

The Subclasses of Characterization on Π^* -Regular Semigroups

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Abstract: In the paper, we define the equivalence relations on Π^* -regular semigroups, to show L^* , R^* , H^* , J^* -class contains an idempotent with some characterizations.

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1. INTRODUCTION

An element d of a semigroup S is Π^* -regular, if S_1 and S_2 are non-empty regular semigroups, and S is all non-empty subset of $S_1 \times S_2$, for any $a \in S_1$, $b \in S_2$, $(a, b) = d \in S$, there exist $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $(x, y) \in S$, such that

$$(a, b)^m = (a, b)^m(x, y)(a, b)^m.$$

A semigroup S is Π^* -regular, if every element of S is Π^* -regular. A semigroup S is completely Π^* -regular, if S is Π^* -regular, for any $(a, b) \in S$ and element (a, b) is a regular, there exist $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $(x, y) \in S$, such that $(a, b)^m(x, y) = (x, y)(a, b)^m$ [1].

In this paper, we consider some special case of Π^* -regular semigroups and completely Π^* -regular semigroups.

Remark The marks we don't illustrate in this paper please see reference [2].

Now let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Define the equivalence relations L^* , R^* , H^* , J^* on S by

$$\begin{aligned}(a, b)L^*(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow S(a, b)^m = S(x, y)^n \\ (a, b)R^*(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow (a, b)^m S = (x, y)^n S \\ H^* &\Leftrightarrow L^* \cap R^* \\ (a, b)J^*(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow S(a, b)^m S = S(x, y)^n S\end{aligned}$$

where m, n are the smallest positive integers such that $(a, b)^m, (x, y)^n$ are regular, i.e., $(a, b)^m, (x, y)^n \in S$. In what follows we will denote by $L_{(a,b)}^*(R_{(a,b)}^*, H_{(a,b)}^*, J_{(a,b)}^*)$ the L^* -, R^* -, H^* -, J^* - class containing an element (a, b) of S . According to the hypothesis, we can easily draw the following lemma.

Lemma 1. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then every $L^*(R^*)$ -class contains at least one idempotent.

Lemma 2. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then each idempotent (e, e) of S is a right (left, two-sided) identity for regular elements from $L_{(e,e)}^*(R_{(e,e)}^*, J_{(e,e)}^*)$.

Lemma 3. In a Π^* -regular semigroup S every H^* -class contains at most one idempotent.

Lemma 4. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup, $(a, b) \in S$ and p be the smallest positive integers such that $(a, b)^p \in S$. Then $(a, b)^p \in L_{(a,b)}^* \cap R_{(a,b)}^* = H_{(a,b)}^*$.

2. MAIN RESULTS

Let V be the set of all inverse elements of S [3], E is the set of all idempotent of S . Here we get a good result.

Theorem 1. Let (a, b) and (x, y) be element of a Π^* -regular semigroup S . Then

$$\begin{aligned}(1) &(a, b)L^*(x, y) \Leftrightarrow \exists(a, b)', (x, y)' \in V, (a, b)'(a, b)^m = (x, y)'(x, y)^n; \\ (2) &(a, b)R^*(x, y) \Leftrightarrow \exists(a, b)', (x, y)' \in V, (a, b)^m(a, b)' = (x, y)^n(x, y)'; \\ (3) &(a, b)H^*(x, y) \Leftrightarrow \exists(a, b)', (x, y)' \in V, (a, b)'(a, b)^m = (x, y)'(x, y)^n, \\ &(a, b)^m(a, b)' = (x, y)^n(x, y)'.\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Obviously we only need to prove (3). Let $(a, b), (x, y) \in H^*$ and $(a, b)', (x, y)' \in V$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}(e, e) &= (a, b)'(a, b)^m \in L_{(a,b)}^* \cap E = L_{(x,y)}^* \cap E; \\ (f, f) &= (a, b)^m(a, b)' \in R_{(a,b)}^* \cap E = R_{(x,y)}^* \cap E;\end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned}(x, y)^n &= (x, y)^n(e, e) = (f, f)(x, y)^n \\ (f, f) &= (x, y)^n(u, v), (e, e) = (s, t)(x, y)^n ((u, v), (s, t) \in S).\end{aligned}$$

Assume that $(x, y)' = (e, e)(u, v)(f, f)$ then $(x, y)' \in V$. We will find

$$\begin{aligned}(x, y)^n(x, y)'(x, y)^n &= (x, y)^n(e, e)(u, v)(f, f)(x, y)^n \\ &= (x, y)^n(u, v)(x, y)^n = (f, f)(x, y)^n = (x, y)^n; \\ (x, y)'(x, y)^n(x, y) &= (e, e)(u, v)(f, f)(x, y)^n(e, e)(u, v)(f, f) \\ &= (e, e)(u, v)(x, y)^n(u, v)(f, f) = (e, e)(u, v)(f, f) = (x, y)',\end{aligned}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} (x, y)^n(x, y)' &= (x, y)^n(e, e)(u, v)(f, f) \\ &= (x, y)^n(u, v)(f, f) = (f, f) = (a, b)^m(a, b)'; \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (x, y)'(x, y)^n &= (e, e)(u, v)(f, f)(x, y)^n = (s, t)(x, y)^n(u, v)(f, f)(x, y)^n \\ &= (s, t)(f, f)(x, y)^n = (s, t)(x, y)^n = (e, e) = (a, b)'(a, b)^m. \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, if $(a, b)'(a, b)^m = (x, y)'(x, y)^n$ and $(a, b)^m(a, b)' = (x, y)^n(x, y)'$ for some $(a, b)', (x, y)' \in V$, then

$$\begin{aligned} (a, b)^m &= (a, b)^m(a, b)'(a, b)^m = (a, b)^m(x, y)'(x, y)^n = (x, y)^n(x, y)'(a, b)^m \\ (x, y)^n &= (x, y)^n(x, y)'(x, y)^n = (x, y)^n(a, b)'(a, b)^m = (a, b)^n(a, b)'(x, y)^n \end{aligned}$$

hence

$$S(a, b)^m = S(x, y)^n, \quad (a, b)^m S = (x, y)^n S$$

whence $(a, b)H^*(x, y)$. □

Theorem 2. Let (e, e) be an idempotent of a Π^* -regular semigroup S . Then $G_{e,e} \subseteq H_{(e,e)}^*$, furthermore, if $(u, v) \in H_{(e,e)}^*$ and p is the smallest positive integer such that $(u, v)^p \in S$, then $(u, v)^q \in G_{(e,e)}$ for every $q \geq p$.

Proof. Let $(a, b) \in G_{(e,e)}$ and let (s, t) be an inverse element for (a, b) in $G_{(e,e)}$ [4]. Since $(s, t)(a, b) = (e, e) = (a, b)(s, t)$, we obtain that $(s, t) \in V$, so by theorem 1 $(a, b) \in H_{(e,e)}^*$. Hence $G_{(e,e)} \subseteq H_{(e,e)}^*$.

Assume $(u, v) \in H_{(e,e)}^*$ and let p be the smallest positive integer such that $(u, v)^p \in S$. By theorem 1 (3) there exists $(u, v)' \in V$ such that $(u, v)'(u, v)^p = (e, e) = (u, v)^p(u, v)'$. So $(u, v)^p$ is completely regular, i.e., $(u, v)^p \in G_{(f,f)}$. It is easy to show that $(e, e) = (f, f)$. Therefore $(u, v)^q \in G_{(e,e)}$, $q \geq p$. □

By theorem 1 and theorem 2, we obtain the following case.

Proposition. S is a Π^* -regular semigroup if and only if S is completely regular semigroup and H^* -class contains an idempotent.

Lemma 5. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then

- (1) every J^* -class contains at least one idempotent;
- (2) $G_{(e,e)} \subseteq H_{(e,e)} \subseteq J_{(e,e)}$ for every $e \in E$.

Lemma 6. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then (for some $(e, e), (f, f) \in E$)

$$J_{(e,e)}^* = J_{(f,f)}^*, (e, e)(f, f) = (f, f)(e, e) = (f, f) \Rightarrow (e, e) = (f, f).$$

Proof. It follows from that $S(e, e)S = S(f, f)S$ that

$$(e, e) = (u, v)(f, f)(s, t) \quad ((u, v), (s, t) \in S).$$

Suppose that

$$(a, b) = (e, e)(u, v)(e, e),$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} (a, b) &= (e, e)(u, v)(e, e) \\ &= (e, e)(u, v)(e, e)(f, f)(s, t)(e, e)(u, v)(e, e) \\ &= (a, b)(f, f)(s, t)(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

By the hypothesis that there exists $(a, b)' \in S$, such that

$$(a, b) = (a, b)(a, b)'(a, b), \quad (a, b)'(a, b) = (a, b)(a, b)'$$

Now we assume $(x, y) = (e, e)(s, t)(e, e)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} (a, b)(f, f)(x, y) &= (e, e)(u, v)(e, e)(f, f)(e, e)(s, t)(e, e) \\ &= (e, e)(u, v)(f, f)(s, t)(e, e) = (e, e) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} (e, e) &= (a, b)(f, f)(x, y) = (a, b)(a, b)'(a, b)(f, f)(x, y) \\ &= (a, b)(a, b)'(e, e) = (a, b)'(a, b)(e, e) = (a, b)'(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} (e, e) &= (a, b)'(a, b) = (a, b)'(e, e)(a, b) \\ &= (a, b)'(a, b)(f, f)(x, y)(a, b) = (e, e)(f, f)(x, y)(a, b)(f, f)(x, y)(a, b). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$(e, e) = (f, f)(e, e)$$

and whence

$$(e, e) = (f, f).$$

□

Lemma 7. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then for some $(u, v) \in S$, $(e, e) \in E$,

$$J_{(e,e)}^* = J_{(e,e)(u,v)(e,e)}^* \Rightarrow (e, e)(u, v)(e, e) \in G_{(e,e)}.$$

Proof. This is obvious. Here we don't prove it. □

Theorem 3. Let S be a Π^* -regular semigroup. Then (for some (a, b) , $(x, y) \in S$),

$$J_{(a,b)(x,y)}^* = J_{(x,y)(a,b)}^*.$$

Proof. Let p and q be the smallest positive integers such that

$$((a, b)(x, y))^p, ((x, y)(a, b))^q \in S.$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} ((a, b)(x, y))^p &\in G_{(e,e)} \subseteq J_{(e,e)}^*, \\ ((x, y)(a, b))^q &\in G_{(f,f)} \subseteq J_{(f,f)}^*. \end{aligned}$$

Whence by [5] we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} ((a, b)(x, y))^{p+m} &\in G_{(e,e)} \subseteq J_{(e,e)}, \\ ((x, y)(a, b))^{q+n} &\in G_{(f,f)} \subseteq J_{(f,f)}^*. \end{aligned}$$

For every $p, q \geq 0$, so

$$\begin{aligned} ((a, b)(x, y))^m J^*((a, b)(x, y))^{p+m}, \\ ((x, y)(a, b))^n J^*((x, y)(a, b))^{q+n}. \end{aligned}$$

And for $k = \max(m, n)$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} S((a, b)(x, y))^m S &= S((a, b)(x, y))^{k+1} S, \\ &= S(a, b)((x, y)(a, b))^k (x, y) S \subseteq S((x, y)(a, b))^k S \subseteq S((x, y)(a, b))^n S. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$S((x, y)(a, b))^n S \subseteq S((a, b)(x, y))^m S.$$

Thus,

$$S((a, b)(x, y))^m S = S((x, y)(a, b))^n S.$$

That is

$$J_{(a,b)(x,y)}^* = J_{(x,y)(a,b)}^*.$$

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