

# Properties of Generalized Sixth Order Jacobsthal Sequence

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we investigate the generalized sixth order Jacobsthal sequences and we deal with, in detail, six special cases which we call them as sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences.

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## 1. Introduction

The Jacobsthal sequence (sequence A001045 in [25])  $\{J_n\}$  is defined recursively by the equation, for  $n \geq 0$

$$J_{n+2} = J_{n+1} + 2J_n$$

with the initial conditions  $J_0 = 0$  and  $J_1 = 1$ . 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, [1],[2],[3],[10],[11],[14],[15],[16],[17],[18],[20],[21],[22]]. For higher order Jacobsthal sequences, see [4],[5],[6],[7],[8],[9],[13],[31],[32].

In this paper, we introduce the generalized sixth order Jacobsthal sequences and we investigate, in detail, six special cases which we call them sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences. First we recall the definition and some properties of a generalized Hexanacci sequence.

The generalized Hexanacci sequence (or the generalized  $(r, s, t, u, v, y)$  sequence or 6-step Fibonacci sequence)  $\{W_n(W_0, W_1, W_2, W_3, W_4, W_5; r, s, t, u, v, y)\}_{n \geq 0}$  (or shortly  $\{W_n\}_{n \geq 0}$ ) is defined by the sixth order recurrence relation

$$\begin{aligned} W_n &= rW_{n-1} + sW_{n-2} + tW_{n-3} + uW_{n-4} + vW_{n-5} + yW_{n-6}, \\ W_0 &= c_0, W_1 = c_1, W_2 = c_2, W_3 = c_3, W_4 = c_4, W_5 = c_5, n \geq 6 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

where  $W_0, W_1, W_2, W_3, W_4, W_5$  are arbitrary real or complex numbers and  $r, s, t, u, v, y$  are real numbers. The sequence  $\{W_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  can be extended to negative subscripts by defining

$$W_{-n} = -\frac{v}{y}W_{-n+1} - \frac{u}{y}W_{-n+2} - \frac{t}{y}W_{-n+3} - \frac{s}{y}W_{-n+4} - \frac{r}{y}W_{-n+5} + \frac{1}{y}W_{-n+6}$$

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for  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  when  $y \neq 0$ . Therefore, recurrence (1) holds for all integers  $n$ . Generalized Hexanacci sequence has been studied by many authors, see for example [23],[24],[28],[29],[30].

As  $\{W_n\}$  is a sixth order recurrence sequence (difference equation), it's characteristic equation is

$$x^6 - rx^5 - sx^4 - tx^3 - ux^2 - vx - y = 0 \tag{2}$$

whose roots are  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \lambda, \mu$ .

Note that we have the following identities:

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu = r,$$

$$\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta = -s,$$

$$\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta = t,$$

$$\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta = -u$$

$$\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta = v,$$

$$\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta = -y.$$

Throughout the paper, we use the following notations interchangeable.

$$r = r_1, s = r_2, t = r_3, u = r_4, v = r_5, y = r_6$$

and

$$\alpha = \alpha_1, \beta = \alpha_2, \gamma = \alpha_3, \delta = \alpha_4, \lambda = \alpha_5, \mu = \alpha_6.$$

So (1) and (2) can be written as follows:

$$W_n = r_1 W_{n-1} + r_2 W_{n-2} + r_3 W_{n-3} + r_4 W_{n-4} + r_5 W_{n-5} + r_6 W_{n-6}$$

and

$$x^6 - r_1 x^5 - r_2 x^4 - r_3 x^3 - r_4 x^2 - r_5 x - r_6 = 0$$

respectively.

Generalized Hexanacci numbers can be expressed, for all integers  $n$ , using Binet's formula.

**Theorem 1.1.**

[[28]](Binet's formula of generalized  $(r, s, t, u, v, y)$  numbers (generalized Hexanacci numbers))

$$W_n = \frac{p_1 \alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{p_2 \beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)} \tag{3}$$

$$+ \frac{p_3 \gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{p_4 \delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{p_5 \lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{p_6 \mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)}$$

where

$$p_1 = W_5 - (\beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu)W_4 + (\beta\lambda + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)W_3$$

$$- (\beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)W_2$$

$$+ (\beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta)W_1 - \beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta W_0,$$

$$p_2 = W_5 - (\alpha + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu)W_4 + (\alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \alpha\delta + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)W_3$$

$$- (\alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\lambda\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)W_2$$

$$+ (\alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta)W_1 - \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu\delta W_0,$$

$$p_3 = W_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \delta + \lambda + \mu)W_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\mu + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \mu\delta)W_3$$

$$- (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\mu\delta)W_2$$

$$+ (\alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta)W_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\mu\delta W_0,$$

$$p_4 = W_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \lambda + \mu)W_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \gamma\mu)W_3 \\ - (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu)W_2 \\ + (\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu)W_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu W_0,$$

$$p_5 = W_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \mu)W_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \beta\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)W_3 \\ - (\alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)W_2 \\ + (\alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta)W_1 - \alpha\beta\gamma\mu\delta W_0,$$

$$p_6 = W_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda)W_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \lambda\gamma + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\delta)W_3 \\ - (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta)W_2 \\ + (\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta)W_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\delta W_0.$$

Usually, it is customary to choose  $r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5, r_6$  so that the Equ. (2) has at least one real (say  $\alpha_1$ ) solutions.

Note that the Binet form of a sequence satisfying (2) for non-negative integers is valid for all integers  $n$ , (see [19], this result of Howard and Saidak [19] is even true in the case of higher-order recurrence relations).

Next, we give the ordinary generating function  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} W_n x^n$  of the sequence  $W_n$ .

**Lemma 1.1.**

[[28]] Suppose that  $f_{W_n}(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} W_n x^n$  is the ordinary generating function of the generalized  $(r, s, t, u, v, y)$  sequence  $\{W_n\}_{n \geq 0}$ . Then,  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} W_n x^n$  is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} W_n x^n = \frac{\Lambda}{1 - rx - sx^2 - tx^3 - ux^4 - vx^5 - yx^6} = \frac{\Lambda}{1 - r_1x - r_2x^2 - r_3x^3 - r_4x^4 - r_5x^5 - r_6x^6} \quad (4)$$

where

$$\Lambda = W_0 + (W_1 - rW_0)x + (W_2 - rW_1 - sW_0)x^2 + (W_3 - rW_2 - sW_1 - tW_0)x^3 \\ + (W_4 - rW_3 - sW_2 - tW_1 - uW_0)x^4 + (W_5 - rW_4 - sW_3 - tW_2 - uW_1 - vW_0)x^5$$

or (in short formula)

$$\Lambda = W_0 + (W_1 - r_1W_0)x + (W_2 - r_1W_1 - r_2W_0)x^2 + (W_3 - r_1W_2 - r_2W_1 - r_3W_0)x^3 \\ + (W_4 - r_1W_3 - r_2W_2 - r_3W_1 - r_4W_0)x^4 + (W_5 - r_1W_4 - r_2W_3 - r_3W_2 - r_4W_1 - r_5W_0)x^5 \\ = W_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{6-1} x^i \left( W_i - \sum_{j=1}^i r_j W_{i-j} \right).$$

We next give another form of Binet's formula of generalized  $(r, s, t, u, v, y)$  numbers  $\{W_n\}$  by the use of generating function for  $W_n$ .

**Theorem 1.2.**

[[28]] (Binet's formula of generalized  $(r, s, t, u, v, y)$  numbers)

$$W_n = \sum_{k=1}^6 \frac{q_k \alpha_k^n}{\prod_{\substack{j=1 \\ k \neq j}}^6 (\alpha_k - \alpha_j)} \quad (5)$$

where

$$q_l = W_0 \alpha_l^{6-1} + \sum_{i=1}^{6-1} \alpha_l^{6-1-i} \left[ W_i - \sum_{j=1}^i r_j W_{i-j} \right], \quad 1 \leq l \leq m = 6.$$

In this paper we consider the case  $r_1 = r_2 = r_3 = r_4 = r_5 = 1, r_6 = 2$  and in this case we write  $V_n = W_n$ . A generalized sixth order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{V_n\}_{n \geq 0} = \{V_n(V_0, V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4, V_5)\}_{n \geq 0}$  is defined by the sixth order recurrence relations

$$V_n = V_{n-1} + V_{n-2} + V_{n-3} + V_{n-4} + V_{n-5} + 2V_{n-6} \tag{6}$$

with the initial values  $V_0 = c_0, V_1 = c_1, V_2 = c_2, V_3 = c_3, V_4 = c_4, V_5 = c_5$  not all being zero.

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

$$V_{-n} = -\frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-1)} - \frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-2)} - \frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-3)} - \frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-4)} - \frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-5)} + \frac{1}{2}V_{-(n-6)}$$

for  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ . Therefore, recurrence (6) holds for all integer  $n$ .

As  $\{V_n\}$  is a sixth order recurrence sequence (difference equation), it's characteristic equation is

$$x^6 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 - x^2 - x - 2 = (x - 2)(x + 1)(x^4 + x^2 + 1) = 0. \tag{7}$$

The roots  $\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3, \theta_4, \theta_5$  and  $\theta_6$  of Equation (7) are given by

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_1 &= \alpha = 2, \\ \theta_2 &= \beta = -1, \\ \theta_3 &= \gamma = \frac{1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \\ \theta_4 &= \delta = \frac{1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \\ \theta_5 &= \lambda = \frac{-1 + i\sqrt{3}}{2}, \\ \theta_6 &= \mu = \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{3}}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

Note that we have the following identities:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu &= 1, \\ \alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta &= -1, \\ \alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta &= 1, \\ \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta &= -1 \\ \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta &= 1, \\ \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta &= -2. \end{aligned}$$

The first few generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers with positive subscript and negative subscript are given in the following Table 2.

**Table 1.** A few generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers

$n$	$V_n$	$V_{-n}$
0	$V_0$	...
1	$V_1$	$\frac{1}{2}V_5 - \frac{1}{2}V_1 - \frac{1}{2}V_2 - \frac{1}{2}V_3 - \frac{1}{2}V_4 - \frac{1}{2}V_0$
2	$V_2$	$\frac{3}{4}V_4 - \frac{1}{4}V_1 - \frac{1}{4}V_2 - \frac{1}{4}V_3 - \frac{1}{4}V_0 - \frac{1}{4}V_5$
3	$V_3$	$\frac{7}{8}V_3 - \frac{1}{8}V_1 - \frac{1}{8}V_2 - \frac{1}{8}V_0 - \frac{1}{8}V_4 - \frac{1}{8}V_5$
4	$V_4$	$\frac{15}{16}V_2 - \frac{1}{16}V_1 - \frac{1}{16}V_0 - \frac{1}{16}V_3 - \frac{1}{16}V_4 - \frac{1}{16}V_5$
5	$V_5$	$\frac{31}{32}V_1 - \frac{1}{32}V_0 - \frac{1}{32}V_2 - \frac{1}{32}V_3 - \frac{1}{32}V_4 - \frac{1}{32}V_5$
6	$2V_0 + V_1 + V_2 + V_3 + V_4 + V_5$	$\frac{63}{64}V_0 - \frac{1}{64}V_1 - \frac{1}{64}V_2 - \frac{1}{64}V_3 - \frac{1}{64}V_4 - \frac{1}{64}V_5$
7	$2V_0 + 3V_1 + 2V_2 + 2V_3 + 2V_4 + 2V_5$	$\frac{63}{128}V_5 - \frac{65}{128}V_1 - \frac{65}{128}V_2 - \frac{65}{128}V_3 - \frac{65}{128}V_4 - \frac{65}{128}V_0$
8	$4V_0 + 4V_1 + 5V_2 + 4V_3 + 4V_4 + 4V_5$	$\frac{191}{256}V_4 - \frac{65}{256}V_1 - \frac{65}{256}V_2 - \frac{65}{256}V_3 - \frac{65}{256}V_0 - \frac{65}{256}V_5$
9	$8V_0 + 8V_1 + 8V_2 + 9V_3 + 8V_4 + 8V_5$	$\frac{447}{512}V_3 - \frac{65}{512}V_1 - \frac{65}{512}V_2 - \frac{65}{512}V_0 - \frac{65}{512}V_4 - \frac{65}{512}V_5$
10	$16V_0 + 16V_1 + 16V_2 + 16V_3 + 17V_4 + 16V_5$	$\frac{959}{1024}V_2 - \frac{65}{1024}V_1 - \frac{65}{1024}V_0 - \frac{65}{1024}V_3 - \frac{65}{1024}V_4 - \frac{65}{1024}V_5$
11	$32V_0 + 32V_1 + 32V_2 + 32V_3 + 32V_4 + 33V_5$	$\frac{1983}{2048}V_1 - \frac{65}{2048}V_0 - \frac{65}{2048}V_2 - \frac{65}{2048}V_3 - \frac{65}{2048}V_4 - \frac{65}{2048}V_5$
12	$66V_0 + 65V_1 + 65V_2 + 65V_3 + 65V_4 + 65V_5$	$\frac{4031}{4096}V_0 - \frac{65}{4096}V_1 - \frac{65}{4096}V_2 - \frac{65}{4096}V_3 - \frac{65}{4096}V_4 - \frac{65}{4096}V_5$
13	$130V_0 + 131V_1 + 130V_2 + 130V_3 + 130V_4 + 130V_5$	$\frac{4031}{8192}V_5 - \frac{4161}{8192}V_1 - \frac{4161}{8192}V_2 - \frac{4161}{8192}V_3 - \frac{4161}{8192}V_4 - \frac{4161}{8192}V_0$

Now we define six special case of the sequence  $\{V_n\}$ . Sixth-order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{J_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ , sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence  $\{j_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ , modified sixth order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{K_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ , sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin sequence  $\{Q_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ , adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{S_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$  and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequence  $\{R_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$  are defined, respectively, by the sixth order recurrence relations

$$\begin{aligned} J_{n+6}^{(6)} &= J_{n+5}^{(6)} + J_{n+4}^{(6)} + J_{n+3}^{(6)} + J_{n+2}^{(6)} + J_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2J_n^{(6)}, \\ J_0^{(6)} &= 0, J_1^{(6)} = 1, J_2^{(6)} = 1, J_3^{(6)} = 1, J_4^{(6)} = 1, J_5^{(6)} = 1, \end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 j_{n+6}^{(6)} &= j_{n+5}^{(6)} + j_{n+4}^{(6)} + j_{n+3}^{(6)} + j_{n+2}^{(6)} + j_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2j_n^{(6)}, \\
 j_0^{(6)} &= 2, j_1^{(6)} = 1, j_2^{(6)} = 5, j_3^{(6)} = 10, j_4^{(6)} = 20, j_5^{(6)} = 40,
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{9}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_{n+6}^{(6)} &= K_{n+5}^{(6)} + K_{n+4}^{(6)} + K_{n+3}^{(6)} + K_{n+2}^{(6)} + K_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2K_n^{(6)}, \\
 K_0^{(6)} &= 3, K_1^{(6)} = 1, K_2^{(6)} = 3, K_3^{(6)} = 10, K_4^{(6)} = 20, K_5^{(6)} = 40,
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{10}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{n+6}^{(6)} &= Q_{n+5}^{(6)} + Q_{n+4}^{(6)} + Q_{n+3}^{(6)} + Q_{n+2}^{(6)} + Q_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2Q_n^{(6)}, \\
 Q_0^{(6)} &= 3, Q_1^{(6)} = 0, Q_2^{(6)} = 2, Q_3^{(6)} = 8, Q_4^{(6)} = 16, Q_5^{(6)} = 32,
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{11}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{n+6}^{(6)} &= S_{n+5}^{(6)} + S_{n+4}^{(6)} + S_{n+3}^{(6)} + S_{n+2}^{(6)} + S_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2S_n^{(6)}, \\
 S_0^{(6)} &= 0, S_1^{(6)} = 1, S_2^{(6)} = 1, S_3^{(6)} = 2, S_4^{(6)} = 4, S_5^{(6)} = 8,
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{12}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{n+6}^{(6)} &= R_{n+5}^{(6)} + R_{n+4}^{(6)} + R_{n+3}^{(6)} + R_{n+2}^{(6)} + R_{n+1}^{(6)} + 2R_n^{(6)}, \\
 R_0^{(6)} &= 6, R_1^{(6)} = 1, R_2^{(6)} = 3, R_3^{(6)} = 7, R_4^{(6)} = 15, R_5^{(6)} = 31.
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{13}$$

The sequences  $\{J_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ ,  $\{j_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ ,  $\{K_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ ,  $\{Q_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$ ,  $\{S_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$  and  $\{R_n^{(6)}\}_{n \geq 0}$  can be extended to negative subscripts by defining

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}J_{-(n-6)}^{(6)} \\
 j_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}j_{-(n-6)}^{(6)} \\
 K_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}K_{-(n-6)}^{(6)} \\
 Q_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}Q_{-(n-6)}^{(6)} \\
 S_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}S_{-(n-6)}^{(6)} \\
 R_{-n}^{(6)} &= -\frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-1)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-2)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-3)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-4)}^{(6)} - \frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-5)}^{(6)} + \frac{1}{2}R_{-(n-6)}^{(6)}
 \end{aligned}$$

for  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$  respectively. Therefore, recurrences (8)- (13) hold for all integer  $n$ .

Next, we present the first few values of the sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers with positive and negative subscripts:

**Table 2.** The first few values of the special sixth order numbers with positive and negative subscripts.

$n$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
$J_n^{(6)}$	0	1	1	1	1	1	5	11	21	41	81	161	325	651
$J_{-n}^{(6)}$		$-\frac{3}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$\frac{11}{16}$	$\frac{27}{32}$	$-\frac{5}{64}$	$-\frac{197}{128}$	$-\frac{69}{256}$	$\frac{187}{512}$	$\frac{699}{1024}$	$\frac{1723}{2048}$	$-\frac{325}{4096}$	$-\frac{12613}{8192}$
$j_n^{(6)}$	2	1	5	10	20	40	80	157	317	634	1268	2536	5072	10141
$j_{-n}^{(6)}$		1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$-\frac{23}{16}$	$\frac{25}{32}$	$\frac{25}{64}$	$\frac{25}{128}$	$\frac{25}{256}$	$\frac{25}{512}$	$-\frac{1511}{1024}$	$\frac{1561}{2048}$	$\frac{1561}{4096}$
$K_n^{(6)}$	3	1	3	10	20	40	80	155	311	626	1252	2504	5008	10011
$K_{-n}^{(6)}$		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$-\frac{29}{16}$	$-\frac{45}{32}$	$\frac{115}{64}$	$\frac{115}{128}$	$\frac{115}{256}$	$\frac{115}{512}$	$-\frac{1933}{1024}$	$-\frac{2957}{2048}$	$\frac{7283}{4096}$	$\frac{7283}{8192}$
$Q_n^{(6)}$	3	0	2	8	16	32	64	122	246	496	992	1984	3968	7930
$Q_{-n}^{(6)}$		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{3}{8}$	$-\frac{29}{16}$	$-\frac{61}{32}$	$\frac{131}{64}$	$\frac{131}{128}$	$\frac{131}{256}$	$\frac{131}{512}$	$-\frac{1917}{1024}$	$-\frac{3965}{2048}$	$\frac{8323}{4096}$	$\frac{8323}{8192}$
$S_n^{(6)}$	0	1	1	2	4	8	16	33	65	130	260	520	1040	2081
$S_{-n}^{(6)}$		0	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{4}$	$-\frac{1}{8}$	$-\frac{1}{16}$	$-\frac{1}{32}$	$-\frac{1}{64}$	$\frac{63}{128}$	$-\frac{65}{256}$	$-\frac{65}{512}$
$R_n^{(6)}$	6	1	3	7	15	31	69	127	255	511	1023	2047	4101	8191
$R_{-n}^{(6)}$		$-\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{3}{4}$	$-\frac{7}{8}$	$-\frac{15}{16}$	$-\frac{31}{32}$	$\frac{321}{64}$	$-\frac{127}{128}$	$-\frac{255}{256}$	$-\frac{511}{512}$	$-\frac{1023}{1024}$	$-\frac{2047}{2048}$	$\frac{20481}{4096}$	$-\frac{8191}{8192}$

In the rest of the paper, for easy writing, we drop the superscripts and write  $J_n, j_n, K_n, Q_n, S_n$  and  $R_n$  for  $J_n^{(6)}, j_n^{(6)}, K_n^{(6)}, Q_n^{(6)}, S_n^{(6)}$  and  $R_n^{(6)}$ , respectively.

Next, we give the ordinary generating function  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n x^n$  of the sequence  $V_n$ .

**Lemma 1.2.**

Suppose that  $f_{V_n}(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n x^n$  is the ordinary generating function of the generalized sixth order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{V_n\}_{n \geq 0}$ . Then,  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n x^n$  is given by

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} V_n x^n = \frac{\Lambda}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6} \tag{14}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda &= V_0 + (V_1 - V_0)x + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)x^2 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)x^3 \\ &\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)x^4 + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)x^5 \\ &= V_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{6-1} x^i \left( V_i - \sum_{j=1}^i V_{i-j} \right). \end{aligned}$$

**Proof.** Take  $r = s = t = u = v = 1, y = 2$  in Lemma 1.1.  $\square$

The previous Lemma gives the following results as particular examples.

**Corollary 1.1.**

Generated functions of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} J_n x^n &= \frac{x - x^3 - 2x^4 - 3x^5}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} j_n x^n &= \frac{2 - x + 2x^2 + 2x^3 + 2x^4 + 2x^5}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} K_n x^n &= \frac{3 - 2x - x^2 + 3x^3 + 3x^4 + 3x^5}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Q_n x^n &= \frac{3 - 3x - x^2 + 3x^3 + 3x^4 + 3x^5}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} S_n x^n &= \frac{x}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \\ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} R_n x^n &= \frac{6 - 5x - 4x^2 - 3x^3 - 2x^4 - x^5}{1 - x - x^2 - x^3 - x^4 - x^5 - 2x^6}, \end{aligned}$$

respectively.

We next give Binet formula of generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers  $\{V_n\}$  by the use of Theorems 1.1 and 1.2.

**Theorem 1.3.**

(Binet formula of generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers)

$$\begin{aligned} V_n &= \frac{c_1 \alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{c_2 \beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)} \\ &\quad + \frac{c_3 \gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{c_4 \delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)} \\ &\quad + \frac{c_5 \lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{c_6 \mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 &= V_5 - (\beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu)V_4 + (\beta\lambda + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)V_3 \\ &\quad - (\beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)V_2 \\ &\quad + (\beta\lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta)V_1 - \beta\lambda\gamma\mu\delta V_0 \\ &= V_0 \alpha^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\alpha^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\alpha^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\alpha^2 \\ &\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\alpha + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0), \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_2 &= V_5 - (\alpha + \gamma + \delta + \lambda + \mu)V_4 + (\alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \alpha\delta + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \lambda\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)V_3 \\
&\quad - (\alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\lambda\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\delta + \lambda\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)V_2 \\
&\quad + (\alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \lambda\gamma\mu\delta)V_1 - \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu\delta V_0 \\
&= V_0\beta^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\beta^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\beta^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\beta^2 \\
&\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\beta + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_3 &= V_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \delta + \lambda + \mu)V_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\mu + \lambda\mu + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \mu\delta)V_3 \\
&\quad - (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \lambda\mu\delta)V_2 \\
&\quad + (\alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\lambda\mu\delta + \beta\lambda\mu\delta)V_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\mu\delta V_0 \\
&= V_0\gamma^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\gamma^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\gamma^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\gamma^2 \\
&\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\gamma + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_4 &= V_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \lambda + \mu)V_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \beta\lambda + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \lambda\gamma + \lambda\mu + \gamma\mu)V_3 \\
&\quad - (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\lambda\mu + \alpha\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma + \beta\lambda\mu + \beta\gamma\mu + \lambda\gamma\mu)V_2 \\
&\quad + (\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\lambda\gamma\mu + \beta\lambda\gamma\mu)V_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\mu V_0 \\
&= V_0\delta^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\delta^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\delta^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\delta^2 \\
&\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\delta + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_5 &= V_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \mu)V_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \alpha\mu + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \beta\mu + \beta\delta + \gamma\mu + \gamma\delta + \mu\delta)V_3 \\
&\quad - (\alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\beta\mu + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu + \alpha\gamma\delta + \alpha\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu + \beta\gamma\delta + \beta\mu\delta + \gamma\mu\delta)V_2 \\
&\quad + (\alpha\beta\gamma\mu + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\beta\mu\delta + \alpha\gamma\mu\delta + \beta\gamma\mu\delta)V_1 - \alpha\beta\gamma\mu\delta V_0 \\
&= V_0\lambda^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\lambda^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\lambda^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\lambda^2 \\
&\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\lambda + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_6 &= V_5 - (\alpha + \beta + \gamma + \delta + \lambda)V_4 + (\alpha\beta + \alpha\lambda + \alpha\gamma + \beta\lambda + \alpha\delta + \beta\gamma + \lambda\gamma + \beta\delta + \lambda\delta + \gamma\delta)V_3 \\
&\quad - (\alpha\beta\lambda + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\delta + \alpha\lambda\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\delta + \beta\gamma\delta + \lambda\gamma\delta)V_2 \\
&\quad + (\alpha\beta\lambda\gamma + \alpha\beta\lambda\delta + \alpha\beta\gamma\delta + \alpha\lambda\gamma\delta + \beta\lambda\gamma\delta)V_1 - \alpha\beta\lambda\gamma\delta V_0 \\
&= V_0\mu^5 + (V_1 - V_0)\mu^4 + (V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\mu^3 + (V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\mu^2 \\
&\quad + (V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0)\mu + (V_5 - V_4 - V_3 - V_2 - V_1 - V_0).
\end{aligned}$$

Next, using Theorem 1.3, we present the Binet formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences.

### Corollary 1.2.

Binet formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences are

$$\begin{aligned}
J_n &= \frac{(\alpha^4 - \alpha^2 - 2\alpha - 3)\alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{(\beta^4 - \beta^2 - 2\beta - 3)\beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)} \\
&\quad + \frac{(\gamma^4 - \gamma^2 - 2\gamma - 3)\gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{(\delta^4 - \delta^2 - 2\delta - 3)\delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)} \\
&\quad + \frac{(\lambda^4 - \lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3)\lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{(\mu^4 - \mu^2 - 2\mu - 3)\mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)},
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
j_n &= \frac{(2\alpha^5 - \alpha^4 + 2\alpha^3 + 2\alpha^2 + 2\alpha + 2)\alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{(2\beta^5 - \beta^4 + 2\beta^3 + 2\beta^2 + 2\beta + 2)\beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)} \\
&\quad + \frac{(2\gamma^5 - \gamma^4 + 2\gamma^3 + 2\gamma^2 + 2\gamma + 2)\gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{(2\delta^5 - \delta^4 + 2\delta^3 + 2\delta^2 + 2\delta + 2)\delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)} \\
&\quad + \frac{(2\lambda^5 - \lambda^4 + 2\lambda^3 + 2\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 2)\lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{(2\mu^5 - \mu^4 + 2\mu^3 + 2\mu^2 + 2\mu + 2)\mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)},
\end{aligned}$$

$$K_n = \frac{(3\alpha^5 - 2\alpha^4 - \alpha^3 + 3\alpha^2 + 3\alpha + 3)\alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{(3\beta^5 - 2\beta^4 - \beta^3 + 3\beta^2 + 3\beta + 3)\beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{(3\gamma^5 - 2\gamma^4 - \gamma^3 + 3\gamma^2 + 3\gamma + 3)\gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{(3\delta^5 - 2\delta^4 - \delta^3 + 3\delta^2 + 3\delta + 3)\delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{(3\lambda^5 - 2\lambda^4 - \lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 3)\lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{(3\mu^5 - 2\mu^4 - \mu^3 + 3\mu^2 + 3\mu + 3)\mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)},$$

$$Q_n = \frac{(3\alpha^5 - 3\alpha^4 - \alpha^3 + 3\alpha^2 + 3\alpha + 3)\alpha^n}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{(3\beta^5 - 3\beta^4 - \beta^3 + 3\beta^2 + 3\beta + 3)\beta^n}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{(3\gamma^5 - 3\gamma^4 - \gamma^3 + 3\gamma^2 + 3\gamma + 3)\gamma^n}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{(3\delta^5 - 3\delta^4 - \delta^3 + 3\delta^2 + 3\delta + 3)\delta^n}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{(3\lambda^5 - 3\lambda^4 - \lambda^3 + 3\lambda^2 + 3\lambda + 3)\lambda^n}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{(3\mu^5 - 3\mu^4 - \mu^3 + 3\mu^2 + 3\mu + 3)\mu^n}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)},$$

$$S_n = \frac{\alpha^{n+4}}{(\alpha - \beta)(\alpha - \gamma)(\alpha - \delta)(\alpha - \lambda)(\alpha - \mu)} + \frac{\beta^{n+4}}{(\beta - \alpha)(\beta - \gamma)(\beta - \delta)(\beta - \lambda)(\beta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{\gamma^{n+4}}{(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta)(\gamma - \delta)(\gamma - \lambda)(\gamma - \mu)} + \frac{\delta^{n+4}}{(\delta - \alpha)(\delta - \beta)(\delta - \gamma)(\delta - \lambda)(\delta - \mu)}$$

$$+ \frac{\lambda^{n+4}}{(\lambda - \alpha)(\lambda - \beta)(\lambda - \gamma)(\lambda - \delta)(\lambda - \mu)} + \frac{\mu^{n+4}}{(\mu - \alpha)(\mu - \beta)(\mu - \gamma)(\mu - \delta)(\mu - \lambda)},$$

$$R_n = \alpha^n + \beta^n + \gamma^n + \delta^n + \lambda^n + \mu^n,$$

respectively.

Binet formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas sequences can be given in the following forms:

$$J_n = \frac{5}{63}\alpha^n + \frac{1}{9}\beta^n + (-\frac{5}{18}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{6})\gamma^n + (\frac{5}{18}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{6})\delta^n + (\frac{1}{14} - \frac{5}{42}i\sqrt{3})\lambda^n + (\frac{5}{42}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{14})\mu^n,$$

$$j_n = \frac{26}{21}\alpha^n + \frac{1}{3}\beta^n + \frac{1}{6}i\sqrt{3}\gamma^n - \frac{1}{6}i\sqrt{3}\delta^n + (\frac{1}{7}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{3}{14})\lambda^n + (\frac{3}{14} - \frac{1}{7}i\sqrt{3})\mu^n,$$

$$K_n = \frac{11}{9}\alpha^n + \frac{1}{9}\beta^n + (\frac{7}{18}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{3})\gamma^n + (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{7}{18}i\sqrt{3})\delta^n + \frac{1}{2}\lambda^n + \frac{1}{2}\mu^n,$$

$$Q_n = \frac{61}{63}\alpha^n + \frac{2}{9}\beta^n + (\frac{4}{9}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{3})\gamma^n + (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{4}{9}i\sqrt{3})\delta^n + (\frac{1}{21}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{4}{7})\lambda^n + (\frac{4}{7} - \frac{1}{21}i\sqrt{3})\mu^n,$$

$$S_n = \frac{1}{63}\alpha^{n+4} - \frac{1}{9}\beta^{n+4} + (\frac{1}{36}i\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{12})\gamma^{n+4} + (\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{36}i\sqrt{3})\delta^{n+4}$$

$$+ (\frac{5}{84}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{28})\lambda^{n+4} + (-\frac{5}{84}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{28})\mu^{n+4}$$

$$= \frac{16}{63}\alpha^n - \frac{1}{9}\beta^n - \frac{1}{18}i\sqrt{3}\gamma^n + \frac{1}{18}i\sqrt{3}\delta^n + (-\frac{1}{21}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{14})\lambda^n + (\frac{1}{21}i\sqrt{3} - \frac{1}{14})\mu^n,$$

$$R_n = \alpha^n + \beta^n + \gamma^n + \delta^n + \lambda^n + \mu^n.$$

## 2. Simson Formulas

There is a well-known Simson Identity (formula) for Fibonacci sequence  $\{F_n\}$ , namely,

$$F_{n+1}F_{n-1} - F_n^2 = (-1)^n$$

which was derived first by R. Simson in 1753 and it is now called as Cassini Identity (formula) as well. This can be written in the form

$$\begin{vmatrix} F_{n+1} & F_n \\ F_n & F_{n-1} \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^n.$$

The following Theorem gives generalization of this result to the generalized Hexanacci sequence  $\{W_n\}$ .



**Theorem 2.1 (Simson Formula of Generalized Hexanacci Numbers).**

For all integers  $n$  we have

$$\begin{vmatrix} W_{n+5} & W_{n+4} & W_{n+3} & W_{n+2} & W_{n+1} & W_n \\ W_{n+4} & W_{n+3} & W_{n+2} & W_{n+1} & W_n & W_{n-1} \\ W_{n+3} & W_{n+2} & W_{n+1} & W_n & W_{n-1} & W_{n-2} \\ W_{n+2} & W_{n+1} & W_n & W_{n-1} & W_{n-2} & W_{n-3} \\ W_{n+1} & W_n & W_{n-1} & W_{n-2} & W_{n-3} & W_{n-4} \\ W_n & W_{n-1} & W_{n-2} & W_{n-3} & W_{n-4} & W_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^n y^6 \begin{vmatrix} W_5 & W_4 & W_3 & W_2 & W_1 & W_0 \\ W_4 & W_3 & W_2 & W_1 & W_0 & W_{-1} \\ W_3 & W_2 & W_1 & W_0 & W_{-1} & W_{-2} \\ W_2 & W_1 & W_0 & W_{-1} & W_{-2} & W_{-3} \\ W_1 & W_0 & W_{-1} & W_{-2} & W_{-3} & W_{-4} \\ W_0 & W_{-1} & W_{-2} & W_{-3} & W_{-4} & W_{-5} \end{vmatrix}. \quad (15)$$

*Proof.* (15) is given in Soykan [26].  $\square$

A special case of the above theorem is the following Theorem which gives Simson formula of the generalized sixth order Jacobsthal sequence  $\{V_n\}$ .

**Theorem 2.2 (Simson Formula of Generalized Sixth-Order Jacobsthal Numbers).**

For all integers  $n$  we have

$$\begin{vmatrix} V_{n+5} & V_{n+4} & V_{n+3} & V_{n+2} & V_{n+1} & V_n \\ V_{n+4} & V_{n+3} & V_{n+2} & V_{n+1} & V_n & V_{n-1} \\ V_{n+3} & V_{n+2} & V_{n+1} & V_n & V_{n-1} & V_{n-2} \\ V_{n+2} & V_{n+1} & V_n & V_{n-1} & V_{n-2} & V_{n-3} \\ V_{n+1} & V_n & V_{n-1} & V_{n-2} & V_{n-3} & V_{n-4} \\ V_n & V_{n-1} & V_{n-2} & V_{n-3} & V_{n-4} & V_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^n \times 2^n \begin{vmatrix} V_5 & V_4 & V_3 & V_2 & V_1 & V_0 \\ V_4 & V_3 & V_2 & V_1 & V_0 & V_{-1} \\ V_3 & V_2 & V_1 & V_0 & V_{-1} & V_{-2} \\ V_2 & V_1 & V_0 & V_{-1} & V_{-2} & V_{-3} \\ V_1 & V_0 & V_{-1} & V_{-2} & V_{-3} & V_{-4} \\ V_0 & V_{-1} & V_{-2} & V_{-3} & V_{-4} & V_{-5} \end{vmatrix}.$$

The previous Theorem gives the following results as particular examples.

**Corollary 2.1.**

Simson's formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are given as

$$\begin{vmatrix} J_{n+5} & J_{n+4} & J_{n+3} & J_{n+2} & J_{n+1} & J_n \\ J_{n+4} & J_{n+3} & J_{n+2} & J_{n+1} & J_n & J_{n-1} \\ J_{n+3} & J_{n+2} & J_{n+1} & J_n & J_{n-1} & J_{n-2} \\ J_{n+2} & J_{n+1} & J_n & J_{n-1} & J_{n-2} & J_{n-3} \\ J_{n+1} & J_n & J_{n-1} & J_{n-2} & J_{n-3} & J_{n-4} \\ J_n & J_{n-1} & J_{n-2} & J_{n-3} & J_{n-4} & J_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = 35(-1)^{n+1} \times 2^{n-1},$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} j_{n+5} & j_{n+4} & j_{n+3} & j_{n+2} & j_{n+1} & j_n \\ j_{n+4} & j_{n+3} & j_{n+2} & j_{n+1} & j_n & j_{n-1} \\ j_{n+3} & j_{n+2} & j_{n+1} & j_n & j_{n-1} & j_{n-2} \\ j_{n+2} & j_{n+1} & j_n & j_{n-1} & j_{n-2} & j_{n-3} \\ j_{n+1} & j_n & j_{n-1} & j_{n-2} & j_{n-3} & j_{n-4} \\ j_n & j_{n-1} & j_{n-2} & j_{n-3} & j_{n-4} & j_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = 9477(-1)^{n+1} \times 2^{n-4},$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} K_{n+5} & K_{n+4} & K_{n+3} & K_{n+2} & K_{n+1} & K_n \\ K_{n+4} & K_{n+3} & K_{n+2} & K_{n+1} & K_n & K_{n-1} \\ K_{n+3} & K_{n+2} & K_{n+1} & K_n & K_{n-1} & K_{n-2} \\ K_{n+2} & K_{n+1} & K_n & K_{n-1} & K_{n-2} & K_{n-3} \\ K_{n+1} & K_n & K_{n-1} & K_{n-2} & K_{n-3} & K_{n-4} \\ K_n & K_{n-1} & K_{n-2} & K_{n-3} & K_{n-4} & K_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = 98637(-1)^{n+1} \times 2^{n-5},$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} Q_{n+5} & Q_{n+4} & Q_{n+3} & Q_{n+2} & Q_{n+1} & Q_n \\ Q_{n+4} & Q_{n+3} & Q_{n+2} & Q_{n+1} & Q_n & Q_{n-1} \\ Q_{n+3} & Q_{n+2} & Q_{n+1} & Q_n & Q_{n-1} & Q_{n-2} \\ Q_{n+2} & Q_{n+1} & Q_n & Q_{n-1} & Q_{n-2} & Q_{n-3} \\ Q_{n+1} & Q_n & Q_{n-1} & Q_{n-2} & Q_{n-3} & Q_{n-4} \\ Q_n & Q_{n-1} & Q_{n-2} & Q_{n-3} & Q_{n-4} & Q_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = 8113(-1)^{n+1} \times 2^n,$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} S_{n+5} & S_{n+4} & S_{n+3} & S_{n+2} & S_{n+1} & S_n \\ S_{n+4} & S_{n+3} & S_{n+2} & S_{n+1} & S_n & S_{n-1} \\ S_{n+3} & S_{n+2} & S_{n+1} & S_n & S_{n-1} & S_{n-2} \\ S_{n+2} & S_{n+1} & S_n & S_{n-1} & S_{n-2} & S_{n-3} \\ S_{n+1} & S_n & S_{n-1} & S_{n-2} & S_{n-3} & S_{n-4} \\ S_n & S_{n-1} & S_{n-2} & S_{n-3} & S_{n-4} & S_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^n \times 2^{n-1},$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} R_{n+5} & R_{n+4} & R_{n+3} & R_{n+2} & R_{n+1} & R_n \\ R_{n+4} & R_{n+3} & R_{n+2} & R_{n+1} & R_n & R_{n-1} \\ R_{n+3} & R_{n+2} & R_{n+1} & R_n & R_{n-1} & R_{n-2} \\ R_{n+2} & R_{n+1} & R_n & R_{n-1} & R_{n-2} & R_{n-3} \\ R_{n+1} & R_n & R_{n-1} & R_{n-2} & R_{n-3} & R_{n-4} \\ R_n & R_{n-1} & R_{n-2} & R_{n-3} & R_{n-4} & R_{n-5} \end{vmatrix} = 321489(-1)^{n+1} \times 2^{n-1}.$$

### 3. Some Identities

In this section, we obtain some identities of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas and modified sixth order Jacobsthal numbers. First, we can give a few basic relations between  $\{J_n\}$  and  $\{j_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.1.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned} 234J_n &= -53j_{n+5} + 25j_{n+4} + 103j_{n+3} + 181j_{n+2} - 53j_{n+1} - 131j_n, \\ 117J_n &= -14j_{n+4} + 25j_{n+3} + 64j_{n+2} - 53j_{n+1} - 92j_n - 53j_{n-1}, \\ 117J_n &= 11j_{n+3} + 50j_{n+2} - 67j_{n+1} - 106j_n - 67j_{n-1} - 28j_{n-2}, \\ 117J_n &= 61j_{n+2} - 56j_{n+1} - 95j_n - 56j_{n-1} - 17j_{n-2} + 22j_{n-3}, \\ 117J_n &= 5j_{n+1} - 34j_n + 5j_{n-1} + 44j_{n-2} + 83j_{n-3} + 122j_{n-4}, \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} 70j_n &= -26J_{n+5} + 109J_{n+4} - 11J_{n+3} + 49J_{n+2} + 19J_{n+1} + 34J_n, \\ 70j_n &= 83J_{n+4} - 37J_{n+3} + 23J_{n+2} - 7J_{n+1} + 8J_n - 52J_{n-1}, \\ 70j_n &= 46J_{n+3} + 106J_{n+2} + 76J_{n+1} + 91J_n + 31J_{n-1} + 166J_{n-2}, \\ 70j_n &= 152J_{n+2} + 122J_{n+1} + 137J_n + 77J_{n-1} + 212J_{n-2} + 92J_{n-3}, \\ 70j_n &= 274J_{n+1} + 289J_n + 229J_{n-1} + 364J_{n-2} + 244J_{n-3} + 304J_{n-4}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Note that all the identities hold for all integers  $n$ . We prove (16). To show (16), writing

$$J_n = a \times j_{n+5} + b \times j_{n+4} + c \times j_{n+3} + d \times j_{n+2} + e \times j_{n+1} + f \times j_n$$

and solving the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} J_0 &= a \times j_5 + b \times j_4 + c \times j_3 + d \times j_2 + e \times j_1 + f \times j_0 \\ J_1 &= a \times j_6 + b \times j_5 + c \times j_4 + d \times j_3 + e \times j_2 + f \times j_1 \\ J_2 &= a \times j_7 + b \times j_6 + c \times j_5 + d \times j_4 + e \times j_3 + f \times j_2 \\ J_3 &= a \times j_8 + b \times j_7 + c \times j_6 + d \times j_5 + e \times j_4 + f \times j_3 \\ J_4 &= a \times j_9 + b \times j_8 + c \times j_7 + d \times j_6 + e \times j_5 + f \times j_4 \\ J_5 &= a \times j_{10} + b \times j_9 + c \times j_8 + d \times j_7 + e \times j_6 + f \times j_5 \end{aligned}$$

we find that  $a = -\frac{53}{234}, b = \frac{25}{234}, c = \frac{103}{234}, d = \frac{181}{234}, e = -\frac{53}{234}, f = -\frac{131}{234}$ . The other equalities can be proved similarly.  $\square$

Note that all the identities in the above Lemma can be proved by induction as well.

Secondly, we present a few basic relations between  $\{J_n\}$  and  $\{S_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.2.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned} 16J_n &= 11S_{n+5} - 5S_{n+4} - 21S_{n+3} - 37S_{n+2} + 11S_{n+1} + 27S_n, \\ 8J_n &= 3S_{n+4} - 5S_{n+3} - 13S_{n+2} + 11S_{n+1} + 19S_n + 11S_{n-1}, \\ 4J_n &= -S_{n+3} - 5S_{n+2} + 7S_{n+1} + 11S_n + 7S_{n-1} + 3S_{n-2}, \\ 2J_n &= -3S_{n+2} + 3S_{n+1} + 5S_n + 3S_{n-1} + S_{n-2} - S_{n-3}, \\ J_n &= S_n - S_{n-2} - 2S_{n-3} - 3S_{n-4}, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
70S_n &= 18J_{n+5} - 27J_{n+4} + 13J_{n+3} - 7J_{n+2} + 3J_{n+1} - 2J_n, \\
70S_n &= -9J_{n+4} + 31J_{n+3} + 11J_{n+2} + 21J_{n+1} + 16J_n + 36J_{n-1}, \\
70S_n &= 22J_{n+3} + 2J_{n+2} + 12J_{n+1} + 7J_n + 27J_{n-1} - 18J_{n-2}, \\
70S_n &= 24J_{n+2} + 34J_{n+1} + 29J_n + 49J_{n-1} + 4J_{n-2} + 44J_{n-3}, \\
70S_n &= 58J_{n+1} + 53J_n + 73J_{n-1} + 28J_{n-2} + 68J_{n-3} + 48J_{n-4}.
\end{aligned}$$

Thirdly, we give a few basic relations between  $\{J_n\}$  and  $\{R_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.3.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned}
3969J_n &= 178R_{n+5} + 73R_{n+4} - 137R_{n+3} - 557R_{n+2} - 1397R_{n+1} - 431R_n, \\
3969J_n &= 251R_{n+4} + 41R_{n+3} - 379R_{n+2} - 1219R_{n+1} - 253R_n + 356R_{n-1}, \\
3969J_n &= 292R_{n+3} - 128R_{n+2} - 968R_{n+1} - 2R_n + 607R_{n-1} + 502R_{n-2}, \\
3969J_n &= 164R_{n+2} - 676R_{n+1} + 290R_n + 899R_{n-1} + 794R_{n-2} + 584R_{n-3}, \\
3969J_n &= -512R_{n+1} + 454R_n + 1063R_{n-1} + 958R_{n-2} + 748R_{n-3} + 328R_{n-4},
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
35R_n &= -73J_{n+5} + 127J_{n+4} + 27J_{n+3} + 77J_{n+2} + 52J_{n+1} + 117J_n, \\
35R_n &= 54J_{n+4} - 46J_{n+3} + 4J_{n+2} - 21J_{n+1} + 44J_n - 146J_{n-1}, \\
35R_n &= 8J_{n+3} + 58J_{n+2} + 33J_{n+1} + 98J_n - 92J_{n-1} + 108J_{n-2}, \\
35R_n &= 66J_{n+2} + 41J_{n+1} + 106J_n - 84J_{n-1} + 116J_{n-2} + 16J_{n-3}, \\
35R_n &= 107J_{n+1} + 172J_n - 18J_{n-1} + 182J_{n-2} + 82J_{n-3} + 132J_{n-4}.
\end{aligned}$$

Next, we present a few basic relations between  $\{j_n\}$  and  $\{S_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.4.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned}
8j_n &= S_{n+5} + S_{n+4} + S_{n+3} + S_{n+2} + S_{n+1} - 23S_n, \\
4j_n &= S_{n+4} + S_{n+3} + S_{n+2} + S_{n+1} - 11S_n + S_{n-1}, \\
2j_n &= S_{n+3} + S_{n+2} + S_{n+1} - 5S_n + S_{n-1} + S_{n-2}, \\
j_n &= S_{n+2} + S_{n+1} - 2S_n + S_{n-1} + S_{n-2} + S_{n-3}, \\
j_n &= 2S_{n+1} - S_n + 2S_{n-1} + 2S_{n-2} + 2S_{n-3} + 2S_{n-4},
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
117S_n &= j_{n+5} + j_{n+4} + j_{n+3} + j_{n+2} + j_{n+1} - 38j_n, \\
117S_n &= 2j_{n+4} + 2j_{n+3} + 2j_{n+2} + 2j_{n+1} - 37j_n + 2j_{n-1}, \\
117S_n &= 4j_{n+3} + 4j_{n+2} + 4j_{n+1} - 35j_n + 4j_{n-1} + 4j_{n-2}, \\
117S_n &= 8j_{n+2} + 8j_{n+1} - 31j_n + 8j_{n-1} + 8j_{n-2} + 8j_{n-3}, \\
117S_n &= 16j_{n+1} - 23j_n + 16j_{n-1} + 16j_{n-2} + 16j_{n-3} + 16j_{n-4}.
\end{aligned}$$

Now, we give a few basic relations between  $\{j_n\}$  and  $\{R_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.5.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned}
2646j_n &= -295R_{n+5} + 377R_{n+4} + 398R_{n+3} + 440R_{n+2} + 524R_{n+1} + 692R_n \\
2646j_n &= 82R_{n+4} + 103R_{n+3} + 145R_{n+2} + 229R_{n+1} + 397R_n - 590R_{n-1} \\
2646j_n &= 185R_{n+3} + 227R_{n+2} + 311R_{n+1} + 479R_n - 508R_{n-1} + 164R_{n-2} \\
2646j_n &= 412R_{n+2} + 496R_{n+1} + 664R_n - 323R_{n-1} + 349R_{n-2} + 370R_{n-3} \\
2646j_n &= 908R_{n+1} + 1076R_n + 89R_{n-1} + 761R_{n-2} + 782R_{n-3} + 824R_{n-4}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 78R_n &= 27j_{n+5} + j_{n+4} - 25j_{n+3} - 51j_{n+2} - 233j_{n+1} + 53j_n, \\
 39R_n &= 14j_{n+4} + j_{n+3} - 12j_{n+2} - 103j_{n+1} + 40j_n + 27j_{n-1}, \\
 39R_n &= 15j_{n+3} + 2j_{n+2} - 89j_{n+1} + 54j_n + 41j_{n-1} + 28j_{n-2}, \\
 39R_n &= 17j_{n+2} - 74j_{n+1} + 69j_n + 56j_{n-1} + 43j_{n-2} + 30 \times j_{n-3}, \\
 39R_n &= -57j_{n+1} + 86j_n + 73j_{n-1} + 60j_{n-2} + 47j_{n-3} + 34j_{n-4}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Next, we present a few basic relations between  $\{S_n\}$  and  $\{R_n\}$ .

**Lemma 3.6.**

The following equalities are true:

$$\begin{aligned}
 7938S_n &= 379R_{n+5} - 293R_{n+4} - 314R_{n+3} - 356R_{n+2} - 440R_{n+1} - 608R_n, \\
 7938S_n &= 86R_{n+4} + 65R_{n+3} + 23R_{n+2} - 61R_{n+1} - 229R_n + 758R_{n-1}, \\
 7938S_n &= 151R_{n+3} + 109R_{n+2} + 25R_{n+1} - 143R_n + 844R_{n-1} + 172R_{n-2}, \\
 7938S_n &= 260R_{n+2} + 176R_{n+1} + 8R_n + 995R_{n-1} + 323R_{n-2} + 302R_{n-3}, \\
 7938S_n &= 436R_{n+1} + 268R_n + 1255R_{n-1} + 583R_{n-2} + 562R_{n-3} + 520R_{n-4},
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 16R_n &= -15S_{n+5} + S_{n+4} + 17S_{n+3} + 33S_{n+2} + 145S_{n+1} - 31S_n, \\
 8R_n &= -7S_{n+4} + S_{n+3} + 9S_{n+2} + 65S_{n+1} - 23S_n - 15S_{n-1}, \\
 4R_n &= -3S_{n+3} + S_{n+2} + 29S_{n+1} - 15S_n - 11S_{n-1} - 7S_{n-2}, \\
 2R_n &= -S_{n+2} + 13S_{n+1} - 9S_n - 7S_{n-1} - 5S_{n-2} - 3S_{n-3}, \\
 R_n &= 6S_{n+1} - 5S_n - 4S_{n-1} - 3S_{n-2} - 2S_{n-3} - S_{n-4}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Note that we also can give some other identities which related to  $\{K_n\}$  and  $\{Q_n\}$ . For example, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 16K_n &= -29S_{n+5} + 35S_{n+4} + 35S_{n+3} + 35S_{n+2} + 35S_{n+1} - 45S_n, \\
 16Q_n &= -29S_{n+5} + 35S_{n+4} + 35S_{n+3} + 35S_{n+2} + 35S_{n+1} - 61S_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

**4. Linear Sums**

**4.1. Sums of Terms with Positive Subscripts:**

The following proposition presents some formulas of generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers with positive subscripts.

**Proposition 4.1.**

For  $n \geq 0$  we have the following formula:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n V_k = \frac{1}{6}(V_{n+6} - V_{n+4} - 2V_{n+3} - 3V_{n+2} - 4V_{n+1} - V_5 + V_3 + 2V_2 + 3V_1 + 4V_0)$$

Proof. Take  $r = 1, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1, v = 1, y = 2$ , in Theorem 2.1 in [27]. □

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, respectively.

**Corollary 4.1.**

For  $n \geq 0$ , we have the following formulas:

- (a)  $\sum_{k=0}^n J_k = \frac{1}{6}(J_{n+6} - J_{n+4} - 2J_{n+3} - 3J_{n+2} - 4J_{n+1} + 5)$ .
- (b)  $\sum_{k=0}^n j_k = \frac{1}{6}(j_{n+6} - j_{n+4} - 2j_{n+3} - 3j_{n+2} - 4j_{n+1} - 9)$ .

- (c)  $\sum_{k=0}^n K_k = \frac{1}{6}(K_{n+6} - K_{n+4} - 2K_{n+3} - 3K_{n+2} - 4K_{n+1} - 9)$ .
- (d)  $\sum_{k=0}^n Q_k = \frac{1}{6}(Q_{n+6} - Q_{n+4} - 2Q_{n+3} - 3Q_{n+2} - 4Q_{n+1} - 8)$ .
- (e)  $\sum_{k=0}^n S_k = \frac{1}{6}(S_{n+6} - S_{n+4} - 2S_{n+3} - 3S_{n+2} - 4S_{n+1} - 1)$ .
- (f)  $\sum_{k=0}^n R_k = \frac{1}{6}(R_{n+6} - R_{n+4} - 2R_{n+3} - 3R_{n+2} - 4R_{n+1} + 9)$ .

## 4.2. Sums of Terms with Negative Subscripts

The following proposition presents some formulas of generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers with negative subscripts.

### Proposition 4.2.

For  $n \geq 1$  we have the following formula:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n V_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-V_{-n+5} + V_{-n+3} + 2V_{-n+2} + 3V_{-n+1} + 4V_{-n} + V_5 - V_3 - 2V_2 - 3V_1 - 4V_0).$$

Proof. Take  $r = 1, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1, v = 1, y = 2$ , in Theorem 3.1 in [27].  $\square$

From the last proposition, we have the following corollary which gives sum formulas of sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, modified sixth order Jacobsthal, sixth order Jacobsthal Perrin, adjusted sixth order Jacobsthal and modified sixth order Jacobsthal-Lucas, respectively.

### Corollary 4.2.

For  $n \geq 1$ , we have the following formulas:

- (a)  $\sum_{k=1}^n J_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-J_{-n+5} + J_{-n+3} + 2J_{-n+2} + 3J_{-n+1} + 4J_{-n} - 5)$ .
- (b)  $\sum_{k=1}^n j_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-j_{-n+5} + j_{-n+3} + 2j_{-n+2} + 3j_{-n+1} + 4j_{-n} + 9)$ .
- (c)  $\sum_{k=1}^n K_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-K_{-n+5} + K_{-n+3} + 2K_{-n+2} + 3K_{-n+1} + 4K_{-n} + 9)$ .
- (d)  $\sum_{k=1}^n Q_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-Q_{-n+5} + Q_{-n+3} + 2Q_{-n+2} + 3Q_{-n+1} + 4Q_{-n} + 8)$ .
- (e)  $\sum_{k=1}^n S_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-S_{-n+5} + S_{-n+3} + 2S_{-n+2} + 3S_{-n+1} + 4S_{-n} + 1)$ .
- (f)  $\sum_{k=1}^n R_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-R_{-n+5} + R_{-n+3} + 2R_{-n+2} + 3R_{-n+1} + 4R_{-n} - 9)$ .

## 4.3. A Sum Formula

The formula in the following proposition can be used to calculate the sum of the generalized sixth order Jacobsthal numbers.

### Proposition 4.3.

For all integers  $m$  and  $j$  with  $R_m^4 - 4R_m^3 + 3R_m^2 + 12R_m^2 - 6R_m^2 R_{2m} + 8R_{3m}R_m + 12R_{2m}R_m - 6R_{4m} - 8R_{3m} - 12R_{2m} - 24R_m - 24(-2)^m(R_{-m} - 1) + 24 \neq 0$ , we have

$$\sum_{k=0}^n V_{mk+j} = \frac{\Lambda + \Psi_1}{\Omega} \tag{17}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda = & -24V_{mn+5m+j} + 24(R_m - 1)V_{mn+4m+j} - 12(R_m^2 - 2R_m - R_{2m} + 2)V_{mn+3m+j} + 4(R_m^3 - 3R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}R_m + 3R_{2m} + 2R_{3m} + \\ & 6R_m - 6)V_{mn+2m+j} + (-R_m^4 + 4R_m^3 + 6R_m^2 R_{2m} - 12R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}^2 - 12R_{2m}R_m - 8R_{3m}R_m + 6R_{4m} + 8R_{3m} + 12R_{2m} + 24R_m - \\ & 24)V_{mn+m+j} + 24(-2)^m V_{mn+j} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi_1 = & 24V_{5m+j} - 24(R_m - 1)V_{4m+j} + 12(R_m^2 - 2R_m - R_{2m} + 2)V_{3m+j} - 4(R_m^3 - 3R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}R_m + 3R_{2m} + 2R_{3m} + 6R_m - 6) \\ & V_{2m+j} - (-R_m^4 + 4R_m^3 + 6R_m^2 R_{2m} - 12R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}^2 - 12R_{2m}R_m - 8R_{3m}R_m + 6R_{4m} + 8R_{3m} + 12R_{2m} + 24R_m - 24)V_{m+j} - (-R_m^4 + \\ & 4R_m^3 - 12R_m^2 + 6R_m^2 R_{2m} - 3R_{2m}^2 - 8R_{3m}R_m - 12R_{2m}R_m + 6R_{4m} + 8R_{3m} + 12R_{2m} + 24R_m + 24(-2)^m R_{-m} - 24)V_j \end{aligned}$$

$$\Omega = R_m^4 - 4R_m^3 + 3R_m^2 + 12R_m^2 - 6R_m^2 R_{2m} + 8R_{3m}R_m + 12R_{2m}R_m - 6R_{4m} - 8R_{3m} - 12R_{2m} - 24R_m - 24(-2)^m(R_{-m} - 1) + 24$$

Proof. Take  $r = 1, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1, v = 1, y = 2$  and  $R_n = H_n$  in Soykan [28], Theorem 13.  $\square$

Note that (17) can be written in the following form:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n V_{mk+j} = \frac{\Lambda + \Psi_2}{\Omega}$$

where

$$\Psi_2 = 24V_{5m+j} - 24(R_m - 1)V_{4m+j} + 12(R_m^2 - 2R_m - R_{2m} + 2)V_{3m+j} - 4(R_m^3 - 3R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}R_m + 3R_{2m} + 2R_{3m} + 6R_m - 6)V_{2m+j} - (-R_m^4 + 4R_m^3 + 6R_m^2R_{2m} - 12R_m^2 - 3R_{2m}^2 - 12R_{2m}R_m - 8R_{3m}R_m + 6R_{4m} + 8R_{3m} + 12R_{2m} + 24R_m - 24)V_{m+j} - 24(-y)^m V_j.$$

As special cases of the above proposition, we have the following identities.

**Corollary 4.3.**

The following identities hold:

1.  $m = 1, j = 3.$

- (a)  $\sum_{k=0}^n J_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(J_{n+8} - J_{n+6} - 2J_{n+5} - 3J_{n+4} + 2J_{n+3} - 7).$
- (b)  $\sum_{k=0}^n j_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(j_{n+8} - j_{n+6} - 2j_{n+5} - 3j_{n+4} + 2j_{n+3} - 57).$
- (c)  $\sum_{k=0}^n K_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(K_{n+8} - K_{n+6} - 2K_{n+5} - 3K_{n+4} + 2K_{n+3} - 51).$
- (d)  $\sum_{k=0}^n Q_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(Q_{n+8} - Q_{n+6} - 2Q_{n+5} - 3Q_{n+4} + 2Q_{n+3} - 38).$
- (e)  $\sum_{k=0}^n S_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(S_{n+8} - S_{n+6} - 2S_{n+5} - 3S_{n+4} + 2S_{n+3} - 13).$
- (f)  $\sum_{k=0}^n R_{k+3} = \frac{1}{6}(R_{n+8} - R_{n+6} - 2R_{n+5} - 3R_{n+4} + 2R_{n+3} - 51).$

2.  $m = -1, j = 0.$

- (a)  $\sum_{k=0}^n J_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-J_{-n} - 6J_{-n-1} - 5J_{-n-2} - 4J_{-n-3} - 3J_{-n-4} - 2J_{-n-5} - 5).$
- (b)  $\sum_{k=0}^n j_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-j_{-n} - 6j_{-n-1} - 5j_{-n-2} - 4j_{-n-3} - 3j_{-n-4} - 2j_{-n-5} + 21).$
- (c)  $\sum_{k=0}^n K_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-K_{-n} - 6K_{-n-1} - 5K_{-n-2} - 4K_{-n-3} - 3K_{-n-4} - 2K_{-n-5} + 27).$
- (d)  $\sum_{k=0}^n Q_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-Q_{-n} - 6Q_{-n-1} - 5Q_{-n-2} - 4Q_{-n-3} - 3Q_{-n-4} - 2Q_{-n-5} + 26).$
- (e)  $\sum_{k=0}^n S_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-S_{-n} - 6S_{-n-1} - 5S_{-n-2} - 4S_{-n-3} - 3S_{-n-4} - 2S_{-n-5} + 1).$
- (f)  $\sum_{k=0}^n R_{-k} = \frac{1}{6}(-R_{-n} - 6R_{-n-1} - 5R_{-n-2} - 4R_{-n-3} - 3R_{-n-4} - 2R_{-n-5} + 27).$

**5. Matrices Related with Generalized Sixth-Order Jacobsthal numbers**

We define the square matrix  $A$  of order 6 as:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

such that  $\det A = -2.$  We also define

$$B_n = \begin{pmatrix} S_{n+1} & \sum_{k=3}^7 r_{k-1} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^6 r_k S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^5 r_{k+1} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^4 r_{k+2} S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_n \\ S_n & \sum_{k=4}^8 r_{k-2} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^7 r_{k-1} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^6 r_k S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^5 r_{k+1} S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_{n-1} \\ S_{n-1} & \sum_{k=5}^9 r_{k-3} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^8 r_{k-2} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^7 r_{k-1} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^6 r_k S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_{n-2} \\ S_{n-2} & \sum_{k=6}^{10} r_{k-4} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^9 r_{k-3} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^8 r_{k-2} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^7 r_{k-1} S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_{n-3} \\ S_{n-3} & \sum_{k=7}^{11} r_{k-5} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^{10} r_{k-4} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^9 r_{k-3} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^8 r_{k-2} S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_{n-4} \\ S_{n-4} & \sum_{k=8}^{12} r_{k-6} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^{11} r_{k-5} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^{10} r_{k-4} S_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^9 r_{k-3} S_{n+3-k} & r_6 S_{n-5} \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$C_n = \begin{pmatrix} V_{n+1} & \sum_{k=3}^7 r_{k-1} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^6 r_k V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^5 r_{k+1} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=3}^4 r_{k+2} V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_n \\ V_n & \sum_{k=4}^8 r_{k-2} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^7 r_{k-1} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^6 r_k V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=4}^5 r_{k+1} V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_{n-1} \\ V_{n-1} & \sum_{k=5}^9 r_{k-3} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^8 r_{k-2} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^7 r_{k-1} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=5}^6 r_k V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_{n-2} \\ V_{n-2} & \sum_{k=6}^{10} r_{k-4} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^9 r_{k-3} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^8 r_{k-2} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=6}^7 r_{k-1} V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_{n-3} \\ V_{n-3} & \sum_{k=7}^{11} r_{k-5} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^{10} r_{k-4} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^9 r_{k-3} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=7}^8 r_{k-2} V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_{n-4} \\ V_{n-4} & \sum_{k=8}^{12} r_{k-6} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^{11} r_{k-5} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^{10} r_{k-4} V_{n+3-k} & \sum_{k=8}^9 r_{k-3} V_{n+3-k} & r_6 V_{n-5} \end{pmatrix}$$

where

$$r_1 = 1, r_2 = 1, r_3 = 1, r_4 = 1, r_5 = 1, r_6 = 2.$$

**Theorem 5.1.**

For all integer  $m, n \geq 0$ , we have

- (a)  $B_n = A^n$
- (b)  $C_1 A^n = A^n C_1$
- (c)  $C_{n+m} = C_n B_m = B_m C_n$ .

Proof. Take  $r = 1, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1, v = 1, y = 2$  and  $S_n = G_n$  in Soykan [[28], Theorem 16].  $\square$

**Theorem 5.2.**

For all integers  $m, n$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} V_{n+m} &= V_n S_{m+1} + V_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) \\ &\quad + V_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + V_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + V_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m V_{n-5}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Take  $r = 1, s = 1, t = 1, u = 1, v = 1, y = 2$  and  $S_n = G_n$  in Soykan [[28], Theorem 17].  $\square$

**Corollary 5.1.**

For all integers  $m, n$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} J_{n+m} &= J_n S_{m+1} + J_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + J_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + J_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + J_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m J_{n-5}, \\ j_{n+m} &= j_n S_{m+1} + j_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + j_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + j_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + j_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m j_{n-5}, \\ K_{n+m} &= K_n S_{m+1} + K_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + K_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + K_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + K_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m K_{n-5}, \\ Q_{n+m} &= Q_n S_{m+1} + Q_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + Q_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + Q_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + Q_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m Q_{n-5}, \\ S_{n+m} &= S_n S_{m+1} + S_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + S_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + S_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + S_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m S_{n-5}, \\ R_{n+m} &= R_n S_{m+1} + R_{n-1} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + S_{m-3} + 2S_{m-4}) + R_{n-2} (S_m + S_{m-1} + S_{m-2} + 2S_{m-3}) \\ &\quad + R_{n-3} (S_m + S_{m-1} + 2S_{m-2}) + R_{n-4} (S_m + 2S_{m-1}) + 2S_m R_{n-5}. \end{aligned}$$

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