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V₄ Cordial Labeling of Fan and Globe

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Abstract

Let $\langle A, * \rangle$ be any abelian group. A graph $G = (V(G), E(G))$ is said to be A-cordial if there is a mapping $f: V(G) \rightarrow A$ which satisfies the following two conditions with each edge $e = uv$ is labeled as $f(u) * f(v)$.

$$(i) |v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in A$$

$$(ii) |e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in A$$

where $v_f(a)$ = the number of vertices with label a.

$v_f(b)$ = the number of vertices with label b.

$e_f(a)$ = the number of edges with label a.

$e_f(b)$ = the number of edges with label b.

We note that if $A = \langle V_4, * \rangle$ is a multiplicative group. Then the labeling is known as V₄ Cordial Labeling. A graph is called a V₄ Cordial graph if it admits a V₄ Cordial Labeling. In this paper, we proved that $F_n = P_n + K_1$ and Globe $(Gl(n))$ are V₄ Cordial graphs.

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1. Introduction

By a graph, we mean a finite undirected graph without loops or multiple edges. For graph theoretic terminology, we referred Harary^[4]. For labeling of graphs, we referred Gallian^[1].

A vertex labeling of a graph G is an assignment of labels to the vertices of G that induces for each edge uv a label depending on the vertex labels of u and v .

A graph G is said to be labeled if the n vertices are distinguished from one another by symbols such as v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n . In a labeling of a particular type, the vertices are assigned values from a given set, the edges have a prescribed induced labeling must satisfy certain properties. The concept of graceful labeling was introduced by Rosa^[3] in 1967 and subsequently by Golomb^[2].

2. Preliminaries

Definition 2.1: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph. Let $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ and for each edge uv , assign the label $|f(u) - f(v)|$. f is called a cordial labeling if the number of vertices labeled 0 and the number of vertices labeled 1 differ by at most 1 and also the number of edges labeled 0 and the number of edges labeled 1 differ by at most 1. A graph is called Cordial if it has a cordial labeling.

Definition 2.2: Let $\langle A, * \rangle$ be any abelian group. A graph $G = (V(G), E(G))$ is said to be A-cordial if there is a mapping $f: V(G) \rightarrow A$ which satisfies the following two conditions with each edge

$e = uv$ is labeled as $f(u) * f(v)$.

$$(i) |v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in A$$

$$(ii) |e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in A$$

where $v_f(a)$ = the number of vertices with label a.

$v_f(b)$ = the number of vertices with label b.

$e_f(a)$ = the number of edges with label a.

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V₄ Cordial Labeling. A graph is called a V₄ Cordial graph if it admits a V₄ Cordial Labeling.

Definition 2.3

$F_n = P_n + K_1$ is obtained from the Path P_n by joining each vertex of P_n to a vertex u .

Definition 2.4

Globe is a graph obtained from two isolated vertex are joined by n paths of length 2. It is denoted by $(Gl(n))$.

3. Main Results

Theorem 3.1

$F_n = P_n + K_1$ is a V₄ Cordial graph.

Proof: Let $V_4 = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$.

Let $V(P_n + K_1) = \{u, u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$.

Let $E(P_n + K_1) = \{(u, u_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{(u_i, u_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\}$.

Define $f : V(P_n + K_1) \rightarrow V_4$

The vertex labeling are,

Let $f(u) = 1$,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0, 4 \pmod{8} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 1, 6 \pmod{8} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2, 5 \pmod{8} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 3, 7 \pmod{8} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge labeling are,

$$f(uu_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0, 4 \pmod{8} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 1, 6 \pmod{8} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2, 5 \pmod{8} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 3, 7 \pmod{8} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = \begin{cases} -i & \text{if } i \equiv 0, 2 \pmod{8} \\ 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1, 5 \pmod{8} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 3, 7 \pmod{8} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 4, 6 \pmod{8} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

Vertex Conditions

(i) $v_f(1) = \frac{n}{4} + 1$ and $v_f(i) = v_f(-i) = v_f(-1) = \frac{n}{4}$, when $n \equiv 0, 4 \pmod{8}$

(ii) $v_f(1) = v_f(-i) = \frac{n-1}{4} + 1$ and $v_f(i) = v_f(-1) = \frac{n-1}{4}$, when $n \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$

(iii) $v_f(1) = v_f(i) = v_f(-i) = \frac{n-2}{4} + 1$ and $v_f(-1) = \frac{n-2}{4}$, when $n \equiv 2, 6 \pmod{8}$

(iv) $v_f(1) = v_f(i) = v_f(-i) = v_f(-1) = \frac{n+1}{4}$, when $n \equiv 3, 7 \pmod{8}$

(v) $v_f(1) = v_f(i) = \frac{n-1}{4} + 1$, and $v_f(-i) = v_f(-1) = \frac{n-1}{4}$, when $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Edge Conditions

(i) $e_f(1) = e_f(i) = e_f(-1) = \frac{n}{2}$, and $e_f(-i) = \frac{n-2}{2}$, when $n \equiv 0 \pmod{8}$

(ii) $e_f(1) = e_f(-1) = e_f(i) = \frac{n-1}{2}$ and $e_f(-i) = \frac{n+1}{2}$, when $n \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$

(iii) $e_f(1) = e_f(-i) = e_f(i) = \frac{n}{2}$ and $e_f(-1) = \frac{n-2}{2}$, when $n \equiv 2, 6 \pmod{8}$

(iv) $e_f(1) = e_f(i) = e_f(-1) = \frac{n-1}{2}$ and $e_f(-i) = \frac{n+1}{2}$, when $n \equiv 3 \pmod{8}$

(v) $e_f(1) = e_f(-i) = e_f(-1) = \frac{n-1}{2}$ and $e_f(i) = \frac{n+1}{2}$, when $n \equiv 5, 7 \pmod{8}$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Hence, $F_n = P_n + K_1$ is a V₄ Cordial Graph.

For example, the V₄ Cordial Labeling of $P_8, P_9, P_6, P_{11}, P_{13}$ and P_7 is shown in below figure 3.21-3.27.

whenn $\equiv 0,4 \pmod{8}$

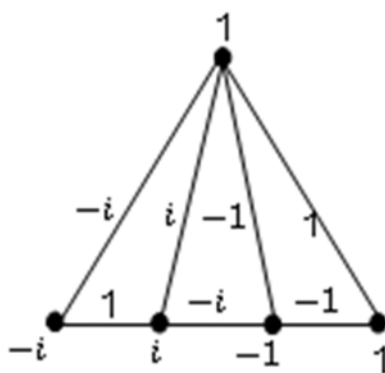


Fig3.21

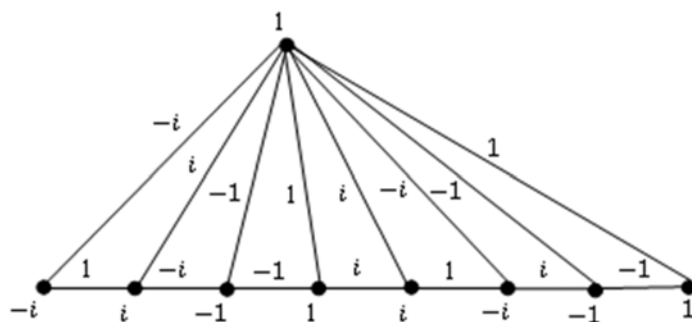


Fig 3.22

whenn $\equiv 1 \pmod{8}$

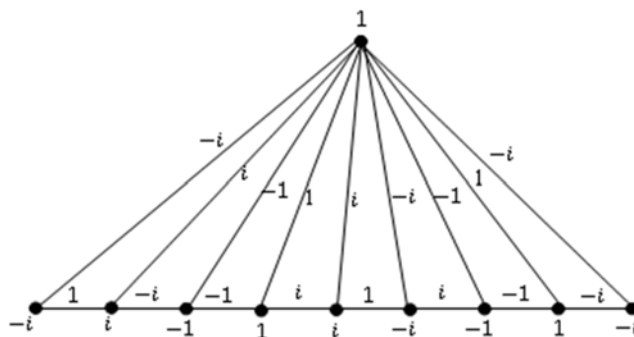


Fig 3.23

whenn $\equiv 2,6 \pmod{8}$

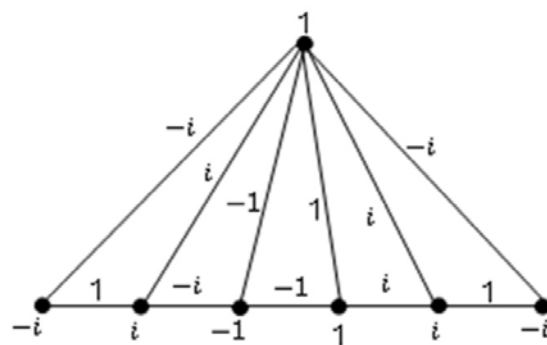


Fig3.24

when $n \equiv 3, 7 \pmod{8}$

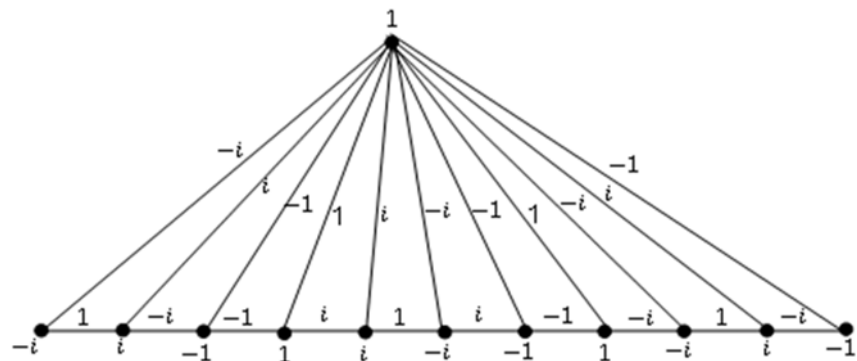


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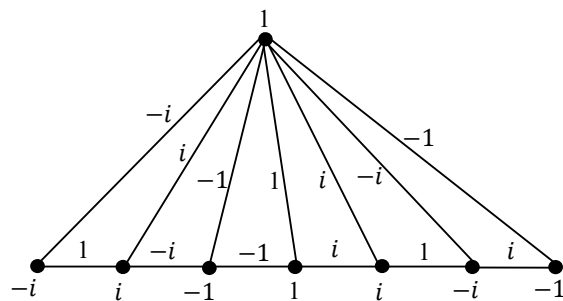


Fig 3.26

when $n \equiv 5 \pmod{8}$

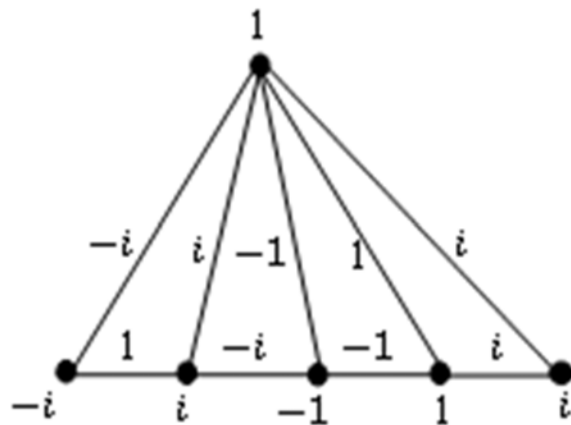


Fig3.27

Theorem 3.3

Globe $(Gl(n))$ is a V_4 Cordial graph, when $n \equiv 0, 1, 3 \pmod{4}$.

Proof: Let $V_4 = \{1, -1, i, -i\}$.

Let $V(Gl(n)) = \{u, v, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$.

Let $E(Gl(n)) = \{(uw_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{(vw_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$.

Define $f: V(Gl(n)) \rightarrow V_4$.

Case(I)

When $n \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$

The vertex labeling are,

Let $f(u) = 1, f(v) = -1$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge labeling are,

$$f(uw_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(vw_i) = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Vertex Conditions

$$(i) v_f(1) = v_f(-1) = \left\lceil \frac{n}{4} \right\rceil + 1 \text{ and } v_f(i) = v_f(-i) = \left\lceil \frac{n}{4} \right\rceil$$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Edge Conditions

$$(i) e_f(1) = e_f(i) = e_f(-1) = e_f(-i) = \frac{n}{2}$$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Hence, $(Gl(n))$ is a V_4 Cordial Graph.

For example, the V_4 Cordial Labeling of $(Gl(n))$ is shown in below figure 3.41

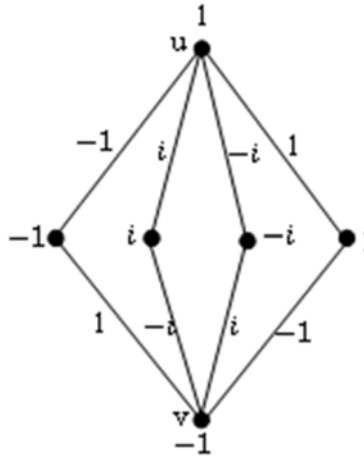


Fig3.41

Case(II)

when $n \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$

The vertex labeling are,

Let $f(u) = 1, f(v) = i$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge labeling are,

$$f(uw_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(vw_i) = \begin{cases} i & \text{if } i \equiv 0(\text{mod } 4) \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 1(\text{mod } 4) \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 2(\text{mod } 4) \\ 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 3(\text{mod } 4) \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Vertex Conditions

$$(i) v_f(1) = v_f(-1) = v_f(i) = \lceil \frac{n}{4} \rceil + 1 \text{ and } v_f(-i) = \lceil \frac{n}{4} \rceil$$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Edge Conditions

$$(i) e_f(1) = e_f(i) = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \text{ and } e_f(-1) = e_f(-i) = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil + 1$$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Hence, $(G(n))$ is a V_4 Cordial Graph.

For example, the V_4 Cordial Labeling of $(G(n))$ is shown in below figure3.42

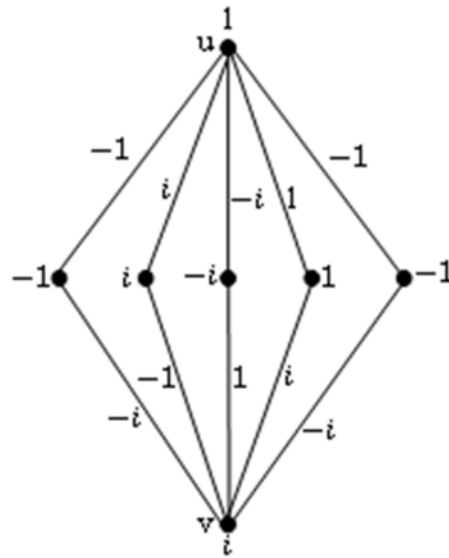


Fig3.42

Case(III)

when $n \equiv 3(\text{mod } 4)$

The vertex labeling are,

$$\text{Let } f(u) = 1, f(v) = -i \text{ and } f(w_n) = 1$$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0(\text{mod } 4) \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1(\text{mod } 4) \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2(\text{mod } 4) \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3(\text{mod } 4) \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

The edge labeling are,

$$\text{Let } f(uw_n) = 1 \text{ and } f(vw_n) = -i$$

$$f(uw_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 0(\text{mod } 4) \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 1(\text{mod } 4) \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 2(\text{mod } 4) \\ -i & \text{if } i \equiv 3(\text{mod } 4) \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f(vw_i) = \begin{cases} -i & \text{if } i \equiv 0(\text{mod } 4) \\ i & \text{if } i \equiv 1(\text{mod } 4) \\ 1 & \text{if } i \equiv 2(\text{mod } 4) \\ -1 & \text{if } i \equiv 3(\text{mod } 4) \end{cases}, 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

Vertex Conditions

$$(i) v_f(1) = \lceil \frac{n}{4} \rceil + 2 \text{ and } v_f(-i) = v_f(-1) = v_f(i) = \lceil \frac{n}{4} \rceil + 1.$$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|v_f(a) - v_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Edge Conditions

(i) $e_f(1) = e_f(i) = \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1$ and $e_f(-1) = e_f(-i) = \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor$

Hence, it satisfies the condition of $|e_f(a) - e_f(b)| \leq 1, \forall a, b \in V_4$

Hence, $(Gl(n))$ is a V_4 Cordial Graph.

For example, the V_4 Cordial Labeling of $(Gl(n))$ is shown in below figure 3.43

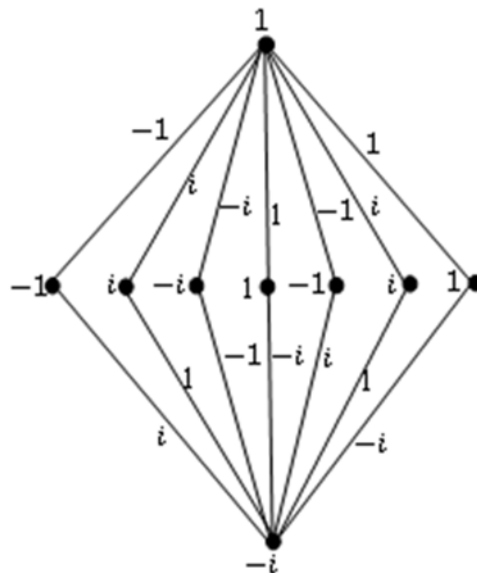


Fig 3.43

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