

A Glimpse On Finding Integer Solutions to Quaternary Quadratic Diophantine Equation

$$xy + 4zw = (x + y)(z + w)$$

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Abstract: This paper aims at finding patterns of solutions in integers to quaternary quadratic diophantine equation given by $xy + 4zw = (x + y)(z + w)$. Substitution technique and factorization method are utilized to obtain varieties of integer solutions. It is worth to observe that the introduction of the transformations reduce the quadratic equation with four unknowns to solvable Pythagorean equation. A few relations among the solutions are presented.

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Notations:

$$t_{3,n} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$P_n^3 = \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{6}$$

$$P_n^4 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$P_n^5 = \frac{n^2(n+1)}{2}$$

