

# SD-Divisibility and Some Results on SD-Divisor Labeling of Graphs

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## ABSTRACT

Let  $G$  with bijection  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , linked to  $S = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $D = |f(x) - f(y)|$  with each edge  $xy$  in  $E$ . The labeling  $f$  makes on edge labeling  $f^* : E \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$  like for any  $xy$  in  $E$ ,  $f^*(xy) = 1$  if  $D \mid S$  and  $f^*(xy) = 0$  if  $D \nmid S$ . We mean  $f$  is an SD-divisor labeling if  $f^*(xy) = 1$  for all  $xy$  in  $E$ . Further,  $G$  is SD-divisor if it have SD-divisor labeling. We mean  $f$  is an SD-divisor cordial labeling if  $|e_{f^*}(0) - e_{f^*}(1)| \leq 1$ . Further,  $G$  is SD-divisor cordial if it have SD-divisor cordial labeling. In this article, we define SD-divisibility and SD-divisor pair of numbers and establish some of its properties. We also proved some standard graphs are not SD-divisor.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

In this article, graphs and number theory terms we mention to [4] and [2] respectively. Also divisor cordial labeling and SD-prime labeling concepts we refer to [10] and [6] respectively. Here we define SD-divisibility and SD-divisor pair of numbers and establish some of its properties. Also we proved some standard graphs like star, complete, complete bipartite and wheel graphs are not SD-divisor.

## 2. SD-DIVISIBILITY AND ITS PROPERTIES

First we define SD-divisibility of two positive integers.

**Definition 2.1** Let  $a$  and  $b$  be the two distinct positive integers, we say that  $a$  SD-divides  $b$  if  $|a - b| \mid (a + b)$ . It is indicated by  $a \mid_{SD} b$ . If  $a$  does not SD-divide  $b$ , then it is indicated by  $a \nmid_{SD} b$ .

**Example 2.2**  $3 \mid_{SD} 5$ .

**Example 2.3**  $2 \nmid_{SD} 10$ .

Note:

1. From the examples 2.2 and 2.3, divisibility and SD-divisibility are different concepts.
2. By the definition 2.1, SD-divisibility is not reflexive.
3. From the definition 2.1,  $a \mid_{SD} b$  gives  $|a - b| \mid (a + b)$ . Its gives  $|b - a| \mid (b + a)$ . Clearly,  $b \mid_{SD} a$ . Thus, SD-divisibility is symmetric.
4. SD-divisibility is not transitive.
5. SD-divisibility is not an equivalence relation.

**Example 2.4**  $1 \mid_{SD} 3$  and  $3 \mid_{SD} 5$  but  $1 \nmid_{SD} 5$ .

**Observation 2.5** It is known that if  $k$  and  $k+2$  are two consecutive odd integers, then  $k \nmid k + 2$  for  $k \geq 3$ . If  $k$  and  $k + 2$  are two consecutive even integers, then  $k \nmid k + 2$  for  $k \geq 4$ .

**Result 2.6** 1 SD-divides only to the integers 2 and 3.

**Proof:** If  $a = 1$  and  $b > 1$  are any positive integer.

If  $1 \mid_{SD} b$ , then  $(b-1) \mid (b+1)$ .

This means that two consecutive odd integers or two consecutive even integers divide.

This is possible only if  $b = 2$  and 3.

**Result 2.7** 2 SD-divides only to the integers 1, 3, 4 and 6.

**Proof:** If  $a = 2$  and  $b$  are any positive integer.

If  $2 \mid_{SD} b$ , then  $|b - 2| \mid (b + 2)$ .

This is possible only if  $b = 1, 3, 4$  and 6.

**Result 2.8** 3 SD-divides only to the integers 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 9.

**Proof:** If  $a = 3$  and  $b$  are any positive integer.

If  $3 \mid_{SD} b$ , then  $|b - 3| \mid (b + 3)$ .

This is possible only if  $b = 1, 2, 4, 5, 6$  and 9.

**Observation 2.9** Let  $a \geq 3$  be the any positive integer. Then  $a - 1, a - 2, a + 1, a + 2, 2a$  and  $3a$  are SD-divisible by  $a$ .

**Result 2.10** If  $a$  and  $b$  are the two consecutive odd integers, then  $a \mid_{SD} b$ .

**Proof:** Let  $a = 2k + 1, b = 2k + 3$  for  $k \geq 0$ .

Then  $|a - b| = 2$  and  $a + b = 4(k + 1)$ .

Clearly  $2 \mid 4(k + 1)$ . Then  $a \mid_{SD} b$ .

**Result 2.11** If  $a$  and  $b$  are the two consecutive even integers, then  $a \mid_{SD} b$ .

**Proof:** Let  $a = 2k + 2, b = 2k + 4$  for  $k \geq 0$ .

Then  $|a - b| = 2$  and  $a + b = 2(2k + 3)$ .

Clearly  $2 \mid 2(2k + 3)$ . Then  $a \mid_{SD} b$ .

### 3. SD-DIVISOR PAIR

In this section, we define SD-divisor pair of integers and establish some results.

**Definition 3.1** If  $a$  and  $b$  are the two distinct positive integers. If  $a \mid_{SD} b$ , then we say that  $(a, b)$  is called SD-divisor pair.

**Example 3.2** For  $k \geq 1$ ,  $(k, k + 1)$  is SD-divisor pair.

**Note:** If  $l \geq 1$  is any positive integer, then  $(lk, l(k + 1))$  is SD-divisor pair.

**Result 3.3** If  $(a, b)$  is SD-divisor pair, then  $(ka, kb)$  is SD-divisor pair for  $k \geq 1$ .

**Proof:** Let  $a$  and  $b$  be the SD-divisor pair. Without loss of generality, we take  $b < a$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } a \mid_{SD} b \text{ gives } (a - b) \mid (a + b) \\ \Rightarrow k(a - b) \mid k(a + b) \text{ for } k \geq 1 \\ \Rightarrow (ka - kb) \mid (ka + kb). \\ \Rightarrow ka \mid_{SD} kb. \end{aligned}$$

**Result 3.4** Let  $k \geq 2$ . Then  $(k + 1, k - 1)$  is SD-divisor pair.

**Proof:** If  $a = k + 1$  and  $b = k - 1$  for  $k \geq 2$ .

Next  $|a - b| = 2$ ,  $a + b = 2k$ .

Clearly  $2 \mid 2k$ .

Thus,  $(k + 1, k - 1)$  is SD-divisor pair for  $k \geq 2$ .

**Result 3.5** Let  $k \geq 0$ . Then  $(2^k, 2^{k+1})$  is SD-divisor pair.

**Proof:** Let  $a = 2^k$ ,  $b = 2^{k+1}$  for  $k \geq 0$ .

Next  $|a - b| = 2^k$  and  $a + b = 3 \cdot 2^k$ .

Clearly  $|a - b| \mid (a + b)$ .

Thus,  $(2^k, 2^{k+1})$  is SD-divisor pair for  $k \geq 0$ .

**Result 3.6** Let  $k \geq 0$ . Then  $(3^k, 3^{k+1})$  is SD-divisor pair.

**Proof:** Let  $a = 3^k$  and  $b = 3^{k+1}$  for  $k \geq 0$ .

Then  $|a - b| = |3^k - 3^{k+1}| = 2 \cdot 3^k$

and  $a + b = 3^k + 3^{k+1} = 4 \cdot 3^k$ .

Clearly  $|a - b| \mid (a + b)$ .

Thus,  $(3^k, 3^{k+1})$  is SD-divisor pair for  $k \geq 0$ .

**Result 3.7** Let  $l \geq 4$  and  $k \geq 0$ . Then  $(l^k, l^{k+1})$  is not SD-divisor pair.

**Proof:** Let  $a = l^k$  and  $b = l^{k+1}$  for  $l \geq 4$ ,  $k \geq 0$ .

Then  $|a - b| = |l^k - l^{k+1}| = l^k(l - 1)$

and  $a + b = l^k + l^{k+1} = l^k(l + 1)$ .

Clearly  $l - 1 \nmid l + 1$  for  $l \geq 4$ .

Thus,  $(l^k, l^{k+1})$  is not SD-divisor pair for  $l \geq 4$ ,  $k \geq 0$ .

**Definition 3.8** Let  $S$  be a set of any distinct positive integers. Then  $S$  is said to be SD-divisor set if every pair of integers in  $S$  is SD-divisor.

**Notations 3.9**  $[n] = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

**Example 3.10**  $[2]$  and  $[3]$  are SD-divisor sets.

### 4. GRAPHS WHICH ARE NOT SD-DIVISOR

In this section, we prove some standard graphs are not SD-divisor.

**Definition 4.1** [5] A bijection  $f : V \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  makes an edge labeling  $f^* : E \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$  like for any edge  $xy$  in  $E$ ,  $f^*(xy) = 1$  if  $f(x) \mid_{SD} f(y)$  and  $f^*(xy) = 0$  if  $f(x) \nmid_{SD} f(y)$ . We mean  $f$  is an SD-divisor labeling if  $f^*(xy) = 1$  for all  $xy$  in  $E$ . Further,  $G$  admits SD-divisor labeling is called SD-divisor graph.

Next, we will investigate whether the star graph  $K_{1,n}$  is SD-divisor or not.

Clearly  $K_{1,1}$  and  $K_{1,2}$  are SD-divisor.

Fig. 1 shows  $K_{1,3}$ ,  $K_{1,4}$  and  $K_{1,5}$  are SD-divisor.

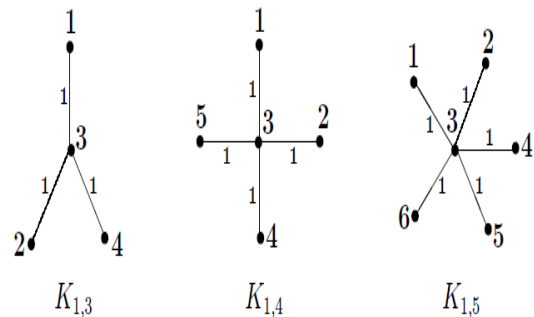


Figure 1. Star Graphs

**Theorem 4.3** For  $n \geq 6$ , the star graph  $K_{1,n}$  is not SD-divisor.

**Proof:** Consider the set  $\{1, 2, \dots, n + 1\}$ ,  $n \geq 6$ .

Let  $v$  be the central vertex of  $K_{1,n}$  ( $n \geq 6$ ).

If we label 1 to  $v$  and other numbers to the end vertices of  $K_{1,n}$ , then it follows from the result 2.6, 1 does not SD-divide 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, ...,  $n + 1$ .

If we label 2 to  $v$  and other numbers to the end vertices of  $K_{1,n}$ , then it follows from the result 2.7, 2 does not SD-divide 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, ...,  $n + 1$ .

If we label 3 to  $v$  and other numbers to the end vertices of  $K_{1,n}$ , then it follows from the result 2.8, 3 does not SD-divide 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, ...,  $n + 1$ .

Suppose, we label  $n \geq 4$  to  $v$ .

Since any one of the end vertex has the label 1, then it follows from the result 2.6, 1 does not SD-divide to the label of  $v$ .

Thus,  $K_{1,n}$  is not SD-divisor for  $n \geq 6$ .

**Theorem 4.4** If  $\delta(G) \geq 3$ , then  $G$  is not SD-divisor.

**Proof:** Suppose  $G$  is SD-divisor.

Let  $v$  be the vertex of degree  $\delta(G) \geq 3$ , which is labeled with 1.

Then, any one of the  $\delta$  adjacent vertices of  $v$  must have the labels other than 2 and 3, say  $w$ .

From the result 2.6, it follows that 1 does not SD-divide the label of w.

This is contradiction to G is SD-divisor.

Next, we discuss the SD-divisibility of complete graphs. Clearly, the complete graphs  $K_1$ ,  $K_2$  and  $K_3$  are SD-divisor. Now, we will prove  $K_n$  is not SD-divisor for  $n \geq 4$ .

Corollary 4.5 For  $n \geq 4$ , the complete graph  $K_n$  is not SD-divisor.

Proof: Since  $\delta(K_n) \geq 3$  for  $n \geq 4$ , the result follows from theorem 4.4.

Next, we discuss the SD-divisibility of complete bipartite graphs. Clearly,  $K_{1,1}$ ,  $K_{1,2}$  and  $K_{2,2}$  are SD-divisor.

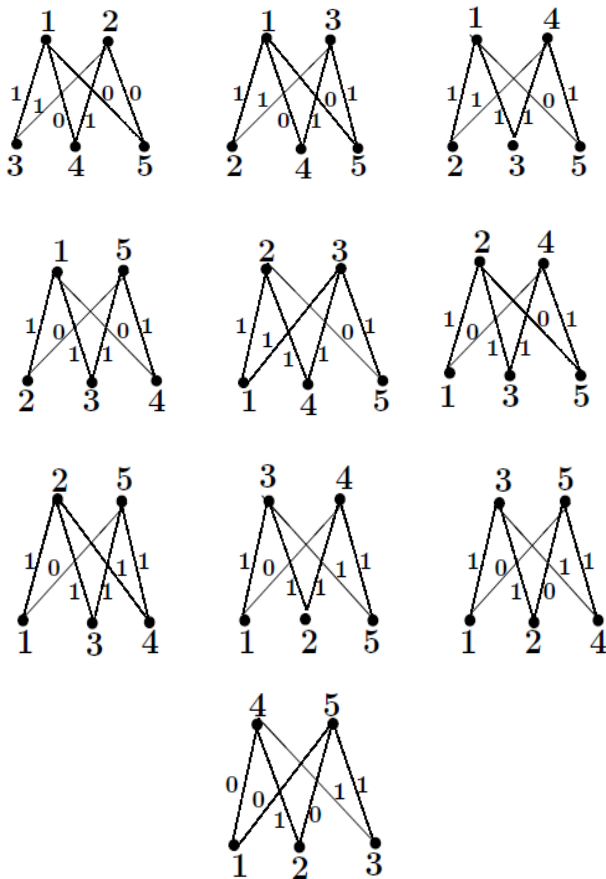


Figure 2. shows the labeling patterns  $K_{2,3}$  is not SD-divisor. Complete Bipartite Graph  $K_{2,3}$

Similarly,  $K_{3,2}$  is not SD-divisor.

Corollary 4.6 For  $m, n \geq 3$ , the complete bipartite graph  $K_{m,n}$  is not SD-divisor.

Proof: Since  $\delta(K_{m,n}) \geq 3$  for  $m, n \geq 3$ , the result follows from theorem 4.4.

Corollary 4.7 The wheel graph  $W_{n+1}(n \geq 3)$  is not SD-divisor.

Corollary 4.8 Petersen graph is not SD-divisor.

Corollary 4.9 Let  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  be SD-divisor graphs with  $m \geq 2$  and  $n \geq 2$  vertices respectively, then  $G_1 + G_2$  is not SD-divisor.

Proof: Since  $m \geq 2$  and  $n \geq 2$ ,  $\delta(G_1 + G_2) \geq 3$ . Then the result follows from theorem 4.4.

### 5. CONCLUSION

In this article, we have introduced SD-divisibility and SD-divisor pair of numbers and establish some of its properties. We also proved some standard graphs are not SD-divisor. We have to find SD-divisor labeling of various type graphs. Also trying to find some applications using SD-divisor labeling in network problems.

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