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ON PAIRS OF GOLDBACH-LINNIK EQUATIONS
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Abstract. It is proved that every pair of sufficiently large odd integers can be represented by a pair of equations, each containing two squares of primes, two cubes of primes, two fourth powers of primes and 105 powers of 2.

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1. INTRODUCTION AND MAIN RESULT

The Goldbach conjecture is one of the most famous problems and there are many variations derived from the conjecture. In 1951, Linnik in [6] proved under the assumption of the Generalized Riemann Hypothesis (GRH) that every large even integer N can be written as the sum of two primes and finite number of powers of 2, and later in 1953 he proved this conjecture unconditionally (see [7]), that is

$$(1.1) \quad N = p_1 + p_2 + 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k}.$$

The explicit value of the number k was first obtained by Liu, Liu and Wang (see [10]), in which $k = 54\,000$ is acceptable. Afterwards, several researchers improved the value of k and in 2002 Heath-Brown and Puchta in [1] showed that $k = 13$ and under the GRH $k = 7$. Pintz and Ruzsa in [12] established the unconditional result which states that $k = 8$. In 2017, Liu in [9] firstly considered that every sufficiently large even integer can be written as a sum of two squares of primes, two cubes of primes, two fourth powers of primes and a bounded number of powers of 2,

$$(1.2) \quad N = p_1^2 + p_2^2 + p_3^3 + p_4^3 + p_5^4 + p_6^4 + 2^{v_1} + \dots + 2^{v_k}.$$

He obtained $k = 41$. In 2019, Lü in [9] improved the value 41 to 24, and then Zhao in [14] improved the result $k = 24$ of Lü to 22. In 2012, Kong in [2] stated a simultaneous version of the Goldbach-Linnik problem. Kong in [2] proved that the simultaneous equations

$$(1.3) \quad N_1 = p_1 + p_2 + 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k}, \quad N_2 = p_3 + p_4 + 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k}$$

are solvable for every pair of sufficiently large positive even integers N_1, N_2 satisfying $N_2 \gg N_1 \geq N_2$ for $k = 63$ in general and $k = 31$ under the GRH. Then the result was improved by Kong and Liu (see [3]) in 2017, who showed that the simultaneous equations (1.2) can be solvable for $k = 34$ unconditionally and for $k = 18$ under the GRH. In this paper, we will consider the simultaneous representation of pairs of positive integers $N_2 \gg N_1 > N_2$ in the form

$$(1.4) \quad \begin{aligned} N_1 &= p_1^2 + p_2^2 + p_3^3 + p_4^3 + p_5^4 + p_6^4 + 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k}, \\ N_2 &= p_7^2 + p_8^2 + p_9^3 + p_{10}^3 + p_{11}^4 + p_{12}^4 + 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k}, \end{aligned}$$

where k is a positive integer. Our result is stated as follows.

Theorem 1.1. *For $k = 105$, the equations (1.4) are solvable for every pair of sufficiently large positive even integers N_1 and N_2 satisfying $N_2 \gg N_1 > N_2$.*

The proof of our result employs the Hardy-Littlewood circle method in combination with some new methods of Lü, see [11].

2. NOTATIONS AND SOME PRELIMINARY LEMMAS

We adopt the notations of [9]. Assume that N is a sufficiently large even integer and set

$$(2.1) \quad U_i = \sqrt{(1-\eta)N_i}, \quad V_i = (\eta N_i/2)^{1/3}, \quad W_i = (\eta N_i/2)^{1/4},$$

and

$$L = \frac{\log(N_i/\log N_i)}{\log 2},$$

where η is a positive constant $< 10^{-10}$. Let

$$R(N_1, N_2) = \sum \log p_1 \log p_2 \dots \log p_{12}$$

be the weighted number of solutions of (1.1) in $(p_1, p_2, \dots, p_{12}, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k)$ with

$$\begin{aligned} p_1 &\sim U_1, & p_2 &\sim U_1, & p_3 &\sim V_1, & p_4 &\sim V_1, & p_5 &\sim W_1, & p_6 &\sim W_1, \\ p_7 &\sim U_2, & p_8 &\sim U_2, & p_9 &\sim V_2, & p_{10} &\sim V_2, & p_{11} &\sim W_2, & p_{12} &\sim W_2, \end{aligned}$$

$4 \leq v_j \leq L$ for $j = 1, 2, \dots, k$. For this purpose, we introduce

$$(2.2) \quad f(\alpha_i, U_i) = \sum_{p \sim U_i} (\log p) e(p^2 \alpha_i), \quad g(\alpha_i, V_i) = \sum_{p \sim V_i} (\log p) e(p^3 \alpha_i),$$

$$(2.3) \quad h(\alpha_i, W_i) = \sum_{p \sim W_i} (\log p) e(p^4 \alpha_i), \quad G(\alpha_i) = \sum_{4 \leq v \leq L} e(2^v \alpha_i),$$

$$(2.4) \quad \mathcal{E}_\lambda := \{\alpha_i \in [0, 1]: |G(\alpha_i)| \geq \lambda L\},$$

where $e(x) := \exp(2\pi i x)$ and $i = 1, 2$. By orthogonality, we have

$$(2.5) \quad R(N_1, N_2) = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\ \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2.$$

Let

$$P_i = N_i^{3/20-2\varepsilon}, \quad Q_i = N_i^{17/20+\varepsilon}$$

and define the major arcs M_i and minor arcs $C(M_i)$ as

$$(2.6) \quad M_i := \bigcup_{1 \leq q \leq P_i} \bigcup_{\substack{1 \leq a_i \leq q_i \\ (a_i, q_i)=1}} M(a_i, q_i), \quad C(M_i) = \left[\frac{1}{Q_i}, 1 + \frac{1}{Q_i} \right] \setminus M_i,$$

$$M_i(a_i, q_i) = \left\{ \alpha_i \in [0, 1]: \left| \alpha_i - \frac{a_i}{q_i} \right| \leq \frac{1}{q_i Q_i} \right\}.$$

It follows from $2P_i \leq Q_i$ that the major arcs $M_1(a_1, q_1)$ and $M_2(a_2, q_2)$ are mutually disjoint, respectively. Then $R(N_1, N_2)$ can be written as

$$(2.7) \quad R(N_1, N_2) = \int_0^1 \int_0^1 f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\ \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\ = \left\{ \int_{M_1} + \int_{C(M_1) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} + \int_{C(M_1) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} \right\} \left\{ \int_{M_2} + \int_{C(M_2) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} + \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} \right\} \\ \times f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\ \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\ := \sum_{s=1}^3 \sum_{t=1}^3 R_{st}(N_1, N_2),$$

where $R_{st}(N_1, N_2)$ denotes the combination of the s th term in the first bracket and the t th term in the second bracket. We will establish Theorem 1.1 by estimating the term $R_{st}(N_1, N_2)$ for all $1 \leq s, t \leq 3$. We need to show that $R(N_1, N_2) > 0$ for every pair of sufficiently large even positive integers $N_2 \geq N_1 > N_2$.

We need the following lemmas to prove Theorem 1.1. For the Dirichlet character χ and q , let

$$C_k(\chi, a) = \sum_{h=1}^q \bar{\chi}(h) e\left(\frac{ah^k}{q}\right), \quad C_k(q, a) = \sum_{\substack{a=1 \\ (m,q)=1}}^q e\left(\frac{am^k}{q}\right),$$

where $k = 2, 3, 4$. If $\chi_1, \chi_2, \chi_3, \chi_4, \chi_5$ and χ_6 are characters mod q , then we write

$$(2.8) \quad B(n, q; \chi_1, \chi_2, \chi_3, \chi_4, \chi_5, \chi_6) \\ := \sum_{\substack{a=1 \\ (a,q)=1}}^q C_2(\chi_1, a) C_2(\chi_2, a) C_3(\chi_3, a) C_3(\chi_4, a) C_4(\chi_5, a) C_4(\chi_6, a) e\left(-\frac{an}{q}\right), \\ B(n, q) = B(n, q; \chi^0, \chi^0, \chi^0, \chi^0, \chi^0, \chi^0), \\ A(n, q) = \frac{B(n, q)}{\varphi^6(q)}, \quad \mathfrak{S}(n) = \sum_{q=1}^{\infty} A(n, q).$$

Lemma 2.1. We have

$$\text{meas}(\mathcal{E}_\lambda) \ll N_i^{-E(\lambda)}$$

with $E(\lambda) > 17/24 + 10^{-10}$, where $\lambda = 0.862654$.

Proof. We follow the procedure of Heath-Brown and Puchta and take $\xi = 1.15$ and $h = 23$ in it, see [1] for more detail. $\square$

Remark 2.1. The algorithm by Pintz and Ruzsa is more efficient than the argument by Heath-Brown and Puchta. This algorithm has been implemented in full generality by Languasco and Zaccagnini, however it only improves the remainder term and there is no influence on the result of the article, we omit the specific calculations and one can see Lemma 5 in [5] for further details.

Lemma 2.2. Let M_i be as in (2.6). Then for $2 \leq n \leq N_i$, we have

$$\int_{M_i} f^2(\alpha_i, U_i) g^2(\alpha_i, V_i) h^2(\alpha_i, W_i) e(-\alpha_i n) d\alpha = \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 4^2} \mathfrak{S}(n) J(n) + O(N_i^{7/6} L^{-1}).$$

Here $\mathfrak{S}(n)$ is the singular series, which is defined as (2.8) and satisfies $\mathfrak{S}(n) \gg 1$ for $n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$. Further $J(n)$ is defined as

$$J(n) := \sum_{\substack{m_1 + \dots + m_6 = n \\ (U_i/2)^2 < m_1, m_2 \leq U_i \\ (V_i/2)^2 < m_3, m_4 \leq V_i \\ (W_i/2)^2 < m_5, m_6 \leq W_i}} (m_1 m_2)^{-1/2} (m_3 m_4)^{-2/3} (m_5 m_6)^{-3/4}$$

and satisfies $V_i^2 W_i^2 \ll J(n) \ll V_i^2 W_i^2$.

Proof. This is Lemma 2.1 in [9]. $\square$

Lemma 2.3. For all integers $n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$, one has $\mathfrak{S}(n) > 1.072808$.

Proof. For details one can see Section 3 in Liu [9]. $\square$

Lemma 2.4. Let $f(\alpha_i, U_i), g(\alpha_i, V_i), h(\alpha_i, W_i)$ be defined by (2.2) and (2.3), $C(M_i)$ by (2.6). Then

$$\max_{\alpha \in C(M_i)} |f(\alpha_i, N_i)| \ll N_i^{1/2-1/16+\varepsilon}, \quad \max_{\alpha \in C(M_i)} |g(\alpha_i, N_i)| \ll N_i^{1/3-1/42+\varepsilon}.$$

Proof. The proof of the lemma can be found in [9]. Thanks to the enlarged major arcs in [8], we can get the results of Lemma 2.4 by using Theorem 2 in [4]. $\square$

Lemma 2.5. Let $f(\alpha_i, U_i), g(\alpha_i, V_i), h(\alpha_i, W_i)$ be defined by (2.2) and (2.3). Then we obtain that

$$(2.9) \quad \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_i, U_i) h^2(\alpha_i, W_i)| d\alpha_i \leq W_i^4 L^C,$$

$$(2.10) \quad \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_i, U_i) g^2(\alpha_i, V_i) h^2(\alpha_i, W_i)| d\alpha_i \leq 0.58814 V_i^2 W_i^2.$$

Proof. For (2.9), it is in Lemma 4.3 in [13] and the proof of (2.10) can be found in [11]. $\square$

Lemma 2.6. Let $B(N_i, k) = \{n_i \geq 2: n_i = N_i - 2^{v_1} - 2^{v_2} - \dots - 2^{v_k}\}$ with $k \geq 2$. Then for $N_1 \equiv N_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$, we have

$$\sum_{\substack{n_1 \in B(N_1, k) \\ n_2 \in B(N_2, k) \\ n_1 \equiv n_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{2}}} J(n_1) J(n_2) \geq (3\pi - 180\eta)^2 V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k.$$

Proof. Using Lemma 3.1 in [11], we have

$$\sum_{\substack{n_1 \in B(N_1, k) \\ n_2 \in B(N_2, k) \\ n_1 \equiv n_2 \equiv 1 \pmod{2}}} J(n_1) J(n_2) \geq (3\pi - 180\eta)^2 V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 \sum_{((v))} 1,$$

where $((v))$ means that $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$ satisfy

$$1 \leq v_1, \dots, v_k \leq \log_2(N_1/(kL)), 2^{v_1} + 2^{v_2} + \dots + 2^{v_k} \equiv N_1 \pmod{2}.$$

Then following the argument of Lemma 4.1 in [9], we have

$$\sum_{((v))} 1 \geq (1 - \varepsilon) L^k.$$

Thus, we get the proof of this lemma. $\square$

Lemma 2.7. Let $f(\alpha_i, U_i)$, $g(\alpha_i, V_i)$, $h(\alpha_i, W_i)$ be defined by (2.2) and (2.3). Then we obtain that

$$(2.11) \quad \int_{C(M_i)} |f(\alpha_i, U_i)|^2 |g(\alpha_i, V_i) h(\alpha_i, W_i)|^{5/2} d\alpha_i \leq N_i^{17/12+\varepsilon}.$$

Proof. The proof of the lemma can be found in [11]. It is based on the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality and Lemmas 2.4 and 2.5. $\square$

3. PROOF OF THEOREM 1.1

In this section, we shall give the proof of Theorem 1.1. We begin with the estimate for $R_{11}(N_1, N_2)$. Applying Lemmas 2.2, 2.3 and 2.6, and introducing the notation $B(N_i, k)$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (3.1) \quad R_{11}(N_1, N_2) &= \int_{M_1} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^k(\alpha_1) e(-\alpha_1 N_1) d\alpha_1 \\ &\quad \times \int_{M_2} f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_2) e(-\alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_2 \\ &= \sum_{\substack{n_1 \in B(N_1, k) \\ n_2 \in B(N_2, k)}} \int_{M_1} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) e(-\alpha_1 n_1) d\alpha_1 \\ &\quad \times \int_{M_2} f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) e(-\alpha_2 n_2) d\alpha_2 \\ &\geq \left(\frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 4^2} \right)^2 \sum_{\substack{n_1 \in B(N_1, k) \\ n_2 \in B(N_2, k)}} \mathfrak{S}(n_1) \mathfrak{S}(n_2) J(n_1) J(n_2) \\ &\quad + O(N_1^{7/6} N_2^{7/6} L^{k-1}) \\ &\geq \left(\frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 4^2} \right)^2 \cdot (1.072808)^2 \cdot (3\pi - 180\eta)^2 \cdot V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k, \end{aligned}$$

where we used $n_i/N_i = 1 + O(L^{-1})$ for $n_i \in B(N_i, k)$.

Now we turn to give an upper bound for $R_{12}(N_1, N_2)$. The estimate for $R_{21}(N_1, N_2)$ is similar. By Cauchy's inequality, we get

$$|G(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2)| \leq \sqrt{G(2\alpha_1)G(2\alpha_2)}.$$

For $\alpha \in C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda$ and sufficiently large N_1 , we have

$$|G(2\alpha_i)| \leq |G(\alpha_i)| + 2 \leq \lambda L + 2 \leq (1 + o(1))\lambda L.$$

Then using the definition of $\mathcal{E}_\lambda$, the trivial bound of $G(\alpha_2)$, Lemmas 2.1, 2.4, 2.5 and 2.7, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.2) \quad & R_{12}(N_1, N_2) \\
 &= \int_{M_1} \int_{C(M_2) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\
 &\quad \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\
 &\ll \int_{M_1} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
 &\quad \times \int_{C(M_2) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
 &\ll L^{k/2} \int_{M_1} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1)| d\alpha_1 L^{k/2} \max_{\alpha_2 \in C(M_2)} |f(\alpha_2, U_2)| \\
 &\quad \times \left(\int_{C(M_2)} |f(\alpha_2, U_2)|^2 |g(\alpha_2, V_2) h(\alpha_2, W_2)|^{5/2} d\alpha_2 \right)^{4/5} \left(\int_{\mathcal{E}_\lambda} 1 d\alpha_2 \right)^{1/5} \\
 &\ll L^k \cdot 0.588 \, 14 \cdot V_1^2 W_1^2 \cdot (N_2^{1/2-1/16+\varepsilon})^{2/5} \cdot (N_2^{17/12+\varepsilon})^{4/5} \cdot (N_2^{-17/24-10^{-10}})^{1/5} \\
 &\leq V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we get

$$(3.3) \quad R_{21}(N_1, N_2) \leq V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}.$$

Next we turn to give an upper bound for $R_{13}(N_1, N_2)$. By Lemma 2.5, using the trivial bound $|G(2\alpha)| \leq L$ when $\alpha \in M_1$ and the bound $|G(2\alpha)| \leq (1+o(1))\lambda L$ when $\alpha \in C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 (3.4) \quad & |R_{13}(N_1, N_2)| = \int_{M_1} \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\
 &\quad \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\
 &\leq \int_{M_1} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
 &\quad \times \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
 &\leq L^{k/2} \int_{M_1} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
 &\quad \times (\lambda L)^{k/2} \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
 &\leq (0.588 \, 14)^2 \lambda^{k/2} V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k.
 \end{aligned}$$

We can obtain the estimate for $R_{31}(N_1, N_2)$ analogously,

$$(3.5) \quad |R_{31}(N_1, N_2)| \leq (0.588\,14)^2 \lambda^{k/2} V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k.$$

We give the estimate for $R_{22}(N_1, N_2)$ by the trivial bound for $G(\alpha)$, Lemmas 2.1, 2.4 and 2.7, and the definition of $\mathcal{E}_\lambda$,

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.6) \quad R_{22}(N_1, N_2) &= \int_{C(M_1) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} \int_{C(M_2) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\
&\quad \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\
&\ll \int_{C(M_1) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
&\quad \times \int_{C(M_2) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
&\ll L^{k/2} \max_{\alpha_1 \in C(M_1)} |f(\alpha_1, U_1)| \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_{C(M_1)} |f(\alpha_1, U_1)|^2 |g(\alpha_1, V_1) h(\alpha_1, W_1)|^{5/2} d\alpha_1 \right)^{4/5} \left(\int_{\mathcal{E}_\lambda} 1 d\alpha_2 \right)^{1/5} \\
&\quad \times L^{k/2} \max_{\alpha_2 \in C(M_2)} |f(\alpha_2, U_2)| \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_{C(M_2)} |f(\alpha_2, U_2)|^2 |g(\alpha_2, V_2) h(\alpha_2, W_2)|^{5/2} d\alpha_2 \right)^{4/5} \left(\int_{\mathcal{E}_\lambda} 1 d\alpha_2 \right)^{1/5} \\
&\ll L^k \cdot (N_1^{1/2-1/16+\varepsilon})^{2/5} \cdot (N_1^{17/12+\varepsilon})^{4/5} \cdot (N_1^{-17/24-10^{-10}})^{1/5} \\
&\quad \times (N_2^{1/2-1/16+\varepsilon})^{2/5} \cdot (N_2^{17/12+\varepsilon})^{4/5} \cdot (N_2^{-17/24-10^{-10}})^{1/5} \\
&\leq V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

For $R_{23}(N_1, N_2)$, we can similarly get

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.7) \quad R_{23}(N_1, N_2) &= \int_{C(M_1) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) \\
&\quad \times h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\
&\ll \int_{C(M_1) \cap \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
&\quad \times \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_2)| d\alpha_2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\ll L^{k/2} \max_{\alpha_1 \in C(M_1)} |f(\alpha_1, U_1)| \\
&\quad \times \left(\int_{C(M_1)} |f(\alpha_1, U_1)|^2 |g(\alpha_1, V_1) h(\alpha_1, W_1)|^{5/2} d\alpha_1 \right)^{4/5} \left(\int_{\mathcal{E}_\lambda} 1 d\alpha_2 \right)^{1/5} \\
&\quad \times (\lambda L)^{k/2} \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
&\leq \lambda^{k/2} L^k (N_1^{1/2-1/16+\varepsilon})^{2/5} \cdot (N_1^{17/12+\varepsilon})^{4/5} \cdot (N_1^{-17/24-10^{-10}})^{1/5} \\
&\quad \times 0.588 \, 14 \cdot V_2^2 \cdot W_2^2 \\
&\leq V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}.
\end{aligned}$$

We can obtain the estimate for $R_{3,2}(N_1, N_2)$ analogously,

$$(3.8) \quad R_{32}(N_1, N_2) \leq V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}.$$

In the end, we provide the upper bound for $R_{33}(N_1, N_2)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.9) \quad R_{33}(N_1, N_2) &= \int_{C(M_1) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) \\
&\quad \times g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^k(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) e(-\alpha_1 N_1 - \alpha_2 N_2) d\alpha_1 d\alpha_2 \\
&\ll \int_{C(M_1) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
&\quad \times \int_{C(M_2) \setminus \mathcal{E}_\lambda} |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2) G^{k/2}(2\alpha_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
&\ll (\lambda L)^{k/2} \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_1, U_1) g^2(\alpha_1, V_1) h^2(\alpha_1, W_1)| d\alpha_1 \\
&\quad \times (\lambda L)^{k/2} \int_0^1 |f^2(\alpha_2, U_2) g^2(\alpha_2, V_2) h^2(\alpha_2, W_2)| d\alpha_2 \\
&\leq 0.588 \, 14^2 \cdot \lambda^k V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k.
\end{aligned}$$

Combining the above formulas (3.1)–(3.9), we can obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
R(N_1, N_2) &> R_{11}(N_1, N_2) - R_{13}(N_1, N_2) - R_{31}(N_1, N_2) \\
&\quad - R_{33}(N_1, N_2) + O(V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^{k-1}) \\
&> \left(\left(\frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 4^2} \right)^2 \cdot (1.072 \, 808)^2 \cdot (3\pi - 180\eta)^2 \right. \\
&\quad \left. - 2 \cdot 0.588 \, 14^2 \cdot \lambda^{k/2} - 0.588 \, 14^2 \cdot \lambda^k \right) \\
&\quad \times (1 - \varepsilon) V_1^2 V_2^2 W_1^2 W_2^2 L^k.
\end{aligned}$$

When $k \geq 105$, $\varepsilon = 10^{-20}$ and $\lambda = 0.862\,654$, we have

$$R(N_1, N_2) > 0$$

for all sufficiently large even integers N_1 and N_2 satisfying $N_2 \gg N_1 \geq N_2$ can be written in the form of (1.4). Thus, Theorem 1.1 follows.

Remark 3.1. One may slightly improve the value 105 to 96 by Theorem 1.3 in [14].

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