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RECAP OF BASIC CONSTRUCTIONS

Fix signature Σ

(S) subalgebras $\underline{A} = (A; \dots)$, $B \leq \underline{A}$ non-empty subuniverse
 $\rightsquigarrow \underline{B} = (B; \text{restrictions})$

(P) products $\underline{A}_i, i \in I$
 $\rightsquigarrow \prod \underline{A}_i = (\prod A_i, \text{coordinate-wise})$

(H) quotients $\underline{A}, \sim \leq \underline{A}^2$ congruence
 $\rightsquigarrow \underline{A}/\sim = (A/\sim; \text{using representatives})$

$Sg_{\underline{A}}(X)$ = subuniverse generated by $X \subseteq A$
can be obtained iteratively $X^{\subseteq A} = \bigcap_{X \subseteq B \subseteq A} B$

$Sg_{\underline{A}}$... algebraic closure operator on A

$L_{Sg_{\underline{A}}} =: Sub(\underline{A})$

$Cg_{\underline{A}}(X)$ = congruence generated by $X \subseteq A \times A$ - $\bigcap \dots$
can be obtained iteratively

$Cg_{\underline{A}}$... algebraic closure operator on $A \times A$

$L_{Cg_{\underline{A}}} =: Con(\underline{A})$

VARIETIES

\mathcal{K} ... class of algebras of a fixed signature Σ

$H(\mathcal{K}) :=$ all algebras that are isomorphic to quotients of algebras from \mathcal{K}

$S(\mathcal{K}) :=$ subalgebras

$P(\mathcal{K}) :=$ products (includes one-element)

$V(\mathcal{K}) := S(\mathcal{K}) \cup H(\mathcal{K}) \cup P(\mathcal{K}) \cup HS(\mathcal{K}) \cup \dots \cup PHSP(\mathcal{K}) \cup \dots$
the variety generated by \mathcal{K}
= the smallest variety containing \mathcal{K}

Def \mathcal{K} is a variety if it is closed under H, S, and P

Examples

- ✓ • the class of all groups
- ✓ • ——— vector spaces over \underline{F}
- ✓ • lattices

0 all classes "described by identities" are varieties
converse: Birkhoff's HSP theorem

X • $\{(Q, \cdot); \cdot \text{ is a group operation}\}$ - not a variety

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- $H, S,$ and P are closure operators
(on the "class" of all classes of algebras in sign. Σ)
in particular $SS(\mathcal{K}) = S(\mathcal{K}), \dots$
- $SH(\mathcal{K}) \subseteq HS(\mathcal{K}), PS(\mathcal{K}) \subseteq SP(\mathcal{K})$
 $PH(\mathcal{K}) \subseteq HP(\mathcal{K})$
- $V(\mathcal{K}) = HSP(\mathcal{K}) !$
- \mathcal{K} is a variety iff $HSP(\mathcal{K}) \subseteq \mathcal{K}$

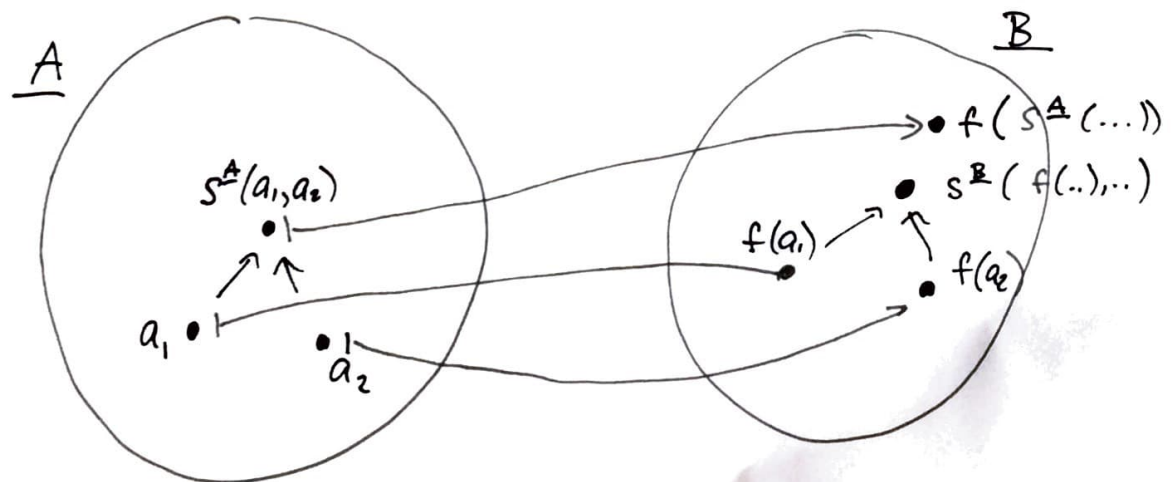
HOMOMORPHISMS

Def. $\underline{A} = (A, \dots), \underline{B} = (B, \dots)$... algebras of signature Σ

$f: A \rightarrow B$ is a homomorphism from \underline{A} to \underline{B} ,

written $f: \underline{A} \rightarrow \underline{B}$, if it preserves all the basic operations:

$\forall s \in \Sigma \quad \forall a_1, \dots, a_{ar(s)} \in A \quad f(s^A(a_1, \dots)) = s^B(f(a_1), \dots)$



Examples

• in groups homo = homo, in vector spaces homo = linear map

• $(S_n, \circ, 1, 1) \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}_2, +, -, 0)$
 $x \mapsto \text{parity}(x)$ (0...even, 1 odd)

• $(\mathbb{R}, +) \rightarrow (\mathbb{R}, \cdot)$
 $x \mapsto e^x$

• $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot) \rightarrow (M_2(\mathbb{R}), +, \cdot)$
 $a+bi \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -b & a \end{pmatrix}$

• $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot, -, 0, 1) \rightarrow (\mathbb{Z}_n, +, \cdot, -, 0, 1)$
 $x \mapsto x \text{ mod } n$

H, S, P & HOMOMORPHISMS

H, S, P \leadsto homo's

$B \subseteq A$	$B = A_1 \times A_2$	$B = A / \sim$
$i: B \rightarrow A$ $b \mapsto b$	$\pi_1: B \rightarrow A$ $(a_1, a_2) \mapsto a_1$	$q_\sim: A \rightarrow B$ $a \mapsto a/\sim$

Recall: $f: A \rightarrow B$ mapping

- $f(A) = \{f(a) : a \in A\} \subseteq B$
- $\ker(f) = \{(a, a') : f(a) = f(a')\}$ equiv. on B

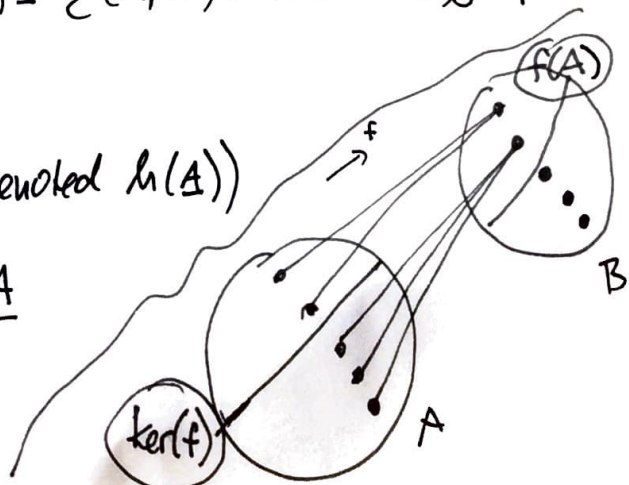
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$h: A \rightarrow B$. Then

• $h(A) \subseteq B$ (the subalg. denoted $h(A)$)

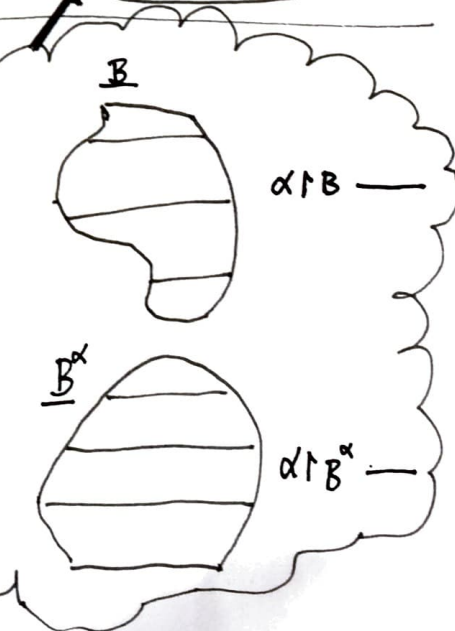
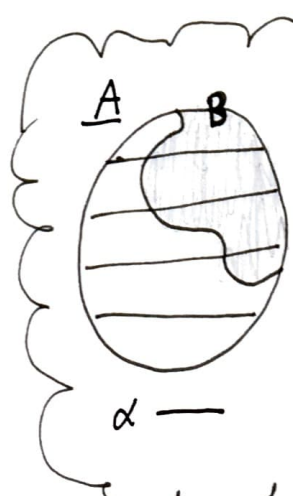
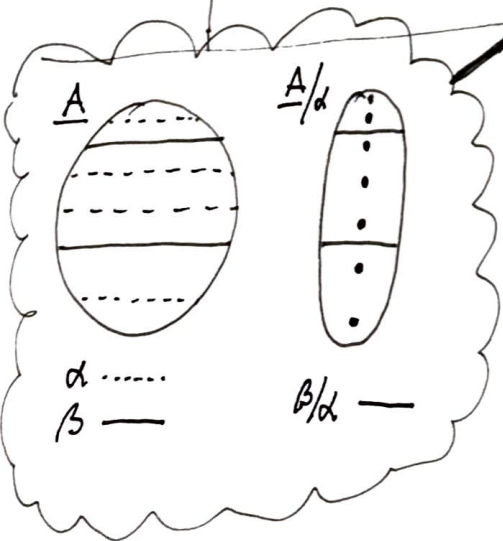
• $\ker(h)$ is a congruence of A

Compare to groups



ISOMORPHISM THEOREMS

	1st	2nd (3rd)	3rd (2nd)
groups	$h: G \rightarrow H$ $\Rightarrow h(G) \cong H/\ker h$	$K, N \trianglelefteq G$ $K \leq N$ $\Rightarrow \frac{G/K}{N/K} \cong \frac{G/N}{N/K}$	$N \trianglelefteq G$ $H \leq G$ $\Rightarrow HN/N \cong H/H \cap N$
$n\mathbb{Z}$	$\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$	$"a/c/b/c = a/b"$	$\gcd(a,b)/a = b/\text{lcm}(a,b)$ $"\text{lcm}(a,b)/b = a/\gcd(a,b)"$
general	$h: A \rightarrow B$ $\Rightarrow h(A) \cong A/\ker h$	$\alpha, \beta \in \text{Con}(A)$ $\alpha \leq \beta$ $\Rightarrow \frac{A/\alpha}{\beta/\alpha} \cong \frac{A/\beta}{\beta/\beta}$	$\alpha \in \text{Con}(A)$ $B \leq A$ $\Rightarrow \frac{B^\alpha}{\alpha \upharpoonright B^\alpha} \cong \frac{B}{\alpha \upharpoonright B}$



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ad 2nd $A/\alpha / \beta/\alpha \cong A/\beta$

Correspondence theorem

$\alpha \in \text{Con } \underline{A}$. Then $[\alpha, 1] \rightarrow \text{Con}(A/\alpha)$ is lattice iso
 $\beta \mapsto \beta/\alpha$
interval in $\text{Con } \underline{A}$

"congruences of a quotient are seen in $\text{Con}(A)$ "

