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Φ-GRACEFUL LABELING OF SOME GRAPHS

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ABSTRACT

Let G be a graph .The Φ -graceful labeling of a graph G(V,E) with p vertices and q edges is a injective a function $f:V(G) \to \{0,1,2,...,n-1\}$ such that the induced function $f^*:E(G) \to N$ is given by $f^*(u,v)=2\{f(u)+f(v)\}$, the resulting edge labels are distinct. In this paper we prove result Φ -graceful labeling of Thorn ring graph, Cycle (C_n) with twin chords.

Key Words: Thorn ring graph, Cycle (C_n) with twin chords.

1. INTRODUCTION

we begin with all graphs are finite, simple and undirected graphs. Let G = (V, E) be a graph with vertex set V and edge set E the terminology and notations we follow Harry(2) Graph labeling has wide range of application in radar, communication network (design), x-ray crystallography etc. The definition and other information which are used for the present investigation are given.

2. DEFINITIONS

Definition 2.1: Φ -Graceful graph: A graph G(V, E) with p vertices and q edges is a injective a function $f: V(G) \to \{0,1,2...,n-1\}$ such that the induced function $f^*: E(G) \to N$ is given by $f^*(u,v) = 2\{f(u) + f(v)\}$ Detailed survey on graph labeling is given and up dated by Gallian (1)

3. RESULTS

Theorem 3.1: Every odd cycle graph (C_n) with twin chords is a Φ – graceful graph if $n \ge 7$.

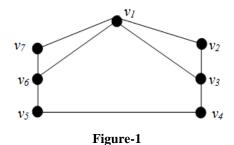
Proof: Let G be a cycle graph (C_n) with twin chords. Let $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, ..., v_n\}$ be the vertex set and $\{e_1, e_2, e_3, ..., e_n\}$ be the edge set .Consider $\{e_n\}$ and $\{e_{n-1}\}$ be the chords of the cycle (C_n)

Now we define vertex labeling function as $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0,1,2...,n-1\}$ such that $f(v_1) = 0$

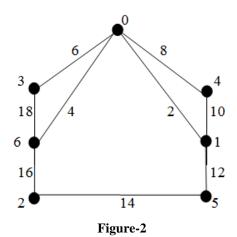
$$f(v_{3+2i}) = 1 + i \text{ where } i = 0,1,2,..., \left\lfloor \frac{n-2}{2} \right\rfloor$$
$$f(v_{2+2i}) = \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right) + i \text{ where } i = 0,1,2,..., \left\lfloor \frac{n-2}{2} \right\rfloor$$

Where n is the total number of vertices in G

Continue the labeling until all vertices are labeled as shown in fig (1). Next the edge labeling function is defined as $f^*: E(G) \to N$ is given by $f^*(u,v) = 2\{f(u) + f(v)\}$ we get the edge labels are distinct. Thus f is Φ – graceful of G. Hence cycle (C_n) with twin chords are Φ – graceful graphs



llustration: Φ - Graceful labeling of the graph cycle (C_n) with twin chords is shown in fig.2



Theorem 3.2: Every odd thorn ring graph is a Φ – graceful graph if $n \ge 3$.

Proof: Let G be a odd thorn ring graph. Let $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, ..., v_n\}$ be the vertex set and $\{e_1, e_2, e_3, ..., e_m\}$ be the edge set. Then |V(G)| = n and |E(G)| = m

Now label the vertices of a thorn ring define by function as

$$f: V(G) \to \{0,1,2..., n-1\}$$
 Such that

 $f(v_1) = 1$

 $f(v_2) = 0$

 $f(v_{3+2i}) = 2 + i$ where i = 0,1,2,...,n-2

Where n is the total number of vertices in G.

Continue the labeling until all vertices are labeled. Next the edge labeling function is defined as $f^*: E(G) \to N$ is given by $f^*(u,v)=2\{f(u)+f(v)\}$ we get the edge labels are distinct. Thus f is Φ – graceful of G. Hence cycle (C_n) with twin chords are Φ – graceful graph.

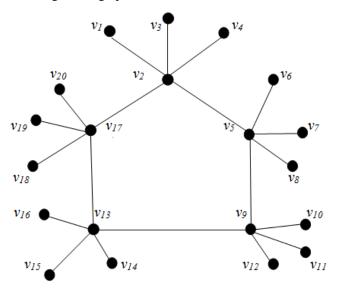


Figure-3

Illustration: Φ- Graceful labeling of the odd thorn ring graph is shown in fig.4

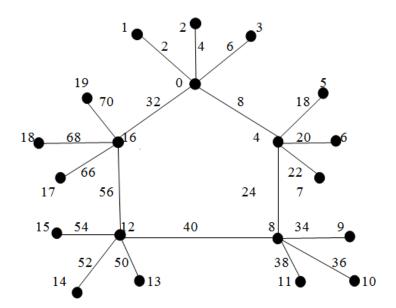


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CONCLUSION

In this paper we have shown that Thorn ring graph, Cycle (C_n) with twin chords. are Φ – graceful graph, are investigated it can also verified for some graphs.

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