

Decompositions of the Complete Graph into Small 2-Regular Graphs

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Abstract

A G -decomposition of the complete graph K_v is a set S of subgraphs of K_v , each isomorphic to G , such that the edge set of K_v is partitioned by the edge sets of the subgraphs in S . For all positive integers v and every 2-regular graph G with ten or fewer vertices, we prove necessary and sufficient conditions for the existence of a G -decomposition of K_v .

1 Introduction

A graph H can be *decomposed* into subgraphs G_1, G_2, \dots, G_t if H is the edge-disjoint union of G_1, G_2, \dots, G_t . If, in addition, $G_i \cong G$ for each i , then the decomposition is called a G -*decomposition* of H . The problem of determining all values of v for which there is a G -decomposition of the complete graph K_v is called the *spectrum problem* for G .

The spectrum problem has been considered for many graphs (see [12] for a survey). If G is a complete graph with k vertices, then a G -decomposition of K_v is a $(v, k, 1)$ balanced incomplete block design of order v with blocks of size k and index 1. After a great deal of previous work (see [16] for a survey), the spectrum problem for m -cycles has recently been solved in

[4, 17]. The spectrum problem has been considered for all graphs with five or fewer vertices [5, 6], the n -cube [8, 14, 15], paths [11], stars [7], Platonic graphs [2], and the Petersen graph [1]. In this paper, we are interested in the spectrum problem for 2-regular graphs with at most ten vertices.

When G is a 2-regular graph, the obvious necessary conditions for the existence of a G -decomposition of K_v are given by the following lemma.

Lemma 1.1 *If G is a 2-regular graph with m vertices and G -decomposition of K_v exists then*

- $m \leq v$,
- v is odd, and
- m divides $v(v - 1)/2$.

Let C_m denote the cycle on m vertices and let $C_{m_1} \cup C_{m_2} \cup \dots \cup C_{m_k}$ denote that graph with components $C_{m_1}, C_{m_2}, \dots, C_{m_k}$. In addition to the spectrum problem for m -cycles, another well-studied problem in the area of G -decompositions of K_v for 2-regular graphs G is the *Oberwolfach problem*. The Oberwolfach problem asks for a G -decomposition of K_v when G is 2-regular graph with v vertices. There are two known cases when the necessary conditions of Lemma 1.1 are not also sufficient. In [3], it is shown there is no $(C_4 \cup C_5)$ -decomposition of K_9 , and no $(C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_5)$ -decomposition of K_{11} . It is widely believed that these are the only exceptions.

On the other hand, the necessary conditions in Lemma 1.1 are sufficient for the existence of a C_m -decomposition of K_v [4, 17]. The problem considered in this paper encompasses both the problem of decomposing K_v into m -cycles and the Oberwolfach problem. We will show that the only additional exception (other than the two exceptions covered by the Oberwolfach problem) for 2-regular graphs with at most ten vertices is that there is no $(C_3 \cup C_3)$ -decomposition of K_9 (see Theorem 2.1):

2 Main Results

We begin with some notation. The complete multipartite graph with r parts of s vertices each is denoted by $K_{r,(s)}$. If G is a graph and H is a subgraph of G , then $G - H$ will denote the graph obtained from G by removing the edges of H . In particular, we will make use of the graph $K_v - K_u$, and we call the complete graph whose edges are removed the *hole*. For even v , the complete graph K_v with $v/2$ independent edges (a 1-factor) removed will be denoted by $K_v - F$.

Let K and M be finite sets of positive integers and let λ and v be positive integers. A *group divisible design*, denoted by $(K, \lambda, M; v)$ GDD, is a collection of subsets of size $k \in K$ (called blocks), chosen from a v -set, where the v -set is partitioned into disjoint subsets (called groups) of size $m \in M$ such that each block contains at most one element from each group, and any two elements from distinct groups occur together in λ blocks. If $M = \{m\}$ and $K = \{k\}$, we write $(k, \lambda, m; v)$ GDD. Also, a GDD with exactly one group of size m_2 and the remaining groups of size m_1 is denoted by $(K, \lambda, \{m_1, m_2^*\}; v)$ GDD. Similarly, a GDD with exactly one block of size k_2 and the remaining blocks of size k_1 is denoted by $(\{k_1, k_2^*\}, \lambda, M; v)$ GDD.

We will make extensive use of the following well-known construction given in [18].

Lemma 2.1 *Let s and h be non-negative integers. Suppose there exists a $(K, 1, M, v)$ GDD with group set S . If, for some $g' \in S$, there exists*

- (1) *a G -decomposition of $K_{r(s)}$ for each $r \in K$;*
- (2) *a G -decomposition of $K_{s|g|+h} - K_h$ for each group $g \in S \setminus \{g'\}$; and*
- (3) *a G -decomposition of $K_{s|g'|+h}$,*

then there exists a G -decomposition of K_{sv+h} .

The following lemmas will be useful in completing the proof of Theorem 2.1.

Lemma 2.2 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 6 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if $v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{12}$ and $v \neq 9$ if $G = C_3 \cup C_3$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 6 vertices. By Lemma 1.1, $v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{12}$ if a G -decomposition of K_v exists, and the result has been proven in the case $G = C_6$. Hence, suppose that $v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{12}$ and that $G = C_3 \cup C_3$. When $G = C_3 \cup C_3$, a G -decomposition also yields a C_3 -decomposition. There is (up to isomorphism) only one C_3 -decomposition of K_9 and it is straightforward to check that the copies of C_3 given in this decomposition cannot be partitioned into copies of G . Hence there is no G -decomposition of K_9 when $G = C_3 \cup C_3$. Existence for the remaining values of v is given in [13].

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Lemma 2.3 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 7 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if $v \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{14}$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 7 vertices. If a G -decomposition of K_v exists, then, by Lemma 1.1, $v \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{14}$. The result has been proved for the case $G = C_7$ so assume that $v \equiv 1, 7 \pmod{14}$ and $G = C_3 \cup C_4$. Apply Lemma 2.1 with $s = 7$, $h = 1$ if $v \equiv 1 \pmod{14}$, $h = 0$ if $v \equiv 7 \pmod{14}$, and with G -decompositions and GDDs as indicated in Table 2. The G -decompositions in the table can be found in the Appendix and the GDDs are well-known to exist [10].

v	GDDs	G – decompositions of
$v = 42x + 1, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{15}, K_{3(7)}$
$v = 42x + 15, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x + 2)$ GDD	$K_{15}, K_{3(7)}$
$v = 42x + 29, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, \{2, 4^*\}, 6x + 4)$ GDD	$K_{15}, K_{29}, K_{3(7)}$
$v = 42x + 7, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 1, 6x + 1)$ GDD	$K_7, K_{3(7)}$
$v = 42x + 21, x \geq 0$	$(3, 1, 1, 6x + 3)$ GDD	$K_7, K_{3(7)}$
$v = 42x + 35, x \geq 0$	$(\{3, 5^*\}, 1, 1, 6x + 5)$ GDD	$K_7, K_{3(7)}, K_{5(7)}$

Table 2

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Lemma 2.4 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 8 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if $v \equiv 1 \pmod{16}$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 8 vertices. By Lemma 1.1, $v \equiv 1 \pmod{16}$ if a G -decomposition of K_v exists, and the result has been proved in the case $G = C_8$. So assume that $v \equiv 1 \pmod{16}$ and suppose $G = C_3 \cup C_5$ or $G = C_4 \cup C_4$. Apply Lemma 2.1 with $s = 8$, $h = 1$ and with G -decompositions and GDDs as indicated in Table 3. The G -decompositions in the table can be found in the Appendix and the GDDs are well-known to exist [10].

v	GDDs	G – decompositions of
$v = 48x + 1, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{17}, K_{3(8)}$
$v = 48x + 17, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x + 2)$ GDD	$K_{17}, K_{3(8)}$
$v = 48x + 33, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, \{2, 4^*\}, 6x + 4)$ GDD	$K_{17}, K_{33}, K_{3(8)}$

Table 3

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Lemma 2.5 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 9 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if $v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{18}$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 9 vertices. From Lemma 1.1, if there exists a G -decomposition of K_v , then $v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{18}$, and the problem has been settled in the case $G = C_9$. Hence we assume that

$v \equiv 1, 9 \pmod{18}$ and that $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$, $G = C_3 \cup C_6$, or $G = C_4 \cup C_5$. Apply Lemma 2.1 with $s = 3$, $h = 1$ if $v \equiv 1 \pmod{18}$, $h = 0$ if $v \equiv 9 \pmod{18}$ and $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$ or $G = C_3 \cup C_6$, $h = 9$ if $v \equiv 9 \pmod{18}$ and $G = C_4 \cup C_5$, and with G -decompositions and GDDs as indicated in Table 4. The G -decompositions in the table can be found in the Appendix and the GDDs are well-known to exist [10]. This leaves the isolated cases $v = 37$ for $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$, $G = C_3 \cup C_6$ and $G = C_4 \cup C_5$, and $v = 45$ for $G = C_4 \cup C_5$. These decompositions are given in the Appendix.

v	GDDs	G - decompositions of
$v = 18x + 1, x \geq 3$	$(3, 1, 6, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{19}, K_{3(3)}$
$v = 18x + 9, x \geq 1$, $G = C_3 \cup C_6$ or $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$	$(3, 1, 3, 6x + 3)$ GDD	$K_9, K_{3(3)}$
$v = 18x + 9, x \geq 3$, $G = C_4 \cup C_5$	$(3, 1, 6, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{27}, K_{27} - K_9, K_{3(3)}$

Table 4

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Lemma 2.6 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 10 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of $K_{25} - K_5$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 10 vertices. The result is true if $G = C_{10}$ (see [9]) so assume that $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_4$, $C_3 \cup C_7$, $C_4 \cup C_6$ or $C_5 \cup C_5$. Let the vertex set of $K_{25} - K_5$ be $\mathbb{Z}_5 \times \mathbb{Z}_5$ and let the hole be on the vertices $(0, 0), (1, 0), (2, 0), (3, 0), (4, 0)$. For each 2-regular graph G with 10 vertices, a G -decomposition of $K_{10} - F$ is given in the Appendix. We place this decomposition on the vertex set $\{(x, y) : x \in \mathbb{Z}_5, y \in \{3, 4\}\}$ ensuring that the edge set of F is $\{(x, 3), (x, 4) : x \in \mathbb{Z}_5\}$. Note that there are 29 copies of G in a G -decomposition of $K_{25} - K_5$ and 4 copies of G in a G -decomposition of $K_{10} - F$. Thus we require 25 more copies of G that form a G -decomposition of $(K_{25} - K_5) - (K_{10} - F)$ (where the K_5 and the K_{10} are vertex disjoint) for each 2-regular graph G with 10 vertices. The required G -decompositions, constructed cyclically modulo 5, are given in the Appendix. □

Lemma 2.7 *Suppose G is a 2-regular graph with 10 vertices. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if $v \equiv 1, 5 \pmod{20}$ and $v \neq 5$.*

Proof. Let G be a 2-regular graph with 10 vertices. By Lemma 1.1, if a G -decomposition of K_v exists then $v \equiv 1, 5 \pmod{20}$ and $v > 5$, and the result has been proved for the case $G = C_{10}$. Hence assume that $v \equiv 1, 5 \pmod{20}$, $v > 5$, and $G = C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_4$, $G = C_3 \cup C_7$, $G = C_4 \cup C_6$,

or $G = C_5 \cup C_5$. Apply Lemma 2.1 with $s = 10$, $h = 1$ if $v \equiv 1 \pmod{20}$, $h = 5$ if $v \equiv 5 \pmod{20}$, and with G -decompositions and GDDs as indicated in Table 5. The required G -decompositions of $K_{25} - K_5$ exist by Lemma 2.6 and the remaining G -decompositions in the table can be found in the Appendix. The GDDS are well-known to exist [10].

v	GDDs	G – decompositions of
$v = 60x + 1, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{21}, K_{3(10)}$
$v = 60x + 21, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x + 2)$ GDD	$K_{21}, K_{3(10)}$
$v = 60x + 41, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, \{2, 4^*\}, 6x + 4)$ GDD	$K_{21}, K_{41}, K_{3(10)}$
$v = 60x + 5, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x)$ GDD	$K_{25}, K_{25} - K_5, K_{3(10)}$
$v = 60x + 25, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, 2, 6x + 2)$ GDD	$K_{25}, K_{25} - K_5, K_{3(10)}$
$v = 60x + 45, x \geq 1$	$(3, 1, \{2, 4^*\}, 6x + 4)$ GDD	$K_{45}, K_{25} - K_5, K_{3(10)}$

Table 5

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Combining the results of Lemmas 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5 and 2.7 (and the well-known existence results for C_m -decompositions of K_v for $m \leq 10$), we have the following theorem.

Theorem 2.1 *Let G be a 2-regular graph with m vertices where $m \leq 10$. Then there exists a G -decomposition of K_v if and only if*

- $m \leq v$;
- v is odd;
- m divides $v(v - 1)/2$; and
- $v \neq 9$ when $G = C_3 \cup C_3$ or $G = C_4 \cup C_5$.

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3 Appendix

K_7 Let the vertex set be Z_7 . Decomposition is:
 $C_4 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 4), (2, 5, 6)), ((0, 2, 3, 5), (1, 4, 6)), ((1, 2, 4, 5), (0, 3, 6)).$

K_{15} Let the vertex set be Z_{15} . Develop the following mod 15:
 $C_4 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 7, 2), (3, 6, 10)).$

K_{29} Let the vertex set be Z_{29} . Develop the following mod 29:
 $C_4 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 6), (2, 11, 15)), ((0, 5, 19, 7), (1, 9, 20)).$

$K_{3(7)}$ Let the vertex set be Z_{21} (with the parts obtained by cycling $\{0, 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18\}$ mod 21). Develop the following mod 21:
 $C_4 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 8), (2, 6, 13)).$

$K_{5(7)}$ Let the vertex set be Z_{35} (with the parts obtained by cycling $\{0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30\}$ mod 35). Develop the following mod 35:
 $C_4 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 6), (2, 15, 19)), ((0, 7, 21, 9), (1, 12, 20)).$

K_{17} Let the vertex set be Z_{17} . Develop the following mod 17:
 $C_4 \cup C_4$: $((0, 1, 3, 6), (2, 7, 14, 10)).$
 $C_5 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 10, 4), (2, 5, 14)).$

K_{33} Let the vertex set be Z_{33} . Develop the following mod 33:
 $C_4 \cup C_4$: $((0, 1, 3, 6), (2, 7, 11, 18)), ((0, 8, 19, 9), (1, 13, 28, 14)).$
 $C_5 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 6, 10), (2, 7, 13)), ((0, 7, 16, 2, 17), (1, 9, 21)).$

$K_{3(8)}$ Let the vertex set be Z_{24} (with the parts obtained by cycling $\{0, 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21\}$ mod 24). Develop the following mod 24:
 $C_4 \cup C_4$: $((0, 1, 3, 7), (2, 10, 5, 15)).$
 $C_5 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 3, 7, 14), (2, 10, 15)).$

K_9 Let the vertex set be Z_9 . Decompositions are:
 $C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 2), (3, 4, 5), (6, 7, 8)), ((0, 3, 6), (1, 4, 7), (2, 5, 8)),$
 $((0, 4, 8), (1, 5, 6), (2, 3, 7)), ((0, 5, 7), (1, 3, 8), (2, 4, 6)).$
 $C_6 \cup C_3$: $((0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5), (6, 7, 8)), ((0, 2, 4, 6, 1, 7), (3, 5, 8)),$
 $((1, 3, 7, 2, 6, 5), (0, 4, 8)), ((1, 4, 7, 5, 2, 8), (0, 3, 6)).$

K_{27} Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 12, j = 1, 2\} \cup \{\infty\}$. Develop the following mod (13, -), with the vertex ∞ remaining fixed:
 $C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3$: $((0_1, 1_1, 3_1), (2_1, 6_1, 0_2), (4_1, 9_1, 1_2)),$
 $((0_1, 6_1, 1_2), (1_1, 0_2, 3_2), (2_2, 4_2, 9_2)),$
 $((0_1, 0_2, 9_2), (1_1, 4_2, 5_2), (2_1, 8_2, \infty)).$
 $C_5 \cup C_4$: $((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 0_2), (2_1, 7_1, 11_1, 1_2)),$
 $((0_1, 6_1, 1_2, 3_1, 4_2), (1_1, 3_2, 10_1, 6_2)),$
 $((0_2, 1_2, 3_2, 9_2, 4_2), (0_1, 10_2, 7_2, \infty)).$
 $C_6 \cup C_3$: $((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 2_1, 7_1), (4_1, 0_2, 1_2)),$
 $((0_1, 0_2, 1_1, 2_2, 4_1, 6_2), (2_1, 5_2, 7_2)),$
 $((0_1, 4_2, 0_2, 5_2, 2_2, 8_2), (2_1, 9_2, \infty)).$

K_{19} Let the vertex set be Z_{19} . Develop the following mod 19:

$$C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: ((0, 1, 4), (2, 7, 13), (3, 5, 12)).$$

$$C_5 \cup C_4: ((0, 1, 3, 6, 10), (2, 7, 15, 8)).$$

$$C_6 \cup C_3: ((0, 1, 3, 6, 2, 9), (4, 10, 15)).$$

K_{37} Let the vertex set be Z_{37} . Develop the following mod 37:

$$C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: ((0, 1, 3), (2, 6, 11), (4, 10, 22)), ((0, 7, 20), (1, 9, 23), (2, 12, 28)).$$

$$C_5 \cup C_4: ((0, 1, 3, 6, 10), (2, 7, 13, 20)), ((0, 8, 17, 4, 20), (1, 12, 27, 13)).$$

$$C_6 \cup C_3: ((0, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7), (4, 10, 18)), ((0, 9, 24, 5, 25, 12), (1, 11, 22)).$$

$K_{27} - K_9$ Let the vertex set be Z_{27} , with the hole on $\{0, 1, \dots, 8\}$. Decomposition is:

$$C_5 \cup C_4: ((0, 9, 1, 10, 11), (2, 12, 3, 13)), ((0, 10, 2, 9, 12), (1, 11, 3, 14)),$$

$$((0, 13, 1, 12, 14), (2, 11, 4, 15)), ((0, 15, 1, 16, 17), (2, 14, 4, 18)),$$

$$((0, 16, 2, 17, 18), (1, 19, 3, 20)), ((0, 19, 2, 20, 21), (1, 17, 3, 18)),$$

$$((0, 20, 4, 9, 22), (1, 21, 2, 23)), ((0, 23, 3, 9, 24), (1, 22, 2, 25)),$$

$$((0, 25, 3, 10, 26), (4, 12, 5, 13)), ((1, 24, 3, 15, 26), (4, 10, 5, 16)),$$

$$((2, 24, 4, 17, 26), (3, 16, 6, 21)), ((3, 22, 4, 19, 26), (5, 9, 6, 11)),$$

$$((4, 21, 5, 14, 23), (6, 10, 7, 12)), ((4, 25, 5, 18, 26), (6, 13, 7, 14)),$$

$$((5, 15, 6, 17, 19), (7, 9, 8, 11)), ((5, 17, 7, 15, 20), (6, 18, 8, 19)),$$

$$((5, 22, 6, 20, 23), (7, 16, 8, 21)), ((5, 24, 6, 23, 26), (7, 18, 9, 19)),$$

$$((6, 25, 7, 20, 26), (8, 10, 9, 13)), ((7, 22, 8, 12, 23), (9, 11, 13, 14)),$$

$$((7, 24, 8, 14, 26), (9, 15, 10, 16)), ((8, 15, 11, 12, 17), (9, 20, 10, 21)),$$

$$((8, 20, 11, 14, 25), (9, 17, 10, 23)), ((8, 23, 11, 16, 26), (10, 12, 13, 18)),$$

$$((9, 25, 10, 13, 26), (11, 17, 14, 18)), ((10, 14, 15, 12, 19), (11, 21, 13, 22)),$$

$$((10, 22, 12, 16, 24), (11, 19, 13, 25)), ((11, 24, 12, 21, 26), (13, 15, 16, 20)),$$

$$((12, 18, 15, 17, 20), (13, 16, 14, 24)), ((12, 25, 15, 22, 26), (13, 17, 21, 23)),$$

$$((14, 19, 15, 21, 22), (16, 18, 24, 25)), ((14, 20, 18, 25, 21), (19, 22, 23, 24)),$$

$$((15, 23, 16, 21, 24), (18, 19, 25, 22)), ((17, 22, 24, 20, 25), (18, 21, 19, 23)),$$

$$((17, 23, 25, 26, 24), (16, 19, 20, 22)).$$

K_{45} Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 10, j = 1, 2, 3, 4\} \cup \{\infty\}$. Develop the following mod $(11, -)$, with the vertex ∞ remaining fixed:

$$C_5 \cup C_4: ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 0_2), (0_3, 1_3, 1_4, \infty)), ((0_1, 4_1, 9_1, 0_2, 1_2), (2_1, 5_2, 3_2, \infty)),$$

$$((0_1, 4_2, 5_1, 0_2, 7_2), (1_1, 9_2, 1_2, 0_3)), ((0_1, 9_2, 3_2, 0_3, 2_3), (1_1, 1_3, 3_1, 4_3)),$$

$$((0_1, 4_3, 7_1, 1_3, 6_3), (1_1, 8_3, 1_2, 0_4)), ((0_1, 0_4, 2_1, 3_4, 2_4), (1_1, 4_4, 8_1, 5_4)),$$

$$((0_1, 5_4, 0_2, 0_3, 6_4), (1_2, 2_3, 4_2, 6_3)), ((0_2, 3_3, 8_2, 1_3, 0_4), (1_2, 2_4, 4_2, 7_4)),$$

$$((0_2, 2_4, 5_2, 1_4, 4_4), (0_3, 3_3, 7_3, 3_4)), ((0_3, 1_4, 3_3, 0_4, 2_4), (1_3, 5_4, 10_4, 6_4)).$$

$K_{10} - F$ Let the vertex set be Z_{10} . Decompositions are:

$$C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: ((0, 2, 1, 3), (4, 6, 8), (5, 7, 9)), ((0, 4, 1, 5), (2, 6, 9), (3, 7, 8)),$$

$$((0, 6, 1, 7), (2, 5, 8), (3, 4, 9)), ((0, 8, 1, 9), (2, 4, 7), (3, 5, 6)).$$

$$C_5 \cup C_5: ((0, 2, 1, 3, 4), (5, 6, 8, 7, 9)), ((0, 3, 7, 4, 8), (1, 5, 2, 6, 9)),$$

$$((0, 5, 8, 1, 7), (2, 4, 6, 3, 9)), ((0, 6, 1, 4, 9), (2, 7, 5, 3, 8)).$$

$$C_6 \cup C_4: ((0, 2, 1, 3, 4, 6), (5, 8, 7, 9)), ((0, 3, 5, 1, 7, 4), (2, 8, 6, 9)),$$

$$((0, 5, 2, 6, 3, 7), (1, 8, 4, 9)), ((1, 4, 2, 7, 5, 6), (0, 8, 3, 9)).$$

$$C_7 \cup C_3: ((0, 2, 1, 3, 4, 6, 8), (5, 7, 9)), ((0, 3, 5, 1, 4, 8, 7), (2, 6, 9)),$$

$$((0, 4, 7, 1, 6, 3, 9), (2, 5, 8)), ((1, 8, 3, 7, 2, 4, 9), (0, 5, 6)).$$

$K_{3(3)}$ Let the vertex set be $\{0, 1, 2\} \cup \{3, 4, 5\} \cup \{6, 7, 8\}$, with the obvious vertex partition. Decompositions are:

$$\begin{aligned} C_3 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((0, 3, 6), (1, 4, 7), (2, 5, 8)), & ((0, 4, 8), (1, 5, 6), (2, 3, 7)), \\ & ((0, 5, 7), (1, 3, 8), (2, 4, 6)). \\ C_5 \cup C_4: & ((0, 3, 1, 4, 6), (2, 7, 5, 8)), & ((0, 4, 2, 6, 5), (1, 7, 3, 8)), \\ & ((1, 5, 2, 3, 6), (0, 7, 4, 8)). \\ C_6 \cup C_3: & ((0, 3, 6, 1, 4, 7), (2, 5, 8)), & ((0, 4, 6, 2, 3, 8), (1, 5, 7)), \\ & ((1, 3, 7, 2, 4, 8), (0, 5, 6)). \end{aligned}$$

$(K_{25} - K_5) - (K_{10} - F)$ Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 4, 1 \leq j \leq 5\}$, with the K_5 on $\{0_1, 1_1, 2_1, 3_1, 4_1\}$, the $K_{10} - F$ on $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 4, j = 2, 3\}$ and $F = \{(0_2, 0_3), (1_2, 1_3), (2_2, 2_3), (3_2, 3_3), (4_2, 4_3)\}$. Develop the following mod $(5, -)$:

$$\begin{aligned} C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((0_1, 0_2, 1_1, 2_2), (2_1, 0_3, 0_4), (3_1, 1_2, 2_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 2_3), (2_1, 2_4, 3_4), (3_1, 0_4, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_5, 2_1, 1_5), (0_2, 0_3, 2_4), (1_2, 0_4, 2_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 0_4, 2_2, 0_5), (4_2, 1_5, 3_5), (0_3, 1_4, 2_5)), \\ & ((0_3, 3_4, 1_4, 4_5), (2_3, 2_5, 3_5), (3_3, 2_4, 1_5)). \\ C_5 \cup C_5: & ((0_1, 0_2, 1_1, 2_2, 2_3), (2_1, 4_2, 0_4, 3_1, 1_3)), \\ & ((0_1, 3_2, 0_4, 1_1, 1_3), (2_1, 2_4, 4_1, 0_5, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_5, 1_1, 4_5, 2_5), (0_2, 0_4, 1_2, 4_4, 3_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 0_5, 3_2, 2_5, 1_5), (0_3, 0_4, 1_3, 2_4, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_3, 2_4, 0_5, 1_3, 2_5), (3_3, 1_5, 0_4, 3_4, 3_5)). \\ C_6 \cup C_4: & ((0_1, 0_2, 1_1, 2_2, 4_1, 0_3), (2_1, 4_2, 4_3, 0_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 2_3, 3_1, 1_3, 0_4, 1_4), (1_1, 3_4, 4_1, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_4, 0_2, 1_4, 2_2, 0_5), (1_1, 3_5, 3_2, 4_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 2_4, 4_2, 1_5, 0_3, 4_5), (1_3, 1_4, 3_3, 3_5)), \\ & ((0_3, 2_4, 0_4, 0_5, 1_4, 3_5), (3_4, 1_5, 2_5, 4_5)). \\ C_7 \cup C_3: & ((0_1, 0_2, 1_1, 2_2, 4_1, 1_2, 1_3), (2_1, 0_3, 0_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 3_3, 0_4, 3_1, 4_4), (2_1, 2_4, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_5, 1_1, 3_5, 0_2, 0_4, 1_5), (1_2, 2_4, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_4, 4_2, 0_5, 1_2, 1_5, 2_5), (0_3, 1_4, 4_4)), \\ & ((0_3, 3_4, 0_5, 0_4, 4_5, 4_3, 2_5), (2_3, 1_5, 3_5)). \end{aligned}$$

K_{25} Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 4, 1 \leq j \leq 5\}$. Develop the following mod $(5, -)$:

$$\begin{aligned} C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 0_2), (2_1, 1_2, 3_2), (4_1, 2_2, 0_3)), & ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 3_3), (2_1, 0_4, 1_4), (3_1, 3_4, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_4, 4_1, 0_5), (3_1, 1_5, 2_5), (0_2, 1_2, 0_3)), & ((0_2, 1_3, 4_2, 0_4), (1_2, 3_4, 1_5), (2_2, 1_4, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_4, 0_3, 1_5), (1_2, 0_5, 3_5), (1_3, 2_3, 4_5)), & ((0_3, 2_3, 3_4, 4_5), (1_3, 1_4, 1_5), (3_3, 0_4, 2_4)). \\ C_5 \cup C_5: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 0_2, 1_2), (2_1, 2_2, 4_1, 3_2, 0_3)), & ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 2_3, 0_4), (2_1, 4_3, 0_2, 2_2, 1_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_4, 3_1, 0_4, 0_5), (1_1, 2_5, 0_2, 0_3, 3_5)), & ((0_1, 3_5, 0_2, 3_3, 4_5), (1_2, 2_3, 0_3, 1_3, 1_4)), \\ & ((0_2, 1_4, 3_2, 0_4, 1_5), (4_2, 3_5, 1_3, 2_4, 4_5)), & ((0_3, 2_4, 3_3, 2_5, 0_5), (1_4, 3_4, 4_4, 3_5, 4_5)). \\ C_6 \cup C_4: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 0_2, 2_1, 1_2), (4_1, 4_2, 2_2, 0_3)), & ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 3_3, 1_2, 0_4), (2_1, 1_4, 3_1, 4_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 3_3, 2_2, 1_2, 0_3, 0_5), (1_1, 2_5, 4_1, 3_5)), & ((0_2, 0_3, 1_3, 3_3, 0_4, 1_4), (1_2, 3_4, 3_2, 0_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_4, 0_3, 0_4, 1_3, 0_5), (1_2, 2_5, 1_4, 4_5)), & ((0_3, 1_4, 3_4, 0_5, 3_3, 1_5), (4_4, 3_5, 2_5, 4_5)). \\ C_7 \cup C_3: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 0_2, 2_1, 1_2, 0_3), (4_1, 4_2, 1_3)), & ((0_1, 1_2, 0_2, 2_2, 0_3, 1_1, 0_4), (2_1, 3_3, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 3_3, 2_2, 2_3, 0_3, 1_3, 2_4), (1_1, 4_4, 0_5)), & ((0_1, 0_5, 2_1, 3_5, 0_2, 0_4, 2_5), (1_2, 2_4, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_4, 4_2, 0_5, 1_2, 1_5, 2_5), (0_3, 2_4, 4_4)), & ((0_3, 3_4, 1_5, 1_3, 3_5, 4_4, 4_5), (4_3, 0_5, 2_5)). \end{aligned}$$

K₂₁ Let the vertex set be \mathbb{Z}_{21} . Develop the following mod 21:

$$\begin{aligned} C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((0, 1, 3, 8), (2, 5, 11), (4, 14, 18)). \\ C_5 \cup C_5: & ((0, 1, 3, 9, 4), (5, 8, 15, 7, 16)). \\ C_6 \cup C_4: & ((0, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7), (4, 14, 8, 16)). \\ C_7 \cup C_3: & ((0, 1, 3, 6, 10, 2, 9), (4, 14, 19)). \end{aligned}$$

K₄₁ Let the vertex set be \mathbb{Z}_{41} . Develop the following mod 41:

$$\begin{aligned} C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((27, 32, 39, 40), (10, 26, 36), (23, 34, 37)), \quad ((0, 2, 8, 17), (1, 5, 23), (3, 11, 32)). \\ C_5 \cup C_5: & ((0, 7, 15, 1, 18), (2, 14, 29, 4, 23)), \quad ((0, 1, 3, 6, 10), (2, 7, 13, 4, 15)). \\ C_6 \cup C_4: & ((0, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7), (4, 10, 18, 27)), \quad ((0, 10, 21, 1, 13, 26), (2, 16, 35, 18)). \\ C_7 \cup C_3: & ((0, 1, 3, 6, 2, 7, 13), (4, 11, 19)), \quad ((0, 9, 19, 7, 24, 1, 20), (2, 13, 27)). \end{aligned}$$

K₄₅ Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 8, 1 \leq j \leq 5\}$. Develop the following mod $(9, -)$:

$$\begin{aligned} C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: & ((0_3, 2_4, 3_3, 0_5), (1_3, 4_4, 3_5), (5_3, 3_4, 6_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 0_2), (2_1, 5_1, 1_2), (4_1, 8_1, 2_2)), \quad ((0_1, 1_2, 6_1, 0_3), (1_1, 3_2, 2_3), (2_1, 1_3, 4_3)), \\ & ((0_1, 4_3, 6_1, 0_4), (1_1, 6_3, 7_3), (2_1, 1_4, 3_4)), \quad ((0_1, 2_4, 4_1, 0_5), (1_1, 5_4, 6_4), (2_1, 8_4, 1_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_5, 3_1, 6_5), (1_1, 3_5, 5_5), (0_2, 1_2, 3_2)), \quad ((0_2, 4_2, 0_3, 2_3), (1_2, 1_3, 5_3), (2_2, 3_3, 0_4)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_3, 5_2, 0_4), (1_2, 7_3, 2_4), (2_2, 1_4, 4_4)), \quad ((0_2, 3_4, 6_2, 0_5), (1_2, 6_4, 2_5), (2_2, 1_5, 4_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 4_5, 7_2, 5_5), (0_3, 0_4, 5_4), (1_3, 2_4, 0_5)), \quad ((0_3, 3_5, 3_4, 7_5), (1_3, 5_5, 6_5), (7_4, 4_5, 8_5)). \\ C_5 \cup C_5: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 0_2), (2_1, 7_1, 2_2, 4_1, 1_2)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_2, 5_1, 7_2, 0_3), (1_1, 2_3, 3_1, 1_3, 3_3)), \quad ((0_1, 3_3, 6_1, 1_3, 5_3), (1_1, 0_4, 2_1, 2_4, 3_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_4, 4_1, 0_4, 3_4), (1_1, 5_4, 0_2, 1_2, 0_5)), \quad ((0_1, 0_5, 2_1, 3_5, 2_5), (1_1, 4_5, 0_2, 2_2, 5_5)), \\ & ((0_1, 5_5, 0_2, 4_2, 6_5), (1_2, 7_2, 1_3, 2_2, 2_3)), \quad ((0_2, 4_3, 6_2, 2_3, 0_4), (1_2, 7_3, 1_3, 0_3, 2_4)), \\ & ((0_2, 2_4, 3_2, 0_4, 4_4), (1_2, 8_4, 5_2, 2_5, 8_5)), \quad ((0_2, 0_5, 0_3, 0_4, 1_5), (1_3, 2_4, 3_3, 6_4, 2_5)), \\ & ((0_3, 4_4, 7_3, 3_4, 2_5), (1_3, 0_5, 2_3, 5_5, 7_5)), \quad ((0_3, 4_5, 0_4, 7_4, 5_5), (1_4, 1_5, 4_4, 7_5, 3_5)). \\ C_6 \cup C_4: & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 2_1, 0_2), (4_1, 1_2, 5_1, 6_2)), \\ & ((0_1, 3_2, 4_1, 8_2, 0_2, 0_3), (1_1, 2_3, 3_1, 5_3)), \quad ((0_1, 3_3, 5_1, 1_3, 4_1, 0_4), (1_1, 2_4, 3_1, 5_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 3_4, 5_1, 2_4, 0_2, 0_5), (1_1, 2_5, 3_1, 5_5)), \quad ((0_1, 3_5, 5_1, 1_5, 0_2, 6_5), (1_2, 3_2, 6_2, 0_3)), \\ & ((0_2, 4_2, 0_3, 2_2, 3_3, 2_3), (1_2, 5_3, 8_2, 0_4)), \quad ((0_2, 0_4, 2_2, 5_4, 1_2, 6_4), (3_2, 1_5, 5_2, 7_5)), \\ & ((0_2, 3_5, 0_3, 2_3, 6_3, 8_5), (1_3, 4_3, 0_4, 1_4)), \quad ((0_3, 1_4, 2_3, 0_4, 3_3, 0_5), (1_3, 3_4, 8_3, 6_5)), \\ & ((0_3, 3_4, 0_4, 2_4, 6_4, 1_5), (1_3, 0_5, 4_4, 5_5)), \quad ((0_4, 0_5, 1_4, 3_5, 1_5, 6_5), (4_4, 2_5, 8_5, 7_5)). \\ C_7 \cup C_3: & ((7_1, 4_5, 2_5, 8_3, 5_2, 8_1, 8_5), (0_5, 1_5, 6_5)), \\ & ((6_1, 5_4, 6_5, 8_1, 2_2, 1_3, 5_5), (3_1, 8_4, 7_5)), \quad ((4_1, 8_4, 3_2, 4_3, 5_5, 5_3, 7_5), (0_4, 4_4, 4_5)), \\ & ((6_2, 2_5, 6_3, 6_4, 5_3, 1_4, 7_5), (3_1, 0_3, 8_5)), \quad ((0_2, 0_4, 2_3, 5_2, 7_5, 8_2, 6_4), (2_2, 5_4, 8_5)), \\ & ((3_2, 8_3, 6_2, 4_5, 7_3, 1_4, 7_4), (5_1, 1_3, 6_3)), \quad ((5_1, 4_2, 8_2, 8_1, 6_4, 4_4, 0_3), (7_1, 5_3, 6_3)), \\ & ((0_1, 1_1, 3_1, 6_1, 2_1, 0_2, 1_2), (4_1, 6_2, 8_2)), \quad ((0_1, 5_2, 2_2, 0_3, 6_1, 6_3, 3_4), (1_1, 3_3, 2_4)), \\ & ((0_1, 0_4, 3_1, 5_4, 4_2, 4_3, 2_5), (0_2, 2_4, 0_5)), \quad ((0_2, 4_3, 6_3, 0_3, 2_4, 1_4, 3_5), (1_2, 0_4, 5_5)). \end{aligned}$$

$K_{3(10)}$ Let the vertex set be $\{i_j \mid 0 \leq i \leq 4, 1 \leq j \leq 6\}$, with the vertices with subscripts $2i - 1$ and $2i$ in the i 'th partition, $i = 1, 2, 3$. Develop the following mod 5:

$$C_4 \cup C_3 \cup C_3: \quad ((1_1, 0_4, 0_6, 2_4), (1_2, 0_3, 2_6), (4_2, 2_3, 0_5)), \\ ((2_1, 2_5, 2_3, 3_5), (4_1, 0_3, 4_6), (2_2, 1_4, 0_5)), \\ ((2_1, 0_3, 3_1, 0_6), (0_2, 2_3, 4_5), (3_2, 3_4, 2_6)), \\ ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 3_4), (2_1, 2_4, 0_5), (0_2, 1_3, 2_6)), \\ ((0_1, 2_5, 3_3, 1_6), (0_2, 0_3, 0_6), (1_2, 2_4, 4_6)), \\ ((0_1, 4_5, 3_4, 4_6), (0_2, 2_4, 2_5), (1_2, 4_4, 1_5)).$$

$$C_5 \cup C_5: \quad ((4_1, 0_3, 4_5, 2_3, 0_6), (2_2, 1_6, 1_3, 3_2, 4_6)), \\ ((2_1, 0_4, 1_5, 0_2, 3_5), (2_2, 2_3, 3_6, 4_4, 4_5)), \\ ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 3_3, 3_5), (2_1, 1_4, 4_1, 2_3, 1_6)), \\ ((0_1, 0_4, 0_2, 1_3, 2_5), (1_1, 2_4, 1_2, 3_3, 1_5)), \\ ((0_1, 4_5, 0_2, 2_4, 0_6), (4_1, 1_6, 1_2, 0_4, 2_6)), \\ ((0_2, 4_3, 1_6, 1_4, 0_5), (1_2, 4_4, 1_5, 3_4, 4_6)).$$

$$C_6 \cup C_4: \quad ((1_3, 1_5, 2_4, 3_5, 0_4, 2_6), (4_2, 4_3, 4_6, 4_4)), \\ ((3_2, 0_3, 1_5, 2_3, 4_2, 3_6), (0_2, 1_4, 2_6, 4_4)), \\ ((1_1, 1_3, 0_6, 2_2, 3_6, 4_4), (0_2, 3_4, 1_2, 1_5)), \\ ((0_1, 1_3, 2_1, 0_3, 3_1, 0_4), (1_1, 0_5, 4_1, 1_5)), \\ ((0_1, 1_4, 2_1, 0_5, 1_2, 3_6), (1_1, 0_6, 4_1, 1_6)), \\ ((0_2, 1_3, 2_2, 0_5, 0_4, 2_5), (3_3, 1_5, 4_3, 1_6)).$$

$$C_7 \cup C_3: \quad ((3_2, 3_5, 1_3, 4_5, 0_4, 4_2, 1_6), (1_1, 4_4, 0_5)), \\ ((2_2, 2_6, 2_3, 2_5, 3_3, 4_2, 3_6), (1_1, 1_4, 1_6)), \\ ((0_2, 3_4, 1_6, 3_3, 2_6, 1_3, 2_5), (1_2, 1_4, 4_5)), \\ ((0_1, 0_3, 1_1, 2_3, 4_1, 1_3, 3_6), (2_1, 3_4, 4_6)), \\ ((0_1, 2_4, 1_6, 2_1, 2_5, 1_1, 3_5), (4_1, 3_4, 0_6)), \\ ((0_2, 0_3, 2_2, 4_3, 3_2, 2_5, 2_4), (4_2, 3_4, 0_5)).$$