

Some Graphs on 3-Modulo Difference Cordial Labelling

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Abstract- Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph with p vertices and q edges. G is said to have 3 – modulo difference cordial labeling if there is a injective map $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3p\}$ such that for every edge uv , the induced labeling f^* is defined as $f^*(uv) = 1$ if $|f(u) - f(v)| \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ and 0 elsewhere with the condition that $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$, where $e_f(0)$ is the number of edges with label 0 and $e_f(1)$ is the number of edges with label 1. If G admits 3-modulo difference cordial labeling then G is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph. In this paper, we proved that the graphs $Path(P_n), Comb(P_n^+), Cycle(C_n), C_n^+$ are 3-modulo difference cordial graphs.

Keywords- 3-modulo difference cordial graph, 3-modulo difference cordial labeling

I. INTRODUCTION

A graph G is a finite nonempty set of objects called vertices together with a set of unordered pairs of distinct vertices of G called edges. Each pair $e = \{u, v\}$ of vertices in E is called edges or a line of G . In this paper, we proved that the graphs $Path(P_n), Comb(P_n^+), Cycle(C_n), C_n^+$ are 3-modulo difference cordial graphs. For graph theoretic terminology we follow [2].

II. PRELIMINARIES

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph with p vertices and q edges. G is said to have 3 – modulo difference cordial labeling if there is a injective map $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3p\}$ such that for every edge uv , the induced labeling f^* is defined as $f^*(uv) = 1$ if $|f(u) - f(v)| \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ and 0 elsewhere with the condition that $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$, where $e_f(0)$

is the number of edges with label 0 and $e_f(1)$ is the number of edges with label 1. If G admits 3-modulo difference cordial labeling then G is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph. In this paper, we proved that the graphs $Path(P_n), Comb(P_n^+), Cycle(C_n), C_n^+$ are 3-modulo difference cordial graphs.

DEFINITION 2.1:

Path is a graph whose vertices can be listed in the order $(u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n)$ such that the edges are $\{u_i, u_{i+1}\}$ where $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n - 1$.

DEFINITION 2.2:

P_n^+ is a graph obtained from path of length n by attaching a pendant vertex from each vertex of the path.

DEFINITION 2.3:

A closed path is called a cycle and a cycle of length n is denoted by C_n .

DEFINITION 2.4:

C_n^+ is a graph obtained from cycle of length n by attaching a pendant vertex from each vertex of the cycle

III. MAIN RESULT

Theorem 3.1:

$Path(P_n)$ is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

Proof:

Let G be a graph

When n is odd, $n = 2k + 1$ and when n is even, $n = 2k$.

Let $V(G) = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n\}$

$E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\}$

Then $|V(G)| = n$ and

$|E(G)| = n - 1$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3n\}$

Case (i): n is even

Subcase (i): k is not a multiple of 3.

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$

It is observed as

$e_f(0) = k$
 $e_f(1) = k - 1$

Subcase (ii): k is a multiple of 3.

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

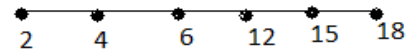
For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$

$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$

It is observed as

$e_f(0) = k - 1$
 $e_f(1) = k$



P_6



P_8

Case (ii): n is odd

Subcase (i): k is not a multiple of 3

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$
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 $f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$

It is observed as

$e_f(0) = k$
 $e_f(1) = k$

Subcase (ii): k is a multiple of 3

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3ik + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f(u_n) = 3n - 1$$

The induced edge labels are,

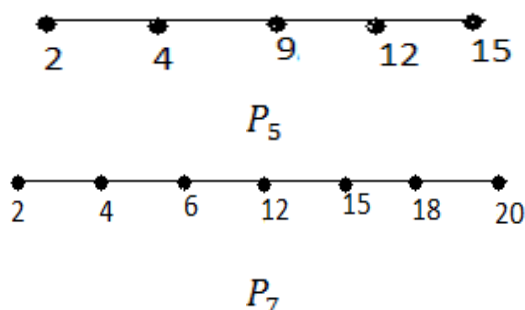
For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 2$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_{n-1} u_n) = 2$

It is observed as

$$e_f(0) = k$$

$$e_f(1) = k$$



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

Then f is a 3 - modulo difference cordial labeling.

Hence P_n is a 3 - modulo difference cordial graph.

Theorem 3.2:

Comb $(P_n^+ \text{ or } P_n \odot K_1)$ is a 3-modulo differene cordial graph.

Proof:

Let G be a graph

When n is odd , $n = 2k + 1$ and when n is even , $n = 2k$.

Let $V(G) = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n, v_1, v_2, v_3 \dots v_n\}$

$$E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\} \cup \{u_i v_i / 1 \leq i \leq n\}$$

Then $|V(G)| = 2n$ and
 $|E(G)| = 2n - 1$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 6n\}$

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = 3i, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(v_i) = 3i - 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The induced edge labels are,

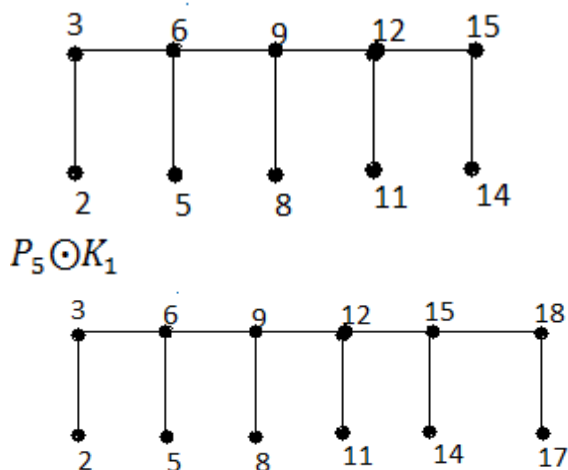
For $1 \leq i \leq n - 1$,
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$

For $1 \leq i \leq n$,
 $f^*(u_i v_i) = 1$

It is observed that

$$e_f(0) = n$$

$$e_f(1) = n - 1$$



$P_6 \odot K_1$
 Clearly $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Then f is a 3 - modulo differene cordial labeling

Hence P_n^+ is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

Theorem 3.3:

Cycle C_n is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

Proof:

Let G be a graph

When n is odd , $n = 2k + 1$ and when n is even , $n = 2k$.

$$V(G) = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n\}$$

$$E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\} \cup \{u_n u_1\}$$

Then $|V(G)| = n$ and $|E(G)| = n$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3n\}$

Case (i): n is odd

Subcase (i): k is a multiple of 3.

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$
 $f^*(u_n u_1) = 3n - 2 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$

It is observed as

$$e_f(0) = k$$

$$e_f(1) = k + 1$$

Subcase (ii): k is not a multiple of 3.

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$
 $f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$

$$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

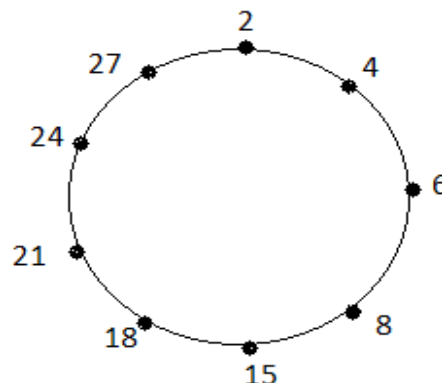
$$f^*(u_k u_{k+1}) = k + 3 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

$$f^*(u_n u_1) = 3n - 2 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$$

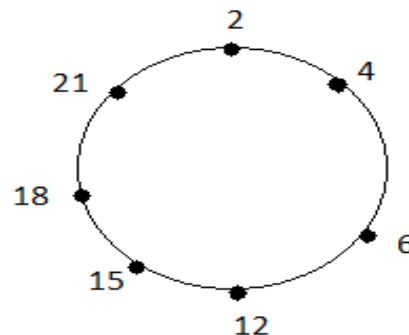
It is observed as

$$e_f(0) = k + 1$$

$$e_f(1) = k$$



C_9



C_7

Case (ii): n is even

Subcase (i): k is not a multiple of 3

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 2 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f(u_1) = 1$$

$$f(u_n) = 3i + 1$$

The induced edge labels are,

$$f^*(u_1u_2) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

For $2 \leq i \leq k - 1$

$$f^*(u_iu_{i+1}) = 2$$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 2$

$$f^*(u_iu_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

$$f^*(u_ku_{k+1}) = k + 3 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

$$f^*(u_{n-1}u_n) = 4 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$$

$$f^*(u_nu_1) = 3n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

It is observed as

$$e_f(0) = k$$

$$e_f(1) = k$$

Subcase (ii): k is a multiple of 3

The vertex labels are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2i & 1 \leq i \leq k \\ 3i & k + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labels are,

For $1 \leq i \leq k - 1$

$$f^*(u_iu_{i+1}) = 2$$

For $k + 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$

$$f^*(u_iu_{i+1}) = 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

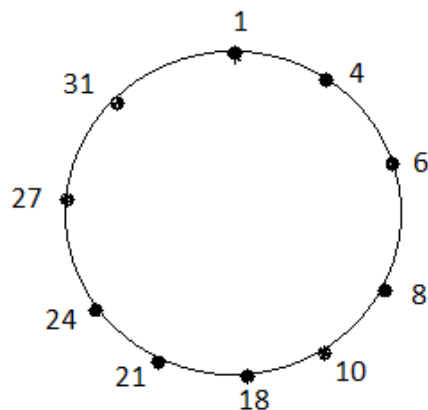
$$f^*(u_ku_{k+1}) = k + 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

$$f^*(u_nu_1) = 6k - 2 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$$

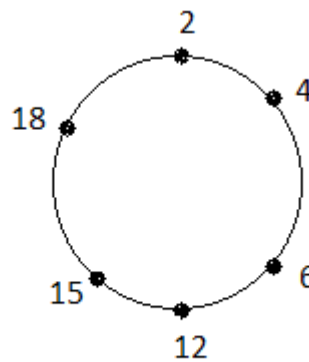
It is observed as

$$e_f(0) = k$$

$$e_f(1) = k$$



C_{10}



C_6

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

Then f is a 3-modulo difference cordial labeling.

Hence C_n is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

Theorem 3.4:

C_n^+ is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

Proof:

Let G be a graph

When n is odd, $n = 2k + 1$ and when n is even, $n = 2k$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } V(G) &= \{ u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n, v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n \} \\ E(G) &= \{ u_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \} \cup \{ u_i v_i / 1 \leq i \leq n \} \cup \{ u_n u_1 \} \end{aligned}$$

Then $|V(G)| = 2n$ and $|E(G)| = 2n$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 6n\}$

The vertex labels are,

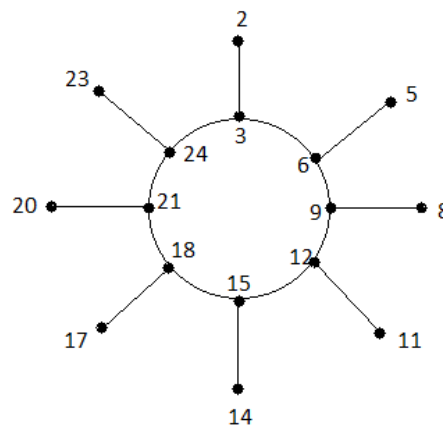
$$\begin{aligned} f(u_i) &= 3i, & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v_i) &= 3i - 1, & 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

The induced edge labels are,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } 1 \leq i \leq n - 1, \\ f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) &= 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3} \\ f^*(u_n u_1) &= n - 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{3} \\ \text{For } 1 \leq i \leq n, \\ f^*(u_i v_i) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

It is observed that

$$\begin{aligned} e_f(0) &= n \\ e_f(1) &= n \end{aligned}$$



C_8^+

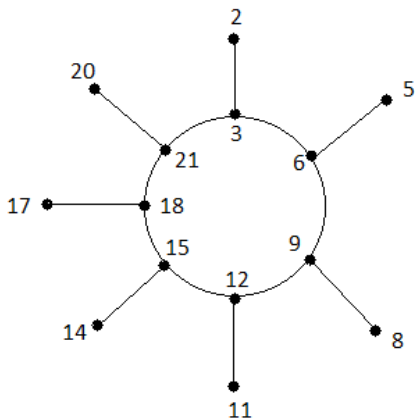
Clearly $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Then f is a 3-modulo difference cordial labeling

Hence C_n^+ is a 3-modulo difference cordial graph.

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C_7^+