

Categories of Groups

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Summary. We define the category of groups and its subcategories: category of Abelian groups and category of groups with the operator of $1/2$. The carriers of the groups are included in a universum. The universum is a parameter of the categories.

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The articles [14], [6], [17], [18], [2], [15], [1], [16], [8], [10], [5], [4], [13], [3], [7], [12], [9], and [11] provide the notation and terminology for this paper.

In this paper x, y denote sets, D denotes a non empty set, and U_1 denotes a universal class.

One can prove the following three propositions:

- (2)¹ Let X, Y, A be sets and z be a set. Suppose $z \in A$ and $A \subseteq [X, Y]$. Then there exists an element x of X and there exists an element y of Y such that $z = \langle x, y \rangle$.
- (3) For all elements u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4 of U_1 holds $\langle u_1, u_2, u_3 \rangle$ is an element of U_1 and $\langle u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4 \rangle$ is an element of U_1 .
- (4) For all x, y such that $x \in y$ and $y \in U_1$ holds $x \in U_1$.

In this article we present several logical schemes. The scheme *PartLambda2* deals with sets $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}$, a binary functor \mathcal{F} yielding a set, and a binary predicate \mathcal{P} , and states that:

There exists a partial function f from $[\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}]$ to \mathcal{C} such that for all x, y holds $\langle x, y \rangle \in \text{dom } f$ iff $x \in \mathcal{A}$ and $y \in \mathcal{B}$ and $\mathcal{P}[x, y]$ and for all x, y such that $\langle x, y \rangle \in \text{dom } f$ holds $f(\langle x, y \rangle) = \mathcal{F}(x, y)$

provided the following requirement is met:

- For all x, y such that $x \in \mathcal{A}$ and $y \in \mathcal{B}$ and $\mathcal{P}[x, y]$ holds $\mathcal{F}(x, y) \in \mathcal{C}$.

The scheme *PartLambda2D* deals with non empty sets \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} , a set \mathcal{C} , a binary functor \mathcal{F} yielding a set, and a binary predicate \mathcal{P} , and states that:

There exists a partial function f from $[\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}]$ to \mathcal{C} such that

- (i) for every element x of \mathcal{A} and for every element y of \mathcal{B} holds $\langle x, y \rangle \in \text{dom } f$ iff $\mathcal{P}[x, y]$, and
- (ii) for every element x of \mathcal{A} and for every element y of \mathcal{B} such that $\langle x, y \rangle \in \text{dom } f$ holds $f(\langle x, y \rangle) = \mathcal{F}(x, y)$

provided the following condition is satisfied:

- For every element x of \mathcal{A} and for every element y of \mathcal{B} such that $\mathcal{P}[x, y]$ holds $\mathcal{F}(x, y) \in \mathcal{C}$.

One can prove the following propositions:

¹ The proposition (1) has been removed.

- (5) $\text{op}_2(\emptyset, \emptyset) = \emptyset$ and $\text{op}_1(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ and $\text{op}_0 = \emptyset$.
- (6) $\{\emptyset\} \in U_1$ and $\langle\{\emptyset\}, \{\emptyset\}\rangle \in U_1$ and $[\{\emptyset\}, \{\emptyset\}] \in U_1$ and $\text{op}_2 \in U_1$ and $\text{op}_1 \in U_1$.
- (7) $\langle\{\emptyset\}, \text{op}_2, \text{Extract}(\emptyset)\rangle$ is midpoint operator.

Let us note that the trivial loop is midpoint operator.

One can prove the following proposition

- (8)(i) For every element x of the trivial loop holds $x = \emptyset$,
- (ii) for all elements x, y of the trivial loop holds $x + y = \emptyset$,
- (iii) for every element x of the trivial loop holds $-x = \emptyset$, and
- (iv) $0_{\text{the trivial loop}} = \emptyset$.

In the sequel C is a category and O is a non empty subset of the objects of C .

Let us consider C, O . The functor $\text{Morphs } O$ yields a subset of the morphisms of C and is defined by:

(Def. 5)² $\text{Morphs } O = \bigcup\{\text{hom}(a, b); a \text{ ranges over objects of } C, b \text{ ranges over objects of } C: a \in O \wedge b \in O\}$.

Let us consider C, O . Observe that $\text{Morphs } O$ is non empty.

Let us consider C, O . The functor $\text{dom } O$ yields a function from $\text{Morphs } O$ into O and is defined by:

(Def. 6) $\text{dom } O = (\text{the dom-map of } C) \upharpoonright \text{Morphs } O$.

The functor $\text{cod } O$ yielding a function from $\text{Morphs } O$ into O is defined by:

(Def. 7) $\text{cod } O = (\text{the cod-map of } C) \upharpoonright \text{Morphs } O$.

The functor $\text{comp } O$ yielding a partial function from $[\text{Morphs } O, \text{Morphs } O]$ to $\text{Morphs } O$ is defined as follows:

(Def. 8) $\text{comp } O = (\text{the composition of } C) \upharpoonright ([\text{Morphs } O, \text{Morphs } O] \text{ qua set})$.

The functor I_O yields a function from O into $\text{Morphs } O$ and is defined as follows:

(Def. 9) $I_O = (\text{the id-map of } C) \upharpoonright O$.

Next we state the proposition

- (9) $\langle O, \text{Morphs } O, \text{dom } O, \text{cod } O, \text{comp } O, I_O \rangle$ is full subcategory of C .

Let us consider C, O . The functor $\text{cat } O$ yields a subcategory of C and is defined as follows:

(Def. 10) $\text{cat } O = \langle O, \text{Morphs } O, \text{dom } O, \text{cod } O, \text{comp } O, I_O \rangle$.

Let us consider C, O . One can verify that $\text{cat } O$ is strict.

Next we state the proposition

- (10) The objects of $\text{cat } O = O$.

Let G be a 1-sorted structure. The functor id_G yielding a map from G into G is defined as follows:

(Def. 11) $\text{id}_G = \text{id}_{\text{the carrier of } G}$.

Next we state two propositions:

- (11) For every non empty 1-sorted structure G and for every element x of G holds $\text{id}_G(x) = x$.

² The definitions (Def. 1)–(Def. 4) have been removed.

(12) Let G be a 1-sorted structure, H be a non empty 1-sorted structure, and f be a map from G into H . Then $f \cdot \text{id}_G = f$ and $\text{id}_H \cdot f = f$.

Let G, H be non empty zero structures. The functor $\text{ZeroMap}(G, H)$ yields a map from G into H and is defined as follows:

(Def. 12) $\text{ZeroMap}(G, H) = (\text{the carrier of } G) \mapsto 0_H$.

Let G, H be non empty loop structures and let f be a map from G into H . We say that f is additive if and only if:

(Def. 13) For all elements x, y of G holds $f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y)$.

One can prove the following four propositions:

(13) $\text{comp}(\text{the trivial loop}) = \text{op}_1$.

(14) Let G_1, G_2, G_3 be non empty loop structures, f be a map from G_1 into G_2 , and g be a map from G_2 into G_3 . If f is additive and g is additive, then $g \cdot f$ is additive.

(15) For every non empty zero structure G and for every non empty loop structure H and for every element x of G holds $(\text{ZeroMap}(G, H))(x) = 0_H$.

(16) For every non empty loop structure G and for every right zeroed non empty loop structure H holds $\text{ZeroMap}(G, H)$ is additive.

In the sequel G, H denote groups.

We consider group morphism structures as systems

$\langle \text{a dom-map, a cod-map, a Fun} \rangle$,

where the dom-map and the cod-map are groups and the Fun is a map from the dom-map into the cod-map.

Let f be a group morphism structure. The functor $\text{dom } f$ yielding a group is defined by:

(Def. 14) $\text{dom } f = \text{the dom-map of } f$.

The functor $\text{cod } f$ yields a group and is defined as follows:

(Def. 15) $\text{cod } f = \text{the cod-map of } f$.

Let f be a group morphism structure. The functor $\text{fun } f$ yields a map from $\text{dom } f$ into $\text{cod } f$ and is defined by:

(Def. 16) $\text{fun } f = \text{the Fun of } f$.

We now state the proposition

(17) Let f be a group morphism structure, G_1, G_2 be groups, and f_0 be a map from G_1 into G_2 . If $f = \langle G_1, G_2, f_0 \rangle$, then $\text{dom } f = G_1$ and $\text{cod } f = G_2$ and $\text{fun } f = f_0$.

Let us consider G, H . The functor $\text{ZERO}(G, H)$ yielding a group morphism structure is defined as follows:

(Def. 17) $\text{ZERO}(G, H) = \langle G, H, \text{ZeroMap}(G, H) \rangle$.

Let us consider G, H . One can verify that $\text{ZERO}(G, H)$ is strict.

Let I_1 be a group morphism structure. We say that I_1 is morphism of groups-like if and only if:

(Def. 18) $\text{fun } I_1$ is additive.

One can check that there exists a group morphism structure which is strict and morphism of groups-like.

A morphism of groups is a morphism of groups-like group morphism structure.

Next we state the proposition

(18) For every morphism F of groups holds the Fun of F is additive.

Let us consider G, H . Observe that $\text{ZERO}(G, H)$ is morphism of groups-like.

Let us consider G, H . A morphism of groups is said to be a morphism from G to H if:

(Def. 19) $\text{dom } f = G$ and $\text{cod } f = H$.

Let us consider G, H . Note that there exists a morphism from G to H which is strict.

One can prove the following three propositions:

(19) Let f be a strict group morphism structure. Suppose $\text{dom } f = G$ and $\text{cod } f = H$ and $\text{fun } f$ is additive. Then f is a strict morphism from G to H .

(20) For every map f from G into H such that f is additive holds $\langle G, H, f \rangle$ is a strict morphism from G to H .

(21) For every non empty loop structure G holds id_G is additive.

Let us consider G . The functor I_G yielding a morphism from G to G is defined by:

(Def. 20) $I_G = \langle G, G, \text{id}_G \rangle$.

Let us consider G . Note that I_G is strict.

Let us consider G, H . Then $\text{ZERO}(G, H)$ is a strict morphism from G to H .

One can prove the following propositions:

(22) Let F be a morphism from G to H . Then there exists a map f from G into H such that the group morphism structure of $F = \langle G, H, f \rangle$ and f is additive.

(23) For every strict morphism F from G to H there exists a map f from G into H such that $F = \langle G, H, f \rangle$.

(24) For every morphism F of groups there exist G, H such that F is a morphism from G to H .

(25) Let F be a strict morphism of groups. Then there exist groups G, H and there exists a map f from G into H such that F is a morphism from G to H and $F = \langle G, H, f \rangle$ and f is additive.

(26) Let g, f be morphisms of groups. Suppose $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$. Then there exist groups G_1, G_2, G_3 such that g is a morphism from G_2 to G_3 and f is a morphism from G_1 to G_2 .

Let G, F be morphisms of groups. Let us assume that $\text{dom } G = \text{cod } F$. The functor $G \cdot F$ yielding a strict morphism of groups is defined by the condition (Def. 21).

(Def. 21) Let G_1, G_2, G_3 be groups, g be a map from G_2 into G_3 , and f be a map from G_1 into G_2 . Suppose the group morphism structure of $G = \langle G_2, G_3, g \rangle$ and the group morphism structure of $F = \langle G_1, G_2, f \rangle$. Then $G \cdot F = \langle G_1, G_3, g \cdot f \rangle$.

Next we state the proposition

(28)³ Let G_1, G_2, G_3 be groups, G be a morphism from G_2 to G_3 , and F be a morphism from G_1 to G_2 . Then $G \cdot F$ is a morphism from G_1 to G_3 .

Let G_1, G_2, G_3 be groups, let G be a morphism from G_2 to G_3 , and let F be a morphism from G_1 to G_2 . Then $G \cdot F$ is a strict morphism from G_1 to G_3 .

The following propositions are true:

(29) Let G_1, G_2, G_3 be groups, G be a morphism from G_2 to G_3 , F be a morphism from G_1 to G_2 , g be a map from G_2 into G_3 , and f be a map from G_1 into G_2 . If $G = \langle G_2, G_3, g \rangle$ and $F = \langle G_1, G_2, f \rangle$, then $G \cdot F = \langle G_1, G_3, g \cdot f \rangle$.

³ The proposition (27) has been removed.

- (30) Let f, g be strict morphisms of groups. Suppose $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$. Then there exist groups G_1, G_2, G_3 and there exists a map f_0 from G_1 into G_2 and there exists a map g_0 from G_2 into G_3 such that $f = \langle G_1, G_2, f_0 \rangle$ and $g = \langle G_2, G_3, g_0 \rangle$ and $g \cdot f = \langle G_1, G_3, g_0 \cdot f_0 \rangle$.
- (31) For all strict morphisms f, g of groups such that $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ holds $\text{dom}(g \cdot f) = \text{dom } f$ and $\text{cod}(g \cdot f) = \text{cod } g$.
- (32) Let G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4 be groups, f be a strict morphism from G_1 to G_2 , g be a strict morphism from G_2 to G_3 , and h be a strict morphism from G_3 to G_4 . Then $h \cdot (g \cdot f) = (h \cdot g) \cdot f$.
- (33) For all strict morphisms f, g, h of groups such that $\text{dom } h = \text{cod } g$ and $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ holds $h \cdot (g \cdot f) = (h \cdot g) \cdot f$.
- (34)(i) $\text{dom}(I_G) = G$,
(ii) $\text{cod}(I_G) = G$,
(iii) for every strict morphism f of groups such that $\text{cod } f = G$ holds $I_G \cdot f = f$, and
(iv) for every strict morphism g of groups such that $\text{dom } g = G$ holds $g \cdot I_G = g$.

Let I_1 be a set. We say that I_1 is non empty set of groups-like if and only if:

(Def. 22) For every set x such that $x \in I_1$ holds x is a strict group.

Let us note that there exists a set which is non empty set of groups-like and non empty.

A non empty set of groups is a non empty set of groups-like non empty set.

In the sequel V is a non empty set of groups.

Let us consider V . We see that the element of V is a group.

Let us consider V . One can verify that there exists an element of V which is strict.

Let I_1 be a set. We say that I_1 is non empty set of morphisms of groups-like if and only if:

(Def. 23) For every set x such that $x \in I_1$ holds x is a strict morphism of groups.

Let us mention that there exists a set which is non empty set of morphisms of groups-like and non empty.

A non empty set of morphisms of groups is a non empty set of morphisms of groups-like non empty set.

Let M be a non empty set of morphisms of groups. We see that the element of M is a morphism of groups.

Let M be a non empty set of morphisms of groups. Note that there exists an element of M which is strict.

Next we state the proposition

- (37)⁴ For every strict morphism f of groups holds $\{f\}$ is a non empty set of morphisms of groups.

Let us consider G, H . A non empty set of morphisms of groups is said to be a non empty set of morphisms from G into H if:

(Def. 24) Every element of it is a strict morphism from G to H .

The following propositions are true:

- (38) D is a non empty set of morphisms from G into H iff every element of D is a strict morphism from G to H .
- (39) For every strict morphism f from G to H holds $\{f\}$ is a non empty set of morphisms from G into H .

Let G, H be 1-sorted structures. Set of maps from G into H is defined by:

⁴ The propositions (35) and (36) have been removed.

(Def. 25) For every set x such that $x \in$ it holds x is a map from G into H .

Let G, H be 1-sorted structures. The functor $\text{Maps}(G, H)$ yielding a set of maps from G into H is defined by:

(Def. 26) $\text{Maps}(G, H) = (\text{the carrier of } H)^{\text{the carrier of } G}$.

Let G be a 1-sorted structure and let H be a non empty 1-sorted structure. Observe that $\text{Maps}(G, H)$ is non empty.

Let G be a 1-sorted structure and let H be a non empty 1-sorted structure. Observe that there exists a set of maps from G into H which is non empty.

Let G be a 1-sorted structure, let H be a non empty 1-sorted structure, and let M be a non empty set of maps from G into H . We see that the element of M is a map from G into H .

Let us consider G, H . The functor $\text{Morphs}(G, H)$ yielding a non empty set of morphisms from G into H is defined as follows:

(Def. 27) $x \in \text{Morphs}(G, H)$ iff x is a strict morphism from G to H .

Let us consider G, H and let M be a non empty set of morphisms from G into H . We see that the element of M is a morphism from G to H .

Let us consider G, H and let M be a non empty set of morphisms from G into H . Note that there exists an element of M which is strict.

Let us consider x, y . The predicate $\text{P}_{\text{ob } x, y}$ is defined by the condition (Def. 28).

(Def. 28) There exist sets x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 such that

- (i) $x = \langle x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \rangle$, and
- (ii) there exists a strict group G such that $y = G$ and $x_1 =$ the carrier of G and $x_2 =$ the addition of G and $x_3 = \text{comp } G$ and $x_4 =$ the zero of G .

One can prove the following two propositions:

- (40) For all sets x, y_1, y_2 such that $\text{P}_{\text{ob } x, y_1}$ and $\text{P}_{\text{ob } x, y_2}$ holds $y_1 = y_2$.
- (41) There exists x such that $x \in U_1$ and $\text{P}_{\text{ob } x}$, the trivial loop.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ yielding a set is defined as follows:

(Def. 29) For every y holds $y \in \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ iff there exists x such that $x \in U_1$ and $\text{P}_{\text{ob } x, y}$.

We now state the proposition

- (42) The trivial loop $\in \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$.

Let us consider U_1 . One can check that $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ is non empty.

One can prove the following proposition

- (43) Every element of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ is a strict group.

Let us consider U_1 . Note that $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ is non empty set of groups-like.

Let us consider V . The functor $\text{Morphs } V$ yielding a non empty set of morphisms of groups is defined as follows:

(Def. 30) For every x holds $x \in \text{Morphs } V$ iff there exist strict elements G, H of V such that x is a strict morphism from G to H .

Let us consider V and let F be an element of $\text{Morphs } V$. Then $\text{dom } F$ is a strict element of V . Then $\text{cod } F$ is a strict element of V .

Let us consider V and let G be an element of V . The functor I_G yielding a strict element of $\text{Morphs } V$ is defined by:

(Def. 31) $I_G = I_G$.

Let us consider V . The functor $\text{dom } V$ yields a function from $\text{Morphs } V$ into V and is defined by:

(Def. 32) For every element f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $(\text{dom } V)(f) = \text{dom } f$.

The functor $\text{cod } V$ yielding a function from $\text{Morphs } V$ into V is defined by:

(Def. 33) For every element f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $(\text{cod } V)(f) = \text{cod } f$.

The functor I_V yields a function from V into $\text{Morphs } V$ and is defined as follows:

(Def. 34) For every element G of V holds $I_V(G) = I_G$.

The following two propositions are true:

(44) Let g, f be elements of $\text{Morphs } V$. Suppose $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$. Then there exist strict elements G_1, G_2, G_3 of V such that g is a morphism from G_2 to G_3 and f is a morphism from G_1 to G_2 .

(45) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ holds $g \cdot f \in \text{Morphs } V$.

Let us consider V . The functor $\text{comp } V$ yields a partial function from $[\text{Morphs } V, \text{Morphs } V]$ to $\text{Morphs } V$ and is defined by the conditions (Def. 35).

(Def. 35)(i) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom comp } V$ iff $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$, and
(ii) for all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom comp } V$ holds $(\text{comp } V)(\langle g, f \rangle) = g \cdot f$.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ yields a category structure and is defined as follows:

(Def. 36) $\text{GroupCat}(U_1) = \langle \text{GroupObj}(U_1), \text{Morphs GroupObj}(U_1), \text{dom GroupObj}(U_1), \text{cod GroupObj}(U_1), \text{comp GroupObj}(U_1), I_{\text{GroupObj}(U_1)} \rangle$.

Let us consider U_1 . Observe that $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ is strict.

The following propositions are true:

(46) For all morphisms f, g of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ holds $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom}(\text{the composition of GroupCat}(U_1))$ iff $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$.

(47) Let f be a morphism of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$, f' be an element of $\text{Morphs GroupObj}(U_1)$, b be an object of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$, and b' be an element of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$. Then

- (i) f is a strict element of $\text{Morphs GroupObj}(U_1)$,
- (ii) f' is a morphism of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$,
- (iii) b is a strict element of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$, and
- (iv) b' is an object of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$.

(48) For every object b of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ and for every element b' of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ such that $b = b'$ holds $\text{id}_b = I_{b'}$.

(49) For every morphism f of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ and for every element f' of $\text{Morphs GroupObj}(U_1)$ such that $f = f'$ holds $\text{dom } f = \text{dom } f'$ and $\text{cod } f = \text{cod } f'$.

(50) Let f, g be morphisms of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ and f', g' be elements of $\text{Morphs GroupObj}(U_1)$ such that $f = f'$ and $g = g'$. Then

- (i) $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ iff $\text{dom } g' = \text{cod } f'$,
- (ii) $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ iff $\langle g', f' \rangle \in \text{dom comp GroupObj}(U_1)$,
- (iii) if $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$, then $g \cdot f = g' \cdot f'$,
- (iv) $\text{dom } f = \text{dom } g$ iff $\text{dom } f' = \text{dom } g'$, and
- (v) $\text{cod } f = \text{cod } g$ iff $\text{cod } f' = \text{cod } g'$.

Let us consider U_1 . One can check that $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ is category-like.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\text{AbGroupObj}(U_1)$ yields a subset of the objects of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ and is defined by:

(Def. 37) $\text{AbGroupObj}(U_1) = \{G; G \text{ ranges over elements of the objects of } \text{GroupCat}(U_1): \bigvee_{H: \text{Abelian group}} G = H\}$.

One can prove the following proposition

(51) The trivial loop $\in \text{AbGroupObj}(U_1)$.

Let us consider U_1 . One can check that $\text{AbGroupObj}(U_1)$ is non empty.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1)$ yielding a subcategory of $\text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ is defined as follows:

(Def. 38) $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1) = \text{cat AbGroupObj}(U_1)$.

Let us consider U_1 . Observe that $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1)$ is strict.

One can prove the following proposition

(52) The objects of $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1) = \text{AbGroupObj}(U_1)$.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ yielding a subset of the objects of $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1)$ is defined by:

(Def. 39) $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1) = \{G; G \text{ ranges over elements of the objects of } \text{AbGroupCat}(U_1): \bigvee_{H: \text{midpoint operator Abelian group}} G = H\}$.

Let us consider U_1 . Observe that $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$ is non empty.

Let us consider U_1 . The functor $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ yielding a subcategory of $\text{AbGroupCat}(U_1)$ is defined by:

(Def. 40) $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupCat}(U_1) = \text{cat } \frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$.

Let us consider U_1 . Note that $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupCat}(U_1)$ is strict.

One can prove the following propositions:

(53) The objects of $\frac{1}{2} \text{GroupCat}(U_1) = \frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$.

(54) The trivial loop $\in \frac{1}{2} \text{GroupObj}(U_1)$.

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