

# Midpoint algebras

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**Summary.** In this article basic properties of midpoint algebras are proved. We define a congruence relation  $\equiv$  on bound vectors and free vectors as the equivalence classes of  $\equiv$ .

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The articles [5], [4], [8], [1], [7], [6], [2], and [3] provide the notation and terminology for this paper.

We consider midpoint algebra structures as extensions of 1-sorted structure as systems  $\langle$  a carrier, a midpoint operation  $\rangle$ ,

where the carrier is a set and the midpoint operation is a binary operation on the carrier.

Let us note that there exists a midpoint algebra structure which is non empty.

In the sequel  $M_1$  is a non empty midpoint algebra structure and  $a, b$  are elements of  $M_1$ .

Let us consider  $M_1, a, b$ . The functor  $a @ b$  yields an element of  $M_1$  and is defined by:

(Def. 1)  $a @ b = (\text{the midpoint operation of } M_1)(a, b)$ .

(Def. 2)  $\text{op}_2$  is a binary operation on  $\{\emptyset\}$ .

The midpoint algebra structure EX is defined by:

(Def. 3)  $\text{EX} = \langle \{\emptyset\}, \text{op}_2 \rangle$ .

Let us observe that EX is strict and non empty.

We now state several propositions:

(5)<sup>1</sup> The carrier of  $(\text{EX}) = \{\emptyset\}$ .

(6) The midpoint operation of  $(\text{EX}) = \text{op}_2$ .

(7) For every element  $a$  of EX holds  $a = \emptyset$ .

(8) For all elements  $a, b$  of EX holds  $a @ b = \text{op}_2(a, b)$ .

(10)<sup>2</sup> Let  $a, b, c, d$  be elements of EX. Then  $a @ a = a$  and  $a @ b = b @ a$  and  $(a @ b) @ (c @ d) = a @ c @ (b @ d)$  and there exists an element  $x$  of EX such that  $x @ a = b$ .

Let  $I_1$  be a non empty midpoint algebra structure. We say that  $I_1$  is midpoint algebra-like if and only if the condition (Def. 4) is satisfied.

<sup>1</sup> The propositions (1)–(4) have been removed.

<sup>2</sup> The proposition (9) has been removed.

(Def. 4) Let  $a, b, c, d$  be elements of  $I_1$ . Then  $a^{\textcircled{a}} a = a$  and  $a^{\textcircled{a}} b = b^{\textcircled{a}} a$  and  $(a^{\textcircled{a}} b)^{\textcircled{a}} (c^{\textcircled{a}} d) = a^{\textcircled{a}} c^{\textcircled{a}} (b^{\textcircled{a}} d)$  and there exists an element  $x$  of  $I_1$  such that  $x^{\textcircled{a}} a = b$ .

One can verify that there exists a non empty midpoint algebra structure which is strict and midpoint algebra-like.

A midpoint algebra is a midpoint algebra-like non empty midpoint algebra structure.

Let  $M$  be a midpoint algebra and let  $a, b$  be elements of  $M$ . Let us notice that the functor  $a^{\textcircled{a}} b$  is commutative.

We adopt the following convention:  $M$  denotes a midpoint algebra and  $a, b, c, d, a', b', c', d', x, y, x'$  denote elements of  $M$ .

Next we state several propositions:

$$(15)^3 \quad (a^{\textcircled{a}} b)^{\textcircled{a}} c = a^{\textcircled{a}} c^{\textcircled{a}} (b^{\textcircled{a}} c).$$

$$(16) \quad a^{\textcircled{a}} (b^{\textcircled{a}} c) = (a^{\textcircled{a}} b)^{\textcircled{a}} (a^{\textcircled{a}} c).$$

$$(17) \quad \text{If } a^{\textcircled{a}} b = a, \text{ then } a = b.$$

$$(18) \quad \text{If } x^{\textcircled{a}} a = x'^{\textcircled{a}} a, \text{ then } x = x'.$$

$$(19) \quad \text{If } a^{\textcircled{a}} x = a^{\textcircled{a}} x', \text{ then } x = x'.$$

Let us consider  $M, a, b, c, d$ . The predicate  $a, b \equiv c, d$  is defined as follows:

(Def. 5)  $a^{\textcircled{a}} d = b^{\textcircled{a}} c$ .

Next we state several propositions:

$$(21)^4 \quad a, a \equiv b, b.$$

$$(22) \quad \text{If } a, b \equiv c, d, \text{ then } c, d \equiv a, b.$$

$$(23) \quad \text{If } a, a \equiv b, c, \text{ then } b = c.$$

$$(24) \quad \text{If } a, b \equiv c, c, \text{ then } a = b.$$

$$(25) \quad a, b \equiv a, b.$$

$$(26) \quad \text{There exists } d \text{ such that } a, b \equiv c, d.$$

$$(27) \quad \text{If } a, b \equiv c, d \text{ and } a, b \equiv c, d', \text{ then } d = d'.$$

$$(28) \quad \text{If } x, y \equiv a, b \text{ and } x, y \equiv c, d, \text{ then } a, b \equiv c, d.$$

$$(29) \quad \text{If } a, b \equiv a', b' \text{ and } b, c \equiv b', c', \text{ then } a, c \equiv a', c'.$$

In the sequel  $p, q, r$  denote elements of  $[\cdot]$ : the carrier of  $M$ , the carrier of  $M$ ].

Let us consider  $M, p$ . Then  $p_1$  is an element of  $M$ .

Let us consider  $M, p$ . Then  $p_2$  is an element of  $M$ .

Let us consider  $M, p, q$ . The predicate  $p \equiv q$  is defined by:

(Def. 6)  $p_1, p_2 \equiv q_1, q_2$ .

Let us notice that the predicate  $p \equiv q$  is reflexive and symmetric.

Let us consider  $M, a, b$ . Then  $\langle a, b \rangle$  is an element of  $[\cdot]$ : the carrier of  $M$ , the carrier of  $M$ ].

One can prove the following propositions:

$$(31)^5 \quad \text{If } a, b \equiv c, d, \text{ then } \langle a, b \rangle \equiv \langle c, d \rangle.$$

$$(32) \quad \text{If } \langle a, b \rangle \equiv \langle c, d \rangle, \text{ then } a, b \equiv c, d.$$

<sup>3</sup> The propositions (11)–(14) have been removed.

<sup>4</sup> The proposition (20) has been removed.

<sup>5</sup> The proposition (30) has been removed.

- (35)<sup>6</sup> If  $p \equiv q$  and  $p \equiv r$ , then  $q \equiv r$ .
- (36) If  $p \equiv r$  and  $q \equiv r$ , then  $p \equiv q$ .
- (37) If  $p \equiv q$  and  $q \equiv r$ , then  $p \equiv r$ .
- (38) If  $p \equiv q$ , then  $r \equiv p$  iff  $r \equiv q$ .
- (39) For every  $p$  holds  $\{q : q \equiv p\}$  is a non empty subset of  $[\text{the carrier of } M, \text{ the carrier of } M]$ .

Let us consider  $M, p$ . The functor  $p^\smile$  yields a subset of  $[\text{the carrier of } M, \text{ the carrier of } M]$  and is defined as follows:

(Def. 7)  $p^\smile = \{q : q \equiv p\}$ .

Let us consider  $M, p$ . Observe that  $p^\smile$  is non empty.

Next we state several propositions:

- (41)<sup>7</sup> For every  $p$  holds  $r \in p^\smile$  iff  $r \equiv p$ .
- (42) If  $p \equiv q$ , then  $p^\smile = q^\smile$ .
- (43) If  $p^\smile = q^\smile$ , then  $p \equiv q$ .
- (44) If  $\langle a, b \rangle^\smile = \langle c, d \rangle^\smile$ , then  $a @ d = b @ c$ .
- (45)  $p \in p^\smile$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . A non empty subset of  $[\text{the carrier of } M, \text{ the carrier of } M]$  is said to be a vector of  $M$  if:

(Def. 8) There exists  $p$  such that it  $= p^\smile$ .

In the sequel  $u, v, w, w'$  are vectors of  $M$ .

Let us consider  $M, p$ . Then  $p^\smile$  is a vector of  $M$ .

Next we state the proposition

- (48)<sup>8</sup> There exists  $u$  such that for every  $p$  holds  $p \in u$  iff  $p_1 = p_2$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $I_M$  yielding a vector of  $M$  is defined by:

(Def. 9)  $I_M = \{p : p_1 = p_2\}$ .

Next we state three propositions:

- (50)<sup>9</sup>  $I_M = \langle b, b \rangle^\smile$ .
- (51) There exist  $w, p, q$  such that  $u = p^\smile$  and  $v = q^\smile$  and  $p_2 = q_1$  and  $w = \langle p_1, q_2 \rangle^\smile$ .
- (52) Suppose there exist  $p, q$  such that  $u = p^\smile$  and  $v = q^\smile$  and  $p_2 = q_1$  and  $w = \langle p_1, q_2 \rangle^\smile$  and there exist  $p, q$  such that  $u = p^\smile$  and  $v = q^\smile$  and  $p_2 = q_1$  and  $w' = \langle p_1, q_2 \rangle^\smile$ . Then  $w = w'$ .

Let us consider  $M, u, v$ . The functor  $u + v$  yields a vector of  $M$  and is defined by:

(Def. 10) There exist  $p, q$  such that  $u = p^\smile$  and  $v = q^\smile$  and  $p_2 = q_1$  and  $u + v = \langle p_1, q_2 \rangle^\smile$ .

The following proposition is true

- (53) There exists  $b$  such that  $u = \langle a, b \rangle^\smile$ .

<sup>6</sup> The propositions (33) and (34) have been removed.

<sup>7</sup> The proposition (40) has been removed.

<sup>8</sup> The propositions (46) and (47) have been removed.

<sup>9</sup> The proposition (49) has been removed.

Let us consider  $M, a, b$ . The functor  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]}$  yields a vector of  $M$  and is defined as follows:

(Def. 11)  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]} = \langle a, b \rangle^\smile$ .

We now state a number of propositions:

(55)<sup>10</sup> There exists  $b$  such that  $u = \overrightarrow{[a, b]}$ .

(56) If  $\langle a, b \rangle \equiv \langle c, d \rangle$ , then  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]} = \overrightarrow{[c, d]}$ .

(57) If  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]} = \overrightarrow{[c, d]}$ , then  $a^\circledast d = b^\circledast c$ .

(58)  $I_M = \overrightarrow{[b, b]}$ .

(59) If  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]} = \overrightarrow{[a, c]}$ , then  $b = c$ .

(60)  $\overrightarrow{[a, b]} + \overrightarrow{[b, c]} = \overrightarrow{[a, c]}$ .

(61)  $\langle a, a^\circledast b \rangle \equiv \langle a^\circledast b, b \rangle$ .

(62)  $\overrightarrow{[a, a^\circledast b]} + \overrightarrow{[a, a^\circledast b]} = \overrightarrow{[a, b]}$ .

(63)  $(u + v) + w = u + (v + w)$ .

(64)  $u + I_M = u$ .

(65) There exists  $v$  such that  $u + v = I_M$ .

(66)  $u + v = v + u$ .

(67) If  $u + v = u + w$ , then  $v = w$ .

Let us consider  $M, u$ . The functor  $-u$  yields a vector of  $M$  and is defined by:

(Def. 12)  $u + -u = I_M$ .

In the sequel  $X$  is an element of  $2^{[\text{the carrier of } M, \text{ the carrier of } M]}$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $\text{setvect}M$  yielding a set is defined by:

(Def. 13)  $\text{setvect}M = \{X : X \text{ is a vector of } M\}$ .

In the sequel  $x$  is a set.

One can prove the following proposition

(71)<sup>11</sup>  $x$  is a vector of  $M$  iff  $x \in \text{setvect}M$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . Observe that  $\text{setvect}M$  is non empty.

In the sequel  $u_1, v_1, w_1, W, W_1, W_2, T$  denote elements of  $\text{setvect}M$ .

Let us consider  $M, u_1, v_1$ . The functor  $u_1 + v_1$  yields an element of  $\text{setvect}M$  and is defined by:

(Def. 14) For all  $u, v$  such that  $u_1 = u$  and  $v_1 = v$  holds  $u_1 + v_1 = u + v$ .

We now state two propositions:

(74)<sup>12</sup>  $u_1 + v_1 = v_1 + u_1$ .

(75)  $(u_1 + v_1) + w_1 = u_1 + (v_1 + w_1)$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $\text{addvect}M$  yields a binary operation on  $\text{setvect}M$  and is defined as follows:

<sup>10</sup> The proposition (54) has been removed.

<sup>11</sup> The propositions (68)–(70) have been removed.

<sup>12</sup> The propositions (72) and (73) have been removed.

(Def. 15) For all  $u_1, v_1$  holds  $(\text{addvect}M)(u_1, v_1) = u_1 + v_1$ .

One can prove the following two propositions:

(77)<sup>13</sup> For every  $W$  there exists  $T$  such that  $W + T = I_M$ .

(78) For all  $W, W_1, W_2$  such that  $W + W_1 = I_M$  and  $W + W_2 = I_M$  holds  $W_1 = W_2$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $\text{complvect}M$  yields a unary operation on  $\text{setvect}M$  and is defined by:

(Def. 16) For every  $W$  holds  $W + (\text{complvect}M)(W) = I_M$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $\text{zerovect}M$  yielding an element of  $\text{setvect}M$  is defined as follows:

(Def. 17)  $\text{zerovect}M = I_M$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . The functor  $\text{vectgroup}M$  yielding a loop structure is defined as follows:

(Def. 18)  $\text{vectgroup}M = \langle \text{setvect}M, \text{addvect}M, \text{zerovect}M \rangle$ .

Let us consider  $M$ . One can verify that  $\text{vectgroup}M$  is strict and non empty.

One can prove the following propositions:

(82)<sup>14</sup> The carrier of  $\text{vectgroup}M = \text{setvect}M$ .

(83) The addition of  $\text{vectgroup}M = \text{addvect}M$ .

(85)<sup>15</sup> The zero of  $\text{vectgroup}M = \text{zerovect}M$ .

(86)  $\text{vectgroup}M$  is add-associative, right zeroed, right complementable, and Abelian.

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<sup>13</sup> The proposition (76) has been removed.

<sup>14</sup> The propositions (79)–(81) have been removed.

<sup>15</sup> The proposition (84) has been removed.