

# BIVARIATE GAUSSIAN FIBONACCI AND LUCAS POLYNOMIALS

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**ABSTRACT.** In this study we define and study the Bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and Bivariate Gaussian Lucas Polynomials. We give generating function, Binet formula, explicit formula and partial derivation of these polynomials. By defining these bivariate polynomials for special cases  $F_n(x, 1)$  is the Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials,  $L_n(x, 1)$  is the Gaussian Lucas polynomials,  $F_n(1, 1)$  is the Gaussian Fibonacci numbers and  $L_n(1, 1)$  is the Gaussian Lucas numbers defined in [19].

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Fibonacci Polynomials, were studied in 1883 by the Belgian mathematician Eugene Charles Catalan and the German mathematician E. Jacobsthal. The polynomials  $f_n(x)$  studied by Catalan are defined by the recurrence relation

$$f_n(x) = x f_{n-1}(x) + f_{n-2}(x)$$

where  $f_0(x) = 0$ ,  $f_1(x) = 1$ , and  $n > 2$ . Notice that  $f_n(1) = F_n$ , the  $n$ th Fibonacci number.

Lucas polynomials  $L_n(x)$ , originally studied in 1970 by Bicknell, are defined by

$$l_n(x) = x l_{n-1}(x) + l_{n-2}(x)$$

where  $l_0(x) = 2$ ,  $l_1(x) = x$  and  $n \geq 2$ .

Bivariate Fibonacci polynomials are defined by

$$f_n(x, y) = x f_{n-1}(x, y) + y f_{n-2}(x, y)$$

where  $f_0(x, y) = 0$ ,  $f_1(x, y) = 1$ , and  $n \geq 2$ . By these polynomials  $f_n(x, 1)$  are the Fibonacci polynomials and  $f_n(1, 1) = F_n$ , the  $n$ th Fibonacci number.

Bivariate Lucas polynomials are defined by

$$l_n(x, y) = x l_{n-1}(x, y) + y l_{n-2}(x, y)$$

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where  $l_0(x, y) = 2$ ,  $l_1(x, y) = x$ , and  $n \geq 2$ . See that  $l_n(x, 1)$  are the Lucas polynomials and  $l_n(1, 1) = L_n$ , the  $n$ th Lucas number.

The Gaussian Fibonacci sequence in [19] is  $GF_0 = i$ ,  $GF_1 = 1$  and  $GF_n = GF_{n-1} + GF_{n-2}$  for  $n > 1$ . One can see that

$$GF_n = F_n + iF_{n-1}$$

where  $F_n$  is the usual  $n$ th Fibonacci number.

The Gaussian Lucas sequence in [19] is defined similar to Gaussian Fibonacci sequence as  $GL_0 = 2 - i$ ,  $GL_1 = 1 + 2i$ , and  $GL_n = GL_{n-1} + GL_{n-2}$  for  $n > 1$ . Also it can be seen that

$$GL_n = L_n + iL_{n-1}$$

where  $L_n$  is the usual  $n$ th Lucas number.

The complex Fibonacci numbers and Gaussian Fibonacci numbers are studied by some other authors [11, 12, 16]. The complex Fibonacci polynomials were defined and studied in [18] by Horadam. Harman [12] give a new approach toward the extension of Fibonacci numbers into the complex plane. Before this study there were two different methods for defining such numbers studied by Horadam [17] and Berzsenyi [1]. Harman [12] generalized both of the methods. In [2, 3, 6, 7] theories of the generalized Fibonacci and Lucas polynomials are developed. Yu and Liang [26] derive some identities involving the partial derivative sequences of the bivariate Fibonacci polynomials  $F_n(x, y)$  and the bivariate Lucas polynomials  $L_n(x, y)$ . Djordjevic [4, 5] considered the generating functions, explicit formulas and partial derivative sequences of the generalized Fibonacci and Lucas polynomials. Good [8] points out that the square root of the Golden Ratio is the real part of a simple periodic continued fraction but using (complex) Gaussian integers  $a + ib$  instead of the natural integers. Tuglu et al. [24] study the bivariate Fibonacci and Lucas  $p$ -polynomials ( $p \geq 0$  is integer) from which, specifying  $x, y$  and  $p$ , bivariate Fibonacci and Lucas polynomials, bivariate Pell and Pell-Lucas polynomials, Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas polynomials, Fibonacci and Lucas  $p$ -polynomials, Fibonacci and Lucas  $p$ -numbers, Pell and Pell-Lucas  $p$ -numbers and Chebyshev polynomials of the first and second kind, are obtained. Webb and Parberry [27] study the divisibility properties of the Fibonacci polynomial sequence. Hoggatt and Long [13] obtain the results including results of Webb and Parberry and generalize the results to bivariate Fibonacci polynomials. For more information one can see [9, 10, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25]

In this article we define and study the Bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and Bivariate Gaussian Lucas Polynomials  $GF_n(x, y)$  and  $GL_n(x, y)$ . We give generating function, Binet formula, explicit formula and partial derivation of these polynomials. Special cases of these bivariate polynomials are Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials  $F_n(x, 1)$ , Gaussian Lucas polynomials

$L_n(x, 1)$ , Gaussian Fibonacci numbers  $F_n(1, 1)$  and Gaussian Lucas numbers  $L_n(1, 1)$  defined in [19].

## 2. BIVARIATE GAUSSIAN FIBONACCI AND LUCAS POLYNOMIALS

**Definition 1.** The Bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials  $GF_n(x, y)$  are defined by the following recurrence relation

$$GF_{n+1}(x, y) = xGF_n(x, y) + yGF_{n-1}(x, y), \quad n \geq 1 \quad (2.1)$$

with initial conditions  $GF_0(x, y) = i$  and  $GF_1(x, y) = 1$ .

It can be easily seen that

$$GF_n(x, y) = f_n(x, y) + iyf_{n-1}(x, y)$$

where  $f_n(x, y)$  is the  $n$ th bivariate Fibonacci Polynomial.

**Definition 2.** The bivariate Gaussian Lucas polynomials  $\{GL_n(x, y)\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$  are defined by the following recurrence relation

$$GL_{n+1}(x, y) = xGL_n(x, y) + yGL_{n-1}(x, y), \quad n \geq 1 \quad (2.2)$$

with initial conditions  $GL_0(x, y) = 2 - ix$  and  $GL_1(x, y) = x + 2iy$ .

Also

$$GL_n(x, y) = l_n(x, y) + iyl_{n-1}(x, y)$$

where  $l_n(x, y)$  is the  $n$ th bivariate Lucas Polynomial.

For later use the first few terms of the sequence are as shown in the following tables

$n$	$GF_n(x, y)$
0	$i$
1	1
2	$x + iy$
3	$x^2 + y + ixy$
4	$x^3 + 2xy + iy(x^2 + y)$
5	$x^4 + 3x^2y + y^2 + iy(x^3 + 2xy)$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$

and

$n$	$GL_n(x, y)$
0	$2 - ix$
1	$x + i2y$
2	$x^2 + 2y + iy(x)$
3	$x^3 + 3xy + iy(x^2 + 2y)$
4	$x^4 + 4x^2y + 2y^2 + iy(x^3 + 3xy)$
5	$x^5 + 5x^3y + 5xy^2 + iy(x^4 + 4x^2y + 2y^2)$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$

## 2.1. Some Properties of Bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and Lucas Polynomials.

**Theorem 1.** *The generating function for bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci Polynomials is*

$$g(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} GF_n(x, y)t^n = \frac{t + i(1 - xt)}{1 - xt - yt^2}$$

and for bivariate Gaussian Lucas Polynomials is

$$h(t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} GL_n(x, y)t^n = \frac{2 - xt - i(x - 2yt - x^2t)}{1 - xt - yt^2}.$$

*Proof.* Let  $g(t)$  be the generating function of the Bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci polynomial sequence  $GF_n(x, y)$  then

$$\begin{aligned} g(t) - xtg(t) - yt^2g(t) &= GF_0(x, y) + tGF_1(x, y) - xtGF_0(x, y) \\ &\quad + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} t^n [GF_n(x, y) - xGF_{n-1}(x, y) \\ &\quad \quad - yGF_{n-2}(x, y)] \\ &= t + i(1 - xt) \end{aligned}$$

By taking  $g(t)$  parenthesis we get

$$g(t) = \frac{t + i(1 - xt)}{1 - xt - yt^2}.$$

The proof is completed. □

Binet's formulas are well known and studied in the theory of Fibonacci numbers. Now we can get the Binet formula of bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and Lucas polynomials. Let  $\alpha(x, y)$  and  $\beta(x, y)$  be the roots of the characteristic equation

$$t^2 - xt - y = 0$$

of the recurrence relation (2.1). Then

$$\alpha(x, y) = \frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 4y}}{2}, \quad \beta(x, y) = \frac{x - \sqrt{x^2 + 4y}}{2}.$$

Note that  $\alpha(x, y) + \beta(x, y) = x$  and  $\alpha(x, y)\beta(x, y) = -y$ . Now we can give the Binet formula for the bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and Lucas polynomials.

**Theorem 2.** *For  $n \geq 0$*

$$GF_n(x, y) = \frac{\alpha^n(x, y) - \beta^n(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} + iy \frac{\alpha^{n-1}(x, y) - \beta^{n-1}(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)}$$

and

$$GL_n(x, y) = \alpha^n(x, y) + \beta^n(x, y) + iy(\alpha^{n-1}(x, y) + \beta^{n-1}(x, y)).$$

*Proof.* Theorem can be proved by mathematical induction on  $n$ . □

**Theorem 3.** *The explicit formula of bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci Polynomials is*

$$GF_{n+1}(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \binom{n-k}{k} x^{n-2k} y^k + i \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \binom{n-k-1}{k} x^{n-2k-1} y^{k+1}.$$

**Theorem 4.** *The explicit formula of bivariate Gaussian Lucas Polynomials is*

$$GL_n(x, y) = \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \frac{n}{n-k} \binom{n-k}{k} x^{n-2k} y^k + i \sum_{k=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor} \frac{n-1}{n-k-1} \binom{n-k-1}{k} x^{n-2k-1} y^{k+1}.$$

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $D_n(x, y)$  denote the  $n \times n$  tridiagonal matrix as*

$$D_n(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ -y & x & y & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & -1 & x & \ddots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & y \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 & -1 & x \end{bmatrix}, n \geq 1$$

and let  $D_0(x, y) = i$ . Then  $\det D_n(x, y) = GF_n(x, y)$ ,  $n \geq 0$ .

*Proof.* By induction on  $n$  we can prove the theorem. For  $n = 1$  and  $n = 2$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \det D_1(x, y) &= 1 = GF_1(x, y) \\ \det D_2(x, y) &= x + iy = GF_2(x, y). \end{aligned}$$

Assume that

$$\det D_{n-1}(x, y) = GF_{n-1}(x, y)$$

and

$$\det D_{n-2}(x, y) = GF_{n-2}(x, y).$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \det D_n(x, y) &= x \det D_{n-1}(x, y) + y \det D_{n-2}(x, y) \\ &= xGF_{n-1}(x, y) + yGF_{n-2}(x, y) \\ &= GF_n(x, y). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 6.** Let  $H_n(x, y)$  denote the  $n \times n$  tridiagonal matrix defined as

$$H_n(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} 2-ix & 2i & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 1-y & i & y & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & -1 & x & \ddots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & y \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 & -1 & x \end{bmatrix}, \quad n \geq 1.$$

Then  $\det H_n(x, y) = GL_{n-1}(x, y)$ ,  $n \geq 0$ .

Now we introduce the matrix  $Q(x, y)$  that plays the role of the  $Q$ -matrix. Let  $Q(x, y)$  and  $P$  denote the  $2 \times 2$  matrices defined as

$$Q(x, y) = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then we can give the following theorem:

**Theorem 7.** Let  $n \geq 1$ . Then

$$Q(x, y)^n P = \begin{bmatrix} GF_{n+1}(x, y) & f_{n+1}(x, y) \\ GF_n(x, y) & f_n(x, y) \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $f_n(x, y)$  is the  $n$ th bivariate Fibonacci Polynomial.

*Proof.* We can prove the theorem by induction on  $n$ . For  $n = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} x+iy & x \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} GF_2(x, y) & f_2(x, y) \\ GF_1(x, y) & f_1(x, y) \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Assume that the theorem holds for  $n = k$ , that is

$$Q(x, y)^k P = \begin{bmatrix} GF_{k+1}(x, y) & f_{k+1}(x, y) \\ GF_k(x, y) & f_k(x, y) \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then for  $n = k + 1$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} Q(x, y)^{k+1} P &= \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^k \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} GF_{k+1}(x, y) & f_{k+1}(x, y) \\ GF_k(x, y) & f_k(x, y) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} GF_{k+2}(x, y) & f_{k+2}(x, y) \\ GF_{k+1}(x, y) & f_{k+1}(x, y) \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

□

We can extend the definition of bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials and bivariate Gaussian Lucas polynomials to negative subscripts.

**Definition 3.** For  $n \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} GF_{-n}(x, y) &= f_{-n}(x, y) + iyf_{-n-1}(x, y) \\ &= (-1)^{n-1}(f_n(x, y) - iyf_{n+1}(x, y)) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} GL_{-n}(x, y) &= l_{-n}(x, y) + iyl_{-n-1}(x, y) \\ &= (-1)^{n-1}(l_n(x, y) - iyl_{n+1}(x, y)) \end{aligned}$$

where  $f(x, y)$  and  $l(x, y)$  are the bivariate Fibonacci and bivariate Lucas polynomials defined above.

**Theorem 8. (Cassini Identity)** For  $n \geq 1$

$$GF_{n-1}(x, y)GF_{n+1}(x, y) - GF_n^2(x, y) = (1 + y - ix)(-1)^n y^{n-1}.$$

*Proof.* We can prove the theorem by induction on  $n$ .

For  $n = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} GF_0GF_2 - GF_1^2 &= i(x + iy) - 1 \\ &= -1 - y + ix \\ &= (1 + y - ix)(-1)^1 y^0 \end{aligned}$$

and thus the theorem holds. Suppose that the theorem is true for an arbitrary positive integer  $k$ , that is

$$GF_{k-1}(x, y)GF_{k+1}(x, y) - GF_k^2(x, y) = (1 + y - ix)(-1)^k y^{k-1}.$$

Then for  $k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & GF_k(x, y)GF_{k+2}(x, y) - GF_{k+1}^2(x, y) \\
 = & \left( \frac{GF_{k+1}(x, y) - yGF_{k-1}(x, y)}{x} \right) \\
 & \times (xGF_{k+1}(x, y) + yGF_k(x, y)) \\
 & - GF_{k+1}^2(x, y) \\
 = & GF_{k+1}^2(x, y) + \frac{y}{x}GF_{k+1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 & - yGF_{k-1}(x, y)GF_{k+1}(x, y) \\
 & - \frac{y^2}{x}GF_{k-1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) - GF_{k+1}^2(x, y) \\
 = & \frac{y}{x}GF_{k+1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 & - \frac{y^2}{x}GF_{k-1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 & - y(1 + y - ix)(-1)^k y^{k-1} - yGF_k^2(x, y) \\
 = & \frac{y}{x}GF_{k+1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 & + (1 + y - ix)(-1)^{k+1} y^k - yGF_k^2(x, y) \\
 & - \frac{y^2}{x}GF_{k-1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 = & \frac{y}{x}GF_{k+1}(x, y)GF_k(x, y) \\
 & + (1 + y - ix)(-1)^{k+1} y^k \\
 & - \frac{y}{x}GF_k(x, y)GF_{k+1}(x, y) \\
 = & (1 + y - ix)(-1)^{k+1} y^k.
 \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. □

**Theorem 9.** For  $n \geq 1$

$$GL_{n-1}(x, y)GL_{n+1}(x, y) - GL_n^2(x, y) = (x^2 + 4y)(1 + y - ix)(-1)^{n+1}y^{n-1}.$$

**Theorem 10.** For  $n \geq 1$

$$GL_n^2(x, y) - (x^2 + 4y)GF_n^2(x, y) = 4y^n(1 + y - ix)(-1)^n.$$

*Proof.* These theorems can be proved by induction on  $n$ . □

Taking  $x = y = 1$  in above theorems we get:

**Corollary 1.** [19] If  $x = y = 1$  then

$$GF_{n+1}GF_{n-1} - GF_n^2 = (2 - i)(-1)^n.$$



**Corollary 2.** [19] If  $x = y = 1$  then

$$GL_{n+1}GL_{n-1} - GL_n^2 = 5(2-i)(-1)^{n+1}.$$

**Corollary 3.** [19] If  $x = y = 1$  then

$$GL_{n+1}^2 - 5GF_n^2 = 4(2-i)(-1)^n.$$

**Theorem 11.** For  $n \geq 1$

$$GL_n(x, y) = GF_{n+1}(x, y) + yGF_{n-1}(x, y).$$

*Proof.* We proceed by induction on  $n$ . Theorem is true for  $n = 1$ . Suppose that theorem is true for  $n - 1$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} GL_n(x, y) &= xGL_{n-1}(x, y) + yGL_{n-2}(x, y) \\ &= x(GF_n(x, y) + yGF_{n-2}(x, y)) \\ &\quad + y(GF_{n-1}(x, y) + yGF_{n-3}(x, y)) \\ &= xGF_n(x, y) + xyGF_{n-2}(x, y) \\ &\quad + yGF_{n-1}(x, y) + y^2GF_{n-3}(x, y) \\ &= xGF_n(x, y) + yGF_{n-1}(x, y) \\ &\quad + xyGF_{n-2}(x, y) + y^2GF_{n-3}(x, y) \\ &= xGF_n(x, y) + yGF_{n-1}(x, y) \\ &\quad + y(xGF_{n-2}(x, y) + yGF_{n-3}(x, y)) \\ &= GF_{n+1}(x, y) + yGF_{n-1}(x, y). \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 12.** For  $n \geq 1$

$$GF_n(x, y) = \frac{GL_{n+1}(x, y) + yGL_{n-1}(x, y)}{x^2 + 4y}.$$

**Theorem 13.** The sum of the bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and bivariate Gaussian Lucas polynomials are given as:

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \sum_{k=1}^n x^{n-k} GF_k(x, y) &= \frac{1}{y} [GF_{n+2}(x, y) - x^n(x + iy)] \\ (ii) \sum_{k=1}^n x^{n-k} GL_k(x, y) &= \frac{1}{y} [GL_{n+2}(x, y) - x^n(x^2 + 2y + ix)] \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* (i) For  $n \geq 2$  we have

$$GF_{n-1}(x, y) = \frac{1}{y} GF_{n+1}(x, y) - \frac{x}{y} GF_n(x, y).$$

Then from this equation

$$\begin{aligned}
 x^{n-1}GF_1(x, y) &= \frac{x^{n-1}}{y}GF_3(x, y) - \frac{x^n}{y}GF_2(x, y) \\
 x^{n-2}GF_2(x, y) &= \frac{x^{n-2}}{y}GF_4(x, y) - \frac{x^{n-1}}{y}GF_3(x, y) \\
 &\vdots \\
 xGF_{n-1}(x, y) &= \frac{x}{y}GF_{n+1}(x, y) - \frac{x^2}{y}GF_n(x, y) \\
 GF_n(x, y) &= \frac{1}{y}GF_{n+2}(x, y) - \frac{x}{y}GF_{n+1}(x, y).
 \end{aligned}$$

By adding both sides of the equations we get

$$\sum_{k=1}^n x^{n-k}GF_k(x, y) = \frac{1}{y} [GF_{n+2}(x, y) - x^n(x + iy)].$$

This completes the proof. □

**Theorem 14.** For  $n \geq 0$

$$GF_n(x, y)GL_n(x, y) = (x + 2iy)f_{2n-1}(x, y) + y(1 - y)f_{2n-2}(x, y).$$

*Proof.* From the Binet formulas of  $GF_n(x, y)$  and  $GL_n(x, y)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 GF_n(x, y)GL_n(x, y) &= \left( \frac{\alpha^n(x, y) - \beta^n(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + iy \frac{\alpha^{n-1}(x, y) - \beta^{n-1}(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} \right) \\
 &\quad \times (\alpha^n(x, y) + \beta^n(x, y) \\
 &\quad + iy(\alpha^{n-1}(x, y) + \beta^{n-1}(x, y))) \\
 &= \frac{\alpha^{2n}(x, y) - \beta^{2n}(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} \\
 &\quad + 2iy \frac{\alpha^{2n-1}(x, y) - \beta^{2n-1}(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} \\
 &\quad - y^2 \frac{\alpha^{2n-2}(x, y) - \beta^{2n-2}(x, y)}{\alpha(x, y) - \beta(x, y)} \\
 &= f_{2n}(x, y) + 2iyf_{2n-1}(x, y) - y^2f_{2n-2}(x, y) \\
 &= xf_{2n-1}(x, y) + yf_{2n-2}(x, y) \\
 &\quad + 2iyf_{2n-1}(x, y) - y^2f_{2n-2}(x, y) \\
 &= (x + 2iy)f_{2n-1}(x, y) + y(1 - y)f_{2n-2}(x, y)
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Corollary 4.** [19] Taking  $x = y = 1$  in above theorem we get

$$GF_n GL_n = (1 + 2i)F_{2n-1}.$$

**Theorem 15.** For the partial derivatives we have

$$\frac{\partial GL_n(x, y)}{\partial x} = nGF_n(x, y) - iyf_{n-1}(x, y)$$

and

$$\frac{\partial GL_n(x, y)}{\partial y} = nGF_{n-1}(x, y) + if_n(x, y)$$

where  $f_n(x, y)$  is the  $n$ th bivariate Fibonacci polynomial.

*Proof.* From the partial derivations of the explicit formula of bivariate Gaussian Lucas polynomials theorem can be proved.  $\square$

**Theorem 16.** For  $m \geq 1$  and  $n \geq 0$

$$GF_{m+n}(x, y) = f_m(x, y)GF_{n+1}(x, y) + yf_{m-1}(x, y)GF_n(x, y).$$

**Corollary 5.** The norm of the bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials is

$$f_n^2(x, y) + y^2 f_{n-1}^2(x, y) = (1 - y)f_n^2(x, y) + yf_{2n-1}(x, y)$$

where  $f_n(x, y)$  is the  $n$ th bivariate Fibonacci polynomial.

### 3. CONCLUSION

In this study we generalized the Gaussian Fibonacci and Lucas numbers which were defined in [19] to bivariate Gaussian Fibonacci and bivariate Gaussian Lucas Polynomials. We give many interesting properties of these polynomials. Special cases of these bivariate polynomials are Gaussian Fibonacci polynomials  $F_n(x, 1)$ , Gaussian Lucas polynomials  $L_n(x, 1)$ , Gaussian Fibonacci numbers  $F_n(1, 1)$  and Gaussian Lucas numbers  $L_n(1, 1)$  defined in [19].

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