



A study on fuzzy semi-stratifiable and fuzzy stratifiable spaces

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Abstract

The notion of stratifiable space and semi-stratifiable space were studied by Gary Gruenhagen [4]. Alexander P. Sostak extended the concept of stratifiable space to the fuzzy case [1]. In this paper we investigate some properties of fuzzy closure-preserving collection, fuzzy stratifiable space and fuzzy semi-stratifiable space.

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1. Introduction

The concepts like stratifiable space and semi-stratifiable space were extensively studied by Gary Gruenhagen. For a detailed discussion reference may be made of [4]. The class of stratifiable spaces does not differ too much from the class of metrizable spaces. Alexander P. Sostak extended the concept of stratifiable space to the fuzzy case [1]. In this paper we establish some properties of fuzzy closure-preserving collection, fuzzy stratifiable space and fuzzy semi-stratifiable space.

2. Preliminaries

We use the term fuzzy topological space in Chang's sense [2]. A fuzzy point x_α is a fuzzy set which takes every element in X to 0 except one element $x \in X$ and its value at x is α where $(0 < \alpha \leq 1)$. $\underline{0}$ is the fuzzy set which maps all element in X to 0 and $\underline{1}$ is the fuzzy set which maps every element in X to 1. The closure of a fuzzy set U in a fuzzy topological space

is denoted by \bar{U} . In this paper each fuzzy topological space is assumed to be T_1 and regular. \mathbb{N} denotes set of all natural numbers. We list some of the definitions which we are using in this paper.

Definition 2.1. [11] A collection \mathcal{A} of fuzzy subsets of a fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called discrete if for each fuzzy point x_α , there is a $G \in F$ with $x_\alpha \leq G$ and $G \wedge A \neq \underline{0}$ holds for at most one element A of \mathcal{A} .

Definition 2.2. [9] Let \mathcal{A} be a cover of a fuzzy topological space (X, F) . For $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ and a fuzzy point x_α , $st(x_\alpha, \mathcal{A}) = \bigvee \{B : B \in \mathcal{A}, B(x) \geq \alpha\}$ and for a fuzzy set G , $st(G, \mathcal{A}) = \bigvee \{B : B \in \mathcal{A} \text{ and } B \wedge G \neq \underline{0}\}$

Definition 2.3. [9] Let (X, F) be a fuzzy topological space. A fuzzy point x_α , $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ is called a cluster point of the set $\{(x_n)_\alpha : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$, where $(x_n)_\alpha$ is a fuzzy set with support x_n and value α , if for each fuzzy set $G \in F$ such that $x_\alpha \leq G$, there exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ with $x_{n_0} \neq x$ and $(x_{n_0})_\alpha \leq G$.

Definition 2.4. [7] Let (X, F) be a fuzzy topological space and let $F_0 \subset F$. Then F_0 is called a fuzzy base of F if $F = \{\bigvee \mathcal{A} : \mathcal{A} \subset F_0\}$.

3. Fuzzy closure-preserving collection

In this section we define fuzzy closure-preserving collection and fuzzy σ -closure-preserving collection.

Definition 3.1. A collection \mathcal{H} of fuzzy subsets of a fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called fuzzy closure-preserving if $\bigvee \mathcal{H}' = \bigvee \{\overline{H} : H \in \mathcal{H}'\}$ for each $\mathcal{H}' \subset \mathcal{H}$. If $\mathcal{H} = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{H}_n$ where each \mathcal{H}_n is fuzzy closure-preserving, then \mathcal{H} is called a fuzzy σ -closure-preserving.

Theorem 3.2. Fuzzy locally finite collections are fuzzy closure-preserving.

Proof. Let \mathcal{A} be a fuzzy locally finite collection of fuzzy subsets of X . Let $\mathcal{A}' \subset \mathcal{A}$. Let $A' \in \mathcal{A}'$. Now $A' \leq \bigvee \{A' : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$ which implies $\overline{A'} \leq \overline{\bigvee \{A' : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}}$. That is $\overline{A'} \leq \bigvee \mathcal{A}'$ for each $A' \in \mathcal{A}'$. So $\bigvee \{A' : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\} \leq \bigvee \mathcal{A}'$. Thus we need to prove the other side. Clearly, $\bigvee \{A' : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\} \leq \bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$. If $\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$ is closed, then $\bigvee \{A' : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\} \leq \bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$, that is $\bigvee \mathcal{A}' \leq \bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$. So it suffices to prove that, $\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$ is closed.

Let $x_\alpha \leq (\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\})^c$. Since \mathcal{A} is locally finite collection, \mathcal{A}' is also locally finite collection and hence so is $\{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$. Let G be a fuzzy open set with $x_\alpha \leq G$ and $G \wedge \overline{A_i} \neq 0$ holds for finitely many $A_i \in \mathcal{A}'$, say $1 \leq i \leq n$. Then $x_\alpha \leq G \wedge \bigwedge_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}^c$ and $(G \wedge \bigwedge_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}^c) \wedge (\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}) = 0$. Therefore for every fuzzy point $x_\alpha \leq (\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\})^c$, there exists a fuzzy open set $G \wedge \bigwedge_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}^c$ with $x_\alpha \leq G \wedge \bigwedge_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}^c$ and $G \wedge \bigwedge_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}^c \leq (\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\})^c$. Therefore $(\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\})^c$ is open and hence $\bigvee \{\overline{A'} : A' \in \mathcal{A}'\}$ is closed. \square

4. Fuzzy semi-stratifiable and fuzzy stratifiable spaces

Definition 4.1. [1] A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called stratifiable if to every $U \in F$, one can assign a sequence of fuzzy sets $U_n \in F$ such that

- (1) $\overline{U_n} \leq U$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$
- (2) $\bigvee_n U_n = U$
- (3) $U \leq V (V \in F)$ implies $U_n \leq V_n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$

When studying the properties of fuzzy stratifiable spaces it is convenient to use the following dual characterization.

Theorem 4.2. A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is fuzzy stratifiable if there is a function G which assigns to each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and fuzzy-closed subset H of X , a fuzzy-open set $G(n, H)$ with $H \leq G(n, H)$ such that

- (1) $H = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$
- (2) $H \leq K \implies G(n, H) \leq G(n, K)$
- (3) $H = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$

Remark 4.3. we can assume the following condition satisfies:

- (4) $G(n+1, H) \leq G(n, H)$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Definition 4.4. A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called fuzzy semi-stratifiable if there is a function G which assigns to each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and fuzzy closed subset H of X , a fuzzy open set

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- (2) $H \leq K \implies G(n, H) \leq G(n, K)$

Definition 4.5. [10] A sequence (\mathcal{A}_n) of fuzzy open covers of a fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called a fuzzy development for X , if for $\alpha \in (0, 1]$, a fuzzy point x_α , the set $\{st(x_\alpha, \mathcal{A}_n) : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ is a base at x_α . A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is fuzzy developable if it has a fuzzy development.

Theorem 4.6. Every fuzzy developable space is fuzzy semi-stratifiable.

Proof. Suppose (X, F) is a fuzzy developable space. Let (\mathcal{A}_n) be a fuzzy development for X . Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and H be a fuzzy closed subset of X . Let $G(n, H) = st(H, \mathcal{A}_n)$. Clearly $H \leq st(H, \mathcal{A}_n) = G(n, H)$ and $H = \bigwedge_n st(H, \mathcal{A}_n) = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$. If $H \leq K$ then $st(H, \mathcal{A}_n) \leq st(K, \mathcal{A}_n)$. Therefore (X, F) is fuzzy semi-stratifiable. \square

Definition 4.7. A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is called a fuzzy M_1 -space if X has a fuzzy σ -closure preserving base.

Theorem 4.8. Every fuzzy M_1 -space is fuzzy stratifiable.

Proof. Suppose (X, F) is a fuzzy M_1 -space. Let $\mathcal{B} = \bigcup_n \mathcal{B}_n$ be a fuzzy σ -closure preserving base for X . Let H be a fuzzy closed subset of X and let $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $G(n, H) = (\bigvee_n \{\overline{B} : B \in \mathcal{B}_n, \overline{B} \wedge H = 0\})^c$. Then $H \leq G(n, H)$. Clearly $H = \bigwedge_n G(n, H) = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$. Also $H \leq K \implies G(n, H) \leq G(n, K)$. Therefore (X, F) is fuzzy stratifiable. \square

Theorem 4.9. A fuzzy topological space (X, F) is fuzzy semi-stratifiable if and only if for each fixed $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ there is a function $g : \mathbb{N} \times \{x_\alpha : x \in X\} \rightarrow F$ such that

- (i) $x_\alpha = \bigwedge_n g(n, x_\alpha)$
 - (ii) $y_\alpha \leq g(n, (x_n)_\alpha) \implies (x_n)_\alpha \rightarrow y_\alpha$
- (X, F) is fuzzy stratifiable is we can also obtain
- (iii) if $y_\alpha \not\leq H$, where H is fuzzy-closed subset, then $y_\alpha \not\leq \bigvee \{g(n, x_\alpha) : x_\alpha \leq H\}$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Proof. Suppose (X, F) is fuzzy semi-stratifiable. Fix $\alpha \in (0, 1]$. Let $g(n, x_\alpha) = G(n, x_\alpha)$, where G satisfies definition 4.4, with $G(n+1, H) \leq G(n, H)$ for each n . Since $H = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$, $x_\alpha = \bigwedge_n G(n, x_\alpha) = \bigwedge_n g(n, x_\alpha)$. Therefore (i) holds true. To see (ii), assume that $y_\alpha \leq g(n, (x_n)_\alpha)$ and $(x_n)_\alpha \not\rightarrow y_\alpha$. Then there is an infinite subset $A \subset \mathbb{N}$ with $y_\alpha \not\leq \bigvee \{(x_n)_\alpha : n \in A\}$. Then $y_\alpha \not\leq G(m, \bigvee \{(x_n)_\alpha : n \in A\})$ for some $m \in \mathbb{N}$. Choose $n \in A$ with $n \geq m$. Then $y_\alpha \leq g(n, (x_n)_\alpha) = G(n, (x_n)_\alpha) \leq G(n, \bigvee \{(x_n)_\alpha : n \in A\}) \leq G(m, \bigvee \{(x_n)_\alpha : n \in A\})$, since $n \geq m$. This is a contradiction. Therefore $(x_n)_\alpha \rightarrow y_\alpha$.

Suppose (X, F) is fuzzy stratifiable. To check (iii), assume that $y_\alpha \not\leq H$ where H is a closed fuzzy subset. Since $H = \bigwedge_n G(n, H)$, there exists $n \in \mathbb{N}$ with $y_\alpha \not\leq G(n, H)$. But $\bigvee_{x_\alpha \leq H} G(n, x_\alpha) \leq G(n, H)$. So $y_\alpha \not\leq \bigvee_{x_\alpha \leq H} G(n, x_\alpha)$ and hence



$$y_\alpha \notin \overline{\bigvee \{g(n, x_\alpha) : x_\alpha \leq H\}}.$$

Conversely, assume that there is a function g satisfying the conditions of theorem. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and H be a closed fuzzy subset. Let $G(n, H) = \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} g(n, x_\alpha)$. Clearly $H \leq G(n, H)$. Then $\bigwedge_n G(n, H) = \bigwedge_n \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} g(n, x_\alpha) = \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} (\bigwedge_n g(n, x_\alpha)) = \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} x_\alpha = H$. Suppose $H \leq K$ where K is a closed fuzzy subset. Then $G(n, H) = \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} g(n, x_\alpha) \leq \bigvee_{\alpha=K(x)} g(n, x_\alpha) = G(n, K)$. Therefore (X, F) is fuzzy semi-stratifiable. Clearly $\bigwedge_n \overline{G(n, H)} = \bigwedge_n \bigvee_{\alpha=H(x)} g(n, x_\alpha) = H$ by (iii). Hence (X, F) is fuzzy stratifiable. \square

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