

g''' - OPEN SETS IN FUZZY TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we offer a new class of sets called fuzzy g''' -open sets in fuzzy topological spaces. It turns out that this class lies between the class of fuzzy open sets and the class of fuzzy generalized open sets.

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INTRODUCTION

Recently, Jeyaraman et al. [6] have introduced the concept of fuzzy g''' -closed sets and studied its basic fundamental properties in fuzzy topological spaces. In this paper, we introduce a new class of sets namely fuzzy g''' -open sets in fuzzy topological spaces. Also, we investigate the relationships among related fuzzy generalized open sets.

PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper (X, τ) and (Y, σ) (or X and Y) represent fuzzy topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a fuzzy subset A of a space (X, τ) , $\text{cl}(A)$, $\text{int}(A)$ and A^c denote the closure of A , the interior of A and the complement of A respectively.

We recall the following definitions which are useful in the sequel.

Definition 2.1:

A subset A of a space (X, τ) is called:

- (i) fuzzy semi-open set [1] if $A \leq \text{cl}(\text{int}(A))$;
- (ii) fuzzy preopen set [4] if $A \leq \text{int}(\text{cl}(A))$;
- (iii) fuzzy α -open set [4] if $A \leq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)))$;
- (iv) fuzzy β -open set [13] (= fuzzy semi-preopen [13]) if $A \leq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(A)))$;
- (v) fuzzy regular open set [1] if $A = \text{int}(\text{cl}(A))$.

The complements of the above mentioned fuzzy open sets are called their respective fuzzy closed sets.

The fuzzy semi-closure [15] (resp. fuzzy α -closure [7], fuzzy semi-preclosure [13]) of a fuzzy subset A of X , denoted by $\text{scl}(A)$ (resp. $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$, $\text{spcl}(A)$) is defined to be the intersection of all fuzzy semi-closed (resp. fuzzy α -closed, fuzzy semi-preclosed) sets of (X, τ) containing A . It is known that $\text{scl}(A)$ (resp. $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$, $\text{spcl}(A)$) is a fuzzy semi-closed (resp. fuzzy α -closed, fuzzy semi-preclosed) set.

Definition 2.2:

A fuzzy subset A of a space (X, τ) is called:

- (i) a fuzzy generalized closed (briefly, fuzzy g-closed) set [2] if $\text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy open in (X, τ) . The complement of fuzzy g-closed set is called fuzzy g-open set;
- (ii) a fuzzy semi-generalized closed (briefly fsg-closed) set [3] if $\text{scl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy semi-open in (X, τ) . The complement of fsg-closed set is called fsg-open set;
- (iii) a fuzzy generalized semi-closed (briefly fgs-closed) set [10] if $\text{scl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy open in (X, τ) . The complement of fgs-closed set is called fgs-open set;

- (iv) a fuzzy α -generalized closed (briefly $f\alpha$ -g-closed) set [11] if $\alpha \text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f\alpha$ -g-closed set is called $f\alpha$ -g-open set;
- (v) a fuzzy generalized semi-preclosed (briefly $fgsp$ -closed) set [9] if $\text{spcl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy open in (X, τ) . The complement of $fgsp$ -closed set is called $fgsp$ -open set;
- (vi) a fuzzy ω -closed set (briefly $f\omega$ -closed) [12] if $\text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy semi-open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f\omega$ -closed set is called $f\omega$ -open set;
- (vii) a fuzzy αg_s -closed set (briefly $f\alpha g_s$ -closed) [6] if $\alpha \text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fuzzy semi-open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f\alpha g_s$ -closed set is called $f\alpha g_s$ -open set;
- (viii) a fuzzy g^*s -closed set (briefly $f g^*s$ -closed) [6] if $\text{scl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fgs -open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f g^*s$ -closed set is called $f g^*s$ -open set;
- (ix) a fuzzy g''' -closed set (briefly $f g'''$ -closed) [6] if $\text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fgs -open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f g'''$ -closed set is called $f g'''$ -open set;
- (x) a fuzzy g''_{α} -closed set (briefly $f g''_{\alpha}$ -closed) [6] if $\alpha \text{cl}(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ and U is fgs -open in (X, τ) . The complement of $f g''_{\alpha}$ -closed set is called $f g''_{\alpha}$ -open set;

Proposition 2.3[6]:

For any fuzzy topological space (X, τ) , the following assertions hold:

- (i) Every fuzzy closed set is fuzzy g''' -closed but not conversely.
- (ii) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g''_{α} -closed but not conversely.
- (iii) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g^*s -closed but not conversely.
- (iv) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy ω -closed but not conversely.
- (v) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy sg -closed but not conversely.
- (vi) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g -closed but not conversely.
- (vii) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy αg_s -closed but not conversely.

- (viii) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy αg -closed but not conversely.
- (ix) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g_s -closed but not conversely.
- (x) Every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g_{sp} -closed but not conversely.

3. FUZZY g''' -OPEN SETS

In this section, we discuss some relation between fuzzy g''' -open set and fuzzy generalized open sets.

Definition 3.1:

A fuzzy subset A of a space (X, τ) is called fuzzy g''' -open set in X if A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set in (X, τ) .

The collection of all fuzzy g''' -open set in X is denoted by $G''' O(X)$.

Proposition 3.2:

Every fuzzy open set is fuzzy g''' -open set.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy closed set is fuzzy g''' -closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Hence A is fuzzy g''' -open set.

The converse of Proposition 3.2 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.3:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$ with $\tau = \{0_x, A, 1_x\}$ where A is fuzzy set in X defined by $A(a)=1, A(b)=0$. Then (X, τ) is a fuzzy topological space. Clearly B defined by $B(a)=0.5, B(b)=0$ is fuzzy g''' -open set but not fuzzy open.

Proposition 3.4:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy g''''_α -open set.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g''''_α -closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy g''''_α -closed set. Hence A is fuzzy g''''_α -open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.4 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.5:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$ with $\tau = \{0_x, \lambda, 1_x\}$ where λ is fuzzy set in X defined by $\lambda(a)=0.6, \lambda(b)=0.5$. Then (X, τ) is a fuzzy topological space. Clearly μ defined by $\mu(a)=0.6, \mu(b)=0.6$ is fuzzy g_α''' -open set but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.6:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy g^* s-open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g^* s-closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy g^* s-closed set. Hence A is fuzzy g^* s-open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.6 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.7:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$ with $\tau = \{0_x, \alpha, 1_x\}$ where α is fuzzy set in X defined by $\alpha(a)=0.4, \alpha(b)=0.5$. Then (X, τ) is a fuzzy topological space. Clearly β defined by $\beta(a)=0.6, \beta(b)=0.5$ is fuzzy g^* s-open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.8:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy ω -open set.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy ω -closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy ω -closed set. Hence A is fuzzy ω -open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.8 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.9:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.5, where μ is fuzzy set in X defined by $\mu(a)=0.6, \mu(b)=0.6$. Clearly μ is fuzzy ω -open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.10:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy sg-open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy sg-closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy sg-closed set. Hence A is fuzzy sg-open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.10 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.11:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.7, where β is fuzzy set in X defined by $\beta(a)=0.6, \beta(b)=0.6$. Clearly β is fuzzy sg-open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.12:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy g-open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy g-closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy g-closed set. Hence A is fuzzy g-open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.12 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.13:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.7, where γ is fuzzy set in X defined by $\gamma(a)=0.5, \gamma(b)=0.5$. Clearly γ is fuzzy g-open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.14:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is f α gs-open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is $f\alpha g$ -closed. Therefore A^c is $f\alpha g$ -closed set. Hence A is $f\alpha g$ -open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.14 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.15:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.3, where C is fuzzy set in X defined by $C(a)=1, C(b)=0.5$. Clearly C is fuzzy αg -open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.16:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy αg -open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy αg -closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy αg -closed set. Hence A is fuzzy αg -open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.16 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.17:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.3, where C is fuzzy set in X defined by $C(a)=1, C(b)=0.5$. Clearly C is fuzzy αg -open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.18:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is $f g$ -open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is $f g$ -closed. Therefore A^c is $f g$ -closed set. Hence A is $f g$ -open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.18 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.19:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.7, where γ is fuzzy set in X defined by $\gamma(a)=0.5, \gamma(b)=0.5$. Clearly γ is $f g$ -open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proposition 3.20:

Every fuzzy g''' -open set is fuzzy gsp-open.

Proof:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A^c is fuzzy g''' -closed set. Since, by proposition 2.3, every fuzzy g''' -closed set is fuzzy gsp-closed. Therefore A^c is fuzzy gsp-closed set. Hence A is fuzzy gsp-open in (X, τ) .

The converse of Proposition 3.20 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.21:

Let $X = \{a, b\}$. Consider the fuzzy topology τ as in Example 3.7, where γ is fuzzy set in X defined by $\gamma(a)=0.5, \gamma(b)=0.5$. Clearly γ is fuzzy gsp-open but not fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Lemma 3.22:

A fuzzy subset A of (X, τ) is fuzzy g''' -open if and only if $F \leq \text{int}(A)$ whenever F is fuzzy gsp-closed and $F \leq A$.

Proof:

Suppose that $F \leq \text{int}(A)$ such that F is fgs-closed set and $F \leq A$. Let $A^c \leq U$ where U is fsg-open. Then $U^c \leq A$ and U^c is fsg-closed. Therefore $U^c \leq \text{int}(A)$ by hypothesis. Since $U^c \leq \text{int}(A)$, we have $(\text{int}(A))^c \leq U$. i.e., $\text{cl}(A^c) \leq U$, since $\text{cl}(A^c) = (\text{int}(A))^c$. Thus A^c is f g''' -closed set. i.e., A is f g''' -open.

Conversely, suppose that A is f g''' -open such that $F \leq A$ and F is fgs-closed. Then F^c is fsg-open and $A^c \leq F^c$. Therefore, $\text{cl}(A^c) \leq F^c$ by definition of f g''' -closedness and so $F \leq \text{int}(A)$, $\text{cl}(A^c) = (\text{int}(A))^c$.

4. PROPERTIES OF FUZZY g''' -OPEN SETS

In this section, we discuss some basic properties of fuzzy g''' -open sets.

Theorem 4.1:

If A and B are fuzzy g''' -open sets in (X, τ) , then $A \wedge B$ is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proof:

If $G \leq A \wedge B$ and G is fgs-closed set, then $G \leq A$ and $G \leq B$. Since A and B are fuzzy g''' -open sets, $G \leq \text{int}(A)$ and $G \leq \text{int}(B)$ and hence $G \leq \text{int}(A) \wedge \text{int}(B) = \text{int}(A \wedge B)$. Thus $A \wedge B$ is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Theorem 4.2:

If A is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) and $\text{int}(A) \leq B \leq A$, then B is fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) .

Proof:

Let $G \leq B$ where G is fgs-closed set. Since $B \leq A$, $G \leq A$. Since A is fuzzy g''' -open set, $G \leq \text{int}(A)$. Since $\text{int}(A) \leq B$, $G \leq \text{int}(A) \leq \text{int}(B)$. Therefore B is fuzzy g''' -open set in X .

Theorem 4.3:

If A is a fgs-closed set and fuzzy g''' -open set in (X, τ) , then A is fuzzy open set in (X, τ) .

Proof:

Since A is fgs-closed set and fuzzy g''' -open set, $A \leq \text{int}(A)$ and hence A is fuzzy open set in (X, τ) .

Theorem 4.4:

Let A be a fuzzy g''' -open set of a topological space (X, τ) . If A is fuzzy regular closed set, then $\text{sint}(A)$ is also fuzzy g''' -open sets.

Proof:

Since A is fuzzy regular closed in X , $A = \text{cl}(\text{int}(A))$. Then $\text{sint}(A) = A \wedge \text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) = A$. Thus, $\text{sint}(A)$ is fuzzy g''' -open sets in (X, τ) .

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