

## ON G-FUZZY IDEALS

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**ABSTRACT.** One branch with many applications in fuzzy algebra is the application of fuzzy logic in ideals, This article is based on data obtained from papers presented by Alizadeh [1], Swamy[19], Kumbhojkar[15], Zahedi[21], Mukherjee[18] and Zhang Yue[22]. Furthermore we have some new concepts about the G-ideals which are used by the reference of Kaplansky [12]. Finally by the following properties and theorems related to the G-ideals we have presented some definitions and theorems about G-fuzzy ideals.

### 1. INTRODUCTION TO FUZZY IDEALS

On this section, we introduce some concepts on fuzzy ideals in a commutative ring  $R$  and we are point the theorems and corollaries related which are used in the next section. So The  $R$  are be using as the commutative and unitary ring and the  $F(R)$  is the set of all fuzzy subset and the  $I(R)$  is also the set of all fuzzy ideals on  $R$ .

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $A \in F(R)$  be any fuzzy subset of  $R$ , we call the  $A$  is a fuzzy subset of  $R$ , if for each  $a, b \in R$  we have:

- i)  $A(a - b) \geq \inf\{A(a), A(b)\} = (A(a) \wedge A(b))$ .
- ii)  $A(ab) \geq \inf\{A(a), A(b)\} = (A(a) \wedge A(b))$ .

**Definition 1.2.** The  $A \in F(R)$  is a fuzzy subdomain of  $R$  if:

- i)  $A$  is a fuzzy subring of  $R$ .
- ii)  $\forall x, y \in R$ , if  $A(x, y) = 0$ , then:  $A(x) = 0$  or  $A(y) = 0$ .

It is obvious that  $A(x, y) \geq \{A(x), A(y)\}$  (Since  $A$  is a fuzzy subring of  $R$ ).

**Definition 1.3.** The set of all fuzzy subdomain of  $D$  is called by  $F(D)$ , and for each  $A, B \in F(D)$ :

- i)  $(A \cap B)(x) = \inf\{A(x), B(x)\} = (A(x) \wedge B(x))$ .
- ii)  $(A \cup B)(x) = \sup\{A(x), B(x)\} = (A(x) \vee B(x))$ .
- iii)  $(A.B)(x) = A(x)B(x)$ .
- iv)  $(A + B)(x) = A(x) + B(x) - A(x)B(x)$ .
- v)  $(A \oplus B)(x) = \inf\{1, A(x) + B(x)\}$ .
- vi)  $(A \ominus B)(x) = \sup\{0, A(x) + B(x) - 1\}$ .

**Note 1.1.** If  $A \in f(R)$ , then the set of  $A_t = \{x \in R | A(x) \geq t\}$ ,  $\forall t \in [0, 1]$  is called a "level-set" of  $A$  or a "t-cut" of  $A$ .

**Theorem 1.1.**  $A$  is a fuzzy subdomain of  $R$  if and only if for all  $t \in [0, 1]$  the  $t$ -level set of  $A_t$  is a domain.

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**Proof.** See Theorem "1.2" of [1]. □

The following theorem is an easy consequence of Definition "1.3" and Theorem "1.1".

**Theorem 1.2.** *If  $A, B \in F(D)$  then:*

- i)  $(A \cap B) \in F(D)$
- ii)  $(AB) \in F(D)$
- iii)  $(A + B) \in F(D)$
- iv)  $(A \oplus B) \in F(D)$
- v)  $(A \ominus B) \in F(D)$ .

**Proof.** See Theorem "1.3" of [1]. □

**Theorem 1.3.** *Let  $A, B$  and  $C \in F(D)$ , then  $A \circ B \subseteq C$  if and only if  $AB \subseteq C$ .*

**Proof.** See Theorem "1.4" of [1]. □

**Corollary 1.1.** *For each  $A, B \in F(D)$ , we have:*

$$(A \ominus B) \subseteq (A.B) \subseteq (A \cap B) \subseteq (A + B) \subseteq (A \oplus B).$$

**Corollary 1.2.** *For any arbitrary family of fuzzy subdomains  $\{D_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \in F(D)$  we have:*

$$D = \bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} D_\alpha \in F(D).$$

Where  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} D_\alpha(x) = \inf\{D_\alpha(x) | x \in D\}$ .

**Theorem 1.4.** *Let  $A, BC \in F(D)$  and  $B(0) = C(0)$ . Then*

$$A(B + C) = AB + AC$$

**Proof.** See Theorem "1.5" of [1]. □

**Corollary 1.3.** *If  $D$  is a commutative domain then for each  $A, B \in F(D)$ :*

$$(AB) = (BA)$$

**Corollary 1.4.** *For each  $A, B, C \in F(D)$*

$$\text{if } A \subseteq B \text{ then } AC \subseteq BC$$

## 2. G-FUZZY STRUCTURES

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $A \in F(R)$ ,  $A$  is a left(right) fuzzy ideal of  $R$  if and only if  $\forall a, b \in R$  we have:

- i)  $A(a, b) \geq \inf\{A(a), A(b)\}$
- ii)  $A(ab) \geq A(b)(A(ab) \geq A(a))$ .

$A$  is a fuzzy ideal of  $R$  if and only if  $A$  is a left fuzzy ideal and right fuzzy ideal of  $R$ .

**Note 2.1.** The condition of "i" in the Definition of "2.1" is equivalent to two following conditions:

- i)  $A(a + b) \geq \inf\{A(a), A(b)\}, \quad \forall a, b \in R$
- ii)  $A(-a) = A(a), \quad \forall a \in A$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** *For each  $A \in F(R)$ ,  $A$  is a fuzzy ideal of  $R$  if and only if for every  $t \in [0, 1]$ , that  $A_t \neq \emptyset$ ,  $A_t$  is an ideal of  $R$ .*

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**Proof.** Suppose that  $A$  is a fuzzy prime ideal of  $R$ , let  $t \in [0, 1]$  such that  $A_t$  is a proper ideal of  $R$ , let  $a, b \in R$  such that  $a \wedge b \in A_t$ . Then  $A(a \wedge b) \geq t$ . Therefore  $A(a \wedge b) \geq t \Rightarrow A(a) \vee A(b) \geq t$  (Since  $A$  is a fuzzy prime ideal). Thus  $A(a) \geq t$  or  $A(b) \geq t$ . So  $a \in A_t$  or  $b \in A_t$ . Using the fact that  $A_t$  is an ideal of  $R$ , we conclude that  $A_t$  is a prime ideal of  $R$ .

Conversely, suppose that for any  $t \in [0, 1]$  such that  $A_t$  is a proper ideal of  $R$ ,  $A_t$  is a prime ideal of  $R$ . Let  $x, y \in R$  and  $t = A(x \wedge y)$ . We have  $x \wedge y \in A_t$ . Hence  $x \in A_t$  or  $y \in A_t$  (Since  $A_t$  is a prime ideal). It follows that  $A(x) \geq t = A(x \wedge y)$  or  $A(y) \geq t = A(x \wedge y)$ , then  $A(x \wedge y) \leq A(x) \vee A(y)$ . Therefore,  $A$  is a fuzzy prime ideal of  $R$ .  $\square$

**Remark 2.1.** The important applications of the Theorem "2.1" is the producing of fuzzy ideals of a ring.

**Corollary 2.1.** Let  $S \subseteq R$ ,  $\chi_S$  (the Characteristic function on  $S$ ) is a fuzzy ideal of  $R$  if and only if  $S$  is an ideal of  $R$ .

**Proof.** This is obvious, because for any  $t \in (0, 1]$ , the  $(\chi_S)_t = S$  and  $(\chi_S)_0 = R$ .  $\square$

**Note 2.2.** i) The set of all fuzzy ideals on the ring of  $R$  is called by  $I(R)$ .  
 ii) If a fuzzy subset  $S$  of  $R$  define by  $S(x) = \sup\{t \in [0, 1] | x \in I_t\}$  for all  $x \in R$ , then  $S$  is a fuzzy ideal of  $R$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $\{A_t | t \in [0, 1]\}$  be a collection of ideals of  $R$  such that:

- i)  $R = \bigcup_{t \in [0, 1]} A_t$
- ii)  $t_1 \geq t_2 \iff A_{t_1} \subseteq A_{t_2}, \quad \forall t_1, t_2 \in [0, 1]$ .

**Proof.** It is sufficient to prove that  $S_t$  is an ideal of  $R$ , for every  $t \in [0, 1]$  with  $S_t \neq \emptyset$ .

Let  $t \in [0, 1]$ . we have two cases: 1)  $t_1 = \sup\{t \in [0, 1] | t < t_1\}$ ,  
 2)  $t_1 \neq \sup\{t \in [0, 1] | t < t_1\}$ .

Case (1) implies that  $x \in S_t \iff x \in I_r, \forall r < t, r \in [0, 1]$ . i.e.,

$$x \in \bigcap_{\substack{r < t \\ r \in [0, 1]}} I_r.$$

Hence

$$S_t = \bigcap_{\substack{r < t \\ r \in [0, 1]}} I_r.$$

Which is an ideal of  $R$ .

For the case (2), there exists  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  $[t - \epsilon, t] \cap [0, 1] = \emptyset$ . If  $x \in \bigcup_{r \in [0, 1]} I_r$ , then  $x \in I_r$  for some  $r \geq t$ . It follows that  $S(x) \geq r \geq t$ , so that  $x \in S_t$ . That is  $x \in \bigcup_{r \in [0, 1]} I_r \subseteq S_t$ .

Conversely, if  $x \notin \bigcup_{r \in [0, 1]} I_r$ , then  $x \notin I_r$  for all  $r \geq t$ . Which implies that  $x \notin I_r$  for all  $r > t - \epsilon$ , that is, if  $x \in I_r$  then  $r \geq t - \epsilon$ . Thus  $S(x) \geq t - \epsilon$  and so  $x \notin S_t$ . Consequently

$$S_t = \bigcup_{\substack{r < t \\ r \in [0, 1]}} I_r$$

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Which is an ideal of  $R$ .

□

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $A \in I(R)$ , for every  $t_1, t_2 \in Im(A)$  the two level-sets  $A_{t_1}$  and  $A_{t_2}$  of  $A$  are equal if and only if there is no element  $x \in R$  such that:

$$t_1 < A(x) < t_2$$

**Example 2.1.** Let  $A : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is defined as the following:

$$A(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x = 0 \\ 1/2 & x \in 4\mathbb{Z} - \{0\} \\ 1/3 & x \in 2\mathbb{Z} - 4\mathbb{Z} \\ 0 & x \in \mathbb{Z} - 2\mathbb{Z} \end{cases}$$

By the Note "1.1" the nonempty level-subsets of  $A$  are:

$A_0 = \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $A_{1/3} = 2\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $A_{1/2} = 4\mathbb{Z}$  and  $A_1 = \langle 0 \rangle$ , since by the Theorem "2.1"  $A_i$  for every "i" is an ideal of  $\mathbb{Z}$ , then  $A$  is a fuzzy ideal of  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $P \in I(R)$  be an arbitrary and nofix,  $P$  is a fuzzy prime ideal if and only if  $\forall I, J \in I(R)$ ,  $IJ \subseteq P \implies I \subseteq P$  or  $J \subseteq P$ .

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $I \in I(R)$ ,  $t \in Im(I)$ , the  $I_t$  is a prime ideal of  $R$  if:

$$I(x) < I(y) \implies I(xy) = I(y), \quad \forall x, y \in R$$

**Corollary 2.4.** If  $P \in P(R)$  ( $P(R)$ :the set of all prime fuzzy ideals on  $R$ ), then:

$$P(xy) = \max\{P(x), P(y)\}, \quad \forall x, y \in R.$$

**Remark 2.2** (12). Let  $D$  be an integral domain with quotient field  $K$ , the following two statements are equivalent:

- i)  $K$  is a finitely generated ring over  $D$ .
- ii)  $K$  as a ring, can be generated over  $D$  by one element.

**Definition 2.3.** An integral domain satisfying either (hence both) of the statements in Remark "2.2" is called a  $G$  – domain.

The name honors Oscar Goldman. His paper [11] appeared at virtually the same time as a similar paper by Krull [13]. Since Krull already has a class of rings named after him, it seems advisable not to attempt to honor Krull in this connection.  $G$  – domains were also considered by Artin and Tate in [4]. Further results concerning the material in this section appear in Gilmer's paper [10].

**Example 2.2.** 1) Each field is a  $G$  – domain.

2) A principal ideal domain is a  $G$  – domain if and only if it has only a finite number of primes (up to units).

3) A Noetherian domain is a  $G$  – domain if and only if it has only a finite number of non-zero prime ideals such that all of which are maximal.

**Definition 2.4.** Let  $D$  be a  $G$  – domain,  $A$  is a  $G$ -fuzzy subdomain of  $D$  if for all  $x, y \in D$  we have:

- i)  $A$  is a fuzzy subdomain of  $D$  (i.e.  $A \in F(D)$ ).
- ii) If  $K$  be the quotient field of  $D$ , then  $K = D[u^{-1}]$ , for some  $0 \neq u \in D$ .

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $A$  be a  $G$ -fuzzy subdomain with quotient fuzzy subfield  $K$  and let  $B$  be a fuzzy subring lying between  $A$  and  $K$ , then  $B$  is a  $G$ -fuzzy subdomain.

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**Proof.** If  $K = A[u^{-1}]$  be the quotient fuzzy subfield of  $A$ , then  $K = B[u^{-1}]$  is also the quotient fuzzy subfield of  $B$ , therefore  $B$  is a G-fuzzy subdomain. □

**Theorem 2.4.**  $A$  is a G-fuzzy subdomain if and only if for each  $t \in [0, 1]$ ,  $A_t$  is a G – domain.

**Proof.** See the proof of Theorem "2.1". □

**Example 2.3.** Let  $\mathbb{Q}$  be the Rational numbers, since for each prime number 2, 3, 5, 7, ... the extended fields  $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}]$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}]$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}]$  and  $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}]$  are G – domains. If we define  $A(x)$  as the following:

$$A(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ 1/2 & x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] - \mathbb{Q} \\ 1/3 & x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}] - \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] \\ 1/5 & x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}] - \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}] \\ 1/7 & x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}] - \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}] \\ 0 & x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}, \dots] = \mathbb{R} \end{cases}$$

Since for each  $t \in [0, 1]$ ,  $A_t$  is a G – domain as the follows:  
 $A_0 = \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}, \dots] = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $A_{\frac{1}{7}} = \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}]$ ,  $A_{\frac{1}{5}} = \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}]$ ,  $A_{\frac{1}{3}} = \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}]$ ,  $A_{\frac{1}{2}} = \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}]$  and  $A_1 = \mathbb{Q}$ . Hence  $A$  is a G-fuzzy subdomain of  $\mathbb{R}$ .

**Definition 2.5.** A prime fuzzy ideal  $P$  in a commutative ring  $R$  is a G-fuzzy ideal if  $R/P$  is a G-fuzzy subdomain.

**Theorem 2.5.** The fuzzy nilradical  $N$  of any commutative ring  $R$  is the intersection of all G-fuzzy ideals in  $R$ .

**Proof.** Clearly a nilpotent element lies in every prime ideal. Conversely, suppose  $u \notin N$ . We must construct a G-fuzzy ideal excluding  $u$ . The fuzzy ideal  $0$  is disjoint from  $\{u^n\}$ . We can expand it to an fuzzy ideal  $P$  maximal respect to disjointness from  $\{u^n\}$ ; We know that  $P$  is the fuzzy prime ideal. Now we show further that  $P$  is a G-fuzzy ideal. In the domain  $R^* = R/P$ , let  $u^*$  denote the image of  $u$ . The maximality of  $P$  tells us that every non-zero prime in  $R^*$  contains  $u^*$ . Therefore  $R^*$  is a G-fuzzy subdomain and  $P$  is also a G-fuzzy ideal. □

*It is suggested that further research in this direction is likely going to reveal additional properties of G-type fuzzy ideals associated to fuzzy subdomains and thus contribute to our understanding of how such structures defines on the underlying G-type fuzzy subdomains.*

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