

# Package ‘YangHuiMagic’

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construct\_M                      *Construct the initial matrix M (satisfying the form of Matrix (8))*

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### Description

Construct the initial matrix M (satisfying the form of Matrix (8))

### Usage

construct\_M(n, a11, d1, d2, d12, d21, d22)

### Arguments

n	Parameter, final order is 4n
a11	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$
d1	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$
d2	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$
d12	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$
d21	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$
d22	Parameters from the lemma, must satisfy $d12 + d21 = d22$

### Value

4n x 4n matrix

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generate\_A11                      *Generate the 2n x 2n A11 matrix (arithmetic progression form)*

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### Description

Generate the 2n x 2n A11 matrix (arithmetic progression form)

### Usage

generate\_A11(n, a11, d1, d2)

### Arguments

n	Parameter, final order is 4n
a11	Upper-left corner starting value
d1	Column direction common difference (horizontal increment)
d2	Row direction common difference (vertical increment)

### Value

2n x 2n matrix

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generate\_symmetric\_L    *Generate a symmetric L set satisfying the condition (first n numbers and their complements)*

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**Description**

Generate a symmetric L set satisfying the condition (first n numbers and their complements)

**Usage**

generate\_symmetric\_L(n)

**Arguments**

n                      Parameter, final order 4n

**Value**

Integer vector of length 2n

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is\_magic\_square        *Verify magic square properties*

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**Description**

Verify magic square properties

**Usage**

is\_magic\_square(M)

**Arguments**

M                      Square matrix

**Value**

TRUE if M satisfies the magic square condition

**Examples**

```
M=YangConway(m = 2, d_type = "unit", template_set = 1)
is_magic_square(M)
```

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odd_magic_square	<i>Construct odd order magic square (Siamese method)</i>
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**Description**

Construct odd order magic square (Siamese method)

**Usage**

```
odd_magic_square(k)
```

**Arguments**

k	Odd order number
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**Value**

k x k magic square with numbers 1 to k<sup>2</sup>

**Examples**

```
odd_magic_square(7)
```

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transform_M	<i>Apply row left-right flips and column up-down flips to a matrix</i>
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**Description**

Apply row left-right flips and column up-down flips to a matrix

**Usage**

```
transform_M(M, L1, L2)
```

**Arguments**

M	Initial matrix
L1	Vector of row indices (1-based) to be left-right flipped
L2	Vector of column indices (1-based) to be up-down flipped

**Value**

Transformed matrix

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YangConway	<i>Construct singly even order magic square (Yang-Hui Conway generalization)</i>
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## Description

Construct singly even order magic square (Yang-Hui Conway generalization)

## Usage

```
YangConway(m, d_type = "square", template_set = 2)
```

## Arguments

<code>m</code>	Positive integer, final order $n = 2*(2*m+1)$
<code>d_type</code>	Type of common difference: "unit" ( $d=1$ ) or "square" ( $d=(2m+1)^2$ )
<code>template_set</code>	Template series: 1~4 corresponding to matrices 4,7,9,10 in the paper

## Value

$n \times n$  magic square

## Examples

```
# Example 1: Reproduce Yang-Hui 6th order magic square (Yang diagram),
# m=1, d_type="square", template_set=2
cat("==== Yang-Hui 6th order magic square (Yang diagram) =====\n")
yanghui6 <- YangConway(m = 1, d_type = "square", template_set = 2)
print(yanghui6)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(yanghui6), "\n\n")
# Example 2: Construct 10th order magic square (matrix 8 in the paper),
# m=2, d_type="square", template_set=2
cat("==== 10th order magic square (Yang-Hui method, template 7) =====\n")
yanghui10 <- YangConway(m = 2, d_type = "square", template_set = 2)
print(yanghui10)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(yanghui10), "\n\n")
# Example 3: Use common difference 1 (LUX method) to construct 10th order magic square, template 4
cat("==== 10th order magic square (LUX method, template 4) =====\n")
lux10 <- YangConway(m = 2, d_type = "unit", template_set = 1)
print(lux10)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(lux10), "\n\n")
```

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YangRamanujan                      *Construct doubly even order magic square (Yang-Hui · Dürer · Ramanujan inspired)*

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## Description

Construct doubly even order magic square (Yang-Hui · Dürer · Ramanujan inspired)

## Usage

```
YangRamanujan(n, params = "natural", L1 = NULL, L2 = NULL)
```

## Arguments

n	Positive integer, order = $4n$
params	Parameter setting. Can be a list containing a11, d1, d2, d12, d21 (d22 is optional, automatically set to d12+d21). Predefined strings: - "natural": natural square parameters (a11=1, d1=1, d2=4n, d12=2n, d21=2n*4n) - "type1" : second row of Table 3 (a11=1, d1=1, d2=2n, d12=(2n)^2, d21=2*(2n)^2) - "type2" : third row of Table 3 (a11=1, d1=4n, d2=1, d12=?, d21=?, d22=?) [values incomplete, for illustration only]
L1	Sets of rows/columns to flip (1-based), default automatically generated symmetric sets
L2	Sets of rows/columns to flip (1-based), default automatically generated symmetric sets

## Value

$4n \times 4n$  magic square matrix

## Examples

```
# Example 1: Ramanujan's 8th order magic square (matrix 4 in the paper)
# Using natural square parameters, L1 = L2 = {2,3,6,7}
cat("\n==== Ramanujan's 8th order magic square =====\n")
ramanujan8 <- YangRamanujan(n = 2, params = "natural", L1 = c(2, 3, 6, 7), L2 = c(2, 3, 6, 7))
print(ramanujan8)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(ramanujan8), "\n")
# Example 2: One of Yang-Hui's 4th order magic squares (matrix 2 in the paper)
# For n=1, use natural square, L1 = L2 = {2,3} (rows/columns 1..4 for order 4)
cat("\n==== Yang-Hui 4th order magic square (matrix 2) =====\n")
yanghui4 <- YangRamanujan(n = 1, params = "natural", L1 = c(2, 3), L2 = c(2, 3))
print(yanghui4)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(yanghui4), "\n")
# Example 3: Dürer's 4th order magic square (matrix 3 in the paper)
# According to Table 1, use specific parameters (n=1) and L1 = L2 = {2,3}
# Parameters from row (22) in Table 1: a11=1, d1=-1, d2=-8, d12=-2, d21=-4, d22=-6
cat("\n==== Dürer's 4th order magic square (matrix 3) =====\n")
```

```
duerer_params <- list(a11 = 1, d1 = 1, d2 = 8, d12 = 2, d21 = 4)
duerer4 <- YangRamanujan(n = 1, params = duerer_params, L1 = c(2, 3), L2 = c(2, 3))
print(duerer4)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(duerer4), "\n")
# Example 4: Custom 12th order magic square (n=3), using natural square, default symmetric L
cat("\n==== Custom 12th order magic square (natural square, default L) =====\n")
magic12 <- YangRamanujan(n = 3, params = "natural")
# Print only first 6 rows to save space
print(magic12)
cat("Is it a magic square: ", is_magic_square(magic12), "\n")
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