

## Chapter 3

# CNL(CNSL)-spectrum and CNL(CNSL)-energy of commuting graphs

In this chapter, we consider commuting graphs of finite non-abelian groups and compute their CNL(CNSL)-spectrum, CNL(CNSL)-energy and determine whether these graphs are CNL(CNSL)-integral and CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic. More precisely, in Section 3.1, we shall compute CNL(CNSL)-spectrum and CNL(CNSL)-energy of commuting graphs of several classes of finite AC-groups including  $QD_{2^n}$  (quasi dihedral group),  $PSL(2, 2^k)$  (projective special linear group),  $GL(2, q)$  (general linear group where  $q > 2$  is a prime power),  $A(n, v)$ ,  $A(n, p)$  (Hanaki groups),  $D_{2m}$  (dihedral group), groups whose central quotient is isomorphic to  $Sz(2)$  or  $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$  or  $D_{2m}$  along with some other groups. In Section 3.2, we shall determine when commuting graphs of these groups are CNL(CNSL)-integral and CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic. Finally in Section 3.3, we shall compare CN-energy, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of commuting graphs of the above-mentioned groups. This chapter is based on our paper [69] accepted for publication in *Palestine Journal of Mathematics*. It is worth mentioning that CN-spectrum and CN-energy of commuting graphs of certain finite non-abelian groups were computed in [49] and [80] by Fasfous et

al. and Nath et al. respectively.

### 3.1 CNL(CNSL)-spectrum and CNL(CNSL)-energy

In this section, we compute the CNL(CNSL)-spectrum and CNL(CNSL)-energy of commuting graphs of several families of finite non-abelian groups. Throughout this thesis we write  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma) = \frac{\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma))}{|v(\Gamma)|}$ .

#### 3.1.1 Some families of AC-group

Here we compute the CNL(CNSL)-spectrum and CNL(CNSL)-energy of commuting graphs of the quasihedral groups  $QD_{2^n}$  for  $n \geq 4$ , projective special linear groups  $PSL(2, 2^k)$  for  $k \geq 2$ , general linear groups  $GL(2, q)$  for any prime power  $q > 2$  and the Hanaki groups  $A(n, v)$  and  $A(n, p)$ . We begin with the commuting graph of  $QD_{2^n}$ .

**Proposition 3.1.1.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of commuting graphs of the quasihedral groups  $QD_{2^n}$ , where  $n \geq 4$ , are given by*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) &= \left\{ [0]^{2^{n-1}+1}, [(2^{n-1}-2)(2^{n-1}-4)]^{(2^{n-1}-3)} \right\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) &= \left\{ [0]^{2^{n-1}}, [2(2^{n-1}-3)(2^{n-1}-4)]^1, [(2^{n-1}-4)^2]^{(2^{n-1}-3)} \right\}, \\ \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) &= \frac{(2^n-8)(2^n-6)(2^n-4)(2^n+2)}{8(2^n-2)} \text{ and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = \frac{2^{n-3}(2^n-8)(2^n-6)(2^n-4)}{2^n-2}. \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.6, we have  $\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}) = K_{2^{n-1}-2} \cup 2^{n-2}K_2$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = \left\{ [0]^{2^{n-2}+1}, [(2^{n-1}-2)(2^{n-1}-4)]^{(2^{n-1}-3)}, [2(2-2)]^{2^{n-2}(2-1)} \right\}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) &= \\ &\left\{ [2(2^{n-1}-3)(2^{n-1}-4)]^1, [(2^{n-1}-4)^2]^{(2^{n-1}-3)}, [2(2-1)(2-2)]^{(2^{n-2})}, [(2-2)^2]^{(2^{n-2})(2-1)} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we get the required  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))$  on simplification.

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = 2^n - 2$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))) = \frac{1}{8}(2^n-8)(2^n-6)(2^n-4)$ . Therefore,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = \frac{(2^n-8)(2^n-6)(2^n-4)}{8(2^n-2)}$ . In order to compute CNL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})$ , we first

determine the quantities  $|\alpha - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|$ , where

$\alpha \in \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))$ , so that (2.1.a) can be used. We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = \frac{(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(2^n - 4)}{8(2^n - 2)}$$

and  $L_2 := |(2^{n-1} - 2)(2^{n-1} - 4) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = 2^n(2^{n-3} - 1) - 1 + \frac{6}{2^n - 2}$ . Hence, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = (2^{n-1} + 1)L_1 + (2^{n-1} - 3)L_2 = \frac{(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(2^n - 4)(2^n + 2)}{8(2^n - 2)}.$$

In order to compute CNSL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})$ , we first determine the quantities  $|\beta - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|$ , where  $\beta \in \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))$ , so that (2.1.b) can be used. While computing CNL-energy, we have already seen that

$$|0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = \frac{(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(2^n - 4)}{8(2^n - 2)}.$$

For our convenience, we denote this quantity by  $B_1$ . We have

$$B_2 := |2(2^{n-1} - 3)(2^{n-1} - 4) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = 15 + 2^n(3 \times 2^{n-3} - 5) + \frac{6}{2^n - 2}$$

and  $B_3 := |(2^{n-1} - 4)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = 7 + 2^{n+1}(2^{n-4} - 1) + \frac{6}{2^n - 2}$ . Hence, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = 2^{n-1}B_1 + 1 \times B_2 + (2^{n-1} - 3)B_3 = \frac{2^{n-3}(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(2^n - 4)}{2^n - 2}.$$

This completes the proof.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.1.2.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of projective special linear groups  $PSL(2, 2^k)$ , where  $k \geq 2$ , are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) = \left\{ [0]^{2^k + 2^{2k} + 1}, [(2^k - 1)(2^k - 3)]^{(2^k + 1)(2^k - 2)}, \right. \\ \left. [(2^k - 2)(2^k - 4)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)(2^k - 3)}, [2^k(2^k - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)^2} \right\},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ = \left\{ [2(2^k - 2)(2^k - 3)]^{2^k + 1}, [(2^k - 3)^2]^{(2^k + 1)(2^k - 2)}, [2(2^k - 3)(2^k - 4)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)}, \right. \\ \left. [(2^k - 4)^2]^{2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)(2^k - 3)}, [2(2^k - 1)(2^k - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)}, [(2^k - 2)^2]^{2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)^2} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) = \frac{(2^k - 2)(19 \times 2^k - 2^{3k+2} + 3 \times 4^{k+1} - 7 \times 16^k - 5 \times 32^k + 3 \times 64^k + 6)}{8^k - 2^k - 1} \text{ and}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) = \begin{cases} \frac{9260}{59}, & \text{for } k = 2 \\ \frac{-5 \times 2^{k+2} + 7 \times 2^{3k+1} + 2^{4k+5} - 9 \times 4^k + 32^k - 13 \times 64^k + 3 \times 128^k - 12}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, & \text{for } k \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.7, we have

$$\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)) = (2^k + 1)K_{2^k - 1} \cup 2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)K_{2^k - 2} \cup 2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)K_{2^k}.$$

Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) &= \left\{ [0]^{2^k+1}, [(2^k - 1)(2^k - 1 - 2)]^{(2^k+1)(2^k-1-1)}, [0]^{2^{k-1}(2^k+1)}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. [(2^k - 2)(2^k - 2 - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k+1)(2^k-2-1)}, [0]^{2^{k-1}(2^k-1)}, [2^k(2^k - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k-1)(2^k-1)} \right\} \text{ and} \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) &= \left\{ [2(2^k - 1 - 1)(2^k - 1 - 2)]^{2^k+1}, [(2^k - 1 - 2)^2]^{(2^k+1)(2^k-1-1)}, \right. \\ &\quad [2(2^k - 2 - 1)(2^k - 2 - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k+1)}, [(2^k - 2 - 2)^2]^{2^{k-1}(2^k+1)(2^k-2-1)}, \\ &\quad \left. [2(2^k - 1)(2^k - 2)]^{2^{k-1}(2^k-1)}, [(2^k - 2)^2]^{2^{k-1}(2^k-1)(2^k-1)} \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

After simplification, we get the required CNL-spectrum and CNSL-spectrum.

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))| = 8^k - 2^k - 1$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))) = \binom{2^k-2}{2} (5 \times 2^k - 3 \times 8^k + 16^k + 3)$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) = \frac{(2^k-2)(5 \times 2^k - 3 \times 8^k + 16^k + 3)}{8^k - 2^k - 1}$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} L_1 &:= \left| 0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = \frac{(2^k - 2) (5 \times 2^k - 3 \times 8^k + 16^k + 3)}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, \\ L_2 &:= \left| (2^k - 1) (2^k - 3) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = \frac{3 + 8 \times 2^k + 4^k(4^k - 4 \times 2^k - 2)}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, \\ L_3 &:= \left| (2^k - 2) (2^k - 4) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = \frac{2 - 5 \times 2^k + 2^k(2^{2k}(2^k - 1))}{8^k - 2^k - 1} \end{aligned}$$

and  $L_4 := \left| 2^k(2^k - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = \frac{6+9 \times 2^k + 4^k(2 \times 4^k - 4) + 8^k(2 \times 2^k - 7)}{8^k - 2^k - 1}$ . Therefore, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) &= (2^k + 2^{2k} + 1)L_1 + (2^k + 1)(2^k - 2)L_2 + 2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)(2^k - 3)L_3 \\ &\quad + 2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)^2 L_4. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))$  is obtained.

Again

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &:= \left| 2(2^k - 2) (2^k - 3) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| \\ &= \frac{5 \times 2^k + 2^{3k+2} + 3 \times 4^k - 5 \times 16^k + 32^k - 6}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, \\ B_2 &:= \left| (2^k - 3)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = -\frac{-3 + 4 \times 2^k - 2^{3k} + 2 \times 2^{3k} - (2^k - 1)2^{3k}}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_3 &:= |2(2^k - 3)(2^k - 4) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))| = \begin{cases} \frac{174}{59}, & \text{for } k = 2 \\ \frac{-3 \times 2^k + 2^{3k+4} + 7 \times 4^k - 9 \times 16^k + 32^k - 18}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, & \text{for } k \geq 3, \end{cases} \\
 B_4 &:= \left| (2^k - 4)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = -\frac{-2^k + 2^{2k+1} + 9 \times 8^k - 3 \times 16^k - 10}{8^k - 2^k - 1}, \\
 B_5 &:= |2(2^k - 1)(2^k - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))| = \frac{2+9 \times 2^k + 2^{2k}((2^k - 1)2^k \times 2^k - 4 \times 2^k - 1)}{8^k - 2^k - 1} \\
 \text{and } B_6 &:= \left| (2^k - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \right| = \frac{2+7 \times 2^k + ((2^k - 1) - 3)8^k + 2^{3k} - 2^{2k+1}}{8^k - 2^k - 1}. \text{ Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) &= (2^k + 1)B_1 + (2^k + 1)(2^k - 2)B_2 + 2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)B_3 \\
 &\quad + 2^{k-1}(2^k + 1)(2^k - 3)B_4 + 2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)B_5 + 2^{k-1}(2^k - 1)^2B_6.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))$  is obtained.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.1.3.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of general linear groups  $GL(2, q)$ , where  $q = p^n > 2$  and  $p$  is a prime, are given by*

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= \left\{ [0]^{q^2+q+1}, [(q^2 - 3q + 2)(q^2 - 3q)]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2+q)(q^2-3q+1)}, \right. \\
 &\quad \left. [(q^2 - q)(q^2 - q - 2)]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2-q)(q^2-q-1)}, [(q^2 - 2q + 1)(q^2 - 2q - 1)]^{(q+1)(q^2-2q)} \right\}, \\
 \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= \left\{ [2(q^2 - 3q + 1)(q^2 - 3q)]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2+q)}, [(q^2 - 3q)^2]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2+q)(q^2-3q+1)}, \right. \\
 &\quad \left. [2(q^2 - q - 1)(q^2 - q - 2)]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2-q)}, [(q^2 - q - 2)^2]^{\frac{1}{2}(q^2-q)(q^2-q-1)}, \right. \\
 &\quad \left. [2(q^2 - 2q)(q^2 - 2q - 1)]^{q+1}, [(q^2 - 2q - 1)^2]^{(q+1)(q^2-2q)} \right\}, \\
 \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= \frac{(q-2)(q-1)q^4(q+1)(2q-3)((q-1)q-1)}{q^3-q-1} \text{ and} \\
 \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= \begin{cases} \frac{(q-2)q(q+1)(q(q(q(q(2q((q-4)q+6)-7)-7)-1)+11)+2)}{q^3-q-1}, & \text{if } q \leq 5 \\ \frac{q(q+1)((q(q(q(q(2q-11)+20)-16)+7)+8)q^3-12q-4)}{q^3-q-1}, & \text{if } q \geq 6. \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.8, we have

$$\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)) = \frac{q(q+1)}{2}K_{q^2-3q+2} \cup \frac{q(q-1)}{2}K_{q^2-q} \cup (q+1)K_{q^2-2q+1}.$$

Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) = \left\{ [0]^{\frac{q(q+1)}{2}}, [(q^2 - 3q + 2)(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 2)]^{(\frac{q(q+1)}{2})(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 1)}, [0]^{\frac{q(q-1)}{2}}, [(q^2 - q)(q^2 - q - 2)]^{(\frac{q(q-1)}{2})(q^2 - q - 1)}, [0]^{q+1}, [(q^2 - 2q + 1)(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 2)]^{(q+1)(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 1)} \right\} \text{ and}$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) = \left\{ [2(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 1)(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 2)]^{\frac{q(q+1)}{2}}, [(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 2)^2]^{(\frac{q(q+1)}{2})(q^2 - 3q + 2 - 1)}, [2(q^2 - q - 1)(q^2 - q - 2)]^{\frac{q(q-1)}{2}}, [(q^2 - q - 2)^2]^{(\frac{q(q-1)}{2})(q^2 - q - 1)}, [2(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 1)(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 2)]^{q+1}, [(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 2)^2]^{(q+1)(q^2 - 2q + 1 - 1)} \right\}.$$

Thus we get  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))$  on simplification.

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = (q - 1)(q^3 - q - 1)$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))) = (q - 2)(q - 1)q(q + 1)((q - 2)(q - 1)q^2 + 1)$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) = \frac{(q-2)q(q+1)((q-2)(q-1)q^2+1)}{q^3-q-1}$ . We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = \frac{(q-2)q(q+1)((q-2)(q-1)q^2+1)}{q^3-q-1},$$

$$L_2 := \left| (q^2 - 3q + 2)(q^2 - 3q) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = \frac{(q-2)q((q(2q-3)-1)q^2+4)}{q^3-q-1},$$

$$L_3 := \left| (q^2 - q)(q^2 - q - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = \frac{(q-2)q^3(q+1)(2q-3)}{q^3-q-1},$$

and  $L_4 := |(q^2 - 2q + 1)(q^2 - 2q - 1) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = \frac{q(-3+q(3+(-2+q)q))-1}{q^3-q-1}$ . Therefore, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= (q^2 + q + 1)L_1 + \frac{q(q+1)}{2}(q^2 - 3q + 1)L_2 + \frac{q(q-1)}{2}(q^2 - q - 1)L_3 \\ &\quad + (q + 1)(q^2 - 2q)L_4. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))$  is obtained.

Again

$$B_1 := \left| 2(q^2 - 3q + 1)(q^2 - 3q) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = \begin{cases} -\frac{q(q((q-5)(q-3)q^3-5q-13)+8)}{q^3-q-1}, & \text{for } q \leq 5 \\ \frac{q(q((q-5)(q-3)q^3-5q-13)+8)}{q^3-q-1}, & \text{for } q \geq 6, \end{cases}$$

$$B_2 := \left| (q^2 - 3q)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = -\frac{q(-2q^5 + 5q^4 + q^3 - 8q + 2)}{q^3 - q - 1},$$

$$B_3 := |2(q^2 - q - 1)(q^2 - q - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = \frac{(q-2)(q+1)(q^5 + q^4 - 6q^3 + 3q + 2)}{q^3 - q - 1},$$

$$B_4 := \left| (q^2 - q - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = \frac{(q-2)(q+1)(2q^4 - 5q^3 + 2q + 2)}{q^3 - q - 1}$$

$$B_5 := |2(q^2 - 2q)(q^2 - 2q - 1) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = \frac{(q-2)q((q-3)(q+1)q^3 + 5q + 1)}{q^3 - q - 1}$$

and  $B_6 := \left| (q^2 - 2q - 1)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \right| = -\frac{q(q(q(q(3-2q)+6)-5)-3)-1}{q^3 - q - 1}$ . Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) &= \frac{1}{2}(q^2 + 1)B_1 + \frac{1}{2}(q^2 + 1)(q^2 - 3q + 1)B_2 + \frac{1}{2}(q^2 - q)B_3 \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}(q^2 - q)(q^2 - q - 1)B_4 + (q + 1)B_5 + (q + 1)(q^2 - 2q)B_6. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))$  is obtained.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.1.4.** *Let  $F = GF(2^n)$  (where  $n \geq 2$ ) and  $\nu$  be the Frobenius automorphism of  $F$ , that is  $\nu(x) = x^2$ , for all  $x \in F$ . Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of the groups*

$$A(n, \nu) = \left\{ U(a, b) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ a & 1 & 0 \\ b & \nu(a) & 1 \end{pmatrix} : a, b \in F \right\}$$

under matrix multiplication are given by

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = \left\{ [0]^{(2^n-1)}, [2^n(2^n-2)]^{(2^n-1)^2} \right\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = \left\{ [2(2^n-1)(2^n-2)]^{(2^n-1)}, [(2^n-2)^2]^{(2^n-1)^2} \right\}$$

$$\text{and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = 2(2^n-2)(2^n-1)^2.$$

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.9, we have  $\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)) = (2^n-1)K_{2^n}$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))$ .

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))| = 4^n - 2^n$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))) = 2^n(2^n-2)(2^n-1)^2$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = 4^n - 3 \times 2^n + 2$ . We have

$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))| = 4^n - 3 \times 2^n + 2$  and  $L_2 := |2^n(2^n - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))| = 2^n - 2$ . Hence, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = (2^n - 1)L_1 + (2^n - 1)^2 L_2 = 2(2^n - 2)(2^n - 1)^2.$$

Again,

$$B_1 := |2(2^n - 1)(2^n - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))| = 4^n - 3 \times 2^n + 2$$

$$B_2 := |(2^n - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu)))| = 2^n - 2.$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(A(n, \nu))) = (2^n - 1)B_1 + (2^n - 1)^2 B_2 = 2(2^n - 2)(2^n - 1)^2.$$

□

**Proposition 3.1.5.** *Let  $F = GF(p^n)$ , where  $p$  is a prime. Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of commuting graphs of the groups*

$$A(n, p) = \left\{ V(a, b, c) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ a & 1 & 0 \\ b & c & 1 \end{pmatrix} : a, b, c \in F \right\}$$

under matrix multiplication  $V(a, b, c)V(a', b', c') = V(a + a', b + b' + ca', c + c')$  are given by

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = \left\{ [0]^{p^n+1}, [(p^{2n} - p^n)(p^{2n} - p^n - 2)]^{(p^n+1)(p^{2n}-p^n-1)} \right\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))$$

$$= \left\{ [2(p^{2n} - p^n - 1)(p^{2n} - p^n - 2)]^{(p^n+1)}, [(p^{2n} - p^n - 2)^2]^{(p^n+1)(p^{2n}-p^n-1)} \right\}$$

$$\text{and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = 2(p^n + 1)^2(-3p^{2n} + p^{3n} + p^n + 2).$$

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.10,  $\Gamma_c(A(n, p)) = (p^n + 1)K_{p^{2n} - p^n}$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))$ .

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))| = p^n(p^{2n} - 1)$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))) = p^n(p^n - 2)(p^n - 1) \times (p^n + 1)^2(p^n(p^n - 1) - 1)$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = (p^n - 2)(p^n + 1)(p^n(p^n - 1) - 1)$ .

We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))| = (p^n - 2)(p^n + 1)(p^n(p^n - 1) - 1),$$

and  $L_2 := |(p^{2n} - p^n)(p^{2n} - p^n - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))| = (p^n - 2)(p^n + 1)$ . Hence, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = (p^n + 1)L_1 + (p^{2n} - p^n - 1)(p^n + 1)L_2$$

$$= 2(p^n + 1)^2(-3p^{2n} + p^{3n} + p^n + 2).$$

Again

$$B_1 := |2(p^{2n} - p^n - 1)(p^{2n} - p^n - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))| = (p^n - 2)(p^n + 1)(p^n(p^n - 1) - 1)$$

and  $B_2 := |(p^{2n} - p^n - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))| = p^{2n} - p^n - 2$ . Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(A(n, p))) = (p^n + 1)B_1 + (p^{2n} - p^n - 1)(p^n + 1)B_2.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(A(n, p)))$  is obtained.  $\square$

We conclude this subsection with the following two results for finite non-abelian AC-group in general.

**Theorem 3.1.6.** *Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian AC-group and  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be the distinct centralizers of non-central elements of  $G$ . Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(G)$  are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[0]^n, [(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)]^{(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)}, \text{ where } 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[2(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)]^1, [2(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)^2]^{(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)}, \text{ where } 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = nL_0 + \sum_{i=1}^n (|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)L_{X_i}, \text{ where } L_0 = |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| \text{ and } L_{X_i} = |(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| \text{ and}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = \sum_{i=1}^n B_{X_i} + \sum_{i=1}^n (|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)B'_{X_i}, \text{ where } B_{X_i} = |2(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| \text{ and } B'_{X_i} = |(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))|.$$

*Proof.* By [42, Lemma 2.1], we have  $\Gamma_c(G) = \cup_{i=1}^n K_{|X_i| - |Z(G)|}$ . Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = \sum_{i=1}^n |X_i| - |Z(G)|$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(G))) = \sum_{i=1}^n (|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)$ . Therefore,

$$\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 1)(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|X_i| - |Z(G)| - 2)}{\sum_{i=1}^n |X_i| - |Z(G)|}.$$

Hence, the result follows from the Theorem 2.2.2.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.1.7.** Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian AC-group and  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n$  be the distinct centralizers of non-central elements of  $G$ . If  $A$  is a finite abelian group then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(G \times A)$  are given by

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G \times A)) = \{[0]^n, [|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2)]^{(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)}, \\ \text{where } 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G \times A)) = \{[2(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2)]^1, [(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2)^2]^{(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)}, \\ \text{where } 1 \leq i \leq n\},$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A)) = nL_0 + \sum_{i=1}^n (|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)L_{X_i}, \text{ where } L_0 = |- \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A))| \\ \text{and } L_{X_i} = ||A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A))| \text{ and}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G \times A)) = \sum_{i=1}^n S_{X_i} + \sum_{i=1}^n (|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)S'_{X_i}, \text{ where } S_{X_i} = |2(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A))| \\ \text{and } S'_{X_i} = |(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A))|.$$

*Proof.* We have  $Z(G \times A) = Z(G) \times A$  and  $X_1 \times A, X_2 \times A, \dots, X_n \times A$  are the distinct centralizers of non-central elements of  $G \times A$ . Since  $G$  is an AC-group,  $G \times A$  is also an AC-group. Therefore,

$$\Gamma_c(G \times A) = \cup_{i=1}^n K_{|X_i \times A| - |Z(G) \times A|} = \cup_{i=1}^n K_{|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)}.$$

We have,  $|v(\Gamma_c(G \times A))| = \sum_{i=1}^n |A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(G \times A))) = \sum_{i=1}^n (|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2))$ . Therefore,

$$\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G \times A)) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 1)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)(|A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|) - 2))}{\sum_{i=1}^n |A|(|X_i| - |Z(G)|)}. \text{ Hence the result}$$

follows from the Theorem 2.2.2.  $\square$

### 3.1.2 Groups whose central quotient is isomorphic to $Sz(2)$ , $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ or $D_{2m}$

Let us begin with the groups  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)}$  is isomorphic to the Suzuki group (of order 20)  $Sz(2) = \langle x, y : x^5 = y^4 = 1, y^{-1}xy = x^2 \rangle$ .

**Theorem 3.1.8.** Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  and  $|Z(G)| = z$ . Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(G)$  are

given by

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \left\{ [0]^6, [4z(4z-2)]^{(4z-1)}, [3z(3z-2)]^{5(3z-1)} \right\},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) \\ = \left\{ [2(4z-1)(4z-2)]^1, [(4z-2)^2]^{(4z-1)}, [2(3z-1)(3z-2)]^5, [(3z-2)^2]^{5(3z-1)} \right\}, \\ \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \begin{cases} \frac{648}{19}, & \text{for } z = 1 \\ \frac{2}{19}(4z-1)(z(105z+31)-38), & \text{for } z \geq 2 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

and  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{10}{19}(3z-1)(z(28z+45)-38)$ .

*Proof.* By Result 1.2.11, we have  $\Gamma_c(G) = K_{4z} \cup 5K_{3z}$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \left\{ [0]^1, [4z(4z-2)]^{(4z-1)}, [0]^5, [3z(3z-2)]^{5(3z-1)} \right\}$$

and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \left\{ [2(4z-1)(4z-2)]^1, [(4z-2)^2]^{(4z-1)}, [2(3z-1)(3z-2)]^5, [(3z-2)^2]^{5(3z-1)} \right\}$ . Hence, we get the required  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$  on simplification.

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = 19z$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(G))) = 199z^3 - 183z^2 + 38z$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{199z^2 - 183z + 38}{19}$ . We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \left| -\frac{199z^2 - 183z + 38}{19} \right| = \frac{199z^2 - 183z + 38}{19},$$

$$L_2 := |4z(4z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{105z^2 + 31z - 38}{19}$$

$$\text{and } L_3 := |3z(3z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \left| \frac{z(69-28z)-38}{19} \right| = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{19}, & \text{for } z = 1 \\ -\frac{z(69-28z)-38}{19}, & \text{for } z \geq 2. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, by (2.1.a), we get  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = 6L_1 + (4z-1)L_2 + 5(3z-1)L_3$ . Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.

Again

$$B_1 := |2(4z-1)(4z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{409z^2 - 273z + 38}{19},$$

$$B_2 := \left| (4z - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) \right| = \frac{105z^2 - 121z + 38}{19},$$

$$B_3 := |2(3z - 1)(3z - 2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{143z^2 - 159z + 38}{19}$$

and  $B_4 := |(3z - 2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{28z^2 + 45z - 38}{19}$ . Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 1 \times B_1 + (4z - 1)B_2 + 5 \times B_3 + 5(3z - 1)B_4.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.1.9.** *Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ , where  $p$  is a prime and  $|Z(G)| \geq 2$ . Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \left\{ [0]^{(p+1)}, [(p-1)z)((p-1)z-2)]^{(p+1)((p-1)z-1)} \right\},$$

$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \left\{ [2((p-1)z-1)((p-1)z-2)]^{(p+1)}, [(p-1)z-2]^2 \right\}^{(p+1)((p-1)z-1)}$   
and

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 2(p+1)((p-1)z-2)((p-1)z-1)$$

where  $z = |Z(G)|$ .

*Proof.* From Result 1.2.12, we have  $\Gamma_c(G) = (p+1)K_{(p-1)z}$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$ .

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = (p^2 - 1)z$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(G))) = (p-1)(p+1)z((p-1)z-2)((p-1)z-1)$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = ((p-1)z-2)((p-1)z-1)$ . We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = ((p-1)z-2)((p-1)z-1)$$

and  $L_2 := |((p-1)z)((p-1)z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = (p-1)z-2$ . Therefore, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = (p+1)L_1 + (p+1)((p-1)z-1)L_2.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.

Again

$$B_1 := |2((p-1)z-1)((p-1)z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = ((p-1)z-2)((p-1)z-1)$$

and  $B_2 := |((p-1)z-2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = pz - z - 2$ .

Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = (p+1)B_1 + (p+1)((p-1)z-1)B_2.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.10.** *Let  $G$  be a non-abelian group of order  $p^3$ , where  $p$  is a prime. Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [0]^{(p+1)}, [p(p-1)(p(p-1)-2)]^{(p+1)((p-1)p-1)} \right\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [2((p-1)p-1)((p-1)p-2)]^{(p+1)}, [(p-1)p-2]^2 \right\}^{(p+1)((p-1)p-1)} \\ \text{and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 2(p+1)((p-1)p-2)((p-1)p-1). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* We know that for a non-abelian group  $G$  of order  $p^3$ ,  $|Z(G)| = p$  and  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ . Hence the result follows from the Theorem 3.1.9.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.11.** *Let  $G$  be a finite 4-centralizer group. Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [0]^3, [(z(z-2))]^{3((p-1)z-1)} \right\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [2(z-1)(z-2)]^3, [(z-2)^2]^{3(z-1)} \right\} \text{ and} \\ \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 6(z-2)(z-1), \end{aligned}$$

where  $z = |Z(G)|$ .

*Proof.* The results follows from Result 1.2.1 and Theorem 3.1.9.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.12.** *Let  $G$  be a finite  $(p+2)$ -centralizer  $p$ -group. Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [0]^{(p+1)}, [((p-1))((p-1)|Z(G)|-2)]^{(p+1)((p-1)|Z(G)|-1)} \right\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [2((p-1)|Z(G)|-1)((p-1)|Z(G)|-2)]^{(p+1)}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. [((p-1)|Z(G)|-2)^2]^{(p+1)((p-1)|Z(G)|-1)} \right\} \text{ and} \\ \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 2(p+1)((p-1)|Z(G)|-2)((p-1)|Z(G)|-1). \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* The result follows from Result 1.2.3 and Theorem 3.1.9.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.1.13.** *If  $G$  is a finite group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong D_{2m}$ ,  $m \geq 3$  then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [0]^{m+1}, [(m-1)z((m-1)z-2)]^{((m-1)z-1)}, [z(z-2)]^{m(z-1)} \right\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) &= \left\{ [2((m-1)z-1)((m-1)z-2)]^1, [((m-1)z-2)^2]^{((m-1)z-1)}, \right. \\ &\quad \left. [2(z-1)(z-2)]^m, [(z-2)^2]^{m(z-1)} \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{2((m-1)z-1)(m(z((m-2)mz-m+3)-4)+z+2)}{2m-1}$$

$$\text{and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = \begin{cases} \frac{-2m^4+6m^3+3m^2-13m+7}{1-2m}, & \text{for } m = 3 \& z = 1 \\ \frac{2(m-2)(m-1)mz^2(mz-3)}{2m-1}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where  $z = |Z(G)|$ .

*Proof.* From Result 1.2.13, we have  $\Gamma(G) = K_{(m-1)z} \cup mK_z$ . Therefore, by Theorem 2.2.2, we get  $\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G))$ .

Here  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = (2m-1)z$  and  $\text{tr}(\text{CNRS}(\Gamma_c(G))) = m(z-2)(z-1)z + (m-1)z((m-1)z-2)((m-1)z-1)$ . So,  $\Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{(m((m-3)m+4)-1)z^2-3((m-1)m+1)z+4m-2}{2m-1}$ . We have

$$L_1 := |0 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = -\frac{(2-4m)+3z(1-m)+z^2(1-4m)+m^2z^2(3-\frac{m}{2})+m^2z(3-\frac{mz}{2})}{2m-1},$$

$$L_2 := |((m-1)z)((m-1)z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{m(z((m-2)mz-m+3)-4)+z+2}{2m-1}$$

$$\text{and } L_3 := |z(z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = -\frac{m(-z((m-2)(m-1)z-3m+7)-4)+5z+2}{2m-1}.$$

Therefore, by (2.1.a), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = (m+1)L_1 + ((m-1)z-1)L_2 + m(z-1)L_3.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} B_1 &:= |2((m-1)z-1)((m-1)z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| \\ &= \frac{((m-1)m(3m-4)-1)z^2-3(m(3m-5)+1)z+4m-2}{2m-1}, \end{aligned}$$

$$B_2 := |((m-1)z-2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \frac{m(z((m-2)mz-5m+9)+4)-z-2}{2m-1},$$

$$B_3 := |2(z-1)(z-2) - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = -\frac{-((m-3)m^2+1)z^2 + 3((m-5)m+3)z + 4m-2}{2m-1}$$

and

$$B_4 := |(z-2)^2 - \Delta_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))| = \begin{cases} \frac{m(4-z((m-2)(m-1)z-3m+11))+7z-2}{2m-1}, & \text{for } m=3 \& z=1 \\ -\frac{m(4-z((m-2)(m-1)z-3m+11))+7z-2}{2m-1}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Therefore, by (2.1.b), we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 1 \times B_1 + ((m-1)z-1) B_2 + m B_3 + m(z-1) B_4.$$

Hence, the expression for  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  is obtained.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.14.** *Let  $G$  be a finite 5-centralizer group. Then the CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graph of  $G$  are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[0]^4, [2z(2z-2)]^{4(2z-1)}\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[2(2z-1)(2z-2)]^4, [(2z-2)^2]^{4(z-1)}\}$$

and  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 8(2z-2)(2z-1)$ , where  $z = |Z(G)|$ ;

or

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[0]^4, [4z(z-1)]^{2z-1}, [z(z-2)]^{3(z-1)}\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \{[4(z-1)(2z-1)]^1, [4(z-1)^2]^{2z-1}, [2(z-1)(z-2)]^3, [(z-2)^2]^{3(z-1)}\},$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{2}{5}(2z-1)(9z^2+z-10) \text{ and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{36}{5}(z-1)z^2,$$

where  $z = |Z(G)|$ .

*Proof.* The result follows from Result 1.2.2, Theorem 3.1.13 and Theorem 3.1.9.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.15.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of the group  $U_{(n,m)} = \langle x, y : x^{2n} = y^m = 1, x^{-1}yx = y^{-1} \rangle$ , where  $m \geq 3$  and  $n \geq 2$ , are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(U_{(n,m)})) =$$

$$\begin{cases} \{[0]^{m+1}, [(m-1)n((m-1)n-2)]^{((m-1)n-1)}, [n(n-2)]^{m(n-1)}\}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \{[0]^{\frac{m}{2}+1}, [(\frac{m}{2}-1)2n((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-2)]^{((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-1)}, [2n(2n-2)]^{\frac{m}{2}(2n-1)}\}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m, \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(U_{(n,m)})) &= \\ &\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left\{ [2((m-1)n-1)((m-1)n-2)]^1, [(m-1)n-2]^{\frac{(m-1)n-1}{2}} \right\}, \\ \quad \quad \quad [2(n-1)(n-2)]^m, [(n-2)^2]^{m(n-1)} \end{array} \right\}, \quad \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ &\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left\{ [2((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-1)((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-2)]^1, [((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-2)^2]^{\frac{((\frac{m}{2}-1)2n-1)}{2}} \right\}, \\ \quad \quad \quad [2(2n-1)(2n-2)]^{\frac{m}{2}}, [(2n-2)^2]^{\frac{m}{2}(2n-1)} \end{array} \right\}, \quad \text{if } 2 \mid m, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(U_{(n,m)})) = \begin{cases} \frac{2((m-1)n-1)(m(n((m-2)mn-m+3)-4)+n+2)}{2m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \frac{((m-2)n-1)(m(n((m-4)mn-m+6)-4)+4(n+1))}{m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m \end{cases}$$

and

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(U_{(n,m)})) = \begin{cases} \frac{2(m-2)(m-1)mn^2(mn-3)}{2m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \frac{(m-4)(m-2)mn^2(mn-3)}{m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m. \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* We have

$$Z(U_{(n,m)}) = \begin{cases} \langle x^2 \rangle, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \langle x^2 \rangle \cup y^{\frac{m}{2}} \langle x^2 \rangle, & \text{if } 2 \mid m \end{cases}$$

and so  $|Z(U_{(n,m)})| = n$  and  $2n$  according as  $2 \nmid m$  and  $2 \mid m$ . Therefore,

$$\frac{U_{(n,m)}}{Z(U_{(n,m)})} \cong \begin{cases} D_{2m}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ D_{2 \times 2}, & \text{if } m = 4 \\ D_m, & \text{if } m \geq 6 \text{ and } 2 \mid m. \end{cases}$$

Hence, the result follows from Theorem 3.1.9 and Theorem 3.1.13.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.16.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of the dihedral groups,  $D_{2m} = \langle x, y : x^{2m} = y^2 = 1, yxy^{-1} = x^{-1} \rangle$ ,  $m \geq 3$ , are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(D_{2m})) = \begin{cases} \left\{ [0]^{m+1}, [(m-1)(m-3)]^{(m-2)} \right\}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \left\{ [0]^{(m+1)}, [(m-2)(m-4)]^{(m-3)} \right\}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m, \end{cases}$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(D_{2m})) = \begin{cases} \{[0]^m, [2(m-2)(m-3)]^1, [(m-3)^2]^{(m-2)}\}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \{[0]^m, [2(m-3)(m-4)]^1, [(m-4)^2]^{(m-3)}\}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m, \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(D_{2m})) = \begin{cases} \frac{2(m-3)(m-2)(m-1)(m+1)}{2m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \frac{(m-4)(m-3)(m-2)(m+1)}{m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m \end{cases}$$

and  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(D_{2m})) = \begin{cases} \frac{2(m-3)(m-2)(m-1)m}{2m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ \frac{(m-4)(m-3)(m-2)m}{m-1}, & \text{if } 2 \mid m. \end{cases}$

*Proof.* We know that  $|Z(D_{2m})| = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ 2, & \text{if } 2 \mid m \end{cases}$  and

$$\frac{D_{2m}}{|Z(D_{2m})|} = \begin{cases} D_{2m}, & \text{if } 2 \nmid m \\ D_{2 \times 2}, & \text{if } m = 4 \\ D_m, & \text{if } m \geq 6 \text{ and } 2 \mid m. \end{cases}$$

Therefore, by using Theorem 3.1.9 and Theorem 3.1.13 we get the required result.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.17.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of the groups  $U_{6n} = \langle x, y : x^{2n} = y^3 = 1, x^{-1}yx = y^{-1} \rangle$  are given by*

$$\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(U_{6n})) = \{[0]^4, [2n(2n-2)]^{2n-1}, [n(n-2)]^{3(n-1)}\},$$

$$\text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(U_{6n}))$$

$$= \{[(2n-1)(2n-2)]^1, [(2n-2)^2]^{2n-1}, [2(n-1)(n-2)]^3, [(n-2)^2]^{3(n-1)}\},$$

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(U_{6n})) = \frac{2}{5}(n-1)(2n-1)(9n+10) \text{ and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(U_{6n})) = \frac{36}{5}(n-1)n^2.$$

*Proof.* We have  $Z(U_{6n}) = \langle x^2 \rangle$  and  $\frac{U_{6n}}{Z(U_{6n})} \cong D_6$  with  $|Z(U_{6n})| = n$ . Therefore, we get the required result by putting  $m = 3$  and  $z = n$  in Theorem 3.1.13.  $\square$

**Corollary 3.1.18.** *The CNL-spectrum, CNSL-spectrum, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of the commuting graphs of the dicyclic groups,  $Q_{4n} = \langle x, y : y^{2n} = 1, x^2 = y^n, xyx^{-1} = y^{-1} \rangle$ ,  $n \geq 2$ , are given by*

$$\begin{aligned}\text{CNL-spec}(\Gamma_c(Q_{4n})) &= \{[0]^{2n+1}, [(2n-2)(2n-4)]^{2n-3}\}, \\ \text{CNSL-spec}(\Gamma_c(Q_{4n})) &= \{[0]^{2n}, [2(2n-3)(2n-4)]^1, [(2n-4)^2]^{2n-3}\}, \\ \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(Q_{4n})) &= \frac{4(n-2)(n-1)(2n-3)(2n+1)}{2n-1} \text{ and } \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(Q_{4n})) = \frac{8(n-2)(n-1)n(2n-3)}{2n-1}.\end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* We have  $Z(Q_{4n}) = \{1, x^n\}$  and  $\frac{Q_{4n}}{Z(Q_{4n})} \cong \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$  or  $D_{2n}$  according as  $n = 2$  or  $n \geq 3$ . Therefore, by using Theorem 3.1.9 and Theorem 3.1.13, we get the required result.  $\square$

## 3.2 CNL(CNSL)-integral and CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic graphs

We begin this section with the following theorem which follows from the results obtained in Section 3.1.

**Theorem 3.2.1.** *Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group.*

- (a) *If  $G$  is isomorphic to  $QD_{2^n}$  (where  $n \geq 4$ ),  $PSL(2, 2^k)$  (where  $k \geq 2$ ),  $GL(2, q)$  (where  $q > 2$  is a prime power),  $A(n, \nu)$  and  $A(n, p)$  then  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL(CNSL)-integral.*
- (b) *If  $\frac{G}{Z(G)}$  is isomorphic to  $Sz(2)$ ,  $D_{2m}$  and  $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$  then  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL(CNSL)-integral.*
- (c) *If  $G$  is a 4, 5-centralizer finite group or a  $(p+2)$ -centralizer finite  $p$ -group then  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL(CNSL)-integral.*
- (d) *If  $G$  is isomorphic to  $U_{(n,m)}$ ,  $D_{2m}$ ,  $U_{6n}$  and  $Q_{4n}$  then  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL(CNSL)-integral.*
- (e) *If  $G$  is an AC-group then  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL(CNSL)-integral.*

**Theorem 3.2.2.** *The commuting graph of the quasihedral group  $QD_{2^n}$  ( $n \geq 4$ ) is*

- (a) *CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic if  $n \geq 5$ .*

- (b) *not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic if  $n = 4$ .*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))| = 2^n - 2$ . Using (2.2.a) and Proposition 3.1.1, we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|} - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = -\frac{2^{(-3+n)}(-4+2^n)(100-7 \times 2^{2+n}+4^n)}{-2+2^n}.$$

Note that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) < 0$  or  $> 0$  according as  $n \geq 5$  or  $n = 4$ . Also,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = -\frac{(-4 + 2^n)^2(24 - 13 \times 2^{1+n} + 4^n)}{8(-2 + 2^n)}.$$

Note that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) > 0$  or  $< 0$  according as  $n \geq 5$  or  $n = 4$ . Hence, the result follows.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.2.3.** *The commuting graph of the projective special linear group  $PSL(2, 2^k)$ ,  $k \geq 2$ , is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic.*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))| = -2^k + 2^{3k} - 1$ . Using (2.2.a) and Proposition 3.1.2, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ &= \frac{2^k (7 \times 2^{3k+1} - 7 \times 2^k + 2 \times 2^{8k} - 2^{5k} - 9 \times 2^{6k} + 3 \times 2^{4k})}{8^k - 2^k - 1} > 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\Gamma_{PSL(2, 2^k)}$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic.

For  $k \geq 3$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ &= \frac{2^k (-3 \times 2^k + 3 \times 2^{2k+1} + 2^{8k+1} - 8^{k+1} + 5 \times 16^k + 32^k - 9 \times 64^k - 2)}{-2^k + 8^k - 1} > 0. \end{aligned}$$

Also, for  $k = 2$ ,  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) = \frac{380848}{59} > 0$ . Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.4.** *The commuting graph of the general linear group  $GL(2, q)$ , where  $q = p^n > 2$  and  $p$  is prime, is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic.*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))| = q^4 - q^3 - q^2 + 1$ . Using (2.2.a) and Proposition 3.1.3, we get

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \\ &= \frac{q^2(q+1)((q-1)q-1)(q^2(q-1)(5q-8+2q^2(q-2))+2)}{q^3-q-1} > 0. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic.

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q)))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{2q^{11}-6q^{10}+6q^9-10q^8+9q^7+24q^6-22q^5-28q^4+3q^3+22q^2+4q}{q^3-q-1} > 0, & \text{if } q \leq 5 \\ \frac{2q^{11}-6q^{10}+5q^9-3q^8+2q^7+9q^6-17q^5-10q^4+8q^3+14q^2+4q}{q^3-q-1} > 0, & \text{if } q \geq 6. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.5.** *Let  $G$  be a finite group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$ . Then the commuting graph of  $G$  is*

- (a) *CNL-hyperenergetic if  $|Z(G)| \geq 17$ .*
- (b) *not CNL-hyperenergetic if  $1 \leq |Z(G)| \leq 16$ .*
- (c) *CNSL-hyperenergetic if  $|Z(G)| \geq 16$ .*
- (d) *not CNSL-hyperenergetic if  $1 \leq |Z(G)| \leq 15$ .*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = 3 \times 5z + 4z = 19z$ , where  $z = |Z(G)|$ . Using (2.2.a) and Theorem 3.1.8, for  $z \geq 2$ , we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = -\frac{120}{19}z(z(7z - 114) + 15).$$

Note that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) < 0$  or  $> 0$  according as  $z \geq 17$  or  $1 \leq z \leq 16$ . Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic and not CNL-hyperenergetic according as  $z \geq 17$  and  $1 \leq z \leq 16$ .

Again,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = -\frac{8}{19}(3z(z(35z - 527) + 24) + 38).$$

Note that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < 0$  or  $> 0$  according as  $z \geq 16$  or  $1 \leq z \leq 15$ . Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL hyperenergetic and not CNSL hyperenergetic according as  $z \geq 16$  and  $1 \leq z \leq 15$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.6.** *Let  $G$  be a finite group with  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ . Then the commuting graph of  $G$  is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic.*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = (p^2 - 1)z$ , where  $z = |Z(G)|$ . By (2.2.a) and Theorem 3.1.9, we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = 2p((p-1)^2(p+1)z^2 - 2) > 0.$$

Hence,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic. Again,  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$ . Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is also not CNSL-hyperenergetic.  $\square$

As a corollary of Theorem 3.2.6 we get the following result.

**Corollary 3.2.7.** *The commuting graph of  $G$  is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic if  $G$  is a finite*

- (a) *non-abelian group of order  $p^3$ , where  $p$  is a prime.*
- (b) *4-centralizer group.*
- (c)  *$(p+2)$ -centralizer  $p$ -group.*
- (d) *non-abelian group such that the maximal size of the set of pairwise non-commuting elements of  $G$  is 3 or 4.*

*Proof.* Parts (a)-(d) are follow from Theorem 3.2.6. Under the hypothesis in part (e),  $G$  is either 4-centralizer or 5-centralizer finite group. Hence, the result follows from parts (b) and (c).  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.8.** *Let  $G$  be a finite group with  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong D_{2m}$ , where  $m \geq 3$  and  $|Z(G)| = z$ . Then the commuting graph of  $G$  is*

- (a) *not CNL-hyperenergetic if  $m = 3 \& z \leq 6$ ;  $m = 4 \& z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5 \& z = 1, 2$ ; and  $m = 7, 9 \& z = 1$ . Otherwise, it is CNL-hyperenergetic.*
- (b) *not CNSL-hyperenergetic if  $m = 3 \& 1 \leq z \leq 7$ ;  $m = 4 \& z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5 \& z = 1, 2$ ;  $m = 6 \& z = 2$  and  $m = 7, 9, 11 \& z = 1$ . Otherwise, it is CNSL-hyperenergetic.*

*Proof.* We have  $|v(\Gamma_c(G))| = 2mz - z$ , where  $z = |Z(G)|$ .

By (2.2.a) and Theorem 3.1.13, we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = -\frac{2(m-1)mz(z(m^2z - 2m(z+5) + 8) + 9)}{2m-1}.$$

It can be seen that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) > 0$  if  $m = 3$  and  $z \leq 6$ ;  $m = 4$  and  $z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5$  and  $z = 1, 2$ ; and  $m = 7, 9$  and  $z = 1$ . Otherwise  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) < 0$ . Hence,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic if  $m = 3$  and  $z \leq 6$ ;  $m = 4$  and  $z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5$  and  $z = 1, 2$ ; and  $m = 7, 9$  and  $z = 1$ . Otherwise it is CNL-hyperenergetic.

Now we determine whether  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic by considering the following cases.

**Case 1.**  $m = 3 \& z = 1$

By (2.2.a) and Theorem 3.1.13, we get

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = 24 > 0.$$

Therefore,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic.

**Case 2.**  $m = 3 \& z \geq 2$ ;  $m = 4 \& z \geq 2$ ; and  $m \geq 5 \& z \geq 1$

By (2.2.a) and Theorem 3.1.13, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) \\ = \frac{2(2m-1)((2m-1)z-2)((2m-1)z-1) - 2(m-2)(m-1)mz^2(mz-3)}{2m-1}. \end{aligned}$$

It can be seen that  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) > 0$  if  $m = 3$  and  $2 \leq z \leq 7$ ;  $m = 4$  and  $z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5$  and  $z = 1, 2$ ;  $m = 6$  and  $z = 2$ ; and  $m = 7, 9, 11$  and  $z = 1$ . Otherwise  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(K_{|v(\Gamma_c(G))|}) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < 0$ . Hence,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic if  $m = 3$  and  $2 \leq z \leq 7$ ;  $m = 4$  and  $z = 2, 3$ ;  $m = 5$  and  $z = 1, 2$ ;  $m = 6$  and  $z = 2$ ; and  $m = 7, 9, 11$  and  $z = 1$ . Otherwise it is CNSL-hyperenergetic. Hence, the result follows.  $\square$

As a consequences of Theorem 3.2.8 we get the following results.

**Corollary 3.2.9.** Suppose that  $G$  is isomorphic to the group  $U_{(n,m)}$ , where  $m \geq 3$  and  $n \geq 2$ .

(a) If  $m$  is even then

- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic whenever  $m = 4 \& n \geq 2$ ;  $m = 6 \& n = 2, 3$ .  
Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
  - (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic whenever  $m = 4 \& n \geq 2$ ;  $m = 6 \& n = 2, 3$ .  
Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.
- (b) If  $m$  is odd then
- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic whenever  $m = 3 \& n \leq 6$ ;  $m = 5 \& n = 2$ .  
Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
  - (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic whenever  $m = 3 \& n \leq 7$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.

**Corollary 3.2.10.** Suppose that  $G$  is isomorphic to the dihedral group  $D_{2m}$ , where  $m \geq 3$ .

- (a) If  $m$  is even then
- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic whenever  $4 \leq m \leq 10$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
  - (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic whenever  $4 \leq m \leq 12$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.
- (b) If  $m$  is odd then
- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic whenever  $3 \leq m \leq 9$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
  - (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic whenever  $3 \leq m \leq 11$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.

**Corollary 3.2.11.** Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group.

- (a) If  $G$  is isomorphic to the dicyclic group  $Q_{4n}$ , where  $n \geq 2$  then
- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic when  $n = 2, 3, 4, 5$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
  - (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic when  $n = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.

(b) If  $G$  is isomorphic to  $U_{6n}$ , where  $n \geq 2$  then

- (i)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic when  $n \leq 6$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNL-hyperenergetic.
- (ii)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNSL-hyperenergetic when  $n \leq 7$ . Otherwise,  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is CNSL-hyperenergetic.

As a consequence of Result 1.2.2, Theorem 3.2.8 and Theorem 3.2.6 we have the following result.

**Corollary 3.2.12.** *If  $G$  is a 5-centralizer group then*

- (a)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic whenever  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ .
- (b)  $\Gamma_c(G)$  is not CNL-hyperenergetic for  $|Z(G)| \leq 6$ ; otherwise CNL-hyperenergetic and not CNSL-hyperenergetic for  $|Z(G)| \leq 7$ ; otherwise CNSL-hyperenergetic whenever  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong D_6$ .

We conclude this section with the following proposition.

**Proposition 3.2.13.** *If  $G$  is one of the groups considered in Propositions 3.1.4-3.1.5 then commuting graph of  $G$  is not CNL(CNSL)-hyperenergetic.*

### 3.3 Comparison of various CN-energies

In this section, we compare CN-energy, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of commuting graphs of the groups considered in Section 3.1. We begin with the commuting graphs of the  $QD_{2^n}$ .

**Theorem 3.3.1.** *For the group  $QD_{2^n}$  (where  $n \geq 4$ ),  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n}))$ .*

*Proof.* Using Proposition 3.1.1 and Result 1.2.15(a), we have

$$LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) - E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = \frac{2^{n-3} (2^n - 8) (2^n - 6)^2}{2^n - 2} > 0,$$

since  $(2^n - 8) > 0$ ,  $(2^n - 6) > 0$  and  $2^n - 2 > 0$ , as  $n \geq 4$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})).$$

Also,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) - \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = \frac{(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(-2^{n+3} + 4^n + 8)}{8(2^n - 2)} > 0,$$

since  $(2^n - 8) > 0$ ,  $(2^n - 6) > 0$ ,  $(-2^{n+3} + 4^n + 8) = 2^{2n} - 2^{n+3} + 8 > 0$ , as  $n \geq 4$  and  $(2^n - 2) > 0$ , as  $n \geq 4$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})).$$

Further,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) = -\frac{(2^n - 8)(2^n - 6)(2^n - 4)}{4(2^n - 2)} < 0,$$

since  $(2^n - 8) > 0$ ,  $(2^n - 6) > 0$ ,  $(2^n - 4) > 0$  and  $(2^n - 2) > 0$ , as  $n \geq 4$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})).$$

Hence the result follows.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.3.2.** For the group  $PSL(2, 2^k)$  (where  $k \geq 2$ ),  $\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k)))$ .

*Proof.* Using Proposition 3.1.2 and Result 1.2.15(b), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) - \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ = \frac{2^k (9 \times 2^k + 2^{2k+1} - 8^{k+1} + 3 \times 16^k - 3 \times 32^k + 64^k - 8)}{-2^k + 8^k - 1} > 0, \end{aligned}$$

since  $9 \times 2^k + 2^{2k+1} - 8^{k+1} + 3 \times 16^k - 3 \times 32^k + 64^k - 8 = (9 \times 2^k - 8) + (3 \times 2^k \times 8^k - 8 \times 8^k) + (2^k \times 32^k - 3 \times 32^k) + 2^{2k+1} > 0$  and  $-2^k + 8^k - 1 > 0$ , as  $k \geq 2$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))).$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) - \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ = \begin{cases} \frac{3832}{59}, & \text{for } k = 2 \\ \frac{2^k(5 \times 2^k + 7 \times 2^{3k+1} - 4^{k+1} + 16^k - 5 \times 32^k + 64^k + 4)}{-2^k + 8^k - 1} > 0, & \text{for } k \geq 3, \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

since  $5 \times 2^k + 7 \times 2^{3k+1} - 4^{k+1} + 16^k - 5 \times 32^k + 64^k + 4 = 5 \times 2^k + 7 \times 2^{3k+1} + (4^k \times 4^k - 4 \times 4^k) + (2^k \times 32^k - 5 \times 32^k) + 4 > 0$ , as  $k \geq 3$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))).$$

Further,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) \\ = \begin{cases} -\frac{1528}{59}, & \text{for } k = 2 \\ -\frac{2^{k+1}(2^{k+1} + 3 \times 4^k - 11 \times 8^k + 16^k + 32^k - 6)}{-2^k + 8^k - 1} < 0, & \text{for } k \geq 3 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

since  $2^{k+1} + 3 \times 4^k - 11 \times 8^k + 16^k + 32^k - 6 = 2^{k+1} + 3 \times 4^k + 4^k \times 8^k - 11 \times 8^k + 16^k - 6 > 0$ .

Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))).$$

Hence the result follows.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.3.3.** For the group  $GL(2, q)$  where  $q = p^n > 2$  and  $p$  is prime

$$\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))).$$

*Proof.* Using Proposition 3.1.3 and Result 1.2.15(c), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) - \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \\ = \frac{q(2q^9 - 11q^8 + 15q^7 + 14q^6 - 31q^5 - 15q^4 + 12q^3 + 16q^2 + 8q + 2)}{q^3 - q - 1}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_1(q) := 2q^9 - 11q^8 + 15q^7 + 14q^6 - 31q^5 - 15q^4 + 12q^3 + 16q^2 + 8q + 2$ . Then  $f_1(q) = (2q - 11)q^8 + 12q^3 + 16q^2 + (15q^2 - 31)q^5 + (14q^2 - 15)q^4 + 8q + 2 > 0$ , for  $q \geq 6$ . Again,  $f_1(3) = 1952$ ;  $f_1(4) = 71970$  and  $f_1(5) = 895692$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))).$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) - \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \\ = \begin{cases} \frac{q(2q^9 - 12q^8 + 22q^7 + q^6 - 38q^5 + 6q^4 + 32q^3 + 9q^2 - 16q - 2)}{q^3 - q - 1}, & \text{for } q \leq 5 \\ \frac{q(2q^9 - 11q^8 + 15q^7 + 8q^6 - 23q^5 + q^4 + 14q^3 + 4q^2 - 8q - 2)}{q^3 - q - 1}, & \text{for } q \geq 6. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_2(q) := 2q^9 - 12q^8 + 22q^7 + q^6 - 38q^5 + 6q^4 + 32q^3 + 9q^2 - 16q - 2$  and  $f_3(q) := 2q^9 - 11q^8 + 15q^7 + 8q^6 - 23q^5 + q^4 + 14q^3 + 4q^2 - 8q - 2$ . We have,  $f_2(3) = 1624$ ;  $f_2(4) = 67150$  and  $f_2(5) = 842268$ . Therefore,  $f_2(q) > 0$ . Again,  $f_3(q) = (2q - 11)q^8 + 8q^6 + q^4 + 14q^3 + (15q^2 - 23)q^5 + 4(q - 2)q - 2 > 0$  for  $q \geq 6$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) > \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))).$$

Further,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) \\ = \begin{cases} -\frac{q(q^8 - 7q^7 + 13q^6 + 7q^5 - 21q^4 - 20q^3 + 7q^2 + 24q + 4)}{q^3 - q - 1}, & \text{for } q \leq 5 \\ -\frac{2q(3q^6 - 4q^5 - 8q^4 - q^3 + 6q^2 + 8q + 2)}{q^3 - q - 1}, & \text{for } q \geq 6. \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_4(q) := q^8 - 7q^7 + 13q^6 + 7q^5 - 21q^4 - 20q^3 + 7q^2 + 24q + 4$  and  $f_5(q) := 3q^6 - 4q^5 - 8q^4 - q^3 + 6q^2 + 8q + 2$ . We have,  $f_4(3) = 328$ ;  $f_4(4) = 4820$  and  $f_4(5) = 53424$ . Therefore,  $f_4(q) > 0$ . Again,  $f_5(q) = (q - 4)q^5 + (q^3 - 1)q^3 + 6q^2 + (q^2 - 8)q^4 + 8q + 2 > 0$  for  $q \geq 6$ . Therefore,

$$\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))).$$

Hence the result follows.  $\square$

In view of Theorem 3.1.4, Theorem 3.1.5 and Result 1.2.16, we have the following results.

**Theorem 3.3.4.** Let  $G$  be the Hanaki group  $A(n, \nu)$  or  $A(n, p)$ . Then  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$ .

**Theorem 3.3.5.** Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  and  $|Z(G)| = z$ . Then

$$E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)).$$

*Proof.* Using Proposition 3.1.8 and Result 1.2.14(a), we have

$$LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) - E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \begin{cases} \frac{40}{19}, & \text{for } z = 1 \\ \frac{20}{19}(42z^3 - 114z^2 + 90z - 19), & \text{for } z \geq 2. \end{cases}$$

Let  $f_1(z) := 42z^3 - 114z^2 + 90z - 19$ . Then  $f_1(z) = z^2(42z - 114) + 90z - 19 > 0$ , for  $z \geq 3$ . Again  $f_1(2) = 41$ . Therefore,

$$LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) > E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)).$$

Also,

$$LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) - E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \frac{4}{19}(210z^3 - 312z^2 + 144z - 19).$$

Let  $f_2(z) := 210z^3 - 312z^2 + 144z - 19$ . Then  $f_2(z) = (210z - 312)z^2 + 144z - 19 > 0$ , for  $z \geq 2$ . Again  $f_2(1) = 23$ . Therefore,

$$LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) > E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)).$$

Further,

$$LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) - LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \begin{cases} \frac{52}{19}, & \text{for } z = 1 \\ \frac{8}{19}(z(129z - 153) + 38) > 0, & \text{for } z \geq 2. \end{cases}$$

Therefore,

$$LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) > LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)).$$

Hence the result follows.  $\square$

In view of Theorem 3.1.9 and Result 1.2.14(b), we get the following result.

**Theorem 3.3.6.** *Let  $G$  be a finite non-abelian group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ , where  $p$  is a prime. Then  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$ .*

As a consequence we get the following corollary.

**Corollary 3.3.7.** (a) *If  $G$  is 4-centralizer group then  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$ .*

(b) *If  $G$  is  $(p+2)$ -centralizer group then  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$ .*

**Theorem 3.3.8.** *If  $G$  is a finite group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong D_{2m}$ ,  $m \geq 3$  then*

(a) *for  $m = 3 \& z = 1$ ,  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$ .*

(b) *for all other cases  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$ .*

*Proof.* Using Theorem 3.1.13 and Result 1.2.14(c), we have

$$\begin{aligned} LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) - E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) \\ = \frac{2m(m^3z^3 - 3m^2z^3 - 4m^2z^2 + 2mz^3 + 9mz^2 + 9mz - 4m - 5z^2 - 9z + 2)}{2m-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_1(m, z) := m^3z^3 - 3m^2z^3 - 4m^2z^2 + 2mz^3 + 9mz^2 + 9mz - 4m - 5z^2 - 9z + 2$ . Then  $f_1(m, z) = \frac{1}{2}(m-6)m^2z^3 + \frac{1}{2}m^2z^2(mz-8) + (9m-5)z^2 + z(2mz^2 - 9) + m(9z-4) + 2 > 0$ , for  $m \geq 8$ . We have,  $f_1(3, z) = 12(z^2(3z-7) + 9z - 5)$ . Clearly for  $z \geq 3$ ,  $f_1(3, z) > 0$ . Again,  $f_1(3, 1) = 0$  and  $f_1(3, 2) = 108$ . Therefore,  $f_1(3, z) = 0$  or  $> 0$  according as  $z = 1$  or  $z \geq 2$ . We have  $f_1(4, z) = 8(z^2(24z-33) + 27z - 14) > 0$ , for  $z \geq 2$ . Also we have  $f_1(5, z) = 60(10z^2(z-1) + 6z - 3) > 0$ ;  $f_1(6, z) = 12(z^2(120z-95) + 45z - 22) > 0$  and  $f_1(7, z) = 28(z^2(105z-69) + 27z - 13) > 0$ , as  $z \geq 1$ . Therefore,  $f_1(m, z) = 0$  or  $> 0$  according as  $m = 3 \& z = 1$  or otherwise. Hence  $LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) \geq E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and equality holds if and only if  $m = 3 \& z = 1$ . Also,

$$\begin{aligned} LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) - E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) \\ = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{for } m = 3 \& z = 1 \\ \frac{2(m^4z^3 - 3m^3z^3 - 5m^3z^2 + 2m^2z^3 + 12m^2z^2 + 12m^2z - 4m^2 - 9mz^2 - 12mz - 2m + z^2 + 3z + 2)}{2m-1}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_2(m, z) := m^4z^3 - 3m^3z^3 - 5m^3z^2 + 2m^2z^3 + 12m^2z^2 + 12m^2z - 4m^2 - 9mz^2 - 12mz - 2m + z^2 + 3z + 2$ . Then  $f_2(m, z) = \frac{1}{2}(m-6)m^3z^3 + \frac{1}{2}m^3z^2(mz-10) + m^2(z^3-4) + m(mz^3-2) + (12m-9)mz^2 + 12(m-1)mz + z^2 + 3z + 2 > 0$ , for  $m \geq 6$  and  $z \geq 2$ . Now we have  $f_2(m, 1) = (m-3)(m-2)((m-3)m+1) > 0$ , as in this case  $m \geq 5$ . Now we need to check for  $m \geq 3$  and  $z \geq 2$ . We have  $f_2(3, z) = (z-1)(z(18z-35)+40) > 0$ ;  $f_2(4, z) = z(z(96z-163)+147)-70 > 0$ ;  $f_2(5, z) = 3(z^2(100z-123)+81z-36) > 0$ . Therefore,  $f_2(m, z) > 0$ . Hence,  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) \geq \text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and equality holds if and only if  $m = 3 \& z = 1$ . Further,

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) - \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) \\ &= \begin{cases} 0, & \text{for } m = 3 \& z = 1 \\ \frac{2(-m^3z^2+3m^2z^2+3m^2z-4mz^2-3mz-4m+z^2+3z+2)}{2m-1}, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $f_3(m, z) := -m^3z^2 + 3m^2z^2 + 3m^2z - 4mz^2 - 3mz - 4m + z^2 + 3z + 2$ . Then  $f_3(m, z) = -\frac{1}{2}(m-6)m^2z^2 - \frac{1}{2}m^2z(mz-6) - (4m-1)z^2 - (2m-3)z - (mz-2) - 4m < 0$ , for  $m \geq 6$ . Now we have  $f_3(3, z) = -z(11z-21)-10 < 0$  as in this case  $z \geq 2$ ;  $f_3(4, z) = -z(31z-39)-14 < 0$  as in this case  $z \geq 2$  and  $f_3(5, z) = -z(69z-63)-18 < 0$  as  $z \geq 1$ . Therefore,  $f_3(m, z) < 0$ . Hence  $\text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) \leq \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  and equality holds if and only if  $m = 3 \& z = 1$ .

Therefore, the result follows.  $\square$

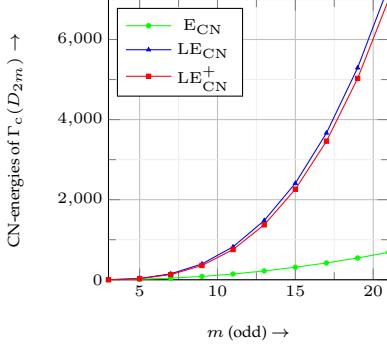
**Corollary 3.3.9.** *Let  $G$  be a 5-centralizer group. Then*

- (a)  $\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  whenever  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3$ .
- (b)  $\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  whenever  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong D_6$ .

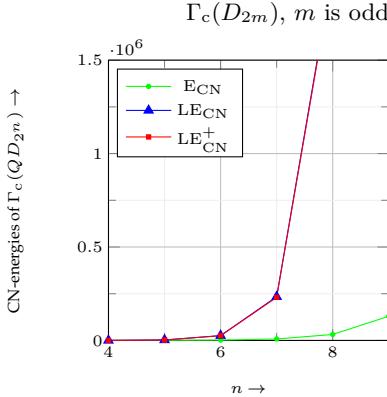
**Corollary 3.3.10.** *Let  $G$  be  $U_{(n,m)}$ ,  $D_{2m}$ ,  $U_{6n}$  and  $Q_{4n}$ . Then*

- (a)  $\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) = \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G \cong U_{(n,4)}$  or  $D_6$  or  $D_8$  or  $Q_8$ .
- (b)  $\text{E}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G)) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < \text{LE}_{\text{CN}}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G \cong U_{(n,m)}$  (for  $m \neq 4$ ) or  $D_{2m}$  (for  $m \neq 3, 4$ ) or  $U_{6n}$  (for  $n \geq 2$ ) or  $Q_{4n}$  (for  $n \neq 2$ ).

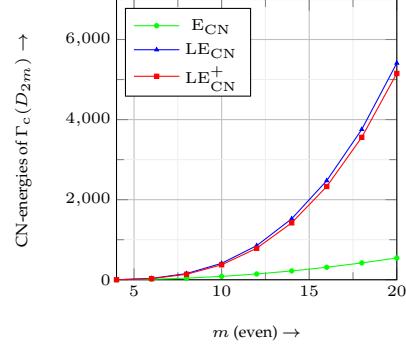
If CN-energy, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of  $\Gamma_c(G)$  are not equal then the closeness among them are not clear from the above results. In the following figures we describe the closeness among CN-energy, CNL-energy and CNSL-energy of commuting graphs of  $D_{2m}$ ,  $QD_{2^n}$ ,  $PSL(2, 2^k)$ ,  $GL(2, q)$ ,  $Q_{4n}$ ,  $U_{6n}$  and  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  graphically.



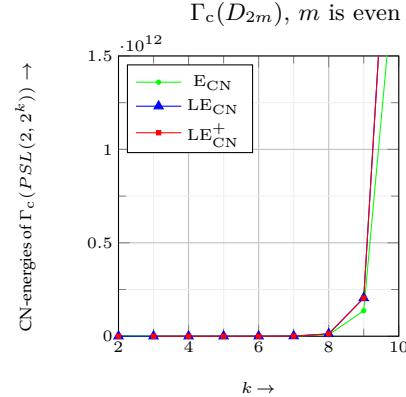
**Figure 3.1:** CN-energies of



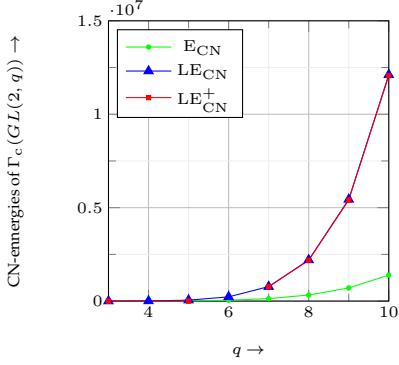
**Figure 3.3:** CN-energies of  
 $\Gamma_c(QD_{2^n})$ ,  $(n \geq 4)$



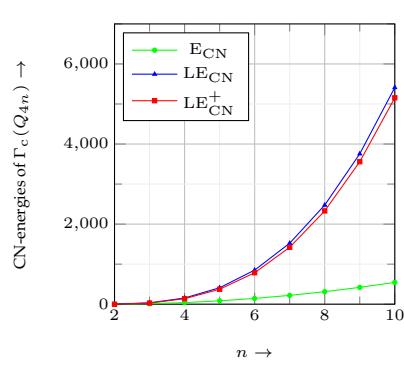
**Figure 3.2:** CN-energies of



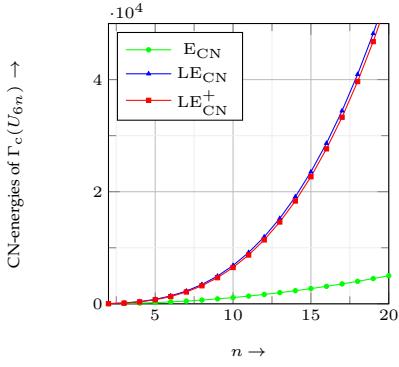
**Figure 3.4:** CN-energies of  
 $\Gamma_c(PSL(2, 2^k))$ ,  $(k \geq 2)$



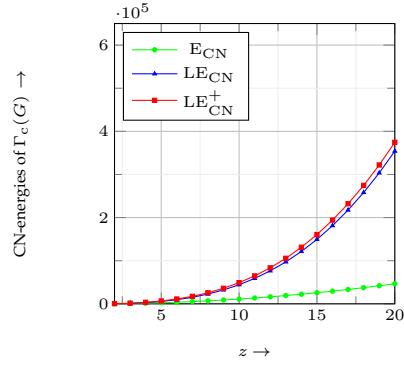
**Figure 3.5:** CN-energies of  $\Gamma_c(GL(2, q))$ , ( $q > 2$ )



**Figure 3.6:** CN-energies of  $\Gamma_c(Q_{4n})$ , ( $n \geq 2$ )



**Figure 3.7:** CN-energies of  $\Gamma_c(U_{6n})$ , ( $n \geq 2$ )



**Figure 3.8:** CN-energies of  $\Gamma_c(G)$  ( $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$ )

In [40], Dutta et al. compared  $E(\Gamma_c(G))$ ,  $LE(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  for  $G = D_{2m}$ ,  $QD_{2n}$ ,  $PSL(2, 2^k)$ ,  $GL(2, q)$ ,  $Q_{4n}$ ,  $U_{(n,m)}$ ,  $U_{6n}$ ,  $A(n, \nu)$ ,  $A(n, p)$  and  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  or  $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ . We observe that  $E(\Gamma_c(G))$ ,  $LE(\Gamma_c(G))$ ,  $LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$ ,  $LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$ ,  $LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  satisfy similar (sometimes different) inequalities for the above mentioned groups. Comparing our results and the results obtained in [40], we get the following results.

**Theorem 3.3.11.** Let  $G = D_{2m}$ ,  $Q_{4n}$ ,  $U_{(n,m)}$ ,  $A(n, \nu)$ ,  $A(n, p)$  or  $G$  is any group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  or  $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ . Then

- (a)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  as well as  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = D_8$ ,  $Q_8$ ,  $U_{(n,4)}$ ,  $A(n, \nu)$ ,  $A(n, p)$  and  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

- (b)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G))$  as well as  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = D_{2m}$  ( $m$  (odd)  $\geq 5$ ;  $m$  (even)  $\geq 8$ ),  $Q_{4m}$  ( $m \geq 4$ ),  $U_{6n}$  ( $n = 3, 4$ ) and  $U_{(n,m)}$  ( $m \neq 3, 4$  &  $n \geq 2$ ;  $m = 6$  &  $n \geq 3$ ) .
- (c)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  as well as  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  ( $|Z(G)| \geq 2$ ).

**Theorem 3.3.12.** Let  $G = D_{2m}$ ,  $Q_{4n}$ ,  $U_{(n,m)}$ ,  $QD_{2^n}$ ,  $PSL(2, 2^k)$ ,  $GL(2, q)$  or  $G$  is any group such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$ . Then

- (a)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = U_{(5,3)}$ .
- (b)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = D_6$ .
- (c)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G)) = LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = U_{30}$ .
- (d)  $LE^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = U_{(2,3)}$ ,  $D_{12}$ ,  $Q_{12}$ ,  $PSL(2, 2^k)$  ( $k \geq 2$ ) and  $GL(2, q)$  ( $q = p^3$ ).
- (e)  $LE^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G$  such that  $\frac{G}{Z(G)} \cong Sz(2)$  ( $|Z(G)| = 1$ ).
- (f)  $E(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE^+(\Gamma_c(G))$  and  $E_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}^+(\Gamma_c(G)) < LE_{CN}(\Gamma_c(G))$  if and only if  $G = U_{6n}$  ( $n \geq 6$ ),  $QD_{2^n}$  ( $n \geq 4$ ) and  $GL(2, q)$  ( $q = p^n$ ,  $n \neq 3$ ),  $U_{(2,6)}$ .