

# *I*-Bitopological Spaces Generated by Intuitionistic Fuzzy $n$ -Norms

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**Abstract:** In this paper we define *I*-bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  where  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  are *I*-topologies generated by the intuitionistic fuzzy quasi pseudo  $n$ -norms  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$ . Further a characterization of pairwise Hausdorff *I*-bitopological space is also established.

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## 1 Introduction

Motivated by the theory of  $n$ -normed linear space [8, 9, 11, 13, 15] and fuzzy normed linear space [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, 14] the notions of fuzzy  $n$ -normed linear space [16] and intuitionistic fuzzy  $n$ -normed linear space [17] have been developed. In [19,20] *I*-topological spaces and *I*-bitopological spaces generated by fuzzy norm have been discussed.

In this paper we define intuitionistic fuzzy quasi pseudo  $n$ -norm and study the *I*-topology and *I*-bitopology generated by this new norm. A characterization of *I*-topological spaces and *I*-bitopological spaces are also established.

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## 2 Preliminaries

In this section we recall some useful definitions and results.

**Definition 2.1.** [18] A binary operation  $*$  :  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is a *continuous t-norm* if  $*$  satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $*$  is commutative and associative
- (ii)  $*$  is continuous
- (iii)  $a * 1 = a$ , for all  $a \in [0, 1]$
- (iv)  $a * b \leq c * d$  whenever  $a \leq c$  and  $b \leq d$  and  $a, b, c, d \in [0, 1] = I$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [18] A binary operation  $\diamond$  :  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is a *continuous t-co-norm* if  $\diamond$  satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $\diamond$  is commutative and associative
- (ii)  $\diamond$  is continuous
- (iii)  $a \diamond 0 = a$ , for all  $a \in [0, 1]$
- (iv)  $a \diamond b \leq c \diamond d$  whenever  $a \leq c$  and  $b \leq d$  and  $a, b, c, d \in [0, 1]$ .

**Remark 2.3.** [20] The algebraic operations on  $I$  can be extended pointwise to the set  $I^X$  of all maps from  $X \rightarrow I$ . i.e., If  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  then  $(\mu_1 * \mu_2)(x) = \mu_1(x) * \mu_2(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [20] Let  $X$  be a non-empty set. A subset  $\mathfrak{S}$  of  $I^X$  is called an *I-topology* on  $X$  if  $\mathfrak{S}$  satisfies the following conditions:

- (i)  $1_X, 1_\phi \in \mathfrak{S}$
- (ii)  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}$  implies  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}$
- (iii)  $\{\mu_i \mid i \in \text{index set}\} \subseteq \mathfrak{S}$  implies  $\bigvee \mu_i \in \mathfrak{S}$ .

**Example 2.5.** [20] Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*$  be defined by  $r * s = \min\{r, s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1 \in I^X$  defined by  $\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}$ .

Then  $\mathfrak{S} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1\}$  is an *I-topology* on  $X$ . In this example if  $*$  is a product norm then  $\mathfrak{S} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1\}$  is not an *I-topology* on  $X$  since  $\mu_1 * \mu_1$  is not an element in  $\mathfrak{S}$ .

**Definition 2.6.** [11] Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  (natural numbers) and  $X$  be a real linear space of dimension greater than or equal to  $n$ . A real valued function  $\|\bullet, \dots, \bullet\|$  on  $\underbrace{X \times \dots \times X}_n = X^n$  satisfying the following four properties:

1.  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\| = 0$  if and only if  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are linearly dependent
2.  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|$  is invariant under any permutation of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$
3.  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, kx_n\| = |k| \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|$ , for any  $k \in R$  (set of real numbers)
4.  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y + z\| \leq \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y\| + \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, z\|$

is called an  $n$ -norm on  $X$  and the pair  $(X, \|\bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$  is called an  $n$ -normed linear space.

**Definition 2.7.** [17] An *intuitionistic fuzzy  $n$ -normed linear space* or in short *i-f- $n$ -NLS* is an object of the form

$$A = \{(X, N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t), M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)) / (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^n\}$$

where  $X$  is a linear space over a field  $\mathbb{F}$ ,  $*$  is a continuous t-norm,  $\diamond$  is a continuous t-co-norm and  $N, M$  are fuzzy sets on  $X^n \times (0, \infty)$ ;  $N$  denotes the degree of membership and  $M$  denotes the degree of non-membership of  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \in X^n \times (0, \infty)$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (1)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) + M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \leq 1$
- (2)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) > 0$
- (3)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = 1$  if and only if  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are linearly dependent
- (4)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)$  is invariant under any permutation of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$
- (5)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, cx_n, t) = N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{|c|})$  if  $c \neq 0, c \in \mathbb{F}$
- (6)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, s) * N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, t) \leq N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n + x'_n, s + t)$
- (7)  $N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is continuous in  $t$
- (8)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) > 0$
- (9)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = 0$  if and only if  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are linearly dependent
- (10)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)$  is invariant under any permutation of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$
- (11)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, cx_n, t) = M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{|c|})$ , if  $c \neq 0, c \in \mathbb{F}$
- (12)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, s) \diamond M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, t) \geq M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n + x'_n, s + t)$

(13)  $M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is continuous in  $t$ .

**Remark 2.8.** For convenience we denote the intuitionistic fuzzy  $n$ -normed linear space by  $A = (X, N, M, *, \diamond)$ .

**Example 2.9.** Let  $(X, \|\bullet, \dots, \bullet\|)$  be an  $n$ -normed linear space, where  $X = R$ . Define  $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$  and  $a \diamond b = \max\{a, b\}$ , for all  $a, b \in [0, 1]$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) &= e^{-\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|/t}, \\ M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) &= 1 - e^{-\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|/t}. \end{aligned}$$

Then  $A = \{(X, N(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t), M(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t)) / (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^n\}$  is an i-f- $n$ -NLS.

### 3 $I$ -topological and $I$ -bitopological spaces

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $A$  be an i-f- $n$ -NLS and let  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$ ,  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $x \in A$ . The fuzzy set  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon)$  in  $A$  is defined as

$$\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon)(y) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } N(x - y, \epsilon) > 1 - \alpha \text{ and } M(x - y, \epsilon) < \alpha \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

for  $y \in A$  is called the  $\alpha$ -open sphere in an i-f- $n$ -NLS with center at  $x$ .

**Definition 3.2.** Let  $A$  be an i-f- $n$ -NLS. A fuzzy set  $\mu \in I^X$  is said to be open if  $\mu(x) > 0$  implies there exists  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  such that  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $A$  be an i-f- $n$ -NLS. Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N,M} = \{\mu \in I^X : \mu \text{ is open}\}$  is an  $I$ -topology on  $A$ .

*Proof.* (i) Clearly,  $1_X, 1_\phi \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ .

(ii) Proof of  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$  implies  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ .

$\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M} \Rightarrow \mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  and  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  are open.  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X \Rightarrow \mu_1 * \mu_2 \in I^X$  (by definition of  $*$ ).  $\mu_1$  is open. Therefore  $\mu_1(x) > 0 \Rightarrow \exists \epsilon_1 > 0$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  such that  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon_1) \subseteq \mu_1$ .  $\mu_2$  is open. Therefore  $\mu_2(x) > 0 \Rightarrow \exists \epsilon_2 > 0$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  such that  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon_2) \subseteq \mu_2$ . Let  $\epsilon = \min(\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2)$ . Therefore  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_1$  and  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_2 \Rightarrow \mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_1 * \mu_2$  (by condition (iv) in definition of  $*$ )  $\Rightarrow \mu_1 * \mu_2$  is open.  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 \in I^X$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2$  is open  $\Rightarrow \mu_1 * \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ .

(iii) Let  $\{\mu_i\}$  be any collection of members of  $\mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ . Proof of  $\bigcup_{i \in I} \mu_i \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ .  
 If  $(\bigcup_{i \in I} \mu_i)(x) > 0, \exists$  an  $i_0$ , such that  $\mu_{i_0}(x) > 0$ . So  $\exists \epsilon > 0$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  such  
 that  $\mathbf{N}_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_{i_0} \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in I} \mu_i$ . Hence  $\bigcup_{i \in I} \mu_i \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.4.**  $\mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$  is called an *I-topology on A generated by the intuitionistic fuzzy  $n$ -norms  $N, M$  and  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N,M})$  is called as an I-topological space.*

**Definition 3.5.** Let  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1})$  and  $(B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  be two I-topological spaces. A mapping  $f^\rightarrow : (A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}) \rightarrow (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is called *I-continuous* if  $f^\leftarrow(v) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  for all  $v \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$ .

**Theorem 3.6.** Let  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}), (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}), (C, \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3})$  be three I-topological spaces and  $f^\rightarrow : (A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}) \rightarrow (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}), g^\rightarrow : (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}) \rightarrow (C, \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3})$  be two I-continuous mappings. Then  $g^\rightarrow \circ f^\rightarrow$  is I-continuous.

*Proof.*  $f^\rightarrow : (A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}) \rightarrow (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is I-continuous implies  $f^\leftarrow(v) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1} \forall v \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$ .  $g^\rightarrow : (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}) \rightarrow (C, \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3})$  is I-continuous implies  $g^\leftarrow(w) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2} \forall w \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3}$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned} (g \circ f)^\leftarrow(w) &= f^\leftarrow(g^\leftarrow(w)) \\ &= f^\leftarrow(v) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \forall w \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3} \end{aligned}$$

which implies  $g^\rightarrow \circ f^\rightarrow$  is I-continuous.  $\square$

**Definition 3.7.** Let  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  be two I-topologies on A. Then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is called an *I-bitopological space*.

**Example 3.8.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$ .  $\underbrace{X \times \dots \times X}_n = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}, x_i$  is either  $a$  or  $b$ .

We define  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\| = (\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

- (i)  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow (\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0$   
 $\Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 = 0$   
 $\Leftrightarrow x_i = 0, \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$   
 $\Leftrightarrow x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  are linearly dependent.

(ii) Clearly,  $\|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|$  is invariant under any permutation of  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(iii)} \quad \|x_1, x_2, \dots, \alpha x_n\| &= (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |\alpha x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |\alpha|^2 |x_n|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= |\alpha| \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\| \text{ if and only if } \alpha = 1.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(iv)} \quad \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y\| + \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, z\| \\
&= (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |x_{n-1}|^2 + |y|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&\quad + (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |x_{n-1}|^2 + |z|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&\geq (|x_1|^2 + |x_2|^2 + \dots + |x_{n-1}|^2 + |y+z|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&\geq \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, y+z\|
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(X, \|x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\|)$  is a  $n$ -normed linear space. Let  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \min\{r, s\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \max\{r, s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}.$$

Let  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1\}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_2\}$ . Then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is an  $I$ -bitopological space.

**Definition 3.9.** Let  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  and  $(B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_4, M_4})$  be two  $I$ -bitopological spaces. Then  $f^\rightarrow : (A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}) \rightarrow (B, \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_4, M_4})$  is  $I$ -bicontinuous if  $f^\leftarrow(u) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1} \forall u \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_3, M_3}$  and  $f^\leftarrow(v) \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2} \forall v \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_4, M_4}$ .

**Definition 3.10.** An  $I$ -topological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N, M})$  is called a  $T_0$ -space if for every pair of distinct points  $x, y \in A$ , there exists  $\mu \in \mathfrak{S}_{N, M}$  such that  $\mu(x) \neq \mu(y)$ .

**Example 3.11.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \min\{r, s\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \max\{r, s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}. \quad \text{Then } \mathfrak{S}_{N, M} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1\} \text{ is a } I\text{-topology on } A.$$

$(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N, M})$  is a  $T_0$ -space, whereas  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  given in Example 3.8 is not a  $T_0$ -space.

**Definition 3.12.** An  $I$ -topological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N, M})$  is called a  $T_1$ -space if for any two distinct points  $x, y \in A$ , there exists  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N, M}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0$ ,  $\mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(x) = 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$ .

**Example 3.13.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \min\{r, s\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \max\{r, s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_2(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}.$$

Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N,M} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1, \mu_2\}$  is a  $I$ -topology on  $A$  and  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N,M})$  is a  $T_1$ -space. The topological space given in Example 3.11 is not a  $T_1$ -space. It is clear that every  $T_1$ -space is a  $T_0$ -space but not the converse.

**Definition 3.14.** An  $I$ -topological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N,M})$  is called a  $T_2$ -space if for any two distinct points  $x, y \in A$ , there exists  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N,M}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0$ ,  $\mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi$ ,  $\mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ .

**Example 3.15.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \max\{0, r + s - 1\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \min\{1, 2 - r - s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_2(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}.$$

Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N,M} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1, \mu_2\}$  is a  $I$ -topology on  $A$ . The  $I$ -topological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N,M})$  is a  $T_2$ -space.

**Definition 3.16.** An  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is said to be *pairwise Hausdorff* if for any two distinct points  $x, y \in A$ , there exists a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  open set  $\mu_1$  and a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  open set  $\mu_2$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi$ ,  $\mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$  and there exists a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  open set  $\mu_3$  and a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  open set  $\mu_4$  such that  $\mu_3(y) > 0, \mu_4(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_3 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi$ ,  $\mu_3 \diamond \mu_4 = 1_X$ .

**Example 3.17.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \max\{0, r + s - 1\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \min\{1, 2 - r - s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}, \quad \mu_2(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases} \quad \text{and}$$

$$\mu_3(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}.$$

Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1, \mu_3\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_2, \mu_3\}$  are  $I$ -topologies on  $A$ . The  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space.

**Definition 3.18.** An  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is said to be *pairwise weakly Hausdorff* if for any two distinct points  $x, y \in A$ , there exists a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  open set  $\mu_1$  and a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  open set  $\mu_2$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$  or there exists a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  open set  $\mu_3$  and a  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  open set  $\mu_4$  such that  $\mu_3(y) > 0, \mu_4(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_3 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi, \mu_3 \diamond \mu_4 = 1_X$ .

**Example 3.19.** Let  $X = \{a, b\}$  and  $*, \diamond$  be defined by  $r * s = \max\{0, r + s - 1\}$ ,  $r \diamond s = \min\{1, 2 - r - s\}$ . Consider  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in I^X$  defined by

$$\mu_1(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ 0 & \text{if } x = b \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad \mu_2(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = a \\ \frac{1}{2} & \text{if } x = b \end{cases}.$$

Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_1\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2} = \{1_X, 1_\phi, \mu_2\}$  are  $I$ -topologies on  $A$ . The  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space.

**Theorem 3.20.** Assume that  $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$  implies  $\alpha * \beta \neq 0$ . If an  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise weakly Hausdorff, then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  are  $T_0$ -topologies.

*Proof.* Let  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise weakly Hausdorff, there exists  $\mu_1 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ . Since  $\mu_1(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0$ ,  $\mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(x) = 0$ . Hence  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(x) = 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$ . That is  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  are  $T_0$ -topologies.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.21.** Assume that  $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$  implies  $\alpha * \beta \neq 0$ . If an  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise Hausdorff, then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  are  $T_1$ -topologies.

*Proof.* Let  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise Hausdorff,  $\exists \mu_1 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ . Also there exists  $\mu_3 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_3(y) > 0, \mu_4(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_3 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi, \mu_3 \diamond \mu_4 = 1_X$ . Hence  $\mu_1, \mu_3 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  with  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_3(x) = 0, \mu_3(y) > 0$ . Also  $\mu_2, \mu_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  with  $\mu_2(x) = 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_4(x) > 0, \mu_4(y) = 0$ . Therefore  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  are  $T_1$ -topologies.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.22.** Assume that  $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$  implies  $\alpha * \beta \neq 0$ . If an  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise Hausdorff, then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  or  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  is a  $T_2$ -topology.



*Proof.* Let  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise Hausdorff,  $\exists \mu_1 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ . Also there exists  $\mu_3 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_3(y) > 0, \mu_4(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_3 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi, \mu_3 \diamond \mu_4 = 1_X$ . Since  $\mu_1(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(x) = 0$ . Similarly,  $\mu_4(y) = 0, \mu_3(x) = 0$ . Therefore we have  $(\mu_1 * \mu_3)(x) = 0, (\mu_1 * \mu_3)(y) = 0$  and  $(\mu_2 * \mu_4)(x) = 0, (\mu_2 * \mu_4)(y) = 0$ . Also  $(\mu_1 \diamond \mu_3)(x) = 1, (\mu_1 \diamond \mu_3)(y) = 1$  and  $(\mu_2 \diamond \mu_4)(x) = 1, (\mu_2 \diamond \mu_4)(y) = 1$ . Suppose there is a  $z \neq x, y$  and  $(\mu_1 * \mu_3)(z) \neq 0$ . Then  $\mu_1(z) \neq 0, \mu_3(z) \neq 0$ . Hence  $\mu_2(z) = 0$  and  $\mu_4(z) = 0$  and so we conclude that there exists  $\mu_5, \mu_6 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  with  $\mu_5(x) > 0, \mu_5(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_6(y) > 0, \mu_6(x) = 0$ . Therefore  $(\mu_5 * \mu_6)(x) = 0, (\mu_5 \diamond \mu_6)(y) = 0$ , so that  $\mu_5 * \mu_6 = 1_\phi$ . Hence  $\mu_5 \diamond \mu_6 = 1_X$ . Therefore  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  is a  $T_2$ -topology.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.23.** *Assume that  $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$  implies  $\alpha * \beta \neq 0$ . If either  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  or  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  is a  $T_2$ -topology on  $A$  and the other is a  $T_1$ -topology on  $A$ , then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  is a  $T_2$ -topology on  $A$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  is a  $T_1$ -topology on  $A$ . Let  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Then there exists  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ . Also there exists  $\mu_3, \mu_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  such that  $\mu_3(x) > 0, \mu_3(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_4(x) = 0, \mu_4(y) > 0$ . Hence  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_4(y) > 0$  and  $\mu_3(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$ . Therefore we have  $(\mu_1 * \mu_4)(x) = 0, (\mu_1 * \mu_4)(y) = 0$  and  $(\mu_3 * \mu_2)(x) = 0, (\mu_3 * \mu_2)(y) = 0$ . Also  $(\mu_1 \diamond \mu_4)(x) = 1, (\mu_1 \diamond \mu_4)(y) = 1$  and  $(\mu_3 \diamond \mu_2)(x) = 1, (\mu_3 \diamond \mu_2)(y) = 1$ . Let  $z \neq x, y$  with  $(\mu_1 * \mu_4)(z) \neq 0$ . Then  $\mu_1(z) \neq 0, \mu_4(z) \neq 0$ . Hence  $\mu_2(z) = 0$  and so  $(\mu_3 * \mu_2)(z) = 0$ . Therefore we can find  $\mu_5 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}$  and  $\mu_6 \in \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2}$  with  $\mu_5(x) > 0, \mu_6(y) > 0$  such that  $\mu_5 * \mu_6 = 1_\phi, \mu_5 \diamond \mu_6 = 1_X$  as proved earlier or  $\mu_1 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_4 = 1_X$  and  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{N_1, M_1}, \mathfrak{S}_{N_2, M_2})$  is pairwise weakly Hausdorff.  $\square$

## 4 Intuitionistic fuzzy quasi pseudo $n$ -normed linear spaces

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $X$  be any vector space,  $*$  be a continuous t-norm and  $\diamond$  a continuous t-co-norm. Then the functions  $P, Q : X^n \times (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  satisfying the following conditions

- (1)  $P(0, t) + Q(0, t) = 1$  where  $0 = (0, 0, \dots, 0)$
- (2)  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) \geq P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) * P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s)$
- (3)  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is left continuous
- (4)  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 1$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$
- (5)  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) \leq Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \diamond Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s)$
- (6)  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is left continuous
- (7)  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

for all  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, x'_n \in X, t, s \in (0, \infty)$  is called an *intuitionistic fuzzy quasi pseudo  $n$ -norm on  $X$*  and  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  is called an *intuitionistic fuzzy quasi pseudo  $n$ -normed linear space* or in short *i-f-q-p- $n$ -NLS*.

**Example 4.2.** Let  $X$  be any real vector space,  $a * b = \min\{a, b\}$ ,  $a \diamond b = \max\{a, b\}$ . Define

$$P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \neq 0 \text{ and } t \in (0, 1] \\ 1 - \frac{1}{t} & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \neq 0 \text{ and } t \in (1, \infty) \\ 1 & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0 \text{ and } t \in (0, \infty) \end{cases}$$

and

$$Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \neq 0 \text{ and } t \in (0, 1] \\ \frac{1}{t} & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \neq 0 \text{ and } t \in (1, \infty) \\ 0 & \text{if } (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0 \text{ and } t \in (0, \infty) \end{cases}$$

- (i) Clearly  $P(0, t) + Q(0, t) = 1$ .
- (ii) Since  $\frac{1}{t+s} < \frac{1}{t}$  and  $\frac{1}{t+s} < \frac{1}{s}$ ,  $1 - \frac{1}{t+s} \geq 1 - \frac{1}{t} * 1 - \frac{1}{s}$  for all  $t, s > 0$ .  
Hence  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) \geq P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) * Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s)$ .
- (iii)  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is left continuous.
- (iv)  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 1$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (v) Since  $\frac{1}{t+s} \leq \frac{1}{t} \diamond \frac{1}{s}$ ,  
 $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) \leq Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \diamond Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s)$ .

(vi)  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is left continuous.

(vii)  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

Hence  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  is an i-f-q-p- $n$ -NLS. Also  $P((x_1/5, x_2, \dots, x_n), 4/5) = 0$  and  $P((x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), (4/5)/|1/5|) = 3/4$ . Therefore  $P(kx_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \neq P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t/|k|)$  for  $t = 4/5$  and  $k = 1/5$ . Hence  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  is not an i-f- $n$ -NLS.

**Definition 4.3.** An i-f-q-p- $n$ -norm  $P, Q$  is said to be an *intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm* if  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = 1$  and  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = 0$ ,  $\forall t$  implies  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = (0, 0, \dots, 0)$ .

**Definition 4.4.** An i-f-q-p- $n$ -norm  $P, Q$  is said to be an *intuitionistic fuzzy pseudo  $n$ -norm* if  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, kx_n, t) = P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{|k|})$  and  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, kx_n, t) = Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \frac{t}{|k|})$  for all scalar  $k$  and  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^n$ .

**Remark 4.5.**  $P(0, 0, \dots, k0, t) = P(0, 0, \dots, 0, \frac{t}{|k|}) = 1$  and  $Q(0, 0, \dots, k0, t) = Q(0, 0, \dots, 0, \frac{t}{|k|}) = 0$ , i.e.,  $P(0, s) = 1$  and  $Q(0, s) = 0$  where  $s$  is positive.

**Proposition 4.6.** Let  $P, Q$  be i-f-q-p- $n$ -norm on  $X$  and suppose

$$\begin{aligned} P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) &= P(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n, t), \\ Q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) &= Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n, t) \end{aligned}$$

where  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^n$ . Then  $P_1, Q_1$  is also an i-f-q-p- $n$ -norm on  $X$ .

*Proof.* (i)  $P_1(0, t) = P(0, t) = 1$  and  $Q_1(0, t) = Q(0, t) = 0$  where  $0 = (0, 0, \dots, 0)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii) } P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) & \\ &= P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n - x_n, t + s) \\ &= P(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n - (-x'_n), t + s) \\ &\geq P(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n, t) * P(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x'_n, s) \\ &\geq P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) * P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Similarly, } Q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n - x'_n, t + s) & \\ &\leq Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \diamond Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x'_n, s). \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Since  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot), Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is left continuous,  $P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot)$  and  $Q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \cdot) : (0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is also left continuous.

(iv) Also  $P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 1$  and  $Q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ . Therefore  $P_1, Q_1$  is also an i-f-q-p-n-norm on  $X$ .

□

**Remark 4.7.**  $P_1, Q_1$  defined by  $P_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = P(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n, t)$ ,  $Q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, t) = Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, -x_n, t)$  are called *conjugate i-f-q-p-n-norm* of  $P, Q$ . If  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy pseudo  $n$ -norm, then  $P = P_1$  and  $Q = Q_1$ . Again if  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm, then so is  $P_1, Q_1$ . Hereafter we denote the conjugate i-f-q-p-n-norm of  $P, Q$  by  $-P, -Q$ .

**Definition 4.8.** A function  $' : [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$  is said to be an *order reverting involution* on  $[0, 1]$  if it satisfies the following conditions

$$(i) \alpha \leq \beta \Rightarrow \beta' \leq \alpha'$$

$$(ii) \alpha'' = \alpha \text{ for } \alpha, \beta \in [0, 1].$$

**Definition 4.9.** Let  $A$  be an i-f-n-NLS along with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1], \epsilon > 0$  and  $x \in A$ . The fuzzy set  $\mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \in I^X$  is defined as

$$\mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon)(y) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } N(x - y, \epsilon) > \alpha' \text{ and } M(x - y, \epsilon) < 1 - \alpha' \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where  $y \in A$  is called the  $\alpha$ -open sphere in an i-f-n-NLS with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$  and centre  $x$ .

**Definition 4.10.** Let  $A$  be an i-f-n-NLS with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . A fuzzy set  $\mu \in I^X$  is said to be *open* if  $\mu(x) > 0$  implies there exists  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $\alpha \in (0, 1]$  such that  $\mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu$ .

**Note 4.11.** For the rest of the paper we consider only t-norms for which  $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$  implies  $\alpha * \beta \neq 0$ .

**Theorem 4.12.** Let  $A$  be an i-f-n-NLS with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{N', M'} = \{\mu \in I^X : \mu \text{ is open}\}$  is an  $I$ -topology on  $A$ .

*Proof.* Proof of this Theorem is obvious.

□

Theorem 4.12 implies that an  $i$ - $f$ - $n$ -norm generates an  $I$ -topology. The  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -norm is a weak form of an  $i$ - $f$ - $n$ -norm, but still it generates an  $I$ -topology as shown by the following.

**Theorem 4.13.** *Let  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  be an  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -NLS along with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . Then the collection  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q} = \{\mu \in I^X : \mu \text{ is open}\}$  is an  $I$ -topology on  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$ .*

*Proof.* (i) Clearly  $1_X, 1_\phi \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$ .

(ii) Let  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and suppose there exists an element  $x$  such that  $(\mu_1 * \mu_2)(x) > 0$ . Then  $\mu_1(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_2(x) > 0$ , where  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^n$ , i.e., there are  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in (0, 1]$  and  $\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2 > 0 \ni \mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_1}(x, \epsilon_1) \subseteq \mu_1$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_2}(x, \epsilon_2) \subseteq \mu_2$ . Consider  $\alpha = \alpha_1 * \alpha_2$  and  $\epsilon = \min\{\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since } \alpha' &\geq \alpha'_1, P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon) > \alpha' \text{ and } Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon) < 1 - \alpha' \\ &\Rightarrow P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon) > \alpha'_1 \text{ and } Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon) < 1 - \alpha'_1. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\epsilon \leq \epsilon_1$ ,  $P(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon_1) > \alpha'_1$  and  $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \epsilon_1) < 1 - \alpha'_1$  and hence  $\mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_1}(x, \epsilon_1) \subseteq \mu_1$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_2}(x, \epsilon_2) \subseteq \mu_2$ , which implies that  $\mathbf{N}'_\beta(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) * \mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_1 * \mu_2$  where  $\beta = \alpha * \alpha$ . Hence  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  implies  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$ .

(iii) Let  $\{\mu_i\}$  be any collection of members of  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$ . If  $\bigvee \mu_i(x) > 0$ , then  $\mu_j(x) > 0$  for some  $j$ . Hence  $\exists \alpha \in (0, 1]$  and  $\epsilon > 0 \ni \mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu_j \subseteq \bigvee \mu_i$ . Thus  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  is an  $I$ -topology on  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$ . □

**Proposition 4.14.** *Let  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  be an  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -NLS along with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . The fuzzy set  $\mu$  in  $I^X$  is open if and only if  $\mu$  is the union of open sets in  $I^X$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $\mu \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mu(x) > 0$ . Then there exists  $\alpha \in (0, 1], \epsilon > 0$  and  $x \in A \ni \mathbf{N}'_\alpha(x, \epsilon) \subseteq \mu$ . Consider  $\mathbf{N}^\circ_\alpha(x, \epsilon)$  defined by

$$\mathbf{N}^\circ_\alpha(x, \epsilon)(y) = \begin{cases} \mu(x) & \text{if } P(x - y, \epsilon) > \alpha' \text{ and } Q(x - y, \epsilon) < 1 - \alpha' \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where  $y \in A$ . Then clearly  $\mu = \bigvee \mathbf{N}^\circ_\alpha(x, \epsilon)$  and each  $\mathbf{N}^\circ_\alpha(x, \epsilon)$  is an open set. □

**Theorem 4.15.** Let  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  be an  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -NLS along with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . Then  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm on  $A$  if and only if  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_1$ -space.

*Proof.* If  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm on  $A$ , then for all  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ , we have  $P(x-y, t) = r$  and  $Q(x-y, t) = 1-r$  for some  $0 < r < 1$  and for some  $t > 0$ . Now it is possible to choose one  $s$  such that  $s' > r$ . Consider the  $s$ -open spheres  $\mu_1 = \mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{t}{2})$  and  $\mu_2 = \mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{t}{2})$ . We claim that  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{t}{2})(y) = 0$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{t}{2})(x) = 0$ . If not  $P(x-y, \frac{t}{2}) > s'$  and  $Q(x-y, \frac{t}{2}) < 1-s'$ , i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} P(x-y, t) &= P((x-y) + 0, t) \\ &\geq P(x-y, \frac{t}{2}) * P(0, \frac{t}{2}) \\ &> s' > r \text{ and} \\ Q(x-y, t) &\leq Q(x-y, \frac{t}{2}) \diamond Q(0, \frac{t}{2}) \\ &< 1-s' < 1-r \text{ which is a contradiction.} \end{aligned}$$

Also  $\mu_1(x) = s$  and  $\mu_2(y) = s > 0$ . Hence  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_1$ -space.

Conversely, suppose  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_1$ -space. Take  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Then there exists  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0, \mu_2(x) = 0$ . Hence  $\exists s_1, s_2 \in (0, 1]$  and  $t_1, t_2 > 0 \ni \mathbf{N}'_{s_1}(x, t_1) \subseteq \mu_1$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_{s_2}(y, t_2) \subseteq \mu_2$ . Now since  $\mu_1(y) = 0, P(x-y, t_1) \leq s_1$  and  $Q(x-y, t_1) \geq 1-s_1$ . Similarly  $P(y-x, t_2) \leq s_2$  and  $Q(y-x, t_2) \geq 1-s_2$ . Hence  $P(x-y, t) \neq 1$  and  $Q(x-y, t) \neq 0$ . This means that, suppose  $x \neq 0$ , then there is a  $t > 0$  such that  $P(x-0, t) \neq 1$  and  $Q(x-0, t) \neq 0$  where  $0 = (0, 0, \dots, 0)$ . Hence  $P(x, t) = 1$  and  $Q(x, t) = 0$  if and only if  $x = 0$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 4.16.** Let  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  be an  $I$ -bitopological space generated by the conjugate pairs of  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -norms  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  along with an order reverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . If  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm, then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space.

*Proof.* Since  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm,  $-P, -Q$  is also an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm. Hence  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  are  $T_1$ -spaces. Let  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ . Since  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  is a  $T_1$ -space, there exists  $\mu_1, \mu_2 \in \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q} \ni \mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0, \mu_2(x) = 0$ . Similarly  $\exists \mu_3, \mu_4 \in \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  such that  $\mu_3(x) > 0, \mu_3(y) = 0$  and  $\mu_4(x) = 0, \mu_4(y) > 0$ . Now  $\exists \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in (0, 1]$  and

$\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2 > 0 \ni \mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_1}(x, \epsilon_1) \subseteq \mu_1$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_2}(x, \epsilon_2) \subseteq \mu_3$ . Since  $\mathbf{N}'_{\alpha_1}(x, \epsilon_1)(y) = 0$ ,  $P(x - y, \epsilon_1) \leq \alpha'_1$  and  $Q(x - y, \epsilon_1) \geq 1 - \alpha'_1$ .

Similarly  $-P(x - y, \epsilon_2) \leq \alpha'_2$  and  $-Q(x - y, \epsilon_2) \geq 1 - \alpha'_2$ . Let  $\alpha = \alpha_1 * \alpha_2$  and  $\epsilon = \min\{\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2\}$ . Now it is possible to choose one  $0 < s < 1$  such that  $s' * s' > \alpha'$ . Consider the  $s$ -open spheres  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2})$  in  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2})$  in  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$ . Then it is enough to prove  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) * \mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) = 1_\phi$ .

Suppose  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) * \mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2})(z) > 0$  for some  $z \in A$ , then  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2})(z) > 0$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2})(z) > 0$ . Hence  $P(x - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) > s'$ ,  $Q(x - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) < 1 - s'$  and  $-P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) > s'$ ,  $-Q(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) < 1 - s'$ . Also it is possible to choose  $\delta$  such that  $0 < \delta < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$  and  $P(x - z, \delta) > s'$ ,  $Q(x - z, \delta) < 1 - s'$ . Now

$$\begin{aligned} -P(x - y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) &\geq -P(x - y, \epsilon) \\ &\geq -P((x - z) - (y - z), \epsilon) \\ &\geq -P(x - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) * -P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) \\ &\geq P(z - x, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) * -P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) \\ &\geq P(0 - (x - z), \delta + (\frac{\epsilon}{2} - \delta)) * -P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) \\ &\geq P(0, \frac{\epsilon}{2} - \delta) * P(x - z, \delta) * (-P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2})) \\ &= 1 * P(x - z, \delta) * (-P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2})) \\ &= P(x - z, \delta) * (-P(y - z, \frac{\epsilon}{2})) \\ &> s' * s' > \alpha'. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $-P(x - y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) > \alpha'$ . Therefore  $-P(x - y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) > \alpha'_2$ . Similarly  $-Q(x - y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) < 1 - \alpha'_2$ , which is a contradiction.

Similarly there is a  $s$ -open sphere  $\mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2})$  in  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2})$  in  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  such that  $\mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) * \mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{\epsilon}{2}) = 0$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 4.17.** *Let  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  be an  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -NLS along with an order inverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . Then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_2$ -space if and only if  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm on  $A$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm on  $A$ . If  $x, y \in A$  with  $x \neq y$ , then  $P(x - y, t) \neq 1$  and  $Q(x - y, t) \neq 0$  for some  $t$ . Suppose  $P(x - y, t) = r$  and  $Q(x - y, t) = 1 - r$  where  $0 < r < 1$ . Now choose  $s > 0$  such that  $s' * s' > r$ . Then  $\mathbf{N}'_s(x, \frac{t}{2}) * \mathbf{N}'_s(y, \frac{t}{2}) = 1_\phi$ . Hence  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_2$ -space.

Conversely, suppose that  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_2$ -space. Let  $x \neq y$  in  $A$ . Then there exists  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  open sets  $\mu_1, \mu_2$  such that  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(y) > 0$  with  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi, \mu_1 \diamond \mu_2 = 1_X$ . Since  $\mu_1(x) > 0, \mu_2(x) = 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0, \mu_1(y) = 0$ . Hence  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_1$ -space and so by Theorem 4.15  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm on  $A$ .  $\square$

**Note 4.18.** In general a  $T_2$ -space need not be a  $T_1$ -space. However if  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm, then  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q})$  is a  $T_2$ -space as well as a  $T_1$ -space.

**Theorem 4.19.** *Let  $(X, P, Q, *, \diamond)$  be an  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -NLS along with an order inverting involution  $'$  on  $I$ . The  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -norm  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm if and only if the  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is pairwise Hausdorff.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space. Then  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  are  $T_1$ -topologies. Hence  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  are intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norms on  $A$ .

Conversely, suppose  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm, then by Theorem 4.16, the  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is pairwise Hausdorff.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.20.** *If  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  are two  $i$ - $f$ - $q$ - $p$ - $n$ -norms on  $A$ , then the  $I$ -bitopological space  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is pairwise weakly Hausdorff if and only if  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  are intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norms.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is pairwise weakly Hausdorff space, then  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  are  $T_1$ -topologies. Hence  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  are intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norms on  $A$ .

Conversely, suppose  $P, Q$  and  $-P, -Q$  are intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norms on  $A$ , then  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  and  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  are  $T_2$ -topologies. Let  $x$  and  $y$  be two distinct points in  $A$ . Then  $\exists \mu_1(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_2(y) > 0$  such that  $\mu_1 * \mu_2 = 1_\phi$  and  $\exists \mu_3$  and  $\mu_4$  in  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  with  $\mu_3(x) > 0$  and  $\mu_4(y) > 0$  such that  $\mu_3 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi$ . It is enough if we show that  $\mu_1 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi$  or  $\mu_2 * \mu_3 = 1_\phi$ . Clearly  $(\mu_1 * \mu_4)(x) = 0, (\mu_1 * \mu_4)(y) = 0, (\mu_2 * \mu_3)(x) = 0, (\mu_2 * \mu_3)(y) = 0$ . Suppose there exists an element  $z \in A$  such that  $(\mu_1 * \mu_4)(z) \neq 0$ . Then  $\mu_1(z) > 0$  and  $\mu_4(z) > 0$  and so  $\mu_2(z) = 0, \mu_3(z) = 0$  and hence we conclude that  $\mu_1 * \mu_4 = 1_\phi$  or  $\mu_2 * \mu_3 = 1_\phi$ .  $\square$

**Note 4.21.** In general, a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space need not be a pairwise Hausdorff space. However if  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm, then



$(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff as well as a pairwise Hausdorff space as proved in the following.

**Theorem 4.22.**  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space if and only if  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space.

*Proof.* Suppose  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space, then  $\mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}$  or  $\mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q}$  is a  $T_2$ -space. Hence by Theorem 4.17,  $P, Q$  is an intuitionistic fuzzy quasi  $n$ -norm and so by Theorem 4.19  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space.

Conversely, suppose  $(A, \mathfrak{S}_{P,Q}, \mathfrak{S}_{-P,-Q})$  is a pairwise Hausdorff space, then trivially it is a pairwise weakly Hausdorff space.  $\square$

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