

## $\alpha$ -e-Almost Compact Crisp Subsets of a Fuzzy Topological Space

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## Abstract

Fuzzy *e*-open set is introduced and studied in [8]. Using this concept as a basic tool, in this paper we introduce  $\alpha$ -*e*-almost compactness for crisp subsets of a topological space by using the concept of  $\alpha$ -shading initiated by Gantner et.al [12], a generalized version of fuzzy covering.  $\alpha$ -almost compactness is introduced in [13]. Here it is shown that  $\alpha$ -*e*-almost compactness implies  $\alpha$ -almost compactness [13], but not conversely. To achieve the converse here we introduce  $\alpha$ -*e*-regular space. We characterize  $\alpha$ -*e*-almost compactness via ordinary net and power set filterbases.

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## 1. Introduction

After introducing fuzzy cover and fuzzy compactness by Chang [10], many mathematicians have engaged themselves to introduce different types of compactness by using different types of fuzzy open-like sets. In 1978, Gantner et. al [12] introduced generalized version of fuzzy cover and named it  $\alpha$ -shading where  $0 < \alpha < 1$ . Using this concept as a basic tool, they also introduced  $\alpha$ -compactness of a crisp subset of a space X where the underlying structure on X is a fuzzy topology. Afterwards,  $\alpha$ -almost compactness [13],  $\alpha$ -S-closedness [3],  $\alpha$ -s-closedness [5],  $\alpha$ - $\delta_p$ -almost compactness [4],  $\alpha$ -p-almost compactness [6],  $\alpha$ - $\beta$ -almost compactness [7],  $\lambda$ - $\alpha$ almost compactness [9] are introduced and studied.