

# Decompositions of $K_v$ into the graphs with 7 points, 7 edges and a 5-circle\*

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**Abstract.** Let  $K_v$  be the complete graph with  $v$  vertices, where any two distinct vertices  $x$  and  $y$  are joined by exactly one edge  $\{x, y\}$ . Let  $G$  be a finite simple graph. A  $G$ -design of  $K_v$ , denoted by  $(v, G, 1)$ - $GD$ , is a pair  $(X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $X$  is the vertex set of  $K_v$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is a collection of subgraphs of  $K_v$ , called blocks, such that each block is isomorphic to  $G$  and any two distinct vertices in  $K_v$  are joined in exactly one block of  $\mathcal{B}$ . In this paper, the discussed graphs are  $G_i, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ , where  $G_i$  are the four graphs with 7 points, 7 edges and a 5-circle. We obtain the existence spectrum of  $(v, G_i, 1)$ - $GD$ .

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## 1 Introduction

A *complete graph* of order  $v$ , denoted by  $K_v$ , is a graph with  $v$  vertices, where any two distinct vertices  $x$  and  $y$  are joined by exactly one edge  $\{x, y\}$ . A  *$t$ -partite graph* is one whose vertex set can be partitioned into  $t$  subsets  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_t$ , such that two ends of each edge lie in distinct subsets respectively. Such a partition  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_t)$  is called a  *$t$ -partition* of the graph. A *complete  $t$ -partite graph* is a  $t$ -partite graph with  $t$ -partition  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_t)$ , in which each vertex of  $X_i$  is joined to each vertex of

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$X_j$  by one time (where  $i \neq j$ ). Such a graph is denoted by  $K_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_t}$  if  $|X_i| = n_i$  ( $1 \leq i \leq t$ ).

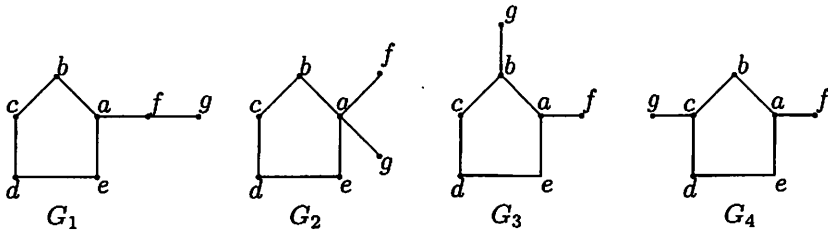
Let  $(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_t)$  be the  $t$ -partition of  $K_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_t}$ , and  $|X_i| = n_i$ . Denote  $v = \sum_{i=1}^t n_i$  and  $\mathcal{G} = \{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_t\}$ . For any given graph  $G$ , if the edges of  $K_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_t}$  can be decomposed into edge-disjoint subgraphs  $\mathcal{A}$ , each of which is isomorphic to  $G$  and is called *block*, then the system  $(X, \mathcal{G}, \mathcal{A})$  is called a *holey  $G$ -design*, denoted by  $G\text{-}HD(T)$ , where  $T = n_1^1 n_2^1 \dots n_t^1$  is the *type* of the holey  $G$ -design. Usually, the type is denoted by exponential form, for example, the type  $1^i 2^r 3^k \dots$  denotes  $i$  occurrences of 1,  $r$  occurrences of 2, etc. A  $G\text{-}HD(1^v - w w^1)$  is called an *incomplete  $G$ -design*, denoted by  $G\text{-}ID(v; w) = (V, W, \mathcal{A})$ , where  $|V| = v$ ,  $|W| = w$  and  $W \subset V$ . Obviously, a  $(v, G, 1)\text{-}GD$  is a  $G\text{-}HD(1^v)$  or a  $G\text{-}ID(v; w)$  with  $w = 0$  or 1.

Let  $G$  be a finite simple graph. A  $G$ -design of  $K_v$ , denoted by  $(v, G, 1)\text{-}GD$ , is a pair  $(X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $X$  is the vertex set of  $K_v$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is a collection of subgraphs of  $K_v$ , called *blocks*, such that each block is isomorphic to  $G$  and any two distinct vertices in  $K_v$  are joined in exactly one block of  $\mathcal{B}$ . It is well known that if there exists a  $(v, G, 1)\text{-}GD$ , then

$$v(v-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{2e(G)} \quad \text{and} \quad v-1 \equiv 0 \pmod{d},$$

where  $e(G)$  denotes the number of edges in  $G$  and  $d$  is the greatest common divisor of the degrees of the vertices of  $G$ . For the path  $P_k$  and the star  $K_{1,k}$ , the existence problems of their graph designs have been solved (see [1] and [2]). For the graphs which have four vertices or less, the problem of their graph designs has already been solved (see [3]). For some graphs which have  $k$  vertices (where  $k = 5, 6$ ), the problem of their graph designs has already been researched (see [4]-[11]). In [12], the existence problem of  $G$ -decomposition for graphs  $G$  with 7 points, 7 edges and an even-circle has been completely solved.

In this paper, the discussed graphs are  $G_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ), where  $G_i$  are the four graphs with 7 points, 7 edges and a 5-circle, they are listed as follows.



For convenience, the graphs  $G_1$ - $G_4$  above are denoted by  $(a, b, c, d, e, f, g)$ . we obtain the existence spectrum of  $(v, G_i, 1)$ -GD.

## 2 General structures

**Theorem 2.1** *Let  $G$  be a simple graph. For positive integers  $h, m$  and non-negative integer  $w$ , if there exist  $G$ -HD( $h^m$ ),  $G$ -ID( $h+w; w$ ) and  $(w, G, 1)$ -GD (or  $(h+w, G, 1)$ -GD), then there exists  $(mh+w, G, 1)$ -GD, too.*

**Proof.** Let  $X = (Z_h \times Z_m) \cup W$ , where  $W$  is a  $w$ -set. Suppose there exist

$$G\text{-HD}(h^m) = (Z_h \times Z_m, \mathcal{A}),$$

$$G\text{-ID}(h+w; w) = ((Z_h \times \{i\}) \cup W, \mathcal{B}_i), \quad i \in Z_m \text{ or } i \in Z_m \setminus \{0\},$$

and

$$(w, G, 1)\text{-GD} = (W, \mathcal{C}) \text{ or } (h+w, G, 1)\text{-GD} = ((Z_h \times \{0\}) \cup W, \mathcal{D}),$$

then  $(X, \Omega)$  is a  $(mh+w, G, 1)$ -GD, where

$$\Omega = \mathcal{A} \cup \left( \bigcup_{i=0}^{m-1} \mathcal{B}_i \right) \cup \mathcal{C} \text{ or } \mathcal{A} \cup \left( \bigcup_{i=1}^{m-1} \mathcal{B}_i \right) \cup \mathcal{D}.$$

Note that

$$\begin{aligned} |\Omega| &= \frac{\binom{mh+w}{2}}{e(G)} = \begin{cases} \frac{\binom{m}{2}h^2}{e(G)} + \frac{m\binom{h}{2}+wh}{e(G)} + \frac{\binom{w}{2}}{e(G)} \\ \frac{\binom{m}{2}h^2}{e(G)} + \frac{(m-1)\binom{h}{2}+wh}{e(G)} + \frac{\binom{w+h}{2}}{e(G)} \end{cases} \\ &= \begin{cases} |\mathcal{A}| + \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} |\mathcal{B}_i| + |\mathcal{C}| \\ |\mathcal{A}| + \sum_{i=1}^{m-1} |\mathcal{B}_i| + |\mathcal{D}| \end{cases}. \end{aligned}$$

□

The necessary conditions for the existence of  $(v, G_i, 1)$ -GD are  $v(v-1) \equiv 0 \pmod{14}$  and  $v \geq 7$ , i.e.,  $v \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{7}$  and  $v \geq 7$ . For  $G_2$ , we can prove that  $(7, G_2, 1)$ -GD doesn't exist (see Lemma 5.3), so by Theorem 2.1

and the following tables, we only need to give the constructions of  $HD, ID$  and  $GD$  for the pointed orders.

(Table 2.1) For  $G_i, i = 1, 3, 4$

$v(\text{mod } 14)$	$HD$	$ID$	$GD$
0	$7^{2t+1}$	(14; 7)	7
1	$7^{2t+1}$	(15; 8)	8
7	$7^{2t+1}$	(7; 0)*	7
8	$7^{2t+1}$	(8; 1)*	8

(Table 2.2) For  $G_2$

$v(\text{mod } 14)$	$HD$	$ID$	$GD$
0	$7^{2t+1}$	(14; 7)	14
1	$7^{2t+1}$	(15; 8)	8
7	$7^{2t-1}$	(21; 14)	14
8	$7^{2t+1}$	(8; 1)*	8

\*:  $G_i-ID(7; 0) = (7, G_i, 1)-GD$ ,  $G_i-ID(8; 1) = (8, G_i, 1)-GD$ .

### 3 Holey $G_i$ -designs

A *quasigroup* is an ordered pair  $(Q, \cdot)$ , which is a set  $Q$  with a binary operation  $\cdot$  such that the equations  $a \cdot x = b$  and  $y \cdot a = b$  are uniquely solvable for every pair of elements  $a, b$  in  $Q$ . It is well known that the multiplication table of a quasigroup is equivalent with a Latin square. A quasigroup is said to be *idempotent* (or *symmetric*) if the identity  $x \cdot x = x$  (or  $x \cdot y = y \cdot x$ ) holds for all  $x \in Q$  (or  $x, y \in Q$ ). It is well known that there exists an idempotent quasigroup of order  $v$  if and only if  $v \neq 2$  and there exists an idempotent symmetric quasigroup of order  $v$  if and only if  $v$  is odd.

Suppose  $(I_n, \cdot)$  is an idempotent symmetric quasigroup on the set  $I_n = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ . Now, let's construct a  $G$ - $HD(e^n)$ , where  $e = |E(G)|$ . Let the element set be  $Z_e \times I_n$ , and the automorphism group of the block set be  $Z_e$ . It is enough to construct a base block for any  $i, j \in I_n$  and  $i < j$ . In a base block of a  $G$ - $HD(e^n)$ , all edges can be partitioned into three types:  $\{(x, i), (x + d, j)\}$ ,  $\{(x, i), (x + d, i \cdot j)\}$  and  $\{(x, i \cdot j), (x + d, j)\}$ , denoted by

$d(i, j), d(i, i \cdot j)$  and  $d(i \cdot j, j)$  briefly, where  $x \in Z_e$ ,  $i, j \in I_n$ . We have the following Lemma.

**Lemma 3.1** <sup>[8]</sup> *Let  $n$  be odd and  $(I_n, \cdot)$  be an idempotent symmetric quasi-group on the set  $I_n = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ . The block set  $\mathcal{A} = \{A_{i,j} : i, j \in I_n \text{ and } i < j\}$  can be taken as a base of a  $G$ - $HD(e^n)$  if and only if the following conditions hold,*

- (1) *For any given block  $A_{i,j}$  in  $\mathcal{A}$ , the differences  $d(i, i \cdot j)$  and  $-d(i \cdot j, j)$  both appear or not in  $A_{i,j}$ ;*
- (2)  $\{d : \exists d(i, j)\} \cup \{d : \exists d(i, i \cdot j)\} \cup \{d : \exists d(i \cdot j, j)\} = Z_e$ .

**Lemma 3.2** *There exists a  $G_k$ - $HD(7^{2t+1})$  for  $k = 1, 2, 3, 4$  and  $t > 0$ .*

**Proof.** The number of the edges of  $G_k$  is 7. Suppose  $(I_{2t+1}, \cdot)$  is an idempotent symmetric quasigroup on the set  $I_{2t+1} = \{1, 2, \dots, 2t+1\}$ . Let  $X = Z_7 \times I_{2t+1}$  and

$$\mathcal{B}_1 = (2_{i \cdot j}, 1_i, 3_{i \cdot j}, 0_i, 0_j, 1_j, 4_{i \cdot j}),$$

$$\mathcal{B}_2 = (2_{i \cdot j}, 1_i, 3_{i \cdot j}, 0_i, 0_j, 1_j, 6_j),$$

$$\mathcal{B}_3 = (0_j, 2_{i \cdot j}, 6_i, 1_{i \cdot j}, 0_i, 3_{i \cdot j}, 1_j),$$

$$\mathcal{B}_4 = (1_{i \cdot j}, 0_i, 2_{i \cdot j}, 6_i, 6_j, 5_j, 1_j),$$

where  $1 \leq i < j \leq 2t+1$ . We can verify that each  $\mathcal{B}_k \bmod (7, -)$  gives the expected  $G_k$ - $HD(7^{2t+1})$  by Lemma 3.1 for  $k = 1, 2, 3, 4$ .  $\square$

## 4 Incomplete $G_i$ -designs

**Lemma 4.1** *There exist  $G_1$ - $ID(7+w; w)$  for  $w = 7, 8$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X = Z_7 \cup \{\infty_1, \infty_2, \dots, \infty_w\}$  and  $G_1$ - $ID(7+w; w) = (X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $|\mathcal{B}| = w+3$ . The family  $\mathcal{B}$  consists of the following blocks.

$w = 7$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & (0, 2, \infty_1, 5, \infty_6, 1, \infty_3), & (1, 2, \infty_4, 6, \infty_2, 4, \infty_1), & (6, \infty_5, 0, \infty_4, 1, 5, \infty_2), \\ & (3, \infty_3, 4, 2, \infty_5, 0, \infty_2), & (4, \infty_5, 5, 3, 6, 0, \infty_1), & (5, 4, \infty_6, 3, 1, 0, \infty_3), \\ & (2, \infty_7, 1, \infty_6, 6, 3, \infty_4), & (\infty_1, 3, 4, \infty_7, 6, 1, \infty_5), & (\infty_2, 4, \infty_4, 5, 2, 3, \infty_7), \\ & (\infty_3, 5, \infty_7, 0, 6, 2, \infty_6). \end{aligned}$$

$w = 8$ :

$(0, \infty_1, 3, 4, \infty_3, \infty_4, 1), (1, \infty_6, 3, 6, \infty_5, 4, 0), (2, 1, 0, 5, \infty_8, 3, \infty_4),$   
 $(3, \infty_5, 2, \infty_2, 1, \infty_3, 5), (4, \infty_1, 6, 0, \infty_2, 2, \infty_3), (\infty_8, 6, 5, 2, 0, 1, \infty_1),$   
 $(6, 1, \infty_7, 0, \infty_6, \infty_4, 2), (\infty_5, 4, 6, \infty_7, 5, 0, 3), (\infty_6, 4, \infty_8, 3, 5, 2, 6),$   
 $(\infty_7, 2, \infty_1, 5, 4, 3, \infty_2), (5, 1, \infty_3, 6, \infty_2, \infty_4, 4).$

□

**Lemma 4.2** *There exist  $G_2$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) for  $w = 7, 8, 14$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X = Z_7 \cup \{\infty_1, \infty_2, \dots, \infty_w\}$  and  $G_2$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) =  $(X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $|\mathcal{B}| = w + 3$ . The family  $\mathcal{B}$  consists of the following blocks.

$w = 7$ :

$(0, \infty_7, 2, 1, \infty_6, \infty_1, \infty_5), (1, \infty_7, 4, 6, 5, \infty_2, 3), (2, \infty_6, 3, 4, 0, \infty_3, \infty_4),$   
 $(3, 2, \infty_5, 4, \infty_2, \infty_3, \infty_7), (\infty_2, 0, 1, 4, 5, 2, 6), (5, \infty_4, 1, 6, 0, \infty_6, \infty_7),$   
 $(6, \infty_1, 3, 0, \infty_4, \infty_6, \infty_7), (\infty_1, 1, \infty_5, 6, 2, 4, 5), (4, \infty_4, 3, 5, 2, \infty_3, \infty_6),$   
 $(\infty_3, 5, \infty_5, 3, 6, 0, 1).$

$w = 8$ :

$(0, 1, \infty_6, 6, \infty_5, \infty_1, 5), (6, 1, \infty_1, 2, 0, \infty_8, 3), (2, \infty_8, 5, 3, \infty_6, \infty_3, 6),$   
 $(3, 0, \infty_6, 5, \infty_5, \infty_4, 4), (4, 5, 1, 2, \infty_5, \infty_6, 6), (5, \infty_4, 1, 3, \infty_2, \infty_7, 2),$   
 $(1, \infty_7, 2, 4, \infty_8, \infty_2, \infty_5), (\infty_1, 4, 0, \infty_7, 3, 5, 6), (\infty_2, 4, \infty_3, 5, 6, 0, 2),$   
 $(\infty_3, 6, \infty_7, 4, 1, 0, 3), (\infty_4, 2, 3, \infty_8, 0, 4, 6).$

$w = 14$ :

$(\infty_1, 3, \infty_{14}, 6, 1, 2, 4), (1, 2, \infty_{11}, 5, \infty_{12}, \infty_{14}, \infty_2), (\infty_8, 6, 5, \infty_5, 0, 2, 4),$   
 $(\infty_4, 0, \infty_7, 2, 5, 4, 6), (4, \infty_3, 6, 2, \infty_{14}, \infty_5, \infty_6), (6, 3, 4, 5, \infty_1, \infty_9, \infty_{10}),$   
 $(\infty_9, 1, \infty_8, 3, 0, 4, 5), (0, \infty_{11}, 1, 4, \infty_{12}, \infty_{13}, \infty_1), (\infty_2, 0, 2, \infty_9, 3, 5, 6),$   
 $(\infty_3, 0, 6, \infty_6, 1, 3, 5), (3, \infty_{12}, 6, 4, \infty_{13}, \infty_{11}, \infty_4), (\infty_7, 3, 2, \infty_4, 1, 4, 6),$   
 $(\infty_6, 2, \infty_2, 4, 0, 3, 5), (5, \infty_{13}, 1, 0, \infty_{14}, \infty_7, \infty_8), (\infty_{10}, 0, 5, 3, 1, 4, 2),$   
 $(\infty_5, 3, \infty_{10}, 5, 1, 2, 6), (2, 4, \infty_{11}, 6, \infty_{13}, \infty_{12}, \infty_3).$

□

**Lemma 4.3** *There exist  $G_3$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) for  $w = 7, 8$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X = Z_7 \cup \{\infty_1, \infty_2, \dots, \infty_w\}$  and  $G_3$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) =  $(X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $|\mathcal{B}| = w + 3$ . The family  $\mathcal{B}$  consists of the following blocks.

$w = 7$ :

$(\infty_2, 2, \infty_6, 4, 5, 0, \infty_3), (\infty_4, 4, 1, \infty_2, 3, 6, \infty_7), (\infty_3, 1, \infty_5, 2, 4, 6, 0),$   
 $(1, 5, \infty_3, 0, \infty_7, \infty_1, 2), (0, \infty_6, 6, \infty_2, 4, \infty_1, 1), (5, \infty_1, 6, \infty_7, 3, 0, 4),$   
 $(2, 3, 4, \infty_5, 0, \infty_1, \infty_3), (\infty_5, 3, 0, \infty_4, 5, 6, \infty_1), (3, 6, 2, \infty_4, 1, \infty_6, 0),$   
 $(6, 5, \infty_7, 2, 1, 4, \infty_6).$

$w = 8$ :

$(\infty_4, 1, \infty_3, 2, 5, 6, \infty_1), (\infty_3, 3, \infty_1, 2, 4, 5, \infty_4), (0, \infty_1, 4, 3, 1, \infty_3, 5),$   
 $(3, \infty_6, 4, \infty_4, 2, \infty_2, 6), (1, 6, \infty_5, 4, \infty_2, \infty_6, \infty_1), (0, 6, 2, 1, 4, \infty_4, \infty_3),$   
 $(6, 3, 0, \infty_7, 5, 4, \infty_8), (\infty_8, 5, 3, \infty_7, 4, 6, \infty_6), (5, \infty_2, 0, \infty_8, 1, 4, 6),$   
 $(\infty_5, 2, \infty_6, 0, 5, 3, \infty_2), (\infty_7, 2, 0, \infty_5, 1, 6, \infty_8).$

□

**Lemma 4.4** *There exist  $G_4$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) for  $w = 7, 8$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X = Z_7 \cup \{\infty_1, \infty_2, \dots, \infty_w\}$  and  $G_4$ -ID( $7 + w; w$ ) =  $(X, \mathcal{B})$ , where  $|\mathcal{B}| = w + 3$ . The family  $\mathcal{B}$  consists of the following blocks.

$w = 7$ :

$(0, \infty_4, 2, 4, \infty_5, \infty_1, \infty_3), (\infty_6, 5, \infty_5, 3, 0, 2, 1), (1, \infty_7, 2, 0, 5, \infty_1, \infty_5),$   
 $(3, \infty_7, 6, 0, 4, \infty_4, \infty_6), (3, 2, \infty_1, 6, \infty_2, 5, 4), (1, 2, 5, \infty_1, 3, \infty_6, \infty_2),$   
 $(4, \infty_3, 6, 3, \infty_6, \infty_2, \infty_5), (4, 1, \infty_2, 2, 6, \infty_7, 0), (\infty_4, 1, \infty_3, 5, 4, 6, 3),$   
 $(0, \infty_7, 5, 6, 1, \infty_3, \infty_4).$

$w = 8$ :

$(\infty_7, 1, \infty_2, 4, 3, 6, 2), (\infty_1, 2, 4, \infty_3, 3, 5, 6), (\infty_3, 0, 4, \infty_7, 5, 6, \infty_1),$   
 $(\infty_4, 1, 2, \infty_5, 4, 6, \infty_3), (5, \infty_4, 0, 1, 4, 2, \infty_1), (\infty_6, 0, 3, \infty_8, 4, 1, \infty_4),$   
 $(5, \infty_2, 6, 1, \infty_5, \infty_6, \infty_8), (6, 0, 2, \infty_6, 3, 5, \infty_4), (\infty_8, 2, 6, \infty_1, 1, 5, \infty_6),$   
 $(3, \infty_2, 0, \infty_7, 2, 5, \infty_8), (\infty_5, 3, 1, 5, 0, 6, \infty_3).$

□

## 5 Graph designs

**Lemma 5.1** *There exist  $(v, G_1, 1)$  for  $v = 7, 8$ .*

**Proof.**

$v = 7$ :  $X = (Z_3 \times Z_2) \cup \{\infty\}$

$(0_0, 2_0, \infty, 1_1, 0_1, 2_1, 1_0) \pmod{(3, -)}$

$v = 8$ :  $X = Z_8$

$(4, 6, 7, 2, 1, 0, 3), (5, 2, 4, 7, 0, 3, 1), (6, 3, 4, 5, 1, 2, 0), (7, 5, 6, 0, 1, 3, 2).$  □

**Theorem 5.2** *There exist  $(v, G_1, 1)$  if and only if  $v(v - 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{14}$  and  $v \geq 7$ .*

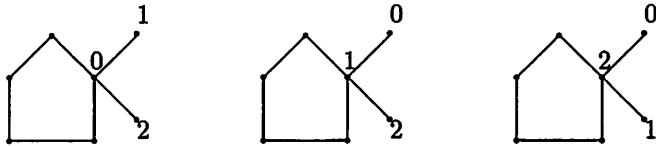
**Proof.** By Theorem 2.1, Lemma 3.2, Lemma 4.1 and Lemma 5.1. □

**Lemma 5.3** *There exists no  $(7, G_2, 1)$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X = Z_7$ . If there exists a  $(7, G_2, 1)$ -GD  $= (X, \mathcal{B})$ , then the sum of degrees of any vertex is six and  $|\mathcal{B}|=3$ . By the structure of the graph  $G_2$ , we know that the degrees of the vertices of the graph  $G_2$  are 4, 2, 2, 2, 1, 1 respectively. If a vertex occurs  $i$  times in 1-degree position,  $j$  times in 2-degree position and  $k$  times in 4-degree position, then we call  $T = 1^i 2^j 4^k$  the *type* of the degree-distribution of the vertex. It is easy to know that the type of the degree-distribution of the vertices in  $X$  is merely  $2^1 4^1$ ,  $2^3$ , or  $1^2 4^1$ . Suppose the numbers of the vertices of the three types are  $u, v, w$  respectively, since there are seven vertices in  $X$  and there are six 1-degree positions, twelve 2-degree positions and three 4-degree positions in the blocks of  $\mathcal{B}$ , therefore we have the following equations:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 6 \\ 12 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

We can get the only solution is  $u = 0, v = 4, w = 3$ . Without loss of generality, suppose the three vertices which have the type  $1^2 4^1$  are 0, 1, 2, then the three blocks must be as follows:



Obviously, it is impossible to exist a  $(7, G_2, 1)$  under this condition. □

**Lemma 5.4** *There exist  $(v, G_2, 1)$  for  $v = 8, 14$ .*

**Proof.**

$$v = 8: X = Z_8$$

$$(0, 5, 3, 6, 7, 4, 2), (1, 6, 4, 7, 2, 5, 0), (2, 4, 1, 7, 5, 6, 3), (3, 0, 6, 5, 4, 7, 1).$$

$$v = 14: X = Z_{13} \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$(1, 0, 6, 2, 4, 9, \infty) \pmod{13} \quad \square$$

**Theorem 5.5** *There exist  $(v, G_2, 1)$  if and only if  $v(v - 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{14}$  and  $v > 7$ .*



**Proof.** By Theorem 2.1, Lemma 3.2, Lemma 4.2, Lemma 5.3 and Lemma 5.4. □

**Lemma 5.6** *There exist  $(v, G_3, 1)$  for  $v = 7, 8$  .*

**Proof.**

$$v = 7: X = (Z_3 \times Z_2) \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$(2_1, 1_0, 0_0, \infty, 1_1, 2_0, 0_1) \quad \text{mod } (3, -)$$

$$v = 8: X = Z_8$$

$$(0, 4, 1, 5, 6, 3, 2), (1, 6, 4, 7, 0, 2, 3), (7, 2, 3, 4, 5, 1, 0), (3, 5, 2, 6, 7, 1, 0). \quad \square$$

**Theorem 5.7** *There exist  $(v, G_3, 1)$  if and only if  $v(v - 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{14}$  and  $v \geq 7$ .*

**Proof.** By Theorem 2.1, Lemma 3.2, Lemma 4.3 and Lemma 5.6. □

**Lemma 5.8** *There exist  $(v, G_4, 1)$  for  $v = 7, 8$  .*

**Proof.**

$$v = 7: X = (Z_3 \times Z_2) \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$(0_1, \infty, 0_0, 1_0, 1_1, 2_0, 2_1) \quad \text{mod } (3, -)$$

$$v = 8: X = Z_8$$

$$(0, 5, 7, 2, 6, 3, 1), (5, 6, 1, 3, 4, 2, 0), (2, 4, 6, 7, 0, 1, 3), (3, 7, 4, 1, 5, 2, 0). \quad \square$$

**Theorem 5.9** *There exist  $(v, G_4, 1)$  if and only if  $v(v - 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{14}$  and  $v \geq 7$ .*

**Proof.** By Theorem 2.1, Lemma 3.2, Lemma 4.4 and Lemma 5.8. □

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