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ON (m, n) -QUASI-GAMMA-IDEALS IN ORDERED LA -GAMMA-SEMIGROUPS

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Abstract. In this paper, we introduce the concepts of m -left- Γ -ideals, n -right- Γ -ideals and (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideals in ordered LA - Γ -semigroups and investigate about some properties of those ideals. We show that the intersection of an m -left- Γ -ideal and an n -right- Γ -ideal of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal. In addition, we introduce the notion of the (m, n) intersection property in ordered LA - Γ -semigroups and prove that every (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal in an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup with left identity has the (m, n) intersection property.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of quasi-ideals in semigroups is a generalization of the notion of one-sided-ideals in semigroups. It was introduced by Steinfeld [12] in 1956. The notion of (m, n) -quasi-ideals in

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semigroups was introduced by Ansari, Khan and Kaushik [3]. In 1972, Kazim and Naseerudin [6] gave the concept of an *LA*-semigroup (left almost semigroup). This algebraic structure is a generalization of commutative semigroups. An *LA*-semigroup is also widely known as an Abel-Grassmann's groupoid or *AG*-groupoid [7, 10]. Later, an ordered *LA*-semigroups or ordered *AG*-groupoids were considered in [11]. The notion of Γ -semigroups was introduced by Sen [9] in 1981. The concept of an *LA*- Γ -semigroup (Γ -*AG*-groupoid) was introduced by Shah and Rehman [10] in 2010. Every *LA*-semigroup under the operation $\{\circ\}$ is an *LA*- Γ -semigroup if consider in case $\Gamma = \{\circ\}$. Moreover, Khan, Amjid, Zaman and Yaqoob [7] gave the concept of ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups (ordered Γ -*AG*-groupoid) in 2014. This algebraic structure is a generalization of *LA*- Γ -semigroups [2, 4]. Then the structure of ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups is also a generalization of commutative semigroups and *LA*-semigroups.

In this study, we introduce and examine the concept of *m*-left- Γ -ideals, *n*-right- Γ -ideals and (*m, n*)-quasi- Γ -ideals in ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups. We characterize *m*-left- Γ -ideals and *n*-right- Γ -ideals in ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups and explore the properties of (*m, n*)-quasi- Γ -ideals in ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups. Moreover, the properties of (*m, n*)-quasi- Γ -ideals in regular ordered *LA*- Γ -semigroups are investigated.

2. PRELIMINARIES

For the sake of completeness, we recall some necessary definitions, notations and properties which are used throughout the paper.

Definition 2.1. [10] Let S and Γ be non-empty sets, then S is called an *LA*- Γ -semigroup if there exists a mapping $S \times \Gamma \times S \rightarrow S$, written (a, γ, b) and denoted by $a\gamma b$ such that S satisfied the left invertive law $(a\gamma b)\beta c = (c\gamma b)\beta a$ for all $a, b, c \in S$ and $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Definition 2.2. [10] An element e of an *LA*- Γ -semigroup S is called a *left identity* if $e\gamma a = a$ for all $a \in S$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$.

Lemma 2.1. [10] If S is an *LA*- Γ -semigroup with left identity e , then $S\Gamma S = S$ and $S = e\Gamma S = S\Gamma e$.

Definition 2.3. [1] An LA - Γ -semigroup S is called a *locally associative LA - Γ -semigroup* if $(a\gamma a)\beta a = a\gamma(a\beta a)$ for all $a \in S$ and $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$.

Proposition 2.2. [1] Let S be an LA - Γ -semigroup.

(i) Every LA - Γ -semigroup with left identity satisfy the equalities $a\gamma(b\beta c) = b\gamma(a\beta c)$ and $(a\gamma b)\beta(c\alpha d) = (d\gamma c)\beta(b\alpha a)$ for all $a, b, c, d \in S$ and $\gamma, \beta, \alpha \in \Gamma$.

(ii) An LA - Γ -semigroup S is Γ -medial, i.e., $(a\gamma b)\beta(c\alpha d) = (a\gamma c)\beta(b\alpha d)$ for all $a, b, c, d \in S$ and $\gamma, \beta, \alpha \in \Gamma$.

Definition 2.4. [2] An *ordered LA - Γ -semigroup (po- LA - Γ -semigroup)* is a structure (S, Γ, \cdot, \leq) in which the following conditions hold.

(i) (S, Γ, \cdot) is an LA - Γ -semigroup.

(ii) (S, \leq) is a poset (i.e. reflexive, anti-symmetric and transitive).

(iii) For all a, b and $x \in S$, $a \leq b$ implies $a\alpha x \leq b\alpha x$ and $x\alpha a \leq x\alpha b$ for all $\alpha \in \Gamma$.

Throughout this paper, unless stated otherwise, S stands for an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup. For a non-empty subsets A and B of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S , we defined

$$A\Gamma B = \{a\gamma b \mid a \in A, b \in B \text{ and } \gamma \in \Gamma\}$$

and

$$[A] = \{t \in S \mid t \leq a, \text{ for some } a \in A\}.$$

For $A = \{a\}$, we shall write $[a]$. For a positive integer m , the power of A is defined

$$A^m = (\dots((A\Gamma A)\Gamma A)\dots)\Gamma A \text{ (} m \text{ times)}.$$

For $A = \{a\}$, we shall write a^m .

Proposition 2.3. [8] Let S be a locally associative LA - Γ -semigroup with left identity. Then $a^1 = a$, $a^{n+1} = a^n\Gamma a$ and $a^{m+n} = a^m\Gamma a^n$ for all $a \in S$ and m, n are positive integers.

Definition 2.5. [2] A non-empty subset A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S , is called an *LA - Γ -subsemigroup* of S if $A\Gamma A \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.6. [2] A non-empty subset A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S is called a *left (right) Γ -ideal* of S if

- (i) $S\Gamma A \subseteq A$ ($A\Gamma S \subseteq A$),
- (ii) if $a \in A$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$, then $b \in A$.

A non-empty subset A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S is called a Γ -ideal of S if it is both a left and a right Γ -ideal of S .

Definition 2.7. [2] A non-empty subset A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S is called a *quasi- Γ -ideal* of S if

- (i) $A\Gamma S \cap S\Gamma A \subseteq A$,
- (ii) if $a \in A$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$, then $b \in A$.

Lemma 2.4. [7] Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup, then the following are true.

- (i) $A \subseteq (A]$, for all $A \subseteq S$.
- (ii) If $A \subseteq B \subseteq S$, then $(A] \subseteq (B]$.
- (iii) $(A]\Gamma(B] \subseteq (A\Gamma B]$, for all subsets A, B of S .
- (iv) $(A] = ((A])$, for all $A \subseteq S$.
- (v) For every left (resp. right) Γ -ideal T of S , $(T] = T$.
- (vi) $((A]\Gamma(B]) = (A\Gamma B]$, for all subsets A, B of S .
- (vii) $(A \cap B] \subseteq (A] \cap (B]$, for all subsets A, B of S .
- (viii) $(A \cup B] = (A] \cup (B]$, for all subsets A, B of S .

3. MAIN RESULTS

In this section, we define and study m -left- Γ -ideal, n -right- Γ -ideal and (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal in ordered LA - Γ -semigroups.

Definition 3.1. An LA - Γ -subsemigroup A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S is called an *m -left (n -right) Γ -ideal* of S if

- (i) $S^m\Gamma A \subseteq A$ ($A\Gamma S^n \subseteq A$), where m, n are positive integers,
- (ii) if $a \in A$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$, then $b \in A$.

Definition 3.2. An LA - Γ -subsemigroup A of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S is called an *(m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal* of S if

- (i) $(S^m\Gamma A] \cap (A\Gamma S^n] \subseteq A$, where m, n are positive integers,
(ii) if $a \in A$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$, then $b \in A$.

Example 3.1. Consider $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $\Gamma = \{\alpha, \beta\}$ and the order \leq .

α	1	2	3
1	1	1	1
2	1	1	1
3	1	1	2
β	1	2	3
1	2	2	2
2	2	2	2
3	2	2	3

$$\leq := \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (1, 3), (2, 3)\}.$$

Hence S is an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup because the elements of S satisfies left invertive law. Let $A = \{1, 2\}$, we have $S^1\Gamma A = \{1, 2\} = A$ and $A\Gamma S^2 = \{1, 2\} = A$. Also, for every $1, 2 \in A$ there exists $1, 2 \in S$ such that $1 \leq 1$, $1 \leq 2$, $2 \leq 2$ implies that $1, 2 \in A$ or $(A] = A$. Thus A is an 1-left- Γ -ideal and A is an 2-right- Γ -ideal of S .

Let $A = \{1, 2\}$, we have $(S^1\Gamma A] \cap (A\Gamma S^2] = \{1, 2\} \cap \{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\} = A$. Also, $(A] = A$. Hence A is an $(1, 2)$ -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Lemma 3.1. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup and let T_i be an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S for all $i \in I$. If $\bigcap_{i \in I} T_i \neq \emptyset$, then $\bigcap_{i \in I} T_i$ is also an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S .

Proof. Assume that $\bigcap_{i \in I} T_i \neq \emptyset$. Let $a, b \in \bigcap_{i \in I} T_i$. Since T_i is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S for all $i \in I$, we have $a\gamma b \in T_i$ for all $i \in I$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$. Thus $a\gamma b \in \bigcap_{i \in I} T_i$. Hence $\bigcap_{i \in I} T_i$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . \square

Theorem 3.2. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup and let Q_i be an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. If $\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i \neq \emptyset$, then $\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$ is also an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. Assume that $\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i \neq \emptyset$. By Lemma 3.1, we obtain that $\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Thus $(S^m\Gamma \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i] \cap (\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i\Gamma S^n] \subseteq (S^m\Gamma Q_i] \cap (Q_i\Gamma S^n] \subseteq Q_i$ for all $i \in I$. Also, we get that $(S^m\Gamma \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i] \cap (\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i\Gamma S^n] \subseteq \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$. Next, let $a \in \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$. Since

$a \in \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$, we have $a \in Q_i$ where Q_i is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. Hence $b \in Q_i$ for all $i \in I$. Therefore, $b \in \bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$. Hence $\bigcap_{i \in I} Q_i$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . The proof is completed. \square

Theorem 3.3. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup with left identity and $a \in S$. Then the following statements are true:

- (i) $(S^m \Gamma a]$ is an m -left- Γ -ideal of S .
- (ii) $(a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an n -right- Γ -ideal of S .
- (iii) $(S^m \Gamma a] \cap (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. (i) First, we show that $(S^m \Gamma a]$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . We obtain

$$\begin{aligned}
 (S^m \Gamma a] \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a] &\subseteq ((S^m \Gamma a) \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a)] \\
 &\subseteq ((S^m \Gamma S) \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a)] \\
 &= ((a \Gamma S^m) \Gamma (S \Gamma S^m)] && \text{Proposition 2.2(i)} \\
 &\subseteq ((a \Gamma S^m) \Gamma S^m] \\
 &= ((S^m \Gamma S^m) \Gamma a] && \text{Left invertive law} \\
 &\subseteq (S^m \Gamma a].
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(S^m \Gamma a]$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Next, we show that $(S^m \Gamma a]$ is an m -left- Γ -ideal of S , i.e., $S^m \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a] \subseteq (S^m \Gamma a]$. Let $x \in S^m \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a]$. Then $x = y \gamma z$ for some $y \in S^m$, $z \in (S^m \Gamma a]$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$. Since $z \in (S^m \Gamma a]$, we have $z \leq s \beta a$ for some $s \in S^m$ and $\beta \in \Gamma$. Since $S \Gamma S = S$, so let $y = b \alpha c$ for some $b, c \in S$ and $\alpha \in \Gamma$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= y \gamma z \\
 &\leq (b \alpha c) \gamma (s \beta a) \\
 &= (a \alpha s) \gamma (c \beta b) && \text{Proposition 2.2(i)} \\
 &= ((c \beta b) \alpha s) \gamma a && \text{Left invertive law} \\
 &\in S^m \Gamma a.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $x \in (S^m \Gamma a]$. Next, let $x \in (S^m \Gamma a]$ and $z \in S$ such that $z \leq x$. Since $x \in (S^m \Gamma a]$, we have $x \leq y\gamma a$ for some $y\gamma a \in S^m \Gamma a$. So $z \leq y\gamma a$ for some $y\gamma a \in S^m \Gamma a$. Thus $z \in (S^m \Gamma a]$. Hence $(S^m \Gamma a]$ is an m -left- Γ -ideal of S .

(ii) First, we show that $(a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Consider

$$\begin{aligned} (a^2 \Gamma S^n] \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n] &\subseteq ((a^2 \Gamma S^n] \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \\ &\subseteq ((S \Gamma S^n] \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \\ &\subseteq (S^n \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \\ &= (a^2 \Gamma (S^n \Gamma S^n]) \quad \text{Proposition 2.2(i)} \\ &\subseteq (a^2 \Gamma S^n]. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Next, we show that $(a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an n -right- Γ -ideal of S , i.e., $(a^2 \Gamma S^n] \Gamma S^n \subseteq (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$. Let $x \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n] \Gamma S^n$. Then $x = y\gamma z$ for some $y \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$, $z \in S^n$ and $\gamma \in \Gamma$. Since $y \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$, we have $y \leq (a\beta a)\alpha b$ for some $b \in S^n$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} x &= y\gamma z \\ &\leq ((a\beta a)\alpha b)\gamma z \\ &= (z\alpha b)\gamma(a\beta a) \quad \text{Left invertive law} \\ &= (a\alpha a)\gamma(b\beta z) \quad \text{Proposition 2.3(i)} \\ &\in (a\Gamma a)\Gamma(S^n \Gamma S^n) \\ &\subseteq a^2 \Gamma S^n. \end{aligned}$$

So $x \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$. Next, let $x \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ and $z \in S$ such that $z \leq x$. Since $x \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$, then $x \leq a^2 \gamma y$ for some $a^2 \gamma y \in a^2 \Gamma S^n$. So $z \leq a^2 \gamma y$ for some $a^2 \gamma y \in a^2 \Gamma S^n$. Thus $z \in (a^2 \Gamma S^n]$. Hence $(a^2 \Gamma S^n]$ is an n -right- Γ -ideal of S .

(iii) Consider

$$\begin{aligned} ((S^m \Gamma a] \cap (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \Gamma ((S^m \Gamma a] \cap (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) &\subseteq (S^m \Gamma a] \Gamma ((S^m \Gamma a] \cap (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \\ &= (S^m \Gamma a] \Gamma (S^m \Gamma a] \cap (S^m \Gamma a] \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \\ &\subseteq (S^m \Gamma a] \cap (S^m \Gamma a] \Gamma (a^2 \Gamma S^n]) \subseteq (S^m \Gamma a]. \end{aligned}$$

Then, we have that $((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) \subseteq (S^m\Gamma a]$. Next, consider

$$\begin{aligned} ((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) &\subseteq (a^2\Gamma S^n]\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) \\ &= (a^2\Gamma S^n]\Gamma(S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma(a^2\Gamma S^n] \\ &\subseteq (a^2\Gamma S^n]\Gamma(S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) \subseteq (a^2\Gamma S^n] \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we get that $((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) \subseteq (a^2\Gamma S^n]$. Now, we obtain that $((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) \subseteq (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$. Hence $(S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Next, we show that $(S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} (S^m\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])) \cap (((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma S^n] & \\ = (S^m\Gamma(S^m\Gamma a] \cap S^m\Gamma(a^2\Gamma S^n]) \cap ((S^m\Gamma a] \Gamma S^n] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma S^n] & \\ \subseteq ((S^m\Gamma a] \cap S^m\Gamma(a^2\Gamma S^n]) \cap ((S^m\Gamma a] \Gamma S^n] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) & \\ \subseteq ((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]) = (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n]. & \end{aligned}$$

So, we have that $(S^m\Gamma((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])) \cap (((S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])\Gamma S^n] \subseteq (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$. Next, let $x \in (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$ and $y \in S$ such that $y \leq x$. Since $x \in (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$, we have $x \in (S^m\Gamma a]$ and $x \in (a^2\Gamma S^n]$. Then $x \leq b\gamma a$ for some $b\gamma a \in S^m\Gamma a$ and $x \leq a^2\beta c$ for some $a^2\beta c \in a^2\Gamma S^n$. So $y \leq x \leq b\gamma a$ for some $b\gamma a \in S^m\Gamma a$ and $y \leq x \leq a^2\beta c$ for some $a^2\beta c \in a^2\Gamma S^n$. Thus $y \in (S^m\Gamma a]$ and $y \in (a^2\Gamma S^n]$. Therefore, $y \in (S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$. Hence $(S^m\Gamma a] \cap (a^2\Gamma S^n])$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal. This completes the proof. \square

Theorem 3.4. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup. Then the following statements are true:

(i) Let L_i be an m -left- Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. If $\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i \neq \emptyset$, then $\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$ is an m -left Γ -ideal of S .

(ii) Let R_i be an n -right Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. If $\bigcap_{i \in I} R_i \neq \emptyset$, then $\bigcap_{i \in I} R_i$ is an n -right Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. (i) Let L_i be an m -left- Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. We obtain that $S^m\Gamma L_i \subseteq L_i$. Assume that $\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i \neq \emptyset$. By Lemma 3.1, we have $\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$ is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S . Consider

$S^m\Gamma(\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i) \subseteq S^m\Gamma L_i \subseteq L_i$ for all $i \in I$. So $S^m\Gamma(\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i) \subseteq \bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$. Next, let $a \in \bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$. Since $a \in \bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$, we get $a \in L_i$ where L_i is an m -left Γ -ideal of S for all $i \in I$. Thus $b \in L_i$ for all $i \in I$. Therefore, $b \in \bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$. Hence $\bigcap_{i \in I} L_i$ is an m -left- Γ -ideal of S .

(ii) The proof is similar to the proof of (i). □

Lemma 3.5. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup. Then the following statements are true:

(i) Every m -left- Γ -ideal of S is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

(ii) Every n -right- Γ -ideal of S is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. (i) Let A be an m -left- Γ -ideal of S . We have $S^m\Gamma A \subseteq A$ and $A \subseteq S$. Consider $(S^m\Gamma A] \cap (A\Gamma S^n] \subseteq (S^m\Gamma A] \subseteq (A] = A$. Clearly, if $a \in A$ and $b \in S$ such that $b \leq a$, then $b \in A$. Hence A is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . This shows that every m -left- Γ -ideal of S is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

(ii) The proof of this statement is similar to the proof of (i). □

Theorem 3.6. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup and let A be an m -left- Γ -ideal of S and B be an n -right- Γ -ideal of S . Then $A \cap B$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. By Lemma 3.5, we obtain that A and B are an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . Therefore, $A \cap B$ is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S by Theorem 3.2. □

Definition 3.3. An LA - Γ -subsemigroup Q of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S has the (m, n) intersection property if Q is the intersection of an m -left- Γ -ideal and n -right- Γ -ideal of S .

Theorem 3.7. Every (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal Q of an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup S with left identity is the intersection of some m -left- Γ -ideal of S and some n -right- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. Let Q be an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . Let $L = (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]$ and $R = (Q \cup Q\Gamma S^n]$. Now, we show that L is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S .

Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 L\Gamma L &= (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] \Gamma (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] \\
 &\subseteq ((Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q) \Gamma (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]) \\
 &= (Q\Gamma Q \cup Q\Gamma(S^m\Gamma Q) \cup (S^m\Gamma Q)\Gamma Q \cup (S^m\Gamma Q)\Gamma(S^m\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (Q\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup (Q\Gamma Q)\Gamma S^m \cup (S^m\Gamma S^m)\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (Q\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup (Q\Gamma Q)\Gamma(S^m\Gamma S^m) \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (Q\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup (S^m\Gamma S^m)\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (Q\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q) \cup S^m\Gamma(Q\Gamma Q)] \\
 &\subseteq (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] = (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] = L.
 \end{aligned}$$

So $L\Gamma L \subseteq L$. Thus L is an LA - Γ -subsemigroup of S .

Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 S^m\Gamma L &= S^m\Gamma(Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] \\
 &\subseteq (S^m]\Gamma(Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] \\
 &\subseteq (S^m\Gamma(Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]) \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q \cup S^m\Gamma(S^m\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q \cup (S^m\Gamma S^m)\Gamma(S^m\Gamma Q)] \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q \cup (Q\Gamma S^m)\Gamma(S^m\Gamma S^m)] \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q \cup (Q\Gamma S^m)\Gamma S^m] \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q \cup (S^m\Gamma S^m)\Gamma Q] \\
 &= (S^m\Gamma Q] \\
 &\subseteq (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q] = L.
 \end{aligned}$$

So $S^m\Gamma L \subseteq L$. Next, let $x \in L = (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]$ and $y \in S$ such that $y \leq x$. Since $x \in (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]$, then $x \leq a$ for some $a \in Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q$. We have $y \leq x \leq a$ for some $a \in Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q$. Therefore $y \in (Q \cup S^m\Gamma Q]$. Hence L is an m -left- Γ -ideal of S . In the same way, we can prove that R is an

n -right- Γ -ideal of S . Next, we show that $Q = L \cap R$. Since $Q \subseteq Q \cup (S^m \Gamma Q) = (Q] \cup (S^m \Gamma Q) = (Q \cup S^m \Gamma Q]$ and $Q \subseteq Q \cup (Q \Gamma S^n) = (Q] \cup (Q \Gamma S^n) = (Q \cup Q \Gamma S^n]$. Therefore, we obtain that $Q \subseteq (Q \cup S^m \Gamma Q) \cap (Q \cup Q \Gamma S^n]$. Hence, $Q \subseteq L \cap R$. Next, consider

$$\begin{aligned} (Q \cup S^m \Gamma Q) \cap (Q \cup Q \Gamma S^n] &= ((Q] \cup (S^m \Gamma Q)) \cap ((Q] \cup (Q \Gamma S^n]) \\ &= ((Q] \cap ((Q] \cup (Q \Gamma S^n])) \cup ((S^m \Gamma Q) \cap ((Q] \cup (Q \Gamma S^n])) \\ &= (((Q] \cap (Q]) \cup ((Q] \cap (Q \Gamma S^n])) \cup (((S^m \Gamma Q) \cap (Q]) \cup \\ &\quad ((S^m \Gamma Q) \cap (Q \Gamma S^n])) \\ &= (Q] = Q. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $Q = L \cap R$. This shows that Q is the intersection of some m -left- Γ -ideal of S and some n -right- Γ -ideal of S . \square

Finally, we investigate about (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal in regular ordered LA- Γ -semigroups.

Definition 3.4. [7] An ordered LA- Γ -semigroup S is called *regular* if $a \in ((a \Gamma S) \Gamma a]$ for every $a \in S$, or

- (i) for every $a \in S$ there exist $x \in S$ and $\beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$ such that $a \leq (a \beta x) \gamma a$,
- (ii) $A \subseteq ((A \Gamma S) \Gamma A]$ for every $A \subseteq S$.

Lemma 3.8. Let S be an ordered LA- Γ -semigroup with left identity. If S is regular and $\emptyset \neq A \subseteq S$ where A is an Γ -idempotent, then the following statements are true:

- (i) $A \subseteq (S^m \Gamma A]$ for all $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.
- (ii) $A \subseteq (A \Gamma S^n]$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

Proof. (i) Let $P(m)$ be the statement $A \subseteq (S^m \Gamma A]$ for all $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and let $x \in A$. Since S is regular, then there exists $y \in S$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ such that $x \leq (x \alpha y) \beta x$. We have $(x \alpha y) \beta x \in S \Gamma A$. Thus $x \in (S \Gamma A]$. Therefore, $A \subseteq (S \Gamma A]$. Hence, we get $P(1)$ holds. Let $P(k)$ holds for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

Then $A \subseteq (S^k\Gamma A]$. Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 S\Gamma A &\subseteq S\Gamma(S^k\Gamma A] \\
 &= (S]\Gamma(S^k\Gamma A] \\
 &\subseteq (S\Gamma(S^k\Gamma A]) \\
 &= ((S\Gamma S)\Gamma(S^k\Gamma A]) \\
 &= ((A\Gamma S^k)\Gamma(S\Gamma S]) \quad \text{Proposition 2.2 (i)} \\
 &= ((A\Gamma S^k)\Gamma S] \\
 &= ((S\Gamma S^k)\Gamma A] \quad \text{Left invertive law} \\
 &= (S^{k+1}\Gamma A].
 \end{aligned}$$

Now, we have that $A \subseteq (S\Gamma A] \subseteq (S^{k+1}\Gamma A]$. So $A \subseteq (S^{k+1}\Gamma A]$. Therefore, $P(k+1)$ holds. Hence $A \subseteq (S^m\Gamma A]$ for all $m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

(ii) Let $P(n)$ be the statement $A \subseteq (A\Gamma S^n]$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and let $x \in A$. Since S is regular, then there exists $y \in S$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ such that $x \leq (x\alpha y)\beta x$. Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &\leq (x\alpha y)\beta x \\
 &\in (A\Gamma S)\Gamma A \\
 &= (A\Gamma S)\Gamma(A\Gamma A] \quad \Gamma\text{-idempotent} \\
 &\subseteq ((A\Gamma S)\Gamma(A\Gamma A]) \\
 &= ((A\Gamma A)\Gamma(S\Gamma A]) \quad \text{Proposition 2.2(i)} \\
 &\subseteq ((A\Gamma A)\Gamma S] \\
 &\subseteq ((A\Gamma A]\Gamma S] \\
 &= (A\Gamma S].
 \end{aligned}$$

So $x \in (A\Gamma S]$. Thus $A \subseteq (A\Gamma S]$. Hence $P(1)$ holds. Let $P(k)$ hold for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. Then $A \subseteq (A\Gamma S^k]$. Consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 A\Gamma S &\subseteq (A\Gamma S^k]\Gamma S \\
 &= (A\Gamma S^k]\Gamma(S] \\
 &\subseteq ((A\Gamma S^k)\Gamma S] \\
 &\subseteq ((S\Gamma S^k)\Gamma A] && \text{Left invertive law} \\
 &= ((S\Gamma S^k]\Gamma(A\Gamma A)] && \Gamma\text{-idempotent} \\
 &= ((S\Gamma S^k)\Gamma(A\Gamma A)] \\
 &= ((A\Gamma A)\Gamma(S^k\Gamma S)] && \text{Proposition 2.3(i)} \\
 &\subseteq ((A\Gamma A)\Gamma(S^k\Gamma S)] \\
 &= (A\Gamma S^{k+1}].
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $A \subseteq (A\Gamma S] \subseteq (A\Gamma S^{k+1}]$. Therefore, $P(k+1)$ holds. Hence $A \subseteq (A\Gamma S^n]$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. \square

Theorem 3.9. Let S be an ordered LA - Γ -semigroup with left identity and let $\emptyset \neq A \subseteq S$. Then A is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S if and only if it is the intersection of an m -left- Γ -ideal of S and n -right- Γ -ideal of S .

Proof. (\Rightarrow) Let A be an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . By Theorem 3.7, A is the intersection of an m -left- Γ -ideal of S and n -right- Γ -ideal of S .

(\Leftarrow) Let A be an intersection of an m -left- Γ -ideal of S and an n -right- Γ -ideal of S . By Theorem 3.6, A is an (m, n) -quasi- Γ -ideal of S . \square

CONFLICT OF INTERESTS

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