

Protection of a network by complete secure domination

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Abstract: A complete secure dominating set of a graph G is a dominating set $D \subseteq V(G)$ with the property that for each $v \in D$, there exists $F = \{v_j | v_j \in N(v) \cap (V(G) - D)\}$, such that for each $v_j \in F$, $(D - \{v\}) \cup \{v_j\}$ is a dominating set. The minimum cardinality of any complete secure dominating set is called the complete secure domination number of G and is denoted by $\gamma_{csd}(G)$. In this paper, the bounds for complete secure domination number for some standard graphs like grid graphs and stacked prism graphs in terms of number of vertices of G are found and also the bounds for the complete secure domination number of a tree are obtained in terms of different parameters of G .

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1. Introduction

The graphs considered here are undirected, finite, connected, without multiple edges or loops and without isolated vertices. As usual n and q denote the number of vertices and edges of a graph G . For basic graph theoretic notation and terminology we refer to [4].

A set of vertices D is said to dominate the graph G if for each vertex $v \in V(G) - D$, there is a vertex $u \in D$ with v is adjacent to u . The minimum cardinality of any dominating set is called the domination number of G and it is denoted by $\gamma(G)$.

A secure dominating set X of a graph G is a dominating set with the property that each vertex $u \in V(G) - X$ is adjacent to a vertex $v \in X$ such that $(X - \{v\}) \cup \{u\}$ is dominating set. The minimum cardinality of such a set is called the secure domination number, denoted by $\gamma_s(G)$.

The *Cartesian graph product* $G_1 \times G_2$ called graph product of graphs $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$ and $G_2 = (V_2, E_2)$ with disjoint vertex sets is the graph with the vertex set $V_1 \times V_2$ and $u = (u_1, u_2)$ adjacent with $v = (v_1, v_2)$ whenever $[u_1 = v_1 \text{ and } u_2 \text{ adj } v_2]$ or $[u_2 = v_2 \text{ and } u_1 \text{ adj } v_1]$.

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A friendship graph F_n is the graph obtained by joining n copies of C_3 with a common vertex. A vertex of degree one is called an end vertex and a vertex adjacent to an end vertex is called non-end vertex.

A two-dimensional grid graph $G_{m,n}$ is the Cartesian product $P_m \times P_n$ of path graphs on m and n vertices. A stacked prism graph is the Cartesian product of $C_m \times P_n$.

The protection of a (simple) graph $G = (V, E)$ involves placing a set (possibly empty) of guards at each vertex, and it is assumed that a guard can deal with a problem (called an attack) at any vertex in its closed neighborhood. Various strategies(i.e., rules for guard placements) have been devised, under each of which the entire graph G may be considered protected. The minimum number of guards required for protection under each strategy is clearly of interest. The concept of secure domination was introduced by Cockayne et.al. [3]. Later this concept was studied extensively in [1, 2].

In social network theory, we can assume the graph nodes as message centers and its edges as transmission lines. The message is transferred through the transmission line from one message center to another. The intent of this process is to transfer the messages to all message centers with minimum number of message centers. To find all the minimum message centers, we can make use of domination and these minimum message centers are called as domination message centers. And if any of the domination message centers has an issue in sending the message, then it’s neighbor message center should act as a domination message center to complete the process. This solution is illustrated in secure domination concept, the drawback in this secure domination concept is that, it is just mentioned to select their neighbors as domination message centers, but not mentioned about which particular neighbor has to be chosen as a domination message center to achieve the objective or to complete the process. So, to overcome these problems we introduce a new concept called as complete secure domination with which one can select a neighbor as domination message centers. So that, we would be able to provide an analogy to retrieve a more efficient and robust domination message centers to solve the above mentioned issue and to transfer messages in a more faster and constructive manner.

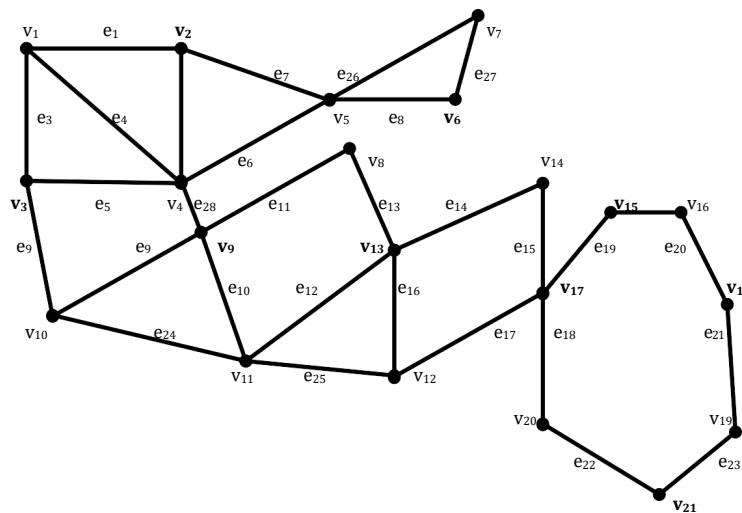


Figure 1. Example for complete secure domination

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimum dominating set } D &= \{v_5, v_4, v_{11}, v_{13}, v_{18}, v_{17}, v_{21}\}. \\ \text{Minimum secure dominating set } C &= \{v_6, v_2, v_3, v_9, v_{13}, v_{18}, v_{17}, v_{21}\}. \\ \text{Minimum complete secure dominating set } F &= \{v_6, v_2, v_3, v_9, v_{13}, v_{18}, v_{17}, v_{21}, v_{15}\}. \\ |D| &= 7, |C| = 8, |F| = 9 \end{aligned}$$

A complete secure dominating set of a graph G is a dominating set $D \subseteq V(G)$ with the property that for each $v \in D$, there exists $F = \{v_j | v_j \in N(v) \cap (V(G) - D)\}$, such that for each $v_j \in F$, $(D - \{v\}) \cup \{v_j\}$ is a dominating set. The minimum cardinality of any complete secure dominating set is called the complete secure domination number of G and is denoted by $\gamma_{csd}(G)$.

2. Complete secure domination for standard graphs

Theorem 2.1. For any path P_n , $\gamma_{csd}(P_n) = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil$.

Theorem 2.2. For any wheel graph W_n , $\gamma_{csd}(W_n) = \lceil \frac{n}{3} \rceil$.

Theorem 2.3. For any cycle C_n , $\gamma_{csd}(C_n) = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil$.

Theorem 2.4. For any friendship graph F_n with n vertices, $\gamma_{csd}(F_n) = \lceil \frac{n}{3} \rceil$.

3. Main results

Theorem 3.1. For any graph $G = P_2 \times P_n$, $\gamma_{csd}(G) = n, n \geq 2$.

Proof. Let $V(P_2 \times P_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{i=1}^{i=2}$ be the vertices of first and second row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_1, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_2, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{n}{2}$ and $|B| = \frac{n}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{n}{2} + \frac{n}{2} = n$.

Case 2. Suppose n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_1, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_2, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n+1}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{n-1}{2}$ and $|B| = \frac{n+1}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{n-1}{2} + \frac{n+1}{2} = n$.

The proof is complete. □

Theorem 3.2. For any graph $G = P_3 \times P_n, n \geq 2$,

$$\gamma_{csd}(G) = \begin{cases} \frac{3n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \\ \frac{3n-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $V(P_3 \times P_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{i=1}^{i=3}$ be the vertices of first, second and third row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 1, 3\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 2\}$ with $|A| = 2 * \frac{n}{2}$ and $|B| = \frac{n}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = n + \frac{n}{2} = \frac{3n}{2}$.

Case 2. Suppose n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n-1}{2}, r = 1, 3\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n+1}{2}, r = 2\}$ with $|A| = 2(\frac{n-1}{2})$ and $|B| = \frac{n+1}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = n - 1 + \frac{n+1}{2} = \frac{3n-1}{2}$.

The proof is complete. □

Theorem 3.3. For any graph $G = P_4 \times P_n$, $\gamma_{csd}(G) = 2n, n \geq 2$.

Proof. Let $V(P_4 \times P_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{i=1}^{i=4}$ be the vertices of first, second, third and fourth row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 1, 3\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 2, 4\}$ with $|A| = 2 * \frac{n}{2}$ and $|B| = 2 * \frac{n}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = n + n = 2n$.

Case 2. Suppose n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n-1}{2}, r = 1, 3\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n+1}{2}, r = 2, 4\}$ with $|A| = 2(\frac{n-1}{2})$ and $|B| = 2(\frac{n+1}{2})$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = n - 1 + n + 1 = 2n$.

The proof is complete. □

Theorem 3.4. For any graph $G = P_5 \times P_n, n \geq 2$,

$$\gamma_{csd}(G) = \begin{cases} \frac{5n}{2} & n \text{ is even} \\ \frac{5n-1}{2} & n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $V(P_5 \times P_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{i=1}^{i=5}$ be the vertices of first, second, third, fourth and fifth row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 1, 3, 5\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n}{2}, r = 2, 4\}$ with $|A| = 3 * \frac{n}{2}$ and $|B| = 2 * \frac{n}{2}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{3n}{2} + n = \frac{5n}{2}$.

Case 2. Suppose n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n-1}{2}, r = 1, 3, 5\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{n+1}{2}, r = 2, 4\}$ with $|A| = 3(\frac{n-1}{2})$ and $|B| = 2(\frac{n+1}{2})$. The set $D = A \cup B$ is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = 3(\frac{n-1}{2}) + n + 1 = \frac{5n-1}{2}$.

The proof is complete. □

Theorem 3.5. For any graph $G = P_m \times P_n, m, n \geq 2$,

$$\gamma_{csd}(G) = \begin{cases} \frac{mn}{2} & m \text{ is even} \\ \frac{mn}{2} & m \text{ is odd, } n \text{ is even} \\ \frac{mn-1}{2} & m \text{ is odd, } n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $V(P_m \times P_n) = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{r=1}^m$ be the vertices of first, second, third, ..., m^{th} row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose m is even and n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{mn}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{mn}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{mn}{4} + \frac{mn}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 2. Suppose m is even and n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n+1}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{m(n-1)}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{m(n+1)}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{m(n-1)}{4} + \frac{m(n+1)}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 3. Suppose m is odd and n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m+1}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m-1}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{(m+1)n}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{(m-1)n}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{(m+1)n}{4} + \frac{(m-1)n}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 4. Suppose m is odd and n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m+1}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m-1}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n+1}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{(m+1)(n-1)}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{(m-1)(n+1)}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{(m+1)(n-1)}{4} + \frac{(m-1)(n+1)}{4} = \frac{mn-1}{2}$.

The proof is complete. □

Theorem 3.6. For any graph, $G = C_3 \times P_n, \gamma_{csd}(G) = n, n \geq 3$.

Proof. Let $V(C_3 \times C_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{i=1}^3$ be the vertices of first, second and third row, respectively. The set $A = \{(u_1, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ with $|A| = n$. Since A is the γ -set of G and therefore A is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = n$. □

Theorem 3.7. For any graph, $G = C_4 \times C_n, \gamma_{csd}(G) = 2n, n \geq 3$.

Proof. Let $V(C_3 \times C_n) = \{(u_i, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{r=1}^{i=4}$ be the vertices of first, second, third and fourth row, respectively. The set $D = \{(u_1, v_s), (u_3, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ with $|D| = 2n$. Since every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = 2n$. \square

Theorem 3.8. For any graph $G = C_m \times P_n, m \neq 3, n \geq 3$,

$$\gamma_{csd}(G) = \begin{cases} \frac{mn}{2} & m \text{ is even or odd and } n \text{ is even} \\ \frac{mn}{2} & m \text{ is even, } n \text{ is odd.} \\ \frac{mn-1}{2} & m \text{ is odd, } n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $V(C_m \times C_n) = \{(u_r, v_s), s = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}_{r=1}^{m}$ be the vertices of first, second, third, ... m^{th} row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. Suppose m is even and n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{mn}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{mn}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{mn}{4} + \frac{mn}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 2. Suppose m is even and n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n+1}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{m(n-1)}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{m(n+1)}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of $P_m \times P_n$. Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{m(n-1)}{4} + \frac{m(n+1)}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 3. Suppose m is odd and n is even.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m+1}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m-1}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{(m+1)n}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{(m-1)n}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{(m+1)n}{4} + \frac{(m-1)n}{4} = \frac{mn}{2}$.

Case 4. Suppose m is odd and n is odd.

Let $A = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p - 1, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m+1}{2}, s = 2q, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{(u_r, v_s), r = 2p, 1 \leq p \leq \frac{m-1}{2}, s = 2q - 1, 1 \leq q \leq \frac{n+1}{2}\}$ with $|A| = \frac{(m+1)(n-1)}{4}$ and $|B| = \frac{(m-1)(n+1)}{4}$. Let $D = A \cup B$, every neighborhood vertex of $V(G) - D$ is in D , D is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) \leq |D|$. If $\gamma_{csd}(G) < |D|$, then there exists at least one vertex say $v_j \in V(P_m \times P_n)$, $(D - \{v_i\}) \cup \{v_j\}, v_i \in D$ is not a dominating set. Therefore D is the γ_{csd} -set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = |A| + |B| = \frac{(m+1)(n-1)}{4} + \frac{(m-1)(n+1)}{4} = \frac{mn-1}{2}$.

The proof is complete. \square

Theorem 3.9. For any graph G , if every non-end vertex is adjacent with an end-vertex then, $\gamma_{csd}(G) = p$, where p is the number of end-vertices of G .

Proof. Let $A = \{v_i \in V(G) | d(v_i) = 1\}$, $B = \{v_j \in V(G) - A | v_j \in N(v_i)\}$ and $C = (A - \{v_r\}) \cup \{v_j\}$, $v_r \in A, v_j \in B \cap N(v_i)$. Let $D = A$ or C . Now for each $v \in D$, there exists $F = \{v_j | v_j \in N(v) \cap V(G) - D\}$, such that for each $v_j \in F$, $(D - \{v\}) \cup \{v_j\}$ is a dominating set. Hence D is a complete secure dominating set of G . Now we show that there exists no other minimum complete secure dominating set other than D . If suppose $F \neq D$ is a minimum complete secure domination set of G with $|F| < |D|$, then either F is not a dominating set or for atleast one vertex $v \in F$ there exists $v_j \in N(v)$ such that $(F - \{v\}) \cup \{v_j\}$ is not a dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(G) = |D| = p$. \square

Corollary 3.10. For any graph G , if every non-end vertex is adjacent with an end-vertex then, $\gamma_{csd}(G) = \gamma_{ns}(G)$, where $\gamma_{ns}(G)$ is the nonsplit domination number of G .

Proof. If every non-end vertex is adjacent with an end-vertex then, $\gamma_{ns}(G) = p$, p is the number of end vertices of G , then by Theorem 3.9, the result follows. \square

Theorem 3.11. For any tree T with n vertices, $\gamma_{csd}(T) \leq p + \lceil \frac{n-2p}{2} \rceil$, p is the number of end vertices of T .

Proof. Let $A = \{v_i \in V(T) | d(v_i) = 1\}$ and $B = \{v_j \in V(T) - A | v_j \in N(v_i)\}$. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. If every non-end vertex of T is adjacent to an end-vertex then by Theorem 3.9, $\gamma_{csd}(T) = p$.

Case 2. If atleast one vertex say $v_j \in V(G)$, v_j is not adjacent to an end-vertex say $v_i \in A$, then the graph $T - (A \cup B)$ will be a tree with $n - 2p$ vertices and partition the vertex set of $T - (A \cup B)$ into two disjoint sets say R and S such that $v_i \in R$ and $v_j \in S, v_i \in N(v_j)$ and $|R| \geq |S|$. Now consider the set $D = A \cup R$, then for each $v \in D$, there exists $F = \{v_j | v_j \in N(v) \cap V(T) - D\}$, such that for each $v_j \in F$, $(D - \{v\}) \cup \{v_j\}$ is a dominating set. Therefore F is the complete secure dominating set of G . Hence $\gamma_{csd}(T) \leq F = p + \lceil \frac{n-2p}{2} \rceil$. \square

Theorem 3.12. For any graph $G = K_2 \times K_{1,n-1}$, $\gamma_{csd}(G) = n, n \geq 3$.

Proof. Let $V(K_2) = \{u_1, u_2\}$ and $V(K_{1,n-1}) = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$ with $d(v_1) = n - 1$. Let $V(G) = V(K_2 \times K_{1,n-1}) = A \cup B$, $A = \{(u_i, v_j) \in V(G) / d((u_i, v_j)) = n\}$, $B = \{(u_r, v_s) \in V(G) - A\}$ with $|A| = 2, |B| = 2(n - 1)$. Partition the vertex of B into disjoint vertex sets, $B = H \cup R$ such that $(u_i, v_j) \in N((u_r, v_s)), (u_i, v_j) \in H, (u_r, v_s) \in R$ with $|H| = |R| = n - 1$. Any minimum dominating set D of G has to contain two vertices say $F = \{(u_1, v_1), (u_2, v_1)\}$ where $\{(u_1, v_1), (u_2, v_1)\} \in A$. Suppose D is a complete secure dominating set, then the induced graph $M = \langle V(G) - (\{(u_1, v_1)\} \text{ or } \{(u_2, v_1)\}) \rangle$ will contains $n - 1$ support vertices and by Theorem 3.9, $\gamma_{csd}(M) = n - 1$ and if $\gamma_{csd}(G) = n - 1$, then there exists at least one vertex say $(u_i, v_j) \in V(G)$ which is not dominated by $(D - \{(u_m, v_r)\} \cup (u_i, v_j), (u_m, v_r) \in D \cup N((u_i, v_j)))$. Therefore $\gamma_{csd} > n - 1$. Since each vertex in B is of degree 2 and belongs to neighborhood of D , therefore the dominating set has to contain the vertices of H or R together with any vertex of A . Now consider the set $K = H \cup \{(u_1, v_1)\}$, for each vertex $(u_i, v_j) \in K$, there exists $F = \{(u_r, v_s) / (u_r, v_s) \in N((u_i, v_j)) \cap (V(G) - D)\}$, such that for each $(u_r, v_s) \in F, (D - \{(u_i, v_j)\}) \cup \{(u_r, v_s)\}$ is a dominating set. Hence K is a complete secure dominating set, $\gamma_{csd} = |K| = n$. \square

Definition 3.13. Planar honeycomb graphs are the graphs obtained by connecting some equal regular hexagons such that any two adjacent hexagons have one edge in common. The planar honeycomb lattice is also called benzoid and it is denoted by B_n .

Theorem 3.14. For any planar honeycomb graph B_n with n vertices, $n \geq 6$,

$$\gamma_{csd}(B_n) = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil.$$

Proof. Let $V(B_n) = \{u_{1i}, u_{2i}, u_{3i}, \dots, u_{pi}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, q\}$ denotes the first, second, third, fourth, ..., p^{th} row, respectively. We consider the following cases.

Case 1. When $n = 6$.

In this case the graph $B_6 = C_6$. The result follows from Theorem 2(iii).

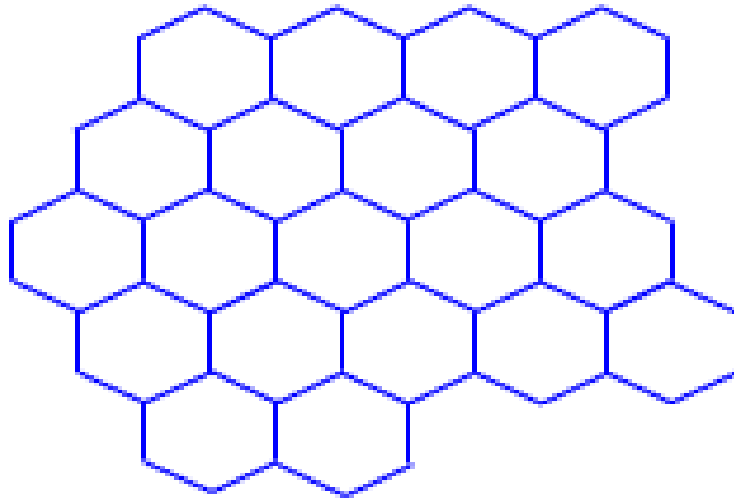


Figure 2. Example for Honeycomb graph

Case 2. When $n = 10$.

Then the graph B_{10} contains two cycles with one edge in common, which is isomorphic to the graph H , where $V(H) = V(C_6) \cup V(P_4)$ and $E(H) = E(C_6) \cup E(P_4) \cup e_1 \cup e_2$, where e_1 and e_2 joins (v_1, u_1) and (v_2, u_2) , where $v_1, v_2 \in V(C_6), v_1 \in N(v_2)$ and u_1 and u_2 are the end vertices of P_4 . Hence $\gamma_{csd} = \gamma_{csd}(C_6) + \gamma_{csd}(P_4) = 3 + 2 = \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil$.

Case 3. When $n \geq 10$.

In this case, the planar honey comb graph can be obtained by adding an edge that connects the end vertices of m copies of either P_1 or P_2 or P_3 or P_4 with an adjacent vertices of B_{10} . By using case 2 and Theorem 3.9,

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{csd} &= \gamma_{csd}(B_{10}) + m\gamma_{csd}(P_1 \text{ or } P_2 \text{ or } P_3 \text{ or } P_4) \\ &= 5 + \lceil \frac{n-10}{2} \rceil. \\ &= 5 + \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil - 5. \\ &= \lceil \frac{n}{2} \rceil. \end{aligned}$$

□

4. Application

Whenever we transfer a message from one mobile device which is in different signal range, to another mobile device which is in some other different signal range, then sometimes can be a loss of data or the message may be delivered after a long time. These are mainly due to the unstructured or unorganized way of locating message service systems and unsecured network. These problems can be solved using our complete secure domination. Through secure domination, we are providing the least or minimum number of message centers with which the entire block or chain of message centers can be covered and also secured. In this way, we propose the complete secure domination with minimum number of message centers to overcome the above mentioned issues.

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