

## **Fuzzy Soft Topology**

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### **Abstract**

In the present paper we introduce the concept of fuzzy soft topological space in Šostak sense. Then the notions of fuzzy soft  $r$ -closure and  $r$ -interior are introduced and their basic properties are investigated. Furthermore, fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous mapping, fuzzy soft  $r$ -open, fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed mappings and fuzzy soft  $r$ -homeomorphism for fuzzy soft topological spaces are given and structural characteristics are discussed.

### **1. INTRODUCTION**

The notion of a fuzzy set was introduced by Zadeh [13] in his classical paper of 1965. In 1968, Chang [2] gave the definition of fuzzy topology, which is family of fuzzy sets satisfying the three classical axioms. Later, fuzzy topological space is generalized in different ways, one of which is developed by Šostak [10]. Then plenty of works on Šostak fuzzy topological spaces have been done in order to extend various concepts in classical topology.

In 1999, Molodtsov [7] introduced the concept of a soft set and started to develop the basics of the corresponding theory as a new approach for modeling uncertainties. Maji et al. [5,6] presented some new definitions on soft sets and discussed in detail the application of soft set theory in decision making problems.

Shabir and Naz [9] introduced the concept of soft topological space and studied neighborhoods and separation axioms. Tanay and Kandemir [11] introduced the definition of fuzzy soft topology over a subset of the initial universe set. Later, Roy

and Samanta [8] gave the definition of fuzzy soft topology over the initial universe set. It was further studied by Varol and Aygün [12] and Cetkin and Aygun [3] etc.

The aim of the paper is to introduced fuzzy soft topology in Šostak sense. Also, we introduce the notion of fuzzy soft  $r$ -closure, fuzzy soft  $r$ -interior and discussed some of its basic properties. Furthermore, we also define fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuity, fuzzy soft  $r$ -open mapping, fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed mapping and fuzzy soft  $r$ -homeomorphism and investigate some characterization.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper,  $X$  refers to an initial universe,  $E$  is the set of all parameters for  $X$ ,  $I = [0,1]$ ,  $I_0 = (0,1]$  and  $I^X$  is the set of all fuzzy sets on  $X$  ( $\widetilde{X, E}$ ) denotes the collection of all fuzzy soft sets on  $X$  and is called a fuzzy soft universe.

**Definition 2.1.** [4]  $f_A$  is called a fuzzy soft set on  $X$ , where  $f$  is a mapping from the parameter set,  $E$  into  $I^X$ , i.e.,  $f_A(e)$  is a fuzzy set on  $X$ , for each  $e \in A \subseteq E$  and  $f_A(e) = 0_X$  if  $e \notin A$ , where  $0_X$  denotes empty fuzzy set on  $X$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [4] Two fuzzy soft sets  $f_A$  and  $g_B$  on  $X$  we say that  $f_A$  is called fuzzy soft subset of  $g_B$  and write  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$  if  $f_A(e) \leq g_B(e)$ , for every  $e \in E$ .

**Definition 2.3.** [4] Two fuzzy soft sets  $f_A$  and  $g_B$  on  $X$  are called equal if  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$  and  $g_B \sqsubseteq f_A$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [4] Let  $f_A, g_B \in \widetilde{X, E}$ . Then the union of  $f_A$  and  $g_B$  is also a fuzzy soft set  $h_C$ , defined by  $h_C(e) = f_A(e) \vee g_B(e)$  for all  $e \in E$ , where  $C = A \cup B$ . Here we write  $h_C = f_A \sqcup g_B$ .

**Definition 2.5.** [4] Let  $f_A, g_B \in \widetilde{X, E}$ . Then the interasection of  $f_A$  and  $g_B$  is also a fuzzy soft set  $h_C$ , defined by  $h_C(e) = f_A(e) \wedge g_B(e)$  for all  $e \in E$ , where  $C = A \cap B$ . Here we write  $h_C = f_A \sqcap g_B$ .

**Definition 2.6.** [4] A fuzzy soft set  $f_E$  on  $X$  is called a null fuzzy soft set denoted by  $0_E$  if  $f_E(e) = 0_X$  for each  $e \in E$ .

**Definition 2.7.** [4] A fuzzy soft set  $f_E$  on  $X$  is called a absolute fuzzy soft set denoted by  $1_E$  if  $f_E(e) = 1_X$  for each  $e \in E$ .

**Definition 2.8.** [4]

Let  $f_A \in \widetilde{X, E}$ . Then the complement of  $f_A$  is denoted by  $f_A^c$  and is defined by  $f_A^c(e) = 1 - f_A(e)$  for each  $e \in E$ .

**Lemma 2.9.** [1] Let  $\Delta$  be an index set and  $f_A, g_B, h_C, (f_A)_i, (g_B)_i \in \widetilde{(X, E)}$ ,  $i \in \Delta$ , then we have the following properties:

- (1)  $f_A \sqcap f_A = f_A, f_A \sqcup f_A = f_A.$
- (2)  $f_A \sqcap g_B = g_B \sqcap f_A, f_A \sqcup g_B = g_B \sqcup f_A.$
- (3)  $f_A \sqcup (g_B \sqcap h_C) = (f_A \sqcup g_B) \sqcup h_C, f_A \sqcap (g_B \sqcap h_C) = (f_A \sqcap g_B) \sqcap h_C.$
- (4)  $f_A = f_A \sqcup (g_B \sqcap h_C), f_A = f_A \sqcap (g_B \sqcup h_C).$
- (5)  $f_A \sqcap (\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (g_B)_i) = \sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A \sqcap (g_B)_i).$
- (6)  $f_A \sqcup (\sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (g_B)_i) = \sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (f_A \sqcup (g_B)_i).$
- (7)  $0_E \sqsubseteq f_A \sqsubseteq 1_E.$
- (8)  $(f_A^c)^c = f_A.$
- (9)  $(\sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i)^c = \sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i^c.$
- (10)  $(\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i)^c = \sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i^c.$
- (11) If  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$ , then  $g_A^c \sqsubseteq f_A^c.$

**Definition 2.10.** [1] Let  $\varphi: X \rightarrow Y$  and  $\psi: E \rightarrow F$  be two mappings, where  $E$  and  $F$  are parameter sets for the crisp sets  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively. Then  $\varphi_\psi$  is called a fuzzy soft mapping from  $\widetilde{(X, E)}$  into  $\widetilde{(Y, F)}$  and denoted by  $\varphi_\psi: \widetilde{(X, E)} \rightarrow \widetilde{(Y, F)}$ .

**Definition 2.11.** [1] Let  $f_A$  and  $g_B$  be two fuzzy soft sets over  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively and let  $\varphi_\psi$  be a fuzzy soft mapping from  $\widetilde{(X, E)}$  into  $\widetilde{(Y, F)}$ .

(1) The image of  $f_A$  under the fuzzy soft mapping  $\varphi_\psi$ , denoted by  $\varphi_\psi(f_A)$  and is defined as,  $\varphi_\psi(f_A)_k(y) =$

$$\begin{cases} \bigvee_{\varphi(x)=y} \bigvee_{\psi(e)=k} f_A(e)(x), & \text{if } \varphi^{-1}(y) \neq \emptyset, \psi^{-1}(k) \neq \emptyset; \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for all  $k \in F$ , for all  $y \in Y$ .

(2) The preimage of  $g_B$  under the fuzzy soft mapping  $\varphi_\psi$ , denoted by  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)$  and is defined as,

$$\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)(e)(x) = g_B(\psi(e))(\varphi(x)), \text{ for all } e \in E, \text{ for all } x \in X.$$

**Definition 2.12.** [1] If  $\varphi$  and  $\psi$  are injective (surjective) then the fuzzy soft mapping  $\varphi_\psi$  is injective (surjective). If  $\varphi_\psi$  is both injective and surjective, then it is called bijective.

**Lemma 2.13.** [1] Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be two Universes,  $f_A, (f_A)_i \in (\widetilde{X, E}), g_B, (g_B)_i \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$ , for all  $i \in \Delta$  where  $\Delta$  is an index set, and  $\varphi_\psi$  is a soft mapping from  $(\widetilde{X, E})$  into  $(\widetilde{Y, F})$ . Then,

- (1) If  $(f_A)_1 \sqsubseteq (f_A)_2$ , then  $\varphi_\psi((f_A)_1) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi((f_A)_2)$ .
- (2) If  $(g_B)_1 \sqsubseteq (g_B)_2$ , then  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}((g_B)_1) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}((g_B)_2)$ .
- (3)  $f_A \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\varphi_\psi(f_A))$ , the equality holds if  $\varphi_\psi$  is injective.
- (4)  $\varphi_\psi(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)) \sqsubseteq g_B$ , the equality holds if  $\varphi_\psi$  is surjective.
- (5)  $\varphi_\psi(\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i) = \sqcup_{i \in \Delta} \varphi_\psi((f_A)_i)$ .
- (6)  $\varphi_\psi(\sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i) \sqsubseteq \sqcap_{i \in \Delta} \varphi_\psi((f_A)_i)$ , the equality holds if  $\varphi_\psi$  is injective.
- (7)  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (g_B)_i) = \sqcup_{i \in \Delta} \varphi_\psi^{-1}((g_B)_i)$ .
- (8)  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (g_B)_i) = \sqcap_{i \in \Delta} \varphi_\psi^{-1}((g_B)_i)$ .
- (9)  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B^c) = (\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B))^c$ .
- (10)  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(0_F) = 0_E, \varphi_\psi^{-1}(1_F) = 1_E$ .
- (11)  $\varphi_\psi(1_E) = 1_F$  if  $\varphi_\psi$  is surjective and  $\varphi_\psi(0_E) = 0_F$ .

### 3. FUZZY SOFT $r$ -CLOSURE AND $r$ -INTERIOR

In this section, we generalized the concept of fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau, E)$  in the sense of Šostak. Here,  $\tau: (\widetilde{X, E}) \rightarrow I$  is a mapping which assigns to every fuzzy soft set of  $X$  the real number. The value of  $\tau(f_A)$  is interpreted as the degree of openness of a fuzzy soft set  $f_A$ .

**Definition 3.1.** A fuzzy soft topology is a map  $\tau: (\widetilde{X, E}) \rightarrow I$ , satisfying the following three axioms:

- (1)  $\tau(0_E) = \tau(1_E) = 1$ ,
- (2)  $\tau(f_A \sqcap g_B) \geq \tau(f_A) \wedge \tau(g_B)$ , for all  $f_A, g_B \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ ,
- (3)  $\tau(\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Delta} \tau((f_A)_i)$ , for all  $((f_A)_i)_{i \in \Delta} \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ .

Then  $(X, \tau, E)$  is called a fuzzy soft topological space.

**Definition 3.2.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space and  $\eta: (\widetilde{X, E}) \rightarrow I$  defined by  $\eta(f_A) = \tau(f_A^c)$ , satisfying the following three axioms:

- (1)  $\eta(0_E) = \eta(1_E) = 1$ ,
- (2)  $\eta(f_A \sqcup g_B) \geq \eta(f_A) \wedge \tau(g_B)$ , for all  $f_A, g_B \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ ,
- (3)  $\eta(\sqcap_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in J} \eta((f_A)_i)$ , for all  $((f_A)_i)_{i \in J} \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ .

Then  $(X, \tau, E)$  is called a fuzzy soft cotopological space.

**Counterexample 3.3.** Let  $X = \{x, y\}$ ,  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ ,  $A = \{e_1, e_2\}$ ,  $B = \{e_2, e_3\}$ ,  $C = \{e_2\}$ . We define  $f_A, g_B, h_C, i_E \in (\widetilde{X, E})$  by  $f_A = \{f_A(e_1)_{[x,y]}^{[0.6,0.5]}, f_A(e_2)_{[x,y]}^{[0.5,0.4]}\}$ ,  $g_B = \{g_B(e_2)_{[x,y]}^{[0.5,0.4]}, g_B(e_3)_{[x,y]}^{[0.7,0.2]}\}$ ,  $h_C = \{h_C(e_2)_{[x,y]}^{[0.5,0.4]}\}$  and  $i_E = \{i_E(e_1)_{[x,y]}^{[0.5,0.4]}, i_E(e_2)_{[x,y]}^{[0.5,0.4]}, i_E(e_3)_{[x,y]}^{[0.7,0.2]}\}$ .

We define  $\tau: (\widetilde{X, E}) \rightarrow I$  by

$$\tau(U) = \begin{cases} 1, & U = 0_E \text{ or } 1_E, \\ 0.6, & U = f_A, \\ 0.5, & U = g_B, \\ 0.7, & U = h_C, \\ 0.5, & U = i_E, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- (1) Clearly,  $\tau(0_E) = \tau(1_E) = 1$ ,
- (2) Clearly, we have  $f_A \sqcap g_B = h_C$ ,  $f_A \sqcap h_C = h_C$ ,  $g_B \sqcap h_C = h_C$ ,  $f_A \sqcap i_E = f_A$ ,  $g_B \sqcap i_E = g_B$ ,  $h_C \sqcap i_E = h_C$ . Hence,  $\tau(f_A \sqcap g_B) \geq \tau(f_A) \wedge \tau(g_B)$ , for all  $f_A, g_B \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ ,
- (3) Clearly we verified that  $\tau(\sqcup_{i \in \Delta} (f_A)_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in J} \tau((f_A)_i)$ , for all  $((f_A)_i)_{i \in J} \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ .

Hence,  $(X, \tau, E)$  is called a fuzzy soft topological space.

**Definition 3.4.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space and  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ . Then  $f_A$  is called fuzzy soft  $r$ -open if  $\tau(f_A) \geq r$ , where  $r \in I_0$ .

**Definition 3.5.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space and  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ . Then  $f_A$  is called fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed if  $\tau(f_A^c) \geq r$ , where  $r \in I_0$ .

**Definition 3.6.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space and  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ ,  $r \in I_0$ . Then, fuzzy soft  $r$ -closure of  $f_A$  is denoted by  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  and is defined by  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r) = \sqcap \{ f_C : \tau(f_C^c) \geq r, f_A \sqsubseteq f_C \}$ .

Clearly,  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set which contains  $f_A$ .

**Definition 3.7.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space and  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ ,  $r \in I_0$ . Then, fuzzy soft  $r$ -interior of  $f_A$  is denoted by  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  and is defined by  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) = \sqcap \{ f_B : \tau(f_B) \geq r, f_B \sqsubseteq f_A \}$ .

Clearly,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set which contained in  $f_A$ .

**Theorem 3.8.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space. For each  $f_A, g_B \in (\widetilde{X, E})$  and  $r \in I_0$ . Then,

- (1)  $\text{Cl}(0_E, r) = 0_E$ .
- (2)  $f_A \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ .
- (3)  $\text{Cl}(\text{Cl}(f_A, r), r) = \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ .
- (4) If  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$ , then  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(g_B, r)$ .
- (5)  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed if and only if  $f_A = \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ .
- (6)  $\text{Cl}(f_A \sqcup g_B, r) = \text{Cl}(f_A, r) \sqcup \text{Cl}(g_B, r)$ .
- (7)  $\text{Cl}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r) \sqcap \text{Cl}(g_B, r)$ .

Proof. (1) Clearly,  $0_E \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(0_E, r)$ . Since,  $0_E$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set and  $\text{Cl}(0_E, r)$  is the smallest  $r$ -closed set containing  $0_E$ ,  $\text{Cl}(0_E, r) \sqsubseteq 0_E$ . Therefore,  $\text{Cl}(0_E, r) = 0_E$ .

(2) By the definition of fuzzy soft  $r$ -closure,  $f_A \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ .

(3) By (2),  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(\text{Cl}(f_A, r), r)$ . Here  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set. Since,  $\text{Cl}(\text{Cl}(f_A, r), r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set containing  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ ,  $\text{Cl}(\text{Cl}(f_A, r), r) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ . Therefore,  $\text{Cl}(\text{Cl}(f_A, r), r) = \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ .

(4) Since  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$ , we have  $\{ f_C : \tau(f_C^c) \geq r, f_A \sqsubseteq f_C \} \supseteq \{ f_C : \tau(f_C^c) \geq r, g_B \sqsubseteq f_C \}$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cl}(f_A, r) &= \sqcap \{ f_C : \tau(f_C^c) \geq r, f_A \sqsubseteq f_C \} \\ &\sqsubseteq \sqcap \{ f_C : \tau(f_C^c) \geq r, g_B \sqsubseteq f_C \} \\ &= \text{Cl}(g_B, r). \end{aligned}$$

(5) Assume that  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set. (2), we have  $f_A \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ . Since  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set and  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set containing

$f_A, Cl(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$ . Hence,  $Cl(f_A, r) = f_A$ .

Conversely, assume that  $Cl(f_A, r) = f_A$ . Since,  $Cl(f_A, r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set. Hence,  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set.

(6) Clearly,  $f_A \sqcup g_B \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A, r) \sqcup Cl(g_B, r)$ . Since,  $Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed containing  $f_A \sqcup g_B$ ,  $Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A, r) \sqcup Cl(g_B, r)$ .

Clearly,  $Cl(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$  and  $Cl(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$ . Therefore,  $Cl(f_A, r) \sqcup Cl(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$ . Hence,  $Cl(f_A \sqcup g_B, r) = Cl(f_A, r) \sqcup Cl(g_B, r)$ .

(7) Clearly,  $f_A \sqcap g_B \sqsubseteq f_A$  and  $f_A \sqcap g_B \sqsubseteq g_B$ . By (4),  $Cl(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A, r)$  and  $Cl(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(g_B, r)$ . Therefore,  $Cl(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Cl(f_A, r) \sqcap Cl(g_B, r)$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space. For each  $f_A, g_B \in \widetilde{(X, E)}$  and  $r \in I_0$ . Then,

- (1)  $Int(1_E, r) = 1_E$ .
- (2)  $Int(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$ .
- (3)  $Int(Int(f_A, r), r) = Int(f_A, r)$ .
- (4) If  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$ , then  $Int(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq Int(g_B, r)$ .
- (5)  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open if and only if  $f_A = Int(f_A, r)$ .
- (6)  $Int(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) = Int(f_A, r) \sqcap Int(g_B, r)$ .
- (7)  $Int(f_A, r) \sqcup Int(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq Int(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$ .

Proof. (1) Clearly,  $Int(1_E, r) \sqsubseteq 1_E$ . Since,  $1_E$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set and  $Int(1_E, r)$  is the largest  $r$ -open set contained in  $1_E$ ,  $1_E \sqsubseteq Int(1_E, r)$ . Therefore,  $Int(1_E, r) = 1_E$ .

(2) By the definition of fuzzy soft  $r$ -interior,  $Int(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$ .

(3) By (2),  $Int(Int(f_A, r), r) \sqsubseteq Int(f_A, r)$ . Here  $Int(f_A, r)$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set. Since,  $Int(Int(f_A, r), r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set contained in  $Int(f_A, r)$ ,  $Int(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq Int(Int(f_A, r), r)$ . Therefore,  $Int(Int(f_A, r), r) = Int(f_A, r)$ .

(4) Assume that  $f_A \sqsubseteq g_B$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} Int(f_A, r) &= \sqcup \{ f_C : \tau(f_C) \geq r, f_C \sqsubseteq f_A \} \\ &\sqsubseteq \sqcup \{ f_C : \tau(f_C) \geq r, f_C \sqsubseteq g_B \} \\ &= Int(g_B, r). \end{aligned}$$

(5) Assume that  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set. By (2), we have  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$ . Since  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set and  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set contained in  $f_A$ ,  $f_A \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A, r)$ . Hence,  $f_A = \text{Int}(f_A, r)$ .

Conversely, assume that  $f_A = \text{Int}(f_A, r)$ . Since,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set. Hence,  $f_A$  is fuzzy soft  $r$  open set.

(6) Clearly,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqcap \text{Int}(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq f_A \sqcap g_B$ . Since,  $\text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open contained in  $f_A \sqcap g_B$ ,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqcap \text{Int}(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r)$ .

Clearly,  $\text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A, r)$  and  $\text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(g_B, r)$ . Therefore,  $\text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqcap \text{Int}(g_B, r)$ . Hence,  $\text{Int}(f_A \sqcap g_B, r) = \text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqcap \text{Int}(g_B, r)$ .

(7) Clearly,  $f_A \sqsubseteq f_A \sqcup g_B$  and  $g_B \sqsubseteq f_A \sqcup g_B$ . By (4),  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$  and  $\text{Int}(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$ . Therefore,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqcup \text{Int}(g_B, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A \sqcup g_B, r)$ .

**Theorem 3.10..** Let  $(X, \tau, E)$  be a fuzzy soft topological space. For each  $f_A \in \widetilde{(X, E)}$ . Then,

$$(1) (\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c = \text{Cl}(f_A^c, r).$$

$$(2) (\text{Cl}(f_A, r))^c = \text{Int}(f_A^c, r).$$

Proof. (1) Clearly,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$  By Theorem 2.13(11),  $f_A^c \sqsubseteq (\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c$ . Since  $(\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed and by Theorem 3.8 (2) and (5),  $\text{Cl}(f_A^c, r) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}((\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c) = (\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c$ .

Now,  $f_A^c \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A^c, r)$  By Theorem 2.13(11),  $(\text{Cl}(f_A^c, r))^c \sqsubseteq (f_A^c)^c = f_A$ . Clearly  $(\text{Cl}(f_A^c, r))^c$  fuzzy soft  $r$ -open. Since  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  is the largest fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set contained in  $f_A$ ,  $(\text{Cl}(f_A^c, r))^c \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(f_A, r)$ . By Theorem 2.13(11),  $(\text{Int}(f_A, r))^c \sqsubseteq (\text{Cl}(f_A^c, r))^c = \text{Cl}(f_A^c, r)$ .

(2) Similar to (1).

#### 4. FUZZY SOFT $r$ -CONTINUITY

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping and  $r \in I_0$ . If  $\varphi_\psi$  is called fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous if  $\tau_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)) \geq r$  whenever  $g_B \in \widetilde{(Y, F)}$  and  $\tau_2(g_B) \geq r$ .

**Definition 4.2.** Let  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping and  $r \in I_0$ .

If  $\varphi_\psi$  is called fuzzy soft  $r$ -open if  $\tau_2(\varphi_\psi(f_A)) \geq r$  whenever  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$  and  $\tau_1(f_A) \geq r$ .

**Definition 4.3.** Let  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping and  $r \in I_0$ . If  $\varphi_\psi$  is called fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed if  $\eta_2(\varphi_\psi(f_A)) \geq r$  whenever  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$  and  $\eta_1(f_A) \geq r$ .

**Theorem 4.4.** Let  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping and  $r \in I_0$ . Then the following are equivalent:

- (1)  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous.
- (2)  $\eta_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)) \geq r$  whenever  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$  and  $\eta_2(g_B) \geq r$ .
- (3)  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r)) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$ , for all  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ .
- (4)  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B), r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(g_B, r))$  for all  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$ .
- (5)  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B), r)$ , for all  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$ .

Proof. (1)  $\rightarrow$  (2).

Assume that  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous. Let  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$  and  $\eta_2(g_B) \geq r$ . Clearly  $\eta_2(g_B) = \tau_2(g_B^c) \geq r$ . Since  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous,  $\tau_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B^c)) \geq r$ . By Lemma 2.13(9),  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B^c) = (\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B))^c$ . Hence,  $\tau_1((\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B))^c) \geq r$ . Therefore,  $\eta_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)) \geq r$ .

(2)  $\rightarrow$  (3).

Assume  $\eta_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(g_B)) \geq r$  whenever  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y, F})$  and  $\eta_2(g_B) \geq r$ . Let  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ . By Lemma 2.13(3) and by Theorem 3.8 (2),  $f_A \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\varphi_\psi(f_A)) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))$ . Since  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set,  $\eta_2(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)) \geq r$ . By our assumption  $\eta_1(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))) \geq r$ . Hence,  $\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))$  is a fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set such that  $f_A \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))$ . Since  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  is the smallest fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set containing  $f_A$ ,  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))$ . By Lemma 2.13(4),

$$(\text{Cl}(f_A, r)) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(\varphi_\psi^{-1}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r))) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r).$$

(3)  $\rightarrow$  (4).

Assume that  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r)) \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$ , for all  $f_A \in (\widetilde{X, E})$ . Let  $g_B \in$

$(\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$ . Then,  $\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B) \in (\widetilde{X}, \widetilde{E})$ . By our assumption and by Lemma 2.13 (4),  $\varphi_{\psi}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r)) \subseteq \text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B)), r) \subseteq \text{Cl}(g_B, r)$ . By Lemma 2.13 (3),  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r) \subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\varphi_{\psi}(\text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r))) \subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Cl}(g_B, r))$ .

(4)  $\rightarrow$  (5).

Assume that  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r) \subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Cl}(g_B, r))$  for all  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$ . Let  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$ . Clearly,  $g_B^c \in (\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$ . By our assumption,

$\text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B^c), r) \subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Cl}(g_B^c, r))$ . By Theorem 3.10 (1) and by Lemma 2.13 (9),

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{Int}((\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r))^c) &= \text{Cl}((\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B))^c, r) \\ &= \text{Cl}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B^c), r) \\ &\subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Cl}(g_B^c, r)) \\ &= \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)^c) \\ &= (\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)))^c. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r)$ .

(5)  $\rightarrow$  (1).

Assume that  $\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r)$ , for all  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$ .

Let  $g_B \in (\widetilde{Y}, \widetilde{F})$  and  $\tau_2(g_B) \geq r$ . Therefore,  $g_B = \text{Int}(g_B, r)$ . By our assumption and by Theorem 3.9 (2),

$$\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B) = \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(\text{Int}(g_B, r)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r) \subseteq \varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B).$$

Hence,  $\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B) = \text{Int}(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B), r)$ . By Theorem 3.9(5),  $(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B))$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open. Therefore,  $\tau_1(\varphi_{\psi}^{-1}(g_B)) \geq r$ . Thus,  $\varphi_{\psi}$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous.

**Theorem 4.5.** Let  $\varphi_{\psi}: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping and  $r \in I_0$ . Then,

(1)  $\varphi_{\psi}$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open mapping iff for each fuzzy soft set  $f_A$  over  $X$ ,

$$\varphi_{\psi}(\text{Int}(f_A, r)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_{\psi}(f_A), r).$$

(2)  $\varphi_{\psi}$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed mapping iff for each fuzzy soft set  $f_A$  over  $X$ ,

$$\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r)).$$

Proof. (1) Let  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open mapping and  $f_A$  be a fuzzy soft set over  $X$ . Clearly,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r)$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set. Since  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open and  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) \sqsubseteq f_A$ ,  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Int}(f_A, r))$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open set in  $Y$  and  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Int}(f_A, r)) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(f_A)$ . Since  $\text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$  is the largest  $r$ -open set contained in  $\varphi_\psi(f_A)$ ,  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Int}(f_A, r)) \sqsubseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$ .

Conversely  $\tau_1(f_A) \geq r$ , where  $f_A \in (\overline{X, E})$ . Hence,  $\text{Int}(f_A, r) = f_A$ .

By our assumption and by Theorem 3.9 (2),

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_\psi(f_A) &= \varphi_\psi(\text{Int}(f_A, r)) \\ &\sqsubseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(f_A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $\varphi_\psi(f_A) = \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$ . Therefore,  $\tau_2(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \geq r$ . Thus  $\varphi_\psi$  is a fuzzy soft  $r$ -open.

(2) Let  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed mapping and  $f_A$  be a fuzzy soft set over  $X$ . Clearly,  $\text{Cl}(f_A, r)$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set. Since  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed and  $f_A \sqsubseteq \text{Cl}(f_A, r)$ ,  $\varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r))$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed set in  $Y$  and  $\varphi_\psi(f_A) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r))$ . Since  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$  is the smallest  $r$ -closed set containing  $\varphi_\psi(f_A)$ ,  $\text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(\text{Cl}(f_A, r))$ .

Conversely  $f_A$  is fuzzy  $r$ -closed set over  $X$ . By our assumption and by Theorem 3.8 (2) and (5),

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Cl}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \varphi_\psi(f_A) &= \varphi_\psi(\text{Int}(f_A, r)) \\ &\sqsubseteq \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \sqsubseteq \varphi_\psi(f_A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,  $\varphi_\psi(f_A) = \text{Int}(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r)$ . Therefore,  $\tau_2(\varphi_\psi(f_A), r) \geq r$ . Thus  $\varphi_\psi(f_A)$  is a fuzzy soft  $r$ -open.

**Definition 4.6.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, E)$  and  $(Y, \tau_2, F)$  be two fuzzy soft topological spaces and  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a fuzzy soft mapping. If  $\varphi_\psi$  is a bijection, fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous and  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open mapping, then  $\varphi_\psi$  is said to be fuzzy soft  $r$ -homeomorphism from  $X$  to  $Y$ .

**Theorem 4.7.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, E)$  and  $(Y, \tau_2, F)$  be two fuzzy soft topological spaces and  $\varphi_\psi: (X, \tau_1, E) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_2, F)$  be a bijective and fuzzy soft  $r$ -continuous mapping.

Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- [1]  $\varphi_\psi$  is a fuzzy soft  $r$ -homeomorphism,
- [2]  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -closed mapping,
- [3]  $\varphi_\psi$  is fuzzy soft  $r$ -open mapping.

Proof. It is easily obtained.

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