From STP to Hyper-Algebra (Part-1) 从矩阵半张量积到超代数(第一部分)

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I. STP/STA with Algebraic Structure of Matrices

Algebra and Matrix in Ancient China

- 吴文俊[1]:代数无疑是中国古代数学最发达的部分.
- Katz [2]: The idea of a matrix has a long history, dated at least from the use by Chinese scholars of the Han period for solving systems of linear equations. (矩阵 历史久远, 至少可追溯到中国汉代, 用于用线性方程组)
- Crilly [3]: The matrix was initiated from 200 BC, Chinese mathematicians used it. (矩阵起源于公元前200年,中国数学家使用了数字阵列)
- 李文林[4]: ≪九章算术≫ 中解线性方程组的方法就是 高斯消去法.

The Goal of STP

It is our responsibility to develop matrix theory and its related algebraic method, initiated by our ancestry!

- [1] D. Lin, W. Li, Y. Yu, Mathematics and Mathematics-Mechamization, Shandong Educational Press, Jinan, 2001.
- [2] V.J. Katz, A History of Mathematics, Brief Version, Springer, New York, 2004.
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- [4] W. Li, A History of Mathematics, CHEP and Springer, Beijing, 2000.



Definition 1.1

Consider a set *G* with an operator $*: G \to G$: (G, *). It is called

(i) Semi-Group: if

$$a * (b * c) = (a * b) * c, \quad a, b, c \in G.$$
 (1)

(ii) Monoid (semi-group with identity): if in addition to (i), there exists an identity $e \in G$, such that

$$a * e = e * a = a, \quad \forall a \in G.$$
 (2)

Definition 1.1(cont'd)

(iii) Group: if in addition to (i) and (ii), for each $a \in G$ there exists a unique inverse a^{-1} such that

$$a * a^{-1} = a^{-1} * a = e, \quad \forall a \in G.$$
 (3)

In addition, if

$$a * b = b * a, \quad \forall a, b \in G,$$
 (4)

(G, *) is called an abelian group.

STA vs Additive Group

Example 1.2

Definition 1.3

(i)

 $\mathbb{R}^{\infty} = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{R}^n.$

(ii) Let $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{\infty}$. Say, $x \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$, and t = lcm(m, n). Then

$$x \pm y := (x \otimes \mathbf{1}_{t/m}) \pm (y \otimes \mathbf{1}_{t/n}) \in \mathbb{R}^t \subset \mathbb{R}^\infty.$$

Consider $(\mathbb{R}^{\infty}, \vec{+})$. Is it a group? No!

$$\mathbf{e} = \{\mathbf{0}_n \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid n = 1, 2, \cdots\}.$$

Hyper group: "Group "with multi-identity.

Then we might say $(\mathbb{R}^{\infty}, \vec{+})$ is a hyper group.

Definition 1.4

(i) Let \mathbb{Q}^+ be the set of positive rational numbers. $\mu = \mu_y/\mu_x \in \mathbb{Q}^+$. $gcd(\mu_y, \mu_x) = 1$.

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mu} := \{ A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n} \mid m/n = \mu \}.$$

Particularly, \mathcal{M}_1 is the set of square matrices. (ii) Assume $A, B \in \mathcal{M}_{\mu}$. Say, $A \in \mathcal{M}_{m\mu_y \times m\mu_x}$, and $B \in \mathcal{M}_{n\mu_y \times n\mu_x}$, and $\operatorname{lcm}(m, n) = t$. Then

$$A \overline{+} B := (A \otimes I_{t/m}) + (B \otimes I_{t/n}).$$
(5)

$$\vec{A+B} := (A \otimes J_{t/m}) + (B \otimes J_{t/n}), \tag{6}$$

where $J_k = \frac{1}{k} \mathbf{1}_{k \times k}$.

Example 1.5

(i) (M_{m×n}, +) is an abelian group.
(ii) Neither (M_µ, +) nor (M_µ, +) is a group. Both (M_µ, +) and (M_µ, +) are abelian Hyper groups.

Matrix Product Group

Definition 1.6

(i) Let $A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}$, $B \in \mathcal{M}_{p \times q}$, and $t = \operatorname{lcm}(n, p)$. The STP of A and B is

$$A \ltimes B := (A \otimes I_{t/n}) (B \otimes I_{t/p}) \in \mathcal{M}_{mt/n \times qt/p}.$$
 (7)

(ii)

$$\mathcal{M} := \bigcup_{m=1}^{\infty} \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}.$$

(iii)

 $\mathcal{T}_n := \{A \in \mathcal{M}_{n \times n} \mid A \text{ is invertible.} \}.$

(iv)

$$\overline{}:=\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty}\mathcal{T}_n.$$

Example 1.7

(i)
$$(\mathcal{M}, \ltimes)$$
 is a monoid with identity $e = 1$.

- (ii) (\mathcal{T}_n, \times) is a group.
- (iii) (\mathcal{T}, \ltimes) is not a group. (\mathcal{T}, \ltimes) is a hyper group.

Definition 1.8

 $\text{Consider } \mathcal{M}.$

(i) Define

$$\mathcal{E}_{m \times n} := rac{1}{\sqrt{mn}} \mathbf{1}_{m \times n}, \quad m, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$$

(ii) Let $A, B \in \mathcal{M}$, say $A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}$, $B \in \mathcal{M}_{p \times q}$, lcm(m, p) = s, and lcm(n, q) = t. Define

$$A \stackrel{\cdot}{\pm} B := (A \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/m \times t/n}) \pm (B \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/p \times t/q}) \in \mathcal{M}_{s \times t}.$$
 (8)

Example 1.9

$$(\mathcal{M},\vec{+})$$
 is an abelian hyper group.

DK-STP and Pseudo DK-STP

Definition 1.10

Let $A, B \in \mathcal{M}$. Say $A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}, B \in \mathcal{M}_{p \times q}$. Define (i) (DK-STP)

$$A \times B := (A \otimes \mathcal{E}_{t/n}^T)(B \otimes \mathcal{E}_{t/p}) \in \mathcal{M}_{mt/n \times qt/p}, \qquad (9)$$

where t = lcm(n, p). (ii) (Pseudo-DK-STP)

$$A \stackrel{\prec}{\propto} B := (A \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/m \times t/n}) \times (B \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/p \times t/q}) \in \mathcal{M}_{s \times t},$$
 (10)

where $s = \operatorname{lcm}(m, p)$, and $t = \operatorname{lcm}(n, q)$.

Proposition 1.11

(i) (\mathcal{M}, \times) is a semi-group. (ii) $(\mathcal{M}, \vec{\times})$ is a semi-group.

Poincaré: "All of mathematics is a tale about group." (庞加莱:所有的数学都是群的故事.)

[5] I. James, Remarkable Mathematicians – From Euler to von Neumann, Cambridge Univ. Press, 2002.

II. Hyper Group

Lattice

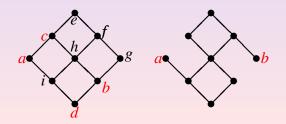
Definition 2.1

A partial order set Λ is a lattice, if λ , $\mu \in \Lambda$, there are $\sup(\lambda, \mu)$ (or $\lambda \lor \mu$), and $\inf(\lambda, \mu)$ (or $\lambda \land \mu$).

Hasse diagram: in Figure 1 the left is a lattice, the right is not a littice.

Lattice

NotLattice



Example 2.1

(i) Consider \mathbb{Z}_+ . Set $a \prec b$ if $a \neq b$ and a|b, i.e. *a* is a proper factor of *b*. It follows that

$$a \lor b = \operatorname{lcm}(a, b); \quad a \land b = \operatorname{gcd}(a, b).$$

Then (\mathbb{Z}_+, \prec) is a lattice, called MD-1 lattice. (ii) Consider $\mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{Z}_+$. Set $(a, c) \prec (b, d)$ if both $a \prec b$ and $c \prec d$ (defined as in (i)). It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} (a,c) \lor (b,d) &= (\operatorname{lcm}(a,b),\operatorname{lcm}(c,d)); \\ (a,c) \land (b,d) &= (\operatorname{gcd}(a,b),\operatorname{gcd}(c,d)). \end{aligned}$$

Then $(\mathbb{Z}_+\times\mathbb{Z}_+,\prec)$ is a lattice, called the MD-2 lattice.

Set of Identities (with Lattice Structure)

Definition 2.2

Consider a semi-group $\mathcal{G}=(G,*)$. $\mathbf{e}\subset G$ is called an identity set of $\mathcal{G},$ if (i)

$$g * e = e * g, \quad \forall g \in G, \ \forall e \in \mathbf{e}.$$
 (11)

(ii) There is a lattice Λ as the index set of e, that is,

$$\mathbf{e} = \{ e_{\lambda} \mid \lambda \in \Lambda \}.$$

Moreover,

$$e_{\lambda} * e_{\mu} = e_{\lambda \lor \mu}, \quad \lambda, \mu \in \Lambda.$$
 (12)

Definition 2.2(cont'd) (iii) For each $g \in G$ there exists a unique $e_g = e_{\lambda_g} \in \mathbf{e}$ such that $e_{\lambda} * g = g,$ (13)

if and only if, $\lambda \prec \lambda_g$, (including $\lambda = \lambda_g$).

Hyper Group

Definition 2.3

Consider a semi-group $\mathcal{G} = (G, *)$.

- (i) $\mathcal{G} = (G, *)$ is a hyper-monoid, if there exists an identity set $\mathbf{e} \subset G$.
- (ii) A hyper-Monoid $\mathcal{G} = (G, *)$ is a hyper group, if for each $g \in G$, there exists a $g^{-1} \in G$ such that

$$g * g^{-1} = g^{-1} * g = e_g.$$
 (14)

In addition, if a * b = b * a, $\forall a, b \in G$, then it is called an abelian hyper-monoid/hyper group.

Example 2.4

(i) $(\mathbb{R}^{\infty}, \vec{+})$ is a hyper group, where

$$\mathbf{e} = \{0_n \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\},\tag{15}$$

w.r.t. MD-1 lattice.

(ii) $(\mathcal{M}_1,\bar+)$ (or $(\mathcal{M}_1,\bar+))$ is a hyper group, where the identity set is

$$\mathbf{e} = \{ \mathbf{0}_{n \times n} \in \mathcal{M}_{n \times n} \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \},$$
(16)

w.r.t. MD-1 lattice.

(iii) $(\mathcal{M}_{\mu},\bar{+}))$ (or $(\mathcal{M}_{\mu},\bar{+}))$ is a hyper group, where the identity set is

$$\mathbf{e} = \{\mathbf{0}_{n\mu_y \times n\mu_x} \in \mathcal{M}_{n\mu_y \times n\mu_x} \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+\}, \quad (17)$$

w.r.t. MD-1 lattice.

Example 2.4(cont'd)

(iv) $(\mathcal{M},\vec{+})$ is a hyper group, where the identity set is

$$\mathbf{e} = \{\mathbf{0}_{m \times n} \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n} \mid (m, n) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{Z}_+\},$$
(18)

w.r.t. MD-2 lattice.

Example 2.5

Recall that

$$\mathcal{T} := \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{T}_n,$$

where T_n is the set of $n \times n$ invertible matrices. Then (T, \ltimes) is a hyper group, where the identity set is

$$\mathbf{e} = \{ I_n \in \mathcal{M}_{n \times n} \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \},$$
(19)

w.r.t. MD-1 lattice.

Proposition 2.6

Assume $\mathcal{G} = (G, *, \mathbf{e})$ is a hyper group, where \mathbf{e} w.r.t. Λ . For each $e_{\lambda} \in \mathbf{e}$, $\lambda \in \Lambda$ set $G_{\lambda} \subset G$ as

$$G_{\lambda} := \{ x \in G \mid e_x = e_{\lambda} \}.$$
(20)

Then

(i) For each λ ∈ Λ, G_λ = (G_λ, *) is a group, called the component group of G, and its identity is e_λ.
(ii)

$$G = \bigcup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} G_{\lambda} \tag{21}$$

is a partition. (iii) If $x \in G_{\lambda}$ and $y \in G_{\mu}$, then $x * y \in G_{\lambda \lor \mu}$.

Equivalence

Definition 2.7

Consider a hyper group $\mathcal{G} = (G, *, \mathbf{e})$. Let $x, y \in G$. x and y are said to be equivalent, denoted by $x \sim y$, if there exist e_{α} and e_{β} such that

$$x * e_{\alpha} = y * e_{\beta}. \tag{22}$$

The equivalence class of x, denoted by \bar{x} , is

$$\bar{x} := \{ y \in G \mid y \sim x \}.$$

Definition 2.8

Consider a hyper group $\mathcal{G} = (G, *)$. The equivalence \sim is said to be consistent with the group operator *, if the followings are satisfied.

Definition 2.8(cont'd)

(i) If $x_1 \sim x_2$ and $y_1 \sim y_2$, then

$$x_1 * y_1 \sim x_2 * y_2.$$
 (23)

(ii) If there exists $e \in \mathbf{e}$ such that $x \sim e$, then $x \in \mathbf{e}$.

Then we have the identity set as one element.

Proposition 2.9

Consider a hyper group $\mathcal{G} = (G, *, \mathbf{e})$. If the equivalence is consistent with the operator, then

$$\bar{e} = \mathbf{e}, \quad e \in \mathbf{e}.$$
 (24)

Proposition 2.10

Consider a hyper group $\mathcal{G} = (G, *, \mathbf{e})$. Assume the equivalence \sim defined by (22) is consistent with *. Then

$$\bar{x} * \bar{y} := \overline{x * y},\tag{25}$$

is properly defined. Moreover, $\overline{\mathcal{G}} = (\overline{G}, *)$ is a group, called the equivalence group of \mathcal{G} , denoted by

$$ar{\mathcal{G}} := \mathcal{G} / \sim = (ar{G}, *),$$

where $\overline{G} = {\overline{x} \mid x \in G}$.

Observing Propositions 2.6 and 2.10, a geometric picture for the structure of a hyper group, called the group decomposition of hyper group, is depicted by Figure 2.

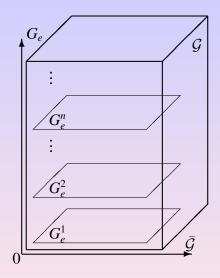


Figure 2: Group Decomposition of a Hyper-Group \mathcal{G}

III. Permutation Hyper Group

Left Permutation Hyper-Group

$$\mathbf{S} := \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathbf{S}_n.$$

Definition 3.1

Assume m|n, and km = n, define $\varphi_n^m : \mathbf{S}_m \to \mathbf{S}_n$ as

$$\varphi_n^m(\sigma)((i-1)k+s) := (\sigma(i)-1)k+s, \sigma \in \mathbf{S}_m, \ s \in [1,k], \ i \in [1,m].$$
(26)

Note that

$$M_{\varphi_n^m(\sigma)} = M_\sigma \otimes I_k.$$
⁽²⁷⁾

Definition 3.2

Let
$$\sigma \in \mathbf{S}_m$$
, $\mu \in \mathbf{S}_n$, and $t = \operatorname{lcm}(\sigma, \mu)$. Then

$$\sigma \odot \mu = \varphi_t^m(\sigma) \circ \varphi_t^n(\mu) \in \mathbf{S}_t.$$
(28)

Proposition 3.3

 $(\mathbf{S},\odot,\mathbf{e})$ is a hyper group, where

$$\mathbf{e} = \{ Id_n \mid n \in Z^+ \}$$

w.r.t. MD-1 lattice.

Q1: What is the quotient group?

Q2: Is left permutation hyper group isomorphic to right permutation hyper group?

IV. Hyper Ring

Matrix Ring

Definition 4.1

Let *R* be a set with + and \times . It is a ring if

- (i) (R, +) is an abelian group.
- (ii) (R, \times) is a semi-group.
- (iii) (Distributive Law)

$$(a+b) \times c = a \times c + b \times c, a \times (b+c) = a \times b + a \times c. \quad a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}.$$
 (29)

In addition if (R, \times) is a monoid (i.e., with identity), *R* is called a ring with identity; if $a \times b = b \times a \ \forall a, b \in R$, *R* is called a commutative ring.

Example 4.2

(i) $(\mathcal{M}_{n \times n}, +, \times)$ is a ring with identity. (ii) $(\mathcal{M}_{m \times n}, +, \times)$ is a ring.

Definition 4.3

Let *R* be a set with + and \times . It is a hyper ring if

- (R, +) is a hyper group.
- (ii) and (iii) are the same as in Definition 4.1.

Example 4.4

(i)
$$(\mathcal{M}_1, \bar{+}, \ltimes)$$
 (or $(\mathcal{M}_1, \bar{+}, \circ)$) is a hyper ring, where
 $A\bar{+}B := (A \otimes I_{t/m}(B \otimes I_{t/n}), \quad A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times m}, B \in \mathcal{M}_{n \times n}.$
 $A\bar{+}B := (A \otimes J_{t/m}(B \otimes J_{t/n}).$
 $A \circ B = (A \otimes J_{t/m})(B \otimes J_{t/n}), \quad (J_k = \mathcal{E}_{k \times k} = \frac{1}{k}\mathbf{1}_{k \times k}).$
(ii) $(\mathcal{M}, \bar{+}, \bar{\times})$ is a hyper ring, where $(A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}, B \in \mathcal{M}_{p \times q}, s = \operatorname{lcm}(m, p), \text{ and } t = \operatorname{lcm}(n, q)),$
 $A\bar{+}B = (A \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/m \times t/n}) + (B \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/p \times t/q}) \in \mathcal{M}_{s \times t}.$
 $A \bar{\times} B = (A \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/m \times t/n}) \times (B \otimes \mathcal{E}_{s/p \times t/q}) \in \mathcal{M}_{s \times t}.$

Proposition 4.5

Consider a hyper-ring $(R, +, \times)$ with the identity set of its addition hyper group as $\mathbf{e} = \{e_{\lambda} \mid \lambda \in \Lambda\}$.

- (i) If the addition + and the product × of *R* are consistent, then each $(R_{\lambda}, +, \times)$ is a ring, called the component ring of the hyper-ring $(R, +, \times)$.
- (ii) In addition to (i), if the equivalence is consistent with the operators, then the operators over quotient space can be defined properly by

$$\bar{x} + \bar{y} := \overline{x + y}, \quad x, y \in R, \\ \bar{x} \times \bar{y} := \overline{x \times y}.$$
(30)

Therefore, the quotient space becomes a ring, called the equivalence ring.

Similarly to hyper groups, the decomposition of hyper-rings are shown in Figure 3.

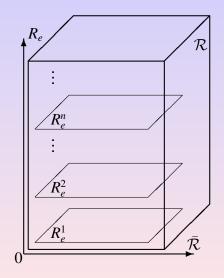


Figure 3: Ring Decomposition of a Hyper-Ring ${\cal R}$

V. Hyper Vector Space

Vector Space

Definition 5.1 [6]

A vector space \mathcal{V} over \mathbb{R} is a triple $\mathcal{V} = (X, +, \cdot)$, where *X* is a set with elements $x \in X$ are vectors; addition $+ : X \times X \rightarrow X$, and scalar product $\cdot : \mathbb{R} \times X \rightarrow X$, satisfying (1) (X, +) is an abalian group, that is

(1) (X, +) is an abelian group, that is,

(i) Associativity:

$$(x + y) + z = x + (y + z), \quad x, y, z \in X.$$
 (31)

(ii) Commutativity:

$$x + y = y + x, \quad x, y \in X.$$
 (32)

Definition 5.1(cont'd)

(iii) Zero: There exists a unique $\vec{0} \in X$, such that

$$x + \vec{0} = \vec{0} + x = x, \quad \forall x \in X.$$
 (33)

(iv) Inverse: For each $x \in X$ there exists a $-x \in X$, such that

$$x + (-x) = 0, \quad x \in X.$$
 (34)

(2) Scalar product satisfies

(i) Associativity:

$$(r_1r_2) \cdot x = r_1 \cdot (r_2 \cdot x), \quad r_1, r_2 \in \mathbb{F}, \ x \in X.$$
 (35)

Definition 5.1(cont'd)

(ii) Distributive Law:

$$(r_1 + r_2) \cdot x = r_1 \cdot x + r_2 \cdot x, \quad r, r_1, r_2 \in \mathbb{R}, r \cdot (x + y) = r \cdot x + r \cdot y, \quad x, \ y \in X.$$
(36)

(iii) Unit:

$$1 \cdot x = x, \quad 1 \in \mathbb{R}, x \in X. \tag{37}$$

Definition 5.2

A hyper vector space is structurally similar to a vector space except that (X, +) is an abelian hyper group.

[6] W. Greub, *Linear Algebra*, 4 ed., Springer-Verlag, New York, 1981.

Example 5.3

- (i) $(\mathbb{R}^\infty,\vec{+})$ is a hyper-vector space.
- (ii) $(\mathcal{M}_1,\bar{+})$ is a hyper-vector space. $(\mathcal{M}_1,\bar{+})$ is also a hyper-vector space.
- (iii) $(\mathcal{M}_{\mu}.\vec{+})$ (or $(\mathcal{M}_{\mu}.\bar{+})$) is a hyper-vector space.
- (iv) $(\mathcal{M}, \vec{+})$ is a hyper-vector space.

Proposition 5.4

Consider a hyper-vector space $\mathcal{V} = (X, +, \cdot)$. Assume $\mathbf{e} = \{e_{\lambda} \mid \lambda \in \Lambda\}$. Then

- (i) For each $\lambda \in \Lambda$, X_{λ} is a vector space.
- (ii) Assume the addition is consistent w.r.t. equivalence, then the equivalence group is a vector space.

VI. Hyper Module

Hyper Module

Definition 6.1

Let *R* be a hyper ring. A (left) *R*-module is an additive (abelian) hyper group *A* with a function $\pi : R \times A \to A$ such that

(i)

$$r(a+b) = ra + rb, \quad r \in R, \ a, \ b \in A;$$
 (38)

(ii)

$$(r+s)a = ra + sa, \quad r, s \in R, \ a, \ b \in A;$$
 (39)

Definition 6.1(cont'd) (iii)

$$r(sa) = (rs)a. \tag{40}$$

If *R* has an identity set e_R for the product, such that

$$e_R x \sim x \quad e_R \in \mathbf{e}_R, \forall x \in A,$$
 (41)

and there exists at least one $e_x \in \mathbf{e}_R$, such that

$$e_x x = x, \tag{42}$$

then *A* is said to be a unitary hyper R-module.

VII. Conclusion

Hyper-Algebra

 $\begin{cases} Hyper Group \Rightarrow Hyper Ring \Rightarrow Hyper Module \\ Hyper Vector Space \\ \Rightarrow Cross-dimensional linear (control) systems \end{cases}$

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