

## $T_1$ CONCEPTS IN FUZZY BITOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we introduce some notions of fuzzy pairwise- $T_1$  bitopological spaces and find relations among them. We also study some other properties of these concepts.

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### 1. Introduction

The notion of bitopological spaces was initially introduced by Kelly [7] in 1963. Later in 1991, fuzzy pairwise- $T_i$  (in short  $FPT_i$ ,  $i = 0, 1, 2$ ) bitopological spaces have been introduced earlier by Kandil and El-Shafee [5]. Since then several other authors are investigating such concepts. Fuzzy pairwise- $T_1$  separation axioms have also been introduced by Abu Sufiya et al. [1] and Nouh [9]. Here we introduce a definition of fuzzy pairwise- $T_1$  bitopological space and obtain its several properties. Moreover, it will be seen that these two concepts are good extensions in the sense of Lowen [8].

### 2. Preliminaries

For the purpose of the main results, we need to introduce some definitions and notations.

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**Definition 2.1** [13] A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in a set  $X$  is a function from  $X$  into the closed unit interval  $I = [0, 1]$ . For every  $x \in X$ ,  $\mu(x) \in I$  is called the grade of membership of  $x$ . Throughout this paper,  $I^X$  will denote the set of all fuzzy sets from  $X$  into the closed unit interval  $I$ . A member of  $I^X$  may also be called a fuzzy subset of  $X$ .

**Definition 2.2** [3] Let  $f$  be a mapping from a set  $X$  into a set  $Y$  and  $u$  be a fuzzy set in  $X$ . Then the image of  $u$ , written as  $f(u)$ , is a fuzzy set in  $Y$  whose membership function is given by

$$f(u)(y) = \begin{cases} \sup \{u(x)\}, & \text{if } f^{-1}[\{y\}] \neq \Phi, x \in X; \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

**Definition 2.3** [4] Let  $f$  be a mapping from a set  $X$  into a set  $Y$  and  $v$  be a fuzzy set in  $Y$ . Then the inverse of  $v$  written as  $f^{-1}(v)$  is a fuzzy set in  $X$  which is defined by  $f^{-1}(v)(x) = v(f(x))$ , for  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.4** [12] A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called a fuzzy singleton iff  $\mu(x) = r, (0 < r \leq 1)$  for a certain  $x \in X$  and  $\mu(y) = 0$  for all points  $y$  of  $X$  except  $x$ . The fuzzy singleton is denoted by  $x_r$  and  $x$  is its support. We call  $x_r$  is a fuzzy point if  $0 < r < 1$ . The class of all fuzzy singletons in  $X$  will be denoted by  $S(X)$ .

**Definition 2.5** [3] A fuzzy topology  $t$  on  $X$  is a collection of members of  $I^X$  which is closed under arbitrary suprema and finite infima and which contains constant fuzzy sets 1 and 0. The pair  $(X, t)$  is called a fuzzy topological space (fts, in short) and members of  $t$  are called  $t$ -open (or simply open) fuzzy sets. A fuzzy set  $\mu$  is called a  $t$ -closed (or simply closed) fuzzy set if  $1 - \mu \in t$ .

**Definition 2.6** [10] Let  $\lambda$  be a fuzzy set in an fts  $(X, t)$ . Then the closure of  $\lambda$  is denoted by  $t - cl(\lambda)$  and defined by  $t - cl(\lambda) = \cap \{\mu : \lambda \subseteq \mu \text{ and } \mu^c \in t\}$ .

**Definition 2.7** [3] Let  $(X, t)$  and  $(Y, s)$  be two fuzzy topological spaces. A mapping  $f : (X, t) \rightarrow (Y, s)$  is called an fuzzy continuous iff for every  $v \in s$ ,  $f^{-1}(v) \in t$ .

**Definition 2.8** [11] Let  $f$  be a real valued function on a topological space  $(X, T)$ . If  $\{x : f(x) > \alpha\}$  is open for every real  $\alpha \in I_1$ , then  $f$  is called lower semi continuous function.

**Definition 2.9** [2] Let  $X$  be a non-empty set and  $T$  be a topology on  $X$ . Let  $t = w(T)$  be the set of all lower semi continuous (lsc, in short) functions from  $(X, T)$  into  $I$  (with usual topology) such that  $w(T) = \{\mu \in I^X : \mu^{-1}(\alpha, 1] \in T\}$  for each  $\alpha \in I_1$ . Then  $w(T)$  is a fuzzy topology on  $X$ .

Let  $P$  be a property of topological spaces and  $FP$  be its fuzzy topology analogue. Then  $FP$  is called a good extension of  $P$  iff the statement  $(X, T)$  has  $P$  iff  $(X, w(T))$  has  $FP$  holds good for every topological space  $(X, T)$ .

**Definition 2.10** [6] A fuzzy singleton  $x_r$  is said to be quasi-coincident with a fuzzy set  $\mu$ , denoted by  $x_r q \mu$  iff  $r + \mu(x) > 1$ . If  $x_r$  is not quasi-coincident with  $\mu$ , we write  $x_r \bar{q} \mu$ .

**Definition 2.11** [9] A fuzzy set  $u$  of  $(X, t)$  is called quasi-neighborhood (Q-nbd, in short) of  $x_r$  iff there exists  $v \in t$  such that  $x_r qv$  and  $v \subset u$ . If  $x_r$  is a fuzzy point or a fuzzy singleton, then  $N(x_r, t) = \{\mu \in t : x_r \in \mu\}$  is the family of all fuzzy  $t$ -open neighborhoods ( $t$ -nbds, in short) of  $x_r$  and  $N_Q(x_r, t) = \{\mu \in t : x_r q\mu\}$  is the family of all Q-neighborhoods (Q-nbd, in short) of  $x_r$ .

**Definition 2.12** [6] A fuzzy bitopological space (fbts, in short) is a triple  $(X, s, t)$ , where  $s$  and  $t$  are arbitrary fuzzy topologies on  $X$ .

**Definition 2.13** [7] A bitopological space  $(X, S, T)$  is called pairwise- $T_1$  (in short,  $PT_1$ ) if for all  $x, y \in X, x \neq y$ , there exist  $U \in S, V \in T$  such that  $x \in U, y \notin U$  and  $y \in V, x \notin V$ .

### 3. The main results

**Definition 3.14** An fbts  $(X, s, t)$  is called

- (a)  $FPT_1(i)$ -space iff for every pair of fuzzy singletons  $x_p, y_r$  in  $X$  with  $x \neq y$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $u \in s, v \in t$  such that  $(x_p q u, y_r \cap u = 0)$  and  $(y_r q v, x_p \cap v = 0)$ .
- (b) [9]  $FPT_1(ii)$ -space iff for every pair of fuzzy singletons  $x_p, y_r$  in  $X$  such that  $x \neq y$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $u, v \in s \cup t$  such that  $(x_p q u, y_r \bar{q} u)$  and  $(y_r q v, x_p \bar{q} v)$ .
- (c) [1]  $FPT_1(iii)$ -space iff for any two distinct fuzzy points  $x_p, y_r$  in  $X$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $u \in s, v \in t$  such that  $(x_p \in u, y_r \subseteq u^c)$  and  $(y_r \in v, x_p \subseteq v^c)$ .

**Theorem 3.1** Let  $(X, s, t)$  be an fbts. Then we have the following implications:

- (i) (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b), and
- (ii) (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (c).

The arrows are not reversible in general.

**Proof.** (i) (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b) Let  $x_r, y_s \in S(X)$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(X, s, t)$  be  $FPT_1(i)$ -space, there exist fuzzy sets  $\mu \in s, \eta \in t$  such that  $(x_r q \mu, y_s \cap \mu = 0)$  and  $(y_s q \eta, x_r \cap \eta = 0)$ . Now,  $y_s \cap \mu = 0$  implies  $\mu(y) = 0$ . Then  $\mu(y) + s \leq 1$ . So,  $y_s \bar{q} \mu$ . Similarly,  $x_r \cap \eta = 0$  implies  $x_r \bar{q} \eta$ . Again since  $\mu \in s, \eta \in t$ , then  $\mu, \eta \in s \cup t$ . Hence  $(X, s, t)$  be  $FPT_1(ii)$ -space.

(ii) (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (c) Let  $x_r, y_s$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . Choose  $r^*, s^* \in (0, 1)$  such that  $r^* < 1 - r$  and  $s^* < 1 - s$ . Since  $x_{r^*}, y_s$  are two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$  and  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space, there exist fuzzy sets  $u \in s, v \in t$  such that  $(x_{r^*} q u, y_s \cap u = 0)$  and  $(y_s q v, x_{r^*} \cap v = 0)$ . Now,  $x_{r^*} q u, y_s \cap u = 0$  implies that  $u(x) + r^* > 1$  and  $u(y) = 0$ . For  $u(x) + r^* > 1$  and  $r^* < 1 - r$ , we have  $u(x) > r$ . So,  $x_r \in u$ . For  $u(y) = 0$ , we have  $u(y) + s \leq 1$ . That is,  $s \leq 1 - u(y)$ . So,  $y_s \subseteq u^c$ . Again, since  $x_r, y_{s^*}$  are two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$  and  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $\mu \in s, \lambda \in t$  such that  $(y_{s^*} q \mu, x_r \cap \mu = 0)$  and  $(x_r q \lambda, y_{s^*} \cap \lambda = 0)$ . Similarly,  $y_{s^*} q \mu, x_r \cap \mu = 0$  implies that  $y_s \in \mu, x_r \subseteq \mu^c$ . Hence,  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ -space. ■

The following counter example shows that (c)  $\not\Rightarrow$  (b) as well as (c)  $\not\Rightarrow$  (a) in general.

**Example.** Let  $X = I, t_1 = t_2 = \{0, \lambda : \lambda(x) > 0, \forall x \in X\}$ . Let  $x_r$  and  $y_s$  be distinct fuzzy singletons in  $X$  and  $\gamma = \min \{1 - r, 1 - s\}$ . Now, if  $\gamma \neq 0$ , we define  $\mu, \eta$  as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu(y) = \frac{\gamma}{8}, \quad & \text{if } y \neq x; \\ \eta(y) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \eta(x) = \frac{\gamma}{4}, \quad & \text{if } x \neq y. \end{aligned}$$

Again, if  $\gamma = 0$ , we define  $\mu_1, \eta_1$  as follows

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_1(x) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_1(y) = 0.1, \quad & \text{if } y \neq x; \\ \eta_1(y) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \eta_1(x) = 0.3, \quad & \text{if } x \neq y. \end{aligned}$$

Then  $\mu, \eta, \mu_1, \eta_1 \in t_1 = t_2$ . For any pair of distinct fuzzy points  $x_r, y_s$  in  $X$ , we see that  $(x_r \in \mu, y_s \subseteq \mu^c)$  and  $(y_s \in \eta, x_r \subseteq \eta^c)$ . Therefore,  $(X, t_1, t_2)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ -space. But if we take  $x_1, y_1 \in S(X)$ , then we see that  $(x_1q\mu_1, y_1q\mu_1)$  and  $(x_1q\eta_1, y_1q\eta_1)$ . Hence  $(X, t_1, t_2)$  is not  $FPT_1(ii)$ -space. Since (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b), then we see that (c)  $\not\Rightarrow$  (a). ■

The following counter example will show that (b) does not imply (c) as well as (b) does not imply (a) in general.

**Example.** Let  $X = \{x, y, z\}$  and let  $s = \{0, 1, x_1, y_1, x_1 \cup y_1\}$  and  $t = \{0, 1, z_1\}$ . Then  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ -space but not  $FPT_1(iii)$ -space, since for distinct fuzzy points  $x_r, y_s$  in  $X$ , we have  $x_1 \in s$  such that  $x_r \in x_1, y_s \subseteq x_1^c$  and there does not  $v \in t$  such that  $y_s \in v, x_r \subseteq v^c$ . Since (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (c), then we see that (b)  $\not\Rightarrow$  (a).

**Theorem 3.2** *An fbts  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(j)$ -space iff for all  $x_r \in S(X) \ x_r = cl(x_r)$ , where  $j = i, ii, iii$ .*

**Proof.** Suppose  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space and suppose that  $x_r, y_s \in S(X)$  with  $x \neq y$ . Then there exists  $\mu \in s$  such that  $y_sq\mu$  and  $x_r \cap \mu = 0$ . Now  $y_sq\mu$  implies that  $\mu(y) + s > 1$ , that is,  $1 - \mu(y) < s$ . So,  $y_s \notin \mu^c$ . Again,  $x_r \cap \mu = 0$  implies that  $\mu(x) = 0$ , that is,  $\mu(x) + r \leq 1 \Rightarrow 1 - \mu(x) \geq r$ . So  $x_r \in \mu^c$ . Therefore we see that  $y_s \notin s - cl(x_r)$ . Hence  $s - cl(x_r) \subseteq x_r$ . But  $x_r \subseteq s - cl(x_r)$ . Hence  $x_r = s - cl(x_r)$ . Similarly, we can show that  $y_s$  is  $t$ -closed.

Conversely, suppose that  $x_r = s - cl(x_r)$  and  $y_s = t - cl(y_s)$  for all  $x_r, y_s \in S(X)$  with  $x \neq y$ . Then  $y_s \notin s - cl(x_1)$  and  $x_r \notin t - cl(y_1)$ . So, there exist fuzzy sets  $\mu \in s, \eta \in t$  such that  $(y_s \notin \mu^c, x_1 \in \mu^c)$  and  $(x_r \notin \eta^c, y_1 \in \eta^c)$ . Now,  $y_s \notin \mu^c, x_1 \in \mu^c$  implies that  $1 - \mu(y) < s$  and  $1 - \mu(x) \geq 1$ . That is,  $\mu(y) + s > 1$  and  $\mu(x) = 0$ . That is,  $y_sq\mu$  and  $\mu(x) = 0$ . So, for any  $x_r \in S(X)$ , we have  $x_r \cap \mu = 0$  as  $\mu(x) = 0$ . Similarly,  $x_r \notin \eta^c, y_1 \in \eta^c$  implies that  $x_rq\eta, y_s \cap \eta = 0$ . Hence  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space.

Next, suppose  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$  and  $x_r, y_s$  are two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . Since  $x_r, y_{1-s}$  are two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$  and  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ -space, there exists  $u \in s$  such that  $y_{1-s} \in u$  and  $x_r \subseteq u^c$ .

Now  $y_{1-s} \in u$  implies that  $u(y) > 1 - s$ , that is,  $1 - u(y) < s$ . So,  $y_s \notin u^c$ . Again,  $x_r \subseteq u^c$  implies that  $r \leq 1 - u(x)$ . So  $x_r \in u^c$ . Therefore we see that  $y_s \notin s - cl(x_r)$ . Hence  $s - cl(x_r) \subseteq x_r$ . But  $x_r \subseteq s - cl(x_r)$ . Hence  $x_r = s - cl(x_r)$ . Similarly, we can show that  $y_s$  is  $t$ -closed.

Conversely, suppose that  $x_r = s - cl(x_r)$  and  $y_s = t - cl(y_s)$  for all distinct fuzzy points  $x_r, y_s$  in  $X$ . Then  $y_{1-s} \notin s - cl(x_r)$  and  $x_{1-r} \notin t - cl(y_s)$ . So, there exist fuzzy sets  $u \in s, v \in t$  such that  $(y_{1-s} \notin u^c, x_r \in u^c)$  and  $(x_{1-r} \notin v^c, y_s \in v^c)$ . Now,  $y_{1-s} \notin u^c, x_r \in u^c$  implies that  $1 - u(y) < 1 - s$  and  $1 - u(x) > r$ . That is,  $u(y) > s$  and  $x_r \subseteq u^c$ . That is,  $y_s \in u$  and  $x_r \subseteq u^c$ . Similarly,  $x_{1-r} \notin v^c, y_s \in v^c$  implies that  $x_r \in v$  and  $y_s \subseteq v^c$ . Hence  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ . For the proof of  $j = ii$ , see [9].

**Theorem 3.3** *Let  $(X, s, t)$  be a fuzzy bitopological space,  $A \subset X$  and*

$$s_A = \{u/A : u \in s\}, \quad t_A = \{v/A : v \in t\}.$$

*Then*

- (a)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$   $\Rightarrow (A, s_A, t_A)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .
- (b)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$   $\Rightarrow (A, s_A, t_A)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ .
- (c)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$   $\Rightarrow (A, s_A, t_A)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ .

**Proof.** (a) Suppose  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . We have to show that  $(A, s_A, t_A)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . Let  $a_r, b_p \in S(A)$  with  $a \neq b$ . Then  $a_r, b_p \in S(X)$  with  $a \neq b$ . Since  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $u \in s, v \in t$  such that  $(a_rqu, b_p \cap u = 0)$  and  $(b_pqv, a_r \cap v = 0)$ . Now,  $a_rqu, b_p \cap u = 0$  implies that  $u(a) + r > 1$  and  $(b_p \cap u)(x) = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ . But,  $u/A \in s_A$  and  $(u/A)(a) = u(a)$ . Then  $(u/A)(a) + r > 1$ . So,  $a_rq(u/A)$ . Also, for all  $x \in X$ , we have  $(b_p \cap (u/A))(x) = b_p(x) \cap (u/A)(x) = b_p(x) \cap u(x) = (b_p \cap u)(x) = 0$ , since  $(u/A)(b) = u(b)$ . So  $b_p \cap (u/A) = 0$ . Similarly,  $b_pqv, a_r \cap v = 0$  implies that  $b_pq(v/A)$  and  $a_r \cap (v/A) = 0$ , where  $v/A \in t_A$ . Hence  $(A, s_A, t_A)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space. Similarly, (b) and (c) can be proved.

**Theorem 3.4** *Let  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  be a bitopological space. Then*

- (a)  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$   $\Leftrightarrow (X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .
- (b)  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$   $\Leftrightarrow (X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ .
- (c)  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$   $\Leftrightarrow (X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ .

**Proof.** (a) Suppose that  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$ . We have to show that  $(X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space. Let  $x_p, y_r \in S(X)$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$ , there exist  $U \in T_1, V \in T_2$  such that  $x \in U, y \notin U$  and  $y \in V, x \notin V$ . This implies  $(1_U \in N_Q(x_p, w(T_1)), (1_U \cap y_r = 0))$  and  $(1_V \in N_Q(y_r, w(T_2)), (1_V \cap x_p = 0))$ . Hence  $(X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space.

Conversely, suppose that  $(X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space. We have to show that  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$ . Let  $x, y \in X$  such that  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(X, w(T_1), w(T_2))$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ , then  $(\exists \mu \in N_Q(x_1, w(T_1)), y_1 \cap \mu = 0)$  and  $(\exists \eta \in N_Q(y_1, w(T_2)), x_1 \cap \eta = 0)$ . Now,  $\mu \in N_Q(x_1, w(T_1)), y_1 \cap \mu = 0$  implies that  $\mu(x) + 1 > 1$  and  $\mu(y) = 0$  that is,  $\mu(x) > 0$  and  $\mu(y) = 0$ . Hence  $x \in \mu^{-1}(0, 1] \in T_1$  and  $y \notin \mu^{-1}(0, 1] \in T_1$ . Similarly, we can show that  $\eta \in N_Q(y_1, w(T_2)), x_1 \cap \eta = 0$  implies that  $y \in \eta^{-1}(0, 1] \in T_2$  and  $x \notin \eta^{-1}(0, 1] \in T_2$ . Hence  $(X, T_1, T_2)$  is  $PT_1$ .

Proof of (c) is similar, and for the proof (b), see [9].

**Theorem 3.5** *Product of any two  $FPT_1(j)$ -spaces is  $FPT_1(j)$ -space, where  $j = i, ii, iii$ .*

**Proof.** Suppose  $(X_1, s_1, t_1)$  and  $(X_2, s_2, t_2)$  are  $FPT_1(i)$ -spaces. We have to show that  $(X_1 \times X_2, s_1 \times s_2, t_1 \times t_2)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space. Let  $(x, y)_p, (x_1, y_1)_q$  be two distinct fuzzy singletons in  $X_1 \times X_2$ . We can assume without loss of generality that  $x \neq x_1$ . Since  $x_p, (x_1)_q$  are two distinct fuzzy singletons in  $X_1$  and  $(X_1, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ -space, then  $(\exists \mu \in N_Q(x_p, s_1), ((x_1)_q \cap \mu = 0))$  and  $(\exists \eta \in N_Q((x_1)_q, t_1), (x_p \cap \eta = 0))$ . Now,  $\mu \in N_Q(x_p, s_1), ((x_1)_q \cap \mu = 0)$  implies that  $\mu(x) + p > 1$  and

$$((x_1)_q \cap \mu)(x) = 0 \text{ for all } x \in X. \quad (A)$$

Since  $\mu \times X_2 \in s_1 \times s_2$  and  $(\mu \times X_2)(x, y) = \min\{\mu(x), X_2(y)\} = \mu(x)$ , we have  $(\mu \times X_2)(x, y) + p = \mu(x) + p > 1$ . So,  $(x, y)_{pq} \in (\mu \times X_2)$ . We know that

$$(x_1, y_1)_q(x, y) = \begin{cases} q & \text{if } (x, y) = (x_1, y_1); \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad (B)$$

When  $(x, y) = (x_1, y_1)$ , we have  $\mu(x) = 0$ , by (A), and

$$\begin{aligned} ((x_1, y_1)_q \cap (\mu \times X_2))(x, y) &= \min\{(x_1, y_1)_q(x, y), (\mu \times X_2)(x, y)\} \\ &= \min\{q, \mu(x)\} = \min\{q, 0\} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Again when  $(x, y) \neq (x_1, y_1)$ , we have  $(x_1, y_1)_q(x, y) = 0$ , by (B), and

$$\begin{aligned} ((x_1, y_1)_q \cap (\mu \times X_2))(x, y) &= \min\{(x_1, y_1)_q(x, y), (\mu \times X_2)(x, y)\} \\ &= \min\{0, \mu(x)\} = \min\{0, \mu(x)\} = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, for all  $(x, y) \in X_1 \times X_2$ , we have  $((x_1, y_1)_q \cap (\mu \times X_2))(x, y) = 0$ .

Similarly, we can show that  $\eta \in N_Q((x_1)_q, t_1), (x_p \cap \eta = 0)$  implies that  $(x_1, y_1)_q \in (\eta \times X_2)$  and  $(x, y)_p \cap (\eta \times X_2) = 0$ , where  $\eta \times X_2 \in t_1 \times t_2$ . Hence  $(X_1 \times X_2, s_1 \times s_2, t_1 \times t_2)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .

Other proofs are similar.

**Theorem 3.6** *A bijective mapping from an fts  $(X, t)$  to an fts  $(Y, s)$  preserves the value of a fuzzy singleton (fuzzy point).*

**Proof.** Let  $c_r$  be a fuzzy singleton in  $X$ . So, there exist a point  $a \in Y$  such that  $f(c) = a$ . Now  $f(c_r)(a) = f(c_r)(f(c)) = \sup c_r(c) = c_r(c) = r$ , since  $f$  is bijective. Hence  $a_r$  has same value as  $c_r$ .

**Note.** Preimage of any fuzzy singleton (fuzzy point) under bijective mapping preserves its value.

The ideas of the following two theorems are taken from [4].

**Theorem 3.7** *Let  $(X, s, t)$  and  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  be two fuzzy bitopological spaces and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be bijective and FP-open. Then*

- (a)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i) \Rightarrow (Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .
- (b)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(ii) \Rightarrow (Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ .
- (c)  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii) \Rightarrow (Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ .

**Proof.** (a) Suppose  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . We have to show that  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . Let  $a_r, b_q$  be two distinct fuzzy singletons in  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is bijective, there exist distinct fuzzy singletons  $c_r, d_q$  in  $X$  such that  $f(c) = a, f(d) = b$  and  $c \neq d$ . Again since  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $\mu \in s, \eta \in t$  such that  $(c_r q \mu, d_q \cap \mu = 0)$  and  $(d_q q \eta, c_r \cap \eta = 0)$ .

Now,  $c_r q \mu, d_q \cap \mu = 0$  implies that  $\mu(c) + r > 1$  and  $(d_q \cap \mu)(x) = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ . But  $f(\mu)(a) = f(\mu)(f(c)) = \sup \mu(c) = \mu(c)$ , since  $f$  is bijective. So  $f(\mu)(a) + r > 1$ , since  $\mu(c) + r > 1$ . Hence  $a_r q f(\mu)$ . Also,

$$\begin{aligned} (b_q \cap f(\mu))(y) &= (f(d_q) \cap f(\mu))(f(x)) = f(d_q)(f(x)) \cap f(\mu)(f(x)) \\ &= (d_q \cap \mu)(x) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we can prove that  $d_q q \eta, c_r \cap \eta = 0$  implies that  $b_q q f(\eta)$  and  $a_r \cap f(\eta) = 0$ .

Since  $f$  is  $FP$ -open, then  $f(\mu) \in s_1, f(\eta) \in t_1$ . Hence  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .

Similarly, (b) and (c) can be proved.

**Theorem 3.8** *Let  $(X, s, t)$  and  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  be two fuzzy bitopological spaces and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be  $FP$ -continuous and bijective. Then*

- (a)  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i) \Rightarrow (X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .
- (b)  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(ii) \Rightarrow (X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(ii)$ .
- (c)  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(iii) \Rightarrow (X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(iii)$ .

**Proof.** We now prove (a) only. Suppose  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . We have to show that  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ . Let  $c_r, d_q$  be two distinct fuzzy singletons in  $X$ . Then there exist distinct fuzzy singletons  $a_r, b_q$  in  $Y$  such that  $f(c) = a, f(d) = b$  and  $a \neq b$ , since  $f$  is one-one. Again since  $(Y, s_1, t_1)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $\mu \in s_1, \eta \in t_1$  such that  $(a_r q \mu, b_q \cap \mu = 0)$  and  $(b_q q \eta, a_r \cap \eta = 0)$ . Now,  $a_r q \mu, b_q \cap \mu = 0$  implies that  $\mu(a) + r > 1$  and  $(b_q \cap \mu)(f(x)) = 0$  for all  $x \in X$ . Since  $f^{-1}(\mu)(c) = \mu(f(c)) = \mu(a)$ , then we have

$$f^{-1}(\mu)(c) + r > 1.$$

So,  $c_r q f^{-1}(\mu)$ . Also,

$$\begin{aligned} (d_q \cap f^{-1}(\mu))(x) &= (f^{-1}(b_q) \cap f^{-1}(\mu))(x) = f^{-1}(b_q)(x) \cap f^{-1}(\mu)(x) \\ &= (b_q \cap \mu)(f(x)) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, we can show that  $b_q q \eta, a_r \cap \eta = 0$  implies that  $d_q q f^{-1}(\eta)$  and  $c_r \cap f^{-1}(\eta) = 0$ . Since  $f$  is  $FP$ -continuous, then  $f^{-1}(\mu) \in s, f^{-1}(\eta) \in t$ . Hence  $(X, s, t)$  is  $FPT_1(i)$ .

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