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Sol 1. Let me to prove the result with the following well-known identity:

$$F_n = \binom{n-1}{0} + \binom{n-2}{1} + \binom{n-3}{2} + \binom{n-4}{3} + \dots + \binom{n - \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor - 1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}$$

This is obviously well known.

We also use the following well known inequality

$$\binom{k}{m} \leq \binom{k+1}{m} \leq \binom{k+2}{m} \leq \dots \quad \forall k \geq m \geq 0.$$

Now, let me to prove what we need.

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$$\leq \binom{n-1}{0} + \binom{n-1}{1} + \binom{n-1}{2} + \dots + \binom{n-1}{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor}$$

$$\leq \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n-1}{k} \leq 2^{n-1} \leq 2^n$$

Sol 20 We use the following very well-known identity of Cesàro:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} 2^k F_k = F_{3n}$$

If you don't know it's a skill issue. By induction, if F_0, \dots, F_{3n-1} all satisfy with $n \geq 2$, we see $F_{3n}, F_{3n+1}, F_{3n+2}$ also.

$$F_{3n} = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} 2^k F_k \leq \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \cdot 2^k \cdot 2^k = 5^n$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{3n} \leq 5^n \leq 2^{3n} \quad \checkmark$$

We need F_{3n+1} and F_{3n+2} . But clearly, we have, as before (and since $n+1 \leq 3n$)

$$F_{3n+3} = \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} \binom{n+1}{k} 2^k F_k \leq (4+1)^{n+1} = 5^{n+1}$$

and so

$$F_{3n+1} \leq F_{3n+3} \leq 5^{n+1} \leq 2^{3n+1} \quad \checkmark$$

$$F_{3n+2} \leq F_{3n+3} \leq 5^{n+1} \leq 2^{3n+2} \quad \checkmark$$

So $F_{3n}, F_{3n+1}, F_{3n+2}$ satisfy the result.

Base cases
 F_0, F_1, \dots, F_5
trivial.

True if $n \geq 2$
by easy induction