

Fuzzy L-Quotient Ideals

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Abstract

In this paper, fuzzy L-ideal, f-invariant fuzzy L-ideal and fuzzy L-quotient ideal are defined. Also some theorems using f-invariant and fuzzy L-quotient are derived.

Keywords: Fuzzy L-ideals, fuzzy L-coset, fuzzy L-quotient ideals and f-invariant fuzzy L-ideal.

Introduction

L.A.Zadeh [1]. Introduced the concept of fuzzy sets in 1965. Also fuzzy group was introduced by Rosenfield [2]. Yuan and Wu [3] applied the concepts of fuzzy sets in lattice theory. The idea of fuzzy sublattice was introduced by Ajmal [4]. In paper [5], the definition of fuzzy L-ideal, level fuzzy L-ideal, union and intersection of fuzzy L-ideals, theorems, propositions and examples are given. In this present paper, fuzzy L-ideal, f-invariant fuzzy L-ideal and fuzzy L-quotient ideal are introduced. Some homomorphism theorems and lemmas are derived. Some more results related to this topic are also established.

Preliminaries

Fuzzy L-ideal, level fuzzy L-ideal are defined and examples are given.

Definition: 2.1 A fuzzy subset $\mu : L \rightarrow [0,1]$ of L is called a fuzzy L-ideal of L if $\forall x, y \in L$,

- (i) $\mu(x \vee y) \geq \min \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}$
- (ii) $\mu(x \wedge y) \geq \max \{ \mu(x), \mu(y) \}$.

Example: 2.2 Let $L = \{ 0, a, b, 1 \}$. Let $\mu : L \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a fuzzy set in L defined by $\mu(0)$

$= 0.9$, $\mu(a) = 0.5$, $\mu(b) = 0.5$, $\mu(c) = 0.5$, $\mu(1) = 0.5$. Then μ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L.

Definition: 2.3 Let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L and let $t \in [0,1]$. Then $\mu_t = \{x \in L / \mu(x) \geq t\}$ is called level fuzzy L-ideal of μ .

Example : 2.4 Let $L = \{0, a, b, 1\}$. Let $\mu : L \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a fuzzy set in L defined by $\mu(0) = 0.7$, $\mu(a) = 0.5$, $\mu(b) = 0.5$, $\mu(c) = 0.5$, $\mu(1) = 0.5$. Then μ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L. In this example, let $t = 0.5$.

Then $\mu_t = \mu_{0.5} = \{a, b, c, 1\}$.

Fuzzy L-quotient ideals

In this section, some definitions, lemma and theorems on fuzzy L-quotient ideals are derived.

Definition: 3.1

Let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L. Then the fuzzy subset μ_x^* of L, where $x \in L$, defined by $\mu_x^*(y) = \mu[y \wedge x]$, for all $y \in L$, is termed as the fuzzy L-coset determined by x and μ .

Remark: 3.2

If μ is constant, then $L_\mu = \mu^*(0)$.

Theorem: 3.3

Let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L. Then μ_x^* , for all $x \in L$, the fuzzy L-coset of μ in L is also fuzzy L-ideal of L.

Proof:

Given μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of L and μ_x^* is a fuzzy L-coset of x in L/ μ .

To prove: μ_x^* is a fuzzy L-ideal.

That is to prove,

- i. For all $y, z \in L$,
 $\mu_x^*(y \vee z) = \mu[(y \vee z) \wedge x]$, by definition
 $= \mu[(y \wedge x) \vee (z \wedge x)]$
 $\geq \min\{\mu(y \wedge x), \mu(z \wedge x)\}$
 $\geq \min\{\mu_x^*(y), \mu_x^*(z)\}$.
- ii. $\mu_x^*(y \wedge z) = \mu[(y \wedge z) \wedge x]$, by definition
 $= \mu[(y \wedge x) \wedge (z \wedge x)]$
 $\geq \max\{\mu(y \wedge x), \mu(z \wedge x)\}$
 $\geq \max\{\mu_x^*(y), \mu_x^*(z)\}$.

Hence μ_x^* is a fuzzy L-ideal of L.

Lemma: 3.4

If μ is any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L, then the following holds:

$$\mu(x) = \mu(0) \Leftrightarrow \mu_x^* = \mu_0^*, \text{ where } x \in L.$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } \mu(x) = \mu(0). \text{ -----} \quad (1)$$

$$\forall y \in L, \mu(y) \leq \mu(0) \text{ -----} \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we have $\mu(y) \leq \mu(x)$.

Case (i):

If $\mu(y) < \mu(x)$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(y \wedge x) &\geq \max \{ \mu(y), \mu(x) \} \\ &= \mu(x). \end{aligned}$$

Case (ii):

If $\mu(y) = \mu(x)$, then $x, y \in \mu_t$, where $t = \mu(0)$.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(y \wedge x) &\geq \max \{ \mu(y), \mu(x) \} \\ &= \mu(x) \\ &= \mu(0). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\mu(y \wedge x) = \mu(0) = \mu(y) = \mu(x).$$

Thus in either case, $\mu(y \wedge x) = \mu(x)$, $\forall y \in L$.

$$(i.e) \mu_x^*(y) = \mu(x) = \mu_x^*(0).$$

Therefore

$$\mu_x^* = \mu_0^*.$$

The converse is straight forward.

Lemma: 3.5

If μ is a fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L, then $L/\mu_t \cong L_\mu$, where $t = \mu(0)$.

Proof:

To Prove $f: L \rightarrow L_\mu$ is a map defined by $f(x) = \mu_x^*$, for all $x \in L$ is an onto homomorphism.

(i.e) to prove

$$\begin{aligned} (i) \quad f(x \wedge y) &= \mu_{x \wedge y}^* \\ &= \mu_{x \wedge y}^*(z) \\ &= \mu[(x \wedge y) \wedge z] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mu[(x \wedge z) \wedge \mu(y \wedge z)] \\
&= \mu(x \wedge z) \wedge \mu(y \wedge z) \\
&= \mu_x^* \wedge \mu_y^*.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(ii) } f(x \vee y) &= \mu_{x \vee y}^* \\
&= \mu_{x \vee y}^*(z) \\
&= \mu[(x \vee y) \wedge z] \\
&= \mu[(x \wedge z) \vee \mu(y \wedge z)] \\
&= \mu(x \wedge z) \vee \mu(y \wedge z) \\
&= \mu_x^* \vee \mu_y^*.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore f is an onto homomorphism.

Now, $f(x) = \mu_x^* \Leftrightarrow \mu_x^* = \mu_0^*$.

$\Leftrightarrow \mu(x) = \mu(0)$, by lemma 3.4

This shows that kernnal of f equal μ_t .

Therefore $L/\mu_t \cong L_\mu$.

Theorem: 3.6

Let f be a homomorphism from a lattice L onto a lattice L' and let μ be any f -invariant fuzzy L -ideal of L . Then $L_\mu \cong L'_{f(\mu)}$.

Proof:

Since μ is f -invariant, $K_f \subseteq \mu_t$, where $t = \mu(0)$.

Now, $[f(\mu)](0') = t$, because

$$\begin{aligned}
[f(\mu)](0') &= \sup_{x \in f^{-1}(0')} \mu(x) \\
&= \mu(0), \text{ since } f(0) = 0' \text{ and } \mu(x) \leq \mu(0), \\
&\quad \forall x \in L.
\end{aligned}$$

Next,

$[f(\mu)]_t = f(\mu_t)$, since

$$f(x) \in [f(\mu)]_t \Leftrightarrow [f(\mu)(f(x))] \geq t$$

$$[f^{-1}([f(\mu)]_t)](x) \geq t$$

$$\mu(x) \geq t, \text{ as } f^{-1}([f(\mu)]_t) = \mu_t,$$

$$x \in \mu_t$$

$$f(x) \in f(\mu_t), \text{ because } K_f \subseteq \mu_t.$$

Therefore, by theorem 3.5,

$$L_\mu \cong L / \mu_t \text{ and } L'_{f(\mu)} \cong L' / [f(\mu)]_t$$

Also, note that $L / \mu_t \cong L'_{f(\mu_t)}$.

From this, it can be shown that

$$L_\mu \cong L / \mu_t \cong L'_{f(\mu_t)} \cong L' / [f(\mu)]_t \cong L'_{f(\mu)}.$$

$$L_\mu \cong L'_{f(\mu)}.$$

Definition: 3.7

Let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of L. The fuzzy L-quotient ideal μ^* of L_μ ($= L/\mu_t$) is defined by $\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) = \mu(x)$, $\forall x \in L$, where $\mu_t = \{ x / \mu(x) = \mu(0) = t \}$.

Theorem: 3.8

If μ is any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L, then the fuzzy subset μ^* of L_μ defined by $\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) = \mu(x)$, where $x \in L$, is a fuzzy L-ideal of L_μ .

Proof:

Given that μ is a fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L.

To show that the fuzzy subset μ^* of L_μ defined by $\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) = \mu(x)$, where $x \in L$, is a fuzzy L-ideal of L.

For this, let $x, y \in L$.

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.} \quad \mu^*[(x \vee \mu_t) \vee (y \vee \mu_t)] &= \mu^*(x \vee y \vee \mu_t) \\ &= \mu(x \vee y) \\ &\geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii.} \quad \mu^*[(x \vee \mu_t) \wedge (y \vee \mu_t)] &= \mu^*(x \wedge y \vee \mu_t) \\ &= \mu(x \wedge y) \\ &\geq \max\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore μ^* is a fuzzy L-ideal of L_μ .

Theorem: 3.9

- i. Let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of a lattice L and let $t = \mu(0)$. Then the fuzzy subset μ^* of L/μ_t defined by $\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) = \mu(x)$, for all $x \in L$ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L/μ_t .
- ii. If A is a ideal of L and θ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L/A such that $\theta(x \vee A) = \theta(A)$ only when $x \in A$, then there exists a fuzzy L-ideal μ of L such that $\mu_t = A$ [$t = \mu(0)$] and $\theta = \mu^*$.

Proof:

- i. Since μ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L, μ_t is an ideal of L.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} x \vee \mu_t &= y \vee \mu_t \\ \Rightarrow x \wedge y &\in \mu_t \\ \Rightarrow \mu(x \wedge y) &= t = \mu(0) \\ \Rightarrow \mu(x) &= \mu(y) \\ \Rightarrow \mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) &= \mu^*(y \vee \mu_t). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore μ^* is well defined.

Next, for all $x, y \in L$,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu^* [(x \vee \mu_t) \wedge (y \vee \mu_t)] &= \mu^* [(x \wedge y) \vee \mu_t] \\
&= \mu(x \wedge y) \\
&\geq \max\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\} \\
&= \max\{\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t), \mu^*(y \vee \mu_t)\}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu^* [(x \vee \mu_t) \vee (y \vee \mu_t)] &= \mu^* [(x \vee y) \vee \mu_t] \\
&= \mu(x \vee y) \\
&\geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\} \\
&= \min\{\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t), \mu^*(y \vee \mu_t)\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore μ^* is a fuzzy L-ideal of L/μ_t .

ii. Define $\mu: L \rightarrow [0,1]$ by $\mu(x) = \theta(x \vee A)$ for all $x \in L$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Then } \mu(x \vee y) &= \theta(x \vee y \vee A) \\
&\geq \min\{\theta(x \vee A), \theta(y \vee A)\} \\
&= \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu(x \wedge y) &= \theta(x \wedge y \vee A) \\
&\geq \max\{\theta(x \vee A), \theta(y \vee A)\} \\
&= \max\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore μ is a fuzzy L-ideal.

Also, $\mu_t = A$, because

$$\begin{aligned}
x \in \mu_t &\Leftrightarrow \mu(x) = \mu(0) \\
&\Leftrightarrow \theta(x \vee A) = \theta(A) \\
&\Leftrightarrow x \in A.
\end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu^*(x \vee \mu_t) &= \mu(x) \\
&= \theta(x \vee A) \\
&= \theta(x \vee \mu_t).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence $\mu^* = \theta$.

Theorem: 3.10

Let L be any lattice. Let μ^* be any fuzzy L-ideal of the quotient lattice L/K , where K is any subset of L . Then corresponding to μ^* in L/K , there exists a fuzzy L-ideal in L .

Proof:

Let μ^* be any fuzzy L-ideal of L/K .

Define the fuzzy subset θ of L by $\theta(x) = \mu^*(x \vee k)$, $\forall x \in L$.

To prove: θ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L :

$$\theta(x \vee y) = \mu^*[(x \vee y) \vee k]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \mu^* [(x \vee k) \vee (y \vee k)] \\
&\geq \min \{ \mu^* (x \vee k), \mu^* (y \vee k) \} \\
&= \min \{ \theta(x), \theta(y) \}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\theta(x \vee y) \geq \min \{ \theta(x), \theta(y) \}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\theta(x \wedge y) &= \mu^* [(x \wedge y) \vee k] \\
&= \mu^* [(x \vee k) \wedge (y \vee k)] \\
&\geq \max \{ \mu^* (x \vee k), \mu^* (y \vee k) \} \\
&= \max \{ \theta(x), \theta(y) \}.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\theta(x \wedge y) \geq \max \{ \theta(x), \theta(y) \}$

Hence θ is a fuzzy L-ideal of L.

Theorem: 3.11

Let f be a homomorphism from a lattice L onto a lattice L' and let μ be any fuzzy L-ideal of L such that $\mu_t \subseteq K_f$, where $t = \mu(0)$. Then there exists a unique homomorphism f' from L_μ onto L' with the property that $f = f' \circ g$ where $g(x) = \mu_x^*$, $\forall x \in L$.

Proof:

Define a function $f': L_\mu \rightarrow L'$ by $f'(\mu_x^*) = f(x)$, $\forall x \in L$.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
\mu_x^* &= \mu_y^* \\
\Rightarrow \mu_{x \wedge y}^* &= \mu_0^* \\
\Rightarrow \mu(x \wedge y) &= \mu(0) = t \\
\Rightarrow x \wedge y &\in \mu_t \subseteq K_f \\
\Rightarrow f(x) &= f(y) \\
\Rightarrow f'(\mu_x^*) &= f'(\mu_y^*).
\end{aligned}$$

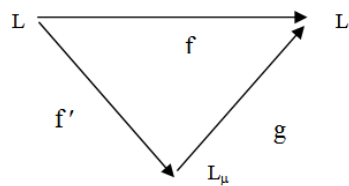
Therefore f' is well defined.

Since f is onto, f' is also onto.

Therefore f' is homomorphism.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
f(x) &= f'(\mu_x^*) \\
&= f'[g(x)] \\
&= [f' \circ g](x), \forall x \in L.
\end{aligned}$$



Finally, to show that this factorization of f is unique.

Suppose that $f = h \circ g$ for some function $h: L_\mu \rightarrow L'$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } f'(\mu_x^*) &= f(x) \\ &= [h \circ g](x) \\ &= h[g(x)] \\ &= h(\mu_x^*), \forall x \in L. \\ &\Rightarrow f' = h. \end{aligned}$$

Hence there is a unique homomorphism f' from L_μ onto L' with the property that $f = f' \circ g$, where $g(x) = \mu_x^*, \forall x \in L$.

Corollary: 3.12

The induced f' is an isomorphism iff μ is f -invariant.

Proof:

Let f' be one - one.

Claim: μ is f -invariant

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } x, y \in L. \\ f(x) &= f(y) \\ \Rightarrow f'(\mu_x^*) &= f'(\mu_y^*) \\ \Rightarrow \mu_x^* &= \mu_y^* \\ \Rightarrow \mu_{x \wedge y}^* &= \mu_0^* \\ \Rightarrow \mu(x \wedge y) &= \mu(0) \\ \Rightarrow \mu(x) &= \mu(y). \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, let μ be f -invariant.

Claim: f' is one – one.

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x) &= \mu(y) \\ \Rightarrow f'[\mu(x)] &= f'[\mu(y)] \\ \Rightarrow f'(\mu_x^*) &= f'(\mu_y^*) \\ \Rightarrow f(x) &= f(y) \\ \Rightarrow \mu(x) &= \mu(y), \text{ since } f \text{ is invariant} \\ \Rightarrow \mu_x^* &= \mu_y^* \\ \Rightarrow f &\text{ is one – one.} \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion

In this paper, the definition, lemma and some homomorphism theorems in fuzzy L-quotient ideals are given. Using these, various results can be developed under the topic fuzzy L-Quotient ideals.

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