



## ONE RAISED PRODUCT PRIME LABELING OF SOME CYCLE RELATED GRAPHS

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**Abstract:** One raised product prime labeling of a graph is the labeling of the vertices with  $\{1, 2, \dots, p\}$  and the edges with product of the labels of the incident vertices plus 1. The greatest common incidence number of a vertex (*gcin*) of degree greater than one is defined as the greatest common divisor of the labels of the incident edges. If the *gcin* of each vertex of degree greater than one is one, then the graph admits one raised product prime labeling. Here we investigated some cycle related graphs for one raised product prime labeling.

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**Introduction:** All graphs in this paper are simple, finite and undirected. The symbol  $V(G)$  and  $E(G)$  denote the vertex set and edge set of a graph  $G$ . The graph whose cardinality of the vertex set is called the order of  $G$ , denoted by  $p$  and the cardinality of the edge set is called the size of the graph  $G$ , denoted by  $q$ . A graph with  $p$  vertices and  $q$  edges is called a  $(p, q)$ - graph.

A graph labeling is an assignment of integers to the vertices or edges. Some basic notations and definitions are taken from [1],[2],[3] and [4]. Some basic concepts are taken from Frank Harary [1]. In this paper we investigated one raised product prime labeling of some cycle

related graphs.

**Definition:** 1.1 Let  $G$  be a graph with  $p$  vertices and  $q$  edges. The greatest common incidence number (*gcin*) of a vertex of degree greater than or equal to 2, is the greatest common divisor (*gcd*) of the labels of the incident edges.

**Main Results**

**Definition 2.1** Let  $G = (V(G), E(G))$  be a graph with  $p$  vertices and  $q$  edges.

Define a bijection  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, p\}$  by  $f(v_i) = i$ , for every  $i$  from 1 to  $p$  and define a 1-1 mapping  $f_{orpp}^* : E(G) \rightarrow$  set of natural numbers  $N$  by  $f_{orpp}^*(uv) = f(u)f(v) + 1$ .

The induced function  $f_{orpp}^*$  is said to be one raised product prime labeling, if for each vertex of degree at least 2, the *gcin* of the labels of the incident edges is 1.

**Definition 2.2** A graph which admits one raised product prime labeling is called one raised product prime graph.

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**Theorem 2.1** Cycle  $C_n$  ( $n > 2$ ) admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $(n+1) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$  and  $n$  is odd.

**Proof:** Let  $G = C_n$  and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = n$  and  $|E(G)| = n$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i^2 + i + 1 \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n) = n + 1.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_1) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_2), f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n)\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{3, n+1\} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_{i+1}) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}), f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{i^2 + i + 1, i^2 + 3i + 3\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{2i + 2, i^2 + i + 1\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{i + 1, i(i + 1) + 1\} \\ &= 1, \end{aligned}$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n-2.$$

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_n) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n), f_{orpp}^*(v_{n-1} v_n)\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{n + 1, n^2 - n + 1\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{3, n + 1\} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $C_n$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.1**  $G = C_7$

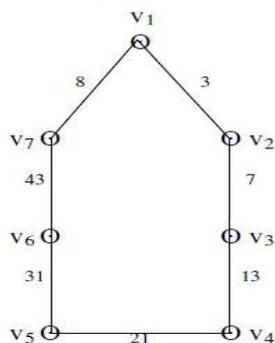


fig 2.1

**Theorem 2.2** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by duplicating one edge of cycle  $C_n$  ( $n > 2$ ) by a vertex.  $G$  admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $(n+2) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{6}$  and  $n$  is even.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n+1}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = n+1$  and  $|E(G)| = n+2$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n+1\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n+1.$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i^2 + i + 1, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_3) = 4$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_{n+1}) = n + 2.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_1) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_2), f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_3)\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{3, 4\} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_{i+1}) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}), f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} = 1, \\ & \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} gcin \text{ of } (v_{n+1}) &= \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_{n+1}), f_{orpp}^*(v_n v_{n+1})\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{n + 2, n^2 + n + 1\} \\ &= \gcd \text{ of } \{3, n + 2\} \\ &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.2** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by duplicating one edge of cycle  $C_6$  by a vertex.

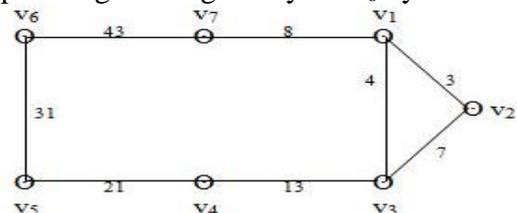


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**Theorem 2.3** Duplicating one vertex of cycle  $C_n$  ( $n > 2$ ) admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $(n-2) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{13}$  and  $n$  is odd.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n+2}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = n+2$  and  $|E(G)| = n+3$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1,2,\dots,n+2\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, i = 1,2,\dots,n+2.$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i(i+1)+1, \quad i = 1,2,\dots,n+1.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_3) = 4$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_3 v_{n+2}) = 3n+7$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_1) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_2),$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_3)\} = \gcd \text{ of } \{3, 4\} = 1.$$

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{i+1}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}),$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} = 1, \quad i = 1,2,\dots,n.$$

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{n+2}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_3 v_{n+2}),$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{n+1} v_{n+2})\} = \gcd \text{ of } \{3n+7, n^2+3n+3\} \\ = \gcd \text{ of } \{3n+7, n^2-4\} \\ = \gcd \text{ of } \{n-2, 3n+7\} \\ = \gcd \text{ of } \{n-2, 13\} = 1.$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.3** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by duplicating one vertex of cycle  $C_7$  by an edge.

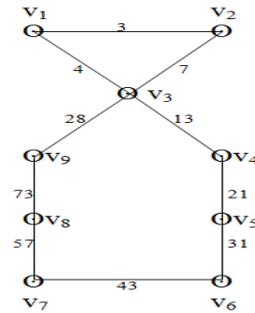


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**Theorem 2.4** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining path  $P_m$  to cycle  $C_n$ .  $G$  admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $(n+1) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$  and  $n$  is odd.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n+m-1}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = n+m-1$  and  $|E(G)| = n+m-1$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1,2,\dots,n+m-1\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, i = 1,2,\dots,n+m-1$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i(i+1)+1, \quad i = 1,2,\dots,n+m-2.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n) = n+1.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_1) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_2),$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n)\} = \gcd \text{ of } \{3, n+1\} = 1.$$

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{i+1}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}),$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} = 1, \quad i = 1,2,\dots,n+m-3.$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.4** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining path  $P_4$  to cycle  $C_7$ .

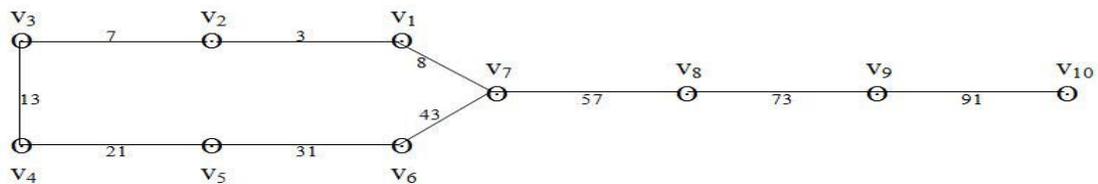


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**Theorem 2.5** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining two copies of path  $P_m$  to two consecutive vertices cycle  $C_n$ .  $G$  admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $m$  and  $n$  are odd.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n+2m-2}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = n+2m-2$  and  $|E(G)| = n+2m-2$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n+2m-2\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n+2m-2$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge

labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i(i+1)+1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n+2m-3.$$

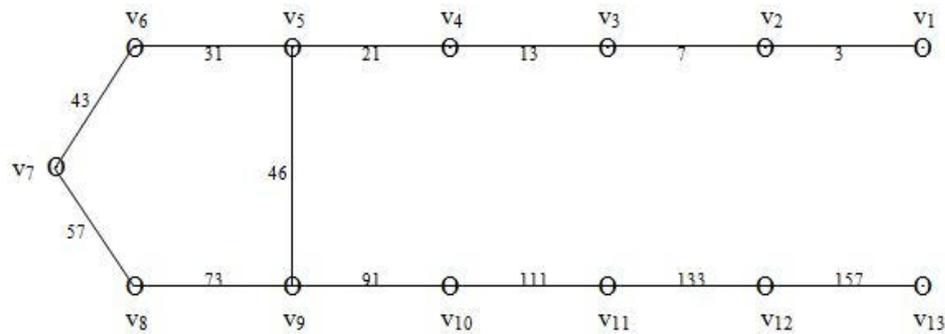


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**Theorem 2.6** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining the apex vertex of star  $K_{1,n}$  to any one vertex of cycle  $C_n$ .  $G$  admits one raised product prime labeling, if  $(n+1) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{3}$  and  $n$  is odd.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{2n}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = 2n$  and  $|E(G)| = 2n$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$  by

$$f(v_i) = i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, 2n.$$

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge

labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = i^2+i+1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n) = n+1$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_m v_{m+n-1}) = m(m+n-1)+1.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$gcin$  of  $(v_{i+1}) = \gcd$  of  $\{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}),$

$f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} = 1,$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n+2m-4.$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.5** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining two copies of path  $P_5$  to two consecutive vertices cycle  $C_5$ .

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_n v_{n+i}) = n^2+ni+1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$gcin$  of  $(v_1) = \gcd$  of  $\{f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_2),$

$f_{orpp}^*(v_1 v_n)\}$

$$= \gcd$$
 of  $\{3, n+1\} = 1.$

$gcin$  of  $(v_{i+1}) = \gcd$  of  $\{f_{orpp}^*(v_i v_{i+1}),$

$f_{orpp}^*(v_{i+1} v_{i+2})\} = 1,$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

So,  $gcin$  of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.6** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining the apex vertex of star  $K_{1,n}$  to any one vertex of cycle  $C_7$

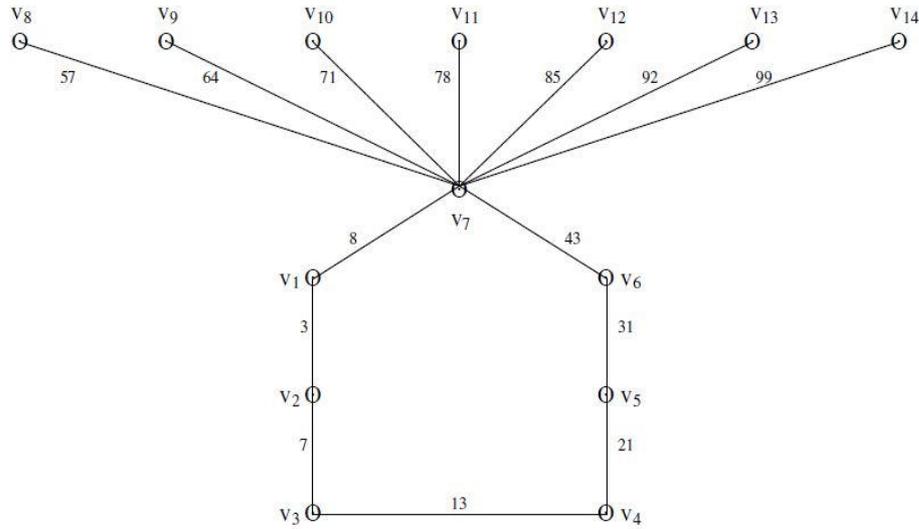


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**Theorem 2.7** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining cycle  $C_3$  to each vertex of path  $P_n$ .  $G$  admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Proof:** Let  $G$  be the graph and let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{3n}$  are the vertices of  $G$ .

Here  $|V(G)| = 3n$  and  $|E(G)| = 4n-1$ .

Define a function  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 3n\}$  by  $f(v_i) = i, i = 1, 2, \dots, 3n$ .

Clearly  $f$  is a bijection.

For the vertex labeling  $f$ , the induced edge labeling  $f_{orpp}^*$  is defined as follows

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i-1}) = 9i^2 - 9i + 3, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i}) = 9i^2 - 6i + 1, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-1} v_{3i}) = 9i^2 - 3i + 1, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-1} v_{3i+2}) = 9i^2 + 3i - 1, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

Clearly  $f_{orpp}^*$  is an injection.

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{3i-2}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i-1}), f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i})\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{9i^2 - 9i + 3, 9i^2 - 6i + 1\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{3i-2, 9i^2 - 9i + 3\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{3i-2, (3i-2)(3i-1)+1\}$$

$$= 1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{3i-1}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i-1}), f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-1} v_{3i})\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{9i^2 - 9i + 3, 9i^2 - 3i + 1\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{6i-2, 9i^2 - 9i + 3\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{3i-1, (3i-2)(3i-1)+1\}$$

$$= 1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

$$gcin \text{ of } (v_{3i}) = \gcd \text{ of } \{f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-2} v_{3i}), f_{orpp}^*(v_{3i-1} v_{3i})\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{9i^2 - 6i + 1, 9i^2 - 3i + 1\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{3i, 9i^2 - 6i + 1\}$$

$$= \gcd \text{ of } \{3i, (3i-2)(3i)+1\}$$

$$= 1,$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

So, *gcin* of each vertex of degree greater than one is 1.

Hence  $G$ , admits one raised product prime labeling.

**Example 2.7** Let  $G$  be the graph obtained by joining cycle  $C_3$  to each vertex of path  $P_3$

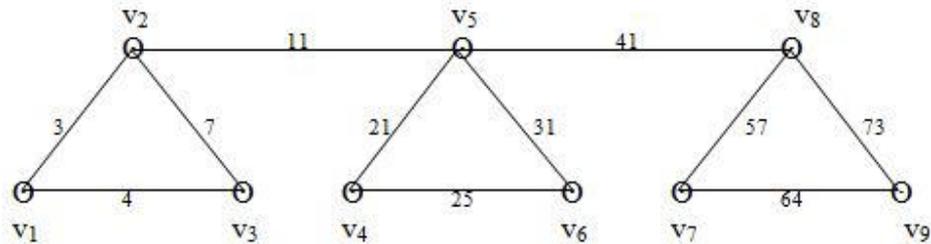


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