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# Assignment Computations Based on $C_{\text{exp}}$ Average in Various Ladder Graphs

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This study introduces the  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignments and investigates its properties using various ladder graphs. The ladder graphs can be found in every communication networks. Ladder networks are increasingly being used in everyday life for monitoring and environmental applications such as domestic, military, surveillance, industrial, medical applications, and traffic management. These datasets are afflicted by the average representation of the graph structure. It aids in the visualisation and comprehension of data analysis. The  $C_{\text{exp}}$  labeling is used in sensor networks, adhoc networks, and other applications. It also efficiently creates a communication network after using noise reduction methods to remove salt and pepper noise.

## 1. Introduction

A graph labeling is the assignment of labels, conventionally indicated by integers, to edges and/or vertices of a graph in the mathematical domain of graph theory. The concept of labeling may be applied to many areas of graph theory, for example, in automata theory and formal language theory. We use [1–5] for notations and nomenclature. We recommend [6] for a thorough examination of graph labeling. Let  $P_n$  be a path on  $n$  nodes denoted by  $u_{1,\mu}$ , where  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$ , and with  $n - 1$  lines denoted by  $e_{1,\delta}$ , where  $1 \leq \delta \leq n - 1$ , where  $e_\mu$  is the line joining the vertices  $u_{1,\mu}$  and  $u_{1,\mu+1}$ . On each edge  $e_\delta$ , erect a ladder with  $n - (\mu - 1)$  steps including the edge  $e_\mu$ , for  $\mu = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n - 1$ . The resulting graph is called the one-sided step graph, and it is denoted by  $ST_n$ . Let  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  be any two graphs with  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  vertices, respectively. Then,  $G_1 \times G_2$  is the Cartesian product of two graphs. A ladder graph  $L_n$  is the graph  $P_2 \times P_n$ . The graph  $G^{\circ}S_m$  is obtained from  $G$  by

attaching  $m$  pendant vertices to each vertex of  $G$ . The triangular ladder  $TL_n$ , for  $n \geq 2$ , is a graph obtained from two paths by  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  and  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  by adding the edges  $u_\mu v_\mu$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n$  and  $u_\mu v_{\mu+1}$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1$ . The slanting ladder  $SL_n$  is a graph obtained from two paths  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  and  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  by joining each  $v_\mu$ , with  $u_{\mu+1}$ ,  $1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1$ . The graph  $D_n^*$  having the vertices  $\{a_{\mu,\delta}: 1 \leq \mu \leq n, \delta = 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and its edge set is  $\{a_{\mu,1}a_{\mu+1,1}, a_{\mu,3}a_{\mu+1,3}: 1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1\} \cup \{a_{\mu,1}a_{\mu,2}, a_{\mu,2}a_{\mu,3}, a_{\mu,3}a_{\mu,4}, a_{\mu,4}a_{\mu,1}: 1 \leq \mu \leq n\}$ .

## 2. Literature Survey

In [7], the authors talked about the  $F$ -root square mean labeling for line graph of the path, cycle, star,  $P_n \circ S_1, P_n \circ S_2, [P_n; S_1], S(P_n \circ S_1)$ , ladder, slanting ladder, the crown graph  $C_n \circ S_1$ , and the arbitrary subdivision of  $S_3$ . The authors in [8] discussed  $(1, 1, 0)$   $F$ -face mean labeling some planar graphs and, in [9], face labelings of type  $(1, 1, 1)$  for generalized prism.

Alanazi et al. explained the classical meanness of the graphs, the one-sided step graph  $ST_n$ , double-sided step graph  $2ST_{2n}$ , planar grid  $P_m \times P_n$ , ladder graph  $L_n$ , graph  $L_n \circ S_m$  for  $m \leq 2$ , triangular ladder graph  $TL_n$ , graph  $TL_n \circ S_m$  for  $m \leq 2$ , graph  $SL_n \circ S_m$  for  $m \leq 2$ , slanting ladder graph  $SL_n$ , graph  $SL_n \circ S_m$  for  $m \leq 2$ , graph  $D_n^*$ , diamond ladder graph  $DL_n$ , and latitude ladder graph  $LL_n$  in [10–12]. Dafik slam in et al. highlighted the super  $(a, d)$ -edge-antimagic total properties of triangular book and diamond ladder graphs in [13]. Moussa and Badr discussed the odd gracefulness of few ladder graphs and proved that ladder and subdivision of ladder graphs with pendent edges are odd graceful in [14]. In [15], the authors emphasized the significance of exponential mean labeling of graphs, and they examined the exponential mean labeling of some graphs obtained from duplicating operations. Inspired by such tremendous works of researchers in the region of graph assignments in [16–25], we defined  $C_{exp}$  average assignment of graphs. A  $C_{exp}$  average of two integers is not always an integer. Consequently,  $C_{exp}$  average assignment must be an integer; we may get ceiling function by considering the integral part. In this study, our conversation and attempt is to examine the various assignment techniques on  $C_{exp}$  average assignment for few ladder graphs.

### 3. Methodology

A function  $\Psi$  is known as an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment of  $G$  if  $\Psi: V(G) \rightarrow N - \{q + 2, q + 3, \dots, \infty\}$  is one to one and the instigated bijective function  $\Psi^*: E(G) \rightarrow N - \{1, q + 2, q + 3, \dots, \infty\}$  characterized by

$$\Psi^*(uv) = \left\lceil \frac{1}{e} \left( \frac{X(v)}{X(u)} \right)^{1/Y} \right\rceil, \tag{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(u_{\lambda,\mu}u_{\lambda+1,\mu}) &= -2n\lambda + n - \lambda + \lambda^2 + n^2 + \mu, \text{ for } n - 1 \geq \lambda \geq 1 \text{ and } 1 - \lambda + n \geq \mu \geq 1, \\ \Psi^*(u_{1,\mu}u_{1,\mu+1}) &= n^2 + \mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(u_{\lambda,\mu}u_{\lambda,\mu+1}) &= (1 + n - \lambda)^2 + \mu, \text{ for } 2 \leq \lambda \leq n \text{ and } 1 \leq \mu \leq n + 1 - \lambda. \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

As a result, for  $n \geq 2$ ,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment and the one-sided step graph  $ST_n$  is an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment graph.  $\square$

**Theorem 2.** *The graph  $P_m \times P_n$  is an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment graph, for  $m \leq 4$  and  $n \geq 2$ .*

*Proof*

Case (i):  $m = 2$ .

Make the vertex assignment,  $\Psi: V(P_2 \times P_n) \rightarrow N - \{3n, 3n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ .

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda\mu}) = \lambda - 3 + 3\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2 \text{ and } 1 \leq \mu \leq n.$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows.

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda\mu} v_{\lambda(\mu+1)}) = \lambda - 1 + 3\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2 \text{ and } 1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1.$$

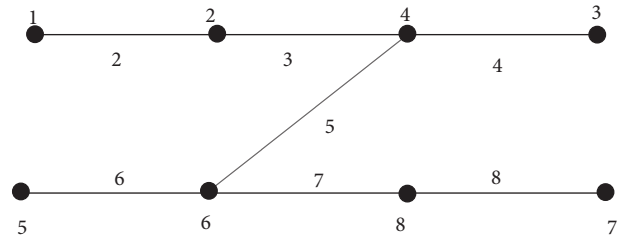


FIGURE 1: An  $C_{exp}$  average assignment of the graph,  $SL_2 \circ S_1$ .

where  $X(w) = \Psi(w)^{\Psi(w)}$ ,  $Y = \Psi(v) - \Psi(u)$ ,  $q$  is the number of edges, and  $N$  is the set of all natural numbers. A graph that concedes an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment is known as a  $C_{exp}$  average assignment graph.

Figure 1 shows the  $C_{exp}$  average assignment of the graph  $SL_2 \circ S_1$ .

### 4. Main Results

**Theorem 1.** *The one-sided step graph  $ST_n$  is an  $C_{exp}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .*

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment  $\Psi: V(ST_n) \rightarrow N - \{n^2 + n, n^2 + n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ ,  $\Psi(u_{1,\mu}) = n^2 - 1 + \mu$ , for  $2 \leq \mu \leq n$ , and  $\Psi(u_{\lambda,\mu}) = (1 + n - \lambda)^2 + \mu - 1$ , for  $2 \leq \lambda \leq n$  and  $1 \leq \mu \leq n + 2 - \lambda$ .

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(v_{1\mu}v_{2\mu}) = -13\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \mu \leq n.$$

Case (ii):  $m = 3$ .

Make the vertex assignment,  $\Psi: V(P_3 \times P_n) \rightarrow N - \{5n - 1, 5n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ .

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda\mu}) = \lambda - 5 + 5\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 3 \text{ and } 2 \leq \mu \leq n.$$

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda 1}) = \begin{cases} \lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ 4, & \lambda = 3. \end{cases}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda\mu} v_{\lambda(\mu+1)}) = \lambda - 2 + 5\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 3 \text{ and } 2 \leq \mu \leq n - 1$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda\mu} v_{(\lambda+1)\mu}) = \lambda - 4 + 5\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2 \text{ and } 2 \leq \mu \leq n$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda 1} v_{\lambda 2}) = \lambda + 3, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 3,$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda 1} v_{(\lambda+1)1}) = 1 + \lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2,$$

Case (iii):  $m = 4$  and  $n \geq 3$ .

Make the vertex assignment:

$$\Psi: V(P_4 \times P_n) \longrightarrow N - \{7n - 2, 7n - 1, \dots, \infty\}$$

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda\mu}) = \lambda - 7 + 7\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 4 \text{ and } 3 \leq \mu \leq n$$

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda 2}) = \lambda + 7, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 4$$

$$\Psi(v_{\lambda 1}) = \begin{cases} \lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2 \\ \lambda + 1, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq 4 \end{cases}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda\mu}v_{(\lambda+1)\mu}) = \lambda - 6 + 7\mu, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 3 \text{ and } 3 \leq \mu \leq n,$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda 2}v_{(\lambda+1)2}) = 8 + \lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq 3,$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda 1}v_{(\lambda+1)1}) = \begin{cases} \lambda + 1, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ 5, & \lambda = 3, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{\lambda\mu}v_{\lambda(\mu+1)}) = \lambda - 3 + 7\mu \text{ for } 2 \leq \lambda \leq 4 \text{ and } 1 \leq \mu \leq n - 1, \text{ and}$$

$$\Psi^*(v_{1\mu}v_{1(\mu+1)}) = \begin{cases} 8\mu - 4, & 1 \leq \mu \leq 2, \\ 7\mu - 2, & 3 \leq \mu \leq n - 1. \end{cases}$$

(3)

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $P_m \times P_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $m \leq 4$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 1.** Every Ladder graph  $L_n = P_2 \times P_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph.

**Theorem 3.** The graph  $L_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .

*Proof*

Case (i):  $m = 1$ .

Make the vertex assignment:  $\Psi: V(L_n \circ S_1) \longrightarrow N - \{5n, 5n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -1 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(u_1^{(\lambda)}) = -4 + 5\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n,$$

$$\Psi(v_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 4, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n \text{ and,} \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

$$\Psi(u_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -1 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) = 5\lambda - 3, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n,$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda v_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 4, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

$$\Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) = 1 + 5\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1 \text{ and}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) = 5\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1.$$

Case (ii):  $m = 2$ .

Make the vertex assignment:  $\Psi: V(L_n \circ S_2) \longrightarrow N - \{7n, 7n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\Psi(x_2^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 8, & \lambda = 1, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 2\lambda + 3, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -6 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 2, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -3 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(w_2^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -4 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases} \quad (6)$$

$$\Psi(w_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 1, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -6 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(v_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 4, & \lambda = 1, \\ -4 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(u_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_2^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 7\lambda - 4, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 7\lambda - 5, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 4 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda w_2^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 7\lambda - 1, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -4 + 7\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) = \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \lambda = 2k + 1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda v_\lambda) = 7\lambda - 3, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n,$$

$$\Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) = 7\lambda + 1, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \text{ and}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) = \begin{cases} 8, & \lambda = 1, \\ 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1. \end{cases} \quad (7)$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $L_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 4.** *The triangular ladder graph  $TL_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .*

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(TL_n) \longrightarrow N - \{4n - 1, 4n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\Psi(v_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 4\lambda - 1, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \\ 4n - 2, & \lambda = n, \text{ and,} \end{cases} \quad (8)$$

$$\Psi(u_\lambda) = 4\lambda - 3, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n.$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= 4\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= 1 + 4\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda v_\lambda) &= -2 + 4\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= -1 + 4\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the triangular ladder graph  $TL_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 5.** *The graph  $TL_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .*

*Proof*

Case (i):  $m = 1$ .

Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(TL_n \circ S_1) \longrightarrow N - \{6n - 1, 6n, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 6\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(u_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} -6 + 7\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -5 + 6\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(v_\lambda) &= 6\lambda - 2, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \\ \Psi(u_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} -3 + 5\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -4 + 6\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 6\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= -4 + 6i, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda v_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 4, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 6\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= 1 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= -1 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1. \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Case (ii):  $m = 2$ .

Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(TL_n \circ S_2) \longrightarrow N - \{8n - 1, 8n, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(x_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 9, & \lambda = 1, \\ -6 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 4, & \lambda = 1, \\ -7 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(w_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 1, & \lambda = 1, \\ -4 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(v_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 6, & \lambda = 1, \\ -5 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \end{cases} \\ \Psi(u_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(v_\lambda x_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 8, & \lambda = 1, \\ -5 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 5, & \lambda = 1, \\ -6 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda w_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 3, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -3 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 6, & \lambda = 1, \\ 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda v_\lambda) &= 8\lambda - 4, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 9, & \lambda = 1, \\ -1 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \text{ and} \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 7, & \lambda = 1, \\ 1 + 8\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $TL_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 6.** *The slanting ladder graph  $SL_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .*

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(SL_n) \longrightarrow N - \{3n - 1, 3n, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(v_n) &= 3n - 2, \\ \Psi(v_\lambda) &= 3\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1, \\ \Psi(u_\lambda) &= 3\lambda - 4, \text{ for } 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \\ \Psi(u_1) &= 1. \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= 3\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ \Psi^*(v_{n-1} v_n) &= -2 + 3n, \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= 3\lambda + 2, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-2, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ 3\lambda - 2, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \tag{15}$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $SL_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph.  $\square$

**Theorem 7.** *The graph  $SL_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .*

*Proof*

Case i:  $m = 1$  and  $n \geq 3$ .

Make the vertex assignment,  $\Psi: V(SL_n \circ S_1) \rightarrow \mathbb{N} - \{5n-1, 5n, \dots, \infty\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 7, & \lambda = 1, \\ 1 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ -3 + 5n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 3\lambda - 2, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -7 + 5\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(v_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 6, & \lambda = 1, \\ 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ 5n-2, & \lambda = n, \text{ and} \end{cases} \\ \Psi(u_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 1 + \lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -6 + 5\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 7, & \lambda = 1, \\ 1 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ -2 + 5n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -6 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= 5\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ \Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 5\lambda + 3, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-2, \\ -3 + 5n, & \lambda = n-1, \end{cases} \\ \Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 3\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ 5\lambda - 3, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

Case (ii):  $m = 2$  and  $n \geq 3$ .

Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(SL_n \circ S_2) \rightarrow \mathbb{N} - \{7n-1, 7n, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(x_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 11, & \lambda = 1, \\ 1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -9 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -16 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -6 + 7n, & \lambda = n-1, \text{ and} \\ -2 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 9, & \lambda = 1, \\ 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -3 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -12 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -17 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -8 + 7n, & \lambda = n-1, n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -7 + 7n, & \lambda = n-1, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -4 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(w_{(2)}^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 7\lambda - 5, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+2, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -8 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -7 + 7n, & \lambda = n, n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -8 + 7n, & \lambda = n, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 1, & \lambda = 1, \\ -5 + 5\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq 3, \\ -7 + 7\lambda, & 4 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+2, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -10 + 7\lambda, & 4 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+3, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -11 + 7n, & \lambda = n \text{ and } \lambda = n-1, \\ -10 + 7n, & \lambda = n \text{ and } \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(v_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} 8, & \lambda = 1, \\ 2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -13 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -15 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -5 + 7n, & \lambda = n-1, \\ -3 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\ \Psi(u_\lambda) &= \begin{cases} \lambda + 2, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -6 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, n = 2k+2, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -9 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -10 + 7n, & \lambda = n, k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -9 + 7n, & \lambda = n, n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases} \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 10, & \lambda = 1, \\ 2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -11 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -15 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & \lambda = n-1, \\ -2 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 10, & \lambda = 1, \\ 2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -11 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -15 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & \lambda = n-1, \\ -2 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(v_\lambda x_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 9, & \lambda = 1, \\ 1 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -2 + 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \lambda = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -12 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -16 + 7n, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -6 + 7n, & \lambda = n-1, \\ -6 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(u_\lambda w_2^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 4\lambda - 1, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ -5 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+2, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -8 + 7\lambda, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -8 + 7n, & \lambda = n, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(u_\lambda w_1^{(\lambda)}) &= \begin{cases} 2, & \lambda = 1, \\ -7 + 6\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq 3, \\ -6 + 7\lambda, & 4 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+2, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -9 + 7\lambda, & 4 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \lambda = 2k+3, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -10 + 7n, & \lambda = n, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ -9 + 7n, & \lambda = n, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(v_\lambda v_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 12, & \lambda = 1, \\ 7\lambda + 4, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-3, \\ 7n - 9, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 7n - 10, & \lambda = n-2, n = 2k+1, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 7n - 4, & \lambda = n-1, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(v_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 6, & \lambda = 1, \\ 7\lambda, & 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \end{cases} \\
\Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) &= \begin{cases} 4\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq 2, \\ 7\lambda - 4, & 3 \leq \lambda \leq n-2, \\ 7n - 13, & \lambda = n-1, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}, \\ 7n - 11, & \lambda = n-1, n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{N}. \end{cases}
\end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

Case (iii):  $m = 1, 2$  and  $n = 2$ . An  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment of the graphs  $SL_2 \circ S_1$  and  $SL_2 \circ S_2$  are shown in Figures 1 and 2.

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $SL_n \circ S_m$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$  and  $m \leq 2$ .  $\square$

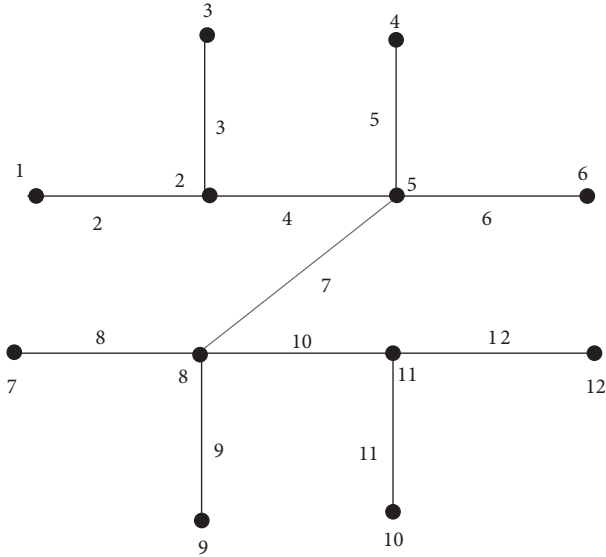


FIGURE 2: An  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment of the graph  $SL_2 \circ S_2$ .

**Theorem 8.** The graph  $D_n^*$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(D_n^*) \rightarrow N - \{6n, 6n + 1, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(a_{\lambda,4}) &= -1 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi(a_{\lambda,3}) &= -3 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi(a_{\lambda,2}) &= -5 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \\ \Psi(a_{\lambda,1}) &= -2 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n. \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,4}a_{\lambda,1}) &= -1 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,3}a_{\lambda,4}) &= -2 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,2}a_{\lambda,3}) &= -4 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,1}a_{\lambda,2}) &= -3 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,3}a_{\lambda+1,3}) &= 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(a_{\lambda,1}a_{\lambda+1,1}) &= 1 + 6\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1. \end{aligned} \tag{21}$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the graph  $D_n^*$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 2$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 9.** The diamond ladder graph  $Dl_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 1$ .

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(Dl_n) \rightarrow N - \{8n - 1, 8n, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\Psi(z_\lambda) = \begin{cases} 1, & \lambda = 1, \\ -2 + 4\lambda - \left(\frac{(-1)^{\lambda+1} + 1}{2}\right), & 2 \leq \lambda \leq 2n \text{ and } \lambda \text{ is even,} \\ -2 + 4\lambda - \left(\frac{(-1)^{\lambda+1} - 1}{2}\right), & 3 \leq \lambda \leq 2n \text{ and } \lambda \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$

$$\Psi(y_\lambda) = -3 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and}$$

$$\Psi(x_\lambda) = -5 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n.$$

(22)

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi^*(y_\lambda z_{2\lambda}) &= -2 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(y_\lambda z_{2\lambda-1}) &= -5 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(x_\lambda z_{2\lambda}) &= -3 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(x_\lambda z_{2\lambda-1}) &= -6 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(z_{2\lambda} z_{2\lambda+1}) &= 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ \Psi^*(x_\lambda y_\lambda) &= -4 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n, \\ \Psi^*(y_\lambda y_{\lambda+1}) &= 1 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \text{ and} \\ \Psi^*(x_\lambda x_{\lambda+1}) &= -1 + 8\lambda, \text{ for } 1 \leq \lambda \leq n-1. \end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the diamond ladder graph  $Dl_n$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph, for  $n \geq 1$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 10.** The latitude graph is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph.

*Proof.* Make the vertex assignment;  $\Psi: V(G) \rightarrow N - \{3n/2 + 1, 3n/2 + 2, \dots, \infty\}$ ,

$$\Psi(u_\lambda) = \begin{cases} -2 + 3\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{n}{2}, \\ -1 + 3\lambda, & \lambda = \frac{n}{2}, \\ \frac{3n}{2}, & \lambda = \frac{n}{2} + 1, \\ 3 + 3n - 3\lambda, & \frac{n}{2} + 2 \leq \lambda \leq n-1, \\ 3, & \lambda = n. \end{cases} \tag{24}$$

Consequently, the instigated edge assignment  $\Psi^*$  is acquired as follows:

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{n+2-\lambda}) = -2 + 3\lambda, \text{ for } 2 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{n}{2},$$

$$\Psi^*(u_n u_1) = 2, \text{ and}$$

$$\Psi^*(u_\lambda u_{\lambda+1}) = \begin{cases} 3\lambda, & 1 \leq \lambda \leq \frac{n}{2}, \\ -1 + \frac{3n}{2}, & \lambda = \frac{n}{2} + 1, \\ 2 + 3n - 3\lambda, & \frac{n}{2} + 2 \leq \lambda \leq n - 1. \end{cases} \quad (25)$$

As a result,  $\Psi$  is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment and the latitude graph is an  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment graph.  $\square$

## 5. Conclusion

The significant properties on  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment of several ladder networks are discovered in this work. Analysis of the  $C_{\text{exp}}$  average assignment of other networks can be discussed further.

## Data Availability

No data were used in this study.

## Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare that they have no conflicts of interest.

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