

On The Heptic Diophantine Equation With Three Unknowns

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

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ABSTRACT

We obtain two different patterns of non-zero integral solutions of the Heptic Diophantine equation with three unknowns $7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^7$ by employing suitable transformations.

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I INTRODUCTION

Diophantine equations, homogeneous and non-homogeneous have aroused the interest of numerous mathematicians since antiquity as can be seen from [1-2]. The problem of finding all integral solutions of an indeterminate equation with three or more variables in general presents a good deal of difficulties. Cubic equations in two variables fall into the theory of elliptic curves which is a very developed theory but still an important topic of current research [3-9]. For equations with degree at least three very little is known. In this communication a Heptic Polynomial equation with three variables represented by $7(x^2 + y^2) - 13xy = 28z^7$ is considered and two different patterns of non-zero integral solutions have been presented.

II METHOD OF ANALYSIS:

The equation under consideration is

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

(1)

Assigning the transformations

$$x = u + v, \quad y = u - v \quad \text{---}$$

(2)

in (1) leads to

$$u^2 + 27v^2 = 28z^7 \quad \text{---}$$

(3)

The equation (3) is solved through different approaches and they, one obtains distinct sets of solutions is (1)

Pattern 1:

Assume that $z = a^2 + 27b^2$

(4)

$$\text{Write } 28 = (1 + i\sqrt{27})(1 - i\sqrt{27}) \quad \text{---}$$

(5)

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

$$u + i\sqrt{27}v = (1 + i\sqrt{27})(a + i\sqrt{27}b)^7 \quad \text{---}$$

(6)

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we have

$$u = u(a, b) = a^7 - 189a^6b - 567a^5b^2 + 25515a^4b^3 + 25515a^3b^4 - 413343a^2b^5 -$$

$$137781ab^6 + 531441b^7$$

$$v = v(a, b) = a^7 + 7a^6b - 567a^5b^2 - 945a^4b^3 + 25515a^3b^4 + 15309a^2b^5 -$$

$$137781ab^6 - 19683b^7$$

Substituting the above values of u and v in equation (2), and hence the non-zero integral solutions of (1) are

$$x = 2a^7 - 182a^6b - 1134a^5b^2 + 24570a^4b^3 + 51030a^3b^4 - 398034a^2b^5 - 275562ab^6 + 511758b^7$$

$$y = -196a^6b + 26460a^4b^3 - 428652a^2b^5 + 551124b^7 \quad \text{---}$$

(7)

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

Pattern 2:

Equ (3) can be written as

$$u^2 + 27v^2 = 28z^7 * 1 \quad \text{---}$$

(8)

$$\text{Write } 28 = \frac{(2+2i\sqrt{27})(2-2i\sqrt{27})}{4} \quad \text{---}$$

(9)

and also 1 as

$$1 = \frac{(3+i\sqrt{27})(3-3i\sqrt{27})}{36} \quad \dots \quad (10)$$

use (4), (10), (9) in (8) and applying the method of factorization, define

$$u + i\sqrt{27}v = \frac{1}{12} \{(2 + 2i\sqrt{27})(3 + i\sqrt{27})(a + i27b) \quad \dots \quad (11)$$

Equating the real and imaginary part, we have

$$u = u(a, b) = \frac{1}{12} \{-48a^7 - 1512a^6b + 27216a^5b^2 + 204120a^4b^3 - 1224720a^3b^4 - 3306744a^2b^5 + 6613488ab^6 + 4251528b^7\}$$

$$v = v(a, b) = \frac{1}{12} \{8a^7 - 336a^6b - 4536a^5b^2 + 45360a^4b^3 + 204120a^3b^4 - 734832a^2b^5 - 1102248ab^6 + 944784b^7\}$$

Substituting the values of u and v in equ (2), then the values of x and y are given by

$$x = \frac{1}{12} \{-40a^7 - 1848a^6b + 22680a^5b^2 + 249480a^4b^3 - 1020600a^3b^4 - 4041576a^2b^5 + 5511240ab^6 + 5196312b^7\} \quad (12)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{12} \{-56a^7 - 1176a^6b + 31752a^5b^2 + 158760a^4b^3 - 1428840a^3b^4 - 2571912a^2b^5 + 7715736ab^6 + 3306744b^7\}$$

As our interest is on finding integer solutions, we choose a and b suitably so that the values of x and y are in integers.

Replace a by 12A and b by 12B in (4) and (12) we get

$$x = 12^6 \{-40A^7 - 1848A^6B + 22680A^5B^2 + 249480A^4B^3 - 1020600A^3B^4 - 4041576A^2B^5 + 5511240AB^6 + 5196312B^7\} \quad (13)$$

$$y = 12^6 \{-56A^7 - 1176A^6B + 31752A^5B^2 + 158760A^4B^3 - 1428840A^3B^4 - 2571912A^2B^5 + 7715736AB^6 + 3306744B^7\}$$

$$z = A^2 + 27B^2$$

III CONCLUSION:

In this paper we have presented two different patterns of non-zero integral solutions of the Heptic Diophantine equation with three unknown (1). One may search for other patterns of solutions and their corresponding properties.

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