

# Application of Bipolar Fuzzy Soft Set Using Moora Methods

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**Abstract:** *The main objective of this article is that the concept of a bipolar fuzzy soft set by using the Modified MOORA methods. We first proposed a new ranking procedure in MOORA methods and which applied in the bipolar fuzzy soft set. It is more effective for solving many decision making problems to find the ranking of alternatives. An illustrative example of the proposed approach is presented for the ranking of Pc and the comparative analysis of MOORA methods are also given.*

**Keywords:** *Soft Set, Fuzzy Soft Set, Bipolar fuzzy set, bipolar fuzzy soft set, MOORA Multimoora.*

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Lotfi A. Zadeh introduced Fuzzy sets in 1965 as an extension of the classical sets. In 1999, [11] Molodtsov developed the soft set theory and is a generalization of fuzzy set theory. Maji et al [11] described the concept of fuzzy soft sets. In decision making problems, some results of the application of fuzzy soft sets have given by Roy and Maji [11]. Several types of fuzzy extensions are vague sets, intuitionistic fuzzy sets, interval-valued fuzzy sets, etc; one of the main extensions of fuzzy sets is bipolar fuzzy set whose membership degree range is different from all the extensions. In the year 2000, Lee [10] introduced bipolar fuzzy set and its membership value lies between  $[-1,1]$ . In the year 2006, the MOORA method was first initiated by Brauers and Zavadskas.[3]. Brauers et al first proposed the MULTI-MOORA method in 2010 [4].

In this article, we introduced the combined concept of soft set and bipolar fuzzy set by using the extension of MOORA methods. We also illustrate a decision making problem of bipolar fuzzy soft set. The design of the article presents: preliminaries and examples are in section 2. In section 3, comparison between the ordinary MOORA methods and our proposed method is tabulated. In the next section, numeric example is solved. At the end of the article, we present the conclusion.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Soft Set [13]

A pair  $(F, E)$  is called a soft set (*over*  $U$ ) if and only if  $F$  is a mapping of  $E$  into the set of all subsets of the set  $U$ .

**Bipolar Fuzzy Set [1]**

A bipolar fuzzy soft set  $A$  in a universe  $U$  is an object having the form,  $A = \{(x, \mu_A^+(x), \mu_A^-(x)) : x \in U\}$  where  $\mu_A^+ : U \rightarrow [0,1]$ ,  $\mu_A^- : U \rightarrow [-1,0]$ . so  $\mu_A^+$  denote for positive information and  $\mu_A^-$  denote for negative information.

**Bipolar Fuzzy Soft Set [1]**

Let  $U$  be a universe,  $E$  a set of parameters and  $A \subset E$ . Define  $F : A \rightarrow BF^U$ , where  $BF^U$  the collection of all bipolar fuzzy subsets of  $U$  then  $(F, A)$  is said to be bipolar fuzzy soft set over a universe  $U$ . It is defined by

$$(F, A) = F(e_i)$$

$$F(e_i) = \{(c_i, \mu^+(c_i), \mu^-(c_i)) : \forall c_i \in U, \forall e_i \in A\}$$

**Example**

Let  $U = \{s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4\}$  be the set of schools and  $E = \{e_1 = CBSE, e_2 = Matriculation, e_3 = Government\}$ , parameters and  $A = \{e_1, e_3\} \subseteq E$ . Then,

$$(F, A) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} F(e_1) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (s_1, 0.7, -0.3), \\ (s_2, 0.2, -0.5), \\ (s_3, 0.1, -0.9), \\ (s_4, 0.6, -0.4) \end{array} \right\} \\ F(e_3) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (s_1, 0.4, -0.6), \\ (s_2, 0.8, -0.2), \\ (s_3, 0.6, -0.1), \\ (s_4, 0.2, -0.5) \end{array} \right\} \end{array} \right\}$$

**3. COMPARISON BETWEEN MOORA METHODS AND MODIFIED MOORA METHODS**

Three types of MOORA methods are (RS) Ratio system, (RPA) Reference Point Approach and (FMF) Full Multiplicative Form. At last, alternatives ranking are calculated by MULTI-MOORA depends on dominance theory.

MOORA Method	Modified MOORA Method
<p><b>3.1 Ratio System (RS) of MOORA Algorithm</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construct decision matrix</li> <li>Compute normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $x_{ij}^{\blacksquare} = \frac{x_{ij}}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij}^2}}$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Calculate weighted normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $u_{ij} = w_j x_{ij}^{\blacksquare}$ <p>Where <math>w_j</math> = the weight of <math>j^{th}</math> criterion.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Obtain final preference (<math>p_i^{\blacksquare}</math>) by using the equation</li> </ol>	<p><b>3.1 Ratio System (RS) of MOORA Algorithm</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construct decision matrix for the positive membership values.</li> <li>Compute normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $x_{ij}^{\blacksquare} = \frac{x_{ij}}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij}^2}}$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Calculate weighted normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $u_{ij} = w_j x_{ij}^{\blacksquare}$ <p>Where <math>w_j</math> = the weight of <math>j^{th}</math> criterion.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Obtain final preference (<math>p_i^{\blacksquare}</math>) by using the equation</li> </ol>

$p_i^{\blacksquare} = \sum_{j=1}^g u_{ij} - \sum_{j=g+1}^n u_{ij}$ <p>Here <math>j = 1</math> to <math>g</math> indicates the Maximized criteria and <math>j = g + 1</math> to <math>n</math> Indicates minimized criteria.</p> <p>5. Obtain the ranking of alternatives.</p>	$p_i^{\blacksquare} = \sum_{j=1}^g u_{ij} - \sum_{j=g+1}^n u_{ij}$ <p>Here <math>j = 1</math> to <math>g</math> indicates the Maximized criteria and <math>j = g + 1</math> to <math>n</math> Indicates minimized criteria.</p> <p>5. The above four steps are repeated for the negative membership values and its final preference values can be denoted by <math>p_i^{\blacksquare\blacksquare}</math></p> <p>6. Obtain final score and ranking of alternatives by</p> $p = p_i^{\blacksquare} - p_i^{\blacksquare\blacksquare}.$
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<p><b>3.2 The Reference Point Approach of MOORA(RPA)</b></p> <p><b>Algorithm</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Construct decision matrix.</li> <li>2. Compute normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $x_{ij}^{\blacksquare} = \frac{x_{ij}}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij}^2}}$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Calculate weighted normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $u_{ij} = w_j x_{ij}^{\blacksquare}$ <p>Where <math>w_j</math> = the weight of <math>j^{th}</math> criterion.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Find reference points (<math>r_j^{\blacksquare}</math>) for each criteria and it can be determined by choosing maximum value for maximization criteria whereas minimum value for minimization criteria.</li> <li>5. Calculate distance between the reference points and alternatives are calculated by subtracting reference point value from <math>u_{ij}</math> values for minimization criteria and for maximization criteria, subtracting <math>u_{ij}</math> values from the reference point values. It can be denoted by <math>d_i^{\blacksquare}</math>.</li> <li>6. Obtain the ranking of alternatives.</li> </ol>	<p><b>3.2 The Reference Point Approach of MOORA(RPA)</b></p> <p><b>Algorithm</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Construct decision matrix for positive membership values.</li> <li>2. Compute normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $x_{ij}^{\blacksquare} = \frac{x_{ij}}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij}^2}}$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Calculate weighted normalized decision matrix by using the equation</li> </ol> $u_{ij} = w_j x_{ij}^{\blacksquare}$ <p>Where <math>w_j</math> = the weight of <math>j^{th}</math> criterion.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Find reference points (<math>d_j^{\blacksquare}</math>) for each criteria and it can be determined by choosing maximum value for maximization criteria whereas minimum value for minimization criteria.</li> <li>5. Calculate distance between the reference points and alternatives are calculated by subtracting reference point value from <math>u_{ij}</math> values for minimization criteria and for maximization criteria, subtracting <math>u_{ij}</math> values from the reference point values.</li> <li>6. The above five steps are repeated for the negative membership values also.</li> <li>7. Obtain final score and ranking of alternatives by <math>d = d_i^{\blacksquare} - d_i^{\blacksquare\blacksquare}</math>.</li> </ol>

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<p><b>3.3 Full Multiplicative Form of MOORA</b> <b>Algorithm(FMF)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Construct the decision matrix.</li> <li>2. Find multiplicative ranking index <math>Z_i</math> for each alternative by <math>Z_i = \frac{P_i}{Q_i}</math>, where             <math display="block">P_i = \prod_{j=1}^g x_{ij}^{w_j}</math>             for maximization criteria and for the minimization criteria,             <math display="block">Q_i = \prod_{j=g+1}^n x_{ij}^{w_j}</math> </li> <li>3. Obtain alternatives rank.</li> </ol>	<p><b>3.3 Full Multiplicative Form of MOORA</b> <b>Algorithm (FMF)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Construct the decision matrix for positive membership values.</li> <li>2. Find multiplicative ranking index <math>Z_i^{\blacksquare}</math> for every alternative by <math>Z_i^{\blacksquare} = \frac{P_i}{Q_i}</math>, where             <math display="block">P_i = \prod_{j=1}^g x_{ij}^{w_j}</math>             for maximization criteria and for the minimization criteria,             <math display="block">Q_i = \prod_{j=g+1}^n x_{ij}^{w_j}</math> </li> <li>3. The above two steps are repeated for the negative membership values also.</li> <li>4. Obtain the ranking of alternatives by <math>z = Z_i^{\blacksquare} - Z_i^{\blacksquare\blacksquare}</math>.</li> </ol>
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#### 4. NUMERICAL EXAMPLE

The idea of bipolar fuzzy soft set can be used numerously for evaluating many decision making problems. Let the universe  $U = \{p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5\}$  be five Pc, specifications of Pc's are  $S = \{s_1 = \text{processor speed}, s_2 = \text{RAM}, s_3 = \text{ROM}, s_4 = \text{hard disk}, s_5 = \text{model}\}$  be the parameters. Out of these parameters, let  $s_2, s_3, s_4$  be the beneficial criteria and  $s_1$  and  $s_5$  be the non-beneficial criteria. Our aim is to calculate the ranking of Pc's by using bipolar fuzzy soft set using modified MOORA methods. The final ranking is calculated by MULTI-MOORA depends on dominance theory. Let

$$(F, A) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} F(S_1) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (P_1, 0.3, -0.6) \\ (P_2, 0.5, -0.1) \\ (P_3, 0.2, -0.4) \\ (P_4, 0.8, -0.9) \\ (P_5, 0.6, -0.1) \end{array} \right\} \\ F(S_2) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (P_1, 0.5, -0.2) \\ (P_2, 0.6, -0.8) \\ (P_3, 0.1, -0.6) \\ (P_4, 0.7, -0.4) \\ (P_5, 0.3, -0.7) \end{array} \right\} \\ F(S_3) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (P_1, 0.6, -0.3) \\ (P_2, 0.5, -0.7) \\ (P_3, 0.2, -0.7) \\ (P_4, 0.6, -0.3) \\ (P_5, 0.4, -0.2) \end{array} \right\} \\ F(S_4) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (P_1, 0.8, -0.5) \\ (P_2, 0.9, -0.9) \\ (P_3, 0.5, -0.4) \\ (P_4, 0.8, -0.1) \\ (P_5, 0.6, -0.3) \end{array} \right\} \\ F(S_5) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (P_1, 0.1, -0.6) \\ (P_2, 0.2, -0.8) \\ (P_3, 0.6, -0.5) \\ (P_4, 0.4, -0.1) \\ (P_5, 0.7, -0.4) \end{array} \right\} \end{array} \right.$$

RS of MOORA

Table 1: Decision Matrix for Positive Information System

Alternatives	min	max	Max	max	min
	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
$P_1$	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.6
$P_2$	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.7	0.3
$P_3$	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.4
$P_4$	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.6
$P_5$	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.7

Table 2: Normalized Decision Matrix

Alternatives	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
$P_1$	0.258	0.385	0.239	0.529	0.497
$P_2$	0.430	0.461	0.119	0.463	0.248
$P_3$	0.516	0.385	0.239	0.397	0.331
$P_4$	0.688	0.692	0.597	0.529	0.497
$P_5$	0.086	0.154	0.717	0.264	0.579

Table 3: Weights of Criteria

Criteria	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
Weights	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2

Table 4: Weighted Normalized Decision Matrix and Final Preference  $p_i^*$

Alternatives	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	$p_i^*$
$P_1$	0.051	0.116	0.048	0.052	0.099	0.066
$P_2$	0.086	0.138	0.024	0.046	0.050	0.072
$P_3$	0.103	0.116	0.048	0.039	0.066	0.034
$P_4$	0.137	0.208	0.119	0.053	0.099	0.114
$P_5$	0.017	0.046	0.143	0.026	0.116	0.082

Table 5: Decision Matrix for Negative Information System

	Min	max	max	max	min
Alternatives	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
$P_1$	- 0.6	- 0.1	- 0.4	- 0.9	- 0.1
$P_2$	- 0.2	- 0.8	- 0.6	- 0.4	- 0.7
$P_3$	- 0.3	- 0.7	- 0.7	- 0.3	- 0.2
$P_4$	- 0.5	- 0.9	- 0.4	- 0.1	- 0.3
$P_5$	- 0.6	- 0.9	- 0.5	- 0.1	- 0.4

Table 6: Normalized Decision Matrix

Alternatives	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
$P_1$	- 0.572	- 0.062	- 0.336	- 0.870	- 0.112
$P_2$	- 0.191	- 0.497	- 0.503	- 0.387	- 0.787
$P_3$	- 0.286	- 0.435	- 0.587	- 0.290	- 0.225
$P_4$	- 0.477	- 0.559	- 0.336	- 0.097	- 0.337
$P_5$	- 0.572	- 0.497	- 0.419	- 0.097	- 0.450

Table 7: Weights of Criteria

Criteria	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$
Weights	0.15	0.2	0.3	0.15	0.2

Table 8: Weighted Normalized Decision Matrix and Final Preference

Alternatives	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	$p$
$P_1$	- 0.086	- 0.012	- 0.101	- 0.131	- 0.022	0.201
$P_2$	- 0.029	- 0.099	- 0.151	- 0.058	- 0.157	0.194
$P_3$	- 0.043	- 0.087	- 0.176	- 0.044	- 0.045	0.253
$P_4$	- 0.072	- 0.112	- 0.101	- 0.015	- 0.067	0.203
$P_5$	- 0.086	- 0.099	- 0.126	- 0.015	- 0.009	0.227

The ranking of alternatives,  $P_4 > P_5 > P_1 > P_3 > P_2$  .

RPA of MOORA

Table 9: Weighted Normalized Decision Matrix and Final Preference  $d_i^{\square}$  for Positive Information System

Alternative	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	$d_i^{\square}$
$P_1$	0.034	0.092	0.095	0.001	0.049	0.095
$P_2$	0.069	0.070	0.119	0.007	0.000	0.119
$P_3$	0.086	0.092	0.095	0.014	0.016	0.095
$P_4$	0.129	0.000	0.204	0.000	0.049	0.129
$P_5$	0.000	0.162	0.000	0.027	0.066	0.162
	0.017	0.208	0.143	0.053	0.050	

Table 10: Weighted Normalized Decision Matrix and Final Preference for Negative Information System

Alternative	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	$d$
$P_1$	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.116	0.135	0.095
$P_2$	0.057	0.087	0.050	0.043	0.000	0.119
$P_3$	0.043	0.075	0.075	0.029	0.112	0.095
$P_4$	0.014	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.090	0.129
$P_5$	0.000	0.087	0.025	0.000	0.148	0.162
	- 0.086	- 0.012	- 0.101	- 0.015	- 0.157	

The ranking of the alternatives,  $P_4 > P_1 > P_5 > P_2 > P_3$  .

FMF of MOORA

Table 11: Multiplicative Ranking Index  $Z_i^{\square}$  for Positive Information System

Alternative	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	$Z_i^{\square}$
$P_1$	0.786	0.812	0.725	0.978	0.903	0.811
$P_2$	0.871	0.858	0.631	0.945	0.786	0.747
$P_3$	0.903	0.812	0.725	0.950	0.833	0.743
$P_4$	0.956	0.969	0.871	0.978	0.903	0.956
$P_5$	0.631	0.617	0.903	0.912	0.931	0.865

Table 12: Multiplicative Ranking Index z for Negative Information System

Alternative	$s_1$	$s_2$	$s_3$	$s_4$	$s_5$	z
$P_1$	- 0.926	- 0.631	- 0.760	- 0.984	- 0.631	0.003
$P_2$	- 0.786	- 0.956	- 0.858	- 0.872	- 0.931	- 0.230
$P_3$	- 0.835	- 0.931	- 0.899	- 0.835	- 0.725	- 0.412
$P_4$	- 0.901	- 0.979	- 0.760	- 0.015	- 0.786	0.940
$P_5$	- 0.926	- 0.956	- 0.812	- 0.015	- 0.833	0.849

The ranking of the alternatives,  $P_3 > P_4 > P_5 > P_1 > P_2$  .

Table 13: MULTI-MOORA Ranking Order

RA OF MOORA	RPA OF MOORA	FMF OF MOORA	MM METHOD
$P_4$	$P_4$	$P_3$	$P_4$
$P_5$	$P_1$	$P_4$	$P_1$
$P_1$	$P_5$	$P_5$	$P_5$
$P_3$	$P_2$	$P_1$	$P_3$
$P_2$	$P_3$	$P_2$	$P_2$

## 5. CONCLUSION

In this article, we proposed the combination of bipolar fuzzy soft set and soft using Modified MULTI-MOORA method. Also, we give an application by choosing the best  $P_c$  among the rest using Modified MULTI-MOORA method. This method is very effective and useful for many researchers in decision making problems.

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