

# Brandt $\lambda^0$ -extensions of monoids with zero

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Let  $S$  be a semigroup with zero and  $I_\lambda$  be a set of cardinality  $\lambda \geq 1$ . We define the semigroup operation on the set  $B_\lambda(S) = (I_\lambda \times S \times I_\lambda) \cup \{0\}$  as follows:

$$(\alpha, a, \beta) \cdot (\gamma, b, \delta) = \begin{cases} (\alpha, ab, \delta), & \text{if } \beta = \gamma; \\ 0, & \text{if } \beta \neq \gamma, \end{cases}$$

and  $(\alpha, a, \beta) \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot (\alpha, a, \beta) = 0 \cdot 0 = 0$ , for all  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in I_\lambda$  and  $a, b \in S$ . Obviously, if  $S$  has zero then  $\mathcal{J} = \{0\} \cup \{(\alpha, 0_S, \beta) \mid 0_S \text{ is the zero of } S\}$  is an ideal of  $B_\lambda(S)$ . We put  $B_\lambda^0(S) = B_\lambda(S)/\mathcal{J}$  and the semigroup  $B_\lambda^0(S)$  is called the *Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of the semigroup  $S$  with zero* [1]. Next, if  $A \subseteq S$  then we shall denote  $A_{\alpha\beta} = \{(\alpha, s, \beta) \mid s \in A\}$  if  $A$  does not contain zero, and  $A_{\alpha,\beta} = \{(\alpha, s, \beta) \mid s \in A \setminus \{0\}\} \cup \{0\}$  if  $0 \in A$ , for  $\alpha, \beta \in I_\lambda$ .

**Proposition 1.** *Let  $\lambda \geq 1$  be any cardinal. Then the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of a semigroup  $S$  is a regular, orthodox, inverse, 0-simple, completely 0-simple, primitive inverse or congruence-free semigroup if and only if such is also  $S$ .*

**Proposition 2.** *Let  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \geq 1$  be any cardinals,  $S$  be a semigroup and  $S_1$  be the Brandt  $\lambda_1^0$ -extension of the semigroup  $S$ . Then the Brandt  $\lambda_2^0$ -extension of the semigroup  $S_1$  is isomorphic to the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of the semigroup  $S$  for the cardinal  $\lambda = \lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2$ .*

**Proposition 3.** *Let  $S$  be a monoid with zero,  $\lambda \geq 1$  be any cardinal, and  $B_\lambda^0(S)$  be the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of  $S$ . Then every non-trivial homomorphic image of  $B_\lambda^0(S)$  is the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of some monoid with zero. Moreover, if  $T$  is the image of  $B_\lambda^0(S)$  under a homomorphism  $h$ , then  $T$  is isomorphic to the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of the homomorphic image of the monoid  $S_{\alpha,\alpha}$  under the homomorphism  $h$  for any  $\alpha \in I_\lambda$ .*

**Definition 4.** Let  $\lambda$  be any cardinal  $\geq 2$ . We shall say that a semigroup  $S$  has the  $\mathcal{B}^*$ -property if  $S$  does not contain the semigroup of  $2 \times 2$ -matrix units and that  $S$  has the  $\mathcal{B}_\lambda^*$ -property if  $S$  satisfies the following conditions:  $S$  does not contain the semigroup of  $I_\lambda \times I_\lambda$ -matrix units and  $S$  does not contain the semigroup of  $2 \times 2$ -matrix units  $B_2$  such that the zero of  $B_2$  is the zero of  $T$ .

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  be cardinals such that  $\lambda_2 \geq \lambda_1 \geq 1$ . Let  $B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$  and  $B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$  be the Brandt  $\lambda_1^0$ - and  $\lambda_2^0$ -extensions of monoids  $S$  and  $T$  with zero, respectively. Let  $h: S \rightarrow T$  be a homomorphism such that  $(0_S)h = 0_T$  and suppose that  $\varphi: I_{\lambda_1} \rightarrow I_{\lambda_2}$  is a one-to-one map. Let  $e$  be a non-zero idempotent of  $T$ ,  $H_e$  a maximal subgroup of  $T$  with the unity  $e$  and  $u: I_{\lambda_1} \rightarrow H_e$  a map. Then*

$I_h = \{s \in S \mid (s)h = 0_T\}$  is an ideal of  $S$  and the map  $\sigma: B_{\lambda_1}^0(S) \rightarrow B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$  defined by the formulae

$$((\alpha, s, \beta))\sigma = \begin{cases} ((\alpha)\varphi, (\alpha)u \cdot (s)h \cdot ((\beta)u)^{-1}, (\beta)\varphi), & \text{if } s \notin S \setminus I_h; \\ 0_2, & \text{if } s \in I_h^*, \end{cases}$$

and  $(0_1)\sigma = 0_2$  is a non-trivial homomorphism from  $B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$  into  $B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$ . Moreover, if for the semigroup  $T$  the following assertions hold:

- (i) every idempotent of  $T$  lies in the center of  $T$ ; and
- (ii)  $T$  has the  $\mathcal{B}_{\lambda_1}^*$ -property,

then every non-trivial homomorphism from  $B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$  into  $B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$  can be constructed in this manner.

Let  $S$  and  $T$  be monoids with zeros. Let  $\text{Hom}_0(S, T)$  be the set of all homomorphisms  $\sigma: S \rightarrow T$  such that  $(0_S)\sigma = 0_T$ . We put

$$\mathbf{E}_1(S, T) = \{e \in E(T) \mid \text{there exists } \sigma \in \text{Hom}_0(S, T) \text{ such that } (1_S)\sigma = e\}$$

and define the family

$$\mathcal{H}_1(S, T) = \{H(e) \mid e \in \mathbf{E}_1(S, T)\},$$

where we denote the maximal subgroup with the unity  $e$  in the semigroup  $T$  by  $H(e)$ . Also by  $\mathfrak{B}$  we denote the class of monoids  $S$  with zeros such that  $S$  has  $\mathcal{B}^*$ -property and every idempotent of  $S$  lies in the center of  $S$ .

We define a category  $\mathcal{B}$  as follows:  $\mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B}) = \{(S, I) \mid S \in \mathfrak{B} \text{ and } I \text{ is a non-empty set}\}$ , and if  $S$  is a trivial semigroup then we identify  $(S, I)$  and  $(S, J)$  for all non-empty sets  $I$  and  $J$ ; and  $\mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{B})$  consists of triples  $(h, u, \varphi): (S, I) \rightarrow (S', I')$ , where

- $h: S \rightarrow S'$  is a homomorphism such that  $h \in \text{Hom}_0(S, S')$ ,
- (1)  $u: I \rightarrow H(e)$  is a map, for  $H(e) \in \mathcal{H}_1(S, S')$ ,
- $\varphi: I \rightarrow I'$  is an one-to-one map,

with the composition

$$(h, u, \varphi)(h', u', \varphi') = (hh', [u, \varphi, h', u'], \varphi\varphi'),$$

where the map  $[u, \varphi, h', u']: I \rightarrow H(e)$  is defined by the formula

$$(\alpha)[u, \varphi, h', u'] = ((\alpha)\varphi)u' \cdot ((\alpha)u)h' \quad \text{for } \alpha \in I.$$

A straightforward verification shows that  $\mathcal{B}$  is a category with the identity morphism  $\varepsilon_{(S, I)} = (\text{Id}_S, u_0, \text{Id}_I)$  for any  $(S, I) \in \mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B})$ , where  $\text{Id}_S: S \rightarrow S$  and  $\text{Id}_I: I \rightarrow I$  are identity maps and  $(\alpha)u_0 = 1_S$  for all  $\alpha \in I$ .

We define the category  $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{S})$  as follows:  $\mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{S}))$  are all Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of monoids  $S$  with zeros such that  $S$  has the  $\mathcal{B}^*$ -property and every idempotent of  $S$  lies in the center of  $S$ ; and  $\mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{S}))$  are homomorphisms of the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of monoids  $S$  with zeros such that  $S$  has the  $\mathcal{B}^*$ -property and every idempotent of  $S$  lies in the center of  $S$ .

For each  $(S, I_{\lambda_1}) \in \mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B})$  with non-trivial  $S$ , let  $\mathbf{B}(S, I_{\lambda_1}) = B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$  be the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extension of the semigroup  $S$ . For each  $(h, u, \varphi) \in \mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{B})$  with a non-trivial homomorphism  $h$ , where  $(h, u, \varphi): (S, I_{\lambda_1}) \rightarrow (T, I_{\lambda_2})$  and  $(T, I_{\lambda_2}) \in$

$\mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B})$ , we define a map  $\mathbf{B}(h, u, \varphi): \mathbf{B}(S, I_{\lambda_1}) = B_{\lambda_1}^0(S) \rightarrow \mathbf{B}(T, I_{\lambda_2}) = B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$  as follows:

$$((\alpha, s, \beta))[\mathbf{B}(h, u, \varphi)] = \begin{cases} ((\alpha)\varphi, (\alpha)u \cdot (s)h \cdot ((\beta)u)^{-1}, (\beta)\varphi), & \text{if } s \notin S \setminus I_h; \\ 0_2, & \text{if } s \in I_h^*, \end{cases}$$

and  $(0_1)[\mathbf{B}(h, u, \varphi)] = 0_2$ , where  $I_h = \{s \in S \mid (s)h = 0_T\}$  is an ideal of  $S$  and  $0_1$  and  $0_2$  are the zeros of the semigroups  $B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$  and  $B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$ , respectively. For each  $(h, u, \varphi) \in \mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{B})$  with a trivial homomorphism  $h$  we define a map  $\mathbf{B}(h, u, \varphi): \mathbf{B}(S, I_{\lambda_1}) = B_{\lambda_1}^0(S) \rightarrow \mathbf{B}(T, I_{\lambda_2}) = B_{\lambda_2}^0(T)$  as follows:  $(a)[\mathbf{B}(h, u, \varphi)] = 0_2$  for all  $a \in \mathbf{B}(S, I_{\lambda_1}) = B_{\lambda_1}^0(S)$ . If  $S$  is a trivial semigroup then we define  $\mathbf{B}(S, I_{\lambda_1})$  to be a trivial semigroup.

A functor  $\mathbf{F}$  from a category  $\mathcal{C}$  into a category  $\mathcal{K}$  is called *full* if for any  $a, b \in \mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{C})$  and for any  $\mathcal{K}$ -morphism  $\alpha: \mathbf{F}a \rightarrow \mathbf{F}b$  there exists a  $\mathcal{C}$ -morphism  $\beta: a \rightarrow b$  such that  $\mathbf{F}\beta = \alpha$ , and  $\mathbf{F}$  called *representative* if for any  $a \in \mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{K})$  there exists  $b \in \mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{C})$  such that  $a$  and  $\mathbf{F}b$  are isomorphic.

**Theorem 6.**  *$\mathbf{B}$  is a full representative functor from  $\mathcal{B}$  into  $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{S})$ .*

We observe that the statements similar to Theorem 6 hold for the categories of inverse and Clifford inverse semigroups.

We define the category  $\mathcal{BSL}$  as follows:  $\mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{BSL}) = \{(S, I) \mid S \text{ is a semilattice with unity and zero and } I \text{ is a non-empty set}\}$ , and if  $S$  is a trivial semigroup then we identify  $(S, I)$  and  $(S, J)$  for all non-empty sets  $I$  and  $J$  and  $\mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{BSL})$  consists of corresponding triples  $(h, u, \varphi): (S, I) \rightarrow (S', I')$ , which satisfy condition (1).

The second category  $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{SL})$  is defined as follows:  $\mathbf{Ob}(\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{SL}))$  are all Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of semilattices with zeros and identities and  $\mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{SL}))$  are homomorphisms of the Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of semilattices with zeros and identities.

**Theorem 7.** *The categories  $\mathcal{BSL}$  and  $\mathcal{B}^*(\mathcal{SL})$  are isomorphic.*

Also we describe the structure of compact and countably compact topological Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of topological monoids with zero and show that categories of compact and countably compact topological Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of topological monoids with zero have similar property to Brandt  $\lambda^0$ -extensions of monoids with zero.

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