

## On minimal $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formations

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**ABSTRACT.** Let  $\mathfrak{H}$  be some class of groups. A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is called a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation [1] if  $\mathfrak{F} \not\subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  but  $\mathfrak{F}_1 \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  for all proper  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition subformations  $\mathfrak{F}_1$  of  $\mathfrak{F}$ . In this paper we describe the minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formations, where  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a 2-multiply local formation and  $\tau$  is a subgroup functor such that for any group  $G$  all subgroups from  $\tau(G)$  are subnormal in  $G$ .

### Introduction

Throughout this paper all groups considered are finite. A non-empty set of formations  $\Theta$  is called a full lattice of formations [2] if the intersection of any set of formations from  $\Theta$  again belongs to  $\Theta$  and in  $\Theta$  there is a formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  such that  $\mathfrak{H} \subseteq \mathfrak{F}$  for all  $\mathfrak{H} \in \Theta$ . Formations belonging to  $\Theta$  are called  $\Theta$ -formations. Let  $\mathfrak{H}$  be some class of groups. Recall that a  $\Theta$ -formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is called a minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ - $\Theta$ -formation (L.A. Shemetkov [1]) or  $\mathfrak{H}_\Theta$ -critical formation (A.N. Skiba [3]) if  $\mathfrak{F} \not\subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  but  $\mathfrak{F}_1 \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  for all proper  $\Theta$ -subformations  $\mathfrak{F}_1$  of  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

The minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ - $\Theta$ -formations, where  $\Theta$  is the set of all saturated formations have been described in work [4]. This result have been applied in research of local formations with given subformations (see for more in details Chapter 4 in [5]). In the book [2] analogue of this result in the class of  $\tau$ -closed saturated formations have been obtained. In the work [6] the minimal  $\omega$ -saturated non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formations, where  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a 2-multiply local formation have been described. In [7] the minimal  $\omega$ -saturated

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non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formations, where  $\mathfrak{H}$  is an any formation of classical type have been described. In the work [9] the structure of the minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ - $\Theta$ -formations, where  $\Theta$  is a class of all  $\omega$ -composition formations has been described.

In this paper we describe the minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formations, where  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a 2-multiply local formation and  $\tau$  is a subgroup functor such that for any group  $G$  all subgroups from  $\tau(G)$  are subnormal in  $G$ .

## 1. Preliminaries

We use standard terminology [10], [11]. In addition we shall need some definitions and notations from the work of L.A.Shemetkov and A.N. Skiba [8] and the concept of subgroup functor given by A.N.Skiba [2].

Let  $\mathfrak{L}$  be an arbitrary non-empty class of abelian simple groups and  $\omega = \pi(\mathfrak{L})$ . Every function

$$f : \omega \bigcup \{\omega'\} \longrightarrow \{\text{formations of groups}\}$$

is called an  $\omega$ -composition satellite.

We use  $C^p(G)$  to denote the intersection of all centralizers of abelian chief  $p$ -factors of the group  $G$  (we write  $C^p(G) = G$  if  $G$  has no such chief factors). Let  $R(G)$  denote the radical of  $G$  (i.e.  $R(G)$  is the largest normal soluble subgroup of  $G$ ).

Let  $\mathfrak{X}$  be a set of groups. We use  $\text{Com}(\mathfrak{X})$  to denote the class of all abelian simple groups  $A$  such that  $A \simeq H/K$  for some composition factor  $H/K$  of some group  $G \in \mathfrak{X}$ . Also, we write  $\text{Com}(G)$  for the set  $\text{Com}(\{G\})$ .

For an arbitrary  $\omega$ -composition satellite  $f$  we put following [8]

$$CF_\omega(f) = \{G \mid G/(R(G) \cap O_\omega(G)) \in f(\omega') \text{ and } G/C^p(G) \in f(p) \text{ for all } p \in \pi(\text{Com}(G)) \cap \omega\}.$$

If the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is such that  $\mathfrak{F} = CF_\omega(f)$  for some  $\omega$ -composition satellite  $f$ , then we say that  $\mathfrak{F}$  is an  $\omega$ -composition formation and  $f$  is an  $\omega$ -composition satellite of that formation [8]. A  $\omega$ -composition satellite  $f$  of a  $\omega$ -composition formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is called an inner  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{F}$  if  $f(a) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}$  for all  $a \in \omega \cup \{\omega'\}$ .

Recall that a Skiba subgroup functor  $\tau$  [2] associates with every group  $G$  a system of its subgroups  $\tau(G)$  such that the following conditions hold:

- 1)  $G \in \tau(G)$  for any group  $G$ ;
- 2) for any epimorphism  $\varphi : A \longrightarrow B$  and for any groups  $H \in \tau(A)$  and  $T \in \tau(B)$  we have  $H^\varphi \in \tau(B)$  and  $T^{\varphi^{-1}} \in \tau(A)$ .

We write  $\tau_1 \leq \tau_2$  if and only if  $\tau_1(G) \subseteq \tau_2(G)$ .

If for all groups  $H$  and  $G$ , where  $H \in \tau(G)$  we have  $\tau(H) \subseteq \tau(G)$ , then they say that  $\tau$  is a closed subgroup functor.

Let  $\bar{\tau}$  be the intersection of all closed functors  $\tau_i$  such that  $\tau \leq \tau_i$ . The functor  $\bar{\tau}$  is called the closure of  $\tau$ .

In this paper we consider the only subgroup functors  $\tau$  such that for any group  $G$  the set  $\tau(G)$  consists of some subnormal subgroups of  $G$ .

A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is called  $\tau$ -closed if  $\tau(G) \subseteq \mathfrak{F}$  for any group  $G \in \mathfrak{F}$ . A satellite  $f$  is called  $\tau$ -valued if all values of  $f$  are  $\tau$ -closed formations.

We denote by  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form}(\mathfrak{X})$  the intersection of all  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition formations containing the set of groups  $\mathfrak{X}$ . Then  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form}(\mathfrak{X})$  is called the  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition formation generated by  $\mathfrak{X}$ . If  $\mathfrak{X} = \{G\}$  for some group  $G$ , then instead of  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form}(G)$  we write  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$ . Formations of this kind are called one-generated  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition formations.

Let  $\{f_i \mid i \in I\}$  be the set of  $\omega$ -composition satellites. Then  $\bigcap_{i \in I} f_i$  is a satellite such that  $(\bigcap_{i \in I} f_i)(a) = \bigcap_{i \in I} f_i(a)$  for all  $a \in \omega \cup \{\omega'\}$ .

Now let  $\{f_i \mid i \in I\}$  be the set of all  $\omega$ -composition  $\tau$ -valued satellites of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$ . By Lemma 2 [8],  $f = \bigcap_{i \in I} f_i$  is a  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{F}$ . The satellite  $f$  is called the minimal  $\omega$ -composition  $\tau$ -valued satellite of  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

Let  $f$  be the minimal  $\omega$ -composition  $\tau$ -valued satellite of  $\mathfrak{F}$ . And let  $F$  be a satellite such that

$$F(a) = \begin{cases} \mathfrak{N}_p f(p), & \text{if } a = p \in \omega; \\ \mathfrak{F}, & \text{if } a = \omega'. \end{cases}$$

Then  $F$  is a  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  [8] and it is called the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

Let  $f$  and  $h$  be two  $\omega$ -composition satellites of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$ . Then we write  $f \leq h$  if for all  $a \in \omega \cup \{\omega'\}$  we have  $f(a) \subseteq h(a)$ .

**Lemma 1.1.** [8, 1]. *Let  $G$  be a group,  $p$  be a prime. Assume that  $N \trianglelefteq G$  and that for every composition factor  $H/K$  of the subgroup  $N$  we have  $p \neq |H/K|$ . Then  $C^p(G/N) = C^p(G)/N$ .*

**Lemma 1.2.** [12, 2]. *Let  $p$  be a prime,  $O_p(G) = 1$  and  $T = Z_p \wr G = [K]G$ , where  $K$  is the base group of  $T$ . Then  $K = C^p(T)$ .*

**Lemma 1.3.** [8, 4]. *Let  $\mathfrak{F} = CF_\omega(f)$  and  $p \in \omega$ . If  $G/O_p(G) \in \mathfrak{F} \cap f(p)$ , then  $G \in \mathfrak{F}$ .*

**Lemma 1.4.** [8, 5]. *Let  $\mathfrak{F}$  be an arbitrary non-empty set of groups and  $\mathfrak{X} \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ , where  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a  $\tau$ -closed formation. Let  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form}(\mathfrak{X})$  and  $\pi =$*

$\pi(\text{Com}(\mathfrak{X}))$ . Then  $\mathfrak{F}$  has the minimal  $\tau$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite  $f$  and  $f$  has the following values:

- (1)  $f(\omega') = \tau\text{form}(G/(O_\omega(G) \cap R(G)) | G \in \mathfrak{X})$ .
- (2)  $f(p) = \tau\text{form}(G/C^p(G) | G \in \mathfrak{X})$ , for all  $p \in \pi \cap \omega$ .
- (3)  $f(p) = \emptyset$ , for all  $p \in \omega \setminus \pi$ .
- (4) If  $\mathfrak{F} = CF_\omega(h)$  and  $h$  be the  $\tau$ -valued satellite, then

$$f(p) = \tau\text{form}(A | A \in h(p) \cap \mathfrak{F}, O_p(A) = 1)$$

for all  $p \in \pi \cap \omega$  and

$$f(\omega') = \tau\text{form}(A | A \in h(\omega') \cap \mathfrak{F} \text{ and } R(A) \cap O_\omega(A) = 1).$$

**Lemma 1.5.** [8, 6]. Let  $f_i$  be the minimal  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ . Then  $\mathfrak{F}_1 \subseteq \mathfrak{F}_2$  if and only if  $f_1 \leq f_2$ .

**Lemma 1.6.** [2, 2.1.5]. Let  $A$  be a monolithic group and  $R \not\subseteq \Phi(A)$  is the socle of  $G$ . Then the formation  $\mathfrak{F} = \tau\text{form}A$  is a  $\tau$ -irreducible and  $\mathfrak{M} = \tau\text{form}(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{A/R\})$  is the unique maximal  $\tau$ -closed subformation of  $\mathfrak{F}$ , where  $\mathfrak{X}$  is the set of all proper  $\tau$ -subgroups of  $A$ .

## 2. Main results

A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is called a 2-multiply local if it has a local satellite  $f$  such that all non-empty values of  $f$  are local formations.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $f$  be the minimal  $\tau$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  and let  $H$  be the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of a 2-multiply local formation  $\mathfrak{H}$ . A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation if and only if  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$  where  $G$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{H} = \text{Soc}(G)$  is the socle of  $G$ , where  $R \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G$  satisfies one of the following conditions:

- 1)  $G = R$  is a group of prime order  $p \notin \pi(\mathfrak{H})$ ;
- 2)  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$  for some  $p \in \pi$  and  $M$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $H(p)$ -group and  $Q = M^{H(p)} = \text{Soc}(M)$  is the socle of  $M$ , where  $p \notin \pi(\text{Com}(Q))$  and  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M)$ .

*Proof. Necessity.* Let  $G$  be a group of minimal order in  $\mathfrak{F} \setminus \mathfrak{H}$ . Then  $G$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{H} \neq 1$  is the socle of  $G$ . Let  $\mathfrak{F} \neq c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$ . Then  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  and so  $G \in \mathfrak{H}$ . This contradiction shows that  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$ . Since by hypothesis  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a local formation, then by Theorem 4.3 [11],  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a saturated formation and so  $R \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$ .

Let  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$ . In this case the condition of the theorem is carried out.

Let's consider the case  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $p \in \pi$ .

Assume that  $G = C_G(R)$ . Let  $R \neq G$ . Assume that  $H(p) = \emptyset$ . Consequently  $p \notin \pi(\mathfrak{H})$  and so  $Z_p \notin \mathfrak{H}$ . Then  $\mathfrak{N}_p \not\subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ . Consequently  $\mathfrak{N}_p = \mathfrak{F}$  and  $G$  is a  $p$ -group. So  $G/R \in \mathfrak{H}$  and  $G/R$  is a  $p$ -group. If  $G/R \neq 1$ , then  $p \in \pi(\mathfrak{H})$ . This contradiction shows that  $G = R = Z_p$  and  $\mathfrak{F} \neq c_\omega^\tau \text{form} G = \mathfrak{N}_p$ . Thus  $G$  satisfies Condition 1). Assume that  $H(p) \neq \emptyset$  and so  $1 = G/C_G(R) \in H(p)$ . Hence  $G \in \mathfrak{H}$ . A contradiction.

Let  $G \neq C_G(R)$ , where  $R$  is an abelian  $p$ -group. Let's consider the group  $T = [R]M$ , where  $M = G/C_G(R)$ . Let  $C = C_G(R)$ . Then  $C = C \cap RM = R(C \cap M)$ . Evidently that  $(C \cap M)$  is a normal subgroup of  $G$ . But  $G$  is a monolithic group, then  $C \cap M = 1$  and so  $R = C_G(R) = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$ . It is not difficult to see that  $R = C^p(G)$  and  $O_p(G/C^p(G)) = O_p(G/O_p(G)) = O_p(M) = 1$  and so by Lemma 1.2,  $C^p(T) = R$ . Consequently by Lemma 1.3,  $sT \in \mathfrak{F}$ . Evidently that  $|T| \leq |G|$ . Now we suppose that  $|T| < |G|$ . Then  $T \in \mathfrak{H}$  and so

$$T/C^p(T) \simeq T/R \simeq M \simeq G/C_G(R) \simeq G/R \in H(p).$$

But  $G/O_p(G) \simeq G/R \in \mathfrak{H}$  and so  $G \in \mathfrak{H}$  by Lemma 1.3. This contradiction shows that  $T \notin \mathfrak{H}$ . Consequently  $T \in \mathfrak{F} \setminus \mathfrak{H}$ . Thus in view of the choice of  $G$  we have  $|T| = |G|$  and  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form} T$ . It is clear that  $R = T^\mathfrak{H}$ . By Lemma 1.4,

$$\begin{aligned} f(p) &= \tau \text{form}(T/C^p(T)) = \tau \text{form}(T/R) = \tau \text{form}(G/C_G(R)) = \\ &= \tau \text{form}(G/R) = \tau \text{form} M. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $M \in H(p)$ . Consequently  $G \in \mathfrak{N}_p H(p) = H(p)$ . A contradiction. Hence  $M \notin H(p)$  and so  $\tau \text{form} M \notin H(p)$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{M}$  be a proper  $\tau$ -closed subformation of  $f(p)$ . Assume that  $\mathfrak{M} \not\subseteq H(p)$  and  $A$  be a group of minimal order in  $\mathfrak{M} \setminus H(p)$ . Since  $H(p) = \mathfrak{N}_p H(p)$ , then  $O_p(A) = 1$ . By Lemma 18.8 [5], exists a simple and faithful  $F_p[A]$ -module  $P$  over  $F_p$ . Let  $F = [P]A$ . Then  $P = C_F(P) = O_p(F) = C^p(F)$  and so

$$F/O_p(F) \simeq F/P \simeq A \in \mathfrak{M} \subset f(p) \subseteq f(p) \cap \mathfrak{F}.$$

By Lemma 1.3,  $F \in \mathfrak{F}$ . Hence  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form} F \subseteq \mathfrak{F}$ . If  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form} F = \mathfrak{F}$ , then by Lemma 1.4,

$$f(p) = \tau \text{form}(F/C^p(F)) = \tau \text{form}(F/P) = \tau \text{form}(A) \subseteq \mathfrak{M} \subset f(p).$$

This contradiction shows that  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form} F \subset \mathfrak{F}$ . Then  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form} F \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$  and so  $F \in \mathfrak{H}$ . Hence  $F/C^p(F) \simeq A \in H(p)$ . A contradiction. Hence  $\mathfrak{M} \subseteq H(p)$ . Thus  $f(p)$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed non- $H(p)$ -formation.

Let  $M_1$  be a group of minimal order in  $\tau \text{form} M \setminus H(p)$ . Then  $M_1$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $H(p)$ -group with the socle  $Q = M_1^{H(p)}$  and  $\tau \text{form} M = \tau \text{form} M_1$ .

Assume that  $Q \subseteq \Phi(M_1)$ . Let  $t$  be the minimal 1-multiply local satellite of  $\mathfrak{H}$ . By Theorem 8.3 [5],  $t$  is an inner satellite of  $\mathfrak{H}$ . Therefore  $t(p) \subseteq H(p)$ . Applying Theorem 8.3 [5] again and Consequence 8.6 [5] we see that  $H(p) = \mathfrak{N}_p t(p)$  is a local formation, as it is the product of two local formations  $\mathfrak{N}_p$  and  $t(p)$  (see Consequence 7.14 [5]). By Theorem 4.3 [11],  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a saturated formation. Since  $M_1/Q \in H(p)$ , then  $M_1/\Phi(M_1) \in H(p)$ . Consequently  $M_1 \in H(p)$ . This contradiction shows that  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M_1)$ .

Assume that  $p \in \pi(\text{Com}(Q))$ . Since  $M_1/Q \in H(p)$ , then  $M_1 \in \mathfrak{N}_p H(p) = H(p)$ . This contradiction shows that  $Q$  is not a  $p$ -group. Hence  $O_p(M_1) = 1$ . Thus there exists a simple and faithful  $F_p[M_1]$ -module  $R_1$  over  $F_p$ . Let  $G_1 = [R_1]M_1$ . Hence  $R_1 = C_{G_1}(R_1) = O_p(G_1) = C^p(G_1) = F_p(G_1)$  is a minimal normal  $p$ -subgroup of  $G_1$  and so

$$G_1/O_p(G_1) \simeq G_1/R_1 \simeq M_1 \in \tau \text{form} M = f(p) \subseteq f(p) \cap \mathfrak{F}.$$

By Lemma 1.3,  $G_1 \in \mathfrak{F}$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{H}_1 = c_\omega^\tau \text{form} G_1$  and  $h_1$  be the minimal  $\tau$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{H}_1$ . By Lemma 1.4,

$$h_1(p) = \tau \text{form}(G_1/C^p(G_1)) = \tau \text{form}(G_1/R_1) = \tau \text{form}(M_1).$$

If  $\mathfrak{H}_1 \subset \mathfrak{F}$ , then  $\mathfrak{H}_1 \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ . Therefore by Lemma 1.5,  $h_1 \leq H$ , consequently,

$$M_1 \simeq G_1/R_1 \in H(p).$$

This contradiction shows that  $\mathfrak{H}_1 = \mathfrak{F}$ . Thus

$$\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form} G_1 = c_\omega^\tau \text{form} G.$$

Now we shall show that  $G_1$  satisfies the hypothesis of the theorem. In fact we have only to prove that  $R_1 = G_1^{\mathfrak{H}}$ .

Indeed, if  $M_1 \in \mathfrak{H}$ , then  $G_1/R_1 = G_1/C^p(G_1) \simeq M_1 \in H(p)$ . This contradiction shows that  $G_1 \notin \mathfrak{H}$ . Consequently  $G_1^{\mathfrak{H}} = R_1$ .

Let  $M_1 \notin \mathfrak{H}$ . Consequently  $c_\omega^\tau \text{form} M_1 = \mathfrak{F}$ . By Lemma 1.4,

$$f(p) = \tau \text{form}(M_1/C^p(M_1)) = \tau \text{form}(M_1).$$

But  $Q$  is not a  $p$ -group, so  $Q \subseteq C^p(M_1)$ . So  $\tau form(M_1/C^p(M_1)) \subseteq \tau form(M_1/Q)$ . Therefore  $\tau form M_1 \subseteq \tau form(M_1/Q)$ . By Lemma 1.6,  $\mathfrak{M} = \tau form(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{M_1/Q\})$  is the unique maximal  $\tau$ -closed subformation of  $\tau form M_1$ , where  $\mathfrak{X}$  is the set of all proper  $\tau$ -subgroups of  $M_1$ . Hence  $\mathfrak{M} \subset \tau form M_1$ . This contradiction shows that  $M_1 \notin \mathfrak{H}$ . Therefore  $R_1 = G_1^{\mathfrak{H}}$ .

*Sufficiency.* Let  $G$  be a group from the theorem. It is clear that  $\mathfrak{F} \notin \mathfrak{H}$ .

Let  $\pi = \emptyset$ . In this case  $O_\omega(G) \cap R(G) = 1$ . By Lemma 1.4,

$$f(\omega') = \tau form(G/(O_\omega \cap R(G))) = \tau form(G).$$

Since  $G \notin \mathfrak{H}$ , then

$$f(\omega') = \tau form(G) \not\subseteq \mathfrak{H} = H(\omega').$$

By Lemma 1.6,  $\tau form(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{G/R\})$  is the unique maximal  $\tau$ -closed subformation of  $f(\omega') = \tau form G$ , where  $\mathfrak{X}$  is the set of all proper  $\tau$ -subgroups of the group  $G$ . Since by hypothesis, all proper  $\tau$ -subgroups of  $G$  are contained in  $\mathfrak{H}$ , then

$$\tau form(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{G/R\}) \subseteq \mathfrak{H} = H(\omega').$$

Hence all proper  $\tau$ -closed subformations of  $f(\omega')$  are contained in  $H(\omega')$ .

So  $f(\omega')$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed non- $H(\omega')$ -formation.

Let  $\mathfrak{M}$  be a proper  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition subformation of  $\mathfrak{F}$  and  $m$  be the minimal  $\tau$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{M}$ . By Lemma 1.5,  $m \leq f$ . We shall show that  $m \leq H$ .

Since

$$f(\omega') = \tau form(G) \not\subseteq m(\omega') = \mathfrak{M},$$

consequently  $m(\omega') \subset f(\omega')$ . Hence  $m(\omega') \subseteq H(\omega')$ . Besides, since  $G/R \in \mathfrak{H}$ , then  $G/R/C^q(G/R) \in H(q)$  for all  $q \in \omega \cup \pi(Com(G/R))$ . By Lemma 1.1,  $C^q(G)/R = C^q(G/R)$  for all  $q \in \omega$ . Consequently  $G/C^q(G) \in H(q)$ . Hence

$$m(q) \subseteq f(q) = \tau form(G/C^q(G)) \subseteq H(q).$$

Consequently  $m \leq H$  and so by Lemma 1.5,  $\mathfrak{M} \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ . Thus  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation.

Let  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $p \in \pi$ .

If the group  $G$  satisfies Condition 1), then obviously,  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation.

Let  $G$  satisfies Condition 2). By Lemma 1.4,

$$f(p) = \tau form(G/C^p(G)) = \tau form(G/R) = \tau form(M).$$

But  $M$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $H(p)$ -group, then  $M \notin H(p)$  and so  $f(p) \not\subseteq H(p)$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{X}$  be the set of all proper  $\bar{\tau}$ -subgroups of  $M$ . Therefore  $\mathfrak{X} \subseteq H(p)$ . But  $M/Q = M/M^{H(p)} \in H(p)$ . Hence

$$\tau form(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{M/Q\}) \subseteq H(p).$$

By Lemma 1.6,  $\tau form(\mathfrak{X} \cup \{M/Q\})$  is the unique maximal  $\tau$ -closed subformation of  $f(p) = \tau form(M)$ . Therefore all proper  $\tau$ -closed subformations of  $f(p)$  are contained in  $H(p)$ .

Consequently  $f(p)$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed non- $H(p)$ -formation, where  $p \in \pi$ . We shall show that in this case the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation.

Let  $\mathfrak{M}$  be a proper  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition subformation of  $\mathfrak{F}$  and  $m$  be the minimal  $\tau$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite of  $\mathfrak{M}$ . By Lemma 1.5,  $m \leq f$ . We shall show that  $m \leq H$ . Assume that  $m(p) = f(p)$ . Then  $G/C^p(G) = G/R = G/O_p(G) \in m(p)$ . Using now Lemma 1.3 we see that  $G \in \mathfrak{M}$  and so

$$\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau form G \subseteq \mathfrak{M} \subset \mathfrak{F}.$$

This contradiction shows that  $m(p) \subset f(p)$  and so from above we know that  $m(p) \subseteq H(p)$ . By Lemma 1.1,  $C^q(G)/R = C^q(G/R)$  for all prime  $q \neq p$  and  $(R(G) \cap O_\omega(G))/R = R(G/R) \cap O_\omega(G/R)$ . And since  $G/R \in \mathfrak{H}$ , then  $f(\omega') \subseteq H(\omega')$  and  $f(q) \subseteq H(q)$  for all  $q \in \omega \setminus \{p\}$ . But  $m \leq f$  and hence  $m(p) \subseteq H(p)$  for all  $p \in \{\omega'\} \cup \omega$ . By Lemma 1.5,  $m \leq H$ . Consequently  $\mathfrak{M} \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ . Thus  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation.  $\square$

**Remark 1.** If in Theorem 2.1 the formation  $\mathfrak{H}$  is those, that  $\mathfrak{N} \subseteq \mathfrak{H}$ , then  $G$  cannot be a group of prime order.

**Remark 2.** If  $\mathfrak{H}$  is a  $\tau$ -closed formation, then every minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -group is a  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -group.

Let's note that in the case when  $\tau$  is a trivial subgroup functor (i.e.  $\tau(G) = G$  for any group  $G$ ) we obtain the following corollary:

**Corollary 1.** *Let  $f$  be the minimal  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  and let  $H$  be the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of a 2-multiply*



local formation  $\mathfrak{H}$ . A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation if and only if  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega \text{form}G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{H} = \text{Soc}(G)$  is the socle of  $G$ , where  $R \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G$  satisfies one of the following conditions:

- 1)  $G = R$  is a group of prime order  $p \notin \pi(\mathfrak{H})$ ;
- 2)  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$  for some  $p \in \pi$  and  $M$  is a monolithic group and  $Q = M^{H(p)} = \text{Soc}(M)$  is the socle of  $M$ , where  $p \notin \pi(\text{Com}(Q))$  and  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M)$ .

In the case when for all groups  $G$  the set  $\tau(G)$  is the set of all subnormal subgroups of the group  $G$  instead of  $\tau$  they write  $s_{sn}$ .

**Corollary 2.** Let  $f$  be the minimal  $s_{sn}$ -valued  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  and let  $H$  be the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of a 2-multiply local formation  $\mathfrak{H}$ . A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $s_{sn}$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -formation if and only if  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^{s_{sn}} \text{form}G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic non- $\mathfrak{H}$ -group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{H} = \text{Soc}(G)$  is the socle of  $G$ , where  $R \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$  such that every popper subnormal subgroup of  $G$  belongs to  $\mathfrak{H}$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G$  satisfies one of the following conditions:

- 1)  $G = R$  is a group of prime order  $p \notin \pi(\mathfrak{H})$ ;
- 2)  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$  for some  $p \in \pi$  and  $M$  is a monolithic non- $H(p)$ -group and  $Q = M^{H(p)} = \text{Soc}(M)$  is the socle of  $M$ , where  $p \notin \pi(\text{Com}(Q))$  and  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M)$  such that every popper subnormal subgroup of  $M$  belongs to  $H(p)$ .

**Corollary 3.** Let  $\mathfrak{S}$  be the formation of all soluble groups. A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non-soluble formation if and only if  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic  $\tau$ -minimal non-soluble group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{S} = \text{Soc}(G)$  is the non-abelian socle of  $G$ .

*Proof.* Let  $H$  be the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{S}$ . Hence  $H(a) = \mathfrak{S}$  for all  $a \in \omega \cup \{\omega'\}$ .

*Necessity.* By Theorem 2.1 and Remark 1,  $\mathfrak{F} = c_\omega^\tau \text{form}G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{S}$ -group and  $R = G^\mathfrak{S} \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$  is the socle of  $G$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$  for some  $p \in \pi$  and  $M$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{S}$ -group and  $Q = M^\mathfrak{S}$  is the socle of  $M$ , where  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M)$ .

Let's  $\pi \neq \emptyset$ . In this case  $R$  is an abelian  $p$ -group. But  $G/R \in \mathfrak{S}$  is a soluble group and so  $G$  is a soluble group. Then  $R = G^\mathfrak{S} = 1$ . A contradiction. Therefore  $R$  is a non-abelian group.

*Sufficiency* follows from Theorem 2.1. □

**Corollary 4.** *Let  $\mathfrak{N}$  be the formation of all nilpotent groups. A formation  $\mathfrak{F}$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed  $\omega$ -composition non- $\mathfrak{N}$ -formation if and only if  $\mathfrak{F} = c_{\omega}^{\tau} \text{form} G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic  $\tau$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{N}$ -group and  $R = G^{\mathfrak{N}} = \text{Soc}(G)$  is the socle of  $G$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G$  is a Schmidt group.*

*Proof.* Let  $H$  be the canonical  $\omega$ -composition satellite of the formation  $\mathfrak{F}$ . Hence

$$H(a) = \begin{cases} \mathfrak{N}_p, & \text{if } a = p \in \omega; \\ \mathfrak{N}, & \text{if } a = \omega'. \end{cases}$$

*Necessity.* By Theorem 2.1 and Remark 1,  $\mathfrak{F} = c_{\omega}^{\tau} \text{form} G$ , where  $G$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $\mathfrak{N}$ -group and  $R = G^{\mathfrak{N}} \not\subseteq \Phi(G)$  is the socle of  $G$  and either  $\pi = \pi(\text{Com}(R)) \cap \omega = \emptyset$  or  $\pi \neq \emptyset$  and  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = O_p(G) = F_p(G)$  for some  $p \in \pi$  and  $M$  is a monolithic  $\bar{\tau}$ -minimal non- $H(p)$ -group and  $Q = M^{H(p)}$  is the socle of  $M$ , where  $p \notin \pi(\text{Com}(Q))$  and  $Q \not\subseteq \Phi(M)$ .

By Lemma 1.4,

$$f(p) = \tau \text{form}(G/C^p(G)) = \tau \text{form}(G/R) = \tau \text{form} M.$$

It means that  $\tau \text{form} M$  is a minimal  $\tau$ -closed non- $\mathfrak{N}_p$ -formation. Since  $G/R \simeq M \in \mathfrak{N}$  and  $\mathfrak{N}$  is hereditary,  $\tau \text{form} M \subseteq \mathfrak{N}$ . Thus by Theorem 2.4 [11],  $\tau \text{form} M = \text{form} M = s \text{form} M$ . Let  $H$  be a group of minimal order in  $s \text{form} M \setminus \mathfrak{N}_p$ . If  $s \text{form} H \subset s \text{form} M$ , then  $s \text{form} H \subseteq \mathfrak{N}_p$ . A contradiction. Therefore  $s \text{form} H = s \text{form} M$ . By the choice of the group  $H$ , it is a minimal non- $\mathfrak{N}_p$ -group. Thus all its Sylow subgroups are  $p$ -groups. It means that  $H$  is  $p$ -group. A contradiction. Therefore  $H$  is a group of prime order  $q$ , where  $q \neq p$ . Thus  $s \text{form} H = s \text{form} Z_q$  is a hereditary formation generated by the group of prime order  $q$ . Since  $M \in s \text{form} Z_q$ ,  $M$  is a group of exponent  $q$ . Since  $G = [R]M$  and  $R = C_G(R)$ ,  $M$  is a irreducible abelian group of automorphisms for  $R$ . Therefore  $M$  is a cyclic group. But the order and the exponent of the cyclic group  $M$  are the same. Thus we have  $|M| = q$ . So  $G$  is a group Schmidt.

*Sufficiency.* Let condition of the corollary be satisfied and  $R$  be an abelian  $p$ -group. Hence  $G$  be a Schmidt group. From the description of the Schmidt groups it follows that  $G = [R]M$ , where  $R = C_G(R)$  is a minimal normal  $p$ -subgroup of  $G$  and  $|M| = q$ , where  $q$  is a prime. It means that  $M$  is a minimal non- $\mathfrak{N}_p$ -group and  $Q = M$  is the socle of  $M$ . In this case  $\Phi(M) = 1$ . Thus by Theorem 2.1, the corollary is proved.  $\square$

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