

P4 – Decomposition in Boolean Function Graph $B(KP, L(G), INC)$ of a Graph

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ABSTRACT

Graph discussed in this paper are undirected and simple graphs. A graph with p vertices and q edges is denoted by $G(p,q)$. The corona $G1 \circ G2$ of two graphs $G1$ and $G2$ is defined as the graph obtained by taking one copy of $G1$ (which has $P1$ vertices) and $P1$ connecting the i th vertex of $G1$ to each vertex in the i th copy of $G2$ after making copies of $G2$. For any graph G , $G \circ K1$ is denoted by $G+$. A decomposition of a graph G is a family of edge-disjoint subgraphs $\{G1, G2, \dots, Gk\}$ such that $E(G) = E(G1) \cup E(G2) \cup \dots \cup E(Gk)$. If each Gi is isomorphic to H , for some subgraph H of G , then the decomposition is called a H -decomposition of G . In particular, a $P4$ -decomposition of a graph G is a partition of the edge set of G into paths of length 3. G is said to be $P4$ -decomposable in this instance. Let $V(G)$ and $E(G)$ stand for the vertex set and edge set of any graph G , respectively. The graph of G 's Boolean function $B(KP, L(G), NINC)$ has two vertex sets, $V(G)$ and $E(G)$, and it has two vertices in $B(\overline{KP}, \overline{L(G)}, NINC)$ are adjacent if and only if they correspond to two non-adjacent edges of G or to a vertex and an edge not incident to it in G . For brevity, this graph is denoted by $B3(G)$. The Boolean function graph $B(KP, L(G), INC)$ of G is a graph with vertex set $V(G) \cup E(G)$ and two vertices in $B(KP, L(G), INC)$ are adjacent if and only if they correspond to any two vertices of G , any two adjacent edges of G (or) to a vertex an edge incident to it in G . For brevity, this graph is denoted by $\overline{B3}(G)$. In this paper, $P4$ -Decomposition in Boolean Function Graph $B(KP, L(G), INC)$ of some standard graphs and corona graphs are obtained.

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