

ALGEBRAS OVER FINE CATEGORIES

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1. Preface

Typical of what we define as fine categories are the categories of semiuniform spaces, bitopological spaces, preordered sets, and sets. Each admits taking finite products, has a base functor to \mathbf{S} , and has a conjugation: a self functor of order 2. A fine functor between such fine categories preserves products, conjugation and respects the base functors.

In defining a nonnullary operation on such a fine category we also permit different variances (co, contra, variance) at different terms. Thus when considering a ordered group (additively written) an operation like $(a, b) \rightarrow (a - b)$ would be a binary operation with covariance in the first term and contravariance in the second (relative to the order). We use a variance function: here ν will take the indices $(1, 2)$ of the binary operation to $(+1, -1)$.

When we have composite structures $\mathbf{GDF}, \mathbf{HD'F'}$, where F, F' are collections of algebraic operations, D, D' equations or identities for the algebras, and \mathbf{G}, \mathbf{H} types of fine category structures, we can have two types of functors between these. A type $T: \mathbf{GDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{HDF}$, which keeps the algebraic part unchanged, and a type $L: \mathbf{GDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{GD'F'}$ which keeps the fine part unchanged. What we prove in this paper is that, not only do these types of functors have left-adjoints, but more: the first type of functor is topological in the sense of Herrlich's definition [1], while the second type is algebraic (or monoidal or triplable).

2. Fine categories and fine functors

Definition. A category \mathbf{G} is called a *fine category* if it has a *base functor* $B: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$ and a *conjugation functor* $N: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{G}$ satisfying the following conditions: \mathbf{G} is closed for formation of products for finite families of its objects (or morphisms), B is a faithful functor which preserves products and conjugation (assuming $1_{\mathbf{S}}$ as the conjugation in \mathbf{S} , B preserves conjugation means that, for any object A of \mathbf{G} , and

any morphism f of \mathbf{G} , $B(N(A)) = B(A)$, $B(N(f)) = B(f)$, and $N \cdot N = 1_{\mathbf{G}}$ (thus $N(N(A)) = A$ and $N(N(f)) = f$, for any object A of \mathbf{G} and any morphism f of \mathbf{G}).

When talking of different fine categories we use the same names B , N for the base functor and the conjugation functor for all of them.

Definition. A functor $K: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}$, where \mathbf{G} , \mathbf{H} are both fine categories, is called a *fine functor* if K preserves finite products, B and N ; that is, $B = B \cdot K$ and $K \cdot N = N \cdot K$.

Clearly the identity functor is a fine functor for any fine category; and the base functor B of a fine category is a fine functor, when we set both B , $N = 1_{\mathbf{S}}$ to make \mathbf{S} a fine category. Also compositions of fine functors give fine functors.

Thus \mathbf{S} is a fine category. Next we have the fine category \mathbf{PO} , whose objects are preordered sets and morphisms are monotone maps; B being a forgetful functor, and N taking a $f: (X, \leq) \rightarrow (Y, \leq)$ to $f: (X, \geq) \rightarrow (Y, \geq)$.

For the next fine category, we define a bitopological space (X, T, T') . When T is a topology (= family of open sets for a topology) on the set X there is an associated preorder $\leq(T)$ on X defined by: $x \leq(T) y$ iff $\{y \in G \in T \text{ implies } x \in G\}$. When T, T' are two topologies on X such that $\leq(T)$ is the reverse of the preorder $\leq(T')$ [so that $x \leq(T) y$ iff $y \leq(T') x$], we call (X, T, T') a *bitopological space*; a map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called *doubly continuous* from (X, T, T') to (Y, S, S') when these are both bitopological spaces, if $f: (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$ and $f: (X, T') \rightarrow (Y, S')$ are both continuous maps. We have then a category \mathbf{BT} with bitopological spaces for objects and doubly continuous maps for morphisms. This is a fine category: for a typical morphism $f: (X, T, T') \rightarrow (Y, S, S')$ of \mathbf{BT} , B takes the morphism to $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and N takes it to $f: (X, T', T) \rightarrow (Y, S', S)$.

We call $(U, (J, \leq), c)$ a *semiuniformity* on the set X , when (J, \leq) is a down-directed ordered set, c a map of J in itself, and U a monotone map of (J, \leq) in $[P(X \times X), \subseteq]$ such that, for each j of J , 1_X is contained in $U(j)$ and $U(cj) \circ U(cj)$ is also contained in $U(j)$, where cj denotes the image of j under the map $c: J \rightarrow J$. When such a semiuniformity on X is given, we call $(X, U, (J, \leq), c)$ a *semiuniform space*. A map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is a *uniform map* from the space $(X, U, (J, \leq), c)$ to $(Y, V, (K, \leq), c)$ if, for each k of K there is a j of J such that $(x, x') \in U(j)$ implies that $(f(x), f(x')) \in V(k)$. We then have a category \mathbf{SU} with semiuniform spaces as objects and uniform maps as morphisms. A semiuniformity (U, J) on X determines a 'conjugate' semiuniformity (U_c, J) when we set $U_c(j) = [U(j)]^r = \{(x', x) : (x, x') \in U(j)\}$; and it also determines a symmetric semiuniformity (V, j) with $V(j) = U(j) \cap U_c(j)$, for each j . And a semiuniformity (U, J) defines on X a bitopology $(X, T(U), T(U_c))$, where the topology $T(U)$ is one with the base of neighbourhoods $\{U(j)(x) : j \text{ in } J\}$ at the point x , where $y \in U(j)(x)$ means the same as $(x, y) \in U(j)$. The topology $T(V)$ defined by the symmetric associate of U we call the *star topology* for (X, U) and denote it by $T^*(U)$; thus $T^*(U) = T^*(U_c) = T^*(V)$.

A map $s: D \rightarrow X$, when (D, \leq) is any down directed set, is called a D -sequence in X . Such a sequence in X is called a *Cauchy D -sequence* in (X, U) if, for each j of J , a nonnull initial subset B of (D, \leq) can be found such that $(s(d), s(e))$ is in $U(j)$ whenever d, e are from B . With the usual definition of convergence, [that a D -sequence in the space (X, T) converges to an x in X if, for each neighbourhood $U(x)$ of x , there is a nonnull initial subset B of (D, \leq) such that $s(d)$ is in $U(x)$ for all d from B], it is easy to see that a D -sequence in X which converges to some point x of X in $(X, T^*(U))$ must be a Cauchy D -sequence of (X, U) . We shall call the semiuniform space (X, U) a *complete space* if conversely, every Cauchy sequence of (X, U) converges to some point in the space $(X, T^*(U))$. Elsewhere I have proved the following results regarding these complete spaces (see [2, 3]):

(a) The product of a set-indexed family of complete semiuniform spaces is a complete semiuniform space; a closed subspace of a complete semiuniform space is also complete; one can also check that a coproduct of complete semiuniform spaces is complete, and that the conjugate (X, U_c) is complete when (X, U) is so.

(b) Given a semiuniform space $(X, U, (J, \leq), c)$, there is an associated complete, T_0 , semiuniform space $(X^*, U^*, (J, \leq), c)$, called the *canonical completion* of (X, U) , with a uniform map $h: (X, U) \rightarrow (X^*, U^*)$, such that, if $g: (X, U) \rightarrow (Y, V)$ is a uniform map of (X, U) in a complete, T_0 , semiuniform space (Y, V) , then there is a unique uniform map $g^*: (X^*, U^*) \rightarrow (Y, V)$ such that $g^* \cdot h = g$.

We have then a full subcategory **CSU** of **SU** whose objects are the complete T_0 semiuniform spaces. This category is also a fine category, with the same definition for the base functor and the conjugate as **SU**.

Besides the base functors from **PO**, **BT**, **SU** and **CSU** which we know are fine functors, we have the following functors, and combinations of these that are definable, as fine functors: $N: \mathbf{CSU} \rightarrow \mathbf{SU}$ [the inclusion functor], $B: \mathbf{SU} \rightarrow \mathbf{BT}$ [the functor taking a typical $f: (X, U) \rightarrow (Y, V)$ to $f: (X, T(U), T(U_c)) \rightarrow (Y, T(V), T(V_c))$] $P: \mathbf{BT} \rightarrow \mathbf{PO}$ [the functor taking a typical $f: (X, T, T') \rightarrow (Y, S, S')$ to $f: (X, \leq(T)) \rightarrow (Y, \leq(S))$]. The verifications of these are not difficult.

Theorem 1. *All the four fine functors N, B, P and $S: \mathbf{PO} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$, (and their composites that can be defined) have left-adjoints.*

Proof. We describe the nature of the left-adjoint; the verification that they are indeed left-adjoints is mostly routine.

(i) For $N: \mathbf{CSU} \rightarrow \mathbf{SU}$, the left-adjoint $C^*: \mathbf{SU} \rightarrow \mathbf{CSU}$ is essentially what is given by the canonical completion, as described in (b) above. That is, $C^*(X, U) = (X^*, U^*)$, and $C^*[f: (X, U) \rightarrow (Y, V)] =$ the obvious extension $f^*: (X^*, U^*) \rightarrow (Y^*, V^*)$, for which $f^* \cdot h = h' \cdot f$, if $h: (X, U) \rightarrow (X^*, U^*)$ and $h': (Y, V) \rightarrow (Y^*, V^*)$ are as given in (b)) the canonical morphisms of the spaces in their completions.

(ii) For $B: \mathbf{SU} \rightarrow \mathbf{BT}$, the left-adjoint $U^*: \mathbf{BT} \rightarrow \mathbf{SU}$ is given as follows: for an object (X, T, T') of **BT**, there are semiuniformities $\{U_k\}$ on X such that T is finer than $T(U_k)$ and T' is finer than $T(U_{k_c})$; and the lattice product of these gives the

finest such semiuniformity, which we denote by $U(T, T')$; then if $f: (X, T, T') \rightarrow (Y, S, S')$ is in **BT**, one sees that $f: (X, U(T, T')) \rightarrow (Y, U(S, S'))$ is in **SU**; we define U^* such that it takes the first f in **BT** to this f in **SU**.

(iii) For $P: \mathbf{BT} \rightarrow \mathbf{PO}$, the left-adjoint $B^*: \mathbf{PO} \rightarrow \mathbf{BT}$ is defined as follows: given a preordered set (X, \leq) , the family of initial sets in (X, \leq) is closed for arbitrary intersections and arbitrary unions, and contains the null set and X . It is thus a topology on X , denoted by $T^<$; similarly the family of final sets of (X, \leq) determines another topology on X denoted by $T^>$; and a monotone map $f: (X, \leq) \rightarrow (Y, \leq)$ gives continuous maps $f: (X, T^<) \rightarrow (Y, T^<)$, $f: (X, T^>) \rightarrow (Y, T^>)$. Thus we set $B^*[f: (X, \leq) \rightarrow (Y, \leq)]$ to be $f: (X, T^<, T^>) \rightarrow (Y, T^<, T^>)$.

(iv) For $S: \mathbf{PO} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$, the left adjoint $P^*: \mathbf{S} \rightarrow \mathbf{PO}$ is defined by setting, for a morphism $f: X \rightarrow Y$ in **S**, $P^*(f) = f: (X, =) \rightarrow (Y, =)$ in **PO**.

3. Algebras over fine categories and top-functors

In defining the algebras we shall consider a family of formal operations and split it into the subfamilies of the nullary ones and the nonnullary ones. Thus $F =$ the disjoint union $F_0 \cup F_1$, where $F_0 = \{0_j : j \text{ in } J\}$ consists of the symbols (or names) for a family of nullary operations, and $F_1 = \{(\theta_k, n_k, v_k) : k \text{ in } K\}$ consists of symbols for the nonnullary operations; each of these has a name θ_k , an arity $n_k (= \text{an integer } \geq 1)$ and a variance v_k , which is a map of the ordered set $(1, 2, \dots, n_k)$ in the set $\{+1, -1\}$. We say θ_k has covariance or contravariance at the place m ($1 \leq m \leq n_k$) according as $v_k(m) = +1$ or -1 .

Given then an object A of a fine category **G**, we say that A is closed for a 0_j of F_0 , if a unique element $0_j^A(\emptyset)$ [or just $0_j(A)$] of the set $B(A)$ is assigned; B denotes the base functor from **G** to **S**. And we say that A is closed for a (θ, n, v) of F_1 if a morphism $\theta^A: P[A_1, \dots, A_n] \rightarrow A$ is assigned where $P[]$ denotes a product in **G** of the A 's, where $A_m = A$ or $N(A)$ according as $v(m) = +1$ or -1 . We call A an *F-algebra over G* (or a *GF-algebra*) if A is closed for all the operations from F_0 and from F_1 . Given two such F -algebras A, B over **G**, a map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ which is a morphism of **G** is called an *F-homomorphism* (or just a *GF-morphism*) if

(i) for each 0 of F_0 , $f(0(A)) = 0(B)$;

(ii) for each (θ, n, v) of F_1 , $f \cdot \theta^A = \theta^B \cdot f^n$, where f^n denotes the product morphism from $P[A_1, \dots, A_n]$ to $P[B_1, \dots, B_n]$ of the morphisms $f_i: A_i \rightarrow B_i$ in **G**, where f_i is f or $N(f)$ according as $v(i) = +1$ or -1 .

We then get a category **GF** whose objects are the *GF*-algebras and whose morphisms are the *GF*-morphisms. When **G** is taken to be **S**, the category **SF** is usually just denoted by **F**; it is the familiar category of F -algebras. In this case, since the conjugation in **S** is trivial, the part v for a nonnullary operation plays no significant role.

When **G, H** are fine categories and $K: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}$ is a fine functor, it is clear that K takes products of objects to products of objects and products of morphisms to

products of morphisms too. Hence it follows that when A is an F -algebra over \mathbf{G} , we can consider $K(A) = B$ to be an F -algebra over \mathbf{H} by setting: $0(B) = 0(A)$, for any 0 of F_0 , and $\theta^B = K(\theta^A)$ for any (θ, n, ν) of F_1 . Thus we have an induced functor from \mathbf{GF} to \mathbf{HF} which we also denote by K . In particular, the base functor $B: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$ determines thus a functor $B: \mathbf{GF} \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$. The base of an F -algebra over \mathbf{G} is an F -algebra (over \mathbf{S}).

Starting with a set X (of variables) we construct the free F -algebra $P(X, F)$ over the set X as usual: it consists of formal polynomials over the set obtained by using the operations from F_1 a finite number of times. Each has a rank: the polynomials of rank 0 are the elements of X or F_0 ; a polynomial of rank $r, \geq 1$, is a symbol of the form $\theta(y_1, \dots, y_n)$ for some (θ, n, ν) from F_1 , with each y_i a polynomial of rank $\leq (r-1)$. To define 'equational' algebras or identical equations in an algebra, we select a set of pairs $D = [(p_i, q_i)]$ from this $P(X, F)$. When (Y, F) is any F -algebra (over the set base Y), any mapping $g: X \rightarrow Y$ evidently has a unique extension $g^*: (P(X, F), F) \rightarrow (Y, F)$ which is an F -homomorphism (with $g^*[(x)] = g(x)$ for each x of X). We call the F -algebra (Y, F) over \mathbf{S} , a *DF-algebra* if, for each set map $g: X \rightarrow Y$, and for each pair (p_i, q_i) from D we have $g^*(p_i) = g^*(q_i)$. And when we have a *GF-algebra* A , we call it a *GDF-algebra* if the F -algebra $B(A)$ is a *DF-algebra*, where B is the usual base functor from \mathbf{G} to \mathbf{S} . We then have a full subcategory \mathbf{GDF} of \mathbf{DF} whose objects are these *GDF-algebras*. We noted that a fine functor $K: \mathbf{G} \rightarrow \mathbf{H}$ takes a *GF-algebra* A to a *HF-algebra* $K(A)$. Since K respects the base functors, it is not hard to see that K would also take a *GDF-algebra* A to a *HDF-algebra* $K(A)$. We still denote this functor K from \mathbf{GDF} to \mathbf{HDF} (really a restriction of the original K to objects and morphisms of \mathbf{GDF}).

Theorem 2. *The four functors N, B, P and S defined in Theorem 1 give rise to similarly named functors $N: \mathbf{CSUF} \rightarrow \mathbf{SUF}$, $N: \mathbf{CSUDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{SUDF}$, $B: \mathbf{SUF} \rightarrow \mathbf{BTF}$, $B: \mathbf{SUDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{BTDF}$, $P: \mathbf{BTF} \rightarrow \mathbf{POF}$, $P: \mathbf{BTDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{PODF}$, $S: \mathbf{POF} \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$, $P: \mathbf{PODF} \rightarrow \mathbf{DF}$. All these eight functors also have left-adjoints.*

Proof. (i) *The functors N :* When $(X, U(J, \leq), c; F)$ is a semiuniform F -algebra, and we have the canonical completion $(X^*, U^*(J, \leq), c)$ of (X, U) , this X^* is obtained by taking the quotient semiuniformity of a complete semiuniform space $(X^*, U^*(J, \leq), c)$ by an equivalence connecting topologically indistinguishable points, where X^* has elements which are Cauchy (J, \leq) sequences from (X, U) . Each point of X^* can be obtained as a limit of a Cauchy sequence of the form $\{h(x_j): j \text{ in } (J, \leq)\}$, with h as the canonical uniform mapping of (X, U) in (X^*, U^*) . We extend the F -algebraic structure to X^* as follows: for a nullary θ from F_0 , we set $\theta^{X^*}(\emptyset) = h(\theta^X(\emptyset))$; for a (θ, n, ν) from F_1 , and an ordered n -tuple of elements (x_1^*, \dots, x_n^*) from X^* , we choose a Cauchy sequence $\{x_{r,j}: j \text{ in } (J, \leq)\}$ for each x_r^* , $r = 1, \dots, n$, such that x_r^* is the limit of $h(x_{r,j})$, for each r . Then if $x_j = \theta^X(x_{1,j}, \dots, x_{n,j})$ for each j of J , it is not hard to see that $\{x_j: j \text{ in } J\}$ is a Cauchy sequence of (X, U) too; and this determines a unique limit x^* for $\{h(x_j)\}$ in X^* . If $\theta^{X^*}(x_1^*, \dots, x_n^*)$ is this

x^* , we get a definition of (θ, n, ν) valid in (X^*, U^*) . This gives a semiuniform F -algebra $(X^*, U^*, (J, \leq), c; F)$. We set $C^*(X, U)$ equal to this (X^*, U^*) ; and $C^*(f) = f^*$ is again defined, as earlier, as the extension of f to the completions.

It can also be verified that when we start with a semiuniform DF -algebra this construction leads to a semiuniform DF -algebra. These describe the left-adjoint C^* of N in the two cases of N .

(ii) *The functors B*: Given a bitopological F -algebra $(X, T, T'; F)$ there are semiuniformities (U, J) on X such that:

- (a) T is finer than $T(U)$,
- (b) T' is finer than $T(U_c)$,
- (c) $(X, U; F)$ is a semiuniform F -algebra,

when the operations from F are as given originally in X ; for surely the coarsest semiuniformity on X satisfies all three conditions. Then we see that the lattice product of all such U on X is also a semiuniformity (U^*, J^*) with the same properties. We set $U^*(X, T, T'; F) = (X, U^*; F)$ and $U^*(f: (X, T, T'; F) \rightarrow (Y, S, S'; F)) = f: (X, U^*; F) \rightarrow (Y, V^*; F)$, where V^* is defined for Y similarly in terms of S, S' . Again the same U^* gives the left-adjoint for the other B from **SUDF** to **BTDF**.

(iii) *The functors P*: Using the same definition of B^* as in the proof of Theorem 1, we see that, when (X, \leq) is a preordered F -algebra or a preordered DF -algebra, then $(X, T^<, T^>)$ can also be considered as a bitopological F - or DF -algebra, with the same effect on the operations for \emptyset (when the operation is nullary) or for n -tuples of elements of X , as earlier. So we again have a left-adjoint named B^* for these P .

(iv) *The functors S*: In these cases also we repeat the definition of the left-adjoint P^* of S , as in Theorem 1.

We formulate a definition of top-functors and top-categories that imply that a top-functor is a special case of a topological functor in Herrlich's sense, and then show that all the above functors are top-functors.

Definition. A *top-category* (\mathbf{A}, E, M) is a category \mathbf{A} which is (small) complete, and admits an (E, M) -factorization that is unique; E, M are classes of epi-, monomorphisms of \mathbf{A} closed for compositions with isomorphisms. A functor $K: \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{B}$, is a *top-functor* between the top-categories (\mathbf{A}, E, M) and (\mathbf{B}, E^*, M^*) if: F preserves products, and $[A \in 0(\mathbf{A}), m^* \in M^* \cap \text{hom}_{\mathbf{B}}(-, K(A))] \Rightarrow [\text{there is an } m \in M \cap \text{hom}_{\mathbf{A}}(-, A) \text{ such that (i) } K(m) = m^*, \text{ and (ii) when } K(f) = m^* \cdot h^* \text{ for an } f \text{ from } \text{hom}_{\mathbf{A}}(-, A) \text{ then } f = m \cdot h \text{ for an } h \text{ with } K(h) = h^*].$

The basic result in this connection (that is easily proved, given the definitions) is the following:

Lemma 1. *When $K: (\mathbf{A}, E, M) \rightarrow (\mathbf{B}, E^*, M^*)$ is a top-functor between top-categories, then K is a topological functor from \mathbf{A} to \mathbf{B} , which is given the (E^*, M^{**}) category structure (in Herrlich's sense), with M^{**} consisting of sources of the form $(A, p_i \cdot m)$*

where m is from M^* and in $\text{hom}_{\mathbf{A}}(A, P(A_i))$, p_i being the canonical maps of a product $P(A_i)$ in the factors A_i .

We now associate suitable classes E, M with the various categories of the form **GDF**, **GF**, or **G** where **G** is one of the types **CSU**, **SU**, **BT**, or **PO**, so that each gives a top-category.

When **G** is **CSU**, we use the classes $E(U), M(U)$ defined as follows: $E(U)$ consists of the morphisms from the category **G** which are onto subspaces dense in the codomain space (under the topology defined by the symmetrised form $U \cap U'$ from the semiuniformity); while $M(U)$ consists of isomorphisms in the given **G** on a closed subspace of the codomain space.

For **G** = **SU** the above $E(U), M(U)$ can be used; a second pair $E^*(U), M^*(U)$ that can be used also is defined by: $E^*(U)$ consists of morphisms which are surjective as set maps and $M^*(U)$ of morphisms which are isomorphisms on subspaces of the codomains.

When **G** is **BT**, we use $E(B)$ = the class of morphisms which are surjective as set maps, and $M(B)$ = the class of isomorphisms onto subspaces (for both the topologies).

For **G** = **PO**, $E(P)$ is the class of morphisms which are surjective as set maps, and $M(P)$ the class of isomorphisms onto relatively ordered subalgebras, of the codomains.

Definition. A functor $K: A \rightarrow B$ is said to:

(i) *raise codomains* if $[A \text{ in } 0(\mathbf{A}), g \text{ in } \text{hom}_{\mathbf{B}}(K(A), B')] \Rightarrow [\text{there is an } f \text{ in } \text{hom}_{\mathbf{A}}(A, A') \text{ such that } K(f) = g]$,

(ii) *raise factorizations* if $[f \text{ in } M(\mathbf{A}), K(f) = g_1 \cdot g_2 \text{ in } M(\mathbf{B})] \Rightarrow [f = f_1 \cdot f_2 \text{ in } M(\mathbf{A}) \text{ where } K(f_1) = g_1, K(f_2) = g_2]$,

(iii) *be latticiel* if

(a) for each B in $0(\mathbf{B})$, $K^{-1}(B) = \{A \text{ in } 0(\mathbf{A}): K(A) = B\}$ is a set and a complete lattice under the preorder $\leq(K)$ on it defined by setting $A \leq(K) A'$ iff there is a $g: A \rightarrow A'$ in $M(\mathbf{A})$ with $K(g) = 1_B$, and

(b) $[K(f_i) = a \text{ given } g \text{ of } M(\mathbf{B}), \text{ for a set of morphisms } f_i: A \rightarrow A_i, \text{ all with the same domain } A] \Rightarrow [\text{there is a morphism } \Pi(f_i): A \rightarrow \Pi(A_i) \text{ in } M(\mathbf{A}) \text{ with } K(\Pi(f_i)) = g \text{ where } \Pi(A_i) \text{ denotes a lattice product of the } A_i \text{ all from } K^{-1}(\text{codomain } g)]$.

Theorem 3. (a) *The categories CSUDF, CSUF, CSU become top-categories when $E(U), M(U)$ are used for E and M . The categories SUDF, SUF, SU also are top-categories with the same $E(U), M(U)$; they are also top-categories when $E^*(U), M^*(U)$ are used for E, M . The categories PODF, POF, PO are top-categories under $E(P), M(P)$. The categories BTDF, BTF, BT are top-categories under $E(B), M(B)$. The categories DF, F, S are top-categories under E, M (the usual classes of surjective, or injective morphisms).*

(b) *The twelve functors of the form N , B , P and S mentioned in Theorems 1, 2 are faithful, raise codomains, raise factorizations, and are latticial. They are top-functors for suitable choice of the E , M for the domain, and codomain categories.*

Proof. All the proofs are quite straightforward and follow from the definitions involved.

To prove that these are top-functors, the part that they preserve products follows from the fact that they all have left-adjoints. The way the M 's are defined, it would be seen that in each case when m^* is in $\text{hom}_{\mathbf{B}}(-, K(A)) \cap M^*$, there is an m in $\text{hom}_{\mathbf{A}}(-, A) \cap M$ for which $K(m) = m^*$; and then the second part would follow from the fact that K raises factorisations.

4. Algebraic functors and free algebras

If F and D are as before, while F' , D' are subsets of F and D respectively such that the pairs of D' are from $P(X, F')$, then we could consider DF -algebras as a subclass of the $D'F'$ -algebras and similarly the F -algebras as a subclass of the F' -algebras. Thus we have inclusion functors $M: \mathbf{DF} \rightarrow \mathbf{D'F'}$, $L: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{F'}$, $G: \mathbf{DF} \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$, $G': \mathbf{D'F'} \rightarrow \mathbf{F'}$, $T: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$ and $T': \mathbf{F'} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$. We use the same symbols for the corresponding functors when we have a G -structure along with the algebraic one, where G is one of \mathbf{CSU} , \mathbf{SU} , \mathbf{BT} , or \mathbf{PO} ; thus there is an $M: \mathbf{SUDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{SUD'F'}$, and so on. (The same G is tacked on to the domain and codomain). We claim that all these thirty functors are algebraic ones. To prove this, we prove later a result regarding raising 'shortest paths'. We relate these paths to existence of adjoints as follows:

Lemma 2. *A functor $K: A \rightarrow B$ has a left-adjoint $J: B \rightarrow A$ iff, for each object B of \mathbf{B} there is a shortest K -path $(h(B), J(B))$: meaning thereby, that $J(B)$ is an object of \mathbf{A} , $h(B): B \rightarrow K(J(B))$ is a morphism in \mathbf{B} , and for any morphism $g: B \rightarrow K(A')$ for an A' of $0(\mathbf{A})$, there is a unique $g^*: J(B) \rightarrow A'$ in $M(\mathbf{A})$ for which $K(g^*) \cdot h(B) = g$.*

This result is well known, and the proof is therefore omitted.

Lemma 3. *All the functors $M: \mathbf{DF} \rightarrow \mathbf{D'F'}$, $L: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{F'}$, $G: \mathbf{DF} \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$, $G': \mathbf{D'F'} \rightarrow \mathbf{F'}$, $T: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$ and $T': \mathbf{F'} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$ have left-adjoints.*

Proof. Since G' , T' are essentially the same as G , T we can omit them. For $T: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}$, a left-adjoint $T^*: \mathbf{S} \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$ is obtained by noting that there is a shortest T -path to any set $X: [j, (P(X, F), F)]$, where j is the inclusion map of X in the free algebra $P(X, F)$. To get a left-adjoint $G^*: \mathbf{F} \rightarrow \mathbf{DF}$ for G , for an object (X, F) of \mathbf{F} , we first construct the free algebra $(P(X, F), F)$ over X and then seek a congruence on it which (i) would ensure that the quotient algebra was a DF -algebra and (ii) would be larger than the congruence on $(P(X, F), F)$ defined by the natural homomorphism of the

free algebra on (X, F) . Using the smallest such congruence, the quotient algebra (Y, F) , and the obvious homomorphism of (X, F) on (Y, F) provide a shortest G -path at (X, F) . The procedures for finding left-adjoints for L or M are similar to the last, with some obvious modifications.

From the above result, to deduce the existence of left-adjoints for similar functors between categories of the form **GDF**, **GF**, **GD'F'**, etc., we use the following lemma.

Lemma 4. *Given a functor $K: A \rightarrow B$ which raises codomains, raises factorizations, and is faithful and latticiel, and given subcategories C, D of A, B with the inclusion functors $I_1: C \rightarrow A, I_2: D \rightarrow B$, such that, for an f of $M(A)$, f belongs to $M(C)$ iff $K(f)$ belongs to $M(D)$, the following is true: [for an object A of A , if $K(A)$ has a shortest I_2 -path (g, D) , then A has a shortest I_1 -path (g^*, C) such that $K(g^*) = g$]. We then say that K raises the shortest I_2 -path (g, D) to the shortest I_1 -path (g^*, C) .*

Proof. Since K raises factorizations and since $K(A')$ is in \mathbf{D} gives A' is in \mathbf{C} , the morphism $g: K(A) \rightarrow D$ (with D in \mathbf{D}) leads to a morphism $g': A \rightarrow C$ with C in \mathbf{C} and with $K(g') = g$. The morphisms $\{g'_i: A \rightarrow C_i \mid C_i \text{ in } \mathbf{C} \text{ and } K(g'_i) = g\}$ form a set, and since K is latticiel we also have a $g^* = \Pi(g'_i): A \rightarrow \Pi(C_i)$ with $K(g^*) = g$. This implies $K(\Pi(C_i)) = D$ in \mathbf{D} , so that $\Pi(C_i)$ is in \mathbf{C} . We now show that this $(g^*, \Pi(C_i))$ is a shortest I_1 -path at A . For, if $f: A \rightarrow C$ is any morphism with C in \mathbf{C} , then $K(f)$ resolves in the form $K(f) = h \cdot g$, since, by assumption, (g, D) is a shortest I_2 -path at $K(A)$. As K raises factorizations, this leads to a factorization $f = h' \cdot g'$ with $K(g') = g$. Then it is clear that this g' must be one of the g'_i . But then since $\Pi(C_i) \leq (K)C_i$, there is a $j: \Pi(C_i) \rightarrow C_i$ such that $K(j) = 1_D$. Hence we have $K(j \cdot g^*) = K(j) \cdot K(g^*) = g = K(g')$. As K is faithful, it follows that $j \cdot g^* = g'$, and so $f = h' \cdot j \cdot g^*$. That is, f factors out through g^* ; the complementary factor $(h' \cdot j)$ must be unique since K is faithful. These prove that $(g^*, \Pi(C_i))$ is indeed a shortest I_1 -path at A .

From Lemmas 2 and 4 we get the following consequence:

Corollary. *Under the conditions assumed in Lemma 4 for A, B, C, D, K, I_1 and I_2 , the functor I_1 has a left-adjoint provided the functor I_2 has one.*

Using this corollary with Lemma 2 we can deduce many functors have left-adjoints. For example a functor $M: \mathbf{GDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{GD'F'}$, when \mathbf{G} is any one of **CSU**, **SU**, **BT** or **PO**, has a left-adjoint; we have only to check that the functor $K: \mathbf{GD'F'} \rightarrow \mathbf{D'F'}$ (the forgetful functor) has the requisite properties from Lemma 4, to apply the corollary. This verification is in all cases quite simple. Thus we have:

Lemma 5. *Besides the six functors listed in Lemma 3, the similarly named ones between categories of the form **GDF**, **GD'F'**, **GF**, **GF'**, and **G**, where G is any one of **CSU**, **SU**, **BT** or **PO** all have left-adjoints.*

More is true. All these functors are algebraic functors. To prove this, we note, from S. MacLane's book the following version of Beck's theorem [4, Theorem 1, p. 147]:

Beck's Theorem. *A functor $G:A \rightarrow X$ which has a left-adjoint is an algebraic functor provided that G creates coequalisers for those parallel pairs f, g in A for which Gf, Gg has a split coequaliser in X .*

Theorem 4. *All the thirty functors named in Lemma 5 are algebraic functors.*

Proof. We shall see how a proof goes for a typical functor $M: \mathbf{GDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{GD}'F'$; the other functors are really simpler and the proofs are quite analogous. All the cases of \mathbf{G} we consider are fine categories. Given any fine category \mathbf{A} and a operation $\theta^* = (\theta, n, \nu)$ of arity ≥ 1 , we note that we have a functor $P(\theta^*): \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{A}$ taking a typical morphism $f: A \rightarrow B$ of \mathbf{A} to $f^n = P(f_1, \dots, f_n): P(A_1, \dots, A_n) \rightarrow P(B_1, \dots, B_n)$, where $f_i: A_i \rightarrow B_i$ is either $f_i: A_i \rightarrow B_i$ or $f'_i: A'_i \rightarrow B'_i$ according as $\nu(i) = +1$ or -1 .

If now f, g are a pair of parallel pair of morphisms in \mathbf{GDF} from (X, G, F) to (Y, G, F) for which $M(g), M(f)$ have a split coequaliser $(e, (Z, G, F'))$ in $\mathbf{GD}'F'$, this split coequaliser being an absolute coequaliser, gives rise to a coequaliser $(P(\theta^*)(e), P(\theta^*)(Z, G))$ for $P(\theta^*)(M(f))$ and $P(\theta^*)(M(g))$. If θ^* is one of the operations from F , since (X, G, F) and (Y, G, F) are closed for θ^* , we have morphisms $\theta^{*Y}: P(\theta^*)(Y, G) \rightarrow (Y, G)$ and $\theta^{*X}: P(\theta^*)(X, G) \rightarrow (X, G)$ such that $\theta^{*Y} \cdot P(\theta^*)(M(f)) = M(f) \cdot \theta^{*X}$ and $\theta^{*Y} \cdot P(\theta^*)(M(g)) = M(g) \cdot \theta^{*X}$, for the $M(f), M(g)$ which are homomorphisms for θ^* (from F), even as f, g are, since M is an inclusion functor.

These equations give the equality $e \cdot \theta^{*Y} \cdot P(\theta^*)(M(f)) = e \cdot \theta^{*Y} \cdot P(\theta^*)(M(g))$, since $e \cdot M(f) = e \cdot M(g)$. Since $P(\theta^*)(e)$ is a coequaliser for the pair $P(\theta^*)(M(f)), P(\theta^*)(M(g))$, it follows that there must be a unique morphism $h: P(\theta^*)(Z, G) \rightarrow (Z, G)$ such that $e \cdot \theta^{*Y} = h \cdot P(\theta^*)(e)$. We call this θ^{*Z} ; so now e is a homomorphism of (Y, G) in (Z, G) relative to θ^* . This way each nonnullary θ^* of F can be defined on (Z, G) to make e a homomorphism. For a nullary θ from F , we set $\theta(Z) = e(\theta(Y))$, so that we finally have a GF -algebra (Z, G, F) with e a F -homomorphism, and an epimorphism from (Y, G, F) to (Z, G, F) . From the nature of the G 's we are using, the fact that e is an epimorphism (being a coequaliser) ensures that the GF -algebra (Z, F) is a DF -algebra just as (Y, F) is. Thus the split coequaliser e for f, g has been created, as required in Beck's theorem. The uniqueness of the e and (Z, G, F) would follow from the fact that M is a faithful functor.

Given one of these categories \mathbf{G} and an object A from it, we can now call an object A^* of \mathbf{GF} (resp. of \mathbf{GDF}) a *free F -algebra* (a *free DF -algebra*) over A , if A^* is the image of A under a left-adjoint of the functor $T: \mathbf{GF} \rightarrow \mathbf{G}$ (the functor $T \cdot G: \mathbf{GDF} \rightarrow \mathbf{G}$).

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