

**FUZZY (r, s) -MINIMAL SEMIOPEN SETS AND
FUZZY (r, s) - M SEMICONTINUOUS MAPPINGS
ON FUZZY (r, s) -MINIMAL SPACES**

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Abstract: We introduce the concept of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set on a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal space. We also introduce the concept of fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous mapping which is a generalization of fuzzy (r, s) - M continuous mapping, and investigate characterization of fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuity.

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1. Introduction

The concept of fuzzy set was introduced by Zadeh [16]. Chang [3] introduced the concept of fuzzy topology in terms of fuzzy sets defined by Zadeh. Kubiak [10]

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and Šostak [15] also introduced the fundamental concept of a fuzzy topological structure. Chattopadhyay et al [4] have redefined the same concept under the name gradation of openness. A general approach to the study of topological type structures on fuzzy power sets was developed in [7]-[11].

As a generalization of fuzzy sets, the concept of intuitionistic fuzzy sets was introduced by Atanassov [2]. By using intuitionistic fuzzy sets, Çoker and his colleagues [5], [6] introduced intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces. In [4], Çoker and Demirci introduced intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces in Šostak's sense as a generalization of smooth fuzzy topological spaces and intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces. Recently, Samanta and Mondal [14], introduced the notion of intuitionistic gradation of openness of fuzzy sets, where to each fuzzy subsets there is a definite grade of openness and there is a grade of non-openness. Thus, the concept of intuitionistic gradation of openness is a generalization of the concept of gradation of openness and the topology of intuitionistic fuzzy sets. In [12], we introduced the concept of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal space which is an extension of the intuitionistic fuzzy topological space in Šostak's sense. We also introduced and studied the concept of fuzzy (r, s) - M continuity. In this paper, we introduce the concepts of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set, fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-interior operator, fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-closure operator and fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous mapping. We also study some basic properties for fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-interior operators and fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-closure operators. Moreover, we investigate characterizations for the fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuity in terms of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-interior operators and fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semi-closure operators.

2. Preliminaries

Let I be the unit interval $[0, 1]$ of the real line. A member μ of I^X is called a fuzzy set of X . For any $\mu \in I^X$, μ^c denotes the complement $1 - \mu$. By $\underline{0}$ and $\underline{1}$ we denote constant maps on X with value 0 and 1, respectively. All other notations are standard notations of fuzzy set theory.

Let X be a nonempty set. An *intuitionistic fuzzy set* A is an ordered pair

$$A = (\mu_A, \gamma_A)$$

where the functions $\mu_A : X \rightarrow I$ and $\gamma_A : X \rightarrow I$ denote the degree of membership and the degree of nonmembership, respectively, and $\mu_A(x) + \gamma_A(x) \leq 1$ for all $x \in X$.

Obviously every fuzzy set μ on X is an intuitionistic fuzzy set of the form $(\mu, \underline{1} - \mu)$.

Throughout this paper, let X be a nonempty set, $I = [0, 1]$ and $I_0 = (0, 1]$ and $I_1 = [0, 1)$. For $\alpha \in I$, $\underline{\alpha}(x) = \alpha$ for all $x \in X$.

Definition 2.1. (see [14]) An intuitionistic gradation of openness (IGO, for short) on X is an ordered pair (τ, τ^*) of functions from I^X to I such that

$$(IGO1) \quad \tau(\lambda) + \tau^*(\lambda) \leq 1, \forall \lambda \in I^X,$$

$$(IGO2) \quad \tau(\underline{0}) = \tau(\underline{1}) = 1, \tau^*(\underline{0}) = \tau^*(\underline{1}) = 0,$$

(IGO3) $\tau(\lambda_1 \wedge \lambda_2) \geq \tau(\lambda_1) \wedge \tau(\lambda_2)$ and $\tau^*(\lambda_1 \wedge \lambda_2) \leq \tau^*(\lambda_1) \vee \tau^*(\lambda_2)$, for each $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in I^X$,

(IGO4) $\tau(\bigvee_{i \in \Delta} \lambda_i) \geq \bigwedge_{i \in \Delta} \tau(\lambda_i)$ and $\tau^*(\bigvee_{i \in \Delta} \lambda_i) \leq \bigvee_{i \in \Delta} \tau^*(\lambda_i)$, for each $\lambda_i \in I^X, i \in \Delta$.

The triplet (X, τ, τ^*) is called an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (IFTS, for short). τ and τ^* may be interpreted as gradation of openness and gradation of nonopenness, respectively.

Definition 2.2. (see [12]) Let X be a nonempty set, $r \in I_0, s \in I_1$ and $r + s \leq 1$. The pair $(\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ of maps $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X is said to have (r, s) -fuzzy minimal structure if the family

$$\mathcal{M}_{r,s} = \{\lambda \in I^X \mid \mathcal{M}(\lambda) \geq r \text{ and } \mathcal{M}^*(\lambda) \leq s\}$$

contains $\underline{0}$ and $\underline{1}$. Then $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ is called (r, s) -fuzzy minimal space (simply, (r, s) -FMS).

Then every member of $\mathcal{M}_{(r,s)}$ is called a *fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set*. A fuzzy set λ is called a *fuzzy (r, s) -minimal closed set* if the complement of λ is a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set.

Definition 2.3. (see [12]) Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS. The (r, s) -fuzzy minimal closure and (r, s) -fuzzy minimal interior of λ , denoted by $\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s)$ and $\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s)$, respectively, are defined as

$$\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \bigwedge \{\mu \in I^X \mid \underline{1} - \mu \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s} \text{ and } \lambda \leq \mu\},$$

$$\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \bigvee \{\mu \in I^X \mid \mu \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s} \text{ and } \lambda \geq \mu\}.$$

Theorem 2.4. (see [12]) Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda, \mu \in I^X$. Then:

$$(1) \quad \mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) \leq \lambda \text{ and if } \lambda \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s} \text{ then } \mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \lambda.$$

$$(2) \quad \mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) \geq \lambda \text{ and if } \underline{1} - \lambda \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s} \text{ then } \mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \lambda.$$

(3) If $\lambda \leq \mu$ then $\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) \leq \mathcal{I}_m(\mu, r, s)$ and $\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) \leq \mathcal{C}_m(\mu, r, s)$.

(4) $\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda \wedge \mu, r, s) = \mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) \wedge \mathcal{I}_m(\mu, r, s)$ and $\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda \vee \mu, r, s) = \mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) \vee \mathcal{C}_m(\mu, r, s)$.

(5) $\mathcal{I}_m(\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s), r, s) = \mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s)$ and $\mathcal{C}_m(\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s), r, s) = \mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s)$.

(6) $\underline{1} - \mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \mathcal{I}_m(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s)$ and $\underline{1} - \mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, r, s) = \mathcal{C}_m(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s)$

Definition 2.5. (see [12]) Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ and $(Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$ be two (r, s) -FMS's. Then $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be (r, s) -fuzzy M -continuous if for every $\mu \in \mathcal{N}_{r,s}$, $f^{-1}(\mu) \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s}$.

Theorem 2.6. (see [12]) Let $f : (X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*) \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$ be a function,

(1) f is (r, s) -fuzzy M -continuous.

(2) $\underline{1} - f^{-1}(\mu) \in \mathcal{M}_{r,s}$, for each $\underline{1} - \mu \in \mathcal{N}_{r,s}$.

(3) $f(\mathcal{C}_m(\lambda, r, s)) \leq \mathcal{C}_m(f(\lambda), r, s)$, for $\lambda \in I^X$.

(4) $\mathcal{C}_m(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s) \leq f^{-1}(\mathcal{C}_m(\mu, r, s))$, for $\mu \in I^Y$.

(5) $f^{-1}(\mathcal{I}_m(\mu, r, s)) \leq \mathcal{I}_m(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s)$, for $\mu \in I^Y$.

Then, (1) \Leftrightarrow (2) \Rightarrow (3) \Leftrightarrow (4) \Leftrightarrow (5).

3. Fuzzy (r, s) -Minimal Semiopen Sets and Fuzzy (r, s) - M Semicontinuity

Definition 3.1. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda \in I^X$. Then a fuzzy set λ is called a *fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set* in X if

$$\lambda \leq mC(mI(\lambda, r, s), r, s).$$

A fuzzy set λ is called a *fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiclosed set* if the complement of λ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal preopen.

Every fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen but the converse may not be true in general.

Example 3.2. Let $X = I$. For $0 < n < 1$, consider the following fuzzy sets

$$\mu_n(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{n} & \text{if } 0 < x \leq n \\ \frac{1-x}{1-n} & \text{if } n < x \leq 1; \end{cases}$$

$$\lambda(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{2} + \frac{3}{4} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Define $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X by

$$\mathcal{M}(\mu) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \max(\{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{M}^*(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 - n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \min(\{1 - \alpha, \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Consider a $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -fuzzy minimal structure $(\mathcal{M}_{\frac{3}{4}}, \mathcal{M}_{\frac{1}{4}}^*)$ as follows

$$\mathcal{M}_{\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}} = \{\mu \in I^X \mid \mathcal{M}(\mu) \geq \frac{3}{4} \text{ and } \mathcal{M}^*(\mu) \leq \frac{1}{4}\}.$$

Then

$$\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \begin{cases} 2x & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x < 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 1, \end{cases}$$

and $\mathcal{C}_m(\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}), \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \underline{1}$.

So λ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen but it is not fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open.

Lemma 3.3. *Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS. Then:*

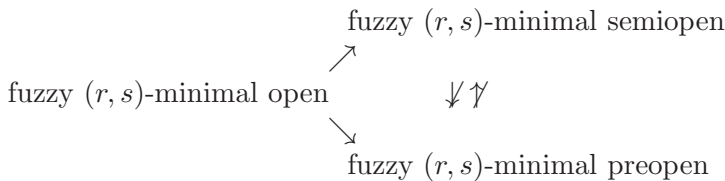
(1) *a fuzzy set λ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiclosed if and only if $mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s) \leq \lambda$.*

(2) $\underline{0}$ and $\underline{1}$ are both fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen.

Remark 3.4. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda \in I^X$. Then a fuzzy set λ is called a *fuzzy (r, s) -minimal preopen set* [13] in X if

$$\lambda \leq mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s).$$

The concepts of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen sets and fuzzy (r, s) -minimal preopen sets are independent in an (r, s) -FMS.



Example 3.5. Let $X = I$. For $0 < n < 1$, consider the following fuzzy sets

$$\mu_n(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{n} & \text{if } 0 < x \leq n \\ \frac{1-x}{1-n} & \text{if } n < x \leq 1; \end{cases}$$

$$\lambda(x) = \begin{cases} x + \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ -x + \frac{3}{2} & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

$$\sigma(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

(1) Define $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X by

$$\mathcal{M}(\mu) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \max(\{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ \frac{7}{8} & \text{if } \mu = \sigma \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{M}^*(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 - n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \min(\{1 - \alpha, \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text{if } \mu = \sigma \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

From $\mathcal{C}_m(\mathcal{I}_m(\lambda, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}), \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \underline{1} - \sigma \geq \lambda$, λ is fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal semiopen but it is not fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal preopen.

(2) Define $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X by

$$\mathcal{M}(\mu) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \max(\{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ \frac{7}{8} & \text{if } \mu = \underline{1} - \lambda \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{M}^*(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 - n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \min(\{1 - \alpha, \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text{if } \mu = \underline{1} - \lambda \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

From $\mathcal{C}_m(\mathcal{I}_m(\sigma, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}), \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \underline{1} - \lambda \geq \sigma$ and $\mathcal{I}_m(\sigma, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \underline{0}$, σ is fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal preopen but it is not fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal semiopen.

Theorem 3.6. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS. Any union of fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen sets is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen.

Proof. Let λ_i be a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set for $i \in J$. Then from $\lambda_i \leq \vee \lambda_i$,

$$\lambda_i \leq mC(mI(\lambda_i, r, s), r, s) \leq mC(mI(\vee \lambda_i, r, s), r, s).$$

This implies $\vee \lambda_i \leq mC(mI(\vee \lambda_i, r, s), r, s)$ and so $\vee \lambda_i$ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen. \square

From the next example, we know the fact that the intersection of two fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen sets is not fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen in general.

Example 3.7. As in Example 3.2, let us consider a fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal structure $(\mathcal{M}_{\frac{3}{4}}, \mathcal{M}_{\frac{1}{4}}^*)$. Consider two fuzzy sets λ and γ defined as the following:

$$\lambda = \mu_{\frac{1}{4}} \quad \gamma = \mu_{\frac{3}{4}}$$

Then obviously λ and γ are fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal semiopen. But since $mI(\lambda \wedge \gamma, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}) = \underline{0}$, $\lambda \wedge \gamma$ can not be fuzzy $(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4})$ -minimal semiopen.

Definition 3.8. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS. For $\lambda \in I^X$, $msC(\lambda, r, s)$ and $msI(\lambda, r, s)$ are defined as the following:

$$msC(\lambda, r, s) = \wedge \{ \gamma \in I^X : \lambda \leq \gamma, \gamma \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiclosed} \}$$

$$msI(\lambda, r, s) = \vee \{ \mu \in I^X : \mu \leq \lambda, \mu \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiopen} \}.$$

Theorem 3.9. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda \in I^X$. Then:

(1) $msI(\lambda, r, s) \leq \lambda$.

(2) If $\lambda \leq \mu$, then $msI(\lambda, r, s) \leq msI(\mu, r, s)$.

(3) λ is (r, s) -minimal semiopen iff $msI(\lambda, r, s) = \lambda$.

(4) $msI(smI(\lambda, r, s), r, s) = msI(\lambda, r, s)$.

(5) $msC(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s) = \underline{1} - msI(\lambda, r, s)$ and $msI(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s) = \underline{1} - msC(\lambda, r, s)$.

Proof. (1), (2), (3) and (4) are obviously obtained from Theorem 3.6.

(5) For $\lambda \in I^X$,

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{1} - msI(\lambda, r, s) &= \underline{1} - \vee \{ \mu \in I^X : \mu \leq \lambda, \\ &\quad \mu \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiopen} \} \\ &= \wedge \{ \underline{1} - \mu : \mu \leq \lambda, \\ &\quad \mu \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiopen} \} \\ &= \wedge \{ \underline{1} - \mu : \underline{1} - \lambda \leq \underline{1} - \mu, \\ &\quad \mu \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiopen} \} \\ &= msC(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s). \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we have $msI(\underline{1} - \lambda, r, s) = \underline{1} - msC(\lambda, r, s)$. □

Theorem 3.10. *Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda \in I^X$. Then:*

- (1) $\lambda \leq msC(\lambda, r, s)$.
- (2) If $\lambda \leq \mu$, then $msC(\lambda, r, s) \leq msC(\mu, r, s)$.
- (3) μ is (r, s) -minimal semiclosed iff $msC(\mu, r, s) = F$.
- (4) $msC(msC(\lambda, r, s), r, s) = msC(\lambda, r, s)$.

Proof. It is similar to the proof of Theorem 3.9. □

Definition 3.11. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ and $(Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$ be (r, s) -FMS's. Then a mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be *fuzzy (r, s) - \mathcal{M} semicontinuous* if for each fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set $\lambda \in I^Y$, $f^{-1}(\lambda)$ is a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set.

Every fuzzy (r, s) - \mathcal{M} continuous mapping is fuzzy (r, s) - \mathcal{M} semicontinuous but the converse is not true in general.

Example 3.12. Let $X = I$. For $0 < n < 1$, consider the following fuzzy sets

$$\mu_n(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x}{n} & \text{if } 0 < x \leq n \\ \frac{1-x}{1-n} & \text{if } n < x \leq 1; \end{cases}$$

$$\sigma(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } \frac{1}{2} < x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Define $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X by

$$\mathcal{M}(\mu) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \max(\{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{M}^*(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 - n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \min(\{1 - \alpha, \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Define $\mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^* : I^X \rightarrow I$ on X by

$$\mathcal{N}(\mu) = \begin{cases} n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \max(\{\alpha, 1 - \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ \frac{7}{8} & \text{if } \mu = \sigma \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{N}^*(\mu) = \begin{cases} 1 - n & \text{if } \mu = \mu_n \\ \min(\{1 - \alpha, \alpha\}) & \text{if } \mu = \underline{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text{if } \mu = \sigma \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Note $\sigma \in \mathcal{N}_{\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}}$, $\sigma \notin \mathcal{M}_{\frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}}$ and σ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen in $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$. Finally we can say the identity mapping $f : (X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*) \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$ is fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous but not fuzzy (r, s) - M continuous.

Theorem 3.13. *Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a mapping on (r, s) -FMS's $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ and $(Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$. Then the following statements are equivalent:*

(1) f is fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous.

(2) $f^{-1}(\gamma)$ is a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiclosed set for each fuzzy (r, s) -minimal closed set $\gamma \in I^Y$.

(3) $f(msC(\lambda, r, s)) \leq mC(f(\lambda), r, s)$ for $\lambda \in I^X$.

(4) $msC(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s) \leq f^{-1}(mC(\mu, r, s))$ for $\mu \in I^Y$.

(5) $f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) \leq msI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s)$ for $\mu \in I^Y$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) It is obvious.

(2) \Rightarrow (3) For $\lambda \in I^X$,

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(mC(f(\lambda), r, s)) &= f^{-1}(\wedge\{\gamma \in I^Y : f(\lambda) \leq \gamma \text{ and} \\ &\quad \gamma \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal closed}\}) \\ &= \wedge\{f^{-1}(\gamma) \in I^X : \lambda \leq f^{-1}(\gamma) \text{ and} \\ &\quad f^{-1}(\gamma) \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiclosed}\} \\ &\geq \wedge\{\mu \in I^X : \lambda \leq \mu \text{ and} \\ &\quad \mu \text{ is fuzzy } (r, s)\text{-minimal semiclosed}\} \\ &= msC(\lambda, r, s) \end{aligned}$$

Hence $f(msC(\lambda, r, s)) \leq mC(f(\lambda), r, s)$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4) For $\mu \in I^Y$,

$$f(msC(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s)) \leq mC(f(f^{-1}(\mu)), r, s) \leq mC(\mu, r, s).$$

Thus we have $msC(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s) \leq f^{-1}(mC(\mu, r, s))$.

(4) \Rightarrow (5) For $\mu \in I^Y$,

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) &= f^{-1}(\underline{1} - mC(\underline{1} - \mu, r, s)) \\ &= \underline{1} - f^{-1}(mC(\underline{1} - \mu, r, s)) \\ &\leq \underline{1} - msC(f^{-1}(\underline{1} - \mu), r, s) \\ &= msI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s). \end{aligned}$$

Hence $f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) \leq msI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s)$.

(5) \Rightarrow (1) Let λ be any fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set. Then from (5), it follows $f^{-1}(\lambda) = f^{-1}(mI(\lambda, r, s)) \leq msI(f^{-1}(\lambda), r, s)$ and $f^{-1}(\lambda) = msI(f^{-1}(\lambda), r, s)$. This implies $f^{-1}(\lambda)$ is a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen set. Hence f is fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous. \square

Theorem 3.14. Let $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ be an (r, s) -FMS and $\lambda \in I^X$. Then:

- (1) $mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s) \leq mI(mC(msC(\lambda, r, s), r, s), r, s) \leq msC(\lambda, r, s)$.
- (2) $msI(\lambda, r, s) \leq mC(mI(msI(\lambda, r, s), r, s), r, s) \leq mC(mI(\lambda, r, s), r, s)$.

Proof. (1) Since $msC(\lambda, r, s)$ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiclosed, it is obtained from Lemma 3.3 and Theorem 3.10.

(2) Obvious. \square

Theorem 3.15. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a mapping on (r, s) -FMS's $(X, \mathcal{M}, \mathcal{M}^*)$ and $(Y, \mathcal{N}, \mathcal{N}^*)$. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) f is fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous.
- (2) $f^{-1}(\mu) \leq mC(mI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s), r, s)$ for each fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set μ in Y .
- (3) $mI(mC(f^{-1}(\gamma), r, s), r, s) \leq f^{-1}(\gamma)$ for each fuzzy (r, s) -minimal closed set γ in Y .
- (4) $f(mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s)) \leq mC(f(\lambda), r, s)$ for $\lambda \in I^X$.
- (5) $mI(mC(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s), r, s) \leq f^{-1}(mC(\mu, r, s))$ for $\mu \in I^Y$.
- (6) $f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) \leq mC(mI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s), r, s)$ for $\mu \in I^Y$.

Proof. (1) \Leftrightarrow (2) It is easily obtained from concepts of fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuity and fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen sets.

(1) \Leftrightarrow (3) Obvious.

(1) \Rightarrow (4) For $\lambda \in I^X$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s) &\leq msC(\lambda, r, s) \leq f^{-1}(f(msC(\lambda, r, s))) \\ &\leq f^{-1}(mC(f(\lambda), r, s)). \end{aligned}$$

So $f(mI(mC(\lambda, r, s), r, s)) \leq mC(f(\lambda), r, s)$.

(4) \Rightarrow (5) Obvious.

(5) \Rightarrow (6) For $\mu \in I^Y$, from hypothesis,

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) &= f^{-1}(\underline{1} - mC(\underline{1} - \mu, r, s)) \\ &= \underline{1} - (f^{-1}(mC(\underline{1} - \mu, r, s))) \\ &\leq \underline{1} - mI(mc(f^{-1}(\underline{1} - \mu), r, s), r, s) \\ &= mC(mI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s), r, s). \end{aligned}$$

So we have (6).

(6) \Rightarrow (1) For $\mu \in I^Y$, let μ be a fuzzy (r, s) -minimal open set. Then since $\mu = mI(\mu, r, s)$, by hypothesis

$$f^{-1}(\mu) = f^{-1}(mI(\mu, r, s)) \leq mC(mI(f^{-1}(\mu), r, s), r, s)$$

and so $f^{-1}(\mu)$ is fuzzy (r, s) -minimal semiopen. Hence f is fuzzy (r, s) - M semicontinuous. \square

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