

# On Cordial Graphs



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### ABSTRACT

A cordial labeling of a graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0,1\}$  such that if each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label  $|f(u)-f(v)|$  the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1. A graph which cordial admits cordial labeling is the cordial graph.

A Resideo cordial labeling of a graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0,1\}$  such that if each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label  $(f(u)+f(v)) \pmod 2$  the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1. A graph which admits Resideo cordial labeling is the Resideo cordial graph.

In this paper, it is proved that every shadow graph is a cordial graph and that every shadow graph is a Resideo cordial graph.

### 1.Introduction :

A graph  $G$  is a finite non-empty set of objects called vertices together with a set of unordered pairs of distinct vertices of  $G$  which is called edges. Each pair  $e = \{uv\}$  of vertices in  $E$  is called an edge or a line of  $G$ . In this paper , we proved that every shadow graph is a cordial graph and that every shadow graph is a Resideo cordial graph.

### 2.Preliminaries :

A cordial labeling of a graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0,1\}$  such that if each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label  $|f(u)-f(v)|$  the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1. A graph which cordial admits cordial labeling is the cordial graph.

A Resideo cordial labeling of a graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0,1\}$  such that if each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label  $(f(u)+f(v)) \pmod 2$  the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by atmost 1. A graph which admits Resideo cordial labeling is the Resideo cordial graph.

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### Definition : 2.1 (Shadow Graph)

Let  $G$  be a connected Graph. A Graph, constructed by taking two copies of  $G$  say  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  and joining each vertex  $u$  in  $G_1$  to the neighbours of the corresponding vertex  $v$  in  $G_2$ , that is for every vertex  $u$  in  $G_1$  there exists  $v$  in  $G_2$  such that  $N(u) = N(v)$ . The resulting Graph is known as shadow Graph and it is denoted by  $D_2(G)$ .

### 3. Main Results

#### Theorem: 3.1

Every shadow graph is a cordial graph. (OR) For any graph  $G$ ,  $D_2(G)$  is cordial.

#### Proof:

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a connected graph.  
 Let  $|V(G)| = p$  and  $|E(G)| = q$ .  
 Let  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  be two copies of  $G$ .  
 Let  $V(G_1) = \{ [ u_i : 1 \leq i \leq p ] \}$  and  
 $V(G_2) = \{ [ v_i : 1 \leq i \leq p ] \}$ .  
 $E(G_1) = \{ [ u_i u_j : 1 \leq i, j \leq p ] \}$  and  
 $E(G_2) = \{ [ v_i v_j : 1 \leq i, j \leq p ] \}$ .  
 Let  $D_2(G)$  be the shadow graph of  $G$ .

Then  $V [ D_2(G) ] = \{ [ u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq p ] \}$  and  
 $E [ D_2(G) ] = \{ [ (u_i v_j), (v_i u_j) : 1 \leq i, j \leq p ] \}$ .  
 Define  $f: V [ D_2(G) ] \rightarrow \{0,1\}$  by  
 $f(u_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq p$ .  
 $f(v_i) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq p$ .

Then by definition, every edge,  $e = u_i u_j (i \neq j)$  in  $G_1$  the induced edge labeling is ,

$f^*(u_i u_j) = 0; 1 \leq i, j \leq p$  and for every edge  $e = v_i v_j (i \neq j)$  in  $G_2$  the induced edge labeling is

$f^*(v_i v_j) = 0; 1 \leq i, j \leq p$

Further in  $G_1, v_f(0) = p, v_f(1) = 0, e_f(0) = q, e_f(1) = 0$ .

In  $G_2, v_f(0) = 0, v_f(1) = p, e_f(0) = q, e_f(1) = 0$ .

In  $D_2(G)$ ,

For every edge  $e = u_i v_j$ , the induced edge labeling  $f^*(u_i v_j) = 1; 1 \leq i, j \leq p$  and  $e_f(0) = 0, e_f(1) = 2q$ .

Therefore, in  $D_2(G)$ ,

$v_f(0) = p, v_f(1) = p, e_f(0) = 2q, e_f(1) = 2q$ .

And  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| = 0$ .

$|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0$ .

Hence  $D_2(G)$  is cordial.

For example the cordial labeling of  $D_2(P_3)$  as shown in figure 3.2 .

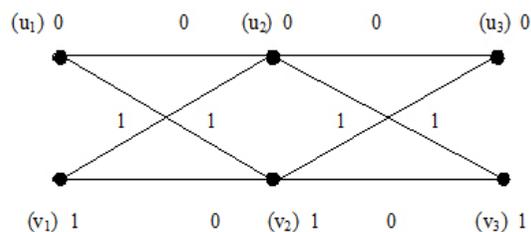


Figure 3.2 :  $D_2(P_3)$

#### Theorem: 3.3

Every shadow graph is a Resideo cordial graph. (OR) For any graph  $G$ ,  $D_2(G)$  is Resideo cordial.

#### Proof:

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a connected graph.  
 Let  $|V(G)| = p$  and  $|E(G)| = q$ .  
 Let  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  be two copies of  $G$ .  
 Let  $V(G_1) = \{ u_i : 1 \leq i \leq p \}$  and  
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 Let  $D_2(G)$  be the shadow graph of  $G$ .

Then  $V [ D_2(G) ] = \{ u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq p \}$ .  
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 Define  $f: V [ D_2(G) ] \rightarrow \{0,1\}$  by  
 $f(u_i) = 0; 1 \leq i \leq p$ .  
 $f(v_i) = 1; 1 \leq i \leq p$ .

Then by definition, every edge,  $e = u_i u_j$  ( $i \neq j$ ) in  $G_1$  the induced edge labeling is,

$$f^*(u_i u_j) = 0; 1 \leq i, j \leq p.$$

and for every edge  $e = v_i v_j$  ( $i \neq j$ ) in  $G_2$  the induced edge labeling is

$$f^*(v_i v_j) = 0; 1 \leq i, j \leq p.$$

Further in  $G_1, v_f(0) = p, v_f(1) = 0,$

$$e_f(0) = q, e_f(1) = 0.$$

In  $G_2, v_f(0) = 0, v_f(1) = p$

$$e_f(0) = q, e_f(1) = 0.$$

In  $D_2(G),$

For every edge  $e = u_i v_j$ , the induced edge labeling  $f^*(u_i v_j) = 1; 1 \leq i, j \leq p$

$$\text{and } e_f(0) = 0$$

$$e_f(1) = 2q.$$

Therefore, in  $D_2(G),$

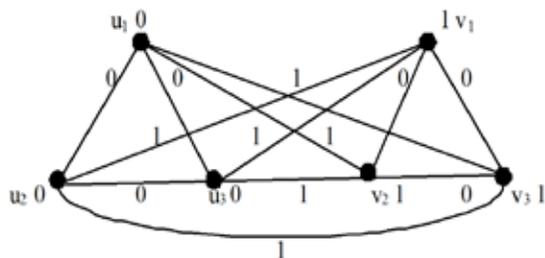
$$v_f(0) = p, v_f(1) = p, e_f(0) = 2q, e_f(1) = 2q.$$

$$\text{And } |v_f(0) - v_f(1)| = 0.$$

$$|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| = 0.$$

Hence  $D_2(G)$  is Resideo cordial.

**For example the Resideo cordial labeling of  $D_2(C_3)$  is shown in figure 3.4.**



**Figure : 3.4 :  $D_2(C_3)$**

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