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New families and invariance under E-cordial labeling

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Abstract

In this paper we discuss new families of E-cordial labeling. These are $FL(S_n)$, $(S_4)^{(k)}$, Crown of shel, $(S_n)^{(k)}$, $(K_{1,n}:K_{1,n})$, $(FL(C_4))^{(k)}$, E-cordial invariance of $(FL(C_3))^{(k)}$

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1. Introduction

In 1997 Yilmaz and Cahit^[5] introduced a weaker version of edge-graceful called E-cordial labeling. Let G be a graph with vertex set V and edge set E and let f a function from E to $\{0, 1\}$. Define f on V by $f(v) = \sum f(uv) \pmod{2}$.

The function f is called an E-cordial labeling of G if the number of vertices labeled 0 and the number of vertices labeled 1 differ by at most 1 and the number of edges labeled 0 and the number of edges labeled 1 differ by at most 1. A graph that admits an E-cordial labeling is called E-cordial.

The graphs considered are finite, undirected, simple and connected. For terminology and definations we refer Harary^[4], Dynamic survey of graph labelling^[3]. Further by $v_f(0, 1) = (a, b)$ we mean number of vertices with label 0 are a in number and that with label 1 are b in number. Similar convention is followed for edge numbers $e_f(0, 1) = (x, y)$.

3. Definitions

3.1. Shel S_n is obtained from C_n by taking $n-3$ chords starting with the same vertex on S_n say v and ending on the vertices of C_n that are not adjacent to v .

3.2. $FL(G)$ is a flag graph of G and is obtained by attaching a copy of K_2 to a suitable vertex of G . If This vertex is changed then the graph may differ structurally. For $FL(C_n)$ and $FL(K_n)$ which vertex is used to attach K_2 does not matters. For Flag of S_n we attach K_2 at apex of S_n .

3.3. Antenna graph Consider a $G = (p, q)$ graph. At each of it's vertex attach a path of length m . then we get a antenna graph antenna (G, m) . If we attach K antennas of different length at each vertex of G then it is k -antenna(G).

4. Results proved

4.1. Theorem: $FL(S_n)$ is E-cordial iff n is even number.

Proof: Ordinary names given to vertices are that u_1 is the apex vertex and main cycle C_n of S_n is given by $(u_1, e_1, u_2, e_2, \dots, e_n, u_1)$. The chords are given by $c_i = (u_1 u_j), i = j-2$ and $j = 3, 4, \dots, n-2$. Define a function $f; E \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ by $f(e_i) = 0$ for i is a even number and $f(e_i) = 1$ for $i > 1$ and is an odd number. $f(e_1) = 0$. The chords $n-3$ in number are labeled as $f(c_i) = 1$ for i is an odd number and $f(e_i) = 0$ for i is an even number. The final vertex numbers distribution we get is $v_f(0, 1) = (x+1, x)$ for $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ and $v_f(0, 1) = (x, x+1)$ for $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$. and edge numbers are $e_f(0, 1) = (n-1, n-1)$.

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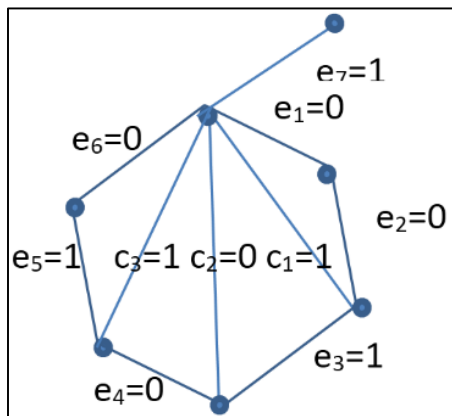


Fig 1: FL(S₆): E-cordial labeling

3.2. Theorem: One point union of k copies of S₄ i.e. (S₄)^(k) is E- cordial

Proof: We use different types of labelings Type A, B, C, and D. We use different types of labelings that are explained in the Fig 2.

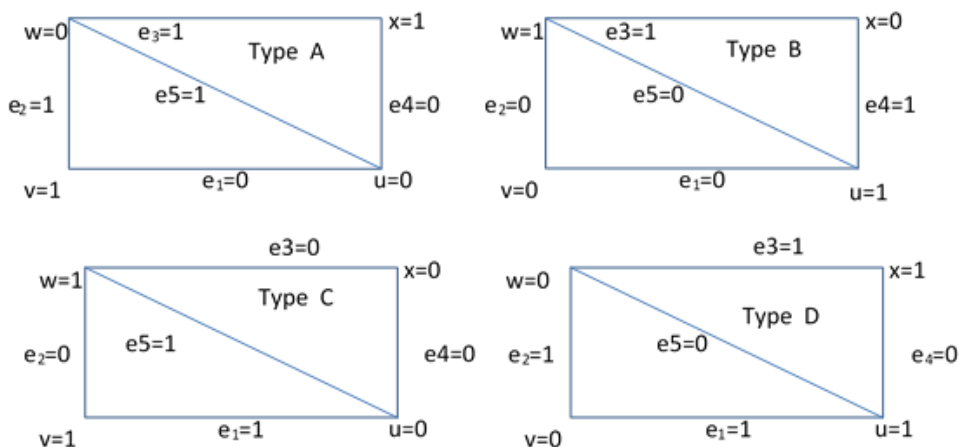


Fig 2: Four types of labeled copies of S₄

Table 1: explains labeling of (S₄)^(k)

| k | Type Used | v _r (0) | v _r (1) | e _r (0) | e _r (1) | Comm-on vertex. |
|-------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | A | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| 2 | A+C | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| 3* | A+C+B | 4 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 1 |
| 4 | A+C+B+D | 7 | 6 | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| 4X | x times A, C, B, D | 6X+1 | 6X | 10X | 10X | 0 |
| 4X+1 | x times A, C, B, D +A | 6X+2 | 6X+2 | 10X+2 | 10X+3 | 0 |
| 4X+2 | x times A, C, B, D +A+C | 6X+3 | 6X+4 | 10X+5 | 10X+5 | 0 |
| 4X+3* | x times A, C, B, D +A+C+B | 6x+6 | 6x+4 | 10x+8 | 10x+7 | 1 |

The table 1 explains the construction of G from using different types (A, B, C, D) of labels and resultant vertex and edge distribution. Note that * in the first column indicate that for that value of k the graph is not E-cordial. The note made by Yilmaz and Cahit is also observed here, that for number of vertices congruent to 2(mod 4), the graph is not E- cordial.

3.3 Theorem: (K_{1,n}; K_{1,n}) is E-cordial.

Proof: Refer the diagram.

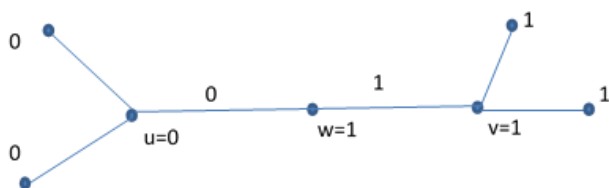


Fig 3: (K_{1,3}; K_{1,3}) is E-cordial

Label all the pendent vertices incident with u as 1 and that at v as 0. edge (uw) is labeled as 0 and edge (wv) as 1.

The label numbers are given by:

for n is even

$$v_r(0)=n+1 \quad v_r(1)= n \text{ on vertices.}$$

$$e_r(0)=n = e_r(1) \text{ on edges.}$$

For n is odd,

$$v_r(0)= n, \quad v_r(1)= n+1 \text{ on vertices.}$$

$$e_r(0)=n = e_r(1) \text{ on edges. Thus G is E-cordial.}$$

3.4. Theorem: All three structures of G = (FL (C₃))^(k) i.e. One point union of k- copies of FL(C₃) is E-cordial except for 3k≡1(mod 4)

Proof: There can be three distinct points on FL(C₃) which are used in three cases to obtain one point union. These points on FL(C₃) are i) pendent vertex ii) degree 2 vertex iii) degree 3 vertex. We discuss three cases separately.

Case 1: The common point is pendent vertex u.

The union point is taken on pendent vertex of $FL(C_3)$. The i^{th} copy of $FL(C_3)$ is defined as $(u_i e_{i1} u_{i2} e_{i2} u_{i3} e_{i3} u_{i4} e_{i4} u_{i2})$ $i = 1, 2,$

k . We use two type of labeling namely type A and Type B to design G . Fig. 4 gives details.

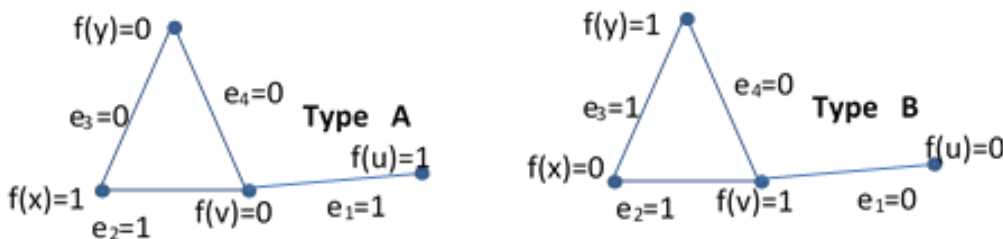


Fig 4: Labeled copy of Type A and Type B. These are building blocks of $G =$

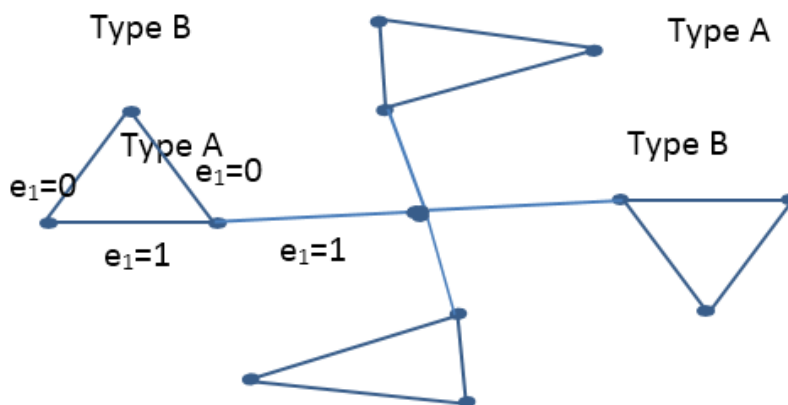


Fig 5: Pendent vertex is joined to obtain the structure

The copies of $FL(C_3)$ in G are numbered as 1, 2, k . To obtain a labeled copy of G we start with (for $k=1$) Type A followed by Type B (For $k =2$). For $K=3$ we use Type A two times and type B one time. For $k=4$ we use three times Type

A and one time Type B. After $k=4$ for every k^{th} copy is labeled depending on $k \equiv 1, 2 \pmod{4}$ Type B is used and for $k \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{4}$ we use Type A label.

Table 2: Type 1 structure. Note that * in the first column indicate that for that value of k the graph is not E-cordial.

| k | Type of label | $f(u)$. It is label of common vertex | $v_f(0)$ | $v_f(1)$ | $e_f(0)=e_f(1)$ |
|-----|---------------|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------|
| 1 | A | 1 | 2 | 2 | $2k$ |
| 2 | A+B | 1 | 3 | 4 | $2k$ |
| 3* | A+B+A | 0 | 6 | 4 | $2k$ |
| 4 | A+B+A+B | 1 | 7 | 6 | $2k$ |

The Edge distribution is always $e_f(0)=2k=e_f(1)$ for every k .

The vertex distribution we have, (for $k>4$)

For $k \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ we have $v_f(0)= 3k/2+1, v_f(1)=v_f(0)-1$

For $k \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ $v_f(0)=(3k+1)/2; v_f(1)=v_f(0)$

For $k \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ $v_f(0)=3k/2; v_f(1)=v_f(0)+1$

For $k \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ $v_f(0)=(3k+3)/2; v_f(1)=v_f(0)-2$

Thus except for $k \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ we have G is E- cordial.

This is equivalent to observation if $n \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ the graph is not E-cordial. Where n is number of vertices on graph and is given by $3k+1$.

Case 2: The one point union is taken at point v whose label in Type A is 0 and that in type B is 1. These are opposite to label of pendent vertex in respective type. Therefore we Label the graph Starting with B insted of type A. Use Type A insted of type B and conversely. Everything else remains the same. Thus the structure is different from case 1 but graph is invariant under E-cordiality.

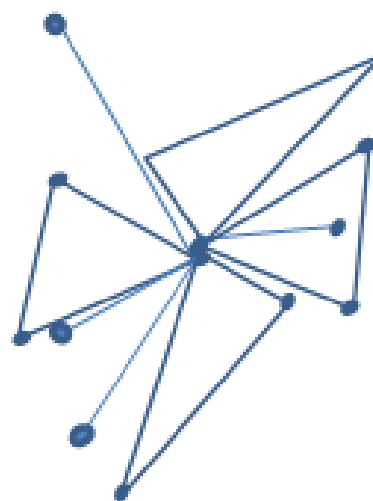


Fig 6: Case 2 G -unlabeled structure- not isomorphic to G in case 1. But E-cordial.

Case 3: We use 2-degree vertex as common point in G. In type A and Type B we use vertex x as a common point in forming G. Since $f(x)$ and $f(u)$ are same in both types we follow the labeling scheme as given in table 2 above. Rest of

the results are same. The structure is not isomorphic to that in case 1 or case 2. But it is E-cordial. Thus $G = (FL(C_3))^k$ i.e. One point union of k-copies of $FL(C_3)$ is E-cordial though it has 3 different structures as explained in figures. (except for $3k \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$)

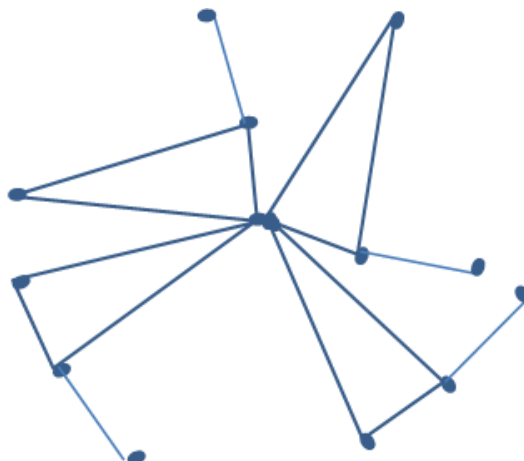


Fig 7: Case 3 G-unlabeled structure- not isomorphic to G in case 1 and case 2. But E-cordial.

4.5. Theorem: $G = (FL(C_4))^k$ i.e. One point union of k-copies of $FL(C_4)$ is E-cordial.

Proof: The union point is taken on pendent vertex of $FL(C_4)$. The i^{th} copy of $FL(C_4)$ is defined as $(u, e_{i1}u_{i2}, e_{i2}u_{i3}, e_{i3}u_{i4}, e_{i4}u_{i5})$

$e_{i5}u_{i2}$; $i = 1, 2, k$. We use two type of labeling namely type A and Type B to design G. Fig 3 gives details. The pendent vertex u is the common vertex of all copies of $FL(C_4)$ in $G = (FL(C_4))^k$.

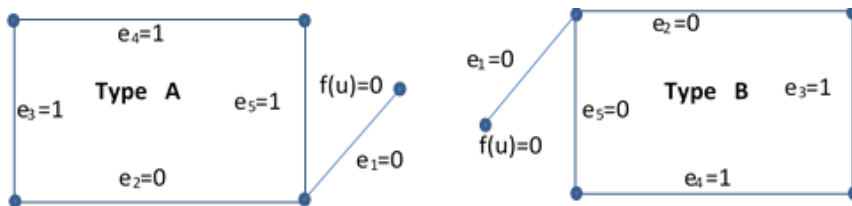


Fig 8: Type A and type B with Labels. Note in both types, vertex distribution is same. But edge distribution is different.

The copies of $FL(C_4)$ in $(FL(C_4))^k$ are numbered as 1, 2, k. The copies with number 1, 3, 5, are labeled with Type A label and the other copies with number 2, 4, 6, are labeled with Type B. The number distribution is $v_i(0) = 2k + 1$ and $v_i(1) = 2k$ for given k.

$e_i(0) = e_i(1) = 5x$ for $k = 2x$ and for $k = 2x - 1$ $e_i(0) = 5x + 3$, $e_i(1) = 5x + 2$. The labeling is E-cordial.

5. Conclusions

There are different structures possible on $(FL(C_3))^k$. We have shown all possible 3 structures and have obtained their E-cordial labeling. Thus the $(FL(C_3))^k$ is invariant under E-cordial labeling. We are sure that the same thing will be followed for $(FL(C_n))^k$ for given n. This will attract future attention.

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