

CI-algebras and its Fuzzy Ideals

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we develop the idea of fuzzy ideals in cartesian product of CI-algebras and obtain some new results. Finally we investigate how to extend a given fuzzy ideal of a CI-algebra to that of another CI-algebra.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In 1966, Y. Imai and K. Iseki [2] introduced the notion of a BCK-algebra. There exist several generalizations of BCK-algebras, such as BCI-algebras [3], BCH-algebras [1], BH-algebras [4], d-algebras [8], etc. In [5], H.S. Kim and Y.H. Kim introduced the notion of a BE-algebra as a dualization of a generalization of a BCK-algebra. As a generalization of BE-algebras, B.L. Meng [7] introduced the notion of CI-algebras and discussed its important properties. The concept of fuzzification of ideals in CI-algebra have introduced by Samy M. Mostafa, Mokhtar A. Abdel Naby, Osama R. Elgendy [10]. In this paper we develop the idea of fuzzy ideals in cartesian product of CI-algebras and obtain some new results. By establishing that if X is a CI-algebra then $F(X)$, the class of all functions $f : X \rightarrow X$ is also a CI-algebra, we extend a given fuzzy ideal of x to that of $F(X)$.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition 2.1. ([7])- A system $(X; *, 1)$ consisting of a non-empty set X , a binary operation $*$ and a fixed element 1 , is called a CI-algebra if the following conditions are satisfied :

1. (CI 1) $x * x = 1$
2. (CI 2) $1 * x = x$
3. (CI 3) $x * (y * z) = y * (x * z)$

for all $x, y, z \in X$

Example 2.2. Let $X = \mathbb{R}^+ = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x > 0\}$

For $x, y \in X$, we define

$$x * y = y \cdot \frac{1}{x}$$

Then $(X; *, 1)$ is a CI-algebra

Definition 2.3. ([7]) A non-empty subset I of a CI-algebra X is called an ideal of X if

- (1) $x \in X$ and $a \in I \Rightarrow x * a \in I$;
- (2) $x \in X$ and $a, b \in I \Rightarrow (a * (b * x)) * x \in I$.

Lemma 2.4. ([7]) In a CI-algebra following results are true:

- (1) $x * ((x * y) * y) = 1$

- (2) $(x * y) * 1 = (x * 1) * (y * 1)$
 (3) $1 \leq x$ imply $x = 1$

for all $x, y \in X$.

Lemma 2.5. ([6]) - (i) Every ideal I of X contains 1

(ii) If I is an ideal of X then $(a * x) * x \in I$ for all $a \in I$ and $x \in X$

(iii) If I_1 and I_2 are ideals of X then so is $I_1 \cap I_2$.

Theorem 2.6. ([9])- Let $(X; *, 1)$ be a system consisting of a non-empty set X , a binary operation $*$ and a fixed element 1 . Let $Y = X \times X$. For $u = (x_1, x_2)$, $v = (y_1, y_2)$ a binary operation “ \odot ” is defined in Y as

$$u \odot v = (x_1 * y_1, x_2 * y_2)$$

Then $(Y; \odot, (1, 1))$ is a CI-algebra iff $(X; *, 1)$ is a CI-algebra.

Theorem 2.7.([9])- Let A and B be subsets of a CI-algebra X . Then $A \times B$ is an ideal of $Y = X \otimes X$ iff A and B are ideals of X .

3. FUZZY IDEALS .

Definition (3.1.) ([10]) - Let $(X; *, 1)$ be a CI-algebra and let μ be a fuzzy set in X . Then μ is called a fuzzy ideal of X if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (1) $(\forall x, y \in X) (\mu(x * y) \geq \mu(y))$,
 (2) $(\forall x, y, z \in X) (\mu((x * (y * z)) * z) \geq \min \{\mu(x), \mu(y)\})$

Theorem (3.2.) ([10]) - Let μ be a fuzzy set in a CI-algebra $(X; *, 1)$. and let

$$U(\mu; \alpha) = \{x \in X: \mu(x) \geq \alpha\} \text{ where } \alpha \in [0, 1].$$

Then μ is a fuzzy ideal of X iff $(\forall \alpha \in [0, 1]) (U(\mu; \alpha) \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal of X).

Proposition (3.3) ([10]) - Let μ be a fuzzy ideal of a CI-algebra $(X; *, 1)$. Then

- (a) $\mu(1) \geq \mu(x)$ for all $x \in X$;
 (b) $\mu((x * y) * y) \geq \mu(x)$ for all $x, y \in X$;
 (c) $x, y \in X$ and $x \leq y \Rightarrow \mu(x) \leq \mu(y)$,

i. e., a fuzzy ideal μ is order preserving .

Now we establish some results for fuzzy ideals on Cartesian product of CI-algebras.

Theorem (3.4) - Let μ be a fuzzy set on a CI-algebra X and let $Y = X \times X$. Let μ_1, μ_2, μ_3 be fuzzy sets on Y defined as

$$\mu_1(x, y) = \mu(x)$$

$$\mu_2(x, y) = \mu(y)$$

$$\mu_3(x, y) = \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}$$

- Then,
- (a) μ_1 is a fuzzy ideal of Y iff μ is a fuzzy ideal of X ;
 - (b) μ_2 is a fuzzy ideal of Y iff μ is a fuzzy ideal of X ;
 - (c) μ_3 is a fuzzy ideal of Y iff μ is a fuzzy ideal of X .

Proof :- For any real $\alpha \in [0, 1]$, let

$$U(\mu; \alpha) = \{x \in X: \mu(x) \geq \alpha\};$$

$$U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) = \{(x, y) \in Y : \mu_1(x, y) = \mu(x) \geq \alpha\};$$

$$U_2(\mu_2; \alpha) = \{(x, y) \in Y : \mu_2(x, y) = \mu(y) \geq \alpha\};$$

$$\text{and } U_3(\mu_3; \alpha) = \{(x, y) \in Y : \mu_3(x, y) \geq \alpha\};$$

Then we see that $U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) = U(\mu; \alpha) \times X$

$$U_2(\mu_2; \alpha) = X \times U(\mu; \alpha)$$

$$U_3(\mu_3; \alpha) = U(\mu; \alpha) \times U(\mu; \alpha)$$

Now using theorem (2.7) we see that

- (i) $U_1(\mu_1; \alpha)$ is an ideal in Y iff $U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in X
- (ii) $U_2(\mu_2; \alpha)$ is an ideal in Y iff $U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in X
- (iii) $U_3(\mu_3; \alpha)$ is an ideal in Y iff $U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in X .

for all real $\alpha \in [0, 1]$.

Using theorem (3.2) we get the result.

Definition (3.5):- Let μ be a fuzzy set in $Y = X \times X$. Let μ_1 and μ_2 be fuzzy sets defined in X as

$$\mu_1(x) = \mu(x, 1)$$

$$\text{and } \mu_2(x, y) = \mu(1, x)$$

Theorem (3.6):- μ is a fuzzy ideal of Y iff μ_1 and μ_2 are fuzzy ideals of X .

Proof :- Let μ be a fuzzy ideal of Y . Then

$$U(\mu; \alpha) = \{(x, y) \in Y : \mu(x, y) \geq \alpha\} = A \times B \text{ (say)}$$

is an ideal in Y . This means that A and B are ideal in X [theorem (2.7)]. So $1 \in A \cap B$.

Now we prove that, $U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) = \{x \in X : \mu_1(x) \geq \alpha\} = A$

$$\text{and } U_2(\mu_2; \alpha) = \{x \in X : \mu_2(x) \geq \alpha\} = B.$$

We see that , $x \in A, 1 \in B \Leftrightarrow (x, 1) \in U(\mu; \alpha) \Leftrightarrow \mu(x, 1) \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow \mu_1(x) \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow x \in U_1(\mu_1; \alpha)$ Hence $A = U_1(\mu_1; \alpha)$. Similarly we can prove that $B = U_2(\mu_2; \alpha)$.

Thus we see that $U_1(\mu_1; \alpha)$ and $U_2(\mu_2; \alpha)$ are ideals in X for every $\alpha \in [0, 1]$. Hence μ_1 and μ_2 are fuzzy ideals in X .

Conversely, suppose that μ_1 and μ_2 are fuzzy ideals in X . Then, $U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) = \{x \in X : \mu_1(x) \geq \alpha\}$ and $U_2(\mu_2; \alpha) = \{x \in X : \mu_2(x) \geq \alpha\}$ are ideals in X for every $\alpha \in [0, 1]$.

So $1 \in U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) \cap U_2(\mu_2; \alpha)$ which means that $\mu(1, 1) \geq \alpha$ [def.(3.5)]

Now $U(\mu; \alpha) = \{(x, y) \in Y : \mu(x, y) \geq \alpha\} = A \times B$ (Say) contains $(1, 1)$.

We see that, $x \in U_1(\mu_1; \alpha) \Leftrightarrow \mu_1(x) \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow \mu(x, 1) \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow (x, 1) \in U(\mu; \alpha) \Leftrightarrow x \in A, 1 \in B$
So we have $A = U_1(\mu_1; \alpha)$. Similarly we see that $B = U_2(\mu_2; \alpha)$.

Thus $A \times B = U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in Y for every $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ [theorem (2.7)] Hence μ is a fuzzy ideal of Y .

Now we discuss fuzzy ideal for function algebra. For this we have to prove following results.

Theorem (3.7)- Let $(X; *, 1)$ be a CI – algebra and let $F(X)$ be the class of all functions $f: X \rightarrow X$. Let a binary operation “ \circ ” be defined in $F(X)$ as follows:

For $f, g \in F(X)$ and $x \in X$,

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(x) * g(x).$$

Then $(F(X); \circ, 1^\sim)$ is a CI – algebra where 1^\sim is defined as $1^\sim(x) = 1$ for all $x \in X$.

Here two functions $f, g \in F(X)$ are equal iff $f(x) = g(x)$ for all $x \in X$.

Proof : Let $f, g, h \in F(X)$. Then for $x \in X$, we have

- (i) $(f \circ f)(x) = f(x) * f(x) = 1 = 1^\sim(x) \Rightarrow f \circ f = 1^\sim$,
- (ii) $(1^\sim \circ f)(x) = 1^\sim(x) \circ f(x) = f(x) \Rightarrow 1^\sim \circ f = f$,
- (iii) $(f \circ (g \circ h))(x) = f(x) * (g \circ h)(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= f(x) * (g(x) * h(x)) \\ &= g(x) * (f(x) * h(x)) \\ &= g(x) * (f \circ h)(x) \\ &= (g \circ (f \circ h))(x). \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow f \circ (g \circ h) = g \circ (f \circ h).$$

This proves that $(F(X); \circ, 1^\sim)$ is a CI – algebra.

Theorem (3.8):- Let $(X; *, 1)$ be a CI – algebra and let $(F(X); \circ, 1^\sim)$ be CI – algebra considered in the above theorem. Then

I is an ideal of $X \Leftrightarrow F(I)$ is an ideal of $F(X)$.

Proof : Let I be an ideal of X . For $f \in F(X)$ and $g \in F(I)$ we have $f(x) \in X$ and $g(x) \in I$ for all $x \in X$.

So $(f \circ g)(x) = f(x) * g(x) \in I$ for all $x \in X$.

This gives $f \circ g \in F(I)$.

Again for $g, h \in F(I)$, $f \in F(X)$ and $x \in X$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} ((g \circ (h \circ f)) \circ f)(x) &= (g \circ (h \circ f))(x) * f(x), \\ &= (g(x) * (h(x) * f(x))) * f(x) \in I. \end{aligned}$$

So $(g \circ (h \circ f)) \circ f \in F(I)$.

Hence $F(I)$ is an ideal in $F(X)$.

Conversely, suppose that $F(I)$ is an ideal of $F(X)$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} f \in F(X) \text{ and } g \in F(I) &\Rightarrow f \circ g \in F(I) \\ &\Rightarrow (f \circ g)(t) \in I \text{ for all } t \in X \\ &\Rightarrow f(t) * g(t) \in I \text{ for all } t \in X. \end{aligned} \tag{3.1}$$

Also $f \in F(X)$ and $g, h \in F(I)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow (g \circ (h \circ f)) \circ f \in F(I) \\ &\Rightarrow ((g \circ (h \circ f)) \circ f)(t) \in I \text{ for all } t \in X, \\ &\Rightarrow (g(t) * (h(t) * f(t))) * f(t) \in I \text{ for all } t \in X. \end{aligned} \tag{3.2}$$

Let $x \in X$ and $a \in I$, We consider function f_x and f_a defined as $f_x(t) = x$ and $f_a(t) = a$ for all $t \in X$. (3.3)

Now $f_x \in F(X)$ and $f_a \in F(I)$. So $f_x \circ f_a \in F(I)$.

This implies that $(f_x \circ f_a)(t) = f_x(t) * f_a(t) = x * a \in I$ for all $t \in X$ [from (3.1)].

Again let $a, b \in I$ and $x \in X$. We consider functions f_a, f_b and f_x as defined by (3.3).

Then $f_a, f_b \in F(I)$ and $f_x \in F(X)$.

So $(f_a \circ (f_b \circ f_x)) \circ f_x \in F(I)$.

This gives $((f_a \circ (f_b \circ f_x)) \circ f_x)(t) = (a * (b * x)) * x \in I$ for all $t \in X$, [from (3.2)].

Hence I is an ideal of X .

Definition (3.9):- Let μ be a fuzzy set defined on a finite CI – algebra $(X; *, 1)$. Let $(F(X); \circ, 1)$ be the CI – algebra considered in the theorem (3.7). We extend $\bar{\mu}$ on $F(X)$ as

$$\bar{\mu}(f) = \min\{\mu(f(x)) : x \in X\}.$$

We prove the following result.

Lemma(3.10) :- If $\mu(x) \leq \mu(1)$ for all $x \in X$ then $\bar{\mu}(f) \leq \bar{\mu}(1^\sim)$ for all $f \in F(X)$.

Proof :- First of all we observe that $\bar{\mu}(1^\sim) = \mu(1)$

Since $\bar{\mu}(1^\sim) = \min\{\mu(1^\sim(x)) : x \in X\}$

$$= \mu(1).$$

Now $\bar{\mu}(f) = \min\{\mu(f(x)) : x \in X\}$

$$\leq \mu(1), \text{ since } \mu(f(x)) \leq \mu(1) \text{ for all } x \in X$$

$$= \bar{\mu}(1^\sim).$$

Lemma(3.11) :- $F(U(\mu; \alpha)) = U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$ for every $\alpha \in [0, 1]$.

Proof :- First of all we observe that for any $\alpha \in [0, 1]$,

$$U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) \neq \phi \Leftrightarrow U(\mu; \alpha) \neq \phi$$

Let $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) \neq \phi$ and $f \in U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$

Then $\bar{\mu}(f) \geq \alpha$. So $\min\{\mu(f(x)) : x \in X\} \geq \alpha$.

This implies that $\mu(f(x)) \geq \alpha$ for some $x \in X$,

i.e., $f(x) \in U(\mu; \alpha)$, and so $U(\mu; \alpha) \neq \phi$.

Again let $U(\mu; \alpha) \neq \phi$ and $a \in U(\mu; \alpha)$.

Then $\mu(a) \geq \alpha$. If we choose $f_a \in F(X)$ such that $f_a(x) = a$ for all $x \in X$. Then $\bar{\mu}(f_a) = \min\{\mu(f_a(x)) : x \in X\} = \mu(a) \geq \alpha$, i.e., $f_a \in U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$ and so $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) \neq \phi$.

Now we see that, $f \in F(U(\mu; \alpha)) \Leftrightarrow f(x) \in U(\mu; \alpha)$ for all $x \in X$

$$\Leftrightarrow \mu(f(x)) \geq \alpha \text{ for all } x \in X$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \min\{\mu(f(x)) : x \in X\} \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow \bar{\mu}(f) \geq \alpha \Leftrightarrow f \in U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$$

This gives $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) = F(U(\mu; \alpha))$.

Corollary (3.12) :- If $U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in X then $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$ is an ideal in $F(X)$.

Proof :- This follows from above lemma and theorem (3.8).

Theorem (3.13) :- If μ is a fuzzy ideal of X then so is $\bar{\mu}$ on $F(X)$.

Proof :- Let μ be a fuzzy ideal of X . Then for every $\alpha \in [0, 1]$

$U(\mu; \alpha) \neq \phi \Rightarrow U(\mu; \alpha)$ is an ideal in X

So $F(U(\mu; \alpha))$ is an ideal in $F(X)$ by theorem (3.8).

Now if $\alpha \in [0, 1]$ and $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) \neq \phi$ then from discussion given in lemma (3.11) we see that, $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha) = F(U(\mu; \alpha))$ and so $U(\bar{\mu}; \alpha)$ is an ideal in $F(X)$.

This proves that $\bar{\mu}$ is a fuzzy ideal in $F(X)$.

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