# **Fuzzy Mean** *e***-Open and** *e***-Closed Sets**

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## **Abstract**

The notions of fuzzy mean *e* -open and *e* -closed sets is established. Moreover, some comparative study of these with other fuzzy mappings are investigated. Finally, we extend fuzzy mean *e* -open to fuzzy para *e* -open sets in fuzzy topology.

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### **1. Introduction**

Fuzzy sets were established by Zadeh [10] and the perception of fuzzy topology instigated by Chang [2] in 1968. The ideas of fuzzy minimal (resp. maximal open) [3] sets explored in [3]. Subsequently the concepts of fuzzy mean open set investigated by Swaminathan [9]. On combining fuzzy mean open [9] and fuzzy paraopen open [4] sets, we extend the perception of fuzzy mean open (resp. closed) sets and from which we investigate some results.

The following terminologies "fuzzy *e*-open (resp.closed), fuzzy *e*-mean open(resp.closed), fuzzy minimal *e*open(resp.maximal), fuzzyminimal *e*-closed set, (resp.maximal), fuzzy *e*-paraopen(resp.paraclosed) and fuzzy *e*-connected topological space respectively abbreviated as F*e*-O, F*e*-C, FME*e*-O, FME*e*-C, FMI*e*-O, FMA*e*-O, FMI*e*-C, FMA*e*-C, F*e*-PO, F*e*-PC and F*e*-CTS. Entire paper *F* stands for fuzzy topology (*F*, τ)".

### **2. Preliminaries**

**Definition 2.1.** *A fuzzy subset*  $\beta \in F$  *is said to be fuzzy regular open* [1] *if*  $\beta = Int$  [*Cl*( $\beta$ )]

The union of all fuzzy regular open sets contained in fuzzy subset  $β ∈ F$  is  $Fe$  -interior of  $β$ . If  $β = Intδ(β)$  then fuzzy subset β is called F *e* -O [8] such that its complement is called F *e* -C (i.e,  $β = Clδ(β)$ ).

**Definition 2.2.** [5] *A proper nonzero F e -O set*  $\beta \in F$  *is called (i) FMI e -O if only F e -O sets contained in* β. *are* β *and* 0 *(ii)FMA e -O if only F e -O sets containing* β *are* 1 *and* β *.*

**Definition 2.3.** *A FO set*  $\mu \in F$  *is said to be a FPO [4]set if it is neither FMIO nor FMAO set.* 

### **3. Fuzzy** *e***-Paraopen and** *e***-Paraclosed Sets**

**Definition 3.1.** *A F e -O set* ζ ⊂ ϝ *which is neither FMI e -O nor FMA e -O set is said to be F e -PO set .*

**Definition 3.2.** *A*  $F$  *e*  $-C$  *set*  $\alpha \subset F$  *is said to be a*  $F$  *e*  $-PC$  *set iff its complement*  $1 - \alpha$  *is F e -PO set.*

**Remark 3.1.** The converse of the statement: Every F *e* -PO set (resp.F *e* -PC ) is a FO set(resp.FC set). Need not to be true proven by following example.

### **Example 3.2.**

**Remark 3.3.** Union (resp.intersection) of F *e* -PO (resp. F *e* -PC) sets need not be F *e* -PO

(resp. F *e* -PC) set.

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $\mathbf{F}$  be a FTS and  $\alpha$  be a nonempty proper F  $e$  -PO subset of  $\mathbf{F}$ , then  $\exists$  a FMI  $e$  -O set  $\zeta$  with  $\zeta$  < α .

**Proof.** Clearly  $\zeta < \alpha$  as per the FMI *e* -O set definition.

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\alpha$  be a nonempty proper F *e* -PO subset of a FTS  $\beta$ , then  $\exists$  a  $\psi$ FMA  $e$  -O set with  $\alpha < \psi$ .

**Proof.** Clearly  $\alpha < \psi$  as per the FMA  $e$  -O set definition.

**Theorem 3.6.** Suppose that  $F$  is a FTS, then

(i)  $\zeta \wedge \zeta = 0$  or  $\zeta < \zeta$  for any F *e* -PO  $\zeta$  and a FMI *e* -O set  $\zeta$ . (ii)  $\zeta \vee \lambda = 1$  or  $\zeta$ < λ for any F *e* -PO ς and a FMA *e* -O set λ . (iii)Intersection of F *e* -PO sets is either F *e* -PO or FMI *e* -O set.

**Proof.** (i) For any F *e* -PO set  $\varsigma$  and a FMI *e* -O open set  $\zeta$  in  $\varsigma$ . Then  $\varsigma \wedge \zeta = 0$  or  $\varsigma \wedge \zeta \neq 0$ . If  $\varsigma \wedge \zeta = 0$ , then proof could be over. Assume  $\varsigma$   $\wedge$   $\zeta$   $\neq$  0 . Then we write ς ∧ ζ is a FO set and ς ∧ ζ < ζ . Hence ζ < ς .

(ii) For any F *e* -PO set  $\zeta$  and a FMA *e* -O set  $\xi$  in  $F$ . Then  $\zeta \vee \xi = 1$  or  $\zeta \vee \xi \neq 1$ . If ς  $V \xi = 1$ , then proof could be over. Assume ς  $V \xi \neq 1$ . Clearly, ς  $V \gamma$  is a FO set and  $\gamma \leq \zeta V \gamma$ . Hence  $\gamma$  is a FMA *e* -O set, ς  $V$   $\gamma$  =  $\gamma$  implies  $\varsigma$  <  $\gamma$ .

(iii)Let ς and ξ be a F *e* -PO sets in ϝ . If ς ∧ ξ is a F *e* -PO set, then proof could be over. Suppose ς ∧ ξ is not a F *e* -PO set. By definition, ς ∧ ξ is a FMI *e* -O or FMA *e* -O set. If ς ∧ ξ is a FMI *e* -O set, then proof could be over. Suppose ς ∧ ξ is a FMA *e* -O set. Now ς ∧ ξ < ς and ς ∧ ξ < ξ contradicting the fact that ς and ξ are F *e* -PO sets. Hence, ς ∧ ξ is not a FMA *e* -O set. (i.e.) ς ∧ ξ is a FMI *e* -O set.

**Theorem 3.7.** A subset λ of a FTS ϝ is F *e* -PC iff it is neither FMA *e* -C nor FMI *e* –C set.

**Proof.** The complement of FMI *e* -O set and FMA *e* -O set are FMA *e* -C set and FMI *e* -

C set respectively.

**Theorem 3.8.** Let  $\lambda$  be a nonempty F *e* -PC subset of a FTS  $F$ . Then  $\exists$  a FMI *e* -C set  $\psi$  with  $\psi < \lambda$ .

**Proof.** Clearly by FMI *e* -C set definition, it follows that  $\psi < \lambda$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** Suppose that  $\lambda$  is a nonempty F *e* -PC subset of FTS  $\mu$  then  $\exists$  a FMA *e* -C set  $\kappa$  such that  $\lambda < \kappa$ .

**Proof.** Clearly by FMA  $e$  -C set definition, it follows that  $\lambda < \kappa$ .

**Theorem 3.10.** Suppose that  $F$  is a FTS then

(i)  $\kappa \wedge \eta = 0$  or  $\eta < \kappa$  for any F  $e$  -PC set  $\kappa$  and FMI  $e$  -C set  $\eta$ . (ii)  $\kappa \vee \zeta = 1$  or κ < ζ for any F *e* -PC set κ and FMA *e* -C set ζ .

(iii) Intersection of F *e* -PC sets is either F *e* -PC or FMI *e* -C set.

**Proof.** (i) Suppose that  $\kappa$  is a F *e* -PC and  $\eta$  is a FMI *e* -C set in  $\kappa$ . Then  $(1 - \kappa)$  is F *e* -PO and  $(1 - \eta)$  is FMA *e* -O set in  $F$ . Then by Theorem 3.6 (ii)  $(1 - \kappa)$   $\vee$   $(1 - \eta) = F$  or  $(1 - \kappa) < (1 - \eta)$  implying  $1 - (\kappa \wedge \eta) = 1$  or  $\eta$  < κ . Hence, κ ∧ η = 0 or η < κ .

(ii) Suppose that  $\kappa$  is a F *e* -PC and  $\zeta$  is a FMA *e* -C set in  $\mu$ . Then  $(1 - \kappa)$  is F *e* -PO and  $(1 - \zeta)$  is FMI *e* -O sets in  $\zeta$ . Then by Theorem 3.6(i)  $(1 - \kappa) \wedge (1 - \zeta) = 0$  or  $1 - \zeta < 1 - \kappa$  implying  $1 - (\kappa \vee \zeta) = 0$  or  $\kappa < \zeta$ . Hence,  $\kappa \vee \zeta = 1$  or  $\kappa < \zeta$ .

(iii)Suppose that κ and ξ is a F *e* -PC sets in ϝ . If κ ∧ ξ is a F *e* -PC set, then proof could be over. Suppose κ ∧ ξ is not a F *e* -PC set. Then clearly, κ ∧ ξ is FMI *e* -C or FMA *e* -C set. Suppose κ ∧ ξ is a FMI *e* -C set, then proof could be over. Suppose κ ∧ ξ is a FMA *e* -C set. Now κ < κ ∧ ξ and ξ < κ ∧ ξ a contradiction for κ and ξ are F *e* -PC sets. Hence, κ ∧ ξ is not a FMA *e* -C set. (i.e.) κ ∧ ξ is a FMI *e* -C set.

#### **4. Fuzzy Mean** *e***-Open and** *e***-Closed Sets**

**Definition 4.1.** *A F e -O set*  $\psi \subseteq F$  *is said to be a FME e -O set* if  $\exists \omega 1, \omega 1 (\neq \psi)$  *two distinct proper F e -O sets*  $such that \omega1 < \psi < \omega2$ .

**Remark 4.1.** It could be understood from the succeding example that the union and

intersection of FME *e* -O need not be FME *e* -O sets.

**Example 4.2.** Let  $F = \{x, y, z, w\}$ . Then fuzzy sets



and  $\omega_1 = \{(0.5, x), (0.6, y), (0.6, z), (0.5, w)\}$  of the fuzzy topology  $\tau = \{0,$ ω1, ω2, ω3, ω4, 1} . Hence ω2 and ω3 are FME *e* -O sets but their union ω2 ∨ ω3 = ω4 and intersection ω2 ∧ ω3 = ω1 are not FME *e* -O sets.

**Definition 4.2.** *A F e -C set*  $\nu \subset F$  *is said to be a FME e -C set if two F e -C sets* ξ $1 \neq$  ξ $1($  $\neq$  *ν*) *such that* ξ $1 < v <$  ξ $2$ .

**Definition 4.3.** *A F e -O set*  $\zeta \subset F$  *which is neither FMI e -O nor FMA e -O set is said to be F e -PO set where its complement is known to be F e -PC set.*

**Theorem 4.3.** A F *e* -O set of a fts is a FME *e* -O set iff its complement is a FME *e* -C set.

**Proof.** By deploying definition 4.1 for any FME *e* -O set  $\psi$  in  $\psi$  we have  $\omega$ 1 <  $\psi$  <  $\omega$ 2

implying that  $1 - \omega^2 < 1 - \omega^2 < 1 - \omega^2$ . Clearly  $1 - \omega^2 \neq 0$ ,  $1 - \omega$  and  $1 - \omega^2 \neq 1 - \omega$ , 1. Hence  $1 - \omega$  is a FME *e* -C set.

Conversly, Let  $1 - \psi$  is a FME *e* -C set for any FME *e* -O set  $\psi$  in  $\psi$ . By definition 4.2, F *e* -C sets  $\xi 1 \neq \psi$ ,  $1 - \psi$ and  $\xi_2 \neq 1$ ,  $1 - \psi$  such that  $\xi_1 < 1 - \psi$  <  $\xi_2$  implying that 1 − ξ2 < ψ < 1 − ξ1 . As ξ2 ≠0, ψ and 1 − ξ1 ≠ ψ, 1 ; ψ is a FME *e* -O set.

**Theorem 4.4.** A proper F *e* -PO set is a FME *e* -O set and vice-e-versa.

**Proof.** The proof of necessary part is obvious by theorem 1.7 [9].

Conversely, let  $\psi$  be a proper FME *e* -O set in  $\psi$ . Then two F *e* -O sets  $\zeta$ 1  $\neq$   $\zeta$ 2 such that  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\psi$  <  $\zeta$ 2 . Clearly  $\psi$  is neither FMI *e* -O nor FMA *e* -O set as  $\zeta$ 1  $\neq$  0,  $\psi$  and  $\zeta$ 2  $\neq$   $\psi$ , 1. As  $\psi \neq 0, 1$ ,  $\psi$  is a proper F *e* -PO set.

**Theorem 4.5.** A proper F *e* -PC set is a FME *e* -C set and vice-e-versa.

**Proof.** The proof of necessary part is obvious by theorem 1.10 [9].

Conversely, let  $\vartheta$  be a proper FME *e* -C set in  $\varphi$ . Then two F *e* -C sets  $\nu$ 1  $\neq \nu$ 2  $\neq \vartheta$  such that  $\nu$ 1 <  $\vartheta$  <  $\nu$ 2. Clearly  $\vartheta$ is neither a FMI *e* -C nor a FMA *e* -C set as  $\nu 1 \neq 0$ ,  $\ntheta$  and  $\nu 2 \neq 1$ ,  $\ntheta$ . As  $\ntheta \neq 0$ ,  $1$ ,  $\ntheta$  is a proper F *e* -PC set.

**Theorem 4.6. ([5])** Let  $F$  be a fts.

(i) If  $\zeta$  is a FMI *e* -O and  $\xi$  is a F *e* -O sets in  $F$ , then  $\zeta \wedge \xi = 0$  or  $\zeta < \xi$ . (ii)If  $\zeta$  and  $\kappa$  are FMI *e* -O sets, then  $\zeta \wedge \xi = 0$  or  $\zeta = \xi$ .

**Theorem 4.7. ([5])** Let **ϝ** be a fts.

(i) If  $\zeta$  is a FMA *e* -O and  $\xi$  is a F *e* -O sets in  $\zeta$ , then  $\zeta \vee \xi = 1$  or  $\xi < \zeta$ . (ii)If  $\zeta$  and  $\kappa$  are FMA *e* -O set, then  $\zeta \vee \kappa = 1$  or  $\zeta = \kappa$ .

**Theorem 4.8.** If ξ1 is a FMA *e* -O set and ξ2 is a FMI *e* -O set of a fts ϝ , then either ξ2 < ξ1 or ϝ is fuzzy *e* – disconnected.

**Theorem 4.9.** Let a F *e* -CTS  $_F$  contain a FMA *e* -O set  $\zeta$ 2, a FMI *e* -O set  $\zeta$ 1 ≠  $\zeta$ 2 and a proper F *e* -O set  $\xi \neq \zeta$ 1,  $\zeta$ 2 . Then exactly one of the succeeding could be true on ϝ :

(i)  $\xi$  is a FME *e* -O set with  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\xi$  <  $\zeta$ 2.

- (ii) ζ1 < 1 − ξ < ζ2.
- (iii)  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ,  $\zeta$ 1  $\vee$  ξ = 1 and  $\zeta$ 2  $\wedge$  ξ  $\neq$  0. (iv)  $\xi < \zeta/2$ ,  $\zeta/1 \wedge \zeta/2 = 0$  and  $\zeta/1 \vee \zeta/2 \neq 1$ .

**Proof.** By deploying theorem 4.8, a FMI *e* -O set  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\zeta$ 2 a FMA *e* -O set. This implies either  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\zeta$  or  $\zeta$ 1  $\wedge$   $\xi$  = 0 and  $\xi < \zeta$  or  $\zeta$   $2 \vee \xi = 1$ . Hence the feasible combinations are (i)  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\xi < \zeta$  , (ii)  $\zeta$ 1  $\wedge$   $\xi = 0$ ;  $\zeta$ 2  $\vee$   $\xi = 1$ , (iii)  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ ; ζ2  $V \xi = 1$ , (iv) ζ1  $\Lambda \xi = 0$  and  $\xi <$  ζ2.

Clearly  $\zeta$ 1 < 1 − ξ <  $\zeta$ 2 if (ii) is true. Also,  $0 \neq \zeta$ 1 <  $\zeta$ 1 ∧  $\xi$  as  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\zeta$ 2 and (iii) is true. Again  $\zeta$ 1 ∨ ξ <  $\zeta$ 2 ≠ 1 as  $\zeta$ 1  $<$   $\zeta$ 2 and (iv) is true.

Case(I): As (i) and (ii) are true, then  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ  $\vee$  (1 - ξ) <  $\zeta$ 2 and  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ  $\wedge$  (1 - ξ) <  $\zeta$ 2 . As  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ  $\vee$  (1 - ξ) <  $\zeta$ 2  $\zeta$ 1  $\langle 1 \rangle$   $\langle 2 \rangle$  then  $\langle 2 \rangle$  = 1, an absurd result. Similarly, for  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ  $\wedge$  (1 - ξ) <  $\zeta$ 2 we get  $\zeta$ 1 = 0, an absurd result.

Case(II): As both (i),(iii) are true, then  $\xi < \zeta$  and  $\zeta$   $2 \vee \xi = 1$  gives  $\zeta$   $2 = 1$ , an absurd result.

Case(III): As both (i),(iv) are true, then  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\xi$  and  $\zeta$ 1  $\wedge$   $\xi$  = 0 gives  $\zeta$ 1 = 0, an absurd result.

Case(IV): As both (ii),(iii) are true, then  $\zeta$ 1 < 1 −  $\xi$  and  $\zeta$ 1 <  $\xi$  gives  $\zeta$ 1 = 0, an absurd result.

Case(V): As both (ii),(iv) are true, then  $1 - \xi < 2$  and  $\xi < 2$  gives  $\zeta = 1$ , an absurd result.

Case(VI): As both (iii),(iv) are true, then  $\zeta$ 1 < ξ < ζ2, ζ2  $\vee$  ξ = 1 and ζ1  $\wedge$  ξ = 0. Clearly ζ2 = 1 as ξ < ζ2 and ζ2 ∨ ξ = 1 a contradiction. Simlilarly, we get ζ1 = 0 as ζ1 < ξ and ζ1 ∧ ξ = 0 a contradiction.

**Theorem 4.10.** Let a F  $e$  -CTS  $\Gamma$  contain a FMA  $e$  -C set  $\nu$ 2, a FMI  $e$  -C set  $\nu$ 1 with  $\nu$ 1  $\neq \nu$ 2 and a proper F  $e$  -C set  $\beta \neq v1$ ,  $v2$ . Then any one of them could be true on  $F$ :

- (i)  $\beta$  is a FME *e* -C set such that  $\nu$ 1 <  $\beta$  <  $\nu$ 2.
- (ii)  $v1 < 1 β < v2$ .
- (iii)  $\beta < v^2$ ,  $v^1 \wedge \beta = 0$  and  $v^1 \vee \beta \neq 1$
- (iv)  $\nu$ 1 <  $\beta$ ,  $\nu$ 2  $\nu$   $\beta$  = 1 and  $\nu$ 2  $\wedge$   $\beta$   $\neq$ 0.

**Proof.** Let  $F$  be a  $F$  *e* -CTS containing  $1 - v1$ , a FMA *e* -O set;  $1 - v2$  a FMI *e* -O set and  $1 - \beta$  a proper  $F$  *e* -O set such that  $1 - v1 \neq 1 - v2$  and  $1 - \beta \neq 1 - v1$ ,  $1 - v2$ . By deploying Theorem 4.9, any one of them could be true:

- (i) For any FME  $e$  -O set  $1-\beta$  we get  $\nu1 < \beta < \nu2$  as  $1-\nu2 < 1-\beta < 1-\nu1$ , Hence,  $\beta$  is a FME *e* -C set.
- (ii) Clearly,  $v1 < 1 \beta < v2$ . as  $1 v2 < 1 (1 \beta) < 1 v1$
- (iii) If  $1-\nu^2 < 1-\beta$ ;  $(1-\nu1) \vee (1-\beta) = 1$  and  $(1-\nu1) \wedge (1-\beta) \neq 0$  then  $\beta < \nu^2$ ;  $\nu^2 \wedge 1 \beta = 0$  and  $\nu^2 \vee 1 \beta = 1$ .

(iv) If  $1-\beta < 1-\nu1$ ;  $(1-\nu2)\Lambda(1-\beta) = 0$  and  $(1-\nu2)$   $\vee$   $(1-\beta) \neq 1$  then  $\nu1 < \beta$ ;  $\nu2\vee \beta = 1$  and  $\nu2 \wedge \beta \neq 0$ .

**Theorem 4.11.** Let two distinct FMA *e* -O and FME *e* -O sets in ϝ. Then intersection of

the two FMA *e* -O sets is nonzero.

**Proof.** By deploying theorem 4.7,  $\kappa$ 1 V  $\kappa$ 2 = 1 for any two distinct FMA *e* -O sets  $\kappa$ 1 and  $\kappa$ 1 in  $F$ . Let  $\sigma$  be a FME *e* -O set in a fts  $_F$  then  $\sigma$  is neither FMA *e* -O nor FMI *e* -O such that,  $\sigma \neq \kappa$ 1,  $\kappa$ 2 and  $\sigma \neq 1$ . By Theorem 4.7, we get σ ≨ κ1 or σ ∨ κ1 = 1 and σ ≨ κ2 or σ ∨ κ2 = 1. The feasible combinations are (i) σ ≨ κ1 and σ ≨ κ2 , (ii) σ ≨ κ1 and σ ∨ κ2 = 1, (iii) σ ≨ κ2 and σ  $V$  κ1 = 1 and (iv) σ  $V$  κ1 = 1 and σ  $V$  κ2 = 1. Case (I): Obviously true.

Case (II): By assuming  $\sigma \wedge \kappa^2 \neq 0$ , we have to prove that  $\kappa \wedge \kappa^2 \neq 0$ . As  $\sigma \wedge \kappa^2 \neq 0$  and  $\sigma \not\leq \kappa \wedge 1$ , then *there exists*  $x\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $x\alpha \neq \mathbb{R}$  . Since  $\sigma \vee \mathbb{R}$  = 1,  $x\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ . So, κ1  $\land$  κ2  $\neq$  0.

Case (III): Similar to previous case.

Case (IV): As  $\sigma$  V  $\kappa$ 1 = 1;  $\sigma$  V  $\kappa$ 2 = 1 imply that  $\sigma$  V  $(\kappa$ 1  $\wedge$   $\kappa$ 2) = 1 then  $\sigma$  = 1 if  $\kappa$ 1  $\wedge$   $\kappa$ 2 = 0. Again  $\kappa$ 1  $\wedge$   $\kappa$ 2  $\neq$  0 as  $\sigma \neq 1$ .

**Theorem 4.12.** Let two distinct FMI *e* -O and FME *e* -O sets in ϝ. Then union of the two

FMI *e* -O sets is not equal to 1.

**Proof.** By deploying theorem 4.6,we have  $\kappa$ 1  $\vee$   $\kappa$ 2 = 0 for any two distinct FMI *e* -O sets κ1 , κ2 in a fts ϝ. Let σ being a FME *e* -O set in ϝ, then it is neither FMA *e* -O nor FMI *e* -O. Hence,  $\sigma \neq \kappa$ 1,  $\kappa$ 2 and  $\sigma \neq 0$ , 1 . By theorem 4.6, we get  $\kappa$ 1  $\leq \sigma$  or  $\sigma \wedge \kappa$ 1 = 0 and  $\kappa$ 2  $\leq \sigma$  or  $\sigma \wedge \kappa$ 2 = 0. The possible combinations are (I) κ1  $\leq$  σ and κ2  $\leq$  σ , (II) κ1  $\leq$  σ and σ ∧ κ2 = 0 , (III) κ2  $\leq$  σ and σ ∧ κ1 = 0 and (IV)  $\sigma \wedge \kappa$ 1 = 0 and  $\sigma \wedge \kappa$ 2 = 0 as  $\sigma \neq 1$ .

Case I: Obviously, if  $\kappa$ 1  $\leq \sigma$  and  $\kappa$ 2  $\leq \sigma$  then  $\kappa$ 1  $\vee$   $\kappa$ 2  $\neq$  1.

Case II: Suppose that  $\sigma \vee \kappa 2 \neq 1$ . Since  $\kappa 1 \not\leq \sigma$ , then there exists  $x\alpha \in \sigma$  such that  $x\alpha \neq \kappa 1$ .

As  $\sigma$   $\wedge$   $\kappa$ 2 = 0 ; clearly  $x\alpha \neq \kappa$ 2 . Hence,  $x\alpha \neq \kappa$ 1,  $\kappa$ 2 imply that  $\kappa$ 1  $\vee$   $\kappa$ 2  $\neq$  1. Case III: Similar to previous case.

Case IV: As  $\sigma \wedge \kappa 1 = 0$ ;  $\sigma \wedge \kappa 2 = 0$  imply that  $\sigma \wedge (\kappa 1 \vee \kappa 2) = 0$  then  $\sigma = 0$  if  $\kappa 1 \vee \kappa 2 =$ .

Clearly  $\kappa$ 1  $\vee$   $\kappa$ 2  $\neq$  1 as  $\sigma \neq 0$ .

"On combining theorems 4.11 and 4.12, we get theorems 4.13 and 4.14 and the proofs succeeded by theorems 4.11 and 4.12."

**Theorem 4.13.** Let κ and *ρ* be distinct FMA *e* -C and FME *e* -C sets in a FTS respectively. Then the intersection of two FMA *e* -O sets is nonzero.

**Theorem 4.14.** Let ζ and ξ be distinct FMI *e* -C and FME *e* -C sets in a FTS respectively. Then the union of two FMI  $e$  -C sets is not equal to 1.

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