

Contra Harmonic Mean Labeling of Disconnected Graphs

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Abstract

A graph $G(V,E)$ is called a Contra Harmonic mean graph with p vertices and q edges, if it is possible to label the vertices $x \in V$ with distinct element $f(x)$ from $0,1,2,\dots,q$ in such a way that when each edge $e = uv$ is labeled with

$f(e=uv) = \left\lfloor \frac{f(u)^2+f(v)^2}{f(u)+f(v)} \right\rfloor$ or $\left\lceil \frac{f(u)^2+f(v)^2}{f(u)+f(v)} \right\rceil$ with distinct edge labels. Here f is called a Contra Harmonic mean labeling of G .

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1. INTRODUCTION

All graph in this paper are simple, finite, undirected. Let G be a graph with p vertices and q edges. For a detail survey of graph labeling we refer to Gallian [1]. For all other standard terminology and notation we follow Harary [2].

S. Somasundaram and R. Ponraj introduced mean labeling for some standard graphs [3]. S.S. Sandhya and S. Somasundaram introduced Harmonic mean labeling of graph [4]. We have introduced Contra Harmonic mean labeling in [5]. In this paper we

investigate the Contra Harmonic mean labeling behaviour of some disconnected graphs. The following definition are useful for our present study.

Definition 1.1

A graph $G(V,E)$ is called a Contra Harmonic mean graph with p vertices and q edges, if it is possible to label the vertices $x \in V$ with distinct elements $f(x)$ from $0, 1, \dots, q$ in such a way that when each edge $e = uv$ is labeled with $f(e=uv) = \left\lfloor \frac{f(u)^2 + f(v)^2}{f(u) + f(v)} \right\rfloor$ or $\left\lceil \frac{f(u)^2 + f(v)^2}{f(u) + f(v)} \right\rceil$ with distinct edge labels. Then f is called Contra Harmonic mean labeling of G .

Definition 1.2: The union of two graphs $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ and $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$ is a graph $G = G_1 \cup G_2$ with vertex set $V = V_1 \cup V_2$ and edge set $E = E_1 \cup E_2$

Definition 1.3: The corona of two graphs G_1 and G_2 is the graph $G = G_1 \odot G_2$ formed by taking one copy of G_1 and $|V(G_1)|$ copies of G_2 where the i^{th} vertex of G_1 is adjacent to every vertex in the i^{th} copy of G_2 .

Theorem 1.4: Any Path is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Theorem 1.5: Any Cycle is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Theorem 1.6: Any Comb is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Theorem 1.7: Any Crown is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

2. MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 2.1: $C_m \cup P_n$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph ,for $m \geq 3$ and $n \geq 1$

Proof: Let C_m be the cycle u_1, \dots, u_m and P_n be the path v_1, \dots, v_n

Let $G = C_m \cup P_n$.

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m) = m$$

$$f(v_i) = m+i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = i, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(v_i, v_{i+1}) = m+i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

Clearly, $C_m \cup P_n$ is Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example 2:2 The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $C_5 \cup P_5$ is

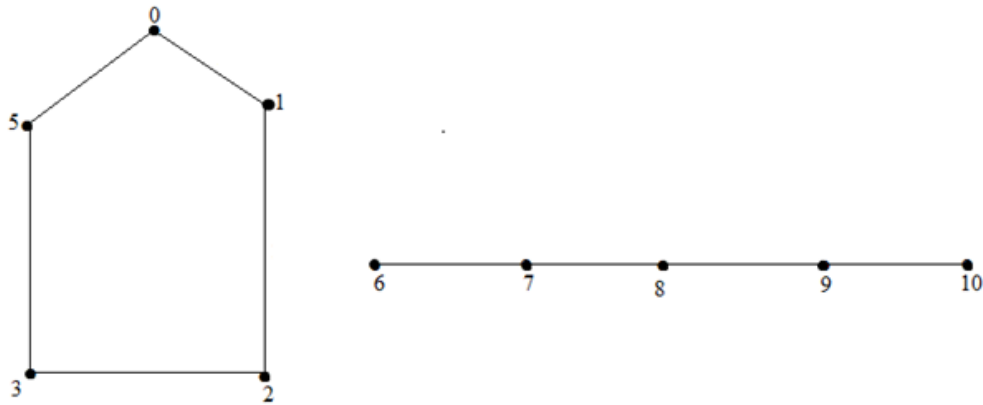


Figure 1

Theorem 2.3: $C_m \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof:

Let C_m be a cycle with vertices u_1, \dots, u_m and Let v_1, \dots, v_n be the path P_n . and let w_i be the vertices which is joined to the vertex v_i , $1 \leq i \leq n$ of the path P_n . The resultant graph is $P_n \odot K_1$. Let $G = C_m \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$

Define a function $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1$$

$$f(u_m) = m$$

$$f(v_i) = m+2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i) = m+2i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = i, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(v_i, v_{i+1}) = m+2i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f(v_i, w_i) = m+2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, f is a Contra Harmonic mean graph of G .

Example 2.4: The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $C_5 \cup (P_5 \odot K_1)$ is

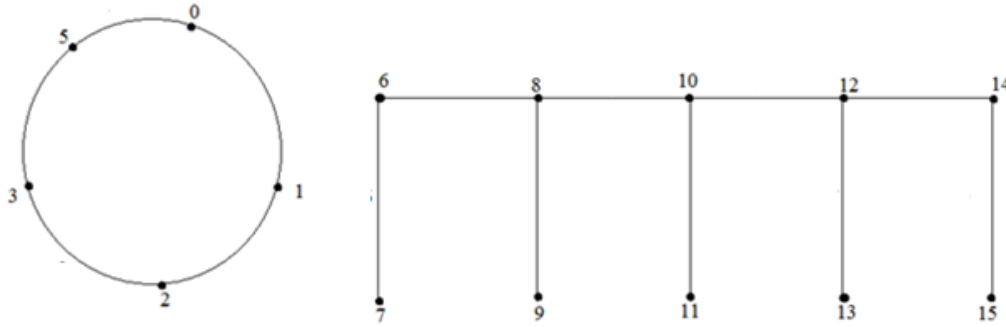


Figure 2

Theorem 2.5: $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup P_n$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof: Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m be a cycle C_m and v_i be the vertex which is joined to the vertex u_i of the cycle C_m , $1 \leq i \leq m$.

The resultant graph is $C_m \odot K_1$. Let $w_1 w_2 \dots w_n$ be the path P_n

Let $G = (C_m \odot K_1) \cup P_n$.

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 2i - 2, 1 \leq i \leq m - 1$$

$$f(u_m) = 2m$$

$$f(v_i) = 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 2m + i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2i, 1 \leq i \leq m - 1$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i w_{i+1}) = 2m + i, 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup P_n$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example 2.6: The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_6 \odot K_1) \cup P_5$

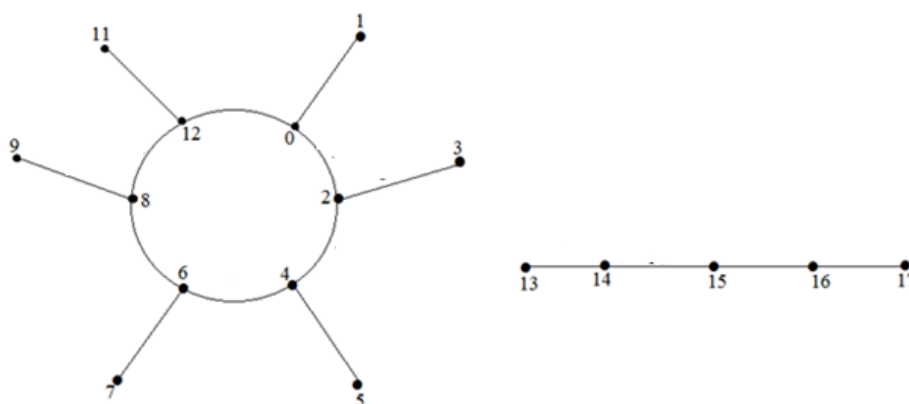


Figure 3

Theorem 2:7: $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof: Let $u_1 u_2 \dots u_m$ be the cycle C_m and let v_i be the pendent vertex joined to the vertex u_i of C_m , $1 \leq i \leq m$. The resultant graph is $C_m \odot K_1$. Let $w_1 \dots w_n$ be the path P_n and t_i be the vertex which is joined to the vertex w_i , $1 \leq i \leq n$ of the path P_n . The resultant graph is $P_n \odot K_1$.

Let $G = (C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$.

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 2i - 2, 1 \leq i \leq m - 1, f(u_m) = 2m,$$

$$f(v_i) = 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 2m + 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(t_i) = 2m + 2i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2i, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i w_{i+1}) = 2m + 2i, 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f(w_i t_i) = 2m + 2i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example: 2.8

The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_6 \odot K_1) \cup (P_5 \odot K_1)$

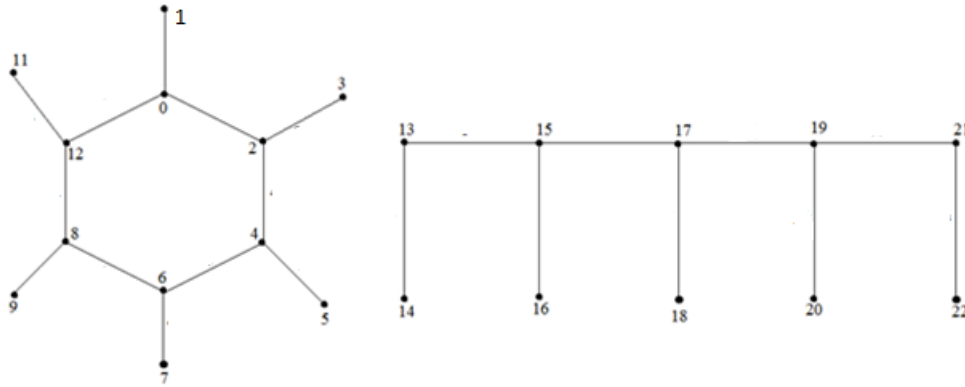


Figure 4

Theorem 2.9: $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof: Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m be the cycle C_m and let v_i be the vertex joined to the vertex u_i of C_m , $1 \leq i \leq m$. The resultant graph is $C_m \odot K_1$. Let w_1, \dots, w_n be the path P_n and let t_i and s_i be the vertices which are joined to the vertex w_i of path P_n , $1 \leq i \leq n$. The resultant graph is $P_n \odot \overline{K_2}$.

Let $G = (C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 2i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m) = 2m$$

$$f(v_i) = 2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 2m+3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(t_i) = 2m+3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(s_i) = 2m+3i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2i, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i w_{i+1}) = 2m+3i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f(w_i t_i) = 2m+3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i s_i) = 2m+3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot K_1) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example 2.10 Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_6 \odot K_1) \cup (P_4 \odot \overline{K_2})$

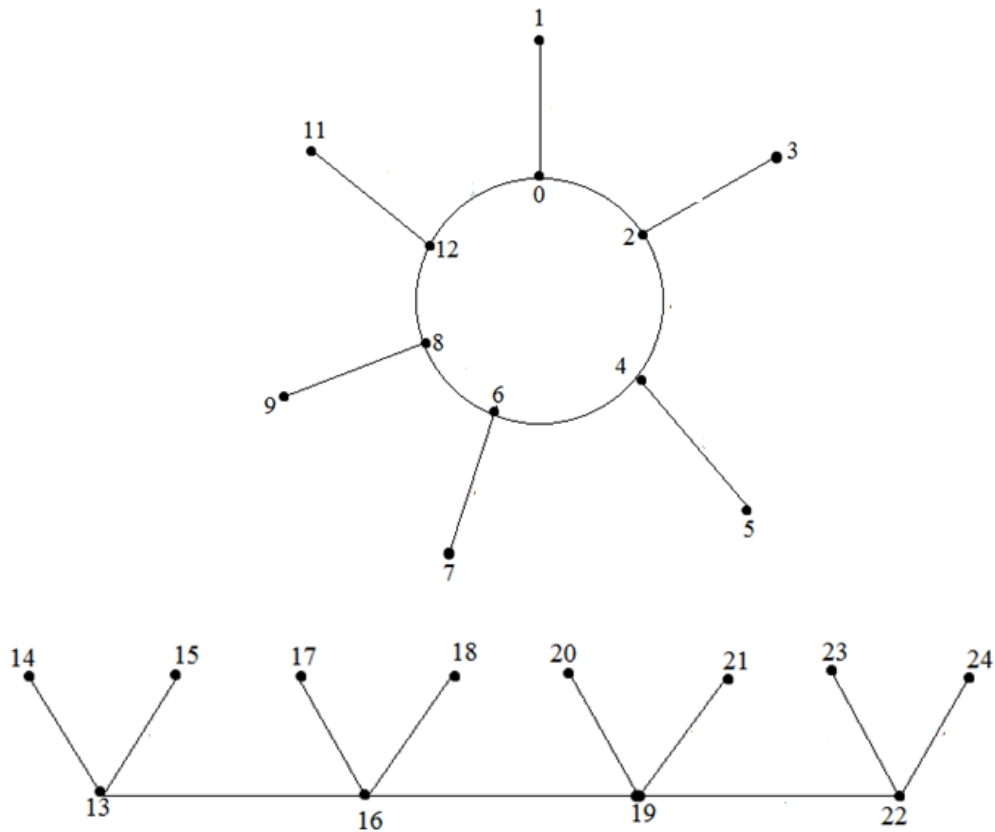


Figure 6

Theorem 2.11 : $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup P_n$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph

Proof: $u_1 u_2 \dots u_m$ be a cycle C_m and let v_i, w_i be the vertices that are joined to the vertex $u_i, 1 \leq i \leq m$ of the cycle C_m . The resultant graph is $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2})$

Let $s_1 s_2 \dots s_n$ be the path P_n .

Let $G = (C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup P_n$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 3i - 2, 1 \leq i \leq m - 1, f(u_m) = 3m - 1$$

$$f(v_i) = 3i - 3, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 3i - 1, 1 \leq i \leq m - 1, f(w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(s_i) = 3m + i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3i, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m, u_1) = 3m-1$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(s_i s_{i+1}) = 3m+i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup P_n$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example : 2.12 The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_5 \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup P_6$ is

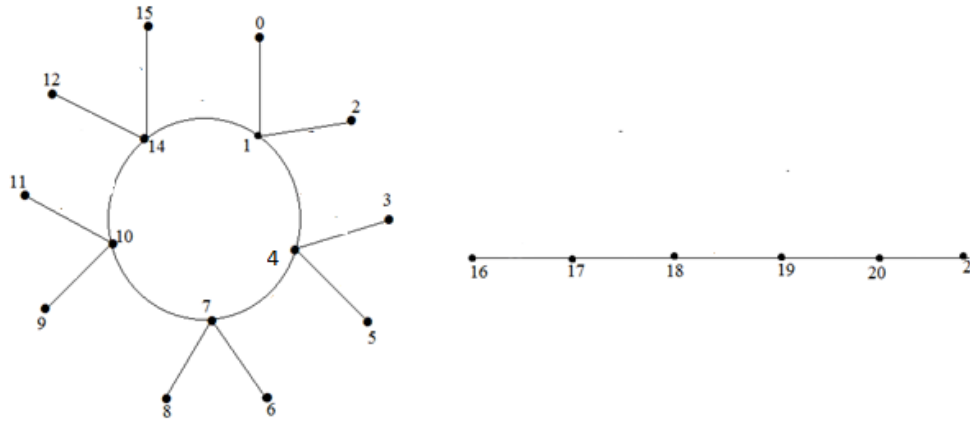


Figure 5

Theorem 2.13 : $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof: Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m be the cycle C_m . Let v_i, w_i be the vertices that are joined to the vertex $u_i, 1 \leq i \leq m$ of the cycle C_m . The resultant graph is $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2})$.

Let $s_1 s_2 \dots s_n$ be the path P_n and t_i be the vertex that are joined to the vertex $s_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$ of P_n . The resultant graph is $(P_n \odot K_1)$.

Let $G = (C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$.

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m) = 3m-1$$

$$f(v_i) = 3i-3, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(s_i) = 3m+2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(t_i) = 3m+2i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3i, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m, u_1) = 3m-1$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(s_i, s_{i+1}) = 3m+2i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f(s_i t_i) = 3m+2i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_1)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example : 2.14

The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_5 \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_6 \odot K_1)$ is

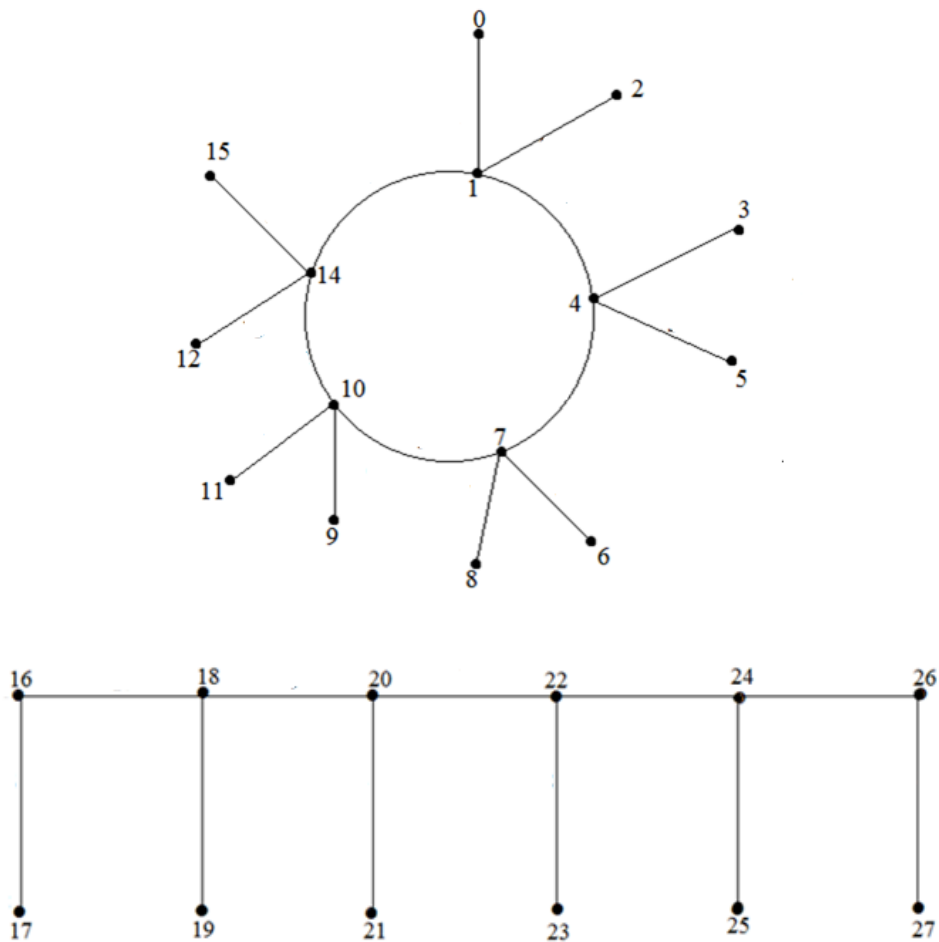


Figure: 7

Theorem : 2.15

Proof: $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Let $u_1 \dots u_m$ be the cycle C_m and let v_i, w_i be the vertices that are joined to vertex u_i $1 \leq i \leq m$ of C_m . The resultant graph is $C_m \odot \overline{K_2}$. Let $z_1 \dots z_n$ be the path P_n and let s_i, t_i be the vertices that are joined to the vertex z_i of the path P_n $1 \leq i \leq n$. The resultant graph is $P_n \odot \overline{K_2}$.

$$\text{Let } G = (C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$$

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m) = 3m-1$$

$$f(v_i) = 3i-3, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m) = 3m$$

$$f(z_i) = 3m+3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(s_i) = 3m+3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(t_i) = 3m+3i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3i, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m u_1) = 3m-1$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_i w_i) = 3m$$

$$f(z_i z_{i+1}) = 3m+3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(z_i s_i) = 3m+3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(z_i t_i) = 3m+3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot \overline{K_2})$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example 2.16:

The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_5 \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_4 \odot \overline{K_2})$

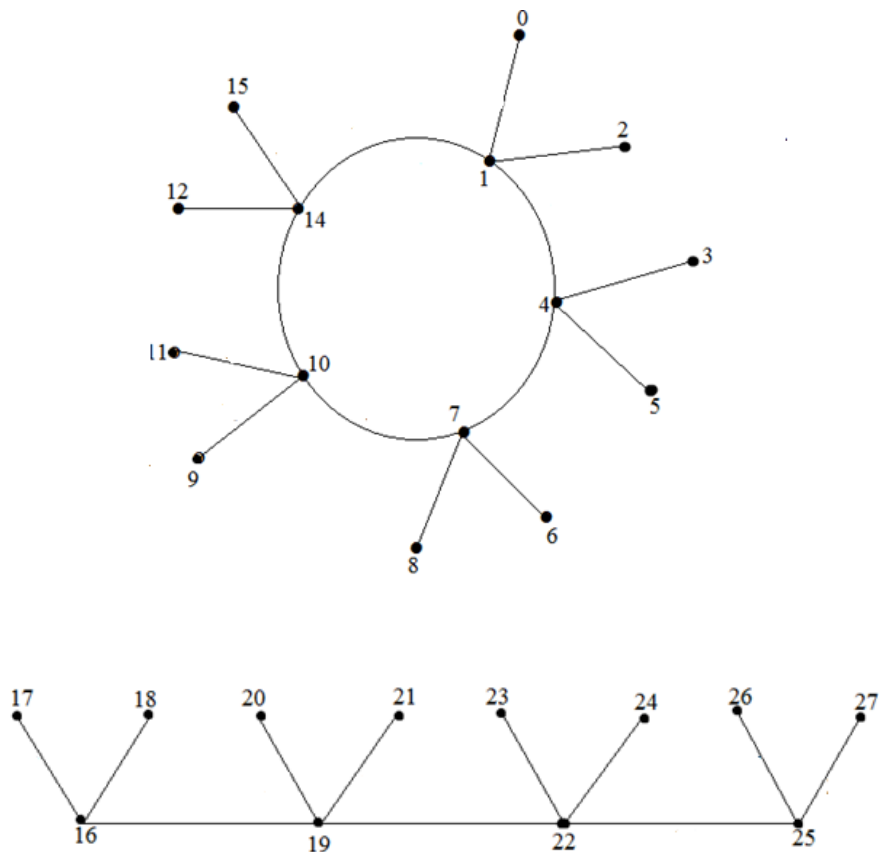


Figure 8

Theorem 2: 17: $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_3)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Proof: Let u_1, \dots, u_m be a cycle C_m and let v_i, w_i be the vertices joined to the vertex u_i $1 \leq i \leq m$. The resultant graph is $C_m \odot \overline{K_2}$.

Let z_1, \dots, z_n be the path P_n and let s_i, t_i be the vertex of K_3 that are joined to the vertex z_i of the path P_n $1 \leq i \leq n$, The resultant graph is $P_n \odot K_3$.

$$\text{Let } G = (C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_3)$$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, \dots, q\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = 3i-2 \quad 1 \leq i \leq m-1, \quad f(u_m) = 3m-1$$

$$f(v_i) = 3i-3, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(w_i) = 3i-1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m-1, \quad f(w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(z_i) = 3m+4i-3, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(s_i) = 3m+4i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(t_i) = 3m+4i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then the distinct edge labels are

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3i, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m u_1) = 3m-1$$

$$f(u_i v_i) = 3i-2, 1 \leq i \leq m$$

$$f(u_i w_i) = 3i-1, 1 \leq i \leq m-1, f(u_m w_m) = 3m$$

$$f(z_i z_{i+1}) = 3m+4i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f(z_i s_i) = 3m+4i-3, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(z_i t_i) = 3m+4i-1, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(s_i t_i) = 3m+4i-2, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Clearly, $(C_m \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_n \odot K_2)$ is a Contra Harmonic mean graph.

Example 2: 18: The Contra Harmonic mean labeling of $(C_5 \odot \overline{K_2}) \cup (P_4 \odot K_3)$ is

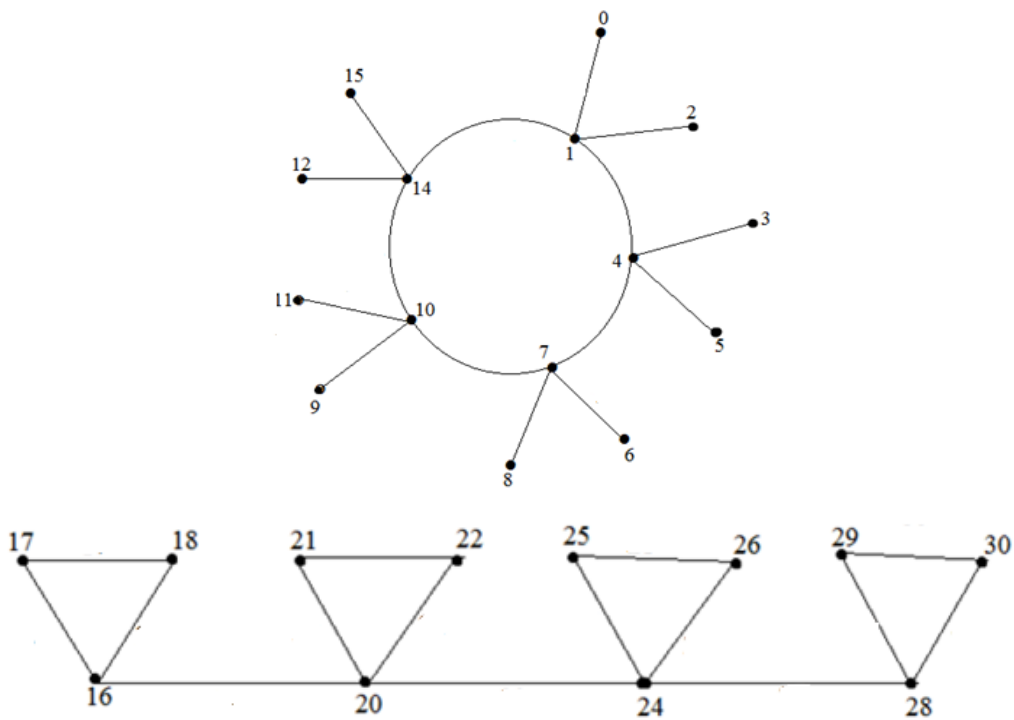


Figure 9

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