

Hamiltonian Cycles in Directed Toeplitz Graphs

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An $n \times n$ matrix $A = (a_{ij})$ is called a Toeplitz matrix if it has constant values along all diagonals parallel to the main diagonal. A directed Toeplitz graph is a digraph with Toeplitz adjacency matrix. In this talk I will discuss conditions for the existence of hamiltonian cycles in directed Toeplitz graphs.

Notation: The main diagonal of an $n \times n$ Toeplitz adjacency matrix will be labeled 0 and it contains only zeros. The $n - 1$ distinct diagonals above the main diagonal will be labeled $1, 2, \dots, n - 1$ and those under the main diagonal will also be labeled $1, 2, \dots, n - 1$. Let s_1, s_2, \dots, s_k be the upper diagonals containing ones and t_1, t_2, \dots, t_l be the lower diagonals containing ones, such that $0 < s_1 < s_2 < \dots < n$ and $0 < t_1 < t_2 < \dots < n$. Then, the corresponding Toeplitz graph will be denoted by $T_n \langle s_1, s_2, \dots, s_k; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_l \rangle$. That is $T_n \langle s_1, s_2, \dots, s_k; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_l \rangle$ is the graph with vertices $1, 2, \dots, n$ in which the edge (i, j) occurs if and only if $j - i = s_p$ or $i - j = t_q$ for some p and q ($1 \leq p \leq k, 1 \leq q \leq l$).