

Sum divisor cordial labeling for star and ladder related graphs

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Abstract

A sum divisor cordial labeling of a graph G with vertex set V is a bijection f from V to $\{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$ such that an edge uv is assigned the label 1 if 2 divides $f(u) + f(v)$ and 0 otherwise; and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by at most 1. A graph with a sum divisor cordial labeling is called a sum divisor cordial graph. In this paper, we prove that $D_2(K_{1,n})$, $S'(K_{1,n})$, $D_2(B_{n,n})$, $DS(B_{n,n})$, $S'(B_{n,n})$, $S(B_{n,n})$, $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$, $S(L_n)$, $L_n \odot K_1$, SL_n , TL_n , $TL_n \odot K_1$ and CH_n are sum divisor cordial graphs.

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1. Introduction

All graphs considered here are simple, finite, connected and undirected. For all other standard terminology and notations we follow Harary [2]. A labeling of a graph is a map that carries the graph elements to the set of numbers, usually to the set of non-negative or positive integers. If the domain is the set of vertices the labeling is called vertex labeling. If the domain is the set of edges then the labeling is called edge labeling. If the labels are assigned to both vertices and edges then the labeling is called total labeling. For all detailed survey of graph labeling we refer Gallian [1]. A. Lourdasamy and F. Patrick introduced the concept of sum divisor cordial labeling in [3]. In [3, 4], sum divisor cordial labeling behaviour of several graphs like path, complete bipartite graph, bistar and some standard graphs have been investigated. In this paper, we investigate the sum divisor cordial labeling behavior of $D_2(K_{1,n})$, $S'(K_{1,n})$, $D_2(B_{n,n})$, $DS(B_{n,n})$, $S'(B_{n,n})$, $S(B_{n,n})$, $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$, $S(L_n)$, $L_n \odot K_1$, SL_n , TL_n , $TL_n \odot K_1$ and CH_n .

Definition 1.1. Let $G = (V(G), E(G))$ be a simple graph and $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$ be a bijection. For each edge uv , assign the label 1 if $2|(f(u) + f(v))$ and the label 0 otherwise. The function f is called a sum divisor cordial labeling if $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$. A graph which admits a sum divisor cordial labeling is called a sum divisor cordial graph.

Definition 1.2. [9] For every vertex $v \in V(G)$, the open neighbourhood set $N(v)$ is the set of all vertices adjacent to v in G .

Definition 1.3. [8] For a graph G the splitting graph $S'(G)$ of a graph G is obtained by adding a new vertex v' corresponding to each vertex v of G such that $N(v) = N(v')$.

Definition 1.4. [8] The shadow graph $D_2(G)$ of a connected graph G is obtained by taking two copies of G , say G' and G'' . Join each vertex u' in G' to the neighbours of corresponding vertex u'' in G'' .

Definition 1.5. [8] Duplication of a vertex v_k by a new edge $e = v'_k v''_k$ in a graph G produces a new graph G' such that $N(v'_k) \cap N(v''_k) = v_k$.

Definition 1.6. [8] Let G be the a graph with $V = S_1 \cup S_2 \cup S_3 \cup \dots \cup S_i \cup T$ where each S_i is a set of vertices having at least two vertices of the same degree and $T = V(G) \setminus \cup_{i=1}^t S_i$. The degree splitting graph of G denoted by $DS(G)$ is obtained from G by adding vertices w_1, w_2, \dots, w_t and joining to each vertex of S_i for $1 \leq i \leq t$.

Definition 1.7. [6] The subdivision graph $S(G)$ is obtained from G by subdividing each edge of G with a vertex.

Definition 1.8. [7] Consider two copies of graph G (wheel, star, fan and friendship) namely G_1 and G_2 . Then the graph $G' = \langle G_1 \Delta G_2 \rangle$ is the graph obtained by joining the apex vertices of G_1 and G_2 by an edge as well as to a new vertex v' .

Definition 1.9. [6] The slanting ladder SL_n is a graph obtained from two paths u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n by joining each u_i with v_{i+1} for $(1 \leq i \leq n - 1)$.

Definition 1.10. [5] The triangular ladder TL_n is a graph obtained from L_n by adding the edges $u_i v_{i+1}, 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$, where u_i and $v_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$ are the vertices of L_n such that u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n are two paths of length n in the graph L_n .

Definition 1.11. [6] The corona $G_1 \odot G_2$ of two graphs $G_1(p_1, q_1)$ and $G_2(p_2, q_2)$ is defined as the graph obtained by taking one copy of G_1 and p_1 copies of G_2 and joining the i^{th} vertex of G_1 with an edge to every vertex in the i^{th} copy of G_2 .

Definition 1.12. [7] The closed helm CH_n is the graph obtained from helm H_n by joining each pendant vertex to form a cycle.

2. Main results

Theorem 2.1. The graph $S'(K_{1,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the pendant vertices and v be the apex vertex of $K_{1,n}$ and u, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n are added vertices corresponding to v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n to obtain $S'(K_{1,n})$. Let $G = S'(K_{1,n})$. Then, G is of order $2n + 2$ and size $3n$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n + 2\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(u) &= 1; \\
 f(v) &= 2; \\
 f(v_i) &= \{ 2i + 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &2i + 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f(u_i) &= \{ 2i + 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &2i + 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$f^*(vu_i) = \{ 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}$$

0 if i is even

$$f^*(vv_i) = \{ 0 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}$$

1 if i is even

$$f^*(uv_i) = \{ 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd}$$

0 if i is even

We observe that, $e_f(0) = \lfloor \frac{3n}{2} \rfloor$ and $e_f(1) = \lceil \frac{3n}{2} \rceil$.

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

Hence, $S'(K_{1,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.2. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $S'(K_{1,5})$ is shown in Figure 2.1

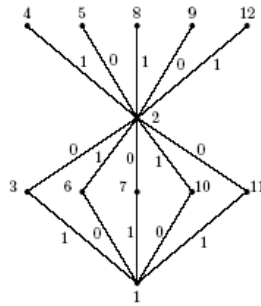


Figure 2.1

Theorem 2.3. The graph $D_2(K_{1,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let u, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the vertices of two copies of $K_{1,n}$. Let $G = D_2(K_{1,n})$. Then

$V(G) = \{u, v, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ and $E(G) = \{uu_i, vv_i, uv_i, vu_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Also, G is of order $2n + 2$ and size $4n$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n + 2\}$ as follows:

$$f(u) = 1;$$

$$f(v) = 2;$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 f(u_i) = \{ 2i + 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 2i + 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f(v_i) = \{ 2i + 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 2i + 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 \text{Then, the induced edge labels are} \\
 f^*(uu_i) = \{ 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(vu_i) = \{ 0 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(vv_i) = \{ 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(uv_i) = \{ 0 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}
 \end{array}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 2n$ and $e_f(1) = 2n$.

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

Hence, $D_2(K_{1,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.4. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $D_2(K_{1,4})$ is shown in Figure 2.2

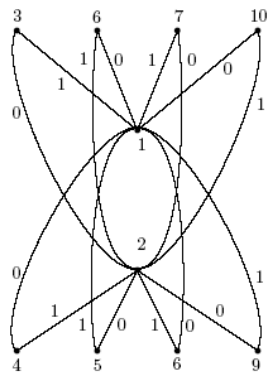


Figure 2.2

Theorem 2.5. The graph $S'(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $u, v, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$ be the vertices of $B_{n,n}$. Let u', v', u'_i, v'_i are added vertices corresponding to u, v, u_i, v_i to obtain $S'(B_{n,n})$. Let $G = S'(B_{n,n})$. Then, G is of order $4n + 4$ and size $6n + 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 4n + 4\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u) &= 1; \\ f(v) &= 3; \\ f(u') &= 2; \\ f(v') &= 4; \\ f(u_i) &= 4i + 2; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(u'_i) &= 4i + 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v_i) &= 4i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v'_i) &= 4i + 4; 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(uv) &= 1; \\ f^*(uv') &= 0; \\ f^*(vu') &= 0; \\ f^*(u'u_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(uu_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(u'u'_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(v'v_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(vv_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(vv'_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 3n + 2$ and $e_f(1) = 3n + 1$.

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

Hence, $S'(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.6. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $S'(B_{5,5})$ is shown in Figure 2.3

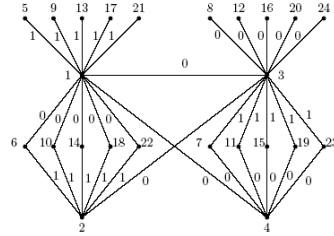


Figure 2.3

Theorem 2.7. *The graph $D_2(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.*

Proof. Let $u, v, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$ be the vertices of $B_{n,n}$. Let $G = D_2(B_{n,n})$. Then $V(G) = \{u, v, u', v'\} \cup \{u_i, v_i, u'_i, v'_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{uv, u'v, uv', u'v'\} \cup \{uu_i, uu'_i, u'u_i, u'u'_i, vv_i, vv'_i, v'v_i, v'v'_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Also, G is of order $4n + 4$ and size $8n + 4$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 4n + 4\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u) &= 1; \\ f(v) &= 3; \\ f(u') &= 2; \\ f(v') &= 4; \\ f(u_i) &= 4i + 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(u'_i) &= 4i + 2; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v_i) &= 4i + 4; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v'_i) &= 4i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(uv) &= 1; \\ f^*(u'v) &= 0; \\ f^*(vu') &= 0; \\ f^*(v'u') &= 1; \\ f^*(uu_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(u'u_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*(u'u'_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f^*(uu'_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(vv_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(v'v_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(v'v'_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(vv'_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n
 \end{aligned}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 4n + 2$ and $e_f(1) = 4n + 2$.

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

Hence, $D_2(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.8. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $D_2(B_{4,4})$ is shown in Figure 2.4

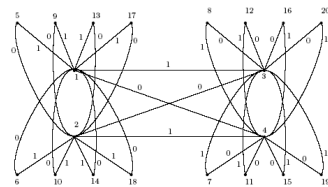


Figure 2.4

Theorem 2.9. The graph $DS(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $G = DS(B_{n,n})$. Let $V(G) = \{u, v, w_1, w_2\} \cup \{u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{uv, uw_2, vw_2\} \cup \{uu_i, vv_i, u_iw_1, v_iw_1 : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Then, G is of order $2n + 4$ and size $4n + 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n + 4\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(u) &= 4; \\
 f(v) &= 2; \\
 f(w_1) &= 1; \\
 f(w_2) &= 3; \\
 f(u_i) &= 2i + 4; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f(v_i) &= 2i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq n
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned}
 f^*(uv) &= 1; \\
 f^*(uw_2) &= 0; \\
 f^*(vw_2) &= 0; \\
 f^*(uu_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(u_iw_1) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(vv_i) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f^*(v_iw_1) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n
 \end{aligned}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 2n + 2$ and $e_f(1) = 2n + 1$.

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

Hence, $DS(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.10. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $DS(B_{3,3})$ is shown in Figure 2.5

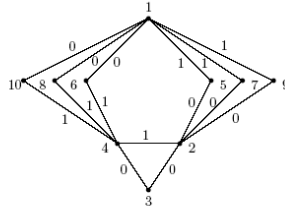


Figure 2.5

Theorem 2.11. The graph $S(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $G = S(B_{n,n})$. Let $V(G) = \{u, v, w\} \cup \{u_i, v_i, u'_i, v'_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{uw, vw\} \cup \{uu'_i, u'_iu_i, vv'_i, v'_iv_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Then, G is of order $4n + 3$ and size $4n + 2$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 4n + 3\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(u) &= 1; \\
 f(v) &= 2; \\
 f(w) &= 3; \\
 f(u_i) &= 4i; 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 f(u'_i) &= 4i + 1; 1 \leq i \leq n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(v_i) = 4i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(v'_i) = 4i + 2; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$f^*(uw) = 1;$$

$$f^*(wv) = 0;$$

$$f^*(uu'_i) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(u'_i u_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(vv'_i) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v'_i v_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 2n + 1$ and $e_f(1) = 2n + 1$.

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

Hence, $S(B_{n,n})$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.12. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $S(B_{3,3})$ is shown in Figure 2.6

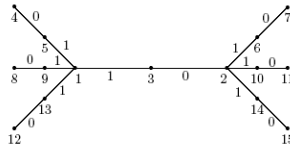


Figure 2.6

Theorem 2.13. The graph $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $v_1^{(1)}, v_2^{(1)}, \dots, v_n^{(1)}$ be the pendant vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $v_1^{(2)}, v_2^{(2)}, \dots, v_n^{(2)}$ be the pendant vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$. Let u and v be the apex vertices of $K_{1,n}^{(1)}$ and $K_{1,n}^{(2)}$ respectively and u, v are adjacent to a new common vertex x . Let $G = \langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$. Then, G is of order $2n + 3$ and size $2n + 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n + 3\}$ as follows:

$$f(x) = 2;$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(u) &= 1; \\
 f(v) &= 3; \\
 f(u_{2i-1}) &= 4i; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\
 f(u_{2i}) &= 4i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\
 f(v_{2i-1}) &= 4i + 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\
 f(v_{2i}) &= 4i + 2; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned}
 f^*(ux) &= 0; \\
 f^*(vx) &= 0; \\
 f^*(uv) &= 1; \\
 f^*(uu_{2i-1}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\
 f^*(uu_{2i}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\
 f^*(vv_{2i-1}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\
 f^*(vv_{2i}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor
 \end{aligned}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = n + 2$ and $e_f(1) = n + 1$.

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

Hence, $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.14. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $\langle K_{1,5}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,5}^{(2)} \rangle$ is shown in Figure 2.7

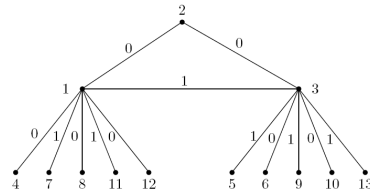


Figure 2.7

Theorem 2.15. The graph $L_n \odot K_1$ is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the vertices of L_n . Let x_i be the vertex which is attached to u_i and y_i be the vertex which is attached

to v_i . Let $G = L_n \odot K_1$. Then, G is of order $4n$ and size $5n - 2$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 4n\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{2i-1}) &= 8i - 5; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f(u_{2i}) &= 8i - 3; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\ f(x_{2i-1}) &= 8i - 7; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f(x_{2i}) &= 8i - 2; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\ f(v_{2i-1}) &= 8i - 6; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f(v_{2i}) &= 8i - 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\ f(y_{2i-1}) &= 8i - 4; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f(y_{2i}) &= 8i; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(u_{2i-1}x_{2i-1}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f^*(u_{2i}x_{2i}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\ f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(u_{2i-1}v_{2i-1}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f^*(u_{2i}v_{2i}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \\ f^*(v_{2i-1}y_{2i-1}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil \\ f^*(v_{2i}y_{2i}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \end{aligned}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = \lfloor \frac{5n-2}{2} \rfloor$ and $e_f(1) = \lceil \frac{5n-2}{2} \rceil$.

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

Hence, $L_n \odot K_1$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.16. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $L_6 \odot K_1$ is shown in Figure 2.8

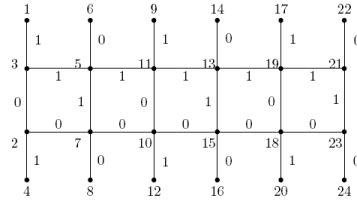


Figure 2.8

Theorem 2.17. *The graph $S(L_n)$ is sum divisor cordial graph.*

Proof. Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the vertices of L_n . Let v'_i be the newly added vertex between v_i and v_{i+1} . Let u'_i be the newly added vertex between u_i and u_{i+1} . Let w_i be the newly added vertex between v_i and u_i . Let $G = S(L_n)$. Then, G is of order $5n - 2$ and size $6n - 4$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 5n - 2\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_1) &= 1; \\ f(v_{i+1}) &= 5i; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f(u_1) &= 2; \\ f(u_{i+1}) &= 5i + 3; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f(w_1) &= 3; \\ f(w_{i+1}) &= 5i + 2; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f(v'_i) &= 5i - 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f(u'_i) &= 5i + 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned} f^*(v_1 v'_1) &= 0; \\ f^*(v_i v_i) &= 1; 2 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(v'_i v_{i+1}) &= 0; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(u_1 u'_1) &= 1; \\ f^*(u_i u'_i) &= 0; 2 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(u'_i u_{i+1}) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1 \\ f^*(v_i w_i) &= 1; 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

$$f^*(u_i w_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 3n - 2$ and $e_f(1) = 3n - 2$.

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

Hence, $S(L_n)$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.18. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $S(L_5)$ is shown in Figure 2.9

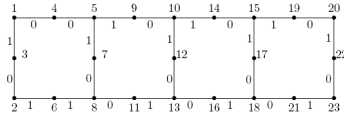


Figure 2.9

Theorem 2.19. The slanting ladder SL_n is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $G = SL_n$. Let $V(G) = \{u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{v_i v_{i+1}, u_i u_{i+1}, u_i v_{i+1} : 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\}$. Then, G is of order $2n$ and size $3n - 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$ as follows:

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

$$2i - 1 \text{ if } i \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4}$$

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

$$2i \text{ if } i \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ 1 & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ 1 & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}$$

$$f^*(u_i v_{i+1}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ 0 & \text{if } i \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = \lceil \frac{3n-3}{2} \rceil$ and $e_f(1) = \lfloor \frac{3n-3}{2} \rfloor$.

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

Hence, SL_n is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.20. A sum divisor cordial labeling of SL_5 is shown in Figure 2.10

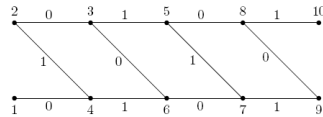


Figure 2.10

Theorem 2.21. The triangular ladder TL_n is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $G = TL_n$. Let $V(G) = \{u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, v_i v_{i+1}, u_i v_{i+1} : 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\} \cup \{u_i v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Then, G is of order $2n$ and size $4n - 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$ as follows:

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

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

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f^*(u_i v_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f^*(u_i v_{i+1}) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 2n - 1$ and $e_f(1) = 2n - 2$.

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

Hence, TL_n is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.22. A sum divisor cordial labeling of TL_5 is shown in Figure 2.11

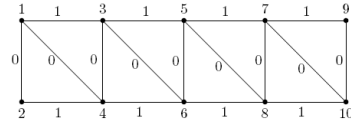


Figure 2.11

Theorem 2.23. *The graph $TL_n \odot K_1$ is sum divisor cordial graph.*

Proof. Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the vertices of TL_n . Let $G = TL_n \odot K_1$. Then $V(G) = \{u_i, v_i, x_i, y_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, v_i v_{i+1}, u_i v_{i+1} : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{u_i x_i, v_i y_i, u_i v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$. Then, G is of order $4n$ and size $6n - 3$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 4n\}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(u_i) &= \{4i - 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &4i - 3 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f(x_i) &= \{4i - 3 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &4i - 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f(v_i) &= \{4i - 2 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &4i - 1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f(y_i) &= 4i; 1 \leq i \leq n
 \end{aligned}$$

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$\begin{aligned}
 f^*(u_i x_i) &= \{1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(v_i y_i) &= \{1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(u_i v_i) &= \{0 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &1 \text{ if } i \text{ is even} \\
 f^*(u_i v_{i+1}) &= \{1 \text{ if } i \text{ is odd} \\
 &0 \text{ if } i \text{ is even}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 3n - 2$ and $e_f(1) = 3n - 1$.
 Thus, $|e_f(1) - e_f(0)| \leq 1$.
 Hence, $TL_n \odot K_1$ is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.24. A sum divisor cordial labeling of $TL_6 \odot K_1$ is shown in Figure 2.12

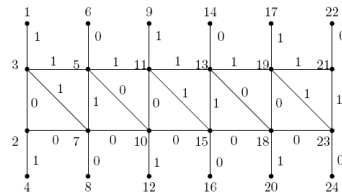


Figure 2.12

Theorem 2.25. The closed helm graph CH_n is sum divisor cordial graph.

Proof. Let $G = CH_n$. Let $V(G) = \{v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$ and $E(G) = \{vv_i, u_i v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{v_i v_{i+1}, u_i u_{i+1} : 1 \leq i \leq n - 1\} \cup \{v_1 v_n, u_1 u_n\}$. Then, G is of order $2n + 1$ and size $4n$. Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n + 1\}$ as follows:

$$f(v) = 1;$$

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

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

Then, the induced edge labels are

$$f^*(vv_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f^*(v_1 v_n) = 1;$$

$$f^*(u_i v_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(u_i u_{i+1}) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq n - 1$$

$$f^*(u_1 u_n) = 1;$$

We observe that, $e_f(0) = 2n$ and $e_f(1) = 2n$.

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

Hence, CH_n is sum divisor cordial graph. \square

Example 2.26. A sum divisor cordial labeling of CH_4 is shown in Figure 2.13

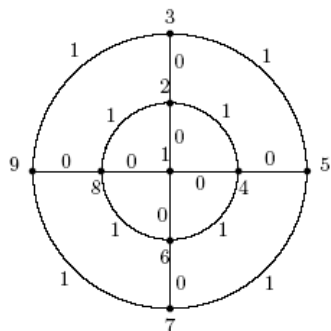


Figure 2.13

3. conclusion

It is very interesting and challenging as well as to investigate graph families which admit sum divisor cordial labeling. Here we have proved $D_2(K_{1,n})$, $S'(K_{1,n})$, $D_2(B_{n,n})$, $DS(B_{n,n})$, $S'(B_{n,n})$, $S(B_{n,n})$, $\langle K_{1,n}^{(1)} \Delta K_{1,n}^{(2)} \rangle$, $S(L_n)$, $L_n \odot K_1$, SL_n , TL_n , $TL_n \odot K_1$ and CH_n are sum divisor cordial graphs.

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