

NEW APPROACHES ABOUT I -CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS IN IDEAL TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract: In [2], Özkurt introduced and investigated the new notion I -continuity. We introduce the notions I_W -continuity, I -continuity, I_{W^*} -continuity. In this paper, we investigate relations among continuous function, θ -continuous function and these new continuous function.

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1. Introduction and Preliminaries

The concept of ideal topological spaces was introduced Kuratowski [5] and Vanidyanathowamy[9]. Throughout the present paper (X, τ) or (Y, φ) will denote a topological space. For a subset A of a topological space (X, τ) , $Cl(A)$ and $Int(A)$ will denote the closure and the interior of A in (X, τ) , respectively. An ideal is defined as a nonempty collection I of subsets of X satisfying the following two conditions: (1) If $A \in I$ and $B \subseteq A$, then $B \in I$; (2) If $A \in I$ and $B \in I$, then $A \cup B \in I$.

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An ideal topological space is a topological space (X, τ) with an ideal I on X and is denoted by (X, τ, I) . For a subset $A \subseteq X$, $A(I) = \{x \in X \mid U \cap A \notin I \text{ for each open neighbourhood } U \text{ of } x\}$ is called the local function of A with respect to I and τ [5]. We simply write A instead of $A(I)$ in case there is no change for confusion. For every ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , there exists a topology $\tau(I)$ (briefly τ), finer than τ , generated by $\beta(I, \tau) = \{U - A : U \in \tau \text{ and } A \in I\}$, but in general $\beta(I, \tau)$ is not always a topology [3]. Additionally, $Cl(A) = A \cup A(I)$ defines a Kuratowski closure operator for $\tau(I)$ [4].

A notion of I -continuity was introduced by M.E. Abd El-Monsef et al. [6]. Another version of I -continuity was introduced by A. Özkurt [2] below

Definition 1. [2] $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is said to be I -continuous function at x if, for every neighborhood V of $f(x)$ in Y , there exists a neighborhood U of x in X such that $f(U) - V \in I$. We say that f is I -continuous function if f is I -continuous function at every point of X .

If $f(U) \subseteq V$ then $f(U) - V = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore, If f is a continuous function then f is I -continuous function. But converse need not be true as shown by the example [2]

Definition 2. $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi)$ is said to be θ -continuous function [8] (resp. weakly continuous function [7]) at x_0 if for each open neighbourhood V of $f(x_0)$, there is an open neighbourhood U of x_0 such that $f(Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ (resp. $f(U) \subseteq Cl(V)$). f is said to be θ -continuous function (resp. w -continuous function) if it is θ -continuous function (resp. w -continuous function) at each point of X .

Definition 3. [1] $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is said to be weakly- I -continuous function (briefly $w-I-c$ function) if for each $x \in X$ and each open neighbourhood V of $f(x)$, there exists an open neighbourhood U of x such that $f(U) \subseteq Cl(V)$

We will use the following corollary:

Corollary 4. [2] Let Y be a space and $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ be an I -continuous function and one to one map. If $f(U) \notin I$ for every non-empty open set U in X then f is continuous function.

2. Main Results

We introduce the notions of I_w -continuity, I_θ -continuity, I_{w^*} -continuity, I_{θ^*} -continuity by following definitions.

Definition 5. $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is said to be I_w -continuous function (resp. I_θ -continuous function, I_{w^*} -continuous function, I_{θ^*} -continuous function) If for each $x \in X$ and each open neighbourhood V of $f(x)$, there exists an open neighbourhood U of x such that $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$ (resp. $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) \in I$, $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$, $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) \in I$).

In this paper, we investigate relations among continuity in Definition 2, 3, 5 and continuity.

Observe that if f is continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function. On the other hand I_w -continuity does not imply continuity.

Example 6. Let $f : (\mathbb{R}, \tau_{cof}) \rightarrow (\mathbb{R}, \tau_{cof}, I)$, $f(x) = \cos x$, where $\tau_{cof} = \{V : \mathbb{R} - V \text{ is finite}\} \cup \{\emptyset\}$ is cofinite topology on \mathbb{R} and I denotes the ideal of finite subsets of \mathbb{R} . We were first show that f is I_w -continuous function. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f(x) \in V \in \tau_{cof}$. Then $\mathbb{R} - V$ is finite. If we take $x \in U = \mathbb{R} \in \tau_{cof}$, then $f(U) - Cl(V) \subseteq \mathbb{R} - Cl(V) \subseteq \mathbb{R} - V$. Therefore $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$. Thus f is I_w -continuous function. We were second show that f is not continuous function. Let $V = \mathbb{R} - \{1\} \in \tau_{cof}$. Then $f^{-1}(V) = \mathbb{R} - \{2k\pi : k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \notin \tau_{cof}$. Therefore f is not continuous function.

Since $f(U) - Cl(V) \subseteq f(U) - V$, if f is I -continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function. But converse need not be true.

Theorem 7. Let (Y, φ, I) be a regular space. Then a function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is I -continuous function if and only if f is I_w -continuous function.

Proof. The necessity is clear.

Sufficiency. Let $x \in X$ and V be an open set of Y containing $f(x)$. Since (Y, φ, I) be a regular space, there exists an open neighbourhood W of $f(x)$ such that $Cl(W) \subset V$. Since f is I_w -continuous function, there exists open neighbourhood U of x such that $f(U) - Cl(W) \in I$. Since $f(U) - V \subseteq f(U) - Cl(W)$ and I is ideal, hence we obtain $f(U) - V \in I$. Thus, f is I -continuous function. \square

Theorem 8. If $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is continuous function then f is I_θ -continuous function.

Proof. Let $x \in X$ and $f(x) \in V \in \varphi$. Since f is continuous function, there exist a $x \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) \subseteq V$ and $f(Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(f(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$. Then $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore f is I_θ -continuous function. \square

The following example show that the converse implication does not hold.

Example 9. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{1\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$ and

$$I = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{4\}, \{1, 4\}\}.$$

Define the function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, I, \tau)$ as $f = \{(1, 1), (2, 4), (3, 3), (4, 2)\}$. Then f is I_θ -continuous function but not f continuous function. Really:

i) Let $1 \in X$ and $\emptyset \neq V \in \tau$ such that $Cl(V) = X$. Then, there exists $U = \{1\} \in \tau$ such that $Cl(U) = X$ and $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

ii) Let $2 \in X$ and $V = X$ such that $Cl(V) = X$. Then, there exists $U = \{1, 2\} \in \tau$ such that $Cl(U) = X$ and $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

iii) Let $3 \in X$ and $V = \{1, 3\}, V = \{1, 2, 3\}$ or $V = X$ such that $Cl(V) = X$. Then, there exists $U = \{1\} \in \tau$ such that $Cl(U) = X$ and $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

iv) Let $4 \in X$ and $V = \{1, 2\}, V = \{1, 2, 3\}$ or $V = X$ such that $Cl(V) = X$. Then, there exists $U = X \in \tau$ such that $Cl(U) = X$ and $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

By i),ii),iii) and iv), f is I_θ -continuous function. On the other hand, for $V = \{1, 2\} \in \tau$, $f^{-1}(V) = \{1, 4\} \notin \tau$. Therefore f is not continuous function.

Since $f(U) - Cl(V) \subseteq f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V)$, if f is I_θ -continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function. On the other hand I_w -continuity does not imply I_θ -continuity.

Example 10. Let

$$X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}, \{2, 4\}, \{1, 2, 4\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\},$$

$Y = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$, $\sigma = \{\emptyset, Y, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ and

$$I = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}\}.$$

Define the function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ as $f = (1, a), (2, d), (3, e), (4, b)$. Then f is I_w -continuous function but not f , I_θ -continuous function. Really:

i) Let $1 \in X$ and $V = \{a\}, V = \{a, b\}, V = \{a, c\}, V = \{a, b, c\}$ or $V = Y$ such that $\{a, d, e\} \subset Cl(V)$. Then, there exists $U = \{1, 2\} \in \tau$ such that $f(U) = \{a, d\} \subset Cl(V)$ and $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

ii) Let $2 \in X$ and $V = Y$ such that $Cl(V) = Y$. Then, there exists $2 \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) \subset Cl(V)$ and $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

iii) Let $3 \in X$ and $V = Y$ such that $Cl(V) = X$. Then, there exists $2 \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) \subset Cl(V)$ and $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

iv) Let $4 \in X$ and $V = \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}$ or $V = Y$ such that $\{b, d, e\} \subset Cl(V)$. Coice $U = \{2, 4\}$. Then, $f(U) = \{d, b\} \subset Cl(V)$ and $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$.

By i),ii),iii) and iv), f is I_w continuous function. Now we show that $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ is not I_θ -continuous function.

Let $1 \in X$ and $V = \{a\} \in \sigma$. But, for every open set $U \subset X$ such that $1 \in U$, $Cl(U) = X$. $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \{b, c\} \notin I$, Then f , I_w - continuous function.

Therefore f is not I_θ -continuous function.

Theorem 11. *If $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is I_{w^*} -continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function.*

Proof. Let $x \in X$ and $f(x) \in V \in \varphi$. Then there exist a $x \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$. Since $\varphi \subset \varphi$, $Cl(V) \subseteq Cl(V)$ for any subset $V \subseteq Y$. Then we obtain $f(U) - Cl(V) \subseteq f(U) - Cl(V)$. Since I is ideal, we obtain $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$. Therefore f is I_w -continuous function. □

Definition 12. [1] An ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is an RI -space if, for each $x \in X$ and each open neighbourhood V of x , there exists an open neighbourhood U of x such that $x \in U \subset Cl(U) \subset V$.

Theorem 13. *Let Y be an RI -space. Then $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is I_{w^*} -continuous function if and only if f is I -continuous function.*

Proof. Necessity. Let $x \in X$ and V be an open set of Y containing $f(x)$. Since Y is an RI -space, there exists an open set W of Y such that $f(x) \in W \subseteq Cl(W) \subseteq V$. Since f is I_{w^*} -continuous function, there exists an open set U such that $x \in U$ and $f(U) - Cl(W) \in I$. Since $f(U) - V \subseteq f(U) - Cl(W)$, we obtain $f(U) - V \in I$. Thus, f is I -continuous function.

Sufficiency. Let $x \in X$ and V be an open set of Y containing $f(x)$. Since f is I -continuous function, there exists an open set U such that $x \in U$ and $f(U) - V \in I$. Since $f(U) - Cl(V) \subseteq f(U) - V$, we obtain $f(U) - Cl(V) \in I$. Thus, f is I_{w^*} -continuous function. □

Since every regular space is RI -space. The following theorem is an immediate consequence of Theorem 13, Theorem 7 and Corollary 4.

Theorem 14. Let (Y, I, φ) be regular space and $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, I, \varphi)$ one to one map and $f(U) \notin I$ for every non empty open set U in X . Then the following properties are equivalent:

- a) f continuous function;
- b) f, I -continuous function;
- c) f, I_θ -continuous function;
- d) f, I_w -continuous function;
- e) f, I_{w^*} -continuous function.

Theorem 15. If a function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is $w - I$ continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function.

Proof. Let $x \in X$ and $f(x) \in V \in \varphi$. Since f is $w - I$ continuous function. Then there exist a $x \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) \subseteq Cl(V) \subseteq Cl(V)$. Then $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore f is I_w -continuous function. \square

On the other hand I_w -continuity does not imply $w - I$ continuity.

Example 16. Let

$$X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\},$$

$$\varphi = \{\emptyset, X, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\},$$

and $I = \{\emptyset, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Define the function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, I, \varphi)$ as $f(x) = x$. Then f is I_w -continuous function but not $f, w - I$ continuous function.

Remark 17. Let $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is a function. Since $f(U) \subseteq Cl_\varphi(V)$, if f is w -continuous function then $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore f, I_w -continuous function.

On the other hand I_w -continuity does not imply w -continuity.

Example 18. Let

$$X = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\},$$

$$\varphi = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\},$$

and $I = \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}$. Define the function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, I, \varphi)$ as $f(x) = x$. Then f is I_w -continuous function but not f, w -continuous function.

Remark 19. Let $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is a function. Since $f(Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$, if f is θ continuous function then $f(Cl(U)) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore f, I_θ -continuous function.

On the other hand I_θ -continuity does not imply θ -continuity.

Example 20. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{1\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}\}$, $\varphi = \{\emptyset, X, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}$. Define the function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, I, \varphi)$ as $f(x) = x$. Then f is I_θ -continuous function but not f , θ -continuous function.

Theorem 21. If a function $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \varphi, I)$ is θ -continuous function then f is I_w -continuous function.

Proof. Let $x \in X$ and $f(x) \in V \in \varphi$. Since f is θ -continuous function, then there exist a $x \in U \in \tau$ such that $f(U) \subseteq f(Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$. Then $f(U) - Cl(V) = \emptyset \in I$. Therefore f is I_w -continuous function. \square

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