

# Congruences on $G \wr \mathcal{I}_n$

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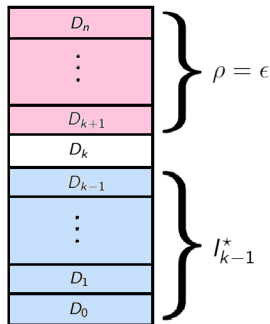
# Introduction

- Aim: To understand congruences on semigroups that “look like transformation monoids”
- One direction involves looking at diagram monoids
  - *Congruence lattices of finite diagram monoids; 2018; East, Mitchell, Ruškuc, Torpey*
- $\mathcal{I}_n$  is the partial automorphism of an independence algebra
- A free group act is an independence algebra, is it possible to describe congruences on its partial automorphism monoid?

## Congruences on $\mathcal{I}_n$

For each  $a, b \in D_k$  with  $a \mathcal{H} b$ , there is  $\mu \in \mathcal{S}_k$  such that  $a, b$  have the following form:

$$a = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & \dots & b_k \\ a_1 & a_2 & \dots & a_k \end{pmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & \dots & b_k \\ a_{1\mu} & a_{2\mu} & \dots & a_{k\mu} \end{pmatrix}$$



For  $k \leq n$  and  $N \trianglelefteq \mathcal{S}_k$  define  $\rho_N$  as follows:

- $a \rho_N a$  for all  $a$ ;
- $a \rho_N b$  for  $a, b$  with  $\text{rk}(a), \text{rk}(b) < k$ ;
- for  $\text{rk}(a) = k = \text{rk}(b)$ ,  $a \rho_N b$  if  $a \mathcal{H} b$  and  $\mu \in N$ .

## Definition

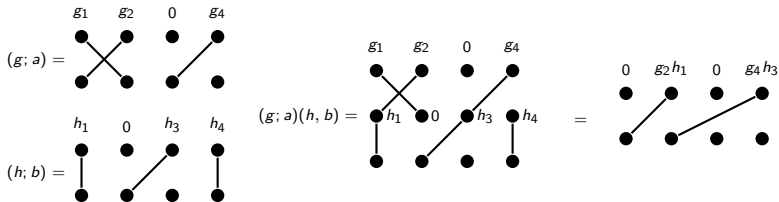
We define the partial wreath product of  $G$  with  $\mathcal{I}_n$  as follows

$$G \wr \mathcal{I}_n = \{(g; a) \in (G^0)^n \times \mathcal{I}_n \mid g_i \neq 0 \iff i \in \text{Dom}(a)\}.$$

Multiplication is defined as

$$(g_1, \dots, g_n; a)(h_1, \dots, h_n; b) = (g_1 h_{1a}, \dots, g_n h_{na}; ab),$$

letting  $g0 = 0 = 0g$  for all  $g \in G$ , and  $h_{ia} = 0$  when  $ia$  is undefined.



# The Basic Structure of $G \wr \mathcal{I}_n$

$$E(G \wr \mathcal{I}_n) = \{(1^e; e) \mid e \in E(\mathcal{I}_n)\} \cong E(\mathcal{I}_n)$$

where  $1^e \in (G \cup \{0\})^n$  has:  $1_i^e = 1$  if  $i \in \text{Dom}(e)$ , and  $1_i^e = 0$  otherwise.

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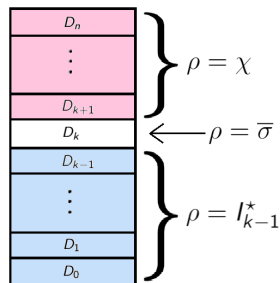
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# Congruence decomposition



## Theorem (Lima, 1993)

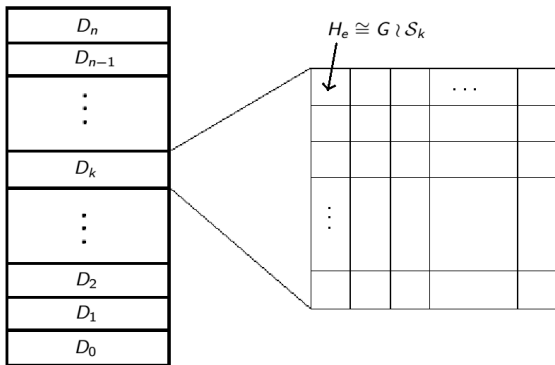
Let  $\rho$  be a congruence on  $G \setminus \mathcal{I}_n$ . If  $\rho$  is not the universal congruence on  $G \setminus \mathcal{I}_n$  then there are  $k \leq n$ ,  $\sigma$  a non universal relation on  $I_k/I_{k-1}$  and  $\chi$  an idempotent separating congruence such that

$$\rho = I_{k-1}^* \cup \bar{\sigma} \cup \chi.$$

Where for  $\sigma$  a congruence on  $I_k/I_{k-1}$  let

$$\bar{\sigma} = \{(a, b) \in D_k \times D_k \mid (a/I_{k-1}, b/I_{k-1}) \in \sigma\}$$





The lattice of non universal congruences on  $I_k/I_{k-1}$  is isomorphic to the lattice of normal subgroups of  $G \wr S_k$ .

## Normal subgroups of $G \wr S_k$

### Definition

$J \leq G^k$  is (permutation) invariant if for all  $\sigma \in S_k$  we have that

$$(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_k) \in J \iff (g_{1\sigma}, g_{2\sigma}, \dots, g_{k\sigma}) \in J$$

If  $Z \trianglelefteq G \wr S_k$ , then  $J(Z)$  is an invariant normal subgroup of  $G^k$ , where

$$J(Z) = \{j \in G^k \mid (j, 1) \in Z\}$$

### Theorem (Usenko, 1991)

*The normal subgroups of  $G \wr S_k$  are exactly:*

- (1)  $\{(j, 1) \mid j \in J\}$  for  $J \trianglelefteq G^k$  an invariant subgroup;*
- (2)  $\{(x, q) \mid q \in Q, xJ = q\theta\}$  where  $Q \trianglelefteq S_k$ ,  $J \trianglelefteq G^k$  is an invariant subgroup such that the induced action of  $S_k$  on  $G^k/J$  is trivial, and  $\theta : Q \rightarrow G^k/J$  is a homomorphism.*

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## Definition

Let  $G$  be a group,  $N \trianglelefteq M \trianglelefteq K$  be normal subgroups of  $G$ , and  $\theta : K/N \rightarrow M/N$  an homomorphism. Then  $\{K, M, N, \theta\}$  is a  $k$ -invariant quadruple for  $G$  if

- (i)  $[G, K] \subseteq N$ ;
- (ii)  $\text{Im}(\theta) \subseteq M \subseteq \{x \in K/N \mid x\theta = x^{-k}\}$ .

Given an  $k$ -invariant quadruple we define the following subset of  $G^k$  :

$$\mathbf{J}_k(K, M, N, \theta) = \{(g_1, \dots, g_k) \in K^k \mid g_1 M = \dots = g_k M, \\ g_1 N \theta = g_1^{1-k} g_2 g_3 \dots g_k N\}.$$

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*These are exactly the invariant normal subgroups of  $G^k$ .*

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## Corollary

If  $G$  is a finite group then there is an integer  $\lambda(G)$  such that for each  $k$  the number of permutation invariant subgroups of  $G^k$  is less than  $\lambda(G)$ .

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 $J = \mathbf{J}_k(G, G, N, xN \mapsto x^{-n}N)$ , and  $\theta : Q \rightarrow G^k/J$  is a homomorphism.

## Corollary

Let  $G$  be a finite group, then there is finite number  $\lambda_2(G)$  such that for all  $n$  the number of normal subgroups of  $G \wr S_k$  is at most  $\lambda_2(G)$ .

# Idempotent separating congruences

The centraliser of  $E$  is the set  $E\zeta = \{a \mid \forall e \in E \ ae = ea\}$ .

For  $G \wr \mathcal{I}_n$

$$E\zeta = \{(g; e) \in G \wr \mathcal{I}_n \mid e \in E(\mathcal{I}_n)\}.$$

## Theorem (Petrich, 1978)

*Let  $S$  be an inverse semigroup. The lattice of idempotent separating congruences on  $S$  is isomorphic to the lattice of full, self-conjugate, inverse subsemigroups of  $S$  contained in  $E\zeta$ .*

*The following maps are mutually inverse lattice isomorphisms:*

$$\begin{aligned} K &\mapsto \rho = \{(a, b) \mid a^{-1}a = b^{-1}b, \ ab^{-1} \in K\}, \\ \rho &\mapsto \ker(\rho) = \{a \in S \mid \exists e \in E(S) \text{ with } e \rho a\} \end{aligned}$$

## Proposition

For  $1 \leq i \leq n$  let  $J_i \trianglelefteq G^i$  be invariant normal subgroups such that

$$\{(g_1, \dots, g_{k-1}) \mid \exists g_k \in G \text{ with } (g_1, \dots, g_{k-1}, g_k) \in J_k\} \subseteq J_{k-1}.$$

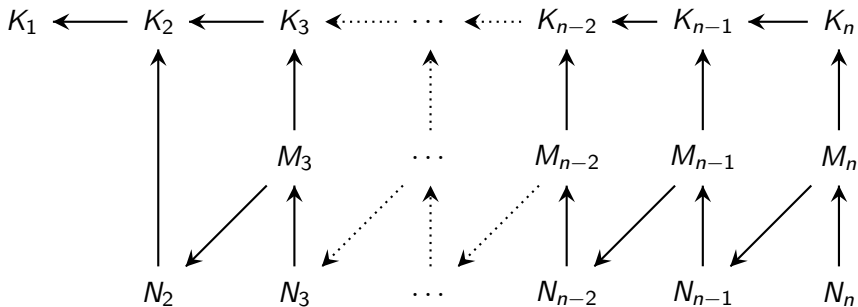
Let  $\pi : (G^0)^n \rightarrow \bigsqcup_{0 \leq i \leq n} G^i$  be the function that ignores all 0 entries. Let

$$K = \bigcup_{e \in E(\mathcal{I}_n)} \{(g_1, \dots, g_n; e) \in G \wr \mathcal{I}_n \mid g_i \pi \in J_i \text{ where } i = \text{rk}(e)\}.$$

Then  $K$  is a full, self conjugate inverse subsemigroup of  $G \wr \mathcal{I}_n$  with  $K \subseteq E\zeta$ .

Moreover, every such subsemigroup arises in this way.

$$\begin{aligned} \{(g_1, \dots, g_{k-1} \mid \exists g_k \text{ with } (g_1, \dots, g_k) \in \mathbf{J}_k(K, M, N, \theta)\} \\ = \mathbf{J}_{k-1}(K, M, M, xM \mapsto M) \end{aligned}$$



## Corollary

Let  $G$  be a finite group such that the longest chain of normal subgroups of  $G$  has length  $z$ , then there are  $A, B \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$An^{z-1} \leq |\mathfrak{C}_{IS}(G \wr \mathcal{I}_n)| \leq Bn^{2(z-1)}.$$



# The number of congruences on $G \wr \mathcal{I}_n$

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Let  $G$  be a finite group with the length of the longest chain of normal subgroups being  $z$ . Then there are  $A, B \in \mathbb{N}$  such that

$$An^z \leq |\mathfrak{C}(G \wr \mathcal{I}_n)| \leq Bn^{2z-1}.$$

Thank you for your attention!