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INTRODUCTION

Let G be a simple connected graphs, ie) connected graphs without loops and multiple edges. For a graph G, V(G) and E(G) denote the set of all vertices and edges respectively. For a graph G, the degree of a vertex v is the number of edges incident to v and denoted by degG(v). The first Zagreb index M₁(G) is equal to the sum of squares of the degrees of the vertices, and the second Zagreb index M₂(G) is equal to the sum of the product of the degrees of pairs of adjacent vertices. The Zagreb indices have been introduced more than thirty years ago by Gutman and Trinajestic. They are defined as:

$$M_1(G) = \sum_{v \in V(G)} d(v)^2$$
$$M_2(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} d(u)d(v)$$

Let G = (V, E) be a graph with $V = S_1 \cup S_2 \cup \cdots, \cup S_t \cup T$ where each S_i is a set of vertices having at least two vertices and having the same degree and $T = V - \cup S_i$. The degree splitting graph of G is denoted by DS(G) is obtained from G by adding vertices w_1, w_2, \cdots, w_t and joining w_i to each vertex of $S_i(1 \le i \le t)$.

Theorem 1: For a Grid Graph $P_m \times P_n$, $n \ge 3$, $M_1(DS(P_m \times P_n)) = m^2n^2 + 8(m + n - 2)^2 - (m + n - 2)[4mn + 34] + 25mn + 4$, $M_2(DS(P_m \times P_n)) = 5m^2n^2 + 36m^2 + 36n^2 - 20mn(m + n) + 162mn - 261(m + n) + 428$.

Proof:

Let $V(P_m \times P_n) = \{v_{ij}/1 \le i \le m, 1 \le i \le n\} \cup \{w_1, w_2, w_3\}$ Then, $d(v_{11}) = d(v_{1n}) = d(v_{n1}) = d(v_{nn}) = 3$, $d(v_{ij}) = 4$ for (i =1, n and j \neq 1, n) and (i \neq 1, n and j = 1, n), $d(v_{ij}) = 5$, otherwise $d(w_1) = 4$, $d(w_2) = 2(m + n - 2) - 4$, $d(w_3) = mn - 2(m + n - 2)$

$$\begin{split} M_1(DS(P_m \times P_n)) &= \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n d(v_{ij})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^2 d(w_i)^2 \\ &= (3^2)4 + 4^2 [2(m+n-2)-4] + 5^2 [mn-2(m+n-2)] + 4^2 + [2(m+n-2)-4]^2 + [mn-2(m+n-2)]^2 \\ &= m^2 n^2 + 8(m+n-2)^2 - (m+n-2) [4mn+34] + 25mn + 4. \end{split}$$

$$M_2(DS(P_m \times P_n)) = \sum_{uv \in E} d(u)d(v)$$

 $= \sum (3)(4) + \sum (4)(4) + \sum (5)(4) + \sum (5)(5) + \sum (4)(2m + 2n - 12) + \sum (5)(4mn - 5m - 5n + 12)$ = 12[12] + 16[2m + 2n - 12] + 20[2m + 2n - 8] + 25[2mn - 5m - 5n + 12] + 4[2m + 2n - 8]^2 + 5[(m - 2)(n - 2)]^2 = 5m²n² + 36m² + 36n² - 20mn(m + n) + 162mn - 261(m + n) + 428.

Theorem 2For a Tadpole graph $T_{m,n}$, $m \ge 3$, $n \ge 1$, $M_1(DS(T_{m,n})) = m^2 + n^2 + 2mn + 5(m + n) + 8$, $M_2(DS(T_{m,n})) = 9(m + n) + 6$.

Proof Let $v_1, v_2, ..., v_m, v_{m+1}, v_{m+2}, ..., v_n$ be the vertices of $T_{m,n}$. Let w_1, w_2 and w_3 be the degree splitting vertices in which w_1 is adjacent to the pendant vertex, w_2 is adjacent to the 3 degree vertex and w_3 is adjacent to 2 degree vertices.

Then,
$$d(v_i) = \begin{cases} 2 & i = n \\ 4 & i = m, d(w_1) = 1, d(w_2) = m + n - 2, d(w_2) = 1. \\ 3 & otherwise \end{cases}$$

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$$M_1(DS(T_{m,n})) = \sum_{i=1}^{m+n} d(v_i)^2 + \sum_{i=1}^{3} d(w_i)^2$$

= $\sum_{i \neq m,n} d(v_i)^2 + d(v_m)^2 + d(v_n)^2 + d(w_1)^2 + d(w_2)^2 + d(w_3)^2$
= $\sum_{i \neq m,n} 3^2 + 4^2 + 2^2 + 1^2 + (m+n-2)^2 + 1^2$
= $m^2 + n^2 + 2mn + 5(m+n) + 8$

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$$M_2(DS(T_{m,n})) = \sum_{uv \in E} d(u)d(v)$$

= $\sum (3)(3) + (1)(2) + (3)(2) + \sum (3)(4) + (4)(1)$
= $9[m + n - 2] + 12 + 4[3]$
= $9(m + n) + 6.$

Theorem 3: For a Helm graph H_n , $n \ge 3$, $M_1(DS(H_n)) = 3n^2 + 31n + 2, M_2(DS(H_n)) = 11n^2 + 29n + 1.$

Proof:

Let $v_1, v_2, ..., v_{2n}$ and u be the vertices of G_n . Let w_1, w_2 and w_3 be the degree splitting vertices.

Then
$$d(v_i) = \begin{cases} 5 & i = 1, 2, ..., n \\ i = n + 1, ..., 2n, d(u) = n + 1, d(w_1) = n, d(w_2) = n \text{ and } d(w_3) = 1. \end{cases}$$

 $M_1(DS(H_n)) = \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ n}}^{2n} d(v_i)^2 + d(u)^2 + \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^{3} d(w_i)^2$
 $= \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^{n} 5^2 + \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^{n} 2^2 + (n + 1)^2 + n^2 + n^2 + 1^2$
 $= 25(n) + 4(n) + 3n^2 + 2n + 2$
 $= 3n^2 + 31n + 2.$

$$M_2(DS(G_n)) = \sum_{\substack{uv \in E \\ n \neq i \in I}} d(u)d(v)$$

= $\sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^n (5)(5) + \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^n 5(n+1) + \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^n 5(2) + \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i=1}}^n 2(n) + (n+1)$
= $25(n) + 5n(n+1) + 10(n) + 2n^2 + n + 1$
= $7n^2 + 41n + 1$.

Theorem 4: For a Gear graph $G_n n \ge 4$, $M_1(DS(G_n)) = 3n^2 + 27n + 2, M_2(DS(G_n)) = 11n^2 + 29n + 1.$

Proof:

Let $v_1, v_2, ..., v_{2n}$ and u be the vertices of G_n . Let w_1, w_2 and w_3 be the degree splitting vertices. Then $d(v_{2i+1}) = 4$, $d(v_{2i}) = 3$ for all i d(u) = n + 1, $d(w_1) = n$, $d(w_2) = n$ and $d(w_3) = 1$.

$$M_1(DS(G_n)) = \sum_{\substack{l=1\\n}}^{2n} d(v_l)^2 + d(u)^2 + \sum_{\substack{l=1\\n}}^{3} d(w_l)^2$$

= $\sum_{\substack{l=1\\n}}^{n} 4^2 + \sum_{\substack{l=1\\n\\n}}^{n} 3^2 + (n+1)^2 + n^2 + n^2 + 1^2$
= $16(n) + 9(n) + 3n^2 + 2n + 2$
= $3n^2 + 27n + 2$.

$$M_2(DS(G_n)) = \sum_{\substack{uv \in E \\ 2n}} d(u)d(v)$$

= $\sum_{i=1}^{n} 3(4) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} 4(n+1) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} 4(n) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} 3(n) + (n+1)$
= $12(2n) + 4n(n+1) + 4n^2 + 3n^2 + n + 1$
= $11n^2 + 29n + 1$.

CONCLUSION

In this paper, I have computed the first and second Zagreb indices of some special types of graphs. Further work is going on molecular structures.

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