

Regular Quasi- Γ -absorbent in Γ -Groupoid-lattices

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Abstract

Otto. Steinfeld introduced the concept of quasi-ideal in rings and semigroups in his paper ([13], [14]). Much of steinfeld's contributions to quasi-ideals is contained in his monograph [17]. In the Paper (with Rédei) [5] the authors generalize concepts from groups, rings, and semigroups to groupoid-lattices. In our paper [19], we have introduced the notion of Γ -absorbents in Γ -groupoid-lattices. Here in this paper we will discuss some properties of regular quasi- Γ -absorbent in Γ -groupoid-lattices.

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1 Introduction

The notion of regularity was introduced by J. Von Neumann in his paper [18]. Many authors, A.H. Clifford and G.B. Preston [1], J. Luh [2], L. Kovác [4] and S. Lajos ([8], [9], [10], [11], [12]), etc., have characterized many results on regular rings and semigroups by means of their left ideals, right-ideals and quasi-ideals. O. Steinfeld [17] also introduced the notion of regular elements in groupoid-lattices. The notion of partially ordered Γ -groupoid-lattice was introduced by Sen and Seth in [7]. Here in this paper we will consider only the groupoid-lattices of semigroups with 0 and associative rings, since all semigroups with 0 and associative rings satisfies the associativity and distributivity Conditions $A_1, A_2, D_v, D_v^*, A_2^+$, etc., given in [17].

A binary operation Γ on C is defined as a mapping from $C \times C \rightarrow C$ i.e., Γ assigns to each pair $(a, b) \in C \times C$ exactly one element $\Gamma(a, b) \in C$. Instead of $\Gamma(a, b)$ one mostly writes $a\Gamma b$. Let C and Γ be two non-empty sets. A mapping from $C \times \Gamma \times C \rightarrow C$ will be called a Γ -multiplication in C and is denoted by $(\cdot)_{\Gamma}$. The result of this Γ -multiplication for $(a, b) \in C$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$ is denoted by $a\gamma b$. Let $C = \{x, y, z, \dots\}$ and $\Gamma = \{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \dots\}$ be two non-empty sets. Then C is called a Γ -groupoid if it satisfies $x\alpha y \in C$ for all $x, y \in C$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. A Γ -semigroup is a Γ -groupoid such that the operation $(\cdot)_{\Gamma}$ is associative [8].

Example 1: Let \mathcal{G} be a groupoid and Γ be any non-empty set. Let us define a mapping $\mathcal{G} \times \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$ by $x\alpha y = xy$ for all $x, y \in \mathcal{G}$ and $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Then \mathcal{G} is a Γ -groupoid.

A partially ordered Γ -groupoid is a non-empty set C satisfying the following properties:

- (i) C is a groupoid w.r.t multiplication “ $(\cdot)_{\Gamma}$ ”;
- (ii) C is a partially ordered set w.r.t a partial ordering “ \leq ”;
- (iii) If $a \leq b$ ($\forall a, b \in C$), then $c\gamma a \leq c\gamma b$ and $a\gamma c \leq b\gamma c$ $\forall c \in C$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

A Γ -groupoid-lattice is a partially ordered Γ -groupoid $\langle B, (\cdot)_{\Gamma}, \leq \rangle$ such that B is a complete lattice with respect to the partial ordering \leq and it has the properties:

- (iv) $a\gamma a \leq a$ $\forall a \in B$;
- (v) $0\gamma e = e\gamma 0 = 0$.

for the greatest element e and least element 0 of B , where B denotes a Γ -groupoid-lattice.

(iii) and (v) implies,

$$0\gamma a = a\gamma 0 = 0 \quad \forall a \in B.$$

An element b of B is called Γ -absorbent of the element a of B if

$$b \leq a \tag{1.1}$$

$$\text{and } a\gamma b \leq b, \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma, \tag{1.2}$$

$$\text{and } b\gamma a \leq b, \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma, \tag{1.3}$$

holds, b is a left- Γ -absorbent of a if (1.1) and (1.2) holds and right- Γ -absorbent if (1.1) and (1.3) holds.

An element k of B is called Quasi- Γ -absorbent of $a \in B$ if

$$k \leq a \quad \text{and} \quad k\gamma a \wedge a\gamma k \leq k \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma \tag{1.4}$$

By a bi- Γ -absorbent of $a \in B$ we mean an element $b \in B$ such that

$$b \leq a \quad \text{and} \quad (b\gamma a)\gamma b \wedge b\gamma(a\gamma b) \leq b \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma \quad (1.5)$$

An element x of Γ -groupoid-lattice B is called idempotent if the identity $x = x\gamma x$ holds for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

If $a_\lambda (\lambda \in \Lambda)$ are elements of the Γ -groupoid-lattices B , then from (iii):

$$b\gamma\left(\bigwedge_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\right) \leq \bigwedge_{\lambda \in \Lambda} b\gamma a_\lambda, \left(\bigwedge_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\right)\gamma b \leq \bigwedge_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\gamma b \quad \forall b \in B \quad \text{and} \quad \gamma \in \Gamma \quad (1.6)$$

$$b\gamma\left(\bigvee_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\right) \geq \bigvee_{\lambda \in \Lambda} b\gamma a_\lambda, \left(\bigvee_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\right)\gamma b \geq \bigvee_{\lambda \in \Lambda} a_\lambda\gamma b \quad \forall b \in B \quad \text{and} \quad \gamma \in \Gamma \quad (1.7)$$

Proposition 1.1(See **Y. S. Singh and M.R. Khan [19]**): Let $b_\lambda (\lambda \in \Lambda)$ are the Γ -absorbent (left-, right-, quasi-, bi- Γ -absorbent) of the element $a \in V$. Then the meet $\bigwedge_{\lambda \in \Lambda} b_\lambda$ is a Γ -absorbent (left-, right-, quasi-, bi- Γ -absorbent) of the element a .

Proposition 1.2(See **Y. S. Singh and M.R. Khan [19]**): If R and L are right- and left- Γ -absorbents of a , respectively, then $R\Gamma L \leq R \wedge L$, $R\Gamma L$ is a bi- Γ -absorbent and $R \wedge L$ is a Quasi- Γ -absorbents of $a \in B$.

2 Results

Proposition 2.1: Let us suppose that the element a of B satisfies Condition A_2 and D_v^* of [17]. If L and R are left- and right- Γ -absorbents of a , respectively, then $L \vee L\gamma a$ and $R \vee a\gamma R$ are the Γ -absorbents of a generated by L and R , for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

Proof: Since, $a\gamma(L \vee L\gamma a) = a\gamma L \vee a\gamma(L\gamma a) \leq L \vee L\gamma a \leq a$.

$$\text{and} \quad (L \vee L\gamma a)\gamma a = L\gamma a \vee (L\gamma a)\gamma a = L\gamma a \vee L\gamma(a\gamma a) \leq L \vee L\gamma a \leq a$$

hold, $L \vee L\gamma a$ is a Γ -absorbent of a such that $L \leq L \vee L\gamma a$. If b is the Γ -absorbent of a generated by L , then $L \leq b \leq L \vee L\gamma a$.

On the other hand, $L \leq b$ implies $L \vee L\gamma a \leq b \vee b\gamma a \leq b$.

Hence $b = L \vee L\gamma a$, i.e., $L \vee L\gamma a$ is the Γ -absorbent of a generated by L . Similarly, one can show that $R \vee a\gamma R$ is the Γ -absorbent of a generated by R .

Proposition 2.2: If the element a of B satisfies Conditions A_1 and D_v of [17], then

$$L = y \vee a\gamma y \quad \text{and} \quad R = y \vee y\gamma a \quad (\forall y \in B; \gamma \in \Gamma; y \leq a)$$

are the left and right- Γ -absorbent of a , respectively, generated by y .

Proof: Since $a\gamma(y \vee a\gamma y) = a\gamma y \vee a\gamma(a\gamma y) = a\gamma y \leq y \vee a\gamma y \leq a$, $\forall \gamma \in \Gamma$ the element $L = y \vee a\gamma y$ is a left- Γ -absorbent of a such that $y \leq L$. If m is a left- Γ -absorbent of a generated by y , then $y \leq m \leq L$.

On the other hand, from $y \leq m$ it follows that $L = y \vee a\gamma y \leq m \vee a\gamma m \leq m$. Thus $L = y \vee a\gamma y$ is the left- Γ -absorbent of a generated by y , indeed.

Similarly, one can show that $R = y \vee y\gamma a$ is the right- Γ -absorbent of a generated by y for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

Theorem 2.1: Assume that Conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17] hold for the element a of the Γ -groupoid-lattice B . The following assertions concerning the element a are equivalent:

(i) for every right- Γ -absorbent R and left- Γ -absorbent L of a ,

$$R\gamma L = R \wedge L \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma; \tag{1.8}$$

(ii) for every right- Γ -absorbent R and left- Γ -absorbent L of a , we have

$$(a) \quad R\gamma R = R \quad (b) \quad L\gamma L = L \quad (c) \quad R\gamma L \text{ is a quasi-}\Gamma\text{-absorbent of } a;$$

(iii) the quasi- Γ -absorbents of a form a regular (multiplicative) subsemigroup K of the Γ -groupoid-lattice $\langle B, (\cdot)_\Gamma \rangle$;

(iv) every quasi-absorbent k of a has the form $k = k\gamma a\gamma k \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma$.

Proof: (i) \Rightarrow (ii) From (1.8) and proposition 1.2 imply property (c) in (iii).

Proposition 2.1, Conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17], furthermore (1.8) imply:

$$\begin{aligned} R &= R \wedge (R \vee a\Gamma R) \\ &= R\Gamma(R \vee a\Gamma R) \\ &= R\Gamma R \vee R\Gamma(a\Gamma R) \\ &= R\Gamma R \vee (R\Gamma a)\Gamma R \\ &= R\Gamma R \end{aligned}$$

i.e., property (a) of (ii) holds. Property (b) of (ii) can be proved similarly.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) First we show that every quasi- Γ -absorbent k of a can be written in the form

$$k = k\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma k. \quad (1.9)$$

Because of (a) and Conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17] we have

$$k = k \vee k\Gamma a = (k \vee k\Gamma a)^2 = k^2 \vee k^2\Gamma a \vee k\Gamma a\Gamma k \vee k\Gamma a\Gamma k\Gamma a \leq k\Gamma a.$$

Similarly, $k \leq a\Gamma k$.

Hence $k \leq k\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma k \leq k$.

(1.9) and condition (c) imply:

$$R\Gamma L = (R\Gamma L)\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma(R\Gamma L) \quad (1.10)$$

for every right- Γ -absorbent R and left- Γ -absorbent L of a .

Now we show that the product of the quasi- Γ -absorbents k_1 and k_2 is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a .

Let us suppose that Condition A_2 of [17] holds for the element a of B . If k is the quasi- Γ -absorbent of a , then we have

$$a\Gamma(a\Gamma k) = (a\Gamma a)\Gamma k \leq a\Gamma k \quad \text{and} \quad (k\Gamma a)\Gamma a = k\Gamma(a\Gamma a) \leq k\Gamma a. \quad (1.11)$$

$$(k\Gamma a)\Gamma k = k\Gamma(a\Gamma k) \leq a\Gamma k \wedge k\Gamma a \leq k. \quad (1.12)$$

From (1.11) and Condition A_2 it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} a\Gamma(a\Gamma(k_1\Gamma k_2)) &= a\Gamma((a\Gamma k_1)\Gamma k_2) \\ (a\Gamma(a\Gamma k_1)\Gamma k_2) &\leq (a\Gamma k_1)\Gamma k_2 \\ &= a\Gamma(k_1\Gamma k_2) \end{aligned}$$

is a left- Γ -absorbent of a .

Similarly, one can show that $(k_1\Gamma k_2)\Gamma a$ is a right- Γ -absorbent of a . These results, property (a), (b) of (ii), (1.12) and (1.10) imply:

$$\begin{aligned} &(k_1\Gamma k_2)\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma(k_1\Gamma k_2) \\ &= (k_1\Gamma k_2\Gamma a)(a\Gamma k_1\Gamma k_2)\Gamma a \wedge (a\Gamma k_1\Gamma k_2)\Gamma a(a\Gamma k_1\Gamma k_2) \\ &= (k_1\Gamma k_2\Gamma a)\Gamma(a\Gamma k_1\Gamma k_2) \\ &\leq k_1\Gamma(k_2\Gamma a\Gamma k_2) \leq k_1\Gamma k_2 \end{aligned}$$

i.e., $k_1\Gamma k_2$ is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a , indeed.

Thus the set k of all quasi- Γ -absorbent of a is a multiplicative subsemigroup of $\langle B, (\cdot)_\Gamma \rangle$

Finally, we have to show that k is regular semigroup. Let $k \in K$, then from (1.9),(1.10),(1.11),(1.12) and condition (ii) it follows that

$$k = k\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma k = (k\Gamma a\Gamma a\Gamma k)\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma(k\Gamma a\Gamma a\Gamma k) = k\Gamma a\Gamma a\Gamma k = k\Gamma a\Gamma k \leq k,$$

that is,

$$k = kak \in kKk.$$

(iii) – (iv). Let k be a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a . From (iii), there exists a quasi- Γ -absorbent x of a such that $k = k\Gamma x\Gamma k$. Hence

$$k = k\Gamma x\Gamma k \leq k\Gamma a\Gamma k \leq k\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma k \leq k,$$

that is, $k = kak$.

(iv) \Rightarrow (i). In view of proposition [1.2], the meet $R \wedge L$ of the right- Γ -absorbent R and left- Γ -absorbent L of a is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a . Condition (iv) implies

$$R \wedge L = (R \wedge L)\Gamma a\Gamma(R \wedge L) \leq R\Gamma a\Gamma L \leq R\Gamma L \leq R \wedge L,$$

that is, $R\Gamma L = R \wedge L$.

An element a of a Γ -groupoid-lattice B is regular if a satisfies conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17], furthermore one of the properties (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) of Theorem 2.1.

Corollary 2.1: Every quasi- Γ -absorbent k of a regular element a of B can be written in the form

$$k = R \wedge L = R\gamma L, \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma \tag{1.14}$$

where R and L are right- and left- Γ -absorbents of a , respectively. Furthermore, $k\gamma k = k\gamma k\gamma k \quad \forall \gamma \in \Gamma$.

Proof: Using (1.11) Conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17], similar to proposition 2.2, one can show that $L = k \vee a\gamma k$ and $R = k \vee k\gamma a$ are the left and right- Γ -absorbents of a respectively, generated by the quas- Γ -absorbent k . Furthermore, from definition of quasi- Γ -absorbent, Conditions A_2 and D_v^* of [17] and relations (1.8), (1.11) we have

$$\begin{aligned} k &\leq (k \vee k\gamma a) \wedge (k \vee a\gamma k) = R \wedge L = R\gamma L = (k \vee k\gamma a)\gamma(k \vee a\gamma k) \\ &= (k \vee k)\gamma k \vee (k \vee k\gamma a)\gamma(a\gamma k) \\ &= k\gamma k \vee (k\gamma a)\gamma k \vee k\gamma(a\gamma k) \vee (k\gamma a)(a) \leq k\gamma a \wedge a\gamma k \leq k, \end{aligned}$$

i.e., (1.14) holds.

On the other hand, from property (iii) in Theorem 2.1, it follows that k is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$. Then there exists a quasi- Γ -absorbent y of a such that $k\gamma k = (k\gamma k)\gamma y\gamma(k\gamma k)$. This, condition A_2 of [17] and relation (1.12) imply

$$k\gamma k = (k\gamma k)\gamma y\gamma(k\gamma k) \leq (k\gamma k)\gamma a\gamma(k) = k\gamma(k\gamma a\gamma k)\gamma k \leq k\gamma k\gamma k.$$

Since $k\gamma k\gamma k \leq k\gamma k$ always holds, the statement $k\gamma k = k\gamma k\gamma k$ is true.

Proposition 2.3: If the element a of a Γ -groupoid-lattice B satisfies condition A_2^+ of [17], and if c is an arbitrary bi- Γ -absorbent of a , then $a\Gamma c$ and $c\Gamma a$ are left- and right- Γ -absorbents of a , respectively.

Proof: From definitions and from conditions A_2^+ of [17] it follows that

$$a\Gamma c \leq a$$

$$\text{and } a\Gamma(a\Gamma c) \leq (a\Gamma a)\Gamma c \leq a\Gamma c.$$

$$\text{Similarly, } c\Gamma a \leq a$$

$$\text{and } (c\Gamma a)\Gamma a \leq c\Gamma a.$$

Proposition 2.4: If a regular element a of a Γ -groupoid-lattice B satisfies condition A_2^+ of [17], then every bi- Γ -absorbent c of a is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a .

Proof: By proposition 2.3, the product $a\Gamma c$ and $c\Gamma a$ are left- and right- Γ -absorbents of a . Theorem 2.1 and condition A_2^+ of [17] imply:

$$\begin{aligned} c\Gamma a \wedge a\Gamma c &= (c\Gamma a)\Gamma(a\Gamma c) \\ &= (c\Gamma a\Gamma a)\Gamma c \\ &= c\Gamma(a\Gamma a\Gamma c) \leq c. \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 2.2: Any element of a Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$ is regular if and only if $X \wedge Y = X\Gamma Y$ for every left- Γ -absorbent X and every right- Γ -absorbent Y of a .

Proof: Let a be a regular Γ -groupoid-lattice, and let $x \in X \wedge Y$, then there is an element y such that $x\gamma y\gamma x = x$; $\forall \gamma \in \Gamma$. Since X is a left- Γ -absorbent, $x\gamma y \in X$. Therefore $x = x\gamma(y\gamma x) \in X\Gamma Y$. This shows $X \wedge Y \leq X\Gamma Y$. But, $X\Gamma Y \leq X \wedge Y$. Hence $X\Gamma Y = X \wedge Y$.

Conversely, let x be an element of $a \in B$. Then $(x\gamma y \vee x)$ is the right- Γ -absorbent $\langle x \rangle$ of a generated by x for all $y \in a$. By the hypothesis, $\langle x \rangle = \langle x \rangle \wedge a = \langle x \rangle \gamma a = x\gamma a$.

Therefore, we have $x \in x\gamma a$. Similarly $x \in a\gamma x$.

Hence, $x \in x\gamma Y \wedge Y\gamma x = x\gamma Y\gamma Y\gamma x$,

and there is an element y such that $x = x\gamma y\gamma x$.

Theorem 2.3: An element x of a regular Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$ is a quasi- Γ -absorbent if and only if $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

Proof: Suppose that x is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$, then we have $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq a\gamma x$ and $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x\gamma a$.

Therefore, by the definition of quasi- Γ -absorbent, $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x\gamma a \wedge a\gamma x \leq x$.

This shows that $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x$ holds.

Conversely, suppose that an element x is an element of regular Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$ satisfies $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x$. Then we have $a\gamma x$ is a left- Γ -absorbent of a and $x\gamma a$ is a right- Γ -absorbent of a .

Since $L\gamma R = L \wedge R$ for any right- Γ -absorbent R and left- Γ -absorbent L of a , we have $x\gamma a \wedge a\gamma x = (x\gamma a)\gamma(a\gamma x)$. Therefore, $(x\gamma a)\gamma(a\gamma x) \leq x\gamma a\gamma x$ and $x\gamma a\gamma x \leq x$.

Hence, $x\gamma a \wedge a\gamma x \leq x$.

This shows that the set x is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of $a \in B$.

Theorem 2.4: Let $a \in B$ is a Γ -groupoid-lattice. If L is a left- Γ -absorbent and R is a right- Γ -absorbent of a , then the product $R\Gamma L$ is a bi-absorbent of a .

Proof: Since $(R\Gamma L)\Gamma(R\Gamma L) \leq R\Gamma L$, the product $R\Gamma L$ is a subsemigroup of the Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$.

On the other hand, $(R\Gamma L)\Gamma a\Gamma(R\Gamma L) \leq R\Gamma a\Gamma L \leq R\Gamma L$.

i.e., the product $R\Gamma L$ is a bi- Γ -absorbent of a .

Corollary 2.2: Let a be a regular Γ -groupoid-lattice, then for each $x \in a$, the converse of the theorem is true.

Theorem 2.5: Let $a \in B$ is a Γ -groupoid-lattice. Then the following proposition concerning the element a are equivalent.

(i) a is a regular element in Γ -groupoid-lattice whose left- Γ -absorbents are two-sided.

(ii) $B \wedge L = B\Gamma L$ for every bi- Γ -absorbent B and every left-absorbent L of a .

(iii) $L \wedge Q = Q\Gamma L$ for each left- Γ -absorbent L and each quasi- Γ -absorbent Q of a .

Proof: (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let a be a regular Γ -groupoid-lattice whose left- Γ -absorbents are two-sided.

Then by Theorem 2.4 every bi- Γ -absorbent B of a may be represented as $B = R\Gamma I$ where R is a right- Γ -absorbent and I is a two-sided absorbent of a . Now applying the regularity criterion, we obtain $B \wedge L = R\Gamma I \wedge L = R\Gamma I\Gamma L = B\Gamma L$ for every bi- Γ -absorbent B and every left- Γ -absorbent L of a .

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) This is evident because of proposition 2.4.

(iii) \Rightarrow (i) Let a be a Γ -groupoid-lattice with property (iii). Then in case $Q = R$, R is an arbitrary right- Γ -absorbent of a , (iii) implies that a is regular.

Secondly, in case of $L = a$, $Q = L$, L is an arbitrary left- Γ -absorbent of a , condition (iii) implies $L = L \wedge a = L\Gamma a$, i.e., any left- Γ -absorbent L is also a right- Γ -absorbent of a . Hence, a is a regular element in Γ -groupoid-lattice whose left- Γ -absorbents are two-sided.

Theorem 2.6: Every two-sided Γ -absorbent T of a regular Γ -groupoid-lattice $a \in B$ is a regular element of a .

Proof: Let x be an arbitrary element of T . Then by regularity of x there exist an element y in a such that $x = x\gamma y$ for all $\gamma \in \Gamma$. Hence $x = (x\gamma y\gamma x)\gamma(y\gamma x)$. Since $y\gamma x\gamma y$ is an element of T and $x = x\gamma(y\gamma x\gamma y)\gamma x$, the element x is regular in T . Hence proved.

Corollary 2.3: Let a be a regular element in Γ -groupoid-lattice B . Then the following assertions holds:

(a) Every quasi- Γ -absorbent k of a can be written in the form $k = R \wedge L = R\Gamma L$, where R is the right and L left absorbent of a generated by k .

(b) Every bi- Γ -absorbent of a is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a .

(c) Every bi- Γ -absorbent of any two-sided absorbent of a is a quasi- Γ -absorbent of a .

Theorem 2.7: An element a of a Γ -groupoid-lattice B is a regular duo element if and only if $(L \vee L\Gamma a)^2 = L$, and $(R \vee a\Gamma R)^2 = R$ hold for every left and right- Γ -absorbent of a .

Proof: Let a be regular duo element of a Γ -groupoid-lattice. Then every

one-sided Γ -absorbent of a is two-sided, and $I \wedge J = I\Gamma J$ holds for any couple of Γ -absorbents of a . $I \wedge J = I\Gamma J$ implies that every Γ -absorbent I of a is idempotent, i.e., $I\Gamma I = I$ for any Γ -absorbent I of a . This implies both $(L \vee L\Gamma a)^2 = L$, and $(R \vee a\Gamma R)^2 = R$.

Conversely, suppose that a is Γ -groupoid-lattice with $(L \vee L\Gamma a)^2 = L$, and $(R \vee a\Gamma R)^2 = R$ for every left and right- Γ -absorbent of a , respectively. Then $(R \vee a\Gamma R)^2 = R$ implies that each right- Γ -absorbent R of a is also a left- Γ -absorbent, and $(L \vee L\Gamma a)^2 = L$ implies that every left- Γ -absorbent L of a is two-sided. Therefore a is a duo element. Finally $(L \vee L\Gamma a)^2 = L$ implies $I\Gamma I = I$ for any Γ -absorbent I of a , which is equivalent to the regularity of duo element of Γ -groupoid-lattices.

3 Open problem

Is it possible to define an inverse element a in a Γ -groupoid-lattice B . If it is possible than we can further generalize the concepts from inverse Γ -semigroup to Γ -groupoid-lattices.

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