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Abstract. This paper deals with the notion of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions. Furthermore, some characterizations of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions are discussed.

1. INTRODUCTION

The notion of quasi continuous functions was introduced by Marcus [24]. Popa [31] introduced and investigated the notion of almost quasi continuous functions. Neubrunnovaá [25] showed that quasi continuity is equivalent to semi-continuity due to Levine [22]. Popa and Stan [32] introduced and studied the notion of weakly quasi continuous functions. Weak quasi continuity is implied by quasi continuity and weak continuity [23] which are independent of each other. It is shown in [28] that weak quasi continuity is equivalent to weak semi-continuity due to Arya and Bhamini [1] and Kar and Bhattacharyya [20]. Duangphui et al. [19] introduced and investigated the notion of weakly $(\mu, \mu')^{(m,n)}$ -continuous functions. Furthermore, some characterizations of almost (Λ, p) -continuous functions, strongly $\theta(\Lambda, p)$ -continuous functions, almost strongly $\theta(\Lambda, p)$ -continuous functions, $\theta(\Lambda, p)$ -continuous functions, weakly (Λ, b) -continuous functions, $\theta(\star)$ -precontinuous functions, \star -continuous functions, θ - \mathcal{I} -continuous functions, almost (g, m) -continuous functions, (Λ, sp) -continuous functions, $\delta p(\Lambda, s)$ -continuous functions and pairwise weakly M -continuous functions were presented in [35], [36], [6], [33], [7], [8], [9], [13], [17], [38], [34] and [18], respectively. Bânzaru and Crivăţ [2] introduced and studied the concept of quasi continuous multifunctions.

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Popa and Noiri [29] introduced the concept of almost quasi continuous multifunctions and investigated some characterizations of such multifunctions. The notion of weakly quasi continuous multifunctions was introduced and investigated by the present authors [27]. Several characterizations of weakly quasi continuous multifunctions have been obtained in [29]. Popa and Noiri [30] introduced and studied the notion of θ -quasi continuous multifunctions. Moreover, some characterizations of θ -quasi continuous multifunctions were studied in [26]. In [14], the present author introduced and studied the notions of almost quasi \star -continuous multifunctions and weakly quasi \star -continuous multifunctions. Additionally, some characterizations of weakly \star -continuous multifunctions and almost $\beta(\star)$ -continuous multifunctions were established in [15] and [11], respectively. Laprom et al. [21] introduced and investigated the concept of $\beta(\tau_1, \tau_2)$ -continuous multifunctions. In [39], the authors introduced and studied the notion of weakly $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\alpha$ -continuous multifunctions. In particular, some characterizations of weakly $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\delta$ -semicontinuous multifunctions, almost weakly (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous multifunctions, (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions, almost (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions and weakly (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions were investigated in [12], [10], [3], [4] and [5], respectively. In this paper, we introduce the notion of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions. Moreover, several characterizations of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions are discussed.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout the present paper, spaces (X, τ_1, τ_2) and (Y, σ_1, σ_2) (or simply X and Y) always mean bitopological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless explicitly stated. Let A be a subset of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . The closure of A and the interior of A with respect to τ_i are denoted by $\tau_i\text{-Cl}(A)$ and $\tau_i\text{-Int}(A)$, respectively, for $i = 1, 2$. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed [16] if $A = \tau_1\text{-Cl}(\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A))$. The complement of a $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed set is called $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open. Let A be a subset of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . The intersection of all $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed sets of X containing A is called the $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closure [16] of A and is denoted by $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)$. The union of all $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open sets of X contained in A is called the $\tau_1\tau_2$ -interior [16] of A and is denoted by $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(A)$.

Lemma 2.1. [16] *Let A and B be subsets of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . For the $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closure, the following properties hold:*

- (1) $A \subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)$ and $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)) = \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)$.
- (2) If $A \subseteq B$, then $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A) \subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(B)$.
- (3) $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)$ is $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed.
- (4) A is $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed if and only if $A = \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)$.
- (5) $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(X - A) = X - \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(A)$.

A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is said to be $(\tau_1, \tau_2)r$ -open [39] (resp. $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -open [12], $(\tau_1, \tau_2)p$ -open [12], $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\beta$ -open [12]) if $A = \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A))$ (resp. $A \subseteq$

$\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(A)), A \subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)), A \subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)))$). The complement of a $(\tau_1, \tau_2)r$ -open (resp. $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -open, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)p$ -open, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\beta$ -open) set is said to be $(\tau_1, \tau_2)r$ -closed, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -closed, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)p$ -closed, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\beta$ -closed. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called $\alpha(\tau_1, \tau_2)$ -open [37] if $A \subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(A)))$. The complement of an $\alpha(\tau_1, \tau_2)$ -open set is called $\alpha(\tau_1, \tau_2)$ -closed. Let A be a subset of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . The intersection of all $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -closed sets of X containing A is called the $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -closure [12] of A and is denoted by $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(A)$. The union of all $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -open sets of X contained in A is called the $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -interior [12] of A and is denoted by $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(A)$.

Lemma 2.2. For a subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , the following properties hold:

- (1) $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(A) = \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A)) \cup A$ [10];
- (2) $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(A) = \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(A)) \cap A$.

Let A be a subset of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) . A point $x \in X$ is called a $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -cluster point [39] of A if $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(U) \cap A \neq \emptyset$ for every $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open set U containing x . The set of all $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -cluster points of A is called the $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -closure [39] of A and is denoted by $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta\text{-Cl}(A)$. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is said to be $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -closed [39] if $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta\text{-Cl}(A) = A$. The complement of a $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -closed set is said to be $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -open. The union of all $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -open sets of X contained in A is called the $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta$ -interior [39] of A and is denoted by $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta\text{-Int}(A)$.

Lemma 2.3. [39] For a subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) , the following properties hold:

- (1) If A is $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open in X , then $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(A) = (\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta\text{-Cl}(A)$.
- (2) $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\theta\text{-Cl}(A)$ is $\tau_1\tau_2$ -closed in X .

3. WEAKLY QUASI (τ_1, τ_2) -CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

In this section, we introduce the notion of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions. Furthermore, several characterizations of weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous functions are discussed.

Definition 3.1. A function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is said to be weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set V of Y containing $f(x)$ and each $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open set U of X containing x , there exists a nonempty $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open set G such that $G \subseteq U$, $f(G) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$. A function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is said to be weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous if f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous at each point of X .

Theorem 3.1. For a function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous;
- (2) for each $x \in X$ and every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set V of Y containing $f(x)$, there exists a $(\tau_1, \tau_2)s$ -open set of X containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$;
- (3) $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(K)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(K)$ for every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -closed set K of Y ;
- (4) $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$ for every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set V of Y ;
- (5) $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))$ for every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open sets V of Y .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let $\mathcal{U}(x)$ the family of all $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open sets of X containing x . Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y containing $f(x)$. For each $H \in \mathcal{U}(x)$, there exists a nonempty $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open set G_H such that $G_H \subseteq H$ and $f(G_H) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$. Put $W = \cup\{G_H \mid H \in \mathcal{U}(x)\}$. Then, W is $\tau_1\tau_2$ -open in X and $x \in \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(W)$. Let $U = W \cup \{x\}$. Then, U is a (τ_1, τ_2) - s -open set of X containing x and $f(U) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$.

(2) \Rightarrow (4): Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y and $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Then $f(x) \in V$ and there exists a (τ_1, τ_2) - s -open set U of X containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$. Thus, $x \in U \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$ and hence $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$.

(4) \Rightarrow (5): Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y . Then by (4), we have

$$\begin{aligned} X - f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)) &= f^{-1}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)) \\ &\subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))) \\ &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))) \\ &\subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(Y - V)) \\ &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(X - f^{-1}(V)) \\ &= X - (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(V)) \end{aligned}$$

and hence $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))$.

(5) \Rightarrow (3): Let K be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -closed set of Y . By (5) and Lemma 2.2,

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(K)))) &\subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(K))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(K))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(K)) \\ &= f^{-1}(K). \end{aligned}$$

(3) \Rightarrow (4): Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y . By (3) and Lemma 2.2,

$$\begin{aligned} X - (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &= f^{-1}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(Y - V) \\ &= X - f^{-1}(V) \end{aligned}$$

and hence $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$.

(4) \Rightarrow (1): Let $x \in X$ and V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y containing $f(x)$. By (4), we have

$$f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))).$$

Put $U = (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$. Then, U is a (τ_1, τ_2) - s -open set of X containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$. This shows that f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous. \square

Theorem 3.2. For a function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous;
- (2) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}((\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)) for every subset B of Y ;
- (3) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(B)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}((\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)) for every subset B of Y ;
- (4) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) for every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set V of Y ;
- (5) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) for every (σ_1, σ_2) p -open set V of Y ;
- (6) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int(K))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(K)$ for every (σ_1, σ_2) r -closed set K of Y .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let B be any subset of Y . Since $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B) is $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -closed in Y , by Theorem 3.1

$$\tau_1\tau_2$$
-Int($\tau_1\tau_2$ -Cl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}((\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B))

and by Lemma 2.2, we have (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}((\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B)).

(2) \Rightarrow (3): This is obvious since $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(B) $\subseteq (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(B) for every subset B of Y .

(3) \Rightarrow (4): This is obvious since $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V) = $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\theta$ -Cl(V) for every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set V of Y .

(4) \Rightarrow (5): Let V be any (σ_1, σ_2) p -open set of Y . Then, we have $V \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) and $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V) = $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V))). Now, put $G = \sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)), then G is $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open in Y and $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(G) = $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V). Thus by (4), (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)).

(5) \Rightarrow (6): Let K be any (σ_1, σ_2) r -closed set of Y . Since $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int(K) is (σ_1, σ_2) p -open in Y and by (5), we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\tau_1, \tau_2)$$
-sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int(K))) &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)-sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int(K)))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2-Cl($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int(K))) \\ &= f^{-1}(K). \end{aligned}

(6) \Rightarrow (1): Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y . Then, $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V) is (σ_1, σ_2) r -closed in Y and by (6),

$$\begin{aligned} (\tau_1, \tau_2)$$
-sCl($f^{-1}(V)$) &\subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)-sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2-Cl(V)). \end{aligned}

It follows from Theorem 3.1 that f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous □

Theorem 3.3. For a function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous;
- (2) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) for every (σ_1, σ_2) β -open set V of Y ;
- (3) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) for every (σ_1, σ_2) s -open set V of Y ;
- (4) (τ_1, τ_2) -sCl($f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)))) $\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V)) for every (σ_1, σ_2) p -open set V of Y .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let V be any (σ_1, σ_2) β -open set of Y . Then, we have $V \subseteq \sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V))) and hence $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V) = $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Int($\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -Cl(V))). Since

$\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$ is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)r$ -closed in Y and by Theorem 3.2, $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3): This is obvious since every $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)s$ -open set is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)\beta$ -open.

(3) \Rightarrow (4): For any $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set V of Y , $\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$ is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)r$ -closed and $\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)$ is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)s$ -open in Y .

(4) \Rightarrow (1): Let V be any $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set of Y . Then, V is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open in Y . By (4), we have

$$(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)).$$

It follows from Theorem 3.2 that f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous. \square

Theorem 3.4. For a function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous;
- (2) $\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(V))) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))$ for every $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set V of Y ;
- (3) $(\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))$ for every $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set V of Y ;
- (4) $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$ for every $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set V of Y .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let V be any $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set of Y . Since f is weakly quasi (τ_1, τ_2) -continuous, by Theorem 3.2 and Lemma 2.2,

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(V))) &\subseteq \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)). \end{aligned}$$

(2) \Rightarrow (3): Let V be any $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set of Y . By (2) and Lemma 2.2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(V)) &= f^{-1}(V) \cup \tau_1\tau_2\text{-Int}(\tau_1\tau_2\text{-Cl}(f^{-1}(V))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)). \end{aligned}$$

(3) \Rightarrow (4): Let V be any $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open set of Y . Then by (3), we have

$$\begin{aligned} X - (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(X - (f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))) \\ &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(X - f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &= (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sCl}(f^{-1}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(Y - \sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &= X - f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Int}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V))) \\ &\subseteq X - f^{-1}(V) \end{aligned}$$

and hence $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq (\tau_1, \tau_2)\text{-sInt}(f^{-1}(\sigma_1\sigma_2\text{-Cl}(V)))$.

(4) \Rightarrow (1): Since every $\sigma_1\sigma_2$ -open set is $(\sigma_1, \sigma_2)p$ -open, this follows from Theorem 3.1. \square

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