



INTEGRAL POINTS ON THE CONE $3(x^2 + y^2) - 5xy = 47z^2$
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ABSTRACT

The ternary quadratic Diophantine equation $3(x^2 + y^2) - 5xy = 47z^2$ representing a cone is analyzed for non-zero distinct integer points on it. Different patterns of integer solutions to the cone under consideration are presented. A few interesting relations among the solutions are given.

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INTRODUCTION

The ternary quadratic Diophantine equations offer an unlimited field for research due to their variety [1, 2]. For an extensive review of various problems, one may refer [3-21]. This communication concerns with yet another interesting ternary quadratic equation $3(x^2 + y^2) - 5xy = 47z^2$ representing a cone for determining its infinitely many non-zero integral points. Also, a few interesting relations among the solutions are presented.

NOTATIONS

- P_n^m - Pyramidal number of rank n with size m
- $T_{m,n}$ - Polygonal number of rank n with size m
- P_r_n - Pronic number of rank n

METHOD OF ANALYSIS

The ternary quadratic equation to be solved for its non-zero distinct integer solutions is

$$3(x^2 + y^2) - 5xy = 47z^2 \quad (1)$$

To start with, it is noted that (1) is satisfied by the following triples of integers:

$$(x, y, z) : (1854, 1242, 270), (1760, 1336, 248),$$

$$(14A^2 + 108A - 1242, 10A^2 - 84A - 1854, 2A^2 + 24A + 270),$$

$$(14A^2 - 80A - 1336, 10A^2 + 104A - 1760, 2A^2 - 20A + 248)$$

However we have other patterns of solutions to (1) which are illustrated below:

The substitution of the linear transformation

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

where $u \neq v \neq 0$ in (1) leads to

$$u^2 + 11v^2 = 47z^2 \quad (3)$$

Now (3) is solved through different methods to get u, v and z . Thus in view of (2), one obtains different patterns of solutions to (1).

PATTERN 1:

$$\text{Assume } z = z(a, b) = a^2 + 11b^2, \quad a, b \neq 0 \quad (4)$$

Write 47 as

$$47 = (6 + i\sqrt{11})(6 - i\sqrt{11}) \quad (5)$$

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

$$u + i\sqrt{11}v = (6 + i\sqrt{11})(a + i\sqrt{11}b)^2$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u &= 6a^2 - 66b^2 - 22ab \\ v &= a^2 - 11b^2 + 12ab \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (6)$$

Substituting (6) in (2), the values of x and y are given by

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= x(a, b) = 7a^2 - 77b^2 - 10ab \\ y &= y(a, b) = 5a^2 - 55b^2 - 34ab \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (7)$$

Thus (4) and (7) represents non-zero distinct integer solutions of (1).

Properties:

1. $x(A, 1) + y(A, 1) - T_{26, A} \equiv 0 \pmod{33}$
2. $y(1, B) + 55Pr_B \equiv 5 \pmod{21}$
3. $5z(A, A+1) + y(A, A+1) + 68T_{3, A} = 10T_{4, A}$
4. $x(1, B) + T_{156, B} - 7 \equiv 0 \pmod{86}$
5. $z(A, 2) - 4z(A, 1) + 3T_{4, A} = 0$
6. $y(A(A+1), 2A) + 116P_A^5 + 75(T_{6, A} + Pr_A) = 5T_{4, A}^2$
7. $x(A+1, A+1) - y(A+1, A+1)$ is a perfect square.
8. $3A\{x(-A, A) - x(2A, A)\}$ is a cubic integer.
9. Each of the following expressions is a nasty number.
 - (i) $z(A, A) - y(A, A)$
 - (ii) $2z(A, A)$

PATTERN 2:

Equation (3) can be written as

$$u^2 + 11v^2 = 47z^2 * 1 \quad (8)$$

Write 1 as

$$1 = \frac{(5+i\sqrt{11})(5-i\sqrt{11})}{36} \quad (9)$$

Using (4), (5) and (9) in (8) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$u + i\sqrt{11}v = (6+i\sqrt{11})(a+i\sqrt{11}b)^2 \left(\frac{5+i\sqrt{11}}{6} \right)$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u &= \frac{1}{6} [19(a^2 - 11b^2) - 242ab] \\ v &= \frac{1}{6} [11(a^2 - 11b^2) + 38ab] \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (10)$$

Substituting (10) in (2), we have

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= 5a^2 - 55b^2 - 34ab \\ y &= \frac{1}{3} [4a^2 - 44b^2 - 140ab] \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (11)$$

Replacing a by $3a$ and b by $3b$ in (4) and (11), the corresponding integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$\begin{aligned} x &= x(a,b) = 45a^2 - 495b^2 - 306ab \\ y &= y(a,b) = 12a^2 - 132b^2 - 420ab \\ z &= z(a,b) = 9a^2 + 99b^2 \end{aligned}$$

Properties:

1. $y(A,1) - T_{26,A} \equiv -132 \pmod{409}$
2. $z(A,1) + y(A,1) - T_{44,A} \equiv -33 \pmod{400}$
3. $z(A(A+1), A) = 36P_A^5 + 90T_{4,A} + 9T_{4,A}^2$
4. $x(A,2) - T_{92,A} \equiv -276 \pmod{568}$
5. $x(A^2+1, A) - 45T_{4,A}^2 + 612P_A^5 + 99Pr_A \equiv 45 \pmod{207}$
6. $y(A-1, -A) - 100T_{8,A} \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$
7. $x(2A,1) - 2T_{182,A} \equiv -61 \pmod{434}$
8. $3(z(1, A) - 99T_{4,A})$ is a cubic integer.
9. Each of the following expressions is a nasty number.
 - (i) $y(A, -A) - 150T_{4,A}$
 - (ii) $x(-2A, A) - 3T_{4,A}$

PATTERN 3:

Write 47 as

$$47 = \frac{(41+i\sqrt{11})(41-i\sqrt{11})}{36} \quad (12)$$

Substituting (4) and (12) in (3) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$u + i\sqrt{11}v = \left(\frac{41+i\sqrt{11}}{6} \right) (a+i\sqrt{11}b)^2$$

Following the procedure as in pattern 1, the corresponding solutions to (1) are obtained as

$$\begin{aligned}x &= x(a,b) = 63a^2 - 693b^2 + 90ab \\y &= y(a,b) = 60a^2 - 660b^2 - 156ab \\z &= z(a,b) = 9a^2 + 99b^2\end{aligned}$$

Properties:

1. $y(A,1) - 6T_{22,A} \equiv -48 \pmod{102}$
2. $x(A,1) - 63Pr_A \equiv -18 \pmod{27}$
3. $z(A+3, A-2) - 12T_{20,A} \equiv 231 \pmod{246}$
4. Each of the following expressions is a perfect square.
 - (i) $x(3A, A)$
 - (ii) $x(A,1) + 7z(A,1) - 90Pr_A$
5. $x(3A, A) + 6T_{4,A}$ is a nasty number.

PATTERN 4:

Write 1 as

$$1 = \frac{(5+i\sqrt{11})(5-i\sqrt{11})}{36} \quad (13)$$

Using (4), (12) and (13) in (8) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$u + i\sqrt{11}v = \left(\frac{41+i\sqrt{11}}{6}\right)(a+i\sqrt{11}b)^2 \left(\frac{5+i\sqrt{11}}{6}\right)$$

Following the procedure as in pattern 2, the corresponding integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$\begin{aligned}x &= x(a,b) = 60a^2 - 660b^2 - 156ab \\y &= y(a,b) = 37a^2 - 407b^2 - 350ab \\z &= z(a,b) = 9a^2 + 99b^2\end{aligned}$$

Properties:

1. $x(A,1) - y(A,1) - 23Pr_A \equiv -82 \pmod{171}$
2. $z(A,1) - T_{20,A} \equiv 3 \pmod{8}$
3. $z(2A,1) - 9T_{10,A} \equiv 18 \pmod{27}$
4. Each of the following expressions is a perfect square.
 - (i) $y(2A, -A)$
 - (ii) $-y(-A, A) - 4T_{4,A}$

PATTERN 5:

Introducing the transformations

$$\left. \begin{aligned}z &= X + 11T \\v &= X + 47T \\u &= 6U\end{aligned} \right\} \quad (14)$$

in (3), it becomes

$$X^2 = U^2 + 51T^2$$

which is satisfied by

$$\left. \begin{aligned} T &= 2ab \\ U &= 517a^2 - b^2 \\ X &= 517a^2 + b^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (15)$$

From (2), (14) and (15), the integer solutions to (1) are found to be

$$\begin{aligned} x &= x(a,b) = 3619a^2 - 5b^2 + 94ab \\ y &= y(a,b) = 2585a^2 - 7b^2 - 94ab \\ z &= z(a,b) = 517a^2 + b^2 + 22ab \end{aligned}$$

NOTE:

Instead of (14), if we introduce the transformations

$$\left. \begin{aligned} z &= X - 11T \\ v &= X - 47T \\ u &= 6U \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Then the corresponding solutions to (1) are given by

$$\begin{aligned} x &= x(a,b) = 3619a^2 - 5b^2 - 94ab \\ y &= y(a,b) = 2585a^2 - 7b^2 + 94ab \\ z &= z(a,b) = 517a^2 + b^2 - 22ab \end{aligned}$$

REMARKABLE OBSERVATIONS

A: If the non-zero integer triples (X_0, Y_0, Z_0) is any solution of (1), then each of the following two triples represented by $(X_0, 80X_0 - 95Y_0 + 376Z_0, 20X_0 - 24Y_0 + 95Z_0)$ and $(-95X_0 + 80Y_0 - 376Z_0, Y_0, 24X_0 - 20Y_0 + 95Z_0)$ also satisfies (1).

B: Employing the solution (x, y, z) of (1) each of the following expressions among the special polygonal and pyramidal numbers are observed.

$$1. \frac{1}{47} \left\{ 3 \left[\left(\frac{P_x^5}{T_{3,x}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{3P_{y-2}^3}{T_{3,y-2}} \right)^2 \right] - 5 \left(\frac{P_x^5}{T_{3,x}} \right) \left(\frac{3P_{y-2}^3}{T_{3,y-2}} \right) \right\} \text{ is a perfect square.}$$

$$2. 3 \left[\left(\frac{3P_{x-2}^3}{T_{3,x-2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{P_y^5}{T_{3,y}} \right)^2 \right] - 15 \left(\frac{P_{x-2}^3}{T_{3,x-2}} \right) \left(\frac{P_y^5}{T_{3,y}} \right) = 47 \left(\frac{6P_{z-1}^4}{T_{3,2(z-1)}} \right)^2$$

$$3. 3 \left[\left(\frac{3P_{x-2}^3}{T_{3,x-2}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{P_y^5}{T_{3,y}} \right)^2 \right] - 15 \left(\frac{P_{x-2}^3}{T_{3,x-2}} \right) \left(\frac{P_y^5}{T_{3,y}} \right) \equiv 0 \pmod{47}$$

CONCLUSION

In this paper, we have presented a few choices of integral points on the cone $3(x^2 + y^2) - 5xy = 47z^2$. One may search for other patterns of solutions and their corresponding properties.

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