

Semi-preseparation Axioms in fts^{*}

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Abstract

In this paper, we introduce some new separation axioms—fuzzy semi-preseparation axioms, and also establish some of their characteristic properties.

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1 Introduction and Preliminaries

Recently, Thakur and Singh introduced fuzzy semi-preopen sets in [10]. In this paper, we follow the concept of fuzzy semi-preopen set, with the help of fuzzy semi-pre-p-neighborhoods [10], to introduce fuzzy semi-preirresolute mapping and fuzzy semi-preseparation axioms and establish some of their characteristic properties.

In this paper, by X and Y we mean fuzzy topological spaces (fts, for short). For two fuzzy sets A and B in X , we write AqB to mean that A is quasi-coincident with B , i.e., there is at least one point $x \in X$ such that $A(x) + B(x) > 1$. Negation of such a statement is denoted as $A \not q B$. B is said to be a quasi-neighbourhood of A iff there exists a fuzzy open set U such that $AqU \leq B$ [8]. The constant fuzzy sets taking on the values 0 and 1 on X are designated by 0_X and 1_X respectively. For a fuzzy set A in X , the notations A°, A^-, A' and $supp A$ will respectively stand for the interior, closure, complement and support of A . A fuzzy set A in X is said to be (1) fuzzy semi-preopen if there is a fuzzy preopen set B such that $B \leq A \leq B^-$; (2) fuzzy semi-preclosed if there is a fuzzy preclosed set B such that $B^\circ \leq A \leq B$ [10]. The family of fuzzy semi-preopen (resp. semi-preclosed) sets of a fts X will be denoted by $\psi(X)$ (resp. $\psi'(X)$). Let A be a fuzzy set in X . Then $A^\square = \bigcup\{B : B \leq A, B \in \psi(X)\}$ and $A^\frown = \bigcap\{B : A \leq B, B \in \psi'(X)\}$ are called

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the semi-preinterior and semi-preclosure of A , respectively. A fuzzy set A is called a fuzzy semi-preneighborhood of a fuzzy point x_α in X if there exists a $B \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha \in B \leq A$. A fuzzy set A is called a fuzzy semi-pre-q-neighborhood of a fuzzy point x_α in X if there exists a $B \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha q B \leq A$ [10]. The set of all semi-preneighborhoods(semi-pre-q-neighborhoods) of x_α is denoted by $\xi(x_\alpha)(\eta(x_\alpha))$.

We easily prove that $A^{\square'} = A'^{\frown}$ and $A'^{\frown} = A'^{\square}$ for a fuzzy set A in X .

2 Fuzzy Semi-preirresolute Mappings

Definition 2.1. A mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is called fuzzy semi-preirresolute if $f^{-1}(B) \in \psi(X)$ for each $B \in \psi(Y)$.

Theorem 2.2. For a mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ the following are equivalent:

- (1) f is fuzzy semi-preirresolute.
- (2) $f^{-1}(B) \in \psi'(X)$ for each $B \in \psi'(Y)$.
- (3) $f(A^{\frown}) \leq (f(A))^{\frown}$ for each fuzzy set A in X .
- (4) $(f^{-1}(B))^{\frown} \leq f^{-1}(B^{\frown})$ for each fuzzy set B in Y .
- (5) $f^{-1}(B^{\square}) \leq (f^{-1}(B))^{\square}$ for each fuzzy set B in Y .
- (6) For each fuzzy point x_α in X and each $V \in \psi(Y)$ with $f(x_\alpha) \in V$, there exists a $U \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha \in U$ and $f(U) \leq V$.
- (7) For each fuzzy point x_α in X and each $V \in \psi(Y)$ satisfying $f(x_\alpha) q V$ there exists a $U \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha q U$ and $f(U) \leq V$.

Theorem 2.3. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be one-to-one and onto. f is a fuzzy semi-preirresolute mapping iff $(f(A))^{\square} \leq f(A^{\square})$ for each fuzzy set A in X .

3 Fuzzy Semi-preseparation Axioms

Definition 3.1. An fts X is called fuzzy semi-pre- T_0 iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points x_α and y_β the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1) When $x \neq y$, either there is a $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $U \not/q y_\beta$ or there is a $V \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that $V \not/q x_\alpha$.
- (2) When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), there is a $V \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $V \not/q x_\alpha$.

Theorem 3.2. An fts X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_0 iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points x_α and y_β , either $x_\alpha \notin (y_\beta)^{\frown}$ or $y_\beta \notin (x_\alpha)^{\frown}$.

Proof. Let X be fuzzy semi-pre- T_0 and x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points

in X . When $x \neq y$, there is a $U \in \xi(x_1)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$ or there is a $V \in \xi(y_1)$ such that $V \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$. Suppose there is a $U \in \xi(x_1)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$. Then $U \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ and $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$. Hence $x_\alpha \notin (y_\beta)^\frown$. When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), then there is a $V \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $V \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$ and so in this case also $y_\beta \notin (x_\alpha)^\frown$.

Conversely, let x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points in X . We suppose, without loss of generality, that $x_\alpha \notin (y_\beta)^\frown$. When $x \neq y$, since $x_\alpha \notin (y_\beta)^\frown$, $x_1 \notin (y_\beta)^\frown$ and hence $(y_\beta)^\frown(x) = 1$. Then $(y_\beta)^\frown \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $(y_\beta)^\frown \not\sqsubset y_\beta$. When $x = y$ we must have $\alpha > \beta$ and then there is a $U \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$.

Definition 3.3. An fts X is called fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points x_α and y_β the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1) When $x \neq y$, there are $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ and $V \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$ and $V \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$.
- (2) When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), there is a $V \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $V \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$.

Obviously, fuzzy semi-pre- $T_1 \Rightarrow$ fuzzy semi-pre- T_0 .

Theorem 3.4. An fts X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 iff every fuzzy point x_α is fuzzy semi-preclosed in X .

Proof. Let X be fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 and x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points in X . When $x \neq y$, there are $U, V \in \psi(X)$ and $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$, $V \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset y_\beta$ and $V \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$. Then $x_\alpha \in V'$. Since $V' \in \psi'(X)$, $(x_\alpha)^\frown \leq V'$, equivalent $V \not\sqsubset (x_\alpha)^\frown$. Thus $(x_\alpha)^\frown \leq x_\alpha$, i.e., $x = (x_\alpha)^\frown$. Hence every fuzzy point x_α is fuzzy semi-preclosed in X . When $x = y$, it is analogous to the proof of it above.

Conversely, let x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points in X . When $x \neq y$, since x_α and y_β are fuzzy semi-preclosed in X , $(x_\alpha)'$ and $(y_\beta)'$ are fuzzy semi-preopen. Then $(x_\alpha)' \in \xi(y_\beta)$ and $(y_\beta)' \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $(x_\alpha)' \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$ and $(y_\beta)' \not\sqsubset y_\beta$. When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), obviously $(x_\alpha)' \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $(x_\alpha)' \not\sqsubset x_\alpha$.

Definition 3.5. An fts X is called fuzzy semi-pre- T_2 iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points x_α and y_β the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1) When $x \neq y$, there are $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ and $V \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset V$.
- (2) When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), there are $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ and $V \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\sqsubset V$.

Obviously, fuzzy semi-pre- $T_2 \Rightarrow$ fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 . Also, fuzzy semi- T_i [6] \Rightarrow fuzzy semi-pre- T_i , $i = 0, 1, 2$.

Theorem 3.6. An fts X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_2 iff for every fuzzy point x_α in X ,

$$x_\alpha = \bigcap \{V^\wedge : V \in \xi(x_\alpha)\}$$

and for any $x, y \in X$ with $x \neq y$, there is a $U \in \xi(x_1)$ such that $y \notin \text{supp}(U^\wedge)$.

Proof. Let X be fuzzy semi-pre- T_2 , x_α and y_β be fuzzy points in X such that $y_\beta \notin (x_\alpha)$. To establish the required equality, it suffices to show the existence of a $V \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $y_\beta \notin V^\wedge$. If $x \neq y$, then there are $U, V \in \psi(X)$ and $y_1 \in U, x_\alpha \in V$ such that $U \not\leq V$. Then $V \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ and $U \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\leq V$. Hence $y_\beta \notin V^\wedge$. If $x = y$, then $\beta > \alpha$, and hence there are $U \in \eta(y_\beta)$ and $V \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $U \not\leq V$. Then $y_\beta \notin V^\wedge$. Finally, for two distinct points $x, y \in X$, since X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_2 , there exist $U, V \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_1 \in U, y_1 \in V$ and $U \not\leq V$. Then $V'(y) = 0$ and $U \leq V'$. Since $V' \in \psi'(X), U^\wedge \leq V'$. Thus $(U^\wedge)(y) = 0$, i.e., $y \notin \text{supp}(U^\wedge)$.

Conversely, let x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points in X . When $x \neq y$, we first suppose that at least one of α and β is less than 1, say $0 < \alpha < 1$. There exists a positive real number λ with $0 < \alpha + \lambda < 1$. By hypothesis, there exists a $U \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that $x_\lambda \notin U^\wedge$. Then there is a $V \in \psi(X)$ and $V \in \eta(x_\lambda)$ such that $V \not\leq U$. Now, $\lambda + V(x) > 1$ so that $V(x) > 1 - \lambda > \alpha$ and hence $V \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $U \not\leq V$, where $U \in \xi(y_\beta)$. In case $\alpha = \beta = 1$, by hypothesis there is a $U \in \xi(x_1)$ such that $(U^\wedge)(y) = 0$. Then $V = U^\wedge \in \xi(y_1)$ such that $U \not\leq V$. When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), then there is a $U \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ such that $y_\beta \notin U^\wedge$. Consequently, there exists a $V \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $U \not\leq V$. Considering the above cases, we conclude that X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_2 .

Lemma 3.7. Let X be an fts and $U, V \in \psi(X)$. If $U \not\leq V$, then $U^\wedge \not\leq V$.

Definition 3.8. An fts X is called fuzzy sp-regular iff for each fuzzy point x_α in X and each $U \in \psi(X)$ with $U \in \eta(x_\alpha)$, there is a $V \in \psi(X)$ and $V \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ such that $V^\wedge \leq U$.

Theorem 3.9. For an fts X , the following are equivalent:

- (1) X is fuzzy sp-regular.
- (2) For each fuzzy point x_α in X and each $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $x_\alpha \notin B$, there is a $U \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha \notin U^\wedge$ and $B \leq U$.
- (3) For each fuzzy point x_α in X and each $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $x_\alpha \notin B$, there exist $U, V \in \psi(X)$ such that $U \in \eta(x_\alpha), B \leq V$ and $U \not\leq V$.

(4) For any fuzzy set A and any $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $A \not\leq B$, there are $U, V \in \psi(X)$ such that $AqU, B \leq V$ and $U \not\leq V$.

(5) For any fuzzy set A and any $U \in \psi(X)$ with AqU , there is a $V \in \psi(X)$ such that $AqV \leq V^\sim \leq U$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) : Let x_α be a fuzzy point in X and $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $x_\alpha \notin B$. Then $B' \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ and $B' \in \psi(X)$. Since X is fuzzy sp-regular, there is a $V \in \psi(X)$ and $V \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ such that $V^\sim \leq B'$. Put $U = V^\sim$. Then $U \in \psi(X)$ and $V^{\square} \in \eta(x_\alpha)$. Hence,

$$x_\alpha \notin V^{\square} = V^{\sim\sim} = U^\sim,$$

and $B \leq V^\sim = U$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3) : For any fuzzy point x_α in X and any $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $x_\alpha \notin B$, by (2) there is a $U \in \psi(X)$ such that $x_\alpha \notin U^\sim$ and $B \leq U$. Hence $U^\sim \in \eta(x_\alpha)$ and $U^\sim \not\leq U$, where $U^\sim \in \psi(X)$. Thus (3) is obtained.

(3) \Rightarrow (4) : Let A be a fuzzy set and $B \in \psi'(X)$ with $A \not\leq B$. Then there is at least one fuzzy point $x_\alpha \in A$ such that $x_\alpha \notin B$. By (3) there are $U, V \in \psi(X)$ such that $U \in \eta(x_\alpha), B \leq V$ and $U \not\leq V$. Since $x_\alpha \in A$, we have AqU .

(4) \Rightarrow (5) : For any fuzzy set A and any $U \in \psi(X)$, AqU implies that $A \not\leq U'$, where $U' \in \psi'(X)$. By (4), there are $V, W \in \psi(X)$ such that $AqV, U' \leq W$ and $V \not\leq W$. Then $V^\sim \not\leq W$ by Lemma 3.7. Hence, $AqV \leq V^\sim \leq W' \leq U$.

(5) \Rightarrow (1) : Obvious.

Theorem 3.10. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a one-to-one fuzzy semi-preirresolute mapping. If Y is fuzzy semi-pre- T_i then so is X , for $i = 0, 1, 2$.

Proof. We prove only $i = 1$.

Let x_α and y_β be two distinct fuzzy points in X . When $x \neq y$, we have $f(x) \neq f(y)$. Since Y is fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 , there are $U, V \in \psi(Y)$ and

$$U \in \xi((f(x))_\alpha), V \in \xi((f(y))_\beta)$$

such that

$$V \not\leq (f(x))_\alpha \text{ and } U \not\leq (f(y))_\beta.$$

Then $f^{-1}(U) \in \xi(x_\alpha)$ and $f^{-1}(V) \in \xi(y_\beta)$ such that

$$f^{-1}(V) \not\leq x_\alpha \text{ and } f^{-1}(U) \not\leq y_\beta.$$

When $x = y$ and $\alpha < \beta$ (say), the $f(x) = f(y)$. Since Y is semi-pre- T_1 , there is a $V \in \psi(Y)$ and $V \in \eta((f(y))_\beta)$ such that $V \not\leq (f(x))_\alpha$. Then $f^{-1}(V) \in \eta(y_\beta)$ such that $f^{-1}(V) \not\leq x_\alpha$. Thus X is fuzzy semi-pre- T_1 .

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