

## DISTANCE ANTIMAGIC LABELING FOR PANCYCLIC GRAPHS

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**Abstract:** A distance antimagic labeling of a graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V(G)$  and edge set  $E(G)$  is a bijection from vertex set  $V(G)$  to  $\{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$  such that  $\sum_{p \in N(q)} f(p) = w(q)$  for all  $q \in V(G)$ , where  $N(q)$  is the set of all vertices of  $V(G)$

which are adjacent to  $q$  and  $w(p) \neq w(q)$  for every pair of vertices  $p, q \in V(G)$ . A graph which admits a distance antimagic labeling is called a distance antimagic graph. In this paper, we addresses distance antimagic labeling of some specific pancyclic graphs.

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### 1. Introduction

Here, we consider all graphs  $G$  with vertex set  $V(G)$  and edge set  $E(G)$  are finite and simple.  $|V(G)|$  and  $|E(G)|$  denote the number of vertices and number of edges respectively. Gross and Yellen [5] is adopted for the comprehension of

the graph theoretical terminologies and for number theoretical results, we follow Burton [3]. For acquiring the latest update, we follow a dynamic survey on graph labeling by Gallian [4].

**Definition 1.1.** A distance antimagic labeling of a graph  $G$  is a bijection  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$  such that  $\sum_{p \in N(q)} f(p) = w(q)$  for all  $q \in V(G)$ , where  $N(q)$  is the set of all vertices of  $V(G)$  which are adjacent to  $q$  and  $w(p) \neq w(q)$  for every pair of vertices  $p, q \in V(G)$ . A graph which admits a distance antimagic labeling is called a distance antimagic graph.

A distance antimagic labeling is introduced by N. Kamatchi and S. Arumugam [1] in 2013. The following Lemma has proved by Simanjuntak and Wijaya [9] in 2013.

**Lemma 1.2.** If a graph contains two vertices with the same neighborhood then it is not distance antimagic.

A few results are listed below which have been proved in [1].

- The cycle  $C_n$  is a distance antimagic for  $n \neq 4$ .
- The wheel  $W_n$  is a distance antimagic for  $n \neq 4$ .
- The path  $P_n$  is a distance antimagic.
- The graph  $rK_2 + K_1$  is a distance antimagic.
- For any graph  $G$  of order  $n$ , the corona  $G \odot K_1$  is a distance antimagic.

Shrimali and Parmar [10] have proved some products between cycle with four vertices ( $C_4$ ) and friendship graph ( $C_3^t$ ) like  $C_3^t \square C_4$ ,  $C_3^t \boxtimes C_4$ ,  $C_4 \odot C_3^t$  are distance antimagic graphs. In the present paper we deal with some specific pancyclic graphs.

**Definition 1.3.** A graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V(G)$  and edge set  $E(G)$  is called pancyclic graph if it contains the cycle of all orders up to  $|V(G)|$ .

The concept of a pancyclic graph was first investigated in the context of tournaments by Harary and Moser [6]. Then pancyclicity was named and extended to undirected graphs by Bondy [2]. Pancyclic graphs are generalization of Hamiltonian graphs, graphs which have a cycle of the maximum possible length.

In the next section, we work on some specific pancyclic graphs.

## 2. Main Results

Jia-Bao Liu, H.U. Afzal and E. Bonyah [8] have defined a few specific pancyclic graphs. Additionally, M. Javaid, H. U. Afzal and E. Bonyah [7] have defined a few

more pancyclic graphs. In this section, we assign distance magic labeling on specific pancyclic graphs.

**Definition 2.1.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_1$  for  $n \geq 3$ , having the construction as follows :

$$V(\mathcal{H}_1) = \{v_i, u_i / 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{x_1, x_2\}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} E(\mathcal{H}_1) = & \{v_i v_{i+1}, u_i u_{i+1}, v_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \\ & \cup \{v_i u_i / 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{v_1 x_1, u_1 x_1, v_n x_2, u_n x_2\}; \end{aligned}$$

with  $|V(\mathcal{H}_1)| = 2n + 2$  and  $|E(\mathcal{H}_1)| = 4n + 1$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_1$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Proof.** We define a vertex labeling  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$  as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_i) &= 2i + 1; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ f(u_i) &= 2i; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ f(x_1) &= 1, \\ f(x_2) &= 2n + 2. \end{aligned}$$

Under the above labeling, we get weights for each vertex as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} w(v_i) &= \begin{cases} 8i + 4; & i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ 6i + 1; & i = n \end{cases} \\ w(u_i) &= 8i; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ w(x_i) &= \begin{cases} 4i + 1; & i = 1 \\ 4n + 1; & i = 2. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Since, weights of each vertex are distinct,  $\mathcal{H}_1$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Illustration 2.3.** Distance antimagic labeling for  $\mathcal{H}_1$  with  $n = 6$ .

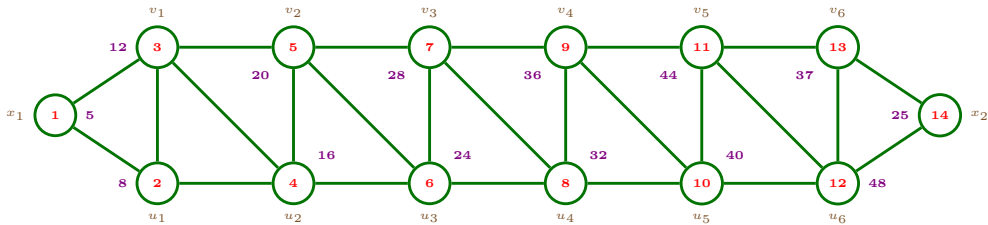


Figure 1:  $\mathcal{H}_1$  with  $n = 6$

**Definition 2.4.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_2$  for  $n \geq 3$ , having the vertex set and edge set as follows :

$$V(\mathcal{H}_2) = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} \cup \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} \cup \{x_1, x_2\}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} E(\mathcal{H}_2) &= \{v_i v_{i+1}, u_i u_{i+1}, v_i u_{i+1} / 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{v_i u_i / i = 1, n\} \\ &\cup \{v_1 x_1, u_1 x_1, v_n x_2, u_n x_2, x_1 x_2\}; \end{aligned}$$

with  $|V(\mathcal{H}_2)| = 2n + 2$  and  $|E(\mathcal{H}_2)| = 3n + 4$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_2$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Proof.** We define a vertex labeling  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$  by following two cases:

**Case - 1.**  $n \not\equiv 2 \pmod{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_i) &= 2i + 1; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ f(u_i) &= 2i; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ f(x_1) &= 1, \\ f(x_2) &= 2n + 2. \end{aligned}$$

Under the above labeling, we get weights for each vertex as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} w(v_i) &= \begin{cases} 12; & i = 1 \\ 6i + 4; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-1 \\ 6i + 1; & i = n. \end{cases} \\ w(u_i) &= \begin{cases} 8; & i = 1 \\ 6i - 1; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-1 \\ 8i; & i = n. \end{cases} \\ w(x_1) &= 2n + 7, \\ w(x_2) &= 4n + 2. \end{aligned}$$

One can easily verify that, all weights are distinct.

**Case - 2.**  $n \equiv 2(\text{mod}3)$

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_i) &= 2i + 1; & i = 1, 2, \dots, n \\ f(u_i) &= \begin{cases} 2i; & i = 1, 2, \dots, n-2 \\ 2i + 2; & i = n-1 \\ 2i - 2; & i = n \end{cases} \\ f(x_1) &= 1, \\ f(x_2) &= 2n + 2. \end{aligned}$$

By applying the above labeling, we get weights for each vertex as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} w(v_i) &= \begin{cases} 12; & i = 1 \\ 6i + 4; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-3 \\ 6i + 6; & i = n-2 \\ 6i + 2; & i = n-1 \\ 6i - 1; & i = n. \end{cases} \\ w(u_i) &= \begin{cases} 8; & i = 1 \\ 6i - 1; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-3 \\ 6i + 1; & i = n-2 \\ 6i - 3; & i = n-1 \\ 8i + 2; & i = n. \end{cases} \\ w(x_1) &= 2n + 7, \\ w(x_2) &= 4n. \end{aligned}$$

Here also we get all distinct weights for case-2.

Hence, by case-1 and case-2 we can say that the graph  $\mathcal{H}_2$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Illustration 2.6.** Distance antimagic labeling for  $\mathcal{H}_2$  with  $n = 6$ .

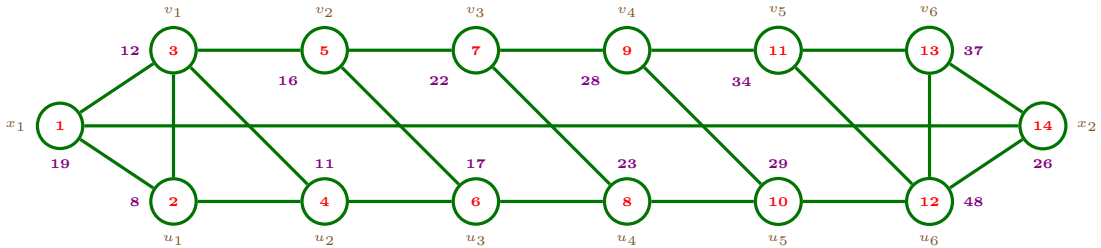
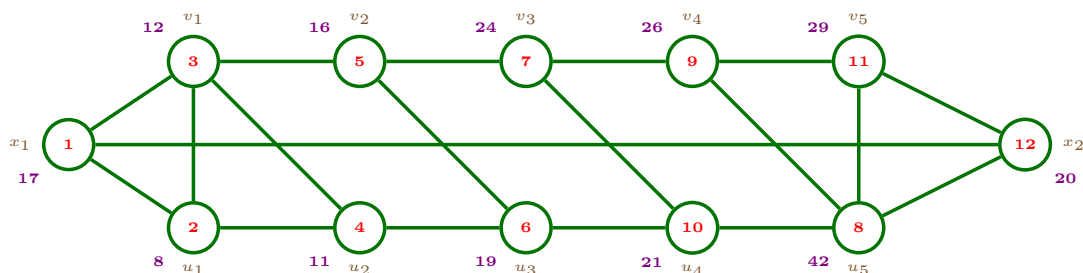


Figure 2:  $\mathcal{H}_2$  with  $n = 6$

**Illustration 2.7.** Distance antimagic labeling for  $\mathcal{H}_2$  with  $n = 5$ .

Figure 3:  $\mathcal{H}_2$  with  $n = 5$ 

**Definition 2.8.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_3$  for  $n \geq 3$  having the vertex set  $V(\mathcal{H}_3)$  and edge set  $E(\mathcal{H}_3)$  as follows :

$$V(\mathcal{H}_3) = \{v_i, u_i/1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{x_i/1 \leq i \leq 2n\}$$

and

$$E(\mathcal{H}_3) = \{v_i v_{i+1}, u_i u_{i+1}/1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{v_i x_{2i}, u_i x_{2i}/1 \leq i \leq n\} \\ \cup \{v_i x_{2i-1}, u_i x_{2i-1}/1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{x_i x_{i+1}/1 \leq i \leq 2n-1\};$$

with  $|V(\mathcal{H}_3)| = 4n$  and  $|E(\mathcal{H}_3)| = 8n - 3$ .

**Theorem 2.9.** A pancyclic graph  $\mathcal{H}_3$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Proof.** We define a vertex labeling  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, |V(G)|\}$  as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_i) &= 4i - 2; & i &= 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ f(v_n) &= \begin{cases} 4n; & n \neq 3 \\ 4n-2; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\ f(u_i) &= 4i; & i &= 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ f(u_n) &= \begin{cases} 4n-1; & n \neq 3 \\ 4n-3; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\ f(x_{2i-1}) &= 4i-1; & i &= 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ f(x_{2n-1}) &= \begin{cases} 4n-2; & n \neq 3 \\ 4n-1; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\ f(x_{2i}) &= 4i-3; & i &= 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ f(x_{2n}) &= \begin{cases} 4n-3; & n \neq 3 \\ 4n; & n = 3. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Under the above labeling, we get weights for each vertex as follows :

$$\begin{aligned}
w(v_i) &= \begin{cases} 10i; & i = 1 \\ 16i - 8; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-2 \end{cases} \\
w(v_{n-1}) &= \begin{cases} 16n - 22; & n \neq 3 \\ 16n - 24; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\
w(v_n) &= \begin{cases} 12n - 11; & n \neq 3 \\ 12n - 7; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\
w(u_i) &= 16i - 4; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-2 \\
w(u_{n-1}) &= \begin{cases} 16n - 21; & n \neq 3 \\ 16n - 23; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\
w(u_n) &= \begin{cases} 12n - 9; & n \neq 3 \\ 12n - 5; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\
w(x_{2i-1}) &= \begin{cases} 7; & i = 1 \\ 16i - 12; & i = 2, 3, \dots, n-1 \end{cases} \\
w(x_{2n-1}) &= \begin{cases} 16n - 11; & n \neq 3 \\ 16n - 12; & n = 3 \end{cases} \\
w(x_{2i}) &= 16i; \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-2 \\
w(x_{2(n-1)}) &= \begin{cases} 16n - 17; & n \neq 3 \\ 16n - 16; & n = 3. \end{cases} \\
w(x_{2n}) &= \begin{cases} 12n - 3; & n \neq 3 \\ 12n - 6; & n = 3. \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Since, weights of each vertex are distinct,  $\mathcal{H}_3$  is a distance antimagic graph.

**Illustration 2.10.** Distance antimagic labeling for  $\mathcal{H}_3$  with  $n = 3$ .

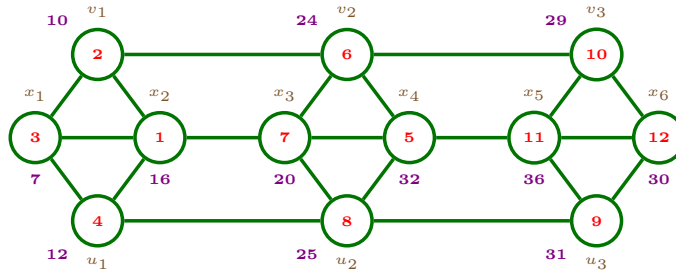
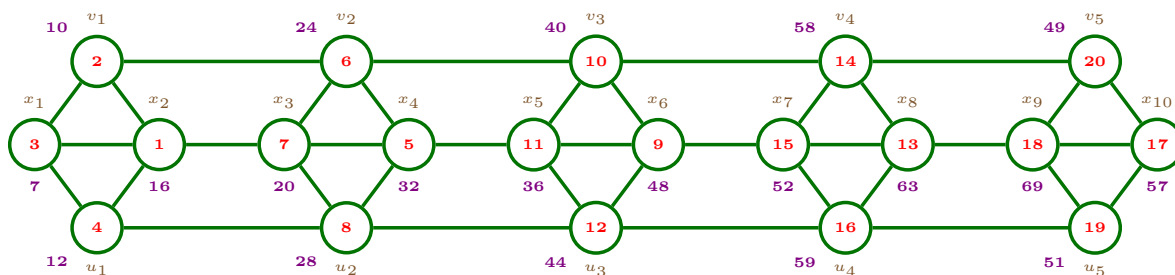


Figure 4:  $\mathcal{H}_3$  with  $n = 3$

**Illustration 2.11.** Distance antimagic labeling for  $\mathcal{H}_3$  with  $n = 5$ .

Figure 5:  $\mathcal{H}_3$  with  $n = 5$ 

The Frucht graph was first described by Robert Frucht in 1939. This graph is a pancyclic graph.

**Definition 2.12.** *The Frucht graph is a 3-regular graph with 12 vertices, 18 edges and no symmetries.*

**Theorem 2.13.** *The Frucht graph is a distance antimagic graph.*

**Proof.** We define a vertex labeling  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 12\}$  as follows :

$$f(v_i) = i; \forall i$$

Under the above labeling, we get all vertex weights are distinct, as shown in the Figure 6.

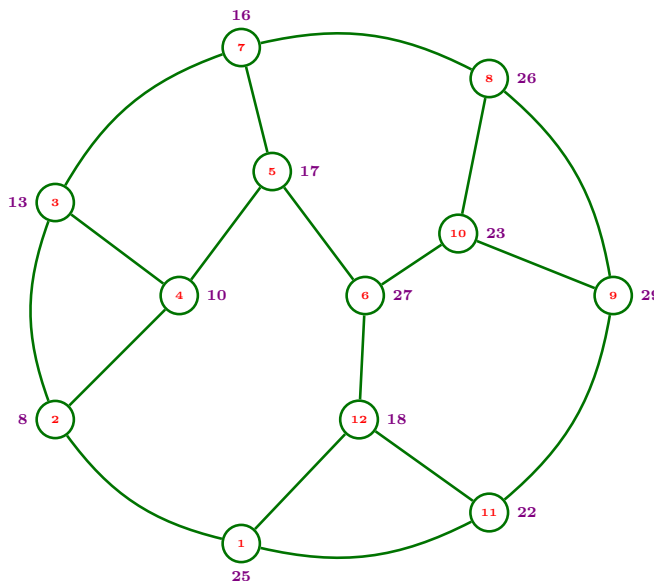


Figure 6: Frucht graph



### 3. Conclusion

Here, we have proved some specific pancyclic graphs and Frucht graph which is also a pancyclic graph are distance antimagic graphs. To define some new pancyclic graphs is an open problem and also to explore some new distance antimagic graph is an open problem.

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