

Generalized Twin primes theorem

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Abstract

The *Symmetric prime number theorem* proof in [Dénes 2017] states, that there exists a symmetric prime pair (p, q) for any natural number $N \geq 4$, for which $p = N - m_N$ and $q = N + m_N$, and for which that is true $m_N = \frac{q-p}{2}$ and $N = \frac{q+p}{2}$.

Now we prove that for every m_N natural number there are infinite many symmetric prime pair (*Generalized Twin primes theorem*). Applied this proof for $m_N = 1$, we just got precisely the proof of the Twin primes conjecture, so thereafter we can call it *Twin primes theorem*.

The proof of the basic theorem in this paper is based on the *Complementary Prime Sieve theorem* (see CPS in [Dénes 2001]). Due to this theorem, for any $N=6k+1$ type natural number are composite iff one of the following is fulfilled: $k=6uv+u+v$ or $k=6uv-u-v$ (u and v are natural numbers). Based on this theorem, we prove with an indirect proof to the *Generalized Twin primes theorem*.

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LEMMA 1.

Any two prime numbers differ and their sum is even, so if $q > p > 2$ are prime numbers, that there are the $m_N = \frac{q-p}{2}$ and $N = \frac{q+p}{2}$ natural numbers.

Proof

Any prime number greater than 2 is odd. So, if

$$(1) \quad p = 2k + 1 \rangle 2 \text{ prime number } (k \text{ natural number})$$

$$(2) \quad q = 2l + 1 \rangle p \text{ prime number } (l \text{ natural number})$$

then

$$(3) \quad \frac{q-p}{2} = \frac{2l+1-2k-1}{2} = l+k$$

$$(4) \quad \frac{q+p}{2} = \frac{2l+1+2k+1}{2} = l+k+1$$

Q.E.D.

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From the Lemma 1. follows the reverse of the *Dénes-type Symmetric prime number theorem* (see [Dénes 2017]), ie the following Theorem 1. is true.

THEOREM 1.

Let two prime numbers $q > p > 2$, then there are $m_N = \frac{q-p}{2}$ and $N = \frac{q+p}{2}$ natural numbers, for which are valid $p = N - m_N$ and $q = N + m_N$.

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The *Symmetric prime number theorem* proven in [Dénes 2017] states, that there exists a symmetric prime pair (p, q) for any natural number $N \geq 4$.

Now, the question is: are there a $2m_N$ distance symmetric prime pair for every m_N natural number? This is proved in the following Theorem 2.

THEOREM 2.

For any m_N natural number there exists at least one $q > p$ symmetric prime pair to which is fulfilled, that $q = p + 2m_N$.

Proof (indirect)

Suppose there is an $m_N = c$ natural number for which there is no p and q symmetric prime pair corresponding to the condition of this theorem. In this case, based on the *Complementary Prime Sieve theorem* (see Theorem 2. in [Dénes 2001]) for any prime number p , one of the following q natural numbers may be associated, because q is not a prime:

$$(5) \quad q = 6r - 1 = p + 2c \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv + u - v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots)$$

$$(6) \quad q = 6r - 1 = p + 2c \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv - u + v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots)$$

$$(7) \quad q = 6r + 1 = p + 2c \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv + u + v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots)$$

$$(8) \quad q = 6r + 1 = p + 2c \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv - u - v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots)$$

For the p prime we get the following formulas from the cases (5)-(8), one of which must be satisfied for every u, v natural number:

$$(9) \quad (5) \Rightarrow p = 6r - 1 - 2c = 6(6uv + u - v) - 1 - 2c$$

$$(10) \quad (6) \Rightarrow p = 6r - 1 - 2c = 6(6uv - u + v) - 1 - 2c$$

$$(11) \quad (7) \Rightarrow p = 6r + 1 - 2c = 6(6uv + u + v) + 1 - 2c$$

$$(12) \quad (8) \Rightarrow p = 6r + 1 - 2c = 6(6uv - u - v) + 1 - 2c$$

We show that if $u=v$ then there exists a u natural number for which p in (9)-(12) is a composite number. But this contradicts the condition of the theorem, according to which p is a prime number.

$$\text{If } u = v = \frac{c+1}{6}, \text{ then (9), (10)} \Rightarrow$$

$$(13) \quad \Rightarrow p = 6(6u^2) - 1 - 2c = 6 \left(6 \frac{(c+1)^2}{6^2} \right) - 1 - 2c = (c+1)^2 - 1 - 2c = c^2$$

$$\text{If } u = v = \frac{c-1}{6}, \text{ then (11)} \Rightarrow$$

$$(14) \quad \Rightarrow p = 6(6u^2 + 2u) + 1 - 2c = 6 \left(\frac{6(c-1)^2}{6^2} + \frac{2(c-1)}{6} \right) + 1 - 2c = \\ = (c-1)^2 + 2(c-1) + 1 - 2c = (c-1)^2 - 1 = (c-1-1)(c-1+1) = (c-2)c$$

If $u = v = \frac{c+1}{6}$, then (12) \Rightarrow

$$(15) \quad \Rightarrow p = 6(6u^2 - 2u) + 1 - 2c = 6\left(\frac{6(c+1)^2}{6^2} - \frac{2(c+1)}{6}\right) + 1 - 2c =$$

$$= (c+1)^2 - 2(c+1) + 1 - 2c = c^2 + 2c + 1 - 2c - 2 + 1 - 2c = c^2 - 2c = (c-2)c$$

The $u = v = \frac{c+1}{6}$ condition in (13) and (15) is always fulfilled if $c=6s-1$, and the

$u = v = \frac{c-1}{6}$ condition in (14) is fulfilled if $c=6s+1$ ($s=1,2,3, \dots$)

Q.E.D.

A few examples of the Theorem 2. are shown in Tables 1-5.

Table 1.

p	$q=p+4$
3	7
7	11
13	17
19	23
...	...
349	353
...	...
1.579	1.583
...	...
1.019.173	1.019.177
...	...
10.082.623	10.082.627
...	...
15.484.243	15.484.247
...	...

Table 2.

p	$q=p+6$
5	11
7	13
11	17
13	19
17	23
...	...
563	569
...	...
1.601	1.607
...	...
1.099.621	1.099.627
...	...
10.781.861	10.781.867
...	...
15.485.843	15.485.849
...	...

Table 3.

p	$q=p+8$
3	11
5	13
11	19
23	31
29	37
...	...
449	457
...	...
1.571	1.579
...	...
1.000.151	1.000.159
...	...
10.000.349	10.000.357
...	...
15.416.699	15.416.707
...	...

Table 4.

p	$q=p+10$
3	13
7	17
13	23
19	29
...	...
73	83
...	...
433	443
...	...
751	761
...	...
1.153	1.163
...	...
10.000.759	10.000.769
...	...
13.985.341	13.985.351
...	...
15.484.549	15.484.559
...	...
444.333.973	444.333.983
...	...
888.889.501	888.889.511
...	...

Table 5.

p	$q=p+100$
3	103
7	107
13	113
31	131
...	...
487	587
...	...
1.723	1.823
...	...
1.000.033	1.000.133
...	...
10.000.591	10.000.691
...	...
15.485.341	15.485.441
...	...
444.333.313	444.333.413
...	...
888.889.501	888.889.601
...	...

Since $m_N=1$ for the p and $q=p+2m_N$ symmetric prime pairs are precisely the twin primes, so according to the Theorem 2. we can say the following Theorem 3. which is called *Generalized Twin primes theorem*.

THEOREM 3. (Generalized Twin primes theorem)

Let $q>p>2$ be symmetric prime pair with $2m_N$ distance, so that $m_N = \frac{q-p}{2}$, $N = \frac{q+p}{2}$, $p=N-m_N$ and $q=N+m_N$. Then there are infinite many p, q symmetric prime pairs for any m_N natural number.

Proof (indirect)

According to the above-proven Theorem 2. m_N can be any natural number.

Due to the Theorem 1. in [Dénes 2001] shown Table 6. below lists all natural numbers, so that columns 1. and 3. contain all the prime numbers.

Suppose that the K th row is the last one in which p_K and $q_K = p_K + 2m_N$ are both prime numbers. In the rest of the proof of this theorem, for the shorter writing we will use the notation $m_N=c$.

Table 6.

k	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
	$6k-1$ ↓	$6k$	$6k+1$ ↓	$6k+2$	$6k+3$	$6k+4$
0			1	2	3	4
1	5	6	7	8	9	10
2	11	12	13	14	15	16
3	17	18	19	20	21	22
4	23	24	25	26	27	28
5	29	30	31	32	33	34
6	35	36	37	38	39	40
7	41	42	43	44	45	46
...
K	$6K-1$	$6K$	$6K+1$	$6K+2$	$6K+3$	$6K+4$
$K+1$	$6(K+1)-1=$ $6K+5$	$6(K+1)=$ $6K+6$	$6(K+1)+1=$ $6K+7$	$6(K+1)+2=$ $6K+8$	$6(K+1)+3=$ $6K+9$	$6(K+1)+4=$ $6K+10$
...
$k=K+x$	$6k-1=$ $6(K+x)-1$	$6(K+x)$	$6k+1=$ $6(K+x)+1$			
...

In the K th row of Table 6. there are two prime numbers, so we have to examine the indirect conditions (16) and (17).

If $p_K = 6K - 1$ and $q_K = p_K + 2c$ are prime numbers, then for every x natural number:

$$(16) \quad \begin{aligned} \forall k = K + x \Rightarrow \text{if } p_k = 6(K + x) - 1 \text{ is prime, then } q_k = p_k + 2c = \\ = 6(K + x) - 1 + 2c = \underbrace{6K - 1 + 2c}_{q_K} + 6x = q_K + 6x \text{ is NOT prime} \end{aligned}$$

If $p_K = 6K + 1$ and $q_K = p_K + 2c$ are prime numbers, then for every x natural number:

$$(17) \quad \begin{aligned} \forall k = K + x \Rightarrow \text{if } p_k = 6(K + x) + 1 \text{ is prime, then } q_k = p_k + 2c = \\ = 6(K + x) + 1 + 2c = \underbrace{6K + 1 + 2c}_{q_K} + 6x = q_K + 6x \text{ is NOT prime} \end{aligned}$$

Due to the indirect condition q_k is not a prime, so from the deductions (16) and (17) follows that any u, v natural numbers has one of the connections (5)-(8) exists. It follows that we get the following relationships for q_k and q_K .

$$(18) \quad \begin{aligned} q_k \stackrel{(5)}{=} 6r - 1 = q_K + 6x \quad \text{and } r = 6uv + u - v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots) \Rightarrow \\ \Rightarrow q_k = 6r - 1 - 6x = 6(6uv + u - v) - 1 - 6x \end{aligned}$$

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$$(19) \quad \begin{aligned} q_k &= 6r - 1 = q_k + 6x \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv - u + v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots) \Rightarrow \\ &\Rightarrow q_k = 6r - 1 - 6x = 6(6uv - u + v) - 1 - 6x \end{aligned}$$

$$(20) \quad \begin{aligned} q_k &= 6r + 1 = q_k + 6x \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv + u + v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots) \Rightarrow \\ &\Rightarrow q_k = 6r + 1 - 6x = 6(6uv + u + v) + 1 - 6x \end{aligned}$$

$$(21) \quad \begin{aligned} q_k &= 6r + 1 = q_k + 6x \quad \text{and} \quad r = 6uv - u - v \quad (u=1,2,3, \dots), (v=1,2,3, \dots) \Rightarrow \\ &\Rightarrow q_k = 6r + 1 - 6x = 6(6uv - u - v) + 1 - 6x \end{aligned}$$

Due to the indirect conditions (16)-(17) anyway we choose the u, v natural numbers the q_k is prime. Now we show that in the case of $u=v$, each of the cases (18)-(21) has infinite number of x values for which q_k a composite number and this contradicts the indirect conditions.

$$(22) \quad \begin{aligned} u = v &\stackrel{(18),(19)}{\Rightarrow} q_k = 6(6u^2) - 1 - 6x \quad \text{and} \quad u = \frac{x+1}{6} \Rightarrow q_k = 6 \frac{6(x+1)^2}{6^2} - 1 - 6x = \\ &= x^2 + 2x + 1 - 1 - 6x = x^2 - 4x = x(x-4) \end{aligned}$$

Since u is a natural number then the condition $u = \frac{x+1}{6}$ is always true if $x=6l-1$, where l is a natural number (hence $x = 5, 11, 17, 23, \dots$).

$$(23) \quad \begin{aligned} u = v &\stackrel{(20)}{\Rightarrow} q_k = 6(6u^2 + 2u) + 1 - 6x \quad \text{and} \quad u = \frac{x-1}{6} \Rightarrow \\ &\Rightarrow q_k = 6 \left(\frac{6(x-1)^2}{6^2} + \frac{2(x-1)}{6} \right) + 1 - 6x = (x-1)^2 + 2(x-1) + 1 - 6x = x(x-6) \end{aligned}$$

$$(24) \quad \begin{aligned} u = v &\stackrel{(21)}{\Rightarrow} q_k = 6(6u^2 - 2u) + 1 - 6x \quad \text{and} \quad u = \frac{x+1}{6} \Rightarrow \\ &\Rightarrow q_k = 6 \left(\frac{6(x+1)^2}{6^2} - \frac{2(x+1)}{6} \right) + 1 - 6x = (x+1)^2 - 2(2+1) + 1 - 6x = x(x-6) \end{aligned}$$

Since u is a natural number then the condition $u = \frac{x-1}{6}$ is always true if $x=6l+1$, where l is a natural number (hence $x = 7, 13, 19, 25, \dots$).

Q.E.D.

It is clear that if Theorem 3. applied for $m_N=1$, it is precisely the proof of the classic Twin primes conjecture, so thereafter we can call it *Twin primes theorem*.

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