

## **Parametric solutions to sum & difference of two cubes**

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### **ABSTRACT**

Since Fermat's equation,  $[(a^3 + b^3) = (c)^3]$

does not have a solution, we are considering the below two

Diophantine equations: :

$$(a^3 + b^3) = w(c)^3 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (1)$$

$$(a^3 - b^3) = w(c)^3 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (2)$$

Also, equation (2) above has been discussed in the book by Tito Piezas  
(Ref. # 3)

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Parametric solutions to equations (1) & (2) above:

$$(a^3 - b^3) = w(c)^3$$

$$a = m^3 - 3mn^2 - n^3$$

$$b = 3mn(m + n)$$

$$c = (m^2 + mn + n^2)$$

$$w = (m^3 - 6mn^2 - 3m^2n - n^3)$$

$$(m, n) = (3, 2)$$

$$(a, b, c, w) = (-17, -90, 19 - 107)$$

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$$(a^3 + b^3) = w(c)^3$$

$$a = m^3 - 3mn^2 + n^3$$

$$b = 3mn(m - n)$$

$$c = (m^2 - mn + n^2)$$

$$w = (m^3 - 6mn^2 + 3m^2n + n^3)$$

$$(m, n) = (3, 2)$$

$$(a, b, c, w) = (18, -1, 7, 17)$$

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$$(a^3 - b^3) = w(c)^3 \quad \text{--- --- ---} \quad (1)$$

*From the internet we have the below solution:*

*From a known solution of (1) namely :  $(x^3 + y^3) = w(z)^3$ ,  
another solution is shown below:*

$$a = x(x^3 + 2y^3),$$

$$b = y(2x^3 + y^3)$$

$$c = z(x^3 - y^3)$$

*for:  $(x, y, z) = (2, 1, 1)$  &  $w = 9$  we get:*

$$20^3 - 17^3 = 9(7)^3$$

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$$(a^3 + b^3) = w(c)^3 \quad \text{--- --- ---} \quad (1)$$

$$a = p^3 - q^3$$

$$b = q^3$$

$$c = p^3$$

$$w = p^6 - 3p^3q^3 + 3q^6$$

For:  $(p, q) = (2, 1)$  we get:

$$(a, b, c, w) = (26, 1, 3, 651)$$

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$$(a^3 + b^3) = w(c)^3 \quad \dots \quad (1)$$

$$(a, b, c) = [(7 + t), (2 - t), 3], \quad \&$$

$$w = (t^2 + 5t + 13)$$

For:  $t = 12$  we get  $(a, b, c, w) = (19, -10, 3, 217)$

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