# **On Intuitionistic Fuzzy M-Precontinuous Mappings**

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ABSTRACT

The aim of this paper is to extend the concept of fuzzy M-pre continuous mappings due to Thakur and Singh [9] in intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces and obtain some of their characterizations and properties.

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## **1. INTRODUCTION**

After the introduction of fuzzy sets by Zadeh [11] in 1965 and fuzzy topology by Chang [4] in 1968, several researches were conducted on the generalizations of the notions of fuzzy sets and fuzzy topology. The concept of intuitionistic fuzzy sets was introduced by Atanassov [1, 2, 3] as a generalization of fuzzy sets. In the last 28 years various concepts of fuzzy mathematics have been extended for intuitionistic fuzzy sets. In 1997 Coker [5] introduced the concept of intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces as a generalization of fuzzy topological spaces. In the same year Guecay Coker and Hayder [7] extended the concepts of fuzzy preopen sets and fuzzy topology. In the present paper we introduce and study the concept of fuzzy M-pre continuous mappings in intuitionistic fuzzy topological spaces.

#### 2. PRELIMANIRIES

**Definition 2.1 [1]**: Let X is a nonempty fixed set. An intuitionistic fuzzy set A in X is an object having the form

$$A = \{ <\!\! x, \mu_A(x), \gamma_A(x) \!\! > \! : x \! \in \! X \}$$

Where the functions  $\mu_A: X \rightarrow I$  and  $\gamma_A: X \rightarrow I$  denote the degree of membership (namely  $\mu_A(x)$ ) and the degree of non membership (namely  $\gamma_A(x)$ ) of each element  $x \in X$  to the set A, respectively, and  $0 \le \mu_A(x) + \gamma_A(x) \le 1$  for each  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.2 [1]:** Let X be a nonempty set and the intuitionistic fuzzy sets A and B be in the form A =  $\{\langle x, \mu_A(x), \gamma_A(x) \rangle : x \in X\}, B = \{\langle x, \mu_B(x), \gamma_B(x) \rangle : x \in X\}$ 

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and let  $\{A_i: i \in J\}$  be an arbitrary family of intuitionistic fuzzy sets in X. Then:

- (a)  $A \subseteq B$  if  $\forall x \in X [\mu_A(x) \le \mu_B(x) \text{ and } \gamma_A(x) \ge \gamma_B(x)];$
- (b) A = B if  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq A$ ;
- (c)  $A^{c} = \{ \langle x, \gamma_{A}(x), \mu_{A}(x) \rangle : x \in X \};$
- (d)  $\cap$  A<sub>i</sub> = {<x,  $\land \mu_{Ai}(x)$ ,  $\lor \gamma_{Ai}(x)$ > :  $x \in X$ };
- (e)  $\cup$  A<sub>i</sub> = {<x,  $\lor$   $\mu$ <sub>Ai</sub>(x),  $\land$   $\gamma$ <sub>Ai</sub>(x)> :  $x \in X$ };
- (f)  $\widetilde{\mathbf{0}} = \{ <x, 0, 1 > : x \in X \}$  and  $\widetilde{\mathbf{1}} = \{ <x, 1, 0 > : x \in X \}$ .

**Definition 2.3 [5]:** Let *X* and *Y* be two nonempty sets and *f* :  $X \rightarrow Y$  be a function. Then

(a) If B = { $\langle y, \mu_B(y), \gamma_B(y) \rangle : y \in Y$ } is an intuitionistic fuzzy set in *Y*, then the pre image of B under *f* denoted by  $f^{-1}(B)$ , is the IFS in *X* defined by

$$f^{-1}(\mathbf{B}) = \langle x, f^{-1}(\mu_{\mathbf{B}})(x), f^{-1}(\gamma_{\mathbf{B}})(x) \rangle : x \in X \}$$

(b) If A = { $\langle x, \lambda_A(x), v_A(x) \rangle$  :  $x \in X$ } is an intuitionistic fuzzy set in *X*, then the image of A under *f* denoted by *f*(A) is the intuitionistic fuzzy set in *Y* defined by

$$f(A) = \{ \langle y, f(\lambda_A)(y), f(v_A)(y) \rangle : y \in Y \}$$
  
where,  $f(v_A) = 1 - f(1 - v_A).$ 

**Definition 2.4 [5]:** Two intuitionistic fuzzy sets A and B of X said to be q-coincident (AqB for short) if and only if there exits an element  $x \in X$  such that  $\mu_A(x) > \gamma_B(x)$  or  $\gamma_A(x) < \mu_B(x)$ .

**Lemma 2.1 [5]:** For any two intuitionistic fuzzy sets A and B of X,  $](AqB) \Leftrightarrow A \subset B^c$  [5].

**Definition 2.5[5]:** An intuitionistic fuzzy topology on a nonempty set X is a family  $\Im$  of intuitionistic fuzzy sets in X satisfying the following axioms:

$$(T_1) \ \widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, \ \widetilde{\mathbf{1}} \in \mathfrak{T}.$$
  
 $(T_2) \ G_1 \cap G_2 \in \mathfrak{T} \text{ for any } G_1, \ G_2 \in \mathfrak{T}.$   
 $(T_3) \cup G_i \in \mathfrak{T} \text{ for any arbitrary family } \{G_i : i \in J\} \subset \mathfrak{T}.$ 

In this case the pair  $(X,\mathfrak{I})$  is called an intuitionistic fuzzy**D** topological space and each intuitionistic fuzzy set in  $\mathfrak{I}$  is known as an intuitionistic fuzzy open set in *X*. The complement  $A^c$  of an intuitionistic fuzzy open set is called an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set in *X*.

**Definition 2.6** [5]: Let  $(X, \mathfrak{I})$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space and *A* be an intuitionistic fuzzy set in *X*. Then the fuzzy interior and fuzzy closure of *A* are defined by:

 $cl(A) = \bigcap \{K : K \text{ is an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set in } X \text{ and } A \subseteq K \},$ 

 $int(A) = \bigcup \{G : G \text{ is an intuitionistic fuzzy open set in } X \text{ and } G \subseteq K \}$ 

**Lemma 2.2 [5] :** For any intuitionistic fuzzy set A in  $(X, \mathfrak{I})$  we have

(a) A is an intuitionistic fuzzy closed set in  $X \Leftrightarrow cl(A) = A$ ,

(b) *A* is an intuitionistic fuzzy open set in  $X \Leftrightarrow int(A) = A$ ;

(c)  $\operatorname{cl}(A^{c}) = (\operatorname{int}(A))^{c};$ 

(d)  $int(A^{c}) = (cl(A))^{c}$ .

**Definition 2.7[7]:** An intuitionistic fuzzy set A in an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space X is called :

(a )Iintuitionistic fuzzy pre open if  $A \subseteq$  int (cl (A));

(b) Intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed if its compliment is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open.

**Definition 2.8 [7]:** Let  $(X, \mathfrak{I})$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space and A be an intuitionistic fuzzy set in X. Then the interior and closure of A are defined by:

pcl (A) =  $\bigcap \{K : K \text{ is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set in } X$ and  $A \subseteq K$ ,

pint (A) =  $\cup$  {G : G is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X and  $G \subseteq A$  }.

**Definition 2.9[7]:** A mapping  $f:(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \Gamma)$  is said to be:

(a) Intuitionistic fuzzy continuous if the inverse image of every Intuitionistic fuzzy open set of Y is Intuitionistic fuzzy open in X.

(b) Intuitionistic fuzzy pre continuous if the inverse image of every Intuitionistic fuzzy open set of Y is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X. **Definition 2.10:** Let X be a non empty set and  $p \in X$  a fixed element in X. If  $\alpha \in (0,1]$  and  $\beta \in [0,1)$  are two real numbers such that  $\alpha + \beta \le 1$  then, Intuitionistic fuzzy set  $p(\alpha, \beta) =$  $\{<x, p_{\alpha}, 1 \cdot p_{1-\beta} > :x \in X\}$  (where  $p_{\alpha}$  is the fuzzy point in X with support p and value  $\alpha$ ) is called an Intuitionistic fuzzy point in X (IFP in short) where  $\alpha$  denotes the degree of membership o  $p(\alpha, \beta)$  and  $\beta$  denotes the degree of non membership of  $p(\alpha, \beta)$ .

# 3. INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY M-PRE CONTINUOUS MAPPINGS

**Definition 3.1:** A mapping f from an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (X,  $\Im$ ) to an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space (Y, $\sigma$ ) is called intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous if  $f^1(U)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X for every

intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set U in Y.

**Remark 3.1**: Every intuitionistic fuzzy M-Precontinuous mapping is intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous but the converse may not be true.

**Example 3.1**: Let  $X = \{a, b\}$ ,  $Y = \{x, y\}$  and U, V are the intuitionistic fuzzy sets respectively on X and Y defined as follows:

 $U=\{<a,\,0.4,\,0.6>,\,<\!b,\,0.5,\,0.5>\},$ 

 $V = \{ < a, 0.5, 0.5 >, < b, 0.7, 0.3 > \},\$ 

Let  $\mathfrak{I} = \{ \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{U}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{1} \}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \{ \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{1} \}$  be the intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Then the mapping f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \boldsymbol{\sigma})$  defined by f(a) = x and f(b) = y is intuitionistic fuzzy pre continuous( in fact intuitionistic fuzzy continuous) but not intuitionistic fuzzy M- pre continuous.

Consider the following example:

**Example (3.2)**: Let  $X = \{a, b\}$ ,  $Y = \{x, y\}$  and V be an intuitionistic fuzzy set on Y defined as follows:

 $V = \{<x, 0.5, 0.5>, <y, 0.6, 0.4>\},$ 

Let  $\mathfrak{I} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, \mathbf{V}, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}$  be intuitionistic fuzzy topologies on X and Y respectively. Then the mapping g: (X,  $\mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (\mathbf{Y}, \boldsymbol{\sigma})$  defined by g(a) = x and g(b) = y is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous but not intuitionistic fuzzy continuous

**Remark 3.2.** Example 3.1 and Example 3.2 shows that the concepts of Intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous and intuitionistic fuzzy continuous mappings are independent.

**Theorem (3.1)**: The following statements are equivalent for a mapping f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ :

- (a) f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous.
- (**b**) **f**<sup>1</sup>(V) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set in X for every intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set V in Y.
- (c) for every intuitionistic fuzzy point P(α, β) in X and every intuitionistic fuzzy preopen set V in Y such that f(P(α, β)) ∈ V there is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open

set U in X, such that  $P(\alpha, \beta) \in U$  and  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .

- (d) for every intuitionistic fuzzy point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  in X and every pre neighbourhood V of f  $(P(\alpha, \beta))$ , f<sup>1</sup> (V) is a pre neighbourhood of  $P(\alpha, \beta)$ .
- (e) for every intuitionistic fuzzy point  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  in X and every pre neighbourhood V of f  $(P(\alpha, \beta))$  there is a preneighbourhood U of  $P(\alpha, \beta)$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .
- (f)  $f(pcl(U)) \subseteq pcl(f(U))$  for every intuitionistic fuzzy set U of X.
- (g) pcl(f<sup>1</sup> (V)) ⊆ f<sup>1</sup> (pcl(V)) for every intuitionistic fuzzy set Vof Y.
- (h)  $f^1(pint(V)) \subseteq pint(f^1(V))$  for every intuitionistic fuzzy set V of Y.

#### **PROOF** :(a)⇔(b) Obvious.

(a)  $\Rightarrow$  (c). Let P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) be an intuitionistic fuzzy point of X and V is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X such that f (P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ))  $\in$  V. Put U = f<sup>1</sup>(V). Then by (a), U is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X such that P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )  $\in$  U and f(U)  $\subseteq$  V

(c)  $\Rightarrow$ (a). Let V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in Y and P ( $\alpha, \beta$ )  $\in$  f<sup>-1</sup> (V). Then f(P( $\alpha, \beta$ ))  $\in$  V. Now by (c) there is an intuitionistic fuzzy preopen set U in X such that P ( $\alpha, \beta$ )  $\in$  U and f (U)  $\subseteq$  V. Then P( $\alpha, \beta$ )  $\in$  U  $\subseteq$  f<sup>1</sup>(V). Hence f<sup>1</sup>(V) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X.

(a)  $\Rightarrow$ (d). Let P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) be an intuitionistic fuzzy point in X and V be a pre neighbourhood of f (P( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )). Then there is a intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set W of Y such that f (P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ))  $\in$  W  $\subseteq$  V Now f<sup>1</sup>(W) is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X and P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )  $\in$  f<sup>-1</sup>(W)  $\subseteq$  f<sup>-1</sup> (V). Thus f<sup>-1</sup> (V) is a pre neighbourhood of P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) in X.

(d)  $\Rightarrow$  (e). Let P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) be a intuitionistic fuzzy point of X and V be a pre neighbourhood of f (P( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )). Then U = f<sup>1</sup>(V) is a pre neighbourhood of P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) and f (U) = f (f<sup>1</sup>(V))  $\subseteq$  V.

(e)  $\Rightarrow$  (c). Let P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) be an intuitionistic fuzzy point of X and V is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in Y such that f (P( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ))  $\in$  V. So there is pre neighbourhood W of P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ) in X such that P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )  $\in$  W and f (W)  $\subseteq$  V.Hence there is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set U in X such that P ( $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ )  $\in$  U  $\subseteq$  W and f (U)  $\subseteq$  V.

(**b**)  $\Rightarrow$ (**f**). Let U be an intuitionistic fuzzy set of X. Since U= f<sup>1</sup>(f (U)), we have  $U \subseteq f^1(pcl(f(U)))$ . Now pcl (f (U)) is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of Y and hence f<sup>1</sup>(pcl (f (U))) is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed of X. Therefore pcl (U)  $\subseteq$  f<sup>1</sup>(pcl(f(U))) and f(pcl(U)  $\subseteq$  f <sup>1</sup>(pcl(f(U))))  $\subseteq$  pcl(f(U)).

(**f**) ⇒(**b**). Let V is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of Y. then  $f(pcl(f^{-1}(V))) \subseteq pcl(f(f^{-1}(V))) \subseteq pcl(V) = V$ . Hence pcl  $(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$  and so  $f^{-1}(V)$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of X.

(f) ⇒(g). Let V be an intuitionistic fuzzy set of Y then  $f^{1}(V)$ is an intuitionistic fuzzy set of X. Therefore by hypothesis f(pcl ( $f^{1}(V)$ )) ⊆ pcl ( $f^{1}(V)$ ) ⊆ pcl (V). Hence pcl ( $f^{1}(V)$ ) ⊆  $f^{1}(pcl (V))$ .

(g) ⇒(f). Let U be a intuitionistic fuzzy set of X. Then f(U) is an intuitionistic fuzzy set of Y and by (g) ,  $pcl(f^{1}(f(U))) \subseteq f^{1}(pcl(f(U)))$ . Hence  $f(pcl(U)) \subseteq pcl(f(U))$ .

(a)  $\Rightarrow$ (h). Let V be an intuitionistic fuzzy set of Y. Then pint(V) is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of Y and so by (a)  $f^1(\text{pint}(V))$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X. Since  $f^1(\text{pint}(V)) \subseteq f^1(V)$ , then  $f^1(\text{pint}(V) \subseteq \text{pint}(f^1(V))$ 

(h) ⇒(a). Let V be an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of Y. Then pint(V) = V and  $f^1(V) \subseteq$  pint ( $f^1(V)$ ). Thus  $f^1(V) =$  pint ( $f^1(V)$ ) and  $f^1(V)$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X. Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous.

**Lemma (3.1):** A intuitionistic fuzzy set V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X if and only if there exists a intuitionistic fuzzy open set U such that  $V \subseteq U \subseteq cl(V)$ 

**Proof:** Necessity if V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X Then  $V \subseteq int(cl(V))$ . Put U=int(cl (V)). Then U is intuitionistic fuzzy open and  $V \subseteq U \subseteq cl$  (V). **Sufficiency**: Let U be an intuitionistic fuzzy open set such that  $V \subseteq U \subseteq cl(V)$  Then  $V \subseteq int (U) \subseteq int (cl (V))$ . Hence V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X

**Theorem (3.2)**: Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous and intuitionistic fuzzy open mapping then f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous.

**Proof:** Let V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of Y then by Lemma (3.2) there exists a intuitionistic fuzzy open set U such that  $V \subseteq U \subseteq cl(V)$ . Therefore  $f^{1}(V) \subseteq f^{1}(U) \subseteq f^{1}(cl(V)) \subseteq cl(f^{1}(V)$  because f is intuitionistic fuzzy open. Since f is intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous,  $f^{1}(U) \subseteq f^{1}(U) \subseteq int$  (cl (f<sup>1</sup>(U))  $\subseteq$  int (cl (f<sup>1</sup>(V))) and  $f^{1}(V)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X.

**Theorem (3.3):** Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  and g:  $(Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  be two mappings. If f and g are intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous then gof is intuitionistic fuzzy M- precontinuous

**Proof:** Let V is an intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in Z, since g is intuitionistic fuzzy M- precontinuous.  $g^{-1}$  (V) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open in Y. Therefore  $(gof)^{-1}$  (V) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open in X. because f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous. Hence gof is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous.

**Theorem (3.4):** Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  and g:  $(Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  be two mappings. If f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous is and g is intuitionistic fuzzy m-precontinuous then gof is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous.

**Proof:** Let **U** be a intuitionistic fuzzy open set of Z. Since g is intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous so  $g^{-1}(U)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of Y. Therefore  $(gof)^{-1}(U) \equiv f^{-1}\{g^{-1}(U)\}$  is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X because f is intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous. Hence gof is intuitionistic fuzzy precontinuous.

**Definition (3.2):** A mapping f from an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space  $(X, \Im)$  to an intuitionistic fuzzy topological space  $(Y, \sigma)$  is called intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen if f (**V**) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of Y for every intuitionistic fuzzy set V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set of X.

**Remark (3.1):** Every intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen mapping is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open but the converse may not be true for,

**Example (3.4):** Let  $X = \{a,b\}$   $Y = \{x,y\}$  and V be a intuitionistic fuzzy set of Y defined as follows:

 $V = \{ < a, 0.4, 0.6 >, < b, 0.5, 0.5 > \},\$ 

Let  $\mathfrak{I} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, V, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}$ . Then the mapping f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \boldsymbol{\sigma})$  defined by f(a) = x, f(b) = y is intuitionistic fuzzy open and hence intuitionistic fuzzy preopen but not intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen.

Consider the following example.

**Example** (3.5): Let  $X = \{a,b\} Y = \{x,y\}$  and U be a intuitionistic fuzzy set of X defined as follows:

 $U = \{ < a, 0.3, 0.7 >, < b, 0.4, 0.6 > \},\$ 

Let  $\mathfrak{I} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, U, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}\$ and  $\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \{\widetilde{\mathbf{0}}, \widetilde{\mathbf{1}}\}\$ Then the mapping f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \boldsymbol{\sigma})\$ defined by f(a) = x, f(b) = y is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen but not intuitionistic fuzzy open.

**Remark (3.2):** Example (3.4) and example (3.5) shows that the concepts of intuitionistic fuzzy open and intuitionistic fuzzy M- preopen mappings are independent.

**Theorem (3.5):** Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen mapping. If Vis a intuitionistic fuzzy set of Y and U is intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of X containing  $f^{-1}(V)$ , Then there exist a intuitionistic fuzzy set W in intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of Y such that  $V \subseteq W$  and  $f^{-1}(W) \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:** Let  $W = f(U^c)^c$ . Since  $f^1(V) \subseteq U$  we have  $f(U^c) = V^c$ . Since f is intuitionistic fuzzy M – preopen, W is intuitionistic fuzzy pre closed set of Y and  $f^1(W) = (f^1(f(U^c)))^c \subseteq ((U^c))^c = U \blacksquare$ .

**Theorem (3.6):** A mapping f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen if and only if  $f(pint(V)) \subseteq pint f(V)$  for every intuitionistic fuzzy set V of X.

**Proof:** Necessity: If f:  $(X, \mathfrak{T}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen then f(pint(V)) is intuitionistic fuzzy preopen set of Y Hence f(pint(V)) = pint(f(V))  $\subseteq$  pint f(V).

Sufficiency: Let V is intuitionistic fuzzy set in X. Then by hypothesis  $f(V)=f(pint(V)) \subseteq pint f(V)$  Hence f(V) is intuitionistic fuzzy preopen set of Y.

**Theorem (3.7):** Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  and g:  $(Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  are intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen then gof :  $(X, \mathfrak{I}) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  is also intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen.

Proof: Obvious.

**Theorem (3.8):** Let f:  $(X, \mathfrak{T}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  and g:  $(Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  be two mappings such that gof :  $(X, \mathfrak{T}) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$  is intuitionistic fuzzy M- preopen and g is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen.

Proof: Let V is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in X. Then (gof)(V) is intuitionistic fuzzy preopen set in Z because gof is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen. Since g is injective, we have  $g^{-1}((gof)(V)) = f(V)$ . Therefore f(V) is intuitionistic fuzzy pre open set in Y, because g is intuitionistic fuzzy M-precontinuous. Hence f is intuitionistic fuzzy M-preopen.

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