

FUZZY CO-FINITE FILTER

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Abstract: We introduce the new concepts fuzzy co-finite filter and α fuzzy co-finite filter in a topological space.

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Introduction: In a metric space sequence is a tool to characterize many concepts. In a topological space filter is an important tool to study many properties. The closure of a set A can be characterized using convergent filters containing A. The continuity of a function from one topological space to another can be characterized using convergent filters. In the year 1965 Lotfi A.Zadeh [2] introduced the concept of fuzzy sets and fuzzy logic. In the year 1968 C.L.Chang [1] introduced Fuzzy topological spaces. In the year 2014 We [3] introduced fuzzy sequences in a metric space. In the same year we [6] introduced fuzzy subsequences and limit points. Also we [7] defined disconvergent fuzzy sequences. In the same year we [4], [5] defined fuzzy net and fuzzy filter

In this paper we introduce fuzzy cofinite filter in a topological space and study the properties.

Fuzzy Co-finite Filter: First we recall the definition of fuzzy filter

Let X be a non empty set. A fuzzy set $F: P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is called a fuzzy filter if

1. $F(\phi) = 0$
2. $F(A \cap B) \geq \min \{ F(A), F(B) \}$ for all $A, B \subset X$
3. $A \subset B$ implies $F(A) \leq F(B)$ for all $A, B \subset X$

Definition 1: Fuzzy co-finite filter

Let X be an infinite set. A function $F: P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is called a fuzzy co-finite filter, if $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and $F(A) = 0$ otherwise.

Example 1: Let $X=N$.

Define $F: P(N) \rightarrow [0,1]$ as for any $A \subset N$, $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and 0 otherwise.

Clearly F is a fuzzy co-finite filter.

Theorem 1: Fuzzy co-finite filter is a fuzzy filter.

Proof: Let X be any infinite set. $F: P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is defined as $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and 0 otherwise.

1. Consider $\phi \in P(X)$. $\phi^c = X$ which is not finite. Hence $F(\phi) = 0$.
2. Take $A, B \in P(X)$. If $F(A) = 0$ and $F(B) = 0$ then whatever be the value of $F(A \cap B)$, we have $F(A \cap B) \geq \min \{ F(A), F(B) \}$. Now suppose $F(A) = 1$ and $F(B) = 1$, then A^c is finite and B^c is finite. Hence $A^c \cup B^c$ is finite which implies $(A \cap B)^c$ is finite. Hence $F(A \cap B) = 1$. Hence $F(A \cap B) \geq \min \{ F(A), F(B) \}$. Now suppose $F(A) = 0$ and $F(B) = 1$, then $\min \{ F(A), F(B) \} = 0$. Hence $F(A \cap B) \geq \min \{ F(A), F(B) \}$.
3. Let $A \subset B$. Then $A^c \supset B^c$. If $F(A) = 0$ then whatever be the value of $F(B)$, we have $F(B) \geq F(A)$. If

$F(A) = 1$ then A^c is finite. This implies that B^c is finite. Hence $F(B) = 1$. Therefore $F(A) \leq F(B)$. Hence $A \subset B$ implies $F(A) \leq F(B)$. Hence F is a fuzzy filter.

Result 1: Converse is not true.

A fuzzy filter need not be a fuzzy co-finite filter.

Example 2:

Let $X=N$. Define $F: P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ as $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and 0.5 otherwise.

Clearly F is a fuzzy filter which is not co-finite.

Definition 2: α - fuzzy co-finite filter:

Let X be an infinite set. Let $\alpha \in (0,1)$. A fuzzy filter F on X is called a α -fuzzy co-finite filter if $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and $F(A) < \alpha$ otherwise.

Result 2: It is clear that Fuzzy co-finite filter is an α -fuzzy co-finite filter for every $\alpha \in (0,1)$.

Example 3: Let $X = N$. Define $F: P(N) \rightarrow [0,1]$ as $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite, $F(\phi) = 0$ and $F(A) = 0.1$ otherwise. It is clear that for $\alpha = 0.2$. F is a α -fuzzy co-finite filter.

In the above example F is a α -fuzzy co-finite filter but it is not a fuzzy co-finite filter. Hence we get the result.

Result 3: A α -fuzzy co-finite filter need not be fuzzy co-finite filter.

Result 4: If F is a α fuzzy co finite filter and $\alpha \leq \beta$ then F is a β fuzzy co finite filter.

Now we recall the definition of crisp filter.

Let X be a non empty set. $F \subset P(X)$ is called a crisp filter if

1. $\phi \notin F$
2. F is closed under finite intersection.
3. $A \subset B$ and $A \in F$ implies $B \in F$.

Now we recall the definition of crisp co-finite filter.

Let X be an infinite set. $\{ A \subset X / A^c \text{ is finite} \}$ is called the crisp co-finite filter.

Theorem 2: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let $\alpha \in (0,1)$. Then α cut of f is a crisp co-finite filter on X.

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f: P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. Then $F = \{ A / f(A) = 1 \}$. Then $F = \{ A / A^c \text{ is finite} \}$. F is crisp co-finite filter on X.

Hence α cut of a fuzzy co-finite filter is a crisp co-finite filter.

Theorem 3: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a α -fuzzy co-finite filter. Then α cut of f is a crisp co-finite filter on X.

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f : P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a α -fuzzy co-finite filter.

Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. Then $F = \{ A / f(A) = 1 \}$. Then $F = \{ A / A^c \text{ is finite} \}$. F is crisp co-finite filter on X .

Hence α cut of a α -fuzzy co-finite filter is a crisp co-finite filter.

Now we recall convergence of crisp filter. A crisp filter F is said to converge to x if F contains all open sets containing x .

Now we recall convergence of fuzzy filter. A fuzzy filter F is said to converge to x if $F(U) = 1$ for every open set containing x .

Theorem 4: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let f converge to x . Then α cut of f converges to x .

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f : P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. F is the α cut of f . Also it is given that f converges to x . Let U be any open set containing x . Since f converges to x , we have $f(U) = 1$. This implies $f(U) \geq \alpha$. Hence $U \in F$. Therefore F contains all open sets containing x . Hence F converges to x .

Theorem 5: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let α cut of f converge to x . Then f converges to x .

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f : P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a fuzzy co-finite filter. Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. F is the α cut of f . Also it is given that α cut of f converges to x . Let U be any open set containing x . Since α cut of f converges to x , we have $U \in F$. Hence $f(U) \geq \alpha$. Therefore $f(U) = 1$. This implies that f converges to x .

Theorem 6: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a fuzzy co-finite filter. Then f converges to x iff α cut of f converges to x .

Proof: Follows from previous theorems.

Theorem 7: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a α -fuzzy co-finite filter. Let f converge to x . Then α cut of f converges to x .

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f : P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a α -fuzzy co-finite filter.

Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. F is the α cut of f . Also it is given that f converges to x . Let U be any open set containing x . Since f converges to x , we have $f(U) = 1$. This implies $f(U) \geq \alpha$. Hence $U \in F$. Therefore F

contains all open sets containing x . Hence F converges to x .

Theorem 8: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a α -fuzzy co-finite filter. Let α cut of f converge to x . Then f converges to x .

Proof: X is an infinite set. $f : P(X) \rightarrow [0,1]$ is a α -fuzzy co-finite filter.

Let $F = \{ A / f(A) \geq \alpha \}$. F is the α cut of f . Also it is given that F converges to x . Let U be any open set containing x . Since F converges to x , we have $U \in F$. This implies $f(U) \geq \alpha$. Hence $f(U) = 1$. Therefore f converges to x .

Theorem 9: Let X be an infinite set. Let f be a α -fuzzy co-finite filter. Then f converges to x iff α cut of f converges to x .

Proof: Follows from previous theorems.

Now we recall convergence of fuzzy filter at level α . A fuzzy filter F is said to converge to x at level α if $F(U) \geq \alpha$ for every open set containing x .

Theorem 10: Let X be an infinite set. Let T be the co-finite topology in X . Then fuzzy co-finite filter on X converges to every point of X at level α .

Proof: (X, T) is a topological space X is infinite. T is co-finite topology. Take $\alpha \in (0,1]$. Let F be the fuzzy co-finite filter. Then $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite and 0 otherwise. Take any x in X .

Let U be an open set containing x . U is open implies U^c is finite. Hence $F(U) = 1$. Hence $F(U) \geq \alpha$. Therefore for every open set U which contains x , we have $F(U) \geq \alpha$. Hence F converges to x at level α . This is true for every $x \in X$. Hence F converges to every point of X at level α .

Theorem 11: Let X be an infinite set. Let T be the co-finite topology. Let F be α -fuzzy co-finite filter. Then F converges to every point of X at level α .

Proof: X is infinite set. T is co-finite topology. $\alpha \in (0,1]$. $F(\emptyset) = 0$. For $A \neq \emptyset$, $F(A) = 1$ if A^c is finite. If A is non empty and A^c is not finite then $F(A) < \alpha$. Take any $x \in X$. Let U be an open set containing x . U is open implies U^c is finite. Since F is α -fuzzy co-finite filter and U^c is finite, $F(U) = 1$. Therefore $F(U) \geq \alpha$. Hence F converges to x at level α . This is true for every $x \in X$. Hence F converges to every point of X at level α .

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