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# **I-VAGUE IDEALS IN NEAR-RINGS**

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ABSTRACT. In this paper the authers study the concepts of *I*-Vague sub near-rings and *I*-Vague ideals in near-rings. Some properties are illustrated corresponding to *I*-Vague sub near-rings and *I*-Vague ideals in near-rings with an example.

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

In Mathematics, Fuzzy sets, subsets and some properties are introduced by L. A. Zadeh [2], W. Liu [13] have extended the concepts of ideals to Fuzzy sets and some authors have extended that work further. Concepts of fuzzy ideals are used by different authors [4,6,7,8] for further studies in vague sets. W. L. Gau and D. J. Buehrer [12] introduced two membership functions in vague sets, one is truth membership and another is false membership function. R. Biswas [5] introduced Vague groups & T. Eswarlal [9] extended those concepts to Vague field and Vague vector space. Then Seung Dong Kim & Hee Sik Kim [7] studied fuzzy sub near-ring and fuzzy ideals of near-ring. T. Zelalem [10] introduced *I*-vague groups. Then L. Bhasker [3] extended that part of fuzzy ideals in near-ring to Vague ideal of a near-ring.

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### 2. Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** [1] A non-empty set R with two binary operations "+" and "." satisfying the following axioms:

(1) (R, +) is a group,

(2) (R, .) is a semigroup,

(3) x.(y+z) = x.y + x.z for all  $x, y, z \in R$ .

Precisely speaking, it is a left near-ring because it satisfies the left distributive law. We will use "near-ring", instead of "left near-ring". We denote xy instead of x.y. Note that x0 = 0 and x(-y) = -xy but in general  $0x \neq 0$  for some  $x, y \in R$ . Let R and S be near-rings. A map  $f: R \to S$  is called a (near-ring) homomorphism if f(x+y) = f(x)+f(y)and f(xy) = f(x)f(y) for any  $x, y \in R$ . An ideal I of a near-ring R is a subset of R such that

(4)(I, +) is a normal subgroup of (R, +),

(5) 
$$RI \subseteq I$$
,

(6)  $(r+i)s - rs \in I$  for any  $r, s \in R$ 

Note that I is a left ideal of R if I satisfies (4) and (5), and I is a right ideal of R if I satisfies (4) and (6).

Throughout this paper let  $I = (I, +, -, \lor, \land, 0, 1)$  be a dually residuated lattice ordered semigroup satisfying 1 - (1 - a) = a for all  $a \in I$ .

**Definition 2.2.** [9] An *I*-vague set *A* on a non-empty set *X* is a pair  $(t_A, f_A)$  where  $t_A : X \to I$  and  $f_A : X \to I$  with  $t_A(x) \leq 1 - f_A(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

**Definition 2.3.** [9] The interval  $[t_A(x), 1 - f_A(x)]$  is called the *I*-vague value of  $x \in X$  and is denoted by  $V_A(x)$ .

**Definition 2.4.** [9] Let  $A = (t_A, f_A)$  be an *I*-vague set of a non-empty set *X*. For  $\alpha, \beta \in I$  and  $\alpha \leq \beta$  the  $(\alpha, \beta)$  cut of the *I*-vague set *A* denoted by  $A_{(\alpha,\beta)}$  is a crisp subset of the set *X* is given by

$$A_{(\alpha,\beta)} = \{ x \in X : V_A(x) \ge [\alpha,\beta] \}.$$

**Definition 2.5.** [9] Let G be a group. An I-vague set of a group G is called an I-vague group G if,

(i) $V_A(xy) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$  for all  $x, y \in G$ , and (ii) $V_A(x^{-1}) \ge V_A(x)$  for all  $x \in G$ .

**Definition 2.6.** [2] Let A be a vegaue set of a near-ring R. Then A is called vague sub near-ring of R if for all  $x, y \in R$ , it satisfies (i)  $V_A(x+y) \ge \min\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$ 

(ii)  $V_A(-x) = V_A(x)$ (iii)  $V_A(xy) \ge \min\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}.$ 

**Definition 2.7.** [2] Let A be a vague set of near-ring R, then A is said to be a Vague ideal of R if for all  $x, y, z, i \in R$ , it satisfies (i)  $V_A(x+y) \ge min\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$ (ii)  $V_A(-x) = V_A(x)$ (iii)  $V_A(z+x-z) \ge V_A(x)$ (iv)  $V_A(xy) \ge V_A(x)$ (v)  $V_A(xy) \ge V_A(x)$ (v)  $V_A(x(x(y+i)-xy)) \ge V_A(i)$  or  $V_A(xz-xy) \ge V_A(z-y)$ . A is said to be a vague right ideal if it satisfies (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv). Similarly, A is said to be a vague left ideal if it satisfies (i), (ii), (iii) and (v).

## 3. *I*-VAGUE IDEALS OF NEAR-RINGS

**Definition 3.1** Let A be an I-vague set of near-ring R. Then A is called I-vague sub near-ring of R if it satisfies the following conditions for all  $x, y \in R$ ,

(i)  $V_A(x+y) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$ (ii)  $V_A(-x) = V_A(x)$ (iii)  $V_A(xy) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}.$ 

**Definition 3.2** Let A be an *I*-vague set of a near-ring R, then A is said to be an *I*-vague ideal of R if and only if for all  $x, y, z, i \in R$ , it satisfies (i)  $V_A(x+y) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$ 

(i)  $V_A(x+g) \ge vinj (V_A)$ (ii)  $V_A(-x) = V_A(x)$ 

(iii) 
$$V_A(x) = V_A(x)$$
  
(iii)  $V_A(z+x-z) \ge V_A(x)$ 

(iii)  $V_A(xy) \ge V_A(x)$ (iv)  $V_A(xy) \ge V_A(x)$ 

$$(v) V_A[x(x(y+i) - xy)] \ge V_A(i) \text{ or } V_A(xz - xy) \ge V_A(z - y).$$

A is said to be *I*-vague right ideal R if it satisfies (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv). Similarly, A is said to be an *I*-vague left ideal of R if it satisfies (i), (ii), (iii) and (v).

Note : (i) In above definition the conditions (i) and (ii) together can be written as  $V_A(x-y) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$ .

(ii) If A is a vague ideal of R, then  $V_A(x+y) = V_A(y+x)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ . (iii) If A is an I-vague ideal of R then  $V_A(0) \ge V_A(x)$  for all  $x \in R$ .

**Example 3.3** Let  $R_1 = Z_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  be a near-ring under the addition and the multiplication of residue classes modulo-4. An *I*-vague set  $A = (t_A, f_A)$  of  $R_1$  defined as  $t_A : R_1 \to I$  and  $f_A : R_1 \to I$  such that

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 $t_A(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5 & x = 0, 1 \\ 0.5 & x = 2, 3 \\ \text{clearly } A \text{ is an } I\text{-vague ideal of } R_1. \end{cases} \text{ and } f_A(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5 & x = 0, 1 \\ 0.5 & x = 2, 3 \\ 0.5 & x = 2, 3 \end{cases}$ 

**Remark 3.4** Let A be an *I*-vague ideal of R, then the condition  $V_A(xz - xy) \ge V_A(z-y)$  is equivalent to the condition  $V_A((x(y+i)-xy) \ge V_A(i))$ . Proof. Let

$$V_A(xz - xy) \ge V_A(z - y)$$

Put z = y + i

$$V_A((x(y+i) - xy) \ge V_A(y+i - y)).$$
  
=  $V_A(i).$ 

Conversely, let

$$V_A((x(y+i) - xy) \ge V_A(i).$$

$$\begin{aligned} xz - xy &= x(y - y + z) - xy \\ &= x(y + i) - xy. \quad (\because i = -y + z.) \\ V_A(xz - xy) &= V_A(x(y + i) - xy) \\ &\geq V_A(i) \\ &= V_A(-y + z) \\ &= V_A(z - y). \end{aligned}$$

Hence the proof is done.

**Lemma 3.5** Let R be a near-ring and A be an I-vague set of R satisfies the condition  $V_A(x - y) \ge iinf\{V_A(x), V_A(y)\}$  Then the followings are hold (i)  $V_A(0) \ge V_A(x)$  (ii)  $V_A(-x) \ge V_A(x)$ . Proof. (i)

$$V_{A}(0) = V_{A}(x - x)$$
  

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(x), V_{A}(-x)\}$$
  

$$= iinf\{V_{A}(x), V_{A}(x)\}$$
  

$$= V_{A}(x).$$

(ii)

$$V_{A}(-x) = V_{A}(0-x)$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(0), V_{A}(-x)\}$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(x), V_{A}(-x)\}$$

$$= iinf\{V_{A}(x), V_{A}(x)\}$$

$$= V_{A}(x).$$

Hence the proof is done.

**Lemma 3.6** Let A be an *I*-vague ideal of near-ring R. If  $V_A(x - y) = V_A(0)$  then  $V_A(x) = V_A(y)$ . Proof. Let A be an *I*-vague ideal of near-ring R. Suppose that  $V_A(x - x) = V_A(0)$  for all  $x, y \in R$ . Now,

$$V_{A}(x) = V_{A}(x - y + y)$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(x - y), V_{A}(y)\}$$

$$= iinf\{V_{A}(0), V_{A}(x)\} \quad (\because V_{A}(x - y) = V_{A}(0))$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(y), V_{A}(y)\} \quad (\because V_{A}(0) \geq V_{A}(x), \forall x \in R)$$

$$= V_{A}(y).$$

Conversely,

$$V_{A}(y) = V_{A}(y - x + x)$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(y - x), V_{A}(y)\}$$

$$= iinf\{V_{A}(x - y), V_{A}(y)\} \quad (\because V_{A}(y - x) = V_{A}(x - y))$$

$$= iinf\{V_{A}(0), V_{A}(x)\} \quad (\because V_{A}(x - y) = V_{A}(0))$$

$$\geq iinf\{V_{A}(x), V_{A}(x)\} \quad (\because V_{A}(0) \geq V_{A}(x), \forall x \in R)$$

$$= V_{A}(x).$$

so we get,  $V_A(x) = V_A(y)$ 

**Definition 3.7** Let A be an *I*-vague ideal of near-ring R and g be a function defined on R. Then the *I*-vague set B in g(R) defined by,

$$V_B(y) = \sup_{x \in g^{-1}(y)} V_A(x) \qquad \forall y \in g(R)$$

is called the image of A under g. Similarly, if B is an I- vague set in g(R) then the I-vague set  $A = B \circ g$  in R (i.e. the I-vague set defined as  $V_A(x) = V_B[g(x)] \quad \forall x \in R).$ 

**Theorem 3.8** A near-ring homomorphic pre-image of an *I*-vague left(right) ideal is an *I*-vague left (right) ideal. Proof. Let  $\psi : R \to S$  be a near-ring homomorphism and *B* be an *I*-vague left ideal of *S* where *A* be the pre-image of *B* under  $\psi$  in *R*.

Let us show that A is an I-vague ideal in R. Now,  $\forall x, y \in R$ 

$$\begin{split} V_A(x-y) &= V_B[\psi(x-y)] \\ &= V_B[\psi(x) - \psi(y)] \\ &\geq iinf\{V_B(\psi(x), V_B(\psi(y))\} \\ &= iinf\{V_A(x), V_B(y)\}. \end{split}$$

$$V_B(xy) = V_B[\psi(xy)]$$
  
=  $V_B[\psi(x)\psi(y)]$   
 $\geq V_B[\psi(y)]$   
=  $V_A(y).$ 

$$\begin{aligned} V_A(y+x-y) &= V_B[\psi(y+x-y)] \\ &= V_B\{[psi(y)+\psi(x)-\psi(y)]\} \\ &\geq V_B[\psi(x)] \\ &= V_A(x). \end{aligned}$$

It shows A is an I-vague left ideal of R. Suppose B is an I-vague right ideal of S then  $\forall x,y,i\in R$  ,

$$V_A[(x+i)y - xy] = V_B[\psi((x+i)y - xy)]$$
  
=  $V_B[(\psi(x) + \psi(i))\psi(y) - \psi(x)\psi(y)]$   
=  $V_B[\psi(i)\psi(y)]$   
 $\geq V_B[\psi(i)]$   
=  $V_A(i).$ 

Hence A is an I-vague right ideal of R.

**Definition 3.9** We say that an *I*- vague set *A* in near-ring *R* has the sup property if, for any subset *T* of *R* there exist  $t_0 \in T$  such that

$$V_A(t_0) = \sup_{t \in T} V_A(t).$$

**Theorem 3.10** A near-ring homomorphic image of an *I*-vague left (right) ideal having sup property is an *I*-vague left (right) ideal. Proof. Let  $\psi : R \to S$  be a near-ring homorphism, and *A* be an *I*-vague left ideal of *R* with the sup property. Let *B* be the image of *A* in *S* under  $\psi$ .

For  $x, y \in R$  we get  $\psi(x), \psi(y) \in \psi(R)$ . Let  $x_0 \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x)), y_0 \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(y))$  such that

$$V_A(x_0) = \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x))} V_A(t) \qquad V_A(y_0) = \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x))} V_A(t).$$

respectively. Then

$$\begin{split} V_B[\psi(x) - \psi(y)] &= \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x) - \psi(y))} V_A(t) \\ &\geq V_A(x_0 - y_0) \\ &\geq iinf\{V_A(x_0), V_A(y_0)\} \\ &= iinf\{\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x))} V_A(t), \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(y))} V_A(t)\} \\ &= iinf\{V_B(\psi(x)), V_B(\psi(y))\}. \end{split}$$

and,

$$\begin{split} V_B(\psi(x)\psi(y)) &= \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x)\psi(y))} V_A(t) \\ &\geq V_A(x_0y_0) \\ &\geq iinf\{V(y_0)\} \\ &= iinf\{\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(y))} V_A(t)\} \\ &= iinf\{V_B(\psi(y))\}. \end{split}$$

and,

$$V_B(\psi(y+x-y)) = \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(y+x-y))} V_A(t)$$
  
=  $\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(y)+\psi(x)-\psi(y))} V_A(t)$   
 $\ge V_A(y_0 + x_0 - y_0)$   
=  $V_A(x_0)$   
=  $\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(x))} V_A(t)$   
=  $V_B(\psi(x)).$ 

It implies that B is an I-vague left ideal of  $\psi(R)$ . Now, let A be an I-vague right ideal of R. Let  $\psi(i) \in \psi(R)$  and  $i_0 \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(i))$  such that

$$V_A(i_0) = \sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(i))} V_A(t)$$

then,

$$V_B(\psi((x+i)y - xy)) = V_B((\psi(x) + \psi(i))\psi(y) - \psi(x)\psi(y))$$
  
=  $\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}((\psi(x) + \psi(i))\psi(y) - \psi(x)\psi(y))} V_A(t)$   
 $\ge V_A[(x_0 + i_0)y_0 - x_0y_0]$   
 $\ge V_A(i_0)$   
=  $\sup_{t \in \psi^{-1}(\psi(i))} V_A(t)$   
=  $V_B[\ \psi(i)]$ 

It implies B is an I-vague right ideal of  $\psi(R)$ .

# 4. Conclusions

In this paper, the concepts of an *I*-vague sub near-ring and *I*-vague ideals of near-ring are discussed. Also properties related to *I*-vague ideals of near-ring are proved. Here we have observed what happens with the homomorphic image and pre-image of *I*- vague ideals with the help of some previous concepts.

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