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1 Introduction

A graph is an ordered pair G = (V, E) consisting of a finite nonempty set V of vertices and a set E of edges, where each edge is an unordered pair of vertices. A dominating set of a graph G = (V, E) is a set $D \subseteq V$ such that each vertex not in D has at least one neighbor in D. A paired-dominating set is a dominating set whose induced subgraph contains at least one perfect matching [2].

Raz and Safra prove that the dominating set problem has no polynomialtime $C \log |V|$ -approximation algorithms better than $C \log |V|$ [3].

Lin and Tu design an O(m+n) time algorithm for interval graphs and an O(m(m+n)) time algorithm for circular-arc graphs, they solve the paired domination problem in interval graphs.[1].

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