

## Range Labeling for Some Graphs

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Published Online: 03 May 2023 Corresponding Author: <b>R. JAHIR HUSSAIN</b>	In this paper, we focus on one type of labeling is called range labeling, we have introduced range labeling for certain graphs as for $P_z, C_z, S_{y,z}$ (Double star), sun graph and for some trees.

### INTRODUCTION

In this paper consider for all graphs are finite and simple. The graph  $G$  is the vertex set  $S(G)$  and edge set  $T(G)$ . A graph labeling  $G$  is a function that carries graph elements to integers. The labeling was first introduced by Rosa in 1967.

In this paper range labeling apply for some Graphs. Neelam kumari and Seema mehra was first developed one-edge magic labeling and  $n$ -edge magic labeling in 2013(5). Prime edge magic labeling origin in Dr. R. Jahir Hussain and J. Senthamizh Selvan in 2021(2). Range labeling was first developed in J.Senthamizh Selvan and Dr.R.Jahir Hussain in 2023(7).

### 1. PRELIMINARY

#### Definition1.1. n-edge magic labeling:

Let  $G=(S, T)$  be a graph  $S= \{S_k, 1 \leq k \leq z\}$  and  $T = \{S_k S_{k+1}, 1 \leq k \leq z-1\}$ . Let  $\alpha: S \rightarrow [-1, n+1]$  and  $\alpha^*: T \rightarrow [n]$  such that for every  $S_k S_{k+1} \in T, \alpha^*[S_k S_{k+1}] = \alpha[S_k] + \alpha[S_{k+1}] = n$ . This result is called  $n$ -edge magic labeling(5).

#### Definition1.2. Prime edge magic labelling

Let  $G=(S, T)$  be a graph,  $S = \{S_k, 1 \leq k \leq z\}$  and  $T = \{S_k S_{k+1}, 1 \leq k \leq z-1\}$ . Let  $\alpha: S \rightarrow [-p, 2p]$  and  $\alpha^*: T \rightarrow [p]$  such that if  $p$  is a Prime number. For every  $S_k S_{k+1} \in T, \alpha^*[S_k S_{k+1}] = \alpha[S_k] + \alpha[S_{k+1}] = p$ . This result is called Prime edge magic labeling (2).

#### Definition1.3. Graceful labelling

A graceful labeling of a graph  $G$  is a vertex labeling  $\alpha: S \rightarrow [0, m]$  such that  $\alpha$  is injective and the edge labeling  $\alpha^*: T \rightarrow [1, m]$  is defined by  $\alpha^*[S_k S_{k+1}] = |\alpha(S_k) - \alpha(S_{k+1})|$  is also

injective. If a graph  $G$  admits a graceful labeling. We say  $G$  is a graceful graph (4).

#### Definition1.4. Symmetrical tree

A rooted tree in which every level contains vertices of the same degree is called Symmetrical tree (4).

### 2.MAIN RESULTS

The idea of graceful labeling and prime edge magic labeling stimulate us to decide coming new result of Range labeling.

#### 2.1Range labeling:

Let  $G=(S, T)$  be a graph with  $n$  vertices. An injective function on  $\alpha: S \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$  is called a range labeling if the edge labels are  $\alpha^*: T \rightarrow \{1, 2, 3, \dots, ((n^2+n)/2-1)\}$  and  $T$  is defined by  $\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value } (S_k, S_{k+1}) - \text{Minimum value } (S_k, S_{k+1})$ . If a graph  $G$  admits range labeling, we say  $G$  is a range graph(7).

#### 2.2Range Value;

Let  $G=(S, T)$  be a range graph, then the range value is Range value of graph  $G = \text{Maximum edge value of } G - \text{Minimum edge value of } G$ .

That is,  $RV(G) = MAEV(G) - MIEV(G)$ .

**Theorem 1.** The Path  $P_z$  is a Range graph.

#### Proof:

Let  $G=(S, T)$  be a graph. Let  $S(G) = \{S_k, 1 \leq k \leq z\}$ ,  $T(G) = \{S_k S_{k+1}, 1 \leq k \leq z-1\}$  if  $\alpha: S \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ ,  $\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1}) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1})$ .

If  $S_k$  is a minimum value and  $S_{k+1}$  is a maximum value.

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$\alpha^*(T) = S_{k+1} - S_k = Z$  is an integer.

Suppose,  $S_{k+1}$  is a minimum value and  $S_k$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = S_k - S_{k+1} = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is an integer. Hence every path graph is accepting Range labeling.

$\therefore$  Any path graph is range graph.

**Example 1: Range labelling of  $P_7, P_{10}$  shown in the figure Remark**

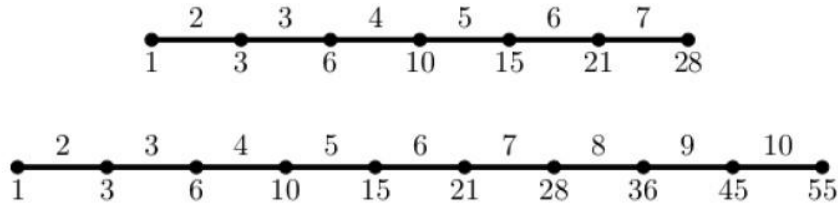


Figure 1

**Remark 1:**

Range value of  $P_7$  = Maximum edge value of  $(P_7)$  - Minimum edge value of  $(P_7)$

$$\begin{aligned} RV(P_7) &= 7-2 \\ &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

Range value of  $P_{10}$  = Maximum edge value of  $(P_{10})$  - Minimum edge value of  $(P_{10})$

$$\begin{aligned} RV(P_{10}) &= 10-2 \\ &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

$\{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ ,

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1}) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1})$ .

If  $S_k$  is a minimum value and  $S_{k+1}$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = S_{k+1} - S_k = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is a integer.

Suppose,  $S_{k+1}$  is a minimum value and  $S_k$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = S_k - S_{k+1} = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is a integer. Hence, every cycle graph is accepting Range labeling.

$\therefore$  Any cycle graph is Range graph.

**Theorem 2.** The cycle  $C_z$  is a Range graph.

**Proof:**

Let  $G = (S, T)$  be a graph. Let  $S(G) = \{S_k, 1 \leq k \leq z\}$ ,  $T(G) = \{S_k S_{k+1}, 1 \leq k \leq z-1\}$ . If  $\alpha: S \rightarrow$

**Example 2: Range labeling of  $C_5, C_6$  shown in the figure 2.**

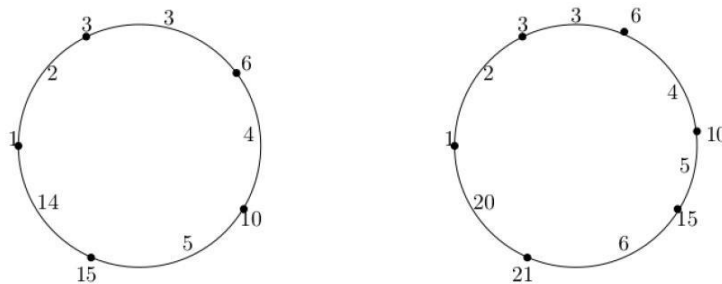


Figure 2

**Remark 2:**

Range value of  $C_5$  = Maximum edge value of  $(C_5)$  - Minimum edge value of  $(C_5)$

$$\begin{aligned} RV(C_5) &= 14-2 \\ &= 12. \end{aligned}$$

Range value of  $C_6$  = Maximum edge value of  $(C_6)$  - Minimum edge value of  $(C_6)$

$$\begin{aligned} RV(C_6) &= 20-2 \\ &= 18. \end{aligned}$$

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1}) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_k, S_{k+1})$ .

If  $S_k$  is a minimum value and  $S_{k+1}$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = S_{k+1} - S_k = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is an integer.

Suppose  $S_{k+1}$  is minimum value and  $S_k$  is a maximum value.

$= S_k - S_{k+1} = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is an integer.

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_k, R_k) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_k, R_k)$ .

If  $S_k$  is a minimum value,  $R_k$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = R_k - S_k = Z$

$\therefore Z$  is a integer.

Suppose  $R_k$  is a minimum value and  $S_k$  is a maximum value.

$\alpha^*(T) = S_k - R_k = Z$

**Theorem 3.** A sun graph  $S_z$  is a Range graph.

**Proof:**

Let  $G = (S, T)$  be a graph. Let  $S_1, S_2, S_3, \dots, S_z$  is a vertices of cycle  $S_z$  and  $r_1, r_2, \dots, r_z$  is a end vertices of every edge fixed to  $S_1, S_2, S_3, \dots, S_z$ . If  $\alpha: S \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$  &  $\alpha_1: R \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ .

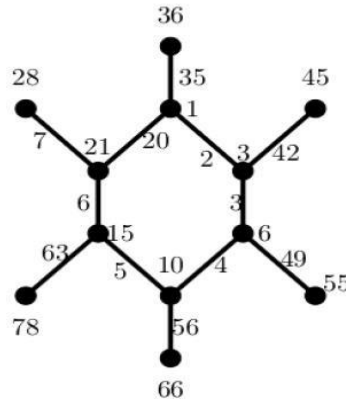
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∴Z is an integer.

∴Any sun graph is a Range graph.

Hence, Every Sun graph is accepting Range labelling.

**Example 3:**



**Remark 3:**

Range value of  $S_6 = \text{Maximum edge value of } (S_6) - \text{Minimum edge value of } (S_6)$

$$RV(S_6) = 63 - 2 = 61.$$

**Theorem 4. The double star graph  $S_{m,n}$  is a Range graph.**

**Proof:**

Let  $G = (S, T)$  be a double star graph. It is fixed by  $S_{m,n}$  and  $S_1, S_2$  are two vertices in  $S_{m,n}$  which are not pendent. Consider  $r_i$ 's are m pendent vertices to  $S_1$  and  $r_j$ 's are n pendent vertices to  $S_2$ .

Let  $\alpha: S \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$  and  $\alpha_1: R \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_1, S_2) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_1, S_2)$ .

If  $S_2$  is a minimum value and  $S_1$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_1 - S_2 = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Suppose  $S_1$  is a minimum value and  $S_2$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_2 - S_1 = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_1, r_i) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_1, r_i)$ .

If  $S_1$  is a minimum value and  $r_i$  is a maximum value.

$$= r_i - S_1 = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Suppose  $r_i$  is a minimum value and  $S_1$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_1 - r_i = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_2, r_j) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_2, r_j)$ .

If  $r_j$  is a minimum value and  $S_2$  is a maximum value.

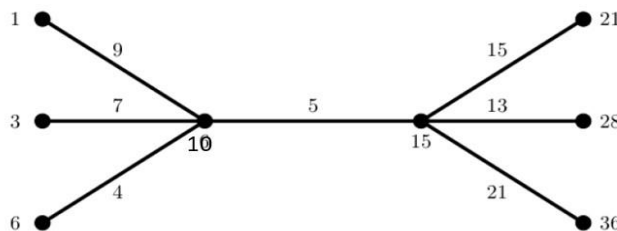
$$= S_2 - r_j = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Suppose  $S_2$  is a minimum value and  $r_j$  is a maximum value.

$$= r_j - S_2 = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Hence, Every Double Star graph  $S_{m,n}$  is accept range labeling. ∴ Any Double Star graph is a range graph.

**Example 4. Range labeling for star graph shown in the figure4**



**Remark 4:**

Range value of  $S_{3,3} = \text{Maximum edge value of } (S_{3,3}) - \text{Minimum edge value of } (S_{3,3})$   
 $RV(S_{3,3}) = 21 - 4 = 17$

**Theorem 5. The symmetrical tree is a Range graph.**

**Proof:**

Let  $G = (S, T)$  be a graph.

Let  $\alpha: S_1 \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ ,  $\alpha_1: S_{1i} \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ , for  $i=1, 2$  and  $\alpha_2: S_{1ij} \rightarrow \{1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 21, 28, \dots, (n^2+n)/2\}$ , for  $i, j=1, 2$ .

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_1, S_{1i}) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_1, S_{1i})$ .

If  $S_{1i}$  is a minimum value and  $S_1$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_1 - S_{1i} = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Suppose  $S_{1i}$  is a minimum value and  $S_{1i}$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_{1i} - S_1 = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

$\alpha^*(T) = \text{Maximum value of } (S_{1i}, S_{1ij}) - \text{Minimum value of } (S_{1i}, S_{1ij})$ .

If  $S_{1ij}$  is a minimum value and  $S_{1i}$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_{1i} - S_{1ij} = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Suppose  $S_{1i}$  is a minimum value and  $S_{1ij}$  is a maximum value.

$$= S_{1ij} - S_{1i} = Z \text{ is an integer.}$$

Hence, every symmetrical tree is accepting range labeling.

$\therefore$  Any symmetrical tree is a range graph.

**Example 5:** Range labeling of symmetrical tree shown in the

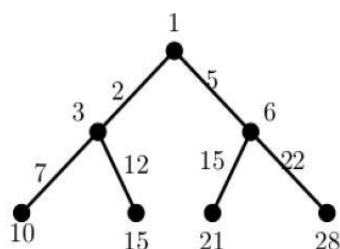


Figure 5

**Remark 5:** Range value of symmetrical tree = Maximum edge value of symmetrical tree - Minimum edge value of symmetrical tree  
 $RV(S_{1,2}) = 22 - 2 = 20$ .

**CONCLUSION**

In this paper we have discussed some graphs which accept Range labeling. Further investigation can be done to obtain

the condition at which some special graph accept range labeling.

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