

A STUDY ON PSEUDO COMMUTATIVE SEMINEAR RINGS

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ABSTRACT:

A near ring N is called pseudo commutative if $xyz = zyx$ for every x, y, z in N . It is quite natural to investigate the corresponding definition in the field seminear ring. In this paper, we define a seminear-ring N to be pseudo commutative seminear-ring if $xyz = zyx$ for every $x, y, z \in N$. It is proved that in a pseudo commutative seminear ring, every idempotent is central and the homomorphic image of pseudo commutative seminear ring is also so. It is observed that every commutative seminear ring is pseudo commutative seminear ring and the converse is true if it has an identity. The condition under which a weak commutative seminear-ring is pseudo commutative and vice versa is obtained. Also we proved that every pseudo commutative seminear-ring has $(*, IFP)$. A pseudo commutative seminear ring M is reduced and also every ideal in M is completely semiprime if it is regular.

KEYWORDS:

Seminear rings, regular, idempotent, central element, commutative seminear rings, weak commutativity, IFP ideals.

I. INTRODUCTION:

The study of semirings was started by the German Mathematician Dedekind [3]. However, during the late 1960s real and significant applications of semirings were found in several field including automata theory, graph theory, coding theory, optimization theory, analysis of computer programs, algebras of formal processes and generalized fuzzy computation. Later on, different people [5, 8, 9] worked semirings and explored many interesting properties in semirings.

In a semi-ring $(N, +, \cdot)$ if we ignore commutativity of $+$ and one distributive law, $(N, +, \cdot)$ is a seminear-ring. If we do not stipulate the left distributive law, $(N, +, \cdot)$ is a right seminear-ring. Wily G Van Hoorn and Van Rootselaar [25] introduced the notion of a seminear-ring which is a generalization of a semiring and near-rings. Especially he discussed homomorphism in seminear-rings and obtained some

interesting properties. Further, Balakrishnan [1], Perumal [12, 13] and some others [5, 8, 9, 26] worked in the field of seminear-rings and explored many interesting and elegant properties. Pilz [14] and many other people [2, 7, 11, 24] worked in the field of near-rings and obtained many more properties of near-rings. Dheena [4], Henry [6] introduced regularity in near-rings. In this paper, we make a study on pseudo commutative seminear-rings.

II. PRELIMINARIES:

DEFINITION: II.1 [13]

A *right seminear-ring* is a non-empty set N with two binary operations $+$ and \cdot such that

- (i) $(N, +)$ is a semigroup
- (ii) (N, \cdot) is a semigroup
- (iii) $(x + y)a = xa + ya$ for all $a, x, y \in N$

DEFINITION: II.2 [13, 23, 26]

A right seminear-ring N is said to have an *absorbing zero* if

- (i) $a + 0 = 0 + a = a$
- (ii) $a \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot a = 0$, holds for all $a \in N$.

DEFINITION: II.3 [8, 13]

An element a in the seminear-ring N is said to be *idempotent* if $a^2 = a$

DEFINITION: II.4 [8]

An idempotent element e in the seminear-ring N is called *central* if $ex = xe$ for all $x \in N$.

NOTATION: II.5 [8, 13]

E is the set of all idempotent elements in the seminear-ring N .

$C(N)$ is the set of all central elements in the seminear-ring N .

DEFINITION: II.6 [12]

A seminear-ring N is called *regular seminear-ring* if for each a in N , there exists $x \in N$ such that $a = axa$.

DEFINITION: II.7 [8]

An element a in the seminear-ring N is said to be *nilpotent* if $a^k = 0$ for some least positive integer k .

DEFINITION: II.8

A seminear-ring N is said to be *reduced* if it has no non-zero nilpotent element in N .

DEFINITION: II.9 [13, 14]

A seminear-ring N is said to *fulfil insertion of factor property – IFP* for short – if for $a, b \in N$, $ab = 0$ implies $anb = 0$ for all n in N .

DEFINITION: II.10

A seminear-ring N is said to have *strong IFP* if $ab \in I$ implies $axb \in I$ for a, b, x in N and I is any ideal in N

DEFINITION: II.11 [13]

A seminear-ring N is said to have $(*, IFP)$ if

- (i) N has IFP
- (ii) for a, b in N , $ab = 0$ implies $ba = 0$.

DEFINITION: II.12 [14]

An additive group A of the seminear-ring N is called a *N -subgroup* if $NA \subseteq A$ where $NA = \{ra/r \in N, a \in A\}$

DEFINITION: II.13 [8, 23]

A non-empty subset I of a seminear-ring N is called a *left (right) ideal* if,

- (i) for all $x, y \in I$, $x + y \in I$
- (ii) for all $x \in I$ and $a \in N$, $ax \in I$ ($xa \in I$)

DEFINITION: II.14 [8, 13, 23]

A non-empty subset I of the seminear ring N is said to be an *ideal* of N if it is both a left ideal and a right ideal of N .

DEFINITION: II.15 [8, 13]

An ideal I of the seminear-ring N is called a *semi prime ideal* if $A^2 \subseteq I$ implies $A \subseteq I$ holds for all ideals A of N .

DEFINITION: II.16 [8, 13]

An ideal I of the seminear-ring N is called a *completely semi prime ideal* if for x in N , $x^2 \in I$ implies $x \in I$.

DEFINITION: II.17 [13, 26]

If S is any non empty subset of the seminear-ring N , then the *left annihilator of S in N* is $l(S) = \{x \in N/xs = 0 \forall s \in S\}$

DEFINITION: II.18 [25]

Let $(R, +, \cdot)$ and (S, \oplus, \odot) be two seminear rings. A mapping $\mu : R \rightarrow S$ is called a *homomorphism* if and only if

- (i) $\mu(a + b) = \mu(a) \oplus \mu(b)$
- (ii) $\mu(ab) = \mu(a) \odot \mu(b)$

for all a, b in R .

DEFINITION: II.19 [14]

A seminear-ring N has the *property* P_4 if for all ideals I of N , $xy \in I$ implies $yx \in I$ for all x, y in I .

III. PSEUDO COMMUTATIVE SEMINEAR RINGS

Hereafter M stands for Pseudo Commutative Seminear-ring with absorbing zero.

DEFINITION: III.1

A Seminear-ring N is said to be *weak commutative seminear ring* if $xyz = xzy$ for every $x, y, z \in N$.

DEFINITION: III.2

+	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	0
a	0	a	0	0
b	0	0	b	0
c	0	0	0	c

A Seminear ring N is called *pseudo*

commutative seminear ring if $xyz = zyx$ for every $x, y, z \in N$.

PROPOSITION: III.3

Let M be pseudo commutative seminear-ring. If $E \neq \{0\}$, then $E \subseteq C(M)$.

Proof:

Let e be an idempotent in M . Since M is pseudo commutative seminear-ring and for every $a \in M$, $ae = aee = eae = ea$. This implies $e \in C(M)$.

PROPOSITION: III.4

Homomorphic image of a pseudo commutative seminear-ring is also pseudo commutative.

Proof:

Let M, M' be two seminear-rings and $\varphi : M \rightarrow M'$ be homomorphism. Let $a', b', c' \in M'$. Then, $a' = \varphi(a), b' = \varphi(b)$ and $c' = \varphi(c)$. Since M is pseudo commutative seminear-ring, $a'b'c' = \varphi(a)\varphi(b)\varphi(c) = \varphi(ab)\varphi(c) = \varphi(abc) = \varphi(cba) = \varphi(cb)\varphi(a) = \varphi(c)\varphi(b)\varphi(a) = c'b'a'$. Hence the proof.

PROPOSITION: III.5

Every commutative seminear-ring is pseudo commutative.

Proof:

Let N be a commutative seminear-ring and M be a pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Let $x, y, z \in N$. Since N is a commutative seminear-ring, $xyz = x(yz) = x(zx) = (xz)y = z(xy) = z(yx) = zyx$ for all x, y, z in N .

EXAMPLE: III.6

Consider the seminear-ring $(N, +, \cdot)$ where $N = \{0, a, b, c\}$ with $(N, +)$ and (N, \cdot) is given as

Then N is a pseudo commutative seminear-ring but not commutative since $bc \neq cb$.

EXAMPLE: III.7

The seminear-ring $(N, +, \cdot)$ where $N = \{0, a, b, c\}$ with $(N, +)$ defined as in example III.6 and (N, \cdot) defined by

\cdot	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	0
a	0	0	0	0
b	0	0	0	a
c	0	0	0	0

is a pseudo commutative seminear-ring and is commutative.

PROPOSITION: III.8

Any pseudo commutative seminear-ring M with identity is commutative.

Proof:

Let $a, b, c \in M$ and u be the identity of M . Since M is pseudo commutative seminear-ring and for every a, b, c in M , $ab = abu = uba = ba$. This implies M is commutative.

PROPOSITION: III.9

Any weak commutative seminear-ring with left identity is a pseudo commutative seminear-ring.

Proof:

Let N be weak commutative seminear-ring. Then for each a, b, c in N , $abc = (ea)bc = e(acb) = e(acb) = (eac)b = (eca)b = e(cab) = e(cba) = cba$. This implies N is a pseudo commutative seminear-ring.

PROPOSITION: III.10

Any pseudo commutative seminear-ring M with right identity is weak commutative seminear-ring.

Proof:

Let a, b, c be in M and e be the right identity. Then for each a, b, c in M , $abc = abce = a(bce) = a(ecb) = (ae)(cb) = acb$. Thus M is weak commutative seminear-ring.

THEOREM: III.11

\cdot	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	0
a	0	a	b	c
b	0	b	0	0
c	0	c	0	0

L et M be a regular pseudo commutative seminear

-ring. Then M is reduced

Proof:

Since M is regular, for every a in M , there exists b in M such that $a = aba$. Then $(ab)^2 = (ab)(ab) = (aba)b = ab$. Thus $ab \in E \forall a, b \in M$. By proposition III.3, $a = aba = (ab)a = a(ab) = a^2b$. If $a^2 = 0$, then $a = 0 \cdot b = 0$. This implies M is reduced.

THEOREM: III.12

Let M be a pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then M has $(, IFP)$*

Proof:

Let $ab = 0$ for all $a, b \in M$. Then $(ba)^2 = (ba)(ba) = b(ab)a = b0a = b0 = 0$. By theorem III.11, $ba = 0$. And for every n in M , $(anb)^2 = (anb)(anb) = an(ba)nb = an0nb = 0$. Again by theorem III.11, $anb = 0$. This implies M has $(*, IFP)$.

LEMMA: III.13

Let N be regular seminear-ring. Then, $axN = aN$ and $Nxa = Na$ for $a \in N$.

Proof:

Since N is regular, for each a in N , there exists $x \in N$ such that $a = axa$. Let

$y \in axN$. Thus, $y = axb \in aN$ for b in N .
Let $z \in aN$. Then, $z = ax = axax \in axN$.
This completes the lemma.

LEMMA: III.14

A seminear-ring N has IFP if and only if $(0:S)$ is an ideal for any subset S of N .

Proof:

Let $I = l(S) = \{x \in N/xs = 0\}$.
For $s \in S, x, y \in I, (x + y)s = xs + ys = 0$
implies that $x + y \in I$. Further $x \in I, y \in N$
we have $yx = y0 = 0$ which implies $yx \in I$.
And let $x \in I$. Then, $xs = 0$. Since N
has IFP we have $xys = 0$ for all y in N .
This implies $xy \in I$. Therefore, I is an ideal
of N .

THEOREM: III.15

Let M be a regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then every N -subgroup is an ideal.

Proof:

Let $a \in M$. Since M is regular, $a = aba$ for some $b \in M$. And $(ba)^2 = (ba)(ba) = b(aba) = ba$. This implies ba is an idempotent element in M . Let $ba = e$.
By lemma: III.12, $Me = Mba = Ma$. Let $S = \{m - me/m \in M\}$. Now, we show that $(0:S) = Me$. Since, $(m - me)e = me - mee = me - me = 0 \forall m \in M$. This implies $(m - me)Me = 0$. Thus, $Me \subseteq (0:S)$. Let $y \in (0:S)$. Then $y = yxy$ for some x in M and $yx - (yx)e \in S$. Therefore, $(yx - yxe)y = 0$ and this implies $yx - yxe = 0$. Thus we get, $0 = y - y(xey) = y - y(xye) = y - (yxy)e = y - ye$. Hence, $(0:S) \subseteq Me$. Therefore, $(0:S) = Me = Ma$. By lemma: III.14, Ma is an ideal of M . Now if P is any N -subgroup of M then, $P = \sum_{a \in P} Na$. Thus, P becomes an ideal of M .

THEOREM: III.16

Let M be regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then $M = Ma = Ma^2 = aM = aMa$ for all a in M .

Proof:

Since M is regular, for every a in M , there exists b in M such that $a = aba = a(ba) = (ba)a = ba^2 \in Ma^2$. Therefore, $M \subseteq Ma^2$. Now, $Ma \subseteq M \subseteq Ma^2 \subseteq Ma \subseteq M$ implies, $Ma = Ma^2 = M$. Now we claim that $Ma^2 = aM$. Let $x \in Ma^2$. Then by the definition of pseudo commutative seminear-ring, for some m in $M, x = ma^2 = maa = ama \in aM$. Therefore, $Ma^2 \subseteq aM$. Let $am \in aM$. Since M is regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring, $am = (aba)m = a(ba)m = (ba)am = b(aam) = b(maa) = bma^2 \in Ma^2$. This implies, $Ma^2 = aM$. Now we claim that $aM = aMa$. Since M is regular and Ma is an ideal, for every m in $M, am = (aba)m = a(bam) \in a(MaM) \subseteq aMa$. Thus, $aM \subseteq aMa$. Obviously, $aMa \subseteq aM$. Hence $aM = aMa$ for all a in M .

THEOREM: III.17

Let M be a regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then any ideal of M is completely semi prime.

Proof:

Let $a^2 \in I$. Then, $a = aba = (ab)a = a(ab) = a^2b \in IM \subseteq I$. Thus, every ideal of M is completely semi prime.

LEMMA: III.18

Every ideal I of the seminear-ring N satisfies $NIN \subseteq I$.

Proof:

Let $x \in NIN$. Thus $x = aib \in Ib \in I$. This gives $NIN \subseteq I$

THEOREM: III.19

Let M be regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then M has property P_4

Proof:

Let $ab \in I$. Then by lemma: III.18, $(ba)^2 = ba(ba) = b(ab)a \in MIM \subseteq I$.

By theorem: III.17, $ba \in I$. Hence the theorem.

THEOREM: III.20

Let M be a regular pseudo commutative seminear-ring. Then M has strong IFP.

Proof:

Let I be an ideal of M . Since $MI \subseteq I$, by theorem: III.16, we have $aM = Ma^2$. Hence $an = ma^2$ for some $n, m \in M$. Hence if $ab \in I$, then for every n in M , $anb = ma^2b = (ma)(ab) \in MI \subseteq I$.

Therefore, M has strong IFP.

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