



## [1,2]-COMPLEMENTARY CONNECTED DOMINATION NUMBER OF GRAPHS-III

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**ABSTRACT.** A set  $S \subseteq V(G)$  in a graph  $G$  is said to be [1,2]-complementary connected dominating set if for every vertex  $v \in V - S$ ,  $1 \leq |N(v) \cap S| \leq 2$  and  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is connected. The minimum cardinality of [1,2]-complementary connected dominating set is called [1,2]-complementary connected domination number and is denoted by  $\gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G)$ . In this paper, we investigate 3-regular graphs on twelve vertices for which  $\gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = \chi(G) = 3$ .

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $G(V, E)$  be simple and connected graph. For graph theoretic terminology we refer to Chartrand and Lesniak [1] and Haynes et.al [2]. In [6], V.R.Kulli and B.Janakiraman introduced the concept of nonsplit domination number of graph and characterized its bounds. In [3], Mustapha Chellali et.al, first studied the concept of [1, 2]-sets. In [7], Xiaojing Yang and Baoyindureng Wu, extended to the study of this parameter. In [4, 5], G.Mahadevan et.al, introduced the concept of [1, 2]-complementary connected domination and investigate 3-regular graphs of order  $n \leq 10$ , whose [1, 2]-complementary connected domination number equals chromatic number equals three. In this paper, we investigate 3-regular graphs on twelve vertices for which  $\gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = \chi(G) = 3$ .

### 2. 3-REGULAR GRAPHS ON TWELVE VERTICES

Let  $G$  be a connected cubic graph on twelve vertices for which  $\chi(G) = \gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = 3$ . Let  $S = \{x, y, z\}$  be a [1, 2] $cc$ -set. Since  $G$  is cubic, clearly  $\langle S \rangle \neq K_3, K_2 \cup$

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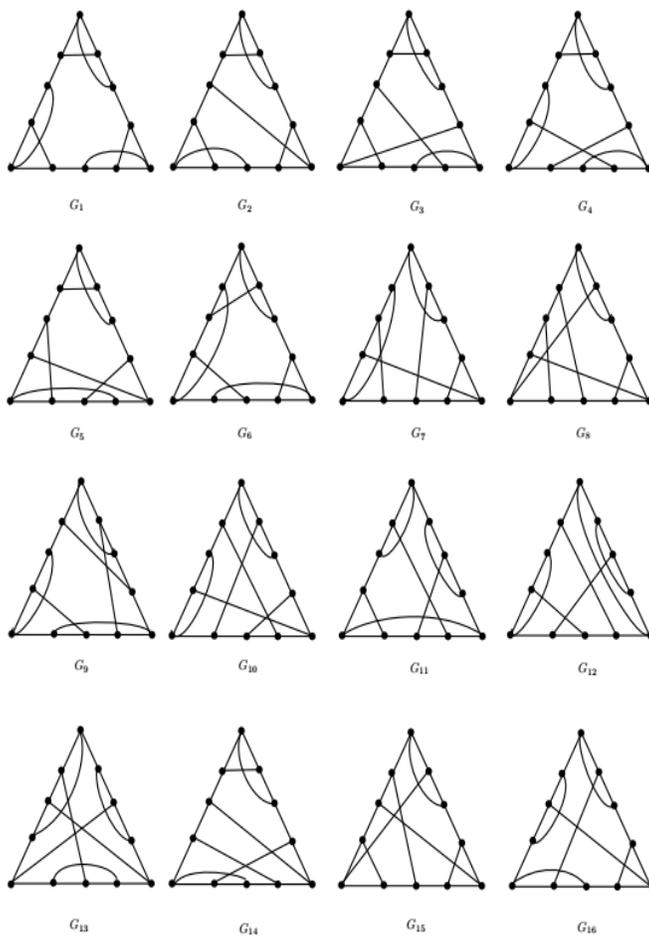
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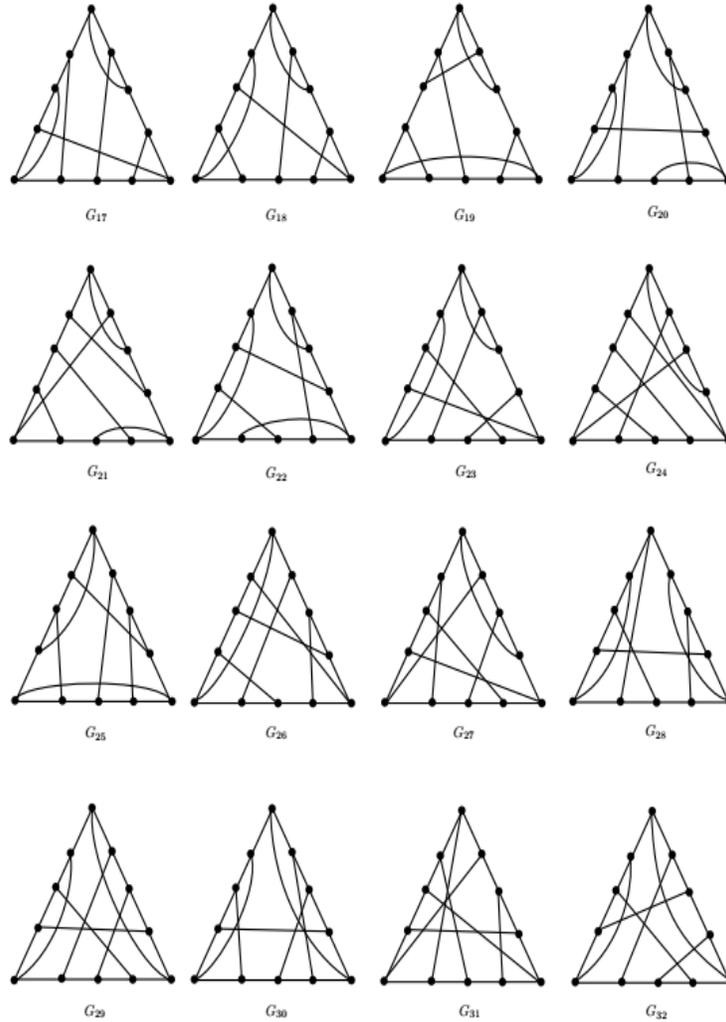
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$K_1, P_3$ . Hence  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ . Let  $S_1 = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ ,  $S_2 = \{v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  and  $S_3 = \{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . The following are only possible cases  $\langle S_i \rangle$ , where  $1 \leq i \leq 3$ . Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = P_3$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = P_3$ ,  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = P_3$ ,  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ ,  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ ;  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ .

Graphs  $G_i$ , where  $1 \leq i \leq 32$





**Proposition 2.1.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = P_3$ , then  $G \cong G_1$*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = P_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = P_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6, v_7, v_9\}$ . Without loss of generality, let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Now  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  or  $v_7$  (or equivalently to  $v_9$ ). If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then no new graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $G \cong G_1$ . □

**Prepositon 2.2.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = P_3$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ , then  $G \cong G_2$*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = P_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = P_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ , where  $v_7v_8 \in E(S_3)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ .

**Case 1**  $v_1v_4 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_6$  or  $v_7$ (or equivalently to  $v_8$ ) or  $v_9$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then either  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no new graph exists. If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then either  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

**Case 2**  $v_1v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_8$  or  $v_9$  and hence no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and hence  $G \cong G_2$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and hence  $G \cong G_2$ .

**Case 3**  $v_1v_9 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , then no new graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ (or equivalently to  $v_6$ ). If  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , so that  $G \cong G_2$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_7$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ . In this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.3.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = P_3$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ , then no graph exists.*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = P_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$

**Case 1** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Since  $G$  is cubic,  $v_3$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_6$  and hence  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then no new graph exists.

**Case 2** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_7$ . In all the above cases, no graph exists.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.4.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3$  and  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ , then  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $i = 3, 4$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ , where  $v_4v_5, v_7v_8 \in E(G)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $\{v_4, v_5, v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$ .

**Case 1**  $v_1v_4 \in E(G)$ .

In this case,  $v_3$  must be adjacent to  $v_5$  or  $v_6$ ,  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_5$ . Then  $v_6$  is adjacent to either  $\{v_7 \text{ and } v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7 \text{ and } v_9\}$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to either  $v_9$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then no graph exists.

**Case 2**  $v_1v_6 \in E(G)$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to either  $v_9$  or any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and hence  $G \cong G_3$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $G \cong G_3$ . Let  $v_4$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $G \cong G_3$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_4$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . Without loss of generality, let  $v_5$  be adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_4$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ . In this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.5.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ , then  $G \cong G_{14}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ , where  $v_7v_8 \in E(G)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ .

**Case 1** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$  or  $v_4$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_5$ . Then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or any one of  $\{v_9, v_7\}$ . If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ . Then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ . Hence  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{14}$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_8$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_7$  or  $\{v_5, v_6\}$ . If  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , then  $v_9$  must be adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_5$ , then  $v_9$  must be adjacent to  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$ . In both cases, no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . Then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  or any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$ . If  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , then either  $v_5$  or  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$  or  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ . In both cases no graph exists. If  $v_7$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $\{v_4 \text{ and } v_5\}$  or  $\{v_5 \text{ and } v_6\}$ . In both cases no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ ,  $v_7$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$ . In this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Case 2** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  or  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$  and no graph exists. If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$ . If  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  or  $v_6$ , then no new graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Then  $v_9$  is adjacent to any two of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  and hence no new graph exists. Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . Then no graph exists.

**Case 3** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . Then  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ .

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_4$  must be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases, no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence no graph exists. Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.6.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3$  and  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ , then  $G \cong G_5$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = P_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6, v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Without loss of generality, let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_3$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_4$ .

**Case 1** Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any two of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Case 2** Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_5$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ . In both cases, no graph exists.

**Case 3** Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_7$ .

Let  $v_4$  be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . Let  $v_5$  be adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ . Then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and hence

no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_5$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 2.7.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ , then  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $6 \leq i \leq 13$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $v_6$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ .

**Case 1** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  or  $v_6$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists in this case.

**Subcase 1** Let  $v_2v_6 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ . Then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_4$ ,  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ , then no graph exists in this case.

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ . Then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ . In both cases no graph exists.

If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists for this case.

**Subcase 2** Let  $v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . In this case, no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any two of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_7\}$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and hence no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_6$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_7$ .

**Case 2** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_6$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_6$ . If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 1** Let  $v_2v_4 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_5, v_6$  or  $v_5, v_7$  or  $v_6, v_7$  or  $v_7, v_8$  or  $v_7, v_9$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . In this case, no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  and hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 2** Let  $v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_4\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . In all the cases, no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  or  $v_8$  and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  and hence no graph exists for this case. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and hence no graph exists. If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . In all the above cases, no graph exists.

**Case 3** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_6$  or  $v_7$ .

**Subcase 1** Let  $v_2v_4 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then in this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any two of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists in this case.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ . Hence  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_7$ . Hence  $G \cong G_8$ .

**Subcase 2** Let  $v_2v_8 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then in this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists in this case.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $v_5$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Therefore  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8, v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_9$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{10}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_9$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{11}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and hence no graph exists in this case.

**Subcase 3** Let  $v_2v_6 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_7$ . In both cases, no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_7\}$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then in this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_7\}$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{12}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{12}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . Without loss of generality, let  $v_5$  be adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  be adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{13}$ .

**Subcase 3**  $v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_2$  be adjacent to  $v_7$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.8.** If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$ , then  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $15 \leq i \leq 21$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$  and  $v_1v_2, v_4v_5, v_7v_8 \in E(G)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$ .

**Case 1** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_5$  or  $v_6$  or  $v_9$ .

**Subcase 1** Let  $v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . In this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected hence no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and hence  $G \cong G_{15}$ .

**Subcase 2** Let  $v_2v_5 \in E(G)$

In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 3** Let  $v_2v_6 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  must be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  must be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  must be adjacent to any one of  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  must be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $G \cong G_{17}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $G \cong G_{18}$ .

**Subcase 4** Let  $v_2v_9 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$  and hence  $G \cong G_{18}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_9$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{15}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{19}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

**Case 2** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_6$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $v_6$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists in this case.

**Subcase 1** Let  $v_2v_4 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists in this case. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{19}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and hence  $G \cong G_{20}$ .

**Subcase 2** Let  $v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  or  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{20}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ ,  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{15}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then in this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$  and  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  or  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_8$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$ . If  $v_8$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$ , then  $G \cong G_{21}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists.

**Subcase 3** Let  $v_2v_9 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to any two of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_7, v_8\}$  or both of  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or both of  $\{v_6, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists in this case.  $\square$

**Prepositon 2.9.** If  $\langle S \rangle = \bar{K}_3$  and  $\langle S_1 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ , then  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $i = 22, 23$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = K_2 \cup K_1 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ , where  $v_1v_2 \in E(G)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5, v_6, v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_1$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , then  $v_2$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_4$ . If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_4$ , then in this case  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Case 1** If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_5$ , then  $v_3$  is adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists in this case.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$  or  $v_7$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence no graph exists. If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $v_9$ . In both cases no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to any one of  $v_9$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{22}$ .

If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to any one of  $\{v_7, v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ , then  $G \cong G_{23}$ .

**Case 2**

If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $v_3$  is adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_6\}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  or any one of  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. □

**Prepositon 2.10.** *If  $\langle S \rangle = \langle S_1 \rangle = \langle S_2 \rangle = \langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3$ , then  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $24 \leq i \leq 32$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\langle S_1 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ,  $\langle S_2 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_4, v_5, v_6)$  and  $\langle S_3 \rangle = \bar{K}_3 = (v_7, v_8, v_9)$ . Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to any one of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or any one of  $\{v_6, v_7\}$ .

**Case 1** Let  $v_1$  be adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ . Then  $v_2$  is adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ .

**Subcase 1**  $v_2v_4, v_2v_5 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_2$  be adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 2**  $v_2v_4, v_2v_6 \in E(G)$

If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then  $v_3$  is adjacent to both of  $\{v_5, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists.

**Subcase 3**  $v_2v_4, v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_6, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ . Since  $G$  is cubic,  $v_5$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Hence  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{24}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . In this case,  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 4**  $v_2v_6, v_2v_7 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  must be adjacent to  $v_8$  or  $v_9$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$ , then  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{25}$ . If  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{26}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  must be adjacent to  $v_7$ ,  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{27}$ .

**Subcase 5**  $v_2v_7, v_2v_8 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_6$ , then no graph exists.

Let  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ . Since  $G$  is cubic,  $v_5$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_8$ . If  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_9$ , then  $v_6$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{24}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_4, v_5, v_6$  are adjacent to  $v_7, v_8, v_9$ . Hence  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Case 2** If  $v_1$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $v_2$  is adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_6\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_6, v_8\}$ . If  $v_2$  is adjacent to  $v_6$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists.

**Subcase 1**  $v_2v_4, v_2v_5 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$  is adjacent to  $v_5$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{28}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_8$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_6$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{29}$ .

**Subcase:2**  $v_2v_4, v_2v_6 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_5, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_8, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ , then  $\langle V - S \rangle$  is disconnected and hence no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists.

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_5$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_5$ , then no graph exists. Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ . Since  $G$  is cubic  $v_4$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Hence  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8, v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{24}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_7$ ,  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{30}$ .

**Subcase:3**  $v_2v_6, v_2v_8 \in E(G)$

Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to both of  $\{v_4, v_5\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_7\}$  or  $\{v_4, v_9\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_8\}$  or  $\{v_7, v_9\}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_5$ , then no graph exists. Let  $v_3$  be adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_7$ . Since  $G$  is cubic,  $v_4$  cannot be adjacent to  $v_8$ . Hence  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_9$  and  $v_5$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{31}$ .

If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_4$  and  $v_9$ , then  $v_4$  is adjacent to  $v_8$  and  $v_9$ . Hence  $G \cong G_{32}$ . If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_8$ , then no graph exists. If  $v_3$  is adjacent to  $v_7$  and  $v_9$ , then no graph exists. □

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $G$  be a 3-regular graph of order twelve. Then  $\chi(G) = \gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = 3$  if and only if  $G \cong G_i$ , where  $1 \leq i \leq 32$ .*

*Proof.* If  $G$  is any one of the graphs  $G_i$ , where  $1 \leq i \leq 32$  as in the figure 1, then clearly verified that  $\chi(G) = \gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = 3$ . Conversely, assume that  $\chi(G) = \gamma_{[1,2]cc}(G) = 3$ . Then the proof follows from proposition 2.1 to 2.10. □

**Conclusion.** In this paper we investigated 3-regular graphs of order 12, whose [1, 2]-Complementary connected domination and chromatic number are equal to three.

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