

SOME NEW RESULTS ON 1-NEAR MEAN CORDIAL LABELING OF GRAPHS

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ABSTRACT

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph. A surjective function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ is said to be a 1-Near Mean Cordial Labeling if for each edge uv , the induced map

$$f^*(uv) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \frac{f(u)+f(v)}{2} \text{ is an integer} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ where $e_f(0)$ is the number of edges with 0 label and $e_f(1)$ is the number of edges with 1 label.

G is said to be a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph if it has a 1- Near Mean Cordial Labeling. In this paper, we proved that wheel, complete bipartite, helm, closed helm, flower, sunflower, and $S(K_{1,n})$ are 1- Near Mean Cordial Graphs.

Keywords: 1-Near Mean Cordial Labeling, 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

1. INTRODUCTION

All graphs considered here are finite, simple and undirected. Gallian [2] has given a dynamic survey of labeling. For graph theoretic terminologies and notations we follow Harary [3]. The concept of mean cordial labeling was introduced by Raja Ponraj, Muthirulan Sivakumar and Murugesan Sundaram in the year 2012 [1,4,5,7]. Let f be a function from $V(G)$ to $\{0, 1, 2\}$. For each edge uv of G , assign the label $\left\lfloor \frac{f(u)+f(v)}{2} \right\rfloor$. f is called a mean cordial labeling of G if $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$ and $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$, $i, j \in \{0,1,2\}$ where $v_f(x)$ and $e_f(x)$ denote the number of vertices and edges labeled with $x(x=0,1,2)$ respectively. A graph with a mean cordial labeling is called Mean Graph. K.Palani, J.Rejila Jeya Surya [6] introduced a new concept called 1-Near Mean Cordial Labeling and investigated some standard graphs.

2. PRELIMINARIES

We define the concept of 1-Near Mean Cordial Labeling as follows,

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph. A surjective function $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ said to be a 1-Near Mean Cordial Labeling if for each edge uv , the induced map

$$f^*(uv) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \frac{f(u)+f(v)}{2} \text{ is an integer} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ where $e_f(0)$ is the number of edges with 0 label and $e_f(1)$ is the number of edges with 1 label.

G is said to be a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph if it has a 1- Near Mean Cordial Labeling. we proved that wheel, complete bipartite, helm, closed helm, flower, sunflower, and $S(K_{1,n})$ are 1- Near Mean Cordial Graphs.

Definition 2.1: A graph C_n+K_1 is called a **wheel** with n spokes and is denoted by W_n .

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Definition 2.2: A graph G is called a **complete bipartite graph** $K_{m,n}$ with bipartition $V(G) = V_1 \cup V_2$ where $V_1 = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\}$ and $V_2 = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$ and all vertices in V_1 are adjacent to all vertices in V_2 but no vertices in V_1 and V_2 .

Definition 2.3: The **helm** H_n , is the graph obtained from a wheel by attaching a pendant edge at each vertex of the n - cycle.

Definition 2.4: A **closed helm** CH_n , is a graph obtained from a helm by joining each pendent vertex to the central vertex of the helm.

Definition 2.5: A **flower** Fl_n , is the graph obtained from a helm graph by joining each pendant vertex to the central vertex of the helm graph.

Definition 2.6: The **sunflower graph** $v[n, s, t]$ is the resultant graph obtained from the flower graph of wheels W_n by adding $n-1$ pendant edges to the central vertex.

Definition 2.7: For each vertex v of a graph G take a new vertex v_0 . join v_0 to all the vertices of G adjacent to v . The graph $S(G)$ thus obtained is called **splitting graph** of G .

3. MAIN RESULTS

Theorem 3.1: The wheel W_n is a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be W_n .

Let $V(G) = \{u, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{[(uv_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n] \cup [(v_i v_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1] \cup [v_n v_1]\}$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The induced edge labeling are

$$f^*(uv_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(v_n v_1) = 0$$

Here, $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = n$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the wheel W_n is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 1: The 1- near mean cordial graph of W_5 is shown in the figure 1

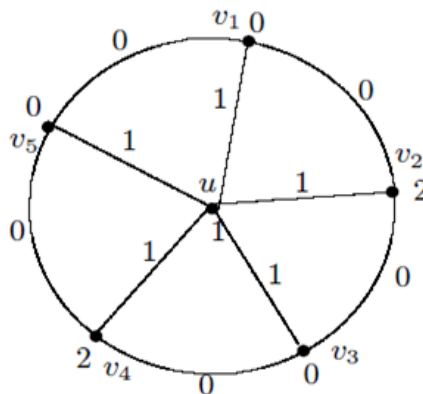


Figure 1 : W_5

Theorem 3.2: The complete bipartite graph, $K_{m,n}$ is a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be $K_{m,n}$

Let $V(G) = \{u_i : 1 \leq i \leq m, v_j : 1 \leq j \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{(u_i v_j) : 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n\}$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0, 2 \pmod{4} \\ 2 & i \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq m,$$

$$f(v_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & j \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq j \leq n,$$

The induced edge labeling are

Case-(i): when m is even and n is even or odd

$$f^*(u_{2i-1}v_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & j \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq \frac{m}{2}, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$f^*(u_{2i}v_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & j \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq \frac{m}{2}, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

Here, $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = mn$

Case-(ii): when m is odd and n is even or odd

$$f^*(u_{2i-1}v_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & j \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq \frac{m+1}{2}, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$f^*(u_{2i}v_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & j \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & j \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i < \frac{m+1}{2}, 1 \leq j \leq n$$

$$\text{Here, } e_f(0) = \begin{cases} \frac{mn-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{mn}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$e_f(1) = \begin{cases} \frac{mn+1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{mn}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the complete bipartite graph, $K_{m,n}$, is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 2: The 1-near mean cordial graph of $K_{4,3}$ and $K_{3,3}$ are shown in the figure 2(a) and figure 2(b)

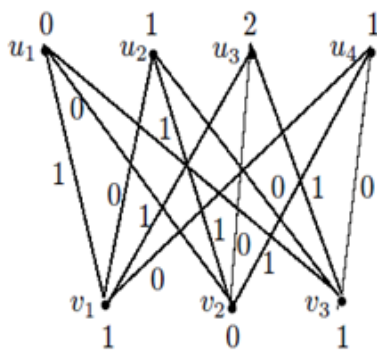


Figure 2(a): $K_{4,3}$

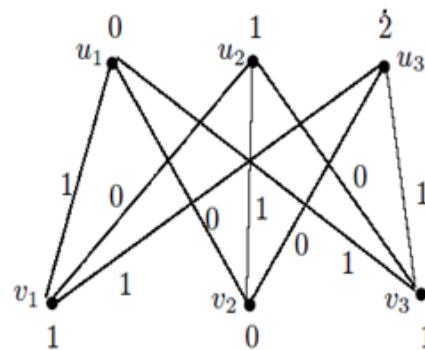


Figure 2(b): $K_{3,3}$

Theorem 3.3: The helm H_n is a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be H_n .

Let $V(G) = \{u, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and

$E(G) = \{(uv_i), (w_i v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{(v_i v_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{v_n v_1\}$

Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The induced edge labeling are

$$f^*(uv_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(v_n v_1) = 0$$

$$f^*(w_i v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$\text{Here, } e_f(0) = \begin{cases} \frac{3n+1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{3n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$e_f(1) = \begin{cases} \frac{3n-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{3n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the helm H_n is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 3: The 1-near mean cordial graph of H_5 is shown in the figure 3

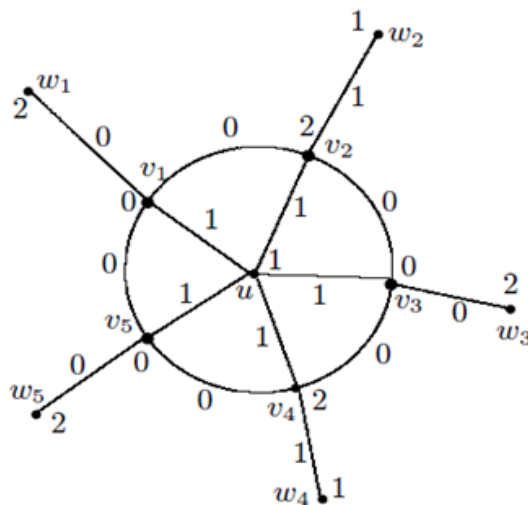


Figure 3 : H_5

Theorem 3.4: A closed helm CH_n is a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be CH_n .

Let $V(G) = \{u, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and

$E(G) = \{[(uv_i), (w_i v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n] \cup [(v_i v_{i+1}), (w_i w_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1] \cup [(v_n v_1), (w_n w_1)]\}$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The induced edge labeling are

$$f^*(uv_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i w_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(w_i w_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(v_n v_1) = 0$$

$$f^*(w_n w_1) = 0$$

Here, $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = 2n$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the closed helm CH_n is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 4: The 1-near mean cordial graph of CH_4 is shown in the figure 4,

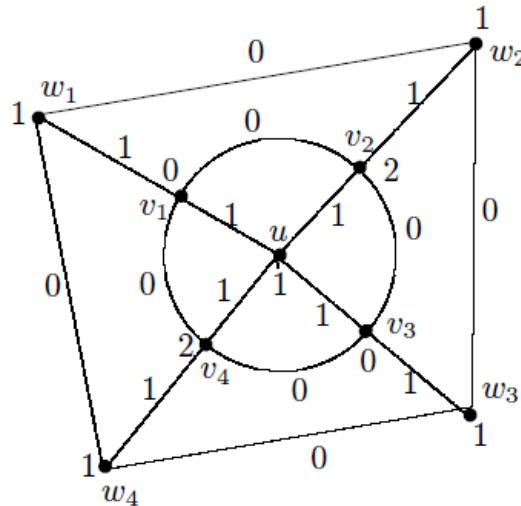


Figure 4 : CH_4

Theorem 3.5: A flower graph Fl_n is a 1- Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be Fl_n .

Let $V(G) = \{u, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and

$E(G) = \{[(uv_i), (uw_i), (w_i v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n] \cup [(v_i v_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1] \cup (v_n v_1)\}$

Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge induced labeling are,

$$f^*(uv_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(v_n v_1) = 0,$$

$$f^*(uw_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(w_i v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Here, $e_f(0) = e_f(1) = 2n$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, a flower graph Fl_n is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 5: The 1-near mean cordial graph of Fl_5 is shown in the figure 5,

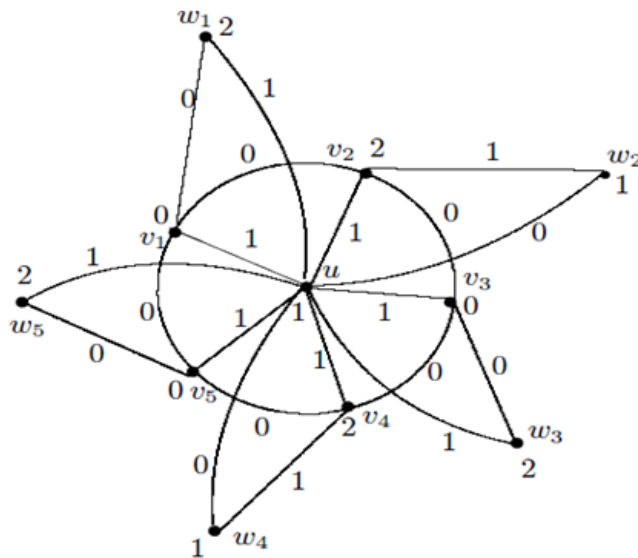


Figure 5 : Fl_5

Theorem 3.6: The sunflower graph S_n is a 1-Near Mean Cordial Graph.

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be S_n .

Let $V(G) = \{u, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, x_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and

$E(G) = \{(uv_i), (uw_i), (ux_i), (w_i v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \cup \{(v_i v_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{(v_n v_1)\}$

Define $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(w_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 2 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(x_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge induced labeling are,

$$f^*(uv_i) = 1, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(v_i v_{i+1}) = 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*(v_n v_1) = 0,$$

$$f^*(uw_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(w_i v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(ux_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$\text{Here, } e_f(0) = \begin{cases} \frac{5n+1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{5n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$e_f(1) = \begin{cases} \frac{5n-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{5n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the sunflower graph S_n is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 6: The 1-near mean cordial graph of S_4 is shown in the figure 6

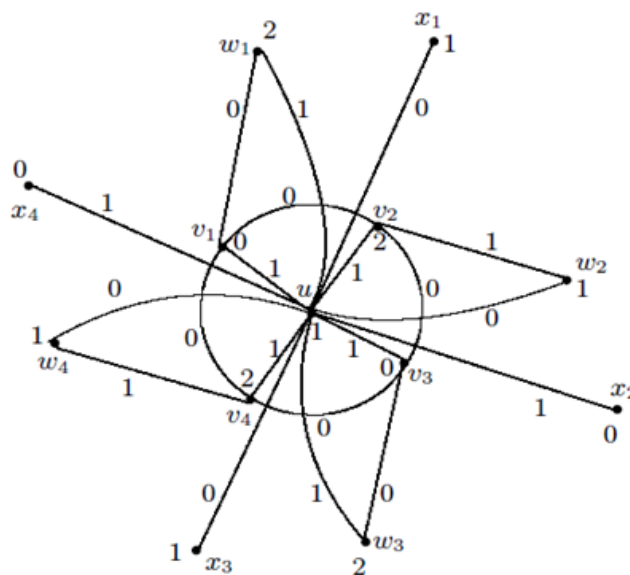


Figure 6 : S_4

Theorem 3.7: The splitting graph $S(K_{1,n})$ is a 1- Near Mean Cordial Graph

Proof: Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple graph.

Let G be $S(K_{1,n})$.

Let $V(G) = \{u, v, u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ and $E(G) = \{(uu_i), (uv_i), (vu_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$

Define $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$ by

$$f(u) = 1$$

$$f(v) = 0$$

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{3} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{3} \\ 2 & i \equiv 2 \pmod{3} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

The edge induced labeling are,

$$f^*(uu_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{3} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0, 2 \pmod{3} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(vu_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0, 2 \pmod{3} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{3} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$f^*(uv_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

$$\text{Here, } e_f(0) = \begin{cases} \frac{3n+1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{3n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$e_f(1) = \begin{cases} \frac{3n-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{3n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Hence the graph satisfies the condition $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$

Therefore, the splitting graph $S(K_{1,n})$ is a 1-near mean cordial graph.

Illustration 7: The 1- near mean cordial graph of $S(K_{1,4})$ is shown in the figure 7,

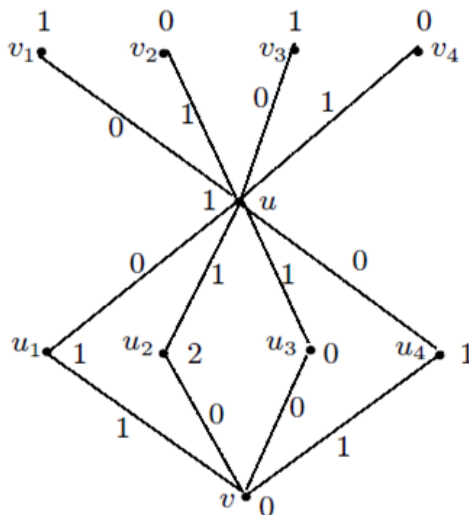


Figure 7 : $S(K_{1,4})$

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