# Pairs of implications induced by pseudo t-conorms

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#### Abstract

In this paper, we construct pseudo t-norms and pairs of implications induced by pseudo t-norms and pairs of negations. Moreover, we investigate their properties and give examples.

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### 1 Introduction

Georgescu and Popescue [1-4] introduced pseudo t-norms and generalized residuated lattices in a sense as non-commutative property. This concept provides tools for pseudo BL-algebras and pseudo MV-algebras. Kim [7] introduced pairs of (interval) negations and (interval) implications. which are induced by non-commutative property. Let  $(L, \land, \lor, \odot, \rightarrow, \Rightarrow, \top, \bot)$  be a complete generalized residuated lattice with the law of double negation defined as a = $n_1(n_2(a)) = n_2(n_1(a))$  where  $n_1(a) = a \Rightarrow \bot$  and  $n_2(a) = a \rightarrow \bot$  (ref. [1-4,8]). We consider a pair of two implications defined by  $a \Rightarrow b = \bigvee\{c \mid a \odot c \leq b\}$ and  $a \rightarrow b = \bigvee\{c \mid c \odot a \leq b\}$ . Moreover, we consider a pair of two negations defined by  $a \Rightarrow \bot$  and  $a \rightarrow \bot$ .

In this paper, we construct pseudo t-norms and pairs of implications induced by pseudo t-norms and pairs of negations. Moreover, we investigate their properties and give examples.

# 2 Preliminaries

In this paper, we assume that  $(L, \lor, \land, \bot, \top)$  is a bounded lattice with a bottom element  $\bot$  and a top element  $\top$ . Moreover, we define the following definitions in a sense as non-commutative [1-4, 7].

**Definition 2.1** [1,2] A map  $T: L \times L \to L$  is called a *pseudo t-norm* if it satisfies the following conditions:

(T1) T(x, T(y, z)) = T(T(x, y), z) for all  $x, y, z \in L$ , (T2) If  $y \leq z$ ,  $T(x, y) \leq T(x, z)$  and  $T(y, x) \leq T(z, x)$ ,

(T3)  $T(x, \top) = T(\top, x) = x$ .

A pseudo t-norm is called a *t-norm* if T(x, y) = T(y, x) for  $x, y \in L$ A map  $S : L \times L \to L$  is called a *pseudo t-conorm* if it satisfies the following conditions:

(S1) S(x, S(y, z)) = S(S(x, y), z) for all  $x, y, z \in L$ , (S2) If  $y \le z$ ,  $S(x, y) \le S(x, z)$  and  $S(y, x) \le S(z, x)$ , (S3)  $S(x, \bot) = S(\bot, x) = x$ .

A pseudo t-conorm is called a *t-conorm* if S(x, y) = S(y, x) for  $x, y \in L$ .

**Definition 2.2** [7] A pair  $(n_1, n_2)$  with maps  $n_i : L \to L$  is called a *pair of* negations if it satisfies the following conditions:

(N1)  $n_i(\top) = \bot, n_i(\bot) = \top$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

(N2)  $n_i(x) \ge n_i(y)$  for  $x \le y$  and  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

(N3)  $n_1(n_2(x)) = n_2(n_1(x)) = x$  for all  $x \in L$ .

**Definition 2.3** [7] A pair  $(I_1, I_2)$  with maps  $I_1, I_2 : L \times L \to L$  is called a *pair of implications* if it satisfies the following conditions:

(I1)  $I_i(\top, \top) = I_i(\bot, \top) = I_i(\bot, \bot) = \top, I_i(\top, \bot) = \bot$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

(I2) If  $x \le y$ , then  $I_i(x, z) \ge I_i(y, z)$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

(I3)  $I_i(\top, x) = x$  for all  $x \in L$  and  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

A pair  $(I_1, I_2)$  of implications is called a *pair of E-implications* if it satisfies the following exchange properties:

(E)  $I_1(x, I_2(y, z)) = I_2(y, I_1(x, z))$  for all  $x, y, z \in L$ .

A pair  $(I_1, I_2)$  of implications is called a *pair of S-implications* if it satisfies the following strong properties:

(S)  $I_1(I_2(x, \perp), \perp) = I_2(I_1(x, \perp), \perp) = x.$ 

A pair  $(I_1, I_2)$  of implications is called a *pair of SE-implications* if it satisfies conditions (E) and (S).

# 3 Pairs of implications induced by pseudo t-conorms

**Theorem 3.1** Let  $(L, \lor, \land, \top, \bot)$  be a bounded lattice,  $S : L \times L \to L$  be a pseudo t-conorm and  $(n_1, n_2)$  a pair of negations. We define  $S^t, T_{12}, T_{21}, T_{12}^t, T_{21}^t : L \times L \to L$ 

$$S^t(x,y) = S(y,x),$$

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$$T_{12}(x, y) = n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(y)))$$
  

$$T_{21}(x, y) = n_2(S(n_1(x), n_1(y)))$$
  

$$T_k^t(x, y) = T_k(y, x), \ k \in \{12, 21\}$$

The the following properties hold.

(1) 
$$S^t$$
 is a pseudo t-conorms.

(2)  $T_{12}, T_{21}, T_{12}^t, T_{21}^t$  are pseudo t-norms.

(3)  $T_{12} = T_{21} \quad iff \quad T_{12}^t = T_{21}^t \quad iff$ 

$$S(x,y) = n_2 n_2 (S(n_1(n_1(x)), n_1(n_1(x))))$$

(4) If  $n_1 = n_2$ , then  $T_{12} = T_{21}$  and  $T_{12}^t = T_{21}^t$ .

**Proof** (1) (S1)  $S^t(S^t(x, y), z) = S^t(x, S^t(y, z))$  from

$$S^{t}(S^{t}(x,y),z) = S^{t}(S(y,x),z) = S(z,S(y,x)),$$
  
=  $S^{t}(x,S^{t}(y,z)) = S^{t}(x,S(z,y)) = S(S(z,y),x).$ 

(S2)  $S^t(x, \perp) = S(\perp, x) = x$ . Similarly,  $S^t(\perp, x) = S(x, \perp) = x$ . (S3) If  $x \leq z$  and  $y \leq w$ , then

$$S^{t}(x,y) = S(y,x) \le S(w,z) = S^{t}(z,w).$$

Hence  $S^t$  is a pseudo t-conorms.

(2) (T1)  $T_{12}(T_{12}(x,y),z) = T_{12}(x,T_{12}(y,z))$  from

$$T_{12}(T_{12}(x, y), z)$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2T_{12}(x, y)), n_2(z)))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(y))))), n_2(z)))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(y)), n_2(z)))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(x), S(n_2(y), n_2(z)))),$$

$$T_{12}(x, T_{12}(y, z))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(T_{12}(y, z))))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(n_1(S(n_2(y), n_2(z))))))$$

$$= n_1(S(n_2(x), S(n_2(y), n_2(z)))))$$

(T2)  $T_{12}(x, \top) = n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(\top)) = n_1(n_2(x)) = x$  and  $T_{12}(\top, x) = x$ . (T3) If  $x \le z$  and  $y \le w$ , then  $T(x, y) \le T(z, w)$ . Hence  $T_{12}$  is a pseudo t-conorm. Similarly,  $T_{21}, T_{12}^t, T_{21}^t$  are pseudo t-norms. (3)

$$\begin{split} T_{12}(x,y) &= \mathcal{T}_{21}(x,y) \\ \text{iff } n_1(S(n_2(x),n_2(y))) &= n_2(S(n_1(x),n_1(y))) \\ \text{iff } S(n_2(x),n_2(y)) &= n_2(n_2(S(n_1(x),n_1(y)))) \\ \text{iff } S(x,y) &= n_2(n_2(S(n_1(n_1(x)),n_1(n_1(y))))) \\ \text{iff } T_{12}^t(x,y) &= \mathcal{T}_{21}^t(x,y). \end{split}$$

(4) By (3), since  $n_2 \circ n_2 = n_1 \circ n_1 = id_L$ , it is trivial.

**Example 3.2** Put  $L = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (0, 1) \leq (x, y) \leq (2, 3)\}$  where (0, 1) is the bottom element and (2, 3) is the top element where

$$(x_1, y_1) \le (x_2, y_2) \Leftrightarrow y_1 < y_2 \text{ or } y_1 = y_2, x_1 \le x_2.$$

(1) A map  $S: L \times L \to L$  is defined as

$$S((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = (x_2 + x_1 y_2, y_1 y_2) \land (2, 3).$$

(S1)  $S(S((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)), (x_3, y_3)) = S((x_1, y_1), S((x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3)))$  from:

$$S(S((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)), (x_3, y_3))$$
  
=  $S((x_2 + x_1y_2, y_1y_2) \land (2, 3), (x_3, y_3))$   
=  $(x_3 + x_2y_3 + x_1y_2y_3, y_1y_2y_3) \land (2, 3).$   
 $S((x_1, y_1), S((x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3)))$   
=  $S((x_1, y_1), (x_3 + x_2y_3, y_2y_3) \land (2, 3))$   
=  $(x_3 + x_2y_3 + x_1y_2y_3, y_1y_2y_3) \land (2, 3).$ 

(S2) If  $(x_1, y_1) \leq (x_2, y_2)$ , then  $y_1 < y_2$  or  $y_1 = y_2, x_1 \leq x_2$ . Thus

$$S((x_1, y_1), (x_3, y_3)) = (x_3 + x_1y_3, y_1y_3) \land (2, 3)$$
  
$$\leq (x_3 + x_2y_3, y_2y_3) \land (2, 3) = S((x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3)).$$

(S3)

$$S((x_1, y_1), (0, 1)) = (x_1, y_1) = S((0, 1), (x_1, y_1)).$$

Then S is a pseudo t-conorm but not t-conorm because

$$(2,2) = S((-1,2), (3,1)) \neq S((3,1), (-1,2)) = (5,2).$$

(2) We define a pair  $(n_1, n_2)$  as follows

$$n_1(x,y) = (2 - \frac{3x}{y}, \frac{3}{y}), \ n_2(x,y) = (\frac{2-x}{y}, \frac{3}{y}).$$

Then  $(n_1, n_2)$  is a pair of negations from:

$$n_1(n_2(x,y)) = (x,y), \ n_2(n_1(x,y)) = (x,y).$$

(3) By Theorem 3.1(2), we obtain

$$T_{12}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = n_1 S(n_2(x_1, y_1), n_2(x_2, y_2)))$$
  
=  $n_1 S((\frac{2-x_1}{y_1}, \frac{3}{y_1}), (\frac{2-x_2}{y_2}, \frac{3}{y_2})) = n_1(\frac{2-x_2}{y_2} + \frac{3(2-x_1)}{y_1y_2}, \frac{9}{y_1y_2})) \lor (0, 1)$   
=  $(x_1 - \frac{2}{3}y_1 + \frac{1}{3}x_2y_1, \frac{1}{3}y_1y_2) \lor (0, 1),$ 

$$T_{21}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = n_2 S(n_1(x_1, y_1), n_1(x_2, y_2)))$$
  
=  $n_2 S((2 - \frac{3x_1}{y_1}, \frac{3}{y_1}), (2 - \frac{3x_2}{y_2}, \frac{3}{y_2})) = n_2 (2 - \frac{3x_2}{y_2} - (2 - \frac{3x_1}{y_1})\frac{3}{y_2}, \frac{3}{y_1y_2})) \lor (0, 1)$   
=  $(x_1 - \frac{2}{3}y_1 + \frac{1}{3}x_2y_1, \frac{1}{3}y_1y_2) \lor (0, 1).$ 

(4) Since  $n_1(n_1(x,y)) = (3x - 2y + 2, y), \quad n_2(n_2(x,y)) = (\frac{x + 2y - 2}{3}, y)$   $n_2(n_2(T(n_1(n_1(x_1, y_1)), n_1(n_1(x_2, y_2))))))$   $= n_2(n_2(T((3x_1 - 2y_1 + 2, y_1), (3x_2 - 2y_2 + 2, y_2))),$   $= n_2(n_2((\frac{1}{3}(3x_1 - 2y_1 + x_2y_1), \frac{1}{3}y_1y_2))) \lor (0, 1),$   $= (x_1 - \frac{2}{3}y_1 + \frac{1}{3}x_2y_1, \frac{1}{3}y_1y_2) \lor (0, 1)$   $= T((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)).$ 

By Theorem 3.1 (3),  $T_{12} = T_{21}$  and  $T_{12}^t = T_{21}^t$ .

**Theorem 3.3** Let  $(L, \lor, \land, \top, \bot)$  be a bounded lattice,  $S : L \times L \to L$  be a pseudo t-conorm and  $(n_1, n_2)$  a pair of negations. For  $i = \{1, ..., 4\}$ , we define  $I_i : L \times L \to L$  as follows;

$$I_1(x,y) = S(n_1(x),y), \quad I_2(x,y) = S(y,n_2(x)),$$
$$I_3(x,y) = S(y,n_1(x)), \quad I_4(x,y) = S(n_2(x),y).$$

The the following properties hold. (1)  $(I_1, I_2)$  is a pair of SE-implications with

 $I_1(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_1(x,I_1(y,z)),$  $I_2(T_{12}(x,y),z) = I_2(y,I_2(x,z)).$ (2) If  $x \le y$  iff  $I_1(x,y) = \top$  iff  $I_2(x,y) = \top$ , then

 $T_{12}(x,y) \leq z \text{ iff } y \leq I_2(x,z)$ iff  $x \leq I_1(y,z) \text{ iff } T_{21}(x,y) \leq z.$ 

Moreover,  $T_{12}(x, y) = T_{21}(x, y)$ . (3)  $(I_3, I_4)$  is a pair of SE-implications with

 $I_{3}(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_{3}(x,I_{3}(y,z)),$   $I_{4}(T_{12}(x,y),z) = \mathcal{I}_{4}(y,I_{4}(x,z)).$ (4) If  $x \leq y$  iff  $I_{3}(x,y) = \top$  iff  $I_{4}(x,y) = \top$ , then  $T_{12}(x,y) \leq z$  iff  $y \leq I_{4}(x,z)$ 

$$\inf_{1 \ge 2} x \le I_3(y, z) \quad \inf_{1 \ge 2} T_{21}(x, y) \le z$$

Moreover,  $T_{12}(x, y) = T_{21}(x, y)$ .

(5)  $(I_1, I_3)$  is a pair of *E*-implications such that

$$I_1(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_1(x,I_1(y,z)),$$

$$I_3(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_3(x,I_3(y,z)),$$

$$I_1(I_3(x,\bot),\bot) = I_3(I_1(x,\bot),\bot) = n_1n_1(x).$$
(6) If  $x \le y$  iff  $I_1(x,y) = \top$  iff  $I_3(x,y) = \top$ , then

 $T_{21}(x,y) \leq z \text{ iff } x \leq I_1(y,z) \text{ iff } x \leq I_3(y,z).$ (7)  $(I_2, I_4)$  is a pair of E-implications such that

$$I_{2}(T_{12}(x,y),z) = I_{2}(y,I_{2}(x,z)),$$

$$I_{4}(T_{12}(x,y),z) = I_{4}(y,I_{4}(x,z)),$$

$$I_{2}(I_{4}(x,\perp),\perp) = I_{4}(I_{2}(x,\perp),\perp) = n_{2}n_{2}(x).$$
(8) If  $x \leq y$  iff  $I_{2}(x,y) = \top$  iff  $I_{4}(x,y) = \top$ , then

$$T_{12}(x,y) \le z \text{ iff } y \le I_4(x,z) \text{ iff } y \le I_2(x,z).$$

(9)  $(I_1, I_4)$  is a pair of S-implications such that

$$I_1(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_1(x,I_1(y,z)),$$

$$I_4(T_{12}(x,y),z) = I_4(y,I_4(x,z))$$

(10) If  $S(n_1(x), S(n_2(y), z)) = S(n_2(y), S(n_1(x), z))$ , then  $(I_1, I_4)$  is a pair of SE-implications.

(11)  $(I_2, I_3)$  is a pair of S-implications such that

$$I_2(T_{12}(x,y),z) = I_2(y,I_2(x,z)),$$
  
$$I_3(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_3(x,I_3(y,z)).$$

(12) If  $S(S(x, n_1(y)), n_2(z)) = S(S(x, n_2(z)), n_1(y))$ , then  $(I_2, I_3)$  is a pair of SE-implications.

 $\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Proof} \ (1) \ (I1) \ I_i(\top, \top) &= I_i(\bot, \top) = I_i(\bot, \bot) = \top \text{ and } I_i(\top, \bot) = \bot \text{ for } \\ i &= \{1, 2\}. \\ (I2) \ If \ x \leq y, \text{ then } n_i(x) \geq n_i(y). \text{ Hence } I_i(x, z) \geq I_i(y, z) \text{ for } i = \{1, 2\}. \\ (I3) \ I_1(\top, x) &= S(n_1(\top), x) = x \text{ and } I_2(\top, x) = S(x, n_2(\top)) = x. \\ (E) \\ I_1(x, I_2(y, z)) &= S(n_1(x), I_2(y, z))) \\ &= S(n_1(x), S(z, n_2(y))) = S(S(n_1(x), z), n_2(y)) \\ &= S((I_1(x, z)), n_2(y)) = I_2(y, I_1(x, z)). \end{aligned}$ 

(S)  $I_1(x, \perp) = S(n_1(x), \perp) = n_1(x)$  and  $I_2(x, \perp) = S(\perp, n_2(x)) = n_2(x)$ . Moreover,  $I_2(I_1(x, \perp), \perp) = n_2(n_1(x)) = x$  and  $I_1(I_2(x, \perp), \perp) = n_1(n_2(x)) = x$ . Hence  $(I_1, I_2)$  is a pair of *SE*-implications. Moreover, we have

$$I_1(T_{21}(x, y), z) = S(n_1((T_{21}(x, y))), z)$$
  
=  $S(n_1(n_2S(n_1(x), n_1(y))), z)$   
=  $S(S(n_1(x), n_1(y)), z) = S(n_1(x), S(n_1(y), z))$   
=  $S(n_1(x), I_1(y, z)) = I_1(x, I_1(y, z)).$ 

$$I_2(T_{12}(x, y), z) = S(z, n_2(T_{12}(x, y)))$$
  
=  $S(z, n_2(n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(y)))))$   
=  $S(z, S(n_2(x), n_2(y))) = S(S(z, n_2(x)), n_2(y))$   
=  $S(I_2(x, z), n_1(y)) = I_2(y, I_2(x, z)).$ 

(2) Since  $x \leq y$  iff  $I_1(x, y) = \top$  iff  $I_2(x, y) = \top$ , by (1), then

$$I_{2}(T_{12}(x, y), z) = I_{2}(y, I_{2}(x, z)) = \top$$
  
iff  $T_{12}(x, y) \leq z$  iff  $y \leq I_{2}(x, z)$   
iff  $\top = I_{1}(y, I_{2}(x, z)) = I_{2}(x, I_{1}(y, z))$   
iff  $x \leq I_{1}(y, z)$  iff  $\top = I_{1}(x, I_{1}(y, z)) = I_{1}(T_{21}(x, y), z)$   
iff  $T_{21}(x, y) \leq z$ 

Since  $T_{12}(x, y) \le z$  iff  $T_{21}(x, y) \le z$ , then  $T_{12}(x, y) = T_{21}(x, y)$ .

(3) First, we show that  $(I_1, I_2)$  is a pair of *SE*-implications. We only show the conditions (E) and (S) because other cases are easily proved.

$$I_3(x, I_4(y, z)) = S(I_4(y, z)), n_1(x))$$
  
=  $S(S(n_2(y), z), n_1(x)) = S(n_2(y), S(z, n_1(x)))$   
=  $S(n_2(y), I_3(x, z)) = I_4(y, I_3(x, z)).$ 

 $I_3(x, \perp) = S(\perp, n_1(x)) = n_1(x)$  and  $I_4(x, \perp) = S(n_2(x), \perp) = n_2(x)$ . Moreover,  $I_4(I_3(x, \perp), \perp) = n_2(n_1(x)) = x$  and  $I_3(I_4(x, \perp), \perp) = n_1(n_2(x)) = x$ . Second, we have

$$I_{3}(T_{21}(x, y), y) = S(z, n_{1}(T_{21}(x, y)))$$
  
=  $S(x, n_{1}(n_{2}(S(n_{1}(x), n_{1}(y)))))$   
=  $S(z, S(n_{1}(x), n_{1}(y))) = S(S(z, n_{1}(x)), n_{1}(y))$   
=  $S(I_{3}(x, z), n_{1}(y)) = I_{3}(y, I_{3}(x, z)),$ 

$$I_4(I_{12}(x, y), z) = S(n_2((I_{12}(x, y))), z)$$
  
=  $S(n_2(n_1(S(n_2(x), n_2(y)))), z)$   
=  $S(S(n_2(x), n_2(y)), z) = S(n_2(x), S(n_2(y), z))$   
=  $S(n_2(x), I_4(y, z)) = I_4(x, I_4(y, z)).$ 

(4) It is similarly proved as (2).

(5) We only show the condition (E) because other cases are easily proved.

$$I_1(x, I_3(y, z)) = I_1(x, S(z, n_1(y)))$$
  
=  $S(n_1(x), S(z, n_1(y))),$   
 $I_3(y, I_1(x, z)) = I_3(x, S(n_1(y), z))$   
=  $S(S(n_1(x), z), n_1(y))).$ 

By (1) and (3),

$$I_1(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_1(x,I_1(y,z)),$$
  

$$I_3(T_{21}(x,y),z) = I_3(x,I_5(y,z)).$$

(6) It is easily proved from (5) and (2).

(7) We only show the condition (E) because other cases are easily proved.

$$\begin{split} I_2(x, I_4(y, z)) &= I_2(x, S(n_2(y, z))) \\ &= S(S(n_2(y, z)), n_2(x)), \\ I_4(y, I_2(x, z)) &= I_4(y, S(z, n_2(x))) \\ &= S(n_2(y), S(z, n_2(x))). \end{split}$$

(8) It similarly proved as (6).

(9) It easily proved from (1) and (3).

(10) Since  $S(n_1(x), S(n_2(y), z)) = S(n_2(y), S(n_1(x), z))$ , then  $I_1(x, I_4(y, z)) = I_4(y, I_1(x, z))$  from:

$$I_1(x, I_4(y, z)) = I_1(x, S(n_2(y), z)) = S(n_1(x), S(n_2(y), z)), I_4(y, I_1(x, z)) = I_4(y, S(n_1(x), z)) = S(n_2(y), S(n_1(x), z)).$$

(11) It easily proved from (5) and (7).

(12) Since  $S(S(x, n_1(y)), n_2(z)) = S(S(x, n_2(z)), n_1(y))$ , then  $I_2(x, I_3(y, z)) = I_3(y, I_2(x, z))$  from:

$$I_{2}(x, I_{3}(y, z)) = I_{2}(x, S(z, n_{1}(y)))$$
  
=  $S(S(z, n_{1}(y)), n_{2}(x)),$   
 $I_{3}(y, I_{2}(x, z)) = I_{3}(y, S(z, n_{2}(x)))$   
=  $S(S(z, n_{2}(x)), n_{1}(y)).$ 

**Example 3.4** Put  $L = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (0, 1) \leq (x, y) \leq (2, 3)\}$ , S a pseudo t-conorm and  $(n_1, n_2)$  be a pair of negations in Example 3.2. (1)

$$I_1((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = S(n_1(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2))$$
  
=  $S((2 - \frac{3x_1}{y_1}, \frac{3}{y_1}), (x_2, y_2)) = (x_2 + (2 - \frac{3x_1}{y_1})y_2, \frac{3y_2}{y_1}) \land (2, 3).$ 

$$I_{2}((x_{1}, y_{1}), (x_{2}, y_{2})) = S((x_{2}, y_{2}), n_{2}(x_{1}, y_{1}))$$
  

$$= S((x_{2}, y_{2}), (\frac{2-x_{1}}{y_{1}}, \frac{3}{y_{1}})) = (\frac{2-x_{1}+3x_{2}}{y_{1}}, \frac{3y_{2}}{y_{1}}) \land (2, 3).$$
  

$$I_{3}((x_{1}, y_{1}), (x_{2}, y_{2})) = S((x_{2}, y_{2}), n_{1}(x_{1}, y_{1}))$$
  

$$= S((x_{2}, y_{2}), (2 - \frac{3x_{1}}{y_{1}}, \frac{3}{y_{1}})) = (2 + \frac{3(x_{2}-x_{1})}{y_{1}}, \frac{3y_{2}}{y_{1}}) \land (2, 3).$$
  

$$I_{4}((x_{1}, y_{1}), (x_{2}, y_{2})) = S(n_{2}(x_{1}, y_{1}), (x_{2}, y_{2}))$$
  

$$= S((\frac{2-x_{1}}{y_{1}}, \frac{3}{y_{1}}), (x_{2}, y_{2})) = (x_{2} + (\frac{2-x_{1}}{y_{1}})y_{2}, \frac{3y_{2}}{y_{1}}) \land (2, 3).$$

(2) The converse of Theorem 3.3(2) is not true for which  $T_{12} = T_{21}$ , but

$$I_1((\frac{1}{3},2),(0,2)) = (2,3) \operatorname{but}(\frac{1}{3},2) \not\leq (0,2),$$
$$I_2((2,2),(\frac{4}{3},2)) = (2,3) \operatorname{but}(2,2) \not\leq (\frac{4}{3},2).$$

(3) Since

$$\begin{split} &I_3((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = (2, 3) \\ &\text{iff } (2 + \frac{3(x_2 - x_1)}{y_1}, \frac{3y_2}{y_1}) \geq (2, 3) \\ &\text{iff } \frac{3y_2}{y_1} > 3 \text{ or } \frac{3y_2}{y_1} = 3, 2 + \frac{3(x_2 - x_1)}{y_1} \geq 2 \\ &\text{iff } y_1 < y_2 \text{ or } y_1 = y_2, x_1 \leq x_2 \\ &\text{iff } (x_1, y_1) \leq (x_2, y_2), \\ &I_4((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = (2, 3) \\ &\text{iff } \frac{3y_2}{y_1} > 3 \text{ or } \frac{3y_2}{y_1} = 3, x_2 + (\frac{2 - x_1}{y_1})y_2 \geq 2 \\ &\text{iff } \frac{3y_2}{y_1} < y_2 \text{ or } y_1 = y_2, x_1 \leq x_2 \\ &\text{iff } y_1 < y_2 \text{ or } y_1 = y_2, x_1 \leq x_2 \\ &\text{iff } (x_1, y_1) \leq (x_2, y_2), \end{split}$$

by Theorem 3.3(6), we have

$$T_{12}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) \le (x_3, y_3)$$
  
iff  $(x_2, y_2) \le I_4((x_1, y_1), (x_3, y_3))$   
iff  $(x_1, y_1) \le I_3((x_2, y_2), (x_3, y_3))$   
iff  $T_{21}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) \le (x_3, y_3)$ .

Moreover,  $T_{12}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)) = T_{21}((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)).$ (4)  $(I_1, I_3)$  is not a pair of S-implications from:

$$I_1(I_3((2,2),(0,1)),(0,1)) = n_1(n_1(2,2))$$
  
= (4,2) =  $I_3(I_1((2,2),(0,1)),(0,1)) \neq (2,2).$ 

(5)  $(I_2, I_4)$  is not a pair of S-implications from:

$$I_2(I_4((2,2),(0,1)),(0,1)) = n_2(n_2(2,2)) = (\frac{4}{3},2) = I_4(I_2((2,2),(0,1)),(0,1)) \neq (2,2).$$

(6)  $(I_1, I_4)$  is not a pair of *E*-implications from:

$$I_1((-1,\frac{3}{2}), I_4((3,1), (1,1))) = S(n_1(-1,\frac{3}{2}), S(n_2(3,1), (1,1)))$$
  
=  $S((4,2), S((\frac{2}{3},1), (1,1))) = (\frac{17}{3}, 2),$ 

$$I_4((3,1), I_1((-1,\frac{3}{2}), (1,1))) = S(n_2((3,1), S(n_1(-1,\frac{3}{2}), (1,1))) = S((\frac{2}{3}, 1), S((4,2), (1,1))) = (\frac{19}{3}, 2).$$

(7)  $(I_2, I_3)$  is not a pair of *E*-implications from:

 $I_2((0,3), I_3((-1,\frac{3}{2}), (1,1))) = S(S((1,1), n_1(-1,\frac{3}{2})), n_2(0,3))$ =  $S(S((1,1), (4,2)), (\frac{2}{3}, 1)) = (\frac{20}{3}, 2),$ 

$$I_3((-1,\frac{3}{2}), I_2((0,3), (1,1))) = S(S((1,1), n_2(0,3)), n_1(-1,\frac{3}{2}))$$
  
=  $S(S((1,1), (\frac{2}{3}, 1)), (4,2)) = (\frac{22}{3}, 2).$ 

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