

Some Graphs On Near Divisor Cordial-II

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Abstract: - A Near divisor cordial labeling of a graph G with vertex set V is a bijection f from V to $\{1, 2, \dots, |V| - 1, |V| + 1\}$, such that if each edge uv is assigned the label 1 if $f(u)$ divides $f(v)$ (or) if $f(v)$ divides $f(u)$ and 0 otherwise, then the number of edges labelled with 0 and the number of edges labelled with 1 differ by almost 1. If a graph admits Near divisor cordial labeling then it is called Near divisor cordial graph. In this paper, We proved graphs such as $J(n+1, n), S_n, B_{n,m}^2, K_{1,n}, S(K_{1,n}), K_{2,n}, K_{3,n}, \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ and $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)}, K_{1,n}^{(3)} \rangle$ are Near divisor cordial (NDC).

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I. INTRODUCTION

By a graph, we mean a finite undirected graphs without loops and multiple edges for terms not defined here. We refer to Harary [3]

Definition 1.1 [1]:

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a graph. A mapping $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ is called binary vertex labelling of G and $f(v)$ is called the label of the vertex v of G under f .

Cahit [1] defined cordial labelling as follows

Definition 1.2 :

A binary vertex labelling of a graph G is called a cordial labelling if $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$ and $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$. A graph G is cordial if it admits cordial labelling.

Here $f^* : E(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ is given by $f^*(e) = |f(u) - f(v)|$. $v_f(0), v_f(1)$ be the number of vertices of G having labels 0 and 1 respectively under f and $e_f(0), e_f(1)$ be the number of edges of G having 0 and 1 respectively under f^* . The concept of divisor cordial labelling is introduced by R.Varatharajan, S.Navaneetha Krishnan and K.Nagarajan [5] and defined as follows:

Definition 1.3 [5] :

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph and $f : v \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V|\}$ be a bijection. For each edge uv , assign the label 1 if either $f(u) | f(v)$ or if $f(v) | f(u)$ and the label 0 otherwise. f is called divisor cordial labelling if $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$.

The concept of Near graceful labelling is introduced by Frucht [4] with edge labelling $\{1, 2, \dots, q-1, q+1\}$. Motivated by the above definitions, we introduce the concept called Near divisor cordial.

2. MAIN RESULTS:

Definition 2.1:

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph and $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V|-1, |V|+1\}$ be a bijection.

For each edge uv , assign the label 1 if either $f(u) | f(v)$ or $f(v) | f(u)$ and the label 0 otherwise. f is called Near divisor cordial labelling if $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$.

Note that K_7 is not divisor cordial but it is Near divisor cordial and $K_{1,2m}$ is divisor cordial but it is not Near divisor cordial. Hence the above definition is meaningful.

The following definitions are useful for proving theorems.

Definition 2.2 :

For integers $m, n \geq 0$, we consider the graph *jellyfish* $J(m, n)$ with vertex set $V(J(m, n)) = \{u, v, x, y\} \cup \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\} \cup \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$ and the edge set $E(J(m, n)) = \{(u, x), (u, y), (u, v), (v, x), (v, y)\} \cup \{(x_i, x) / 1 \leq i \leq m\} \cup \{(y_i, y) / 1 \leq i \leq n\}$.

Definition 2.3:

The graph $P_n + K_1$ is called a shell

Definition 2.4 :

The Bistar $B_{m,n}$ is the graph obtained from K_2 by identifying the center vertices of $K_{1,m}$ and $K_{1,n}$ at the vertices of K_2 respectively. $B_{m,n}$ is often denoted by $B(m)$.

The Complete bipartite graph $K_{1,n}$ is called a Star Graph and it is demoted by S_m .

Definition 2.5:

Consider two stars $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$. Then $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ is the graph obtained by joining apex vertices of star to a new vertex x . Note that G has $2n+3$ vertices and $2n+2$ edges.

Definition 2.6:

Consider t copies of stars namely $K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)}, \dots, K_{1,n}^{(t)}$. Then $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)}, \dots, K_{1,n}^{(t)} \rangle$ is the graph obtained by joining apex vertices

of each $K_{1,n}^{(m-1)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(m)}$ to a new vertex x_{m-1} where $2 \leq m \leq t$.
 Note that G has $t(n+2)-1$ vertices and $t(n+2)-2$ edges.

THEOREM 2.7:

The graph $J(n+1,n)$ is Near divisor cordial

Proof:

Let $V(J(n+1,n)) = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n, w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_{n+1}\}$

$E(J(n+1,n)) = \{w_1w_2, w_2w_3, w_3w_4, w_4w_1, w_2w_4\} \cup \{w_3u_i / 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{w_1v_i / 1 \leq i \leq n+1\}$

Define $f(w_1) = 1$ and $f(w_3) = S$ such that s is the largest prime number such that $S \leq 2n+6$ and $S \neq 2n+5$

Label the remaining vertices from $\{2, 3, \dots, s-1, s+1, \dots, 2n+4, 2n+6\}$ in that order.

Then $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = k$ where $k = \frac{2n+6}{2}$

Hence $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0$

Hence, the graph $J(n+1,n)$ is a Near divisor cordial

Example 2.8:

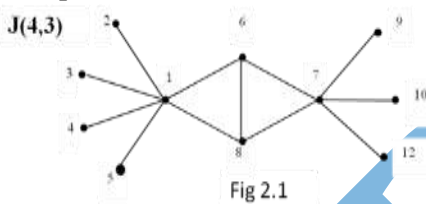


Fig 2.1

THEOREM 2.9:

The shell S_n is a Near divisor cordial

Proof:

Let $V(S_n) = \{v_0, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n-1}\}$

$E(S_n) = \{v_0v_i, 1 \leq i \leq n-1\}$ and $i \neq n\} \cup \{v_iv_{i+1}, 1 \leq i \leq n-2\}$

Fix $f(v_0) = 1$

Label the remaining vertices from $\{2, 3, 4, \dots, n-1, n+1\}$ in that order.

Then $e_f(0) = n-2, e_f(1) = n-1$

Hence $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1$

Hence, S_n is a Near divisor cordial

Example 2.10:

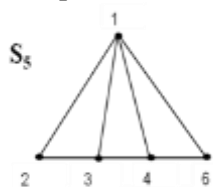


Fig 2.2

THEOREM 2.11:

The Graph $B_{n,m}^2$ is Near divisor cordial

Proof: $|V(B_{n,m}^2)| = n+m+2$ and $|E(B_{n,m}^2)| = 4n+1$

Always fix $f(v_0) = 1$ and $f(u_0) = S$, where s is the largest prime such that $S \leq n+m+3$ and $S \neq n+m+2$.

Then label the remaining vertices from $\{2, 3, \dots, n+m+1, n+m+3\}$

Then $e_f(0) = n+m, e_f(1) = n+m+1$

Hence $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1$

Hence, The Graph $B_{n,m}^2$ is Near divisor cordial

Example 2.12:

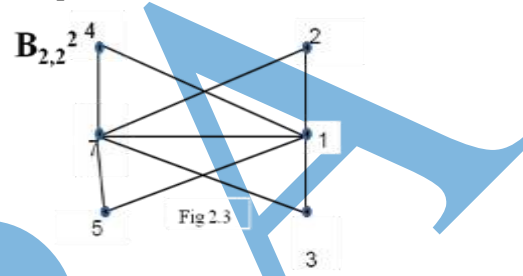


Fig 2.3

THEOREM 2.13:

The star graph $K_{1,n}$ is Near divisor cordial iff n is odd, $n \geq 5$

Proof:

Let $V(K_{1,n}) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$ and $E(K_{1,n}) = \{v_0v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $n=4$.

Now assign label 2 to the vertex v and label the remaining vertices $v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n$ by $1, 3, 4, \dots, n-1$ and $n+1$ respectively.

We have, $e_f(0) = k+1, e_f(1) = k$, where $n = 2k+1$

Hence, $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1$.

Therefore, $K_{1,n}$ is Near divisor cordial for n is odd and $n \geq 5, n = 4, 6$

Conversely,

Suppose $K_{1,n}$ is Near divisor cordial

Suppose n is even and $n \geq 8$

Let $n = 2k$, there are $k+1$ even numbers and k odd numbers as labels.

Assigning any odd number to the central vertex as label, then it does not satisfy the condition

$|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$.

If $f(v) = 2$ for a labelling f in that case also $e_f(1) = k+1$ and $e_f(0) = k-1$. It can be easily verifies that by assigning any even number > 2 to the central vertex as label, then it does not satisfy the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$.

$\therefore K_{1,n}$ is not Near divisor cordial When n is even & $n \geq 8$.

Clearly, $K_{1,n} \cong P_3$ is not near divisor cordial.

Therefore if $K_{1,n}$ is Near divisor cordial then n should be odd and $n \geq 3$ and $n=4, 6$.

Example 2.14:

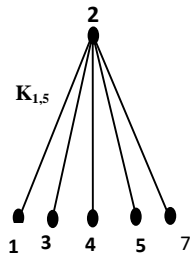


fig 2.4

THEOREM 2.15:

$S(K_{1,n})$ the sub division of the star $k_{1,n}$ is near divisor cordial

Proof:

Let $V(S(K_{1,n})) = \{v, v_i, u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and

$$E(S(K_{1,n})) = \{vv_i, v_i u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$$

Define f by $f(v) = 1$

$$f(v_i) = 2i \quad (1 \leq i \leq n)$$

$$f(u_i) = 2i+1 \quad (1 \leq i \leq n-1)$$

and $f(u_n) = 2i+2$, where $i = n$

here $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = n$

$$\text{Hence } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0$$

Therefore, $S(K_{1,n})$ is near divisor cordial.

Example 2.16:

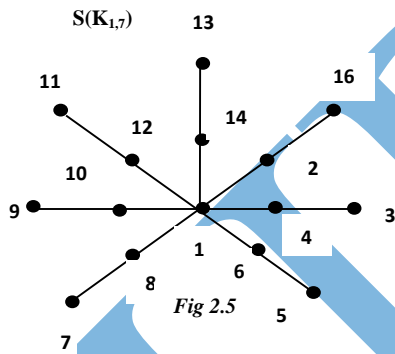


Fig 2.5

THEOREM 2.17:

The complete bipartite graph $K_{2,n}$ is near divisor cordial.

proof:

Let $V(K_{2,n}) = V_1UV_2$

Such that $|V(K_{2,n})| = n+2$ and $|E(K_{2,n})| = 2n$.

$$V_1 = \{x_1, x_2\} \quad \text{and}$$

$V_2 = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$. Now assign the label 1 to x_1 and the largest prime number S to x_2 such that $S \leq n+2$, $S \neq n+1$. Then the remaining vertices $y_1, y_2, y_3, \dots, y_n$ is labelled from $\{2, 3, 4, \dots, n+1, n+3\} - \{s\}$.

Clearly, $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = n$

$$\text{Hence } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0$$

Hence, $K_{2,n}$ is a Near divisor cordial

Example 2.18:

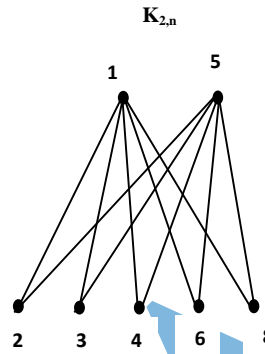


fig 2.6

THEOREM 2.19:

The complete bipartite graph $K_{3,n}$ is Near divisor cordial, n is odd.

proof:

Let $V(K_{3,n}) = V_1UV_2$

Such that $|V(K_{3,n})| = n+3$ and $|E(K_{3,n})| = 3n$. $V_1 = \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$ and $V_2 = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$. Now define $f(x_1) = 1$, $f(x_2) = 2$ and $f(x_3) = s$, where s is the largest prime number such that $s \leq n+4$ and $s \neq n+3$.

And assign the remaining labels to the vertices $y_1, y_2, y_3, \dots, y_n$

Then, $e_f(0) = n$, $e_f(1) = n-1$

$$\text{Hence } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1$$

Thus, $K_{3,n}$ is a Near divisor cordial.

Remark 2.21:

For $K_{m,n}$, $m \geq 4$, $e_f(0)$ value increases drastically than $e_f(1)$ and it is true for any Near divisor cordial labelling f except for some particular values of m & n .

THEOREM 2.22:

The graph $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ is Near divisor cordial

Proof :

Let $v_1^{(1)}, v_2^{(1)}, \dots, v_n^{(1)}$ be the pendent vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $v_1^{(2)}, v_2^{(2)}, \dots, v_n^{(2)}$ be the pendent vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$

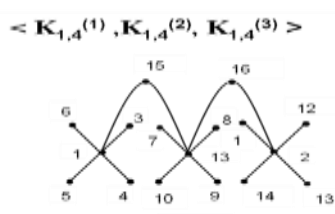
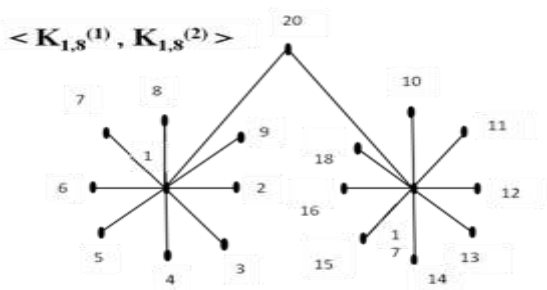
Let c_1 and c_2 be the apex vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$ respectively and they are adjacent to a common vertex w . $|V(G)| = 2n+3$, $|E(G)| = 2n+2$. Let $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 2n+2, 2n+4\}$

Now, assign the label 1 to c_1 and the largest prime number S such that $S \leq 2n+4$ (and $S \neq 2n+3$) to c_2 and the remaining numbers to be labelled to the remaining vertices of G . Since 1 divides any integer, and S does not divide any integer, then $e_f(0) = n+1$ and $e_f(1) = n+1$

$$\text{Hence, } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0.$$

Hence, the graph $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ is Near divisor cSordial

Example 2.23:



Theorem 2.24:

The graph $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)}, K_{1,n}^{(3)} \rangle$ is Near divisor cordial

Proof :

Let $v_1^{(1)}, v_2^{(1)}, \dots, v_n^{(1)}$ be the pendent vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $v_1^{(2)}, v_2^{(2)}, \dots, v_n^{(2)}$ be the pendent vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$ and $v_1^{(3)}, v_2^{(3)}, \dots, v_n^{(3)}$ be the pendent vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(3)}$.

Let c_1 and c_2 and c_3 be the apex vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(3)}$ respectively and they are adjacent to a common vertex w_1 and w_2 . such that w_1 is adjacent to c_1 and c_2 and w_2 is adjacent to c_2 and c_3 .

Note that G has $3n+5$ vertices and $3n+4$ edges.

Case 1: n is odd

Now assign the label 1 to c_1 , 2 to c_2 and S to c_3 where S is the largest prime number such that $S \leq 3n+5$ (and $S \neq 3n+4$). Then assign the remaining numbers to the pendent vertices, we get ,

$$e_f(1) = \frac{3n+5}{2} \text{ and } e_f(0) = \frac{3n+3}{2} \quad (\text{ See fig })$$

$$\text{Then, } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1.$$

Case 2: n is even

Now assign the label 1 to c_1 , S to c_2 , where S is the largest prime number such that $S \leq 3n+5$ and 2 to c_3 . Then assign the remaining numbers to the pendent vertices in such a way that $\frac{n+1}{2}$ vertices adjacent to C_3 is assigned even numbers and remaining $\frac{n+1}{2}$ vertices adjacent to C_3 is assigned odd numbers and the remaining labels are assigned to the left over pendent vertices.

$$\text{We get, } e_f(1) = \left\lfloor \frac{3n+4}{2} \right\rfloor = e_f(0) \quad (\text{ See fig })$$

$$\text{Then, } |e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 1.$$

Hence, The graph $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)}, K_{1,n}^{(2)}, K_{1,n}^{(3)} \rangle$ is Near divisor cordial.

Example 2.25:

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