

# ON INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY SUB- IMPLICATIVE IDEALS OF BCI-ALGEBRAS

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**Abstract-** The aim of this paper is to introduce the notion of intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideals in BCI-algebras and to investigate some of their related properties..

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of BCK/BCI-algebras was introduced by Imai and Iseki in 1966. In the same year Iseki introduced the notion of a BCI-algebras which is a generalization of a BCK-algebras. After the introduction of the concept of fuzzy sets by L.A. Zadeh [7], several researches were conducted on the generalization of the fuzzy sets. The idea of intuitionistic fuzzy set was first introduced by K.T. Atanassov [1,2], as a generalization of the notion of fuzzy set. In this paper using Atanassov's idea, we establish the intuitionistic fuzzification of the concept of sub-implicative ideals in BCI-algebras and investigate some of their properties .

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

In this section we include some elementary definitions that are necessary for this paper.

By a BCI-algebra we mean an algebra  $(X, *, 0)$  of type  $(2,0)$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (1)  $((x * y) * (x * z)) * (z * y) = 0$ ,
- (2)  $(x * (x * y)) * y = 0$ ,
- (3)  $x * x = 0$ ,
- (4)  $x * y = 0$  and  $y * x = 0$  imply  $x = y$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

In a BCI-algebra  $X$ , we can define a partial ordering " $\leq$ " by putting  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x * y = 0$ . A BCI-algebra  $X$  is said to be implicative if  $(x * (x * y)) * (y * x) = y * (y * x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . A mapping  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  of BCI-algebras is called a homomorphism if  $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

In any BCI-algebra  $X$ , the following hold :

- (5)  $((x * z) * (y * z)) * (x * y) = 0$ ,
- (6)  $x * (x * (x * y)) = x * y$ ,
- (7)  $0 * (x * y) = (0 * x) * (0 * y)$ ,
- (8)  $x * 0 = x$ ,
- (9)  $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$ ,
- (10)  $x \leq y$  implies  $x * z \leq y * z$  and  $z * y \leq z * x$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Example 2.1** The set  $X = \{ 0, 1, 2, 3 \}$  with the following Cayley table is a BCI - algebra

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

Throughout this paper  $X$  always means a BCI-algebra without any specification.

**Definition 2.2** An non-empty subset  $A$  of  $X$  is a positive implicative ideal of  $X$  if for all  $x \in X$ ,

- (1)  $0 * x \in A$  implies  $x \in A$
- (2)  $((x * z) * z) * (y * z) \in A$  and  $y \in A$  imply  $x * z \in A$ .

**Definition 2.3.** An non empty set  $A$  in  $X$  is called a P-ideal if it satisfies for all  $x, y, z \in X$ ,

- (1)  $0 \in A$ ,
- (2)  $(x * z) * (y * z) \in A$  and  $y \in A$  imply  $x \in A$ .

**Definition 2.4** [ 7 ]. Let  $X$  be a non-empty set. A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $X$  is a function  $\mu : X \rightarrow [ 0, 1 ]$ .

**Definition 2.5** [7 ]. Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy set in  $X$ . For  $t \in [0,1]$ , the set  $\mu_t = \{ x \in X \mid \mu(x) \geq t \}$  is called a level subset of  $\mu$ .

**Definition 2.6 .** A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called a fuzzy ideal of  $X$  if

- (1)  $\mu ( 0 ) \geq \mu ( x )$ ,
- (2)  $\mu ( x ) \geq \min \{ \mu ( x * y ) , \mu ( y ) \}$  , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

For any elements  $x, y$  of a BCI-algebra,  $x^n * y$  denotes  $x * (\dots * (x * (x * y)) \dots)$  in which  $x$  occurs  $n$  times.

**Definition 2.7** [ 3 ]. A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called a fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$  if

- (1)  $\mu ( 0 ) \geq \mu ( x )$ ,
- (2)  $\mu ( y^2 * x ) \geq \min \{ \mu ( ((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z ) , \mu ( z ) \}$  , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Definition 2.8** [ 2 ]. An intuitionistic fuzzy set ( IFS )  $A$  in a non empty set  $X$  is an object having the form  $A = \{ \langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle / x \in X \}$ , where the functions  $\mu_A : X \rightarrow [ 0,1]$  and  $\nu_A : X \rightarrow [0,1]$  denote the degree of membership and the degree of non membership of each element  $x \in X$  to the set  $A$ , respectively, and  $0 \leq \mu_A(x) + \nu_A(x) \leq 1$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Notation:** For the sake of simplicity, we shall use the symbol  $A = \langle \mu_A, \nu_A \rangle$  for the

IFS  $A = \{ \langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle / x \in X \}$ .

**Definition 2.9** [ 2 ]. Let  $A$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy set of a set  $X$ . For each pair  $\langle t, s \rangle \in [0, 1]$ , the set  $A_{\langle t, s \rangle} = \{ x \in X : \mu_A(x) \geq t \text{ and } \nu_A(x) \leq s \}$  is called the level subset of  $A$ .

**Definition 2.10** [ 2 ]. Let  $A$  be an IFS in  $X$  and let  $t \in [0, 1]$ . Then the sets  $U(\mu_A; t) = \{ x \in X : \mu_A(x) \geq t \}$  and  $L(\nu_A, t) = \{ x \in X : \nu_A(x) \leq t \}$  are called a  $\mu$ -level  $t$ -cut and  $\nu$ -level  $t$ -cut of  $A$ , respectively.

### 3. INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY SUB-IMPLICATIVE IDEALS

**Definition 3.1.** An intuitionistic fuzzy set  $A$  in  $X$  is called an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies:

- (1)  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,
- (2)  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x)$ ,
- (3)  $\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \min\{ \mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \mu_A(z) \}$ ,
- (4)  $\nu_A(y^2 * x) \leq \max\{ \nu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \nu_A(z) \}$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Example 3.2.** Let  $X = \{ 0, 1, 2 \}$  with the following Cayley table be a BCI algebra.

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

Let  $A = \langle \mu_A, \nu_A \rangle$  be an IFS in  $X$  defined by  $\mu_A(0) = \mu_A(1) = 0.6$ ,  $\mu_A(2) = 0.2$  and  $\nu_A(0) = \nu_A(1) = 0.2$  and  $\nu_A(2) = 0.6$ . Then  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $A$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy set in  $X$  satisfying  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$  and  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x)$ . If  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ , then  $A$  satisfies the following inequality

$$\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x))) \text{ and } \nu_A(y^2 * x) \leq \nu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x))) \text{ for all } x, y \in X.$$

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of  $X$ . Then

$$\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \min\{ \mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \mu_A(z) \},$$

and

$$\nu_A(y^2 * x) \leq \max\{ \nu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \nu_A(z) \}$$

Taking  $z = 0$  we get

$$\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \min\{ \mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * 0), \mu_A(0) \}$$

$$= \mu_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(0)\}$$

$$= \mu_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))$$

and

$$v_A(y^2 * x) \leq \max\{v_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * 0), v_A(0)\}$$

$$= v_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x)), v_A(0)\}$$

$$= v_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))$$

**Theorem 3.4.** Every intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of X is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal.

**Proof.** Let A be an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of X. Then

- (i)  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,
- (ii)  $v_A(0) \leq v_A(x)$ ,
- (iii)  $\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \min\{\mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \mu_A(z)\}$ ,
- (iv)  $v_A(y^2 * x) \leq \max\{v_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), v_A(z)\}$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

Putting  $y = x$  in (iii) and (iv), we get

$$\mu_A(x) = \mu_A(x^2 * x)$$

$$\geq \min\{\mu_A(((x^2 * x) * (x * x)) * z), \mu_A(z)\}$$

$$= \min\{\mu_A(x * z), \mu_A(z)\}$$

$$v_A(x) = v_A(x^2 * x)$$

$$\leq \max\{v_A(((x^2 * x) * (x * x)) * z), v_A(z)\}$$

$$= \max\{v_A(x * z), v_A(z)\}$$

for all  $x, z \in X$ .

Hence A is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal.

**Theorem 3.5.** An intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of X may not be an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal.

**Proof.** Let  $X = \{0, a, b, c\}$  with the following Cayley table be a BCI- algebra.

*	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	c
a	a	0	0	c
b	b	b	0	c
c	c	c	c	0

Let  $A = \langle \mu_A, v_A \rangle$  be an IFS in X defined by

$$\mu_A(0) = 0.7 \text{ and } \mu_A(x) = 0.2 \text{ for all } x \neq 0 \text{ and } v_A(0) = 0.2 \text{ and}$$

$v_A(x) = 0.7$  for all  $x \neq 0$ . Then A is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of X, but it is not an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of X because

$$\mu_A(a^2 * b) < \min\{\mu_A(((b^2 * a) * (a * b)) * 0), \mu_A(0)\}$$

$$v_A(a^2 * b) > \max\{v_A(((b^2 * a) * (a * b)) * 0), v_A(0)\}$$

**Theorem 3.6.** Every intuitionistic fuzzy ideal satisfying the condition

$\mu_A (y^2 * x) \geq \mu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))$  and  $\nu_A (y^2 * x) \leq \nu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ .

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of  $X$  satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_A (y^2 * x) &\geq \mu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) \text{ and } \nu_A (y^2 * x) \leq \nu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) \\ \mu_A (y^2 * x) &\geq \mu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) \\ &\geq \min\{\mu_A (((x^2 * x) * (x * x)) * z), \mu_A (z)\} \\ \nu_A (y^2 * x) &\leq \nu_A ((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) \\ &\leq \max\{\nu_A (((x^2 * x) * (x * x)) * z), \nu_A (z)\} \end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof.

**Definition 3.7** An intuitionistic fuzzy set  $A$  in  $X$  is called an intuitionistic fuzzy positive implicative ideal of  $X$  if

- (i)  $\mu_A (0) \geq \mu_A (x)$ ,
- (ii)  $\nu_A (0) \leq \nu_A (x)$ ,
- (iii)  $\mu_A (x * z) \geq \min\{\mu_A (((x * z) * z) * (y * z)), \mu_A (y)\}$ ,
- (iv)  $\nu_A (x * z) \leq \max\{\nu_A (((x * z) * z) * (y * z)), \nu_A (y)\}$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Example 3.8.** Let  $X = \{ 0, a, b, c \}$  with the following Cayley table be a BCI- algebra.

*	0	a	b	c
0	0	0	0	c
a	a	0	0	c
b	b	b	0	c
c	c	c	c	0

Let  $A = \langle \mu_A, \nu_A \rangle$  be an IFS in  $X$  defined by

$\mu_A(0) = 0.7$  and  $\mu_A(x) = 0.2$  for all  $x \neq 0$  and  $\nu_A(0) = 0.2$  and  $\nu_A(x) = 0.7$  for all  $x \neq 0$ . Then  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy positive implicative ideal of  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** Every intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal is an intuitionistic fuzzy positive implicative ideal.

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ . Then  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of  $X$ . From Theorem 3.3

$$\mu_A (b^2 * a) \geq \mu_A ((a^2 * b) * (b * a)) \text{ and } \nu_A (b^2 * a) \leq \nu_A ((a^2 * b) * (b * a)) \text{ for all } a, b \in X.$$

Substituting  $x*y$  for  $a$  and  $x$  for  $b$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_A (x * y) &= \mu_A (x * (x * (x * y))) \\ &= \mu_A (b^2 * a) \\ &\geq \mu_A ((a^2 * b) * (b * a)) \\ &= \mu_A (((x * y) * ((x * y) * x)) * (x * (x * y))) \\ &= \mu_A (((x * y) * (x * (x * y))) * ((x * y) * x)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \mu_A(((x * (x * (x * y))) * y) * ((x * x) * y)) \\
 &= \mu_A(((x * y) * y) * (0 * y)) \\
 v_A(x * y) &= v_A(x * (x * (x * y))) \\
 &= v_A(b^2 * a) \\
 &\leq v_A((a^2 * b) * (b * a)) \\
 &= v_A(((x * y) * ((x * y) * x)) * (x * (x * y))) \\
 &= v_A(((x * y) * (x * (x * y))) * ((x * y) * x)) \\
 &= v_A(((x * (x * (x * y))) * y) * ((x * x) * y)) \\
 &= v_A(((x * y) * y) * (0 * y))
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence A is an intuitionistic fuzzy positive implicative ideal of X.

**Definition 3.10** An intuitionistic fuzzy set A in X is called an intuitionistic fuzzy p-ideal of X if (i)  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,  
 (ii)  $v_A(0) \leq v_A(x)$ ,  
 (iii)  $\mu_A(x) \geq \min\{\mu_A((x * z) * (y * z)), \mu_A(y)\}$ ,  
 (iv)  $v_A(x) \leq \max\{v_A((x * z) * (y * z)), v_A(y)\}$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 3.11** . An intuitionistic fuzzy p- ideal of X is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of X, but the converse does not hold.

**Proof.** Suppose that A is an intuitionistic fuzzy p- ideal of X . Then it is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of X. Note that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (0^2 * (y^2 * x)) * (x^2 * y) * (y * x) &= (0 * ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))) * (0 * (y^2 * x)) \\
 &= ((0 * ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))) * ((0 * y) * (0 * (y * x)))) \\
 &= (((0 * x) * (0 * ((x * y) * (y * x)))) * ((0 * y) * (0 * (y * x)))) \\
 &\leq (((0 * x) * (0 * ((x * y) * (y * x)))) * (0 * y)) \\
 &= ((0 * x) * (0 * y)) * (0 * (x * y)) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Since in an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal  $A = \langle \mu_A, v_A \rangle$ ,  $\mu_A$  is order reversing and  $v_A$  is order preserving

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mu_A(y^2 * x) &\geq \mu_A(0^2 * (y^2 * x)) \\
 &\geq \min\{\mu_A((0^2 * (y^2 * x)) * ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))), \mu_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))\} \\
 &\geq \min\{\mu_A(0), \mu_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))\} \\
 &= \mu_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) \\
 v_A(y^2 * x) &\leq v_A(0^2 * (y^2 * x)) \\
 &\leq \max\{v_A((0^2 * (y^2 * x)) * ((x^2 * y) * (y * x))), v_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))\} \\
 &\leq \max\{v_A(0), v_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))\} \\
 &= v_A((x^2 * y) * (y * x))
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence A is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal.

**Example 3.12.** Let  $X = \{0, a, 1, 2, 3\}$  with the following Cayley table be a BCI- algebra.

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

Let  $A = \langle \mu_A, \nu_A \rangle$  be an IFS in  $X$  defined by

$$\mu_A(0) = 0.7, \mu_A(a) = 0.5, \mu_A(1) = \mu_A(2) = \mu_A(3) = 0.2 \text{ and}$$

$\nu_A(0) = 0.2, \nu_A(a) = 0.5, \nu_A(1) = \nu_A(2) = \nu_A(3) = 0.7$ . Then  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy ideal of  $X$ . in which the inequalities  $\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \mu_A(y^2 * x) * (y * x)$  and  $\nu_A(y^2 * x) \leq \nu_A(y^2 * x) * (y * x)$  hold for all  $x, y \in X$ .  $A$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$  by Theorem 3.7.

But it is not an intuitionistic fuzzy  $p$ - ideal of  $X$ , since

$$\mu_A(a) < \min\{ \mu_A((a * 1) * (0 * 1)), \mu_A(0) \}$$

$$\nu_A(a) > \max\{ \nu_A((a * 1) * (0 * 1)), \nu_A(0) \}$$

The proof is complete.

**Theorem 3.13.** For any intuitionistic fuzzy sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ , the set

$$X_A = \{ x \in X \mid \mu_A(x) = \mu_A(0) \text{ and } \nu_A(x) = \nu_A(0) \}$$

is a sub-implicative ideal.

**Proof.** Clearly  $0 \in X_A$ . Let  $x, y, z \in X$  be such that  $((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z \in X_A$  and

$z \in X_A$ . Then  $\mu_A(y^2 * x) \geq \min\{ \mu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \mu_A(z) \} = \mu_A(0)$  and

$$\nu_A(y^2 * x) \leq \max\{ \nu_A(((x^2 * y) * (y * x)) * z), \nu_A(z) \} = \nu_A(0) \text{ for all } x, y, z \in X.$$

which implies  $\mu_A(y^2 * x) = \mu_A(0)$  and  $\nu_A(y^2 * x) = \nu_A(0)$ . That is,  $y^2 * x \in X_A$

Therefore  $X_A$  is a sub-implicative ideal of  $X$ .

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