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INTEGRAL SOLUTION OF $43x^2 + y^2 = z^2$

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ABSTRACT

The ternary quadratic homogeneous equation representing homogeneous cone given by $43x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ is analyzed for its non-zero distinct integer points on it. Three different patterns of integer points satisfying the cone under consideration are obtained. A few interesting relations between the solutions and special number patterns namely Polygonal number, Pyramidal number, Octahedral number, Pronic number, Stella octangular number, Pentatope number and Nasty number are presented. Also knowing an integer solution satisfying the given cone, three triples of integers generated from the given solution are exhibited.

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Notations:

P_n^m - Pyramidal number of rank n with size m.

$T_{m,n}$ - Polygonal number of rank n with size m.

Pr_n - Pronic number of rank n

INTRODUCTION

The ternary quadratic Diophantine equations offer an unlimited field for research due to their variety [1, 21]. For an extensive review of various problems, one may refer [2-20]. This communication concerns with yet another interesting ternary quadratic equation $43x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ representing a cone for determining its infinitely many non-zero integral points. Also, a few interesting relations among the solutions are presented.

METHOD OF ANALYSIS:

The ternary quadratic equation under consideration is $43x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ (1)

To start with it is seen that the triples $(k, 21k, 22k), (2k + 1, 2k^2 + 2k - 21, 2k^2 + 2k + 22)$

and $(2rs, r^2 - 43s^2, r^2 + 43s^2)$ Satisfy (1).

However, we have other choices of solutions to (1) which are illustrated below:
 consider (1) as

$$43x^2 + y^2 = z^2 * 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Assume } z = a^2 + 43b^2 \quad (3)$$

Write 1 as

$$1 = \frac{((21 + 2n - 2n^2) + i(2n - 1)\sqrt{43})((21 + 2n - 2n^2) - i(2n - 1)\sqrt{43})}{(22 - 2n + 2n^2)^2} \quad (4)$$

Substituting (3) and (4) in (2) and employing the method of factorization. define

$$y + i\sqrt{43}x = (a + i\sqrt{43}b)^2 \frac{[(21 + 2n - 2n^2) + i(2n - 1)\sqrt{43}]}{(22 - 2n + 2n^2)^2}$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts in the above equation, we get

$$x = \frac{[2(21 + 2n - 2n^2)ab - (a^2 - 43b^2)(2n - 1)]}{22 - 2n + 2n^2}$$

$$y = \frac{[(21 + 2n - 2n^2)(a^2 - 43b^2) - 86ab(2n - 1)]}{22 - 2n + 2n^2}$$

Replacing a by $(22 - 2n + 2n^2)A$, b by $(22 - 2n + 2n^2)B$ in the above equation corresponding integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= (22 - 2n + 2n^2)[(A^2 - 43B^2)(2n - 1) + \{2AB(21 + 2n - 2n^2)\}] \\ y &= (22 - 2n + 2n^2)[(A^2 - 43B^2)(21 + 2n - 2n^2) - \{86AB(2n - 1)\}] \\ z &= (22 - 2n + 2n^2)^2(A^2 + 43B^2) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (A)$$

For simplicity and clear understanding, taking $n=1$ in (A), the corresponding integer solutions of (1) are given by

$$x = 22A^2 - 946B^2 + 924AB$$

$$y = 462A^2 - 19866B^2 - 1892AB$$

$$z = 22^2(A^2 + 43B^2)$$

Properties:

$$x(A, 1) - t_{(46, A)} \equiv -1 \pmod{945}$$

$$x(A, 1) - 2t_{(24, A)} \equiv -2 \pmod{944}$$

$$x(n + 1, n^2) - t_{(46, n)} + 946t_{(4, n^2)} - 1848p_n^5 \equiv 22 \pmod{65}$$

$$x(n + 1, n) - t_{(1850, n)} - 924pr_n \equiv 22 \pmod{879}$$

$$y(A,1) - t_{(926,A)} \equiv -1263 \pmod{1431}$$

$$y(n+1, n^2) - t_{(926,n)} + 19866 t_{(4,n^2)} + 3784 p_n^5 \equiv 462 \pmod{1385}$$

$$y(n+1, n) - t_{(38810,n)} + 1892 pr_n \equiv 462 \pmod{18479}$$

Each of the following represents a nasty number

$$66z(A, A) = 6(22A)^2$$

$$y(14A, 2A) = 6(2A)^2$$

It is worth to note that 1 in (2) may also be represented as

$$1 = \frac{\{(43 - 4n^2) + i(4n)\sqrt{43}\} \{(43 - 4n^2) - i(4n)\sqrt{43}\}}{(43 + 4n^2)^2}$$

Following the analysis presented above, the corresponding integer solutions to (1) are found to be

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= (43 + 4n^2)[(A^2 - 43B^2)(4n) + \{2AB(43 - 2n^2)\}] \\ y &= (43 + 4n^2)[(A^2 - 43B^2)(43 - 4n^2) - \{344nAB\}] \\ z &= (43 + 4n^2)^2(A^2 + 43B^2) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (B)$$

For the sake of simplicity, taking $n=1$ in (B), the corresponding integer solution of (1) are given by

$$x = 188A^2 - 8084B^2 + 3666AB$$

$$y = 1833A^2 - 78819B^2 - 16168AB$$

$$z = 47^2(A^2 + 43B^2)$$

Properties:

$$x(A,1) - t_{(378,A)} \equiv -376 \pmod{3853}$$

$$x(A,1) - 2t_{(190,A)} \equiv -380 \pmod{3854}$$

$$x(n+1, n^2) - t_{(378,n)} + 8084 t_{(4,n^2)} - 7332 p_n^5 \equiv 188 \pmod{563}$$

$$x(n+1, n) - t_{(15794,n)} - 3666 pr_n \equiv 188 \pmod{7519}$$

$$y(A,1) - t_{(3668,A)} \equiv -7139 \pmod{14336}$$

$$y(n+1, n^2) - t_{(3668,n)} + 78819 t_{(4,n^2)} + 32336 p_n^5 \equiv 1833 \pmod{5498}$$

$$y(n+1, n) - t_{(153974,n)} + 16168 pr_n \equiv 1833 \pmod{73319}$$

Generation of integer solutions

Let (x_0, y_0, z_0) be any given integer solution of (1)

Then, each of the following triples of integers satisfies (1):

Triple 1: (x_{n1}, y_{n1}, z_{n1})

$$x_{n1} = 44x_0 + 2y_0 - 7z_0$$

$$y_{n1} = 86x_0 + 5y_0 - 14z_0$$

$$z_{n1} = 301x_0 + 14y_0 - 48z_0$$

Triple 2: (x_{n2}, y_{n2}, z_{n2})

$$x_{n2} = \frac{1}{42} [\{43(-21)^n - (21)^n\}x_0 + \{(21)^n - (-21)^n\}z_0]$$

$$y_{n2} = 21^n y_0$$

$$z_{n2} = \frac{1}{42} [\{43(-21)^n - 43(21)^n\}x_0 + \{43(21)^n - (-21)^n\}z_0]$$

Triple 3: (x_{n3}, y_{n3}, z_{n3})

$$x_{n3} = \frac{1}{44} [\{43(-22)^n + (22)^n\}x_0 + \{(-22)^n - (22)^n\}y_0]$$

$$y_{n3} = \frac{1}{44} [\{43(-22)^n - 43(22)^n\}x_0 + \{43(22)^n + (-22)^n\}y_0]$$

$$z_{n3} = 22^n z_0$$

Triple 4: (x_{n4}, y_{n4}, z_{n4})

$$x_{n4} = 4^n x_0$$

$$y_{n4} = \frac{1}{8} [\{9(4)^n - (-4)^n\}y_0 + \{3(-4)^n - 3(4)^n\}z_0]$$

$$z_{n4} = \frac{1}{8} [\{3(4)^n - 3(-4)^n\}y_0 + \{9(-4)^n - (4)^n\}z_0]$$

CONCLUSION

In this paper, we have presented three different patterns of non-zero distinct integer solutions of the homogeneous cone given by $43x^2 + y^2 = z^2$. To conclude, one may search for other patterns of solution and their corresponding properties.

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