

ON GENERALIZED GRILL CONTINUOUSFUNCTIONS

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, We introduce a new class of continuous functions namely g-G-continuousfunctions, g-G-irresolute and study some of their properties in topological spaces.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In 1970, Levine first introduced the concept of generalized closed (briefly, g-closed) sets were defined and investigated. The idea of grill on a topological space was first introduced by Choquet in 1947. It is observed from literature that the concept of grills is a powerful supporting tool, like nets and filters, in dealing with many topological concept quite effectively. In 2007, Roy and Mukherjee defined and studied a typical topology associated rather naturally to the existing topology and a grill on a given topological space. The aim of this paper is to introduce g-G-continuous and g-G-irresolute and investigate the relations of g-G-continuous functions between such functions.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper, (X, τ) (or X) represent a topological space on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset A of a space X , $cl(A)$ and $int(A)$ denote the closure of A and the interior of A , respectively. The power set of X will be denoted by $\wp(X)$. A collection G of a nonempty subsets of a space X is called a grill (Andrijevic, 1986) on X if

- (1) $A \in G$ and $A \subseteq B \Rightarrow B \in G$,
- (2) $A, B \subseteq X$ and $A \cup B \in G \Rightarrow A \in G$ or $B \in G$.

For any point x of a topological space (X, τ) , $\tau(x)$ denote the collection of all open neighbourhoods of x .

We recall the following results which are useful in the sequel.

2.1 Definition (Arya and Nour, 1990). Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be a grill on X . The mapping $\Phi : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$, denoted by $\Phi_G(A, \tau)$ for $A \in \wp(X)$ or simply $\Phi(A)$ called the operator associated with the grill G and the topology τ and is defined by

$$\Phi_G(A) = \{x \in X \mid A \cap U \in G, \forall U \in \tau(x)\}.$$

Let G be a grill on a space X . Then a map $\Psi : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$ is defined by $\Psi(A) = A \cup \Phi(A)$, for all $A \in \wp(X)$. The map Ψ satisfies Kuratowski closure axioms. Corresponding to a grill G on a topological space (X, τ) , there exists a unique topology τ_G on X given by

$$\tau_G = \{U \subseteq X \mid \Psi(X-U) = X-U\}, \text{ where for any } A \subseteq X, \Psi(A) = A \cup \Phi(A) = \tau_G - cl(A). \text{ For any grill } G \text{ on a topological space by } (X, \tau, G).$$

2.2. Definition A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called

- 1) a pre-open set (Mashhour *et al.*, 2009) if $A \subseteq int(cl(A))$ and a pre-closed set if $cl(int(A)) \subseteq A$.
- 2) a semi-open set (Levine, 1963) if $A \subseteq cl(int(A))$ and a semi-closed set if $intl(cl(A)) \subseteq A$.
- 3) an α -open set (Njastad, 1965) if $A \subseteq int(cl(int(A)))$ and an α -closed set (Maki *et al.*, 1993) if $cl(int(cl(A))) \subseteq A$.
- 4) a semi-preopen set (Andrijevic, 1986) if $A \subseteq cl(int(cl(A)))$ and a semi-preclosed set (Arokiarani *et al.*, 1999) if $(int(cl(A))) \subseteq A$.

2.3. Definition A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called

- 1) a generalized closed set (briefly g-closed) (Levine, 1970) if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
- 2) a semi-generalized closed set (briefly sg-closed) (Bhattacharya and Lahiri, 1987) if $scl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi-open in (X, τ) .
- 3) a generalized semi-closed set (briefly gs-closed) (Arya and Nour, 1990) if $scl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .

4) a generalized α -closed set (briefly $g\alpha$ -closed) (Maki *et al.*, 1993) if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is α -open in (X, τ) .

5) an α -generalized closed set (briefly α g-closed) (Maki *et al.*, 1994) if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .

6) a generalized semi-preclosed set (briefly gsp-closed) (Dontchev, 1995) if $spcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .

7) a generalized preclosed set (briefly gp-closed) (Maki *et al.*, 1996) if $pcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .

2.4. *Definition* A function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called

- 1) g-continuous (Balachandran *et al.*, 1991) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is g-closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,
- 2) gp-continuous (Arokiarani *et al.*, 1999) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is gp-closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,
- 3) gsp-continuous (Dontchev, 1995) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is gsp-closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,
- 4) $g\alpha$ -continuous (Mashhour *et al.*, 1982) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is $g\alpha$ -closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,
- 5) gs-continuous (Sundaram *et al.*, 1992) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is gs-closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,
- 6) αg -continuous (Mashhour *et al.*, 1982) if $f^{-1}(V)$ is αg -closed in (X, τ) for every closed set V in (Y, σ) ,

2.4. *Theorem.* (Arya and Nour, 1990) 1) If G_1 and G_2 are two grills on a space X with $G_1 \subset G_2$, then $\tau_{G_1} \subset \tau_{G_2}$.

2) If G is a grill on a space X and $B \notin G$, then B is closed in (X, τ, G) .

3) For any subset A of a space X and any grill G on X , $\Phi(A)$ is τ_G -closed.

2.5. *Theorem* (Arya and Nour, 1990) Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . Then

- 1) $A \subseteq B (\subseteq X) \Rightarrow \Phi(A) \subseteq \Phi(B)$;
- 2) $A \subseteq X$ and $A \notin G \Rightarrow \Phi(A) = \emptyset$;
- 3) $\Phi(\Phi(A)) \subseteq \Phi(A) = cl(\Phi(A)) \subseteq cl(A)$, for any $A \subseteq X$;
- 4) $\Phi(A \cup B) = \Phi(A) \cup \Phi(B)$ for any $A, B \subseteq X$;
- 5) $A \subseteq \Phi(A) \Rightarrow cl(A) = \tau_G - cl(A) = cl(\Phi(A)) = \Phi(A)$;
- 6) $U \in \tau$ and $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G \Rightarrow U \subseteq \Phi(U)$;

7) If $U \in \tau$ then $U \cap \Phi(A) = U \cap \Phi(U \cap A)$, for any $A \subseteq X$.

2.6. *Theorem* Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . Then, for any $A, B \subseteq X$.

- 1) $A \subseteq \Psi(A)$ (Arya and Nour, 1990);
- 2) $\Psi(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ (Arya and Nour, 1990);
- 3) $\Psi(A \cup B) = \Psi(A) \cup \Psi(B)$ (Arya and Nour, 1990);
- 4) $\Psi(\Psi(A)) = \Psi(A)$ (Arya and Nour, 1990);
- 5) $Int(A) \subset int(\Psi(A))$;
- 6) $Int(\Psi(A \cap B)) \subset Int(\Psi(A))$;
- 7) $Int(\Psi(A \cap B)) \subset Int(\Psi(B))$;
- 8) $Int(\Psi(A)) \subset \Psi(A)$;
- 9) $A \subseteq B \Rightarrow \Psi(A) \subseteq \Psi(B)$.

3. g - G - CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

3.1. *Definition* A subset A of a topological space (X, τ, G) is called a generalized grill closed

(briefly g - G - closed) set if $\Psi(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X .

3.2. *Definition* A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be g-G-continuous, if the inverse

image of every open set in (Y, σ) is g-G-open in (X, τ, G) .

3.3. *Definition* A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, H)$ is said to be g-G-irresolute, if $f^{-1}(A)$ is

g-G-open in (X, τ, G) for every g-H-open set in (Y, σ, H) .

3.4. *Theorem* Every g-continuous function is g-G-continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g-continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is g-open in (X, τ, G) . Since every g closed set is g - G - closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g-G-open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore f is g-G-continuous.

3.5. *Example* Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$, $\sigma = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, X\}$ and $G = \{\{a\}$,

$\{a, b\}, X\}$. Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = b$, $f(b) = a$, $f(c) = c$. Then f is g-G-continuous but not g-continuous. Since for the g-G-open set $V = \{a\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g-G-closed but not g-closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.6. *Theorem* Every gs-continuous function is g-G-continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is gs -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every gs closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.7. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, X\}$, $\sigma = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,c\}, X\}$ and $G =$

$\{\{b\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$ Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = a, f(b) = c, f(c) = b$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not gs -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{a\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not gs -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.8. Theorem Every sg -continuous function is g - G -continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is sg -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every sg closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.9. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \sigma = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$ and $G = \{\{b\}, \{b,c\}, X\}$. Define the

function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not g -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{a\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not gs -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.10. Theorem Every αg -continuous function is g - G -continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is αg -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every αg -closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.11. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, X\}$, $\sigma = \{\phi, \{b\}, \{b,c\}, X\}$ and $G =$

$\{\{b\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$. Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = b, f(b) = c, f(c) = a$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not αg -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{b\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not αg -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.12. Theorem Every $g\alpha$ -continuous function is g - G -continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is $g\alpha$ -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every $g\alpha$ -closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.13. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \sigma = \{\{b\}, X\}$ and $G = \{\{a\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$. Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$

by $f(a) = c, f(b) = a, f(c) = a$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not $g\alpha$ -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{b\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not $g\alpha$ -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.14. Theorem Every gp -continuous function is g - G -continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is gp -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every gp -closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.15. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$, $\sigma = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$ and $G =$

$\{\{a\}, \{a,c\}, X\}$. Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = b, f(b) = a, f(c) = c$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not gp -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{a\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not gp -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.16. Theorem Every gsp -continuous function is g - G -continuous but not conversely.

Proof. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be an g -continuous. Let V be any open set in (Y, σ) . Then $f^{-1}(V)$ is gsp -open in (X, τ, G) . Since every gsp -closed set is $g - G -$ closed set, $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Therefore is g - G -continuous.

3.17. Example Let $X = \{a,b,c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, X\}$, $\sigma = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$ and $G =$

$\{\{a\}, \{a,b\}, X\}$. Define the function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = a, f(b) = c, f(c) = b$. Then f is g - G -continuous but not gsp -continuous. Since for the g - G -open set $V = \{a\}$ in (Y, σ) , $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G closed but not gsp -closed in (X, τ, G) .

3.18 Theorem Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is g - G -continuous and $g: (Y, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \eta)$ is continuous then $g \circ f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Z, \eta)$ is g - G -continuous.

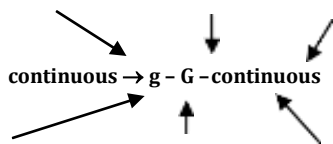
Proof. Let g be a continuous function and V be any open in (Z, η) , then $f^{-1}(V)$ is open in (Y, σ) . Since f is g - G -continuous, $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (X, τ, G) . Hence $g \circ f$ is g - G -continuous.

3.19 Theorem Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, H)$ and $g: (Y, \tau, H) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, L)$ are g - G -irresolute then $g \circ f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, L)$ is g - G -irresolute.

Proof. Let g be a g - G -irresolute and V be any g - L -open in (Z, η, L) , then $f^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -open in (Y, σ, H) . Since f is g - G -irresolute, $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(V)$ is g - G -irresolute in (X, τ, G) . Hence $g \circ f$ is g - G -irresolute.

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$g\alpha$ - continuous \rightarrow αg - continuous \rightarrow gp - continuous



gs - continuous \rightarrow sg - continuous \rightarrow gsp - continuous

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