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# ABSTRACT

This project is concerned with a recently introduced graph invariant, namely the Sombor coindex is defined by  $SOC(\Gamma) = \sum_{uv \notin E(\Gamma)} \sqrt{deg(u)^2 + deg(v)^2}$ , where deg(u) is the degree of vertex u in  $\Gamma$ . We determine The Sombor coindex of the inclusion graph of some finite groups such as  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  and  $D_{2n}$ .

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# **INTRODUCTION**

Graph theory is a helpful tool in studying groups properties Cayley, in 1878, in which a graph represents a finite group. This graph is associated with a group G and a subset A of G. The set of vertices of this graph is the set of elements of G. Let G be a finite group. The order graph of G,  $\Gamma_G$  is the(undirected) graph those whose vertices are non-trivial subgroups of G and two distinct vertices H and G are adjacent. The Sombor Coindex (SOC) has a lot of attention within mathematic and chemistry, then the Sombor Coindex of  $\Gamma$  is defined as

 $SOC(\Gamma) = \sum_{uv \notin E(\Gamma)} \sqrt{\deg(u)^2 + \deg(v)^2}$ , lately introduced by (Ivan Guttman) in 2021.

This project consists of three chapters. In the first chapter, we give some necessary backgrounds about groups and graphs. In Chapter 2, we compute the Sombor Coindex of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . In Chapter 3, we compute Sombor Coindex of  $D_{2n}$ .

# **CHAPTER ONE**

# Background

**Definition 1.1 (FOOTE, 2003):** A group (G,\*) is a set G, together with a binary operation \* on G, such that the following axioms are satisfied:

I - The binary operation \* is associative.

II - There is an element e in G such that x \* e = e \* x = x for all  $x \in G$ , (the element e is an identity element for \* on G).

III - For each a in G, there is an element a' in G with the property that

a \* a' = a' \* a = e (the element a' is an inverse of a with respect to \*).

**Definition 1.2 (FOOTE, 2003):** Let  $(G, \star)$  be a group and H be a non-empty subset of G, such that  $(H, \star)$  is a group then, "H" is called a subgroup of G

That means H also forms a group under a binary operation, i.e.,  $(H, \star)$  is a group.

**Definition 1.3 (FOOTE, 2003) :** Let n be a positive integer the collection Zn is defined as

 $\mathbb{Z}_n = \{[1], [2], \dots [n-1]\}.$ 

**Definition 1.4 (Gutman, 2021) :** Let G = (V(G), E(G)) be a graph. Then, the Sombor Coindex of G is defined as  $SOC = \sum_{uv \notin E(G)} \sqrt{deg^2(u) + deg^2(v)}$ .

**Definition 1.5 (Gary Chartrand, et al., 2016) :** The degree of vertex v of a graph G is the number of edges of G incident with V and denoted by deg(v).

**Definition 1.6 (Devi, 2012) :** The dihedral group  $D_{2n}$  of order 2n is defined by the presentation

 $D_{2n} = \langle r , s | r^n = s^2 = 1, srs^{-1} = 1 \rangle.$ 

**Definition1.7 (Devi, 2012) :** The proper non-trivial subgroups of  $D_{2n}$  are:

1. Cyclic groups:  $H^k = \langle r^{\frac{n}{k}} \rangle$  of order k, where k is divisor of n and k  $\neq 1$ .

2. Cyclic groups:  $H_i = \langle sr^i \rangle$  of order 2, where i = 1, ..., n.

3. Dihedral groups:  $H_k^i = \langle r^{\frac{n}{k}}, sr^i \rangle$  of order 2k, where k is divisor of n,  $k \neq 1$ , n and  $i = 1, ..., \frac{n}{k}$ .

**Definition 1.8 (Rao, 2006) :** Let G be a cycle graph of order (n-1). The graph obtained by joining a single new vertex v to each vertex of G called wheel graph of order n. A wheel graph of order n is denoted by  $W_n$ .

**Definition 1.9 (Ray, 2013) :** A complete graph is a simple graph in which each pair of distinct vertices is joined by an edge. In other words, a simple graph in which there exists an edge between every pair vertices is called a complete graph.

#### **CHAPTER TWO**

#### The Sombor Coindex of the Inclusion Graph of $\mathbb{Z}_n$

In this chapter we compute the Sombor Coindex of the inclusion graph of the group  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ .

**Theorem2.1:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where  $n = p^r$  and p is prime, be an inclusion graph of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . Then  $\Gamma = K_r$ .

**Proof:** The vertices of  $\Gamma$  are of the form  $H_i := \langle p^i \rangle$ , where  $0 \leq i \leq r - 1$ .

Suppose  $H_i$  and  $H_j$  are any two vertices of  $\Gamma$ . Then either  $H_i \subseteq H_j$  or  $H_j \subseteq H_i$ .

Thus,  $H_i$  and  $H_j$  are adjacent. So, every two vertices of  $\Gamma$  are adjacent.

Therefore,  $\Gamma$  is a complete graph.

**Theorem2.2:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$  be an inclusion graph of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . If  $n = p^r$ , then  $SOC(\Gamma) = 0$ .

**Proof:** By Theorem 2.1,  $\Gamma = K_r$ . Since there is no off-edge in  $\Gamma$ , then  $SOC(\Gamma) = 0$ .

**Example2.3:** if  $n = 3^2$ , then the non-trivial subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_9$  are  $H_1 = \{0\}$  $H_2 = <3 >= \{0,3,6\}$  and  $Z_9$ . Thus  $\Gamma = K_2$ Therefore,  $SOC(\Gamma) = 0$  **Theorem2.4:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where n = pq and p,q are distict primes, be an inclusion graph of subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . Then  $\Gamma = K_{1,2}$ .

**Proof:** The proper subgroup of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ , n = pq, are  $\{0\}, and < q >$ . Since  $\{0\} \subseteq$ ,  $\{0\} \subseteq < q > and \not \leq < q >$ , then  $\Gamma = k_{1,2}$ .

**Theorem2.5:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where n = pq and p, q are distict primes, be an inclusion graph of subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . Then  $SOC(\Gamma) = \sqrt{2}$ .

**Proof:** By Theorem 2.4,  $\Gamma = K_{1,2}$ . Since there is only one off-edge in  $\Gamma$  with both end-vertices of degree 1, then  $(\Gamma) = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$ .

**Example2.6:** if n = 3 \* 2 = 6, then the non-trivial subgroups of  $Z_6$  are  $H_1 = \{0\}$  $H_2 = \langle 2 \rangle = \{0,2,4,\}$  $H_3 = \langle 3 \rangle = \{0,3,\}$  and  $\mathbb{Z}_6$ . Thus  $\Gamma = K_{1,2}$ Therefore,  $SOC(\Gamma) = \sqrt{2}$ .

**Theorem2.7:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where n = pqr, p,q and r are distict primes, be an inclusion graph of Zn. Then  $\Gamma = W_7$  (a wheel graph).

**Proof:** The proper subgroup of  $Z_n$ , n = pqr, are  $\{0\}, , < q >, < r >, < < pq >, < pr > and < qr >.$  It is clear that  $\{0\}$  is a subset of each other subgroups.One can see that  $< pq > \subseteq , < pr > \subseteq , < qr > \subseteq < q >, < qr > \subseteq < q >, < qr > \subseteq < r >.$  Therefore,  $\Gamma$  is a wheel graph.

**Theorem2.8:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where n = pqr where p, q and r are distict primes, be an inclusion graph of subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . Then  $SOC(\Gamma) = 27\sqrt{2}$ .

**Proof:** By Theorem 2.7,  $\Gamma = W_7$ . There are nine off-edges each with both endvertices of degree three. Thus,  $SOC(\Gamma) = 9 * \sqrt{3^2 + 3^2} = 9 * 3 * \sqrt{2} = 27\sqrt{2}$ .

**Example2.8:** if n = 2 \* 3 \* 5 = 30, then the non-trivial subgroups of  $Z_{30}$  are  $= \{0,2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20,22,24,26,28\}$   $< q >= \{0,3,6,9,12,15,18,21,24,27\}$   $< r >= \{0,5,10,15,20,25\}$   $< pq >= \{0,6,12,18,24\}$   $< pr >= \{0,10,20\}$  $< qr >= \{0,15\}$  and  $Z_{30}$ , then  $SOC(\Gamma) = 27\sqrt{2}$ .



**Theorem2.9:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}_n)$ , where  $n = p^2 q$  where p, q are distict primes, be an inclusion graph of subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$ . Then  $(\Gamma) = 2\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{13}$ .

**Proof:** In  $\Gamma$ , the non-adjacent vertices are  $\langle p^2 \rangle$  and  $\langle q \rangle$ ,  $\langle p \rangle$  and  $\langle q \rangle$ ,  $q \rangle$ , and  $\langle p^2 \rangle$  and  $\langle pq \rangle$ . Thus,  $SOC(\Gamma) = \sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} + 2\sqrt{2^2 + 3^2} = 2\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{13}$ .



Example 2.10: if  $n = 2^2 * 3 = 12$ , then the non-trivial subgroups of  $\mathbb{Z}_{12}$  are < 2 >={0,2,4,6,8,10}

- < 3 >={0,3,6,9}
- $< 2^2 >= \{0,4,8\}$
- < 2 \* 3 >={0,6} and  $\mathbb{Z}_{12}$ .

Therefore,  $SOC(\Gamma) = 2\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{13}$ .



### **CHAPTER THREE**

#### The Sombor Coindex of the Inclusion Graph of $D_{2n}$

In this chapter we compute the Sombor Coindex of the inclusion graph of the dihedral group  $D_{2n}$ 

Recall that the dihedral group  $D_{2n}$  of order 2n is defined by the presentation  $D_{2n} = \langle r, s | r^n = s^2 = 1, srs^{-1} = r^{-1} \rangle.$ 

**Theorem 3.1:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(D_{2n})$ , n = p, p is a prime, be an inclusion graph of  $D_{2n}$ . Then  $\Gamma = K_{1,n+1}$ .

**proof:** The vertices of  $\Gamma$  are  $\{1\}$ , < r > and  $< sr^i >$ , i = 1, 2, ..., n.

One can see that only  $\{1\}$  is a subset of all other subgroup of  $\{1\}$  Thus,

 $\Gamma = K_{1,n+1}.$ 

**Theorem 3.2:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(D_{2n}), n = p$ , p is prime, be an inclusion graph of  $D_{2n}$ . Then  $SOC(\Gamma) = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}\sqrt{2}$ .

**proof:** There are  $\frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  off-edges each has both end-vertices of degree one. Thus,  $SOC(\Gamma) = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \sqrt{2}$ .

#### **Example 3.3:** Let *n* = 3

$$D_{2n} = D_{2*3} = D_6 = \{1, r, r^2, s, sr, sr^2\}$$
  
1-  $H^3 = \langle r^{\frac{3}{3}} \rangle = \langle r \rangle = \{1, r, r^2\}$   
2-  $H_1 = \{1, s\}$   
 $H_2 = \{1, sr\}$   
 $H_3 = \{1, sr^2\}$   
Then  $SOC(\Gamma) = 6\sqrt{2}$ .



**Theorrem 3.4:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(D_{2n})$ , n= $p^2$ , p is a prime, be an inclusion graph of  $D_{2n}$ . Then

$$deg(v) = \begin{cases} p^2 + p + 2 & if & v = \{1\} \\ 2 & if & v = H_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, p^2 \text{ or } v = H^{p^2} \\ p + 2 & if & v = H_p^i, i = 1, 2, \dots, p \text{ or } v = H^p \end{cases}$$

**proof:** The proper subgroups of  $D_{2n}$ , where  $n=p^2$ , are  $\{1\}$ ,  $H^p$ ,  $H^{p^2}$ ,  $H_i$ ;  $i = 1, ..., p^2$ , and  $H_p^i$ ; i = 1, ..., p. *H* is clear that  $\{1\}$  is a subset of each other subgroups, and then  $deg(\{1\}) = p^2 + p + 2$ . The subsets of  $H_p^i$  are  $\{1\}$ ,  $H^p$  and  $H_i$ ,  $H_{i+p}$ , ...,  $H_{i+(p-1)p}$ . Thus,  $deg(H_p^i) = p + 2$ . Since  $H^p \subseteq H^{p^2}$ , then  $deg(H^{p^2}) = 2$ . Finally,  $deg(H_i) = 2$ .

**Theorrem 3.5:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(D_{2n})$ ,  $n = p^2$ , p is a prime be an inclusion graph of  $D_{2n}$ . Then  $|E(\Gamma)| = 2P^2 + 2P + 3$ .

Proof:  $|E(\Gamma)| = \frac{(p^2+p+2)+2(p^2+1)+(p+2)(p+1)}{2}$ =  $\frac{p^2+p+2+2p^2+2+p^2+p+2p+2}{2}$ =  $\frac{4p^2+4p+6}{2}$ =  $2p^2+2p+3$ .

**Theorrem 3.6:** Let  $\Gamma = \Gamma(D_{2n})$ ,  $n = p^2$ , p is a prime, be an inclusion graph of  $D_{2n}$ . Then  $SOC(\Gamma) = (p^3 + p)\sqrt{p^2 + 2p + 6} + (\frac{2p^4 + p^3 + 3p^2 - 2p}{2})\sqrt{2}$ .

**Proof:** There are p off-edges each has one end-vertex of degree 2 and the other end-vertex of degree p + 3 there are  $p^2$  off-edges each has one end-vertex of degree p + 2 and the other end-vertex of degree 2, there are  $p^2$  off-edges each has both end-vertices of degree 2, there are  $\frac{p(p-1)}{2}$  off-edges each has both endvertices of degree p + 2, there are  $p(p^2 - p)$  off-edges each has one endvertex of degree p + 2 and the other end-vertex of degree 2, and there are  $\frac{p^2(p^2-1)}{2}$  off-edges each has both end-vertices of degree 2. Thus,

$$SOC(\Gamma) = P\sqrt{2^2 + (P+2)^2} + p^2\sqrt{(p+2)^2 + 2^2} + p^2\sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} + \frac{p(p-1)}{2}\sqrt{(p+2)^2 + (p+2)^2} + p(p^2 - p)\sqrt{(p+2)^2 + 2} + \frac{p^2(p^2 - 1)}{2}\sqrt{2^2 + 2^2}\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (p + p^{2} + p^{3} - p^{2})\sqrt{p^{2} + 2p + 4 + 2} + \left(p^{2} + \frac{p^{2}(p^{2} - 1)}{2}\right)2 * \sqrt{2} + \frac{p(p-1)(p+2)}{2}\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (p^{3} + p)\sqrt{p^{2} + 2p + 6} + (p^{4} + p^{2})\sqrt{2} + \frac{p(p-1)(p+2)}{2}\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (p^{3} + p)\sqrt{p^{2} + 2p + 6} + (p^{4} + p^{2} + \frac{p(p-1)(p+2)}{2})\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (p^{3} + p)\sqrt{p^{2} + 2p + 6} + (\frac{2p^{4} + p^{3} + 3p^{2} - 2p}{2})\sqrt{2}.$$

**Example 3.7:** Let  $n = 3^3 = 9$ 

1- 
$$H^{k} = \langle r^{\frac{n}{k}} \rangle$$
, k is divisor of n and k≠1 of order k  
{1} =  $H^{3} = \langle r^{\frac{9}{3}} \rangle = \langle r^{3} \rangle = \{1, r^{3}, r^{6}\}$   
{2} =  $H^{9} = \langle r^{\frac{9}{9}} \rangle = \langle r \rangle = \{1, r, r^{2}, r^{3}, r^{4}, r^{5}, r^{6}, r^{7}, r^{8}\}$ 

2- 
$$H_i = \langle sr^i \rangle$$
; i=1,2, ...,n  
 $H_1 = \langle sr \rangle = \{1, sr\}$   
 $H_2 = \langle sr^2 \rangle = \{1, sr^2\}$   
 $H_3 = \langle sr^3 \rangle = \{1, sr^3\}$   
 $H_4 = \langle sr^4 \rangle = \{1, sr^4\}$   
 $H_5 = \langle sr^5 \rangle = \{1, sr^5\}$   
 $H_6 = \langle sr^6 \rangle = \{1, sr^6\}$   
 $H_7 = \langle sr^7 \rangle = \{1, sr^7\}$   
 $H_8 = \langle sr^8 \rangle = \{1, sr^8\}$   
 $H_9 = \langle sr^9 \rangle = \langle s \rangle = \{1, s\}$ 

3-  $H_k^i = \langle r_k^{\frac{n}{k}}, sr^i \rangle$  of order 2k, k a divisor of n,  $k \neq 1, n$ ,  $i=1,2,...,\frac{n}{k}$ K=3, i=1,2,3

$$A = H_3^1 = \langle r^3, sr \rangle = \{1, r^3, r^6, sr, sr^4, sr^7\}$$
  

$$B = H_3^2 = \langle r^3, sr^2 \rangle = \{1, r^3, r^6, sr^2, sr^5, sr^8\}$$
  

$$C = H_3^3 = \langle r^3, sr^3 \rangle = \{1, r^3, r^6, sr^3, sr^6, s\}$$

Then,

$$SOC(\Gamma) = (3^3 + 3)\sqrt{3^2 + 2 * 3 + 6} + (\frac{2*3^4 + 3^3 + 3*3^2 - 2*3}{2})\sqrt{2}$$
$$= 30\sqrt{21} + 105\sqrt{2}.$$



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# پوخته

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که  $SOC(\Gamma) = \sum_{uv \in E(\Gamma)} \sqrt{\deg(u)^2 + \deg(v)^2}$ 

ئیمہ لیر مدا  $d_r(u)$  is the degree of vertex u in  $\Gamma$ 

The Sombor Coindex of inclusion graph of some finite groups دیاری دمکهین  $(\mathbb{Z}_n, D_{2n})$ 

#### الخلاصة

Sombor Coindex الذي تم أدخاله مؤخرا ، و هو مؤشر T يهتم هذا المشرع بالرسم البياتى sombor Coindex يتم تعريفه على أنة $d_r(u)$  من على أنة $d_r(u) = \sum_{uv \in E(\Gamma)} \sqrt{deg(u)^2 + deg(v)^2}$ يكون درجة الرأس في T تحدد مؤشر The Sombor Coindex of inclusion graph of some finite groups

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