

# Semigroup varieties satisfying

$$zxx = zx \text{ and } zkrxyw = zkryxw$$

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$RB = [xyx = x]$  variety of *rectngular bands*

$Z_\ell = [xy = x]$  variety of *left zero bands*

$Z_r = [xy = y]$  variety of *right zero bands*

$N_1 = [x = y]$  variety of *trivial semigroups*

$\Sigma = [x^2 = x, xy = yx]$  variety of *semilattices*

$LN = [x^2 = x, zxy = zyx]$  variety of *left normal bands*

$RN = [x^2 = x, xyz = yxz]$  variety of *right normal bands*

$NB = [x^2 = x, zxyw = zyxw]$  variety of *normal bands*

# **METHODS OF CONSTRUCTING NEW SEMIGROUPS & SEMIGROUP VARIETIES**

# NILPOTENT EXTENSIONS

A semigroup  $S$  is said to be an *n-nilpotent extension* of the subsemigroup  $S^n$  if  $S^{n-1} \neq S^n$ ,  $n \geq 2$

where  $S^n$  is the set of all products of  $n$  elements

For any semigroup variety  $V$ , we denote by

$$V^n = \{S : S^n \in V\}$$

the variety of all *n-nilpotent extensions* of  $V$

# N-INFLATIONS

A semigroup  $S$  is called a  $n$ -inflation of the subsemigroup  $S^n$  if there existst a retractive endomorphism  $f : S \rightarrow S^n$  such that  $a_1 \dots a_n = f(a_1) \dots f(a_n)$  for all  $a_1, \dots, a_n \in S$ .

For any semigroup variety  $V$ , we denote by  $V^{<n>} = \{S : S^n = f(S) \in V\}$  the variety of all  $n$ -inflations of members of  $V$

# **(n,m)-CONSTRUCTIONS**

For any semigroup variety  $V$ , and any ordered pair  $(n, m)$  of non - negative integers, the class

$$V^{(n,m)} = \{S : S / \theta(n, m) \in V\}$$

forms a variety, and the map  $V \mapsto V^{(n,m)}$

forms an injective endomorphism

on the lattice of all semigroup varieties.

# THE (1,0)-CONSTRUCTION CASE

Let  $(\Gamma, *)$  be a semilattice and  $\{S_\alpha : \alpha \in \Gamma\}$  be a family of pairwise disjoint sets indexed by  $\Gamma$  such that for each  $(\alpha, \beta) \in \Gamma \times \Gamma$  there exists a map  $\phi_{\alpha, \beta} : S_\alpha \rightarrow S_{\alpha * \beta}$  such that

$$\phi_{\alpha, \beta} \phi_{\alpha * \beta, \gamma} = \phi_{\alpha, \beta * \gamma} \quad \text{for all } \alpha, \beta, \gamma$$

On the set  $S = \bigcup \{S_\alpha : \alpha \in \Gamma\}$  define a binary operation  $a \bullet b = a \phi_{\alpha, \beta}$ .

Then  $(S, \bullet)$  forms a semigroup from  $\Sigma^{(1,0)}$ . Conversely, every semigroup in this variety is constructed that way.



# SQUARE EXTENSIONS OF SEMILATTICES

Let  $(\Gamma, *)$  be a semilattice and  $\{S_\alpha : \alpha \in \Gamma\}$  be a family of pairwise disjoint sets indexed by  $\Gamma$  such that for each  $(\alpha, \beta) \in \Gamma \times \Gamma$  there map  $\phi_{\alpha, \beta} : S_\alpha \rightarrow S_{\alpha * \beta}$  which satisfy the following conditions :

- (i)  $\phi_{\alpha, \beta} \phi_{\alpha * \beta, \gamma} = \phi_{\alpha, \beta * \gamma}$  for all  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \Gamma$
- (ii)  $\alpha \in S_\alpha$  for all  $\alpha \in \Gamma$
- (iii)  $(\alpha) \phi_{\alpha, \beta} = \alpha * \beta$
- (iv)  $(a) \phi_{\alpha, \alpha} = \alpha$  for all  $a \in S_\alpha, \alpha \in \Gamma$

On the set  $S = \bigcup \{S_\alpha : \alpha \in \Gamma\}$  define a binary operation  $a \bullet b = a \phi_{\alpha, \beta}$ , for any  $a \in S_\alpha, b \in S_\beta$ .

Then  $(S, \bullet)$  forms a semigroup which we refer to as *[associative] square extension of a semilattice.*

The concept of (associative) square extension of an idempotent groupoid (semigroup) was introduced by A. W. Marczak and J. Plonka

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**A NOTE ON SQUARE EXTENSIONS OF BANDS**

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# **IDENTITIES FOR NEWLY CONSTRUCTED SEMIGROUPS & VARIETIES**

# IDENTITIES FOR NILPOTENT EXTENSIONS

For any variety  $V$  of semigroups, the class

$V^n = \{S : S^n \in V\}$  forms a variety

such that if

$$V = [P(x_1, \dots, x_k) = Q(x_1 \dots x_k)]$$

then

$$V^n = [P(X_1, \dots, X_k) = Q(X_1 \dots X_k)]$$

where  $X_i = y_{i_1} \dots y_{i_n}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, k$  where  $y_{i_t} = y_{j_k}$

if and only if  $i = j$  and  $t = k$

# IDENTITIES FOR 2-INFLATIONS

For any variety  $V$  of semigroups, the class

$$\text{If } V = [P(x_1, \dots, x_k) = Q(x_1 \dots x_k)]$$

and if either  $P(x_1, \dots, x_k)$  or  $Q(x_1, \dots, x_k)$

is a word of length 1 then

$$V^{<2>} = \left[ \begin{array}{l} zP(x_1, \dots, x_k) = zQ(x_1 \dots x_k) \\ P(x_1, \dots, x_k)z = Q(x_1 \dots x_k)z \end{array} \right]$$

$$z \notin \{x_1, \dots, x_k\}.$$

Keep all identities formed by words of length  $> 1$

# IDENTITIES FOR (1,0)-CONSTRUCTION

For any variety  $V$  of semigroups, the class

$V^{(1,0)} = \{S : S / \theta(1,0) \in V\}$  forms a variety.

If  $V = [P(x_1, \dots, x_k) = Q(x_1 \dots x_k)]$

then

$V^{(1,0)} = [zP(x_1, \dots, x_k) = zQ(x_1 \dots x_k)]$

where  $z \notin \{x_1, \dots, x_k\}$ .

# IDENTITIES FOR SQUARE EXTENSIONS

For any variety  $V$  of bands, the class

$$V^{sq} = \{S : S^{sq} \in V\}$$

forms a semigroup variety such that if

$$V = [P(x_1, \dots, x_k) = Q(x_1, \dots, x_k)]$$

then

$$V^{sq} = \left[ \begin{array}{l} zP(x_1, \dots, x_k) = zQ(x_1, \dots, x_k) \\ P(x_1^2, \dots, x_k^2) = Q(x_1^2, \dots, x_k^2) \end{array} \right]$$

where  $z \notin \{x_1, \dots, x_k\}$ .

**SOME EXAMPLES ....**



[Igor Dolinka, 2002].

***Every square extension  $A$  of a rectangular band  $I$  is an inflation of  $I$ .***

***Result. A semigroup is a square extension of a semilattice if and only if it satisfies the pair of identities***

$$zx^2 = zx \quad \text{and} \quad x^2y^2 = y^2x^2$$

Consider this variety  
of semigroups  
comprised of all

# SQUARE EXTENSIONS OF SEMILATTICES.

$$L_2 = \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx \\ x^2y^2 = y^2x^2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx \\ x^2y^2 = y^2x^2 \\ zxy = zyx \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sqcup \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx \\ zxy = zyx \end{array} \right] = \Sigma^{(1,0)}$$

Consider the variety of all

## 2-INFLATIONS OF SEMILATTICES

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma^{<2>} &= \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx \\ x^2z = x^2z \\ xy = yx \end{array} \right] \\ &= \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx, \\ x^2z = xz \\ x^2y^2 = y^2x^2 \end{array} \right] \\ &\cup \left[ \begin{array}{l} zx^2 = zx \\ x^2y^2 = y^2x^2 \end{array} \right] = L_2 \end{aligned}$$

The variety  $L_2$  is precisely the class of all associative square extensions of semilattices

The variety  $\Sigma^{(1,0)}$  is precisely the class of all  $(1,0)$ -constructed semigroups using semilattices

The variety  $\Sigma^{<2>}$  of all 2-inflations of semilattices and the variety of all 2-nilpotent extensions of semilattices coincide

# VARIETIES CONSTRUCTED USING SEMILATTICES

$$\Sigma^2 = \Sigma^{<2>} \subseteq L_2 \subseteq \Sigma^{(1,0)}$$

where

$$\Sigma^{<2>} = [zx^2 = zx, x^2z = xz, xy = yx]$$

2 - inflations of semilattices

$$= [(xy)^2 = xy, (xy)(wz) = (wz)(xy)]$$

2 - nilpotent extensions of semilattices

# VARIETIES CONSTRUCTED USING NORMAL BANDS

$$NB^2 \neq NB^{<2>}$$

$$NB^{<2>} = \left[ zx^2 = zx, x^2z = xz, zxyw = zywx \right]$$

2 - inflations of normal bands

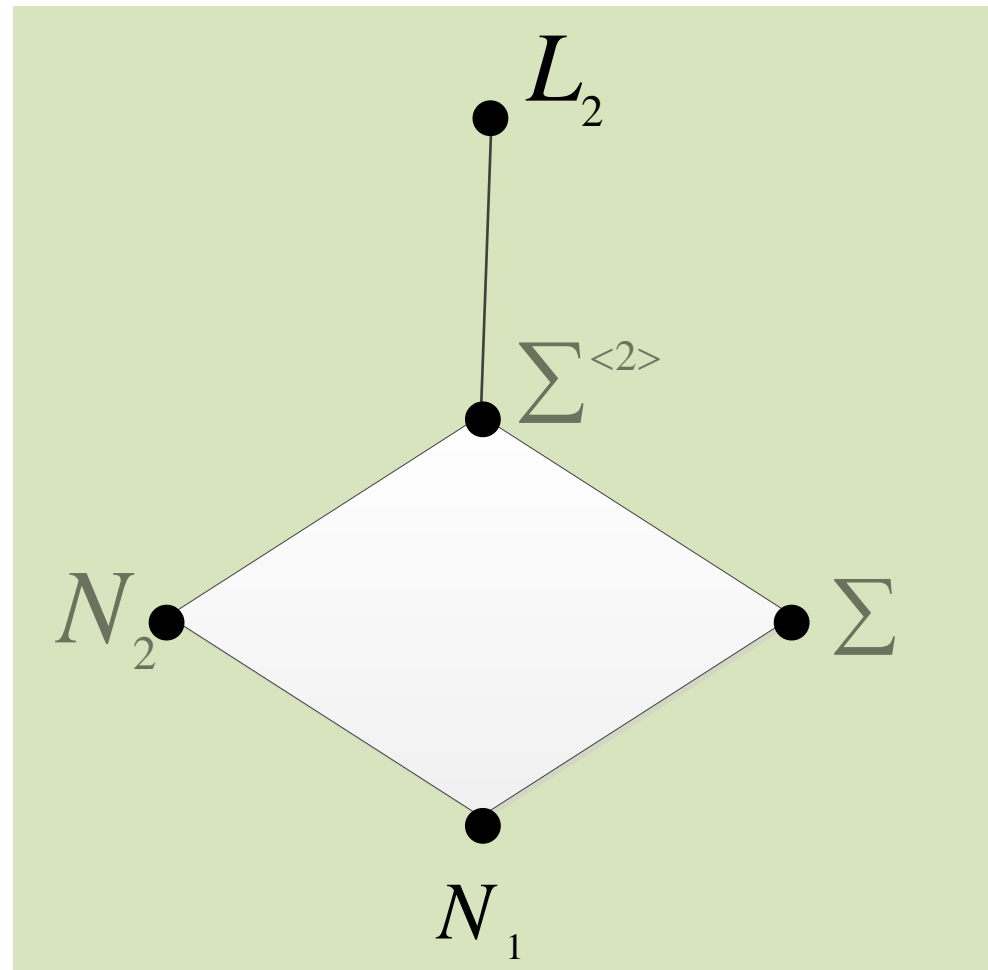
$$NB^2 = \left[ (xy)^2 = xy, (ab)(xy)(wz)(cd) = (ab)(wz)(xy)(cd) \right]$$

2 - nilpotent extensions of normal bands

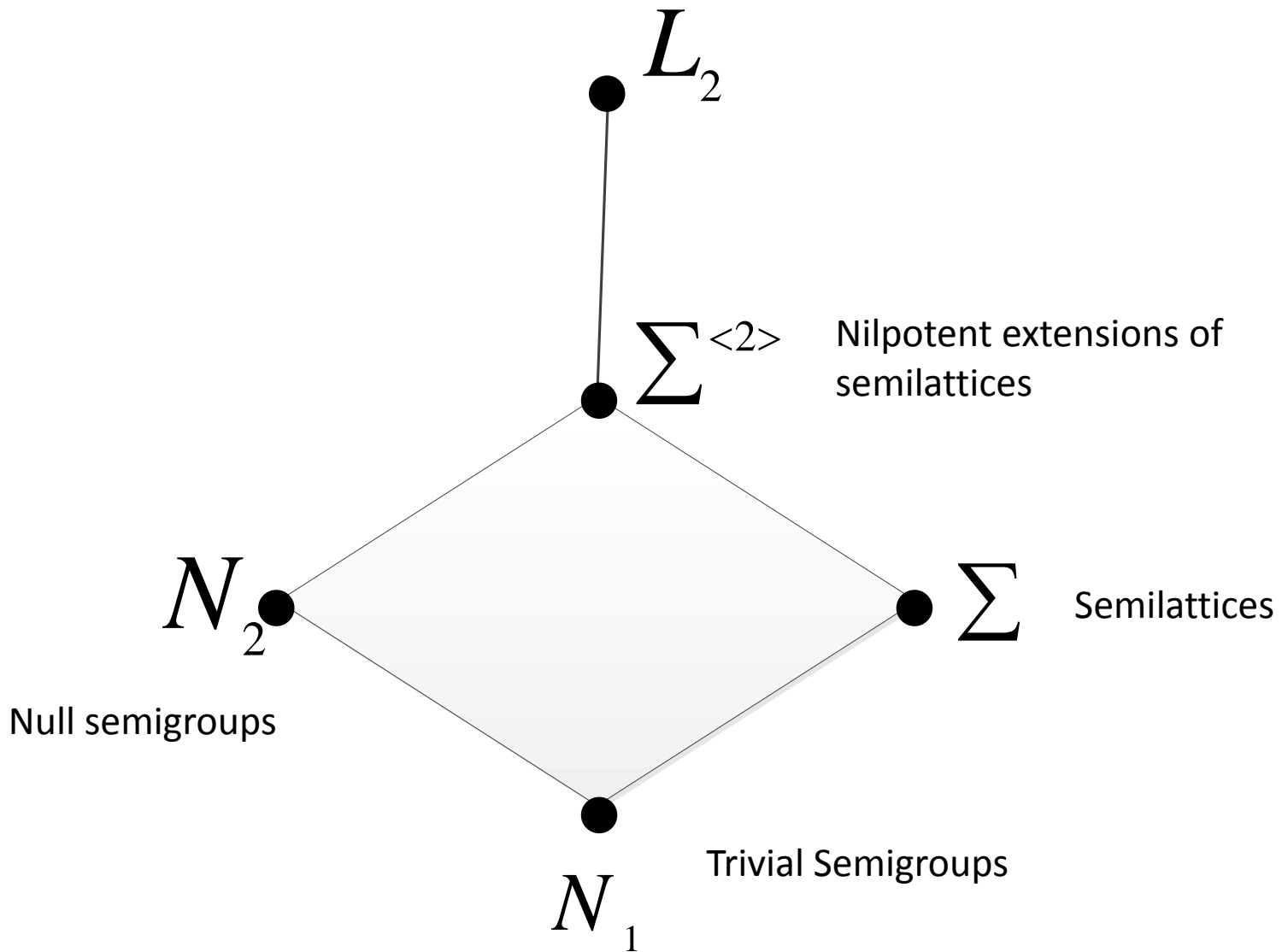
# **SUBVARIETY LATTICES**

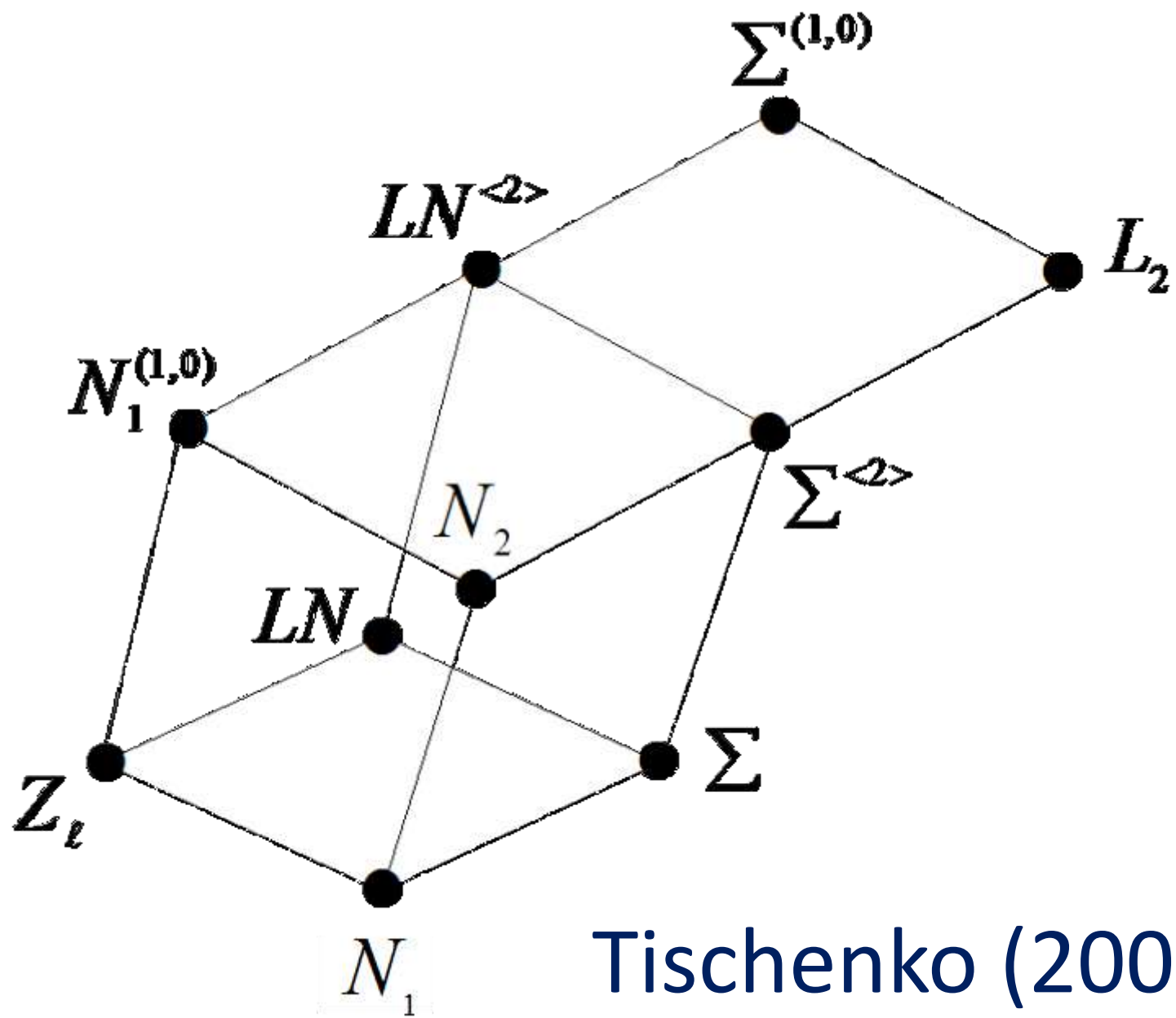
The lattice of all subvarieties of the variety of all

**SQUARE  
EXTENSIONS OF  
SEMILATTICES**



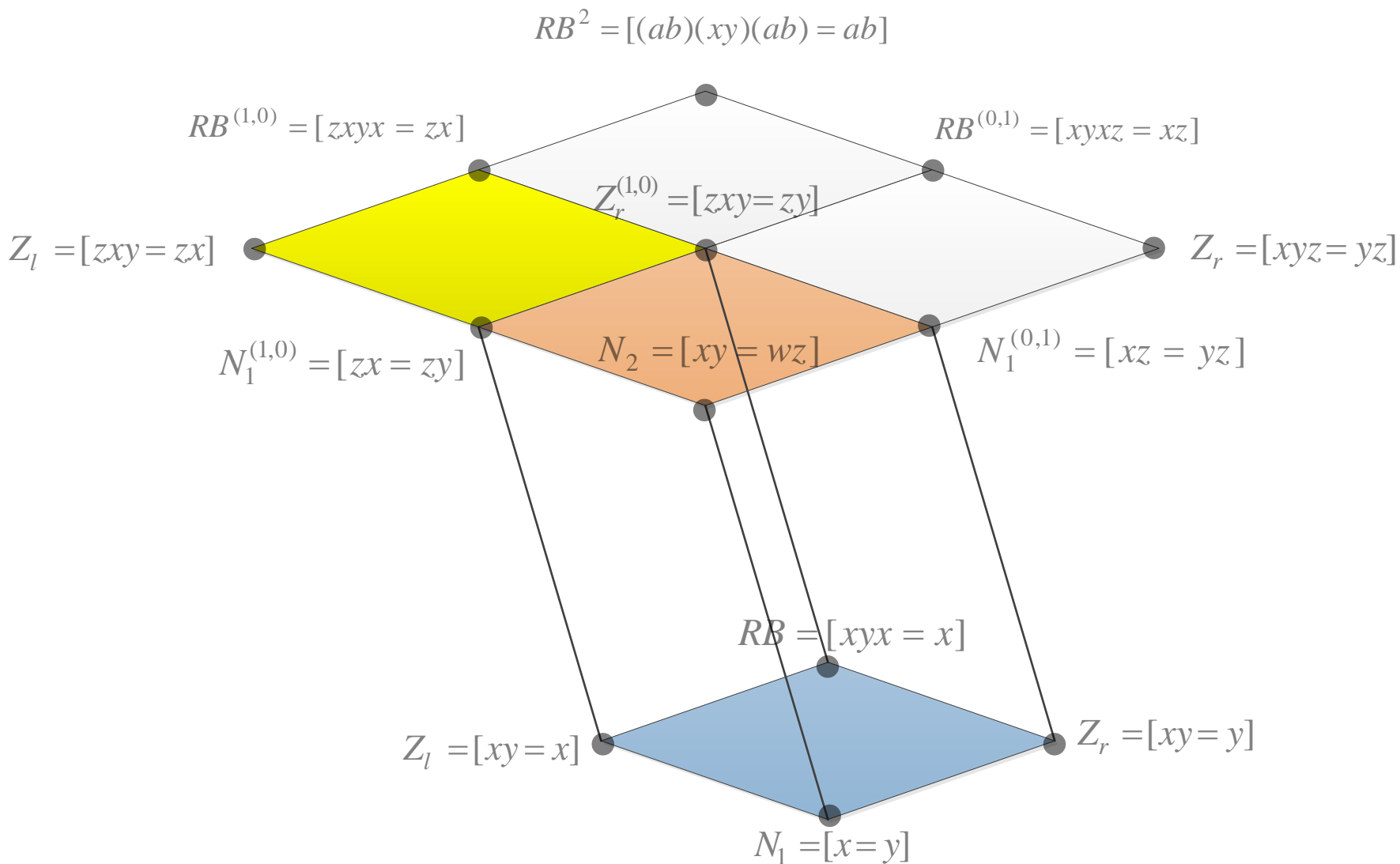




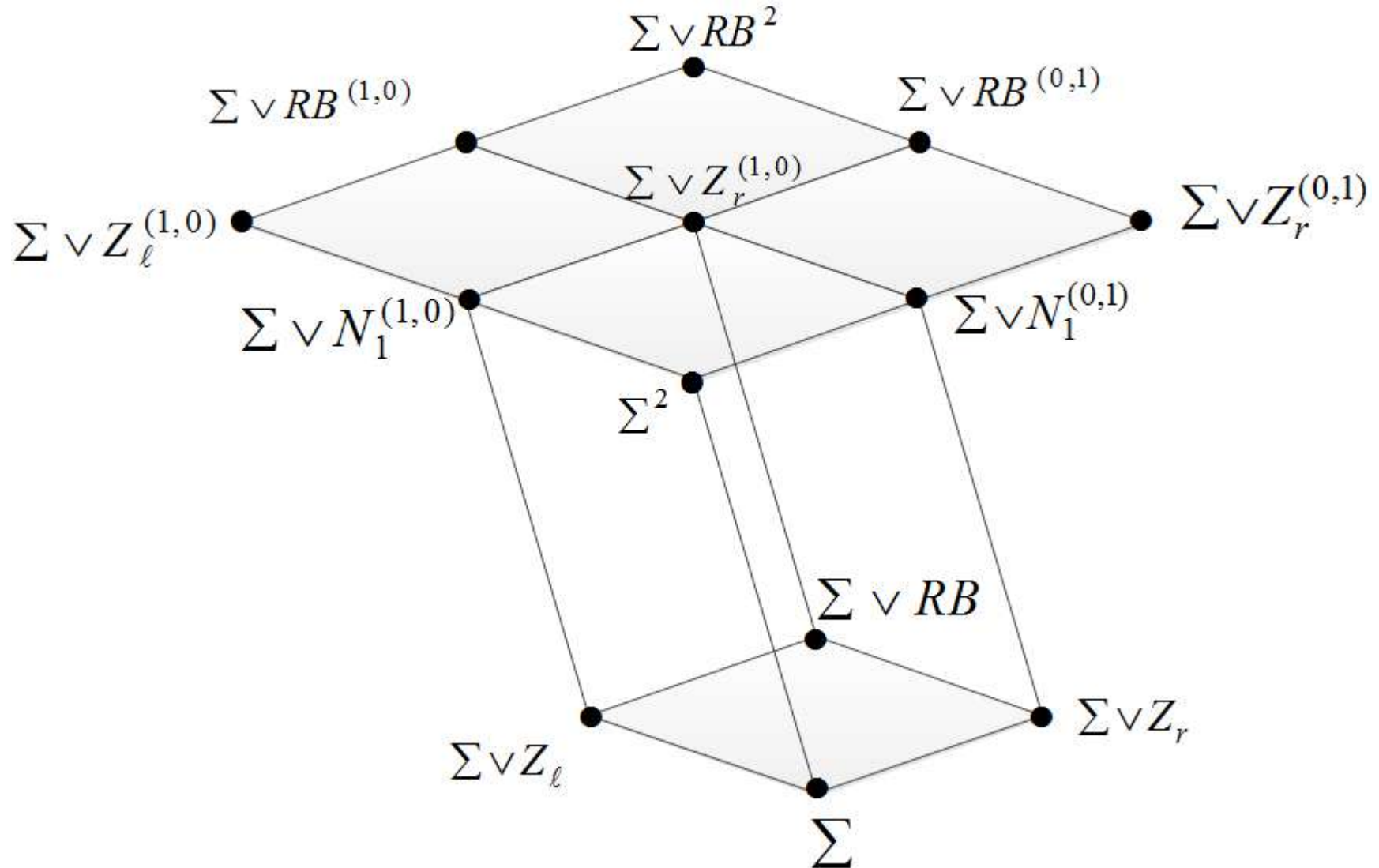


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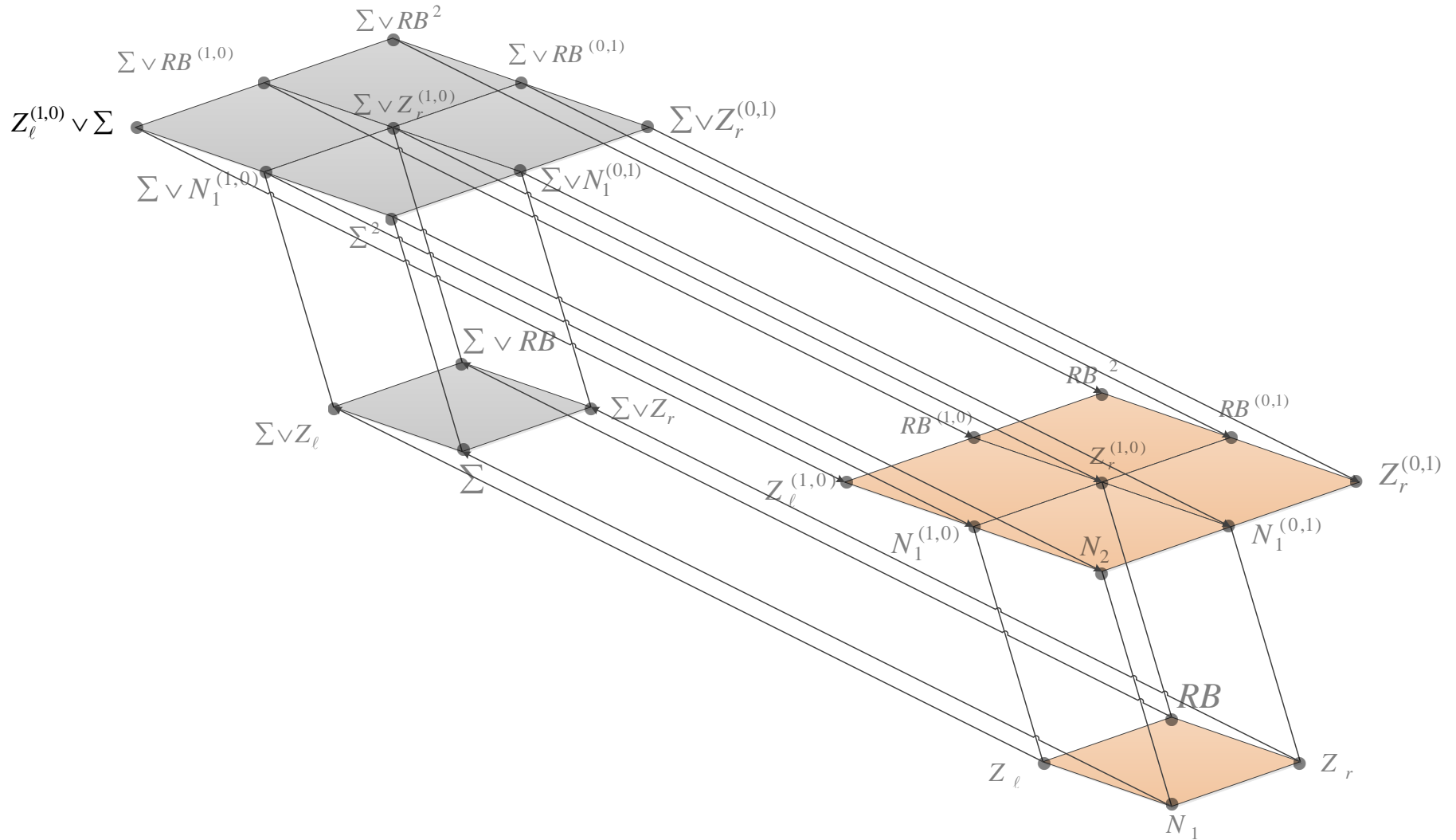
# MELNIK: All varieties of 2-nilpotent extensions of rectangular bands



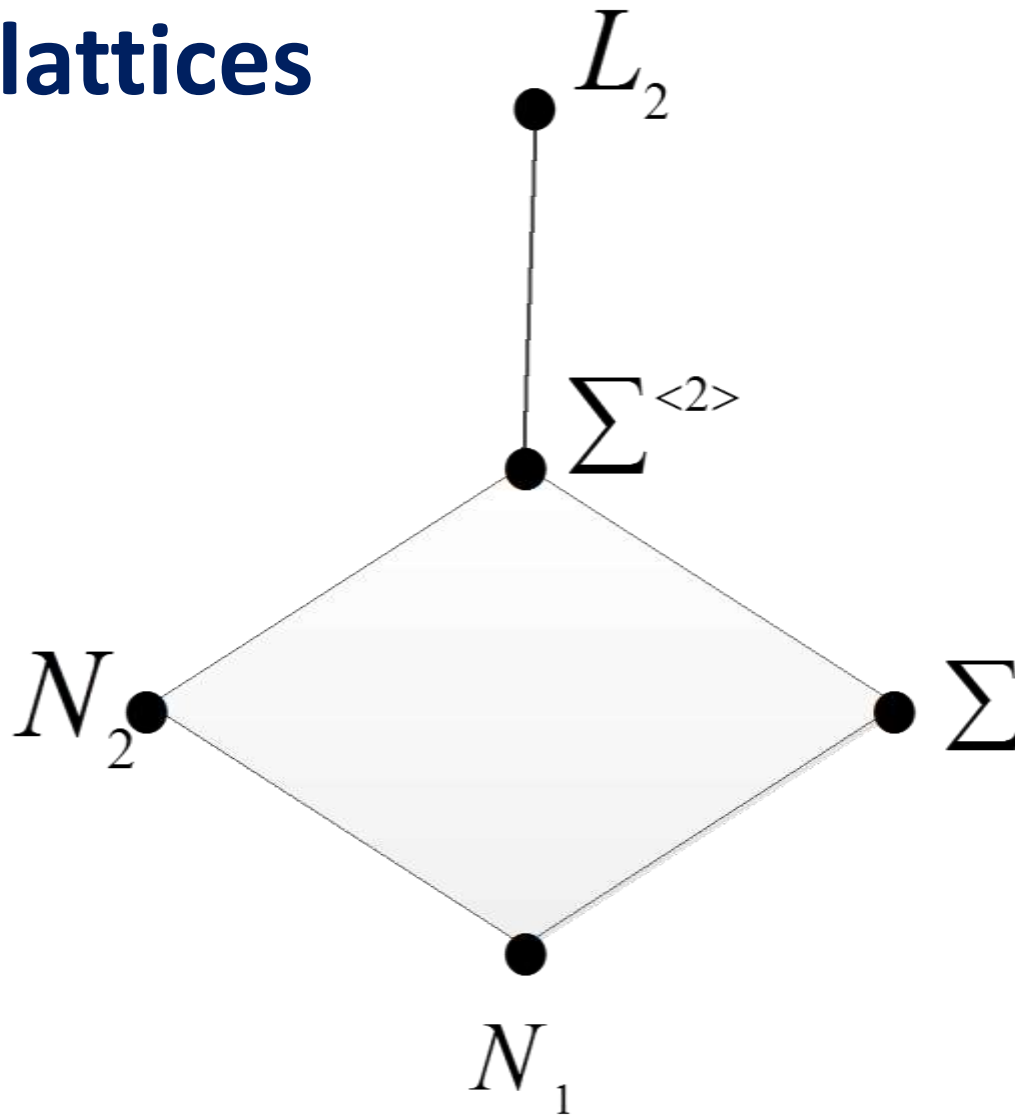
# PETRICH: Joins of 2-nilpotent extensions of rectangular band varieties with the semilattice variety

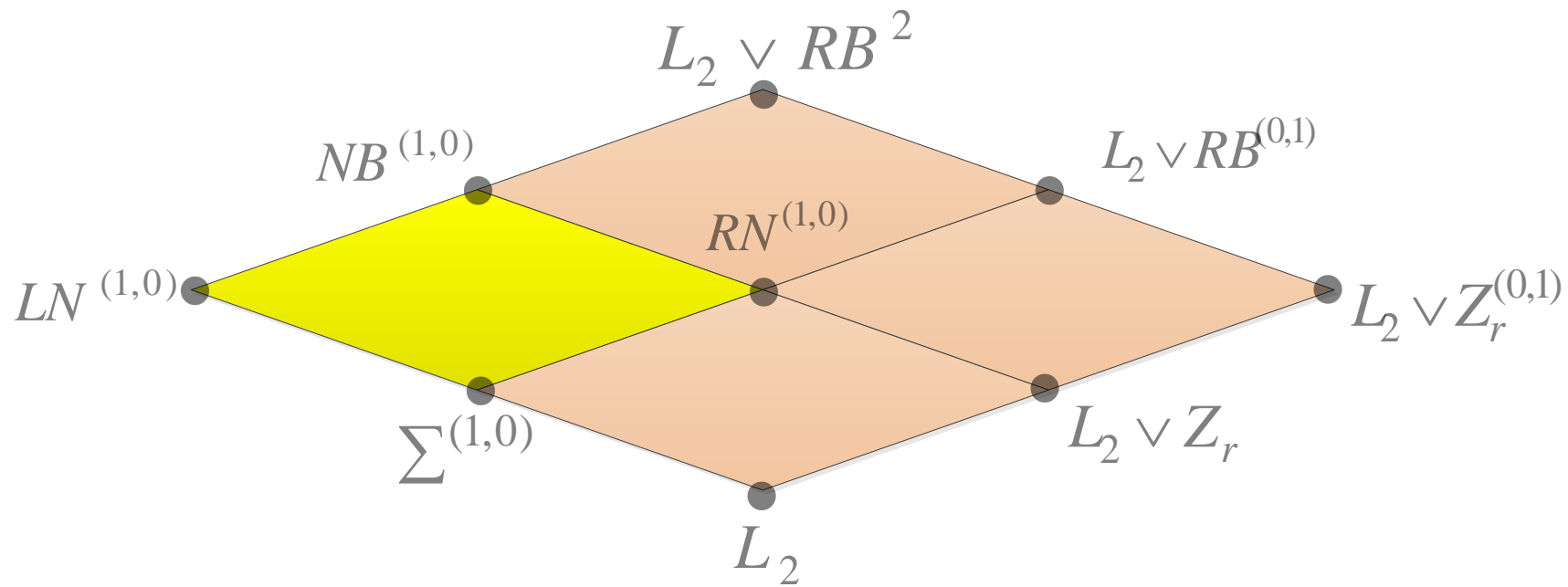


# All varieties of 2-nilpotent extensions of normal bands



# All varieties of square extensions of semilattices





Lemma 1  $Z_\ell \vee L_2 = \Sigma^{(1,0)}$

Proof. For any semigroup  $S$  in  $\Sigma^{(1,0)}$ , the Green's relation  $L$  forms a congruence on  $S$  and the relation

$$\gamma = \{(a, b) : a^2 = b^2, a, b \in S\}$$

forms a congruence on  $S$  such that  $L \cap \gamma = 1_S$ .

Since  $S/L \in L_2$  and  $S/\gamma \in LN$ , we conclude that

$$\Sigma^{(1,0)} \subseteq L_2 \vee LN = L_2 \vee (\Sigma \vee Z_\ell) = L_2 \vee Z_\ell$$

The equality holds since the reverse inclusion also holds trivially.



Lemma 2  $(Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma) \vee L_2 = LN^{(1,0)}$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} (Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma) \vee L_2 &= Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee (\Sigma \vee L_2) \\ &= Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee L_2 \\ &= (Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee Z_\ell) \vee L_2 \\ &= Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee (Z_\ell \vee L_2) \\ &= Z_\ell^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma^{(1,0)} \\ &= (Z_\ell \vee \Sigma)^{(1,0)} \\ &= LN^{(1,0)} \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 3  $(Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma) \vee L_2 = RN^{(1,0)}$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned} (Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma) \vee L_2 &= Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee (\Sigma \vee L_2) \\ &= Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee L_2 \\ &= (Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee Z_\ell) \vee L_2 \\ &= Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee (Z_\ell \vee L_2) \\ &= Z_r^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma^{(1,0)} \\ &= (Z_r \vee \Sigma)^{(1,0)} \\ &= RN^{(1,0)} \end{aligned}$$

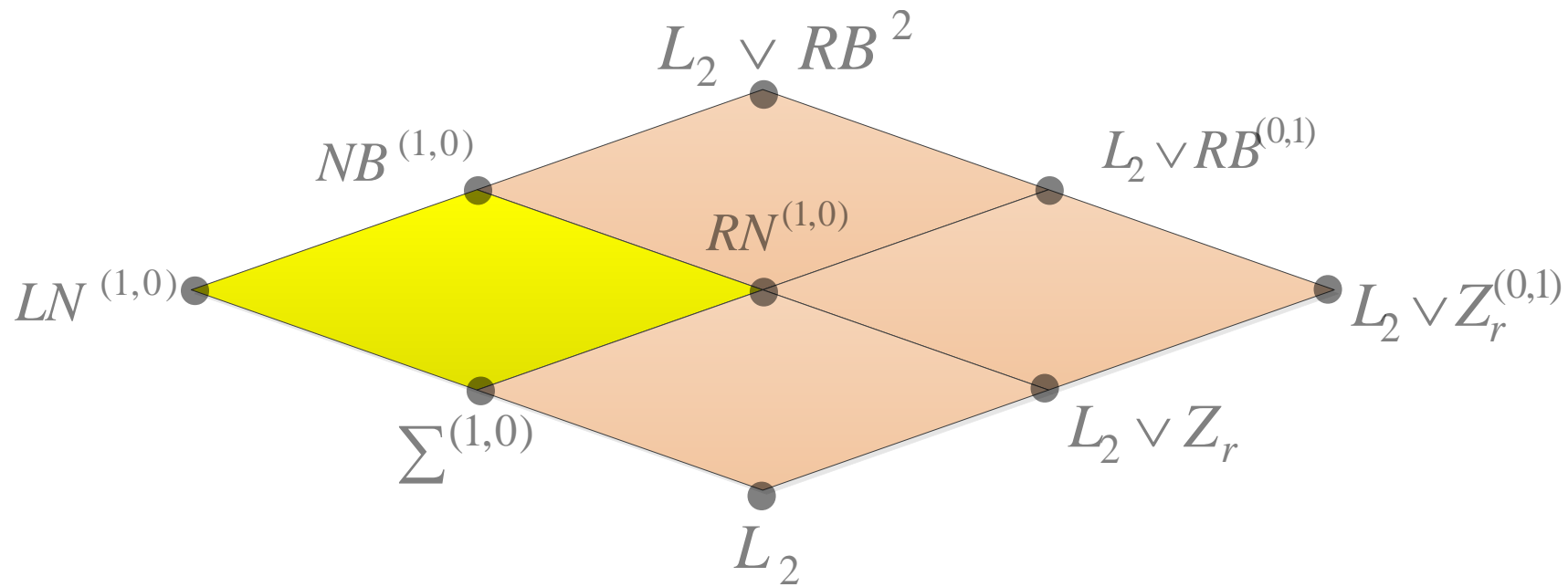
Lemma 4  $(RB^{(1,0)} \vee \Sigma) \vee L_2 = NB^{(1,0)}$

Proof.

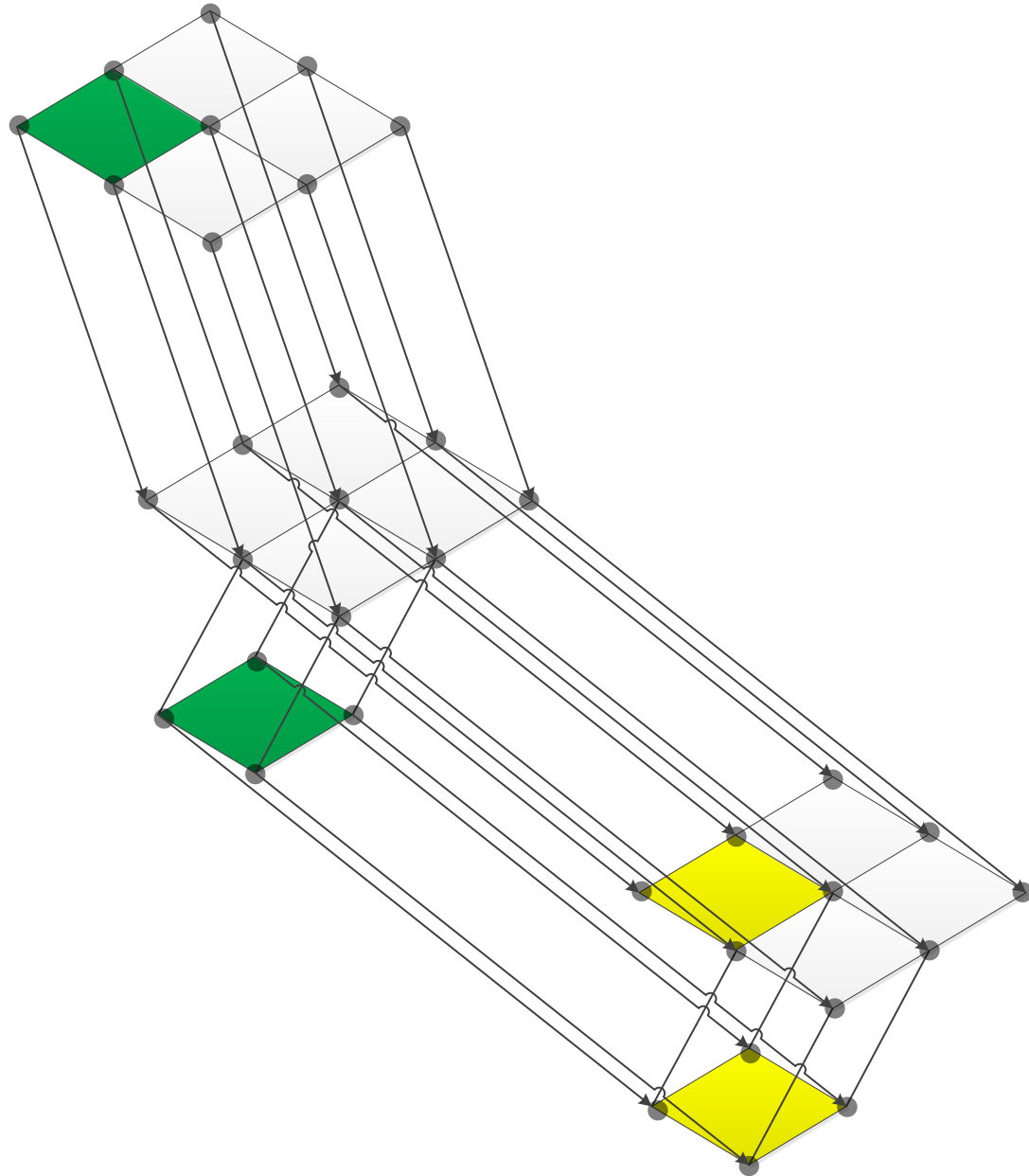
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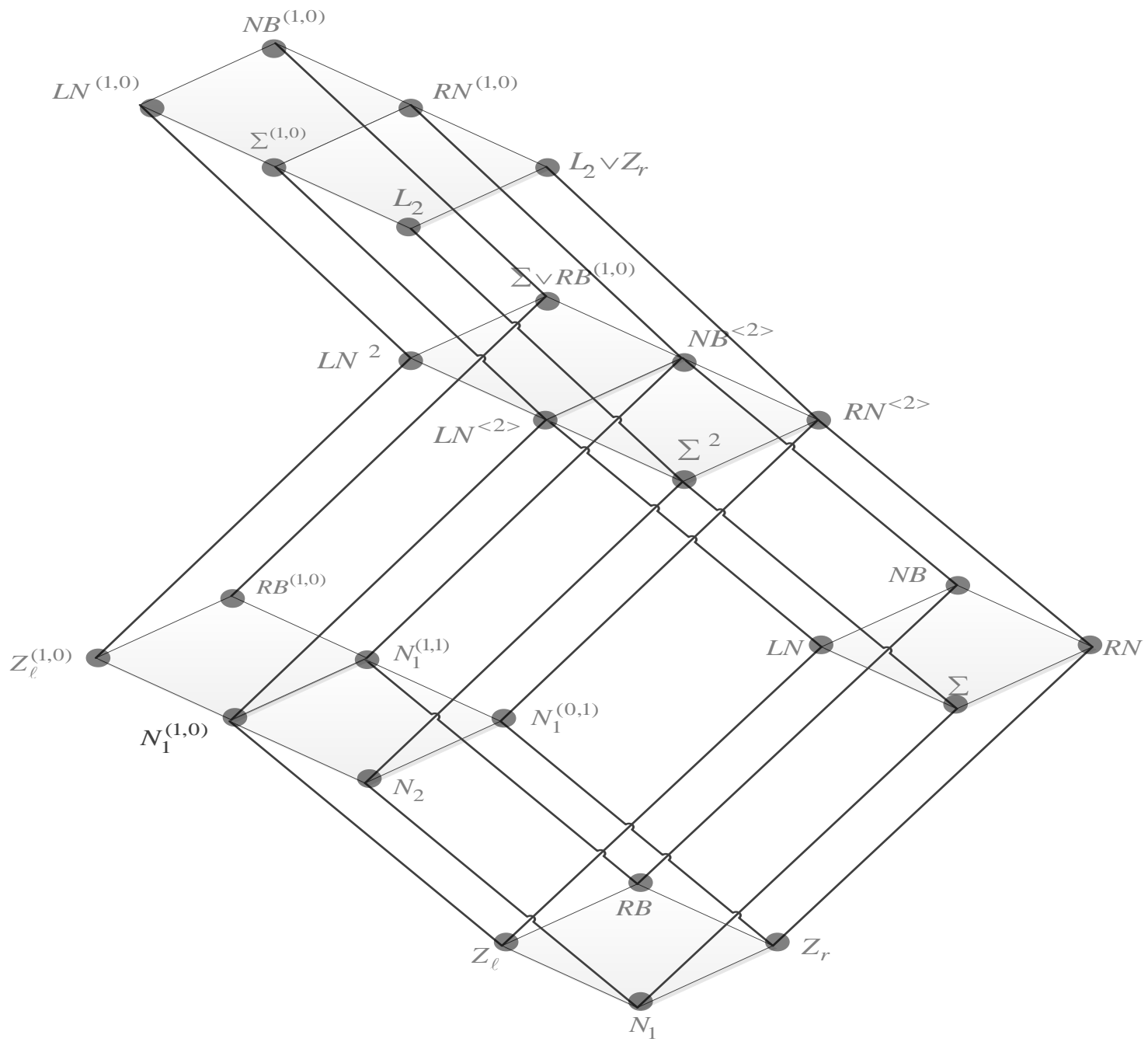
Lemma 5  $Z_r \vee L_2 = [zx^2 = zx, xyz = yxz]$

Proof.

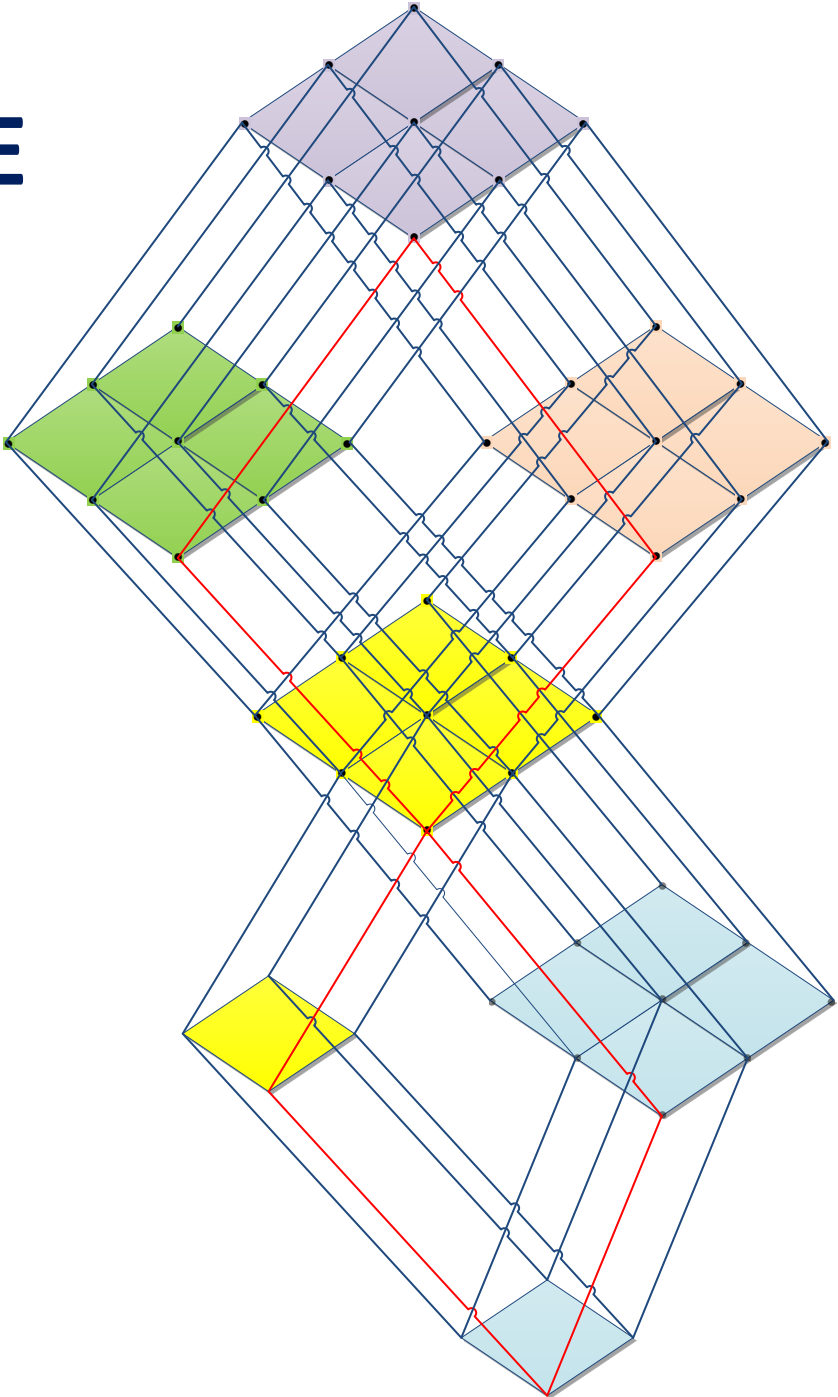


# (1,0) construction of normal bands





# CONJECTURE





For each integer  $n \geq 2$  define the following families of semigroup varieties :

$$L_n = \left[ \begin{array}{l} z(x_1 \dots x_{n-1})^2 = z(x_1 \dots x_{n-1}) \\ x^n y^n = y^n x^n \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Sigma^n = \left[ \begin{array}{l} (x_1 \dots x_n)^2 = (x_1 \dots x_n) \\ (x_1 \dots x_n)(y_1 \dots y_n) = (y_1 \dots y_n)(x_1 \dots x_n) \end{array} \right]$$

$$(\Sigma^{n-1})^{(1,0)} = \left[ \begin{array}{l} z(x_1 \dots x_{n-1})^2 = z(x_1 \dots x_{n-1}) \\ z(x_1 \dots x_{n-1})(y_1 \dots y_{n-1}) = z(y_1 \dots y_{n-1})(x_1 \dots x_{n-1}) \end{array} \right]$$

so that

$$\Sigma^n \subseteq L_n \subseteq (\Sigma^{n-1})^{(1,0)}$$