



# Coregular Connected Domination in Line Graph

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## Abstract :

A line graph  $L(G)$  is the graph whose vertices corresponding to the graph  $G$  and two vertices in  $L(G)$  are adjacent if and only if the corresponding edges in  $G$  are adjacent.

A dominating set  $D \subseteq V[L(G)]$  is known as coregularConnected dominating set , if the induced sub graph  $\langle D \rangle$  is connected such that the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - D \rangle$  is regular. The minimum cardinality of vertices in such a set is called coregular Connected domination number in  $L(G)$  , and is denoted by  $\gamma_{coc}[L(G)]$ .

In this article, we examine the graph theoretic properties of  $\gamma_{coc}[L(G)]$ , and we find numerous limitations in terms of elements  $G$  and its connections to other dominating parameters. Our investigation on this work is to establish the application oriented standard results in the field of domination theory for several kinds of new concepts which are playing an important role of application.

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## Introduction

In this paper the graphs considered here are finite and simple. In general we follow the notations of Harary [4].

We begin by recalling some standard definitions from domination theory.

A set  $S \subseteq V(G)$  is said to be a dominating set of  $G$  , if every vertex in  $(V-S)$  is adjacent to some vertex in  $S$ . The domination number  $\gamma(G)$  is the least cardinality among all dominating sets in  $G$ . [6]

A set  $X \subseteq E(G)$  is said to be an edge dominating set if every edge in  $E(G)-X$  is adjacent to some edge in  $X$ . The edge domination number of a graph  $G$  is the cardinality of smallest edge dominating set of  $G$  and is denoted by  $\gamma^l(G)$ .

A dominating set  $S$  of a graph  $G$  is a total dominating set if the induced subgraph  $\langle S \rangle$  has no isolated vertices. The total domination number  $\gamma_t(G)$  of  $G$  is the minimum cardinality among all the total dominating sets in  $G$ . [1]

A dominating set  $S \subseteq V(G)$  is a split dominating set, if the induced subgraph  $\langle V[(G)] - S \rangle$  is disconnected. The minimum cardinality of vertices in such a set is called a split domination number of a graph  $G$ , and is denoted by  $\gamma_s(G)$ . [6]

A dominating set  $S$  of a graph  $G$  is a connected dominating set if the induced subgraph  $\langle S \rangle$  is connected. The connected domination number  $\gamma_c(G)$  of  $G$  is the minimum cardinality among all the connected dominating sets in  $G$ . See [7]

A Roman dominating function on a graph  $G = (V, E)$  is a function  $f: V \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$  satisfying the condition that every vertex  $v$  for which  $f(v) = 0$  is adjacent to at least one vertex  $w$  for which  $f(w) = 2$ . The weight of a Roman dominating function is the value  $f(V) = \sum_{v \in V} f(v)$ . The Roman domination number of a graph  $G$  is denoted by  $\gamma_R(G)$ , equals the minimum weight of a Roman dominating function on  $G$ .

A dominating set  $S \subseteq V(G)$  is a restrained dominating set of a graph  $G$  if every vertex in  $V - S$  is adjacent to a vertex in  $S$  and another vertex in  $V - S$ . The restrained domination number  $\gamma_r(G)$  of  $G$  is the minimum cardinality of a restrained dominating set of  $G$ . [3]

A dominating set  $S$  is called a perfect dominating set of a graph  $G$  if every vertex of  $V(G) - S$  is adjacent to exactly one vertex of  $S$ . The minimum cardinality of a perfect dominating set of  $G$  is a perfect domination number and is denoted by  $\gamma_p(G)$ . See [2]

A connected dominating set  $S$  of a graph  $G$  is a coregular connected dominating set if the induced subgraph  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is regular. The coregular connected domination number  $\gamma_{coc}(G)$  of  $G$  is the minimum cardinality of a coregular connected dominating set.

Analogously, connected dominating set  $D$  of a linegraph  $L(G)$  is a coregular connected dominating set, if the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - D \rangle$  is regular. The coregular connected domination number  $\gamma_{coc}L(G)$  is the minimum cardinality of a coregular connected dominating set.

## Results:

we list out coregular connected domination number of linegraph  $L(G)$  for some standard graphs, which are straight forward in the following theorem.

### Theorem 1:

1. For any  $Path P_p$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices,

$$\gamma_{coc}[L(P_p)] = p - 3$$

2. For any Cycle  $C_p$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices,

$$\gamma_{coc}[L(C_p)] = p - 2$$

3. For any Wheel  $W_p$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices,

$$\gamma_{coc}[L(W_p)] = p - 1.$$

A dominating set  $D_1 \subseteq V(G)$  is called a coregular restrained dominating set, if every vertex of  $V - D_1$  is adjacent to a vertex in  $D_1$  and another vertex in  $V - D_1$  such that the induced subgraph  $\langle V(G) - D_1 \rangle$  is regular. The minimum cardinality of vertices in such a set is called coregular restrained dominating set in  $G$  and is denoted by  $\gamma_{coRe}(G)$ . See [8].

In the following theorem we relate this definition to our concept.

**Theorem 2 :** For any connected  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$  with  $p \geq 3$  vertices,

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_{split}(G) \leq \gamma_{core}(G) + \gamma_R(G) - 1 \text{ and } G \neq K_{1,n}$$

**Proof :** By the definition, the coregular restrained dominating set does not exist for  $K_{1,n}$

Suppose  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} \subseteq V(G)$  be the set of all nonend vertices in  $G$ . Then  $\forall v_i, v_i \in S, 1 \leq i \leq n$  is adjacent to at least one vertex of  $V(G) - S$  and the induced subgraph  $\langle V(G) - S \rangle$  has more than one component with the property  $N[S] = V(G)$ . Hence  $S$  is a  $\gamma_{split}$  set of  $G$ .

Suppose  $H = V(G) - S$  and  $S_1 \subset S$ , such that  $N[S_1 \cup H] = V(G)$ . Then  $\{S_1 \cup H\}$  is a minimal dominating set of  $G$ . If  $\forall v_i \in V(G) - \{S_1 \cup H\}$  is adjacent to at least one vertex of  $\{S_1 \cup H\}$  and at least one vertex of  $V(G) - \{S_1 \cup H\}$ . Then  $\{S_1 \cup H\}$  is a restrained dominating set  $G$ . Suppose the induced subgraph  $\langle V(G) - \{S_1 \cup H\} \rangle$  is regular then  $\{S_1 \cup H\}$  is a coregular restrained dominating set of  $G$ .

Further let the function  $f: V(G) \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2\}$  and partition the vertex set  $V(G)$  into  $(v_0, v_1, v_2)$  induced by  $f$  with  $|v_i| = n_i$  for  $n = 0, 1, 2$ . Suppose the set  $V_2$  dominates  $V_0$ . Then  $M = V_1 \cup V_2$  forms a minimal Roman dominating set of  $G$ .

Now, since  $V[L(G)] = E(G)$ , let  $D = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} \subseteq V_1[L(G)] = E_1(G)$ , where  $E_1(G)$  is the set of edges which are incident with the vertices of  $S$ , such that  $N[D] = V[L(G)]$ . Then  $D$  forms a minimal dominating set of  $L(G)$ . Further if the induced subgraph  $\langle D \rangle$  has exactly one component then  $D$  itself is a minimal connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - D \rangle$  is regular then  $D$  is a coregular connecting dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If not, then add the minimum set of vertices  $\{u_k\} \in \{V[L(G)] - D\}$  to make  $\langle V[L(G)] - D \cup \{u_k\} \rangle$  is a coregular connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . Hence

$$|D \cup \{u_k\}| + |S| \leq |H \cup S| + |M| - 1 \text{ gives}$$

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_{split}(G) \leq \gamma_{core}(G) + \gamma_R(G) - 1.$$

**Lemma:** For any cycle  $C_p$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices, then  $\gamma_{coc}L(C_p) = \gamma_c(C_p)$ .

**Proof:** For any Cycle  $C_p : v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n, v_1 = V(C_p)$  and  $e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n = E(C_p)$ . Since  $|V(C_p)| = |E(C_p)|$  and  $V(C_p) = E(C_p)$ , then  $v_2, v_3, v_4, \dots, v_{n-1}$  is a minimal connected dominating set of  $C_p$ . Similarly  $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\} = V[L(G)] = V[L(C_p)]$  and  $e_2, e_3, \dots, e_{n-1}$  is a minimal connected dominating set of  $L(C_p)$ . Further  $e_1, e_n \in V[L(C_p)] - \{e_1, e_n\}$  and  $\langle e_1, e_n \rangle$  is regular. Since  $|\{e_2, e_3, \dots, e_{n-1}\}| = |\{v_2, v_3, v_4, \dots, v_{n-1}\}|$ , then  $\gamma_{coc}L(C_p) = \gamma_c(C_p)$ .

A subset  $S \subseteq V(G)$  is double dominating set of  $G$  if every vertex  $v \in V(G)$ ,  $|N[v] \cap S| \geq 2$  that is  $v$  is in  $S$  and has at least one neighbour in  $S$  or  $v$  is in  $V(G) - S$  has at least two neighbours in  $S$  and is denoted by  $\gamma_{dd}(G)$ . The double domination number is the smallest cardinality of a double dominating set of  $G$ . See [5]

**Theorem 3:** For any nontrivial  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_{cot}(G) + 1 \leq 2\gamma_{dd}(G).$$

**Proof:** Suppose  $F = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p\} \subseteq V(G)$  such that  $N[F] = V(G)$ . Then  $F$  is a dominating set of  $G$ . If the induced subgraph  $\langle V - F \rangle$  has no isolates, then  $F$  is a  $\gamma_{cot}$  set of  $G$ . Now consider  $V_1 = V(G) - F$  and  $V_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_i\} \subseteq V_1$  then  $D^d = F \cup V_2$  forms a double dominating set of  $G$ .

Now in  $L(G)$ , let  $D = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_i\} \subseteq V[L(G)]$  be the set  $\{u_j\} = \{e_j\} \in E(G)$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n$  where  $\{e_j\}$  are incident with the vertices of  $\{F \cup V_2\}$ . Suppose  $D$  be the minimal set of vertices with  $N[D] = V[L(G)]$ . Then  $D$  is a  $\gamma$ -set of  $L(G)$ . Suppose the induced subgraph  $\langle D \rangle$  has only one component. Then  $D$  itself is a connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If the induced subgraph  $\langle D \rangle$  has more than one component, then attach the minimum number of vertices  $\{w_i\} \in V[L(G)] - D$  where  $\deg(w_i) \geq 2$ . So that  $D_1 = D \cup \{w_i\}$  forms exactly one component in the induced subgraph  $\langle D_1 \rangle$ . Clearly  $D_1$  forms a minimal  $\gamma_c$ -set of  $L(G)$ . Suppose  $\forall u_i \in \{V[L(G)] - D_1\}$  has same degree. Then  $D_1$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . Hence  $|D_1| + |F| + 1 \leq 2|V_1 \cup V_2|$  gives  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_{cot}(G) + 1 \leq 2\gamma_{dd}(G)$ .

The following theorem gives a relation of  $\gamma_{coc}L(G)$  with total domination and connected domination number of  $G$ .

**Theorem 4:** If graph  $G$  is a nontrivial connected  $(p, q)$  graph, with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_c(G) \geq \gamma_t(G) + \text{diam}(G) - 1 \text{ and } G \neq P_p \text{ with } p < 8, G \neq K_{1,n}.$$

**Proof:** Suppose  $G = P_p$  with  $p < 8$  and  $G \neq K_{1,n}$ .

Then  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_c(G) \not\geq \text{diam}(G) + \gamma_t(G) - 1$

Hence  $G \neq P_p$  with  $p < 8$  and  $G \neq K_{1,n}$ .

Let  $F = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k\} \subseteq E(G)$  be the minimal set of edges in  $G$ , which constitute the diametral path in  $G$ . Clearly  $|F| = \text{diam}(G)$ .

Let  $S_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} \subseteq V(G)$  be the set of all nonend vertices in  $G$ . Suppose  $S_2 \subseteq S_1$  be the minimum set of vertices, which covers all vertices in  $G$ . If  $\deg(v_i) \geq 1 \forall v_i \in S_2, 1 \leq i \leq n$ , in the induced subgraph  $\langle S_2 \rangle$  then  $S_2$  forms a total dominating set of  $G$ . Otherwise, if  $\deg(v_i) < 1$ , then attach the vertices  $w_i \in N(v_i)$  to make  $\deg(v_i) \geq 1$ , such that the induced subgraph  $\langle S_2 \cup \{w_i\} \rangle$  does not contain any isolated vertex. Clearly  $S_2 \cup \{w_i\}$  forms a minimal total dominating set of  $G$ .

Let  $D_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p\}$  be the set of all endvertices in  $G$ . Suppose  $D_2 = \{V(G) - D_1\}$  then there exists a minimal set of vertices such that  $N[v_i] = V(G) \forall v_i \in D_2$ , then  $D_2$  forms a minimal dominating set of  $G$ . Further if  $D_2$  has exactly one component then  $D_2$  itself is a connected dominating set of  $G$ .

Let  $E_1 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k\} \subseteq E(G)$ ,  $E_2 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_l\} \subseteq E(G)$ . Then  $\forall e_i \in E_1$  are incident with  $\forall v_i \in \gamma_c$  set of  $G$  and  $\forall e_j \in E_2$  are incident with  $\forall v_i \in \gamma_t$  set of. Let  $E_3 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_l\} = E(G)$ . Then  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} = V[L(G)]$  corresponding to the elements of  $E_3$ . Also  $H_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k\} \subset V[L(G)]$  corresponding to the elements of  $E_1$  and  $H_2 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_l\} \subset V[L(G)]$  corresponding to the elements of  $E_2$ . Suppose  $K \subset V[L(G)]$  be the set of vertices with  $\deg(u_j) \geq 1$  such that  $N[K] = V[L(G)]$ . Clearly  $K$  forms a dominating set of  $L(G)$ . Suppose the induced subgraph  $\langle K \rangle$  has exactly one component, then  $K$  forms a connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . But it is easily verify that  $|H_1| > |H_2|$  then  $|K| + |H_1| \geq |H_2| + \text{diam}(G) - 1$  and the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - K \rangle$  is regular, then  $K$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . Which gives  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma_c(G) \geq \gamma_t(G) + \text{diam}(G) - 1$ .

Next theorem relates  $\gamma_{coc}L(G)$  in terms of dominating set of  $L(G)$  and edges of  $G$ .

**Theorem 5:** For any connected  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma[L(G)] \leq q.$$

**Proof:** Let  $E = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$  be the edge set of  $G$  with  $|E| = q$ .

Let  $J$  be the set of vertices with  $\deg(u_i) \geq 2 \forall u_i \in J, 1 \leq i \leq n$  in  $L(G)$ . Further let  $J_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k\} \subseteq J$  such that  $\text{dist}(u, v) \geq 2$ . Then there exists a minimal set of vertices  $J_2$  in  $L(G)$  such that  $\forall u_i \in V[L(G)] - J_2$  is adjacent to at least one vertex of  $J_2$ . Hence  $J_2$  is minimal  $\gamma$ -set of  $L(G)$ . Suppose the induced subgraph  $\langle J_2 \rangle$  has exactly one component. Then  $J_2$  itself is a minimal connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If in the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - J_2 \rangle$  every

vertex has same degree, then  $J_2$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$ - set of  $L(G)$ . If not add the set of vertices  $\{w_i\} \in V[L(G)] - J_2$  such that the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - J_2 \cup \{w_i\} \rangle$  is regular. Hence  $|J_2 \cup \{w_i\}| + |J_2| \leq |E|$  which gives  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \gamma[L(G)] \leq q$ .

Now connecting relation of coregular connected domination number of linegraph with independent domination number and maximal independent vertices of  $G$ .

**Theorem 6:** If graph  $G$  is a nontrivial connected  $(p, q)$  graph, with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) - i(G) \leq \beta_0(G).$$

**Proof:** Suppose  $D = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\} \subseteq V(G)$  be a minimal dominating set of  $G$ . If  $\forall v_i \in D$ ,  $\deg(v_i) = 0$ , then  $D$  is a minimal independent dominating set of  $G$ .

Let  $A = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\} \subseteq V(G)$  be a maximal independent set of vertices such that  $N(u) \cap N(v) \neq x$ ,  $\forall u, v \in A$ , and  $x \in V(G) - A$ . So that  $|A| = \beta_0(G)$ .

Now in  $L(G)$ , let  $B_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} \subset V[L(G)]$  be the set of vertices corresponding to the edges which are incident to the vertices of  $A$  in  $G$ . Also the set  $B_2 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\} \subset V[L(G)]$  be the set of vertices corresponding to the edges which are incident to the vertices of  $D$  in  $G$ .

Suppose  $K \subset B_1$  such that  $\forall u_j \in K$  is adjacent to a vertex set of  $B_1$  such that  $N[K] = V[L(G)]$  and  $u, v \in K$  there exist a path between  $u, v$  in  $L(G)$ . Clearly  $K$  forms a connecting dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If for every vertex of the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - K \rangle$  has same degree, then  $K$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . It follows that  $|K| - |D| \leq |A|$  Hence

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) - i(G) \leq \beta_0(G).$$

The following theorem relates  $\gamma_{coc}L(G)$  with edge domination and connected edge domination number of  $G$ .

**Theorem 7:** For any  $(p, q)$  connected graph  $G$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) \leq \gamma^l(G) + \gamma_c^l(G).$$

**Proof:** Let  $E_1 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k\} \subseteq E(G)$  which covers all the edges of  $G$  such that  $N[E_1] = E(G)$ . Then  $E_1$  is a minimal edge dominating set of  $G$ . Let  $K = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be the set of all endvertices of  $G$ . Suppose  $E_2 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m\}$  be the set of edges which are not incident to the vertices of  $K$  and  $\forall e_i \in E_2$  is adjacent to atleast one edge of  $E(G) - E_2$ . If an edge induced subgraph  $E_2$  has exactly one component, then  $E_2$  forms a connected edge dominating set of  $G$ . Now suppose there exists a set  $E_1^l \subseteq E_1$  and  $E_2^l \subseteq E_2$  such that the set  $A = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} = \{E_1^l \cup E_2^l\}$  where  $\forall u_i \in A$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n$  corresponds to the elements of  $\{E_1^l \cup E_2^l\}$ . Further if

every vertex of  $A$  is adjacent to atleast one vertex of  $V[L(G)] - A$  and every vertex of the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - A \rangle$  has same degree. Then  $A$  forms a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ .

It gives  $|A| \leq |E_1| + |E_2|$ . Hence  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) \leq \gamma^l(G) + \gamma_c^l(G)$ .

An edge dominating set  $S \subseteq E(G)$  of a graph  $G$  is an end edge dominating set if  $S$  contains all end edges of  $E(G)$ . The end edge domination number  $\gamma_e^l(G)$  of  $G$  is the minimum cardinality of an end edge dominating set of  $G$ . See [9].

In the below theorem, we relates  $\gamma_e^l(G)$  to our concept.

**Theorem 8:** If graph  $G$  is a nontrivial connected  $(p, q)$  graph, with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) \geq \gamma_e^l(G) + \delta(G), G \neq K_{1,n}$$

**Proof:** Let  $E_1 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m\}$  be the set of all end edges in  $G$  and  $E_2 = E(G) - E_1$ . Suppose  $E_2^l \subseteq E_2$  such that  $\forall e_i \in \{E_1 \cup E_2^l\}$  is adjacent to atleast one edge of  $E(G) - \{E_1 \cup E_2^l\}$ . Then  $\{E_1 \cup E_2^l\}$  is a  $\gamma_e^l$ -set of  $G$ .

Suppose  $M \subset \{E_1 \cup E_2^l\}$  and  $H \subset E(G) - \{E_1 \cup E_2^l\}$ . Then in  $L(G)$ ,  $\{M\} \cup \{H\} \subset V[L(G)]$  be the minimal set of vertices such that  $N[u_i] = V[L(G)] \forall u_i \in \{M\} \cup \{H\}$ . Then  $\{M\} \cup \{H\}$  forms a minimal dominating set of  $L(G)$ . Further if  $\{M\} \cup \{H\}$  has exactly one component, then  $\{M\} \cup \{H\}$  itself is a connecting dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If not attach the minimum number of vertices  $\{u_k\}$  which are in every  $u-v$  path  $\forall u, v \in [V[L(G)] - \{M\} \cup \{H\}]$ . Hence  $J = \{M\} \cup \{H\} \cup \{u_k\}$  is a minimal connecting dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - J \rangle$  is regular, then  $J$  itself is a  $\gamma_{coc}$ -set of  $L(G)$ . Hence  $|J| \geq |E_1 \cup E_2^l| + \delta(G)$   
Which gives

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) \geq \gamma_e^l(G) + \delta(G).$$

**Theorem 9:** For any connected  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \left\lfloor \frac{\text{diam}(G)}{2} \right\rfloor + 1 \geq p - \gamma_p(G), G \neq K_{1,n} \text{ when } n \geq 4.$$

**Proof:** Suppose  $G = K_{1,n}$ . Then  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \left\lfloor \frac{\text{diam}(G)}{2} \right\rfloor + 1 < p - \gamma_p(G)$ .

Hence  $G \neq K_{1,n}$  Hence  $n \geq 4$ .

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} = V(G)$  with  $|V| = p$ .

Let  $E_1 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\} \subseteq E(G)$  be the minimal set of edges which constitute the largest path between any two distinct vertices  $u, v \in V(G)$  such that  $\text{dist}(u, v) = \text{diam}(G)$ .

Now let  $D = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\} \subseteq V(G)$  such that  $\forall v_i \in V - D$  is adjacent to exactly one vertex of  $D$  and  $N[D] = V(G)$ . Then  $D$  itself is a  $\gamma_p$  set of  $G$ .

Now in  $L(G)$ , let  $B = \{v_1^l, v_2^l, v_3^l, \dots, v_n^l\} \subset V[L(G)]$  be the set of vertices corresponding to the edges which are incident to the vertices of  $D$  in  $G$ . Suppose  $K \subset B$  such that  $\forall v_j^l \in K$  is adjacent to

a vertex set of  $K$  such that  $N[K] = V[L(G)]$  and  $\forall u, v \in K$  there exist a path between  $u, v$  in  $L(G)$ . Clearly  $K$  forms a connecting dominating set of  $L(G)$ . If every vertex in the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - K \rangle$  has same degree, then  $K$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . It follows that

$$|K| + \left\lfloor \frac{|E_1|}{2} \right\rfloor + 1 \geq |V| - |D| \text{ Hence the result}$$

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) + \left\lfloor \frac{\text{diam}(G)}{2} \right\rfloor + 1 < p - \gamma_p(G).$$

**Theorem 10:** For any connected  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$ , with  $p \geq 3$  vertices

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) \leq q - \Delta(G), G \neq K_{1,n}.$$

**Proof:** Let  $E = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$  be the edge set of  $G$  with  $|E| = q$ .

Suppose  $V_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\} \subset V(G)$  be the set of all nonend vertices in  $G$ , then there exists atleast one vertex of maximum degree  $\Delta(G)$  in  $V(G)$ .

Further let  $H = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$  be the vertices of  $L(G)$  corresponding to the elements of  $E$  of  $G$ . Let  $H_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\} \subseteq H$  be the set  $\{u_i\} = \{e_i\} \in E(G), 1 \leq i \leq n$ . Suppose  $H_1$  be the minimal set of vertices with  $N[H_1] = V[L(G)]$ . Then  $H_1$  is a  $\gamma$ -set of  $L(G)$ . If the induced subgraph  $\langle H_1 \rangle$  has only one component. Then  $H_1$  it self is a connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ .

If the induced subgraph  $\langle H_1 \rangle$  has more than one component, then add the minimum number of vertices  $\{k_i\} \in H - H_1$  where  $\deg(k_i) \geq 2$  such that  $H_2 = H_1 \cup \{k_i\}$  forms exactly one component in the induced subgraph  $\langle H_2 \rangle$ . Clearly  $H_2$  forms a minimal  $\gamma_c$  set of  $L(G)$ . Suppose  $\forall u_i \in \{V[L(G)] - H_2\}$ , have the same degree. Then  $H_2$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . Hence  $|H_2| \leq |E| - |V_1|$  which gives  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) \leq q - \Delta(G)$ .

**Theorem 11:** For any connected  $(p, q)$  graph  $G$  with  $p \geq 3$  vertices, then  $\gamma_{coc}L(G) \geq \beta_1(G)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $E_1 = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k\} \subseteq E(G)$  be the maximal set of edges such that for any  $e_i, e_j \in E_1, N(e_i) \cap N(e_j) = e$  and  $e \in E(G) - E_1$ . Clearly  $E_1$  forms maximal edge independent set of  $G$  with  $|E_1| = \beta_1(G)$ .

Since in  $L(G), E(G) = V[L(G)]$ . Suppose  $M \subset E_1$  and  $H \subset E(G) - E_1$ . Then in  $L(G), \{M\} \cup \{E_1\} \subset V[L(G)]$ .

Now assume  $\forall v_i \in V[L(G)] - \{M \cup E_1\}$ , is adjacent to atleast one vertex of  $M \cup E_1$  and  $N[M \cup E_1] = V[L(G)]$ . Then  $\{M \cup E_1\}$  is a  $\gamma$ -set of  $L(G)$ .

Suppose the induced subgraph  $\langle M \cup E_1 \rangle$  has exactly one component. Then  $\{M \cup E_1\}$  be the connected dominating set of  $L(G)$ . Further the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - \{M \cup E_1\} \rangle$  is regular. Then  $\{M \cup E_1\}$  is a  $\gamma_{coc}$  set of  $L(G)$ . If not select a set  $K = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}$  in  $V[L(G)] - \{M \cup E_1\}$  such that the induced subgraph  $\langle V[L(G)] - \{M \cup E_1\} \cup K \rangle$  is regular. Hence  $|\{M \cup E_1\} \cup K| \geq |E_1|$  which gives

$$\gamma_{coc}L(G) \geq \beta_1(G).$$



**Conclusion:**

In this work, we looked line graphs with Co regular Connected Domination Number.

These results show a significant correlation between the Co regular Connected domination number in a line graph and many factors, such as the split domination number, the edge domination number, and entire domination number, of a straightforward, undirected graphs.

The idea behind Coregular, the regularity of the vertices of  $V[L(G)] - D$ .  $D$  is the connected domination number of line graph  $L(G)$ . Here, we have some broad conclusions on the idea of Coregular connected Domination number. Additionally, its relation with additional dominating parameters were discovered.

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