

# **Generalised Lattice Metrized Spaces (gl-metrized spaces)**

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**Abstract:** In this paper initially introduced the concept generalised lattice betweenness (gl-betweenness) relation in generalised lattice and observed transitivity properties. Later introduced the concept generalised lattice metrized space (gl-metrized space), imagined triangles, sides of the triangles and observed their properties

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## **1. INTRODUCTION**

Mellacheruvu Krishna Murty and U. MadanaSwamy (Professors of Andhra University)[6] introduced the concept of generalised lattice. The author P.R.Kishore [2,3,4] developed the theory of generalised lattices that can play an intermediate role between the theories of lattices and posets. The concept of Lattice metrized space (L-metrized space) is known from Leo Lapidus [5,7] and later in [8] the concept of Brouwerian generalised lattice introduced and developed by the author P.R.Kishore. In this paper section 2 contains some preliminary concepts that are from the references. In section 3 introduced two kinds of transitivity properties  $t_1$ ,  $t_2$  and generalised lattice betweenness (glbetweeness) relation in a generalised lattice. Proved that the gl-betweeness relation satisfies the transitivity  $t_1$ . In section 4 introduced the concept generalised lattice metrized space (gl-metrized space), imagined triangles, sides of the triangles and observed their properties. Finally introduced a relation P-linear (Pl) in a gl-metrized space and proved that it satisfies the transitivity  $t_2$ .

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

This section contains some preliminaries from the references those are useful in the next sections.

[Murty [6]] For any finite subset A of a poset P, define  $L(A) = \{x \in P \mid x \le a \text{ for all } a \in A\}$  and  $U(A) = \{x \in P \mid a \le x \text{ for all } a \in A\}$ . Then the sets  $L(P) = \{L(A) \mid A \text{ is a finite subset of } P\}$  and  $U(P) = \{U(A) \mid A \text{ is a finite subset of } P\}$  are semi lattices under set inclusion.

Definition 2.1 [Murty [6]] Let  $(P, \leq)$  be a poset. P is said to be a generalised meet semilattice if for every non empty finite subset A of P, there exist a non-empty finite subset B of P such that,  $x \in L(A)$  if and only if  $x \leq b$  for some  $b \in B$ . P is said to be a generalised join semilattice if for every non empty finite subset A of P, there exist a non-empty finite subset B of P such that,  $x \in U(A)$  if and only if  $b \leq x$  for some  $b \in B$ . P is said to be a generalised lattice if it is both generalised meet and join semilattice.

[Murty [6]] It is observed that if P is a generalised meet (join) semilattice, then for any L(A)  $\epsilon L(P)(U(A) \epsilon U(P))$  there exists a unique finite subset B of P such that  $L(A)=\bigcup_{b \in B} L(b)$  (U(A) =  $\bigcup_{b \in B} U(b)$ ) and the elements of B are mutually incomparable and the set is denoted by ML(A) (mu(A)). If a posetP is a generalised lattice then (L(P),  $\subseteq$ ) and (U(P),  $\subseteq$ ) are lattices.

### 3. GENERALISED LATTICE BETWEENNESS (GL-BETWEENNESS)

Definition 3.1 Let P be a generalised lattice and  $\theta \subseteq Px P x P = P^3$ . Then  $\theta$  is said to have the property of transitivity  $t_1$  if for a,b,c,x  $\in P$ ; (a,b,c)\  $\in \theta$  and (a,x,b)  $\in \theta$  implies (x,b,c)  $\in \theta$ .

Definition 3.2 Let P be a generalised lattice and  $\theta \subseteq P^3$ . Then  $\theta$  is said to have the property of transitivity  $t_2$  if for a,b,c,x  $\in P$ ; (a,b,c)  $\in \theta$  and (a,x,b)  $\in \theta$  implies (a,x,c)  $\in \theta$ .

Definition 3.3 Let P be a generalised lattice and a,b,c  $\in$  P. Then b is said to be gl-between a and c in P if ML(mu(ML{a, b}  $\cup$  ML{b, c})) = {b} = mu(ML(mu{a,b}  $\cup$  mu{b,c})), denoted by (a,b,c)glb.

Note: Let P be a generalised lattice. Then  $glb = \{(a,b,c) \in P^3 | (a,b,c)glb\} = \setminus \{(a,b,c) \in P^3 | ML(mu(ML\{a,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = \{b\} = mu(ML(mu\{a,b\} \cup mu\{b,c\})) \text{ is a 3-relation on P.}$ 

Theorem 3.4 Let P be a generalised lattice. Then the 3-relation glb on P has transitivity t<sub>1</sub>.

Proof: Let a,b,c,x  $\in$  P and suppose (a,b,c), (a,x,b)  $\in$  glb. Then ML(mu(ML{a, b} \cup ML{b, c})) = {b} =  $mu(ML(mu\{a,b\} \cup mu\{b,c\}))$  and  $ML(mu\{a,x\} \cup mu\{x,b\}) = \{x\} = mu(ML(mu\{a,x\} \cup mu\{x,b\}))$ . Consider  $L(x) \land (L(a) \land L(b)) = (L(a) \lor L(x)) \land (L(x) \lor L(b)) \land (L(a) \land L(b)) = L(a) \land L(b)$ . To show that  $(x,b,c) \in \text{glb}$ : To show that  $ML(mu(ML\{x,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = \{b\}$ : Consider  $L(mu(ML\{x,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = \{b\}$ : Consider  $L(mu(ML\{b,c\})) = \{b\}$ : Consider  $ML\{b,c\}) = (L(x) \land L(b)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) = (L(x) \land ((L(a) \land L(b)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c))) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) \ge (L(b) \land L(c)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) \ge (L(b) \land L(c)) \lor (L(b) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) \lor (L(b) \lor$  $(L(x) \land L(a) \land L(b)) \lor (L(x) \land L(b) \land L(c)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) = (L(a) \land L(b)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) = L(b).$ Again consider  $L(mu(ML\{x,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = (L(x) \land L(b)) \lor (L(b) \land L(c)) \le L(b) \lor L(b) = L(b).$ Therefore  $L(mu(ML\{x,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = L(b)$ . Therefore  $ML(mu(ML\{x,b\} \cup ML\{b,c\})) = \{b\}$ . To show that ML(mu{x,b}  $\cup$  mu{b,c})) = {b}: We know that {b}  $\subseteq$  {x, b} and {b}  $\subseteq$  {b, c}. This implies  $U(\{x, b\}) \subseteq U(\{b\})$  and  $U(\{b, c\}) \subseteq U(\{b\})$ . This implies  $L(b) = L(U(\{b\})) \subseteq L(U(\{x, b\}))$ and  $L(b) = L(U(\{b\})) \subseteq L(U(\{b, c\}))$ . Then  $L(b) \subseteq L(U(\{x, b\})) \cap L(U(\{b, c\})) = L(mu\{x, b\} \cup L(b))$  $mu\{b,c\})$ ). This implies  $U(ML(mu\{x,b\} \cup mu\{b,c\}))) \subseteq U(L(b)) = U(b)$ . Consider  $U(x) \land (U(a) \land U(b)) = U(b)$ .  $U(b) = (U(a) \lor U(x)) \land (U(x) \lor U(b)) \land (U(a) \land U(b)) = U(a) \land U(b)$ . Consider  $U(ML(mu\{x,b\} \cup U(b))) \land U(b)$ .  $mu\{b,c\}) = U(\{x,b\}) \vee U(\{b,c\}) = (U(x) \land U(b)) \vee (U(b) \land U(c)) = (U(x) \land ((U(a) \land U(b)) \lor (U(b) \land U(b)))) \vee (U(b) \land U(b) \land U(b)) \vee (U(b) \lor U(b)) \vee (U(b) \lor U$ U(c))  $\vee (U(b) \wedge U(c)) \geq (U(x) \wedge U(a) \wedge U(b)) \vee (U(x) \wedge U(b) \wedge U(c)) \vee (U(b) \wedge U(c)) = (U(a) \wedge U(c))$ U(b))  $\vee$  (U(b)  $\wedge$  U(c)) = U(b). Therefore mu(ML(mu{x,b} \cup mu{b,c})) = {b}. Therefore (x,b,c)  $\in$ glb.□

#### 4. GENERALISED LATTICE METRIZED SPACES (GL-METRIZED SPACES)

Definition 4.1 Let S be a set and P be a generalised lattice having least element 0. If there exists a map d: S x S  $\rightarrow$  P such that (i) d(a,b)  $\geq$  0 and d(a,b) = 0  $\Rightarrow$  a = b (ii) d(a,b) = d(b,a) (iii) d(a,c)  $\in$  L(mu(d(a,b), d(b,c))), then the ordered pair (S,d) is called a generalised lattice metrized space (gl-metrized space). We denote d(a,b) by a \* b.

Definition 4.2 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. Then one can imagin a triangle in S with vertices a, b, c and sides a \* b, b \* c and c \* a, called a P-triangle in S, denoted by  $\Delta_P$  (a, b, c).

Theorem 4.3 Let S be a gl-metrized space and  $\Delta_P$  (a, b, c) be a P-triangle in S. Let x=a \* b, y=b \* c and z=c \* a. Then  $L(mu\{x, y\}) = L(mu\{y, z\}) = L(mu\{z, x\})$ .

Proof: Clearly x, y, z  $\in$  P. Since P is a generalised lattice, by Murty [6] we have L(P) is a lattice. Since S is a gl-metrized space by definition 4.1, we have  $z = c * a = a * c \in L(mu\{a * b, b * c\}) = L(mu\{x, y\})$ . This implies  $L(z) \subseteq L(x) \lor L(y)$ . Similarly we get  $L(y) \subseteq L(z) \lor L(x)$  and  $L(x) \subseteq L(y) \lor L(z)$ . Then we have  $L(x) \lor L(y) \subseteq L(y) \lor L(z) \subseteq L(x) \lor L(y)$ . This means  $L(x) \lor L(y) = L(y) \lor L(z)$ . Similarly we get  $L(y) \lor L(z) = L(z) \lor L(x)$  and  $L(z) \lor L(x) = L(z) \lor L(z)$ . Therefore  $L(mu\{x, y\}) = L(mu\{y, z\}) = L(mu\{z, x\})$ .

Definition 4.4 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. Then b is said to be metrically between a and c if L(mu{a \* b, b \* c}) = L(a \* c).

Definition 4.5 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b,  $c \in S$ . If b is said to be metrically between a and c then we say that a, b, c are P-linear, denoted by (a, b, c)Pl.

Note: Let S be a gl-metrized space. Then by definitions 4.4 and 4.5 we have  $Pl = \{(a,b,c) \in S \ge S \le S \le S = (a,b,c) \in S^3 | b is said to be metrically between a and c \} = \{(a,b,c) \in S^3 | L(mu \{a * b, b * c\}) = L(a * c)\}$  is a 3-relation on S.

Theorem 4.6 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. Then (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl if and only if (c, b, a)  $\in$  Pl.

Proof: (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl if and only if L(mu{a \* b, b \* c}) = L(a \* c) if and only if L(mu{c \* b, b \* a}) = L(c \* a) (by definition 4.1) if and only if (c, b, a)  $\in$  Pl.  $\Box$ 

Definition 4.7 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. Then the triple of elements (a, b, c) is said to satisfy P-line segment property (Pls property) if (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl and (a, c, b)  $\in$  Pl if and only if b= c.

Theorem 4.8 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. If a, b, c are vertices of an isosceles triangle then (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl implies (a, c, b)  $\in$  Pl.

Proof: Suppose a, b, c are vertices of an isosceles triangle and say that a \* b = a \* c. Suppose  $(a, b, c) \in Pl$ . Then we have  $L(mu\{a * b, b * c\}) = L(a * c)$ . Since L(P) is a lattice, we get  $L(a * b) \lor L(b * c) = L(a * c) = L(a * b)$ . To show that  $(a, c, b) \in Pl$ : By definition 4.1 we have  $a * b \in L(mu\{a * c, c * b\})$ . Since L(P) is a lattice, we get  $L(a * b) \subseteq L(a * c) \lor L(c * b) = L(a * c) \lor L(b * c) = L(a * b) \lor L(b * c) = L(a * b)$ . Therefore  $L(mu\{a * c, c * b\}) = L(a * c) \lor L(c * b) = L(a * b)$ . That is  $(a, c, b) \in Pl$ .  $\Box$ 

Theorem 4.9 Let S be a gl-metrized space and a, b, c  $\in$  S. Suppose (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl. Then (a, b, c) not satisfies P-line segment property (Pls property) if and only if a, b, c are vertices of an isosceles triangle.

Proof: Suppose a, b, c are vertices of an isosceles triangle. That is  $a \neq b \neq c$ . Given that (a, b, c)  $\in$  Pl. Then by theorem 4.8 we get (a, c, b)  $\in$  Pl. Since  $b \neq c$ , by definition 4.7, we can say that (a, b, c) not satisfies Pls property. Conversely suppose (a, b, c) not satisfies Pls property. To show that a, b, c are vertices of an isosceles triangle: If a = c then a \* b = c \* b = b \* c and therefore  $\Delta_P(a,b,c)$  is an isosceles triangle. Suppose  $a \neq c$ . Then  $\Delta_P(a,b,c)$  is a P-triangle in S with  $a \neq c$ . Case(i): Suppose  $(a, c, b) \in Pl$ . Then we have  $(a, b, c) \in Pl$  and  $(a, c, b) \in Pl$ . Now by theorem 4.3 and definition 4.4 we have  $L(a * c) = L(mu\{a * b, b * c\}) = L(mu\{a * c, c * b\}) = L(a * b)$ . Therefore a \* c = a \* b. Case(ii): Suppose  $(a, c, b) \in S^3$  - Pl. Then since (a, b, c) not satisfies Pls property, by definition 4.7 we get b=c. Therefore a \* c = a \* b. Hence by both the cases we can say that  $\Delta_P(a,b,c)$  is an isosceles triangle.  $\Box$ 

Theorem 4.10 Let S be a gl-metrized space. Then the 3-relation Pl on S satisfies the property of transitivity  $t_2$ .

Proof: Let a,b,c,x  $\in$  S. Suppose (a,b,c)  $\in$  Pl and (a,x,b)  $\in$  Pl. To show that (a,x,c)  $\in$  Pl: By note after definition 4.5 we get L(a \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(mu{a \* b, b \* c}) = L(a \* c) and L(a \* x)V L(x \* b) = L(mu{a \* x, x \* b}) = L(a \* b). Then L(a \* x)V L(x \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(a \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(a \* c). By definition 4.1 we have x \* c  $\in$  L(mu({x \* b, b \* c})) and a \* c  $\in$  L(mu({a \* x, x \* c})). Then L(a \* c)  $\subseteq$  L(a \* x)V L(x \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(a \* c). By L(a \* x)V L(x \* c)  $\subseteq$  L(a \* x)V L(x \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(a \* c). Then L(a \* x)V L(x \* c)  $\subseteq$  L(a \* x)V L(x \* c)  $\subseteq$  L(a \* x)V L(x \* b)V L(b \* c) = L(a \* c). That is L(mu{a \* x, x \* c}) = L(a \* x)V L(x \* c)  $\subseteq$  L(a \* c). Therefore (a,x,c)  $\in$  Pl. Therefore Pl satisfies the property of transitivity t<sub>2</sub>.  $\Box$ 

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