

# A Study on (Q,L)-Fuzzy Normal Subsemiring of a Semiring

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we introduce the concept of (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemirings of a semiring and establish some results on these. We also made an attempt to study the properties of (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemirings of semiring under homomorphism and anti-homomorphism, and study the main theorem for this. We shall also give new results on this subject.

**Keywords:** (Q,L)-Fuzzy Subset, (Q,L)-Fuzzy Subsemiring, (Q,L)-Fuzzy Normal Subsemiring, Product Of (Q,L)-Fuzzy Subsets, Strongest (Q, L)-Fuzzy Relation, Pseudo (Q, L)-Fuzzy Coset

## 1. Introduction

There are many concepts of universal algebras generalizing an associative ring  $(R; +, \cdot)$ . Some of them in particular, nearrings and several kinds of semirings have been proven very useful. An algebra  $(R; +, \cdot)$  is said to be a semiring if  $(R; +)$  and  $(R; \cdot)$  are semigroups satisfying  $a(b+c) = a.b + a.c$  and  $(b+c).a = b.a + c.a$  for all  $a, b$  and  $c$  in  $R$ . A semiring  $R$  is said to be additively commutative if  $a+b = b+a$  for all  $a, b$  in  $R$ . A semiring  $R$  may have an identity 1, defined by  $1.a = a = a.1$  and a zero 0, defined by  $0+a = a = a+0$  and  $a.0 = 0 = 0.a$  for all  $a$  in  $R$ . After the introduction of fuzzy sets by L.A. Zadeh [15], several researchers explored on the generalization of the concept of fuzzy sets. The notion of fuzzy subnearrings and ideals was introduced by S. Abou Zaid [10]. A. Solairaju and R. Nagarajan [12] have introduced and defined a new algebraic structure called Q-fuzzy subgroups. In this paper, we introduce the concept of (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring and established some results.

## 2. Preliminaries

### 2.1. Definition 1

Let  $X$  be a non-empty set and  $L = (L, \leq)$  be a lattice with least element 0 and greatest element 1 and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. A (Q, L)-fuzzy subset  $A$  of  $X$  is a function  $A: X \times Q \rightarrow L$ .

### 2.2. Definition 2

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a semiring and  $Q$  be a non empty set. A (Q, L)-fuzzy subset  $A$  of  $R$  is said to be a (Q, L)-fuzzy subsemiring (QLFSSR) of  $R$  if the following conditions are satisfied:

- (i)  $A(x+y, q) \geq A(x, q) \wedge A(y, q)$ ,
- (ii)  $A(xy, q) \geq A(x, q) \wedge A(y, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

### 2.3. Definition 3

Let  $R$  be a semiring and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. An (Q, L)-fuzzy subsemiring  $A$  of  $R$  is said to be an (Q, L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring (QLFNSSR) of  $R$  if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $A(x+y, q) = A(y+x, q)$ ,
- (ii)  $A(xy, q) = A(yx, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

### 2.4. Definition 4

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be any two (Q,L)-fuzzy subsets of sets  $G$  and  $H$ , respectively. The product of  $A$  and  $B$ , denoted by  $A \times B$ , is defined as  $A \times B = \{ \langle (x, y), q \rangle, A \times B((x, y), q) \mid \text{for all } x \text{ in } R \text{ and } y \text{ in } H \text{ and } q \text{ in } Q \}$ , where  $A \times B((x, y), q) = A(x, q) \wedge B(y, q)$ .

### 2.5. Definition 5

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non empty set. Let  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be any function and  $A$  be a (Q,L)-fuzzy subsemiring in  $R$ ,  $V$  be a (Q,L)-fuzzy subsemiring in  $f(R) = R^1$ , defined by  $V(y, q) = \sup_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} A(x, q)$ , for

all  $x$  in  $R$  and  $y$  in  $R^1$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Then  $A$  is called a pre-image of  $V$  under  $f$  and is denoted by  $f^{-1}(V)$ .

### 2.6. Definition 6

Let  $A$  be a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subset in a set  $S$ , the strongest  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy relation on  $S$ , that is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy relation  $V$  with respect to  $A$  given by  $V((x,y),q) = A(x,q) \wedge A(y,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $S$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

### 2.7. Definition 7

A  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subset  $A$  of a set  $X$  is said to be normalized if there exists an element  $x$  in  $X$  such that  $A(x,q)=1$ .

### 2.8. Definition 8

Let  $A$  be an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $a$  in  $R$ . Then the pseudo  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy coset  $(aA)^p$  is defined by  $((aA)^p)(x,q) = p(a)A(x,q)$ , for every  $x$  in  $R$  and for some  $p$  in  $P$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

### 2.9. Definition 9

Let  $A$  be a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subset of  $X$ . For  $\alpha$  in  $L$ , a  $Q$ -level subset of  $A$  is the set  $A_\alpha = \{x \in X : A(x,q) \geq \alpha\}$ .

## 3. Properties of (Q,L)-Fuzzy Normal Subsemiring of a Semiring

### 3.1. Theorem 1

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  be a semiring and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. If  $A$  and  $B$  are two  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of  $R$ , then their intersection  $A \cap B$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $x$  and  $y \in R$ . Let  $A = \{(x,q), A(x,q) \mid x \in R \text{ and } q \in Q\}$  and  $B = \{(x,q), B(x,q) \mid x \in R \text{ and } q \in Q\}$  be  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of a semiring  $R$ . Let  $C = A \cap B$  and  $C = \{(x,q), C(x,q) \mid x \in R \text{ and } q \in Q\}$ . Then, Clearly  $C$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ , since  $A$  and  $B$  are two  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemirings of a semiring  $R$ . And (i)  $C(x+y,q) = A(x+y,q) \wedge B(x+y,q) = A(y+x,q) \wedge B(y+x,q) = C(y+x,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Therefore,  $C(x+y,q) = C(y+x,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . (ii)  $C(xy,q) = A(xy,q) \wedge B(xy,q) = A(yx,q) \wedge B(yx,q) = C(yx,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Therefore,  $C(xy,q) = C(yx,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A \cap B$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 3.2. Theorem 2

Let  $R$  be a semiring and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. The intersection of a family of  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of  $R$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $\{A_i\}_{i \in I}$  be a family of  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of a semiring  $R$  and let  $A = \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i$ . Then for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Clearly the intersection of a family of  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemirings of a semiring  $R$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . (i)  $A(x+y,q) = \inf_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} A_i(x+y,q) =$

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for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . (ii)  $A(xy,q) = \inf_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} A_i(xy,q) =$

$\inf_{x \in f^{-1}(y)} A_i(yx,q) = A(yx,q)$ . Therefore,  $A(xy,q) = A(yx,q)$ , for all

$x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence the intersection of a family of  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of a semiring  $R$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 3.3. Theorem 3

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of the semirings  $G$  and  $H$ , respectively. If  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings, then  $A \times B$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $G \times H$ .

Proof: Let  $A$  and  $B$  be  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemirings of the semirings  $G$  and  $H$  respectively. Clearly  $A \times B$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of  $G \times H$ . Let  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  be in  $G$ ,  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be in  $H$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Then  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$  are in  $G \times H$ . Now,  $A \times B[(x_1, y_1) + (x_2, y_2), q] = A \times B((x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2), q) = A(x_1 + x_2, q) \wedge B(y_1 + y_2, q) = A(x_2 + x_1, q) \wedge B(y_2 + y_1, q) = A \times B((x_2 + x_1, y_2 + y_1), q) = A \times B[(x_2, y_2) + (x_1, y_1), q]$ . Therefore,  $A \times B[(x_1, y_1) + (x_2, y_2), q] = A \times B[(x_2, y_2) + (x_1, y_1), q]$ . And,  $A \times B[(x_1, y_1)(x_2, y_2), q] = A \times B((x_1 x_2, y_1 y_2), q) = A(x_1 x_2, q) \wedge B(y_1 y_2, q) = A(x_2 x_1, q) \wedge B(y_2 y_1, q) = A \times B((x_2 x_1, y_2 y_1), q) = A \times B[(x_2, y_2)(x_1, y_1), q]$ . Therefore,  $A \times B[(x_1, y_1)(x_2, y_2), q] = A \times B[(x_2, y_2)(x_1, y_1), q]$ . Hence  $A \times B$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $G \times H$ .

### 3.4. Theorem 4

Let  $A$  be a fuzzy subset in a semiring  $R$  and  $V$  be the strongest  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy relation on  $R$ . Then  $A$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$  if and only if  $V$  is an  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R \times R$ .

Proof: Suppose that  $A$  is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$ . Then for any  $x = (x_1, x_2)$  and  $y = (y_1, y_2)$  are in  $R \times R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Clearly  $V$  is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of  $R \times R$ . We have,  $V(x+y,q) = V[(x_1, x_2) + (y_1, y_2), q] = V((x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2), q) = A((x_1 + y_1), q) \wedge A((x_2 + y_2), q) = A((y_1 + x_1), q) \wedge A((y_2 + x_2), q) = V((y_1 + x_1, y_2 + x_2), q) = V[(y_1, y_2) + (x_1, x_2), q] = V(y+x,q)$ . Therefore,  $V(x+y,q) = V(y+x,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R \times R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . We have,  $V(xy,q) = V[(x_1, x_2)(y_1, y_2), q] = V((x_1 y_1, x_2 y_2), q) = A((x_1 y_1), q) \wedge A((x_2 y_2), q) = A((y_1 x_1), q) \wedge A((y_2 x_2), q) = V((y_1 x_1, y_2 x_2), q) = V[(y_1, y_2)(x_1, x_2), q] = V(yx,q)$ . Therefore,  $V(xy,q) = V(yx,q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R \times R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . This proves that  $V$  is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R \times R$ . Conversely, assume that  $V$  is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R \times R$ , then for any  $x = (x_1, x_2)$  and  $y = (y_1, y_2)$  are in  $R \times R$ , we have

$A(x_1 + y_1, q) \wedge A(x_2 + y_2, q) = V((x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2), q) = V[(x_1, x_2) + (y_1, y_2), q] = V(x+y,q) = V(y+x,q) = V[(y_1, y_2) + (x_1, x_2), q] = V((y_1 + x_1, y_2 + x_2), q) = A(y_1 + x_1, q) \wedge A(y_2 + x_2, q)$ . We get,  $A((x_1 + y_1), q) = A((y_1 + x_1), q)$ , for all  $x_1$  and  $y_1$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . And  $A(x_1 y_1, q) \wedge A(x_2 y_2, q) = V((x_1 y_1, x_2 y_2), q) = V[(x_1, x_2)(y_1, y_2), q] = V(xy,q) = V(yx,q) = V[(y_1, y_2)(x_1, x_2), q] = V((y_1 x_1, y_2 x_2), q) = A(y_1 x_1, q) \wedge A(y_2 x_2, q)$ . We get,  $A((x_1 y_1), q) = A((y_1 x_1), q)$ , for all  $x_1$  and  $y_1$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A$  is a  $(Q,L)$ -fuzzy normal

subsemiring of  $R$ .

### 3.5. Theorem 5

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. The homomorphic image of an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R^1$ .

Proof: Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings  $Q$  be a non-empty set and  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be a homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $f(xy) = f(x)f(y)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . We have to prove that  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . Now, for  $f(x)$ ,  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , clearly  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ , since  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Now,  $V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(x+y), q) \geq A(x+y, q) = A(y+x, q) \leq V(f(y+x), q) = V(f(y) + f(x), q)$ , which implies that  $V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(y) + f(x), q)$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Again,  $V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(xy), q) \geq A(xy, q) = A(yx, q) \leq V(f(yx), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q)$ , which implies that  $V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q)$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Hence  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ .

### 3.6. Theorem 6

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. The homomorphic preimage of an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R^1$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set and  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be a homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$  and  $f(xy) = f(x)f(y)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . We have to prove that  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Then, clearly  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ , since  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . Now,  $A(x+y, q) = V(f(x+y), q) = V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(y) + f(x), q) = V(f(y+x), q) = A(y+x, q)$ , which implies that  $A(x+y, q) = A(y+x, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Again,  $A(xy, q) = V(f(xy), q) = V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q) = V(f(yx), q) = A(yx, q)$ , which implies that  $A(xy, q) = A(yx, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 3.7. Theorem 7

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. The anti-homomorphic image of an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R^1$ .

Proof: Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set and  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be an anti-homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(y) + f(x)$  and  $f(xy) = f(y)f(x)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . We have to prove that  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . Now, for  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ , clearly  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ , since  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Now,  $V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(y+x), q) \geq A(y+x, q) = A(x+y, q) \leq V(f(x+y), q)$

$= V(f(y) + f(x), q)$ , which implies that  $V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(y) + f(x), q)$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Again,  $V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(yx), q) \geq A(yx, q) = A(xy, q) \leq V(f(xy), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q)$ , which implies that  $V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q)$ , for all  $f(x)$  and  $f(y)$  in  $R^1$ . Hence  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ .

### 3.8. Theorem 8

Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set. The anti-homomorphic preimage of an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R^1$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $(R, +, \cdot)$  and  $(R^1, +, \cdot)$  be any two semirings and  $Q$  be a non-empty set and  $f: R \rightarrow R^1$  be an anti-homomorphism. Then,  $f(x+y) = f(y) + f(x)$  and  $f(xy) = f(y)f(x)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ . Let  $V = f(A)$ , where  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . We have to prove that  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$ , then clearly  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ , since  $V$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R^1$ . Now,  $A(x+y, q) = V(f(x+y), q) = V(f(y) + f(x), q) = V(f(x) + f(y), q) = V(f(y+x), q) = A(y+x, q)$ , which implies that  $A(x+y, q) = A(y+x, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Again,  $A(xy, q) = V(f(xy), q) = V(f(y)f(x), q) = V(f(x)f(y), q) = V(f(yx), q) = A(yx, q)$ , which implies that  $A(xy, q) = A(yx, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 3.9. Theorem 9

Let  $A$  be an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $(R, +, \cdot)$ , then the pseudo  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy coset  $(aA)^p$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ , for  $a$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

Proof: Let  $A$  be an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . For every  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ , we have,  $((aA)^p)(x+y) = p(a)A(x+y) \geq p(a)\{A(x) \wedge A(y)\} = \{p(a)A(x) \wedge p(a)A(y)\} = \{((aA)^p)(x) \wedge ((aA)^p)(y)\}$ . Therefore,  $((aA)^p)(x+y) = \{((aA)^p)(x) \wedge ((aA)^p)(y)\}$ . Now,  $((aA)^p)(xy) = p(a)A(xy) \geq p(a)\{A(x) \wedge A(y)\} = \{p(a)A(x) \wedge p(a)A(y)\} = \{((aA)^p)(x) \wedge ((aA)^p)(y)\}$ . Therefore,  $((aA)^p)(xy) = \{((aA)^p)(x) \wedge ((aA)^p)(y)\}$ . Hence  $(aA)^p$  is an  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 3.10. Theorem 10

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy subsets of the sets  $R$  and  $H$  respectively, and let  $\alpha$  in  $L$ . Then  $(A \times B)_\alpha = A_\alpha \times B_\alpha$ .

Proof: Let  $\alpha$  in  $L$ . Let  $(x, y)$  be in  $(A \times B)_\alpha$  if and only if  $A \times B((x, y), q) \geq \alpha$   
if and only if  $\{A(x, q) \wedge B(y, q)\} \geq \alpha$   
if and only if  $A(x, q) \geq \alpha$  and  $B(y, q) \geq \alpha$   
if and only if  $x \in A_\alpha$  and  $y \in B_\alpha$   
if and only if  $(x, y) \in A_\alpha \times B_\alpha$   
Therefore,  $(A \times B)_\alpha = A_\alpha \times B_\alpha$ .

### 3.11. Theorem 11

Let  $A$  be a  $(Q, L)$ -fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . If  $A(x, q) < A(y, q)$ , for some  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ , then  $A(x+y, q) = A(x, q) = A(y+x, q)$ , for some  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

Proof: It is trivial.

### 3.12. Theorem 12

Let  $A$  be a (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . If  $A(x,q) > A(y,q)$ , for some  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ , then  $A(x+y,q)=A(y,q)=A(y+x,q)$ , for some  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ .

Proof: It is trivial.

### 3.13. Theorem 13

Let  $A$  be a (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$  such that  $\text{Im } A = \{\alpha\}$ , where  $\alpha$  in  $L$ . If  $A = B \bigcup C$ , where  $B$  and  $C$  are (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ , then either  $B \subseteq C$  or  $C \subseteq B$ .

Proof: It is trivial.

## 4. In the Following Theorem is the Composition Operation of Functions

### 4.1. Theorem 1

Let  $A$  be an (Q, L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $H$  and  $f$  is an isomorphism from a semiring  $R$  onto  $H$ . Then  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of the semiring  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $A$  be an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $H$ . Then clearly  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Now,  $(A \circ f)(x+y, q) = A(f(x+y), q) = A(f(x)+f(y), q) = A(f(y)+f(x), q) = A(f(y+x), q) = (A \circ f)(y+x, q)$ , which implies that  $(A \circ f)(x+y, q) = (A \circ f)(y+x, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . And,  $(A \circ f)(xy, q) = A(f(xy), q) = A(f(x)f(y), q) = A(f(y)f(x), q) = A(f(yx), q) = (A \circ f)(yx, q)$ , which implies that  $(A \circ f)(xy, q) = (A \circ f)(yx, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

### 4.2. Theorem 2

Let  $A$  be an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $H$  and  $f$  is an anti-isomorphism from a semiring  $R$  onto  $H$ . Then  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of the semiring  $R$ .

Proof: Let  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $A$  be an (Q,L)-fuzzy normal subsemiring of a semiring  $H$ . Then clearly  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ . Now,  $(A \circ f)(x+y, q) = A(f(x+y), q) = A(f(y)+f(x), q) = A(f(x)+f(y), q) = A(f(y+x), q) = (A \circ f)(y+x, q)$ , which implies that  $(A \circ f)(x+y, q) = (A \circ f)(y+x, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . And,  $(A \circ f)(xy, q) = A(f(xy), q) = A(f(y)f(x), q) = A(f(x)f(y), q) = A(f(yx), q) = (A \circ f)(yx, q)$ , which implies that  $(A \circ f)(xy, q) = (A \circ f)(yx, q)$ , for all  $x$  and  $y$  in  $R$  and  $q$  in  $Q$ . Hence  $A \circ f$  is an (Q,L)-fuzzy

normal subsemiring of a semiring  $R$ .

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