

Fuzzy TM-ideals of TM-algebras

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Abstract: The fuzzification of TM- ideals in TM-algebras is considered, and several properties are investigated. Characterizations of a fuzzy ideal are provided.

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1. Introduction:

Y. Imai and K. Iséki introduced two classes of abstract algebras: BCK-algebras and BCI-algebras ([3, 4]). It is known that the class of BCK-algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCI-algebras. In [1, 2], Q. P. Hu and X. Li introduced a wide class of abstract: BCH-algebras. They have shown that the class of BCI-algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCH-algebras. In [6], J. Neggers, S. S. Ahn and H. S. Kim introduced Q-algebras which is a generalization of BCK / BCI-algebras and obtained several results. In [5], K. Megalai and A. Tamarasi introduced a class of abstract algebras: TM-algebras which is a generalization of Q / BCK / BCI / BCH-algebras. In this paper, we consider the fuzzification of TM-ideals in TM-algebras. We introduce the notion of fuzzy TM-ideals in CI-algebras, and investigate related properties. We investigate how to deal with the homomorphic and inverse image of fuzzy TM-ideals in TM-algebras.

2 Preliminaries

In this section, certain definitions, Known results and examples that will be used in the sequel are described.

Definition 2.1:

A BCI-algebra is an algebra $(X, *, 0)$ of type $(2,0)$ satisfying the following conditions:

- i) $(x * y) * (x * z) \leq z * y$
- ii) $x * (x * y) \leq y$
- iii) $x \leq x$
- iv) $x \leq y$ and $y \leq x$ imply $x = y$
- v) $x \leq 0$ implies $x = 0$, where $x \leq y$ is defined by $x * y = 0$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 2.2:

A BCK-algebra is an algebra $(X, *, 0)$ of type $(2,0)$ satisfying the following conditions:

- i) $(x * y) * (x * z) \leq z * y$
- ii) $x * (x * y) \leq y$
- iii) $x \leq x$
- iv) $x \leq y$ and $y \leq x$ imply $x = y$
- v) $0 \leq x$ implies $x = 0$, where $x \leq y$ is defined by $x * y = 0$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 2.3:

A BCH-algebra is an algebra $(X, *, 0)$ of type $(2,0)$ satisfying the following conditions:

- i) $x * x = 0$
- ii) $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$
- iii) $x * y = 0$ and $y * x = 0$ imply $x = y$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 2.4:

A Q-algebra is an algebra $(X, *, 0)$ of type $(2,0)$ satisfying the following condition:

- i) $x * x = 0$
- ii) $x * 0 = x$
- iii) $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$, for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Every BCK-algebra is a BCI-algebra but not conversely.

Every BCI-algebra is a BCH-algebra but not conversely.

Every BCH-algebra is a Q-algebra but not conversely.

Every Q-algebra satisfying the conditions $(x * y) * (x * z) = z * y$ and $x * y = 0$ and $y * x = 0$ imply $x = y$ is a BCI-algebra.

Definition 2.5 (TM-algebra):

A TM-algebra is an algebra $(X, *, 0)$ is a non empty subset X with a constant "0" and a binary operation "*" satisfying the following axioms:

- i) $x * 0 = x$
 ii) $(x * y) * (x * z) = z * y$, for all $x, y, z \in X$.

In X we can define a binary operation \leq by $x \leq y$ if and only if $x * y = 0$.

In any TM-algebra $(X, *, 0)$, the following holds good for all $x, y, z \in X$

- a) $x * x = 0$,
 b) $(x * y) * x = 0 * y$,
 c) $x * (x * y) = y$,
 d) $(x * z) * (y * z) \leq x * y$,
 e) $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$,
 f) $x * 0 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$,
 h) $x * z \leq y * z$ and $z * y \leq z * x$,
 i) $x * (x * (x * y)) = x * y$,
 j) $0 * (x * y) = y * x = (0 * x) * (0 * y)$,
 k) $(x * (x * y)) * y = 0$,
 l) $x * y = 0$ and $y * x = 0$ imply $x = y$.

A QS-algebra is obviously a TM-algebra, but a TM-algebra is said to be QS-algebra if it satisfies the additional relations $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$ and $y * z = z * y$ for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Example 2.6:

Let $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ be a set with a binary operation * defined by the following table:

*	0	1	2	3
0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0
2	2	0	0	0
3	3	0	0	0

Then $(X, *, 0)$ is a TM-algebra.

Definition 2.7:

A non empty subset I of a BCK-algebra X is said to be a BCK-ideal of X if it satisfies:

- (I₁) $0 \in I$,
 (I₂) $x * y \in I$ and $y \in I$ implies $x \in I$ for all $x, y \in X$.

Definition 2.8(TM-ideal):

Let $(X, *, 0)$ be a TM-algebra. A non-empty subset I of X is called TM-ideal of X if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (I₁) $0 \in I$,
 (T₂) $x * z \in I$ and $z * y \in I$ imply $x * y \in I$, for all $x, y, z \in X$.

Definition 2.9:

A non empty subset S of a TM-algebra X is said to be TM-subalgebra of X , if $x, y \in S$, implies $x * y \in S$.

Proposition 2.10:

Let $(X, *, 0)$ be a TM-algebra and I is a TM-ideal of X , then I is a BCK-ideal of X .

Proof. I₁ is satisfied.

Put in (T₂) $y = 0$, we have $x * z \in I$ and $z * 0 = z \in I$ imply $x * 0 = x \in I$, for all x, y and $z \in X$ i.e. I is a BCK-ideal of X .

Example 2.11:

Let $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ as in example 2.6, and $A = \{0, 1, 2\}$ is a TM-ideal of TM-algebra X .

3 Homomorphism of TM-algebras:

Let $(X, *, 0)$ and $(Y, *, 0)$ be a TM-algebras. A mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is called a homomorphism if $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y)$, for all $x, y \in X$. A homomorphism f is called monomorphism (resp., epimorphism) if it is injective (resp., surjective). A bijective homomorphism is called an isomorphism. Two TM-algebras X and Y are said to be isomorphic, written by $X \cong Y$, if there exist isomorphism $f : X \rightarrow Y$. For any homomorphism $f : X \rightarrow Y$, the set $\{x \in X \mid f(x) = 0\}$ is called the kernel of f , denoted by $\ker(f)$ and the set $\{f(x) \mid x \in X\}$ is called the image of f , denoted by $\text{Im}(f)$. We denoted by $\text{Hom}(X, Y)$ the set of all homomorphisms of TM-algebras from X to Y .

Proposition 3.1:

Let $(X, *, 0)$ and $(Y, *, 0)$ be a TM-algebras. A mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is homomorphism of TM-algebras, then the $\ker(f)$ is TM-ideal.

Proof. Let $x * z \in \ker(f)$ and $z * y \in \ker(f)$ then

$$f(x * z) = 0' \text{ and } f(z * y) = 0'.$$

Since

$$0' = f(z * y) = f((x * y) * (x * z)) = f(x * y) *' f(x * z)$$

$$0' = f(x * y) *' 0' \quad \text{by using (definition 2.5),}$$

$$0' = f(x * y), \text{ hence } x * y \in \ker f.$$

4 Fuzzy TM-ideals of TM-algebras:

Definition 4.1:

Let X be a set. A fuzzy set μ in X is a function $\mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$.

Definition 4.2[6]:

Let X be a BCK-algebra. a fuzzy set μ in X is called a fuzzy BCK-ideal of X if it satisfies:

$$(FI_1) \quad \mu(0) \geq \mu(x),$$

$$(FI_2) \quad \mu(x) \geq \min\{\mu(x * y), \mu(y)\}, \text{ for all } x, y \text{ and } z \in X.$$

Definition 4.3:

Let X be a TM-algebra. A fuzzy set μ in X is called a fuzzy TM-ideal of X if it satisfies:

$$(FI_1) \quad \mu(0) \geq \mu(x),$$

$$(FT) \quad \mu(x * y) \geq \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * y)\}, \text{ for all } x, y, z \in X.$$

Example 4.4:

Let $X = \{0,1,2,3,4\}$ as in example 2.6, and let $t_0, t_1, t_2 \in [0,1]$ be such that $t_0 > t_1 > t_2$. Define a mapping $\mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ by $\mu(0) = t_0$, $\mu(1) = t_1$, $\mu(2) = \mu(3) = t_2$. Routine calculations give that μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X .

Theorem 4.5:

Any fuzzy TM-ideal of TM-algebra X is fuzzy BCK-ideal of X .

Proof. (FI_1) is satisfied.

Put $y = 0$ in (FT) , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x * 0) = \mu(x) &\geq \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * 0)\} \\ &= \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z)\}, \end{aligned}$$

hence we obtain (FI_2) .

Lemma 4.6:

If μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of TM-algebra X , then $x \leq z$ implies $\mu(x) \geq \mu(z)$.

Proof. If $x \leq z$ then $x * z = 0$, this together with $x * 0 = x$ and $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$, gives

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x * 0) = \mu(x) &\geq \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * 0)\} \\ &\geq \min\{\mu(0), \mu(z)\} \\ &\geq \mu(z). \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 4.7:

The intersection of any set of fuzzy TM-ideal in TM-algebra X is also a fuzzy TM-ideal.

Proof. Let $\{\mu_i\}$ be a family of fuzzy TM-ideals of TM-algebras X .

Then for any $x, y, z \in X$,

$$(\bigcap \mu_i)(0) = \inf(\mu_i(0)) \geq \inf(\mu_i(x)) = (\bigcap \mu_i)(x),$$

$$\text{and } (\bigcap \mu_i)(x * y) = \inf(\mu_i(x * y))$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\geq \inf(\min\{\mu_i(x * z), \mu_i(z * y)\}) \\ &= \min\{\inf(\mu_i(x * z)), \inf(\mu_i(z * y))\} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \min\{(\bigcap \mu_i)(x * z), (\bigcap \mu_i)(z * y)\}.$$

This completes the proof.

Theorem 4.8:

Let A be a non-empty subset of a TM-algebra X and μ be a fuzzy subset of X such that μ is into $\{0,1\}$, so that μ is the characteristic function of A . Then μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X if and only if A is a TM-ideal of X .

Proof. Assume that μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X . Since $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$ for all $x \in X$, clearly we have $\mu(0) = 1$, and so $0 \in A$. Let $x * z \in A$ and $z * y \in A$. Since μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X , it follows that $\mu(x * y) \geq \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * y)\} = 1$, and that $\mu(x * y) = 1$.

This means that $\mu(x * y) \in A$, i.e., A is TM-ideal of X .

Conversely suppose A is a TM-ideal of X . Since $0 \in A$, $\mu(0) = 1 \geq \mu(x)$ for all $x \in X$. Let $x, y, z \in X$. If $z * y \notin A$, then $\mu(z * y) = 0$, and so $\mu(x * y) \geq 0 = \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * y)\}$, if $x * y \notin A$, and $z * y \in A$, then $x * z \notin A$ (A is TM-ideal).

Thus $\mu(x * y) = 0 = \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * y)\}$, therefore μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X .

Definition 4.9:

Let f be a mapping from the set X to a set Y . If μ is a fuzzy subset of X , then the fuzzy subset B of Y defined by

$$f(\mu)(y) = B(y) = \begin{cases} \sup_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} \mu(x), & \text{if } f^{-1}(y) = \{x \in X, f(x) = y\} \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Is called the image of μ under f .

Similarly, if B is a fuzzy subset of Y , then the fuzzy subset defined by $\mu(x) = B(f(x))$ for all $x \in X$, is said to be the preimage of B under f .

Theorem 4.10:

An into homomorphic preimage of a fuzzy TM-ideal is also fuzzy TM-ideal.

Proof. Let $f : X \rightarrow X'$ be an into homomorphism of TM-algebras, B a fuzzy TM-ideal of X' and μ the preimage of B under f . Then $B(f(x)) = \mu(x)$, for all $x \in X$, (FI₁) hold, since $\mu(0) = B(f(0)) \geq B(f(x)) = \mu(x)$.

Let $x, y, z \in X$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x * y) &= B(f(x * y)) = B(f(x) * f(y)) \\ &\geq \min\{B(f(x) * f(z)), B(f(z) * f(y))\} \\ &= \min\{B(f(x * z)), B(f(z * y))\} \\ &= \min\{\mu(x * z), \mu(z * y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\mu(x) = B(f(x)) = (B \circ f)(x)$ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X . The proof is completed.

Theorem 4.11:

Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a homomorphism between TM-algebras X and Y .

For every fuzzy TM-ideal μ in X , $f(\mu)$ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of Y .

Proof.

By definition $B(y') = f(\mu)(y') := \sup_{x \in f^{-1}(y')} \mu(x)$ for

all $y' \in Y$ and $\sup \emptyset := 0$

We have to prove that

$$B(x' * y') \geq \min\{B(x' * z'), B(z' * y')\}, \quad \text{for all } x', y', z' \in Y.$$

(i) Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an onto homomorphism of TM-algebras. Let μ be a fuzzy TM-ideal of X with sup property and B the image of μ under f . Since μ is a fuzzy TM-ideal of X , we have $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$, for all $x \in X$. Note that $0 \in f^{-1}(0')$, where 0 and $0'$ are the zeroes elements of X and Y respectively.

Thus, $B(0') = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(0')} \mu(t) = \mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$, for all

$x \in X$, which implies that $B(0') = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(x')} \mu(t) = B(x')$, for any $x' \in Y$.

For any $x', y', z' \in Y$, let $x_0 \in f^{-1}(x'), y_0 \in f^{-1}(y'), z_0 \in f^{-1}(z')$ be such that

$$\mu(x_0) = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(x')} \mu(t), \quad \mu(y_0) = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(y')} \mu(t)$$

$$\text{and } \mu(z_0) = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(z')} \mu(t)$$

and

$$\mu(x_0 * z_0) = B\{f(x_0 * z_0)\} = B(x' * z') = \sup_{(x_0 * z_0) \in f^{-1}(x' * z')} \{\mu(x_0 * z_0)\}$$

$$= \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(x' * z')} \mu(t).$$

Then

$$B(x' * y') = \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(x' * y')} \mu(t) = \mu(x_0 * y_0)$$

$$\geq \min\{\mu(x_0 * z_0), \mu(z_0 * y_0)\} =$$

$$\min\left\{ \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(x' * z')} \mu(t), \sup_{t \in f^{-1}(z' * y')} \mu(t) \right\} =$$

$$\min\{B(x' * z'), B(z' * y')\}.$$

Hence B is a fuzzy TM-ideal of Y .

(ii) If f is not onto. For every $x' \in Y$ we define $X_{x'} := f^{-1}(x')$. Since f is a homomorphism we have $(X_{x'} * X_{z'}) \subset X_{(x' * z')}$ for all $x', y', z' \in Y$ (v).

Let $x', y', z' \in Y$ be an arbitrary given. If $(x' * z') \notin \text{Im}(f) = f(X)$, then by definition

$$B(x' * z') = 0. \quad \text{But if } (x' * z') \in f(X) \text{ i.e.}$$

$X_{(x' * z')} \neq \emptyset$, then by (v) at least one of x', y' and $z' \in f(X)$, and hence

$$B(x' * y') \geq 0 = \min\{B(x' * z'), B(z' * y')\}.$$

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