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ON SOLUTIONS OF SYSTEMS OF FUNCTIONAL  
 EQUATIONS DETERMINING SOME SUBSEMIGROUPS  
 OF THE GROUP  $L_6^1$

1. Let  $\mathbb{R}$  be the set of real numbers, and  $\mathbb{R}_0 = \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ . In the set  $\mathbb{R}_0 \times \mathbb{R}^5$  we introduce the following operation

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1.1) \quad & \langle y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4, y_5, y_6 \rangle \cdot \langle x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6 \rangle = \\
 & = \langle y_1 x_1, y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1^2, y_1 x_3 + 3y_2 x_1 x_2 + y_3 x_1^3, y_1 x_4 + y_4 x_1^4 + \\
 & + 4y_2 x_1 x_3 + 6y_3 x_1^2 x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2, y_1 x_5 + y_5 x_1^5 + 10x_1^3 x_2 y_4 + \\
 & + 15x_1 x_2^2 y_3 + 10x_1^2 x_3 y_3 + 10x_2 x_3 y_2 + 5x_1 x_4 y_2, y_1 x_6 + y_6 x_1^6 + \\
 & + 6y_2 x_1 x_5 + 15y_2 x_2 x_4 + 10y_2 x_3^2 + 15y_3 x_1^2 x_4 + 60y_3 x_1 x_2 x_3 + \\
 & + 20y_4 x_1^3 x_3 + 45y_4 x_1^2 x_2^2 + 15y_5 x_1^4 x_2 \rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

The set  $\mathbb{R}_0 \times \mathbb{R}^5$  with the operation (1.1) is a group, which is denoted by  $L_6^1$  (cf. [2]).

It is known that the right hand side of (1.1) expresses the derivatives of order  $n$ ,  $n = 1, \dots, 6$ , for some composed function  $f(t) = F(\phi(t))$  by means of the derivatives  $y_1, \dots, y_6$  respectively of the order  $1, \dots, 6$  of the exterior function  $F(u)$  ( $y_i = \frac{d^i F(u)}{du^i}$ ) and the derivatives  $x_1, \dots, x_6$  of the order  $1, \dots, 6$  of the inner function  $\phi(t)$  ( $x_i = \frac{d^i \phi(t)}{dt^i}$ ).

In the first part of the paper we shall deal with the determination of subsemigroups of the group  $L_6^1$ , in which three parameters are functions of the others or some others.

In the second and third part of the paper we determine subsemigroups of the group  $L_6^1$  in which four parameters are functions of the others.

In the paper [12] there were determined subsemigroups of the group  $L_6^1$  in which the last parameter is a function of the others or some of the others. Subgroups or subsemigroups of the groups  $L_s^1$ ,  $s = 2, 3, 4, 5$ , were determined by means of functional equations in the paper from [2] to [15] besides [6].

Let  $f, g, h$  be functions mapping  $\mathbb{R}_0 \times \mathbb{R}^2$  into reals. Let us denote

$$(1.2) \quad \mathbf{P}_{456} = \{ \langle x_1, x_2, x_3, f(x_1, x_2, x_3), g(x_1, x_2, x_3), h(x_1, x_2, x_3) \rangle : \\ x_1 \in \mathbb{R}_0, x_2, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \}.$$

The set  $\mathbf{P}_{456}$  is closed with respect to the operation (1.1) if and only if for any  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  and  $y_1, y_2, y_3$

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle y_1, y_2, y_3, f(y_1, y_2, y_3), g(y_1, y_2, y_3), h(y_1, y_2, y_3) \rangle \cdot \\ & \langle x_1, x_2, x_3, f(x_1, x_2, x_3), g(x_1, x_2, x_3), h(x_1, x_2, x_3) \rangle = \\ & = \langle y_1 x_1, y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1^2, y_1 x_3 + 3y_2 x_1 x_2 + y_3 x_1^3, y_1 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + \\ & + f(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^4 + 4y_2 x_1 x_3 + 6y_3 x_1^2 x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2, y_1 g(x_1, x_2, x_3) + \\ & + g(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^5 + 10x_1^3 x_2 g(y_1, y_2, y_3) + 15x_1 x_2^2 y_3 + 10x_1^2 x_3 y_3 + \\ & + 10x_2 x_3 y_2 + 5x_1 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) y_2, y_1 h(x_1, x_2, x_3) + h(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^6 + \\ & + 6y_2 x_1 g(x_1, x_2, x_3) + 15y_2 x_2 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + 10y_2 x_3^2 + \\ & + 15y_3 x_1^2 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + 60y_3 x_1 x_2 x_3 + 20x_1^3 x_3 f(y_1, y_2, y_3) + \\ & + 45x_1^2 x_2^2 f(y_1, y_2, y_3) + 15x_1^4 x_2 g(y_1, y_2, y_3) \rangle \in \mathbf{P}_{456}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence and by the definition of  $\mathbf{P}_{456}$  get that the functions  $f, g, h$  satisfy the following system of functional equations

$$(1.3) \quad f(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1^2, y_1 x_3 + 3y_2 x_1 x_2 + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + f(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^4 + 4y_2 x_1 x_3 + 6y_3 x_1^2 x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2,$$

$$(1.4) \quad g(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1^2, y_1 x_3 + 3y_2 x_1 x_2 + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 g(x_1, x_2, x_3) + x_1^5 g(y_1, y_2, y_3) + 10x_1^3 x_2 g(y_1, y_2, y_3) + \\ + 15x_1 x_2^2 y_3 + 10x_1^2 x_3 y_3 + 10x_2 x_3 y_2 + 5x_1 y_2 g(x_1, x_2, x_3),$$

$$(1.5) \quad h(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_2 + y_2 x_1^2, y_1 x_3 + 3y_2 x_1 x_2 + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 h(x_1, x_2, x_3) + x_1^6 h(y_1, y_2, y_3) + 6y_2 x_1 g(x_1, x_2, x_3) + \\ + 15y_2 x_2 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + 10y_2 x_3^2 + 15y_3 x_1^2 f(x_1, x_2, x_3) + \\ + 60y_3 x_1 x_2 x_3 + 20f(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^3 x_3 + 45x_1^2 x_2^2 f(y_1, y_2, y_3) + \\ + 15g(y_1, y_2, y_3) x_1^4 x_2.$$

In [3] (Theorem 1) it was proved that the equation (1.3) has no solutions. Therefore the system (1.3)–(1.5) has no solutions, and the group  $\mathbf{L}_6^1$  has no subsemigroups of the form  $\mathbf{P}_{456}$ .

Denote

$$(1.6) \quad \mathbf{P}_{456}^o = \{ \langle x_1, 0, x_3, F(x_1, x_3), G(x_1, x_3), H(x_1, x_3) \rangle : x_1 \in \mathbb{R}_0, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \}.$$

The set  $\mathbf{P}_{456}^{\circ}$  is closed with respect to (1.1) if and only if the functions  $F, G, H$  satisfy the following system of functional equations. (One can obtain it from (1.3)–(1.5) putting  $x_2 = y_2 = 0$  in  $F(x_1, x_3) := f(x_1, 0, x_3)$ ,  $G(x_1, x_3) := g(x_1, 0, x_3)$ ,  $H(x_1, x_3) := h(x_1, 0, x_3)$ ).

$$(1.7) \quad F(x_1 y_1, y_1 x_3 + y_3 x_1^3) = y_1 F(x_1, x_3) + x_1^4 F(y_1, y_3),$$

$$(1.8) \quad G(x_1 y_1, y_1 x_3 + y_3 x_1^3) = y_1 G(x_1, x_3) + x_1^5 G(y_1, y_3) + 10x_1^2 x_3 y_3,$$

$$(1.9) \quad H(x_1 y_1, y_1 x_3 + y_3 x_1^3) = y_1 H(x_1, x_3) + x_1^6 H(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 15y_3 x_1^2 F(x_1, x_3) + 20F(y_1, y_3) x_1^3 x_3.$$

In view of Theorem 2 from [3] the general solution of the equation (1.7) is a family of functions of the form

$$(1.10) \quad F(x_1, x_3) = p(x_1^4 - x_1),$$

where  $p$  is an arbitrary real number.

By Lemma 1 in [9] it follows that the general solution of the equation (1.8) is a family of functions of the form

$$(1.11) \quad G(x_1, x_3) = k(x_1^5 - x_1) + 5 \frac{x_3^2}{x_1}.$$

where  $k$  is an arbitrary real number.

If in (1.9) we substitute (1.10), we obtain

$$(1.12) \quad H(x_1 y_1, y_1 x_3 + y_3 x_1^3) = y_1 H(x_1, x_3) + x_1^6 H(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 15y_3 x_1^2 p(x_1^4 - x_1) + 20p(y_1^4 - y_1) x_1^3 x_3.$$

If in (1.12) we put  $x_1 = 1$  and  $y_3 = 0$ , then we get

$$(1.13) \quad H(y_1, y_1 x_3) = y_1 H(1, x_3) + H(y_1, 0) + 20p(y_1^4 - y_1) x_3.$$

Next setting  $y_1 = 1$  and  $x_3 = 0$  in (1.12) we have

$$(1.14) \quad H(x_1, y_3 x_1^3) = H(x_1, 0) + x_1^6 H(1, y_3) + 15y_3 x_1^2 p(x_1^4 - x_1),$$

and setting  $x_3 = y_3 = 0$  in (1.12) we get

$$(1.15) \quad H(x_1 y_1, 0) = y_1 H(x_1, 0) + x_1^6 H(y_1, 0).$$

By Theorem 1 in [2] it follows that the general solution of (1.15) is a family

$$(1.16) \quad H(x_1, 0) = l(x_1^6 - x_1),$$

where  $l$  is an arbitrary real number.

If in (1.12) we put  $x_1 = y_1 = 1$ , then we get

$$(1.17) \quad H(1, x_3 + y_3) = H(1, x_3) + H(1, y_3).$$

From the last equality it follows that the function

$$(1.18) \quad \phi(x) := H(1.x)$$

is additive.

If in (1.13) we assume  $u_3 = y_1 x_3$  ( $x_3 = \frac{u_3}{y_1}$ ) then due to (1.16) and (1.18) we get

$$(1.19) \quad H(y_1, u_3) = y_1 \phi\left(\frac{u_3}{y_1}\right) + l(y_1^6 - y_1) + 20p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3.$$

If in (1.14) we set  $u_3 = y_3 x_1^3$  ( $y_3 = \frac{u_3}{x_1^3}$ ) and  $x_1 = y_1$ , then in view of (1.16) and (1.18) we have

$$(1.20) \quad H(y_1, u_3) = l(y_1^6 - y_1) + y_1^6 \phi\left(\frac{u_3}{y_1^3}\right) + 15u_3 p(y_1^3 - 1).$$

Note that the left hand sides of (1.19) and (1.20) are equal, and so are the right hand sides. Hence

$$(1.21) \quad y_1 \phi\left(\frac{u_3}{y_1}\right) + 20p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3 = y_1^6 \phi\left(\frac{u_3}{y_1^3}\right) + 15p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3.$$

Let us consider the above equality only for  $y_1$  from the set of rational numbers. From this and from the fact that  $\phi$  is additive it follows that (1.21) takes the form

$$(1.22) \quad \phi(u_3) + 20p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3 = y_1^3 \phi(u_3) + 15p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3.$$

Therefore

$$\phi(u_3)(y_1^3 - 1) = 5p(y_1^3 - 1)u_3.$$

By the above equality it follows that

$$(1.23) \quad \phi(u_3) = 5pu_3.$$

Hence (1.19) takes the form

$$(1.24) \quad H(x_1, x_3) = 5px_3 + l(x_1^6 - x_1) + 20p(x_1^3 - 1)x_3$$

It is easily checked that every function of the form (1.24) satisfies the equation (1.12).

We then proved

**LEMMA 1.** *The general solution of the equation (1.12) is a family of functions of the form (1.24), where  $l$  is a real number.*

**THEOREM 1.** *The general solution of the system (1.7)–(1.9) is a family of triples of the form*

$$F(x_1, x_3) = p(x_1^4 - x_1),$$

$$G(x_1, x_3) = k(x_1^5 - x_1) + 5\frac{x_3^2}{x_1},$$

$$H(x_1, x_3) = l(x_1^6 - x_1) + 5px_3 + 20p(x_1^3 - 1)x_3,$$

where  $p, k, l$  belong to reals.

THEOREM 1'. Unique subsemigroups of the group  $\mathbf{L}_6^1$  of the form  $\mathbf{P}_{456}^o$  are the sets

$$\left\{ \left\langle x_1, 0, x_3, p(x_1^4 - x_1), k(x_1^5 - x_1) + 5\frac{x_3}{x_1}, l(x_1^6 - x_1) + 5px_3 + 20p(x_1^3 - 1)x_3 \right\rangle : \right. \\ \left. x_1 \in \mathbb{R}_0, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \right\},$$

where  $p, k, l$  are reals.

2. By  $f, g, h, H$  we denote functions such that  $f, g, h, H : \mathbb{R}_0 \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

Denote

$$(2.1) \quad \mathbf{P}_{2456} = \{ \langle x_1, f(x_1, x_3), x_3, g(x_1, x_3), h(x_1, x_3), H(x_1, x_3) \rangle : \\ x_1 \in \mathbb{R}_0, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \}.$$

Analogously as in the case of  $\mathbf{P}_{456}$  one proves that the set  $\mathbf{P}_{2456}$  is closed with respect to the operation (1.1) if and only if the functions  $f, g, h, H$  verify the following system of functional equations

$$(2.2) \quad f(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_3 + 3x_1 f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 f(x_1, x_3) + f(y_1, y_3) x_1^2,$$

$$(2.3) \quad g(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_3 + 3x_1 f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 g(x_1, x_3) + x_1^4 g(y_1, y_3) + 4f(y_1, y_3) x_1 x_3 + \\ + 6y_3 x_1^2 f(x_1, x_3) + 3f(y_1, y_3) f^2(x_1, x_3),$$

$$(2.4) \quad h(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_3 + 3x_1 f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 h(x_1, x_3) + x_1^5 h(y_1, y_3) + 10x_1^3 f(x_1, x_3) g(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 15x_1 f^2(x_1, x_3) y_3 + 10x_1^2 x_3 y_3 + 10x_3 f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 5x_1 g(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3),$$

$$(2.5) \quad H(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_3 + 3x_1 f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) + y_3 x_1^3) = \\ = y_1 H(x_1, x_3) + x_1^6 H(y_1, y_3) + 6x_1 f(y_1, y_3) h(x_1, x_3) + \\ + 15f(x_1, x_3) f(y_1, y_3) g(x_1, x_3) + 10x_3^2 f(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 15x_1^2 y_3 g(x_1, x_3) + 60y_3 x_1 x_3 f(x_1, x_3) + 20x_1^3 x_3 g(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 45x_1^2 f^2(x_1, x_3) g(y_1, y_3) + 15x_1^4 f(x_1, x_3) h(y_1, y_3).$$

In virtue of Theorem 1 in [9] the general solution of the system (2.2)–(2.4) are the family of triples of functions

$$(2.6) \quad f(x_1, x_3) = 0,$$

$$(2.7) \quad g(x_1, x_3) = p(x_1^4 - x_1),$$

$$(2.8) \quad h(x_1, x_3) = k(x_1^5 - x_1) + 5 \frac{x_3^2}{x_1},$$

where  $k$  and  $p$  are arbitrary real constants.

If in (2.5) we substitute (2.6), (2.7) and (2.8) then we get

$$(2.9) \quad H(y_1 x_1, y_1 x_3 + y_3 x_1^3) = y_1 H(x_1, x_3) + x_1^6 H(y_1, y_3) + \\ + 15 x_1^2 y_3 p (x_1^4 - x_1) + 20 x_1^3 x_3 p (y_1^4 - y_1)$$

Which is actually the equation (1.12).

It follows by Lemma 1 that the general solution of (2.9) constitutes a family of functions of the form

$$(2.10) \quad H(x_1, x_3) = l(x_1^6 - x_1) + 20p(x_1^3 - 1)x_3 + 5px_3$$

where  $l$  is arbitrary real.

**THEOREM 2.** *The general solution of the system (2.2)–(2.5) is a family of quadruples of functions (2.6)–(2.8) and (2.10), where  $p, k$  and  $l$  are arbitrary real numbers.*

**THEOREM 2'.** *Unique subsemigroups of the group  $\mathbf{L}_6^1$  of the form  $\mathbf{P}_{2456}$  are sets of the form*

$$\left\{ \left\langle x_1, 0, x_3, p(x_1^4 - x_1), k(x_1^5 - x_1) + 5 \frac{x_3}{x_1}, l(x_1^6 - x_1) + 20p(x_1^3 - 1)x_3 + 5px_3 \right\rangle : \right. \\ \left. x_1 \in \mathbb{R}_0, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \right\},$$

where  $p, k$  and  $l$  are arbitrary real numbers.

**3.** Let us denote

$$(3.1) \quad \mathbf{P}_{1456} = \{ \langle f_1(x_2, x_3), x_2, x_3, f_4(x_2, x_3), f_5(x_2, x_3), f_6(x_2, x_3) \rangle : \\ x_2, x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \},$$

where  $f_1 : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_o$ ,  $f_k : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  for  $k = 4, 5, 6$ .

Analogously as in case  $\mathbf{P}_{456}$  one shows that  $\mathbf{P}_{1456}$  is closed with respect (1.1) if and only if the functions  $f_1, f_4, f_5$  and  $f_6$  satisfy the system of functional equations:

$$(3.2) \quad f_1(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_3) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3), x_3 f_1(y_2, y_3) + \\ + 3x_2 y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) + y_3 f_1^3(x_2, x_3)) = f_1(x_2, x_3) f_1(y_2, y_3),$$

$$(3.3) \quad f_4(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_3) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3), x_3 f_1(y_2, y_3) + \\ + 3x_2 y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) + y_3 f_1^3(x_2, x_3)) = f_1(y_2, y_3) f_4(x_2, x_3) + \\ + f_4(y_2, y_3) f_1^4(x_2, x_3) + 4y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) x_3 + 6y_3 x_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3) + 3y_2 x_2^2,$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.4) \quad & f_5(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_3) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3), x_3 f_1(y_2, y_3) + \\
& + 3x_2 y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) + y_3 f_1^3(x_2, x_3)) = f_5(x_2, x_3) f_1(y_2, y_3) + \\
& + f_5(y_2, y_3) f_1^5(x_2, x_3) + 10 f_1^3(x_2, x_3) x_2 f_4(y_2, y_3) + \\
& + 15 f_1(x_2, x_3) x_2^2 y_3 + 10 x_3 y_3 f_1^2(x_2, x_3) + 10 x_2 x_3 y_2 + \\
& + 5 f_1(x_2, x_3) y_2 f_4(x_2, x_3), \\
(3.5) \quad & f_6(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_3) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3), x_3 f_1(y_2, y_3) + \\
& + 3x_2 y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) + y_3 f_1^3(x_2, x_3)) = f_1(y_2, y_3) f_6(x_2, x_3) + \\
& + f_6(y_2, y_3) f_1^6(x_2, x_3) + 6 y_2 f_1(x_2, x_3) f_5(x_2, x_3) + \\
& + 15 y_2 x_2 f_4(x_2, x_3) + 10 y_2 x_3^2 + 15 y_3 f_1^2(x_2, x_3) f_4(x_2, x_3) + \\
& + 60 y_3 x_2 x_3 f_1(x_2, x_3) + 20 x_3 f_1^3(x_2, x_3) f_4(y_2, y_3) + \\
& + 45 x_2^2 f_1^2(x_2, x_3) f_4(y_2, y_3) + 15 x_2 f_1^4(x_2, x_3) f_5(y_2, y_3).
\end{aligned}$$

Let us consider the system (3.2)–(3.5) in the class of functions

$$(3.6) \quad \text{functions } f_1(\bullet, 0), f_1(0, \bullet) \text{ are continuous.}$$

Under the above assumptions in view of Theorem 4 from [7] the system (3.2)–(3.3) has no solutions. Therefore one has

**THEOREM 3.** *In the class of functions (3.6) the system (3.2)–(3.5) does not have any solutions.*

**THEOREM 3'.** *There are no subsemigroups of the group  $L_1^6$  of the form  $\mathbf{P}_{1456}$  in the set of functions satisfying the assumption (3.6).*

Let us denote

$$(3.7) \quad \mathbf{P}_{1456}^o = \{(F_1(x_3), 0, x_3, F_4(x_3), F_5(x_3), F_6(x_3)) : x_3 \in \mathbb{R}\},$$

where  $F_i : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  for  $i = 4, 5, 6$  and  $F_1 : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ .

The set  $\mathbf{P}_{1456}^o$  is closed with respect to the operation (1.1) if and only if the functions  $F_1, F_4, F_5$  and  $F_6$  verify the following system of functional equations (one can obtain it from (3.2)–(3.5) putting  $x_2 = y_2 = 0$  and  $F_i = f_i$  for  $i = 1, 4, 5, 6$ ).

$$(3.8) \quad F_1(x_3 F_1(y_3) + y_3 F_1^3(x_3)) = F_1(x_3) F_1(y_3),$$

$$(3.9) \quad F_4(x_3 F_1(y_3) + y_3 F_1^3(x_3)) = F_1(y_3) F_4(x_3) + F_4(y_3) F_1^4(x_3),$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.10) \quad & F_5(x_3 F_1(y_3) + y_3 F_1^3(x_3)) = F_5(x_3) F_1(y_3) + F_5(y_3) F_1^5(x_3) + \\
& + 10 x_3 y_3 F_1^2(x_3),
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(3.11) \quad & F_6(x_3 F_1(y_3) + y_3 F_1^3(x_3)) = F_1(y_3) F_6(x_3) + F_6(y_3) F_1^6(x_3) + \\
& + 15 y_3 F_1^2(x_3) F_4(x_3) + 20 x_3 F_1^3(x_3) F_4(y_3).
\end{aligned}$$

Consider the system (3.8)–(3.11) in the class of functions verifying the assumptions

$$(3.12) \quad \text{function } F_1 \text{ is continuous,}$$

(3.13) function  $F_4$  is continuous at at least one point.

By (3.12) and Theorem 1 in [5] it follows that a unique solution of (3.8) is a constant function

$$(3.14) \quad F_1(x_3) = 1.$$

In view of (3.14) the equation (3.9) takes the form

$$(3.15) \quad F_4(x_3 + y_3) = F_4(x_3) + F_4(y_3).$$

The general solution of (3.15) in the class of functions satisfying (3.13) is a family of functions of the form

$$(3.16) \quad F_4(x_3) = cy_3,$$

where  $c$  is an arbitrary real number.

In view of (3.14), the equation (3.10) assumes the form

$$(3.17) \quad F_5(x_3 + y_3) = F_5(x_3) + F_5(y_3) + 10x_3y_3.$$

Let us consider

$$(3.18) \quad F(x + y) = F(x) + F(y) + bxy,$$

where  $F : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is an unknown function, and  $b \in \mathbb{R}$ .

It is easily checked that if  $F$  satisfies (3.18) then the function

$$\phi(x) = F(x) - \frac{b}{2}x^2$$

is additive. Each function of the form

$$(3.19) \quad F(x) = \phi(x) + \frac{b}{2}x^2,$$

where  $\phi$  is an arbitrary additive function verifies (3.18).

We have shown

**LEMMA 2.** *The general solution of the equation (3.18) is a family of functions of the form (3.19) where  $\phi$  is an additive function.*

In the general solution of the equation (3.17) is a family of functions of the form

$$(3.20) \quad F_5(x_3) = \phi(x_3) + 5x_3^2,$$

where  $\phi$  is an additive function.

Substituting (3.14), (3.16) in (3.11) we get

$$(3.21) \quad F_6(x_3 + y_3) = F_6(x_3) + F_6(y_3) + 35cx_3y_3.$$

It follows by Lemma 2 that the general solution of (3.21) is a family of functions of the form

$$(3.22) \quad F_6(x) = \psi(x) + 17,5x^2,$$

where  $\psi$  is an additive function.

We have proved

**THEOREM 4.** *The general solution of the system (2.8)–(2.11) in the function class (3.12) and (3.13) is a family of quadruples of functions of the form (3.14), (3.16), (3.20), (3.22), where  $c$  is an arbitrary real constant, and  $\phi, \psi$  are arbitrary additive functions.*

**THEOREM 4'.** *Unique sets of the form (3.7) closed with respect to (1.1) in the class of functions satisfying (3.12) and (3.13) are the sets*

$$\{(1, 0, x_3, cx_3, \phi(x_3) + 5x_3^2, \psi(x_3) + 17.5x_3^2) : x_3 \in \mathbb{R}\},$$

where  $c$  is a constant, and  $\phi, \psi$  are additive functions.

#### 4. Denote

$$(4.1) \quad \mathbf{P}_{1356} = \{ \langle f_1(x_2, x_4), x_2, f_3(x_2, x_4), x_4, f_5(x_2, x_4), f_6(x_2, x_4) \rangle : x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R} \}.$$

where  $f_l : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  for  $l = 3, 5, 6$ ,  $f_1 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ .

Similarly as in case of the set  $P_{456}$  one proves that the set  $\mathbf{P}_{1356}$  are closed with respect to (1.1) if and only if the functions  $f_1, f_3, f_5$  and  $f_6$  verify the system of functional equations:

$$(4.2) \quad f_1(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_4), x_4 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_4 f_1^4(x_2, x_4) + 4y_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 6f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1^2(x_2, x_4) x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2) = f_1(x_2, x_4) f_1(y_2, y_4),$$

$$(4.3) \quad f_3(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_4), x_4 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_4 f_1^4(x_2, x_4) + 4y_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 6f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1^2(x_2, x_4) x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2) = f_1(y_2, y_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 3y_2 x_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) + f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1^3(x_2, x_4),$$

$$(4.4) \quad f_5(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_4), x_4 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_4 f_1^4(x_2, x_4) + 4y_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 6f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1^2(x_2, x_4) x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2) = f_1(y_2, y_4) f_5(x_2, x_4) + f_1^5(x_2, x_4) f_5(y_2, y_4) + 10f_1^3(x_2, x_4) x_2 y_4 + 15f_1(x_2, x_4) x_2^2 f_3(y_2, y_4) + 10f_1^2(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) f_3(y_2, y_4) + 10x_2 y_2 f_3(x_2, x_4) + 5y_2 x_4 f_1(x_2, x_4),$$

$$(4.5) \quad f_6(x_2 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_2 f_1^2(x_2, x_4), x_4 f_1(y_2, y_4) + y_4 f_1^4(x_2, x_4) + 4y_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 6f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1^2(x_2, x_4) x_2 + 3y_2 x_2^2) = f_1(y_2, y_4) f_6(x_2, x_4) + f_6(y_2, y_4) f_1^6(x_2, x_4) + 6y_2 f_1(x_2, x_4) f_5(x_2, x_4) + 15y_2 x_2 x_4 + 10y_2 f_3^2(x_2, x_4) + 15f_1^2(x_2, x_4) f_3(y_2, y_4) x_4 + 60x_2 f_3(y_2, y_4) f_1(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) + 20f_1^3(x_2, x_4) f_3(x_2, x_4) y_4 + 45x_2^2 f_4(y_2, y_4) f_1^2(x_2, x_4) + 15x_2 f_1^4(x_2, x_4) x_2 f_5(y_2, y_4).$$

Let us consider (4.2)–(4.5) under the assumptions

(4.6) functions  $f_1(0, \cdot), f_1(\cdot, 0)$  are continuous,

(4.7) function  $f_3(0, \cdot)$  is continuous at a point.

In view of Theorem 3 in [9] the system (4.2)–(4.4) under the assumptions (4.6)–(4.7) has no solutions. Hence the following holds true.

**THEOREM 5.** *The system (4.2)–(4.5) in the class satisfying (4.6) and (4.7) has no solutions.*

**THEOREM 5'.** *The group  $L_6^1$  has no subsemigroups of the form (4.1) in the class of functions satisfying (4.6) and (4.7).*

Now we are concerned with the determination of subsemigroups of the group  $L_6^1$  of the form

$$(4.8) \quad P_{1356}^0 = \{(F_1(x_4), 0, F_3(x_4), x_4, F_5(x_4), F_6(x_4)) : x_4 \in \mathbb{R}\}.$$

where  $F_i : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  for  $i = 3, 5, 6$ ,  $f_1 : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_0$ .

The set  $P_{1356}^0$  is closed with respect to (1.1) if and only if the functions  $F_1, F_3, F_5, F_6$  satisfy the following system of functional equations (with results from (4.2)–(4.5) by putting  $x_2 = y_2 = 0$ ,  $x_4 = x$ ,  $y_4 = y$ , and  $F_i(x) = f_i(0, x)$  for  $i = 1, 3, 5, 6$ ).

$$(4.9) \quad F_1(xF_1(y) + yF_1^4(x)) = F_1(x)F_1(y),$$

$$(4.10) \quad F_3(xF_1(y) + yF_1^4(x)) = F_1(y)F_3(x) + F_1^3(x)F_3(y),$$

$$(4.11) \quad F_5(xF_1(y) + yF_1^4(x)) = F_1(y)F_5(x) + F_1^5(x)F_5(y) + 10F_1^2(x)F_3(x)F_3(y),$$

$$(4.12) \quad F_6(xF_1(y) + yF_1^4(x)) = F_1(y)F_6(x) + F_1^6(x)F_6(y) + 15F_1^2(x)F_3(y)x + 20F_1^3(x)F_3(x)y,$$

Let us consider (4.9)–(4.12) in the class of functions satisfying

(4.13)  $F_1$  is continuous,

(4.14)  $F_3$  is continuous at at least one point.

By (4.13) and Theorem 1 in [5] one has that a unique solution of the equation (4.9) is a constant function

$$(4.15) \quad F_1(x) = 1.$$

Then (4.10) takes the form

$$(4.16) \quad F_3(x + y) = F_3(x) + F_3(y).$$

A solution of the equation (4.16) in the class (4.14) is a family of functions of the form

$$(4.17) \quad F_3(x) = dx,$$

where  $d$  is any real.

Substituting (4.15) and (4.17) in (4.11) we have

$$(4.18) \quad F_5(x+y) = F_5(x) + F_5(y) + 10d^2xy.$$

In view of Lemma 2 the general solution of (4.18) is a family of functions of the form

$$(4.19) \quad F_5(x) = a_1(x) + 5d^2x^2,$$

where  $a_1$  is an additive function.

If we substitute (4.17) in (4.12) we get

$$(4.20) \quad F_6(x+y) = F_6(x) + F_6(y) + 35dxy.$$

By Lemma 2 the general solution of (4.20) is a family of functions of the form

$$(4.21) \quad F_6(x) = a_2(x) + 17,5dx^2,$$

where  $a_2$  is an additive function.

Observe that under the assumptions (4.13) and (4.14) we solved the system (4.9)–(4.12) similarly as (3.8)–(3.11) under the assumptions (3.12) and (3.13).

We then have

**THEOREM 6.** *The general solution of the system (4.9)–(4.12) in the class of functions satisfying (4.13), (4.14) is a family of functional quadruples (4.15), (4.17), (4.19) and (4.21), where  $d \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a_1, a_2$  are additive functions.*

**THEOREM 6'.** *Unique sets of the form (4.8) closed with respect to the operation (1.1) in the class of functions satisfying (4.13) and (4.14) are the sets*

$$\{(1, 0, dx, x, a_1(x) + 5d^2x^2, a_2(x) + 17,5dx^2) : x \in \mathbb{R}\},$$

where  $d$  is a constant, and  $a_1, a_2$  are additive functions.

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