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TOPOLOGICAL PROPERTIES IN REGULAR GENERALIZED M-FUZZY METRIC SPACE

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ABSTRACT

The aim of this paper is to introduce regular generalized M-fuzzy metric space and study the properties of topology induced by this metric.

1. INTRODUCTION

In 1965, the concept of fuzzy sets was introduced by Zadeh [12]. Since then many authors have expansively developed the theory of fuzzy sets and applications. Especially Kaleva and Seikkala [4], Sedghi and Shobe [6], Kramosil and Michalek [5] have introduced the concepts of fuzzy metric spaces in different ways. We introduced generalized M-fuzzy metric space [7]. The main objective of this paper is to study the properties of topology induced by this metric space.

2. Preliminaries

Definition 2.1. [7]

A 3-tuple $(X, M, *)$ is called a generalized M-fuzzy metric space if X is an arbitrary nonempty set, * is a continuous t-norm and $M : X^n \times (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$, $n \geq 3$ satisfying the following conditions, for each $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, x_n \in X$ and $t, s > 0$.

- (i) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) > 0$
- (ii) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = 1$ for all $t > 0$ if and only if $x_1 = x_2 = \dots = x_n$.
- (iii) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = M(p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), t)$ where p is a permutation function.
- (iv) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t+s) \geq M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) * M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, s)$
- (v) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is continuous.
- (vi) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 1$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$.

Example 2.2. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a modified fuzzy metric as in [3] which satisfy the additional condition $M(x, y, t) \rightarrow 1$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$. Define $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = M(x_1, x_2, t) * M(x_2, x_3, t) * \dots *$

$M(x_{n-1}, x_n, t)$ for every $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in X$. Then $(X, M, *)$ is a generalized M-fuzzy metric space.

Example 2.3. [9]

Consider $X = \mathbb{R}$. Let * be the product norm defined by $a * b = ab$.

Define $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = \frac{t}{t + |x_1 - x_2| + \dots + |x_{n-1} - x_n|}$ Then $(X, M, *)$ is a generalized M-fuzzy metric space.

Example 2.4. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space and let $x \in X$, $0 < r < 1, t > 0$ we define $B_{M,r}(x, t) = \{y \in X / M(y, \dots, y, x, t) > r\}$ called open ball.

Definition 2.5. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space. A subset A of X is said to be open if for each $x \in A$ there is a $0 < r < 1, t > 0$ such that $B_{M,r}(x, t) \subseteq A$.

Theorem 2.6. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space. Then every

open ball is an open set.

Definition 2.7. [7]

A topology on a set X is a collection of subsets of X having the following properties

- (i) ϕ and X are in τ
- (ii) The union of the elements of any subcollection of τ is in τ .
- (iii) The intersection of the elements of any finite subcollection of τ is in τ .

A set X for which a topology has been specified is called a topological space.

Theorem 2.8. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space. Then $\tau_M = \{A / A \text{ is open in } X\}$ is a topology on X called topology induced by M. We call (X, τ_M) is a topological space induced by M.

Definition 2.9. [1]

A topological space (X, τ) is called a Hausdorff space if for each pair x_1, x_2 , of distinct points of X, there exists neighborhoods U_1 and U_2 of x_1 and x_2 respectively that are disjoint.

Theorem 2.10. [7] Every generalized M-fuzzy metric space is a Hausdorff space.

Definition 2.11. [7]

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space and let A and B are disjoint closed subsets of X. X is said to be normal space if there exists disjoint open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U, B \subseteq V$.

Theorem 2.12. [1] Every generalized M-fuzzy metric space is a normal space.

3. Topology Induced by Regular Generalized M-fuzzy Metric Space

Here we introduce regular generalized M-fuzzy metric space and study the properties of topology induced by this metric.

Definition 3.1.

A generalized M-fuzzy metric space $(X, M, *)$ is said to be a regular generalized M-fuzzy metric space provided

- (i) X is a real or complex vector space
- (ii) $M(x_1+a, x_2+a, \dots, x_n+a, t) = M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)$
- (iii) $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, |k|t) = M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)$.

Now we give an example which ensure the existence of a regular generalized M-fuzzy metric space.

Example 3.2.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a generalized M-fuzzy metric space. Let $X = \mathbb{R}$ and

$$\text{define } M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = \frac{e^{-k_1-x_1}}{e^{-k_1-x_1} + \dots + e^{-k_{n-1}-x_{n-1}}}$$

Then $(X, M, *)$ is a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space.

Theorem 3.3.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space.

Then for all $x, y \in X, 0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$. We have $y + B_M(x, r, t) = B_M(x+y, r, t)$.

Proof.

By our definition $B_M(x, r, t) = \{z \in X; M(z, x, \dots, x, t) > 1r\}$.

Now $y + B_M(x, r, t) = \{y + z; M(z, x, \dots, x, t) > 1r\}$.

As per our metric property, $M(z, x, \dots, x, t) > 1r$ if and only if $M(z+y, x+y, \dots, x+y, t) > 1r$ if and only if $M(z+y, x+y, \dots, x+y, t) > 1r$.

This means that $z + y \in B_M(x+y, r, t)$ and so $y + B_M(x, r, t) = B_M(x+y, r, t)$.

Theorem 3.4.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Then the following hold

- (i) If A is a open set in X and $y \in X$ then $y + A$ is a open set.
- (ii) If A is a open set in X and $B \subseteq X$ then $A + B$ is a open set.

Proof.

(i) Suppose A is a open set. Then for all $x \in A$ there exists $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(x, r, t) \subseteq A$. Since $B_M(x+y, r, t) = B_M(x, r, t) + y, B_M(x+y, r, t) \subseteq y + A$ and so $y + A$ is a open set.

(ii) It is seen that $A + B = \{x+y; x \in A, y \in B\}$. For any $y \in B$. Since B is a open set, there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(y, r, t) \subseteq B$.

Now $x + B_M(y, r, t) = B_M(x+y, r, t) \subseteq A + B$ for all $x \in A$. Hence for any $x + y \in A + B$, the open set $B_M(x+y, r, t) \subseteq A + B$. This means that $A + B$ is a open set.

Theorem 3.5.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Then $B_M(0, r, |k|t) = kB_M(0, r, t)$ for all scalar k .

Proof.

We have

$$B_M(0, r, |k|t) = \{z \in X : M(0, z, \dots, z, |kt|) > 1r\}$$

$$= \{z \in X : \mathcal{M}(0, \frac{z}{k}, \dots, \frac{z}{k}, t) > 1-r\}$$

$$= k \{ \frac{z}{k} \in X : \mathcal{M}(0, \frac{z}{k}, \dots, \frac{z}{k}, t) > 1-r\}$$

$$= k \{y \in X : \mathcal{M}(0, y, \dots, y, t) > 1-r\}$$

$$= k B_M(0, r, t)$$

$$\text{Hence } B_M(0, r, |k|t) = kB_M(0, r, t).$$

Theorem 3.6.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space and $x \in X$. Then $x + B_M(0, r, |k|t) = kB_M(\frac{x}{k}, r, t)$.

Proof.

By the above theorem

$$x + B_M(0, r, t) = k [\frac{x}{k} + B_M(0, r, t)]$$

$$= k B_M(\frac{x}{k}, r, t)$$

Definition 3.7.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space and $A \subseteq X$. Then A is called a neighborhood of a point $x \in X$ if there exist $B \in \tau_M$ such that $x \in B \subseteq A$.

Theorem 3.8.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Let A be a subset of X . Then A is a neighborhood of x if and only if $B_M(x,$

$r, t) \subseteq A$ for some $0 < r < 1, t > 0$.

Proof.

Suppose A is a neighborhood of x . Then there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(x, r, t) \subseteq A$.

Conversely, suppose $B_M(x, r, t) \subseteq A$. Since $x \in B_M(x, r, t) \subseteq A$, A is a neighborhood of x .

Theorem 3.9.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. If A is a neighborhood of x then kA is a neighborhood of kx for all scalar k .

Proof.

Let A be a neighborhood of a point $x \in X$.

By definition, there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(x, r, t) \subseteq A$.

This implies that $x + B_M(0, r, t) \subseteq A$ and so $kx + B_M(0, r, |k|t) \subseteq kA$.

i.e., $B_M(kx, r, |k|t) \subseteq kA$.

Hence kA is a neighborhood of kx .

Theorem 3.10.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. If A is a neighborhood of a point x_0 . Then $x_0 + A$ is a neighborhood of origin 0 .

Proof.

Since A is a neighborhood of x_0 ,

By definition there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(x_0, r, t) \subseteq A$.

This implies that $x_0 + B_M(0, r, t) \subseteq A$ and so $B_M(0, r, t) \subseteq x_0 + A$

Therefore $x_0 + A$ is a neighborhood of origin

Theorem 3.11. Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Let A be the neighborhood of origin 0 and $x_0 \in X$. Then $x_0 + A$ is a neighborhood of x_0 .

Proof.

Since A is a neighborhood of origin

By definition, there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(0, r, t) \subseteq A$.

This implies that $x_0 + B_M(0, r, t) \subseteq x_0 + A$.

This means that $B_M(x_0, r, t) \subseteq x_0 + A$

Therefore $x_0 + A$ is a neighborhood of x_0 .

Theorem 3.12.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Then $B_M(0, r, t)$ is a balanced set.

Proof.

Let k be a scalar such that $|k| \leq 1$

Now $k B_M(0, r, t) = B_M(0, r, |k|t) \subseteq B_M(0, r, t)$

Therefore $B_M(0, r, t)$ is a balanced set.

Theorem 3.13.

Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space and $x \in X$. Then $B_M(x, r, t)$ is a convex set.

Proof.

Let $x_1, x_2 \in X, 0 < r < 1$ and $t_1, t_2 > 0$ we have

$$B_M(x_1, r, t_1) + B_M(x_2, r, t_2) = x_1 + B_M(0, r, t_1) + x_2 + B_M(0, r, t_2)$$

Suppose $t_2 = k t_1$ for some k

$$x_1 + B_M(0, r, t_1) + x_2 + B_M(0, r, k t_1)$$

$$= x_1 + x_2 + B_M(0, r, t_1) + kB_M(0, r, t_1)$$

$$= x_1 + x_2 + B_M(0, r, (1+k)t_1)$$

$$= x_1 + x_2 + B_M(0, r, t_1 + k t_1)$$

$$= x_1 + x_2 + B_M(0, r, t_1 + t_2)$$

$$= B_M(x_1 + x_2, r, t_1 + t_2)$$

Hence $B_M(x_1, r, t_1) + B_M(x_2, r, t_2) = B_M(x_1 + x_2, r, t_1 + t_2)$

Let $k \in [0, 1]$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 k B_M(0, r, t) + (1k) B_M(0, r, t) &= B_M(0, r, kt) + B_M(0, r, (1k)t) \\
 &= B_M(0, r, kt + t \cdot k) \\
 &= B_M(0, r, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $B_M(0, r, t)$ is a convex set.
 Now for any $x \in X$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 k B_M(x, r, t) + (1k) B_M(x, r, t) &+ k[x + B_M(0, r, t)] + (1k)[x + B_M(0, r, t)] \\
 &= kx + (1k)x + k B_M(0, r, t) + (1k) B_M(0, r, t) \\
 &= x + B_M(0, r, t) \\
 &= B_M(x, r, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $B_M(x, r, t)$ is a convex set.

Theorem 3.14. Let $(X, M, *)$ be a regular generalized M -fuzzy metric space. Let A be an open set of X then kA is also an open set in X for all scalars k .

Proof.

Now $kA = \{kx : x \in A\}$. Let $x \in A$.

By definition, there is a $0 < r < 1$ and $t > 0$ such that $B_M(x, r, t) \subset A$.

Now $k B_M(x, r, t) = B_M(kx, r, |k|t) \subset kA$.

Hence kA is an open set in X for all scalar k .

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