

ON THE HYPER-WIENER INDEX OF THORNY-COMPLETE GRAPH

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Abstract: Let G be the graph. The Wiener Index $W(G)$ is the sum of all distances between vertices of G , where as the Hyper-Wiener index $WW(G)$ is defined as $WW(G) = W(G) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u, v)$. In this paper we prove some general results on Hyper-Wiener Index of Thorny-Complete graphs.

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1. INTRODUCTION:

In this paper we consider graphs means simple connected graphs, connected graphs without loops and multiple edges. In mathematical terms a graph is represented as $G = (V, E)$ where V is the set of vertices and E is the set of edges. The distance between the vertices u and v of $V(G)$ is denoted by $d(u, v)$ and it is defined as the number of edges in a minimal path connecting the vertices u and v .

In chemical graph theory, the Wiener index (also called Wiener number) is a topological index of a molecule, defined as the sum of the lengths of the shortest paths between all pairs of vertices in the chemical graph represented the non-hydrogen atom in the molecule. The Wiener index is named after Harry Wiener, who introduced it in 1947; at the time, Wiener called it the “**Path Number**”. It is the oldest topological index related to molecular branching.

Wiener Index given by

$$W(G) = \sum_{u < v} d(u, v)$$

The Hyper-Wiener index “ WW ” is distance based graph invariants, used as a structure descriptor for predicting physico-chemical properties of organic compounds. The hyper-Wiener index of acyclic graphs was introduced by Milan Randic in 1993. Then Klein, generalized Randic’s definition for all connected graphs, as a generalization of the Wiener index. It is defined as

$$WW(G) = W(G) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u, v)$$

The Hyper-Wiener index of Complete graph K_n , Path graph P_n , Star graph $K_{1,n-1}$ and Cycle graph C_n is given by the expressions

$$WW(K_n) = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}, \quad WW(P_n) = \frac{n^4 + 2n^3 - n^2 - 2n}{24}, \quad WW(K_{1,n-1}) = \frac{1}{2}(n-1)(3n-4)$$

$$WW(C_n) = \begin{cases} \frac{n^2(n+1)(n+2)}{48}, & n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{n(n^2 - 1)(n + 3)}{48}, n \text{ is odd}$$

We have three methods for calculation of the Hyper-Wiener Index of molecular graphs.

(i) Distance Formula:

$$WW(G) = W(G) + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u,v)$$

(ii) Cut Method:

(iii) The Method of Hosoya Polynomials:

Let G a connected n - vertex graph with vertex set $V(G) = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ and $p = (p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n)$ be an n -tuple of non-negative integers. The **thorn graph** G_p is the graph obtained by attaching p_i pendent vertices to the vertex v_i of G for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. The p_i pendent vertices attached to the vertex v_i will be called the thorns of v_i . The concept of thorny graphs was introduced by Ivan Gutman.

Following results are proved using distance formula

2. MAIN RESULTS:

Theorem 2.1: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching S - number of Pendent vertices to each vertex of K_n with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - n - 2Sn + 6Pn - 5P - 3PS + 6P^2\}$$

Where n - cardinality of complete graph

S - Number of Pendent vertices attached to each vertex of n .

P – Total number of Pendent vertices present in G .

Proof: To find Hyper-Wiener index of the graph we need to find following two parts,

To find $W(G)$:

$$\begin{aligned} W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d(u,v) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{[(1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2) + \dots + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \\ &\quad + [(1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2 + 3 + 3 + \dots + 3) + (1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2 + 3 + 3 + \dots + 3)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{[n + S - 1 + 2(P - S) + \dots + n + S - 1 + 2(P - S)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{3cm}}_{n \text{ times}} \\ &\quad + [1 + 2(n + S - 2) + 3(P - S) + \dots + 1 + 2(n + S - 2) + 3(P - S)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{3cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{n[n + S - 1 + 2(P - S)] + P[1 + 2(n + S - 2) + 3(P - S)]\}$$

$$W(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - Sn - n + 4Pn - 3P - PS + 3P^2\} \dots \dots \dots (a)$$

To find $WW^*(G)$:

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u, v)$$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{[(1 + 1 + \dots + 1) + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1) + \dots + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1)]$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}}$

$$+ (1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 3 + 3 + \dots + 3) + \dots + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 3 + 3 + \dots + 3)\}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \{[(P - S) + (P - S) + \dots + (P - S)]$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{2.5cm}}_{n \text{ times}}$

$$+ [(n + S - 2) + 3(P - S) + \dots + (n + S - 2) + 3(P - S)] \}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{4.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}}$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n(P - S) + P[(n + S - 2) + 3(P - S)]\}$$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{2Pn - Sn - 2PS - 2P + 3P^2\} \dots \dots \dots (b)$$

Since $WW(G) = W(G) + WW^*(G)$

$$\text{Therefore } WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - Sn - n + 4Pn - 3P - PS + 3P^2\}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \{2Pn - Sn - 2PS - 2P + 3P^2\}$$

Combining (a) and (b) gives

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - n - 2Sn + 6Pn - 5P - 3PS + 6P^2\}$$

Corollary 2.1.1: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching three Pendent vertices to each vertex of K_n with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - 7n + 6Pn - 14P + 6P^2\}$$

Proof: Substituting $S=3$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Corollary 2.1.2: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching two Pendent vertices to each vertex of K_n with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - 5n + 6Pn - 11P + 6P^2\}$$

Proof: Substituting $S=2$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Corollary 2.1.3: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices. The graph G obtained by attaching one Pendent vertex to each vertex of K_n with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - 3n + 6Pn - 8P + 6P^2\}$$

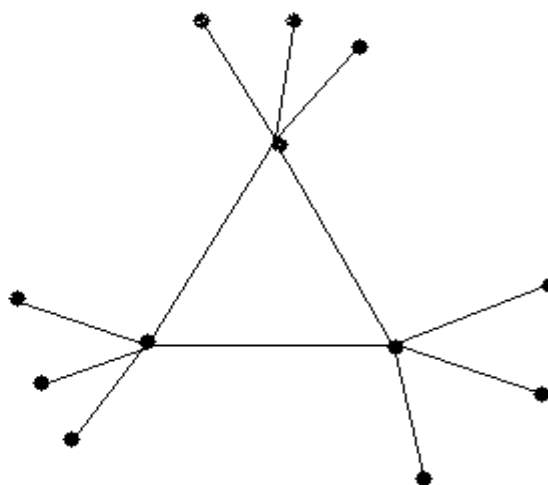
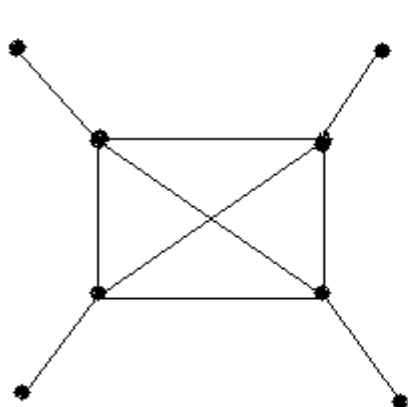
Proof: Substituting $S=1$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Corollary 2.1.4: Hyper-Wiener index of complete graph given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{2} \{n^2 - n\}$$

Proof: Substituting $S=0$ and $P=0$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Illustrations:



$$1, P = 4 \quad W(G) = 52 \quad WW(G) = 82$$

$$n = 3, S = 3, P = 9 \quad W(G) = 147 \quad WW(G) = 255$$

$$n = 4, S =$$

Theorem 2.2: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices (n is even). The graph G obtained by attaching S - number of Pendent vertices to alternative vertices of K_n with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{2n^2 + 12Pn - 2Sn - 2n - 10P - 6PS + 12P^2\}$$

Where n - cardinality of complete graph and n is even

S - Number of Pendent vertices attached to alternative vertices of n .

P - Total number of Pendent vertices present in G .

Proof: To find Hyper-Wiener index of the graph we need to find following two parts,

To find $W(G)$:

$$\begin{aligned} W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d(u,v) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \{ [(1 + 1 + \dots + 1) + (2 + 2 + \dots + 2) + \dots + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1) + (2 + 2 + \dots + 2)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \\ &\quad + [(1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2) + \dots + (1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 2 + 2 + \dots + 2)] \\ &\quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-1 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& +[(1+2+2+\cdots+2+3+3+\cdots+3)+\cdots+(1+2+2+\cdots+2+3+3+\cdots+3)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \\
& = \frac{1}{2} \{[(n-1+2P)+(n-1+2P)+\cdots+(n-1+2P)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{3cm}}_{\frac{n}{2} \text{ times}} \\
& +[(n-1+S+2P-2S)+\cdots+(n-1+S+2P-2S)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{3cm}}_{\frac{n}{2} \text{ times}} \\
& +[1+2(n+S-2)+3(P-s)+\cdots+1+2(n+S-2)+3(P-s)]\} \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{4cm}}_{P \text{ times}}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
W(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{n}{2} [n-1+2p] + \frac{n}{2} [n-1+S+2P-2S] + P[1+2(n+S-2)+3(P-s)] \right\} \\
W(G) &= \frac{1}{4} [2n^2 + 8Pn - Sn - 2n - 6P - 2PS + 6P^2] \dots\dots\dots(a)
\end{aligned}$$

To find $WW^*(G)$:

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\{u,v\} \subseteq V(G)} d^2(u,v)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
WW^*(G) &= \frac{1}{2} \{[(1+1+\cdots+1)+(1+1+\cdots+1)+\cdots+(1+1+\cdots+1)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P \text{ times}} \\
& +[(1+1+\cdots+1)+(1+1+\cdots+1)+\cdots+(1+1+\cdots+1)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \\
& +[(1+1+\cdots+1+3+3+\cdots+3)+\cdots+(1+1+\cdots+1+3+3+\cdots+3)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{n+S-2 \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{P-S \text{ times}}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
WW^*(G) &= \{[P+P+\cdots+P] + (P-S) + (P-S) + \cdots + (P-S)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{\frac{n}{2} \text{ times}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{2.5cm}}_{\frac{n}{2} \text{ times}} \\
& +[(n+s-2+3P-3S)+\cdots+(n+s-2+3P-3S)] \\
& \quad \underbrace{\hspace{4cm}}_{P \text{ times}}
\end{aligned}$$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{n}{2} P + \frac{n}{2} (P-S) + P(n+S-2+3P-3S) \right\}$$

$$WW^*(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{4Pn - Sn - 4SP + 6P^2 - 4P\} \dots\dots\dots(b)$$

Since $WW(G) = W(G) + WW^*(G)$

Therefore

$$WW(G) = \left\{ \frac{1}{4} [2n^2 + 8Pn - Sn - 2n - 6P - 2PS + 6P^2] \right\} + \frac{1}{4} \{4Pn - Sn - 4SP + 6P^2 - 4P\}$$

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{2n^2 + 12Pn - 2Sn - 2n - 10P - 6PS + 12P^2\}$$

Corollary 2.2.1: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices (n is even). The graph G obtained by attaching three Pendent vertices to alternative vertices of K_n ($n \geq 4$) with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{2n^2 + 12Pn - 8n - 28P + 12P^2\}$$

Proof: Substituting $S=3$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Corollary 2.2.2: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices (n is even). The graph G obtained by attaching two Pendent vertices to alternative vertices of K_n ($n \geq 4$) with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{2n^2 + 12Pn - 6n - 22P + 12P^2\}$$

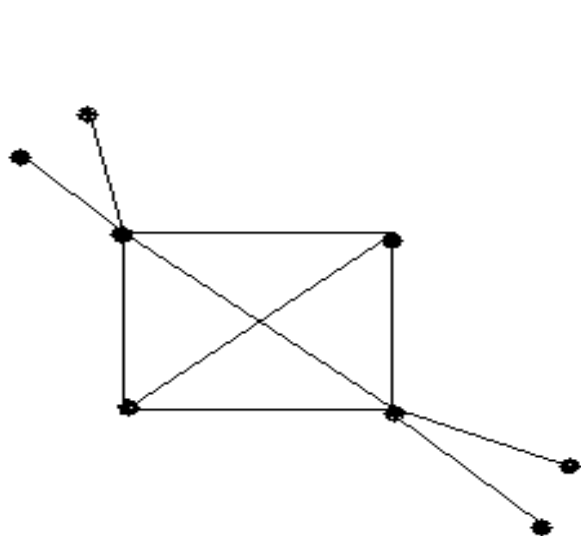
Proof: Substituting $S=2$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Corollary 2.2.3: Let K_n be the complete graph on n vertices (n is even). The graph G obtained by attaching one Pendent vertex to alternative vertices of K_n ($n \geq 4$) with common vertex then its Hyper-Wiener index given by

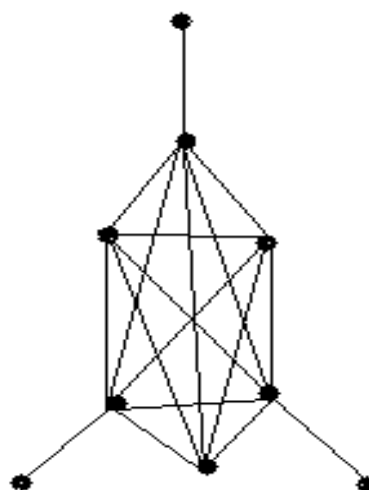
$$WW(G) = \frac{1}{4} \{2n^2 + 12Pn - 4n - 16P + 12P^2\}$$

Proof: Substituting $S=1$ in above theorem, gives the result. ■

Illustrations:



$$|K_n| = 4, S = 2, P = 4, W(G) = 50 \quad WW(G) = 76$$



$$|K_n| = 6, S = 1, P = 3, W(G) = 57 \quad WW(G) = 81$$

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