

## CONCEPTION OF POSITIVE INTEGER SOLUTIONS RELATING JACOBSTHAL AND JACOBSTHAL – LUCAS NUMBERS TO RESTRICTED NUMBER OF QUADRATIC EQUATIONS WITH DOUBLE VARIABLES

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#### **ABSTRACT:**

This study unveils patterns of positive integer solutions for limited number of explicit binary quadratic equations encompassing Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers by means of the pertinent features connecting these two numbers and the notions of divisibility.

**KEYWORDS:** quadratic Diophantine equations, Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers **INTRODUCTION:** 

In [7, 8, 9], the authors scrutinized various Diophantine equations using generalized Fibonacci and Lucas sequences. In [9], the writers premeditated the specific Diophantine equation  $x^2 - kxy + y^2 + x = 0$ . In [19], Pingzhi Yuan, Yongzhong discoursed on the quadratic Diophantine equation with two variables  $x^2 - kxy + y^2 + lx = 0$ , when  $l \in \{1, 2, 4\}$ . [1-6,10-18] may be referred for a comprehensive evaluation. In this communication, sequences of non-negative integer solutions for restricted number of quadratic equations with double variables  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = \pm C$ ,  $X^2 - 5XY \pm 4Y^2 = \pm C$ ,  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 \pm CX = 0$ ,  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 \pm CY = 0$ ,  $X^2 - 5XY - 4Y^2 \pm CX = 0$ ,  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 \pm 9CX = 0$ ,  $X^2 - 5XY - 4Y^2 \pm 9CY = 0$ ,  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 = \pm 9C$ ,  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 \pm 9CX = 0$  and  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 \pm 9CY = 0$  where *C* is a fixed constant which is some powers of the number 2 encircling Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are investigated by utilizing the appropriate erections connecting these two numbers and the concepts of divisibility.

#### **Needed Theorems:**

#### Theorem: [I]

For each integer n > 1, there exists primes  $p_1 \le p_2 \le \cdots \le p_r$  such that  $n = p_1 p_2 \dots p_r$ , this factorization is unique.

#### Theorem: [II]

If positive integers x, y, a, b, c with gcd(x, c) = 1 satisfying the equations

$$x^2 - axy - by^2 \pm cx = 0$$

then  $x = u^2$  and y = uv for some positive integers u and v.

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The  $n^{th}$  Jacobsthal number designated by  $J_n$  is delineated by  $J_n = J_{n-1} + 2J_{n-2}$ , for  $n \ge 2$ where  $J_0 = 0, J_1 = 1$ . If  $\alpha, \beta$  are two roots of the equation  $x^2 - x - 2 = 0$ , then  $\alpha = -1, \beta = 2$  such that  $\alpha\beta = -2$  and  $\alpha + \beta = 2$ . Furthermore, it is well-recognized and modest to reveal the characteristics that  $\alpha^{n-1} = J_n - \beta J_{n-1}$  and  $\beta^{n-1} = J_n - \alpha J_{n-1}$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , the set of all integers. Also, it might be declared by Mathematical induction that  $J_n^2 - J_n J_{n-1} - 2J_{n-1}^2 = (-2)^{n-1} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . (1)

Similarly, the  $n^{th}$  Jacobsthal-Lucas number  $j_n$  is described as  $j_n = j_{n-1} + 2j_{n-2}$  for  $n \ge 2$  and

 $j_0 = 2, j_1 = 1$ . The interrelation between Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers are approved as follows

1. 
$$j_n = J_{n+1} + 2J_{n-1}$$
 for every  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ .  
2.  $j_n^2 - j_n j_{n-1} - 2j_{n-1}^2 = -9(-2)^{n-1}$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$   
(2)

#### Theorem: 1

The constitutive criterion for all non-negative integer solutions to the specific second-degree equation involving two variables  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = C(-1)^{n-1}$  is  $(X, Y, C) = (J_n, J_{n-1}, 2^{n-1})$  with  $n \ge 1$ .

#### **Proof:**

If  $(X, Y, C) = (J_n, J_{n-1}, 2^{n-1})$ , then it follows from identity (1) that  $X^2 - 2XY - Y^2 = C(-1)^{n-1}$ . Conversely suppose that  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = C(-1)^{n-1}$  for some positive integers X, Y and  $C = 2^{n-1}$ .

Then,  $(X - \alpha Y)(X - \beta Y) = (\alpha \beta)^{n-1} \Rightarrow (X - \alpha Y)(X - \beta Y) = (J_n - \beta J_{n-1})(J_n - \alpha J_{n-1}).$ Thus,  $X - \alpha Y = J_n - \alpha J_{n-1}$  and hence  $(X, Y, C) = (J_n, J_{n-1}, 2^{n-1}), n \ge 1.$ 

#### **Corollary: 1.1**

The viable solutions to the certain quadratic equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = C$  are enumerated by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2m+1}, J_{2m}, 2^{2m})$ ,  $m \ge 0$ .

#### **Corollary: 1.2**

Every conceivable solution in Jacobsthal numbers of the equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = -C$  are quantified by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2m}, J_{2m-1}, 2^{2m-1})$  with  $m \ge 1$ .

#### Theorem: 2

The trustworthy integer solutions to the exact equation  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 = C$  are conquered by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+2}, J_{2n}, 2^{2n})$  with  $n \ge 0$ .

#### **Proof:**

For our convenience, let us choose X > 2Y

Then,  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 = C \Rightarrow (X - 2Y)^2 - (X - 2Y)Y - Y^2 = C$ By corollary 1.1, it should be  $X - 2Y = J_{2n+1}$ ,  $Y = J_{2n}$  and  $C = 2^{2n}$ The first two of the above equations yields the value of X as  $X = J_{2n+2}$  Hence, the solutions to the required equation are mentioned by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+2}, J_{2n}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0.$ 

## Corollary: 2.1

The infinitely many positive integer solutions to the equation  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 = -C$  are attained by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+1}, J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1})$  with  $n \ge 1$ .

## Theorem: 3

Let *X*, *Y* be any two natural numbers sustaining the equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 \pm CX = 0$ , then  $X = U^2$  and Y = UV where  $U, V \in \mathbb{N}$ .

## **Proof:**

Modify the original equation as  $X(X - Y \pm C) = 2Y^2$ It is easy to see that  $X/Y^2$  and hence  $Y^2 = XZ$  for some natural number Z. If p is any prime number such that p|X and p|Z, then p|YThis affords the expression  $X - Y - 2Z \pm C = 0$  which guarantees that p|C. Here, the only possible value of p is p = 2 which implies that  $X = 2X_1, Y = 2Y_1$ Again, it grasps that  $X_1^2 - X_1Y_1 - 2Y_1^2 \pm C_1X_1 = 0$  where  $C_1 = C/2$ .

Enduring the same method as enlightened above till the constant *C* vanishes, it is found that  $X_n^2 - X_n Y_n - 2Y_n^2 \pm X_n = 0$ 

It follows that 
$$X_n |Y_n|^2$$
 and hence  $Y_n|^2 = X_n Z_n$  for some positive integer Z

If a prime number p satisfying the conditions  $p|X_n$  and  $p|Z_n$ , then  $p|Y_n$ 

Then, it is detected that  $X_n - Y_n - 2Z_n \pm 1 = 0$ .

This equation infers that p|1 which is not possible.

Therefore, 
$$gcd(X, Z) = 1$$
.

By the needed theorem [I] stated above, it is noted that  $X = U^2$  and  $Z = V^2$  for some positive integers U and V where gcd(U, V) = 1.

Hence, it is concluded that  $Y^2 = XZ = U^2V^2 \Rightarrow Y = UV$ .

## **Corollary: 3.1**

The probable values of *X*, *Y* in the equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + CX = 0$  are given by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n}^2, J_{2n}, J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1.$ 

## **Corollary: 3.2**

The realistic solutions in Jacobsthal numbers to the equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 - CX = 0$  are computed by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+1}^2, J_{2n+1}, J_{2n}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0.$ 

## Theorem: 4

If X, Y be any two positive integers such that  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 \pm CY = 0$ , then X = UV and  $Y = U^2$  for some positive integers U and V with gcd(U, V) = 1.

## **Proof:**

The proof is analogous to Theorem 3.

## **Corollary: 4.1**

The convincing integer values of X, Y in the equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + CY = 0$  are resolved by

 $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n} J_{2n-1}, J_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1.$ Corollary: 4.2 The conventional solutions to the quadratic equation  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 - CY = 0$  are particularized by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+1}J_{2n}, J_{2n}^2, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0.$ 

## Theorem: 5

The patterns of non-negative integer solutions to the equation  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 + CX = 0$  are exemplified by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+1}^2, J_{2n-1}J_{2n+1}, 2^{2n-1})$  where  $n \ge 1$ .

## **Proof:**

Let *X*, *Y* be two non-negative integers such that  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 + CX = 0$ .

The alteration of the above equation  $4Y^2 = X(5Y - X - C)$  ensures that X divides  $Y^2$  and henceforth  $Y^2 = XZ$  for some non-negative integer Z.

Suppose that a certain prime number p divides both X and Z.

Then p|Y and also the relation X - 6Y + 4Z + C = 0 holds for all  $X, Y \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , the set of all positive integers.

Thus, p divides C and the chance of such p is p = 2.

This condition confirms that  $X = 2X_1$ ,  $Y = 2Y_1$  for some  $X_1$ ,  $Y_1 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and perceptibly the equation in which solutions to be evaluated is converted into  $X_1^2 - 5X_1Y_1 + 4Y_1^2 + C_1X_1 = 0$  where  $C_1 = C/2$ . By the argument as explained above,  $X_1|Y_1^2$  and hence  $Y_1^2 = X_1Z_1$  for some  $Z_1 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

Again, if  $p|X_1$  and  $p|Z_1$ , then  $p|Y_1$  and the precise relation  $X_1 - 5Y_1 + 4Z_1 + C_1 = 0$  is also true for all  $X_1, Y_1 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

Carrying on this procedure till the equation  $X_n^2 - 5X_nY_n + 4Y_n^2 + X_n = 0$  is reached. Further if  $p|X_n$  and  $p|Z_n$ , then  $p|Y_n$  and the accurate equation  $X_n - 5Y_n + 4Z_n + 1 = 0$  is detected for all  $X_n, Y_n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

Finally, p divides 1 which is impossible.

As a result, our supposition that X and Z have common divisors is erroneous. This shows that that gcd(X, Z) = 1.

Thus, by the necessary and sufficient condition that the product two coprime numbers should be a perfect square if and only if each of them is a perfect square,  $X = P^2$  and  $Z = Q^2$  where  $P, Q \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and gcd(P, Q) = 1.

These adoptions of X and Z provides that Y = PQ and subsequently the essential equation can be developed into  $P^2 - 5PQ + 4R^2 + C = 0$ .

By Corollary 2.1, the values of *P*, *Q* and *C* are searched by  $(P, Q, C) = (J_{2n+1}, J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1})$ and therefore  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+1}^2, J_{2n-1}J_{2n+1}, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1$ .

## **Corollary: 5.1**

The non-negative integer solutions for the equation  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 - CX = 0$  are symbolized by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+2}^2, J_{2n+2}J_{2n}, 2^{2n})$  where  $n \ge 0$ .

#### Theorem: 6

- (i) The patterns of positive integer solutions to the equation  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 + CY = 0$ are incarnated by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n-1}J_{2n+1}, J_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1})$  where  $n \ge 1$ .
- (ii) The infinitely several positive integer solutions to the equation  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 CY = 0$  are signified by  $(X, Y, C) = (J_{2n+2}J_{2n}, J_{2n}^2, 2^{2n})$  where  $n \ge 0$ .

#### Theorem: 7

The feasible solution in Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers for two unlike binary quadratic equations  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = 9C$  and  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 = -9C$  are presented by  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n}, j_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1})$ ,  $n \ge 1$  and  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+1}, j_{2n}, 2^{2n})$ ,  $n \ge 0$  respectively.

## Theorem: 8

Let *X*, *Y* be two distinct natural numbers.

- (i) If  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 = 9C$ , then  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+1}, j_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1})$ ,  $n \ge 1$ .
- (ii) If  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 = -9C$ , then  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+2}, j_{2n}, 2^{2n})$ ,  $n \ge 0$ .

## Theorem: 9

If X, Y be any two non-negative integers such that  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + 9CX = 0$ , then either  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n}^2, 9J_{2n}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 1$  or  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+1}^2, j_{2n+1}j_{2n}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0$ . **Proof:** 

# Assume that $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + 9CX = 0$ for some non-negative integers X and Y.

If 9|X, then  $9|Y \Rightarrow X = 9U$  and Y = 9V for some  $U, V \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ 

Therefore, the needed equation in two unknowns *X* and *Y* is enhanced in terms of *U* and *V* as  $U^2 - UV - 2V^2 + CU = 0$ .

By theorem 4,  $(U, V, C) = (J_{2n}^2, J_{2n}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n}) \Rightarrow (X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n}^2, 9J_{2n}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n}).$ If  $9 \nmid X$ , then by theorem [II],  $X = U^2$  and Y = UV.

These choices of U and V simplifies the considered equation into  $U^2 - UV - 2V^2 + 9C = 0$ . By theorem 7, it is resolved that

 $(U,V,C) = (j_{2n+1}, j_{2n}, 2^{2n}) \implies (X,Y,C) = (j_{2n+1}^2, j_{2n+1}j_{2n}, 2^{2n}) \text{ where } n \ge 0.$ 

Conversely if  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n}^2, 9J_{2n}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n})$ , then by the implementation of corollary 1.2  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + 9CX = (9J_{2n}^2)^2 - (9J_{2n}^2)(-9J_{2n}J_{2n-1}) - 2(-9J_{2n}J_{2n-1})^2 + 9C(9J_{2n}^2)$  $= 81J_{2n}^2 \{J_{2n}^2 - J_{2n}J_{2n-1} - J_{2n-1}^2 + C\} = 0,$ 

Likewise, the very same equation might well be fulfilled for  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+1}^2, j_{2n+1}j_{2n}, 2^{2n}).$ 

## Theorem: 10

Let  $X, Y \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , the set of all positive integers.

(i) If  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 - 9CX = 0$ , then either  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n+1}^2, 9J_{2n+1}J_{2n}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0$  or  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n}^2, j_{2n}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1$ .

(ii) If 
$$X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 + 9CY = 0$$
, then either  $(X, Y, C) = (g_{2n}j_{2n-1}, g_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1$  or  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n}j_{2n+1}, j_{2n+1}^2, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0$ .

(iii) If  $X^2 - XY - 2Y^2 - 9CY = 0$ , then either  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n+1}J_{2n}, 9J_{2n}^2, 2^{2n})$ ,  $n \ge 0$  or  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n}j_{2n-1}, j_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1})$ ,  $n \ge 1$ .

## Theorem: 11

Let X, Y be two distinct non-negative integers. Then

- (i) The two different set non-negative integer solutions to the equation  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 + 9CX = 0$  are discovered by  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n+1}^2, 9J_{2n+1}J_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1$  and  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+2}^2, j_{2n+2}j_{2n}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0$ .
- (ii) All possible solutions in Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal -Lucas numbers to the equation  $X^2 - 5XY + 4Y^2 - 9CX = 0$  are determined by (X, Y, C) =

 $(9J_{2n+2}^{2}, 9J_{2n}J_{2n+2}, 2^{2n}), n \ge 0 \text{ and } (X, Y, C) = (j_{2n+1}^{2}, j_{2n+1}j_{2n-1}, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1.$ 

- (iii) If  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 + 9CY = 0$ , then two sequences of solutions are presented by  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n-1}J_{2n+1}, 9J_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 0$  and  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n}j_{2n+2}, j_{2n}^2, 2^{2n-1}), n \ge 1$ .
- (iv) If  $X^2 5XY + 4Y^2 9CY = 0$ , then either  $(X, Y, C) = (9J_{2n}J_{2n+2}, 9J_{2n}^2, 2^{2n})$ ,  $n \ge 1$  or  $(X, Y, C) = (j_{2n-1}j_{2n+1}, j_{2n-1}^2, 2^{2n-1})$ ,  $n \ge 0$ .

## **CONCLUSION:**

In this article, the generic solutions to a specific set of unambiguous binary quadratic equations are revealed in terms of Jacobsthal and Jacobsthal-Lucas numbers. In this manner, one may explore solutions to some cubic or higher degree Diophantine equations having more than two variables concerning other periodic sequences of integers.

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