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OBSERVATIONS ON FUNCTIONS VIA $gs\Lambda$ SETS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

The In the cognitive process of research on $gs\Lambda$ sets we bring in a new class of functions called $gs\Lambda$ irresolute function and contra $gs\Lambda$ irresolute function, and observe some of their characteristics.

Key words:

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INTRODUCTION

In 1986, Maki, (1986) continued the work of Levine and Dunham on generalized closed sets and closure operators by acquainting the concept of Λ sets in topological spaces. In 2008 M. Caldas, S. Jafari and T. Noiri Lamb- gs introduced Λ generalized closed sets (Λg , Λ - g , $g\Lambda$) and their properties. They also studied the concept of Λ closed maps. Recently, many authors investigated some new maps and their notions via Λ open sets and Λ closed sets. In 2007 M.Caldas, S.Jafari and T.Navalagi more lamb introduced the concept of Λ irresolute maps. The notion of irresolute functions weak was introduced and investigated by M. Caldas in 2000. Recently Vijilius @el familiarized a new set named $gs\Lambda$ sets in topological spaces In this direction we establish a new class of function called $gs\Lambda$ irresolute function and contra $gs\Lambda$ irresolute function. In this article we investigate some of their fundamental properties and the connections between these maps and other existing topological maps are studied. Throughout this paper (X, τ) , (Y, σ) and (Z, ϖ) (or simply X , Y and Z) will always denote topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless explicitly stated. $Int(A)$, $Cl(A)$, $\lambda Int(A)$, $\lambda Cl(A)$, $gs\Lambda Cl(A)$ and $gs\Lambda Int(A)$ denote the interior of A , closure of A , lambda interior of A , lambda closure of A $gs\Lambda$ closure of A and $gs\Lambda$ Interior of A respectively.

Preliminary Definitions

Let us recall some definitions in sequel which is useful for this paper.

Definition: 1

A topological space (X, τ) is said to be

1. (Jin Han Park *et al.*, 2002) a generalized closed if $Cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X .

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2. (Caldas *et al.*, 2008) a subset A of a space X is called Λ -closed if $A = B \cap C$, where B is a Λ -set and C is a closed set.
3. (Caldas *et al.*, 2008) a subset A of X is said to be a Λg closed set if $Cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$, where U is Λ open in X .
4. (Missier, 2013) a subset A of X is said to be a $gs\Lambda$ closed set [23] if $\lambda Cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$, where U is semi open in X . The complement of above closed sets are called its respective open sets. The $gs\Lambda$ closure (respectively closure, Λ closure) of a subset A of X denoted by $gs\Lambda Cl(A)$, $(Cl(A), \lambda Cl(A))$ is the intersection of all $gs\Lambda$ closed sets (closed sets, Λ closed sets) containing A .

Lemma: 2 (Jin Han Park *et al.*, 2002)

1. Every Λ -set is a Λ -closed set,
2. Every open and closed sets are Λ -closed sets.

Definition: 3

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

1. $gs\Lambda$ closed if $f(F)$ is Λ closed in (Y, σ) for every Λ closed set F of (X, τ) ,
2. (Levine and Semi, 1963) semi continuous if $f^{-1}(V)$ is semi open in (X, τ) for every open set V in (Y, σ) ,
3. (Maki, 1989) Λ continuous if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Λ open (Λ closed) in (X, τ) for every open (closed) set V in (Y, σ) ,
4. (Dontchev, 1996) contra continuous if $f^{-1}(V)$ is open (closed) in (X, τ) for every closed (open) set V in (Y, σ) ,
5. (Dontchev and Noiri, 1999) contra semi continuous if $f^{-1}(V)$ is semi open (semi closed) in (X, τ) for every closed (open) set V in (Y, σ) ,
6. (Caldas *et al.*, 2006) contra Λ continuous map if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Λ open (Λ closed) in (X, τ) for every closed (open) set V in (Y, σ) ,
7. (Jin Han Park *et al.*, 2002) gc irresolute if the inverse images of g closed sets in (Y, σ) are g closed in (X, τ) ,
8. (Caldas *et al.*, 2007) Λ irresolute if the inverse image of Λ open sets in Y are Λ open in (X, τ) ,
9. (Missier *et al.*, 2012) $gs\Lambda$ closed map ($gs\Lambda$ open map) if the image of each closed set (open set) in X is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) in Y .
10. (Missier and Vijilius, 2013) $gs\Lambda$ continuous function if the inverse image $f^{-1}(V)$ of each closed set (open set) V in (Y, σ) is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) in (X, τ) .
11. (Vijilius *et al.*, 2012) $M.gs\Lambda$ closed map ($M.gs\Lambda$ open map) if the image of each $gs\Lambda$ closed set ($gs\Lambda$ open set) in X is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) in Y .

Lemma: 4 (Caldas, 2006)

1. i) A space (X, τ) is said to be ΛS -space if every Λ open subset of X is semi open in X .
2. ii) A space (X, τ) is said to be Λ -space if every Λ closed (Λ open) subset of X is closed (open) in X .

Proposition-5 (Missier and Vijilius, 2012 and 2013)

In a topological space (X, τ) , the following properties hold:

1. Every closed set is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open),
2. Every open set is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open),
3. Every Λ closed (Λ open) set is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open),
4. Union (intersection) of $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) sets is not $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open),
5. In T_1 space every $gs\Lambda$ closed set ($gs\Lambda$ open) is Λ closed (Λ open),
6. In Partition space every $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) set is g closed (g open),
7. In a door space every subset is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open), and
8. In $T_{1/2}$ space every subset is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open).

Definition: 3

1. 1. Contra $gs\Lambda$ continuous function if the inverse image $f^{-1}(V)$ of each closed set (open set) V in (Y, σ) is $gs\Lambda$ open ($gs\Lambda$ closed) in (X, τ) .
2. $gs\Lambda$ irresolute function if the inverse image $f^{-1}(V)$ of $gs\Lambda$ each closed set ($gs\Lambda$ open set) V in (Y, σ) is $gs\Lambda$ closed ($gs\Lambda$ open) in (X, τ) .

Observations on $gs\Lambda$ functions

Theorem: 1

Composition of $gs\Lambda$ irresolute functions is $gs\Lambda$ irresolute.

Proof:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set of (Z, ω) . Then $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Thus $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function.

Theorem: 2

Composition of contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute.

Proof:

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set of (Z, ω) . Then $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute. Thus $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function.

Theorem: 3

If $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function, then $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function.

Proof:

Let F be a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set of (Z, ω) . Then $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute. Thus $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function.

Theorem: 4

Composition of $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ and $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ be $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be a open set of (Z, ω) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Z, ω) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Hence $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Theorem: 5

Composition of contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ and $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ be contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions. Let F be a open set of (Z, ω) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Z, ω) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is also a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Thense $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Theorem: 6

Composition of $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ and $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ be $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions

Let F be a open set of (Z, ω) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Z, ω) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y, σ) as $g: (Y, \sigma) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X, τ) as $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Consequently $\underline{gof}: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Z, \omega)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Theorem: 7

Composition of contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ be contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions

Let F be a closed set of (Z,ϖ) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Z,ϖ) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y,σ) as $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (X,τ) as $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Hence $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function

Theorem: 8

Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function, then $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra Λ continuous function if (X,τ) is a T_1 space.

Proof: Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ be contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be an open set of (Z,ϖ) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Z,ϖ) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Y,σ) as $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}g^{-1}(F) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X,τ) as $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Now $(\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a Λ closed set in X , as X is a T_1 space. Thus $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra Λ continuous function.

Theorem: 9

Composition of $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is a Λ continuous function if the domain of the composite function is a T_1 space.

Proof:

Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ be $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be a closed set of (Z,ϖ) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Z,ϖ) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y,σ) as $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}g^{-1}(F) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X,τ) as $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Now $(\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a Λ closed set in X , as X is a T_1 space [Proposition 5]. Thus $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a Λ continuous function.

Theorem: 10

Composition of contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions is a Λ continuous function if the domain of the composite function is a T_1 space.

Proof:

Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ be $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute functions.

Let F be a closed set of (Z,ϖ) . Then F is also $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Z,ϖ) [Proposition 5]. Thus we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ open set in (Y,σ) as $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $f^{-1}g^{-1}(F) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X,τ) as $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a contra $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. Now $(\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a Λ closed set in X , as X is a T_1 space.

Thus $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a contra Λ continuous function.

Theorem: 11

If $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function, then $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Let $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function. Let F be a closed set of (Z,ϖ) . Then we have $g^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (Y,σ) as

$g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function and $f^{-1}g^{-1}(F) = (\underline{gof})^{-1}(F)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ closed set in (X,τ) as $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function. It can be observed that $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Theorem: 12

If $f:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Y,\sigma)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ irresolute function and $g:(Y,\sigma) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a Λ continuous function, then $\underline{gof}:(X,\tau) \rightarrow (Z,\varpi)$ is a $\underline{gs}\Lambda$ continuous function.

Proof:

Proof follows as every Λ open set is $gs\Lambda$ open set.

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