

SUBWREATH PRODUCT AS STRUCTURE OF NORMAL SUBGROUPS OF PERMUTATIONAL
WREATH PRODUCTS

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In this research we continue our previous investigation of wreath product normal structure [1, 2] Normal subgroups and there structures for finite and infinite iterated wreath products $S_{n_1} \wr \dots \wr S_{n_m}$, $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ and $A_n \wr S_n$ are founded.

Let $k(\pi)$ be the number of cycles in decomposition of permutation π of degree n .

The number $n - k(\pi)$ is denoted by $dec(\pi)$, and is called a decrement [6] of permutation π . As well known [6] the minimal number of transpositions in factorization of a permutation π on transpositions is happen to be equal to $dec(\pi)$. We set $dec(e) = 0$. If $\pi_1, \pi_2 \in S_n$, then the following formula holds:

$$dec(\pi_1 \cdot \pi_2) = dec(\pi_1) + dec(\pi_2) - 2m, m \in \mathbf{N}, \quad (1)$$

Definition 1. The permutational *subwreath product* $G \wr H$ is the semi-direct product $G \rtimes \tilde{H}^X$, where G acts on the subdirect product [4] \tilde{H}^X by the respective permutations of the subdirect factors. Provided the specification of \tilde{H}^X is established separately.

Definition 2. The set of elements from $S_n \wr S_n, n \geq 3$ which presented by the tableaux of form: $[e]_0, [a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n]_1$, satisfying the following condition

$$\sum_{i=1}^n dec([a_i]_1) = 2k, k \in \mathbf{N}, \quad (2)$$

be called set of type $\tilde{A}_n^{(1)}$. Note that condition (2) uniquely identifies subdirect product.

The set $\tilde{A}_n^{(1)}$ is a normal subgroup having **normal rank** 2 in $S_n \wr S_n$ and be denoted by $E \wr \tilde{A}_n$. We spread this definition on 3-multiple wreath product by recursive way.

Definition 3. The subgroup $E \wr \tilde{A}_n^{(1)}$ be denoted by $\tilde{A}_n^{(2)}$.

Furthermore we prove that $E \wr \tilde{A}_n^{(2)} \triangleleft S_n \wr S_n \wr S_n$. The order of $E \wr \tilde{A}_n^{(2)}$ is $(n!)^{3n} : 2^3$. The subgroup $\tilde{A}_n^{(1)}$ has **normal rank** 2 in $S_n \wr S_n$.

Definition 4. The set of elements from $S_n \wr S_n \wr S_n, n \geq 3$ presented by the tables [3] form: $[e]_1, [e, e, \dots, e]_2, [a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n]_2$, satisfying the following condition

$$\sum_{i=1}^n dec([a_i]_2) = 2k, k \in \mathbf{N}, \quad (3)$$

be denoted by $\tilde{A}_{n^2}^{(2)}$. Note that condition (3) uniquely identifies subdirect product in $\prod_{i=1}^{n^2} S_n$ as base of subwreath product, the similar subdirect product describing commutator of wreath product was investigated by us in [8] in research of pronormality it appears in [9].

Proposition 5. The subgroup $\tilde{A}_n^{(1)} \triangleleft S_n \wr S_n$ as well as $\tilde{A}_n^{(2)} \triangleleft S_n \wr S_n \wr S_n$. Furthermore $\tilde{A}_n^{(2)} \triangleleft \tilde{A}_{n^2}^{(2)}$.

Definition 6. A subgroup in $S_n \wr S_n$ is called \tilde{T}_n if it consists of:

- (1) elements of $E \wr A_n$,

(2) elements with the tableau [3] presentation $[e]_1, [\pi_1, \dots, \pi_n]_2$, that $\pi_i \in S_n \setminus A_n$.

One easy can validates a correctness of this definition, i.e. that the set of such elements form a subgroup and its normality. This subgroup has structure

$$\widetilde{T}_n \simeq \underbrace{(A_n \times A_n \times \dots \times A_n)}_n \rtimes C_2 \simeq \underbrace{S_n \boxplus S_n \dots \boxplus S_n}_n,$$

where the operation \boxplus of a subdirect product is subject of item 1) and 2)

Remark 7. The order of \widetilde{T}_n is $\frac{(n!)^n}{2^{n-1}}$.

Definition 8. The unique minimal normal subgroup is called the monolith.

Theorem 9. The monolith of $S_n \wr S_m$ is $e \wr A_m$.

Theorem 10. Proper normal subgroups in $S_n \wr S_m$, where $n, m \geq 3$ with $n, m \neq 4$ are of the following types:

(1) subgroups that act only on the second level are

$$E \wr \widetilde{A}_m, \widetilde{T}_m, E \wr S_m, E \wr A_m,$$

(2) subgroups that act on both levels are $A_n \wr \widetilde{A}_m, S_n \wr \widetilde{A}_m, A_n \wr S_m$,

wherein the subgroup $S_n \wr \widetilde{A}_m \simeq S_n \ltimes \underbrace{(S_m \boxtimes S_m \boxtimes S_m \dots \boxtimes S_m)}_n$ endowed with the subdirect product satisfying to condition (2).

Theorem 11. The full list of normal subgroups of $W = S_n \wr S_n \wr S_n$ consists of 50 normal subgroups. These subgroups are the following:

1 **Type** T_{023} contains: $E \wr \widetilde{A}_n \wr H, \widetilde{T}_n \wr H$, where $H \in \{\widetilde{A}_n, \widetilde{A}_{n^2}, S_n\}$. There are 6 subgroups.

2 **The second type of subgroups is subclass in** T_{023} with new base of wreath product subgroup \widetilde{A}_{n^2} : $E \wr S_n \wr \widetilde{A}_{n^2}, E \wr N_i(S_n \wr S_n)$. Therefore this class has 12 new subgroups. Thus, the total number of normal subgroups in **Type** T_{023} is 18.

3 **Type** T_{003} : $A_{00(n^2)}^{(3)}, \widetilde{T}_{n^2}, \widetilde{T}_n^{(3)}$.

4 **Type** T_{123} : $N_i(S_n \wr S_n) \wr S_n, N_i(S_n \wr S_n) \wr \widetilde{A}_n$ and $N_i(S_n \wr S_n) \wr \widetilde{A}_{n^2}$. Thus, there are 29 new normal subgroups in T_{123} , taking into account a repetition.

Remark 12. Note that $E \wr \widetilde{A}_n^{(1)} \simeq E \wr (E \wr \widetilde{A}_n)$ contains in the family $E \wr N_i(S_n \wr S_n)$.

We denote by $Aut_f X^*$ the group of all finite automorphism of spherically homogeneous rooted tree.

Theorem 13. Let $H \triangleleft Aut_f X^*$ having depth k , then H contains k -th level subgroup P having all even vertex permutations $p_{ki} \in A_n$ on X^k and trivial permutations in vertices of rest of levels.

Furthermore P is normal in $Aut_f X^*$ provided k is last active level of $Aut_f X^*$.

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