#### SOME RESULTS ON RADIO HARMONICAL MEAN GRAPHS

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#### **ABSTRACT:**

A radio Harmonic Mean labeling of a connected graph G is a one-to-one map f from the vertex set V (G) to the set of natural numbers N such that for two distinct vertices u and v of G,

$$d(u, v) + \left[\frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u)+f(v)}\right] \ge 1 + \text{diam } G.$$

The radio Harmonic Mean number of f, rhmn(f) is the maximum number assigned to any vertex of G. The radio Harmonic Mean number of G, rhmn(G) is the minimum value of rhmn(f) taken over all radio Harmonic Mean labeling f of G. In this paper we have determined the radio Harmonic Mean number of some graphs are discussed.

#### **INTRODUCTION :**

The mean defined as a midway between the value of other quantities or as an average which is important for the researchers of Mathematics and Statistics for their investigations and justifications. The Arithmetic Mean, Geometric Mean and Harmonic Mean are the three classical means among ten Greek means which are defined on the basis of proportions. These means were studied by Pythagoreans and later developed by Greek Mathematicians. because of their importance in geometry and music.

**Mean:** A mean is defined as a function M:  $R_+^2 \rightarrow R_+$  which has the property

 $\min(x_1, x_2) \le M(x_1, x_2) \le \max(x_1, x_2)$ 

where  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are positive real numbers.

Recently, the researchers have effectively utilized Mathematical means for labeling the graphs, for processing the digital images. According to Wang, Bin Yao and Ming Yao, graph labelings are used for incorporating redundancy in disks, designing drilling machines, creating layouts for circuit boards, and configuring resistor networks. Labeled graphs serve as useful models for a broad range of applications such as coding theory, X-ray crystallography, astronomy, circuit design, communication network addressing, database management, secret sharing schemes and models for constraint programming over finite domains.

In [9], the notion of mean labeling was introduced by Somasundaram and Poonraj and also studied the concept of a Geometric Mean labeling of a graph G. with p vertices and q edges and proved paths, cycles, combs, ladders are Geometric Mean graphs and  $K_n(n > 4)$  and  $K_{1,n}(n > 5)$  are not Geometric Mean graphs. Authors proved  $C_m \cup P_n$ ;  $C_m \cup C_n$ ;  $nK_3$ ;  $nK_3 \cup P_n$ ;  $nK_3 \cup C_m$ ;  $P_n^2$  and crowns are Geometric Mean graphs. Authors investigated Geometric Mean labelings in the context of duplication of graph elements in cycle  $C_n$  and path  $P_n$ . According to Beineke and Hegde, graph labeling serves as a frontier between number theory and structure of graphs. Authors [4] proved that some disconnected graphs are Harmonic Mean graphs. In [10], Contra Harmonic Mean labeling of a graph is introduced and also investigated that for a polygonal chain, square of the path and dragon are Harmonic Mean graph of order at most 5. Abundant literature exists as of today concerning the structure of graphs admitting a variety of function assigning real numbers to their elements so that given conditions are satisfied. Authors in study of vertex functions  $f: V(G) \rightarrow A, A \subseteq N$  for which the induced edge function  $f^*: E(G) \rightarrow N$  is defined as G,

$$f^{*}(uv) = \left\lceil \frac{2[f(u)^{2} + f(u)f(v) + f(v)^{2}]}{3(f(u) + f(v))} \right\rceil \quad \text{or} \quad f^{*}(uv) = \left\lfloor \frac{2[f(u)^{2} + f(u)f(v) + f(v)^{2}]}{3(f(u) + f(v))} \right\rfloor$$

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for every  $u, v \in E(G)$  are all distinct known as Centroidal Mean Labeling and introduced Centroidal Mean Labeling of some standard graphs like triangular snake, Double triangular snake, triangular ladder and so on.

**Graph:** A graph G is a pair (V, E), where V is a nonempty set and E is a set of unordered pairs of elements taken from the set V. A graph which does not contain loops and multiple edges is a simple graph, a finite number of vertices and edges in a graph is a finite graph and undirected with p vertices and q edges. The cardinality of vertex set V of a graph is the order and the cardinality of edge set E is called the size of the graph G. The graph G - e is obtained from G by deleting an edge e. The distance between two vertices x and y of G is denoted by d(x, y) and diam(G) indicate the diameter of G.

The distance d(u,v) from a vertex u to a vertex v in a connected graph G is the minimum of the lengths of the u - v paths in G.

The eccentricity e(v) of a vertex v in a connected graph G is the distance between v and a vertex farthest from v in G.

The diameter diam(G) of graph G is the greatest eccentricity among the vertices of G.

### **RADIO HARMONIC MEAN GRAPH:**

A radio Harmonic Mean labeling of a connected graph G is one to one map f from the vertex set V (G) of G to set of natural numbers N such that for two distinct vertices u and v of G satisfies the condition G,  $d(u, v) + \left[\frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u)+f(v)}\right] \ge 1 + \text{diam G}$ . A graph which admits radio Harmonic Mean labeling is called radio Harmonic Mean graph.

### **RADIO HARMONIC MEAN NUMBER OF A GRAPH:**

A Radio Harmonic Mean number of graph G is denoted by rhm(G). It is defined as the lowest span taken over all radio labeling of graph G. The span of a labeling f is the maximum integer that f maps to a vertex of graph G.

For other terminology and notations refer [3].

### **RADIO HARMONIC MEAN LABELING OF A GRAPH :**

In this section the Radio Harmonic Mean labeling of graphs containing cycles such as triangular snake  $T_n$   ${}^{J}K_1$ , double triangular snake  $D_n(T_n){}^{J}K_1$ , and  $TL_n{}^{J}K_1$ , are discussed using the following definition.

**Definition 2.1.** [7] A radio Harmonic Mean labeling of a connected graph G is one to one map f from the vertex set V (G) of G to set of natural numbers N such that for two distinct vertices u and v of G satisfies the condition G,  $d(u, v) + \left[\frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u)+f(v)}\right] \ge 1$ +diam G. A graph which admits radio Harmonic Mean labeling is called radio Harmonic Mean graph.

### MAIN RESULTS :

**Theorem 3.1.** A radio Harmonic Mean number of the graph Triangular snake  $T_n {}^JK_1$  is 5n - 4 for  $n \ge 2$ . Proof. Consider a triangular snake  $T_n$ . Let  $u_i$ ,  $v_i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$  be the vertices of a triangular snake graph  $T_n$ . Join  $u_iv_i$  and  $u_{i+1}v_i$ . Let  $w_i$ ,  $x_i$  be the pendent vertices. Join  $u_iw_i$  and  $v_ix_i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ . The resultant graph is  $T_n {}^JK_1$ , whose edge set is

 $E(T_n {}^JK_1) = \{u_i u_{i+1}, u_i v_i, v_i u_{i+1}, v_i x_i | 1 \le i \le n - 1\} \cup \{u_i w_i | 1 \le i \le n - 1\} \text{ and diameter of } T_n {}^JK_1 \text{ is } D = n + 1. \text{ The function } f : V(T_n {}^JK_1) \rightarrow 1, 2, 3...(p+q) \text{ is defined by}$   $f(u_i) = 4n + i - 4 \qquad 1 \le i \le n$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} f(u_i)=4n{+}i{-}4, & 1\leq i\leq n\\ f(v_i)=3n{+}i{-}3, & 1\leq i\leq n{-}1 \end{array}$ 

$$\begin{split} f(w_i) &= n{+}i{-}2, & 1 \leq i \leq n \\ f(x_i) &= 2n{+}i{-}2, & 1 \leq i \leq n{-}1 \\ \textbf{Case(a): Consider the pair } (u_i,u_j), i{\neq} j, 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ d(u_i, v_j) {+} \left[ \frac{2f(u_i)f(u_j)}{f(u_i){+}f(u_j)} \right] \geq 1{+}(n{+}1) = (n{+}2) \\ d(u_i, v_j) {+} \left[ \frac{2(4n{+}i{-})(4n{+}j{+}4)}{8n{+}i{+}j{-}8} \right] \geq 1{+}(n{+}1) = (n{+}2) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} & \textbf{Case(b): Consider the pair } (w_i, w_j), i \neq j, 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ & d(u_i, v_j) + \left\lceil \frac{2f(u_i)f(u_j)}{f(u_i) + f(u_j)} \right\rceil \geq 1 + (n+1) = (n+2) \\ & d(u_i, v_j) + \left\lceil \frac{2(4n+i-4)(4n+j+4)}{8n+i+j-8} \right\rceil \geq 1 + (n+1) = (n+2) \end{split}$$

**Case(c):** Consider the pair 
$$(v_i, v_j), i \neq j, 1 \le i, j \le n$$
  

$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(v_i)f(v)}{f(v_i) + f(v_j)}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$$

$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2(3n+i-3)(3n+j+3)}{6n+i+j-6}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$$

**Case(d):** Consider the pair  $(x_i, x_j), i \neq j, 1 \le i, j \le n$  $d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(x_i)f(x_j)}{f(x_i) + f(x_j)}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$   $d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2(2n+i-2)(2n+j+4)}{4n+i+j-4}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$ 

$$\begin{split} & \textbf{Case(e): Consider the pair } (u_i, v_j), 1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq j \leq n-1 \\ & d(u_i, v_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(u_i)f(v_j)}{f(u_i) + f(v_j)} \right] \geq 1 + (n+1) = (n+2) \\ & d(u_i, v_j) + \left[ \frac{2(4n+i-4)(3n+j+3)}{7n+i+j-7} \right] \geq 1 + (n+1) = (n+2) \end{split}$$

**Case(f):** Consider the pair 
$$(u_i, w_j), 1 \le i, j \le n$$
  

$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(w_j)}{f(u_i) + f(w_j)}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$$

$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2(4n+i-4)(4n+j+4)}{5n+i+j-6}\right] \ge 1 + (n+1) = (n+2)$$

The remaining pairs  $(w_i, v_j), (w_i, x_j), (x_i, x_j)$  also satisfied the radio Harmonic Mean condition. Thus, the radio Harmonic Mean condition is satisfied for all pairs of vertices. Hence f is a valid radio Harmonic Mean labeling of Triangular snake

 $T_n {}^JK_1$ . Therefore rhmn  $(T_n {}^JK_1) = 5n - 4$ ,  $n \ge 2$ . **Example 3.1.** Consider the triangular snake  $T_3 {}^JK_1$ . The following figure shows the radio Harmonic Mean labeling of a graph with radio Harmonic Mean number 24.



Figure 1. Triangular snake T<sub>3</sub> <sup>J</sup>K<sub>1</sub>

**Theorem 3.2.** The radio Harmonic Mean number of the graph  $Q_n {}^JK_1$  is 7n-6 for  $n \ge 2$ .

Proof. Let  $u_i, 1 \le i \le n$  and  $w_i, y_i, 1 \le i \le n - 1$  be the vertices of the quadrilateral snake graph  $Q_n$ . Introduce new vertices  $v_i, x_i$  and  $z_i$  to  $y_i, 1 \le i \le n - 1$  respectively. The resultant graph is  $Q_n {}^JK_1$  whose edge set  $E(Q_n {}^JK_1) = \{\{u_i, u_{i+1}\}, \{u_i, w_i\}, \{w_i, y_i\}, \{y_i, u_{i+1}\}, \{w_i, x_i\}, \{y_i, z_i\} | 1 \le i \le n - 1\} \cup \{\{u_i, v_i\} | 1 \le i \le n\}$  and diameter of  $Q_n {}^JK_1$  is D = n + 2.

Define a function  $f: V(Q_n^J K_1) \rightarrow N$  by

$f(u_i) = 6n + i - 6,$	$1 \le i \le n$
$f(v_i) = n + i - 2,$	$1 \le i \le n$
$f(w_i) = 5n + i - 5$ ,	$1 \le i \le n-1$
$f(x_i) = 2n + i - 2,$	$1 \le i \le n-1$
$f(y_i) = 4n + i - 4,$	$1 \leq i \leq n-1$
$f(z_i) = 3n + i - 3$ ,	$1 \le i \le n-1$

now we verify the radio Harmonic Mean condition for f by the condition

 $d(u, v) + \left\lceil \frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u)+f(v)} \right\rceil \ge 1 + \text{diam } G .$ 

$$\begin{split} & \textbf{Case(1): Consider the pair } (u_i, u_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ & d(u_i, u_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(u_j)}{f(u_i) + f(u_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(6n + i - 6)(6n + j - 6)}{12n + i + j - 12}\right] = 1 + (n + 2) \geq (n + 3) \\ & \textbf{Case(2): Consider the pair } (v_i, v_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ & d(v_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(v_i)f(v_j)}{f(v_i) + f(v_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(n + i - 2)(n + j - 2)}{2n + i + j - 4}\right] = 3 + (n + 2) \geq (n + 3) \end{split}$$

**Case(3):** Consider the pair 
$$(w_i, w_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(w_i, w_j) + \left[\frac{2f(w_i)f(w_j)}{f(w_i) + f(w_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(5n+i-5)(5n+j-5)}{10n+i+j-10}\right] = 3 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$$

**Case(4):** Consider the pair 
$$(x_i, x_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(x_i, x_j) + \left[\frac{2f(x_i)f(x_j)}{f(x_i) + f(x_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(2n+i-2)(2n+j-1)}{4n+i+j-4}\right] = 5 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$$

**Case(5):** Consider the pair 
$$(y_i, y_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(y_i, y_j) + \left[\frac{2f(y_i)f(y_j)}{f(y_i) + f(y_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(4n+i-4)(4n+j-4)}{8n+i+j-8}\right] = 3 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$$

**Case(6):** Consider the pair 
$$(z_i, z_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(z_i, z_j) + \left[\frac{2f(z_i)f(z_j)}{f(z) + f(z_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(3n+i-)(3n+j-)}{6n+i+j-6}\right] = 5 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$$

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**Case(7):** Consider the pair (u<sub>i</sub>,v<sub>j</sub>), 
$$1 \le i,j \le n$$
  
$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(v_j)}{f(u_i)+f(v_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(6n+i-6)(n+j-2)}{7n+i+j-8}\right] = 1 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$$

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case(8): Consider the pair } (u_i, w_j), & 1 \leq i \leq n; \\ d(u_i \,, \, w_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(u_i)f(w_j)}{f(u_i) + f(w_j)} \right] \\ = 1 + \left[ \frac{2(6n + i - 6)(5n + j - \ )}{11n + i + j - 11} \right] \\ = 1 + (n + 2) \geq (n + 3) \end{array}$ 

**Case(9):** Consider the pair  $(u_i, x_j)$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ ;  $1 \le j \le n - 1$  $d(u_i, x_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(x_j)}{f(u_i) + f(x_j)}\right] = 2 + \left[\frac{2(6n+i-6)(2n+j-2)}{8n+i+j-8}\right] = 2 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$ 

**Case(10):** Consider the pair  $(u_i, y_j)$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ ;  $1 \le j \le n - 1$  $d(u_i, y_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(y_j)}{f(u_i) + f(y_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(6n+i-6)(4n+j-4)}{10n+i+j-10}\right] = 1 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$ 

**Case(11):** Consider the pair  $(u_i, z_j)$ ,  $1 \le i \le n$ ;  $1 \le j \le n - 1$  $d(u_i, z_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(z_j)}{f(u_i)+f(z_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(6n+i-)(3n+j-3)}{9n+i+j-9}\right] = 2 + (n+2) \ge (n+3)$ 

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case(12): Consider the pair } (v_i, w_j), & 1 \leq i \leq n; \\ d(v_i, w_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(v_i)f(w_j)}{f(v_i) + f(w_j)} \right] &= 3 + \left[ \frac{2(n+i-1)(5n+j-5)}{6n+i+j-6} \right] = 2 + (n+2) \geq (n+3) \end{array}$ 

The remaining pairs(v<sub>i</sub>,w<sub>j</sub>),(v<sub>i</sub>,x<sub>j</sub>),(v<sub>i</sub>,y<sub>j</sub>),(v<sub>i</sub>,z<sub>j</sub>),(w<sub>i</sub>,x<sub>j</sub>),(w<sub>i</sub>,y<sub>j</sub>),(w<sub>i</sub>,z<sub>j</sub>),(x<sub>i</sub>,y<sub>j</sub>), (x<sub>i</sub>,z<sub>j</sub>) and (y<sub>i</sub>,z<sub>j</sub>) also satisfies the radio Harmonic Mean condition. Hence g is a valid radio Harmonic Mean labeling of  $Q_n^J K_1$ . Therefore rhmn ( $Q_n^J K_1$ ) = 7n - 6, n > 2.

**Example 3.2.** Consider the graph  $Q_4 {}^JK_1$ . The radio Harmonic Mean labeling is as shown in figure-2 with rhmn  $(Q_4 {}^JK_1) = 22$ .



Figure 2. The graph  $Q_4 {}^JK_1$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** The graph  $TL_n$  is a radio Harmonic Mean graph. The radio Harmonic Mean number is  $4n - 3, n \ge 2$ .

Proof. Let  $TL_n$  be a triangular ladder. Let  $u_1, u_2, ..., u_n$  and  $v_1, v_2, ..., v_n$  be two paths of length n in the graph  $TL_n$ . Join  $u_{i+1}v_i$ ,  $1 \le i \le n - 1$  and join  $u_iv_i$   $1 \le i \le n$ . The resultant graph is  $TL_n$  whose edge set is

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$$\begin{split} E &= \{u_i u_{i+1}, u_{i+1} v_i, v_i v_{i+1}\} \cup \{u_i, v_i\} 1 \leq i \leq n \text{ and diameter } n. \text{ Define a function } f: V(TL_n) \rightarrow 1, 2, 3, ...(p+q) \text{ by } f(u_1) = 1; f(u_i) = 2n + i - 3, 2 \leq i \leq n \text{ } f(v_i) = 3n + i - 3, 1 \leq i \leq n \text{ now we verify the radio Harmonic Mean condition for } f \text{ by the condition } f = 1, 1 \leq i \leq n \text{ } f(v_i) = 1 \text$$

$$d(u, v) + \left[\frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u)+f(v)}\right] \ge 1 + \text{diam } G$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case(1): Consider the pair } (u_i,u_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ d(u_i,u_j) + \left\lceil \frac{2f(u_i)f(u_j)}{f(u_i)+f(u_j)} \right\rceil = 1 + \left\lceil \frac{2(2n+i-)(2n+j-2)}{4n+i+j-4} \right\rceil = 1 + n \geq 1 + diam(TL_n) \end{array}$$

**Case(2):** Consider the pair 
$$(v_i, v_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(v_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(v_i)f(v_j)}{f(v_i) + f(v_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(3n+i-3)(2n+j-3)}{6n+i+j-6}\right] = 1 + n \ge 1 + diam(TL_n)$$

**Case(3):** Consider the pair 
$$(u_i, v_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(u_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(v_j)}{f(u_i) + f(v_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(2n+i-2)(3n+j-3)}{5n+i+j-5}\right] = 1 + n \ge 1 + diam(TL_n)$$

**Case(4):** Consider the pair  $(u_{i+1}, v_j)$ ;  $1 \le i, j \le n - 1$  $d(u_{i+1}, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_{i+1})f(v_j)}{f(u_{i+1}) + f(v_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(2n+i-2)(3n+j-3)}{5n+i+j-4}\right] = 1 + n \ge 1 + diam(TL_n)$ 

Hence f is a valid radio Harmonic Mean labeling of  $TL_n$ . Therefore  $rhmn(TL_n) = 4n - 3, n > 2$ . **Example 3.3.** The following figure shows the radio Harmonic Mean labeling of  $TL_5$ , with rhmn = 17.



**Theorem 3.4.** The graph  $P_n{}^Jk_2$  is a radio Harmonic Mean graph. The radio Harmonic Mean number is 4n - 3,  $n \ge 3$ .

Proof. Let  $u_1, u_2, ..., u_n$  be the path  $P_n$  and let  $v_i, w_i$  be the vertices of  $k_2$  which are joined to the vertex  $u_i$  of path  $P_n, 1 \le i \le n$ . The resultant graph is  $P_n$ <sup>J</sup> whose edge set is  $E = \{u_i u_{i+1}/1 \le i \le n-1\} \cup \{u_i v_i, u_i w_i/1 \le i \le n\}$  and diam $(P_n$ <sup>J</sup> $K_2) = n + 1$ .

Define a function  $f f : V(P_n {}^JK_2) \rightarrow 1,2,3,...(p+q)$  by  $f(u_i) = 3n+i-3, 1 \le i \le n$  $f(v_i) = n+i-3, 1 \le i \le n$   $f(w_i) = 2n+i-3, 1 \le i \le n$ 

now we verify the radio Harmonic Mean condition for f by the condition

$$d(u, v) + \left| \frac{2f(u)f(v)}{f(u) + f(v)} \right| \ge 1 + \text{diam } G$$

**Case(1):** Consider the pair 
$$(u_i, u_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(u_i, u_j) + \left[\frac{2f(u_i)f(u_j)}{f(u_i) + f(u_j)}\right] = 1 + \left[\frac{2(3n+i-3)(3n+j-)}{6n+i+j-6}\right] = 1 + (n+1) \ge 1 + diam(P_n \Theta k_2)$$

**Case(2):** Consider the pair 
$$(v_i, v_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(v_i, v_j) + \left[\frac{2f(v_i)f(v_j)}{f(v_i) + f(v_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(n+i-3)^2}{2n+i+j-6}\right] = 1 + (n+1) \ge 1 + diam(P_nOk_2)$$

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**Case(3):** Consider the pair 
$$(w_i, w_j), i \neq j;$$
  $1 \le i, j \le n$   
$$d(w_i, w_j) + \left[\frac{2f(w_i)f(w_j)}{f(w_i) + f(w_j)}\right] = 3 + \left[\frac{2(2n+i-3)^2}{4n+i+j-6}\right] = 1 + (n+1) \ge 1 + diam(P_nOk_2)$$

$$\begin{split} & \textbf{Case(4): Consider the pair } (u_i, v_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ & d(u_i, v_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(u_i)f(v_j)}{f(u_i) + f(v_j)} \right] = 3 + \left[ \frac{2(2n + i - 3)(3n + i - 3)}{5n + i + j - 6} \right] = 1 + (n + 1) \geq 1 + diam(P_n \Theta k_2) \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} & \textbf{Case(5): Consider the pair } (u_i, w_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ & d(u_i \,,\, w_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(u_i)f(w_j)}{f(u_i) + f(w_j)} \right] \\ &= 1 + \left[ \frac{2(2n + i - 3)(3n + i - 3)}{5n + i + j - 6} \right] \\ &= 1 + (n + 1) \geq 1 + diam(P_n \Theta k_2) \end{split}$$

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case(6): Consider the pair } (v_i, w_j), i \neq j; & 1 \leq i, j \leq n \\ d(v_i, w_j) + \left[ \frac{2f(v_i)f(w_j)}{f(v_i) + f(w_j)} \right] &= 2 + \left[ \frac{2(2n+i-3)(2n+j-3)}{3n+i+j-6} \right] = 1 + (n+1) \geq 1 + diam(P_nOk_2) \end{array}$ 

Thus the radio Harmonic Mean condition is satisfied for all pairs of vertices. Hence f is a valid radio Harmonic Mean labeling of  $P_n{}^Jk_2$ . Hence rhmn $(P_n{}^Jk_2) = i$  $4n - 3, n \ge 3$ .

**Example 3.4.** The following figure shows the radio Harmonic Mean labeling of  $P_n^{J}k_2$ , with rhmn = 9.



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