

COMPLEMENTARY TREE DOMINATION
IN BOOLEAN FUNCTION GRAPH $B(K_p, INC, \bar{K}_q)$ OF A GRAPH

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ABSTRACT

For any graph G , let $V(G)$ and $E(G)$ denote the vertex set and edge set of G respectively. The Boolean function graph $B(K_p, INC, \bar{K}_q)$ of G is a graph with vertex set $V(G) \cup E(G)$ and two vertices in $B(K_p, INC, \bar{K}_q)$ are adjacent if and only if they correspond to two adjacent vertices of G , two nonadjacent vertices of G or to a vertex and an edge incident to it in G . For brevity, this graph is denoted by $B_4(G)$. In this paper, bounds of complementary tree domination number of Boolean function graph $B_4(G)$ are obtained and this number is found for Boolean function graphs of particular graphs. Also a characterization of graphs for which tree domination number is equal to 2 is obtained.

Key Words: Boolean Function Graph, Complementary tree dominating set, tree dominating set.

1. INTRODUCTION

Graphs discussed in this paper are undirected and simple graphs. For a graph G , let $V(G)$ and $E(G)$ denote its vertex set and edge set respectively. The graph G with p vertices and q edges is denoted by $G(p, q)$. The points and edges of a graph are called its elements. Two elements of a graph are neighbors, if they are either incident or adjacent. For a connected graph G , the eccentricity $e(v) = \{d(u, v) : u \in V(G)\}$, where $d(u, v)$ is the distance between u and v in G . The radius of G is $rad(G) = \min\{e(v) : v \in V(G)\}$. A vertex v is a central vertex if $e(v) = rad(G)$. A Bistar whose central vertices have degree m and n is denoted by $S_{m,n}$.

The concept of domination in graphs was introduced by Ore [11]. A set $D \subseteq V(G)$ is said to be a dominating set of G , if every vertex in $V(G) - D$ is adjacent to some vertex in D . The domination number $\gamma(G)$ of G is the minimum cardinality of a dominating set. We call a set of vertices a γ -set, if it is a dominating set with cardinality $\gamma(G)$. Many domination parameters are obtained by combining domination with another graph theoretical property. Some domination parameters are defined by imposing additional constraint on the complement of a dominating set. Such parameters are called codomination parameters. Based on these, the concepts of split and nonsplit domination in graphs were introduced by Kulli and Janakiram [8, 9]. Chen *et.al.* [2] defined a tree dominating set D to be a set D whose induced subgraph $\langle D \rangle$ is a tree. The minimum cardinality of a tree dominating set of G is the tree domination number $\gamma_{tr}(G)$. If there is no tree dominating set in G , then let $\gamma_{tr}(G) = 0$. A dominating set $D \subseteq V(G)$ is said to be tree dominating set if the induced subgraph $\langle D \rangle$ is a tree. Muthammai, Bhanumathi and Vidhya [10] introduced the concept of complement tree dominating set. A dominating set $D \subseteq V(G)$ is said to be complementary tree dominating set (ctd-set) if the induced subgraph $\langle V(G) - D \rangle$ is a tree. The minimum cardinality of a ctd-set is called the complementary tree domination number of G and is denoted by $\gamma_{ctd}(G)$.

Whitney [12] introduced the concept of the line graph $L(G)$ of a given graph G in 1932. The concept of total graphs was introduced by Behzad [1] in 1966. Janakiraman *et al.* introduced the concepts of Boolean and Boolean function graphs [4 - 7].

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2. PREVIOUS RESULTS

Observation 2.1: [6]

1. K_p is an induced subgraph of $B_4(G)$ and the subgraph of $B_4(G)$ induced by q vertices is totally disconnected.
2. Number of vertices in $B_4(G)$ is $p + q$, since $B_4(G)$ contains vertices of both G and the line graph $L(G)$ of G .
3. Number of edges in $B_4(G)$ is $(p(p-1))/2 + 2q$
4. For every vertex $v \in V(G)$, $d_{B_4(G)}(v) = p - 1 + d_G(v)$
 - (a) If G is complete, then $d_{B_4(G)}(v) = 2(p - 1)$
 - (b) If G is totally disconnected, then $d_{B_4(G)}(v) = p - 1$
 - (c) If G has atleast one edge, then $2 \leq d_{B_4(G)}(v) \leq 2(p - 1)$ and $d_{B_4(G)}(v) = 1$ if and only if $G \cong 2K_1$.
5. $\gamma(B_4(G)) = 1$ if and only if $G \cong K_{1,n} \cup mK_1$, $n, m \geq 1$.
6. For an edge $e \in E(G)$, $d_{B_4(G)}(e) = 2$
7. $B_4(G)$ is always connected.

Theorem 2.1: [10] $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = 1$ if and only if $G \cong T + K_1$, where T is a tree.

Theorem 2.2: [10] For any connected graph G with $p \geq 2$, $\gamma_{ctd}(G) \leq p - 1$.

Theorem 2.3: [10] Let G be a connected graph with $p \geq 2$. $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = p - 1$ if and only if G is a star on p vertices.

Theorem 2.4: [10] Let G be a connected graph containing a cycle. Then $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = p - 2$ if and only if G is isomorphic to one of the following graphs C_p , K_p or G is the graph obtained by attaching pendant edges at atleast one of the vertices of a complete graph.

Theorem 2.5: [10] Let T be a tree with p vertices which is not a star. Then $\gamma_{ctd}(T) = p - 2$ if and only if T is a path or T is obtained by attaching pendant edges at atleast one of the end vertices.

3. MAIN RESULTS

In the following, an upper bound of $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G))$ is found.

Theorem 3.1: For any graph G with p vertices, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq p + q - \Delta(G) - \delta(G) - 2$.

Proof: Let G be a graph with p vertices. Let u be a vertex of G with $\deg(u) = \Delta(G)$ and let v be a vertex of G with $\deg(v) = t$, where $t = \text{Max}\{\deg_G(v) : v \in N(u)\}$. Then $|N(v)| = t$.

If $D = N(u) \cup N(v) \cup \{u, v\}$, then $V(B_4(G)) - D$ is a complementary tree dominating set of $B_4(G)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq |V(B_4(G)) - D| = p + q - (\Delta(G) + t + 2) = p + q - \Delta(G) - t - 2$.

$$\leq p + q - \Delta(G) - \delta(G) - 2.$$

Equality holds, if $G \cong K_{m,m}$ and C_n ($m, n \geq 4$).

Note 3.1: If G contains atleast one edge and three vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \geq 2$.

Theorem 3.2: Let G be a connected graph with p vertices and $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = 1$. Then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq 2p - 5$.

Proof: Let G be a connected graph with p vertices and $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = 1$. Then G is isomorphic to $T + K_1$, where T is a tree on $p - 1$ vertices and hence $B_4(G)$ has $3(p - 1)$ vertices. Let $v \in V(K_1)$ and u be a vertex of T with $\deg_T(u) = \Delta(T)$ and $e = (u, v)$ and let E' be the set of edges in G incident with u, v or both. If D' be the set of vertices in $B_4(G)$ corresponding to the edges in E' , let $D = D' \cup \{u, v\} - \{e\}$ and $|D'| = \deg_G(v) + \deg_T(u) + 2 - 1 = p - 1 + \Delta(T) + 1 = p + \Delta(T)$ and $V(B_4(G)) - D$ is a complementary tree dominating set of $B_4(G)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq |V(B_4(G)) - D'| = 3p - 3 - (p + \Delta(T)) \leq 2p - 5$, since $\Delta(T) \geq 2$.

Equality holds, if $G \cong P_n + K_1$ where P_n is a path on n vertices.

In the following complementary tree domination number of $B_4(G)$ is found when G is a path, cycle, complete graph, complete bipartite graph, star and wheel.

Theorem 3.3: If G is a Path P_n on n ($n \geq 5$) vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(P_n)) = 2n - 7$.

Proof: Let $G \cong P_n$, $n \geq 5$. $B_4(P_n)$ has $2n - 1$ vertices. Let v_i, v_j be two distinct vertices of degree 2 in P_n such that $d_G(v_i, v_j) \geq 2$ and let e_{i1}, e_{i2} be the edges incident with v_i and e_{j1}, e_{j2} be the edges incident with v_j . Then $v_i, v_j, e_{i1}, e_{i2}, e_{j1}, e_{j2} \in V(B_4(P_n))$. If $D = \{v_i, v_j, e_{i1}, e_{i2}, e_{j1}, e_{j2}\}$, then $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{2,2}$ and D is a ctd - set of $B_4(P_n)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(P_n) \leq |V(B_4(P_n)) - D| = 2n - 1 - 6 = 2n - 7$. Let D' be a ctd-set of $B_4(P_n)$. Since K_n is an induced subgraph of $B_4(P_n)$, $V(B_4(P_n)) - D$ contains atmost two vertices of P_n . Also each vertex of $L(G)$ is adjacent to two vertices of G in $B_4(G)$. Therefore any tree of $B_4(G)$ contains atmost 6 vertices and hence D' contains atleast $2n - 1 - 6 = 2n - 7$ vertices. Therefore $|D'| \geq 2n - 7$. Hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(P_n)) = 2n - 7$.

Remark 3.1: If C_n is a cycle on n ($n \geq 4$) vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(C_n)) = 2n - 6$ and $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(C_3)) = 2$.

Theorem 3.4: If K_n is a complete graph on n vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_n)) = (n^2 - 3n + 4)/2$, where $n \geq 4$.

Proof: $B_4(K_n)$ has $n + (n(n - 1))/2$ vertices. Let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n be the vertices of K_n , $e_{12}, e_{13}, \dots, e_{1n}$ be the edges incident with v_1 and let $e_{1n}, e_{2n}, \dots, e_{n-1, n}$ be the edges incident with v_n .

Then $D = \{v_1, v_n, e_{12}, e_{13}, \dots, e_{1n-1}, e_{2n}, \dots, e_{n-1, n}\} \subseteq V(B_4(K_n))$, $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{n-2, n-2}$, and $|D| = 2n - 2$, where $n \geq 4$. $V(B_4(K_n)) - D$ is a ctd-set of $B_4(K_n)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_n)) \leq n + ((n(n - 1))/2) - (2n - 2) = (n^2 - 3n + 4)/2$. Since K_n is an induced subgraph of $B_4(K_n)$, any tree of $B_4(K_n)$ has atmost $2n - 2$ vertices. Therefore any ctd-set of $B_4(K_n)$ contains atleast $(n^2 - 3n + 4)/2$ vertices. Hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_n)) \geq (n^2 - 3n + 4)/2$.

Theorem 3.5: If $K_{m,n}$ ($m \geq n$) is the complete bipartite graph, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{m,n})) = mn - 2$, $m, n \geq 2$.

Proof: Let $[A, B]$ be the bipartition of $K_{m,n}$ such that $|A| = m$ and $|B| = n$. Let $u, v \in B$. Then $\deg(u) = \deg(v) = m$. If e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m be the edges incident with u and f_1, f_2, \dots, f_m be those edges incident with v , then $u, v, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m, f_1, f_2, \dots, f_m \in V(B_4(K_{m,n}))$.

Let $D = \{u, v, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m, f_1, f_2, \dots, f_m\}$. Then $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{m, m}$ and $V(B_4(K_{m,n})) - D$ is a minimum dominating set of $B_4(K_{m,n})$. Therefore, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{m,n})) = |V(B_4(K_{m,n})) - D| = m + n + mn - (m + n + 2) = mn - 2$.

Remark 3.2: If G is a star on $n + 1$ vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{1,n})) = n - 2$, $n \geq 2$.

Theorem 3.6: If W_p is the wheel on p vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(W_p)) = 3p - 9$, where $p \geq 5$.

Proof: Let $v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{p-1}$ be vertices of W_p and let $e_i = (v, v_i)$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p-1$, $e_{i, i+1} = (v_i, v_{i+1})$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p-2$ and $e_{p-1, 1} = (v_{p-1}, v_1)$. $|V(B_4(W_p))| = 3p - 1$.

Then $v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{p-1}, e_{i, i+1}, e_{p-1, 1} \in V(B_4(W_p))$. Let v_i, v_j be two nonadjacent vertices in W_p . and let e_{i1}, e_{i2}, e_{i3} be the edges incident with v_i and e_{j1}, e_{j2}, e_{j3} be the edges incident with v_j . Then $e_{i1}, e_{i2}, e_{i3}, e_{j1}, e_{j2}, e_{j3} \in V(B_4(W_p))$. Let $D = \{e_{i1}, e_{i2}, e_{i3}, e_{j1}, e_{j2}, e_{j3}, v_i, v_j\} \subseteq V(B_4(W_p))$. Then each vertex in D is adjacent to atleast one vertex in $V(B_4(W_p)) - D$ and $\langle V(B_4(W_p)) - D \rangle \cong S_{3,3}$.

Therefore $V(B_4(W_p)) - D$ is a minimum ctd-set of $B_4(W_p)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(W_p)) = |V(B_4(W_p)) - D| = 3p - 1 - 8 = 3p - 9$.

Theorem 3.7: If G is a graph obtained from $K_1 + T$ with one pendant edge attached at the vertex of K_1 , where T is any tree on $p - 2$ vertices, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq 2p - \Delta(T) - 4$.

Proof: If G is a graph as stated in the Theorem, then $\gamma_{ctd}(G) = 2$. Number of vertices in G is p and the number of edges in G is $|E(T)| + p - 2 + 1 = p - 3 + p - 1 = 2p - 4$. Hence number of vertices in $B_4(G)$ is $p + 2p - 4 = 3p - 4$. Let $V(K_1) = \{v\}$ and u be the pendant vertex adjacent to v in G , $e = (u, v)$ and let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{p-2} be the vertices of T with $\deg_T(v_i) = \Delta(T)$. Let $e_i = (v, v_i)$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p - 2$. Then $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{p-2}, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{p-2}, u, v, e \in V(B_4(G))$. If $D = \{v, v_i, e, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{i-1}, e_{i+1}, \dots, e_{p-2}\} \cup N_T(v_i) (\subseteq V(B_4(G)))$, then the subgraph of $B_4(G)$ induced by D is isomorphic to $S_{p-2, \Delta(T)}$ and $|D| = p + \Delta(T)$. Since the subgraph of $B_4(G)$ induced by vertices of G is complete, v, v_i are adjacent atleast one vertex of G in $V(B_4(G)) - D$. Also $e, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{i-1}, e_{i+1}, \dots, e_{p-2}$ are adjacent to $u, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{i-1}, v_{i+1}, \dots, v_{p-2}$ respectively in $V(B_4(G)) - D$. Therefore, $V(B_4(G)) - D$ is a dominating set of $B_4(G)$ and since $D \cong S_{p-2, \Delta(T)}$, $V(B_4(G)) - D$ is a ctd-set of $B_4(G)$. Hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq |V(B_4(G)) - D| = 3p - 4 - (p + \Delta(T)) = 2p - \Delta(T) - 4$. Equality holds, if T is a path on $p - 2$ vertices.

Remark 3.3: If T is a star, then $\Delta(T) = p - 3$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq 2p - (p - 3) - 4 = p + 7$.

Theorem 3.8: If G is a graph obtained from a tree by joining each of the vertices of the tree to the vertices of K_2 such that $\deg(v) \geq 2$, for all $v \in V(K_2)$, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq 2p - 4$.

Proof: Let $V(K_2) = \{u, v\}$ and $\deg_G(u) = m$ and $\deg_G(v) = n$, where $m, n \geq 2$ and $m + n \leq p$ and let T be a tree on $p - 2$ vertices. Then $|E(G)| = |E(T)| + m - 1 + n - 1 + 1 = p - 3 + m + n - 1 = p + m + n - 4$. Therefore $|V(B_4(G))| = |V(G)| + |E(G)| = 2p + m + n - 4$. Let u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{m-1} be the vertices of T adjacent to u and let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n-1} be the vertices of T adjacent to v in G .

If $e_i = (u, u_i)$ and $f_j = (v, v_j)$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, m-1, j=1, 2, \dots, n-1$), then $D = \{u, v, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{m-1}, f_1, f_2, \dots, f_{n-1}\} \subseteq V(B_4(G))$ and $|D| = m + n$. Also $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{m-1, n-1}$ in $B_4(G)$. Each vertex in D is adjacent to atleast one vertex in $V(B_4(G)) - D$ and $\langle D \rangle$ is a tree in $B_4(G)$. Therefore $V(B_4(G)) - D$ is a ctd-set of $B_4(G)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq |V(B_4(G)) - D| = 2p - 4$.

Remark 3.4: If each vertex of the tree is adjacent to both u and v in G , then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) = 2p - 4$.

In the similar lines, the following theorem can be proved

Theorem 3.9: If G is a graph obtained from a tree by joining each of the vertices of the tree to the vertices of $2K_1$ such that $\deg(v) \geq 1$, for all $v \in V(2K_1)$, then $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(G)) \leq 2p - 5$.

Theorem 3.10: For $n \geq 3$, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(P_n + K_1)) = 2n - 3$.

Proof: Let $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \in V(C_n), v \in V(K_1)$ and let $e_i = (v, v_i), i = 1, 2, \dots, n; e_{i,i+1} = (v_i, v_{i+1}), i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$. $|V(B_4(P_n + K_1))| = |V(P_n)| + |V(K_1)| + |E(P_n)| + n = n + 1 + n - 1 + n = 3n$. Let $D = \{v, v_{n-1}, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{n-2}, e_n, e_{n-2, n-1}, e_{n-1, n}\}$. Then D is a subset of $V(B_4(P_n + K_1))$ and $|D| = n + 3$. Each vertex in D is adjacent to atleast one vertex in $V(B_4(P_n + K_1)) - D$. Also $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{n-1, 2}$. Therefore $V(B_4(P_n + K_1)) - D$ is a minimum ctd-set of $B_4(P_n + K_1)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(P_n + K_1)) = |V(B_4(P_n + K_1)) - D| = 3n - (n + 3) = 2n - 3$.

Theorem 3.11: For $n \geq 5$, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(C_n + K_1)) = 2n - 2$.

Proof: Let $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \in V(C_n), v \in V(K_1)$ and let $e_i = (v, v_i), i = 1, 2, \dots, n; e_{i,i+1} = (v_i, v_{i+1}), i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1; e_{n, 1} = (v_n, v_1)$. $|V(B_4(C_n + K_1))| = |V(C_n)| + |V(K_1)| + |E(C_n)| + n = 3n + 1$.

Let $D = \{v, v_n, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{n-1}, e_{n-1, n}, e_{n1}\}$. Then $D \subseteq V(B_4(C_n + K_1))$, and $|D| = n + 3$. v, v_n are adjacent to $v_i, i = 2, 3, \dots, n-1$ and e_i is adjacent to $v_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1, e_{n-1, n}, e_{n1}$ are adjacent to v_n in $V(B_4(C_n + K_1)) - D$. Therefore $V(B_4(C_n + K_1)) - D$ is a dominating set of $V(B_4(C_n + K_1))$ and since $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{n-1, 2}$, $V(B_4(C_n + K_1)) - D$ is a ctd-set of $B_4(C_n + K_1)$. Also there is no other ctd-set containing less than $|V(B_4(C_n + K_1)) - D|$ vertices. Therefore $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(C_n + K_1)) \leq |V(B_4(C_n + K_1)) - D| = 3n + 1 - (n + 3) = 2n - 2$, where $n \geq 5$.

Remark 3.5: $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(C_4 + K_1)) = 5$.

Theorem 3.12: For $m, n \geq 2$, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)) = n(m + 1)$

Proof: Let $[A, B]$ be the bipartition of $K_{m,n}$. Assume $A = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}, B = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$ and $V(K_1) = \{v\}$. Let $e_{ij} = (u_i, v_j), e_i = (v, v_i)$ and $f_j = (v, u_j), i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ and $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$. $|V(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1))| = |V(K_{m,n})| + |V(K_1)| + |E(K_{m,n})| + |\{e_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, m\}| + |\{f_j, j = 1, 2, \dots, n\}| = m + n + 1 + mn + m + n = mn + 2m + 2n + 1$. If $D = \{v, u_1, e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m, f_2, \dots, f_n, e_{11}, e_{21}, \dots, e_{m1}\}$, then $D \subseteq V(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)), |D| = 2m + n + 1$ and $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{m+n-1, m}$. As in Theorem, $V(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)) - D$ is a minimum ctd - set of $B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)) = |V(B_4(K_{m,n} + K_1)) - D| = (mn + 2m + 2n + 1) - (2m + n + 1) = n(m + 1)$.

Theorem 3.13: For $m, n \geq 3$, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1)) = n + 3$.

Proof: Let $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n, v_{n+1} \in V(K_{1,n})$, where v_1 is the central vertex and $V(K_1) = \{v\}$. Let $e_i = (v, v_i), i = 1, 2, \dots, n+1, e_{1j} = (v_1, v_j), j = 2, 3, \dots, n+1$. Then $|V(B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1))| = |V(K_{1,n})| + |V(K_1)| + |\{e_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, n+1\}| + |\{e_{1j}, j = 2, 3, \dots, n+1\}| = n + 1 + 1 + n + 1 + n = 3n + 3$.

If $D = \{v, v_1, e_2, e_3, \dots, e_n, e_{12}, e_{13}, \dots, e_{1n}\} \subseteq V(B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1))$, then $|D| = 2n$ and $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{n-1, n-1}$. Also $V(B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1)) - D$ is a minimum ctd-set of $B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(K_{1,n} + K_1)) = 3n + 3 - 2n = n + 3$.

Theorem 3.14: For $p \geq 5$, $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(W_p + K_1)) = 2p - 1$.

Proof: Let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p be vertices of W_p , where v_1 is the central vertex and $v \in V(K_1)$. Let the edges of $B_4(W_p + K_1)$ be denoted by $e_i = (v, v_i)$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, p$; $e_{ij} = (v_1, v_j)$, $j = 2, 3, \dots, p$; $(e_i, e_{i+1}) = (v_i, v_{i+1})$, $i = 2, 3, \dots, p-1$ and $e_{p2} = (v_p, v_2)$. $V(B_4(W_p + K_1)) = (V(W_p + K_1)) \cup (E(W_p + K_1))$ and $|V(B_4(W_p + K_1))| = |V(W_p + K_1)| + |E(W_p + K_1)| = (p + 1) + p + (p-1) + (p-2) + 1 = 4p - 1$. If $D = \{v, v_1, e_2, e_3, \dots, e_p, e_{12}, e_{13}, \dots, e_{1p}\} \subseteq V(B_4(W_p + K_1))$, then $V(B_4(W_p + K_1)) - D$ is a dominating set of $W_p + K_1$. Also $\langle D \rangle \cong S_{p-1, p-1}$. Therefore $V(B_4(W_p + K_1)) - D$ is ctd-set of $B_4(W_p + K_1)$ and hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(W_p + K_1)) \leq |V(B_4(W_p + K_1)) - D| = 4p - 1 - 2p = 2p - 1$. Also there exists no ctd-set in $B_4(W_p + K_1)$ having $2p - 1$ vertices. Hence $\gamma_{ctd}(B_4(W_p + K_1)) = 2p - 1$.

In the following, tree domination number of $B_4(G)$ is found.

Observation 3.1: $\gamma(B_4(G)) = \gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 1$ if and only if $G \cong K_{1,n} \cup mK_1$, $n, m \geq 1$.

Theorem 3.15: Let G be not a star and $\delta(G) \geq 1$. Then $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 2$ if and only if there exists a minimum point cover of G containing two adjacent vertices.

Proof: Let D be a minimum point cover of G containing two adjacent vertices say, u, v . Then each vertex of G in $B_4(G)$ is adjacent to both u and v . Since D is a point cover, each edge in G is incident with atleast one of u and v . Therefore vertices in $B_4(G)$ corresponding to the edges of G are adjacent to atleast one of u and v and hence D is a dominating set of $B_4(G)$. Also $\langle D \rangle \cong K_2$. Therefore D is a tree dominating set of $B_4(G)$. Hence $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) \leq |D| = 2$. Since G is not a star, $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) \geq 2$. Therefore $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 2$.

Conversely assume $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 2$. Then there exists a tree dominating set D of $B_4(G)$ containing two vertices and D contains atleast one vertex of G , since vertices of line graph $L(G)$ of G in $B_4(G)$ are independent. Let $D = \{u, v\}$. Then $\langle D \rangle \cong K_2$ in $B_4(G)$.

Case 1: $u \in V(G)$ and $v \in V(L(G))$

Then $v \in E(G)$ and u is incident v in G . Since D is a dominating set of $B_4(G)$, each edge in G is incident with u . That is, $\alpha_0(G) = 1$ and $G \cong K_{1,n}$, $n \geq 2$. But $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(K_{1,n})) = 1$.

Case 2: $u, v \in V(G)$

Then D is minimum point cover of G containing two adjacent vertices and $\alpha_0(G) = 2$.

Theorem 3.16: For any graph G with $\delta(G) \geq 1$, $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 0$ if and only if either $\alpha_0(G) \geq 3$ or all the point covers of G containing two vertices are independent sets of G .

Proof: Assume $\alpha_0(G) \geq 3$. Then there exists a minimum point cover of G containing three vertices. Then D is a dominating set of $B_4(G)$ and but $\langle D \rangle \cong C_3$ in $B_4(G)$ and D will not be tree dominating set of $B_4(G)$. Therefore $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 0$

Conversely assume $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 0$. If $\alpha_0(G) = 1$, then $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 1$. If $\alpha_0(G) = 2$ and if there exists a point cover D of G with $|D| = 2$ and $\langle D \rangle \cong K_2$, then $\gamma_{tr}(B_4(G)) = 2$. Therefore either $\alpha_0(G) \geq 3$ or all the point covers of G containing two vertices are independent sets of G .

CONCLUSION

In this paper, bounds of complementary tree domination number of Boolean function graph $B_4(G)$ are obtained and this number is found for Boolean function graphs of particular graphs. Also a characterization of graphs for which tree domination number is equal to 2 is obtained.

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