

Some New Fuzzy g^{**} - Open Sets, Fuzzy g^{**} - Irresolute and Fuzzy g^{**} - Homeomorphism Mappings in Fuzzy Topological spaces

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Abstract:— The aim of this paper is to introduce new class of Fuzzy sets, namely g^{**} -closed fuzzy set for Fuzzy topological spaces. This new class is properly lies between the class of closed Fuzzy set and the class of g -closed fuzzy set, we also introduce application of g^{**} -closed fuzzy sets, the concept of fuzzy g^{**} -continuous, fuzzy g^{**} -irresolute mapping, fuzzy g^{**} -closed maps, fuzzy g^{**} -open maps and fuzzy g^{**} -homeomorphism in Fuzzy topological spaces are also introduced, studied and some of their properties are obtained.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Proof. L.A. Zadeh's [19] in 1965 introduced of the concept of 'fuzzy subset', in the year 1968, C L. Chang [4] introduced the structure of fuzzy topology as an application of fuzzy sets to general topology. Subsequently many researchers like, C.K. Wong[18], R.H. Warren [17], R. Lowen[7], A.S. Mashhour[11], K.K. Azad[1], M. N. Mukherjee[12], G. Balasubramanian & P. Sundaram [2] and many others have contributed to the development of fuzzy topological spaces. The image and the inverse image of fuzzy subsets under Zadeh's functions and their properties proved by C.L.Chang[4] and R.H.Warren [17] are included. Fuzzy topological spaces and some basic concepts and results on fuzzy topological spaces from the works of C.L.Chang [4], R.H.Warren [17], and C.K.Wong[18] are presented.

And some basic preliminaries are included. N.Levine [7] introduced generalized closed sets (g -closed sets) in general topology as a generalization of closed sets. Many researchers have worked on this and related problems both in general and fuzzy topology. Dr. Sadanand Patil [13,14&15] in the year 2009 and R. Devi and M. Muthamil Selvan[5] in the year 2004, are introduced and studied g -continuous maps. The class of

$g\#$ - closed fuzzy sets is placed properly between the class of closed fuzzy sets and the class of g^* - closed fuzzy sets. The class of g^* - closed fuzzy sets is properly placed between the class of closed fuzzy sets and the class of g - closed fuzzy sets.

II. PRELIMINARIES:

Throughout this paper $(X, T), (Y, \sigma) \& (Z, \eta)$ or (simply $X, Y, \& Z$) represents non-empty fuzzy topological spaces on which no separation axiom is assumed unless explicitly stated. For a subset A of a space (X, T) . $cl(A), int(A) \& C(A)$ denotes the closure, interior and the compliment of A respectively.

Definition 2.01: A fuzzy set A of a $fts(X, T)$ is called:

- 1) a semi-open fuzzy set, if $A \leq cl(int(A))$ and a semi-closed fuzzy set, if $int(cl(A)) \leq A$ [13]
- 2) a pre-open fuzzy set, if $A \leq int(cl(A))$ and a pre-closed fuzzy set, if $cl(int(A)) \leq A$ [13]
- 3) a α -open fuzzy set, if $A \leq int(cl(int(A)))$ and a α -closed fuzzy set, if $cl(int(cl(A))) \leq A$ [14]

The semi closure (respectively pre-closure, α -closure) of a fuzzy set A in a $fts(X, T)$ is the intersection of all semi closed (respectively pre closed fuzzy set, α -closed fuzzy set) fuzzy sets containing A

and is denoted by $scl(A)$ (respectively $pcl(A), acl(A)$).

Definition 2.02: A fuzzy set A of a $fts(X, T)$ is called:

- 1) a generalized closed (g -closed) fuzzy set, if $cl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [2]
- 2) a g^* -closed fuzzy set, if $cl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is g -open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [7]
- 3) a sg -closed fuzzy set, if $cl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is g -open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [7]
- 4) a gs -closed fuzzy set, if $cl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is g -open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [7]
- 5) a gsp -closed fuzzy set, if $cl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is g -open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [7]
- 6) a α -generalized closed (αg -closed) fuzzy set, if $acl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [13,14 &15]
- 7) a generalized α closed (αg -closed) fuzzy set, if $acl(A) \leq U$, whenever $A \leq U$ and U is open fuzzy set in (X, T) . [13,14 &15]

Complement of g -closed fuzzy (respectively gp -closed fuzzy set, g^* -closed fuzzy set, sg -closed fuzzy set, gs -closed fuzzy set, gsp -closed fuzzy set and α -closed fuzzy set) sets are called g -open (respectively gp -open fuzzy set, g^* -open αg fuzzy set, sg -open fuzzy set, gs -open fuzzy set, gsp -open fuzzy set and αg -open fuzzy set) sets.

Definition 2.03: Let X, Y be two fuzzy topological spaces. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called

- 1) Fuzzy continuous (f -continuous) [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(B)$ is open fuzzy set in X , for every open fuzzy set B of Y
- 2) Fuzzy generalized-continuous (fg -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is g -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y
- 3) Fuzzy generalized semi-continuous (fgs -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is gs -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y
- 4) Fuzzy generalized semi-pre-continuous ($fgsp$ -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is gsp -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y
- 5) Fuzzy generalized α -continuous ($fg\alpha$ -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is αg -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y

- 6) Fuzzy α generalized α -continuous ($f\alpha g$ -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is αg -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y
- 7) Fuzzy g^* -continuous (fg^* -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is g^* -closed fuzzy set in X , for every closed fuzzy set A of Y
- 8) Fuzzy generalized c -irresolute (fgc -continuous) function [13,14,15] if $f^{-1}(A)$ is fc -closed fuzzy set in X , for every g -closed fuzzy set A of Y

Definition 2.04: Let X, Y be two fuzzy topological spaces. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called Fuzzy α -open ($f\alpha$ -open) [13,14,15] iff $f(V)$ is open fuzzy set in Y , for every open fuzzy set in X .

- 1) Fuzzy g -open (fg -open) [13,14,15] iff $f(V)$ is g -open- fuzzy set in Y , for every open fuzzy set in X .
- 2) Fuzzy g^* -open (fg^* -open) [13,14,15] iff $f(V)$ is g^* -open- fuzzy set in Y , for every open fuzzy set in X .

III. g^{**} - CLOSED FUZZY SETS

Definition 3.01: A Fuzzy set A of a Fuzzy Topological Space (X, T) is called g^{**} -closed Fuzzy Set If $cl(A) \leq U$ whenever $A \leq U$ & g^* -open Fuzzy Set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.02 : Every closed Fuzzy Set is g^{**} -closed Fuzzy Set.

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.03 : Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and the fuzzy set A and B be defined as follows;

$A = \{a, 0.4\}, \{b, 0.5\}, \{c, 0.7\}$, $B = \{(a, 1), (b, 0.9), (c, 0.8)\}$. Let $t = T = \{0, 1, A\}$ is a fts . Note that the fuzzy subset B is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.04: Every g^{**} -set is gs -closed fuzzy set in $fts X$.

Proof : Omitted

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.05 : Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A and B defined as follows ;

$A = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.5), (c, 0.7)\}$, $B = \{(a, 0.6), (b, 0.6), (c, 0.5)\}$, $C = \{(a, 0.3), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.2)\}$ and $D = \{(a, 0.3), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.2)\}$. Let $T = \{0, 1, A\}$. Then (X, T) is fts . Here the fuzzy set B is gs -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.06 : Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is gsp -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.07 : In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is gsp -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.08 : Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is sg -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.09 : In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is sg -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.10: Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is g^* -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example

Example 3.11 : In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is g^* -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.12 : Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is g -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.13 : In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is g -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.14: Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is αg -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.15 : In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is αg -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.16 : Every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is $g\alpha$ -closed fuzzy set in fts X .

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.17: In the example 3.05 , (X, T) is a fts. Here the fuzzy set B is αg -closed fuzzy set but not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in (X, T) .

Theorem 3.18 : In a fts X , if a fuzzy set A is both g^* -open fuzzy set and g^{**} -closed fuzzy set, then A is closed set.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 3.19: if A is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set and $cl(A) \wedge (1-cl(A))=0$, then there is no non-zero g^* -closed fuzzy set F , such that $F \leq cl(A) \wedge (1-A)$.

Proof : Omitted.

Theorem 3.20: If a fuzzy set A is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X such that $A \leq B \leq cl(A)$, then B is also a g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X .

Proof : Omitted.

Theorem 3.21 : A Finite union of g^{**} -closed fuzzy set is a g^{**} -closed fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

We introduce g^{**} -open fuzzy set.

Definition 3.22 : A fuzzy set A of a fts (X, T) is called g^{**} -open fuzzy (briefly g^{**} -open fuzzy set) set if its complement $1-A$ is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set.

We have the following characterization.

Theorem 3.23 : A fuzzy set A of a fts X is g^{**} -open iff $F \leq int(A)$. Whenever F is g^* -closed fuzzy set and $F \leq A$.

Proof : Omitted.

Theorem 3.24 : Every open fuzzy set is a g^{**} -open fuzzy set.

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.25 : Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$. Define the fuzzy sets A and B as follows.

$A = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.5), (c, 0.7)\}$, $B = \{(a, 0), (b, 0.1), (c, 0.2)\}$. Then (X, T) is a the fts with the fuzzy topology $T = \{0, 1, A\}$. Here the fuzzy set B is g^{**} -open fuzzy set but not a open fuzzy set in X .

Theorem 3.26 : In a fts , Every g^* -open fuzzy set is a gs -open fuzzy set.

Proof : Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.27: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$. Define the fuzzy sets A and B as follows. $A = \{(a, .4), (b, .5), (c, .7)\}$, $B = \{(a, 0), (b, .1), (c, .2)\}$. Then (X, T) is a fts with the fuzzy topology $T = \{0, 1, A\}$. Here the fuzzy set B is g^{**} open fuzzy set but not a open fuzzy set in X . fuzzy set

$1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is gs-open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.28: In a fts X, Every g^{**} -open fuzzy set is a gsp-open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.29: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is gsp-open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.30: In a fts, Every g^* -open fuzzy set is a sg-open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.31: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is sg-open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.32: In a fts, Every g^{**} -open fuzzy set is a g^* -open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.33: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is g^* -open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.34: In a fts, Every g^* -open fuzzy set is a g-open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.35: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is g-open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.36: In a fts, Every g^* -open fuzzy set is a ag -open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.37: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is ag -open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.38: In a fts, Every g^* -open fuzzy set is a $g\alpha$ -open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

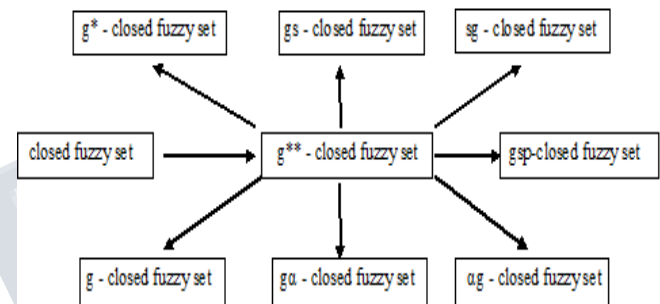
Example 3.39: In the example 3.27, fuzzy set $1-B = \{(a, 0.4), (b, 0.4), (c, 0.5)\}$ is $g\alpha$ -open fuzzy set but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X.

Theorem 3.40: If $\text{int}(A) \leq B \leq A$ and if A is g^{**} -open fuzzy set, then B is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in a fts X.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 3.41: If $A \leq B \leq X$ where A is g^{**} -open fuzzy relative to B and B is g^{**} -open fuzzy relative to X, then A is g^{**} -open fuzzy relative to fts X.

Proof: Omitted.



Where $A \longrightarrow B$ ($A \dashrightarrow B$) represents A implies B but not conversely. (A and B are independent).

Theorem 3.42: Finite intersection of g^{**} -open fuzzy set is a g^{**} -open fuzzy set.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 3.43: If a fuzzy set A is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set and $\text{cl}(A) \wedge (1-\text{cl}(A)) = 0$, then $\text{cl}(A) \wedge (1-A)$ is g^{**} -open set in X.

Proof: Omitted.

Definition 3.45: For any fuzzy set A in any fts.

$$fg^{**}\text{-cl}(A) = \bigwedge \{U:U \text{ is } g^{**}\text{-closed fuzzy set and } A \leq U\}.$$

$$fg^{**}\text{-int}(A) = \{V:v \text{ is } g^{**}\text{-open fuzzy set and } A \geq V\}.$$

Theorem 3.46: Let A be any fuzzy set in a fts (X, T). Then

$$\text{And } fg^{**}\text{-int}(1-A) = 1-fg^{**}\text{-cl}(A).$$

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 3.47: In a fts (X,T), a fuzzy set A is g^{**} -closed iff $A = fg^{**}\text{-cl}(A)$.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 3.48: In a fts X the following results hold for fuzzy g^{**} -closure.

- 1) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(0) = 0$.
- 2) $g^{**}\text{-ci}(A)$ is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X.
- 3) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(A) \leq g^{**}\text{-cl}(B)$. If $A \leq B$.

- 4) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(g^{**}\text{-cl}(A)) = g^{**}\text{-cl}(A)$
- 5) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(A \vee B) \geq g^{**}\text{-cl}(A) \vee g^{**}\text{-cl}(B)$
- 6) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(A \wedge B) \geq g^{**}\text{-cl}(A) \wedge g^{**}\text{-cl}(B)$.

Proof : the easy verification is omitted.

Theorem 3.49 : In a fts X , a fuzzy set A is g^{**} -open fuzzy set iff $A = fg^{**}\text{-int}(A)$.

Proof : Omitted.

Theorem 3.50: In a fts X the following results hold for fuzzy g^{**} -interior.

- 1) $g^{**}\text{-int}(0) = 0$.
- 2) $g^{**}\text{-int}(A)$ is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X .
- 3) $g^{**}\text{-int}(A) \leq g^{**}\text{-int}(B)$. If $A \leq B$.
- 4) $g^{**}\text{-cl}(g^{**}\text{-int}(A)) = g^{**}\text{-int}(A)$
- 5) $g^{**}\text{-int}(A \vee B) \geq g^{**}\text{-int}(A) \vee g^{**}\text{-int}(B)$
- 6) $g^{**}\text{-int}(A \wedge B) \geq g^{**}\text{-int}(A) \wedge g^{**}\text{-int}(B)$.

Proof : the easy verification is omit

IV. FUZZY g^{**} -CONTINUOUS MAPPING

In this section the concept of fuzzy g^{**} -continuous, fuzzy g^{**} -irresolute functions and fuzzy g^{**} -homeomorphism, fuzzy g^{**} -open and fuzzy g^{**} -closed mapping in fuzzy topological spaces have been introduced and studied.

Definition 4.01: Let X and Y be two fts. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy g^{**} -continuous (briefly f g^{**} -continuous) if the inverse image of every open fuzzy set in Y is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X .

Theorem 4.02: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f g^{**} -continuous iff the inverse image of every closed fuzzy set in Y is wg^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X .

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.03: Every f -continuous function is f g^{**} -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.04: Let $X=Y=\{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A, B and C be defined as follows. $A=\{(a,0),(b,0.1),(c,0.2)\}$, $B=\{(a,0.4),(b,0.5),(c,0.7)\}$, $C=\{(a,1),(b,0.9),(c,0.8)\}$. Consider $T=\{0,1,B\}$ and $\sigma=\{0,1,A\}$. Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f: X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=a$, $f(b)=b$ and $f(c)=c$. Then f is f wg^{**} -continuous but not f -continuous as the fuzzy set C is closed fuzzy set in Y and $f^{-1}(C)=C$ is not closed fuzzy set in X but g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is f g^{**} -continuous

Theorem 4.05: Every f g^{**} -continuous function is fg -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.06 : Let $X=Y=\{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A, B, C and D be defined as follows. $A=\{(a,0.2),(b,0.5),(c,0.3)\}$, $B=\{(a,0.8),(b,0.5),(c,0.7)\}$, $C=\{(a,0.5),(b,0.2),(c,0.3)\}$ and

$D=\{(a,0.5),(b,0.8),(c,0.7)\}$. Consider $T=\{0,1,A\}$ and $\sigma=\{0,1,A,B\}$. Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f: X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=b$, $f(b)=a$ and $f(c)=c$. Then f is fg -continuous but not f g^{**} -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A)=C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is fg -continuous

Theorem 4.07: Every f g^{**} -continuous function is fg^* -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.08: In the example 4.06, Then f is fg^* -continuous but not fg^{**} -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A)=C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is fg^* -continuous.

Theorem 4.09: Every f g^{**} -continuous function is fsg -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.10: In the example 4.06, Then f is fsg -continuous but not f g^{**} -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A)=C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is fsg -continuous

Theorem 4.11: Every f g^{**} -continuous function is fsg -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.12: In the example 4.06, Then f is fsg -continuous but not fg^{**} -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A)=C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is fsg -continuous.

Theorem 4.13: Every f g^{**} -continuous function is fag -continuous.

Proof: Omitted..

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.14:In the example 4.06, Then f is $f\alpha g$ -continuous but not $f g^{**}$ -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A) = C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is $f\alpha g$ -continuous.

Theorem 4.15: Every $f g^{**}$ -continuous function is $f\alpha g$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.16: In the example 4.06, Then f is $f\alpha g$ -continuous but not $f g^{**}$ -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A) = C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is $f\alpha g$ -continuous

Theorem 4.17:Every $f g^{**}$ -continuous function is $f g s p$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

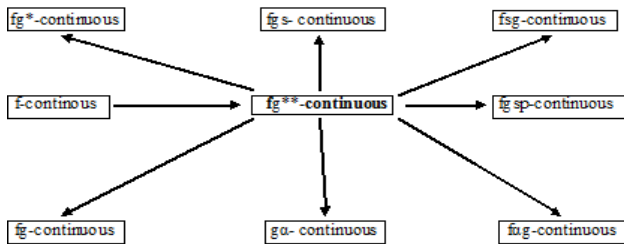
The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.18:In the example 4.06, Then f is $f g s p$ -continuous but not $f g^{**}$ -continuous as the inverse image of closed fuzzy set A in Y is $f^{-1}(A) = C$ which is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is $f g s p$ -continuous.

Theorem 4.19:If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $f g^{**}$ -continuous and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is f -continuous, then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

Remark 4.20:The following diagram shows the relationship of $f g^{**}$ -continuous maps with one other fuzzy maps.



Where $A \longrightarrow B$ ($A \longleftarrow B$) represents A implies B but not conversely. (A and B are independent).

Theorem 4.16:Let X_1 and X_2 be fts and $P_i: X_1 \times X_2 \rightarrow X_i$ ($i=1,2$) be the projection mappings. If $f: X \rightarrow X_1$

$\times X_2$ is $f g^{**}$ -continuous then the $P_i \circ f: X \rightarrow X_i$ ($i=1,2$) is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.21:Every f -strongly continuous function is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.22:In the example 3.27, the function f is $f g^{**}$ -continuous but not f -strongly continuous, for the fuzzy set C in Y , $f^{-1}(C) = C$ is not both open and closed fuzzy set in X

Theorem 4.23:Every f -perfectly continuous function is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.24:In the example 3.27, the function f is $f g^{**}$ -continuous but not f -perfectly continuous as the fuzzy set A is open in Y and $f^{-1}(A) = A$ is not both open and closed fuzzy set in X

Theorem 4.25:Every f -completely continuous function is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.26:In the example 3.27, the function f is $f g^{**}$ -continuous but not f -completely continuous as the fuzzy set A is open in Y and $f^{-1}(A) = A$ is not regular-open fuzzy set in X

We introduce the following.

Definition 4.27:a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy g^{**} -irresolute (briefly $f g^{**}$ -irresolute) if the inverse image of every g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in Y is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X .

Theorem 4.28:A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $f g^{**}$ -irresolute iff the inverse image of every g^{**} -open fuzzy set in Y is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in X .

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.29:Every $f g^{**}$ -irresolute function is $f g^{**}$ -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.30:Let $X = Y = \{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A, B, C, D and E be defined as follows.

$A = \{ (a,1), (b,0), (c,0) \}$, $B = \{ (a,0), (b,1), (c,0) \}$ $C = \{ (a,1), (b,1), (c,0) \}$, $D = \{ (a,1), (b,0), (c,1) \}$, $E =$

$\{(a,0),(b,1),(c,1)\}$. Consider $T = \{0,1,A,B,C,D\}$ and $\sigma = \{0,1,C\}$. Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f:X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=b$, $f(b) = c$ and $f(c) = a$. Then f is fg^{**} -continuous but not fg^{**} -irresolute as the fuzzy set in E is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in Y , but $f^{-1}(E) = C$ is not g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in X . Hence f is fg^{**} -continuous.

Theorem 4.31: if $f:X \rightarrow Y$ is fg^{**} -continuous, and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is f -continuous then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.32: Let $f:X \rightarrow Y$, $g:Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f and g are fg^{**} -irresolute functions then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -irresolute functions.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.33: Let $f:X \rightarrow Y$, $g:Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is fg^{**} -irresolute and g is fg^{**} -continuous then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -continuous.

Proof: Omitted.

Definition 4.34: A function $f:X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy g -irresolute (briefly fg -irresolute) function if the inverse image of every g -closed fuzzy set in Y is g -closed fuzzy set in X .

Theorem 4.35 : $f:X \rightarrow Y$ be a fg -irresolute and a f -closed map. Then $f(A)$ is a g^{**} -closed fuzzy set off Y , for every wg^{**} -closed fuzzy set A of X .

Proof: Omitted.

We introduce the following.

Definition 4.36 : A function $f:X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy g^{**} -open (briefly fg^{**} -open) if the image of every open fuzzy set in X is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in Y .

Definition 4.38: A function $f:X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be fuzzy g^{**} -closed (briefly fg^{**} -closed) if the image of every closed fuzzy set in X is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in Y .

Theorem 4.39: Every f -open map is fg^{**} -open map.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.40: Let $X = Y = \{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A,B , and C be defined as follows.

$A = \{ (a,0),(b,0.1),(c,0.2) \}$, $B = \{ (a,0.4),(b,0.5),(c,0.7) \}$
 $C = \{ (a,1),(b,0.9),(c,0.8) \}$. Consider $T = \{0,1,A\}$ and $\sigma = \{0,1,B\}$. Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f:X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=a$, $f(b) = b$ and $f(c) = c$. Then f is fg^{**} -open map but not f -open map as the fuzzy set A open fuzzy set in X , its image $f(A) = A$ is not open fuzzy set in Y which is g^{**} -open fuzzy set in Y .

Theorem 4.41 : Every fg^{**} -open map is fg -open.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.42 : Let $X = Y = \{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A,B , and C be defined as follows.

$A = \{ (a,0.2),(b,0.5),(c,0.3) \}$, $B = \{ (a,0.8),(b,0.5),(c,0.7) \}$ $C = \{ (a,0.5),(b,0.2),(c,0.3) \}$.

Consider $T = \{0,1,A\}$ and $\sigma = \{0,1,A,B\}$. Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f:X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=b$, $f(b) = a$ and $f(c) = c$. Then the function f is fg -open map but not fg^{**} -open map as the image of open fuzzy set A in X is $f(A) = C$ open fuzzy set in Y but not g^{**} -open fuzzy set in Y .

Theorem 4.43: Every f -closed map is fg^{**} -closed map..

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.44 : Let $X = Y = \{a,b,c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A,B , and C be defined as follows.

$A = \{ (a,0),(b,0.1),(c,0.2) \}$, $B = \{ (a,0.4),(b,0.5),(c,0.7) \}$
 $C = \{ (a,1),(b,0.9),(c,0.8) \}$. Consider $T = \{0,1,A\}$ and $\sigma = \{0,1,B\}$.

Then (X,T) and (Y,σ) are fts. Define $f:X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a)=a$, $f(b) = b$ and $f(c) = c$. Then f is fg^{**} -closed map but not f -closed map as the fuzzy set C is closed fuzzy set in X , and its image $f(C) = C$ is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in Y but not closed fuzzy set in Y .

Theorem 4.45: A map $f:X \rightarrow Y$ is fg^{**} -closed iff for each fuzzy set S of Y and for each open fuzzy set U such that $f^{-1}(S) \leq U$, there is a g^{**} -open fuzzy set V of Y such that $S \leq V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \leq U$.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.46: If a map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is fg -irresolute and fg^{**} -closed and A is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set of X then $f(A)$ is g^{**} -closed fuzzy set in Y .

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.47: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is f -closed map and $h: Y \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -closed maps, then $h \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -closed map.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.48 : Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an f -continuous, open and fg^{**} -closed surjection. If X is regular fts then Y is regular.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.49: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $h: Y \rightarrow Z$ be two maps such that $h \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} -closed map.

- i) If f is f -continuous and surjective, then h is fg^{**} -closed map.

ii) If h is fg^{**} - irresolute and injective, then f is fg^{**} - closed map.

Proof: Omitted.

Definition 4.50: Let X and Y be two fts . A bijective map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called fuzzy-homeomorphism (briefly f -homeomorphism) if f and f^{-1} are fuzzy-continuous. We introduced the following.

Definition 4.51: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called fuzzy g^{**} - homeomorphism (briefly g^{**} - homeomorphism) if f and f^{-1} are g^{**} - continuous.

Theorem 4.52: Every f -homeomorphism is fg^{**} -homeomorphism.

Proof: Omitted.

The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.53 : Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ and the fuzzy sets A, B and C be defined as follows. $A = \{(a, 1), (b, 0), (c, 0)\}$, $B = \{(a, 1), (b, 1), (c, 0)\}$, $C = \{(a, 1), (b, 0), (c, 1)\}$. Consider $T = \{0, 1, A\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, B\}$. Then (X, T) and (Y, σ) are fts . Define $f: X \rightarrow Y$ by $f(a) = a$, $f(b) = c$ and $f(c) = b$. Then f is fg^{**} - homeomorphism but not f -homeomorphism as A is open fuzzy set in X and its image of $f(A) = A$ is not open fuzzy set in Y . $f^{-1}: Y \rightarrow X$ is not f -continuous.

Theorem 4.53: Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a bijective function. Then the following are equivalent:

- f is fg^{**} - homeomorphism.
- f is fg^{**} - continuous and fg^{**} - open maps.
- f is fg^{**} - continuous and fg^{**} - closed maps.

Proof: Omitted.

Definition 4.54: Let X and Y be two fts . A bijective map $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called fuzzy fg^{**} - c -homeomorphism (briefly fg^{**} - c -homeomorphism) if f and f^{-1} are fuzzy g^{**} - irresolute.

Theorem 4.55: Let X, Y, Z be fuzzy topological spaces and $f: X \rightarrow Y, g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be fg^{**} - c -homeomorphisms then their composition $gof: X \rightarrow Z$ is fg^{**} - c -homeomorphism.

Proof: Omitted.

Theorem 4.56: Every fg^{**} - c -homeomorphism is fg^{**} -homeomorphism.

Proof: Omitted.

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