# Twain Secure Perfect Dominating Sets and Twain Secure Perfect Domination Polynomials of Stars

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# **ABSTRACT**

Let G=(V,E) be a simple graph. A set  $S\subseteq V$  is a dominating set of G, if for every vertex in  $V\setminus S$  is adjacent to atleast one vertex in S. A subset S of V is called a twain secure perfect dominating set of G (TSPD-set) if for every vertex  $v\in V\setminus S$  is adjacent to exactly on evertex  $u\in S$  and  $(S\setminus \{u\})\cup \{v\}$  is a dominating set of G. The minimum cardinality of a twain secure perfect dominating set of G is called the twain secure perfect domination number of G and is denoted by  $\gamma_{tsp}(G)$ . Let  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  denote the family of all twain secure perfect dominating sets of  $S_n$  with cardinality G, for G is G in G i

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# 1. INTRODUCTION

A finite undirected connected graph without loops or multiple edges is referred to as a graph G = (V, E). G's order and size are shown by the numbers n and m, respectively. For fundamental terms and definitions, see [2]. There are two vertices. If uv is one of G's edges, then u and v are considered adjacent. A vertexv in a graph G has an open neighborhood defined as the set  $N_G(V) = \{u \in V (G) : uv \in V (G) \}$ E(G), and a closed neighborhood defined as  $N_G[V] = N_G(V) \cup \{v\}$ . A subset  $S \subseteq V(G)$  is called a dominating set if every vertex  $v \in V(G) \setminus S$  is adjacent to a vertex  $u \in S$ . The domination number,  $\gamma(G)$ , of a graph G denotes the minimum cardinality of such dominating sets of G.A minimum dominating set of a graph G is hence often called as a γ-set of G [1]. A dominating set S is called a secure dominating set if foreach  $v \in V \setminus S$  there exists  $u \in N(v) \cap S$  such that  $(S \setminus \{u\}) \cup \{v\}$  is a dominating set. The secure domination number  $\gamma_s(G)$  is the minimum cardinality of a secure dominating set of G. Cockayne et al introduce the concept of secure domination of graphs[3]. A dominating set S is called a perfect dominating set if every vertex in V\S isadjacenttoexactlyonevertexinS.Theperfect domination number $\gamma_n(G)$  is the minimum cardinality of a perfect dominating set of G.The concept of perfect domination of graphs is introduced by Weichsel [4]. In this sequel we introduce the concept of twain secure perfect domination of stars in this work. A dominating set S is called a twain secure perfect dominating set of G (TSPD-set) if for every vertex  $v \in V \setminus S$  isadjacenttoexactlyonevertex  $u \in S$  and  $(S\setminus \{u\}) \cup \{v\} \\ is a dominating \ set of \ G. \\ The twain \ secure \ perfect \ domination \ number of \ G, \\ represented as$  $\gamma_{tsp}\left(G\right)\!,\,is the lowest cardinality of a twainsecure perfect dominating set of \ G. Consider the \ star \ graph \ S_n,\,which$ has n vertices. The twain secure perfect domination number of  $S_n$  is denoted by  $\gamma_{tsp}(S_n)$ . Denote by  $D_{tsp}\left(S_{n},i\right)$  the family of all twain secure perfect dominating sets of  $S_{n}$  with cardinality i, where  $\gamma_{tsp}^{-}(S_n) \leq i \leq \text{ n. Let } d_{tsp}(S_n,i) = |D_{tsp}(S_n,i)|. \text{ Following that } D_{tsp}(S_n,x) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) \, x^i \text{ is the } d_{tsp}(S_n,x) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,x) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,x) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i) \, d_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ twain secure perfect domination polynomial of S<sub>n</sub>. The families of the twain secure perfect dominating

sets of stars are built using a recursive technique in the following section. We refer to the set  $\{1,2,...,n\}$  in this article as [n].

# 2. Twain Secure Perfect Dominating Sets of Stars

The family of twain secure perfect dominating sets of  $S_n$  with cardinality i is denoted by  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i)$ . Also, twain secure perfect dominating sets of stars will be examined. The following lemmas are necessary to support the primary findings of this article.

# Lemma 2.1.

For every, 
$$n \in N$$
,  $\gamma_{tsp}(S_n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } n = 1 \\ n - 1 & \text{for } n > 1 \end{cases}$ 

#### Lemma 2.2.

Let  $S_n$  be a star with n vertices and  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  bethefamilyoftwain secure perfect dominating sets with cardinality i.Then  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i) \neq \emptyset$  if and only if  $n-1 \leq i \leq n$ .Also  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i) = \emptyset$  if and only if i < n-1 or i > n.

Proof:

By the definition of twain secure perfect domination number, the cardinality of the minimum twain secure perfect dominating set of star is n-1. Therefore  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)\neq\emptyset$  if and only if  $n-1\leq i\leq n$ . Suppose, i< n-1, then there is no twain secure perfect dominating sets in  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ . Therefore  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)=\emptyset$  if and only if i< n-1. Clearly if i> n, then  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)=\emptyset$ .

# Lemma 2.3.

In the event that Y is inside  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1)$ , then there is a  $\{x\} \in [n]$  such that  $Y \cup \{x\} \in D_{tsp}(S_n, i)$ .

#### Proof:

The twain secure perfect dominating set of G are indicated by Y. Y has at least one vertex labeled n-1 or n-2, Since  $Y\in D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)$ . In the event where  $n-1\in Y,\ Y\cup \{x\}\in Z_1(say)$ ,a twain secure perfect dominating set of  $S_n$ . Thus  $Z_1\in D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ . In the event where  $n-2\in Y,\ Y\cup \{x\}\in Z_2(say)$ ,a twain secure perfect dominating set of  $S_n$ . Thus  $Z_2\in D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ . Y  $\cup \{x\}$  is a twain secure perfect dominating set of  $S_n$ , in each scenario. Consequently,  $Y\cup \{x\}\in D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ .

# **Lemma 2.4.**

For every  $n \geq 4$ ,

- (i) If  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$ ,  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$ , then  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) \neq \emptyset$ .
- (ii) If  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1) = \emptyset, D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1) = \emptyset$ , then  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) = \emptyset$ .

Proof:

(i) Suppose  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)=\emptyset$ , then by lemma 2.2, i< n-1 or i> n. If i> n, then i-1> n-1, which gives  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)=\emptyset$ . Also, i-1> n-1> n-2, which implies i-1> n-2, which gives  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)=\emptyset$ . This is a contradiction to  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)\neq\emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)\neq\emptyset$ .

Hence  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) \neq \emptyset$ .

(ii) Suppose  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i) \neq \emptyset$ , then by lemma 2.2,  $n-1 \leq i \leq n$ . Which implies  $n-2 \leq i-1 \leq n-1$ . This gives  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) \neq \emptyset$ . Also  $n-3 \leq i-2 \leq n-2$ . Which implies  $n-3 \leq i-2 < i-1 \leq n-2$ . Which gives  $n-3 \leq i-1 \leq n-2$ . Therefore,  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) \neq \emptyset$ . Which is a contradiction to  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) = \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) = \emptyset$ . Hence  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i) = \emptyset$ .

# Lemma 2.5.

In case  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) \neq \emptyset$ ,

- (i)  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1) = \emptyset$  if and only if i = n.
- (ii)  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) \neq \emptyset$  if and only if i=n-1. Proof:
- (i) Assume that  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) = \emptyset$ . Since  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) = \emptyset$ , by lemma 2.2, i-1 > n-2 or i-1 < n-3. Since i-1 > n-2,  $i \geq n$  (1) Since  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) \neq \emptyset$ , by lemma 2.2, we have  $n-2 \leq i-1 \leq n-1$ . Which gives i < n (2)

From (1) and (2), i=n. Conversely, assume that, i=n. Which gives i-1=n-1>n-2. Which implies i-1>n-2, bylemma2.2,  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)=\emptyset$ . Since i-1=n-1, by lemma 2.2,  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)\neq\emptyset$ .

(ii) Assume that  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)\neq\emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)\neq\emptyset$ . By lemma 2.2, we have  $n-2\leq i-1\leq n-1$  and  $n-3\leq i-1\leq n-2$ . Which gives  $n-2\leq i-1\leq n-2$ . This implies i=n-1.

Conversely, assume that i=n-1, which implies i-1=n-2. Which gives  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)\neq\emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)\neq\emptyset$ .

### Theorem 2.6

For every  $n \ge 3$  and  $i \ge n-1$ 

- (i) If  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1) = \emptyset$ , then  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) = \{[n]\}$
- (ii) If  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1) \neq \emptyset$  then  $D_{tsp}(S_n, i) = \{\{X \cup \{n\}\}\} \cup \{Y \cup \{n-1\}\}\}$ , where  $X \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1)$  and  $Y \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1)$ .

# Proof:

- (i) We have  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1) \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1) = \emptyset$ , by lemma 2.5(i), i=n. Therefore  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i) = \{[n]\}$ .
- (ii) Construction of  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  follows from  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)$  and  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)$ . Let X be the twain secure perfect dominating set of  $S_{n-1}$  with cardinality i-1. The elements of  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)$  belongs to  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  by adjoining n. Let Y be the twain secure perfect dominating set of  $S_{n-2}$  with cardinality i-1. The elements of  $D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)$  belongs to  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  by adjoining n-1. Thus

$$\{\{X \cup \{n\}\} \cup \{Y \cup \{n-1\}\}\} \subseteq D_{tsp}(S_n, i)$$
 (3)

Where  $X \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1)$  and  $Y \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1)$ .

Conversely, Suppose  $Z \in D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ . Here all the elements of  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  ends with n-1 or n.Suppose  $n-1 \in Z$ , then  $Z = Y \cup \{n-1\}$ , for some  $Y \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-2},i-1)$ . Suppose  $n \in Z$ , then  $Z = X \cup \{n\}$ , for some  $X \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-1},i-1)$ . Thus

$$D_{tsp}(S_n, i) \subseteq \{ \{ X \cup \{n\} \} \cup \{ Y \cup \{n-1\} \} \}$$
 (4)

Where  $X \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-1}, i-1)$  and  $Y \in D_{tsp}(S_{n-2}, i-1)$ .

From (3) and (4),

 $D_{tsp}\left(S_{n},i\right) = \{\{X \cup \{n\}\} \cup \{Y \cup \{n-1\}\}\}, \text{ where } X \in D_{tsp}\left(S_{n-1},i-1\right) \text{and } Y \in D_{tsp}\left(S_{n-2},i-1\right).$ 

# Theorem 2.7.

$$\begin{split} & \text{IfD}_{tsp}\left(S_n,i\right) \text{isafamilyoftwainsecureperfectdominatingsets with} & \text{cardinality} & \text{i,thenforevery} & n \geq 4, \\ & |D_{tsp}\left(S_n,i\right)| = |D_{tsp}\left(S_{n-1},i-1\right)| + |D_{tsp}\left(S_{n-2},i-1\right)|. \\ & \text{Proof:} \end{split}$$

It follows from Theorem 2.6.

# 3. Twain Secure Perfect Domination Polynomials of Stars

The family of all twain secure perfect dominating sets of  $S_n$  with cardinality i is denoted as  $D_{tsp}(S_n,i)$ . Let  $d_{tsp}(S_n,i)$  should equal  $|D_{tsp}(S_n,i)|$ . Then the twain secure perfect domination polynomial of  $S_n$  is defined as  $D_{tsp}(S_n,x) = \sum_{i=\gamma_{tsp}}^n (S_n) d_{tsp}(S_n,i) x^i$ , where  $\gamma_{tsp}(S_n)$  is the twain secure perfect domination number of  $S_n$ .

# Theorem 3.2.

For every  $n \geq 4$ ,  $D_{tsp}\left(S_n,x\right) = x[D_{tsp}\left(S_{n-1},x\right)] + x^{n-1}$  with initial value  $D_{tsp}\left(S_3,x\right) = 2x^2 + x^3$ .

n∖i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	1														
2	2	1													
3	0	2	1												
4	0	0	3	1											
5	0	0	0	4	1										
6	0	0	0	0	5	1									
7	0	0	0	0	0	6	1								
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1							

9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1						
10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1					
11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1				
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	1			
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	1		
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	1

### Theorem 3.3.

For the coefficients of  $D_{tsp}\left(S_{n},x\right)\!$  , the following characteristics are true.

- (i)  $d_{tsp}(S_n, n) = 1$ , for every  $n \in N$ .
- (ii)  $d_{tsp}(S_{n+1}, n) = n$ , for every  $n \ge 2$ .

Proof:

- (i) Since  $D_{tsp}(S_n, n) = \{[n]\}$ , we have the result.
- (ii) To prove  $d_{tsp}(S_{n+1}, n) = n$ , for every  $n \ge 2$ . We apply induction on n.

When n = 2.

L.H.S:  $d_{tsp}(S_3, 2) = 2$  (From table)

R.H.S: n = 2.

L.H.S = R.H.S.

The result is true for n=2.Now assume that the result is true for all natural numbers less than n and we prove that it for n.By theorem 2.7 and the induction hypothesis,  $d_{tsp}(S_{n+1},n)=d_{tsp}(S_n,n-1)+d_{tsp}(S_{n-1},n-1)=n-1+1=n.$ 

Thus  $d_{tsn}(S_{n+1}, n) = n$ , for every  $n \ge 2$ .

# **CONCLUSION**

Twain secure perfect dominating sets and polynomials of star graphs are examined and certain properties obtained in this study. Thus, the study can be applied to any  $S_n$ .

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