## The Fibonacci Double Index Formula

(a) Use the Fibonacci addition formula to prove the Fibonacci double index formulas

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

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

(b) Show that

$$F_{2n} = L_n F_n$$

## **Solution**

- (a) Taking  $F_{n+m} = F_{n-1}F_m + F_nF_{m+1}$  with  $m \to n-1$  gives the result.
- (b)  $m \rightarrow n$  gives the result.