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Generalized ψ^* -closed sets in bitopological spaces

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Abstract In this paper, we introduce and study a new class of sets in a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , namely, ij - ψ^* -closed sets, which settled properly in between the class of ji - α -closed sets and the class of ij - $g\alpha$ -closed sets. We also introduce and study new classes of spaces, namely, $ij - T_{1/5}$ spaces, ij - T_e spaces, ij - αT_e spaces, ij - T_l spaces and ij - αT_l spaces. As applications of ij - ψ^* -closed sets, we introduce and study four new classes of spaces, namely, $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces, $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ spaces (both classes contain the class of $ij - T_{1/5}$ spaces), ij - αT_k spaces and ij - T_k spaces. The class of ij - T_k spaces is properly placed in between the class of ij - T_e spaces and the class of ij - T_l spaces. It is shown that dual of the class of $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces to the class of ij - αT_e spaces is the class of ij - αT_k spaces and the dual of the class of $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ spaces to the class of $ij - T_{1/5}$ spaces is the class of $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces and also that the dual of the class of ij - T_l spaces to the class of ij - T_k spaces is the class of ij - αT_k spaces. Further we introduce and study ij - ψ^* -continuous functions and ij - ψ^* -irresolute functions.

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1. Introduction

Recently the topological structure τ on a set X has a lot of applications in many real life applications. The abstractness of a set X enlarges the range of its applications. For example, a special type of this structure is the basic structure for rough set theory [1]. Alexandroff topologies are widely applied in the field of digital topologies [2]. Moreover, τ and its generalizations are applied in biochemical studies [3].

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The work presented in this paper will open the way for using two viewpoints in these applications. That is, to apply two topologies at the same time. The concepts of g -closed sets, gs -closed sets, sg -closed sets, $g\alpha$ -closed sets, αg -closed sets, gp -closed sets, gsp -closed sets and spg -closed sets have been introduced in topological spaces (cf. [4–10]). El-Tantawy and Abu-Donia [11] introduced the concepts of $(ij$ - $GC(X)$, ij - $GSC(X)$, ij - $SGC(X)$, ij - $G\alpha C(X)$, ij - $\alpha GC(X)$, ij - $GPC(X)$, ij - $GSPC(X)$, and ij - $SPGC(X)$) subset of (X, τ_1, τ_2) . Abd Allah and Nawar [12] introduced The concept of ψ^* -open sets and studied The properties of $T_{1/5}$, T_e , αT_e , T_l , αT_l . In this paper, we introduce a new class of sets in a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , namely, ij - ψ^* -closed sets, which settled properly in between the class of ji - α -closed sets and the class of ij - $g\alpha$ -closed sets. And we extend the properties to a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . Also we use

the family of $ij-\psi^*$ -closed sets to introduce some types of properties in (X, τ_1, τ_2) , and we study the relation between these properties. The concepts of pre-continuous, semi-continuous, α -continuous, sp-continuous, g-continuous, α g-continuous, $g\alpha$ -continuous, gs-continuous, sg-continuous, gsp-continuous, spg-continuous, gp-continuous, gc-irresolute, gs-irresolute, α g-irresolute and $g\alpha$ -irresolute functions have been introduced in topological spaces (cf. [7,10,13–22]). El-Tantawy and Abu-Donia [11] introduced the concepts of (*ij-pre-continuous*, *ij-semi-continuous*, *ij- α -continuous*, *ij-sp-continuous*, *ij-g-continuous*, *ij- α g-continuous*, *ij-g α -continuous*, *ij-gs-continuous*, *ij-sg-continuous*, *ij-gsp-continuous*, *ij-spg-continuous*, *ij-gp-continuous*, *ij-gc-irresolute*, *ij-gs-irresolute*, *ij- α g-irresolute* and *ij-g α -irresolute*) functions in bitopological spaces. In this paper, we introduce a new functions in a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , namely, *ij- ψ^* -continuous* functions and *ij- ψ^* -irresolute* functions.

2. Preliminaries

Definition 2.1. [23] A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called:

- (1) *ij-preopen* if $A \subseteq \tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(A))$ and *ij-preclosed* if $\tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(A)) \subseteq A$.
- (2) *ij-semi-open* if $A \subseteq \tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(A))$ and *ij-semi-closed* if $\tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(A)) \subseteq A$.
- (3) *ij- α -open* if $A \subseteq \tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(A)))$ and *ij- α -closed* if $\tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(A))) \subseteq A$.
- (4) *ij-semi-preopen* if $A \subseteq \tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(A)))$ and *ij-semi-preclosed* if $\tau_r\text{-int}(\tau_r\text{-cl}(\tau_r\text{-int}(A))) \subseteq A$.

The class of all *ij-preopen* (resp. *ij-semi-open*, *ij- α -open* and *ij-semi-preopen*) sets in a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is denoted by *ij-PO(X)* (resp. *ij-SO(X)*, *ij- α O(X)* and *ij-SPO(X)*). The class of all *ij-preclosed* (resp. *ij-semi-closed*, *ij- α -closed* and *ij-semi-preclosed*) sets in a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is denoted by *ij-PC(X)* (resp. *ij-SC(X)*, *ij- α C(X)* and *ij-SPC(X)*).

Definition 2.2. [23] For a subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , the *ij-pre-closure* (resp. *ij-semi-closure*, *ij- α -closure* and *ij-semi-pre-closure*) of A are denoted and defined as follow:

- (1) $ij\text{-}pcl(A) = \cap\{F \subset X : F \in ij\text{-}PC(X), F \supseteq A\}$.
- (2) $ij\text{-}scl(A) = \cap\{F \subset X : F \in ij\text{-}SC(X), F \supseteq A\}$.
- (3) $ij\text{-}\alpha cl(A) = \cap\{F \subset X : F \in ij\text{-}\alpha C(X), F \supseteq A\}$.
- (4) $ij\text{-}spcl(A) = \cap\{F \subset X : F \in ij\text{-}SPC(X), F \supseteq A\}$.

Dually, the *ij-preinterior* (resp. *ij-semi-interior*, *ij- α -interior* and *ij-semi-preinterior*) of A , denoted by *ij-pint(A)* (resp. *ij-sint(A)*, *ij- α int(A)* and *ij-spint(A)*) is the union of all *ij-preopen* (resp. *ij-semi-open*, *ij- α -open* and *ij-semi-preopen*) subsets of X contained in A .

Definition 2.3. [11] A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called:

- (1) *ij-g-closed* (denoted by *ij-GC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in \tau_i \Rightarrow j\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq U$.
- (2) *ij-gs-closed* (denoted by *ij-GSC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in \tau_i \Rightarrow ji\text{-scl}(A) \subseteq U$.

- (3) *ij-sg-closed* (denoted by *ij-SGC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in ij\text{-SO}(X) \Rightarrow ji\text{-scl}(A) \subseteq U$.
- (4) *ij-g α -closed* (denoted by *ij-G α C(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in ij\text{-}\alpha O(X) \Rightarrow ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$.
- (5) *ij- α g-closed* (denoted by *ij- α GC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in \tau_i \Rightarrow ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$.
- (6) *ij-gp-closed* (denoted by *ij-GPC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in \tau_i \Rightarrow ji\text{-pcl}(A) \subseteq U$.
- (7) *ij-gsp-closed* (denoted by *ij-GSPC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in \tau_i \Rightarrow ji\text{-spcl}(A) \subseteq U$.
- (8) *ij-spg-closed* (denoted by *ij-SPGC(X)*) if, $A \subseteq U, U \in ji\text{-SPO}(X) \Rightarrow ji\text{-spcl}(A) \subseteq U$.

The complement of an *ij-GC(X)* (resp. *ij-GSC(X)*, *ij-SGC(X)*, *ij-G α C(X)*, *ij- α GC(X)*, *ij-GPC(X)*, *ij-GSPC(X)*, and *ij-SPGC(X)*) subset of (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an *ij-GO(X)* (resp. *ij-GSO(X)*, *ij-SGO(X)*, *ij-G α O(X)*, *ij- α GO(X)*, *ij-GPO(X)*, *ij-GSPO(X)*, and *ij-SPGO(X)*) subset of (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Definition 2.4. [11] A function $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is called:

- (1) *ij-pre-continuous* if $\forall V \in i\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}PC(X)$.
- (2) *ij-semi-continuous* if $\forall V \in i\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}SC(X)$.
- (3) *ij- α -continuous* if $\forall V \in i\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}\alpha C(X)$.
- (4) *ij-sp-continuous* if $\forall V \in i\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}SPC(X)$.
- (5) *ij-g-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GC(X)$.
- (6) *ij- α g-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}\alpha GC(X)$.
- (7) *ij-g α -continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$.
- (8) *ij-gs-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GSC(X)$.
- (9) *ij-sg-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}SGC(X)$.
- (10) *ij-gsp-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GSPC(X)$.
- (11) *ij-spg-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}SPGC(X)$.
- (12) *ij-gp-continuous* if $\forall V \in j\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GPC(X)$.
- (13) *i-continuous* if $\forall V \in i\text{-}C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in i\text{-}C(X)$.
- (14) *ij-gc-irresolute* if $\forall V \in ij\text{-}GC(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GC(X)$.
- (15) *ij-gs-irresolute* if $\forall V \in ij\text{-}GSC(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}GSC(X)$.
- (16) *ij- α g-irresolute* if $\forall V \in ij\text{-}\alpha GC(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}\alpha GC(X)$.
- (17) *ij-g α -irresolute* if $\forall V \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$.

Definition 2.5. [12] A subset A of (X, τ) is called ψ^* -closed if $A \subseteq U, U \in G\alpha O(X) \Rightarrow \alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$. The complement of ψ^* -closed set is said to be ψ^* -open.

Definition 2.6. [12] A space (X, τ) is called:

- (1) $T_{1/5}$ space if $G\alpha C(X) = \alpha C(X)$.
- (2) $T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space if $\psi^* C(X) = \alpha C(X)$.
- (3) $\psi^* T_{1/5}$ space if $G\alpha C(X) = \psi^* C(X)$.
- (4) T_e space if $GSC(X) = \alpha C(X)$.
- (5) αT_e space if $\alpha GC(X) = \alpha C(X)$.
- (6) T_k space if $GSC(X) = \psi^* C(X)$.
- (7) αT_k space if $\alpha GC(X) = \psi^* C(X)$.
- (8) T_l space if $GSC(X) = G\alpha C(X)$.
- (9) αT_l space if $\alpha GC(X) = G\alpha C(X)$.

Definition 2.7. [12] A function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called:

- (1) ψ^* -continuous if $\forall V \in C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in \psi^* C(X)$.
- (2) ψ^* -irresolute if $\forall V \in \psi^* C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in \psi^* C(X)$.
- (3) pre- ψ^* -closed if $A \in \psi^* C(X), f(A) \in \psi^* C(Y)$.

3. Basic properties of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 3.1. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set if, $A \subseteq U, U \in ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X) \Rightarrow ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$.

The class of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed subsets of (X, τ_1, τ_2) is denoted by $ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$.

The following diagram shows the relationships of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets with some other sets discussed in this section (see Diagram 1).

Definition 3.1 is a particular case of Definition 8 from Noiri [24].

Theorem 3.1. Every $ji\text{-}\alpha$ -closed set is an $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set.

The following example supports that an $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set need not be a $ji\text{-}\alpha$ -closed set in general.

Example 3.1. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, d\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}$. Then we have $A = \{b, c\} \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$ but $A \notin ji\text{-}\alpha C(X)$.

Therefore the class of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets is properly contains the class of $ji\text{-}\alpha$ -closed sets. Next we show that the class of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets is properly contained in the class of $ij\text{-}g\alpha$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.2. Every $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set is an $ij\text{-}g\alpha$ -closed set.

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 3.2. Let $X, \tau_1,$ and τ_2 are as in the Example 3.1. Then the subset $B = \{b\} \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$ but $B \notin ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$.

Remark 3.1. The intersection of two sets in $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set is not in general a set in $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed set, as shown by the following example.

Example 3.3. Let $X, \tau_1,$ and τ_2 be as in the Example 3.1. Then we have $\{a, b\}$ and $\{b, c\} \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$ but $\{a, b\} \cap \{b, c\} = \{b\} \notin ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$.

Theorem 3.3. For any bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

- (1) $ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X) \cap ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X) \subseteq ji\text{-}\alpha C(X)$.
- (2) If $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$ and $A \subseteq B \subseteq ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A)$, then $B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$.

Proof.

- (1) Let $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X) \cap ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X)$. Then we have $ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq A$. Consequently, $A \in ji\text{-}\alpha C(X)$.
- (2) Let $U \in ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X)$ such that $B \subseteq U$. Since $A \subseteq B$ and $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$, then $ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$. Since $B \subseteq ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A)$, then we have $ji\text{-}\alpha cl(B) \subseteq ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore, $B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$. \square

Theorem 3.4. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space, $A \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$. Then $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$ if $ij\text{-}\alpha O(X) = ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X)$.

Proof. Let $A \in ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$ i.e. $A \subseteq U$ and $U \in ij\text{-}\alpha O(X)$, then $ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$. Since $ij\text{-}\alpha O(X) = ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X)$. Consequently, $A \subseteq U$ and $U \in ji\text{-}G\alpha O(X)$, then $ji\text{-}\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$ i.e. $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$. \square

Theorem 3.5. Let (X_1, τ_1, τ_2) and $(X_2, \tau_1^*, \tau_2^*)$ be two bitopological spaces. Then the following statement is true. If $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_1)$ and $B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_2)$, then $A \times B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_1 \times X_2)$.

Proof. Let $A \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_1)$ and $B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_2)$ and $W = A \times B \subseteq X_1 \times X_2$. Let $F = F_1 \times F_2 \subseteq W, F \in ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X_1 \times X_2)$. Then there are $F_1 \in ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X_1), F_2 \in ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X_2), F_1 \subseteq A, F_2 \subseteq B$ and so, $F_1 \subseteq \tau_{j_1} - \alpha int(A)$ and $F_2 \subseteq \tau_{j_2}^* - \alpha int(B)$. Hence $F_1 \times F_2 \subseteq A \times B$ and $F_1 \times F_2 \subseteq \tau_{j_1} - \alpha int(A) \times \tau_{j_2}^* - \alpha int(B) = \tau_{j_1 \times j_2} - \alpha int(A \times B)$.

Therefore $A \times B \in ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X_1 \times X_2)$. \square

Theorem 3.6. A subset A of X is $ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X)$ if and only if F is a subset of $ij\text{-}\alpha int(A)$ whenever $F \subseteq A$ and $F \in ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 3.7. For each $x \in X$, either $\{x\}$ is $ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$ or $\{x\}$ is $ij\text{-}\psi^* O(X)$.

Theorem 3.8. A subset A of X is $ij\text{-}\psi^* C(X)$ if and only if $ji\text{-}\alpha C(A) \cap F = \emptyset$, whenever $A \cap F = \emptyset$, where F is $ji\text{-}G\alpha C(X)$.

4. Applications of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets

As applications of $ij\text{-}\psi^*$ -closed sets, four new classes of spaces, namely, $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces, $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ spaces, $ij\text{-}T_k$ spaces and $ij\text{-}\alpha T_k$ spaces are introduced.

We introduce the following definitions.

Definition 4.1. A bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space if $ij\text{-}G\alpha C(X) = ji\text{-}\alpha C(X)$.

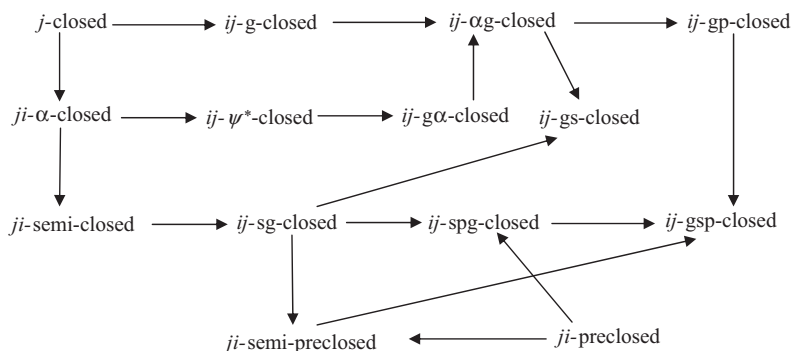


Diagram 1

Definition 4.2. A bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space if $ij - \psi^* C(X) = ji - \alpha C(X)$.

We prove that the class of $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces properly contains the class of $ij - T_{1/5}$ spaces.

Theorem 4.1. Every $ij - T_{1/5}$ space is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \psi^*$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true as it can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.1. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space but not an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space since $\{b, c\} \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$ but $\{b, c\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 4.3. A bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space if $ij - G\alpha C(X) = ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Theorem 4.2. Every $ij - T_{1/5}$ space is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space. Let $A \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space, then $A \in ji - \alpha C(X)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.1, we have $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true as we see in the following example.

Example 4.2. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space but not an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space since $\{a, b\} \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$ but $\{a, b\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

We show that $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ ness is independent from $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ ness.

Remark 4.1. $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ ness and $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ ness are independent as it can be seen from the next two examples.

Example 4.3. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.1. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space but not an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space since $\{b, c\} \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$ but $\{b, c\} \notin ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Example 4.4. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.2. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space but not an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space since $\{a, c\} \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$ but $\{a, c\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.3. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space, then for each $x \in X$, $\{x\}$ is either $ji - \alpha$ -closed or $ij - \psi^*$ -open.

Proof. Suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space. Let $x \in X$ and assume that $\{x\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$. Then $\{x\} \notin ij - G\alpha C(X)$ since every $ji - \alpha$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. So $X - \{x\} \notin ji - \alpha O(X)$. Therefore $X - \{x\} \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$ since X is the only $ji - \alpha$ -open set which contains $X - \{x\}$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space, then $X - \{x\} \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$ or equivalently $\{x\} \in ij - \psi^* O(X)$. \square

Theorem 4.4. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space if and only if it is $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. The necessity follows from the Theorems 4.1 and 4.2. For the sufficiency, suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is both $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space. Let $A \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space, then $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space, then $A \in ji - \alpha C(X)$. Thus (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space. \square

We introduce the following definitions $ij - T_e$ spaces and $ij - \alpha T_e$ spaces respectively and show that every $ij - T_e$ ($ij - \alpha T_e$) space is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space.

Definition 4.4. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - T_e$ space if $ij - GSC(X) = ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Definition 4.5. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space if $ij - \alpha GC(X) = ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.5. Every $ij - T_e$ space is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \alpha$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. \square

An $ij - T_{1/5}$ space need not be an $ij - T_e$ space as we see the next example.

Example 4.5. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space but not an $ij - T_e$ space since $\{b\} \in ij - GSC(X)$ but $\{b\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.6. Every $ij - \alpha T_e$ space is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \alpha$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. \square

An $ij - T_{1/5}$ space need not be an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space as we see the next example.

Example 4.6. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, a, c\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space since $\{a, c\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{a, c\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.7. Every $ij - T_e$ space is an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \alpha$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true in general as the following example supports.

Example 4.7. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.5. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space but not an $ij - T_e$ space since $\{b\} \in ij - GSC(X)$ but $\{b\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.8. Every $ij - T_e$ space is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \psi^*$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha$ -closed set. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true in general as the following example supports.

Example 4.8. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$, $\tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d, e\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, e\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, c, d\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space but not an $ij - T_e$ space since $\{d\} \in ij - GSC(X)$ but $\{d\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.9. Every $ij - \alpha T_e$ space is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. Follows from the fact that every $ij - \psi^*$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha g$ -closed set. \square

An $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space need not be an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space as we see the next example.

Example 4.9. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.8. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space $\{c\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{c\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

We introduce the following definitions.

Definition 4.6. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - T_k$ space if $ij - GSC(X) = ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Definition 4.7. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space if $ij - \alpha GC(X) = ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Definition 4.8. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - T_l$ space if $ij - GSC(X) = ij - G\alpha C(X)$.

Definition 4.9. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - \alpha T_l$ space if $ij - \alpha GC(X) = ij - G\alpha C(X)$.

We show that the class of $ij - \alpha T_k$ spaces properly contains the class of $ij - \alpha T_e$ spaces and is properly contained in the class of $ij - \alpha T_l$ spaces. We also show that the class of $ij - \alpha T_k$ spaces is the dual of the class of $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ spaces to the class of $ij - \alpha T_e$ spaces. Moreover we prove that $ij - \alpha T_k$ ness and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ ness are independent from each other.

Theorem 4.10. Every $ij - \alpha T_e$ space is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space. Let $A \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space, then $A \in ji - \alpha C(X)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.1, we have $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space. \square

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 4.10. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.2. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space since $\{a, c\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{a, c\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.11. Every $ij - \alpha T_k$ space is an $ij - \alpha T_l$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space. Let $A \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space, then $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.2, we have $A \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_l$ space. \square

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 4.11. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.1. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_l$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space since $\{b\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{b\} \notin ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Theorem 4.12. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space if and only if it is $ij - \alpha T_k$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. The necessity follows from the Theorems 4.9 and 4.10. For the sufficiency, suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is both $ij - \alpha T_k$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space. Let $A \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space, then $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space, then $A \in ji - \alpha C(X)$. Thus (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_e$ space. \square

Remark 4.2. $ij - \alpha T_k$ ness and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ ness are independent as it can be seen from the next two examples.

Example 4.12. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.2. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space but not an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space since $\{a, b\} \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$ but $\{a, b\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$.

Example 4.13. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.1. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space since $\{b, c\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{b, c\} \notin ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

Definition 4.10. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called an $ij - \psi^*$ -open if its complement is an $ij - \psi^*$ -closed of (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Theorem 4.13. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space, then for each $x \in X$, $\{x\}$ is either $ij - \alpha g$ -closed or $ij - \psi^*$ -open.

Proof. Suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space. Let $x \in X$ and assume that $\{x\} \notin ij - \alpha GC(X)$. Then $\{x\} \notin ji - \alpha C(X)$ since every $ji - \alpha$ -closed set is an $ij - \alpha g$ -closed set. So $X - \{x\} \notin ji - \alpha O(X)$. Therefore $X - \{x\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ since X is the only $ji - \alpha$ -open set which contains $X - \{x\}$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space, then $X - \{x\} \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$ or equivalently $\{x\} \in ij - \psi^* O(X)$. \square

Theorem 4.14. Every $ij - \alpha T_k$ space is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space. Let $A \in ij - G\alpha C(X)$, then $A \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space, then $A \in ij - \psi^* C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space. \square

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 4.14. Let X, τ_1 , and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.8. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - \psi^* T_{1/5}$ space but not an $ij - \alpha T_k$ space since $\{c\} \in ij - \alpha GC(X)$ but $\{c\} \notin ij - \psi^* C(X)$.

We show that the class of $ij - T_k$ spaces properly contains the class of $ij - T_e$ spaces, and is properly contained in the class of $ij - \alpha T_k$ spaces, the class of $ij - T_l$ spaces, and the class of $ij - \alpha T_l$ spaces.

Theorem 4.15. Every $ij - T_e$ space is an $ij - T_k$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij-T_e$ space. Let $A \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_e$ space, then $A \in ji-\alpha C(X)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.1, we have $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space. \square

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 4.15. Let $X, \tau_1,$ and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.2. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space but not an $ij-T_e$ space since $\{a, c\} \in ij-GSC(X)$ but $\{a, c\} \notin ji-\alpha C(X)$.

Theorem 4.16. Every $ij-T_k$ space is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij-T_k$ space. Let $A \in ij-\alpha GC(X)$, then $A \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true as it can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.16. Let $X, \tau_1,$ and τ_2 be as in the Example 4.5. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space but not an $ij-T_k$ space since $\{b\} \in ij-GSC(X)$ but $\{b\} \notin ij-\psi^*C(X)$.

Theorem 4.17. Every $ij-T_k$ space is an $ij-T_l$ space.

Proof. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an $ij-T_k$ space. Let $A \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.2, we have $A \in ij-G\alpha C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_l$ space. \square

The converse of the above theorem is not true as it can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.17. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}, \tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a, c\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_l$ space but not an $ij-T_k$ space since $\{c\} \in ij-GSC(X)$ but $\{c\} \notin ij-\psi^*C(X)$.

Next we prove that the dual of the class of $ij-T_l$ spaces to the class of $ij-T_k$ spaces is the class of $ij-\alpha T_k$ spaces.

Theorem 4.18. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space if and only if it is $ij-\alpha T_k$ and $ij-T_l$ space.

Proof. The necessity follows from the Theorems 4.16 and 4.17. For the sufficiency, suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is both $ij-\alpha T_k$ and $ij-T_l$ space. Let $A \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_l$ space, then $A \in ij-G\alpha C(X)$. Then $A \in ij-\alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space, then $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space. \square

Theorem 4.19. A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_e$ space if and only if it is $ij-T_k$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space.

Proof. The necessity follows from the Theorems 4.8 and 4.15. For the sufficiency, suppose that (X, τ_1, τ_2) is both $ij-T_k$ and $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space. Let $A \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij - T_{1/5}^{\psi^*}$ space, then $A \in ji-\alpha C(X)$. Therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_e$ space. \square

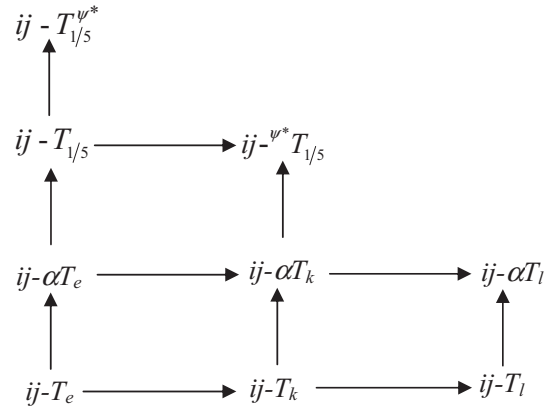


Diagram 2

The following diagram shows the relationships between the separation axioms discussed in this section (see Diagram 2).

5. $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous and $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute functions

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 5.1. A function $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is called $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous if $\forall V \in j-C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$.

The following diagram shows the relationships of $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous functions with some other functions discussed in this section (see Diagram 3).

Theorem 5.1. Every $ji-\alpha$ -continuous function is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 5.1. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, Y = \{u, v, w\}, \tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, d\}\}, \tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}, \sigma_1 = \{Y, \phi, \{u\}, \{u, v\}\}, \{u, w\}$ and $\sigma_2 = \{Y, \phi, \{u\}, \{u, v\}\}$. Define $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ by $f(a) = u, f(b) = v$ and $f(c) = f(d) = w$. f is not $ji-\alpha$ -continuous function since $\{v, w\} \in j-C(Y)$ but $f^{-1}(\{v, w\}) = \{b, c, d\} \notin ji-\alpha C(X)$. However f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous function.

Theorem 5.2. Every $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous function is $ij-g\alpha$ -continuous.

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 5.2. Let $X, Y, \tau_1, \tau_2, \sigma_1$ and σ_2 be as in the example 5.1. Define $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ by $f(a) = u, f(b) = w$ and $f(c) = f(d) = v$. f is not $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous function since $\{w\} \in j-C(Y)$ but $f^{-1}(\{w\}) = \{b\} \notin ij-\psi^*C(X)$. However f is $ij-g\alpha$ -continuous function.

Theorem 5.3. If $f_1: (X_1, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y_1, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ and $f_2: (X_2, \tau_1^*, \tau_2^*) \rightarrow (Y_2, \sigma_1^*, \sigma_2^*)$ be two $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous functions. Then the function $f: (X_1 \times X_2, \tau_1 \times \tau_1^*, \tau_2 \times \tau_2^*) \rightarrow (Y_1 \times Y_2, \sigma_1 \times \sigma_1^*, \sigma_2 \times \sigma_2^*)$ defined by $f(x_1, x_2) = (f(x_1), f(x_2))$ is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

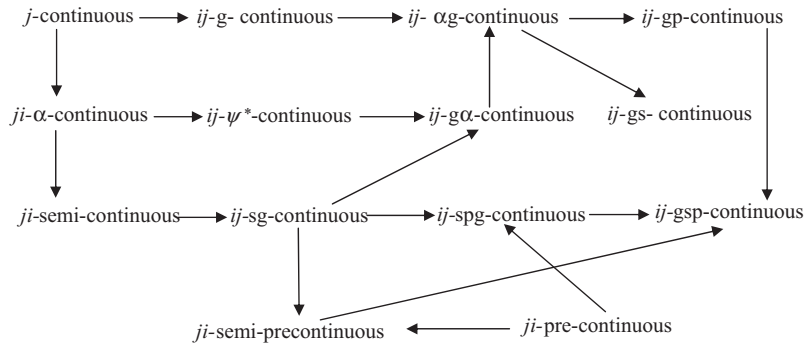


Diagram 3

Proof. Let $V_1 \in j-O(Y_1)$ and $V_2 \in j-O(Y_2)$. Since f_1 and f_2 are two $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous, then $f^{-1}(V_1) \in ij-\psi^*O(X_1)$ and $f^{-1}(V_2) \in ij-\psi^*O(X_2)$. Hence, by using Theorem 3.5, we have $f^{-1}(V_1) \times f^{-1}(V_2) \in ij-\psi^*O(X_1 \times X_2)$. \square

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 5.2. A function $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is called $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute if $\forall V \in ij-\psi^*C(Y), f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$.

Theorem 5.4. Every $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute function is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

The following example supports that the converse of the above theorem is not true in general.

Example 5.3. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, Y = \{u, v, w\}, \tau_1 = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, d\}\}, \tau_2 = \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}, \sigma_1 = \{Y, \phi, \{u\}\}$ and $\sigma_2 = \{Y, \phi, \{u\}, \{v, w\}\}$. Define $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ by $f(a) = v, f(b) = w$ and $f(c) = f(d) = u$. f is not $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute function since $\{u, v\} \in ij-\psi^*C(Y)$ but $f^{-1}(\{u, v\}) = \{a, c, d\} \notin ij-\psi^*C(X)$. However f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous function.

Theorem 5.5. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ and $g: (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow (Z, \eta_1, \eta_2)$ be any two functions. Then

- (1) $g \circ f$ is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous if g is j -continuous and f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.
- (2) $g \circ f$ is $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute if both f and g are $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute.
- (3) $g \circ f$ is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous if g is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous and f is $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute.

Proof. Let $V \in j-C(Z)$, since g is j -continuous, then $g^{-1}(V) \in j-C(Y)$. Since f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous, then we have $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Consequently, $g \circ f$ is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

(2)–(3) Similarly. \square

Theorem 5.6. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be an $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous function. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space, then f is $ji-\alpha$ -continuous function.

Proof. Let $V \in j-C(Y)$. Since f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ji-\alpha C(X)$. Consequently, f is $ji-\alpha$ -continuous. \square

Theorem 5.7. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be an $ij-\alpha g$ -continuous function. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space, then f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

Proof. Let $V \in j-C(Y)$. Since f is an $ij-\alpha g$ -continuous function, thus $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Consequently, f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous. \square

Theorem 5.8. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be an $ij-g\alpha$ -continuous function. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space, then f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

Proof. Let $V \in j-C(Y)$. Since f is an $ij-g\alpha$ -continuous function, thus $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-G\alpha C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Consequently, f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous. \square

Theorem 5.9. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be an $ij-gs$ -continuous function. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-T_k$ space, then f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous.

Proof. Let $V \in j-C(Y)$. Since f is an $ij-gs$ -continuous function, thus $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Consequently, f is $ij-\psi^*$ -continuous. \square

Theorem 5.10. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be onto, $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute and $ji-\alpha$ -closed. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space, then (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space.

Proof. Let $V \in ij-\psi^*C(Y)$. Since f is $ij-\psi^*$ -irresolute, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^*C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ji-\alpha C(X)$. Since f is $ji-\alpha$ -closed and onto. Then we have $V \in ji-\alpha C(Y)$. Therefore (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-T_{1/5}^\psi$ space. \square

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 5.3. A function $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is called an ij -pre- ψ^* -closed if $A \in ij-\psi^*C(X), f(A) \in ij-\psi^*C(Y)$.

Theorem 5.11. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be onto, $ij-g\alpha$ -irresolute and ij -pre- ψ^* -closed. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space, then (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space.

Proof. Let $V \in ij-G\alpha C(Y)$. Since f is $ij-g\alpha$ -irresolute, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-G\alpha C(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space. Since f is ij -pre- ψ^* -closed and onto. Then we have $f(f^{-1}(V)) = V \in ij-\psi^*C(Y)$. Therefore (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-\psi^*T_{1/5}$ space. \square

Theorem 5.12. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be onto, $ij-\alpha g$ -irresolute and ij -pre- ψ^* -closed. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space, then (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space.

Proof. Let $V \in ij-\alpha GC(Y)$. Since f is $ij-\alpha g$ -irresolute, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\alpha GC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^* C(X)$. Since f is ij -pre- ψ^* -closed and onto. Then we have $f(f^{-1}(V)) = V \in ij-\psi^* C(Y)$. Therefore (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-\alpha T_k$ space. \square

Theorem 5.13. Let $f: (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ be onto, ij -gs-irresolute and ij -pre- ψ^* -closed. If (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-T_k$ space.

Proof. Let $V \in ij-GSC(Y)$. Since f is ij -gs-irresolute, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-GSC(X)$. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is an $ij-T_k$ space, then $f^{-1}(V) \in ij-\psi^* C(X)$. Since f is ij -pre- ψ^* -closed and onto. Then we have $f(f^{-1}(V)) = V \in ij-\psi^* C(Y)$. Therefore (Y, σ_1, σ_2) is also an $ij-T_k$ space. \square

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