

# Some Aspects Of 2-Fuzzy 2-Inner Product Spaces

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**Abstract**— In this paper the concept of 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space is introduced and also the crisp norm  $\alpha$ -2-norm corresponding to this inner product space is developed. Further parallelogram law and polarization identity in 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space are proved.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

In 1965, Zadeh [18] introduced the idea of fuzzy sets, kicking off a new revolutionary field in mathematics. Gahler [9] presented the principle of the 2-norm on a linear space. Katsaras [10] introduced the concept of a fuzzy norm on a linear space in 1984. Chen & Mordeson [2], Bag & Samanta [1], and others have provided several definitions of fuzzy normed spaces. In defining 2-fuzzy normed linear space, Somasundaram & Thangaraj Beaula [15] established the notion of fuzzy 2-normed linear space  $(F(X), N)$ , and Thangaraj Beaula & Gifita [17] proved some standard results.

C.R. Diminnie, S. Gahler, and A. White [4] introduced the idea of 2-inner product space. Further definitions of fuzzy inner product space [5, 11, 12] and fuzzy normed linear space [6, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14] were given by various writers. In [16], Vijayabalaji & Thilaingovindan proposed fuzzy n-inner product space as a generalization of the n-inner product space principle proposed by Y. J. Cho, M. Matic, and J. Pecaric in [3].

The definition of a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space is introduced in this paper, as well as the crisp norm  $\alpha$ -2-norm corresponding to this inner product space. In 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space, the parallelogram law and polarisation identity are also demonstrated.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

### Definition 2.1

A fuzzy set is defined as  $A = \{x, \mu_A(x) : x \in X\}$ , with a membership function  $\mu_A(x) : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ , where  $\mu_A(x)$  denotes the degree of membership of the element  $x$  to the set  $A$ .

**Definition 2.2**

Let  $X$  be a non empty and  $F(X)$  be the set of all fuzzy sets in  $X$ . If  $f \in F(X)$  then  $f = \{(x, \mu) / x \in X \text{ and } \mu \in (0,1)\}$ . Clearly  $f$  is bounded function for  $|f(x)| \leq 1$ . Let  $K$  be the space of real numbers then  $F(X)$  is a linear space over the field  $K$  where the addition and scalar multiplication are defined by

$$f + g = \{(x, \mu) + (y, \eta)\} = \{(x + y), (\mu, \eta) / (x, \mu) \in f \text{ and } (y, \eta) \in g\}$$

$$\text{and } kf = \{(kf, \mu) / (x, \mu) \in f\}$$

where  $k \in K$ .

The linear space  $F(X)$  is said to be normed space if for every  $f \in F(X)$  there is associated a non-negative real number  $\|f\|$  called the norm of  $f$  in such a way,

(1)  $\|f\| = 0$  if and only if  $f = 0$ .

For,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f\| = 0 &\Leftrightarrow \{\|(x, \mu)\| / (x, \mu) \in f\} = 0 \\ &\Leftrightarrow x = 0, \mu \in (0,1] \Leftrightarrow f = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(2)  $\|kf\| = |k|\|f\|$ ,  $k \in K$ .

For,

$$\begin{aligned} \|kf\| &= \{\|k(x, \mu)\| / (x, \mu) \in f, k \in K\} \\ &= \{|k|\|(x, \mu)\| / (x, \mu) \in f\} = |k|\|f\| \end{aligned}$$

(3)  $\|f + g\| < \|f\| + \|g\|$  for every  $f, g \in F(X)$ .

For,

$$\begin{aligned} \|f + g\| &= \{\|(x, \mu) + (y, \eta)\| / x, y \in X, \mu, \eta \in (0,1]\} \\ &= \{\|(x + y), (\mu \wedge \eta)\| / x, y \in X, \mu, \eta \in (0,1]\} \\ &\leq \{\|(x, \mu \wedge \eta)\| + \|(y, \mu \wedge \eta)\| / (x, \mu) \in f \text{ and } (y, \eta) \in g\} \\ &= \|f\| + \|g\| \end{aligned}$$

Then  $(F(X), \|\cdot\|)$  is a normed linear space.

**Definition 2.3**

A 2-fuzzy set on  $X$  is a fuzzy set on  $F(X)$ .

**Definition 2.4**

Let  $F(X)$  be a linear space over the real field  $K$ . A fuzzy subset  $N$  of  $F(X) \times F(X) \times R$  (the set of real numbers) is called a 2-fuzzy 2-norm on  $X$  (or fuzzy 2-norm on  $F(X)$ ) if and only if,

(N1) for all  $t \in R$  with  $t \leq 0$ ,  $N(f_1, f_2, t) = 0$ .

(N2) for all  $t \in R$  with  $t \geq 0$ ,  $N(f_1, f_2, t) = 1$  if and only if  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are linearly dependent.

(N3)  $N(f_1, f_2, t)$  is invariant under any permutation of  $f_1, f_2$ .

(N4) for all  $t \in R$ , with  $t \geq 0$ ,  $N(f_1, cf_2, t) = N(f_1, f_2, t/|c|)$  if  $c \neq 0, c \in K$  (field).

(N5) for all  $s, t \in R$ ,  $N(f_1, f_2 + f_3, s + t) \geq \min \{N(f_1, f_2, s), N(f_1, f_3, t)\}$ .

(N6)  $N(f_1, f_2, \cdot): (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is continuous.

(N7)  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} N(f_1, f_2, t) = 1$ .

Then  $(F(X), N)$  is a fuzzy 2-normed linear space or  $(X, N)$  is a 2-fuzzy 2-normed linear space.

**Definition 2.5**

A sequence  $\{f_n\}$  in a 2-fuzzy normed linear space  $(F(X), N)$  is said to be a convergent sequence if for a given  $t > 0$  and  $0 < r < 1$  there exist a positive number  $n_0 \in N$  such that  $N(f_n - f, g, t) > 1 - r$  for  $g \in F(X)$  and for every  $n \geq n_0$ .

**Definition 2.6**

A sequence  $\{f_n\}$  is said to be a Cauchy sequence in a 2-fuzzy normed linear space  $F(X)$  if for a given  $r > 0$  with  $0 < r < 1, t > 0$  there exist a positive number  $n_0$  such that  $N(f_n - f_m, g, t) > 1 - r$  for  $g \in F(X)$  and for every  $n, m \geq n_0$ .

**Definition 2.7**

A 2-fuzzy 2-normed linear space  $(X, N)$  is said to be complete if every Cauchy sequence in  $X$  converge to some point in  $X$ .

**3. 2-FUZZY 2-INNER PRODUCT SPACE**

**Definition 3.1**

Let  $F(X)$  be a linear space over the complex field  $\mathbb{C}$ . Define a fuzzy subset  $\mu$  as a mapping from  $F(X) \times F(X) \times F(X) \times \mathbb{C} \rightarrow [0,1]$  such that  $f_1 \in F(X)$  and  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{C}$  satisfying the following conditions

(I<sub>1</sub>) For  $f, g, h \in F(X)$  and  $s, t \in \mathbb{C}$   
 $\mu(f + g, h, f_1, |t| + |s|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, h, f_1, |t|), \mu(g, h, f_1, |s|)\}$ .

(I<sub>2</sub>) For  $s, t \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mu(f, g, h, |st|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\}$ .

(I<sub>3</sub>) For  $t \in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mu(f, g, h, |t|) = \mu(g, f, h, |t|)$ .

(I<sub>4</sub>) For  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\alpha_1 \neq 0, \alpha_2 \neq 0$ ,

$$\mu(\alpha_1 f, \alpha_2 g, h, t) = \mu\left(f, g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha_1 \alpha_2|}\right).$$

(I<sub>5</sub>)  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 0 \forall t \in \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}^+$

$\mu(f, f, h, t) = 1 \forall t > 0$  if and only if  $f, h$  are linearly dependent.

(I<sub>6</sub>)  $\mu(f, g, h, t)$  is invariant under any permutation.

$$(I_7) \forall t > 0, \quad \mu(f, f, h, t) = \mu(g, g, h, t)$$

(I<sub>8</sub>)  $\mu(f, g, h, t)$  is monotonic non-decreasing function of  $\mathbb{C}$  and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mu(f, g, h, t) = 1$ .

Then  $\mu$  is said to be the 2-fuzzy 2-inner product on  $F(X)$  and the pair  $(F(X), \mu)$  is called 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space.

**Example 3.2**

Consider the mapping  $f: S^2 \rightarrow [0,1]$  where  $S^2$  is an 2-dimensional unit sphere defined as  $f(x_1, x_2) = |1 - (x_1^2 + x_2^2)|$  define an 2-dimensional inner product as

$$\langle f, g, h \rangle = \det(A), \text{ where } A = \begin{bmatrix} f \cdot g & f \cdot h \\ h \cdot g & h \cdot h \end{bmatrix}$$

Where  $f \cdot g$  represents the usual inner product between two functions with

$$f \cdot g = \int f(x)g(x)dx,$$

where  $x = (x_1, x_2)$

Then  $(F(X), \langle \cdot, \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$  is an 2-inner product space.

By considering

$$\mu(f, g, h, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{t}{t + \langle f, g, h \rangle} & \text{when } t > 0 \\ 0 & \text{when } t \in \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}^+ \end{cases}$$

The space  $(F(X), \mu)$  is a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space

*Proof :*

(I<sub>1</sub>) For  $f, g, h \in F(X)$  and  $s, t \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\mu(f + g, h, f_1, |t| + |s|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, h, f_1, |t|), \mu(g, h, f_1, |s|)\}$$

If

(a)  $s + t < 0$ ,

(b)  $s = t = 0; s > 0, t < 0$  (or)  $s < 0, t > 0$ ,

(c)  $s + t > 0; s, t \geq 0$

The proof is obvious.

Consider

(d)  $s > 0, t > 0, s + t > 0$

Without loss of generality assume

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(f, h, f_1, |t|) &\geq \mu(g, h, f_1, |s|) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle} &\leq \frac{s}{s + \langle g, h, f_1 \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle} &\geq \frac{s}{s + \langle g, h, f_1 \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{\langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq 1 + \frac{\langle g, h, f_1 \rangle}{s} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{\langle g, h, f_1 \rangle}{s} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{s \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq \langle g, h, f_1 \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle + \frac{s \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle + \langle g, h, f_1 \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \left(1 + \frac{s}{t}\right) \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle &\geq \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle + \langle g, h, f_1 \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \left(\frac{s+t}{t}\right) \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle &\geq \langle f, g, h, f_1 \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{\langle f, g, h, f_1 \rangle}{s+t} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{\langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq 1 + \frac{\langle f, g, h, f_1 \rangle}{s+t} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t + \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{s+t + \langle f, g, h, f_1 \rangle}{s+t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, h, f_1 \rangle} \leq \frac{s+t}{s+t + \langle f, g, h, f_1 \rangle}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu(f + g, h, f_1, |t| + |s|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, h, f_1, |t|), \mu(g, h, f_1, |s|)\}$$

(I<sub>2</sub>) For  $s, t \in \mathbb{C}$ ,

$$\mu(f, g, h, |st|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\}$$

Without loss of generality  $\mu(f, f, h, |t|), \mu(g, g, h, |s|)$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle} &\leq \frac{s}{s + \langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle} &\geq \frac{s}{s + \langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{\langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq 1 + \frac{\langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle}{s} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{\langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle}{s} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{s \langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq \langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle \\ \Rightarrow \frac{s \langle f, f, h \rangle \cdot \langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq \langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle \cdot \langle f, f, h \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Using,

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle f, g, h \rangle| &\leq \sqrt{\langle f, f, h \rangle} \cdot \sqrt{\langle g, g, h \rangle} \\ |(\langle f, f, h \rangle^2) s/t| &\geq \langle f, f, h \rangle^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f, f, h \rangle^2 s/t &\geq \frac{\langle f, g, h \rangle^2}{t} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{\langle f, f, h \rangle^2 s}{t^2} &\geq \frac{\langle f, g, h \rangle^2}{st} \end{aligned}$$

Taking square root on both sides

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{\langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{\langle f, g, f_1, h \rangle}{\sqrt{st}} \\ \Rightarrow 1 + \frac{\langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq 1 + \frac{\langle f, g, f_1, h \rangle}{\sqrt{st}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle}{t} &\geq \frac{\sqrt{st} + \langle f, g, f_1, h \rangle}{\sqrt{st}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle} &\geq \frac{\sqrt{st}}{\sqrt{st} + \langle f, g, f_1, h \rangle} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu(f, g, h, |st|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\}$$

(I<sub>3</sub>) For  $\in \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mu(f, g, h, |t|) = \mu(g, f, h, |t|)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(f, g, h, |t|) &= \frac{t}{t + \langle f, g, h \rangle} \\ &= \frac{t}{t + \langle g, f, h \rangle} \\ &= \mu(g, f, h, |t|) \end{aligned}$$

(I<sub>4</sub>) For  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\alpha_1 \neq 0, \alpha_2 \neq 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(\alpha_1 f, \alpha_2 g, h, t) &= \mu\left(f, g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha_1 \alpha_2|}\right) \\ \mu(\alpha_1 f, \alpha_2 g, h, t) &= \frac{t}{t + \langle \alpha_1 f, \alpha_2 g, h \rangle} \\ &= \frac{t}{t + |\alpha_1 \cdot \alpha_2| \langle f, g, h \rangle} \\ &= \frac{t/|\alpha_1 \cdot \alpha_2|}{t/|\alpha_1 \cdot \alpha_2| + \langle f, g, h \rangle} \\ &= \mu\left(f, f, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha_1 \alpha_2|}\right) \end{aligned}$$

(I<sub>5</sub>)  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 0 \forall t \in \mathbb{C}/R^+$

$\mu(f, f, h, t) = 1 \forall t > 0$  if and only if  $f, h$  are linearly dependent.

When  $t \in \mathbb{C}/R^+$  by definition  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 0$

When  $t > 0$ ,  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Leftrightarrow \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle} &= 1 \\ \Leftrightarrow \langle f, f, h \rangle &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\Leftrightarrow f, h$  are linearly dependent.

(I<sub>6</sub>)  $\mu(f, g, h, t)$  is invariant under any permutation.

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$$\begin{aligned} (I_7) \forall t > 0, \\ \mu(f, f, h, t) &= \mu(g, g, h, t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mu(f, f, h, t) &= \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle} \\ &= \frac{t}{t + \langle g, g, f_1, h \rangle} = 1 \\ &= \mu(g, g, h, t)\end{aligned}$$

(I<sub>8</sub>)  $\mu(f, g, h, t)$  is monotonic non-decreasing function of  $\mathbb{C}$  and  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mu(f, g, h, t) = 1$ .

If  $t_1 < t_2 \leq 0$ ,

$$\mu(f, g, h, t_1) = \mu(f, g, h, t_2) = 0$$

Assume  $t_2 > t_1 > t > 0$

$$\begin{aligned}&\frac{t_2}{t_2 + \langle f, g, h \rangle} - \frac{t_1}{t_1 + \langle f, g, h \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow &\frac{\langle f, g, h \rangle (t_2 - t_1)}{(t_2 + \langle f, g, h \rangle)(t_1 + \langle f, g, h \rangle)} \geq 0\end{aligned}$$

For all  $\langle f, g, h \rangle \in F(X)$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow &\frac{t_2}{t_2 + \langle f, g, h \rangle} \geq \frac{t_1}{t_1 + \langle f, g, h \rangle} \\ \Rightarrow &\mu(f, g, h, t_2) \geq \mu(f, g, h, t_1)\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\mu(f, g, h, t)$  is a non-decreasing function.

$$\text{Also } \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \mu(f, g, h, t) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{t}{t + \langle f, f, h \rangle}$$

Therefore,  $(F(X), \mu)$  is a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space.

*Definition 3.3*

Let  $(F(X), \mu)$  be a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product space satisfying the condition  $\mu(f, g, h, t^2) > 0$  when  $t > 0$  implies that  $f, g$  are linearly dependent. Then all  $\alpha \in (0, 1)$ . Define,  $\|f, h\|_\alpha = \inf\{t : \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\}$  a crisp norm on  $F(X)$  called the  $\alpha$ -2-norm on  $F(X)$  generated by  $\mu$ .

*Theorem 3.4*

Let  $\mu$  be a  $\alpha$ -fuzzy 2-inner product on  $F(X)$ . Then a fuzzy subset  $N$  defined as  $N: F(X) \times R \rightarrow [0, 1]$  given by

$$N(f, h, t) = \begin{cases} \mu(f, f, h, t^2) & \text{when } t \in R, t > 0 \\ 0 & \text{when } t \in R, t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

*Proof:*

(N<sub>1</sub>) From definition of  $\alpha$ -fuzzy 2-inner product space by condition (I<sub>5</sub>) it implies that  $\mu(f, f, h, t^2) = 0$  for all  $t \in \mathbb{C}/R^+$  and so  $N(f, h, t) = 0$  for all  $t \in R, t \leq 0$ .

(N<sub>2</sub>) From (I<sub>5</sub>) for all  $t > 0$ ,  $\mu(f, f, h, t^2) = 1$  if  $f, h$  are linearly dependent therefore it follows that  $N(f, h, t) = 1$  if  $f$  is linearly dependent

(N<sub>3</sub>)  $N(f, h, t)$  is invariant under any permutation of  $f$  since  $\mu$  is invariant under any permutation.

(N<sub>4</sub>) For all  $t > 0$  and  $c \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}N(cf, h, t) &= \mu(cf, cf, h, t^2) \\ &= \mu\left(f, cf, h, \frac{t^2}{|c|}\right) \\ &= \mu\left(f, f, h, \frac{t^2}{|c|}\right) \\ &= \mu\left(cf, h, \frac{t}{|c|}\right)\end{aligned}$$

(N<sub>5</sub>) To prove that

$$N(f + g, h, s + t) \geq \min\{N(f, h, s), N(g, h, t)\} \text{ for every } s, t \in R \text{ and } f, g \in F(X)$$

Following three cases arise

- I.  $s + t < 0$
- II.  $s = t = 0, s > 0, t < 0$  or  $s < 0, t > 0$
- III.  $s + t > 0, s, t \geq 0$

To prove (iii)

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} N(f + g, h, s + t) &= \mu(f + g, f + g, h, (s + t)^2) \\ &= \mu(f + g, f + g, h, s^2 + t^2 + 2st) \\ &\geq \mu(f, f, h, s^2) \wedge \mu(g, g, h, t^2) \wedge \mu(f, g, h, st) \\ &\geq \mu(f, f, h, s^2) \wedge \mu(g, g, h, t^2) \\ &= N(f, h, s) + N(g, h, t) \end{aligned}$$

The proof of (i) and (ii) follows in a similar way.

(I<sub>6</sub>) From (I<sub>8</sub>)  $\mu(f, f, h, t)$  is a monotonic non-decreasing function and it also tends to 1 as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ . Thus,  $N(f, h, t)$  is a monotonic non-decreasing function and it also tends to 1 as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

*Theorem 3.5 (Parallelogram Law)*

Let  $\mu$  be a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product on  $F(X)$ , for  $\alpha \in (0,1)$  then  $\alpha$ - fuzzy 2-norm induced by 2-fuzzy 2-inner product satisfies

$$\|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 = 2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2)$$

*Proof :*

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} &\|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 \\ &= \inf\{t^2: \mu(f - g, f - g, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{s^2: \mu(f + g, f + g, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ &= \inf\{t^2 + s^2: \mu(f - g, f - g, h, t^2) \geq \alpha, \mu(f + g, f + g, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\} \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Also,

$$2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2) = 2\{\inf\{p^2: \mu(f, f, h, p^2) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{q^2: \mu(g, g, h, q^2) \geq \alpha\}\}$$

$$= 2\{p^2 + q^2: \mu(f, f, h, p^2) \geq \alpha, \mu(g, g, h, q^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

Now (1) becomes,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \mu(f - g, f - g, h, \sqrt{2}p^2) \wedge \mu(f + g, f + g, h, \sqrt{2}q^2) \\ &\geq \mu(f, f, h, p^2) \wedge \mu(g, g, h, q^2) \\ \therefore \|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 &\leq 2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2) \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} &2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2) = \\ &2\left\{\left\|\frac{(f+g,h)+(f-g,h)}{2}\right\|_{\alpha}^2 + \left\|\frac{(g+f,h)+(g-f,h)}{2}\right\|_{\alpha}^2\right\} \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2}\{\|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g + f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g - f, h\|_{\alpha}^2\} \\ &\leq \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 \\ \therefore 2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2) &\leq \|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

From (2) and (3),

$$\|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 = 2(\|f, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + \|g, h\|_{\alpha}^2)$$

*Theorem 3.6 (Polarization Identity)*

If  $f, g$  and  $h$  are elements in  $F(X)$ . Then

$$4 \inf\{st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} = \{\|f + g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 - \|f - g, h\|_{\alpha}^2 + i\|f + ig, h\|_{\alpha}^2 - i\|f - ig, h\|_{\alpha}^2\}$$

*Proof:*

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} & \{\|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 - \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i\|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i\|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2\} \\ &= \inf\{t_1^2: \mu(f + g, f + g, h, t_1^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & - \inf\{t_2^2: \mu(f - g, f - g, h, t_2^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & + i \inf\{t_3^2: \mu(f + ig, f + ig, h, t_3^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & - i \inf\{t_4^2: \mu(f - ig, f - ig, h, t_4^2) \geq \alpha\} \end{aligned}$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned} t_1^2 &= t_1'^2 + t_1''t_1''' + t_1'''t_1'' + t_1^{IV}2 \\ t_2^2 &= t_2'^2 + t_2''t_2''' + t_2'''t_2'' + t_2^{IV}2 \\ t_3^2 &= t_3'^2 + t_3''t_3''' + t_3'''t_3'' + t_3^{IV}2 \\ t_4^2 &= t_4'^2 + t_4''t_4''' + t_4'''t_4'' + t_4^{IV}2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \inf\{t_1'^2: \mu(f, f, h, t_1'^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & + \inf\{t_1''t_1''': \mu(f, g, h, t_1''t_1''') \geq \alpha\} \\ & + \inf\{t_1'''t_1'': \mu(g, f, h, t_1'''t_1'') \geq \alpha\} \\ & + \inf\{t_1^{IV}2: \mu(g, g, h, t_1^{IV}2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & - \inf\{t_2'^2: \mu(f, f, h, t_2'^2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & + \inf\{t_2''t_2''': \mu(f, g, h, t_2''t_2''') \geq \alpha\} \\ & + \inf\{t_2'''t_2'': \mu(g, f, h, t_2'''t_2''') \geq \alpha\} \\ & - \inf\{t_2^{IV}2: \mu(g, g, h, t_2^{IV}2) \geq \alpha\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_3'^2: \mu(f, f, h, t_3'^2) \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_3''t_3''': \mu(f, ig, h, t_3''t_3''') \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_3'''t_3'': \mu(ig, f, h, t_3'''t_3'') \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_3^{IV}2: \mu(ig, ig, h, t_3^{IV}2) \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & - i\{\inf\{t_4'^2: \mu(f, f, h, t_4'^2) \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_4''t_4''': \mu(f, ig, h, t_4''t_4''') \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{t_4'''t_4'': \mu(ig, f, h, t_4'''t_4'') \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & - i\{\inf\{t_4^{IV}2: \mu(ig, ig, h, t_4^{IV}2) \geq \alpha\}\} \end{aligned}$$

Here,

$$\begin{aligned} t_1'^2 &= t_2'^2 = t_3'^2 = t_4'^2 = t^2 \\ t_1''t_1''' &= t_2''t_2''' = t_3''t_3''' = t_4''t_4''' = st \\ t_1'''t_1'' &= t_2'''t_2'' = t_3'''t_3'' = t_4'''t_4'' = ts \\ t_1^{IV}2 &= t_2^{IV}2 = t_3^{IV}2 = t_4^{IV}2 = s^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \inf\{st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{ts: \mu(g, f, h, ts) \geq \alpha\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{st: \mu(f, ig, h, st) \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & + i\{\inf\{ts: \mu(ig, f, h, ts) \geq \alpha\}\} \\ & = \inf\{4st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} \\ & = 4 \inf\{st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} \\ & \therefore 4 \inf\{st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} \\ & = \{\|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 - \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i\|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i\|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2\} \end{aligned}$$

*Theorem 3.7*

$$\text{If } \inf\{st: \mu(f, g, h, st) \geq \alpha\} = \frac{1}{4} \{\|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i\|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 + i\|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2\}$$

then  $\mu$  is a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product on  $F(X)$ .



*Proof:*

$$(i) \quad \mu(f + g, h, |t| + |s|) = \mu((f + g), h, |t| + |s|) \\ \geq \min\{\mu(f, h, |t|), \mu(g, h, |s|)\} \\ \mu(f + g, h, |t| + |s|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, h, |t|), \mu(g, h, |s|)\}$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{To prove } \mu(f, g, h, |st|) \geq \\ \min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\}$$

$$\mu(f, g, h, |st|) = \frac{1}{4} \{ \|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2 \} \quad (4)$$

Consider

$$\min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\} \\ = \min \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \{ \|f + f, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|f - f, h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|f + if, h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|f - if, h\|_\alpha^2 \}, \frac{1}{4} \{ \|g + g, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|g - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|g + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|g - ig, h\|_\alpha^2 \} \right\}$$

$$= \min \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu(f + f, f + f, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(f + if, f + if, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(f - if, f - if, h, t) \geq \alpha\} \} + \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu(g + g, g + g, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(g + ig, g + ig, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(g - ig, g - ig, h, t) \geq \alpha\} \} \right\} \\ = \min \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu(f + f, f + f, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(f + f, f + f, h, t) \geq \alpha\} \} + \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu(g + g, g + g, h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(g + g, g + g, h, t) \geq \alpha\} \} \right\} \\ = 2 \|f, h\|_\alpha^2 + 2 \|g, h\|_\alpha^2 \quad (5)$$

From (4) and (5),

$$\mu(f, g, h, |st|) \geq \min\{\mu(f, f, h, |s|^2), \mu(g, g, h, |t|^2)\}$$

$$(i) \quad \mu(f, g, h, |t|) = \frac{1}{4} \{ \|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2 \} \\ = \frac{1}{4} \{ \|g + f, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|g - f, h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|g + if, h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|g - if, h\|_\alpha^2 \} \\ = \mu(g, f, h, |t|)$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{To prove } \mu(\alpha f, \alpha g, h, |t|) = \mu \left( f, g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right)$$

$$\mu(\alpha f, \alpha g, h, |t|) = \frac{1}{4} \{ \|\alpha(f + g), h\|_\alpha^2 + \|\alpha(f - g), h\|_\alpha^2 + i \|\alpha(f + ig), h\|_\alpha^2 - i \|\alpha(f - ig), h\|_\alpha^2 \} \\ = \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu(\alpha(f + g), \alpha(f + g), h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(\alpha(f - g), \alpha(f - g), h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(\alpha(f + ig), \alpha(f + ig), h, t) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu(\alpha(f - ig), \alpha(f - ig), h, t) \geq \alpha\} \} \\ = \frac{1}{4} \{ \inf\{t \in R: \mu \left( f + g, f + g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{t \in R: \mu \left( f - g, f - g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right) \geq \alpha\} \}$$

$$+ \inf \left\{ t \in R : \mu \left( f + ig, f + ig, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right) \geq \alpha \right\}$$

$$+ \inf \left\{ t \in R : \mu \left( f - ig, f - ig, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right) \geq \alpha \right\}$$

So that  $\mu(\alpha f, \alpha g, h, |t|) = \mu \left( f, g, h, \frac{t}{|\alpha|^2} \right)$

(iii)  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 0$  for all  $t \in \mathbb{C}/R^+$

(iv)  $\mu(f, f, h, t) = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \|f + g, h\|_\alpha^2 + \|f - g, h\|_\alpha^2 + i\|f + ig, h\|_\alpha^2 - i\|f - ig, h\|_\alpha^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \|f, f, h\|_\alpha^2 = 0$$

(i, e)  $f, g, h$  are linearly dependent.

(v)  $\mu(f, f, h, t): R \rightarrow I (= [0,1])$  is a monotonic non-decreasing function of  $R$  and  $\lim \mu(f, f, h, t) = 1$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\mu$  satisfies all the requirements and hence  $\mu$  is a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product on  $F(X)$ .

**Theorem 3.8**

Let  $(F(X), \mu)$  be a 2-fuzzy 2-inner product satisfying the condition that,  $\mu(f, f, h, t^2) > 0$  when  $t > 0$  implies  $f = 0$ . Then for all  $\alpha \in (0,1]$ ,  $\|f, h\|_\alpha = \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\}$  is an ascending family of real numbers, the 2-norm on  $F(X)$ . These 2-norm are called the  $\alpha$ -2-norms on  $F(X)$  corresponding to 2-fuzzy 2-inner products.

*Proof:*

(i)  $\|f, h\|_\alpha = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{for all } t \in R, \text{ with } t > 0, \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f = 0$$

Conversely assume that  $f, h$  are linearly dependent then

$$\mu(f, f, h, t^2) = 1 \text{ for all } t > 0$$

implies that for all  $\alpha \in (0,1)$ ,  $\inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\} = 0$ .

Therefore,  $\|f, h\|_\alpha = 0$

(ii) As  $\mu(f, f, h, t^2)$  is invariant under any permutation it follows that  $\|f, h\|_\alpha$  is invariant under any permutation.

(iii) For all  $\alpha$  and  $0 \leq p < 1$ ,

$$\|cf, h\|_\alpha = \inf\{t: \mu(cf, cf, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$= \inf\left\{t: \mu\left(f, f, h, \frac{t^2}{\|c\|^2}\right) \geq \alpha\right\}$$

Let  $s = \frac{t}{\|c\|}$  then

$$\|cf, h\|_\alpha = \inf\{t|c|: \mu(cf, cf, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$= |c| \inf\{t: \mu(cf, cf, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$= |c| \|f, h\|_\alpha$$

(iv)  $\|f, h\|_\alpha + \|g, h\|_\alpha = \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha\} + \inf\{s: \mu(g, g, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\}$

$$= \inf\{t + s: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha, \mu(g, g, h, s^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$= \inf\{t + s: \mu(f + g, f + g, h, t^2 + s^2) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$= \|f + g, h\|_\alpha$$

Hence  $\|f + g, h\|_\alpha \leq \|f, h\|_\alpha + \|g, h\|_\alpha$

Thus  $\{\|\cdot, \cdot\|_\alpha, \alpha \in (0,1)\}$  is a  $\alpha$ -2-norm on  $F(X)$ .

Let  $0 < \alpha_1 < \alpha_2 < 1$ , then

$$\|f, h\|_{\alpha_1} = \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_1\}$$

$$\|f, h\|_{\alpha_2} = \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_2\}$$

As  $\alpha_1 < \alpha_2$ ,  
 $\inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_1\} \supset \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_2\}$   
 $\Rightarrow \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_2\} \geq \inf\{t: \mu(f, f, h, t^2) \geq \alpha_1\}$   
 $\Rightarrow \|f, h\|_{\alpha_2} \geq \|f, h\|_{\alpha_1}$

Therefore  $\{\|\cdot, \cdot\|_{\alpha}, \alpha \in (0,1)\}$  is an ascending family of  $\alpha$ - 2- norms on  $F(X)$ .

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