

C-COMPACTNESS IN FERMATEAN FUZZY TOPOLOGY

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Abstract

The studies of Fermatean fuzzy sets and Fermatean fuzzy topology was initiated in the year 2019 and 2022 respectively. The present paper created the concepts of C-compactness, nets and filters in Fermatean fuzzy topological spaces. Several results related to characterizations and properties of fermaten fuzzy C-compactness have been established

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1. Introduction

The fusion of technology and generalized forms of classical sets is very useful to solve many real world complex problems which involve the vague and uncertain information. A classical set is defined by its characteristic function from universe of discourse to two point set $\{0,1\}$. Classical set theory is insufficient to handle the complex problems involving vague and uncertain information. To handle the vagueness and uncertainty of complex problems, Zadeh [19] in 1965, created fuzzy sets (\mathcal{FS} s) as a generalization of classical sets which characterised by membership function from universe of discourse to closed interval $[0,1]$. \mathcal{FS} theory is applicable in various areas such as control theory, artificial intelligence, pattern recognition, database system and medical diagnosis. After two years of creation of \mathcal{FS} s, Chang [3] initiated the study of fuzzy topology. Now fuzzy topology is established a separated branch of fuzzy mathematics. In the last sixty years sevral generalizations of \mathcal{FS} s and fuzzy topology was appeared in the literature. Intuitionistic fuzzy sets (\mathcal{IFS} s) introduced by Atanassov[1] is a generalization of \mathcal{FS} s characterised by membership and non-membership functions from an universe of discourse to closed interval $[0,1]$ whose sum lies between 0 and 1 for each point of universe of discourse. In 1987 Coker [4], created the notion of intuitionistic fuzzy topology. Coker and his coworkers [5, 6], Thakur and his associates [13–16], Lupianez [8] and others are contributed in the development of intuitionistic fuzzy topology. In 2013 Yager [18] introduced Pythagorean fuzzy sets (\mathcal{PFS} s) characterized by a membership degree and a non-membership degree whose square sum is less than or equal to one. The collection of

TABLE 1. Abbreviations and their descriptions

Abbreviation	Description	Abbreviation	Description
\mathcal{FS}	Fuzzy set	\mathcal{IFS}	Intuitionistic fuzzy set
\mathcal{PFS}	Pythagorean fuzzy set	\mathcal{FFS}	Fermatean fuzzy set
$\mathcal{FFS}(\mathbb{P})$	Family of \mathcal{FFS} s of \mathbb{P}	\mathcal{FFT}	Fermatean fuzzy topology
$\mathcal{FFT S}$	Fermatean fuzzy topological space	\mathcal{FFO}	Fermatean fuzzy open
\mathcal{FFC}	Fermatean fuzzy closed	$\mathcal{FFC}(\mathbb{P})$	Family of \mathcal{FFC} sets of \mathbb{P}
\mathcal{FFRO}	Fermatean fuzzy regular open	$\mathcal{FFRO}(\mathbb{P})$	Family of \mathcal{FFRO} sets of \mathbb{P}
\mathcal{FFRC}	Fermatean fuzzy regular closed	$\mathcal{FFRC S}(\mathbb{P})$	Family of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P}
\mathcal{FFP}	Fermatean fuzzy point	$\mathcal{FFF B}$	Fermatean fuzzy filter base
\mathcal{FFN}	Fermatean fuzzy net	\mathcal{FFA}	Fermatean fuzzy adherent
\mathcal{FFSS}	Fermatean fuzzy sub space	\mathcal{FFC} -compact	Fermatean fuzzy C -compact

all \mathcal{PFS} s on a universe of discourse contains the collection of all \mathcal{IFS} s, but reverse containments is not true. Obviously, \mathcal{PFS} s are more effective than \mathcal{IFS} s. Peng and Yang [10], studied Some more results for \mathcal{PFS} s. In 2019, Olgun and his coworkers [9] introduced pythagorean fuzzy topological spaces and studied continuity and some important pythagorean fuzzy topological concepts. In 2020 Senapati and Yager[11] created the concept of Fermatean fuzzy sets (\mathcal{FFS} s) as a generalization of \mathcal{PFS} s . In another paper they [12] defined some new operations over \mathcal{FFS} s and presented their applications in multi-criteria decision making. Recently Ibrahim [2] created fermaten fuzzy topological spaces as an extension of pythagorean fuzzy topological spaces and studied Fermatean fuzzy continuity and Fermatean fuzzy separation axioms. The study of C -compactness in topology wae initiated by Viglino [17] in 1969. Herrington and Long [7] gave some characterizations of C -compact spaces. The organization of paper is as follows. Section 2 is preliminary and review the basic concepts of Fermatean fuzzy sets and Fermatean fuzzy topology. Section 3 created Fermatean fuzzy nets and Fermatean fuzzy filters and studied their r -convergence. Section 4 defined and characterized Fermatean fuzzy C -compact spaces.

2. Preliminaries

DEFINITION 2.1. Let \mathbb{P} be an universal set. An structure of the form $\mathcal{M} = \{< p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) > : p \in \mathbb{P}\}$ is called:

- (a) Intuitionistic fuzzy set(\mathcal{IFS})[1] if $0 \leq \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) + \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \leq 1 \quad \forall p \in \mathbb{P}$;
- (a) Pythagorean fuzzy set(\mathcal{PFS})[18] if $0 \leq \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) + \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \leq 1 \quad \forall p \in \mathbb{P}$;
- (a) Fermatean fuzzy set(\mathcal{FFS})[11] if $0 \leq \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) + \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \leq 1 \quad \forall p \in \mathbb{P}$.

Where $\varrho_{\mathcal{M}} : \mathbb{P} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ and $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}} : \mathbb{P} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ are respectively called the membership and non membership function of \mathcal{M} . The collection of all \mathcal{FFS} s of \mathbb{P} will be denoted by $\mathcal{FFS}(\mathbb{P})$.

REMARK 2.2. [11] Every \mathcal{IFS} is a \mathcal{PFS} and every \mathcal{PFS} is a \mathcal{FFS} , but the converse may not be true.

DEFINITION 2.3. [11] Let \mathbb{P} be an universe of discourse and $\mathcal{M} = \{ \langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$, $\mathcal{N} = \{ \langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \} \in \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$. Then :

- (a) $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ if $\varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \leq \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(p)$ and $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \geq \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(p) \forall p \in \mathbb{P}$.
- (b) $\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{N}$ if $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$ and $\mathcal{N} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$.
- (c) $\mathcal{M}^c = \{ \langle p, \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p), \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$.
- (d) $\mathcal{M} \cap \mathcal{N} = \{ \langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \wedge \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \vee \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$
- (e) $\mathcal{M} \cup \mathcal{N} = \{ \langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \vee \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) \wedge \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$.
- (f) $\tilde{0} = \{ \langle p, 0, 1 \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$.
- (g) $\tilde{1} = \{ \langle p, 1, 0 \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$.

DEFINITION 2.4. [11] Let \mathbb{P} be an universe of discourse and $\{\mathcal{M}_k : k \in \Lambda\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$. Then:

- (a) $\cap \mathcal{M}_k = \{ \langle p, \bigwedge \varrho_{\mathcal{M}_k}(p), \bigvee \sigma_{\mathcal{M}_k}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$;
- (b) $\cup \mathcal{M}_k = \{ \langle p, \bigvee \varrho_{\mathcal{M}_k}(p), \bigwedge \sigma_{\mathcal{M}_k}(p) \rangle : p \in \mathbb{P} \}$.

DEFINITION 2.5. [2] A collection $\Omega \subseteq \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$ is called a Fermatean fuzzy topology ($\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{T}$) on \mathbb{P} if:

- (1) $\tilde{0}, \tilde{1} \in \Omega$.
- (2) $\mathcal{G}_1, \mathcal{G}_2 \in \Omega \Rightarrow \mathcal{G}_1 \cap \mathcal{G}_2 \in \Omega$.
- (3) $\{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\} \subseteq \Omega \Rightarrow \cup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\} \in \Omega$.

The structure (\mathbb{P}, Ω) is called a Fermatean fuzzy topological space ($\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{T}\mathcal{S}$) and each $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}$ in Ω is called Fermatean fuzzy open ($\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{O}$) set in \mathbb{P} . A $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}$ \mathcal{M} is said to be Fermatean fuzzy closed ($\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{C}$) if $\mathcal{M}^c \in \Omega$. The collection of all $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{C}\mathcal{S}$ sets in a $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{T}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is denoted by $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{C}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$.

DEFINITION 2.6. [2] Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{T}\mathcal{S}$ and $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$. Then the interior and closure of \mathcal{M} are defined by:

$$Cl(\mathcal{M}) = \cap \{ \mathcal{F} : \mathcal{F} \in \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{C}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P}) \text{ and } \mathcal{M} \subset \mathcal{F} \}.$$

$$Int(\mathcal{M}) = \cup \{ \mathcal{H} : \mathcal{H} \in \Omega \text{ and } \mathcal{H} \subseteq \mathcal{M} \}.$$

THEOREM 2.7. [2] Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{T}\mathcal{S}$ and $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$. Then:

- (a) $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{C}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P}) \Leftrightarrow Cl(\mathcal{M}) = \mathcal{M}$.
- (b) $\mathcal{M} \in \Omega \Leftrightarrow Int(\mathcal{M}) = \mathcal{M}$.
- (c) $Cl(\mathcal{M}^c) = (Int(\mathcal{M}))^c$.
- (d) $Int(\mathcal{M}^c) = (Cl(\mathcal{M}))^c$.

DEFINITION 2.8. [2] Let \mathbb{P} be a non-empty set and $p \in \mathbb{P}$ a fixed element in \mathbb{P} . Suppose $\zeta \in (0, 1]$ and $\xi \in [0, 1)$ are two fixed real numbers such that $\zeta^3 + \xi^3 \leq 1$. Then, a Fermatean fuzzy point ($\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{P}$) $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p = \{ \langle p, \varrho_x(p), \sigma_x(p) \rangle \}$ is defined to be a $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{F}\mathcal{S}$ of \mathbb{P} given by

$$x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p(q) = \begin{cases} (\zeta, \xi) & \text{if } q = p \\ (0, 1) & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

for $q \in \mathbb{P}$. In this case, p is called the support of $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$. A \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ is said to belong to a \mathcal{FFS} $\mathcal{F} = \{\langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{F}}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{F}}(p) \rangle\}$ of \mathbb{P} denoted by $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{F}$ if $\zeta \leq \varrho_{\mathcal{F}}(p)$ and $\xi \geq \sigma_{\mathcal{F}}(p)$. Two \mathcal{FFP} s are said to be distinct if their supports are distinct. The set of all \mathcal{FFP} s of \mathbb{P} will be denoted by $\mathcal{FFP}(\mathbb{P})$.

THEOREM 2.9. [2] Let $\mathcal{M}_1 = \{\langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}_1}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}_1}(p) \rangle\}$ and $\mathcal{M}_2 = \{\langle p, \varrho_{\mathcal{M}_2}(p), \sigma_{\mathcal{M}_2}(p) \rangle\}$ be two \mathcal{FFS} s of \mathbb{P} . Then, $\mathcal{M}_1 \subset \mathcal{M}_2$ if and only if $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}_1$ implies $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}_2$ for any \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathbb{P} .

DEFINITION 2.10. Two \mathcal{FFS} s \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{N} of \mathbb{P} are said to be q -coincident ($\mathcal{M}_q \mathcal{N}$) if \exists an element $p \in \mathbb{P}$ such that $\varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(p) > \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(p)$ or $\sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(p) < \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(p)$.

THEOREM 2.11. If \mathcal{M} is a crisp set and \mathcal{N} is any \mathcal{FFS} of a non empty set \mathbb{P} . Then $\mathcal{M} \cap \mathcal{N} = \tilde{0} \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \subset \mathcal{N}^c$.

DEFINITION 2.12. [2] Let \mathbb{P} and \mathbb{Q} be two non-empty sets and $\varphi : \mathbb{P} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ be a mapping. Let \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{N} be \mathcal{FFS} s of \mathbb{P} and \mathbb{Q} , respectively. Then:

- (a) The membership and non-membership functions of image of \mathcal{M} with respect to φ that is denoted by $\varphi(\mathcal{M})$ are defined by

$$\varrho_{\varphi(\mathcal{M})}(q) = \begin{cases} \sup_{r \in \varphi^{-1}(q)} \varrho_{\mathcal{M}}(r) & \text{if } \varphi^{-1}(q) \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$\sigma_{\varphi(\mathcal{M})}(q) = \begin{cases} \inf_{r \in \varphi^{-1}(q)} \sigma_{\mathcal{M}}(r) & \text{if } \varphi^{-1}(q) \neq \emptyset \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

respectively.

- (b) The membership and non-membership functions of pre-image of \mathcal{N} with respect to φ that is denoted by $\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{N})$ are respectively defined by $\varrho_{\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{N})}(p) = \varrho_{\mathcal{N}}(\varphi(p))$ and $\sigma_{\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{N})}(p) = \sigma_{\mathcal{N}}(\varphi(p))$.

DEFINITION 2.13. [2] A mapping $\varphi : (\mathbb{P}, \Omega \rightarrow (\mathbb{Q}, \Gamma))$ is called Fermatean fuzzy continuous if $\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{M}) \in \Omega$, $\forall \mathcal{M} \in \Gamma$.

3. Fermatean fuzzy filters

DEFINITION 3.1. Let \mathbb{P} be an universe of discourse. A nonempty family $\mathfrak{F} \subseteq \mathcal{FFS}(\mathbb{P})$ is called a Fermatean fuzzy filter base (\mathcal{FFFB}) in \mathbb{P} if:

- (a) $\tilde{0} \notin \mathfrak{F}$;
 (b) $\mathcal{F}_1 \cap \mathcal{F}_2 \in \mathfrak{F}, \forall \mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2 \in \mathfrak{F}$;
 (c) $\mathcal{F}_1 \in \mathfrak{F}$ and $\mathcal{F}_1 \subseteq \mathcal{F}_2 \Rightarrow \mathcal{F}_2 \in \mathfrak{F}, \forall \mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2 \in \mathfrak{F}$.

DEFINITION 3.2. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} and $\mathcal{N} \in \mathcal{FFS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then \mathcal{N} is called an ϵ -neighbourhood of a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ of \mathbb{P} if $\exists \mathcal{G} \in \Omega$ such that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{G} \subseteq \mathcal{N}$. The family of all an ϵ neighbourhood of $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ is denoted by $\mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)$.

DEFINITION 3.3. Let \mathbb{P} be a non empty set and \mathbb{D} is a directed set. A map $\phi : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{FFP}(\mathbb{P})$ is called a Fermatean fuzzy net(\mathcal{FFN}). We will write $\phi_d = \phi(d)$ (for $d \in \mathbb{D}$), $\phi = (\phi_d)_{d \in \mathbb{D}}$.

DEFINITION 3.4. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} and \mathcal{M} be a non empty crisp set of \mathbb{P} , let $\mathfrak{F} = \{M_\alpha \subset \mathcal{M} : \alpha \in \Delta\}$ be a \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathcal{M} Then :

- (a) \mathcal{FFFBS} \mathfrak{F} is called r -converges to a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ (written as $\mathfrak{F} \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$), if $\forall N \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \exists M_\alpha \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $M_\alpha \subset Cl(N)$.
- (b) \mathcal{FFFBS} \mathfrak{F} is called r -accumulates to a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ (written as $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$), if $\forall N \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)$ and each $M_\alpha \in \mathfrak{F}$, $M_\alpha \cap Cl(N) \neq \emptyset$.

THEOREM 3.5. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} , $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{P}$ and $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{FFP}(\mathbb{P})$.

- (a) Let \mathfrak{F} is a \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathcal{M} . If $\mathfrak{F} \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$, then $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (b) Let \mathfrak{F}_1 and \mathfrak{F}_2 be two \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathcal{M} and \mathfrak{F}_2 is stronger than \mathfrak{F}_1 ($\mathfrak{F}_1 \subset \mathfrak{F}_2$). If $\mathfrak{F}_2 \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$, then $\mathfrak{F}_1 \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (c) Let \mathfrak{M} be a maximal \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathcal{M} . Then $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{F} \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

PROOF. Obvious and left to the readers. □

DEFINITION 3.6. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} and \mathcal{M} be a non empty crisp subset of \mathbb{P} . Suppose \mathbb{D} is a directed set and $\phi : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{FFP}(\mathcal{M})$ is a \mathcal{FFN} . then:

- (a) ϕ is called r -converges to a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ (written as $\phi \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$) if $\forall \mathcal{V} \in \Omega$ containing $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$, $\exists b \in \mathbb{D}$ such that $\phi(\mathcal{T}_b) \subset Cl(\mathcal{V})$. Where $\mathcal{T}_b = \{c \in \mathbb{D} : c \geq b\}$.
- (b) ϕ called r -accumulates to a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ (written as $\phi \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$) if $\forall \mathcal{V} \in \Omega$ containing $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$, and $\forall b \in \mathbb{D}$ such that $\phi(\mathcal{T}_b) \cap Cl(\mathcal{V}) \neq \emptyset$. Where $\mathcal{T}_b = \{c \in \mathbb{D} : c \geq b\}$.

DEFINITION 3.7. If $\phi : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{FFP}(\mathcal{M})$ is a \mathcal{FFN} in $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{P}$. Then the family $\mathfrak{F}(\phi) = \{\phi(\mathcal{T}_b) : b \in \mathbb{D}\}$ is a \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathcal{M} called a \mathcal{FFFBS} associated to ϕ .

THEOREM 3.8. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} . If $\mathfrak{F}(\phi)$ is a \mathcal{FFFBS} in $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{P}$ associated to \mathcal{FFN} ϕ . Then

- (a) $\mathfrak{F}(\phi) \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \Leftrightarrow \phi \xrightarrow{r} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (b) $\mathfrak{F}(\phi) \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \Leftrightarrow \phi \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

PROOF. Obvious. □

DEFINITION 3.9. Let \mathbb{P} be a non empty set and \mathcal{M} be a crisp subset of \mathbb{P} . Let \mathfrak{F} be a \mathcal{FFFBS} in \mathbb{P} then consider the family $\mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}} = \{(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p, \mathcal{F}) : x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{FFP}(\mathcal{M}), x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}\}$ with the relation $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p, \mathcal{F}) \leq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p, \mathcal{F}') \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{F}' \subseteq \mathcal{F}$. Then the

$\mathcal{FFN} \ \phi_{\mathfrak{F}} : \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}} \rightarrow \mathcal{FFP}(\mathcal{M})$ such that $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p, \mathcal{F}) = x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ is called \mathcal{FFN} associate to \mathfrak{F} .

THEOREM 3.10. *In a $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$, If $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}} : \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{FFP}(\mathcal{M})$ is a \mathcal{FFN} in $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{P}$ associated to a $\mathcal{FFFB} \ \mathfrak{F}$. then:*

- (a) $\mathfrak{F} \xrightarrow[r]{p} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \Leftrightarrow \phi_{\mathfrak{F}} \xrightarrow[r]{p} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (b) $\mathfrak{F} \underset{r}{\propto} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \Leftrightarrow \phi_{\mathfrak{F}} \underset{r}{\propto} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

PROOF. (a)Necessity. Since \mathfrak{F} r-converges to $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathcal{M} , $\forall \mathcal{N} \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \exists \mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $\mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \subset Cl(\mathcal{N})$. For every $\mathcal{FFP} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q$ such that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$, $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$. If $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ and $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha})$ then $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'} \in \mathcal{M}_{\beta}$ and $\mathcal{M}_{\beta} \subset \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$. Thus $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) = x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'} \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \subset Cl(\mathcal{N})$. Hence $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}} \xrightarrow[r]{p} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

Sufficiency. Since $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}$ r-converges to $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathcal{M} , $\forall \mathcal{N} \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \exists (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ such that $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) = x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \subset Cl(\mathcal{N}) \ \forall (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0)$. This implies that $\mathcal{M}_0 \subset \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$ because $\forall \mathcal{FFP} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q$ in $\mathbb{P} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_0$ we have $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_0) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0)$, $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$. Consequently, $\mathcal{M}_0 \subset Cl(\mathcal{N})$. Hence, $\mathfrak{F} \xrightarrow[r]{p} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$.

(b)Necessity. Since \mathfrak{F} r-accumulates to $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathcal{M} , $\forall \mathcal{N} \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \exists \mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $\mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \cap Cl(\mathcal{N}) \neq \tilde{0}$. For every $\mathcal{FFP} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q$ such that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$, $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$. If $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ and $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha})$ then $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ and $\mathcal{M}_{\beta} \subset \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$. Thus $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) = x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'} \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$. This implies that $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q'}, \mathcal{M}_{\beta}) \cap Cl(\mathcal{N}) \neq \tilde{0}$. Hence, $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}} \underset{r}{\propto} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

Sufficiency. Since $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}$ r-accumulates to $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathcal{M} , $\forall \mathcal{N} \in \mathfrak{N}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \exists (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0) \in \mathbb{D}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ such that $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) = x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$ and $\phi_{\mathfrak{F}}(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) \cap Cl(\mathcal{N}) \neq \tilde{0}$, $\forall (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0)$. This implies that $\mathcal{M}_0 \subset \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$ because $\forall \mathcal{FFP} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q$ in $\mathbb{P} \ x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_0$ we have $(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q, \mathcal{M}_0) \geq (x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^{q_0}, \mathcal{M}_0)$, $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^q \in \mathcal{M}_{\alpha}$. Consequently, $\mathcal{M}_{\alpha} \cap Cl(\mathcal{N}) \neq \tilde{0}$. Hence, $\mathfrak{F} \underset{r}{\propto} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ in \mathcal{M} . □

4. Fermatean fuzzy C-compactness

DEFINITION 4.1. A family $\{\mathcal{G}_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of \mathcal{FFS} s of a $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is called a Fermatean fuzzy cover of \mathbb{P} if $\tilde{1} = \cup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \{\mathcal{G}_{\alpha}\}$.

DEFINITION 4.2. A $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is called Fermatean fuzzy compact if every \mathcal{FFO} cover of \mathbb{P} has a finite sub cover.

DEFINITION 4.3. A $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is said to be Fermatean fuzzy C-compact(\mathcal{FFC} -compact) if \forall proper \mathcal{FFC} crisp set \mathcal{M} of (\mathbb{P}) and $\forall \mathcal{FFO}$ cover $\{\mathcal{G}_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of \mathcal{M} , \exists a finite number of elements $\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_n}$ such that $\mathcal{M} \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})\}$.

THEOREM 4.4. *Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a $\mathcal{FFT}S$. If \mathbb{P} is Fermatean fuzzy compact then it is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.*

PROOF. Easy and left to the readers. □

DEFINITION 4.5. A $\mathcal{FFS} M$ in a $\mathcal{FFT}S (\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is called:

- (a) Fermatean fuzzy regular open (\mathcal{FFRO}) if $M = \text{Int}(Cl(M))$. The collection of all \mathcal{FFRO} sets of \mathbb{P} will be denoted by $\mathcal{FFROS}(\mathbb{P})$.
- (b) Fermatean fuzzy regular closed (\mathcal{FFRC}) if $M^c \in \mathcal{FFROS}(\mathbb{P})$. The collection of all \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} will be denoted by $\mathcal{FFRCS}(\mathbb{P})$.

REMARK 4.6. *In a $\mathcal{FFT}S (\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$, $\mathcal{FFROS}(\mathbb{P}) \subset \Omega$ and $\mathcal{FFRCS}(\mathbb{P}) \subset \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$, but the reverse containment may not be true.*

Example Let $\mathbb{P} = \{p_1, p_2\}$ be an universe of discourse and $\Omega = \{\tilde{0}, M, \tilde{1}\}$ be a \mathcal{FFT} on \mathbb{P} . Where, $M = \{ \langle p_1, 0.8, 0.7 \rangle, \langle p_2, 0.7, 0.8 \rangle \}$. Then $M \in \Omega$ (resp. $M^c \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$) but $M \notin \mathcal{FFROS}(\mathbb{P})$ (resp. $M^c \notin \mathcal{FFRCS}(\mathbb{P})$).

THEOREM 4.7. *Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a $\mathcal{FFT}S$ and $M \in \mathcal{FFS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then $\text{Int}(Cl(M)) \in \mathcal{FFROS}(\mathbb{P})$ and $Cl(\text{Int}(M)) \in \mathcal{FFRCS}(\mathbb{P})$.*

THEOREM 4.8. *In a $\mathcal{FFT}S (\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ the next statements are equivalent:*

- (a) \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.
- (b) For each \mathcal{FFC} crisp set M of \mathbb{P} and each \mathcal{FFRO} cover $\mathcal{G} = \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of M \exists a finite number of elements $\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{G}_{\alpha_n}$ of \mathcal{G} such that $M \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$.
- (c) For each crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and for each collection $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of non empty \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $(\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M = \tilde{0}$, \exists a finite number of elements $\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_n}$ of \mathcal{F} such that $(\bigcap_{i=1}^n \text{Int}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M = \tilde{0}$.
- (d) For each crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and for each collection $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} , if for each finite subcollection $\{\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_n}\}$, of \mathcal{F} has the property that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n (\text{Int}(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$, then $(\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$.
- (e) For each crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and each $\mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{F} = \{M_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ in M \exists a $\mathcal{FFP} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in M$ such that $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (f) For each crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and each maximal $\mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{M} = \{M_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ in M \exists a $\mathcal{FFP} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in M$ such that $\mathfrak{M} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

PROOF. (a) \Rightarrow (b) Follows easily from Definition 4.3 and Remark 4.6.

(b) \Rightarrow (a). Suppose (b) holds. Let $\{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a \mathcal{FFO} cover of a crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then by thm $\{\text{Int}(Cl(\mathcal{G}_\alpha)) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ will be \mathcal{FFRO} cover of M . Therefore, by (b) \exists a finite sub collection $\{\text{Int}(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})) : i = 1, 2, 3 \dots n\}$ such that $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\text{Int}(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$. Consequently, $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$ and \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.

(b) \Rightarrow (c). Let M be a crisp \mathcal{FFCS} of \mathbb{P} . Let $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a collection of non empty \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $(\bigcap \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}) \cap M = \tilde{0}$ for each proper

crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then $\mathcal{U} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha^c : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ is \mathcal{FFRO} cover of crisp set $\mathcal{MFFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Therefore \exists a finite sub collection $\{\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i} = \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}^c : i = 1, 2, 3 \dots n\}$ of \mathcal{U} such that $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$. Now for each α_i we have, $Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) = Int(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c) = (Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c))^c = Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c)$. Therefore $\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))^c = M^c$. This shows that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M = M^c \cap M = \tilde{0}$, because M is a crisp set of \mathbb{P} .

(c) \Rightarrow (b). Let $\mathcal{U} = \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a \mathcal{FFRO} cover of a proper crisp set $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Therefore, $M \subset \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{G}_\alpha$. It follows that $M^c \supseteq (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{G}_\alpha)^c = \bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{G}_\alpha^c$. And so, $(\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{G}_\alpha^c) \cap M \subset M^c \cap M = \tilde{0}$, because M is a crisp set of \mathbb{P} . Therefore $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha^c : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ is a collection of non empty \mathcal{FFRCS} s of \mathbb{P} , satisfying $(\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mathcal{F}) \cap M = \tilde{0}$. And so by (c), \exists a finite sub collection $\{\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c : i = 1, 2, 3 \dots n\}$ of \mathcal{F} such that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c)) \cap M = \tilde{0}$. It follows that, $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c))^c$. Now for each α_i we have, $Int(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c) = (Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}^c))^c = Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})^c$. Therefore, we obtain that $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$.

(c) \Rightarrow (d). Let M be a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set of \mathbb{P} . Let $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a collection of non empty \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that for every finite subcollection $\{\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_n}\}$ of \mathcal{F} we have $\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$. We want to show that $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$. If $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M = \tilde{0}$, Then by (c), \exists a finite family $\{\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_1}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_2}, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_3}, \dots, \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_n}\}$, such that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M = \tilde{0}$, which is a contradiction. Hence $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$.

(d) \Rightarrow (c). Let M be a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set of \mathbb{P} and $\mathcal{F} = \{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a collection of non empty \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M = \tilde{0}$. We have to show that \exists a finite integer (say) n such that $\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M = \tilde{0}$. Suppose now that for every finite integer n we have $\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$. Then by (d) we have $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$ which is a contradiction.

(a) \Rightarrow (e). Suppose $\exists \mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{F} = \{M_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ in \mathcal{M} , such that $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ for all $\mathcal{FFP} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$. Then $\forall x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M} \exists N(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) \in \Omega$ and some $M_{\alpha(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)} \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $M_{\alpha(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)} \cap Cl(N(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)) = \tilde{0}$. The collection $\{N(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p) : x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}\}$ is a \mathcal{FFO} cover of \mathcal{M} , so by (a) \exists a finite sub collection $\{N(x_{(\zeta_i, \xi_i)}^p) : i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ such that $M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(N(x_{(\zeta_i, \xi_i)}^p))$. Let $M_{\alpha_0} \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $M_{\alpha_0} \subset \bigcap_{i=1}^n M_{\alpha(x_{(\zeta_i, \xi_i)}^p)}$. Since $M_{\alpha_0} \neq \tilde{0}$ there is some $1 \leq j \leq n$ such that $M_{\alpha_0} \cap Cl(N(x_{(\zeta_j, \xi_j)}^p)) \neq \tilde{0}$. This implies that $M_{\alpha(x_{(\zeta_j, \xi_j)}^p)} \cap Cl(N(x_{(\zeta_j, \xi_j)}^p)) \neq \tilde{0}$ which is a contradiction.

(e) \Rightarrow (d). Suppose \exists a crisp $M \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and a collection $\{\mathcal{F}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathcal{P} such that each finite subcollection $\{\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i} : i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ has a property that $(\bigcap_{i=1}^n Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M \neq \tilde{0}$, but $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M = \tilde{0}$. Then $(Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M, \alpha \in \Lambda$, together with all finite intersection of the form $\bigcap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_i})) \cap M$, form a $\mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{F}$ in \mathcal{M} . Then by (e) \mathfrak{F} r -accumulates to some $\mathcal{FFP} x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$. Thus $\forall N(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)$ containing $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ and each $Int(\mathcal{F}_\alpha), Cl(N(x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p)) \cap (Int(\mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M) \neq \tilde{0}$. The fact $\mathcal{F}_\alpha \cap M \neq \tilde{0}, \forall \alpha \in \Lambda$ and the assumption that $(\bigcap \mathcal{F}_\alpha) \cap M = \tilde{0}$ give the existence of an $\alpha_0 \in \Lambda$ such that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \notin \mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0}$. Therefore, $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \notin Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0})$ so that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0})^c \subset (Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0}))^c$. It then follows that $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in (\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0})^c \subset Cl((\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0})^c) \subset (Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0}))^c$.

which implies $Cl((\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0})^c) \cap Int(\mathcal{F}_{\alpha_0}) = \tilde{0}$, but this means $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x$. The contradiction gives $(\cap_{\alpha} \mathcal{F}_{\alpha}) \cap \mathcal{M} \neq \tilde{0}$.

(e) \Rightarrow (f) Let $\mathfrak{M} = \{\mathcal{M}_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a maximal \mathcal{FFFB} in a crisp set $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then by (e) $\mathfrak{M} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ so that $\mathfrak{M} \rightarrow_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$ by Theorem 3.5(c).

(f) \Rightarrow (e) Let $\mathfrak{F} = \{\mathcal{M}_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a \mathcal{FFFB} in a crisp set $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$. Then \exists a maximal \mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{M} such that $\mathfrak{M} \subset \mathfrak{F}$. By (f) $\mathfrak{M} \rightarrow_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$. Applying Theorem 3.5(a) and (b) we obtain that $\mathfrak{F} \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$. \square

THEOREM 4.9. *In a $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ the next statements are equivalent:*

- (a) \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.
- (b) For each crisp set $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and each \mathcal{FFN} ϕ in \mathcal{M} , \exists a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $\phi \propto_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.
- (c) For each crisp set $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{P})$ and each universal \mathcal{FFN} ϕ in \mathcal{M} \exists a \mathcal{FFP} $x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p \in \mathcal{M}$ such that $\phi \rightarrow_r x_{(\zeta, \xi)}^p$.

PROOF. Obvious. \square

THEOREM 4.10. *Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} . Then the next conditions are equivalent:*

- (a) \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.
- (b) If \mathcal{M} is a crisp \mathcal{FFCS} set of \mathbb{P} and \mathfrak{F} is a collection of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\cap_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} \mathcal{F})^c \exists$ a finite number of elements of \mathfrak{F} say $\mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2, \mathcal{F}_3, \dots, \mathcal{F}_n$, such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\cap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_i)))^c$.

PROOF. (a) \Rightarrow (b). Suppose that \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact. Let \mathcal{M} is a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set of \mathbb{P} and \mathfrak{F} is a collection of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\cap_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} \mathcal{F})^c = \bigcup_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} (\mathcal{F}^c)$. Clearly $\mathfrak{U} = \{\mathcal{F}^c : \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}\}$ is a \mathcal{FFRO} cover of \mathcal{M} . Since \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact, by Theorem 4.8(b), \mathfrak{U} has a finite subcover $\{\mathcal{F}_i^c : i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n (Cl(\mathcal{F}_i^c))$. But, $\bigcup_{i=1}^n (Cl(\mathcal{F}_i^c)) = (\cap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_i)))^c$ Hence, $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\cap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_i)))^c$.

(b) \Rightarrow (a). Let \mathcal{M} is a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set of \mathbb{P} . Let \mathfrak{F} be a collection of \mathcal{FFRO} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\bigcup_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} \mathcal{F})$. Put $\mathfrak{U} = \{\mathcal{F}^c : \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}\}$. Then \mathfrak{U} is clearly a collection of \mathcal{FFRC} sets of \mathbb{P} such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \bigcup_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} \mathcal{F} = \bigcup_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} (\mathcal{F}^c)^c = (\cap_{\mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}} \mathcal{F}^c)^c$. Hence by (b) \exists a finite number of elements, say $\mathcal{F}_1, \mathcal{F}_2, \mathcal{F}_3, \dots, \mathcal{F}_n$, such that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq (\cap_{i=1}^n (Int(\mathcal{F}_i)))^c = (\bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{F}_i^c))$. Hence, \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact. \square

DEFINITION 4.11. Let \mathfrak{F} be a \mathcal{FFFB} . Then the $\mathcal{FFS} \cap \{Cl(\mathcal{F}) : \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}\}$ is called Fermatean fuzzy adherent (\mathcal{FFA}) set of \mathfrak{F} .

DEFINITION 4.12. A \mathcal{FFFB} \mathfrak{F} is said to be \mathcal{FFA} convergent if every \mathcal{FFO} neighborhood of the \mathcal{FFA} set of \mathfrak{F} contains an element of \mathfrak{F} .

THEOREM 4.13. A $\mathcal{FFTS}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is \mathcal{FFC} -compact if and only if every \mathcal{FFO} filter base is \mathcal{FFA} convergent.

PROOF. Necessity: Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFC} -compact and \mathfrak{F} be a \mathcal{FFO} filter base with the \mathcal{FFO} set \mathcal{M} . Let $\mathcal{N} \in \Omega$ be a crisp set containing \mathcal{M} . Then the collection $\mathfrak{U} = \{(Cl(\mathcal{F}))^c : \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}\}$ be a \mathcal{FFO} cover of crisp \mathcal{FFC} set \mathcal{N}^c of \mathbb{P} . Since \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact, \exists a finite sub family $\{(Cl(\mathcal{F}_i))^c : i = 1, 2, 3 \dots n\}$ of \mathfrak{U} such that $\mathcal{N}^c \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{(Cl(\mathcal{F}_i))^c\} \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{\mathcal{F}_i^c\} = \bigcap_{i=1}^n \{\mathcal{F}_i\}$. It follows that, $\bigcap_{i=1}^n \{\mathcal{F}_i\} \subset \mathcal{N}$. Since \mathfrak{F} is a \mathcal{FFFB} $\exists \mathcal{F} \in \mathfrak{F}$ such that $\mathcal{F} \subset \bigcap_{i=1}^n \{\mathcal{F}_i\} \subset \mathcal{N}$. Hence \mathfrak{F} is \mathcal{FFA} convergent.

Sufficiency: Assume that \mathbb{P} is not \mathcal{FFC} -compact and every \mathcal{FFO} filter base is \mathcal{FFA} convergent. Therefore, \exists a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set \mathcal{F} and a \mathcal{FFO} cover $\mathfrak{U} = \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$ of \mathcal{F} such that $\mathcal{F} \not\subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})$ for every finite sub family of \mathfrak{U} . Let $\mathcal{V}_n = \{(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))^c : i = 1, 2, 3 \dots n\}$. Then $\{\mathcal{V}_n\}$ is a \mathcal{FFO} filter base. Now, $\bigcap \{Cl(\mathcal{V}_n)\} = \bigcap_{i=1}^n \{(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))^c\} \subset \bigcap_{i=1}^n \{(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})^c\} \subset \mathcal{F}^c$. Therefore $\exists \mathcal{V}_n$ contained in \mathcal{F}^c . Hence, $\mathcal{F} \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))\}$, which is a contradiction. \square

THEOREM 4.14. Let $\varphi : (\mathbb{P}, \Omega) \rightarrow (\mathbb{Q}, \tau)$ be a Fermatean fuzzy continuous surjective mapping and \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact. Then \mathbb{Q} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.

PROOF. Let \mathcal{M} , be a crisp \mathcal{FFC} set of \mathbb{Q} . Let $\mathfrak{U} = \{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a \mathcal{FFO} cover of \mathbb{Q} . Since φ is Fermatean fuzzy continuous, $\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{M})$ is a crisp \mathcal{FFCS} of \mathbb{P} and $\{\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_\alpha) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ is a \mathcal{FFO} cover of $\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{M})$ in \mathbb{P} . Since \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact, there exists a finite sub family $\{\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_1}), \varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_2}), \varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_3}), \dots, \varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_n})\}$ such that $\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{M}) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{Cl(\varphi^{-1}(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))\} \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{\varphi^{-1}(Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}))\}$. It follows that $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \{Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})\}$. Hence, \mathbb{Q} is \mathcal{FFC} -compact. \square

DEFINITION 4.15. Let (\mathbb{P}, Ω) be a \mathcal{FFTS} and \mathbb{Y} be a nonempty crisp subset of \mathbb{P} . Then $\Omega_{\mathbb{Y}} = \{\mathcal{M} \cap \mathbb{Y} : \mathcal{M} \in \Omega\}$, is said to be the Fermatean fuzzy relative topology on \mathbb{Y} and $(\mathbb{Y}, \Omega_{\mathbb{Y}})$ is called a Fermatean fuzzy subspace (\mathcal{FFSS}) of (\mathbb{P}, Ω) .

THEOREM 4.16. Let $(\mathbb{Y}, \Omega_{\mathbb{Y}})$ be a \mathcal{FFSS} of a \mathcal{FFTS} (\mathbb{P}, Ω) and $\mathcal{M} \in FFS(\mathbb{P})$, then:

- (a) $\mathcal{M} \in \Omega_{\mathbb{Y}} \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} = \mathbb{Y} \cap \mathcal{O}$ for some $\mathcal{O} \in \Omega$.
- (b) $\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{FFCS}(\mathbb{Y}) \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} = \mathbb{Y} \cap \mathcal{F}$ for some $\mathcal{F} \in FFSC(\mathbb{P})$.

THEOREM 4.17. Let $(\mathbb{Y}, \Omega_{\mathbb{Y}})$ be a \mathcal{FFSS} of a \mathcal{FFTS} (\mathbb{P}, Ω) and $\mathcal{M} \in \Gamma_{\mathbb{Y}}$. If $\mathbb{Y} \in \Omega$ then $\mathcal{M} \in \Omega$.

THEOREM 4.18. Let $(\mathbb{Y}, \Omega_{\mathbb{Y}})$ be a \mathcal{FFSS} of a \mathcal{FFTS} (\mathbb{P}, Ω) . Then a \mathcal{FFS} $\mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{Y}} \in FFCS(\mathbb{Y}) \Rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{\mathbb{Y}} \in FFCS(\mathbb{P}) \Leftrightarrow \mathbb{Y} \in FFCS(\mathbb{P})$.

DEFINITION 4.19. A crisp subset \mathcal{M} of a \mathcal{FFTS} (\mathbb{P}, Ω) is called \mathcal{FFC} -compact if the \mathcal{FFSS} $(\mathbb{M}, \Omega_{\mathcal{M}})$ is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.

DEFINITION 4.20. A subset \mathcal{M} of a \mathcal{FFTS} (\mathbb{P}, Ω) is called \mathcal{FFC} -compact relative to Ω if every \mathcal{FFO} cover of \mathcal{M} has a finite subfamily whose closure covers \mathcal{M} .

THEOREM 4.21. Every Fermatean fuzzy closed open crisp subset of a \mathcal{FFC} -compact space is \mathcal{FFC} -compact.

THEOREM 4.22. Every Fermatean fuzzy closed crisp subset \mathcal{M} of an \mathcal{FFC} -compact space (\mathbb{P}, Ω) is \mathcal{FFC} -compact relative to Ω .

PROOF. Follows from Definition 4.20 and Theorem 4.18 \square

THEOREM 4.23. *A $\mathcal{FFT}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is \mathcal{FFC} -compact if \mathbb{P} is the finite union of \mathcal{FFO} C -compact crisp subsets.*

PROOF. suppose $\mathbb{P} = M \cup N$ where M and N are \mathcal{FFO} crisp subsets of \mathbb{P} and $(M, \Omega_M), (N, \Omega_N)$ are \mathcal{FFC} -compact. Let \mathcal{K} be a crisp \mathcal{FFCS} in \mathbb{P} and $\{\mathcal{G}_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a \mathcal{FFO} cover of \mathcal{K} . Since $M \in \Omega$, $\{\mathcal{G}_\alpha \cap M : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ is a $\Omega_M - \mathcal{FFO}$ cover of the $\Omega_M - \mathcal{FFC}$ crisp subset $\mathcal{K} \cap M$ of M . By hypothesis

$$\mathcal{K} \cap M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n \Omega_M - Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}) \cap M \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i}) \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Similarly

$$\mathcal{K} \cap N \subset \bigcup_{j=1}^m Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\beta_j}), \text{ for some } m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Hence, $\mathcal{K} \subset (\bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\alpha_i})) \cup (\bigcup_{j=1}^m Cl(\mathcal{G}_{\beta_j}))$ which implies that \mathbb{P} is \mathcal{FFC} - compact. \square

THEOREM 4.24. *A $\mathcal{FFT}\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P}, \Omega)$ is \mathcal{FFC} -compact if \mathbb{P} is the finite union of subsets of \mathbb{P} which are \mathcal{FFC} -compact relative to Ω .*

PROOF. Similar to that of Theorem 4.23 \square

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