

# Intuitionistic fuzzy BCI-algebras (implicative ideals, closed implicative ideals, commutative ideals) under norms

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**ABSTRACT.** In this article, by using norms( $T$  and  $C$ ), we present the concept of intuitionistic fuzzy implicative ideals, intuitionistic fuzzy closed implicative ideals and intuitionistic fuzzy commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebras. Some interesting results of them are given. Characterisations of implicative ideals, closed implicative ideals and commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebras by using them are explored. By using intersections, direct products and homomorphisms, some interesting results are obtained.

## 1. Introduction

Iseki [6] introduced the idea of  $BCI$ -algebras.  $BCI$ -algebras are established from two distinct approaches as propositional calculi and set theory. Several results and properties of  $BCI$ -algebras are discussed in the work [5]. Fuzzy set theory, initially established by Zadeh [18] in 1965, was applied by several researchers to generalize some of the essential ideas of algebraic structures. Fuzzy algebraic structures play a prominent role in different domains in mathematics and other sciences. The idea of "intuitionistic fuzzy set" was first published by Atanassov [2, 3] as a generalization of the notion of fuzzy sets. Liu and et al. [7] introduced the notions of intuitionistic fuzzy implicative ideals and intuitionistic fuzzy commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebras and discussed their properties. Triangular norms and conorms are operations which generalize the logical conjunction and logical disjunction to fuzzy

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logic. They are a natural interpretation of the conjunction and disjunction in the semantics of mathematical fuzzy logics. The author by using norms, investigated some properties of fuzzy algebraic structures [9]-[16]. In this paper, we define intuitionistic fuzzy implicative ideals, intuitionistic fuzzy closed implicative ideals and intuitionistic fuzzy commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebras respect to  $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ . Next we obtain the relation between them and implicative ideals, closed implicative ideals and commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebras. Finally we consider them under intersections, direct products and homomorphisms.

## 2. preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** [17] An algebra  $(X, *, 0)$  is called a  $BCI$ -algebra if it satisfies 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  $x = y$
- (5)  $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$
- (6)  $x * 0 = x$
- (7)  $0 * (x * y) = (0 * x) * (0 * y)$
- (8)  $0 * (0 * (x * y)) = 0 * (y * x)$

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

In a  $BCI$ -algebra, we can define a partial ordering "  $\leq$  " by  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x * y = 0$ .

- (9)  $x \leq y$  implies  $x * z \leq y * z$  and  $z * y \leq z * x$
- (10)  $(x * z) * (y * z) \leq x * y$

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

**Definition 2.2.** [7] A non-empty subset  $I$  of a  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  is called an ideal of  $X$  if

- (1)  $0 \in I$ ,
- (2)  $x * y \in I$  and  $y \in I$  imply that  $x \in I$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 2.3.** [7] An ideal  $I$  of a  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  is said to be closed if  $0 * x \in I$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [7] A non-empty subset  $I$  of a  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  is said to be an implicative ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies:

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

**Definition 2.5.** [7] A non-empty subset  $I$  of a  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  is said to be a commutative ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies:

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

**Definition 2.6.** A mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  of *BCI*-algebras is called a homomorphism if  $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 2.7.** [8] Let  $X$  be an arbitrary set. A fuzzy subset of  $X$ , we mean a function from  $X$  into  $[0, 1]$ . The set of all fuzzy subsets of  $X$  is called the  $[0, 1]$ -power set of  $X$  and is denoted  $[0, 1]^X$ . For a fixed  $s \in [0, 1]$ , the set  $\mu_s = \{x \in X : \mu(x) \geq s\}$  is called an upper level of  $\mu$  and the set  $\mu_t = \{x \in X : \mu(x) \leq t\}$  is called a lower level of  $\mu$ .

**Definition 2.8.** [2, 3] Let  $X$  be a nonempty set. A complex mapping  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) : X \rightarrow [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$  is called an intuitionistic fuzzy set (in short, *IFS*) in  $X$  if  $\mu_A + \nu_A \leq 1$  where the mappings  $\mu_A : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$  and  $\nu_A : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$  denote the degree of membership (namely  $\mu_A(x)$ ) and the degree of non-membership (namely  $\nu_A(x)$ ) for each  $x \in X$  to  $A$ , respectively. In particular  $\emptyset_X$  and  $U_X$  denote the intuitionistic fuzzy empty set and intuitionistic fuzzy whole set in  $X$  defined by  $\emptyset_X(x) = (0, 1) \sim 0$  and  $U_X(x) = (1, 0) \sim 1$ , respectively. We will denote the set of all *IFSs* in  $X$  as *IFS*( $X$ ).

**Definition 2.9.** [8] Let  $\varphi$  be a function from set  $X$  into set  $Y$  such that  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in \text{IFS}(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in \text{IFS}(Y)$ . For all  $x \in X, y \in Y$ , we define

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi(A)(y) &= (\varphi(\mu_A)(y), \varphi(\nu_A)(y)) \\ &= \begin{cases} (\sup\{\mu_A(x) | x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\}, \inf\{\nu_A(x) | x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\}) & \text{if } \varphi^{-1}(y) \neq \emptyset \\ (0, 1) & \text{if } \varphi^{-1}(y) = \emptyset \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Also  $\varphi^{-1}(B)(x) = (\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x)) = (\mu_B(\varphi(x)), \nu_B(\varphi(x)))$ .

**Definition 2.10.** [4] A  $t$ -norm  $T$  is a function  $T : [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  having the following four properties:

- (T1)  $T(x, 1) = x$  (neutral element),
  - (T2)  $T(x, y) \leq T(x, z)$  if  $y \leq z$  (monotonicity),
  - (T3)  $T(x, y) = T(y, x)$  (commutativity),
  - (T4)  $T(x, T(y, z)) = T(T(x, y), z)$  (associativity),
- for all  $x, y, z \in [0, 1]$ .

It is clear that if  $x_1 \geq x_2$  and  $y_1 \geq y_2$ , then  $T(x_1, y_1) \geq T(x_2, y_2)$ .

- Example 2.11.** (1) Standard intersection  $t$ -norm  $T_m(x, y) = \min\{x, y\}$ .
- (2) Bounded sum  $t$ -norm  $T_b(x, y) = \max\{0, x + y - 1\}$ .
  - (3) algebraic product  $t$ -norm  $T_p(x, y) = xy$ .

(4) Drastic  $t$ -norm

$$T_D(x, y) = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } x = 1 \\ x & \text{if } y = 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

(5) Nilpotent minimum  $t$ -norm

$$T_{nM}(x, y) = \begin{cases} \min\{x, y\} & \text{if } x + y > 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

(6) Hamacher product  $T$ -norm

$$T_{H_0}(x, y) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = y = 0 \\ \frac{xy}{x+y-xy} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The drastic  $t$ -norm is the pointwise smallest  $t$ -norm and the minimum is the pointwise largest  $t$ -norm:  $T_D(x, y) \leq T(x, y) \leq T_{\min}(x, y)$  for all  $x, y \in [0, 1]$ .

**Definition 2.12.** [4] A  $t$ -norm  $C$  is a function  $C : [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  having the following four properties:

- (1)  $C(x, 0) = x$ ,
- (2)  $C(x, y) \leq C(x, z)$  if  $y \leq z$ ,
- (3)  $C(x, y) = C(y, x)$ ,
- (4)  $C(x, C(y, z)) = C(C(x, y), z)$  ,  
for all  $x, y, z \in [0, 1]$ .

We say that  $T$  and  $C$  be idempotent if for all  $x \in [0, 1]$  we have  $T(x, x) = x$  and  $C(x, x) = x$ .

**Example 2.13.** The basic  $t$ -conorms are

$$C_m(x, y) = \max\{x, y\},$$

$$C_b(x, y) = \min\{1, x + y\}$$

and

$$C_p(x, y) = x + y - xy$$

for all  $x, y \in [0, 1]$ .  $S_m$  is standard union,  $C_b$  is bounded sum,  $C_p$  is algebraic sum.

**Definition 2.14.** [9] Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in IFS(X)$ . Define

$$A \cap B = (\mu_{A \cap B}, \nu_{A \cap B}) : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

as  $\mu_{A \cap B}(x) = T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(x))$  and  $\nu_{A \cap B}(x) = C(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(x))$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.15.** [9] Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in IFS(Y)$ . The cartesian product of  $A$  and  $B$  is denoted by  $A \times B : X \times Y \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is defined by

$$\begin{aligned}(A \times B)(x, y) &= ((\mu_A, \nu_A) \times (\mu_B, \nu_B))(x, y) \\ &= (\mu_{A \times B}, \nu_{A \times B})(x, y) \\ &= (\mu_{A \times B}(x, y), \nu_{A \times B}(x, y)) \\ &= (T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y)), C(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))),\end{aligned}$$

for all  $(x, y) \in X \times Y$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** [1] Let  $C$  be a  $t$ -conorm and  $T$  be a  $t$ -norm. Then

$$C(C(x, y), C(w, z)) = C(C(x, w), C(y, z))$$

and

$$T(T(x, y), T(w, z)) = T(T(x, w), T(y, z)),$$

for all  $x, y, w, z \in [0, 1]$ .

### 3. Main Results

**Definition 3.1.** We say that  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ) if it satisfies the following inequalities:

- (1)  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,
- (2)  $\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$ ,
- (3)  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x)$ ,
- (4)  $\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$ ,

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

Denote by  $(T, C)IFII(X)$ , the set of all intuitionistic fuzzy implicative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ).

**Example 3.2.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2\}$  be a set given by the following Cayley table:

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

Then  $(X, *, 0)$  is a  $BCI$ -algebra. Define  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  as

$$\mu_A(x) = \begin{cases} t_1 & \text{if } x = 0, 1, \\ t_2 & \text{if } x = 2, \end{cases}$$

and

$$\nu_A(x) = \begin{cases} s_1 & \text{if } x = 0, 1, \\ s_2 & \text{if } x = 2, \end{cases}$$

with  $t_1 > t_2$  and  $s_1 < s_2$  such that  $0 < t_i + s_i < 1$  and  $t_i, s_i \in [0, 1]$ . Let  $T(a, b) = T_p(a, b) = ab$  and  $C(a, b) = C_p(a, b) = a + b - ab$ , for all  $a, b \in [0, 1]$  then  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$ .

**Proposition 3.1.** *Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $T, C$  be idempotent. Then  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$  if and only if the  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  is either empty or an implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .*

PROOF. Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$  and  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  be not empty then for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$  we have  $\mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(x) \leq t$  so  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x) \leq t$  thus  $A(0) \supseteq (s, t)$  which means that  $0 \in A_{s,t}$ . Let  $((x * (x * y)) * (y * x)) * z \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Thus

$$\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y)) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)) \geq T(s, s) = s$$

and

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y)) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z)) \leq C(t, t) = t$$

then

$$A(y * (y * x)) = (\mu_A(y * (y * x)), \nu_A(y * (y * x))) \supseteq (s, t)$$

therefore  $y * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$ . Then  $A_{s,t}$  will be an implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .

Conversely, let  $A_{s,t}$  be not empty and be an implicative ideal of  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ . Then for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$  we have  $A(0) \supseteq (s, t)$  and so  $\mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(x) \leq t$ . Let  $s = T(\mu_A((x * (y * x)) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$  and  $t = C(\nu_A((x * (y * x)) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$  with  $(x * (y * x)) * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Then  $y * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$  thus

$$\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq s = T(\mu_A((x * (y * x)) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$$

and

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq t = C(\nu_A((x * (y * x)) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$$

so  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$ .  $\square$

Recall that if  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  then we define  $\Delta A = (\mu_A, \bar{\mu}_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $\nabla A = (\bar{\nu}_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$ .

**Proposition 3.2.** *If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$ , then  $\Delta A = (\mu_A, \bar{\mu}_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . As  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$  so  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$  and then  $1 - \mu_A(0) \leq 1 - \mu_A(x)$ . On the other hand  $\bar{\mu}_A(0) \leq \bar{\mu}_A(x)$ . Also since

$$\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y)) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)),$$

we have

$$1 - \mu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq 1 - T(\mu_A(x * (x * y)) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)).$$

Thus

$$\bar{\mu}_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(1 - \mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), 1 - \mu_A(z))$$

and consequently

$$\bar{\mu}_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\bar{\mu}_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \bar{\mu}_A(z)).$$

Therefore  $\Delta A = (\mu_A, \bar{\mu}_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.3.** If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ , then  $\nabla A = (\bar{\nu}_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .

PROOF. Let  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$ . Thus  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x)$ , so  $1 - \nu_A(0) \geq 1 - \nu_A(x)$ . Consequently  $\bar{\nu}_A(0) \geq \bar{\nu}_A(x)$ . Moreover as

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$$

so

$$1 - \nu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq 1 - C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$$

which means that

$$\bar{\nu}_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(1 - \nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), 1 - \nu_A(z)).$$

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Hence  $\nabla A = (\bar{\nu}_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.4.**  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$  if and only if  $\Delta A = (\mu_A, \bar{\mu}_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$  and  $\nabla A = (\bar{\nu}_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .

PROOF. Use Proposition 3.2 and Proposition 3.3.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.5.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ . Then  $A \cap B \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .

PROOF. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then

(1)

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(0) = T(\mu_A(0), \mu_B(0)) \geq T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(x)) = \mu_{A \cap B}(x)$$

thus

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(0) \geq \mu_{A \cap B}(x).$$

(2)

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * x)) &= T(\mu_A(y * (y * x)), \mu_B(y * (y * x))) \\ &\geq T(T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)), T(\mu_B(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_B(z))) \\ &= T(T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_B(x * (x * y) * (y * x))), T(\mu_A(z), \mu_B(z))) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_{A \cap B}(z)) \end{aligned}$$

SO

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_{A \cap B}(z)).$$

(3)

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * x)) &= C(\nu_A(y * (y * x)), \nu_B(y * (y * x))) \\ &\leq C(C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z)), C(\nu_B(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_B(z))) \\ &= C(C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_B(x * (x * y) * (y * x))), C(\nu_A(z), \nu_B(z))) \\ &= C(\nu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_{A \cap B}(z)). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\nu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_{A \cap B}(z)).$$

Now (1)-(4) give us that  $A \cap B = (\mu_{A \cap B}, \nu_{A \cap B}) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.6.** *Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFI(Y)$ . Then  $A \times B \in (T, C)IFI(X \times Y)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $(x, y) \in X \times Y$ . Then

$$\mu_{A \times B}(0, 0) = T(\mu_A(0), \mu_B(0)) \geq T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y)) = \mu_{A \times B}(x, y)$$

and

$$\nu_{A \times B}(0, 0) = C(\nu_A(0), \nu_B(0)) \leq C(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y)) = \nu_{A \times B}(x, y).$$

Also let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times Y$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))) &= \mu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * (y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2)) \\ &= \mu_{A \times B}(y_1 * (y_1 * x_1), y_2 * (y_2 * x_2)) \\ &= T(\mu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * x_1)), \mu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * x_2))) \\ &\geq T(T(\mu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1)), \mu_A(z_1)), T(\mu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2)), \mu_B(z_2))) \\ &= T(T(\mu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1)), \mu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2))), T(\mu_A(z_1), \mu_B(z_2))) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \times B}(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1), x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2)), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))) \\ \geq T(\mu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)). \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}
& \nu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))) = \nu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * (y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2)) \\
&= \nu_{A \times B}(y_1 * (y_1 * x_1), y_2 * (y_2 * x_2)) = C(\nu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * x_1)), \nu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * x_2))) \\
&\leq C(C(\nu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1)), \nu_A(z_1)), C(\nu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2)), \nu_B(z_2))) \\
&= C(C(\nu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1)), \nu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2))), C(\nu_A(z_1), \nu_B(z_2))) \\
&= C(\nu_{A \times B}(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1) * (y_1 * x_1), x_2 * (x_2 * y_2) * (y_2 * x_2)), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)) \\
&= C(\nu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))), \nu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
& \nu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))) \\
&\leq C(\nu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)) * ((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))), \nu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)).
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$A \times B = (\mu_{A \times B}, \nu_{A \times B}) \in (T, C)\text{IFI}I(X \times Y).$$

□

**Proposition 3.7.** *If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)\text{IFI}I(X)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homomorphism of BCI-algebras, then  $\varphi(A) \in (T, C)\text{IFI}I(Y)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $x \in X$  and  $y \in Y$  with  $\varphi(x) = y$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned}
\varphi(\mu_A)(0) &= \sup\{\mu_A(0) \mid 0 \in X, \varphi(0) = 0\} \geq \sup\{\mu_A(x) \mid x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\} = \varphi(\mu_A)(y) \\
\text{thus} \quad &
\end{aligned}$$

$$\varphi(\mu_A)(0) \geq \varphi(\mu_A)(y)$$

and

$$\varphi(\nu_A)(0) = \inf\{\nu_A(0) \mid 0 \in X, \varphi(0) = 0\} \leq \inf\{\nu_A(x) \mid x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\} = \varphi(\nu_A)(y)$$

then

$$\varphi(\nu_A)(0) \leq \varphi(\nu_A)(y).$$

Also let  $x_i \in X$  and  $y_i \in Y$  with  $\varphi(x_i) = y_i$  and  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
& \varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \\
&= \sup\{\mu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_1 * (x_1 * x_2) \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) = y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)\} \\
&\geq \sup\{T(\mu_A(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \mu_A(x_3)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_i) = y_i\} \\
&= T(\sup\{\mu_A(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)) = \\
&\quad y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)\}, \sup\{\mu_A(x_3) \mid x_3 \in X, \varphi(x_3) = y_3\}) \\
&= T(\varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)), \varphi(\mu_A)(y_3)).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \geq T(\varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)), \varphi(\mu_A)(y_3)).$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}
& \varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \\
&= \inf\{\nu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_1 * (x_1 * x_2) \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) = y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)\} \\
&\leq \inf\{C(\nu_A(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \nu_A(x_3)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_i) = y_i\} \\
&= C(\inf\{\nu_A(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)) = \\
&\quad = y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)\}, \inf\{\nu_A(x_3) \mid x_3 \in X, \varphi(x_3) = y_3\}) \\
&= C(\varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)), \varphi(\nu_A)(y_3))
\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \leq C(\varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_2 * y_1) * (y_1 * y_2)), \varphi(\nu_A)(y_3)).$$

Therefore  $\varphi(A) = (\varphi(\mu_A), \varphi(\nu_A)) \in (T, C)IFII(Y)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.8.** *If  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFII(Y)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homomorphism of BCI-algebras, then  $\varphi^{-1}(B) \in (T, C)IFII(X)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $x \in X$ . Then

$$\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(0) = \mu_B(\varphi(0)) \geq \mu_B(\varphi(x)) = \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x)$$

and

$$\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(0) = \nu_B(\varphi(0)) \leq \nu_B(\varphi(x)) = \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x).$$

Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \in X$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned}
\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) &= \mu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\
&= \mu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))) \\
&\geq T(\mu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_2) * \varphi(x_1)) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))), \mu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\
&= T(\mu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2))), \mu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\
&= T(\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_3)).
\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \geq T(\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_3)).$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}
\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) &= \nu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\
&= \nu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))) \\
&\leq C(\nu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_2) * \varphi(x_1)) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))), \nu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\
&= C(\nu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2))), \nu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\
&= C(\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_3))
\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \leq C(\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_2 * x_1) * (x_1 * x_2)), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_3)).$$

$$\text{Therefore } \varphi^{-1}(B) = (\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)) \in (T, C)IFCI(X). \quad \square$$

**Definition 3.3.** We say that  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy closed implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ) if it satisfies the following inequalities:

- (1)  $\mu_A(0 * x) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,
- (2)  $\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$ ,
- (3)  $\nu_A(0 * x) \leq \nu_A(x)$ ,
- (4)  $\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$ ,

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

Denote by  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ , the set of all intuitionistic fuzzy closed implicative ideals of  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ).

**Proposition 3.9.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $T, C$  be idempotent. Then  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCPII(X)$  if and only if the  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  is either empty or a closed implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .

PROOF. Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$  and  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  be not empty, then for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$ , we have  $\mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(x) \leq t$  so  $\mu_A(0 * x) \geq \mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(0 * x) \leq \nu_A(x) \leq t$  thus  $A(0 * x) \supseteq (s, t)$  which means that  $0 * x \in A_{s,t}$ .

Also let  $x * (x * y) * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Then

$$\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)) \geq T(s, s) = s$$

and

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z)) \leq C(t, t) = t.$$

Thus  $y * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$ . Then  $A_{s,t}$  is a closed implicative ideal of  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .

Conversely, let  $A_{s,t}$  be not empty and be a closed implicative ideal of  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ . Then for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$  we have  $0 * x \in A_{s,t}$  then  $A(0 * x) \supseteq (s, t)$  and so  $\mu_A(0 * x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(0 * x) \leq t$ . Let  $s = T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$  and  $t = C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z))$  with  $x * (x * y) * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Thus  $y * (y * x) \in A_{s,t}$ . Therefore

$$\mu_A(y * (y * x)) \geq s = T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z))$$

and

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq t = C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z)).$$

$$\text{So } A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X). \quad \square$$

**Proposition 3.10.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $T, C$  be idempotent. If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$ , then  $J = \{x \in X : A(x) = A(0)\}$  is either empty or a closed positive implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$ .

PROOF. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . As  $0 \in J$  so  $J$  will be not empty. Let  $x \in J$  then

$$\mu_A(0 * x) \geq \mu_A(x) = \mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(0 * x)$$

and

$$\nu_A(0 * x) \leq \nu_A(x) = \nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(0 * x).$$

Thus  $\mu_A(0 * x) = \mu_A(0)$  and  $\nu_A(0 * x) = \nu_A(0)$  which mean that

$$A(0 * x) = (\mu_A(0 * x), \nu_A(0 * x)) = (\mu_A(0), \nu_A(0)) = A(0).$$

Then  $0 * x \in J$ . Now let  $x * (x * y) * (y * x) \in J$  and  $z \in J$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_A(y * (y * x)) &\geq T(\mu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \mu_A(z)) \\ &= T(\mu_A(0), \mu_A(0)) = \mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(y * (y * x)) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_A(y * (y * x)) &\leq C(\nu_A(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_A(z)) \\ &= C(\nu_A(0), \nu_A(0)) = \nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(y * (y * x)). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $\mu_A(y * (y * x)) = \mu_A(0)$  and  $\nu_A(y * (y * x)) = \nu_A(0)$  which yield

$$A(y * (y * x)) = (\mu_A(y * (y * x)), \nu_A(y * (y * x))) = (\mu_A(0), \nu_A(0)) = A(0).$$

Consequently  $J = \{x \in X : A(x) = A(0)\}$  will be a closed implicative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$ .  $\square$

The following propositions are obvious and we omit the proof of them.

**Proposition 3.11.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$ . Then  $A \cap B \in (T, C)IFCPPI(X)$ .

**Proposition 3.12.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFCII(Y)$ . Then  $A \times B \in (T, C)IFCII(X \times Y)$ .

**Proposition 3.13.** If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homomorphism of  $BCI$ -algebras, then  $\varphi(A) \in (T, C)IFCII(Y)$ .

**Proposition 3.14.** If  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFCII(Y)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homomorphism of  $BCI$ -algebras, then  $\varphi^{-1}(B) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$ .

**Definition 3.4.** We say that  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy commutative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ) if it satisfies the following inequalities:

- (1)  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x)$ ,
- (2)  $\mu_A(x * (x * y)) \geq T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * y)))), \mu_A(z))$ ,

- (3)  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x)$ ,  
 (4)  $\nu_A(x * (x * y)) \leq C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \nu_A(z))$ ,  
 for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

Denote by  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ , the set of all intuitionistic fuzzy commutative ideals of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  under norms( $t$ -norm  $T$  and  $t$ -conorm  $C$ ).

**Example 3.5.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a set given by the following Cayley table:

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

Then  $(X, *, 0)$  is a  $BCI$ -algebra. Define  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  as

$$\mu_A(x) = \begin{cases} 0.75 & \text{if } x = 0, 3, \\ 0.45 & \text{if } x = 1, 2, \end{cases}$$

and

$$\nu_A(x) = \begin{cases} 0.15 & \text{if } x = 0, 3, \\ 0.35 & \text{if } x = 1, 2, \end{cases}$$

Let  $T(a, b) = T_p(a, b) = ab$  and  $C(a, b) = C_p(a, b) = a + b - ab$ , for all  $a, b \in [0, 1]$  then  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ .

**Proposition 3.15.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in IFS(X)$  and  $T, C$  be idempotent. Then  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$  if and only if the  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  is either empty or a commutative ideal of  $BCI$ -algebra  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .

**PROOF.** Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCII(X)$  and  $A_{s,t} = \{x \in X : A(x) \supseteq (s, t)\}$  be not empty then for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$  we have  $\mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(x) \leq t$  so  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x) \leq t$  thus  $A(0) \supseteq (s, t)$  which means that  $0 \in A_{s,t}$ . Also let  $y * (y * (x * (x * y))) \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Then

$$\mu_A(x * (x * y)) \geq T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \mu_A(z)) \geq T(s, s) = s$$

and

$$\nu_A(x * (x * y)) \leq C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \nu_A(z)) \leq C(t, t) = t.$$

Thus  $x * (x * y) \in A_{s,t}$ . Then  $A_{s,t}$  is a commutative ideal of  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ .

Conversely, let  $A_{s,t}$  be not empty and be a commutative ideal of  $X$  for every  $s, t \in [0, 1]$ . As  $0 \in A_{s,t}$  so for any  $x \in A_{s,t}$  we have then  $A(0) \supseteq (s, t)$  and so  $\mu_A(0) \geq \mu_A(x) \geq s$  and  $\nu_A(0) \leq \nu_A(x) \leq t$ . Let  $s = T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \mu_A(z))$  and  $t = C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \nu_A(z))$  with  $y * (y * (x * (x * y))) \in A_{s,t}$  and  $z \in A_{s,t}$ . Thus  $x * (x * y) \in A_{s,t}$ . Therefore

$$\mu_A(x * (x * y)) \geq s = T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \mu_A(z))$$

and

$$\nu_A(y * (y * x)) \leq t = C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * (x * y)))), \nu_A(z))$$

so  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.16.** *Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFI(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ . Then  $A \cap B \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then

(1)

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(0) = T(\mu_A(0), \mu_B(0)) \geq T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(x)) = \mu_{A \cap B}(x)$$

thus

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(0) \geq \mu_{A \cap B}(x).$$

(2)

$$\nu_{A \cap B}(0) = C(\nu_A(0), \nu_B(0)) \leq C(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(x)) = \nu_{A \cap B}(x)$$

then

$$\nu_{A \cap B}(0) \leq \nu_{A \cap B}(x).$$

(3)

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y)) &= T(\mu_A(x * (x * y)), \mu_B(x * (x * y))) \\ &\geq T(T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * y)))), \mu_A(z)), T(\mu_B(y * (y * (x * y))), \mu_B(z))) \\ &= T(T(\mu_A(y * (y * (x * y)))), \mu_B(y * (y * (x * y)))), T(\mu_A(z), \mu_B(z))) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * (x * y))), \mu_{A \cap B}(z)). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\mu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y)) \geq T(\mu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * (x * y))), \mu_{A \cap B}(z)).$$

(4)

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y)) &= C(\nu_A(x * (x * y)), \nu_B(x * (x * y))) \\ &\leq C(C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * y)))), \nu_A(z)), C(\nu_B(y * (y * (x * y)))), \nu_B(z))) \\ &= C(C(\nu_A(y * (y * (x * y)))), \nu_B(y * (y * (x * y)))), C(\nu_A(z), \nu_B(z))) \\ &= C(\nu_{A \cap B}(y * (y * (x * y))), \nu_{A \cap B}(z)). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\nu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y)) \leq C(\nu_{A \cap B}(x * (x * y) * (y * x)), \nu_{A \cap B}(z)).$$

Now (1)-(4) give us that  $A \cap B = (\mu_{A \cap B}, \nu_{A \cap B}) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.17.** *Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)IFCI(Y)$ . Then  $A \times B \in (T, C)IFCI(X \times Y)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $(x, y) \in X \times Y$ . Then

$$\mu_{A \times B}(0, 0) = T(\mu_A(0), \mu_B(0)) \geq T(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y)) = \mu_{A \times B}(x, y)$$

and

$$\nu_{A \times B}(0, 0) = C(\nu_A(0), \nu_B(0)) \leq C(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y)) = \nu_{A \times B}(x, y).$$

Also let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times Y$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))) &= \mu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * (x_1 * y_1, x_2 * y_2)) \\ &= \mu_{A \times B}(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1), x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)) = T(\mu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)), \mu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2))) \\ &\geq T(T(\mu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), \mu_A(z_1)), T(\mu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)))), \mu_B(z_2))) \\ &= T(T(\mu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), \mu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2))))), T(\mu_A(z_1), \mu_B(z_2))) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \times B}(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)))), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)) \\ &= T(\mu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)))), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))) \\ \geq T(\mu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))))), \mu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)). \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))) &= \nu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * (x_1 * y_1, x_2 * y_2)) \\ &= \nu_{A \times B}(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1), x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)) \\ &= C(\nu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)), \nu_B(x_2 * (x_2 * y_2))) \\ &\leq C(C(\nu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), \nu_A(z_1)), C(\nu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)))), \nu_B(z_2))) \\ &= C(C(\nu_A(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), \mu_B(y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2))))), T(\mu_A(z_1), \nu_B(z_2))) \\ &= C(\nu_{A \times B}(y_1 * (y_1 * (x_1 * (x_1 * y_1)))), y_2 * (y_2 * (x_2 * (x_2 * y_2)))), \nu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)) \\ &= C(\nu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)))), \nu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \nu_{A \times B}((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2))) \\ \leq C(\nu_{A \times B}((y_1, y_2) * ((y_1, y_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * ((x_1, x_2) * (y_1, y_2)))), \nu_{A \times B}(z_1, z_2))). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$A \times B = (\mu_{A \times B}, \nu_{A \times B}) \in (T, C)IFCI(X \times Y).$$

□

**Proposition 3.18.** If  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) \in (T, C)IFCI(X)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homomorphism of BCI-algebras, then  $\varphi(A) \in (T, C)IFCI(Y)$ .

PROOF. Let  $x \in X$  and  $y \in Y$  with  $\varphi(x) = y$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(\mu_A)(0) &= \sup\{\mu_A(0) \mid 0 \in X, \varphi(0) = 0\} \\ &\geq \sup\{\mu_A(x) \mid x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\} \\ &= \varphi(\mu_A)(y).\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\varphi(\mu_A)(0) \geq \varphi(\mu_A)(y)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(\nu_A)(0) &= \inf\{\nu_A(0) \mid 0 \in X, \varphi(0) = 0\} \\ &\leq \inf\{\nu_A(x) \mid x \in X, \varphi(x) = y\} \\ &= \varphi(\nu_A)(y).\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\varphi(\nu_A)(0) \leq \varphi(\nu_A)(y).$$

Also let  $x_i \in X$  and  $y_i \in Y$  with  $\varphi(x_i) = y_i$  and  $i = 1, 2, 3$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) &= \sup\{\mu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_1 * (x_1 * x_2) \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) = y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)\} \\ &\geq \sup\{T(\mu_A(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \mu_A(x_3)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_i) = y_i\} \\ &= T(\sup\{\mu_A(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))) = \\ &\quad y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))\}, \sup\{\mu_A(x_3) \mid x_3 \in X, \varphi(x_3) = y_3\}) \\ &= T(\varphi(\mu_A)(y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))), \varphi(\mu_A)(y_3)).\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\varphi(\mu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \geq T(\varphi(\mu_A)(y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))), \varphi(\mu_A)(y_3)).$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) &= \inf\{\nu_A(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) \mid x_1 * (x_1 * x_2) \in X, \varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)) = y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)\} \\ &\leq \inf\{C(\nu_A(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \nu_A(x_3)) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_i) = y_i\} \\ &= C(\inf\{\nu_A(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))) \mid x_i \in X, \varphi(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))) = \\ &\quad y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))\}, \inf\{\nu_A(x_3) \mid x_3 \in X, \varphi(x_3) = y_3\}) \\ &= T(\varphi(\mu_A)(y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))), \varphi(\mu_A)(y_3)).\end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\varphi(\nu_A)(y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)) \leq C(\varphi(\nu_A)(y_2 * (y_2 * (y_1 * (y_1 * y_2)))), \varphi(\nu_A)(y_3)).$$

Therefore  $\varphi(A) = (\varphi(\mu_A), \varphi(\nu_A)) \in (T, C)IFCI(Y)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.19.** *If  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B) \in (T, C)\text{IFCI}(Y)$  and  $\varphi : X \rightarrow Y$  be a homomorphism of BCI-algebras, then  $\varphi^{-1}(B) \in (T, C)\text{IFCI}(X)$ .*

PROOF. Let  $x \in X$ . Then

$$\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(0) = \mu_B(\varphi(0)) \geq \mu_B(\varphi(x)) = \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x)$$

and

$$\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(0) = \nu_B(\varphi(0)) \leq \nu_B(\varphi(x)) = \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x).$$

Let  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \in X$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned} & \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\ &= \mu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\ &= \mu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))) \\ &\geq T(\mu_B(\varphi(x_2) * (\varphi(x_2) * (\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))))), \mu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\ &= T(\mu_B(\varphi(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))))), \mu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\ &= T(\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_3)) \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \geq T(\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \varphi^{-1}(\mu_B)(x_3)).$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} & \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\ &= \nu_B(\varphi(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \\ &= \nu_B(\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))) \\ &\leq C(\nu_B(\varphi(x_2) * (\varphi(x_2) * (\varphi(x_1) * (\varphi(x_1) * \varphi(x_2))))), \nu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\ &= C(\nu_B(\varphi(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))))), \nu_B(\varphi(x_3))) \\ &= C(\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_3)) \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_1 * (x_1 * x_2))) \leq C(\varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_2 * (x_2 * (x_1 * (x_1 * x_2)))), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)(x_3)).$$

Therefore  $\varphi^{-1}(B) = (\varphi^{-1}(\mu_B), \varphi^{-1}(\nu_B)) \in (T, C)\text{IFCI}(X)$ .  $\square$

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