



## Contra $\omega_{\rm pre}$ –Continuous Functions

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## 1. Introduction

In this work,  $(X, \tau_X)$ ,  $(Y, \tau_Y)$  are supposed to be topological spaces (for short X and Y), which have no separation exams except whenever state. For a subset A its interior and closure are denoted by int(A) and cl(A), respectively. Also, A is said b-open if  $A \subseteq int(cl(A)) \cup cl(int(A))$  and A is  $\omega$ -open if for every point in it, there is an open set U containing x with U - A is countable [6], while A is  $\omega_{pre}$ open (shortly  $\omega_p$ -open) whenever replacing the open set to be pre-open [7] and every pre-open,  $\omega$ -open set is  $\omega_p$ -open. The  $\omega_p$ -closed and  $\omega_p$ -interior defined as in cl(A) and int(A), respectively. Dontchev introduced the notion of contra continuity. He defined a function  $f: X \longrightarrow Y$  contra continuous if the inverse image of V is closed in X whenever V is open set in Y is contra continuous [4]. A function f: X  $\rightarrow$  Y is said to be almost contra  $\omega$ -continuous [2] (resp.; almost contra-precontinuous [5]) if f(V) is  $\omega$ -closed (resp.; pre-closed) for every regular open set V in Y.

## 2. Contra Continuous Via $\omega_p$ -Open Sets

Dontchev introduced the notion of contra continuity. He defined a function  $f: X \to Y$  is contra continuous if the inverse image of each open set in *Y* is closed in *X*. By the same context, we can define the following:

**Definition 2.1, [2].** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is called  $\omega$ -continuous if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set *V* of *Y* containing f(x), there exists  $\omega$ -open set *U* containing *x*, such that  $f(x) \subseteq U$ .

**Definition 2.2.** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is said to be contra  $\omega_p$  continuous if the inverse image of open set in *Y* is  $\omega_p$ -open in *X*.

**Remark 2.1.** (1) Every contra  $\omega$ -continuous function contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous.

(2) Every contra continuous function is contra  $\omega_p$  - continuous but the convers not true.

**Example 2.1.** Let the identity function  $f:(Z, \tau_{ind}) \rightarrow (Z, \tau_D)$ , then f is contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous but not contra continuous.

**Proposition 2.1.** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is contra  $\omega_p$  - continuous if and only if for every closed subset *F* of *Y*, then  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$  open in *X*.

**Proof.** Given *f* is contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous function and *F* is closed in *Y* then *Y* – *F* is open in *Y* but *f* is contra  $\omega_p$  continuous, then  $f^{-1}(Y - F)$  is  $\omega_p$  -closed, but  $x - (f^{-1}(Y - F) = f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$  open set.

Conversely, by the same way of above.

**Lemma 2.1.** A subset U of space X is  $\omega_p$ -open if and only if every point in U is  $\omega_p$ -interior point to U.

**Lemma 2.2, [6].** The following properties hold for subsets *A*, *B* of a space *X*:

- (1)  $x \in \text{Ker}(A)$  if and only if  $A \cap F \neq \emptyset$  for only closed set *F* containing *x*.
- (2)  $A \subseteq \text{Ker}(A)$  and A = Ker(A) if A is open in X.
- (3) if  $A \subseteq B$ , then Ker (A)  $\subseteq$  Ker (R).

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**Proof.** Let *U* be  $\omega_p$ -open set and  $x \in U$ , then *U* an  $\omega_p$ -neighborhood for each it's point.

Conversely, for each  $x \in U$ , we get  $\omega_p$ -open set  $V_x$  containing x and contained in U, that is  $U = \bigcup_{i \in \Lambda} U_i$ , but the arbitrary union of  $\omega_p$ -open sets is also  $\omega_p$  open. so U is  $\omega_p$ -open.

**Proposition 2.2.** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is contra  $\omega_p$  - continuous if for each  $x \in Z$  and each closed set *F* containing f(x), there exists  $\omega_p$ -open set *U* containing *x* such that  $f(U) \subseteq F$ .

**Proof.** Assume that f is contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous and F is closed set containing f(x) for some  $x \in X$ , so that  $x \in f^{-1}(F)$ , then  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$ -open set in Z (by Proposition 2.2). If  $f^{-1}(F) = U$ , then U is  $\omega_p$  open set containing x, such that  $f(U) = f(f^{-1}(F)) \subset F$ .

Conversely, let *F* be any closed set of *Y* if  $f^{-1}(F) = \emptyset$ , then there is nothing to prove. Suppose that  $f^{-1}(F) \neq \emptyset$ and  $x \in f^{-1}(F)$ , then  $f(x) \in f f^{-1}(F) \subset F$  which implies that there exists  $\omega_p$ -open set *U* containing *x*, such that  $x \in$  $U \subset f^{-1}(F)$ . So  $x \in \omega_p - int(f^{-1}(F))$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(f)$  is  $\omega_p$ -open set in *x*.

**Proposition 2.3.** If a function  $f: X \to Y$  is contra  $\omega_p$  - continuous, then  $f(\omega_p - cl(A)) \subseteq \text{Ker}(f(A))$ , for every subset A of X.

**Proof.** Let *A* be any subset of *X* and assume that  $Y \notin \text{Ker}(f(A))$  then there is a closed set *F* containing f(x) in *Y* such that  $f(A) \cap F = \emptyset$ , then  $A \cap f^{-1}(F) = \emptyset$ , but *f* is contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous then by Proposition 2.2,  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$  open set containing *x* so *x* is not  $\omega_p$ -adherent point to A that is,  $x \notin \omega_p cl(A) Y = f(x) \notin f(\omega_p cl(A))$ . Therefore  $f(\omega_p cl(A)) \subseteq \text{Ker}(f(A))$ .

**Proposition 2.4.** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is  $\omega_p$ -continuous if and only if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set *V* containing f(x), there exists  $\omega_p$ -open set *U* containing *x*, such that  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .

**Proof.** Assume that f is  $\omega_p$ -continuous and V is open set containing f(x), for some  $x \in X$ , so that  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$  then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\omega_p$  - open set in X (since f is  $\omega_p$  continuous) now put  $f^{-1}(V) = U$  with  $x \in U$  then U is  $\omega_p$  open set containing x, such that  $f(U) = f(f^{-1}(V)) \subset V$ . Hence  $f(U) \subset V$ .

Conversely; let *V* beany open set of *Y*, if  $f^{-1}(V) = \emptyset$ , then there is nothing to prove. Suppose  $f^{-1}(V) \neq \emptyset$  and  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ , then  $f(x) \in f(f^{-1}(V)) \subset V$ , then there exists  $\omega_p$  open set *U* containing *x* such that  $x \in U \subset f^{-1}(F)$ , so  $x \in \omega_p - int(f^{-1}(V))$  so (by Lemma 2.1)  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\omega_p$ open set in *X*. **Proposition 2.5.** A function  $f: X \to Y$  is contra  $\omega_p$  - continuous, then f is  $\omega_p$  - continuous whenever Y is regular.

**Proof.** Let *V* be an open set of *Y* containing f(x) for some  $x \in X$ , then there is an open set *W* in *Y*, such that  $f(x) \in W \subseteq \overline{W} \subseteq V$  (since *Y* regular so by Proposition 2.2, we obtain  $\omega_p$  –open set *U* containing *x* with  $f(U) \subset cl(W) \subset V$ . Therefore *f* is  $\omega_p$  –continuous.

**Proposition 2.6.** Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a contra  $\omega_p$  continuous function then *Y* is not a discrete space, whenever *X* is  $\omega_p$ -connected space.

**Proof.** Assume the domain is discrete and there is a nonempty clopen set A of it, then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is nonempty proper  $\omega_p$ -open and  $\omega_p$ -closed subset of X so X is not  $\omega_p$  - connected space, which is a contrary with our hypothesis.

**Proposition 2.7.** If  $f: X \to Y$  is surjective contra  $\omega_p$  – continuous function and X is  $\omega_p$  – connected space, then Y is connected.

**Proof.** Suppose there are two nonempty disjoint open sets  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  and there union equal to *Y*. So  $f^{-1}(V_1)$  and  $f^{-1}(V_2)$  are disjoint  $\omega_p$ -open sets in *X* and their union equal to *X*. So *X* is  $\omega_p$ -disconnected, which is contrary with our hypothesis, therefor *Y* is connected.

**Definition 2.3.** A function f from X into Y is said to be almost contra  $\omega_p$  – continuous if  $f^{-1}(V) \in \omega_p$ -closed set in X, for every regular open V in Y.

**Definition 2.4.** A subset *A* of space *X* is said to be regular open if  $A = \overline{A}^\circ$ .

**Theorem 2.1.** Let f be a function from X into Y, then the following are equivalents:

- (1) f is almost contra  $\omega_p$  –continuous.
- (2)  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$  open in X, whenever F is regular closed in Y.
- (3) For every x ∈ X and every regular closed set F containing f(x) in Y, there exists an ω<sub>p</sub> −open U in X containing x with f(U) ⊆ F.
- (4) For every regular open set V non containing f(x) in Y for some x ∈ X, there is an ω<sub>p</sub>-closed set K in X with x ∉ K, such that f<sup>-1</sup>(V) ⊆ K.

**Proof.** (1)  $\rightarrow$  (2) let *F* be a regular closed set in *Y* then  $F^c$  is regular open in *Y*, but by our assumption that *f* is almost contra  $\omega_p$  -continuous. So we get  $X - f^{-1}(F) = f^{-1}(Y - F)$  is  $\omega_p$  - closed in *X* and hence  $X - (X - f^{-1}(F)) = f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$  -open in *X*.

We can prove  $(2) \rightarrow (1)$  by the same way to a bove.

 $(2) \rightarrow (3)$  assume F be regular closed set in Y containing

f(x) in Y for some  $x \in X$  and so by (2)  $f^{-1}(F) \omega_p$ -open in

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X containing x. Put  $f^{-1}(F) = U$ , then  $f(U) = ff^{-1}(F) \subseteq F$ .

 $(3) \rightarrow (2)$  let *F* be any regular closed set in codomain and *x* belong to  $f^{-1}(F)$  so  $f(x) \in ff^{-1}(F) \subset F$ , then by (3) there is  $\omega_p$ -open set  $U_x$  containing *x*, such that  $f(U_x) \subset F$ , then  $U_x \subseteq f^{-1}(f(U_x)) \subset f^{-1}(F)$ , so *x* is  $\omega_p$ -interior point to  $f^{-1}(F)$  but *x* is an arbitrary, so  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $\omega_p$ -open set (by Lemma 2.1).

(3)→(4) assume V is a regular open set with  $f(x) \notin V$ in a space Y then Y - V is a regular closed with  $f(x) \in Y - V$ , so by (3) there is  $\omega_p$  -open set U in X with  $x \in U$  and  $f(U) \subset Y - V U \subseteq f^{-1}f(U) \subset f^{-1}(Y - V) = f^{-1}(Y) - f^{-1}(V) = X - f^{-1}(V)$  that  $U \subseteq X - f^{-1}(V) X - (X - f^{-1}(V) \subseteq X - U f^{-1}(V) \subseteq X - U$ . Put H = X - U, so H is  $\omega_p$ -closed set in X with  $x \notin H$ .

**Definition 2.5.** A space *X* is said to be:

- (1)  $\omega_p$ -compact if for all  $\omega_p$  open cover of X has a finite subcover.
- (2) Countably  $\omega_p$ -compact if every countable cover of X through  $\omega_p$ -open sets has finite subcover.
- (3)  $\omega_p$  -Lindelof if for all  $\omega_p$  -open cover of X has a countable subcover.
- (4) *S*-Lindelof [6] if for all cover of *X* by regular closed sets has a countable subcover.
- (5) countably *S*-closed [15] if for all countable cover of *X* by regular closed sets has a finite subcover.
- (6) *S*-closed [16] if for all regular closed cover of *X* has a finite subcover.

**Theorem 2.2.** Let *f* be a function from *X* into *Y* be an almost contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous surjection. The following statements are holds:

- (1) If X is  $\omega_p$ -compact, then Y is S-closed.
- (2) *Y* is *S*-Lindelof whenever *X* is  $\omega_p$ -Lindelof.
- (3) *Y* is countably *S*-closed whenever *X* is countably  $\omega_p$ -compact.

**Proof.** If (1) hold then the other also holds.

Let  $\{V_{\alpha}: \alpha \in I\}$  be any regular closed cover of *Y*. Since we have *f* is almost contra- $\omega$ -continuous, then  $\{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha})\alpha \in I\}$  is an  $\omega_p$ -open contra of *X* and hence there is a finite subset *I*<sub>0</sub> of *I*, such that  $X = \bigcup \{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha}): \alpha \in I_0\}$ , so we have  $Y = \bigcup \{V_{\alpha}: \alpha \in I_0\}$  and *Y* is *S*-closed.

**Definition 2.6.** The space *X* we call it:

- (1)  $\omega_p$ -closed compact if every  $\omega_p$ -closed cover of X has a finite subcover.
- (2) Countably  $\omega_p$ -closed compact if every countable contra of *X* by  $\omega_p$  closed sets has a finite subcover.
- (3)  $\omega_p$  Closed-Lindelof if for all cover of X by  $\omega_p$  closed sets has a countable subcover.
- (4) Nearly compact if for all regular open cover of *X* has a finite subcover.
- (5) Nearly countably compact if for all countable cover of X by regular open sets has a finite subcover.

(6) Nearly Lindelof if for all cover of *X* by regular open sets has a countably subcover.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let *f* be a function from *X* into *Y* and *f* is almost contra- $\omega_p$  - continuous surjection. The following statements are hold:

- (1) *Y* is nearly compact if *X* is  $\omega_p$ -closed compact.
- (2) *Y* nearly lindel of if *X* is  $\omega_p$ -closed lindellof.
- (3) *Y* is nearly countably compact if *X* is countably  $\omega_p$ -closed compact.

**Proof.** If (1) holds then the other holds also, let  $\{V_{\alpha}: \alpha \in I\}$  be regular open cover of *Y*, but *f* is almost contra- $\omega_p$ -continuous, then  $\{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha}): \alpha \in I\}$  is an  $\omega_p$ -closed cover of *X*. Since *X* is  $\omega_p$  closed compact, then there exists a finite subset *I*<sub>0</sub> of *I* with  $X = \bigcup \{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha})\alpha \in I_0\}$  thus, we get  $Y = \bigcup \{V_{\alpha}: \alpha \in I_0\}$  and *Y* is nearly compact.

**Definition 2.7.** A function f from space X in to a space Y is said to be almost contra  $\omega_p$ -continuous if the inverse image of regular open in Y is  $\omega_p$ -closed in X.

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