

## Two Types of Geometric–Arithmetic index of V–phenylenic Nanotube

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### ABSTRACT

The concept of geometric-arithmetic indices was introduced in the chemical graph theory. These indices are defined by the following general formula:

$$GA(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} \frac{2\sqrt{Q_u Q_v}}{Q_u + Q_v},$$

where  $Q_u$  is some quantity that in a unique manner can be associated with the vertex  $u$  of graph  $G$ . In this paper the exact formula for two types of geometric-arithmetic index of V-phenylenic nanotube are given.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this section  $G$  is a simple connected graph with vertex and edge sets  $V(G)$  and  $E(G)$ , respectively. A topological index is a numeric quantity from the structure of a graph which is invariant under automorphisms of the graph under consideration.

A topological index is a numeric quantity from the structural graph of a molecule. Usage of topological indices in chemistry began in 1947 when chemist Harold Wiener developed the most widely known topological descriptor, the Wiener index, and used it to determine physical properties of types of alkanes known as paraffin. The concept of geometric-arithmetic indices was introduced in the chemical graph theory. These indices

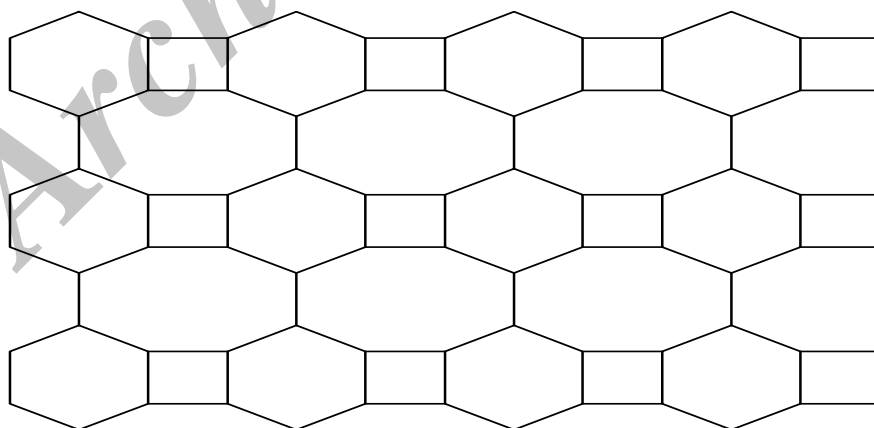
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generally are defined as  $GA_{general} = GA_{general}(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} \frac{2\sqrt{Q_u Q_v}}{Q_u + Q_v}$ , where  $Q_u$  is some quantity that in a unique manner can be associated with the vertex  $u$  of graph  $G$ . The first type of geometric-arithmetic index is denoted by  $GA_1$  and defined as  $GA_1 = GA_1(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} \frac{2\sqrt{d_u d_v}}{d_u + d_v}$ , where  $uv$  is an edge of the molecular graph  $G$  and  $d_u$  stand for the degree of the vertex  $u$ , see [1].

The second type of geometric-arithmetic index is denoted by  $GA_2$  and defined as  $GA_2 = GA_2(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v}$ , where  $n_u$  is the number of vertices of  $G$  lying closer to  $u$  than to  $v$  and  $n_v$  is the number of vertices of  $G$  lying closer to  $v$  than to  $u$ , see [2]. For  $uv \in E(G)$ , let  $m_u$  is the number of edges of  $G$  lying closer to  $u$  than to  $v$  and  $m_v$  is the number of edges of  $G$  lying closer to  $v$  than to  $u$ .

The third member of the class of  $GA_{general}$  by setting  $Q_u$  ( $Q_v$ ) to be the number  $m_u$  ( $m_v$ ) for the edge  $uv$  of the graph  $G$  is defined as  $GA_3 = GA_3(G) = \sum_{uv \in E(G)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v}$ , it has been introduced in the paper [3]. A *V-phenylenic* net is a trivalent decoration made by alternating squares  $C_4$  and hexagons  $C_6$  and octagons  $C_8$ . In recent years, some researchers are interested to topological indices of *V-phenylenic* nanotube see [4] for details.

Throughout this paper  $VU = VU[p, q]$  denotes an arbitrary *V-phenylenic* nanotube in terms of the number of hexagons in a fixed row ( $p$ ) and the number of hexagons in a fixed column ( $q$ ), Figure 1.



**Figure 1.** *V-phenylenic* Nanotube, with  $p=4$  and  $q=3$ .

## 2 MAIN RESULTS

In this section,  $GA_2$  index of the molecular graph of *V*-phenylenic nanotube is computed. It is easy to see that

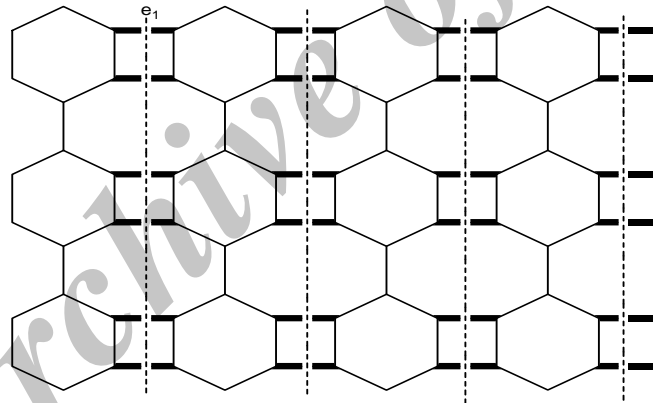
$$|V(VU)|=|V(VU[p,q])|=6pq \quad \text{and} \quad |E(VU)|=|E(VU[p,q])|=9pq-p.$$

In the following theorem the  $GA_2$  index of *V*-phenylenic nanotube is obtained.

**Theorem 1.** The  $GA_2$  index of  $VU=VU[p,q]$  is computed as follows:

$$GA_2(VU) = 2pq + \sum_{uv \in E_2(T)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} + \frac{4p}{3pq-p} \\ + \frac{4p}{pq-p} \sum_{k=1, k \text{ is odd}}^q \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(VU)|-3pk)} + \frac{2p}{3pq-p} \sum_{k=1, k \text{ is even}}^q \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(VU)|-3pk)}$$

**Proof.** One can see that there are three separate types of edges of *V*-phenylenic nanotube and the number of edges is different. Suppose  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  and  $e_3$  are representative edges for these types.

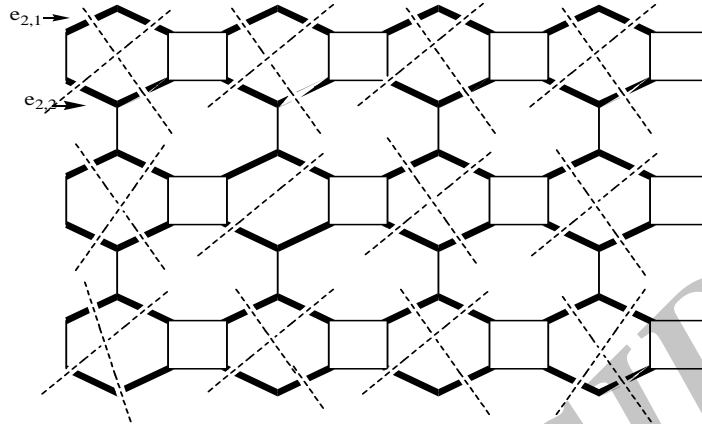


**Figure 2.** The Set  $E_1(VU)$  (The Edges of Type  $e_1$ ).

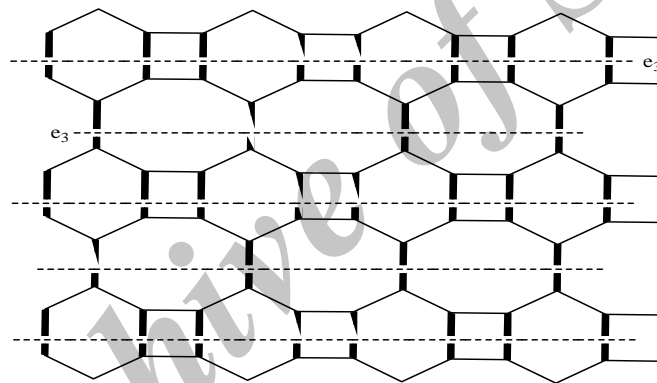
We partition the edges of *V*-phenylenic nanotube into three subsets  $E_1(VU)$ ,  $E_2(VU)$  and  $E_3(VU)$ , as follows:

$$E_1(VU) = \{ e \mid e \text{ is the type of } e_1 \}, \\ E_2(VU) = \{ e \mid e \text{ is the type of } e_{2,k} \text{ for } 1 \leq k \leq 2q \}, \\ E_3(VU) = \{ e \mid e \text{ is the type of } e_3 \}.$$

The sets  $E_1(VU)$ ,  $E_2(VU)$  and  $E_3(VU)$  are shown by dashed lines in Figures 2, 3 and 4, respectively.



**Figure 3.** The Set  $E_2(VU)$  (The Edges of Type  $e_2$ ).



**Figure 4.** The Set  $E_3(VU)$  (The Edges of Type  $e_3$ ).

Therefore, by definition of  $GA_2$  index,

$$GA_2(T) = \sum_{uv \in E_1(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} + \sum_{uv \in E_2(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} + \sum_{uv \in E_3(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} .$$

We evaluate each summation separately. For evaluating the first sum, we know that for  $e = uv \in E_1(VU)$ , if  $p$  is even we have  $n_u = n_v = \frac{|V(VU)|}{2}$ , if  $p$  is odd

$n_u = n_v = \frac{|V(VU) - 2q|}{2}$  Also  $|E_1(VU)| = 2pq$ , then

$$\sum_{uv \in E(VU)_1} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} = 2pq.$$

For each  $e = uv \in E_2(VU)$ , we have  $n_u + n_v = 4pq$ . Suppose  $i$  is an odd positive integer, such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , if  $p$  is even, we have

$$n_V(e) = \begin{cases} 3pi - p & p < 2q - i + 1, 2p < i \\ \frac{3}{4}(p+i)^2 - \frac{3}{4} & p < 2q - i + 1, 2p \geq i \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + 3iq - q & p \geq 2q - i + 1 \end{cases}.$$

Suppose  $i$  is an even positive integer, such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , if  $p$  is odd, we have

$$n_V(e) = \begin{cases} 3pi - 2p & p < 2q - i + 1, p < i \\ \frac{1}{4}(3p^2 + 6pi - 4p + 3i^2 - 4i) & p < 2q - i + 1, p \geq i \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + 3qi - 2q & p \geq 2q - i + 1 \end{cases}.$$

Suppose  $i$  is an even positive integer, such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$

$$n_V(e) = \begin{cases} 6pq - 3pi + p & p \leq i, p \text{ is odd} \\ 6pq - 3pi + 2p & p \leq i, p \text{ is even} \\ 3pq + \frac{1}{4}(-3p^2 + 6pi + 14p - 12qi + 9i^2 + 2i + 12q - 11) & p > i, q > \frac{p+i-1}{2}, p \text{ is odd.} \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + 3qi + 7q & p > i, q \leq \frac{p+i-1}{2}, p \text{ is odd} \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + 3qi + 2q & p > i, p \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

For all case, if  $p$  is odd, we have

$$n_{uv}(e) = \begin{cases} |V(T)| - n_v - p - \left\lceil \frac{i+1}{2} \right\rceil & p < 2q - i - 1, p \neq 1 \\ 2 & p = 1 \\ |V(T)| - n_v - 2q & p \geq 2q - i - 1 \end{cases}.$$

If  $p$  is even, we have  $n_u = |V(T)| - n_v$ . Finally for computing the third sum, we attend, for each  $e = uv \in E_3(VU)$  in  $i$ -th row,  $n_u = 3pi$  and  $n_v = 6pq - 3pi$  and the number of edges of third type in each row is  $2p$ . Since  $V$ phenylenic nanotube is bipartite then for each  $e = uv \in E_3(VU)$ , we have  $n_u + n_v = |V(VU)|$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{uv \in E_3(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{n_u n_v}}{n_u + n_v} &= \frac{2}{|V(VU)|} \sum_{uv \in E_3(VU)} \sqrt{n_u n_v} = \frac{4p}{6pq} \sum_{k=1, k \text{ is odd}}^q \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(T)| - 3pk)} \\ &+ \frac{2p}{6pq} \sum_{k=2, k \text{ is even}}^q \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(T)| - 3pk)} \\ &= \frac{2}{3q} \sum_{k=1, k \text{ is odd}}^{2q-1} \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(T)| - 3pk)} \\ &+ \frac{1}{3q} \sum_{k=1, k \text{ is even}}^q \sqrt{(3pk)(|V(T)| - 3pk)}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 2.** The  $GA_3$  index of  $VU = VU[p, q]$  is given by:

$$GA_3(VU) = 2pq + \sum_{uv \in E_2(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v} + \frac{2p}{12pq - 4p} \sum_{k=0}^{2q-2} \sqrt{(4p + 6kp)(12pq - 8p - 6kp)},$$

where the elements of  $E_2(VU)$  are shown in Figure 4.

**Proof.** The sets of  $E_1(VU)$ ,  $E_2(VU)$  and  $E_3(VU)$ , are defined in the same way as is the previous theorem. Therefore, by definition of  $GA_3$  index,

$$GA_3(VU[p, q]) = \sum_{uv \in E_1(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v} + \sum_{uv \in E_2(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v} + \sum_{uv \in E_3(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v}.$$

For each  $e = uv \in E_1(VU)$ , if  $p$  is even, we have:  $m_u = m_v = \frac{m-4q}{2}$  and if  $p$  is odd, we

have:  $m_u = m_v = \frac{m-2q}{2}$ . Then  $\sum_{uv \in E_1(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v} = 2pq$ . We can partition  $E_2(VU)$  into  $2q$  subsets such as  $E_{2,1}, E_{2,2}, \dots, E_{2,2q}$  such that  $E_{2,k} = \{e \mid e \text{ is the type of } e_{2,k}\}$ , for  $1 \leq k \leq 2q$ . Therefore

$$\sum_{uv \in E_2(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v} = 2 \sum_{k=1}^q \sum_{uv \in E_{2,i}} \frac{2\sqrt{m_u m_v}}{m_u + m_v}.$$

Suppose  $i$  is an odd positive integer and  $2p \geq i$ , such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , for each  $e = uv \in E_{2,i}$ . By calculation, we have the following results:

$$m_v(e) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{4}(p+i-1)^2 + \frac{1}{4}(p+i-1)(p+i+1) + & p < 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is even} \\ \frac{1}{8}(p+i-3)(p+i-1). & \\ 1 + \frac{3}{4}(p+i-2)^2 + 2(p+i-2) + & p < 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{1}{4}(p+i-2)(p+i) + \frac{1}{8}(p+i-2)(p+i). & \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + 3(i-1)q + q(q+1) + & p \geq 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is even} \\ 2q \left( \frac{p-2q+i-1}{2} \right) + \frac{q(q+1)}{2} + (q-1) \left( \frac{p-2q+i-1}{2} \right) & \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + (3i-2)q + q(q+1) + & p \geq 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is odd} \\ 2q \left( \frac{p-2q+i-1}{2} \right) + \frac{q(q+1)}{2} + (q-1) \left( \frac{p-2q+i-2}{2} \right). & \end{cases}$$

$$m_u(e) = \begin{cases} |E(VU)| - m_v(e) - (2p + 2i - 2) & p < 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_v(e) - \left( \frac{3}{2}p + 3i - \frac{3}{2} \right) & p < 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is odd} \\ |E(VU)| - m_v(e) - 4q & p \geq 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_v(e) - 3q & p \geq 2q - 2 \left\lceil \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rceil, p \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Suppose  $i$  is an even positive integer and  $2p \geq i$ , such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , for each  $e = uv \in E_{2,i}$ ,

$$m_V(e) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{4}(p+i-2)^2 + (p+i-2) + & p < 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is even} \\ \frac{1}{4}(p+i-2)(p+i) + \frac{1}{8}(p+i-4)(p+i+2) & \\ \frac{3}{4}(p+i-1)^2 + \frac{1}{4}(p+i-1)^2 & p < 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is odd} \\ + \frac{1}{8}(p+i-3)(p+i-1) & \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + (6i-4)q + q(q+1) + & p \geq 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is even} \\ 2q \left( \frac{p-2q+i-2}{2} \right) + \frac{q(q+1)}{2} - 1 + (q-1) \left( \frac{p-2q+i-2}{2} \right) & \\ 3pq - 3q^2 + (6i-3)q + q(q+2) + & p \geq 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is odd} \\ 2q \left( \frac{p-2q+i-3}{2} \right) + \frac{q(q+1)}{2} - 1 + (q-1) \left( \frac{p-2q+i-3}{2} \right) & \end{cases}$$

and

$$m_U(e) = \begin{cases} |E(VU)| - m_V(e) - (2p+2i-2) & p < 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_V(e) - \left( \frac{3}{2}p + 3i - \frac{3}{2} \right) & p < 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is odd} \\ |E(VU)| - m_V(e) - 4q & p \geq 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_V(e) - 3q & p \geq 2q-2 \left\lfloor \frac{i-1}{2} \right\rfloor, p \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Suppose  $i$  is an odd positive integer and  $2p < i$ , such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , for each  $e = uv \in E_{2,i}$ ,

$$m_V(e) = \begin{cases} p \left( \frac{3p-1}{2} \right) + (p-1) \left( \frac{3p-2}{2} \right) + 3p(i-p) + ip + \frac{p}{2}(i-1) + p \left( \frac{i-2p-1}{2} \right) & p \text{ is even} \\ 1 + (p-1)(3p+1) + 3p(i-p) + (i-1)p + p^2 + p \left( \frac{i-2p-1}{2} \right) & p \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

and



$$m_{\mathbf{U}}(e) = \begin{cases} |E(VU)| - m_{\mathbf{V}}(e) - (4p-2) & p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_{\mathbf{V}}(e) - (3p-1) & p \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Suppose  $i$  is an even positive integer and  $2p < i$ , such that  $1 \leq i \leq q$ , for each  $e = uv \in E_{2,i}$ ,

$$m_{\mathbf{V}}(e) = \begin{cases} p \left( \frac{3p-1}{2} \right) + (p-1) \left( \frac{3p-2}{2} \right) + 3p(3q-p-2i+1) & p \text{ is even} \\ + p(i+1) + 2p(q-i) + \frac{p}{2}(i-1) + p(q-i) \\ 1 + (p-1)(3p+1) + 3p(3q-p-2i+1) + & p \text{ is odd} \\ ip + 2p(q-i) + p \left( \frac{i}{2} \right) + p(q-i) \end{cases}$$

and

$$m_{\mathbf{U}}(e) = \begin{cases} |E(VU)| - m_{\mathbf{V}}(e) - (4p-2) & p \text{ is even} \\ |E(VU)| - m_{\mathbf{V}}(e) - 3p & p \text{ is odd} \end{cases} \text{ for } e = uv \in E_3(UV)$$

For  $e = uv \in E_3(VU)$

$$m_{\mathbf{U}}(e) = m_{\mathbf{U}}(e) = \begin{cases} \frac{m-p}{2} & \text{On octagon vertical edges} \\ \frac{m-2p}{2} & \text{On hexagon vertical edes} \end{cases}$$

Hence  $\sum_{uv \in E_3(VU)} \frac{2\sqrt{m_{\mathbf{U}}m_{\mathbf{V}}}}{m_{\mathbf{U}} + m_{\mathbf{V}}} = 2pq + q - 1$ . This completes the proof.  $\square$

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