$$f_n^{k+1}(a) | f_{(q+1)n}(a, f_n^{k+1-(q+1)}(a))$$

for  $k+1 \ge q+1 \ge 0$ , and the proof is complete.

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Theorem. Let f(x) be a Fibonacci function (see [1]). Then,

(2)  $\int_{1}^{2} f(t) dt = A$  (A is a constant),

is a necessary and sufficient condition that

(3) 
$$g(x) = \int_{0}^{A} f(t)dt + A, \qquad g(0) = A,$$

also be a Fibonacci function.

<u>Proof.</u> Necessity. If g(x) is a Fibonacci function, then g(x + 2) = g(x + 1) + g(x). For x = 0, g(2) = g(1) + g(0), which simplifies to (2).

Sufficiency. By integration, we have

$$\int_{0}^{X} f(t + 2) dt = \int_{0}^{X} f(t + 1) dt + \int_{0}^{X} f(t) dt$$

Let t + 2 = u and t + 1 = v to obtain

(4) 
$$\int_{2}^{X+2} f(u) du = \int_{1}^{X+1} f(v) dv + \int_{0}^{X} f(t) dt$$

Using (3), we obtain from (4), g(x + 2) = g(x + 1) + g(x), by using (2).

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