

# LATTICE & NEAR-RING STRUCTURE ON RECURSIVE LANGUAGES

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*Abstract: In this paper after ascertaining  $(\mathcal{L}_R, \leq)$  is a lattice where  $\mathcal{L}_R$  is the class of Recursive languages on which  $\vee$  and  $\wedge$  are defined as  $L_1 \vee L_2 = L_1 \cup L_2$  and  $L_1 \wedge L_2 = L_1 \cap L_2$ , lattice ordered finite Turing Machine has been defined and identified the language sets with fuzzy logic and are named  $\ell$ -recursive languages. Further the closure properties of  $\ell$ -recursive languages are verified i.e.,  $\ell$ -recursive languages are closed under union, concatenation and kleene closure and are not closed under intersection and hence complementation. Further it is proved that the  $\ell$ -recursive languages are distributive. Since  $\ell$ -recursive languages are not closed under intersection and complementation,  $\ell$ -recursive languages are not Boolean Algebras and hence not a Generalized Boolean Algebra.*

*In the direction of M.Holcombe [16] who established a connection between Automata and Near-rings, in this chapter an attempt is made to identify the near ring structure in Turing Machines. In this process Semi Turing Machine, Group Semi Turing Machine Sub Near-ring of the Turing Machine are defined and the properties of the transition function are discussed. Further if  $M$  is a homomorphic group semi turing machine then the sub near-ring  $N(M)$  is a Near-ring  $N$ , is proved and it is also confirmed that  $N(M)$  is generalized distributively generated near ring with identity. Further for every near ring  $N$  with identity there is some group semi turing machine  $M$  with  $N \cong N(M)$  is shown. Also for a near ring  $N$  there exists a group semi turing machine  $M$  with  $N \cong N(M)$  iff (1).  $(N, +)$  is abelian. (2).  $N$  has an identity, (3). There is some  $d \in N_d$  such that  $N_B$  is generated by  $\{1, d\}$  are verified.*

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## 1. PRELIMINARIES

**Definition 1.1** A binary operation  $*$  on  $[B, \Gamma^*]$  is said to be turing operation if it satisfies :

- (a) For all  $L \in [B, \Gamma^*]$ ,  $\Gamma * L = L$ .
- (b)  $L_1 * L_2 \leq L_3 * L_4$  whenever  $L_1 \leq L_3$  and  $L_2 \leq L_4$  i.e  $*$  is non decreasing.
- (c) For any  $L_1, L_2, L_3 \in [B, \Gamma^*]$ ,  $(L_1 * L_2) * L_3 = L_1 * (L_2 * L_3)$   
i.e  $*$  is associative.
- (d) For any  $L_1, L_2 \in [B, \Gamma^*]$ ,  $L_1 * L_2 = L_2 * L_1$  i.e  $*$  is commutative.

**Definition 1.2** A lattice ordered Turing machine ( L T M ) is a machine  $M = ( Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, I, B, F, * )$  where

$Q$  is a non-empty finite set, called the set of states of  $M$ .

$\Sigma$  is a finite set, called the input alphabet of  $M$ .

$\Gamma$  is a finite set, called the set of allowable tape symbols of  $M$

$B$  is a designated symbol of  $\Gamma$ , called the blank symbol

$\delta : Q \times \Sigma \times Q \times \Gamma \times \{ L, R \} \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  is a function called the fuzzy transition function of  $M$ , where  $L$  and  $R$  are reserved symbols denoting Left and Right direction moves respectively

$I : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  is a fuzzy subset of  $Q$  called the fuzzy initial state set of  $M$ .

$F : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  is a fuzzy subset of  $Q$  called the fuzzy final state set of  $M$ .

**Definition 1.3** An Instantaneous Description ( I D ) of the lattice ordered Turing machine  $M$  is given by  $\delta(q, a, p, b, D)$ . Here  $q \in Q$  is the current state of  $M$ ;  $a$  is the tape symbol being scanned,  $p$  is the next state after  $a$  is scanned,  $b$  is the rewritten tape symbol and  $D = \{L, R\}$  stands for a direction (  $L$  for left and  $R$  for right).

**Definition 1.4** A move from an ID  $I_1$  to another ID  $I_2$  denoted by  $\vdash_M$ .  $\vdash_M$  is defined as  $x, y \in \Gamma^*, a, b, c \in \Gamma$  and  $p, q \in Q$ .

$$I_1 \vdash_M I_2 = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \delta(q, a, p, b, R) \text{ if } I_1 = xqay, I_2 = xbpqy & \\ \delta(q, a, p, b, L) \text{ if } I_1 = xcqay, I_2 = xpcby & \\ \delta(q, B, p, b, R) \text{ if } I_1 = xq, I_2 = xbp & \\ \delta(q, B, p, b, L) \text{ if } I_1 = xcq, I_2 = xpcb & \\ B & \text{otherwise} \end{array} \right.$$

**Definition 1.5** A lattice ordered Turing Machine is said to halt if it enters a state  $q$ , scanning a symbol  $a$  and there is no move i.e.  $\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = B$  for any  $p \in Q, b \in \Gamma$  and  $D \in \{L, R\}$ .

We also say that  $\delta(q, a)$  is not defined if  $\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = B$  for any  $p \in Q, b \in \Gamma$  and  $D \in \{L, R\}$ .

**Definition 1.6** The language accepted by a lattice ordered Turing machine LTM,  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, I, B, F, *)$  denoted by  $L(M)$  is the set  $L(M) = \{s/ s \in \Sigma^* \text{ and } (I(Q)s \vdash^* xpy) * F(p) : p \in Q, xy \in \Gamma^*\}$  and is called  $\ell$ -language.

**Note 1.7** Two lattice ordered Turing machines LTM's  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are said to be equivalent if they accept same  $\ell$ -language i.e.  $L(M_1) = L(M_2)$ .

**Definition 1.8** A  $\ell$ -language  $L(M)$  is said to be  $\ell$ -recursively enumerable language if it is accepted by some lattice ordered Turing machine i.e  $L = L(M)$ .

Furthermore if for any input  $s \in \Sigma^*$ , the lattice ordered turing machine  $M$  always halts i.e.  $M$  halts on input  $s$  then we say  $L(M)$  is a  $\ell$ -recursive language.

## 2. CLOSURE PROPERTIES OF $\ell$ -RECURSIVE LANGUAGES

**Theorem 2.1** Both  $\ell$ -recursively enumerable languages and  $\ell$ -recursive languages are closed under union, concatenation and kleene closure.

**Proof:** Claim 1 : Union of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is  $\ell$ -recursive

Let  $L_1$  be  $L(M_1)$  for LTM  $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \Gamma_1, \delta, I_1, B, F_1, *)$

and  $L_2$  be  $L(M_2)$  for LTM  $M_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma_2, \Gamma_2, \delta, I_2, B, F_2, *)$ .

If  $\ell_1$  and  $\ell_2$  are  $\ell$ -recursive languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  then  $\ell_1 + \ell_2$  denotes  $L_1(M) \vee L_2(M) = L_1 \cup L_2 = L(M)$  for LTM  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma_1 \cup \Gamma_2, \delta, I, B, F, *)$ , where

$Q = Q_1 \cup Q_2 \cup \{q_0, f_0\}$ ,  $\Sigma = \Sigma_1 \cup \Sigma_2$

$I : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  defined as  $I(q) = I_1, q \in Q_1$ ;  $I(q) = I_2, q \in Q_2$

$F : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  defined as  $F(q) = F_1, q \in Q_1$ ;  $F(q) = F_2, q \in Q_2$  and  $\delta$  is defined as

$\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = \delta_1(q, a, p, b, D)$  for  $q, p \in Q_1$ .

$\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = \delta_2(q, a, p, b, D)$  for  $q, p \in Q_2$ .

$\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = B$  otherwise

$\delta(I, \epsilon, \{q_1, q_2\}, \epsilon, D) = \{I_1, I_2\}$   $q_1 \in Q_1, q_2 \in Q_2$ .

$\delta(\{f_1, f_2\}, \epsilon, F, \epsilon, D) = \{F_1, F_2\}$   $f_1 \in Q_1, f_2 \in Q_2$ .

So  $L_1 \cup L_2$  is also  $\ell$ -recursive.

Thus Union of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is a  $\ell$ -recursive language.

Claim 2 : Concatenation of  $\ell$ -regular languages is  $\ell$ -regular.

Let  $L_1$  be  $L(M_1)$  for LTM  $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \Gamma_1, \delta, I_1, B, F_1, *)$  and  $L_2$  be  $L(M_2)$

for LTM  $M_2 = (Q_2, \Sigma_2, \Gamma_2, \delta, I_2, B, F_2, *)$ .

If  $\ell_1$  and  $\ell_2$  are  $\ell$ -recursive languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  then  $\ell_1 \ell_2$  denotes  $L_1(M)L_2(M) = L_1$

$L_2 = L(M)$  for LTM  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma_1 \cup \Gamma_2, \delta, I, B, F, *)$ , where

$Q = Q_1 \cup Q_2 \cup \{q_0, f_0\}$ ,

If  $\ell_1$  and  $\ell_2$  are  $\ell$ -recursive expressions denoting  $\ell$ -recursive languages  $L_1$  and  $L_2$

then  $\ell_1 \ell_2$  denotes  $L_1(M)L_2(M) = L_1 L_2 = L(M)$  for LTM

$M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma_1 \cup \Gamma_2, \delta, I, B, F, *)$ , where  $\delta$  is  $\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = \delta_1(q, a, p, b, D)$

for  $q, p$  in  $Q_1 - F_1$  &  $a, b$  in  $\Sigma_1 \cup \{\epsilon\}$ ,  $\delta(F_1, \epsilon, D) = I_2$ ,  $\delta(q, a, p, b, D)$

$= \delta_2(q, a, p, b, D)$  for  $q, p$  in  $Q_2$  and  $a, b$  in  $\Sigma_2 \cup \{\epsilon\}$

So  $L_1L_2$  is also  $\ell$ -recursive. Thus Concatenation of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is  $\ell$ -recursive.

Hence  $\ell$ -recursive languages are closed under Concatenation.

Claim 3 : Kleene Closure of  $\ell$ - recursive languages is  $\ell$ - recursive.

Let  $L_1$  be  $L(M_1)$  for LTM  $M_1 = (Q_1, \Sigma_1, \Gamma_1, \delta_1, I_1, B, F_1, *)$

If  $\ell_1$  is a  $\ell$ - recursive expression denoting  $\ell$ - recursive language  $L_1$  then

$\ell_1^*$  denotes  $L_1^* = L = L(M)$  for LTM  $M = (Q_1 \cup \{q_0, f_0\}, \Sigma_1, \Gamma_1, \delta, I_1, B, F_1, *)$ ,

where  $I : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma_1^*]$ ,  $F : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma_1^*]$  and  $\delta$  is given by  $\delta(I, \epsilon, D)$

$= \delta(F_1, \epsilon, D) = \{I_1, F_1\}$

$\delta(q, a, p, b, D) = \delta_1(q, a, p, b, D)$  for  $q$  in  $Q_1 - F_1$  &  $a, b$  in  $\Sigma_1 \cup \{\epsilon\}$ .

So  $L = L_1^*$  is  $\ell$ -recursive. Thus Kleene Closure of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is  $\ell$ - recursive.

**Theorem 2.2** The class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is not closed under complementation.

**Proof:** Let  $L$  be  $L(M)$  for LTM  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Gamma, \delta, I, B, F, *)$

and let  $L \subseteq \Gamma^*$ . In a contrary way to prove the class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is closed under complementation we construct a LTM

$M^1 = (Q^1, \Sigma^1, \Gamma^1, \delta^1, I^1, B, F^1, *)$  where  $F^1 = Q - F$

where  $F : Q \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  and since  $[\phi, \Gamma^*]$  is a universal interval  $F^1 = \phi$ .

$\therefore \phi \rightarrow [B, \Gamma^*]$  is not defined and  $F^1$  is not a fuzzy final state set.  $\therefore M^1$  is not a lattice ordered finite automaton.

Thus the class of  $\ell$ -regular languages is not closed under complementation.

**Corollary 2.3** The class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages is not closed under intersection.

**Proof:** Since closure under intersection follow from closure under union and complementation,  $\ell$ -recursive languages are not closed under intersection.

**Theorem 2.4** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be the class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages. Then the lattice  $\mathcal{L}$  is distributive.

Proof: Now we show that the lattice  $\mathcal{L}$  is a distributive lattice.

Claim :  $L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) = (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

Consider  $L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) = L_1 \cap (L_2 \vee L_3)$

$= L_1 \cap (L_2 \cup L_3)$

$= (L_1 \cap L_2) \cup (L_1 \cap L_3)$

$= (L_1 \wedge L_2) \cup (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

$= (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

Therefore  $L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) = (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

Thus  $\ell$ -recursive language is a distributive lattice.

**Theorem 2.5** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be the class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages. Then the lattice  $\mathcal{L}$  is distributive.

**Proof:** Now we show that the lattice  $\mathcal{L}_\ell$  is a distributive lattice.

Claim :  $L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) = (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Consider } L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) &= L_1 \cap (L_2 \cup L_3) \\ &= L_1 \cap (L_2 \cup L_3) \\ &= (L_1 \cap L_2) \cup (L_1 \cap L_3) \\ &= (L_1 \wedge L_2) \cup (L_1 \wedge L_3) \\ &= (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $L_1 \wedge (L_2 \vee L_3) = (L_1 \wedge L_2) \vee (L_1 \wedge L_3)$

Thus  $\ell$ -recursive languages is a distributive lattice.

**Theorem 2.6** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be the class of  $\ell$ -recursive languages. Then the distributive lattice  $\mathcal{L}$  is not a complemented distributive lattice and not a generalized Boolean algebra.

**Proof:** By the above theorems ,  $\ell$ -recursive languages  $\mathcal{L}$  is not a complemented distributive lattice and follows  $\mathcal{L}$  is not a generalized Boolean algebra.

### 3. NEAR-RING STRUCTURE OF RECURSIVE LANGUAGES

**Definition 3.1** A semi Turing machine is a 4-tuple  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  where  $Q$  is a nonempty finite set called the set of states of  $M$ .  $\Gamma$  is a finite set called the set of allowable tape symbols of  $M$ .  $B$  is a designated symbol of  $\Gamma$  called the blank symbol.  $\delta : Q \times \Gamma \rightarrow Q \times \Gamma \times \{L, R\}$  called the next move function of  $M$  where  $L$  and  $R$  are reserved symbols denoting left and right directions moves respectively.

**Definition 3.2** If  $Q$  is a group with respect to addition we call  $M$  a group semi turing machine and denote by GSTM.

**Note 3.3** For  $q \in Q$  and  $a \in \Gamma$  ,  $\delta(q, a)$  is the new state obtained from the old state  $q$  by means of the input  $a$ .

**Definition 3.4** If  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  is a semi turing machine, the collection of mapping  $\delta a$  from  $Q$  to  $Q$  are for each  $a \in \Gamma$ , are given by  $q\delta a = \delta(q, a)$ . Hence  $\delta a$  describes the transition of the input  $a$  on the state set  $Q$  of  $M$ .

**Definition 3.5** If the input  $a_1 \in \Gamma$  is followed by the input  $a_2$  the semi turing machine “moves” from the state  $q \in Q$  first into  $q\delta a_1$  and then into  $(q\delta a_1)\delta a_2$ .

**Definition 3.6** Extending  $\Gamma$  to the free monoid  $\Gamma^*$  over  $\Gamma$  consist of all finite strings of  $\Gamma$  including the Blank string  $B$  and we get  $\delta a_1 a_2 = \delta a_1 \delta a_2$  i.e the map

$a \rightarrow \delta a$  is a monomorphism from  $\Gamma^*$  into the transformation monoid over  $Q$  with  $\delta B = id_Q$ .

**Remark 3.7** In the case of group semi turing machine's we observe the superposition  $\delta a_1 + \delta a_2$  defined point wise of two simultaneous inputs  $a_1, a_2 \in \Gamma$ . Hence we consider  $\{\delta a / a \in \Gamma\} \cup \{\delta B\}$  and all of its sums and products (juxtaposition) for the structure of a near-ring.

**Definition 3.8** Let  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  be a group semi turing machine. The sub near-ring  $N(M)$  of  $map(Q)$  generated by  $id_Q$  and all  $\delta a$ 's ( $a \in \Gamma$ ) is called the syntactic near ring of  $M$ . Thus  $N(M)$  is always a near-ring with identity.

**Definition 3.9** Let  $Q$  and  $\Gamma$  be additive groups with  $B$  and  $\delta$  a homomorphism from the direct product  $Q \times \Gamma$ . We then call  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  a homomorphic GSTM.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Because of } \quad q\delta a &= \delta(q, a) &= \delta((q, B) + (B, a)) \\ & &= \delta(q, B) + \delta(B, a) \\ & &= q\delta B + B\delta a \end{aligned}$$

We get  $\delta a = \delta B + \delta^1 a$ , where  $\delta B$  is a homomorphism (i.e. a distributive element in  $N(Q)$ ), while  $\delta^1 a$  is the map with constant value  $B\delta a$ .

If no input can move the Blank state i.e if  $B\delta a = B$  for all  $a \in \Gamma$  then  $N(M)$  obviously is a distributively generated near ring. Counting of sum of powers of  $\delta B$  (which are endomorphisms). We also get a distributively generated near ring if  $\delta$  is additive in the first component.

**Note 3.10** For homomorphic group semi turing machine's by induction

$$\delta a_1 a_2 a_3 \dots a_n = \delta^n B + (\delta^1 a_1 \delta^{n-1} B + \dots + \delta^1 a_{n-1} \delta B + \delta^1 a_n) \quad \text{where the map in brackets is constant. Each power } \delta^n B \text{ is a homomorphism.}$$

**Theorem 3.11** Let  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  be a homomorphic group semi turing machine then  $N(M) = \{\sum \delta \alpha_i / \alpha_i \in \Gamma^*\} = N$

**Proof:** Let  $M = (Q, \Gamma, B, \delta)$  be a homomorphic group semi turing machine. Clearly  $N \subseteq N(M)$ . Conversely it suffices to show that  $N$  is a near ring, since obviously  $N$  contains all  $\delta a$  ( $a \in \Gamma$ ) and  $id_Q = \delta$ . In fact, we show that  $N$  is a sub near-ring of  $map(Q)$ .

$$\text{Take } \delta_1 = \sum \delta \alpha_i \in N \text{ and } \delta_2 = \sum \delta \beta_j \in N$$

Clearly  $\delta_1 + \delta_2 \in N$

Consider  $\delta_1 \delta_2$ ,

$$\delta_1 \delta_2 = (\sum \delta \alpha_i)(\sum \delta \beta_j)$$

$$= \Sigma(\Sigma\delta\alpha_i) \delta\beta_j$$

Let  $\beta_j = b_1b_2\dots\dots\dots b_n \in \Gamma^*$  then

$$(\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta\beta_j = (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta b_1, \delta b_2, \dots, \delta b_n$$

put  $b_1 = b$

$$\begin{aligned} (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta b &= (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta B + \delta_1 b \\ &= (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i \delta\beta) + \delta^1 b \\ &= (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i B) + \delta^1 b \\ &= (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i B) - \delta B + \delta b \in N \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  we get  $\gamma_k \in \Gamma^*$  with

$$\begin{aligned} (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta b_1 \delta b_2 \dots \delta b_n &= (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) \delta b_1) \delta b_2 \dots \delta b_n \\ &= (\Sigma \delta\gamma_k) \delta b_2 \dots \delta b_n \\ &= (\Sigma \delta\gamma_k) \in N \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore N(M) \subseteq N$$

$$\therefore N(M) = \{ \Sigma \delta\alpha_i / \alpha_i \in \Gamma^* \} = N$$

**Corollary 3.12** Let  $M=( Q, \Gamma, B, \delta )$  be a group semi turing machine. If  $M$  is homomorphic then by the above theorem  $N(M)$  is a generalized distributively generated near ring with identity.

**Note 3.13** The zero-symmetric part  $N_B(M) = (N(M))_B$

**Proposition 3.14** Let  $M=( Q, \Gamma, B, \delta )$  be homomorphic then  $N_B(M)$  consists of all finite sum of elements of the form  $c \pm \delta - c$  with  $\delta \in \{ id, \delta B, \delta^2 B, \delta^3 B, \dots \}$  and  $c \in \{ \Sigma \delta^1 \alpha_i / \alpha_i \in \Gamma^* \}$ .

**Proof:** Let  $M=( Q, \Gamma, B, \delta )$  be homomorphic.

Clearly all elements  $c \pm \delta - c \in N_B(M)$ , the zero-symmetric part.

Conversely take  $\delta_1 = \Sigma \delta\alpha_i \in N_B(M)$

$$\text{Thus } B = B\delta_1 = B (\Sigma \delta\alpha_i) = \Sigma B \delta\alpha_i = \Sigma \delta^1 \alpha_i$$

By group theory we can arrange  $\delta_1 = \Sigma \delta\alpha_i = \Sigma (\delta^n i B + \delta^1 \alpha_i)$  of the form  $c \pm \delta^n i - c$  where  $c \in \{ \Sigma \delta^1 \alpha_i / \alpha_i \in \Gamma^* \}$ .

**Theorem 3.15** For every near ring  $N$  with identity there is some group semi turing machine  $M$  with  $N \cong N(M)$ .

**Proof:** By a known theorem we can find a group  $Q$  such that  $N$  is isomorphic to a sub near-ring  $N^1$  of  $\text{map}(Q)$ .

Let  $\Gamma$  be an index set for  $N^1$  i.e.  $N^1 = \{ \delta_a / a \in \Gamma \}$

Let  $\delta(q,a)=q\delta_a$  then  $N \cong N^1 = N(M)$  with  $M=( Q, \Gamma, B, \delta )$ .

Therefore for every near ring  $N$  with identity there is some group semi turing machine  $M$  with  $N \cong N(M)$ .

**Corollary 3.16** Since every near ring can be embedded in a near ring with identity we get every near ring can be embedded in the near ring of some group semi turing machine.

**Result 3.17** For a near ring  $N$  there exists a linear group semi turing machine  $M$  with  $N \cong N(M)$  iff  $( N, + )$  is abelian.  $N$  has an identity. There is some  $d \in N_d$  such that  $N_B$  is generated by  $\{ 1,d \}$ .

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