



## MORE ON WEAKLY FUZZY $\Delta$ -SEMI PREIRRESOLUTE MAPPINGS

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### ABSTRACT

The aim of this paper is to introduce and investigate the concept of a new class of mappings, called - fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preirresolute mappings in fuzzy topological space. Also in this paper some more results on weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings and fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms would be investigated in the light of the concepts already introduced on weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings and fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms by Mukherjee & Dhar (Mukherjee, 2010)(The Journal of Fuzzy Mathematics, 18(1) 2010, 209-216) in fuzzy topological space.. Also the aim of this paper is to introduce the concept of new fuzzy spaces, named as fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular space and fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - preregular space.

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### INTRODUCTION

The concept of fuzzy preirresolute mappings was introduced by Park and Park (1994). Again the concept of fuzzy semi preirresolute functions were introduced in fuzzy topological space (fts, for short) by Bhaumik and Mukherjee (1999). Recently Mukherjee and Sarkar (2006) introduced the concept of fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi irresolute functions in fts. In section 2 of this paper, the concept of a new class of mappings, called - fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings would be introduced and studied in fts. Also Mukherjee and Dhar (2010) introduced the concepts of weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings and fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms in fts. In the light of the concept introduced in (2010), some more results on weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings and fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms are to be investigated in section 4.

In section 5, the concept of a new fuzzy space, named as fuzzy  $\delta$  -semi preregular space is to be introduced and studied. In section 6, the concept of a new fuzzy space, named as fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - semi preregular space is to be introduced and studied. Throughout this paper,  $(X, \tau)$  or simply  $X$  will mean a fts due to Chang (1968) and  $\text{cl}A$ ,  $\text{int}A$ ,  $\delta\text{cl}A$ ,  $\delta\text{int}A$  will denote respectively the closure, interior,  $\delta$  - closure,  $\delta$  - interior for a fuzzy subset  $A$  of  $X$ .

#### Preliminaries

In this section, some of the known results and definitions are to be mentioned for ready references.

**Definition 2.1.** A fuzzy subset  $A$  in a fts  $X$  is called

- a) (Ming, 1980) quasi-coincident (q-coincident, for short ) with a fuzzy subset B, denoted by  $AqB$ , iff  $\exists x \in X$  such that  $A(x) + B(x) > 1$ ,
- b) (Ming, 1980) q-coincident with a fuzzy point  $x_p$  (where  $x$  is the support,  $p$  is the value of the point &  $0 < p \leq 1$ ) iff  $p + A(x) > 1$ ,
- c) (Ming, 1980) q-neighbourhood (q-nbd, for short) of fuzzy point  $x_p$  iff there exists a fuzzy open set B such that  $x_p q B \leq A$ ,
- d) (Azad, 1981) fuzzy regular open if  $A = \text{int}(\text{cl}(A))$ ,
- e) (Azad, 1981) fuzzy semiopen if  $A \leq \text{cl}(\text{int}(A))$ ,
- f) (Bin Shahana, 1991) fuzzy preopen if  $A \leq \text{int}(\text{cl}(A))$ ,
- g) (14) fuzzy semi preopen if  $A \leq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(A)))$ ,
- h) (Ganguly, 1988) fuzzy  $\delta$ -closed iff  $A = \delta \text{cl} A$ . The complement of fuzzy  $\delta$ -closed set is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -open,
- i) (Caldas, 1968) fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen if  $A \leq \text{int}(\delta \text{cl} A)$ ,
- j) (Mukherjee, 2006) fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi open if  $A \leq \text{cl}(\delta \text{int} A)$ ,
- k) (Thakur et al., 2004) fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen  $A \leq \delta \text{cl}(\text{int} \delta \text{cl} A)$ .

**Definition 2.2.** (Chaudhuri, 1993) A fuzzy set A of a fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is said to be RQ-neighbourhood (briefly, RQ-nbd) of a fuzzy point  $x_p$  iff there is a fuzzy regular open set B of X such that  $x_p q B \leq A$ .

**Definition 2.3.** (Ganguly, 1988) A fuzzy point  $x_p$  is said to be fuzzy  $\delta$ -cluster point of a fuzzy subset A of a fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$  iff each RQ-nbd of  $x_p$  is quasi-coincident with A. The set of all fuzzy  $\delta$ -cluster points of A is called the fuzzy  $\delta$ -closure of A and is denoted by  $\delta \text{cl} A$ .

**Definition 2.4.** Let  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a mapping from a fts  $(X, \tau)$  to another fts  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Then f is called

- a) (Mukherjee, 1989) fuzzy irresolute if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy semiopen subset in X for each fuzzy semiopen subset A in Y,
- b) (Park, 1994) fuzzy preirresolute if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy preopen subset in X for each fuzzy preopen subset A in Y,
- c) (Bhaumik, 1999) fuzzy semi preirresolute if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy semi preopen subset of X for each fuzzy semi preopen subset A in Y,
- d) (Mukherjee, 2006) fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi irresolute if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semiopen subset of X for each fuzzy  $\delta$ -semiopen subset A in Y.

**Definition 2.5.** (Mukherjee, 2010) A fuzzy set A of a fts X is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood (resp. q-neighbourhood) of a fuzzy point  $x_p$  if there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set U such that  $x_p \in U \leq A$  (resp.  $x_p q U \leq A$ ).

**Definition 2.6.** (Mukherjee, 2010) A fts X is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_0$  iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points  $x_p$  and  $y_t$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

when  $x \neq y$

either  $x_p$  has a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood U such that

$U \not\ni y_t$  or  $y_t$  has a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood V such that

$V \not\ni x_p$ ,

when  $x=y$

and  $p < t$  (say), there is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood V of  $y_t$  such that  $V \not\ni x_p$ .

**Definition 2.7.** (Mukherjee, 2010). A fts X is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_1$  iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points  $x_p$  and  $y_t$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

when  $x \neq y$ ,  $x_p$

has a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood U such that  $U \not\ni y_t$  and  $y_t$

has a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood V such that  $V \not\ni x_p$ ,

when  $x=y$

and  $p < t$  (say), there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood V of  $y_t$

such that  $V \not\ni x_p$ .

**Definition 2.8.** (Mukherjee, 2010). A fts X is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_2$  iff for every pair of distinct fuzzy points  $x_p$  and  $y_t$ , the following conditions are satisfied:

- when  $x \neq y$ ,  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  has fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhoods U and V respectively such that  $U \not\ni V$ ,
- when  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say),  $x_p$  has a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood U and  $y_t$  has a
- fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood V such that  $U \not\ni V$ .

**Lemma 2.9.** (Azad, 1981) Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping and  $\{B_i\}$  be a family of fuzzy sets of Y, then

$$f^{-1}(\bigcap B_i) = \bigcap f^{-1}(B_i)$$

and

$$f^{-1}(\bigcup B_i) = \bigcup f^{-1}(B_i).$$

**Lemma 2.10.** (Azad, 1981) For mappings  $f_i : X_i \rightarrow Y_i$  and fuzzy sets  $B_i$  of  $Y_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ ; we have

$$(f_1 \times f_2)^{-1}(B_1 \times B_2) = f_1^{-1}(B_1) \times f_2^{-1}(B_2).$$

**Lemma 2.11.** (Azad, 1981) Let  $g : X \rightarrow X \times Y$  be the graph of a mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ . Then if A is a fuzzy set of X and B is a fuzzy set of Y,  $g^{-1}(A \times B) = A \cap f^{-1}(B)$ .

### Fuzzy $\delta$ - semi preirresolute mappings

In this section, a new class of mappings, called - fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preirresolute mappings are to be defined with the help of fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preopen sets. Also some of their basic properties and characterization theorems are to be investigated in fuzzy topological spaces.

**Definition 3.1.** A mapping  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$  to another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, \sigma)$  is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute if  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  for each  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$ . Here  $\delta\text{spo}(X)$  and  $\delta\text{spo}(Y)$  denote fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets on  $X$  and  $Y$  respectively.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$  to another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.
- For every fuzzy set  $B \in \delta\text{spc}(Y)$ ,  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spc}(X)$ .
- For every fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and every fuzzy set  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$  such that  $f(x_p) \in B$ , there is a fuzzy set  $A \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  such that  $x_p \in A$  and  $f(A) \leq B$ .
- For every fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and every fuzzy nbd  $A \in \xi(f(x_p))$ , there is a fuzzy nbd  $f^{-1}(A) \in \xi(x_p)$ .
- For every fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and every fuzzy nbd  $A \in \xi(f(x_p))$ , there is a fuzzy nbd  $B \in \xi(x_p)$  of  $x_p$  such that  $f(B) \leq A$ .

**Proof:**

**(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b) :** Let  $B \in \delta\text{spc}(Y)$ , then  $(1_Y - B) \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$ . By (a),  $f^{-1}(1_Y - B) = (1_X - f^{-1}(B)) \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$ , i.e.,  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spc}(X)$ .

**(b)  $\Rightarrow$  (a) :** Let  $B$  be any fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $Y$ , i.e.,  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$ . Then  $1_Y - B$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preclosed set in  $Y$ , i.e.,  $(1_Y - B) \in \delta\text{spc}(Y)$ . Now, by (b),  $f^{-1}(1_Y - B) = (1_X - f^{-1}(B))$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preclosed in  $X$ . Hence  $f^{-1}(B)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $X$ , i.e.,  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$ . Hence  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (c) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point of  $X$  and  $B$  be a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $Y$ , i.e.,  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$  with  $f(x_p) \in B$ . Put  $A = f^{-1}(B)$ . Then by (a),  $A \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  such that  $x_p \in A$  and  $f(A) \leq B$ .

**(c)  $\Rightarrow$  (a) :** Let  $B$  be any fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $Y$ , i.e.,  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$  and a fuzzy point  $x_p \in f^{-1}(B)$ . Then  $f(x_p) \in B$ . Now by (c), there is a fuzzy set  $A \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  such that  $x_p \in A$  and  $f(A) \leq B$ . Then  $x_p \in A \leq f^{-1}(B)$ . Hence by theorem – A fuzzy set  $A \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  if and only if for every fuzzy point  $x_p \in A$ , there exists a fuzzy set  $B \in \delta\text{spo}(Y)$  such that  $x_p \in B \leq A$ ,  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$ . Thus  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (d) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point of  $X$  and  $A$  be fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $f(x_p)$ , i.e.,  $A \in \xi(f(x_p))$ . Then there is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set  $B$  such that  $f(x_p) \in B \leq A$ . Now by (a),  $f^{-1}(B) \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  and  $x_p \in f^{-1}(B) \leq f^{-1}(A)$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $x_p$  in  $X$ , i.e.,  $f^{-1}(A) \in \xi(x_p)$ .

**(d)  $\Rightarrow$  (e) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point of  $X$  and  $A$  be a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $f(x_p)$ , i.e.,  $A \in \xi(f(x_p))$ . Then  $B = f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $x_p$ , i.e.,  $f^{-1}(A) \in \xi(x_p)$  and  $f(B) = f(f^{-1}(A)) \leq A$ .

**(e)  $\Rightarrow$  (c) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point of  $X$  and  $B$  be a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $Y$  such that  $f(x_p) \in B$ . Then  $B$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $f(x_p)$ , i.e.,  $B \in \xi(f(x_p))$ . So by (e), there is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd  $A$  of  $x_p$  in  $X$  such that  $x_p \in A$  and  $f(A) \leq B$ . Hence there is a fuzzy set  $C \in \delta\text{spo}(X)$  such that  $x_p \in C \leq A$  and so  $f(C) \leq f(A) \leq B$ .

## Weakly fuzzy $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings

Mukherjee and Dhar (Mukherjee, 2010) defined weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings. Some of their basic properties & characterization theorems were also investigated by them. Fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms were also introduced by Mukherjee and Dhar (2010). In this section some more results on weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings and some more fundamental properties on fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms are to be investigated in the light of the concepts as introduced by Mukherjee and Dhar (2010).

**Definition 4.1.** (Mukherjee, 2010) Let  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a mapping from a fts  $(X, \tau)$  to another fts  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Then  $f$  is called weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen subset of  $X$  for each fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen subset  $A$  in  $Y$ .

**Example 4.2.** (Mukherjee, 2010) Let  $V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4$  be fuzzy sets on  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  defined as

$$\begin{aligned} V_1(a) &= 0.8, V_1(b) = 0.7, V_1(c) = 0.9, \\ V_2(a) &= 0.5, V_2(b) = 0.3, V_2(c) = 0.6, \\ V_3(a) &= 0.3, V_3(b) = 0.4, V_3(c) = 0.3, \\ V_4(a) &= 0.2, V_4(b) = 0.6, V_4(c) = 0.2. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\tau = \{1_X, 0_X, V_1, V_2, V_3, V_2 \vee V_3, V_2 \wedge V_3\}$  be a fuzzy topology on  $X$ .

Then  $V_4$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen on  $X$ .

Define  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, \tau)$  by  $f(x) = x$ . Then  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute,  $V_4$  is not fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen. So,  $f$  is not weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Example 4.3.** (Mukherjee, 2010) Let  $V_1, V_2, V_3$  and  $V_4$  be fuzzy sets on  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  as defined in example 3(A).3.2. Let  $\tau_1 = \{1_X, 0_X, V_1, V_2, V_3, V_2 \wedge V_3, V_2 \vee V_3\}$  and  $\tau_2 = \{1_X, 0_X, V_4\}$  be fuzzy topologies on  $X$  and  $f : (X, \tau_1) \rightarrow (X, \tau_2)$  be mapping defined as follows :

$$f(a) = a, f(b) = b \text{ \& } f(c) = c$$

Then  $f$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Theorem 4.4.** If  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  is a weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mapping and  $g: Y \rightarrow Z$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -preirresolute mapping, then  $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$  is a weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mapping.

**Proof.** Let  $C$  be an arbitrary fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen set of  $Z$ . As  $g$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -preirresolute, so  $g^{-1}(C)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen set of  $Y$ . Since  $g^{-1}(C)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen set of  $Y$  and  $f$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute, so  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(C))$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set of  $X$ . But  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(C)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(C)$ . Therefore for each fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen set of  $Z$ ,  $(g \circ f)^{-1}(C)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set of  $X$ . This shows that  $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$  is a weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mapping.

**Theorem 4.5.** Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be fts such that  $X$  is product related to  $Y$  and  $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a mapping. Then, if the graph mapping  $g: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X \times Y, \theta)$  of  $f$  defined by  $g(x) = (x, f(x))$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute then  $f$  is also weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Proof:** Let  $g$  be weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute and  $B$  be any fuzzy set in  $Y$ . Then by Lemma 2.11.,  $f^{-1}(B) = 1_X \times f^{-1}(B) = g^{-1}(1_X \times B)$ . Now, if  $B$  is fuzzy open in  $Y$ , then  $1_X \times B$  is fuzzy

open in  $X \times Y$ . Again,  $g^{-1}(1_x \times B)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen as  $g$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute. Consequently,  $f^{-1}(B)$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen. Hence  $f$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Theorem 4.6.** Let  $(X_1, \tau)$ ,  $(X_2, \omega)$ ,  $(Y_1, \eta)$  and  $(Y_2, \sigma)$  be fts such that  $X_1$  is product related to  $X_2$ . Then, the product  $f_1 \times f_2: (X_1 \times X_2, \theta) \rightarrow (Y_1 \times Y_2, \rho)$ , where  $\theta$  (resp.  $\rho$ ) is the fuzzy product topology generated by  $\tau$  and  $\omega$  (resp.  $\eta$  and  $\sigma$ ) of weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mappings  $f_1: (X_1, \tau) \rightarrow (Y_1, \eta)$  and  $f_2: (X_2, \omega) \rightarrow (Y_2, \sigma)$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Proof.** Let  $A = \cup_{m,n} (A_m \times B_n)$ , where  $A_m, B_n$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen sets in  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  respectively. Then  $A$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -preopen set of  $Y_1 \times Y_2$ . By Lemmas 2.9. and 2.10., we have

$$\begin{aligned} (f_1 \times f_2)^{-1}(A) &= (f_1 \times f_2)^{-1}(\cup_{m,n} (A_m \times B_n)) \\ &= \cup_{m,n} ((f_1 \times f_2)^{-1}(A_m \times B_n)) \\ &= \cup_{m,n} ((f_1^{-1}(A_m) \times f_2^{-1}(B_n))) \end{aligned}$$

Since  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute,  $f_1^{-1}(A_m)$ 's are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets of  $X_1$  and  $f_2^{-1}(B_n)$ 's are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets of  $X_2$ . So  $(f_1^{-1}(A_m) \times f_2^{-1}(B_n))$ 's are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets of  $X_1 \times X_2$ . As any union of fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets of a fts  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen sets of  $X$ , it follows that  $(f_1 \times f_2)^{-1}(A)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preopen set in  $X_1 \times X_2$  which implies that  $f_1 \times f_2$  is weakly fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute.

**Fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms**

Fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preseparation axioms were introduced by Mukherjee and Dhar (2010). In this section some more fundamental properties of this new class of separation axioms are to be investigated.

**Theorem 5.1.** Let  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  be injective and fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous. If  $Y$  is fuzzy pre- $T_i$  then  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_i$  for  $i=0, 1, 2$ .

**Proof.**

We give a proof for  $i=0$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy pre- $T_0$  property of  $Y$ , either there exists a fuzzy preneighbourhood  $U$  of  $(f(x))_p$  such that  $U$  is not q-coincident with  $(f(y))_t$  or there exists a fuzzy pre neighbourhood  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $V$  is not q-coincident with  $(f(x))_p$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$  or  $y_t$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(U)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then  $f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy pre  $T_0$ , there exists a fuzzy pre q-nbd  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous, so  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-nbd of  $y_t$  such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_0$ .

We give a proof for  $i=1$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy pre- $T_1$  property of  $Y$ , there exist fuzzy preneighbourhoods  $U$  &  $V$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and  $(f(y))_t$  respectively such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$  and  $(f(y))_t$  is not q-coincident with  $U$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -

semi preneighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$  and  $y_t$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(U)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then  $f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy pre  $T_1$ , there exists a fuzzy pre q-nbd  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous, so  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-nbd of  $y_t$  such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_1$ . We give a proof for  $i=2$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy pre- $T_2$  property of  $Y$ , there exist fuzzy preneighbourhoods  $U$  &  $V$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and  $(f(y))_t$  respectively such that  $U$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $f^{-1}(U)$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then  $f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy pre- $T_2$ , there exists a fuzzy pre nbd  $U$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and there exists a fuzzy pre q-nbd  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $U$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi precontinuous, so  $f^{-1}(U)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre nbd of  $x_p$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-nbd of  $y_t$  such that  $f^{-1}(U)$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre-  $T_2$ .

**Theorem 5.2.** Let  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  be a one-to-one fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute mapping. If  $Y$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_i$  then so is  $X$ , for  $i=0, 1, 2$ .

**Proof.** We give a proof for  $i=0$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_0$  property of  $Y$ , either there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood  $U$  of  $(f(x))_p$  such that  $U$  is not q-coincident with  $(f(y))_t$  or there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $V$  is not q-coincident with  $(f(x))_p$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute,  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre neighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$  or  $y_t$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(U)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then  $f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_0$ , there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute, so  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood of  $y_t$  such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_0$ .

We give a proof for  $i=1$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_1$  property of  $Y$ , there exist fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre neighbourhoods  $U$  &  $V$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and  $(f(y))_t$  respectively such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$  and  $(f(y))_t$  is not q-coincident with  $U$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute,  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$  and  $y_t$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(U)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then  $f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_1$ , there exists a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-neighbourhood  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $(f(x))_p$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute, so  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre q-nbd of  $y_t$  such that  $x_p$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $T_1$ .

We give a proof for  $i=2$ . Let  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  be two distinct fuzzy points in  $X$ . When  $x \neq y$ , we have  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ . By the fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_2$  property of  $Y$ , there exist fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre neighbourhoods  $U$  &  $V$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and  $(f(y))_t$  respectively such that  $U$  is not q-coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute,  $f^{-1}(U)$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre neighbourhoods of  $x_p$  and  $y_t$  respectively such that  $f^{-1}(U)$  is not q-coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . When  $x=y$  and  $p < t$  (say), then

$f(x)=f(y)$ . Since  $Y$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_2$ , there exists a fuzzy preneighbourhood  $U$  of  $(f(x))_p$  and there exists a fuzzy pre  $q$ -neighbourhood  $V$  of  $(f(y))_t$  such that  $U$  is not  $q$ -coincident with  $V$ . Since  $f$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preirresolute, so  $f^{-1}(U)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preneighbourhood of  $x_p$  and  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre  $q$ -neighbourhood of  $y_t$  such that  $f^{-1}(U)$  is not  $q$ -coincident with  $f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi pre- $T_2$ .

**Fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular space**

In this section a new fuzzy space, called ‘fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preregular space’ is to be introduced and some basic properties related to this space are also to be investigated. The family of fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preopen (resp.  $\delta$  - semi preclosed) sets of a fts  $X$  will be denoted by  $\psi(x)$  (respectively  $\psi(x)$ ) and the set of all fuzzy  $\delta$  - semi preneighbourhoods (respectively  $\delta$  - semi pre  $q$  - neighbourhoods) of  $x_p$  will be denoted by  $\zeta(x_p)$  (respectively  $\eta(x_p)$ ).

**Definition 6.1.** A fts  $X$  is called fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular iff for each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and each  $U \in \psi(X)$  with  $U \in \eta(x_p)$ , there is a  $V \in \psi(X)$  and  $V \in \eta(x_p)$  such that  $clV \leq U$ .

**Lemma 6.2.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a fuzzy topological space and two fuzzy sets  $U, V \in \delta spo(X)$ . If  $U \not\leq V$ , then  $cl(U) \not\leq V$ .

**Proof :** Let  $U \not\leq V$ . Then  $U \leq V^c$ . Since  $V^c \in \delta spc(X)$ ,  $cl(U) \leq V^c$ . It implies that  $cl(U) \not\leq V$ .

**Theorem 6.3.** For a fts  $X$ , the following statements are equivalent:

- a)  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular.
- b) For each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and each  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , there is
- c) a  $U \in \psi(X)$  such that  $x_p \notin clU$  and  $B \leq U$ .
- d) For each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and each  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , there exist  $U, V \in$
- e)  $\psi(X)$  such that  $U \in \eta(x_p)$ ,  $B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ .
- f) For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $A$  is not less than equal to  $B$ , there are  $U, V \in \psi(X)$  such that  $AqU, B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ .
- g) For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any  $U \in \psi(X)$  with  $AqU$ , there is a  $V \in \psi(X)$  such that  $AqV \leq clV \leq U$ .

**Proof.**

**(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b):** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point in  $X$  and  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ . Then  $B^c \in \eta(x_p)$  and  $B^c \in \psi(X)$ . Since  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular, there is a  $V \in \psi(X)$  and  $V \in \eta(x_p)$  such that  $clV \leq B^c$ . Put  $U = (clV)^c$ . Then  $U \in \psi(x)$  and  $intclV \in \eta(x_p)$ . Hence  $x_p \notin (intclV)^c = cl(clV)^c = clU$  and  $B \leq (clV)^c = U$ . **(b)  $\Rightarrow$  (c):** For any fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and any  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , by (b) there is a  $U \in \psi(X)$  such that  $x_p \notin clU$  and  $B \leq U$ . Hence  $(clU)^c \in \eta(x_p)$  and  $(clU)^c \not\leq U$ , where  $(clU)^c \in \psi(X)$ . Put  $(clU)^c = V$ , we obtain  $U \not\leq V$ . Thus (c) is obtained.

**(c)  $\Rightarrow$  (d):** Let  $A$  be a fuzzy set and  $B \in \psi(X)$  with  $A$  is not less than equal to  $B$ . Then there is at least one fuzzy point  $x_p \in A$  such that  $x_p \notin B$ . By (c), there are  $U, V \in \psi(X)$  such that  $U \in \eta(x_p)$ ,  $B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ . Since  $x_p \in A$ , we have  $AqU$ .

**(d)  $\Rightarrow$  (e):** For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any  $U \in \psi(X)$ ,  $AqU$  implies that  $A \not\leq U^c$ , where  $U^c \in \psi(X)$ . By (d), there are  $V, W \in \psi(X)$  such that  $AqV, U^c \leq W$  and  $V \not\leq W$ . Then by Lemma 6.2., we get  $clV \not\leq W$ . Hence  $AqV \leq clV \leq W^c \leq U$ .

**(e)  $\Rightarrow$  (a):** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point in  $X$ . By (e), for any fuzzy set  $A$  and any  $U \in \psi(X)$  with  $AqU$ , there is a  $V \in \psi(X)$  such that  $AqV \leq clV \leq U$  which implies that  $X$  is fuzzy  $\delta$ -semi preregular.

**Fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - preregular space**

In this section, the concept of fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - preregular space is to be introduced and studied with the help of fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - preopen set and fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - pre  $q$  - nbd. The family of fuzzy semi -  $\delta$  preopen (respectively semi -  $\delta$  preclosed) sets of a fts  $X$  will be denoted by  $s\delta po(X)$  (respectively  $s\delta pc(X)$ ) and the set of all fuzzy semi -  $\delta$  - preneighbourhoods (respectively semi -  $\delta$  pre  $q$  - neighbourhoods) of  $x_p$  will be denoted by  $PN(x_p)$  (respectively  $PNq(x_p)$ ).

**Definition 7.1.** A fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - pre regular if and only if for each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $(X, \tau)$  and each fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  with  $U \in PNq(x_p)$ , there is a fuzzy set  $V \in s\delta po(X)$  and  $V \in PNq(x_p)$  such that  $cl(V) \leq U$ .

**Lemma 7.2.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a fuzzy topological space and two fuzzy sets  $U, V \in s\delta po(X)$ . If  $U \not\leq V$ , then  $cl(U) \not\leq V$ .

**Proof :** Let  $U \not\leq V$ . Then  $U \leq V^c$ . Since  $V^c \in s\delta pc(X)$ ,  $cl(U) \leq V^c$ . It implies that  $cl(U) \not\leq V$ .

**Theorem 7.3.** For a fuzzy topological space  $(X, \tau)$ , the following conditions are equivalent:

- a)  $X$  is fuzzy semi  $\delta$  - preregular.
- b) For each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and each fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , there is a fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $x_p \notin cl(U)$  and  $B \leq U$ .
- c) For each fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and each fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , there exist fuzzy sets  $U, V \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $U \in PNq(x_p)$ ,  $B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ .
- d) For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $A \not\leq B$ , there are fuzzy sets  $U, V \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $AqU, B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ .
- e) For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  with  $AqU$ , there is a fuzzy set  $V \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $AqV \leq cl(V) \leq U$ .

**Proof:**

**(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point in  $X$  and a fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ . Then  $B^c \in PNq(x_p)$  and  $B^c \in s\delta po(X)$ .

Since  $X$  is fuzzy semi  $\delta$ -preregular, there is a fuzzy set  $V \in s\delta po(X)$  and  $V \in PNq(x_p)$  such that  $cl(V) \leq B^c$ . Put  $U = (cl(V))^c$ . Then a fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  and  $intcl(V) \in PNq(x_p)$ . Hence  $x_p \notin (intcl(V))^c = cl(cl(V))^c = cl(U)$  and  $B \leq (cl(V))^c = U$ .

**(b)  $\Rightarrow$  (c) :** For any fuzzy point  $x_p$  in  $X$  and any fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $x_p \notin B$ , by (b) there is a fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $x_p \notin cl(U)$  and  $B \leq U$ . Hence  $(cl(U))^c \in PNq(x_p)$  and  $(cl(U))^c \not\leq U$ , where  $(cl(U))^c \in s\delta po(X)$ . Put  $(cl(U))^c = V$ , we obtain  $U \not\leq V$ . Thus (c) is obtained.

**(c)  $\Rightarrow$  (d) :** Let  $A$  be a fuzzy set and a fuzzy set  $B \in s\delta pc(X)$  with  $A \not\leq B$ . Then there is at least one fuzzy point  $x_p \in A$  such that  $x_p \notin B$ . By (c), there are fuzzy sets  $U, V \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $U \in PNq(x_p)$ ,  $B \leq V$  and  $U \not\leq V$ . Since  $x_p \in A$ , we have  $A q U$ .

**(d)  $\Rightarrow$  (e) :** For any fuzzy set  $A$  and any fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$ ,  $A q U$  implies that  $A \not\leq U^c$ , where  $U^c \in s\delta pc(X)$ . By (d), there are two fuzzy sets  $V, W \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $A q V$ ,  $U^c \leq W$  and  $V \not\leq W$ . Then by lemma 7.2., we get  $cl(V) \not\leq W$ . Hence  $A q V \leq cl(V) \leq W^c \leq U$ .

**(e)  $\Rightarrow$  (a) :** Let  $x_p$  be a fuzzy point in  $X$ . By (e), for any fuzzy set  $A$  and any fuzzy set  $U \in s\delta po(X)$  with  $A q U$ , there is a fuzzy set  $V \in s\delta po(X)$  such that  $A q V \leq cl(V) \leq U$  which implies that  $X$  is fuzzy semi  $\delta$ -preregular.

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