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## Cycle Related Homo-Cordial Graphs

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### Abstract

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph with  $p$  vertices and  $q$  edges. A Homo-Cordial Labeling of a Graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0, 1\}$  such that each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label 1 if  $f(u) = f(v)$  or 0 if  $f(u) \neq f(v)$  with the condition that the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by at most 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by at most 1. The graph that admits a Homo-Cordial Labeling (HoCL) is called Homo-Cordial Graph (HoCG). In this paper, we proved that Cycle related graphs Cycle  $C_n$ ( $n$ -odd), Double triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$ ,  $D_2(C_n)$ , Globe  $Gl(n)$ , Crown  $C_n \odot K_1$  are Homo-Cordial Graphs.

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### 1. Introduction

A graph  $G$  is a finite nonempty set of objects called vertices together with a set of unordered pairs of distinct vertices of  $G$  which is called edges. Each pair  $e = \{uv\}$  of vertices in  $E$  is called edges or a line of  $G$ . In this paper, we proved that Cycle related graphs Cycle  $C_n$ ( $n$ -odd), Double triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$ ,  $D_2(C_n)$ , Globe  $Gl(n)$ , Crown  $C_n \odot K_1$  are Homo-Cordial Graphs. For graph theory terminology, we follow [2]

### 2. Preliminaries

Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph with  $p$  vertices and  $q$  edges. A Homo-Cordial Labeling of a Graph  $G$  with vertex set  $V$  is a bijection from  $V$  to  $\{0, 1\}$  such that each edge  $uv$  is assigned the label 1 if  $f(u) = f(v)$  or 0 if  $f(u) \neq f(v)$  with the condition that the number of vertices labeled with 0 and the number of vertices labeled with 1 differ by at most 1 and the number of edges labeled with 0 and the number of edges labeled with 1 differ by at most 1.

The graph that admits a Homo-Cordial Labeling (HoCL) is called a Homo-Cordial Graph (HoCG). We proved that Cycle related graphs Cycle  $C_n$ ( $n$ -odd), Double triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$ ,  $D_2(C_n)$ , Globe  $Gl(n)$ ,  $C_n \odot K_1$  are Homo-Cordial Graphs.

#### Definition: 2.1

A closed path is called a cycle and a cycle of length  $n$  is denoted by  $C_n$ .

#### Definition: 2.2

Graph obtained from a path  $P_n$ , by joining each end vertices of an edge with two isolated vertex. It is denoted by  $C_2(P_n)$ .

#### Definition: 2.3

Let  $G$  be a connected graph. A graph constructed by taking two copies of  $G$  say  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  and joining each vertex  $u$  in  $G$  to the neighbours of the corresponding vertex  $v$  in  $G_2$ , that is for every vertex  $u$  in  $G_1$  there exists  $v$  in  $G_2$  such that  $N(u) = N(v)$ . The resulting graph is known as shadow graph and it is denoted by  $D_2(G)$ .

#### Definition: 2.4

Globe is defined as the two isolated vertex are joined by  $n$  paths of length 2. It is denoted by  $Gl(n)$ .

#### Definition: 2.5

The corona  $G_1 \odot G_2$  of two graphs  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  is defined as the graph  $G$  obtained by taking one copy of  $G_1$  (which has  $P_1$  points) and  $P_1$  copies of  $G_2$  and joining the  $i^{\text{th}}$  point of  $G_1$  to every point in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  copy of  $G$ .  $C_n \odot K_1$  is called a Crown.

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**3. Main Results**

**Theorem: 3.1**

Cycle  $C_n$  ( $n$ -odd) is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(C_n) = \{u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$  and

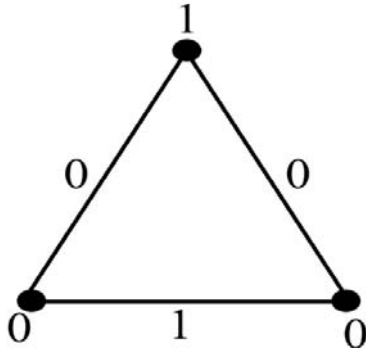
$E(C_n) = \{(u_i, u_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{(u_1, u_n)\}$ .

Define  $f: V(C_n) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

**Case: 1**

When  $n=3$ ,

The labeling is,



**Case: 2**

When  $n > 3$ ,

The vertex labeling are,

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

The induced edge labeling are,

$$f^*[(u_i, u_{i+1})] = \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod 2 \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod 2 \end{cases} \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*[(u_1, u_n)] = \begin{cases} 0 & n \equiv 3 \pmod 4 \\ 1 & n \equiv 1 \pmod 4 \end{cases}$$

Here,  $v_f(0) = v_f(1)+1$  for  $n \equiv 3 \pmod 4$ ,

$v_f(1) = v_f(0)+1$  for  $n \equiv 1 \pmod 4$ ,

$e_f(0) = e_f(1)+1$  for  $n \equiv 3 \pmod 4$  and

$e_f(1) = e_f(0)+1$  for  $n \equiv 1 \pmod 4$ .

Therefore, Cycle  $C_n$  ( $n$ -odd) satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0)-v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0)-e_f(1)| \leq 1$ .

Hence, Cycle  $C_n$  ( $n$ -odd) is Homo-Cordial Graph.

For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $C_5$  is shown in figure 3.2

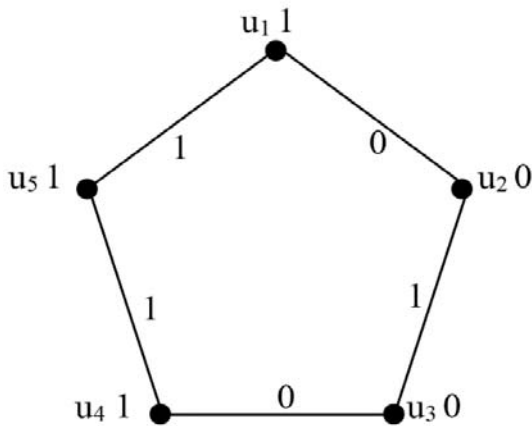


Fig 3.2:  $C_5$

**Theorem: 3.3**

$D_2(C_n)$  is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(D_2(C_n)) = \{[u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and

$E(D_2(C_n)) = \{(u_i, u_{i+1}) \cup (u_i, v_{i+1}) \cup (v_i, v_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1\} \cup \{(u_1, u_n) \cup (v_1, v_n) \cup (u_1, v_n) \cup (v_1, u_n)\}$ .

Define  $f: V(D_2(C_n)) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 0 & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 1 & 1 \leq i \leq n \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

The induced edge labeling are,

$$f^*[(u_i, u_{i+1})] = 1 \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

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

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

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

$$f^*[(u_1, u_n)] = 1$$

$$f^*[(v_1, v_n)] = 1$$

$$f^*[(v_1, u_n)] = 0$$

$$f^*[(u_1, v_n)] = 0$$

Here,  $v_f(0) = v_f(1)$  for all  $n$  and

$e_f(0) = e_f(1)$  for all  $n$ .

Therefore, the graph  $D_2(C_n)$  satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0)-v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0)-e_f(1)| \leq 1$ .

Hence,  $D_2(C_n)$  is Homo-Cordial Graph.

For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $D_2(C_5)$  and  $D_2(C_6)$  are shown in the following figure 3.4 and figure 3.5 respectively.

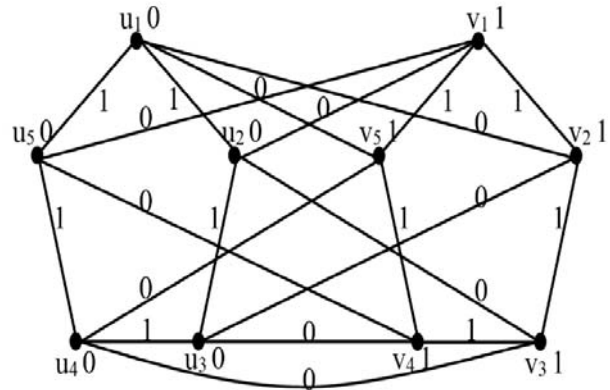


Fig 3.4:  $D_2(C_5)$

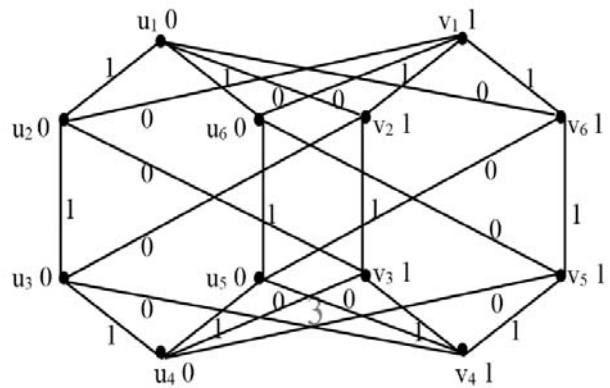


Fig 3.5:  $D_2(C_6)$

**Theorem: 3.6**

Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-even})$  is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(Gl(n)) = \{[u, v, u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and  $E(Gl(n)) = \{[(uu_i) \cup (vu_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$ . Define  $f : V(Gl(n)) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f(u) &= 0 \\ f(v) &= 1 \\ f(u_i) &= 0 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n}{2} \\ f(u_i) &= 1 & \frac{n}{2} + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

The induced edge labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f^*[(uu_i)] &= 1 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n}{2} \\ f^*[(uu_i)] &= 0 & \frac{n}{2} + 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(vu_i)] &= 0 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n}{2} \\ f^*[(vu_i)] &= 1 & \frac{n}{2} + 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Here,  $v_f(0) = v_f(1)$  for all  $n$  and  $e_f(0) = e_f(1)$  for all  $n$ .

Therefore, Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-even})$  satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ . Hence, Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-even})$  is Homo-Cordial Graph. For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $Gl(4)$  is shown in figure 3.7

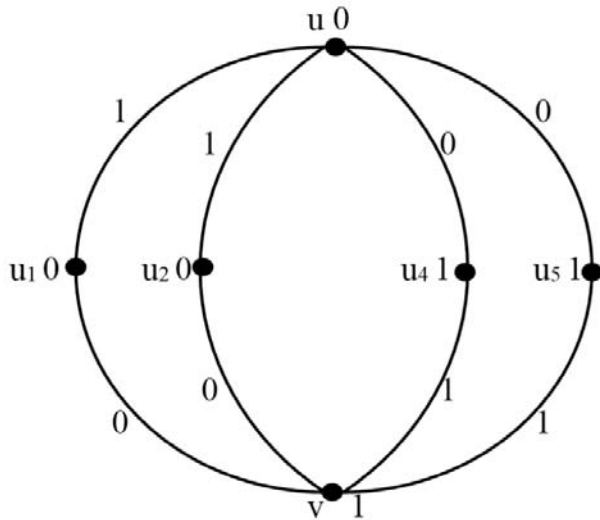


Fig 3.7:  $Gl(4)$

**Theorem: 3.8**

Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-odd})$  is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(Gl(n)) = \{[u, v, u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and  $E(Gl(n)) = \{[(uu_i) \cup (vu_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$ . Define  $f : V(Gl(n)) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f(u) &= 0 \\ f(v) &= 1 \\ f(u_i) &= 0 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n-1}{2} \\ f(u_i) &= 1 & \frac{n+1}{2} \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

The induced edge labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f^*[(uu_i)] &= 1 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n-1}{2} \\ f^*[(uu_i)] &= 0 & \frac{n+1}{2} \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(vu_i)] &= 0 & 1 \leq i \leq \frac{n-1}{2} \\ f^*[(vu_i)] &= 1 & \frac{n+1}{2} \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Here,  $v_f(1) = v_f(0) + 1$  for all  $n$  and  $e_f(0) = e_f(1)$  for all  $n$ .

Therefore, Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-odd})$  satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ . Hence, Globe  $Gl(n) : (n\text{-odd})$  is Homo-Cordial Graph. For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $Gl(5)$  is shown in figure 3.9

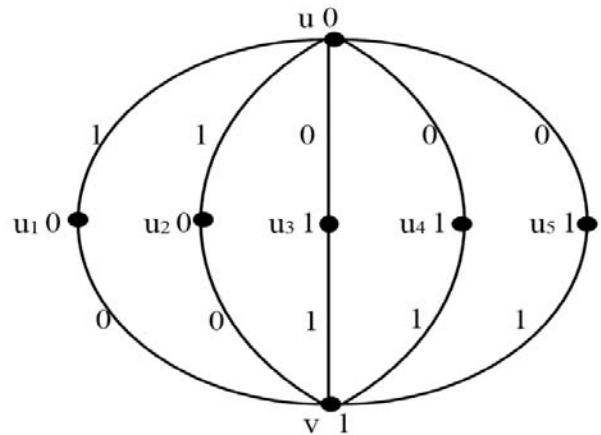


Fig 3.9:  $Gl(5)$

**Theorem: 3.10**

Triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$  is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(C_2(P_n)) = \{[u_i : 1 \leq i \leq n+1], [v_i, w_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and  $E(C_2(P_n)) = \{[(u_i v_i) \cup (u_i w_i) \cup (u_{i+1} v_i) \cup (u_{i+1} w_i) \cup (u_i u_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$ . Define  $f : V(C_2(P_n)) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_i) &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n+1 \\ f(v_i) &= 0 & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(w_i) &= 1 & 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

The induced edge labeling are,

$$\begin{aligned} f^*[(u_i u_{i+1})] &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1 \pmod{2} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(u_i v_i)] &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{4} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(u_i w_i)] &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 2, 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(u_{i+1} v_i)] &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 1, 2 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 0, 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f^*[(u_{i+1} w_i)] &= \begin{cases} 0 & i \equiv 0, 3 \pmod{4} \\ 1 & i \equiv 1, 2 \pmod{4} \end{cases} & 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, Triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$  satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ . Hence, Triangular snake  $C_2(P_n)$  is Homo-Cordial Graph. For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $C_2(P_5)$  and  $C_2(P_4)$  are shown in figure 3.11 and figure 3.12 respectively.

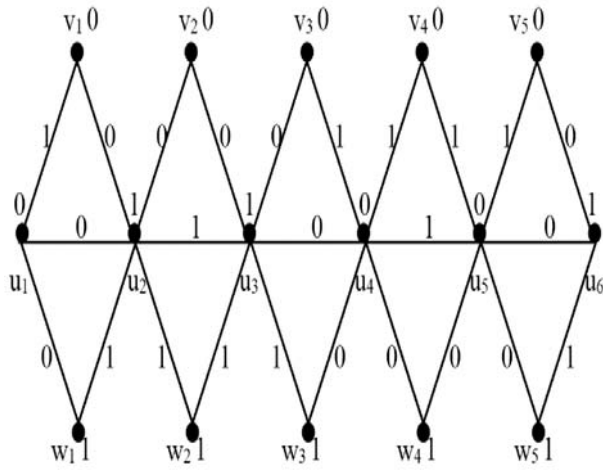


Fig 3.11:  $C_2(P_5)$

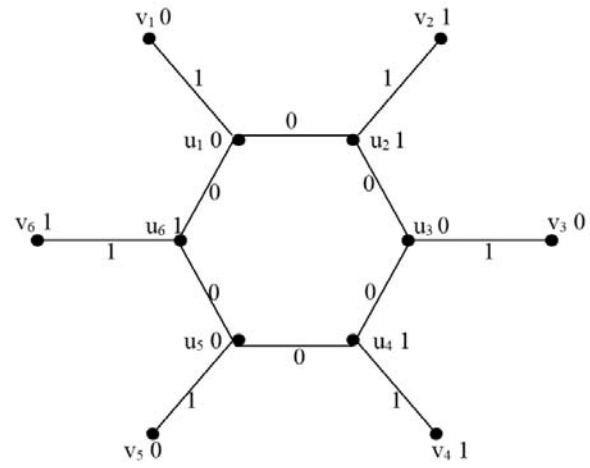


Fig 3.14:  $C_6OK_1$

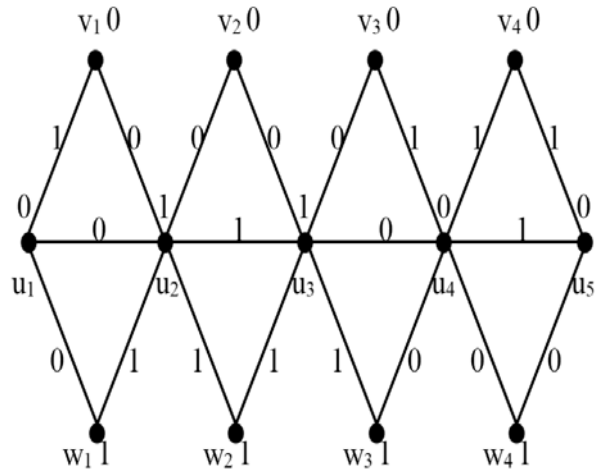


Fig 3.12:  $C_2(P_4)$

**Theorem: 3.13**

Crown  $C_nOK_1$  (n-even) is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(C_nOK_1) = \{[u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and  $E(C_nOK_1) = \{[(u_i, u_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1] \cup [(u_1, u_n)] \cup [(u_i, v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$ . Define  $f: V(C_nOK_1) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

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

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

The induced edge labeling are,

$$f^*[(u_i, u_{i+1})] = 0 \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*[(u_1, u_n)] = 0$$

$$f^*[(u_i, v_i)] = 1 \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$$

Here,  $v_f(0) = v_f(1)$  for all n and  $e_f(0) = e_f(1)$  for all n.

Therefore, Crown  $C_nOK_1$  satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ .

Hence, Crown  $C_nOK_1$  (n-even) is Homo-Cordial Graph. For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $C_6OK_1$  is shown in figure 3.14

**Theorem: 3.15**

Crown  $C_nOK_1$  (n-odd) is Homo-Cordial Graph.

**Proof**

Let  $V(C_nOK_1) = \{[u_i, v_i : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$  and  $E(C_nOK_1) = \{[(u_i, u_{i+1}) : 1 \leq i \leq n-1] \cup [(u_1, u_n)] \cup [(u_i, v_i) : 1 \leq i \leq n]\}$ . Define  $f: V(C_nOK_1) \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ .

The vertex labeling are,

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

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

The induced edge labeling are,

$$f^*[(u_i, u_{i+1})] = 0 \quad 1 \leq i \leq n-1$$

$$f^*[(u_1, u_n)] = 1$$

$$f^*[(u_i, v_i)] = 0 \quad 1 \leq i \leq 1$$

$$f^*[(u_i, v_i)] = 1 \quad 2 \leq i \leq n$$

Here,  $v_f(0) = v_f(1)$  for all n and  $e_f(0) = e_f(1)$  for all n.

Therefore, Crown  $C_nOK_1$  (n-odd) satisfies the conditions  $|v_f(0) - v_f(1)| \leq 1$  and  $|e_f(0) - e_f(1)| \leq 1$ .

Hence, Crown  $C_nOK_1$  (n-odd) is Homo-Cordial Graph.

For example, the Homo-Cordial Labeling of  $C_5OK_1$  is shown in figure 3.16

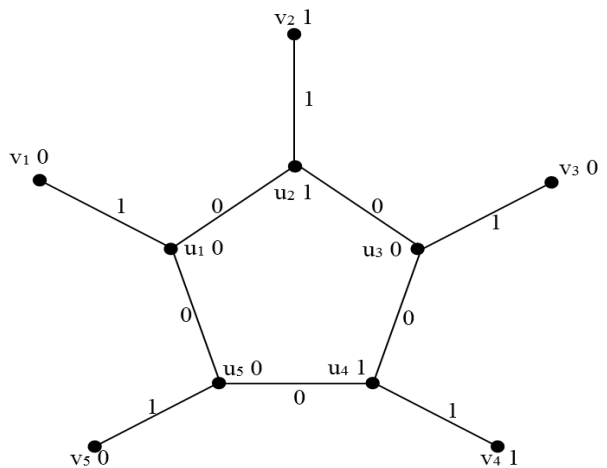


Fig 3.16:  $C_5OK_1$

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