

FUZZY POLYNOMIAL RINGS

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In this paper we introduce a concept of a fuzzy graded ring by natural numbers, a fuzzy polynomial ring and prove some related theorems.

1. INTRODUCTION

Zadeh [6] introduced the concept of fuzzy set. Rosenfeld [5] applied this concept to the theory of groups and groupoids. In [2,3], Liu introduced and developed basic results concerning the notions of fuzzy subrings and fuzzy ideals of a ring. Malik and Mordeson [4] introduced the concept of fuzzy direct sums of fuzzy subrings and fuzzy ideals of a ring. The purpose of this paper is to introduce the concept of a fuzzy graded ring and a fuzzy polynomial ring.

We let L denoted a completely distributive lattice with greatest element 1 and least element 0. If X is a nonempty set, an L -fuzzy set in X , or merely a fuzzy set in X , is a map $A: X \rightarrow L$, and $\mathcal{F}(X)$ will denote the set of

all fuzzy sets in X . We say that L has the (finite) intersection property if the infimum of every (finite) set of nonzero element of L is nonzero.

Throughout this paper X is a commutative ring with identity. Let R be a fuzzy subset of X such that $R(0)=1$. If $R(x)\wedge R(y)\leq R(x-y)$ for all $x,y\in X$, we call R a fuzzy group in X and if a fuzzy group in X satisfies $R(x)\wedge R(y)\leq R(xy)$ we call R a fuzzy ring in X .

2. FUZZY DIRECT SUMS

Let I be a nonempty set. Let $x, x_i \in X$ where $i \in I$. By $x = \sum_{i \in I} x_i$ we mean that all but finitely many of the x_i are zero.

Definition 2.1 [4]. Let $\{R_i \mid i \in I\}$ be a collection of fuzzy subsets of X . We define the fuzzy subset $\sum_{i \in I} R_i$ of X by $(\sum_{i \in I} R_i)(x) = \sup\{\inf\{R_i(x_i) \mid i \in I \mid x = \sum_{i \in I} x_i\}\}$ for all $x \in X$.

It is proved that if $\{R_i \mid i \in I\}$ is a collection of fuzzy groups, rings (fuzzy ideals) in X , then $\sum_{i \in I} R_i$ is a fuzzy group, ring (fuzzy ideal) in X respectively and $R_i \leq \sum_{i \in I} R_i$. [4].

Definition 2.2. Let R, R_i where $i \in I$ be fuzzy groups (rings) in X . Then R is said to be the fuzzy (weak) direct sum of $\{R_i \mid i \in I\}$ if $R = \sum_{i \in I} R_i$ and $R_j \cap \sum_{i \neq j} R_i = E$ where

$$E(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x=0 \\ 0 & x \neq 0 \end{cases} . \text{ In this case we write } R = \bigoplus_{i \in I} R_i$$

3. FUZZY GRADED SUBRINGS

Definition 3.1. Let X be a commutative ring (with identity). The fuzzy ring R in X is said to be graded by natural numbers if there exists fuzzy groups R_i , $i=0,1,2,\dots$ in X such that

- (i) $R = \bigoplus_{i \in I} R_i$ and
 (ii) $R_i R_j \subseteq R_{i+j}$ for all $i, j=0,1,2,\dots$, where for all $x \in X$
- $$R_i R_j(x) = \sup \left\{ \inf \{ R_i(y_k) \wedge R_j(z_k) \mid k=1,2,\dots,n \} \mid x = \sum_{k=1}^n y_k z_k, n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}.$$

From $R_0 R_0 \subseteq R_0$ it follows that R_0 is a fuzzy subring of X .

Example 3.2. Let R be any fuzzy subring of X . Define $R_0 = R$ and $R_i = E$ for $i=1,2,\dots$. Then R has a trivial gradation $\{R_i\}_{i=0}^{\infty}$.

Example 3.3. Let \mathcal{S} be the totality of infinite sequences (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) , $a_i \in X$ that have only a finite number of nonzero terms a_i . Define

$$(a_0, a_1, \dots) + (b_0, b_1, \dots) = (a_0 + b_0, a_1 + b_1, \dots) \text{ and}$$

$$(a_0, a_1, \dots) \cdot (b_0, b_1, \dots) = (p_1, p_2, \dots) \text{ when}$$

$$p_i = \sum_{j+k=i} a_j b_k. \text{ Then } (\mathcal{S}, +, \cdot) \text{ is a ring [1]. Let } A \text{ be a fuzzy}$$

subring of X . Define R and R_i , $i=0,1,\dots$ on \mathcal{S} as follows:

$$R(a_0, a_1, \dots) = \inf \{ A(a_i) \mid i=0,1,\dots \} \text{ and}$$

$$R_i(a_0, a_1, \dots) = \begin{cases} A(a_i) & \text{if } a_j = 0 \text{ for all } j \neq i \\ 0 & \text{if } a_j \neq 0 \text{ for some } j \neq i \end{cases}$$

It is clear that R is a fuzzy subring of \mathcal{S} and R_i , $i=0,1,\dots$ is a fuzzy subgroup of \mathcal{S} . It can be readily

verified that

$$R = \bigodot_{i=0}^{\infty} R_i \text{ and } R_i R_j \subseteq R_{i+j} \text{ for all } i, j = 0, 1, \dots$$

The above example motivates the following definition of a fuzzy polynomial subring.

Definition 3.3. Let $X[u]$ be the polynomial ring of one indeterminate u on X . A fuzzy polynomial subring R of $X[u]$ is a fuzzy subring of $X[u]$ such that for all $p(u) \in X[u]$, $R(p(u)) = R(a_0 + a_1 u + \dots + a_n u^n) = \inf\{R(a_i) \mid i = 0, \dots, n\}$ for some fuzzy subring A of X .

Recall that if R is a fuzzy subring of X , then $R_* = \{x \in X \mid R(x) = 1\}$ is a fuzzy subring of R and if L has the finite intersection property, then $R^* = \{x \in X \mid R(x) > 0\}$ is a subring of X . Based on these facts we prove:

Proposition 3.4. Let R be a fuzzy graded subring of X . If L has the finite intersection property, then R^* is a graded subring of X .

Definition 3.5. Let R be a graded fuzzy subring of X and $x_\lambda \in R$ ($R(x) = \lambda \neq 0$). The value $R(x_i) = \lambda_i$ is called the homogeneous component of x_λ of degree i .

Theorem 3.6. Let $X = \bigodot_{i=0}^{\infty} X_i$ be a commutative graded ring with identity. Let L satisfy the finite intersection property and R be an L -fuzzy subring of X such that $R(\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} x_i) = \bigwedge_{i=0}^{\infty} R(x_i) > 0$. Then R is a fuzzy graded subring of X .

4. FUZZY GRADED MODULES

Let R be a fuzzy subring of X and Y be an X -module the fuzzy subset M of Y is called a fuzzy R -module if for all y_1, y_2, y in Y and x in X

$$(i) M(y_1 - y_2) \geq M(y_1) \wedge M(y_2), \text{ and}$$

$$(ii) M(xy) \geq R(x) \wedge M(y)$$

Definition 4.1. Let R be a fuzzy graded subring of X . A fuzzy R -module M is called fuzzy graded R -module if M can be expressed as a direct sum of fuzzy subgroups $\{M_i\}$, i.e., $M = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} M_i$, such that $R_i M_j \subseteq M_{i+j}$, $i, j = 0, 1, \dots$ as fuzzy subsets of Y .

Theorem 4.2. Let R be a fuzzy graded subring of X , M a fuzzy graded R -module. If L satisfies the finite intersection property, then M^* is a graded R^* -module.

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