

## Regular f-Derivations on BH algebras.

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### ABSTRACT

Motivated by some results on derivations on rings and the generalizations of BCK and BCI algebras, in this paper, we define f-derivations on BH-algebras and investigate some important results.

**Key Words:** BH-algebras, derivations on BH-algebras, f -derivations and regular f –derivations on BH-algebras.

### 1.Introduction:

BCK and BCI algebras are two new classes of algebras based on propositional calculi or logic introduced by Imai and Isaki[1].In[3] K.Isaki and K.Tanaka introduced the theory of BCK-algebras. In[2] Q.P.Hu and X.Li and introduced a wider class of abstract algebras BCH-algebras. The class of BCI-algebras is a proper subclass of the class BCH algebras. J.Negggers and H.S.Kim [7] introduced the notion of d-algebras which is another generalization of BCK-algebras

In 2004 Y.B.Jun and X.L..Xin [5] introduced the notion of derivations of BCI-algebras, which was motivated from a lot of workdone on derivations of rings. Since then many authors worked on the notion of derivations on several algebras such as d-algebras[8] and TM-algebras motivated by this paper introduce the notion of f-derivations on BH-algebras.

### 2. Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1:** [2]Let  $X$  be a set with a binary operation  $*$  and a constant  $0$ . Then

$(X, *, 0)$  is called a **BCK-algebras** if it satisfies the following axioms:

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

**Definition 2.2:** [3] Let  $X$  be a set with a binary operation  $*$  and a constant  $0$ . Then  $(X, *, 0)$  is called a **BCI -algebras** if it satisfies the following axioms:

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  $x = y \quad \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Definition 2.3:** [6] A **d -algebra** is a non-empty set  $X$  with a constant  $0$  and a binary operation  $*$  satisfying the following axioms:

1.  $x * x = 0$
2.  $0 * x = 0$
3.  $x * y = 0$  and  $y * x = 0 \implies x = y$

**Definition 2.4:** Let  $X$  be a **BCI -algebra**. Two elements  $x$  and  $y$  in  $X$  are said to be **comparable** if  $x \leq y$  or  $y \leq x$ . Here  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x * y = 0$ . Also we denote  $y * (y * x)$  by  $x \wedge y$ .

**Definition 2.5:** Let  $X$  be a **BCI -algebra**. By a **(l, r) – derivation** of  $X$ , we define a self map  $\theta$  of  $X$  satisfying the identity

$$\theta(x * y) = (\theta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \theta(y)) \quad \forall x, y \in X.$$

If  $X$  satisfies the identity

$$\theta(x * y) = (x * \theta(y)) \wedge (\theta(x) * y), \quad \forall x, y \in X,$$

then we say that  $\theta$  is a **(r, l)– derivation** of the **BCI-algebra**  $X$ .

**Definition 2.6:** [5] Let  $X$  be a set with a binary operation  $*$  and a constant  $0$ . Then  $(X, *, 0)$  is called a **BH-algebra** if it satisfies the following axioms:

1.  $x * x = 0$
2.  $x * 0 = x$
3.  $x * y = 0$  and  $y * x = 0$  which implies  $x = y \quad \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Example 2.7:** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2\}$  be a set with the following cayley table

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

**Definition 2.8:** Let  $S$  be a non-empty subset of a **BH-algebra**  $X$ , then  $S$  is called **BH- Subalgebra** of  $X$  if  $x * y \in S \quad \forall x, y \in S$ .

**Definition 2.9:** Let  $X$  be a BH-algebra and  $I (\neq 0) \subseteq X$ .  $I$  is called an **BH-ideal** of  $X$  if it satisfies:  $\forall$

$x, y \in X$

1.  $0 \in I$

2.  $x * y \in I$  and  $y \in I$  imply  $x \in I$ .

Obviously,  $\{0\}$  and  $X$  are ideals of  $X$ . We will call  $\{0\}$  and  $X$  a **zero ideal** and a **trivial ideal**, respectively. An ideal  $I$  said to be **proper** if  $I \neq X$ .

**Definition 2.10:** Let  $X$  be a BH -algebra. Define a binary relation  $\leq$  on  $X$  by taking  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x * y = 0$ . In this case  $(X, \leq)$  is a **partially ordered set**.

**Definition 2.11:** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a BH-algebra. A mapping  $f$  of a BH-algebra  $X$  into itself is called an **endomorphism** if  $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y)$ .

**Definition 2.12:** Let  $X$  be a BH-algebra. A map  $\theta : X \rightarrow X$  is a **left-right derivation of X** (briefly (l, r) derivation), if it satisfies the identity

$$\theta(x * y) = (\theta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \theta(y)), \forall x, y \in X.$$

If  $\theta$  satisfies the identity

$$\theta(x * y) = (x * \theta(y)) \wedge (\theta(x) * y), \forall x, y \in X,$$

then  $\theta$  is a **right-left derivation of X** (briefly (r, l) derivation).

If  $\theta$  is both a (l, r) and (r, l)- derivation, then  $\theta$  is a derivation of  $X$ .

### 3. f - DERIVATIONS ON BH-ALGEBRAS

In this section, we define the notion of f-derivations and regular of f-derivations on BH-algebras and prove some results. Throughout this section we assume that  $f$  is an endomorphism of the BH-algebra  $(X, *, 0)$

**Definition3.1:** Let  $X$  be a BH - algebra. By a left - right  $f$  - derivation (briefly,  $(l, r) - f$  derivation) of  $X$ , we mean a self map  $\theta_f$  of  $X$  satisfying the identity

$$\theta_f(x * y) = (\theta_f(x) * f(y)) \wedge (f(x) * \theta_f(y)), \text{ for all } x, y \in X.$$

If  $\theta_f$  satisfies the identity

$$\theta_f(x * y) = (f(x) * \theta_f(y)) \wedge (\theta_f(x) * f(y)), \text{ for all } x, y \in X.$$

then it is said that  $\theta_f$  is a right - left  $f$  - derivation (briefly,  $(r, l) - f$  - derivation) of  $X$ .

If  $\theta_f$  is both an  $(r, l)$  and an  $(l, r) - f$  derivation, then  $\theta_f$  is said to be a  $f$  - derivation.

**Example 3.2:** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  be a BH - algebra with the following cayley table:

*	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0	0
2	2	2	0	0	0	0
3	3	3	1	0	0	0
4	4	2	1	1	0	0
5	5	5	1	1	1	0

Define a map  $\theta_f: X \rightarrow X$  by  $\theta_f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = 0,1,3,5 \\ 2 & \text{if } x = 2,4 \end{cases}$  and define an endomorphism  $f$  of  $X$  by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = 0,1 \\ 2 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$ .

Then it is easily checked that  $\theta_f$  is both derivation and  $f$ - derivation of  $X$ .

**Example3.3:** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a BH - algebra with the following Cayley table:

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

Define a map  $\theta_f: X \rightarrow X$  by  $\theta_f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = 0,2 \\ 1 & \text{if } x = 1,3 \end{cases}$  and define an endomorphism  $f$  of  $X$  by  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = 0,2 \\ 3 & \text{if } x = 1,3 \end{cases}$ .

Then it is easily checked that  $\theta_f$  is  $f$ - derivation of  $X$ .

#### 4. REGULAR f- DERIVATIONS ON BH-ALGEBRAS

**Definition 4.1:** An f- derivation  $\theta_f$  of a BH-algebra X is said to be regular if  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ .

**Definition 4.2:** Let X be a BH-algebra and  $\theta_f$  be a f-derivation of X. Define  $Ker \theta_f = \{x \in X / \theta_f(x) = 0\}$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.3:** Every (r, l)-f-derivation of a BH- algebra is regular.

**Proof:**

Let  $\theta_f$  be a (r, l)-f-derivation of X. Then for all  $x \in X$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(0) &= \theta_f(0 * x) \\ &= (f(0) * \theta_f(x)) \wedge (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \\ &= (0 * \theta_f(x)) \wedge (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \\ &= 0 \wedge (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \\ &= (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) * (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) * 0 \\ &= (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) * (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 4.4:** Every (l, r)-f-derivation of a BH- algebra is regular.

**Proof:**

Let  $\theta_f$  be a (l, r)-f-derivation of X. Then for all  $x \in X$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(0) &= \theta_f(0 * x) \\ &= (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \wedge (f(0) * \theta_f(x)) \\ &= (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \wedge (0 * \theta_f(x)) \\ &= (\theta_f(0) * f(x)) \wedge 0 \\ &= 0 * (0 * (\theta_f(0) * f(x))) \\ &= 0 * 0 \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

The following result gives a necessary and sufficient condition for the derivation  $\theta_f$  to be regular.

**Proposition 4.5:** Let  $\theta_f$  be a self map of a BH-algebra X then the following hold:

1. If  $\theta_f$  is an (l, r) - f- derivation of X then  $\theta_f(x) = \theta_f(x) \wedge f(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ , if and only if  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ .

2. If  $\theta_f$  is an  $(r, 1)$ - $f$ - derivation of  $X$  then  $\theta_f(x) = f(x) \wedge \theta_f(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ , if and only if  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ .

**Proof:**

1. Let  $\theta_f$  be an  $(1, r)$ - $f$ - derivation of  $X$  such that  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(x) &= \theta_f(x * 0) \\ &= (\theta_f(x) * f(0)) \wedge (f(x) * \theta_f(0)) \\ &= (\theta_f(x) * 0) \wedge (f(x) * \theta_f(0)) \\ &= \theta_f(x) \wedge (f(x) * 0) \\ &= \theta_f(x) \wedge f(x) \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, assume that  $\theta_f(x) = \theta_f(x) \wedge f(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \theta_f(0) &= \theta_f(0) \wedge f(0) \\ &= \theta_f(0) \wedge 0 \\ &= 0 * (0 * \theta_f(0)) \\ &= 0 * 0 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

2. Let  $\theta_f$  be an  $(r, 1)$ - $f$ - derivation of  $X$  such that  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(x) &= \theta_f(x * 0) \\ &= (f(x) * \theta_f(0)) \wedge (\theta_f(x) * f(0)) \\ &= (f(x) * \theta_f(0)) \wedge (\theta_f(x) * 0) \\ &= (f(x) * 0) \wedge (\theta_f(x)) \\ &= f(x) \wedge \theta_f(x) \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, assume that  $\theta_f(x) = f(x) \wedge \theta_f(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \theta_f(0) &= f(0) \wedge \theta_f(0) \\ &= 0 \wedge \theta_f(0) \\ &= \theta_f(0) * (\theta_f(0) * 0) \\ &= \theta_f(0) * \theta_f(0) \\ &= 0 . \end{aligned}$$

**Remark 4.6:** If  $\theta_f$  is a f-derivation of a BH- algebra X,  $\theta_f$  is a self map, therefore we have,

$$\left( f(x) * \left( f(x) * \theta_f(x) \right) \right) * f(x) = \left( \theta_f(x) * \left( \theta_f(x) * f(x) \right) \right) * f(x) = 0.$$

**Proposition 4.7:** Let  $\theta_f$  be an f-derivation of a BH-algebra X. Then the following hold:

1. Ker  $\theta_f$  is a subalgebra of X.
2.  $\theta_f(x) \leq f(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:**

1. Let  $x, y \in Ker \theta_f$  then  $\theta_f(x) = 0 = \theta_f(y)$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(x * y) &= \left( f(x) * \theta_f(y) \right) \wedge \left( \theta_f(x) * f(y) \right) \\ &= (f(x) * 0) \wedge (0 * f(y)) \\ &= (f(x) * 0) \wedge 0 \\ &= f(x) \wedge 0 \\ &= 0 * (0 * f(x)) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(ie)  $\theta_f(x * y) = 0 \implies x * y \in Ker \theta_f$ .

Hence  $x, y \in Ker \theta_f \implies x * y \in Ker \theta_f$

$Ker \theta_f$  is a subalgebra of X.

2. By Prop 4.5(1)

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(x) &= \theta_f(x) \wedge f(x), \forall x \in X \\ &= f(x) * \left( f(x) * \theta_f(x) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } \theta_f(x) * f(x) &= (f(x) * (f(x) * \theta_f(x))) * f(x) \\ &= 0 \text{ (by remark 4.6)} \end{aligned}$$

Then  $\theta_f(x) \leq f(x)$ .

**Proposition 4.8:** Let  $\theta_f$  be a f-derivation of a BH-algebra X and  $a \in X$  such that  $\theta_f(x) * a = 0$  and  $\theta_f(x) * f(a) = 0, \forall x \in X$ . Then  $\theta_f$  is a regular f-derivation on X.

**Proof:**

Let  $\theta_f$  be a f-derivation of a BH-algebra X and  $a \in X$  such that  $\theta_f(x) * a = 0$  and  $\theta_f(x) * f(a) = 0, \forall x \in X$ .

**Claim:**

$\theta_f$  is a regular f- derivation on X.(ie)  $\theta_f(0) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_f(0) &= \theta_f(0 * a) \\ &= \left( \theta_f(0) * f(a) \right) \wedge \left( f(0) * \theta_f(a) \right) (\because \theta_f \text{ is } (l,r)\text{derivation}) \\ &= \left( \theta_f(0) * f(a) \right) \wedge \left( 0 * \theta_f(a) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (\theta_f(0) * f(a)) \wedge 0 \\
&= 0 * (0 * (\theta_f(0) * f(a))) \\
&= 0 * (\theta_f(0) * f(a)) \\
&= 0 * 0 \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\theta_f$  is a regular f-derivation on X.

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