

## Equitable Power Domination Number of Certain Silicate Structure

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### ABSTRACT

The power dominating set  $S \subseteq V$  in  $G = (V, E)$  is said to be equitable power dominating set when each vertex  $v \in V - S$  has observed nearby vertex  $u \in S$  such that difference between degree of  $u$  and the degree of  $v$  is less than or equal to 1, i.e.  $|d(u) - d(v)| \leq 1$ . The equitable power domination number of a graph  $G$  is the minimal cardinality of its equitable power dominating set, and it is represented by the notation  $\gamma_{epd}(G)$ . This paper explores its use in mineralogy, a discipline that relies heavily on silicate minerals. By demonstrating significant theorems related to chain and sheet silicate graphs, this study advances our understanding of the structural characteristics of silicates. Theorists and chemists involved in mineral study will find these theorems useful. In this research, we examine equitable power domination number of certain silicate structure.

**Keywords:** Molecular structure, silicate structures, and equitable power domination number.

### 1. Introduction

These days, chemical science is vital. Graph theory is a useful tool for chemical chemists. The majority of the usage is silicate, according to this mineralogy. The definitions of domination, power domination, and equitable power domination are reviewed first. [13] A dominating set  $S$  of  $G$  is a collection of vertices with at least one neighbour for each vertex  $v$  in  $v \in V - S$ . The "domination number of  $G$ ," denoted by  $\gamma_d(G)$ , is the lowest cardinality of a dominating set  $S$  in  $G$ . [12] A set is said to be a power dominating set (PDS) of  $G$  if every vertex  $u \in V - S$  is observed by some vertices in  $S$  using the following rules, (i) If a vertex  $v$  in  $G$  is in PDS, then it dominates itself and all the adjacent vertices of  $v$ . (ii) If an observed vertex  $v$  in  $G$  has  $K > 1$  adjacent vertices and if  $K - 1$  of these vertices are already observed, then the remaining non-observed vertex will also be observed by  $v$  in  $G$ . The minimum cardinality of an power dominating set of  $G$  is called power domination number of  $G$ . A power dominating set's lowest cardinality is its power domination number, represented as  $\gamma_{pd}(G)$ . [1] A power dominating set  $S \subseteq V$  in  $G = (V, E)$  is said to be equitable power dominating set. If the difference between the degrees of  $u$  and  $v$  is less than or equal to 1 and every vertex  $v \in V - S$  has an adjacent vertex  $u \in S$ , i.e.  $|d(u) - d(v)| \leq 1$ . A graph's equitable power domination number, denoted by  $\gamma_{epd}(G)$ , is the least cardinality of the equitable power dominating set [1].

Silicate is the biggest, most fascinating, and most complex class of minerals. The  $(SiO_4)$  tetrahedron is the fundamental chemical unit of silicates. A silicate sheet is a ring of tetrahedrons connected by common oxygen nodes in a two- and three-dimensional network. Dimension plane that

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produces a sheet-like shape. Sand is combined with metal carbonates or oxides to create silicate.  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedral may be found in almost all silicate materials. In terms of chemistry, the middle vertex of the  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedron represents the silicon ion, while the corner vertices stand for oxygen ions. According to graph theory, the corner vertices stand in for oxygen nodes, and the center vertex for silicon. In this paper the equitable power domination number of the Certain Silicate Structure in this research.

## 2. Equitable power domination in silicate network:

The most prevalent minerals that form rocks are silicates. Their highly hierarchical organizational structure produces a great deal of diversity: Silicates make up more than 25% of all known minerals.

### 2.1 Nesosilicates (Island Silicates)

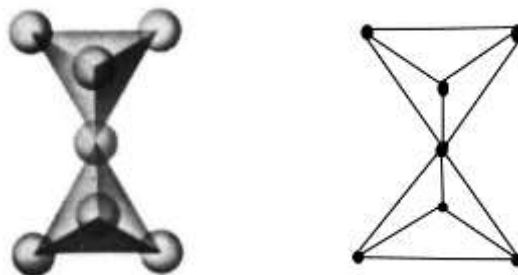
Every  $\text{SiO}_4$  as a tetrahedron will be isolated if the corner oxygens are not shared with any other tetrahedrons. As a result, this group is commonly called the island silicate group. Thus,  $\text{SiO}_4^{4-}$  is the basic structural unit.  $\text{Mg}^{+2}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{+2}$ , and  $\text{Ca}^{+2}$  are examples of octahedral groups that share the oxygens in this group. Olivine is the ideal illustration.



Fig. 2.1:  $(\text{SiO}_4)^{4-}$

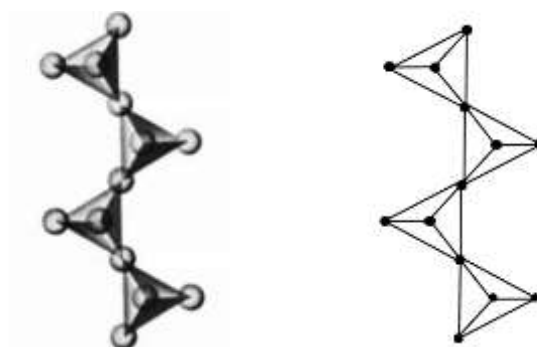
### 2.2 Sorosilicates (Double Island Silicates)

The sorosilicate group is created when one of the corner oxygens is shared by two tetrahedrons. Because there are two connected tetrahedrons that are separated from every other tetrahedron, this group is frequently referred to as the "double island group."  $\text{Si}_2\text{O}_7^{6-}$  is the fundamental structural unit in this instance. Hemimorphite is a mineral that is a good example of a sorosilicate. Certain sorosilicates, such as epidote, combine single and double islands.

Fig. 2.2:  $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_7)^{6-}$ 

### 2.3 Chain Silicate:

A straight line connecting the tetrahedral is the simplest way to visualize the formation of an inosilicate or chain silicate. Each neighbor of a  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedron shares two oxygen atoms in this manner. The tetrahedral apices of these chain silicates all point in the same direction, and the excess charges are balanced by cations such as  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ . The chains are held together by these two ions, where calcium has eight oxygen atoms and magnesium has six. This kind of single chain silicate, which includes pyroxenes, has a chemical formula made up of several  $\text{Si}_2\text{O}_6$  units arranged parallel to the c-axis.

Fig. 2.3:  $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_6)^{4-}$ 

### 2.4 Double chain

A pair of adjacent chains with the same orientation and a shared oxygen bond make up double chain silicates, which include the amphiboles.  $\text{Si}_4\text{O}_{11}$  is the most basic unit of the structure formed by the periodic sharing of oxygen atoms along the chain. Ions such as  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  are responsible for the bonding of adjacent paired chains. The structure also contains hydroxyl groups, which fluorine may substitute for. Aluminum could also be used in place of silicon.

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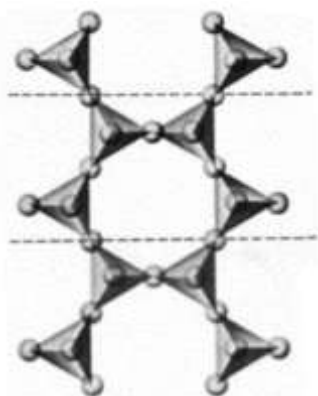
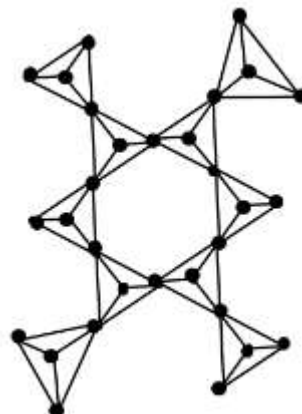


Fig. 2.4:



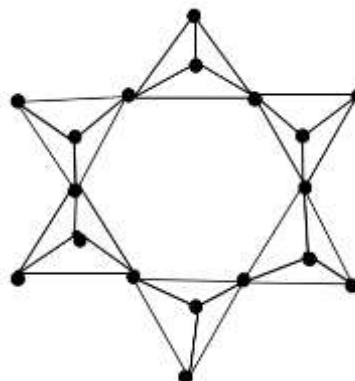
## 2.5 Cyclic

**silicate:**

Many tetrahedral silicates are joined together and then closed to form a ring to form cyclic silicates, also known as ring silicates. Three  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedral links that share two oxygen atoms with each other to form a six-membered ring make up one subgroup. This indicates that the ring structure has an overall charge of 6 and the chemical formula  $\text{Si}_3\text{O}_9$ . On the other hand, rings could be made of four or six interconnected  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedral. In the second scenario, a structure with the formula  $\text{Si}_6\text{O}_{18}$  has an overall charge of 12. The Si:O ratio is lowered to 1:3 in each instance due to the neighboring tetrahedral sharing of oxygen atoms. In each of these configurations, aluminum can be used in place of silicon, and the cations that typically balance the charges include  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ . The more unusual elements beryllium, lithium, boron and fluorine are also present in some cyclic silicates.



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## 2.6 Sheet

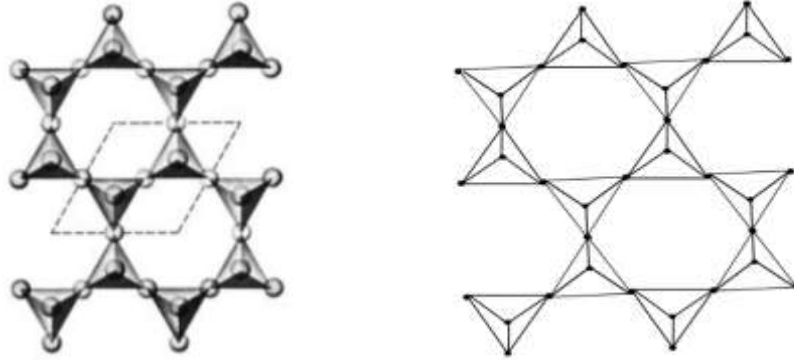
**silicate**  
**(Phyllosilicate):**

Sheet silicates

are imagined that several of the amphiboles' double chain structures are laid down next to one another and are subsequently joined by the sharing of oxygen atoms. This is how a sheet is formed. In this manner, tetrahedral rings unite to form a single plane with a tessellated pattern when viewed from above. This results in the Si:O ratio dropping to 1:2.5 because one oxygen atom in each tetrahedron is free and pointed away from the sheet, while the other three oxygens are shared with neighboring tetrahedral. Following that, layers of cations and other related ions, elements, and molecules bind adjacent sheets to one another. The comparatively weak ionic chemical bonds utilized in this situation make the sheets prone to separation. As a result, the final mineral frequently has a plate appearance with perfect basal cleavage and is relatively soft (hardness 1 to 3). Phyllosilicates are incredibly robust

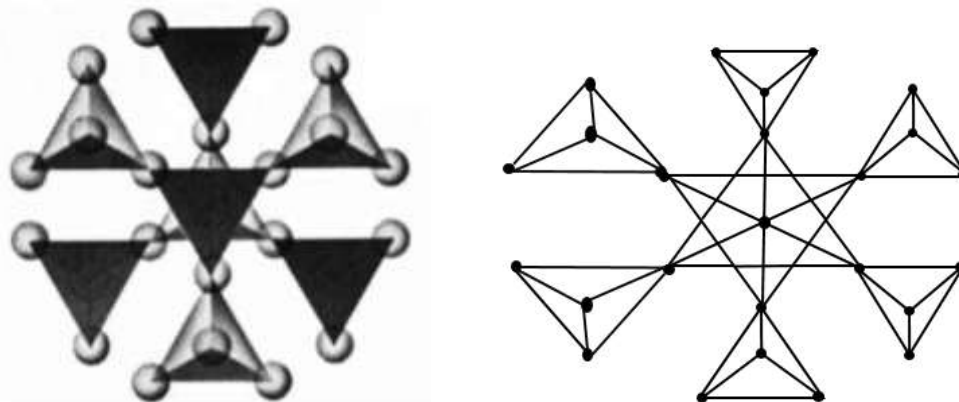
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despite this, withstanding both chemical weathering and metamorphic changes. They are therefore widespread in igneous, metamorphic, and sedimentary settings. Phyllosilicates exhibit remarkable diversity and comprise micas, minerals belonging to the serpentine group, and the most prevalent silicate minerals, clay minerals.

Fig. 2.6:  $(\text{Si}_2\text{O}_5)^{2-}$ 

### 2.7 Framework Silicates (Tectosilicates):

A structure known as a framework forms if every corner oxygen is shared by another  $\text{SiO}_4$  tetrahedron. Next,  $\text{SiO}_2$  becomes the fundamental structural group. This structural basis is shared by the minerals tridymite, cristobalite, and quartz. More ions coordinated in various configurations can be discovered inside the framework structure if some of the  $\text{Si}^{+4}$  ions are swapped out for  $\text{Al}^{+3}$ . Charges become unbalanced as a result. That being said, the tectosilicate structure also serves as the basis for the feldspar and feldspathoid minerals.

Fig. 2.7:  $(\text{SiO}_2)$ 

## 3. Main Results

**Theorem 3.1:**

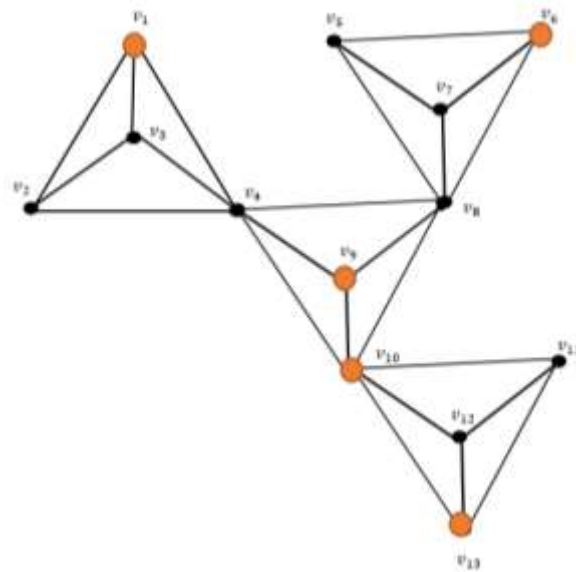
For  $n \geq 1$ , Let, 'N' be the Nesosilicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(N_n) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n=1 \\ n+1, & \text{if } n \geq 2 \end{cases}$

(If 'n' represent number of copies has  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$  indicates vertex set  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots\}$  denote the edge set.

Let, S represents the set of equitable power domination.



$$\gamma_{epd}(N_4) = 5$$

From the above figure, Let us choose  $v_{10}$  in s. then  $v_{10}$  dominates  $v_4, v_8$ . Then choose  $v_1$  in s it dominates  $v_3, v_2$ . Choose  $v_6$  in s it dominates  $v_5, v_7$ . Choose  $v_{13}$  in s it dominates  $v_{12}, v_{11}$ . Choose  $v_9$  in s it dominates itself. Likewise one can prove that

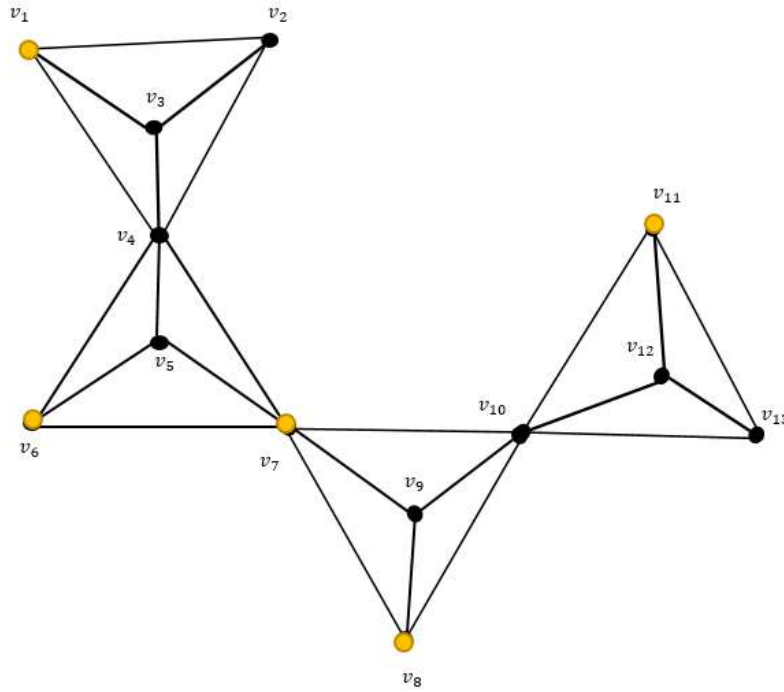
$$\gamma_{epd}(N_n) = n+1, \text{ for every } n \geq 2$$

**Result 3.2:**

For  $n \geq 2$ , Let, S be the sorosilicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(S_n) = n+1$

(if n represent number of copies has  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**



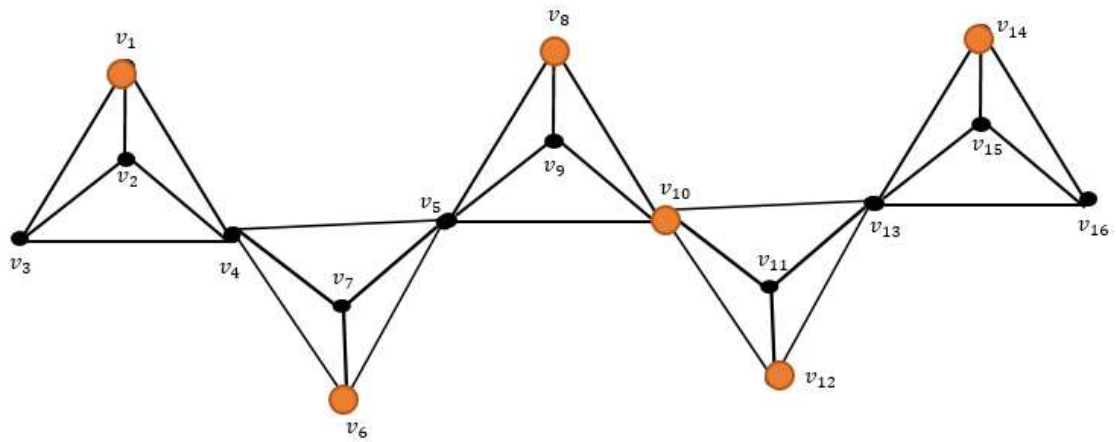
$$\gamma_{epd}(S_4) = 5$$

**Result 3.3:**

For  $n \geq 2$ , Let  $C$  be the chain silicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(C_n) = n+1$ .

(If 'n' represent number of copies has  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**



$$\gamma_{epd}(C_3) = 6$$

**Theorem 3.4:**

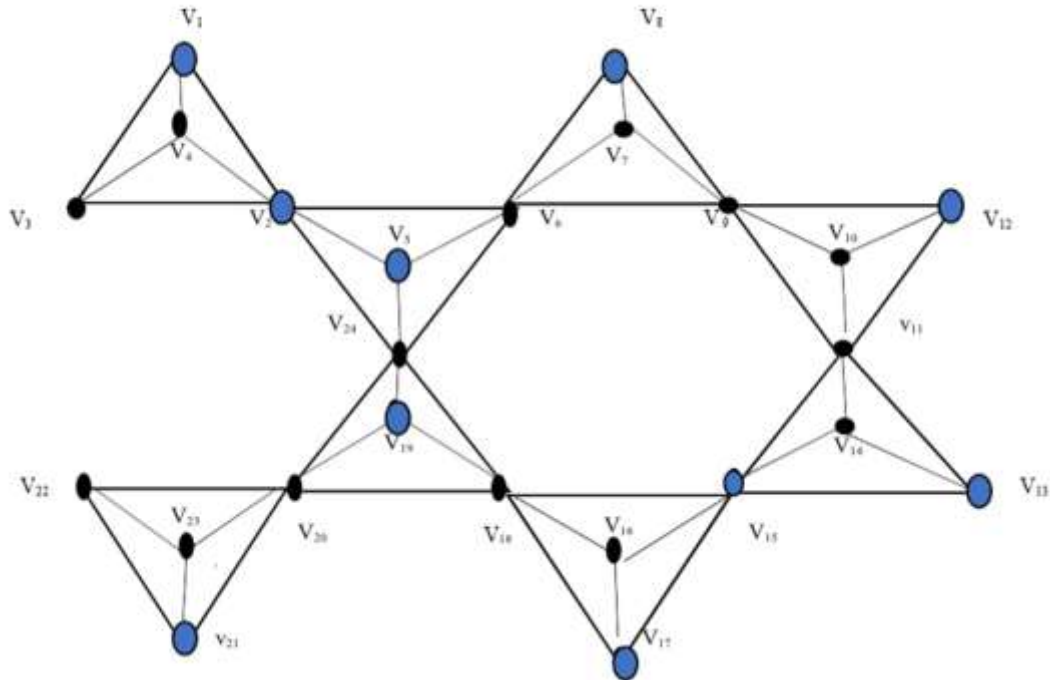
For  $n \geq 2$ , Let DC be the double chain silicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(DC_n) = 2n + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$

(If 'n' represents double the number of copies has twin  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$  denote the vertex set  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots\}$  denote the edge set.

Let, S be the equitable power domination set.



$$\gamma_{epd}(DC_4) = 10$$

From the above figure, Let us choose  $v_2$  in s. then  $v_2$  dominates  $v_{24}, v_6$ . Then choose  $v_{15}$  in s it dominates  $v_{11}, v_{18}$ . Choose  $v_1$  in s it dominates  $v_4, v_3$ . Choose  $v_8$  in s it dominates  $v_7$ . Choose  $v_{12}$  in s it dominates  $v_{10}$ . Choose  $v_{13}$  in s it dominates  $v_{14}$ . Choose  $v_{17}$  in s it dominates  $v_{16}$ . Choose  $v_{21}$  in s it dominates  $v_{23}, v_{22}$ . Choose  $v_5, v_{19}$  in s it dominates itself. Now for  $v_{20}, v_9$ , is the only one non – observed vertex then  $v_{24}$  observed  $v_{20}, v_6$  observed  $v_9$ . Likewise one prove that

$$\gamma_{epd}(DC_n) = 2n + \lfloor n/2 \rfloor, \text{ for every } n.$$

**Theorem 3.5:**

For  $n \geq 3$ , Let CS be the cyclic silicate graph, then

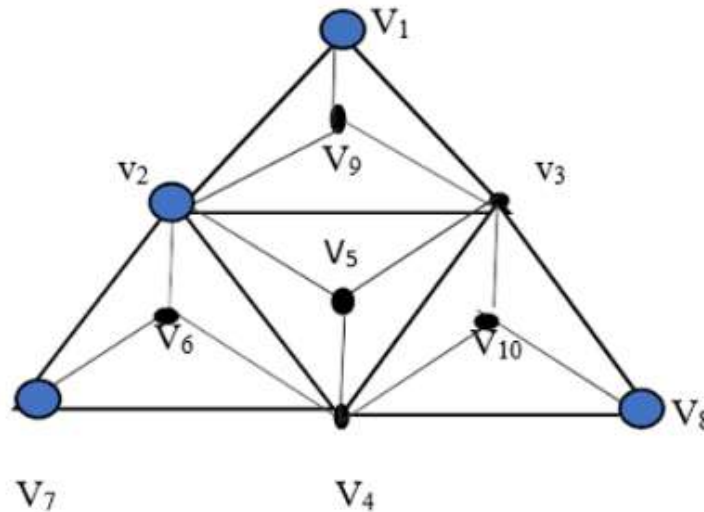
$$\gamma_{epd}(CS_n) = n + \lfloor n/4 \rfloor.$$

(If 'n' represent number of copies has twin  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$  denote the vertex set  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots\}$  denote the edge set.

Let, S be the equitable power domination set.



$$\gamma_{epd}(CS_3) = 4$$

From the above figure, Let us choose  $v_2$  in s. then  $v_2$  dominates  $v_3, v_4$ . Then choose  $v_1$  in s it dominates  $v_9$ . Choose  $v_7$  in s it dominates  $v_6$ . Choose  $v_8$  in s it dominates  $v_{10}$ . Likewise one prove that

$$\gamma_{epd}(CS_n) = n + \lfloor n/4 \rfloor, \text{ for every } n$$

**Theorem 3.6:**

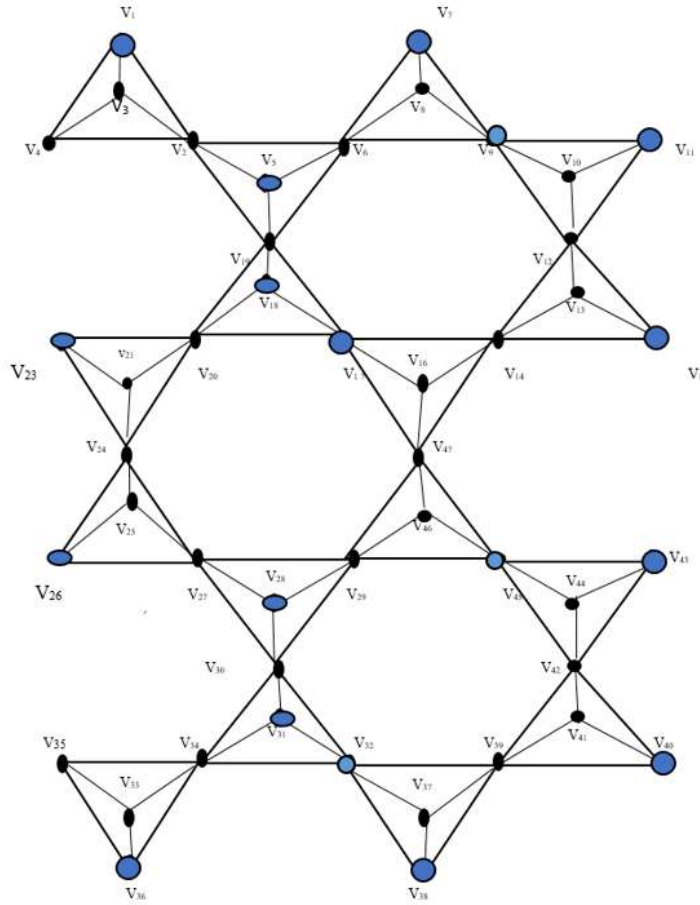
For  $n \geq 4$ , Let SS be the sheet silicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(SS_n) = 2n + 3$ .

(If 'n' represent four number of copies has twin  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$  denote the vertex set  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots\}$  denote the edge set.

Let, S be the equitable power domination set.



$$\gamma_{epd}(SS_8) = 19$$

From the above figure, Let us choose  $v_9$  in  $s$ . then  $v_9$  dominates  $v_{12}, v_6$ . Then choose  $v_{17}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{19}, v_{20}, v_{14}, v_{47}, v_{20}$ . Choose  $v_{32}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{39}, v_{30}, v_{34}$ . Choose  $v_1$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_3, v_4$ . Choose  $v_7$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_8$ . Choose  $v_{11}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{10}$ . Choose  $v_{15}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{13}$ . Choose  $v_{43}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{44}$ . Choose  $v_{49}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{41}$ . Choose  $v_{38}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{37}$ . Choose  $v_{36}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{33}, v_{35}$ . Choose  $v_{26}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{25}$ . Choose  $v_{23}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{28}$ . Choose  $v_5, v_{18}, v_{16}, v_{46}, v_6, v_{31}$  in  $s$  it dominates itself. Now for  $v_2, v_{24}, v_{29}, v_{27}, v_{45}, v_{42}$  is the only one non – observed vertex then  $v_6$  observed  $v_2, v_{20}$  observed  $v_{24}, v_{47}$  observed  $v_{29}, v_{30}$  observed  $v_{27}, v_{47}$  observed  $v_{45}, v_{39}$  observed  $v_{42}$ . Likewise one prove that

$$\gamma_{epd}(SS_n) = 2n+3, \text{ for every } n.$$

**Theorem 3.7:**

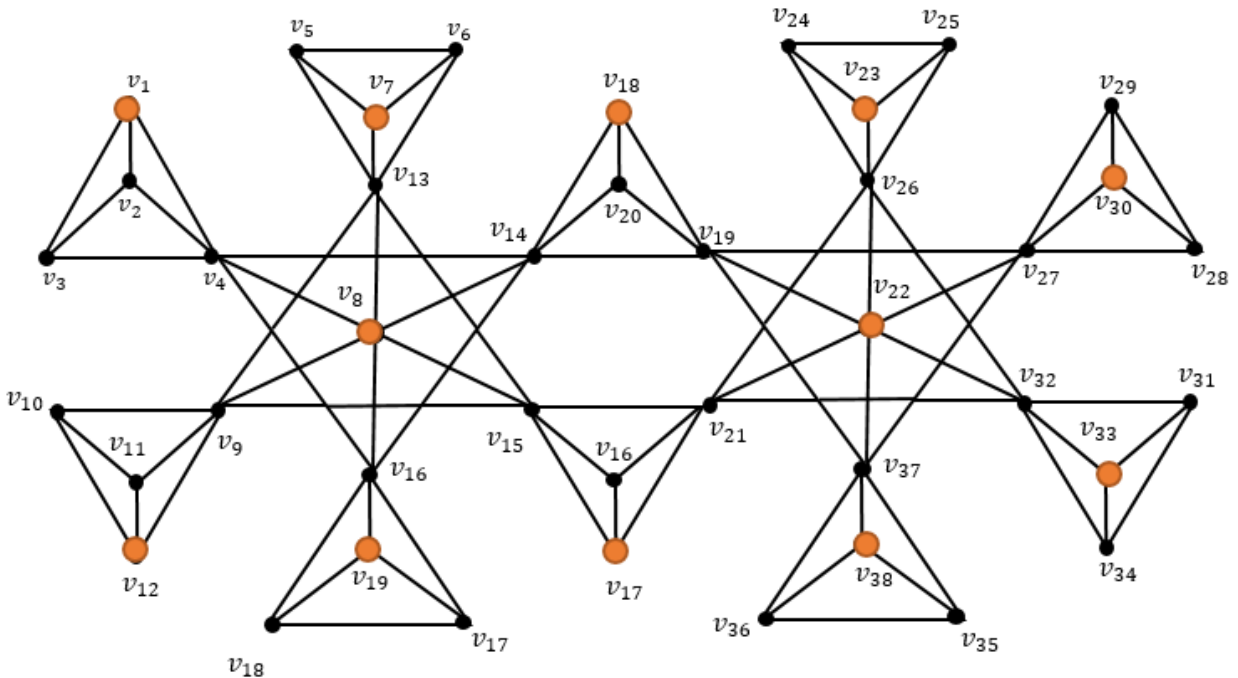
For  $n \geq 1$ , Let TS be the tectosilicate graph, then  $\gamma_{epd}(TS_n) = 5n+2$

(If 'n' represent four number of copies has  $k_4$ )

**Proof:**

Let  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$  indicates vertex set  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, \dots\}$  denote the edge set.

Let, S represents the set of equitable power domination.



$$\gamma_{epd}(TS_2) = 12$$

From the above figure, Let us choose  $v_8$  in  $s$ . then  $v_8$  dominates  $v_4, v_{13}, v_{14}, v_{15}, v_{16}, v_9$ . Then choose  $v_{22}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{26}, v_{27}, v_{32}, v_{37}, v_{21}, v_{19}$ . Choose  $v_1$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_2, v_3$ . Choose  $v_7$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_5, v_6$ . Choose  $v_{18}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{20}$ . Choose  $v_{23}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{24}, v_{25}$ . Choose  $v_{30}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{29}, v_{28}$ . Choose  $v_{33}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{31}, v_{34}$ . Choose  $v_{38}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{35}, v_{36}$ . Choose  $v_{17}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{16}$ . Choose  $v_{19}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{18}, v_{17}$ . Choose  $v_{12}$  in  $s$  it dominates  $v_{11}, v_{10}$ . Likewise one prove that

$$\gamma_{epd}(TS_n) = 5n+2, \text{ for every } n$$

**Conclusion:**

The study offers a distinctive description of equitable power domination tailored to silicate structures, proving that conventional domination theories may be successfully applied to mineralogical settings. By successfully determining the equitable power dominance numbers for a variety of silicate structure types, including cyclic silicates, chain silicates, double chain silicates, and sheet silicates, the study expands the theoretical framework of domination in graph theory. By demonstrating how mathematical ideas may be used to address practical issues in chemical science, this study successfully closes the gap between graph theory and mineralogy and promotes interdisciplinary cooperation and creativity. Future research might investigate fair power dominance in mineral classes other than silicates, including oxides or carbonates, in order to get a more comprehensive knowledge of mineral structures.

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