ON EXISTENCE OF CORE IMPUTATIONS IN SOME CLASSES OF FUZZY TU-COOPERATIVE GAMES¹.

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In the paper, we analyze so-called S-representation of fuzzy TU-cooperative game. By applying this representation we facilitate essentially investigation of the core imputation existence problem. Special attention is paid to the games with rather simple structure of their S-representation. In particular, some new analogs of superlinearity are obtained that provide nonemptyness of the core for the continuous homogeneous fuzzy games.

Introduced by the author, S-representation v^* of a fuzzy n-person TU-cooperative game $v: [0,1]^n \to \mathbf{R}$ is defined by the formula

$$v^*(\tau^*) := \sup\{v(t\tau^*)/t \mid t \in (0, 1/ \| \tau^* \|_{\infty}]\}, \quad \tau^* \in \mathcal{S},$$

with \mathcal{S} to be a standard simplex $\mathcal{S} := \{ \tau \in [0, 1]^n \mid \sum_{i=1}^n \tau_i = 1 \}$, and

$$\| \tau \|_{\infty} := \max \{ |\tau_i| \mid i = 1, \dots, n \} \quad \tau = (\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n) \in \mathbf{R}^n$$

(for more details, see [1,2]). One of the main results of the paper is the following criterium of nonemptyness of the core.

Theorem. Let v be a continuous and homogeneous fuzzy n-person TU-cooperative game. Then there exists a core imputation of this game if and only if for each $g \in \mathbf{R}^n$ such that $\sum_{i=1}^n g_i = 0$ and $\|g\|_{\infty} \leq 1/n$ it holds

$$v(c^*) \ge \frac{1}{2}[v(c^*+g) + v(c^*-g)],$$

with $c^* = (1/n, \dots, 1/n)$ to be a barycenter of S.

In conclusion, we apply the results obtained to the core imputation existence problem for several types of fuzzy cooperative games arising from concrete game-theoretic settings (airport games, linear production games, etc.)

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