

On Co Distributive Pair and Dually Co Distributive Pair in a Lattice

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Abstract: In this paper we have obtained some interesting results on Co distributive pair in lattices. We also obtained some results on dually Co distributive pair in general lattice.

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I. Introduction

In this paper we have defined some definitions like Co distributive pair, d-meet irreducible element, d-prime element of a lattice 'L', d-prime is transformed to dually co distributive pair, dually d-prime ideals, dually d-prime element.

Using above definitions we have achieved some theorems [like,(4) If (x,y) is dually co distributive then for any $a \in L$, $(x \wedge a)$, $(y \wedge a)$ is also dually co distributive.(6) Relation between dually d-prime ideal with

(1) distributive (2) Standard (3) Neutral] and result(s), If 'a' is dually d-prime element $\Leftrightarrow [a]$ is dually d-prime and $(x \wedge a)$, $(y \wedge a)$ is dually co distributive pair. Also we have obtained some of the most important theorems,(8) If (a,b) and (b,c) are dually codistributive, then $(a \wedge c, b)$ is also dually co distributive and (9) Suppose I is a sublattice of L and m_a , $a \in I$, and m_a is an ideal of I, minimal w.r.to the property of containing 'a', then there is a d-prime ideal 'p' of $L \ni P \cap I = m_a$ which is followed by lemma, If 'L' is any lattice, then every dually d-meet irreducible element is dually d-prime.

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II. In the first part of this paper we start with the following preliminaries

Def (1):- Co distributive pair : Let 'L' be a lattice, $x, y \in L$, then (x,y) is said to be codistributive, if $(x \wedge y) \vee z = (x \vee z) \wedge (y \vee z) \quad \forall z \in L$.

Def (2):- d-meet irreducible element : An element 'a' of lattice 'L' is called d-meet irreducible $\Leftrightarrow a = x \wedge y$ and (x,y) is codistributive \Rightarrow either $a=x$ or $a=y$.

Def (3):- d-prime element of a lattice L : An element 'a' of a lattice is d-prime $\Leftrightarrow a \geq x \wedge y$ and (x,y) is codistributive \Rightarrow either $a \geq x$ or $a \geq y$.

Def (4):- d-prime Ideals : An Ideal 'I' of a lattice 'L' is called a d-prime Ideal if for any codistributive pair $(a,b) \in L^2$ with $a \wedge b \in I$ then $a \in I$ or $b \in I$.

Theorem (1) :- Connection between d-meet irreducible element of a lattice 'L' with either distributive/Standard/Neutral.

Proof :- Let 'a' be a d-meet irreducible element, Also let (x,y) be co distributive with $a = x \wedge y$.

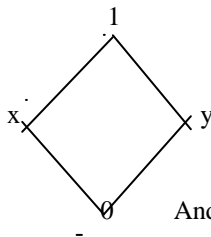
Claim:- (i) 'a' is distributive, i.e, $a \vee (x \wedge y) = (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y)$

Consider, $a \vee (x \wedge y) = a \vee (a) = a$.

Also, $(a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y) = ((x \wedge y) \vee x) \wedge ((x \wedge y) \vee y) = x \wedge y = a$.

Converse :- If 'a' is distributive then 'a' is a d-meet irreducible element.

Consider,



$a \wedge b = 0, a \vee b = 1$.

Since, $a \vee (x \wedge y) = (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y)$,

Let $x = 1, y = b$, then $a \vee (1 \wedge b) = a \vee b = 1$.

Also, $(a \vee 1) \wedge (a \vee b) = 1 \wedge 1 = 1$.

And $a \wedge b = 0 \Rightarrow (a,b)$ is co distributive \Rightarrow either $a=0$ or $b = 0$.

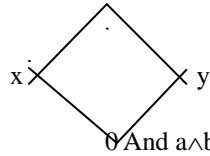
(ii) 'a' is standard, i.e, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y)$.

Consider, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = x \wedge ((x \wedge y) \vee y) = x \wedge y = a$.

Also, $(x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y) = (x \wedge a) \vee a = a$.

Converse :- If 'a' is standard, then 'a' is not d-meet irreducible element, because of the following

example, 1



Since, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y)$,
 Let $x = 1, y = b$, then $1 \wedge (a \vee b) = 1 \wedge 1 = 1$.
 Also, $(x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y) = (1 \wedge a) \vee (1 \wedge b) = a \vee b = 1$.
 And $a \wedge b = 0 \Rightarrow (a, b)$ is co distributive \Rightarrow either $a=0$ or $b = 0$.

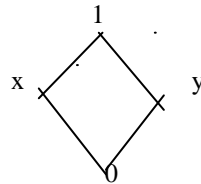
Theorem (2) :- Connection between d-prime element of a lattice 'L' with either distributive / Standard / Neutral.

Proof :- Let 'a' is d-prime element, also let (x,y) be codistributive with $a \geq x \wedge y$.

Claim:- (i) 'a' is distributive, i.e, $a \vee (x \wedge y) = (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y)$.

Since, $a \geq x \wedge y \Rightarrow (x \wedge y) \vee a = a \Rightarrow (x \vee a) \wedge (y \vee a) = a$, as (x,y) is co distributive.
 \Rightarrow 'a' is distributive.

Converse of this need not be true, because of the following example,



Since, $a \vee (x \wedge y) = (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y)$,
 $0 \vee (x \wedge y) = (0 \vee x) \wedge (0 \vee y)$,
 $0 \vee 0 = x \wedge y$,
 $0 = 0$.

$\therefore \{0\}$ is distributive.

Since, $0 \geq x \wedge y$ and (x,y) is codistributive, but, $0 \not\leq x$ and $0 \not\leq y$.

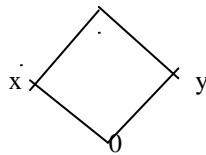
\therefore Any distributive element need not be d-prime element.

(ii) 'a' is standard, i.e, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y)$.

Consider, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \vee (x \wedge y)) \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \vee a) \wedge (y \vee a) = (x \wedge y) \wedge a = a \wedge a = a$.

Also, $(x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y) = (x \wedge a) \vee a = a$.

Converse of this need not be true, because of the following example,



Since, $x \wedge (a \vee y) = (x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y)$,
 $x \wedge (0 \vee y) = (x \wedge 0) \vee (x \wedge y)$,
 $x \wedge y = 0 \vee 0$,
 $0 = 0$.

$\therefore \{0\}$ is standard.

Since, $0 \geq x \wedge y$ and (x,y) is co distributive, but, $0 \not\leq x$ and $0 \not\leq y$.

\therefore Any Standard element need not be d-prime element.

III. In the second part of the paper we start with the following preliminaries

Def (1):- Dually co distributive : Let 'L' be a lattice and $(x,y) \in L^2$, then the pair (x,y) is said to be dually co distributive, if $(x \vee y) \wedge z = (x \wedge z) \vee (y \wedge z) \forall z \in L$.

Def (2):- Dually d-prime Ideal : An Ideal P of L is called a dually d-prime Ideal if $(x,y) \in L^2$ with $(x \vee y) \in P \Rightarrow x \in P$ and $y \in P$ for any codistributive pair (x,y) in L^2 .

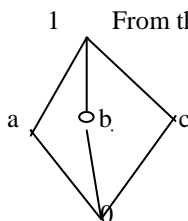
Def (3):- Dually d-prime element : An element 'a' of a lattice 'L' is dually d-prime $\Leftrightarrow a \leq x \vee y$ and (x,y) is codistributive \Rightarrow either $a \leq x$ and $a \leq y$.

Theorem (4):- If (x,y) is dually codistributive, then for any $a \in L$, $(x \wedge a), (y \wedge a)$ is also dually co distributive.

Proof:- It is clear.

Theorem (5):- Relation between dually d-prime element with, (1) Distributive (2) Standard (3) Neutral.

Proof:- Consider the following example for (1), i.e, dually d-prime element to distributive.



1 From this fig. put $x=b, y=c$

Then $a \vee (x \wedge y) = a \vee (b \wedge c) = a \vee 0 = a$.

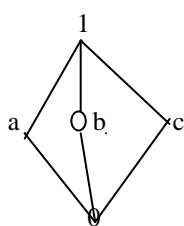
Also $(a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y) = (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c) = 1 \wedge 1 = 1$.

$\therefore a \neq 1$.

Also $a \leq x \vee y$

$\leq b \vee c \leq 1$, and (x,y) is not codistributive, also a not $\leq x$ and a not $\leq y$.

Also consider the following example for (2), i.e, dually d-prime element to standard.



From this fig. put $x = b, y = c$
 Then $x \wedge (a \vee y) = b \wedge (a \vee c) = b \wedge 1 = b$.
 Also $(x \wedge a) \vee (x \wedge y) = (b \wedge a) \vee (b \wedge c) = 0 \vee 0 = 0$.
 $\therefore b \neq 0$.
 Also $a \leq x \vee y$
 $\leq b \vee c \leq 1$, and (x, y) is not codistributive, also $a \not\leq x$ and $a \not\leq y$.

Result (6) :- 'a' is d-prime element $\Leftrightarrow [a]$ is d-prime Ideal.

Proof:- Let 'a' be d-prime element.

Claim:- $[a]$ is d-prime Ideal.

Let (x, y) be a co distributive pair with $x \wedge y \in [a]$. $\Rightarrow x \wedge y \leq a \Rightarrow x \leq a$ or $y \leq a$.

If $x \leq a \Rightarrow x \in [a]$. If $y \leq a \Rightarrow y \in [a]$. Hence $[a]$ is d-prime.

Conversely, Let $[a]$ be d-prime.

Claim:- 'a' is d-prime element.

i.e, $a \geq x \wedge y$ and (x, y) is co distributive, then $a \geq x$ or $a \geq y$.

Since $a \geq x \wedge y \Rightarrow a = a \vee (x \wedge y) = (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y) \Rightarrow (a \vee x) \wedge (a \vee y) \in [a]$.

Since, we know that (x, y) is co distributive then for any 'a' $(a \vee x, a \vee y)$ is also co distributive.

Hence $a \vee x \in [a]$ or $a \vee y \in [a]$.

If $a \vee x \in [a]$, then $a \vee x \leq a$. But $a \vee x \geq a$, hence $a \vee x = a$. Hence $x \leq a$.

If $a \vee y \in [a]$, then $a \vee y \leq a$. But $a \vee y \geq a$, hence $a \vee y = a$. Hence $y \leq a$.

Hence 'a' is d-prime element.

Result (7) :- 'a' is dually d-prime element $\Leftrightarrow [a]$ is dually d-prime and for any (x, y) $(x \wedge a), (y \wedge a)$ is also dually co distributive.

Proof:- Let 'a' be dually d-prime element $\Rightarrow a \leq x \vee y$ and (x, y) is co distributive pair $\Rightarrow a \leq x$ and $a \leq y$.

Claim:- $[a]$ is dually d-prime, where $[a] = \{x \in S / x \geq a\}$.

Let $x \vee y \in [a]$

$\Rightarrow a \leq x \vee y \Rightarrow a \leq x$ and $a \leq y$.

If $a \leq x \Rightarrow x \in [a]$ and $a \leq y \Rightarrow y \in [a]$

Hence $[a]$ is dually d-prime.

Conversely, let $[a]$ is dually d-prime element.

Claim:- 'a' is dually d-prime element.

i.e, $a \leq x \vee y$ and (x, y) is dually co distributive $\Rightarrow a \leq x$ and $a \leq y$.

Since $a \leq x \vee y \Rightarrow a = a \wedge (x \vee y) = (a \wedge x) \vee (a \wedge y)$.

$\Rightarrow (a \wedge x) \vee (a \wedge y) \in [a]$.

[since (x, y) is dually co distributive and $(a \wedge x, a \wedge y)$ is also dually co distributive]

Hence $a \wedge x \in [a]$ and $a \wedge y \in [a]$.

If $a \wedge x \in [a]$, then $a \wedge x \geq a$, but $a \wedge x \leq a$, $\therefore a \wedge x = a$, hence $x \geq a$.

Also if $a \wedge y \in [a]$, then $a \wedge y \geq a$, but $a \wedge y \leq a$, $\therefore a \wedge y = a$, hence $y \geq a$.

Theorem (8):- If (a, b) and (b, c) are dually co distributive, then $(a \wedge c, b)$ is also dually co distributive.

Proof:- Since (a, b) is dually co distributive, for any element $x \in L$, we have $(a \vee b) \wedge x = (a \wedge x) \vee (b \wedge x)$.

Also since (b, c) is dually co distributive, for any element $x \in L$, we have $(b \vee c) \wedge x = (b \wedge x) \vee (c \wedge x)$.

To show that $(a \wedge c, b)$ is also dually co distributive.

Supposing that, let $(a \wedge c, b)$ is not dually co distributive, then $[(a \wedge c) \vee b] \wedge x > [(a \wedge c) \wedge x] \vee [b \wedge x]$, for some $x \in L$, hence \exists an ideal P which is minimal w.r.to the property of containing $[(a \wedge c) \wedge x] \vee [b \wedge x]$ but not containing $[(a \wedge c) \vee b] \wedge x$.

Thus $[(a \wedge c) \wedge x] \vee [b \wedge x] \in P$ and $[(a \wedge c) \vee b] \wedge x \notin P$.

Now $(a \wedge c) \vee b \notin P$ and $(a \vee b) \leq (a \wedge c) \vee b \notin P$. We have $(a \vee b) \notin P$.

Similarly, $(b \vee c) \leq (a \wedge c) \vee b$, and hence $(b \vee c) \notin P$. Since, $(b \wedge x) \in P$, this shows that $b \in P$, lly $c \in P$.

If $a \in P$, then since $(a \vee b) \notin P$, we have $b \notin P$ which is a contradiction. If $c \in P$, then since $(b \vee c) \notin P$,

We have $b \notin P$, which is also a contradiction. Hence $(a \wedge c, b)$ is dually co distributive.

Theorem (9):- Suppose I is a sublattice of L and $m_a, a \in I$ and m_a is an Ideal of I , minimal w.r.to the property of containing 'a', then there is a d-prime ideal P of $L \ni P \cap I = m_a$.

Proof:- Let $x \in [m_a] \cap (a]$, then $x \in [m_a]$ and $x \in (a]$, so that $x \leq a$ for some $x \in [m_a]$ and hence $x \geq k$ for some $k \in m_a$. Thus $a \geq x \geq k \Rightarrow a \geq k$ for some $k \in m_a$ which is a contradiction.

Hence $[m_a] \cap (a] = \emptyset$. $\therefore \exists$ a d-prime ideal P of L $\ni [m_a] \subseteq P$, and $P \cap (a] = \emptyset$, hence 'P' is d-prime.

Claim:- $P \cap I = m_a$.

Now $m_a \subseteq P$, $m_a \subseteq I \Rightarrow m_a \subseteq P \cap I$ -----(*)

Suppose $x \in P \cap I$ so that $x \in P$ and $x \in I$,

If $x \notin m_a$ then $a \in m_a \wedge (x)$ and hence $a \geq k \wedge x$, for some $k \in m_a$.

$\therefore k \in m_a \Rightarrow k \in P$. for some $x \in P$. since $k \in P$, $x \wedge k \in P$ so that, $a \notin P$ which is a contradiction.

Hence $x \in m_a$.

Thus $P \cap I \subseteq m_a$ -----(**)

From (*) and (**), $P \cap I = m_a$.

Lemma (10):- If L is any lattice then every dually d-meet irreducible element is dually d-prime.

Proof:- Proof is clear.

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