

Coding Theorems on New ‘Useful’ Fuzzy Information

Measure of Order α and Type β

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we define a new two parametric ‘useful’ fuzzy average code-word length $L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U)$ of order α and type β for a fuzzy set ‘A’. Also, with the help of Kraft’s inequality, the bounds of the proposed $L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U)$ are found in terms of the fuzzy information measure $H_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U)$.

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1.INTRODUCTION

Fuzzy set theory is highly important in modelling inexact and complex systems and has been used in an effective manner as a decision making system in the area of control [1, 2]. The fuzzy set theory was developed by L. Zadeh [3] and defined the entropy of a fuzzy event as uncertainty associated with it. Fuzziness being a feature of uncertainty, results due to lack of sharp difference of being a member of a particular set or not. A fuzzy subset ‘A’ defined on a universe of discourse $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ is given as:

$$A = \{(x, \mu_A(x)) : x \in X, \mu_A(x) \in [0,1]\}.$$

Here $\mu_A(x)$ is a membership function of ‘A’ which describes the degree of belongingness of ‘x’ in ‘A’. When $\mu_A(x)$ is valued either ‘0’ or ‘1’, it is the characteristic function of a crisp set or a non-fuzzy set.

We consider a utility distribution as $U = \{(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n); u_i > 0 \forall i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ where u_i denotes the utility of x_i . Corresponding to the information source,

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \dots & x_n \\ p_1 & p_2 & \dots & p_n \\ u_1 & u_2 & \dots & u_n \end{bmatrix}; p_i \geq 0, \sum_{i=1}^n p_i = 1 \quad (1)$$

Belis and Guiasu [4] gave the following measure of information, and called it as ‘useful’ information

$$H(P;U) = - \sum_{i=1}^n u_i p_i \log p_i \quad (2)$$

If utility is ignored in (2) (i.e., $u_i = 1 \forall i=1, 2, \dots, n$), then this measure reduces to Shannon's [5] entropy measure. Guiasu and Picard [6] considered the problem of encoding letter output by the above source (1) by means of a single letter prefix, with code-words $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n$ and lengths $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_n$ that satisfy the Kraft's

[7] inequality i.e., $\sum_{i=1}^n D^{-l_i} \leq 1$ ('D' being the size of code alphabet). They gave the following quantity (3) and

$$\text{called it as 'useful' mean length of the code: } L(U) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i p_i l_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i p_i} \quad (3)$$

Guiasu and Picard [6] have given the average length for 'useful' codes and for this Longo [8] proved a noiseless coding theorem. Several other authors have given generalized coding theorems for different fuzzy information measures under the condition of uniquely decipherability. A. H. Bhat and M. A. K. Baig [9, 10], A. H. Bhat, M. A. Bhat, M. A. K. Biag and Saima Manzoor [11], D. S. Hooda and U. S. Bhaker [12], Priti Jain and R. K. Tuteja [13] etc are some of them.

II. BOUNDS FOR NEW 'USEFUL' FUZZY INFORMATION MEASURE

In this paper, we consider the 'useful' fuzzy measure given by Saima [14] et. al. in the paper entitled 'A New Generalized 'Useful' Fuzzy Information Measure and its Properties' as:

$$H_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U) = \frac{\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right];$$

$$0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \text{ \& } u_i > 0 \quad (4)$$

and then obtain the bounds of 'useful' fuzzy average code-word length i.e.,

$$L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U) = \frac{\alpha\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha} \right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right];$$

$$0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \text{ \& } u_i > 0 \quad (5)$$

in terms of (4) under the following condition:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\} D^{-l_i} \leq 1 \quad (6)$$

which is the generalization of fuzzy Kraft's [7] inequality. Here 'D' is the size of code alphabet.

Theorem 1: For all integers 'D' ($D > 1$), let the code-word length l_i ($i = 1, 2, \dots, n$) satisfies (6), then the average 'useful' fuzzy code-word length satisfies:

$$H_\alpha^\beta(A; U) \leq L_\alpha^\beta(A; U); 0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \& u_i > 0 \quad (7)$$

Equality holds in (7) iff

$$l_i = -\log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\}} \right] \quad (8)$$

Or we can write
$$l_i = -\log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \right\}} \right]$$

where
$$f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) = \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \quad (9)$$

Proof: By Holder's inequality, we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i \geq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^q \right)^{\frac{1}{q}}, \quad (10)$$

for all $x_i, y_i > 0; i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ & $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1; p < 1 (\neq 0), q < 0$ or $q < 1 (\neq 0), p < 0$.

The equality will hold if and only if there exists a positive constant 'c' such that $x_i^p = c y_i^q$.

Substituting $p = \frac{\alpha - 1}{\alpha}, q = 1 - \alpha, x_i = \left[\frac{u_i f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i))}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha - 1} \right)} D^{-l_i}$

$$\& y_i = \left[\frac{u_i f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i))}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha}\right)} \quad \text{in (10), we get}$$

$$\left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \geq$$

$$\left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha-1}\right)} \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha}\right)} \quad (11)$$

Using condition (6), we get

$$\left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha-1}\right)} \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha}\right)} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha}\right)} \leq \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha-1}\right)} \quad (12)$$

Applying logarithms with base 'D' to both sides of (12) and then multiplying both sides by $\beta > 0$ ($0 < \beta \leq 1$),

we get

$$\frac{\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \leq \frac{\alpha\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \quad (13)$$

Using (9) in (13), we get

$$\frac{\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \leq \frac{\alpha\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha} \right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]$$

Thus, the above can be written as:

$$H_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U) \leq L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U)$$

Hence, the result is established.

Theorem 2: For every code with lengths $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_n$ satisfying the condition (7), $L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U)$ can be made to satisfy the inequality:

$$L_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U) < H_{\alpha}^{\beta}(A;U) + \beta; 0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \text{ \& } u_i > 0 \quad (14)$$

Proof: We have from theorem 1, the equality holds in (7) if and only if

$$D^{-l_i} = \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \right\}} \right]; 0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \text{ \& } u_i > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow l_i = \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]$$

We consider a positive integer l_i ($i=1, 2, \dots, n$) in such a way that it satisfies the inequality:

$$\log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \leq l_i < \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + 1 \quad (15)$$

Now, considering the interval of length unity:

$$\delta_i = \left[\log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right], \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + 1 \right]$$

There exists exactly one positive integer l_i in every δ_i such that

$$0 < \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] \leq l_i < \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + 1 \quad (16)$$

We will first show that the defined sequence $l_1, l_2, \dots, l_n$ satisfies the generalized fuzzy Kraft [7] inequality (6).

Now, from (16), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] &\leq l_i \\ \Rightarrow D^{-l_i} &\leq \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (17)$$

Multiplying both sides of (17) by $\left[\frac{u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]$ and then summing over $i=1, 2, \dots, n$, we get

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{-l_i}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \leq 1$$

which is the generalized fuzzy Kraft [7] inequality. The last inequality in (16) gives:

$$l_i < \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow D^{l_i} < \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] D \quad (18)$$

For $0 < \alpha < 1$, raising power $\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)$ on both sides of (18), we get

$$D^{l_i \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)} < \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)} D^{\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)} \quad (19)$$

Multiplying both sides of (19) by $\frac{u_i f\{\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i}$ and summing over $i=1, 2, \dots, n$, we get:

$$\left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{l_i \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] < \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right]^{\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)} D^{\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)} \quad (20)$$

Applying logarithms to the base 'D' on both sides of (20), we get:

$$\log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{l_i \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}\right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] < \frac{1}{\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + \frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha}$$

Since, $0 < \alpha < 1$ & $0 < \beta \leq 1$, after suitable operations, we get:

$$\frac{\alpha\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \} D^{l_i \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{\alpha} \right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] < \frac{\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \{ f(\mu_A(x_i), \mu_{A'}(x_i)) \}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + \beta \text{Th}$$

e above can be written as

$$\frac{\alpha\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\} D^{-l_i \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{\alpha} \right)}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] < \frac{\beta}{1-\alpha} \log_D \left[\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i \left\{ \mu_A^{\beta(1-\alpha)}(x_i) + (1 - \mu_A(x_i))^{\beta(1-\alpha)} \right\}}{\sum_{i=1}^n u_i} \right] + \beta$$

Thus, we can write $L_\alpha^\beta(A) < H_\alpha^\beta(A) + \beta$; $0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \& u_i > 0$

III. CONCLUSION

In this paper, we define a new generalized ‘useful’ fuzzy mean code word length i.e., $L_\alpha^\beta(A;U)$ corresponding to $H_\alpha^\beta(A;U)$ and also show that

$$H_\alpha^\beta(A;U) \leq L_\alpha^\beta(A;U) < H_\alpha^\beta(A;U) + \beta; \quad 0 < \alpha < 1, 0 < \beta \leq 1, \beta > \alpha \& u_i > 0.$$

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