1146-05-32 M.M.M. Jaradat* (mmjst4@qu.edu.qa), Department of Mathematics, Statistics and Phy, Qatar University, Doha, Qatar, and M Bataineh and T. Vetrik. The Ramsey numbers for theta graphs versus the wheel of order 5.

The study of exact values and bounds on the Ramsey numbers of graphs forms an important family of problems in the extremal graph theory. For a set of graphs S and a graph F, the Ramsey number R(S, F) is the smallest positive integer r such that for every graph G on r vertices, G contains a graph in S as a subgraph or the complement of G contains F as a subgraph. Ramsey numbers of various graphs including theta graphs and wheels have been extensively studied. We extend known results in the area by presenting exact values of the Ramsey numbers $R(\theta_n, W_5)$ for $n \ge 5$, where θ_n is the set of theta graphs of order n and W_5 is the wheel graph of order 5.

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