

Fuzzy BG – Ideals in BG – Algebra

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Abstract

In this paper, we introduce the concept of fuzzy BG – ideals in BG – Algebra and we have discussed some of their properties.

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1.Introduction

Y. Imai and K. Iseki introduced two classes of abstract algebras: BCK – algebras and BCI – algebras. It is known that the class of BCK – algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCI – algebras. J. Neggers and H.S.Kim introduced a new notion, called B – algebra. C.B.Kim and H.S.Kim introduced the notion of the BG – algebra which is a generalization of B – algebra. In this paper, we classify the fuzzy BG – ideals in BG – Algebra.

2. Preliminaries

In this section we site the fundamental definitions that will be used in the sequel.

Definition 2.1

A nonempty set X with a constant 0 and a binary operation ‘ $*$ ’ is called a BG – Algebra if it satisfies the following axioms.

1. $x * x = 0$,
2. $x * 0 = x$,
3. $(x * y) * (0 * y) = x$, $\forall x, y \in X$.

Example 2.1

Let $X = \{0, 1, 2\}$ be the set with the following table.

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

Then $(X, *, 0)$ is a BG – Algebra.

Definition 2.2

Let S be a non empty subset of a BG -algebra X , then S is called a subalgebra of X if $x * y \in S$, for all $x, y \in S$.

Definition 2.3

Let X be a BG-algebra and I be a subset of X , then I is called a BG-ideal of X if it satisfies following conditions:

1. $0 \in I$,
2. $x * y \in I$ and $y \in I \Rightarrow x \in I$,
3. $x \in I$ and $y \in X \Rightarrow x * y \in I$, $I \times X \subseteq I$.

Definition 2.4

A mapping $f: X \rightarrow Y$ of a BG-algebra is called a homomorphism if $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y) \forall x, y \in X$

Remark:

If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is a homomorphism of BG-algebra, then $f(0) = 0$.

Definition 2.5

Let X be a non-empty set. A fuzzy sub set μ of the set X is a mapping $\mu: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$.

Definition 2.6

A fuzzy set μ in X is said to be a fuzzy BG – bi-ideal if $\mu(x * w * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} \forall x, y, w \in X$.

3. FUZZY SUBALGEBRAS

Definition 3.1

Let μ be a fuzzy set in BG – Algebra. Then μ is called a fuzzy subalgebra of X if

$$\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} \quad \forall \quad x, y \in X.$$

Example 3.1

Let $X = \{ 0, 1, 2, 3 \}$ be the set with the following table.

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

Then $(X, *, 0)$ is a BG – Algebra. Define a fuzzy set $\mu : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ by $\mu(0) = \mu(1) = t_0$ and $\mu(2) = \mu(3) = t_1$ for $t_0, t_1 \in [0, 1]$ with $t_0 > t_1$. Then μ is a fuzzy subalgebra of X .

Definition 3.2

Let μ be a fuzzy set in a set X . For $t \in [0, 1]$, the set $\mu_t = \{ x \in X / \mu(x) \geq t \}$ is called a level subset of μ .

4. Fuzzy BG – Ideal

Definition 4.1

A fuzzy set μ in X is called fuzzy BG – Ideal of X if it satisfies the following inequalities.

1. $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$,
2. $\mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}$,
3. $\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} \quad \forall \quad x, y \in X$.

Definition 4.2

Let λ and μ be the fuzzy sets in a set X . The Cartesian product $\lambda \times \mu : X \times X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is defined by

$$(\lambda \times \mu)(x, y) = \min \{ \lambda(x), \mu(y) \} \quad \forall \quad x, y \in X.$$

Theorem 4.1

If λ and μ are fuzzy BG – Ideals of a BG – algebra X , then $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – Ideals of $X \times X$.

Proof

For any $(x, y) \in X \times X$, we have

$$(\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0) = \min \{ \lambda(0), \mu(0) \}$$

$$\geq \min \{ \lambda(x), \mu(y) \}$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(x, y)$$

That is, $(\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0) = (\lambda \times \mu)(x, y)$.

Let (x_1, x_2) and $(y_1, y_2) \in X \times X$. Then,

$$(\lambda \times \mu)(x_1, x_2)$$

$$= \min \{ \lambda(x_1), \mu(x_2) \}$$

$$\geq \min \{ \min \{ \lambda(x_1 * y_1), \lambda(y_1) \}, \min \{ \mu(x_2 * y_2), \mu(y_2) \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ \min \{ \lambda(x_1 * y_1), \mu(x_2 * y_2) \}, \min \{ \lambda(y_1), \mu(y_2) \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((x_1 * y_1, x_2 * y_2)), (\lambda \times \mu)(y_1, y_2) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)), (\lambda \times \mu)(y_1, y_2) \}$$

That is,

$$(\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2))$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)), (\lambda \times \mu)(y_1, y_2) \}$$

$$\text{and } (\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(x_1 * y_1, x_2 * y_2)$$

$$= \min \{ \lambda(x_1 * y_1), \mu(x_2 * y_2) \}$$

$$\geq \min \{ \min \{ \lambda(x_1), \lambda(y_1) \}, \min \{ \mu(x_2), \mu(y_2) \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ \min \{ \lambda(x_1), \mu(x_2) \}, \min \{ \lambda(y_1), \mu(y_2) \} \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2)), (\lambda \times \mu)((y_1, y_2)) \}$$

That is, $(\lambda \times \mu)((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(x_1, x_2), (\lambda \times \mu)(y_1, y_2) \}$$

Hence $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$.

Theorem 4.2

Let λ and μ be fuzzy sets in a BG – algebra such that $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$. Then

- i. Either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x) \quad \forall x \in X$.
- ii. If $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x) \quad \forall x \in X$, then either $\mu(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$.
- iii. If $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x) \quad \forall x \in X$, then either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\lambda(0) \geq \mu(x)$.

Proof

- i. Assume $\lambda(x) > \lambda(0)$ and $\mu(y) > \mu(0)$ for some $x, y \in X$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } (\lambda \times \mu)(x, y) &= \min \{ \lambda(x), \mu(y) \} \\ &> \min \{ \lambda(0), \mu(0) \} \\ &= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } (\lambda \times \mu)(x, y) > (\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0), \quad \forall x, y \in X.$$

Which is a contradiction to $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$.

Therefore either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x) \quad \forall x \in X$.

- ii. Assume $\mu(0) < \lambda(x)$ and $\mu(0) < \mu(y) \quad \forall x, y \in X$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } (\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0) &= \min \{ \lambda(0), \mu(0) \} \\ &= \mu(0). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And } (\lambda \times \mu)(x, y) &= \min \{ \lambda(x), \mu(y) \} > \mu(0) \\ &= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0). \end{aligned}$$

This implies $(\lambda \times \mu)(x, y) > (\lambda \times \mu)(0, 0)$.

Which is a contradiction to $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$.

Hence if $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x) \quad \forall x \in X$, then either

$$\mu(0) \geq \lambda(x) \text{ or } \mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$$

- iii. This proof is quite similar to (ii).

Theorem 4.3

If $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$, then λ or μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Proof

Firstly to prove that μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Given $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$, then by Theorem 4.2(i), either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x), \quad \forall x \in X$.

Let $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$.

By theorem 4.2(iii) then either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\lambda(0) \geq \mu(x)$.

$$\text{Now } \mu(x) = \min \{ \lambda(0), \mu(x) \}$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x)$$

$$\geq \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((0, x) * (0, y)), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((0 * 0, x * y)), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x * y), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((0 * 0, x * y), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

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

That is, $\mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}.$

$$\mu(x * y) = \min \{ \lambda(0), \mu(x * y) \}$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x * y)$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0 * 0, x * y)$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)((0, x) * (0, y))$$

$$\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

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

That is, $\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}.$

This proves that μ is a fuzzy BG-ideal of X .

Secondly to prove that λ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Given $\lambda \times \mu$ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of $X \times X$, then by

Theorem 4.2(i), either $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x), \quad \forall x \in X$.

Let $\lambda(0) \geq \lambda(x)$

By theorem 4.2(ii) then either $\mu(0) \geq \lambda(x)$ or $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$.

Now ,

$$\lambda(x) = \min \{ \mu(0), \lambda(x) \}$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x)$$

$$\geq \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((0, x) * (0, y)), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)((0 * 0, x * y), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x * y), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(0 * 0, x * y), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ \lambda(x * y), \lambda(y) \}$$

That is, $\lambda(x) \geq \min \{ \lambda(x * y), \lambda(y) \}$.

$$\lambda(x * y) = \min \{ \mu(0), \lambda(x * y) \}$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x * y)$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)(0 * 0, x * y)$$

$$= (\lambda \times \mu)((0, x) * (0, y))$$

$$\lambda(x * y) \geq \min \{ (\lambda \times \mu)(0, x), (\lambda \times \mu)(0, y) \}$$

$$= \min \{ \lambda(x), \lambda(y) \}$$

That is, $\lambda(x * y) \geq \min \{ \lambda(x), \lambda(y) \}$.

This proves that λ is a fuzzy BG-ideal of X.

Theorem 4.4

If μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X, then μ_t is a BG – ideal of X for all $t \in [0, 1]$.

Proof:

Let μ be a fuzzy BG – ideal of X. Then

1. $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$,
2. $\mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}$,
3. $\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} \forall x, y \in X$.

To prove that μ_t is a BG – ideal of X

We know that $\mu_t = \{ x / \mu(x) \geq t \}$

Let $x, y \in \mu_t$ and μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Since $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x) \geq t$ Implies $0 \in \mu_t, \forall t \in [0, 1]$.

Let $x * y \in \mu_t$ and $y \in \mu_t$

Therefore, $\mu(x * y) \geq t$ and $\mu(y) \geq t$.

Now $\mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \} \geq \min \{ t, t \} \geq t$.

Hence $\mu(x) \geq t$.

That is , $x \in \mu_t$.

Let $x \in \mu_t, y \in X$.

Choose y in X such that $\mu(y) \geq t$.

Since $x \in \mu_t$ implies $\mu(x) \geq t$.

$$\text{We know that } \mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}$$

$$\geq \min \{ t, t \} \geq t .$$

That is, $\mu(x * y) \geq t$ implies $x * y \in \mu_t$.

Hence μ_t is a BG – ideal of X.

Theorem 4.5

If X be a BG – algebra, $\forall t \in [0, 1]$, and μ_t is a BG - ideal of X, then μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X.

Proof :

Since μ_t is a BG - ideal of X .

i. $0 \in \mu_t$,

ii. $x * y \in \mu_t$ and $y \in \mu_t$ implies $x \in \mu_t$,

iii. $x \in \mu_t, y \in X$ implies $x * y \in \mu_t$.

To prove that μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X.

i. Let $x, y \in \mu_t$ then $\mu(x) \geq t$ and $\mu(y) \geq t$.

Let $\mu(x) = t_1$ and $\mu(y) = t_2$, without loss of generality let $t_1 \leq t_2$

Then $x \in \mu_{t_1}$.

Now $x \in \mu_{t_1}$ and $y \in X$ implies $x * y \in \mu_{t_1}$.

$$\text{That is , } \mu(x * y) \geq t_1$$

$$= \min \{ t_1, t_2 \}$$

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

That is , $\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}$.

$$\text{ii. Let } \mu(0) = \mu(x * x)$$

$$\geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(x) \} \text{ (by proof (i))}$$

$$\geq \mu(x).$$

That is , $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x) \forall x \in X$.

$$\text{iii. Let } \mu(x) = \mu((x * y) * (0 * y))$$

$$\geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(0 * y) \} \text{ (by (i))}$$

$$\geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \min \{ \mu(0), \mu(y) \} \}$$

$$\geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \} \text{ (by (ii)).}$$

$$\mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}.$$

Hence μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X.

Theorem 4.6

Every fuzzy BG – ideal is a fuzzy BG – bi-ideal.

Proof

It is trivial.

Remark:

Converse of the above theorem is not true. That is every fuzzy BG – bi –ideal is not fuzzy BG – ideal. Let us prove this by an example.

Example:

Let $X = \{ 0, 1, 2 \}$ be the set with the following table.

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

Then $(X, *, 0)$ is a BG – Algebra.

We define a fuzzy set $\mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ by $\mu(0) = 0.8$ and
 $\mu(x) = 0.2 \forall x \neq 0$.

Clearly μ is fuzzy BG – ideal of X . But μ is not a BG – bi-ideal of X .

For, Let $x = 0, w = 1, y = 0$. Then

$$\mu(x * w * y) = \mu(0 * 1 * 0) = \mu(0 * 1) = \mu(1) = 0.02.$$

$$\min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} = \min \{ \mu(0), \mu(0) \} = \mu(0) = 0.8.$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(x * w * y) \leq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}.$$

Hence μ is not a fuzzy BG – bi-ideal of X .

Definition 4.3

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a mapping of BG – algebra and μ be a fuzzy set of Y then μ^f is the pre -image of μ under f if $\mu^f(x) = \mu(f(x)) \forall x \in X$.

Theorem 4.7

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a homomorphism of BG – algebra if μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of Y then μ^f is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Proof

For any $x \in X$, we have

$$\mu^f(x) = \mu(f(x)) \leq \mu(0) = \mu(f(0)) = \mu^f(0)$$

Let $x, y \in X$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \min \{ \mu^f(x * y), \mu^f(y) \} &= \min \{ \mu(f(x * y)), \mu(f(y)) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(f(x) * f(y)), \mu(f(y)) \} \\ &\leq \mu(f(x)) \\ &= \mu^f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{That is, } \mu^f(x) \geq \min \{ \mu^f(x * y), \mu^f(y) \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \min \{ \mu^f(x), \mu^f(y) \} &= \min \{ \mu(f(x)), \mu(f(y)) \} \\ &\leq \mu(f(x) * f(y)) \\ &= \mu(f(x * y)) \\ &= \mu^f(x * y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{That is, } \mu^f(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu^f(x), \mu^f(y) \}$$

Hence μ^f is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X .

Theorem 4.8

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an epimorphism of BG – algebra. If μ^f is a fuzzy BG – ideal of X , then μ is a fuzzy BG – ideal of Y .

Proof

Let $y \in Y, \exists x \in X$ such that $f(x) = y$,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \mu(y) &= \mu(f(x)) \\ &= \mu^f(x) \\ &\leq \mu^f(0) \\ &= \mu(f(0)) = \mu(0). \end{aligned}$$

Again let $x, y \in Y$ then $\exists a, b \in X$ such that

$$f(a) = x \text{ and } f(b) = y.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{It follows that } \mu(x) &= \mu(f(a)) \\ &= \mu^f(a) \\ &\geq \min \{ \mu^f(a * b), \mu^f(b) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(f(a * b)), \mu(f(b)) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(f(a) * f(b)), \mu(f(b)) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{That is, } \mu(x) \geq \min \{ \mu(x * y), \mu(y) \}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } \mu(x * y) &= \mu(f(a) * f(b)) \\ &= \mu(f(a * b)) \\ &= \mu^f(a * b) \\ &\geq \min \{ \mu^f(a), \mu^f(b) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(f(a)), \mu(f(b)) \} \\ &= \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(x * y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}.$$

Hence μ is fuzzy BG – ideal of Y .

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