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SEVERAL DISTANCE BASED INDICES FOR COMPLEMENT OF GRAPHS

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Abstract: A graph G is said to have property P if for every pair of its adjacent vertices x and y there exists a vertex z such that z is not adjacent to x and y. In this paper, we establish an explicit formula to calculate the several graph indices for the complement of any graph G having above property. As a corollary we obtain the several graph indices for the complement of certain derived graphs.

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1. Introduction and Preliminaries

For vertices $u, v \in V(G)$, the distance between u and v in G, denoted by $d_G(u, v)$, is the length of a shortest (u, v)-path in G and let $d_G(v)$ be the degree of a vertex $v \in V(G)$. The diameter of the graph G is $max\{d_G(u, v)|u, v \in V(G)\}$. A topological index of a graph is a real number related to the graph; it does not depend on labeling or pictorial representation of a graph. There exist several types of such indices, especially those based on vertex and edge distances. One of the most intensively studied topological indices is the Wiener index.