



## Extended Filters of *MS*-Algebras

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### Abstract

For a filter  $T$  of an *MS*-algebra  $\mathfrak{L}$  and a subset  $Z$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ , a new extension filter of  $T$  is introduced, denoted by  $E_T(Z)$ . Many properties of  $E_T(Z)$  are investigated and the lattice structure of the set of all  $E_T(Z)$  is studied. A new definition related to  $E_T(Z)$  is presented, called fixed filters relative to a subset of  $\mathfrak{L}$ . A generalisation of  $E_T(Z)$  is illustrated by introducing the concept of strong filters, notated by  $\overline{E_T(Z)}$ . The strong extension  $\overline{E_T(Z)}$  is characterized by the intersection of all strong filters fixed relative to an ideal  $\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{F}$  for a prime filter  $\mathfrak{F}$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ .

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# 1 Introduction

The class **MS** of all *MS*-algebras was first considered by Blyth and Varlet [7]. Their basic goal was to define a common frame to study several similarities between de Morgan algebras and Stone algebras. The class **MS** is a subclass of Berman class  $\mathbf{K}_{1,1}$  which introduced by Berman in [3]. The theory of filters such as  $d_L$ - filters [1] and  $\beta$ -filters [12] of *MS*-algebras has been studied by many authors. In the twenty-first century, many related structures to lattice theory and *MS*-algebras [10, 11] had a great concern.

In this article, the concept of  $E_T(Z)$  of a filter  $T$  is introduced for a nonempty subset  $Z$  in an *MS*-algebra. We prove that  $E_T(Z)$  is an extension filter of the filter  $T$ . A complete distributive lattice is formed by  $E_T(Z)$ . The concept of a fixed filter relative to a subset of an *MS*-algebra is illustrated. Equivalent conditions were set for the fixed filter relative to a subset of an *MS*-algebra. The definition of strong fixed filter relative to a subset is introduced. Furthermore, we characterize fixed filters in the terms of strong fixed filters relative to the set  $\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F}$  for a prime filter  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

# 2 Preliminaries

In the following, we give the basic background to make the paper consistent.

A bounded distributive lattice  $(\mathcal{L}; \vee, \wedge, \circ, 0, 1)$  together with a unary operation  $\lambda \mapsto \lambda^\circ$  satisfying,

$$1^\circ = 0, \lambda \leq \lambda^{\circ\circ} \quad \text{and} \quad (\lambda \wedge \mu)^\circ = \lambda^\circ \vee \mu^\circ,$$

is called an *MS*-algebra. Each element in an *MS*-algebra satisfies the given equalities.

**Proposition 2.1.** [6] *Let  $\mathcal{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$  and  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathcal{L}$ . Then;*

- (1)  $(\lambda \vee \mu)^\circ = \lambda^\circ \wedge \mu^\circ$ .
- (2)  $(\lambda \vee \mu)^{\circ\circ} = \lambda^{\circ\circ} \vee \mu^{\circ\circ}$ .
- (3)  $(\lambda \wedge \mu)^{\circ\circ} = \lambda^{\circ\circ} \wedge \mu^{\circ\circ}$ .
- (4)  $\lambda^{\circ\circ\circ} = \lambda^\circ$ .
- (5)  $0^\circ = 1$ .

For  $T \subseteq \mathcal{L}$ ,  $T$  is characterised as a filter provided that  $T$  is a sublattice of  $\mathcal{L}$  and if  $\alpha \in T, \omega \in \mathcal{L}$ , then  $\alpha \vee \omega \in T$ . A prime filter  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a proper filter satisfying that if  $\omega, \tau \in \mathcal{L}$  such that  $\omega \vee \tau \in \mathfrak{F}$  then  $\omega \in \mathfrak{F}$  or  $\tau \in \mathfrak{F}$ . Let  $\omega \in \mathcal{L}$ . We set the notation  $[\omega]$  for the principal filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  generated by  $\omega$  and it is equivalent to the following  $[\omega] = \{\alpha \in \mathcal{L} : \alpha \geq \omega\}$ . For a non empty subset  $Z \subseteq \mathcal{L}$ , the filter  $[Z]$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  generated by the set  $Z$  is defined by

$$[Z] = \left\{ \lambda \in \mathcal{L} : \lambda \geq z_1 \wedge z_2 \wedge \dots \wedge z_n \quad \text{for} \quad z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n \in Z \right\}.$$

Associating the lattice  $\mathcal{L}$  with the distributive property, the symbol  $\mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$  stands for the lattice of all filters ordered by inclusion. Obviously, the filter  $[1] = \{1\}$  is the smallest member of  $\mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ . Also,  $[0] = \mathfrak{F}$  is the largest member of  $\mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ . We notate the class of all ideals by  $\mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *If  $\mathcal{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$  and  $T, R \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ . Then*

$$T \nabla R = \left\{ \lambda \vee \mu : \lambda \in T \text{ and } \mu \in R \right\},$$

*is a member of  $\mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ .*

*Proof.* Obviously,  $1 \in T \nabla R$ . For  $\lambda \in T$  and  $\mu \in R$ , suppose  $\delta \in \mathcal{L}$  such that  $\delta \geq \lambda \vee \mu$ . Therefore  $\delta \in T$  and  $\delta \in R$ . Thus,  $\delta = \delta \vee \delta \in T \nabla R$ .

Let  $\delta, \gamma \in T \nabla R$ . Then there exist  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in T$  and  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in R$  such that  $\delta = \lambda_1 \vee \mu_1$  and  $\gamma = \lambda_2 \vee \mu_2$ . We have that

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \wedge \gamma &= (\lambda_1 \vee \mu_1) \wedge (\lambda_2 \vee \mu_2) \\ &= \left[ (\lambda_1 \vee \mu_1) \wedge \lambda_2 \right] \vee \left[ (\lambda_1 \vee \mu_1) \wedge \mu_2 \right] \\ &= \left[ (\lambda_1 \wedge \lambda_2) \vee (\mu_1 \wedge \lambda_2) \right] \vee \left[ (\lambda_1 \wedge \mu_2) \vee (\mu_1 \wedge \mu_2) \right] \in T \nabla R, \end{aligned}$$

since  $\lambda_1 \wedge \lambda_2 \in T$  and  $\mu_1 \wedge \mu_2 \in R$ . Hence  $T \nabla R \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ . □

**Theorem 2.2.** *For  $\mathcal{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$ . Let  $J, K \in \mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$ . Define*

$$J \vee_I K = \left\{ z; z \leq \lambda \wedge \mu : \lambda \in J \text{ and } \mu \in K \right\}.$$

*Then  $J \vee_I K \in \mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$ .*

*Proof.* Clearly,  $0 \in J \vee_I K$ . For  $\lambda \in J$  and  $\mu \in K$ , suppose  $\delta \in \mathcal{L}$ , such that  $\delta \leq \lambda \wedge \mu$ . Obviously,  $\delta \in J \vee_I K$ . Let  $\delta, \gamma \in J \vee_I K$ . It follows that  $\delta \leq \lambda_1 \wedge \mu_1$  and  $\delta \leq \lambda_2 \wedge \mu_2$  for  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in J$  and  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in K$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \vee \gamma &\leq (\lambda_1 \wedge \mu_1) \vee (\lambda_2 \wedge \mu_2) \\ &\leq \left[ (\lambda_1 \wedge \mu_1) \vee \lambda_2 \right] \wedge \left[ (\lambda_1 \wedge \mu_1) \vee \mu_2 \right] \\ &\leq \left[ (\lambda_1 \vee \lambda_2) \wedge (\mu_1 \vee \lambda_2) \right] \wedge \left[ (\lambda_1 \vee \mu_2) \wedge (\mu_1 \vee \mu_2) \right] \in J \vee_I K, \end{aligned}$$

since  $\lambda_1 \vee \lambda_2 \in J$  and  $\mu_1 \vee \mu_2 \in K$ . □

**Theorem 2.3.** [9] *For  $\mathcal{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$ . The set  $\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F} \in \mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$  providing that  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a prime filter of  $\mathcal{L}$ .*

For details of MS-algebras, [2] highlighted many aspects of the variety MS. In [5], the subvarieties of MS were determined. Also, many constructions and substructures of MS-algebras were presented in [4, 8]. Throughout the paper we use the symbol  $\mathcal{L}$  for an MS-algebra.

### 3 Extended Filter

For  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$  and a nonempty subset  $Z$  of  $\mathcal{L}$ , define

$$E_T(Z) = \left\{ \lambda \in \mathcal{L}; \lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T \text{ for every } z \in Z \right\}.$$

**Theorem 3.1.** For  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ , the set  $E_T(Z)$  is a filter of  $\mathfrak{L}$  containing  $T$ .

*Proof.* Obviously,  $1 \in E_T(Z)$ . Assume that  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$  and  $\mu \in \mathfrak{L}$  satisfying  $\lambda \leq \mu$ . We have that  $\mu \vee z^{\circ\circ} \geq \lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ}$ . Therefore  $\mu \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Then  $\mu \in E_T(Z)$ . Assume that  $\lambda, \mu \in E_T(Z)$ . Since  $(\lambda \wedge \mu) \vee z^{\circ\circ} = (\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \wedge (\mu \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \in T$ , then  $\lambda \wedge \mu \in T$ . Clearly,  $T \subseteq E_T(Z)$ .  $\square$

We call  $E_T(Z)$  an extended filter of  $T$ . The following theorem encapsulates many characterizations of  $E_T(Z)$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** Let  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ . For any nonempty subset  $Z$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ , we have;

- (1) If  $Z$  is contained in the subset  $W$ , then  $E_T(W) \subseteq E_T(Z)$ .
- (2) If  $R$  is a filter contains  $T$ , then  $E_T(Z) \subseteq E_R(Z)$ .
- (3) If  $T$  contains each element of  $Z$ , then  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$ .
- (4) If  $0 \in Z$ , then  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$  implies that  $Z \subseteq T$ .
- (5) If  $T \subseteq Z$  and  $z^{\circ\circ} = 0$  for some  $z \in Z$ , then  $E_T(Z) \cap Z = T$ .
- (6) If  $\alpha^{\circ\circ} = 0$  for some  $\alpha \in E_T(Z)$ , then  $E_T(E_T(Z)) \cap E_T(Z) = T$ .
- (7)  $E_T(Z) = E_T([Z])$ .
- (8)  $E_{E_T(Z)}(W) = E_{E_T(W)}(Z)$ .

*Proof.*

- (1) Assume that  $Z \subseteq W$ . If  $\lambda \in E_T(W)$ , then  $\lambda \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $w \in W$ . It follows that  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $z \in Z \subseteq W$ . Hence  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$ .
- (2) Suppose  $T \subseteq R$  and  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$ . This implies that  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T \subseteq R$  for every  $z \in Z$ . Thus  $\lambda \in E_R(Z)$ . Hence  $E_T(Z) \subseteq E_R(Z)$ .
- (3) Let  $Z \subseteq T$ . Obviously,  $E_T(Z) \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$ . Conversely, suppose  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{L}$  and  $z \in Z$ . Since  $z \in T$  and  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \geq z^{\circ\circ} \geq z$ , then  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . We conclude that  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$ .
- (4) Assume that  $\lambda \in Z$  and  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$ . Then  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $z \in Z$ . Hence  $\lambda = \lambda \vee 0^{\circ\circ} \in T$ .
- (5) We have that  $T \subseteq E_T(Z) \cap Z$ . Conversely, let  $\lambda \in E_T(Z) \cap Z$ . We get that  $\lambda \in Z$  and  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$ . Then  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $z \in Z$ . Thus  $\lambda = \lambda \vee 0 \in T$ . This implies that  $E_T(Z) \cap Z \subseteq T$ . Hence  $E_T(Z) \cap Z = T$ .
- (6) Follows directly from (5).
- (7) By (1),  $E_T([Z]) \subseteq E_T(Z)$ . Conversely, suppose that  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$ , then  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $z \in Z$ . Let  $p \in [Z]$ . It follows that  $p \geq z_1 \wedge z_2 \wedge \dots \wedge z_n$  for some  $z_1, \dots, z_n \in Z$ . Then

$$\lambda \vee p^{\circ\circ} \geq \lambda \vee (z_1^{\circ\circ} \wedge \dots \wedge z_n^{\circ\circ}) \geq (\lambda \vee z_1^{\circ\circ}) \wedge \dots \wedge (\lambda \vee z_n^{\circ\circ}) \in T.$$

Hence  $E_T(Z) = E_T([Z])$ .

(8) We see that

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda \in E_{E_T(Z)}(W) &\iff \lambda \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in E_T(Z) \text{ for every } w \in W, \\
 &\iff (\lambda \vee w^{\circ\circ}) \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T \text{ for every } w \in W \text{ and } z \in Z, \\
 &\iff (\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in T \text{ for every } z \in Z \text{ and } w \in W, \\
 &\iff \lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in E_T(W) \text{ for every } z \in Z, \\
 &\iff \lambda \in E_{E_T(W)}(Z).
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Remark 3.1.**

- (1) The converse of (3) is not necessarily true. For example, set  $\mathfrak{L} = \{0 \leq \lambda \leq \mu \leq \gamma \leq 1\}$ , such that  $\mu = \mu^\circ = \lambda^\circ, \gamma^\circ = 0 = 1^\circ, 0^\circ = 1$ . Clearly,  $(\mathfrak{L}, \circ) \in \mathbf{MS}$ . Suppose that  $T = [\mu] = \{\mu, \gamma, 1\}$  and  $Z = \{\lambda, \gamma\} \not\subseteq T$ . Then  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$ . So the condition  $0 \in Z$  in (4) is necessary.
- (2) The set  $Z$  is not necessarily a subset of  $E_T(E_T(Z))$ . For example, we obtain in the previous example that  $E_T(Z) = \mathfrak{L}$  and  $E_T(E_T(Z)) = E_T(\mathfrak{L}) = T$ .

For  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and  $Z \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$ , we use the following notations :

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbb{E}(Z) &= \{E_T(Z); T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})\}, \\
 \mathbb{E}_T &= \{E_T(Z); Z \subseteq \mathfrak{L}\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 3.1.** *If  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ , then  $T$  is a member of  $\mathbb{E}_T$ . Moreover,  $T$  is the smallest element in  $\mathbb{E}_T$ .*

*Proof.* It is easy to prove that  $T = E_T(\{0\})$ , thus  $T \in \mathbb{E}_T$ . Also, for every non empty  $Z \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$  we have that  $T \subseteq E_T(Z)$ . Hence  $T$  is the smallest element in  $\mathbb{E}_T$ . □

In the next lemma, basic properties of  $\mathbb{E}(Z)$  and  $\mathbb{E}_T$  are investigated seeking for constructing a new lattice.

**Lemma 3.2.** *Let  $\mathfrak{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$ . For nonempty subsets  $Z$  and  $W$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ , we have;*

- (1)  $\bigcup_{\iota \in I} E_T(Z_\iota) \subseteq E_T(\bigcap_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota)$ .
- (2)  $E_T(\bigcup_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota) \subseteq \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_T(Z_\iota)$ .
- (3)  $E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W) = E_T(Z \cup W)$ .

*Proof.*

- (1) Obviously,  $\bigcap_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota \subseteq Z_\iota$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . Then  $E_T(Z_\iota) \subseteq E_T(\bigcap_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota)$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . Hence,  $\bigcup_{\iota \in I} E_T(Z_\iota) \subseteq E_T(\bigcap_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota)$ .
- (2) Clearly,  $Z_\iota \subseteq \bigcup_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . By Lemma 3.1 (1),  $E_T(\bigcup_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota) \subseteq E_T(Z_\iota)$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . Hence,  $E_T(\bigcup_{\iota \in I} Z_\iota) \subseteq \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_T(Z_\iota)$ .

- (3) Let  $\lambda \in E_T(Z \cup W)$ . Then  $\lambda \vee \mu^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $\mu \in Z \cup W$ . Thus,  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  and  $\lambda \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in T$  and for every  $z \in Z$  and every  $w \in W$ . So,  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$  and  $\lambda \in E_T(W)$ . This implies that  $\lambda \in E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W)$ .

Conversely, assume that  $e \in E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W)$ . Then,  $e = \lambda \vee \mu$  for some  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$  and  $\mu \in E_T(W)$ . Let  $z \in Z$  and  $w \in W$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} e \vee z^{\circ\circ} &= (\lambda \vee \mu) \vee z^{\circ\circ} \\ &= \mu \vee (\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \in T \quad \text{since } \lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $e \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Hence  $\lambda \in E_T(Z \cup W)$ .

□

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Let  $Z$  and  $W$  be nonempty subsets of  $\mathfrak{L}$ . Then;

- (1)  $E_T(\mathfrak{L}) = T = E_T(\{0\})$ .
- (2)  $E_T(\{1\}) = \mathfrak{L} = E_T(T)$ .
- (3)  $E_T(Z) \cap E_T(W) = E_T(Z \cup W)$ .
- (4) If  $E_T(Z \cap W) \subseteq E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W)$ , then  $E_T(Z \cap W) = E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W)$ .

*Proof.*

- (1) We have that  $T \subseteq E_T(\mathfrak{L})$ . On the other hand, let  $\lambda \in E_T(\mathfrak{L})$ . Thus  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $a \in \mathfrak{L}$ . Since  $\mathfrak{L}$  is bounded, we get that  $\lambda = \lambda \vee 0^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . We can easily see that  $E_T(\{0\}) = T$ .
- (2) Clearly,  $\mathfrak{L} = E_T(T)$ . We only need to prove that  $\mathfrak{L} = E_T(\{1\})$ . Assume that  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{L}$ , then  $\lambda \vee 1^{\circ\circ} = 1 \in T$ .
- (3)  $Z, W \subseteq Z \cup W$  imply that  $E_T(Z \cup W) \subseteq E_T(Z)$  and  $E_T(Z \cup W) \subseteq E_T(W)$ . So,  $E_T(Z \cup W) \subseteq E_T(Z) \cap E_T(W)$ . Conversely, let  $\lambda \in E_T(Z) \cap E_T(W)$ . Then  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$  and  $\lambda \in E_T(W)$ . It follows that  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $z \in Z$  and  $\lambda \vee w^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $w \in W$ . Therefore  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for every  $a \in Z \cup W$ . Hence  $\lambda \in E_T(Z \cup W)$ .
- (4) Since  $Z \cap W \subseteq Z, W$ , then  $E_T(Z), E_T(W) \subseteq E_T(Z \cap W)$ . Hence,  $E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W) \subseteq E_T(Z \cap W)$ .

□

**Corollary 3.1.** For  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Assume that  $E_T(Z \cap W) \subseteq E_T(Z) \nabla E_T(W)$  for any two subsets  $Z$  and  $W$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ . Then  $(E_T; \nabla, \wedge, E_T(\{0\}), E_T(\{1\}))$  is a bounded distributive lattice.

**Remark 3.2.** Obviously, if  $\mathfrak{L}$  is a complete lattice, then  $(E_T; \nabla, \wedge, E_T(\{0\}), E_T(\{1\}))$  is also a complete lattice.

**Theorem 3.3.** If  $Z$  is a subset of  $\mathfrak{L}$ , then  $(\mathbb{E}(Z); \nabla, \wedge, E_{[1]}(Z), E_{[0]}(Z))$  is a bounded distributive lattice. Moreover,  $\mathbb{E}(Z)$  is a complete lattice providing that  $\mathfrak{L}$  is a complete lattice.

*Proof.* For a subset  $Z$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$  and  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ , we show that  $E_{\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota}(Z) = \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_{T_\iota}(Z)$ . We have that  $\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota \subseteq T_\iota$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . By Lemma 3.1 (2),  $E_{\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota}(Z) \subseteq E_{T_\iota}(Z)$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . Then  $E_{\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota}(Z) \subseteq \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_{T_\iota}(Z)$ .

Conversely, let  $\lambda \in \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_{T_\iota}(Z)$ . Then  $\lambda \in E_{T_\iota}(Z)$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . This implies that  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in T_\iota$  for every  $z \in Z$  for every  $\iota \in I$ . Then  $\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in \bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota$  for every  $z \in Z$ . Therefore  $\lambda \in E_{\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota}(Z)$ . Hence  $E_{\bigcap_{\iota \in I} T_\iota}(Z) = \bigcap_{\iota \in I} E_{T_\iota}(Z)$ .

We also need to show that  $E_{T \nabla R}(Z) = E_T(Z) \nabla E_R(Z)$ . By Theorem 2.1, we have that  $E_T(Z) \nabla E_R(Z) = \{\lambda \vee \mu; \lambda \in E_T(Z), \mu \in E_R(Z)\}$  is a filter of  $\mathfrak{L}$ . For every  $t \in T$  and  $r \in R$  we have that  $t, r \leq t \vee r$ . Then  $t \vee r \in T, R$ . Therefore  $T \nabla R \subseteq T, R$  and then  $E_{T \nabla R}(Z) \subseteq E_T(Z), E_R(Z)$ . Thus  $E_{T \nabla R}(Z) \subseteq E_T(Z) \nabla E_R(Z)$ . Conversely, assume that  $e \in E_T(Z) \nabla E_R(Z)$ , therefore  $e = \lambda \vee \mu$  for some  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$  and  $\mu \in E_R(Z)$ , then for every  $z \in Z$  we have,

$$\begin{aligned} e \vee z^{\circ\circ} &= (\lambda \vee \mu) \vee z^{\circ\circ} \\ &= (\lambda \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \vee (\mu \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \in T \nabla R. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $e \in E_{T \nabla R}(Z)$ . If  $\mathfrak{L}$  is a complete, then  $(E_T, \nabla, \wedge, E_T(\{0\}), E_T(\{1\}))$  is complete. □

**Definition 3.1.** A filter  $T$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$  is said to be fixed relative to a subset  $Z$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$  if  $E_T(Z) = T$ .

We denote the class of all fixed filters relative to subset  $Z$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$  by  $\Delta_Z$ . The following example illustrates the concept of a fixed filter relative to a subset of  $\mathfrak{L}$ .

**Example 3.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{L} = \{0 \leq \mu \leq \delta \leq 1\}$  such that  $\mu = \mu^\circ, \delta^\circ = 0 = 1^\circ, 0^\circ = 1$ . Obviously,  $(\mathfrak{L}, \circ) \in \mathbf{MS}$ . Suppose that  $T = [\mu] = \{\mu, \delta, 1\}$  and  $Z = \{\mu, 0\}$ . Obviously,  $E_T(Z) = T$ . Then  $T$  is fixed relative to  $Z$ . Suppose that  $C = \{\delta\}$ . Thus  $E_T(C) = \mathfrak{L}$ . Hence  $T$  is not fixed relative to  $C$ .

**Proposition 3.2.** Let  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and  $Z \in \mathfrak{L}$ . The following statements are equivalent:

- (1) If  $\lambda^{\circ\circ} = 0$  for some  $\lambda \in E_T(Z)$ , then  $E_T(E_T(Z)) = \mathfrak{L}$ .
- (2)  $T$  is fixed relative to a subset  $Z$ .
- (3)  $T$  is fixed relative to a subset  $[Z]$ .

*Proof.* By Lemma 3.1 (7),  $E_T(Z) = T$  is equivalent to  $E_T([Z]) = T$ . Then (2) if and only if (3). Assume the condition of (2). We get that  $E_T(E_T(Z)) = E_T(T) = \mathfrak{L}$ . Thus (2) implies (1). Consider (1). Therefore  $E_T(E_T(Z)) = \mathfrak{L}$ . By Lemma 3.1 (6),  $\mathfrak{L} \cap E_T(Z) = T$ . Thus  $E_T(Z) = T$ . Hence, (1) implies (2). □

**Proposition 3.3.** For a maximal filter  $M$  of  $\mathfrak{L}$ ,  $M$  is fixed relative to  $Z$  provided that  $E_M(Z)$  is a proper filter of  $\mathfrak{L}$ .

*Proof.* Since  $M \subseteq E_M(Z)$  and  $E_M(Z) \neq \mathfrak{L}$ , then  $M = E_M(Z)$ . □

**Proposition 3.4.** Let  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and let  $Z, W \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$ . If  $Z \subseteq W$  and  $T$  is fixed relative to  $Z$ , then  $T$  is fixed relative to  $W$ .

*Proof.* Let  $Z \subseteq W$ . Then  $E_T(W) \subseteq E_T(Z) = T$ . Therefore  $E_T(W) = T$ . Hence  $T$  is fixed relative to  $W$ . □

**Proposition 3.5.** For  $Z \subseteq \mathcal{L}$ , the set  $\Delta_Z$  is a meet semi lattice of  $(\mathbb{E}(Z), \cap)$ .

*Proof.* Clearly,  $\Delta_Z$  is an ordered subset of  $\mathbb{E}(Z)$  by restricting the relation  $\leq$  to  $\Delta_Z$ . By Theorem 3.3,  $E_{T \cap R}(Z) = E_T(Z) \cap E_R(Z) = T \cap R \in \Delta_Z$  for  $T, R \in \Delta_Z$ . □

### 4 Strong Extensions

In this section, we go further by defining the concept of strong fixed filter  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  relative to an ideal  $\kappa$  of an MS-algebra. We notate the class of all prime filters by  $\text{Spec}(\mathcal{L})$ . For  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ , define

$$\overline{E_T(\kappa)} = \left\{ \alpha \in \mathcal{L} : \alpha \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T, \text{ for some } a \in \kappa \right\},$$

for an ideal  $\kappa$ . Obviously,  $E_T(\kappa) \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . So, we have  $T \subseteq E_T(\kappa) \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . Thus  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  is an extension of both  $T$  and  $E_T(\kappa)$ .

**Theorem 4.1.** If  $\mathcal{L} \in \text{MS}$ ,  $\kappa \in \mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$  and  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathcal{L})$ . Then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  is a filter of  $\mathcal{L}$ .

*Proof.* We see that  $1 \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ , as  $1 = 1 \vee 0^{\circ\circ}$ . Assume that  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . Then  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a \in \kappa$ . Let  $\mu \in \mathcal{L}$  satisfying that  $\lambda \leq \mu$ . Then  $\mu \vee a^{\circ\circ} \geq \lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Thus  $\mu \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . If  $\lambda, \mu \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ , then  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  and  $\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a, b \in \kappa$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} (\lambda \wedge \mu) \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} &= (\lambda \wedge \mu) \vee (a^{\circ\circ} \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \\ &= \left[ (\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \vee b^{\circ\circ} \right] \wedge \left[ (\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \vee a^{\circ\circ} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $(\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \vee b^{\circ\circ} \geq \lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}$  and  $(\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \vee a^{\circ\circ} \geq \mu \vee b^{\circ\circ}$ . We conclude that  $[(\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \vee b^{\circ\circ}] \wedge [(\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \vee a^{\circ\circ}] \in T$ . Hence  $\lambda \wedge \mu \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . □

The inclusion  $E_T(\kappa) \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  is proper as shown in the next example.

**Example 4.1.** Consider  $\mathcal{L}$  with the following Hasse diagram:

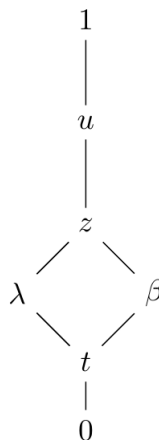


Figure 1:  $\mathcal{L}$ .



Define a unary operation  $^\circ$  on  $\mathfrak{L}$  by  $\lambda^\circ = t, \beta^\circ = z^\circ = t^\circ = u, u^\circ = \beta, 1^\circ = 0, 0^\circ = 1$ . Then  $(\mathfrak{L}, ^\circ) \in \mathbf{MS}$ . Take  $T = [\beta] = \{\beta, z, u, 1\}$  and  $\kappa = (t) = \{0, t\}$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} E_T((t)) &= \{n \in \mathfrak{L} : n \vee 0^{\circ\circ} \in T \text{ and } n \vee t^{\circ\circ} \in T\} \\ &= \{n \in \mathfrak{L} : n \in T \text{ and } n \vee \beta \in T\} \\ &= \{\beta, z, u, 1\} = [\beta]. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{E_T((t))} &= \{n \in \mathfrak{L} : n \vee 0^{\circ\circ} \in T \text{ or } n \vee t^{\circ\circ} \in T\} \\ &= \{n \in \mathfrak{L} : n \in T \text{ or } n \vee \beta \in T\} \\ &= \{0, t, \lambda, \beta, z, u, 1\}. \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma 4.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{L} \in \mathbf{MS}, T, R \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and  $\kappa, \kappa_1, \kappa_2 \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Then;

- (1)  $\kappa_1 \subseteq \kappa_2$  implies that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa_1)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ .
- (2)  $T \subseteq R$  implies that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ .
- (3)  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)} = \overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)}$ .
- (4)  $\overline{E_T(\kappa_1)} \cap \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)} = \overline{E_T(\kappa_1 \cap \kappa_2)}$ .
- (5)  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} = \overline{E_{\overline{E_T(\kappa)}}(\kappa)}$ .

*Proof.*

- (1) If  $\alpha \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)}$ , then  $\alpha \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a \in \kappa_1 \subseteq \kappa_2$ . Thus  $\alpha \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ .
- (2) Suppose that  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . We get that  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T \subseteq R$  for some  $a \in \kappa$ . Consequently,  $\lambda \in \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ .
- (3) We have that  $\overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  and  $\overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . Since  $T \cap R \subseteq T, R$ , then  $\overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . If  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ , then  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  and  $\lambda \in \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . Therefore  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  and  $\lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in R$  for some  $a, b \in \kappa$ . These imply that  $\lambda \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} = \lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \vee b^{\circ\circ} \geq \lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ}, \lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}$ . Then  $\lambda \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} \in T \cap R$ . Thus  $\lambda \in \overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)}$ . We conclude that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)} = \overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)}$ .
- (4) As  $\overline{E_T(\kappa_1 \cap \kappa_2)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)}, \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ , then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa_1 \cap \kappa_2)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)} \cap \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ . Conversely, let  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)} \cap \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ . Then  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)}$  and  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ . It follows that  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a \in \kappa_1$  and  $\lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $b \in \kappa_2$ . Then,

$$\lambda \vee (a \wedge b)^{\circ\circ} = (\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \wedge (\lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \in T.$$

Since  $a \wedge b \in \kappa_1 \cap \kappa_2$ , then  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa_1 \cap \kappa_2)}$ .

- (5) Since  $T \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ , by (2), we get that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_{\overline{E_T(\kappa)}}(\kappa)}$ . Conversely, let  $\lambda \in \overline{E_{\overline{E_T(\kappa)}}(\kappa)}$ . Then  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  for some  $a \in \kappa$ . Therefore,  $(\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a, b \in \kappa$ . Then  $\lambda \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . As  $a \vee b \in \kappa$ , we get that  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ .

□

**Lemma 4.2.** Let  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and let  $\Lambda$  be a chain of members of  $\mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Then

$$\overline{E_T\left(\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa\right)} = \bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \overline{E_T(\kappa)}.$$

*Proof.* Clearly,  $\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa$  is an ideal of  $\mathfrak{L}$ . For each  $\kappa \in \Lambda$ ,  $\kappa \subseteq \bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa$ . This implies that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T\left(\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa\right)}$ . Then,  $\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T\left(\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa\right)}$ . Conversely, let  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T\left(\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa\right)}$ . Thus  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a \in \bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa$ . So, there exists  $\kappa \in \Lambda$  such that  $a \in \kappa$  and  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Therefore  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  for some  $\kappa \in \Lambda$ . It follows that  $\overline{E_T\left(\bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \kappa\right)} \subseteq \bigcup_{\kappa \in \Lambda} \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . Hence the claim is true. □

**Theorem 4.2.** If  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$  and  $\kappa \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L})$ , then,

$$\overline{E_T(\kappa)} = \bigcap \left\{ \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})}, \mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L}), \kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P} \right\}.$$

*Proof.* We have  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})}$  for every  $\mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L})$ .

Since  $\kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P}$ , then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \bigcap \{ \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})} : \mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L}); \kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P} \}$ . On the other hand, by contrapositive we prove that  $a \notin \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  implies that  $a \notin \bigcap \{ \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})} : \mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L}), \kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P} \}$ . Consider  $\Gamma = \{ J \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L}); \kappa \subseteq J \text{ and } a \notin \overline{E_T(J)} \}$ . Obviously,  $\kappa \in \Gamma$  so,  $\Gamma \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\Lambda$  be a chain of members of  $\Gamma$  and  $G = \bigcup_{J \in \Lambda} J$ . By Lemma 4.2,  $\overline{E_T(G)} = \bigcup_{J \in \Gamma} \overline{E_T(J)}$ . Also,  $\kappa \subseteq G$ . Let  $a \notin \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ .

We show that there exists  $\mathfrak{P}_0 \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L})$  satisfying that  $\kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P}_0$  and  $a \notin \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P}_0)}$ . Now,  $a \notin \overline{E_T(J)}$  for all  $J \in \Lambda$ , implies that  $a \notin \overline{E_T(G)}$ . Therefore  $\overline{E_T(G)}$  is an upper bound of  $\Lambda$ . By Zorn's Lemma,  $\Gamma$  has a maximal element  $J_0$ . Then  $a \notin \overline{E_T(J_0)}$ . So,  $\mathfrak{L} \neq \overline{E_T(J_0)}$ . Equivalently,  $J_0 \neq \mathfrak{L}$ . Consider  $\mathfrak{P}_0 = \mathfrak{L} - J_0$ . We show that  $\mathfrak{P}_0 \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Clearly  $1 \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . Let  $\lambda \in \mathfrak{P}_0$  and  $\mu \geq \lambda$ . Then  $\mu \notin J_0$ . So,  $\mu \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . Suppose that  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . This implies that  $\lambda^{\circ\circ}, \mu^{\circ\circ} \notin J_0$ . So,  $J_0 \subseteq (J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \})$ . Since  $J_0$  is a maximal element of  $\Gamma$ , then  $(J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \}) \notin \Gamma$ . We have  $\kappa \subseteq J_0 \subseteq (J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \}) \not\subseteq \Gamma$  and  $\kappa \subseteq J_0 \subseteq (J_0 \cup \{ \mu^{\circ\circ} \}) \not\subseteq \Gamma$ . Therefore,

$$a \in \overline{E_T(J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \})} \cap \overline{E_T(J_0 \cup \{ \mu^{\circ\circ} \})} = \overline{E_T\left( (J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \}) \cap (J_0 \cup \{ \mu^{\circ\circ} \}) \right)}.$$

It follows that there exists  $b \in (J_0 \cup \{ \lambda^{\circ\circ} \}) \cap (J_0 \cup \{ \mu^{\circ\circ} \})$  such that  $a \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . That is, there exist  $\lambda_1, \mu_1 \in J_0$  such that  $b \leq \lambda_1 \vee \lambda^{\circ\circ}$  and  $b \leq \mu_1 \vee \mu^{\circ\circ}$ . Let  $z = \lambda_1 \vee \mu_1$ . Then  $z \in J_0$  and  $b \leq z \vee \lambda^{\circ\circ}$ ,  $b \leq z \vee \mu^{\circ\circ}$ . Therefore  $a \vee b^{\circ\circ} \leq a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \lambda^{\circ\circ}$  and  $a \vee b^{\circ\circ} \leq a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \mu^{\circ\circ}$ . It follows that  $a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \lambda^{\circ\circ}, a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \mu^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . We get directly that  $(a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \lambda^{\circ\circ}) \wedge (a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \vee \mu^{\circ\circ}) \in T$ . Then  $(a \vee z^{\circ\circ}) \vee (\lambda^{\circ\circ} \wedge \mu^{\circ\circ}) \in T$ . Thus  $\lambda \wedge \mu \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . Otherwise, if  $\lambda \wedge \mu \notin \mathfrak{P}_0$ , then  $\lambda \wedge \mu \in J_0$  implies that  $a \vee z^{\circ\circ} \in \overline{E_T(J_0)} = \overline{E_{\overline{E_T(J_0)}}(J_0)}$ . Therefore,  $a \in \overline{E_T(J_0)}$ , which is a contradiction. Then  $\mathfrak{P}_0$  is a filter.

It remains to prove that  $\mathfrak{P}_0$  is prime. If  $a \vee b \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . Then  $a \vee b \notin J_0$ . Thus  $a \notin J_0$  or  $b \notin J_0$ . We conclude that  $a \in \mathfrak{P}_0$  or  $b \in \mathfrak{P}_0$ . Thus  $\mathfrak{P}_0$  is prime.

Moreover,  $\kappa \subseteq \kappa_0 = \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P}_0$  and  $a \notin \overline{E_T(J_0)} = \overline{E_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P}_0)}$ . Hence,  $\mathfrak{P}_0 \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Therefore,  $\bigcap \{ \overline{E_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})}, \mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L}), \kappa \subseteq \mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P} \} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  and the proof is complete. □

**Corollary 4.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{L} \in \mathbf{MS}$ ,  $\mu \in \mathfrak{L}$  and  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ . Then,

$$E_T(\{\mu\}) = \bigcap \left\{ \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L} - \mathfrak{P})}, \mathfrak{P} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathfrak{L}), \mu \notin \mathfrak{P} \right\}.$$

*Proof.* We prove that  $\overline{E_T((\mu))} = E_T(\{\mu\})$ . Clearly,  $E_T(\{\mu\}) \subseteq \overline{E_T((\mu))}$ . Let  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T((\mu))}$ . Then there exists  $b \in (\mu]$  such that  $\lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Thus  $\lambda \vee b^{\circ\circ} \leq \lambda \vee \mu^{\circ\circ} \in T$ . Then  $\lambda \in E_T(\{\mu\})$ . From Theorem 4.2,  $\overline{E_T((\mu))} = \bigcap \{ \overline{E_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F})}, \mathfrak{F} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathcal{L}), (\mu] \subseteq \mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F} \}$ . It remains to prove that  $(\mu] \subseteq \mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F}$  if and only if  $\mu \notin \mathfrak{F}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\mu] \subseteq \mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F} &\iff \mu \in \mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F}, \\
 &\iff \mu \notin \mathfrak{F}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $E_T(\{\mu\}) = \bigcap \{ \overline{E_T(\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F})}, \mathfrak{F} \in \mathbf{Spec}(\mathcal{L}), \mu \notin \mathfrak{F} \}$ . □

In Example 4.1, we show that the inclusion is proper. This motivates the following definition.

**Definition 4.1.** A filter  $T$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  is said to be a strong fixed filter relative to an ideal  $I$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  if  $T = \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ .

**Example 4.2.** Consider the MS-algebra in Example 3.1. Suppose that  $T = [\delta] = \{\delta, 1\}$  and  $\kappa = \{\mu, o\}$ , thus  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} = T$ . Hence  $T$  is a strong fixed filter relative to  $\kappa$ . Take  $R = \{\mu, \delta, 1\}$ . We have  $\overline{E_R(\kappa)} = \mathcal{L}$ . Then  $R$  is not a strong fixed filter relative to  $\kappa$ .

**Proposition 4.1.** Every strong fixed filter relative to an ideal  $\kappa$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  is a fixed filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  relative to  $\kappa$ .

*Proof.* Assume that  $T$  is a strong fixed filter relative to an ideal  $\kappa$  of  $\mathcal{L}$ . Then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} = T$ . Since  $T \subseteq E_T(\kappa) \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)} = T$ , then  $T = E_T(\kappa)$ . □

**Proposition 4.2.** If  $\kappa_1, \kappa_2 \in \mathbb{I}(\mathcal{L})$  and  $T$  is a strong fixed filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  relative to  $\kappa_2$  satisfying  $\kappa_1 \subseteq \kappa_2$ . Then  $T$  is a strong fixed filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  relative to  $\kappa_1$ .

*Proof.* Suppose that  $T$  is a strong fixed filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  relative to an ideal  $\kappa_2$ . Then  $T = \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)}$ . We have  $\kappa_1 \subseteq \kappa_2$ . Therefore  $\overline{E_T(\kappa_1)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa_2)} = T$ . Also,  $T \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)}$ . Hence  $T = \overline{E_T(\kappa_1)}$ . □

**Remark 4.1.** A prime filter  $\mathfrak{F}$  of  $\mathcal{L}$  is not necessarily a strong fixed filter of  $\mathcal{L}$  relative to the ideal  $\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F}$ . Consider the following Hasse diagram  $\mathcal{L}$  in Figure 2. Define a unary operation  $^\circ$  on  $\mathcal{L}$  by  $\lambda^\circ = \eta^\circ = \eta$ ,  $\delta^\circ = \nu^\circ = \delta$ ,  $1^\circ = \gamma^\circ = \beta^\circ = \rho^\circ = 0$ ,  $0^\circ = 1$ . Then  $(\mathcal{L}, ^\circ) \in \mathbf{MS}$ . Take  $\mathfrak{F} = [\eta] = \{\eta, \rho, 1\}$ . We have  $\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F} = \{0, \nu, \delta, \lambda, \beta, \gamma\}$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \overline{E_{\mathfrak{F}}(\mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F})} &= \left\{ u \in \mathcal{L} : u \vee \gamma^{\circ\circ} \in \mathfrak{F} \text{ for some } \gamma \in \mathcal{L} - \mathfrak{F} \right\} \\
 &= \left\{ u \in \mathcal{L} : u \vee 0 \in \mathfrak{F}, \text{ or } u \vee \delta \in \mathfrak{F}, \text{ or } u \vee \eta \in \mathfrak{F}, \text{ or } u \vee 1 \in \mathfrak{F} \right\} \\
 &= \mathcal{L} \neq \mathfrak{F}.
 \end{aligned}$$

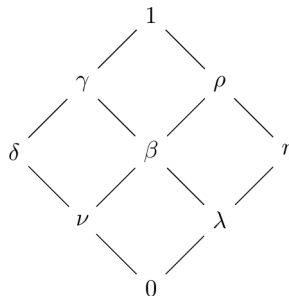


Figure 2:  $\mathcal{L}$ .

**Proposition 4.3.** *If  $M$  is a maximal filter of  $\mathfrak{L}$ , then  $\overline{E_M(\mathfrak{L} - M)} = \mathfrak{L}$  or  $M$  is a strong fixed filter of  $\mathfrak{L}$  relative to the ideal  $\mathfrak{L} - M$ .*

*Proof.* We have proved that  $\overline{E_M(\mathfrak{L} - M)}$  is a filter which contains  $M$ . Then, either  $\overline{E_M(\mathfrak{L} - M)} = M$  or  $\overline{E_M(\mathfrak{L} - M)} = \mathfrak{L}$ . □

Now, we study the lattice structure of the following sets

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)} &= \left\{ \overline{E_T(\kappa)}, T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L}) \right\}, \\ \overline{\mathbf{E}_T} &= \left\{ \overline{E_T(\kappa)}, \kappa \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L}) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 4.3.** *Let  $\kappa$  be a proper ideal of an MS-algebra  $\mathfrak{L}$ . Then  $(\overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)}; \nabla, \cap, \overline{E_{\{1\}}(\kappa)}, \overline{E_{\mathfrak{L}}(\kappa)})$  is a bounded distributive lattice by defining*

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \nabla \overline{E_R(\kappa)} &= \overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)}, \\ \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)} &= \overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)}. \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, if  $\mathfrak{L}$  is a complete lattice, then  $\overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)}$  is complete.

*Proof.* The element  $\overline{E_{\{1\}}(\kappa)}$  is the smallest in  $\overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)}$ . We have that  $\{1\} \subseteq T$  for every  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ . This implies that  $\overline{E_{\{1\}}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$ . Also,  $\overline{E_{\mathfrak{L}}(\kappa)}$  is the largest element in  $\overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)}$ , since  $T \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$  for every  $T \in \mathfrak{F}(\mathfrak{L})$ , then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_{\mathfrak{L}}(\kappa)}$ . In fact,  $\overline{E_{\mathfrak{L}}(\kappa)} = \mathfrak{L}$  since for every  $\alpha \in \mathfrak{L}$ ,  $\alpha \vee 0^{\circ\circ} \in \mathfrak{L}$ .

By Lemma 4.1,  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \cap \overline{E_R(\kappa)} = \overline{E_{T \cap R}(\kappa)}$ . It remains to prove that  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \nabla \overline{E_R(\kappa)} = \overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)}$ . We have that  $f, g \leq f \vee g$  for every  $f \in T$  and  $g \in R$ . Then  $f \vee g \in T, R$ . Thus  $T \nabla R \subseteq T, R$ . This implies that  $\overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)}, \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . It follows that  $\overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \nabla \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . On the other hand, let  $z \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)} \nabla \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . Then  $z = \lambda \vee \mu$  for some  $\lambda \in \overline{E_T(\kappa)}$  and  $\mu \in \overline{E_R(\kappa)}$ . Then  $\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ} \in T$  for some  $a \in \kappa$  and  $\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ} \in R$  for some  $b \in \kappa$ . Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} z \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} &= (\lambda \vee \mu) \vee (a \vee b)^{\circ\circ} \\ &= (\lambda \vee a^{\circ\circ}) \vee (\mu \vee b^{\circ\circ}) \in T \nabla R. \end{aligned}$$

We conclude that  $z \in \overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)}$ . Then  $\overline{E_T(\kappa)} \nabla \overline{E_R(\kappa)} \subseteq \overline{E_{T \nabla R}(\kappa)}$ . The completeness of  $\overline{\mathbf{E}(\kappa)}$  is immediate. □

**Theorem 4.4.** *If  $J$  and  $K$  are ideals of an MS-algebra  $\mathfrak{L}$  and  $\overline{E_T(J)} \vee_I \overline{E_T(K)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(J \vee_I K)}$ , then  $(\overline{\mathbf{E}_T}; \vee_I, \cap, \overline{E_T(\{0\}}), \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L})})$  is a bounded distributive lattice.*

*Proof.* The element  $\overline{E_T(\{0\})}$  is the smallest.

Since  $\{0\} \subseteq J$  for every  $J \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L})$ , then  $\overline{E_T(\{0\})} \subseteq \overline{E_T(J)}$ . Also,  $\overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L})}$  is the largest element in  $\overline{\mathbf{E}_T}$ . Since  $J \subseteq \mathfrak{L}$  for every  $J \in \mathbb{I}(\mathfrak{L})$ , then  $\overline{E_T(J)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L})}$ .

From Lemma 4.1,  $\overline{E_T(J)} \cap \overline{E_T(K)} = \overline{E_T(J \cap K)}$ . It remains to prove that  $\overline{E_T(J)} \vee_I \overline{E_T(K)} = \overline{E_T(J \vee_I K)}$ . Since  $J \vee_I K \subseteq J, K$ , then  $\overline{E_T(J \vee_I K)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(J)}, \overline{E_T(K)}$ , thus  $\overline{E_T(J \vee_I K)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(J)} \vee_I \overline{E_T(K)}$ .

By assumption,  $\overline{E_T(J)} \vee_I \overline{E_T(K)} \subseteq \overline{E_T(J \vee_I K)}$ . Hence,  $(\overline{\mathbf{E}_T}; \vee_I, \cap, \overline{E_T(\{0\}}), \overline{E_T(\mathfrak{L})})$  is a bounded distributive lattice. □

## 5 Conclusions and Future work

In this paper, a new definition is presented and notated by  $E_T(Z)$ . We proved that  $E_T(Z)$  is a filter containing  $T$ , consequently  $E_T(Z)$  is called an extended filter of  $T$ . We concerned in studying a special type of extended filters called fixed filters. In fact, a fixed filter  $T$  is the smallest possible extended filter containing  $T$  with respect to a set.

A generalisation of  $E_T(Z)$  was introduced by defining the strong extensions denoted by  $\overline{E_T(Z)}$ . The extension  $\overline{E_T(Z)}$  contains both  $T$  and  $E_T(Z)$ . We proved by a counter example that both  $E_T(Z)$  and  $\overline{E_T(Z)}$  are not the same. In future work, we may study the homomorphisms and topological spaces related to of  $E_T(Z)$ . Also, we can study the fuzzification of  $E_T(Z)$ .

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