

Fuzzy Almost – Open Functions

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Abstract

Let S be a fuzzy subset of a fuzzy topological space X . The fuzzy closure of S and fuzzy interior of S in X are denoted by $Fcl_x(S)$ and $Fint_x(S)$ (briefly $Fcl(s)$ & $Fint(S)$) $Fcl(S)$ and $Fint(S)$ respectively. A fuzzy subset S of X is said to be fuzzy regular open (fuzzy regular closed) if $Fint(Fcl(S)) = S$ (resp. $Fcl(Fint(S)) = S$). A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ to be fuzzy almost open (briefly f.a.o.S) if for each fuzzy regular open set U of X , $f(U)$ is fuzzy open in Y . Where X and Y fuzzy topological spaces.

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ to be fuzzy almost – open (briefly f.a.o.R) if for each fuzzy open set U of X , $f(U) \subset Fint(Fcl(f(U)))$.

2.FUZZY SEMI-OPEN

A fuzzy subset S of a fuzzy topological space X is said to be fuzzy semi – open if there exists a fuzzy open set U of X such that $U \subset S \subset Fcl(U)$. The complement of a fuzzy semi – open set is called Fuzzy semi – closed.

Theorem 2.1:

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S if and only if for each fuzzy semi – closed set F of X , $f(Fint(F)) \subset Fint(f(F))$.

Proof:

Suppose that f is f.a.o.S and let F be a fuzzy semi – closed set of X . Then $Fint(F) = Fint(Fcl(F)) \subset F$ and $f(Fint(Fcl(F)))$ is fuzzy open in Y . Therefore, we have $f(Fint(F)) \subset Fint(f(F))$ conversely, let U be a fuzzy regular open set of X . Then U is fuzzy semi – closed. By hypothesis, we have $f(U) = f(Fint(U)) \subset Fint(f(U))$. Thus $f(U)$ is open in Y and hence f is f.a.o.S.

Theorem 2.2:

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S if and only if for any fuzzy subset S of Y and any fuzzy regular closed set F of X containing $f^{-1}(S)$, there exists a fuzzy closed set G of Y containing S such that $f^{-1}(G) \subset F$.

Proof:

Suppose that f is f.a.o.S. Let $S \subset Y$ and F be a fuzzy regular closed set of X containing $f^{-1}(S)$ put $G = Y - f(X - F)$. Since $f^{-1}(S) \subset F$, we have $S \subset G$. since f is f.a.o.S and F is fuzzy regular closed in X , G is fuzzy closed in Y . It follows from a straightforward calculation that $f^{-1}(G) \subset F$.

Conversely, let U be a fuzzy regular open set of X and put $S = Y - f(U)$. Then $X - U$ is a fuzzy regular closed set containing $f^{-1}(S)$. By hypothesis, there exists a fuzzy closed set G of Y containing S such that $f^{-1}(G) \subset X - U$. Thus, we have $f(U) \subset Y - G$. On the other hand we have, $f(U) = Y - S \supset Y - G$ and hence $f(U) = Y - G$. Consequently, $f(U)$ is open in Y and f is f.a.o.S.

Theorem 2.3:

If a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S and A is fuzzy regular open set of X , then the restriction $f/A: A \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S.

Proof:

Let U be a fuzzy regular open set in the fuzzy subspace A . Since A is fuzzy regular open in X , so is U and hence $f(U)$ is fuzzy open in Y . Therefore f/A is f.a.o.S.

Theorem 2.4:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an f.a.o.S function. If A is a fuzzy open set of X such that $A = f^{-1}(B)$ for some fuzzy subset B of Y , then a function $f_A: A \rightarrow B$ defined by $f_A(x) = f(x)$ all $x \in A$ is f.a.o.S.

Proof:

Let U be a fuzzy regular open set in the fuzzy subspace A . Since A is fuzzy open in X , we have $U = \text{Fint}_A(\text{Fcl}_A(U)) = A \cap \text{Fint}_X(\text{Fcl}_X(U))$. Since f is f.a.o.S, $f(\text{Fint}_X(\text{Fcl}_X(U)))$ is fuzzy open in Y . Therefore $f_A(U) = B \cap f(\text{Fint}_X(\text{Fcl}_X(U)))$ is fuzzy open in the fuzzy subspace B and hence f_A is f.a.o.S.

Theorem 2.5:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a function and $\{V_\alpha / \alpha \in \nabla\}$ a fuzzy open cover of X . If the restriction $f/V_\alpha: V_\alpha \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S for each $\alpha \in \nabla$ then f is f.a.o.S.

Proof:

Let U be a fuzzy regular open set of X . Since V_α is fuzzy open in X , $U \cap V_\alpha$ is fuzzy regular open in the fuzzy subspace V_α for each $\alpha \in \nabla$. Since f/V_α is f.a.o.S, $(f/V_\alpha)(U \cap V_\alpha)$ is fuzzy open in Y and hence $f(U) = \cup\{(f/V_\alpha)(U \cap V_\alpha) / \alpha \in \nabla\}$ is fuzzy open in Y . This shows that f is f.a.o.S.

Corollary 2.6:

Let $\{ V_\alpha / \alpha \in \nabla \}$ be an fuzzy open cover of Y . A fuzzy continuous function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S if and only if $f_\alpha = f / f^{-1}(V_\alpha): f^{-1}(V_\alpha) \rightarrow V_\alpha$ is f.a.o.S for each $\alpha \in \nabla$.

Proof:

This follows from theorem 2.4 and 2.5.

FUZZY PRE – OPEN:

A fuzzy subset S of a fuzzy topological space X is said to be fuzzy pre open if $S \subset \text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(S))$. The complement of a fuzzy preopen set is called fuzzy pre closed

Theorem 3.1:

For a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$, then the following are equivalent:

- (a) f is f.a.o.R.
- (b) For any fuzzy subset S of Y and any fuzzy closed set F of X , containing $f^{-1}(S)$, there exists a fuzzy pre closed set G of Y containing S such that $f^{-1}(G) \subset F$.
- (c) For any fuzzy set B of Y , $f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}(\text{Fint}(B))) \subset \text{Fcl}(f^{-1}(B))$.
- (d) For any fuzzy set A of X , $f(\text{Fint}(A)) \subset \text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(f(A)))$.

Lemma 3.3:

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.R if and only if each fuzzy open set V of Y , $f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}(V)) \subset \text{Fcl}(f^{-1}(V))$.

Theorem 3.4:

If a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.R and B is fuzzy open in Y then $f_A: A \rightarrow B$ is f.a.o.R, where $A = f^{-1}(B)$.

Proof

Let V be an fuzzy open set of the fuzzy subspace B . Since B is fuzzy open in Y , so is V and hence $f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_Y(V)) \subset \text{Fcl}_X(f^{-1}(V))$ by lemma 3.3. Thus we obtain, $f_A^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_B(V)) = f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_Y(V)) \cap A \subset \text{Fcl}_A(f_A^{-1}(V))$. This shows that f_A is f.a.o.R.

Theorem 3.5:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an function and $\{ V_\alpha / \alpha \in \nabla \}$ an fuzzy open cover of Y . If $f_\alpha = f / f^{-1}(V_\alpha): f^{-1}(V_\alpha) \rightarrow V_\alpha$ is f.a.o.R for each $\alpha \in \nabla$ then f is f.a.o.R.

Proof

Let V be an fuzzy open set of Y and put $U_\alpha = f^{-1}(V_\alpha)$ for each $\alpha \in \nabla$. Since $V \cap V_\alpha$ is fuzzy open in the fuzzy subspace V_α , by lemma 3.3 we have $f_\alpha^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_\alpha(V \cap V_\alpha)) \subset \text{Fcl}_\alpha(f_\alpha^{-1}(V \cap V_\alpha))$ for each $\alpha \in \nabla$. Since V_α is fuzzy open in Y for each $\alpha \in \nabla$, we obtain, $f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_Y(V)) = \cup f_\alpha^{-1}(\text{Fcl}_Y(V \cap V_\alpha)) \subset \cup(\text{Fcl}_\alpha(V \cap V_\alpha)) \subset \cup \text{Fcl}_\alpha(f_\alpha^{-1}(V \cap V_\alpha)) \subset \text{Fcl}_X(f^{-1}(V))$. This shows that f is f.a.o.R.

Corollary 3.6:

Let $\{V_\alpha / \alpha \in \nabla\}$ be an fuzzy open cover of Y . A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.R if and only if $f_\alpha: f^{-1}(V_\alpha) \rightarrow V_\alpha$ is f.a.o.R for each $\alpha \in \nabla$

Proof

This follows from Theorem 3.4 and 3.5.

RELATIONS WITH SOME WEAK FORMS OF FUZZY CONTINUITY

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy almost – continuous (f.a.c.S) if for each $x \in X$ and each fuzzy open neighborhood V of $f(x)$, there exists an fuzzy open neighborhood U of X such that $f(U) \subset \text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(V))$ (resp. $f(\text{Fcl}(U)) \subset \text{Fcl}(V)$, $f(U) \subset \text{Fcl}(V)$). It has been fuzzy continuous implies f.a.c.S implies θ -fuzzy continuous implies fuzzy weakly continous. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy almost continuous (f.a.c.H) if for each $x \in X$ and each fuzzy open neighborhood V of $f(x)$, $\text{Fcl}(f^{-1}(V))$ is a neighborhood of x .

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy semi – continuous (f.s.c) if for each fuzzy open set V of Y , $f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy semi – open in X .

Example 4.1:

Let X be the fuzzy set of real numbers and σ the fuzzy topology for X . Let $Y = \{a, b\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, Y\}$. Define a function $f: (X, \sigma) \rightarrow (Y, \tau)$ as follows $f(x) = a$ if x is rational and $f(x) = b$ if x is irrational. Then f is f.a.c.S but not f.s.c.

Theorem 4.2:

If a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S and f.a.c.H then f is f.a.o.R.

Proof

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.c.H if and only if $f(\text{Fcl}(U)) \subset \text{Fcl}(f(U))$ for all fuzzy open set U of X . Let U be an fuzzy open set of X . Then we have $f(\text{Fcl}(U)) \subset \text{Fcl}(f(U))$. Since f is f.a.o.S, $f(\text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(U)))$ is fuzzy open in Y and hence $f(U) \subset f(\text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(U))) \subset \text{Fint}(\text{Fcl}(f(U)))$. This shows that f is f.a.o.R.

Theorem 4.3:

If a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f.a.o.S and f.s.c.S then f is f.a.o.R.

Proof

By using lemma 3.3, we shall show that f is f.a.o.R. Let V be an fuzzy open set of Y . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy semi – open in X and hence, $f^{-1}(V) \subset \text{Fcl}(\text{Fint}(f^{-1}(V)))$. Since f is f.a.o.S and $\text{Fcl}(\text{Fint}(f^{-1}(V)))$ is fuzzy regular closed in X . By theorem 3.2 there exists a fuzzy closed set F of Y containing V such that $f^{-1}(F) \subset \text{Fcl}(\text{Fint}(f^{-1}(V)))$. Therefore we obtain $f^{-1}(\text{Fcl}(V)) \subset \text{Fcl}(f^{-1}(V))$.

Example 4.4:

Shows that an f.a.o.S and f.a.c function is not necessarily f.a.o.R on the other hand, a fuzzy continuous f.a.o.R function is not necessarily f.a.o.S, as the following examples shows.

Example: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Let σ be the discrete fuzzy topology for X and $f: (X, \sigma) \rightarrow (X, \tau)$ be the identity function. Then f is fuzzy continuous and f.a.o.R, but is not f.a.o.S. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is fuzzy weakly continuous then, $Fcl(f^{-1}(V)) \subset f^{-1}(Fcl(V))$ for each fuzzy open set V of Y and that the converse is true if f is f.a.c.H.

Theorem 4.5:

A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is θ – fuzzy continuous (f.a.c.S) if and only if for each open set V of Y $Fcl_{\theta}(f^{-1}(V)) \subset f^{-1}(Fcl(V))$.

Proof

Let $x \in X$ and V be an fuzzy open set containing $f(x)$. Since $Y-Fcl(v)$ is fuzzy open in Y . By hypothesis we have $Fcl_{\theta}(X-f^{-1}(Fcl(V))) \subset f^{-1}(Y-Fint(Fcl(V)))$ and hence $x \in f^{-1}(V) \subset X-Fcl_{\theta}(X-f^{-1}(Fcl(V)))$. Therefore, there exists an fuzzy open set U containing x such that $Fcl(U) \subset f^{-1}(Fcl(v))$. Hence $f(Fcl(U)) \subset Fcl(V)$. This completes the proof.

Corollary 4.6:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an f.a.o.R function. Then f is θ – fuzzy continuous if and only if $Fcl_{\theta}(f^{-1}(V)) \subset f^{-1}(Fcl(V))$ for each fuzzy open set V of Y

Proof

This is a consequence of lemma 3.3 and theorem 4.5.

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