# Vertex Bimagic Total Labeling for Graphs

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Abstract. A vertex magic total labeling on a graph with v vertices and e edges is a one to one map taking the vertices and edges onto the integers 1, 2, 3, ... v + e with the property that the sum of the label on the vertex and the labels of its incident edges is a constant, independent of the choice of the vertex. A graph with vertex magic total labeling with two constants  $k_1$  or  $k_2$  is called a vertex bimagic total labeling. The constants  $k_1$ and  $k_2$  are called magic constants. In this paper we have found that the star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  for all n, cycle  $C_n$  when n is even, crown graphs  $C_n K_1$ , (3, n) – kite graph for odd n > 3, wheel graph  $W_n$ , the fan graph  $F_n$  admits vertex bimagic total labeling. It has been proved that the star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n, but does not have vertex magic total labeling for  $n \neq 2$ . It has also been discussed that the vertex bimagic total labeling of Petersen graphs P(n, 1)and P(n, 2) when n is a multiple of 4,  $m \leq \left[\frac{n}{2}\right]$ . Also the extremities of bimagic constants in vertex bimagic total labeling graphs has also been discussed in this paper.

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### I. INTRODUCTION

W. D. Wallis and others [9][10], introduced Edge-magic total labelings that generalize the idea of a magic square and can be referred for a discussion of magic labelings and a standardization of the terminology. J. Baskar Babujee & V.Vishnu Priya have introduced (1,1)edge bimagic labeing in their paper "Edge Bimagic labeling in certain types of graphs obtained by some standard graphs" [2]. Also V.Vishnu Priya, K.Manimegalai & J. Baskar Babujee [8] have proved edge bimagic labeling for some trees like  $B_{m,n}$ ,  $K_{1,n,n}$ , $Y_{n+1}$ , J. Baskar Babujee has himself introduced (1,1) vertex bimagic labeling in [1]which is named vertex bimagic total labeling.

K. Manimekalai and K. Thirusangu [4] have worked on Pair Sum Labeling of Some Special Graphs. M. I. Moussa and E. M. Badr [5] have proved that the crown graphs are odd graceful. N. Murugesan and R. Senthil Amutha[6] have discussed that the bistar  $B_{n,n}$  are vertex bimagic total labeling for odd n > 1 and even n > 2. S. Karthikeyan, S. Navaneethakrishnan , and R. Sridevi[3], proved that the star graph, Subdivisions of bistar graphs are total edge Fibonacci irregular graphs. In this paper we have discussed that the graphs star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  bistar  $B_{n,n}$  (odd n > 1and even n > 2), cycle  $C_n$ , wheel  $W_n$ ,crown graphs  $C_n K_1$  and (3, n) kite graphs

(n > 3, n is odd), Fan graph  $F_n$  have vertex bimagic total labeling. The extremities of bimagic constants in vertex bimagic total labeling graphs has also been discussed in this paper. We further establish if a regular graph possesses vertex magic total labeling, then it also possesses vertex bimagic total labeling and any non regular graph with two different degrees at vertices, with vertex magic total labeling possesses vertex bimagic total labeling.

A graph with vertex magic total labeling with two constants  $k_1$  or  $k_2$  is called a vertex bimagic total labeling and denoted by VBMTL. The constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  are called bimagic constants.

A Star graph with *n* vertices is a tree with one vertex having degree n-1 and the remaining (n-1) vertices with degree one. The graphs obtained by joining a single pendant edge to each vertex of  $C_n$  is called crown graph and is denoted by  $C_n \Box K_1$ . The (m,n) kite graph is the graph obtained by joining a cycle graph  $C_m$  to a path graph  $P_n$  with a bridge. The (m,n) kite graph is also called (m,n) tadpole graph [7].

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In this section, due to symmetry instead of generic values, specific vertices are considered throughout, to find thee vertex weights.

# II. VERTEX BIMAGIC TOTAL LABELING FOR STAR RELATED GRAPHS

**Theorem 2.1.** The star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n.

# Proof:

Now,

Let the star graph  $K_{1,n}$  be with n + 1 vertices and n edges with  $V(G) = \{v, v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  be the vertex set of *G* such that v be the central vertex of the star and  $v_1, v_2, ..., v_{n-1}$  be the pendant vertices of the star graph and  $E(G) = \{e_1, e_2, ..., e_n\}$  be the edge set of *G*. We can define the bijection as  $f:V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow$   $\{1, 2, ..., 2n + 1\}$  as follows. f(v) = n + 1.  $f(v_i) = n + 1 + i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$  $f(vv_i) = n + 1 - i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ 

$$\begin{split} w(v) &= f(v) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(vv_i) \\ &= (n+1) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} (n+1-i) \\ &= (n+1) + n(n+1) - \sum_{i=1}^{n} i \\ &= (n+1) + n(n+1) - \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [2(n+1) + 2n(n+1) - n(n+1)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [(n+1)(2+2n-n)] = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2} \\ &\text{Also,} \end{split}$$

$$w(v_1) = f(v_1) + f(vv_1)$$
  
=(n + 1 + 1) + (n + 1 - 1)  
= (2n + 2) = 2(n + 1)

We find that the weight  $\frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}$  exists for one vertex and the weight 2(n + 1) exists for *n* vertices. We may consider the bimagic constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ such that  $k_1$  is at the pendant vertices and  $k_2$  is at the central vertex. Hence the star graph  $K_{1,n}$  is vertex bimagic total labeling for all *n* 

A complete bipartite graph  $K_{1,1,n}$  is also a star and it has n + 2 vertices and n + 1 edges. Now we discuss that bistar  $B_{n,n}$  are vertex bimagic total labeling for odd n > 1 and even n > 2

# III. VERTEX BIMAGIC TOTAL LABELING FOR CYCLE RELATED GRAPHS

**Theorem 3.1:** The cycle  $C_n$ , has vertex bimagic total labeling, for n is even

## Proof:

Let the cycle  $C_n$  be with n vertices and n edges with  $V(G) = \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  be the vertex set and  $E(G) = \{e_1, e_2, ..., e_n\}$  be the edge set such that  $e_i = (v_i v_{i+1})$  where i = 1 to n and the indices taken modulo n.

We can define the bijection as

 $\begin{aligned} f: V(G) \cup E(G) &\to \{1, 2, \dots, 2n+1\} \text{ as follows.} \\ f(v_i) &= n+i \,, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n \end{aligned}$ 

$$f(v_i v_{i+1}) = \begin{cases} \frac{n+1-i}{2} & \text{for } i \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{n+i}{2} & \text{for } i = 2 \\ n+2-\frac{i}{2} & \text{for } i \text{ is even and } i \ge 4 \end{cases}$$

Now the weights are given by,

For the vertex  $v_1$ ,

$$w(v_1) = f(v_1) + f(v_n v_1) + f(v_1 v_2) = (n + 1) + \left(n + 2 - \frac{n}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{n+1-1}{2}\right) = 2n + 3$$

For the vertex  $v_2$ ,

$$w(v_2) = f(v_2) + f(v_1v_2) + f(v_2v_3) = (n + 2) + \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n+2}{2} = 2n + 3$$

For the vertex  $v_n$ ,

 $w(v_n) = f(v_n) + f(v_{n-1}v_n) + f(v_nv_1) = 2n + \frac{n+1-n+1}{2} + n + 2 - \frac{n}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(5n+6)$ 

We find that the bimagic constants are 2n + 3 and  $\frac{1}{2}(5n + 6)$ . Let these bimagic constants be  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  respectively. Hence the cycle  $C_n$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for even .

**Theorem 3.3:** The crown graphs  $C_n \odot K_1$  has vertex bimagic total labeling, for all *n*.

### Proof:

Let the crown graph  $C_n \odot K_1$  be with 2n vertices and 2n edges with

 $V(G) = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$  be the vertex set such that  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  be the vertices of the cycle  $C_n$ ;  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  be the pendant vertices attached to  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  respectively and t E(G) = $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{2n}\}$  be the edge set.

We can define the bijection as  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., 4n\}$  as follows.

The vertex labeling is defined as

$$f(u_i) = i, \qquad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$
  
$$f(v_i) = \begin{cases} 3n-i, & i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \\ 3i, & i = n \end{cases}$$

The edge labeling is defined as

 $f(u_i v_i) = 4n + 1 - i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  $f(v_i v_{i+1}) = n + 1 + i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 1$ 

$$f(v_{1}v_{n}) = n + 1.$$
Now the weights are,  
For  $i < n$ ,  

$$w(v_{1}) = f(v_{1}) + f(v_{1}v_{2}) + f(v_{1}v_{n}) + f(u_{1}v_{1})$$

$$= (3n - 1) + (n + 2) + (n + 1) + 4n$$

$$= 9n + 2$$
For  $i = n$ ,  

$$w(v_{n}) = f(v_{n}) + f(v_{n-1}v_{n}) + f(v_{1}v_{n}) + f(u_{n}v_{n})$$

$$= (3n) + (n + 1) + (n - 1) + n + 1 + (4n + 1 - n) = 9n + 2$$
And for pendant vertices,  

$$w(u_{1}) = f(u_{1}) + f(u_{1}v_{1})$$

$$= 1 + 4n + 1 - 1 = 4n + 1$$
Let the bimagic constants  $4n + 1$  and  $9n + 2$  be  $k_{1}$   
and  $k_{2}$  respectively. Hence the crown graphs,

 $C_n \odot K_1$  has vertex bimagic total labeling.

*Theorem3.5:* The (3, n) kite graph has vertex bimagic total labeling for odd n > 3.

# Proof:

Let G be the (3, n) kite graph of n + 3 vertices and n + 3 edges with  $V(G) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, u_1, u_2, ..., u_n\}$  be the vertex set of G such that  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  be the vertices of the cycle ;  $u_1, u_2, ..., u_n$  be the vertices of the path and  $E(G) = \{e_1, e_2, ..., e_{n+3}\}$  be the edge set of G.

Define  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, 2n+6\}$  as follows.

$$f(v_i) = 2n + 2i, i = 1,2.$$
  
 $f(v_3) = 2n + 2.$   
 $f(u_i)$ 

$$= \begin{cases} 2n - 2i + 2, & \text{for } 1 \le i \le \frac{n-3}{2} \\ 3n - 2i + 2, & \text{for } \frac{n-1}{2} \le i \le n-1 \end{cases}$$
  
$$f(u_n) = 2n + 6$$
  
$$f(v_1u_1) = 4$$
  
$$f(v_iv_{i+1}) = i + 1, \quad i = 1,2.$$
  
$$f(v_iv_{i-2}) = 1, \quad i = 3.$$
  
$$f(u_iu_{i+1}) = i + 4, \quad 1 \le i \le n-1.$$
  
The vertex weights are as follows,

For 
$$i=1$$
,  $w(v_1) = f(v_1) + f(v_1u_1) + f(v_1v_2) + f(v_3v_1) = (2n+2) + 4 + 2 + 1 = 2n + 9$   
For  $i=3$ ,  $w(v_3) = f(v_3) + f(v_2v_3) + f(v_3v_1) = (2n+5) + 3 + 1 = 2n + 9$   
For  $1 \le i \le \frac{n-3}{2}$ ,  $w(u_1) = f(u_1) + f(u_1v_1) + f(u_1u_2) = 2n + 4 + 5 = 2n + 9$   
For  $\frac{n-1}{2} \le i \le n-1$ ,  $w(u_{n-1}) = f(u_{n-1}) + f(u_{n-1}u_n) + f(u_{n-2}u_{n-1}) = (3n - 2(n-1) + 2) + (n-1+4) + (n-2+4) = 3n + 9$   
For  $i = n$ ,  $w(u_n) = f(u_n) + f(u_{n-1}u_n) = 2n + 6 + n - 1 + 4 = 3n + 9$   
So, we get the bimagic constants  $2n + 9$  and

So, we get the bimagic constants 2n + 9 and 3n + 9 which may be named as  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  respectively. Hence the (3, n) kite graph has vertex bimagic total labeling.

**Theorem 3.7:** The wheel  $W_n$ , has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n

## Proof:

Let the wheel  $W_n$ , be with n + 1 vertices and 2n edges with  $V(G) = \{v, v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  be the vertex set and  $E(G) = \{e_1, e_2, ..., e_{2n}\}$  be the edge set such that  $e_i = \{(vv_i) \cup (v_iv_{i+1})\}$ We can define the bijection as  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow$  $\{1, 2, ..., 3n + 1\}$  *as follows,* f(v) = 1

$$f(v_i) = 1$$

$$f(v_i) = 2(n+1) + i, \quad 1 \le i \le n-1$$

$$f(v_n) = 2(n+1)$$

$$f(vv_i) = i+1, \quad 1 \le i \le n$$

$$f(v_iv_{i+1}) = 2n+1-i, \quad 1 \le i \le n-1$$

$$f(v_1v_n) = 2n+1$$

Then the weights can be found as,

For the vertex at the centre,

$$w(v) = f(v) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(vv_i) = 1 +$$
  

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (i+1) = (n+1) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} i$$
  

$$= (n+1) + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$
  

$$= \frac{1}{2} [2(n+1) + n(n+1)] = \frac{1}{2} [(n+1)(n+2)]$$

For the vertices on the cycle ,  $1 \le i \le n-1$   $w(v_1) = f(v_1) + f(v_1v_n) + f(v_1v_2) + f(vv_1)$ = ((2(n+1)+1) + (2n+1) + (2n+1-1) + (2n+1-1) + (2n+1) + (2n+1)

# IV. VERTEX BIMAGIC TOTAL LABELING OF SPECIAL GRAPHS

**Theorem 4.1:** The Fan  $F_n$  graph has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n.

Proof:

Let *G* be the Fan graph with n + 1 vertices and 2n - 1 edges with  $V(G) = \{u, u_1, u_2, ..., u_n\}$  be the vertex set of Gsuch that u be the vertex at the centre;  $u_1, u_2, ..., u_n$  be the vertices adjacent to u and  $E(G) = \{uu_i \cup u_i u_{i+1} \text{ with } i = 1 \text{ to } n\}$  be the edge set of *G*.

Let us define  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., 3n\}$  as follows,

$$f(u) = 2n$$

$$f(u_i) = 3n + 1 - i, \quad i = 1 \text{ to } n$$

$$f(u_i) = \begin{cases} 2n - 1 - i, \quad i = 1 \text{ to } n - 1 \\ 2n - 1, \quad i = n \end{cases}$$

$$f(u_i u_{i+1}) = i, \quad i = 1 \text{ to } n - 1$$
The vertex weights are given by,
At the vertex adjacent to  $u$ ,
$$w(u_1) = f(u_1) + f(uu_1) + f(u_1u_2) = (3n + 1 - 1) + (2n - 1 - 1) + 1 = 5n - 1$$
At the centre vertex,

$$w(u) = f(u) + \sum_{i=1}^{n} f(uu_i)$$

$$= 2n + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (2n-1-i) + 2n - 1$$
  
= 2n + (2n - 1)(n - 1) -  $\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} i + 2n - 1$   
= 2n + (2n - 1)(n) -  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$   
=  $\frac{1}{2}(3n^2 + 3n) = \frac{3n(n+1)}{2}$ 

At the vertices  $u_i$ 's the magic constant is 5n - 1and at the centre it is  $\frac{3n(n+1)}{2}$  say  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  be the bimagic constants. Hence the Fan  $F_n$  graph is vertex bimagic total labeling for all n

**Theorem 4.3:** The disconnected graph  $nK_3$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n

### Proof:

Let  $u_i, v_i, w_i$  be the nodes of the graph  $K_3$  and  $nK_3$ contains 3n vertices and 3n edges.Now we define the function  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., 6n\}$  as follows,

$$\begin{array}{ll} f(u_i) \,=\, i, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \\ f(v_i) \,=\, n + i, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \\ f(w_i) \,=\, 2n + i, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \\ f(u_i v_i) \,=\, 4n + i, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \\ f(u_i w_i) \,=\, 3n + i \,, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \\ f(v_i w_i) \,=\, 5n + i \,, & i \,=\, 1 to \, n \end{array}$$

The weights are given by,

$$w(u_1) = f(u_1) + f(u_1v_1) + f(u_1w_1) = 1 + 4n + 1 + 3n + 1 = 7n + 3$$

$$w(v_1) = f(v_1) + f(u_1v_1) + f(v_1w_1) = n + 1 + 4n + 1 + 5n + 1 = 10n + 3$$

$$w(w_1) = f(w_1) + f(u_1w_1) + f(v_1w_1) = 2n + 1 + 3n + 1 + 5n + 1 = 10n + 3$$

From these results we see that the disconnected graph  $nK_3$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all .

*Theorem4.4:* The star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n, but does not have vertex magic total labeling for  $n \neq 2$ 

### Proof:

The star graph  $K_{1,n}$  be with n + 1 vertices and n edges with the bijection as

 $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \to \{1, 2, ..., 2n + 1\}$  with f(v) = n + 1.

$$f(v_i) = n + 1 + i, \quad 1 \le i \le n$$
  

$$f(vv_i) = n + 1 - i, \quad 1 \le i \le n$$
  
and  $w(v) = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}, w(v_1) = 2(n+1),$   
we find that the values

$$2(n+1) < \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}$$
 when  $n \neq 2$ 

But when n = 2,

$$2(n+1) = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}$$

Hence the star graphs  $K_{1,n}$  has vertex bimagic total labeling for all n, but does not have vertex magic total labeling for  $n \neq 2$ 

**Theorem 4.5**: If a graph G is vertex bimagic total labeling, its disconnected n copies are also vertex bimagic total labeling.

## Proof:

If a graph G is vertex bimagic total labeling, all the corresponding vertices (edges) in the n copies with consecutive numbers from 1 to n in the same manner as in G, the graph nG becomes vertex bimagic total labeling.

**Theorem 4.6:** If a r-regular graph possesses vertex magic total labeling with the function  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., p + q\}$  and magic constant k, then it also possesses vertex bimagic total labeling using the function  $f': V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., p + q\}$  defined by

$$f'(u) = \begin{cases} p+q-f(u) & \text{for } f(u) < p+q \\ p+q & \text{for } f(u) = p+q \end{cases}$$
$$f'(uv) = \begin{cases} p+q-f(uv) & \text{for } f(uv) < p+q \\ p+q & \text{for } f(uv) = p+q \end{cases}$$

#### **Proof:**

Consider a r-regular graph which possesses vertex magic total labeling with the function  $f:V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., p + q\}$  and the weight is given by  $w_f(u)$  or magic constant *k* where

then the function of the vertex bimagic total labeling given by

$$f':V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1,2,\dots,p+q\} \text{ defined by}$$
$$f'(u) = \begin{cases} p+q-f(u) & \text{for } f(u) < p+q \\ p+q & \text{for } f(u) = p+q \end{cases}$$
$$f'(uv) = \begin{cases} p+q-f(uv) & \text{for } f(uv) < p+q \\ p+q & \text{for } f(uv) = p+q \end{cases}$$

has weight to be  $w_{f'}(u)$ . Then there exists the following cases for vertex bimagic total labeling.

$$\begin{aligned} Case(i): f'(uv) &= p + q; f'(u) = p + q \\ w_{f'}(u) &= f'(u) + \sum f'(uv) \\ &= (p + q) + \sum (p + q) - f(uv) \\ &= (p + q) + r(p + q) - \sum f(uv) \\ &= f(u) + r(p + q) + \sum f(uv) - 2\sum f(uv) \\ &= f(u) + \sum f(uv) + r(p + q) - 2\sum f(uv) \\ &= k + r(p + q) - 2[k - (p + q)] \\ &= k + r(p + q) - 2k + 2(p + q) \\ &= (r + 2)(p + q) - k \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Case(ii): f'(uv) &\neq p + q; f'(u) \neq p + q \\ w_{f'}(u) &= f'(u) + \sum f'(uv) \\ &= (p + q) - f(u) + \sum (p + q) - f(uv)] \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - [f(u) + \sum f(uv)] \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - k \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Case(iii): f'(uv) &= p + q; f'(u) \neq p + q \\ w_{f'}(u) &= f'(u) + \sum f'(uv) = [(p + q) - f(uv)] \\ &= (p + q) - f(u) + (p + q) - f(uv) + (p + q)] \\ &= (p + q) - f(u) + r(p + q) - f(uv) + (p + q) - f(uv) - f(uv) \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - [f(u) + \sum_{1}^{r-1} f(uv)] \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - [f(u) + \sum_{1}^{r-1} f(uv) - f(uv)] \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - k + f(uv) \\ &= (r + 1)(p + q) - k + (p + q) - (r + 2)(p + q) - k \end{aligned}$$

when the edge label is p + q, the bimagic constants of vertex bimagic total labeling are as in cases (i) and (ii), when the vertex label is p + q, the bimagic constants of vertex bimagic total labeling are as in cases (ii) and (iii). Hence the proof.

**Theorem 4.8:** If  $f:V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1,2,...,p + q\}$  is the function of vertex magic total labeling, then any non regular graph with two different degrees at vertices, with vertex magic total labeling possesses vertex bimagic total labeling with the function  $f':V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1,2,...,p+q\}$  as

$$f'(u) = p + q + 1 - f(u)$$
  
 $f'(uv) = p + q + 1 - f(uv)$ 

### **Proof:**

Consider a non regular graph with two different degrees at vertices, which possesses vertex magic total labeling with the function  $f: V(G) \cup E(G) \rightarrow \{1, 2, ..., p + q\}$  and the weight is given by  $w_f(u)$  or magic constant k where

$$w_f(u) = f(u) + \sum f(uv)$$

then the function of the vertex bimagic total labeling given by

$$f': V(G) \cup E(G) \to \{1, 2, ..., p + q\}$$
 is defined by  
 $f'(u) = p + q + 1 - f(u)$   
 $f'(uv) = p + q + 1 - f(uv)$ 

has weight to be  $w_{f'}(u)$ . Then there exists the following cases for vertex bimagic total labeling.

$$Case(i): if deg(u) = n$$
  

$$w_{f'}(u) = f'(u) + \sum f'(uv) = (p + q + 1) - f(uv) = (p + q + 1) - f(uv)$$
  

$$= (p + q + 1) - f(u) + n(p + q + 1) - \sum f(uv)$$

$$= (n+1)(p+q+1) - [f(u) +$$

$$\sum f(uv)$$

$$= (n+1)(p+q+1) - k$$

Case(ii): if deg(u) = n + 1

$$w_{f'}(u) = (n+2)(p+q+1) - k$$

As there are bimagic constants as in cases (i) and (ii), the result is true.

## V. BASIC COUNTING FOR VBMTL

Let  $s_p$  denote the sum of vertex lables and  $s_q$  be the sum of the edge labels in a vertex bimagic total labeling *f*, since the labels are the numbers 1,2, ..., p + q, the sum of all labels be represented by  $= \sigma_0^{p+q}$  which means that the sum starts after 0, in the subscript upto the values p + q in the superscript, is

$$s_p + s_q = \sigma_0^{p+q} = \binom{p+q+1}{2}$$
$$= \frac{(p+q)(p+q+1)}{2} \quad -----(1)$$

At each vertex  $u_i$ , we get

$$f(u_i) + \sum f(u_i v_i) = k_1 \text{ or } k_2$$

Summing this over  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  vertices,  $u_i$  is equivalent to adding each vertex label once and each edge label twice so that,

$$s_p + 2s_q = n_1k_1 + n_2k_2$$
 -----(2)

Where  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  are the number of vertices which receive the constant  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  respectively and

$$p = n_1 + n_2$$
  
Combining (1) and (2) we get  
 $\binom{p+q+1}{2} + s_q = n_1k_1 + n_2k_2$  ------(3)

The edge labels are all distinct (as are all vertex labels). The edges could receive the q smallest labels or

at the extreme q largest labels or anything between.

$$\therefore$$
 we have,  $\sigma o^q \le s_q \le \sigma p^{p+q}$  -----(4)

A similar result holds for  $s_p$ .

Now, combining (3) and (4) we get,

which gives the feasible range of  $k_i^{\prime}s$ 

$$\binom{p+q+1}{2} + \binom{q+1}{2} - n_2 k_2 \leq n_1 k_1$$

$$\leq 2 \binom{p+q+1}{2} - \binom{p+1}{2} - n_2 k_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1} \binom{p+q+1}{2} + \frac{1}{n_1} \binom{q+1}{2} - \frac{n_2}{n_1} k_2 \leq k_1 \leq$$

$$\frac{2}{n_1} \binom{p+q+1}{2} - \frac{1}{n_1} \binom{p+1}{2} - \frac{n_2}{n_1} k_2 - \dots$$
(6) and

$$\binom{p+q+1}{2} + \binom{q+1}{2} - n_1 k_1 \le n_2 k_2$$

$$\le 2 \binom{p+q+1}{2} - \binom{p+1}{2} - n_1 k_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_2} \binom{p+q+1}{2} + \frac{1}{n_2} \binom{q+1}{2} - \frac{n_1}{n_2} k_1 \le k_2 \le$$

$$\frac{2}{n_2} \binom{p+q+1}{2} - \frac{1}{n_2} \binom{p+1}{2} - \frac{n_1}{n_2} k_1 - \dots$$

$$(7) - (6) \text{ gives,}$$

$$\binom{p+q+1}{2} \binom{1}{n_2} - \frac{1}{n_1} + \binom{q+1}{2} \binom{1}{n_2} - \frac{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} - \frac{1}{n_2} \binom{1}{n_1} + \binom{1}{n_2} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} - \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} - \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_2} \binom{1}{n_1} \binom{1}{n_1}$$

This relation shows the range of the magic

constants in VBMTL of graphs.

Let us verify the above relation in a corona  $C_n \odot K_1$ .

Consider 
$$n = 3$$
, then

$$p = 2n = 6, q = 2n = 6, n_1 = n = 3, n_2 = n =$$
  
3,  $k_1 = 13, k_2 = 29$ .

On substituting the values in equation (9), we get

$$13c_{2}\left(\frac{1}{3}-\frac{1}{3}\right)+7c_{2}\left(\frac{1}{3}-\frac{1}{3}\right)-\frac{3}{3}(13)+\frac{3}{3}(29)$$

$$\leq (29-13)$$

$$\leq 2*13c_{2}\left(\frac{1}{3}-\frac{1}{3}\right)-7c_{2}\left(\frac{1}{3}-\frac{1}{3}\right)-\frac{3}{3}(13)$$

$$+\frac{3}{3}(29)$$

 $\Rightarrow 16 \le 16 \le 16$ 

### V. CONCLUSIONS

In this paper we have discussed that vertex bimagic total labeling exists for the graphs  $K_{1,n}$  bistar  $B_{n,n}$ (odd n > 1 and even n > 2), cycle  $C_n$ , wheel  $W_n$ , crown graphs  $C_n K_1$  and (3, n) kite graphs (n > 3, n is odd), Fan graph  $F_n$ . Also the extremities of bimagic constants in vertex bimagic total labeling graphs has been discussed. We further establish the relation between vertex magic total labeling and vertex bimagic total labeling of a regular graph and non regular graph with two different degrees at vertices. Various such interesting facts can be worked on vertex bimagic total labeling.

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