

# On Topological Groupoids and Multiple Identities

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**Abstract.** This paper studies some properties of  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotopies of medial topological groupoids. It also examines the relationship between paramediality and associativity. We extended some affirmations of the theory of topological groups on the class of topological  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous primitive groupoids with divisions.

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## 1 Introduction

In this article we study the  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotopies of topological groupoids with multiple identities and relation between paramediality and associativity. In Section 3 we expand on the notions of multiple identities and homogeneous isotopies introduced in [2]. This concept facilitates the study of topological groupoids with  $(n, m)$ -identities and homogeneous quasigroups, which are obtained by using isotopies of topological groups.

The results established in Section 4 are related to the results of M. Choban and L. Kiriyak [2] and to the research papers [5–8, 11]. We prove that if  $(G, +)$  is a medial topological groupoid and  $e$  is a  $(k, p)$ -zero, then every  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  of  $(G, +)$  is medial, with  $(mk, np)$ -identity  $e$  in  $(G, \cdot)$ . We present some interesting properties of a class of  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous quasigroups.

K. Sigmon, continuing the work of Professor A. D. Wallace, has shown that whenever a medial topological groupoid contains a bijective idempotent, it can be obtained from some commutative topological semigroup [12]. In Section 5, we obtain these and some other results in the case of paramedial topological groupoids. The relationship between mediality, paramediality and associativity was also studied in [9,10]. In Section 6 we extended one well-known statement of the theory of topological groups on the class of topological  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous primitive groupoids with divisions.

## 2 Basic notions

A non-empty set  $G$  is said to be a groupoid relative to a binary operation denoted by  $\{\cdot\}$  if for every ordered pair  $(a, b)$  of elements of  $G$  there is a unique element  $ab \in G$ .

If the groupoid  $G$  is a topological space and the multiplication operation  $(a, b) \rightarrow a \cdot b$  is continuous, then  $G$  is called a topological groupoid.

A groupoid  $G$  is called a groupoid with division if for every  $a, b \in G$  the equations  $ax = b$  and  $ya = b$  have, not necessarily unique, solutions.

A groupoid  $G$  is called reducible or cancellative if for any equality  $xy = uv$  the equality  $x = u$  is equivalent to the equality  $y = v$ .

A groupoid  $G$  is called a primitive groupoid with divisions if there exist two binary operations  $l : G \times G \rightarrow G$ ,  $r : G \times G \rightarrow G$ , such that  $l(a, b) \cdot a = b$ ,  $a \cdot r(a, b) = b$  for all  $a, b \in G$ . Thus a primitive groupoid with divisions is a universal algebra with three binary operations.

If in a topological groupoid  $G$  the primitive divisions  $l$  and  $r$  are continuous, then we can say that  $G$  is a topological primitive groupoid with continuous divisions.

A primitive groupoid  $G$  with divisions is called a quasigroup if both equations  $ax = b$  and  $ya = b$  have unique solutions. In the quasigroup  $G$  the divisions  $l, r$  are unique.

An element  $e \in G$  is called an identity if  $ex = xe = x$  for every  $x \in X$ .

A quasigroup with an identity is called a loop.

If a multiplication operation in a quasigroup  $(G, \cdot)$  endowed with a topology is continuous, then  $G$  is called a semitopological quasigroup. If in a semitopological quasigroup  $G$  the divisions  $l$  and  $r$  are continuous, then  $G$  is called a topological quasigroup.

A groupoid  $G$  is called medial if it satisfies the law  $xy \cdot zt = xz \cdot yt$  for all  $x, y, z, t \in G$ . A groupoid  $G$  is called paramedial if it satisfies the law  $xy \cdot zt = ty \cdot zx$  for all  $x, y, z, t \in G$ .

If a medial (paramedial) quasigroup  $G$  contains an element  $e$  such that  $e \cdot x = x(x \cdot e = x)$  for all  $x$  in  $G$ , then  $e$  is called a left (right) identity element of  $G$  and  $G$  is called a left (right) medial (paramedial) loop.

A groupoid  $G$  is said to be hexagonal if it is idempotent, medial and semisymmetric, i.e. the equalities  $x \cdot x = x$ ,  $xy \cdot zt = xz \cdot yt$ ,  $x \cdot zx = xz \cdot x = z$  hold for all of its elements.

Let  $N = \{1, 2, \dots\}$  and  $Z = \{\dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ . Furthermore, we shall use the terminology from [1–4].

### 3 Multiple identities and homogeneous isotopies

Consider a groupoid  $(G, +)$ . For every two elements  $a, b$  from  $(G, +)$  we denote:

$$1(a, b, +) = (a, b, +)1 = a + b, \quad \text{and} \quad n(a, b, +) = a + (n - 1)(a, b, +),$$

$$(a, b, +)n = (a, b, +)(n - 1) + b$$

for all  $n \geq 2$ .

If a binary operation  $(+)$  is given on a set  $G$ , then we shall use the symbols  $n(a, b)$  and  $(a, b)n$  instead of  $n(a, b, +)$  and  $(a, b, +)n$ .

**Definition 1.** Let  $(G, +)$  be a groupoid and let  $n, m \geq 1$ . The element  $e$  of the groupoid  $(G, +)$  is called:

- an  $(n, m)$ -zero of  $G$  if  $e + e = e$  and  $n(e, x) = (x, e)m = x$  for every  $x \in G$ ;
- an  $(n, \infty)$ -zero if  $e + e = e$  and  $n(e, x) = x$  for every  $x \in G$ ;
- an  $(\infty, m)$ -zero if  $e + e = e$  and  $(x, e)m = x$  for every  $x \in G$ .

Clearly, if  $e \in G$  is both an  $(n, \infty)$ -zero and an  $(\infty, m)$ -zero, then it is also an  $(n, m)$ -zero. If  $(G, \cdot)$  is a multiplicative groupoid, then the element  $e$  is called an  $(n, m)$ -identity. The notion of  $(n, m)$ -identity was introduced in [6].

**Example 1.** Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be a paramedial groupoid,  $e \in G$  and  $xe = x$  for every  $x \in G$ . Then  $(G, \cdot)$  is paramedial groupoid with  $(2, 1)$ -identity  $e$  in  $G$ . Actually, if  $x \in G$ , then  $e \cdot ex = ee \cdot ex = xe \cdot ee = xe \cdot e = xe = x$ .

**Example 2.** Let  $G = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$ . We define the binary operation  $\{\cdot\}$ .

$(\cdot)$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1	8	6	2	9	4	3	7	5
2	4	2	9	5	3	7	6	1	8
3	7	5	3	8	6	1	9	4	2
4	6	1	8	4	2	9	5	3	7
5	9	4	2	7	5	3	8	6	1
6	3	7	5	1	8	6	2	9	4
7	8	6	1	9	4	2	7	5	3
8	2	9	4	3	7	5	1	8	6
9	5	3	7	6	1	8	4	2	9

Then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a non-commutative hexagonal quasigroup and each element from  $(G, \cdot)$  is a  $(6, 6)$ -identity in  $G$ .

**Definition 2.** Let  $(G, +)$  be a topological groupoid. A groupoid  $(G, \cdot)$  is called a homogeneous isotope of the topological groupoid  $(G, +)$  if there exist two topological automorphisms  $\varphi, \psi : (G, +) \rightarrow (G, +)$  such that  $x \cdot y = \varphi(x) + \psi(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in G$ .

For every mapping  $f : X \rightarrow X$  we denote  $f^1(x) = f(x)$  and  $f^{n+1}(x) = f(f^n(x))$  for any  $n \geq 1$ .

**Definition 3.** Let  $n, m \leq \infty$ . A groupoid  $(G, \cdot)$  is called an  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope of a topological groupoid  $(G, +)$  if there exist two topological automorphisms  $\varphi, \psi : (G, +) \rightarrow (G, +)$  such that:

1.  $x \cdot y = \varphi(x) + \psi(y)$  for all  $x, y \in G$ ;
2.  $\varphi\psi = \psi\varphi$ ;
3. If  $n < \infty$ , then  $\varphi^n(x) = x$  for all  $x \in G$ ;
4. If  $m < \infty$ , then  $\psi^m(x) = x$  for all  $x \in G$ .

**Definition 4.** A groupoid  $(G, \cdot)$  is called an isotope of a topological groupoid  $(G, +)$ , if there exist two homeomorphisms  $\varphi, \psi : (G, +) \rightarrow (G, +)$  such that

$$x \cdot y = \varphi(x) + \psi(y) \text{ for all } x, y \in G.$$

Under the conditions of Definition 4 we shall say that the isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  is generated by the homeomorphisms  $\varphi, \psi$  of the topological groupoids  $(G, +)$  and write  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$ .

**Example 3.** Let  $(G, +)$  be a topological commutative additive group with a zero.

1. If  $\varphi(x) = x$ ,  $\psi(x) = -x$  and  $x \cdot y = x - y$ , then  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a topological medial quasigroup with a  $(2, 1)$ -identity 0.

2. If  $\varphi(x) = -x$ ,  $\psi(x) = x$  and  $x \cdot y = y - x$ , then  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a topological medial quasigroup with a  $(1, 2)$ -identity 0.

**Example 4.** Let  $(R, +)$  be a topological Abelian group of real numbers.

1. If  $\varphi(x) = x$ ,  $\psi(x) = 2x$  and  $x \cdot y = x + 2y$ , then  $(R, \cdot) = g(R, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a commutative locally compact medial quasigroup. By virtue of Theorem 7 from [2], there exists a right invariant Haar measure on  $(R, \cdot)$ .

2. If  $\varphi(x) = x$ ,  $\psi(x) = x + 7$  and  $x \cdot y = x + y + 7$ , then  $(R, \cdot) = g(R, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a commutative locally compact medial quasigroup and  $(R, \cdot)$  does not contain  $(n, m)$ -identities. As above, by virtue of Theorem 7 from [2] there exists an invariant Haar measure on  $(R, \cdot)$ .

**Example 5.** Denote by  $Z_p = Z/pZ = \{0, 1, \dots, p-1\}$  the cyclic Abelian group of order  $p$ . Consider the commutative group  $(G, +) = (Z_7, +)$ ,  $\varphi(x) = 3x$ ,  $\psi(x) = 4x$  and  $x \cdot y = 3x + 4y$ . Then  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a medial quasigroup with  $(3, 6)$ -identity in  $(G, \cdot)$ , which coincides with the zero element in  $(G, +)$ .

**Example 6.** Consider the commutative group  $(G, +) = (Z_5, +)$ ,  $\varphi(x) = 2x$ ,  $\psi(x) = 3x$  and  $x \cdot y = 2x + 3y$ . Then  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a medial quasigroup and the zero from  $(G, \cdot)$  is a  $(4, 4)$ -identity in  $G$ .

**Example 7.** Consider the Abelian group  $(G, +) = (Z_5, +)$ ,  $\varphi(x) = 4x$ ,  $\psi(x) = 2x$  and  $x \cdot y = 4x + 2y$ . Then  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  is a medial quasigroup and each element from  $(G, \cdot)$  is a  $(4, 2)$ -identity in  $G$ .

## 4 Some properties of $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotopies

**Proposition 1.** *If  $(G, +)$  is a medial topological groupoid and  $e$  is a  $(k, p)$ -zero, then every  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  of the topological groupoid  $(G, +)$  is medial with  $(mk, np)$ -identity  $e$  in  $(G, \cdot)$  and  $(x \cdot y) + (u \cdot v) = (x + u) \cdot (y + v)$  for all  $x, y, u, v \in G$  and  $n, m, p, k \in N$ .*

*Proof.* The mediality of the  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  follows from [12]. We will prove that  $e$  is an  $(mk, np)$ -identity in  $(G, \cdot)$  by the method described in [2].

Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be an  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope of the groupoid  $(G, +)$  and  $e$  be a  $(k, p)$ -zero in  $(G, +)$ . We mention that  $\varphi^q(e) = \psi^q(e) = e$  for every  $q \in N$ . If  $k < +\infty$ , then in  $(G, +)$  we have  $qk(e, x, +) = x$  for each  $x \in G$  and for every  $q \in N$ . Let  $m < +\infty$  and  $\psi^m(x) = x$  for all  $x \in G$ . Then  $1(e, x, \cdot) = 1(e, \psi(x), +)$  and  $q(e, x, \cdot) = q(e, \psi^q(x), +)$  for every  $q \geq 1$ . Therefore

$$mk(e, x, \cdot) = mk(e, \psi^{mk}(x), +) = mk(e, x, +) = x.$$

Analogously we obtain that

$$(e, x, \cdot)np = (e, \varphi^{np}(x), +)np = (e, x, +)np = x.$$

Hence  $e$  is an  $(mk, np)$ -identity in  $(G, \cdot)$ .

Using the algorithm from [12] we will show that  $(x \cdot y) + (u \cdot v) = (x + u) \cdot (y + v)$ . Let  $x \cdot y = \varphi(x) + \psi(y)$  and  $u \cdot v = \varphi(u) + \psi(v)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (x \cdot y) + (u \cdot v) &= [\varphi(x) + \psi(y)] + [\varphi(u) + \psi(v)] = \\ &= [\varphi(x) + \varphi(u)] + [\psi(y) + \psi(v)] = \varphi(x + u) + \psi(y + v) = (x + u) \cdot (y + v). \end{aligned}$$

In this way we have that  $(x \cdot y) + (u \cdot v) = (x + u) \cdot (y + v)$ . The proof is complete.  $\square$

**Corollary 1.** *If  $(G, +)$  is a medial topological groupoid, then every homogeneous isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  of the topological groupoid  $(G, +)$  such that  $\varphi\psi = \psi\varphi$  is medial and  $(x \cdot y) + (u \cdot v) = (x + u) \cdot (y + v)$ .*

**Definition 5.** A topological quasigroup  $(G, \cdot)$  is called:

- homogeneous if  $(G, \cdot)$  is a homogeneous isotope of the topological group  $(G, +)$ .
- $(n, m)$ -homogeneous if  $(G, \cdot)$  is a  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope of the topological group  $(G, +)$ .

We denote by:

- $T$  the class of all medial quasigroups.
- $Q(n, m)$  the class of all  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous quasigroups.

We consider the class:  $M(n, m) = T \cap Q(n, m)$ .

The class  $M(1, 1)$  coincides with the class of topological abelian groups.

**Example 8.** Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be a topological medial quasigroup.

1. If  $e \in G$ , such that  $ex = x$  and  $xx = e$  for each  $x \in G$ , then  $(G, \cdot) \in M(1, 2)$  and  $(G, \cdot)$  is a topological medial quasigroup with  $(1, 2)$ -identity  $e$  in  $G$ .
2. If  $e \in G$ , such that  $xe = x$  and  $xx = e$  for each  $x \in G$ , then  $(G, \cdot) \in M(2, 1)$  and  $(G, \cdot)$  is a topological medial quasigroup with  $(2, 1)$ -identity  $e$  in  $G$ .

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $Q(n, m)$  be a class of  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous quasigroups. Then:*

1. *For each  $G \in Q(n, m)$  there exists an  $(n, m)$ -identity  $e \in G$  with the following properties:*

$$1.1 \ e \cdot e = e;$$

$$1.2 \ n(e, x) = x;$$

$$1.3 \ (x, e)m = x;$$

$$1.4 \ ex \cdot e = e \cdot xe;$$

2. *If  $\varphi(x) = ex$  and  $\varphi^n(x) = n(e, x) = x$  then  $\varphi^{-1}(x) = (n-1)(e, x)$ ;*

3. *If  $\varphi^{-1}(x) = (n-1)(e, x)$  and  $\varphi^n(x) = n(e, x) = x$  then  $(n-1)(e, ex) = x$ ;*

4. *If  $\psi(x) = xe$  and  $\psi^m(x) = (x, e)m = x$  then  $\psi^{-1}(x) = (x, e)(m-1)$ ;*

5. *If  $\psi^{-1}(x) = (x, e)(m-1)$  and  $\psi^m(x) = (x, e)m = x$  then  $(xe, e)(m-1) = x$ .*

*Proof.* **1.** Let  $(G, +)$  be a topological group and  $\varphi, \psi : G \rightarrow G$  be topological automorphisms of this group, such that  $\varphi^n(x) = \psi^m(x) = x, \varphi \cdot \psi = \psi \cdot \varphi$ , for each  $x \in G$  and  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$ . Let  $e$  be a zero in  $(G, +)$ . According to Theorem 3 from [2],  $e$  is an  $(n, m)$ -identity in  $(G, \cdot)$ . Hence,  $e \cdot e = e, n(e, x) = x$  and  $(x, e)m = x$ . Thus, assertions 1.1, 1.2 and 1.3 are proved.

It is easy to see that  $\varphi(x) = ex$  and  $\psi(x) = xe$ . From the equality  $\varphi\psi = \psi\varphi$  we have  $\varphi\psi = \varphi(xe) = e \cdot xe$  and  $\psi\varphi = \psi(ex) = ex \cdot e$ . Therefore  $e \cdot xe = ex \cdot e$ . Assertion 1 is proved.

**2.** We will show that if  $\varphi(x) = ex$  and  $\varphi^n(x) = n(e, x) = x$ , then

$$\varphi^{-1}(x) = (n-1)(e, x).$$

We have  $\varphi(x) = ex$ , hence  $\varphi(\varphi^{-1}(x)) = e \cdot \varphi^{-1}(x)$ . But  $\varphi(\varphi^{-1}(x)) = x$ . Therefore,  $e \cdot \varphi^{-1}(x) = x$ . Since  $n(e, x) = x$ , we obtain that

$$e \cdot (\varphi^{-1}(x)) = n(e, x). \tag{1}$$

By the definition of multiple identities we have

$$e \cdot (n-1)(e, x) = n(e, x). \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2) we infer that  $\varphi^{-1}(x) = (n-1)(e, x)$ , which proves assertion 2.

**3.** We will prove that if  $\varphi^{-1}(x) = (n-1)(e, x)$  and  $\varphi^n(x) = n(e, x) = x$  then

$$(n-1)(e, ex) = x.$$

Let be  $(n-1)(e, ex) = t$ . Then

$$e \cdot (n-1)(e, ex) = et. \tag{3}$$

By the definition of multiple identities

$$e \cdot (n-1)(e, ex) = n(e, ex) = ex. \tag{4}$$

From (3) and (4) it follows  $ex = et$  and  $t = x$ . Hence  $(n-1)(e, ex) = x$ , as desired.

4. By following the same guidelines as in property 2 we obtain that if  $\psi(x) = xe$  and  $\psi^m(x) = (x, e)m$ , then  $\psi^{-1}(x) = (x, e)(m - 1)$ .

5. Similarly to properties 3 we prove that if  $\psi^{-1}(x) = (x, e)(m - 1)$  and  $\psi^m(x) = (x, e)m = x$ , then  $(xe, e)(m - 1) = x$ .

The proof of the theorem is now complete. □

**Corollary 2.** *A class  $Q(n, m)$  of  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous quasigroups forms a variety.*

**Corollary 3.** *A class  $M(n, m)$  of topological medial quasigroups with  $(n, m)$ -identities forms a variety.*

## 5 Paramedial topological groupoids

We provide an example of a paramedial groupoid which is not medial.

**Example 9.** Let  $G = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ . We define the binary operation  $\{\cdot\}$ .

$(\cdot)$	1	2	3	4
1	1	2	4	3
2	3	4	2	1
3	2	1	3	4
4	4	3	1	2

Then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a paramedial quasigroup but it is not medial. For example

$$(2 \cdot 3) \cdot (1 \cdot 4) \neq (2 \cdot 1) \cdot (3 \cdot 4).$$

An element  $e$  is called idempotent if  $ee = e$ . If the maps  $x \rightarrow xe$  and  $x \rightarrow ex$  are homeomorphisms then  $e$  is also called bijective.

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be a paramedial topological groupoid and let  $e, e_1, e_2$  be elements of  $G$  for which:*

1.  $ee_1 = e_1$  and  $e_2e = e_2$ ;
2. The maps  $x \rightarrow e_1x$  and  $x \rightarrow xe_2$  are homeomorphisms of  $G$  onto itself;
3. The map  $x \rightarrow xe$  is surjective.

*If there exists a binary operation  $\{\circ\}$  on  $G$  such that  $(e_1x) \circ (ye_2) = yx$ , then  $(G, \circ)$  is a commutative topological semigroup having  $e_1e_2$  as identity.*

*Proof.* Since  $x \rightarrow e_1x$  and  $x \rightarrow xe_2$  are homeomorphisms it is clear that  $\{\circ\}$  is continuous.

Using surjectivity and the fact that  $(e_1e_2) \circ (ye_2) = ye_2$  and  $(e_1x) \circ (e_1e_2) = e_1x$  we see that  $e_1e_2$  is an identity for  $(G, \circ)$ . Observe that  $xe_1 \cdot e_2 = xe_1 \cdot e_2e = ee_1 \cdot e_2x = e_1 \cdot e_2x$ .

One can see that

$$\begin{aligned} xe_1 \cdot zt &= (e_1 \cdot zt) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = (ee_1 \cdot zt) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = \\ &= (te_1 \cdot ze) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = [(e_1 \cdot ze) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2); \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} te_1 \cdot zx &= (e_1 \cdot zx) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2) = (ee_1 \cdot zx) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2) = \\ &= (xe_1 \cdot ze) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2) = [(e_1 \cdot ze) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2). \end{aligned}$$

From paramediality we have

$$[(e_1 \cdot ze) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = [(e_1 \cdot ze) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2).$$

Setting  $z = e_2$  then since  $e_2e = e_2$  and  $e_1e_2$  is an identity it follows that:

$$[e_1e_2 \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = [e_1e_2 \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2)] \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2)$$

and

$$(te_1 \cdot e_2) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = (xe_1 \cdot e_2) \circ (te_1 \cdot e_2).$$

Hence,  $(G, \circ)$  is a commutative topological groupoid and then the associativity is immediate. Indeed

$$[(te_1 \cdot e_2) \circ (e_1 \cdot ze)] \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2) = (te_1 \cdot e_2) \circ [(e_1 \cdot ze) \circ (xe_1 \cdot e_2)].$$

The proof is complete.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.** *Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be a paramedial topological groupoid satisfying the following conditions:*

1. *It contains an idempotent  $e$ ;*
2. *The maps  $x \rightarrow xe$  and  $x \rightarrow ex$  are homeomorphisms of  $G$  onto itself;*
3. *There exists a binary operation  $\{\circ\}$  on  $G$  such that  $(ex) \circ (ye) = yx$ .*

*Then  $(G, \circ)$  is a commutative topological semigroup having  $e$  as identity. Moreover, the maps  $x \rightarrow xe$  and  $x \rightarrow ex$  are antihomomorphisms of  $(G, \circ)$  and  $xe \cdot e = e \cdot ex$ .*

*Proof.* The first part of Theorem 3 follows from Theorem 2 with  $e = e_1 = e_2$ . Indeed, we have  $xe \cdot e = xe \cdot ee = ee \cdot ex = e \cdot ex$ . Since

$$(ex \circ ye) e = yx \cdot e = yx \cdot ee = ex \cdot ey = (e \cdot ey) \circ (ex \cdot e) = (ye \cdot e) \circ (ex \cdot e),$$

we see that  $x \rightarrow xe$  is an antihomomorphism of  $(G, \circ)$ . Similarly

$$e(ex \circ ye) = e \cdot yx = ee \cdot yx = xe \cdot ye = (e \cdot ye) \circ (xe \cdot e) = (e \cdot ye) \circ (e \cdot ex).$$

Consequently, we obtain that  $x \rightarrow ex$  is an antihomomorphism of  $(G, \circ)$ . The proof is complete.  $\square$



A topological groupoid  $(G, \circ)$  is called radical if the map  $s : G \rightarrow G$ , defined by  $s(x) = x \circ x$ , is a homeomorphism.

If  $(G, \circ)$  is paramedial and radical then  $s$ , and hence  $s^{-1}$ , is an antihomomorphism of  $(G, \circ)$ .

A topological groupoid  $(G, \cdot)$  where  $\{\cdot\}$  is defined by

$$x \cdot y = s^{-1}(x) \circ s^{-1}(y) = s^{-1}(y \circ x)$$

is called the radical isotope of  $(G, \circ)$ .

A radical isotope  $(G, \cdot)$  of  $(G, \circ)$  is idempotent since

$$x \cdot x = s^{-1}(x \circ x) = s^{-1}(s(x)) = x$$

for each  $x \in G$ .

**Theorem 4.** *If  $(G, \circ)$  is a topological groupoid with unit  $e$ ,  $(G, \cdot)$  is a commutative, idempotent topological groupoid and*

$$(x \circ y) \cdot (z \circ t) = (ty) \circ (zx),$$

*then  $(G, \circ)$  is a commutative radical semigroup.*

*Proof.* If we define  $t : G \rightarrow G$  by  $t(x) = ex$  then  $t$  is an antihomomorphism of  $(G, \circ)$ . Indeed, for all  $x, y \in G$  we have,

$$t(x \circ y) = e(x \circ y) = (e \circ e)(x \circ y) = (ye) \circ (xe) = (ey) \circ (ex) = t(y) \circ t(x).$$

In particular, we obtain

$$t(s(x)) = t(x \circ x) = t(x) \circ t(x) = s(t(x));$$

where  $s : G \rightarrow G$  is defined by  $s(x) = x \circ x$ .

Also, for each  $x, y \in G$  and each unit  $e$  in  $(G, \circ)$

$$\begin{aligned} xy &= (e \circ x) \cdot (e \circ y) = (e \circ x) \cdot (y \circ e) = (ex) \circ (ye) = \\ &= (ex) \circ (ey) = t(x) \circ t(y) = t(y \circ x). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $t(s(x)) = t(x \circ x) = xx = x$ .

It follows that  $t$  is a continuous inverse for  $s$  so that  $(G, \circ)$  is radical. Since  $(G, \cdot)$  is commutative and  $x \circ y = s(yx) = s(xy) = y \circ x$  then  $\{\circ\}$  is commutative. Since  $xy = t(y \circ x)$  and  $t = s^{-1}$  then  $(G, \cdot)$  is the radical isotope of  $(G, \circ)$ . It only remains to show that  $\{\circ\}$  is associative.

Since  $t$  is bijective and

$$\begin{aligned} t[(x \circ y) \circ z] &= z \cdot (x \circ y) = (e \circ z) \cdot (x \circ y) = (yz) \circ (xe) = \\ &= (yz) \circ (ex) = t(z \circ y) \circ t(x) = t[x \circ (z \circ y)] = t[x \circ (y \circ z)]. \end{aligned}$$

we conclude that  $(G, \circ)$  is a commutative radical semigroup. The proof is complete.  $\square$

## 6 On topological primitive groupoid with divisions

The following fundamental Theorem was proved in [2].

**Theorem.** *Let  $(G, +)$  be a topological groupoid,  $\varphi, \psi : (G, +) \longrightarrow (G, +)$  be homeomorphisms and  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$ . Then:*

1.  $(G, +) = g(G, \cdot, \varphi^{-1}, \psi^{-1})$ ;
2.  $(G, \cdot)$  is a topological groupoid;
3. If  $(G, +)$  is a reducible groupoid, then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a reducible groupoid too;
4. If  $(G, +)$  is a groupoid with divisions, then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a groupoid with divisions too;
5. If  $(G, +)$  is a topological primitive groupoid with divisions, then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a topological primitive groupoid with divisions too;
6. If  $(G, +)$  is a topological quasigroup, then  $(G, \cdot)$  is a topological quasigroup;
7. If  $n, m, p, k \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $(G, \cdot)$  is an  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope of the groupoid  $(G, +)$  and  $e$  is an  $(k, p)$ -zero in  $(G, +)$ , then  $e$  is an  $(mk, np)$ -identity in  $(G, \cdot)$ .

We consider a topological groupoid  $(G, +)$ . If  $\alpha$  is a binary relation on  $G$ , then  $\alpha(x) = \{y \in G : x\alpha y\}$  for every  $x \in G$ .

An equivalence relation  $\alpha$  on  $G$  is called a congruence on  $(G, +)$  if from  $(x\alpha u)$  and  $(y\alpha v)$  it follows  $(x + y)\alpha (u + v)$  for all  $x, y, u, v \in G$ .

If  $(G, +)$  is a primitive groupoid with divisions  $l$  and  $r$ , then we consider that  $l(x, y)\alpha l(u, v)$ , and  $r(x, y)\alpha r(u, v)$  provided  $(x\alpha u)$  and  $(y\alpha v)$ .

Let  $(G, +, r, l)$  be a topological primitive groupoid with divisions  $r, l$  and  $(k, p)$ -zero. Let  $(G, \cdot) = g(G, +, \varphi, \psi)$  be an  $(n, m)$ -homogeneous isotope. Then, by virtue of the aforementioned Theorem,  $e$  is an  $(mk, np)$ -identity of the topological primitive groupoid with divisions  $(G, \cdot)$ .

**Definition 6.** A primitive subgroupoid with divisions  $H$  of the primitive groupoid with divisions  $(G, +, r, l)$  is called a normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions if  $e \in H$  and  $H = G(\alpha)$ , for some congruence  $\alpha$ .

**Lemma 1.** *Let  $\alpha$  be a congruence of the topological primitive groupoid with divisions  $(G, +, r, l)$ . Then there exists a unique normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions  $G(\alpha)$ , which is called the primitive subgroupoid with divisions defined by congruence  $\alpha$  such that  $e \in G$ .*

*Proof.* The set  $G(\alpha) = \alpha(e) = \{y \in G : e\alpha y\}$  is the desired primitive subgroupoid with divisions. The proof is complete.  $\square$

**Definition 7.** The primitive subgroupoids with divisions  $(H_1, +, r, l)$  and  $(H_2, +, r, l)$  of the topological primitive groupoid with divisions  $(G, +, r, l)$  are called conjugate if  $H_2 = h(H_1)$  for some topological automorphism  $h : G \rightarrow G$ .

**Theorem 5.** *Let  $H$  be a primitive subgroupoid with divisions of the topological primitive groupoid with divisions  $(G, +, r, l)$  and let  $e \in H$ . Then there exists such a primitive subgroupoid with divisions  $Q$  of the topological primitive groupoids with divisions  $(G, +, r, l)$  and  $(G, \cdot, r_1, l_1)$  for which:*

1.  $e \in Q \subseteq H$ .
2.  $Q$  is the intersection of a finite number of the primitive subgroupoids with divisions conjugate to  $H$  of the  $(G, +, r, l)$ .
3. If  $H$  is a closed set, then  $Q$  is closed too.
4. If  $H$  is a  $G_\delta$  set, then  $Q$  is a  $G_\delta$  set too.
5. If  $H$  is an open set, then  $Q$  is open too.
6. If  $H$  is a normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions, then  $Q$  is a normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, +, r, l)$  and  $(G, \cdot, r_1, l_1)$ .

*Proof.* We put  $\{h_p : p \leq n \cdot m\} = \{\varphi^i \circ \psi^j : i \leq n, j \leq m\}$ ,  $H_p = h_p(H)$  and  $Q = \cap\{H_p : p \leq n \cdot m\}$ .

We consider that  $h_1(x) = x$  for each  $x \in H$ . Fix  $i \leq n$  and  $j \leq n$ . Let  $h_p = \varphi^i \circ \psi^j$ . It is clear that  $h_p$  is an automorphism of  $(G, +, r, l)$ . Thus  $H_p = h_p(H)$  is a primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, +, r, l)$  conjugate to  $H$  in  $(G, +, r, l)$ . Therefore  $Q$  is a primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, +, r, l)$ . This establishes assertions 1–5.

Firstly we prove that  $Q$  is a primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, \cdot, r_1, l_1)$ . Let  $x, y, b \in Q$ . Then  $xy = \varphi(x) + \psi(y)$  and  $\varphi(x), \psi(x) \in H_i$  for any  $i$ . Thus  $xy \in Q$ . If  $ax = b$ , then  $a = l_1(x, b) \in H_i$  for every  $i$  and  $a \in Q$ . Similarly, if  $xa = b$ , then  $a = r_1(x, b) \in H_i$  for any  $i$  and  $a \in Q$ . Hence  $Q$  is a primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, \cdot, r_1, l_1)$ .

Let  $\alpha$  be a congruence of  $(G, +, r, l)$ . Then, by virtue of Lemma 1, there exists a unique normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions  $H = G(\alpha)$  and  $e \in H$ . Because  $h_p$  is a topological automorphism of  $(G, +, r, l)$ , then  $H_p = h_p(H)$  is a normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, +, r, l)$  conjugate to the normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions  $H$ . Therefore  $Q$  is a normal primitive subgroupoid with divisions of  $(G, +, r, l)$  and  $Q$  is a normal primitive subgroupoid of  $(G, \cdot, r, l)$ . This proves assertion 6 and completes the proof of the theorem.  $\square$

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