

L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and its level sub ℓ -groups

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ABSTRACT: In this paper, we discussed some properties of L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of a lattice ordered group and define a new algebraic structure of an anti L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and some related properties are investigated. We establish the relation between L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and anti L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group. The purpose of this study is to implement the fuzzy set theory and group theory in L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and anti L-fuzzy sub ℓ -groups. Characterizations of level subsets of a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group are given. We also discussed the relation between a given L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and its level sub ℓ -groups and investigate the conditions under which a given sub ℓ -group has a properly inclusive chain of sub ℓ -groups. In particular, we formulate how to structure an L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group by a given chain of sub ℓ -groups.

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I. INTRODUCTION

L. A. Zadeh [14] introduced the notion of a fuzzy subset A of a set X as a function from X into [0, 1]. Rosenfeld [8] applied this concept in group theory and semi group theory, and developed the theory of fuzzy subgroups and fuzzy sub semi groupoids respectively. J.A. Goguen [2] replaced the valuations set [0, 1], by means of a complete lattice in an attempt to make a generalized study of fuzzy set theory by studying L-fuzzy sets. In fact it seems in order to obtain a complete analogy of crisp mathematics in terms of fuzzy mathematics, it is necessary to replace the valuation set by a system having more rich algebraic structure. These concepts ℓ -groups play a major role in mathematics and fuzzy mathematics. Satya Saibaba[13] introduced the concept of L- fuzzy ℓ -group and L-fuzzy ℓ -ideal of ℓ -group.

We wish to define a new algebraic structure of L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group and establishes the relation with L-fuzzy sub ℓ - group and discussed some of its properties.

II. PRELIMINARIES

In this section we site the fundamental definitions that we will be used in the sequel. Throughout this paper $G = (G, *)$ is a group, e is the identity element of G and xy we mean $x*y$.

2.1 Definition [13]

A lattice ordered group or a ℓ -group is a system $G = (G, *, \leq)$, where

- i. $(G, *)$ is a group,
- ii. (G, \leq) is a lattice ,
- iii. The inclusion is invariant under all translations $x \rightarrow a + x + b$ i.e. $x \leq y \Rightarrow a + x + b \leq a + y + b$

Remark

Throughout this paper $G = (G, *, \leq)$ is a lattice ordered group or a ℓ -group, e is the identity element of G and xy we mean $x*y$.

2.2 Definition [8]

Let S be any non-empty set. A fuzzy subset μ of S is a function $\mu: S \rightarrow [0, 1]$.

2.3 Definition [8]

Let G be a group. A fuzzy subset μ of G is called a fuzzy subgroup if $\mu(xy) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$ for any $x, y \in G$,

- i. $\mu(xy) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$,
- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$.

2.4 Definition [1]

Let G be a group. A fuzzy subset μ of G is called an anti fuzzy subgroup if for any $x, y \in G$,

- i. $\mu(xy) \leq \mu(x) \vee \mu(y)$,
- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$.

2.5 Definition [13]

An L the infinite meets distributive law. If L is the unit interval $[0, 1]$ of real numbers, there are the usual fuzzy subsets of G . A L fuzzy subset $\mu: G \rightarrow L$ is said to be non-empty, if it is not the constant map which assumes the values 0 of L .

2.6 Definition [11]

A L -fuzzy subset μ of G is said to be a L -fuzzy subgroup of G if for any $x, y \in G$,

- i. $\mu(xy) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$,
- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$.

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- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$.

2.8 Definition [13]

A L -fuzzy subset μ of G is said to be a L -fuzzy sub ℓ group of G if for any $x, y \in G$,

- i. $\mu(xy) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$,
- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$,
- iii. $\mu(x \vee y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$,
- iv. $\mu(x \wedge y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$.

2.9 Definition [13]

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- i. $\mu(xy) \leq \mu(x) \vee \mu(y)$,
- ii. $\mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x)$,
- iii. $\mu(x \vee y) \leq \mu(x) \vee \mu(y)$,
- iv. $\mu(x \wedge y) \leq \mu(x) \vee \mu(y)$.

III. PROPERTIES OF L-FUZZY SUB ℓ -GROUP OF G

In this section we discuss some of the properties of L -fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

3.1 Theorem

Let μ be a L -fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G then ,

- i. $\mu(x) \leq \mu(e)$ for $x \in G$, where e is the identity element of the G .
- ii. The Subset $H = \{ x \in G / \mu(x) = \mu(e) \}$ is a sub ℓ -group of G .

Proof

- i. Let $x \in G$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x) &= \mu(x) \wedge \mu(x) , \\ \mu(x) &= \mu(x) \wedge \mu(x^{-1}), \\ &\leq \mu(xx^{-1}), \\ &= \mu(e). \end{aligned}$$

That is, $\mu(x) \leq \mu(e)$.

- ii. Let $H = \{ x \in G / \mu(x) = \mu(e) \}$.

Clearly H is non-empty as $e \in H$ and for any $x, y \in G$, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x) &= \mu(y) = \mu(e). \\ \text{Now, } \mu(xy^{-1}) &\geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y^{-1}), \\ &= \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y), \\ &= \mu(e) \wedge \mu(e), \end{aligned}$$

That is , $\mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(e)$ and obviously $\mu(xy^{-1}) \leq \mu(e)$, by (i).

Hence, $\mu(xy^{-1}) = \mu(e)$ and $xy^{-1} \in H$.

Hence , H is a sub ℓ -group of a group G .

3.2 Theorem

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G with identity e , then, for any $x, y \in G$, $\mu(xy^{-1}) = \mu(e) \Rightarrow \mu(x) = \mu(y)$.

Proof

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G with identity e and $\mu(xy^{-1}) = \mu(e)$, then for any $x, y \in G$, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x) &= \mu(x(y^{-1}y)) \\ &= \mu((xy^{-1})y) \\ &\geq \mu(xy^{-1}) \wedge \mu(y) \\ &= \mu(e) \wedge \mu(y) \\ &= \mu(y). \end{aligned}$$

That is, $\mu(x) \geq \mu(y)$.

Now, $\mu(y) = \mu(y^{-1})$, then

$$\begin{aligned} &= \mu(ey^{-1}) \\ &= \mu((x^{-1}x)y^{-1}) \\ &= \mu(x^{-1}(xy^{-1})) \\ &\geq \mu(x^{-1}) \wedge \mu(xy^{-1}) \\ &\geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(e) \\ &\geq \mu(x). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\mu(y) \geq \mu(x)$.

3.3 Theorem

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G iff $\mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$ for any $x, y \in G$.

Proof

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G , then for any $x, y \in G$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(xy) &\geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y), \\ \text{Now, } \mu(xy^{-1}) &\geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y^{-1}), \end{aligned}$$

$$= \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y),$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y).$$

3.4 Theorem

Let μ and λ be any two L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G , then $\mu \cap \lambda$ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

Proof

Let μ and λ be an L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i. } (\mu \cap \lambda)(xy) &= \mu(xy) \wedge \lambda(xy) \\ &\geq (\mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)) \wedge (\lambda(x) \wedge \lambda(y)) \\ &= ((\mu(x) \wedge \lambda(x)) \wedge (\mu(y) \wedge \lambda(y))) \\ &= (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y). \end{aligned}$$

$$(\mu \cap \lambda)(xy) \geq (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii. } (\mu \cap \lambda)(x^{-1}) &= \mu(x^{-1}) \wedge \lambda(x^{-1}) \\ &= \mu(x) \wedge \lambda(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (\mu \cap \lambda)(x).$$

$$(\mu \cap \lambda)(x^{-1}) = (\mu \cap \lambda)(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii. } (\mu \cap \lambda)(x \vee y) &= \mu(x \vee y) \wedge \lambda(x \vee y) \\ &\geq (\mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)) \wedge (\lambda(x) \wedge \lambda(y)) \\ &= ((\mu(x) \wedge \lambda(x)) \wedge (\mu(y) \wedge \lambda(y))) \\ &= (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y). \end{aligned}$$

$$(\mu \cap \lambda)(x \vee y) \geq (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv. } (\mu \cap \lambda)(x \wedge y) &= \mu(x \wedge y) \wedge \lambda(x \wedge y) \\ &\geq (\mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)) \wedge (\lambda(x) \wedge \lambda(y)) \\ &= ((\mu(x) \wedge \lambda(x)) \wedge (\mu(y) \wedge \lambda(y))) \\ &= (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y). \end{aligned}$$

$$(\mu \cap \lambda)(x \wedge y) \geq (\mu \cap \lambda)(x) \wedge (\mu \cap \lambda)(y).$$

Hence, $\mu \cap \lambda$ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G.

Remark

Arbitrary intersection of a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G.

3.5 Theorem

μ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G iff μ^c is an anti L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G.

Proof

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G and for $x, y \in G$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.} \quad & \mu(xy) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y) \\ \Leftrightarrow & 1 - \mu^c(xy) \geq (1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(xy) \leq 1 - ((1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y))) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(xy) \leq \mu^c(x) \vee \mu^c(y). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii.} \quad & \mu(x^{-1}) = \mu(x) \text{ for any } x, y \in G. \\ \Leftrightarrow & 1 - \mu^c(x^{-1}) = 1 - \mu^c(x) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(x^{-1}) = \mu^c(x). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iii.} \quad & \mu(x \vee y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y) \\ \Leftrightarrow & 1 - \mu^c(x \vee y) \geq (1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(x \vee y) \leq 1 - ((1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y))) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(x \vee y) \leq \mu^c(x) \vee \mu^c(y). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{iv.} \quad & \mu(x \wedge y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y) \\ \Leftrightarrow & 1 - \mu^c(x \wedge y) \geq (1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(x \wedge y) \leq 1 - ((1 - \mu^c(x)) \wedge (1 - \mu^c(y))) \\ \Leftrightarrow & \mu^c(x \wedge y) \leq \mu^c(x) \vee \mu^c(y). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, μ^c is an anti L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G.

IV. PROPERTIES OF LEVEL SUBSETS OF A L-FUZZY SUB ℓ -GROUP OF G

In this section, we introduce the concept of level subsets of a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G and discussed some of its properties.

4.1 Definition

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G. For any $t \in [0,1]$, we define the set $U(\mu; t) = \{x \in G / \mu(x) \geq t\}$ is called a upper level subset or a level subset of μ .

4.1 Theorem

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G. Then for $t \in [0, 1]$ such that $t \leq \mu(e)$, $U(\mu; t)$ is a sub ℓ -group of G.

Proof

For any $x, y \in U(\mu; t)$, we have,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now,} \quad & \mu(x) \geq t; \mu(y) \geq t \\ & \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y) \\ & \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq t \wedge t \\ & \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq t. \\ & xy^{-1} \in U(\mu; t). \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $U(\mu; t)$ is a sub ℓ -group of \mathcal{G} .

4.2 Theorem

Let μ be a L-fuzzy subset of G such that $U(\mu; t)$ is a sub ℓ -group of G. For $t \in [0,1]$ $t \leq \mu(e)$, μ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G.

Proof

Let $x, y \in G$ and $\mu(x) = t_1$ and $\mu(y) = t_2$.

Suppose $t_1 < t_2$, then $x, y \in U(\mu; t_1)$.

As $U(\mu; t_1)$ is a sub ℓ -group of G, $xy^{-1} \in U(\mu; t_1)$.

Hence, $\mu(xy^{-1}) \geq t_1 = t_1 \wedge t_2$

That is, $\mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$.

By Theorem 3.2, μ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

4.2 Definition

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G . The sub ℓ -groups $U(\mu; t)$ for $t \in [0,1]$ and $t \leq \mu(e)$, are called level sub ℓ -groups of μ .

4.3 Theorem

Let μ be a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G . If two level sub ℓ -groups $U(\mu; t_1)$, $U(\mu; t_2)$, for, $t_1, t_2 \in [0,1]$ and $t_1, t_2 \leq \mu(e)$ with $t_1 < t_2$ of μ are equal then there is no $x \in G$ such that $t_1 \leq \mu(x) < t_2$.

Proof

Let $U(\mu; t_1) = U(\mu; t_2)$.

Suppose there exists $x \in G$ such that $t_1 \leq \mu(x) < t_2$, then $U(\mu; t_2) \subseteq U(\mu; t_1)$.

Then $x \in U(\mu; t_1)$, but $x \notin U(\mu; t_2)$, which contradicts the assumption that,

$$U(\mu; t_1) = U(\mu; t_2).$$

Hence there is no $x \in G$ such that $t_1 \leq \mu(x) < t_2$.

Conversely, suppose that there is no $x \in G$ such that $t_1 \leq \mu(x) < t_2$,

Then, by definition, $U(\mu; t_2) \subseteq U(\mu; t_1)$.

Let $x \in U(\mu; t_1)$ and there is no $x \in G$ such that $t_1 \leq \mu(x) < t_2$.

Hence, $x \in U(\mu; t_2)$ and $U(\mu; t_1) \subseteq U(\mu; t_2)$.

Hence, $U(\mu; t_1) = U(\mu; t_2)$.

4.4 Theorem

A L-fuzzy subset μ of G is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G if and only if the level subsets $U(\mu; t)$, $t \in \text{Image } \mu$, are sub ℓ -groups of \mathcal{G} .

Proof It is clear.

4.5 Theorem

Any sub ℓ -group H of G can be realized as a level sub ℓ -group of some L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

Proof

Let μ be a L-fuzzy subset and $x \in G$.

Define,

$$\mu(x) = \begin{cases} t & \text{if } x \in H, \text{ where } t \in (0,1]. \\ 0 & \text{if } x \notin H, \end{cases}$$

We shall prove that μ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

Let $x, y \in G$.

i. Suppose $x, y \in H$, then $xy \in H$, $xy^{-1} \in H$, $x \vee y \in H$ and $x \wedge y \in H$.

$$\mu(x) = t, \mu(y) = t, \mu(xy^{-1}) = t, \mu(x \vee y) = t \text{ and } \mu(x \wedge y) = t.$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y)$$

$$\mu(x \vee y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y),$$

$$\mu(x \wedge y) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y).$$

ii. Suppose $x \in H$ and $y \notin H$, then $xy \notin H$ and $xy^{-1} \notin H$.

$$\mu(x) = t, \mu(y) = 0 \text{ and } \mu(xy^{-1}) = 0.$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y).$$

iii. Suppose $x, y \notin H$, then $xy^{-1} \in H$ or $xy^{-1} \notin H$.

$$\mu(x) = 0, \mu(y) = 0 \text{ and } \mu(xy^{-1}) = t \text{ or } 0.$$

$$\text{Hence } \mu(xy^{-1}) \geq \mu(x) \wedge \mu(y).$$

Thus in all cases, μ is a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group of G .

For this L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group, $U(\mu; t) = H$.

Remark

As a consequence of the **Theorem 4.3** and **Theorem 4.4**, the level sub ℓ -groups of a L-fuzzy sub ℓ -group μ of G form a chain. Since $\mu(e) \geq \mu(x)$ for any $x \in G$ and therefore, $U(\mu; t_0)$, where $\mu(e) = t_0$ is the smallest and we have the chain :

$$\{e\} = U(\mu; t_0) \subset U(\mu; t_1) \subset U(\mu; t_2) \subset \dots \subset U(\mu; t_n) = \mathfrak{G}, \quad \text{where} \quad t_0 > t_1 > t_2 > \dots > t_n.$$

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