



## Prime Join Matrices and The Reciprocal S-Prime Join Matrices on Posets

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**ABSTRACT** We consider S-prime Join matrices as an abstract generalization of S-prime Least common multiple matrices. We also found determinant and inverse of both S- prime and reciprocal S-prime join matrices are discussed and also discussed some of the most important properties of S-prime Join matrices are presented in terms of S- prime Join matrices.

### INTRODUCTION

Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  be a set of  $n$  positive integers with  $x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n$  and let  $f: P \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be a complex valued function on  $Z_+$  (i.e., arithmetic function). Let  $(x_i, x_j)$  denotes the greatest common divisor (gcd) of  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  and defines the  $n \times n$  matrix  $(S)_f$  by  $((S)_f)_{ij} = f(x_i, x_j)$ . We refer to  $(S)_f$  as the GCD Matrix on  $S$  with respect to  $f$ . The Set  $S$  is said to be gcd-closed if  $(x_i, x_j) \in S$  whenever  $x_i, x_j \in S$ . The set  $S$  is said to be factor-closed if it contains every positive divisor of each  $x_i \in S$ . Clearly, a factor-closed set is always gcd-closed but the converse does not hold. Let  $[x_i, x_j]$  denotes the least common multiple (lcm) of  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  and defines the  $n \times n$  matrix  $[S]_f$  by  $([S]_f)_{ij} = f[x_i, x_j]$ . We refer to  $[S]_f$  as the LCM Matrix on  $S$  with respect to  $f$ . The set  $S$  is said to be lcm-closed if  $[x_i, x_j] \in S$  whenever  $x_i, x_j \in S$ . The set  $S$  is said to be multiple-closed if it is lcm-closed and  $x_i | d | x_n \Rightarrow d \in S$ . Here  $|$  stands for the usual divisibility relation of integers.

In 1876, the concept of Classical Smith determinant with entries on  $Z_+$

was introduced by H.J.S. Smith [12] is

$$\det[(x_i, x_j)]_{n \times n} = \phi(x_1) \cdot \phi(x_2) \cdot \phi(x_3) \cdot \dots \cdot \phi(x_n).$$

H.J.S.Smith also calculated the determinant of the LCM Matrix on a factor – closed set.

In 1876, H.J.S. Smith results extended L.E.Dickson proved that if  $\alpha_{ij} = (i, j)$ ;  $i, j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, r$  then  $\det(\alpha_{ij}) = \phi(1)\phi(2)\dots\phi(r)$  where  $\phi$  is the Euler  $\phi$  function.

In 1991, S.Beslin [3,4,5] defined the LCM Matrix, which is an  $n \times n$  matrix whose  $i, j$  – entry is the least common multiple of  $x_i, x_j$ . In 1992, K.Bourque and S.Ligh [6,7,8] proved that the LCM Matrix  $[S]$  is nonsingular if  $S$  is Factor Closed set. They also conjectured that the LCM Matrix  $[S]$  is non singular if  $S$  is GCD closed.

In 2003, A.A. Oval established various results concerning GCD Matrices and Least Common Multiple (LCM) Matrices. In 1968, Wilf has proved, let  $f: P \rightarrow R$  where  $P$  a Meet semi –lattice and let  $M$  be the matrix with  $M_{X,Y} = f(X \wedge Y)$  then  $\det(M) = \prod_{Z \in P} g(Z)$  where

$$g(Z) = \sum_{W \leq Z} \mu(W, Z) f(W).$$

In 1960, L.Carlitz [9], gave a new form of gcd-matrices and determinant value,  $[f(i,j)]_n = C (\text{diag}(g(1), \dots, g(n))) C^T$  where  $C = (C_{ij})_{n \times n}$  ;

$$C_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } j|i \\ 0 & \text{if } j \nmid i \end{cases} \quad \text{and}$$

$D = (d_{ij})$  diagonal matrix

$$d_{ij} = \begin{cases} g(i) & \text{if } i = j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \det [f(i,j)]_{n \times n} = g(1).g(2)...g(n)$$

**2.The origin of the Join Matrices on Posets**

In this section, we define preliminary concepts that are needed to understand the summaries of the articles in this section.

**Definition :2.1**

Let  $(P, \preceq) \subseteq (Z^+, |)$  be a partially ordered set. We call  $P$  a Join-semi lattice if for any  $x,y \in P$  there exists a unique  $z \in P$  such that

- (i)  $x \preceq z$  and  $y \preceq z$  and
- (ii) If  $x \preceq w$  and  $y \preceq w$  for some  $w \in P$  then  $z \preceq w$

In such a case  $z$  is called the Join of  $x$  and  $y$  and it is denoted by  $x \vee y$ .

A Join semi-lattice, which is also a Meet-Semi lattice, is called a lattice.

**Definition :2.2**

Let  $(P, \preceq, \wedge)$  be a Meet-Semi lattice and defined the partial order  $\preceq$  on  $P$  by  $x \preceq y \Leftrightarrow y \wedge x = x$ . Then for any  $x,y \in P$  there exists a unique  $z = x \vee y = x \wedge y$  that satisfies (i) and (ii) above for  $\preceq$ . Thus  $(P, \preceq, \vee)$  is a Join-semi lattice and it is said to be the dual of  $(P, \preceq, \wedge)$ .

**Definition: 2.3**

Let  $(P, \preceq, \wedge, \vee)$  be a lattice in which every principal order ideal is

finite. Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  be a subset of  $P$  such that  $x_i \preceq x_j \Rightarrow i \leq j$  and let  $f : P \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

be a function. Then the  $n \times n$  matrices  $[S]_f$  are defined by  $[S]_f = [f(x_i \vee x_j)]$  is called the Join Matrix on  $S$  associated with  $f$ .

**Definition: 2.4**

In this lattices  $S$  is a finite set of positive integers,  $f : P \rightarrow C$  is an arithmetical function and the  $S$ -prime Join Matrix is called LCM Matrices, which is defined as  $([S]_f)_{ij} = f(lcm(x_i, x_j))$ .

**Definition: 2.5**

If  $(P, \preceq) \subseteq (Z^+, |)$  then the Join Matrices respectively LCM Matrices on  $S$ . The set  $S$  is said to be upper-closed if for every  $x,y \in P$  with  $x \in S$  and  $x \preceq y$  we have  $y \in S$ . The set  $S$  is said to be Join-closed if for every  $x,y \in S$ . We have  $x \vee y \in S$ .

**Definition:2.6**

We say that  $f$  is a semi-multiplicative function on  $P$ , if  $f(x \wedge y)f(x \vee y) = f(x)f(y)$  for all  $x,y \in P$ .

**Definition :2.7**

Let  $x$  and  $y$  be the two elements of the poset  $P$  and  $\mu$  is the mobius function of the poset  $(S, \prec)$  then

$$\mu(x,y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \neq y \\ 1 & \text{if } x = y \\ -\sum_{z: x \prec z \preceq y} \mu(x,z) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**Lemma:2.8**

Let  $g$  be an incidence function of  $P$ . Then  $g(x,y) = \sum_{x \preceq z \preceq y} (\mu * g)(z,y)$  for all  $x,y \in P$ .

**Lemma:2.9**

Let  $\uparrow S = \{w_1, w_2, w_3, \dots, w_r\}$  with  $w_i < w_j \Rightarrow i < j$  and let A denote the  $n \times n$  matrix defined by

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} \sqrt{(\mu * f_u)(w_j, 1)} & \text{if } x_i \leq w_j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then  $[S]_f = AA^T$ .

**Proof:**

For  $1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq j \leq r$  we have

$$(AA^T)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^r a_{ik} a_{jk} = \sum_{\substack{x_i \leq w_k \leq x_j \\ x_j \leq w_k \leq 1}} (\mu * f_u)(w_k, 1)$$

By lemma (2.8),  $(AA^T)_{ij} = f_u(x_i \vee x_j, 1) = f(x_i \vee x_j)$

This completes the proof.

**Lemma:2.10(Join Matrix in terms of a certain Meet Matrix)**

Let  $D = \text{diag}(f(x_1), \dots, f(x_n))$  then

$$[S]_f = D(S)_{\frac{1}{f}} D$$

**Proof:**

$$\text{Since } \left( D(S)_{\frac{1}{f}} D \right)_{ij} = f(x_i) \left( (S)_{\frac{1}{f}} \right)_{ij} f(x_j) = \frac{f(x_i) f(x_j)}{f(x_i \wedge x_j)} = f(x_i \vee x_j)$$

we have  $[S]_f = D(S)_{\frac{1}{f}} D$

**3.The Structure of S – Prime Join Matrices on Posets**

**Definition :3.1**

Let  $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  and  $Y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$  be two subsets of P and the  $n \times n$

S-Prime Join Matrix on X and Y with respect to f is defined as  $M = [X, Y]_f = [f_{ij}]$  where  $f_{ij} = \frac{(4x_i + 1)(4y_j + 1)}{4(x_i \wedge y_j) + 1}$ .

**Definition :3.2**

Let  $(P, \leq)$  be a lattice in which every principal order is finite and let f be a complex valued function on P. Let  $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  and  $Y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$  be two subsets of P. Let the elements of X and Y be arranged so that  $x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n$  and  $y_1 < y_2 < \dots < y_n$ .

Let  $D = \{d_1, d_2, \dots, d_m\}$  be any subsets of P containing the elements  $x_i \vee y_j, i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . Let the elements of D be arranged so that  $d_1 < d_2 < \dots < d_m$ .

**Definition:3.3**

We define  $g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}$  on D inductively as

$$g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_k) = f(d_k) - \sum_{d_v < d_k} g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_v)$$

or  $f(d_k) = \sum_{d_i \leq d_k} g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_i)$  then

$$g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_k) = \sum_{d_v \leq d_k} \frac{\mu_D(d_v, d_k)}{f(d_v)}$$

where  $\mu_D$  is the mobius function on the poset  $(D, \leq)$ .

**Definition:3.4**

Let  $E(X) = (e_{ij}(X))$  and  $E(Y) = (e_{ij}(Y))$  denotes the  $n \times m$  matrices defined by

$$e_{ij}(X) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } d_j \leq x_i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \text{ and}$$

$$e_{ij}(Y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } d_j \leq y_i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

We also denote

$$\Lambda_{D, \frac{1}{f}} = \text{diag} \left( g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_1), \dots, g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_m) \right)$$

**Theorem:3.5**

If  $D$ ,  $E(X)$ ,  $E(Y)$  and  $\Lambda_{D,f}$  as defined above then  $[X,Y]_f$   
 $= E(X) \Lambda_{D,f} E(Y)^T$ .

**Proof :**

The  $i,j$ th entry in

$$\left( E(X) \Lambda_{D,f} E(Y)^T \right)_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n e_{ik} \Lambda_k e_{kj}$$

$$= \sum_{\substack{x_i \leq d_k \\ x_j \leq d_k}} g(d_k) = \sum_{[x_i \vee x_j] \leq d_k} g(d_k) = [X, Y]_f$$

Hence  $[X,Y]_f = E(X) \Lambda_{D,f} E(Y)^T$ .

**Theorem:3.6**

(i) If  $n > m$ , then  $\det[X,Y]_f = \det[M] = 0$

and (ii) If  $n \leq m$ , then

$$\det(M) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i) f(y_i)$$

$$\times \sum_{1 \leq k_1 < k_2 < \dots < k_n \leq m} \det E(X)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)} \det E(Y)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)}$$

$$\times g_{D,f}(d_{k_1}) g_{D,f}(d_{k_2}) \dots g_{D,f}(d_{k_n})$$

**Proof:**

$$[X,Y]_f = D_{X,f} (X,Y)_{1/f} D_{Y,f} = D_{X,f} E(X) \wedge_{D,f} E(Y)^T D_{Y,f}$$

Also  $M = D_{X,f} \tilde{M} D_{Y,f} \Rightarrow$   
 $\det M = \det(D_{X,f}) \det(\tilde{M}) \det(D_{Y,f})$   
 $= \det(\tilde{M})$

$$\prod_{i=1}^n [4(x_i + 1)] [4(y_j + 1)]$$

**Theorem:3.7**

In the case of semi-multiplicative function  $M = [X,Y]_f$   
 $= D_X \tilde{M} D_Y$ , where  $D_X = \text{diag}(4x_1+1, 4x_2+1, \dots, 4x_n+1)$ ,  $D_Y = \text{diag}$

$(4y_1+1, 4y_2+1, \dots, 4y_n+1)$  and  $\tilde{M}$   
 has the entry  $\tilde{f}_{ij} = \frac{1}{4(x_i \wedge y_j) + 1}$ .

**Proof:**

Since  $[X,Y]_f = M = [f[x_i \vee y_j]]$

$$= \left[ f(x_i) \frac{1}{f(x_i \wedge y_j)} f(y_j) \right] = D_X \tilde{M} D_Y$$

**Theorem:3.8**

If  $D$  is Meet closed and  $f$  and  $g$  are arithmetical functions then

(i)  $f(d_k) = \sum_{z \leq d_k} g_{D,f}(d_k)$

implies and implied by

(ii)  $g_{D,f}(d_k) = \sum_{\substack{z \leq d_k \\ w \leq z \\ z \leq d_i \\ t < k}} f(w) \mu_p(w, z)$

**Proof:**

Assume (i) and prove (ii)

Consider  $\sum_{z \leq d_k} \mu(z) = \sum_{z'=d_k} f(z') \mu(z)$

$$= \sum_{z'=d_k} \mu(z) \sum_{e \leq z'} g(e) = \sum_{eh'z=d_k} \mu(z) g(e)$$

$$= \sum_{eh'z=d_k} g(e) \sum_{z \leq h'} \mu(z)$$

Since the sum  $\sum_{z \leq h'} \mu(z)$  has the value 0 if  $h' > 1$  and the value 1 if  $h' = 1$ .

Hence  $\sum \mu(z) f\left(\frac{d_k}{z}\right) = g(d_k)$

To prove the converse: we consider

$$\sum_{z \leq d_k} g(z) = \sum_{z \leq d_k} \sum_{z' \leq d_k} \mu(z') f\left(\frac{z}{z'}\right)$$

$$= \sum_{eh'z=d_k} \mu(z') f(e) = \sum_{eh'z=d_k} f(e) \sum_{z' \leq h'} \mu(z')$$

As before, the sum of  $\sum_{z' \leq h'} \mu(z')$  has

the value 0 if  $h' > 1$  and the value 1 if  $h' = 1$ .

Hence  $\sum_{z \leq d_k} g(d_k) = f(d_k)$ .

**Theorem:3.9**

If D is Join-closed set then

$$g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(d_k) = \sum_{z \leq d_k} \sum_{f(w)} \frac{\mu(w, z)}{f(w)}$$

where  $\mu$  is the mobius function of P.

**Proof:**

It is similar to the proof of the theorem(3.8).

**Theorem:3.10**  $(X, Y)_f = D_X [X, Y]_{1/f} D_Y$ .

**Proof:**

Now we consider the example

$$S = \{1, 2\} \text{ and } T = \{2, 3\}$$

$$D_X = \text{diag}(5, 9) \text{ and } D_Y = \text{diag}(9, 13)$$

$$(S)_f = (X, Y)_f =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4(1 \wedge 2) + 1 & 4(1 \wedge 3) + 1 \\ 4(2 \wedge 2) + 1 & 4(2 \wedge 3) + 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 9 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[X, Y]_{1/f} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{4(1 \wedge 2) + 1}{(4(1) + 1)(4(2) + 1)} & \frac{4(1 \wedge 3) + 1}{(4(1) + 1)(4(3) + 1)} \\ \frac{4(2 \wedge 2) + 1}{(4(2) + 1)(4(2) + 1)} & \frac{4(2 \wedge 3) + 1}{(4(2) + 1)(4(3) + 1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{9} & \frac{1}{13} \\ \frac{1}{9} & \frac{5}{117} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D_X [X, Y]_{1/f} D_Y =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{9} & \frac{1}{13} \\ \frac{1}{9} & \frac{5}{117} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 0 \\ 0 & 13 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 9 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence Proved.

**Theorem:3.11**

Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n\}$  be S-prime Join-closed. Without loss of generality we may

assume that  $i < j$  whenever  $x_i < x_j$ , then

$$g_{S, f}(x_j) = \sum_{z \leq x_j} \sum_{\substack{w \leq z \\ z \leq x_i \\ i < j}} f(w) \mu(w, z)$$

where  $\mu$  is the mobius function of P.

**Proof:**

By using the definition (3.3)

$$f(x_j) = \sum_{x_i \leq x_j} g_{S, f}(x_i) = \sum_{x_i \leq x_j} \sum_{z \leq x_j} \sum_{\substack{w \leq z \\ z \leq x_i \\ i < j}} f(w) \mu(w, z)$$

We write,

$$f(x) = \sum_{z \leq x} g(z) \text{ or } g(x) = \sum_{z \leq x} f(z) \mu(z, x)$$

for all  $x \in P$

It has to be prove that,

$$\sum_{z \leq x_j} g(z) = \sum_{x_i \leq x_j} \sum_{\substack{z \leq x_i \\ z \leq x_j \\ i < j}} g(z)$$

Now consider the sum of R.H.S of equation (1)

Let  $x_i \leq x_j$  and  $z \leq x_i \Rightarrow z \leq x_j$ .

Thus every  $z$  occurring on the right side of equation (1) occurs on the left side of equation (1).

Conversely, Consider the sum on the left side

of equation (1).

Suppose that  $z \leq x_j$  we have  $z \leq x_i$  by minimality

of  $i$ , we have  $r = i$  or  $x_r = x_i$ , therefore  $x_r \leq x_j$  means  $x_r \leq x_j$  thus every  $z$  occurring on the side

of equation (1).

This completes the proof.

**Theorem:3.12**

If S is lower closed subset of P

$$\text{then } g_{S, f}(x_j) = \sum_{x_i \leq x_j} f(x_i) \mu(x_i, x_j)$$

**Proof:**

Already we know that the result,

$$g_{S, f}(x_j) = \sum_{z \leq x_j} \sum_{\substack{w \leq z \\ z \leq x_i \\ i < j}} f(w) \mu(w, z)$$

It reduces we get the proof of theorem.

Then S is lower closed.

**Example :3.13**

Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  be a chain with  $x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n$ . Then  $g_{s,f}(x_1) = f(x_1)$ ,  
 $g_{s,f}(x_2) = f(x_2) - f(x_1)$

In general

$$g_{s,f}(x_j) = f(x_j) - f(x_{j-1}) \text{ where,}$$

$$j = 2, 3, 4, \dots, n.$$

**Example:3.14**

Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  be an incomparable set and let  $S = \{x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ . Then,

$$g_{s,f}(x_0) = f(x_0),$$

$$g_{s,f}(x_1) = f(x_1) - f(x_0)$$

and  $g_{s,f}(x_2) = f(x_2) - f(x_0)$ .

In general  $g_{s,f}(x_j) = f(x_j) - f(x_0)$  for

$$j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$$

**Theorem :3.15**

Let  $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  and  $T = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m\}$  be any two subsets of  $P$ . Define the incidence matrix whose  $i, j$ -entry is 1 if  $y_j \leq x_i$  and zero otherwise namely that is,  $E(S, T)$

$$= (e_{ij})_{n \times m} \text{ where}$$

$$(e_{ij}) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } y_j \leq x_i \\ 0, & \text{if otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**Theorem: 3.16**

If  $S$  is a S-Prime join-

closed. Then  $\det[S]_f = \prod_{i=1}^n g_{s,f}(x_i)$ .

**Proof:**

The theorem is proved and verified with a suitable example.

Consider the set  $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$

$$\text{Then } [S]_f = \begin{bmatrix} f(5) & f(9) & f(13) \\ f(9) & f(9) & f(25) \\ f(13) & f(25) & f(13) \end{bmatrix}$$

Let  $\det[S]_f =$

$$f(5)[f(9)f(13) - f(25)^2] - f(9)[f(9)f(13) - f(13)f(25)] + f(13)[f(9)f(25) - f(13)f(9)]$$

$$= f(5)f(9)f(13) - f(5)f(25)^2 - [f(9)^2 f(13)] + [f(9)f(13)f(25)] + [f(9)f(13)f(25) - f(13)^2 f(9)] \dots (1)$$

By using example,

$$g(9) = f(9) - f(5);$$

$$g(13) = f(13) - f(9);$$

$$g(25) = f(25) - f(13);$$

$$\prod_{i=5,9,13}^n (g(x_i)) = g(x_1)g(x_2)g(x_3)$$

$$= [f(9) - f(5)][f(13) - f(9)][f(25) - f(13)]$$

$$= f(5)f(9)f(13) - f(5)f(25)^2 - [f(9)^2 f(13)] + [f(9)f(13)f(25)] + [f(9)f(13)f(25) - f(13)^2 f(9)] \dots (2)$$

From equation (1) and (2), we get;

$$\det[S]_f = \prod_{i=1}^n g_{s,f}(x_i).$$

Hence the theorem is proved.

**Corollary : 3.17**

If  $S = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n\}$  is a chain with  $x_1 < x_2 < x_3 \dots < x_n$ . Then

$$\det[S]_f = f(x_1) \prod_{i=1}^n [f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1})]$$

**Proof:**

By using theorem,

If  $S$  is a S-prime Join -closed then

$$\det[S]_f = \prod_{i=1}^n (g_{s,f}(x_i)) \text{ and the result,}$$

$$= f(5) f(9) f(13) + f(5)^3 - f(5)^2 f(13) - f(5)^2 f(9)$$

We have,

$$\det[S]_f = f(5) [f(9) - f(5)][f(13) - f(5)]$$

$$\det[S]_f = g(1) g(2) g(3)$$

Then,  $\det$

$$[S]_f = f(x_1) \prod_{i=1}^n [f(x_i) - f(x_{i-1})]$$

Hence Proved.

**Theorem:3.18**

Let  $T = \{y_1, y_2, y_3, \dots, y_m\}$  be a S-prime Join-closed subset of P containing  $S = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n\}$ . Then,

$$\det [S]_f = \sum_{1 \leq k_1 \leq \dots \leq k_n \leq m} \det [E(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)^2 g_{T,f}(y)_{k_1}, g_{T,f}(y)_{k_2}, \dots, g_{T,f}(y)_{k_n}]$$

Where,  $E = E(S, T)$

**Proof:**

$[S]_f = E \wedge E^T$ , also  $\det(E) = \det(E^T)$ , by using known theorem.

Now we consider the example,  $S = \{2, 3\}$  and  $T = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Then,

$$[S]_f = [f(4(x_i \vee x_j) + 1)] = \begin{bmatrix} f(4(2 \vee 2) + 1) & f(4(2 \vee 3) + 1) \\ f(4(3 \vee 2) + 1) & f(4(3 \vee 3) + 1) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[S]_f = \begin{bmatrix} f(9) & f(25) \\ f(25) & f(13) \end{bmatrix}$$

The incident matrix of S&T is,

$$E = E(S, T) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$E \wedge E^T =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f(5) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f(9) - f(5) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & f(13) - f(5) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} f(9) & f(5) \\ f(5) & f(13) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore [S]_f = E \wedge E^T$$

Also,  $\det(E) =$

$$\Rightarrow E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\det(E^T) \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\det(E) = \det(E^T)$$

$$\det [S]_f = \sum_{1 \leq k_1 \leq \dots \leq k_n \leq m} \det [E(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)^2 g_{T,f}(y)_{k_1}, g_{T,f}(y)_{k_2}, \dots, g_{T,f}(y)_{k_n}]$$

Hence proved.

**Theorem:3.19**

If X and Y are Meet Closed and Lower Closed sets

$$\det(M) = \prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i) f(y_i) g(d_i)$$

$$\text{where } g(d_i) = \sum_{d_j \leq d_i} \frac{\mu(d_j, d_i)}{f(d_j)}$$

**Proof:**

To get the proof, by using the theorem

$$(3.6) \text{ and } (3.7).$$

**Theorem:3.20**

Let  $X_i = X \setminus \{x_i\}$  and  $Y_i = Y \setminus \{y_i\}$  for

$i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ . If M is invertible then

the inverse of M is the  $n \times n$  matrix

$$B = (b_{ij}) \text{ where } b_{ij} =$$

$$\frac{\alpha_{ji}}{\det(M)}$$

where  $\alpha_{ji}$  is the co-factor of  $ji$ -

entry of M.

**Proof:**

It is a general method used to prove.

**Theorem:3.21**

Let  $X_i = X \setminus \{x_i\}$  and  $Y_i = Y \setminus \{y_i\}$  for

$i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ . If M is invertible then the

inverse of M is the  $n \times n$  matrix  $B =$

$$(b_{ij}), \text{ where}$$

$$b_{ij} = \frac{(-1)^{i+j}}{f(x_i) f(y_i) \det(M)} \prod_{v=1}^n f(x_v) f(y_v)$$

$$\times \sum_{1 \leq k_1 < k_2 < \dots < k_n \leq m} \det E(X_j)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{n-1})} \det E(Y_i)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{n-1})}$$

$$\times g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_1) g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_2) \dots g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_{n-1})$$

**Proof:**

Since  $b_{ij} = \frac{\alpha_{ji}}{\det(M)}$ , where  $\alpha_{ji}$  is

the co-factor of  $ji$ -entry of  $M$ .

It is easy to see that

$$\alpha_{ji} = (-1)^{i+j} \det[X_j, Y_i]_f.$$

By theorem (3.6) we see that

$$\det[X_j, Y_i]_f =$$

$$\sum_{1 \leq k_1 < k_2 < \dots < k_{n-1} \leq m} \det E(X_j)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{n-1})} \det E(Y_i)_{(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_{n-1})}$$

$$\times g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_1) g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_2) \dots g_{D, \frac{1}{f}}(dk_{n-1})$$

combining the above equations we obtain the theorem.

**Example:**

Construct the 2 x 2 S-Prime Join

Matrix on the LCM closed sets  $X =$

$\{1,2\}$  and

$Y = \{2,5\}$ . Then by using the definition

(2.7),

$$M = [f_{ij}] \text{ where } f_{ij} = \frac{(4x_i + 1)(4y_j + 1)}{4(x_i \wedge y_j) + 1}$$

By using the definition of  $f$  and

$\mu(x, y)$  we obtain;  $f_{11} = 9, f_{12} = 21,$

$f_{21} = 9, f_{22} = 189/5$

$$\therefore M = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 21 \\ 9 & \frac{189}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $\det(M) =$

$$\prod_{i=1}^n f(x_i) f(y_i) g(d_i) \text{ where } g(d_i) =$$

$$\sum_{d_j \leq d_i} \frac{\mu(d_j, d_i)}{f(d_j)}$$

here  $D = \{1,2\}$  each  $d_i \in x_i \wedge y_j$  for  $i, j = 1,2.$

$f(x_1) = f(1) = 5, f(x_2) = f(2) = 9,$

$f(y_1) = f(2) = 9, f(y_2) = f(5) = 21$

$$g(d_1) = g(1) = \sum_{d_j \leq 1} \frac{\mu(d_j, 1)}{f(d_j)} = \frac{\mu(1,1)}{f(1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5}$$

$$g(d_2) = g(2) =$$

$$\sum_{d_j \leq 2} \frac{\mu(d_j, 2)}{f(d_j)} = \frac{\mu(1,2)}{f(1)} + \frac{\mu(2,2)}{f(2)} =$$

$$\frac{-4}{45}$$

$$\text{Thus } \det(M) = f(1)f(2)f(2)f(5)g(1)g(2)$$

$$= -\frac{756}{5}$$

Find  $M^{-1}$ , by using the theorem,  $B =$

$$(b_{ij}) \text{ where } b_{ij} = \frac{(-1)^{i+j}}{\det(M)} M_{ji}$$

$$b_{11} = \frac{(-1)^{1+1}}{\det(M)} M_{11} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$b_{12} = \frac{(-1)^{1+2}}{\det(M)} M_{21} = \frac{5}{36}$$

similarly,  $b_{21} = 5/84, b_{22} = -5/84$

$$M^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{5}{36} \\ \frac{5}{84} & -\frac{5}{84} \end{pmatrix}$$

#### 4. Inverse of the Reciprocal S-Prime Join Matrices

**Definition :4.1**

Let  $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  and

$Y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$  be two subsets of  $P$

and the  $n \times n$  Reciprocal S - Prime

Join Matrix on  $X$  and  $Y$  with respect

to  $R$  is defined as  $R = [X, Y]_r = [r_{ij}]$

$$\text{where } r_{ij} = \frac{4(x_i \wedge y_j) + 1}{(4x_i + 1)(4y_j + 1)}.$$

**Definition:4.2**



Let X and Y be two Lower Closed subsets of P then

$$\det(R) = \prod_{i=1}^n r(x_i)r(y_i)h(d_i)$$

$$\text{where } h(d_i) = \sum_{d_j \leq d_i} \frac{\mu(d_i, d_j)}{r(d_j)}$$

**Definition:4.3**

If R is invertible then the inverse of R is

$$n \times n \text{ matrix } H = (h_{ij}) \text{ where } h_{ij} = \frac{r_{ji}}{\det(R)} \text{ and}$$

$r_{ji}$  is the cofactor of the  $j_i$  - entry of

$$R. \text{ Therefore, } h_{ij} = \frac{(-1)^{i+j}}{\det(R)} r_{ji}$$

**Example:**

Construct the 2X2 reciprocal S-Prime join matrix on the LCM closed sets

$$X = \{1, 2\} \text{ and}$$

$$Y = \{2, 5\}.$$

By using the definition of (2.8),

$$r_{ij} = \frac{4(x_i \wedge y_j) + 1}{(4x_i + 1)(4y_j + 1)}$$

$$r_{11} = 1/9, r_{12} = 1/21, r_{21} = 1/9, r_{22} = 5/189$$

$$\therefore R = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{9} & \frac{1}{21} \\ \frac{1}{9} & \frac{5}{189} \end{pmatrix}$$

Find  $\det(R)$ , by using the definition (4.2),

$$\det(R) = \prod_{i=1}^n r(x_i)r(y_i)h(d_i)$$

$$\text{where } h(d_i) = \sum_{d_j \leq d_i} \frac{\mu(d_i, d_j)}{r(d_j)}$$

and  $D = \{1, 2\}$

$$r(x_1) = r(1) = 1/5, r(x_2) = r(2) = 1/9,$$

$$r(y_1) = r(2) = 1/9, r(y_2) = r(5) = 1/21.$$

$$h(1) = \sum_{d_j \leq 1} \frac{\mu(d_j, 1)}{r(d_j)} = \frac{\mu(1, 1)}{r(1)} = 5$$

$$h(2) = \sum_{d_j \leq 2} \frac{\mu(d_j, 2)}{r(d_j)} = \frac{\mu(1, 2)}{r(1)} + \frac{\mu(2, 2)}{r(2)} = -5 + 9 = 4$$

$$\therefore \det(R) = \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{9} \cdot \frac{1}{21} \cdot 5 \cdot 4 = \frac{4}{1701}$$

Find  $R^{-1}$  by using the definition(4.3), we get;

$$h_{11} = \frac{(-1)^{1+1}}{\det(R)} r_{11} = \frac{5/189}{4/9 \cdot 9 \cdot 21} = \frac{45}{4}$$

$$h_{12} = \frac{(-1)^{1+2}}{\det(R)} r_{21} = \frac{-81}{4}$$

Similarly,  $h_{21} = -189/4, h_{22} = 189/4$

$$\therefore R^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{45}{4} & -\frac{81}{4} \\ -\frac{189}{4} & \frac{189}{4} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 45 & -81 \\ -189 & 189 \end{pmatrix}$$

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