

That is the formulas (3) are true.

Accordingly the above there exists a funcoid  $f$  such that

$$\mathcal{X} [f] \mathcal{Y} \Leftrightarrow \forall X \in \text{up } \mathcal{X}, Y \in \text{up } \mathcal{Y} : X \delta Y.$$

$\forall X \in \mathcal{P}A, Y \in \mathcal{P}B : (\uparrow^B Y \cap \langle f \rangle \uparrow^A X \neq 0^{\mathfrak{F}(B)} \Leftrightarrow \uparrow^A X [f] \uparrow^B Y \Leftrightarrow X \delta Y \Leftrightarrow \uparrow^B Y \cap \alpha X \neq 0^{\mathfrak{F}(B)})$ ,  
consequently  $\forall X \in \mathcal{P}A : \alpha X = \langle f \rangle \uparrow^A X = \langle f \rangle^* X$ .  $\square$

Note that by the last theorem to every proximity  $\delta$  corresponds a unique funcoid. So funcoids are a generalization of (quasi-)proximity structures.

Reverse funcoids can be considered as a generalization of conjugate quasi-proximity.

**Definition 24** Any small (multivalued) function  $F : A \rightarrow B$  corresponds to a funcoid  $\uparrow^{\text{FCD}(A;B)} F \in \text{FCD}(A; B)$ , where by definition  $\langle \uparrow^{\text{FCD}(A;B)} F \rangle \mathcal{X} = \bigcap \langle \uparrow^B \rangle \langle \langle F \rangle \rangle \text{up } \mathcal{X}$  for every  $\mathcal{X} \in \mathfrak{F}(A)$ .

Using the last theorem it is easy to show that this definition is monovalued and does not contradict to former stuff. (Take  $\alpha = \uparrow^B \circ \langle F \rangle$ .)

**Definition 25** Funcoids corresponding to a binary relation (= multivalued function) are called **principal funcoids**.

We may equate principal funcoids with corresponding binary relations by the method of appendix B in [15]. This is useful for describing relationships of funcoids and binary relations, such as for the formulas of continuous functions and continuous funcoids (see below).

**Theorem 8** If  $S$  is a generalized filter base on  $\text{Src } f$  then  $\langle f \rangle \cap S = \bigcap \langle \langle f \rangle \rangle S$  for every funcoid  $f$ .

**Proof**  $\langle f \rangle \cap S \subseteq \langle f \rangle X$  for every  $X \in S$  and thus  $\langle f \rangle \cap S \subseteq \bigcap \langle \langle f \rangle \rangle S$ .

By properties of generalized filter bases:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f \rangle \cap S &= \bigcap \langle \langle f \rangle^* \rangle \text{up } \bigcap S = \\ \bigcap \langle \langle f \rangle^* \rangle \{X \mid \exists \mathcal{P} \in S : X \in \text{up } \mathcal{P}\} &= \bigcap \{ \langle f \rangle^* X \mid \exists \mathcal{P} \in S : X \in \text{up } \mathcal{P} \} \supseteq \\ \bigcap \{ \langle f \rangle \mathcal{P} \mid \mathcal{P} \in S \} &= \bigcap \langle \langle f \rangle \rangle S. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

### 3.4 Lattices of funcoids

**Definition 26**  $f \subseteq g \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} [f] \subseteq [g]$  for  $f, g \in \text{FCD}$ .

Thus every  $\text{FCD}(A; B)$  is a poset. (It's taken into account that  $[f] \neq [g]$  if  $f \neq g$ .)

**Definition 27** I will call a **shifted filtrator of funcoids** the shifted filtrator

$$(\text{FCD}(A; B); \mathcal{P}(A \times B); \uparrow^{\text{FCD}(A;B)})$$

for some small sets  $A, B$ .

$\text{up } f \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{up} \left( \text{FCD}(A; B); \mathcal{P}(A \times B); \uparrow^{\text{FCD}(A;B)} \right) f$  for every funcoid  $f \in \text{FCD}(A; B)$ .