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# T-NORMS IN FUZZY LOGIC: A NOVEL PATH TO OPTIMIZATION

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## ABSTRACT

*T*-norms play a pivotal role in fuzzy logic, serving as essential aggregation operators that define conjunctions in fuzzy systems. Their mathematical properties and computational efficiency have made them fundamental in various applications, from decision-making processes to artificial intelligence. This paper explores a novel approach to optimization via *T*-norms in fuzzy logic, investigating their potential for enhancing performance in complex problem-solving scenarios. By analyzing different classes of *T*-norms and their influence on fuzzy inference mechanisms, we aim to develop innovative strategies for improving computational accuracy and efficiency. Experimental results demonstrate the advantages of specific *T*-norm selections in optimization problems, highlighting their capability to refine uncertainty modeling and enhance decision accuracy. This study contributes to the ongoing discourse on fuzzy logic optimization and offers new perspectives on leveraging *T*-norms for practical and theoretical advancements.

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