

**SOME REGULAR ELEMENTS, IDEMPOTENTS AND RIGHT  
UNITS OF COMPLETE SEMIGROUPS OF BINARY  
RELATIONS DEFINED BY SEMILATTICES OF  
THE CLASS LOWER INCOMPLETE NETS**

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we investigate such a regular elements  $\alpha$  and idempotents of the complete semigroup of binary relations  $B_X(D)$  defined by semilattices of the class lower incomplete nets, for which  $V(D, \alpha) = Q$ .

Also we investigate right units of the semigroup  $B_X(Q)$ . For the case where  $X$  is a finite set we derive formulas by means of which we can calculate the numbers of regular elements, idempotents and right units of the respective semigroup.

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## 1. Introduction

Let  $X$  be an arbitrary nonempty set. Let  $D$  be some nonempty set of subsets of the set  $X$ , closed with respect to the operation of set-theoretic union of elements of the set  $D$ , i.e.,  $\cup D' \in D$  for any nonempty subset  $D'$  of the set  $D$ . In that case, the set  $D$  is called complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions. The union of all elements of the set  $D$  is denoted by the symbol  $\check{D}$ . Clearly,  $\check{D} \in D$  is the largest element.

Recall that a binary relation on the set  $X$  is a subset of the cartesian product  $X \times X$ . If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are binary relations on the set  $X$  with the elements  $x, y, z \in X$  the condition  $(x, y) \in \alpha$  is denoted as  $x\alpha y$  and  $x\alpha y\beta z$  means the conditions  $x\alpha y$  and  $y\beta z$  are satisfied simultaneously. The binary relation  $\alpha^{-1} = \{(x, y) : y\alpha x\}$  is usually called the binary relation inverse to  $\alpha$ . The empty binary relation which is empty subset of  $X \times X$  is denoted by  $\emptyset$ . The binary relation  $\delta = \alpha \circ \beta$  is called product of binary relations  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . A pair  $(x, y)$  belongs to  $\delta$  if and only if there exists  $y \in X$  such that  $x\alpha y\beta z$ . The binary operation  $\circ$  is associative. So,  $B_X$ , the set of all binary relations on  $X$ , is therefore a semigroup with respect to the operation  $\circ$ . This semigroup is called the semigroup of all binary relations on the set  $X$ .

Let  $f$  be an arbitrary mapping from  $X$  into  $D$ . Then one can construct such a mapping  $f$  with a binary relation  $\alpha_f$  on  $X$  provided by the condition below,  $\alpha_f = \bigcup_{x \in X} (\{x\} \times f(x))$ . The set of all such binary relation is denoted by  $B_X(D)$ . It is easy to prove that  $B_X(D)$  is a semigroup with respect to the product operation of binary relations. This semigroup,  $B_X(D)$ , is called a complete semigroup of binary relations defined by an  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$ .

Further, let  $x, y \in X$ ,  $Y \subseteq X$ ,  $\alpha \in B_X(D)$ ,  $T \in D$ ,  $\emptyset \neq D' \subseteq D$  and  $t \in \check{D}$ . Then we have the following notation,

$$y\alpha = \{x \in X : y\alpha x\}, Y\alpha = \bigcup_{y \in Y} y\alpha, 2^X = \{Y : Y \subseteq X\}, X^* = 2^X \setminus \{\emptyset\}$$

$$V(D, \alpha) = \{Y\alpha : Y \in D\}, D_t = \{Z' : t \in Z'\},$$

$$D'_T = \{Z' \in D' : T \subseteq Z'\}, \check{D}'_T = \{Z' \in D' : Z' \subseteq T\}.$$

Now, let's take  $\alpha \in B_X(D)$ . If  $\beta \circ \alpha = \alpha$  for any  $\beta \in B_X(D)$ , then  $\alpha$  is called a right unit of semigroup  $B_X(D)$ . If  $\alpha \circ \alpha = \alpha$  then  $\alpha$  is called an idempotent element of semigroup  $B_X(D)$ . And if  $\alpha \circ \beta \circ \alpha = \alpha$  for some  $\beta \in B_X(D)$ , then a binary relation  $\alpha$  is called a regular element of semigroup  $B_X(D)$ .

$D$  is partially ordered with respect to the set-theoretic inclusion. Let  $\emptyset \neq D' \subseteq D$  and  $N(D, D') = \{Z \in D : Z \subseteq Z' \text{ for any } Z' \in D'\}$ . It is clear that  $N(D, D')$  is the set of lower bounds of a nonempty subset  $D'$  included in  $D$ . If  $N(D, D') \neq \emptyset$  then  $\cup N(D, D')$  belongs to  $D$  and it is the greatest lower bound of  $D'$  and is denoted by  $\wedge(D, D') = \cup N(D, D')$ .

Let  $l(D', T) = \cup (D' \setminus D'_T)$ . We say that a nonempty element  $T$  is a *non-limiting element* of  $D'$  if  $T \setminus l(D', T) \neq \emptyset$ . A nonempty element  $T$  is a *limiting element* of  $D'$  if  $T \setminus l(D', T) = \emptyset$ .

Now, we continue with some essential definitions and theorems given by the cited references.

**Definition 1.1.** [2, Definition 1] Let  $\alpha \in B_X$ ,  $T \in V(X^*, \alpha)$  and  $Y_T^\alpha = \{y \in X : y\alpha = T\}$ . Then a representation of a binary relation  $\alpha$  of the form  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T \in V(X^*, \alpha)} (Y_T^\alpha \times T)$  is called *quasinormal*.

Note that, if  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T \in V(X^*, \alpha)} (Y_T^\alpha \times T)$  is a quasinormal representation of the binary relation  $\alpha$  then the following are true,

1.  $X = \bigcup_{T \in V(X^*, \alpha)} Y_T^\alpha$
2.  $Y_T^\alpha \cap Y_{T'}^\alpha = \emptyset$  for  $T, T' \in V(X^*, \alpha)$  and  $T \neq T'$ .

**Definition 1.2.** [3, Definition 2] Let  $\tilde{D}$  and  $D'$  be some nonempty subsets of the complete  $X$ -semilattices of unions. We say that a subset  $\tilde{D}$  generates a set  $D'$  if any element from  $D'$  is a set-theoretic union of the elements from  $\tilde{D}$ .

**Definition 1.3.** [4, Definition 1.14.2] We say that a complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$  is an *XI-semilattice of unions* if it satisfies the following two conditions:

- a)  $\wedge(D, D_t) \in D$  for any  $t \in \check{D}$ ,
- b)  $Z = \bigcup_{t \in Z} \wedge(D, D_t)$  for any nonempty element  $Z$  of  $D$ .

**Theorem 1.1.** [4, Corollary 1.18.1] Let  $Y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_k\}$  and  $D_j = \{T_1, \dots, T_j\}$  be some sets, where  $k \geq 1$  and  $j \geq 1$ . Then the numbers  $s(k, j)$  of all possible mappings of the sets  $Y$  on any subset  $D'_j$  of the set  $D_j$  and  $T_j \in D'_j$  can be calculated by the formula  $s(k, j) = j^k - (j - 1)^k$ .

**Lemma 1.1.** [1, Lemma 3.1] Let  $D$  complete  $X$ -semilattices of unions. If a binary relation  $\varepsilon$  having the form

$$\varepsilon = \varepsilon(D, f) = \bigcup_{t \in \check{D}} (\{t\} \times \wedge(D, D_t)) \cup \left( (X \setminus \check{D}) \times \check{D} \right)$$

is a right unit of the semigroup  $B_x(D)$ , then it is the largest right unit of this semigroup.

**Theorem 1.2.** [1, Theorem 2.5] Let  $D'$  be a complete subsemilattice of the complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$ ,  $\check{D}' = \cup D'$  and  $f$  be an arbitrary mapping of the set  $X \setminus \check{D}'$  in the semilattice  $D'$ . If  $D'$  is a complete  $XI$ -semilattice of unions then the binary relation

$$\alpha = \alpha(D', f) = \bigcup_{t \in \check{D}'} (\{t\} \times \wedge(D', D'_t)) \cup \bigcup_{t' \in X \setminus \check{D}'} (\{t'\} \times f(t'))$$

is an idempotent element of semigroup  $B_X(D)$  and  $V(D', \alpha) = D'$ .

**Theorem 1.3.** [4, Theorem 4.1.3] A binary relation  $\varepsilon \in B_X(D)$  is right units of this semigroup iff  $\varepsilon$  is idempotent and  $V(D, \varepsilon) = D$ .

**Definition 1.4.** [6, Definition 7] A one-to-one mapping  $\varphi$  between the complete  $X$ -semilattices of unions  $D'$  and  $D''$  is called a complete isomorphism if the condition  $\varphi(\cup D_1) = \bigcup_{T' \in D_1} \varphi(T')$  is fulfilled for each nonempty subset  $D_1$  of the semilattice  $D'$ .

**Definition 1.5.** [6, Definition 8] Let  $\alpha$  be some binary relation of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$ . We say that a complete isomorphism  $\varphi$  between  $XI$ -semilattice of unions  $Q$  and  $D'$  is a complete  $\alpha$ -isomorphism if

- a)  $Q = V(D, \alpha)$
- b)  $\varphi(\emptyset) = \emptyset$  for  $\emptyset \in V(D, \alpha)$  and  $\varphi(T)\alpha = T$  for any  $T \in V(D, \alpha)$ .

**Theorem 1.4.** [4, Theorem 6.3.3] Let  $D$  be a finite  $X$ -semilattice of unions and  $\alpha \circ \sigma \circ \alpha = \alpha$  for some elements  $\alpha, \sigma \in B_X(D)$ ;  $D(\alpha)$  the set those elements  $T$  of the semilattice  $D = V(D, \alpha) \setminus \{\emptyset\}$  which are nonlimiting elements of the set  $\check{D}(\alpha)_T$ . Then binary relation  $\alpha$  having a quasinormal representation of the form  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T \in V(D, \alpha)} (Y_T^\alpha \times T)$  is a regular element of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$

iff the set  $V(D, \alpha)$  is a  $XI$ -semilattice of unions and for some  $\alpha$ -isomorphism  $\varphi$  of the semilattice  $V(D, \alpha)$  on some  $X$ -subsemilattice  $D'$  of the semilattice  $D$  the following conditions are fulfilled:

$$i) \bigcup_{T \in \check{D}(\alpha)_T} Y_T^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T) \text{ for any } T \in D(\alpha);$$

ii)  $Y_T^\alpha \cap \varphi(T) \neq \emptyset$  for any nonlimiting element  $T$  of the set  $\check{D}(\alpha)_T$ .

**Theorem 1.5.** [4, Theorem 6.3.7] A regular element  $\alpha$  of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  is idempotent iff the mapping  $\varphi$  satisfying the condition  $\varphi(T) = T\alpha$  for any  $T \in V(D, \alpha)$  is an identity mapping of the semilattice  $V(D, \alpha)$ .

**Definition 1.6.** [4, Definition 6.3.4] Let  $Q$  and  $D'$  be respectively some  $XI$  and  $X$ -subsemilattices of the complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$ . Then  $R_\varphi(Q, D')$  is a subset of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  such that  $\alpha \in R_\varphi(Q, D')$  only if the following conditions are fulfilled for the elements of  $\alpha$  and  $\varphi$ ,

- a) The binary relation  $\alpha$  be regular element of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$ ,
- b)  $V(D, \alpha) = Q$ ,
- c)  $\varphi$  is a  $\alpha$ -isomorphism between the complete semilattices of unions  $Q$  and  $D'$  satisfying the conditions *i)* and *ii)* of the Theorem 1.4.

**Definition 1.7.** [4, Definition 6.3.4] Let  $\Phi(D, D')$  be the set of all complete isomorphism  $\varphi$  between  $XI$ -semilattice of unions  $D$  and  $D'$  such that  $\varphi \in \Phi(D, D')$  only if  $\varphi$  is a  $\alpha$ -isomorphism for some  $\alpha \in B_X(D)$  and  $V(D, \alpha) = D$ .

$\Omega(D)$  is the set of all  $XI$ -subsemilattices of the complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$  such that  $D' \in \Omega(D)$  iff there exists a complete isomorphism between the semilattices  $D'$  and  $D$ .

Let us denote

$$R(D, D') = \bigcup_{\varphi \in \Phi(D, D')} R_\varphi(D, D') \text{ and } R(D') = \bigcup_{D' \in \Omega(D)} R(D, D').$$

**Theorem 1.6.** [4, Theorem 6.3.5] Let  $X$  is a finite set. If  $\varphi$  is a fixed element of the set  $\Phi(D, D')$  and  $\Omega(D) = m_0$  and  $q$  is a number of all automorphisms of the semilattice  $D$ , then  $|R(D')| = m_0 \cdot q \cdot |R_\varphi(D, D')|$ .

**Theorem 1.7.** [6, Theorem 22] Let  $D = \{\check{D}, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_{m-1}\}$  be some finite  $X$ -semilattice of unions and  $C(D) = \{P_0, P_1, P_2, \dots, P_{m-1}\}$  be the family of sets of pairwise disjoint subsets of the set  $X$ . If  $\varphi$  is a mapping of the semilattice  $D$  to the family sets  $C(D)$  that satisfies the condition  $\varphi(\check{D}) = P_0$

and  $\varphi(T_i) = P_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, m - 1$ ) and  $\hat{D}_Z = D \setminus \{T \in D : Z \subseteq T\}$  then the following equalities are valid:

$$\check{D} = P_0 \cup P_1 \cup \dots \cup P_{m-1}, \quad T_i = P_0 \cup \bigcup_{T \in \hat{D}_{T_i}} \varphi(T). \tag{1.1}$$

In the sequel these equalities will be called formal.

It is proved that if the elements of the semilattice  $D$  are represented in the form (1.1), then among the parameters  $P_i$  ( $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m - 1$ ) there exist such parameters that cannot be empty sets for  $D$ . Such sets  $P_i$  ( $0 < i \leq m - 1$ ) are called *basis sources*, whereas sets  $P_j$  ( $0 \leq j \leq m - 1$ ) which can be empty sets too are called *completeness sources*.

It is proved that under the mapping  $\varphi$  the number of covering elements of the pre-image of a basis source is always equal to one, while under the mapping  $\varphi$  the number of covering elements of the pre-image of a completeness source either does not exist or is always greater than one.

Note that the set  $P_0$  is always considered to be a source of completeness.

**Lemma 1.2.** *Let  $D$  and  $C(D) = \{P_0, P_1, \dots, P_{n-1}\}$  are the finite semilattice of unions and the family of sets of pairwise nonintersecting subsets of the set  $X$ ;  $\varphi$  is a mapping of the semilattice  $D$  on the family of sets  $C(D)$ . If  $\varphi(T) = P \in C(D) \setminus \{P_0\}$  for some  $T \in D$ , then  $D_t = D \setminus \check{D}_T$  for all  $t \in P$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $t$  and  $Z'$  are any elements of the set  $P$  ( $P \neq P_0$ ) and of the semilattice  $D$  respectively. Then the equality  $P \cap Z' = \emptyset$  ( i.e.,  $Z' \notin D_t$  for any  $t \in P$  ) is true if and only if  $T \notin \hat{D}_{Z'}$  (if  $T \in \hat{D}_{Z'}$ , then  $\varphi(T) \subseteq Z'$  by definition of the formal equalities of the semilattice  $D$ ). Since  $\hat{D}_{Z'} = D \setminus \{T' \in D : Z' \subseteq T'\}$  by definition of the set  $\hat{D}_{Z'}$ . Thus the condition  $T \notin \hat{D}_{Z'}$  hold iff  $T \in \{T' \in D : Z' \subseteq T'\}$ . So,  $Z' \subseteq T$  and  $Z' \in \check{D}_T$  by definition of the set  $\check{D}_T$ .

Therefore,  $\varphi(T) \cap Z' = \emptyset$  if and only if  $Z' \in \check{D}_T$ . Of this follows that the inclusion  $\varphi(T) = P \subseteq Z'$  is true iff  $D_t = D \setminus \check{D}_T$  for all  $t \in \varphi(T) = P$ . □

2. Results

Let  $N_m = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, m\}$  ( $m \geq 1$ ) be some subset of the set of all natural numbers. A subsemilattice

$$Q = \{T_{ij} \subseteq X : i \in N_s, j \in N_k\} \setminus \{T_{00}\}$$

of the complete  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $D$  is called lower incomplete net which contains two subsets  $Q_1 = \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s0}\}$ ,  $Q_2 = \{T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$  and satisfies the following conditions:

- a)  $T_{10} \subset T_{20} \subset \dots \subset T_{s0}$  and  $T_{01} \subset T_{02} \subset \dots \subset T_{0k}$ ;
- b)  $Q_1 \cap Q_2 = \emptyset$ ;
- c)  $T_{pq} \neq T_{ij}$  if  $(p, q) \neq (i, j)$
- d) the elements of the sets  $Q_1$  and  $Q_2$  are

pairwise noncomparable;

e)  $T_{ij} \cup T_{i'j'} = T_{pq}$ , if  $p = \max\{i, i'\}$  and  $q = \max\{j, j'\}$ .

Note that the diagram of the given  $X$ -semilattice of unions  $Q$  is shown in Fig. 2.1.

Let  $C(Q) = \{P_{01}, P_{10}, P_{02}, \dots, P_{s-1k}, P_{ks-1}, P_{sk}\}$  is a family sets, where  $P_{01}, P_{10}, P_{02}, \dots, P_{ks-1}, P_{sk}$  are pairwise disjoint subsets of the set  $X$  and

$$\varphi = \begin{pmatrix} T_{01} & T_{10} & T_{02} & T_{11} & T_{20} & \dots & T_{s-1k} & T_{ks-1} & T_{sk} \\ P_{01} & P_{10} & P_{02} & P_{11} & P_{20} & \dots & P_{s-1k} & P_{ks-1} & P_{sk} \end{pmatrix}$$

is a mapping of the semilattice  $Q$  onto the family sets  $C(Q)$ . Then for the formal equalities of  $Q$  we have a form (see Theorem 1.7):

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{sk} &= P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{sk}} \varphi(T_{rt}), & (2.1) \\
 T_{s-1k} &= P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{s-1k}} \varphi(T_{rt}), & T_{sk-1} = P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{sk-1}} \varphi(T_{rt}), \\
 &\dots \\
 T_{20} &= P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{20}} \varphi(T_{rt}), \\
 T_{11} &= P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{11}} \varphi(T_{rt}), & T_{02} = P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{02}} \varphi(T_{rt}),
 \end{aligned}$$

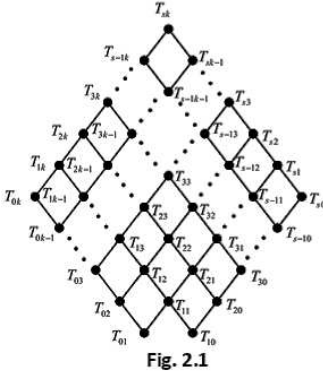


Fig. 2.1

$$T_{10} = P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{10}} \varphi(T_{rt}) = T_{01} \cup T_{02} \cup \dots \cup T_{0k}$$

$$T_{01} = P_{sk} \cup \bigcup_{T_{rt} \in \hat{D}_{01}} \varphi(T_{rt}) = T_{10} \cup T_{20} \cup \dots \cup T_{s0}.$$

Here  $P_{0k}, P_{1k}, \dots, P_{s-1k}, P_{s0}, P_{s1}, \dots, P_{sk-1}$  are basis sources, the elements of the set  $C(Q) \setminus \{P_{0k}, P_{1k}, P_{2k}, \dots, P_{s0}, P_{s1}, \dots, P_{sk-1}\}$  are sources of completeness of the semilattice  $Q$  (see Theorem 1.7).

**Lemma 2.1.** *Let  $Q$  be a lower incomplete net. Then  $Q$  is  $XI$ -semilattice of unions iff it satisfies the condition  $T_{0k} \cap T_{s0} = \emptyset$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $t \in \check{Q}$ ,  $Q_t = \{Z \in Q : t \in Z\}$  and  $\wedge(Q, Q_t)$  is the exact lower bound of the set  $Q_t$  in  $Q$ . Then from Lemma 1.2 and from the formal equalities (2.1) we have:

$$\begin{aligned} & t \in P_{sk}, Q_t = Q \\ & t \in P_{s-1k}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{s-1k}}, \\ & t \in P_{s-2k}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{s-2k}}, \\ & t \in P_{sk-1}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{sk-1}}, \\ & t \in P_{sk-2}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{sk-2}}, \\ & \dots \\ & t \in P_{0k}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{0k}}, \\ & t \in P_{s0}, Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{s0}}, \end{aligned} \quad \wedge(Q, Q_t) = \begin{cases} T_{s0}, & \text{if } t \in P_{s-1k}, \\ T_{s-10}, & \text{if } t \in P_{s-2k} \\ T_{0k}, & \text{if } t \in P_{sk-1}, \\ T_{0k-1}, & \text{if } t \in P_{sk-2}, \\ \dots & \dots \\ T_{10}, & \text{if } t \in P_{0k}, \\ T_{01}, & \text{if } t \in P_{s0}. \end{cases}$$

If  $T_{ij} \subseteq T_{s-1k-1}$ ,  $\varphi(T_{ij}) = P_{ij}$  and  $t \in P_{ij}$ , then  $Q_t = Q \setminus \check{Q}_{T_{ij}}$  and  $\wedge(Q, Q_t) \notin Q$ .

We have  $\hat{Q} = \{\wedge(Q, Q_t) : \wedge(Q, Q_t) \in Q\} = \{T_{10}, \dots, T_{s0}, T_{01}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$  and  $\wedge(Q, Q_t) \notin Q$ , when  $t \notin \cup \{P_{0k}, P_{1k}, \dots, P_{s-1k}, P_{s0}, P_{s1}, \dots, P_{sk-1}\}$ , i.e.,  $\wedge(Q, Q_t) \notin Q$ , when  $t \in T_{0k} \cap T_{s0}$ . Therefore the semilattice  $Q$  is not  $XI$ -semilattice of unions, if  $T_{0k} \cap T_{s0} \neq \emptyset$ .

(\*) If  $T_{0k} \cap T_{s0} = \emptyset$ , i.e.,  $t \in \cup \{P_{0k}, P_{1k}, \dots, P_{s-1k}, P_{s0}, \dots, P_{sk-1}\}$  then  $\wedge(Q, Q_t) \in Q$  for all elements  $t$  of the set  $\check{D}$  and  $T_{ij} = \bigcup_{t \in T_{ij}} \wedge(Q, Q_t)$ . Therefore the semilattice  $Q$  is  $XI$ -semilattice of unions, if  $T_{0k} \cap T_{s0} = \emptyset$ .

If the equality  $T_{0k} \cap T_{s0} = \emptyset$  is true, then by (\*) follows that  $Q$  is  $XI$ -semilattice of unions. □

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $Q$  be a  $XI$ -lower incomplete net. Then following equalities are true:*

$$P_{s-1k} = T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}, P_{s-2k} = T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}, \dots, P_{0k} = T_{10} \setminus T_{0k}$$



$$P_{sk-1} = T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}, P_{sk-2} = T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}, \dots, P_{s0} = T_{01} \setminus T_{s0}.$$

*Proof.* The given Lemma immediately follows from the formal equalities (2.1) of the semilattice  $Q$ . For the largest right unit  $\varepsilon$  of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon &= (P_{s-1k} \times T_{s0}) \cup (P_{s-2k} \times T_{s-10}) \cup (P_{sk-1} \times T_{0k}) \\ &\cup ((T_{0k-1} \setminus Y_{sk-2}) \times T_{0k-1}) \cup \dots \cup (P_{0k} \times T_{10}) \cup (P_{s0} \times T_{01}) \\ &= ((T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}) \times T_{s0}) \cup ((T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}) \times T_{s-10}) \cup ((T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}) \times T_{0k}) \\ &\cup ((T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}) \times T_{0k-1}) \cup \dots \cup ((T_{10} \setminus T_{0k}) \times T_{10}) \cup ((T_{01} \setminus T_{s0}) \times T_{01}) \end{aligned}$$

(see, Lemma 1.1). □

**Theorem 2.1.** *Let  $Q$  be a XI-lower incomplete net. Then a binary relation  $\alpha$  of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  having a quasinormal representation of the form  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T_{ij} \in Q} (Y_{ij}^\alpha \times T_{ij})$  such that  $Q = V(D, \alpha)$ , is a regular element of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  iff for some  $\alpha$ -isomorphism  $\varphi$  of the semilattice  $Q$  on some subsemilattice  $D'$  of the semilattice  $D$  the following conditions are fulfilled:*

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{00}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{0k}) \cap \varphi(T_{s0}), Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{01}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{01}), Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{02}), \dots, \\ Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{0k}), \\ Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{10}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{10}), Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{20}), \\ \dots, Y_{00}^\alpha \cup Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{s0}), Y_{ij}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{ij}) \neq \emptyset \end{aligned}$$

for any  $T_{ij} \in (Q_1 \cup Q_2) \setminus \{\emptyset\}$ .

*Proof.* It is easy to see that the set  $Q^\wedge = \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s0}, T_{01}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$  is an irreducible generating set of the semilattice  $Q$ . Moreover, all elements of the set  $Q^\wedge = Q_1 \cup Q_2$  are nonlimiting. Now by Theorem 1.4 we obtain

a)  $\bigcup_{T_{ij} \in \hat{Q}^\wedge} \supseteq \varphi(T_{pq})$  for any  $T_{pq} \in Q^\wedge$ .

b)  $Y_{ij}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{ij}) \neq \emptyset$  for any  $T_{ij} \in Q^\wedge$ .

From the condition a) of this theorem we immediately have the validity of the following inclusions:

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{10}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{10}), Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{20}), \dots, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{s0}) \\ Y_{01}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{01}), Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{02}), \dots, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq \varphi(T_{0k}) \\ Y_{20}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{20}) \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{s0}) \neq \emptyset, \\ Y_{02}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{02}) \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha \cap \varphi(T_{0k}) \neq \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.2.** *Let  $Q$  be a XI–lower incomplete net. Then a binary relation  $\alpha$  of the semigroup  $B_X(Q)$ , which has a quasinormal representation of the form  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T_{ij} \in Q} (Y_{ij}^\alpha \times T_{ij})$  such that  $Q = V(D, \alpha)$ , is an idempotent element of the semigroup  $B_X(D)$  iff the following conditions are fulfilled:*

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{10}^\alpha \supseteq T_{10}, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq T_{20}, \dots, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq T_{s0}, \\ Y_{01}^\alpha \supseteq T_{01}, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq T_{02}, \dots, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq T_{0k}, \\ Y_{20}^\alpha \cap T_{20} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha \cap T_{s0} \neq \emptyset, Y_{02}^\alpha \cap T_{02} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha \cap T_{0k} \neq \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

for any  $T_{ij} \in Q^\wedge$ .

*Proof.* This theorem immediately follows from Lemma 2.1, from the Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 1.5. □

**Theorem 2.3.** *Let  $Q$  be a XI–lower incomplete net. Then a binary relation  $\alpha$  of the semigroup  $B_X(Q)$  that has a quasinormal representation of the form  $\alpha = \bigcup_{T_{ij} \in Q} (Y_{ij}^\alpha \times T_{ij})$  such that  $Q = V(D, \alpha)$ , is a right unit of the semigroup  $B_X(Q)$  iff the following conditions are fulfilled:*

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{10}^\alpha \supseteq T_{10}, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq T_{20}, \dots, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq T_{s0}, \\ Y_{01}^\alpha \supseteq T_{01}, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq T_{02}, \dots, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq T_{0k}, \\ Y_{20}^\alpha \cap T_{20} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha \cap T_{s0} \neq \emptyset, Y_{02}^\alpha \cap T_{02} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha \cap T_{0k} \neq \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

for any  $T_{ij} \in Q^\wedge$ .

*Proof.* This theorem immediately follows from Theorem 1.3. □

**Theorem 2.4.** *Let  $Q$  be a XI–lower incomplete net. If the semilattice  $Q$  and  $D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \dots, \bar{T}_{sk}\}$  (see Fig. 2.2) are  $\alpha$ –isomorphic and  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equalities are valid:*

a)

$$\begin{aligned} |R(D')| = m_0 \cdot \left( j^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} \right) \\ \dots \left( (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\ \left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\ \left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \left( (s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\cdot \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|},$$

if  $s \neq k$  or

b)

$$\begin{aligned} |R(D')| &= 2 \cdot m_0 \cdot \left( j^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} \right) \\ &\dots \left( (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\ &\left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\ &\left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \left( (s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \\ &\cdot \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|}, \end{aligned}$$

if  $s = k$ .

*Proof.* In the first place, we note that the given semilattice  $Q$  has one automorphisms (i.e.,  $|\Phi(Q, Q)| = 1$ ) if  $s \neq k$  and two automorphism (i.e.,  $|\Phi(Q, Q)| = 2$ ) if  $s = k$  (see [4, Theorem 11.7.1]). Hence, we have  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 1$  or  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 2$  (see [4, Lemma 6.3.2]).

Next, assume that  $\alpha \in \bar{R}(Q, D')$  and a quasinormal representation of a regular binary relation  $\alpha$  has the form

$$\alpha = \bigcup_{T_{ij} \in Q} (Y_{ij}^\alpha \times T_{ij}) \tag{2.2}$$

Then, according to Theorem 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{10}^\alpha &\supseteq \bar{T}_{10}, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{20}, \dots, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{s0}, \tag{2.3} \\ Y_{01}^\alpha &\supseteq \bar{T}_{01}, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{02}, \dots, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{0k}, \\ Y_{20}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{20} &\neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{s0} \neq \emptyset, Y_{02}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{02} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{0k} \neq \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

for any  $\bar{T}_{ij} \in \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{02}, \dots, \bar{T}_{0k}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{20}, \dots, \bar{T}_{s0}\}$ .

Further, let  $f_\alpha$  be a mapping the set  $X$  in the semilattice  $D$  satisfying the conditions  $f_\alpha(t) = t\alpha$  for all  $t \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f_{01\alpha}, f_{02\alpha}, \dots, f_{0k-1\alpha}, f_{0k\alpha}, \\ f_{10\alpha}, f_{20\alpha}, \dots, f_{s-10\alpha}, f_{s0\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

and  $f_{sk\alpha}$ , are the restrictions of the mapping  $f_\alpha$ , on the sets

$$\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{02} \setminus \bar{T}_{s1}, \dots, \bar{T}_{0k-1} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-2}, \bar{T}_{0k} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-1},$$

$$\bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{1k}, \dots, \bar{T}_{s-10} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-2k}, \bar{T}_{s0} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-1k}, X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}$$

respectively. It is clear that the intersection disjoint elements of the set

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{02} \setminus \bar{T}_{s1}, \dots, \bar{T}_{0k-1} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-2}, \bar{T}_{0k} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-1}, \\ \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{1k}, \dots, \bar{T}_{s-10} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-2k}, \bar{T}_{s0} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-1k}, X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk} \end{array} \right\}$$

are empty set, and

$$\bar{T}_{01} \cup (\bar{T}_{02} \setminus \bar{T}_{s1}) \cup \dots \cup (\bar{T}_{0k-1} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-2}) \cup (\bar{T}_{0k} \setminus \bar{T}_{sk-1}) \cup \bar{T}_{10} \cup (\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{1k}) \cup \dots \cup (\bar{T}_{s-10} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-2k}) \cup (\bar{T}_{s0} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-1k}) \cup (X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}) = X.$$

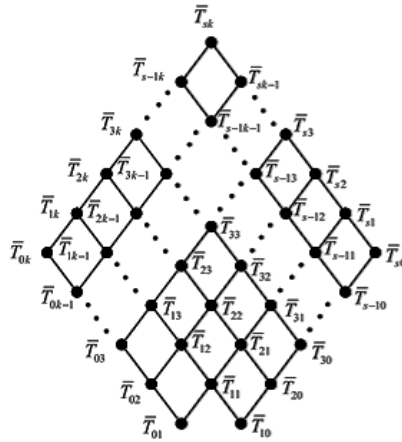


Fig. 2.2

We are going to find properties of the maps  $f_{01\alpha}, f_{02\alpha}, \dots, f_{0k-1\alpha}, f_{0k\alpha}, f_{10\alpha}, f_{20\alpha}, \dots, f_{s-10\alpha}, f_{s0\alpha}$  and  $f_{sk\alpha}$ ,

1)  $t \in \bar{T}_{01}$ . Then by properties (2.3) we have  $Y_{01}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{01}$ , i.e.,  $t \in Y_{01}^\alpha$  and  $t\alpha = T_{01}$  by definition of the set  $Y_{01}^\alpha$ . Therefore  $f_{01\alpha}(t) = T_{01}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{01}$ .

2)  $t \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1}$  ( $j = 2, \dots, k - 1, k$ ). Then by properties (2.3) we have  $\bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1} \subseteq \bar{T}_{0j} \subseteq Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{01}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0j}^\alpha$ , i.e.,  $t \in Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{01}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0j}^\alpha$  and  $t\alpha \in \{T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j}\}$  by definition of the sets  $Y_{01}^\alpha, Y_{01}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{0j}^\alpha$ . Therefore  $f_{0j\alpha}(t) \in \{T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j}\}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1}$ .

By suppose we have that  $Y_{0j}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{0j} \neq \emptyset$ , i.e.,  $t_{0j}\alpha = T_{0j}$  for some  $t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{0j}$ . If  $t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{sj-1}$ , then  $\bar{T}_{sj-1} = \bar{T}_{s0} \cup \bar{T}_{0j-1}$  by definition of the non complete net, and

$$t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{sj-1} = \bar{T}_{s0} \cup \bar{T}_{0j-1} \subseteq (Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha) \cup (Y_{01}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0j-1}^\alpha).$$

So,

$$t_{0j}\alpha \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s0}, T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j-1}\}$$

by definition of the sets  $Y_{10}^\alpha, Y_{20}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha, Y_{01}^\alpha, Y_{02}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{0j-1}^\alpha$ . The condition  $t_{0j}\alpha \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s0}, T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j-1}\}$  contradict of the equality  $t_{0j}\alpha \in T_{0j}$ , while  $T_{0j} \notin \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s0}, T_{01}, \dots, T_{0j-1}\}$ . Therefore,  $f_{0j\alpha}(t_{0j}) = T_{0j}$  for some  $t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{s_{j-1}}$ .

3)  $t \in \bar{T}_{10}$ . Then by properties (2.3) we have  $Y_{10}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{10}$ , i.e.,  $t \in Y_{10}^\alpha$  and  $t\alpha = T_{10}$  by definition of the set  $Y_{10}^\alpha$ . Therefore  $f_{10\alpha}(t) = T_{10}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{10}$ .

4)  $t \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$  ( $j = 2, \dots, s - 1, s$ ). Then by properties (2.3) we have  $\bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-10} \subseteq \bar{T}_{i0} \subseteq Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{i0}^\alpha$ , i.e.,  $t \in Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{i0}^\alpha$  and  $t\alpha \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i0}\}$  by definition of the sets  $Y_{10}^\alpha, Y_{20}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{i0}^\alpha$ . Therefore  $f_{i0\alpha}(t) \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i0}\}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$ .

By suppose we have that  $Y_{i0}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{i0} \neq \emptyset$ , i.e.,  $t_{i0\alpha}\alpha = T_{i0}$  for some  $t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i0}$ . If  $t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i-1k}$ , then  $\bar{T}_{i-1k} = \bar{T}_{i-10} \cup \bar{T}_{0k}$  by definition of the non complete net, and

$$t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i-1k} = \bar{T}_{i-10} \cup \bar{T}_{0k} \subseteq (Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{i-10}^\alpha) \cup (Y_{01}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha).$$

So,

$$t_{i0\alpha} \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i-10}, T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$$

by definition of the sets  $Y_{10}^\alpha, Y_{20}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{i-10}^\alpha, Y_{01}^\alpha, Y_{02}^\alpha, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha$ . The condition  $t_{i0\alpha}\alpha \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i-10}, T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$  contradict of the equality  $t_{i0\alpha}\alpha = T_{i0}$ , while  $T_{i0} \notin \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i-10}, T_{01}, \dots, T_{0k}\}$ . Therefore,  $f_{i0\alpha}(t_{i0\alpha}) = T_{i0}$  for some  $t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$ .

5)  $t \in X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}$ . Then by definition quasinormal representation binary relation  $\alpha$  and by property (2.3) we have  $t \in X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk} \subseteq X = \bigcup_{i \in N_s, j \in N_k} Y_{ij} ((i, j) \notin \{(0, 0)\})$ ,

i.e.,  $t\alpha \in Q$  by definition of the sets  $Y_{ij}^\alpha$ . Therefore  $f_{sk\alpha}(t) \in Q$  for all  $t \in X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}$ .

Therefore, for every binary relation  $\alpha \in \bar{R}(Q, D')$  there exists an ordered system

$$(f_{01\alpha}, f_{02\alpha}, \dots, f_{0k-1\alpha}, f_{0k\alpha}, f_{10\alpha}, f_{20\alpha}, \dots, f_{s-10\alpha}, f_{s0\alpha}, f_{sk\alpha}). \tag{2.4}$$

Further, let

$$\begin{aligned} f_{01} &: \bar{T}_{01} \rightarrow \{T_{01}\}, \quad f_{10} : \bar{T}_{10} \rightarrow \{T_{10}\}, \\ f_{0j} &: \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{s_{j-1}} \rightarrow \{T_{00}, T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j}\}, \quad (j = 2, \dots, k - 1, k), \\ f_{i0} &: \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k} \rightarrow \{T_{00}, T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i0}\}, \quad (i = 2, \dots, s - 1, s), \\ f_{sk} &: X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk} \rightarrow \{T_{ij} : i \in N_s, j \in N_k\}, \end{aligned}$$

are such mappings, which satisfying the conditions:

- 6)  $f_{01}(t) = T_{01}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{01}$ ;
- 7)  $f_{10}(t) = T_{10}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{10}$ ;
- 8)  $f_{0j}(t) \in \{T_{01}, T_{02}, \dots, T_{0j}\}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1}$  and  $f_{0j}(t_{0j}) = T_{0j}$  for some  $t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1}$ ;
- 9)  $f_{i0}(t) \in \{T_{10}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{i0}\}$  for all  $t \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$  and  $f_{i0}(t_{i0}) = T_{i0}$  for some  $t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$ ;
- 10)  $f_{sk}(t) \in Q$  for all  $t \in X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}$ .

Now, we define a map  $f$  of a set  $X$  in the semilattice  $D$ , which satisfies the condition:

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} f_{01}(t), & \text{if } t \in \bar{T}_{01} \\ f_{0j}(t), & \text{if } t \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1} \quad (j = 2, \dots, k-1, k) \\ f_{10}(t), & \text{if } t \in \bar{T}_{10} \\ f_{i0}(t), & \text{if } t \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k} \quad (i = 2, \dots, s-1, s) \\ f_{sk}(t), & \text{if } t \in X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}. \end{cases}$$

Further, let  $\beta = \bigcup_{x \in X} (\{x\} \times f(x))$ , and  $Y_{ij}^\beta = \{t : t\beta = T_{ij}\}$  ( $T_{ij} \in Q$ ). Then

binary relation  $\beta$  may be representation by form  $\beta = \bigcup_{T_{ij} \in Q} (Y_{ij}^\beta \times T_{ij})$  and

satisfying the conditions:

$$\begin{aligned} Y_{10}^\alpha &\supseteq \bar{T}_{10}, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{20}, \dots, Y_{10}^\alpha \cup Y_{20}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{s0}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{s0}, \\ Y_{01}^\alpha &\supseteq \bar{T}_{01}, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{02}, \dots, Y_{01}^\alpha \cup Y_{02}^\alpha \cup \dots \cup Y_{0k}^\alpha \supseteq \bar{T}_{0k}, \\ Y_{20}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{20} &\neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{s0}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{s0} \neq \emptyset, Y_{02}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{02} \neq \emptyset, \dots, Y_{0k}^\alpha \cap \bar{T}_{0k} \neq \emptyset, \end{aligned}$$

(By suppose  $f_{i0}(t_{i0}) = T_{i0}$  for some  $t_{i0} \in \bar{T}_{i0} \setminus \bar{T}_{i-1k}$  and  $f_{0j}(t_{0j}) = T_{0j}$  for some  $t_{0j} \in \bar{T}_{0j} \setminus \bar{T}_{sj-1}$ ). From this and by Theorem 2.1 we have that  $\beta \in \bar{R}(Q, D')$ . Therefore for every binary relation  $\alpha \in \bar{R}(Q, D')$  and ordered system (2.4) exist one to one mapping.

By the Theorem 1.1 the number of the mappings  $f_{01\alpha}, f_{02\alpha}, \dots, f_{0k-1\alpha}, f_{0k\alpha}, f_{10\alpha}, f_{20\alpha}, \dots, f_{s-10\alpha}, f_{s0\alpha}, f_{sk\alpha}$  are respectively:

$$\begin{aligned} &1, j^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1, 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|}, \dots, (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|}, \\ &k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|}, 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1, 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|}, \dots, \\ &(s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|}, s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|}, |D|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the equality

$$|\bar{R}(Q, D')| = \left(2^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1\right) \cdot \left(3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|}\right) \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left( (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\ & \left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \\ & \left( (s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|}, \end{aligned}$$

is valid. Now, using the equalities  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$  we Obtain

$$\begin{aligned} |R(D')| &= m_0 \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} \right) \dots \\ & \left( (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\ & \left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \\ & \left( (s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|}, \end{aligned}$$

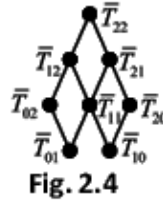
if  $s \neq k$  or

$$\begin{aligned} |R(D')| &= 2 \cdot m_0 \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} \right) \dots \\ & \left( (k-1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k-2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k-1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\ & \left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \left( (s-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i-1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \cdot \\ & \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s-1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|}, \end{aligned}$$

if  $s = k$  (see Theorem 1.6). □

**Corollary 2.1.** *Let  $Q$  be a XI-lower incomplete net and  $E_X^{(r)}(Q)$  be the set of all right units of the semigroup  $B_x(Q)$ . If  $X$  is a finite set, then the following formula is true*

$$\left| E_X^{(r)}(Q) \right| = \left( 2^{|T_{02} \setminus T_{s1}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 3^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} - 2^{|T_{03} \setminus T_{s2}|} \right) \dots$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left( (k - 1)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} - (k - 2)^{|T_{0k-1} \setminus T_{sk-2}|} \right) \cdot \\
 & \left( k^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} - (k - 1)^{|T_{0k} \setminus T_{sk-1}|} \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|T_{20} \setminus T_{1k}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \\
 & \left( 3^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} - 2^{|T_{30} \setminus T_{2k}|} \right) \dots \left( (s - 1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} - (i - 1)^{|T_{s-10} \setminus T_{s-2k}|} \right) \\
 & \cdot \left( s^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} - (s - 1)^{|T_{s0} \setminus T_{s-1k}|} \right) \cdot |Q|^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{sk}|} .
 \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* By virtue of Theorem [4, Theorem 6.3.11] 6.3.11 (see [4]) we have  $E_X^{(r)}(Q) = R_{\varepsilon_Q}(Q, Q)$ , where  $\varepsilon_Q$  is the identity mapping of the net  $Q$ . Now, taking into account Theorem 1.5 and Theorem 2.4, we obtain the validity of corollary. □

**Corollary 2.2.** *Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{11}\}$  be a XI-subsemilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.3). If the semilattices  $Q$  and  $D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{11}\}$  are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:  $|R(D')| = 2 \cdot m_0 \cdot 3^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{11}|}$ .*

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 2$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4. □

**Corollary 2.3.** *Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{02}, T_{11}, T_{20}, T_{12}, T_{21}, T_{22}\}$  be a XI-subsemilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.4). If the semilattices  $Q$  and*

$$D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{02}, \bar{T}_{11}, \bar{T}_{20}, \bar{T}_{12}, \bar{T}_{21}, \bar{T}_{22}\}$$

*are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:*

$$|R(D')| = 2 \cdot m_0 \cdot \left( 2^{|\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{12}|} - 1 \right) \cdot \left( 2^{|\bar{T}_{02} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|} - 1 \right) \cdot 8^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{22}|} .$$

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 2$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4. □



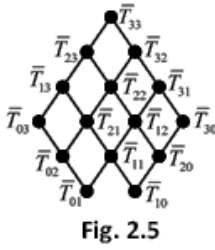


Fig. 2.5

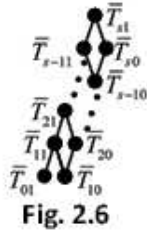


Fig. 2.6

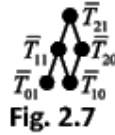


Fig. 2.7

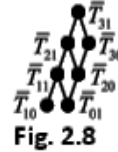


Fig. 2.8

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{02}, T_{11}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{33}\}$  be a  $XI$ -sub-semilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.5). If the semilattices  $Q$  and

$$D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{02}, \bar{T}_{11}, \bar{T}_{20}, \dots, \bar{T}_{33}\}$$

are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:

$$|R(D')| = 2 \cdot m_0 \cdot \left(2^{|\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{12}|} - 1\right) \cdot \left(3^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{23}|} - 2^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{23}|}\right) \cdot \left(2^{|\bar{T}_{02} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|} - 1\right) \cdot \left(3^{|\bar{T}_{03} \setminus \bar{T}_{32}|} - 2^{|\bar{T}_{03} \setminus \bar{T}_{32}|}\right) \cdot 15^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{33}|}.$$

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 2$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4. □

**Corollary 2.5.** Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{02}, T_{11}, T_{20}, \dots, T_{s-11}, T_{s0}, T_{s1}\}$  be a  $XI$ -sub-semilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.6). If the semilattices  $Q$  and

$$D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{02}, \bar{T}_{11}, \bar{T}_{20}, \dots, \bar{T}_{s-11}, \bar{T}_{s0}, \bar{T}_{s1}\}$$

are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:

$$|R(D')| = m_0 \cdot \left(2^{|\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{11}|} - 1\right) \cdot \left(3^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|} - 2^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|}\right) \dots \cdot \left((s-1)^{|\bar{T}_{s-10} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-21}|} - (s-2)^{|\bar{T}_{s-10} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-21}|}\right) \cdot \left(s^{|\bar{T}_{s0} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-11}|} - (s-1)^{|\bar{T}_{s0} \setminus \bar{T}_{s-11}|}\right) \cdot (2 \cdot (s+1) - 1)^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{s1}|}.$$

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 1$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4. □

**Corollary 2.6.** Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{11}, T_{20}, T_{21}\}$  be a  $XI$ -subsemilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.7). If the semilattices  $Q$  and

$$D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{11}, \bar{T}_{20}, \bar{T}_{21}\}$$

are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:  $|R(D')| = m_0 \cdot \left(2^{|\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{11}|} - 1\right) \cdot 5^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|}$ .

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 1$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.7.** Let  $Q = \{T_{01}, T_{10}, T_{11}, T_{20}, T_{21}, T_{30}, T_{31}\}$  be a XI-sub-semilattice of the semilattice  $D$  (see Fig. 2.8). If the semilattices  $Q$  and

$$D' = \{\bar{T}_{01}, \bar{T}_{10}, \bar{T}_{11}, \bar{T}_{20}, \bar{T}_{21}, \bar{T}_{30}, \bar{T}_{31}\}$$

are  $\alpha$ -isomorphic,  $|\Omega(Q)| = m_0$ , then the following equality is valid:  $|R(D')| = m_0 \cdot \left(2^{|\bar{T}_{20} \setminus \bar{T}_{11}|} - 1\right) \cdot \left(3^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|} - 2^{|\bar{T}_{30} \setminus \bar{T}_{21}|}\right) \cdot 7^{|X \setminus \bar{T}_{31}|}$ .

*Proof.* It is obvious that in this case  $|\Phi(Q, D')| = 1$ . Therefore the corollary immediately follows from Theorem 2.4.  $\square$

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