+5} = \frac{F_{3(j-1)} F_{3j+4}}{4}.$$
(2.6)

**Theorem 2.3.** Fix integers c, d, and m. Let  $S = \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{n} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d}$ .

(1) If m is odd, then S equals

$$S = \frac{(-1)^{J} U_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{\Delta U_{m}} - \frac{(-1)^{c} (j-i+1) X_{d-c}}{\Delta}.$$
(2.7)

(2) If m is odd and the parities of i and j are the same, then S equals

$$\frac{(-1)^{j} V_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{\Delta V_{m}} - \frac{\left((-1)^{j} + (-1)^{i}\right) (-1)^{c} X_{d-c}}{2\Delta}.$$
(2.8)

(3) If m is odd and the parities of i and j are the different, then S equals

$$\frac{(-1)^{j} U_{m(j-i+1)} W_{m(j+i)+c+d}}{V_{m}} - \frac{\left((-1)^{j} + (-1)^{i}\right)(-1)^{c} X_{d-c}}{2}.$$
(2.9)

Proof. Consider

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{n} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} &= \sum_{n=i}^{j} \left( \frac{\alpha^{mn+c} - \beta^{mn+c}}{\alpha - \beta} \right) \left( \frac{A \alpha^{mn+d} - B \beta^{mn+d}}{\alpha - \beta} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(\alpha - \beta)^{2}} \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{n} \left( A \alpha^{2mn+c+d} + B \beta^{2mn+c+d} \right) - \frac{(-1)^{mn+c}}{(\alpha - \beta)^{2}} \left( A \alpha^{d-c} + B \beta^{d-c} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{n} X_{2mn+c+d} - \frac{1}{\Delta} X_{d-c} \sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{(m+1)n+c}. \end{split}$$
(2.10)

Since  $X_n = W_{n-1} + W_{n+1}$ , for odd *m*, we find

$$\sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^n X_{2mn+c} = \frac{(-1)^j U_{m(j-i+1)} X_{m(i+j)+c}}{U_m}.$$
(2.11)

The result is now obtained by considering the values of  $\sum_{n=i}^{j} (-1)^{(m+1)n+c}$ .  $\Box$ **Theorem 2.4.** *Fix integers c, d, and m. For all integers j > i,* 

$$\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} = \frac{U_{4m(j-i)}}{V_{2m}} \begin{cases} V_m W_{s+m} & \text{if } m \text{ is even,} \\ U_m X_{s+m} & \text{if } m \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$
(2.12)

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{n=4i}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{4m(j-i+1)}}{V_{2m}} \begin{cases} U_m X_{s+3m} & if \ m \ is \ even, \\ V_m W_{s+3m} & if \ m \ is \ odd, \end{cases} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=4i+3}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{V_m V_{2m(2(j-i)-1)} X_{s+3m}}{\Delta V_{2m}} - \frac{2(-1)^c X_{d-c}}{\Delta} & \text{if } m \text{ is } even, \\ \frac{U_m V_{2m(2(j-i)-1)} W_{s+3m}}{V_{2m}} & \text{if } m \text{ is } odd, \end{cases} \\ \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{U_m V_{2m(2(j-i)+1)} W_{s+5m}}{V_{2m}} & \text{if } m \text{ is } even, \\ \frac{V_m V_{m(4(j-i+1)-2)} X_{s+5m}}{\Delta V_{2m}} + \frac{2(-1)^c X_{d-c}}{\Delta} & \text{if } m \text{ is } odd, \end{cases} \end{split}$$

$$(2.13)$$

where s = m(4(j + i)) + c + d.

Proof. Consider

$$\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d}$$

$$= \sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} \left( \frac{\alpha^{mn+c} - \beta^{mn+c}}{\alpha - \beta} \right) \left( \frac{A\alpha^{mn+d} - B\beta^{mn+d}}{\alpha - \beta} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\alpha - \beta)^2} \sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} \left( A\alpha^{2mn+c+d} + B\beta^{2mn+c+d} \right) - \frac{(-1)^{mn+c}}{(\alpha - \beta)^2} \left( A\alpha^{d-c} + B\beta^{d-c} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} X_{2mn+c+d} - \frac{1}{\Delta} X_{d-c} (-1)^c \sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}.$$
(2.14)

Here we have that  $\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} = 0$  and, by  $X_n = W_{n-1} + W_{n+1}$ ,

$$\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} X_{2mn+c+d} = \frac{\Delta V_m U_{4m(j-i)} W_{m(4(j+i)+1)+c+d}}{V_{2m}},$$
(2.15)

for even *m*. Now formula (2.12) follows. The remaining formulas are proven in a similar manner.  $\Box$ 

Notice that in (2.12)-(2.13), one limit of summation is even while the other is odd. Accordingly we have observed that each of (2.12)-(2.13) has a dual sum that is obtained with

the use of the rule below. We highlight this rule since it also applies to get certain groups of sums in Section 2.

From [3], we recall the rule for the formation of the dual sum.

- (1) Replace the even limit by the even limit corresponding to the other residue class modulo 4 and the odd limit by the odd limit corresponding to the other residue class modulo 4.
- (2) Calculate the subscripts on the right in accordance with the paragraph following (2.13).
- (3) Multiply the right side by -1.

For example, for odd integer *m*, the dual of (2.13) is

$$\sum_{n=4i}^{4j+1} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} U_{mn+c} W_{mn+d} = -\frac{1}{\Delta} \left( \frac{V_m V_{2m(2(j-i)+1)} X_{s+m}}{V_{2m}} + 2(-1)^c X_{d-c} \right),$$
(2.16)

where *s* is defined as before.

**Theorem 2.5.** *Fix integers c, d, and m.* 

(i) If c and d have the same parities, then

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{2m+1} U_{4(2m+1)(j-i)}}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \times \left( X_{2(2m+1)(j+i)+t} X_{2(2m+1)(j+i)+t+1} + pr(-1)^t \right), \\ &\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m} U_{8m(j-i)}}{V_{4m}} \times \left( W_{m(4j+4i)+t} X_{m(4j+4i)+t} \right), \\ &\sum_{n=4i+3}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{2m+1} V_{2(2m+1)(2(j-i)-1)}}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \times \left( W_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+t+1} X_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+t} - r(-1)^t \right), \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=4i+3}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)-1)}}{\Delta V_{4m}} \times \left( X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+i}^{2} + 2r(-1)^{i} \right) + \frac{2r(-1)^{c} V_{d-c}}{\Delta}, \\ \sum_{n=4i}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m+1} U_{4(2m+1)(j-i+1)}}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \times \left( W_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+i+1} X_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+i} - r(-1)^{i} \right), \\ \sum_{n=4i}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{2m} U_{8m(j-i+1)}}{V_{4m}} \times \left( X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+i}^{2} + 2r(-1)^{i} \right), \\ \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)m+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m+1} V_{2(2m+1)}}{\Delta V_{2(2m+1)}} \times \left( X_{2(2m+1)(j+i+1)+i} X_{2(2m+1)(j+i+1)+i} + pr(-1)^{i} \right) - \frac{2r(-1)^{c} V_{d-c}}{\Delta}, \\ \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{1}{V_{4m}} (U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)} W_{4m(j+i+1)+i} X_{4m(j+i+1)+i}), \end{split}$$
(2.17)

where t = (c + d)/2 + m.

(ii) If c and d have different parities, then

$$\sum_{n=4i+1}^{4j} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d}$$
$$= \frac{U_{2m+1} U_{4(2m+1)(j-i)}}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \Big( X_{2(2m+1)(j+i)+v}^2 + 2r(-1)^v \Big),$$

$$\begin{split} \sum_{n=4i+1}^{4i} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2nm+c} W_{2mm+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m} U_{8m(j-i)}}{V_{4m}} (X_{4m(j+i)+v-1} W_{4m(j+i)+v} - r(-1)^v), \\ \sum_{n=4i+3}^{4i} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{1}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \times U_{2m+1} V_{2(2m+1)(2(j-i)-1)} W_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+v} X_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+v}, \\ \sum_{n=4i+3}^{4i} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2nm+c} W_{2mm+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)-1)}}{\Delta V_{4m}} \times (X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+v} X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+v-1} + pr(-1)^v) + \frac{2r(-1)^c V_{d-c}}{\Delta}, \\ \sum_{n=4i}^{4i+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= \frac{V_{2m+1} U_{4(2m+1)(j-i+1)}}{V_{2(2m+1)}} \times X_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+v} W_{(2m+1)(2(j+i)+1)+v}, \\ \\ \frac{4j_{1}+3}{2n_{4i}} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{2m} U_{8m(j-i+1)}}{V_{4m}} \times (X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+v} X_{m(4(j+i)+2)+v-1} - pr(-1)^v), \\ \\ \frac{4j_{1}+3}{2n_{4i+2}} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{(2m+1)n+c} W_{(2m+1)n+d} \\ &= -\frac{2r(-1)^c V_{d-c}}{\Delta} + \frac{V_{2m+1} V_{2(2m+1)}}{\Delta V_{2(2m+1)}} (X_{2(2m+1)(j+i+1)+v} + 2r(-1)^v), \\ \\ \frac{4j_{1}+3}{2n_{4i+2}} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} \\ &= \frac{U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)}}{\Delta} \times (W_{4m(j+i+1)+v} X_{4m(j+i+1)+v-1} - r(-1)^v), \\ \end{aligned}$$

where *r* is defined as before and v = (c + d + 1)/2 + m.

*Proof.* Suppose that *c* and *d* have the same parities. Consider

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Delta} \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} \left( A^2 \alpha^{4mn+c+d} + B^2 \beta^{4mn+c+d} - AB \alpha^{2mn+c} \beta^{2mn+d} - AB \beta^{2mn+c} \alpha^{2mn+d} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Delta} \left( b^2 \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} V_{4mn+c+d} + 2ab \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} V_{4mn+c+d-1} + a^2 \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} V_{4mn+c+d-2} \right)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\Delta} (-1)^c r V_{d-c} \sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}}.$$
(2.19)

From the definition of  $\{V_n\}$ , we obtain

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} V_{4mn+c} = \frac{\Delta U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)} U_{2m(4(j+i+1)+1)+c}}{V_{4m}}.$$
 (2.20)

Since

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} = 0, \tag{2.21}$$

we get

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d}$$

$$= \frac{U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)}}{V_{4m}} \left( b^2 U_{2m(4(j+i+1)+1)+c+d} + 2ab U_{2m(4(j+i+1)+1)+c+d-1} + a^2 U_{2m(4(j+i+1)+1)+c+d-2} \right)$$
(2.22)

Taking 2k = 2m(4(j + i + 1) + 1) + c + d in Lemma 2.1, we write

$$\sum_{n=4i+2}^{4j+3} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} = \frac{U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)} W_{m(4(j+i+1)+1)+(d+c)/2} X_{m(4(j+i+1)+1)+(d+c)/2}}{\Delta V_{4m}}.$$
(2.23)

Thus the result follows. Similar arguments yield the remaining formulas, where we must consider the parities of c, d.

For example, the dual of (2.17) is given by if *c* and *d* have the same parities,

$$\sum_{n=4i}^{4j+1} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d} = -\frac{U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)} W_{4m(j+i)+t} X_{4m(j+i)+t}}{V_{4m}},$$
(2.24)

and the dual of (2.18) is given by if *c* and *d* have different parities,

$$\sum_{n=4i}^{4j+1} (-1)^{\binom{n+1}{2}} W_{2mn+c} W_{2mn+d}$$

$$= -\frac{U_{2m} V_{4m(2(j-i)+1)}}{V_{4m}} \times (W_{4m(j+i)+v} X_{4m(j+i)+v-1} - r(-1)^v),$$
(2.25)

where *t* and *v* are defined as before.

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