



## **PAIRS OF INTERVAL NEGATIONS AND INTERVAL IMPLICATIONS**

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we investigate the properties of pairs of interval negations and interval implications on a bounded lattice. In particular, we study the relations between pairs of negations and implications and pairs of interval negations and interval implications.

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### **1. Introduction**

Bedregal and Takahashi [4] introduced interval fuzzy connectives as an extension for fuzzy connectives. This concept provides tools for approximate reasoning and decision making with a frame work to deal with uncertainty and incompleteness of information [1-3]. Georgescu and Popescue [5-7] introduced pseudo t-norms and generalized residuated lattices in a sense as non-commutative property. Generally, it induces two implications and two negations.

In this paper, we investigate the properties of pairs of interval negations and interval implications on a bounded lattice. For examples, 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  $a \Rightarrow 0$  and  $a \rightarrow 0$ . In particular, we study the relations between pairs of negations and implications and pairs of interval negations and interval implications.

## 2. Preliminaries

In this paper, we assume that  $(L, \vee, \wedge, \perp, \top)$  is a bounded lattice with a bottom element  $\perp$  and a top element  $\top$ . Moreover, we define the following definitions in a sense as non-commutative [5-7] and interval property [1-4].

**Definition 1.** A pair  $(n_1, n_2)$  with maps  $n_i : L \rightarrow L$  is called a *pair of negations* if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (N1)  $n_i(\top) = \perp, n_i(\perp) = \top$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (N2)  $n_i(x) \geq n_i(y)$  for  $x \leq y$  and  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (N3)  $n_1(n_2(x)) = n_2(n_1(x)) = x$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.** A pair  $(I_1, I_2)$  with maps  $I_1, I_2 : L \times L \rightarrow L$  is called a *pair of implications* if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (I1)  $I_i(\top, \top) = I_i(\perp, \top) = I_i(\perp, \perp) = \top, I_i(\top, \perp) = \perp$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (I2) If  $x \leq y$ , then  $I_i(x, z) \geq I_i(y, z)$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (I3)  $I_i(\top, x) = x$  for all  $x \in L$  and  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (I4)  $I_1(x, I_2(y, z)) = I_2(y, I_1(x, z))$  for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .
- (I5)  $I_1(I_2(x, \perp), \perp) = I_2(I_1(x, \perp), \perp) = x$ .

**Remark 3.** Let  $(L, \wedge, \vee, \odot, \rightarrow, \Rightarrow, \top, \perp)$  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  $n_1(x) = x \Rightarrow \perp$  and  $n_2(x) = x \rightarrow \perp$ (ref. [6,7]).

- (1) A pair  $(n_1, n_2)$  is a pair of negations.
- (2) A pair  $(\Rightarrow, \rightarrow)$  is a pair of implications because  $a \rightarrow (b \Rightarrow c) = b \Rightarrow (a \rightarrow c)$ .

Let  $L^{[2]} = \{[x_1, x_2] \mid x_1 \leq x_2, x_1, x_2 \in L\}$  where  $[x_1, x_2] = \{x \in L \mid x_1 \leq x \leq x_2\}$ . We define

$$[x_1, x_2] \leq [y_1, y_2], \text{ iff } x_1 \leq y_1, x_2 \leq y_2$$

$$[x_1, x_2] \subset [y_1, y_2], \text{ iff } y_1 \leq x_1 \leq x_2 \leq y_2$$

$$l([x_1, x_2]) = x_1, r([x_1, x_2]) = x_2.$$

**Definition 4.** A pair  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  with maps  $\mathcal{N}_i : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  is called a *pair of interval negations* if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (IN1)  $\mathcal{N}_i([\top, \top]) = [\perp, \perp]$ ,  $\mathcal{N}_i([\perp, \perp]) = [\top, \top]$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (IN2) If  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2]) \leq \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (IN3) If  $[x_1, x_2] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) \subset \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2])$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (IN4)  $\mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) = \mathcal{N}_2(\mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2])) = [x_1, x_2]$  for all  $[x_1, x_2] \in L^{[2]}$ .

**Definition 5.** A pair  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  with maps  $\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2 : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  is called a *pair of interval implications* if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (II1)  $\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\top, \top]) = \mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\top, \top]) = \mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\perp, \perp]) = [\top, \top]$ ,  $\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\perp, \perp]) = [\perp, \perp]$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (II2) If  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]) \geq \mathcal{I}_i([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2])$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (II3) If  $[x_1, x_2] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]) \subset \mathcal{I}_i([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2])$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (II4)  $\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [x_1, x_2]) = [x_1, x_2]$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .
- (II5)  $\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2])) = \mathcal{I}_2([y_1, y_2], \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]))$  for all  $[x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2] \in L^{[2]}$ .
- (II6)  $\mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp]) = \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp]) = [x_1, x_2]$ .

### 3. Pairs of Interval Negations and Interval Implications

**Theorem 6.** Let  $\mathcal{N}_i : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  be a pair of interval negations. Then we have the following properties.

- (1) Define maps  $\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i, \overline{\mathcal{N}}_i : L \rightarrow L$  as

$$\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x) = l(\mathcal{N}_i([x, x])), \quad \overline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x) = r(\mathcal{N}_i([x, x])).$$

Then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) = [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_1)]$ .

- (2)  $(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2)$  is a pair of negations such that

$$\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1 = \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1, \quad \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2 = \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2.$$

- (3) We define maps  $\mathcal{I}_i : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as

$$\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) = \mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2]) \vee [y_1, y_2],$$

$$\mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) = \mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2]) \vee [y_1, y_2].$$

Then  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  is a pair of interval implications.

*Proof.* (1) Since  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [x_2, x_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2]) \leq \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])$ . So,  $l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2])) \leq l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]))$ . Since  $[x_2, x_2] \subset [x_1, x_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2]) \subset \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])$ . So,  $l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])) \leq l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2]))$ . Hence

$$l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])) = l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2])) = \underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_2).$$

Since  $[x_1, x_2] \geq [x_1, x_1]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1]) \geq \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])$ . So,  $r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1])) \geq r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]))$ . Since  $[x_1, x_1] \subset [x_1, x_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1]) \subset \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])$ . So,  $r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1])) \leq r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]))$ . Hence

$$r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])) = r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1])) = \overline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_1).$$

Moreover, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) &= [l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2])), r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]))] \\ &= [l(\mathcal{N}_i([x_2, x_2])), r(\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_1]))] \\ &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x_1)]. \end{aligned}$$

(2) (N1)  $\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(\perp) = l(\mathcal{N}_i([\perp, \perp])) = l([\top, \top]) = \top$  and  $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_i(\top) = l(\mathcal{N}_i([\top, \top])) = l([\perp, \perp]) = \perp$ .

(N2) If  $x \leq y$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x, x]) \geq \mathcal{N}_i([y, y])$  for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ . Thus  $\underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(x) \geq \underline{\mathcal{N}}_i(y)$ .

(N3) Suppose  $\mathcal{N}_1([x, x]) = [y, z]$  such that  $y < z$ . Then  $\mathcal{N}_2(\mathcal{N}_1([x, x])) = \mathcal{N}_2([y, z]) = [x, x]$ . Since  $[z, z] \subset [y, z]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_2([y, z]) = \mathcal{N}_2([z, z]) = [x, x]$ . Hence  $\mathcal{N}_2$  is not injective. It is a contradiction. Hence  $l(\mathcal{N}_1([x, x])) = r(\mathcal{N}_1([x, x]))$ . Similarly,  $l(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x])) = r(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x]))$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)) &= \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(l\mathcal{N}_2([x, x])) \\ &= l(\mathcal{N}_1([l(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x])), l(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x]))])) \\ &= l(\mathcal{N}_1([l(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x])), r(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x]))])) \\ &= l(\mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x]))) = x. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x, x])) &= \mathcal{N}_1([\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)]) \\ &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(\overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x))] \\ &= [x, x] \end{aligned}$$

So,  $\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(\overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)) = x$ . Thus  $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x) = \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(\overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x))) = \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)$ . Hence  $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x) = \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x)$ . Similarly,  $\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(\overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x)) = x$  and  $\overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x) = \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x)$ . Thus  $(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2)$  is a pair of negations.

(3) (III1)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\perp, \perp]) &= \mathcal{N}_i([\top, \top]) \vee [\perp, \perp] = [\perp, \perp], \\ \mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\top, \top]) &= \mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\perp, \perp]) = [\top, \top] = \mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\top, \top]). \end{aligned}$$

(II2) If  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) \geq \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2])$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]) &= \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) \vee [z_1, z_2] \geq \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2]) \vee [z_1, z_2] \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2]). \end{aligned}$$

(II3) If  $[x_1, x_2] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) \subset \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2])$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]) &= \mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) \vee [z_1, z_2] \subset \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2]) \vee [z_1, z_2] \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2]). \end{aligned}$$

(II4)

$$\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [z_1, z_2]) = \mathcal{N}_i([\top, \top]) \vee [z_1, z_2] = [z_1, z_2].$$

(II5)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2([y_1, y_2], [z_1, z_2])) &= \mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2] \vee \mathcal{N}_2([y_1, y_2]) \vee [z_1, z_2]) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_2([y_1, y_2], \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2])). \end{aligned}$$

(II6)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp]) \\ &= \mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) = [x_1, x_2]. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Example 7.** Put  $L = \{(x, y) \in R^2 \mid (\frac{1}{2}, 1) \leq (x, y) \leq (1, 0)\}$  with a bottom element  $(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  and a top element  $(1, 0)$  where

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

(1) Define  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  is defined  $\mathcal{N}_i : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{x_1})], \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1})]. \end{aligned}$$

(IN1)  $\mathcal{N}_1([(1, 0), (1, 0)]) = [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]$  and  $\mathcal{N}_1([(1, 0), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(1, 0), (1, 0)]$ .

(IN2) If  $[(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \leq [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]$ , then  $(\frac{1}{2x_i}, \frac{1-y_i}{x_i}) \geq (\frac{1}{2z_i}, \frac{1-w_i}{z_i})$  and  $(\frac{1}{2x_i}, 1 - \frac{y_i}{2x_i}) \geq (\frac{1}{2z_i}, 1 - \frac{w_i}{2z_i})$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . Hence  $\mathcal{N}_i([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \leq \mathcal{N}_i([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)])$ .

(IN3) If  $[(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \subset [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]$ , then  $(z_1, w_1) \leq (x_1, y_1) \leq (x_2, y_2) \leq (z_2, w_2)$ . So,

$$(\frac{1}{2z_1}, \frac{1-w_1}{z_1}) \geq (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{x_1}) \geq (\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{x_2}) \geq (\frac{1}{2z_2}, \frac{1-w_2}{z_2}),$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{2z_1}, 1 - \frac{w_1}{2z_1}\right) \geq \left(\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1}\right) \geq \left(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}\right) \geq \left(\frac{1}{2z_2}, 1 - \frac{w_2}{2z_2}\right).$$

Hence  $\mathcal{N}_i([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) \subset \mathcal{N}_i([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)])$ .

(IN4)  $\mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)])) = [(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]$  and

$\mathcal{N}_2(\mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)])) = [(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]$ .

Then  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  is a pair of interval negations.

By Theorem 6(2), we obtain a pair of negations  $(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2)$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= l(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = l\left(\left[\left(\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y}{2x}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y}{2x}\right)\right]\right), \\ \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= r(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = r\left(\left[\left(\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y}{2x}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y}{2x}\right)\right]\right), \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) = \left(\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y}{2x}\right) \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= l(\mathcal{N}_2([(x, y), (x, y)])) = l\left(\left[\left(\frac{1}{2x}, 1 - \frac{y}{2x}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x}, 1 - \frac{y}{2x}\right)\right]\right), \\ \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= r(\mathcal{N}_2([(x, y), (x, y)])) = r\left(\left[\left(\frac{1}{2x}, 1 - \frac{y}{2x}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x}, 1 - \frac{y}{2x}\right)\right]\right), \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) = \left(\frac{1}{2x}, 1 - \frac{y}{2x}\right). \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 6(1),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x_2, y_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x_1, y_1)], \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x_2, y_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x_1, y_1)]. \end{aligned}$$

From Theorem 6(3), we can obtain a pair of interval implications  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  defined as  $\mathcal{I}_i : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) &= \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) \vee [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)] \\ &= \left[\left(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{2x_2}\right) \vee (z_1, w_1), \left(\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{2x_1}\right) \vee (z_2, w_2)\right], \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) &= \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) \vee [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)] \\ &= \left[\left(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}\right) \vee (z_1, w_1), \left(\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1}\right) \vee (z_2, w_2)\right]. \end{aligned}$$

(2) Define  $\mathcal{N}_i : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \left[\left(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2^2}{x_2}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1^2}{x_1}\right)\right], \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \left[\left(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \sqrt{1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}}\right), \left(\frac{1}{2x_1}, \sqrt{1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1}}\right)\right]. \end{aligned}$$

By a similar method as (1),  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  is a pair of interval negations.

By Theorem 6(2), we obtain a pair of negations  $(\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2)$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= l(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = l([\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y^2}{x}], [\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y^2}{x}]), \\ \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= r(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = r([\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y^2}{x}], [\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y^2}{x}]), \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) &= \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x, y) = (\frac{1}{2x}, \frac{1-y^2}{x}) \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= l(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = l([\frac{1}{2x}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y}{2x}}], [\frac{1}{2x}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y}{2x}}]), \\ \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= r(\mathcal{N}_1([(x, y), (x, y)])) = r([\frac{1}{2x}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y}{2x}}], [\frac{1}{2x}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y}{2x}}]), \\ \underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) &= \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x, y) = (\frac{1}{2x}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y}{2x}}). \end{aligned}$$

By Theorem 6(1),

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x_2, y_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_1(x_1, y_1)], \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= [\underline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x_2, y_2), \overline{\mathcal{N}}_2(x_1, y_1)]. \end{aligned}$$

From Theorem 6(3), we can obtain a pair of interval implications  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  defined as  $\mathcal{I}_i : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) &= \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) \vee [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)] \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2^2}{x_2}) \vee (z_1, w_1), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1^2}{x_1}) \vee (z_2, w_2)], \\ \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) &= \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) \vee [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)] \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y_2}{2x_2}}) \vee (z_1, w_1), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \sqrt{1-\frac{y_1}{2x_1}}) \vee (z_2, w_2)]. \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 8.** Let  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  be a pair of interval implications on  $L^{[2]}$ . We define

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x, y) = l(\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y])), \quad \overline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x, y) = r(\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y])).$$

Then we have the following properties:

(1) If  $[y_1, y_2] \leq [z_1, z_2]$ , then

$$\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) \leq \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]).$$

(2) If  $[y_1, y_2] \subset [z_1, z_2]$ , then

$$\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) \subset \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]).$$

(3)  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) = [\underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x_2, y_1), \overline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x_1, y_2)]$ .

(4) If, for each  $x, y \in L$ , there exists  $z \in L$  such that  $\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y]) = [z, z]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , then  $(\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2)$  is a pair of implications such that

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1 = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_1, \quad \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2 = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_2.$$

(5) Define maps  $\mathcal{N}_i : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as

$$\mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2]) = \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]),$$

$$\mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2]) = \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]).$$

Then  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  is a pair of interval negations.

(6)

$$\mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([y_1, y_2]), \mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) = \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]),$$

$$\mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{N}_1([y_1, y_2]), \mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2])) = \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]).$$

*Proof.* (1) If  $[y_1, y_2] \leq [z_1, z_2]$ , then

$$\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) \leq \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]).$$

Since  $\mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_1], [\perp, \perp]) \geq \mathcal{I}_1([z_1, z_1], [\perp, \perp])$  from (II2), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_1], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_1], [\perp, \perp]), \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp])) \\ &\leq \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([z_1, z_1], [\perp, \perp]), \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([z_1, z_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]). \end{aligned}$$

(2) If  $[y_1, y_2] \subset [z_1, z_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{I}_i([y_1, y_2], [\perp, \perp]) \subset \mathcal{I}_i([z_1, z_2], [\perp, \perp])$  from (II3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_1], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_1], [\perp, \perp]), \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp])) \\ &\subset \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([z_1, z_1], [\perp, \perp]), \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([z_1, z_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]). \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) \subset \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [z_1, z_2]).$$

(3) Since  $[x_2, x_2] \subset [x_1, x_2]$  and  $[y_1, y_1] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1]) \subset \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])$ . Hence  $l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) \leq l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1]))$ . On the other hand, since  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [x_2, x_2]$  and  $[y_1, y_1] \leq [y_1, y_2]$ , then

$$\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1]) \leq \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]).$$



Hence  $l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) \geq l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1]))$ . Thus

$$l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) = l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1])).$$

Since  $[x_1, x_1] \subset [x_1, x_2]$  and  $[y_2, y_2] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2]) \subset \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])$ . Hence  $r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) \geq r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2]))$ . On the other hand, since

$$[x_1, x_1] \leq [x_1, x_2] \text{ and } [y_1, y_2] \leq [y_2, y_2],$$

then  $\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) \leq \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2])$ . Hence  $r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) \leq r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2]))$ . Thus

$$r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])) = r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2])).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]) &= [l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2])), r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]))] \\ &= [l(\mathcal{I}_i([x_2, x_2], [y_1, y_1])), r(\mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_1], [y_2, y_2]))] \\ &= [\underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x_2, y_1), \overline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x_1, y_2)]. \end{aligned}$$

(4) For each  $x, y \in L$ , there exists  $z \in L$  such that  $\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y]) = [z, z]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , then  $l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z])) = r(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z]))$  and  $l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z])) = r(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z]))$ . Thus

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1(x, y) = l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [y, y])) = r(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [y, y])) = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_1(x, y),$$

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_2(x, y) = l(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [y, y])) = r(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [y, y])) = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_2(x, y).$$

(II)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(\top, \perp) &= l(\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\perp, \perp])) = l([\perp, \perp]) = \perp, \\ \underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(\perp, \top) &= l(\mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\top, \top])) = l([\top, \top]) = \top, \\ \overline{\mathcal{I}}_i(\perp, \perp) &= l(\mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\perp, \perp])) = l([\top, \top]) = \top, \\ \overline{\mathcal{I}}_i(\top, \top) &= l(\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\top, \top])) = l([\top, \top]) = \top. \end{aligned}$$

(I2) If  $x \leq y$ , then

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(x, z) = l(\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [z, z])) \geq l(\mathcal{I}_i([y, y], [z, z])) = \underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(y, z).$$

(I3)

$$\underline{\mathcal{I}}_i(\top, x) = l(\mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [x, x])) = l([x, x]) = x.$$

(I4) For each  $x, y \in L$ , there exists  $z \in L$  such that  $\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y]) = [z, z]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , then  $l(\mathcal{I}_i([y, y], [z, z])) = r(\mathcal{I}_i([y, y], [z, z]))$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned}
\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1(x, \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2(y, z)) &= \underline{\mathcal{I}}_1(x, l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z]))) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z])), l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z]))])) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z])), r(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z]))])) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], \mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [z, z]))) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], \mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z]))) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z])), r(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z]))])) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_2([y, y], [l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z])), l(\mathcal{I}_1([x, x], [z, z]))])) \\
&= \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2(y, \underline{\mathcal{I}}_1(x, z)).
\end{aligned}$$

(I5)

$$\begin{aligned}
\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1(\underline{\mathcal{I}}_2(x, \perp), \perp) &= l(\mathcal{I}_1([l(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [\perp, \perp])), l(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [\perp, \perp]))], [\perp, \perp])) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_1([l(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [\perp, \perp])), r(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [\perp, \perp]))], [\perp, \perp])) \\
&= l(\mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{I}_2([x, x], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp])) = l([x, x]) = x.
\end{aligned}$$

(5) (IN1)

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{N}_i([\perp, \perp]) &= \mathcal{I}_i([\perp, \perp], [\perp, \perp]) = [\top, \top], \\
\mathcal{N}_i([\top, \top]) &= \mathcal{I}_i([\top, \top], [\perp, \perp]) = [\perp, \perp].
\end{aligned}$$

(IN2) If  $[x_1, x_2] \leq [y_1, y_2]$ , then

$$\mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2]) = \mathcal{I}_1([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]) \geq \mathcal{I}_1([y_1, y_2], [\perp, \perp]) = \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2])$$

for all  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

(IN3) If  $[x_1, x_2] \subset [y_1, y_2]$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{N}_i([x_1, x_2]) &= \mathcal{I}_i([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]) \\
&\subset \mathcal{I}_i([y_1, y_2], [\perp, \perp]) = \mathcal{N}_i([y_1, y_2]).
\end{aligned}$$

(IN4)  $\mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) = \mathcal{N}_2(\mathcal{N}_1([x_1, x_2])) = [x_1, x_2]$  for all  $[x_1, x_2] \in L^{[2]}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{N}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) &= \mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp]), [\perp, \perp]) \\
&= [x_1, x_2].
\end{aligned}$$

(6)

$$\begin{aligned}
&\mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([y_1, y_2]), \mathcal{N}_2([x_1, x_2])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([y_1, y_2]), \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [\perp, \perp])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{N}_2([y_1, y_2]), [\perp, \perp])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], \mathcal{I}_1([\mathcal{I}_2([y_1, y_2]), [\perp, \perp]], [\perp, \perp])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_2([x_1, x_2], [y_1, y_2]).
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Example 9.** Put  $L = \{(x, y) \in R^2 \mid (\frac{1}{2}, 1) \leq (x, y) \leq (1, 0)\}$  with a bottom element  $(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  and a top element  $(1, 0)$  where

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

Let  $L^{[2]} = \{[(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \mid (x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2) \in L\}$ .

(1) Define  $\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2 : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, \frac{w_1 - y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, \frac{w_2 - y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ & \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]. \end{aligned}$$

(III)

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_i([(1, 0), (1, 0)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)], \\ & \mathcal{I}_i([(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(1, 0), (1, 0)], \\ & \mathcal{I}_i([(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)], [(1, 0), (1, 0)]) = [(1, 0), (1, 0)], \\ & \mathcal{I}_i([(1, 0), (1, 0)], [(1, 0), (1, 0)]) = [(1, 0), (1, 0)]. \end{aligned}$$

(II2) If  $[(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \leq [(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)]$ , then  $(x_i, y_i) \leq (a_i, b_i)$  iff  $x_i < a_i$  or  $x_i = a_i, y_i \leq b_i$ . It follows

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, \frac{w_1 - y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, \frac{w_2 - y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ &\geq [(\frac{z_1}{a_2}, \frac{w_1 - b_2}{a_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{a_1}, \frac{w_2 - b_1}{a_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]), \\ & \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ &\geq [(\frac{z_1}{a_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 b_2}{a_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{a_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 b_1}{a_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ &= \mathcal{I}_2([(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]). \end{aligned}$$

(II3) If  $[(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \subset [(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)]$ , then  $(a_1, b_1) \leq (x_1, y_1) \leq (x_2, y_2) \leq (a_2, b_2)$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & (\frac{z_1}{a_2}, \frac{w_1 - b_2}{a_2}) \leq (\frac{z_1}{x_2}, \frac{w_1 - y_2}{x_2}) \leq (\frac{z_1}{x_1}, \frac{w_2 - y_1}{x_1}) \leq (\frac{z_2}{a_2}, \frac{w_2 - b_1}{a_1}) \\ & (\frac{z_1}{a_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 b_2}{a_2}) \leq (\frac{z_1}{x_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 y_2}{x_2}) \leq (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 y_1}{x_1}) \leq (\frac{z_2}{a_2}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 b_1}{a_1}). \end{aligned}$$

It follows

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\
&= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, \frac{w_1-y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, \frac{w_2-y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\
&\subset [(\frac{z_1}{a_2}, \frac{w_1-b_2}{a_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{a_1}, \frac{w_2-b_1}{a_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\
&= \mathcal{I}_1([(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]), \\
&\mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\
&= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\
&\subset [(\frac{z_1}{a_2}, w_1 - \frac{z_1 b_2}{a_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{a_1}, w_2 - \frac{z_2 b_1}{a_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\
&= \mathcal{I}_2([(a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]).
\end{aligned}$$

(II4)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_1([(1, 0), (1, 0)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) = [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)] \\
& \mathcal{I}_2([(1, 0), (1, 0)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) = [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)].
\end{aligned}$$

(II5)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], [(p_1, r_1), (p_2, r_2)])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{p_1}{z_2}, r_1 - \frac{p_1 w_2}{z_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{p_2}{z_1}, r_2 - \frac{p_2 w_1}{z_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= [(\frac{p_1}{x_2 z_2}, \frac{z_2 r_1 - p_1 w_2 - z_2 y_2}{x_2 z_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{p_2}{x_1 z_1}, \frac{z_1 r_2 - p_2 w_1 - z_1 y_1}{x_1 z_1}) \wedge (1, 0)].
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(p_1, r_1), (p_2, r_2)])) \\
&= \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], [(\frac{p_1}{x_2}, \frac{r_1-y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{p_2}{x_1}, \frac{r_2-y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= [(\frac{p_1}{x_2 z_2}, \frac{z_2 r_1 - p_1 w_2 - z_2 y_2}{x_2 z_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{p_2}{x_1 z_1}, \frac{z_1 r_2 - p_2 w_1 - z_1 y_1}{x_1 z_1}) \wedge (1, 0)].
\end{aligned}$$

(II6)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{x_1})] \\
& \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1})],
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \mathcal{I}_2(\mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]), [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)] \\
& \mathcal{I}_1(\mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]), [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) = [(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)].
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  is a pair of interval implications.

Since, for each  $x, y \in L$ , there exists  $z \in L$  such that  $\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y]) = [z, z]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , by Theorem 9 (4),  $(\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2)$  is a pair of interval implications such that

$$\begin{aligned}
\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x, y), (z, w)) &= l(\mathcal{I}_1([(x, y), (x, y)], [(z, w), (z, w)])) \\
&= l([( \frac{z}{x}, \frac{w-y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0), ( \frac{z}{x}, \frac{w-y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= r([( \frac{z}{x}, \frac{w-y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0), ( \frac{z}{x}, \frac{w-y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= ( \frac{z}{x}, \frac{w-y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0) = \underline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x, y), (z, w)), \\
\underline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x, y), (z, w)) &= l([( \frac{z}{x}, w - \frac{z y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0), ( \frac{z}{x}, w - \frac{z y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= r([( \frac{z}{x}, w - \frac{z y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0), ( \frac{z}{x}, w - \frac{z y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\
&= ( \frac{z}{x}, w - \frac{z y}{x} ) \wedge (1, 0) = \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x, y), (z, w)).
\end{aligned}$$

Moreover, by Theorem 9 (3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x_2, y_2), (z_1, w_1), \overline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x_1, y_1), (z_2, w_2)))] \\ & \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [\underline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x_2, y_2), (z_1, w_1), \overline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x_1, y_1), (z_2, w_2)))] \end{aligned}$$

We obtain an pair of interval negations pair  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  such that  $\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2 : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{x_1})] \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1})] \end{aligned}$$

(2) Define  $\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2 : L^{[2]} \times L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, w_1 - 2z_1 + \frac{2z_1 - 2z_1 y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{z_1}, w_2 - 2z_2 + \frac{2z_2 - 2z_2 y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)] \\ & \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)]) \\ &= [(\frac{z_1}{x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2 + 2 - 2w_1}{2x_1}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{z_2}{x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1 + 2 - 2w_2}{2x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], [(p_1, r_1), (p_2, r_2)])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{p_1}{z_2}, 1 - \frac{w_2 + 2 - 2r_1}{2z_2}) \wedge (1, 0), (\frac{p_2}{z_1}, 1 - \frac{w_1 + 2 - 2r_2}{2z_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= [(\frac{p_1}{z_2 w_2}, \frac{2z_2 x_2 - z_2 y_2 - 2z_2 + 2z_2 r_1 - 4p_1 x_1 + 4p_1 - 4p_1 w_2}{2z_2 w_2}) \wedge (1, 0), \\ & \quad (\frac{p_2}{z_1 w_1}, \frac{2z_1 x_1 - z_1 y_1 - 2z_1 + 2z_1 r_2 - 4p_2 x_2 + 4p_2 - 4p_2 w_1}{2z_1 w_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(p_1, r_1), (p_2, r_2)])) \\ &= \mathcal{I}_2([(z_1, w_1), (z_2, w_2)], [(\frac{p_1}{x_2}, r_1 - 2p_1 + \frac{2p_1 - 2p_1 y_2}{x_2}) \wedge (1, 0), \\ & \quad (\frac{p_2}{x_1}, r_2 - 2p_2 + \frac{2p_2 - 2p_2 y_1}{x_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= [(\frac{p_1}{z_2 w_2}, \frac{2z_2 x_2 - z_2 y_2 - 2z_2 + 2z_2 r_1 - 4p_1 x_1 + 4p_1 - 4p_1 w_2}{2z_2 w_2}) \wedge (1, 0), \\ & \quad (\frac{p_2}{z_1 w_1}, \frac{2z_1 x_1 - z_1 y_1 - 2z_1 + 2z_1 r_2 - 4p_2 x_2 + 4p_2 - 4p_2 w_1}{2z_1 w_1}) \wedge (1, 0)]. \end{aligned}$$

By a similar method as in (1),  $(\mathcal{I}_1, \mathcal{I}_2)$  is a pair of interval implications. Since, for each  $x, y \in L$ , there exists  $z \in L$  such that  $\mathcal{I}_i([x, x], [y, y]) = [z, z]$ ,

$i = 1, 2$ , by Theorem 9(4),  $(\underline{\mathcal{I}}_1, \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2)$  is a pair of interval implications such that

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x, y), (z, w)) &= l(\mathcal{I}_1([(x, y), (x, y)], [(z, w), (z, w)])) \\ &= l([\left(\frac{z}{x}, w - 2z + \frac{2z-2zy}{x}\right) \wedge (1, 0), \left(\frac{z}{x}, w - 2z + \frac{2z-2zy}{x}\right) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= r([\left(\frac{z}{x}, w - 2z + \frac{2z-2zy}{x}\right) \wedge (1, 0), \left(\frac{z}{x}, w - 2z + \frac{2z-2zy}{x}\right) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= \left(\frac{z}{x}, w - 2z + \frac{2z-2zy}{x}\right) \wedge (1, 0) \wedge (1, 0) = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_1((x, y), (z, w)), \\ \underline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x, y), (z, w)) &= l([\left(\frac{z}{x}, 1 - \frac{y+2-2w}{2x}\right) \wedge (1, 0), \left(\frac{z}{x}, 1 - \frac{y+2-2w}{2x}\right) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= r([\left(\frac{z}{x}, 1 - \frac{y+2-2w}{2x}\right) \wedge (1, 0), \left(\frac{z}{x}, 1 - \frac{y+2-2w}{2x}\right) \wedge (1, 0)]) \\ &= \left(\frac{z}{x}, 1 - \frac{y+2-2w}{2x}\right) \wedge (1, 0) = \overline{\mathcal{I}}_2((x, y), (z, w)). \end{aligned}$$

We obtain an pair of interval negations pair  $(\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2)$  such that  $\mathcal{N}_1, \mathcal{N}_2 : L^{[2]} \rightarrow L^{[2]}$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \mathcal{I}_1([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, \frac{1-y_2}{x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, \frac{1-y_1}{x_1})] \\ \mathcal{N}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)]) &= \mathcal{I}_2([(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2)], [(\frac{1}{2}, 1), (\frac{1}{2}, 1)]) \\ &= [(\frac{1}{2x_2}, 1 - \frac{y_2}{2x_2}), (\frac{1}{2x_1}, 1 - \frac{y_1}{2x_1})]. \end{aligned}$$

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