

## WEAK INJECTIVITY IN THE CATEGORY OF NORMAL FUZZY HYPERGROUPS

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ABSTRACT. Based on injectivity, we introduce some definitions in the category **NFHG** of normal fuzzy hypergroups. And we show that a complete normal fuzzy hypergroup is a weakly injective object in **NFHG**. Also we investigate weak injectivity in the comma category **NFHG**/ $K$ .

### 1. Introduction

Banaschewski [1] investigated injectivity in the category **B** with some properties and Cagliari [3] investigated injectivity in the comma category **C**/ $A$ . Also Sun [6] introduced some properties of the category of normal fuzzy hypergroups. In this paper, we introduce some definitions in **NFHG**. And we show that a complete normal fuzzy hypergroup is a weakly injective object in **NFHG**. Also we show that an object  $f : X \rightarrow K$  in **NFHG** / $K$  is a weakly injective object if and only if  $f^{-1}(k)$  is weakly injective in **NFHG** for all  $k \in K$  and  $\langle i, f \rangle$  has a left inverse in **NFHG**/ $K$ .

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## 2. Preliminaries

In this section, we state some definitions and properties which will serve as the basic tools for the arguments used to prove our results.

Let  $H$  be a nonempty set and  $F(H) = [0, 1]^H$  be the set of all fuzzy subset of  $H$  and  $F^*(H) = F(H) - \{\phi\}$ . A fuzzy hyperoperation on  $H$  is a mapping  $\star : H^2 \rightarrow F(H)$  and the couple  $(H, \star)$  is called a partial fuzzy hypergroupoid. If the fuzzy hyperoperation  $\star$  maps  $H^2$  into  $F^*(H)$ , then  $(H, \star)$  is called a fuzzy hypergroupoid.

**DEFINITION 2.1.** (1) A *fuzzy semihypergroup* is a a fuzzy hypergroupoid  $(H, \star)$  which satisfies the associative law.

(2) A *fuzzy quasihypergroup* is a a fuzzy hypergroupoid  $(H, \star)$  which satisfies the reproductive law.

(3) A *fuzzy hypergroup* is a fuzzy semihypergroup which is also a fuzzy quasihypergroup

(4) A *fuzzy subhypergroup*  $(A, \bullet)$  of a fuzzy hypergroup  $(B, \bullet)$  is a nonempty subset  $A \subseteq B$  such that for any  $a \in A$ ,  $a \bullet A = A = A \bullet a$ .

**DEFINITION 2.2.** A fuzzy hypergroup  $(H, \star)$  is said to be *normal* if it satisfies the following three conditions:

- (1)  $(x \star x)(x) = 1$  for all  $x \in H$ ;
- (2)  $x \star y = x \star x \cup y \star y$  for all  $x, y \in H$ ;
- (3)  $(x \star x)(z) \geq (x \star x)(y) \wedge (y \star y)(z)$  for all  $x, y, z \in H$ .

Let **NFHG** be a category, where objects are normal fuzzy hypergroups and a morphism from  $(H, \diamond)$  to  $(K, \star)$  is a mapping  $f : H \rightarrow K$  such that  $f(a \diamond b) \subseteq f(a) \star f(b)$ .

**DEFINITION 2.3.** Let  $(H, \star) \in \text{Ob}(\mathbf{NFHG})$ .  $a \in (H, \star)$  is called a *complete element* if  $x \star a = a \star x = H$  for all  $x \in H$ . And  $(H, \star)$  is called a *complete normal fuzzy hypergroup* if there is a complete element in  $(H, \star)$ .

**DEFINITION 2.4.**  $I \in \text{Ob}(\mathbf{NFHG})$  is said to be *weakly injective* if, for any monomorphism  $m : A \rightarrow B$  with  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$  and any morphism  $n : A \rightarrow I$ , there exists a morphism  $f : B \rightarrow I$  such that  $f \circ m = n$ .

### 3. Weak Injectivity

**THEOREM 3.1.** *A complete normal fuzzy hypergroup is weakly injective in **NFHG**.*

*Proof.* Let  $m : A \rightarrow B$  be a monomorphism such that  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$ . For any  $g : A \rightarrow C$  where  $C$  is a complete normal fuzzy hypergroup, there is a morphism  $h : B \rightarrow C$  where

$$h(b) = \begin{cases} g(a), b = m(a) \\ c, \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

with  $c$  is a complete element in  $C$ . Then  $h \circ m = g$ , that is, the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{m} & B \\ g \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ C & \xrightarrow{i} & C \end{array}$$

commutes, since  $h \circ m(a) = h(m(a)) = g(a)$ . And if  $p, q \in Im(m)$ , then we have that

$$\begin{aligned} h(p \circ q) &= h(m(u) \circ m(v)) = h(m(u \circ v)) = g(u \circ v) \\ &\subseteq g(u) \circ g(v) = h(m(u)) \circ h(m(v)) = h(p) \circ h(q). \end{aligned}$$

So we get  $h(p \circ q) \subseteq h(p) \circ h(q)$ .

Also, if  $p$  or  $q$  is not an element of  $Im(m)$ , that is,  $h(p) = c$  or  $h(q) = c$ , then we have that  $h(p) \circ h(q) = C$ . So we get  $h(p \circ q) \subseteq h(p) \circ h(q)$ .  $\square$

**COROLLARY 3.2.** **NFHG** has enough weakly injective objects.

*Proof.* Let  $A$  be a normal fuzzy hypergroup. Then  $A \cup \{c\}$ , where  $c$  is a complete element, is the weakly injective object in **NFHG**. And there is a monomorphism  $m : A \rightarrow (A \cup \{c\})$  such that  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$  by [5].  $\square$

**THEOREM 3.3.** *Let  $f : C \rightarrow K$  be an object such that  $f(a \circ b) = f(a) \circ f(b)$  in **NFHG**/ $K$ . Then  $f$  is weakly injective in **NFHG**/ $K$  if and only if every monomorphism  $m : C \rightarrow D$  such that  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$ , where  $g \circ m = f$  with  $g : D \rightarrow K$ , has a left inverse in **NFHG**/ $K$ .*

*Proof.* For sufficiency part, by given condition we get the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C & \xrightarrow{m} & D \\ i \downarrow & & \downarrow g \\ C & \xrightarrow[f]{} & K \end{array}$$

By hypothesis, there is a morphism  $n : D \rightarrow C$  such that  $n \circ m = i$  and  $f \circ n = g$ . Thus  $m : C \rightarrow D$  has a left inverse. For the necessary part, let  $s : X \rightarrow Y$  be a monomorphism such that  $s(a \circ b) = s(a) \circ s(b)$  where the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{s} & Y \\ g \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ C & \xrightarrow[f]{} & K \end{array}$$

commutes. Then  $f$  can be embedded into the weakly injective object  $\pi_K : (C \cup \{c\}) \times K \rightarrow K$  with a monomorphism  $\langle j, f \rangle : C \rightarrow (C \cup \{c\}) \times K$  where  $\langle j, f \rangle (a) = (a, f(a))$  by [2, 5]. That is, the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C & \xrightarrow{f} & K \\ \langle j, f \rangle \downarrow & & \downarrow i \\ (C \cup \{c\}) \times K & \xrightarrow[\pi_K]{} & K \end{array}$$

commutes. Since  $\pi_K$  is the weakly injective object, there is a morphism  $n : Y \rightarrow (C \cup \{c\}) \times K$  such that  $\pi_K \circ n = h$  and  $n \circ s = \langle j, f \rangle \circ g$ . Also by hypothesis, there is a morphism  $q : (C \cup \{c\}) \times K \rightarrow C$  such that  $f \circ q = \pi_K$  and  $q \circ \langle j, f \rangle = i$ . Now  $q \circ n : Y \rightarrow C$  is a morphism with  $f \circ (q \circ n) = \pi_K \circ n = h$  and  $(q \circ n) \circ s = q \circ (\langle j, f \rangle \circ g) = g$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 3.4.**  $f : X \rightarrow K$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$  if and only if the following two conditions are satisfied.

- (1)  $\langle i, f \rangle : X \rightarrow X \times K$  has a left inverse in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ .
- (2) the normal fuzzy subhypergroup  $f^{-1}(k) = \{x \in X \mid f(x) = k\}$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}$  for all  $k \in K$ .

*Proof.* For sufficiency part, since  $\langle i, f \rangle : X \rightarrow X \times K$ , where  $i : X \rightarrow X$  and  $f : X \rightarrow K$ , is a regular monomorphism by [3],  $\langle i, f \rangle$

is also a monomorphism. By the definition of the product, we get the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{\langle i, f \rangle} & X \times K \\
 i \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi_K \\
 X & \xrightarrow{f} & K
 \end{array}$$

By hypothesis, there is a morphism  $r : X \times K \rightarrow X$  such that  $r \circ \langle i, f \rangle = i$  and  $f \circ r = \pi_K$ . Thus  $\langle i, f \rangle : X \rightarrow X \times K$  has a left inverse in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ . Let  $m : C \rightarrow D$  be a monomorphism with  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$  and  $g : C \rightarrow f^{-1}(k)$  be a morphism where  $f : X \rightarrow K$ . Since  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$  is cartesian closed by [6], by adjunction, there is a morphism  $h : C \times K \rightarrow X$  such that  $f \circ h = \pi_K$ . So we get the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 C \times K & \xrightarrow{(m \times i)} & D \times K \\
 h \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi_K \\
 X & \xrightarrow{f} & K
 \end{array}$$

commutes. Since  $f : X \rightarrow K$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ , there is a morphism  $l : D \times K \rightarrow X$  such that  $l \circ (m \times i) = h$  and  $f \circ l = \pi_K$ . Thus by adjunction, there is a morphism  $n : D \rightarrow f^{-1}(k)$  such that  $n \circ m = g$ . That is, the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 C & \xrightarrow{m} & D \\
 g \downarrow & & \downarrow n \\
 f^{-1}(k) & \xrightarrow{i} & f^{-1}(k)
 \end{array}$$

commutes. So  $f^{-1}(k)$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}$ .

For the necessary part, since  $f^{-1}(k) \subseteq X$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}$ ,  $\pi_K : f^{-1}(k) \times K \rightarrow K$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ . So for any monomorphism  $m : C \rightarrow D$  with  $m(u \circ v) = m(u) \circ m(v)$ ,

$g : C \rightarrow f^{-1}(k) \times K$  and  $h : D \rightarrow K$  such that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C & \xrightarrow{m} & D \\ g \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ f^{-1}(k) \times K & \xrightarrow{\pi_K} & K \end{array}$$

commutes, there is a morphism  $n : D \rightarrow f^{-1}(k) \times K$  such that  $h \circ m \circ n = \pi_K \circ g$ ,  $n \circ m = g$  and  $\pi_K \circ n = h$ . Also for any morphism  $\langle i, f \rangle : X \rightarrow X \times K$ , there is a morphism  $s' : X \times K \rightarrow X$  such that  $s' \circ \langle i, f \rangle = i$ . Let  $s'_{|_{f^{-1}(k) \times K}} = s$ . So we get  $s \circ \langle i, f \rangle(x) = i(x)$  for all  $x \in f^{-1}(k)$ . That is,  $s(x, f(x)) = x$  for all  $x \in f^{-1}(k)$ . Thus  $f \circ s = \pi_K$ , since  $f \circ s(x, k) = f(x) = k = \pi_K(x, k)$  where  $x \in f^{-1}(k)$  and  $k \in K$ . To show that  $f : X \rightarrow K$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ , consider the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C & \xrightarrow{m} & D \\ s \circ g \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & K \end{array}$$

where  $m : C \rightarrow D$  is a monomorphism with  $m(u \circ v) = m(u) \circ m(v)$ ,  $s \circ g : C \rightarrow X$  and  $h : D \rightarrow K$ . Since  $f \circ s = \pi_K$  and  $\pi_K \circ g = h \circ m$ , we get  $f \circ s \circ g = h \circ m$ . Then there is a morphism  $s \circ n : D \rightarrow X$  such that  $s \circ n \circ m = s \circ g$  and  $f \circ s \circ n = h$ , since  $n \circ m = g$ ,  $f \circ s = \pi_K$  and  $\pi_K \circ n = h$ . Therefore  $f : X \rightarrow K$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ .  $\square$

**COROLLARY 3.5.** For  $f : C \rightarrow K$  such that  $f(a \circ b) = f(a) \circ f(b)$  in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ , the followings are equivalent.

- (1).  $f$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ .
- (2). Every monomorphism  $m : C \rightarrow D$  such that  $m(a \circ b) = m(a) \circ m(b)$ , where  $g \circ m = f$  with  $g : D \rightarrow K$ , has a left inverse in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$ .
- (3).  $\langle i, f \rangle : C \rightarrow C \times K$  has a left inverse in  $\mathbf{NFHG}/K$  and the normal fuzzy subhypergroup  $f^{-1}(k) = \{x \in C \mid f(x) = k\}$  is weakly injective in  $\mathbf{NFHG}$ .

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