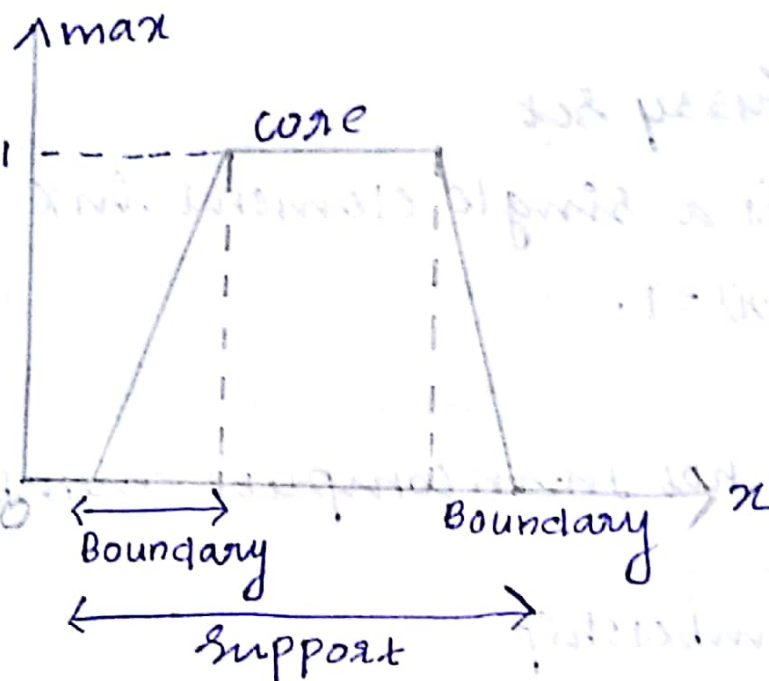


# 4. Membership Functions



Membership function.

- Fuzziness in the fuzzy set irrespective of elements
- Graphical form.

Features of membership function.

$$A = \{(x, \mu_A(x)) \mid x \in X\}$$

$\mu_A(x)$  is the membership function.

$$\mu_A: X \rightarrow M, \mu_A(x) \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

Core:

- Complete membership in the set A
- $\mu_A(x) = 1$

- core of a fuzzy set may be empty set.

Support:

- Non zero membership
- $\mu_A(x) > 0$

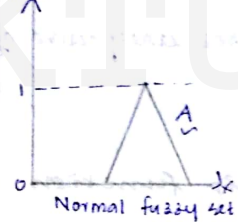
Singleton fuzzy set

if support is a single element  $x$  with  $\mu_A(x) = 1$ .

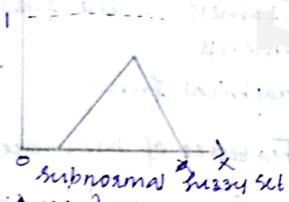
Boundary.

- Non zero but not ~~mem~~ complete membership
- $0 < \mu_A(x) < 1$
- Partial membership

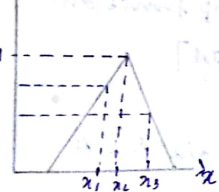
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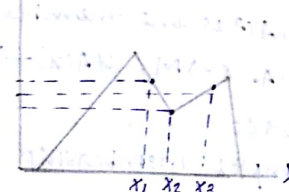
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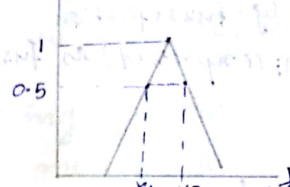
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$\mu(x)$



crossover point of a fuzzy set

In the case of convex normal fuzzy set.

$$\mu_A(x) \geq \min[\mu_A(x_1), \mu_A(x_2)]$$

Height

Maximum of membership value ( $\leq 1$ )

Fuzzification

- process of transforming a crisp set of fuzzy set or fuzzy set
- Translate crisp input values into linguistic variables.
- $A = \{ \mu_i / x_i \mid x_i \in X \}$  - common fuzzy algorithm  
[  $\mu_i$  constant and  $x_i$  transformed to fuzzy set  $Q(x_i)$  ]

Support fuzzification (S-fuzzification)

$$A = \mu_1 Q(x_1) + \mu_2 Q(x_2) + \dots + \mu_n Q(x_n)$$

$Q(x_i)$  is the kernel for fuzzification.

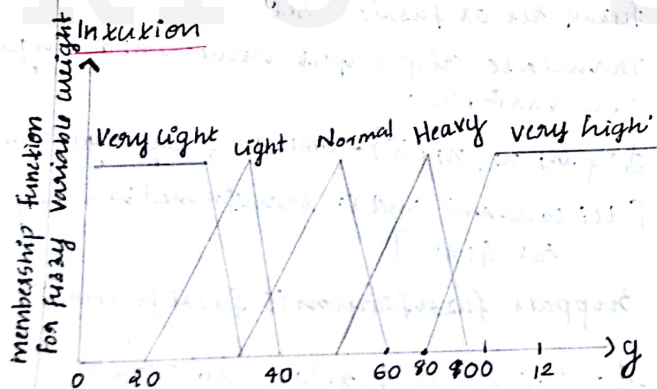
✓ - means fuzzified

Grade fuzzification (g-fuzzification).

-  $x_i$  constant  $\mu_i$  (expressed) as fuzzy set.  
Fuzzification.

→ Methods of membership value assignment.

1. Intuition
2. Inference
3. Rank ordering
4. Angular fuzzy sets
5. Neural networks
6. Genetic algorithm
7. Inductive reasoning



• Intelligent capacity

•  $0 < w < 20$  - very light

q) Using your own intuition pick the fuzzy membership function for the age of people.

A) The universe of discourse is age of people. let  $A$  denote age of people in year. The linguistic variable are defined as follow.

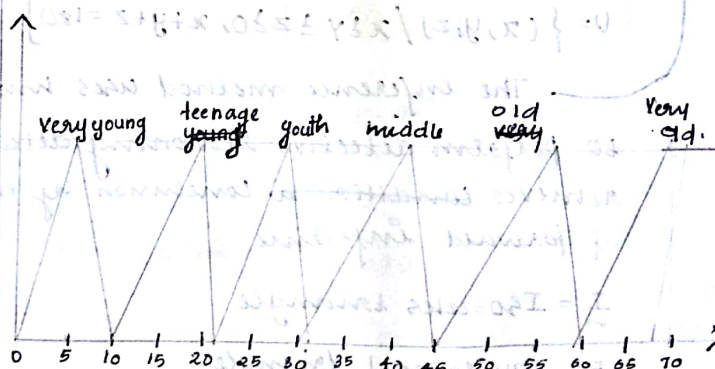
below 10 - very young

10 - 21 - young

22 - 32 - middle

40 - 70 - old

above 70 - very old





$VY \rightarrow A < 12$   
 $Y \rightarrow 10 \leq A \leq 22$   
 $M \rightarrow 20 \leq A \leq 42$   
 $O \rightarrow 40 \leq A \leq 72$   
 $VO \rightarrow 70 < A$

1. using intuition assign the membership function for (1) population of car  
 2. (2) library usage.

## 2. INFERENCE

Consider a triangle

$x, y, z$  are the angles

$$x \geq y \geq z \geq 0$$

$$U = \{ (x, y, z) / x \geq y \geq z \geq 0, x + y + z = 180 \}$$

The inference method uses knowledge to perform detective reasoning. detection achieves condition to conclusion by means of forward inference

$I$  = Isosceles triangle

$E$  = equilateral triangle.

$R$  - Right angle triangle

$IR$  = Isosceles and right angle triangle

$T$  = other triangle

Isosceles Triangle.

$$\mu_I(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{60} \min(x - y, y - z)$$

$x = y$  (2 sides equal)  
 $x - y = 0$

$$\therefore \mu_I(x, y, z) = 1 \text{ (it is isosceles triangle)}$$

eg:  $x = 120, y = 60, z = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_I(x, y, z) &= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \min(120 - 60, 60 - 0) \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \times \min(60, 60) \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \times 60 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\mu_R(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{90} |x - 90| \text{ - Right angle triangle}$$

$$\mu_E(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{180} |x - z| \text{ - Equilateral}$$

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Isosceles and right angle triangle

$$\underline{I} \cdot \underline{R} = \underline{I} \cap \underline{R}$$

$$\mu_{\underline{I} \cdot \underline{R}}(x, y, z) = \min[\mu_{\underline{I}}(x, y, z), \mu_{\underline{R}}(x, y, z)]$$

Equilateral triangle

$$\mu_{\underline{E}}(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{180} |x - z|$$

Other triangles

$$\underline{I} = \underline{T} = \underline{I} \cup \underline{R} \cup \underline{E}$$

$$\underline{I} = \underline{I} \cap \underline{R} \cap \underline{E}$$

$$= 1 - \underline{I} \cap \underline{R} \cap \underline{E}$$

$$= \min(1 - \underline{I}, 1 - \underline{R}, 1 - \underline{E})$$

Q Using the inference approach find the membership values for  $\underline{E}$ ,  $\underline{I}$ ,  $\underline{R}$ ,  $\underline{I} \cdot \underline{R}$  and  $\underline{T}$ . For the triangle with angle  $45^\circ, 55^\circ, 50^\circ$

A Let  $U = \{(x, y, z) | x = 90^\circ \geq y = 55^\circ \geq z = 45^\circ\}$

$$\mu_{\underline{I}}(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{60} \min(x - y, y - z)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \min(50 - 55, 55 - 45)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \min(25, 10) =$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{60} \times 10$$

$$= 1 - 0.1667 = 0.8333$$

$$= 0.8333$$

Equilateral

$$\mu_{\underline{E}}(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{180} |x - z|$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{180} |80 - 45|$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{180} |35|$$

$$= 0.8055$$

Right angle

$$\mu_{\underline{R}}(x, y, z) = 1 - \frac{1}{90} |x - 90|$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{90} |80 - 90|$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{90} |10|$$

$$= 0.888$$

Isosceles & Right angle triangle

$$\underline{I} \cdot \underline{R} = \underline{I} \cap \underline{R}$$

$$\mu_{\underline{I} \cdot \underline{R}}(x, y, z) = \min[\mu_{\underline{I}}(x, y, z), \mu_{\underline{R}}(x, y, z)]$$

$$= \min(0.833, 0.88)$$

$$= 0.833$$

Other triangle.

$$I = I \cup B \cup E$$

$$= \min(1 - I, 1 - B, 1 - E)$$

$$= \min(0.167, 0.111, 0.1945)$$

$$= 0.111$$

RANK ORDERING:

Suppose 1000 people respond to questions about their pairwise preferences among 5 cars

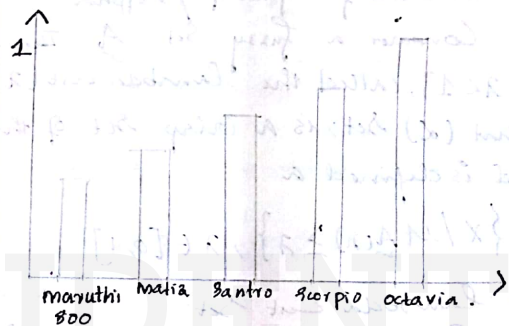
$X = \{\text{maruthi 800, scorpio, matiz, santro, octavia}\}$

Number who preferred.

	Maruthi 800	Scorpio	matiz	Santro	octavia
maruthi 800	—	192	246	592	621
Scorpio	403	—	621	540	391
Matiz	235	336	—	797	492
Santro	523	364	417	—	608
octavia	616	584	746	726	—

Total Percentage Rank

1651	16.5	5
1955	19.6	2
1660	16.6	4
1912	19.1	3
2622	26.1	1



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Defuzzification :- is a mapping process from a space of fuzzy control actions defined lambda for fuzzy sets (Alpha cut)

Fuzzy Set A : over non dp universe of discourse into a space of crisp (non-fuzzy) set A (0 < lambda < 1) - lambda cut set (X). Alpha cut set (X) (control actions).

$$A_\lambda = \{x / \mu_A(x) \geq \lambda\}, \lambda \in [0, 1]$$

The defuzzification process has the capability to reduce a fuzzy set into a crisp single valued quantity or into crisp sets; to convert a fuzzy set matrix into a crisp set or to convert a fuzzy number to crisp numbers.

Lambda cuts for fuzzy / Alpha

Consider a fuzzy set  $A$ . The set  $A_\lambda [0 \leq \lambda \leq 1]$ , called the lambda cut ( $\lambda$ ) or alpha cut ( $\alpha$ ) set, is a crisp set of the fuzzy set and is defined as

$$A_\lambda = \{x / \mu_A(x) \geq \lambda\}, \lambda \in [0, 1]$$

Weak Lambda Cut Set

The set  $A_\lambda$  is called weak lambda cut set if it consists of all the elements of a fuzzy set whose membership functions have value greater than or equal to specific value.

$$A_\lambda = \{x / \mu_A(x) \geq \lambda\}, \lambda \in [0, 1]$$

Strong Lambda Cut Set

The set  $A_\lambda$  the Strong Lambda cut set if it consists of all the elements of a fuzzy set whose

membership function have values strictly greater than a specific value.

$$A_\lambda = \{x / \mu_A(x) > \lambda\}, \lambda \in [0, 1]$$

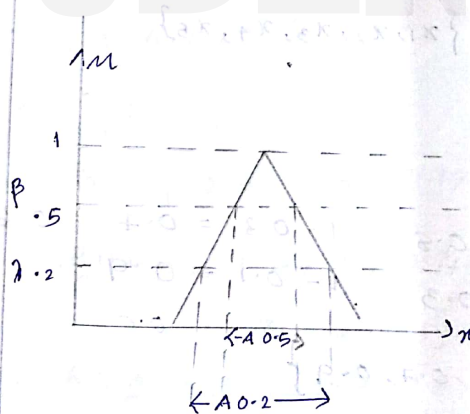
Properties of  $\lambda$  cut Set

$$1) (A \cup B)_\lambda = A_\lambda \cup B_\lambda$$

$$2) (A \cap B)_\lambda = A_\lambda \cap B_\lambda$$

$$3) (\bar{A})_\lambda = \bar{A}_\lambda \text{ except when } \lambda = 0.5$$

4) For any  $\lambda \leq \beta$  where  $0 \leq \beta \leq 1$ , it is true that  $A_\beta \subseteq A_\lambda$  when  $A_0 = X$ .





Consider two fuzzy set A and B both defined on X, given as follows.

$\mu_{\mu}(X)$	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_4$	$x_5$	$x_3$
A	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.1	0.4
B	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.6

Express the following fuzzy set using Zadeh's notation

a)  $\bar{A}_{0.7}$  (b)  $(B)_{0.2}$  (c)  $(A \cup B)_{0.6}$  d)  $(A \cap B)_{0.5}$

e)  $(A \cup \bar{A})_{0.7}$  f)  $(B \cap \bar{B})_{0.3}$  g)  $(A \cap \bar{B})_{0.6}$

h)  $(\bar{A} \cup \bar{B})_{0.8}$

i)  $(B)_{0.2} = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5\}$

(a)  $\bar{A}_{0.7}$

$1 - A = \bar{A}$

$1 - 0.2 = 0.8$        $1 - 0.3 = 0.7$        $0.6$

$1 - 0.7 = 0.3$        $1 - 0.1 = 0.9$

$0.6$

$\bar{A}_{0.7} = \{0.8, 0.7, 0.9\}$

$\bar{A}_{0.7} = \{x_1, x_2, x_5\}$

(i)  $(A \cup B)_{0.6}$

$A \cup B = \{0.4, 0.5, 0.8, 0.9, 0.6\}$

$(A \cup B)_{0.6} = \{x_4, x_5, x_3\}$

d)  $(A \cap B)_{0.5}$

$A \cap B = \{0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.7, 0.1\}$

$(A \cap B)_{0.5} = \{0.7\} = \{x_4\}$

e)  $(A \cup \bar{A})_{0.7} = \{0.8, 0.7, 0.7, 0.3, 0.9\}$

$(A \cup \bar{A})_{0.7} = \{0.8, 0.7, 0.7, 0.9\}$

f)  $(B \cap \bar{B})_{0.3}$

$\bar{B} = \{0.6, 0.5, 0.2, 0.1, 0.4\}$

$(B \cap \bar{B})_{0.3} = \{0.4, 0.5, 0.4, 0.2\}$

$= \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$

g)  $\overline{A \cap B} = \{0.8, 0.7, 0.6, 0.3, 0.9\}$



$$(\overline{A \cap B})_{0.5} = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_5\}$$

$$(b) (\overline{A \cup B})_{0.5} = \{x_1, x_5\}$$

using Zadeh's notation determine the lambda cut set for the given fuzzy set.

$$\underline{S}_1 = \left\{ \frac{0}{0} + \frac{0.5}{20} + \frac{0.65}{40} + \frac{0.85}{60} + \frac{1.0}{80} + \frac{1.0}{100} \right\}$$

$$\underline{S}_2 = \left\{ \frac{0}{0} + \frac{0.45}{20} + \frac{0.6}{40} + \frac{0.8}{60} + \frac{0.95}{80} + \frac{1.0}{100} \right\}$$

Express the following for  $\lambda = 0.5$ .

$$(a) \underline{S}_1 \cup \underline{S}_2$$

$$A) \left\{ \frac{0.5}{20} + \frac{0.65}{40} + \frac{0.85}{60} + \frac{1.0}{80} + \frac{1.0}{100} \right\}$$

$$b) \underline{S}_1 \cap \underline{S}_2$$

$$A) \left\{ \frac{0.6}{40} + \frac{0.8}{60} + \frac{0.95}{80} + \frac{1.0}{100} \right\}$$

$$(c) \underline{\bar{S}}_1$$

$$A) 1 - \underline{S}_1 = \left\{ \frac{1}{0} + \frac{0.5}{20} + \frac{0.35}{40} + \frac{0.15}{60} + \frac{0}{80} + \frac{0}{100} \right\}$$

$$\underline{\bar{S}}_1 = \left\{ \frac{1}{0} + \frac{0.5}{20} \right\}$$

$$d) (\underline{S}_2)_{0.5} = \left\{ \frac{0.4}{20} + \frac{0.2}{40} + \frac{0.05}{60} + \frac{0}{80} + \frac{0}{100} \right\}$$

$$e) (\underline{S}_1 \cup \underline{S}_2)_{0.5} = \left\{ \frac{0.5}{20} + \frac{0.35}{40} + \frac{0.15}{60} + \frac{0}{80} + \frac{0}{100} \right\}$$

Q. Consider the discrete fuzzy set defined on the universe.

$$X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$$

$$\underline{A} = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{0.9}{b} + \frac{0.6}{c} + \frac{0.3}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

Using Zadeh's notation find the lambda cut set for  $\lambda = 1, 0.9, 0.6, 0.3, 0^+$  and  $0$ .

$$A) \lambda = \{x / \mu(x) \geq \lambda\}$$

$$a) \lambda = 1, A_1 = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{0}{b} + \frac{0}{c} + \frac{0}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

$$b) \lambda = 0.9, A_{.9} = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{0}{c} + \frac{0}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

$$c) \lambda = 0.6, A_{.6} = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} + \frac{0}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

$$d) \lambda = 0.3, A_{.3} = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

$$e) \lambda = 0^+ \rightarrow \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{d} + \frac{0}{e} \right\}$$

$$f) \lambda = 0, A_0 = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{d} + \frac{1}{e} \right\}$$

## Lambda cuts

Let  $R$  be a fuzzy relation where each row of the relational matrix is considered a fuzzy set. The  $j$ th row in a fuzzy relation matrix  $R$  denotes a discrete membership function for a fuzzy set  $R$ . A fuzzy relation can be converted to crisp relation in the following manner.

$$R_\lambda = \{ (x, y) / \mu_R(x, y) \geq \lambda \}$$

properties of lambda cut fuzzy relation

Similar to the properties of fuzzy set.

Q Determine the crisp lambda cut relation when  $\lambda = 0.1 + 0.3 + 0.9$  for the following relation  $R$ .

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0.2 & 0.4 \\ 0.3 & 0.7 & 1.0 \\ 0.8 & 0.9 & 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_\lambda = \{ (x, y) / \mu_R(x, y) \geq \lambda \}$$

$$= \{ (x, y) / \mu_R(x, y) \geq \lambda \} \cup \{ (x, y) / \mu_R(x, y) < \lambda \}$$

$$R_{0.1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{0.3} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

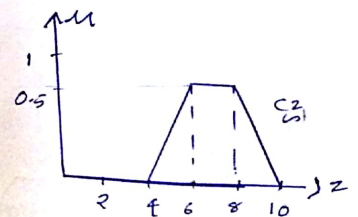
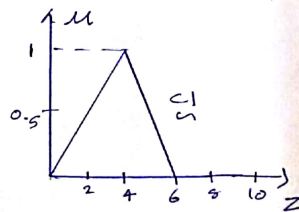
$$R_{0.9} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

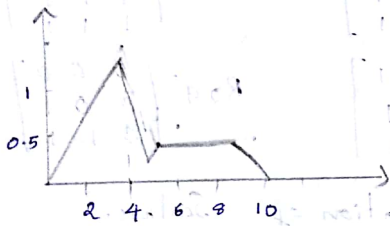
## Defuzzification of Scalars.

Defuzzification is the process of conversion of a fuzzy quantity into a precise quantity. The output of a fuzzy process may be union of 2 or more fuzzy membership function defined on the universe of discourse of the output variable. Consider a fuzzy output.

$$C_\lambda = C_1 \cup C_2$$

Here  $C_1$  is a triangular membership shape.  
 $C_2$  is a trapezoidal shape.

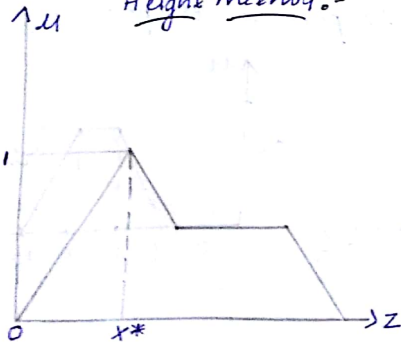




$$C_1 = \bigcup_{i=1}^n C_i = C$$

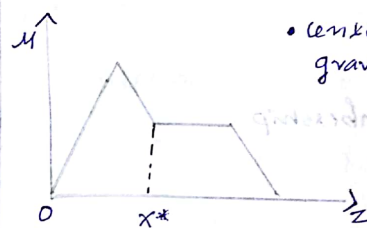
1. max-membership principle.
2. Centroid method
3. Weighted average method.
4. Min-max membership
5. Center of sums
6. Center of largest area.
7. First of maxima, last of maxima.

Height method:-



$$\mu_C(x^*) \geq \mu_C(x) \forall x \in X$$

Centroid method

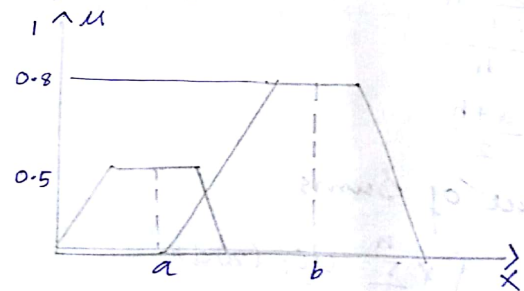


• center of mass / center of gravity / center of area.

$$x^* = \frac{\int \mu_C(x) \cdot x dx}{\int \mu_C(x) dx}$$

→ Algebraic integration

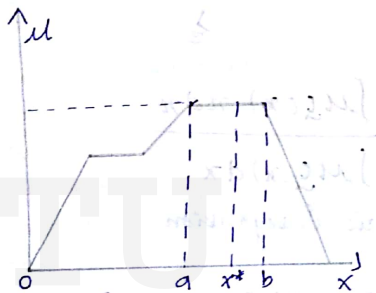
→ Weighted average method:-



$$x^* = \frac{\sum \mu_{C_i}(\bar{x}_i) \cdot \bar{x}_i}{\sum \mu_{C_i}(\bar{x}_i)}$$

$$x^* = \frac{0.8b + 0.5a}{0.8 + 0.5}$$

Max-Min membership.

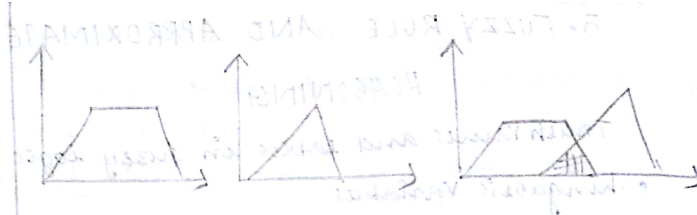


$$x^* = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x}_i}{n}$$

$$x^* = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

Center of Sums

$$x^* = \frac{\int x \sum_{i=1}^n \mu_{C_i}(x) dx}{\sum_{i=1}^n \int \mu_{C_i}(x) dx}$$



Center of largest area.

$$x^* = \frac{\int \mu_{C_i}(x) \cdot x dx}{\int \mu_{C_i}(x) dx}$$

