

## On the Prime Radical of a Hypergroupoid

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**Abstract:** In this study, we give definitions of a prime ideal, a s-semiprime ideal and a w-semiprime ideal for a hypergroupoid K. For an ideal A of K we show that radical of A ( $R(A)$ ) can be represented as the intersection of all prime ideals of K containing A and we define a strongly A-nilpotent element. For any ideal A of K, we prove that  $R(A) = \bigcap \{ \text{s-semiprime ideals of K containing A} \} = \bigcap \{ \text{w-semiprime ideals of K containing A} \} = \{ \text{strongly A nilpotent elements} \}$ . For an ideal B of K put  $B^{(0)} = B$  and  $B^{(n+1)} = (B^{(n)})^2$ . If a hypergroupoid K satisfies the ascending chain condition for ideals then  $(R(A))^{(n)} \subseteq A$  for some n. For an ideal A of K we give a definition of right radical of A ( $R_+(A)$ ). If K is associative then  $R(A) = R_+(A) = R_-(A)$ .

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### 1. Hypergroupoids and Complete $\ell$ -Groupoids

**Definition 1.1:** A groupoid K is a system  $(K, \cdot)$ , where K is a set and  $\cdot$  is a binary operation on K.

**Definition 1.2<sup>[1]</sup>:** A complete  $\ell$ -groupoid is a system  $(K, \cdot)$ , where K is a complete lattice and  $\cdot$  is a binary operation on K which satisfies the following conditions:

$$a \cdot \left( \bigvee_{t \in T} b_t \right) = \bigvee_{t \in T} (a \cdot b_t), \quad \left( \bigvee_{t \in T} b_t \right) \cdot a = \bigvee_{t \in T} (b_t \cdot a)$$

for all  $a, b_t \in K$

Let K be a set and denote by  $2^K$  the set of all its subsets.

**Definition 1.3<sup>[2]</sup>:** A multivariable binary operation on K is a map  $\vartheta: K \times K \rightarrow 2^K$ . A hypergroupoid is a system  $(K, \vartheta)$ , where K is a set and  $\vartheta$  is a multivariable operation on K.

From now on, we write  $a \cdot b$  instead of  $\vartheta(a, b)$

Let  $(K, \cdot)$  be a hypergroupoid. For  $A, B \in 2^K$ .  $A \neq \emptyset$ ,  $B \neq \emptyset$ , put  $A \cdot B = \bigcup_{\substack{a \in A \\ b \in B}} (a \cdot b)$  and  $\emptyset \cdot A = A \cdot \emptyset = \emptyset$  for all

$A \in 2^K$ . Then  $(2^K, \cdot)$  is a complete  $\ell$ -groupoid.

Conversely, If  $(2^K, \cdot)$  is a complete  $\ell$ -groupoid then a restriction of the binary operation of  $2^K$  to K is a multivariable operation on K and K is a hypergroupoid, with respect to this operation.

Let w be a ternary relation on K.

For  $(a, b) \in K \times K$ , put  $a \cdot b = \{ x \in K \mid (a, b, x) \in w \}$ , then  $(K, \cdot)$  is a hypergroupoid.

Conversely, let  $(K, \cdot)$  be a hypergroupoid. Denote by w the set  $(a, b, c) \in K \times K \times K$  such that  $a \cdot b \neq \emptyset$  and  $c \in a \cdot b$ . Then w is a ternary relation on K.

Hypergroupoids contain the following two classes of algebraic systems.

1. A partial binary operation  $\vartheta$  on K is a map  $\vartheta: A \rightarrow K$ , where A is a subset of  $K \times K$ . A partial groupoid is a system  $(K, \cdot)$ , where  $\cdot$  is a partial binary operation on K.

Let  $(K, \cdot)$  be a partial groupoid and A is the definition domain of  $\cdot$ . For  $(a, b) \notin A$  put  $a \cdot b = \emptyset$ . Then  $\cdot$  is defined for all  $(a, b) \in K \times K$  and  $(K, \cdot)$  is a hypergroupoid.

2. Let  $\{k, \vartheta_v, v \in S\}$  be a universal algebra such that every  $\vartheta_v$  is a binary operation on K. For  $(a, b) \in K \times K$  put  $a \cdot b = \{ \vartheta_v(a, b), v \in S \}$  then  $(K, \cdot)$  is a hypergroupoid.

2. **Prime and Semiprime Elements of an Ordered Groupoid:** Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be an ordered groupoid<sup>[1]</sup>, ch XIV). An ordered groupoid G is called  $\ell_0$ -groupoid if G is a complete lattice. Denote by  $1_G$  the greatest element of G.

**Definition 2.1<sup>[1]</sup>:** Let  $(G, \cdot)$  be an  $\ell_0$ -groupoid. An element  $p \in G$  is prime if  $p \neq 1_G$  and  $a \cdot b \leq p$ , for  $a, b \in G$ , then  $a \leq p$  or  $b \leq p$ .

For  $a \in G$ ,  $a \neq 1_G$ , denote by  $R_G(a)$  the intersection of all prime elements of G containing a. Put  $R_G(a) = 1_G$  if there are not any element with this property.

**Definition 2.2:** An element  $h \in G$  is s-semiprime if  $h \neq 1_G$  and  $a^2 \leq h$ , for  $a \in G$ , implies that  $a \leq h$ .

For  $a \in G$ ,  $a \neq 1_G$ , denote by  $r_G^S(a)$  the intersection of all s-semiprime elements of G containing a. Put  $r_G^S(a) = 1_G$  if there are not any element with this property. For  $a \in G$  denote by  $\langle a \rangle$  the groupoid generated by a. An element of the groupoid  $\langle a \rangle$  will be denoted by  $f(a)$ .

**Definition 2.3:** An element  $h \in G$  is  $w$ -semiprime if  $h \neq 1_G$  and  $f(a) \leq h, a \in G, f(a) \in \langle a \rangle$  implies that  $a \leq h$ .

Therefore every  $w$ -semiprime element is  $s$ -semiprime. For  $a \in G, a \neq 1_G$ , denote by  $r_G^w(a)$  the intersection of all  $w$ -semiprime elements of  $G$  containing  $a$ . Put  $r_G^w(a) = 1_G$  if there are not any element with this property. It is clear that  $r_G^s(a) \leq r_G^w(a) \leq R_G(a)$  for all  $a \in G$ .

### 3. The Prime Radical of an Ideal

**Definition 3.1:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid. A right (left) ideal of  $K$  is a subset  $H$  such that  $ha \subseteq H$  (respectively  $a \cdot h \subseteq H$ ) for all  $a \in K, h \in H$ . An (two-side) ideal of  $K$  is a subset  $H$  such that  $ha \subseteq H$  and  $ah \subseteq H$  for all  $a \in K, h \in H$ . Denote by  $\text{Id}(K)$  ( $\text{Id}_+(K), \text{Id}_-(K)$ ) the set of all ideals (respectively, right ideals, left ideals) of  $K$ . Put  $\emptyset \in \text{Id}(K), \emptyset \in \text{Id}_+(K), \emptyset \in \text{Id}_-(K)$ . Then  $\text{Id}(K), \text{Id}_+(K), \text{Id}_-(K)$  are complete lattices with respect to the inclusion relation.

**Proposition 3.2:** Let  $K$  be an hypergroupoid. Then:

1.  $\bigcap_{t \in T} A_t \in \text{Id}(K)$  and  $\bigcup_{t \in T} A_t \in \text{Id}(K)$  for any  $A_t \in \text{Id}(K)$ ;
2.  $\bigcap_{t \in T} B_t \in \text{Id}_+(K)$  and  $\bigcup_{t \in T} B_t \in \text{Id}_+(K)$  for any  $t \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ ;
3.  $\bigcap_{t \in T} C_t \in \text{Id}_-(K)$  and  $\bigcup_{t \in T} C_t \in \text{Id}_-(K)$  for any  $C_t \in \text{Id}_-(K)$ .

The proof is clear. We next consider the multiplication operation  $A \cdot B$  on  $2^K$ .

**Definition 3.3:** Hypersemigroup is a hypergroupoid  $K$  such that  $(A \cdot B) \cdot C = A \cdot (B \cdot C)$  for any  $A, B, C \in 2^K$ .

If  $K$  is hypersemigroup then  $A \cdot B \in \text{Id}(K)$  for any  $A, B \in \text{Id}(K)$ . But there are a hypergroupoid  $K$  and  $A, B \in \text{Id}(K)$  such that  $A \cdot B \notin \text{Id}(K)$ . Therefore for any hypergroupoid  $K$  we define a multiplication operation of ideals as follows:

For  $A, B \in \text{Id}(K)$  denote by  $A \cdot B$  the intersection of all ideals of  $K$  containing the set  $G = \{x | x = a \cdot b, a \in A, b \in B\}$

Multiplication operations on  $\text{Id}_+(K)$  and  $\text{Id}_-(K)$  are introduced similarly.

**Proposition 3.4:** For any hypergroupoid  $K$ , the lattices  $\text{Id}(K), \text{Id}_+(K), \text{Id}_-(K)$  are complete  $\ell$ -groupoids with respect to above multiplication operations.

**Proof:** We give a proof for  $\text{Id}(K)$  and the proofs for  $\text{Id}_+(K)$  and  $\text{Id}_-(K)$  are similar. Suppose  $A, B_t \in \text{Id}(K), t \in T$ . It is clear that  $A \cdot (\bigcup_{t \in T} B_t) \supseteq \bigcup_{t \in T} (A \cdot B_t)$

Conversely the ideal  $A \cdot (\bigcup_{t \in T} B_t)$  is the smallest ideal containing all elements  $a \cdot b$ , where  $a \in A, b \in \bigcup_{t \in T} B_t$ .

Let  $a, b \in A \cdot (\bigcup_{t \in T} B_t)$ .

Since  $b \in B_t$  for some  $t \in T$  then  $a \cdot b \in A \cdot B_t$ . Therefore  $A \cdot (\bigcup_{t \in T} B_t) \subseteq \bigcup_{t \in T} (A \cdot B_t)$

Now, we apply the definitions and designations of the prime and semiprime elements of ordered groupoids to  $2^K, \text{Id}(K), \text{Id}_+(K), \text{Id}_-(K)$ . Put

$R_G(A) = R(A), r_G^s(A) = r^s(A), r_G^w(A) = r^w(A)$  for  $G = \text{Id}(K), A \in \text{Id}(K)$

$R_G(A) = R_+(A), r_G^s(A) = r_+^s(A), r_G^w(A) = r_+^w(A)$  for  $G = \text{Id}_+(K), A \in \text{Id}_+(K)$

$R_G(A) = R_-(A), r_G^s(A) = r_-^s(A), r_G^w(A) = r_-^w(A)$  for  $G = \text{Id}_-(K), A \in \text{Id}_-(K)$

$R_G(A) = R_o(A), r_G^s(A) = r_o^s(A), r_G^w(A) = r_o^w(A)$  for  $G = 2^K, A \in 2^K$ .

For  $A \in \text{Id}(K)$  the ideal  $R(A)$  will be called radical of  $A$ . An ideal  $A$  is called radical if  $A = R(A)$

**Definition 3.5:** An ideal  $H$  is maximal if  $H \neq K$  and  $H \subseteq B \subseteq K, B \in \text{Id}(K)$  implies that  $H = B$  or  $B = K$ .

For  $a \in K$  denote by  $[a]$  the intersection of all ideals of  $K$  containing  $a$ .

**Proposition 3.6:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid. Then any maximal ideal of  $K$  is prime if and only if  $K = K^2$ .

**Proof:** Let  $K = K^2$  and  $M$  be a maximal ideal of  $K$ . Assume that  $A \cdot B \subseteq M, A, B \in \text{Id}(K)$ . If  $A \not\subseteq M$  and  $B \not\subseteq M$  then  $A \cup M = K, B \cup M = K$ . Therefore  $K \cdot K = (A \cup M)(B \cup M) = A \cdot B \cup A \cup M \cup B \cup M \subseteq M \subseteq K$  by Proposition 3.4. Hence  $M = K$ . This is a contradiction. Thus  $M$  is prime.

Conversely, Let  $K^2 \neq K$  and  $a \in K \setminus K^2$ . We prove that  $M = K \setminus \{a\}$  is a maximal ideal of  $K$  and it is not prime. Let  $b \in M \setminus \{a\}$ . Then  $hb \in M$  and  $hb \in M$  for all  $h \in K$ . Indeed, if there is  $h \in K$  such that  $hb \notin M$  then  $a \in hb$ .

Hence  $a \in K^2$ . It is a contradiction. Thus  $hb \in M$  and  $bh \in M$  for any  $h \in K$ . It is clear that  $M$  is a maximal ideal. Prove that  $M$  is not prime. By  $a \notin M$  we have  $[a] \not\subseteq M$ . But  $[a] \subseteq K^2 \subseteq M$ . Therefore  $M$  is not prime.

**Remark:** This proposition is known for semigroups<sup>[5]</sup>.

Every sequence  $\{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots\}$ , where  $x_0 = a, x_{n+1} \in [x_n]^2$ , will be called an  $s$ -sequence of the element  $a$ .

**Definition 3.7:** Let  $A \in \text{Id}(K)$ . An element  $a \in K$  is strongly  $A$ -nilpotent if every  $s$ -sequence of  $a$  meets  $A$ .

**Remark:** This definition is similar to the definition of the n-sequence<sup>[6]</sup>.

Denote by  $n(A)$  the set of all strongly A-nilpotent elements of K.

**Theorem 3.8:** Let K be a hypergroupoid. Then for any ideal A of K, we have  $n(A)=r^s(A)=r^w(A)=R(A)$ .

**Proof:** From the definitions  $r^s(A)$ ,  $r^w(A)$ ,  $R(A)$  we obtain  $r^s(A)\subseteq r^w(A)\subseteq R(A)$  for any  $A\in Id(K)$ .

We prove that  $n(A)\subseteq r^s(A)$ . If there is not an s-semiprime ideal of K containing A then  $r^s(A)=K$  and  $n(A)\subseteq r^s(A)$ .

Assume that there exists an s-semiprime ideal of K containing A. Let  $a\in n(A)$  and S be s-semiprime ideal of K containing A. We first prove that  $a\in S$ . If  $a\notin S$ , then  $[x_0]\not\subseteq S$ , where  $x_0=a$ . There exists  $x_1\in [x_0]^2$  such that  $x_1\notin S$  since  $[x_0]^2\not\subseteq S$ .

By continuing in this manner we obtain an s-sequence  $\{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots\}$  of the element a such that  $x_n\notin S$  for all n. But this is a contradiction since every s-sequence of the element a meets A. Thus  $a\in S$  and  $a\in r^s(A)$  since S is any semiprime ideal containing A. Hence  $n(A)\subseteq r^s(A)\subseteq r^w(A)\subseteq R(A)$ .

Now we prove that  $R(A)=n(A)$ . If  $n(A)=K$  then  $n(A)=r^s(A)=r^w(A)=R(A)=K$ . Let  $n(A)\neq K$ . Hence there exists  $b\in K$  such that  $b\notin n(A)$ . Then there exists an s-sequence  $X=\{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots\}$  of the element b such that  $X\cap A=\emptyset$ . Denote by  $\Sigma$  the set of ideals M in K such that  $X\cap M=\emptyset$ ,  $M\supseteq A$ .  $\Sigma$  is not empty since  $A\in \Sigma$ .

We can apply Zorn's lemma to the set  $\Sigma$  so there exists a maximal element P of  $\Sigma$ . We show that P is prime.

First, P is proper since  $b\notin P$ . Let  $B, C\in Id(K)$ ,  $B\cap P, C\cap P$ . Then  $P\cup B\neq P$  and  $P\cup C\neq P$ . By the maximality of P in  $\Sigma$ . We have  $P\cup B\notin \Sigma$  and  $P\cup C\notin \Sigma$ . Hence there exist  $x_m\in X$ ,  $x_q\in X$  such that  $x_m\in P\cup B$ ,  $x_q\in P\cup C$ . Then  $[x_m]\subseteq P\cup B$ ,  $[x_q]\subseteq P\cup C$ . Hence  $x_{m+1}\in [x_m]^2\subseteq P\cup B$ ,  $x_{q+1}\in [x_q]^2\subseteq P\cup C$ . By continuing in this manner we find  $x_{m+t}\in P\cup B$ ,  $x_{q+t}\in P\cup C$  for all t. Put  $n=\max(m, q)$ . Then  $x_n\in P\cup B$ ,  $x_n\in P\cup C$ . Hence,  $x_{n+1}\in [x_n]^2\subseteq (P\cup B)\cdot(P\cup C)\subseteq P\cup B\cdot C$  by the Proposition 3.4. But  $x_{n+1}\notin P$ . Hence  $B\cdot C\not\subseteq P$ . Therefore P is prime. Thus there exists a prime ideal P such that  $b\notin P$ . Thus  $n(A)=r^s(A)=r^w(A)=R(A)$ . From the Theorem 3.8, we obtain that every s-semiprime ideal of K is radical.

The ideal  $R(\emptyset)$  will be called the prime radical of the hypergroupoid K and will be denoted by  $Pr. rad(K)$ .

**Corollary 3.9:** For any ideal A of K the following conditions are equivalent:

1.  $R(A)=A$ ;
2. If  $B^{(n)}\subseteq A$ ,  $B\in Id(K)$ , for some n then  $B\subseteq A$ .
3. If  $B^2\subseteq A$ ,  $B\in Id(K)$ , then  $B\subseteq A$ .

**Proof:** (1) $\Rightarrow$ (2) $\Rightarrow$ (3) is clear. (3) $\Rightarrow$ (2): Let  $B^{(n)}\subseteq A$ ,  $B\in Id(K)$ , for some n. Then  $B^{(n)}=(B^{(n-1)})^2\subseteq A$  implies that  $B^{(n-1)}\subseteq A$ . By induction on n we obtain  $B\subseteq A$ . (2) $\Rightarrow$ (1): The condition (2) implies that  $r^s(A)=A$ . By the Theorem 3.8 we see  $R(A)=r^s(A)=A$ .

**Corollary 3.10:** For a hypergroupoid K the following conditions are equivalent:

1. Every ideal of K is radical;
2.  $A\cdot B=A\cap B$  for all  $A, B\in Id(K)$ ;
3.  $[a]^2=[a]$  for all  $a\in K$ .

**Proof:** We use the following lemma:

**Lemma 3.11:**  $R(A\cdot B)=R(A\cap B)=R(A)\cap R(B)$  for any  $A, B\in Id(K)$ .

The proof of this lemma follows from the Proposition 1.6<sup>[7]</sup>.

(1) $\Rightarrow$ (2): If every ideal of K is radical then using the lemma we obtain

$A\cdot B=R(A\cdot B)=R(A)\cap R(B)=A\cap B$ . (2) $\Rightarrow$ (3): Let  $A\cdot B=A\cap B$  for all  $A, B\in Id(K)$ . Then  $A^2=A$  for all  $A\in Id(K)$ . (3) $\Rightarrow$ (1): We prove that every ideal of K is s-semiprime. Let A be an ideal of K. Then  $A=\bigcup_{a\in A} [a]$ .

Using the Proposition 3.4 we have  $A^2=(\bigcup_{a\in A} [a])^2=(\bigcup_{a\in A} [a]^2)\cup(\bigcup_{a\in A} [a][b])=\bigcup_{a\in A} [a]=A$  since

$[a]\cdot [b]\subseteq [a]\cap [b]$  for any  $a, b\in A$ . Thus  $A^2=A$  for all  $A\in Id(K)$ . Assume that  $B^2\subseteq A$ ,  $B\in Id(K)$ . Then  $B=B^2\subseteq A$ . Therefore A is s-semiprime. From the Theorem 3.8 we obtain that A is radical.

**Remark:** This corollary is an analog of the similar theorem for associative rings<sup>[8]</sup>.

**Definition 3.12:** Let  $A\in Id(K)$ . An ideal B of K is  $A_s$ -nilpotent if  $B^{(n)}\subseteq A$  for some n.

**Proposition 3.13:** Let K be hypergroupoid and  $A, B\in Id(K)$ . If C is  $B_s$ -nilpotent and B is  $A_s$ -nilpotent then C is  $A_s$ -nilpotent.

**Proof:** Since C is  $B_s$ -nilpotent then  $C^{(n)}\subseteq B$  for some n. Hence  $C^{(n+m)}=(C^{(n)})^{(m)}\subseteq B^{(m)}\subseteq A$  for some m.

**Theorem 3.14:** Let K be a hypergroupoid satisfying the ascending chain condition for ideals. Then for any ideals A of K,  $R(A)$  is  $A_s$ -nilpotent.

**Proof:** Let  $A\in Id(K)$ . Denote by  $\Sigma$  the set of all  $A_s$ -nilpotent ideals H of K such that  $H\supseteq A$ .  $\Sigma$  is not empty since  $A\in \Sigma$ . There exists a maximal element P in  $\Sigma$ . We prove that P is s-semiprime. Let  $B^2\subseteq P$ . Then  $(B\cup P)^2=B^2\cup B\cup P\cup P^2\subseteq P$ . By Proposition 3.13 the

ideal  $B \cup P$  is  $A_s$ -nilpotent. By the maximality of  $P$  we have  $B \cup P = P$ . Hence  $B \subseteq P$ . This means that  $P$  is  $s$ -semiprime. Since  $P \supseteq A$  then  $R(A) \subseteq P$  by Theorem 3.8. But  $P^{(n)} \subseteq A \subseteq R(A)$  for some  $n$ . Since  $R(A)$  is  $s$ -semiprime then  $P \subseteq R(A)$ . Thus  $P = R(A)$

**Remark:** This theorem is similar to the proposition for associative rings<sup>[9]</sup>.

**Corollary 3.15:** Let  $K$  be hypergroupoid satisfying the ascending chain condition for ideals. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

1.  $K^{(n)} = \emptyset$  for some  $n$ .
2.  $K$  doesn't have a prime ideal;
3.  $K$  doesn't have a  $s$ -semiprime ideal.

A proof follows from Theorem 3.14 and the definition of  $\text{Pr. rad}(K)$ . Denote by  $\text{Id}_r(K)$  the set of all radical ideals of  $K$ .  $\text{Id}_r(K)$  is a complete lattice with respect to the inclusion relation. Denote by  $\vee$  and  $\wedge$  the lattice operations in  $\text{Id}_r(K)$ .

**Theorem 3.16:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid. Then the lattice  $\text{Id}_r(K)$  satisfies the infinite  $\wedge$ -distributive condition:

$$A \wedge (\bigvee_{i \in I} B_i) = \bigvee_{i \in I} (A \wedge B_i) \text{ for any } A, B_i \in \text{Id}_r(K)$$

**Proof:** The proof follows from Theorem 1.3<sup>[7]</sup>.

**Theorem 3.17:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid satisfying the ascending chain condition for ideals. Then any radical ideal of  $K$  is an intersection of finite prime ideals and a such representation is unique.

**Proof:** First we prove the following lemma.

**Lemma:**  $H \in \text{Id}_r(K)$  is prime ideal if and only if  $H$  is an  $\wedge$ -indecomposable element of the lattice  $\text{Id}_r(K)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $A$  be a prime ideal of  $K$  and  $A = A_1 \wedge A_2$ ,  $A_1, A_2 \in \text{Id}_r(K)$ . Then<sup>[7]</sup>.

$A_1 A_2 \subseteq A_1 \cap A_2 \subseteq R(A_1 \cap A_2) = A_1 \wedge A_2 = A$ . Hence  $A_1 \subseteq A$  or  $A_2 \subseteq A$ . Then  $A = A_1$  or  $A = A_2$ . Let  $A$  be an  $\wedge$ -indecomposable element in  $\text{Id}_r(K)$  and  $BC \subseteq A$ ,  $B, C \in \text{Id}(K)$ . Then  $R(B \cdot C) \subseteq A$ . By the lemma 1.6<sup>[7]</sup> we have  $R(B) \wedge R(C) = R(B \cdot C) \subseteq A$ . By the distributivity  $\text{Id}_r(K)$  we obtain  $A = A \vee (R(B) \wedge R(C)) = (A \vee R(B)) \wedge (A \vee R(C))$ . Then  $A = A \vee R(B)$  or  $A = A \vee R(C)$  since  $A$  is  $\wedge$ -indecomposable. This means that  $B \subseteq R(B) \subseteq A$  or  $C \subseteq R(C) \subseteq A$ .

Thus  $A$  is prime. The lemma is proved. By the lemma and the Corollary<sup>[1]</sup> we obtain that every radical ideal of  $K$  is an intersection of finite prime ideals and a such representation is unique.

#### 4. The Right Prime Radical of an Ideal

**Definition 4.1:** A right ideal  $H$  of  $K$  is maximal if  $H \neq K$  and  $H \subseteq B \subseteq K$ ,  $B \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ , implies that  $H = B$  or  $B = K$ .

**Proposition 4.2:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid such that  $A \subseteq K \cdot A$  for all  $A \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ . Then any maximal right ideal of  $K$  is prime element of  $\text{Id}_+(K)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $M$  be a maximal right ideal of  $K$  and  $A \cdot B \subseteq M$ ,  $A, B \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ . If  $A \not\subseteq M$  then  $M \cup A = K$ . By Proposition 3.4 we have  $B \subseteq K \cdot B = (M \cup A) \cdot B = MB \cup AB \subseteq M$ .

**Definition 4.3:** An element  $1 \in K$  is called identity of  $K$  if  $1 \cdot a = a \cdot 1 = a$  for all  $a \in K$ .

**Remark:** The conditions of Proposition 4.2 are satisfied for groupoids with 1. Thus there exists a prime right ideal in such groupoids.

For an element  $a \in K$  denote by  $[a]_+$  the intersection of all right ideals containing  $a$ . Every sequence  $\{x_0, \dots, x_n, \dots\}$ , where  $x_0 = a$ ,  $x_{m+1} \in [x_m]_+^2$ , is called an  $s_+$ -sequence of the element  $a$ .

**Definition 4.4:** Let  $A \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ . An element  $a \in K$  is strongly  $A_+$ -nilpotent if every its  $s_+$ -sequence meets  $A$ .

Denote by  $n_+(A)$  the set of all strongly  $A_+$ -nilpotent elements of  $K$ .

**Proposition 4.5:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid. For any right ideal  $A$  of  $K$  are satisfied the following inequalities:

$$R(A) \subseteq n_+(A) \subseteq r_+^S(A) \subseteq r_+^W(A) \subseteq R_+(A)$$

**Proof:** A proof of  $n_+(A) \subseteq r_+^S(A)$  is similar to the proof of  $n(A) \subseteq r^S(A)$  as in the Theorem 3.8. The inequality  $R(A) \subseteq n_+(A)$  immediately follows from the equality  $R(A) = n(A)$  and definitions of  $n(A)$  and  $n_+(A)$ .

**Theorem 4.6:** Let  $K$  be a hypergroupoid satisfying the following conditions:

$$(K \cdot A) \cdot B = K \cdot (A \cdot B), \quad (A \cdot K) \cdot B = A \cdot (K \cdot B) \text{ for all } A, B \in \text{Id}_+(K). \text{ Then}$$

$$R(A) = n_+(A) = r_+^S(A) = r_+^W(A) = R_+(A) \text{ for any } A \in \text{Id}(K).$$

**Proof:** By Proposition 4.5 it is enough to prove that  $R_+(A) \subseteq R(A)$ .

Denote by  $P(K)$  the set of all prime ideals of  $K$  and by  $P_+(K)$  the set of all prime right ideals of  $K$ . We prove that  $P(K) \subseteq P_+(K)$ . Let  $Q \in P(K)$  and  $B \cdot C \subseteq Q$ ,  $B, C \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ . Then,  $(B \cup K \cdot B) \cdot (C \cup K \cdot C) = (B \cdot C) \cup (B \cdot (K \cdot C)) \cup ((K \cdot B) \cdot C) \cup (K \cdot B) \cdot (K \cdot C) \subseteq Q$ .

Note that  $B \cup KB$  and  $C \cup KC$  are ideals of  $K$ . Indeed  $K \cdot (B \cup KB) = K \cdot B \cup (K \cdot (K \cdot B)) \subseteq B \cup KB$ .

From  $(B \cup KB) \cdot (C \cup KC) \subseteq Q$  we obtain  $B \subseteq B \cup KB \subseteq Q$  or  $C \subseteq C \cup KC \subseteq Q$  since  $Q$  is prime. This means  $Q \in P_+(K)$ .

Thus  $P(K) \subseteq P_+(K)$ . Therefore we have  $R_+(A) \subseteq R(A)$ .

**Remark:** The conditions of this theorem are satisfied for hypersemigroup. Therefore the same theorem is given for nonassociative hypergroupoid  $K$  and  $A \in \text{Id}(K)$  such that  $R(A) = R_+(A)$  and  $R(A) \neq R_-(A)$ .

Let  $A \in \text{Id}_+(K)$ . For  $b \in K$  put  $b^{(0)} = b$ ,  $b^{(n+1)} = (b^{(n)})^2$ .

**Definition 4.7:** An element  $b \in K$  is  $A_s$ -nilpotent if  $b^{(n)} \in A$  for some  $n$ . An element  $b \in K$  is  $A_w$ -nilpotent if  $f(b) \in A$  for some  $f(b) \in \langle b \rangle$ .

Denote by  $n_0^S(A)$  ( $n_0^W(A)$ ) the set of all  $A_s$ -nilpotent (respectively,  $A_w$ -nilpotent) elements of  $K$ .

**Proposition 4.8:** For any ideal  $A$  of  $K$  are hold the following inequalities:

$$R(A) \subseteq n_+(A) \subseteq n_0^S(A) \subseteq r_0^S(A) \subseteq R_0(A)$$

$$R(A) \subseteq n_+(A) \subseteq n_0^W(A) \subseteq r_0^W(A) \in R_0(A)$$

The proof is similar to the proof of Proposition 4.5.

**Theorem 4.9:** Let  $K$  be a hypersemigroup satisfying the condition  $K \cdot a = a \cdot K$  for all  $a \in K$ . Then  $R(A) = n_0(A) = r_0(A) = R_0(A)$  for all  $A \in \text{Id}(K)$ .

The proof is similar to the proof of Theorem 4.6.

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