

# Anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals of KUS-algebras

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## ABSTRACT

In this paper , we introduce the notion of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals in KUS-algebra, several appropriate examples are provided and their some properties are investigated . The image and the inverse image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals in KUS-algebra are defined and how the image and the inverse image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals in KUS-algebra become anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals are studied . Moreover , the cartesian product of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals are given .

## Keywords

KUS-ideals , fuzzy KUS-ideals ,anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals , image and pre-image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

After the introduction of fuzzy subsets by L.A. Zadeh [10], several researchers explored on the generalization of the notion of fuzzy subset. H.V. Kumbhojkar and M.S. Bapat [4] defined not-so-fuzzy fuzzy ideals, N. Palaniappan and K. Arjunan [7] defined the anti-homomorphism of a fuzzy and an anti-fuzzy ideals. BCK - algebras form an important class of logical algebras introduced by K. Iseki [2] and was extensively investigated by several researchers. The class of all BCK-algebras is quasi variety. Y. B. Jun , J. Meng and et al posed an interesting problem (solved in ([3], [5])) whether the class of all BCK-algebras is a variety. In ([8],[9]) , C. Prabpayak and U. Leerawat introduced a new algebraic structure ,which is called KU-algebra . They gave the concept of homomorphisms of KU-algebras and investigated some related properties. S. Mostafa ,and et al (in [6]) introduced the notion of fuzzy KUS-ideals of KUS-algebras and they investigated several basic properties which are related to fuzzy KUS-ideals. they described how to deal with the homomorphism image and inverse image of fuzzy KUS-ideals. they have also proved that the cartesian product of fuzzy KUS-ideals in cartesian product of fuzzy KUS-algebras are fuzzy KUS-ideals. In this paper, we introduce the notion of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals of KUS-algebras and then we study the homomorphism image and inverse image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals. We also prove that the cartesian product of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals .

## 2. Preliminaries

In this section we give some basic definitions and preliminaries lemmas of KUS-ideals and fuzzy KUS-ideals of KUS-algebras .

**Definition 2.1([6]).** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  be an algebra with a single binary operation  $(*)$  .  $X$  is called a KUS-algebra if it satisfies the following identities: for any  $x, y, z \in X$  ,

$$\begin{aligned}(\text{kus}_1) : (z * y) * (z * x) &= y * x , \\(\text{kus}_2) : 0 * x &= x , \\(\text{kus}_3) : x * x &= 0 ,\end{aligned}$$

$$(\text{kus}_4) : x * (y * z) = y * (x * z) .$$

In what follows, let  $(X; *, 0)$  denote a KUS-algebra unless otherwise specified.

For brevity we also call  $X$  a KUS-algebra. In  $X$  we can define a binary relation  $(\leq)$

by :  $x \leq y$  if and only if  $y * x = 0$  .

**Lemma 2.2 ([6]).** In any KUS-algebra  $(X; *, 0)$  , the following properties holds: for all  $x, y, z \in X$ ;

- $x * y = 0$  and  $y * x = 0$  imply  $x = y$ ,
- $y * [(y * z) * z] = 0$ ,
- $(0 * x) * (y * x) = y * 0$  ,
- $x \leq y$  implies that  $y * z \leq x * z$  and  $z * x \leq z * y$  ,
- $x \leq y$  and  $y \leq z$  imply  $x \leq z$  ,
- $x * y \leq z$  implies that  $z * y \leq x$  .

**Definition 2.3 ([6]).** A nonempty subset  $S$  of a KUS-algebra  $X$  is called a KUS-sub-algebra of  $X$  if  $x * y \in S$  , whenever  $x, y \in S$ .

**Definition 2.4 ([6]).** A nonempty subset  $I$  of a KUS-algebra  $X$  is called a KUS-ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies: for  $x, y, z \in X$  ,  
(Ikus<sub>1</sub>)  $(0 \in I)$  ,  
(Ikus<sub>2</sub>)  $(z * y) \in I$  and  $(y * x) \in I$  imply  $(z * x) \in I$ .

**Definition 2.5 ([9]).** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  and  $(Y; *, 0)$  be nonempty sets . The mapping  $f : (X; *, 0) \rightarrow (Y; *, 0)$  be called a homomorphism if it satisfying  
 $f(x * y) = f(x) * f(y)$  for all  $x, y \in X$ . The set  $\{x \in X \mid f(x) = 0\}$  is called the Kernel of  $f$  denoted by  $\text{Ker } f$  .

**Definition 2.6([10]).** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  be a nonempty set, a fuzzy subset  $\mu$  in  $X$  is a function  $\mu : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ .

**Definition 2.7([6]).** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  be a KUS-algebra , a fuzzy subset  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called a fuzzy KUS-sub-algebra of  $X$  if for all  $x, y \in X$  ,  
 $\mu(x * y) \geq \min \{\mu(x), \mu(y)\}$  .

**Definition 2.8([6]).** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  be a KUS-algebra , a fuzzy subset  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called a fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies the following conditions: , for all  $x, y, z \in X$  ,  
(Fkus<sub>1</sub>)  $\mu(0) \geq \mu(x)$  ,  
(Fkus<sub>2</sub>)  $\mu(z * x) \geq \min \{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}$  .

## 3. Anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals of

## KUS-algebras

In this section, we will introduce a new notion called an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of KUS-algebra and study several basic properties of it.

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(X; *, 0)$  be a KUS-algebra. A fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $X$  is called an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  if it satisfies the following conditions: for all  $x, y$  and  $z \in X$ ,  
(Akus<sub>1</sub>)  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$ .  
(Akus<sub>2</sub>)  $\mu(z * x) \leq \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}$ .

**Example 3.2.** Let  $X = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  in which  $(*)$  is defined by the following table:

*	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	2	3
1	3	0	1	2
2	2	3	0	1
3	1	2	3	0

Then  $(X; *, 0)$  is a KUS-algebra. Define a fuzzy set  $\mu : X \rightarrow [0, 1]$  by  $\mu(0) = t_1$ ,  
 $\mu(1) = \mu(2) = \mu(3) = t_2$ , where  $t_1, t_2 \in [0, 1]$  with  $t_1 < t_2$ . Routine calculation gives that  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of KUS-algebras  $X$ .

**Lemma 3.3.** Let  $\mu$  be an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of KUS-algebra  $X$  and if  $x \leq y$ , then  $\mu(x) \leq \mu(y)$ , for all  $x, y \in X$ .

**Proof:** Assume that  $x \leq y$ , then  $y * x = 0$ , and  
 $\mu(0 * x) = \mu(x) \leq \max\{\mu(0 * y), \mu(y * x)\}$   
 $= \max\{\mu(y), \mu(0)\} = \mu(y)$ . Hence  $\mu(x) \leq \mu(y)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.4.** Let  $\mu$  be an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of KUS-algebra  $X$ . If the inequality  $y * x \leq z$  hold in  $X$ , then  $\mu(x) \leq \max\{\mu(y), \mu(z)\}$ .

**Proof:** Assume that the inequality  $y * x \leq z$  hold in  $X$ , by lemma (3.3),  $\mu(y * x) \leq \mu(z)$  --- (1).

By(Akus<sub>2</sub>),  $\mu(z * x) \leq \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}$ . Put  $z = 0$ , then

$$\mu(0 * x) = \mu(x) \leq \max\{\mu(0 * y), \mu(y * x)\}$$

$$= \max\{\mu(y), \mu(y * x)\} \text{ --- (2) .}$$

From (1) and (2), we get  $\mu(x) \leq \max\{\mu(y), \mu(z)\}$ , for all  $x, y, z \in X$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\mu$  be an anti-fuzzy set in  $X$  then  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  if and only if it satisfies: if

$$U(\mu, \alpha) = \{x \in X \mid \mu(x) \leq \alpha\}, \text{ for all}$$

$\alpha \in [0, 1]$ ,  $U(\mu, \alpha) \neq \emptyset$  implies  $U(\mu, \alpha)$  is a KUS-ideal of  $X$  --- (A) .

**Proof:** Assume that  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ , let  $\alpha \in [0, 1]$  be such that  $U(\mu, \alpha) \neq \emptyset$ , and let  $x, y \in X$  be such that  $x \in U(\mu, \alpha)$ , then  $\mu(x) \leq \alpha$  and so by (Akus<sub>1</sub>),  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x) \leq \alpha$ . Thus  $0 \in U(\mu, \alpha)$  .

Now let  $(z * y), (y * x) \in U(\mu, \alpha)$ . It follows from (Akus<sub>2</sub>) that

$$\mu(z * x) \leq \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} = \alpha, \text{ so that } (z * x) \in U(\mu, \alpha) . \text{ Hence } U(\mu, \alpha) \text{ is a KUS-ideal of } X.$$

Conversely, suppose that  $\mu$  satisfies (A), assume that (Akus<sub>1</sub>) is false, then there exist

$x \in X$  such that  $\mu(0) > \mu(x)$ . If we take  
 $t = \frac{1}{2} [\mu(x) + \mu(0)]$ , then  $\mu(0) > t$  and

$$0 \leq \mu(x) < t \leq 1, \text{ thus } x \in U(\mu, t) \text{ and}$$

$U(\mu, t) \neq \emptyset$ . As  $U(\mu, t)$  is a KUS-ideal of  $X$ , we have  $0 \in$

$U(\mu, t)$ , and so  $\mu(0) \leq t$ . This is a contradiction. Hence  $\mu$

$(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Now, assume (Akus<sub>2</sub>) is not true then there exist

$x, y, z \in X$  such that

$$\mu(z * x) > \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\},$$

taking  $\beta_0 = \frac{1}{2} [\mu(z * x) + \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}]$ , we have

$$\beta_0 \in [0, 1] \text{ and}$$

$\max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} < \beta_0 < \mu(z * x)$ , it follows that

$$\max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} \in U(\mu, \beta_0) \text{ and}$$

$z * x \notin U(\mu, \beta_0)$ , this is a contradiction and therefore  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  $\square$

## 4. Characterization of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals by their level KUS-ideals

**Theorem 4.1.** A fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of a KUS-algebra  $X$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  if and only if, for every  $t \in [0, 1]$ ,  $\mu_t$  is either empty or a KUS-ideal of  $X$ , where  $\mu_t = \{x \in X \mid \mu(x) \leq t\}$ .

**Proof:** Assume that  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ , by (Akus<sub>1</sub>), we have  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ , therefore  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x) \leq t$ , for  $x \in \mu_t$  and so

$$0 \in \mu_t .$$

Let  $(z * y) \in \mu_t$  and  $(y * x) \in \mu_t$ , then

$\mu(z * y) \leq t$  and  $\mu(y * x) \leq t$ , since  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal it follows that

$$\mu(z * x) \leq \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} \leq t \text{ and that } (z * x) \in \mu_t . \text{ Hence } \mu_t \text{ is a KUS-ideal of } X.$$

Conversely, we only need to show that (Akus<sub>1</sub>) and (Akus<sub>2</sub>) are true. If (Akus<sub>1</sub>) is false, then there exist  $x \in X$  such that  $\mu(0) > \mu(x)$ . If we take

$$t = \frac{1}{2} (\mu(x) + \mu(0)), \text{ then } \mu(0) > t \text{ and}$$

$$0 \leq \mu(x) < t \leq 1 \text{ thus } x \in \mu_t \text{ and } \mu_t \neq \emptyset . \text{ As } \mu_t \text{ is a}$$

KUS-ideal of  $X$ , we have  $0 \in \mu_t$  and so  $\mu(0) \leq t$ . This is a contradiction.

Now, assume (Akus<sub>2</sub>) is not true, then there exist  $x, y$  and  $z \in X$  such that,

$$\mu(z * x) > \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} .$$

Putting  $t = \frac{1}{2} [\mu(z * x) + \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}]$ , then  $\mu$

$$(z * x) > t \text{ and}$$

$$0 \leq \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\} < t \leq 1, \text{ hence}$$

$$\mu(z * y) < t \text{ and } \mu(y * x) < t, \text{ which imply that}$$

$$(z * y) \in \mu_t \text{ and } (y * x) \in \mu_t, \text{ since } \mu_t \text{ is an anti-fuzzy}$$

KUS-ideal, it follows that  $(z * x) \in \mu_t$  and that  $\mu(z * x) \leq$

$t$ , this is also a contradiction. Hence  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 4.2.** If a fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of KUS-algebra  $X$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal, then for every

$t \in \text{Im}(\mu)$ ,  $\mu_t$  is a KUS-ideal of  $X$ .

**Remark 4.3.** Let  $\mu$  be an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of KUS-algebra  $X$ , then the KUS-ideal  $\mu_t$ ,  $t \in [0,1]$  are called level KUS-ideals of  $\mu$ .

**Corollary 4.4.** Let  $I$  be a KUS-ideal of a KUS-algebra  $X$ , then for any fixed number  $t$  in an open interval  $(0,1)$ , there exist an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal  $\mu$  of  $X$  such that  $\mu_t = I$ .

**Proof:** Define  $\mu : X \rightarrow [0:1]$  by

$$\mu(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } x \in I; \\ t, & \text{if } x \notin I. \end{cases}$$

Where  $t$  is a fixed number in  $(0,1)$ . Clearly,  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  and we have one two level sets  $\mu_0 = I$ ,  $\mu_t = X$ , which are KUS-ideals of  $X$ , then from Theorem (4.1)  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  $\square$

## 5. Image and Pre-image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals

**Definition 5.1([2]).**  $f : (X; *, 0) \rightarrow (Y; *, ', 0')$  be a mapping from a nonempty set  $X$  to a nonempty set  $Y$ . If  $\beta$  is a fuzzy subset of  $X$ , then the fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of  $Y$  defined by:

$$f(\mu)(y) = \beta(y) = \begin{cases} \inf_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} \mu(x) & \text{if } f^{-1}(y) = \{x \in X, f(x) = y\} \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

is said to be the image of  $\mu$  under  $f$ .

Similarly if  $\mu$  is a fuzzy subset of  $Y$ , then the fuzzy subset  $\mu = (\beta \circ f)$  in  $X$  (i.e., the fuzzy subset defined by  $\mu(x) = \beta(f(x))$ , for all  $x \in X$ ) is called the pre-image of  $\beta$  under  $f$ .

**Theorem 5.2.** An onto homomorphic pre-image of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal is also an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal.

**Proof:** Let  $f : (X; *, 0) \rightarrow (Y; *, ', 0')$  be an onto homomorphism of KUS-algebras,  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $Y$  and  $\mu$  the pre-image of  $\beta$  under  $f$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(f(x)) &= \mu(x), \text{ for all } x \in X. \text{ Let } x \in X, \text{ then} \\ \mu(0) &= \beta(f(0)) < \beta(f(x)) = \mu(x). \text{ Now let} \\ x, y, z &\in X, \text{ then} \\ \mu(z * x) &= \beta(f(z * x)) = \beta(f(z) *' f(x)) \\ &\leq \max\{\beta(f(z) *' f(y)), \beta(f(y) *' f(x))\} \\ &= \max\{\beta(f(z * y)), \beta(f(y * x))\} \\ &= \max\{\mu(z * y), \mu(y * x)\}, \text{ and the proof is completed. } \square \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 5.3.** An anti fuzzy subset  $\mu$  of  $X$  has inf property if for any subset  $T$  of  $X$ , there exist  $t_0 \in T$  such that  $\mu(t) = \inf_{t \in T} \mu(t)$ .

**Theorem 5.4.** Let  $f : (X; *, 0) \rightarrow (Y; *, ', 0')$  be an onto homomorphism between KUS-algebras  $X$  and  $Y$  respectively. For every anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal  $\mu$  in  $X$ ,  $f(\mu)$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $Y$ .

**Proof:** Let  $y \in Y$ , there exists  $x \in X$  such that  $f(x) = y$ . Then  $\mu(y) = \mu(f(x)) \geq \mu(f(0)) = \mu(0)$ .

Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be an onto homomorphism of KUS-algebras,  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  with inf property and  $\beta$  the image of  $\mu$  under  $f$ , since  $\mu$  is anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ , we have  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Note that  $0 \in f^{-1}(0')$ , where  $0, 0'$  are the zero of  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively. Thus  $\beta(0') = \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(x')} \mu(t) = \beta(x')$ , for all  $x' \in Y$ , which implies that  $\beta(0') \leq \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(x')} \mu(t) = \beta(x')$ , for any  $x' \in Y$ . Let  $x', y', z' \in Y$ , then there exists  $x_0, y_0, z_0 \in X$  such that  $x_0 = f^{-1}(x')$ ,  $y_0 = f^{-1}(y')$ ,  $z_0 = f^{-1}(z')$ . It follows that  $\mu(z_0 * y_0) = \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(z' * y')} \mu(t)$ ,  $\mu(y_0 * x_0) = \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(y' * x')} \mu(t)$  and  $\mu(z_0 * x_0) = \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(z' * x')} \mu(t)$ . Then  $f(\mu)(z' * x') = \beta(z' * x') = \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(z' * x')} \mu(t) = \mu(z_0 * x_0) \leq \max\{\mu(z_0 * y_0), \mu(y_0 * x_0)\} = \max[\inf_{t \in f^{-1}(z' * y')} \mu(t), \inf_{t \in f^{-1}(y' * x')} \mu(t)] = \max\{\beta(z' * y'), \beta(y' * x')\} = \max\{f(\mu)(z' * y'), f(\mu)(y' * x')\}$ . Hence  $f(\mu)$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $Y$ .  $\square$

## 6. Cartesian product of anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals

**Definition 6.1 ([1]).** A fuzzy relation  $R$  on any set  $S$  is a fuzzy subset  $R : S \times S \rightarrow [0,1]$ .

**Definition 6.2 ([1]).** If  $R$  is a fuzzy relation on sets  $S$  and  $\beta$  is a fuzzy subset of  $S$ , then  $R$  is a fuzzy relation on  $\beta$  if  $R(x, y) \geq \max\{\beta(x), \beta(y)\}$ , for all  $x, y \in S$ .

**Definition 6.3([1]).** Let  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  be fuzzy subsets of a set  $S$ . The cartesian product of  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  is defined by  $(\mu \times \beta)(x, y) = \max\{\mu(x), \beta(y)\}$ , for all  $x, y \in S$ .

**Lemma 6.4([1]).** Let  $S$  be a set and  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  be fuzzy subsets of  $S$ . Then,

- (1)  $\mu \times \beta$  is a fuzzy relation on  $S$ ,
- (2)  $(\mu \times \beta)_t = \mu_t \times \beta_t$ , for all  $t \in [0,1]$ .

**Definition 6.5([1]).** Let  $S$  be a set and  $\beta$  be fuzzy subset of  $S$ . The strongest fuzzy relation on  $S$ , that is, a fuzzy relation on  $\beta$  is  $R_\beta$  given by

$$R_\beta(x, y) = \max\{\beta(x), \beta(y)\}, \text{ for all } x, y \in S.$$

**Lemma 6.6([1]).** For a given fuzzy subset  $\beta$  of a set  $S$ , let  $R_\beta$  be the strongest fuzzy relation on  $S$ . Then for  $t \in [0,1]$ , we have  $(R_\beta)_t = \beta_t \times \beta_t$ .

**Proposition 6.7.** For a given fuzzy subset  $\beta$  of a KUS-algebra  $X$ , let  $R_\beta$  be the strongest fuzzy relation on  $X$ . If  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ , then  $R_\beta(x, x) \geq R_\beta(0, 0)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $R_\beta$  is a strongest fuzzy relation of  $X \times X$ , it follows from that,  
 $R_\beta(x, x) = \max\{\beta(x), \beta(x)\} \geq \max\{\beta(0), \beta(0)\}$   
 $= R_\beta(0, 0)$ , which implies that  $R_\beta(x, x) \geq R_\beta(0, 0)$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 6.8.** For a given fuzzy subset  $\beta$  of a KUS-algebra  $X$ , let  $R_\beta$  be the strongest fuzzy relation on  $X$ . If  $R_\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ , then  $\beta(x) \geq \beta(0)$ , for all  $x \in X$ .

**Proof:** Since  $R_\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ , it follows from (Akus<sub>1</sub>),  
 $R_\beta(x, x) \geq R_\beta(0, 0)$ , where  $(0, 0)$  is the zero element of  $X \times X$ . But this means that,  $\max\{\beta(x), \beta(x)\} \geq \max\{\beta(0), \beta(0)\}$  which implies that  $\beta(x) \geq \beta(0)$ .  $\square$

**Remark 6.9([1]).** Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be KUS-algebras, we define  $(*)$  on  $X \times Y$  by : for all  $(x, y), (u, v) \in X \times Y$ ,  $(x, y) * (u, v) = (x * u, y * v)$ . Then clearly  $(X \times Y; *, (0, 0))$  is a KUS-algebra.

**Theorem 6.10.** Let  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  be an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideals of KUS-algebra  $X$ . Then  $\mu \times \beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ .

**Proof:** Note first that for every  $(x, y) \in X \times X$ ,  
 $(\mu \times \beta)(0, 0) = \max\{\mu(0), \beta(0)\}$   
 $\leq \max\{\mu(x), \beta(y)\} = (\mu \times \beta)(x, y)$ .

Now let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times X$ . Then  
 $(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * x_1, z_2 * x_2) = \max\{\mu(z_1 * x_1), \beta(z_2 * x_2)\} \leq \max\{\max\{\mu(z_1 * y_1), \mu(y_1 * x_1)\}, \max\{\beta(z_2 * y_2), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{\max\{\mu(z_1 * y_1), \beta(z_2 * y_2)\}, \max\{\mu(y_1 * x_1), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * y_1, z_2 * y_2), (\mu \times \beta)(y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2)\}$

Hence  $(\mu \times \beta)$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 6.11.** Let  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  be anti-fuzzy subsets of KUS-algebra  $X$  such that  $\mu \times \beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of

- $X \times X$ . Then for all  $x \in X$ ,  
 (i) either  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  or  $\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$ .  
 (ii)  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$ , then either  $\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$  or  $\beta(0) \leq \mu(x)$ .  
 (iii) If  $\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$ , then either  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  or  $\beta(0) \leq \mu(x)$ .  
 (iv) Either  $\mu$  or  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .

**Proof.**

- (i) suppose that  $\mu(0) > \mu(x)$  and  $\beta(0) > \beta(y)$  for some  $x, y \in X$ . Then  $(\mu \times \beta)(x, y) = \max\{\mu(x), \beta(y)\} < \max\{\mu(0), \beta(0)\} = (\mu \times \beta)(0, 0)$ . This is a contradiction and we obtain (i).  
 (ii) Assume that there exist  $x, y \in X$  such that  $\beta(0) > \mu(x)$  and  $\beta(0) > \beta(y)$ . Then  $(\mu \times \beta)(0, 0) = \max\{\mu(0), \beta(0)\} = \beta(0)$  it follows that  $(\mu \times \beta)(x, y) = \max\{\mu(x), \beta(y)\} < \beta(0) = (\mu \times \beta)(0, 0)$  which is a contradiction. Hence (ii) holds.  
 (iii) is by similar method to part (ii).  
 (iv) Suppose  $\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$  by (i), then from (iii) either  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  or  $\beta(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

If  $\mu(0) \leq \beta(x)$ , for any  $x \in X$ , then  $(\mu \times \beta)(0, x) = \max\{\mu(0), \beta(x)\} = \beta(x)$ . Let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times X$ , since  $(\mu \times \beta)$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ , we have  
 $(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * x_1, z_2 * x_2) \leq \max\{(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * y_1, z_2 * y_2), (\mu \times \beta)(y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2)\}$  ---- (A)

If we take  $x_1 = y_1 = z_1 = 0$ , then  
 $\beta(z_2 * x_2) = (\mu \times \beta)(0, z_2 * x_2)$   
 $\leq \max\{(\mu \times \beta)(0, z_2 * y_2), (\mu \times \beta)(0, y_2 * x_2)\}$   
 $= \max\{\max\{\mu(0), \beta(z_2 * y_2)\}, \max\{\mu(0), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{\beta(z_2 * y_2), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}$   
 This prove that  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  
 Now we consider the case  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Suppose that  $\mu(0) > \mu(y)$  for some  $y \in X$ . then  
 $\beta(0) \leq \beta(y) < \mu(0)$ .

Since  $\mu(0) \leq \mu(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ , it follows that  $\beta(0) < \mu(x)$  for any  $x \in X$ .

Hence  $(\mu \times \beta)(x, 0) = \max\{\mu(x), \beta(0)\} = \mu(x)$  taking  $x_2 = y_2 = z_2 = 0$  in (A), then  
 $\mu(z_1 * x_1) = (\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * x_1, 0)$   
 $\leq \max\{(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * y_1, 0), (\mu \times \beta)(y_1 * x_1, 0)\}$   
 $= \max\{\max\{\mu(z_1 * y_1), \beta(0)\}, \max\{\mu(y_1 * x_1), \beta(0)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{\mu(z_1 * y_1), \mu(y_1 * x_1)\}$   
 Which proves that  $\mu$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  
 Hence either  $\mu$  or  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 6.12.** Let  $\beta$  be a fuzzy subset of a KUS-algebra  $X$  and let  $R_\beta$  be the strongest fuzzy relation on  $X$ , then  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$  if and only if  $R_\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ .

**Proof:** Assume that  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ . By proposition (6.7), we get,

$R_\beta(0, 0) \leq R_\beta(x, y)$ , for any  $(x, y) \in X \times X$ .

Let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times X$ , we have from (Akus<sub>2</sub>):

$R_\beta(z_1 * x_1, z_2 * x_2) = \max\{\beta(z_1 * x_1), \beta(z_2 * x_2)\}$   
 $\leq \max\{\max\{\beta(z_1 * y_1), \beta(y_1 * x_1)\}, \max\{\beta(z_2 * y_2), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{\max\{\beta(z_1 * y_1), \beta(z_2 * y_2)\}, \max\{\beta(y_1 * x_1), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$   
 $= \max\{R_\beta(z_1 * y_1, z_2 * y_2), R_\beta(y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2)\}$

Hence  $R_\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ .

Conversely, suppose that  $R_\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ , by proposition (6.8)  $\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ , which prove (Akus<sub>1</sub>).

Now, let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times X$ . Then,  
 $\max\{\beta(z_1 * x_1), \beta(z_2 * x_2)\} = R_\beta(z_1 * x_1, z_2 * x_2)$   
 $\leq \max\{R_\beta((z_1, z_2) * (y_1, y_2)), R_\beta((y_1, y_2) * (x_1, x_2))\}$   
 $= \max\{R_\beta((z_1 * y_1), (z_2 * y_2)), R_\beta((y_1 * x_1), (y_2 * x_2))\}$

$= \max\{\max\{\beta(z_1 * y_1), \beta(z_2 * y_2)\}, \max\{\beta(y_1 * x_1), \beta(y_2 * x_2)\}\}$

In particular if we take  $x_2 = y_2 = z_2 = 0$ , then  
 $\beta(z_1 * x_1) \leq \max\{\beta(z_1 * y_1), \beta(y_1 * x_1)\}$ . This proves (Akus<sub>2</sub>) and  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 6.13.** Let  $\mu$  and  $\beta$  be fuzzy subsets of a KUS-algebra  $X$  such that  $\mu \times \beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X \times X$ . Then  $\mu$  or  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ .

**Proof:** By theorem (6.11(i)), without loss of generality we assume that  $\mu(x) \geq \mu(0)$  for all  $x \in X$ . From theorem (6.11(iii)), it follows that either

$\beta(0) \leq \beta(x)$  or  $\beta(0) \leq \mu(x)$ . If  $\mu(x) \geq \beta(0)$  for all  $x \in X$ , then  $(\mu \times \beta)(0, x) = \max \{ \beta(0), \mu(x) \} =$

$\mu(x)$ . Let  $(x, y) \in X \times X$ , since  $\mu \times \beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ . By proposition (6.7), we get,  $(\mu \times \beta)(0, 0) \leq (\mu \times \beta)(x, y)$ .

Let  $(x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2), (z_1, z_2) \in X \times X$ , we have from (A<sub>KUS</sub><sub>2</sub>):

$$(\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * x_1, z_2 * x_2) = \max \{ \mu(z_1 * x_1), \beta(z_2 * x_2) \}$$

$$\leq \max \{ \max \{ \mu(z_1 * y_1), \mu(y_1 * x_1) \}, \max \{ \beta(z_2 * y_2), \beta(y_2 * x_2) \} \}$$

$$= \max \{ \max \{ \mu(z_1 * y_1), \beta(z_2 * y_2) \}, \max \{ \mu(y_1 * x_1), \beta(y_2 * x_2) \} \}$$

$$= \max \{ (\mu \times \beta)(z_1 * y_1, z_2 * y_2), (\mu \times \beta)(y_1 * x_1, y_2 * x_2) \}$$

In particular if we take  $x_1 = y_1 = z_1 = 0$ , then

$$\beta(z_2 * x_2) = (\mu \times \beta)(0, z_2 * x_2) \leq$$

$$\max \{ (\mu \times \beta)(0, (z_2 * y_2)), (\mu \times \beta)(0, (y_2 * x_2)) \}$$

$$= \max \{ \max \{ \mu(0), \beta(z_2 * y_2) \}, \max \{ \mu(0), \beta(y_2 * x_2) \} \}$$

$= \max \{ \beta(z_2 * y_2), \beta(y_2 * x_2) \}$ . This proves that  $\beta$  is an anti-fuzzy KUS-ideal of  $X$ . The second part is similar. This completes the proof.  $\triangle$

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