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ON FUZZY b-I⁺ SETS AND ITS CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we propose the concept of a new class of set defined in simple extended fuzzy ideal topological space as fuzzy b-I⁺-open sets. We also introduce other sets in this fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space. Furthermore we intend to define its continuity as fuzzy b-I⁺-continuity and investigate some of its properties. Also we study these in relation to some other types of sets and functions.

1. INTRODUCTION

In 1963 Levine [11] introduced the concept of simple extension of a topology τ as τ (B) = {(B \cap O) \cup O'/B \notin T}. In general topology, the notion of ideal was introduced by Kuratowski [10], Vaidyanathaswamy [22], [23] and several other authors. Janković & Hamlet [9] have done an extensive study on the importance of ideal in general topology. Further Abd El-Monsef *et al* [2] investigated I- open sets and I-continuous functions. Casksu Guler and Aslim [4] have introduced the concept of bI-sets and bI-continuous functions and further research was done by Metin Akdag [16] on these sets. Nirmala and I. Arockiarani [19] have introduced the concept of bI-open sets in the light of simple extension topology. The fundamental concept of a fuzzy set was introduced by Zadeh [28]. Subsequently, Chang [6] defined the notion of fuzzy topology. An alternative definition of fuzzy topology was given by Lowen [12]. Yalvac [25] introduced the concepts of fuzzy set and function on fuzzy spaces. Malakar [15] introduced the concepts fuzzy semi-irresolute and strongly irresolute functions. Hatir & Jafari [8] and Nasef & Hatir [18] defined fuzzy semi-I-open set and fuzzy pre-I-open set via fuzzy ideal. Mahmoud [13] and Sarkar [21] presented some concepts in the ideal setting to the fuzzy setting and studied its properties. Sarkar [21] introduced the notions of fuzzy local function in fuzzy set theory. Mahmoud [13], [14] investigated on the application of fuzzy b-I-continuous functions.

Here, we introduce the concept of fuzzy b-I-open set and fuzzy b-I-open functions and study their properties in fuzzy simple extended ideal topological spaces.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper, X represents a nonempty fuzzy set and fuzzy subset A of X, denoted by $A \le X$, with a membership function defined in the sense of Zadeh [28].

A subfamily τ of I^X is called a fuzzy topology due to Chang [6]. Moreover, the pair (X,τ) is a fuzzy topological space, on which no separation axioms are assumed unless explicitly stated. The fuzzy closure, the fuzzy interior and the fuzzy complement of any set in A in (X, τ) are denoted by Cl(A), Int(A) and 1_X -A, respectively. A fuzzy set which is a fuzzy point Wong [24] with support $x \in X$ and the value $\lambda \in (0, 1]$ will be denoted by x_{λ} . The value of a fuzzy set A for some $x \in X$ will be denoted by A(x).

Also, for a fuzzy point x_{λ} and a fuzzy set A we shall write $x_{\lambda} \in A$ to mean that $\lambda \leq A(x)$. For any two fuzzy sets A and B in (X, τ) , $A \leq B$ if and only if $A(x) \leq B(x)$ for all $x \in X$. Pao-ming & Ying-ming [20] defined a fuzzy set in (X, τ) to be quasi-coincident with a fuzzy set B, denoted by AqB, if there exists $x \in X$ such that A(x)+B(x)>1. Pao-ming & Ying-Ming [20], Chankraborty & Ahsanullah [5] called a fuzzy set V in (X, τ) to have a q-neigbourhood (q-nbd, for short) of a fuzzy point x_{λ} if and only if there exists a fuzzy open set U such that $x_{\lambda} qU \leq V$. We will denote the set of all q-nbd of x_{λ} in (X, τ) by N (x_{λ}).

q-nbd of x λ in (X, τ) by N $_q$ (x λ).

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Definition 2.1: A fuzzy subset A of a fuzzy topological space (X,τ) is said to be

- (i) fuzzy α -open set [3] if A \leq Int(Cl(Int(A)))
- (ii) fuzzy pre-open set [3] if $A \leq Int(Cl(A))$
- (iii) fuzzy semi-open set [1] if A \leq Cl(Int(A)),
- (iv) fuzzy β -open set [7] if A \leq Cl(Int(Cl(A))).
- (v) fuzzy b-open[27] if $A \leq Cl(Int(A)) \vee Int(Cl(A))$.

A nonempty collection of fuzzy sets I of a set X is called a fuzzy ideal [14], [21] on X if and only if

- (1) $A \in I$ and $B \leq A$, then $B \in I$ (heredity),
- (2) If $A \in I$ and $B \in I$, then $A \lor B \in I$ (finite additivity).

The triple (X, τ , I) means fuzzy ideal topological space with a fuzzy ideal I and fuzzy topology τ . For (X, τ ,I) the fuzzy local function of A \leq X with respect to τ and I is denoted by A ^{*} (τ , I) (briefly A^{*}) [21]. The fuzzy local function A ^{*} (τ , I) of A is the union of all fuzzy points x λ such that if U \in N $_q$ (x λ) and E \in I then there is at least one y \in X for which U(y)+A(y)-1> E(y) [21]. Fuzzy closure operator of a fuzzy set A in (X, τ , I) is defined as Cl ^{*} (A)=AvA ^{*} [21]. In (X, τ , I), the collection τ^* (I) means an extension of fuzzy topological space than τ via fuzzy ideal which is constructed by considering the class β ={U-E:U $\in \tau$,E \in I} as a base [21].

Definition 2.2: A fuzzy subset A of a fuzzy ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is said to be

- (i) fuzzy I-open [17] if $A \leq Int(A^*)$
- (ii) fuzzy α -I-open set [26] if A \leq Int(Cl^{*} (Int(A)))
- (iii) fuzzy pre-I-open set [18] if $A \leq Int(Cl^*(A))$
- (iv) fuzzy semi-I-open set [8] if $A \leq Cl^*$ (Int(A))
- (v) fuzzy β -I-open set [26] if A \leq Cl(Int(Cl ^{*}(A)))).
- (vi) fuzzy b-I-open set [27] if $A \leq Cl^*$ (Int(A)) \vee Int(Cl * (A)).

The family of all fuzzy I-open (resp. fuzzy α -I-open, fuzzy pre-I-open, fuzzy semi-I-open, fuzzy β -I-open) sets is denoted by FIO(X) (resp. F α IO(X), FPIO(X), FSIO(X), F β IO(X)). The complement of a fuzzy I-open set (resp. fuzzy α -I-open set, fuzzy pre-I-open set, fuzzy semi-I-open set, fuzzy β -I-open set, fuzzy b-I-open set) is said to be fuzzy I-closed set (resp. fuzzy α -I-closed set, fuzzy pre-I-closed set, fuzzy semi-I-closed set, fuzzy β -I-closed set, fuzzy β -

For any subset A of X, the interior of A is the same as the interior in usual topology and the closure of A is newly defined as a combination of the local function [30] in ideal topology and simple extension. In SEITS the new local function [30] is defined as $A^{**} = \{x \in X/U \cap A \notin I \text{ for each neighbourhood } U \text{ of } x \text{ in } \tau^+\}$ and $cI^{**}(A) = A \cup A^{**}$. Also $\tau^{**} = \{V/cI^{**}(X \setminus V) = X \setminus V\}$, where $\tau^+ \subseteq \tau^{**}$.

Definition 2.3: A subset A of X in SEITS (X, τ^+, I) is said to be

(1) αI^+ open [19] if $A \subseteq int(cl^{+*}(int(A)))$,

(2) semiI⁺ open [19] if $A \subseteq cl^{+*}(int(A))$,

(3) pre I⁺ open [19] if A \subseteq int(cl^{+*} (A)),

(4) βI^+ open [19] if $A \subseteq cl^{+*}$ (int($cl^{+*}(A)$)),

(5) bI^+ open [19] if $A \subseteq int(cl^{**}(A)) \cup cl^{**}(int(A))$.

The class of all semiI⁺ open (resp. preI⁺-open , αI^+ open) sets in X are denoted by SI⁺O(X, τ^+ ,I) (resp.PI⁺O(X, τ^+ ,I), $\alpha I^+O(X,\tau^+,I)$).

Lemma 2.4: [27]: Let A and B be fuzzy subsets of a fuzzy ideal topological space (X, τ, I) . Then we have (i) If A \leq B, then A^{*} \leq B^{*},

(ii) If $U \in \tau$, then $U \wedge A \leq (U \wedge A)^*$, (iii) A^* is fuzzy closed in (X, τ, I) .

3. FUZZY b-I⁺-OPEN SETS

Definition 3.1: A subset A of a fuzzy topological space (X, τ^+) is said to be

- (i) fuzzy α^+ open if $A \leq Int(Cl^+(int(A)))$.
- (iii) fuzzy pre⁺ open if $A \leq Int(Cl^+(A))$.
- (iv) fuzzy semi⁺ open if $A \leq Cl^+$ (int(A)).
- (iv) b^+ -open if $A \leq Cl^+$ (Int(A)) \vee Int($Cl^+(A)$).
- (v) β^+ -open if A \leq Cl (Int(cl⁺(A)))

The family of all fuzzy α^+ open sets(resp. fuzzy pre⁺ open, fuzzy semi⁺ open, fuzzy b⁺-open, fuzzy β^+ -open) sets in (X, τ^+) is denoted as F $\alpha^+O(X)$ (resp. FP⁺O(X), FS⁺O(X), FB⁺O(X) and F $\beta^+O(X)$).

Definition 3.2: A subset A of a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space (X, τ^+ , I) is said to be

- (i) fuzzy I⁺ open if A \leq int(A^{+*})
- (ii) fuzzy αI^+ open if $A \leq Int(Cl^{+*}(int(A)))$.
- (iii) fuzzy preI⁺ open if $A \leq Int(Cl^{+*}(A))$.
- (iv) fuzzy semiI⁺ open if $A \leq Cl^{+*}$ (int(A)).
- (v) fuzzy b-I⁺-open if A \leq Cl ^{+*} (Int(A))VInt(Cl ^{+*} (A)).
- (vi) fuzzy βI^+ -open if A \leq Cl (Int(cl^{+*} (A)))

The family of all fuzzy I⁺ open sets(resp.fuzzy α I⁺ open , fuzzy preI⁺ open, fuzzy semiI⁺ open, fuzzy b-I⁺-open, fuzzy β I⁺ open) sets in (X, τ^+ , I) is denoted as FI⁺O(X) (resp. F α I⁺O(X), FPI⁺O(X), FSI⁺O(X), FbI⁺O(X) and F β I⁺O(X)).

Theorem 3.3: In a fuzzy simple extended topological space (X, τ^+), the following statements hold:

- a) Every fuzzy open set is fuzzy b⁺-open,
- b) Every fuzzy α^+ -open set is fuzzy b⁺-open,
- c) Every fuzzy semi⁺-open set is fuzzy b⁺-open,
- d) Every fuzzy pre⁺-open set is fuzzy b⁺-open.
- f) Every fuzzy b^+ -open set is fuzzy β^+ -open.

Proof: The proof is obvious.

However the converses need not be true.

Theorem 3.4: In a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space (X, τ^+, I) , the following statements hold:

- (i) Every fuzzy I^+ -open set is fuzzy b- I^+ -open,
- (ii) Every fuzzy open set is fuzzy b-I⁺-open,
- (iii) Every fuzzy α -I⁺-open set is fuzzy b-I⁺-open,
- (iv) Every fuzzy semi- I^+ -open set is fuzzy b- I^+ -open,
- (v) Every fuzzy pre- I^+ -open set is fuzzy b- I^+ -open.
- (vi) Every fuzzy bI^+ -open set is fuzzy b^+ -open.

Proof: The proof is obvious.

However the converses need not be true.

From the above theorems we have the following pictorial representation in FSEITS.

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Definition 3.5: A fuzzy subset A of a FSEITS (X, τ^+ , I) is said to be fuzzy *⁺-perfect if A=A^{+*}.

Theorem 3.6: For a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space (X, τ^+, I) and a fuzzy subset A of X, we have

- a) If I={ 0_X } and A \in FP^+O(X) then A \in FbI^+O(X),
- b) If I=P(X) and $A \in FbI^+O(X)$, then A=Int(A),
- c) If Int(A)= 0 $_X$ and A \in FbI⁺O (X), then A \in FPI⁺ O(X),
- d) If A is fuzzy *⁺-perfect and A \in FbI⁺O(X), then A \in FSI⁺O(X).

Proof:

(a) Let I= {0 $_X$ }, then we know that A^{+ *} =Cl⁺(A). Let A be a fuzzy pre⁺-open set. Therefore, A ≤Int(Cl⁺(A))=Int(A ^{+*}) ≤Int(Cl ^{+*}(A)) ≤Int(Cl ^{+*}(A))∨Cl ^{+*} (Int(A)). Hence A is fuzzy b-I⁺-open.

(b) It is obvious that if I=P(X), then $A^{+*} = 0_X$ and Cl^{+*} (A)=A.

Let A be a fuzzy b-I⁺-open set, then $A \le Cl^{+*} (Int(A)) \lor Int(Cl^{+*}(A))$ $= Int(A) \lor Int(A) = Int(A).$

Hence A is fuzzy open.

(c) and (d) are obvious.

Theorem 3.7: The union of two fuzzy $b-I^+$ open sets are fuzzy $b-I^+$ open, in a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space.

Proof: Consider A and B to be two fuzzy b-I⁺open sets in (X, τ⁺, I),then We have A∨B ≤ [Cl ^{+*} (Int(A))∨Int(Cl ^{+*} (A))]∨[Cl ^{+*} (Int(B))∨Int(Cl ^{+*} (B))] = [Cl ^{+*} (Int(A))∨Cl ^{+*} (Int(B))]∨[Int(Cl ^{+*} (A))∨Int(Cl ^{+*}(B))] ≤ [Cl ^{+*} (Int(A)∨Int(B))]∨[Int(Cl ^{+*} (A)∨Cl ^{+*} (B))] ≤Cl ^{+*} (Int(A∨B))∨Int(Cl ^{+*} (A∨B))

Hence the proof.

Lemma 3.8: Let A and B be fuzzy subsets of a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space (X, τ^+ , I). Then we have

- (i) If $A \leq B$, then $A^{+*} \leq B^{+*}$,
- (ii) If $U \in \tau^+$, then $U \wedge A \leq (U \wedge A)^{+*}$,
- (iii) A^{+*} is fuzzy closed in (X, τ^+ , I).

Theorem 3.9: Let (X, τ^+, I) be a fuzzy ideal topological space and A, B be fuzzy subsets of X. Then the following properties hold:

i) If $U_{\alpha} \in FbI^+O(X)$ for each $\alpha \in \Delta$, then $\vee \{ U_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Delta \} \in FbI^+O(X, \tau^+, I)$,

ii) If $A \in FbI^+O(X)$ and $B \in \tau^+$, then $A \land B \in FbI^+O(X, \tau^+, I)$

iii) If $A \in F\alpha I^+ O(X)$ and $B \in FbI^+O(X)$, then $A \wedge B \in FbI^+O((X, \tau^+, I)$

Proof:

a) Consider U $_{\alpha} \in FbI^+O(X)$, then we have

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U<sub>α</sub> ≤Cl<sup>+*</sup> (Int(U<sub>α</sub>))∨ Int(Cl<sup>+*</sup> (U<sub>α</sub>)) for each α∈Δ. By Lemma 3.8, we obtain
∨U<sub>α</sub> ≤ ∨ [Cl<sup>+*</sup> (Int(U<sub>α</sub>))∨Int(Cl<sup>+*</sup> (U<sub>α</sub>))]
q∈Δ q∈Δ
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= \vee \left[ (\operatorname{Int}(U_{\alpha}) \vee (\operatorname{Int}(U_{\alpha}))^{**}) \vee \operatorname{Cl}^{**} (\operatorname{Int}(U_{\alpha})) \right]
a \in \Delta
\leq \left[ \vee (\operatorname{Int}(U_{\alpha}))^{**} \right] \vee \operatorname{Int}( \vee U_{\alpha}) \vee \operatorname{Int}(\vee (\operatorname{Cl}^{**} (U_{\alpha})))
a \in \Delta \qquad a \in \Delta
\leq (\operatorname{Int}(\vee U_{\alpha}))^{**} \vee \operatorname{Int}(\vee U_{\alpha}) \vee \operatorname{Int}(\operatorname{Cl}^{**} (\vee U_{\alpha}))
a \in \Delta \qquad a \in \Delta
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= \operatorname{Cl}^{+*} (\operatorname{Int}(\nabla U_{\alpha})) \vee \operatorname{Int}(\operatorname{Cl}^{+*}(\nabla U_{\alpha}))a \in \Delta \qquad a \in \Delta
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and hence VU_{\alpha} \in FbI^+O(X).
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b) Let A \in FbI^+O(X) and B \in \tau^+, then
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\begin{aligned} A \wedge B &\leq [Cl^{**} (Int(A)) \vee Int(Cl^{**} (A))]] \wedge B \\ &= [Cl^{**} (Int(A)) \wedge B] \vee [Int(Cl^{**} (A)) \wedge B] \\ &= [(Int(A) \vee ((Int(A))^{**}) \wedge B] \vee [Int(A \vee A^{**}) \wedge B] \\ &= [(Int(A) \wedge B) \vee ((Int(A))^{**} \wedge B)] \vee [Int(A \vee A^{**}) \wedge Int(B)] \leq [(Int(A) \wedge B) \vee (Int(A) \wedge B)^{**}] \vee Int[(A \vee A^{**}) \wedge B] \\ &= [(Int(A) \wedge Int(B)) \vee (Int(A) \wedge Int(B))^{**}] \vee Int[(A \wedge B) \vee (A^{**} \wedge B)] \\ &\leq [Int(A \wedge B) \vee (Int(A \wedge B))^{**}] \vee Int[(A \wedge B) \vee (A \wedge B)^{**}] \\ &= Cl^{**} (Int(A \wedge B)) \vee Int(Cl^{**} (A \wedge B)). \end{aligned}
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Therefore $A \land B \in FbI^+O(X)$.

c) Proof is obvious.

Lemma 3.10: Let (X, τ^+, I) be a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space and A, B be fuzzy subsets of X, such that $B \leq A$. Then $B^{+*}(\tau^+|A, I|A) = B^{+*}(\tau^+, I) \land A$

Theorem 3.11: Let (X, τ^+, I) be a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space and if $U \in \tau^+$ and $A \in FbI^+ O(X)$, then $U \wedge A \in FbI^+ O(U, \tau^+|U, I|U)$.

Proof: We know that $Int_U(V) = Int(V)$ for any fuzzy subset V of U, since $U \in \tau^+$. Using this condition and Lemma 3.10, we have the result.

Definition 3.12: Let (X, τ^+, I) be a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space. A fuzzy subset of X is called fuzzy b-I⁺closed if its complement is fuzzy b-I⁺open. The family of all fuzzy bI⁺closed sets in (X, τ^+, I) is denoted by FbI⁺ C(X).

Theorem 3.13: Let A be a fuzzy subset of a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space (X, τ^+, I) . Then A is fuzzy b-I-closed if Cl^{+*} (Int(A)) \wedge Int(Cl^{+*} (A)) \leq A.

Proof: Since $A \in FbI^+C(X)$, we have, $1_X - A \in FbI^+O(X)$. Thus, $1_X - A \leq Cl^{+*}(Int(1_X - A)) \vee Int(Cl^{+*}(1_X - A))$ $\leq Cl(Int(1_X - A)) \vee Int(Cl(1_X - A))$ $= (1_X - (Int(Cl(A)))) \vee (1_X - (Cl(Int(A))))$ $\leq (1_X - Int(Cl^{+*}(A)))) \vee (1_X - (Cl^{+*}(Int(A)))).$

Hence we obtain $\operatorname{Cl}^{+*}(\operatorname{Int}(A)) \wedge \operatorname{Int}(\operatorname{Cl}^{+*}(A)) \leq A$.

Remark 3.14: For fuzzy subset A of (X, τ^+, I) , we have $1_X - Int(Cl^+*(A)) \neq Cl^+*(Int(1_X - A))$

Corollary 3.15: Let A be a fuzzy subset in (X, τ^+, I) such that 1_X -Int $(Cl^{+*}(A))=Cl^{+*}(Int(1_X - A))$.

Then A is fuzzy b-I⁺closed if and only if Cl^{+*} (Int(A)) \land Int(Cl^{+*} (A)) \leq A.

Corollary 3.16: Let (X, τ^+, I) be a fuzzy simple extended ideal topological space.

- a) If $A \in FbI^+C(X)$ and $B \in \tau^+$, then $A \lor B \in FbI^+C(X)$,
- b) If $A \in FbI^+C(X)$ and $B \in F\alpha I^+C(X)$, then $A \lor B \in FbI^+C(X)$.

Proof: It is clear from Theorem 3.9 and Definition 3.12.

4. FUZZY b-I⁺CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

Definition 4.1: A function $f : (X, \tau^+, I) \to (Y, \sigma)$ is called fuzzy b-I⁺continuous if the inverse image of each fuzzy open set in Y is fuzzy b-I⁺open in (X, τ^+, I) .

Theorem 4.2: A function $f :(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺ continuous if and only if for each fuzzy point x_α in X and each fuzzy open set A≤Y containing $f(x_\alpha)$, there exists B∈FbI ⁺O(X) containing x_α such that f(B)≤A.

Proof: Necessity: Let $x_{\alpha} \in X$ and A be any fuzzy open set in Y containing $f(x_{\alpha})$. Let us consider $B=f^{-1}(V)$, then since the function f is fuzzy b-I⁺ continuous and by Definition 4.1, we have B is fuzzy b-I⁺ open set containing x_{α} and $f(B) \leq A$. Sufficiency:

Let A be any fuzzy open set in Y containing $f(x_{\alpha})$. Then by hypothesis there exists B x_{α} fuzzy b-I⁺open such that $f(B x_{\alpha}) \le A \Rightarrow B x_{\alpha} \le f^{-1}(A)$.

Let VB x $_{\alpha} = f^{-1}$ (A). Therefore f^{-1} (A) is fuzzy b-I⁺open by Theorem 3.9 (a). Hence f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Remark 4.3: Every fuzzy continuous function is fuzzy b-I continuous.

Definition 4.4: A function f: $(X, \tau^*, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called fuzzy b⁺continuous if the inverse image of each fuzzy open set in Y is fuzzy b⁺open in (X, τ^*, I)

Remark 4.5: Every fuzzy b-I⁺continuous function is fuzzy b⁺continuous.

Theorem 4.6: A function f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous if the graph function g:X $\rightarrow XxY$ of f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Proof: Let A be a fuzzy open set in Y. Then 1_X xV is fuzzy open set in XxY. Since g is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous

 $g^{-1}(1_X xV) \in FbI^+O(X).$

Thus $f^{-1}(V) = 1_X \wedge f^{-1}(V) = g^{-1}(1xV), f^{-1}(V) \in FbI^+O(X).$

Hence f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Theorem 4.7: Let f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a fuzzy b-I-continuous function and $U \in \tau^+$. Then the restriction $f|_U$ is fuzzy b-I-continuous.

Proof: Let $V \in \sigma$, then $f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in X since f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous. By Theorem 3.9(b), $f^{-1}(V) \wedge U$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in U. Hence (f |U) $^{-1}(V) = U \wedge f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in U. Therefore we have that f |U is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Theorem 4.8: If f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous and g: $(Y, \sigma^+, J) \rightarrow (Z, \phi)$ is fuzzy continuous, then gof: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Z, \phi)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Proof: Let W be any fuzzy open set in Z. Since g is fuzzy continuous, g^{-1} (W) is fuzzy open in Y. Since f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous, f^{-1} (g^{-1} (W)) is fuzzy b-I⁺open in X. Hence g o f is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Definition 4.9: A function f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called fuzzy b-I⁺ irresolute if the inverse image of each fuzzy b⁺open set of Y is fuzzy b-I⁺open in (X, τ^+, I) .

Remark 4.10: Every fuzzy b-I⁺ irresolute function is fuzzy b-I⁺continuous.

Definition 4.11: A function f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called fuzzy b ⁺irresolute if the inverse image of each fuzzy b⁺open set of Y is fuzzy b⁺open in (X, τ^+, I) .

Theorem 4.12: If f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺irresolute and g : $(Y, \sigma^+, J) \rightarrow (Z, \phi)$ is fuzzy b⁺irresolute, then gof : $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Z, \phi)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺irresolute.

Proof: Consider W to be any fuzzy b⁺open set in Z. Since g is fuzzy b⁺irresolute, $g^{-1}(W)$ is fuzzy b⁺open in Y. Since f is fuzzy b-I⁺irresolute, $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(W))$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in X. Hence gof is fuzzy b-I⁺irresolute.

Theorem 4.13: Let f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a function, then the following statements are equivalent:

- i) f is fuzzy b-I⁺irresolute,
- iii) $f^{-1}(V) \leq Cl^{+*}(Int(f^{-1}(V))) \vee Int(Cl^{+*}(f^{-1}(V)))$ for every fuzzy b⁺open set V in Y,
- iv) $f^{-1}(F)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺closed in X for every fuzzy b⁺ closed set F in Y.

Proof:

(i) \Rightarrow (ii): Let $x_{\lambda} \in X$ and V be any fuzzy b⁺open set in Y containing $f(x_{\lambda})$. By assumption, $f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in X. Set U= $f^{-1}(V)$, then U is a fuzzy b-I⁺open in X containing x_{λ} such that $f(U) \leq V$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii): Let V be any fuzzy b⁺open set in Y and $x_{\lambda} \in f^{-1}$ (V). By (ii) there exists a fuzzy b-I⁺open set U of X containing x_{λ} such that $f(U) \leq V$. Thus we obtain,

$$\begin{split} x_{\lambda} \in & U \leq Cl^{+*} (Int(U)) \lor Int(Cl^{+*} (U)) \\ & \leq Cl^{+*} (Int(f^{-1} (V))) \lor Int(Cl^{+*} (f^{-1} (V))) \end{split}$$

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and hence

x _λ ∈Cl ^{+*} (Int(f⁻¹ (V)))VInt(Cl ^{*} (f⁻¹ (V))). This shows that for every fuzzy b⁺open set V of Y, f⁻¹ (V) ≤Cl ^{+*} (Int(f⁻¹ (V)))VInt(Cl ^{*} (f⁻¹ (V))) holds.

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv): Let F be any fuzzy b⁺closed subset of Y and V=1_Y -F. Then V is fuzzy b⁺open in Y. By (iii), f⁻¹ (V) \leq Cl^{+*} (Int(f⁻¹ (V)))VInt(Cl^{+*} (f⁻¹ (V))).

This shows that $f^{-1}(F) = 1_X - f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺closed in X.

(iv)⇒ (i): Let V be any fuzzy b^+ open set in Y and $F=1_Y$ -V. Then by iv),

 $f^{-1}(F) = 1_X - f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺ closed in X.

Hence $f^{-1}(V)$ is fuzzy b-I⁺open in X and f is fuzzy b-I⁺ irresolute.

5. FUZZY b-I⁺OPEN AND FUZZY b-I⁺CLOSED FUNCTIONS

Definition 5.1: A function f: $(X, \tau^+) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma^+, J)$ is called fuzzy b-I⁺open (resp. fuzzy b-I⁺closed) if the image of each open (resp. closed) set of X is fuzzy b-I⁺open (resp. fuzzy b-I⁺closed) set in (Y, σ^+, J) .

Definition 5.2: The fuzzy closure of a fuzzy set A is the smallest fuzzy $b-I^+$ closed set containing A and denoted as f $b-I^+$ cl(A)

Remark 5.3: If a fuzzy set is $b-I^+closed$ then $f b-I^+cl(A)=A$.

Definition 5.4: A function f: $(X, \tau^+) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma^+)$ is called fuzzy b⁺-open (resp. fuzzy b⁺-closed) if the image of each open (resp. closed) set of X is fuzzy b⁺-open (resp. fuzzy b⁺-closed) set in (Y, σ^+, J) .

Theorem 5.5:

(i) Every fuzzy open function is a fuzzy $b-I^+$ open function.

(ii) Every fuzzy b-I open function is a fuzzy b-I⁺ open function.

(iii) Every fuzzy b- I^+ -open function is fuzzy b⁺-open function.

Proof: Obvious.

Theorem 5.6: If a function f: $(X, \tau^+) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma^+, J)$ is a fuzzy b-I⁺open function ,then for each $x_{\lambda} \in X$ and each fuzzy open set U containing x_{λ} , there exists a fuzzy open b-I⁺open set W containing $f(x_{\lambda})$ such that $W \leq f(U)$.

Proof: Suppose let us assume that $x_{\lambda} \in X$ and U be any open set containing x_{λ} . Since f is fuzzy b-I⁺open, $f(U) \in FbI^+O(Y)$.Let W=f(U),then $f(x_{\lambda}) \in W$ where W is fuzzy b-I⁺open such that $W \leq f(U)$.

Theorem 5.7: Let f: $(X, \tau^+) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma^+, J)$ be a fuzzy b-I⁺open function. Suppose W $\leq Y$ and F $\leq X$ is fuzzy closed set containing f¹ (W), then there exists a fuzzy b-I⁺ closed set H $\leq Y$ containing W such that f¹ (H) $\leq F$.

Proof: Let F be a fuzzy closed set in X. Then $G=1_X - F$ is fuzzy open in X.Since f is fuzzy bI^+ open function, f(G) is fuzzy bI^+ open in Y. Hence $H=1_Y - f(G)$ is fuzzy bI^+ closed in Y and $f^1(H)=f^1(1_Y - f(G))=1_X - f^1(f(G)) \le 1_X - G = F$.

Theorem 5.8: For a bijective function f: $(X, \tau^+, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma^+, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

(i) f⁻¹: (Y, σ⁺, J) →(X, τ⁺) is fuzzy b-I⁺ continuous,
(ii) f is fuzzy b-I⁺ open,
(iii) f is fuzzy b-I⁺ closed.

Proof: Obvious.

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