

On the class semigroup of a class of C-monoids

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Monoids

- A **monoid** means a commutative cancellative semigroup with identity element, so that any monoid H has its quotient group $q(H)$.

For a monoid H , we call

- $H' = \{x \in q(H) \mid \exists N \in \mathbb{N} \text{ such that } x^n \in H \text{ for all } n \geq N\}$ the **seminormalization** of H ,
- $\tilde{H} = \{x \in q(H) \mid x^N \in H \text{ for some } N \in \mathbb{N}\}$ the **root-closure** of H ,
- $\hat{H} = \{x \in q(H) \mid \exists c \in H \text{ such that } cx^n \in H \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ the **complete integral closure** of H .

Then, $H \subseteq H' \subseteq \tilde{H} \subseteq \hat{H} \subseteq q(H)$, and H is called

- seminormal (resp., root-closed, or completely integrally closed) if $H = H'$ (resp., $H = \tilde{H}$, or $H = \hat{H}$).

The class semigroup

Let $H \subseteq F$ be monoids.

- For $y, y' \in F$, $y \sim_H y'$ on $F \iff y^{-1}H \cap F = (y')^{-1}H \cap F$.
- The set of congruence classes $\mathcal{C}(H, F) = \{[y] \mid y \in F\}$ (resp., $\mathcal{C}^*(H, F) = \{[y] \mid y \in (F \setminus F^\times) \cup \{1\}\}$) is the **class semigroup** (resp., **reduced class semigroup**) of H in F .
- $\mathcal{C}(H, F) = \{[y] \mid y \in F^\times\} \cup \mathcal{C}^*(H, F)$, and either
$$\{[y] \mid y \in F^\times\} \subset \mathcal{C}^*(H, F) \text{ or } \{[y] \mid y \in F^\times\} \cap \mathcal{C}^*(H, F) = \{[1]\}.$$

C-monoids

- A monoid H is called a **C-monoid** if H is a submonoid of a factorial monoid F such that $H \cap F^\times = H^\times$ and $C^*(H, F)$ is finite.
- A domain R is a **C-domain** if its multiplicative monoid R^\bullet is a C-monoid.

- **Reinhart, 2013**

If R is a non-local semilocal Noetherian domain, then $\mathcal{C}_v(\widehat{R})$ and $\widehat{R}/(R : \widehat{R})$ are both finite if and only if R is a C-domain.

ex) If $R = \mathbb{Z}[2i]$, then $\widehat{R} = \mathbb{Z}[i]$ and $(R : \widehat{R}) = 2\mathbb{Z}[i]$, whence R is a non-Krull C-domain.

More generally, every non-principal order in a number field is a non-Krull C-domain.

C-monoids

- [Halter-Koch, 2005](#)

Every C-monoid is a Mori monoid, and a C-monoid is completely integrally closed if and only if its reduced class semigroup is a group.

$$\rightsquigarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Krull monoids with} \\ \text{finite class group} \end{array} \right\} \subset \{\text{C-monoids}\} \subset \{\text{Mori monoids}\}.$$

Krull monoids are central objects to the study of non-unique factorizations, in particular, the monoid $\mathcal{B}(G)$ of product-one sequences over a finite abelian group G .

- [Cziszter-Domokos-Geroldinger, 2016](#)

The monoid $\mathcal{B}(G)$ is finitely generated C-monoid defined in $\mathcal{F}(G)$.

- [Geroldinger-Gryniewicz-OH-Zhong, 2022](#)

The following statements are equivalent:

- (a) G is abelian.
- (b) $\mathcal{B}(G)$ is a Krull monoid.
- (c) $\mathcal{B}(G)$ is a transfer Krull monoid.
- (d) $\mathcal{B}(G)$ is a weakly Krull monoid.
- (e) $\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{B}(G), \mathcal{F}(G)) \cong G$.

$\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{B}(G))$ has an universal character.

For an atomic monoid H ,

$$\mathcal{L}(H) = \{\mathsf{L}(a) \mid a \in H\},$$

where $\mathsf{L}(a)$ is the set of all factorization lengths k .

- Classic

If H is a Krull monoid with finite class group G such that each class contains a prime divisor, then $\mathcal{L}(H) = \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{B}(G))$.

- Baeth-Geroldinger-Gryniewicz-Smertnig, 2015

Let R be a hereditary Noetherian prime ring, and H be the monoid of stable isomorphism classes of finitely generated projective right R -modules. Then, there exist a commutative Krull monoid H_0 and a non-trivial commutative monoid D such that

$$H = ((H_0 \setminus H_0^\times) \times D) \cup (H_0^\times \times \{1_D\})$$

is **not Krull**, but $\mathcal{L}(H) = \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{B}(G))$ for some abelian group G .

C-monoids: The class semigroup

- Geroldinger-Zhong, 2019

If H is a C-monoid, then H is seminormal if and only if its class semigroup is a union of groups.

Let \mathcal{C} be a commutative semigroup, and $e, f \in E(\mathcal{C})$.

- $\mathcal{C}_e = \{x \in \mathcal{C} \mid x + e = x \text{ and } x + y = e\}$ is a group with identity e , and $\mathcal{C}_e \cap \mathcal{C}_f = \emptyset$ if $e \neq f$.
- \mathcal{C} is a union of groups if and only if $\mathcal{C} = \bigcup_{e \in E(\mathcal{C})} \mathcal{C}_e$.

Observation

If H is a C-monoid defined in F , then

- (a) if $[a] \in E(\mathcal{C}^*(H, F))$, then $a \in \widehat{H}$.
- (b) if H is seminormal, then $\{[x] \mid x \in H\} \subset E(\mathcal{C}^*(H, F))$.
- (c) if H is completely integrally closed, then $[a] \in E(\mathcal{C}^*(H, F))$ if and only if $[a] = [1]$.

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Finitely primary monoids

- A monoid H is **finitely primary of rank s and exponent α** if there exist $s, \alpha \in \mathbb{N}$ such that H is a submonoid of a factorial monoid $F = F^\times \times \mathcal{F}(\{p_1, \dots, p_s\})$ satisfying

$$H \setminus H^\times \subseteq (p_1 \dots p_s)F \quad \text{and} \quad (p_1 \dots p_s)^\alpha F \subseteq H.$$

ex) Every numerical semigroup is a finitely primary monoid.

- For a domain R , the following statements are equivalent:
 - (a) R is a root-closed 1-dimensional local Mori domain.
 - (b) R^\bullet is a root-closed finitely primary monoid.

Finitely primary monoids: The class semigroup

Theorem

Let H be finitely primary of rank s . Then

$$\widetilde{H} \setminus (\widetilde{H})^\times = H' \setminus (H')^\times = (p_1 \dots p_s)F,$$

and \widetilde{H} is a C-monoid defined in F . Moreover, if H is root-closed, then

$$\mathcal{C}^*(H, F) \cong \mathcal{C}_1 \times \dots \times \mathcal{C}_s,$$

where $\mathcal{C}_i = \{[p_i]_H^F, [1]_H^F\}$ is a subsemigroup of $\mathcal{C}^(H, F)$.*

Sketch of the proof.

- $[p] \in E(\mathcal{C}(H, F))$ for every prime $p \in F$, and thus

$$\mathcal{C}^*(H, F) = \{[p_1^{r_1} \dots p_s^{r_s}] \mid r_i \in \{0, 1\} \text{ for all } i \in [1, s]\}.$$

- The map $\theta: \mathcal{C}^*(H, F) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_1 \times \dots \times \mathcal{C}_s$, given by $\theta([x]) = ([p_1^{r_1}], \dots, [p_s^{r_s}])$, is an semigroup isomorphism.

Weakly Krull Mori monoids

- A monoid H is **weakly Krull** if

$$H = \bigcap_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H)} H_{\mathfrak{p}} \text{ and } \{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H) \mid a \in \mathfrak{p}\} \text{ is finite for all } a \in H.$$

- A domain R is weakly Krull if and only if R^\bullet is a weakly Krull monoid.
- ex) Every Krull monoid is a (root-closed) weakly Krull Mori monoid.
- ex) Every 1-dimensional Noetherian domain is weakly Krull.
- If H is a weakly Krull Mori monoid, then

$$\mathcal{I}_v^*(H) \cong \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H)} (H_{\mathfrak{p}})_{\text{red}},$$

given by $\mathfrak{a} \mapsto (a_{\mathfrak{p}} H_{\mathfrak{p}}^{\times})_{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H)}$ if $\mathfrak{a}_{\mathfrak{p}} = a_{\mathfrak{p}} H_{\mathfrak{p}}$.

Weakly Krull Mori monoids: The class semigroup

Theorem

Let H be a root-closed weakly Krull Mori monoid with $\emptyset \neq \mathfrak{f} = (H : \widehat{H})$ such that $H_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is finitely primary for each $\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H)$.

1. If $\widehat{H}_{\mathfrak{p}}^{\times} / H_{\mathfrak{p}}^{\times}$ is finite for each $\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H)$, then $\mathcal{I}_v^*(H)$ is a C -monoid defined in $\widehat{\mathcal{I}_v^*(H)}$, and there exists a semigroup isomorphism

$$\mathcal{C}^*(\mathcal{I}_v^*(H), \widehat{\mathcal{I}_v^*(H)}) \cong \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in P^*} \mathcal{C}^*(H_{\mathfrak{p}}, \widehat{H}_{\mathfrak{p}}) \cong \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in P^*} (\mathcal{C}_1 \times \cdots \times \mathcal{C}_{s_{\mathfrak{p}}}),$$

where, for each $\mathfrak{p} \in P^* = \{\mathfrak{p} \in \mathfrak{X}(H) \mid \mathfrak{f} \subseteq \mathfrak{p}\}$,
 $s_{\mathfrak{p}} = |\{\mathfrak{P} \in \mathfrak{X}(\widehat{H}) \mid \mathfrak{P} \cap H = \mathfrak{p}\}|$, $\mathcal{C}_i = \{[\mathfrak{P}_i(\mathfrak{p})], [1]\}$ for each $i \in [1, s_{\mathfrak{p}}]$,
 and $\{\mathfrak{P}_1(\mathfrak{p}), \dots, \mathfrak{P}_{s_{\mathfrak{p}}}(\mathfrak{p})\}$ is the set of pairwise non-associated prime elements in $\widehat{H}_{\mathfrak{p}}$.

2. Suppose that $\mathcal{C}_v(H)$ is finite.

- (a) H_{red} is a C -monoid defined in $F = \mathcal{F}(P) \times \prod_{\mathfrak{p} \in P^*} \widehat{H}_{\mathfrak{p}} / H_{\mathfrak{p}}^{\times}$.
- (b) If H_{red} is dense in F , then H is weakly factorial if and only if \widehat{H} is factorial. In this case, we have $\mathcal{C}^*(H_{\text{red}}, F) \cong \mathcal{C}^*(\mathcal{I}_v^*(H), \widehat{\mathcal{I}_v^*(H)})$.

Weakly Krull Mori monoids: Root-closed examples

- Angermüller, 1983

$\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{d}]$ is root-closed, but not integrally closed if and only if d is square-free and $d \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$.

- Picavet-L'Hermitte, 2002

An order in a number field is root-closed, but not integrally closed if and only if $(R: \widehat{R})$ is an intersection of maximal ideals P_i of \widehat{R} such that $|\widehat{R}/P_i| = 2$ for each P_i .



J.S. Oh, *On the class semigroup of root-closed weakly Krull Mori monoids*, Semigroup Forum **105** (2022), 517-533.

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