

A Note On Fuzzy Baire Spaces

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Abstract

In continuation of earlier work [8] we further investigate several properties and Characterizations of fuzzy Baire spaces.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of fuzzy sets and fuzzy set operations were first introduced by L. A. ZADEH in his classical paper [11] in the year 1965. Thereafter the paper of C. L. CHANG [3] in 1968 paved the way for the subsequent tremendous growth of the numerous fuzzy topological concepts. Since then much attention has been paid to generalize the basic concepts of General Topology in fuzzy setting and thus a modern theory of fuzzy topology has been developed. In recent years, fuzzy topology has been found to be very useful in solving many practical problems. SHIHONG Du et. al [4] are currently working to fuzzify the very successful 9-intersection Egenhofer model for depicting topological relations in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) query.

TANG [7] has used a slightly changed version of Chang's fuzzy topological spaces to model spatial objects for GIS databases and Structured Query Language (SQL) for GIS. The concepts of Baire spaces have been studied extensively in classical topology in [5], [6], [12], [13] and [14] . The concept of Baire spaces in fuzzy setting was introduced and studied by the authors in [8]. In this paper we discuss several characterizations of fuzzy Baire spaces.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Now we introduce some basic notions and results used in the sequel.

In this work by (X, T) or simply by X , we will denote a fuzzy topological space due to CHANG.

DEFINITION 2. 1: Let λ and μ be any two fuzzy sets in (X, T) . Then we define $\lambda \vee \mu: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ as follows: $(\lambda \vee \mu)(x) = \text{Max} \{ \lambda(x), \mu(x) \}$. Also we define $\lambda \wedge \mu: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ as follows: $(\lambda \wedge \mu)(x) = \text{Min} \{ \lambda(x), \mu(x) \}$.

DEFINITION 2. 2: Let (X, T) be a fuzzy topological space and λ be any fuzzy set in (X, T) . We define $\text{int}(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \mu / \mu \leq \lambda, \mu \in T \}$ and $\text{cl}(\lambda) = \bigwedge \{ \mu / \lambda \leq \mu, 1 - \mu \in T \}$.

For any fuzzy set in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) , it is easy to see that $1 - \text{cl}(\lambda) = \text{int}(1 - \lambda)$ and $1 - \text{int}(\lambda) = \text{cl}(1 - \lambda)$ [1].

DEFINITION 2. 3 [10]: A fuzzy set λ in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called fuzzy dense if there exists no fuzzy closed set μ in (X, T) such that $\lambda < \mu < 1$.

DEFINITION 2. 4 [8]: A fuzzy set λ in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called fuzzy nowhere dense if there exists no non-zero fuzzy open set μ in (X, T) such that $\mu \sqcap \text{cl}(\lambda) = 0$. That is, $\text{int} \text{cl}(\lambda) = 0$.

DEFINITION 2. 5 [9]: A fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called a fuzzy open hereditarily irresolvable space if $\text{int} \text{cl}(\lambda) \neq 0$, then $\text{int}(\lambda) \neq 0$ for any non-zero fuzzy set λ in (X, T) .

DEFINITION 2. 6 [2]: A fuzzy set λ in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called a fuzzy F_σ -set in (X, T) if $\lambda = \bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i$ where $1 - \lambda_i \in T$ for $i \in I$.

DEFINITION 2. 7 [2]: A fuzzy set λ in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called a fuzzy G_δ -set in (X, T) if $\lambda = \bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i$ where $\lambda_i \in T$ for $i \in I$.

DEFINITION 2. 8 [10]: A fuzzy set λ in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called fuzzy first category if $\lambda = \bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} (\lambda_i)$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) .

Any other fuzzy set in (X, T) is said to be of second category.

DEFINITION 2. 9 [8]: Let λ be a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) . Then $1 - \lambda$ is called a fuzzy residual set in (X, T) .

DEFINITION 2. 10 [10]: A fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called fuzzy first category if $1 = \bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} (\lambda_i)$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . A topological space which is not of fuzzy first category, is said to be of fuzzy second category.

Lemma 2. 1 [1]: For a family of $\{\lambda_\alpha\}$ of fuzzy sets of a fuzzy topological space (X, T) , $\vee \text{cl}(\lambda_\alpha) \leq \text{cl}(\vee \lambda_\alpha)$. In case A is a finite set, $\vee \text{cl}(\lambda_\alpha) = \text{cl}(\vee \lambda_\alpha)$.

Also $\vee \text{int}(\lambda_\alpha) \leq \text{int}(\vee \lambda_\alpha)$.

DEFINITION 2. 11 [10]: A fuzzy topological space (X, T) is called a fuzzy resolvable space if there exists a fuzzy dense set λ in (X, T) such that $\text{cl}(1 - \lambda) = 1$. Otherwise (X, T) is called a fuzzy irresolvable space.

3. FUZZY BAIRE SPACES

DEFINITION 3. 1 [8]: Let (X, T) be a fuzzy topological space. Then (X, T) is called a fuzzy Baire Space if $\text{int}(\bigvee_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i)) = 0$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) .

THEOREM 3. 1[8]: Let (X, T) be a fuzzy topological space. Then the following are equivalent:

1. (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.
2. $\text{Int}(\lambda) = 0$ for every fuzzy first category set λ in (X, T) .
3. $\text{cl}(\mu) = 1$ for every fuzzy residual set μ in (X, T) .

PROPOSITION 3. 1: If λ is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy G_δ -set in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) , then $1 - \lambda$ is a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) .

PROOF: Since λ is a fuzzy G_δ -set in (X, T) , $\lambda = \bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i)$ where $\lambda_i \in T$ and since λ is a fuzzy dense set in (X, T) , $\text{cl}(\lambda) = 1$. Then $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i)) = 1$. But $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i)) \leq \bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty \text{cl}(\lambda_i)$. Hence $1 \leq \bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty \text{cl}(\lambda_i)$. That is, $\bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty \text{cl}(\lambda_i) = 1$. Then we have $\text{cl}(\lambda_i) = 1$ for each $\lambda_i \in T$ and hence $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\lambda_i)) = 1$ which implies that $1 - \text{cl}(\text{int}(\lambda_i)) = 0$ and hence $\text{int}(\text{cl}(1 - \lambda_i)) = 0$. Therefore $1 - \lambda_i$ is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in (X, T) . Now $1 - \lambda = 1 - \bigwedge_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i) = \bigvee_{i=1}^\infty (1 - \lambda_i)$ Therefore $1 - \lambda = \bigvee_{i=1}^\infty (1 - \lambda_i)$ where $(1 - \lambda_i)$'s are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . Hence $1 - \lambda$ is a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) .

PROPOSITION 3. 2: If λ is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy G_δ -set in a fuzzy topological space (X, T) , then λ is a fuzzy residual set in (X, T) .

PROOF: Since λ is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy G_δ -set in (X, T) , by proposition 3. 1, we have $1 - \lambda$ is a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) and hence λ is a fuzzy residual set in (X, T) .

PROPOSITION 3. 3: If a fuzzy topological space (X, T) has a fuzzy dense and fuzzy G_δ set, then (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.

PROOF: Let λ be a fuzzy dense and fuzzy G_δ -set in (X, T) . Then by proposition 3. 1, $1 - \lambda$ is a first category set in (X, T) and $(1 - \lambda) = \bigvee_{i=1}^\infty (1 - \lambda_i)$ where $(1 - \lambda_i)$'s are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . But $\text{int}(1 - \lambda) = 1 - \text{cl}(\lambda) = 1 - 1 = 0$ (since λ

is fuzzy dense, $\text{cl}(\lambda) = 1$). Then $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(1 - \lambda_i)) = \text{int}(1 - \lambda) = 0$ and hence (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.

PROPOSITION 3. 4: If the fuzzy topological space (X, T) is a fuzzy first category space, then (X, T) is not a fuzzy Baire space.

PROOF: Since (X, T) is a fuzzy first category space, then $V_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i = 1$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . Therefore $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = \text{int}(1) = 1 \neq 0$. Hence $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) \neq 0$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) and therefore (X, T) is not a fuzzy Baire space.

PROPOSITION 3. 5: If λ is a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) , then there is a fuzzy F_{σ} -set η in (X, T) such that $\lambda \leq \eta$.

PROOF: Let λ be a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) . Then, $\lambda = V_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . Now $1 - \text{cl}(\lambda_i)$ is a fuzzy open set in (X, T) . Then $\bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty} [1 - \text{cl}(\lambda_i)]$ is a fuzzy G_{δ} -set in (X, T) . Let $\mu = \bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty} [1 - \text{cl}(\lambda_i)]$. Now $\bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty} [1 - \text{cl}(\lambda_i)] = 1 - V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\text{cl} \lambda_i) \leq 1 - V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i) = 1 - \lambda$. Hence $\mu \leq 1 - \lambda$. Then $\lambda \leq 1 - \mu$. Let $\eta = 1 - \mu$. Since μ is a fuzzy G_{δ} -set in (X, T) , η is a fuzzy F_{σ} -set in (X, T) . Therefore, if λ is a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) , then there is a fuzzy F_{σ} -set η in (X, T) such that $\lambda \leq \eta$.

REMARKS: If $\text{int}(\eta) = 0$ in the above proposition, then (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space. For, $\text{int}(\lambda) \leq \text{int}(\eta) = 0$ implies that $\text{int}(\lambda) = 0$ and hence (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.

THEOREM 3. 2 [9]: If (X, T) is a fuzzy open hereditarily irresolvable space and if $\text{int}(\mu) = 0$, then $\text{int} \text{cl}(\mu) = 0$, for any non-zero fuzzy set μ in (X, T) .

PROPOSITION 3. 6: If $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = 1$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy dense sets in a fuzzy open hereditarily irresolvable space, then (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.

PROOF: Now $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = 1$, where $\text{cl}(\lambda_i) = 1$, implies that $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(1 - \lambda_i)) = 0$, where $\text{int}(1 - \lambda_i) = 0$. Let $\mu_i = 1 - \lambda_i$. Then, $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\mu_i)) = 0$, where $\text{int}(\mu_i) = 0$. Since (X, T) is a fuzzy open hereditarily irresolvable space, $\text{int}(\mu_i) = 0$ implies that $\text{int} \text{cl}(\mu_i) = 0$. Hence μ_i is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in (X, T) . Hence $\text{int}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\mu_i)) = 0$, where μ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) , implies that (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space.

PROPOSITION 3. 7: If (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire irresolvable space, then $\text{cl}(V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) \neq 1$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) .

PROOF: Let λ be a fuzzy first category set in (X, T) . Then $\lambda = V_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)$, where λ_i 's

are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . Since (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space, $\text{int}(\lambda) = 0$. Then $1 - \text{int}(\lambda) = 1$, which implies that $\text{cl}(1 - \lambda) = 1$. Since (X, T) is a fuzzy irresolvable space, $\text{cl}[1 - (1 - \lambda)] \neq 1$. Hence $\text{cl}(\lambda) \neq 1$ and therefore $\text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) \neq 1$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) .

PROPOSITION 3. 8: If (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire space and if $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i) = 1$, where λ_i 's are fuzzy regular closed sets in (X, T) , then $\text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\text{int}(\lambda_i))) = 1$.

PROOF: Suppose that $\text{int}(\lambda_i) = 0$ for each $i \in I$. Now λ_i is a fuzzy regular closed in (X, T) implies that λ_i is a fuzzy closed in (X, T) . Also $\text{int}(\lambda_i) = 0$, implies that $\text{int}(\text{cl}(\lambda_i)) = 0$ and hence λ_i is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in (X, T) . Now $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i) = 1$ implies that $\text{int}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = \text{int}(1) = 1 \dots (1)$. Since (X, T) is a fuzzy Baire Space, $\text{int}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = 0$ where λ_i 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in (X, T) . From (1) we have $0 = 1$, which is a contradiction, Hence we have $\text{int}(\lambda_i) \neq 0$, for at least one i . Hence $(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{int}(\lambda_i)) \neq 0$. Now $(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{cl}(\lambda_i)) \leq \text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i))$ implies that $(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{cl}(\text{int}(\lambda_i))) \leq \text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\text{int}(\lambda_i)))$.

That is, $\text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{int}(\lambda_i)) \geq (\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{cl}(\text{int}(\lambda_i))) = (\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty}(\lambda_i)) = 1$, [since λ_i is fuzzy regular closed]. Then $\text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{int}(\lambda_i)) \geq 1$. That is, $\text{cl}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{int}(\lambda_i)) = 1$.

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