



### On THEs binary quadratic equation $y^2=7x^2+32$

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#### Abstract

The Binary Quadratic Equation represented by the positive Pellian  $y^2=7x^2+32$  is analyzed for its distinct integer solutions. A few interesting among the solutions are given Further, employing the solutions of the above hyperbola, we have obtained solutions of other choices of hyperbolas, parabolas and special pythagorian triangle.

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#### Introduction

The binary quadratic equation of the form  $y^2 = Dx^2 + 32$  where,  $D$  is non-square positive integer has been studied by various mathematicians for its non-trivial integral solutions when  $D$  takes different integral values [1-4]. For an extensive review of various problems, one may refer [5-20]. In this communication, yet another interesting hyperbola given by  $y^2 = 7x^2 + 32$  is considered and infinitely many integer solutions are obtained. A few interesting properties among the solutions are presented.

#### Method of analysis

The positive pell equation representing hyperbola under consideration is,

$$y^2 = 7x^2 + 32 \tag{1}$$

The smallest positive integer solution is,

$$x_0 = 4, y_0 = 12$$

The general solution  $(x_n, y_n)$  of (1) is given by,

$$y_n = \frac{1}{2} f_n, x_n = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{7}} g_n \tag{2}$$

Where,

$$f_n = (8 + 3\sqrt{7})^{n+1} + (8 - 3\sqrt{7})^{n+1}$$

$$g_n = (8 + 3\sqrt{7})^{n+1} - (8 - 3\sqrt{7})^{n+1}$$

The recurrence relations satisfied by the solution (2) are given by,

$$x_{n+3} - 16x_{n+2} + x_{n+1} = 0$$

$$y_{n+3} - 16y_{n+2} + y_{n+1} = 0, n = 0,1,2,\dots$$

Some numerical examples of  $x$  and  $y$  satisfying (1) are given in the Table 1 below.

**Table 1:** Examples

$n$	$x_n$	$y_n$
0	4	12
1	68	180
2	1084	2868
3	17276	45708
4	275332	728460

Form the above table, we observe some interesting relations among the solutions which are presented below.

1. The  $x_n$  values are even.
2. The  $y_n$  values are always even.

3. Each of the following expressions is a nasty numbers:

- $\frac{1}{2}(17y_{2n-2} - y_{2n+3} + 24)$
- $\frac{1}{16}(y_{2n+1} - 357x_{2n+3} + 192)$
- $\frac{1}{256}(9y_{2n+4} - 5673y_{2n+2} + 3048)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(9x_{2n+3} - 45x_{2n+2} + 24)$
- $\frac{1}{32}(3x_{2n+4} - 717x_{2n+2} + 384)$
- $\frac{1}{16}(135y_{2n+2} - 21x_{2n+3} + 192)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(135y_{2n+3} - 357x_{2n+3} + 24)$
- $\frac{1}{16}(135y_{2n+4} - 5691x_{2n+3} + 192)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(45x_{2n+4} - 717x_{2n+3} + 24)$
- $\frac{1}{254}(2151y_{2n+2} - 21x_{2n+4} + 3048)$
- $\frac{1}{16}(2151y_{2n+3} - 357x_{2n+4} + 192)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(2151y_{2n+4} - 5691x_{2n+4} - 24)$
- $\frac{1}{32}(y_{2n+3} - 271y_{2n+2} - 384)$
- $\frac{1}{2}(12y_{2n+3} - 271y_{2n+3} + 24)$

4. Each of the following expressions is a cubical integer:

- $144(17y_{3n+3} - y_{3n+4}) + 432(17y_{n+1} - y_{n+2})$
- $1024(3y_{3n+4} - 119x_{3n+3}) + 3072(3y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+1})$
- $2(x_{3n+4} - 15x_{3n+3}) + 6(x_{n+2} - 15x_{n+1})$
- $8(x_{3n+5} - 239x_{3n+3}) + 24(x_{n+3} - 239x_{n+1})$
- $1024(45y_{3n+3} - 7x_{3n+4}) + 3072(45y_{n+1} - 7x_{n+2})$
- $2(45y_{3n+4} - 119x_{3n+4}) + 6(45y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+2})$
- $1024(45y_{3n+5} - 1897x_{3n+4}) + 3072(45y_{n+3} - 1897x_{n+2})$
- $144(45x_{3n+5} - 717x_{3n+4}) + 432(45x_{n+3} - 717x_{n+2})$
- $258064(717y_{3n+3} - 7x_{3n+5}) + 774192(717y_{n+1} - 7x_{n+3})$
- $1024(717y_{3n+4} - 119x_{3n+5}) + 3072(717y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+3})$
- $2(717y_{3n+5} - 1897x_{3n+5}) + 6(717y_{n+3} - 1897x_{n+3})$
- $36864(271y_{3n+3} - y_{3n+5}) + 110592(271y_{n+1} - y_{n+3})$
- $144(271y_{3n+4} - 17y_{3n+5}) + 432(271y_{n+3} - 17y_{n+3})$

5. Relation among the solutions

- $21x_{n+1} = y_{n+2} - 8y_{n+1}$
- $8x_{n+1} = x_{n+2} - 3y_{n+1}$
- $x_{n+1} = 8x_{n+2} - 3y_{n+2}$

- $x_{n+1} = 16x_{n+3} - 255x_{n+2}$
- $127x_{n+1} = x_{n+3} - 48y_{n+1}$
- $x_{n+1} = x_{n+3} - 6y_{n+1}$
- $x_{n+1} = 127x_{n+3} - 48y_{n+3}$
- $336x_{n+1} = y_{n+3} - 127y_{n+1}$
- $21x_{n+1} = 8y_{n+3} - 127y_{n+2}$
- $8x_{n+1} = 127x_{n+2} - 3y_{n+3}$
- $21x_{n+2} = 8y_{n+2} - y_{n+1}$
- $x_{n+2} = x_{n+2} - 254x_{n+1}$
- $127x_{n+2} = 8x_{n+3} - 3y_{n+1}$
- $8x_{n+2} = x_{n+3} - 3y_{n+2}$
- $x_{n+2} = 8x_{n+3} - 3y_{n+3}$
- $42x_{n+2} = y_{n+3} - y_{n+1}$
- $21x_{n+2} = y_{n+3} - 8y_{n+2}$
- $21x_{n+3} = 127y_{n+2} - 8y_{n+1}$
- $x_{n+3} = 16x_{n+2} - x_{n+1}$
- $336x_{n+3} = 127y_{n+3} - y_{n+1}$
- $21x_{n+3} = 8y_{n+3} - y_{n+2}$
- $6y_{n+1} = x_{n+3} - 253x_{n+1}$
- $3y_{n+1} = 127x_{n+3} - 2024x_{n+2}$
- $y_{n+1} = 16y_{n+2} - y_{n+3}$
- $254y_{n+2} = 85281x_{n+1} - 103y_{n+3}$
- $48y_{n+2} = 127x_{n+3} - 32257x_{n+1}$
- $3y_{n+2} = 2024x_{n+3} - 32257x_{n+2}$
- $6y_{n+3} = 253x_{n+3} - 64261x_{n+1}$
- $3y_{n+3} = 32257x_{n+3} - 514088x_{n+2}$

**Remarkable observations**

i) Employing linear combinations among the solutions of (1), one may generate integer solutions for other choices of hyperbolas which are presented in the Table 2 below.

**Table 2:** Hyperbolas

S. No.	(X,Y)	HYPERBOLA
1	$(17y_{n+1} - y_{n+2}, y_{n+2} - 15y_{n+1})$	$7X^2 - 9Y^2 = 4032$
2	$(3y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+1}, y_{n+2} - 45x_{n+1})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 4096$
3	$(3y_{n+3} - 1897x_{n+1}, y_{n+3} - 717x_{n+1})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 1032256$
4	$(x_{n+2} - 15x_{n+1}, x_{n+2} - 17x_{n+1})$	$9X^2 - Y^2 = 576$
5	$(x_{n+3} - 239x_{n+1}, x_{n+3} - 271x_{n+1})$	$9X^2 - 7Y^2 = 1032192$
6	$(45y_{n+1} - 7x_{n+2}, 17y_{n+1} + 2x_{n+2})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 4096$
7	$(45y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+2}, 17y_{n+2} - 45x_{n+2})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 64$
8	$(y_{n+3} - 1897x_{n+2}, 17y_{n+3} - 717x_{n+2})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 4624$

9	$(45x_{n+3} - 717x_{n+2}, 17x_{n+3} - 271x_{n+2})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 576$
10	$(717y_{n+1} - 7x_{n+3}, 271y_{n+1} - 3x_{n+3})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 1032256$
11	$(717y_{n+2} - 119x_{n+3}, 271y_{n+2} - 45x_{n+2})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 4096$
12	$(717y_{n+3} - 1897x_{n+3}, 271y_{n+3} - 717x_{n+3})$	$X^2 - Y^2 = 64$
13	$(y_{n+3} - 271y_{n+1}, y_{n+3} - 239y_{n+1})$	$7X^2 - 9Y^2 = 1032192$
14	$(17y_{n+3} - 271y_{n+2}, 45y_{n+3} - 717y_{n+2})$	$7X^2 - Y^2 = 4032$

ii) Employing linear combinations among the solutions of (1), one may generate integer solutions for other choices of parabolas which are presented in the Table 2 below.

Table 3: Parabolas

S. No.	(X,Y)	PARABOLA
1	$(y_{2n+3} - 17y_{2n+2} - 24, y_{n+2} - 15y_{n+1})$	$3Y^2 = -28X + 1344$
2	$(3y_{2n+1} - 119x_{2n+2} + 64, y_{n+2} + 45x_{n+1})$	$Y^2 = X - 4096$
3	$(3y_{2n+4} - 717x_{2n+2} + 1016, y_{n+3} - 717x_{n+1})$	$Y^2 = 508X - 1032256$
4	$(x_{2n+3} - 15x_{2n+2} + 8, 17x_{n+1} - x_{n+2})$	$Y^2 = 36X - 576$
5	$(x_{2n+4} - 239x_{2n+2} + 128, x_{n+3} - 271x_{n+1})$	$7Y^2 = 576X - 147456$
6	$(45y_{2n+2} - 7x_{2n+3} + 64, 2x_{n+2} - 17y_{n+1})$	$Y^2 = 32X - 4096$
7	$(45y_{2n+3} - 119x_{2n+3} + 8, 17y_{n+2} - 45x_{n+2})$	$Y^2 = 4X - 64$
8	$(45y_{2n+4} - 1897x_{2n+3} + 64, 17y_{n+3} - 717x_{n+2})$	$Y^2 = 32X - 4096$
9	$(45x_{2n+4} - 717x_{2n+3} + 24, 17x_{n+3} - 271x_{n+2})$	$Y^2 = 12X - 576$
10	$(717y_{2n+2} - 7x_{2n+4} + 1016, 271y_{n+1} - 3x_{n+3})$	$Y^2 = 508X - 1032256$
11	$(717y_{2n+3} - 119x_{2n+4} + 64, 271y_{n+2} - 45x_{n+3})$	$Y^2 = 32X - 4096$
12	$(717y_{2n+4} - 1897x_{2n+4} - 8, 271y_{n+3} - 714x_{n+3})$	$Y^2 = 4X - 64$
13	$(y_{2n+3} - 271y_{2n+2} - 384, y_{n+3} - 239y_{n+1})$	$3Y^2 = -448X - 344064$
14	$(12y_{2n+3} - 271y_{2n+3} + 24, 45y_{n+3} - 717y_{n+2})$	$Y^2 = 84X - 4032$

iii) Consider  $m = x_{n+1} + y_{n+1}, n = x_{n+1}$  observe that  $m > n > 0$ . Treat  $m, n$  as the generators of the Pythagorean triangle  $T(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$  where,

$$\alpha = 2pq, \beta = p^2 - q^2, \gamma = p^2 + q^2$$

Then the following interesting relations are observed.

A.  $2\alpha - 7\beta + 5\gamma = -64$

B.  $9\alpha - 2\gamma = \frac{28A}{P} - 64$

C.  $\frac{2A}{P} = x_{n+1}y_{n+1}$

**Conclusion**

In this paper, we have presented infinitely many integer solutions for the hyperbola represented by the positive pell equation  $y^2 = 7x^2 + 32$ . As the binary quadratic Diophantine equations are rich in variety, one may search for the other choices of positive pell equations and determine their integer solutions along with suitable properties.

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