

For example, each quasigroup satisfying the identity

$$\left((u^{n_1} (\underbrace{(x \cdot (xu)^{n_2} y) \cdot x^{n_3}}_{t_1(x,y)} \cdot u^{n_4}) \cdot (v \cdot (\underbrace{z^{n_5} x \cdot zu}_{t_3(x,z)} v) u) \right) \cdot (\underbrace{y \cdot (zn^{n_6} y^n)}_{t_2(y,z)}) = v$$

is isotopic to a group. A bracketing in $u^{n_1}, (xu)^{n_2}, \dots$ does not matter.

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Canonical decompositions of solutions of functional equation of generalized mediality

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Let Q be a set, a mapping $f : Q^2 \rightarrow Q$ is called an invertible binary operation (=function), if it is invertible element in both semigroups $(\mathcal{O}_2; \oplus_0)$ and $(\mathcal{O}_2; \oplus_1)$, where \mathcal{O}_2 is the set of all binary operations defined on Q and

$$(f \oplus_0 g)(x, y) := f(g(x, y), y), \quad (f \oplus_1 g)(x, y) := f(x, g(x, y)).$$

The set of all binary invertible functions is denoted by Δ_2 . A functional equation

$$F_1(F_2(x, y), F_3(u, v)) = F_4(F_5(x, u), F_6(y, v)), \tag{1}$$

where F_1, \dots, F_6 are functional variables and x, y, u, v are individual variables, is called a *functional equation of generalized mediality*. The equation was solved in [1]. Namely, the following theorem was proved

THEOREM 1. *A sequence (f_1, \dots, f_6) of invertible functions defined on a set Q is a solution of (1) if and only if there exists a commutative group $(Q; +, 0)$ and bijections $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_6$ of Q such that*

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x, z) &= \alpha_5 x + \alpha_6 z, & f_2(x, y) &= \alpha_5^{-1}(\alpha_1 x + \alpha_2 y), & f_3(u, v) &= \alpha_6^{-1}(\alpha_3 u + \alpha_4 v), \\ f_4(z, y) &= \alpha_7 z + \alpha_8 y, & f_5(x, u) &= \alpha_7^{-1}(\alpha_1 x + \alpha_3 u), & f_6(y, v) &= \alpha_8^{-1}(\alpha_2 y + \alpha_4 v). \end{aligned}$$

The sequence $(+, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_8)$ will be called a *decomposition* of the solution (f_1, \dots, f_6) . Theorem 1 proves that every solution has a decomposition and moreover every sequence uniquely defines a solution of (1). But the same solution may have different decomposition. For example, let θ be an arbitrary automorphism of the group $(Q; +)$, it is easy to see that the sequence $(+, \theta\alpha_1, \dots, \theta\alpha_8)$ defines the same solution of (1).

A decomposition $(+, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_8)$ of a solution of (1) will be called *θ -canonical* if 0 is a neutral element of the group $(Q; +)$ and $\alpha_1 0 = \alpha_5 0 = \alpha_7 0 = 0$.

THEOREM 2. *Every element $0 \in Q$ uniquely defines a canonical decomposition of an arbitrary solution of the functional equation of generalized mediality.*

Canonical decompositions of solutions of the functional equations of generalized associativity are found in [2].

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About group isotopes with inverse property

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A *quasigroup* is an algebra $(Q; \cdot; \cdot^\ell; \cdot^r)$ with identities

$$(x \cdot y) \cdot^\ell y = x, \quad (x \cdot^\ell y) \cdot y = x, \quad x \cdot^r (x \cdot y) = y, \quad x \cdot (x \cdot^r y) = y.$$

They say that the operation (\cdot) have: *left (right, middle) inverse property* [1, 4], if

$$\lambda x \cdot xy = y \quad (\text{respectively, } yx \cdot \rho x = y, \quad x \cdot y = \mu(y \cdot x))$$

for some transformation λ , (resp. ρ, μ) of the set Q .

If the operation (\cdot) in a quasigroup $(Q; \cdot; \cdot^\ell; \cdot^r)$ has a middle inverse property, then the operations (\cdot^ℓ) and (\cdot^r) have left and right inverse property respectively.

Let $(Q; \circ)$ be a group isotope (i.e. it is isotopic to a group) and let $0 \in Q$, then

$$x \circ y = \alpha x + a + \beta y \tag{1}$$

is called a *θ -canonical decomposition*, if $(Q; +; 0)$ is a group and $\alpha 0 = \beta 0 = 0$. An arbitrary element of a group isotope uniquely defines its canonical decomposition [2].

THEOREM 1. *Let $(Q; \circ)$ be a group isotope and (1) be its canonical decomposition, then:*

- 1) (\circ) has a right inverse property if and only if α an involutive automorphism of $(Q; +)$ and

$$\alpha a = -a, \quad \rho = \beta^{-1} J I_a \alpha \beta.$$

- 2) (\circ) has a left inverse property with if and only if β an involutive anti-automorphism of $(Q; +)$ and

$$\beta a = -a, \quad \lambda = \alpha^{-1} J I_a \beta \alpha,$$

- 3) (\circ) is middle inverse property if and only if exist anti-automorphism θ such that

$$\mu x = \theta x + c, \quad \theta^2 = I_c^{-1}, \quad \alpha = \theta \beta,$$

where $c := -\theta a + a$.