

# A Note on fuzzy Weakly Volterra Spaces

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## Research Article

**Abstract:** In this paper we investigate several characterizations of fuzzy weakly Volterra spaces and study the conditions under which a fuzzy topological space becomes a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

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### 1. Introduction

In order to deal with uncertainties, the idea of fuzzy sets and fuzzy set operations was introduced by L.A.Zadeh in his classical paper [17] in the year 1965. This inspired mathematicians to fuzzify Mathematical Structures. The first notion of fuzzy topological space had been defined by C.L.Chang[3] in 1968. Since then much attention has been paid to generalize the basic concepts of general topology in fuzzy setting and thus a modern theory of fuzzy topology has been developed. The concepts of Volterra spaces have been studied extensively in classical topology in [5],[6], [7] and [8]. The concept of Volterra spaces and fuzzy weakly Volterra spaces in fuzzy setting was introduced and studied by the authors in [13]. In this paper we discuss several characterizations of fuzzy weakly Volterra spaces and study under what conditions a fuzzy topological space becomes a fuzzy weakly Volterra space and fuzzy Baire space, fuzzy  $\sigma$ -Baire space, fuzzy submaximal space, fuzzy hyperconnected space, fuzzy strongly irresolvable Baire space and fuzzy P-space are considered for this work.

### 2. Preliminaries

Now we introduce some basic notions and results used in the sequel. In this work by  $(X,T)$  or simply by  $X$ , we will denote a fuzzy topological space due to CHANG.

**Definition 2.1:** Let  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  be any two fuzzy sets in a fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$ . Then we define  $\lambda \vee \mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$  as follows :  $(\lambda \vee \mu)(x) = \text{Max} \{ \lambda(x), \mu(x) \}$ .  $\lambda \wedge \mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$  as follows :  $(\lambda \wedge \mu)(x) = \text{Min} \{ \lambda(x), \mu(x) \}$ .

**Definition 2.2:** Let  $(X,T)$  be a fuzzy topological space and  $\lambda$  be any fuzzy set in  $(X,T)$ . We define

(i).  $\text{Int}(\lambda) = \vee \{ \mu / \mu \leq \lambda, \mu \in T \}$ ,

(ii).  $\text{Cl}(\lambda) = \wedge \{ \mu / \lambda \leq \mu, 1 - \mu \in T \}$ .

**Lemma 2.1 [ 1] :** For a fuzzy set  $\lambda$  of a fuzzy topological space  $X$ ,

(a).  $1 - \text{Int}(\lambda) = \text{Cl}(1 - \lambda)$ , and

(b).  $1 - \text{Cl}(\lambda) = \text{Int}(1 - \lambda)$ .

**Definition 2.3 [ 9]:** A fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in a fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy dense set if there exists no fuzzy closed set  $\mu$  in  $(X,T)$  such that  $\lambda < \mu < 1$ .

**Definition 2.4 [9]:** A fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in a fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy nowhere dense set if there exists no non - zero fuzzy open set  $\mu$  in  $(X,T)$  such that  $\mu < \text{cl}(\lambda)$ . That is,  $\text{int cl}(\lambda) = 0$ .

**Definition 2.5 [ 2]:** Let  $(X,T)$  be a fuzzy topological space and  $\lambda$  be a fuzzy set in  $X$ . Then  $\lambda$  is called a fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -set if  $\lambda = \bigwedge_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i$  for each  $\lambda_i \in T$ .

**Definition 2.6 [ 2]:** Let  $(X,T)$  be a fuzzy topological space and  $\lambda$  be a fuzzy set in  $X$ . Then  $\lambda$  is called a fuzzy  $F_\sigma$ -set if  $\lambda = \bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i$ , for each  $1 - \lambda_i \in T$ .

**Definition 2.7 [9]:** A fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in a fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy first category set if  $\lambda = \bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} (\lambda_i)$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X,T)$ . Any other fuzzy set in  $(X,T)$  is said to be of fuzzy second category.

**Definition 2.8 [ 2]:** A fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy submaximal space if for each fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in  $(X,T)$  such that  $\text{cl}(\lambda) = 1$ , then  $\lambda \in T$  in  $(X,T)$ .

**Definition 2.9 [12]:** Let  $(X,T)$  be a fuzzy topological space. A fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense set if  $\lambda$  is a fuzzy  $F_\sigma$ -set in  $(X,T)$  such that  $\text{int}(\lambda) = 0$ .

### 3. Fuzzy Weakly Volterra Spaces

**Definition 3.1 [13]:** A fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy Volterra space if  $\text{Cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)) = 1$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X,T)$ .

**Definition 3.2 [13]:** A fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$  is called a fuzzy weakly Volterra space if  $\text{Cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)) \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X,T)$ .

**Theorem 3.1 [12]:** In a fuzzy topological space  $(X,T)$ , a fuzzy set  $\lambda$  is fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense if and only if  $1 - \lambda$  is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -set.

**Proposition 3.1:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy  $\sigma$ -second category space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then, by theorem 3.1,  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Let  $\mu_\alpha$  ( $\alpha = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$  in which let us take the first  $N$   $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy  $\sigma$ -second category space,  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ . Then  $1 - [\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha)] \neq 0$ . This implies that  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty (1 - \mu_\alpha) \neq 0$ . Then we have  $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty (1 - \mu_\alpha)) \neq 0$ . Since  $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty ((1 - \mu_\alpha))) \leq \text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha))$ ,  $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha)) \neq 0$ . Then we have  $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)) \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Definition 3.3 [15]:** A fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is called a fuzzy almost resolvable space if  $\bigvee_{i=1}^\infty (\lambda_i) = 1$ , where the fuzzy sets  $\lambda_i$ 's in  $(X, T)$  are such that  $\text{int}(\lambda_i) = 0$ . Otherwise  $(X, T)$  is called a fuzzy almost irresolvable space.

**Proposition 3.2:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy almost irresolvable space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Now  $\text{cl}(\lambda_i) = 1$ , implies that  $\text{int}(1 - \lambda_i) = 0$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy almost irresolvable space,  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where the fuzzy sets  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's in  $(X, T)$  are such that  $\text{int}(\mu_\alpha) = 0$ . Let us take the first  $N$   $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$  in  $(X, T)$ . Now  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , implies that  $1 - [\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha)] \neq 0$ . Then  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty (1 - \mu_\alpha) \neq 0$ . and hence  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty (1 - \mu_\alpha)] \neq 0$ . Since  $\text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty ((1 - \mu_\alpha))) \leq \text{cl}(\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha))$ , we have  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha)] \neq 0$ . That is,  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)] \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Theorem 3.2 [10]:** If  $\lambda$  is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -set in a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$ , then  $1 - \lambda$  is a fuzzy first category set in  $(X, T)$ .

**Proposition 3.3:** If the fuzzy D-Baire space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then, by theorem 3.2,  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy first category sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy D-Baire space,  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space,  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where

$(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Let us take the first  $N$   $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$  in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^N (1 - \lambda_i) \leq \bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha)$  and  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , implies that  $\bigvee_{i=1}^N (1 - \lambda_i) \neq 1$ . Then, we have  $\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i) \neq 0$  and hence  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)] \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 3.4:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is not a fuzzy weakly Volterra space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy  $\sigma$ -first category space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's ( $\alpha = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  which is not a fuzzy weakly Volterra space. Now we claim that  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) = 1$ . Now assume that  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ . Then, we have  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty (1 - \mu_\alpha) \neq 0$ . Since  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy  $\sigma$ -nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ , by theorem 3.1,  $(1 - \mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Now  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^\infty ((1 - \mu_\alpha)) \leq \bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha)$ , implies that  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \mu_\alpha) \neq 0$ . Let us denote  $\lambda_\alpha = (1 - \mu_\alpha)$ . Then  $(\lambda_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha) \neq 0$ . This implies that  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha)] \neq 0$ . But this is a contradiction, since  $(X, T)$  is not a fuzzy weakly Volterra space,  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha)] = 0$ . Hence we must have  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^\infty (\mu_\alpha) = 1$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy  $\sigma$ -first category space.

**Theorem 3.2 [15]:** A fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy resolvable space if and only if  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha) = 1$ , where  $\text{int}[\lambda_\alpha] = 0$ .

**Proposition 3.5:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is not a fuzzy weakly Volterra space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy resolvable space.

**Proof:** Suppose that  $(X, T)$  is not a fuzzy weakly Volterra space. Then  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha)] = 0$ , where  $(\lambda_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Now  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha) \leq \text{cl}[\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha)]$ , implies that  $\bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha) = 0$ . Then  $1 - \bigwedge_{\alpha=1}^N (\lambda_\alpha) = 1$  and hence we have  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \lambda_\alpha) = 1, \dots, (1)$ . Since  $(\lambda_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy dense sets in  $(X, T)$ ,  $\text{cl}(\lambda_\alpha) = 1$ . Then we have  $\text{int}[1 - (\lambda_\alpha)] = 0, \dots, (2)$ .

From (1) and (2), we have  $\bigvee_{\alpha=1}^N (1 - \lambda_\alpha) = 1$ , where  $\text{int}[1 - (\lambda_\alpha)] = 0$ . Hence by theorem 3.3,  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy resolvable space.

**Theorem 3.3 [10]:** If  $\lambda$  is a fuzzy dense and fuzzy open set in a fuzzy topological space, then  $1 - \lambda$  is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in  $(X, T)$ .

**Proposition 3.6:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category fuzzy P-space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy P-space, then

fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) are fuzzy open sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy open sets  $(X, T)$ . By theorem 3.3,  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space,  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Let us take the first  $N(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$  in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \leq V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha)$  and  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , implies that  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \neq 1$ .

This implies that  $\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i) \neq 0$  and hence  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)] \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

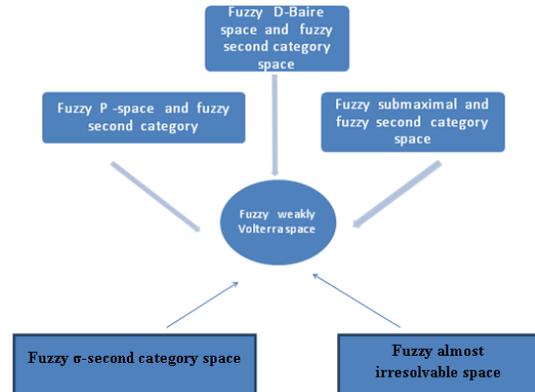
**Proposition 3.7:** If the fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category fuzzy submaximal space, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy submaximal space, the fuzzy dense sets  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) are fuzzy open sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy open sets  $(X, T)$ . By theorem 3.3,  $(1 - \lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space,  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Let us take the first  $N(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$  in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \leq V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha)$  and  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , implies that  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \neq 1$ . This implies that  $\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i) \neq 0$  and hence  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)] \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 3.8:** If each fuzzy first category set is a fuzzy closed set in a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$ , then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) be fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$ -sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then, by theorem 3.2,  $(1 - \square_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy first category sets in  $(X, T)$ . By hypothesis,  $(1 - \square_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy closed sets and hence  $(\lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy open sets in  $(X, T)$ . Now  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $N$ ) are fuzzy dense and fuzzy open sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then by theorem 3.3,  $(1 - \square_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Since  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space,  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ ,  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , where  $(\mu_\alpha)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Let us take the first  $N(\mu_\alpha)$ 's as  $(1 - \lambda_i)$  in  $(X, T)$ . Then,  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \leq V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha)$  and  $V_{\alpha=1}^\infty(\mu_\alpha) \neq 1$ , implies that  $V_{i=1}^N(1 - \lambda_i) \neq 1$ . This implies that  $\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i) \neq 0$  and hence  $\text{cl}[\bigwedge_{i=1}^N (\lambda_i)] \neq 0$ , where  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy dense and fuzzy  $G_\delta$  sets in  $(X, T)$ . Therefore  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Remarks:** The relationship among the classes of fuzzy  $\sigma$ -second category spaces, fuzzy almost irresolvable spaces, fuzzy D-Baire fuzzy second category spaces, fuzzy second category and fuzzy P-spaces and fuzzy weakly Volterra spaces can be summarized as follows:



**4. Fuzzy weakly Volterra Spaces and functions**

In this section by using fuzzy functions, we study under what conditions a fuzzy topological space becomes a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Lemma 4.1[3]:** Let  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  be a mapping. For fuzzy sets  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  of  $(X, T)$  and  $(Y, S)$  respectively, the following statements hold :

- (1)  $f f^{-1}(\mu) \leq \mu$  ;
- (2)  $f^{-1} f(\lambda) \geq \lambda$  ;
- (3)  $f(1 - \lambda) \geq 1 - f(\lambda)$  ;
- (4)  $f^{-1}(1 - \mu) = 1 - f^{-1}(\mu)$  ;
- (5) If  $f$  is one - to - one , then  $f^{-1} f(\lambda) = \lambda$  ;
- (6) If  $f$  is onto , then  $f f^{-1}(\mu) = \mu$  ;
- (7) If  $f$  is one - to -one and onto, then  $f(1 - \lambda) = 1 - f(\lambda)$ .

**Lemma 4.2 [ 1 ] :** Let  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  be a mapping and  $\{\square_\alpha\}$  be a family of fuzzy sets of  $Y$ . Then,

- (a).  $f^{-1}(U_\alpha[\lambda_j]) = U_\alpha[f^{-1}(\square_j)]$ ,
- (b).  $f^{-1}(\cap_\alpha[\lambda_j]) = \cap_\alpha[f^{-1}(\square_j)]$ .

**Lemma 4.3 [4] :** Let  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  be a mapping and  $\{A_j\}$ ,  $j \in J$  be a family of fuzzy sets in  $X$ . Then,

- (a).  $f(U_{j \in J}[A_j]) = U_{j \in J}[f(A_j)]$ ,
- (b).  $f(\cap_{j \in J}[A_j]) \leq \cap_{j \in J}[f(A_j)]$ .

**Definition 4.1 [9]:** A function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  into another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, S)$  is called somewhat fuzzy continuous if  $\lambda \in S$  and  $f^{-1}(\lambda) \neq 0$  implies that there exist a fuzzy open set  $\delta$  in  $(X, T)$  such that  $\delta \neq 0$  and  $\delta \leq f^{-1}(\lambda)$ .

**Definition 4.2[9] :** A function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  into another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, S)$  is called somewhat fuzzy open if

$\lambda \in T$  and  $\lambda \neq 0$  implies that there exists a fuzzy open set  $\eta$  in  $(Y, S)$  such that  $\eta \neq 0$  and  $\eta \leq f(\lambda)$ .

**THEOREM 4.1 [ 9 ]:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  into another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, S)$  is fuzzy semi-continuous and somewhat fuzzy open function and if  $\lambda$  is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in  $(Y, S)$ , then  $f^{-1}(\lambda)$  is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in  $(X, T)$ .

**Proposition 4.1:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy submaximal space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy semi-continuous and somewhat fuzzy open function, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_Y$ . Now  $f^{-1}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f^{-1}(1_Y)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} f^{-1}(\lambda_i) \neq 1_X \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is fuzzy semi-continuous and somewhat fuzzy open function and  $(\lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ ,  $[f^{-1}(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then from (A),  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy submaximal and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.7,  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 4.2 :** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy P-space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy semi-continuous and a somewhat fuzzy open function, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_Y$ . Now  $f^{-1}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f^{-1}(1_Y)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} f^{-1}(\lambda_i) \neq 1_X \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is fuzzy semi-continuous and somewhat fuzzy open function and  $(\lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ ,  $[f^{-1}(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then from (A),  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy P-space and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.6,  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 4.3:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy D-Baire space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy semi-continuous and a somewhat fuzzy open function, then  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(Y, S)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_Y$ . Now  $f^{-1}(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f^{-1}(1_Y)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} f^{-1}(\lambda_i) \neq 1_X \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is fuzzy semi-continuous and somewhat fuzzy open

function and  $(\lambda_i)$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ ,  $[f^{-1}(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$ . Then from (A),  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy P-space and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.3,  $(X, T)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Theorem 4.2 [ 10]:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy topological space  $(X, T)$  into another fuzzy topological space  $(Y, S)$  is somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 and onto function and if  $\lambda$  is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in  $(X, T)$  for any fuzzy set  $\lambda$  in  $(X, T)$ , then  $f(\lambda)$  is a fuzzy nowhere dense set in  $(Y, S)$ .

**Proposition 4.4:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy submaximal  $(Y, S)$  is a somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 function, then  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_X$ . Now  $f(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f(1_X)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} f(\lambda_i) \neq 1_Y \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is fuzzy semi-continuous, 1-1 and onto function and if  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$  then  $[f(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ . Then from (A),  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy submaximal and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.7,  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 4.5:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy D-Baire space  $(Y, S)$  is a somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 function, then  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_X$ . Now  $f(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f(1_X)$ . Then,  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} f(\lambda_i) \neq 1_Y \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 and onto function and if  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$  then  $[f(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ . Then from (A),  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy D-Baire space and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.3,  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proposition 4.6:** If the function  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  from a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$  onto a fuzzy P-space  $(Y, S)$  is a somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 function, then  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

**Proof:** Let  $(\lambda_i)$ 's ( $i = 1$  to  $\infty$ ) be fuzzy nowhere dense sets in a fuzzy second category space  $(X, T)$ . Then we have  $\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i \neq 1_X$ . Now  $f(\bigvee_{i=1}^{\infty} \lambda_i) \neq f(1_X)$ .

Then,  $\bigvee_{\square=1}^{\infty} f(\lambda_i) \neq 1_Y \dots (A)$ . Since  $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, S)$  is fuzzy is a somewhat fuzzy continuous, 1-1 and onto function and if  $\lambda_i$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(X, T)$  then  $[f(\lambda_i)]$ 's are fuzzy nowhere dense sets in  $(Y, S)$ . Then from (A),  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy second category space. Hence  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy P-space and a fuzzy second category space. Therefore, by Proposition 3.6,  $(Y, S)$  is a fuzzy weakly Volterra space.

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