

Valuation on Some Algebraic Structures

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this article is to introduce the notion of valuations on Some algebraic structures; valuation on $M(R)$ (the set of square matrices), on $M^{(3)}(R)$ (set of cubic matrices) over the field P , valuation on simpleartinian rings, semisimple rings and finally valuation on a module over a commutative ring and their some basic results.

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1 INTRODUCTION

In what follows, R and $M(R)$ will represent, an associative ring with unit and the set of all square matrices respectively.

Definition 1.1.(see [1]) A valuation on ring R is a function $\vartheta : R \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$, where Γ is a totally ordered abelian additive group such that for all $a, b \in R$,

- 1) $\vartheta(ab) = \vartheta(a) + \vartheta(b)$;
- 2) $\vartheta(a + b) \geq \min\{\vartheta(a), \vartheta(b)\}$;
- 3) $\vartheta(a) = \infty$ if and only if $a = 0$.

One can easily show that, $\vartheta(1)=0$ and $\vartheta(-a) = \vartheta(a)$

The first generalization for valuation rings of division rings was obtained by Schilling in⁶.

Remark 1.3. If $\Gamma = \mathbb{Z}$, then valuation on skewfield K is called a discrete valuation.

Example 1.2. Let p be a prime number. Map $\vartheta : Q \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \cup \{\infty\}$, by $\vartheta(p^r m/n) = r$, where $r \geq 0$ and p divides neither m nor n , is a discrete valuation.

Also if $K = k(x)$, where k is any field and R be the set of all rational functions $p^r m/n$, where $r \geq 0$, p is a fixed polynomial that is irreducible over k and m and n are arbitrary polynomials in $k[x]$ not divisible by p . Then map

$\vartheta : K \rightarrow Z \cup \{\infty\}$,
by $v(f/g) = \deg(g) - \deg(f)$
is a discrete valuation.

2. MATRIX VALUATION

Let $M(R)$ is the Set of all square matrices over ring R . For any two matrices A and B over R we define the diagonal sum of A and B as:

$$A \oplus B = \begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & B \end{pmatrix}$$

Given two matrices
 $A = (A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n)$ and
 $B = (B_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n)$ in $M(R)$, The
determinant sum of A and B , with respect to
the first column, is defined by

$$A \nabla B = (A_1 + B_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n)$$

Definition 2.1.(see [3]). A valuation (or a classical valuation) on the set of all square matrices $M(R)$ over a skew field R is a mapping

$$| \cdot | : M(R) \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\},$$

satisfying the following conditions:

- (1) if $A \in M_n(R)$ and $r(A) < n$, then $|A| = \infty$;
- (2) if $A, B \in M_n(R)$, $1 \leq j \leq n$, $B_j = -A_j$, and $B_i = A_i$ for $i \neq j$, $1 \leq i \leq n$, then $|A| = |B|$;
- (3) if $A, B \in M_n(R)$, which exists the determinantal sum $A \nabla B$, then $|A \nabla B| \geq \min\{|A|, |B|\}$;
- (4) for any $A \in M_n(R)$ and $B \in M_m(R)$,
 $|A \oplus B| = |A| + |B|$;
- (5) $|I| = 0$, where I is an identity matrix.

Proposition 2.2. Let $\vartheta : R \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$ be a valuation on commutative ring R .
mapping
 $V : M(R) \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$,
by $V(A)$
 $= \vartheta(\det A)$ is a matrix valuation.

Proposition 2.3. Let R be a division ring with an abelian valuation v . Then v may be extended to a matrix valuation V on $A = M_n(R)$, for each $n \geq 1$ by the equation:
 $V(X) = v(\text{Det} X)$, $X \in A$,
where "Det" denotes the Dieudonné determinant, together with the rule $V(X) = \infty$ when X is singular.
Proof. (See [5]).

Corollary 2.4. The correspondence $v \leftrightarrow V$ in Proposition 2.2 and Proposition 2.3 is a bijection between abelian valuations on R and matrix valuations on $A = M_n(R)$.

3. VALUATIONS ON THE SET OF CUBIC MATRICES

Let F be a field and $M^{(3)}(F)$ be the set of all cubic matrices over the field F . All necessary definitions and notations on cubic matrices can be found in (see [7, Chaps. I, II]).

Definition 3.1. A valuation on the set of all cubic matrices $M^{(3)}(F)$ over a field F is a mapping

$$\mu : M^{(3)}(F) \rightarrow \Gamma \cup \{\infty\},$$

satisfying the following conditions:

- (1) if $A \in M^{(3)}(F)$ and $r(A) < n$, then $\mu(A) = \infty$;

(2) if $A, B \in M^{(3)}(F)$, $1 \leq j \leq n$, $B_j = -A_j$, and $B_i = A_i$ for $i \neq j$, $1 \leq i \leq n$, then $\mu(A) = \mu(B)$;

(3) if $A, B \in M^{(3)}(F)$, which exists the determinantal sum $A \nabla B$, then $\mu(A \nabla B) \geq \min \{ \mu(A), \mu(B) \}$;

(4) for any $A \in M_n(F)$ and $B \in M_m(F)$, $\mu(A \oplus B) = \mu(A) + \mu(B)$;

(5) $|I| = 0$, where I is an identity matrix.

Remark 3.2. Proposition 2.2, proposition 2.3 and corollary 2.4, similarly is established for the cubic matrices ring over a field.

4. VALUATIONS ON SEMISIMPLE RINGS

In this section, we show that a valuation on simple artinian ring⁵ may be extended to a Valuation on semisimple ring by Wedderburn-artin theorem.

Theorem 4.1.(Wedderburn-artin). Let R be any left semisimple ring. Then

$$R \cong M_{n_1}(D_1) \times M_{n_2}(D_2) \times \dots \times M_{n_r}(D_r)$$

for suitable division rings D_1, D_2, \dots, D_r and positive integers n_1, n_2, \dots, n_r (up to a permutation). there are exactly mutually non isomorphic left simple module over R ⁴.

Now let D_1, D_2, \dots, D_r are division rings with valuations ϑ_i on D_i (for $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$). Then there exists simple valuations μ_i on $A_i = M_{n_i}(D_i)$ (by proposition 2) such that for any $X_i \in A_i$, $\mu_i(X_i) = \vartheta_i(Det X_i)$. Therefore we have :

Theorem 4.2. Map μ defined by $\mu(X_1, X_2, \dots, X_r) = (\mu_1(X_1), \mu_2(X_2), \dots, \mu_r(X_r))$ is a valuation on semisimple ring

$$R \cong M_{n_1}(D_1) \times M_{n_2}(D_2) \times \dots \times M_{n_r}(D_r)$$

5. VALUATION ON MODULES

In this section, the first we defined a valuations on a module, and show that if M be a R -module, then for any valuation on M exist a *Manis valuation on the ring R* . Moreover in case $R = Z$, one can show that any classic valuation on Z , under a certain condition, is a valuation on Z -mod M .

Definition 5.1.² Let M be an R -module where R is a ring and Γ be an ordered set with maximum element ∞ . A mapping μ of M to Γ is called a valuation on M , if the following conditions are satisfied:

(i) For any $x, y \in M$, $\mu(x + y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}$;

(ii) If $\mu(x) \leq \mu(y)$, $x, y \in M$, then $\mu(ax) \leq \mu(ay)$ for all $a \in R$;

(iii) Put $\mu^{-1}(\infty) = \{ x \in M \mid \mu(x) = \infty \}$. If $\mu(ax) \leq \mu(bz)$,

where $a, b \in R$, and $z \in M \setminus \mu^{-1}(\infty)$, then $\mu(ax) \leq \mu(ay)$ for all $x \in M$;

(iv) For every $a \in R \setminus (\mu^{-1}(\infty) : M)$, there is an $a' \in R$ such that $\mu((a'a)x) = \mu(x)$. In this case Γ is called the value set of μ , and $\mu^{-1}(\infty)$ is called the core of μ .

Definition 5.2 $\mu^{-1}(\infty)$ is called the *core* of μ .

Remark 5.3. For an ordered abelian group M and an ordered set Γ with maximum element ∞ , a mapping μ of M onto Γ is defined to be a valuation on M , if the following conditions are satisfied:

(1) For $x \in M, \mu(x) = 1$ if and only if $x = 0$;

(2) For any $x, y \in M, \mu(x + y) \geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}$;

(3) For every nonzero integers $n, \mu(nx) = \mu(x)$.

Viewing M as a Z -module, it is easy to see that such a mapping μ is a valuation on M in the sense of valuations on a module. In this case, the core of μ is $\{0\}$, and the induced valuation pair is $(M, \{0\})$.

Example 5.4. Let V be a nonzero vector space over a field F (i.e., a F -module) with base B and let w be an arbitrary valuation on F with value group Γ . For every nonzero $\alpha \in V, \alpha$ may be uniquely expressed as

$$\alpha = a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n$$

where $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in B$ and $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F \setminus \{0\}$. Then mapping

$$\vartheta : V \rightarrow B \times \Gamma \cup \{\infty\}$$

By $\vartheta(\alpha) = (x_1, \omega(a_1))$ and $\vartheta(0) = \infty$ is a valuation on V as a F -module with core $\{0\}$.

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