

On the Weakened Properties of Analytic Independence and Extensions of the Analytic Spread to an Axis-Quasi-Graduation of Ring

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Abstract

In this paper, we define a family of subgroups in an arbitrarily chosen commutative and unitary ring. These families obey a certain compatibility and are called axis-quasi-graduations of ring which are in general not quasi-graduations and filtrations. We will extend the concept of analytic width to this notion of axis-quasi-graduation of ring through the notion of analytically independent elements. This leads us to the study of three weakened notions of J -independence that we will use in this document to introduce new extensions of the analytic spread with respect to axis-quasi-graduations. The last part of our manuscript will be devoted to studying these new extensions in order to give some properties that characterize these new notions and those that already exist.

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1. INTRODUCTION

All rings used in our work are assumed to be commutative and unitary, and an ideal of a ring is different from the ring itself. The study of weakened properties of analytic independence and extensions of analytic spread is a subject of much thought in commutative algebra due to its richness. This concept represents a rich and complex area in filtration theory since its introduction by Northcott and Rees in [7] to ideals and then extended to filtrations a few years later by J. S. Okon in [8]. In 2002 Youssouf M. Diagana became the first African author to introduce this notion to quasi-graduations in [5]. Many other authors have made important extensions of the analytic spread following several approaches and have obtained very good results which are related to certain characteristics of commutative algebra and to applications in algebraic geometry.

In [2] Brou and Diagana used the concepts of weakened analytic independence of quasi-graduations which are a generalization of filtrations and this allowed to obtain important results on the extensions of the analytic spread. In this work, we focus on axis-quasi-graduations of ring defined as families which also respect three compatibility properties like quasi-graduations, but the big difference between these two notions (quasi-graduation and axis-quasi-graduation) is at the level of the third property, which makes axis-quasi-graduation a superb generalization of quasi-graduations.

We also highlight the implications of these concepts on the characteristics of commutative algebra such as Krull dimension, transcendence degree which are essential elements in the analysis of algebraic structures. This paper aims to establish new results on the analytic spread of order k , as well as its extensions with emphasis on the arithmetic and algebraic aspects of axis-quasi-graduations. Through illustrative examples and rigorous demonstrations, we hope to contribute to a better understanding of the dynamics underlying these analytical properties established in this manuscript.

2. GENERALITY ON AXIS-QUASI-GRADUATIONS

2.1. Definitions.

Definition 2.1.1. *Let \mathcal{B} be a ring and $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ be a family of subgroups of \mathcal{B} . We say that g is an axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} if:*

- (1) G_0 is a subring of \mathcal{B}
- (2) $G_\infty = (0)$
- (3) $G_p G_q \subseteq G_0 G_{p+q} \quad \forall p, q \in \mathbb{N}$.

Example 2.1.1. Let $\mathcal{B} = \mathbb{R}$ and $g = (G_n)$ be a family defined by:

$$\begin{cases} G_n = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{p}] , & \text{if } n \leq 0 ; \\ G_\infty = (0) ; \\ G_n = \left(\frac{q}{r}\right)^n \sqrt{p}^{n+1} \mathbb{Z} , & \text{if } n \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

where p, q and r are pairwise distinct prime numbers. We can clearly see that $g = (G_n)$ is a family of subgroups of \mathcal{B} . And we show that g is an axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B}

Remark 2.1.1. By definition, any quasi-graduation of ring \mathcal{B} is an axis-quasi-graduation of this ring and through **the example 2.1.1** we have:

$$\forall n \geq 1, G_0 G_n = \left(\mathbb{Z} + \sqrt{p}\mathbb{Z}\right) \left(\frac{q}{r}\right)^n \sqrt{p}^{n+1} \mathbb{Z} = G_n + G_0 G_n \neq G_n$$

this shows that the axis-quasi-graduation are not necessarily quasi-graduations because for a quasi-graduation $\forall n, G_0 G_n = G_n$.

2.2. Other types of axis-quasi-ring graduation.

Definition 2.2.1. Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $k \in \mathbb{N}^* \cup \{+\infty\}$. We have the following notions:

1-2-1) We say that g is an **k -axis-quasi-filtration** if g is k -decreasing, that is: $\forall i \geq 0, (G_0 G_{n+ik}) \cap (G_0 G_n) \subseteq (G_0 G_{n+k}) \cap (G_0 G_n)$

1-2-2) We say that g is an **axe-quasi-filtration** if the sequence $(G_0 G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$ is decreasing.

Remark 2.2.1. Any decreasing axis-pregraduation is an axis-quasi-filtration.

3. GENERALIZED ANALYTICAL INDEPENDENCE AND EXTENSIONS OF ANALYTIC SPREAD

3.1. Concept of J -independence.

Definition 3.1.1. Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ an axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} , $k \in \mathbb{N}^* \cup \{+\infty\}$, J an ideal of G_0 and a_1, \dots, a_r elements of \mathcal{B} . We have the following definitions:

2-0-1) Suppose that $J + (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$, the elements a_1, \dots, a_r are J -independent of order k with respect to g if the following assertions are verified:

i) $a_1, \dots, a_r \in \mathcal{A}G_1$,

ii) For any homogeneous polynomial $\mathcal{P} \in G_0[X_1, \dots, X_r]$ of degree s , the relation $\mathcal{P}(a_1, \dots, a_r) \in JG_s + (G_0 G_{s+k})$ implies that $\mathcal{P} \in (J + G_0 G_k)$.

2-0-2) The elements a_1, \dots, a_r are regularly J -independent of order k with respect to g if there exists a natural number $p \geq 1$ such that $J + (G_0 G_{pk}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$ and a_1, \dots, a_r are J -independent of order k with

respect to $g^{(p)}$. From the previous definitions, we pose:

-) We call J -**analytic spread** of order k of g the number:

$$\ell_J(g, k) = \sup \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J, J - \text{independent} \\ \text{of order } k \text{ with respect to } g \end{array} \right\}$$

-) We call J -**regular analytic spread** of order k of g the number:

$$\ell_J^a(g, k) = \sup \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J \text{ regularly } J - \text{independent} \\ \text{of order } k \text{ with respect to } g \end{array} \right\}$$

-) $\sup J = \sup \left\{ r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J, J - \text{independents} \right\}$

3.2. Weakened notions of J -independence.

Definition 3.2.1. Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ an axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} , $k \in \mathbb{N}^* \cup \{+\infty\}$, J an ideal of G_0 and a_1, \dots, a_r the elements of \mathcal{B} . We have the following definitions :

2-2-1) The elements a_1, \dots, a_r are **additively J -independent** of order k with respect to g if there exists a strictly increasing sequence of integers $(\mu_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{\infty\}}$ such as $\mu_0 = 0, \mu_\infty = +\infty, J + (G_0 G_{\mu_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$ and $G_{\mu_{p_1} + \mu_{p_2} + \dots + \mu_{p_m}} = G_{\mu_{p_1} + \mu_{p_2} + \dots + \mu_{p_m}}, \forall m, p_1, \dots, p_m \in \mathbb{N}^*,$ with a_1, \dots, a_r J -independent of order k with respect (G_{μ_n}) .

2-2-2) The elements a_1, \dots, a_r are **quasi J -independent** of order k with respect to g if there exists a strictly increasing sequence of integers $(\mu_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{\infty\}}$ such as $\mu_0 = 0, \mu_\infty = +\infty, J + (G_0 G_{\mu_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$ and $G_{\mu_{p_1} + \mu_{p_2} + \dots + \mu_{p_m}} \subseteq G_0 G_{\mu_{p_1} + \mu_{p_2} + \dots + \mu_{p_m}}, \forall m, p_1, \dots, p_m \in \mathbb{N}^*,$ with a_1, \dots, a_r J -independent of order k with respect to (G_{μ_n}) . Under these conditions, we have:

$$G_{\mu_p}^m \subseteq G_0 G_{m\mu_p} \subseteq G_0 G_{\mu_{mp}}, \forall p \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ et } \forall m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

2-2-3) The elements a_1, \dots, a_r are **weakly J -independent** of order k with respect to g if there exists a strictly increasing sequence of integers $(\mu_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{\infty\}}$ such that $\mu_0 = 0, \mu_\infty = +\infty, J + (G_0 G_{\mu_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$ and $G_{\mu_p} G_{\mu_q} \subseteq G_0 G_{\mu_{p+q}}, \forall p, q \in \mathbb{Z},$ with a_1, \dots, a_r J -independent of order k with respect to (G_{μ_n}) . Note that: $G_{\mu_p}^m \subseteq G_0 G_{\mu_{mp}}, \forall p \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ et } \forall m \in \mathbb{N}.$

These defined notions lead to the following extensions of the analytic spread of an axis-quasi-graduation :

-) We call J -**additive analytic spread** of order k of g the number:

$$\ell_J^+(g, k) = \sup \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J \text{ additively } J - \text{independent} \\ \text{of order } k \text{ with respect to } g \end{array} \right\}$$

-) We call **quasi J - analytic spread** of order k of g the number:

$$\ell_J^q(g, k) = \sup \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J \text{ quasi } J - \text{independent} \\ \text{of order } k \text{ with respect to } g \end{array} \right\}$$

•) We call J - **weak analytic spread** of order k of g the number:

$$\ell_J^*(g, k) = \sup \left\{ r \in \mathbb{N} : \exists a_1, \dots, a_r \in J \text{ weakly } J\text{-independent} \right. \\ \left. \text{of order } k \text{ with respect to } g \right\}$$

Proposition 3.2.1. Let \mathcal{B} be a ring and $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ be an axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} . Let $k \in \overline{\mathbb{N}}^*$ and J be an ideal of G_0 . We have the following inequalities :

$$1) \ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k)$$

2) Suppose that $\forall i \geq 0, J \supseteq (G_0 G_{i+k}) \cap G_0$, we have :

$$i) \ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \sup J$$

If moreover G_0 is Noetherian and if $P \in \text{Spec}(G_0)$ on J , then :

$$\ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \sup J \leq \text{ht}(J) \leq \dim(G_0)_P < +\infty$$

$$ii) \ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$$

If moreover G_0 is Noetherian and if $P \in \text{Spec}(G_0)$ on J , then :

$$\ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J \leq \text{ht}(J) \leq \dim(G_0)_P < +\infty$$

Proof 3.2.1. The first inequality follows from the previous definitions. 2) In this section, we will assume that $\forall i \geq 0, J \supseteq (G_0 G_{i+k}) \cap G_0$.

i) Let us show that $\ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \sup J$.

Let us assume that the elements a_1, \dots, a_r are quasi J -independent of order k with respect to g , then:

•) There exists a strictly increasing sequence of integers $(s_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ such that $s_0 = 0, s_\infty = +\infty, J + (G_0 G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$,

••) $G_{s_{p_1} + s_{p_2} + \dots + s_{p_m}} \subseteq G_0 G_{s_{p_1} + p_2 + \dots + p_m}, \forall m, p_1, p_2, \dots, p_m \in \mathbb{N}^*$, with a_1, \dots, a_r J -independent of order k with respect to (G_{s_n}) . For any homogeneous polynomial $\mathcal{F} \in G_0[X_1, \dots, X_r]$, the relation $\mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r) = 0$ (resp. $\mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r) \in JI^d + I^{d+\lambda+k}$) with $d = \deg \mathcal{F}$ and $I = (a_1, \dots, a_r)_{G_0}$ the sub- G_0 -module of \mathcal{B} (and of $G_0 G_{s_1}$) generated by the elements a_1, \dots, a_r . Let us set $t = \mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r)$, so we have ,

$t \in [JG_{s_1}^d + G_0 G_{s_1}^{d+\lambda+k}] \cap G_{s_1}^d \Rightarrow t \in JG_{s_d} + G_0 [G_{s(d+\lambda+k)} \cap G_{s_d}]$. Since the elements a_1, \dots, a_r are J -independent of order k relatively to (G_{s_n}) then all the coefficients of \mathcal{F} are in $J + (G_0 G_{s_{k+\lambda}}) \cap G_0$, by hypothesis it results that:

$J + (G_0 G_{s_{k+\lambda}}) \cap G_0 = J = J + (G_0 G_{k+\lambda}) \cap G_0 = J + I^{k+\lambda} \cap G_0 \subseteq J + I^{k+\lambda}$ for all $\lambda \in \{(n-1)k, \dots, +\infty\}$. By following $\ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \sup J$ and using 1) we obtain i) .

If in addition the ring G_0 is Noetherian and if P is an ideal of G_0 prime over J then, $\sup J \leq \text{ht} J \leq \dim(G_0)_P = \text{ht} P \leq +\infty$.

ii) Let us show that $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$.

For this we will assume that the elements a_1, \dots, a_r are weakly J -independent

of order k relative to g if there exists a strictly increasing sequence of integers $(s_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{\infty\}}$ such that $s_0 = 0$, $s_\infty = +\infty$, $J + (G_0 G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$ and $G_{s_p} G_{s_q} \subseteq G_0 G_{s_{p+q}}$, $\forall p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$, with a_1, \dots, a_r J -independent of order k relative to (G_{μ_n}) . For any homogeneous polynomial $\mathcal{F} \in G_0[X_1, \dots, X_r]$, the relation $\mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r) = 0$ (resp. $\mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r) \in JI^d + I^{d+k}$) with $d = \deg \mathcal{F}$ and $I = (a_1, \dots, a_r)_{G_0}$ the sub- G_0 -module of \mathcal{B} (and of $G_0 G_{s_1}$) generated by the elements a_1, \dots, a_r . Let us set $t = \mathcal{F}(a_1, \dots, a_r)$, so we have ,
 $t \in [JG_{s_1}^d + G_0 G_{s_1}^{d+k}] \cap G_{s_1}^d \Rightarrow t \in JG_{s_d} + G_0 [G_{s(d+k)} \cap G_{s_d}]$ therefore,
 $\mathcal{F} \in (J + (G_0 G_{s_k}) \cap G_0) [X_1, \dots, X_r]$ or $J + (G_0 G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 = J = J + I^k \cap G_0$.
 Which proves that we actually have r elements J -independent (resp. of order k). From where $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$ and according to inequality 1) we have:
 $\ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$.
 If furthermore the ring G_0 is Noetherian and if P is an ideal of G_0 prime over J then, $\sup J \leq ht J \leq \dim(G_0)_P = ht P \leq +\infty$. Hence the desired result.

4. WEAKENED PROPERTIES OF J -INDEPENDENCE

4.1. Some Arithmetic Properties on Axis-Quasi-Graduation.

Proposition 4.1.1. *Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $k \in \overline{\mathbb{N}}^*$, $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ be a quasi-graduation axis of \mathcal{B} . Let u, v be two natural numbers such that u divides v and P be a prime ideal of G_0*

$$(3.1.1) \ P \supseteq G_v \cap G_0 \implies P \supseteq (G_0 G_u) \cap G_0 .$$

(3.1.2) $P \supseteq G_{kn} \cap G_0, \forall n \geq 1 \implies P \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0$, so if there $\exists n \geq 1$ such that $P \supseteq G_{kn} \cap G_0$ then $P \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0$.

(3.1.3) If $k \neq \infty$ and $\forall i \geq 1$, we have: $P \supseteq G_{ik} \cap G_0 \implies P \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0$.

(3.1.4) If we assume that $G_{kn} \cap G_0 \subseteq G_k \cap G_0$, then we have the following equivalences:

i) $\exists n \geq 1 : P \supseteq G_{kn} \cap G_0 \Rightarrow P \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0 \Leftrightarrow P \supseteq (G_0 G_{ik}) \cap G_0, \forall i \geq 0$.

ii) Si $k \neq \infty, \exists n \geq 1 : P \supseteq G_{kn} \cap G_0 \Rightarrow P \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0 \Leftrightarrow P \supseteq (G_0 G_i) \cap G_0, \forall i \geq 0$.

4.2. Weakening and comparison.

Theorem 4.2.1. *Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $k \in \overline{\mathbb{N}}^*$, $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ be a axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} and J be a strict ideal of G_0 .*

1- We have :

i) If g is an k -axis-quasi-graduation and if $J \supseteq (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0$ (in particular if k is infinite), then:

$$\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J(g^{(p^n)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k), \forall n, p \in \mathbb{N}^*.$$

ii) Let P be an ideal of G_0 prime over J . The relation $J \supseteq (G_0 G_{i+k}) \cap G_0$ (in particular if k is infinite) implies the following inequalities:

$\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J \leq \sup P$. If moreover G_0 is Noetherian then:
 $\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J \leq \sup P \leq \text{ht}P < +\infty, \forall n, p \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

iii) We assume that for all $i \geq 1, G_{ik} \cap G_0 \subseteq G_k \cap G_0$, let P be an ideal of G_0 prime over $J + (G_0 G_k) \cap G_0$ (in particular if k is infinite) and P be an ideal of G_0 prime over J , then we have: $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$. Moreover if G_0 is Noetherian then for all $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$, then:

$\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J \leq \sup P \leq \text{ht}P < +\infty$.

iv) If G_0 is Noetherian and if P is a maximal ideal of G_0 , then:

$\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup P \leq \text{ht}P < +\infty$, thus $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ we have:

$\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) < +\infty$.

2- We assume that the following conditions are met:

$C_1 : J \supseteq (G_0 G_{i+k}) \cap G_0, \forall i \geq 0$

$C_2 : (G_{n+ik} \cap G_n)_{i \geq 0}$ is decreasing $\forall n \geq 0$. So we have:

i) $\exists k_0 \in \mathbb{N}^*$ such that $\ell_J^q(g, k) = \ell_J(g^{(nk_0)}, k), \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

ii) $\ell_J^q(g, k) = \sup \{ \ell_J(g^{(n)}, k), n \in \mathbb{N}^* \} = \ell_J^a(g, k) = \ell_J^+(g, k)$.

iii) $\ell_J^q(g, k) = \ell_J^q(g^{(p)}, k), \forall p \in \mathbb{N}^*$

Proof 4.2.1. (1)-

i-(a) $\ell_J(g, k) \leq \ell_J(g^{(p)}, k), \forall p \geq 1$, indeed if r elements a_1, \dots, a_r of J are J -independent of order k with respect to $g, \forall \mathcal{P} \in G_0[X_1, \dots, X_r]$ homogeneous polynomial of degree d , the relation:

$$\mathcal{P}(a_1^p, \dots, a_r^p) \in JG_{dp} + G_0 G_{dp+pk} \implies \mathcal{P}(a_1^p, \dots, a_r^p) \in \left[JG_{dp} + G_0 (G_{(dp+pk)} \cap G_{dp}) \right] \subseteq JG_{dp} + G_0 (G_{(dp+k)} \cap G_{dp}) \text{ as a result, we have:}$$

$\mathcal{P} \in (J + (G_0 G_{pk} \cap G_0)) [X_1, \dots, X_r]$. So the r elements a_1^p, \dots, a_r^p are J -independent of order k with respect to $g^{(p)}$.

i-(b) Let $n \geq 1$, suppose that elements a_1, \dots, a_r of J are J -independent of order k with respect to $g^{(n)}$ then it is clear that they are regularly J -independent of order k with respect to g and we have: $\ell_J^a(g, k) \geq r$, consequently $\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k)$.

So $\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J([g^{(n)}]^{(p)}, k) = \ell_J(g^{(pn)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k), \forall p \geq 1$. According to the **Proposition 3.2.1** we have:

$\ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) \leq \ell_J(g^{(pn)}, k) \leq \ell_J^a(g, k) \leq \ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k), \forall n, p \in \mathbb{N}^*$.

(ii) If elements a_1, \dots, a_r of J are J -independent of order k with respect

to (G_{s_k}) with $G_{s_p}G_{s_q} \subseteq G_0G_{s_{p+q}}$ for all integers p and q , then they are J -independent.

If $\mathcal{P} \in G_0[X_1, \dots, X_r]$ is a homogeneous polynomial with $\mathcal{P}(a_1, \dots, a_r) = 0$, then P has its coefficients in $J + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 = J$ because the sequence (s_n) is increasing. Thus $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup J$ and we conclude with the **Proposition 3.2.1** and the fact that if G_0 is Noetherian then $\sup P \leq htP < +\infty$.

(iii) In the same way as before, if elements a_1, \dots, a_r of J are J -independent of order k with respect to (G_{s_k}) with $G_{s_p}G_{s_q} \subseteq G_0G_{s_{p+q}}$ for all integers p and q , then they are P -independent. If \mathcal{P} is a homogeneous polynomial with coefficients in G_0 and with r indeterminate with $\mathcal{P}(a_1, \dots, a_r) = 0$ which implies that \mathcal{P} has its coefficients in $J + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \subseteq P + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0$.

- If k is infinite then $J + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 = J \subseteq P$,

- Otherwise like $P \supseteq (G_0G_k) \cap G_0$, according to **Proposition 4.1.1** it results that $P \supseteq (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \Rightarrow P + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 = P$.

Then $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup P$ and if G_0 is Noetherian $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup P \leq htP < +\infty$.

iv) If P is a maximal ideal of G_0 and if $\ell_P^*(g, k) \neq 0$, then there exist elements a_1, \dots, a_r of P ; P -independent of order k relative to $(G_{s_n})_n$ with the relation $(G_{s_p})(G_{s_q}) \subseteq G_0G_{s_{p+q}}$ for all p, q . The elements a_1, \dots, a_r are also P -independent: if \mathcal{P} is a homogeneous polynomial, with coefficients in G_0 and with r indeterminate with $\mathcal{P}(a_1, \dots, a_r) = 0$,

then $\mathcal{P} \in \left(P + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \right) [X_1, \dots, X_r]$. Since $P + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 \neq G_0$

and in addition P is maximal, it follows that $P + (G_0G_{s_k}) \cap G_0 = P$. Consequently $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup P$ and if G_0 is Noetherian, we have: $\ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup P \leq htP < +\infty$ 2- Let us prove assertions i) and ii). According to the assertions 1 - (i) and 1 - (ii) we have: $\ell_J^+(g, k) \leq \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J^*(g, k) \leq \sup(J)$. Let us assume that $\ell_J^q(g, k) \neq 0$, or an integer $r \leq \ell_J^q(g, k)$, then there exists a sequence of integers $(s_n)_n$ such that $G_{s_{p_1} + \dots + s_{p_n}} \subseteq G_{s_{p_1} + \dots + p_n}$, $\forall m, p_1, \dots, p_m \in \mathbb{N}^*$ and elements $b_1, \dots, b_r \in (G_0G_{s_1}) \cap J$, J -independent of order k with respect to (G_{s_n}) . Do we have $\forall p \geq 1, b_1^p, \dots, b_r^p$ J -independent of order k with respect to $g^{(ps_1)} = (G_{ps_1})_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$? If \mathcal{F} is a homogeneous polynomial of degree d with coefficients in G_0 with r indeterminate, we have: $\mathcal{F}(b_1^p, \dots, b_r^p) =$

$$\sum_{i_1 + i_2 + \dots + i_r = d} \beta_{i_1 \dots i_r} (b_1^p)^{i_1} \dots (b_r^p)^{i_r}, \text{ let } x = \mathcal{F}(b_1^p, \dots, b_r^p).$$

$$x \in JG_{ps_1d} + \left(G_0G_{ps_1(d+k)} \right) \Rightarrow x \in JG_{ps_1d} + \left(G_{ps_1d+ps_1k} \cap G_{ps_1d} \right), \text{ or}$$

$$JG_{ps_1d} + \left(G_{ps_1d+ps_1k} \cap G_{ps_1d} \right) \subseteq JG_{ps_1d} + G_0 \left(G_{ps_1d+s_1k} \cap G_{ps_1d} \right) \text{ therefore}$$

$$x \in JG_{s_{pd}} + G_0 \left(G_{s_{pd+k}} \cap G_{s_{pd}} \right) \Rightarrow \beta_{i_1 \dots i_r} \in J + G_0G_{s_k} \cap G_0 = J = J + G_0G_{ps_1k} \cap G_0, \text{ indeed } k \leq s_k \text{ and } k \leq ps_1k. \text{ Consequently } \ell_J^q(g, k) \leq \ell_J(g^{(ps_1)}, k) \text{ and } 1-(i)$$

entail the equality of $\ell_J^q(g, k)$ with all $\ell_J(g^{(p^{s_1})}, k)$ as well as with $\ell_J^a(g, k)$ and $\ell_J^+(g, k)$.

Let us prove (iii). Referring to assertions 1 – (i) and 2 – (ii), we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \ell_J^q(g, k) &= \sup \left\{ \ell_J(g^{(n)}, k) ; n \in \mathbb{N}^* \right\} \leq \sup \left\{ \ell_J(g^{(p^n)}, k) ; n \in \mathbb{N}^* \right\} \leq \ell_J^q(g, k), \\ \ell_J^q(g, k) &= \sup \left\{ \ell_J(g^{(p^n)}, k) ; n \in \mathbb{N}^* \right\} = \ell_J^q(g^{(n)}, k) \text{ et } \ell_J^q(g, k) = \ell_J^a(g, k) = \ell_J^+(g, k) \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 4.2.1. *Let \mathcal{B} be a ring, $m \in \mathbb{N}^*$, $k \in \overline{\mathbb{N}^*}$ and $g = (G_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z} \cup \{+\infty\}}$ a axis-quasi-graduation of \mathcal{B} . Assume that G_0 is Noetherian and that g is m -regular. Let J be a proper ideal of G_0 such that $J \supseteq (G_0 G_{i+k}) \cap G_0$, $\forall i \geq 0$. If g is k -decreasing then we have:*

- i) $\ell_J^a(g, k) = \ell_J^a(G_{mn}, k) = \ell_J^q(g, k)$, $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$.
- ii) $\exists p \in \mathbb{N}^*$ multiple of m such that $\ell_J^a(g, k) = \ell_J^a(G_{pn}, k)$, $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$.
- iii) $\ell_J^a(g, k) = \sup \left\{ \ell_J(G_{mn}, k) ; \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \right\}$
- iv) The sequence $n \mapsto \ell_J(G_{mn}, k)$ is increasing and converges to the integer $\ell_J^a(g, k)$.
- v) The sequence $n \mapsto \ell_J(G_n, k)$ converges to the integer $\ell_J^a(g, k)$.

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