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Homework 4

```
> read 'hsum.mpl';
```

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Problem 1

First of all, the computer can generate the recurrence that is given to you in the problem:

```
> rec_cer := sumrecursion(2^k * n/(n-k) *
  binomial(n-k, 2*k), k=0..n/3, f(n),
  certificate=true);
```

$$rec_cer := \left[-f(n+3) + 2f(n+2) - f(n+1) + 2f(n) = 0, \right.$$

$$\left. 2 \frac{(-n+k)(2k-1)k}{(-n+3k-1)(3k-2-n)(-n+3k-3)} \right]$$

To recover what's on the problem, replace $s(n+i)$ by $F(n+i,k)$ in the recurrence (first return value); and the second return value is $R(n,k)$. Multiply it by $F(n,k)$ to get $G(n,k)$, then make the right side be $G(n,k+1)-G(n,k)$.

```
> factor(-E^3+2*E^2-E+2);
```

$$-(E-2)(E^2+1)$$

so evidently the left side of the recursion has an overall minus sign from what's given

```
> F1 := 2^k * n/(n-k) * binomial(n-k, 2*k);
```

$$F1 := \frac{2^k n \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k)}{n-k}$$

```
> R1 := rec_cer[2];
```

```
G1 := F1*R1;
```

$$R1 := 2 \frac{(-n+k)(2k-1)k}{(-n+3k-1)(3k-2-n)(-n+3k-3)}$$

$$G1 := 2 \frac{2^k n \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k) (-n+k)(2k-1)k}{(n-k)(-n+3k-1)(3k-2-n)(-n+3k-3)}$$

```
> simplify(-2^k*n/(n-3*k+3) * binomial(n-k, 2*k-2) / G1);
```

$$-\frac{1}{2} \frac{(3k-2-n)(-n+3k-1) \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k-2)}{k(2k-1) \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k)}$$

```
> simpcomb(");
```

-1

so the right side has a negative also. So Koepf's program deduced something equivalent to what's stated. Now verify it.

Problem 1a

```
> lh := subs('f(n+i)=subs(n=n+i,F1)' $i=0..3,
  lhs(rec_cer[1]));
```

$$lh := -\frac{2^k (n+3) \text{binomial}(n+3-k, 2k)}{n+3-k} + 2 \frac{2^k (n+2) \text{binomial}(n+2-k, 2k)}{n+2-k} \\ - \frac{2^k (n+1) \text{binomial}(n-k+1, 2k)}{n-k+1} + 2 \frac{2^k n \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k)}{n-k}$$

```
> rh := subs(k=k+1,G1)-G1;
```

$$rh := 2 \frac{2^{(k+1)} n \text{binomial}(n-k-1, 2k+2) (-n+k+1) (2k+1) (k+1)}{(n-k-1) (-n+3k+2) (3k+1-n) (-n+3k)} \\ - 2 \frac{2^k n \text{binomial}(n-k, 2k) (-n+k) (2k-1) k}{(n-k) (-n+3k-1) (3k-2-n) (-n+3k-3)}$$

```
> simplify(lh/F1);
```

$$2 \frac{25k^3 - 25nk^2 - 53k^2 + 9n^2k + 35nk + 33k - n^3 - 11n - 6 - 6n^2}{(-n+3k-1) (3k-2-n) (-n+3k-3)}$$

```
> simplify(rh/F1);
```

$$2 \frac{25k^3 - 25nk^2 - 53k^2 + 9n^2k + 35nk + 33k - n^3 - 11n - 6 - 6n^2}{(-n+3k-1) (3k-2-n) (-n+3k-3)}$$

```
> "-" ;
```

0

The verification is complete.

Problem 1b

The bounds $k=0..\text{floor}(n/3)$ aren't natural: the denominator $n-k$ cancels off the $n-k$ from $(n-k)!$ in the numerator, giving

```
> F1b := simpcomb(F1);
```

$$F1b := \frac{\Gamma(n-k) n 2^k}{\Gamma(2k+1) \Gamma(n-3k+1)}$$

and the k -support at n is $k=\{0,1,\dots,\text{floor}(n/3), n,n+1,n+2,\dots\}$; for example,

```
> ' ` F1 ` (10, kk) = limit(subs(n=10, F1b), k=kk) ' $kk=-3..13;
```

$F1(10, -3) = 0, F1(10, -2) = 0, F1(10, -1) = 0, F1(10, 0) = 1, F1(10, 1) = 80,$
 $F1(10, 2) = 350, F1(10, 3) = 80, F1(10, 4) = 0, F1(10, 5) = 0, F1(10, 6) = 0,$
 $F1(10, 7) = 0, F1(10, 8) = 0, F1(10, 9) = 0, F1(10, 10) = -1536,$
 $F1(10, 11) = -61440, F1(10, 12) = -1536000, F1(10, 13) = -30965760$

but we do have $F(n,k)=0$ for $k=\text{floor}(n/3)+1, \text{floor}(n/3)+2, \dots, n-1$. From now on we must assume $n \geq 2$ because otherwise this k -range just given is empty, and we're assuming it's not.

The recursion involves $f(n), f(n+1), f(n+2), f(n+3)$, and in all these the parameter is different, so the summation range is slightly different.

So take the relation

$$\begin{aligned}
 > -(En^2+1) * (En-2) * F1(n, k) = G1(n, k+1) - G1(n, k); \\
 & \quad -(En^2 + 1) (En - 2) F1(n, k) = G1(n, k + 1) - G1(n, k)
 \end{aligned}$$

and sum both sides from $k=0.. \text{floor}(n/3)+1$. The terms on the left side still add up to

`> lhs(rec_cer[1]);`

$$-f(n+3) + 2f(n+2) - f(n+1) + 2f(n)$$

because we have added 0 to some of these. The terms on the right side add up to $G1(n, \text{floor}(k/3) + 2) - G1(n, 0) = 0 - 0 = 0$. This proves the recursion above equals 0.

Now evaluate $f(n)$. It's a constant coefficient recurrence with roots $i, -i, 2$, so

`> fn := c1*I^n + c2*(-I)^n + c3*2^n;`

$$fn := c1 I^n + c2 (-I)^n + c3 2^n$$

`> ff := nn -> sum(subs(n=nn, F1), k=0..nn/3); # maple truncates to floor(n/3)`

$$ff := nn \rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\text{floor}(nn/3)} \text{subs}(n = nn, F1)$$

Plug in initial conditions

`> 'subs(n=nn, fn) = ff(nn)' $nn=2..4;`

$$-c1 - c2 + 4c3 = 1, -Ic1 + Ic2 + 8c3 = 4, c1 + c2 + 16c3 = 9$$

`> solve({ }, {c1, c2, c3});`

$$\left\{ c1 = \frac{1}{2}, c2 = \frac{1}{2}, c3 = \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

`> subs(" , fn);`

$$\frac{1}{2} I^n + \frac{1}{2} (-I)^n + \frac{1}{2} 2^n$$

`> fn2 := ":`

Now check it.

`> for nn from 0 to 10 do`

`print('actual f'(nn)=ff(nn),`

```

        `new formula for
f `(nn)=simplify(subs(n=nn,fn2));
od;

```

actual $f(0) = 0$, new formula for $f(0) = \frac{3}{2}$

actual $f(1) = 1$, new formula for $f(1) = 1$

actual $f(2) = 1$, new formula for $f(2) = 1$

actual $f(3) = 4$, new formula for $f(3) = 4$

actual $f(4) = 9$, new formula for $f(4) = 9$

actual $f(5) = 16$, new formula for $f(5) = 16$

actual $f(6) = 31$, new formula for $f(6) = 31$

actual $f(7) = 64$, new formula for $f(7) = 64$

actual $f(8) = 129$, new formula for $f(8) = 129$

actual $f(9) = 256$, new formula for $f(9) = 256$

actual $f(10) = 511$, new formula for $f(10) = 511$

[We see that it happens to hold for $n=1$ by accident, and indeed does not hold for $n=0$.

[>

Problem 2

The examples shown:

```
[ > sumrecursion(binomial(n,k),k,s(n));
```

$$-s(n+1) + 2s(n) = 0$$

```
[ > zeilberger(binomial(n,k),k,s(n));
```

$$2s(n) - s(n+1) = 0$$

```
[ > fasenmyer(binomial(n,k),k,s(n),0);
```

Error, (in kfreeec) no kfree recurrence equation of order (, 0, 0,) exists

```
[ > fasenmyer(binomial(n,k),k,s(n),1);
```

$$s(n+1) - 2s(n) = 0$$

```
[ > closedform(binomial(n,k),k,n);
```

$$2^n$$

```
[ > Closedform(binomial(n,k),k,n);
```

$$\text{Hyperterm}([1],[],2,n)$$

[and now doing the given problem with each of the various algorithms:

```
[ > closedform(binomial(n,k)^3,k,n);
```

Error, (in zeilberger) algorithm finds no recurrence equation of first order

```
[ > recl := sumrecursion(binomial(n,k)^3,k,s(n));
```

```

[      rec1 := -(n+2)^2 s(n+2) + (21 n + 7 n^2 + 16) s(n+1) + 8 (n+1)^2 s(n) = 0
> r1 := lhs(rec1);

```

$$r1 := -(n+2)^2 s(n+2) + (21 n + 7 n^2 + 16) s(n+1) + 8 (n+1)^2 s(n)$$

Creative telescoping found a recurrence of order 2. Try that for Celine's algorithm.

```

> fasenmyer(binomial(n,k)^3,k,s(n),2);

```

Error, (in kfree) no kfree recurrence equation of order (, 2, 2,) exists

```

> fasenmyer(binomial(n,k)^3,k,s(n),3);

```

$$(3 n + 4) (n + 3)^2 s(n + 3) - 2 (9 n^3 + 57 n^2 + 116 n + 74) s(n + 2)$$

$$- (3 n + 5) (15 n^2 + 55 n + 48) s(n + 1) - 8 (3 n + 7) (n + 1)^2 s(n) = 0$$

```

> rec2 := " :

```

```

> r2 := lhs(rec2);

```

$$r2 := (3 n + 4) (n + 3)^2 s(n + 3) - 2 (9 n^3 + 57 n^2 + 116 n + 74) s(n + 2)$$

$$- (3 n + 5) (15 n^2 + 55 n + 48) s(n + 1) - 8 (3 n + 7) (n + 1)^2 s(n)$$

They appear to be different!

But remember, any recursion can be "multiplied" by a polynomial in n and E to give a higher order recursion. So we could have $r2 = (A+B*E)*r1$, where A,B are polynomials in n; or it could be the function really satisfies an order 1 recurrence, and r1, r2 are both multiples of it.

Set up the equation $r2 - (A+B*E)*r1 = 0$.

Collect it by s(n),s(n+1),...

The coefficients of s(n), s(n+1),... on both sides must agree, hence the coefficient on the left must equal 0. This gives a system of equations in A,B.

```

> Er1 := subs(n=n+1,r1);

```

$$Er1 := -(n+3)^2 s(n+3) + (21 n + 37 + 7 (n+1)^2) s(n+2) + 8 (n+2)^2 s(n+1)$$

```

> ss := {'s(n+i)' $i=0..3};

```

$$ss := \{s(n), s(n+1), s(n+2), s(n+3)\}$$

```

> collect(A*r1 + B*Er1 - r2,ss,factor);

```

$$8 (n + 1)^2 (3 n + A + 7) s(n) +$$

$$(8 B n^2 + 32 B n + 32 B + 21 A n + 7 A n^2 + 16 A + 45 n^3 + 240 n^2 + 419 n + 240)$$

$$s(n + 1) +$$

$$(-A n^2 - 4 A n - 4 A + 18 n^3 + 114 n^2 + 232 n + 148 + 35 B n + 44 B + 7 B n^2)$$

$$s(n + 2) - (n + 3)^2 (3 n + B + 4) s(n + 3)$$

```

> coeffs(" ,ss);

```

$$8 (n + 1)^2 (3 n + A + 7),$$

$$8 B n^2 + 32 B n + 32 B + 21 A n + 7 A n^2 + 16 A + 45 n^3 + 240 n^2 + 419 n + 240,$$

$$-A n^2 - 4 A n - 4 A + 18 n^3 + 114 n^2 + 232 n + 148 + 35 B n + 44 B + 7 B n^2,$$

```

[ -(n+3)^2 (3n+B+4)
[ > solve( { " }, {A,B} );
[                                     { B = -3n - 4, A = -3n - 7 }
[ > subs( " , A+B*E );
[                                     -3n - 7 + (-3n - 4) E
[ >

```

Thus, the second recurrence is $-\left[(3n+7)+(3n+4)E\right]$ *first recurrence.
 SC is Sister Celine's algorithm, CT is Zeilberger's Creative Telescoping.
 Note SC succeeds implies CT succeeds (and with a possibly smaller order recurrence), but not conversely.
 SC finds a homogeneous recurrence of unknown orders in n,k for $F(n,k)$, then converts it to a recurrence for $f(n)=\sum_k F(n,k)$.
 CT finds a nonhomogeneous recurrence for $f(n)$ of unknown order in n alone, so there may not even be a recurrence for $F(n,k)$, or it may exist, but with higher n -order than necessary for $f(n)$.

Problem 3

Koepf 7.4

Let

```

[ > Sum(a[i](n)*s(n+i), i=0..K)=0;
[   Sum(b[i](n)*s(n+i), i=0..K)=0;

```

$$\sum_{i=0}^K a_i(n) s(n+i) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^K b_i(n) s(n+i) = 0$$

be two recurrence equations satisfied by $s(n)$ of the same minimal order K . The first equation minus $a_K(n)/b_K(n)$ * the second equation has order at most $K-1$, and thus is $0=0$ because K was minimal. Thus, any two equations of minimal order are rational multiples of each other. Clearing denominators and removing all common factors, we can get the $a_i(n)$'s to be polynomials s.t. $\gcd(a_0(n), a_1(n), \dots, a_K(n))=1$, and then all other recurrences of order K with polynomials in n as coefficients must be a polynomial multiple of this one.

Koepf 7.7

```
> sumrecursion(hyperterm([a,b],[c+m],1,k),k,s(m));
      (b-c-m)(a-c-m)s(m+1)+(c+m)(a+b-c-m)s(m)=0
```

Koeff 7.10

```
> sumrecursion(binomial(n,k)*pochhammer(x,k)*pochhammer(y,
n-k),k,s(n));
```

$$-s(n+1)+(y+x+n)s(n)=0$$

```
> closedform(binomial(n,k)*pochhammer(x,k)*pochhammer(y,n-
k),k,n);
```

$$\text{pochhammer}(y+x,n)$$

```
>
```

Koeff 7.11

Krawtchouk

```
> sumrecursion((-1)^n*p^n*binomial(N,n)*hyperterm([-n,-x],
[-N],1/p,k),k,K(n));
```

$$(2+n)K(2+n)-(2p-1-pN-n+2np+x)K(1+n)$$

$$+p(-1+p)(-N+n)K(n)=0$$

```
> sumrecursion((-1)^n*p^n*binomial(N,n)*hyperterm([-n,-x],
[-N],1/p,k),k,K(x));
```

$$p(x-N+1)K(x+2)-(2p-1-pN-x+2xp+n)K(x+1)$$

$$+(x+1)(-1+p)K(x)=0$$

```
> sumrecursion((-1)^n*p^n*binomial(N,n)*hyperterm([-n,-x],
[-N],1/p,k),k,K(N));
```

$$-(-1+p)(-N-2+n)K(N+2)-(x+2p+n-3+pN-2N)K(N+1)$$

$$+(x-N-1)K(N)=0$$

```
>
```

Koeff 7.15

```
> for dd from 2 to 5 do
  print('recursion for d'=dd);
  rec :=
  (sumrecursion((-1)^k*binomial(n,k)*binomial(dd*k,n),k,s(
n)));
  print(rec);
  fn := subs(d_=dd, n -> (-d_)^n);
  print('Check at s'(n)=eval(fn), ':
',expand(eval(subs(s=fn,rec))));
```

od:

recursion for d = 2

$$s(n + 1) + 2 s(n) = 0$$

Check at $s(n) = (n \rightarrow (-2)^n), : , 0 = 0$

recursion for d = 3

$$2(2n + 3)s(n + 2) + 3(5n + 7)s(n + 1) + 9(n + 1)s(n) = 0$$

Check at $s(n) = (n \rightarrow (-3)^n), : , 0 = 0$

recursion for d = 4

$$\begin{aligned}
&3(7 + 3n)(4 + 3n)(3n + 8)s(n + 3) \\
&+ 4(4 + 3n)(37n^2 + 180n + 218)s(n + 2) \\
&+ 16(n + 2)(33n^2 + 125n + 107)s(n + 1) + 64(7 + 3n)(n + 2)(n + 1)s(n) = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Check at $s(n) = (n \rightarrow (-4)^n), : , 0 = 0$

recursion for d = 5

$$\begin{aligned}
&8(2n + 7)(2n + 5)(4n + 13)(9 + 4n)(4n + 5)(4n + 15)s(4 + n) \\
&+ 5(9n + 31)(9 + 4n)(4n + 5)(2n + 5)(41n^2 + 283n + 486)s(n + 3) + 25 \\
&(4n + 5)(n + 3)(1048n^4 + 12242n^3 + 52919n^2 + 100279n + 70302)s(n + 2) \\
&+ 125(4n + 13)(n + 3)(n + 2)(152n^3 + 1098n^2 + 2437n + 1623)s(n + 1) \\
&+ 625(2n + 7)(4n + 13)(9 + 4n)(n + 3)(n + 2)(n + 1)s(n) = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Check at $s(n) = (n \rightarrow (-5)^n), : , 0 = 0$

Koepf 7.19(d)

> closedform(binomial(-1/4,k)^2*binomial(-1/4,n-k)^2,k,n);

$$\frac{((2n)!)^3}{(4^n)^3 (n!)^6}$$

Koepf 7.19(e)

This turned out to be much more tedious than I ever imagined it would be...

```

> Fnk := hyperterm([-n,1-a-n,1-b-n],[a,b],1,k);
Fn := hypergeom([-n,1-a-n,1-b-n],[a,b],1);
rec := sumrecursion(Fnk,k,s(n));

```

$$F_{nk} := \frac{\text{pochhammer}(-n, k) \text{pochhammer}(1 - a - n, k) \text{pochhammer}(1 - b - n, k)}{\text{pochhammer}(a, k) \text{pochhammer}(b, k) k!}$$

$$Fn := \text{hypergeom}([-n, 1 - b - n, 1 - a - n], [a, b], 1)$$

$$\text{rec} := (n + 2b)(n + 2a)(n + a + b)(n - 1 + a + b)s(n + 2)$$

$$+ (n + 1)(3n + 2 + 2a + 2b)(2a + 3n + 2b)(3n + 2b - 2 + 2a)s(n) = 0$$

It only involves $s(n)$ and $s(n+2)$, so it's just as easy to solve as a first order recursion would be. But Maple doesn't see that, so I aborted this computation after awhile.

```
> rsolve(rec, s(n));
```

Warning, computation interrupted

Let's transform it via $n=2*N$ (for even n), $t(N)=s(2N)$.

Then $t(N+1)=s(2N+2)$ and it's a first order recursion for $t(N)$.

```
> s_even := closedform(subs(n=2*N, Fnk), k, N);
```

$$s_even := (2N)! \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3}b + \frac{1}{3}a, N\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{3}a + \frac{1}{3}b, N\right) \\ \text{pochhammer}\left(-\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3}b + \frac{1}{3}a, N\right) (-27)^N / \left(4^N \text{pochhammer}(b, N) \right. \\ \left. \text{pochhammer}(a, N) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}b, N\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{2}a, N\right) N! \right)$$

Using Koepf Exercise 1.3, this simplifies to the following (I found no built-in routine that will do this automatically; this was done by hand):

```
> s_even2 := (-2)^(n/2) * (n-1)! / (2^((n-2)/2) * ((n-2)/2)!) \\ * pochhammer(a+b+n-1, n/2) / \\ (pochhammer(a, n/2) * pochhammer(b, n/2));
```

$$s_even2 := \frac{(-2)^{(1/2)n} (n-1)! \text{pochhammer}\left(n-1+a+b, \frac{1}{2}n\right)}{2^{(1/2)n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}n-1\right)! \text{pochhammer}\left(a, \frac{1}{2}n\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(b, \frac{1}{2}n\right)}$$

Verify that s_even, s_even2 , agree:

```
'simplify(subs(N=nn, s_even) - subs(n=2*nn, s_even2))' $ 'nn' = 1. \\ .5;
```

0, 0, 0, 0, 0

Similarly for odd terms, do $n=2N+1$.

```
> s_odd := closedform(subs(n=2*N+1, Fnk), k, N);
```

$$s_odd := N! \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{3}a + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}b, N\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}b + \frac{1}{3}a, N\right)$$

$$\frac{\text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{3}a + \frac{5}{6} + \frac{1}{3}b, N\right)(-27)^N}{\left(\text{pochhammer}\left(b + \frac{1}{2}, N\right)\right)} \\ \text{pochhammer}\left(a + \frac{1}{2}, N\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}b, N\right) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}b, N\right)$$

For odd n, there is a catch --- this answer is absolutely wrong. It should be identically 0. There is a singularity of some sort that the program didn't catch. The series is terminating because the upper parameter -n results in pochhammer(-n,k)=0 for k>=n, so let's compute it directly by summing Fnk(n,k) over k=0..n:

```
>
> Fn_ := proc(nn)
  local kk;
  factor(sum('simpcomb(subs(n=nn, k=kk, Fnk))',
  kk=0..nn));
end;
```

and now evaluate it for n from 0 to 10:

```
> for nn from 0 to 10 do FN[nn] := Fn_(nn) od;
```

$$FN_0 := \text{undefined}$$

$$FN_1 := 0$$

$$FN_2 := -2 \frac{b+1+a}{ab}$$

$$FN_3 := 0$$

$$FN_4 := 12 \frac{(a+b+4)(a+b+3)}{(1+a)ab(1+b)}$$

$$FN_5 := 0$$

$$FN_6 := -120 \frac{(a+7+b)(a+6+b)(a+5+b)}{a(1+a)(a+2)b(1+b)(b+2)}$$

$$FN_7 := 0$$

$$FN_8 := 1680 \frac{(a+10+b)(a+9+b)(a+8+b)(a+7+b)}{a(1+a)(a+2)(3+a)b(1+b)(b+2)(3+b)}$$

$$FN_9 := 0$$

$$FN_{10} := -30240 \frac{(a+9+b)(a+13+b)(a+12+b)(a+11+b)(a+10+b)}{(1+a)(a+2)(3+a)(a+4)(1+b)(b+2)(3+b)(b+4)ba}$$

Empirically, when n is odd, the sum is 0. To prove it, we have the recursion above relating s(n) to s(n+2); since it's 0 for n=1, it's 0 for n=3,5,7,9,... by iterating the

[recursion. Now we consider even n.

```
[ > lcoeff(FN[10]);  
                                     -30240  
[ > 'ifactor(lcoeff(FN[2*nn+2])/lcoeff(FN[2*nn]))'$'nn'=0..4  
  ;  
                                     -(2), -(2)(3), -(2)(5), -(2)(7), -(2)(3)^2
```

[Empirically, when n=2N is even, it is given by the formula above called s_even2.

[Now check whether this direct computation agrees with the automatically discovered formula s_even:

```
[ > 'simplify(FN[2*nn]-subs(N=nn,s_even))'$'nn'=1..5;  
                                     0, 0, 0, 0, 0  
[ >
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Koeopf 7.21

This is like the handout for Koeopf problem 4.7 done in class 10/29/99. It's almost the same except for the functions plugged in.

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[ > sumrecursion(binomial(n-k,k)*x^k,k=0..n/2,s(n));  
                                     -s(n+2)+s(n+1)+x s(n)=0  
[ > sumrecursion(binomial(n+1,2*k+1)*(1+4*x)^k / 2^n,  
  k=0..n/2, s(n));  
                                     -s(n+2)+s(n+1)+x s(n)=0
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[The recursions are the same! Check initial conditions.

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[ > f1 := n -> sum(binomial(n-k,k)*x^k,k=0..n/2);  
  f2 := n -> sum(binomial(n+1,2*k+1)*(1+4*x)^k / 2^n,  
  k=0..n/2);
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$$f1 := n \rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{1/2n} \text{binomial}(n-k, k) x^k$$
$$f2 := n \rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{1/2n} \frac{\text{binomial}(n+1, 2k+1) (1+4x)^k}{2^n}$$

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[ > f1(0)=f2(0), f1(1)=f2(1);  
                                     1 = 1, 1 = 1
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[That's all that's necessary. Check it for more. The variable nn was already set, so we must unset it.

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[ > nn;  
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[ > nn := 'nn';  
                                     nn := nn
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> nn;
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> 'f1(nn)=f2(nn)' $nn=0..5;
1 = 1, 1 = 1, 1 + x = 1 + x, 1 + 2 x = 1 + 2 x, 1 + 3 x + x^2 =  $\frac{15}{16} + \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{1}{16}(1 + 4x)^2$ ,
1 + 4 x + 3 x^2 =  $\frac{13}{16} + \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{3}{16}(1 + 4x)^2$ 
> 'f1(nn)=expand(f2(nn))' $nn=0..5;
1 = 1, 1 = 1, 1 + x = 1 + x, 1 + 2 x = 1 + 2 x, 1 + 3 x + x^2 = 1 + 3 x + x^2,
1 + 4 x + 3 x^2 = 1 + 4 x + 3 x^2

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Fibonacci numbers:

This sum at x=1 gives the Fibonacci numbers. Thus,

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> Sumtohyper(binomial(n-k,k)*x^k,k);

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$$\text{Hypergeom}\left(\left[-\frac{1}{2}n, \frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}n\right], [-n], -4x\right)$$

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> g1 := subs(Hypergeom=hypergeom,x=1,");

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$$g1 := \text{hypergeom}\left(\left[-\frac{1}{2}n, \frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}n\right], [-n], -4\right)$$

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> 'evalf(subs(n=nn,g1))' $nn=1..6;

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1.000000000, 2.000000000, 3.000000000, 5.000000000, 8.000000000,
13.000000000

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> Sumtohyper(binomial(n+1,2*k+1)*(1+4*x)^k / 2^n, k);

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$$(n+1)2^{(-n)} \text{Hypergeom}\left(\left[-\frac{1}{2}n, \frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}n\right], \left[\frac{3}{2}\right], 1+4x\right)$$

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> g2 := subs(Hypergeom=hypergeom,x=1,");

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$$g2 := (n+1)2^{(-n)} \text{hypergeom}\left(\left[-\frac{1}{2}n, \frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}n\right], \left[\frac{3}{2}\right], 5\right)$$

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> 'evalf(subs(n=nn,g2))' $nn=1..6;

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1.000000000, 2.000000000, 3.000000000, 5.000000000, 8.000000001,
13.000000000

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We may write the product as

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> Sum(Sum(Hyperterm([a],[b],x,k)*Hyperterm([a],[b],-x,m),k

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=0..infinity),m=0..infinity);

$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], x, k) \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], -x, m) \right)$$

and letting $n = m+k$, we pull out the factor x^n to get

> Sum(Sum(Hyperterm([a],[b],1,k)*Hyperterm([a],[b],-1,n-k),k=0..n)*x^n,n=0..infinity);

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{k=0}^n \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], 1, k) \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], -1, n - k) \right) x^n$$

Now find an expression for the inside summation.

> sumrecursion(hyperterm([a],[b],1,k)*hyperterm([a],[b],-1,n-k),k=0..n,s(n));

$$-(n+2)(n+2b)(b+n+1)(b+n)s(n+2) + (2a+n)(-2a+2b+n)s(n) = 0$$

Once again, odd and even are different cases! We can tell from the definition of (b) that it is an even function of x , so the odd terms all have coefficient 0. Thus, we rewrite the product again using only even exponents:

> Sum(Sum(Hyperterm([a],[b],1,k)*Hyperterm([a],[b],-1,2*n-k),k=0..2*n)*x^(2*n),n=0..infinity);

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{2n} \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], 1, k) \text{Hyperterm}([a], [b], -1, 2n - k) \right) x^{(2n)}$$

> sumrecursion(hyperterm([a],[b],1,k)*hyperterm([a],[b],-1,2*n-k),k,s(n));

$$-(n+1)(2n+b)(b+n)(2n+1+b)s(n+1) + (n+a)(-a+b+n)s(n) = 0$$

That's better, now it will be able to solve it.

> insidesum :=
closedform(hyperterm([a],[b],1,k)*hyperterm([a],[b],-1,2*n-k),k,n) * x^(2*n);

$$\text{insidesum} := \frac{\text{pochhammer}(a, n) \text{pochhammer}(-a + b, n) \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n x^{(2n)}}{\text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2}b, n\right) \text{pochhammer}(b, n) \text{pochhammer}\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}b, n\right) n!}$$

> Sumtohyper(insidesum,n);

$$\text{Hypergeom}\left([a, -a + b], \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}b, \frac{1}{2}b, b\right], \frac{1}{4}x^2\right)$$

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