ON MINIMUM COVERING SETS IN CONNECTED GRAPHS

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Abstract

A vertex covering set M of a connected graph $G = (V, F)$ is the subset of vertex set V which covers all the edges of the graph $G = (V, F)$. A vertex covering set with $|M| = \alpha(G)$, where $\alpha(G)$ is the minimum vertex covering number is called the minimum vertex covering set in G. In this paper, we obtain some results on total number of vertex covering sets in connected graphs, paths and cycles.

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