

# ON INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY VERSIONS OF L. ZADEH'S EXTENSION PRINCIPLE

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## 1 Introduction and basic concepts

K. Atanassov introduced the concept of the Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets (IFS) in [1]. The book [2] contains some of the most important results of this theory by 1999.

Here we shall discuss some IFS-versions of the extension principle introduced by L. Zadeh in [6] and discussed in a lot of publications, e.g., [3, 4].

Let us have a fixed universe  $E$  and its subset  $A$ . The set

$$\{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in E\},$$

where

$$0 \leq \mu_A(x) + \nu_A(x) \leq 1 \tag{1}$$

is called IFS and functions  $\mu_A : E \rightarrow [0, 1]$  and  $\nu_A : E \rightarrow [0, 1]$  represent *degree of membership (validity, etc.)* and *non-membership (non-validity, etc.)*.

For every two IFSs  $A$  and  $B$  a lot of operations, relations and operators are defined (see, e.g. [2]), two of them are related to the present research:

$$\begin{aligned} C(A) &= \{\langle x, K, L \rangle \mid x \in E\}, \\ I(A) &= \{\langle x, k, l \rangle \mid x \in E\}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$K = \sup_{y \in E} \mu_A(y), \quad L = \inf_{y \in E} \nu_A(y)$$

and

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Let  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  be two universes and let

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in E_1\}, \\ B &= \{\langle x, \mu_B(y), \nu_B(y) \rangle \mid y \in E_2\}, \end{aligned}$$

be two IFSs;  $A$  – over  $E_1$ , and  $B$  – over  $E_2$ .

Following [2] we will define:

$$\begin{aligned}
A \times_1 B &= \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y), \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}, \\
A \times_2 B &= \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, \mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y) - \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y), \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}, \\
A \times_3 B &= \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y), \nu_A(x) + \nu_B(y) - \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}, \\
A \times_4 B &= \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, \min(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y)), \max(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y)) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}, \\
A \times_5 B &= \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, \max(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y)), \min(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y)) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}.
\end{aligned}$$

## 2 Main results

Now, we shall formulate some IFS-versions of the extension principle introduced by L. Zadeh.

Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be fixed universes and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ . Let  $A$  and  $B$  be IFSs over  $X$ . Then we can construct the sets

$$D_i = A \times_i B,$$

where  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$  and can obtain the sets

$$F_i = f(D_i).$$

Having in mind the idea of G. Pasi, K. Atanassov and R. Yager for intuitionistic fuzzy optimistic and pessimistic estimations (see [5]), the extension principle will have the following 10 forms.

Optimistic forms of the extension principle are:

$$F_1^{opt} = \{ \langle z, \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \},$$

$$F_2^{opt} = \{ \langle z, \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y) - \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \},$$

$$F_3^{opt} = \{ \langle z, \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \inf_{z=f(x,y)} ((\nu_A(x) + \nu_B(y) - \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y))) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \},$$

$$F_4^{opt} = \{ \langle z, \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\min(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))), \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \},$$

$$F_5^{opt} = \{ \langle z, \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))), \inf_{z=f(x,y)} ((\min(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y)))) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \}.$$

Pessimistic forms of the extension principle are:

$$F_1^{pes} = \{ \langle z, \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle \mid x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2 \},$$

$$F_2^{pes} = \{\langle z, \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y) - \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_3^{pes} = \{\langle z, \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)), \sup_{z=f(x,y)} ((\nu_A(x) + \nu_B(y) - \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y))) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_4^{pes} = \{\langle z, \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\min(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))), \sup_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_5^{pes} = \{\langle z, \inf_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))), \sup_{z=f(x,y)} ((\min(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\}.$$

Average forms of the extension principle are:

$$F_1^{ave} = \{\langle z, \frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)),$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle | x \in E_1 \& y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_2^{ave} = \{\langle z, \frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) + \mu_B(y) - \mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)),$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_3^{ave} = \{\langle z, \frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\mu_A(x) \cdot \mu_B(y)),$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} ((\nu_A(x) + \nu_B(y) - \nu_A(x) \cdot \nu_B(y)) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_4^{ave} = \{\langle z, \frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\min(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))),$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\},$$

$$F_5^{ave} = \{\langle z, \frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} (\max(\mu_A(x), \mu_B(y))),$$

$$\frac{1}{\text{card}(\{z|z = f(x,y)\})} \sum_{z=f(x,y)} ((\min(\nu_A(x), \nu_B(y))) \rangle | x \in E_1 \ y \in E_2\}.$$

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