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ABSTRACT

S. M. Ulam once addressed the problem ‘when is it true that a mathematical object satisfying a certain property approximately must be close to an object satisfying the property exactly?’. This problem was solved by D. H. Hyers in 1941 using the functional equation and thereafter numerous research papers and monographs have been published for various types of functional equations in different spaces. The solution proposed by D. H. Hyers (1941) later developed into the famous generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of functional equations. In this paper, we intend to attain the general solution to a new mixed type functional equation and interrogate the generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability in fuzzy normed spaces. Also, we seek to provide its application for generating secret keys in client-server environment.

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1. Introduction

The stability of following functional equations

$$h(t_1 + t_2) = h(t_1) + h(t_2),$$

$$f(mt_1 + nt_2) + f(mt_1 - nt_2) = 2m^2f(t_1) + 2n^2f(t_2),$$

for nonzero real numbers m, n with $m \neq \pm 1$ using fuzzy concepts has been investigated in Mirmostafae and Moslehian (2008) and Lee et al. (2010), respectively. The following mixed type functional equations

$$g(2t_1 + t_2) + g(2t_1 - t_2) = g(t_1 + t_2) + g(t_1 - t_2) + 2g(2t_1) - 2g(t_1)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} g(-t_1) + g(2t_1 - t_2) + g(2t_2) + g(t_1 + t_2) - g(-t_1 + t_2) \\ - g(t_1 - t_2) - g(-t_1 - t_2) = 3g(t_1) + 3g(t_2), \end{aligned}$$

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have been established in Gordji, Ghobadipour, and Rassias (2009) and Ravi, Rassias, and Narasimman (2010), respectively.

Recently, Ravi and Kodandan Ravi and Kodandan (2010) obtained the stability of the functional equation

$$g\left(\frac{t_1 t_3}{t_2} + \frac{t_2 t_4}{t_1}\right) + g\left(\frac{t_1 t_3}{t_2} - \frac{t_2 t_4}{t_1}\right) = g\left(\frac{t_2 t_4}{t_1}\right) + 2g\left(\frac{t_1 t_3}{t_2}\right) + g\left(\frac{-t_2 t_4}{t_1}\right),$$

where $t_1, t_2 \neq 0$ in Non-Archimedean spaces.

In 2016, Wongkum and Kumam (2016) proved the stability of sextic functional equations by using the fixed point technique in the framework of fuzzy modular spaces with the lower semi continuous (briefly, l.s.c.) and β -homogeneous conditions.

In 2018, Nazarianpoor, Rassias, and Sadeghi (2018) investigated the general solution and the generalized Hyers-Ulam stability of a new functional equation satisfied by $f(x) = x^{24}$, which is called the quattuorvigintic functional equation in intuitionistic fuzzy normed spaces by using the fixed point method.

In 2019, Kumar and Dutta (2019) investigated the solution and various stabilities of a rational functional equation involving two variables by means of fixed point tactic in the vicinity of Felbin's type fuzzy normed spaces with real-time examples.

For the generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability, one can refer to Gavruta (1994); Rassias (1982, 1978); Ulam (1960).

Definition 1.1: Let X be a real linear space. A function $N : X \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is said to be fuzzy norm on X if for all $x, y \in X$ and all $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$:

- $N(x, c) = 0$ for $c \leq 0$;
- $x = 0$ if and only if $N(x, c) = 1$ for all $c > 0$;
- $N(cx, t) = N(x, \frac{t}{|c|})$ if $c \neq 0$;
- $N(x + y, s + t) \geq \min\{N(x, s), N(y, t)\}$;
- $N(x, \cdot)$ is a non-decreasing function on \mathbb{R} and $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} N(x, t) = 1$;
- For $x \neq 0$, $N(x, \cdot)$ is (upper semi) continuous on \mathbb{R} .

The pair (X, N) is called a fuzzy normed linear space. One may regard $N(x, t)$ as the truth value of the statement 'the norm of x is less than or equal to the real number t '.

The readers are expected to be familiar with examples of fuzzy norm (Bag and Samanta 2003) and fuzzy normed space.

In this work, we examine the general solution in Section 2, thrash out the generalized Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability in Section 3 for a new mixed type functional equation

$$\begin{aligned} &h\left(-\frac{tv}{u}\right) + h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(2\frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) \\ &- h\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 3h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + 3h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

for all $t \neq 0, u \neq 0, v, w \in R$ in normed spaces using the fuzzy concept. We provide the application of functional equation (1) in Section 4 and conclusion in Section 5.

2. The general solution of the functional equation (1)

In this section, we reveal the general solution of (1) and let T and U be linear spaces.

Lemma 2.1: *A mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ is additive if and only if h is odd and satisfies the functional equation with $h(0) = 0$*

$$h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + 2h\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 4h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \quad (2)$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$.

Proof: Pretend that h is additive, then take up the classic additive functional equation

$$h(t + u) = h(t) + h(u), \quad (3)$$

true for all $t, u \in T$. By insert $t = u = 0$ in (3), we look at $h(0) = 0$, and replacing (t, u) by (t, t) in (3), we attain

$$h(2t) = 2h(t), \quad (4)$$

for all $t \in T$. Letting $(t, u) = (t, 2t)$ in (3) and using (4), we get

$$h(3t) = 3h(t), \quad (5)$$

for all $t \in T$. Assuming $(t, u) = (t, -t)$ in (3), we get

$$h(-t) = -h(t),$$

for all $t \in T$. whence, h is odd. By $(t, u) = (2(tv/u), -uw/t)$ in (3), we arrive

$$h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 2h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) - h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \quad (6)$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$. Putting $(t, u) = (tv/u, uw/t)$ in (3) and multiply by 2, we arrive

$$2h\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 2h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + 2h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \quad (7)$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$. Adding (6) and (7), we turn up (2).

Conversely, suppose that h is odd and satisfying the functional equation (2) with $h(0) = 0$.

Changing (t, u, v, w) into (t, t, v, v) and $(t, t, v, 2v)$ in (2), we get

$$h(2t) = 2h(t) \quad \text{and} \quad h(3t) = 3h(t), \quad (8)$$

respectively, for all $t \in T$. Setting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, -2w)$ in (2) and employing (8), we obtain

$$2h(v + w) + 2h(v - 2w) = 4h(v) - 2h(w), \quad (9)$$

for all $v, w \in T$. Replacing v by w and w by v in (9), we obtain

$$2h(v + w) - 2h(2v - w) = 4h(w) - 2h(v), \quad (10)$$

for all $v, w \in T$. Letting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, w)$ in (2) and multiplying the resultant by 2, we get

$$2h(2v - w) + 4h(v + w) = 8h(v) + 2h(w), \quad (11)$$

for all $v, w \in T$. Adding (10) and (11), we arrive (3) and in consequence h is additive function. ■

Lemma 2.2: *A mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ is quadratic if and only if h is even and satisfies the functional equation with $h(0) = 0$*

$$h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - 2h\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 2h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) - h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \quad (12)$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$.

Proof: Surmise that h is quadratic, then the popular quadratic functional equation

$$h(t + u) + h(t - u) = 2h(t) + 2h(u), \quad (13)$$

holds for all $t, u \in T$. By $t = u = 0$ in (13), we get $h(0) = 0$, and setting $(t, u) = (0, t)$ in (13), we arrive $h(-t) = h(t)$ accordingly h is even. Setting $(t, u) = (t, t)$ and $(t, u) = (t, t - u)$ in (13), we arrive $h(2t) = 4h(t)$ and

$$h(2t - u) - 2h(t - u) = 2h(t) - h(u), \quad (14)$$

for all $t \in T$, respectively. Substituting $(t, u) = (tv/u, uw/t)$ in (14), we obtain (12).

Take h is even and satisfies the functional equation (12) with $h(0) = 0$. Setting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, 2v)$ in (12), we obtain

$$h(2t) = 4h(t), \quad (15)$$

for all $t \in T$. Setting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, 3v)$ in (12) and applying (15), we arrive

$$h(3t) = 9h(t), \quad (16)$$

for all $t \in T$. By $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, v - w)$ in (12), we arrive (13) in consequence h is a quadratic function.

With the use of Lemmas 2.1 and 2.2, we will forthwith prove our main results. ■

Theorem 2.3: A mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ satisfies the functional equation (1) if and only if there exist additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ with $F(0) = 0$ and quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ with $G(0) = 0$ such that $h(t) = F(t) + G(t)$ for all $t \in T$.

Proof: Ascertain the mappings by $F, G : T \rightarrow U$

$$F(t) = \frac{1}{2} [h(t) - h(-t)] \quad (17)$$

and

$$G(t) = \frac{1}{2} [h(t) + h(-t)], \quad (18)$$

for all $t \in T$, respectively. Then, letting t by $-t$ in (17) and (18), we arrive

$$F(-t) = -F(t) \quad \text{and} \quad G(-t) = G(t), \quad (19)$$

for all $t \in T$. Practicing the values of $F(t)$ and $G(t)$ and assigning Equation (1), we obtain the following equations:

$$\begin{aligned} & F\left(-\frac{tv}{u}\right) + F\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + F\left(2\frac{uw}{t}\right) + F\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) - F\left(-\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) \\ & - F\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - F\left(-\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 3F\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + 3F\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & G\left(-\frac{tv}{u}\right) + G\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + G\left(2\frac{uw}{t}\right) + G\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) - G\left(-\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) \\ & - G\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - G\left(-\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 3G\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + 3G\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right), \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

for all $t, u \in T$. Setting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, 0)$ in (20), we obtain $F(2t) = 2F(t)$ for all $t \in T$. Hence, Equation (20) is of the form

$$F\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + 2F\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 4F\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) + F\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right)$$

and by Lemma 2.1, F is additive. By setting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, 0)$ in (21), we obtain $G(2t) = 4G(t)$ for all $t \in T$. Hence, Equation (21) is of the form

$$G\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - 2G\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) = 2G\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) - G\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right)$$

and by Lemma 2.2, G is quadratic. Thus, if $h : T \rightarrow U$ satisfies Equation (1), then we have $h(t) = F(t) + G(t)$ for all $t \in T$. Suppose that there exist a additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ and a quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ with $F(0) = 0$ and $G(0) = 0$ such that $h(t) = F(t) + G(t)$ for all $t \in T$. Then, by Lemmas 2.1, 2.2 and Equation (19), we arrive

$$\begin{aligned} & h\left(-\frac{tv}{u}\right) + h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(2\frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) \\ & - h\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - 3h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) - 3h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right) = 0, \end{aligned}$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$. ■

3. Stability of the functional equation (1)

All through this section, consider T , (V, S') and (U, S) are linear space, fuzzy normed space and fuzzy Banach space, respectively. For appropriateness, we follow the abbreviation for a given mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$:

$$E_h(t, u, v, w) = h\left(-\frac{tv}{u}\right) + h\left(\frac{2tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(2\frac{uw}{t}\right) + h\left(\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) \\ - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} + \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - h\left(-\frac{tv}{u} - \frac{uw}{t}\right) - 3h\left(\frac{tv}{u}\right) - 3h\left(\frac{uw}{t}\right),$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$. We now interrogate the generalized Hyers–Ulam–Rassias stability for (1).

Theorem 3.1: Let $\eta \in \{1, -1\}$ be fixed and let $\phi_1 : T \times T \rightarrow V$ be a mapping such that for some $\kappa > 0$ with $(\kappa/4)^\eta < 1$

$$S'(\phi_1(2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t), a) \geq S'(\kappa^\eta \phi_1(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (22)$$

for all $t \in T$, $a > 0$ and

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} S'(\phi_1(2^{\eta s} t, 2^{\eta s} u, 2^{\eta s} v, 2^{\eta s} w), 4^{\eta s} a) = 1,$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Pretend that an even mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfies the inequality

$$S(E_h(t, u, v, w), a) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, u, v, w), a), \quad (23)$$

for all $a > 0$ and all $t, u, v, w \in T$. Then the limit

$$G(t) = S - \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{4^{\eta s}} h(2^{\eta s} t)$$

exists for all $t \in T$ and the mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ is the unique quadratic mapping satisfying

$$S(h(t) - G(t), a) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a |4 - \kappa|), \quad (24)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$.

Proof: Let $\eta = 1$. Letting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, v)$ in (23) and in the resultant replacing v by t , we get

$$S(h(2t) - 4h(t), a) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (25)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Replacing t by $2^s t$ in (25), we obtain

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+1}t)}{4} - h(2^s t), \frac{a}{4}\right) \geq S'(\phi_1(2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t), a), \quad (26)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Using (22), we get

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+1}t)}{4} - h(2^s t), \frac{a}{4}\right) \geq S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{a}{\kappa^s}\right), \quad (27)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Replacing a by $a\kappa^s$ in (27), we get

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+1}t)}{4^{s+1}} - \frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s}, \frac{a\kappa^s}{4(4^s)}\right) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (28)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. It follows from

$$\frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s} - h(t) = \sum_{i=0}^{s-1} \frac{h(2^{i+1}t)}{4^{i+1}} - \frac{h(2^i t)}{4^i}$$

and (28) that

$$\begin{aligned} & S\left(\frac{f(2^s t)}{4^s} - h(t), \sum_{i=0}^{s-1} \frac{a\kappa^i}{4(4^i)}\right) \\ & \geq \min \left\{ S\left(\frac{h(2^{i+1}t)}{4^{i+1}} - \frac{h(2^i t)}{4^i}, \frac{a\kappa^i}{4(4^i)}\right) : i = 0, 1, \dots, s-1 \right\} \\ & \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a), \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Replacing t by $2^c t$ in (29), we get

$$\begin{aligned} S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+c}t)}{4^{s+c}} - \frac{h(2^c t)}{4^c}, \sum_{i=0}^{s-1} \frac{a\kappa^i}{4(4^i)(4^c)}\right) & \geq S'(\phi_1(2^c t, 2^c t, 2^c t, 2^c t), a) \\ & \geq S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{a}{\kappa^c}\right) \end{aligned}$$

and so

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+c}t)}{4^{s+c}} - \frac{h(2^c t)}{4^c}, \sum_{i=c}^{s+c-1} \frac{a\kappa^i}{4(4^i)}\right) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (30)$$

for all $t \in T$, $a > 0$ and all $c, s \geq 0$. Replacing a by $a/\sum_{i=c}^{s+c-1} \kappa^i/4(4^i)$, we obtain

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+c}t)}{4^{s+c}} - \frac{h(2^c t)}{4^c}, a\right) \geq S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{a}{\sum_{i=c}^{s+c-1} \frac{\kappa^i}{4(4^i)}}\right), \quad (31)$$

for all $t \in T$, $a > 0$ and all $c, s \geq 0$. Since $0 < \kappa < 4$ and $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (\kappa/4)^i < \infty$, the Cauchy criterion for convergence and (N_5) imply that $\{h(2^s t)/4^s\}$ is a Cauchy sequence in (U, S) . Since (U, S) is a fuzzy Banach space, this sequence converges to some point $G(t) \in U$. Define the

mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ by

$$G(t) := S - \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s},$$

for all $t \in T$. Since h is even, G is even. Letting $c = 0$ in (31), we get

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s} - h(t), a\right) \geq S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{a}{\sum_{i=0}^{s-1} \frac{\kappa^i}{4(4^i)}}\right), \quad (32)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Taking the limit as $s \rightarrow \infty$ and using (N_6) , we get

$$S(h(t) - G(t), a) \geq S'(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), a(4 - \kappa)),$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Now, we claim that G is quadratic. Replacing (t, u, v, w) by $(2^s t, 2^s u, 2^s v, 2^s w)$ in (23), we get

$$S\left(\frac{1}{4^s} E_h(2^s t, 2^s u, 2^s v, 2^s w), a\right) \geq S'(\phi_1(2^s t, 2^s u, 2^s v, 2^s w), 4^s a), \quad (33)$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Since

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} S'(\phi_1(2^s t, 2^s u, 2^s v, 2^s w), 4^s a) = 1,$$

G satisfies the functional equation (1). Hence, $G : T \rightarrow U$ is quadratic. To prove the uniqueness of G , Let $G' : T \rightarrow U$ be another quadratic mapping satisfying (24). Fix $t \in T$, clearly $G(2^s t) = 4^s G(t)$ and $G'(2^s t) = 4^s G'(t)$ for all $t \in T$ and all $s \in S$. It follows from (24) that

$$\begin{aligned} & S(G(t) - G'(t), a) \\ &= S\left(\frac{G(2^s t)}{4^s} - \frac{G'(2^s t)}{4^s}, a\right) \\ &\geq \min\left\{S\left(\frac{G(2^s t)}{4^s} - \frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s}, \frac{a}{2}\right), S\left(\frac{h(2^s t)}{4^s} - \frac{G'(2^s t)}{4^s}, \frac{a}{2}\right)\right\} \\ &\geq S'\left(\phi_1(2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t), \frac{4^s a(4 - \kappa)}{2}\right) \\ &\geq S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{4^s a(4 - \kappa)}{2\kappa^s}\right), \end{aligned}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Since $\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} 4^s a(4 - \kappa)/2\kappa^s = \infty$, we obtain

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} S'\left(\phi_1(t, t, t, t), \frac{4^s a(4 - \kappa)}{2\kappa^s}\right) = 1.$$

Thus, $S(G(t) - G'(t), a) = 1$ for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$, and so $G(t) = G'(t)$. For $\eta = -1$, we can prove the result by a similar method. ■

Generalized Hyers–Ulam, Ulam–Gavruta–Rassias and J. M. Rassias stabilities of functional equation (1) are obtained in the following Corollaries 3.2, 3.5 and 3.7 from Theorems 3.1, 3.4 and 3.6, respectively.

Corollary 3.2: Consider an even mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfying all the conditions in Theorem 3.1. Then, there exists quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ satisfying

$$S(h(t) - G(t), a) = \begin{cases} S' \left(\frac{4\gamma}{|4 - 2^\alpha|} \|t\|^\alpha, a \right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < 2 \text{ or } \alpha > 2; \\ S' \left(\frac{\gamma}{|4 - 2^{4\alpha}|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a \right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{2}; \\ S' \left(\frac{5\gamma}{|4 - 2^{4\alpha}|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a \right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{2}, \end{cases} \quad (34)$$

for all $t \in T$ and $a, \gamma > 0$.

Proof: We prove this corollary, using Theorem 3.1 by replacing $\phi_1(t, u, v, w) = \gamma(\|t\|^\alpha + \|u\|^\alpha + \|v\|^\alpha + \|w\|^\alpha)$, $\gamma(\|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$ and $\gamma(\|t\|^{4\alpha} + \|u\|^{4\alpha} + \|v\|^{4\alpha} + \|w\|^{4\alpha} + \|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$, respectively. ■

Example 3.3: Let T be a Banach space and $h : T \rightarrow U$ be an even mapping with $h(0) = 0$ satisfies the inequality (23) and the mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ is the unique quadratic mapping. In Theorem 3.1, put

$$(h(t), \phi_1(t, u, v, w)) = \begin{cases} \mu(t + t^2) + v\|t\|^\alpha t_0, \\ \gamma(\|t\|^\alpha + \|u\|^\alpha + \|v\|^\alpha + \|w\|^\alpha); \\ \mu(t + t^2) + v\|t\|^{4\alpha} t_0, \\ \gamma(\|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha); \\ \mu(t + t^2) + v\|t\|^{4\alpha} t_0, \\ \gamma(\|t\|^{4\alpha} + \|u\|^{4\alpha} + \|v\|^{4\alpha} + \|w\|^{4\alpha} \\ + \|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha), \end{cases}$$

for all $t, t_0 \in T$ and $\mu, v \in R$ and in the resultant replacing (t, u, v, w) by (t, t, t, t) , then the equation (34) of corollary 3.2 is satisfied.

Theorem 3.4: Let $\eta \in \{1, -1\}$ be fixed and let $\phi_2 : T \times T \rightarrow V$ be a mapping such that for some $\kappa > 0$ with $(\frac{\kappa}{2})^\eta < 1$

$$S'(\phi_2(2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t), a) \geq S'(\kappa^\eta \phi_2(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (35)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$, and

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} S'(\phi_2(2^{\eta s} t, 2^{\eta s} u, 2^{\eta s} v, 2^{\eta s} w), 2^{\eta s} a) = 1,$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Suppose that an odd mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfies the inequality

$$S(E_h(t, u, v, w), a) \geq S'(\phi_2(t, u, v, w), a), \tag{36}$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Then the limit

$$F(t) = S - \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^{\eta s}} h(2^{\eta s} t)$$

exists for all $t \in T$ and the mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ is the unique additive mapping satisfying

$$S(h(t) - F(t), a) \geq S'(\phi_2(t, t, t, t), 3a |2 - \kappa|), \tag{37}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$.

Proof: Let $\eta = 1$. Letting $(t, u, v, w) = (t, t, v, v)$ in (36), using oddness of h and in the resultant replacing v by t , we get

$$S\left(h(2t) - 2h(t), \frac{a}{3}\right) \geq S'(\phi_2(t, t, t, t), a), \tag{38}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Replacing t by $2^s t$ in (38), we obtain

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+1}t)}{2} - h(2^s t), \frac{a}{6}\right) \geq S'(\phi_2(2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t, 2^s t), a), \tag{39}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Using (35), we get

$$S\left(\frac{h(2^{s+1}t)}{2} - h(2^s t), \frac{a}{6}\right) \geq S'\left(\phi_2(t, t, t, t), \frac{a}{\kappa^s}\right), \tag{40}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Rest of the proof is similar to that of Theorem 3.1. ■

Corollary 3.5: Consider an odd mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfies all the conditions in Theorem 3.4. Then there exists additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ satisfying

$$S(h(t) - F(t), a) = \begin{cases} S'\left(\frac{4\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^\alpha)|} \|t\|^\alpha, a\right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < 1 \text{ or } \alpha > 1; \\ S'\left(\frac{\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^{4\alpha})|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{4} \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{4}; \\ S'\left(\frac{5\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^{4\alpha})|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right), \\ 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{4} \text{ or } \alpha > \frac{1}{4}, \end{cases}$$

for all $t \in T$ and $a, \gamma > 0$.

Proof: We prove this corollary, using Theorem 3.4 by replacing $\phi_2(t, u, v, w) = \gamma(\|t\|^\alpha + \|u\|^\alpha + \|v\|^\alpha + \|w\|^\alpha)$, $\gamma(\|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$ and $\gamma(\|t\|^{4\alpha} + \|u\|^{4\alpha} + \|v\|^{4\alpha} + \|w\|^{4\alpha} + \|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$, respectively. ■

Theorem 3.6: Let $\eta \in \{1, -1\}$ be fixed and let $\phi : T \times T \rightarrow V$ be a mapping such that for some $\kappa > 0$ with $\kappa^\eta < (-\eta + 3)^\eta$

$$S'(\phi(2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t, 2^\eta t), a) \geq S'(\kappa^\eta \phi(t, t, t, t), a), \quad (41)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$, and

$$\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} S'(\phi(2^{\eta s} t, 2^{\eta s} u, 2^{\eta s} v, 2^{\eta s} w), [(|\eta| + \eta) 2^{2\eta s - 1} + (|\eta| - \eta) 2^{\eta s}] a) = 1,$$

for all $a > 0$ and all $t, u \in T$. Suppose that a mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfies the inequality

$$S(E_h(t, u, v, w), a) \geq S'(\phi(t, u, v, w), a), \quad (42)$$

for all $t, u \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Then there exists a unique quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ and a unique additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ such that

$$S(h(t) - G(t) - F(t), a) \geq S''(t, a), \quad (43)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Where

$$S''(t, a) := \min \left\{ S' \left(\phi(t, t, t, t), \frac{a(4 - \kappa)}{2} \right), S' \left(\phi(t, t, t, t), \frac{3a(2 - \kappa)}{2} \right) \right\}.$$

Proof: Assume $\eta = 1$. Then we have $\kappa < 2$. Let

$$h_e(t) = \frac{h(t) + h(-t)}{2},$$

for all $t \in T$. Then $h_e(0) = 0$, $h_e(-t) = h_e(t)$ and

$$\begin{aligned} S(E_{h_e}(t, u, v, w), a) &= S \left(\frac{1}{2} [E_h(t, u, v, w) + E_h(-t, -u, -v, -w)], a \right) \\ &\geq \min \{ S(E_h(t, u, v, w), a), S(E_h(-t, -u, -v, -w), a) \}, \end{aligned}$$

for all $t, u, v, w \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Hence by Theorem 3.1, there exist a unique quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ satisfying

$$S(h_e(t) - G(t), a) \geq S'(\phi(t, t, t, t), a(4 - \kappa)), \quad (44)$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Let

$$h_o(t) = \frac{h(t) - h(-t)}{2},$$

for all $t \in T$. Then $h_o(0) = 0$, $h_o(-t) = -h_o(t)$ and

$$\begin{aligned} S(E_{h_o}(t, u, v, w), a) &= S \left(\frac{1}{2} [E_h(t, u, v, w) - E_h(-t, -u, -v, -w)], a \right) \\ &\geq \min \{ S(E_h(t, u, v, w), a), S(E_h(-t, -u, -v, -w), a) \}, \end{aligned}$$

for all $t, u \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Hence by Theorem 3.4, there exist a unique additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ satisfying

$$S(h_o(t) - F(t), a) \geq S'(\phi(t, t, t, t), 3a(2 - \kappa)), \tag{45}$$

for all $t \in T$ and all $a > 0$. Using Equations (44) and (45), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & S(h(t) - G(t) - F(t), a) \\ & \geq S(h_e(t) + h_o(t) - G(t) - F(t), a) \\ & \geq \min \left\{ S\left(h_e(t) - G(t), \frac{a}{2}\right), S\left(h_o(t) - F(t), \frac{a}{2}\right) \right\} \\ & \geq \min \left\{ S'\left(\phi(t, t, t, t), \frac{a(4 - \kappa)}{2}\right), S'\left(\phi(t, t, t, t), \frac{3a(2 - \kappa)}{2}\right) \right\} \\ & \geq S''(t, a), \end{aligned}$$

which follows Equation (43). If $\eta = -1$, we can prove the result by a similar method. ■

Corollary 3.7: Consider mapping $h : T \rightarrow U$ with $h(0) = 0$ satisfying all the conditions in Theorem 3.6. Then, there exists quadratic mapping $G : T \rightarrow U$ and additive mapping $F : T \rightarrow U$ satisfying

$$S(h(t) - G(t) - F(t), a) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \min \left\{ S'\left(\frac{8\gamma}{|4 - 2^\alpha|} \|t\|^\alpha, a\right), \right. \\ \left. S'\left(\frac{8\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^\alpha)|} \|t\|^\alpha, a\right) \right\}, 0 \leq \alpha < 1 \\ \text{or } \alpha > 1; \\ \min \left\{ S'\left(\frac{2\gamma}{|4 - 2^{4\alpha}|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right), \right. \\ \left. S'\left(\frac{2\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^{4\alpha})|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right) \right\}, 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{4} \\ \text{or } \alpha > \frac{1}{4}; \\ \min \left\{ S'\left(\frac{10\gamma}{|4 - 2^{4\alpha}|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right), \right. \\ \left. S'\left(\frac{10\gamma}{|3(2 - 2^{4\alpha})|} \|t\|^{4\alpha}, a\right) \right\}, 0 \leq \alpha < \frac{1}{4} \\ \text{or } \alpha > \frac{1}{4}, \end{array} \right.$$

for all $t \in T$ and $a, \gamma > 0$.

Proof: We prove this corollary, using Theorem 3.6 by replacing $\phi(t, u, v, w) = \gamma(\|t\|^\alpha + \|u\|^\alpha + \|v\|^\alpha + \|w\|^\alpha)$, $\gamma(\|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$ and $\gamma(\|t\|^{4\alpha} + \|u\|^{4\alpha} + \|v\|^{4\alpha} + \|w\|^{4\alpha} + \|t\|^\alpha \|u\|^\alpha \|v\|^\alpha \|w\|^\alpha)$, respectively. ■

4. Application: secret key generation using functional equations

In order to access any client server authentication system, a client must enter an user ID and password, which is the first influence of authentication and then enter the PIN or OTP (secret key), which is provided by the corresponding server as an authentication factor, see Chou, Draper, and Sayeed (2012).

We introduce a new two-factor authenticated secret key system using functional equations, where values of variables in functional equations become a secret key.

The secret key is verified and granted to the client using functional equation (1) as shown in Figure 1.

At the client side, the 4 digit values which are received from the server is applied in the left-hand side of the functional equation (1) and the solution $f(x) = x + x^2$ of functional equation (1) is sent to the server for verification.

At the server side, the same 4 digit values applied in the right-hand side of functional equation (1), then the result is compared with the client side result. If both the results are equal, the server granted the secret key to the client. Otherwise, the secret key is denied.

The characteristics of Figure1 are implemented in JAVA program and shows the outputs with the client and server IP addresses in Figures 2–4.

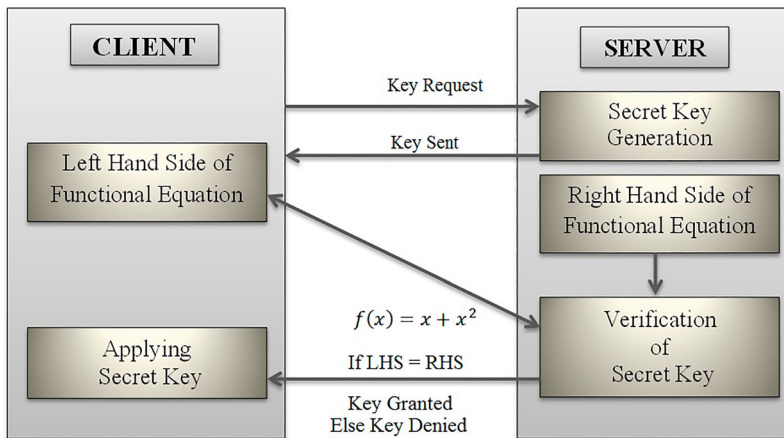


Figure 1. Secret key generation using functional equation (1).

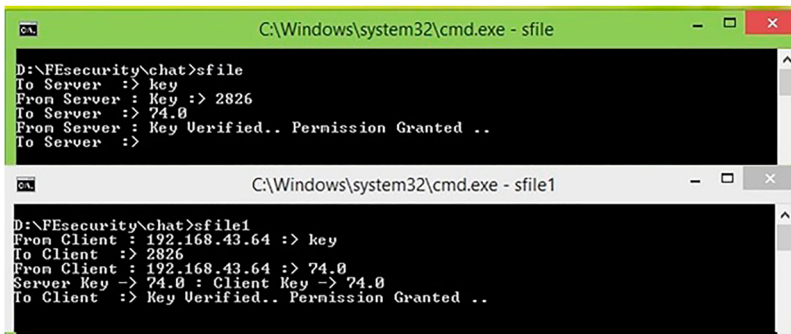
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C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile
To Server :> key_

C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile1
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile1
  
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The image shows two overlapping command prompt windows. The top window, titled 'C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile', shows the command 'D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile' and the output 'To Server :> key_'. The bottom window, titled 'C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile1', shows the command 'D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile1'.

Figure 2. Key request from client.



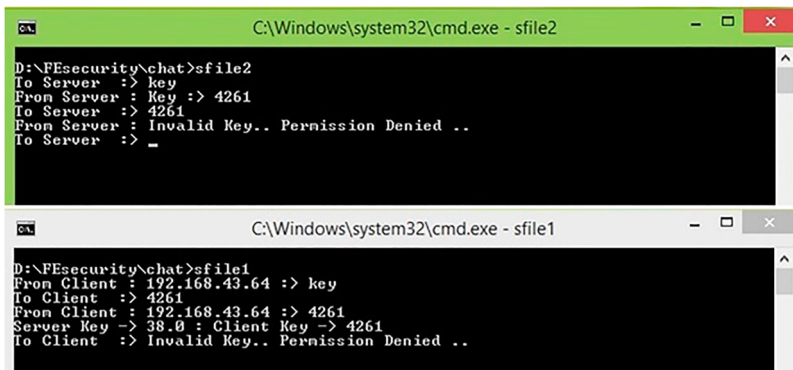
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C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile
To Server  :> key
From Server : Key :> 2826
To Server  :> 74.0
From Server : Key Verified.. Permission Granted ..
To Server  :>

C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile1
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile1
From Client : 192.168.43.64 :> key
To Client   :> 2826
From Client : 192.168.43.64 :> 74.0
Server Key -> 74.0 : Client Key -> 74.0
To Client   :> Key Verified.. Permission Granted ..

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Figure 3. Key generation and verification.



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C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile2
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile2
To Server  :> key
From Server : Key :> 4261
To Server  :> 4261
From Server : Invalid Key.. Permission Denied ..
To Server  :> _

C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe - sfile1
D:\FEsecurity\chat>sfile1
From Client : 192.168.43.64 :> key
To Client   :> 4261
From Client : 192.168.43.64 :> 4261
Server Key -> 38.0 : Client Key -> 4261
To Client   :> Invalid Key.. Permission Denied ..

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Figure 4. Key verified and denied.

The secret key generated from functional equation (1) is strongly secured because we applied two factor for verifying keys, whereas traditional methods used single factor authentication for generating secret keys.

The secret key provided by the server is highly protected depending on how it is programmed. It makes hacker extremely difficult to use that secret key to gain cruel access.

5. Conclusion

In this paper, general solution and generalized Hyers–Ulam–Rassias stability of newly introduced mixed type functional equation in fuzzy normed space have been obtained with suitable example. The results obtained are better than the results in other ordinary spaces and also with significant upper-bound. Importantly, we provided applications using functional equation (1) for generating secret keys in client–server environment. The findings should inspire to develop more mixed type functional equations and investigate their Hyers–Ulam–Rassias stability in various spaces. The functional equations can also be used in high security systems employed in Military and Banking sectors. Using mixed type functional equations, the security of these systems may be more effective than the systems with ordinary functional equations.

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