

Lehmer-3 Mean Labeling of Some Disconnected Graphs

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Abstract

A graph $G=(V,E)$ with p vertices and q edges is called Lehmer-3 mean graph, if it is possible to label vertices $x \in V$ with distinct label $f(x)$ from $1,2,3,\dots,q+1$ in such a way that when each edge $e=uv$ is labeled with $f(e=uv)=\left[\frac{f(u)^3+f(v)^3}{f(u)^2+f(v)^2}\right]$ (or) $\left[\frac{f(u)^3+f(v)^3}{f(u)^2+f(v)^2}\right]$, then the edge labels are distinct. In this case f is called Lehmer-3 mean labeling of G . In this paper we investigate Lehmer-3 mean labeling of some standard graphs

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1. INTRODUCTION

A graph considered here are finite undirected and simple. The vertex set and edge set of a graph are denoted by $V(G)$ and $E(G)$ respectively. For detailed survey Gallian survey [1] is referred and standard terminologies and notations are followed from Harary [2]. We will find the brief summary of definitions and information necessary for the present investigation.

Definition 1.1

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Definition 1.2

A path P_n is obtained by joining u_i to the consecutive vertices u_{i+1} for $1 \leq i \leq n$

Definition 1.3

Comb is a graph obtained by joining a single pendant edge to each vertex of a path

Definition 1.4

A closed path is called a cycle of G .

Definition 1.5

$P_n \circ K_{1,2}$ is a graph obtained by attaching $K_{1,2}$ to each vertex of P_n

Definition 1.6

$P_n \circ K_{1,3}$ is a graph obtained from the path attaching $K_{1,3}$ to each of its vertices

Definition 1.7

$P_n \odot K_3$ is a graph connected by a complete graph K_3 in its each vertex

2. MAIN RESULTS**Theorem: 2.1**

mC_n is a Lehmer -3 mean graph for $n \geq 3$ and $m \geq 1$

Proof:

Let the vertex set of mC_n be $V=V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \dots \cup V_m$

where $V_i = \{v_i^1, v_i^2, \dots, v_i^m\}$ and the edge set of mC_n is $E = E_1 \cup E_2 \cup \dots \cup E_m$, where $E_i = \{e_i^1, e_i^2, \dots, e_i^n\}$.

A function $f:V(mC_n) \rightarrow \{1,2,\dots,q+1\}$ is defined as $f(u_i^j) = n(i-1) + j ; 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$.

Then the set of labels of the edges of mC_n are $\{1,2,\dots,mn\}$

Hence mC_n is a lehmer -3 mean graph.

Example: 2.2

The Lehmer -3 mean labeling of $3C_6$ is shown below.

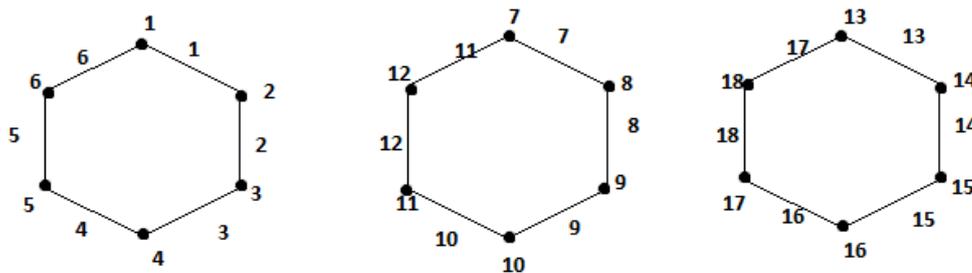


Figure:1

Theorem: 2.3

$mC_n \cup P_k$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph for $m, K \geq 1$ and $n \geq 3$

Proof:

let mC_n be the m copies of C_n and P_k be the path of length k , the vertex set of mC_n be $V = V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \dots \cup V_m$ where $V_i = \{v_i^1, v_i^2, \dots, v_i^n\}$ and the edge set of mC_n is $E = E_1 \cup E_2 \cup \dots \cup E_m$. where $E_i = \{e_i^1, e_i^2, \dots, e_i^n\}$

Let U_1, U_2, \dots, U_k be the vertices of P_k .

The function $f:V(mC_n \cup P_k) \rightarrow \{1,2,\dots,q+1\}$ is defined as $f(v_i^j) = n(i-1) + j; 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$ and $f(u_i) = mn + i ; 1 \leq i \leq k$.

Then the set of labels of edges of mC_n are distinct $\{1,2,\dots,mn\}$

The set of labels of edges of P_k is $\{mn+1, mn+2, \dots, mn+k-1\}$

Thus $mC_n \cup P_k$ forms a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

Example: 2.4

Lehmer -3 mean labeling of $3C_6 \cup P_5$ is given below.

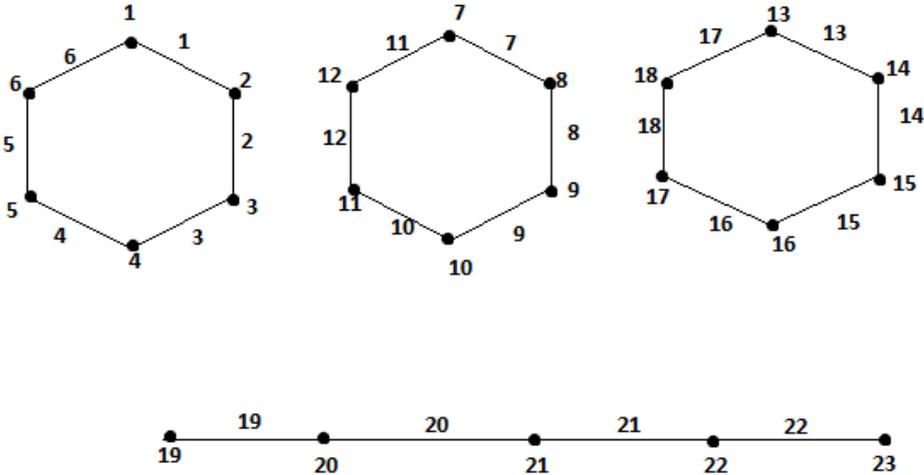


Figure:2

Theorem: 2.5

$mC_n \cup C_k$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph for $m \geq 1$ and $n, k \geq 3$

Proof:

Let mC_n be the m copies of C_n and C_k be any cycle with K vertices. The graph has $mn+k$ number of vertices and edges. The vertex set of mC_n be $V = V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \dots \cup V_m$, where $V_i = \{v_i^1, v_i^2, \dots, v_i^n\}$ and the edge set of mC_n is $E = E_1 \cup E_2 \cup \dots \cup E_m$ where $E_i = \{e_i^1, e_i^2, \dots, e_i^n\}$

Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n be the cycle C_k .

Define a function $f: V(mC_n \cup C_k) \rightarrow [1, 2, \dots, mn+k]$ as $f(v_i^j) = n(i-1) + j$; $1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$,

$f(u_i) = mn + i$; $1 \leq i \leq k$

Then the edges of mC_n and C_k are $\{1, 2, \dots, mn\}$ and $\{mn+1, mn+2, \dots, mn+k\}$ respectively

Hence $mC_n \cup C_k$ is a Lehmer-3 mean graph.

Example: 2.6

The graph $3C_4 \cup C_6$ has 18 vertices and the same number of edges. The pattern is given below.

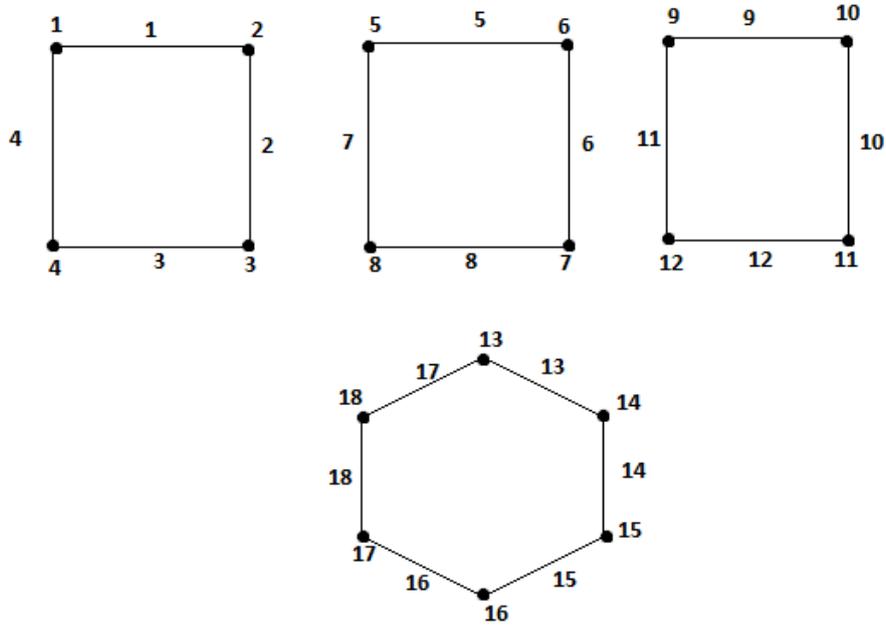


Figure: 3

Theorem: 2.7

$m C_n \cup (P_l \odot K_1)$ be a Lehmer-3 mean graph

Proof:

Let G be a graph obtained from the union of m times C_n and $(P_l \odot K_1)$

C_n be a cycle with n vertices u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n respectively

Let $(P_l \odot K_1)$ be a comb with vertices as $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_l; w_1, w_2, \dots, w_l$

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, q+1\}$ defined by

$$f(u_i^j) = n(i-1) + j \quad ; \quad 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$f(v_k) = mn + (2k - 1) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(w_k) = mn + 2k \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

Thus we obtain distinct edge labelings.

Hence $m C_n \cup (P_l \odot K_1)$ be a Lehmer-3 mean graph

Example: 2.8

$3C_6 \cup (P_4 \odot K_1)$ is a Lehmer-3 mean graph

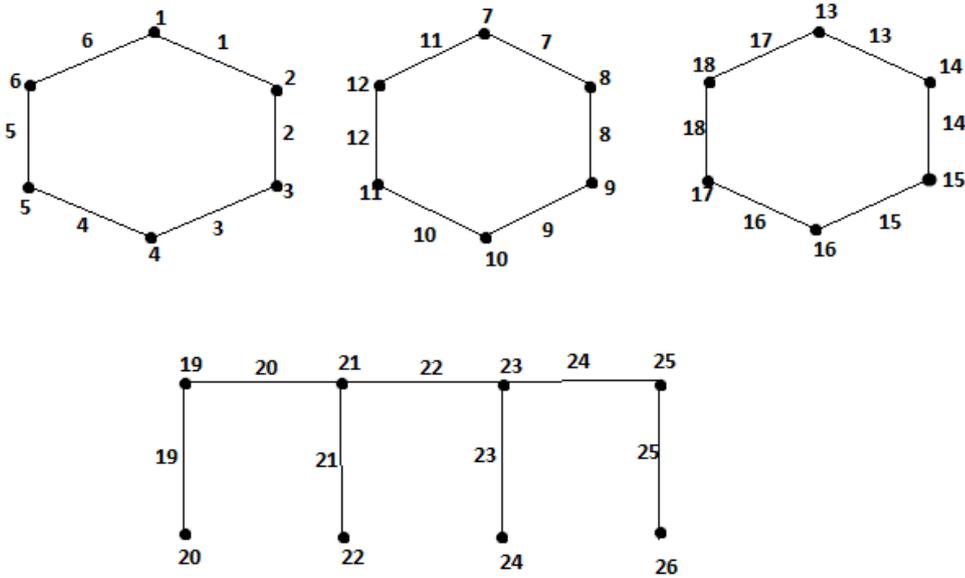


Figure: 4

Theorem: 2.9

$m C_n \cup (P_l \odot K_{1,2})$ be a Lehmer-3 mean graph

Proof:

Let G be a graph obtained from the union of mC_n and $(P_l \odot K_{1,2})$

Let mC_n be the n copies of C_n and let $P_l \odot K_{1,2}$ be the graph with vertices v_1, v_2, \dots, v_l ; w_1, w_2, \dots, w_l and z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l .

Let the vertices of mC_n be $U = U_1 \cup U_2 \cup \dots \cup U_n$ where $U_i = \{u_i^1, u_i^2, u_i^3, \dots, u_i^n\}$ and the edges of mC_n is $E = E_1 \cup E_2 \cup \dots \cup E_n$, where $E_i = \{e_i^1, e_i^2, \dots, e_i^n\}$.

Let V_1, V_2, \dots, V_l and $W_1, W_2, \dots, W_l, Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_l$ be the vertices of $(P_l \odot K_{1,2})$

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

$$f(u_i^j) = n(i-1) + j \quad ; \quad 1 \leq i \leq m, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$f(v_k) = mn + (3k-2) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(w_k) = mn + (3k-1) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(z_k) = mn + (3k) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq 1$$

Thus the edge labelings are distinct .

Hence $mC_n \cup (P_1 \odot K_{1,2})$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

Example: 2.10

$3C_4 \cup (P_5 \odot K_{1,2})$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

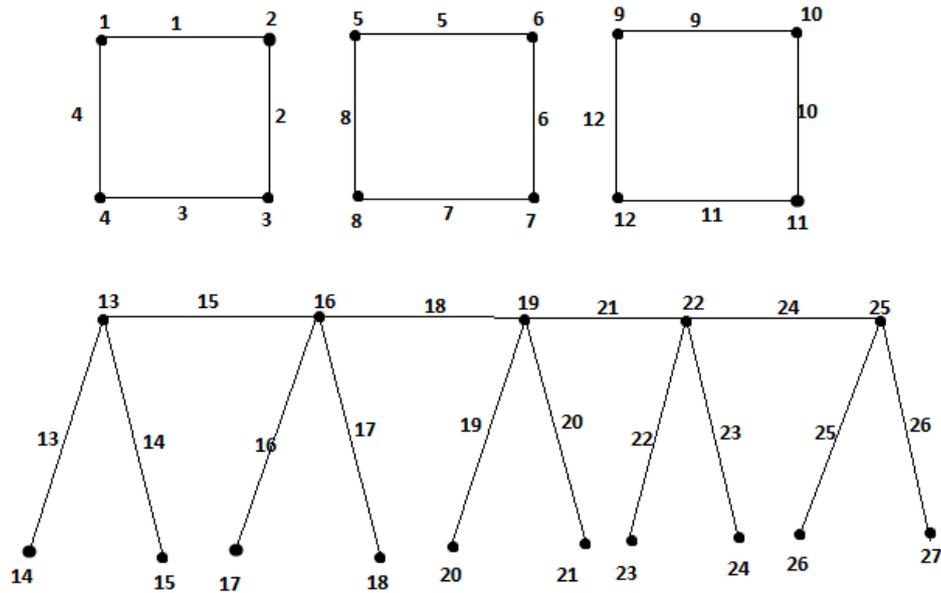


Figure: 5

Theorem: 2.11

$mC_n \cup (P_1 \odot K_{1,3})$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

Proof:

Let G be a graph obtained from the union of mC_n and $(P_1 \odot K_{1,3})$

Let mC_n be the m copies of C_n and let $P_1 \odot K_{1,3}$ be the graph with v_1, v_2, \dots, v_1 ; w_1, w_2, \dots, w_1 ; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_1 and y_1, y_2, \dots, y_1 etc.

Let the vertices of mC_n be $U = U_1 \cup U_2 \cup U_3 \dots \dots U_n$ where $U_i = \{U_i^1, U_i^2, \dots, U_i^n\}$

And the edges of mC_n be $E = E_1 \cup E_2 \cup \dots \dots E_n$ where $E_i = \{e_i^1, e_i^2, \dots, e_i^n\}$.

Let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_1 ; w_1, w_2, \dots, w_1 ; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_1 ; y_1, y_2, \dots, y_1 be the vertices of $(P_1 \odot K_{1,3})$

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

$$f(u_i^j) = n(i-1) + j \quad ; \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(v_k) = mn + (4k - 3) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(w_k) = mn + (4k - 2) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(x_k) = mn + (4k - 1) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(y_k) = mn + 4k \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

Thus the edge labels are distinct.

Hence $mC_n \cup (P_l \odot K_{1,3})$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

Example: 2.12

$3C_4 \cup (P_4 \odot K_{1,3})$ is a Lehmer -3 mean graph.

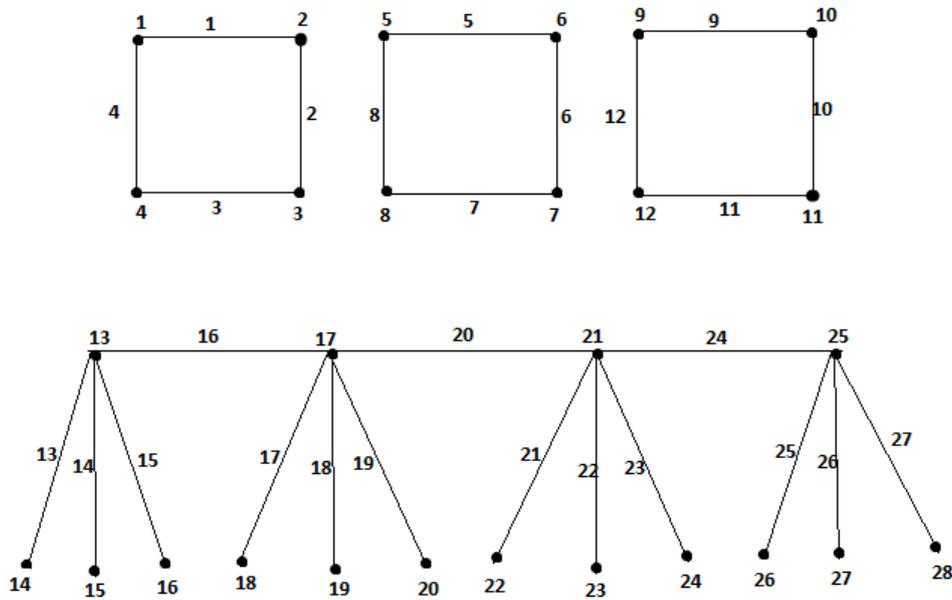


Figure : 6

Theorem:2.13

$m C_n \cup (P_l \odot K_3)$ be a Lehmer-3 mean graph

Proof

Let G be a graph obtained from the union of m times C_n and $(P_l \odot K_3)$

Let C_n be a graph with n vertices

Let $(P_l \odot K_3)$ be a graph with vertices as v_1, v_2, \dots, v_l ; w_1, w_2, \dots, w_l and x_1, x_2, \dots, x_l respectively

Define a function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, q+1\}$ defined by

$$f(u_i^j) = n(i-1) + j \quad ; \quad 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$f(v_k) = mn + (4k - 3) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(w_k) = mn + (4k - 2) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

$$f(x_k) = mn + (4k - 1) \quad ; \quad 1 \leq k \leq l$$

Thus the distinct edge labels are obtained

Hence $m C_n \cup (P_l \circ K_3)$ forms a Lehmer-3 mean graph

Example: 2.14

$3C_6 \cup (P_4 \circ K_3)$ is a Lehmer-3 mean graph

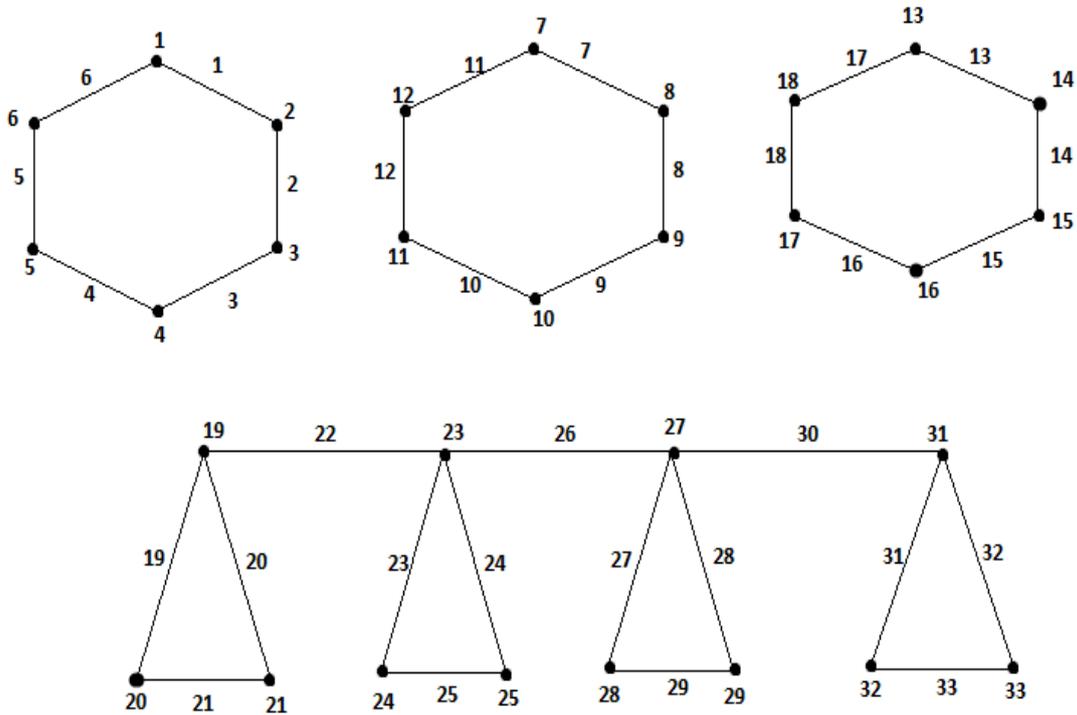


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