

## ON NEAT EMBEDDINGS OF ALGEBRAISATIONS OF FIRST ORDER LOGIC

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### Abstract

Let  $\alpha$  be an infinite ordinal. There are non-isomorphic representable algebras of dimension  $\alpha$  each of which is a generating subreduct of the same  $\beta$  dimensional algebra. Dually there exists a representable algebra  $\mathfrak{A}$  of dimension  $\alpha$ , such that  $\mathfrak{A}$  is a generating subreduct of  $\mathfrak{B}$  and  $\mathfrak{B}'$ , however,  $\mathfrak{B}$  and  $\mathfrak{B}'$  are not isomorphic. The above was proven to hold for infinite dimensional cylindric algebras ( $CA$ 's) in [3] answering questions raised by Henkin et al. In this paper, we investigate the analogous statements for algebraisations other than cylindric algebras. We show that Pinter's substitution algebras and Halmos' quasi-polyadic algebras behave like  $CA$ 's, however, Halmos polyadic algebras do not.

### 1. Introduction

This paper is a follow up to [3]. We follow the notation adopted therein, which is in conformity with that adopted in the monograph [6]. The following (striking) result was proved in [3] confirming a conjecture of Tarski on cylindric algebras, cf. the introduction of [7]. **We cannot**

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replace  $Dc_\alpha$  in 2.6.67 (ii), 2.6.71-72 of [6] by  $RCA_\alpha$ , when  $\alpha \geq w$ . In more detail, we have

**Theorem 1.** *For  $\alpha \geq w$ , the following hold:*

(i) *There are non-isomorphic representable cylindric algebras of dimension  $\alpha$  each of which is a generating subreduct of the same  $\alpha + w$  dimensional cylindric algebra.*

(ii) *There exist  $\mathfrak{A} \in RCA_\alpha$ ,  $\mathfrak{B} \in CA_{\alpha+w}$  and an ideal  $J \subseteq \mathfrak{B}$ , such that  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{Nr}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $\mathfrak{A}$  generates  $\mathfrak{B}$ , but  $\mathfrak{I}g^{\mathfrak{B}}(J \cap \mathfrak{A}) \neq \mathfrak{B}$ .*

(iii) *There exist  $\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{A}' \in RCA_\alpha$ ,  $\mathfrak{B}, \mathfrak{B}' \in CA_{\alpha+w}$  with embeddings  $e_A : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{Nr}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$  and  $e_{A'} : \mathfrak{A}' \rightarrow \mathfrak{Nr}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\mathfrak{S}g^{\mathfrak{B}} e_A(\mathfrak{A}) = \mathfrak{B}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}g^{\mathfrak{B}'} e_{A'}(\mathfrak{A}') = \mathfrak{B}'$ , and an isomorphism  $i : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}'$  for which there exists no isomorphism  $\bar{i} : \mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\bar{i} \circ e_A = e_{A'} \circ i$ .*

The proof of Theorem 1, carried out in [3], depends on a deep result of Pigozzi, namely that  $RCA_\alpha$  does not have the amalgamation property (AP), when  $\alpha \geq w$ . [3] tells us where to find direct counterexamples, namely from common subalgebras of algebras in  $RCA_\alpha$ , that do not amalgamate. In this paper, we show that an analogous result hold for Pinter's substitution algebras  $SC$ 's and Halmos' quasi-polyadic algebras with and without equality ( $QEA$ ,  $QA$ ). Such algebras, together with their concrete versions, the so-called representable algebras, are defined in, e.g., [2] and [4]. For  $K \in \{SC, CA, QA, QEA\}$ .  $RK_\alpha$  stands for the class of representable algebras in  $K_\alpha$ , that is, those algebras that are isomorphic to subdirect products of set algebras. For a thorough treatment of such algebras, we refer to [4]. Neat reducts and neat embeddings for such algebras are defined like the  $CA$  case [1]. We give a contrasting result for polyadic algebras  $PA$ 's. For those we show that generating subreducts are rather neat reducts. However, unlike  $CA$ 's, for  $SC$ ,  $QA$  and  $QEA$ , it is not known whether the class of representable algebras have AP or not. So to prove our first main result, we need

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $\alpha$  be an infinite ordinal. Let  $K \in \{\mathbf{SC}, \mathbf{QA}, \mathbf{CA}, \mathbf{QEA}\}$ . Then  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$  does not have AP with respect to  $K_\alpha$ .*

**Proof.** We prove that there are two representable algebras having a common subalgebra that cannot be embedded in a third algebra even, if the latter is sought in the bigger class  $K_\alpha$ . We modify Pigozzi's proof proving the cylindric case [9], Theorem 2.3.6. Pigozzi's proof essentially depends on the existence of diagonal elements, our proof does not. In what follows by  $\mathfrak{Sg}^\mathfrak{A}X$  or  $\mathfrak{A}^{(X)}$ , we denote the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{A}$  generated by  $X$ , and we write  $\mathfrak{A}^{(x)}$  for  $\mathfrak{A}^{\{\{x\}\}}$ . Seeking a contradiction, assume that  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$  has AP with respect to  $V = K_\alpha$ . Let  $\mathfrak{A} = \mathfrak{F}\tau_5 V$ , the free  $V$  algebra on 5 generators. Let  $r$ ,  $s$  and  $t$  be defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} r &= c_0(x \cdot c_1 y) \cdot c_0(x \cdot -c_1 y), \\ s &= c_0 c_1 (c_1 z \cdot s_1^0 c_1 z \cdot -m) + c_0(x \cdot -c_1 z), \\ t &= c_0 c_1 (c_1 w \cdot s_1^0 c_1 w \cdot -m) + c_0(x \cdot -c_1 w), \end{aligned}$$

where  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$ ,  $w$  and  $m$  are the first five generators of  $\mathfrak{A}$ . Here  $r$ ,  $s$  and  $t$  are defined like in Pigozzi's case except that  $d_{01}$  is replaced by  $m$ , the fifth generator of  $\mathfrak{F}\tau_5 V$ . (Diagonals will be introduced later in the proof). Then, exactly as in the proof of Lemma 2.3.1 in [9], one can show that  $r \leq s \cdot t$ . Let  $X_1 = \{x, y\}$  and  $X_2 = \{x, z, w, m\}$ . Then

$$\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} = \mathfrak{Sg}^\mathfrak{A}\{x\}. \quad (1)$$

We have

$$r \in A^{(X_1)} \text{ and } s, t \in A^{(X_2)}. \quad (2)$$

Let  $\{x', y', z', w'\}$  be the first four generators of  $\mathfrak{D} = \mathfrak{F}\tau_4 \mathbf{RQEA}_\alpha$ . Let  $h$  be the homomorphism from  $\mathfrak{A}$  to  $\mathfrak{Rd}_K \mathfrak{D}$ , such that  $h(i) = i'$  for  $i \in \{x, y, w, z\}$  and  $h(m) = d_{01}$ . Here  $\mathfrak{Rd}_K \mathfrak{D}$  is the algebra obtained from  $\mathfrak{D}$

by discarding operations not in the similarity type of  $\mathbf{K}_\alpha$ . Let  $J$  be the kernel of  $h$ . Then

$$\mathfrak{A} / J \cong \mathfrak{A} \mathfrak{D}_K \mathfrak{D}. \quad (3)$$

We work inside the algebra  $\mathfrak{A}$ . Since  $r \leq s \cdot t$ , we have

$$r \in \mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{A}}\{s \cdot t\} \cap A^{(X_1)}. \quad (4)$$

Here, and elsewhere throughout the paper,  $\mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{B}}X$  denotes the ideal generated by  $X$ . We shall use extensively that ideals function like the **CA** case. In particular, for  $\mathfrak{A} \in \mathbf{K}_\alpha$  and  $X \subseteq A$ .

$$\mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{A}}X = \{y \in A : y \leq \mathbf{c}_{(\Gamma)}(x_0 + \dots x_{k-1}) : \text{for some } x \in {}^k X \text{ and } \Gamma \subseteq_w \alpha\}.$$

The following about ideals in  $\mathbf{K}$  algebras will be frequently used.

- If  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{B}$  are algebras and  $I$  is an ideal of  $\mathfrak{A}$ , then  $\mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{B}}(I) = \{b \in B : \exists a \in I(b \leq a)\}$ .
- If  $I$  and  $J$  are ideals of an algebra, then the ideal generated by  $I \cup J$  is  $I + J = \{x : x \leq i + j : \text{for some } i \in I, j \in J\}$ .

Let

$$M = \mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{A}(X_2)}[\{s \cdot t\} \cup (J \cap A^{(X_2)})]; \quad (5)$$

$$N = \mathfrak{I}_{\mathfrak{g}}^{\mathfrak{A}(X_1)}[(M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}) \cup (J \cap A^{(X_1)})]. \quad (6)$$

By (6), we have

$$N \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} = M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}.$$

For  $R$  an ideal of  $\mathfrak{A}$  and  $X \subseteq A$ . By  $(\mathfrak{A} / R)^{(X)}$ , we understand the subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{A} / R$  generated by  $\{x / R : x \in X\}$ . Define

$$\theta : \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N,$$

by

$$a \mapsto a / N.$$

Then  $\ker\theta = N \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}$  and  $\text{Im}\theta = (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}$ . It follows that

$$\bar{\theta} : \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} / N \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \rightarrow (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)},$$

defined by

$$a / N \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \mapsto a / N$$

is a well defined isomorphism. Similarly

$$\bar{\psi} : \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} / M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \rightarrow (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_2)} / M)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)},$$

defined by

$$a / M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \mapsto a / M$$

is also a well defined isomorphism. But

$$N \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} = M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}.$$

Hence

$$\phi : (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)} \rightarrow (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_2)} / M)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)},$$

defined by

$$a / N \mapsto a / M$$

is a well defined isomorphism. Now  $(\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}$  embeds into  $\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N$  via the inclusion map; it also embeds in  $\mathfrak{A}^{(X_2)} / M$  via  $i \circ \phi$ , where  $i$  is also the inclusion map. For brevity, let  $\mathfrak{A}_0 = (\mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N)^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}$ ,  $\mathfrak{A}_1 = \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} / N$  and  $\mathfrak{A}_2 = \mathfrak{A}^{(X_2)} / M$  and  $j = i \circ \phi$ . Then  $\mathfrak{A}_0$  embeds in  $\mathfrak{A}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{A}_2$  via  $i$  and  $j$ , respectively. Now observe that  $\mathfrak{A}_1$ ,  $\mathfrak{A}_2$  and  $\mathfrak{A}_0$  are in  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$ . So by assumption, there exists an amalgam, i.e., there exists  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{K}_\alpha$  and monomorphisms  $f$  and  $g$  from  $\mathfrak{A}_1$  and  $\mathfrak{A}_2$ , respectively, to  $\mathfrak{B}$  such that  $f \circ i = g \circ j$ . Let

$$\bar{f} : \mathfrak{A}^{(X_1)} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}$$

be defined by

$$a \mapsto f(a / N),$$

and

$$\bar{g} : \mathfrak{A}^{(X_2)} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}$$

be defined by

$$a \mapsto g(a / M).$$

Let  $\mathfrak{B}'$  be the algebra generated by  $Imf \cup Img$ . Then  $\bar{f} \cup \bar{g} \upharpoonright X_1 \cup X_2 \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}'$  is a function, since  $\bar{f}$  and  $\bar{g}$  coincide on  $X_1 \cap X_2$ . By freeness of  $\mathfrak{A}$ , there exists  $h : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $h \upharpoonright_{X_1 \cup X_2} = \bar{f} \cup \bar{g}$ . Let  $P = \ker h$ . Then it is not hard to check that

$$P \cap A^{(X_1)} = N, \quad (7)$$

and

$$P \cap A^{(X_2)} = M. \quad (8)$$

In view of (2), (5), (8), we have  $s \cdot t \in P$  and hence by (4),  $r \in P$ . Consequently from (2) and (7), we get  $r \in N$ . From (6), there exist elements

$$u \in M \cap A^{(X_1 \cap X_2)}, \quad (9)$$

and  $b \in J$  such that

$$r \leq u + b. \quad (10)$$

Since  $u \in M$  by (5), there is a  $\Gamma \subseteq_w \alpha$  and  $c \in J$  such that

$$u \leq \mathfrak{c}_{(\Gamma)}(s \cdot t) + c.$$

Recall that  $h$  is the homomorphism from  $\mathfrak{A}$  to  $\mathfrak{A}d_K \mathfrak{D}$  such that  $h(i) = i'$  for  $i \in \{x, y, w, z\}$  and  $h(m) = \mathfrak{d}_{01}$  and that  $\ker h = J$ . Then  $h(b) = h(c) = 0$ . It follows that

$$h(r) \leq h(u) \leq \mathfrak{c}_{(\Gamma)}(h(s) \cdot h(t)).$$

Let  $r' = h(r)$ ,  $u' = h(u)$ ,  $s' = h(s)$ ,  $t' = h(t)$ . Let

$$\mathfrak{B} = (\wp({}^\alpha\alpha), \cup, \cap, \sim, 0, {}^\alpha\alpha, \mathbf{C}_i, \mathbf{D}_{ij}, \mathbf{S}_{[ij]})_{i, j \in \alpha},$$

that is,  $\mathfrak{B}$  is the full quasi-polyadic equality set algebra in the space  ${}^\alpha\alpha$ . Let  $E$  be the set of all equivalence relations on  $\alpha$ , and for each  $R \in E$  set

$$X_R = \{\varphi : \varphi \in {}^\alpha\alpha \text{ and for all } \xi, \eta < \alpha, \varphi_\xi = \varphi_\eta \text{ iff } \xi R \eta\}.$$

More succinctly

$$X_R = \{\varphi \in {}^\alpha\alpha : \ker\varphi = R\}.$$

Let

$$C = \left\{ \bigcup_{R \in L} X_R : L \subseteq E \right\}.$$

$C$  is clearly closed under the formation of arbitrary unions, and since

$$\sim \bigcup_{R \in L} X_L = \bigcup_{R \in E \sim L} X_R$$

for every  $L \subseteq E$ , we see that  $C$  is closed under the formation of complements with respect to  ${}^\alpha\alpha$ . Thus  $C$  is a Boolean subuniverse (indeed, a complete Boolean subuniverse) of  $\mathfrak{B}$ ; moreover, it is obvious that

$$X_R \text{ is an atom of } (C, \cup, \cap, \sim, 0, {}^\alpha\alpha) \text{ for each } R \in E. \quad (11)$$

For all  $i, j \in \alpha$ ,  $\mathbf{D}_{ij} = \bigcup \{X_R : (i, j) \in R\}$  and hence  $\mathbf{D}_{ij} \in C$ . Also,

$$\mathbf{C}_i X_R = \bigcup \{X_S : S \in E, {}^2(\alpha \sim \{i\}) \cap S = {}^2(\alpha \sim \{i\}) \cap R\}$$

for any  $i \in \alpha$  and  $R \in E$ . Thus, because  $\mathbf{C}_i$  is completely additive,  $C$  is closed under the operation  $\mathbf{C}_i$  for every  $i \in \alpha$ . Also it is straightforward to see that  $C$  is closed under substitutions. For any  $\tau = [i, j] \in {}^\alpha\alpha$ ,

$$S_\tau X_R = \bigcup \{X_S : S \in E, \forall i, j < w(iRj \leftrightarrow \tau(i)S\tau(j))\}.$$

Therefore, we have shown that

$$C \text{ is a quasi-polyadic equality subuniverse of } \mathfrak{B}. \quad (12)$$

We now show that there is a subset  $Y$  of  ${}^\alpha\alpha$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} X_{Id} \cap f(r') \neq 0 \text{ for every } f \in \text{Hom}(\mathfrak{D}, \mathfrak{B}) \\ \text{such that } f(x') = X_{Id} \text{ and } f(y') = Y, \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

and also that for every  $\Gamma \subseteq_w \alpha$ , there are subsets  $Z, W$  of  ${}^\alpha\alpha$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} X_{Id} \sim \mathbf{C}_{(\Gamma)}g(s' \cdot t') \neq 0, \text{ for every } g \in \text{Hom}(\mathfrak{D}, \mathfrak{B}), \\ \text{such that } g(x') = X_{Id}, g(z') = Z \text{ and } g(w') = W. \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

Here  $\text{Hom}(\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{B})$  stands for the set of all homomorphisms from  $\mathfrak{A}$  to  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

This part is taken from Pigozzi [9] p. 340-341. Let  $\sigma \in {}^\alpha\alpha$  be such that  $\sigma_0 = 0$ , and  $\sigma_k = k + 1$  for every non-zero  $k < w$  and  $\sigma_\eta = \eta$  for all  $\eta, w \leq \eta < \alpha$ . Let  $\tau = \sigma \upharpoonright (\alpha \sim \{0\}) \cup \{(0, 1)\}$ . Then  $\sigma, \tau \in X_{Id}$ . Take

$$Y = \{\sigma\}.$$

Then

$$\sigma \in X_{Id} \cap \mathbf{C}_1Y \text{ and } \tau \in X_{Id} \sim \mathbf{C}_1Y,$$

and hence

$$\sigma \in \mathbf{C}_0(X_{Id} \cap \mathbf{C}_1Y) \cap \mathbf{C}_0(X_{Id} \sim \mathbf{C}_1Y). \quad (15)$$

Therefore, we have  $\sigma \in f(r)$  for every  $f \in \text{Hom}(\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{B})$  such that  $f(x) = X_{Id}$  and  $f(y) = Y$ , and that (13) holds. We now want to show that for any given finite  $\Gamma \subseteq_w \alpha$ , there exist sets  $Z, W \subseteq {}^\alpha\alpha$  such that (14) holds; it is clear that no generality is lost if we assume that  $0, 1 \in \Gamma$ , so we make this assumption. Take

$$Z = \{\varphi : \varphi \in X_{Id}, \varphi_0 < \varphi_1\} \cap \mathbf{C}_{(\Gamma)}\{Id\}$$

and

$$W = \{\varphi : \varphi \in X_{Id}, \varphi_0 > \varphi_1\} \cap \mathbf{C}_{(\Gamma)}\{Id\}.$$

It is shown in [9] p. 340, item (8) that

$$Id \in X_{Id} \sim \mathbf{C}_{(\Gamma)}g(s' \cdot t'), \quad (16)$$

for any  $g \in Hom(\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{B})$  such that  $g(x') = X_{Id}$ ,  $g(z') = Z$ , and  $g(w') = W$ . Note that

$$\begin{aligned} g(s' \cdot t') &= g(\mathbf{c}_0\mathbf{c}_1(\mathbf{c}_1z' \cdot \mathbf{s}_1^0\mathbf{c}_1z' \cdot -\mathbf{d}_{01}) + \mathbf{c}_0(x' \cdot -\mathbf{c}_1z')) \\ &\quad \cdot \mathbf{c}_0\mathbf{c}_1(\mathbf{c}_1w' \cdot \mathbf{s}_1^0\mathbf{c}_1w' \cdot -\mathbf{d}_{01}) + \mathbf{c}_0(x' \cdot -\mathbf{c}_1w')) \\ &= [\mathbf{C}_0\mathbf{C}_1(\mathbf{C}_1Z \cap \mathbf{S}_1^0\mathbf{C}_1Z \sim \mathbf{D}_{01}) \cup \mathbf{C}_0(X \sim \mathbf{C}_1Z)] \\ &\quad \cap [\mathbf{C}_0\mathbf{C}_1(\mathbf{S}_1W \cap \mathbf{S}_1^0\mathbf{C}_1W \sim \mathbf{D}_{01}) \cup \mathbf{C}_0(X \sim \mathbf{C}_1W)]. \end{aligned}$$

Now there exists a finite  $\Gamma \subseteq \alpha$  and an interpolant  $u' \in \mathfrak{D}^{(x')}$ , that is,

$$r' \leq u' \leq \mathbf{c}_{(\Gamma)}(s' \cdot t').$$

There also exist  $Y, Z, W \subseteq {}^\alpha\alpha$  such that (13) and (14) hold. Take any  $k \in Hom(\mathfrak{D}, \mathfrak{B})$  such that  $k(x') = X_{Id}$ ,  $k(y') = Y$ ,  $k(z') = Z$ , and  $k(w') = W$ . This is possible by the freeness of  $\mathfrak{D}$ . Then using the fact that  $X_{Id} \cap k(r')$  is non-empty by (13), we get

$$X_{Id} \cap k(u') = k(x' \cdot u') \supseteq k(x' \cdot r') \neq 0.$$

And using the fact that  $X_{Id} \sim \mathbf{C}_{(\Gamma)}k(s' \cdot t')$  is non-empty by (14), we get

$$X_{Id} \sim k(u') = k(x' \cdot -u') \supseteq k(x' \cdot -\mathbf{c}_{(\Gamma)}(s' \cdot t')) \neq 0.$$

However, in view of (11), it is impossible for  $X_{Id}$  to intersect both  $k(u')$  and its complement since  $k(u') \in C$  and  $X_{Id}$  is an atom; to see that  $k(u')$  is indeed contained in  $C$  recall that  $h(u) = u' \in \mathfrak{D}^{(x')}$ , and then

observe that because of (12) and the fact that  $X_{Id} \in C$ , we must have  $k[\mathfrak{D}^{(x')}] \subseteq C$ . This contradiction shows that  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$  does not have the amalgamation property with respect to  $\mathbf{K}_\alpha$ . By this the proof is complete. ■

Unless otherwise specified  $\mathbf{K} \in \{\mathbf{SC}, \mathbf{QA}, \mathbf{CA}, \mathbf{QEA}\}$ . For a cardinal  $\beta > 0$ ,  $L \subseteq \mathbf{K}_\alpha$ , and  $\rho : \beta \rightarrow \wp(\alpha)$ ,  $\mathfrak{F}\tau_\beta^\rho L$  stands for the dimension restricted  $L$  free algebra on  $\beta$  generators. The sequence  $\langle \eta / Cr_\beta^\rho L : \eta < \beta \rangle$   $L$ -freely generates  $\mathfrak{F}\tau_\beta^\rho L$  [6] Theorem 2.5.35.  $\mathfrak{F}\tau_\beta^\rho L$  is treated in [9] under the name of free algebras over  $L$  subject to certain defining relations, cf. [9] Definition 1.1.5.  $\mathfrak{F}\tau_\beta^\rho L$  is a quotient of the absolutely  $\mathbf{K}$  free algebra. The following is completely analogous to Lemma 1 in [3].

**Lemma 3.** *If  $\alpha < \beta$  are any ordinals and  $L \subseteq \mathbf{K}_\alpha$ , then, in the sequence of conditions (1)-(5) below, (1)-(4) implies the immediately following one:*

(1) *For any  $\mathfrak{A} \in L$  and  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{K}_\beta$  with  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ , for all  $X \subseteq A$ , we have  $\mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{A} X = \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{B} X$ .*

(2) *For any  $\mathfrak{A} \in L$  and  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{K}_\beta$  with  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ , if  $\mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{B} A = \mathfrak{B}$ , then  $\mathfrak{A} = \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ .*

(3) *For any  $\mathfrak{A} \in L$  and  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{K}_\beta$  with  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ , if  $\mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{B} A = \mathfrak{B}$ , then for any ideal  $I$  of  $\mathfrak{B}$ ,  $\mathfrak{I}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{B} (A \cap I) = I$ .*

(4) *If whenever  $\mathfrak{A} \in L$ , there exists  $x \in {}^{|A|}A$  such that, if  $\rho = \langle \Delta x_i : i < |A| \rangle$ ,  $\mathfrak{D} = \mathfrak{F}\tau_{|A|}^\rho \mathbf{K}_\beta$  and  $\mathfrak{g}_\xi = \xi / Cr_{|A|}^\rho \mathbf{K}_\beta$ , then  $\mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^{\mathfrak{N}\mathfrak{d}_\alpha \mathfrak{D}} \{ \mathfrak{g}_\xi : \xi < |A| \} \in L$ , then the following hold: For  $\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{A}' \in L$ ,  $\mathfrak{B}, \mathfrak{B}' \in \mathbf{K}_\beta$  with embeddings  $e_A : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$  and  $e_{A'} : \mathfrak{A}' \rightarrow \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\mathfrak{S}\mathfrak{g}^\mathfrak{B} e_A(A) = \mathfrak{B}$  and*

$\mathfrak{Sg}^{\mathfrak{B}'} e_{A'}(A) = \mathfrak{B}'$ , whenever  $i : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}'$  is an isomorphism, then there exists an isomorphism  $\bar{i} : \mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\bar{i} \circ e_A = e_{A'} \circ i$ .

(5) Assume that  $\beta = \alpha + w$ . Then  $L$  has the amalgamation property with respect to  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$ .

**Proof.** [3], upon noting that like the  $\mathbf{CA}$  case, the class  $\mathbf{K} = \{A \in \mathbf{K}_{\alpha+w} : \mathfrak{Sg}^A \mathfrak{Nt}_\alpha \mathfrak{A} = \mathfrak{A}\}$  has AP.

Using the two previous lemmas, we infer that (1)-(5) in Lemma 3 are false for  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$  when  $\alpha \geq w$ , thus we arrive at the results in the abstract for  $\mathbf{SC}$ 's  $\mathbf{QA}$ 's and  $\mathbf{QEA}$ 's. In more detail, we have:

**Theorem 4.** For  $\alpha \geq w$  and  $\mathbf{K} \in \{\mathbf{SC}, \mathbf{CA}, \mathbf{QA}, \mathbf{QEA}\}$ , the following hold:

(i) There are non-isomorphic  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$ 's each of which is a generating subreduct of the same  $\alpha + w$   $\mathbf{K}$  algebra.

(ii) There exist  $\mathfrak{A} \in \mathbf{K}_\alpha$ ,  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{K}_{\alpha+w}$  and an ideal  $J \subseteq \mathfrak{B}$ , such that  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{Nt}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ ,  $A$  generates  $\mathfrak{B}$ , but  $\mathfrak{I}g^{\mathfrak{B}}(J \cap A) \neq \mathfrak{B}$ .

(iii) There exist  $\mathfrak{A}, \mathfrak{A}' \in \mathbf{K}_\alpha$ ,  $\mathfrak{B}, \mathfrak{B}' \in \mathbf{K}_{\alpha+\beta}$  with embeddings  $e_A : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{Nt}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$  and  $e_{A'} : \mathfrak{A}' \rightarrow \mathfrak{Nt}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\mathfrak{Sg}^{\mathfrak{B}} e_A(A) = \mathfrak{B}$  and  $\mathfrak{Sg}^{\mathfrak{B}'} e_{A'}(A) = \mathfrak{B}'$ , and an isomorphism  $i : \mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}'$  for which there exists no isomorphism  $\bar{i} : \mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}'$  such that  $\bar{i} \circ e_A = e_{A'} \circ i$ .

In contrast, we show that  $\mathbf{PA}$ 's behave differently; in fact, they behave like  $\mathbf{Dc}$ 's. For undefined terminology in the coming theorem, the reader is referred to [5] and [8]. If  $\alpha < \beta$ ,  $\mathfrak{B} \in \mathbf{PA}_\beta$  is a minimal dilation of  $\mathfrak{A} \in \mathbf{PA}_\alpha$ , if  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{Nt}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$  and  $A$  generates  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

**Theorem 5.** Suppose that  $J$  is an infinite set,  $\alpha < \beta$  are ordinals,  $J \subseteq \alpha \subseteq \beta$  and  $\mathfrak{A} \in \mathbf{PA}_\alpha$ .

(i) If  $\mathfrak{B}$  is a minimal  $\beta$  dilation of  $\mathfrak{A}$ , then for all  $X \subseteq A$ ,  $\mathfrak{G}_g^{\mathfrak{A}}X = \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{G}_g^{\mathfrak{B}}X$  and  $\mathfrak{A}$  is a faithful compression of  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

(ii)  $\mathfrak{N}\tau_J \mathfrak{B}$  is a faithful compression of  $\mathfrak{A}$  iff  $|J| \geq n$ , where  $n$  is the cardinal predecessor of the local degree  $m$  of  $\mathfrak{A}$ . That is  $n = m$ , if  $m$  is a limit cardinal and  $n^+ = m$  if  $m$  is a successor cardinal.

**Proof.** (ii) is stated in [8] and proved in [5]. Here we prove (i) which is not proved in the cited papers. Abusing notation, we write  $\mathfrak{A}$  for  $\mathfrak{G}_g^{\mathfrak{A}}X$  and  $\mathfrak{B}$  for  $\mathfrak{G}_g^{\mathfrak{B}}X$ . Then  $\mathfrak{B}$  is a minimal dilation of  $\mathfrak{A}$ . By [5], Theorem 3.3, each element of  $\mathfrak{B}$  has the form  $s_\sigma^{\mathfrak{B}}a$  for some  $a \in A$ , and  $\sigma$  a transformation on  $\beta$  such that  $\sigma \upharpoonright \alpha$  is one to one. We claim that  $\mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B} \subseteq \mathfrak{A}$ . Indeed, let  $x \in \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ . Then by the above, we have  $x = s_\sigma^{\mathfrak{B}}y$ , for some  $y \in A$  and  $\sigma \in {}^\beta\beta$ . Let  $\tau \in {}^\beta\beta$  such that

$$\tau \upharpoonright \alpha \subseteq Id \text{ and } (\tau \circ \sigma)\alpha \subseteq \alpha. \quad (17)$$

Such a  $\tau$  clearly exists. Since  $x \in \mathfrak{N}\tau_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$ , it follows by definition that  $c_{(\beta \sim \alpha)}x = x$ . From

$$\tau \upharpoonright \beta \sim (\beta \sim \alpha) = \tau \upharpoonright \alpha = Id \upharpoonright \alpha = Id \upharpoonright \beta \sim (\beta \sim \alpha),$$

we get from the polyadic axioms that

$$s_\tau^{\mathfrak{B}}x = s_\tau^{\mathfrak{B}}c_{(\beta \sim \alpha)}x = s_{Id}^{\mathfrak{B}}c_{(\beta \sim \alpha)}x = s_{Id}^{\mathfrak{B}}x = x.$$

Therefore

$$x = s_\tau^{\mathfrak{B}}x = s_\tau^{\mathfrak{B}}s_\sigma^{\mathfrak{B}}x = s_{\tau \circ \sigma}^{\mathfrak{B}}x. \quad (18)$$

Let

$$\mu = \tau \circ \sigma \upharpoonright \alpha \text{ and } \bar{\mu} = \mu \cup Id \upharpoonright (\beta \sim \alpha).$$

Since

$$\bar{\mu} \upharpoonright \beta \sim (\beta \sim \alpha) = \bar{\mu} \upharpoonright \alpha = \mu = \tau \circ \sigma \upharpoonright \beta \sim (\beta \sim \alpha),$$

we have

$$s_{\bar{\mu}}^{\mathfrak{B}}c_{(\beta \sim \alpha)}y = s_{\tau \circ \sigma}^{\mathfrak{B}}c_{(\beta \sim \alpha)}y.$$

Since  $\mathfrak{A} \subseteq \mathfrak{Nr}_\alpha \mathfrak{B}$  and  $y \in A$ , we have  $s_\mu^\mathfrak{A} y = s_\mu^\mathfrak{B} y$  and  $c_{(\beta-\alpha)}^\mathfrak{B} y = y$ .

Therefore

$$s_\mu^\mathfrak{A} y = s_\mu^\mathfrak{B} y = s_\mu^\mathfrak{B} c_{(\beta-\alpha)}^\mathfrak{B} y = s_{\tau\circ\sigma}^\mathfrak{B} c_{(\beta-\alpha)}^\mathfrak{B} y = s_{\tau\circ\sigma}^\mathfrak{B} y. \quad (19)$$

From (18) and (19), we get  $x = s_\mu^\mathfrak{A} y \in \mathfrak{A}$ . By this the proof is complete, since  $x$  was arbitrary. ■

To summarize, we have Theorems 2.6.67 (ii), 2.6.71-72 of [6] formulated for **Dc**'s do not hold for  $\mathbf{K} \in \{\mathbf{SC}, \mathbf{CA}, \mathbf{QA}, \mathbf{QEA}\}$ , in fact they do not hold for  $\mathbf{RK}_\alpha$  but they hold for  $\mathbf{PA}_\alpha$ 's. Here  $\alpha$  is an infinite ordinal. This establishes yet another dichotomy between the **CA** paradigm and the **PA** paradigm.

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