

# A New Modular Relation of Ratio's of Ramanujan Quantity of Degree 9

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

In Chapter 16 of his second notebook [1], Ramanujan develops the theory of theta-function and is defined by

$$(1.1) \quad f(a, b) := \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}} b^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}, \quad |ab| < 1,$$

$$= (-a; ab)_{\infty} (-b; ab)_{\infty} (ab; ab)_{\infty}$$

where  $(a; q)_0 = 1$  and  $(a; q)_{\infty} = (1-a)(1-aq)(1-aq^2) \cdots$ .

Following Ramanujan, we defined

$$(1.2) \quad \varphi(q) := f(q, q) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{n^2} = \frac{(-q; -q)_{\infty}}{(q; -q)_{\infty}},$$

$$(1.3) \quad \psi(q) := f(q, q^3) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} q^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}} = \frac{(q^2; q^2)_{\infty}}{(q; q^2)_{\infty}},$$

$$(1.4) \quad f(-q) := f(-q, -q^2) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-1)^n q^{\frac{n(3n-1)}{2}} = (q; q)_{\infty}$$

and

$$(1.5) \quad \chi(q) := (-q; q^2)_{\infty}.$$

Now we define a modular equation in brief. The ordinary hypergeometric series  ${}_2F_1(a, b; c; x)$  is defined by

$${}_2F_1(a, b; c; x) := \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a)_n (b)_n}{(c)_n n!} x^n,$$

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where  $(a)_0 = 1, (a)_n = a(a + 1)(a + 2) \cdots (a + n - 1)$  for any positive integer  $n$ , and  $|x| < 1$ .  
Let

$$(1.6) \quad z := z(x) := {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; x\right)$$

and

$$(1.7) \quad q := q(x) := \exp\left(-\pi \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; 1-x\right)}{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; x\right)}\right),$$

where  $0 < x < 1$ .

Let  $r$  denote a fixed natural number and assume that the following relation holds:

$$(1.8) \quad r \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; 1-\alpha\right)}{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; \alpha\right)} = \frac{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; 1-\beta\right)}{{}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; \beta\right)}.$$

Then a modular equation of degree  $r$  in the classical theory is a relation between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  induced by (1.8). We often say that  $\beta$  is of degree  $r$  over  $\alpha$  and  $m := \frac{z(\alpha)}{z(\beta)}$  is called the multiplier. We also use the notations  $z_1 := z(\alpha)$  and  $z_r := z(\beta)$  to indicate that  $\beta$  has degree  $r$  over  $\alpha$ .

In [6],[7] Nikos Bagis define Ramanujan Quantities  $R(a, b, p; q)$  as

$$(1.9) \quad R(a, b, p; q) = q^{-(a-b)/2+(a^2-b^2)/(2p)} \frac{\prod_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 - q^a q^{np})(1 - q^{p-a} q^{np})}{\prod_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 - q^b q^{np})(1 - q^{p-b} q^{np})},$$

where  $a, b,$  and  $p$  are positive rationales such that  $a + b < p$ . General Theorem such

$$(1.10) \quad \frac{q^{B-A}}{1 - a_1 b_1} + \frac{(a_1 - b_1 q_1)(b_1 - a_1 q_1)}{(1 - a_1 b_1)(q_1^2 + 1)} + \frac{(a_1 - b_1 q_1^3)(b_1 - a_1 q_1^3)}{(1 - a_1 b_1)(q_1^4 + 1)} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{\prod_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 - q^a q^{np})(1 - q^{p-a} q^{np})}{\prod_{n=0}^{\infty} (1 - q^b q^{np})(1 - q^{p-b} q^{np})}$$

where  $a_1 = q^A, b_1 = q^B, q_1 = q^{A+B}, a = 2A + 3p/4, 2B + p/4,$  and  $p = 4(A + B), |q| < 1,$  are proved.

In [3], B. N. Dharmendra, C. S. Shivakumar Swamy, and S. Vasanth Kumar established the several modular equations of Ramanujan Quantities  $R(1, 2, 4; q)$  and  $R(1, 2, 4; q^n)$  for  $n = 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 23$  and  $25$ .

Recently [4], Dharmendra B. N.\* and M. S. Ramesh established a new modular equations of ratios of Ramanujan Quantities  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q)}{R(1,2,4;q^5)}$  and  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q^n)}{R(1,2,4;q^{5n})}$  degree 5 for  $n = 2, 3, 5$  and  $7$ .

Motivated the above work we obtain certain modular relations between  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q)}{R(1,2,4;q^9)}$  and  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q^n)}{R(1,2,4;q^{9n})}$  for  $n = 2, 3, 5$  and  $7$ .

## 2. PRELIMINARY RESULTS

**Definition 2.1.** [7]

$$(2.1) \quad [a, p; q] = (q^{p-a}; q^p)_{\infty} (q^a; q^p)_{\infty}$$

where  $q = e^{-\pi\sqrt{r}}$  and  $a, p, r > 0$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [7]

$$(2.2) \quad R(a, b, p; q) := q^{-(a-b)/2+(a^2-b^2)/(2p)} \frac{[a, p; q]}{[b, p; q]}$$

**Lemma 2.1.** [1, Ch. 16, Entry 25, p.40]

$$(2.3) \quad \psi(q)\psi(-q) = \psi(q^2)\varphi(-q^2).$$

**Lemma 2.2.** [1, Ch. 17, Entry 10-11, p.122-123]

$$(2.4) \quad \varphi(-q^2) = \sqrt{z}(1 - \alpha)^{1/8}$$

$$(2.5) \quad \psi(-q) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}z\{\alpha(1 - \alpha)q^{-1}\}}^{1/8}$$

where  $q = e^{-y}$

**Lemma 2.3.** [5] If  $P = \frac{\psi(q)}{q\psi(q^9)}$  and  $Q = \frac{\psi(q^2)}{q^2\psi(q^{18})}$ , then

$$(2.6) \quad \frac{P}{Q} + \frac{Q}{P} + 2 = \frac{3}{P} + P.$$

**Lemma 2.4.** [5] If  $P = \frac{\psi(q)}{q\psi(q^9)}$  and  $Q = \frac{\psi(q^3)}{q^3\psi(q^{27})}$ , then

$$(2.7) \quad \left(3 - P - \frac{3}{P}\right) \left(3 - Q - \frac{3}{Q}\right) = \left(\frac{Q}{P}\right)^2.$$

**Lemma 2.5.** [5] If  $P = \frac{\psi(q)\psi(q^5)}{q^6\psi(q^9)\psi(q^{45})}$  and  $Q = \frac{\psi(q)\psi(q^{45})}{q^{-4}\psi(q^9)\psi(q^5)}$ , then

$$(2.8) \quad \begin{aligned} & Q^3 + \frac{1}{Q^3} - 15 \left(Q^2 + \frac{1}{Q^2}\right) - 45 \left(Q + \frac{1}{Q}\right) - \left(P^2 + \frac{81}{P^2}\right) - 10 \left(P + \frac{9}{P}\right) \\ & \times \left[2 + Q + \frac{1}{Q}\right] + 5 \left(\sqrt{P^3} + \frac{3^3}{\sqrt{P^3}}\right) \left(\sqrt{Q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q}}\right) + 15 \left(\sqrt{P} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{P}}\right) \\ & \times \left[\left(\sqrt{Q^3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q^3}}\right) + 2 \left(\sqrt{Q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q}}\right)\right] = 40. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 2.6.** [5] If  $P = \frac{\psi(q)\psi(q^7)}{q^8\psi(q^9)\psi(q^{63})}$  and  $Q = \frac{\psi(q)\psi(q^{63})}{q^{-6}\psi(q^9)\psi(q^7)}$ , then

$$(2.9) \quad \begin{aligned} & Q^4 + \frac{1}{Q^4} - 35 \left(Q^3 + \frac{1}{Q^3}\right) - 413 \left(Q^2 + \frac{1}{Q^2}\right) - 1379 \left(Q + \frac{1}{Q}\right) - 1694 \\ & - \left(P^3 + \frac{9^3}{P^3}\right) - 7 \left(P^2 + \frac{9^2}{P^2}\right) \left[7 + 3 \left(Q + \frac{1}{Q}\right)\right] - 21 \left(P + \frac{9}{P}\right) \\ & \left[21 + 14 \left(Q + \frac{1}{Q}\right) + 3 \left(Q^2 + \frac{1}{Q^2}\right)\right] + 7 \left(\sqrt{P^5} + \frac{3^5}{\sqrt{P^5}}\right) \left(\sqrt{Q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q}}\right) \\ & + 63 \left[\sqrt{P} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{P}}\right] \left[7 \left(\sqrt{Q^3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q^3}}\right) + 14 \left(\sqrt{Q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q}}\right) + \left(\sqrt{Q^5} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q^5}}\right)\right] \\ & + 21 \left(\sqrt{P^3} + \frac{3^3}{\sqrt{P^3}}\right) \left[2 \left(\sqrt{Q^3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q^3}}\right) + 7 \left(\sqrt{Q} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{Q}}\right)\right] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

### 3. MODULAR RELATIONS RAMANUJAN QUANTITIES OF $R(1, 2, 4; q)$

In this section, we obtain certain modular relations between  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q)}{R(1,2,4;q^9)}$  and  $\frac{R(1,2,4;q^n)}{R(1,2,4;q^{9n})}$  for  $n = 2, 3, 5$  and  $7$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** If  $U := \frac{R(q)}{R(q^9)}$  and  $V := \frac{R(q^2)}{R(q^{18})}$ , then

$$(3.1) \quad \begin{aligned} & (V - 2V^2 + V^3)U^4 + (2V + 2V^3)U^3 + (-1 - 2V^2 - 2V - 2V^3 - V^4)U^2 \\ & + (2V + 2V^3)U + V - 2V^2 + V^3 = 0. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Employing lemma (2.1) and (2.2) with  $a = 1, b = 2$  and  $p = 4$ , we get

$$(3.2) \quad R(q) := R(1, 2, 4; q) = q^{1/8} \frac{(q; q^4)_\infty (q^3; q^4)_\infty}{(q^2; q^4)_\infty (q^2; q^4)_\infty}$$

Using the equations (1.1), (1.2) and (1.3), then the above equation can be written as

$$(3.3) \quad R(q) = q^{1/8} \frac{f(-q, -q^3)}{f(-q^2, -q^2)} = q^{1/8} \frac{\psi(-q)}{\varphi(-q^2)}$$

by using lemma(2.3), the equation (3.3) can be expressed as,

$$(3.4) \quad R(q) = q^{1/8} \frac{\psi(q^2)}{\psi(q)}$$

by substituting the above equation (3.4) in the lemma (2.6), we get

$$(3.5) \quad \begin{aligned} & (-U^3V^4 + 2U^2V^4 - 2U^3V^3 + U^4V^2 - UV^4 + 2U^3V^2 - 2UV^3 + 2U^2V^2 \\ & - 2U^3V + 2UV^2 - U^3 + V^2 - 2UV + 2U^2 - U)(U^4V^4 - U^3V^4 - U^4V^3 \\ & + 3U^3V^3 - U^2V^3 - U^3V^2 - UV^3 + 4U^2V^2 - U^3V - UV^2 - U^2V + 3UV \\ & - V - U + 1)(U^4V^3 - U^2V^4 + 2U^3V^3 - 2U^4V^2 - 2U^2V^3 + U^4V + 2UV^3 \\ & - 2U^2V^2 + 2U^3V + V^3 - 2U^2V - 2V^2 + 2UV - U^2 + V) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

By examining the behavior of the above factors near  $q = 0$ , we can find a neighborhood about the origin, where the third factor is zero; whereas other factors are not equal to zero in this neighborhood. By the Identity Theorem third factor vanishes identically, thus we obtain (3.1). □

**Theorem 3.2.** If  $U := \frac{R(q)}{R(q^9)}$  and  $V := \frac{R(q^3)}{R(q^{27})}$ , then

$$(3.6) \quad \begin{aligned} & (V^2 - V + 1)U^6 + (4V - 7V^2 - 1 + 5V^3 - V^5 - 2V^4)U^5 \\ & + (-7V + 13V^2 + 8V^4 + 1 - 2V^5 - 14V^3)U^4 + (22V^3 - 14V^2 \\ & + 5V - 14V^4 + 5V^5)U^3 + (-2V - 14V^3 + 13V^4 + 8V^2 + V^6 - 7V^5)U^2 \\ & + (-V - 7V^4 + 4V^5 + 5V^3 - 2V^2 - V^6)U + V^6 - V^5 + V^4 = 0. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Employing the above equation (3.4) in the lemma (2.7), we get (3.6). □

**Theorem 3.3.** If  $U := \frac{R(q)}{R(q^9)}$  and  $V := \frac{R(q^5)}{R(q^{45})}$ , then

$$(3.7) \quad \begin{aligned} & U^6 + (-5V^4 - 5V - V^5 + 5V^2)U^5 + (20V^4 - 5V^5 + 5V - 5V^2)U^4 \\ & - 20U^3V^3 + (-5V^4 + 5V^5 - 5V + 20V^2)U^2 + (5V^4 - V - 5V^5 - 5V^2)U + V^6 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Employing the above equation (3.4) in the lemma (2.8), we get (3.7).

**Theorem 3.4.** If  $U := \frac{R(q)}{R(q^9)}$  and  $V := \frac{R(q^7)}{R(q^{63})}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.8) \quad & U^8 + (-7V^2 + 7V - V^7 - 7V^6 - 7V^5 + 14V^4 - 7V^3)U^7 \\
 & + (-21V^2 + 63V^6 + 63V^3 - 14V^4 - 7V^7 - 49V^5 - 7V)U^6 \\
 & + (63V^2 - 105V^3 - 49V^6 - 7V - 7V^7 - 14V^4 + 63V^5)U^5 \\
 & + (-14V^3 - 14V^2 + 98V^4 + 14V - 14V^6 + 14V^7 - 14V^5)U^4 \\
 & + (-7V^7 - 7V - 49V^2 + 63V^3 - 105V^5 - 14V^4 + 63V^6)U^3 \\
 & + (63V^2 - 7V^7 - 7V - 14V^4 - 21V^6 + 63V^5 - 49V^3)U^2 \\
 & + (-V - 7V^6 - 7V^2 - 7V^5 - 7V^3 + 7V^7 + 14V^4)U + V^8 = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Employing the above equation (3.4) in the lemma (2.9), we get (3.8).

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