Lattice Points on the Homogeneous Cone $4(X^2+Y^2) - 3XY = 19Z^2$

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Abstract: The ternary quadratic homogeneous equation given by $4(X^2 + Y^2) - 3XY = 19Z^2$ is analyzed for its non-zero distinct integer points. Six different patterns of integer points satisfying under consideration are obtained. A few interesting relations between the solutions and special number patterns namely Polygonal number, Pyramidal number and Nasty number are presented.

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1. Introduction

The ternary quadratic Diophantine equations offer an unlimited field of research due to their variety [1,2]. For and extensive review of various problems, one may refer [3-6]. This communication concerns with yet another interesting ternary quadratic equation $4(X^2 + Y^2) - 3XY = 19Z^2$ determining its infinitely many non-zero integral points. Also, a few interesting relations among the solutions are presented.

Notations used

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

2. Method of Analysis

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

$$4(X^2 + Y^2) - 3XY = 19Z^2 \quad (1)$$

The Substitution of the linear transformations

$$X = u + v, \quad Y = u - v, \quad (u \neq 0, v \neq 0) \quad (2)$$

in (1) leads to

$$u^2 + 15v^2 = 19Z^2 \quad (3)$$

Assume $Z(a, b) = a^2 + 15b^2, (a, b \neq 0) \quad (4)$

We illustrate below six different patterns of non-zero distinct integer solutions to (1). 

2.1 Pattern 1: Write 19 as $19 = (2 + i\sqrt{15})(2 - i\sqrt{15}) \quad (5)$

Substitute (4) and (5) in (3) and Employing the method of factorization, define $$(u + i\sqrt{15}v) = (2 + i\sqrt{15})(a + i\sqrt{15}b)^2$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we get

$u = 2a^2 - 30b^2 - 30ab$

$v = a^2 - 15b^2 + 4ab$

Substituting the above values of $u$ and $v$ in (2), the non-zero distinct integer values for $X$ and $Y$ satisfying (1) are given by

$$X = X(a, b) = 3a^2 - 45b^2 - 26ab \quad (6)$$

$$Y = Y(a, b) = a^2 - 15b^2 - 34ab \quad (7)$$

Thus (4), (6) and (7) represent non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:

1. $X(A, A(A+1)) + 180 T_{3,A}^2 + 3 P_A^5 = 3 T_{4,A}$

2. $Y(A(A+1), (A+2)) - 4 T_{3,A}^2 + 240 P_A^3 + T_{32,A} \equiv -20 \pmod{34}$

3. $X(A, 1) - 3Y(A, 1) + Z(A, 1) - T_{3,A} \equiv 15 \pmod{76}$

4. $X(A, 2) - T_{3,A} \equiv -30 \pmod{50}$

5. $Y(A, 1) - T_{3,A} \equiv -15 \pmod{34}$

6. $Y(1, B) + T_{32,B} \equiv 1 \pmod{48}$

7. $X(1, B) + T_{32,B} \equiv 3 \pmod{70}$

8. $X(2B, 2) - T_{36,A} \equiv 87 \pmod{93}$

9. $X(A+1, A+1) - T_{26,A} \equiv -68 \pmod{243}$

Thus (4), (9) and (10) represent non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

2.2 Pattern 2

Instead of (5) write 19 as $19 = (-2 + i\sqrt{15})(-2 - i\sqrt{15}) \quad (8)$

Following the procedure as presented in pattern:1, the corresponding values of $X$ and $Y$ obtained from (2) are

$$X = X(a, b) = a^2 - 15b^2 - 34ab \quad (9)$$

$$Y = Y(a, b) = -3a^2 + 45b^2 - 26ab \quad (10)$$

Thus (4), (9) and (10) represent non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:

1. $X(A, A(A+1)) + T_{3,A} + 68 P_A^5 = 60 T_{3,A}$

2. $3X(A, 1) - Y(A, 1) + Z(A, 1) - T_{3,A} \equiv 15 \pmod{76}$

3. $Y(A, 1) + T_{3,A} \equiv 17 \pmod{28}$

4. $X(1, B) - T_{32,B} \equiv -1 \pmod{20}$

5. $X(2, 2A) + T_{122,A} \equiv -4 \pmod{77}$

6. $Y(2, B) - T_{26,B} \equiv -4 \pmod{8}$

7. $X(2A, 2) + T_{10,A} \equiv 60 \pmod{139}$

8. $X(A + 1, A + 1) + T_{32,A} \equiv -20 \pmod{59}$

9. $X(A(A+1), (A+2)) + 4 T_{3,A}^2 + 204 P_A^3 + T_{32,A} \equiv 60 \pmod{74}$
Y(A, A), a Nasty number

\[ 10 \cdot \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{Y}(A, A), \text{a Nasty number} \]

2.3 Pattern: 3

Consider 19 as
\[
19 = \frac{(13 + i3\sqrt{15})(13 - i3\sqrt{15})}{16}
\]
For this choice, the corresponding values of X and Y obtained from (2) are represented
\[
X = X(a, b) = 4a^2 - 60b^2 - 16ab
\]
\[
Y = Y(a, b) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 5a^2 - 75b^2 - 58ab \right]
\]
The choices \( a = 2A; \) \( b = 2B \) in (4), (12) and (13) lead to
\[
X = X(a, b) = 16A^2 - 240B^2 - 16AB
\]
\[
Y = Y(a, b) = 10A^2 - 150B^2 - 116AB
\]
\[
Z = Z(a, b) = 4A^2 + 60B^2
\]
Which represent non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:
1. \( Y(A, (A + 1)) + 600T_{3,A}^2 + 232P_A^5 = 10T_{1,A} \)
2. \( X(2, 2B) - T_{3,B}^2 = -56 \) (mod 113)
3. \( Y(A + 1, (A + 2)) - 40T_{3,A}^2 + 696P_A^3 + T_{302,A} = -600 \) (mod 749)
4. \( X(A, 1) - T_{3,A} = -64 \) (mod 49)
5. \( Y(1, B) + T_{302,B} = 10 \) (mod 265)
6. \( Y(2, 2B) + T_{302,B} = 40 \) (mod 381)
7. \( Z(A, 1) - 4T_{4,A} = 0 \) (mod 60)
8. \( \{X(A, A)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)
9. \( \{Y(A, A) + Z(A, A)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)

2.4 Pattern: 4

Consider 19 as
\[
19 = \frac{(-13 + i3\sqrt{15})(-13 - i3\sqrt{15})}{16}
\]
Following the analysis as presented in pattern 3, the corresponding non-zero distinct integer solution of (1) are found to be
\[
X = X(a, b) = -10A^2 + 150B^2 - 116AB
\]
\[
Y = Y(a, b) = -16A^2 + 240B^2 - 64AB
\]
Thus (18), (19) and (16) represent non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:
1. \( X(A, (A + 1)) + 10T_{1,A} + 232P_A^5 = 600T_{3,A} \)
2. \( X(A + 1, (A + 2)) + 40T_{3,A}^2 - T_{302,A} + 96P_A^5 = 600 \) (mod 749)
3. \( X(1, B) - T_{302,B} = -10 \) (mod 33)
4. \( X(2, B) - T_{302,B} = -40 \) (mod 83)
5. \( Y(1, B) - T_{482,B} = -16 \) (mod 175)
6. \( Z(A, 1) - 4T_{4,A} = 0 \) (mod 60)
7. \( X(A + 1, A + 1) - T_{503,A} = 24 \) (mod 71)
8. \( Y(2, B) - T_{482,B} = -64 \) (mod 111)

9. \( X(A, A), \text{a Nasty number} \)
10. \( \{Y(A, A) - Z(A, A)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)

2.5 Pattern: 5

The ternary quadratic equation (3) can be written as
\[
(u^2 - 4z^2) = 15(Z^2 - v^2)
\]
Factorizing (20) we have
\[
(u + 2z) (u - 2z) = 15(Z + v) (Z - v)
\]
which is equivalent to the system of double equation
\[
(2B - 15A)Z + Bu - 15Av = 0
\]
\[
(B + 2A)Z - Au - Bv = 0
\]
Applying the method of cross multiplication we get
\[
Z = -15A^2 - B^2
\]
\[
u = 30A^2 + 2B^2 - 30AB
\]
\[
v = 15A^2 - B^2 - 4AB
\]
Substituting (25) and (26) in (2) we get,
\[
X = X(A, B) = -15A^2 + B^2 - 34AB
\]
\[
Y = Y(A, B) = -45A^2 + 3B^2 - 26AB
\]
Thus (24), (27) and (28) represents non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:
1. \( X(A, 1) + T_{32, A} = -15 \) (mod 48)
2. \( X(2, 2B) - T_{10, B} = -60 \) (mod 133)
3. \( Y(1, B) - T_{3, B} = -21 \) (mod 24)
4. \( Y(B + 2, B + 2) + T_{138, B} = -272 \) (mod 339)
5. \( X(A, 2) + T_{32, A} = -4 \) (mod 82)
6. \( Y(2, B) - T_{18, B} = -30 \) (mod 50)
7. \( X(A, 1) + Y(A, 1) - 3Z(A, 1) + T_{32, A} = 7 \) (mod 74)
8. \( 6 \{X(A, A) - Y(A, A) + Z(A, A)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)
9. \( \{X(A, A)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)

2.6 Pattern: 6

Also (21) is equivalent to the following two equations
\[
(-15A - 2B)Z + Bu - 15Av = 0
\]
\[
(-2A + B)Z - Au - Bv = 0
\]
Repeating the process as in pattern 5, the corresponding non-zero distinct integer solutions of (1) are given by
\[
u = 30A^2 + 2B^2 - 30AB
\]
\[
v = 15A^2 - B^2 + 4AB
\]
Substituting (30) and (31) in (2), we get
\[
X = X(A, B) = 9A^2 - 8AB - 5B^2
\]
\[
Y = Y(A, B) = 3A^2 - 16AB - B
\]
Thus (24), (33) and (34) represents non-zero distinct integral solutions of (1) in two parameters.

Properties:
1. \( X(A, 1) - T_{92,A} = -3 \) (mod 18)
2. \( X(A, 2) - T_{92,A} = -4 \) (mod 8)
3. \( Y(1, B) + T_{18, B} = 15 \) (mod 34)
4. \( X(A + 1, A + 1) - T_{34, A} = 16 \) (mod 47)
5. \( Y(2A, 2) - T_{22, A} = 4 \) (mod 77)
6. \( Y(2, B) + T_{4, B} = 60 \) (mod 68)
7. \( X(A, 1) + Y(A, 1) + Z(A, 1) - T_{92,A} = 5 \) (mod 16)
8. \( \frac{3}{2} \{X(B, B)\}, \text{a Nasty number} \)
3. Remarkable Observations

Employing the solution \((X, Y, Z)\) of (1) each of the following expression among the special polygonal and pyramidal numbers are observed.

1. \[
\frac{1}{19}\{4(3P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,x,y}^{3} + (P_{5}^{3}/T_{3,x,y}^{3})^2 - 3(3P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,x,y}^{3})\}
\]
   is a perfect square.

2. \[
4((P_{5}^{3}/T_{3,x})^2 - (3P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,y}^{3})^2) - 9(P_{5}^{3}/T_{3,x})^2
\]
   \[
(P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,x}^{3})^2 = 14(6P_{4}^{3}/T_{3,x}^{2})^2
\]

3. \[
4((P_{5}^{3}/T_{3,y}^{3})^2 - (3P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,y}^{3})^2) - 9(P_{5}^{3}/T_{3,y})^2
\]
   \[
(P_{3}^{3}/T_{3,y}^{3})^2 \equiv 0 \pmod{19}
\]

4. Conclusion

In this paper we have presented six different patterns of non-zero distinct integer solutions of the homogeneous equations given by \(4(X^2 + Y^2) - 3XY = 19Z^2\). To conclude one may search for other patterns of solution and their corresponding properties.

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