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1004-05-193 S H Holliday* (sholliday@utm.edu), 424 Humanities, Martin, TN 38238, and John Holliday and P D Johnson. On the Shields-Harary Numbers of a Tree. Preliminary report.

The Shields-Harary graph parameters are measures of the robustness or integrity of a graph. These parameters arose from a problem of the late Allen Shields, reconstrued in a graph theory setting by Shields and Frank Harary in 1972. In this paper, we will give some results about the Shields-Harary numbers of trees. (Received January 24, 2005)