

λ –Closed maps in intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we introduce the concept intuitionistic fuzzy λ -open maps and intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed maps in intuitionistic fuzzy topological space and study some of their properties.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of fuzzy set (FS) and fuzzy operations were first introduced by L.A Zadeh in 1965, in his classical paper [15]. Subsequently several authors have applied various basic concepts from general topology to fuzzy sets and developed the theory of fuzzy topological space. After the introduction of fuzzy topology by Chang [2] in 1968, there have been several generalization of notions of fuzzy sets and fuzzy topology. The idea of "intuitionistic fuzzy sets" was introduced by Atanassov [1] as a generalization of fuzzy set in 1983. Coker [3] introduced the notion of intuitionistic fuzzy topology in 1997. This approach provides a wide field for investigation in the area of fuzzy topology and its application. The aim of this paper is to introduce intuitionistic fuzzy λ –open maps, intuitionistic fuzzy λ –closed maps and studied some of their properties.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition 2.1 ([1]). Let X be a nonempty fixed set. An intuitionistic fuzzy set (IFS) A in X is an object having the form $A = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$, where the function $\mu_A : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ and $\nu_A : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ denotes the degree of membership $\mu_A(x)$ and the degree of non membership $\nu_A(x)$ of each element $x \in X$ to the set A respectively and $0 \leq \mu_A(x) + \nu_A(x) \leq 1$ for each $x \in X$.

Definition 2.2 ([1]). Let A and B be intuitionistic fuzzy sets of the form $A = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$, and form $B = \{\langle x, \mu_B(x), \nu_B(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$. Then

- (a) $A \subseteq B$ if and only if $\mu_A(x) \leq \mu_B(x)$ and $\nu_A(x) \geq \nu_B(x)$ for all $x \in X$
- (b) $A = B$ if and only if $A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq A$
- (c) $A^c = \{\langle x, \nu_A(x), \mu_A(x) \rangle / x \in X\}$
- (d) $A \cap B = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x) \wedge \mu_B(x), \nu_A(x) \vee \nu_B(x) \rangle / x \in X\}$
- (e) $A \cup B = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x) \vee \mu_B(x), \nu_A(x) \wedge \nu_B(x) \rangle / x \in X\}$.

The intuitionistic fuzzy sets $\underline{0} = \{\langle x, 0, 1 \rangle / x \in X\}$ and $\underline{1} = \{\langle x, 1, 0 \rangle / x \in X\}$ are respectively the empty set and whole set of X .

Definition 2.3 ([5]). An intuitionistic fuzzy topology (IFT) on X is a family of IFS which satisfying the following axioms.

- (i) $\underline{0}, \underline{1} \in \tau$
- (ii) $G_1 \cap G_2 \in \tau$ for any $G_1, G_2 \in \tau$
- (iii) $\cup G_i \in \tau$ for any family $\{G_i / i \in I\} \subseteq \tau$

In this case the pair (X, τ) is called an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (IFTS) and each intuitionistic fuzzy set in τ is known as an intuitionistic fuzzy open set (IFOS) in X . The complement A of an IFOS in an IFTS (X, τ) is called an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set (IFCS) in (X, τ) .

Definition 2.4 ([3]). Let (X, τ) be an intuitionistic fuzzy topology and $A = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$, be an intuitionistic fuzzy set in X . Then the intuitionistic fuzzy interior and intuitionistic fuzzy closure are defined by
 $int(A) = \cup \{G / G \text{ is an intuitionistic fuzzy open set in } X \text{ and } G \subseteq A\}$
 $cl(A) = \cap \{K / K \text{ in an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set in } X \text{ and } A \subseteq K\}$

Definition 2.5 ([10]). Let f be a mapping from an IFTS (X, τ) into an IFTS (Y, σ) . Then f is said to be an

- (i) intuitionistic fuzzy open mapping (IF open mapping) if $f(A)$ is an IFOS in Y for every IFOS A in X .
- (ii) intuitionistic fuzzy closed mapping (IF open mapping) if $f(A)$ is an IFCS in Y for every IFCS A in X .

Remark 2.6. For any intuitionistic fuzzy set A in (X, τ) , we have

- (i) $cl(A^c) = [int(A)]^c$,
- (ii) $int(A^c) = [cl(A)]^c$,
- (iii) A is an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set in $X \Leftrightarrow cl(A) = A$
- (iv) A is an intuitionistic fuzzy open in $X \Leftrightarrow int(A) = A$

Definition 2.7 ([6]). An intuitionistic fuzzy set $A = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$ in an intuitionistic fuzzy topology space (X, τ) is said to be

- (i) intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed if $int(cl(A)) \subseteq A$.
- (ii) intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed if $cl(int(A)) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.8 ([5]). Let X and Y are nonempty sets and $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a function

- (a) If $B = \{\langle y, \mu_B(y), \nu_B(y) \rangle : y \in Y\}$ is an intuitionistic fuzzy set in Y , then the pre image of B under f denoted by $f^{-1}(B)$ is defined by
 $f^{-1}(B) = \{\langle x, f^{-1}(\mu_B(x)), f^{-1}(\nu_B(x)) \rangle : x \in X\}$

- (b) If $A = \{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$ is an intuitionistic fuzzy set in X , the image of A under f denoted by $f(A)$ is the intuitionistic fuzzy set in Y defined by $f(A) = \{\langle y, f(\mu_A(y)), f(\nu_A(y)) \rangle : y \in Y\}$ where $f(\nu_A) = 1 - f(1 - \nu_A)$.

Definition 2.9 ([8]). An intuitionistic fuzzy set A of an intuitionistic topology space (X, τ) is called an

- (i) intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set (IF λ -CS) if $A \supseteq cl(U)$ whenever $A \supseteq U$ and U is intuitionistic fuzzy open set in X .
- (ii) intuitionistic fuzzy λ -open set (IF λ -OS) if the complement A^c is an intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set in A .

Definition 2.10. An intuitionistic fuzzy set A of an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (X, τ) called

- (i) intuitionistic fuzzy generalized closed set [13] (intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed) is $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is intuitionistic fuzzy semi open
- (ii) intuitionistic fuzzy g -open set [12], if the complement of an intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed set is called intuitionistic fuzzy g -open set.
- (iii) intuitionistic fuzzy semi open (resp. intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed) [6] if there exists an intuitionistic fuzzy open (resp. intuitionistic fuzzy closed) such that $U \subseteq A \subseteq cl(U)$ (resp. $int(U) \subseteq A \subseteq U$).

Definition 2.11. An intuitionistic fuzzy set A of an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (X, τ) is called

- (i) an intuitionistic fuzzy w -closed [12] if $cl(A) \subseteq O$ whenever $A \subseteq O$ and O is intuitionistic fuzzy semi open in (X, τ) .
- (ii) an intuitionistic fuzzy generalized α -closed set [7] (IF α -CS) if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq O$ whenever $A \subseteq O$ and O is IF α -OS in (X, τ)
- (iii) an intuitionistic fuzzy α -generalized closed set [11] (IF α -GCS) if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq O$ whenever $A \subseteq O$ and O is IFOS in (X, τ)
- (iv) an intuitionistic fuzzy regular closed set [4] (IFRCS in short) if $A = cl(int(A))$.
- (v) an intuitionistic fuzzy regular open set [4] (IFROS in short) if $A = int(cl(A))$.

Definition 2.12 ([9]). A mapping $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be intuitionistic fuzzy λ -continuous if the inverse image of every intuitionistic fuzzy closed set of Y is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed in X .

Definition 2.13 ([10]). A topological space (X, τ) is called intuitionistic fuzzy $\lambda - T_{1/2}$ space (IF $\lambda - T_{1/2}$ space in short) if every intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set is intuitionistic fuzzy closed in X .

Definition 2.14. A mapping $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be

- (i) an intuitionistic fuzzy w -closed [13] if image of every intuitionistic fuzzy closed set of X is intuitionistic fuzzy w -closed set in Y
- (ii) an intuitionistic fuzzy regular closed [14] if image of every intuitionistic fuzzy closed set of X is intuitionistic fuzzy regular closed set in Y
- (iii) an intuitionistic fuzzy generalized α -closed [7] if image of every intuitionistic fuzzy closed set of X is intuitionistic fuzzy generalized α -closed set in Y

- (iv) an intuitionistic fuzzy α -generalized closed [11] if image of every intuitionistic fuzzy closed set of X is intuitionistic fuzzy α -generalized closed set in Y

Definition 2.15 ([9]). Let A be an IFS in an IFTS (X, τ) . Then the intuitionistic fuzzy λ -interior and intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closure of A are defined as follows

$$\lambda - int(A) = \bigcup \{G / G \text{ is an IF } \lambda\text{-OS in } X \text{ and } G \subseteq A\}$$

$$\lambda - cl(A) = \bigcap \{K / K \text{ is an IF } \lambda\text{-CS in } X \text{ and } A \subseteq K\}$$

3. INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY λ -CLOSED MAPPINGS

Definition 3.1. A mapping $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed map (IF λ -closed map) if $f(V)$ is λ -closed in (Y, σ) for every closed set V in (X, τ) .

Theorem 3.2. Every IF closed map is an IF- λ closed map but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an IF closed map. Let A be an IFCS in X . Then $f(A)$ is an IFCS in Y . Since every IFCS is an IF λ -CS, $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y [9]. Hence, f is an IF λ -closed map. $\square$

Remark 3.3. The converse of above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.4. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.8 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.3, 0.6 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.8, 0.2 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.8, 0.2 \rangle\}$ is λ -closed set in Y . But $\{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.8, 0.2 \rangle\}$ is not closed set in Y . Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping in Y but not intuitionistic fuzzy closed in Y .

Theorem 3.5. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an IF λ -closed map where Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{1/2}$ space, then f is an IF closed map if every IF λ -CS is an IFCS in Y .

Proof. Let f be an IF λ -closed map. Then for every IFCS A in X , $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Since Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{1/2}$ space, $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y and by hypothesis $f(A)$ is an IFCS in Y . Hence, f is an IF closed map. $\square$

Theorem 3.6. Every IF pre closed map is IF λ -closed map.

Proof. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an IF pre closed map. Let A be an IFCS in X . By assumption, $f(A)$ is an IF pre closed set in Y . Since every IF pre closed set is an IF λ -CS [6] $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Hence, f is an IF λ -closed map. $\square$

Remark 3.7. The converse of above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.8. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.2 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then

$f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.4, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.4, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is IF λ -closed set in Y . But not IF pre closed set in Y . Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed map but not intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed map.

Remark 3.9. IF λ -closed map and IF w -closed map are independent to each other as seen from the following example.

Example 3.10. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.2 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.4, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.4, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy IF λ -closed set but not IF w -closed set. Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy w -closed mapping.

Example 3.11. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.4, 0.6 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is IF w -closed set but not IF λ -closed set. Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy w -closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping.

Remark 3.12. Intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed mappings and intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mappings are independent as seen from the following examples.

Example 3.13. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.6, 0.3 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.2, 0.6 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, \underline{1}, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, \underline{1}, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.3, 0.6 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.3, 0.6 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed set but not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set. Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed mapping and not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -mapping.

Example 3.14. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.4, 0.5 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.2 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, \underline{1}, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, \underline{1}, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set but not intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed set. Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -mapping and not intuitionistic fuzzy g -closed mapping.

Remark 3.15. The concept of intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mappings and intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed mappings are independent as seen from the following examples.

Example 3.16. Let $X = \{a, b\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.3, 0.5 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.1, 0.9 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, \underline{1}, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, \underline{1}, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$. Then

the mapping $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed set and not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set. Hence, f is intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed.

Example 3.17. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.2 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = x$ and $f(b) = y$ then $f(U) = f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set but not intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed set. Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy semi closed mapping.

Remark 3.18. The concept of intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mappings and intuitionistic fuzzy semi pre closed mappings are independent as seen from the following examples.

Example 3.19. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.3 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.3 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(U) = f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.3 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.5, 0.3 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed set but not intuitionistic fuzzy semi pre-closed set. Then f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy semi pre closed mapping.

Example 3.20. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.4, 0.6 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.1, 0.9 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle\}$ is intuitionistic fuzzy semi pre closed mapping but not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping.

Remark 3.21. IFG α -closed mapping and IF λ -closed mappings are independent to each other.

Example 3.22. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.4, 0.6 \rangle, \langle b, 0.3, 0.7 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle u, 0.2, 0.8 \rangle, \langle v, 0.3, 0.7 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle, \langle b, 0.7, 0.3 \rangle\}) = \{\langle a, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle, \langle b, 0.7, 0.3 \rangle\}$ is IFG α -closed set but not IF-closed set. Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ mapping, but not intuitionistic fuzzy IFG α -closed mapping.

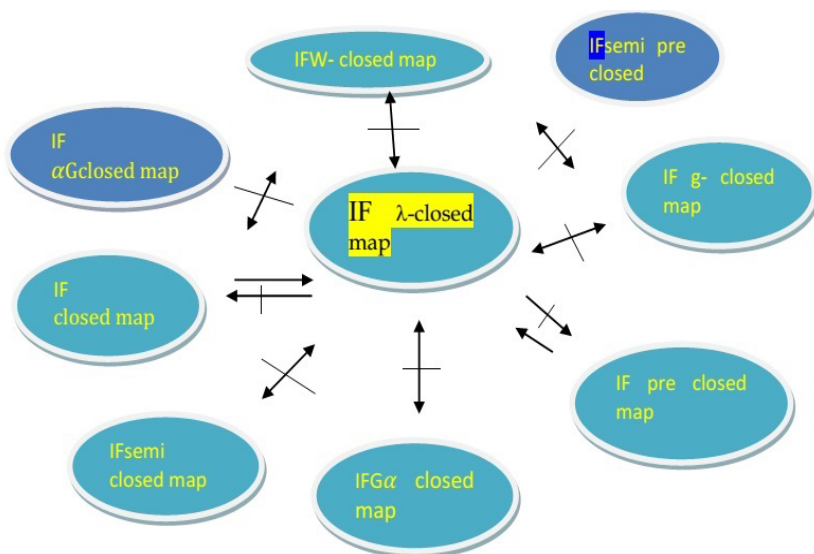
Example 3.23. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.1, 0.9 \rangle, \langle b, 0.3, 0.7 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle a, 0.8, 0.2 \rangle, \langle b, 0.8, 0.1 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.9, 0.1 \rangle, \langle b, 0.7, 0.3 \rangle\}) = \{\langle a, 0.9, 0.1 \rangle, \langle b, 0.7, 0.3 \rangle\}$ is IF λ -closed set in Y but not IFG α -closed set. Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ mapping, but not intuitionistic fuzzy IFG α -closed mapping.

Remark 3.24. If $IF\alpha G$ -closed mapping and $IF\lambda$ -closed mapping are independent to each other as seen from the following example:

Example 3.25. Let $X = \{a, b\}, Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle, \langle b, 0.7, 0.2 \rangle\}, V = \{\langle u, 0.2, 0.6 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.7 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.4, 0.6 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.7 \rangle\}) = \{\langle a, 0.4, 0.6 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.7 \rangle\}$ is αG -closed set in Y but not λ -closed set in Y . Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy $IFG\alpha$ -closed mapping, but not $IF\lambda$ -closed mapping.

Example 3.26. Let $X = \{a, b\}, Y = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U and V are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.1, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.6 \rangle\}, V = \{\langle u, 0.2, 0.4 \rangle, \langle b, 0.3, 0.5 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$ and $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Define the map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = u$ and $f(b) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.1 \rangle, \langle b, 0.6, 0.2 \rangle\}) = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.1 \rangle, \langle b, 0.6, 0.2 \rangle\}$ is λ -closed set Y but not αG -closed set in Y . Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping, but not intuitionistic fuzzy αG -closed mappings.

Remark 3.27. From above examples and remarks we get following diagram of implications.



In this Diagram $A \rightarrow B$ means that A implies B . $A \not\rightarrow B$ means that B does not implies A .

$A \not\leftrightarrow B$ means that A and B are independent to each other.

Theorem 3.28. Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a mapping. Then the following are equivalent if Y is an $IF\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space.

- (i) f is an $IF\lambda$ -closed map.
- (ii) $\lambda - cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A))$ for each IFS A of X .

Proof. (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii) Let A be an IFS in X . Then $cl(A)$ is an IFCS in X . (i) implies that $f(cl(A))$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Since Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space, $f(cl(A))$ is an IFCS in Y . Therefore $\lambda-cl(f(cl(A))) = f(cl(A))$. Now $\lambda-cl(f(A)) \subseteq \lambda-cl(f(cl(A))) = f(cl(A))$. Hence $\lambda-cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A))$ for each IFS A of X .

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (i) Let A be any IFCS in X . Then $cl(A) = A$. (ii) implies that $\lambda-cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A)) = f(A)$. But $f(A) \subseteq \lambda-cl(f(A))$. Therefore $\lambda-cl(f(A)) = f(A)$. This implies $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Since every IF λ -CS is an IFCS, $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Hence f is an IF λ -closed map. $\square$

Theorem 3.29. *Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a bijection. Then the following are equivalent if Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space.*

- (i) f is an IF λ -closed map.
- (ii) $\lambda-cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A))$ for each IFS A of X .
- (iii) $f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(B)) \subseteq cl(f^{-1}(B))$ for every IFS B of Y .

Proof. (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii) is obvious from theorem 3.15.

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii) Let B be an IFS in Y . Then $f^{-1}(B)$ is an IFS in X . Since f is onto, $\lambda-cl(B) = \lambda-cl(f(f^{-1}(B)))$ and (ii) implies $\lambda-cl(f(f^{-1}(B))) \subseteq f(cl(f^{-1}(B)))$. Therefore $\lambda-cl(B) \subseteq f(cl(f^{-1}(B)))$. Now $f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(f(cl(f^{-1}(B))))$. Since f is one to one $f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(B)) \subseteq cl(f^{-1}(B))$.

(iii) $\Rightarrow$ (ii) Let A be any IFS of X . Then $f(A)$ is an IFS of Y . Since f is one to one, (iii) implies that $f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(f(A))) \subseteq cl(f^{-1}(A)) = cl(A)$. Therefore $f(f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(f(A)))) \subseteq f(cl(A))$. Since f is onto, $\lambda-cl(f(A)) = f(f^{-1}(\lambda-cl(f(A)))) \subseteq f(cl(A))$. $\square$

Theorem 3.30. *Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an IF λ -closed map. Then for every IFS A of X , $f(cl(A))$ is an IF λ -CS in Y .*

Proof. Let A be any IFS in X . Then $cl(A)$ is an IFCS in X . By hypothesis, $f(cl(A))$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . $\square$

Theorem 3.31. *Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be an IF λ -closed map where Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space. Then f is a IF regular closed map if every IF λ -CS is an IFRCS in Y .*

Proof. Let A be an IFRCS in X . Since every IFRCS is an IFCS [5], A is an IFCS in X . By hypothesis $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Since Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space, $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y and hence is an IFCS in Y , by hypothesis. This implies that $f(A)$ is an IF regular closed map. $\square$

Theorem 3.32. *If every IFS is an IFCS, then an IF λ -closed mapping is an IF λ -continuous mapping.*

Proof. Let A be an IFCS in Y . Then $f^{-1}(A)$ is an IFS in X . Therefore $f^{-1}(A)$ is an IFCS in X . Since every IFCS is an IF λ -CS, $f^{-1}(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in X . This implies that f is an IF λ -continuous mapping. $\square$

Theorem 3.33. *A mapping $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is an IF λ -closed mapping if and only if for every IFS B of Y and for every IFOS U containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there is an IF λ -OS A of X such that $B \subseteq f(A)$ and $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq U$.*

Proof. Necessity: Let B be any IFS in Y . Let U be an IFOS in X such that $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$, then U^c is an IFCS in X . By hypothesis $f(U^c)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Let $A = (f(U^c))^c$, then A is an IF λ -OS in Y and $B \subseteq A$. Now $f^{-1}(A) = f^{-1}(f(U^c))^c = (f^{-1}(f(U^c)))^c \subseteq U$.

Sufficiency: Let A be an IFCS in X , then A^c is an IFOS in X and $f^{-1}(f(A^c))^c \subseteq A^c$. By hypothesis, there exists an IF λ -OS B in Y such that $f(A^c) \subseteq B$ and $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq A^c$. Therefore $A \subseteq (f^{-1}(B))^c$. Hence $B^c \subseteq f(A) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(B))^c \subseteq B^c$. This implies that $f(A) = B^c$. Since B^c is an IF λ -CS in Y , $f(A)$ is an IF λ -CS in Y . Hence f is an IF λ -closed mapping. $\square$

Theorem 3.34. *If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is an IF closed map and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ is an IF λ -closed map, then $g \circ f$ is an IF λ -closed map.*

Proof. Let A be an IFCS in X , then $f(A)$ is an IFCS in Y , since f is an IF closed map. Since g is an IF λ -closed map, $g(f(A))$ is an IF λ -CS in Z . Therefore $g \circ f$ is an IF λ -closed map. $\square$

Remark 3.35. The composition of two IF closed maps are not IF closed map as seen from the following example.

Example 3.36. Let $X = \{a, b\}$, $Y = \{c, d\}$ and $Z = \{u, v\}$ and intuitionistic fuzzy sets U, V and W are defined as follows: $U = \{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.2 \rangle\}$, $V = \{\langle c, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle d, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$ and $W = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.6, 0.4 \rangle\}$. Let $\tau = \{0, 1, U\}$, $\sigma = \{0, 1, V\}$ and $\delta = \{0, 1, W\}$ be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X, Y and Z respectively. Define a map $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = c$ and $f(b) = d$ and $g : (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \delta)$ by $g(c) = u$ and $g(d) = v$ then $f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle c, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle d, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is λ -closed set in (Y, σ) and hence f is λ -closed map in (Y, σ) and $g(\{\langle c, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle d, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.5, 0.4 \rangle\}$ is λ -closed set in (Z, δ) and hence g is λ -closed map. But their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is not λ -closed map in (Z, δ) . Since $g(f(U)) = g(f(\{\langle a, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle b, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\})) = g(\{\langle c, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle d, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}) = \{\langle u, 0.5, 0.5 \rangle, \langle v, 0.2, 0.5 \rangle\}$ is not λ -closed set in (Z, δ) . Hence $g(f(A))$ is not intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping in (Z, δ) . Therefore $g \circ f$ is not an intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mapping.

Theorem 3.37. *Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a bijective map where Y is an IF $\lambda - T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ space. Then the following are equivalent.*

- (i) f is an IF λ -closed map.
- (ii) $f(B)$ is an IF λ -OS in Y for every IFOS B in X .

Proof. (i) $\Leftrightarrow$ (ii) is obvious. $\square$

Definition 3.38. A mapping $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be intuitionistic fuzzy λ -open map (IF λ -open map) if $f(V)$ is λ -open set in (Y, σ) for every closed set in X .

4. CONCLUSIONS

In this paper we have introduced intuitionistic fuzzy λ -open mappings, intuitionistic fuzzy λ -closed mappings and studied some of their properties.

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