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# P-completely Regular Semigroup

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## Abstract

In order to prove a completely regular semigroup with the strong semilattice structure is P-completely regular semigroup. Using the strong semilatice structure and the property of congruence. The sufficient condition of which a completely regular semigroup is P-completely regular semigroup is have the strong semilattice structure, and The subclass NBG of the completely regular semigroup is P-completely regular semigroup.

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#### 1. Preliminaries

**Definition 1.1.** A semigroup S is a semilattice Y of semigroup  $S_{\alpha}$  ( $\alpha \in Y$ ) if there exists an epimorphism  $\varphi$  of S onto the semilattice Y with  $\alpha \varphi^{-1} = S_{\alpha}$  ( $\alpha \in Y$ ). We write  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}]$ .

**Definition 1.2.** Let  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}]$  be a semilattice of semigroups. If for every  $\alpha \in Y$  every congruence on  $S_{\alpha}$  can be extended to a congruence on S, then S is said to be a P-semigroup.

**Definition 1.3.** A semigroup S is called completely regular, if for every  $a \in S$ , there exists an element  $x \in S$  such that a = axa and ax = xa.

In [1], we have known that completely regular semigroup  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}]$  is a semilattice of completely simple semigroups  $S_{\alpha}$ . In fact, every  $S_{\alpha}$  is a *D*-class of *S*. If every congruence on *D*-class of *S* can be extended to a congruence on *S*, then *S* is said to be a *P*-completely regular semigroup.

**Definition 1.4.** Let  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}]$  be a semilattice of semigroup. For each pair  $\alpha, \beta \in Y$  such that  $\alpha \ge \beta$ , let  $\varphi_{\alpha,\beta} : S_{\alpha} \to S_{\beta}$  be a homomorphism such that

- (i)  $\varphi_{\alpha,a} = \mathbf{1}_{S_{\alpha}}$ ,
- (ii)  $\varphi_{\varepsilon,\beta}\varphi_{\beta,\gamma} = \varphi_{\alpha,\gamma}$  if  $\alpha \ge \beta \ge \gamma$

on  $S = \bigcup_{\alpha \in Y} S_{\alpha}$  define a multiplication by

 $ab = (a\varphi_{\alpha,\alpha\beta})(b\varphi_{\beta,\alpha\beta}) \quad (a \in \alpha, b \in \beta)$ 

with this multiplication S is a strong semilattice Y of semigroup  $S_{\alpha}$  to be denoted by  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}]$ .

In this paper, we mainly give some views on a open problem "characterize all the P – completely regular semigroups ", and find the sufficient condition that a completely regular semigroup is the P-completely regular semigroup. We shall use the same notations and terminology to [1]. In this paper, we are interested in the symbols:

CR	of completely regular semigroups,
NB	of normal bands,
Con(S)	of all congruences on S,
NBG	of normal cryptogroups,
ONBG	of normal orthogroups,
Clifford	of clifford semigroups.

### 2. The Main Result

Let  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}]$  be a strong semilattice of semigroups. If  $\rho_{\alpha} \in Con(S_{\alpha})$ , then for every  $\beta \in Y$  we can define a new relation  $\rho_{\alpha}^* = \bigcup_{\beta \in Y} \rho_{\alpha}^* |_{S_{\alpha}}$  as follows:

$$\rho_{\alpha}^{*}|_{S_{\beta}} = \begin{cases} \rho_{\alpha} & \beta = \alpha \\ \{(a\varphi_{\alpha,\beta}, b\varphi_{\alpha,\beta}) \in S_{\beta} \times S_{\beta} \mid (a,b) \in \rho_{\alpha}\} \cup 1_{S_{\beta}} & \beta < \alpha \\ \{(u,v) \in S_{\beta} \times S_{\beta} \mid (u\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}, v\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}) \in \rho_{\alpha}\} & \beta > \alpha \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}]$  be a strong semilattice of semigroups, if  $\rho_{\alpha} \in Con(S_{\alpha})$ , then  $\rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}} \in Con(S_{\beta})$ .

Proof. We need prove from two parts as follows:

(1) Assume  $\beta > \alpha, u, v \in S_{\beta}$  and  $(u, v) \in \rho_{\alpha}^* |_{S_{\alpha}}$ , then by the definition

of 
$$\rho_{\alpha}^*$$
 we have  $(u\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}, v\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}) = \rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\beta}} = \rho_{\alpha}^*$ . For any  $c \in S_{\beta}, c\varphi_{\phi,\alpha} \in S_{\alpha}$ , since  $\rho_{\alpha} \in Con(S_{\alpha})$ , this imply that

$$(u\varphi_{\beta,\alpha})(c\varphi_{\beta,\alpha})\rho_{\alpha}(v\varphi_{\beta,\alpha})(c\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}) \Rightarrow (uc)\varphi_{\beta,\alpha}\rho_{\alpha}(vc)\varphi_{\beta,\alpha} \Rightarrow (uc,vc) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*}|_{S_{\alpha}}$$

Similarly, we can show that  $(cu, cv) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}}$ . Thus  $\rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}} \in Con(S_{\beta})$ .

(2) Assume  $\beta < \alpha, m, n, u, v \in S_{\beta}$ , and  $(m, n), (u, v) \in \rho_{\alpha}^* |_{S_{\beta}}$ . Form the definition of  $\rho_{\alpha}^*$ , there exist  $a, b, c, d \in S_{\alpha}$ , so that  $b\varphi_{\alpha,\beta} = v, d\varphi_{\alpha,\beta} = n$ , and  $(a,b) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*$ ,  $(c,d) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*$ . Since  $\rho_{\alpha} \in Con(S_{\alpha})$ , we have  $(ac,bd) \in \rho_{\alpha}$ ,

$$\Rightarrow ((ac) \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}, (bd) \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\beta}}$$
$$\Rightarrow (a\varphi_{\alpha,\beta})(c\varphi_{\alpha,\beta})\rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\beta}} (b\varphi_{\alpha,\beta})(d\varphi_{\alpha,\beta})$$
$$\Rightarrow (um, vn) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\alpha}}.$$

Thus  $\rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}} \in Con(S_{\beta})$ . From (1) and (2), we conclude that  $\rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}} \in Con(S_{\beta})$  for any  $\beta \in Y$ .

We have immediately the following corollary and it's proofs are omitted.

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}]$  be a strong semilattice of semigroups, and  $a, b \in S_{\beta}$ . If  $(a, b) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*}$ , then  $(a\varphi_{\beta,\gamma}, b\varphi_{\beta,\gamma}) \in \rho_{\alpha}$  for any  $\gamma \leq \beta$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** If  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}]$  be a strong semilattice of semigroups, then S is a P-semigroup.

Proof. We need prove for every  $a \in Y$  every congruence on  $S_{\alpha}$  can be extended to a congruence on S, that is to say, we only need prove  $\rho_{\alpha}^* \in Con(S)$ . Let  $(a,b) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*$ . By the definition of  $\rho_{\alpha}^*$  as (1), we know a is in the same subsemigroup of S with b. Assume that  $a, b \in S_{\alpha}$ , then for any  $c \in S$ , let  $c \in S_{\alpha}$ , by Definition 1.4., we have

$$ac = (a\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma})(c\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma}) \quad , \quad bc = (b\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma})(c\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma}) \, .$$

Since 
$$(a,b) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*|_{S_{\alpha}}$$
, thus

$$\Rightarrow (a\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma}, b\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma}) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\beta\gamma}} \in Con(S_{\beta\gamma})$$
$$\Rightarrow (a\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma})(c\varphi_{\gamma,\beta\gamma})\rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\beta\gamma}} (b\varphi_{\beta,\beta\gamma})(c\varphi_{\gamma,\beta\gamma})$$
$$\Rightarrow (ac,bc) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*} |_{S_{\beta\gamma}}$$
$$\Rightarrow (ac,bc) \in \rho_{\alpha}^{*}.$$

Similarly, we may show that  $(ac,bc) \in \rho_{\alpha}^*$ . This show that  $\rho_{\alpha}^* \in Con(S)$ . By arbitrariness of  $\alpha$ , we get S is P-semigroup.

From Theorem 2.3. we know the sufficient condition of which a semigroup is the *P*-semigroup. If  $S \in CR$ , then we have immediately the following corollary.

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $S \in CR$ . If  $S = [Y; S_{\alpha}, \varphi_{\alpha,\beta}] \in NBG$ , then S is P - completely regular semigroup.

From Corollary2.4., it is obvious that all the subclass of NBG, i.e. NB, ONBG, Clifford, is P-

completely regular semigroup.

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