

# Some Basic Properties of $\Gamma$ -Q-Algebra

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**ABSTRACT**— *The purpose of this paper is to introduce the notion of a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras, we study  $\Gamma$ -ideals,  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras and upper sets in  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras. Some characterizations of  $\Gamma$ -ideals and  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras are obtained. Moreover, we investigate relationships between  $\Gamma$ -ideals,  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras and upper sets in  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras.*

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

A Q-algebra is a nonempty set  $X$  with a constant  $0$  and a binary operation “ $*$ ” satisfying axioms: for each  $x, y, z \in X$ ,

1.  $x * x = 0$ ,
2.  $x * 0 = x$ ,
3.  $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$

Y. Imai and K. Is'eki introduced two classes of abstract algebras: BCK-algebras and BCI-algebras([5, 6]). It is known that the class of BCK-algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCI-algebras. In [3, 5], Q. P. Hu and X. Li introduced a wide class of abstracts: BCH-algebras. They have shown that the class of BCI-algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCH-algebras. In [8], J. Neggers, etc introduced the notion of an Q-algebra as a dualization of a generation of a BCK/BCI-algebras. In [1], Ahn and Kim introduced the notion of QS-algebra which is a generalization of Q-algebras. It is easy to see that every Q-algebras is  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras.

In this paper is to introduce the notion of a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras, we study  $\Gamma$ -ideals,  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras and upper sets in  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras. Some characterizations of  $\Gamma$ -ideals and  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras are obtained. Moreover, we investigate relationships between  $\Gamma$ -ideals,  $\Gamma$ -subalgebras and upper sets in  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras.

## 2. BASIC PROPERTIES

In this section is to introduce the notion of a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras.

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $X$  and  $\Gamma$  be any nonempty sets. The structure  $(\Gamma, X; 0)$  is called a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra If there exists a mapping  $X \times \Gamma \times X \rightarrow X$  written as  $(x, \gamma, y)$  by  $x\gamma y$ , that satisfies the following condition

1.  $x\gamma x = 0$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,
2.  $x\gamma 0 = x$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ ,
3.  $(x\gamma y)\beta z = (x\gamma z)\beta y$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$  and.  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

Throughout this paper  $X$  will denote a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra. We introduce a relation  $\leq$  on  $X$  by  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x\gamma y = 0$ .

**Example 2.2.** Let  $(\Gamma, X, 0)$  be an arbitrary Q-algebra and  $\Gamma$  any nonempty set. Define a mapping  $X \times \Gamma \times X \rightarrow X$ , by  $x\gamma y \mapsto x * y$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ . It is easy to see that  $X$  is a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra. Indeed,

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad x\gamma x &= x * x \\ &= 0, \\ 2. \quad x\gamma 0 &= x * 0 \\ &= x, \\ 3. \quad (x\gamma y)\beta z &= (x * y)\beta z \\ &= (x * y) * z \\ &= (x * z) * y \\ &= (x\gamma z)\beta y \end{aligned}$$

$x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Thus every Q-algebra implies a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra.

**Example 2.3.** Let  $X = \{0, a, b, c, d\}$  in which “ $\cdot$ ” is defined by

$\cdot$	0	a	b	c	d
0	0	a	b	c	d
a	0	0	b	b	d
b	0	a	0	a	d
c	0	0	0	0	d
d	d	d	d	d	0

Let  $\Gamma \neq \emptyset$ . Define a mapping  $X \times \Gamma \times X \rightarrow X$  by  $x\gamma y = yx$  for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ . Then  $X$  is a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra. But it is not a Q-algebra because  $d \cdot 0 = d \neq 0$ .

**Lemma 2.4.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra. Then  $x\gamma y = x\beta y$  for any  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} x\gamma y &= (x\beta 0)\gamma y \\ &= (x\beta y)\gamma 0 \\ &= x\beta y. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $x\gamma y = x\beta y$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** If  $X$  is a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $(x\gamma(x\beta y))\alpha y = 0$ , for any  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (x\gamma(x\beta y))\alpha y &= (x\gamma y)\alpha(x\beta y) \\ &= (x\gamma y)\alpha(x\gamma y) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(x\gamma(x\beta y))\alpha y = 0$ .

**Theorem 2.6.** If  $X$  is a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $0\gamma(x\alpha y) = (0\gamma x)\alpha(0\gamma y)$  for any  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} 0\gamma(x\alpha y) &= ((0\beta y)\delta(0\beta y))\gamma(x\alpha y) \\ &= ((0\beta y)\delta(x\alpha y))\gamma(0\beta y) \\ &= (((x\beta y)\gamma x)\delta(x\alpha y))\gamma(0\beta y) \\ &= (((x\beta y)\gamma(x\alpha y))\delta x)\gamma(0\beta y) \\ &= (0\delta x)\gamma(0\beta y) \\ &= (0\gamma x)\alpha(0\gamma y). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $0\gamma(x\alpha y) = (0\gamma x)\alpha(0\gamma y)$ .

### 3. $\Gamma$ -Q-ALGEBRAS

The results of the following lemmas seem play an important role to study e medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra; these facts will be used so frequently that normally we shall make no reference to this definition.

**Definition 3.1.** A  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra  $X$  is said to be medial if it satisfies the following property:

$$(x\gamma y)\alpha(z\beta u) = (x\gamma z)\alpha(y\beta u),$$

for any  $x, y, z, u \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** If  $X$  is a medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $y\gamma x = 0\alpha(x\gamma y)$  for any  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} y\gamma x &= (y\gamma x)\alpha 0 \\ &= (y\gamma x)\alpha(y\gamma y) \\ &= (y\gamma y)\alpha(x\gamma y) \\ &= 0\alpha(x\gamma y). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $y\gamma x = 0\alpha(x\gamma y)$ .

**Lemma 3.3.** If  $X$  is a medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $x\gamma(y\alpha z) = z\gamma(y\alpha x)$  for any  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} x\gamma(y\alpha z) &= 0\beta((y\alpha z)\gamma x) \\ &= 0\beta((y\alpha x)\gamma z) \\ &= z\gamma(y\alpha x). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $x\gamma(y\alpha z) = z\gamma(y\alpha x)$ .

**Lemma 3.4.** If  $X$  is a medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $x\gamma(x\alpha y) = y$  for any  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} x\gamma(x\alpha y) &= 0\beta((x\alpha y)\gamma x) \\ &= 0\beta((x\alpha x)\gamma y) \\ &= y\gamma(x\alpha x) \\ &= y\gamma 0 \\ &= y\gamma 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $x\gamma(x\alpha y) = y$ .

**Lemma 3.5.** If  $X$  is a medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra, then  $0\gamma(0\alpha y) = y$  for any  $y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ .

**Proof.** Let  $y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} 0\gamma(0\alpha y) &= y\alpha 0 \\ &= y. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $0\gamma(0\alpha y) = y$ .

**Theorem 3.6.** A  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra  $X$  is medial if and only if it satisfies one of the following conditions: for any  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

1.  $y\gamma x = 0\alpha(x\gamma y)$
2.  $x\gamma(y\alpha z) = z\gamma(y\alpha x)$
3.  $x\gamma(x\alpha y) = y$
4.  $0\gamma(0\alpha y) = y$ .

**Proof:**  $\Rightarrow$  It is clear.

$\Leftarrow$ . Let  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma, \alpha, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (x\gamma y)\alpha(z\beta u) &= u\alpha(z\beta(x\gamma y)) \\ &= u\alpha(y\beta(x\gamma z)) \\ &= (x\gamma z)\alpha(y\beta u) \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(x\gamma y)\alpha(z\beta u) = (x\gamma z)\alpha(y\beta u)$ , which completes the proof.

#### 4. $\Gamma$ -IDEALS IN $\Gamma$ -Q-ALGEBRAS

In this section we first introduce the notion of  $\Gamma$ -ideal in  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras and next study some of elementary properties.

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra and  $A$  a nonempty subset of  $X$ .  $A$  is said to be a  $\Gamma$ -ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies:  $x \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$

1.  $0 \in A$
2.  $x\gamma y \in A$  and  $y \in A$  imply that  $x \in A$ .

Obviously,  $\{0\}$  and  $X$  are  $\Gamma$ -ideals of  $X$ . We call  $\{0\}$  and  $X$  the zero ideal and the trivial ideal of  $X$ , respectively. An  $\Gamma$ -ideal  $A$  is said to be proper if  $A \neq X$ .

**Definition 4.2.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra and  $A$  a nonempty subset of  $X$ .  $A$  is said to be a  $\Gamma$ -subalgebra of  $X$  if  $AA \subseteq A$ .

**Lemma 4.3.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra. If  $A$  is a  $\Gamma$ -ideal of  $X$ ,  $X\Gamma A \subseteq A$  and  $A\Gamma X \subseteq A$ .

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra  $X$  and let  $A$  be a  $\Gamma$ -ideal of  $X$ . Let  $x \in X$ . Then  $x\gamma x = 0 \in A$ , for all  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  so  $A\Gamma X \subseteq X\Gamma X \subseteq A$ .

**Definition 4.4.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra and  $a \in X, \gamma \in \Gamma$ . Define  $A(\gamma a)$  by

$$A(\gamma a) = \{0\} \cup \{x \in X : x\gamma a = 0\}..$$

Then we call  $A(\gamma a)$  the initial section of the element  $a$ .

**Definition 4.5.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra and  $a, b \in X, \gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Define  $A(\gamma a, \beta b)$  by

$$A(\gamma a, \beta b) = \{0\} \cup \{x \in X : (x\gamma a)\beta b = 0\}.$$

We call  $A(\gamma a, \beta b)$  an upper set of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**Theorem 4.6.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra,  $x, y \in X$  and  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ . Then

- (1)  $0 \in A(\gamma a), 0 \in A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .
- (2)  $a \in A(\gamma a)$ .
- (3) If  $0\alpha y = 0$ , then  $A(\gamma a) \subseteq A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .
- (4) If  $0\alpha y \neq 0$ , then  $A(\gamma a) - \{0\} \subseteq X - A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .
- (5)  $A(\gamma a, \beta b) = A(\beta b, \gamma a)$ .

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra  $X$ ,  $a, b \in X$  and let  $\gamma, \beta \in \Gamma$ .

- (1) By Definition 4.4 and Definition 4.5, we have  $0 \in A(\gamma a)$  and  $0 \in A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .
- (2) Since  $a\gamma a = 0$ , we have  $a \in A(\gamma a)$ .
- (3) Let  $x \in A(\gamma a)$ . Then  $x \in \{x \in X : x\gamma a = 0\}$ . or  $x \in \{0\}$ .

**Case 1:**  $x \in \{0\}$ .

Since  $x \in \{0\}$ , we get  $x = 0$ . It is easy to see that  $x = 0 \in A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .

**Case 2:**

Since  $x \in \{x \in X : x\gamma a = 0\}$ , it is easy to see that  $x\gamma a = 0$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (x\gamma a)\beta b &= 0\beta b \\ &= 0\alpha b \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $A(\gamma a) \subseteq A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .

- (4) Suppose that  $0\alpha y \neq 0$ . Let  $x \in A(\gamma a) - \{0\}$ . Then  $x\gamma a = 0$  and  $x \neq 0$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} (x\gamma a)\beta b &= 0\beta b \\ &= 0\alpha b \\ &\neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $x \notin A(\gamma a, \beta b)$  and hence  $A(\gamma a) - \{0\} \subseteq X - A(\gamma a, \beta b)$ .

- (5) Since

$$\begin{aligned} A(\gamma a, \beta b) &= \{0\} \cup \{x \in X : (x\gamma a)\beta b = 0\} \\ &= \{0\} \cup \{x \in X : (x\gamma b)\beta a = 0\} \\ &= A(\beta b, \gamma a) \end{aligned}$$

we get  $A(\gamma a, \beta b) = A(\beta b, \gamma a)$ .

**Theorem 4.7.** Let  $X$  be a  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebra,  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ . If  $x\gamma y = x\gamma z$ , then  $0\gamma y = 0\gamma z$ .

**Proof.** By Definition 2.1, we get

$$\begin{aligned}(x\gamma y)\beta x &= (x\gamma x)\beta y \\ &= 0\beta y \\ &= 0\gamma y\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}(x\gamma z)\beta x &= (x\gamma x)\beta z \\ &= 0\beta z \\ &= 0\gamma z.\end{aligned}$$

Since  $(x\gamma y)\beta x = (x\gamma z)\beta x$ , we have  $0\gamma y = 0\gamma z$ .

## 5. CONCLUSION

Many new classes of  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras have been discovered recently. All these have attracted researchers of the field to investigate these newly discovered classes in detail. This article investigates we study medial  $\Gamma$ -Q-algebras.

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