

On the Diophantine equation $5(x^2 + y^2) - 9xy = 35z^2$

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Abstract: The ternary quadratic Diophantine equation $5(x^2 + y^2) - 9xy = 35z^2$ representing cone is analyzed for its non-zero distinct integer points on it.

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I. Introduction

The ternary quadratic Diophantine equations offer an unlimited field for research by reason of their variety [1,2,3]. In particular, one may refer [4-12] for finding points in integers on some specific three dimensional surfaces. This communication concern with yet another ternary quadratic Diophantine equation $5(x^2 + y^2) - 9xy = 35z^2$ representing cone for determining its infinitely many integer solutions.

II. Method of Analysis

Consider the equation

$$5(x^2 + y^2) - 9xy = 35z^2 \quad (1)$$

The transformed equation of (1) after using the linear transformations

$$x = u + v, y = u - v (u \neq v \neq 0) \quad (2)$$

$$\text{is } u^2 + 19v^2 = 35z^2 \quad (3)$$

The above equation is solved through different methods and employing (2), different sets of distinct integer solutions to (1) are obtained which are illustrated below:

Method: 1

$$\text{Write 35 as } 35 = (4 + i\sqrt{19})(4 - i\sqrt{19}) \quad (4)$$

$$\text{Assume } z = a^2 + 19b^2 \quad (5)$$

where a and b are non zero distinct integers

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

$$u + i\sqrt{19}v = (4 + i\sqrt{19})(a + i\sqrt{19}b)^2$$

from which, on equating the real and imaginary parts

$$u = 4(a^2 - 19b^2) - 38ab$$

$$v = (a^2 - 19b^2) + 8ab$$

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

$$x = 5(a^2 - 19b^2) - 30ab \quad (6)$$

$$y = 3(a^2 - 19b^2) - 46ab \quad (7)$$

Thus, (5), (6) and (7) represent non zero distinct integer solutions to (1) in two parameters.

Note: In addition to (4), one may write 35 as $35 = \frac{(11 + i\sqrt{19})(11 - i\sqrt{19})}{4}$

For this choice, the corresponding integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$x = 6(a^2 - 19b^2) - 8ab$$

$$y = 5(a^2 - 19b^2) - 30ab$$

$$z = a^2 + 19b^2$$

Method: 2

Consider (3) as $u^2 - 16z^2 = 19(z^2 - v^2)$ (8)

Write (8) in the form of ratio as

$$\frac{u + 4z}{z - v} = \frac{19(z + v)}{u - 4z} = \frac{a}{b}, b > 0$$

Which is equivalent to the system of double equations

$$(a - 4b)z - av - bu = 0$$

$$(-4a - 19b)z - 19bv + au = 0$$

Applying the method of cross multiplication to the above equations, we have

$$u = 4(a^2 - 19b^2) + 38ab$$

$$v = (a^2 - 19b^2) - 8ab$$

$$z = a^2 + 19b^2 \tag{9}$$

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

$$x = 5(a^2 - 19b^2) + 30ab \tag{10}$$

$$y = 3(a^2 - 19b^2) + 46ab$$

Thus, (9) and (10) represent non zero distinct integer solutions to (1) in two parameters.

Note: (8) can also be expressed in the form of ratio in three different ways as follows:

$$(i) \quad \frac{u + 4z}{19(z - v)} = \frac{(z + v)}{u - 4z} = \frac{a}{b}, b > 0$$

$$(ii) \quad \frac{u + 4z}{19(z + v)} = \frac{(z - v)}{u - 4z} = \frac{a}{b}, b > 0$$

$$(iii) \quad \frac{u + 4z}{z + v} = \frac{19(z - v)}{u - 4z} = \frac{a}{b}, b > 0$$

Repeating the analysis as above, we get three different sets of integer solutions to (1) and they are presented below:

Solutions of (i):

$$x = 95a^2 - 5b^2 + 30ab$$

$$y = 57a^2 - 3b^2 + 46ab$$

$$z = 19a^2 + b^2$$

Solutions of (ii):

$$x = -57a^2 + 3b^2 - 46ab$$

$$y = -95a^2 + 5b^2 - 30ab$$

$$z = -a^2 - 19b^2$$

Solutions of (iii):

$$x = -3a^2 + 57b^2 - 46ab$$

$$y = -5a^2 + 95b^2 - 30ab$$

$$z = -a^2 - 19b^2$$

Method: 3

Write (3) as $19v^2 = 35z^2 - u^2$ (11)

Write 19 as $19 = (\sqrt{35} + 4)(\sqrt{35} - 4)$ (12)

Assume $v = 35a^2 - b^2$ (13)

Where a and b are non zero distinct integers

Using (12) & (13) in (11) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$\sqrt{35}z + u = (\sqrt{35} + 4)(\sqrt{35}a + b)^2$$

Equating the rational and irrational parts, we get

$$u = 4(35a^2 + b^2) + 70ab \tag{14}$$

$$z = (35a^2 + b^2) + 8ab$$

Substituting the above values of u and v in (2), the values of x and y are obtained as

$$x = 175a^2 + 3b^2 + 70ab \tag{15}$$

$$y = 105a^2 + 5b^2 + 70ab$$

Thus, (14) and (15) represent the integer solutions of (1).

Method: 3

Introducing the linear transformations

$$z = \alpha \pm 19\beta, v = \alpha \pm 35\beta, u = 4U \tag{16}$$

in (3), it leads to $\alpha^2 = U^2 + 665\beta^2$ (17)

which is satisfied by $\beta = 2pq, U = 665p^2 - q^2, \alpha = 665p^2 + q^2$

Substituting the above values of α, β, U in (16) and (2), the corresponding non-zero integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$x = 3325p^2 - 3q^2 \pm 70pq$$

$$y = 1995p^2 - 5q^2 \mp 70pq$$

$$z = 665p^2 + q^2 \pm 38pq$$

It is worth to mention here that, (17) may be expressed as the system of double equations as shown in the table below:

Table 1: system of equations

system	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
$\alpha + U$	β^2	$5\beta^2$	$7\beta^2$	$19\beta^2$	$35\beta^2$	$95\beta^2$	$133\beta^2$	$665\beta^2$	35β	95β	133β	665β
$\alpha - U$	665	133	95	35	19	7	5	1	19β	7β	5β	β

Solving each of the above system for α, β, U and using (16) and (2), the corresponding non-zero integer solutions satisfying (1) are exhibited in the table below:

Table 2: integer solutions

system	x	y	z
1	$10k^2 + 80k - 960$	$6k^2 - 64k - 1696$	$2k^2 + 40k + 352$
	$10k^2 - 60k - 1030$	$6k^2 + 76k - 1626$	$2k^2 - 36k + 314$
2	$50k^2 + 120k - 152$	$30k^2 - 40k - 360$	$10k^2 + 48k + 88$
	$50k^2 - 20k - 222$	$30k^2 + 100k - 290$	$10k^2 - 28k + 50$
3	$70k^2 + 140k - 90$	$42k^2 - 28k - 262$	$14k^2 + 52k + 70$
	$70k^2 - 160$	$42k^2 + 112k - 192$	$14k^2 - 24k + 32$
4	$190k^2 + 260k + 30$	$114k^2 + 44k - 94$	$38k^2 + 76k + 46$
	$190k^2 + 120k - 40$	$114k^2 + 184k - 24$	$38k^2 + 8$
5	$350k^2 + 420k + 30$	$210k^2 + 140k - 94$	$70k^2 + 108k + 46$
	$350k^2 + 280k - 40$	$210k^2 + 280k - 24$	$70k^2 + 32k + 8$
6	$950k^2 + 1020k + 262$	$570k^2 + 500k + 90$	$190k^2 + 228k + 70$
	$950k^2 + 880k + 192$	$570k^2 + 640k + 160$	$190k^2 + 152k + 32$

7	$1330k^2 + 1400k + 360$ $1330k^2 + 1260k + 290$	$798k^2 + 728k + 152$ $798k^2 + 868k + 222$	$266k^2 + 304k + 88$ $266k^2 + 228k + 50$
8	$6650k^2 + 6720k + 1696$ $6650k^2 + 6580k + 1626$	$3990k^2 + 3920k + 960$ $3990k^2 + 4060k + 1030$	$1330k^2 + 1368k + 352$ $1330k^2 + 1292k + 314$
9	$94\beta, 24\beta$	$-30\beta, 40\beta$	$46\beta, 8\beta$
10	$262\beta, 292\beta$	$90\beta, 160\beta$	$70\beta, 32\beta$
11	$360\beta, 290\beta$	$152\beta, 222\beta$	$88\beta, 50\beta$
12	$1696\beta, 1626\beta$	$960\beta, 1030\beta$	$352\beta, 314\beta$

Method: 5

Consider (3) as $u^2 + 19v^2 = 35z^2 * 1$ (18)

Write 1 as $1 = \frac{(5 + i3\sqrt{19})(5 - i3\sqrt{19})}{14^2}$ (19)

Using (4), (5) and (19) in (18) and employing the method of factorization, define

$$u + i\sqrt{19}v = (4 + i\sqrt{19})(a + i\sqrt{19}b)^2 \frac{(5 + i3\sqrt{19})}{14}$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts, we have

$$u = \frac{1}{14}[-37(a^2 - 19b^2) - 646ab]$$

$$v = \frac{1}{14}[17(a^2 - 19b^2) - 74ab]$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \frac{1}{7}[10(a^2 - 19b^2) + 360ab] \\ y &= \frac{1}{7}[27(a^2 - 19b^2) + 286ab] \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

Replacing a by 7A and b by 7B in (20) and (5), the corresponding non-zero integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$\begin{aligned} x &= -[70(A^2 - 19B^2) + 2520AB] \\ y &= -[189(A^2 - 19B^2) + 2002AB] \\ z &= 49(A^2 + 19B^2) \end{aligned}$$

Note: In addition to (19), one may write 1 as $1 = \frac{(3 + i5\sqrt{19})(3 - i5\sqrt{19})}{484}$

For this choice, a different set of solutions to (1) are obtained.

III. Generation of solutions

Illustration 1:

Let (x_0, y_0, z_0) be the given initial solution of (1). $x_1 = 10x_0 - 3h, y_1 = 10y_0, z_1 = 10z_0 + h$ (21)

be the second solution of (1) where h is any non-zero integer to be determined.

Substituting (21) in (1) and simplifying, we have $h = 30x_0 - 27y_0 + 70z_0$

Therefore, the second solution (x_1, y_1, z_1) of (1) expressed in the matrix form is

$$(x_1, y_1, z_1)^t = M(x_0, y_0, z_0)^t \text{ Where } M = \begin{pmatrix} -80 & 81 & -210 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 30 & -27 & 80 \end{pmatrix}$$

The repetition of the above process leads to the general solution of (1) represented as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} (x_{2n-1}, y_{2n-1}, z_{2n-1})^t &= 10^{2(n-1)} M(x_0, y_0, z_0)^t \\ (x_{2n}, y_{2n}, z_{2n})^t &= 10^{2n} M(x_0, y_0, z_0)^t \end{aligned}$$

Illustration 2:

Let (u_0, v_0, z_0) be the given initial solution of (3).

$$\text{Let } u_1 = 6h - u_0, v_1 = v_0, z_1 = z_0 + h \tag{22}$$

be the second solution of (3) where h is any non-zero integer to be determined.

Substituting (22) in (3) and simplifying, we get $h = 12u_0 + 70z_0$

Therefore, the second solution (x_1, y_1, z_1) of (3) expressed in the matrix form is

$$(u_1, z_1)^t = M(u_0, z_0)^t, v_1 = v_0 \text{ Where } M = \begin{pmatrix} 71 & 420 \\ 12 & 71 \end{pmatrix}$$

Repeating the above process, we have, in general

$$(u_n, z_n)^t = M^n(u_0, z_0)^t, v_n = v_0$$

It is known that $M^n = \frac{\alpha^n}{\alpha - \beta}(M - \beta I) + \frac{\beta^n}{\beta - \alpha}(M - \alpha I)$

where α, β are the Eigen values of M and I is a 2x2 unit matrix. For our problem, we have, after simplification,

$$M^n = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{35}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)}{2} \\ \frac{\alpha^n - \beta^n}{2\sqrt{35}} & \frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

in which α, β are the Eigen values of M given by $\alpha = 71 + 12\sqrt{35}, \beta = 71 - 12\sqrt{35}$

In view of (2), the general solution (x_n, y_n, z_n) of (1) is given by

$$x_n = \left(\frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2}\right)u_0 + \frac{\sqrt{35}}{2}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)z_0 + v_0$$

$$y_n = \left(\frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2}\right)u_0 + \frac{\sqrt{35}}{2}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)z_0 - v_0$$

$$z_n = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{35}}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)u_0 + \frac{1}{2}(\alpha^n + \beta^n)z_0$$

Illustration3:

Let $u_1 = 8u_0, v_1 = 8v_0 + h, z_1 = h - 8z_0$ be the second solution of (3).

Following the analysis presented above, the corresponding integer solutions to (1) are given by

$$x_n = 8^n u_0 + \left(\frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2}\right)v_0 + \frac{\sqrt{35}}{2\sqrt{19}}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)z_0$$

$$y_n = 8^n u_0 - \left(\frac{\alpha^n + \beta^n}{2}\right)v_0 - \frac{\sqrt{35}}{2\sqrt{19}}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)z_0$$

$$z_n = \frac{\sqrt{19}}{2\sqrt{35}}(\alpha^n - \beta^n)v_0 + \frac{1}{2}(\alpha^n + \beta^n)z_0$$

where $\alpha = 27 + \sqrt{665}, \beta = 27 - \sqrt{665}$

IV. Conclusion

To conclude, one may search for other patterns of general solutions to ternary quadratic Diophantine equation in the title and obtain their corresponding properties.

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