

## DERIVATIONS ON TM-ALGEBRAS

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### ABSTRACT

In 2010 Tamilarasi and Manimegalai introduced a new class of algebra called TM-algebra. Motivated by the works on derivations on rings and near rings, in this paper we introduced the notion of derivation on TM-algebra.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

It is well known that BCK and BCI-algebras are two classes of algebras of logic. They were introduced by Imai and Iseki [1] and have been extensively investigated by many researchers. BCK/BCI algebras form an algebraic semantic for CA Meredith's logic. They are also the generalizations propositional calculi. It is known that the class of BCK-algebras is a proper sub class of the BCI-algebras. In [5], [6] Q.P.Hu and X. Li introduced a wider class of abstract algebras: BCH-algebras and have shown that the class of BCI- algebras is a proper subclass of the class of BCH-algebras. J. Neggers and H.S. Kim [7] introduced the notion of d-algebras which is another generalization of BCK-algebras. Another algebraic formulation of the propotional calculi is TM-algebra introduced by Tamilarasi and Manimegalai [3].

The notion of derivation on rings is quite old. However it got its significance only after Ponser's work [2] in 1957. After this many researcher started working in this direction.

In [4] the authors introduced the notion of derivations on d-algebras another generalization of BCK-algebras. This notion of derivation is the same as that in ring theory and the usual algebraic theory. Motivated by this, in this paper, we introduce the notion of derivation on a TM-algebra and study some simple but elegant results.

### 2. PRELIMINARIES

**Definition 2.1.** A d-algebra  $(X, *, 0)$  is a non empty set  $X$  with a constant  $0$  and a binary operation  $*$  satisfying the following axioms:

1.  $x * x = 0$
2.  $0 * x = 0$
3.  $x * y = 0$  and  $y * x = 0 \Rightarrow x = y$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Definition 2.2.** A TM-algebra  $(X, *, 0)$  is a non empty set  $X$  with a constant  $0$  and binary operation  $*$  satisfying the following axioms:

$$x * 0 = x$$

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

**Definition 2.3.** Let  $X$  be a d-algebra. A map  $\theta: X \rightarrow X$  is a left-right derivation ((l, r)-derivation) of  $X$  it satisfies the identity  $\theta(x * y) = ((\theta(x) * y) \wedge (x * \theta(y)))$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . If  $\theta$  satisfies the identity  $\theta(x * y) = (x * \theta(y)) \wedge (\theta(x) * y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ , then  $\theta$  is a right-left derivation ((r, l)-derivation) of  $X$ . Moreover if  $\theta$  is both a (l, r)-derivation and (r, l)-derivation then  $\theta$  is a derivation of  $X$ .

### 3. DERIVATIONS ON TM-ALGEBRAS

In this section, we introduce the notion of derivation on a TM-algebra and prove some simple results.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. A self map  $d: X \rightarrow X$  is said to be a (l, r)-derivation on  $X$  if  $d(x * y) = (d(x) * y) \wedge (x * d(y))$ .

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We now present an example of a TM-algebra, in which the notion of derivation can be defined.

**Example 3.2.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra with the following Cayley table.

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

A self map  $d : X \rightarrow X$  be defined by  $d(0) = 1$ ,  $d(1) = 2$ ,  $d(2) = 0$ . Then  $d$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation.

**Remark 3.3.** One can observe that if  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation on  $X$ , then

$$d(x * y) = d(x) * y.$$

**Definition 3.4.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. A self map  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is said to be a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$  if

$$d(x * y) = (x * d(y)) \wedge (d(x) * y).$$

**Remark 3.5.** As in remark 3.3, we observe that if the self map  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ , then

$$d(x * y) = x * d(y).$$

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $d : X \rightarrow X$  be a self map on TM-algebra  $(X, *, 0)$ . The map  $d$  is said to be a derivation on  $X$  if  $d$  is both a  $(l, r)$ -derivation and a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

**Remark 3.7.** From remarks 3.3 and 3.5 we observe that if  $d$  is a derivation on  $X$  then,

$$d(x * y) = d(x) * y = x * d(y).$$

We now present another example of a TM-algebra in which one can define a derivation.

**Example 3.8.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra with the following Cayley table.

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

The self map  $d : X \rightarrow X$  be defined by  $d(0) = 3$ ,  $d(1) = 2$ ,  $d(2) = 1$ ,  $d(3) = 0$  is a derivation.

**Definition 3.9.** Let  $X$  be a TM-algebra. A self map  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is said to be regular if  $d(0) = 0$ .

**Definition 3.10.** If  $X$  is a TM-algebra then we define a partial ordering  $\leq$  such that  $x \leq y$  whenever  $x * y = 0$ .

**Proposition 3.11.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. If  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is a regular  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$  then  $x \leq d(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:**

$$\begin{aligned} d(0) &= 0 \\ d(x * x) &= 0 && (x * x = 0) \\ x * d(x) &= 0 && (\text{By remark 3.5}) \\ \text{Therefore } x &\leq d(x) && (\text{By definition 3.10}) \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 3.12.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Let  $d : X \rightarrow X$  is a derivation.

- 1 If  $x * d(x) = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ , then  $d$  is regular.
- 2 If  $d(x) * x = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ , then  $d$  is regular.

**Proof:**

1. Given  $x * d(x) = 0$  and  $d$  is a derivation.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} d(0) &= d(x * x) \\ &= x * d(x) \quad (\text{By definition 3.4}) \\ &= 0, \text{ thus proving that } d \text{ is regular.} \end{aligned}$$

2. Given  $d(x) * x = 0$  and  $d$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} d(0) &= d(x * x) \\ &= d(x) * x \quad (\text{By remark 3.3}) \\ &= 0, \text{ thus proving that } d \text{ is regular.} \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 3.13.** Let  $d$  be a self map of a TM-algebra  $X$ .

1. If  $d$  is regular  $(l, r)$ -derivation on  $X$ , then  $d(x) = d(x) \wedge x$ .
2. If  $d$  is regular  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ , then  $d(x) = x \wedge d(x)$ .

**Proof:**

1. Given  $d$  is regular. Therefore  $d(0) = 0$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} x &= x * 0 \\ d(x) &= d(x * 0) \\ &= (d(x) * 0) \wedge (x * d(0)) \quad (\text{By definition 3.1}) \\ &= d(x) \wedge (x * 0) \\ &= d(x) \wedge x \end{aligned}$$

2. Given  $d$  is regular  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} d(x) &= d(x * 0) \\ &= (x * d(0)) \wedge (d(x) * 0) \quad (\text{By definition 3.4}) \\ &= (x * 0) \wedge d(x) \\ &= x \wedge d(x) \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 3.14.** Let  $d_1, d_2$  be self maps on a TM-algebra  $X$ . We define  $d_1 \circ d_2$  as follows.

$$(d_1 \circ d_2)(x) = d_1(d_2(x)) \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

**Lemma 3.15.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Let  $d_1, d_2$  be two  $(l, r)$ -derivations on  $X$ . Then  $(d_1 \circ d_2)$  is also a  $(l, r)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

**Proof:** Given  $d_1$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation on  $X$ . Hence  $d_1(x * y) = d_1(x) * y$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

Similarly  $d_2(x * y) = d_2(x) * y$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(d_2(x * y)) \quad (\text{By definition 3.14}) \\ &= d_1(d_2(x) * y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.3}) \\ &= (d_1(d_2(x))) * y \\ &= (d_1 \circ d_2)(x) * y \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $(d_1 \circ d_2)$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

**Lemma 3.16.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Let  $d_1, d_2$  be two  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ , then  $(d_1 \circ d_2)$  is also a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

**Proof:** Given  $d_1$  is a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

$d_1(x * y) = x * d_1(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ . (By remark 3.5)

Similarly  $d_2(x * y) = x * d_2(y)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } (d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(d_2(x * y)) \quad (\text{By definition 3.14}) \\ &= d_1(x * d_2(y)) \quad (\text{By remark 3.5}) \\ &= x * (d_1(d_2(y))) \\ &= x * ((d_1 \circ d_2)(y)) \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(d_1 \circ d_2)$  is a  $(r, l)$ -derivation on  $X$ .

By combining the above two lemmas 3.15 and 3.16, we get the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.17.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra and  $d_1, d_2$  be derivations on  $X$  then  $(d_1 \circ d_2)$  is also a derivation on  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.18.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Let  $d_1, d_2$  be two derivations on  $X$ , then  $(d_1 \circ d_2) = (d_2 \circ d_1)$ .

**Proof:** Since  $d_1, d_2$  be two derivations on  $X$ ,  $d_1, d_2$  are both  $(l, r)$  and  $(r, l)$ -derivations on  $X$ .

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(d_2(x * y)) \\ &= d_1(d_2(x) * y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.3}) \\ &= d_2(x) * d_1(y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.5}) \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} (d_2 \circ d_1)(x * y) &= d_2(d_1(x * y)) \\ &= d_2(x * d_1(y)) \quad (d_1 \text{ is } (r, l)\text{-derivation}) \\ &= d_2(x) * d_1(y) \quad (d_2 \text{ is } (l, r)\text{-derivation}) \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2),  $(d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) = (d_2 \circ d_1)(x * y)$ , thus proving that  $(d_1 \circ d_2) = (d_2 \circ d_1)$ .

**Definition 3.19.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Let  $d_1, d_2$  be two self maps on  $X$ .

We define  $(d_1 * d_2) : X \rightarrow X$  as  $(d_1 * d_2)(x) = d_1(x) * d_2(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Theorem 3.20.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra and  $d_1, d_2$  be two derivations of  $X$ , then  $d_1 * d_2 = d_2 * d_1$ .

**Proof:**

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(d_2(x * y)) \\ &= d_1(d_2(x) * y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.3}) \\ &= d_2(x) * d_1(y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.5}) \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \circ d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(d_2(x * y)) \\ &= d_1(x * d_2(y)) \quad (\text{By remark 3.5}) \\ &= d_1(x) * d_2(y) \quad (\text{By remark 3.3}) \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

$$\text{Combining (1) and (2), we get } d_2(x) * d_1(y) = d_1(x) * d_2(y) \tag{3}$$

Substituting  $y = x$  in (3) we get,

$$d_2(x) * d_1(x) = d_1(x) * d_2(x).$$

$$(d_2 * d_1)(x) = (d_1 * d_2)(x).$$

Since this is true for all elements  $x$  in  $X$ , we conclude that  $d_2 * d_1 = d_1 * d_2$

**Lemma 3.21.** In a TM-algebra both right and left cancellation law hold good.

**Proof:** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra. Assume that  $x * y = x * z$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } y &= x * (x * y) \\ &= x * (x * z) \\ &= z \end{aligned}$$

This proves that the left cancellation law holds in  $X$ .

Assume now that  $y * x = z * x$ .

Consider 
$$\begin{aligned} x * y &= (y * y) * (y * x) \quad (\text{By definition}) \\ &= 0 * (z * x) \\ &= (z * z) * (z * x) \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $x * y = x * z$

Therefore  $y = z$  (By Left Cancellation Law)

Hence the Right Cancellation Law holds in X.

**Theorem 3.22.** Let d be a (l, r)-derivation of TM-algebra X, then

1.  $d(0) = d(x) * x$ .
2. d is 1-1.
3. If d is regular then d is the identity map.
4. If there is an element  $x \in X$  such that  $d(x) = x$ , then d is the identity map.
5. If there is an element  $x \in X$  such that  $d(y) * x = 0$  or  $x * d(y) = 0$  for all  $y \in X$ , then  $d(y) = x$ , (ie) d is a constant map.

**Proof:**

1.  $x * x = 0$ , therefore  $d(0) = d(x * x) = d(x) * x$  (Since d is (l, r)-derivation)
2. Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $d(x) = d(y)$ .

Now  $d(0) = d(x * x) = d(x) * x$  (1)

Again  $d(0) = d(y * y) = d(y) * y = d(x) * y$  (Since  $d(x) = d(y)$ ) (2)

From (1) and (2),  $d(x) * x = d(x) * y$ .

$\Rightarrow x = y$  (By L.C.L)

3. Given d is regular. Therefore  $d(0) = 0$ .

$d(0) = d(x) * x$  (By (1)).  
 $0 = d(x) * x$ .  
 $x * x = d(x) * x$

Applying Right Cancellation Law in a TM-algebra,

we get  $x = d(x)$ , proving that d is the identity map.

4. Let  $x \neq y, x, y \in X$ .

Given that there is an element  $x \in X$  such that  $d(x) = x$  (3)

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} y &= x * (x * y) \\ d(y) &= d(x) * (x * y) && (\text{since d is (l, r)-derivation}) \\ &= x * (x * y) && (\text{using (3)}) \\ &= y \end{aligned}$$

Therefore d is the identity map.

5. Given  $d(y) * x = 0$   
 $d(y) * x = x * x$ .  
 $\Rightarrow d(y) = x$  (By R.C.L)

Again if  $x * d(y) = 0$   
 $x * d(y) = x * x$   
 $\Rightarrow d(y) = x$  (By L.C.L)

Hence  $d(y) = x$ , for all  $y \in X$ .

Therefore d is a constant map.

**Theorem 3.23.** Let  $d$  be a  $(r, l)$ -derivation of TM-algebra  $X$ , then

1.  $d(0) = x * d(x)$ .
2.  $d(x) = d(x) \wedge x$  for all  $x \in X$ .
3.  $d$  is 1-1.
4. If  $d$  is regular then  $d$  is the identity map.
5. If there is an element  $x \in X$  such that  $d(x) = x$ , then  $d$  is the identity map.
6. If there is an element  $x \in X$  such that  $d(y) * x = 0$  or  $x * d(y) = 0$  for all  $y \in X$  then  $d(y) = x$  (ie)  $d$  is a constant map

**Proof:** (1), (3), (4), (5) and (6) are analogous to results (1) to (5) of the above theorem 3.22.

Hence we prove only the property (2).

Now,  $d(x) \wedge x = x * (x * d(x)) = d(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ . (Since  $x * (x * y) = y$ )

**Theorem 3.24.** Let  $X$  be a TM-algebra and  $d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n$  be derivations on  $X$ , then  $d_n(d_{n-1}(d_{n-2}(d_{n-3} \dots (d_2(d_1(x)))))) \leq x$ .

**Proof:**  $d_n(d_{n-1}(d_{n-2}(d_{n-3} \dots (d_2(d_1(x)))))) = d_n(d_{n-1}(d_{n-2}(d_{n-3} \dots (d_2(d_1(x))) \dots )))$   
 $\leq d_{n-1}(d_{n-2}(\dots (d_2(d_1(x))) \dots ))$   
 $\vdots$   
 $\vdots$   
 $\leq d_1(x)$   
 $\leq x$ .

**Definition 3.25.** Let  $L \text{ Der}(X)$  denote the set of all  $(l, r)$ -derivations on  $X$ . Define the binary operation  $\wedge$  on  $L \text{ Der}(X)$  as follows. For  $d_1, d_2 \in L \text{ Der}(X)$ , define  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) = d_1(x) \wedge d_2(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Lemma 3.26.** If  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are  $(l, r)$ -derivations on  $X$ , then  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)$  is also a  $(l, r)$ -derivation.

**Proof:** To Prove:  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x * y) = (d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) * y$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \wedge d_2)(x * y) &= d_1(x * y) \wedge d_2(x * y) \quad [\text{By definition 3.25}] \\ &= (d_1(x) * y) \wedge (d_2(x) * y) \\ &= (d_2(x) * y) * ((d_2(x) * y) * (d_1(x) * y)) \\ &= d_1(x) * y \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) * y &= (d_1(x) \wedge d_2(x)) * y \\ &= (d_2(x) * (d_2(x) * d_1(x))) * y \\ &= d_1(x) * y \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2),  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x * y) = (d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) * y$ .

Therefore  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)$  is a  $(l, r)$ -derivation.

**Lemma 3.27.** The binary composition  $\wedge$  defined on  $L \text{ Der}(X)$  is associative.

**Proof:** Let  $X$  be a TM-algebra.

Let  $d_1, d_2, d_3$  are  $(l, r)$ -derivations.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} ((d_1 \wedge d_2) \wedge d_3)(x * y) &= (d_1 \wedge d_2)(x * y) \wedge d_3(x * y) \\ &= (d_1(x) * y) \wedge (d_3(x) * y) \quad (\text{using lemma 3.26} \} \text{ in (1)}) \\ &= (d_3(x) * y) * ((d_3(x) * y) * (d_1(x) * y)) \\ &= d_1(x) * y \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} (d_1 \wedge (d_2 \wedge d_3))(x * y) &= d_1(x * y) \wedge ((d_2 \wedge d_3)(x * y)) \\ &= (d_1(x) * y) \wedge (d_2(x) * y) \\ &= (d_2(x) * y) * ((d_2(x) * y) * (d_1(x) * y)) \\ &= d_1(x) * y \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Combining (1) and (2) we get,  $(d_1 \wedge d_2) \wedge d_3 = d_1 \wedge (d_2 \wedge d_3)$ .

Combining the above two lemmas we get following theorem.

**Theorem 3.28.** LDer(X) is a semi-group under the binary composition  $\wedge$  defined by  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) = d_1(x) \wedge d_2(x)$  for all  $x \in X$  and  $d_1, d_2 \in \text{LDer}(X)$ .

Analogously we can prove that

**Theorem 3.29.** RDer(X) is a semi-group under the binary operation  $\wedge$  defined by  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) = d_1(x) \wedge d_2(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $d_1, d_2 \in \text{RDer}(X)$ .

Combining the above two theorem, we get the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.30** If Der(X) denotes the set of all derivations on X, it is a semi-group under the binary operation  $\wedge$  defined by  $(d_1 \wedge d_2)(x) = d_1(x) \wedge d_2(x)$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $d_1, d_2 \in \text{Der}(X)$ .

#### 4. 0 COMMUTATIVE

It is to be observed that many of the TM-algebras are not commutative in the sense of commutativity defined for BCI-algebras. However, we observe that 0-commutativity can be defined in a TM-algebra. This section introduces the notion of 0-commutative in a TM-algebra and give some simple properties.

**Definition 4.1.** A TM-algebra  $(X, *, 0)$  is said to be 0-commutative if  $x * (0 * y) = y * (0 * x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Example 4.2.** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a TM-algebra with the Cayley table.

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

$(X, *, 0)$  form the 0-commutative TM-algebra.

**Lemma 4.3.** If  $(X, *, 0)$  is a 0-commutative TM-algebra then

1.  $(0 * x) * (0 * y) = y * x$
2.  $(z * y) * (z * x) = x * y$
3.  $(x * y) * z = (x * z) * y$
4.  $(x * (x * y)) * y = 0$
5.  $(x * z) * (y * t) = (t * y) * (z * x)$  for all  $x, y, z, t \in X$ .
6.  $x * (x * y) = y$

**Proof:** Results 1-4 follows easily. We give the proofs for 5 and 6 only. 5 is true because,

$$\begin{aligned} (x * z) * (y * t) &= (0 * (y * t)) * (0 * (x * z)) \quad [\text{In TM algebra } (y * z) = (0 * y) * (0 * z)] \\ &= ((0 * y) * (0 * t)) * ((0 * x) * (0 * z)) \\ &= (t * (0 * (0 * y))) * (z * (0 * (0 * x))) \quad [\text{By definition 3.22}] \\ &= (t * y) * (z * x) \end{aligned}$$

Similarly 6 follows as  $x * (x * y) = (x * 0) * (x * y) = y * 0 = y$ .

**Theorem 4.4/** Let  $(X, *, 0)$  be a 0-commutative TM-algebra and d be a derivation on X. Then  $d(x) * d(y) = x * y$ .

**Proof:** Since X is 0-commutative, by definition  $x * (0 * y) = y * (0 * x)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} d(x * (0 * y)) &= d(y * (0 * x)) \\ d(x) * (0 * y) &= d(y) * (0 * x) \\ [d(x) * (0 * y)] * y &= [d(y) * (0 * x)] * y \\ (d(x) * y) * (0 * y) &= (d(y) * y) * (0 * x) \quad (\text{since } (x * y) * z = (x * z) * y) \\ &= 0 * (0 * x) \quad (\text{since } d(y) \leq y) \quad \$ \\ &= x \quad (\text{since } x * (x * y) = y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{That is } (d(x) * y) * (0 * y) = x \tag{1}$$

Interchanging x and y in (1) we have

$$(d(y) * x) * (0 * x) = y \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2)

$$\begin{aligned} (x * y) &= ((d(x) * y) * (0 * y)) * ((d(y) * x) * (0 * x)) \\ &= ((y * 0) * (y * d(x))) * ((x * 0) * (x * d(y))) \quad [\text{By lemma 4.3(5)}] \\ &= [y * (y * d(x))] * [x * (x * d(y))] \\ &= d(x) * d(y) \qquad \qquad \qquad (x * (x * y) = y) \end{aligned}$$

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