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**Abstract**

The Zeckendorf representation, using sums of Fibonacci numbers, is widely known. Fraenkel generalized to recurrence sequences  $u_n = a_1u_{n-1} + \cdots + a_hu_{n-h}$  provided  $a_1 \geq a_2 \geq \cdots \geq a_h > 0$ . We remove this restriction, but do assume  $a_i \geq 0$ , and show that a unique representation of every positive integer is possible with digit strings composed of certain blocks which are lexicographically less than  $a_1a_2 \cdots a_h$ .