## PAIR SUM LABELING OF SOME TREES IN ZERO DIVISOR GRAPHS

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ABSTRACT: The first simplification of Beck's [2] zero divisor graph was introduced by D.F.Anderson and P.S.Livingston[1]. Their motivation was to give a better illustration of the zero divisor structure of the ring. In this paper, we investigate the pair sum labeling behavior of several trees which are obtained from stars and Bi-stars in  $\Gamma(Z_n)$ . Finally we show that all the trees  $\Gamma(Z_{2p})$  of order less than 9 are pair sum graph. Here, we generate pair sum trees from stars in  $\Gamma(Z_n)$ . Clearly, we denote the vertex and edge sets of the star  $\Gamma(Z_{2p})$  by,  $V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) = \{u, u_i : 1 \le i \le p-1\}$  and  $E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) = \{uu_i : 1 \le i \le p-1\}$ .

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let G be a (r, s) graph. An one to one map  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm r\}$  is called a pair sum labeling if the induced edge mapping,  $f_e: E(G) \rightarrow Z - \{0\}$  defined by  $f_e(uv) = f(u) + f(v)$  is one-one and  $f_e(E(G))$  is either of the form  $\{\pm l_1, \pm l_2, \dots, \pm l_{s/2}\}$  or  $\{\pm l_1, \pm l_2, \dots, \pm l_{(s-1)/2}\} \cup \{l_{(s+1)/2}\}$  according as S is even or odd. A graph with a pair sum labeling defined on it is called pair sum graph. Pair sum labeling satisfies the following observations.

(i) If f is a pair sum labeling defined on  $\Gamma(Z_n)$  then  $\sum_{u \in V(G)} d(u) f(u) = 0$  iff G is a even size.

(ii) If f is a pair sum labeling then x and -x are not labels of two adjacent vertices. [otherwise, zero appears as an edge label].

(iii) If  $\Gamma(Z_n)$  is an even size pair sum graph then  $\Gamma(Z_n) - e$  is also a pair sum graph for every edge e.

(iv) Let  $\Gamma(Z_n)$  be an odd size pair sum graph with  $-f_e(e) \notin f_e(E)$ . Then  $\Gamma(Z_n) = e$  is a pair sum graph.

(v) Let  $\Gamma(Z_n)$  be a pair sum graph with even size and let f be a pair sum labeling of G with f(n) = M. Then the graph  $\Gamma(Z_n)^*$  with  $V(\Gamma(Z_n)^*) = V(\Gamma(Z_n)) \cup \{v\}$  and  $E(\Gamma(Z_n)^*) = E(\Gamma(Z_n)) \cup \{uv\}$  is also a pair sum graph.

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(vi) Let  $\Gamma(Z_n)$  be an even order and size graph. If G is super vertex graceful then G is a pairsum graph.

(vii) Every graph is a subgraph of a connected pair sum graph.

The pair sum labeling is introduced in [3] by R.Ponraj and et al. In [3], [4], [5] and [6] they study the pair sum labeling of cycle, path, star and some of their related graphs. Let R be a commutative ring and let Z(R) be its set of zero-divisors. We associate a graph  $\Gamma(R)$  to R with vertices  $\Gamma(R)^* = Z(R) - \{0\}$ , the set of non-zero zero divisors of R and for distinct  $u, v \in Z(R)^*$ , the vertices u and v are adjacent if and only if uv = 0. The zero divisor graph is very useful to find the algebraic structures and properties of rings. The idea of a zero divisor graph of a commutative ring was introduced by I.Beck in [2]. The first simplication of Beck's zero divisor graph was introduced by D.F.Anderson and P.S.Livingston [1]. Their motivation was to give a better illustration of the zero divisor structure of the ring. D.F.Anderson and P.S.Livinston, and others e.g., [7, 8, 9], investigate the interplay between the graph theoretic properties of  $\Gamma(R)$  and the ring theoretic properties of R. Throught this paper, we consider the commutative ring R by Z<sub>n</sub> and zero divisor graph  $\Gamma(R)$  by  $\Gamma(Z_n)$ .

## 2. PAIR SUM LABELING OF SOME TREES IN ZERO DIVISOR GRAPH

**Theorem 2.1.** Let G be the tree with  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_i : 1 \le i \le p\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{u_i v_i : 1 \le i \le p\} \cup \{uv_p\}$ . Then, G is a pair sum graph. Proof. Define a map  $f : V(G) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm 2p\}$  by f(u) = 1  $f(u_i) = -i - 1, 1 \le i \le p - 1$   $f(v_i) = 2i + 1, 1 \le i \le p - 1$   $f(v_p) = 2p$ Here,  $f_e(E(G)) = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p - 1)\} \cup \{2p + 1\}$ . Then, G is a pair sum graph.

**Theorem 2.2.** If G is a tree with  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4\}$ , then G is a pair sum graph.

Proof. Define a map  $f: V(G) \to \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm 2p\}$  by f(u) = -1  $f(v_1) = -4$   $f(v_2) = 1$   $f(v_3) = 2$   $f(v_4) = 3$   $f(u_i) = 2i + 3, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$   $f\left(u_{\lfloor \frac{p}{2} \rfloor^{+i}}\right) = -2i - 1, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$ Here,  $f_e(E(G)) = \{\pm 3, \pm 4\} \cup \{\pm 4, \pm 6, \pm 8, ..., \pm (p+1)\}$ 

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**Theorem 2.3.** Let G be the tree with  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_i : 1 \le i \le 5\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4v_5\}$ . Then G is a pair sum graph. Proof. Define a map  $f : V(G) \to \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+5)\}$  by f(u) = -1  $f(v_1) = 4$   $f(v_2) = -3$   $f(v_3) = 2$   $f(v_4) = -2$   $f(v_5) = -4$   $f(u_i) = 6+i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$  $f\left(u_{\lfloor \frac{p}{2} \rfloor + i}\right) = -i-5, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$ 

Here,  $f_e(E(G)) = \{\pm 1, \pm 3, -6\} \cup \{6, \pm 4, \pm 7, \pm 8, \pm 9, ..., \pm (p-1)\} \cup \{-p\}$ . Then, the mapping f is pair sum labeling.

**Theorem 2.4.** If G is a tree with  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_1, v_2\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{u_1v_1, u_2v_2\}$ .

Then G is a pair sum graph.

Proof. Define  $f: V(G) \to \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+2)\}$  by f(u) = 1  $f(v_1) = 3$   $f(v_2) = 5$   $f(u_1) = -2$   $f(u_2) = -3$   $f(u_{2+i}) = 2i + 2, 1 \le i \le \left\lceil \frac{p-3}{2} \right\rceil$  $f\left(u_{\left\lceil \frac{p-3}{2} \right\rceil + 2+i}\right) = -(2i + 4), 1 \le i \le \left\lfloor \frac{p-3}{2} \right\rfloor$ 

Here,  $f_e(E(G)) = \{\pm 1, \pm 2\} \cup \{\pm 5, \pm 7, ..., \pm p\}$ . Hence, f is a pair sum labeling.

**Theorem 2.5.** The tree with vertex set  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_i : 1 \le i \le 5\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4v_5\}$  is a pair sum graph.

Proof. Define a map  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+5)\}$  by

f(u) = -1  $f(v_1) = -4$   $f(v_{1+i}) = i, 1 \le i \le 4$  $f(u_1) = -6$ 

$$f(u_{2i}) = -6 - i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$$
  
Here,  $f_e(E(G)) = \{\pm 1, \pm 5, -7\} \cup \{-7, \pm 8, \pm 9, ..., \pm \frac{p+1}{2}\} \cup \{\frac{-(p+13)}{2}2\}.$   
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**Theorem 2.6.** Let G be the tree with  $V(G) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_i : 1 \le i \le 6\}$  and  $E(G) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, uv_5, v_5v_6\}$ . Then, G is a pair sum graph.

Proof. Define a map  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+6)\}$  by

$$\begin{split} f(u) &= -1 \\ f(v_1) &= -4 \\ f(v_2) &= 1 \\ f(v_3) &= 2 \\ f(v_4) &= 3 \\ f(v_5) &= -3 \\ f(v_6) &= 7 \\ f(u_{p^{-1}_{2^{+1}}}) &= 6 + 2i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2} \\ \text{Here, } f_e(E(G)) &= \{\pm 3, \pm 4, \pm 5\} \cup \{\pm 7, \pm 8, ..., \pm (p+3)\}. \text{ Then, G is a pair sum graph.} \\ \text{Theorem 2.7. Let G be the tree with } V(G) &= V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_r: 1 \le i \le 6\} \text{ and} \\ E(G) &= E(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_5v_6, uv_4\}. \text{ Then, G is a pair sum graph.} \\ \text{Proof. Define a map } f: V(G) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+6)\} \text{ by} \\ f(u) &= 1 \\ f(v_1) &= 2 \\ f(v_2) &= 3 \\ f(v_3) &= 4 \\ f(v_4) &= -4 \\ f(v_5) &= -1 \\ f(v_6) &= -6 \\ f(u_i) &= 6 + i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2} \\ f(u_{\frac{p-1}{2},i}) &= -8 - i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2} \\ \text{Here, } f_e(E(G)) &= \{\pm 3, \pm 4, \pm 7\} \cup \left\{\pm 8, \pm 9, ..., \pm \frac{(p+13)}{2}\right\}. \text{ Then, G is a pair sum graph.} \end{split}$$

**Theorem 2.8.** The trees  $G_i$  ( $1 \le i \le 6$ ) with vertex set and edge set given below are pair sum, (i)  $V(G_1) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2p})) \cup \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  and  $E(G_1) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{uv_1, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4v_5, v_5v_6\}.$ (ii)  $V(G_2) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_7\}$  and  $E(G_2) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4v_5, uv_5, uv_6, v_6v_7\}.$ (iii)  $V(G_3) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_7\}$  and  $E(G_3) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4u, uv_5, v_5v_6, v_6v_7\}.$ (iv)  $V(G_4) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_i w_i : 1 \le i \le 4\}$  and  $E(G_4) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{uw_1, w_1w_2, uw_3, w_3w_4, v_1v_2, v_2v_3, v_3v_4, v_4u\}.$ (v)  $V(G_5) = V(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{v_i w_i : 1 \le i \le 3\}$  and  $E(G_5) = E(\Gamma(Z_{2n})) \cup \{uv_1, uv_2, uv_3, v_1w_1, v_2w_2, v_3w_3\}$ . Proof. (i) Define a map  $f: V(G_1) \to \{\pm 1, \pm 2, ..., \pm (p+6)\}$  by f(u) = -1 $f(v_1) = -7$  $f(v_2) = -5$  $f(v_{2}) = 1$  $f(v_{4}) = 3$  $f(v_5) = 5$  $f(v_{6}) = 7$  $f(u_i) = -2i - 4, 1 \le i \le \frac{p - 1}{2}$ Here,  $f_e(E(G_1)) = \{\pm 4, \pm 8, \pm 12\} \cup \{\pm 7, \pm 9, \pm 9, \dots, \pm (p+4)\}$ . Then,  $G_1$  is a pair sum graph. (ii) Define a map  $f: V(G_2) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm (p+7)\}$  by  $f(v_1) = -3$  $f(v_2) = -6$  $f(v_3) = -1$  $f(v_{4}) = -4$  $f(v_5) = 1$  $f(v_6) = 3$ f(u) = 2 $f(u_{1+i}) = 4 + 2i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$  $f\left(u_{\left\lceil \frac{p}{2} \right\rceil+i}\right) = -2i - 8, \ 1 \le i \le \frac{p-3}{2}$ Here,  $f_e(E(G_2)) = \{\pm 3, \pm 5, \pm 7\} \cup \{\pm 8, \pm 10, ..., \pm (p+3)\} \cup \{p+5\}$ . Then, G<sub>2</sub> is a pair sum graph. (iii) Define a map  $f: V(G_3) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm (p+7)\}$  by  $f(v_1) = -3$ 

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$$\begin{split} &f(v_2) = -6 \\ &f(v_3) = -1 \\ &f(v_4) = -4 \\ &f(v_5) = 2 \\ &f(v_6) = 3 \\ &f(v_7) = 4 \\ &f(u) = 2 \\ &f(u_{1+i}) = 7+i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2} \\ &f\left(u_{\frac{p-1}{2}+i}\right) = -i-10, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2} \\ &\text{Here, } f_e(E(G_3)) = \{\pm 3, \pm 5, \pm 7, \pm 9\} \cup \left\{\pm 10, \pm 11, ..., \pm \frac{(p+15)}{2}\right\} \cup \left\{\frac{-(p+17)}{2}\right\}. \text{ Then, } G_3 \text{ is a pair sum graph} \end{split}$$

(iv) Define a map  $f: V(G_4) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm (p+8)\}$  by

$$f(u) = -1$$
  

$$f(v_1) = 3$$
  

$$f(v_2) = 2$$
  

$$f(v_3) = 1$$
  

$$f(w_1) = -5$$
  

$$f(w_2) = -6$$
  

$$f(w_3) = 7$$
  

$$f(w_4) = 4$$
  

$$f(u_1) = 7$$

For other vertices we define,

$$f(u_i) = -5 - 2i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$$
$$f\left(u_{\lfloor \frac{p}{2} \rfloor + i}\right) = 7 + 2i, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$$

Here,  $f_e(E(G_4)) = \{\pm 3, \pm 5, \pm 6, \pm 11\} \cup \{\pm 8, \pm 10, ..., \pm (p+5)\}$ . Then, G<sub>4</sub> is a pair sum labeling. (v) Define a map  $f: V(G_5) \rightarrow \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm (p+6)\}$  by

$$f(u) = -1$$
  

$$f(v_1) = 2$$
  

$$f(v_2) = 3$$
  

$$f(v_3) = 4$$
  

$$f(w_1) = -3$$
  

$$f(w_2) = -5$$
  

$$f(w_3) = -7$$

 $f(u_i) = 2i + 4, 1 \le i \le \frac{p-1}{2}$ 

Here,  $f_e(E(G_5)) = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots, \pm (p+2)\}$ . Then, G<sub>5</sub> is a pair sum labeling.

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