



## **3-Total Super Sum Cordial Labeling by Applying Operations on some Graphs**

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### **Abstract**

The sum cordial labeling is a variant of cordial labeling. In this paper, we investigate 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling. This labeling is discussed by applying union operation on some of the graphs. A vertex labeling is assigned as a whole number within the range. For each edge of the graph, assign the label, according to some definite rule, defined for the investigated labeling. Any graph which satisfies 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling is known as the 3-Total Super Sum Cordial graphs. Here, we prove that some of the graphs like the union of Cycle and Path graphs, the union of Cycle and Complete Bipartite graph and the union of Path and Complete Bipartite graph satisfy the investigated labeling and hence are called the 3-Total Super Sum Cordial graphs.

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### **1. Introduction**

The graphs under consideration are finite, simple and undirected. The vertex set and edge set of a graph  $G$  are denoted by  $V(G)$  and  $E(G)$ , respectively. Graphs  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  have disjoint point sets,  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  and edge sets,  $E_1$  and  $E_2$ , respectively. The union of  $G_1$  and  $G_2$ , is the graph  $G_1 \cup G_2$ , with

$$V(G_1 \cup G_2) = V(G_1) \cup V(G_2) \text{ and } E(G_1 \cup G_2) = E(G_1) \cup E(G_2).$$

The concept of Sum Cordial labeling of graph was introduced by [Shiama (2012, pp. 3271-3276)], and that of  $k$ -Sum Cordial labeling, by [Pethanachi and Lathamaheshwari (2013, pp. 253-259)]. The concept of Total Product Cordial labeling of a graph was introduced by [Sundaram et al. (2006, pp. 199-203)]. The concept of 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling of graph was introduced by [Tenguria and Verma (2014, pp. 117-121)]. The concept of 3-Total Super Product Cordial labeling of graph was introduced by [Tenguria and Verma (2015, pp. 557-559)]. The concept of 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling for union of some graphs was introduced by [Tenguria and Verma (2015, pp. 25-30)].

**Definition 1.1.**

Let  $G$  be a graph. Let  $f$  be a map from  $V(G)$  to  $\{0,1,2\}$ . For each edge  $uv$  assign the label  $(f(u) + f(v)) \pmod{3}$ . Then the map  $f$  is called 3-Total Sum Cordial labeling of  $G$ , if  $|f(i) - f(j)| \leq 1$ :  $i, j \in \{0,1,2\}$ , where  $f(x)$ , denotes the total number of vertices and edges labeled with  $x = \{0,1,2\}$ .

**Definition 1.2.**

A 3-Total Sum Cordial labeling of a graph  $G$  is called 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling, if for each edge  $uv$   $|f(u) - f(v)| \leq 1$ . A graph  $G$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial if it admits 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Definition 1.3.**

The union of two graphs  $C_m = (V_1, E_1)$ , where  $V_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}$  and  $E_1 = \{u_1 u_2, u_2 u_3, \dots, u_m u_1\}$  and  $P_n = (V_2, E_2)$ , where  $V_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  and  $E_2 = \{v_1 v_2, v_2 v_3, \dots, v_{n-1} v_n\}$  is a graph denoted by  $C_m \cup P_n$ , and is defined by  $C_m \cup P_n = (V_1 \cup V_2, E_1 \cup E_2)$ .

**Definition 1.4.**

The union of two graphs  $C_m = (V_1, E_1)$ , where  $V_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}$  and  $E_1 = \{u_1 u_2, u_2 u_3, \dots, u_m u_1\}$  and  $k_{1,n} = (V_2, E_2)$ , where  $V_2 = \{v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  and  $E_2 = \{vv_1, vv_2, vv_3, \dots, vv_n\}$  is a graph denoted by  $C_m \cup k_{1,n}$ , and is defined by  $C_m \cup k_{1,n} = (V_1 \cup V_2, E_1 \cup E_2)$ .

**Definition 1.5.**

The union of two graphs  $P_m = (V_1, E_1)$ , where  $V_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}$  and  $E_1 = \{u_1 u_2, u_2 u_3, \dots, u_{m-1} u_m\}$  and  $k_{1,n} = (V_2, E_2)$ , where  $V_2 = \{v, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  and  $E_2 = \{vv_1, vv_2, vv_3, \dots, vv_n\}$  is a graph denoted by  $P_m \cup k_{1,n}$  and is defined by  $P_m \cup k_{1,n} = (V_1 \cup V_2, E_1 \cup E_2)$ .

## 2. Main Results

**Theorem 2.1.**

$C_m \cup P_n$ , is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Proof:**

Let  $C_m$ , be the cycle  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m, u_1$  and  $P_n$ , be the path  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$ .

**Case I:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is the 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case II:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v_n) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case III:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p, n = 3t + 2$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_n) &= 1, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case IV:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$ ,  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case V:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v_n) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case VI:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$ ,  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_n) &= 1, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case VII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$ ,  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case VIII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$ ,  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v_n) = 2.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case IX:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2, n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_n) &= 1, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

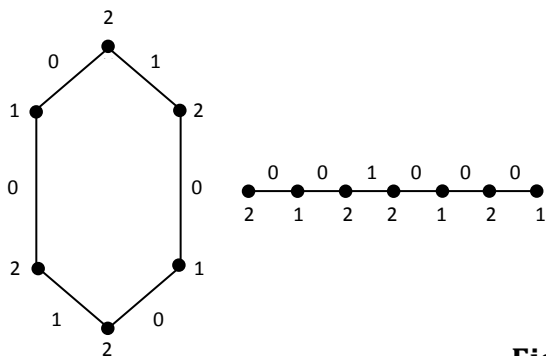
Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Example 2.2.**

A 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling, of  $C_6 \cup P_7$ .



**Figure 1.**  $C_6 \cup P_7$ .

**Table 1.** Vertex and edge conditions for 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling of  $C_m \cup P_n$

Case	Vertex Condition	Edge Condition	$f(i) = v_f(i) + e_f(i)$
$m = 3p \ \& \ n = 3t.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + 2t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t - 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t - 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t.$
$m = 3p \ \& \ n = 3t+1.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + 2t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t.$
$m = 3p \ \& \ n=3t+2.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \ \& \ n=3t.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + 2t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \ \& \ n=3t+1.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \ \& \ n=3t+2.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \ \& \ n=3t.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+2 \ \& \ n=3t+1.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \ \& \ n=3t+2.$	$v_f(0) = 0,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $(2) = 2p + 2t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + 2t + 3,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = 0,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 3.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$

**Theorem 2.3.**

$C_m \cup k_1, n,$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Proof:**

Let,  $C_m,$  be the cycle  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m, u_1$  and let,

$$V(k_1, n) = \{v, v_i: 1 \leq i \leq n\} \text{ and } E(k_1, n) = \{vv_i: 1 \leq i \leq n\}.$$

**Case I:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}.$

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t.$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case II:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case III:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$



Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case IV:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-2}) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t - 1, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t - 1, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t - 1. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case V:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case VI:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case VII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-2}) &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t-1, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t-1, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t-1. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case VIII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Case IX:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 1, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

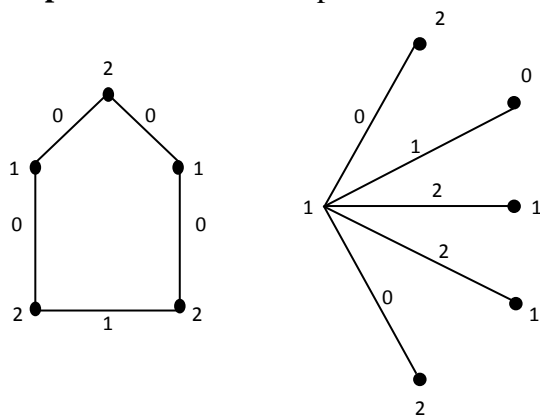
$$\begin{aligned}
 f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\
 f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\
 f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling.

**Table 2.** Vertex and edge conditions for 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling of  $C_m \cup k_1, n$

Case	Vertex Condition	Edge Condition	$f(i) = v_f(i) + e_f(i)$
$m=3p \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t.$
$m=3p \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t + 1,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 3.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t - 1,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 3,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 3,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 3.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 3,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 3,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 3.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 3.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 3.$

**Example 2.4.** A 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling, of  $C_5 \cup k_1, 5$ .



**Figure 2.**  $C_5 \cup k_1, 5$ .

**Theorem 2.5.**

$P_m \cup k_1, n$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Proof:**

Let  $P_m$  be the path  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m$  and let  $V(k_1, n) = \{v, v_i: 1 \leq i \leq n\}$  and  $E(k_1, n) = \{vv_i: 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ .

**Case I:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v) = 1,$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case II:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}, n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case III:**  $m \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case IV:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case V:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case VI:**  $m \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 1$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$f(u_m) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case VII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$  and  $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$f(v) = 1.$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case VIII:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t + 1$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 0; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Case IX:**  $m \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$ .

Let  $m = 3p + 2$  and  $n = 3t + 2$ .

Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_m) &= 1, \\ f(u_{m-1}) &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(u_{3i+1}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+2}) &= 1; & 0 \leq i < p, \\ f(u_{3i+3}) &= 2; & 0 \leq i < p. \end{aligned}$$



Assign:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v) &= 1, \\ f(v_n) &= 2, \\ f(v_{n-1}) &= 1. \end{aligned}$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_{3i+1}) &= 0; \quad 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+2}) &= 1; \quad 0 \leq i < t, \\ f(v_{3i+3}) &= 2; \quad 0 \leq i < t. \end{aligned}$$

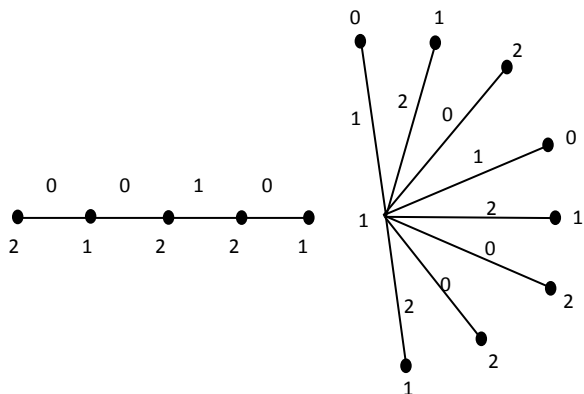
Hence,  $f$  is 3-Total Super Sum Cordial.

**Table 3.** Vertex and edge conditions for 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling of  $P_m \cup k_1, n$

Case	Vertex Condition	Edge Condition	$f(i) = v_f(i) + e_f(i)$
$m=3p \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t.$
$m=3p \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 1,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+1 \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 3,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t - 1,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 1,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 1,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 1.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 1.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t+1$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 2,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 2.$
$m=3p+2 \& n=3t+2$	$v_f(0) = t,$ $v_f(1) = p + t + 3,$ $v_f(2) = 2p + t + 2,$	$e_f(0) = 2p + t + 2,$ $e_f(1) = p + t,$ $e_f(2) = t + 1,$	$f(0) = 2p + 2t + 2.$ $f(1) = 2p + 2t + 3.$ $f(2) = 2p + 2t + 3.$

**Example 2.6.**

A 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling, of  $P_5 \cup k_1, 8$ .



**Figure 3.**  $P_5 \cup k_1, 8$ .

**Corollary.**

If  $G_1 \cup G_2$  is 2-Total Sum Cordial graph then, it is 2-Total Super Sum Cordial graph, and for each edge  $uv, |f(u) - f(v)| \leq 1$ .

**3. Conclusion**

Labeling of discrete structure is a potential area of research. Labeled graphs play an important role in the study of X-ray, Crystallography, Circuit design, Astronomy, Communication network and the design of optimal circuit layout. We have investigated 3-Total Super Sum Cordial labeling, by applying union operation on some graphs. The investigation of analogous results for different graphs as well in the context of various graph labeling problems is an open area of research.

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