

RESULTS OF HURWITZ TYPE FOR THREE SQUARES

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1. Introduction and statement of results

Let $r_k(n)$ denote the number of representations of n as a sum of k squares. Hurwitz [3] gave eleven cases in which the generating function of $r_3(an+b)$ is a simple infinite product. We prove these eleven results, another twelve of the same sort and eighty infinite families of similar results. We also state as conjectures another eighty-two infinite families.

Hurwitz's results are our identities (1.3), (1.4), (1.6)–(1.10), (1.13), (1.15), (1.16) and (1.18).

Before stating our results, we need some definitions. Let

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(q) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{n^2}, \quad \psi(q) = \sum_{n \geq 0} q^{(n^2+n)/2}, \quad X(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{3n^2+2n}, \quad P(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(3n^2+n)/2}, \\ A(q) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{9n^2+2n}, \quad B(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{9n^2+4n}, \quad C(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{9n^2+8n}, \quad D(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{5n^2+2n}, \\ E(q) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{5n^2+4n}, \quad F(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4n^2+n}, \quad G(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4n^2+3n}, \quad H(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(9n^2+n)/2}, \\ I(q) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(9n^2+5n)/2}, \quad J(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(9n^2+7n)/2}, \quad K(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(5n^2+n)/2}, \\ L(q) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(5n^2+3n)/2}, \quad a(q) = \sum q^{m^2+mn+n^2}, \quad b(q) = \sum \omega^{m-n} q^{m^2+mn+n^2} = \frac{(q)_\infty^3}{(q^3)_\infty}, \\ c(q) &= \sum q^{m^2+mn+n^2+m+n} = 3 \frac{(q^3)_\infty^3}{(q)_\infty}. \end{aligned}$$

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By Jacobi's triple product identity, each of $\phi(q)$, $\psi(q)$, $X(q)$, $P(q)$, $A(q)$, $B(q)$, $C(q)$, $D(q)$, $E(q)$, $F(q)$, $G(q)$, $H(q)$, $I(q)$, $J(q)$, $K(q)$ and $L(q)$ is a product.

We prove the following results.

Theorem 1:

$$(1.1) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(3n)q^n = \phi(q)^4 / \phi(q^3),$$

$$(1.2) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(4n)q^n = \phi(q)^3,$$

$$(1.3) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(4n+1)q^n = 6\phi(q)^2\psi(q^2),$$

$$(1.4) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(4n+2)q^n = 12\phi(q)\psi(q^2)^2,$$

$$(1.5) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(4n+3)q^n = 8\psi(q^2)^3,$$

$$(1.6) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+1)q^n = 6\phi(q)^2\psi(q),$$

$$(1.7) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+2)q^n = 12\phi(q^2)\psi(q)^2,$$

$$(1.8) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+3)q^n = 8\psi(q)^3,$$

$$(1.9) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+5)q^n = 24\psi(q)\psi(q^2)^2,$$

$$(1.10) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+6)q^n = 24\psi(q)^2\psi(q^4),$$

$$(1.11) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(8n+7)q^n = 0.$$

$$(1.12) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(12n+3)q^n = 8\psi(q^2)^4 / \psi(q^6),$$

$$(1.13) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n+2)q^n = 12\phi(q)\phi(q^2)\psi(q),$$

$$(1.14) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n+5)q^n = 24\psi(q)^2F(q),$$

$$(1.15) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n + 6)q^n = 24\phi(q^2)\psi(q)\psi(q^2),$$

$$(1.16) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n + 10)q^n = 24\phi(q)\psi(q)\psi(q^4),$$

$$(1.17) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n + 13)q^n = 24\psi(q)^2G(q),$$

$$(1.18) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(16n + 14)q^n = 48\psi(q)\psi(q^2)\psi(q^4),$$

$$(1.19) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(24n + 3)q^n = 8\psi(q)^4/\psi(q^3),$$

$$(1.20) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(32n + 6)q^n = 24\phi(q)\psi(q)F(q),$$

$$(1.21) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(32n + 14)q^n = 48\psi(q)\psi(q^2)F(q),$$

$$(1.22) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(32n + 22)q^n = 24\phi(q)\psi(q)G(q),$$

$$(1.23) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(32n + 30)q^n = 48\psi(q)\psi(q^2)G(q),$$

Theorem 2:

$$(2.1) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(3n + 1))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q^3)^2X(q),$$

$$(2.2) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(3n + 2))q^n = 4 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\phi(q) \{c(q^2)/3\},$$

$$(2.3) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(6n + 2))q^n = 4 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\phi(q^2) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.4) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(6n + 5))q^n = 8 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\psi(q^4) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.5) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n + 1))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)^2A(q),$$

$$(2.6) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n + 4))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)^2B(q),$$

$$(2.7) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n + 6))q^n = 12(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^3) \{c(q^2)/3\}.$$

$$(2.8) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n+7))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)q\phi(q)^2 C(q),$$

$$(2.9) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+1))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)^2 P(q^2),$$

$$(2.10) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+2))q^n = 4 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\phi(q)\psi(q)P(q),$$

$$(2.11) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+5))q^n = 8 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\psi(q^2)\psi(q)P(q),$$

$$(2.12) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+7))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)q\psi(q^2) \{c(q^4)/3\},$$

$$(2.13) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+10))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q^2)^2 X(q),$$

$$(2.14) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(12n+11))q^n = 8 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\psi(q^2) \{c(q^2)/3\},$$

$$(2.15) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(18n+6))q^n = 12(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^6) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.16) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(18n+15))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)q\psi(q^{12}) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.17) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+1))q^n = 6(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)P(q)\phi(q)^2,$$

$$(2.18) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+5))q^n = 8 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\phi(q)\psi(q)P(q^2),$$

$$(2.19) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+10))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q)^2 P(q^4),$$

$$(2.20) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+11))q^n = 8 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\psi(q) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.21) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+13))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)P(q)\psi(q^2)^2,$$

$$(2.22) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+17))q^n = 16 \times 3^{\lambda+1}\psi(q)\psi(q^2)X(q),$$

$$(2.23) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n+19))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q) \{c(q^2)/3\},$$

$$(2.24) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(24n + 22))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q)^2 X(q^2),$$

$$(2.25) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 6))q^n = 12(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)P(q^2)^2 \phi(q),$$

$$(2.26) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 7))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)q\psi(q^2)^2 I(q^2),$$

$$(2.27) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 15))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)q\psi(q^6) \{c(q^2)/3\},$$

$$(2.28) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 19))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q^2)^2 H(q^2),$$

$$(2.29) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 21))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q)\psi(q^3)P(q^2),$$

$$(2.30) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 30))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)X(q^2)P(q^4)\phi(q),$$

$$(2.31) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 31))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)q\psi(q^2)^2 J(q^2),$$

$$(2.32) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(36n + 33))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^2)X(q)^2,$$

$$(2.33) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 10))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q^2)P(q^2)\psi(q),$$

$$(2.34) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 19))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1) \{c(q)/3\} F(q),$$

$$(2.35) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 22))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q^2)\psi(q)X(q),$$

$$(2.36) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 34))q^n = 48(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)P(q^2)\psi(q^4)\psi(q),$$

$$(2.37) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 43))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1) \{c(q)/3\} G(q),$$

$$(2.38) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(48n + 46))q^n = 48(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q^4)\psi(q)X(q),$$

$$(2.39) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 6))q^n = 12(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^2)P(q)^2,$$

$$(2.40) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 19))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q)^2 H(q),$$

$$(2.41) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 21))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)P(q^2)^2\psi(q),$$

$$(2.42) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 30))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^2)P(q^2)X(q),$$

$$(2.43) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 33))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^3)\psi(q)X(q),$$

$$(2.44) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 42))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^4)P(q)^2,$$

$$(2.45) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 43))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q)^2 I(q),$$

$$(2.46) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 51))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^3) \{c(q)/3\},$$

$$(2.47) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 57))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)\psi(q^6)P(q),$$

$$(2.48) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 66))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^4)P(q^2)X(q)$$

$$(2.49) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 67))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q)^2 J(q),$$

$$(2.50) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(72n + 69))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)X(q^2)P(q^4)\psi(q),$$

$$(2.51) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(96n + 10))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)P(q)F(q),$$

$$(2.52) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(96n + 34))q^n = 48(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q^2)P(q)F(q),$$

$$(2.53) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(96n + 58))q^n = 24(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)P(q)G(q),$$

$$(2.54) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(96n + 82))q^n = 48(2 \times 3^\lambda - 1)\psi(q^2)P(q)G(q),$$

$$(2.55) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 21))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)P(q)^2 F(q),$$

$$(2.56) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 30))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)P(q)P(q^4),$$

$$(2.57) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 66))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^2)P(q)P(q^4),$$

$$(2.58) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 69))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)X(q)P(q^2)F(q),$$

$$(2.59) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 93))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)P(q)^2G(q),$$

$$(2.60) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 102))q^n = 24(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)P(q)X(q^2),$$

$$(2.61) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 138))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\psi(q^2)P(q)X(q^2),$$

$$(2.62) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(144n + 141))q^n = 48(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)X(q)P(q^2)G(q),$$

Theorem 3:

$$(3.1) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(5n + 1))q^n = 6 \times 5^\lambda \phi(q)^2 D(q),$$

$$(3.2) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(5n + 4))q^n = 6 \times 5^\lambda \phi(q)^2 E(q),$$

$$(3.3) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(20n + 11))q^n = 24 \times 5^\lambda \psi(q^2)^2 K(q^2),$$

$$(3.4) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(20n + 19))q^n = 24 \times 5^\lambda \psi(q^2)^2 L(q^2),$$

$$(3.5) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(25n + 5))q^n = 6(5^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)\phi(q^5)D(q),$$

$$(3.6) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(25n + 10))q^n = 6(5^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)D(q)^2,$$

$$(3.7) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(25n + 15))q^n = 6(5^{\lambda+1} - 1)q\phi(q)E(q)^2,$$

$$(3.8) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(25n + 20))q^n = 6(5^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)\phi(q^5)E(q).$$

$$(3.9) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(40n + 11))q^n = 24 \times 5^\lambda \psi(q)^2 K(q),$$

$$(3.10) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(40n + 19))q^n = 24 \times 5^\lambda \psi(q)^2 L(q),$$

$$(3.11) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(100n + 15))q^n = (68 \times 5^\lambda - 20)q\psi(q^2)L(q^2)^2,$$

$$(3.12) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(100n + 35))q^n = (68 \times 5^\lambda - 20)\psi(q^2)K(q^2)^2,$$

$$(3.13) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(100n + 55))q^n = (136 \times 5^\lambda - 40)q\psi(q^2)\psi(q^{10})K(q^2),$$

$$(3.14) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(100n + 95))q^n = (136 \times 5^\lambda - 40)q\psi(q^2)\psi(q^{10})L(q^2),$$

$$(3.15) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(200n + 35))q^n = (68 \times 5^\lambda - 20)\psi(q)K(q)^2,$$

$$(3.16) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(200n + 115))q^n = (68 \times 5^\lambda - 20)\psi(q)L(q)^2,$$

$$(3.17) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(200n + 155))q^n = (136 \times 5^\lambda - 40)\psi(q)\psi(q^5)K(q),$$

$$(3.18) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(25^\lambda(200n + 195))q^n = (136 \times 5^\lambda - 40)\psi(q)\psi(q^5)L(q).$$

We further conjecture that for the following values of a , b and p , and for no other (non-trivial) a , b with $0 \leq b < a < 200$, $\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(p^{2\lambda}(an + b))q^n$ is a simple infinite product, that is,

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(p^{2\lambda}(an + b))q^n = Cq^k \prod_{i=1}^m (q^{\alpha_i}; q^{\beta_i})_{\infty}^{k_i},$$

where C, m, α_i, β_i are positive integers, k is a non-negative integer and k_i are integers.

a	b	p
15	7, 13	3, 5
30	7, 13, 22, 28	3, 5
40	13, 17, 33, 37	5
45	21, 39	3, 5
60	7, 13, 22, 37, 43, 58	3, 5
63	15, 30, 39, 51, 57, 60	3, 7
75	55, 70	3, 5
80	17, 33, 57, 73	5
120	13, 37, 43, 67, 73, 97	3, 5
147	7, 28, 112	3, 7
150	55, 70, 130, 145	3, 5
180	39, 111	3, 5.

2. Preliminary lemmas

We shall require the following lemmas, where $\omega = e^{2\pi i/3}$.

$$(i) \quad \phi(q) = \phi(q^4) + 2q\psi(q^8)$$

$$(ii) \quad \phi(q)^2 = \phi(q^2)^2 + 4q\psi(q^4)^2$$

$$(iii) \quad (q)_\infty(\omega q)_\infty(\omega^2 q)_\infty = \frac{(q^3)_\infty^4}{(q^9)_\infty}$$

$$(iv) \quad \phi(q)\phi(\omega q)\phi(\omega^2 q) = \frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q^9)}$$

$$(v) \quad \phi(q) = \phi(q^9) + 2qX(q^3)$$

$$(vi) \quad \phi(q^9)^3 + 8q^3X(q^3)^3 = \frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q^9)}$$

$$(vii) \quad \phi(q)^3 = \frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q^9)} + 6q\phi(q^9)^2 X(q^3) + 12q^2\phi(q^9)X(q^3)^2$$

$$(viii) \quad \frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q)} = \phi(q^9)^3 - 2q\phi(q^9)^2 X(q^3) + 4q^2\phi(q^9)X(q^3)^2$$

(ix)

$$\frac{\phi(q)^4}{\phi(q^3)} = \left(4\phi(q^3)^3 - 3\frac{\phi(q^9)^4}{\phi(q^3)}\right) + 2q \left(\frac{\phi(q^3)^3}{\phi(q^9)} + 3\frac{\phi(q^9)^3}{\phi(q^3)}\right) X(q^3) + 24q^2\frac{\phi(q^9)^2}{\phi(q^3)} X(q^3)^2$$

$$(x) \quad \phi(q) = \phi(q^{25}) + 2qD(q^5) + 2q^4E(q^5)$$

$$(xi) \quad \phi(q^5)^2 + 4qD(q)E(q) = \phi(q)^2$$

$$(xii) \quad \psi(q) = F(q^2) + qG(q^2)$$

$$(xiii) \quad \psi(q)^2 = \phi(q^4)\psi(q^2) + 2q\psi(q^2)\psi(q^8)$$

$$(xiv) \quad \psi(q) = P(q^3) + q\psi(q^9)$$

$$(xv) \quad \psi(q)^3 = \frac{\psi(q^3)^4}{\psi(q^9)} + 3qP(q^3)^2\psi(q^9) + 3q^2P(q^3)\psi(q^9)^2$$

$$(xvi) \quad \psi(q) = K(q^5) + qL(q^5) + q^3\psi(q^{25})$$

$$(xvii) \quad q\psi(q^5)^2 + K(q)L(q) = \psi(q)^2$$

$$(xviii) \quad X(q) = P(q^8) + qX(q^4)$$

$$(xix) \quad X(q)^2 = \phi(q^6)X(q^2) + 2qX(q^4)P(q^8)$$

$$(xx) \quad \psi(q)P(q) = \phi(q^2)P(q^4) + 2q\psi(q^4)X(q^2)$$

$$(xxi) \quad X(q) = A(q^3) + qB(q^3) + q^5C(q^3)$$

$$(xxii) \quad P(q) = H(q^3) + qI(q^3) + q^2J(q^3)$$

$$(xxiii) \quad D(q) = K(q^8) + q^3E(q^4)$$

$$(xxiv) \quad E(q) = D(q^4) + qL(q^8)$$

$$(xxv) \quad a(q) = a(q^4) + 6q\psi(q^2)\psi(q^6)$$

$$(xxvi) \quad b(q) = b(q^4) - 3q \frac{(q^2)_\infty^2 (q^{12})_\infty^3}{(q^4)_\infty (q^6)_\infty^2}$$

$$(xxvii) \quad \{c(q)/3\} = \psi(q^2)P(q^2) + q \{c(q^4)/3\}$$

$$(xxviii) \quad \psi(q^2)^2 + q\psi(q^6)^2 = \frac{(q^3)_\infty^3 (q^4)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty}{(q)_\infty (q^6)_\infty^2}$$

$$(xxix) \quad \psi(q^2)^2 + 3q\psi(q^6)^2 = \frac{(q^2)_\infty^7 (q^3)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty^2}{(q)_\infty^3 (q^4)_\infty^2 (q^6)_\infty^3}$$

$$(xxx) \quad \phi(q^3)P(q^2) + 2qX(q)\psi(q^6) = P(q)^2$$

$$(xxxix) \quad \psi(q^3)^2 P(q^2) + q\psi(q^6)^2 X(q) = \psi(q^2)^2 X(q)$$

$$(xxxii) \quad \phi(q^3)^2 P(q^2) + 4q\psi(q^3)^2 X(q) = \phi(q)^2 P(q^2)$$

$$(xxxiii) \quad \psi(q)\psi(q^3) = \phi(q^6)\psi(q^4) + q\phi(q^2)\psi(q^{12})$$

Proofs:

(i) is straightforward. Thus

$$\phi(q) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{n^2} = \sum_{n \text{ even}} q^{n^2} + \sum_{n \text{ odd}} q^{n^2} = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4n^2} + \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4n^2+4n+1} = \phi(q^4) + 2q\psi(q^8).$$

(v), (x), (xii), (xiv), (xvi), (xviii), (xxi), (xxii), (xxiii) and (xxiv) are similarly straightforward.

(ii). By (i),

$$\phi(q^4)^2 - 4q^2\psi(q^8)^2 = \phi(q)\phi(-q) = \frac{(q^2)_{\infty}^5}{(q)_{\infty}^2 (q^4)_{\infty}^2} \frac{(q)_{\infty}^2}{(q^2)_{\infty}} = \frac{(q^2)_{\infty}^4}{(q^4)_{\infty}^2} = \phi(-q^2)^2.$$

Replace q^2 by q , then q by $-q$.

(iii).

$$(q)_{\infty} (\omega q)_{\infty} (\omega^2 q)_{\infty} = \prod_{3 \nmid n} (1 - q^{3n}) \prod_{3 \mid n} (1 - q^n)^3 = \frac{\prod (1 - q^{3n})^4}{\prod (1 - q^{9n})} = \frac{(q^3)_{\infty}^4}{(q^9)_{\infty}}.$$

(iv) follows easily from the fact that $\phi(q) = \frac{(q^2)_{\infty}^5}{(q)_{\infty}^2 (q^4)_{\infty}^2}$ together with (iii).

(vi). In (v), replace q by q , ωq and $\omega^2 q$, multiply the three results and use (iv).

(vii). Cube (v), then use (vi).

(viii). Write $\frac{1}{\phi(q)} = \frac{\phi(\omega q)\phi(\omega^2 q)}{\phi(q)\phi(\omega q)\phi(\omega^2 q)}$, use (iv) on the denominator and (v) in the numerator, then multiply by $\phi(q^3)^4$.

(ix). Take the fourth power of (v), use (vi) to replace $X(q^3)^3$ in two terms, then divide by $\phi(q^3)$.

(xi). We have

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(q^5)^2 &= \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{5m^2+5n^2} = \sum q^{(2m-n)^2+(m+2n)^2} = \sum_{2u+v \equiv 0 \pmod{5}} q^{u^2+v^2} \\ &= \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(5m)^2+(5n)^2} + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(5m+1)^2+(-5n-2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(5n+2)^2+(5m+1)^2} + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(-5m-1)^2+(5n+2)^2} \\
& + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(-5n-2)^2+(-5m-1)^2} \\
& = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{25m^2+25n^2} + 4q^5 \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{25m^2+10m+25n^2+20n} \\
& = \phi(q^{25})^2 + 4q^5 D(q^5)E(q^5).
\end{aligned}$$

(xiii). By (i),

$$\psi(q)^2 = \phi(q)\psi(q^2) = \psi(q^2) (\phi(q^4) + 2q\psi(q^8)) = \phi(q^4)\psi(q^2) + 2q\psi(q^2)\psi(q^8).$$

(xv) follows from (xiv) as (vii) follows from (v) and (vi).

(xvii).

$$\begin{aligned}
4q^{10}\psi(q^{40})^2 & = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{20m^2+20m+20n^2+20n+10} \\
& = \sum q^{5(2m+1)^2+5(2n+1)^2} = \sum q^{(4m-2n+1)^2+(2m+4n+3)^2} \\
& = \sum_{\substack{u,v \text{ odd} \\ 2u+v \equiv 5 \pmod{10}}} q^{u^2+v^2} \\
& = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(10m+5)^2+(10n+5)^2} + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(10m-3)^2+(10n+1)^2} \\
& \quad + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(-10m-1)^2+(-10n-3)^2} + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(10m+1)^2+(10n+3)^2} \\
& \quad + \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(10m+3)^2+(-10n-1)^2} \\
& = 4q^{50}\psi(q^{200})^2 + 4q^{10}K(q^{40})L(q^{40}).
\end{aligned}$$

(xix). By (xviii),

$$P(q^8)^2 - q^2X(q^4)^2 = X(q)X(-q)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \prod_{n \geq 1} (1 + q^{6n-5})(1 + q^{6n-1})(1 - q^{6n-5})(1 - q^{6n-1})(1 - q^{6n})^2 \\
&= \prod_{n \geq 1} (1 - q^{12n-10})(1 - q^{12n-6})^2(1 - q^{12n-2})(1 - q^{12n})^2,
\end{aligned}$$

so

$$\begin{aligned}
P(q^8)^2 + q^2 X(q^4)^2 &= \prod_{n \geq 1} (1 + q^{12n-10})(1 + q^{12n-6})^2(1 + q^{12n-2})(1 - q^{12n})^2 \\
&= \phi(q^6)X(q^2).
\end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
X(q^2)^2 &= (P(q^8) + qX(q^4))^2 = (P(q^8)^2 + q^2 X(q^4)^2) + 2qX(q^4)P(q^8) \\
&= \phi(q^6)X(q^2) + 2qX(q^4)P(q^8).
\end{aligned}$$

(xx). Multiply (xix) by $\frac{(q^4)_\infty (q^6)_\infty}{(q^2)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty^2}$.

(xxv), (xxvi), (xxvii). See [1, (1.34), (1.35) and (1.36)] for elementary proofs.

(xxviii). Multiply (xxvii) by $\frac{(q^4)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty}{(q^6)_\infty^2}$.

(xxix). Put $-q$ for q in (xxvi), then multiply by $\frac{(q^4)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty}{(q^2)_\infty^2}$.

(xxx). By (v) and (xiv), $\phi(q)\psi(q^2) = \psi(q)^2$ becomes

$$(\phi(q^9) + 2qX(q^3))(P(q^6) + q^2\psi(q^{18})) = (P(q^3) + q\psi(q^9))^2.$$

Extract powers congruent to 0 (mod 3) and replace q^3 by q .

(xxx), (xxxii). Using (xxviii), (xxx) can be written

$$\phi(q^3)P(q^2) + 2qX(q)\psi(q^6) = \frac{(q^2)_\infty (q^3)_\infty}{(q)_\infty (q^4)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty} \{\psi(q^2)^2 + q\psi(q^6)^2\}.$$

Subtract $qX(q)\psi(q^6) = \frac{(q^2)_\infty (q^3)_\infty}{(q)_\infty (q^4)_\infty (q^{12})_\infty} q\psi(q^6)^2$, then multiply by $\psi(q^6)$ to obtain (xxxi);

add twice the same quantity, use (xxix) and then multiply by $\phi(q^3)$ to obtain (xxxii).

(xxxiii).

$$\begin{aligned}
q^4\psi(q^8)\psi(q^{24}) &= \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{(4k+1)^2+3(4l+1)^2} = \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4(k+3l+1)^2+12(k-l)^2} \\
&= \sum_{u-v\equiv 1 \pmod{4}} q^{4u^2+12v^2}.
\end{aligned}$$

Consider the two cases, v even, u even. For v even, let $v = 2k$, $u = 4l + 1$ or $-4l - 1$ according as k is even or odd, while for u even, let $u = 2k$, $v = 4l + 1$ or $-4l - 1$ according as k is odd or even. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
q^4\psi(q^8)\psi(q^{24}) &= \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4(4l+1)^2+12(2k)^2} + \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{4(2k)^2+12(4l+1)^2} \\
&= \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{48k^2+4(4l+1)^2} + \sum_{k,l=-\infty}^{\infty} q^{16k^2+12(4l+1)^2} \\
&= q^4\phi(q^{48})\psi(q^{32}) + q^{12}\phi(q^{16})\psi(q^{96}).
\end{aligned}$$

3. Proof of Theorem 1

By (vii),

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(n)q^n = \phi(q)^3 = \frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q^9)} + 6q\phi(q^9)^2X(q^3) + 12q^2\phi(q^9)X(q^3)^2.$$

(1.1) follows.

By (i),

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(n)q^n = \phi(q)^3 = \phi(q^4)^3 + 6q\phi(q^4)^2\psi(q^8) + 12q^2\phi(q^4)\psi(q^8)^2 + 8q^3\psi(q^8)^3.$$

(1.2) — (1.5) follow.

In the same way, (1.3) and (ii) lead to (1.6) and (1.9), (1.4) and (i) to (1.7) and (1.10), (1.8) and (1.11) follow directly from (1.5), (1.5) and (xv) yield (1.12), (1.7) and (xiii) give (1.13) and (1.16), (1.9) and (xii) lead to (1.14) and (1.17), (1.10) and (xiii) to (1.15) and (1.18), (1.19) follows directly from (1.12), (1.15) and (xii) yield (1.20) and (1.22), while (1.18) and (xii) give (1.21) and (1.23).

4. Proof of Theorem 2

Using (vii), (viii) and (ix), it is easy to prove by induction on λ that for $\lambda \geq 0$

$$(4.1) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(3^{2\lambda}n)q^n = \frac{1}{2}(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q)^3 - \frac{1}{2}(3^{\lambda+1} - 3)\frac{\phi(q^3)^4}{\phi(q)}$$

and

$$(4.2) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(3^{2\lambda+1}n)q^n = \frac{1}{2}(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)\frac{\phi(q)^4}{\phi(q^3)} - \frac{1}{2}(3^{\lambda+1} - 3)\phi(q^3)^3.$$

From (4.1), (vii) and (viii) we obtain (2.1) and (2.2), from (2.2) and (i) we obtain (2.3) and (2.4), (2.1) and (xxi) yield (2.5), (2.6) and (2.8), from (4.2) and (ix) we deduce (2.7); (2.1), (i) and (xviii) yield (2.9) (after using (xxxii)), (2.12) and (2.13) (after using (xxxiii)). (2.3) and (xxvii) yield (2.10), while (2.4) and (xxvii) yield (2.11) and (2.14). (2.7) and (i) give (2.15) and (2.16), (2.9) and (ii) give (2.17) and (2.21), (2.11) and (xx) give (2.18) and (2.22), (2.13) and (xviii) give (2.19) and (2.24), (2.20) follows directly from (2.14), (2.23) from (2.12). (2.15) and (xxvii) yield (2.25), (2.12) and (xxii) yield (2.26), (2.28) and (2.31) after noting that $\psi(q^2) \{c(q^4)/3\} = \psi(q^6)^2 P(q^2)$, and (2.16) together with (xxvii) gives (2.27) and (2.32).

From (4.2) and (ix), we deduce that

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n + 3))q^n = (3^{\lambda+1} - 1) \left(\frac{\phi(q)^3}{\phi(q^3)} + 3 \frac{\phi(q^3)^3}{\phi(q)} \right) X(q).$$

On the other hand, it was shown in [2] by elementary methods that

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9n + 3)q^n = 8X(q)a(q^2).$$

Thus we find the remarkable identity

$$(4.3) \quad \frac{\phi(q)^3}{\phi(q^3)} + 3 \frac{\phi(q^3)^3}{\phi(q)} = 4a(q^2)$$

and it follows that

$$(4.4) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(9^\lambda(9n + 3))q^n = 4(3^{\lambda+1} - 1)X(q)a(q^2).$$

From (4.4), (xviii) and (xxv), we obtain (2.29) and (2.30). (2.19) and (xiii) lead to (2.33) and (2.36), (2.23) and (xii) to (2.34) and (2.37), (2.24) and (xiii) to (2.35) and (2.38), (2.25) and (i) to (2.39) and (2.44). (2.40) follows directly from (2.28). (2.29) and (xxxiii) yield (2.41) and (2.47), (2.30) and (i) give (2.42) and (2.48), (2.32) and (xix) give (2.43) and (2.50). (2.45) follows directly from (2.26), (2.46) from (2.27), (2.49) from (2.31). From (2.33) and (xii) we obtain (2.51) and (2.53), (2.36) and (xii) lead to (2.52) and (2.54), (2.41) and (xii) to (2.55) and (2.59), (2.42) and (xviii) to (2.56) and (2.60), (2.48) and (xviii) to (2.57) and (2.61), and (2.50) and (xii) lead to (2.58) and (2.62).

5. Proof of Theorem 3

Using (x) and (xi) it is easy to prove by induction on λ that for $\lambda \geq 0$,

$$(5.1) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(5^{2\lambda}n)q^n = \frac{1}{2}(3 \times 5^\lambda - 1)\phi(q)^3 - \frac{3}{2}(5^\lambda - 1)\phi(q^5)^2\phi(q),$$

and

$$(5.2) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(5^{2\lambda+1}n)q^n = \frac{3}{2}(5^{\lambda+1} - 1)\phi(q^5)\phi(q)^2 - \frac{5}{2}(3 \times 5^\lambda - 1)\phi(q^5)^3.$$

From (5.1), (x) and (xi) we obtain (3.1) and (3.2), (3.1), (i) and (xxiii) lead to (3.3), (3.2), (i) and (xxiv) to (3.4). From (5.2) and (x) we obtain (3.5), (3.6), (3.7) and (3.8). (3.9) follows directly from (3.3), (3.10) from (3.4).

Using (1.5), (xvi) and (xvii) it is easy to prove by induction on λ that for $\lambda \geq 0$,

$$(5.3) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(5^{2\lambda}(4n+3))q^n = (12 \times 5^\lambda - 4)\psi(q^2)^3 - (4 \times 5^\lambda - 4)q^2\psi(q^{10})^2\psi(q^2),$$

and

$$(5.4) \quad \sum_{n \geq 0} r_3(5^{2\lambda+1}(4n+3))q^n = (68 \times 5^\lambda - 20)q\psi(q^{10})\psi(q^2)^2 - (60 \times 5^\lambda - 20)q^3\psi(q^{10})^3.$$

From (5.4) and (xvi) we obtain (3.11), (3.12), (3.13) and (3.14). (3.15) follows directly from (3.11), (3.16) from (3.12), (3.17) from (3.13), (3.18) from (3.14).

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