

# FUZZY ALMOST C-CONTINUOUS MAPPINGS

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## 1. Preliminaries.

**Definition 1.1**[1]. A mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is said to be **fuzzy almost continuous** (or simply, **f-a-continuous**) at a fuzzy point  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  if for each fuzzy open nbd  $V$  of  $f(x_\lambda)$  in  $Y$ , exist a fuzzy open nbd  $U$  of  $f(x_\lambda)$  in  $X$  such that  $f(U) \subset \text{int}(\text{cl}V)$ . And  $f$  is said to be **fuzzy almost continuous** (or simply, **f-a-continuous**)(on  $X$ ), if it is  $f$ -a-continuous at each fuzzy point in  $X$ .

**Definition 1.2** [2]. A mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is said to be **fuzzy c-continuous** (or simply, **f-c-continuous**) at a fuzzy point  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  if for each fuzzy open nbd  $V$  of  $f(x_\lambda)$  in  $Y$  such that  $V^c$  is fuzzy compact in  $Y$ , exist a fuzzy open nbd  $U$  of  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  such that  $f(U) \subset V$ . And  $f$  is said to be **fuzzy c-continuous** (or simply, **f-c-continuous**)(on  $X$ ), if it is  $f$ -c-continuous at each fuzzy point in  $X$ .

The following Lemmas are useful characterization of  $f$ -c-continuous, and  $f$ -a-continuous mappings.

**Lemma 1.3** [1]. Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the followings are equivalent;

- (1)  $f$  is  $f$ -a-continuous.
- (2) The inverse image of every fuzzy regularly open set in  $Y$  is fuzzy open in  $X$ .
- (3) The inverse image of every fuzzy regularly closed set in  $Y$  is fuzzy closed in  $X$ .

**Lemma 1.4** [2]. Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the followings are equivalent;

- (1)  $f$  is  $f$ -c-continuous.
- (2) The inverse image of every fuzzy open set in  $Y$  having fuzzy compact compliment is fuzzy open in  $X$ .
- (3) The inverse image of every fuzzy closed compact set in  $Y$  is fuzzy closed in  $X$ .

## 2. Basic properties of fuzzy almost c-continuous mappings.

From Definitions 1.1 and 1.2 , we introduce concept of fuzzy almost c-continuity.

**Definition 2.1.** A mapping  $f : X \longrightarrow Y$  is said to be **fuzzy almost c-continuous** (or simply, **f-a-c-continuous**) at a fuzzy point  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  if for each fuzzy open nbd  $V$  of  $f(x_\lambda)$  in  $Y$  having fuzzy compact complement, exist a fuzzy open nbd  $U$  of  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  such that  $f(U) \subset \text{int}(\text{cl } V)$ . And the mapping  $f$  is said to be **fuzzy almost c-continuous** (or simply, **f-a-c-continuous**) (on  $X$ ), if it is f-a-c-continuous at each fuzzy point in  $X$ .

It is clear that all f-a-continuous mappings are f-a-c-continuous.

**Theorem 2.2.** The following implications hold:

$$f\text{-continuous} \implies f\text{-c-continuous} \implies f\text{-a-continuous} \implies f\text{-a-c-continuous}.$$

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.3.** For a mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ , the followings are equivalent.

- (1)  $f$  is f-a-c-continuous.
- (2) The inverse image of every fuzzy regularly open set in  $Y$  having fuzzy compact complement is fuzzy open in  $X$ .
- (3) The inverse image of every fuzzy regularly closed compact set in  $Y$  is fuzzy closed in  $X$ .
- (4) For each  $x_\lambda \in \text{Fp}(X)$ , and each fuzzy regularly open set in  $Y$  containg  $f(x_\lambda)$  having fuzzy compact complement, exist a fuzzy open nbd  $U$  of  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  such that  $f(U) \subset V$ .
- (5) For each  $x_\lambda \in \text{Fp}(X)$ , and each fuzzy open nbd  $V$  of  $f(x_\lambda)$  in  $Y$  having fuzzy compact complement,  $f^{-1}(\text{int}(\text{cl } V)) \in \text{FO}(X)$ .

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.4.** Any restriction of a f-a-c-continuous mapping is also f-a-c-continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.5.** If  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is  $f$ -continuous and  $g : Y \rightarrow Z$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous, then  $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.6.** Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be surjective and  $f$ -open. If  $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous, then  $f : Y \rightarrow Z$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Lemma 2.7.** Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and let  $x_\lambda \in Fp(X)$ . If there exists a fuzzy open nbd  $U$  of  $x_\lambda$  in  $X$  such that  $U=S(U)$  and  $f|_U$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous at  $x_\lambda$ , then  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous at  $x_\lambda$ .

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.8.** Let  $\{U_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a fuzzy open cover of  $X$  such that  $U_\alpha = S(U_\alpha)$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . If  $f|_{U_\alpha}$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ , then  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.9.** Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and  $X = A \cup B$ , where  $A, B \in FC(X)$  such that  $A=S(A)$  and  $B=S(B)$ . If  $f|_A$  and  $f|_B$  are  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous, then  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.10.** Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and  $X = A \cup B$ , where  $A=S(A)$  and  $B=S(B)$ . If  $f|_A$  and  $f|_B$  are  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous at  $x_\lambda \in Fp(A \cap B)$ , then  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous at  $x_\lambda$ .

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 2.11.** Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and  $X$  a fuzzy compact space. If the graph mapping  $g : X \rightarrow X \times Y$  defined by  $g(x) = (x, f(x))$  for each  $x \in X$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous, then  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

### 3. Further Results.

**Lemma 3.1.** For any fts  $(Y, \mathcal{T})$ , let  $\mathfrak{B}$  be the family of all the fuzzy regularly open sets in  $Y$  having fuzzy compact complement. Then  $\mathfrak{B}$  is a base for a fuzzy topology  $\mathcal{T}_*$  on  $Y$ . In this case,  $\mathcal{T}_*$  is called **fuzzy regular compact complement topology** on  $Y$  by  $\mathcal{T}$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** Let  $(Y, \mathcal{T})$  be a fts and let  $\mathcal{T}_*$  the fuzzy regular compact complement topology on  $Y$  by  $\mathcal{T}$ . Let  $f : X \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{T})$  be a mapping at  $f_* : X \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{T}_*)$  a mapping defined by  $f_*(x) = f(x)$  for each  $x \in X$ . Then;

(1)  $\mathcal{T}_* \subset \mathcal{T}$ .

(2)  $f$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous iff  $f_*$  is  $f$ -continuous.

(3)  $id : (Y, \mathcal{T}) \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{T}_*)$  is  $f$ -continuous and  $id^{-1} : (Y, \mathcal{T}_*) \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{T})$  is  $f$ - $a$ - $c$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Omitted.

**Theorem 3.3.** For any  $(Y, \mathcal{T})$ , the space  $(Y, \mathcal{T}_*)$  is fuzzy compact.

**Proof.** Omitted.

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