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ON THE HYPER-WIENER INDEX OF THORNY-WHEEL GRAPHS

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INTRODUCTION

In mathematical terms a graph is represented as G = (V,E) where V is the set of vertices and E is the set of edges. Let G be an undirected connected graph without loops or multiple edges with n vertices, denoted by 1,2...n d (u,v) and it is the topological distance between the vertices u and v of V (G) is denoted by d(u; v) and it is defined as the number of edges in a minimal path connecting the vertices u and v.

The Wiener index W (G) of a connected graph G is defined as the sum of the distances between all unordered pair of vertices of G. It was put forward by Harold Wiener. The Wiener index is a graph invariant

ABSTRACT

Let G be the connected graph. The Wiener index W (G) is the sum of all distance between vertices of G, where as the hyper-Wiener index V is defined as $WW(G) = W(G) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V\{G\}} c$. In this paper we prove some general results on the hyper-Wiener index of thorny-wheel graphs.

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intensively studied both in mathematics and chemical literature, see for details [1, 2, 7, 9 and 10].

The hyper-wiener index was proposed by Randic [13] for a tree and extended by Klein et al. [3] to a connected graph. It is used to predict physicochemical properties of organic compounds. The Hyper-Wiener index defined as

$$WW(G) = \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} \binom{d_{uv}+1}{2} = W(G) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u,v)$$

The Hyper-Wiener index is studied both from a theoretical point of view and applications. We encourage the reader to consult [9-15] for further readings. The Hyper-Wiener index of Complete graph K_n , Path graph P_n , star- $K_{1:n-1}$ and cycle graph C_n is given by the expressions

$$WW(K_n) = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}, WW(P_n) = \frac{n^4 + 2n^3 - n^2 - 2n}{24}, WW(K_{1,(n-1)}) = \frac{1}{2}(n-1)(3n-4)$$

And

$$WW(C_n) = \frac{\frac{n^2(n+1)(n+2)}{48}}{\frac{n(n^2-1)(n+3)}{48}}, \quad if n is even$$

Let G be a connected n-vertex graph with vertex set V (G) = { v_1 ; v_2 ; ; v_n } and P = (p_1 , $p_{2,...}$, p_n) be an n-tuple of non-negative integers. The thorn graph G_P is the graph obtained by attached to the vertex V_i will be called the thorns of V_i. The concept of thorny graphs was introduced by Ivan Gutman.

RESULTS

Theorem 1: Let H be the wheel graph on k vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching s-number of pendent vertices to each vertex of H with common vertex then its hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} [k(10s^2k - 25s^2 + 12sk - 33s + 3k - 9) + 25s^2 - 10s^2k - 10sk + 31s - 2k + 8]$$

Proof: To find hyper-Wiener index of the graph, we need to find following two parts

To find Wiener index: $W(G) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)}$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{ s(k-1)[6sk - 17s + 3k - 10] + (k-1)[3sk - 10s + k - 4] + s(k-1) \}$$
$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{ k(6s^2k - 17s^2 + 6sk - 19s + k - 4) + 17s^2 - 6s^2k - 6sk + 19s - k + 4 \} - -(ii)$$

Combining (a) and (b) we get

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{ k(10s^2k - 25s^2 + 12sk - 33s + 3k - 9) + 25s^2 - 10s^2k - 10sk + 31s - 2k + 8 \}$$

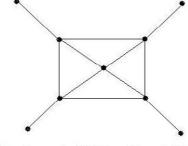


Figure 1: k = 5, s = 1, W(G) = 72 and WW(G) = 122.

Theorem 2: Let H be the wheel graph on k vertices (k is even). The graph G obtained by attaching s-number of pendent vertices to alternative vertex of graph H with common vertex then its hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2}(6pk - 7sp + 10p^2 - 17p + k + 3p - 1) + \frac{k - 1}{4}(6k - 14s + 6p + 3sk - 18)$$

Proof: To find hyper-Wiener index of the graph, we need to find following two parts:

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$$\begin{aligned} k+2s-4 \ times \quad s\left(\frac{k-1}{2}-2\right) \\ W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1+2(s+2)+3(k-4)+4(p-s) + \frac{1}{2}(s+2)+3(k-4)+4(p-s) + \frac{1}{3}+s+2(k-4)+3(p-s) + \frac{1}{3}+s+2(k-4)+3(p-s) + \frac{1}{3}+s+2(k-4)+3s\left(\frac{k-1}{2}-2\right) + \frac{1}{3}+2(k+2s-4)+3s\left(\frac{k-1}{2}-2\right) \right\} \\ &+ \frac{1}{3}+2(k+2s-4)+3s\left(\frac{k-1}{2}-2\right) \right\} \\ W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 3k-2s+4p-7+\dots+3k-2s+\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}(2k-2s+3p-5)+k+\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}(2k-2s+3p-5)+k+\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}(2k-2s+3p-5)+k+2p-1+\frac{k-1}{2}[\frac{3}{2}sk+2k-\frac{7}{2}s-5+\dots+\frac{3}{2}sk+2k-\frac{1}{2}] \right\} \\ W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 3pk-2ps+4p^2-7p+k+2p-1+\frac{k-1}{2}(2k-2s+3p-5)+k+2p-1+\frac{k-1}{2}[\frac{3}{2}sk+2k-\frac{7}{2}s-5] \right\} \\ W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 3pk-2ps+4p^2-7p+k+2p-1+\frac{k-1}{2}(4k-\frac{11}{2}s+3p-10+\frac{3}{2}sk) \right\} - - - - (i) \\ \text{To find } WW^*(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{(1+1+\dots+1+\frac{3}{2}+3+\dots+3)}_{k-4 \ times} + \underbrace{6+6+\dots+6}_{(p-s) \ times} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1+\frac{3}{2}+3+\dots+3}_{k-4 \ times} + \underbrace{6+6+\dots+6}_{(p-s) \ times} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1+\frac{3}{2}+3+\dots+3}_{(p-s) \ times} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1+\frac{3}{2}$$

$$+ \dots + \frac{1}{k-4} + \frac{1}{k-4} + \frac{3}{k-4} + \frac{3}{(p-s)} +$$

Combining (i) and (ii) gives

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2}(6pk - 7sp + 10p^2 - 17p + k + 3p - 1) + \frac{k - 1}{4}(6k - 14s + 6p + 3sk - 18)$$

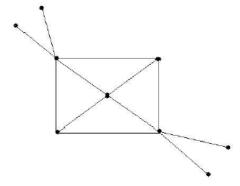


Figure 2: k = 5, s = 2, p = 4, W(G) = 72 and WW(G) = 124.

Theorem 3. Let H be the wheel graph on k vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching s-number of pendent vertices to any one vertex of graph H with common vertex then its hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \left[s(3s+6k-17) + k(6s+3k-9) + 8 - 2k - 14s \right]$$

Proof. To nd Hyper-Wiener index of the graph, We need to find following two parts

To find
$$WW^*(G)$$
 :

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u,v)$$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{\underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s+2 \text{ times}} + \underbrace{3+3+\dots+3}_{k-4 \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s+2 \text{ times}} + \underbrace{3+3+\dots+3}_{k-4 \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{k-4+s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{k-4+s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{k-4+s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{k-4+s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s-4 \text{ times}} + \underbrace{3+3+\dots+3}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{3+3+\dots+3}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{3+3+\dots+3}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots+1}_{s \text{ times}} + \underbrace{1+1+\dots$$

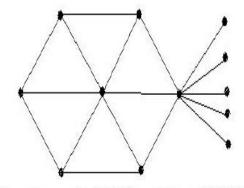


Figure 3: k = 7, s = 5, W(G) = 130 and WW(G) = 209.

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