# Some Basic Properties of **F**-Abel-Grassmann's Groupoids

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**ABSTRACT**— In this article we investigate some basic properties of newly discovered classes of  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoids. We consider three classes that include  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoids,  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square AG-groupoids,  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square AG-groupoids and  $\Gamma$ -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-AG-groupoids. We start with the following theorem that gives a relation between  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoids,  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square and  $\Gamma$ - nuclear square. We investigate that every  $\Gamma$ -cancellative AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid is  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative AG-groupoid.

**Keywords**— :  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid,  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid,  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*\*</sup>-groupoid,  $\Gamma$ -cancellative AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid,  $\Gamma$ -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-AG-groupoid.

#### **1. INTRODUCTION**

Abel-Grassmann's groupoid (AG-groupoid) is the generalization of semigroup theory with the wide range of usages in theory of flocks [7]. The fundamentals of this non-associative algebraic structure were the first discovered by Kazim and Naseeruddin [1]. AG-groupoid is a non-associative algebraic structure mid way between a groupoid and a commutative semigroup. It is interesting to note that an AG-groupoid with right identity becomes a commutative monoid [6]. This structure is closely related with a commutative semigroup because if an AG-groupoid contains a right identity, then it becomes a commutative monoid [6]. A left identity in an AG-groupoid is unique. Ideals in AG-groupoids have been discussed by Mushtaq and Yousuf [5, 6].

In 1981, the notion of  $\Gamma$ -semigroups was introduced by Sen. Let S and  $\Gamma$  be any nonempty sets. If there exists a mapping  $S \times \Gamma \times S \to S$  written  $(a, \alpha, c)$  by  $a\alpha c$ , S is called a  $\Gamma$ -semigroup if S satisfies the identity:

$$(a\alpha b)\beta c = a\alpha(b\beta c)$$

for all  $a, b, c \in S$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . A  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S is called  $\Gamma$ -AG-band if  $a\gamma a = a$  for all  $a \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . In this paper we are going to investigate some interesting properties of newly discovered classes of namely;  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S always satisfies the  $\Gamma$ -medial law:

$$(a\gamma b)\beta(c\delta d) = (a\gamma c)\beta(b\delta d)$$

for all  $a, b, c, d \in S$  and  $\gamma, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$  (See [2]), while a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S with left identity e always satisfies  $\Gamma$ -paramedial law:

$$(a\gamma b)\beta(d\delta b) = (c\gamma a)\beta(b\delta d)$$

for all  $a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma, \beta, \delta \in \Gamma$  (See[2]).

Now we define the concepts that we will use. A  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S is called  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative if  $a\gamma b = b\gamma a$  and  $b\gamma c = c\gamma b$  for all  $a, b, c \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$  implies  $a\gamma c = c\gamma a$ . A  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S is called  $\Gamma - T^1$ -AG-groupoid if  $a\gamma b = c\gamma d$  for all  $a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$  implies  $b\gamma a = d\gamma c$ . A  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S is called  $\Gamma$ -left nuclear square if  $a^2\gamma(b\delta c) = (a^2\gamma b)\delta c$  for all  $a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma, \delta \in \Gamma$ .  $\Gamma$ -Right nuclear and nuclear square can be

defined analogously. A  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid *S* is called  $\Gamma$ -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid if it satisfies the identity  $a\gamma((b\delta c)\beta d)) = ((a\gamma b)\delta c))\beta d$  for all  $a,b,c,d \in S, \gamma, \delta, \beta \in \Gamma$ . A groupoid *S* is called  $\Gamma$ -left cancellative if  $a\gamma b = a\gamma c$  for all  $a,b,c,d \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$  implies  $b = c \cdot \Gamma$ -right cancellative and  $\Gamma$ -cancellative AG-groupoid can be defined similarly.

Furthermore, in this paper we investigate elementary properties of a commutative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoids. We, also indicated the non similarity of a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoids to the usual notion of a  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoids.

## 2. BASIC RESULTS

In this section we refer to [13, 14, 16] for some elementary aspects and quote few definitions and examples which are essential to step up this study. For more detail we refer to the papers in the references.

**Example 2.1.** [14] (1). Let *S* be an arbitrary AG-groupoid and  $\Gamma$  any non-empty set. Define a mapping  $S \times \Gamma \times S \to S$ ; by  $a\gamma b = ab$  for all  $a, b \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . It is easy to see that *S* is a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid. (2). Let  $\Gamma = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a mapping  $\Box \times \Gamma \times \Box \to \Box$  by  $a\gamma b = b - \gamma - a$  for all  $a, b \in \Box, \gamma \in \Gamma$  where "-" is a usual subtraction of integers. Then  $\Box$  is a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid.

**Lemma 2.2.** [16] Every  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid is  $\Gamma$ -medial.

**Lemma 2.3** [13, 16] Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid with a left identity; then  $a\gamma(b\alpha c) = b\gamma(a\alpha c)$  for all  $a,b,c \in S, \gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Lemma 2.4.** [16] If *a* is an arbitrary element of a locally associative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid with a left identity, then for every  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$  and every positive integer *n*,  $a_{\alpha}^{n} = a_{\beta}^{n}$ .

# 3. $\Gamma$ -AG-GROUPOIDS

We start with the following theorem that gives a relation between  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square,  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square and  $\Gamma$ - nuclear square. Our starting point is the following lemma:

**Lemma 3.1.** If S is a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid with left identity, then  $a\gamma b = a\beta b$  for all  $a, b \in S$  and  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ . **Proof.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid and e be the left identity of S,  $a, b \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$  therefore we have

$$a\gamma b = a\gamma (e\beta b)$$
$$= e\gamma (a\beta b)$$
$$= a\beta b.$$

Hence  $a\gamma b = a\beta b$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid. Then the following are equivalent:

i. 
$$a\gamma b = c\gamma d \Longrightarrow a\gamma c = b\gamma d, \forall a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$$
  
ii.  $a\gamma b = c\gamma d \Longrightarrow c\gamma a = d\gamma b, \forall a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$ 

**Proof.** i.  $\Rightarrow$  ii. Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid,  $a, b, c, d \in S$  and let  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  such that  $a\gamma b = c\gamma d$ . Then

$$c\gamma d = a\gamma b$$
  
$$c\gamma a = d\gamma b.$$

Hence  $c\gamma a = d\gamma b$ .

ii.  $\Rightarrow$ i. The proof is obvious.

**Proposition 3.3.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid. Then S is a  $\Gamma$ -commutative semigroup if

 $a\gamma b = c\gamma d \Longrightarrow a\gamma d = b\gamma c$  for all  $a, b, c, d \in S, \gamma \in \Gamma$ .....(\*)

**Proof.** Since  $\forall a, b \in S$  and  $\forall \gamma \in \Gamma$  the equation  $a\gamma b = a\gamma b$  trivially holds. Now an application of (\*) proves commutativity in *S*. Since any commutative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid *S* is associative, thus *S* becomes commutative  $\Gamma$ -semigroup.

**Corollary 3.4.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid. Then S is a  $\Gamma$ -commutative semigroup if

$$a\gamma b = c\gamma d \Rightarrow d\gamma a = c\gamma b$$
 for all  $a, b, c, d \in S$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Follows from Proposition 3.3.

**Theorem 3.5.** Let *S* be a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG-groupoid; then  $(a_{\alpha}^2 \gamma b)\beta c = a_{\beta}^2 \alpha(c\gamma b)$  for all  $a, b, c \in S$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid,  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$(a_{\alpha}^{2}\gamma b)\beta c = ((a\alpha a)\gamma b)\beta c$$
$$= (c\gamma b)\beta(a\alpha a)$$
$$= ((c\gamma b)\beta a)\alpha a$$
$$= ((c\gamma b)\beta a)\alpha a$$
$$= ((a\gamma b)\beta c)\alpha a$$
$$= (a\beta c)\alpha(a\gamma b)$$
$$= (a\beta a)\alpha(c\gamma b)$$
$$= a_{\beta}^{2}\alpha(c\gamma b).$$

Hence  $(a_{\alpha}^2 \gamma b)\beta c = a_{\beta}^2 \alpha (c\gamma b)$ .

**Corollary 3.6.** Let S be an a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid with left identity. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG-groupoid, then  $(a^2\gamma b)\beta c = a^2\gamma(c\beta b)$  for all  $a,b,c \in S$  and  $\gamma,\beta \in \Gamma$ . **Proof.** The proof is obvious.

**Theorem 3.7.** Let S bean a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid with left identity. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG-groupoid, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -left nuclear square.

**Proof.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid,  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \beta, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$(a^{2}\gamma b)\beta c = ((a\alpha a)\gamma b)\beta c$$
  

$$= (c\gamma b)\beta(a\alpha a)$$
  

$$= ((c\gamma b)\beta a)\alpha a$$
  

$$= ((a\gamma b)\beta c)\alpha a$$
  

$$= (a\beta c)\alpha(a\gamma b)$$
  

$$= (a\beta a)\alpha(c\gamma b)$$
  

$$= a^{2}\alpha(c\gamma b)$$
  

$$= a^{2}\gamma(c\beta b).$$

Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -left nuclear square.

**Theorem 3.8.** In a locally associative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S with left identity and let S be a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG-groupoid. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square.

**Proof.** Suppose S is a  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square. Let  $a, b, c \in S$  and  $\gamma, \beta, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$(a\gamma b^{2})\alpha c = (c\gamma b^{2})\alpha a$$

$$= (c\gamma (b\beta b))\alpha a$$

$$= ((c\gamma b)\beta b)\alpha a$$

$$= ((b\gamma b)\beta c)\alpha a$$

$$= (a\beta c)\alpha (b\gamma b)$$

$$= a\beta (c\alpha (b\gamma b))$$

$$= a\beta ((c\alpha b)\gamma b)$$

$$= a\beta ((b\alpha b)\gamma c)$$

$$= a\beta (b^{2}\gamma c)$$

$$= a\gamma (b^{2}\alpha c).$$

Thus S is a  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square.

**Theorem 3.9.** In a locally associative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S with left identity and let S be a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AGgroupoid. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -nuclear square, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square **Proof.** The proof is obvious.

**Theorem 3.10**. In a locally associative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S with left identity and let S be a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG-groupoid. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -nuclear square.

**Proof.** Suppose S is a  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square. Let  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$(a\gamma b)\alpha c^{2} = (c^{2}\gamma b)\alpha a$$

$$= ((c\beta c)\gamma b)\alpha a$$

$$= ((b\beta c)\gamma c)\alpha a$$

$$= (b\beta (c\gamma c))\alpha a$$

$$= (a\beta (c\gamma c))\alpha b$$

$$= a\beta ((c\gamma c)\alpha b)$$

$$= a\beta ((b\gamma c)\alpha c)$$

$$= a\beta (b\gamma (c\alpha c))$$

$$= a\beta (b\gamma c^{2})$$

$$= a\gamma (b\alpha c^{2}).$$

Thus S is also  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square. But by Theorem 3.7, we have S is a  $\Gamma$ -left nuclear square as well. Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square.

**Proposition 3.11.** Every  $\Gamma$  anti-commutative AG-groupoid *S* is  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative. **Proof.** Let *S* be a  $\Gamma$ -anti-commutative AG-groupoid,  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  such that  $a\gamma b = b\gamma a, b\gamma c = c\gamma b.$ 

Then by definition of  $\Gamma$ -anti-commutativity, this implies that a = b, b = c. But this implies that a = c and which further implies that  $a\gamma c = c\gamma a$ . Hence *S* is a  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative.

**Remark 3.12.** Every  $\Gamma$ -anti-commutative AG-groupoid S is  $\Gamma$ -cancellative but the converse is not true.

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**Example 3.13.** A  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative AG-groupoid of order 4.

<i>A</i> . ·	B. 1	<i>C.</i> 2	D. 3	<i>E.</i> 4
F. 1	G. 1	H. 1	I. 1	J. 1
K. 2	L. 1	M. 1	N. 1	0. 1
P. 3	Q. 1	R. 1	S. 1	T. 1
U. 4	V. 2	W. 2	X. 2	Y. 1

Define a mapping  $S \times \Gamma \times S \to S$  by  $a\gamma b = a \cdot b$ ; for all  $a, b \in S$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ . Then *S* is  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative. Also, we can see that *S* is not a  $\Gamma$  anti-commutative AG-groupoid.

**Theorem 3.14.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -anti-commutative AG-groupoid. Then the following are equivalent.

i. S is  $\Gamma$ -AG-band;

ii. *S* is  $\Gamma$ -locally associative.

**Proof.** i.  $\Rightarrow$  ii.is always true ii.

ii.  $\Rightarrow$  i. By definition of  $\Gamma$ -locally associativity and  $\Gamma$ -anti-commutativity, for every  $a \in S$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ , we have  $a\gamma a^2 = a^2\gamma a \Rightarrow a^2 = a$ .

# 4. $\Gamma$ -AG\*-GROUPOIDS

We start with the following theorem that gives a relation between  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoids,  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square AG-groupoids and  $\Gamma$ -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-AG-groupoids. Our starting point is the following lemma:

**Lemma 4.1.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoids with left identity. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-AG-groupoid.

**Proof.** Let *S* be  $a\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid,  $a, b, c, d \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then by definition of  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid  $(a\gamma b)\alpha c = b\gamma(a\alpha c)$ . Now since

$$((a\gamma b)\alpha c)\beta d = (d\alpha c)\beta(a\gamma b)$$

$$= (d\alpha a)\beta(c\gamma b)$$

$$= a\alpha(d\beta(c\gamma b))$$

$$= a\alpha((c\beta d)\gamma b)$$

$$= a\alpha((b\beta d)\gamma c)$$

$$= a\alpha(d\beta(b\gamma c))$$

$$= (d\alpha a)\beta(b\gamma c)$$

$$= ((b\gamma c)\alpha a)\beta d$$

$$= a\alpha((b\gamma c)\beta d)$$

$$= a\gamma((b\alpha c)\beta d)$$

we have S is commutative -  $\Gamma$  -Bol<sup>\*</sup>-AG-groupoid.

**Theorem 4.2.** In a locally associative  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoid S with left identity and let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid. Then

i. S is  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square AG-groupoid;

ii. S is  $\Gamma$  -right nuclear square AG-groupoid.

**Proof.** i. Let  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

 $(a\gamma b)$ 

$$\begin{aligned} &= b^{2}\gamma(a\alpha c) \\ &= (b\beta b)\gamma(a\alpha c) \\ &= (b\beta a)\gamma(b\alpha c) \\ &= a\beta(b\gamma(b\alpha c)) \\ &= a\beta((b\gamma b)\alpha c)) \\ &= a\beta(b^{2}\alpha c) \\ &= a\gamma(b^{2}\alpha c). \end{aligned}$$

Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -middle nuclear square AG-groupoid.

ii. Let  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$a\gamma(b\alpha c^{2}) = (b\gamma a)\alpha c^{2}$$

$$= (b\gamma c)\alpha(a\beta c)$$

$$= ((a\beta c)\gamma c)\alpha b$$

$$= ((c\beta c)\gamma a)\alpha b$$

$$= a\gamma((c\beta c)\alpha b)$$

$$= a\gamma(c\beta(c\alpha b))$$

$$= (c\gamma a)\beta(c\alpha b)$$

$$= (c\gamma c)\beta(a\alpha b)$$

$$= ((a\alpha b)\gamma c)\beta c$$

$$= (b\alpha(a\gamma c))\beta c$$

$$= (a\gamma c)\alpha(b\beta c)$$

$$= (a\gamma b)\alpha c^{2}.$$

Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -right nuclear square AG-groupoid.

**Theorem 4.3.** Every  $\Gamma$ -right cancellative AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid is  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative AG-groupoid. **Proof.** Let *S* be a  $\Gamma$ -right cancellative AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid,  $a,b,c,d \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$  such that  $a\gamma b = b\gamma a$ ,  $b\gamma c = c\gamma b$ . Then

$$(a\gamma c)\gamma b = c\gamma(a\gamma b)$$

$$= c\gamma(a\gamma b)$$

$$= c\gamma(b\gamma a)$$

$$= (b\gamma c)\gamma a$$

$$= (c\gamma b)\gamma a$$

$$= (a\gamma b)\gamma c$$

$$= (b\gamma a)\gamma c$$

$$= (c\gamma a)\gamma b$$

$$a\gamma c = c\gamma a.$$

Hence S is  $\Gamma$ -transitively commutative AG-groupoid.

**Proposition 4.4.** Every  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid is  $\Gamma$ -left alternative AG-groupoid.

**Proof.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*</sup>-groupoid,  $a, b \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then  $(a\gamma a)\alpha b = a\gamma(a\alpha b)$ . Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -left alternative AG-groupoid.

**Theorem 4.5.** Let S be a  $\Gamma$ -AG-groupoids with left identity. If S is a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG<sup>\*\*</sup>-groupoid, then S is a  $\Gamma$ -nuclear square.

**Proof.** Let *S* be a  $\Gamma$ -right alternative AG<sup>\*\*</sup>-groupoid,  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$a\gamma(b\alpha c^{2}) = b\gamma(a\alpha c^{2})$$
$$= b\gamma(a\alpha(c\beta c))$$
$$= b\gamma((a\alpha c)\beta c)$$
$$= (a\alpha c)\gamma(b\beta c)$$
$$= (a\alpha b)\gamma(c\beta c)$$
$$= (a\alpha b)\gamma c^{2}.$$
$$= (a\gamma b)\alpha c^{2}.$$

Hence S is a  $\Gamma$ -nuclear square.

**Proposition 4.6.** Every  $\Gamma - T^1$ -AG-groupoid *S* is AG<sup>\*\*</sup>-groupoid.

**Proof.** Let S be a  $\Gamma - T^1$ -AG-groupoid,  $a, b, c \in S$  and let  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then

 $\begin{array}{ll} (a\gamma b)\alpha c & = & (c\gamma b)\alpha a \\ c\alpha(a\gamma b) & = & a\alpha(c\gamma b) \,. \end{array}$ 

Hence S is  $\Gamma$ -AG<sup>\*\*</sup>-groupoid.

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