

Weak-Compatible Mappings in Intuitionistic Fuzzy 3- Metric Spaces

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Abstract—In the present paper, our aim is to prove a common fixed point theorem for four mappings in intuitionistic fuzzy-3 metric space.

1. INTRODUCTION

In 1965, the concept of fuzzy sets was introduced by Zadeh [16]. Many authors have introduced the concept of fuzzy metric space in different ways

([3], [4], [7], [9]). George and Veeramani [4] modified the concept of fuzzy metric space introduced by Kramosil and Michalek [9] and defined a Hausdorff topology on this fuzzy metric space. Jungck [8] gave the more generalized concept compatibility than commutativity and weak commutativity in metric space and proved common fixed point theorems. Singh and Chauhan [14] introduced the concept of compatibility in fuzzy metric space and proved some common fixed point theorems in fuzzy metric spaces in the sense of George and Veeramani [4]. Park [11] using the idea of intuitionistic fuzzy sets, defined the notion of intuitionistic fuzzy metric spaces with the help of continuous t-norm and continuous t-conorm as a generalization of fuzzy metric space due to George and Veeramani [4]. Recently, Chauhan and Singh [1] proved a fixed point theorem in intuitionistic fuzzy-3 metric space. The purpose of this paper is to prove a fixed point theorem in intuitionistic fuzzy-3 metric space through weak compatibility.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition 1. A binary operation

$*$: $[0, 1]^4 \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called a continuous t-norm if $([0, 1], *)$ is an Abelian topological monoid with the unit 1 such that $a_1 * b_1 * c_1 * d_1 \leq a_2 * b_2 * c_2 * d_2$ whenever $a_1 \leq a_2, b_1 \leq b_2, c_1 \leq c_2$ and

$d_1 \leq d_2$ for all $a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2, c_1, c_2$ and

$d_1, d_2 \in [0, 1]$.

Definition 2. A binary operation

\diamond : $[0, 1]^4 \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is called a continuous t-norm if $([0, 1], \diamond)$ is an abelian topological monoid with the unit 1 such that

$a_1 \diamond b_1 \diamond c_1 \diamond d_1 \leq a_2 \diamond b_2 \diamond c_2 \diamond d_2$ whenever $a_1 \leq a_2, b_1 \leq b_2, c_1 \leq c_2$ and

$d_1 \leq d_2$ for all $a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2, c_1, c_2$ and

$d_1, d_2 \in [0, 1]$.

Definition 3. A 5-tuple $(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ is called a intuitionistic fuzzy 3-metric space if X is an arbitrary (non-empty) set, $*$ is a continuous t-norm, \diamond a continuous t-conorm and M, N are intuitionistic fuzzy sets on $X^4 \times [0, \infty)$, satisfying the following conditions :for all $x, y, z, u, v \in X$ and $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4 > 0$

$$(FM''-1) M(x, y, z, u, t) + N(x, y, z, u, t) \leq 1$$

$$(FM''-2) M(x, y, z, u, 0) = 0$$

$$(FM''-3) M(x, y, z, u, t) = 1 \text{ for all } t > 0$$

when at least two of the three simplex

$\langle x, y, z, u \rangle$ degenerate

$$(FM''-4) M(x, y, z, u, t) = M(x, u, z, y, t)$$

$$= M(y, z, u, x, t)$$

$$= M(z, u, x, y, t) = \dots,$$

$$(FM''-5) M(x, y, z, u, t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4)$$

$$\geq M(x, y, z, v, t_1) * M(x, y, v, u, t_2) *$$

$$M(x, v, z, u, t_3) * M(v, y, z, u, t_4),$$

$$(FM''-6) M(x, y, z, u, \cdot) : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

is left continuous

$$(FM''-7) \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} M(x, y, z, u, t) = 1 \text{ for}$$

all $x, y, z, u \in X$ and $t > 0$,

$$(FM''-8) N(x, y, z, u, 0) = 1$$

$$(FM''-9) N(x, y, z, u, t) = 0 \text{ for all } t > 0$$

only when the three simplex $\langle x, y, z, u \rangle$

degenerate

$$(FM''-10) \quad N(x,y,z,u, t) = N(x, u, z, y, t) = N(y, z, u, x, t) = N(z, u, x, y, t) = \dots,$$

$$(FM''-11) N(x, y, z, u, t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4)$$

$$\leq N(x, y, z, v, t_1) \diamond N(x, y, v, u, t_2) \diamond$$

$$N(x, v, z, u, t_3) \diamond N(v, y, z, u, t_4),$$

$$(FM''-12) N(x, y, z, u, \cdot) : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1] \text{ is right continuous,}$$

$$(FM''-13) \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} N(x, y, z, u, t) = 1 \text{ for all } x, y, z, u \in X \text{ and } t > 0.$$

Definition 4. Let $(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ be an intuitionistic fuzzy 3-metric space.

(a) A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X is said to be convergent to a point $x \in X$ if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_n, x, a, b, t) = 1,$$

and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(x_n, x, a, b, t) = 0$ for all $a, b \in X$ with $t > 0$.

A sequence $\{x_n\}$ in X is called Cauchy sequence if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x_{n+m}, x_n, a, b, t) = 1, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(x_{n+m}, x_n, a, b, t) = 0$ for all $a, b \in X,$

$t > 0$.

(b) An intuitionistic fuzzy 3-metric space in which every Cauchy sequence is convergent is said to be complete.

Definition5. Two maps A and B from an intuitionistic fuzzy 3-metric space

$(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ into itself are said to be compatible if

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(ABx_n, BAx_n, a, b, t) = 1,$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N(ABx_n, BAx_n, a, b, t) = 0$$

for all $a, b \in X$ and $t > 0$, whenever $\{x_n\}$ is a sequence in X such that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Ax_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Bx_n = x \in X.$$

Lemma1. In a intuitionistic fuzzy 3- metric space $(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ for all $x, y, z \in X, M(x, y, \cdot), N(x, y, \cdot)$ are non-decreasing and non-increasing functions respectively.

Remark1. Since $*, \diamond$ are continuous, it follows from (FM5, FM11) that the limit of a sequence in an intuitionistic fuzzy metric 3-space is unique.

Definition 6. Self- mappings A and B of an intuitionistic fuzzy metric space

$(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ is said to be weakly compatible if $ABx = BAx$ when $Ax = Bx$ for some $x \in X$.

3. MAIN RESULT

Theorem: Let A, B, S and T be self-maps of a intuitionistic fuzzy 3-metric space $(X, M, N, *, \diamond)$ satisfying

$$A(X) \subset T(X) \text{ and } B(X) \subset S(X) \quad \dots(1) \text{ and}$$

$$M(Ax, By, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sx, Ty, a, b, t)),$$

$$N(Ax, By, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sx, Ty, a, b, t)) \quad \dots(2)$$

For all $x, y, a, b \in X$, where

$r : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ and $r' : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is a continuous function such that $r(t) > t$ and $r'(t) < t$ for each $0 < t < 1$.

Suppose that one of $T(X)$ and $S(X)$ is a complete subspace of X and the pairs

(A, S) and (B, T) are weakly compatible. Then, A, B, S and T have a unique common fixed point in X .

Proof. Let x_0 be an arbitrary point in X by (1) we can define inductively a sequence $\{y_n\}$ in X such that

$$y_{2n} = Ax_{2n} = Tx_{2n+1} \text{ and}$$

$$y_{2n+1} = Sx_{2n+2} = Bx_{2n+1}$$

for $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Using in (2) we have

$$M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, a, b, t)$$

$$= r(M(Ax_{2n}, Bx_{2n+1}, a, b, t))$$

$$\geq r(M(Sx_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1}, a, b, t)),$$

$$= r(M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, a, b, t))$$

$$> M(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, a, b, t),$$

$$N(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, a, b, t) = r'(N(Ax_{2n}, Bx_{2n+1}, a, b, t)) \leq r'(N(Sx_{2n}, Tx_{2n+1}, a, b, t)),$$

$$= r'(N(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, a, b, t))$$

$$< N(y_{2n-1}, y_{2n}, a, b, t).$$

Similarly,

$$M(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, a, b, t) > M(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, a, b, t),$$

$$N(y_{2n+1}, y_{2n+2}, a, b, t) < N(y_{2n}, y_{2n+1}, a, b, t).$$

Then

$$M(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t) > M(y_{n-1}, y_n, a, b, t),$$

$$N(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t) < N(y_{n-1}, y_n, a, b, t)$$

Hence the sequence $\{M(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t)\}$ is an increasing sequence of positive real numbers in $[0, 1]$ and tends to a limit $\ell \geq 1$ and $\{N(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t)\}$ is an decreasing sequence of positive real numbers in $[0, 1]$ and tends to a limit $\ell \leq 1$. If $\ell < 1$, then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(y_{n+1}, y_n, a, b, t) = 1 > r(\ell) > 1, \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N(y_{n+1}, y_n, a, b, t) = 1 < r'(\ell) < 1$$

which is a contradiction. So, $\ell = 1$ and

$\ell = 0$ resp.

Now, for any positive integer p

$$M(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) \geq M(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t/p) *$$

$$M(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, a, b, t/p) * \dots *$$

$$M(y_{n+p-1}, y_{n+p}, a, b, t/p),$$

$$N(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) \leq N(y_n, y_{n+1}, a, b, t/p) \diamond$$

$$N(y_{n+1}, y_{n+2}, a, b, t/p) \diamond \dots \diamond$$

$$N(y_{n+p-1}, y_{n+p}, a, b, t/p)$$

Taking the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ we get,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) \geq 1 * 1 * \dots * 1 = 1.$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) \leq 0 \diamond 0 \diamond \dots \diamond 0 = 0.$$

So,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) = 1,$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} N(y_n, y_{n+p}, a, b, t) = 0.$$

Therefore, $\{y_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in X . Then, the subsequence

$\{y_{2n}\} = \{Tx_{2n+1}\} \subset T(X)$ is a Cauchy sequence in $T(X)$. Suppose that $T(X)$ is complete. So $\{y_{2n}\}$ converges to a point

$z = Tv$ for some $v \in X$. Hence, the sequence $\{y_n\}$ converges also to z and the subsequences $\{Ax_{2n}\}$, $\{Bx_{2n+1}\}$, $\{Sx_{2n+2}\}$ and $\{Tx_{2n+1}\}$ converge to z .

If $z \neq Bv$, using (2) we get

$$M(Ax_{2n}, Bv, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sx_{2n}, Tv, a, b, t)),$$

$$N(Ax_{2n}, Bv, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sx_{2n}, Tv, a, b, t)).$$

Letting $n \rightarrow \infty$ we obtain

$$M(z, Bv, a, b, t) \geq r(M(z, z, a, b, t)) = r(1) = 1,$$

$$N(z, Bv, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(z, z, a, b, t)) = r'(0) = 0.$$

Therefore, $z = Bv = Tv$. Since

$B(X) \subset S(X)$, there exists $u \in X$ such that $Bv = Su = z$. If $z \neq Au$, using (2) we get

$$M(Au, Bv, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Su, Tv, a, b, t)),$$

$$N(Au, Bv, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Su, Tv, a, b, t)).$$

Then,

$$M(Au, z, a, b, t) \geq r(M(z, z, a, b, t)) = 1,$$

$$N(Au, z, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(z, z, a, b, t)) = 0.$$

Therefore, $z = au = Su$. Since the pair

$\{A, S\}$ is compatible we have $SAu = ASu$, i.e., $Az = Sz$. If $z \neq Az$, using (2) we have

$$M(Az, Bv, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sz, Tv, a, b, t)) = r(M(Az, z, a, b, t)) > M(Az, z, a, b, t),$$

$$N(Az, Bv, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sz, Tv, a, b, t)) = r'(N(Az, z, a, b, t)) < N(Az, z, a, b, t)$$

which is a contradiction. So, $z = Az = Sz$. If $z \neq Bz$, using (3.5) we get

$$M(Az, Bz, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sz, Tz, a, b, t)),$$

$$N(Az, Bz, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sz, Tz, a, b, t)).$$

Then,

$$M(z, Bz, a, b, t) = r(M(z, Bz, a, b, t))$$

$$> M(z, Bz, a, b, t),$$

$$N(z, Bz, a, b, t) = r'(N(z, Bz, a, b, t))$$

$$< N(z, Bz, a, b, t)$$

Therefore, $z = au = Su$. Since the pair

$\{A, S\}$ is compatible we have $SAu = ASu$, i.e., $Az = Sz$. If $z \neq Az$, using (2) we have

$$M(Az, Bv, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sz, Tv, a, b, t))$$

$$= r(M(Sz, z, a, b, t)) > M(Az, z, a, b, t),$$

$$N(Az, Bv, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sz, Tv, a, b, t))$$

$$= r'(N(Az, z, a, b, t)) < N(Az, z, a, b, t)$$

which is a contradiction. So, $z = Az = Sz$. If $z \neq Bz$, using (3.5) we get

$$M(Az, Bz, a, b, t) \geq r(M(Sz, Tz, a, b, t)),$$

$$N(Az, Bz, a, b, t) \leq r'(N(Sz, Tz, a, b, t)).$$

Then,

$$M(z, Bz, a, b, t) = r(M(z, Bz, a, b, t))$$

$$> M(z, Bz, a, b, t);$$

$$N(z, Bz, a, b, t) = r'(N(z, Bz, a, b, t))$$

$$< N(z, Bz, a, b, t)$$

which is a contradiction.

Hence, $z = Bz = Tz$. Therefore, z is a common fixed point of A, B, S and T . The uniqueness of z follows from (2).

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