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# SOME OPERATIONS OF FUZZY SETS IN UP-ALGEBRAS WITH RESPECT TO A TRIANGULAR NORM

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ABSTRACT. This paper aim is to apply the notions of the intersection and the union of any fuzzy set to UP-algebras. We investigate properties of the intersection and the union of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, T-fuzzy near UP-filters, T-fuzzy UP-filters, T-fuzzy UPideals, T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals, anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, and anti-T-fuzzy near UP-filters of UP-algebras.

### 1. INTRODUCTION AND PRELIMINARIES

The branch of the logical algebra, a UP-algebra was introduced by Iampan [4] in 2017, and it is known that the class of KU-algebras [10] is a proper subclass of the class of UP-algebras. It have been examined by several researchers, for example, Somjanta et al. [16] introduced the notion of fuzzy sets in UP-algebras, the notion of intuitionistic fuzzy sets in UP-algebras was introduced by Kesorn et al. [7], Kaijae et al. [6] introduced the notions of anti-fuzzy UP-ideals and anti-fuzzy UP-subalgebras of UP-algebras, the notion of Q-fuzzy sets in UP-algebras was introduced by Tanamoon et al. [19], Sripaeng et al. [18] introduced the notion anti-Q-fuzzy UP-ideals and anti Q-fuzzy UP-subalgebras of UP-algebras, the notion of  $\mathcal{N}$ -fuzzy sets in UP-algebras was introduced by Songsaeng and Iampan [17], Senapati et al. [14, 15] applied cubic set and interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy structure in UP-algebras, Romano [11] introduced the notion of proper UP-filters in UP-algebras, etc.

In this paper, we apply the notions of the intersection and the union of any fuzzy set to UP-algebras. We investigate properties of the intersection and the union of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, T-fuzzy near UP-filters, T-fuzzy UP-filters, T-fuzzy UP-ideals, T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals, anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, and anti-T-fuzzy near UP-filters of UP-algebras.

Before we begin our study, we will introduce the definition of a UP-algebra.

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**Definition 1.1.** [4] An algebra  $X = (X, \cdot, 0)$  of type (2, 0) is called a *UP-algebra* where X is a nonempty set,  $\cdot$  is a binary operation on X, and 0 is a fixed element of X (i.e., a nullary operation) if it satisfies the following axioms:

(UP-1):  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)((y \cdot z) \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot (x \cdot z)) = 0)$ , (UP-2):  $(\forall x \in X)(0 \cdot x = x)$ , (UP-3):  $(\forall x \in X)(x \cdot 0 = 0)$ , and (UP-4):  $(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot y = 0, y \cdot x = 0 \Rightarrow x = y)$ .

From [4], we know that the notion of UP-algebras is a generalization of KU-algebras (see [10]).

**Example 1.2.** [13] Let X be a universal set and let  $\Omega \in \mathcal{P}(X)$  where  $\mathcal{P}(X)$  means the power set of X. Let  $\mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(X) = \{A \in \mathcal{P}(X) \mid \Omega \subseteq A\}$ . Define a binary operation  $\cdot$  on  $\mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(X)$  by putting  $A \cdot B = B \cap (A^C \cup \Omega)$  for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(X)$  where  $A^C$  means the complement of a subset A. Then  $(\mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(X), \cdot, \Omega)$  is a UP-algebra and we shall call it the *generalized power UP-algebra of type 1 with respect to*  $\Omega$ . Let  $\mathcal{P}^{\Omega}(X) = \{A \in \mathcal{P}(X) \mid A \subseteq \Omega\}$ . Define a binary operation \* on  $\mathcal{P}^{\Omega}(X)$  by putting  $A * B = B \cup (A^C \cap \Omega)$  for all  $A, B \in \mathcal{P}^{\Omega}(X)$ . Then  $(\mathcal{P}^{\Omega}(X), *, \Omega)$  is a UP-algebra and we shall call it the *generalized power UP-algebra of type 2 with respect to*  $\Omega$ . In particular,  $(\mathcal{P}(X), \cdot, \emptyset)$  is a UP-algebra and we shall call it the *power UP-algebra of type 1*, and  $(\mathcal{P}(X), *, X)$  is a UP-algebra and we shall call it the *power UP-algebra of type 2*.

**Example 1.3.** [3] Let  $\mathbb{N}$  be the set of all natural numbers with two binary operations  $\circ$  and  $\bullet$  defined by

$$(\forall x, y \in \mathbb{N}) \left( x \circ y = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} y & \text{if } x < y, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{array} \right) \right.$$

and

$$(\forall x, y \in \mathbb{N}) \left( x \bullet y = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } x > y \text{ or } x = 0, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \right).$$

Then  $(\mathbb{N}, \circ, 0)$  and  $(\mathbb{N}, \bullet, 0)$  are UP-algebras.

**Example 1.4.** [17] Let  $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$  be a set with a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

•	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	0	0	2	3	2	3	6
2	0	1	0	3	1	5	3
3	0	1	2	0	4	1	2
4	0	0	0	3	0	3	3
5	0	0	2	0	2	0	2
6	0	1	0	0	1	1	0

Then  $(A, \cdot, 0)$  is a UP-algebra.

For more examples of UP-algebras, see [1, 5, 12, 13].

In a UP-algebra  $X = (X, \cdot, 0)$ , the following assertions are valid (see [4, 5]).

$$(\forall x \in X)(x \cdot x = 0), \tag{1.1}$$
  
$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(x \cdot y = 0, y \cdot z = 0 \Rightarrow x \cdot z = 0), \tag{1.2}$$

$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(x \cdot y = 0 \Rightarrow (z \cdot x) \cdot (z \cdot y) = 0), \tag{1.3}$$

$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(x \cdot y = 0 \Rightarrow (y \cdot z) \cdot (x \cdot z) = 0), \tag{1.4}$$

$$(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot (y \cdot x) = 0), \tag{1.5}$$

$$(\forall x, y \in X)((y \cdot x) \cdot x = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = y \cdot x), \tag{1.6}$$

$$(\forall x, y \in X)(x \cdot (y \cdot y) = 0), \tag{1.7}$$

$$(\forall a, x, y, z \in X)((x \cdot (y \cdot z)) \cdot (x \cdot ((a \cdot y) \cdot (a \cdot z))) = 0), \tag{1.8}$$

$$(\forall a, x, y, z \in X)((((a \cdot x) \cdot (a \cdot y)) \cdot z) \cdot ((x \cdot y) \cdot z) = 0), \tag{1.9}$$

$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(((x \cdot y) \cdot z) \cdot (y \cdot z) = 0), \tag{1.10}$$

$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(x \cdot y = 0 \Rightarrow x \cdot (z \cdot y) = 0), \tag{1.11}$$

$$(\forall x, y, z \in X)(((x \cdot y) \cdot z) \cdot (x \cdot (y \cdot z)) = 0), \text{ and}$$
 (1.12)

$$(\forall a, x, y, z \in X)(((x \cdot y) \cdot z) \cdot (y \cdot (a \cdot z)) = 0).$$
(1.13)

## 2. FUZZY SETS WITH RESPECT TO A T-NORM IN UP-ALGEBRAS

**Definition 2.1.** [20] A *fuzzy set* A in a nonempty set X (or a *fuzzy subset* of X) is described by its membership function  $\alpha_A$ . To every point  $x \in X$ , this function associates a real number  $\alpha_A(x)$  in the unit interval [0, 1]. The number  $\alpha_A(x)$  is interpreted for the point as a degree of belonging x to the fuzzy set A, that is,  $A := \{(x, \alpha_A(x)) \mid x \in X\}$ . We say that a fuzzy set A in X is *constant* if its membership function  $\alpha_A$  is constant.

**Definition 2.2.** [8] A *triangular norm* (briefly, t-norm) is a binary operation T on the unit interval [0,1], i.e., a function  $T : [0,1] \times [0,1] \rightarrow [0,1]$  that satisfies the following axioms: **(T1):** Boundary condition:  $(\forall x \in [0,1])(T(x,1) = x)$ ,

**(T2):** Commutativity:  $(\forall x, y \in [0, 1])(T(x, y) = T(y, x)),$ 

(T3): Associativity:  $(\forall x, y, z \in [0, 1])(T(x, T(y, z)) = T(T(x, y), z))$ , and

**(T4):** Monotonicity:  $(\forall x, y, z \in [0, 1])(y \le z \Rightarrow T(x, y) \le T(x, z)).$ 

Let T be a t-norm. Then the following properties hold (see [2]).

$$(\forall x, y \in [0, 1])(T(x, y) \le x \text{ and } T(x, y) \le y),$$
 (2.1)

(2.2)

$$(\forall x \in [0, 1])(T(x, 0) = 0),$$

$$(\forall a, b, x, y \in [0, 1])(x \le a, y \le b \Rightarrow T(x, y) \le T(a, b)), \text{ and}$$
 (2.3)

$$(\forall a, b, x, y \in [0, 1])(x \le a, y \le a \Rightarrow T(x, y) \le a).$$

$$(2.4)$$

In what follows, let X denote a UP-algebra  $(X, \cdot, 0)$  and T a t-norm unless otherwise specified.

**Definition 2.3.** [2] A fuzzy set A in X is called

(1) a *T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X if  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \ge T(\alpha_A(x), \alpha_A(y)))$ .

- (2) a T-fuzzy near UP-filter of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x))$ , and
  - (ii)  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \ge T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y))).$
- (3) a T-fuzzy UP-filter of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x))$ , and

- (ii)  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(y) \ge T(\alpha_A(x \cdot y), \alpha_A(x))).$
- (4) a T-fuzzy UP-ideal of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x))$ , and
  - (ii)  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot z) \ge T(\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z)), \alpha_A(y))).$
- (5) a *T*-fuzzy strongly UP-ideal of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x))$ , and
  - (ii)  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)(\alpha_A(x) \ge T(\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)), \alpha_A(y))).$

Burandate et al. [2] proved the generalization that the notion of T-fuzzy UP-ideals is a generalization of T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals, the notion of T-fuzzy UP-filters is a generalization of T-fuzzy UP-ideals, the notion of T-fuzzy near UP-filters is a generalization of T-fuzzy UP-filters, and the notion of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras is a generalization of Tfuzzy UP-filters. Moreover, the notion of T-fuzzy near UP-filters does not coincide with the notion of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras.

**Example 2.4.** [2] Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

	0	$     \begin{array}{c}       1 \\       0 \\       1 \\       1 \\       0     \end{array} $	2	3	4
0	0	1	2	3	4
1	0	0	2	3	2
2	0	1	0	3	1
3	0	1	2	0	4
4	0	0	0	3	0

Let  $T_{Luk}$  be the Łukasiewicz t-norm defined by

$$(\forall x, y \in [0, 1])(\mathbf{T}_{\text{Luk}}(x, y) = \max\{x + y - 1, 0\}).$$
 (2.5)

Define a fuzzy set A in X by

$$\alpha_A = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0.7 & 0.4 & 0.2 & 0.5 & 0.3 \end{array}\right).$$

Then A is a  $T_{Luk}$ -fuzzy UP-ideal of X. Since

$$\alpha_A(2) = 0.2 < 0.4 = \mathsf{T}_{\mathsf{Luk}}(\alpha_A((2 \cdot 0) \cdot (2 \cdot 2)), \alpha_A(0)),$$

we have A is not a  $T_{Luk}$ -fuzzy strongly UP-ideal of X.

**Example 2.5.** [2] Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

•	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	1	2	3	4
1	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	2	0	0	0
3	0	2	2	0	0
4	0	2	$     \begin{array}{c}       2 \\       2 \\       0 \\       0 \\       2 \\       2     \end{array} $	4	0

Define a fuzzy set A in X by

$$\alpha_A = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0.8 & 0.7 & 0.9 & 0.9 & 0.9 \end{array}\right).$$

Then A is a  $T_{Luk}$ -fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X (see  $T_{Luk}$  in Example 2.4). Since

$$\alpha_A(1) = 0.7 < 0.8 = T_{\text{Luk}}(\alpha_A(4 \cdot 1), \alpha_A(4)),$$

we have A is not a T<sub>Luk</sub>-fuzzy UP-filter of X. Since  $\alpha_A(0) < \alpha_A(2)$ , we have A does not satisfy the condition:  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x))$ .

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**Example 2.6.** [2] Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

•	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	1	2	3	4
1	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	2	0	0	0
3	0	2	2	0	0
4	0	1 0 2 2 2	2	4	0

Let T<sub>min</sub> be the Gödel t-norm defined by

$$(\forall x, y \in [0, 1])(\mathbf{T}_{\min}(x, y) = \min\{x, y\}).$$
 (2.6)

Define a fuzzy set A in X by

$$\alpha_A = \left( \begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0.9 & 0.1 & 0.3 & 0.2 & 0 \end{array} \right).$$

Then A is a  $T_{min}$ -fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X (see  $T_{min}$  in Example 2.5). Since

$$\alpha_A(4 \cdot 3) = 0 < 0.2 = \mathsf{T}_{\min}(\alpha_A(3), \alpha_A(3)),$$

we have A is not a  $T_{min}$ -fuzzy near UP-filter of X.

**Definition 2.7.** [2] A fuzzy set A in X is called

- (1) an anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X if  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \leq T(\alpha_A(x), \alpha_A(y)))$ .
- (2) an *anti-T-fuzzy near UP-filter* of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \le \alpha_A(x))$ , and
  - (ii)  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \le T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y))).$
- (3) an *anti-T-fuzzy UP-filter* of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \le \alpha_A(x))$ , and (ii)  $(\forall x, y \in X)(\alpha_A(y) \leq T(\alpha_A(x \cdot y), \alpha_A(x))).$
- (4) an *anti-T-fuzzy UP-ideal* of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \le \alpha_A(x))$ , and (ii)  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)(\alpha_A(x \cdot z) \le T(\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z)), \alpha_A(y))).$
- (5) an *anti-T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideal* of X if
  - (i)  $(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_A(0) \le \alpha_A(x))$ , and
    - (ii)  $(\forall x, y, z \in X)(\alpha_A(x) \leq T(\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)), \alpha_A(y))).$

Burandate et al. [2] proved the generalization that the notion of anti-T-fuzzy near UPfilters is a generalization of anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras. Moreover, the notions of anti-T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals, anti-T-fuzzy UP-ideals, anti-T-fuzzy UP-filters, and anti-Tfuzzy UP-subalgebras coincide.

**Theorem 2.1.** [2] If A is an anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X, then A is constant.

### 3. MAIN RESULTS

In this section, we investigate properties of the intersection and the union of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, T-fuzzy near UP-filters, T-fuzzy UP-filters, T-fuzzy UP-ideals, T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals, anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras, and anti-T-fuzzy near UP-filters of UPalgebras.

**Definition 3.1.** [9] Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of fuzzy sets in a nonempty set X. Define the *intersection*  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  in X by its membership function  $\alpha_{\cap \mathscr{A}}$  which defined as follows:

$$(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_{\cap \mathscr{A}}(x) = \inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}).$$
(3.1)

Define the *union*  $\cup \mathscr{A}$  in X by its membership function  $\alpha_{\cup \mathscr{A}}$  which defined as follows:

$$(\forall x \in X)(\alpha_{\cup \mathscr{A}}(x) = \sup\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}).$$
(3.2)

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras of X. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also a T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X.

*Proof.* Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \geq T(\alpha_A(x), \alpha_A(y))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\inf \{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \leq \alpha_A(x)$  and  $\inf \{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \leq \alpha_A(y)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

$$(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \le T(\alpha_A(x), \alpha_A(y)) \le \alpha_A(x \cdot y)).$$

Thus

$$T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x),\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y)) = T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}},\inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}})$$
$$\leq \inf\{\alpha_A(x\cdot y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x\cdot y).$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is a *T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of *X*.

The following example show that the union of T-fuzzy UP-subalgebras of X is not a T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X.

**Example 3.2.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

Define two fuzzy sets  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  in X as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1} = \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.9 & 0.7 & 0.1 & 0.1 \end{array} \right).$$

and

$$\alpha_{A_2} = \left(\begin{array}{rrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.8 & 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.6 \end{array}\right).$$

Then  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  are  $T_{min}$ -fuzzy UP-subalgebras of X (see  $T_{min}$  in Example 2.6). We thus obtain the union of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1\cup A_2} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3\\ 0.9 & 0.7 & 0.5 & 0.6 \end{array}\right).$$

Since

$$\alpha_{A_1\cup A_2}(1\cdot 3) = 0.5 < 0.6 = \mathsf{T}_{\min}(\alpha_{A_1\cup A_2}(1), \alpha_{A_1\cup A_2}(3)).$$

Therefore,  $\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(x)$  is not a T<sub>min</sub>-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of T-fuzzy near UP-filters of X. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also a T-fuzzy near UP-filter of X.

*Proof.* Let  $x \in X$ . Since  $\alpha_A(0) \ge \alpha_A(x)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , we have  $\alpha_{\cap \mathscr{A}}(0) = \inf \{ \alpha_A(0) \}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \ge \inf \{ \alpha_A(x) \}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} = \alpha_{\cap \mathscr{A}}(x).$  Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \ge T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\inf \{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \alpha_A(y)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

 $(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \leq T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y)) \leq \alpha_A(x \cdot y)).$  Thus

$$T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y), \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y)) = T(\inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}})$$
$$\leq \inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot y).$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is a *T*-fuzzy near UP-filter of *X*.

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of T-fuzzy UP-filters of X. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also a T-fuzzy UP-filter of X.

*Proof.* The proof of the first statement is similar to the proof of Theorem 3.2. Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(y) \ge T(\alpha_A(x \cdot y), \alpha_A(x))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\inf \{\alpha_A(x \cdot y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \alpha_A(x \cdot y)$  and  $\inf \{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \alpha_A(x)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

$$(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \leq T(\alpha_A(x \cdot y), \alpha_A(x)) \leq \alpha_A(y))$$
  
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$$T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot y), \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x)) = T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}})$$
$$\leq \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y).$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is a *T*-fuzzy UP-filter of *X*.

The following example show that the union of T-fuzzy UP-filters of X is not a T-fuzzy UP-filter.

**Example 3.3.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

•	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	2	3
1	0	0	2	2
2	0	1	0	1
3	0	0	2 2 0 0	0

Define two fuzzy sets  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  in X as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1} = \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.7 & 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.3 \end{array} \right).$$

and

$$\alpha_{A_2} = \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.8 & 0.5 & 0.2 & 0.2 \end{array} \right).$$

Then  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  are  $T_{min}$ -fuzzy UP-filter of X (see  $T_{min}$  in Example 2.6). We thus obtain the union of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1\cup A_2} = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3\\ 0.8 & 0.5 & 0.4 & 0.3 \end{array}\right).$$

Since

$$\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(3) = 0.3 < 0.4 = \mathsf{T}_{\min}(\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(1 \cdot 3), \alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(1)).$$

Therefore,  $\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(x)$  is not a T<sub>min</sub>-fuzzy UP-filter of X.

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of *T*-fuzzy UP-ideals of *X*. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also a *T*-fuzzy UP-ideal of *X*.

*Proof.* The proof of the first statement is similar to the proof of Theorem 3.2. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(x \cdot z) \geq T(\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z)), \alpha_A(y))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\inf \{\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \leq \alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z))$  and  $\inf \{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \leq \alpha_A(y)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

$$(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \le T(\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z)), \alpha_A(y))$$
  
$$\leq \alpha_A(x \cdot z)).$$

Thus

$$T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot (y \cdot z)), \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y)) = T(\inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot (y \cdot z))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}})$$
$$\leq \inf\{\alpha_A(x \cdot z)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot z).$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is a *T*-fuzzy UP-ideal of *X*.

The following example show that the union of T-fuzzy UP-ideals of X is not a T-fuzzy UP-ideal.

**Example 3.4.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a UP-algebra with a fixed element 0 and a binary operation  $\cdot$  defined by the following Cayley table:

Define two fuzzy sets  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  in X as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1} = \left(\begin{array}{rrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.7 & 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.3 \end{array}\right).$$

and

$$\alpha_{A_2} = \left(\begin{array}{rrr} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0.8 & 0.5 & 0.2 & 0.2 \end{array}\right).$$

Then  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  are  $T_{min}$ -fuzzy UP-ideal of X (see  $T_{min}$  in Example 2.6). We thus obtain the union of  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  as follows:

$$\alpha_{A_1\cup A_2} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3\\ 0.8 & 0.5 & 0.4 & 0.3 \end{array}\right).$$

Therefore,  $\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(x)$  is not a T<sub>min</sub>-fuzzy UP-ideal of X because

$$\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(0 \cdot 3) = 0.3 < 0.4 = \mathsf{T}_{\min}(\alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(0 \cdot (2 \cdot 3)), \alpha_{A_1 \cup A_2}(2)).$$

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideals of X. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also a T-fuzzy strongly UP-ideal of X.

*Proof.* The proof of the first statement is similar to the proof of Theorem 3.2. Let  $x, y, z \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(x) \ge T(\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)), \alpha_A(y))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\inf\{\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x))$  and  $\inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \alpha_A(y)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

$$(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\inf\{\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \le T(\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)), \alpha_A(y)) \le \alpha_A(x)).$$

Thus

$$T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x)), \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y)) = T(\inf\{\alpha_A((z \cdot y) \cdot (z \cdot x))\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \inf\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}})$$
$$\leq \inf\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x).$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is a *T*-fuzzy strongly UP-ideal of *X*.

**Theorem 3.6.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of anti-*T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebras (is also anti-*T*-fuzzy near UP-filters) of X. Then  $\cup \mathscr{A}$  is also an anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X.

*Proof.* By Theorem 2.1, we have  $\alpha_A(x) = \alpha_A(0)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_{\cup \mathscr{A}}(x) = \alpha_A(0)$  $\sup\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} = \alpha_A(0)$ . Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot y) &= \alpha_A(0) \\ &= \alpha_A(0 \cdot 0) \\ &\leq T(\alpha_A(0), \alpha_A(0)) \\ &= T(\alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(x), \alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(y)). \end{aligned}$$
(Definition 2.7 (2) (ii))  
an anti-*T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of *X*.

Hence,  $\cup \mathscr{A}$  is an anti-*T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of *X*.

**Theorem 3.7.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of anti-*T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebras (is also anti-*T*-fuzzy near UP-filters) of X. Then  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is also an anti-T-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of X.

*Proof.* By Theorem 2.1, we have  $\alpha_A(x) = \alpha_A(0)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_{\cap \mathscr{A}}(x) =$  $\inf \{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} = \alpha_A(0).$  Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then

$$\begin{split} \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot y) &= \alpha_A(0) \\ &= \alpha_A(0 \cdot 0) \qquad ((\text{UP-2})) \\ &\leq T(\alpha_A(0), \alpha_A(0)) \qquad (\text{Definition 2.7 (2) (ii)}) \\ &= T(\alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(x), \alpha_{\cap\mathscr{A}}(y)). \end{split}$$

Hence,  $\cap \mathscr{A}$  is an anti-*T*-fuzzy UP-subalgebra of *X*.

**Theorem 3.8.** Let  $\mathscr{A}$  be a nonempty family of anti-T-fuzzy near UP-filters of X. Then  $\cup \mathscr{A}$  is also an anti-*T*-fuzzy near UP-filter of *X*.

*Proof.* Let  $x \in X$ . Since  $\alpha_A(0) \leq \alpha_A(x)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , we have

$$\alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(0) = \sup\{\alpha_A(0)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \le \sup\{\alpha_A(x)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} = \alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(x).$$

Let  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $\alpha_A(x \cdot y) \leq T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y))$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ . Since  $\sup\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}} \geq$  $\alpha_A(y)$  for all  $A \in \mathscr{A}$ , it follows from (2.3) that

$$(\forall A \in \mathscr{A})(T(\sup\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}, \sup\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A \in \mathscr{A}}) \ge T(\alpha_A(y), \alpha_A(y)) \ge \alpha_A(x \cdot y)).$$
Thus

Thus

$$T(\alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(y), \alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(y)) = T(\sup\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}}, \sup\{\alpha_A(y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}})$$
$$\geq \sup\{\alpha_A(x \cdot y)\}_{A\in\mathscr{A}}$$
$$= \alpha_{\cup\mathscr{A}}(x \cdot y).$$

Hence,  $\bigcup \mathscr{A}$  is an anti-*T*-fuzzy near UP-filter of *X*.

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