# การกำกับมหัศจรรย์แบบ S ของยูเนียนของกราฟหลายส่วนบริบูรณ์ที่ไม่มีจุดร่วมกัน

## S – magic Labelings of Union of Disjoint Complete Multipartite Graphs

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### บทคัดย่อ

การกำกับมหัศจรรย์แบบ S ของกราฟ G คือฟังก์ชันหนึ่งต่อหนึ่ง f จากเซตของจุด V(G) ไปยังเซตของจำนวน เต็มบวก S โดยที่  $\left|S\right| = \left|V(G)\right|$  ซึ่ง  $\sum_{v \in N_G(u)} f(v) = k$  สำหรับจุด  $u \in V(G)$  โดยที่ k เป็นค่าคงตัวและ  $N_G(u)$  แทนเซต ของจุดทั้งหมดใน G ที่ประชิดกับจุด u จะกล่าวว่ากราฟ G เป็นมหัศจรรย์แบบ S ถ้ากราฟ G มีการกำกับมหัศจรรย์ แบบ S ในงานวิจัยนี้ เราได้แสดงเงื่อนไขที่จำเป็นและเพียงพอของการมีการกำกับมหัศจรรย์แบบ S ของยูเนียนของกราฟ หลายส่วนบริบูรณ์ที่ไม่มีจุดร่วมกัน G และได้แสดงด้วยว่า กราฟ G ที่เพิ่มหนึ่งเส้น e จะไม่เป็นมหัศจรรย์แบบ S ถ้าจุด ปลายทั้งสองของ e มาจากเซตแบ่งส่วนเดียวกัน

**คำสำคัญ** : มหัศจรรย์แบบ s ; การกำกับของกราฟ ; กราฟหลายส่วน

#### Abstract

An S – magic labeling of a graph G is a one to one map f from the vertex set V(G) to a set of positive integers S with |S| = |V(G)|, such that  $\sum_{v \in N_G(u)} f(v) = k$  for any  $u \in V(G)$  where k is a constant and  $N_G(u)$  is the set of vertices in G adjacent to G. A graph G is G – magic if G admits an G – magic labeling. In this paper, we show a necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an G – magic labelings of a union of disjoint complete multipartite graphs G, we also prove that the graph G adding one edge G is not G – magic if two endpoints of G0 are from the same partite set.

Keywords: S-magic; graph labeling; multipartite graph

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#### Introduction

Throughout this paper we consider finite, simple and undirected graphs. Notations and terminologies not defined here are followed from West (West, 2001).

Let G = (V(G), E(G)) be a graph. The *neighborhood* of a vertex u in a graph G is the set of vertices adjacent to u, and is denoted by  $N_G(u)$ . Let S be a set of positive integers where  $\left|S\right| = \left|V(G)\right|$ . An S-magic labeling of G is a bijection  $f: V(G) \to S$  such that  $\sum_{v \in N_G(u)} f(v) = k$  for all  $u \in V(G)$ , where k is a constant.

The constant k is called an s – magic constant. If G admits an S-magic labeling, then the graph G is an s – magic graph (or G is S-magic). For convenience, we denote  $sum(f[V]) = \sum_{v \in V} f(v)$  where V is a set of vertices.

If we restrict the labeling set of f to be  $\{1,2,\cdots,n\}$  where n=|V(G)| under the same condition of s - magic labelings, then we say that f is a  $\sum$  - labeling. A  $\sum$  - graph is a graph which admits a  $\sum$  - labeling.

In 1994, Vilfred (Vilfred, 1994) introduced the  $\Sigma$  – labeling of graphs. The concept of  $\Sigma$  – labeling was studied by many authors and several terminologies. For examples, Miller et al. (Miller *et al.*, 2003) used the term 1 – vertex magic labeling, Sugeng et al. (Sugeng *et al.*, 2009) and Sankar et al. (Sankar *et al.*, 2016) used the term distance magic labeling. Many results on distance magic labelings has been collected by Arumugam et al. (Arumugam *et al.*, 2011).

In 2015, Godinho and Singh (Godinho and Singh, 2015) defined an s - magic labeling which is the generalization of the idea of  $\sum$  - labelings. They obtain many families of s - magic graphs such as a complete graph  $K_n$ , a cycle  $C_n$  and a complete r - partite graph  $K_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$ . They also studied some properties of this labeling.

Many types of labeling have been studied and a survey of graph labelings can be found in (Gallian, 2017).

The main focus of this paper is to find some necessary and sufficient conditions for the existence of an s – magic labelings of a union of disjoint complete multipartite graphs g and show that the graph g adding one edge is not g – magic.



#### Methods

First, we studied the definitions of s – magic labelings of graphs and some properties that concern. Then we focused on s – magic labelings of the specific graphs such as the complete graphs which had been shown in the Godinho and Singh's paper. We collected the graphs that admit an s – magic labelings and found a new graph that no one studied in term of this labelings. Then we used some techniques of Godinho and Singh's paper as the basis on construction of s – magic labelings of the union of disjoint complete multipartite graphs.

#### Results

Let  $m \geq 2$  be an integer. The union of disjoint m copies of G is denoted by mG. For  $t \in \{1, 2, \cdots, m\}$ , let  $V_1', V_2', \cdots, V_r'$  be the partite sets in the  $t^{\text{th}}$  copy of  $mK_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_r}$  where  $V_k' = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} v_{k,1}', v_{k,2}', \cdots, v_{k,n_k}' \end{array} \right\}$  for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \cdots, r\}$ . That is  $V\left(mK_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_r}\right) = \bigcup_{k=1}^m \bigcup_{k=1}^r V_k'$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** Let  $f: V(mK_{n_1,n_2,...,n_r}) \to S$  be a bijection where  $S \subset \square$ . The graph  $G = mK_{n_1,n_2,...,n_r}$  is S – magic with labeling f if and only if the sum of the labels of all the vertices in any two partite sets of G are equal.

*Proof.* Let f be an S-magic labeling of G. For  $t \in \{1, 2, \dots, m\}$ , let  $x \in V_i$  and  $y \in V_j$  for some  $i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ . Then  $sum(f[N_G(x)]) = sum(f[N_G(y)])$ 

$$sum(f[\bigcup_{i=1}^{r} V_{i}^{t}]) - sum(f[V_{i}^{t}]) = sum(f[\bigcup_{i=1}^{r} V_{i}^{t}]) - sum(f[V_{j}^{t}])$$

$$sum(f[V_i^t]) = sum(f[V_i^t]).$$

For  $t \in \{1, 2, \dots, m\}$ , let  $sum(f[V_i^t]) = k_t$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ .

Let  $w \in V_i^{\ p}$  and  $z \in V_i^{\ q}$  for some  $i, j \in \{1, 2, \cdots, r\}$  and  $p, q \in \{1, 2, \cdots, m\}$  where  $p \neq q$ . Then

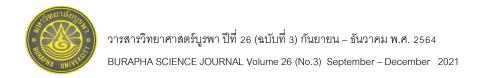
$$sum(f[N_G(w)]) = sum(f[N_G(z)])$$

$$k_{p}(r-1) = k_{q}(r-1)$$

$$k_p = k_q$$
.

Hence  $sum\left(f\left[V_{i}^{p}\right]\right)=sum\left(f\left[V_{i}^{q}\right]\right)$  for all  $i,j\in\{1,2,\cdots,r\}$  and  $p,q\in\{1,2,\cdots,m\}$ .

Conversely, let  $f:V(G)\to S$  be a bijection such that  $sum(f[V_i'])=k$  for all  $i\in\{1,2,\cdots,r\}$  and  $t\in\{1,2,\cdots,m\}$ . Thus  $sum(f[N_G(u)])=k(r-1)$  for all  $u\in V(G)$ . Then f is an g-magic labeling of G, and hence G is g-magic.



In 2015, Godinho and Singh (Godinho and Singh, 2015) found the necessary and sufficient conditions for the existence of s – magic labelings of complete multipartite graphs as the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.2.** (Godinho and Singh, 2015) The complete r partite graph  $K_{n_1,n_2,\ldots,n_r}$  where  $n_1 \leq n_2 \leq \ldots \leq n_r$  is s - magic if and only if  $n_2 \geq 2$ .

We extend the graph in Theorem 2.2 to be a graph having many components. Observe that if G is s – magic, then the graph mG may not be s – magic, so we try to find some conditions for the existence of an s – magic labeling of the union of disjoint complete multipartite graphs. The result as the following.

Theorem 2.3. The graph  $G = m K_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_r}$  where  $n_1 \le n_2 \le \dots \le n_r$  and  $m \ge 2$  is s - magic if and only if  $n_1 \ge 2$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n_1 = 1$ . Suppose that G is S – magic with labeling f. By Lemma 2.1, the sum of the labels of all the vertices in any two partite sets of G are equal. Since  $V_1^1 = \{v_{1,1}^1\}$  and  $V_1^2 = \{v_{1,1}^2\}$ , we have  $f(v_{1,1}^1) = f(v_{1,1}^2)$ , a contradiction. Thus G is not S – magic.

Conversely, assume that  $n \ge 2$ . We define  $h: V(G) \to \square$  as follows:

For  $k \in \{\ 1,\ 2,\cdots,\ r\ \},\ p \in \{\ 1,\ 2,\cdots,\ m\ \}$  and  $i \in \{\ 1,\ 2,\cdots,\ n_k-1\ \}$  , let

$$h\left(v_{k,i}^{p}\right) = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} i + (p-1)(n_{k}-1) & \text{if } k = 1, \\ \\ i + (p-1)(n_{k}-1) + m \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} (n_{j}-1) & \text{if } k \in \{2, 3, \dots, r\}. \end{array} \right.$$

Note that the sequence

$$h(v_{1,1}^{1}), h(v_{1,2}^{1}), \cdots, h(v_{1,n_{1}-1}^{1}),$$

$$h(v_{1,1}^{2}), h(v_{1,2}^{2}), \cdots, h(v_{1,n_{1}-1}^{2}),$$

$$\vdots$$

$$h(v_{1,1}^{m}), h(v_{1,2}^{m}), \cdots, h(v_{1,n_{1}-1}^{m}),$$

$$h(v_{2,1}^{1}), h(v_{2,2}^{1}), \cdots, h(v_{2,n_{2}-1}^{1}),$$

$$\vdots$$

$$h(v_{2,1}^{n}), h(v_{2,2}^{2}), \cdots, h(v_{2,n_{2}-1}^{2}),$$

$$\vdots$$

$$h(v_{2,1}^{m}), h(v_{2,2}^{m}), \cdots, h(v_{2,n_{2}-1}^{m}),$$



$$\vdots 
h(v_{r,1}^{1}), h(v_{r,2}^{1}), \cdots, h(v_{r,n_{r}-1}^{1}), 
h(v_{r,1}^{2}), h(v_{r,2}^{2}), \cdots, h(v_{r,n_{r}-1}^{2}), 
\vdots 
h(v_{r,1}^{m}), h(v_{r,2}^{m}), \cdots, h(v_{r,n_{r}-1}^{m})$$

is strictly increasing.

Let 
$$h\left(v_{r,\,n_{\,r}}^{\,m}\right) = h\left(v_{r,\,n_{\,r}-1}^{\,m}\right) + 1$$
 and  $X = sum\left(h\left[V_{\,r}^{\,m}\right]\right)$ . For  $p \in \{\ 1,\ 2,\cdots,\ m-1\ \}$  and  $k \in \{\ 1,\ 2,\cdots,\ r\ \}$ , let  $h\left(v_{k,\,n_{k}}^{\,p}\right) = X - sum\left(h\left[V_{\,k}^{\,p}\setminus \{\,v_{k,\,n_{k}}^{\,p}\}\,\right]\right)$ . Thus  $sum\left(h\left[V_{\,k}^{\,p}\right]\right) = h\left(v_{k,\,n_{k}}^{\,p}\right) + sum\left(h\left[V_{\,k}^{\,p}\setminus \{\,v_{k,\,n_{k}}^{\,p}\}\,\right] = X$ .

Since the sequence

$$\begin{split} h\left[V_{1}^{1}\setminus\left\{v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{1}\right\}\right], & h\left[V_{1}^{2}\setminus\left\{v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{2}\right\}\right], \cdots, & h\left[V_{1}^{m}\setminus\left\{v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{m}\right\}\right], \\ h\left[V_{2}^{1}\setminus\left\{v_{2,\,n_{2}}^{1}\right\}\right], & h\left[V_{2}^{2}\setminus\left\{v_{2,\,n_{2}}^{2}\right\}\right], \cdots, & h\left[V_{2}^{m}\setminus\left\{v_{2,\,n_{2}}^{m}\right\}\right], \\ & \vdots \\ h\left[V_{r}^{1}\setminus\left\{v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{1}\right\}\right], & h\left[V_{r}^{2}\setminus\left\{v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{2}\right\}\right], \cdots, & h\left[V_{r}^{m}\setminus\left\{v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{m}\right\}\right] \end{split}$$

is strictly increasing, we have the sequence

$$\begin{array}{c} h\left(v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{m}\right)\;,\;\;h\left(v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{m-1}\right)\;,\;\cdots\;,\;\;h\left(v_{r,\,n_{r}}^{1}\right)\;,\\ h\left(v_{r-1,\,n_{\,r-1}}^{m}\right)\;,\;\;h\left(v_{r-1,\,n_{\,r-1}}^{m-1}\right)\;,\;\cdots\;,\;\;h\left(v_{r-1,\,n_{\,r-1}}^{1}\right)\;,\\ &\vdots\\ h\left(v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{m}\right)\;,\;\;h\left(v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{m-1}\right)\;,\;\cdots\;,\;\;h\left(v_{1,\,n_{1}}^{1}\right) \end{array}$$

is also strictly increasing. Thus h(u) and h(v) are pairwise distinct for all  $u, v \in V(G)$ . Hence h is one to one, that is |h[V(G)]| = |V(G)|.

Let S=h[V(G)]. Define  $f:V(G)\to S$  as follows: f(v)=h(v) for all  $v\in V(G)$ . Then f is a bijection and  $sum(f[V_k^p])=sum(h[V_k^p])=X$  for all  $k\in\{1,2,\cdots,r\}$  and  $p\in\{1,2,\cdots,m\}$ . By Lemma 2.1, f is an S-magic labeling of G. Therefore, G is S-magic with magic constant X(r-1).



**Example 2.4.** Consider the graph  $G = 3 K_{3,4,4}$ . Then G has order 33 and consists 3 components isomorphic with  $K_{3,4,4}$ . By Theorem 2.3, G is G – magic (vertices are labeled as the Figure 1) with G – magic constant 188.

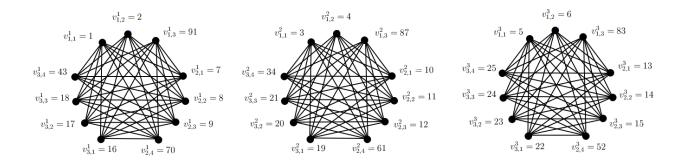


Figure 1: The s – magic labeling of 3  $K_{3,4,4}$  by using the labeling outlined in Theorem 2.3

The graph G adding an edge e is denoted by G+e where e is not an edge of G. Godinho and Singh (Godinho and Singh, 2015) found a necessary condition for the existence of an G – magic graph in Theorem 2.5. We use this to prove that  $mK_{n_1,n_2,\ldots,n_r}+e$  is not an G-magic graph where G = G with G are vertices in the same partite set of G and G are vertices in the same partite set of G and G are vertices in the

**Theorem 2.5.** (Godinho and Singh, 2015) If there exist two vertices u and v in a graph G such that

$$\left| \left( N_{G}(u) \setminus N_{G}(v) \right) \cup \left( N_{G}(v) \setminus N_{G}(u) \right) \right| = 2$$

then G is not S – magic.

Corollary 2.6. Let  $G = mK_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_r}$  and e = uv where u and v are vertices in the same partite of G. Then the graph G + e is not S - magic.

*Proof.* Assume that H=G+e. Note that  $N_G(u)=N_G(v)$ . Since  $N_H(u)=N_G(u)\cup\{v\}$  and  $N_H(v)=N_G(v)\cup\{u\}$ , we have that  $\left|\left(N_H(u)\backslash N_H(v)\right)\cup\left(N_H(v)\backslash N_H(u)\right)\right|=2$ . By Theorem 2.5, H is not S – magic.



#### Discussion

Godinho and Singh showed that the graph  $K_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$  where  $n_1 \leq n_2 \leq \dots \leq n_r$  is s - magic if and only if  $n_2 \geq 2$ . Since if the graph  $K_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$  is s - magic, then  $mK_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$  may not be s - magic, for example, the graph  $K_{1,2}$  is s - magic but  $2K_{1,2}$  is not s - magic. In this paper, we show the condition for the existence of an s - magic labeling of the graph  $mK_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$ , that is, the graph  $mK_{n_1,n_2,\dots,n_r}$  where  $n_1 \leq n_2 \leq \dots \leq n_r$  and  $m \geq 2$  is s - magic if and only if s -

#### Conclusions

For this research, we show a necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an s - magic labelings of a union of disjoint complete multipartite graphs G, and show that the graph G + uv is not s - magic if u and v are vertices in the same partite of G.

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