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Let  $A$  be a non (necessary) associative algebra and let  $M(A)$  denote its multiplication algebra ( $M(A)$  is the subalgebra of  $End(A)$  generated by the identity and all left and right multiplication operators). In the complete lattice  $L(A)$  of the ideals of  $A$ , consider the closure operators  $\pi$  defined by the double annihilator ( $\pi(U) = Ann(Ann(U))$  for any ideal  $U$  of  $A$ ), and the closure operator  $\epsilon$  obtained by regarding  $A$  as a left  $M(A)$ -module.

In the paper under review the authors prove that if  $M(A)$  is semiprime, except in the exceptional case that  $\epsilon(A^2) \neq A$ , the proper closed prime ideals of  $A$  are the maximal closed ideals of  $A$ , for the closure operations  $\pi$  and  $\epsilon$ . In fact, they proved that these sets agree for both closures. The same can be said in the multiplication algebra  $M(A)$  for its closure operations  $\pi$  and  $\epsilon'$ .

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