# Equivalence à la Mundici for lattice-ordered monoids

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Mundici: the category of unital Abelian lattice-ordered groups is equivalent to the category of MV-algebras.

This establishes a bridge between

$$\mathcal{C}(X,\mathbb{R}) \coloneqq \{f \colon X o \mathbb{R} \text{ continuous}\}$$

and

$$C_{\leq}(X, [0, 1]) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to [0, 1] \text{ continuous}\}$$

where X is a compact space.

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 $C_{\leq}(X,\mathbb{R}) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to \mathbb{R} \text{ continuous and monotone}\}$ 

and

 $C_{\leq}(X, [0, 1]) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to [0, 1] \text{ continuous and monotone}\}$ 

where X is a compact space, endowed with a partial order.

# Unital $\ell$ -monoids

#### Definition

A (totally distributive commutative)  $\ell$ -monoid is an algebra  $\langle M; +, \lor, \land, 0 \rangle$  such that:

M1.  $\langle M; \lor, \land \rangle$  is a distributive lattice;

M2.  $\langle M; +, 0 \rangle$  is a commutative monoid;

M3. + distributes over  $\lor$  and  $\land$ .

A unital  $\ell$ -monoid is an algebra  $\langle M; +, \vee, \wedge, 0, 1, -1 \rangle$  such that  $\langle M; +, \vee, \wedge, 0 \rangle$  is an  $\ell$ -monoid and

U1.  $-1 \le 0 \le 1;$ 

U2. (-1) + 1 = 0;

U3. For all  $x \in M$ , there exists  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n(-1) \leq x \leq n1$ .

### Examples of unital *l*-monoids

**Example**  $\mathbb{R}$  is a unital  $\ell$ -monoid.

**Example**  $\mathbb{Z}$  is a unital  $\ell$ -monoid.

#### Example

Given a compact space X with a partial order (e.g.  $X = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ),

$$\begin{split} & \mathcal{C}_{\leq}(X,\mathbb{R}) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to \mathbb{R} \text{ continuous and monotone}\}, \\ & \mathcal{C}_{\leq}(X,\mathbb{Z}) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to \mathbb{Z} \text{ continuous and monotone}\} \end{split}$$

are unital  $\ell$ -monoids.

#### Example

 $\mathbb{Z} \stackrel{\rightarrow}{\times} \mathbb{N} = \{k + n\varepsilon \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}, n \in \{0, 1, 2, ...\}\}$  is a unital  $\ell$ -monoid.

#### Example

 $\{k - n\varepsilon \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}, n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}\}$  is a unital  $\ell$ -monoid.

#### **Theorem (Fuchs, unpublished; Merlier, 1971; Repnitzkii, 1984)** *Every subdirectly irreducible* $\ell$ *-monoid is totally ordered.*

Every subdirectly irreducible unital  $\ell$ -monoid is totally ordered. Every unital  $\ell$ -monoid is isomorphic to a subalgebra of a product of nontrivial totally ordered unital  $\ell$ -monoids.

For a nontrivial totally ordered unital  $\ell$ -monoid M, there exists a unique homomorphism  $\varphi \colon M \to \mathbb{R}$ . This homomorphism "kills the infinitesimals".

Let M be a unital  $\ell$ -monoid. Set

 $Max(M) := hom(M, \mathbb{R}).$ 

Max(M) can be endowed with a certain topology and a certain partial order.

Definition (Nachbin, 1965)

A compact ordered space is a compact Hausdorff space X with a partial order  $\leq$  which is closed in  $X \times X$ .

Max(M) is a compact ordered space.

We obtain a homomorphism

 $ev: M \longrightarrow C_{\leq}(Max(M), \mathbb{R})$  $x \longmapsto ev_{x}: \varphi \mapsto \varphi(x).$ 

This homomorphism "kills the infinitesimals".

# **MMV**-algebras

Given a unital  $\ell$ -monoid M we set

$$\widetilde{\Gamma}(M) \coloneqq \{ x \in M \mid 0 \le x \le 1 \}.$$

We endow  $\widetilde{\Gamma}(M)$  with the following operations:

- $x \oplus y := (x + y) \wedge 1;$
- $x \odot y \coloneqq (x + y 1) \lor 0;$
- $\lor$  is defined by restriction;
- $\wedge$  is defined by restriction;
- $0 \in \widetilde{\Gamma}(M);$
- $1 \in \widetilde{\Gamma}(M)$ .

#### **MMV**-algebras

#### Definition

We call *MMV-algebra* (for *Monoidal MV-algebra*) an algebra  $\langle A; \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1 \rangle$  such that

- A1.  $\langle A; \vee, \wedge, 0, 1 \rangle$  is a bounded distributive lattice;
- A2.  $\langle A; \oplus, 0 \rangle$  and  $\langle A; \odot, 1 \rangle$  are commutative monoids;
- A3.  $x \oplus 1 = 1$  and  $x \odot 0 = 0$ ;
- A4. the operations  $\oplus$  and  $\odot$  distribute over  $\lor$  and  $\land$ ;
- A5.  $[(x \oplus y) \odot z] \oplus (x \odot y) = [(x \odot y) \oplus z] \odot (x \oplus y);$
- A6.  $[(x \oplus y) \odot z] \oplus (x \odot y) = [(x \oplus z) \odot y] \oplus (x \odot z);$
- A7.  $(x \oplus y) \odot z = \{ [(x \oplus y) \odot z] \oplus (x \odot y) \} \land z;$
- A8.  $(x \odot y) \oplus z = \{ [(x \oplus y) \odot z] \oplus (x \odot y) \} \lor z.$

In [0,1] (with  $x \oplus y \coloneqq \min\{x+y,1\}, x \odot y \coloneqq \max\{x+y-1,0\}$ ):  $[(x \oplus y) \odot z] \oplus (x \odot y) = \{[(x+y+z) \lor 1] \land 2\} - 1 = [(x \odot y) \oplus z] \odot (x \oplus y).$  MMV-algebras form a finitely axiomatised variety of finitary algebras!

### Example

[0,1] is an MMV-algebra.

#### Example

Given a unital  $\ell$ -monoid M,  $\langle \widetilde{\Gamma}(M); \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1 \rangle$  is an MMV-algebra. (And every MMV-algebra is of this form.)

#### Example

Given a topological space X with a partial order (e.g.  $X = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ),

 $C_{\leq}(X,[0,1]) \coloneqq \{f \colon X \to [0,1] \text{ cont. and mon.}\} = \widetilde{\Gamma}(C_{\leq}(X,\mathbb{R}))$ 

is an MMV-algebra.

#### Example

 $\{0,1\} = \widetilde{\Gamma}(\mathbb{Z})$  is an MMV-algebra  $(\oplus = \lor \text{ and } \odot = \land).$ 

#### Example

Every bounded distributive lattice *L* is an MMV-algebra, by setting  $\oplus := \lor$  and  $\odot := \land$ .  $L \simeq \widetilde{\Gamma}(C_{\leq}(Spec(L), \mathbb{Z})).$ 

# The equivalence

**Theorem (Main result)** The category of unital  $\ell$ -monoids is equivalent to the category of MMV-algebras.

	MMV-algebras	Unital ℓ-monoids
Pro	Finitely axiomatised variety	Handy operations and
	of finitary algebras.	axioms.
Con	Unwieldy operations and axioms.	Not first-order definable.

Given a unital  $\ell$ -monoid M,

$$\langle \widetilde{\Gamma}(M); \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1 \rangle$$

is an MMV-algebra.

 $\widetilde{\Gamma}$  defines a functor from unital  $\ell\text{-monoids}$  to MMV-algebras.

# A quasi-inverse of $\widetilde{\Gamma}$

We sketch the construction of a quasi-inverse for  $\widetilde{\Gamma}.$ 

#### Idea

An element f of a unital  $\ell$ -monoid M is determined by the function

$$\eta_M(f) \colon \mathbb{Z} \to \widetilde{\Gamma}(M)$$
  
 $n \mapsto [(f \lor n) \land (n+1)] - n.$ 



#### Definition

A good  $\mathbb{Z}$ -sequence in A is a function  $x \colon \mathbb{Z} \to A$  such that

- 1. definitely for  $k \to -\infty$  we have x(k) = 1;
- 2. definitely for  $k \to +\infty$  we have x(k) = 0;
- 3. for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{x}(k) \oplus \mathsf{x}(k+1) &= \mathsf{x}(k); \\ \mathsf{x}(k) \odot \mathsf{x}(k+1) &= \mathsf{x}(k+1). \end{aligned}$$

We set  $\widetilde{\Xi}(A)$  as the set of good  $\mathbb{Z}$ -sequences in A.  $\widetilde{\Xi}(A)$  is a unital  $\ell$ -monoid.  $\widetilde{\Xi}$  is a functor from MMV-algebras to unital  $\ell$ -monoids.

#### Proposition $\widetilde{\Gamma}$ and $\widetilde{\Xi}$ are quasi-inverses.

**Theorem (Main result)** The category of unital  $\ell$ -monoids is equivalent to the category of MMV-algebras.

Classical Mundici's equivalence is a consequence.

# The dual of compact ordered spaces

#### Stone duality

Stone spaces (Comp. Hausd. 0-dimensional) Boolean algebras  $\lor, \land, 0, 1, \neg.$ 

#### **Priestley duality**

Priestley spaces (Stone space with a partial order + totally order-disconnectedness) Bounded distributive lattices  $\lor, \land, 0, 1.$ 

#### **Duality for compact Hausdorff spaces**

Compact Hausdorff spaces

 $\begin{array}{l} \textit{MV-algebras} + \dots \\ \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1, \neg, \dots \end{array}$ 

#### Duality for compact ordered spaces

Compact ordered spaces (Compact Hausdorff space with a closed partial order)

 $\begin{array}{l} \textit{MMV-algebras} + \ldots \\ \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1, \ldots \end{array}$ 

#### Theorem

The category of compact ordered spaces is dually equivalent to a variety of infinitary algebras.

We present one such variety  $MMV_{\infty}$  using the signature  $\{\oplus, \odot, \lor, \land\} \cup [0, 1] \cup \{\delta\}$ , where  $\delta$  has countable arity.

#### The axioms for the variety

An algebra A belongs to  $MMV_\infty$  if

1.  $\langle A; \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1 \rangle$  is an MMV-algebra;

2. for  $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$  s.t.  $\alpha \leq \beta$  in [0, 1] we have  $\alpha^A \leq \beta^A$ ;

3. for  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in [0, 1]$  s.t.  $\alpha \oplus \beta = \gamma$  in [0, 1], we have  $\alpha^A \oplus \beta^A = \gamma^A$ ;

4. for  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in [0, 1]$  s.t.  $\alpha \odot \beta = \gamma$  in [0, 1], we have  $\alpha^A \odot \beta^A = \gamma^A$ ; 5.  $\delta(x, x, x, \dots) = x$ ;

6. 
$$\delta(\tau_1(x, y), \tau_2(x, y), \tau_3(x, y), \dots) = x;$$
  
7.  $\forall n: \rho_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \ominus \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \le \delta(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) \le \rho_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) \oplus \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$ 

where

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$$\begin{aligned} x \ominus \lambda &\coloneqq x \odot (1 - \lambda) \quad (\text{for } \lambda \in [0, 1]). \\ \tau_n(x, y) &\coloneqq \left( y \lor \left( x \ominus \frac{1}{2^n} \right) \right) \land \left( x \oplus \frac{1}{2^n} \right). \\ \rho_1(x_1) &\coloneqq x_1; \\ {}_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) &\coloneqq \tau_{n-1}(\rho_{n-1}(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}), x_n) \quad (\text{for } n \ge 2). \end{aligned}$$

## Conclusions

# **Main result** The category of unital l-monoids is equivalent to the category of MMV-algebras.

## **Future work**

#### Future work

#### 1. Facts:

- a1.  $\langle \mathbb{R};+,\vee,\wedge,0\rangle$  does not generate the variety of  $\ell\text{-monoids}.$
- a2. The variety generated by  $\langle \mathbb{R}; +, \vee, \wedge, 0 \rangle$  is not finitely axiomatised.
- a3. A countable equational axiomatisation for the variety generated by  $\langle \mathbb{R};+,\vee,\wedge,0\rangle \text{ is known}.$

#### To do:

- b1. Prove that  $\langle [0,1];\oplus,\odot,\vee,\wedge,0,1\rangle$  does not generate the variety of MMV-algebras.
- b2. Prove that the variety generated by  $\langle [0,1];\oplus,\odot,\vee,\wedge,0,1\rangle$  is not finitely axiomatised.
- b3. Provide a countable equational axiomatisation for the variety generated by  $\langle [0,1]; \oplus, \odot, \lor, \land, 0, 1 \rangle$ .

#### 2. Fact:

The class of  $\{+,\vee,\wedge,0\}$ -subreducts of Abelian lattice-ordered groups is axiomatised by the equations defining  $\ell$ -monoids together with the cancellation law:

$$x + z = y + z \Longrightarrow x = y.$$

#### To do:

Prove that the class of  $\{\oplus,\odot,\vee,\wedge,0,1\}$ -subreducts of MV-algebras is axiomatised by the equations defining MMV-algebras together with the single quasi-equation

If 
$$x \oplus z = y \oplus z$$
 and  $x \odot z = y \odot z$ , then  $x = y$ .

Thank you for your attention!