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Abstract:

Given a permutation group G, the derangement graph ΓG of G is the Cayley graph with connection set the derangements of G. In a recent paper of 2021 Meagher, Razafimahatratra and Spiga conjectured that there exists a function $f : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}$ such that, if G is transitive of degree n and ΓG has no k-clique, then $n \leq f(k)$. The conjecture has been proved for innately transitive groups, that are a generalization of primitive groups. Motivation for this work arises from investigations on Erdos-Ko-Rado type theorems for permutation groups.

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