SOME CHARACTERIZATIONS OF BETA HAT GENERALIZED CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS IN GENERALIZED TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

This study introduced and investigated μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous and weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous functions in generalized topological spaces. Properties, characterizations and relationships among these functions are also considered. Hereafter, it has been proven that a μ -continuous function is μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous. Moreover, a μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous function is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous function.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Since pure mathematics gained importance, mathematicians worldwide have introduced various concepts related to sets. Among these, the closed set holds significant importance in the field of topology. Levine [1] introduced generalized closed set, its set properties, closed and open maps, compactness, and normal and separation axioms. More expansions in general topology such as beta hat generalized closed (briefly $\hat{\beta}g$ -closed) set, K. Kannan and N. Nagaveni [2]. More so, Császár [3] introduced the concept of generalized topological spaces (briefly GTS) and extended on the μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -closed sets to GTS.

On the other hand, Duangphui et al. [20] defined the concept of $(\mu, \mu')^{(m,n)}$ -continuous functions in BGTS and some of their properties are introduced and investigated. Also, Baculta et al. [11] defined the $\mu^{(m,n)}$ - rg^*b continuous, almost $\mu^{(m,n)}$ - rg^*b continuous and weakly $\mu^{(m,n)}$ - rg^*b continuous.

In this paper, beta hat generalized continuous functions are investigated in GTS. 2. On μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS IN GTS

Here we characterize μ - β g-continuous functions.

Definition 2.1 A function $f: (X, \mu_X) \rightarrow (Y, \mu_Y)$ is said to be:

- (i.) $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each μ_Y -open set V containing f(x), there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq V$.
- (ii.) $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous if f is $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at every point $x \in X$.

Example 2.2 Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $Y = \{u, v\}$. Consider the generalized topologies $\mu_X = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a,b\}\}$ and $\mu_Y = \{\emptyset, \{u\}\}$. Thus the μ_X -closed sets in X are X, $\{b,c\}$ and $\{c\}$. On the other hand, the μ_Y -closed sets in Y are Y and $\{v\}$.

set A in X	$c_{\mu}(A)$	$i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$	$c_{\mu}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)))$	μ -open set U s.t. $A \subseteq U$
Ø	{ <i>c</i> }	Ø	{ <i>c</i> }	all μ -open set
X	X	{ <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> }	X	none
{ <i>a</i> }	X	{ <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> }	X	$\{a\}, \{a, b\}$
{ <i>b</i> }	{ <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> }	Ø	{ <i>c</i> }	$\{a, b\}$
{ <i>c</i> }	{ <i>c</i> }	Ø	{ <i>C</i> }	none
$\{a, b\}$	X	{ <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> }	X	{ <i>a</i> , <i>b</i> }
{ <i>a</i> , <i>c</i> }	X	$\{a,b\}$	X	none
{ <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> }	{ <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> }	Ø	{ <i>c</i> }	none

Now, consider the following:

Thus, the $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -closed sets in X are $\{X, \{c\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\}\}$. It follows that $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open sets in X are \emptyset , $\{a,b\}$, $\{b\}$, $\{a\}$.

Let $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be defined by $f(\{a\}) = f(\{b\}) = \{u\}$ and $f(\{c\}) = \{v\}$.

- (i.) Consider $a \in X$. Note that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{a\})$, that is $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{a\}$ such that $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$. Thus f is a $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $a \in X$.
- (ii.) Now, let $b \in X$. Observe that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{b\})$, that is $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{b\}$ such that $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$. Thus f is a $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $b \in X$.
- (iii.) Finally, let c ∈ X. Notice that there is no μ_Y-open set containing f({c} = {v} and so it is vacuously satisfied. Thus f is a μ-β̂g-continuous at c ∈ X. Since, f is μ-β̂g-continuous at points a, b, and c, it follows that f is μ-β̂g-continuous by Definition 1.7.7 (ii).

The next remark follows from Definition 2.1.

Remark 2.3 *Every* μ *-continuous function is* μ *-* $\hat{\beta}g$ *-continuous but the converse is not true.*

Theorem 2.4. For a function $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (i) $f \text{ is } \mu \hat{\beta} g \text{-continuous};$
- (ii) $f^{-1}(V) = \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu} (f^{-1}(V))$ for every $V \in v$;
- (iii) $f^{-1}(i_{\mu}(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(B)) \text{ for every } B \subseteq Y, \text{ and};$
- (iv) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu}(f^{-1}(F)) = f^{-1}(F)$ for every v-closed subset F of Y.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$ be a function and let $x \in X$.

(i) \Leftrightarrow (ii) Let $V \in v$ and $x \in f^{-1}$ (V). Then $f(x) \in V$. Since f is $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at x, there exists a $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq V$. Hence, $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}$ (V). This implies that $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(V))$. Thus, $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(V))$. Since $\hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}$ (V), (ii) follows.

Conversely, let $x \in X$ and V be a v-open set in Y with $f(x) \in V$. By (ii), $f^{-1}(V) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu} (f^{-1}(V))$. Since $x \in f^{-1}(V), x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu} (f^{-1}(V))$. This implies that there exists a μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set U with $x \in U \subseteq (f^{-1}(V))$. Thus $f(U) \subseteq V$. Therefore, f is μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at x. Since x is arbitrary, f is μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let $B \subseteq Y$. Since $i_{\nu}(B)$ is a ν - open set in Y, by (ii) we have $f^{-1}(i_{\nu}(B)) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu} (f^{-1}(i_{\nu}(B))) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu} (f^{-1}(B))$. Therefore, $f^{-1}(i_{\nu}(B)) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(B))$.

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv) Let *F* be a *v*-closed subset of *Y*. Then,

$$\begin{split} X , \ \ {\it f}^{-1}(F) &= f^{-1}(Y , \ \ F) \\ &= f^{-1}(i_{\nu}(Y , \ \ F)) \\ &\subseteq \beta g i_{\mu}(f^{-1}(Y , \ \ F)) \\ &= \beta g i_{\mu}(X , \ \ {\it f}^{-1}(F)) \\ &= X , \ \ {\it f}{\it B} g c_{\mu}(f^{-1}(F)) \end{split}$$

Thus, $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu}(f^{-1}(F)) \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$. Hence, $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu}(f^{-1}(F)) = f^{-1}(F)$.

(iv) \Rightarrow (ii) Let $V \in v$. Then $Y \setminus V$ is v-closed set in Y. By (iv), $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu}(f^{-1}(Y \setminus V)) = f^{-1}(Y \setminus V) = X \setminus f^{-1}(V) = X \setminus \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(V))$. This implies that $f^{-1}(V) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu}(f^{-1}(V))$.

Theorem 2.5 Let $f: (X, \mu) \to (Y, \nu)$ be a function. If for each μ_Y -open set U of Y, $f^{-1}(U)$ is $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open in X, then f is $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Proof: Let $x \in X$ and V be any μ_Y -open set in Y such that $f(x) \in V$. By assumption, $f^{-1}(V)$ is $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open in X with $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Take $O = f^{-1}(V)$. Then $x \in O$ and $f(O) \subseteq V$. Therefore, f is $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Definition 2.6 A function $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ is said to be:

- (i.) almost $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each μ_Y -open set V containing f(x), there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$.
- (ii.) almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous if f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at every point $x \in X$.

Example 2.7 Illustrating this in the example below.

- (i.) Consider $a \in X$. Note that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{a\})$, that is $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{a\}$ such that $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\} = i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(\{u\}))$. Thus f is almost $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $a \in X$.
- (ii.) Now, let $b \in X$. Observe that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{b\})$, that is $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{b\}$ such that $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\} \subseteq \{u\} = i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(\{u\}))$. Thus f is almost $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $b \in X$.
- (iii.) Finally, let $c \in X$. Notice that there is no μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{c\} = v \text{ and so it is vacuously satisfied. Thus } f \text{ is almost } \mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $c \in X$.

Since, f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at points a, b, and c, it follows that f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Theorem 2.8 If $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ is $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, then f is almost $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Proof: Let $x \in X$ and V be a μ_Y -open set with $f(x) \in V$. Since f is μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at x, there exists a μ_X - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set U with $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$. Thus, $f(U) \subseteq V = i_{\mu_X}(V) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, by Definition 4.1.6, f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

- **Theorem 2.9** For a function $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$, the following properties are equivalent:
 - (i.) $f \text{ is almost } \mu \hat{\beta} g \text{-continuous at } x \in X;$
 - (ii.) $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))) \text{ for very } V \in \mu_Y \text{ containing } f(x);$

- (iii.) $x \in \hat{\beta} gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(V))$ for every μ -regular open subset V of Y containing f(x);
- (iv.) For every μ -regular open subset V containing f(x), there exists $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \in V$.

Proof: Let $x \in X$ and $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let $V \in \mu_Y$ containing f(x). Then $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Since f is almost $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at x, there exists a $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))$. This implies that $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let *V* be any μ -regular open subset *Y* containing f(x). Then $f(x) \in V = i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Since *V* is μ_V -open, by (ii), we have

$$x \in \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) = \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(V)).$$

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv) Let V be any μ -regular open subset Y containing f(x). Then by (iii), $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_v}(f^{-1}(V))$. Thus, there exists a $\mu_x - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U with $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$. Hence, $f(U) \subseteq V$.

(iv) \Rightarrow (i) Let $V \in \mu_Y$ with $f(x) \in V \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Since $i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$ is μ -regular open, by (iv) there exists a μ_X - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $x \in X$.

Theorem 2.10 Let $f:(X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function. Then the following properties are equivalent:

- (i) f is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous;
- (ii) $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))) \text{ for every } V \in \mu_Y;$
- (iii) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(F)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$ for every μ_Y -closed subset F of Y;
- (iv) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(B))))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(B) \text{ for every subset } B \text{ of } Y;$
- (v) $f^{-1}(\tilde{i}_{\mu_Y}(B)) \subseteq \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(B)))) \text{ for every subset } B \text{ of } Y;$
- (vi) $f^{-1}(V) = \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_v} (f^{-1}(V))$ for every μ -regular open subset V of Y.
- (vii) $f^{-1}(F) = \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_v}(f^{-1}(F))$ for every μ -regular closed subset F of Y.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let *V* be a μ_Y -open set in *Y* and $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Since *f* is almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, there exists a μ_X - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set *U* containing *x* such that $f(U) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. This implies that $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$. Therefore, $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let F be any μ_{Y} -closed set. Then $Y \setminus F$ is μ_{Y} -open. By (ii),

Hence, $X \setminus f^{-1}(F) \subseteq X \setminus \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(F))))$. It follows that $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(F)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$.

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv) Let *B* be any subset of *Y*. Since $c_{\mu_Y}(B)$ is a μ_Y -closed subset of *Y*, by (iii), $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(B))))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(B)).$

(iv) \Rightarrow (v) Let *B* be any subset of *Y*. Then,

$$\begin{split} f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(B) &= f^{-1}(Y, (c_{\mu_{Y}}(Y, B))) \\ &= X, f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(Y, B)) \\ &\subseteq X, \beta g c_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(Y, B))))) \\ &= \beta g i_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(B))))). \end{split}$$

(v) \Rightarrow (vi) Let V be any μ -regular open subset of Y. Then V is μ_Y -open in Y. Hence, $V = i_{\mu_Y}(V)$. Since V is μ -regular open,

$$V = i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)) = i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(V))).$$

By (v),

$$\begin{split} f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(V) &= f^{-1}(V) \\ &\subseteq \beta g i_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(V))))) \\ &= \# g i_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(V)) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(V). \end{split}$$

Therefore, $f^{-1}(V) = \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(V))$. (vi) \Rightarrow (vii) Let *F* be any μ -regular closed subset of *Y*. Then $X \setminus F$ is a μ -regular open subset of *Y*. By (vi),

$$f^{-1}(Y \setminus F) = \hat{\beta} g i_{\mu_Y}(f^{-1}(Y \setminus F)).$$

Thus, $X \setminus f^{-1}(F) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(X \setminus f^{-1}(F)) = X \setminus \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(F))$. Therefore, $f^{-1}(F) = \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(F))$.

(vii) \Rightarrow (i) Let $x \in X$ and V be any μ_Y - open set in Y with $f(x) \in V$. Then, $V = i_{\mu_Y}(V) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Since $i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$ is μ -regular open, by (vii), $f^{-1}(Y \setminus (i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))) = \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(Y \setminus (i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))))$. Thus,

$$\begin{split} X, \quad f^{-1}\mathfrak{f}i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V))) &= \beta g c_{\mu_{X}}(X, \quad f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) \\ &= X, \quad \beta g i_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))). \end{split}$$

It follows that $f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$. Since $f(x) \in V \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$, $x \in f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))) = \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$. Hence, there exists a μ_X - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set O with $x \in O \subseteq f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))$. This implies that $f(O) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, the theorem follows.

Definition 2.11 A function $f: (X, \mu_X) \rightarrow (Y, \mu_Y)$ is said to be:

- (i.) weakly $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each μ_Y -open set V containing f(x), there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$.
- (ii.) weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous if f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at every point $x \in X$.

Example 2.12 To illustrate,

- (i.) Consider $a \in X$. Note that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{a\})$, that is $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{a\}$ such that $f(\{a\}) = \{u\} \subseteq Y = c_{\mu_Y}(\{u\})$. Thus f is weakly $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $a \in X$.
- (ii.) Now, let $b \in X$. Observe that $\{u\}$ is the only μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{b\})$, that is $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq \{u\}$, and there exists a $\mu_X \hat{\beta}g$ -open set $\{b\}$ such that $f(\{b\}) = \{u\} \subseteq Y = c_{\mu_Y}(\{u\})$. Thus f is weakly $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $b \in X$.
- (iii.) Finally, let $c \in X$. Notice that there is no μ_Y -open set containing $f(\{c\} = v \text{ and so it is vacuously satisfied. Thus } f$ is weakly $\mu \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at $c \in X$.

Since, f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous at points a, b, and c, it follows that f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Theorem 2.13 If $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ is almost $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, then f is weakly $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Proof: Let *f* be almost $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous. Let $x \in X$ and *V* be a μ_Y -open set in *Y* containing f(x). Since *f* is almost $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, there exists a $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set *U* containing *x* such that $f(U) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Since $i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$, it follows that there exists a $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set *U* containing *x* such that $f(U) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$. Therefore, *f* is weakly $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Theorem 2.14 For a function $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$, the following properties are equivalent:

- (i.) f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous;
- (ii.) $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_X}(V)))$ for every μ_Y -open subset V of Y;
- (iii.) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(F))) \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$ for every μ_{Y} -closed subset F of Y;
- (iv.) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(A)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(A))$ for every subset A of Y;
- (v.) $f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(V)) \subseteq \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(A))))$ for every subset A of Y;
- (vi.) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{v}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{v}}(V))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{v}}(V))$ for every μ_{v} -open subset V of Y.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let *V* be any μ_Y -open subset of *Y*. If $f^{-1}(V) = \emptyset$, then we are done. Let $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Since *f* is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous, there exists a μ_X - $\hat{\beta}g$ -open set *U* containing *x* such that $f(U) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$. This implies that $x \in f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, $x \in \hat{\beta}gi_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))$ and (ii) holds.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let F be a μ_Y -closed subset of Y. Then $Y \setminus F$ is a μ_Y -open set subset of Y. By (ii), $X, f^{-1}(F) = f^{-1}(Y, F) \subseteq \beta g i_{\mu_X} (f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(Y, F)))$ $= \beta g i_{\mu_Y} (f^{-1}(Y, i_{\mu_Y}(F)))$ $= \beta g i_{\mu_Y} (X, if^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(F)))$ $= f X, \beta g c_{\mu_X} (f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(F))).$

Thus,

$$egin{aligned} &f^{-1}(Y \ , \ \ c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)) \subseteq eta gi_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(Y \ , \ \ c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) \ &= eta gi_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(Y \ , \ \ i_{\mu_{X}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) \ &= eta gi_{\mu_{X}}(X \ , \ \ (f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V))))). \end{aligned}$$

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Hence, $X \setminus f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)) \subseteq X \setminus \hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))))$. This implies that $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Since $V \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$, we have $i_{\mu_Y}(V) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. Therefore, $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(V))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$.

(vi) \Rightarrow (i) Let $x \in X$ and V be a μ_Y -open set in Y containing f(x). Then $V = i_{\mu_Y}(V) \subseteq i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(V))$. By (vi),

$$\begin{split} x \in f^{-1}(V) &\subseteq f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V))) \\ &= fX , \quad (f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(Y , c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) \\ &\subseteq X , \quad \beta gc_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(Y , c_{\mu_{Y}}(V)))) \\ &= X , \quad \beta gc_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(Y , c_{\mu_{Y}}(V))) \\ &= f\beta gi_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(V))). \end{split}$$

Thus, there exist a $\mu_X - \hat{\beta}g$ -open set U with $x \in U$ and $f(U) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(V)$. Therefore, f is weakly $\mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

Theorem 2.15 Let $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function. Then the following are equivalent:

- (i) f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous;
- (ii) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(F))) \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$ for every μ_{Y} -regular closed subset F of Y;
- (iii) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{Y}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(G)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(G))$ for every μ_{Y} - β -open subset G of Y;
- (iv) $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_X}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(G)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_Y}(G))$ for every μ_Y -semiopen subset G of Y.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \mu_X) \to (Y, \mu_Y)$ be a function.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii) Follows from Theorem 2.15 (iii).

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let G be $\mu_Y - \beta$ -open subset of Y. The $G \subseteq ((c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(G)))))$. It follows that $c_{\mu_Y}(G) \subseteq c_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(G)))) = (c_{\mu_Y}(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(G))))$. Now, $(i_{\mu_Y}(c_{\mu_Y}(G)))$ is a μ_Y -regular closed subset of Y. By (ii), we have

$$\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{X}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{Y}}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(G)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{Y}}(G)).$$

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv) Let G be μ_{γ} -semiopen set in Y. Then G is μ_{γ} - β -open. By (iii), $\hat{\beta}gc_{\mu_{\gamma}}(f^{-1}(i_{\mu_{\gamma}}(c_{\mu_{\gamma}}(G)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(c_{\mu_{\gamma}}(G)).$

(iv) \Rightarrow (i) Let V be any μ_{Y} -open subset of Y. Then V is μ_{Y} -semiopen. By Theorem 2.15 (iv), f is weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous.

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From Remark 2.3, Theorem 2.5, Theorem 2.8, and Theorem 2.14, we have the following implications but the converses are not true.

 μ -continuous $\Rightarrow \mu - \hat{\beta}g$ -continuous

almost μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous

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weakly μ - $\hat{\beta}g$ -continuous

(The symbol \Rightarrow means an implication).

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