

AUTOMORPHISMS OF THE SEMIRING OF POLYNOMIALS $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ AND LATTICES OF ITS SUBALGEBRAS

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A commutative semiring with zero and unity different from a ring where each nonzero element is invertible is called a semifield with zero. Let \mathbb{R}_+^{\vee} be the semifield with zero of nonnegative real numbers with operations of max-addition and multiplication. For any positive real numbers a and s , denote by $\psi_{a,s}$ the automorphism of the semiring of polynomials $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ defined by the rule $\psi_{a,s}: a_0 \vee a_1 x \vee \dots \vee a_n x^n \mapsto a_0^s \vee a_1^s (ax) \vee \dots \vee a_n^s (ax)^n$. It is proved that the automorphisms of the semiring $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ are exactly the automorphisms $\psi_{a,s}$. The ring $C(X)$ of continuous \mathbb{R} -valued functions defined on an arbitrary topological space X is an algebra over the field \mathbb{R} of real numbers. A subalgebra of $C(X)$ is any nonempty subset closed under addition and multiplication of functions and under multiplication by constants from \mathbb{R} . Similarly, we call a nonempty subset $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ a subalgebra of $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ if $f \vee g, fg, rf \in A$ for any $f, g \in A$ and $r \in \mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}$. It is proved that an arbitrary automorphism of the lattice of subalgebras of $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$ is induced by some automorphism of $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$. The same result also holds for the lattice of subalgebras with unity of the semiring $\mathbb{R}_+^{\vee}[x]$. The technique of one-generated subalgebras is applied.

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