

On (m,n) - Separative

EMBEDDING THEOREMS ON SEMIGROUPS

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Introduction

In this paper we investigate some embedding problems on semigroups. In Section 2 we give necessary and sufficient conditions for semigroups to be embeddable in right groups. We give a criterion for semigroups with zero element to be embeddable in semigroups having a zero element 0 and being unions of disjoint subgroups G_α , $\alpha \in Y$, such that $G_\alpha \cap G_\beta = 0$ if $\alpha \neq \beta$. In Section 3 we investigate the embedding of commutative semigroups into groups, in particular, into torsion-free groups. For this purpose we define (m,n)-separativity of semigroups. In Section- 4 (m,n)-separative semigroups will be studied.

For all notation and notions which are not defined in this paper, we refer to [1].

2. Embedding into completely regular semigroups

DEFINITION 1. A semigroup is said to be a right group if it contained no proper left ideals and is right calculative. (see [3]. P.310).

For the next two theorems the following lemmas are needed ([2], p.39).

LEMMA 1. A right group is the union of a set of isomorphic disjoint groups. If e and f are distinct idem potents a right group S , then the mapping $x \rightarrow xf$ ($x \in S_e$) is an isomorphism of the group S_e upon the group S_f (see [4]. P.258).

LEMMA 2. A semigroups is a right group if and only if it is a union of disjoint subgroups such that the set of identity elements of the subgroups is a right zero subsemigroup. (See (4).p. 259)

THEREM 1. A semigroup can be embedded, in a right group if and only if it is the union of disjoint subsemigroups S_α , $\alpha \in Y$, such that each subsemigroup S_α can be embedded in a group G_α , $G_\alpha \cap G_\beta = \emptyset$ if $\alpha \neq \beta$ and for every α and $\beta \in Y$ there exists an isomorphism of G_α onto G_β such that

- (i) $a \varphi_{\alpha\beta} \varphi_{\beta\gamma} = a \varphi_{\alpha\gamma}$ for all $a \in G_\alpha$, $\alpha_1\beta_1\gamma \in Y$;
- (ii) $a \varphi_{\alpha\beta} b = ab$ for every $a \in S_\alpha$, $b \in S_\beta$, $\alpha_1\beta \in Y$;
- (iii) $\varphi_{\alpha\alpha}$ is the identity mapping of G_α , $\alpha \in Y$

Proof. First we show that the conditions arc sufficient. Assume that the semigroup S satieties the conditions of the theorem and let $G = \cup \{G_\alpha : \alpha \in Y\}$ For any elements a, b of G there exist $\alpha_1\beta \in Y$ such that $a \in G_\alpha$ and $b \in C_\beta$ Let $a^0b = a \varphi_{\alpha\beta}$. Thus we have defined, an operation "o" on G . We prove that $G(o)$ is a right group. The operation is single-valued because $G_\alpha \cap G_\beta = \emptyset$ if $\alpha \neq \beta$. In order to show the associativity, let a, b, c are any elements of G . Then

there exist $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in Y$ such that $a \in G_\alpha$, $b \in G_\beta$, and $c \in G_\gamma$. Thus

$$a o (b^o c) a^o (b \phi_{\beta\gamma} c) = a \phi_{\alpha\gamma} (b \phi_{\alpha\gamma} c) (a \phi_{\alpha\gamma} b \phi_{\beta\gamma}) c = (a \phi_{\alpha\beta} \phi_{\beta\gamma} b \phi_{\beta\gamma}) c = (a \phi_{\alpha\gamma} b) \phi_{\beta\gamma} c = (a^o b)^o c.$$

If $a, b \in G_\alpha$ then $a o b = a \phi_{\alpha\alpha} b = ab$, that is, $G(o)$ is a semigroup which is the union of the disjoint subgroups $G_{\alpha\alpha} \in Y$. If $e (\in G_\alpha)$ and $f (\in G_\beta)$ are idempotent elements, then $e o f = e \phi_{\alpha\beta} c o f = f f = f$. Consequently, the set of the identity element a of the groups $G_\alpha, \alpha \in Y$, is a right zero subsemigroup. Thus G is a right group by Lemma 2.

We show that S can be embedded in G . Since $S \in G$, we have only to prove that $a o b = ab$ for every $a, b \in S$. Let a, b any couple of elements of S . Then there exist $\alpha, \beta \in Y$ so that $a \in S_\alpha (\subseteq G_\alpha)$ and $b \in S_\beta (\subseteq G_\beta)$. Thus $a o b = a \phi_{\alpha\beta} b = ab$ by Condition (ii). Consequently S is a subsemigroup of G and the first part of the theorem is proved.

Conversely, assume that the semigroup S is embeddable in a right group G . By Lemma 1, G is the union of a set of isomorphic subgroups $G_\alpha, \alpha \in Y$. Thus S is the union of some subsemigroups $S_\alpha, \alpha \in Y$, where every S_α can be embedded in G_α . The mapping $\phi_{\alpha\beta}: x \rightarrow xf$ ($x \in G_\alpha$) is an isomorphism of the group G_α upon G_β where f is the identity of G_β (see Lemma 1). Let e, f, h be the identity elements of G_α, G_β and G_γ , respectively, and. Let $a \in G_\alpha$, $b \in G_\beta$, $x \in S_\alpha$, $y \in S_\beta$, $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in Y$; Then

$$a \phi_{\alpha\beta} \phi_{\beta\gamma} = (af)h = a(fh) = ah = a \phi_{\alpha\gamma}$$

$$x\phi_{\alpha\beta}y = (xf)y = x(fy) = xy, = a\phi_{\alpha\alpha} = ae = a.$$

Thus the theorem is completely proved.

THEOREM 2. A semigroup having a zero element 0 can be embedded in a semigroup which has a zero element 0' and IB the union of disjoint subgroups G_α , $\alpha \in Y$ so that $G_\alpha, G_\beta = 0'$ for every $\alpha \neq \beta$, $\alpha, \beta \in Y$ if and only if It is the union of disjoint subsemigroups embedded in groups S_α , $\alpha \in Y$ such that $S_\alpha, S_\beta = 0$ for every $\alpha \neq \beta$, $\alpha, \beta \in Y$

Proof. Since the necessity of the coalition is trivial, we have only to show the sufficiency. Assume that the semigroup S with zero 0 is the union of disjoint subsemigroups S_α , $\alpha \in Y$ such that every S_α , is embeddable in a group G_α and $S_\alpha, S_\beta = 0$, $\alpha \neq \beta$, $\alpha, \beta \in Y$. We may assume that G_α , ie generated by S_α , and so $G_\alpha \cap G_\beta = \{0\}$ if $\alpha \neq \beta$. let $G = \cup \{G_\alpha : \alpha \in Y\}$. We define an operation "o" on G as follows: For any elements $a \in G_\alpha$, $b \in G_\beta$, let $aob = ab$ if $\alpha = \beta$ and $aob = 0$ if $\alpha \neq \beta$. It is evident, that G is a semigroup with zero element 0 and $G = \cup B$ the union of the subgroups $G_\alpha, \alpha \in Y$. Since $S_\alpha \subseteq G_\alpha$ and $aob = ab$ for every a,b in S, the semigroup S is embeddable in G (S is a subsemigroup of G)

3. Embedding in groups

A commutative semigroup can be embedded in a group if and only if it is calculative. For non-connotative semigroups cancellation is an evidently necessary condition for embed ability

in a group, but it is far from sufficient. The first necessary and efficient condition is due to S,Lajas (see [3],p.311)

In this auction. we investigate the embedding in groups for several c lasses of commutative semigroups and deal with the embedding of commutative semigroups into torsion-free groups.

DEPIMITION 2. lie-I, S be an arbitrary semigroup. An clement a of Swill be called a asymmetry element if $xay = yax$ for every couple $x, y \in S$ (See [8])

LEMMA 3. The eel of all symmetry elements of a semigroup S is either empty or an ideal of S.

Proof. Let a "be a symmetry element and x, y be any elements of a semigroup S. Then, for every $s \in S$,

$$\begin{aligned} x(a8)y &= xa(sy) = (sy)ax = s(yax) = s(xay) = \\ &= (sx)ay = ya(sx) - y(as)x \\ \text{and } x(sa)y &= (xa)ay = ya(xa) = (yax)s = (xay) = \\ &= xa(ye) = (ya)ax y(sa)x. \end{aligned}$$

Consequently, both as and ea belong to the set of all symmetry element a of S. Thus the theorem is proved.

THEOREM 3. A left calculative semigroup which has a symmetry element is commutative.

COROLLARY. A calculative semigroup which has a symmetry element can be embedded in a group.

Proof, Assume that -the left calculative semigroup S has a symmetry element a and. let x, y be arbitrary elements of S. By Lemma 3, as is a symmetry element of S for any a S, and $(sa)(xy)$

$=(eax)y = x(as)y = y(as)x = (yas)x = (sa)(yx)$. Thus $xy = yx$ because S is left calculative.

DEPIUITIOH 3. A semigroup S is said to be separative if $a^2 = ab = b^2$ implies $a = b$ for every couple $a, b \in S$. (See [6])

THEOREM 4. A commutative separative semigroup S can be embedded in a group if and only if some power S^n ($n > 1$) is embeddable in a group,

Proof. If a semigroups is embeddable in a group, then every power of it is so.

Conversely, let S be a commutative separative semigroup. Assume that there exists a positive integer n so that S^n is embeddable in a group. Since there is a positive integer k such $2^k \geq n$, $S^n \supseteq S^{2^k}$ and so S^{2^k} is embeddable in a group. Consequently, it sufficed to show that S is embeddable in a group if S^2 is because by applying this particular proposition general times, we get in succession that $S^{2^{k-1}}, S^{2^{k-2}}, \dots, S^2$ and finally, S can be embedded in a group, let S be embeddable in a group. Then S^2 is calculative. We prove that S is calculative too Let $a, x, y \in S$ such that $ax = ay$. Then $ax = a^2x^2 = a^2yx$ and $a^2xy = a^2y^2$. The elements a^2, x^2, xy belong to S , hence $x^3 = y^2 = xy$ because S^2 is calculative and S is commutative, Since S is separative, we get $x = y$ This means that S is left calculative. Similarly, S is right calculative, Thus S can be embedded in a group, and, the theorem is proved.

Before dealing with the embedding of commutative semigroups in torsion-free groups, we prove the

THEOREM 5 A semigroup which is not a group can not be embedded in a torsion group.

Proof. Let G be a torsion group. Then, for any element a of G there exists a positive integer n so that $a^n = 1$ (the identity of G). We prove that every subsemigroup of G is left simple and right simple. First, we show that, if K is a subsemigroup of G , then the left idealizer of K , $\text{Id}_L = \{x \in S : xK \subseteq K\}$ and the right idealizer of K equal to K . Since G is a torsion group, the identity 1 belongs to K . Thus, for any $x \in G$, $x = x1 \in xK$ and $x = 1x \in Kx$. Hence $xK \subseteq K$ [$Kx \subseteq K$] and $x \in K$. Therefore $\text{Id}_L K = K = \text{Id}_R K$. Let S be a subsemigroup of G . Then a subsemigroup K of S is a left [right] ideal of S if and only if $\text{Id}_L K \supseteq S$ [$\text{Id}_R K \supseteq S$]. Thus if K is a subsemigroup of S so that K is a left [right] ideal of S , then $K = S$ because $S \subseteq \text{Id}_L K = K$ [$S \subseteq \text{Id}_R K = K$]. Consequently S has no proper left and right ideals, whence S is a subgroup of G . Thus if a semigroup S can be embedded in a torsion group G , then S is a group. The theorem is proved.

DEFINITION 4. Let m and n be fixed positive integer so that $m \neq n$. A semigroup S will be called (m,n) -separative if $a^m b^n = a^n b^m$ implies $a = b$ for all $a, b \in S$. (see [9])

THEOREM 6. A commutative semigroup can be embedded in a torsion-free group if and only if it is a calculative (m,n) -separative semigroup for all positive integer $m > n$.

Proof. Assume that the commutative semigroup S can be embedded in a torsion-free group G . We may assume that G is generated by S . Then G is a commutative group. let m and n be positive integers so that $m > n$ and $a, b \in S$ with the assumption $a^m b^n = a^n b^m$. We show that $a = b$. Since S is cancellative, $a^{m-n} = b^{m-n}$. Since a, b are elements of G , there exists an element x of G such that $ax = b$. Thus, $b^{m-n} = (ax)^{m-n} = x^{m-n} = b^{m-n} x^{m-n}$ because G is Abelian. It followed that x^{m-n} is the identity of G . Hence $a = b$.

Conversely, assume that a commutative semigroup S is cancellative and, for every positive integer m and n , $a^m b^n = a^n b^m$ ($a, b \in S$) implies $a = b$. Since S is commutative and calculative, it is embeddable in a group G . By making use the usual construction of G [$G = S \times S / \sigma$, where $(a, b) \sigma (c, d)$ iff $ad = cb$; $a, b, c, d \in S$], we show that G is torsion-free. Assume $(a, b)^m = (c, c)$ ($c \in S$) for the element (a, b) of G and for some positive integer $m \geq 2$. Then $(a^m, b^m) = (c, c)$, that is, $a^m c = cb^m$. Since S is commutative, $a^m c = b^m c$. Since S is cancellative, $a^m = b^m$. Thus for any couple $n > m$ of positive integers, $b^{n-m} a^{n-m} = b^{n-m} b^m a^{n-m}$, that is, $b^{n-m} a^n$ whence $a = b$ by the assumption for S . Consequently, $(a, b) = (c, c)$, $c \in S$ and so G is a torsion-free group.

4- On (m,n)-separaive semigroups

Theorem 5 shows that (m, n) -separativity is a useful condition for embedding in torsion-free groups. In, this section we investigate the (m, n) -separative semigroups.

THEOREM 7. If an (m,n)-separative semigroup S contains an idempotent e, then e is the identity of S.

Proof. Let S be an (m,n)-separative semigroup, $m > n$, and e an idempotent of S. Then, for every $x \in S$, $(xe)^n (ex)^m = (xe)^{n-1} xex(ex)^{m-1} = (xe)^{m-1} xex(ex)^{n-1} = (xe)^m (ex)^n$

which implies $xe = ex$. Thus

$$(xe)^n x^m = x^n e^n x^m = x^n e^m x^m$$

whence $xe = x$. Similarly, $ex = x$. Thus e is the identity element of S.

THEOREM 8. If a semigroup S is a union of disjoint (n,n-2)-separative subsemigroups S_α , $\alpha \in Y$, $n > 2$, then S is separative.

Proof, First we show -that every S_α is separative. Let a and b be any elements of S satisfying $a^2 = b^2 = ab$. Then, for any positive integer $n > 2$, $a^n b^{n-2} = a^{n-1} b^{n-1}$ and $a^{n-2} b^n = a^{n-1} b^{n-1}$, is, $a^n b^{n-2} = a^{n-2} b^n$. Hence it follows that $a \gg b \ll$ Sow let $x, y \in S$ so that $x^2 = y^2 = xy$. If $x \in S_\alpha$, $\alpha \in Y$, then $y \in S_\alpha$ too. Since S_α is separative as just we have proved, $x = y$.

THEOREM 9. Every (2, 1)-separative semigroup is separative.

Proof Let S be a (2,1)-separative semigroup, and $a, b \in S$ such that $a^2 = ab = b^2$. Then $a^2 b = ab^2$ which implies $a = b$.

THEOREM 10. If a semigroup is the union of disjoint (2,1)-separative semigroups, then it is separative.

Proof 11 trivial by Theorem 8 and Theorem 9.

THEOREM 11. A (3,1)-separative semigroup is cancellative if some power of it is cancellative.

Proof, Assume that S is a (3,1) separative semigroup and there is a positive integer n so that S^n is cancellative. We may assume that $n=2$ as we have proved in the proof of Theorem 4. Then S^2 is cancellative. Let $a, x, y \in S$ such that $ax = ay$. Then $a^2xy = a^2y^2$, $a^2yx = a^2x^2$. Consequently, $y^2 = xy$ and x^2 because S^2 is cancellative. Thus $x^3y = xyxy = xy^3$. Since S is (3,1)- separative $x=y$. We can prove similarly that $xa = ya$ implies $x=y$ for any elements $a, x, y \in S$. Thus S is cancellative and the theorem is completely proved.

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حول نظريات الاعداد

لشبه الزمر من النمط (m,n)

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من بحثنا هذا، درسنا بعض نظريات الاعداد ومساائلها لشبه الزمر. من جزء

(2) قدمنا الشرط الضروري اللازم لاعداد شبه الزمر من الزمر اليمنى. خاصة

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الجزء (3) درسنا امكانية اعداد شبه الزمر الابدالية من الزمر، خاصة من الزمر

ذات ؟؟؟ من الرتب. ثم عرفنا شبه الزمر من النمط (m,n) وخواص اعدادها