

# ON QUASI-IDEALS AND K-REGULAR IN NEAR SUBTRACTION SEMIGROUPS

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## Abstract:

In this paper, with a new idea, we define quasi-ideal, K-regular and investigate some of its properties. We characterize quasi-ideal by subalgebra of near subtraction semigroup and K-regular by quasi-ideal. A characterization of quasi-ideals of near subtraction semigroup is given. In this paper we shall introduce K-regular near subtraction semigroups and obtain equivalent conditions for K-regular near subtraction semigroups using quasi-ideals. This concept motivates the study of different kinds of new ideals in algebraic graph theory especially ideals in subtraction bialgebra and fuzzy algebra.

**Key words:** Quasi-ideal, s-near subtraction semigroup, property  $(\alpha)$ , K-regular.

## 1. Introduction

B.M. Schein [10] considered systems of the form  $(X; o; -)$ , where  $X$  is a set of functions closed under the composition "o" of function (and hence  $(X; o)$  is a function semigroup) and the set theoretic subtraction "-" (and hence  $(X; -)$  is a subtraction algebra in the sense of [1]). He proved that every subtraction semigroup is isomorphic to a difference semigroup of invertible function. B.Zelinka [11] discussed a problem proposed by B.M.Schein concerning the structure of multiplication in a subtraction semigroup. He solved the problem for subtraction algebras of a special type, called the atomic subtraction algebras. Y.B.Jun et al. [4] introduced the notion of ideals in subtraction algebras and discussed characterization of ideals. For basic definition one may refer to Pilz[8]. In ring theory the notation of quasi-ideal introduced by O. Steinfield in [9].

## 2. Preliminaries on near Subtraction Algebra

### Definition:2.1

A non empty set  $X$  together with binary operation "-" is said to be a **subtraction algebra** if it satisfies the following:

- i.  $x - (y - x) = x$ .
- ii.  $x - (x - y) = y - (y - x)$ .
- iii.  $(x - y) - z = (x - z) - y$ . for every  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Definition:2.2**

A non empty set  $X$  together with binary operations “ $-$ ” and “ $\cdot$ ” is said to be a **near subtraction semigroup** if it satisfies the following:

- i.  $(X, -)$  is a subtraction algebra.
- ii.  $(X, \cdot)$  is a semigroup.
- iii.  $(x - y)z = xz - yz$ , for every  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Definition:2.3**

A non empty set  $X$  together with binary operations “ $-$ ” and “ $\cdot$ ” is said to be a **near subtraction semigroup (right)** if it satisfies the following:

- i.  $(X, -)$  is a subtraction algebra.
- ii.  $(X, \cdot)$  is a semigroup
- iii.  $(x - y)z = xz - yz$ , for every  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Definition:2.5**

A non empty subset  $s$  of a subtraction algebra  $X$  is said to be **subalgebra** of  $X$ , if  $x - x' \in X$  whenever  $x, x' \in S$ .

**Definition:2.6**

Let  $(X, -)$  be a near subtraction semigroup. A non empty subset  $I$  is called

- i. A **left ideal** if  $I$  is a sub algebra of  $(X, -)$  and  $XI \subseteq I$ .
- ii. A **right ideal** if  $I$  is a subalgebra of  $(X, -)$  and  $IX \subseteq I$ .
- iii. An **ideal** if  $I$  is both left and right ideal.

**Definition:2.8**

We say that  $X$  is an  **$s(s')$ near subtraction semigroup** if  $a \in Xa(aX)$ , for all  $a \in X$ .

**Definition: 2.9**

A  $s$ -near subtraction semigroup  $X$  is said to be  **$\bar{s}$  -near subtraction semigroup** if  $a \in aX$ , for  $a \in X$ .

**Definition:2.10**

Let  $x$  be a near subtraction semigroup. Given two subsets  $A$  and  $B$  of  $X$ ,  $AB = \{ab/a \in A, b \in B\}$ . Also we define another operation "\*" by,  $A * B = \{ab - a(a' - b), a, a' \in A, b \in B\}$ .

**Definition:2.1**

A near subtraction semigroup  $X$  is said to be **subcommutative** if  $aX = Xa$ , for every  $a \in X$ .

**Definition:2.14**

An element  $a \in X$  is said to be **regular** if for each  $a \in X$ ,  $a = aba$ , for some  $b \in X$ .

-	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	0
a	a	0	c	b
b	b	0	0	b
c	c	0	c	0

**Definition:2.15**

A near subtraction semigroup  $X$  is said to have **property( $\alpha$ )** if  $x$  is a subalgebra of  $(X, -)$ , for every  $x \in X$ .

•	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	0
a	0	a	b	c
b	0	0	0	0
c	0	a	b	c

**Definition: 2.16**

A sub algebra  $S$  of  $(X, -)$  is called an **left(right)X-subalgebra** of  $X$  if  $XS \subseteq S(SX \subseteq S)$ .

**Definition:2.17**

A near subtraction semigroup  $X$  is said to be **two sided** if every left  $X$ - subalgebra is right  $X$ -subalgebra and viceversa.

**3.Quasi-ideals and K-regular near subtraction semigroups**

**Definition:3.1**

A subalgebra  $Q$  of  $(X, -)$  is said to be **quasi-ideal** of  $X$  if  $QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq Q$ .

**Example:3.1.1**

Let  $X = \{0, a, b, c\}$  in which "-" and "." are defined by,

clearly  $\{0, a\}$  is quasi- ideal of  $X$ .

**Definition:3.2**

A near subtraction semigroup  $X$  is called **K-regular near subtraction semigroup** if  $a \in \langle a \rangle_r X \langle a \rangle_l$ , for any  $a \in X$ , Where  $\langle a \rangle_r$  ( $\langle a \rangle_l$ ) is the right (left)  $X$ -subalgebra generated by  $a \in X$ .

**Note:3.5**

Every regular near subtraction semigroup is K-regular. But the converse is not true.

**Example:3.3**

Let  $X = \{0,1,2,3\}$  in which "-" and "•" are defined by,

-	0	1	2	3
0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	1	0
2	2	2	0	0
3	3	2	1	0

•	0	1	2	3
0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	0
2	2	2	2	0
3	3	3	3	0

Clearly X is K-regular. But not regular, since  $3 \notin 3.X$ .  $3 = \{0\}$ .

**Proposition:3.4**

The set of all quasi-ideals of a near subtraction semigroup X form a moore system on X.

**Proof:**

Let  $\{Q_i \mid i \in I\}$  be a set of all quasi-ideals in X. Let  $Q = \bigcap Q_i$ . Then  $QX \cap QX \cap X * Q \subseteq Q_i X \cap X Q_i \cap X Q_i \cap X Q_i \subseteq Q_i$ , for all  $i \in I$ . there for  $QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq Q$ . (ie) Q is a quasi-ideal of X.

**Proposition:3.5**

If Q is a Quasi-ideal of a near subtraction semigroup X and S is a semigroup of X, then  $Q \cap S$  is a qusai-ideal of S.

**Proof:**

Since Q is a quasi-ideal of X,  $QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq Q$ .

Let  $C = Q \cap S$ . Then,

$CS \cap SC \cap S * C = (Q \cap S)S \cap S(Q \cap S) \cap S * (Q \cap S) \subseteq QS \cap SQ \cap S * Q \cap S \subseteq QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \cap S \subseteq Q \cap S = C$ . There fore  $CS \cap SC \cap S * C \subseteq C$ .

(ie)  $B \cap S$  is a qusai-ideal of  $S$ .

### Proposition:3.6

Let  $X$  be zero-symmetric near subtraction semigroup. A subalgebra  $Q$  of  $X$  is a quasi-ideal  $QX \cap XQ \subseteq Q$ .

#### Proof:

Let  $Q$  be a quasi-ideal of  $X$  Then  $QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq Q$ . since  $X$  is zero-symmetric,  $XQ \subseteq X * Q$ . Therefore  $QX \cap XQ = (QX \cap XQ) \cap (QX \cap XQ) = (QX \cap XQ) \cap XQ \subseteq QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq Q$ . Conversely,  $QX \cap XQ \subseteq Q$ . There fore  $QX \cap XQ \cap X * Q \subseteq QX \cap XQ \subseteq Q$ .(ie)  $Q$  is a quasi-ideal of  $X$ .

### Proposition:3.8

Let  $X$  be a near subtraction semigroup. Then the following are equivalent:

- (i)  $X$  is k-regular
- (ii)  $RL = R \cap L$ , for every right  $X$ -subalgebra  $R$  of  $X$  and for every left  $X$ -subalgebra  $L$  of  $X$ .
- (iii) For every pair of element  $a, b$  of  $X$ ,  $\langle a \rangle_r \cap \langle b \rangle_l = \langle a \rangle_r \langle b \rangle_l$
- (iv) For any element  $a$  of  $X$ ,  $\langle a \rangle_r \cap \langle a \rangle_l = \langle a \rangle_r \langle a \rangle_l$

#### Proof :

(i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii):

Clearly  $RL \subseteq R \cap L$ . If  $x \in R \cap L$ , then  $x \in \langle x \rangle_r X \langle x \rangle_l \subseteq RXL \subseteq RL$ . Thus  $R \cap L = RL$ .

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii) and (iii) $\Rightarrow$ (iv) are trivial.

(iv)  $\Rightarrow$ (i):

Let  $a \in X$ . then  $\langle a \rangle_r \cap \langle a \rangle_l = s \langle a \rangle_r \langle a \rangle_l$ . Since  $a \in \langle a \rangle_r \cap \langle a \rangle_l$ ,  $a = bc$ , for some  $b \in \langle a \rangle_r$  and  $c \in \langle a \rangle_l$ . Similarly  $b = de$ , for some  $d \in \langle b \rangle_l$ ,  $e \in \langle b \rangle_r$ . Thus  $a = dec \in \langle a \rangle_r X \langle a \rangle_l$ . (ie)  $X$  is K-regular.

### Proposition:3.9

Let  $X$  be a s-near subtraction semigroup with property  $(\alpha)$ . Then the following are equivalent :

- (i)  $X$  is K-regular.
- (ii)  $X$  is regular.
- (iii) For every quasi-ideal  $Q$ ,  $QPQ = Q$ , for some subset  $P$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:****(i) ⇒ (ii):**

Let  $x \in X$ . Then we have  $x \in \langle x \rangle_r X \langle x \rangle_l$ . Since  $x \in \langle x \rangle_r$ ,  $xX$  is a right  $X$ -subalgebra of  $X$  and  $xX \subseteq \langle x \rangle_r$ . since  $X$  is a  $\bar{s}$ -near subtraction semigroup  $x \in xX$  and so  $\langle x \rangle_r \subseteq xX$ . Thus  $\langle x \rangle_r = xX$ . Similarly  $\langle x \rangle_l = Xx$ .

Hence  $x \in \langle x \rangle_r X \langle x \rangle_l \subseteq xXx$ . (ie)  $X$  is regular.

**(ii) ⇒ (iii):**

Since  $X$  is regular,  $Q \subseteq QXQ$ , for every Quasi-ideal  $Q$  of  $X$ . Also  $QXQ \subseteq Q$ .

Thus  $Q = QXQ$ .

**(iii) ⇒ (i):**

Since  $X$  is a  $\bar{s}$ -near subtraction semigroup.  $\langle x \rangle_r = xX$  and  $\langle x \rangle_l = Xx$ , for  $x \in X$ . Thus for  $x \in X$ ,  $\langle x \rangle_r \cap \langle x \rangle_l = \langle x \rangle_r \cap \langle x \rangle_l P \langle x \rangle_r \cap \langle x \rangle_l \subseteq \langle x \rangle_r X \langle x \rangle_l$ . (i.e)  $x \in X \langle x \rangle_r \langle x \rangle_l$ . Hence  $X$  is  $K$ -regular.

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