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Abstract. Neutrosophic quadruple structure is used to study BCI-implicative ideal in BCI-algebra. The conceot of neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal based on nonempty subsets in BCI-algebra is introduced, and their related properties are investigated. Relationship between neutrosophic quadruple ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-positive implicative ideal and neutrosophic quadruple BCIcommutative ideal are consulted. Conditions for the neutrosophic quadruple set to be neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal are provided. A characterization of a neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal is displayed, and the extension property of neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal is established.

## 1. Introduction

In [14], Smarandche has introduced the neutrosophic quadruple numbers for the first time. Using the notion of Smarandache's neutrosophic quadruple numbers, Akinleye et al. [2] presented the notion of neutrosophic quadruple algebraic structures. In particular, they studied neutrosophic quadruple rings. Agboola et al. [1] studied neutrosophic quadruple algebraic hyperstructures, in particular, they developed neutrosophic quadruple semihypergroups, neutrosophic quadruple canonical hypergroups and neutrosophic quadruple hyperrings. Using BCK/BCI-algebras, Jun et al. [7] have established neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCI-algebra, and have studied neutrosophic quadruple (positive implicative) ideal in neutrosophic quadruple BCK-algebra and neutrosophic quadruple closed ideal in neutrosophic quadruple BCI-algebra. Muhiuddin et al. [13] have studied neutrosophic quadruple q-ideal and (regular) neutrosophic quadruple ideal in neutrosophic quadruple BCI-algebra. Muhiuddin et al. [12] also have studied implicative neutrosophic quadruple ideal in neutrosophic quadruple BCK-algebra.

In this article, we study BCI-implicative ideal in BCI-algebra using neutrosophic quadruple structure. We define neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal based on nonempty subsets in BCI-algebra, and investigate their related properties. We consult relationship between neutrosophic quadruple ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-positive implicative ideal and neutrosophic quadruple BCIcommutative ideal. We provide conditions for the neutrosophic quadruple set to be neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal. We discuss a characterization of an neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal, and establish the extension property of neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal.

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### 2. Preliminaries

A BCK/BCI-algebra, which is an important class of logical algebras, is introduced by K. Iséki (see [4, 5]) and it is being studied by many researchers.

A BCI-algebra is a set X with a binary operation "." and a special element "0" that satisfies the following conditions:

- (I)  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)$   $(((x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot z)) \cdot (z \cdot y) = 0),$
- (II)  $(\forall x, y \in X) ((x \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot y = 0),$
- (III)  $(\forall x \in X)$   $(x \cdot x = 0)$ ,
- (IV)  $(\forall x, y \in X)$   $(x \cdot y = 0, y \cdot x = 0 \Rightarrow x = y)$ .

If a BCI-algebra  $X$  satisfies the following identity:

(V)  $(\forall x \in X)$   $(0 \cdot x = 0)$ ,

then X is called a  $BCK$ -algebra. Any BCK/BCI-algebra X satisfies the following conditions:

$$
(\forall x \in X) (x \cdot 0 = x), \tag{2.1}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y, z \in X) (x \le y \Rightarrow x \cdot z \le y \cdot z, z \cdot y \le z \cdot x), \tag{2.2}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y, z \in X) ((x \cdot y) \cdot z = (x \cdot z) \cdot y), \tag{2.3}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y, z \in X) ((x \cdot z) \cdot (y \cdot z) \le x \cdot y)
$$
\n
$$
(2.4)
$$

where  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x \cdot y = 0$ .

Any BCI-algebra  $X$  satisfies the following conditions (see [3]):

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot (x \cdot (x \cdot y)) = x \cdot y),\tag{2.5}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)(0 \cdot (x \cdot y) = (0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)),\tag{2.6}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)(0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) = (0 \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot x)). \tag{2.7}
$$

An element a in a BCI-algebra X is said to be *minimal* (see [3]) if the following assertion is valid.

$$
(\forall x \in X)(x \le a \Rightarrow x = a). \tag{2.8}
$$

Note that the zero element 0 in a BCI-algebra  $X$  is minimal (see [3]).

A nonempty subset S of a BCK/BCI-algebra X is called a *subalgebra* of X if  $x \cdot y \in S$  for all  $x, y \in S$ . A subset  $G$  of a BCK/BCI-algebra  $X$  is called an *ideal* of  $X$  if it satisfies:

$$
0 \in G,\tag{2.9}
$$

$$
(\forall x \in X) (\forall y \in G) (x \cdot y \in G \Rightarrow x \in G).
$$
\n
$$
(2.10)
$$

A subset  $G$  of a BCI-algebra  $X$  is called

• a *closed ideal* of  $X$  (see [3]) if it is an ideal of  $X$  which satisfies:

$$
(\forall x \in X)(x \in G \Rightarrow 0 \cdot x \in G), \tag{2.11}
$$

• a *BCI-positive implicative ideal* of  $X$  (see [8, 9]) if it satisfies  $(2.9)$  and

$$
(\forall x, y, z \in X) \left( ((x \cdot z) \cdot z) \cdot (y \cdot z) \in G, y \in G \implies x \cdot z \in G \right),\tag{2.12}
$$

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• a *BCI-commutative ideal* of X (see [10]) if it satisfies  $(2.9)$  and

$$
(x \cdot y) \cdot z \in G, z \in G
$$
  
\n
$$
\Rightarrow x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in G
$$
\n
$$
(2.13)
$$

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

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$$
(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z \in G, z \in G
$$
  
\n
$$
\Rightarrow x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in G
$$
\n
$$
(2.14)
$$

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

Note that every BCI-implicative ideal is an ideal, but the converse is not true (see [8]).

**Lemma 2.1** ([8]). A subset K of X is a BCI-implicative ideal of a BCI-algebra X if and only if it is an ideal of X that satisfies the following condition.

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K \implies x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K
$$
\n
$$
(2.15)
$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Lemma 2.2** ([10]). An ideal K of X is a BCI-commutative ideal of X if and only if it satisfies:

$$
x \cdot y \in K \implies x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K \tag{2.16}
$$

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

**Lemma 2.3** ([9]). An ideal K of X is a BCI-positive implicative ideal of X if and only if it satisfies:

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K \implies x \cdot y \in K \tag{2.17}
$$

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

We refer the reader to the books [3, 11] for further information regarding BCK/BCI-algebras, and to the site "http://fs.gallup.unm.edu/neutrosophy.htm" for further information regarding neutrosophic set theory.

We consider neutrosophic quadruple numbers based on a set instead of real or complex numbers.

Let X be a set. A neutrosophic quadruple X-number is an ordered quadruple  $(a, x, y, zF)$  where  $a, x, y, z \in X$ and  $T$ ,  $I$ ,  $F$  have their usual neutrosophic logic meanings (see [7]).

The set of all neutrosophic quadruple X-numbers is denoted by  $N_q(X)$ , that is,

$$
N_q(X) := \{ (a, xT, yI, zF) \mid a, x, y, z \in X \},\
$$

and it is called the *neutrosophic quadruple set* based on X. If X is a BCK/BCI-algebra, a neutrosophic quadruple X-number is called a *neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCI-number* and we say that  $N_q(X)$  is the *neutrosophic* quadruple BCK/BCI-set.

Let X be a BCK/BCI-algebra. We define a binary operation  $\Box$  on  $N_q(X)$  by

$$
(a, xT, yI, zF) \boxdot (b, uT, vI, wF) = (a \cdot b, (x \cdot u)T, (y \cdot v)I, (z \cdot w)F)
$$

for all  $(a, xT, yI, zF)$ ,  $(b, uT, vI, wF) \in N_q(X)$ . Given  $a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4 \in X$ , the neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCInumber  $(a_1, a_2T, a_3I, a_4F)$  is denoted by  $\tilde{a}$ , that is,

$$
\tilde{a} = (a_1, a_2T, a_3I, a_4F),
$$

and the zero neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCI-number  $(0, 0T, 0I, 0F)$  is denoted by  $\tilde{0}$ , that is,

$$
\tilde{0} = (0, 0T, 0I, 0F).
$$

Then  $(N_q(X); \Xi, \tilde{0})$  is a BCK/BCI-algebra (see [7]), which is called *neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCI-algebra*, and it is simply denoted by  $N_q(X)$ .

We define an order relation " $\ll$ " and the equality "=" on  $N_q(X)$  as follows:

$$
\tilde{x} \ll \tilde{y} \Leftrightarrow x_i \le y_i \text{ for } i = 1, 2, 3, 4,
$$
  

$$
\tilde{x} = \tilde{y} \Leftrightarrow x_i = y_i \text{ for } i = 1, 2, 3, 4
$$

for all  $\tilde{x}, \tilde{y} \in N_q(X)$ . It is easy to verify that " $\ll$ " is an equivalence relation on  $N_q(X)$ .

Let  $X$  be a BCK/BCI-algebra. Given nonempty subsets  $K$  and  $J$  of  $X$ , consider the set

$$
N_q(K, J) := \{ (a, xT, yI, zF) \in N_q(X) \mid a, x \in K \& y, z \in J \},
$$

which is called the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J.

The set  $N_q(K, K)$  is denoted by  $N_q(K)$ , and it is called the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K.

#### 3. Neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideals

In what follows, let X denote a BCI-algebra unless otherwise specified.

**Definition 3.1.** Let K and J be nonempty subsets of X. Then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is called a neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal (briefly, NQ-BCI-implicative ideal) over  $(X, K, J)$  if it is a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ . If  $K = J$ , then we say that it is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Example 3.2.** Consider a BCI-algebra  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  with the binary operation  $\cdot$ , which is given in Table 1.

			$\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{L}}$	$\mathcal{S}$		
$\sqrt{ }$	$\theta$	$\theta$	$\theta$	3	$\mathbf{3}$	3
				3	3	3
$\overline{2}$	2	$\mathfrak{D}$	$\theta$	3	3	3
3	3	3	3	0		
		3				
5	5	3	5			

TABLE 1. Cayley table for the binary operation "."

Then the neutrosophic quadruple BCI-algebra  $N_q(X)$  has  $6^4$  elements. If we take  $K = \{0, 1, 2\}$ , then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on  $K$  has 81-elements, that is,

$$
N_q(K) = \{ \tilde{0}, \tilde{\zeta}_i \mid i = 1, 2, \cdots, 80 \},
$$

and it is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$  where

 $\tilde{0} = (0, 0T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_1 = (0, 0T, 0I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_2 = (0, 0T, 0I, 2F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_3 = (0, 0T, 1I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_4 = (0, 0T, 1I, 1F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_5 = (0, 0T, 1I, 2F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_6 = (0, 0T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_7 = (0, 0T, 2I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_8 = (0, 0T, 2I, 2F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_9 = (0, 1T, 0I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_{10} = (0, 1T, 0I, 1F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_{11} = (0, 1T, 0I, 2F),$ 

$$
\tilde{\zeta}_{12} = (0, 1T, 1I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{13} = (0, 1T, 1I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{14} = (0, 1T, 1I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{15} = (0, 1T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{16} = (0, 1T, 2I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{17} = (0, 1T, 2I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{18} = (0, 2T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{19} = (0, 2T, 0I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{20} = (0, 2T, 0I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{21} = (0, 2T, 1I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{22} = (0, 2T, 1I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{23} = (0, 2T, 1I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{24} = (0, 2T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{25} = (0, 2T, 2I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{26} = (0, 2T, 2I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{27} = (1, 0T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{28} = (1, 0T, 0I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{29} = (1, 0T, 0I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{30} = (1, 0T, 1I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{31} = (1, 0T, 1I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{32} = (1, 0T, 1I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{33} = (1, 0T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{34} = (1, 0T, 2I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{35} = (1, 0T, 2I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{36} = (1, 1T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\zeta}_{37} = (1, 1T, 0I, 1F), \tilde{\zeta}_{38} = (1, 1T, 0I, 2F), \n\tilde{\zeta}_{39} = (1, 1T, 1I,
$$

Theorem 3.3. Every NQ-BCI-implicative ideal is a neutrosophic quadruple ideal.

*Proof.* It is straightforward since every BCI-implicative ideal is an ideal in BCI-algebras.  $\square$ 

The converse of Theorem 3.3 is not true in general as seen in the following example.

**Example 3.4.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  be a set with the binary operation  $\cdot$ , which is given in Table 2.

$\blacksquare$		$\mathbf{1}$	$\overline{2}$	$\overline{\mathbf{3}}$	
$\overline{0}$	$\theta$	$\Omega$	$\theta$		$\overline{4}$
			0		$\overline{4}$
$\overline{2}$	$\mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{L}}$	$\overline{2}$	0		$\overline{4}$
3	3	3	2		$\overline{4}$

TABLE 2. Cayley table for the binary operation "."

Then X is a BCI-algebra (see [8]), and the neutrosophic quadruple BCI-algebra  $N_q(X)$  has 625 elements. If we take  $K = \{0, 1\}$ , then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K has 16-elements, that is,

$$
N_q(K) = \{ \tilde{0}, \tilde{\zeta}_i \mid i = 1, 2, \cdots, 15 \},
$$

and it is a neutrosophic quadruple ideal over  $(X, K)$  where

 $\tilde{0} = (0, 0T, 0I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_1 = (0, 0T, 0I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_2 = (0, 0T, 1I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_3 = (0, 0T, 1I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_4 = (0, 1T, 0I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_5 = (0, 1T, 0I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_6 = (0, 1T, 1I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_7 = (0, 1T, 1I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_8 = (1, 0T, 0I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_9 = (1, 0T, 0I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_{10} = (1, 0T, 1I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_{11} = (1, 0T, 1I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_{12} = (1, 1T, 0I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_{13} = (1, 1T, 0I, 1F),$  $\tilde{\zeta}_{14} = (1, 1T, 1I, 0F), \, \tilde{\zeta}_{15} = (1, 1T, 1I, 1F).$ If we take  $\tilde{x} = (2, 2T, 2I, 2F)$  and  $\tilde{y} = (3, 3T, 3I, 3F)$  in  $N_q(X)$ , then

$$
(((\tilde{y}\boxdot \tilde{x})\boxdot \tilde{x})\boxdot (\tilde{0}\boxdot \tilde{x}))\boxdot \tilde{0}
$$
  
= 
$$
(((3,3T,3I,3F)\boxdot (2,2T,2I,2F))\boxdot (2,2T,2I,2F))\boxdot
$$
  

$$
((0,0T,0I,0F)\boxdot (2,2T,2I,2F)))\boxdot (0,0T,0I,0F)
$$
  
= 
$$
(0,0T,0I,0F)\in N_q(K).
$$

But

$$
\tilde{y} \boxdot ((\tilde{x} \boxdot (\tilde{x} \boxdot (\tilde{y}))) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{y} \boxdot \tilde{x}))))
$$
  
= (3, 3T, 3I, 3F)  $\boxdot ((2, 2T, 2I, 2F) \boxdot ((2, 2T, 2I, 2F) \boxdot (3, 3T, 3I, 3F))) \boxdot((0, 0T, 0I, 0F)  $\boxdot ((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \boxdot ((3, 3T, 3I, 3F) \boxdot (2, 2T, 2I, 2F))))$   
= (2, 2T, 2I, 2F)  $\notin N_q(K)$ .$ 

Hence  $N_q(K)$  is not a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ , and so it is not an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Lemma 3.5** ([7]). If K and J are ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is a neutrosophic quadruple ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

**Theorem 3.6.** The neutrosophic quadruple set based on BCI-implicative ideals  $K$  and  $J$  of  $X$  is an NQ-BCIimplicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* Let K and J be BCI-implicative ideals of X. Since  $0 \in K \cap J$ , we get  $\tilde{0} \in N_q(K, J)$ . Let  $\tilde{x} = (x_1, x_2T,$  $x_3I, x_4F, \tilde{y} = (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F)$  and  $\tilde{z} = (z_1, z_2T, z_3I, z_4F)$  be elements of  $N_q(X)$  such that

$$
(((\tilde{x}\boxdot\tilde{y})\boxdot\tilde{y})\boxdot(\tilde{0}\boxdot\tilde{y}))\boxdot\tilde{z}\in N_q(K,J)
$$

and  $\tilde{z} \in N_q(K, J)$ . Then  $\tilde{z} = (z_1, z_2T, z_3I, z_4F) \in N_q(K, J)$  and

$$
(((\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{y})) \boxdot \tilde{z}
$$
  
= 
$$
(((x_1, x_2T, x_3I, x_4F) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F)) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F)) \boxdot
$$
  

$$
((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F))) \boxdot (z_1, z_2T, z_3I, z_4F)
$$
  
= 
$$
(((((x_1 \cdot y_1) \cdot y_1) \cdot (0 \cdot y_1)) \cdot z_1), ((((x_2 \cdot y_2) \cdot y_2) \cdot (0 \cdot y_2)) \cdot z_2)T,
$$

$$
(((x_3 \cdot y_3) \cdot y_3) \cdot (0 \cdot y_3)) \cdot z_3)I, ((((x_4 \cdot y_4) \cdot y_4) \cdot (0 \cdot y_4)) \cdot z_4)F)
$$
  

$$
\in N_q(K, J).
$$

Hence  $z_i \in K$  and  $((x_i \cdot y_i) \cdot y_i) \cdot (0 \cdot y_i)) \cdot z_i \in K$  for  $i = 1, 2$ ; and  $z_j \in J$  and  $(((x_j \cdot y_j) \cdot y_j) \cdot (0 \cdot y_j)) \cdot z_j \in K$  for  $j = 3, 4$ . Since K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X, it follows that  $x_i \cdot ((y_i \cdot (y_i \cdot x_i)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_i \cdot y_i)))) \in K$ and  $x_j \cdot ((y_j \cdot (y_j \cdot x_j)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_j \cdot y_j)))) \in J$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $j = 3, 4$ . Thus

$$
\tilde{x} \boxdot ((\tilde{y} \boxdot (\tilde{y} \boxdot (\tilde{y} \boxdot \tilde{x})) \cdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}))))\n= (x1, x2T, x3I, x4F) \cdot (((y1, y2T, y3I, y4F) \cdot ((y1, y2T, y3I, y4F) \cdot\n(x1, x2T, x3I, x4F))) \cdot ((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \cdot ((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \cdot\n((x1, x2T, x3I, x4F) \cdot (y1, y2T, y3I, y4F))))\n= (x1 \cdot ((y1 \cdot (y1 \cdot x1)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x1 \cdot y1))))),\n(x2 \cdot ((y2 \cdot (y2 \cdot x2)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x2 \cdot y2)))))]\n(x3 \cdot ((y3 \cdot (y3 \cdot x3)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x3 \cdot y3)))))]\n(x4 \cdot ((y4 \cdot (y4 \cdot x4)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x4 \cdot y4)))))]F)\n\in Nq(K, J).
$$

Hence  $N_q(K, J)$  is a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ , and therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

**Corollary 3.7.** The neutrosophic quadruple set based on a BCI-implicative ideal K of X is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Proposition 3.8.** Every neutrosophic quadruple set based on BCI-implicative ideals  $K$  and  $J$  of  $X$  satisfies the following condition.

$$
((\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \in N_q(K, J)
$$
  
\n
$$
\Rightarrow \tilde{x} \boxdot ((\tilde{y} \boxdot (\tilde{y} \boxdot \tilde{x})) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y})))) \in N_q(K, J).
$$
\n(3.1)

for all  $\tilde{x}, \tilde{y}, \tilde{z} \in N_q(X)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $((\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \in N_q(K, J)$  for all  $\tilde{x}, \tilde{y}, \tilde{z} \in N_q(X)$ . Then

$$
(((((x_1 \cdot y_1) \cdot y_1) \cdot (0 \cdot y_1)) \cdot 0, (((((x_2 \cdot y_2) \cdot y_2) \cdot (0 \cdot y_2)) \cdot 0)T,
$$
  

$$
(((((x_3 \cdot y_3) \cdot y_3) \cdot (0 \cdot y_3)) \cdot 0)I, (((((x_4 \cdot y_4) \cdot y_4) \cdot (0 \cdot y_4)) \cdot 0)F)
$$
  

$$
= (((x_1 \cdot y_1) \cdot y_1) \cdot (0 \cdot y_1), (((x_2 \cdot y_2) \cdot y_2) \cdot (0 \cdot y_2))T,
$$
  

$$
(((x_3 \cdot y_3) \cdot y_3) \cdot (0 \cdot y_3))I, (((x_4 \cdot y_4) \cdot y_4) \cdot (0 \cdot y_4))F)
$$
  

$$
= (((x_1, x_2T, x_3I, x_4F) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F)) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F))\boxdot
$$
  

$$
((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \boxdot (y_1, y_2T, y_3I, y_4F))
$$
  

$$
= ((\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot \tilde{y}) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{y}) \in N_q(K, J),
$$

and so  $(((x_i \cdot y_i) \cdot y_i) \cdot (0 \cdot y_i)) \cdot 0 \in K$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $(((x_j \cdot y_j) \cdot y_j) \cdot (0 \cdot y_j)) \cdot 0 \in J$  for  $j = 3, 4$ . Since  $0 \in K \cap J$ , and since K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X, it follows that  $x_i \cdot ((y_i \cdot (y_i \cdot x_i)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_i \cdot y_i)))) \in K$  for  $i = 1, 2$ , and  $x_j \cdot ((y_j \cdot (y_j \cdot x_j)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_j \cdot y_j)))) \in J$  for  $j = 3, 4$ . Hence we have

$$
\tilde{x} \boxdot ((\tilde{y} \boxdot (\tilde{y} \boxdot \tilde{x})) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{x} \boxdot \tilde{y}))))
$$
\n
$$
= (x_1 \cdot ((y_1 \cdot (y_1 \cdot x_1)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_1 \cdot y_1))))),
$$
\n
$$
(x_2 \cdot ((y_2 \cdot (y_2 \cdot x_2)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_2 \cdot y_2))))),
$$
\n
$$
(x_3 \cdot ((y_3 \cdot (y_3 \cdot x_3)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_3 \cdot y_3))))),
$$
\n
$$
(x_4 \cdot ((y_4 \cdot (y_4 \cdot x_4)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x_4 \cdot y_4))))))F)
$$
\n
$$
\in N_q(K, J).
$$

This completes the proof.  $\Box$ 

We provide conditions for a neutrosophic quadruple set to be an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal.

**Theorem 3.9.** Let  $K$  and  $J$  be ideals of  $X$  such that

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$
  
\n
$$
\Rightarrow x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$
\n
$$
(3.2)
$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J).$ 

*Proof.* Assume that  $(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z \in K$  (resp., J) for all  $x, y \in X$  and  $z \in K$  (resp., J). Then  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K$  (resp., J) since K and J are ideals of X. It follows from the condition (3.2) that  $x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K$  (resp., J). Hence K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X, and therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  by Theorem 3.6.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.10.** Let  $K$  be an ideal of  $X$  such that

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K
$$
  
\n
$$
\Rightarrow x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K
$$
\n(3.3)

for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

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**Theorem 3.11.** Let  $K$  and  $J$  be ideals of  $X$  such that

$$
0 \cdot x \in K \text{ (resp., } J),\tag{3.4}
$$

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K \text{ (resp., } J) \implies x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$
\n
$$
(3.5)
$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J).$ 

*Proof.* Assume that  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K$  (resp., J) for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \in K$  (resp., J) by (3.5). Using (I), (II),  $(2.3)$ ,  $(2.5)$ ,  $(2.6)$  and  $(3.4)$ , we have

$$
(x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \cdot (x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq 0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot ((0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (((0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (((0 \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (((0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot y)))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot ((0 \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))
$$
  
\n
$$
\in K \text{ (resp., } J).
$$

It follows that  $x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K$  (resp., J). Hence K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X by Lemma 2.1. Therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on  $K$  and  $J$  is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  by Theorem 3.6.

**Corollary 3.12.** Let  $K$  be an ideal of  $X$  such that

$$
0 \cdot x \in K,\tag{3.6}
$$

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K \implies x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \in K \tag{3.7}
$$

for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Theorem 3.13.** Let  $X$  be a BCI-algebra satisfying the conditions:

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot y = ((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)), \tag{3.8}
$$

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot (x \cdot y) = y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (x \cdot y))))
$$
\n
$$
(3.9)
$$

If K and J are closed ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

Proof. Let K and J be closed ideals of X. Assume that  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K$  (resp., J). Then  $0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \in K$ K (resp., J). Using the conditions  $(3.8)$ ,  $(3.9)$ ,  $(2.3)$ ,  $(2.5)$ ,  $(1)$  and  $(III)$ , we have

$$
(x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))) \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
\n
$$
= (x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))) \cdot (x \cdot y)
$$
\n
$$
= (x \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))
$$
\n
$$
= (y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))
$$
\n
$$
= (y \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))) \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (x \cdot y)))
$$
\n
$$
= (y \cdot x) \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (x \cdot y)))
$$
\n
$$
\leq (x \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot x
$$
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (x \cdot y)
$$
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
\n
$$
\in K \text{ (resp., } J).
$$
\n(3.10)

It follows that  $x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \in K$  (resp., J), and so that

$$
x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$

in the proof of Theorem 3.18. Thus  $K$  and  $J$  are BCI-implicative ideals of  $X$  by Lemma 2.1, and therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  by Theorem 3.6.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 3.14.** Let X be a BCI-algebra satisfying the conditions  $(3.8)$  and  $(3.9)$ . If K is a closed ideal of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Corollary 3.15.** Let  $X$  be a BCI-algebra satisfying the condition:

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)((x \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (y \cdot x) = y \cdot (y \cdot x)). \tag{3.11}
$$

If K and J are closed ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* If X satisfies the condition  $(3.11)$ , then it satisfies two conditions  $(3.8)$  and  $(3.9)$  (see [?, ?]). Hence the result is induced from Theorem 3.13.  $\Box$ 

Corollary 3.16. Let X be a BCI-algebra satisfying the condition  $(3.11)$ . If K is a closed ideal of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

**Theorem 3.17.** Let  $X$  be a BCI-algebra satisfying the condition  $(3.9)$  and

$$
(\forall x, y \in X)((x \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (y \cdot x)) = x). \tag{3.12}
$$

If K and J are closed ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* Let K and J be closed ideals of X. The conditions  $(3.12)$  and  $(III)$  lead to the following fact.

$$
(z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y))) \cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)))) = 0.
$$
\n(3.13)

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It follows from  $(2.1)$ ,  $(I)$ ,  $(2.2)$ ,  $(2.3)$  and  $(III)$  that

$$
(z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) = ((z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot 0
$$
  
\n
$$
= ((z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot ((z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)))\cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y))))\cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)))) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))\n
$$
\le (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)))) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))\n
$$
\le (0 \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot (z \cdot (z \cdot y)))
$$
  
\n
$$
\le (z \cdot (z \cdot y)) \cdot y
$$
  
\n
$$
= (z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot y) = 0.
$$
  
\n(3.14)
$$
$$

Hence  $(z \cdot y) \cdot (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) = 0$  since 0 is a minimal element of X, that is,

$$
z \cdot y \le ((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y). \tag{3.15}
$$

On the other hand, we get

$$
(((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (z \cdot y) = (((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)
$$

$$
= (((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot y)) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) = (0 \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) = 0
$$

by  $(2.3)$  and  $(III)$ , that is,

$$
((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \le z \cdot y. \tag{3.16}
$$

Conditions (3.15) and (3.16) induce

 $z \cdot y = ((z \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y).$ 

Therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  by Theorem 3.13.

We now consider extension property of NQ-BCI-implicative ideal.

**Theorem 3.18.** For any nonempty subsets K and J of X, let A and B be closed ideals of X such that  $K \subseteq A$ and  $J \subseteq B$ . If K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on A and B is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, A, B)$ , which is larger than the NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* Assume that K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X. It is clear that  $N_q(K, J) \subseteq N_q(A, B)$ . Let  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in A$  (resp., B) for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \in A$  (resp., B) since A and B are closed ideals of  $X$ . Using  $(2.3)$  and  $(III)$  induce

$$
(((x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)
$$
  
= 
$$
(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
= 
$$
0 \in K \text{ (resp., } J),
$$
 (3.17)

which implies from Lemma 2.1 that

$$
(x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))))))
$$
  

$$
(0 \cdot (0 \cdot ((x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))) \cdot y))))
$$
  

$$
\in K \subseteq A \text{ (resp., } J \subseteq B).
$$
 (3.18)

Since

$$
0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) = ((0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
=  $((0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot y))$   
=  $((0 \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)$   
=  $((0 \cdot y) \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot y)$   
=  $(0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)$   
=  $0 \cdot (x \cdot y)$  (3.19)

by  $(2.6)$ ,  $(2.3)$ ,  $(2.5)$  and  $(III)$ , we have

$$
0 \cdot (0 \cdot ((x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot y))
$$
  
= 0 \cdot (0 \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))))  
= 0 \cdot ((0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))))  
= 0 \cdot ((0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))  
= 0.  
(3.20)  
= 0.

Combining (3.18) and (3.20) implies that

$$
(x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))))) \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
= 
$$
(x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))))))
$$
  

$$
\in A \text{ (resp., } B).
$$
 (3.21)

Since  $A$  and  $B$  are ideals of  $X$ , it follows that

$$
x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))) \in A \text{ (resp., } B).
$$
\n
$$
(3.22)
$$

On the other hand, we have

$$
(x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))) \cdot (x \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))))))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq (y \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)))) \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq (y \cdot x) \cdot (y \cdot (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq (x \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \cdot x
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
\in A \text{ (resp., } B).
$$
 (3.23)

By (3.22) and (3.23), we get  $x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \in A$  (resp., B). Using (3.19), (I), (II) we get

$$
(x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \cdot (x \cdot (y \cdot (y \cdot x)))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq (y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))))
$$
  
\n
$$
\leq 0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))
$$
  
\n
$$
= 0 \cdot (0 \cdot (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y))) \in A \text{ (resp., } B).
$$
 (3.24)

It follows that  $x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in A$  (resp., B). Hence A and B are BCI-implicative ideals of X by Lemma 2.1. Therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on A and B is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, A, B)$  by Theorem 3.6.

**Corollary 3.19.** For any nonempty subset K of X, let A be a closed ideal of X such that  $K \subseteq A$ . If K is a  $BCI$ -implicative ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on A is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, A)$ , which is larger than the NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

# 4. Relations between NQ-BCI-commutative ideal, NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal and NQ-BCI-implicative ideal

**Theorem 4.1.** For any nonempty subsets K and J of X, every NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  is an  $NQ\text{-}BCI$ -commutative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* Let K and J be nonempty subsets of X such that the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ . Let  $x, y, z \in X$  be such that  $z \in K$  (resp., J) and  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z \in K$ (resp., J). Then  $(z, zT, zI, zF) \in N_q(K, J)$  and

$$
(((x, xT, xI, xF) \boxdot (y, yT, yI, yF)) \boxdot (y, yT, yI, yF)) \boxdot
$$
  

$$
((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \boxdot (y, yT, yI, yF))) \boxdot (z, zT, zI, zF)
$$
  

$$
= (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z, (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z)T,
$$
  

$$
(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z)I, (((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot z)F)
$$
  

$$
\in N_q(K, J)
$$

Since  $N_q(K, J)$  is a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ , it follows that

$$
(x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))))), (x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))))T,(x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))))I, (x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))))F)= (x, xT, xI, xF) \square (((y, yT, yI, yF) \square ((y, yT, yI, yF) \square (x, xT, xI, xF)))\square((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \square ((0, 0T, 0I, 0F) \square ((x, xT, xI, xF) \square (y, yT, yI, yF))))
$$
\in N_q(K, J).
$$
$$

Hence  $x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K$  (resp., J), and so K and J are BCI-implicative ideals of X. Thus K and J are ideals of X. Assume that  $x \cdot y \in K$  (resp., J) for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then

$$
(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (x \cdot y) = (0 \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) = 0 \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$

by using (2.3) and (III), which implies that

$$
((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K
$$
 (resp., J).

Hence  $(((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot 0 \in K$  (resp., J) and  $0 \in K$  (resp., J). Since K (resp., J) is a BCI-implicative ideal of  $X$ , it follows that

$$
x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K \text{ (resp., } J).
$$

Therefore  $K$  (resp.,  $J$ ) is a BCI-commutative ideal of  $X$  by Lemma 2.2, and consequently the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-commutative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

The converse of Theorem 4.1 is not true in general. In fact,  $N_q(K)$  in Example 3.4 is not a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ . But it is routine to verify that  $N_q(K)$  is a BCI-commutative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ .

**Lemma 4.2** ([6]). If K and J are BCI-positive implicative ideals of X, then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

**Theorem 4.3.** For any nonempty subsets K and J of X, every NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  is an  $NQ\text{-}BCI\text{-}positive\ \text{implicitive}\ \text{ideal}\ \text{over}\ (X, K, J).$ 

*Proof.* Let K and J be nonempty subsets of X such that  $N_q(K, J)$  is a BCI-implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$ . Then K and J are ideals of X (see the proof of Theorem 4.1). Let  $x, y \in X$  be such that  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K$  (resp., J). Then

$$
x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K \text{ (resp., } J)
$$

by Lemma 2.1. Note that

$$
(x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y))))\n\le ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \cdot y\n= (0 \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))\n= (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)) \cdot (y \cdot x)\n= ((0 \cdot x) \cdot (0 \cdot y)) \cdot (y \cdot x)\n= (0 \cdot (0 \cdot x)) \cdot x\n= 0 \in K (resp., J).
$$

It follows that  $x \cdot y \in K$  (resp., J). Hence K and J are BCI-positive implicative ideals of X by Lemma 2.3, and therefore  $N_q(K, J)$  is a BCI-positive implicative ideal of  $N_q(X)$  by Lemma 4.2.

In the following example, we can see that the converse of Theorem 4.3 is not true in general.

**Example 4.4.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  be a set with the binary operation ".", which is given in Table 3.

$\bullet$			$\mathfrak{D}$	$\mathcal{R}$	
$\overline{0}$					4
1					
$\overline{2}$	$\overline{2}$	2			4
3	3	3	3		I.

TABLE 3. Cayley table for the binary operation "."

Then X is a BCI-algebra (see [8]), and the neutrosophic quadruple BCI-algebra  $N_q(X)$  has 625 elements. If we take  $K = \{0, 2\}$ , then the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K has 16-elements, that is,

$$
N_q(K) = \{ \tilde{0}, \tilde{\rho}_i \mid i = 1, 2, \cdots, 15 \},
$$

where

 $\tilde{0} = (0, 0T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\rho}_1 = (0, 0T, 0I, 2F), \tilde{\rho}_2 = (0, 0T, 2I, 0F),$  $\tilde{\rho}_3 = (0, 0T, 2I, 1F), \tilde{\rho}_4 = (0, 2T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\rho}_5 = (0, 2T, 0I, 2F),$ 

 $\tilde{\rho}_6 = (0, 2T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\rho}_7 = (0, 2T, 2I, 2F), \tilde{\rho}_8 = (2, 0T, 0I, 0F),$  $\tilde{\rho}_9 = (2, 0T, 0I, 2F), \tilde{\rho}_{10} = (2, 0T, 2I, 0F), \tilde{\rho}_{11} = (2, 0T, 2I, 2F),$  $\tilde{\rho}_{12} = (2, 2T, 0I, 0F), \tilde{\rho}_{13} = (2, 2T, 0I, 2F), \tilde{\rho}_{14} = (2, 2T, 2I, 0F),$  $\tilde{\rho}_{15} = (2, 2T, 2I, 2F).$ 

It is routine to verify that  $N_q(K)$  is an NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ . If we take  $\tilde{\alpha}_1$  =  $(1, 1T, 1I, 1F)$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}_3 = (3, 3T, 3I, 3F)$  in  $N_q(X)$ , then  $\tilde{0} \in N_q(K)$  and

$$
(((\tilde{\alpha}_1 \boxdot \tilde{\alpha}_3) \boxdot \tilde{\alpha}_3) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{\alpha}_3)) \boxdot \tilde{0} = \tilde{0} \in N_q(K).
$$

But,

$$
\tilde{\alpha}_1 \boxdot \left( (\tilde{\alpha}_3 \boxdot (\tilde{\alpha}_3 \boxdot \alpha_1)) \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{\alpha}_1 \boxdot \alpha_3))) \right) = \tilde{\alpha}_1 \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot (\tilde{\alpha}_2 \boxdot \alpha_3))) = \tilde{\alpha}_1 \boxdot (\tilde{0} \boxdot \tilde{0}) = \tilde{\alpha}_1 \notin N_q(K).
$$

Hence  $N_q(K)$  is not an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

We display a characterization of an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal.

**Theorem 4.5.** For any nonempty subsets K and J of X, the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is both an NQ-BCI-commutative ideal and an NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  if and only if it is an  $NQ$ -BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ .

*Proof.* For the sufficiency, see Theorems 4.1 and 4.3. Let  $N_q(K, J)$  be both an NQ-BCI-commutative ideal and an NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$ . Then K and J are both a BCI-commutative ideal and a BCI-positive implicative ideal of X. Assume that  $((x \cdot y) \cdot y) \cdot (0 \cdot y) \in K$  (resp., J) for all  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $x \cdot y \in K$  $(\text{resp.}, J)$  by Lemma 2.3, and so

$$
x \cdot ((y \cdot (y \cdot x)) \cdot (0 \cdot (0 \cdot (x \cdot y)))) \in K(\text{resp., } J)
$$

by Lemma 2.2. It follows from Lemma 2.1 that  $K$  and  $J$  are BCI-implicative ideals of  $X$ . Therefore the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K and J is an NQ-implicative ideal over  $(X, K, J)$  by Theorem 3.6.

**Corollary 4.6.** For any nonempty subset K of X, the neutrosophic quadruple set based on K is both an NQ-BCIcommutative ideal and an NQ-BCI-positive implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$  if and only if it is an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal over  $(X, K)$ .

# 5. Conclusions

Smarandache introduced the notion of neutrosophic quadruple numbers by considering an entry (i.e., a number, an idea, an object, etc.) which is represented by a known part  $(a)$  and an unknown part  $(bT, cI, dF)$  where a, b, c and d are real or complex numbers and  $T$ ,  $I$ ,  $F$  have their usual neutrosophic logic meanings. Jun et al. made up neutrosophic quadruple BCK/BCI-algebras and (positive) implicative neutrosophic quadruple BCK-algebras using neutrosophic quadruple numbers based on BCK/BCI-algebras (instead of real or complex numbers). In this article, we have studied BCI-implicative ideal in BCI-algebra using neutrosophic quadruple structure. We have introduced neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal based on nonempty subsets in BCIalgebra, and have investigated their related properties. We have consulted relationship between neutrosophic quadruple ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal, neutrosophic quadruple BCI-positive implicative ideal and neutrosophic quadruple BCI-commutative ideal. We have provided conditions for the neutrosophic

quadruple set to be neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal. We have discussed a characterization of an NQ-BCI-implicative ideal, and have established the extension property of neutrosophic quadruple BCI-implicative ideal. Based on the contents and ideas of this manuscript, we will study neutrosophic quadruple structure for various algebraic sub-structures in the future.

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