A new family of antimagic graphs

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A tribute to Mirka Miller

An antimagic labeling of a graph G = (V, E) is a bijection from the set of edges E to the set of integers $\{1, 2, \ldots, |E|\}$ such that all vertex weights are pairwise distinct and where the weight of a vertex is the sum of all edge labels incident with that vertex. A double broom DB(p, q, m) is a graph with p + q + m + 1 vertices and whose p + q + m edges are the edges of a path of length m to which were added at the ends points, respectively p and q edges $(p, q \ge 2 \text{ and } m \ge 1)$. The question of the antimagicness of those graphs was proposed by Mirka during the 12^{th} GraphMasters in Plzen (2014), and she should be very pleased to know that we proved that the answer to her question is yes.

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