

ON INTEGRAL PERFECT FACTOGRAPH AND INTEGRAL BI-FACTOGRAPH

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ABSTRACT

Using the theorem of unique factorization for integers, every positive integer z can be written in the canonical form $z = p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2} \dots p_r^{\alpha_r}$, where p_1, p_2, \dots, p_r are distinct primes, $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_r$ are positive integers. We can construct a graph G which is associated with this z . Integral divisors of z being a vertex set V , two distinct vertices of V are adjacent in G if their product is in V and the corresponding graph is called Integral Factograph. For given z , we have introduced two new classes of graphs namely, Integral Perfect Factograph and Integral Bi-Factograph with respect to the values $r = 1$ and $r = 2$, attempt to find their degree sequence and clique number.

Keywords: Factograph, Integral Factograph, Integral Perfect factograph, Integral Bi-factograph, clique number.

1. INTRODUCTION

Graph indicates a finite undirected, non-trivial graph without loops and multiple edges. The order and size of a graph is denoted by p and q respectively. For terms not defined here we refer to Frank Harary[5]. The concept of factograph was introduced in [2][3]. In this paper we extend the concept to Integral Factograph. For a positive integer z , an Integral Factograph is represented as $G=(V, E)$ where $V = \{v_i, -v_i / v_i \text{ and } -v_i \text{ are factors of } z\}$ and two distinct vertices v_i and v_j are adjacent if and only if their product is in V . A clique of a graph G is a complete subgraph of G . A clique of G is a maximal clique if it is not properly contained in another clique of G . Number of vertices in the maximal clique of G is called the clique number of G and is denoted by $\omega(G)$. For $v \in V$, $d(v)$ is the number of edges incident with v .

2. INTEGRAL PERFECT FACTOGRAPH

Definition: 2.1 An Integral factograph G with $z = p_1^{\alpha_1}$, where p_1 is a prime and α_1 is a positive integer is called Integral perfect factograph.

Theorem: 2.2 An Integral perfect factograph G is of order $2(\alpha_1+1)$ and the degree sequence is

- (i) $s_1: 2\alpha_1+1, 2\alpha_1+1, 2\alpha_1-1, 2\alpha_1-1, \dots, \alpha_1+1, \alpha_1+1, \alpha_1, \alpha_1, \dots, 4, 4, 2, 2$, when α_1 is even.
- (ii) $s_2: 2\alpha_1+1, 2\alpha_1+1, 2\alpha_1-1, 2\alpha_1-1, \dots, 2\left\lceil \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rceil + 1, 2\left\lceil \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rceil + 1, 2\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rfloor, 2\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rfloor, \dots, 4, 4, 2, 2$, when α_1 is odd.

Proof:

Case (i): When α_1 is even,

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Let $G = (V, E)$ be an Integral factograph with $z = p_1^{\alpha_1}$. Number of integral divisors of $p_1^{\alpha_1}$ is $2(\alpha_1 + 1)$ and hence the order of G is $2(\alpha_1 + 1)$. Let $V = \{p_1^0, -p_1^0, p_1^1, -p_1^1, p_1^2, -p_1^2, \dots, p_1^{\alpha_1}, -p_1^{\alpha_1}\}$ be the vertex set of G . For convenience split the vertex set V into two classes such that $A = \{p_1^0, p_1^1, p_1^2, \dots, p_1^{\alpha_1}\}$ and $B = \{-p_1^0, -p_1^1, -p_1^2, \dots, -p_1^{\alpha_1}\}$. In G , We observe that for $i \neq j$, the vertex p_1^i (or $-p_1^i$) is adjacent to p_1^j (or $-p_1^j$) if and only if $i + j \leq \alpha_1$. Thus the vertex p_1^0 adjacent with rest of the vertices, which implies $d(p_1^0) = 2\alpha_1 + 1$ and $d(-p_1^0) = 2\alpha_1 + 1$. The vertex p_1^1 adjacent with $\alpha_1 - 1$ vertices from A and α_1 vertices from B implies that $d(p_1^1) = 2\alpha_1 - 1$. Also, $d(-p_1^1) = 2\alpha_1 - 1$. Consider the vertex $p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}}$ in A , it is adjacent to $\frac{\alpha_1}{2}$ vertices of A and $\frac{\alpha_1}{2} + 1$ vertices of B and which implies that $d(p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}}) = \alpha_1 + 1$ and $d(-p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}}) = \alpha_1 + 1$. Likewise $p_1^{\alpha_1}$ is adjacent only with p_1^0 and $-p_1^0$, which gives $d(p_1^{\alpha_1}) = 2$ and $d(-p_1^{\alpha_1}) = 2$. Hence the degree sequence of G is $s: 2\alpha_1 + 1, 2\alpha_1 + 1, 2\alpha_1 - 1, 2\alpha_1 - 1, \dots, \alpha_1 + 1, \alpha_1 + 1, \alpha_1, \alpha_1, \dots, 4, 4, 2, 2$.

Similar manner we can prove for the odd case.

Theorem: 2.3 For an Integral perfect factograph G , the clique number is given by,

$$\omega(G) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{\alpha_1}{2} + 1\right) + \left(\frac{\alpha_1}{2} + 1\right), & \text{if } \alpha_1 \text{ is even} \\ \left(\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rfloor + 1\right) + \left(\left\lceil \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rceil + 1\right), & \text{if } \alpha_1 \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Proof: When α_1 is even,

Let $G = (V, E)$ be an Integral perfect factograph with $z = p_1^{\alpha_1}$. Let $V = \{p_1^0, -p_1^0, p_1^1, -p_1^1, p_1^2, -p_1^2, \dots, p_1^{\alpha_1}, -p_1^{\alpha_1}\}$ be the vertex set of G and we consider the set $S = \{p_1^x, -p_1^x / 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\alpha_1}{2}\}$, which is a proper subset of V . We seek to prove that the subgraph of G induced by S is the maximal clique of G .

Claim: $\langle S \rangle$ is a clique of G

In a perfect factograph G , we observe that for $i \neq j$, a vertex p_1^i (or $-p_1^i$) is adjacent to p_1^j (or $-p_1^j$) if and only if $i + j \leq \alpha_1$. We try to prove that every pair of distinct vertices in S is adjacent. Consider two arbitrary vertices p_1^a (or $-p_1^a$) and p_1^b (or $-p_1^b$) in S . Since $a + b \leq \alpha_1$, we have p_1^a and p_1^b are adjacent. Thus the subgraph induced by S is a complete subgraph of G . It remains to prove that $\langle S \rangle$ is the maximal clique of G . Take any arbitrary vertex v in V which is not in S . By the Integral factograph condition, $S + \{v\}$ is not a clique of G implies that S is the maximal clique of G and $\omega(G) = |S| = \left(\frac{\alpha_1}{2} + 1\right) + \left(\frac{\alpha_1}{2} + 1\right)$.

Similar manner, we can prove for the odd case.

Example: 2.4 consider an Integral perfect factograph G with $z = p_1^3$. Here order of G is 8.

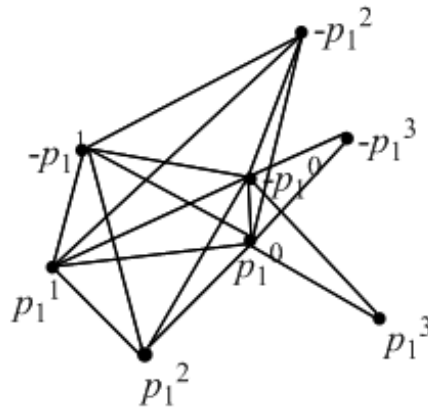


Figure: 1

We observe that, the degree sequence of G is $s: 7, 7, 5, 5, 4, 4, 2, 2$ and $\omega(G)$ is 5.

3. INTEGRAL BI-FACTOGRAPH

Definition: 3.1 An Integral factograph G with $z = p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}$, where p_1, p_2 are distinct primes and α_1, α_2 are positive integers is called Integral Bi-factograph.

Theorem: 3.2 Let α_1 and α_2 be two positive integers, p_1 and p_2 be two distinct primes. An Integral Bi-factograph G has order $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)$ and the degree sequence is given by,

(i) s_1 : $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)\alpha_2-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)\alpha_2-1, \dots, 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, \dots, 2(\alpha_1+1), 2(\alpha_1+1), \dots, 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), \dots, 2, 2$, where α_1 and α_2 are even.

(ii) s_2 : $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, \dots, 2(\alpha_1+1)\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \rfloor, 2(\alpha_1+1)\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \rfloor, \dots, 2\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \rfloor(\alpha_2 + 1), 2\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \rfloor(\alpha_2 + 1), \dots, 2, 2$, where α_1 and α_2 are odd.

(iii) s_3 : $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, \dots, 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, \dots, 2\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \rfloor(\alpha_2 + 1), 2\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \rfloor(\alpha_2 + 1), \dots, 2, 2$, where α_1 is odd and α_2 is even.

(iv) s_4 : $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1, \dots, 2(\alpha_1+1)\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \rfloor, 2(\alpha_1+1)\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \rfloor, \dots, \binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), \binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), \dots, 2, 2$, where α_1 is even and α_2 is odd.

Proof: Case (i): When α_1 and α_2 are even,

Let $\bar{G} = (V, E)$ be an Integral Bi-factograph. If $z = p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2} \dots p_r^{\alpha_r}$, then the number integral divisors of z is $2\prod_{i=1}^r (\alpha_i + 1)$. Therefore, number of Integral divisors of $z = p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}$ is $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)$ so that the order of \bar{G} is $2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)$. Let $V = \{p_1^0 p_2^0, -p_1^0 p_2^0, p_1^0 p_2^1, -p_1^0 p_2^1, \dots, p_1^0 p_2^{\frac{\alpha_2}{2}+1}, -p_1^0 p_2^{\frac{\alpha_2}{2}+1}, \dots, p_1^0 p_2^{\alpha_2}, -p_1^0 p_2^{\alpha_2}, \dots, p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}+1} p_2^{\alpha_2}, -p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}+1} p_2^{\alpha_2}, \dots, p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}, -p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}\}$. In \bar{G} , we observe that for $i \neq k, j \neq l$, the vertex $p_1^i p_2^j$ (or $-p_1^i p_2^j$) is adjacent with $p_1^k p_2^l$ if and only if $i+k \leq \alpha_1$ and $j+l \leq \alpha_2$. Thus the vertex $p_1^0 p_2^0$ adjacent to rest of the vertices which implies $d(p_1^0 p_2^0) = 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1$ and $d(-p_1^0 p_2^0) = 2(\alpha_1+1)(\alpha_2 + 1)-1$. Proceeding like that we have the degree sequence as follows $d(p_1^0 p_2^1) = 2(\alpha_1+1)\alpha_2-1, d(-p_1^0 p_2^1) = 2(\alpha_1+1)\alpha_2-1, \dots, d(p_1^0 p_2^{\frac{\alpha_2}{2}+1}) = 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, d(-p_1^0 p_2^{\frac{\alpha_2}{2}+1}) = 2(\alpha_1+1)\binom{\alpha_2}{2}, \dots, d(p_1^0 p_2^{\alpha_2}) = 2(\alpha_1+1), d(-p_1^0 p_2^{\alpha_2}) = 2(\alpha_1+1), \dots, d(p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}+1} p_2^0) = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), d(-p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}+1} p_2^0) = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2}(\alpha_2 + 1), \dots, d(p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}) = 2, d(-p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_2}) = 2$.

Similarly we can prove for the cases (ii), (iii), (iv).

Theorem: 3.3 The clique number of an Integral Bi-fact graph G is

- (i) $\omega(G) = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2} + 1, 2\binom{\alpha_2}{2} + 1$, when α_1 and α_2 are even.
- (ii) $\omega(G) = 2\left[\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rfloor + 1\right] \left[\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \right\rfloor + 1\right] + 2$, when α_1 and α_2 are odd.
- (iii) $\omega(G) = 2\left[\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_1}{2} \right\rfloor + 1\right] \binom{\alpha_2}{2} + 1$, when α_1 is odd and α_2 is even.
- (iv) $\omega(G) = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2} + 1, \left[\left\lfloor \frac{\alpha_2}{2} \right\rfloor + 1\right] + 1$, when α_1 is even and α_2 is odd.

Proof: Case (i): When α_1 and α_2 are even,

Let $G = (V, E)$ be an Integral Bi-factograph and $V = \{p_1^0 p_2^0, -p_1^0 p_2^0, \dots, p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_1}, -p_1^{\alpha_1} p_2^{\alpha_1}\}$ be the vertex set of G. We consider the set $S = \{p_1^x p_2^y, -p_1^x p_2^y / 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\alpha_1}{2}, 0 \leq y \leq \frac{\alpha_2}{2}\}$ which is a proper subset of V. We seek to prove that the subgraph of G induced by S is the maximal clique of G. In G, we observe that for $i \neq k, j \neq l$, the vertex $p_1^i p_2^j$ (or $-p_1^i p_2^j$) is adjacent with $p_1^k p_2^l$ (or $-p_1^k p_2^l$) in G if and only if $i+k \leq \alpha_1$ and $j+l \leq \alpha_2$. We have to prove that every pair of distinct vertices in S are adjacent. Take two arbitrary vertices $p_1^a p_2^b$ and $p_1^c p_2^d$ in S, since the maximum range of a, c and b, d are less than are equal to $\frac{\alpha_1}{2}$ and $\frac{\alpha_2}{2}$ respectively. Therefore, by the integral factograph condition $p_1^a p_2^b$ and $p_1^c p_2^d$ are adjacent. Thus $\langle S \rangle$ is a clique of G. It remains to show that $\langle S \rangle$ is the maximal clique of G. Take an arbitrary vertex $v \in V \setminus S$, v cannot be adjacent to $p_1^{\frac{\alpha_1}{2}} p_2^{\frac{\alpha_2}{2}}$ in S, which implies $\langle S \rangle + \{v\}$ cannot be a clique of G. Therefore $\langle S \rangle$ is the maximal clique of G and $|S| = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2} + 1, 2\binom{\alpha_2}{2} + 1$, which implies that $\omega(G) = 2\binom{\alpha_1}{2} + 1, 2\binom{\alpha_2}{2} + 1$.

Similarly we can prove the cases (ii), (iii), (iv).

Example: 3.4 Consider an Integral Bi-factograph G with $z = p_1^1 p_2^1$ which is depicted in figure.2.

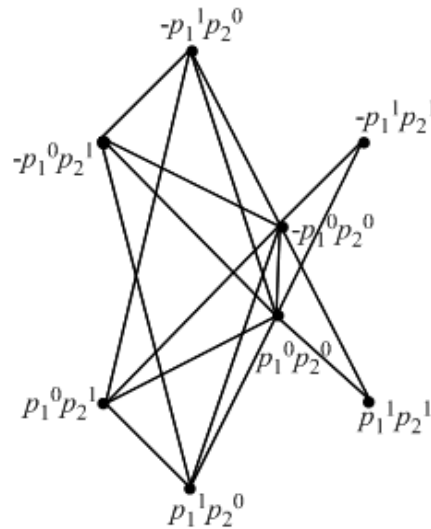


Figure: 2

We observe that, the order of G is 8, the degree sequence is $s: 7, 7, 4, 4, 4, 4, 2, 2$ and $\omega(G)$ is 6.

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