

## A CONSTRUCTION OF A CONGRUENCE IN A UP-ALGEBRA BY A PSEUDO-VALUATION

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ABSTRACT. In our recently published paper, we study pseudo-valuations on UP-algebras and obtain some related results. In this article, we use a pseudo-metric induced by a pseudo-valuation to introduce a congruence relation on a UP-algebra. In addition, we construct the quotient algebra induced by this relation and prove that it is also a UP-algebra.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

The idea that universal algebra should be analyzed by means of pseudo-valuation was first developed by D. Busneag in 1996 [1]. This author has expanded the perception of pseudo-valuation on Hilbert's algebras [2]. Logical algebras and pseudo-valuations on them have become an object of interest for researchers in recent years. For example, Doh and Kang [3, 4] introduced in the concept of pseudo-valuation on BCK/BCI - algebras. Ghorbani in 2010 [5] determined a congruence on BCI-algebras based on pseudo-valuation and describe the obtained factorial structure generated by this congruence. Song, Roh and Jun described pseudo-valuation on BCK/BCI - algebras [15] and Song, Bordbar and Jun have described the quotient structure on such algebras generated by pseudo-valuation [16]. Jun, Lee and Song analyzed in article [8] several types of quasi-valuation maps on BCK-algebra and their interactions. Also, Mehrshad and Kouhestani were interested in pseudo-valuations on BCK-algebra [10]. Jun, Ahn and Roh. in [7] described pseudo-valuation on the BCC-algebras. Koam, Haider and Ansari described in 2019 pseudo-valuations on KU-algebras [9].

The concept of UP-algebras is introduced and analyzed by Iampan in 2017 [6] as a generalization of the concept of KU-algebras. This author has participated in the analysis of the properties of UP-algebras, also (See, for example: [11, 12, 13]).

In recently published article [14], he offered one way of determining of pseudo-valuation on PU-algebras. Apart from showing he demonstrated how to construct a pseudo-metric space by such mapping.

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In this article, using the pseudo-metric induced by a pseudo-valuation the author construct the quotient algebra. In addition, it has been shown that the algebra constructed in this way is also UP-algebra.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Here we give the definition of UP-algebra and some of its substructures necessary for further work.

**Definition 2.1** ([6]). *An algebra  $A = (A, \cdot, 0)$  of type  $(2, 0)$  is called a UP- algebra if it satisfies the following axioms:*

- (UP-1)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)((y \cdot z) \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot z)) = 0)$ ,
- (UP-2)  $(\forall x \in A)(0 \cdot x = x)$ ,
- (UP-3)  $(\forall x \in A)(x \cdot 0 = 0)$ , and
- (UP-4)  $(\forall x, y \in A)((x \cdot y = 0 \wedge y \cdot x = 0) \implies x = y)$ .

In  $A$  we can define a binary relation ' $\leq$ ' by

$$(\forall x, y \in A)(x \leq y \iff x \cdot y = 0).$$

**Definition 2.2** ([6]). *A non-empty subset  $J$  of a UP-algebra  $A$  is called a UP-ideal of  $A$  if it satisfies the following conditions:*

- (1)  $0 \in J$ , and
- (2)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)((x \cdot (y \cdot z) \in J \wedge y \in J) \implies x \cdot z \in J)$ .

**Definition 2.3** ([11]). *Let  $A$  be a UP-algebra. A subset  $G$  of  $A$  is called a proper UP-filter of  $A$  if it satisfies the following properties:*

- (3)  $\neg(0 \in G)$ , and
- (4)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)((\neg(x \cdot (y \cdot z) \in G) \wedge x \cdot z \in G) \implies y \in G)$ .

In this section, we introduce the concept of pseudo-valuations on UP-algebras, describe the basics properties of such pseudo-valuation and construct a pseudo-metric space based on this mapping.

**Definition 2.4** ([14], Definition 3.1). *A real-valued function  $v$  on a UP-algebra  $A$  is called a pseudo-valuation on  $A$  if it satisfies the following two conditions:*

- (5)  $v(0) = 0$ , and
- (6)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)(v(x \cdot z) \leq v(x \cdot (y \cdot z)) + v(y))$ .

*A pseudo-valuation  $v$  on a UP-algebra  $A$  satisfying the following condition:*

- (7)  $(\forall x \in A)(v(x) = 0 \implies x = 0)$

*is called a valuation on  $X$ .*

**Theorem 2.1** ([14], Theorem 3.16). *Let  $A$  be a UP-algebra and  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on  $A$ . Then the mapping  $d_v : A \times A \ni (x, y) \mapsto v(x \cdot y) + v(y \cdot x) \in \mathbb{R}$  is a pseudo-metric on  $A$ .*

## 3. THE MAIN RESULTS

### 3.1. Some important properties of pseudo-metric on UP-algebras.

**Proposition 3.1.** *Let  $v$  be pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$ . Then*

- (8)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)(d_v(x \cdot z, y \cdot z) \leq d_v(x, y))$ ;
- (9)  $(\forall x, y, z \in A)(d_v(z \cdot x, z \cdot y) \leq d_v(x, y))$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x, y, z$  be arbitrary elements of  $A$ . Then the following holds

$$\begin{aligned} d_v(x \cdot z, y \cdot z) &= v((x \cdot z) \cdot (y \cdot z)) + v((y \cdot z) \cdot (x \cdot z)) \\ &\leq v((x \cdot z) \cdot ((y \cdot x) \cdot (y \cdot z))) + v(y \cdot x) \\ &\quad + v((y \cdot z) \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot z))) + v(x \cdot y) \\ &= (0 + v(y \cdot x)) + (0 + v(x \cdot y)) \\ &= d_v(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

since it is  $v((x \cdot z) \cdot ((y \cdot x) \cdot (y \cdot z))) = v(0) = 0$  and  $v((y \cdot z) \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot z))) = v(0) = 0$ .

On the other hand, relying on valid inequality (4) in the article [14], we have

$$\begin{aligned} d_v(z \cdot x, z \cdot y) &= v((z \cdot x) \cdot (z \cdot y)) + v((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)) \\ &\leq v((x \cdot y) \cdot ((z \cdot x) \cdot (z \cdot y))) + v(x \cdot y) \\ &\quad + v((y \cdot x) \cdot ((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x))) + v(y \cdot x) \\ &= (0 + v(x \cdot y)) + (0 + v(y \cdot x)) = v(x \cdot y) + v(y \cdot x) \\ &= d_v(x, y). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

### 3.2. A construction of a congruence on UP-algebra.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $v$  be a pseudo valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$ . Define the relation  $\theta_v \subseteq A \times A$  by:

$$(\forall x, y \in A)((x, y) \in \theta_v \iff d_v(x, y) = 0)$$

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$ . Then  $\theta_v$  is a congruence relation on  $A$ .

*Proof.* Since  $\theta_v$  induced by a pseudo-metric  $d_v$ , it is an equivalence relation on  $A$ .

To prove that  $\theta$  compatible with the internal operation in  $A$ , we assume that  $x, y, z \in A$  are such that  $(x, y) \in \theta$ . Then  $d_v(x, y) = 0$ . Thus

$$0 \leq d_v(x \cdot z, y \cdot z) \leq d_v(x, y) = 0 \text{ and } 0 \leq d_v(z \cdot x, z \cdot y) \leq d_v(x, y) = 0.$$

by Proposition 3.1. Hence  $d_v(x \cdot z, y \cdot z) = 0$  and  $d_v(z \cdot x, z \cdot y) = 0$ , which means  $(x \cdot z, y \cdot z) \in \theta$  and  $(z \cdot x, z \cdot y) \in \theta$ .

So,  $\theta_v$  is a congruence relation on  $A$ .  $\square$

For the congruence relation  $\theta_v$  on UP-algebra  $A$ , constructed in this way, we say that it is induced by a pseudo-valuation  $v$ .

**Proposition 3.3.** Let  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$  and  $\theta_v$  be the congruence relation induced by  $v$ . Then the class  $[0]_v$  in  $A/\theta_v = \{[x]_v : x \in A\}$ , generated by the element  $0$  in  $A$ , is an ideal in  $A$ .

*Proof.* Obviously the following applies:  $x \in [0]_v$  if and only if  $(x, 0) \in \theta_v$ . Then  $d_v(x, 0) = 0$ . This means  $0 = v(x \cdot 0) + v(0 \cdot x) = v(0) + v(x) = v(x)$ . Therefore,  $[0]_v$  is an ideal in  $A$ , according to Theorem 3.6 in article [14].  $\square$

**Corollary 3.4.** Let  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$  and  $\theta_v$  be the congruence relation induced by  $v$ . Then the set  $\bigcup\{[x]_v : x \in A \wedge \neg(x \in [0]_v)\}$  is a proper filter in  $A$ .

*Proof.* The proof of this corollary follows from Theorem 3.7 in article [11].  $\square$

### 3.3. The quotient $A/[0]_v$ is a UP-algebra.

**Theorem 3.5.** *Let  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$ ,  $\theta_v$  be the congruence induced by  $v$  and  $[0]_v$  be the class in  $A/\theta_v$ . Then the factor-set  $A/[0]_v$  is a UP-algebra.*

*Proof.* Let  $v$  be a pseudo-valuation on a UP-algebra  $A$  and let  $\theta_v$  be the congruence on  $A$  induced by  $v$ . According to the previous proposition, class  $[0]_v$  is an ideal in  $A$ . We can construct a congruence relation  $\sim_v$  on  $A$  using this ideal, by Theorem 3.5 in article [6], as follows

$$(\forall x, y \in A)(x \sim_v y \iff (x \cdot y \in [0]_v \wedge y \cdot x \in [0]_v)).$$

On the other hand, this pseudo-valuation  $v$  allows us to determine the ideal  $J_v = \{x \in A : v(x) = 0\}$  in  $A$ , by Theorem 3.6 in article [14]. Now, we have if  $x \sim_v y$ , then  $x \cdot y \in [0]_v$  and  $y \cdot x \in [0]_v$ . This means  $d_v(x \cdot y, 0) = 0$  and  $d_v(y \cdot x, 0) = 0$ . Thus  $v((x \cdot y) \cdot 0) + v(0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) = 0$  and  $v((y \cdot x) \cdot 0) + v(0 \cdot (y \cdot x)) = 0$ . From here, considering (UP-2), (UP-3) and (5), we have  $v(x \cdot y) = 0$  and  $v(y \cdot x) = 0$ . Therefore,  $x \cdot y \in J_v$  and  $y \cdot x \in J_v$ . Without much difficulty it can be checked that the reverse deduction is true, too.

On the set  $A/\theta_v = \{[x]_v : x \in A\}$ , we define

$$(\forall x, y \in A)([x]_v * [y]_v = [x \cdot y]_v).$$

According to claim (4) of Theorem 3.7 in article [6], factor-set  $A/[0]_v$  is a UP-algebra.  $\square$

## 4. CONCLUSION

In 2010, Ghorbani presented the idea of constructing a congruence on BCI-algebras in [5] by using the pseudo-valuation given on that algebra. That idea, 2018, was discussed by S.-Z. Song, H. Bordbar and Y. B. Jun. in [16]. This author introduced the concept of pseudo-valuations on UP-algebras in [14]. Looking at the texts [5, 16], in this article, as a continuation of [14], we introduced a congruence relation  $\theta_v$  generated by a given pseudo-valuation  $v$  on the UP-algebra  $A$ .

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