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Estimates of Divisor Sums and Diophantine Sets

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Abstract: We discuss asymptotics and explicit upper bounds of average divisor sums $\sum_{n \leq N} \tau(f(n))$ where f(n) is monic quadratic polynomial with integer coefficients.

We then illustrate recent applications of these upper bounds in problems for D(n)*m*-tuples, which are *m*-tuples of distinct positive integers (a_1, \ldots, a_m) such that $a_i a_j + n$ is a perfect square for all $i \neq j$, where *n* is a nonzero integer. (The conjecture for nonexistence of D(n)-*m*-tuples in the case (m, n) = (5, 1) was very recently resolved by He, Togbé and Ziegler with different methods.)

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