

Perfect GMV-Algebras and its Variety

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Every GMV-algebra appears as $\Gamma(G, u)$, [2], where (G, u) is a unital ℓ -group (not necessarily Abelian) with strong unit u and Γ is a generalized Mundici's functor [3] between the variety of GMV-algebras and the category of unital ℓ -groups

We define a category of perfect GMV-algebras, as GMV-algebras M having only one negation such that every maximal ideal of M is normal. We show that, for every perfect GMV-algebra M , there is a unique (up to isomorphism) ℓ -group G such that $M \cong \Gamma(\mathbb{Z} \times_{lex} G, (1, 0))$. Using the Holland representation of ℓ -groups and McCleary's Trichotomy Classification Theorem of primitive ℓ -groups we characterize the variety generated by perfect GMV-algebras. We show that this variety is generated by a unique perfect GMV-algebra $\Gamma(\mathbb{Z} \times_{lex} G, (1, 0))$, where G is a doubly transitive ℓ -group, and is characterized by a unique identity. In addition, we show that this variety coincides with the variety of GMV-algebras M such that every maximal ideal I is normal, and $M/I \cong \Gamma(\mathbb{Z}, 1)$. The results generalized those for MV-algebras [1].

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