

Coordinatizing MV-Algebras

Philip Scott

University of Ottawa & Informatics, U. Edinburgh
(Joint work with Mark Lawson)

Background results

- Mundici in mid-80's connected up MV-algebras (arising from many-valued logics) with G. Elliot's program for classification of AF C*-algebras via countable dimension groups.

Theorem [Mundici, 1986] countable MV algebras \cong
AF C*-algebra with lattice-ordered dimension group (K_0 -group).

- In 1990's, the algebraic theory of quantum effects in physics led to *Effect Algebras* developed by Bennett & Foulis, eastern European school: Jencova, Pulmannova, et. al.

Theorem [J & P, 2008] There are three categorical equivalences:
unital AF C*-algebras \cong countable dimension effect algebras \cong
countable dimension groups.

What do we want to do?

- Find a setting that encompasses both frameworks, based on Inverse Monoid Theory.
- Connect this work up with recent works on noncommutative Stone-Duality, étale groupoids, pseudogroups, tilings, formal language theory, etc. (Lawson, Lenz, Resende, et. al.)
- Generalize AF C^* -algebra techniques (Bratteli diagrams) to develop a theory of AF inverse monoids (e.g. the dyadic or CAR Inverse Monoid) and connect it up with effect algebras.

Theorem (Coordinatization Theorem, L-S)

Let \mathcal{A} be a countable MV algebra. Then there exists a boolean inverse “coordinatizing” monoid S such that $S/\mathcal{J} \cong \mathcal{A}$.

Here \mathcal{J} is the standard relation: $a\mathcal{J}b$ iff $SaS = SbS$.

Łukasiewicz many-valued logics

Łukasiewicz (1878-1956) introduced many-valued logics in the 1920's. What are they? In brief:

- A logic \mathcal{L} with truth values in $[0,1]$ (also related ones with truth values in $\mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1]$ or $\mathbb{Q}_{\text{Dyad}} \cap [0, 1]$).
- Finite Łukasiewicz logics \mathcal{L}_n , with truth values in $\{0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, \frac{n-2}{n-1}, 1\}$.

Before going into details, let me give a brief history. See also:

- (i) *Many-Valued Logic*, Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy
- (ii) Many papers and works of Daniele Mundici (Milan), e.g. *Algebraic Foundations of Many-valued Reasoning (2000)*, Cignoli, D'Ottaviano, Mundici.

Łukasiewicz Logics and their Algebras

Łukasiewicz (1878-1956) introduced many-valued logics in the 1920's.

- Studied by Polish logicians in 1920's, including Lesniewski, Tarski (in parallel with Post (1921) in U.S.)
- 1940's & early 1950's: Rosenbloom, Rosser, McNaughton.
- Mid-1950's: major advances by CC. Chang: MV-algebras, Chang Completeness Thm, lattice ordered abelian groups.
- From mid-1980's: large body of work by D. Mundici, et.al.
 - Theory of MV Algebras via lattice-ordered groups & rings
 - MV-Algebras & AF C^* -algebras.
 - Connections to works of Elliott, Effros, Handleman: dimension groups and Grothendieck's K_0 functor.
 - States & probability distributions.
- Sheaf Representation Theory of MV-Algebras: Dubuc/Poveda (2010)

What are MV Algebras?

MV algebras are structures $\mathcal{M} = \langle M, \oplus, \neg, 0 \rangle$ satisfying:

- $\langle M, \oplus, 0 \rangle$ is a commutative monoid.
- \neg is an involution: $\neg\neg x = x$, for all $x \in M$.
- $1 := \neg 0$ is absorbing: $x \oplus 1 = 1$, for all $x \in M$.
- $\neg(\neg x \oplus y) \oplus y = \neg(\neg y \oplus x) \oplus x$.

Writing $x \multimap y := \neg x \oplus y$, we can rewrite the last equation:

- $(x \multimap y) \multimap y = (y \multimap x) \multimap x$

Notation: $x \otimes y := \neg(\neg x \oplus \neg y)$
 $x \leq y$ iff for some z , $x \oplus z = y$ iff $x \multimap y = 1$

Facts:

- (i) \leq is a partial order.
- (ii) \otimes is adjoint to \multimap , i.e.
 $x \otimes y \leq z$ iff $x \leq (y \multimap z)$

Further Facts:

(i) Let $x \ominus y := x \otimes \neg y$. Then

$$x \leq y \text{ iff } x \ominus y = 0 \text{ iff } y = x \oplus (y \ominus x)$$

(ii) \ominus is left adjoint to \oplus , i.e. $x \ominus z \leq y$ iff $x \leq y \oplus z$

Lattice Structure (“Additives”)

The order on an MV algebra determines a distributive lattice structure with 0, 1:

$$x \vee y := (x \otimes \neg y) \oplus y = (x \ominus y) \oplus y$$

$$x \wedge y := \neg(\neg x \vee \neg y)$$

Fundamental Example of an MV Algebra: $[0, 1]$

For $x, y \in [0, 1]$, define:

- 1 $\neg x = 1 - x$
- 2 $x \oplus y = \min(1, x + y)$
- 3 $x \otimes y = \max(0, x + y - 1)$

Other models: similarly consider the same operations on:

- $\mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1]$ and $\mathbb{Q}_{\text{dyad}} \cap [0, 1]$.
- Finite MV algebras $\mathcal{M}_n = \{0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, \frac{n-2}{n-1}, 1\}$ (subalgebras of $[0, 1]$). Note: $\mathcal{M}_2 = \{0, 1\}$.

Fact (Barr)

$([0, 1], \otimes, \oplus, 1, 0, \neg)$ also forms a **-autonomous poset*.

Moreover, it has products (\wedge) and thus coproducts (\vee).

Example 2: Lattice-Ordered Abelian Groups

- Let $\langle G, +, -, 0, \leq \rangle$ be a partially ordered abelian group, i.e. an abelian group with translation invariant partial order.
- If G is lattice-ordered, call G an ℓ -group, G^+ its positive cone.
- If G is an ℓ -group and $t \in G$, then $t + ()$ preserves \vee and \wedge .
- If G is an ℓ -group, an *order unit* $u \in G$ is an *Archimedean element*: $\forall g \in G, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}^+$ s.t. $g \leq nu$.
- If G is an ℓ -group with order unit u , define

$$[0, u]_G = \{g \in G \mid 0 \leq g \leq u\} \quad (\text{just a poset})$$

Example: $\Gamma(G, u) = ([0, u]_G, \oplus, \otimes, *, 0, 1)$ is an MV algebra, via:

$$\begin{aligned}x \oplus y &:= u \wedge (x + y) \\x^* &:= u - x \\x \otimes y &:= (x^* \oplus y^*)^* \\0 &:= 0_G \quad \text{and} \quad 1 := u\end{aligned}$$

Lattice-Ordered Abelian Groups

Examples of MV algebras $\Gamma(G, u) = ([0, u]_G, \oplus, \otimes, *, 0, 1)$:

- $\Gamma(\mathbb{R}, 1) = [0, 1]$,
- $\Gamma(\mathbb{Q}, 1) = \mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1]$,
- $\Gamma(\frac{1}{n-1}\mathbb{Z}, 1) = \mathcal{M}_n = \{0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, \frac{n-2}{n-1}, 1\}$ (called a *Lukasiewicz chain*).
- $\Gamma(\mathbb{Z}, 1) = \mathcal{M}_2 = \{0, 1\}$.

Let \mathcal{MV} = the category of MV-algebras and MV-morphisms. Let $\ell\mathcal{G}_u$ be the category of ℓ -groups and order-unit preserving homs.

Theorem (Mundici, 1986)

Γ induces an equivalence of categories $\ell\mathcal{G}_u \cong \mathcal{MV}$

In particular, for every MV algebra A , there exists an ℓ -group G with order unit u , unique up to isomorphism, such that $A \cong \Gamma(G, u)$, and $|G| \leq \max(\aleph_0, |A|)$.

Completeness Theorems

Theorem (Chang, 1955-58)

- 1 *Every MV algebra is a subdirect product of MV Chains.*
- 2 *An MV equation holds in $[0, 1]$ iff it holds in all MV algebras.*
- 3 *Completeness theorem for Łukasiewicz logic.*

Corollary


The free MV algebra \mathcal{F}_κ on κ free generators is the smallest MV-algebra of functions $[0, 1]^\kappa \rightarrow [0, 1]$ containing all projections (as generators) and closed under the pointwise operations.

Theorem (McNaughton, 1950: earlier than Chang!)

The free MV algebra \mathcal{F}_n is exactly the algebra of McNaughton Functions: continuous, piecewise linear polynomial functions (in n vbls, with integer coefficients): $[0, 1]^n \rightarrow [0, 1]$.

Matrix algebras and AF C^* -algebras: some defns

See: *Notes on Real and Complex C^* -algebras* by K. R. Goodearl.

- A finite dimensional C^* -algebra is one isomorphic (as a $*$ -algebra) to a direct sum of matrix algebras:
$$\cong M_{m(1)}(\mathbb{C}) \oplus \cdots \oplus M_{m(k)}(\mathbb{C}).$$
- The ordered list $(m(1), \dots, m(k))$ is an invariant and determines \mathcal{A} . We write $\mathcal{A} \cong (m(1), \dots, m(k))$.
-  Many categories arise, with many notions of map!
- (Bratteli, 1972) An AF C^* -algebra (approximately finite C^* -algebra) is a countable colimit

$$\varinjlim (\mathcal{A}_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha_1} \mathcal{A}_2 \xrightarrow{\alpha_2} \mathcal{A}_3 \xrightarrow{\alpha_3} \cdots)$$

of finite-dimensional C^* -algebras and $*$ -algebra maps.

Bratteli showed AF C^* -algebras have a *standard form*:

Matrix C^* -algebras: standard maps

Consider matrix C^* -algebras $\mathcal{A} = M_{m(1)}(\mathbb{C}) \oplus \cdots \oplus M_{m(k)}(\mathbb{C})$.

- Consider $*$ -algebra maps $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow M_{n(i)}(\mathbb{C})$ mapping to a block diagonal $n(i) \times n(i)$ -matrix:

$$(A_1, \dots, A_k) \mapsto \text{DIAG}_{n(i)}(\overbrace{A_1, \dots, A_1}^{s_{i1}}, \overbrace{A_2, \dots, A_2}^{s_{i2}}, \dots, \overbrace{A_k, \dots, A_k}^{s_{ik}})$$

determined by $s_{ik} \in \mathbb{N}$ where $s_{i1}m(1) + \cdots + s_{ik}m(k) = n(i)$.

- Let $\mathcal{A} = (m(1), \dots, m(k))$, $\mathcal{B} = (n(1), \dots, n(l))$ be algebras.

A standard $*$ -map $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is an l -tuple of such DIAGs:

$$(A_1, \dots, A_k) \mapsto (\text{DIAG}_{n(1)}(\dots), \dots, \text{DIAG}_{n(l)}(\dots))$$

determined by $l \times k$ matrix (s_{ij}) s.t. $\sum_{j=1}^k (s_{ij}m(j)) = n(i)$, $1 \leq i \leq l$. The s_{ij} are sometimes called *partial multiplicities*.

Theorem (Bratteli)

Any AF C-algebra is isomorphic (as a C*-algebra) to a colimit of a system of matricial C*-algebras and standard maps.*

Bratteli introduced a graphical language for standard maps. We form a (directed) multigraph from the matrix (s_{ij}) . For example, we have two horizontal rows of labelled vertices:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} m(1) & m(2) & \cdots & m(k) \\ n(1) & n(2) & \cdots & n(l) \end{array}$$

Draw s_{ij} -many edges between $m(j)$ to $n(i)$. (Of course, we assume the s_{ij} satisfy the combinatorial condition.)

Our Goal: introduce general theory for AF C*-inverse monoids.

Bratteli Diagrams in general

Bratteli diagrams have become part of the combinatorial structure behind AF C^* -algebra. More generally, one can define a Bratteli diagram as an infinite directed multigraph $B = (V, E)$, where $V = \cup_{i=0}^{\infty} V(i)$ and $E = \cup_{i=0}^{\infty} E(i)$. We assume $V(0)$ has one vertex, the *root*. Edges are only defined from $V(i)$ to $V(i + 1)$. Vertices have weights on them.

$$\begin{array}{cccc} V(i) & & m(1) & m(2) & \cdots & m(k) \\ V(i+1) & & n(1) & n(2) & \cdots & n(l) \end{array}$$

Draw s_{ij} -many edges between $m(j)$ to $n(i)$. (Of course, for adjacent levels, the s_{ij} must satisfy the combinatorial conditions.)

K_0 : Grothendieck group functor **Ring** \rightarrow **Ab**

- A general functorial construction $K_0(-)$. Gives a pre- or p.o.-abelian group $K_0(\mathcal{A})$ for classes of structures \mathcal{A} .
- Roughly, we construct a commutative monoid on isomorphism classes of idempotents in a category of idempotents (a kind of Karoubi envelope/ \mathcal{A}). E.g. say idempotents $e \sim f$ iff there exists maps $x : e \rightarrow f$ and $y : f \rightarrow e$ in $\text{Karoubi}(\mathcal{A})$ such that $xy = e$ and $yx = f$. But how to add classes $[e] + [f] = ?$
- E.g. $A = \text{ring}$. Move to matrix ring over A . Define “gen. idempotents” $E(A) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \{\text{idempotents in } M_n(\mathcal{A})\}$. If $e \in M_k, f \in M_n$, then $e \oplus f = \text{Diag}(e, f) \in M_{n+k}$ is an idempotent. $E(A)/\sim$ is commutative monoid. Want cancellative monoid (why?). Use *stably equiv. idempotents*: $e \approx f$ iff $e \oplus g \sim f \oplus g$ for some $g \in E(\mathcal{A})$. Get cancellative abelian monoid. Apply now the formal INT construction (like building \mathbb{Z} from \mathbb{N}). Get functor $K_0 : \mathbf{Rings} \rightarrow \mathbf{Ab}$.

K_0 : Grothendieck group for C^* -algebras A

- Suppose A is a $*$ -algebra. Now use self-adjoint idempotents (= projections): $e = e^* = e^2$. (Note if $e \neq 0$, $\|e\| = \|e^*\| = \|e\|^2$, so $\|e\| = 1$).
- For projections $e, f \in A$, $e \overset{*}{\sim} f$ if for some $w \in A$, $f \xrightarrow{w} e$ in $\text{Karoubi}(A)$, $w^*w = f$, $ww^* = e$. Note: $e \overset{*}{\sim} f$ implies $e \sim f$.
- For C^* -algebras A , again use matrices, using $\overset{*}{\sim}$, $\overset{\sim}{\sim}$, and $P(A) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \{\text{projections in } M_n(A)\}$. **Next facts are increasingly hard to prove: see Goodearl's text:**
- **Prop:** $K_0 : C^*\text{-alg} \rightarrow \mathbf{Preord}\text{-Ab}_u$ is a functor preserving colimits.
- **Prop:** If start with AF C^* -algebra, $K_0 : \mathbf{AF} \rightarrow \mathbf{Po}\text{-Ab}_u$.
- **Prop:** If A is an AF C^* -algebra, then $K_0(A)$ is a countable dimension group with an order unit (in fact, $K_0(A) \cong \mathbb{Z}^k$ with direct product ordering.)

AF C*-algebras & Mundici's Work

Approx. finite (AF) C*-algebras classified in deep work of G. Elliott (studied further by Effros, Handelman, Goodearl, et. al).

- **Defn:** F.d. complex C*-algebras $\cong M_{n_1}(\mathbb{C}) \times \cdots \times M_{n_k}(\mathbb{C})$.
- AF C*-algebras \cong colimits of such matricial algebras.
- There's a functor $\mathbf{AF} \xrightarrow{K_0} \mathbf{PoAb}$. $K_0(\mathcal{A})$ is a countable p.o. group (called a *dimension* group). E.g. if \mathcal{A} is matricial C*-algebra, $K_0(\mathcal{A})$ is the free p.o.abelian group $(\mathbb{Z}^k, (\mathbb{Z}^k)^+)$.
- (Mundici) Let $\ell\mathbf{AF}_u =$ category of AF-algebras, st K_0 is lattice-ordered with order unit. Let $\mathcal{MV}_\omega =$ *countable* MV-algebras.

We can extend $\Gamma : \ell\mathcal{G}_u \cong \mathcal{MV}$ to a functor $\tilde{\Gamma} : \ell\mathbf{AF}_u \rightarrow \mathcal{MV}_\omega$,

$$\tilde{\Gamma}(\mathcal{A}) := \Gamma(K_0(\mathcal{A}), [1_{\mathcal{A}}])$$

- $\mathcal{A} \cong \mathcal{B}$ iff $\tilde{\Gamma}(\mathcal{A}) \cong \tilde{\Gamma}(\mathcal{B})$
- $\tilde{\Gamma}$ is full.

Further Examples

- For \mathcal{M} an MV algebra and X a set, \mathcal{M}^X with pointwise operations is an MV algebra.
- MV algebras are an equational class, so closed under HSP as well as ultraproducts.
- Coproducts and Tensor Products of MV algebras were studied by Mundici [1988], [1999], resp.
- Mundici [1991] has a long list of countable MV-algebras and associated AF C^* -algebras, according to his correspondence above.

Some Mundici Examples

Countable MV Algebra	AF C*-correspondent
<p> $\{0, 1\}$ Chain \mathcal{M}_n Finite Dyadic Rationals $\mathbb{Q} \cap [0, 1]$ Real algebraic numbers in $[0, 1]$ Generated by an irrational $\rho \in [0, 1]$ Finite Product of Post MV-algebras Free on \aleph_0 generators Free on one generator </p>	<p> \mathbb{C} $Mat_n(\mathbb{C})$ Finite Dimensional CAR algebra of a Fermi gas Glimm's universal UHF algebra Blackadar algebra B. Effros-Shen Algebra \mathfrak{F}_ρ Continuous Trace Universal AF C*-algebra \mathfrak{M} Farey AF C*-algebra \mathfrak{M}_1. Mundici (1988) </p>

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). Also think of $[0,1]$ under the *partial* operation of $+$. (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a *partial* algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene directed equality \simeq)

① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \simeq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). Also think of $[0,1]$ under the *partial* operation of $+$. (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a *partial* algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene directed equality \preceq)

① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \preceq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$

② If $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ then $(a \tilde{\oplus} b) \tilde{\oplus} c \preceq a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\oplus} c)$

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). Also think of $[0,1]$ under the *partial* operation of $+$. (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a *partial* algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene directed equality \preceq)

① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \preceq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$

② If $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ then $(a \tilde{\oplus} b) \tilde{\oplus} c \preceq a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\oplus} c)$

③ $0 \tilde{\oplus} a \downarrow$ and $0 \tilde{\oplus} a = a$

} PCM

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). Also think of $[0,1]$ under the *partial* operation of $+$. (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a *partial* algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene directed equality \preceq)

① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \preceq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$

② If $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ then $(a \tilde{\oplus} b) \tilde{\oplus} c \preceq a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\oplus} c)$

③ $0 \tilde{\oplus} a \downarrow$ and $0 \tilde{\oplus} a = a$

④ $\forall a \in E \exists! a' \in E$ such that $a \tilde{\oplus} a' = 1.$

} PCM

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). Also think of $[0,1]$ under the *partial* operation of $+$. (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a *partial* algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene directed equality \preceq)

① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \preceq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$

② If $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ then $(a \tilde{\oplus} b) \tilde{\oplus} c \preceq a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\oplus} c)$

③ $0 \tilde{\oplus} a \downarrow$ and $0 \tilde{\oplus} a = a$

④ $\forall a \in E \exists! a' \in E$ such that $a \tilde{\oplus} a' = 1.$

⑤ $a \tilde{\oplus} 1 \downarrow$ implies $a = 0.$

PCM

Orthocomplemented

Introduced by Foulis & Bennet (1994) as an abstraction of the algebraic structure of self-adjoint operators with spectrum in $[0,1]$ (called *quantum effects*). (See recent work of Bart Jacobs (2012))

An *Effect Algebra* is a partial algebra $\langle E; 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle$ satisfying:
 $\forall a, b, c \in E$ (writing $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ for “ $a \tilde{\oplus} b$ is defined” and using Kleene inequality \preceq) **Various axiomatizations, e.g.:**

- ① $a \tilde{\oplus} b \preceq b \tilde{\oplus} a.$
 - ② If $a \tilde{\oplus} b \downarrow$ then $(a \tilde{\oplus} b) \tilde{\oplus} c \preceq a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\oplus} c)$
 - ~~$0 \tilde{\oplus} a \downarrow$ and $0 \tilde{\oplus} a = a$~~
 - ③ $\forall a \in E \exists ! a' \in E$ such that $a \tilde{\oplus} a' = 1.$
 - ④ $a \tilde{\oplus} 1 \downarrow$ **iff** $a = 0.$
- } PCSemigroup
- } Orthocomplemented

Effect Algebras: Additional Properties

Let E be an effect algebra. Let $a, b, c \in E$. Denote a' by a^\perp or a^* .

- 1 Partial Order: $a \leq b$ iff for some c , $a \tilde{\oplus} c = b$.
- 2 $0 \leq a \leq 1$, $\forall a \in E$.
- 3 $a^{\perp\perp} = a$.
- 4 $a \tilde{\oplus} c_1 = a \tilde{\oplus} c_2$ implies $c_1 = c_2$.
- 5 $a \tilde{\oplus} b = 0$ implies $a = b = 0$
- 6 $0^\perp = 1$ and $1^\perp = 0$.
- 7 $a \leq b$ implies $b^\perp \leq a^\perp$

Define a *partial* operation $b \tilde{\ominus} a$ by: $b \tilde{\ominus} a = c$ iff $a \tilde{\oplus} c = b$. So

$$b \tilde{\ominus} a \downarrow \text{ iff } a \leq b$$

- $a \tilde{\oplus} (b \tilde{\ominus} a) = b$
- $a' = a^\perp = 1 \tilde{\ominus} a$

MV versus MV-Effect Algebras

What is the relation between MV-algebras and Effect Algebras?

An *MV-Effect Algebra* is a lattice-ordered effect algebra satisfying

$$(a \vee b) \tilde{\ominus} a = b \tilde{\ominus} (a \wedge b)$$

Proposition (Chovanec, Kôka, 1997)

There is a natural 1-1 correspondence between MV-effect algebras and MV-algebras.

Idea: MV-Effect algebras \longleftrightarrow MV-Algebras

$$\langle E, 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle \longmapsto \langle E, 0, 1, \oplus \rangle, \text{ where } x \oplus y = x \tilde{\oplus} (x' \wedge y)$$

$$\langle E, 0, 1, \tilde{\oplus} \rangle \longleftarrow \langle E, 0, 1, \oplus \rangle, \text{ where}$$

$$x \tilde{\oplus} y = x \oplus y \text{ (restricted to } (x, y) \text{ s.t. } x \leq \neg y);$$

Equivalences of MV- and MV-Effect Algebras

Various facts (mostly due to Bennett & Foulis (1995))

- For lattice-ordered effect algebras E ,
 E is MV $\Leftrightarrow \forall a, b \in E, a \wedge b = 0 \Rightarrow a \oplus b \downarrow$.
- An effect algebra satisfies RDP (*Riesz Decomposition Property*) iff

$$\begin{aligned} a \leq b_1 \oplus b_2 \oplus \cdots \oplus b_n &\Rightarrow \\ a = a_1 \oplus a_2 \oplus \cdots \oplus a_n &\text{ with } a_i \leq b_i, i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

Proposition (B& F)

An effect algebra is an MV-effect algebra iff it is lattice ordered and has RDP.

Definition (Inverse Semigroups)

Semigroups (resp. monoids) satisfying: "Every element x has a unique pseudo-inverse y ."

- $\forall x \exists ! y (xyx = x \ \& \ yxy = y)$

Fact (Preston-Wagner): Equivalent axiomatization, (i) & (ii):

- (i) Existence of pseudo-inverses: $\forall x \exists y (xyx = x \ \& \ yxy = y)$
- (ii) Idempotents commute:

$$\forall x, y [(x^2 = x \ \& \ y^2 = y) \Rightarrow xy = yx].$$

We denote the unique pseudo-inverse of x by x^{-1} . So the equations of an inverse semigroup/monoid are:

$$xx^{-1}x = x \ \& \ x^{-1}xx^{-1} = x^{-1}$$

Ref: M.V. Lawson *Inverse semigroups: the theory of partial symmetries*, World Scientific Publishing Co., 1998.

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with $\text{pseudo-inverse}(x) := \text{usual inverse } x^{-1}$)

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with $\text{pseudo-inverse}(x) := \text{usual inverse } x^{-1}$)
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $\text{dom}(f) \rightarrow \text{ran}(f)$. We have:

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with pseudo-inverse(x) := usual inverse x^{-1})
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $dom(f) \rightarrow ran(f)$. We have:
 - For each subset $A \subseteq X$, there are partial identity functions $1_A \in \mathcal{I}_X$. These are idempotents.

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with pseudo-inverse(x) := usual inverse x^{-1})
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $dom(f) \rightarrow ran(f)$. We have:
 - For each subset $A \subseteq X$, there are partial identity functions $1_A \in \mathcal{I}_X$. These are idempotents.
 - $f^{-1} \circ f = 1_{dom(f)}$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = 1_{ran(f)}$, partial identities on X .

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with pseudo-inverse(x) := usual inverse x^{-1})
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $dom(f) \rightarrow ran(f)$. We have:
 - For each subset $A \subseteq X$, there are partial identity functions $1_A \in \mathcal{I}_X$. These are idempotents.
 - $f^{-1} \circ f = 1_{dom(f)}$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = 1_{ran(f)}$, partial identities on X .
 - For partial bijections $f, g \in \mathcal{I}_X$, we have:

$$(f = f \circ g \circ f \text{ and } g = g \circ f \circ g) \Leftrightarrow g = f^{-1}$$

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with $\text{pseudo-inverse}(x) := \text{usual inverse } x^{-1}$)
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $\text{dom}(f) \rightarrow \text{ran}(f)$. We have:
 - For each subset $A \subseteq X$, there are partial identity functions $1_A \in \mathcal{I}_X$. These are idempotents.
 - $f^{-1} \circ f = 1_{\text{dom}(f)}$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = 1_{\text{ran}(f)}$, partial identities on X .
 - For partial bijections $f, g \in \mathcal{I}_X$, we have:

$$(f = f \circ g \circ f \text{ and } g = g \circ f \circ g) \Leftrightarrow g = f^{-1}$$

- 3 *Pseudogroups* (arising in differential geometry): inverse semigroups of partial homeomorphisms between open subsets of a topological space (Veblen-Whitehead, Ehresmann).

Examples: Inverse Semigroups & Inv. Monoids

- 1 Any group (with $\text{pseudo-inverse}(x) := \text{usual inverse } x^{-1}$)
- 2 Fundamental Example: $\mathcal{I}_X = \mathbf{PBij}(X)$, partial bijections on the set X . These are partial functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ which are bijections $\text{dom}(f) \rightarrow \text{ran}(f)$. We have:
 - For each subset $A \subseteq X$, there are partial identity functions $1_A \in \mathcal{I}_X$. These are idempotents.
 - $f^{-1} \circ f = 1_{\text{dom}(f)}$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = 1_{\text{ran}(f)}$, partial identities on X .
 - For partial bijections $f, g \in \mathcal{I}_X$, we have:

$$(f = f \circ g \circ f \text{ and } g = g \circ f \circ g) \Leftrightarrow g = f^{-1}$$

- 3 *Pseudogroups* (arising in differential geometry): inverse semigroups of partial homeomorphisms between open subsets of a topological space (Veblen-Whitehead, Ehresmann).
- 4 *Tiling semigroups* associated with tilings of \mathbb{R}^n .

Inverse Monoids: Basic Definitions

Let S be an inverse monoid with zero element 0 . Let $E(S)$ be the set of idempotents of S .

- 1 For $a, b \in S$, define $a \leq b$ iff $a = be$, for some $e \in E(S)$.
- 2 $E(S)$ is always a \wedge -semi-lattice.
- 3 S is \wedge -inverse monoid if $a \wedge b$ exists, $\forall a, b \in S$.
- 4 \leq on S is compatible with multiplication.
- 5 $a \leq b$ implies $a^{-1} \leq b^{-1}$!
- 6 For $a \in S$, define $dom(a) := a^{-1}a$, $ran(a) := aa^{-1}$, so $dom(a) \xrightarrow{a} ran(a)$.
- 7 (Compatibility) For $a, b \in S$, define $a \sim b$ iff $a^{-1}b$ & $ab^{-1} \in E(S)$. This is *necessary* for $a \vee b$ to exist.
- 8 $a \perp b$ iff $a^{-1}b = 0 = ab^{-1}$.
- 9 S is *boolean* if: (i) $E(S)$ is a boolean algebra, (ii) compatible elements have joins, (iii) multiplication distributes over \vee 's.

Inverse Semigroups, more definitions

Let S be an inverse monoid. Define Green's relations as follows:

- 1 \mathcal{J} on S : $a\mathcal{J}b$ iff $SaS = SbS$ (i.e. equality of principal ideals).
- 2 \mathcal{D} on $E(S)$: $e\mathcal{D}f$ iff $\exists a \in S (e = \text{dom}(a), f = \text{ran}(a), e \xrightarrow{a} f)$
- 3 For the classes of inverse semigroups we study, $\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{D}$.
- 4 S is *completely semisimple* if $e\mathcal{D}f \leq e$ implies $e = f$.

We consider $E(S)/\mathcal{D}$, S boolean. For idempotents $e, f \in E(S)$, define $[e] \tilde{\oplus} [f]$ as follows: if we can find orthogonal idempotents $e' \in [e], f' \in [f]$, let $[e] \tilde{\oplus} [f] := [e' \vee f']$. Otherwise, undefined.

Proposition

Let S be a Boolean inverse monoid.

- $(E(S)/\mathcal{D}, \tilde{\oplus}, [0], [1])$ is a well-defined PCM satisfying (RDP).
- If \mathcal{D} preserves complementation and S is completely semisimple then $(E(S)/\mathcal{D}, \tilde{\oplus}, [0], [1])$ is an effect algebra w/ RDP.

Rook Matrices

- 1 A *rook matrix* in $Mat_n(\{0, 1\})$ is one where every row and column have at most one 1. Let $R_n :=$ rook matrices.
- 2 Given $A \in R_m, B \in R_n$, define $A \oplus B := \text{Diag}(A, B) \in R_{m+n}$.
- 3 Define $sA = A \oplus \cdots \oplus A$ (s times). Ditto $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n s_i A_i$.
- 4 There's bijection $\mathcal{I}_n \xrightarrow{\cong} R_n: f \mapsto M(f)$, where $M(f)_{ij} = 1$ iff $i = f(j)$. It's an iso, and there are many.
- 5 Interested in *letter isos*: those wrt a chosen total order on \mathbf{n} .
- 6 *Standard morphisms* $R_{m(1)} \times \cdots \times R_{m(k)} \xrightarrow{\sigma} R_n$ given by $(A_1, \dots, A_k) \mapsto s_1 A_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus s_k A_k$ for some $s_i \in \mathbb{N}$. More generally, $R_{m(1)} \times \cdots \times R_{m(k)} \xrightarrow{\sigma} R_{n(1)} \times \cdots \times R_{n(l)}$ arises via a matrix (s_{ij}) of coefficients in $\mathbb{N} +$ combinatorial condn.

Lemma (Standard Map Lemma: Rough Version)

Every morphism $\mathcal{I}_{m(1)} \times \cdots \times \mathcal{I}_{m(k)} \xrightarrow{\theta} \mathcal{I}_{n(1)} \times \cdots \times \mathcal{I}_{n(l)}$ factors as $\beta^{-1} \sigma \alpha$ for some standard map σ and letter isos.

Bratteli Diagrams of Inverse Monoids and colimits of \mathcal{I}_n s

Recall $B = (V, E)$ a Bratteli diagram, where $V = \cup_{i=0}^{\infty} V(i)$ and $E = \cup_{i=0}^{\infty} E(i)$. We assume $V(0)$ has one vertex, the *root*. Edges are only defined from $V(i)$ to $V(i+1)$. Vertices have weights.

$$\begin{array}{cccc} V(i) & & m(1) & m(2) & \cdots & m(k) \\ V(i+1) & & n(1) & n(2) & \cdots & n(l) \end{array}$$

Draw s_{ij} -many edges between $m(j)$ to $n(i)$.

$$V(0) \leftrightarrow S_0 = \mathcal{I}_1 \cong \{0, 1\}$$

Associate

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ V(i) & \leftrightarrow & S_i = \mathcal{I}_{m(1)} \times \cdots \times \mathcal{I}_{m(k)} \end{array}$$

Morphisms $\sigma_i : S_i \rightarrow S_{i+1}$ are induced by standard maps. These will be monomorphisms. Also, Combinatorial Conditions are true

An *AF Inverse Monoid* := $\text{colim}(S_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_0} S_1 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1} S_2 \xrightarrow{\sigma_2} \cdots)$.

Call this monoid $I(B)$, for Bratteli diagram B .

Lemma

(1) *Colimits of ω -chains $(S_0 \xrightarrow{\sigma_0} S_1 \xrightarrow{\sigma_1} S_2 \xrightarrow{\sigma_2} \dots)$ of boolean inverse \wedge -monoids with monos inherit all the nice features of the factors. In particular, the groups of units are direct limits of groups of units of the S_i .*

(2) *Given any ω -sequence of semisimple inverse monoids and injective morphisms, the $\text{colim}(S_i)$ is isomorphic to $I(B)$, for some Bratteli diagram B .*

Theorem

AF inverse monoids are completely semisimple Boolean inverse monoids in which \mathcal{D} preserves complementation. Their groups of units are direct limits of finite direct products of finite symmetric groups.

Coordinatizing MV Algebras: Main Theorem

- Consider such completely semisimple Boolean inverse monoids S where \mathcal{D} preserves complementation. Call them *Foulis monoids*.
- For Foulis monoids S as in the Proposition, $\mathcal{D} = \mathcal{J}$.
- We can identify $E(S)/\mathcal{D}$ with the poset of principal ideals S/\mathcal{J} .
- We say S satisfies the lattice condition if S/\mathcal{J} is a lattice. It is then in fact an MV-algebra (by Bennet & Foulis).

Theorem (Coordinatization Theorem for MV Algebras: L& S)

For each countable MV algebra \mathcal{A} , there is a Foulis monoid S satisfying the lattice condition such that $S/\mathcal{J} \cong \mathcal{A}$.

Example 1: Coordinatizing Finite MV-Algebras

Let $\mathcal{I}_n = \mathcal{I}_X$ be the inverse monoid of partial bijections on n letters, $|X| = n$. One can show that all the \mathcal{I}_n 's are Foulis monoids. The idempotents in this monoid are partial identities 1_A , where $A \subseteq X$. Two idempotents $1_A \mathcal{D} 1_B$ iff $|A| = |B|$. Indeed we get a bijection $\mathcal{I}_n/\mathcal{J} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathbf{n+1}$, where $\mathbf{n+1} = \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$. This induces an order isomorphism, where $\mathbf{n+1}$ is given its usual order, and lattice structure via *max*, *min*.

The effect algebra structure of $\mathcal{I}_n/\mathcal{J}$ becomes: let $r, s \in \mathbf{n+1}$. $r \overset{\sim}{\oplus} s$ is defined and equals $r + s$ iff $r + s \leq n$. The orthocomplement $r' = n - r$. The associated MV algebra: $r \oplus s = r + \min(r', s)$, which equals $r + s$ if $r + s \leq n$ and $r \oplus s$ equals n if $r + s > n$.

We get an iso $\mathcal{I}_n/\mathcal{J} \cong \mathcal{M}_n$, the Łukasiewicz chain. But every *finite* MV algebra is a product of such chains, which are then coordinatized by a product of \mathcal{I}_n 's.

Example 2: Coordinatizing Dyadic Rationals–Cantor Space

Cuntz (1977) studied C^* -algebras of isometries (of a sep. Hilbert space). They have also arisen in wavelet theory. Associated formal inverse monoids also arose in formal language theory (Nivat, Perrot). We'll describe C_n the n th Cuntz inverse monoid.

Cantor Space A^ω , A finite. For C_n , pick $|A| = n$. For C_2 , pick $A = \{a, b\}$. Given the usual topology, we have:

- 1 Clopen subsets have the form XA^ω , where $X \subseteq A^*$ are *Prefix codes*: finite subsets s.t. $x \preceq y$ (y prefix of x) $\Rightarrow x = y$.
- 2 Representation of clopen subsets by prefix codes is not unique. E.g. $aA^\omega = (aa + ab)A^\omega$.
- 3 We can make prefixes X in clopens uniquely representable: define *weight* by $w(X) = \sum_{x \in X} |x|$. Every clopen is generated by unique prefix codes X of minimal weight.

Cuntz and n -adic AF-Inverse Monoids

Definition (The Cuntz inverse monoid, Lawson (2007))

$C_n \subseteq \mathcal{I}_{A^\omega}$ consists of those partial bijections on prefix sets of same cardinality $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_r\}$, $Y = \{y_1, \dots, y_r\}$ such that $x_i u \mapsto y_i u$ for any right infinite string u .

Proposition (Lawson (2007))

C_n is a Boolean inverse \wedge -monoid, whose set of idempotents $E(C_n)$ is the unique countable atomless B.A. Its group of units is the Thompson group V_n .

Definition (n -adic inverse monoid $Ad_n \subseteq C_n$)

$Ad_n =$ those partial bijections in C_n of the form $x_i \mapsto y_i$, where $|x_i| = |y_i|$, $i \leq r$. $Ad_2 =$ the dyadic inverse monoid.

Theorem

The MV-algebra of dyadic rationals is co-ordinatized by Ad_2 .

The proof takes a small detour through aspects of Bernoulli measures on prefix sets.

Proposition (Characterizing Ad_2)

The dyadic inverse monoid is isomorphic to the direct limit of the sequence of symmetric inverse monoids (partial bijections)

$$\mathcal{I}_2 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_4 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_8 \rightarrow \dots$$

called the CAR inverse monoid. The group of units is a colimit of symmetric groups: $Sym(1) \rightarrow Sym(2) \rightarrow \dots Sym(2^r) \rightarrow \dots$.

The General Coordinatization Theorem

Theorem (Coordinatization Theorem for MV Algebras: L& S)

For each countable MV algebra \mathcal{A} , there is a Foulis monoid S satisfying the lattice condition such that $S/\mathcal{J} \cong \mathcal{A}$.

Proof sketch: We know from Mundici every MV algebra \mathcal{A} is isomorphic to an MV-algebra $[0, u]$, which is an interval effect algebra for some order unit u in a countable ℓ -group G . It turns out that G is a countable dimension group. Thus there is a Bratteli diagram B yielding G . Take then $I(B)$, the AF inverse monoid of B . It turns out that $I(B)/\mathcal{J}$ is isomorphic to $[0, u]$ as an MV effect-algebra, and the latter will be a lattice, thus a Foulis monoid. So, we have coordinatized \mathcal{A} .