

# A NEW GENERALIZATION OF KY FAN'S FIXED POINT THEOREM FOR FUZZY MAPPINGS

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**ABSTRACT:** This paper bring forward a new generalization of Ky Fan's fixed point theorem for fuzzy mappings, the results presented improve and generalize Ky Fan's fixed point theorems and the corresponding recent important results.

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## 1 PRELIMINARIES

Let  $X$  be a topological space,  $C$  be a nonempty subset of  $X$ , a mapping  $A: C \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is called a fuzzy subset over  $C$ , we denote by  $\mathcal{F}(C)$  the family of all fuzzy subsets over  $C$ , a mapping  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  is called fuzzy mapping over  $C$ , let  $A \in \mathcal{F}(C)$ ,  $Q \in [0, 1]$ , set  $(A)_Q = \{u \mid A(u) \geq Q, u \in C\}$  is called the  $Q$ -cut set of  $A$ .

**DEFINITION 1.1** Let  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  be a fuzzy mapping, if  $p \in C$  such that  $Fp(p) = \max_{u \in C} Fp(u)$ , then  $p$  is called a fixed point of  $F$ .

**DEFINITION 1.2** Let  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  be a fuzzy mapping, if for any  $\lambda \in [0, 1]$  and any  $y, z \in C$ , it is true that

$$Fx(\lambda y + (1 - \lambda)z) \geq \min\{Fx(y), Fx(z)\}$$

then  $F$  over  $C$  is called convex.

**DEFINITION 1.3** Let  $F:C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  be a fuzzy mapping, if the membership function  $Fx(y)$  is upper semi-continuous over  $C \times C$  (as a real ordinary function), then  $F$  over  $C$  is called closed.

**DEFINITION 1.4** Let  $F:C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$ ,  $O(x):C \rightarrow [0,1]$ ,  $\forall x \in C$ ,  $\tilde{F}x = (Fx)_{O(x)} = \{u | Fx(u) \geq O(x), u \in C\} \subseteq C$ ,  $\tilde{F}:C \rightarrow 2^C$  is a set-valued mapping,  $\forall D \subseteq C$ ,  $\tilde{F}(D) = \bigcup_{x \in D} \tilde{F}x$ , let  $x_0 \in C$ ,  $D_0 = \{x_0\}$ ,  $D_1 = \text{conv}(\{x_0\} \cup \tilde{F}x_0)$ ,  $D_{n+1} = \text{conv}(\{x_0\} \cup \tilde{F}(D_n))$ ,  $n > 0$ ,  $\therefore D_0 \subseteq D_1 \subseteq D_2 \subseteq \dots \subseteq D_n \subseteq D_{n+1} \subseteq \dots$ ,  $\therefore V = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} D_n = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} D_{n+1} = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} \text{conv}(\{x_0\} \cup \tilde{F}x_0(D_n)) = \text{conv}(\{x_0\} \cup \tilde{F}(V))$ ,  $V$  is called the set induced by  $\tilde{F}$  and  $x_0$ .

**LEMMA 1.5** (K<sub>Y</sub> Fan [1][3]) Let  $X$  be a real topological vector space which is locally convex and Hausdorff. Let  $C$  be a nonempty, compact and convex subset of  $X$  and  $T:C \rightarrow 2^C$  a set-valued mapping having the following properties:

- (1) for any  $x$  in  $C$  the set  $Tx$  is convex, compact and nonempty
- (2) the set  $\text{graph } T = \bigcup_{x \in C} \{(x, y), y \in Tx\}$  is a closed set in  $X \times X$ .

Then there exists a fixed point  $p$  of  $T$ , i. e.  $p \in Tp$

**LEMMA 1.6** Let  $X$  be a Hausdorff topological space,  $C$  be a nonempty, compact and convex subset of  $X$ ,  $T:C \rightarrow 2^C$  be a set-valued mapping such that  $\forall x \in C$ , set  $Tx$  is compact, if  $T:C \rightarrow 2^C$  is upper semi-continuous, then set  $\text{graph } T = \bigcup_{x \in C} \{(x, y), y \in Tx\}$  is a closed set in  $X \times X$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x_k \rightarrow x_0, y_k \in Tx_k, y_k \rightarrow y_0$ , we shall show that  $y_0 \in Tx_0$ . If  $y_0 \notin Tx_0$ , by  $X$  be a Hausdorff topological space,  $\forall y \in Tx_0$ , there exists a neighbourhood of  $y$   $Wy \subseteq X$ , & a neighbourhood of  $y_0$   $Vy \subseteq X$ ,  $Wy \cap Vy = \emptyset$ ,  $Tx_0 \subseteq \bigcup_{y \in Tx_0} \{Wy | y \in Tx_0\}$ , by set  $Tx_0$  is compact, there exists  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \in Tx_0$ , such that  $Tx_0 \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n Wy_i = W$ . Let  $V = \bigcap_{i=1}^n Vy_i$ ,

$V$  is a neighbourhood of  $y_0$ , such that  $W \cap V = \emptyset$ , by  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  is upper semi-continuous, there exists a neighbourhood of  $x_0 \cup$  such that  $\forall x_K \in U, Tx_K \subset W$ , thus  $y_K \in W$ , moreover  $W \cap V = \emptyset, y_K \rightarrow y_0$ , this is a contradiction, thus  $y_0 \in Tx_0$ . By  $y_0 \in Tx_0$ , thus graph  $T$  is a closed.

## 2 MAIN RESULTS

**THEOREM 2.1** Let  $X$  be a real topological vector space which is locally convex and Hausdorff,  $C$  is a nonempty closed convex subset of  $X$ ,  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  is a closed convex fuzzy mapping over  $C$ .

(1) Suppose that there exists a lower semi-continuous function  $O(x): C \rightarrow (0, 1]$  such that  $\forall x \in C, \tilde{F}x = (Fx)_{O(x)} \neq \emptyset$ , there exists  $x_0 \in C$  such that the set  $V$  induced by  $\tilde{F}$  and  $x_0$  is a compact subset of  $C$ , then there exists  $p \in C$  such that  $Fp(p) \geq O(p)$ ;

(2) If  $O(x) = \max_{u \in C} Fx(u): C \rightarrow (0, 1]$  such that  $\forall x \in C, \tilde{F}x = (Fx)_{O(x)} \neq \emptyset$ , moreover for any  $y \in C, Fx(y)$  as a function of  $x \in C$  is lower semi-continuous, there exists  $x_0 \in C$  such that set  $V$  induced by  $\tilde{F}$  and  $x_0$  is a compact subset of  $C$ , then there exists a point  $p \in C$  such that  $Fp(p) = \max_{u \in C} Fp(u)$ , i. e.  $p$  is a fixed point of  $F$ .

**Proof.** Let  $\tilde{F}x = (Fx)_{O(x)} = \{u | Fx(u) \geq O(x), u \in C\}$ , then  $\tilde{F}: C \rightarrow 2^C$ , the set  $V$  induced by  $\tilde{F}$  and  $x_0$  is a compact subset of  $C, V = \text{conv}(\{x_0\} \cup \tilde{F}(V)) \forall x \in V, \tilde{F}x \subseteq V$ . First, we prove that for each  $x \in V, \tilde{F}x$  is a nonempty convex compact set of  $V$ .

$\forall x \in V \subseteq C, \tilde{F}x = (Fx)_{O(x)} \neq \emptyset$ , if  $\forall y, z \in \tilde{F}x, \lambda \in [0, 1]$  by  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  is a convex fuzzy mapping over  $C, Fx(\lambda y + (1 - \lambda)z) \geq \min\{Fx(y), Fx(z)\} \geq O(x), \therefore \lambda y + (1 - \lambda)z \in (Fx)_{O(x)} = \tilde{F}x, \tilde{F}x$  is a convex set. Let  $\{y_j\}_{j \in I} \subseteq \tilde{F}x$  and  $y_j \rightarrow y_0 \in V \subseteq C$ , thus  $(x, y_j) \rightarrow (x, y_0)$  moreover  $Fx(y_j) \geq O(x)$  by  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  is a closed fuzzy mapping,  $Fx(y)$ , as a function over  $C \times C$ , is upper semi-continuous.

This leads to the conclusion that  $Fx(y_0) \geq \overline{\lim}_{j \in I} Fx(y_j) \geq O(x), \therefore y_0 \in (Fx)_{O(x)} = \tilde{F}x, \tilde{F}x$  is a closed subset of  $V$ , by  $\tilde{F}x \subseteq V, V$  is compact set,

$\therefore \tilde{F}x$  is a compact set.

Next, we prove that set  $\text{graph } \tilde{F} = \bigcup_{x \in V} \{(x, y) \mid y \in \tilde{F}x\}$  is a closed subset in  $X \times X$ . Let  $\{(x_j, y_j)\}_{j \in I}$  is a net of graph  $\tilde{F}$ , and  $x_j \rightarrow x_0 \in V$ ,  $y_j \rightarrow y_0 \in V$ , by  $F$  is closed and  $O(x): C \rightarrow (0, 1]$  is lower semi-continuous, we have  $Fx_0(y_0) \geq \liminf_j Fx_j(y_j) \geq \liminf_j O(x_j) \geq \underline{\lim} O(x_j) \geq O(x_0)$ ,  $\therefore y_0 \in (Fx_0)_{O(x_0)} = \tilde{F}x_0$ ,  $(x_0, y_0) \in \text{graph } \tilde{F}$ , graph  $\tilde{F}$  is closed in  $X \times X$ .

For  $\tilde{F}: V \rightarrow 2^V$  applying lemma 1.5 (Ky Fan [1],[3]) there exists  $p \in C$  such that  $p \in \tilde{F}p = (Fp)_{O(p)}$ , i. e.  $Fp(p) \geq O(p)$ .

When  $O(x) = \max_{u \in C} Fx(u): C \rightarrow (0, 1]$  such that the conditions in (2)., by the same way we can prove that for  $\forall x \in V$ ,  $\tilde{F}x$  is a nonempty convex compact set, now we prove the set graph  $\tilde{F}$  is closed in  $X \times X$ . Let  $\{(x_j, y_j)\}_{j \in I}$  is a net of graph  $\tilde{F}$ ,  $y_j \in \tilde{F}x_j$ , and  $x_j \rightarrow x_0 \in V$ ,  $y_j \rightarrow y_0 \in V$ ,  $(x_j, y_j) \rightarrow (x_0, y_0) \in V \times V$ , by  $F$  is closed and for any  $y \in C$ ,  $Fx(y)$  as a function of  $x \in C$  is lower semi-continuous, we have:  $Fx_0(y_0) \geq \liminf_j Fx_j(y_j) \geq \liminf_j O(x_j) \geq \liminf_j \max_{u \in C} Fx_j(u) \geq \liminf_j Fx_j(u) \geq \underline{\lim} Fx_j(u) \geq Fx_0(u)$ ,  $\forall u \in C$ , thus  $Fx_0(y_0) \geq \max_{u \in C} Fx_0(u) = O(x_0)$ ,  $y_0 \in \tilde{F}x_0$ , therefore  $(x_0, y_0) \in \text{graph } \tilde{F}$ , graph  $\tilde{F}$  is closed in  $X \times X$ . For  $\tilde{F}: V \rightarrow 2^V$  applying lemma 1.5. there exists  $p \in C$  such that  $p \in \tilde{F}p = (Fp)_{O(p)}$ , i. e.  $Fp(p) = \max_{u \in C} Fp(u)$ ,  $P$  is a fixed point of  $F$ . This completes the proof of Theorem 2.1.

Let  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  is a set-valued mapping, by using  $T$  we define a fuzzy mapping  $F$  as follows:  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$ ,  $x \rightarrow \mathcal{X}_{Tx}$ , where  $\mathcal{X}_{Tx}$  is the characteristic function of  $Tx$ , Taking  $O(x) \equiv 1$ ,  $\forall x \in C$  it is easy to prove that when  $\forall x \in C$ ,  $Tx$  is a convex closed subset of  $C$ ,  $F: C \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(C)$  is a convex closed fuzzy mapping. Thus we have:

**COROLLARY 2.2** Let  $X, C$  satisfy the conditions of Theorem 2.1. Let  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  is a set-valued mapping such that  $\forall x \in C$ ,  $Tx$  is a nonempty convex closed subset of  $C$ , and there exists  $x_0 \in C$  the set  $V$  induced by  $T$  and  $x_0$  is a compact subset of  $C$ . If set graph  $T$  is closed in  $X$

$\times X$ , then there exists  $p \in C$  such that  $p \in Tp$ .

**COROLLARY 2.3** Let  $X, C, T$  satisfy the conditions of corollary 2.1. If  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  is upper semi-continuous, then there exists  $p \in C$  such that  $p \in Tp$ .

Proof for  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  applying lemma 1.6, by  $T: C \rightarrow 2^C$  is upper semi-continuous, we have set graph  $T$  is closed in  $X \times X$ .

**REMARK** by corollary 2.2 and 2.3, it is easy to see that Theorem 2.1 improves and generalizes Ky Fan's fixed point and corresponding important results of [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]

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