# (S, d)Magic Labeling of some ladder graphs

Dr P. Sumathi<sup>1\*</sup> and P. Mala<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Department of Mathematics, C. Kandaswami College for Men, Anna Nagar, Chennai-102 <sup>2</sup>Department of Mathematics, St Thomas College of Arts and Science, Koyambedu, Chennai-107

**Abstract.** Let G(p, q) be a connected, undirected, simple and non-trivial graph with p nodes and q lines. Let f be an injective function  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s+d, s+2d, ..., s+(q+1)d\}$  and g be an injective function  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, ..., 2(q-1)d\}$ . Then the graph G is said to be (s, d) magic labeling if f(u) + g(uv) + f(v) is a constant, for all  $u, v \in V(G)$ . A graph G is called (s, d) magic graph if it admits (s, d) magic labeling. In this paper the existence of (s, d) magic labeling in some ladder graphs are found.

### 1 Introduction

In graph labeling, a collection of integers are assigned to a set of nodes, lines, or both based on specific criteria. By applying the "magic" concept to graphs, we want the total number of labels associated with a vertex's or an edge's edges to remain constant across the graph. Sedlacek introduced the first magic-type labelling in 1963. He assigned real numbers to the edges of a graph and required the labelled sum of all edges incident to a vertex be constant.

## 2 Definitions

Definition 2.1:

A graph G(p,q) is said to be (s,d) magic graph if there exists a function  $f:V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s+d, s+2d, \dots, s+(q+1)d\}$  and  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$  which are injective such that the sum of the labels on the vertices and the labels of its incident edge is a constant.

Definition 2.2: [5]

Let  $P_n$  denotes the path on n vertices, then the Cartesian product of  $P_n \times P_2$ , where  $n \ge 2$ , is called a ladder graph

Definition 2.3:

Two paths of length n - 1 with  $V(G) = \{u_i v_i : 1 \le i \le n \text{ and } v_i : 1 \le i \le n \}$ 

 $E(G) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, v_i v_{i+1} : 1 \le i \le n-1\} \cup \{u_i v_i : 2 \le i \le n-1\}$  form an Open ladder. Definition 2.4:

The slanting ladder is a graph that consists of two copies of Pn with vertex set  $\{u_i: 1 \le i \le n\} \cup$ 

 $\{v_i: 1 \le i \le n\}$  and edge set is generated by linking  $u_i$  and  $v_{i+1}, 1 \le i \le n - 1$ .

<sup>\*</sup> Corresponding author: sumathipaul@gmail.com

<sup>©</sup> The Authors, published by EDP Sciences. This is an open access article distributed under the terms of the Creative Commons Attribution License 4.0 (http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/).

Definition 2.5

The graph *TLn*  $n \ge 2$  is formed by adding the edges  $u_i v_{i+1}$ :  $1 \le i \le n - 1$ , to the ladder, where Ln is the graph P2 × Pn.

Definition 2.6:

By adding the edges  $u_i v_{i+1}$  for  $1 \le i \le n-1$ , a triangular ladder is modified in to open triangular ladder and it is denoted as  $O(TL_n)$ 

Definition 2.7: [5]

Circular ladder graph is a simple graph obtained by using Cartesian product of cycle graph  $C_n$  with n vertices and path graph  $P_2$ , and is denoted by  $CL_n$ .(i.e.  $C_n \times P_2 = CL_n$ ). This is isomorphic to the graph obtained by linking the end vertices of the ladder by two new edges in cyclic form.

Definition 2.8 :

By eliminating the edges  $u_i v_i$  for i=1 and n ,a diagonal ladder graph is modified in to open diagonal ladder and it is denoted as  $O(DL_n)$ 

Definition 2.9: [3]

A Mobius ladder graph  $M_n$  is a graph obtained from the ladder  $P_n \times P_2$  by linking the opposite end points of the two copies of  $P_n$ .

#### 3 Main result

**Theorem 3.1** An open ladder graph  $O(L_{\eta})$  is (s, d) magic labeling.

Proof: Let  $V(O(L_{\eta}) = \{u_i v_i : 1 \le i \le \eta\}$  and  $E(O(L_{\eta}) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, v_i v_{i+1} : 1 \le i \le \eta - 1\}$ 

$$\cup \{u_i v_i: 2 \le i \le \eta - 1\}$$

Here  $p = \eta$  and  $q = 2\eta + (\eta - 4)$ 

By definition  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s + (q + 1)d\}$  to label the vertices.

 $f(u_1) = s$   $f(u_{i+1}) = s + id, \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$   $f(v_i) = s + \eta d \qquad i = 1$   $f(v_{i+1}) = s + (\eta + i)d, \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$ 

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_{i}u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(v_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(u_{i}v_{i}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i}) + f(u_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta$$

Therefore  $f(u_i) + g(u_iu_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1})$ ,  $f(v_i) + g(v_iv_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$  and  $f(u_i) + g(u_iv_i) + f(v_i)$ 

are constant, equals to 2(s + (q - 1)d). Hence an open ladder  $O(L_{\eta})$  admits (s, d) magic labeling.

	Labeling	of vertices	Labeling of edges			
Value of <i>i</i>	$f(u_{i+1})$	$f(v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i u_{i+1})$	$g(v_iv_{i+1})$	$g(u_i v_i)$	
i = 0	S	$s + \eta d$	-	-	-	
$i \leq i \leq \eta - 1$	s + id,	$s + (\eta + i)d$	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_i))$	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_i))$	-	
$i = \eta$	-	-	-	-	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_i) + f(u_i))$	

**Table 1.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $O(L_{\eta})$ .

**Theorem 3.2:** A triangular ladder  $T(L_{\eta})$  is (s, d) magic labeling.

Proof: Let V (T( $L_\eta$ ))= { $u_i v_i$ ;  $1 \le i \le \eta$ } and E (T( $L_\eta$ )) = { $u_i u_{i+1}, v_i v_{i+1}, 1 \le i \le \eta$ -1}  $\cup$  { $u_i v_i$ ;  $1 \le i \le \eta$ }  $\cup$  { $u_i v_{i+1}, 1 \le i \le \eta$ -1}

By definition  $f: V(G) \to \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s + (q + 1)d\}$  to label the vertices. Hence  $p = \eta$  and  $q = 4\eta - 3$ 

 $f(u_1) = s$ 

$$f(u_{i+1}) = s + 2id, \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta$$

$$f(v_1) = s + d$$

$$f(v_{i+1}) = s + (2i+1)d$$
  $2 \le i \le \eta$ 

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_{i}v_{i}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i}) + f(v_{i}))$$

$$g(v_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$g(u_{i}u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$g(u_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(v_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

Therefore,  $f(u_i) + g(u_iu_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1})$ ,  $f(v_i) + g(v_iv_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$ ,  $f(u_i) + g(u_iv_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$  and  $f(u_i) + g(u_iv_i) + f(v_i)$  are a constant, equals to 2(s + (q - 1)d). Hence triangular ladder  $T(L_\eta)$  admits (s, d) magic labeling.

**Table 2.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $T(L_{\eta})$ 

Labeling of vertices	Labeling of edges

Value of	$f(u_{i+1})$	$f(v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i v_i)$	$g(v_i v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i u_{i+1})$	$g(u_i v_{i+1})$
i						
i = 0	S	s + d	-	-	-	-
$1 \leq i$	-	-	-	2( <i>s</i>	2( <i>s</i>	2( <i>s</i>
$\leq \eta - 1$				+(q-1)d)	+(q-1)d)	+(q-1)d)
				$-(f(v_i))$	$-(f(u_i))$	$-(f(v_i))$
				$+f(v_{i+1}))$	$+ f(u_{i+1}))$	$+ f(u_{i+1}))$
$2 \leq i$	s + 2id	S	-	-	-	-
$\leq \eta - 1$		+(2i				
		+ 1)d				
$1 \leq i$	-	-	2( <i>s</i>	-	-	-
$\leq \eta$			+ (q			
			(-1)d)			
			$-(f(u_i))$			
			$+ f(v_i)$ )			

**Theorem 3.3:** A slanting ladder  $SL_{\eta}$  is (s, d) magic labeling

Proof: Let  $V(SL_{\eta}) = \{v_1u_i \ 1 \le i \le \eta\}$  and  $E(SL_{\eta}) = \{v_iu_{i+1}, (v_1v_{i+1}), (u_iu_{i+1}) \ 1 \le i \le \eta-1\}$ 

By definition  $f: V(G) \to \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s + (q + 1) d\}$  to label the vertices. Here  $|V(SL_{\eta})| = \eta$  and  $|E(SL_{\eta})| = 3(\eta - 1)$ 

$$f(v_{1}) = s + d$$

$$f(u_{i+1}) = s + 2id, \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$f(v_{i+1}) = s + (2i+1)d, \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_i u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q-1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_i)) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$g(v_i v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q-1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_i)) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$g(u_i v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q-1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(u_i)) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

Therefore  $f(u_i) + g(u_i u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1})$ ,  $f(u_i) + g(u_i u_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$  and  $f(v_i) + g(v_i v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$  are constant, equals to 2(s + (q - 1)d)Hence slanting ladder  $SL_\eta$  admits (s, d) magic labeling.

**Table 3.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $S(L_{\eta})$ 

	Labeling	of vertices			
Value of <i>i</i>	$f(u_{i+1})$	$f(v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i u_{i+1})$	$g(v_i v_{i+1})$	$g(u_iv_{i+1})$
i = 0	S	s + d	-	-	-
$1 \leq i$	-	-	2( <i>s</i>	2(s + (q - 1)d)	2( <i>s</i>
$\leq \eta - 1$			+(q-1)d)	$-(f(v_i))$	+(q-1)d)
			$-(f(u_i))$	$+ f(v_{i+1}))$	$-(f(u_i))$
			$+ f(u_{i+1}))$		$+f(v_{i+1}))$

$2 \leq i$	s + 2id	S	-	-	-
$\leq \eta - 1$		+(2i			
		+ 1)d			

**Theorem 3.4:** An open triangular ladder  $O(TL_{\eta})$  is (s,d) magic labeling  $\eta \ge 2$ .

Proof: Let  $V(O(TL_{\eta})) = \{u_i v_i \mid 1 \le i \le \eta\}$  and  $E(O(TL_{\eta})) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, (v_i v_{i+1})\}, 1 \le i \le \eta-1\}$ 

 $\cup \{u_i v_i \ 2 \le i \le \eta - 1\} \cup \{u_i v_{i+1} \ 1 \le i \le \eta - 1\}$ 

By definition  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s(q + 1)d\}$  to label the vertices.

 $let f (u_1) = s$   $f (v_1) = s + d$   $f (u_{i+1}) = s + 2id, \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta - 1$   $f (v_{i+1}) = s + (2i+1) d \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta - 1$ 

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_{i}u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(v_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + (f(v_{i}))) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(u_{i}v_{i}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i}) + f(u_{i})) \qquad 2 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(u_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

Therefore

 $f(u_i) + g(u_i u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1}), f(v_i) + g(v_i v_{i+1}) + f(v_i + 1), f(u_i) + g(u_i v_i) + f(v_i)$  and  $f(u_i) + g(u_i v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1})$  are constant, equals to 2(s + (q - 1)d)Hence  $O(TL_\eta)$  admits (s, d) magic labeling.

	Labeling of vertices		Labeling of edges				
Value of <i>i</i>	$f(u_{i+1})$	$f(v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i v_i)$	$g(v_i v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i u_{i+1})$	$g(u_i v_{i+1})$	
i = 0	S	s + d	-		-	-	
$1 \leq i \leq$	-	-	-	2( <i>s</i>	2( <i>s</i>	2( <i>s</i>	
$\eta - 1$				+(q	+(q-1)d)	+(q	
				(-1)d)	$-(f(u_{i+1}))$	(-1)d)	
				$-(f(v_{i+1}))$	$+ f(u_{i}))$	$-(f(v_{i+1}))$	
				$+(f(v_{i}))$		$+f(u_{i}))$	
$2 \leq i$	s + 2id	<i>s</i> +	2( <i>s</i>	-	-	-	
$\leq \eta - 1$		(2i	+(q-1)d)				
		+1) d	$-(f(v_i))$				
			$+f(u_i)$				

**Table 4.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $O(TL_{\eta})$ 

**Theorem 3.5:** The Mobius ladder  $M_{\eta}$  is (s, d) magic labeling Proof: Let  $G = M_{\eta}$  with  $V(M_{\eta}) = \{v_i u_i, 1 \le i \le \eta\}$  and  $E(M_{\eta}) = \{(u_i u_{i+1}), (v_i v_{i+1}) \mid 1 \le i \le \eta - 1\}$ 

By definition  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s + (q + 1)d\}$  to label the vertices. Case 1: If  $\eta$  is odd Let  $f(u_i) = s + 2(i - 1)d f(v_i) = s + (2i - 1)d$ 

Table	5.	Subcase

η	$\eta = 3$	$\eta = 5$	$\eta \ge 7$
$f(u_\eta)$	$s + (\eta + 2)d$	$s + 2\eta d$	$s + 2\eta d$
$f(v_{\eta})$	$s + (\eta + 5)d$	$s + (2\eta + 4)d$	$s + (2\eta + 5)d$

Case 2: If  $\eta$  is even Let  $f(u_i) = s + 2(i-1)d$   $1 \le i \le \eta$ 

$$f(v_i) = s + (2i - 1)d; \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  
 $f(v_\eta) = s + (2\eta + 3)d$ 

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_{i}u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(v_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  

$$g(u_{i}v_{i}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i}) + f(u_{i})) \quad 1 \le i \le \eta$$
  

$$g(u_{1}v_{\eta}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{1}) + f(v_{\eta}))$$
  

$$g(u_{\eta}v_{1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{1}) + f(u_{\eta}))$$

Therefore  $f(u_i) + g(u_i u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1}), f(v_i) + g(v_i v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1}), f(u_i) + g(u_i v_i) + f(v_i), f(u_i) + g(u_1 v_\eta) + f(v_\eta)$  and  $f(u_\eta) + g(u_\eta v_1) + f(v_1)$  are constant, equals to 2 (s + (q - 1)d). Hence  $M_\eta$  admits (s, d) magic labeling.

	Labeling of vertices		Labeling of edges			
Value of <i>i</i>	$f(u_i)$	$f(v_i)$	$f(v_{\eta})$	$g\left(u_{i}u_{i+1}\right)$	$g(v_i v_{i+1})$	$g\left(u_{i}v_{k}\right)$
$1 \le i = k$ $\le \eta$	s + 2(i - 1)d	-	-	-	-	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_i) + f(v_i))$
$\begin{array}{c} 1 \leq i \leq \\ \eta - 1 \end{array}$	-	s + (2i - 1)d	-	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_i) + f(u_{i+1}))$	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_i) + f(v_{i+1}))$	-
$i = \eta$	-	-	$s + (2\eta + 3)d$	-	-	-

**Table 6.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $M_{\eta}$ 

i = 1	-	-		-	-	2( <i>s</i>
and						+(q
$k = \eta$						(-1)d)
						$-(f(u_1))$
						$+f(v_{\eta}))$
$i = \eta$	-	-	-	-	-	2(s + (q -
and						(1)d) -
k = 1						$(f(v_1) +$
						$f(u_{\eta}))$



Fig 1. (S,d)Magic labeling of Mobius ladder M8

**Theorem 3.6:** The Circular ladder  $CL_{\eta}$  is (s, d) magic labeling, when n is odd.

Proof: Let  $V(CL_{\eta}) = \{u_{i}, v_{i} : 1 \le i \le \eta\}$  and  $E(CL_{\eta}) = \{u_{i}u_{i+1} : 1 \le i \le \eta - 1\} \cup \{v_{i}v_{i+1} : 1 \le i \le \eta - 1\} \cup \{u_{i}v_{i} : 1 \le i \le \eta\} \cup \{u_{1}u_{\eta}\} \cup \{v_{1}v_{\eta}\}.$ 

By definition  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{s, s + d, s + 2d \dots s + (q + 1)d\}$  to label the vertices.

$$f(u_{1}) = s$$

$$f(u_{i+1}) = s + id \quad ; 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

$$f(v_{1}) = s + \eta d$$

$$f(v_{i+1}) = s + (\eta + i)d \quad ; 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$

We define  $g: E(G) \rightarrow \{d, 2d, 3d, \dots, 2(q-1)d\}$ 

$$g(u_{i}u_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i})) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  
$$g(v_{i}v_{i+1}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i})) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta - 1$$
  
$$g(u_{1}u_{\eta}) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{1}) + f(u_{\eta}))$$

g

$$g(v_1v_\eta) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_1) + f(v_\eta))$$
$$(u_iv_i) = 2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_i) + f(v_i)) \qquad 1 \le i \le \eta$$

Therefore  $f(u_i) + g(u_i u_{i+1}) + f(u_{i+1}), f(v_i) + g(v_i v_{i+1}) + f(v_{i+1}), f(u_i) + g(u_i v_i) + f(v_i),$ 

 $f(u_1) + g(u_1u_\eta) + f(u_\eta)$  and  $f(v_1) + g(v_1v_\eta) + f(v_\eta)$  are constant, equals to 2(s + (q - 1)d). Hence  $CL_\eta$  admits (s, d)magic labeling.

	Labeling	g of vertices		lges	
Value of <i>i</i>	$f(u_{i+1})$	$f(v_{i+1})$	$g(u_i u_{i+1})$	$g(v_i v_{i+1})$	$g\left(u_{i}v_{k}\right)$
i = 0	S	$s + \eta d$	-	-	
$1 \le i \le \eta - 1$	s + id	$s + (\eta + i)d$	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_{i+1}) + f(u_i))$	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_{i+1}) + f(v_i))$	-
$\begin{array}{l} 1 \leq i = k \\ \leq \eta \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	$\frac{2(s + (q - 1)d)}{-(f(u_i) + f(v_i))}$
i = 1 and $k = \eta$	-	-	-	-	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(u_1)) + f(u_{\eta}))$
i = 1 and $k = \eta$	-	-	-	-	$2(s + (q - 1)d) - (f(v_1) + f(v_{\eta}))$

**Table 7.** Labeling of vertices and edges for the graph  $CL_{\eta}$ 

## 4 Conclusion

In this research, the (s, d) magic labelling number for some ladder graphs is determined. Our future work will involve calculating the (s, d) magic labelling number for more families of graphs.

## References

- 1. J.A. Gallian, Electronic Journal of Combinatorics 18, DS6 (2015)
- Dr.P. Sumathi, A. Rathi and A. Mahalakshmi, Quotient Labeling of Corona of Ladder Graphs- IJIRASE 1(3) (2017) https://doi.org/10.29027/IJIRASE.v1.i3.2017.80-85
- C. Jayasekaran, & J. L. Flower, Edge Trimagic Total Labeling of Mobius Ladder, Book and Dragon Graphs. Annals of Pure and Applied Mathematics 13(2), 151-163 (2017).
- A.D. Baskar, Applications and Applied Mathematics: An International Journal (AAM) 15(1), 17 (2020)
- A.P. Batuwita, M.D.M.C.P. Weerarathna, G.W.M.M.K. Dheerasinghe, IRE Journals 4(10) (2021) ISSN: 2456-8880 IRE 1702650