

**Pythagorean Triangle with**  
**Hypotaneous minus**  $4\left(\frac{Area}{Perimeter}\right) = (4k^2 + 2)\alpha^2$

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**ABSTRACT:**

Patterns of Pythagorean triangles in each of which Hypotaneous minus  $4\left(\frac{Area}{Perimeter}\right) = (4k^2 + 2)\alpha^2$ . Also, a few diophantine quadruples with suitable property are constructed through the linear combination among the generators of the Pythagorean triangle. The Pythagorean numbers play a significant role in the theory of higher arithmetic as they come in the majority of indeterminate problems; had a marvelous effect on a credulous people and always occupy a remarkable position due to unquestioned historical importance. The method of obtaining three non-zero integers  $x, y$  and  $z$  under certain relations satisfying the relation  $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$  has been a matter of interest to various Mathematicians [1],[14]-[18]. In [2]-[13], special Pythagorean problems are studied. In this communication, we search for patterns of Pythagorean triangles wherein each of which hypotaneous minus  $4\left(\frac{Area}{Perimeter}\right) = (4k^2 + 2)\alpha^2$ . Also, a few diophantine quadruples with suitable property are constructed through the linear combination among the generators of the Pythagorean triangle.

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## Introduction:

The method of obtaining non-zero integers  $x, y$  and  $z$  under certain conditions satisfying the relation  $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$  has been a matter of interest to various Mathematicians [1],[14]-[18]. In [2]-[13], special Pythagorean problems are studied. In this communication, we search for patterns of Pythagorean triangles wherein each of which hypotaneous minus

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## METHOD OF ANALYSIS

The most cited solution of the Pythagorean equation,

$$x^2 + y^2 = z^2 \quad (1)$$

is represented by

$$x = 2pq; y = p^2 - q^2; z = p^2 + q^2 \quad (2)$$

Denoting the Area and Perimeter of the Pythagorean triangle by  $A$  and  $P$  respectively, the assumption

$$z - 4\frac{A}{P} = (4k^2 + 2)\alpha^2, (k, \alpha > 0) \quad (3)$$

leads to the equation

$$(p - q)^2 + 2q^2 = (4k^2 + 2)\alpha^2 \quad (4)$$

Consider  $\alpha = a^2 + 2b^2$  (5)

Using (5) in (4), it is written in the factorizable form as,

$$\left[(p - q) + i\sqrt{2}q\right]\left[(p - q) - i\sqrt{2}q\right] = (2k + i\sqrt{2})(2k - i\sqrt{2})(a + ib)^2(a - ib)^2$$

which is equivalent to the system of two equations

$$\left[(p - q) + i\sqrt{2}q\right] = (2k + i\sqrt{2})(a + ib)^2$$

$$\left[(p - q) - i\sqrt{2}q\right] = (2k - i\sqrt{2})(a - ib)^2$$

Equating the real and imaginary parts in either of the above equations and performing an algebra, we have

$$\left. \begin{aligned} p &= (a^2 - 2b^2)(2k + 1) + 4ab(k - 1) \\ q &= a^2 - 2b^2 + 4abk \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (6)$$

The condition  $p > q > 0$  gives  $k(a^2 - 2b^2) > 2ab$  (7)

For simplicity and clear understanding, we search for Pythagorean triangles satisfying the relation (3) when  $k = 1, 2$

### Case 1:

Let  $k = 1$  Then(3) becomes  $(p - q)^2 + 2q^2 = 6\alpha^2$  (8)

From (6) we have

$$\left. \begin{aligned} p(a,b) &= 3a^2 - 6b^2 \\ q(a,b) &= a^2 - 2b^2 + 4ab \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (9)$$

Substituting the values of  $p$  and  $q$  in (2) we get the values of  $x, y$  &  $z$ .

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x(a,b) &= 6a^4 - 24a^2b^2 + 24a^3b - 48ab^3 + 24b^4 \\ y(a,b) &= 8a^4 - 48a^2b^2 - 8a^3b + 16ab^3 + 32b^4 \\ z(a,b) &= 10a^4 - 24a^2b^2 + 8a^3b - 16ab^3 + 40b^4 \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (10)$$

Thus, equations (10) represent the sides of the Pythagorean triangle satisfying (8)

provided that  $(a-b)^2 > 3b^2$  where  $a = 3n+k-1$  &  $b = n$

we present below different methods of solving (8) and thus, obtain different choices of Pythagorean triangles satisfying (3) when  $k = 1$

### Remark:

In (8) one may write 6 as

$$6 = \frac{(2 + i19\sqrt{2})(2 - i19\sqrt{2})}{121}$$

Following the procedure as above a different Pythagorean triangle satisfying (3) is obtained.

### Method I:

Equation (8) can be rewritten as

$$6\alpha^2 - 2q^2 = (p - q)^2 \times 1 \quad (11)$$

$$\text{Write 1 as } 1 = \frac{(3\sqrt{6} + 5\sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{6} - 5\sqrt{2})}{4} \quad (12)$$

Substituting (12) in (11), we get

$$\frac{(3\sqrt{6} + 5\sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{6} - 5\sqrt{2})}{4} (\sqrt{6}a + \sqrt{2}b)^2 (\sqrt{6}a - \sqrt{2}b)^2 = (\sqrt{6}\alpha + \sqrt{2}q)(\sqrt{6}\alpha - \sqrt{2}q)$$

Equating the rational and irrational parts, we get the values of  $\alpha$  &  $q$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \alpha &= \alpha(a,b) = 9a^2 + 3b^2 + 10ab \\ p &= p(a,b) = 21a^2 + 3b^2 + 18ab \\ q &= q(a,b) = 15a^2 + 5b^2 + 18ab \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (13)$$

Substituting the values of  $p$  &  $q$  in (2) we get the values of  $x, y$  &  $z$ .

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x(a,b) &= 630a^4 + 948a^2b^2 + 1296a^3b + 288ab^3 + 30b^4 \\ y(a,b) &= 216a^4 - 24a^2b^2 + 216a^3b - 72ab^3 - 16b^4 \\ z(a,b) &= 666a^4 + 924a^2b^2 + 1296a^3b + 288ab^3 + 34b^4 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

The above solution represent the sides of the Pythagorean triangle satisfying (8)

provided that  $3a^2 > b^2$

**Remark:**

One may consider the representations for 1 as given below

$$1 = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{(9\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})(9\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{484}, \\ \frac{(17\sqrt{6} + 25\sqrt{2})(17\sqrt{6} - 25\sqrt{2})}{484}, \\ \frac{(19\sqrt{6} + 29\sqrt{2})(19\sqrt{6} - 29\sqrt{2})}{484}, \\ \frac{(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})(\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{4}, \\ \frac{(11\sqrt{6} + 19\sqrt{2})(11\sqrt{6} - 19\sqrt{2})}{4}, \\ \frac{(11\sqrt{6} + 5\sqrt{2})(11\sqrt{6} - 5\sqrt{2})}{484}, \\ \frac{(17\sqrt{6} + 23\sqrt{2})(17\sqrt{6} - 23\sqrt{2})}{484}, \end{array} \right.$$

Following the above procedure and obtaining the suitable condition, we get the different sides of the Pythagorean triangle such that  $Hyp - 4\frac{A}{P} = 6\alpha^2$

**Method II:**

Equation (8) can be rewritten as,

$$6\alpha^2 - (p - q)^2 = 2q^2 \quad (14)$$

$$\text{Assume } q(a, b) = 6a^2 - b^2; \quad a, b \neq 0 \quad (15)$$

$$\text{Write 2 as } 2 = \frac{(3\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2})}{25} \quad (16)$$

Applying the procedure presented in Pattern II we get the values of  $p, q$  &  $\alpha$  as

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} p(a, b) = \frac{1}{5} [42a^2 - 3b^2 + 36ab] \\ q(a, b) = 6a^2 - 2b^2 \\ \alpha(a, b) = \frac{1}{5} [18a^2 + 2b^2 + 4ab] \end{array} \right\} \quad (17)$$

Since our aim is to find the integer solution, substitute  $a = 5A$  &  $b = 5B$ ., Hence the values of  $x, y$  &  $z$  are

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x(A, B) = 750 [84A^4 20A^2 B^2 + 72A^3 B - 12AB^3 + B^4] \\ y(A, B) = 21600A^4 + 33600A^2 B^2 + 75600A^3 B - 5400AB^3 - 400B^4 \\ z(A, B) = 66600A^4 + 18600A^2 B^2 + 75600A^3 B - 5400AB^3 + 850B^4 \end{array} \right\}$$

The values of  $x, y$  &  $z$  represent the sides of the Pythagorean triangle with

the condition that  $(B - 6A)^2 < 50A^2$  such that  $Hyp - 4\frac{A}{P} = 6\alpha^2$

**Remark:**

Instead of (13) one may consider the following representation for 2

$$2 = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (\sqrt{6} + 2)(\sqrt{6} - 2), (9\sqrt{6} + 22)(9\sqrt{6} - 22), \\ \frac{(11\sqrt{6} + 26)(11\sqrt{6} - 26)}{25}, \frac{(11\sqrt{6} + 2)(11\sqrt{6} - 2)}{361}, \\ \frac{(17\sqrt{6} + 22)(17\sqrt{6} - 22)}{625}, \frac{(17\sqrt{6} + 26)(17\sqrt{6} - 26)}{529}, \\ \frac{(19\sqrt{6} + 22)(11\sqrt{6} - 22)}{841}, \frac{(19\sqrt{6} + 46)(19\sqrt{6} - 46)}{25}, \end{array} \right.$$

Repeating the procedure presented in Pattern III and finding the suitable condition,

we get the different sides of the Pythagorean triangle such that  $Hyp - 4\frac{A}{P} = 6\alpha^2$

**Method III:**

Equation (4) can be written in the ratio form as,

$$\frac{p - q + 2\alpha}{\alpha - q} = \frac{2(\alpha + q)}{p - q - 2\alpha} = \frac{A}{B}$$

This is equivalent to the following two equations,

$$\begin{aligned} B(p - q) + (2B - A)\alpha + Aq &= 0 \\ -A(p - q) + 2(B + A)\alpha + 2Bq &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Applying the method of cross multiplication, and simplifying we have

$$\left. \begin{aligned} p - q &= 4B^2 - 2A^2 - 4AB \\ p &= 6B^2 - 3A^2 \\ q &= 2B^2 - A^2 + 4AB \\ \alpha &= -(A^2 + 2B^2) \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (18)$$

Hence the values of  $x, y$  &  $z$  are

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x(A, B) &= 24B^4 - 24B^2A^2 + 48AB^3 - 24A^3B + 6A^4 \\ y(A, B) &= 32B^4 - 48B^2A^2 - 16AB^3 + 8A^3B + 8A^4 \\ z(A, B) &= 40B^4 - 24B^2A^2 + 16AB^3 - 8A^3B + 10A^4 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Thus, the values of  $x, y$  &  $z$  represent the sides of the Pythagorean triangle satisfying (8) provided that  $2B^2 - A^2 > 2AB$

**3.Remarkable Observations:**

By considering suitable linear combination among the generators  $p, q$  are may construct diophantine 3-tuples with suitable property. A few illustrations are given below for each Methods:

**Table.1: Diophantine quadruple generated from (9)**

P	Q	Property	Diophantine Quadruple
$3[p(a,1)+6]$	$p(a,1)+q(a,1)+8$	$9a^2$	$(9a^2, 4a^2+4a, 25a^2+10a, 400a^4+560a^3+236a^2+28a)$
$p(a,1)$	$a[3q(a,1)-p(a,1)]$	$6^2$	$(3a^2-6, 12a^2, 27a^2+6, 108a^6-288a^4-228a^2-48)$
$p(a,1)+2$	$2[p(a,1)-q(a,1)+4]$	$25a^2$	$(a^2+4a, 4a^2-4a, 9a^2+6a, \frac{1}{25}144a^4+528a^3+412a^2-84a)$

**Table.2: Diophantine quadruple generated from (13)**

P	Q	Property	Diophantine Quadruple
$6[p(a,1)-q(a,1)+2]$	$\frac{p(a,1)+q(a,1)-8}{36}$	$9a^2$	$(36a^2, a^2+a, 49a^2+7a, 784a^4+896a^3+284a^2+16a)$
	$\frac{p(a,1)+q(a,1)-8}{6}$	$9a^2$	$(6a^2, 6a^2+6a, 24a^2+12a, 384a^4+576a^3-264a^2+36a)$
	$\frac{p(a,1)+q(a,1)-8}{9}$	$a^2$	$(a^2+4a, 4a^2-4a, 9a^2+6a, 144a^4+240a^3+124a^2+20a)$

**Table.3: Diophantine quadruple generated from (17)**

P	Q	Property	Diophantine Quadruple
$7\left[\frac{p(A,1)+15}{30}\right]$	$\frac{q(A,1)+25}{6}$	$225A^2$	$(49A^2+42A, 25A^2, 144A^2+72A, 3136A^4+4256A^3+1780A^2+228A)$
$\frac{p(A,1)+15}{6}$		$5625A^2$	$(1225A^2+1050A, 25A^2, 1600A^2+1200A, \frac{1}{5625}(196000000A^4+315000000A^3+158062500A^2+25312500A))$
$\frac{p(A,1)+15}{5}$		$8100A^2$	$(1764A^2+1512A, 25A^2, 2209A^2+1692A, \frac{1}{8100}(389667600A^4+632469600A^3+32059800A^2+51904800A))$

**Table.4: Diophantine quadruple generated from (18)**

P	Q	Property	Diophantine Quadruple
$\frac{p(1, B) + 3}{3}$	$\frac{q(1, B) + 1}{2}$	$4B^2$	$(4B^2, B^2 + 2B, 9B^2 + 6B, 36B^4 + 96B^3 + 76B^2 + 16B)$
$\frac{p(1, B) + 3}{3}$		$9B^2$	$(9B^2, B^2 + 2B, 16B^2 + 8B, 64B^4 + 160B^3 + 116B^2 + 20B)$
$\frac{p(1, B) + 3}{6}$		$B^2$	$(B^2, B^2 + 2B, 4B^2 + 4B, 16B^4 + 48B^3 + 44B^2 + 12B)$

**Case 2:**

Let  $k = 2$  Then (3) becomes  $(p - q)^2 + 2q^2 = 18\alpha^2$  (19)

From (6) and (7) we have

$$p(a, b) = 5a^2 - 10b^2 + 4ab$$

$$q(a, b) = a^2 - 2b^2 + 8ab$$

and  $a^2 > b(a + 2b)$

The above inequality is satisfied when  $b = n, a = m + 2n; m, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

Therefore,

$$\left. \begin{aligned} p &= p(m, n) = 5m^2 + 18n^2 + 24mn \\ q &= q(m, n) = m^2 + 18n^2 + 12mn \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (20)$$

In view of (2) the sides of the Pythagorean triangle satisfying (3) are given by,

$$x(m, n) = 10m^4 + 168m^3n + 792m^2n^2 + 1296mn^3 + 648n^4$$

$$y(m, n) = 24m^4 + 216m^3n + 576m^2n^2 + 432mn^3$$

$$z(m, n) = 26m^4 + 264m^3n + 936m^2n^2 + 1296mn^3 + 648n^4$$

**Observation:**

From the generators  $p, q$  gives by (20), one may construct Diophantine quadruple with suitable property.

**Illustration :**

Let From the generators  $P = p(m, 1) - q(m, 1)$  &  $Q = q(m, 1) - 12m - 18$ . The quadruple  $(P, Q, R, S)$  is a Diophantine quadruple with property  $D(9m^2)$  where

$$R = 9m^2 + 18m, S = 16m^4 + 80m^3 + 124m^2 + 60m$$

Proof:

$$PQ + 9m^2 = (2m^2 + 3m)^2$$

$$PR + 9m^2 = (6m^2 + 15m)^2$$

$$PR + 9m^2 = (6m^2 + 15m)^2$$

$$PS + 9m^2 = (8m^3 + 32m^2 + 27m)^2$$

$$QS + 9m^2 = (4m^3 + 10m^2 + 3m)^2$$

$$RS + 9m^2 = (12m^3 + 42m^2 + 33m)^2$$

Thus the quadruple  $(P, Q, R, S)$  is a Diophantine quadruple with property  $D(9m^2)$

**Note:1**

$$(19) \text{ is written as } (p - q)^2 = 18\alpha^2 - 2q^2 \quad (21)$$

Introducing the linear transformations

$$\alpha = X + 2T, q = X + 18T \quad (22)$$

in (21) leads to  $(p - q)^2 = 16X^2 - 576T^2$

which is satisfied by

$$(p - q) = 2rs, 24T = r^2 - s^2, 4X = r^2 + s^2 \quad (23)$$

Since our is to find an integer solution substitute in  $r = 24R, s = 24S$  in (23) and therefore we get the values of  $\alpha$  &  $q$  as

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \alpha &= 192R^2 + 96S^2 \\ q &= 576R^2 - 288S^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \quad (24)$$

Also ,  $p = 576R^2 + 1152RS - 288S^2$

and  $2R^2 > S^2$ , substituting the values of the generators  $p, q$  in (2), the sides of the Pythagorean triangle satisfying (3) is given by

$$x(R, S) = 663552R^4 + 1327104R^3S - 663552R^2S^2 - 663552RS^3 + 165888S^4$$

$$y(R, S) = RS [1327104R^2 + 1327104RS - 663552S^2]$$

$$z(R, S) = 663552R^4 + 1327104R^3S + 663552R^2S^2 - 663552RS^3 + 165888S^4$$

**Observation:**

From the generators  $p, q$  one may construct Diophantine quadruple with suitable property.

**Illustration :**

Let From the generators  $A = \frac{p(R^2, 1) - q(R^2, 1)}{2}$  &  $B = q(R, 1) + 432$ . The quadruple

$(A, B, C, D)$  is a Diophantine quadruple with property  $D(5184)$  where

$$C = 2304R^2 + 288, D = 589284R^6 + 221184R^4 + 25344R^2 + 864$$

Proof:

$$AB + 5184 = (576R^2 + 72)^2$$

$$AC + 5184 = (1152R^2 + 72)^2$$



$$AD + 5184 = (18432R^4 + 3456R^2 + 72)^2$$

$$BC + 5184 = (1152R^2 + 216)^2$$

$$BD + 5184 = (18432R^4 + 5760R^2 + 360)^2$$

$$CD + 5184 = (36864R^4 + 9216R^2 + 504)^2$$

Thus the quadruple  $(A, B, C, D)$  is a Diophantine quadruple with property  $D(5184)$

## Conclusion

To conclude one may consider the Pythagorean triangle under consideration,

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