PROPERTIES OF GENERALIZED BIPRODUCT HOPF ALGEBRAS

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ABSTRACT. The biproduct bialgebra has been generalized to generalized biproduct bialgebra $B \times_H^L D$ in [5]. Let (D,B) be an admissible pair and let D be a bialgebra. We show that if generalized biproduct bialgebra $B \times_H^L D$ is a Hopf algebra with antipode s, then D is a Hopf algebra and the identity id_B has an inverse in the convolution algebra $Hom_k(B,B)$. We show that if D is a Hopf algebra with antipode s_D and $s_B \in Hom_k(B,B)$ is an inverse of id_B then $B \times_H^L D$ is a Hopf algebra with antipode s described by $s(b \times_H^L d) = \sum (1_B \times_H^L s_D(b_{-1} \cdot d))(s_B(b_0) \times_H^L 1_D)$. We show that the mapping system $B \rightleftharpoons_{j_B}^{\Pi_B} B \times_H^L D \rightleftharpoons_{i_D}^{\pi_D} D$ (where j_B and i_D are the canonical inclusions, Π_B and π_D are the canonical coalgebra projections) characterizes $B \times_H^L D$. These generalize the corresponding results in [6].

The usual smash product A # H of an H-module algebra A and a Hopf algebra H has been defined in [7] or [8] and Molnar constructed a smash coproduct $C \sharp H$ of an H-comodule coalgebra C and a Hopf algebra H in [4].

DEFINITION 1 [1]. Let H be a bialgebra over a field k and C be a left H-comodule coalgebra. Let E be a left H-module coalgebra. The *generalized* smash coproduct $C\sharp_H^L E$ is defined to be $C\otimes_k E$ as a vector space with comultiplication given by

$$\Delta(c\sharp_H^L e) = \Sigma(c_1\sharp_H^L c_{2,-1} \cdot e_1) \otimes (c_{2,0}\sharp_H^L e_2)$$

and counit

$$\varepsilon(c\sharp_H^L e) = \varepsilon_C(c)\varepsilon_E(e)$$

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for all $c \in C$, $e \in E$.

It is straightforward to show that $\pi_C: C \not \models E \longrightarrow C$, $c \not \models e \longmapsto c \varepsilon_E(e)$ and $\pi_E: C \not \models E \longrightarrow E$, $c \not \models e \longmapsto \varepsilon_C(c)e$ are coalgebra surjections since C is a left H-comodule coalgebra and E is a left H-module coalgebra.

DEFINITION 2 [2]. Let H be a bialgebra over a field k and A be a left H-module algebra. Let D be a left H-comodule algebra. The *generalized* smash product $A\#_H^L D$ is defined to be $A \otimes_k D$ as a vector space, with multiplication given by

$$(a\#_H^L d)(b\#_H^L e) = \Sigma a(d_{-1} \cdot b)\#_H^L d_0 e$$

and unit $1_A \otimes 1_D$ for all $a, b \in A$ and $d, e \in D$.

It is straightforward to show that $i_A:A\longrightarrow A\#^L_HD$, $a\longmapsto a\#^L_H1_D$ and $i_D:D\longrightarrow A\#^L_HD$, $d\longmapsto 1_A\#^L_Hd$ are algebra maps since A is a left H-module algebra and D is a left H-comodule algebra.

DEFINITION 3 [5]. Let H be a bialgebra over a field k. Let B be a left H-module algebra and a left H-comodule coalgebra. Let D be a left H-comodule algebra and a left H-module coalgebra. The generalized biproduct $B \times_H^L D$ of B and D is defined to be $B \#_H^L D$ as an algebra and $B \#_H^L D$ as a coalgebra.

EXAMPLE 1. A bialgebra H is a left H-comodule algebra via Δ_H because Δ_H is an algebra map. H is a left H-module coalgebra via m_H because m_H is a coalgebra map. The generalized biproduct $B \times_H^L H$ is a biproduct $B \times H$ in [3].

DEFINITION 4. Let H be a bialgebra over k. B is called a left-left H-crossed module crossed algebra if B is a left H-module algebra and is a left H-comodule coalgebra such that $\varepsilon_B(h \cdot b) = \varepsilon_H(h)\varepsilon_B(b)$, $b \in B, h \in H$ and $\psi_B(1_B) = 1_H \otimes 1_B$. D is called a left-left H-crossed comodule crossed algebra if D is a left H-comodule algebra and a left H-module coalgebra such that $h \cdot 1_D = \varepsilon_H(h)1_D$, $h \in H$, $\Sigma d_{-1}\varepsilon_D(d_0) = \varepsilon_D(d)1_H$, $d \in D$ and $\varepsilon_D(1_D) = 1_k$.

EXAMPLE 2. Let B be a left H-module algebra, a left H-comodule coalgebra, a left H-module coalgebra and a left H-comodule algebra. Then B is a left-left H-crossed module crossed algebra. Let the bialgebra D be a left H-comodule algebra, a left H-module coalgebra, a left H-comodule coalgebra and a left H-module algebra. Then D is a left-left H-crossed comodule crossed algebra.

The followings generalize the corresponding results in [6].

PROPOSITION 1. Let H be a bialgebra over k. Suppose B is a left-left H-crossed module crossed algebra and D is a left-left H-crossed comodule crossed algebra. Then the followings are equivalent;

- (1) $(B \times_H^L D, m_{B\#_H^L} D, \eta_{B\#_H^L} D, \Delta_{B\#_H^L} D, \varepsilon_{B\#_H^L} D)$ is a bialgebra.
- (2) ε_B and ε_D are algebra maps, $\Delta_B(1_B) = 1_B \otimes 1_B$, $\Delta_D(1_D) = 1_D \otimes 1_D$, and the identities

(i)
$$\Sigma 1_B \times_H^L (b_{-1} \cdot d_1)(b'_{-1} \cdot d'_1) \otimes b_0(d_{2,-1} \cdot b'_0) \times_H^L d_{2,0} d'_2$$

= $\Sigma 1_B \times_H^L [b(d_{-1} \cdot b')]_{-1} \cdot (d_{0,1} d'_1) \otimes [b(d_{-1} \cdot b')]_0 \times_H^L d_{0,2} d'_2$.

(ii)
$$\Sigma[b(d_{-1} \cdot b')]_1 \times_H^L 1_D \otimes [b(d_{-1} \cdot b')]_2 \times_H^L d_0 d'$$

= $\Sigma b_1 b'_1 \times_H^L 1_D \otimes b_2 (d_{-1} \cdot b'_2) \times_H^L d_0 d'$

(iii)
$$\Sigma b' \times_H^L (b_{-1} \cdot d) \otimes b_0 \times_H^L 1_D$$

= $\Sigma (b_{-1} \cdot d)_{-1} \cdot b' \times_H^L (b_{-1} \cdot d)_0 \otimes b_0 \times_H^L 1_D$

hold for $b, b' \in B$ and $d, d' \in D$.

Proof. From Theorem 1 of [5].

DEFINITION 5. Let H be a bialgebra and suppose that B is a left-left H-crossed module crossed algebra and D is a left-left H-crossed comodule crossed algebra. In case $(B \times_H^L D, m_{B\#_H^L D}, \eta_{B\#_H^L D}, \Delta_{B\sharp_H^L D}, \varepsilon_{B\sharp_H^L D})$ is a bialgebra, we say the pair (D, B) is admissible.

Throughout we let H be a bialgebra over k. Suppose B is a left-left H-crossed module crossed algebra and D is a left-left H-crossed comodule crossed algebra.

THEOREM 1. Suppose that (D, B) is an admissible pair and that D is a bialgebra.

- (1) If $B \times_H^L D$ is a Hopf algebra with antipode s, then D is a Hopf algebra and the identity id_B has an inverse in the convolution algebra $Hom_k(B, B)$.
- (2) If D is a Hopf algebra with antipode s_D and $s_B \in Hom_k(B, B)$ is an inverse of id_B , then $B \times_H^L D$ is a Hopf algebra with antipode s described by $s(b \times_H^L d) = \sum (1_B \times_H^L s_D(b_{-1} \cdot d))(s_B(b_0) \times_H^L 1_D)$.

Proof. (1): Define $\pi_D: B \times_H^L D \to D$, $b \times_H^L d \mapsto \varepsilon_B(b)d$, $i_D: D \to B \times_H^L D$, $d \mapsto 1_B \times_H^L d$, $j_B: B \to B \times_H^L D$, $b \mapsto b \times_H^L 1_D$, $\Pi_B: B \times_H^L D \to B$, $b \times_H^L d \mapsto \varepsilon_D(d)b$. Let $s_D = \pi_D \circ s \circ i_D$. Then $1_B \times_H^L (\Sigma s_D(d_1)d_2) = 1_B \times_H^L \varepsilon_D(d)1_D$. Therefore $\Sigma s_D(d_1)d_2 = \varepsilon_D(d)1_D$. Similarly, $\Sigma d_1 s_D(d_2) = \varepsilon_D(d)1_D$. So D is a Hopf algebra with antipode s_D . And $j_B: B \to B \times_H^L D$ is an algebra homomorphism since B is a left $B \times_H^L 1_D$ via the algebra isomorphism $j_B: B \to B \times_H^L D$ and identify $B \times_H^L 1_D$. Let $B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D$. Let $B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D$. Let $B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D$. So $B \times_H^L 1_D = a_B \times_H^L 1_D$. Therefore

$$\Sigma(b_1 \times_H^L 1_D) S(b_2 \times_H^L 1_D) = \varepsilon(b \times_H^L 1_D) 1_B \times_H^L 1_D. \tag{*}$$

Thus $S|_{B \times_H^L 1_D}$ is a right inverse of $id_{B \times_H^L 1_D} \in Hom_k(B \times_H^L 1_D, B \times_H^L D)$. Since $(b \times_H^L 1_D)(1_B \times_H^L d) = b \times_H^L d$ and $\Delta(1_B \times_H^L d) = \Sigma(1_B \times_H^L d_1)(1_B \times_H^L d_2)$, we have $S(b \times_H^L d) = \varepsilon_D(d)S(b \times_H^L 1_D)$. So $(S \circ \Pi)(b \times_H^L d) = S(b \times_H^L d)$. Therefore $S \circ \Pi = S$. Since $(\pi * \varepsilon)(b \times_H^L d) = \Sigma \pi(b \times_H^L d)$, $S * id = \pi * s * id = \pi * \varepsilon = \pi$ in $End_k(B \times_H^L D)$. We have $\Sigma[S(b_1 \times_H^L 1_D)](b_2 \times_H^L 1_D) = \varepsilon(b \times_H^L 1_D)(1_B \times_H^L 1_D)$, and thus $S|_{B \times_H^L 1_D}$ is a left inverse of $id_{B \times_H^L 1_D}$. To complete the proof of (1) we need show that $S(B \times_H^L 1_D) \subseteq B \times_H^L 1_D$, that is, $\Pi \circ S = S$ on $B \times_H^L 1_D$. But since Π is a left $B \times_H^L 1_D$ -module homomorphism, applying Π to the equation (*) we see that $\Pi \circ (S \mid_{B \times_H^L 1_D})$ is also a right inverse of $id_{B \times_H^L 1_D}$. This means $\Pi \circ S = S$ on $B \times_H^L 1_D$.

DEFINITION 6. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and suppose that A is a bialgebra over k. Then

$$B \leftrightarrows_j^{\Pi} A \rightleftarrows_i^{\pi} D$$

is an admissible mapping system if the following conditions hold :

- (a) $\Pi \circ j = id_B$, $\pi \circ i = id_D$,
- (b) i and π are algebra maps and coalgebra maps, j is an algebra map, and Π is a coalgebra map,
- (c) Π is a D-bicomodule map (A is given the D-bimodule structure via pullback along i and B is given the trivial D-bimodule structure),
- (d) j(B) is a sub-*D*-bimodule of *A* and $\Pi|_{j(B)}$ is a *D*-bicomodule map (*A* is given the *D*-bicomodule structure via pushout along π , *B* is given the trivial *D*-bicomodule structure).

LEMMA 1. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and suppose that A is a bialgebra over k.

$$B \leftrightarrows_i^{\Pi} A \rightleftarrows_i^{\pi} D$$

If i is an algebra map and π is a coalgebra map then

- (1) A is a D-bimodule (A is given the D-bimodule structure via pullback along i),
 - (2) B is a D-bimodule (B is given the trivial D-bimodule structure),
- (3) A is a D-bicomodule (A is given the D-bicomodule structure via pushout along π),
 - (4) B is a D-bicomodule (B is given the trivial D-bicomodule structure).
- *Proof.* (1). Define $A \otimes D \longrightarrow A$, $a \otimes d \longmapsto a \cdot d = ai(d)$. Then A is a right D-module since i is an algebra map. Define $D \otimes A \longrightarrow A$, $d \otimes a \longmapsto d \cdot a = i(d)a$. Then A is a left D-module since i is an algebra map. For all $d, d' \in D$, $a \in A$, $(d \cdot a) \cdot d' = (i(d)a) \cdot d' = i(d)ai(d') = i(d)(a \cdot d') = d \cdot (a \cdot d')$. Therefore A is a D-D-bimodule.
- (2). Define $B \otimes D \longrightarrow B, b \otimes d \longmapsto b \cdot d = \varepsilon_D(d)b$. Then B is a right D-module since ε_D is an algebra map. Define $D \otimes B \longrightarrow B, d \otimes b \longmapsto d \cdot b = \varepsilon_D(d)b$. Then B is a left D-module. For all $d, d' \in D, a \in A$,

- $(d \cdot b) \cdot d' = (\varepsilon_D(d)b) \cdot d' = \varepsilon_D(d)\varepsilon_D(d')b = \varepsilon_D(d)(b \cdot d') = d \cdot (b \cdot d')$. Therefore B is a D-D-bimodule.
- (3). Define $\rho_r: A \longrightarrow A \otimes D, a \longmapsto \Sigma a_1 \otimes \pi(a_2)$. Then $(\rho_r \otimes I) \circ \rho_r = (I \otimes \Delta) \circ \rho_r$. And $((I \otimes \varepsilon_D) \circ \rho_r)(a) = a \otimes 1$ for all $a \in A$. Therefore A is a right D-comodule. Define $\rho_l: A \longrightarrow D \otimes A, a \longmapsto \Sigma \pi(a_1) \otimes a_2$. Then $((I \otimes \rho_l) \circ \rho_l)(a) = ((\Delta \otimes I) \circ \rho_l)(a)$, and $((\varepsilon_D \otimes I) \circ \rho_l)(a) = 1 \otimes a$ for all $a \in A$. Therefore A is a left D-comodule. And $((I \otimes \rho_r) \circ \rho_l)(a) = (\rho_l \otimes I) \circ \rho_r(a)$ for all $a \in A$. Therefore A is a D-D-bicomodule.
- (4). Define $\rho'_r: B \longrightarrow B \otimes D, b \longmapsto b \otimes 1_D$. For all $b \in B$, $((I \otimes \Delta_D) \circ \rho'_r)(b)((\rho'_r \otimes I) \circ \rho'_r)(b)$ and $((I \otimes \varepsilon_D) \circ \rho'_r)(b) = b \otimes 1_k$. Therefore B is a right D-comodule. Define $\rho'_l: B \longrightarrow D \otimes B, b \longmapsto 1_D \otimes b$. Similarly B is left D-comodule. And $((I \otimes \rho'_r) \circ \rho'_l)(b) = ((\rho'_l \otimes I) \circ \rho'_r)(b)$ for all $b \in B$. Therefore B is a D-D-bicomodule.

THEOREM 2. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair. Then

$$B \leftrightarrows_{j_B}^{\Pi_B} B \times_H^L D \rightleftarrows_{i_D}^{\pi_D} D$$

is an admissible mapping system where $i_D: D \longrightarrow B \times_H^L D, d \longmapsto 1_B \times_H^L d, \quad j_B: B \longrightarrow B \times_H^L D, b \longmapsto b \times_H^L 1_D, \quad \Pi_B: B \times_H^L D \longrightarrow B, b \times_H^L d \longmapsto \varepsilon_D(d)b \text{ and } \pi_D: B \times_H^L D \longrightarrow D, b \times_H^L d \longmapsto \varepsilon_B(b)d.$

- Proof. (a) By the definitions of mappings, $\Pi_B \circ j_B = I_B$, $\pi_D \circ i_D = id_D$. (b) The maps $j_B : \longrightarrow B \times_H^L D$, $b \longmapsto b \times_H^L 1_D$ and $i_D : D \longmapsto b \times_H^L D$, $d \longmapsto 1_B \times_H^L d$ are algebra maps since B is a left H-module algebra and D is a left H-comodule algebra. The maps $\Pi_B : B \times_H^L D \longrightarrow B$, $b \times_H^L d \longmapsto \varepsilon_D(d)b$ and $\pi_D : B \times_H^L D \longrightarrow D$, $b \times_H^L d \longmapsto \varepsilon_B(b)d$ are coalgebra maps since B is a left H-comodule coalgebra and D is a left H-module coalgebra. For all $d \in D$, $(\Delta_{B \times_H^L D} \circ i_D)(d) = ((id_D \otimes id_D) \circ \Delta_D)(d)$ and $(\varepsilon_{B \times_H^L D} \circ i_D)(d) = \varepsilon_{b \times_H^L D}(1_B \times_H^L d) = \varepsilon_B(1_B)\varepsilon_D(d) = 1_k\varepsilon_D(d) = \varepsilon_D(d)$ by Proposition 1, (2). Therefore i_D is a coalgebra map. $\pi_D((a \times_H^L d)(b \times_H^L e)) = \pi_D(a \times_H^L d)\pi_D(b \times_H^L e)$ and $\pi_D(1_B \times_H^L 1_D) = \varepsilon_B(1_B)1_D = 1_k1_D = 1_D$ by Proposition 1, (2). Therefore π_D is an algebra map.
- (c). $\Pi_B(d' \cdot (b \times_H^L d)) = d' \cdot \Pi_B(b \times_H^L d)$ for all $d, d' \in D, b \in B$. Therefore Π_B is a left *D*-module map. $\Pi_B((b \times_H^L d) \cdot d') = \Pi_B(b \times_H^L d) \cdot d'$ for all

 $b \in B, d, d' \in D$. So Π_B is a right *D*-module map.

(d). Let $\rho_l: j_B(B) \longrightarrow D \otimes j_B(B)$, $b \times_H^L 1_D \longmapsto \Sigma \pi_D((b \times_H^L 1_D)_1) \otimes (b \times_H^L 1_D)_2 = 1_D \otimes (b \times_H^L 1_D)$ be the left sub-D-comodule structure map of $j_B(B) = B \times_H^L 1_D$. Let $\rho_D: B \longrightarrow D \otimes B$, $b \longmapsto 1_D \otimes b$ be the left D-comodule structure map of B. For all $b \times_H^L 1_D \in j_B(B)$, $(\rho_B \circ \Pi_B)(b \times_H^L 1_D) = \rho_B(\varepsilon_D(1_D)b) = \rho_B(1_k b) = 1_D \otimes b = 1_D \otimes \varepsilon_D(1_D)b = (I \otimes \Pi_B)(1_D \otimes (b \times_H^L 1_D)) = ((I \otimes \Pi_B) \circ \rho_l)(b \times_H^L 1_D)$. Hence $\Pi_B|_{j_B(B)}$ is a left D-comodule map. Let $\rho_r: j_B(B) \longrightarrow j_B(B) \otimes D$, $b \times_H^L 1_D \longmapsto \Sigma(b \times_H^L 1_D)_1 \otimes \pi_D((b \times_H^L 1_D)_2) = (b \times_H^L 1_D) \otimes 1_D$ be the right sub-D-comodule structure map of $j_B(B)$. Let $\rho_B': B \longrightarrow B \otimes D$, $b \longmapsto b \otimes 1_D$ be the right D-comodule structure map of b. Similarly, $\Pi_B|_{j_B(B)}$ is a right D-comodule map. Therefore $\Pi_B|_{j_B(B)}$ is a D-bicomodule map.

(e). For all $b \times_H^L d \in B \times_H^L D$, $(j_B \circ \Pi_B) * (i_D \circ \pi_D)(b \times_H^L d) = \Sigma(j_B \circ \Pi_B)((b \times_H^L d)_1)(i_D \circ \pi_D)((b \times_H^L d)_2) = \Sigma(\varepsilon_H(b_{2,-1})\varepsilon_D(d_1)b_1 \times_H^L 1_D)(1_B \times_H^L \varepsilon_B(b_{2,0})d_2) = \Sigma(\varepsilon_H(\varepsilon_B(b_2)1_H)b_1 \times_H^L 1_D)(1_B \times_H^L d) = b \times_H^L d = id(b \times_H^L d).$ Therefore, $(j_B \circ \Pi_B) * (i_D \circ \pi_D) = id$.

LEMMA 2. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and let A be a bialgebra over k. Suppose that $B \hookrightarrow_j^{\Pi} A \rightleftharpoons_i^{\pi} D$ is an admissible mapping system. Then i(d)j(b) = j(b)i(d)

for all $b \in B, d \in D$.

Proof.
$$i(d)j(b) = ((j \circ \Pi) * (i \circ \pi))(i(d)j(b))$$

$$= \Sigma(j \circ \Pi)(i(d_1)j(b)_1)(i \circ \pi)(i(d_2)j(b)_2)$$

$$= \Sigma(j \circ \Pi)(d_1 \cdot j(b)_1)i((\pi \circ i)(d_2)\pi(j(b)_2))$$

$$= \Sigma j(d_1 \cdot \Pi(j(b))i(d_2)i(1_D)$$

$$= \Sigma j(d_1 \cdot b)i(d_2)$$

$$= \Sigma j(\varepsilon_D(d_1)b)i(d_2)$$

$$= j(b)i(d)$$
for all $b \in B, d \in D$.

LEMMA 3. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and let A be a bialgebra over k. Suppose that $B \hookrightarrow_i^{\Pi} A \rightleftharpoons_i^{\pi} D$ is an admissible mapping system. Then

$$\sum j(d_{-1} \cdot b')i(d_0) = j(b')i(d)$$

for all $b' \in B, d \in D$.

Proof. By the definition of admissible pair and Theorem 1, (2), ε_B and ε_D are algebra maps. So $\varepsilon_B(h \cdot b) = \varepsilon_H(h)\varepsilon_B(b)$ and $\Sigma d_{-1}\varepsilon_D(d_0)$

 $= \varepsilon_D(d) 1_H$. By [5, Corollary 3], $\Sigma(d_{-1} \cdot b' \times_H^L 1_D) \otimes (1_B \times_H^L d_0) = (b' \times_H^L 1_D) \otimes (1_B \times_H^L d)$. If we apply $\Pi_B \otimes \pi_D$ to the two-side of the above, we get $\Sigma d_{-1} \cdot b' \otimes d_0 = b' \otimes d$. So $\Sigma j(d_{-1} \cdot b') i(d_0) = j(b) i(d)$.

LEMMA 4. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and let A be a bialgebra over k. Suppose that $B \leftrightarrows_j^{\Pi} A \rightleftarrows_i^{\pi} D$ is an admissible mapping system. Then $\Sigma \Pi(a_1)_{-1} \cdot \pi(a_2) \otimes \Pi(a_1)_0 = \Sigma \pi(a_1) \otimes \Pi(a_2)$

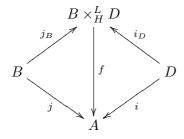
where $B \longrightarrow H \otimes B$, $b \mapsto \Sigma b_{-1} \otimes b_0$ is the left H-comodule structure map.

Proof. First let $a \in j(b)$. Then $\Pi|_{j(B)}$ is a right D-comodule map, $\Sigma\Pi(a_1) \otimes \pi(a_2) = \Pi(a) \otimes 1_D$. So, $\Sigma\Pi(a_1)_{-1} \cdot \pi(a_2) \otimes \Pi(a_1)_0 = \Sigma\Pi(a)_{-1} \cdot 1_D \otimes \Pi(a)_0 = \Sigma \varepsilon_B(\Pi(a)_{-1}) 1_D \otimes \Pi(a)_0 = \Sigma 1_D \otimes \varepsilon_B(\Pi(a)_{-1})$

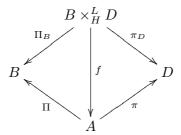
 $\Pi(a)_0 = 1_D \otimes \Pi(a) = \Sigma \pi(a_1) \otimes \Pi(a_2)$. From the observation that $\Pi(aa') = \Pi(a)\varepsilon(d')$ for all $a' = i(d') \in i(D)$ and that A = j(B)i(D) for f is surjective, we reduce the general case to the special case.

THEOREM 3. Let (D, B) be an admissible pair and let A be a bialgebra over k. Suppose that $B \hookrightarrow_i^{\Pi} A \rightleftharpoons_i^{\pi} D$ is an admissible mapping system.

(1) There exists a unique algebra map $f: B \times^L_H D \longrightarrow A$ such that the diagram

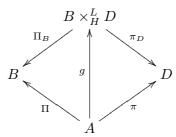


commutes. Furthermore the diagram

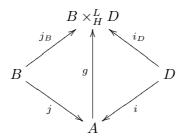


commutes and f is a bialgebra isomorphism.

(2) There exists a unique coalgebra map $g:A\longrightarrow B\times^L_H D$ such that the diagram



commutes. Furthermore the diagram



commutes and g is a bialgebra isomorphism.

Proof. For all $b \in B, d \in D, (b \times_H^L 1_D)(1_B \times_H^L d) = b \times_H^L d$ since D is a left H-comodule algebra and B is a left H-module. If $f: B \times_H^L D \longrightarrow A$ is an algebra map then first diagram commutes if and only if $f(b \times_H^L d) = f(b \times_H^L 1_D) f(1_B \times_H^L d) = j(b)i(d)$ for all $b \in B, d \in D$. If $g: A \longrightarrow B \times_H^L D$ is a coalgebra map then third diagram commutes if and only if $g(a) = I(g(a)) = (j_B \circ \Pi_B) * (i_D \circ \pi_D)(g(a)) = \Sigma \Pi(a_1) \times_H^L \pi(a_2)$ for all $a \in A$ by Theorem 2.

Thus we have the uniqueness of f and g. Let f and g be defined as above. Then $f(g(a)) = f(\Sigma\Pi(a_1) \times_H^L \pi(a_2)) = \Sigma j(\Pi(a_1))i(\pi(a_2)) = ((j \circ \Pi) * (i \circ \pi))(a) = I(a) = a$ and $g(f(b \times_H^L d)) = g(j(b)i(d)) = \Sigma\Pi((j(b)i(d))_1) \times_H^L \pi((j(b)i(d))_2) = \Pi(j(b)) \times_H^L d = b \times_H^L d$. So f and g are inverses. Thus the proof will be complete once we show that f is an algebra map and g is a coalgebra map. $f(1_B \times_H^L 1_D) = j(1_B)i(1_D) = 1_A 1_A = 1_A$ since i and j are algebra maps. We need only show that f is multiplicative. From Lemma 2, and Lemma 3, follow that $f(b \times_H^L d)(b' \times_H^L d')) = \Sigma f(b(d_{-1} \cdot b') \times_H^L d_0 d') = f(b \times_H^L d)f(b' \times_H^L d')$. And $\varepsilon_{B \times_H^L D}(g(a)) = \varepsilon_A(a)$. We need only show that g is comultiplicative. By Lemma 4,

$$\begin{split} \Sigma(g(a))_{1} \otimes (g(a))_{2} &= \Delta_{B \times_{H}^{L} D}(g(a)) \\ &= \Sigma(\Pi(a)_{1,1} \times_{H}^{L} \Pi(a)_{1,2,-1} \cdot \pi(a)_{2,1}) \otimes (\Pi(a)_{1,2,0} \times_{H}^{L} \pi(a)_{2,2}) \\ &= \Sigma(\Pi(a_{1}) \times_{H}^{L} \Pi(a_{2})_{-1} \cdot \pi(a_{3})) \otimes (\Pi(a_{2})_{0} \times_{H}^{L} \pi(a_{4})) \\ &= \Sigma(\Pi(a_{1}) \times_{H}^{L} \pi(a_{2})) \otimes (\Pi(a_{3}) \times_{H}^{L} \pi(a_{4})) \\ &= \Sigma g(a_{1}) \otimes g(a_{2}). \end{split}$$

So q is a coalgebra map. This completes the proof.

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