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MAPPINGS AND PRODUCTS IN SOFT L-TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract. Fuzzy set, soft set and their extensions have been successful in being a rapprochement between precise classical mathematics and imprecise real world. In particular, soft lattices as a generalization of soft set is a new mathematical approach to study uncertainty. Soft L-topological spaces are defined over a soft lattice L with a fixed set of parameter P and the continuity of mappings of soft L-topological spaces has also been studied. In this paper, we introduce the concept of soft L-continuous mapping between two soft L-topological spaces. Further some results based on soft L-homeomorphism are also obtained. Finally, the concept of cartesian product of soft L-sets are defined and explored some results relating to this.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of soft set theory begins with Molodtsov [1, 3] in the year 1999. It is completely new approach for modelling, vagueness and uncertainties. Few applications in many directions of soft set theory have been shown by Molodtsov in [1, 3]. Also Maji et.al [2, 3] studied soft sets introduced by Molodtsov [1, 3] and gave the definitions based on equality of two soft sets, subset and super set of a soft set, complement of a soft set, null soft set, and absolute soft

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set with examples and basic properties are also defined. The algebraic structure of set theory dealing with uncertainties has also been studied by some authors [4, 5, 6, 7, 8]. The concept of soft set has been extended to soft lattices and soft fuzzy sets by Li.F [9] in the year 2010. Soft lattices can also expressed in terms of algebraical and set theoretical manner. Cagman et al. [10] did a deep study on these two concepts and came to the conclusion that algebraical and set theoretical definitions are equivalent or same. Cagman et al. (2011)[10] presented the related properties of soft topology on a soft set. We follow the approach of M. Shabir and M. Naz [11] who introduced the concept of soft topological spaces in the year 2011 and studied some basic properties. In our work, we use the notion of soft set initiated by Molodtsov [1, ?] and extend this idea to the field of soft lattices [9] and obtain the topological properties of soft lattices. In 2016, Cigdem Gunduz Aras, Ayse Sonmez and Huseyin Cakalli [12] introduced soft continuous mappings. Some of its properties are studied by many authors [16, 17, 18]. In 2012, H.Hazra, P.Majumdar and S.K.Samanta [13] gave the definition of continuity of soft mappings with their properties. In 2015, Yang et al. [14] first proposed the concept of soft continuous mapping between two soft topological spaces. In 2013, E. Peyghana, B. Samadia and A. Tayebib [15] discussed cartesian product of soft sets and soft product topology.

Soft Lattice topological spaces (Soft L -topological spaces or Soft L -space) [19] are introduced with a fixed set of parameters P over an initial universe X . We have defined some basic properties of soft L -topological spaces and also gave the definition of soft L -open and soft L -closed sets. The soft L -closure of a soft lattice is also defined which is a generalization of closure of a set. The concept of parameters plays a major role with the set of parameterized topologies on the initial universe. We define a topological space corresponding to each parameter, and it is more essential. We show that a soft topological space gives a parameterized family of topologies on the initial universe. Converse need not be true. It means if we are given some topologies for each parameter, it is not possible to construct a soft topological space.

We introduced soft L -continuous mappings [20] which are defined over an initial universe set with a fixed set of parameters. Further we discuss some algebraic properties of soft L -mappings such as injectivity, surjectivity, bijectivity and composition of soft L -mappings and study their continuity properties under soft L -topology. The continuity of mappings of soft

L-topological spaces has defined and its properties has investigated. Also, soft open and soft closed L-mappings, soft L-homeomorphism are defined and some interesting results are obtained.

In this paper, the concept of soft L-continuous mapping between two soft L-topological spaces is proposed and some results are proved. Also, we have proved some theorems based on soft L-homeomorphism. Finally, cartesian product for soft L-sets are defined and some results are discussed.

2. PRELIMINARIES AND BASIC DEFINITIONS

Throughout this paper, we consider L as a complete lattice and we denote universal bounds as \perp and \top . Our assumption is L is consistent i.e. floor is different from top. Therefore, $\perp \leq \alpha \leq \top$ for every $\alpha \in L$. Also $\vee\emptyset = \perp$ and $\wedge\emptyset = \top$. The two point lattice $\{\perp, \top\}$ is denoted by 2 . A unary operation $\prime: L \rightarrow L$ is quasi complementation. It is an involution (i.e., $\alpha'' = \alpha$ for all $\alpha \in L$) that inverts the ordering. (i.e., $\alpha \leq \beta \implies \beta' \leq \alpha'$). De Morgan’s laws also hold in (L, \prime) . (i.e., $(\vee A)' = \wedge\{\alpha' : \alpha \in A\}$ and $(\wedge A)' = \vee\{\alpha' : \alpha \in A\}$ for every $A \subset L$). In addition, $\perp' = \top$ and $\top' = \perp$. Based on these concepts, we use a completely distributive lattice (L, \prime) as a complete lattice equipped with an order reserving involution in this paper.

Definition 2.1. [1] Assume X as an initial universe set and P be a set of parameters. The power set of X is denoted as $\wp(X)$ and $B \subset P$. Then a pair (P, B) is said to be a soft set over X , where the mapping P is given by $P : B \rightarrow \wp(X)$.

i.e., a soft set over X is regarded as a parametrized family of subsets of the universe X . For $b \in B$, the set of approximate elements of the soft set (P, B) denoted by $P(b)$.

Definition 2.2. [9] Consider $M = (f, X, L)$, where L is a complete lattice, $f : X \rightarrow \wp(L)$ is a mapping, X is a universe set, then M is called the soft lattice denoted by f_P^L .

ie, for every $x \in X$, f_P^L is a soft lattice over L , if $f(x)$ is a sub lattice of L .

Definition 2.3. [19] The relative complement of a soft lattice f_P^L is denoted by $(f_P^L)'$ and is defined as $(f_P^L)' = (f_P^{\prime L})$ where $f' : P \rightarrow \wp(L)$ is a mapping given by $f'(\alpha) = L - f(\alpha)$ for all $\alpha \in P$.

Definition 2.4. [19] Consider X as an initial universe set and P as the non-empty set of parameters.

Let τ be the set of complete, uniquely complemented soft lattices over L , then τ is said to be a soft lattice topology on L if;

- (i) ϕ, L belongs to τ .
- (ii) The arbitrary union of soft lattices in τ belongs to τ .
- (iii) The finite intersection of soft lattices in τ belongs to τ .

Then (L, τ, P) is called a soft lattice topological space (soft topological lattice space or soft L -space) over L .

Definition 2.5. [19] Consider (L, τ, P) as a soft lattice topological space over L , then the members of τ are called as soft L -open sets in L .

Definition 2.6. [19] Let (L, τ, P) be a soft lattice topological space over L . A soft lattice f_P^L over L is said to be a soft L -closed set in L , if its relative complement $(f_P^L)'$ belongs to τ .

Definition 2.7. [19] We consider L as a lattice, P be the set of parameters and $\tau = \{\phi, L\}$. Then τ is called the soft indiscrete lattice topology on L and (L, τ, P) is said to be a soft indiscrete lattice topological space over L .

Definition 2.8. [19] Consider L be a lattice, P be the set of parameters and let τ be the collection of all soft lattices which can be defined over L . Then τ is called the soft discrete lattice topology on L and (L, τ, P) is said to be a soft discrete lattice topological space over L .

Definition 2.9. [19] We consider (L, τ, P) as a soft lattice topological space over L and f_P^L be a soft lattice over L . Then the soft lattice closure of f_P^L , denoted by $\overline{f_P^L}$, is the intersection of all soft L -closed super sets of f_P^L .

Definition 2.10. [19] Let (L, τ, P) be a soft lattice topological space over L and f_P^L be a soft lattice over L . Then we associate with f_P^L , a soft lattice L , denoted by $\overline{f_P^L}$ and defined as $\overline{f}(\alpha) = \overline{f(\alpha)}$, where $\overline{f(\alpha)}$ is the soft L -closure of $f(\alpha)$ in τ_α for each $\alpha \in P$.

Definition 2.11. [19] Consider (L, τ, P) as a soft lattice topological space over L , g_P^L be a soft lattice over L and $x \in L$. Then x is said to be a soft L -interior point of g_P^L if there exists a soft L -open set f_P^L such that $x \in f_P^L \subset g_P^L$. It is denoted by $(f_P^L)^o$.

Definition 2.12. [19] Let (L, τ, P) be a soft lattice topological space over L , g_P^L be a soft lattice over L and $x \in L$. Then g_P^L is said to be a soft lattice neighbourhood of x if there exists a soft L -open set f_P^L such that $x \in f_P^L \subset g_P^L$.

Proposition 2.13. [19] Let (L, τ, P) be a soft L -space over L . Then the set $\tau_a = \{f(a) | f_P^L \in \tau\}$ for all $a \in P$ gives a topology on L .

Definition 2.14. [20] Consider f_P^L as a soft lattice over L . The soft lattice f_P^L is called a soft L -point, denoted by (l_p, P) , for the element $p \in P$, $f(p) = \{l\}$ and $f(p') = \emptyset$ for all $p' \in P - \{l\}$.

Definition 2.15. [20] Let (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces. The mapping f_g is called a soft L -mapping from L_1 to L_2 denoted by $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$, where $f: L_1 \longrightarrow L_2$ and $g: P \longrightarrow P$ are two mappings. For each soft L -neighbourhood g_P^L of $(f(l)_p, P)$, if there exist a soft L -neighbourhood f_P^L of (l_p, P) such that $f_g(f_P^L \subset g_P^L)$, then f_g is said to be soft L -continuous mapping at (l_p, P) .

If f_g is soft L -continuous mapping for all (l_p, P) , then f_g is called soft L -continuous mapping.

Definition 2.16. [20] Let (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces,

$f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a mapping. Then

(a) If the image $f_g(f_P^L)$ of each soft L -open set f_P^L over L_1 is a soft L -open set in L_2 , then f_g is said to be a soft L -open mapping.

(b) If the image $f_g(h_P^L)$ of each soft L -closed set h_P^L over L_1 is a soft L -closed set in L_2 , then f_g is said to be a soft L -closed mapping.

Theorem 2.17. [20] We know that (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) are two soft lattice topological spaces, $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a mapping. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

(1) $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ is a soft L -continuous mapping.

(2) For each soft L -open set G_P^L over L_2 , $f_g^{-1}(G_P^L)$ is a soft L -open set over L_1 .

- (3) For each soft L -closed set H_P^L over L_2 , $f_g^{-1}(h_P^L)$ is a soft L -closed set over L_1 .
- (4) For each soft L -set F_P^L over L_1 , $f_g(\overline{f_P^L}) \subset \overline{f_g(F_P^L)}$.
- (5) For each soft L -set G_P^L over L_2 , $\overline{f_g^{-1}(g_P^L)} \subset f_g^{-1}(\overline{g_P^L})$.
- (6) For each soft L -set g_P^L over L_2 , $f_g^{-1}((g_P^L)^o) \subset (f_g^{-1}(g_P^L))^o$.

Theorem 2.18. [20] If $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ is a soft L -continuous mapping, then for each $\alpha \in P$, $f_{g\alpha}: (L_1, \tau_{1\alpha}) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ is a soft continuous mapping.

Proposition 2.19. [20] If $f_{g\alpha}: (L_1, \tau_{1\alpha}) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ is soft L -open(closed) mapping, then for each $\alpha \in P$, $f_{g\alpha}: (L_1, \tau_{1\alpha}) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ is an soft open(closed) mapping.

Theorem 2.20. [20] Let (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces,

$f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a mapping. Then

- (a) f_g is a soft L -open mapping if for each soft L -set f_P^L over L_1 , $f_g((f_P^L)^o) \subset (f_g(f_P^L))^o$ is satisfied.
- (b) f_g is a soft L -closed mapping if for each soft L -set f_P^L over L_1 , $\overline{f_g((f_P^L))} \subset \overline{f_g(f_P^L)}$ is satisfied.

Definition 2.21. [20] Consider (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) as two soft lattice topological spaces,

$f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a mapping. If f_g is a bijection, soft L -continuous and f_g^{-1} is a soft L -continuous mapping, then f_g is said to be soft L -homeomorphism from L_1 to L_2 .

When a soft homeomorphism f_g exists between L_1 and L_2 , we say that L_1 is soft L -homeomorphic to L_2 .

Theorem 2.22. [20] Let (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces,

$f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a bijection mapping. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (1) f_g is a homeomorphism on soft L -topological space,
- (2) f_g is a continuous and closed mapping on soft L -topological space,
- (3) f_g is a continuous and open mapping on soft L -topological space.

3. SOFT LATTICE CONTINUOUS MAPPING BETWEEN SOFT L-TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

In this subsection, we discuss the concept of Soft lattice continuous mapping between two soft L-topological spaces with their related properties.

Consider the two initial universe sets be X and Y and let P be a non-empty parameter. The set of all soft L-sets over X is denoted by $S_{L_1}(X)$. Similarly, the set of all soft L-sets over Y is denoted by $S_{L_2}(Y)$.

Definition 3.1. *Let f_g be a mapping from X to Y . Then*

(1) *The soft L-set mapping induced by f_g , denoted f_g^{\rightarrow} is a soft mapping from $S_{L_1}(X)$ to $S_{L_2}(Y)$ that maps f_P^L to $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L) = (f_g^{\rightarrow}(f^L), P)$, where $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)$ is defined by $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f^L)(\alpha) = \{f_g(l) | l \in f^L(\alpha)\} \forall \alpha \in P$.*

(2) *The inverse soft L-set mapping induced by f_g , denoted by the notation f_g^{\leftarrow} is a soft mapping from $S_{L_2}(Y)$ to $S_{L_1}(X)$ that maps g_P^L to $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) = (f_g^{\leftarrow}(g^L), P)$, where $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)$ is defined by $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g^L)(\alpha) = \{l | f_g(l) \in g^L(\alpha)\} \forall \alpha \in P$.*

Example 3.2. *Suppose $L_1 = \{l_1, l_2, l_3\}, L_2 = \{h_1, h_2\}, P = \{p_1, p_2\}$. The mapping f_g is given by $f_g(l_1) = h_1, f_g(l_2) = h_1, f_g(l_3) = h_2$.*

(1) *If $f_P^L \in S_{L_1}(X)$ is defined by $\{f(p_1) = \{l_1, l_2\}, f(p_2) = \{l_2, l_3\}\}$, then $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L) = (f_g^{\rightarrow}(f^L), P) = \{f_g^{\rightarrow}f(p_1) = \{h_1\}, f_g^{\rightarrow}f(p_2) = L_2\} \in S_{L_2}(Y)$.*

(2) *If $g_P^L \in S_{L_2}(Y)$ is defined by $\{g(p_1) = \{h_2\}, g(p_2) = \{h_1\}\}$, then $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) = (f_g^{\leftarrow}(g^L), P) = \{f_g^{\leftarrow}g(p_1) = \{l_3\}, f_g^{\leftarrow}g(p_2) = \{l_1, l_2\}\} \in S_{L_1}(X)$.*

Proposition 3.3. *Let us consider f_g to be a mapping from X to Y , $f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L \in S_{L_1}(X)$. Then*

- (1) $f_g^{\rightarrow}(\phi) = \phi$.
- (2) $f_{1P}^L \subset f_{2P}^L \Rightarrow f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{1P}^L) \subset f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{2P}^L)$
- (3) $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{1P}^L \cup f_{2P}^L) = f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{1P}^L) \cup f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{2P}^L)$
- (4) $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{1P}^L \cap f_{2P}^L) \subset f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{1P}^L) \cap f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_{2P}^L)$.

Proposition 3.4. *When f_g be a mapping from X to Y , $g_{1P}^L, g_{2P}^L \in S_{L_2}(Y)$. Then*

- (1) $f_g^{\leftarrow}(\phi) = \phi, f_g^{\leftarrow}(Y) = X$
- (2) $g_{1P}^L \subset g_{2P}^L \Rightarrow f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L) \subset f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{2P}^L)$

$$(3) f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L \cup g_{2P}^L) = f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L) \cup f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{2P}^L)$$

$$(4) f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L \cap g_{2P}^L) = f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L) \cap f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{2P}^L)$$

$$(5) f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L)' = (f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{1P}^L))'.$$

Proposition 3.5. Consider f_g be a mapping from X to Y , $f_P^L \in S_{L_1}(X)$ and $g_P^L \in S_{L_2}(Y)$. Then

$$(1) f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)) \supset f_P^L. \text{ If } f_g \text{ is one to one, then } f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)) = f_P^L.$$

$$(2) f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)) \subset g_P^L. \text{ If } f_g \text{ is surjective, then } f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)) = g_P^L.$$

Proof. (1) Let $f_g^{\rightarrow}(g_P^L) = g_P^L$. Then $\forall \alpha \in P$,

$$f_g^{\leftarrow}(g^L)(\alpha) = \{l | f_g(l) \in g^L(\alpha)\} = \{l | f_g(l) \in \{f_g(t) | t \in f^L(\alpha)\}\} \supset f^L(\alpha),$$

which implies $f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)) \supset f_P^L$.

If f_g is one to one, then $\{l | f_g(l) \in \{f_g(t) | t \in f^L(\alpha)\}\} = f^L(\alpha)$, thus $f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)) = f_P^L$.

(2) Let $f_g^{\rightarrow}(g_P^L) = f_P^L$. Then $\forall \alpha \in P$,

$$f_g^{\leftarrow}(f^L)(\alpha) = \{f_g(l) | l \in f^L(\alpha)\} = \{f_g(l) | l \in \{f_g(t) | t \in g^L(\alpha)\}\} \supset g^L(\alpha),$$

which implies $f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(g_P^L)) \subset g_P^L$.

If f_g is surjective, then $\{f_g(l) | l \in \{f_g(t) | t \in g^L(\alpha)\}\} = g^L(\alpha)$, thus $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)) = g_P^L$. \square

Definition 3.6. Let (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces over X and Y respectively and f_g be a mapping from X and Y . If $\forall g_P^L \in \tau_2, f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) \in \tau_1$, then f_g is called soft L -continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) .

Example 3.7. Suppose $L_1 = \{l_1, l_2, l_3\}, L_2 = \{h_1, h_2, h_3\}, P = \{p_1, p_2\}$ and $\tau_1 = \{\phi, L_1, f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L\}$ is a soft L -topological space over X , where f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L are soft lattices over X defined by

$$f_1(p_1) = \{l_2\}, f_1(p_2) = \{l_1\},$$

$$f_2(p_1) = \{l_2, l_3\}, f_2(p_2) = \{l_1, l_2\}.$$

Then τ_1 is a soft L -topology on X and hence (L_1, τ_1, P) is a soft lattice topological spaces over X .

Also $\tau_2 = \{\phi, L_2, g_{1P}^L, g_{2P}^L\}$ is a soft L -topological space over Y , where g_{1P}^L, g_{2P}^L are soft lattices over Y , defined as

$$g_1(p_1) = \{h_1\}, g_1(p_2) = \{h_2\},$$

$$g_2(p_1) = \{h_1, h_3\}, g_2(p_2) = \{h_1, h_2\},$$

If $f_g : L_1 \rightarrow L_2$ as $f_g(l_1) = h_2, f_g(l_2) = h_1, f_g(l_3) = h_3$.

Now $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) \in \tau_1$ for all $g_P^L \in \tau_2$.

Thus f_g is a soft L-continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) .

Proposition 3.8. We have (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) as the two soft lattice topological spaces over X and Y respectively. If f_g is soft L-continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) , then f_g is a soft continuous mapping from f_g to $(L_1, \tau_{1\alpha})$ to $(L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ for all $\alpha \in P$.

Proof. Using proposition 2.17, $(L_1, \tau_{1\alpha})$ and $(L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ are two soft lattice topological spaces for all $\alpha \in P$. If $A \in \tau_{2\alpha}$, then there exists a soft L-set $g_P^L \in \tau_2$ such that $A = g(\alpha)$.

Since f_g is soft L-continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) , then $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) \in \tau_1$. Thus $f_g^{-1}(A) = f_g^{-1}(g(\alpha)) = \{l | f_g(l) \in g(\alpha)\} = f_g^{\leftarrow}(g(\alpha)) \in \tau_{1\alpha}$.

By the definition of soft continuous, f_g is a soft continuous mapping from $(L_1, \tau_{1\alpha}) \rightarrow (L_2, \tau_{2\alpha})$ for all $\alpha \in P$. This proposition tells that a soft L-continuous mapping gives a parameterized family of soft continuous mapping. □

Example 3.9. Suppose $L_1 = \{l_1, l_2, l_3\}, L_2 = \{h_1, h_2, h_3\}, P = \{p_1, p_2\}$ and $\tau_1 = \{\phi, L_1, f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L\}$ is a soft L-topological space over X , where f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L are soft lattices over X defined by

$$f_1(p_1) = \{l_2\}, f_1(p_2) = \{l_1\},$$

$$f_2(p_1) = \{l_2, l_3\}, f_2(p_2) = \{l_1, l_2\}.$$

Then τ_1 is a soft L-topology on X and hence (L_1, τ_1, P) is a soft lattice topological spaces over X .

Also $\tau_2 = \{\phi, L_2, g_{1P}^L, g_{2P}^L\}$ is a soft L-topological space over Y , where g_{1P}^L, g_{2P}^L are soft lattices over Y , defined as

$$g_1(p_1) = \{h_1\}, g_1(p_2) = \{h_2\},$$

$$g_2(p_1) = \{h_1, h_3\}, g_2(p_2) = \{h_1, h_2\},$$

If $f_g : X \rightarrow Y$ as $f_g(l_1) = h_2, f_g(l_2) = h_1, f_g(l_3) = h_3$.

Now $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L) \in \tau_1$ for all $g_P^L \in \tau_2$.

Thus f_g is a soft L-continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) .

Here by proposition 2.17, $\tau_{1p_1} = \{\phi, L_1, \{l_2\}, \{l_2, l_3\}\}$ and $\tau_{1p_2} = \{\phi, L_1, \{l_1\}, \{l_1, l_2\}\}$ are two topologies on X .

$\tau_{2p_1} = \{\phi, L_2, \{h_1\}, \{h_1, h_3\}\}$ and $\tau_{2p_2} = \{\phi, L_2, \{h_1, h_2\}\}$ are two topologies on Y .

Hence f_g is a soft continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_{1p_1}) to (L_2, τ_{2p_1}) and also a soft continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_{1p_2}) to (L_2, τ_{2p_2}) .

The following example shows that the inverse of proposition 3.8 does not hold in general.

Example 3.10. Suppose $L_1 = \{l_1, l_2, l_3\}, L_2 = \{h_1, h_2, h_3\}, P = \{p_1, p_2\}$ and $\tau_1 = \{\phi, L_1, f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L\}$ is a soft L-topological space over X, where f_{1P}^L, f_{2P}^L are soft lattices over X defined by

$$f_1(p_1) = \{l_2\}, f_1(p_2) = \{l_1\},$$

$$f_2(p_1) = \{l_2, l_3\}, f_2(p_2) = \{l_1, l_2\}.$$

Then τ_1 is a soft L-topology on X and hence (L, τ_1, P) is a soft lattice topological spaces over X.

Let $Y = \{h_1, h_2, h_3\}, \tau_2 = \{\phi, L_2, g_{3P}^L\}$, where the soft L-set g_{3P}^L over Y defined by $g_3(p_1) = \{h_1\}, g_3(p_2) = \{h_1, h_2\}$.

If f_g is a mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) .

Here by proposition 2.17, $\tau_{1p_1} = \{\phi, L_1, \{l_2\}, \{l_2, l_3\}\}$ and $\tau_{1p_2} = \{\phi, L_1, \{l_1\}, \{l_1, l_2\}\}$ are two topologies on X.

Also $\tau_{2p_1} = \{\phi, L_2, \{h_1\}, \{h_1, h_3\}\}$ and $\tau_{2p_2} = \{\phi, L_2, \{h_1, h_2\}\}$ are two topologies on Y.

Hence f_g is a continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_{1p_1}) to (L_2, τ_{2p_1}) and also from (L_1, τ_{1p_2}) to (L_2, τ_{2p_2}) .

However, $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_{3P}^L) = \{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_3(p_1) = \{l_2\}), f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_3(p_2) = \{l_1, l_2\})\} \notin \tau_1$

This implies f_g is not a soft L-continuous mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) . The following proposition gives some equivalence characterizations of soft L-continuous mapping.

Proposition 3.11. We take (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) as two soft lattice topological spaces over X and Y respectively and $f_g : X \rightarrow Y$. The following conditions are equivalent:

- (1) f_g is a soft L-topological mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) .
- (2) For each soft L-closed set g_P^L in Y, $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)$ is a soft L-closed set in X.
- (3) For each soft L-set f_P^L in X, $f_g^{\rightarrow}(\overline{f_P^L}) \subset \overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)}$.
- (4) For each soft L-set g_P^L in Y, $f_g^{\leftarrow}(\overline{g_P^L}) \supset \overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)}$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let g_P^L be a soft L-closed set in Y. Then $(g_P^L)'$ is a soft L-closed set in Y.

By (1) and Proposition 3.4, $f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)') = (f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L))'$ is a soft L-closed set in X.

Hence $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)$ is a soft L-closed set in X .

(2) \Rightarrow (3): Let f_P^L be a soft L-set in X .

By theorem 2.16, $f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L) \subset \overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)}$.

Then by Proposition 3.4 and Proposition 3.5, $f_P^L \subset f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)) \subset \overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L))}$.

Since $\overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)}$ is a soft L-closed set in Y , then by (2), $\overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L))}$ is a soft L-closed set in X .

Thus $\overline{f_P^L} \subset f_g^{\leftarrow}(\overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)})$.

Also by Proposition 3.3 and Proposition 3.5,

$$f_g^{\rightarrow}(\overline{f_P^L}) \subset f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_g^{\leftarrow}(\overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)})) \subset \overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)}.$$

So $f_g^{\rightarrow}(\overline{f_P^L}) \subset \overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_P^L)}$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4): Let g_P^L be a soft L-set in Y .

By (3), Proposition 3.5 and theorem 2.16,

$$f_g^{\rightarrow}(\overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)}) \subset \overline{f_g^{\rightarrow}(f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L))} \subset \overline{g_P^L}.$$

Then by Proposition 3.4 and Proposition 3.5,

$$f_g^{\leftarrow}(\overline{g_P^L}) \supset f_g^{\leftarrow}(f_g^{\rightarrow}(\overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)})) \supset \overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)}.$$

So $f_g^{\leftarrow}(\overline{g_P^L}) \supset \overline{f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)}$.

(4) \Rightarrow (1): Let g_P^L be a soft L-closed set in Y . Then $(g_P^L)'$ is a soft L-closed set in Y .

By (4) and theorem 2.16, $f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)') \subset f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)')$.

Obviously, $f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)') \supset f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)'$.

Thus $f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)') = f_g^{\leftarrow}((g_P^L)') = (f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L))'$ [By 2] which soft L-closed set in X .

Therefore $f_g^{\leftarrow}(g_P^L)$ is a soft L-closed set in X .

Hence f_g is a soft L-topological mapping from (L_1, τ_1, P) to (L_2, τ_2, P) . □

4. SOFT L-CONTINUOUS MAPPING - SOFT L-HOMEOMORPHISM

Theorem 4.1. *We consider (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) be two soft lattice topological spaces, $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ be a mapping. Then f_g is soft L-continuous if and only if $f_g(\overline{f_P^L}) \subset \overline{f_g(f_P^L)}$.*

Proof. Consider f_g be soft L-continuous. Since $\overline{f_g((f_P^L))}$ is a soft L-closed set in L_2 , $f_g^{-1}\overline{f_g((f_P^L))}$ is soft L-closed set in L_1 containing f_P^L .

Also, $\overline{(f_P^L)}$ is the smallest soft L-closed set in L_1 containing f_P^L .

Therefore, $\overline{(f_P^L)} \subset f_g^{-1} \overline{(f_P^L)}$.

Hence $f_g \overline{(f_P^L)} \subset \overline{(f_P^L)}$.

Conversely, let $f_g \overline{(f_P^L)} \subset \overline{(f_P^L)}$.

Let f_P^L be a soft L-closed set in L_2 . Then

$f_g f_g^{-1} \overline{(f_P^L)} \subset \overline{(f_P^L)} \subset \overline{(f_P^L)} = f_P^L$.

Hence $\overline{(f_P^L)} \subset f_g^{-1} \overline{(f_P^L)}$.

Therefore $f_g^{-1} \overline{(f_P^L)}$ is soft L-closed set.

Thus f_g be soft L-continuous. □

Theorem 4.2. *A bijection soft L-continuous mapping f_g is a soft L-homeomorphism if and only if $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L(\alpha)))} = \overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}(\alpha) \forall \alpha \in P$.*

Proof. Let f_g be soft L-homeomorphism.

Then by theorem 4.1, f_g is soft L-continuous and soft L-closed mapping.

By theorem 2.19, if f_g is soft L-closed mapping if for each soft L-set f_P^L over L and for every $\alpha \in P$, $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L(\alpha)))} \subset \overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}(\alpha)$ is satisfied.

Now we need to show that $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}(\alpha) \subset \overline{(f_g(f_P^L(\alpha)))}$.

Since $\overline{(f_P^L)}$ is a soft L-closed set in L_1 and f_g is soft L-closed mapping, $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}(\alpha)$ is a soft L-closed set in L_2 which is containing $f_g(f_P^L)$.

Since $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}$ is the smallest soft L-closed set containing $f_g(f_P^L)$, we have $f_g(f_P^L) = \overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}$.

Conversely, if f_g is bijective and the condition holds.

i.e., $\overline{(f_g(f_P^L(\alpha)))} = \overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}(\alpha) \forall \alpha \in P$.

Then by theorem 2.21, f_g is soft L-continuous.

Let f_P^L be a soft L-closed set in L_1 . Then $\overline{(f_P^L)} = f_P^L$.

Therefore, $f_g \overline{(f_P^L)} = f_g(f_P^L)$.

Then by the given condition, $f_g(f_P^L) = \overline{(f_g(f_P^L))}$.

Hence f_P^L be a soft L-closed set in L_2 . □

Theorem 4.3. *Let us consider (L_1, τ_1, P) and (L_2, τ_2, P) to be two soft lattice topological spaces. Then f_g is a soft L-homeomorphism if and only if $f_g: (L_1, \tau_1, P) \longrightarrow (L_2, \tau_2, P)$ is a soft homeomorphism.*

Proof. The proof follows from theorem 2.21. □

5. CARTESIAN PRODUCT OF SOFT L-SETS AND SOFT L-PRODUCT TOPOLOGY

Definition 5.1. *Let $SS(L)_P$ be the collection of all soft L-sets with a set of parameter P over L and A and B are subsets of P .*

The cartesian product of soft L-sets $f_P^L \in SS(L_1)_A$ and $g_P^L \in SS(L_2)_B$ is a soft L-set $(f_P^L \times g_P^L, A \times B)$ in $SS(L_1 \times L_2)_{A \times B}$, where

$f_P^L \times g_P^L: A \times B \longrightarrow P(L_1) \times P(L_2)$ is a mapping given by
 $(f_P^L \times g_P^L)(a, b) = f_P^L(a) \times g_P^L(b)$ for each $(a, b) \in A \times B$.

Definition 5.2. *Let $f_{P_1}^L, f_{P_2}^L$ be soft L-sets in $SS(L)_{P_1}$ and $SS(L)_{P_2}$ respectively, where P_1 and P_2 are two different parameters. Then the cartesian product of $f_{P_1}^L$ and $f_{P_2}^L$ denoted by $f_{P_1}^L \times f_{P_2}^L$ in $SS(L)_{P_1 \times P_2}$ is defined as $(f_{P_1}^L \times f_{P_2}^L)(p_1, p_2) = f_{P_1}^L(p_1) \times f_{P_2}^L(p_2)$.*

Definition 5.3. *Let (L_1, τ_1, P_1) and (L_2, τ_2, P_2) be two soft lattice topological spaces. The soft lattice topological space $(L_1 \times L_2, \tau, P_1 \times P_2)$, where τ is the collection of all soft lattice unions of elements of $\{f_{P_1}^L \times g_{P_2}^L: f_{P_1}^L \in \tau_1, g_{P_2}^L \in \tau_2\}$ is called soft L-product topological space over $L_1 \times L_2$.*

Symbolically, we write $\tau = \tau_1 \times \tau_2$.

Proposition 5.4. *Let $f_{1P_1}^L, g_{1P_1}^L \in SS(L)_{P_1}$ and $f_{2P_2}^L, g_{2P_2}^L \in SS(L)_{P_2}$. Then*

- (i) $\phi_{P_1}^L \times f_{2P_2}^L = f_{1P_1}^L \times \phi_{P_2}^L = \phi_{P_1 \times P_2}^L$
- (ii) $(f_{1P_1}^L \times f_{2P_2}^L) \cap (g_{1P_1}^L \times g_{2P_2}^L) = (f_{1P_1}^L \cap g_{1P_1}^L) \times (f_{2P_2}^L \cap g_{2P_2}^L)$

Proof. (i) Let $\phi_1^L = \phi_{1P_1}^L, \phi_2^L = \phi_{2P_2}^L$ and $f_1^L = f_{1P_1}^L, f_2^L = f_{2P_2}^L$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} (f_1^L \times \phi_2^L)(p_1, p_2) &= f_1^L(p_1) \times \phi_2^L(p_2) \\ &= f_1^L(p_1) \times \phi^L \\ &= \phi^L \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \phi^L \times f_2^L(p_2) \\
&= \phi^L(p_1) \times f_2^L(p_2) \\
&= (\phi_1^L \times f_2^L)(p_1, p_2)
\end{aligned}$$

This implies (i).

(ii) Let $(f_1^L \times f_2^L, P_1 \times P_2) \cap (g_1^L \times g_2^L, P_1 \times P_2) = (h^L, P_1 \times P_2)$, $(f_{1p_1}^L \cap g_{1p_1}^L) = i_{p_1}^L$ and $(f_{2p_2}^L \cap g_{2p_2}^L) = j_{p_2}^L$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
h^L(p_1, p_2) &= (f_1^L \times f_2^L)(p_1, p_2) \cap (g_1^L \times g_2^L)(p_1, p_2) \\
&= (f_1^L(p_1) \times f_2^L(p_2)) \cap (g_1^L(p_1) \times g_2^L(p_2)) \\
&= (f_1^L(p_1) \cap f_2^L(p_2)) \times (g_1^L(p_1) \cap g_2^L(p_2)) \\
&= i^L(p_1) \times j^L(p_2) \\
&= (i^L \times j^L)(p_1, p_2)
\end{aligned}$$

Hence $(h^L, P_1 \times P_2) \times j_{p_2}^L$. □

Proposition 5.5. *Let (L_1, τ_1, P_1) and (L_2, τ_2, P_2) be two soft lattice topological spaces. Let $B = \{f_{P_1}^L \times g_{P_2}^L \mid f_{P_1}^L \in \tau_1, g_{P_2}^L \in \tau_2\}$ and τ be the collection of all arbitrary union of elements of B . Then τ is a soft L -topology over $L_1 \times L_2$.*

Proof. We have

$$\phi_1^L = \phi_{1p_1}^L \in \tau_1, \phi_2^L = \phi_{2p_2}^L \in \tau_2.$$

Then by proposition 5.12;

$$\phi_{1p_1}^L \times \phi_{2p_2}^L = \phi_{P_1 \times P_2}^L.$$

Moreover $L_1 = L_{1p_1} \in \tau_1$ and $L_2 = L_{2p_2} \in \tau_2$.

Then $L_1 \times L_2 = (L_{1p_1} \times L_{2p_2}, P_1 \times P_2)$

such that the following holds:

$$\begin{aligned}
(L_{1p_1} \times L_{2p_2})(p_1, p_2) &= L_{1p_1}(p_1) \times L_{2p_2}(p_2) \\
&= L_{1p_1} \times L_{2p_2}, \text{ for each } (p_1, p_2) \in P_1 \times P_2.
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $L_1 \times L_2 \in \tau$.

Let $f_{P_1 \times P_2}^L, g_{P_1 \times P_2}^L \in \tau$. Then \exists the elements $f_{\alpha p_1}^L \times g_{\beta p_2}^L, f_{\beta p_1}^L \times g_{\alpha p_2}^L, \alpha \in i^L, \beta \in j^L$ of B such that

$$f_{P_1 \times P_2}^L = \cup_{\alpha \in i^L} (f_{\alpha}^L \times g_{\alpha}^L, P_1 \times P_2),$$

$$g_{P_1 \times P_2}^L = \cup_{\beta \in j^L} (f_{\beta}^L \times g_{\beta}^L, P_1 \times P_2),$$

Let $h_{P_1 \times P_2}^L = f_{P_1 \times P_2}^L \cap g_{P_1 \times P_2}^L$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 h^L(p_1, p_2) &= f^L(p_1, p_2) \cap g^L(p_1, p_2) \\
 &= [\cup_{\alpha \in i^L} (f^L_\alpha(p_1) \times g^L_\alpha(p_2))] \cap [\cup_{\beta \in j^L} (f^L_\beta(p_1) \times g^L_\beta(p_2))] \\
 &= \cup_{\beta \in j^L} \cup_{\alpha \in i^L} [(f^L_\alpha(p_1) \times g^L_\alpha(p_2)) \cap (f^L_\beta(p_1) \times g^L_\beta(p_2))] \\
 &= \cup_{\beta \in j^L} \cup_{\alpha \in i^L} [(f^L_\alpha(p_1) \cap g^L_\alpha(p_2)) \times (f^L_\beta(p_1) \cap g^L_\beta(p_2))] \\
 &= \cup_{\alpha \in i^L} \cup_{\beta \in j^L} [(f^L_\alpha \cap f^L_\beta)(p_1) \times (g^L_\alpha \cap g^L_\beta)(p_2)] \\
 &= \cup_{\alpha \in i^L} \cup_{\beta \in j^L} (f^L_\alpha \cap f^L_\beta \times g^L_\alpha \cap g^L_\beta)(p_1, p_2)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $h^L_{P_1 \times P_2} = \cup_{\alpha \in i^L, \beta \in j^L} (f^L_\alpha \cap f^L_\beta \times g^L_\alpha \cap g^L_\beta)_{P_1 \times P_2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 h^L_{P_1 \times P_2} &= \cup_{\alpha \in i^L, \beta \in j^L} (f^L_\alpha \cap f^L_\beta)_{P_1} \times (g^L_\alpha \cap g^L_\beta)_{P_2} \\
 &\implies h^L_{P_1 \times P_2} \in \tau.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus an arbitrary union of elements of τ is an elements in τ . □

Proposition 5.6. *Let $f^L_{P_1}$ and $g^L_{P_2}$ be soft lattices in $SS(L_1)_{P_1}$ and $SS(L_2)_{P_2}$ respectively. Then*

$$(f^L_{P_1} \times g^L_{P_2})' = (f^{L'}_{P_1} \times L_2) \cup (L_1 \times g^{L'}_{P_2}).$$

Proof. Let $[(f^L \times g^L)_{P_1 \times P_2}]' = (f^L \times g^L)'_{P_1 \times P_2}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (f^L \times g^L)'(p_1, p_2) &= (L_1 \times L_2) - [(f^L \times g^L)(p_1, p_2)] \\
 &= (L_1 \times L_2) - [(f^L(p_1) \times g^L(p_2))] \\
 &= [(L_1 - f^L(p_1) \times L_2)] \cup [L_1 \times (L_2 - g^L(p_2))]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Also } (f^{L'}_{P_1} \times L_2) \cup (L_1 \times g^{L'}_{P_2}) = (f^{L'} \times L_2)_{P_1 \times P_2} \cup (L_1 \times g^{L'})_{P_1 \times P_2}$$

Let us take soft lattice as $h^L_{P_1 \times P_2}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 h^L(p_1, p_2) &= (f^{L'} \times L_2)(p_1, p_2) \cup (L_1 \times g^{L'})(p_1, p_2) \\
 &= [f^{L'}(p_1) \times L_2] \cup [L_1 \times g^{L'}(p_2)] \\
 &= [(L_1 - f^L(p_1) \times L_2)] \cup [L_1 \times (L_2 - g^L(p_2))].
 \end{aligned}$$
□

Corollary 5.7. *Let $f^L_{P_1}$ and $g^L_{P_2}$ be soft L-closed set in soft lattice topological spaces (L_1, τ_1, P_1) and (L_2, τ_2, P_2) respectively. Then $f^L_{P_1} \times g^L_{P_2}$ is soft L-closed set in soft L-product space $(L_1 \times L_2, \tau, P_1 \times P_2)$.*

Proof. It is obvious that $f^{L'}_{P_1}$ and L_1 are soft L-open sets in (L_1, τ_1, P_1) and $g^{L'}_{P_2}$ and L_2 are soft L-open sets in (L_2, τ_2, P_2) .

Now by Proposition 5.6; $(f^L_{P_1} \times g^L_{P_2})'$ is soft L-open in $(L_1 \times L_2, \tau, P_1 \times P_2)$.

Hence $f^L_{P_1} \times g^L_{P_2}$ is soft L-closed set in soft L-product space $(L_1 \times L_2, \tau, P_1 \times P_2)$. □

6. CONCLUSION

Topological structures on soft sets are more generalized methods and they can be useful for measuring the similarities and dissimilarities between the objects in a universe which are soft sets. The concept of soft L-topological spaces are defined over a soft lattice with a fixed set of parameter. Also soft L-continuous mappings are defined over an initial universe set with a fixed set of parameters. This paper deals with the mappings and cartesian products in soft L-topological spaces. The concept of soft L-continuous mapping between two soft L-topological spaces is first proposed. Moreover, some results based on soft L-homeomorphism are also proved. The concept of cartesian product of soft L-sets are defined and some interesting results are obtained in the last section.

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