

# Correcting the Number of L-Borderenergetic Graphs of Order 9 and 10

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## Abstract

In the paper "A Computer Search for the L-Borderenergetic Graphs", *MATCH Commun. Math. Comput. Chem.* 77 (2017) 595–606, 120 non-isomorphic non-complete L-borderenergetic graphs of order 10 are reported. By computer search, we find that their total number is 232. The missing graphs are now determined.

## 1 New L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices

A graph of order  $n$  is said to be L-borderenergetic [5] if its Laplacian energy is equal to the Laplacian energy of the complete graph of order  $n$ , i.e., if it is equal to  $2n - 2$ . For more notation consult [4]. For the recent results on the L-Borderenergetic graphs refer [1–3, 5, 6].

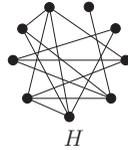
In [4], it was reported that there are exactly 65 non-isomorphic non-complete L-borderenergetic graphs upto 9 vertices. In [1], at the same period of time, it was reported that there exists exactly 75 such graphs respectively. (See Table 1).

|          |   |   |    |   |    |    |
|----------|---|---|----|---|----|----|
| $n$      | 4 | 5 | 6  | 7 | 8  | 9  |
| $number$ | 2 | 1 | 11 | 4 | 31 | 16 |

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|----------|---|---|----|---|----|----|
| $n$      | 4 | 5 | 6  | 7 | 8  | 9  |
| $number$ | 2 | 1 | 11 | 5 | 33 | 23 |

**Table 1.** The numbers of connected non-complete and non-isomorphic L-borderenergetic graphs on  $n$  vertices for  $4 \leq n \leq 9$ .

Based on the software package GraphTea, we developed a program to search for L-borderenergetic graphs on 9 and 10 vertices. As a result, we find 1,112 additional L-borderenergetic graph on 9 and 10 vertices respectively. Figure 1 depicts the respective missed L-borderenergetic graph of order 9.

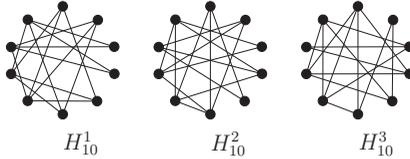


**Figure 1.** Graph  $H$ .

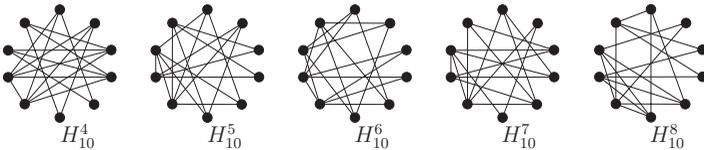
The Laplacian spectrum of  $H$  is  $S_p(H) = \{0, 3, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7\}$ , where  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7$  are the roots of the equation

$$x^7 - 25x^6 + 255x^5 - 1363x^4 + 4076x^3 - 6728x^2 + 5595x - 1773 = 0.$$

It can be verified that  $H$  is not isomorphic to any graph reported in [1,4], and its Laplacian energy is equal to 16.



**Figure 2.** Cospectral L-borderenergetic graphs with 16 edges



**Figure 3.** Cospectral L-borderenergetic graphs with 17 edges

In [4], the number of L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices have been presented. For  $n = 10$ , the number of L-borderenergetic graphs are given as 120, but actually it is 232. We now present all the 112 missing L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices. In [4], the graphs  $G_6^{10}$  and  $G_9^{10}$  depicted in the Figure 4, has Lapalcian energy 16.37281 and 18.10018 respectively. At first, for  $G_6^{10}$  we give the three non-isomorphic non-complete and Laplacian cospectral graphs (See Figure 2) with Laplacian spectrum  $S_p(H_{10}^i) = \{0, 1, 2, 2, 2, 4, 5, 5, 5, 6\}$  for  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Next, for  $G_9^{10}$  we have four non-isomorphic non-complete equidegred Laplacian cospectral graphs  $H_{10}^4, H_{10}^5, H_{10}^6, H_{10}^7$  and a non equidegred graph  $H_{10}^8$  with Laplacian spectrum  $S_p(H_{10}^i) = \{0, 1, 2, 2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$  for  $i = 4, 5, \dots, 8$  (See Figure 3).

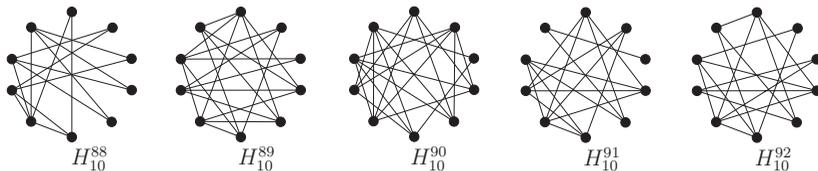
In Table 2, we give the Missed L-borderenergetic graphs  $H_{10}^i$  ( $i = 9, 10, \dots, 87$ ) which are cospectral to some  $G_{10}^j$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots, 120$ ) on 10 vertices (See Figure 5, 6 and 7).

|               |                              |               |                              |                |                              |
|---------------|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| $G_{10}^4$    | $H_{10}^9$                   | $G_{10}^{35}$ | $H_{10}^{32}$                | $G_{10}^{62}$  | $H_{10}^{62,63,64}$          |
| $G_{10}^8$    | $H_{10}^{10}$                | $G_{10}^{38}$ | $H_{10}^{33}$                | $G_{10}^{64}$  | $H_{10}^{65,66}$             |
| $G_{10}^{10}$ | $H_{10}^{11}$                | $G_{10}^{44}$ | $H_{10}^{34}$                | $G_{10}^{65}$  | $H_{10}^{67}$                |
| $G_{10}^{11}$ | $H_{10}^{12,13}$             | $G_{10}^{46}$ | $H_{10}^{35}$                | $G_{10}^{71}$  | $H_{10}^{68,69,70,71,72,73}$ |
| $G_{10}^{14}$ | $H_{10}^{14}$                | $G_{10}^{48}$ | $H_{10}^{36}$                | $G_{10}^{73}$  | $H_{10}^{74}$                |
| $G_{10}^{16}$ | $H_{10}^{15,16}$             | $G_{10}^{49}$ | $H_{10}^{37,38,39,40,41,42}$ | $G_{10}^{74}$  | $H_{10}^{75}$                |
| $G_{10}^{21}$ | $H_{10}^{17}$                | $G_{10}^{50}$ | $H_{10}^{43,44}$             | $G_{10}^{75}$  | $H_{10}^{76}$                |
| $G_{10}^{22}$ | $H_{10}^{18}$                | $G_{10}^{51}$ | $H_{10}^{45}$                | $G_{10}^{76}$  | $H_{10}^{77}$                |
| $G_{10}^{23}$ | $H_{10}^{19}$                | $G_{10}^{52}$ | $H_{10}^{46,47}$             | $G_{10}^{80}$  | $H_{10}^{78,79}$             |
| $G_{10}^{25}$ | $H_{10}^{20}$                | $G_{10}^{53}$ | $H_{10}^{48}$                | $G_{10}^{82}$  | $H_{10}^{80}$                |
| $G_{10}^{27}$ | $H_{10}^{21}$                | $G_{10}^{54}$ | $H_{10}^{49}$                | $G_{10}^{88}$  | $H_{10}^{81,82}$             |
| $G_{10}^{29}$ | $H_{10}^{22,23,24,25,26,27}$ | $G_{10}^{55}$ | $H_{10}^{50}$                | $G_{10}^{92}$  | $H_{10}^{83}$                |
| $G_{10}^{31}$ | $H_{10}^{28}$                | $G_{10}^{57}$ | $H_{10}^{51,52,53,54}$       | $G_{10}^{95}$  | $H_{10}^{84}$                |
| $G_{10}^{32}$ | $H_{10}^{29}$                | $G_{10}^{58}$ | $H_{10}^{55,56,57}$          | $G_{10}^{108}$ | $H_{10}^{85}$                |
| $G_{10}^{33}$ | $H_{10}^{30}$                | $G_{10}^{59}$ | $H_{10}^{58,59}$             | $G_{10}^{110}$ | $H_{10}^{86}$                |
| $G_{10}^{34}$ | $H_{10}^{31}$                | $G_{10}^{61}$ | $H_{10}^{60,61}$             | $G_{10}^{15}$  | $H_{10}^{87}$                |

**Table 2.** Missed L-borderenergetic graphs  $H_{10}^i$  ( $i = 9, 10, \dots, 87$ ) on 10 vertices, cospectral to some graph  $G_{10}^j$  ( $j = 1, 2, \dots, 120$ ).

A graph is Laplacian integral if the spectrum of its Laplacian matrix consists entirely of integers. We say that a polynomial with integer coefficients is quintic (resp. octic, nonic) if the highest degree of all its irreducible factors in rational field is five (resp. eight, nine). In accordance with this, a L-borderenergetic graph is said to be a quintic (resp. octic, nonic) if the characteristic polynomial of Laplacian matrix is quintic (resp. octic, nonic). Next we present 27 non-isomorphic non-complete L-borderenergetic graphs (1 quintic, 2 octic,

2 nonic and 22 integral) with their Laplacian spectrum, which are totally missed out in [4] (See Figure 4 and 8).



**Figure 4.** Non integral L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices

The Laplacian spectrum of the graphs depicted in Figure 4 are

$$S_p(H_{10}^{88}) = \{0, 3 - \sqrt{2}, 2, 3 + \sqrt{2}, 5, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5\}$$

where  $x_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 5)$  are the distinct roots of the equation

$$x^5 - 17x^4 + 104x^3 - 282x^2 + 332x - 136 = 0.$$

$$S_p(H_{10}^{89}) = \{0, 4, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7, x_8\},$$

$$S_p(H_{10}^{90}) = \{0, 5, y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4, y_5, y_6, y_7, y_8\}$$

where  $x_i, y_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 8)$  are the distinct roots of the equations respectively.

$$x^8 - 36x^7 + 552x^6 - 4696x^5 + 24171x^4 - 76826x^3 + 146723x^2 - 153342x + 66880 = 0,$$

$$y^8 - 37y^7 + 584y^6 - 5126y^5 + 27296y^4 - 89968y^3 + 178254y^2 - 192354y + 85162 = 0.$$

$$S_p(H_{10}^{91}) = \{0, x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_7, x_8, x_9\}$$

$$S_p(H_{10}^{92}) = \{0, y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4, y_5, y_6, y_7, y_8, y_9\}$$

where  $x_i, y_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 9)$  are the distinct roots of the equations respectively.

$$x^9 - 34x^8 + 498x^7 - 4109x^6 + 20941x^5 - 67862x^4 + 138260x^3 - 167506x^2 + 105431x - 23865 = 0$$

$$y^9 - 34y^8 + 499y^7 - 4138y^6 + 21300y^5 - 70316y^4 + 148221y^3 - 191382y^2 + 136537y - 40770 = 0$$

The Laplacian spectrum of the 22 Laplacian integral graphs missed out in [4] (See Figure 8) are

|   |  |
|---|--|
| $S_p(H_{10}^{93}) = \{0, 1, 1, 1, 3, 3, 3, 3, 5, 10\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{104}) = \{0, 3, 6, 6, 7, 7, 7, 7, 10\}$     |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{94}) = \{0, 1, 1, 1, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4, 10\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{105}) = \{0, 4, 4, 4, 4, 6, 6, 6, 10\}$     |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{95}) = \{0, 1, 2, 4, 5, 5, 5, 5, 8\}$      | $S_p(H_{10}^{106}) = \{0, 4, 4, 4, 5, 6, 6, 6, 10\}$     |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{96}) = \{0, 1, 3, 3, 3, 4, 5, 5, 6, 8\}$   | $S_p(H_{10}^{107}) = \{0, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 8, 10\}$  |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{97}) = \{0, 1, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 5, 7, 8\}$   | $S_p(H_{10}^{108}) = \{0, 4, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 9, 10\}$  |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{98}) = \{0, 1, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 9, 10\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{109}) = \{0, 4, 5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7, 9, 10\}$  |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{99}) = \{0, 1, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 6, 10\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{110}) = \{0, 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 10, 10\}$ |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{100}) = \{0, 2, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 9\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{111}) = \{0, 5, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 9, 10\}$  |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{101}) = \{0, 2, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 9\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{112}) = \{0, 5, 5, 5, 5, 7, 7, 7, 7, 10\}$  |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{102}) = \{0, 3, 3, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 8, 9\}$  | $S_p(H_{10}^{113}) = \{0, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 10, 10\}$ |
| $S_p(H_{10}^{103}) = \{0, 3, 6, 6, 6, 6, 7, 7, 9, 10\}$ | $S_p(H_{10}^{114}) = \{0, 5, 5, 5, 6, 6, 7, 7, 9, 10\}$  |

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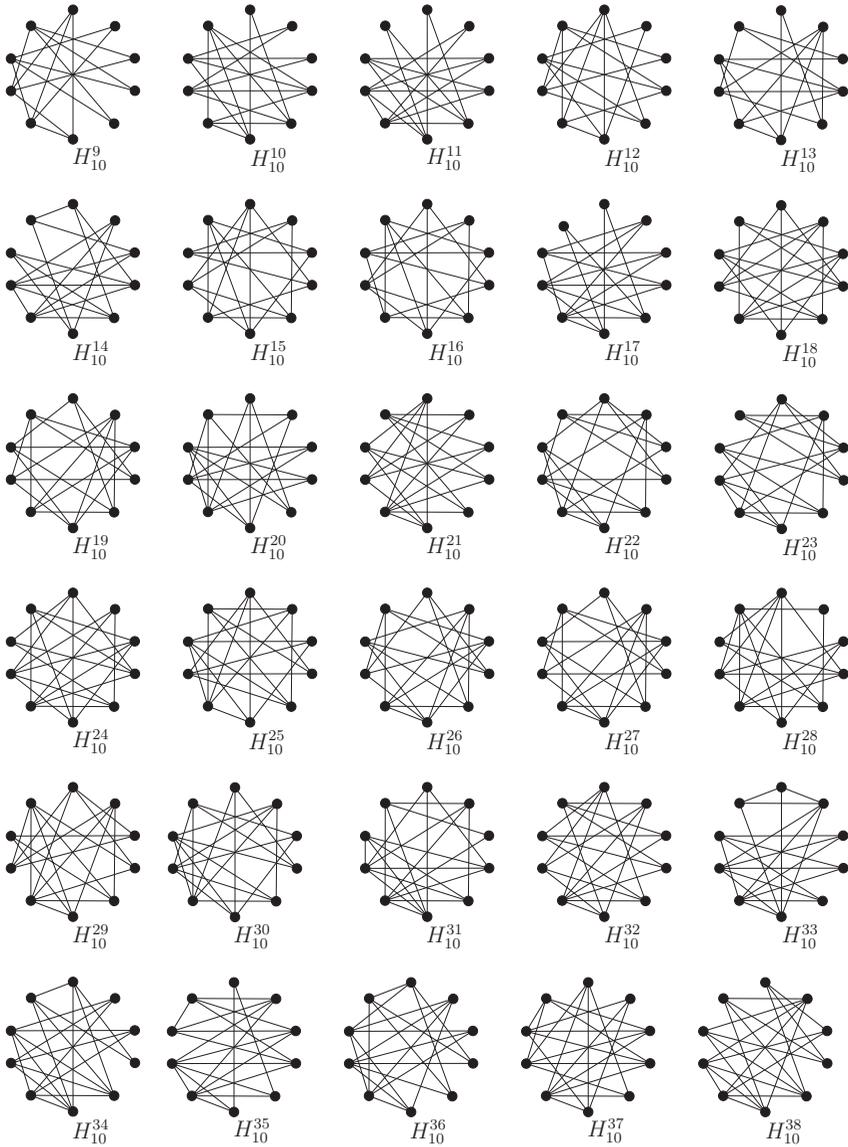


Figure 5. Missed L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices.

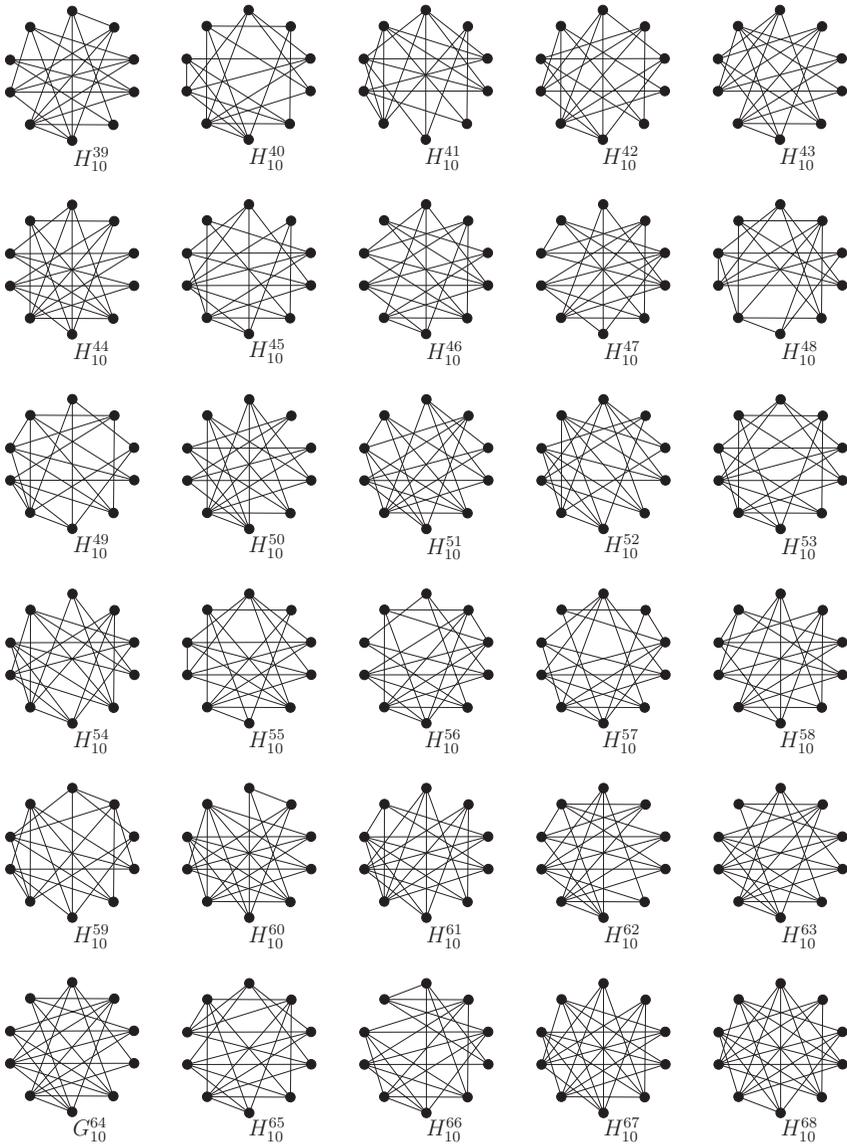


Figure 6. Missed L-borderenergetic graphs on 10 vertices (Continued).

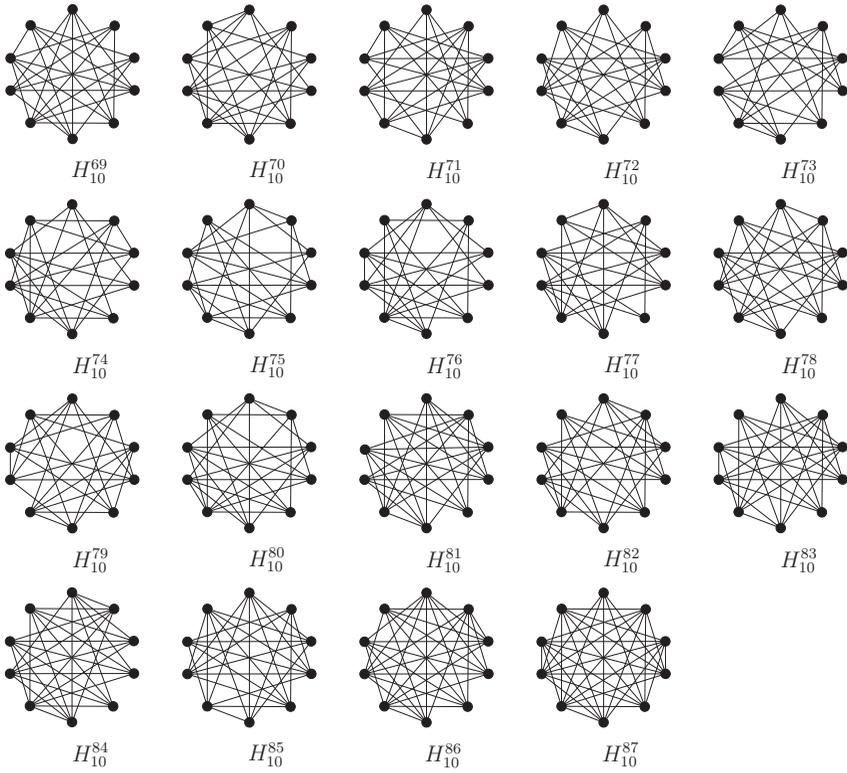


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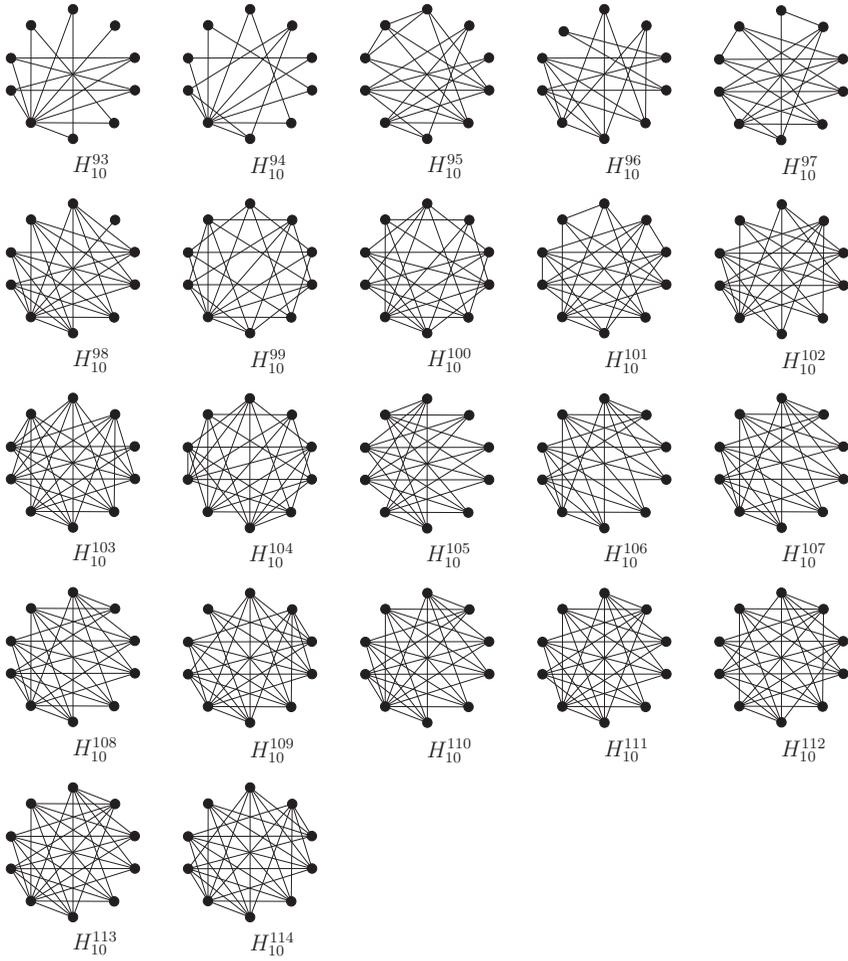


Figure 8. Integral L-borderenergetic on 10 vertices