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Omega Polynomial

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ABSTRACT. A new counting polynomial, called the "Omega" $\Omega(G, x)$ polynomial, is proposed on the ground of quasi-orthogonal cut "qoc" edge strips in a bipartite lattice. Within a qoc not all cut edges are necessarily orthogonal, meaning not all are pairwise codistant. Two topological indices: CI(Cluj-Ilmenau), eventually equal to the well-known PI index, in planar, bipartite graphs and I_{Ω} are defined on the newly proposed polynomial and exemplified. Closed analytical formulas for $\Omega(G, x)$ in polyhex tori are given.

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