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## ON ONE CLASS OF THE INFINITE NON-ABELIAN GROUPS

We present some properties of one class of the infinite non-abelian groups. We deal with a generalization of the *INH* and *KI* groups. Our main results are Theorem 1, 2, 3 and Theorem 4.

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The description of groups defined by the systems of their subgroups was first described in the papers by Chernikov, S. N. and Kurosh, A. G (*RN* – groups, [5]) Chernikov dealt with an extension of the direct product of the finite number of the quasicyclic groups by the finite abelian group ( $\mathfrak{C}$  – groups, [1]), and with the infinite non-abelian groups whose arbitrary infinite subgroup is the normal subgroup of the whole group (*INH* – groups, [1]). Subbotin, I. J. studied the groups  $G$  whose every subgroup of the commutator  $G'$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$  (*KI* – groups, [6]). In this paper we describe the infinite non-abelian groups with the finite nodal subgroup.

We use the standard designations of terminology of the theory groups. For example:  $M \times N$  the direct product of the groups  $M$  and  $N$ ,  $\sum_{i \in I} X_i$ , the direct sum of the groups  $X_i$  for all  $i \in I$ ,

$M \lambda N$  the semidirect product of the groups  $M$  and  $N$ ,  $M.N = \{mn; m \in M, n \in N\}$  the product of the groups  $M$  and  $N$ ,  $G/A$  the factor group of  $G$  by  $A$ ,  $|G : N|$  the index of the subgroup  $N$  in a group  $G$ ,  $\langle a \rangle$  the cyclic group generated by one element  $a$ ,  $\langle a, b, c \rangle$  the group generated by the elements  $a, b, c$ ,  $H \triangleleft G$   $H$  is normal in  $G$  or  $H$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ ,  $G' = [G, G]$  the commutator of the group  $G$ ,  $Z(p^\infty) = \{x; x^{p^n} = 1, n = 1, 2, \dots\}$  the  $p$ -quasicyclic group,  $Q_8 = \langle a, b; a^4 = b^4 = 1, a^{-1}ba = b^{-1} \rangle$  the quaternion group,  $C_G(A)$  the centralizer of  $A$  in  $G$ ,  $C(G)$  the center of  $G$ .

A group  $G$  is a solvable group, if it has the solvable derived series  $G > G' > G^{(2)} > \dots > G^{(n)} = \langle e \rangle$ . A group  $G$  is called Dedekind group if every subgroup  $A$  of  $G$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . Hamiltonian group is called a non-abelian Dedekind group. A group  $G$  is called a locally graded group if every finitely generated non-trivial subgroup of  $G$  contains a proper subgroup of finite index ([1] p. 236). The subgroup  $A$  is called quasiceutral of the group  $G$  if each subgroup of  $A$  is the normal subgroup of  $G$ . If

a group  $G$  is an extension of the group  $H$  by the normal subgroup  $N$  of  $G$ , then  $G/N \cong H$ . If a group  $G$  is an extension of the quasicyclic group by the finite group, then a group  $G$  is called an almost quasicyclic group.

**Definition 1.** An infinite non-abelian  $G$  is said to be an *IAN* group if there exists a subgroup  $A$  of  $G$  such that every infinite subgroup of  $A$  and every infinite subgroup of  $G$  contains  $A$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . The subgroup  $A$  is called a nodal subgroup. If  $A$  is an abelian subgroup, then  $G$  is *IANA* group.

**Proposition 1.** ([1], T. 6.10]. The class a solvable *INH* groups formed from the infinite Hamiltonian groups and the non-abelian non-Hamiltonian groups that are the finite extensions of the quasicyclic subgroups by the finite abelian and the finite Hamiltonian groups.

**Proposition 2.** ([7], T. 5.8]. Let  $F$  be a group and let  $X = \{x_i; i \in I\} \neq \emptyset$  be a subset of  $F$  such that  $\langle x_i \rangle$  an infinite cyclic group for all  $x_i$  from  $X$ . If  $F = \sum_{i \in I} \langle x_i \rangle$  is the direct sum of the

cyclic groups  $\langle x_i \rangle$  for every  $i \in I$ , then  $F$  is free abelian group with the set  $X$  of the free generators.

**Lemma 1.** If  $G$  is *IAN* group with a finite nodal subgroup  $A$ , then  $G/A$  is an abelian group or *INH* group.

**Proof.** If  $G/A$  is an abelian group, then Lemma 1 is valid. Let  $G/A$  be non-abelian group and let  $B/A$  be an arbitrary infinite subgroup of  $G/A$ . Evidently, there exist  $B \triangleleft G$  and  $B/A \triangleleft G/A$ . Thus  $G/A$  is *INH* group.

**Lemma 2.** If  $G$  is an infinite group with a finite commutator  $G'$  of the group  $G$ , then  $G$  is *IAN* group with a finite nodal subgroup  $G'$ .

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**Proof.**

If put  $A = G'$ , evidently, then  $G$  is  $IAN$  group with a finite nodal subgroup.

**Lemma 3.** Let  $G$  be  $IAN$  group with a nodal subgroup  $A$ . If a nodal subgroup  $A$  contains the elements of the infinite orders, then  $A$  is an abelian quasicentral subgroup of group  $G$ .

**Proof.** By Proposition 2  $A$  is an abelian group. Let  $B$  be an arbitrary subgroup of the group  $A$ . If  $B$  is an infinite subgroup, then  $B$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ .

Let  $B$  be a finite subgroup. By assumption, the group  $A$  contains the element  $x$  of the infinite order,  $A$  is an abelian group. If  $B \langle x \rangle \cong B \times \langle x \rangle$ , by definition  $IAN$  groups  $B \times \langle x \rangle \triangleleft G$  and furthermore  $B \triangleleft G$ . Thus  $A$  is an abelian quasicentral subgroup of group  $G$ . Lemma is proved.

**Lemma 4.** Let  $G$  be a locally graded  $IAN$  group with a nodal subgroup  $A$ . If there exists a subgroup  $A$  that is not a normal subgroup of  $G$ , then  $A$  is a finite group, or  $A$  is an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup by a finite Dedekind group.

**Proof.** Let  $G$  be  $IAN$  group with a nodal subgroup  $A$ ,  $A_1 \triangleleft A$ ,  $A_1$  is a non-normal subgroup in  $G$ . Evidently,  $A_1 \neq \langle e \rangle$ ,  $A_1$  is a finite subgroup. By Lemma 3  $A$  is a periodic group. If  $A$  is a finite group, then lemma is valid. Let  $A$  be an infinite periodic subgroup. We consider two possible cases:  $A$  is non  $\psi$ -group, or  $A$  is  $\psi$ -group.

Let  $A$  be non  $\psi$ -group. Suppose that there exists the subgroup  $A_2$  of  $A$  that  $A_2 = A_3 \times A_4$ ,  $A_2 \cap A_1 = \langle e \rangle$  and  $A_3, A_4$  are the infinite groups. By Definition 1  $A_3 \triangleleft G$ ,  $A_3 \times A_1 \triangleleft G$ ,  $A_4 \triangleleft G$ ,  $A_4 \times A_1 \triangleleft G$ . Evidently,  $(A_3 \times A_1) \cap (A_4 \times A_1) = A_1$  and, furthermore,  $A_1 \triangleleft G$ . It is contradiction. Thus,  $A$  is not non  $\psi$ -group.

Let  $A$  be  $\psi$ -group. Denote  $A = R.B$ ,  $R$  is the direct product of the finite number of the quasicyclic groups,  $R$  is a divisible group,  $B$  is the finite group,  $B \neq \langle e \rangle$ . Therefore,  $A_1$  is not a non-normal subgroup of  $G$ . we assume that there exists a cyclic subgroup  $\langle a \rangle$  of  $A_1$  non-normal in  $G$ , and also  $R \cap \langle a \rangle = \langle t \rangle$ . Since  $R$  is a divisible group there exists a quasicyclic subgroup  $R_1$  of  $R$  and, furthermore,  $R_1$  contains the subgroup  $\langle t \rangle$ . Put  $R = R_1 \times R_2$  where  $R_2$  is an infinite subgroup of  $A$ , or  $R_2 = \langle e \rangle$ . If  $R_2$  is an infinite subgroup of  $A$ , by Definition 1  $R_2 \triangleleft G$  and, furthermore,  $(R_2 \lambda \langle a \rangle) \triangleleft G$ ,  $R_1 \triangleleft G$ ,  $(R_1 \langle a \rangle) \triangleleft G$ . Evidently,  $(R_2 \lambda \langle a \rangle) \cap (R_1 \langle a \rangle) = \langle a \rangle$  and  $\langle a \rangle \triangleleft G$ . It is contradiction. Then  $R_2 = \langle e \rangle$ ,  $R = R_1$  is quasicyclic group, and moreover,  $A/R \cong B$  is a finite Dedekind group. Thus  $A$  is an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup by the finite Dedekind group. Lemma is proved.

**Theorem 1.** If  $G$  is a locally graded  $IAN$  group with a nodal subgroup  $A$ , then subgroup  $A$  belongs to one of the types:

1.  $A$  is a finite subgroup of  $G$ .
2.  $A$  is an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup by a finite Dedekind group, the commutator  $G'$  is an infinite group.

3.  $A$  is an infinite quasicentral periodic subgroup of  $G$ .
4.  $A$  is a quasicentral non-periodic abelian subgroup of  $G$ .

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be a non-quasicentral subgroup of  $G$ . By Lemma 4 the subgroup  $A$  of  $G$  belongs to one of type 1 or 2 of this theorem.

Let  $A$  be a quasicentral subgroup of  $G$ . By Lemma 3 the subgroup  $A$  of  $G$  belongs to one of type 3 or 4 of this theorem. Theorem is proved.

By Theorem 1 and definition  $IANA$  groups the next corollary follows.

**Corollary 1.** If  $G$  is a locally graded  $IANA$  group with a nodal subgroup  $A$ , then subgroup  $A$  belongs to one of the types:

1.  $A$  is a finite abelian subgroup of  $G$ .
2.  $A = Z(p^\infty) \times B$ ,  $B$  is a finite group.
3.  $A$  is an infinite quasicentral periodic abelian subgroup of  $G$ .
4.  $A$  is a quasicentral nonperiodic abelian subgroup of  $G$ .

**Theorem 2.**  $G$  -  $LAN$  groups with a finite nodal subgroup are the groups belonging to one of the types:

1.  $G$  is an infinite group,  $G$  is an extension of the finite subgroup by Dedekind group.
2.  $G$  is an extension of the finite normal subgroup by an infinite non-solvable group whose every infinite subgroup is normal in  $G$ .
3.  $G = R.H$ ,  $R$  is a quasicyclic group contained in  $G'$ ,  $H$  is a finite group contained in a normal subgroup  $N$  of  $G$  so that  $H/N$  is Dedekind group.

**Proof.** Let  $G$  be  $IAN$  group with a finite nodal subgroup  $A$ . If  $G/A$  is Dedekind group, then  $G$  is of type 1. If  $G/A$  is non-Dedekind group, by Lemma 1  $G/A$  is non-Hamiltonian  $INH$  group. If  $G/A$  is a non-solvable group, then  $G$  is of type 2.

If  $G/A$  is a solvable group by Proposition 1  $G/A = (D/A).(H/A)$  where  $D/A \triangleleft G/A$ ,  $D/A$  is a quasicyclic group,  $H/A$  is such a finite subgroup of  $G$  that the factor group  $H/A/(D/A \cap H/A)$  is Dedekind group. Denote  $G = D.H$ , where  $D \triangleleft G$ ,  $H$  is a finite group, and  $A \leq D \cap H$ . If  $G'$  is a finite group, then  $G/G'$  is an infinite group. By Lemma 2  $G$  is a group of type 1.

Let  $G'$  be an infinite group. Assuming that  $D/A$  is a quasicyclic group,  $A$  is a finite group. Denote  $D = A.C$  where  $C = C_D(A)$  is a centralizer of  $A$  in  $D$ . Consequently,  $C = (C_G(A) \cap D) \triangleleft G$ , moreover  $C \cap A \leq C(A)$ . Thus,  $C$  is a central extension of the finite group by the quasicyclic group. Then  $D$  is an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup  $R$  by the finite group. Furthermore,  $D = R.A$ ,  $R \triangleleft G$  and  $G = R.H$ . Since  $G'$  is an infinite group, evidently  $R \leq G'$ . Let  $N/A = D/A \cap H/A$  be the subgroup of  $G/A$ . By Isomorphism Theorem  $(G/A)/(N/A) \cong G/N$ ,  $N \triangleleft G$  and  $H/N$  is Dedekind group. Thus  $G$  is a group of type 3.

Conversely, let  $G$  be the group belonging to one of types 1 to 3. We shall prove that  $G$  is group with a finite nodal subgroup. Let the group  $G$  be of type 1. Then  $G$  is an extension of the finite sub-

group  $N$  by an infinite Dedekind group. Thus the commutator of the group  $G/N$  is a finite group, evidently the commutator of the group  $G$  is a finite group too. By Lemma 2  $G$  is group with a finite nodal subgroup.

Let  $G$  be the group of type 2 or 3. Suppose that there exists a finite normal subgroup  $N$  of the group  $G$  so that  $G/N$  is non Dedekind group. Put  $N = A$ . Let  $B$  be an arbitrary infinite subgroup of  $G$  containing  $A$ . Then  $B/A \triangleleft G/A$  implies  $B \triangleleft G$ . Since  $A$  is a finite group, evidently its every infinite subgroup is normal of  $G$ . Thus the groups of type 2 or 3 are  $IAN$  groups with a finite nodal subgroup. Theorem is proved.

**Corollary 2.** The locally graded  $IAN$  groups with a finite nodal subgroup are the groups to one of type 1 or 3 of Theorem 2.

**Proof.** If  $G$  is an locally graded  $IAN$  group with a finite nodal subgroup  $A$ , then  $G$  is the group to one of type 1 to 3 of Theorem 2. If  $G$  is the group to one of types 1 or 3 of Theorem 2, then Corollary 2 is valid. Prove that  $G$  is not the group of type 2 of Theorem 2. Let  $G$  be the group of type 2 of Theorem 2, then  $G/A$  is an infinite non-solvable  $INH$  group. If  $A$  is a finite group, and  $G$  locally graded group, evidently then  $G/A$  is a locally graded non-solvable  $INH$  group. It is contradiction. Thus  $G$  is not the group of type 2 of Theorem 2.

**Corollary 3.** The locally graded  $IAN$  group with a finite solvable nodal subgroup is the solvable group belonging to one of types 1 or 3 of Theorem 2.

**Proof.** Let  $G$  be an investigated group,  $A$  is its finite solvable subgroup. By Corollary 2  $G/A$  is the group to one of types 1 or 3 of Theorem 2. Evidently, then  $G/A$  is the solvable group, by assumption  $A$  is the solvable subgroup. This implies that  $G$  is the solvable group.

**Theorem 3.** The locally graded  $IANA$  group with a finite nodal subgroup is the solvable group of degree less or equal to number 3.

**Proof.** If  $G/A$  and  $A$  are solvable groups, then  $G$  is the solvable group and  $(G/A)'$  is abelian group. Using this fact it follows that  $G^{(2)}$  is abelian group and  $G^{(3)} = \langle e \rangle$ . Theorem is proved.

**Theorem 4.** The locally graded  $IANA$  groups with a finite nodal subgroup are the groups belonging to one of the types:

1.  $G$  is an extension of the finite normal abelian subgroup  $N$  by Dedekind group.
2.  $G$  is an almost quasicyclic group,  $G'$  is an almost quasicyclic abelian group.
3.  $G = R.H$ ,  $R$  is a  $p$ -quasicyclic group,  $R \triangleleft G$ ,  $H$  is a finite group containing a normal subgroup  $N$  of  $G$  so that  $H/N$  is Hamiltonian group,  $R.N$  is abelian group, the commutator  $H'$  is non-abelian group.

**Proof.** Let  $G$  be locally graded  $IANA$  groups with a finite nodal subgroup. By Theorem 3  $G$  is the solvable group. If  $G/A$  is abelian group, then  $G$  is the group of type 1 of this theorem.

Let  $G/A$  be non-abelian group. By Lemma 1  $G/A$  is  $INH$  group. By Proposition 1  $G/A$  is Hamiltonian group or an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup by the finite Dedekind group. If  $G/A$  is Hamiltonian group, then  $G$  is the group of type 1 of this theorem.

Let  $G/A$  be an extension of the quasicyclic subgroup  $B/A$  by the finite Dedekind group. We know that  $A$  is a finite abelian group, thus  $|B : C_B(A)| < \infty$  and  $A \leq C_B(A)$ . If  $A \leq C_B(A)$  and  $B/A$  is a quasicyclic group which does not contain the proper subgroup of the finite index, then  $C_B(A) = B$  and thus  $A \leq C_B$ . It follows that  $B$  is a central extension of the finite abelian group  $A$  by the quasicyclic group ( $B$  is an almost quasicyclic group). Since  $R$  is a quasicyclic subgroup of  $B$  and a characteristic subgroup of  $B$ , thus  $R$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . By Isomorphism Theorem  $(G/A)/(B/A) \cong G/B$  and furthermore  $G/B$  is finite Dedekind group. We consider two possible cases,  $G/B$  is an abelian group or Hamiltonian group.

Let  $G/B$  be an abelian group. Evidently, the commutator  $G' \leq B$ . If  $G'$  is a finite group, then  $G$  is the group of type 1 of this theorem.

If  $G'$  is an infinite group, evidently  $G' \leq B$ , then  $G$  and  $G'$  are almost quasicyclic groups. Thus  $G$  is the group of type 2 of this theorem.

Let  $G/B$  be Hamiltonian group. Evidently,  $G$  is an extension of the quasicyclic group  $R$  by the finite group. Denoting  $G = R.H$ ,  $H$  is a finite group, consequently  $N = B \cap H$ ,  $B = R.N$ , this implies  $G/B \cong H/N$ . Thus  $H/N$  is finite Hamiltonian group.

If  $G'$  is a finite group, then  $G$  is the group of type 1 of this theorem. If  $G'$  is an infinite group, then  $G$  is the group of type 2 of this theorem.

Let  $G'$  be an infinite non-abelian group. Put  $G = R.H$ , where  $R$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . It is well-known that  $C_G(R) \geq G$ ,  $G' = R'.H'$ ,  $[R, H] \leq R.H'$ , and  $[R.H'] = \langle e \rangle$ . From the product of the groups  $M$  and  $N$ , where  $M$  is the central group and  $N$  is abelian group and  $G' \leq R.H'$ , it follows that  $H'$  is nonabelian group. Thus  $G$  is the group of type 3 of the Theorem 4.

Conversely, let  $G$  be an infinite group one of types 1 to 3. If  $G$  is one of type 1 or 3, then we put  $A = N$ . If  $G$  is of type 2 we put  $G' = R \times D$  which is the direct product of a quasicyclic group  $R$  and a finite group  $D$ . If  $A$  is the subgroup of  $G$  generated by the elements of  $G'$  whose orders are divisors of the order of  $D$ , then  $A$  is abelian group and  $D \leq A$ .

Let  $G$  be the group of type 1. Then  $G/A$  is Dedekind, there exists  $B/A$  an arbitrary normal subgroup of  $G/A$ . Consequently,  $B \triangleleft G$ .

Let  $G$  be the group of type 2. We have  $G' = R \times D = R.A$ . It follows that  $G/A$  is an extension of the quasicyclic group  $G'/A = R.A/A$  by the finite abelian group. Thus  $B/A$  is an arbitrary normal subgroup in  $G/A$ . Consequently,  $B \triangleleft G$ .

Let  $G$  be the group of type 3. In that case  $G/A$  is an extension of the quasicyclic group  $R.A/A$  by the finite Hamiltonian group

$H/A$ . Evidently,  $B/A \triangleleft G$  implies  $B \triangleleft G$ . If  $G$  is the group one of types 1 to 3 this theorem, then  $G$  is  $IANA$  group with a finite nodal subgroup  $A$ . Theorem is proved.

**Remark.** The class of the infinite solvable  $IANA$  groups contains the class of solvable  $INH$  and the class  $KI$  groups with the finite commutator.

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