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ON INFRA GENERALIZED $\# \alpha$ -CLOSED SETS IN INFRA TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract: In this paper, the relatively new notions of Infra generalized $\# \alpha$ - closed set, Infra generalized $\# \alpha$ - continuous functions, Infra generalized $\# \alpha$ - irresolute mappings are introduced and explored some of its characteristics.

Keywords: infra generalized $\# \alpha$ - closed sets; infra generalized $\# \alpha$ -continuous functions; infra generalized $\# \alpha$ - irresolute mapping.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Adel.M.AL.Odhari [1] introduced the concept of Infra topological spaces. In 1970, Levine [4] initiated the notion of generalized closed set. The concept of generalization of closed mapping in topological spaces was introduced by Noiri [6] in 1973. In 1996, D. Andrijevic [2] introduced and studied the class of b-open sets. In 1994, associated topologies of generalized α -closed sets and α -generalized closed sets was introduced by Maki [5]. A.Al-Omari and M.S.M. Naorami [8] made an analytical study and gave the idea of generalized b-closed sets in topological spaces. Later the view of of generalized $\# \alpha$ -closed sets were set forth by K. Nono

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[7] in the year 2004. Infra generalized b-closed sets was introduced by K. Vaiyomathi and F. Nirmala Irudayam [10] in 2017. A new class of generalized continuous mapping was introduced by K. Balachandran, P. Sundram and H. Maki [3] in 1991. Infra generalized b-continuous functions was derived by Vaiyomathi [11] in 2017. In this paper, a new form of Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed sets, Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous functions and Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute mappings are introduced and explored some of their properties.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper, (X, τ_{iX}) (or X) represent a Infra topological space on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset A of a space X , $icp(A)$ and $iip(A)$ denote the Infra closure point of A and the Infra interior point of A and also $icp_\alpha(A)$, $icp_b(A)$ denote $i\alpha cp(A)$, $ibcp(A)$ respectively.

The following recalls requisite definitions in Infra topological spaces that will be necessitated in the sequel of our work.

Definition 2.1. [1] Let X be any arbitrary set. An Infra topological space on X is a collection τ_{iX} subsets of X such that the following axioms are satisfying:

- (1) $\phi, X \in \tau_{iX}$.
- (2) The intersection of the elements of any sub collection of τ_{iX} in X . Terminology, the ordered pair (X, τ_{iX}) is called Infra-topological space. We simply say X is an Infra space.

Definition 2.2. [1] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra-topological space and $A \subset X$. A is called an infra open set (ios) if $A \in \tau_{iX}$.

Definition 2.3. [1] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A subset $B \subset X$ is called infra-closed set (ics) in X if $X-B$ is infra-open set in X .

Definition 2.4. [1] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space and $A \subset X$. The Infra Closure Point (ICP) of A is a set denoted by $icp(A)$ and given by : $icp(A) = \bigcap \{B_i : A \subset B_i, X - B_i \in \tau_{iX}\}$. (i.e) $icp(A)$ is the intersection of all infra closed set containing the set A .

Definition 2.5. [1] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space and $A \subset X$. The Infra Interior Point (IIP) of A is a set denoted by $iip(A)$ and given by: $iip(A) = \cup \{O_i : O_i \subset A, O_i \in \tau_{iX}\}$ (i.e) $iip(A)$ is the union of all infra open set contained in the set A .

Definition 2.6. [9] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A is called infra semi-open if $A \subset icp(iip(A))$ and infra semi-closed set if $iip(icp(A)) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.7. [9] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A is called infra pre-open if $A \subset iip(icp(A))$ and infra pre-closed set if $icp(iip(A)) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.8. [9] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A is called infra α -open if $A \subset iip(icp(iip(A)))$ and infra α -closed set if $icp(iip(icp(A))) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.9. [9] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A is called infra β -open if $A \subset icp(iip(icp(A)))$ and infra β -closed set if $iip(icp(iip(A))) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.10. [10] Let (X, τ_{iX}) be an infra topological space. A is called infra b -open if $A \subset iip(icp(A)) \cup icp(iip(A))$ and infra b -closed set if $iip(icp(A)) \cup icp(iip(A)) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.11. A subset A of a space (X, τ) is called

- (1) a infra generalized- closed set (briefly ig-closed) [10] if $icp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (2) a infra α generalized- closed set (briefly $i\alpha g$ -closed) if $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra semi- open.
- (3) a infra generalized semi- closed set (briefly igs-closed) [10] if $iscp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (4) an infra α generalized- closed set (briefly $i\alpha g$ -closed) [10] if $i\alpha cp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (5) an infra generalized α - closed set (briefly $ig\alpha$ -closed) [10] if $i\alpha cp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra α - open.
- (6) a infra generalized pre- closed set (briefly igp-closed) [10] if $ipcp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.

- (7) a infra generalized β - closed set (briefly $ig\beta$ - closed) [10] if $ii\beta cp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (8) a infra generalized b - closed set (briefly igb - closed) [10] if $icp_b(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (9) a infra generalized sp - closed set (briefly $igsp$ - closed) [10] if $ispcp(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra open.
- (10) a infra generalized $*b$ - closed set (briefly $ig*b$ - closed) [10] if $icp_b(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is infra g - open.

Definition 2.12. A subset A of a space (X, τ_{iX}) is called

- (1) Infra generalized- continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized- closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (2) Infra α generalized- continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra α generalized- closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (3) Infra generalized b - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized b - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (4) Infra generalized p - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized p - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (5) Infra generalized s - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized s - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (6) Infra generalized β - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized β - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (7) Infra generalized sp - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized sp - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .
- (8) Infra generalized $*b$ - continuous[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized $*b$ - closed in X , for every Infra closed set V of Y .

Definition 2.13. A subset A of a space (X, τ_{iX}) is called

- (1) Infra generalized- irresolute[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is Infra generalized- closed in X , for every Infra generalized- closed set V of Y .

- (2) *Infra α generalized- irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra α generalized- closed* in X , for every *Infra α generalized- closed set* V of Y .
- (3) *Infra generalized p - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized p - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized p - closed set* V of Y .
- (4) *Infra generalized b - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized b - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized b - closed set* V of Y .
- (5) *Infra generalized s - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized s - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized s - closed set* V of Y .
- (6) *Infra generalized β - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized β - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized β - closed set* V of Y .
- (7) *Infra generalized sp - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized sp - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized sp - closed set* V of Y .
- (8) *Infra generalized *b - irresolute*[11] if $f^{-1}(V)$ is *Infra generalized *b - closed* in X , for every *Infra generalized *b - closed set* V of Y .

3. CHARACTERISTICS OF INFRA GENERALIZED $^{\#}\alpha$ -CLOSED SETS IN INFRA TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

In this section, we introduce the notion of Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed sets and study some of its basic properties.

Definition 3.1. Let (X, τ_{iX}) be a Infra topological space. A subset A of X is called an *Infra generalized $^{\#}\alpha$ - closed set* (briefly *ig $^{\#}\alpha$ - closed*) if $icp_{\alpha}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is *Infra g - open*.

Theorem 3.2. Every *Infra-closed set* is *Infra g -closed set*.

Proof: Let A be a *Infra-closed set* in X . Let U be *Infra open set*, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is *Infra closed*, $icp(A) = A \subseteq U$. Therefore $icp(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is *Infra g -closed set* in X .

Remark 3.3. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.4. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$. Let $A = \{b\}$. Here A is Infra g -closed set but not Infra-closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.5. Every Infra-closed set is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set.

Proof: Let A be a Infra-closed set in X . Let U be Infra g - open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is Infra closed, $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq icp(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set in X .

Remark 3.6. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.7. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, d\}\}$. Let $A = \{b\}$. Here A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set but not a Infra-closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.8. Every Infra α -closed set is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set.

Proof: Let A be a Infra α -closed set in X . Let U be Infra g - open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is Infra α -closed set. We have, $icp_\alpha(A) = A \subseteq U$. Then $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X .

Remark 3.9. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.10. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$. Here A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set but not a Infra α -closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.11. Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra gs -closed set.

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $iscp(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Then $iscp(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra gs -closed set in X .

Remark 3.12. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.13. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, b, d\}$. Here A is Infra gs -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.14. *Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra gp-closed set.*

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $picp(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Then $picp(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra gp-closed set in X .

Remark 3.15. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 3.16. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, c, d\}$. Here A is Infra gp-closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.17. *Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra αg -closed set.*

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $icp_\alpha(A) = A \subseteq U$. Therefore, $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra αg -closed set in X .

Remark 3.18. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 3.19. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, b, d\}$. Here A is Infra αg -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.20. *Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra $g\beta$ -closed set.*

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $\beta icp(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Then $\beta icp(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra $g\beta$ -closed set in X .

Remark 3.21. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 3.22. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, b\}$. Here A is Infra $g\beta$ -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_{iX}) .

Theorem 3.23. *Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra gb -closed set.*

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since

every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $icp_b(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha \subseteq U$. Then $icp_b(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra gb -closed set in X .

Remark 3.24. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.25. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Let $A = \{b, c\}$. Here A is Infra gb -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_X) .

Theorem 3.26. Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra g^*b -closed set.

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra g -open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $icp_b(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha \subseteq U$. Then $icp_b(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra g^*b -closed set in X .

Remark 3.27. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.28. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$. Let $A = \{b\}$. Here A is Infra g^*b -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_X) .

Theorem 3.29. Every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra gsp -closed set.

Proof: Let A be a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . Let U be Infra open set, such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every Infra open set is Infra g -open and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, we have, $\beta icp(A) \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Then $\beta icp(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is Infra gsp -closed set in X .

Remark 3.30. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.31. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{b, c\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, b\}$. Here A is Infra gsp -closed set but not a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set of (X, τ_X) .

Theorem 3.32. Let $A \subseteq X$. If A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in (X, τ_X) , then $icp_\alpha(A) - A$ contains no non-empty Infra g -closed set.

Proof: Let F be any Infra g -closed set such that $F \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) - A$. Then $A \subseteq X - F$ and $X - F$

is Infra g -open in (X, τ) . Since A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X , $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq X - F$, therefore $F \subseteq X - icp_\alpha(A)$. Thus $F \subseteq (icp_\alpha(A) - A) \cap (X - icp_\alpha(A)) = \phi$.

Theorem 3.33. Let A be any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in (X, τ_X) . If $A \subseteq B \subseteq icp_\alpha(A)$, then B is also a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set.

Proof: Let $B \subseteq U$ where U is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open (X, τ) . Then $A \subseteq U$. Also since A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. Since $B \subseteq icp_\alpha(A)$, $icp_\alpha(B) \subseteq icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. This implies, $icp_\alpha(B) \subseteq U$. Thus B is a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.34. If A and B are Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, then $A \cap B$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set.

Proof: Given that A and B are Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed sets in X . Let $A \cap B \subseteq U$, U is Infra g -open set in X . Since A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$, U is Infra g -open in X . Since B is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed, $icp_\alpha(B) \subseteq U$, whenever $B \subseteq U$, U is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . By the fact[9], $icp_\alpha(A \cap B) = icp_\alpha(A) \cap icp_\alpha(B)$. It follows that $icp_\alpha(A \cap B) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \cap B \subseteq U$, U is Infra g -open in X . Hence $A \cap B$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed.

Example 3.35. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the topology $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, d\}$, $B = \{c, d\}$ are Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set. Then $A \cap B = \{d\}$ is also an Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.36. If $A \subseteq Y \subseteq X$ and A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X then A is Infrac $g^\# \alpha$ -closed relative to Y .

Proof: Given that $A \subseteq Y \subseteq X$ and A is a Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in X . We have to prove that A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set relative to Y . Let us assume that $A \subseteq Y \cap U$, where U is Infra g -open in X . Since, A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set, $A \subseteq U$, which implies $icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq U$. From this, we get $Y \cap icp_\alpha(A) \subseteq Y \cap U$. Hence, A is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set relative to Y .

4. PROPERTIES OF INFRA $g^\# \alpha$ -CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

In this section we set forth the concept of Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous function. The relationship between Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous function and other defined Infra continuous functions are explored.

Definition 4.1. Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is called $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, if the inverse image of every Infra closed set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set in X .

Theorem 4.2. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra continuous, then it is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra continuous. Let F be any Infra closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra closed in X . Since, every Infra closed set is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed in X . Hence f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - continuous.

Remark 4.3. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.4. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b,d\}\}$, with the identity mapping. Then for the closed set $F = \{c\}$ in Y , $f^{-1}(\{c\}) = \{c\}$ implies f is not Infra continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{c\})$ is not Infra closed in X .

Theorem 4.5. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra continuous, then it is Infra g -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra continuous. Let F be any Infra closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra closed in X . Since, every Infra closed set is Infra g -closed set, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra g -closed in X . Hence f is Infra g -continuous.

Remark 4.6. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.7. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$, with the identity mapping. Then for the closed set $F = \{a,b,c\}$ in Y , $f^{-1}(\{a,b,c\}) = \{a,b,c\}$ implies f is not Infra continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{a,b,c\})$ is not Infra closed in X .

Theorem 4.8. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra α -continuous, then it is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra α -continuous. Let F be any Infra α -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra α -closed in X . Since, every Infra α -closed set is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Hence f is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous.

Remark 4.9. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.10. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c, f(d) = d$. For the closed set $F = \{a,b,c\}$ in Y , $f^{-1}(\{a,b,c\}) = \{a,b,c\}$ implies f is not Infra α -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{a,b,c\})$ is not Infra α -closed in X .

Theorem 4.11. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra gs -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set is Infra gs -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra gs -closed in X . Hence f is Infra gs -continuous.

Remark 4.12. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.13. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$, with the identity mapping. For the closed set $F = \{c,d\}$ in Y , $f^{-1}(\{c,d\}) = \{c,d\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{c,d\})$ is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.14. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $^{\#}g\alpha b$ -continuous, then it is Infra gp -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra $^{\#}g\alpha b$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set is Infra gp -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra gp -closed in X . Hence f is Infra gp -continuous.

Remark 4.15. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.16. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{b,c\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{c\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c$. For the Infra closed set $F = \{a,b\}$ in $Y, f^{-1}(\{a,b\}) = \{a,b\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{a,b\})$ is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.17. If a map $f:(X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra αg -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ be Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra αg -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra αg -closed in X . Hence f is Infra αg -continuous.

Remark 4.18. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.19. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c$. Then for the closed set $F = \{b,c\}$ in $Y, f^{-1}(\{b,c\}) = \{b,c\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{b,c\})$ is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.20. If a map $f:(X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra $g\beta$ -continuous.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ be Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set is Infra $g\beta$ -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g\beta$ -closed in X . Hence f is Infra $g\beta$ -continuous.

Remark 4.21. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 4.22. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a,b\}, \{b,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c, f(d) = d$. Then for the closed set $F = \{b,c\}$ in $Y, f^{-1}(\{b,c\}) = \{b,c\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{b,c\})$ is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.23. *If a map $f:(X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra gb -continuous.*

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set is Infra gb -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra gb -closed in X . Hence f is Infra gb -continuous.

Remark 4.24. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 4.25. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a,b\}, \{b,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c, f(d) = d$. Then for the closed set $F = \{b,c\}$ in $Y, f^{-1}(\{b,c\}) = \{b,c\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{b,c\})$ is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.26. *If a map $f:(X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra g^*b -continuous.*

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set is Infra g^*b -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra g^*b -closed in X . Hence f is Infra g^*b -continuous.

Remark 4.27. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 4.28. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a\}, \{d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c, f(d) = d$. Then for the closed set $F = \{c,d\}$ in $Y, f^{-1}(\{c,d\}) = \{c,d\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{c,d\})$ is not Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 4.29. *If a map $f:(X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous, then it is Infra gsp -continuous.*

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -continuous. Let F be any Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then the inverse image $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed in X . Since, every Infra $g^{\#}\alpha$ -closed set is Infra gsp -closed, thus $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra gsp -closed in X . Hence f is Infra gsp -continuous.

Remark 4.30. *The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.*

Example 4.31. *Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}\}$, with the mapping defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c$. Then for the closed set $F = \{a, c\}$ in Y , $f^{-1}(\{a, c\}) = \{a, c\}$ implies f is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, since $f^{-1}(\{a, c\})$ is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X .*

Theorem 4.32. *If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ from a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y , then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (1) *f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.*
- (2) *The inverse image of each Infra open set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X .*

Proof: Assume that $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ be Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous. Let G be Infra open in Y . Then G^c is Infra closed in Y . Since f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, $f^{-1}(G^c)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . But $f^{-1}(G^c) = X - f^{-1}(G)$. Thus $X - f^{-1}(G)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X and so $f^{-1}(G)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . Therefore (i) implies (ii).

Conversely assume that the inverse image of each Infra open set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . Let F be any Infra closed set in Y . The F^c is Infra open in Y . By assumption, $f^{-1}(F^c)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . But $f^{-1}(F^c) = X - f^{-1}(F)$. Thus $X - f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X and so $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Therefore f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous. Hence (ii) implies (i). Thus (i) and (ii) are equivalent.

Theorem 4.33. *If $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iX})$ and $g: (Y, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_{iX})$ be any two functions, then $g \circ f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_{iX})$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous and f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.*

Proof: Let V be any Infra closed set in Z . Since g is Infra continuous, $g^{-1}(V)$ is Infra closed in Y and since f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V))$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Hence $(g \circ f)^{-1}(V)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Thus $g \circ f$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

5. PROPERTIES OF INFRA $g^\# \alpha$ -IRRESOLUTE MAPS

In this section we set forth the concept of $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute function. The relationship between Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute function and other defined Infra irresolute functions are explored.

Definition 5.1. Let $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ be a Infra topological space X into a Infra topological space Y is called $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, if the inverse image of every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed set in X .

Theorem 5.2. A map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute if and only if the inverse image of every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X .

Proof: Assume that f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute. Let A be any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open set in Y . Then A^c is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in Y . Since f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, $f^{-1}(A^c)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . But $f^{-1}(A^c) = X - f^{-1}(A)$ and so $f^{-1}(A)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . Hence the inverse image of every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open set in X .

Conversely, assume that the inverse image of every Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open set in Y is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . Let A be any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed set in Y . Then A^c is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in Y . By assumption, $f^{-1}(A^c)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -open in X . But $f^{-1}(A^c) = X - f^{-1}(A)$ and so $f^{-1}(A)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Therefore f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute.

Theorem 5.3. If a map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, then it is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

Proof: Assume that f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute. Let F be any Infra closed set in Y . Since every Infra closed set is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ - closed, F is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in Y . Since f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, $f^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . Therefore f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

Remark 5.4. The converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 5.5. Let $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with the Infra topologies $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b,d\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,d\}\}$, with the identity mapping. Here f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous. But f is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, since for the closed set $F = \{a, b\}$ in Y implies, $f^{-1}(\{a, b\}) = \{a, b\}$ is not Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X .

Theorem 5.6. Let X, Y and Z be any Infra topological spaces. For any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute map $f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_{iY})$ and any Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous map $g: (Y, \tau_{iY}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_{iZ})$ the composition $g \circ f: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_{iZ})$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

Proof: Let F be any Infra closed set in Z . Since g is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous, $g^{-1}(F)$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in Y . Since f is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -irresolute, $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F))$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -closed in X . But $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(F)) = (gof)^{-1}(F)$. Therefore $gof: (X, \tau_{iX}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_{iZ})$ is Infra $g^\# \alpha$ -continuous.

CONFLICT OF INTERESTS

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