

## Derivations of $e$ – Commutative $BF_1$ – algebra

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### ABSTRACT

In this paper, the notion of left–right (respectively, right–left) derivation of an  $e$ –commutative  $BF_1$ –algebra has been introduced. The concepts of regular derivations and identity derivations of an  $e$ –commutative  $BF_1$  – algebra have been studied and several related properties were investigated.

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

In 2007, Walendziak<sup>12</sup> introduced the classes of  $BF$ ,  $BF_1$ ,  $BF_2$  – algebras, which are generalizations of  $B$  – algebra<sup>7</sup>. He defined  $BF$  – algebra as an algebraic structure  $(A, *, 0)$  of type  $(2, 0)$ , satisfying (I)  $x * x = 0$ , (II)  $x * 0 = x$ , (BF)  $0 * (x * y) = y * x$ , for all  $x, y$  in  $A$ . Kim and Kim<sup>6</sup> introduced  $BG$ –algebra  $(A, *, 0)$  of type  $(2, 0)$ , satisfying (I), (II) and (BG)  $(x * y) * (0 * y) = x$ . Walendziak further extended  $BF$ –algebra to  $BF_1$ –algebra, by including the property (BG). Motivated by the concepts of derivations of BCI–algebras by Jun and Xin<sup>13</sup>, some results on derivations of BCI–algebras by Hamza *et al.*<sup>1</sup>, derivations of  $B$ –algebras by Nora O. Al-Shehrie<sup>8</sup> and Derivations on  $QS$ –algebras by Mostafa *et al.*<sup>9</sup>, authors introduced the concepts of (left-right)–derivation, (right-left)–derivation, regular and identity derivations of an  $e$ –commutative  $BF_1$ –algebra and investigated several related properties, which may be a contribution to the theories of propositional calculi<sup>2-5,10</sup>.

### 2. NOTATIONS

Throughout this article, authors used the notations  $D: e * (e * x) = x$ ,  $E: x * (e * y) = y * (e * x)$ ,  $F: y * (y * x) = x$ ,  $G: (e * x) * (e * y) = e * (x * y) = y * x$ ,  $(BF_1)^e : X$  is an  $e$  –

commutative  $BF_1$ -algebra,  $\Delta$ : derivation,  $(l, r)$ - $\Delta$ :  $(l, r)$ -derivation and  $(r, l)$ - $\Delta$ :  $(r, l)$ -derivation,  $\forall x, y, z \in X$  and for any fixed  $e \in X$ .

### 3. PRELIMINARIES

**Definition 3.1.** A  $BF_1$ -algebra  $(X, *, e)$  is said to be an  $(BF_1)^e$ , if  $x * (e * y) = y * (e * x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 3.2.** [10, Proposition 3.7] If  $(X, *, e)$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  then  $(e * x) * y = (e * y) * x$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 3.3.** [11, Proposition 3.2] Let  $(X, *, e)$ , for any fixed  $e \in X$  be a  $BF$ -Algebra. Then  $X$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  if and only if  $(e * x) * (e * y) = y * x = e * (x * y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Corollary 3.4.** [11, Corollary 3.3] Let  $(X, *, e)$ , for any fixed  $e \in X$  be a  $BF_1$ -algebra. Then  $X$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  if and only if  $(e * x) * (e * y) = y * x = e * (x * y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Corollary 3.5.** [11, Corollary 3.4] Let  $(X, *, e)$ , for any fixed  $e \in X$  be a  $BF_2$ -algebra. Then  $X$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  if and only if  $(e * x) * (e * y) = y * x = e * (x * y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . Then the partial order “ $\leq$ ” is defined as  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $x * y = e$ ,  $\forall x, y \in X$  and  $x \wedge y$  is defined as,  $x \wedge y = y * (y * x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 3.7.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . A self map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be  $(l, r)$ - $\Delta$  of  $X$ , if it satisfies the identity  $\Delta(x * y) = (\Delta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \Delta(y))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 3.8.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . A self map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be  $(r, l)$ - $\Delta$  of  $X$  if, it satisfies the identity  $\Delta(x * y) = (x * \Delta(y)) \wedge (\Delta(x) * y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 3.9.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . A self map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be a derivation of  $X$  if, it is both  $(l, r)$ - $\Delta$  and  $(r, l)$ - $\Delta$  on  $X$ .

**Proposition 3.10.** [6, Lemma 2.4] Cancellation Laws holds well in  $BG$ -algebra.

**Proposition 3.11.** [10, Lemma 3.1] Cancellation Laws holds well in an  $(BF_1)^e$ .

**Example 3.12.** Let  $X = \{e, a, b, c\}$  and  $*$  be the binary operation defined on  $X$  as shown below.

*	e	a	b	c
e	e	a	c	b
a	a	e	b	c
b	b	c	e	a
c	c	b	a	e

Define a map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  such that

$$\Delta(x) = \begin{cases} e, & \text{if } x = a \\ a, & \text{if } x = e \\ b, & \text{if } x = c \\ c, & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}$$

Then one can easily verify that  $\Delta$  is a derivation of  $X$ .

**Note 3.13.** From example 3.12, it is clear that, (i)  $\Delta$  is not a regular derivation of  $X$  as  $\Delta(e) \neq e$  and (ii)  $\Delta$  is not an identity derivation of  $X$  as  $\Delta(x) \neq x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

#### 4. RESULTS ON $(l, r)$ and $(r, l)$ – derivations

**Proposition 4.1.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  is a  $(l, r)$  –  $\Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x * y) = \Delta(x) * y$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta$  is a  $(l, r)$  –  $\Delta$  of  $X$  then  $\Delta(x * y) = (\Delta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \Delta(y)) = (x * \Delta(y)) * ((x * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * y)) = e * (((x * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * y)) * (x * \Delta(y))) = (e * ((x * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * y))) * (e * (x * \Delta(y))) = ((\Delta(x) * y) * (x * \Delta(y))) * (e * (x * \Delta(y))) = \Delta(x) * y$   
 $\therefore \Delta(x * y) = \Delta(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.2.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  is a  $(r, l)$  –  $\Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x * y) = x * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 4.1.

**Theorem 4.3.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  is a derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x * y) = \Delta(x) * y = x * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining proposition 4.1 and proposition 4.2.

**Definition 4.4.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then the composition mapping of  $\Delta_1$  and  $\Delta_2$  is denoted by  $\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2$  and is defined as,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x))$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.5.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then the composition mapping  $\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2$  is also a  $(l, r)$  –  $\Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two  $(l, r)$  –  $\Delta$ s of  $X$  then  $\Delta_1(x * y) = \Delta_1(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$  and  $\Delta_2(x * y) = \Delta_2(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

Consider,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x * y)) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x) * y) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x)) * y = (\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x) * y$ .  
Hence,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = (\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.6.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two  $(r, l)$  –  $\Delta$ s of  $X$ . Then the composition mapping  $\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2$  is also a  $(r, l)$  –  $\Delta$  on  $X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 4.5.

**Theorem 4.7.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then the composition mapping  $\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2$  is also a derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining proposition 4.5 and proposition 4.6.

**Theorem 4.8.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = (\Delta_2 \circ \Delta_1)(x * y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two derivations of  $X$ , then  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  are both  $(l, r)$  – and  $(r, l)$  –  $\Delta$ s on  $X$ . Consider,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x * y)) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x) * y) = \Delta_2(x) * \Delta_1(y) = \Delta_2(x * \Delta_1(y)) = \Delta_2(\Delta_1(x * y)) = (\Delta_2 \circ \Delta_1)(x * y)$ . Hence,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = (\Delta_2 \circ \Delta_1)(x * y)$ .  
 $\therefore (\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = (\Delta_2 \circ \Delta_1)(x * y), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Corollary 4.9.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x) = (\Delta_2 \circ \Delta_1)(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Taking  $y = e$  in theorem 4.8, the result can be obtained.

**Definition 4.10.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Define  $\Delta_1 * \Delta_2 : X \rightarrow X$  such that  $(\Delta_1 * \Delta_2)(x) = \Delta_1(x) * \Delta_2(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.11.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta_1 * \Delta_2 = \Delta_2 * \Delta_1$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = \Delta_1(x * \Delta_2(y)) = \Delta_1(x) * \Delta_2(y)$  and similarly  $(\Delta_1 \circ \Delta_2)(x * y) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x * y)) = \Delta_1(\Delta_2(x) * y) = \Delta_2(x) * \Delta_1(y)$ .

i.e.  $\Delta_1(x) * \Delta_2(y) = \Delta_2(x) * \Delta_1(y)$ , replacing  $y$  by  $x$ ,  $\Delta_1(x) * \Delta_2(x) = \Delta_2(x) * \Delta_1(x)$ .

i.e.  $(\Delta_1 * \Delta_2)(x) = (\Delta_2 * \Delta_1)(x)$ . Hence,  $\forall x \in X, \Delta_1 * \Delta_2 = \Delta_2 * \Delta_1$ .

**Definition 4.12.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Define  $\Delta^2 : X \rightarrow X$  such that  $\Delta^2(x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x) = \Delta(\Delta(x))$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 4.13.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Define  $\Delta^n : X \rightarrow X$  such that  $\Delta^n(x) = \Delta^{n-1}(\Delta(x))$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

**Proposition 4.14.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^2(x * y) = \Delta^2(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta^2(x * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x * y) = \Delta(\Delta(x * y)) = \Delta(\Delta(x) * y) = \Delta(\Delta(x)) * y = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x) * y = \Delta^2(x) * y$ .

$\therefore \Delta^2(x * y) = \Delta^2(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.15.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^2(x * y) = x * \Delta^2(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 4.14.

**Theorem 4.16.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^2(x * y) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta^2(x * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x * y) = \Delta(\Delta(x * y)) = \Delta(x * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$   
 $\therefore \Delta^2(x * y) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.17.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the self map of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = e * (e * x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is a  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \Delta(y)) = (x * \Delta(y)) * ((x * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * y))$

$= (x * \Delta(y)) * (e * ((\Delta(x) * y) * (x * \Delta(y))))$  (BF)

$= ((\Delta(x) * y) * (x * \Delta(y))) * (e * (x * \Delta(y)))$  (E)

$= \Delta(x) * y$  (BG)

$= (e * (e * x)) * y = x * y$  (D)

$= e * (e * (x * y))$  (D) =  $\Delta(x * y)$

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

$\therefore \Delta$  is a  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proposition 4.18.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the self map of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = e * (e * x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is a  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 4.17.

**Theorem 4.19.** Let  $\Delta$  be the self map of an  $(BF_1)^e(X, *, e)$  such that  $\Delta(x) = e * (e * x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is a derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining the proposition 4.17 and proposition 4.18.

**Proposition 4.20.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) = e * (e * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(x) = \Delta(e * (e * x)) = e * \Delta(e * x) = e * (e * \Delta(x))$ .

$\therefore \Delta(x) = e * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.21.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $x * (e * \Delta(y)) = y * (e * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $x * (e * \Delta(y)) = x * \Delta(e * y) = \Delta(x * (e * y)) = \Delta(y * (e * x)) = y * \Delta(e * x) = y * (e * \Delta(x))$ .

$\therefore x * (e * \Delta(y)) = y * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.22.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $x * (e * \Delta(y)) = y * (e * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 4.21.

**Theorem 4.23.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $x * (e * \Delta(y)) = y * (e * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining proposition 4.21 and proposition 4.22.

**Proposition 4.24.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $(e * x) * \Delta(y) = (e * y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(e * x) * \Delta(y) = \Delta((e * x) * y) = \Delta((e * y) * x) = (e * y) * \Delta(x)$ .

$\therefore (e * x) * \Delta(y) = (e * y) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.25.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $(\Delta(e * x)) * y = (\Delta(e * y)) * x$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(e * x)) * y = \Delta(e * x) * y = \Delta((e * x) * y) = \Delta((e * y) * x) = \Delta(e * y) * x = (\Delta(e * y)) * x$ .

Hence,  $(\Delta(e * x)) * y = (\Delta(e * y)) * x, \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.26.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * y = (e * \Delta(y)) * x$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Similar proof as done in proposition 4.25.

**Definition 4.27.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two derivations of  $X$ . Then define  $(\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x) = \Delta_1(x) \wedge \Delta_2(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.28.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two  $(l, r) - \Delta$ s of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2$  is also a  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:** To prove that  $(\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x * y) = (\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X$ .

Consider,  $(\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x * y) = \Delta_1(x * y) \wedge \Delta_2(x * y) = (\Delta_1(x) * y) \wedge (\Delta_2(x) * y) = (\Delta_2(x) * y) * ((\Delta_2(x) * y) * (\Delta_1(x) * y))$  (F)

$= (\Delta_2(x) * y) * (e * ((\Delta_1(x) * y) * (\Delta_2(x) * y)))$  (BF)

$= ((\Delta_1(x) * y) * (\Delta_2(x) * y)) * (e * (\Delta_2(x) * y))$  (E)

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= ((\Delta_1(x) * y) * (\Delta_2(x) * y)) * (e * (\Delta_2(x) * y)) \quad (BF) \\
 &= \Delta_1(x) * y \quad (BG) \\
 &= (\Delta_2(x) * (\Delta_2(x) * \Delta_1(x))) * y \quad (F) \\
 &= (\Delta_1(x) \wedge \Delta_2(x)) * y = (\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x) * y. \\
 \therefore (\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x * y) &= (\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2)(x) * y, \forall x, y \in X.
 \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 4.29.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two  $(r, l) - \Delta_s$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2$  is also a  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 4.28.

**Theorem 4.30.** If  $\Delta_1, \Delta_2$  be the two derivations of an  $(BF_1)^e (X, *, e)$ . Then  $\Delta_1 \wedge \Delta_2$  is also a derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining proposition 4.28 and proposition 4.29.

**Theorem 4.31.** If  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  such that and  $e * \Delta(x) = \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$  then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * x) * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (x * y)) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = (\Delta(y) * e) * \Delta(x) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$   
 $\therefore (e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.32.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(z) = e * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $y, z \in X$ . Then  $\forall x, y, z \in X, ((\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * ((\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))))$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $((\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z)) = ((\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y))) = ((\Delta \circ \Delta) \circ \Delta)((x * y) * (e * y)) = ((\Delta \circ \Delta) \circ \Delta)(x * e) = ((\Delta \circ \Delta) \circ \Delta)(x * ((e * y) * (e * y))) = \Delta(\Delta(x) * ((e * \Delta(y)) * (e * y))) = \Delta(\Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * y))) = \Delta(x) * ((\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))))$   
 $\therefore ((\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z)) = \Delta(x) * ((\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.33.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * x) * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (e * (e * x))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(y * x) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$  (i)  
 $= \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$

From (i),  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (x * y)) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$  (ii)

From relations (i) and (ii),  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.34.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (e * x)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x))$ .  
 $\therefore \Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.35.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$  if and only if  $\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Suppose that  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)), \forall x, y \in X$  holds good. Consider,  $\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = e * ((e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)) = (e * (e * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(x))) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x))$ .

$\therefore \Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y \in X$ . Conversely, suppose that  $\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y \in X$  holds good.

Consider,  $(e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * (e * \Delta(x))) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$

$\therefore (e * \Delta(x)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.36.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $(X, *, e)$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  then,  $x * (e * y) = y * (e * x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

Consider,  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * x) * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * x) * (e * (e * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * y) * (e * (e * x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * y) * x) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$

$\therefore (e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Proposition 4.37.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * x) * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (y * (e * x))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * y) * (e * (e * x))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)((e * y) * x) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x)$

$\therefore (e * \Delta(x)) * \Delta(y) = (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.38.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y)))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * ((x * y) * (e * y))) = \Delta(x) * ((\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * ((e * \Delta(y))))$

$\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.39.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(z) = e * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * e) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * ((e * y) * (e * y))) = \Delta(x) * ((e * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y))) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y)))$ .

$\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * (e * \Delta(y))), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.40.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * x) * (y * x) = (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = (e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ .

$\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.41.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = e * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (y * x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (e * y)) * (y * x) = (e * (e * \Delta(y))) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ .

Hence,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.42.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * z) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * (e * (e * z))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((e * z) * (e * (x * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((e * z) * (y * x)) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.43.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Let  $(X, *, e)$  is an  $(BF_1)^e$  with  $(G)$ .

Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * z) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (z * (x * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((e * z) * (e * (x * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((e * z) * (y * x)) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (e * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.44.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = e * \Delta(y), \forall y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * y) * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * (e * y)) * (e * (e * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * (e * y)) * y = ((\Delta(x) * (e * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y))$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.45.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y), \forall x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((y * x) * (e * x)) * y = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * (e * y)) * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((x * (x * y)) * y) = (\Delta(x) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))) * \Delta(y) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.46.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $(G)$ . Then for all  $x, y, z \in X, (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * y) * (x * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((y * x) * (e * x)) * y = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((e * x) * (y * x))) * y = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((e * (e * x)) * (e * (y * x))) * y = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(x * (x * y)) * y = (\Delta(x) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))) * \Delta(y) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.47.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) * \Delta(y) = e * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(x) * \Delta(y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x * y) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * (y * x)) = e * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x))$   
Hence,  $\Delta(x) * \Delta(y) = e * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Theorem 4.48.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$  with  $(x * y) * z = x * (z * (e * y))$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * (\Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(z))$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .



**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 4.47.

## 5. RESULTS ON REGULAR AND IDENTITY DERIVATIONS

**Definition 5.1.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . A self map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be a regular derivation of  $X$ , if  $\Delta(e) = e, e \in X$ .

**Definition 5.2.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$ . A self map  $\Delta: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be an identity derivation of  $X$ , if  $\Delta(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proposition 5.3.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) \leq x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta$  is regular  $(l, r) - \Delta$  on  $X$  then  $\Delta(e) = e$  and  $\Delta(x * y) = \Delta(x) * y$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ . Consider,  $e = \Delta(e) = \Delta(x * x) = \Delta(x) * x \Rightarrow \Delta(x) \leq x$ , for all  $x \in X$ . (by definition 3.6).

**Proposition 5.4.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $x \leq \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 5.3.

**Theorem 5.5.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Combining the proofs of proposition 5.3 and proposition 5.4, the theorem can be proved.

**Theorem 5.6.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is identity derivation of  $X$  if and only if  $\Delta$  is regular derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Suppose that  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X \Rightarrow \Delta(x) = x \Rightarrow \Delta(x) * x = e \Rightarrow \Delta(x * x) = e \Rightarrow \Delta(e) = e \Rightarrow \Delta$  is regular derivation of  $X$ . Conversely, suppose that  $\Delta$  is regular derivation of  $X. \Rightarrow e = \Delta(e) = \Delta(x * x) = \Delta(x) * x \Rightarrow \Delta(x) \leq x, \forall x \in X$ . Also,  $e = \Delta(e) = \Delta(x * x) = x * \Delta(x) \Rightarrow x \leq \Delta(x), \forall x \in X$ . Combining the above two inequalities,  $\Delta(x) = x, \forall x \in X$ . Hence,  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proposition 5.7.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) = \Delta(x) \wedge x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(x) = \Delta(x * e) = (\Delta(x) * e) \wedge (x * \Delta(e)) = \Delta(x) \wedge (x * e) = \Delta(x) \wedge x$ .  
 $\therefore \Delta(x) = \Delta(x) \wedge x, \forall x \in X$ .

**Proposition 5.8.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) = x \wedge \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 5.7.

**Theorem 5.9.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(x) = \Delta(x) \wedge x = x \wedge \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Combining proposition 5.7 and proposition 5.8, the theorem can be proved.

**Proposition 5.10.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then (a)  $\Delta(e) = \Delta(x) * x$ , for all  $x \in X$ . (b)  $\Delta$  is an injective mapping of  $X$ .

(c) If there exist  $x \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$  then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

(d) If there exist  $y \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) * y = e$  (or)  $y * \Delta(x) = e$ , for all  $x \in X$  then  $\Delta$  is a constant

derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** (a) Since  $\Delta$  is  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$  then  $\Delta(e) = \Delta(x * x) = \Delta(x) * x, \forall x \in X$ .  
 (b) Let  $x, y \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = \Delta(y)$ . From (a),  $\Delta(x) * x = \Delta(e) = \Delta(y) * y \Rightarrow \Delta(x) * x = \Delta(y) * y \Rightarrow \Delta(x) * x = \Delta(x) * y, \Rightarrow x = y$ . Hence,  $\Delta$  is an injective mapping of  $X$ .  
 (c) Let there exist an element  $x \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = x, \forall x \in X$ . Consider,  $y = x * (x * y), \forall x, y \in X \Rightarrow \Delta(y) = \Delta(x * (x * y)) = \Delta(x) * (x * y) = x * (x * y) = y, \Delta(y) = y, \forall y \in X$ . Hence,  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ . (d) Let there exist an element  $y \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) * y = e, \forall x \in X$ . Consider,  $\Delta(x) * y = e \Rightarrow \Delta(x) * y = y * y$ , using *RCL*,  $\Delta(x) = y, \forall x \in X$ . Hence  $\Delta$  is a constant derivation of  $X$ . Similarly, if  $y * \Delta(x) = e$ , then  $\Delta(x) = y, \forall x \in X$ . Hence,  $\Delta$  is a constant derivation of  $X$ .

**Proposition 5.11.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  
 (a)  $\Delta(e) = x * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$ . (b)  $\Delta$  is an injective mapping of  $X$ .  
 (c) If there exist  $x \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) = x, \forall x \in X$  then  $\Delta$  is an identity mapping.  
 (d) If there exist  $y \in X$  such that  $\Delta(x) * y = e$  (or)  $y * \Delta(x) = e, \forall x \in X$  then  $\Delta$  is a constant mapping of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 5.10.

**Corollary 5.12.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^2(e) = e$ , for any fixed  $e \in X$ .

**Corollary 5.13.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^n(e) = e, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

**Theorem 5.14.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^2(x) = x$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta$  is regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ , then  $\Delta(e) = e$  and  $\Delta(x * y) = x * \Delta(y)$ .

Consider,  $\Delta^2(x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(x) = \Delta(\Delta(x)) = \Delta(\Delta(x * e)) = \Delta(x * \Delta(e)) = \Delta(x * e) = x * \Delta(e) = x * e = x$ . Hence,  $\Delta^2(x) = x, \forall x \in X$ .

**Corollary 5.15.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta^n(x) = x, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proposition 5.16.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $x * (e * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * (e * x), (by E) = \Delta(y * (e * x)) = \Delta(x * (e * y)) = \Delta(x) * (e * y) = y * (e * \Delta(x))$ , taking  $x=e, \Delta(y) = y$ .

Hence,  $\Delta(y) = y, \forall y \in X$ . As the element  $y$  is arbitrary,  $\Delta(x) = x, \forall x \in X$ .

$\therefore \Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proposition 5.17.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(l, r) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of proposition 5.16.

**Theorem 5.18.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation on  $X$ .

**Proof:** The theorem can be proved by combining proposition 5.16 and proposition 5.17.

**Proposition 5.19.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $\Delta$  is regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$  then (i)  $(e * x) * \Delta(y) = (e * y) * \Delta(x)$ ,  $\forall x, y \in X$  and (ii)  $\Delta(e) = e$ . Now let  $y = e$  in (i),

$$\Rightarrow (e * x) * \Delta(e) = (e * e) * \Delta(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow (e * x) * e = e * \Delta(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow e * x = e * \Delta(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow e * (e * x) = e * (e * \Delta(x))$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \Delta(x), \forall x \in X.$$

Hence  $\Delta$  is an identity derivation of  $X$ .

**Proposition 5.20.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then for all  $x, y \in X$ , the following are true.

(i)  $e * \Delta(x) = e * \Delta(y) \Leftrightarrow \Delta(x) = \Delta(y)$

(ii)  $x * \Delta(y) = \Delta(e) = y * \Delta(x) \Leftrightarrow x = y$

(iii)  $e * \Delta(x) = y \Leftrightarrow x = e * \Delta(y)$

(iv)  $y * (y * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x)$ .

**Proof:** (i) Let  $e * \Delta(x) = e * \Delta(y) \Leftrightarrow e * (e * \Delta(x)) = e * (e * \Delta(y)) \Leftrightarrow \Delta(x) = \Delta(y)$

(ii) Let  $x * \Delta(y) = \Delta(e) \Rightarrow x * \Delta(y) = \Delta(x * x) \Rightarrow x * \Delta(y) = x * \Delta(x) \Rightarrow \Delta(y) = \Delta(x) \Rightarrow y = x$ .

Again let  $y * \Delta(x) = \Delta(e) \Rightarrow y * \Delta(x) = \Delta(y * y) \Rightarrow y * \Delta(x) = y * \Delta(y) \Rightarrow \Delta(x) = \Delta(y) \Rightarrow x = y$

Also if  $x = y$ ,  $x * \Delta(y) = x * \Delta(x) = \Delta(x * x) = \Delta(e)$  and  $y * \Delta(x) = y * \Delta(y) = \Delta(y * y) = \Delta(e)$ .

$$\therefore x * \Delta(y) = \Delta(e) = y * \Delta(x) \Leftrightarrow x = y.$$

(iii) Let  $e * \Delta(x) = \Delta(y) \Leftrightarrow e * (e * \Delta(x)) = e * \Delta(y) \Leftrightarrow \Delta(x) = e * \Delta(y)$

(iv) Since  $(X, *, e)$ ,  $e \in X$ , is an  $(BF_1)^e$  then  $y * (y * x) = x$ ,  $\forall x, y \in X$ .

$$\Rightarrow \Delta(y * (y * x)) = \Delta(x) \Rightarrow y * \Delta(y * x) = \Delta(x) \Rightarrow y * (y * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x)$$

$$\therefore y * (y * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X.$$

**Theorem 5.21.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  is identity  $(r, l) - \Delta$  of  $X$ . Then for all  $x, y \in X$ , the following holds good.

(I)  $\Delta(x * x) = e$ , (II)  $\Delta(x * e) = x$ , (BF)  $\Delta(e * (y * x)) = x * y$ , (BG)  $\Delta((x * y) * (e * y)) = x$ ,

(BH)  $\Delta(x * y) = e = \Delta(y * x) \Rightarrow x = y$ , (E)  $\Delta(x * (e * y)) = \Delta(y * (e * x))$ .

**Proof:** Straightforward.

**Theorem 5.22.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(x) * \Delta(z) = e$ , and  $(z * y) * (x * y) = z * x$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then for all  $x, y, z \in X$ ,

$$((\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = e.$$

**Proof:** Consider,  $((\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$

$$= (e * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y))$$

$$= (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((z * y) * (x * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(z * x) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((z * e) * (x * e))$$

$$= (\Delta(z) * \Delta(e)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(e)) = (\Delta(z) * e) * (\Delta(x) * e) = \Delta(z) * \Delta(x)$$

$$= e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) = e * e = e$$

$$\therefore ((\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = e, \forall x, y, z \in X.$$

**Theorem 5.23.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(x) * \Delta(y) = e$  and  $(x * z) * (y * z) = x * y$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $((\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = e$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 5.22.

**Theorem 5.24.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  such that  $(x * z) * (y * z) = x * y$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem. 5.22.

**Theorem 5.25.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((z * x) * (e * (y * z)))$   
 $= (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((y * z) * (e * (z * x))) = ((\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) * (e * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(x))))$   
 $= ((\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) * (e * (e * \Delta(y)))) = ((\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y)) = e * (\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)))$   
 $= e * (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (y * z)) = e * (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(z) = e * (\Delta \circ \Delta)(\Delta(z)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * \Delta(z))$   
 $= e * \Delta(z) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$

$\therefore (\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 5.26.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$  and  $(G)$ . Then  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = e * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(x))$   
 $= (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((z * y) * (z * x))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)((y * z) * (x * z))$   
 $= (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) = (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) * \Delta(y) = e * (\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z))) = e * (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (y * z)) = e * (\Delta \circ \Delta)(\Delta(z)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(e * \Delta(z)) = e * \Delta(z) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$   
 $\therefore (\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 5.27.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  with  $\Delta(z) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) * \Delta(x) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y))$   
 $= (e * (\Delta(x) * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)))) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = (e * \Delta(y)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y))$   
 $= e * ((\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) * (e * \Delta(y))) = e * \Delta(z) = e * (\Delta(x) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$

Hence,  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x), \forall x, y, z \in X$ .

**Theorem 5.28.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$ . Then  $\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (y * x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((y * x) * y))$   
 $= (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((y * x) * (e * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(\Delta(x * e)) = \Delta(x * e) = \Delta(x)$   
 $\therefore \Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Theorem 5.29.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  with  $(z * x) * (z * y) = y * x$ . Then  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 5.22.

**Theorem 5.30.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  Then  $\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Consider,  $\Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(y * (y * x)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((y * x) * y)) = (\Delta \circ \Delta \circ \Delta)(e * ((y * x) * (e * y))) = (\Delta \circ \Delta)(\Delta(x * e)) = \Delta(x * e) = \Delta(x)$ .  
 $\therefore \Delta(y) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(x)) = \Delta(x), \forall x, y \in X$ .

**Theorem 5.31.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  such that  $(x * z) * (y * z) = x * y$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $(\Delta(x) * \Delta(z)) * (\Delta(y) * \Delta(z)) = \Delta(x) * \Delta(y)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Proof is similar to the proof of theorem 5.22.

**Theorem 5.32.** Let  $(X, *, e)$  be an  $(BF_1)^e$  and  $\Delta$  be the regular derivation of  $X$  such that  $(z * x) * (z * y) = y * x$  and  $(\Delta(z) * \Delta(x)) * (\Delta(z) * \Delta(y)) = \Delta(y) * \Delta(x)$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

**Proof:** Similar proof as done in theorem 5.22.

## 6. CONCLUSION

In the present work, the concepts of  $(l, r)$  and  $(r, l)$  - derivations were introduced on  $e$ -commutative  $BF_1$ -algebra and further extended to the concepts of regular and identity derivations. In future work authors introduce the concepts of fuzzy derivations, fuzzy intuitionistic derivations and fuzzy cubic derivations.

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