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Lattice Points on the Homogeneous Cone

$$7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^2$$

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Abstract:

We obtain infinitely many non-zero distinct integral points on the homogeneous cone given by $7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^2$. A few interesting relations between the solutions and special number patterns are presented.

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Notations:

- $t_{m,n}$: Polygonal number of rank n with size m
- P_n : Pronic number of rank n
- G_n : Gnomonic number of rank n
- S_n : Star number of rank n
- M_n : Mersenne number of rank n
- HG_n : Hexagonal number of rank n
- Ky_n : Kynea number of rank n
- W_n : Woodall number of rank n
- TK_n : Thabit ibn Kurrah number of rank n
- P_n^m : Pyramidal number of rank n with size m
- SO_n : Stella octagonal number of rank n

1. Introduction

The ternary quadratic diophantine equations (homogeneous and non-homogeneous) offer an unlimited field for research of variety in [1-2]. For an extensive review of various problems one may refer [3-19]. This communication concerns with yet another interesting ternary quadratic equation $7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^2$ for determining its infinitely many non-zero integral solutions. Also a few interesting relations between the solutions and special number patterns are presented.

2. Method of Analysis

The ternary quadratic equation representing homogeneous equation is

$$7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^2 \quad (1)$$

2.1. Pattern I

Introducing the linear transformations,

$$x = u + v, y = u - v \quad (2)$$

in (1) leads to

$$u^2 + 27v^2 = 28z^2 \quad (3)$$

Let

$$z = a^2 + 27b^2 \quad (4)$$

write 28 as,

$$28 = (1 + i3\sqrt{3})(1 - i3\sqrt{3}) \quad (5)$$

Using (4) and (5) in (3) and applying the method of factorization, define

$$u + i3\sqrt{3}v = (1 + i3\sqrt{3})(a + i3\sqrt{3}b)^2$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we get

$$u = a^2 - 27b^2 - 54ab$$

$$v = a^2 - 27b^2 + 2ab$$

The corresponding integral values of x, y, z satisfying (1) are obtained as,

$$x(a, b) = 2a^2 - 54b^2 - 52ab$$

$$y(a, b) = -56ab$$

$$z(a, b) = a^2 + 27b^2$$

2.1.1. Properties

1. Each of the following expression is a nasty number.

$$6[x(a, b) - y(a, b) - z(a, b) + 85b^2]$$

$$z(a, a) - 4a^2$$

$$6[z(a, 2^a) - 9(TK_{2a} + 1)]$$

$$2. y(a, a-1) + 56P_{a-1} = 0$$

$$3. x(a, a(a-1)) + 54P_{(a-1)^2} + 104t_{3,a} = 0$$

2.2. Pattern II

(3) can be written as,

$$27v^2 = 28z^2 - u^2 \quad (6)$$

write 27 as,

$$27 = (\sqrt{28} + 1)(\sqrt{28} - 1) \quad (7)$$

Let

$$v = 28a^2 - b^2 \quad (8)$$

Substituting (7) and (8) in (6) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$(\sqrt{28} + 1)(\sqrt{28} - 1)(\sqrt{28}a + b)^2(\sqrt{28}a - b)^2 = (\sqrt{28}z + u)(\sqrt{28}z - u)$$

Equating the rational and irrational parts, we get

$$z = 28a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$$

$$u = 28a^2 + b^2 + 56ab$$

The corresponding integral values of x, y, z satisfying (1) are obtained as,

$$x(a, b) = 56a^2 + 56ab$$

$$y(a, b) = 2a^2 + 56ab$$

$$z(a, b) = 28a^2 + b^2 + 2ab$$

2.2.1. Properties

$$1. x(a, b) \equiv y(a, b) \pmod{54}$$

$$2. t_{56,a} + (a + b)^2 - z(a, b) \equiv 0 \pmod{26}$$

$$3. x(a, a) + y(a, a) - z(a, a) \equiv 0 \pmod{139}$$

$$4. z(a, a-1) - S_a - 2a \text{ is a perfect square.}$$

$$5. x(a, 1) - 56P_a = 0$$

2.3. Pattern III

(3) can be written as,

$$u^2 + 27v^2 = 27z^2 + z^2$$

$$u^2 - z^2 = 27z^2 - 27v^2$$

$$\frac{u+z}{z-v} = 27 \frac{z+v}{u-z} = \frac{A}{B}, B \neq 0$$

This is equivalent to the following two equations

$$Bu + z(B - A) + Av = 0$$

$$-Au + z(27B + A) + 27Bv = 0$$

On employing the method of cross multiplication, we get

$$u = 27b^2 - 54ab - 2a^2$$

$$v = 27b^2 + 2ab - a^2$$

$$z = -27b^2 - a^2$$

The corresponding integral values of x, y, z satisfying (1) are obtained as,

$$x(a, b) = 56b^2 - 52ab - 2a^2$$

$$y(a, b) = -56ab$$

$$z = -27b^2 - a^2$$

2.3.1. Properties

1. $x(a, b) - y(a, b) + z(a, b) \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$

2. $z(a, b) + a^2 \equiv 0 \pmod{27}$

3. $y(a, 2^a) + 56(W_a + 1) = 0$

2.4. Pattern IV

Introducing the linear transformation,

$$u = X + 27T, v = X - T \tag{9}$$

Substituting (9) in (3) we get,

$$X^2 + 27T^2 = z^2 \tag{10}$$

Solving (10)

$$T = 2ab, z = 27a^2 + b^2, X = 27a^2 - b^2$$

Then the corresponding integral values of x, y, z satisfying (1) are obtained as,

$$x(a, b) = 54a^2 - 2b^2 + 52ab$$

$$y(a, b) = 56ab$$

$$z(a, b) = 27a^2 + b^2$$

2.4.1. Properties

1. $x(a, b) - y(a, b) - 2z(a, b) \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$

2. $y(a, a - 1) - z(a, a - 1) + 23G_a$ can be written as difference between two perfect square.

3. $z(2^a, 1) - 27M_a \equiv 0 \pmod{28}$

2.5. Pattern V

(3) can be written as,

$$1 = \sqrt{28} - \sqrt{27} \tag{11}$$

Let

$$u = 28a^2 - 27b^2 \tag{12}$$

write 1 as

$$1 = (\sqrt{28} - \sqrt{27})(\sqrt{28} + \sqrt{27}) \tag{13}$$

Substituting (12) and (13) in (11) and applying the method of factorization we define,

$$(\sqrt{28} + \sqrt{27})(\sqrt{28a} + \sqrt{27b})^2 = (\sqrt{28z} + \sqrt{27v})$$

Equating the rational and irrational parts, we get

$$z = 28a^2 + 27b^2 + 54ab$$

$$u = 28a^2 - 27b^2$$

$$v = 28a^2 + 27b^2 + 56ab$$

Then the corresponding integral values of x, y, z satisfying (1) are obtained as,

$$x(a,b) = 56a^2 + 56ab$$

$$y(a,b) = -54b^2 - 56ab$$

$$z(a,b) = 28a^2 + 27b^2 + 54ab$$

2.5.1. Properties

1. $12[x(a, a) + y(a, a)]$ is a nasty number.

2. $x(a, a - 1) - z(a, a - 1) - HG_a \equiv 25 \pmod{53}$

3. $56[Ky_a + 1] - x(2^a, 2) = 0$

3. Remarkable Observations

1. If (x_0, y_0, z_0) is any known solution of (1) then the triple (X, Y, Z) given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{pmatrix} = 21^{2n-2} \begin{pmatrix} 21 & 0 & 0 \\ -13 & 35 & -56 \\ -13 & 14 & -35 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ y_0 \\ z_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

also satisfies (1).

$$2.7 \left[\left(\frac{6P_{x-1}^4}{t_{3,2(x-1)}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{P_y^5}{t_{3,y}} \right)^2 \right] - 13 \left(\frac{6P_{x-1}^4}{t_{3,2(x-1)}} \right) \left(\frac{P_y^5}{t_{3,y}} \right) \equiv 0 \pmod{28}$$

$$3.7 \left[\left(\frac{3P_{x-2}^3}{t_{3,x-2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{3P_{y+1}^3}{t_{3,y+1}} \right)^2 \right] - 13 \left(\frac{3P_{x-2}^3}{t_{3,x-2}} \right) \left(\frac{3P_{y+1}^3}{t_{3,y+1}} \right) \equiv 0 \pmod{28}$$

$$4.7 \left[\left(\frac{6P_x^4}{HG_{x+1}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{2P_{y-1}^8}{t_{3,2y-3}} \right)^2 \right] - 13 \left(\frac{6P_x^4}{HG_{x+1}} \right) \left(\frac{2P_{y-1}^8}{t_{3,2y-3}} \right) \equiv 0 \pmod{28}$$

5. Each of the following expression is a nasty number

$$i. 42 \left[7 \left[\left(\frac{6P_x^4}{t_{3,2x+1}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{HG_y}{G_y} \right)^2 \right] - 13 \left(\frac{6P_x^4}{t_{3,2x+1}} \right) \left(\frac{HG_y}{G_y} \right) \right]$$

$$ii. 42 \left[7 \left[\left(\frac{3P_x^3}{t_{3,x+1}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{HG_y}{SO_y} \right)^2 \right] - 13 \left(\frac{3P_x^3}{t_{3,x+1}} \right) \left(\frac{HG_y}{SO_y} \right) \right]$$

4. Conclusion

To conclude one may search for other patterns of solutions and their properties:

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