## On Generalized Fuzzy n –Normed Spaces Including $\varphi$ Function

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Abstract— The fundamental aim of this paper is to consider and introduce fuzzy  $\varphi$ -n-normed space where  $\varphi$  function is introduced originally by Golet in [6].

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## **1** INTRODUCTION

He concept of 2-normed space was firstly introduced by Gahler in [1]. Bag and Samanta also introduced and

developed the fuzzy normed spaces in [3], [4] which are important to study in fuzzy systems. In [5], Narayanan and Vijayabalaji gave fuzzy n-normed space.

In the value of dimensions n = 1, 2 Golet considered a generalization of fuzzy normed space in [6] using a real valued function  $\varphi$  as well.

In the present paper we will introduce the concept of fuzzy φ-n-normed spaces as a generalization of fuzzy n-normed space.

**Definition 1.** [6] Let  $\varphi$  be a function defined on the real field  $\mathbb{R}$  into itself with the following properties:

1)  $\varphi(-t) = \varphi(t)$ , for all  $t \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

- 2)  $\varphi(1) = 1$ ,
- 3)  $\varphi$  is strict increasing and continuous on  $(0, \infty)$ ,
- 4)  $\lim_{t\to 0} \varphi(t) = 0$  and  $\lim_{t\to\infty} \varphi(t) = 0$ . Now, we will give an example on the above definition: 1)  $\varphi(t) = |t|,$ 
  - 2)  $\varphi(t) = |t|^p p \in \mathbb{R}_+$ .

**Definition 2.** [6] A t - norm \* is a two place function \*:  $[0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  which is associative, commutative, nondecreasing in each place and that a \* 1 = a for all  $a \in [0,1].$ 

The most used t - norms in fuzzy metric spaces are following:

- **1)** a \* b = ab,
- 2)  $a * b = \min\{a, b\},\$
- 3)  $a * b = \max\{a + b 1, 0\}$ .

**Definition 3.** [6] By an operation "o" on  $\mathbb{R}_+$  we mean a two place function  $o: [0, \infty) \times [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  which is associative, commutative, nondecreasing in each place and such that ao0 = a for all  $a \in [0, \infty)$ . The most used operations on  $\mathbb{R}_+$ are following:

- 1) o(s,t) = t + s,
- 2)  $o(s,t) = \max\{s,t\},\ 3) o(s,t) = (s^n + t^n)^{1/n}$

## **2 MAIN RESULT**

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In this section , we will give the definition of generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n$  – normed space.

**Definition 4.** Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and X be a real vector space of dimension  $d \ge n$ . A real valued function  $\|.,..,\|$  on  $X^n$ satisfying the following

- $||x_1, ..., x_n|| = 0$  iff  $x_1, ..., x_n$  are linearly dependent, 1)
- 2)  $||x_1, \dots, x_n||$  is invariant under permutation,
- 3)  $\|x_1, \dots, cx_n\| = \varphi(c) \|x_1, \dots, x_n\| \text{ for all } c \in \mathbb{R},$

 $||x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y + z|| \le ||x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, y|| + ||x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}, z||$ 4)

is called an  $\varphi - n - norm$  on X and the pair  $(X, \|., ..., \|)$  is called  $\varphi - n - normed$  space.

**Corollary** 1. When we take  $\varphi(t) = |t|$  then Definition 4 reduces the definition of Gunawan and Mashadi [2].

**Corollary 2.** When we take only n = 1,2 then we obtain the definition given by Golet [6],[7].

**Corollary** 3. Also, if we take  $\varphi(t) = |t|$  and n = 2 then we obtain the definition given by Gahler [1].

**Definition 5.** Let *X* be a linear space over real field  $\mathbb{R}$  of dimension  $d \ge n$  and let N be a mapping defined on  $X^n \times$  $[0,\infty)$  with values into [0,1] satisfying the following conditions: for all  $x_1, ..., x_n, x, y \in X$  and all  $s, t \in [0, \infty)$ 

F1) 
$$N(x_1, ..., x_n, 0) = 0$$

F2) for all t > 0  $N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) = 1$  if and only if  $x_1, ..., x_n$  are linearly dependent,

F3)  $N(x_1, ..., x_n, t)$  is invariant under any permutation of  $x_1, ..., x_n$ 

F4) 
$$N(x_1, ..., x_n, ct) = N(x_1, ..., x_n, \frac{t}{\omega(t)}), \varphi(c) \neq 0,$$

F5)  $N(x_1, ..., x_n, .)$  is nondecreasing function on  $[0, \infty)$  and  $\lim_{n\to\infty} N(x_1,\ldots,x_n,t) = 1$ 

F6)  $N(x, y, ..., x_n, tos) \ge N(x, ..., x_n, t) * N(y, ..., x_n, s).$ 

The triple (X, N, \*) is called generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n - normed$ space.

**Corollary** 4. Substituting o(s,t) = t + s,  $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$  and  $\varphi(t) = |t|$  in Definition 5 then, the triple (X, N,\*) is called fuzzy n-normed space which is defined by Narayanan and Vijavabaliji in [5].

**Corollary 5.** When we only consider n = 1,2 in Definition 5, we obtain definition of fuzzy  $\varphi$  – normed and fuzzy  $\varphi$  – 2 – normed space that given by Golet [6,7].

IJSER © 2013 http://www.ijser.org **Corollary 5.** Also, for n = 1 if we take o(s, t) = t + s,  $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$ , and  $\varphi(t) = |t|$  then we obtain definition of fuzzy normed space which is given by T. Bag and S.K. Samanta[1,3]. **Example 1.** Let  $(X, \|., ..., \|)$  be  $\varphi - n - normed$  space. For all  $x_1, ..., x_n \in X$ ,  $t \in [0, \infty)$ 

$$N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) = \frac{t}{t + ||x_1, ..., x_n||}$$

then, (X, N, \*) is generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n - normed$  space. In the case of o(s, t) = t + s,  $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$  then we calls (X, N, \*) as the standard fuzzy  $\varphi - n - normed$  space. Also, if we take  $\varphi(t) = |t|$  then (X, N, \*) is called standard fuzzy n - normed space.

**Proof.** It is clear that F1, F2, F3, F5 and F6 are satisfied for all  $x_1, ..., x_n \in X$ . So, it is necessary to show F4 as the following: For  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\varphi(c) \neq 0$ , we easily see that

$$N(x_1, \dots, x_n, ct) = \frac{ct}{ct + ||x_1, \dots, x_n||}$$
$$= N\left(x_1, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{\varphi(t)}\right)$$

Thus, the proof is completed.

**Corollary 6.** Let (X, N, \*) be an generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n - n$ *ormed* space. By the property  $\varphi(-t) = \varphi(t)$ , for all  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in X$ ,  $t \in [0, \infty)$  we obtain that

 $N(y - x, x_2, ..., x_n, t) = N(x - y, x_2, ..., x_n, t).$ 

**Corollary 7.** Let (X, N, \*) be an generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n - n$ *ormed* space by F3) and F4) for all  $x_1, ..., x_n \in X$ ,  $t \in [0, \infty)$  we obtain that

$$N(cx_1, \dots, cx_n, t) = N\left(x_1, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{\varphi(t)^n}\right)$$

**Theorem 1.** Let (X, N, \*) be an generalized fuzzy  $\varphi - n - n$ *ormed* space with assumption

F7)  $N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) > 0$  for all t > 0 implies  $x_1, ..., x_n$  are linearly dependent. Define :

 $||x_1, ..., x_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)} = \inf \{t: N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha), \alpha \in (0, 1)\}$ then,  $\{||..., ..., ||_{\varphi(\alpha)}: \alpha \in (0, 1)\}$  is an ascending family of  $\varphi - n - normed$  space on *X*. They are called  $\varphi(\alpha) - norm$  on *X* corresponding to the fuzzy  $\varphi - n - norm$  on *X*.

**Proof.** Firstly we emphasize that since  $\alpha \in (0,1)$  and from definition  $\varphi$  we have  $\varphi(\alpha) \in (0,1)$ . Now, we prove our theorem systematically as follows:

1) It is easy to see that

$$\|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha)} = 0$$

This implies,

$$\inf\{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha), \alpha \in (0,1)\} = 0.$$
  
This implies

For all t > 0,  $N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha) > 0$ 

This implies, by F7)  $x_1, ..., x_n$  are linearly dependent. Conversely assume that  $x_1, ..., x_n$  are linearly dependent.

This implies, by F2),

$$N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) = 1$$
 for all  $t > 0$ .

This implies,

 $\inf\{t\colon N(x_1,\ldots,x_n,t)\geq \varphi(\alpha), \alpha\in(0,1)\}=0.$  This implies,

 $\|x_1,\ldots,x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha)}=0.$ 

- 2) Since  $N(x_1, ..., x_n, t)$  is invariant under permutation so  $||x_1, ..., x_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)}$  is invariant under permutation.
- 3) For all  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\alpha \in (0,1)$  and  $s \in [0,\infty)$ , we acquire

$$\|x_1, \dots, cx_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha)} = \inf \{s: N(x_1, \dots, cx_n, s) \ge \varphi(\alpha)\}$$
$$= \inf \{s: N\left(x_1, \dots, x_n, \frac{s}{\varphi(c)}\right) \ge \varphi(\alpha).$$

By taking  $t = \frac{s}{\varphi(c)} \in [0, \infty)$ , then, we have

$$\|x_1, \dots, cx_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha)} = \inf \left\{ t\varphi(c) \colon N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha) \right\}$$

$$= \varphi(c). \inf \{t: N(x_1, ..., x_n, s) \ge \varphi(\alpha)\} = \varphi(c) ||x_1, ..., x_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)}.$$
4)  $||x_1, ..., x_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)} + ||x_1, ..., x'_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)} = \inf\{t: N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha)\} + \inf\{s: N(x_1, ..., x'_n, s) \ge \varphi(\alpha)\} \ge \inf\{t + s: N(x_1, ..., x_n + x'_n, t + s) \ge \varphi(\alpha)\} = \inf\{k: N(x_1, ..., x_n + x'_n, k) \ge \varphi(\alpha), k = t + s\} = ||x_1, ..., x_n + x'_n||_{\varphi(\alpha)}.$ 

Therefore

$$\| (x_1, \dots, x_n + x'_n, k) \|_{\varphi(\alpha)} \leq \| x_1, \dots, x_n \|_{\varphi(\alpha)} + \| x_1, \dots, x'_n \|_{\varphi(\alpha)}$$

So,  $\|., ..., .\|_{\varphi(\alpha)}$  is  $\varphi - n - norm$  on X.

Now, we show that for any  $\alpha_1 < \alpha_2 \in (0,1)$ 

$$\|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha_1)} < \|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha_2)}.$$

Since  $\alpha_1 < \alpha_2$  by definition of  $\varphi$ , we obtain that  $\varphi(\alpha_1) < \varphi(\alpha_2)$ 

$$||x_1, ..., x_n||_{\varphi(\alpha_1)} = \inf\{t: N(x_1, ..., x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_1)\}$$

 $\|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha_2)} = \inf\{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_2)\}$  Thus, we deduce:

$$\{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_2)\} \subset \{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_1)\}$$
  
This implies that

$$\inf\{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_2)\} \ge \inf\{t: N(x_1, \dots, x_n, t) \ge \varphi(\alpha_1)\}$$

Thus, we obtain that

 $\|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha_1)} < \|x_1, \dots, x_n\|_{\varphi(\alpha_2)}.$ 

Consequently, the proof is completed.

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