

# Representation of Different Properties and Graphs using Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number

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**Abstract:** The generalize form of fuzzy set is soft set theory, further it is moved to fuzzy soft set theory, followed by to deal with fluctuations Neutrosophic numbers are used. The concept of Neutrosophic set based on membership values of truth, indeterminacy and falsity, which are independent and which play vital role in situations like uncertainty, incomplete and inconsistency. The membership values of truth, indeterminacy and falsity with nine edges, Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers have a wide range of applications while handling further variances in the decision-making condition. In this paper Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers and their  $\alpha$  – cuts and graphs are found out. Further it is applied on real life problem which is solved by Technique for Order of Preference by Similarity to Ideal Solution (TOPSIS) and VIKOR method, which are Multi Criteria Decision Making (MCDM). After that we compare both methods to check which method will give more accurate result in case of indeterminacy.

**Keywords:** Neutrosophic Numbers, Nonagonal Numbers, MCDM, TOPSIS Method, VIKOR Method

## INTRODUCTION

The hypothesis of fuzzy set, purposed by Lotfi Aliasker Zadeh [12] has picked up affective applications in different areas. He presents the concept of fuzzy set. He isn't as it were the originator of fuzzy set hypothesis but he moreover been one of the foremost imperatives contributes to related with the hypothesis and preserved of numerous of its application. Soft set theory is a generality of fuzzy set, which was introduced in a parametric way by Molodstov in 1999 to deal with uncertainty. We are familiar with Pawlak's soft sets, which are a different idea that can be used to solve a wide range of issues.

Smarandache suggested the conception of neutrosophic set [2, 10, 15] in 1995, and idea was issued in 1998. They have three divergent logic components: i. truthfulness, ii. Indeterminacy, and iii. Falsity. This concept also includes a concept of uncertainty and the study has a significant influence across various research domain. In neutrosophic truth membership is stated as  $\tilde{T}$ , indeterminacy membership is stated by  $\tilde{I}$ , falsity membership is stated by  $\tilde{F}$ . These are all self-determining, and their summation is among  $0 \leq \tilde{T} + \tilde{I} + \tilde{F} \leq 3$ .

Scientists from various fields looked into the properties and fluctuations of neutrosophic numbers, as well as the properties of correlation between them. In terms of decision-

making, the neutrosophic fuzzy number is absolutely important, and triangular neutrosophic numbers was just getting started, after that Trapezoidal neutrosophic numbers, then Pentagonal neutrosophic numbers, then Hexagonal neutrosophic numbers, then Heptagonal neutrosophic numbers, then Octagonal neutrosophic numbers and then Nonagonal neutrosophic numbers. Moreover, scholars continue to work to introduce new possibilities.

We have nine edges in expressions of truthness, falsity, and indeterminacy membership value in the case of nonagonal neutrosophic amounts. As a result, give us more flexibility to deal with more volatility. We needed a system that could be used in these difficult situations because decision making is so diverse and has so many possibilities.

Decision-making applications in various fields such as phone collection, game prediction, supplier selection, medical, and staff selection.

There might not always be a finite number of options when making a decision, or there might be several alternatives to the original decision. There is also some probability of the criteria not having an acceptable option. MCDM is an approach designed to estimate concerns with a finite or infinite number of choices.

Hwang and Yoon (1981) [1] were the first to use the TOPSIS system (Also see Chen and Hwang, 1992). In a broad context, it is a human being's need to make "calculated" decisions in a situation with many choices. In scientific terms, the aim is to establish theoretical and computational approaches that consider several options through numerous parameters.

TOPSIS (Technique for Order Preference by Similarity to Ideal Solution) is a MCDM phase of numbrics. This is a tool that can be used in a variety of situations and has a basic mathematical model. Furthermore, it is a very realistic approach that relies on computer assistance. The process has been used for the past three decades, and there are several publications on it. Some recent work based on graph theory is reported in [25-28].

The three main stages in the classical TOPSIS technique are as follows.

- (1) Predict one negative ideal solution and one positive ideal result for the initial decision-making challenge.
- (2) To figure out how far each alternate is from the positive ideal result/negative ideal result, or how close each alternate is to the positive ideal result/negative ideal result.
- (3) To mandate the options rendering to their distance or similarity closeness coefficients.

In recent years, VIKOR (VIseKriterijumska Optimizacija I KOmpromisno Resenje) [6] technique, which has valuable

facts of understanding the balance among group utility maximization and human regrettably minimization, has been regarded as a useful technique to use in a variety of decision-making fields. As compared to other models, the VIKOR method has the benefit of considering a balance amongst group utility maximisation and individual regret minimization.

**Motivation:** A lot of research articles regards to neutrosophic arena available, which they apply and exaggerated the concept of MCDM. They presented the notion, properties along with application from triangular to nonagonal neutrosophic numbers.

**structure of paper:** The article is structured as follow as shown in the figure 1:

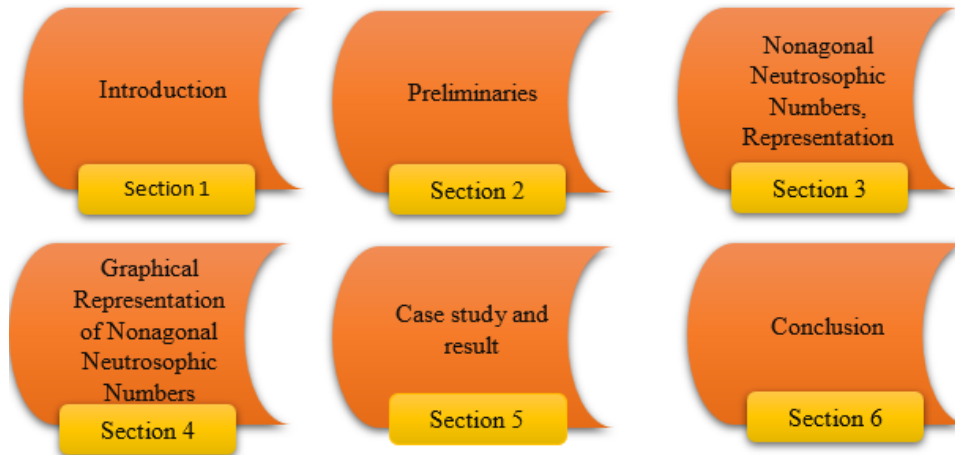


Figure 1. Structure of article

**PRELIMINARIES**

**Fuzzy sets:** A collection is said to be fuzzy set[12]  $\check{A}:U \rightarrow [0, 1]$

**Neutrosophic sets:** Let  $\bar{\bar{E}}$  is a neutrosophic number [4, 10] if

$$\bar{\bar{E}} = \{ \langle X: T_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x), I_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x), F_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x) \rangle; x \in U \}$$

where  $T_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x)$  : Truth membership function

$I_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x)$  : Indeterminacy membership function

$F_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x)$  : Falsity membership function

With condition:  $0 \leq T_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x) + I_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x) + F_{\bar{\bar{E}}}(x) \leq 3$

**Triangular Neutrosophic Numbers:** Triangular Neutrosophic Numbers [16] can be defined as  $Tr = (c_1, c_2, c_3; g_1, g_2, g_3; h_1, h_2, h_3)$  as well as truth, indeterminacy and falsity are given as:

$$\tilde{T}_{Tr} = \begin{cases} \frac{x - c_1}{c_2 - c_1} & \text{for } c_1 \leq x < c_2 \\ 1 & \text{when } x = c_2 \\ \frac{c_3 - x}{c_3 - c_2} & \text{for } c_2 < x \leq c_3 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\tilde{I}_{Tr} = \begin{cases} \frac{g_2 - x}{g_2 - g_1} & \text{for } g_1 \leq x < g_2 \\ 0 & \text{when } x = g_2 \\ \frac{x - g_2}{g_3 - g_2} & \text{for } g_2 < x \leq g_3 \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\tilde{F}_{Tr} = \begin{cases} \frac{x - h_1}{h_1 - h_2} & \text{for } h_1 \leq x < h_2 \\ 1 & \text{when } x = h_2 \\ \frac{h_3 - x}{h_3 - h_2} & \text{for } h_2 < x \leq h_3 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Where  $0 \leq \tilde{T}_{Tr} + \tilde{I}_{Tr} + \tilde{F}_{Tr} \leq 3$

$x \in Tr$

The parametric form of this kind is

$$Tr_{(\mu, \vartheta, \varphi)} = [\tilde{T}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\mu}), \tilde{T}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\mu}); \tilde{I}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\vartheta}), \tilde{I}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\vartheta}); \tilde{F}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\varphi}), \tilde{F}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\varphi})]$$

Where

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{T}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\mu}) &= c_1 + \tilde{\mu}(c_2 - c_1); \tilde{T}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\mu}) = c_3 - \tilde{\mu}(c_3 - c_2) \\ \tilde{I}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\vartheta}) &= g_2 - \tilde{\vartheta}(g_2 - g_1); \tilde{I}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\vartheta}) = g_3 + \tilde{\vartheta}(g_3 - g_2) \\ \tilde{F}_{Tr1}(\tilde{\varphi}) &= h_1 - \tilde{\varphi}(h_2 - h_1); \tilde{F}_{Tr2}(\tilde{\varphi}) = h_3 - \tilde{\varphi}(h_3 - h_2) \end{aligned}$$

Here

$$0 < \tilde{\mu} \leq 1, \quad 0 < \tilde{\vartheta} \leq 1, \quad 0 < \tilde{\varphi} \leq 1$$

And  $0 < \tilde{\mu} + \tilde{\vartheta} + \tilde{\varphi} < 3$

**Trapezoidal Neutrosophic Number:** Trapezoidal Neutrosophic Number [17] is defined as

$$TrP = [e, f, g, h; \theta]; [l, m, n, o; \varepsilon]; [q, r, s, t; \varphi]$$

Where  $\theta, \varepsilon, \varphi \in [0,1]$

With condition:  $0 \leq \theta + \varepsilon + \varphi \leq 3$

**Pentagonal Neutrosophic Number**

Pentagonal Neutrosophic Number [18] is given as

$$Pen = [\infty, \sim, \approx, \nabla, \partial; \rho], [\infty_1, \sim_1, \approx_1, \nabla_1, \partial_1; \sigma], [\infty_2, \sim_2, \approx_2, \nabla_2, \partial_2; \tau]$$

Where

$$\rho, \sigma, \tau \in [0, 1]$$

Truth membership  $T_{Pen}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$

Indeterminacy membership  $I_{Pen}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$

Falsity membership  $F_{Pen}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, 1]$

**Octagonal Neutrosophic Number**

Octagonal Neutrosophic number [5] well-defined as

$$Oct = [(m', n', o', p', q', r', s', t') : \ddot{A}] [(m'^{-1}, n'^{-1}, o'^{-1}, p'^{-1}, q'^{-1}, r'^{-1}, s'^{-1}, t'^{-1}) : \ddot{B}] [(m'^{-2}, n'^{-2}, o'^{-2}, p'^{-2}, q'^{-2}, r'^{-2}, s'^{-2}, t'^{-2}) : \ddot{C}]$$

Where  $\ddot{A}, \ddot{B}, \ddot{C} \in [0,1]$  as well as truth, falsity and indeterminacy well defined as

$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{A}_{Oct}(x) &= \begin{cases} \ddot{A}_{Oct0}(x) & m' \leq x < n' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct1}(x) & n' \leq x < o' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct2}(x) & o' \leq x < p' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct3}(x) & p' \leq x < q' \\ \ddot{A} & x = q' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct3}(x) & q' \leq x < r' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct2}(x) & r' \leq x < s' \\ \ddot{A}_{Oct1}(x) & s' \leq x < t' \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct}(x) &= \begin{cases} \ddot{B}_{Oct0}(x) & m'^{-1} \leq x < n'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct1}(x) & n'^{-1} \leq x < o'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct2}(x) & o'^{-1} \leq x < p'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct3}(x) & p'^{-1} \leq x < q'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B} & x = q'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct3}(x) & q'^{-1} \leq x < r'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct2}(x) & r'^{-1} \leq x < s'^{-1} \\ \ddot{B}_{Oct1}(x) & s'^{-1} \leq x < t'^{-1} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct}(x) &= \begin{cases} \ddot{C}_{Oct0}(x) & m'^{-2} \leq x < n'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct1}(x) & n'^{-2} \leq x < o'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct2}(x) & o'^{-2} \leq x < p'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct3}(x) & p'^{-2} \leq x < q'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C} & x = q'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct3}(x) & q'^{-2} \leq x < r'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct2}(x) & r'^{-2} \leq x < s'^{-2} \\ \ddot{C}_{Oct1}(x) & s'^{-2} \leq x < t'^{-2} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$Oct = [(m' < n' < o' < p' < q' < r' < s' < t') : \ddot{A}] [(m'^{-1} < n'^{-1} < o'^{-1} < p'^{-1} < q'^{-1} < r'^{-1} < s'^{-1} < t'^{-1}) : \ddot{B}] [(m'^{-2} < n'^{-2} < o'^{-2} < p'^{-2} < q'^{-2} < r'^{-2} < s'^{-2} < t'^{-2}) : \ddot{C}]$$

**Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number**

Nonagonal Nutrosophic Numbers (NNN) [4, 10] are defined as

$$\mathcal{G}: [(q^i, r^i, s^i, t^i, u^i, v^i, w^i, y^i, z^i): \delta] [(q^{i^1}, r^{i^1}, s^{i^1}, t^{i^1}, u^{i^1}, v^{i^1}, w^{i^1}, y^{i^1}, z^{i^1}): \varphi] [(q^{i^2}, r^{i^2}, s^{i^2}, t^{i^2}, u^{i^2}, v^{i^2}, w^{i^2}, y^{i^2}, z^{i^2}): \omega]$$

Where  $\delta, \varphi, \omega \in [0,1]$

Membership function truth, indeterminacy and falsity is define as

$$\delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) = \begin{cases} \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & q^i \leq x < r^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & r^i \leq x < s^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & s^i \leq x < t^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & t^i \leq x < u^i \\ \delta & x = u^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & u^i \leq x < v^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & v^i \leq x < w^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & w^i \leq x < y^i \\ \delta_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & y^i \leq x < z^i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) = \begin{cases} \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & q^{i^1} \leq x < r^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & r^{i^1} \leq x < s^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & s^{i^1} \leq x < t^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & t^{i^1} \leq x < u^{i^1} \\ \varphi & x = u^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & u^{i^1} \leq x < v^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & v^{i^1} \leq x < w^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & w^{i^1} \leq x < y^{i^1} \\ \varphi_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & y^{i^1} \leq x < z^{i^1} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) = \begin{cases} \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & q^{i^2} \leq x < r^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & r^{i^2} \leq x < s^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & s^{i^2} \leq x < t^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & t^{i^2} \leq x < u^{i^2} \\ \omega & x = u^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & u^{i^2} \leq x < v^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & v^{i^2} \leq x < w^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & w^{i^2} \leq x < y^{i^2} \\ \omega_{\mathcal{G}}(x) & y^{i^2} \leq x < z^{i^2} \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**Representation and properties of Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number:** We represent the Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number by Linear and Non-Linear symmetry [4].

**Linear NNN with symmetry:** Let  $\nabla'_l = (a', b', c', d', e', f', g', h', i')$  as linear Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number with membership function is define as:

As,  $0 < k < 1$

$$A_{\alpha} = \{x \in X \setminus T'(X), F'(X), I'(X) \geq \alpha\}$$

$$T'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < a^* \\ k' \left( \frac{x - a^*}{b^* - a^*} \right) & a^* < x < b^* \\ k' \left( \frac{(x - b^*)}{c^* - b^*} \right) & b^* < x < c^* \\ k & c^* < x < d^* \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{x - d^*}{e^* - d^*} \right) & d^* < x < e^* \\ 1 & e^* < x < f^* \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{g^* - x}{g^* - f^*} \right) & f^* < x < g^* \\ k' & g^* < x < h^* \\ k' \left( \frac{(i^* - x)}{i^* - h^*} \right) & h^* < x < i^* \\ 0 & x > i^* \end{cases}$$

$$F'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < a^{*1} \\ k' \left( \frac{x - a^{*1}}{b^{*1} - a^{*1}} \right) & a^{*1} < x < b^{*1} \\ k' \left( \frac{x - b^{*1}}{c^{*1} - b^{*1}} \right) & b^{*1} < x < c^{*1} \\ k' & c^{*1} < x < d^{*1} \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{x - d^{*1}}{e^{*1} - d^{*1}} \right) & d^{*1} < x < e^{*1} \\ 1 & e^{*1} < x < f^{*1} \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{g^{*1} - x}{g^{*1} - f^{*1}} \right) & f^{*1} < x < g^{*1} \\ k' & g^{*1} < x < h^{*1} \\ k' \left( \frac{(i^{*1} - x)}{i^{*1} - h^{*1}} \right) & h^{*1} < x < i^{*1} \\ 1 & x > i^{*1} \end{cases}$$

$$I'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < a^{*2} \\ k' \left( \frac{x - a^{*2}}{b^{*2} - a^{*2}} \right) & a^{*2} < x < b^{*2} \\ k' \left( \frac{x - b^{*2}}{c^{*2} - b^{*2}} \right) & b^{*2} < x < c^{*2} \\ k' & c^{*2} < x < d^{*2} \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{x - d^{*2}}{e^{*2} - d^{*2}} \right) & d^{*2} < x < e^{*2} \\ 1 & e^{*2} < x < f^{*2} \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{g^{*2} - x}{g^{*2} - f^{*2}} \right) & f^{*2} < x < g^{*2} \\ k' & g^{*2} < x < h^{*2} \\ k' \left( \frac{(i^{*2} - x)}{i^{*2} - h^{*2}} \right) & h^{*2} < x < i^{*2} \\ 1 & x > i^{*2} \end{cases}$$

$\alpha$  – cut of Linear ONN with symmetry:  $\alpha$  – cut of the membership function truth, indeterminacy and falsity are define as [ 4]

$$T'_L(x) = \begin{cases} \mu'_{1L}(\alpha') = a' + \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(b' - a') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b_1] \\ \mu'_{2L}(\alpha') = b' + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_2}\right)(c' - b') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3L}(\alpha') = c' + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_3}\right)(d' - c') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4L}(\alpha') = d' + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_4}\right)(e' - d') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4R}(\alpha') = e' - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_4}(f' - e') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3R}(\alpha') = f' - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_3}(g' - f') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2R}(\alpha') = g' - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_2}(h' - g') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1R}(\alpha') = h' - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(i' - h') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{cases}$$

$$F'_L(x) = \begin{cases} \mu'_{1L}(\alpha') = a'^1 + \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(b'^1 - a'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b_1] \\ \mu'_{2L}(\alpha') = b'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_2}\right)(c'^1 - b'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3L}(\alpha') = c'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_3}\right)(d'^1 - c'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4L}(\alpha') = d'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_4}\right)(e'^1 - d'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4R}(\alpha') = e'^1 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_4}(f'^1 - e'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3R}(\alpha') = f'^1 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_3}(g'^1 - f'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2R}(\alpha') = g'^1 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_2}(h'^1 - g'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1R}(\alpha') = h'^1 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(i'^1 - h'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{cases}$$

$$I'_L(x) = \begin{cases} \mu'_{1L}(\alpha') = a'^2 + \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(b'^2 - a'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b_1] \\ \mu'_{2L}(\alpha') = b'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_2}\right)(c'^2 - b'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3L}(\alpha') = c'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_3}\right)(d'^2 - c'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4L}(\alpha') = d'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_4}\right)(e'^2 - d'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4R}(\alpha') = e'^2 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_4}(f'^2 - e'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3R}(\alpha') = f'^2 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_3}(g'^2 - f'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2R}(\alpha') = g'^2 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_2}(h'^2 - g'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1R}(\alpha') = h'^2 - \frac{\alpha'}{b'_1}(i'^2 - h'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{cases}$$

**Non-Linear Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers (NONNN) with symmetry:** Let  $\Delta'_{nl} = (j', k', l', m', n', o', p', q', r')_{(x', y', c', d')}$  as non-linear Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number [4] with membership function is define as:

As,  $0 < k < 1$

$$A_\alpha = \{x \in X \setminus T'(X'), F'(X'), I'(X') \geq \alpha\}$$

$$T'_N(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < j'' \\ k'' \left( \frac{x - j''}{k'' - j''} \right)^{x''} & j'' < x < k'' \\ k'' \left( \frac{x - k''}{l'' - k''} \right)^{y''} & k'' < x < l'' \\ k'' & l'' < x < m'' \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{x - m''}{n'' - m''} \right)^{c''} & m'' < x < n'' \\ 1 & n'' < x < o'' \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{o'' - x}{o'' - p''} \right)^{d''} & o'' < x < p'' \\ k'' & p'' < x < q'' \\ k'' \left( \frac{q'' - x}{q'' - r''} \right)^{e''} & q'' < x < r'' \\ 0 & x > r'' \\ 0 & x < j''^1 \end{cases}$$

$$F'_N(x) = \begin{cases} k'' \left( \frac{x - j''^1}{k'' - j''^1} \right)^{x''} & j''^1 < x < k''^1 \\ k'' \left( \frac{x - k''^1}{l''^1 - k''^1} \right)^{y''} & k''^1 < x < l''^1 \\ k'' & l''^1 < x < m''^1 \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{x - m''^1}{n''^1 - m''^1} \right)^{c'} & m''^1 < x < n''^1 \\ 1 & n''^1 < x < o''^1 \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{o''^1 - x}{o''^1 - p''^1} \right)^{d'} & o''^1 < x < p''^1 \\ k'' & p''^1 < x < q''^1 \\ k'' \left( \frac{q''^1 - x}{q''^1 - r''^1} \right)^{e'} & q''^1 < x < r''^1 \\ 1 & x > r''^1 \end{cases}$$

$$I'_N(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < j''^2 \\ k'' \left( \frac{x - j''^2}{k'' - j''^2} \right)^{x''} & j''^2 < x < k''^2 \\ k'' \left( \frac{x - k''^2}{l''^2 - k''^2} \right)^{y''} & k''^2 < x < l''^2 \\ k'' & l''^2 < x < m''^2 \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{x - m''^2}{n''^2 - m''^2} \right)^{c''} & m''^2 < x < n''^2 \\ 1 & n''^2 < x < o''^2 \\ k'' + (1 - k'') \left( \frac{o''^2 - x}{o''^2 - p''^2} \right)^{d''} & o''^2 < x < p''^2 \\ k'' & p''^2 < x < q''^2 \\ k'' \left( \frac{q''^2 - x}{q''^2 - r''^2} \right)^{e''} & q''^2 < x < r''^2 \\ 1 & x > r''^2 \end{cases}$$

**$\alpha$  – cut of Non- Linear NNN with symmetry:**  $\alpha$  – cut of nON-LNNN [4] with membership function truth, falsity and indeterminacy are define as

$$T'_N(x) = \begin{cases} \mu'_{1B}(\alpha') = j' + \left( \frac{\alpha}{b'_1} \right)^{x'_1} (k' - j') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \\ \mu'_{2B}(\alpha') = k' + \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 - b'_2} \right)^{x'_2} (l' - k') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3B}(\alpha') = l' + \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 - b'_3} \right)^{x'_3} (m' - l') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4B}(\alpha') = m' + \left( \frac{1 - \alpha}{1 - b'_4} \right)^{x'_4} (n' - m') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4D}(\alpha') = n' - \left( \frac{\alpha}{b'_4} \right)^{y'_1} (o' - n') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3D}(\alpha') = o' - \left( \frac{\alpha}{b'_3} \right)^{y'_2} (p' - o') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2D}(\alpha') = p' - \left( \frac{\alpha}{b'_2} \right)^{y'_3} (q' - p') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1D}(\alpha') = q' - \left( \frac{\alpha}{b'_1} \right)^{y'_4} (r' - q') \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{cases}$$



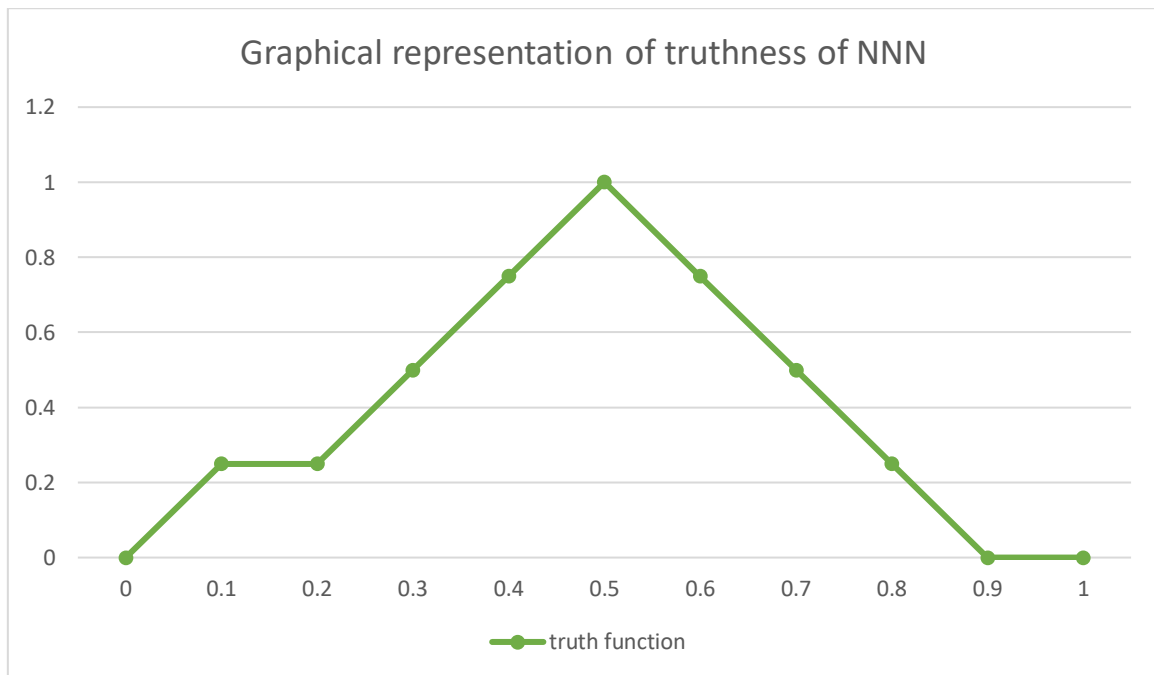
$$F'_N(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu'_{1B}(\alpha') = j'^1 + \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_1}\right)^{x'_1} (k'^1 - j'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \\ \mu'_{2B}(\alpha') = k'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_2}\right)^{x'_2} (l'^1 - k'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3B}(\alpha') = l'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_3}\right)^{x'_3} (m'^1 - l'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4B}(\alpha') = m'^1 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_4}\right)^{x'_4} (n'^1 - m'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4D}(\alpha') = n'^1 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_4}\right)^{y'_1} (o'^1 - n'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3D}(\alpha') = o'^1 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_3}\right)^{y'_2} (p'^1 - o'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2D}(\alpha') = p'^1 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_2}\right)^{y'_3} (q'^1 - p'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1D}(\alpha') = q'^1 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_1}\right)^{y'_4} (r'^1 - q'^1) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{array} \right.$$

$$I'_N(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mu'_{1B}(\alpha') = j'^2 + \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_1}\right)^{x'_1} (k'^2 - j'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \\ \mu'_{2B}(\alpha') = k'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_2}\right)^{x'_2} (l'^2 - k'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_2, 1] \\ \mu'_{3B}(\alpha') = l'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_3}\right)^{x'_3} (m'^2 - l'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_3, 1] \\ \mu'_{4B}(\alpha') = m'^2 + \left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1-b'_4}\right)^{x'_4} (n'^2 - m'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [b'_4, 1] \\ \mu'_{4D}(\alpha') = n'^2 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_4}\right)^{y'_1} (o'^2 - n'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_4] \\ \mu'_{3D}(\alpha') = o'^2 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_3}\right)^{y'_2} (p'^2 - o'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_3] \\ \mu'_{2D}(\alpha') = p'^2 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_2}\right)^{y'_3} (q'^2 - p'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_2] \\ \mu'_{1D}(\alpha') = q'^2 - \left(\frac{\alpha}{b'_1}\right)^{y'_4} (r'^2 - q'^2) \text{ for } \alpha' \in [0, b'_1] \end{array} \right.$$

$\mu'_{1B}(\alpha'), \mu'_{2B}(\alpha'), \mu'_{3B}(\alpha'), \mu'_{4B}(\alpha')$  are increasing function with respect to  $\alpha'$ .  
 $\mu'_{4D}(\alpha'), \mu'_{3D}(\alpha'), \mu'_{2D}(\alpha'), \mu'_{1D}(\alpha')$  are decreasing function with respect to  $\alpha'$ .

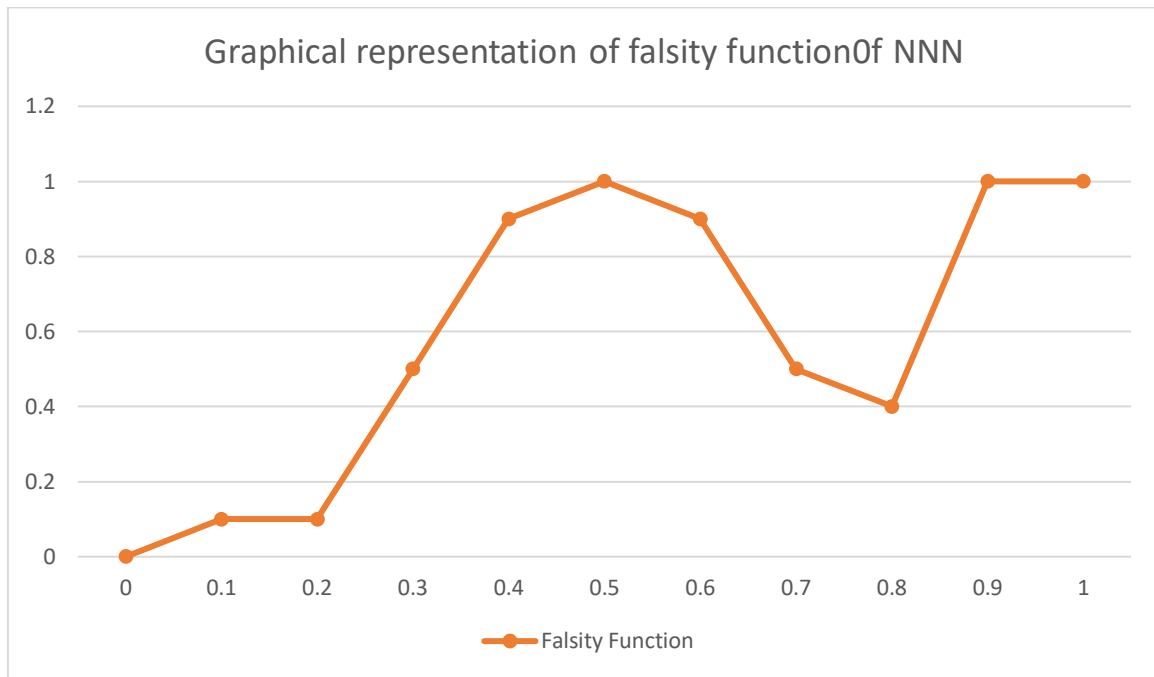
**Graphical representation of Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number:** Consider Nonagonal Neutrosophic Number for the graphical representation of truth membership function

$$T'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0.1 \\ k' \left( \frac{x - a^*}{b^* - a^*} \right) & 0.1 < x < 0.2 \\ k' \left( \frac{(x - b^*)}{c^* - b^*} \right) & 0.2 < x < 0.3 \\ k & 0.3 < x < 0.4 \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{x - d^*}{e^* - d^*} \right) & 0.4 < x < 0.5 \\ 1 & 0.5 < x < 0.6 \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{g^* - x}{g^* - f^*} \right) & 0.6 < x < 0.7 \\ k' & 0.7 < x < 0.8 \\ k' \left( \frac{(i^* - x)}{i^* - h^*} \right) & 0.8 < x < 0.9 \\ 0 & x > 0.9 \end{cases}$$



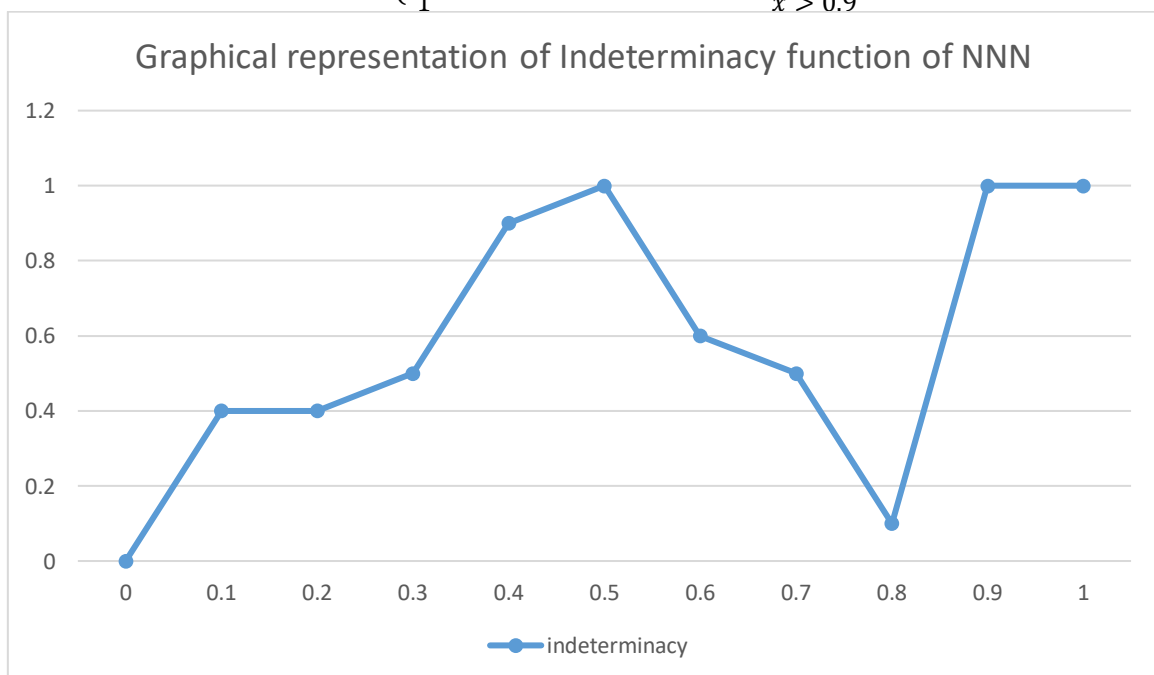
Consider Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers for the graphical representation of falsity membership function

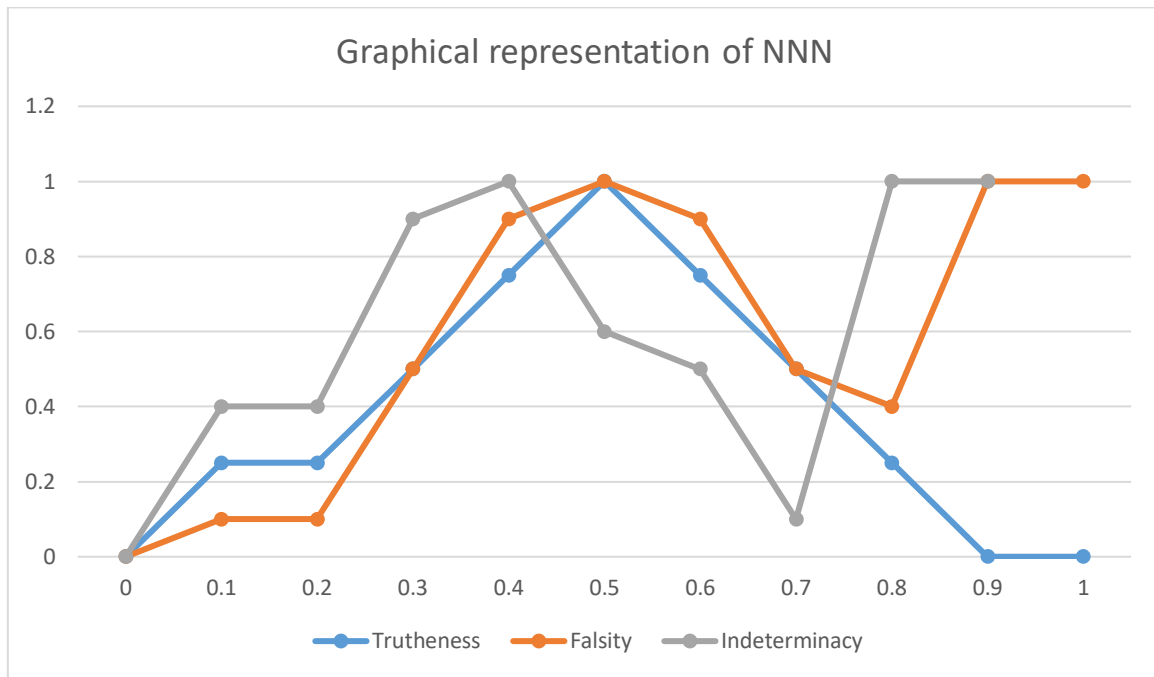
$$F'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0.1 \\ k' \left( \frac{x - a^{*1}}{b^{*1} - a^{*1}} \right) & 0.1 < x < 0.2 \\ k' \left( \frac{(x - b^{*1})}{c^{*1} - b^{*1}} \right) & 0.2 < x < 0.3 \\ k' & 0.3 < x < 0.4 \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{x - d^{*1}}{e^{*1} - d^{*1}} \right) & 0.4 < x < 0.5 \\ 1 & 0.5 < x < 0.6 \\ k' + (1 - k') \left( \frac{g^{*1} - x}{g^{*1} - f^{*1}} \right) & 0.6 < x < 0.7 \\ k' & 0.7 < x < 0.8 \\ k' \left( \frac{(i^{*1} - x)}{i^{*1} - h^{*1}} \right) & 0.8 < x < 0.9 \\ 1 & x > 0.9 \end{cases}$$



Consider Nonagonal Neutrosophic numbers for the graphical representation of indeterminacy membership function

$$I'_L(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x < 0.1 \\ k \cdot \left( \frac{x - a^{*2}}{b^{*2} - a^{*2}} \right) & 0.1 < x < 0.2 \\ k \cdot \left( \frac{x - b^{*2}}{c^{*2} - b^{*2}} \right) & 0.2 < x < 0.3 \\ k & 0.3 < x < 0.4 \\ k + (1 - k) \cdot \left( \frac{x - d^{*2}}{e^{*2} - d^{*2}} \right) & 0.4 < x < 0.5 \\ 1 & 0.5 < x < 0.6 \\ k + (1 - k) \cdot \left( \frac{g^{*2} - x}{g^{*2} - f^{*2}} \right) & 0.6 < x < 0.7 \\ k & 0.7 < x < 0.8 \\ k \cdot \left( \frac{i^{*2} - x}{i^{*2} - h^{*2}} \right) & 0.8 < x < 0.9 \\ 1 & x > 0.9 \end{cases}$$





**CASE STUDY**

For checking the production and viability of VIKOR and TOPSIS method, we have a selection of candidates for scholarship.

For selection we have four candidates  $\{\Psi, \Omega, \Upsilon, \Gamma\}$ .

We select the candidates on the basis of  $\{\mathcal{M}: \text{Marks}, \mathcal{E}: \text{Members taking education}, \mathcal{F}: \text{Family expenses}, \mathcal{J}: \text{Income}\}$

- $\Psi = \{\mathcal{M} = 995, \mathcal{E} = 4, \mathcal{F} = \text{Rs. } 40\ 000, \mathcal{J} = \text{Rs. } 50\ 000\}$
- $\Omega = \{\mathcal{M} = 1045, \mathcal{E} = 3, \mathcal{F} = \text{Rs. } 35\ 000, \mathcal{J} = \text{Rs. } 50\ 000\}$
- $\Upsilon = \{\mathcal{M} = 1001, \mathcal{E} = 5, \mathcal{F} = \text{Rs. } 50\ 000, \mathcal{J} = \text{Rs. } 55\ 000\}$
- $\Gamma = \{\mathcal{M} = 970, \mathcal{E} = 4, \mathcal{F} = \text{Rs. } 45\ 000, \mathcal{J} = \text{Rs. } 48\ 000\}$

Candidates Attributes	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}(\text{Rs.})$	$\mathcal{J}(\text{Rs.})$
$\Psi$	995	4	40 000	50 000
$\Omega$	1045	3	35 000	50 000
$\Upsilon$	1001	5	50 000	55 000
$\Gamma$	970	4	45 000	48 000

Neutrosophic Number assigned by decision maker: Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers for candidate  $\Psi$

Sr. #	Attributes	Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers
1	$\mathcal{M}$	$(0.79, 0.83, 0.85, 0.87, 0.78, 0.81, 0.88, 0.82, 0.89), (0.77, 0.67, 0.56, 0.98, 0.78, 0.69, 0.72, 0.83, 0.85), (0.73, 0.69, 0.84, 0.81, 0.90, 0.49, 0.57, 0.66, 0.56)$
2	$\mathcal{E}$	$(0.79, 0.76, 0.81, 0.84, 0.74, 0.88, 0.89, 0.86, 0.82), (0.67, 0.81, 0.88, 0.45, 0.56, 0.80, 0.79, 0.55, 0.40), (0.66, 0.72, 0.67, 0.81, 0.71, 0.79, 0.77, 0.81, 0.73)$
3	$\mathcal{F}$	$(0.81, 0.52, 0.62, 0.74, 0.73, 0.91, 0.66, 0.82, 0.80), (0.59, 0.63, 0.91, 0.57, 0.73, 0.81, 0.43, 0.77, 0.74), (0.67, 0.86, 0.83, 0.78, 0.90, 0.88, 0.79, 0.67, 0.72)$
4	$\mathcal{J}$	$(0.72, 0.76, 0.80, 0.86, 0.73, 0.66, 0.68, 0.71, 0.53), (0.69, 0.72, 0.79, 0.81, 0.86, 0.91, 0.83, 0.78, 0.88), (0.67, 0.75, 0.88, 0.79, 0.65, 0.73, 0.84, 0.81, 0.90)$

Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers for candidate  $\Omega$

Sr #	Attributes	Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers
1	$\mathcal{M}$	$(0.93, 0.95, 0.99, 0.94, 0.91, 0.82, 0.96, 0.98, 0.92), (0.87, 0.85, 0.79, 0.81, 0.92, 0.78, 0.86, 0.78, 0.95), (0.79, 0.86, 0.88, 0.97, 0.76, 0.85, 0.82, 0.90, 0.89)$
2	$\mathcal{E}$	$(0.67, 0.74, 0.72, 0.73, 0.81, 0.80, 0.79, 0.78, 0.82), (0.66, 0.61, 0.75, 0.81, 0.79, 0.83, 0.63, 0.78, 0.80), (0.59, 0.76, 0.82, 0.64, 0.69, 0.78, 0.77, 0.75, 0.66)$
3	$\mathcal{F}$	$(0.87, 0.43, 0.90, 0.46, 0.52, 0.67, 0.81, 0.88, 0.91), (0.59, 0.66, 0.81, 0.54, 0.49, 0.63, 0.73, 0.80, 0.45), (0.79, 0.66, 0.93, 0.85, 0.86, 0.67, 0.56, 0.80, 0.76)$
4	$\mathcal{J}$	$(0.72, 0.76, 0.80, 0.86, 0.73, 0.66, 0.68, 0.71, 0.53), (0.52, 0.87, 0.65, 0.69, 0.61, 0.73, 0.58, 0.75, 0.81), (0.67, 0.57, 0.86, 0.82, 0.64, 0.43, 0.59, 0.66, 0.69)$

Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers for candidate  $\Upsilon$

Sr #	Attributes	Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers
1	$\mathcal{M}$	(0.93,0.95,0.99,0.94,0.91,0.82,0.96,0.98,0.92),(0.89,0.95,0.83,0.88,0.85,0.94,0.92,0.84,0.79),(0.86,0.83,0.95,0.99,0.92,0.78,0.85,0.88,0.90)
2	$\mathcal{E}$	(0.94,0.89,0.85,0.91,0.96,0.97,0.88,0.92,0.93),(0.79,0.76,0.88,0.84,0.94,0.86,0.93,0.99,0.85),(0.91,0.83,0.85,0.79,0.88,0.93,0.78,0.84,0.94)
3	$\mathcal{F}$	(0.90,0.89,0.85,0.88,0.94,0.91,0.80,0.79,0.78),(0.81,0.80,0.79,0.90,0.87,0.76,0.69,0.84,0.88),(0.97,0.88,0.76,0.87,0.92,0.80,0.79,0.84,0.90)
4	$\mathcal{J}$	(0.45,0.72,0.80,0.67,0.63,0.75,0.80,0.81,0.53),(0.55,0.58,0.67,0.49,0.76,0.88,0.62,0.67,0.70),(0.79,0.55,0.76,0.49,0.67,0.78,0.69,0.75,0.48)

Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers for candidate  $\Gamma$ :

Sr #	Attributes	Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers
1	$\mathcal{M}$	(0.65,0.73,0.81,0.75,0.69,0.72,0.77,0.79,0.80),(0.76,0.85,0.73,0.68,0.74,0.82,0.71,0.90,0.77),(0.69,0.85,0.81,0.77,0.73,0.95,0.61,0.65,0.71)
2	$\mathcal{E}$	(0.79,0.76,0.81,0.84,0.74,0.88,0.89,0.86,0.82),(0.68,0.70,0.73,0.78,0.86,0.82,0.79,0.71,0.84),(0.77,0.80,0.74,0.89,0.83,0.72,0.82,0.86,0.71)
3	$\mathcal{F}$	(0.90,0.89,0.85,0.88,0.94,0.91,0.80,0.79,0.78),(0.82,0.79,0.93,0.78,0.72,0.91,0.86,0.82,0.80),(0.79,0.73,0.88,0.84,0.94,0.91,0.85,0.85,0.81)
4	$\mathcal{J}$	(0.65,0.73,0.78,0.86,0.67,0.68,0.77,0.81,0.72),(0.64,0.73,0.69,0.82,0.81,0.74,0.75,0.60,0.82),(0.83,0.74,0.92,0.69,0.71,0.89,0.86,0.75,0.72)

Candidate $\Psi$	Candidate $\Omega$	Candidate $\Upsilon$	Candidate $\Gamma$
$\mathcal{M}\{(0.93,0.95,0.99,0.94,0.91,0.82,0.96,0.98,0.92), (0.87,0.85,0.79,0.81,0.92,0.78,0.86,0.78,0.95), (0.79,0.86,0.88,0.97,0.76,0.85,0.82,0.90,0.89)\}$	$\mathcal{M}\{(0.93,0.95,0.99,0.94,0.91,0.82,0.96,0.98,0.92), (0.87,0.85,0.79,0.81,0.92,0.78,0.86,0.78,0.95), (0.79,0.86,0.88,0.97,0.76,0.85,0.82,0.90,0.89)\}$	$\mathcal{M}\{(0.93,0.95,0.99,0.94,0.91,0.82,0.96,0.98,0.92), (0.89,0.95,0.83,0.88,0.85,0.94,0.92,0.84,0.79), (0.86,0.83,0.95,0.99,0.92,0.78,0.85,0.88,0.90)\}$	$\mathcal{M}\{(0.65,0.73,0.81,0.75,0.69,0.72,0.77,0.79,0.80), (0.76,0.85,0.73,0.68,0.74,0.82,0.71,0.90,0.77), (0.69,0.85,0.81,0.77,0.73,0.95,0.61,0.65,0.71)\}$
$\mathcal{E}\{(0.79,0.76,0.81,0.84,0.74,0.88,0.89,0.86,0.82), (0.67,0.81,0.88,0.45,0.56,0.80,0.79,0.55,0.40), (0.66,0.72,0.67,0.81,0.71,0.79,0.77,0.81,0.73)\}$	$\mathcal{E}\{(0.67,0.74,0.72,0.73,0.81,0.80,0.79,0.78,0.82), (0.66,0.61,0.75,0.81,0.79,0.83,0.63,0.78,0.80), (0.59,0.76,0.82,0.64,0.69,0.78,0.77,0.75,0.66)\}$	$\mathcal{E}\{(0.94,0.89,0.85,0.91,0.96,0.97,0.88,0.92,0.93), (0.79,0.76,0.88,0.84,0.94,0.86,0.93,0.99,0.85), (0.91,0.83,0.85,0.79,0.88,0.93,0.78,0.84,0.94)\}$	$\mathcal{E}\{(0.79,0.76,0.81,0.84,0.74,0.88,0.89,0.86,0.82), (0.68,0.70,0.73,0.78,0.86,0.82,0.79,0.71,0.84), (0.77,0.80,0.74,0.89,0.83,0.72,0.82,0.86,0.71)\}$
$\mathcal{F}\{(0.81,0.52,0.62,0.74,0.73,0.91,0.66,0.82,0.80), (0.59,0.63,0.91,0.57,0.73,0.81,0.43,0.77,0.74), (0.67,0.86,0.83,0.78,0.90,0.88,0.79,0.67,0.72)\}$	$\mathcal{F}\{(0.87,0.43,0.90,0.46,0.52,0.67,0.81,0.88,0.91), (0.59,0.66,0.81,0.54,0.49,0.63,0.73,0.80,0.45), (0.79,0.66,0.93,0.85,0.86,0.67,0.56,0.80,0.76)\}$	$\mathcal{F}\{(0.90,0.89,0.85,0.88,0.94,0.91,0.80,0.79,0.78), (0.81,0.80,0.79,0.90,0.87,0.76,0.69,0.84,0.88), (0.97,0.88,0.76,0.87,0.92,0.80,0.79,0.84,0.90)\}$	$\mathcal{F}\{(0.90,0.89,0.85,0.88,0.94,0.91,0.80,0.79,0.78), (0.82,0.79,0.93,0.78,0.72,0.91,0.86,0.82,0.80), (0.79,0.73,0.88,0.84,0.94,0.91,0.85,0.85,0.81)\}$
$\mathcal{J}\{(0.72,0.76,0.80,0.86,0.73,0.66,0.68,0.71,0.53), (0.69,0.72,0.79,0.81,0.86,0.91,0.83,0.78,0.88), (0.67,0.75,0.88,0.79,0.65,0.73,0.84,0.81,0.90)\}$	$\mathcal{J}\{(0.72,0.76,0.80,0.86,0.73,0.66,0.68,0.71,0.53), (0.52,0.87,0.65,0.69,0.61,0.73,0.58,0.75,0.81), (0.67,0.57,0.86,0.82,0.64,0.43,0.59,0.66,0.69)\}$	$\mathcal{J}\{(0.45,0.72,0.80,0.67,0.63,0.75,0.80,0.81,0.53), (0.55,0.58,0.67,0.49,0.76,0.88,0.62,0.67,0.70), (0.79,0.55,0.76,0.49,0.67,0.78,0.69,0.75,0.48)\}$	$\mathcal{J}\{(0.65,0.73,0.78,0.86,0.67,0.68,0.77,0.81,0.72), (0.64,0.73,0.69,0.82,0.81,0.74,0.75,0.60,0.82), (0.83,0.74,0.92,0.69,0.71,0.89,0.86,0.75,0.72)\}$

**VIKOR METHOD**

VIKOR method [5, 6] is used for deciphering multi criteria decision problem. VIKOR method give a balance solution that gives maximum group benefits for majority.

Steps of VIKOR method:

**STEP 1:** Defuzzified the Neutrosophic numbers and assign weights.

**STEP 2:** Ascertain positive ideal result and negative ideal result.

$$r^+ = \{r_{ij} \text{ max for beneficial criteria} \quad r_{ij} \text{ min for beneficial criteria}\}$$

$$r^- = \{r_{ij} \text{ min for non beneficial criteria} \quad r_{ij} \text{ max for non beneficial criteria}\}$$

**STEP 3:** Calculate group unity  $\mathbb{H}_j = \{\mathbb{H}_j^+, \mathbb{H}_j^-\}$  and individual regard value  $\mathbb{S}_j = \{\mathbb{S}_j^+, \mathbb{S}_j^-\}$

$$\mathbb{H}_j = \sum_{j=1}^m \left[ w_j \frac{(x_j^* - x_i)}{x_j^* - x_j^-} \right] \quad \mathbb{S}_j = \max_j \left[ w_j \frac{(x_j^* - x_{ij})}{x_j^* - x_j^-} \right]$$

$$\mathbb{H}_j^* = \min_j \mathbb{H}_j \quad \mathbb{H}_j^- = \max_j \mathbb{H}_j$$

$$\mathbb{S}_j^* = \min_j \mathbb{S}_j \quad \mathbb{S}_j^- = \max_j \mathbb{S}_j$$

**STEP 4:** Now we will calculate the comprehensive sorting index  $\mathcal{Q}_i$ .

$$\mathcal{Q}_i = \wp \frac{\mathbb{H}_i - \mathbb{H}^*}{\mathbb{H}^- - \mathbb{H}^*} + (1 - \wp) \frac{\mathbb{S}_i - \mathbb{S}^*}{\mathbb{S}^- - \mathbb{S}^*}$$

$\wp$ : decision, mechanism index  $\in [0,1]$

**STEP 5:** Rank the values base on the sorting index  $\mathcal{Q}$ . Decision maker select the best one according to ranking.

Here we have two conditions;

(a) Adequate advantage:

$$\mathcal{Q}(\omega^2) - \mathcal{Q}(\omega^1) \geq \frac{1}{j - 1}$$

$\mathcal{Q}(\omega^2)$ : second ranked sorting index

$\mathcal{Q}(\omega^1)$ : first ranked sorting index

$j$ : number of alternates

Adequate stability in verdict where  $\omega$  as well must ranked by  $\mathbb{H}_i$  or/and  $\mathcal{Q}_i$ .

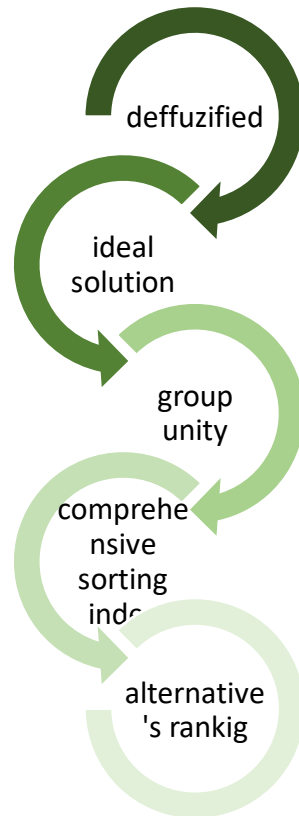


Figure 2. Steps for VIKOR method

**TOPSIS METHOD**

In this method two synthetic alternate are theorized [4, 14].

**Ideal alternative:** the one which has the finest level for attributes measured.

**Negative ideal alternative:** the one which has the poorest attributes values.

**STEP 1:** Defuzzified the Neutrosophic numbers and construct the weights.

**STEP 2:** Normalize data using

$$r_{ij} = \frac{\tilde{x}_{ij}}{(\sum \tilde{x}_{ij}^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

**STEP 3:** Multiply each column by associative weights

$$v_{ij} = w_j r_{ij}$$

**STEP 4:** Determine

Positive ideal result  $\mathcal{A}^*$   
 Negative ideal result  $\mathcal{A}^-$ .

$$\mathcal{A}^* = \{v_1^*, v_2^*, \dots, v_n^*\}$$

$$v_j^* = \{v_{ij} \text{ max for beneficial criteria } \quad v_{ij} \text{ min for non beneficial criteria}\}$$

$$\mathcal{A}^- = \{v_1^-, v_2^-, \dots, v_n^-\}$$

$$v_j^- = \{v_{ij} \text{ min for beneficial criteria } \quad v_{ij} \text{ max for non beneficial criteria}\}$$

**STEP 5 :** In this step we determine separation measure for each alternate.

For positive ideal alternate

$$S_i^* = \left[ \sum (v_j^* - v_{ij})^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

For negative ideal alternative

$$S_i^- = \left[ \sum (v_j^- - v_{ij})^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

**STEP 6:** Now we will calculate the relative closeness to the ideal solution

$$C_i^* = \frac{S_i^-}{S_i^* + S_i^-} \quad 0 < C_i^* < 1$$

Pick the option  $C_i^*$  closet to 1.

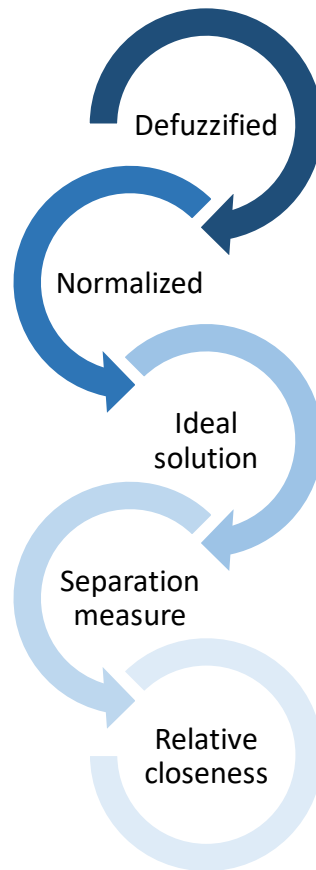


Figure 3. Steps for TOPSIS method

**NUMERICAL ANALYSIS**

**VIKOR Method:** First we use VIKOR method for decision making

**STEP 1:** We defuzzied the NNN by

$$\mathcal{D}^{tNON} = \left( \frac{a + b + c + d + e + f + g + h + i}{9} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{D}^{tNON} = \left( \frac{a_1 + b_1 + c_1 + d_1 + e_1 + f_1 + g_1 + h_1 + i_1}{9} \right)$$

$$\mathcal{D}^{tNON} = \left( \frac{a_2 + b_2 + c_2 + d_2 + e_2 + f_2 + g_2 + h_2 + i_2}{9} \right)$$

	$\Psi$	$\Omega$	$\Upsilon$	$\Gamma$
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$\mathcal{M}$	(0.83,0.76,0.69)	(0.93,0.84,0.85)	(0.93,0.87,0.88)	(0.75,0.77,0.75)
$\mathcal{E}$	(0.82,0.66,0.74)	(0.76,0.74,0.71)	(0.91,0.87,0.86)	(0.82,0.77,0.79)
$\mathcal{F}$	(0.73,0.68,0.79)	(0.71,0.63,0.76)	(0.86,0.81,0.85)	(0.86,0.82,0.84)
$\mathcal{J}$	(0.71,0.81,0.78)	(0.72,0.69,0.66)	(0.68,0.65,0.66)	(0.74,0.73,0.79)

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} 0.2 & 0.1 & 0.3 & 0.4 \\ 0.76 & 0.87 & 0.89 & 0.76 \\ 0.74 & 0.74 & 0.88 & 0.79 \\ 0.73 & 0.70 & 0.84 & 0.84 \\ 0.77 & 0.69 & 0.66 & 0.75 \end{pmatrix}$$

STEP 2: Now we determine the positive ideal solution and negative ideal solution

weightage	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4
	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}$	$\mathcal{J}$
$\Psi$	0.76	0.74	0.73	0.77
$\Omega$	0.87	0.74	0.70	0.69
$\Upsilon$	0.89	0.88	0.84	0.66
$\Gamma$	0.76	0.76	0.84	0.75
$r^+$	<b>0.87</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.75</b>
$r^-$	<b>0.76</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.66</b>

STEP 3 to 5: In this table we determine  $\mathbb{H}_i, \mathbb{S}_i, \mathbb{Q}_i$  and also select the candidate according to step 5.

	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}$	$\mathcal{J}$	$\mathbb{H}_i$	$\mathbb{S}_i$	$\mathbb{Q}_i$
$\Psi$	0.2	0.1	0.23	0.08	0.61	0.23	0.5
$\Omega$	0	0.1	0.3	0.27	<b>0.67</b>	0.3	0.75
$\Upsilon$	0.03	0	0	0.4	0.43	<b>0.4</b>	0.69
$\Gamma$	0.2	0.08	0	0	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.2</b>	0
$\mathbb{H}_i^*, \mathbb{S}_i^*$					<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.2</b>	
$\mathbb{H}_i^-, \mathbb{S}_i^-$					<b>0.67</b>	<b>0.4</b>	

According to ranking candidate  $\Gamma$  is selected.

TOPSIS Method: Now we apply TOPSIS method on the same application.

STEP 1:

weightage	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4
	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}$	$\mathcal{J}$
$\Psi$	0.76	0.74	0.73	0.77
$\Omega$	0.87	0.74	0.70	0.69
$\Upsilon$	0.89	0.88	0.84	0.66
$\Gamma$	0.76	0.76	0.84	0.75

STEP 2:

$$r_{ij} = \frac{x_{ij}}{(\sum x_{ij}^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}$	$\mathcal{J}$
$\Psi$	0.46	0.47	0.46	0.53
$\Omega$	0.53	0.47	0.45	0.48
$\Upsilon$	0.54	0.56	0.53	0.46
$\Gamma$	0.46	0.48	0.53	0.52

STEP 3:

$$v_{ij} = w_j r_{ij}$$

	$\mathcal{M}$	$\mathcal{E}$	$\mathcal{F}$	$\mathcal{J}$
$\Psi$	<b>0.092</b>	<b>0.047</b>	0.138	<b>0.212</b>
$\Omega$	0.106	<b>0.047</b>	<b>0.135</b>	0.192
$\Upsilon$	<b>0.108</b>	<b>0.056</b>	<b>0.159</b>	<b>0.184</b>
$\Gamma$	<b>0.092</b>	0.048	<b>0.159</b>	0.208

STEP 4:

$$\mathcal{A}^* = \{0.108, 0.056, 0.159, 0.184\}$$

$$\mathcal{A}^- = \{0.092, 0.047, 0.135, 0.212\}$$

STEP 5 AND 6:



$$S_i^* = \left[ \sum (v_j^* - v_{ij})^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad S_i^- = \left[ \sum (v_j^- - v_{ij})^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

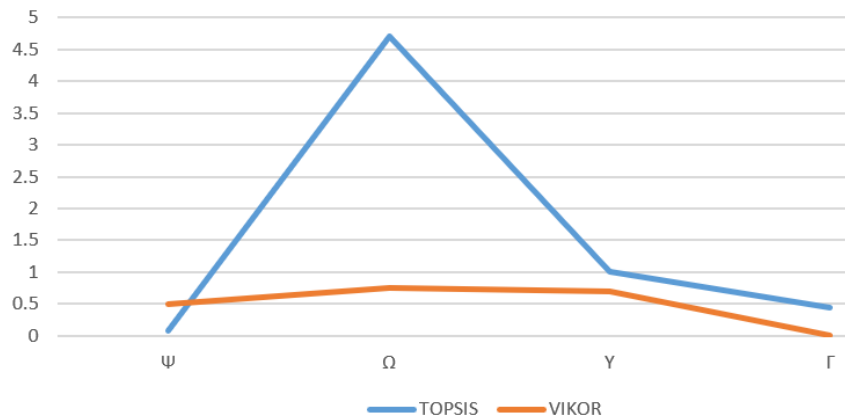
$$C_i^* = \frac{S_i^-}{S_i^* + S_i^-}$$

	$S_i^*$	$S_i^-$	$C_i^*$
$\Psi$	0.039	0.003	0.071
$\Omega$	0.027	0.024	4.71
$\Upsilon$	0	0.041	1
$\Gamma$	0.029	0.042	0.45

According to relative ideal solution candidate  $\Gamma$  is selected.

	TOPSIS METHOD			V/S	VIKOR METHOD		
	$S_i^*$	$S_i^-$	$C_i^*$		$\mathbb{H}_i$	$\mathbb{S}_i$	$\mathbb{Q}_i$
$\Psi$	0.039	0.003	0.071		0.61	0.23	0.5
$\Omega$	0.027	0.024	4.71		0.67	0.3	0.75
$\Upsilon$	0	0.041	1		0.43	0.4	0.69
$\Gamma$	0.029	0.042	0.45		0.28	0.2	0

Comparison of TOPSIS and VIKOR



VIKOR method is better than TOPSIS method because it gives more accurate results in indeterminacy.

**CONCLUSION**

We work on Nonagonal Neutrosophic Numbers and find out  $\alpha - cut$  and graphs of the numbers as well as comparison of TOPSIS and VIKOR method is done on a real-life case study. In comparison graph blue line is for TOPSIS and orange line for VIKOR method, which shows that VIKOR method gives more accurate result in indeterminacy.

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