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## ANTI S-FUZZY NORMAL SUBHEMIRINGS AND LOWER LEVEL SUBSETS OF A HEMIRING

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we made an attempt to study the algebraic nature of an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring and lower level subset of a hemiring.

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### 0. Introduction

There are many concepts of universal algebras generalizing an associative ring  $(R; +; \cdot)$ . Some of them in particular, nearrings and several kinds of semirings have been prove very useful. Semirings (called also halfings) are algebras  $(R; +; \cdot)$  share the same properties as a ring except that  $(R; +)$  is assumed to be a semigroup rather than a commutative group. Semirings appear in a natural manner in some applications to the theory of automata and formal languages. An algebra  $(R; +, \cdot)$  is said to be a semiring if  $(R; +)$  and  $(R; \cdot)$  are semigroups satisfying  $a \cdot (b+c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c$  and  $(b+c) \cdot a = b \cdot a + c \cdot a$  for all  $a, b$  and  $c$  in  $R$ . A semiring  $R$  is said to be additively commutative if  $a+b = b+a$  for all  $a, b$  and  $c$  in  $R$ . A semiring  $R$  may have

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an identity 1, defined by  $1 \cdot a = a = a \cdot 1$  and a zero 0, defined by  $0+a = a = a+0$  and  $a \cdot 0 = 0 = 0 \cdot a$  for all  $a$  in  $R$ . A semiring  $R$  is said to be a hemiring if it is an additively commutative with zero. After the introduction of fuzzy sets by L.A.Zadeh[14], several researchers explored on the generalization of the concept of fuzzy sets. The notion of anti fuzzy left h- ideals in hemirings was introduced by Akram.M and K.H.Dar [1]. The notion of homomorphism and anti-homomorphism of fuzzy and anti-fuzzy ideal of a ring was introduced by N.Palaniappan & K.Arjunan[7]. In this paper, we introduce the some Theorems in anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring and lower level subset of a hemiring.

## 1. Preliminaries

**1.1 Definition:** A S-norm is a binary operation  $S: [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  satisfying the following requirements;

- (i)  $0 S x = x, 1 S x = 1$  (boundary condition)
- (ii)  $x S y = y S x$  (commutativity)
- (iii)  $x S (y S z) = (x S y) S z$  (associativity)
- (iv) if  $x \leq y$  and  $w \leq z$ , then  $x S w \leq y S z$  (monotonicity).

**1.2 Definition:** Let  $X$  be a non-empty set. A **fuzzy subset**  $A$  of  $X$  is a function  $A: X \rightarrow [0, 1]$ .

**1.3 Definition:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a hemiring. A fuzzy subset  $A$  of  $R$  is said to be an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring(anti fuzzy subhemiring with respect to S-norm) of  $R$  if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ ,
- (ii)  $\mu_A(xy) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ .

**1.4 Definition:** Let  $A$  and  $B$  be fuzzy subsets of sets  $G$  and  $H$ , respectively. Anti-product of  $A$  and  $B$ , denoted by  $A \times B$ , is defined as  $A \times B = \{ \langle (x, y), \mu_{A \times B}(x, y) \rangle / \text{for all } x \text{ in } G \text{ and } y \text{ in } H \}$ , where  $\mu_{A \times B}(x, y) = \max \{ \mu_A(x), \mu_B(y) \}$ .

**1.5 Definition:** Let  $A$  be a fuzzy subset in a set  $S$ , the anti-strongest fuzzy relation on  $S$ , that is a fuzzy relation on  $A$  is  $V$  given by  $\mu_V(x, y) = \max \{ \mu_A(x),$

$\mu_A(y)$  }, for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $S$ .

**1.6 Definition:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two hemirings. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be any function and  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring in  $R$ ,  $V$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring in  $f(R) = R^1$ , defined by  $\mu_V(y) = \inf_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} \mu_A(x)$ , for all  $x$  in  $R$  and  $y$  in  $R^1$ . Then  $A$  is called a preimage of  $V$  under  $f$  and is denoted by  $f^{-1}(V)$ .

**1.7 Definition:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a hemiring. An anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring  $A$  of  $R$  is said to be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring (ASFNSHR) of  $R$  if  $\mu_A(xy) = \mu_A(yx)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ .

**1.8 Definition:** Let  $A$  be a fuzzy subset of  $X$ . For  $\alpha$  in  $[0, 1]$ , the lower level subset of  $A$  is the set  $A_\alpha = \{x \in X : \mu_A(x) \leq \alpha\}$ .

## 2. SOME PROPERTIES:

**2.1 Theorem[11]:** Union of any two(a family) of anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemirings of a hemiring  $R$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$ .

**2.2 Theorem[11]:** If  $A$  and  $B$  are any two anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemirings of the hemirings  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  respectively, then anti-product  $A \times B$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R_1 \times R_2$ .

**2.3 Theorem[11]:** Let  $A$  be a fuzzy subset of a hemiring  $R$  and  $V$  be the anti-strongest fuzzy relation of  $R$ . Then  $A$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$  if and only if  $V$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R \times R$ .

**2.4 Theorem[11]:** Let  $R$  and  $R^1$  be any two hemirings. The homomorphic image (preimage) of an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R^1$ .

**2.5 Theorem[11]:** Let  $R$  and  $R^1$  be any two hemirings. The anti-homomorphic image (preimage) of an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R^1$ .

**2.6 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a hemiring. If any two anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemirings of  $R$ , then their union is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $x$  and  $y \in R$ . Let  $A = \{ \langle x, \mu_A(x) \rangle / x \in R \}$  and  $B = \{ \langle x, \mu_B(x) \rangle /$

$x \in R$  } be anti S-fuzzy normal subhemirings of a hemiring R. Let  $C = A \cup B$  and  $C = \{ \langle x, \mu_C(x) \rangle / x \in R \}$ , where  $\mu_C(x) = \max \{ \mu_A(x), \mu_B(x) \}$ . Then, Clearly C is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring R, since A and B are two anti S-fuzzy subhemirings of the hemiring R. Then

$\mu_C(xy) = \max \{ \mu_A(xy), \mu_B(xy) \} = \max \{ \mu_A(yx), \mu_B(yx) \} = \mu_C(yx)$ , for all x and y in R. Hence  $A \cup B$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring R.

**2.7 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a hemiring. The union of a family of anti S-fuzzy normal subhemirings of R is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of R.

**Proof:** It is trivial.

**2.8 Theorem:** Let A and B be anti S-fuzzy subhemirings of the hemirings G and H, respectively. If A and B are anti S-fuzzy normal subhemirings, then  $A \times B$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $G \times H$ .

**Proof:** Let A and B be anti S-fuzzy normal subhemirings of the hemirings G and H respectively. Clearly  $A \times B$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of  $G \times H$ . Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be in G,  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be in H. Then  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  are in  $G \times H$ . Now,  $\mu_{A \times B}[(x_1, y_1)(x_2, y_2)] = \max \{ \mu_A(x_1x_2), \mu_B(y_1y_2) \} = \max \{ \mu_A(x_2x_1), \mu_B(y_2y_1) \} = \mu_{A \times B}(x_2x_1, y_2y_1) = \mu_{A \times B}[(x_2, y_2)(x_1, y_1)]$ . Hence  $A \times B$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $G \times H$ .

**2.9 Theorem:** Let A be a fuzzy subset in a hemiring R and V be the anti-strongest fuzzy relation on R. Then A is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of R if and only if V is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R \times R$ .

**Proof:** It is trivial.

**2.10 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two hemirings. The homomorphic image of an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of R is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R^1$ .

**Proof:** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R^1$  be a homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(x)+f(y)$ ,  $f(xy) = f(x)f(y)$ , for all x and y in R. Let  $V = f(A)$ , where A is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring R. Now, for  $f(x), f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , clearly V is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ , since A is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring R. Now,  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \mu_A(xy) = \mu_A(yx) \geq \mu_V(f(yx)) = \mu_V(f(y)f(x))$ ,

which implies that  $\mu_v(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_v(f(y)f(x))$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Hence  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ .

**2.11 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two hemirings. The homomorphic preimage of an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R^1$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Then, clearly  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ , since  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Now,

$\mu_A(xy) = \mu_v(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_v(f(y)f(x)) = \mu_v(f(yx)) = \mu_A(yx)$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) = \mu_A(yx)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Hence  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**2.12 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two hemirings. The anti-homomorphic image of an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R^1$ .

**Proof:** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R^1$  be an anti-homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(y)+f(x)$ ,  $f(xy) = f(y)f(x)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Now, for  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , clearly  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ , since  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Now,  $\mu_v(f(x)f(y)) \leq \mu_A(yx) = \mu_A(xy) \geq \mu_v(f(xy)) = \mu_v(f(y)f(x))$ , which implies that  $\mu_v(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_v(f(y)f(x))$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Hence  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ .

**2.13 Theorem:** Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two hemirings. The anti-homomorphic preimage of an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R^1$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ , then, clearly  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ , since  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Now,

$\mu_A(xy) = \mu_v(f(y)f(x)) = \mu_v(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_v(f(yx)) = \mu_A(yx)$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) = \mu_A(yx)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Hence  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**In the following Theorem  $\circ$  is the composition operation of functions:**

**2.14 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $H$  and  $f$  is an isomorphism from a hemiring  $R$  onto  $H$ . If  $A$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring  $H$ , then  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Then we have, clearly  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Now,  $(\mu_{A \circ f})(xy) = \mu_A(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_A(f(y)f(x)) = \mu_A(f(yx)) = (\mu_{A \circ f})(yx)$ , which implies that  $(\mu_{A \circ f})(xy) = (\mu_{A \circ f})(yx)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Hence  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**2.15 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $H$  and  $f$  is an anti-isomorphism from a hemiring  $R$  onto  $H$ . If  $A$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring  $H$ , then  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Then we have, clearly  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of the hemiring  $R$ . Now,  $(\mu_{A \circ f})(xy) = \mu_A(f(y)f(x)) = \mu_A(f(x)f(y)) = \mu_A(f(yx)) = (\mu_{A \circ f})(yx)$ , which implies that  $(\mu_{A \circ f})(xy) = (\mu_{A \circ f})(yx)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Hence  $A \circ f$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy normal subhemiring of the hemiring  $R$ .

**2.16 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Then for  $\alpha$  in  $[0, 1]$  such that  $\mu_A(0) \leq \alpha$ ,  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $R$ .

**Proof:** For all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $A_\alpha$ . Now,  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq \alpha$ . And,  $\mu_A(xy) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha$ . Hence  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**2.17 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Then two lower level subhemiring  $A_{\alpha_1}$ ,  $A_{\alpha_2}$  and  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2$  in  $[0, 1]$  such that  $\mu_A(0) \leq \alpha_1$ ,

$\mu_A(0) \leq \alpha_2$  with  $\alpha_1 < \alpha_2$  of  $A$  are equal if and only if there is no  $x$  in  $R$  such that  $\alpha_2 > \mu_A(x) > \alpha_1$ .

**Proof:** Assume that  $A_{\alpha_1} = A_{\alpha_2}$ . Suppose there exists  $x$  in  $R$  such that  $\alpha_2 > \mu_A(x) > \alpha_1$ . Then  $A_{\alpha_1} \subseteq A_{\alpha_2}$  implies  $x$  belongs to  $A_{\alpha_2}$ , but not in  $A_{\alpha_1}$ . This is contradiction to  $A_{\alpha_1} = A_{\alpha_2}$ . Therefore there is no  $x \in R$  such that  $\alpha_2 > \mu_A(x) > \alpha_1$ . Conversely if there is no  $x \in R$  such that  $\alpha_2 > \mu_A(x) > \alpha_1$ . Then  $A_{\alpha_1} = A_{\alpha_2}$ .

**2.18 Theorem:** Let  $R$  be a hemiring and  $A$  be a fuzzy subset of  $R$  such that  $A_\alpha$  be a subhemiring of  $R$ . If  $\alpha$  in  $[0, 1]$ , then  $A$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $\mu_A(x) = \alpha_1$  and  $\mu_A(y) = \alpha_2$ . If  $\alpha_1 < \alpha_2$ , then  $x, y \in A_{\alpha_2}$ ,  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq \alpha_2 = \max \{ \mu_A(x), \mu_A(y) \} \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $\mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha_2 = \max \{ \mu_A(x), \mu_A(y) \} \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . If  $\alpha_1 > \alpha_2$ , then  $x$  and  $y$  in  $A_{\alpha_1}$ ,  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq \alpha_1 = \max \{ \mu_A(y), \mu_A(x) \} \leq S(\mu_A(y), \mu_A(x))$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $\mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha_2 = \max \{ \mu_A(y), \mu_A(x) \} \leq S(\mu_A(y), \mu_A(x))$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) \leq S(\mu_A(x), \mu_A(y))$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Hence  $A$  is an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of the hemiring  $R$ .

**2.19 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . If any two lower level subhemirings of  $A$  belongs to  $R$ , then their intersection is also lower level subhemiring of  $A$  in  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in [0, 1]$ . If  $\alpha_1 < \mu_A(x) < \alpha_2$ , then  $A_{\alpha_1} \subseteq A_{\alpha_2}$ . Therefore,

$A_{\alpha_1} \cap A_{\alpha_2} = A_{\alpha_1}$ , but  $A_{\alpha_1}$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ . If  $\alpha_1 > \mu_A(x) > \alpha_2$ , then  $A_{\alpha_2} \subseteq A_{\alpha_1}$ . Therefore,  $A_{\alpha_1} \cap A_{\alpha_2} = A_{\alpha_2}$ , but  $A_{\alpha_2}$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ . If  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ , then  $A_{\alpha_1} = A_{\alpha_2}$ . Hence intersection of any two lower level subhemirings is also a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ .

**2.20 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . If  $\alpha_i \in [0, 1]$  and  $A_{\alpha_i}$ ,  $i \in I$  is a collection of lower level subhemirings of  $A$ , then their intersection is also a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ .

**Proof:** It is trivial.

**2.21 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . If any two lower level subhemirings of  $A$  belongs to  $R$ , then their union is also a lower level subhemiring of  $A$  in  $R$ .

**Proof:** It is trivial.

**2.22 Theorem:** Let  $A$  be an anti  $S$ -fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . If  $\alpha_i \in [0, 1]$  and  $A_{\alpha_i}$ ,  $i \in I$  is a collection of lower level subhemirings of  $A$ , then their union is also a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ .

**Proof:** It is trivial.

**2.23 Theorem:** The homomorphic image of a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ .

**Proof:** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R^1$  be a homomorphism. Then  $f(x+y)=f(x)+f(y)$ ,  $f(xy)=f(x)f(y)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Clearly  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ , implies  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Let  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ . Now,  $\mu_V(f(x)) \leq \mu_A(x) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x)) \leq \alpha$  and  $\mu_V(f(y)) \leq \mu_A(y) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x) + f(y)) \leq \alpha$  and  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x)+f(y)) \leq \alpha$ . Also,  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \alpha$ . Hence  $f(A_\alpha)$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring  $V$  of a hemiring  $R^1$ .

**2.24 Theorem:** The homomorphic pre-image of a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Clearly  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Let  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , implies  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $f(A_\alpha)$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $V$ . Now,

$\mu_A(x) = \mu_V(f(x)) \leq \alpha$ , implies that  $\mu_A(x) \leq \alpha$ ;  $\mu_A(y) = \mu_V(f(y)) \leq \alpha$ , implies that  $\mu_A(y) \leq \alpha$  and  $\mu_A(x+y) = \mu_V(f(x)+f(y)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq \alpha$ . Also,  $\mu_A(xy) = \mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha$ . Hence,  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring  $A$  of  $R$ .

**2.25 Theorem:** The anti-homomorphic image of a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ .

**Proof:** Let  $f : R \rightarrow R^1$  be an anti-homomorphism. Then  $f(x + y) = f(y) + f(x)$ ,  $f(xy) = f(y)f(x)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of  $R$ . Clearly  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of  $R^1$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ , implies  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Let  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $A$ . Now,



$\mu_V(f(x)) \leq \mu_A(x) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x)) \leq \alpha$ ;  $\mu_V(f(y)) \leq \mu_A(y) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(y)) \leq \alpha$ . Now,  $\mu_V(f(x)+f(y)) \leq \mu_A(y+x) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that,  $\mu_V(f(x)+f(y)) \leq \alpha$ . Also,  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \mu_A(yx) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_V(f(x)f(y)) \leq \alpha$ . Hence  $f(A_\alpha)$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring  $V$  of  $R^1$ .

**2.26 Theorem:** The anti-homomorphic pre-image of a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ .

**Proof:** Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R^1$ . Clearly  $A$  is an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring of a hemiring  $R$ . Let  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , implies  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $f(A_\alpha)$  is a lower level subhemiring of  $V$ . Now,  $\mu_A(x) = \mu_V(f(x)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x) \leq \alpha$ ;  $\mu_A(y) = \mu_V(f(y)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(y) \leq \alpha$ . Now,  $\mu_A(x+y) = \mu_V(f(y)+f(x)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(x+y) \leq \alpha$ . Also,  $\mu_A(xy) = \mu_V(f(y)f(x)) \leq \alpha$ , which implies that  $\mu_A(xy) \leq \alpha$ . Hence  $A_\alpha$  is a lower level subhemiring of an anti S-fuzzy subhemiring  $A$  of  $R$ .

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