

# Quantum logics and two-dimensional states

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In our contribution we will deal with the characterization of orthomodular lattices by means of special types of two-dimensional states  $G$ . Under special marginal conditions a two-dimensional state  $G$  can operate as, for example, infimum measure, supremum measure or symmetric difference measure for two elements of an orthomodular lattice [2, 3, 5].

To model noncompatible events, a quantum logic was chosen among various algebraic structures as the suitable one. We can give a characterization of a center in various types of quantum logics by means of special two-dimensional states defined on them. Any quantum logic can be described as a union of blocks (a block in a given quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  is the maximal Boolean subalgebra of  $\mathcal{L}$ ) [6]. Center  $C(\mathcal{L})$  of a quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  is its Boolean subalgebra of elements compatible with all other elements of  $L$ . Each quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  has a center that can be taken as a common part of its blocks. We study three types of quantum logics:

- (T1) a quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  as a horizontal sum of  $k$  maximal Boolean algebras (blocks);
- (T2) a quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  created from two blocks with non trivial center;
- (T3) a quantum logic  $\mathcal{L}$  with nontrivial center as a union of  $k$  blocks  $\mathcal{B}_i, i \leq k$ , where  $\mathcal{B}_i \cap \mathcal{B}_j \subset C(\mathcal{L})$  for  $i \neq j$ .

Let us realize the process of investigation of two events  $A, B$ , each of them expressed as  $A = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$ ,  $B = \{b_1, \dots, b_k\}$ , according to its organization. How to face the situation, when simple events  $a_i, b_j$  cannot be verified simultaneously, but, despite this fact, we are able to obtain some information about  $a_i$  while one of  $b_j$  does not come into being? Videlicet, how to deal with  $f(a_i|b_j^\perp)$  or  $f(b_j|a_i^\perp)$ ? For that reason we effort to find a basic structure created by these observations (e.g. whether some "property levels" of  $A, B$  are the same). More precisely let  $A, B$  be orthogonal partitions of unit  $1_L$ . Let us denote  $B^\perp = \{b_1^\perp, \dots, b_k^\perp\}$  and  $A^\perp = \{a_1^\perp, \dots, a_n^\perp\}$ . Then

$$P(A, B^\perp) = \begin{pmatrix} p(a_1, b_1^\perp) & \cdots & p(a_1, b_k^\perp) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ p(a_n, b_1^\perp) & \cdots & p(a_n, b_k^\perp) \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $p(a_i, b_j^\perp) = m(b_j)m(a_i|b_j^\perp)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $j = 1, \dots, k$ . By analogy we get  $P(B, A^\perp)$ . Let us denote  $p_s = 0.5(p(a, b) + p(b, a))$ . In [4], inter alia, it has been proved that  $p_s$  is an s-map and  $p_s(a, b) = p_s(b, a)$  for any  $a, b \in L$  and, moreover,  $p(a, a) = p_s(a, a)$  for each  $a \in L$ . As  $d_p(a_i, b_j) = p(a_i, b_j^\perp) + p(a_i^\perp, b_j)$ , the matrix

$$D_{p_s}(A, B) = \frac{1}{2}(P(A, B^\perp) + P(B, A^\perp)^T)$$

is the matrix for the function  $d_{p_s}$ . The sum of  $d_{p_s}$  throughout all levels gives us basic information about given structure [1]. For example if  $S_{d_{p_s}}$  is not integer number then  $A, B$  do not create one Boolean algebra. Conversely if  $S_{d_{p_s}} \in N$ , it does not mean then  $A$  and  $B$  belong to one Boolean algebra.

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