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### ABSTRACT

The article summarizes the relationships introduced by Purdea [1] and Goghen [2]. Goghen gives a summary of L - the relationships examined by Salij and the fuzzy relations of Zade and Purdea - of all known other types of relations. The terminology of Wagner [5] and Bourbaki [6] is used.

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## INTRODUCTION

Let  $F$  be a function with a definition domain, the set  $T$ , and the functional values are the set  $F(t) \subset X$  for  $\forall t \in T$ .

We denote by  $\prod_{t \in T} F(t)$  the cartesian product of the family the sets  $F(t)$  indexed by the elements of the set  $T$ ,  $B$  - a set of sets,  $K$  - a set with or without relationships and operations. Let  $R$  be a function with a definition domain  $\bigcup_{T \in B} \prod_{t \in T} F(t)$  and functional values of  $K$ .

Definition 1. Generalized relations  $R$  of type  $(B, K)$  between sets of elements  $F(t), t \in T, T \in B$  is the triad  $\bigcup_{T \in B} \prod_{t \in T} F(t), K, R$

If  $F(t) = \emptyset$  for any  $t \in T, T \in B$ , or  $K = \emptyset$ , then  $R = \emptyset$ .

Private cases of such a generalized relation are:

- 1) If  $K$  is a non-empty set and  $T \in B$  rearranged sets, then the generalized relation coincides with the generalized relation of Purdea [1].
- 2) If  $K$  is the single interval  $[0,1]$  with the known addition, subtraction, multiplication, ordinance, and if  $B = T, T = \{t_1, t_2\}$  the generalized relation coincides with the fuzzy relation defined by Zade in [2].
- 3) If instead of the single interval  $K = [0,1]$  set  $K = L$  - a partially ordered set, we obtain the relations examined by Gogens in [2].
- 4)  $L$  - the relations defined by Salij in [3], are obtained at  $K = L, L$  - lattice.

If  $F(t) = F$  for  $\forall t \in T, T \in B$  the generalized relation is called homogeneous.

Let  $B_1$  be a family of sets  $T_1 \subset T, T \in B$  and  $R_1$  is a restriction of  $R$ .

The triad  $\prod_{T_1 \in B_1} \bigcup_{T \in B} \prod_{t \in T_1} F(t), K, R$  is called projection.

If  $T_1 = T$  for  $\forall T \in B$ , the projection is called non-proprietary, but if  $T_1 T_1 \neq T$  and  $T \in B$  for some - own.  
 Let  $B = \{T\}$  and  $T_1 = \{t\} \subset T$ , then  $Pr_{T_1}(B, K)$  coincide with the restriction of the function  $R$  on the base set  $F(t)$ .  
 Let's  $\sigma = \{\sigma_t / T \in B\}$  be a family of bigections  $\sigma_t : T \rightarrow T$ , for at least one  $T \in B$  is  $\sigma_T$  not the same.  
 The generalized relation  $R^\sigma$  we have:  $((x_{t \in T, T \in B, K}) \in R \Leftrightarrow ((x_{\sigma t \in T, T \in B, K}) \in R^\sigma \forall t \in T$

$\sigma$  is called  $\sigma$ -inverse relation of  $R$ . If  $K$  is a non-empty set and  $P$  reordered sets, this definition coincides with the same definition of Purdea [1] from which is obtained as a private case (i, j), the transposition of Penzow [8].

Let the binary operations  $V$  (defined on subsets) and  $*$  be defined on the set  $K$ , such that:

1. The summary of the Birkhoff law [7] is in force for  $V$ :  $\bigvee_{i,j} a_j = \bigvee_j a_j$

$$\Phi = \bigcup_i \Phi_i, \Phi_i, - \text{ a plurality of indices}$$

From this law follows Idempotent, Commutative and Associate for  $V$  - Birkhof [7]

2.  $*$  is associative and has 0 and 1;
3. the two complete distributive laws link  $V$  and  $*$   
 $a * \bigvee_i b_i = \bigvee_i (a * b_i), \bigvee_i a_i * b = \bigvee_i (a_i * b)$

equivalent to equality [2],  $\bigvee_{i \in \Phi} a_i * \bigvee_{j \in \Psi} b_j = \bigvee_{(i,j) \in (\Phi, \Psi)} (a_i * b_j)$  p. 152, proposal 2);

4.  $0V_k = k$  and  $1Vk = 1$

These conditions are satisfied, for example, for  $K$  - a complete structured semigroup (Goghen, [2]).

Let me

$$R_i = \left( \bigcup_{T_i \in B_i} \prod_{t_i \in T_i} F(t_i), K, R_i \right) \text{ and } R_j = \left( \bigcup_{T_j \in B_j} \prod_{t_j \in T_j} F(t_j), K, R_j \right) T_i \cap T_j = \phi$$

are two generalized relationships. We denote:  $W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}, V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}, X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}, k = i, j$

three non-intermittent sets for which  $W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k} \cup V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k} \cup X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k} = T_k, k = i, j$

$G$  - a family of surections

$$g_{R_i \circ R_j} : T \rightarrow T_{R_i \circ R_j} \subset T = T_i \cup T_j \in B_{R_i \circ R_j} = B_{R_i} \cup B_{R_j},$$

$$g(W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) \cap g(X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) = \phi, g(V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) \cap g(W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) = \phi, g(W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) \cap g(X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_k}) = \phi, k$$

$$= i, j, g(W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_i}) \cap g(W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_j}) = \phi, g(V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_i}) = g(V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_j}), g(X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_i}) = g(X_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_j});$$

$H$  - the subfamily of  $G$  formed by the restrictions  $h_{R_i \circ R_j}$  of  $g$  on;

$$W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_i} \cup W_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_j} \cup V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_i} \cup V_{R_i \circ R_j}^{T_j}, P_{R_i \circ R_j} = h_{R_i \circ R_j}(T_i \cup T_j); C_q^T = \text{se } g_{R_i \circ R_j}^{-1}(q), q \in T_{R_i \circ R_j}$$

It is supposed  $q \in q_{R_i \circ R_j}^{-1}(g)$ , to not reduce the community.

Definition 2. The product  $R_i \circ R_j$  of the type (G, H, B) of the relations  $R_i$  and  $R_j$  is determined by the equation:

$$R_i \circ R_j = \left\{ \left[ (c_p)_{p \in P_{R_i \circ R_j}} \right] / k = \bigvee_t \left( k_{R_i} * k_{R_j}, (x_t)_{t \in g^{-1}(T_{R_i \circ R_j} / P_{R_i \circ R_j})} / A(R_i \circ R_j) \right) \right\},$$

Where/ 1 /

$$A(R_i, R_j) \equiv [k_{R_s} = R_s(x_{t_s})t_s \in T_s, s$$

$$= i, j; (g_{R_i, R_j}(t_k) = g_{R_i, R_j}(t_l) \Rightarrow x_{t_k} = x_{t_l}); (g_{R_i, R_j}(t) = p \in P_{R_i, R_j} \Rightarrow x_t = c_p \in C_p^T, T \in B_{R_i, R_j})]$$

(We accept:)  $T_{R_i, R_j} = P_{R_i, R_j} \Rightarrow k = k_{R_i} * k_{R_j}$

If for any  $p$  we have  $C_p = \phi$ , then  $R_i \circ R_j = \phi$

In the case of  $B = \{T\}$  and  $T \{t_1, t_2\}$ , the product  $R_i \circ R_j$  coincides with the work of Goghen [2], p. 161.

Let  $T \in B$  multitudes be rearranged, and  $K$  is a non-empty set:  $k_1 * k_2 = \begin{cases} k, & \text{if } k_1 = k_2 = k \\ y, & \text{if } k_1 \neq k_2 \end{cases}$

then definition 2 coincides with definition 1 given by Purdea in [1].

The case  $K = \{k, y\}, k = 1, y = 0, X_{R_i, R_j}^{T_i} \text{ и } X_{R_i} \circ R_j^{T_j}$  - isomorphic coincides with definition 8 given by Nemety [9].

A particular case from the Purdea definition is the definition of  $(r, s)$  - a product of two inhomogeneous  $n$  - relationships introduced in [10] by Topencharov, and for the homogeneous  $n$  relations introduced in [8] by Penzov.

Let be given  $R_i = (\cup \Pi F(ti), K, Ri), Ti \cap Tj \neq \emptyset$   
 $Ti \in Biti \in Ti$

$i, j = 1, 2, 3, i \neq j$  - three generalized relations. We continue  $g_{R_1, R_2}$  and  $g_{R_2, R_3}$  on

$$T_1 \cup T_2 \cup T_3 = T \in B = B_1 \cup B_2 \cup B_3 : g_{R_1, R_2} : T \Rightarrow T_{R_1, R_2}, T_{R_1, R_2} \subset T, g_{R_1, R_2}(t_3) = t_3, t_3 \in T_3, g_{R_2, R_3} : T \Rightarrow T_{R_2, R_3}, T_{R_2, R_3} \subset T, g_{R_2, R_3}(t_1) = t_1, t_1 \in T_1$$

and apply to the products  $(R_1, R_2) \circ R_3$  and  $R_1 \circ (R_2, R_3)$

$$g_{R_1 \circ (R_2, R_3)} = g_{R_1, R_2} \text{ and } g_{(R_1, R_2) \circ R_3} = g_{R_2, R_3}$$

We mean:

$$g_{(R_1, R_2) \circ R_3}(T_{R_1, R_2}) = T_{(R_1, R_2) \circ R_3}$$

$$g_{R_1 \circ (R_2, R_3)}(T_{R_2, R_3}) = T_{R_1 \circ (R_2, R_3)}$$

We assume the fulfillment of the important conditions:

$$/ 2 / g_{(R_1, R_2) \circ R_3} \circ g_{R_1, R_2} = g_{R_1 \circ (R_2, R_3)} \circ g_{R_2, R_3};$$

$$/ 3 / X_{R_1, R_2}^{T_2} \cap X_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2} = \emptyset$$

Then the following applies

$$\text{Theorem: } (R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3 = R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)$$

Proof:

$$k_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3} = (R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3 \left( (c_p)_{p \in P_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}} \right) = V_t (k_{R_1 \circ R_2} * k_{R_3}) / (x_t)_{t \in g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}^{-1}} (T_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3} \setminus P_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}) / A((R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3)$$

$$= V_t \left( V_{t_1} (k_{R_1} * k_{R_3}) * k_{R_3} \right) / \left( (x_{t_1})_{t_1 \in g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}^{-1}} (T_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3} \setminus P_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}) / A(R_1 \circ R_2) \right),$$

$$\left( (x_{t_1})_{t_1 \in g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}^{-1}} (T_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3} \setminus P_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}) / A(R_1 \circ R_2) \right)$$

$$= V_t [k_{R_1} * (k_{R_2} * k_{R_3})]$$

$$/ \left( (x_t)_{t \in g_{(R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1}} \circ g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1} (T_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)} \setminus P_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}) / A(R_1 \circ R_2) \right), \left( k_{R_3} = R_3 (x_{t_{R_3}})_{t_{R_3} \in T_3}, g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}(t_k) \right)$$

$$= g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}(t_l) \Rightarrow x_{t_k} = x_{t_l}, (g_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3}(t) = p \in P_{(R_1 \circ R_2) \circ R_3} \Rightarrow x_t = c_p \in C_p^T)$$

$$= V_t [k_{R_1} * (k_{R_2} * k_{R_3})] / \left( (x_t)_{t \in g_{(R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1}} \circ g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1} (T_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)} \setminus P_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}) / A(R_2 \circ R_3) \right),$$

$$k_{R_1} = R_1 (x_{t_{R_1}})_{t_{R_1} \in T_1}, [g_{R_1 \circ R_2}(t_k) = g_{R_1 \circ R_2}(t_l) \Rightarrow x_{t_k} = x_{t_l}], g_{R_1 \circ R_2}(t) = p \in P_{R_1 \circ R_2} \Rightarrow x_t = c_p \in C_p^T$$

$$= V_t \left\{ k_{R_1} * \left[ V_{t_2} \left( (k_{R_2} * k_{R_3}) \right) \right] \right\} / \left( (x_{t_2})_{t_2 \in g_{(R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1}} (T_{R_2 \circ R_3} \setminus P_{R_2 \circ R_3}) \right)$$

$$/ A(R_2 \circ R_3), (x_t)_{t \in g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1}} (T_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)} \setminus P_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}) / A((R_2 \circ R_3)), k_{R_1} = R_1 (x_{t_1})_{t_1 \in T_1}, g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}(t_k)$$

$$= g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}(t_l) \Rightarrow x_{t_k} = x_{t_l}, g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}(t) = p \in P_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)} \Rightarrow x_t = c_p \in C_p^T$$

$$= V_t (k_{R_1} * k_{R_2 \circ R_3}) / \left( (x_t)_{t \in g_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}^{-1}} (T_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)} \setminus P_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)}) / A(R_1, R_2 \circ R_3) \right) = k_{R_1 \circ (R_2 \circ R_3)},$$

which we had to prove.

In [6, 7, 8] we use equations 1, 2, 3, the associativity of K regarding \* and the summary distribution laws concerning V.

The theorem we examined is also true for intersecting  $T_1, T_2, T_3$ . Instead of  $T_1, T_2$  and  $T_3$ , the sets  $T_1 = (T_1, 1), T_2 = (T_2, 2), T_3 = (T_3, 3)$  which do not intersect and are equal to respectively  $T_1, T_2$  and  $T_3$ .

For the generalized relations  $R_1, R_2$  and  $R_2, R_3$ , the functions  $g_{R_1, R_2}$  and  $g_{R_2, R_3}$  are for  $\forall T$  are bijections and

$$\begin{aligned} g_{R_1, R_2} \left( W_{R_1, R_2}^{T_1} \right) &= W_{R_1, R_2}^{T_1}, g_{R_1, R_2} \left( V_{R_1, R_2}^{T_1} \right) = g_{R_2, R_3} \left( W_{R_2, R_3}^{T_3} \right) = V_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2}, g_{R_2, R_3} \left( W_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2} \right) = g_{R_2, R_3} \left( X_{R_2, R_3}^{T_3} \right) \\ &= W_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2}, g_{R_1, R_2} \left( X_{R_1, R_2}^{T_1} \right) = W_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2}, g_{R_1, R_2} \left( W_{R_1, R_2}^{T_2} \right) \sim W_{R_2, R_3}^{T_2} \end{aligned}$$

$$k_{R_2} = R_2(x_t) t \in T_2 = \{1\},$$

$$\text{If } x_l = x_m = x_n = x_p, g_{R_1, R_2}(l) = g_{R_1, R_2}(m), g_{R_2, R_3}(n) = g_{R_2, R_3}(p), x_{s_1} = x_{s_2} = x_{s_3}, g_{R_1, R_2}(s_1) = g_{R_1, R_2}(s_2) = g_{R_2, R_3}(s_2) = g_{R_2, R_3}(s_3),$$

and 0 otherwise.

Under these conditions

$$k_{R_1 \circ R_2} = k_{R_1} * k_{R_2} / \left( (x_t)_{t \in g_{R_1, R_2}^{-1}(R_2)} (T_{R_1 \circ R_2} \setminus P_{(R_1 \circ R_2)}) / A(R_1, R_2) \right) = k_{R_1} / ((x_t) t \in T_1), k_{R_1 \circ R_2} = k_{R_1}$$

Similarly displayed  $k_{R_2, R_3} = k_{R_3}$ . It follows:

Theorem R2. The relations satisfying the above conditions is a right unit for R1 and a left unit for R3.

From theorem 1 and theorem 2 follows:

Theorem 3. The aggregate of the generalized relations, for which  $g_{R_1, R_2}$  and  $g_{R_2, R_3}$  are bijections, is a category.

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Data stored on the computer is called a database [11-12]. Typically, the data in the computer is represented in tables. Each table represents n-ary relationship.

To extract information and to modify the content of the tables, corresponding to a set of relationships, some of the basic operations on them are defined, namely: "Projection", "Compound", and "Select".

An operation "Compound" merges two tables into a larger table:

If,  $R \subset (A_1 X \dots \dots X A_m \times B_1 X \dots \dots X B_n)$  and

$S \subset (A_1 X \dots \dots X A_m \times C_1 X \dots \dots X C_p)$

this compound **R** and **S** are:

$$\subset (A_1 X \dots \dots X A_m \times B_1 X \dots \dots B_n \times C_1 X \dots \dots X C_p)$$

e.g. the compound consists of elements of the type:

$$(a_1, \dots, a_m, b_1, \dots, b_n, c_1, \dots, c_p),$$

where:

$$(a_1, \dots, a_m, b_1, \dots, b_n) \in R$$

whereas

$$(a_1, \dots, a_m, b_1, \dots, b_n) \in S$$

The operation "Projection" forms a new table (**k** - ratio) from certain columns of the old table (**n** - ratio) if  $k < n$ .

The operation "Select" chooses rows of the table that satisfy appropriate criteria.

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