

## 均衡型 $(C_5, C_{12})$ -Foil デザインと関連デザイン

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グラフ理論において、グラフの分解問題は主要な研究テーマである。 $C_5$  を 5 点を通るサイクル、 $C_{12}$  を 12 点を通るサイクルとする。1 点を共有する辺素な  $t$  個の  $C_5$  と  $t$  個の  $C_{12}$  からなるグラフを  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil という。本研究では、完全グラフ  $K_n$  を 均衡的に  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil 部分グラフに分解する均衡型  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil デザインについて述べる。さらに、均衡型  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil デザイン、均衡型  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil デザイン、均衡型  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil デザインについて述べる。

### Balanced $(C_5, C_{12})$ -Foil Designs and Related Designs

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In graph theory, the decomposition problem of graphs is a very important topic. Various type of decompositions of many graphs can be seen in the literature of graph theory. This paper gives balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil designs, balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil designs, balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil designs, and balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil designs.

#### 1. Balanced $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -Foil Designs

Let  $K_n$  denote the complete graph of  $n$  vertices. Let  $C_5$  and  $C_{12}$  be the 5-cycle and the 12-cycle, respectively. The  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil is a graph of  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_5$ 's and  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_{12}$ 's with a common vertex and the common vertex is called the center of the  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil. When  $K_n$  is decomposed into edge-disjoint sum of  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils, we say that  $K_n$  has a  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition. Moreover, when every vertex of

$K_n$  appears in the same number of  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils, we say that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition and this number is called the replication number. This decomposition is to be known as a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil design.

**Theorem 1.**  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition if and only if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{34t}$ .

**Proof. (Necessity)** Suppose that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition. Let  $b$  be the number of  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils and  $r$  be the replication number. Then  $b = n(n-1)/34t$  and  $r = (15t+1)(n-1)/34t$ . Among  $r$   $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils having a vertex  $v$  of  $K_n$ , let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  be the numbers of  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils in which  $v$  is the center and  $v$  is not the center, respectively. Then  $r_1 + r_2 = r$ . Counting the number of vertices adjacent to  $v$ ,  $4tr_1 + 2r_2 = n-1$ . From these relations,  $r_1 = (n-1)/34t$  and  $r_2 = 15(n-1)/34$ . Therefore,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{34t}$  is necessary.

**(Sufficiency)** Put  $n = 34st + 1$  and  $T = st$ . Then  $n = 34T + 1$ .

Construct a  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2T$ -foil as follows:

$\{(34T+1, 1, 14T+2, 30T+2, 14T), (34T+1, 4T+1, 6T+2, 16T+2, 23T+3, 11T+2, 17T+3, 29T+3, 20T+3, 19T+2, 8T+2, 3T+1)\} \cup$

$\{(34T+1, 2, 14T+4, 30T+3, 14T-1), (34T+1, 4T+2, 6T+4, 16T+3, 23T+5, 11T+3, 17T+5, 29T+4, 20T+5, 19T+3, 8T+4, 3T+2)\} \cup$

$\{(34T+1, 3, 14T+6, 30T+4, 14T-2), (34T+1, 4T+3, 6T+6, 16T+4, 23T+7, 11T+4, 17T+7, 29T+5, 20T+7, 19T+4, 8T+6, 3T+3)\} \cup$

...  $\cup$

$\{(34T+1, T-1, 16T-2, 31T, 13T+2), (34T+1, 5T-1, 8T-2, 17T, 25T-1, 12T, 19T-1, 30T+1, 22T-1, 20T, 10T-2, 4T-1)\} \cup$

$\{(34T+1, T, 16T, 31T+1, 13T+1), (34T+1, 5T, 8T, 17T+1, 25T+1, 12T+1, 19T+1, 11T, 22T+1, 20T+1, 10T, 4T)\}$ .

( $17T$  edges,  $17T$  all lengths)

Decompose the  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2T$ -foil into  $s$   $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foils. Then these starters comprise a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition of  $K_n$ .

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**Example 1.1. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{35}$ .**

$\{(35, 1, 16, 32, 14), (35, 5, 8, 18, 26, 13, 20, 11, 23, 21, 10, 4)\}$ .

(17 edges, 17 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{35}$ .

**Example 1.2. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .**

$\{(69, 1, 30, 62, 28), (69, 9, 14, 34, 49, 24, 37, 61, 43, 40, 18, 7)\} \cup$

$\{(69, 2, 32, 63, 27), (69, 10, 16, 35, 51, 25, 39, 22, 45, 41, 20, 8)\}$ .

(34 edges, 34 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .

**Example 1.3. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{103}$ .**

$\{(103, 1, 44, 92, 42), (103, 13, 20, 50, 72, 35, 54, 90, 63, 59, 26, 10)\} \cup$

$\{(103, 2, 46, 93, 41), (103, 14, 22, 51, 74, 36, 56, 91, 65, 60, 28, 11)\} \cup$

$\{(103, 3, 48, 94, 40), (103, 15, 24, 52, 76, 37, 58, 33, 67, 61, 30, 12)\}$ .

(51 edges, 51 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{103}$ .

**Example 1.4. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -8-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .**

$\{(137, 1, 58, 122, 56), (137, 17, 26, 66, 95, 46, 71, 119, 83, 78, 34, 13)\} \cup$

$\{(137, 2, 60, 123, 55), (137, 18, 28, 67, 97, 47, 73, 120, 85, 79, 36, 14)\} \cup$

$\{(137, 3, 62, 124, 54), (137, 19, 30, 68, 99, 48, 75, 121, 87, 80, 38, 15)\} \cup$

$\{(137, 4, 64, 125, 53), (137, 20, 32, 69, 101, 49, 77, 44, 89, 81, 40, 16)\}$ .

(68 edges, 68 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -8-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .

**Example 1.5. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -10-foil decomposition of  $K_{171}$ .**

$\{(171, 1, 72, 152, 70), (171, 21, 32, 82, 118, 57, 88, 148, 103, 97, 42, 16)\} \cup$

$\{(171, 2, 74, 153, 69), (171, 22, 34, 83, 120, 58, 90, 149, 105, 98, 44, 17)\} \cup$

$\{(171, 3, 76, 154, 68), (171, 23, 36, 84, 122, 59, 92, 150, 107, 99, 46, 18)\} \cup$

$\{(171, 4, 78, 155, 67), (171, 24, 38, 85, 124, 60, 94, 151, 109, 100, 48, 19)\} \cup$

$\{(171, 5, 80, 156, 66), (171, 25, 40, 86, 126, 61, 96, 55, 111, 101, 50, 20)\}$ .

(85 edges, 85 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -10-foil decomposition of  $K_{171}$ .

**Example 1.6. Balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -12-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .**

$\{(205, 1, 86, 182, 84), (205, 25, 38, 98, 141, 68, 105, 177, 123, 116, 50, 19)\} \cup$

$\{(205, 2, 88, 183, 83), (205, 26, 40, 99, 143, 69, 107, 178, 125, 117, 52, 20)\} \cup$

$\{(205, 3, 90, 184, 82), (205, 27, 42, 100, 145, 70, 109, 179, 127, 118, 54, 21)\} \cup$

$\{(205, 4, 92, 185, 81), (205, 28, 44, 101, 147, 71, 111, 180, 129, 119, 56, 22)\} \cup$

$\{(205, 5, 94, 186, 80), (205, 29, 46, 102, 149, 72, 113, 181, 131, 120, 58, 23)\} \cup$

$\{(205, 6, 96, 187, 79), (205, 30, 48, 103, 151, 73, 115, 66, 133, 121, 60, 24)\}$ .

(102 edges, 102 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_5, C_{12})$ -12-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .

## 2. Balanced $C_{17}$ -Foil Designs

Let  $K_n$  denote the complete graph of  $n$  vertices. Let  $C_{17}$  be the 17-cycle. The  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil is a graph of  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_{17}$ 's with a common vertex and the common vertex is called the center of the  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil. When  $K_n$  is decomposed into edge-disjoint sum of  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils, it is called that  $K_n$  has a  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition. Moreover, when every vertex of  $K_n$  appears in the same number of  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils, it is called that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition and this number is called the replication number. This decomposition is to be known as a balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil design.

**Theorem 2.**  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition if and only if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{34t}$ .

**Proof. (Necessity)** Suppose that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition. Let  $b$  be the number of  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils and  $r$  be the replication number. Then  $b = n(n-1)/34t$  and  $r = (16t+1)(n-1)/34t$ . Among  $r$   $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils having a vertex  $v$  of  $K_n$ , let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  be the numbers of  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils in which  $v$  is the center and  $v$  is not the center, respectively.

Then  $r_1 + r_2 = r$ . Counting the number of vertices adjacent to  $v$ ,  $2tr_1 + 2r_2 = n - 1$ . From these relations,  $r_1 = (n - 1)/34t$  and  $r_2 = 16(n - 1)/34$ . Therefore,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{34t}$  is necessary.

**(Sufficiency)** Put  $n = 34st + 1$ ,  $T = st$ . Then  $n = 34T + 1$ . Construct a  $C_{17}$ - $T$ -foil as follows:

$\{ (34T + 1, T, 16T, 31T + 1, 13T + 1, 17T + 2, 4T + 1, 6T + 2, 16T + 2, 23T + 3, 11T + 2, 17T + 3, 29T + 3, 20T + 3, 19T + 2, 8T + 2, 3T + 1),$   
 $(34T + 1, T - 1, 16T - 2, 31T, 13T + 2, 17T + 4, 4T + 2, 6T + 4, 16T + 3, 23T + 5, 11T + 3, 17T + 5, 29T + 4, 20T + 5, 19T + 3, 8T + 4, 3T + 2),$   
 $(34T + 1, T - 2, 16T - 4, 31T - 1, 13T + 3, 17T + 6, 4T + 3, 6T + 6, 16T + 4, 23T + 7, 11T + 4, 17T + 7, 29T + 5, 20T + 7, 19T + 4, 8T + 6, 3T + 3),$   
 ...,  
 $(34T + 1, 2, 14T + 4, 30T + 3, 14T - 1, 19T - 2, 5T - 1, 8T - 2, 17T, 25T - 1, 12T, 19T - 1, 30T + 1, 22T - 1, 20T, 10T - 2, 4T - 1),$   
 $(34T + 1, 1, 14T + 2, 30T + 2, 14T, 19T, 5T, 8T, 17T + 1, 25T + 1, 12T + 1, 19T + 1, 11T, 22T + 1, 20T + 1, 10T, 4T) \}$ .

( $17T$  edges,  $17T$  all lengths)

Decompose this  $C_{17}$ - $T$ -foil into  $s$   $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foils. Then these starters comprise a balanced  $C_{17}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition of  $K_n$ .

**Example 2.1. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -decomposition of  $K_{35}$ .**

$\{(35, 1, 16, 32, 14, 19, 5, 8, 18, 26, 13, 20, 11, 23, 21, 10, 4)\}$ .

(17 edges, 17 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -decomposition of  $K_{35}$ .

**Example 2.2. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .**

$\{(69, 2, 32, 63, 27, 36, 9, 14, 34, 49, 24, 37, 61, 43, 40, 18, 7),$

$(69, 1, 30, 62, 28, 38, 10, 16, 35, 51, 25, 39, 22, 45, 41, 20, 8)\}$ .

(34 edges, 34 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .

**Example 2.3. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -3-foil decomposition of  $K_{103}$ .**

$\{(103, 3, 48, 94, 40, 53, 13, 20, 50, 72, 35, 54, 90, 63, 59, 26, 10),$

$(103, 2, 46, 93, 41, 55, 14, 22, 51, 74, 36, 56, 91, 65, 60, 28, 11),$

$(103, 1, 44, 92, 42, 57, 15, 24, 52, 76, 37, 58, 33, 67, 61, 30, 12)\}$ .

(51 edges, 51 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -3-foil decomposition of  $K_{103}$ .

**Example 2.4. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .**

$\{(137, 4, 64, 125, 53, 70, 17, 26, 66, 95, 46, 71, 119, 83, 78, 34, 13),$

$(137, 3, 62, 124, 54, 72, 18, 28, 67, 97, 47, 73, 120, 85, 79, 36, 14),$

$(137, 2, 60, 123, 55, 74, 19, 30, 68, 99, 48, 75, 121, 87, 80, 38, 15),$

$(137, 1, 58, 122, 56, 76, 20, 32, 69, 101, 49, 77, 44, 89, 81, 40, 16)\}$ .

(68 edges, 68 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .

**Example 2.5. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -5-foil decomposition of  $K_{171}$ .**

$\{(171, 5, 80, 156, 66, 87, 21, 32, 82, 118, 57, 88, 148, 103, 97, 42, 16),$

$(171, 4, 78, 155, 67, 89, 22, 34, 83, 120, 58, 90, 149, 105, 98, 44, 17),$

$(171, 3, 76, 154, 68, 91, 23, 36, 84, 122, 59, 92, 150, 107, 99, 46, 18),$

$(171, 2, 74, 153, 69, 93, 24, 38, 85, 124, 60, 94, 151, 109, 100, 48, 19),$

$(171, 1, 72, 152, 70, 95, 25, 40, 86, 126, 61, 96, 55, 111, 101, 50, 20)\}$ .

(85 edges, 85 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -5-foil decomposition of  $K_{171}$ .

**Example 2.6. Balanced  $C_{17}$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .**

$\{(205, 6, 96, 187, 79, 104, 25, 38, 98, 141, 68, 105, 177, 123, 116, 50, 19),$

$(205, 5, 94, 186, 80, 106, 26, 40, 99, 143, 69, 107, 178, 125, 117, 52, 20),$

$(205, 4, 92, 185, 81, 108, 27, 42, 100, 145, 70, 109, 179, 127, 118, 54, 21),$

$(205, 3, 90, 184, 82, 110, 28, 44, 101, 147, 71, 111, 180, 129, 119, 56, 22),$

$(205, 2, 88, 183, 83, 112, 29, 46, 102, 149, 72, 113, 181, 131, 120, 58, 23),$

$(205, 1, 86, 182, 84, 114, 30, 48, 103, 151, 73, 115, 66, 133, 121, 60, 24)\}$ .

(102 edges, 102 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $C_{17}$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .

### 3. Balanced $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -Foil Designs

Let  $K_n$  denote the complete graph of  $n$  vertices. Let  $C_{10}$  and  $C_{24}$  be the 10-cycle and the 24-cycle, respectively. The  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil is a graph of  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_{10}$ 's and  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_{24}$ 's with a common vertex and the common vertex is called the center of the  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil. When  $K_n$  is decomposed into edge-disjoint sum of  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils, we say that  $K_n$  has a  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition. Moreover, when every vertex of  $K_n$  appears in the same number of  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils, we say that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition and this number is called the replication number. This decomposition is to be known as a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil design.

**Theorem 3.**  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition if and only if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{68t}$ .

**Proof. (Necessity)** Suppose that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition. Let  $b$  be the number of  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils and  $r$  be the replication number. Then  $b = n(n-1)/68t$  and  $r = (32t+1)(n-1)/68t$ . Among  $r$   $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils having a vertex  $v$  of  $K_n$ , let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  be the numbers of  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils in which  $v$  is the center and  $v$  is not the center, respectively. Then  $r_1 + r_2 = r$ . Counting the number of vertices adjacent to  $v$ ,  $4tr_1 + 2r_2 = n-1$ . From these relations,  $r_1 = (n-1)/68t$  and  $r_2 = 32(n-1)/68$ . Therefore,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{68t}$  is necessary.

**(Sufficiency)** Put  $n = 68st + 1$  and  $T = st$ . Then  $n = 68T + 1$ .

Construct a  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2T$ -foil as follows:

$$\{(68T + 1, 1, 28T + 2, 60T + 2, 28T, 56T - 1, 28T - 1, 60T + 3, 28T + 4, 2), (68T + 1, 8T + 1, 12T + 2, 32T + 2, 46T + 3, 22T + 2, 34T + 3, 58T + 3, 40T + 3, 38T + 2, 16T + 2, 6T + 1, 12T + 3, 6T + 2, 16T + 4, 38T + 3, 40T + 5, 58T + 4, 34T + 5, 22T + 3, 46T + 5, 32T + 3, 12T + 4, 8T + 2)\} \cup \\ \{(68T + 1, 3, 28T + 6, 60T + 4, 28T - 2, 56T - 5, 28T - 3, 60T + 5, 28T + 8, 4), (68T +$$

$$1, 8T + 3, 12T + 6, 32T + 4, 46T + 7, 22T + 4, 34T + 7, 58T + 5, 40T + 7, 38T + 4, 16T + 6, 6T + 3, 12T + 7, 6T + 4, 16T + 8, 38T + 5, 40T + 9, 58T + 6, 34T + 9, 22T + 5, 46T + 9, 32T + 5, 12T + 8, 8T + 4)\} \cup \\ \{(68T + 1, 5, 28T + 10, 60T + 6, 28T - 4, 56T - 9, 28T - 5, 60T + 7, 28T + 12, 6), (68T + 1, 8T + 5, 12T + 10, 32T + 6, 46T + 11, 22T + 6, 34T + 11, 58T + 7, 40T + 11, 38T + 6, 16T + 10, 6T + 5, 12T + 11, 6T + 6, 16T + 12, 38T + 7, 40T + 13, 58T + 8, 34T + 13, 22T + 7, 46T + 13, 32T + 7, 12T + 12, 8T + 6)\} \cup \\ \dots \cup \\ \{(68T + 1, 2T - 1, 32T - 2, 62T, 26T + 2, 52T + 3, 26T + 1, 62T + 1, 32T, 2T), (68T + 1, 10T - 1, 16T - 2, 34T, 50T - 1, 24T, 38T - 1, 60T + 1, 44T - 1, 40T, 20T - 2, 8T - 1, 16T - 1, 8T, 20T, 40T + 1, 44T + 1, 22T, 38T + 1, 24T + 1, 50T + 1, 34T + 1, 16T, 10T)\}.$$

(34T edges, 34T all lengths)

Decompose the  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2T$ -foil into  $s$   $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foils. Then these starters comprise a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ - $2t$ -foil decomposition of  $K_n$ .

**Example 3.1. Balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .**

$$\{(69, 1, 30, 62, 28, 55, 27, 63, 32, 2), \\ (69, 9, 14, 34, 49, 24, 37, 61, 43, 40, 18, 7, 15, 8, 20, 41, 45, 22, 39, 25, 51, 35, 16, 10)\}.$$

(34 edges, 34 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .

**Example 3.2. Balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .**

$$\{(137, 1, 58, 122, 56, 111, 55, 123, 60, 2), \\ (137, 3, 62, 124, 54, 107, 53, 125, 64, 4)\} \cup \\ \{(137, 17, 26, 66, 95, 46, 71, 119, 83, 78, 34, 13, 27, 14, 36, 79, 85, 120, 73, 47, 97, 67, 28, 18), \\ (137, 19, 30, 68, 99, 48, 75, 121, 87, 80, 38, 15, 31, 16, 40, 81, 89, 44, 77, 49, 101, 69, 32, 20)\}.$$

(68 edges, 68 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .

**Example 3.3. Balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .**

$$\{(205, 1, 86, 182, 84, 167, 83, 183, 88, 2),$$

(205, 3, 90, 184, 82, 163, 81, 185, 92, 4),  
 (205, 5, 94, 186, 80, 159, 79, 187, 96, 6)}  $\cup$   
 {(205, 25, 38, 98, 141, 68, 105, 177, 123, 116, 50, 19, 39, 20, 52, 117, 125, 178, 107, 69, 143, 99, 40, 26),  
 (205, 27, 42, 100, 145, 70, 109, 179, 127, 118, 54, 21, 43, 22, 56, 119, 129, 180, 111, 71, 147, 101, 44, 28),  
 (205, 29, 46, 102, 149, 72, 113, 181, 131, 120, 58, 23, 47, 24, 60, 121, 133, 66, 115, 73, 151, 103, 48, 30)}.  
 (102 edges, 102 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -6-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .

**Example 3.4. Balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -8-foil decomposition of  $K_{273}$ .**

{(273, 1, 114, 242, 112, 223, 111, 243, 116, 2),  
 (273, 3, 118, 244, 110, 219, 109, 245, 120, 4),  
 (273, 5, 122, 246, 108, 215, 107, 247, 124, 6),  
 (273, 7, 126, 248, 106, 211, 105, 249, 128, 8)}  $\cup$   
 {(273, 33, 50, 130, 187, 90, 139, 235, 163, 154, 66, 25, 51, 26, 68, 155, 165, 236, 141, 91, 189, 131, 52, 34),  
 (273, 35, 54, 132, 191, 92, 143, 237, 167, 156, 70, 27, 55, 28, 72, 157, 169, 238, 145, 93, 193, 133, 56, 36),  
 (273, 37, 58, 134, 195, 94, 147, 239, 171, 158, 74, 29, 59, 30, 76, 159, 173, 240, 149, 95, 197, 135, 60, 38),  
 (273, 39, 62, 136, 199, 96, 151, 241, 175, 160, 78, 31, 63, 32, 80, 161, 177, 88, 153, 97, 201, 137, 64, 40)}.  
 (136 edges, 136 all lengths)

This starter comprises a balanced  $(C_{10}, C_{24})$ -8-foil decomposition of  $K_{273}$ .

**4. Balanced  $C_{34}$ -Foil Designs**

Let  $K_n$  denote the complete graph of  $n$  vertices. Let  $C_{34}$  be the 34-cycle. The  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil is a graph of  $t$  edge-disjoint  $C_{34}$ 's with a common vertex and the common vertex is called the center of the  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil. When  $K_n$  is decomposed into edge-disjoint sum of  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils, it is called that  $K_n$  has a  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition. Moreover, when every vertex of  $K_n$  appears in the same number of  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils, it is called that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition and this number is called the replication number. This decomposition is to be known as a balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil design.

**Theorem 4.**  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition if and only if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{68t}$ .

68t).

**Proof. (Necessity)** Suppose that  $K_n$  has a balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition. Let  $b$  be the number of  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils and  $r$  be the replication number. Then  $b = n(n-1)/68t$  and  $r = (33t+1)(n-1)/68t$ . Among  $r$   $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils having a vertex  $v$  of  $K_n$ , let  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  be the numbers of  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils in which  $v$  is the center and  $v$  is not the center, respectively. Then  $r_1 + r_2 = r$ . Counting the number of vertices adjacent to  $v$ ,  $2tr_1 + 2r_2 = n - 1$ . From these relations,  $r_1 = (n-1)/68t$  and  $r_2 = 33(n-1)/68$ . Therefore,  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{68t}$  is necessary.

**(Sufficiency)** Put  $n = 68st + 1, T = st$ . Then  $n = 68T + 1$ . Construct a  $C_{34}$ - $T$ -foil as follows:

{ (68T+1, 2T, 32T, 62T+1, 26T+1, 34T+2, 8T+1, 12T+2, 32T+2, 46T+3, 22T+2, 34T+3, 58T+3, 40T+3, 38T+2, 16T+2, 6T+1, 12T+3, 6T+2, 16T+4, 38T+3, 40T+5, 58T+4, 34T+5, 22T+3, 46T+5, 32T+3, 12T+4, 8T+2, 34T+4, 26T+2, 62T, 32T-2, 2T-1),  
 (68T+1, 2T-2, 32T-4, 62T-1, 26T+3, 34T+6, 8T+3, 12T+6, 32T+4, 46T+7, 22T+4, 34T+7, 58T+5, 40T+7, 38T+4, 16T+6, 6T+3, 12T+7, 6T+4, 16T+8, 38T+5, 40T+9, 58T+6, 34T+9, 22T+5, 46T+9, 32T+5, 12T+8, 8T+4, 34T+8, 26T+4, 62T-2, 32T-6, 2T-3),  
 (68T+1, 2T-4, 32T-8, 62T-3, 26T+5, 34T+10, 8T+5, 12T+10, 32T+6, 46T+11, 22T+6, 34T+11, 58T+7, 40T+11, 38T+6, 16T+10, 6T+5, 12T+11, 6T+6, 16T+12, 38T+7, 40T+13, 58T+8, 34T+13, 22T+7, 46T+13, 32T+7, 12T+12, 8T+6, 34T+12, 26T+6, 62T-4, 32T-10, 2T-5),  
 ...,  
 (68T+1, 2, 28T+4, 60T+3, 28T-1, 38T-2, 10T-1, 16T-2, 34T, 50T-1, 24T, 38T-1, 60T+1, 44T-1, 40T, 20T-2, 8T-1, 16T-1, 8T, 20T, 40T+1, 44T+1, 22T, 38T+1, 24T+1, 50T+1, 34T+1, 16T, 10T, 38T, 28T, 60T+2, 28T+2, 1) }.  
 (34T edges, 34T all lengths)

Decompose this  $C_{34}$ - $T$ -foil into  $s$   $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foils. Then these starters comprise a balanced  $C_{34}$ - $t$ -foil decomposition of  $K_n$ .

**Example 4.1. Balanced  $C_{34}$ -decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .**

{(69, 2, 32, 63, 27, 36, 9, 14, 34, 49, 24, 37, 61, 43, 40, 18, 7, 15, 8, 20, 41, 45, 22, 39, 25, 51, 35, 16, 10, 38, 28, 62, 30, 1)}.

(34 edges, 34 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{34}$ -decomposition of  $K_{69}$ .

**Example 4.2. Balanced  $C_{34}$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .**

{(137, 4, 64, 125, 53, 70, 17, 26, 66, 95, 46, 71, 119, 83, 78, 34, 13, 27, 14, 36, 79, 85, 120, 73, 47, 97, 67, 28, 18, 72, 54, 124, 62, 3),

(137, 2, 60, 123, 55, 74, 19, 30, 68, 99, 48, 75, 121, 87, 80, 38, 15, 31, 16, 40, 81, 89, 44, 77, 49, 101, 69, 32, 20, 76, 56, 122, 58, 1)}.

(68 edges, 68 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{34}$ -2-foil decomposition of  $K_{137}$ .

**Example 4.3. Balanced  $C_{34}$ -3-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .**

{(205, 6, 96, 187, 79, 104, 25, 38, 98, 141, 68, 105, 177, 123, 116, 50, 19, 39, 20, 52, 117, 125, 178, 107, 69, 143, 99, 40, 26, 106, 80, 186, 94, 5),

(205, 4, 92, 185, 81, 108, 27, 42, 100, 145, 70, 109, 179, 127, 118, 54, 21, 43, 22, 56, 119, 129, 180, 111, 71, 147, 101, 44, 28, 110, 82, 184, 90, 3),

(205, 2, 88, 183, 83, 112, 29, 46, 102, 149, 72, 113, 181, 131, 120, 58, 23, 47, 24, 60, 121, 133, 66, 115, 73, 151, 103, 48, 30, 114, 84, 182, 86, 1)}.

(102 edges, 102 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{34}$ -3-foil decomposition of  $K_{205}$ .

**Example 4.4. Balanced  $C_{34}$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{273}$ .**

{(273, 8, 128, 249, 105, 138, 33, 50, 130, 187, 90, 139, 235, 163, 154, 66, 25, 51, 26, 68, 155, 165, 236, 141, 91, 189, 131, 52, 34, 140, 106, 248, 126, 7),

(273, 6, 124, 247, 107, 142, 35, 54, 132, 191, 92, 143, 237, 167, 156, 70, 27, 55, 28, 72, 157, 169, 238, 145, 93, 193, 133, 56, 36, 144, 108, 246, 122, 5),

(273, 4, 120, 245, 109, 146, 37, 58, 134, 195, 94, 147, 239, 171, 158, 74, 29, 59, 30, 76, 159, 173, 240, 149, 95, 197, 135, 60, 38, 148, 110, 244, 118, 3),

(273, 2, 116, 243, 111, 150, 39, 62, 136, 199, 96, 151, 241, 175, 160, 78, 31, 63, 32, 80, 161,

177, 88, 153, 97, 201, 137, 64, 40, 152, 112, 242, 114, 1)}.

(136 edges, 136 all lengths)

This stater comprises a balanced  $C_{34}$ -4-foil decomposition of  $K_{273}$ .

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