

Partitions associated with the Ramanujan/Watson mock theta functions $\omega(q)$ and $\nu(q)$

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100 YEARS OF MOCK THETA FUNCTIONS

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Mock theta functions

- In 1920, Ramanujan introduced the notion of a mock theta function in his last letter to Hardy.
- A mock theta function is a function f of the complex variable q , defined by a q -series of a particular type (Eulerian form), which converges for $|q| < 1$ and satisfies certain conditions.

Mock Theta Conjectures

- Partition-theoretic interpretations of various results involving mock theta functions have been the subject of intense study for many decades.
- Andrews and Garvan reduced the proofs of ten identities for the fifth order mock theta functions given in Ramanujan's Lost Notebook to proving two conjectures based on
 - (a) the rank of a partition,
 - (b) the number of partitions with unique smallest part and all other parts less than or equal to the double (or one plus the double) of the smallest part.
- These conjectures, known as Mock Theta Conjectures, were first proved by Dean Hickerson in 1988.

Partition-theoretic interpretations of mock theta functions

- A mock theta function itself may also admit a simple and interesting combinatorial interpretation.
- Consider

$$q\chi_1(q) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{q^n}{(1-q^n)(1-q^{n+1})(1-q^{n+2}) \cdots (1-q^{2n-1})},$$

where $\chi_1(q)$ is one of the fifth order mock theta functions of Ramanujan.

It is easy to see that it is the generating function for partitions in which parts are less than twice the smallest part.

- Similarly,

$$\chi_0(q) := 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{q^n}{(1-q^{n+1})(1-q^{n+2}) \cdots (1-q^{2n})}$$

can be interpreted as the generating function for partitions with unique smallest part and the largest part at most twice the smallest part.

- Few other mock theta functions also have similar partition-theoretic interpretations.

Further examples

- Watson defined the following two third-order mock theta functions in 1936. They are also in Ramanujan's Lost Notebook.

$$\omega(q) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{q^{2n^2+2n}}{(1-q)^2(1-q^3)^2 \cdots (1-q^{2n+1})^2},$$

$$\nu(q) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{q^{n^2+n}}{(1+q)(1+q^3) \cdots (1+q^{2n+1})}.$$

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Notation

$$\begin{aligned}(a; q)_0 &:= 1, \\(a; q)_n &:= (1 - a)(1 - aq) \cdots (1 - aq^{n-1}), \\(a; q)_\infty &:= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a; q)_n.\end{aligned}$$

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- Andrews' four-parameter q -series identity:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(B; q)_n (-Abq; q)_n q^n}{(-aq; q)_n (-bq; q)_n} \\ &= \frac{-a^{-1}(B; q)_{\infty} (-Abq; q)_{\infty}}{(-bq; q)_{\infty} (-aq; q)_{\infty}} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(A^{-1}; q)_m \left(\frac{Abq}{a}\right)^m}{\left(-\frac{B}{a}; q\right)_{m+1}} \\ &+ (1+b) \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-a^{-1}; q)_{m+1} \left(-\frac{ABq}{a}; q\right)_m (-b)^m}{\left(-\frac{B}{a}; q\right)_{m+1} \left(\frac{Abq}{a}; q\right)_{m+1}}. \end{aligned}$$

- Ramanujan's ${}_1\psi_1$ summation formula:

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(a; q)_n}{(b; q)_n} z^n = \frac{(az; q)_{\infty} (q/(az); q)_{\infty} (q; q)_{\infty} (b/a; q)_{\infty}}{(z; q)_{\infty} (b/(az); q)_{\infty} (b; q)_{\infty} (q/a; q)_{\infty}}.$$

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- A relation linking $\nu(q)$ and $\omega(q)$:

$$\nu(q) + q\omega(q^2) = (-q^2; q^2)_\infty^3 (q^2; q^2)_\infty.$$

- The result again:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_\omega(n)q^n &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{q^n}{(1-q^n)(q^{n+1}; q)_n (q^{2n+2}; q^2)_\infty} \\ &= q\omega(q). \end{aligned}$$

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$$(q; q)_{\infty} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (d_e(n) - d_o(n))q^n.$$

- $d_e(n)$: number of partitions of n into an even number distinct parts,
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$$(q; q)_{\infty} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-1)^n q^{n(3n-1)/2}.$$

Analogue of Euler's pentagonal number theorem

Theorem (Andrews, Dixit, and Y.)

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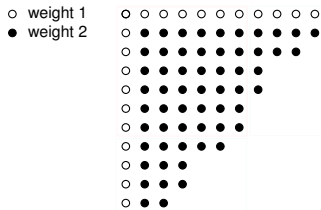


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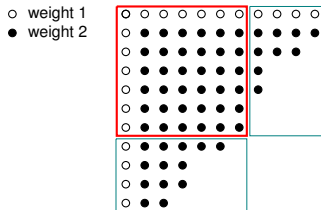


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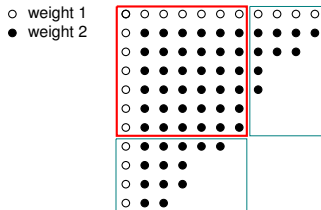


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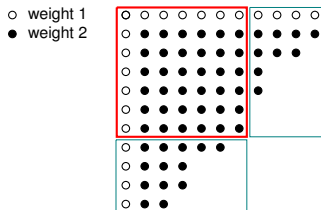


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Bivariate generalizations

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- The overpartition function $\overline{p}(n)$ counts the number of overpartitions of n .

$$\overline{p}(4) = 14.$$

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Andrews' spt-function

- In 2008, Andrews defined the smallest parts function $\text{spt}(n)$ as the total number of appearances of the smallest parts in all of the partitions of n .
- Example: The five partitions of 4 are

$$\underline{4}, \underline{3} + \underline{1}, \underline{2} + \underline{2}, \underline{2} + \underline{1} + \underline{1}, \underline{1} + \underline{1} + \underline{1} + \underline{1}.$$

Hence $\text{spt}(4) = 10$.

- Andrews proved three surprising congruences for $\text{spt}(n) \pmod{5}$, 7 and 13 :

$$\text{spt}(5n + 4) \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$$

$$\text{spt}(7n + 5) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$$

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- This generating function has an alternative representation coming through the second derivative of Watson's q -analogue of Whipple's theorem.
- This allowed Andrews to prove that $\text{spt}(n)$ is related to the partition function $p(n)$ and the second Atkin–Garvan rank moment $N_2(n)$ by

$$\text{spt}(n) = np(n) - \frac{1}{2}N_2(n).$$

- He then used this to prove the above spt -congruences.

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Generating function of $\text{spt}_\omega(n)$ - Alternate representation

- Take second derivative (with respect to z) on both sides of the above equation and then let $z = 1$ to obtain

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{spt}_\omega(n)q^n &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{q^n}{(1-q^n)^2(q^{n+1}; q)_n(q^{2n+2}; q^2)_\infty} \\ &= \frac{1}{(q^2; q^2)_\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{nq^n}{1-q^n} + \frac{1}{(q^2; q^2)_\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n(1+q^{2n})q^{n(3n+1)}}{(1-q^{2n})^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{(q^2; q^2)_\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{nq^n}{1-q^n} - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} N_2(n)q^{2n}.\end{aligned}$$

- Let

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n q^n := \frac{1}{(q^2; q^2)_\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{nq^n}{1-q^n}.$$

Then $5 \mid c_{5n+3}$ and $5 \mid c_{5n+4}$.

Theorem (Andrews, Dixit, Y. (2015))

The function $\text{spt}_\omega(n)$ satisfies the following three congruences:

$$\text{spt}_\omega(5n + 3) \equiv 0 \pmod{5},$$

$$\text{spt}_\omega(10n + 7) \equiv 0 \pmod{5},$$

$$\text{spt}_\omega(10n + 9) \equiv 0 \pmod{5}.$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\overline{\text{spt}}_{\omega}(3n) &\equiv 0 \pmod{3}, \\ \overline{\text{spt}}_{\omega}(3n+2) &\equiv 0 \pmod{3}.\end{aligned}$$

The function $\text{spt}_\nu(n)$

- Let $\text{spt}_\nu(n)$ denote the number of smallest parts in the partitions enumerated by $p_\nu(n)$.
- It is trivial to see that $\text{spt}_\nu(n) = p_\nu(n)$.
- It is shown that

$$\text{spt}_\nu(10n + 8) \equiv 0 \pmod{5}.$$

- Proof employs the relation $\nu(-q) = q\omega(q^2) + (-q^2; q^2)_\infty \psi(q^2)$.

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