

A new type of intuitionistic fuzzy modal operators over intuitionistic fuzzy pairs

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Abstract: In the paper, two intuitionistic fuzzy modal operators from a new type are introduced over intuitionistic fuzzy pairs. Some of the basic properties of the new operators are formulated and checked.

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1 Introduction

The concept of an Intuitionistic Fuzzy Pair (IFP) was introduced in [4] independently with Z. Xu's paper [6], where he called the same object an intuitionistic fuzzy value. In a series of papers, a lot of operations, relations and operators are defined over IFPs (see, e.g., [2]). A part of them are given in Section 2 and they are used in Section 3, where two modal operators from a new type are introduced and some of their basic properties are given.

2 Preliminaries

In [4], the pair $\langle a, b \rangle$ so that $a, b, a + b \in [0, 1]$ is called an IFP. For two pairs $x = \langle a, b \rangle$ and $y = \langle c, d \rangle$, the following relations, operations and operators (and a lot of others) are introduced:

$$\begin{aligned}
x \leq y & \text{ iff } a \leq c \text{ and } b \geq d, \\
x = y & \text{ iff } x \leq y \text{ and } y \leq x, \\
x \wedge y & = \langle \min(a, c), \max(b, d) \rangle, \\
x \vee y & = \langle \max(a, c), \min(b, d) \rangle, \\
x + y & = \langle a + c - ac, bd \rangle, \\
x \cdot y & = \langle ac, b + d - bd \rangle, \\
x @ y & = \langle \frac{a + c}{2}, \frac{b + d}{2} \rangle, \\
\neg x & = \langle b, a \rangle; \\
\Box x & = \langle a, 1 - a \rangle, \\
\Diamond x & = \langle 1 - b, b \rangle, \\
D_\alpha x & = \langle a + \alpha(1 - a - b), b + (1 - \alpha)(1 - a - b) \rangle, \\
F_{\alpha, \beta} x & = \langle a + \alpha(1 - a - b), b + \beta(1 - a - b) \rangle, \\
G_{\alpha, \beta} x & = \langle \alpha a, \beta b \rangle, \\
H_{\alpha, \beta} x & = \langle \alpha a, b + \beta(1 - a - b) \rangle, \\
H_{\alpha, \beta}^* x & = \langle \alpha a, b + \beta(1 - \alpha a - b) \rangle, \\
J_{\alpha, \beta} x & = \langle a + \alpha(1 - a - b), \beta b \rangle, \\
J_{\alpha, \beta}^* x & = \langle a + \alpha(1 - a - \beta b), \beta b \rangle; \\
\blacksquare_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta} x & = \langle \alpha a + \gamma, \beta b + \delta \rangle, \\
& \text{ where } \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in [0, 1] \text{ and } \max(\alpha, \beta) + \gamma + \delta \leq 1, \\
\boxplus_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \varepsilon, \zeta} x & = \langle \alpha a - \varepsilon b + \gamma, \beta b - \zeta a + \delta \rangle, \\
& \text{ where } \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \varepsilon, \zeta \in [0, 1], \max(\alpha - \zeta, \beta - \varepsilon) + \gamma + \delta \leq 1, \\
& \text{ and } \min(\alpha - \zeta, \beta - \varepsilon) + \gamma + \delta \geq 0, \\
\otimes_{\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta} x & = \langle \alpha a + \gamma b, \beta a + \delta b \rangle, \\
& \text{ where } \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta \in [0, 1] \text{ and } \alpha + \beta \leq 1, \gamma + \delta \leq 1.
\end{aligned}$$

3 Main results

Everywhere below we will use:

$$\begin{aligned}
x & = \langle a, b \rangle, \\
y & = \langle c, d \rangle.
\end{aligned}$$

Let us define the following two new operators:

$$\begin{aligned}
\Delta x & = \Delta \langle a, b \rangle = \langle a + b, 0 \rangle, \\
\nabla x & = \nabla \langle a, b \rangle = \langle 0, a + b \rangle.
\end{aligned}$$

The geometrical interpretation of both operators is shown on Fig. 1.

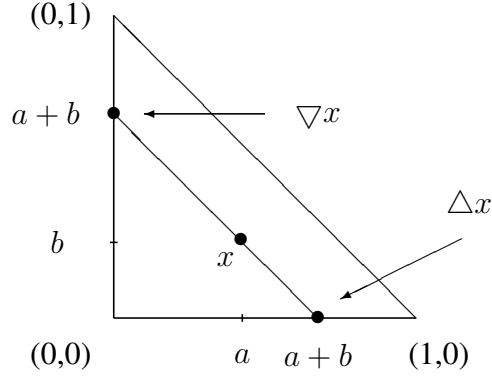


Figure 1. Geometrical interpretation of an element of an IFS.

We see immediately that

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\langle 1, 0\rangle &= \Delta\langle 0, 1\rangle = \langle 1, 0\rangle, \\ \nabla\langle 1, 0\rangle &= \nabla\langle 0, 1\rangle = \langle 0, 1\rangle, \\ \nabla x &\leq x \leq \Delta x.\end{aligned}$$

The new operators have the following properties.

Proposition 1. *For each IFP x :*

- (a) $\Delta \nabla x = \Delta x$,
- (b) $\nabla \Delta x = \nabla x$.

Proof. (a) Let x be an IFP. Then

$$\Delta \nabla x = \Delta \nabla \langle a, b\rangle = \Delta \langle 0, a+b\rangle = \langle a+b, 0\rangle = \Delta x.$$

(b) The assertion is proved analogically. □

Therefore, there is an important difference in the behaviour of the new modal operators and the intuitionistic fuzzy forms of the classical modal operators, that satisfy equalities $\Box \Diamond x = \Diamond x$ and $\Diamond \Box x = \Box x$ (cf [2, 5]).

Between the two types of modal operators there are the following relationships.

Proposition 2. *For each IFP x :*

- (a) $\Box \Delta x \leq \Delta \Box x$,
- (b) $\Box \nabla x = \nabla \Box x$,
- (c) $\Diamond \Delta x = \Delta \Diamond x$,
- (d) $\Diamond \nabla x \geq \nabla \Diamond x$.

Proof. We check directly that:

$$\begin{aligned}\square \triangle x &= \square \langle a + b, 0 \rangle = \langle a + b, 1 - a - b \rangle \leq \langle 1, 0 \rangle = \triangle \langle a, 1 - a \rangle = \triangle \square x, \\ \square \nabla x &= \square \langle 0, a + b \rangle = \langle 0, 1 \rangle = \nabla \langle a, 1 - a \rangle = \nabla \square x, \\ \diamond \triangle x &= \diamond \langle a + b, 0 \rangle = \langle 1, 0 \rangle = \triangle \langle a, 1 - a \rangle = \triangle \diamond x, \\ \diamond \nabla x &= \diamond \langle 0, a + b \rangle = \langle 1 - a - b, a + b \rangle \geq \langle 0, 1 \rangle = \nabla \langle 1 - b, b \rangle = \nabla \diamond x.\end{aligned}$$

This completes the proof. \square

In [2] it is shown that operator D_α extends both operators \square and \diamond because for each IFP x : $\square x = D_0$ and $\diamond x = D_1x$, while operator $F_{\alpha,\beta}$ extends operator D_α , because for each IFP x : $D_\alpha = f_{\alpha,1-\alpha}$. Now, an extension of Proposition 2 has the following form.

Proposition 3. *For each IFP x and for every $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$ so that $a + b \in [0, 1]$:*

- (a) $D_\alpha \triangle x \leq \triangle D_{a,b}x$,
- (b) $D_\alpha \nabla x \geq \nabla D_{a,b}x$,
- (c) $F_{\alpha,\beta} \triangle x \leq \triangle F_{a,b,\beta}x$,
- (d) $F_{\alpha,\beta} \nabla x \geq \nabla F_{a,b,\beta}x$.

More interesting is the case of the relationships between the new operators and operator $G_{\alpha,\beta}$.

Proposition 4. *For each IFP x and for every $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$:*

- (a) *if $\alpha \leq \beta$, then*

$$\begin{aligned}G_{\alpha,\beta} \triangle x &\leq \triangle G_{a,b,\beta}x, \\ G_{\alpha,\beta} \nabla x &\geq \nabla G_{a,b,\beta}x,\end{aligned}$$

- (b) *if $\alpha \geq \beta$, then*

$$\begin{aligned}G_{\alpha,\beta} \triangle x &\geq \triangle G_{a,b,\beta}x, \\ G_{\alpha,\beta} \nabla x &\leq \nabla G_{a,b,\beta}x.\end{aligned}$$

Proposition 5. *For each IFP x and for every $\alpha, \beta \in [0, 1]$ so that $a + b \in [0, 1]$:*

- (a) $H_{\alpha,\beta} \triangle x \leq \triangle H_{a,b,\beta}x$,
- (b) $H_{\alpha,\beta} \nabla x \geq \nabla H_{a,b,\beta}x$,
- (c) $J_{\alpha,\beta} \triangle x \geq \triangle J_{a,b,\beta}x$,
- (d) $J_{\alpha,\beta} \nabla x \leq \nabla J_{a,b,\beta}x$,
- (e) $H_{\alpha,\beta}^* \triangle x \leq \triangle H_{a,b,\beta}^*x$,
- (f) $H_{\alpha,\beta}^* \nabla x \geq \nabla H_{a,b,\beta}^*x$,

$$(g) J_{\alpha,\beta}^* \Delta x \geq \Delta J_{\alpha,\beta}^* x,$$

$$(h) J_{\alpha,\beta}^* \nabla x \leq \nabla J_{\alpha,\beta}^* x.$$

Proposition 6. For each IFP x :

$$(a) \neg \Delta \neg x = \nabla x,$$

$$(b) \neg \nabla \neg x = \Delta x,$$

The relationships between the new operators and some of the operations over IFPs are the following.

Proposition 7. For every two IFPs x and y :

$$(a) \Delta(x + y) \leq \Delta x + \Delta y,$$

$$(b) \Delta(x.y) \geq \Delta x . \Delta y,$$

$$(c) \Delta(x@y) = \Delta x @ \Delta y,$$

$$(d) \nabla(x + y) \geq \nabla x + \nabla y,$$

$$(e) \nabla(x.y) \leq \nabla x . \nabla y,$$

$$(f) \nabla(x@y) = \nabla x @ \nabla y.$$

4 Conclusion

The so introduced intuitionistic fuzzy modal operators over IFPs can be modified (and this will be an object of a next research of the author) for the case of Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets (IFSs, see, e.g., [1]) and interval-valued IFSs (see, e.g., [3]).

The new operators can have application in different areas as Data Mining, Decision making, intercriteria analysis and others.

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