

# On Fuzzy Magnified Translation in Ternary Hemirings

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## Abstract

In this paper we introduce the concept of fuzzy magnified translation of a fuzzy bi-ideal in a ternary hemiring and study some properties of it.

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## 1 Introduction

The concept of a fuzzy subset of a set was first introduced by L.A. Zadeh [8]. Fuzzy set theory is a useful tool to describe situations in which the data are imprecise or vague. Fuzzy sets handle such situation by attributing a degree to which a certain object belongs to a set. Using this concept Rosenfeld [7] established some results in fuzzy group theory. Later Kuroki [1] initiated the notion of fuzzy ideals in semigroups and Liu [4] studied them in rings. Lajos and Szasz [3] introduced the idea of bi-ideals in a ring. Kandasamy [2] and Majumder and Sarder [5] respectively explored on the idea of fuzzy translation and fuzzy magnified translation in fuzzy group theory. In this paper we introduce the concept of fuzzy magnified translation of a fuzzy bi-ideal in a ternary hemiring and study some properties of it.

## 2 Preliminary Notes

An algebra  $(R; +, \cdot)$  is said to be a ternary semiring if  $(R; +)$  is a semigroup and  $(R; \cdot)$  is a ternary semigroups satisfying  $as(b + c) = asb + asc$  and  $(b + c)sa = bsa + csa$  for all  $a, b, c, s \in R$ . A ternary semiring  $R$  is said to be additively

commutative if  $a + b = b + a$  for all  $a, b \in R$ . A ternary semiring  $R$  may have an identity 1, defined by  $1sa = a1s = as1 = as$  and a zero 0, defined by  $0 + a = a = a + 0$  and  $as0 = 0sa = s0a = 0$  for all  $a, s \in R$ . A ternary semiring  $R$  is said to be a ternary hemiring if it is additively commutative with zero. In this paper we introduce the notion of fuzzy magnified translation of fuzzy bi-ideals in ternary hemirings and develop some results. Henceforth we denote a ternary hemiring by  $H$  unless otherwise stated.

We now review some definitions that are used in this paper.

**Definition 2.1** Let  $X$  be a non empty set. A fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of  $X$  is a function  $\mu : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ . Let  $\{\mu_i \mid i \in I\}$  be fuzzy subsets of a ternary ring  $R$ . The intersection of the fuzzy sets  $\mu_i$  is defined as follows:

$$\cap \mu_i(x) = \inf_{i \in I} [\mu_i(x)], x \in X.$$

**Definition 2.2** Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy subset of a ternary hemiring  $H$ .  $Im\mu$  is defined by

$$Im\mu = \{t \in [0, 1] \mid \mu(x) = t \text{ for some } x \in X\}.$$

Let  $t \in [0, 1]$ . The set  $\mu_t = \{x \in X \mid \mu(x) \geq t\}$  is called a level subset of  $\mu$ . Clearly,  $\mu_t \subseteq \mu_s$  whenever  $t \leq s$ .

**Definition 2.3** A ternary subring  $S$  of a ternary ring  $R$  is called a bi-ideal of  $R$  if  $SRRRS \subseteq S$  holds where  $SRRRS$  is the additive subgroup of  $R$  generated by the set of all elements of the form  $sr_1rr_2s$ ,  $s \in S$  and  $r, r_1, r_2 \in R$ .

**Definition 2.4** A fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of a ternary hemiring  $H$  is called a fuzzy left(right) ideal of  $H$ , if for every  $x, y, s \in H$ :

- (i)  $\mu$  is a fuzzy subgroup of  $(H, +)$ , i.e.,  $\mu(x + y) \geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}$  and
- (ii)  $\mu(xsy) \geq \mu(y)$  ( $\mu(xsy) \geq \mu(x)$ ).

If  $\mu$  is both a fuzzy left ideal and a fuzzy right ideal of  $H$ , then it is called a fuzzy ideal of  $H$ .

**Definition 2.5** A non-empty fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of a ternary hemiring  $H$  (i.e.  $\mu(x) \neq 0$  for some  $x \in H$ ) is called a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$  if:

- (i)  $\mu(x + y) \geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}$ ,
- (ii)  $\mu(xsy) \geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(s), \mu(y)\}$  and
- (iii)  $\mu(xsytz) \geq \min\{\mu(x), \mu(z)\}$  for all  $x, y, z, s, t \in H$ .

Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy subset of a set  $H$  and  $\alpha \in [0, 1 - \sup\{\mu(x) \mid x \in H\}]$ . A mapping  $\mu_\alpha^T : H \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is called a fuzzy translation of  $\mu$  if  $\mu_\alpha^T(x) = \mu(x) + \alpha$  for all  $x \in H$ .

Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy subset of  $H$  and  $\beta \in [0, 1]$ . A mapping  $\mu_\beta^M : H \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is called a fuzzy multiplication of  $\mu$  if  $\mu_\beta^M(x) = \beta \cdot \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in H$ .

Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy subset of  $H$ ,  $\alpha \in [0, 1 - \sup\{\mu(x) \mid x \in H\}]$  and  $\beta \in [0, 1]$ . A mapping  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C : H \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is called a fuzzy magnified translation of  $\mu$  if  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) = \beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha$  for all  $x \in H$ .

### 3 Main Results

In this section we present the main results of our paper.

**Theorem 3.1** *Let  $\mu$  be a non empty fuzzy subset of a ternary hemiring  $H$ . Then  $\mu$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$  if and only if the fuzzy magnified translation  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C$  of  $\mu$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy bi-ideal of a ternary hemiring  $H$ .

Now for all  $x, y, z, s, t \in H$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x + y) &= \beta \cdot \mu(x + y) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\} + \alpha \\ &= \min\{\beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(y) + \alpha\} \\ &= \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Again

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsy) &= \beta \cdot \mu(xsy) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \min\{\mu(x), \mu(s), \mu(y)\} + \alpha \\ &= \min\{\beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(s) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(y) + \alpha\} \\ &= \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(s), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsyztz) &= \beta \cdot \mu(xsyztz) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \min\{\mu(x), \mu(z)\} + \alpha \\ &= \min\{\beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(z) + \alpha\} \\ &= \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(z)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ .

Conversely let  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C$  be a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ . Then for all  $x, y, z, s, t \in H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(x + y) &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x + y) - \alpha] \geq \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\} - \alpha] \\ &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha, \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y) - \alpha\}] = \min\left\{\frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y) - \alpha}{\beta}\right\} \\ &= \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Again

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(xsy) &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsy) - \alpha] \\ &\geq \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(s), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\} - \alpha] \\ &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha, \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(s) - \alpha, \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y) - \alpha\}] \\ &= \min\left\{\frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(s) - \alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y) - \alpha}{\beta}\right\} \\ &= \min\{\mu(x), \mu(s), \mu(y)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(xsyztz) &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsyztz) - \alpha] \\ &\geq \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(z)\} - \alpha] \\ &= \frac{1}{\beta}[\min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha, \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(z) - \alpha\}] \\ &= \min\left\{\frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) - \alpha}{\beta}, \frac{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(z) - \alpha}{\beta}\right\} \\ &= \min\{\mu(x), \mu(z)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\mu$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ . ■

**Theorem 3.2** *If  $\mu$  is a fuzzy left (right, two-sided) ideal of a ternary hemiring  $H$  then the fuzzy magnified translation  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C$  of  $\mu$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy left (right, two-sided) ideal of a ternary hemiring  $H$ . Then for all  $x, y, z, s, t \in H$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x+y) &= \beta \cdot \mu(x+y) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \min\{\mu(x), \mu(y)\} + \alpha \\ &= \min\{\beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(y) + \alpha\} \\ &= \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\}.\end{aligned}$$

Again

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsy) &= \beta \cdot \mu(xsy) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \min\{\mu(x), \mu(s), \mu(y)\} + \alpha \\ &= \min\{\beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(s) + \alpha, \beta \cdot \mu(y) + \alpha\} \\ &= \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(s), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(y)\}.\end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(xsyztz) &= \beta \cdot \mu(xsyztz) + \alpha \\ &\geq \beta \cdot \mu(x) + \alpha \\ &= \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x) \\ &\geq \min\{\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(x), \mu_{\beta\alpha}^C(z)\}.\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\mu_{\beta\alpha}^C$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ . Similarly we can prove the other statements. ■

**Theorem 3.3** *The fuzzy magnified translation of the intersection of an arbitrary collection of fuzzy bi-ideals of a ternary hemiring  $H$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$  if it is not empty.*

**Proof.** Let  $\{\mu_i \mid i \in I\}$  be an arbitrary collection of fuzzy bi-ideals of  $H$  and  $\mu = \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i$  be not empty.

Let  $x, y, z, s, t \in H$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}\mu(x+y) &= \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(x+y) \\ &= \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(x+y)\} \\ &\geq \inf_{i \in I} \{\min\{\mu_i(x), \mu_i(y)\}\} \\ &= \min\{\inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(x)\}, \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(y)\}\} \\ &= \min\{\bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(x), \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(y)\}.\end{aligned}$$

Again

$$\begin{aligned}\mu(xsy) &= \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(xsy) \\ &= \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(xsy)\} \\ &\geq \inf_{i \in I} \{\min\{\mu_i(x), \mu_i(s), \mu_i(y)\}\} \\ &= \min\{\inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(x)\}, \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(s)\}, \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(y)\}\} \\ &= \min\{\bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(x), \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(s), \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(y)\}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Also} \\
\mu(xsyztz) &= \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(xsyztz) \\
&= \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(xsyztz)\} \\
&\geq \inf_{i \in I} \{\min\{\mu_i(x), \mu_i(z)\}\} \\
&= \min\{\inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(x)\}, \inf_{i \in I} \{\mu_i(z)\}\} \\
&= \min\{\bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(x), \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i(z)\}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $\mu = \bigcap_{i \in I} \mu_i$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ . Thus Theorem 3 follows from Theorem 1. ■

The proofs of the following two theorems are straight forward and therefore are omitted.

**Theorem 3.4** *A subset  $A$  of a ternary hemiring  $H$  is a bi-ideal of  $H$  if and only if its characteristic function  $\chi_A$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$ .*

**Theorem 3.5** *Let  $\mu$  be a fuzzy subset of a ternary hemiring  $H$ .  $\mu$  is a fuzzy bi-ideal of  $H$  if and only if its level sets  $t_s$  are bi-ideals of  $H$  for all  $t \in \text{Im}\mu$ .*

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