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## THE VERTEX SZEGED INDEX OF TITANIA CARBON NANOTUBES $TiO_2(m,n)$

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**ABSTRACT:** Let  $G=(V,E)$  be a simple connected molecular graph in chemical graph theory, where the vertex set and edge set of  $G$  denoted by  $V(G)$  and  $E(G)$  respectively and its vertices correspond to the atoms and the edges correspond to the bonds. A topological index of a graph  $G$  is a numeric quantity related to  $G$  which is invariant under automorphisms of  $G$ . In this paper, the vertex Szeged index of *Titania* carbon Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  is computed.

**INTRODUCTION:** Mathematical chemistry is a branch of theoretical chemistry for discussion and prediction of the molecular structure using mathematical methods without necessarily referring to quantum mechanics. Chemical graph theory is a branch of mathematical chemistry which applies graph<sup>1-8</sup>.

We first describe some notations which will be kept throughout. Let  $G$  be a simple molecular graph without directed and multiple edges and without loops, the vertex and edge-sets of which are represented by  $V(G)$  and  $E(G)$ , respectively.

Suppose  $G$  is a connected molecular graph and  $x, y \in V(G)$ . The distance  $d(x,y)$  between  $x$  and  $y$  is defined as the length of a minimum path between  $x$  and  $y$ . Many topological indices there are in mathematical chemistry and several applications of them have been found in physical, chemical and pharmaceutical models and other properties of molecules. A topological index of a graph  $G$  is a numeric quantity related to  $G$  which is invariant under automorphisms of  $G$ . The oldest nontrivial topological index is the Wiener index which was introduced by Chemist *Harold Wiener*<sup>9</sup>. The *Wiener index* is defined as

$$W(G) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{u \in V(G)} \sum_{v \in V(G)} d(u,v)$$

where  $d(u,v)$  be the distance between two vertices  $u$  and  $v$ .

In 1994, Ivan Gutman defined a new topological index and named it Szeged index (Sz) index and the Szeged index of the graph  $G$  is defined as<sup>10, 11</sup>.

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$$Sz(G) = \sum_{e \in E(G)} (n_u(e|G) \times n_v(e|G))$$

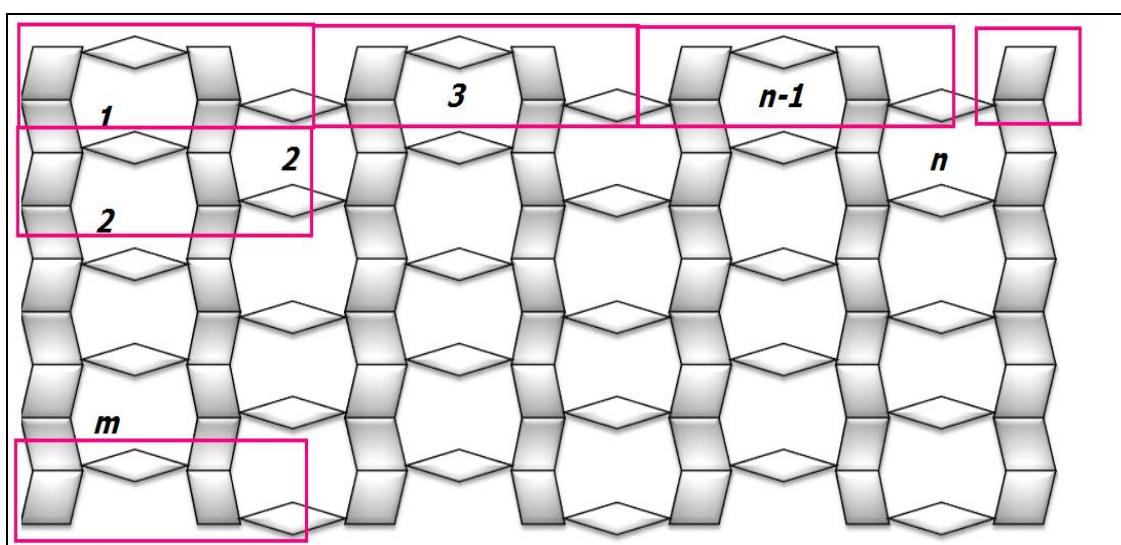
where  $n_u(e|G)$  is the number of vertices of  $G$  lying closer to  $u$  than  $v$  and  $n_v(e|G)$  is the number of vertices of  $G$  lying closer to  $v$  than  $u$ . Notice that vertices equidistance from  $u$  and  $v$  are not taken into account.

The aim of this paper is to compute the vertex Szeged index of Titania carbon Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$ . Throughout this paper, our notation is standard. For further study of some applications of

Szeged indices in nanotechnology can be finding in the paper series <sup>12-18</sup>.

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION:

In this present section, the vertex Szeged index of Titania carbon Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$ . The graph of the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  is presented in **Fig.1**, where  $m$  denotes the number of octagons in a column and  $n$  denotes the number of octagons in a row of the Titania Nanotubes. We encourage the reader to consult papers <sup>19-30</sup>, for further study and more information of Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2$ .



**FIG. 1: THE TITANIA PLANAR NANOTUBES  $TiO_2(m,n)$   $\forall m,n \in \mathbb{N}$ .**

**Theorem 1:** Let  $TiO_2(m,n)$  be the Titania Nanotubes for a non-negative integers  $m,n$ . Then vertex Szeged index of  $TiO_2(m,n)$  is equal to:

$$Sz_v(TiO_2(m,n)) = 2(m+1)^2 \left( \frac{91mn^3}{3} + \frac{21mn^2}{2} + \frac{65n^3}{3} - \frac{353mn}{6} - 5n^2 - 39m - \frac{394n}{6} - 39 \right)$$

**Proof.** Consider the Titania Planar Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  for all  $m,n \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $12(m+1)(\frac{1}{2}n)+4(m+1)=6mn+4m+6n+4=2(3n+2)(m+1)$  vertices/atoms bonds ( $|V(TiO_2(m,n))|$ ) and  $10mn+6m+8n+4$  edges/Chemical bonds ( $|E(TiO_2(m,n))|$ ) where  $6\binom{n}{2}+2+4(m-1)\binom{n}{2}+0+7+6\binom{n-1}{2}+1=2mn+4n+4$  vertices have degree two,  $2\binom{n}{2}+2\binom{n}{2}=2n$  vertices have degree four,  $2(m)\binom{n}{2}=2mn$  vertices have degree five and there are  $3+2\binom{n-1}{2}+1+5(m-1)+4(m-1)\binom{n-1}{2}+3(m-1)+2\binom{n+1}{2}=2mn+4m$  vertices with degree three.

Here by using the Cut Method and Orthogonal Cuts of the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$ , we can determine all edge cuts (quasi-orthogonal) of the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  in **Table 1** and **Fig. 1**. The edge cut  $C(e)$  is an orthogonal cut, such that the set of all edges  $e \in E(G)$  are strongly co-distant to

$e$  ( $C(e):=\{f \in E(G) / f \text{ is co-distant with } e\}$ ). Also, for further research and study of the cut method and orthogonal cuts in some classes of chemical graphs, see <sup>31, 32</sup>. Some applications of the cut method include the Wiener, hyper-Wiener, weighted Wiener, Wiener-type, Szeged indices and classes of

chemical graphs such as trees, Benzenoid graphs and phenylenes.

Now by using the Cut Method and finding Orthogonal Cuts, we can compute the quantities of  $n_u(e/TiO_2(m,n))$  and  $n_v(e/TiO_2(m,n))$ ,  $\forall e \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$ , which are the number of vertices in two sub-graphs  $TiO_2(m,n)-C(e)$ . In case the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n) \quad \forall e=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$ , we denote  $n_u(e/TiO_2(m,n))$  as the number of vertices in the left component of  $TiO_2(m,n)-C(e)$  and alternatively  $n_v(e/TiO_2(m,n))$  as the number of

vertices in the right component of  $TiO_2(m,n)-C(e)$ , since all edges in  $TiO_2(m,n)$  Nanotubes sheets are oblique or horizontal.

Thus, by according to the structure of the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  for all integer numbers  $m,n > 1$ , we have following results:

For the edge  $e_1=u_1v_1$  that belong to the first square of  $TiO_2(m,n)$  Nanotubes (in the first column and row), we see that

$$n_{u1}(e_1/TiO_2(m,n)) = 2(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v1}(e_1/TiO_2(m,n)) = 6mn + 4m + 6n + 4 - 2(m+1) = 6mn + 2m + 6n + 2.$$

For the edge  $e_2=u_2v_2$ :

$$n_{u2}(e_2/TiO_2(m,n)) = 3 \times 2(m+1) + 1 \times 2(m+1) = 8(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v2}(e_2/TiO_2(m,n)) = 6mn + 4m + 6n + 4 - 8(m+1) = 6mn - 4m + 6n - 4.$$

For the edge  $e_{n+1}=u_{n+1}v_{n+1}$ :

$$n_{un+1}(e_{n+1}/TiO_2(m,n)) = (3n+1) \times 2(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{vn+1}(e_{n+1}/TiO_2(m,n)) = 6mn + 4m + 6n + 4 - (6mn + 6n + 2m + 2) = 2(m+1).$$

Thus, by a simple induction for  $i=1, 2, \dots, n$ ; we can see that for the edge  $e_i=u_iv_i$ :

$$n_{ui}(e_i/TiO_2(m,n)) = 2(m+1) \times (3(i-1)+1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{vi}(e_i/TiO_2(m,n)) &= 6mn + 4m + 6n + 4 - (6mi + 6i - 4m - 4) \\ &= 6m(n-i) + 6(n-i) + 8(m+1) \\ &= 6(m+1)(n-i) + 8(m+1) \\ &= 2(m+1)(3(n-i)+4). \end{aligned}$$

Let the edge  $f_1=u_1v_1 \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$  be the first oblique edge in the first square of  $TiO_2(m,n)$  Nanotubes (in the first column and row), we see that

$$n_{u1}(f_1/TiO_2(m,n)) = m+1$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{v1}(f_1/TiO_2(m,n)) &= 6mn + 4m + 6n + 4 - (m+1) \\ &= 6mn + 3m + 6n + 3 \\ &= 6n(m+1) + 3(m+1) \\ &= (6n+3)(m+1). \end{aligned}$$

For the edge  $f_2=u_2v_2$ :

$$n_{u2}(f_2/TiO_2(m,n))=(m+1)+3\times 2(m+1)=7(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v2}(f_2/TiO_2(m,n))=6mn+4m+6n+4-7(m+1)=6n(m+1)-3(m+1)=(6n-3)(m+1).$$

For the edge  $f_{(n+1)}=u v$ :

$$n_{u(n+1)}(f_{(n+1)}/TiO_2(m,n))=(m+1)+3n\times 2(m+1)=(6n+1)(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v(n+1)}(f_{(n+1)}/TiO_2(m,n))=(6n+4)(m+1)-(6n+1)(m+1)=3(m+1).$$

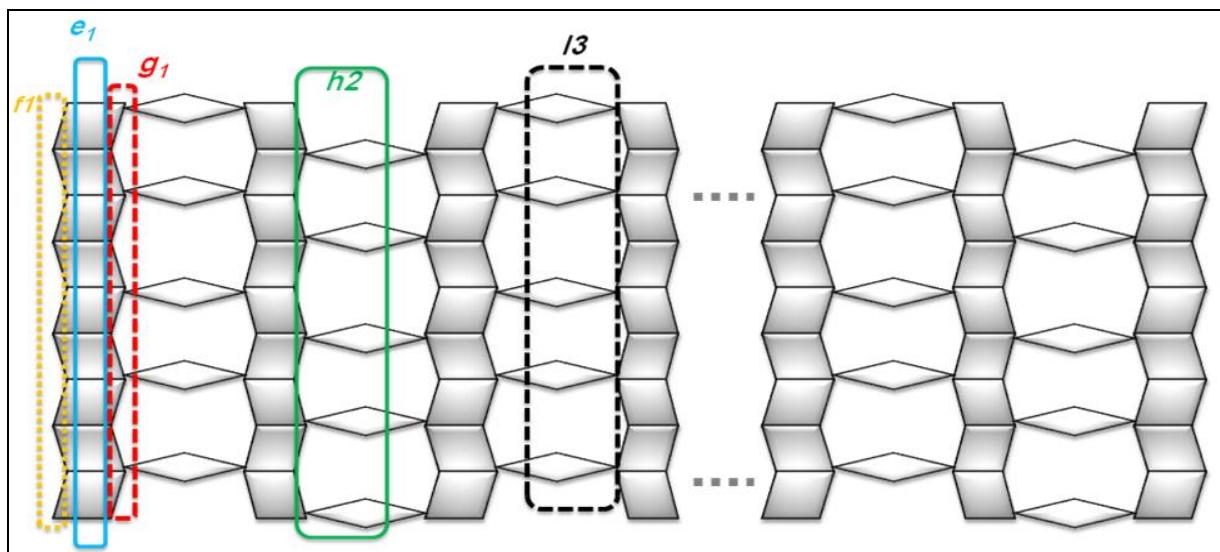


FIG. 2: CATEGORIES FOR EDGES OF THE TITANIA CARBON NANOTUBES  $TiO_2(m,n)$ .

Therefore, by a simple induction for  $j=1,2,\dots,n+1$ ; we can see that

For the edge  $f_j=u_jv_j$ :

$$n_{uj}(f_j/TiO_2(m,n))=3(j-1)\times 2(m+1)+(m+1)=(m+1)(6j-5)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{vj}(f_j/TiO_2(m,n)) &= (6n+4)(m+1)-(m+1)(6j-5) \\ &= (m+1)(6n-6j+9) \\ &= 3(m+1)(2n+3-2j). \end{aligned}$$

Let the edge  $g_1=u_1v_1 \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$  be the second oblique edge in the first square of  $TiO_2(m,n)$

Nanotubes (in the first column and row), so we have

$$n_{u1}(g_1/TiO_2(m,n))=2(m+1)+(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v1}(g_1/TiO_2(m,n))=(6n+4)(m+1)-3(m+1)=(6n+1)(m+1)$$

For  $g_2=u_2v_2$ :

$$n_{u2}(g_2/TiO_2(m,n))=3\times 2(m+1)+2(m+1)+(m+1)=9(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v2}(g_2/TiO_2(m,n)) = (6n+4)(m+1) - 9(m+1) = (6n-5)(m+1)$$

For  $g_{n+1}=u_{n+1}v_{n+1}$ :

$$n_{un+1}(g_{n+1}/TiO_2(m,n)) = 3n \times 2(m+1) + 2(m+1) + (m+1) = (6n+3)(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{vn+1}(g_{n+1}/TiO_2(m,n)) = (6n+4)(m+1) - (6n+3)(m+1) = (m+1).$$

And these imply that  $\forall j=1, 2, \dots, n+1$

$$n_{uj}(g_j/TjO_2(m,n)) = 3j \times 2(m+1) + 3(m+1) = (m+1)(6j+3)$$

and

$$n_{vj}(g_j/TjO_2(m,n)) = (6n+4)(m+1) - (m+1)(6j+3) = (m+1)(6n-6j+1).$$

Finally, let  $h_1=u_1v_1$  &  $l_2=u_2v_2 \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$  be the first and second oblique edges in the second square of the first row (or the first square in the second column) of  $TiO_2(m,n)$  Nanotubes, then

$$n_{u1}(h_1/TiO_2(m,n)) = 2 \times 2(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{u2}(l_2/TiO_2(m,n)) = 3 \times 2(m+1)$$

$$n_{v1}(h_1/TiO_2(m,n)) = (6n+4)(m+1) - 2(m+1) = (6n+2)(m+1)$$

and

$$n_{v2}(l_2/TiO_2(m,n)) = (6n+1)(m+1)$$

And by a simple induction on  $\forall i=1, 2, \dots, n$ ; for the edges  $h_i=u_iv_i$  and  $l_i=a_ib_i$  we have

$$n_{ui}(h_i/TiO_2(m,n)) = 3(i-1) \times 2(m+1) + 2 \times 2(m+1) = 2(m+1)(3i-1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{vi}(h_i/TiO_2(m,n)) &= (6n+4)(m+1) - 2(m+1)(3i-1) \\ &= (m+1)(6n-6i+6) \\ &= 6(m+1)(n+1-i). \end{aligned}$$

$$n_{ai}(l_i/TiO_2(m,n)) = 3(i-1) \times 2(m+1) + 3 \times 2(m+1) = 6i(m+1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} n_{bi}(l_i/TiO_2(m,n)) &= (6n+4)(m+1) - 6i(m+1) \\ &= (m+1)(6n-6i+4) \\ &= 3(m+1)(3n+2-2i). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hands, by according to **Fig. 2**, we can see that the size of all orthogonal cuts for these

edge categories in the Titania Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$  are equal to ( $\forall i=1, 2, \dots, n+1$ ):

$$|C(e_i)| = |C(h_i)| = |C(l_i)| = 2(m+1)$$

And

$$|C(f_i)| = |C(g_i)| = 2m+1.$$

Here by above mentions results of  $n_u(e/TiO_2(m,n))$  and  $n_v(e/TiO_2(m,n))$  ( $\forall e \in E(TiO_2(m,n))$ ,  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}-\{1\}$ ) and according to **Fig. 2**, we will have following

computations for the vertex PI, Szeged indices of Titania Carbon Nanotubes  $TiO_2(m,n)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
S_{Z_v}(TiO_2(m,n)) &= \sum_{e=uv \in E(G)} (n_u(e|G) \times n_v(e|G)) \\
&= \sum_{\substack{e_i=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n)) \\ \forall i=1,2,\dots,n+1}} |C(e_i)| (n_u(e_i|TiO_2(m,n)) \times n_v(e_i|TiO_2(m,n))) \\
&\quad + \sum_{\substack{f_i=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n)) \\ \forall i=1,2,\dots,n+1}} |C(f_i)| \times n_u(f_i|TiO_2(m,n)) n_v(f_i|TiO_2(m,n)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{\substack{g_i=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n)) \\ \forall i=1,2,\dots,n+1}} |C(g_i)| \times n_u(g_i|TiO_2(m,n)) n_v(g_i|TiO_2(m,n)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{\substack{h_i=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n)) \\ \forall i=1,2,\dots,n}} |C(h_i)| \times n_u(h_i|TiO_2(m,n)) n_v(h_i|TiO_2(m,n)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{\substack{l_i=uv \in E(TiO_2(m,n)) \\ \forall i=1,2,\dots,n}} |C(l_i)| \times n_u(l_i|TiO_2(m,n)) n_v(l_i|TiO_2(m,n)) \\
&= \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 2(m+1)(2(m+1)(3(i-1)+1) \times 2(m+1)(3(n-i)+4)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 2(m+1)((m+1)(6i-5) \times 3(m+1)(2n+3-2i)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 2(m+1)((m+1)(6i+3) \times (m+1)(6n-6i+1)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{i=1}^n (2m+1)(2(m+1)(3i-1) \times (m+1)(n+1-i)) \\
&\quad + \sum_{i=1}^n (2m+1)(6i(m+1) \times 3(m+1)(3n+2-2i)) \\
&= 8(m+1)^3 \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (3(i-1)+1)(3(n-i)+4) \\
&\quad + 6(m+1)^3 \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (6i-5)(2n+3-2i) \\
&\quad + 2(m+1)^3 \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (6i+3)(6n-6i+1) \\
&\quad + 2(2m+1)(m+1)^2 \sum_{i=1}^n (3i-1)(n+1-i) \\
&\quad + 18(2m+1)(m+1)^2 \sum_{i=1}^n i(3n+2) - 2i^2 \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 [4(m+1) \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (-6i^2 + (9n+10)i - 2(3n+2)) \\
&\quad + 3(m+1) \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (-12i^2 + (12n+25)i - 5(2n+3)) \\
&\quad + (m+1) \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (-18i^2 + 6(n-2)i + 3(6n+1)) \\
&\quad + (2m+1) \sum_{i=1}^n (-i^2 + (3n+4)i - (n+1)) \\
&\quad + 9(2m+1) \sum_{i=1}^n (-2i^2 + (3n+2)i)]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2(m+1)^2 \left[ \left( m+1 \right) \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left( -78i^2 + (78n+103)i - (72n+64) \right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + (2m+1) \sum_{i=1}^n \left( -19i^2 + (30n+22)i - (n+1) \right) \right] \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 \left[ \left( m+1 \right) \sum_{i=1}^n \left( -78i^2 + (78n+103)i - (72n+64) \right) - (47n+39) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + (2m+1) \sum_{i=1}^n \left( -19i^2 + (30n+22)i - (n+1) \right) \right] \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 [(m+1) \left[ \left( -78 \left( \frac{n^3}{3} + \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{6} \right) + (78n+103) \left( \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} \right) - n(72n+64) \right) - (47n+39) \right] \\
&\quad + (2m+1) \left( -19 \left( \frac{n^3}{3} + \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{6} \right) + (30n+22) \left( \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} \right) - n(n+1) \right)] \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 \left[ (m+1) \left( -\frac{78n^3}{3} - \frac{78n^2}{2} - \frac{78n}{6} + \frac{78n^3}{2} + \frac{181n^2}{2} + \frac{103n}{2} - 72n^2 - 64n - 47n - 39 \right) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + (2m+1) \left( -\frac{19n^3}{3} - \frac{19n^2}{2} - \frac{19n}{6} + 15n^3 + 26n^2 + 11n - n^2 - n \right) \right] \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 \left[ (m+1) \left( 13n^3 - \frac{41n^2}{2} - \frac{145n}{2} - 39 \right) + (2m+1) \left( \frac{26n^3}{3} + \frac{31n^2}{2} + \frac{41n}{6} \right) \right] \\
&= 2(m+1)^2 \left( \frac{91mn^3}{3} + \frac{21mn^2}{2} + \frac{65n^3}{3} - \frac{353mn}{6} - 5n^2 - 39m - \frac{394n}{6} - 39 \right)
\end{aligned}$$

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