



Labelings, Colorings and Distances in Graphs

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Some of the central topics in graph theory are that of graph labeling and graph coloring. The graph labeling/coloring problem involves assigning labels/colors to certain set of graph elements subject to certain restrictions and constraints. Both graph labelings and graph colorings can be used to solve a wide variety of problems in real world, as well as theoretical challenges.

The distance between two vertices, i.e., the length of a shortest path between these vertices, is the basis of the definition of many graph parameters including metric dimension. The metric dimension and its variants have appeared in various applications of graph theory.

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