

Infinite arctangent sums involving Fibonacci and Lucas numbers

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Abstract: We derive numerous infinite arctangent summation formulas involving Fibonacci and Lucas numbers. While most of the results obtained are new, a couple of ‘celebrated’ results appear as particular cases of the more general formulas derived here.

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1 Introduction

It is our goal, in this work, to derive infinite arctangent summation formulas involving Fibonacci and Lucas numbers. The results obtained will be found to be of a more general nature than one finds in earlier literature.

Previously known results containing arctangent identities and/or infinite summation involving Fibonacci numbers can be found in references [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] and references therein.

In deriving the results in this paper, the main identities employed are the trigonometric addition formula

$$\tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda(y-x)}{xy + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \frac{\lambda}{x} - \tan^{-1} \frac{\lambda}{y}, \quad (1)$$

which holds for either $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $xy > 0$ or $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, $xy < 0$ and $\lambda^2 < -xy$, and the following identities which resolve products of Fibonacci and Lucas numbers

$$F_{u-v}F_{u+v} = F_u^2 - (-1)^{(u-v)}F_v^2, \quad (2a)$$

$$L_{u-v}L_{u+v} = L_{2u} + (-1)^{(u-v)}L_{2v}, \quad (2b)$$

$$L_uF_v = F_{v+u} + (-1)^uF_{v-u}, \quad (2c)$$

$$F_uL_v = F_{v+u} - (-1)^uF_{v-u}, \quad (2d)$$

$$L_uL_v = L_{u+v} + (-1)^uL_{v-u}, \quad (2e)$$

$$5F_{u-v}F_{u+v} = L_{2u} - (-1)^{(u-v)}L_{2v}. \quad (2f)$$

Also we shall make repeated use of the following identities connecting Fibonacci and Lucas numbers:

$$F_{2u} = F_uL_u, \quad (3a)$$

$$L_{2u} - 2(-1)^u = 5F_u^2, \quad (3b)$$

$$5F_u^2 - L_u^2 = 4(-1)^{(u+1)}, \quad (3c)$$

$$L_{2u} + 2(-1)^u = L_u^2. \quad (3d)$$

Identities (2) and (3) or their variations can be found in [6, 7, 8].

On notation: G_i , i non-negative integers, denotes generalized Fibonacci numbers defined through the second order recurrence relation $G_i = G_{i-1} + G_{i-2}$, where the boundary terms G_0 and G_1 need to be specified. When $G_0 = 0$ and $G_1 = 1$, we have the Fibonacci numbers, denoted F_i , while when $G_0 = 2$ and $G_1 = 1$, we have the Lucas numbers, denoted L_i .

Throughout this paper, the principal value of the arctangent function is assumed.

Also $\phi = (1 + \sqrt{5})/2$ denotes the golden ratio.

2 Preliminary result

Taking $x = G_{mr+n-m}$ and $y = G_{mr+n}$ in the arctangent addition formula, Eq. (1), gives

$$\tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda(G_{mr+n} - G_{mr+n-m})}{G_{mr+n}G_{mr+n-m} + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{G_{mr+n-m}} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{G_{mr+n}} \right). \quad (4)$$

Summing each side of Eq. (4) from $r = p \in \mathbb{Z}$ to $r = N \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and noting that the summation of the terms on the right hand side telescopes, we obtain

$$\sum_{r=p}^N \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda(G_{mr+n} - G_{mr+n-m})}{G_{mr+n}G_{mr+n-m} + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{G_{mp+n-m}} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{G_{mN+n}} \right). \quad (5)$$

Now taking limit as $N \rightarrow \infty$, we have

Theorem: For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$, $n, m, p \in \mathbb{Z}$, $m \neq 0$ holds

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda(G_{mr+n} - G_{mr+n-m})}{G_{mr+n}G_{mr+n-m} + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{G_{mp+n-m}} \right). \quad (6)$$

3 Main results

3.1 $G \equiv F$ in Eq. (6), that is, $G_0 = 0, G_1 = 1$

Choosing $m = 4j$ and $n = 2k + 2j$ and using identities (2a) and (2d) we prove

Corollary 1. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, j, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $j \neq 0$ holds

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda F_{2j} L_{4jr+2k}}{F_{4jr+2k}^2 - F_{2j}^2 + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{F_{4jp+2k-2j}} \right), \quad (7)$$

while taking $m = 4j - 2$ and $n = 2k + 2j - 2$ and using identities (2a) and (2c) we prove

Corollary 2. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $j, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}$ holds

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\lambda L_{2j-1} F_{4jr-2r+2k-1}}{F_{4jr-2r+2k-1}^2 - F_{2j-1}^2 + \lambda^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{F_{4jp-2p+2k-2j}} \right). \quad (8)$$

3.2 $G \equiv L$ in Eq. (6), that is, $G_0 = 2, G_1 = 1$

Choosing $m = 4j$ and $n = 2k + 2j - 1$ and using identities (2b) and (2f) we prove

Corollary 3. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, j, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $j \neq 0$ holds

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5\lambda F_{2j} F_{4jr+2k-1}}{L_{8jr+4k-2} - L_{4j} + \lambda^2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{L_{4jp+2k-2j-1}} \right), \quad (9)$$

while taking $m = 4j - 2$ and $n = 2k + 2j - 1$ and using identities (2b) and (2e) we prove

Corollary 4. For $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $j, k, p \in \mathbb{Z}$ holds

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda L_{2j-1} L_{4jr-2r+2k}}{L_{8jr-4r+4k} - L_{4j-2} + \lambda^2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\lambda}{L_{4jp-2p+2k-2j+1}} \right). \quad (10)$$

4 Particular cases and special values

Different combinations of the parameters λ, j, k and p in the above corollaries yield a variety of interesting particular cases. In this section we will consider some of the possible choices.

4.1 Results from Corollary 1

4.1.1 $\lambda = F_j, p = 1$ and $k = 0$ in Eq. (7)

The choice $\lambda = F_j, p = 1$ and $k = 0$ in Eq. (7) gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_j^2 L_j L_{4jr}}{F_{4jr}^2 - F_{2j}^2 + F_j^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L_j} \right). \quad (11)$$

Thus, at $j = 1$, we obtain the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{4r}}{F_{4r}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{4}}. \quad (12)$$

4.1.2 $\lambda = L_j, p = 1$ and $k = 0$ in Eq. (7)

The above choice gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_j^2 F_j L_{4jr}}{F_{4jr}^2 - F_{2j}^2 + L_j^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{F_j} \right). \quad (13)$$

At $j = 1$, Eq.(12) is reproduced, while at $j = 2$ we have the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{9L_{8r}}{F_{8r}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{4}}. \quad (14)$$

Note that Eqs. (12) and (14) are special cases of Eq. (18) below, at $j = 1$ and $j = 2$, respectively.

4.1.3 $\lambda = F_{2j}, k = j$ and $p = 0$ in Eq. (7)

This choice gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j}^2 L_{4jr-2j}}{F_{4jr-2j}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad (15)$$

which, at $j = 1$, gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{4r-2}}{F_{4r-2}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}}. \quad (16)$$

4.1.4 $\lambda = F_{2j}$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (7)

This choice gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j}^2 L_{4jr+2k}}{F_{4jr+2k}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{F_{2j}}{F_{2j+2k}} \right). \quad (17)$$

At $k = 0$ in Eq. (17) we have

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j}^2 L_{4jr}}{F_{4jr}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{4}. \quad (18)$$

Note that Eqs. (12) and (14) are special cases of Eq. (18) at $j = 1$ and $j = 2$, respectively.

At $k = j \neq 0$ in Eq. (17) we have

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j}^2 L_{4jr+2j}}{F_{4jr+2j}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L_{2j}} \right), \quad (19)$$

yielding at $j = 1$, the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{4r+2}}{F_{4r+2}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)}. \quad (20)$$

Finally, taking limit of Eq. (17) as $j \rightarrow \infty$, we obtain

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j}^2 L_{4jr+2k}}{F_{4jr+2k}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\phi^{2k}} \right). \quad (21)$$

4.1.5 $5\lambda^2 = L_{4j}, p = 0$ and $k = j$ in Eq. (7)

Another interesting particular case of Eq. (7) is obtained by setting $5\lambda^2 = L_{4j}, p = 0$ and $k = j$ to obtain

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j} \sqrt{5L_{4j}} L_{4jr-2j}}{L_{2(4jr-2j)}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad (22)$$

which at $j = 1$ gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{35} L_{4r-2}}{L_{2(4r-2)}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}}. \quad (23)$$

4.1.6 $5\lambda^2 = L_{4j}, p = 0$ and $k = 2j$ in Eq. (7)

In this case Corollary 1 reduces to

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2j} \sqrt{5L_{4j}} L_{4jr}}{L_{8jr}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{\sqrt{L_{4j}}}{F_{2j}} \right). \quad (24)$$

At $j = 1$, we have the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{35} L_{4r}}{L_{8r}} \right\} = \sqrt{\frac{7}{5}}}. \quad (25)$$

4.1.7 $\lambda = L_{2j}/\sqrt{5}$ and $k = j$ in Eq. (7)

Setting $\lambda = L_{2j}/\sqrt{5}$ and $k = j$ in Eq. (7) we have

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5} F_{4j}}{L_{4jr+2j}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{L_{2j}}{F_{4jp} \sqrt{5}} \right), \quad (26)$$

which at $p = 1$ gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}F_{4j}}{L_{4jr+2j}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{F_{2j}\sqrt{5}} \right) \quad (27)$$

and at $p = 0$ yields

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}F_{4j}}{L_{4jr-2j}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}. \quad (28)$$

4.1.8 $\lambda = L_{2j}/\sqrt{5}$, $p = 0$ and $k = 2j \neq 0$ in Eq. (7)

The above choice yields

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}F_{4j}}{L_{4jr}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{L_{2j}}{F_{2j}\sqrt{5}} \right). \quad (29)$$

4.2 Results from Corollary 2

4.2.1 $\lambda = F_{2j-1}$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (8)

The above choice gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2(2j-1)}}{F_{4jr-2r+2k-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{F_{2j-1}}{F_{2j+2k-2}} \right). \quad (30)$$

At $k = j$ in Eq. (30) we have the interesting formula

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2(2j-1)}}{F_{4jr-2r+2j-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L_{2j-1}} \right)}. \quad (31)$$

Note that Eq. (31), at $j = 1$, includes Lehmer's result (cited in [3, 5]) as a particular case.

Setting $j = 1$ in Eq. (30) we obtain

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{F_{2r+2k-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{F_{2k}} \right)}. \quad (32)$$

Note again that Eq. (32) subsumes Lehmer's formula and the result of Melham ($p = 1$ in Eq.(3.5) of [5]), at $k = 1$ and at $k = 0$ respectively.

Finally, taking limit $j \rightarrow \infty$ in Eq. (30), we obtain

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{2(2j-1)}}{F_{4jr-2r+2k-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\phi^{2k-1}} \right). \quad (33)$$

4.2.2 $\lambda = L_{2j-1}/\sqrt{5}$ and $k = j$ in Eq. (8)

The above choice gives

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}L_{2j-1}^2 F_{4jr-2r+2j-1}}{L_{4jr-2r+2j-1}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{L_{2j-1}}{F_{4jp-2p}} \right). \quad (34)$$

Setting $p = 1$ in Eq. (34), we find

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}L_{2j-1}^2 F_{4jr-2r+2j-1}}{L_{4jr-2r+2j-1}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{1}{F_{2j-1}} \right), \quad (35)$$

while choosing $j = 1$ leads to

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}F_{2r+1}}{L_{2r+1}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{1}{F_{2p}} \right), \quad (36)$$

which at $p = 0$ gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}F_{2r-1}}{L_{2r-1}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}}. \quad (37)$$

4.2.3 $5\lambda^2 = L_{4j-2}$ and $k = j$ in Eq. (8)

The above substitutions give

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}L_{4j-2}L_{2j-1}F_{4jr-2r+2j-1}}{L_{2(4jr-2r+2j-1)}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}L_{4j-2}}{5F_{4jp-2p}} \right). \quad (38)$$

At $p = 0$ in Eq. (38) we have, for positive integers j ,

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}L_{4j-2}L_{2j-1}F_{4jr-2r-2j+1}}{L_{2(4jr-2r-2j+1)}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad (39)$$

giving, at $j = 1$, the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{15}F_{2r-1}}{L_{2(2r-1)}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{2}}. \quad (40)$$

At $p = 2$ in Eq. (38) we have, for positive integers j ,

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}L_{4j-2}L_{2j-1}F_{4jr-2r+6j-3}}{L_{2(4jr-2r+6j-3)}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}F_{4j-2}F_{8j-4}} \right), \quad (41)$$

which gives, at $j = 1$, the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{15}F_{2r+3}}{L_{2(2r+3)}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{15}} \right)}. \quad (42)$$

4.3 Results from Corollary 3

4.3.1 $\lambda = \sqrt{L_{4j}}$, $k = 0$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (9)

The above choice gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5\sqrt{L_{4j}}F_{2j}F_{4jr-1}}{L_{8jr-2}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{L_{4j}}}{L_{2j-1}} \right), \quad (43)$$

which, at $j = 1$, gives

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5\sqrt{7}F_{4r-1}}{L_{2(4r-1)}} \right) = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{7}}. \quad (44)$$

4.3.2 $\lambda = L_{2j}$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (9)

Setting $\lambda = L_{2j}$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (9) gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{4j}}{F_{4jr+2k-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{L_{2j}}{L_{2j+2k-1}} \right). \quad (45)$$

Taking limit as $j \rightarrow \infty$ in Eq. (45) gives

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F_{4j}}{F_{4jr+2k-1}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\phi^{2k-1}} \right). \quad (46)$$

4.3.3 $\lambda = \sqrt{5}F_{2j}$, $p = 1$ and $k = 0$ in Eq. (9)

Setting $\lambda = \sqrt{5}F_{2j}$, $p = 1$ and $k = 0$ in Eq. (9) we obtain

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5\sqrt{5}F_{2j}^2F_{4jr-1}}{L_{4jr-1}^2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}F_{2j}}{L_{2j-1}} \right), \quad (47)$$

which gives the special value

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{5\sqrt{5}F_{4r-1}}{L_{4r-1}^2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{5}, \quad (48)$$

at $j = 1$.

4.4 Results from Corollary 4

4.4.1 $\lambda = \sqrt{L_{4j-2}}$ and $j = 0 = k$ in Eq. (10)

With the above choice we obtain

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{3}L_{2r}}{L_{4r}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{L_{2p-1}} \right), \quad (49)$$

which gives rise, at $p = 1$, to the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{3}L_{2r}}{L_{4r}} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{3}}. \quad (50)$$

4.4.2 $\lambda = L_{2j-1}$ and $p = 1$ in Eq. (10)

With the above choice we have

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{2j-1}^2 L_{4jr-2r+2k}}{5 F_{4jr-2r+2k}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{L_{2j-1}}{L_{2j+2k-1}} \right). \quad (51)$$

$k = 0$ in Eq. (51) gives

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{2j-1}^2 L_{4jr-2r}}{5 F_{4jr-2r}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad (52)$$

which at $j = 1$ gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{5} \frac{L_{2r}}{F_{2r}^2} \right\} = \frac{\pi}{4}}. \quad (53)$$

$j = 1$ in Eq. (51) leads to

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{5} \frac{L_{2r+2k}}{F_{2r+2k}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L_{2k+1}} \right), \quad (54)$$

which gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{5} \frac{L_{2r+2}}{F_{2r+2}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{4} \right)}, \quad (55)$$

at $k = 1$.

Taking limit $j \rightarrow \infty$ in Eq. (51), we obtain

$$\lim_{j \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{L_{2j-1}^2 L_{4jr-2r+2k}}{5 F_{4jr-2r+2k}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\phi^{2k}} \right). \quad (56)$$

4.4.3 $\lambda = L_{2j-1}$ and $j = 0 = k$ in Eq. (10)

This choice gives

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{5} \frac{L_{2r}}{F_{2r}^2} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L_{2p-1}} \right), \quad (57)$$

Note that Eqs. (53) and (55) are special cases of (57) at $p = 1$ and at $p = 2$.

4.4.4 $\lambda = \sqrt{5}F_{2j-1}$ and $j = 0 = k$ in Eq. (10)

The above choice gives

$$\sum_{r=p}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{L_{2r}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{5}}{L_{2p-1}} \right), \quad (58)$$

which at $p = 1$ gives the special value

$$\boxed{\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{L_{2r}} \right\} = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{5}}. \quad (59)$$

5 Conclusion

Using a fairly straightforward technique, we have derived numerous infinite arctangent summation formulas involving Fibonacci and Lucas numbers. In the present paper, only non-alternating series were considered.

While most of the results obtained are new, a couple of ‘celebrated’ results appear as particular cases of more general formulas derived in this paper.

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