



γ -OPEN SETS AND DECOMPOSITION OF CONTINUITY VIA GRILLS

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we apply the notion of γ -open sets to define a new class of sets via grills and investigate their properties with the existing sets. This concept is further extended to define $G\gamma^*$ -sets to obtain a new decomposition of continuity.

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1. INTRODUCTION:

The idea of grill on a topological space was first introduced by Choquet [1] in 1947. The concept of grills has shown to be a powerful supporting and useful tool like nets and filters for many topological investigations. In [4] Roy and Mukerjee defined a new topology associated naturally to the existing topology and a grill on a given topological space. In [3], Ravi and Ganesan have defined and studied G - α -open sets and G - α -continuous functions in grill topological spaces. In this paper, we introduce G - γ -open sets, G - γ -continuous functions, $G\gamma^*$ -sets, $G\gamma^*$ -continuous functions and investigate the relation between such sets with other grill sets (functions) and obtain a decomposition of continuity.

2. PRELIMINARIES:

Throughout this paper, (X, τ) or X represent a topological space on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset A of a space X , $Cl(A)$ and $Int(A)$ denote the closure and the interior of A respectively. The power set of X will be denoted by $\wp(X)$. A collection G of a non-empty subsets of a space X is called a grill [1] on X if

- (1) $A \in G$ and $A \subset B \Rightarrow B \in G$
- (2) $A, B \subset X$ and $A \cup B \in G \Rightarrow A \in G$ or $B \in G$.

For any point x of a topological space (X, τ) , $\tau(x)$ denote the collection of all open neighborhoods of x .

Definition 2.1: [4] Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be a grill on X . The mapping $\Phi: \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$, denoted by $\Phi_G(A, \tau)$ for $A \in \wp(X)$ or simply $\Phi(A)$ called the operator with the grill G and the topology τ and is defined by

$$\Phi_G(A, \tau) = \{x \in X \mid A \cap U \in G, \forall U \in \tau(x)\}$$

Result 2.2[4]: Let G be a grill on a space X . Then a map $\Psi: \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$ is defined by $\Psi(A) = A \cup \Phi(A)$, for all $A \in \wp(X)$. The map Ψ satisfies Kuratowski closure axioms. Corresponding to a grill G on a topological space (X, τ) , there exists a unique topology τ_G on X given by $\tau_G = \{U \subset X \mid \Psi(X-U) = X-U\}$,

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where for any $A \subseteq X$, $\Psi(A) = A \cup \Phi(A) = \tau_G\text{-Cl}(A)$.

For any grill G on a topological space (X, τ) , $\tau \subset \tau_G$. If (X, τ) is a topological space and G is a grill on X , then (X, τ, G) denote a grill topological space.

Theorem 2.3: [4]

- (1) If G_1 and G_2 are two grills on a space X with $G_1 \subset G_2$, then $\tau_{G_1} \subset \tau_{G_2}$.
- (2) If G is a grill on a space X and $B \notin G$, then B is closed in (X, τ, G) .
- (3) For any subset A of a space X and any grill G on X , $\Phi(A)$ is τ_G -closed.

Theorem 2.4: [4] Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . Then

- (1) $A \subseteq B (\subseteq X) \Rightarrow \Phi(A) \subseteq \Phi(B)$;
- (2) $A \subseteq X$ and $A \notin G \Rightarrow \Phi(A) = \emptyset$;
- (3) $\Phi(\Phi(A)) \subseteq \Phi(A) = \text{Cl}(\Phi(A)) \subseteq \text{Cl}(A)$, for any $A \subseteq X$;
- (4) $\Phi(A \cup B) = \Phi(A) \cup \Phi(B)$;
- (5) $A \subseteq \Phi(A) \Rightarrow \text{Cl}(A) = \tau_G\text{-Cl}(A) = \text{Cl}(\Phi(A)) = \Phi(A)$;
- (6) $U \in \tau$ and $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G \Rightarrow U \subseteq \Phi(U)$;
- (7) If $U \in \tau$ then $U \cap \Phi(A) = U \cap \Phi(U \cap A)$, for any $A \subseteq X$.

Theorem 2.5: [4] Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . Then for any $A, B \subseteq X$,

- (1) $A \subseteq \Psi(A)$;
- (2) $\Psi(\emptyset) = \emptyset$;
- (3) $\Psi(A \cup B) = \Psi(A) \cup \Psi(B)$;
- (4) $\text{Int}(A) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A))$;
- (5) $\text{Int}(\Psi(A \cap B)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A))$;
- (6) $\text{Int}(\Psi(A \cap B)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(B))$;
- (7) $\text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \subseteq \Psi(A)$;
- (8) $A \subseteq B \Rightarrow \Psi(A) \subseteq \Psi(B)$.

Theorem 2.6:[4] Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . Then for any $A, B \subseteq X$,

- (1) $\Phi(A) \subseteq \Psi(A) = \tau_G\text{-Cl}(A) \subseteq \text{Cl}(A)$;
- (2) $A \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A)) \subseteq \text{Cl}(A)$;
- (3) $A \subseteq \Phi(A)$ and $B \subseteq \Phi(B) \Rightarrow \Psi(A \cap B) \subseteq \Psi(A) \cap \Psi(B)$.

Definition 2.7: Let (X, τ) be a topological space and G be any grill on X . A subset A in X is said to be

- (1) Φ -open set [2] if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Phi(A))$;
- (2) g -set [2] if $\text{Int}(\Psi(A)) = \text{Int}(A)$;
- (3) G -preopen set [2] if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A))$;
- (4) G - α -open set [3] if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(\text{Int}(A)))$;
- (5) G -semiopen set if $A \subseteq \Psi(\text{Int}A)$.

Definition 2.8:[2] Let (X, τ, G) be a grill topological space and $A \subseteq X$ is called G-set if $A = \bigcup U$ where $U \in \tau$ and V is a g-set in (X, τ, G) .

Definition 2.9:[2] A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be G-continuous function (resp. G-precontinuous, G- α -continuous function, G-semicontinuous function) if for each open set V in Y , $f^{-1}(V)$ is G-open set (resp. G-preopen, G- α -open, G-semiopen)

3. G- γ -OPEN SETS:

Definition 3.1: Let G be a grill on a topological space (X, τ) . A set $A \subseteq X$ is called G- γ -open set if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A))$. The complement of such a set is called G- γ -closed set.

Proposition 3.2: Let G be a grill on a topological space (X, τ) . If $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G$ then

- (1) Every G-open set is G- γ -open.
- (2) Every G-preopen set is G- γ -open
- (3) Every G- α -open set is G- γ -open.
- (4) Every G-semiopen set is G- γ -open.
- (5) Every G- γ -open set is γ -open.

Remark 3.3: Converse of the above need not be true as seen in the following examples.

Example 3.4: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G$. Let $A = \{a, b\}$. Then A is G- γ -open but not G-semiopen set, G- α -open set.

Example 3.5: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G$. Let $A = \{a, c\}$. Then A is G- γ -open but not G-preopen set, G-open set.

Example 3.6: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G$. Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$. Then A is γ -open but not G- γ -open set.

Proposition 3.7: Let A be G- γ -open set such that $\text{Int}(A) = \emptyset$. Then A is G-preopen set.

Proof: Since $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A))$ it follows A is G-preopen set.

Proposition 3.8: Let G be a grill on a topological space (X, τ) . If $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G$, then every open set is G- γ -open set.

Proof: $U \in \tau$ and $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq G \Rightarrow U \subseteq \Phi(U)$. Hence $U \subseteq \text{Int}(\Phi(U)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(U)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(U)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(U))$ implies U is G- γ -open set.

Proposition 3.9: Each G- γ -open set which is τ_G -closed is G-semiopen set.

Proof: Let A be G- γ -open set and τ_G -closed. Then $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A))$. Since A is τ_G -closed $\Psi(A) = A$. Hence $A \subseteq \text{Int}(A) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A)) \subseteq \Psi(\text{Int}(A))$ implies A is G-semiopen set.

Proposition 3.10: Let (X, τ, G) be a grill topological space and A, B be subsets of X .

- (i) If $A_i \in G$ - γ -open set for each $i \in \Delta$ then $\bigcup \{A_i : i \in \Delta\}$ is G- γ -open set.
- (ii) If A is G- γ -open set and $U \in \tau$ then $A \cap U$ is G- γ -open set.

Proof:

(i) Let A_i be G- γ -open set. then $A_i \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A_i)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A_i)) \forall i \in \Delta$

Thus $\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in \Delta} (\text{Int}(\Psi(A_i)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A_i)))$
 $\subseteq \text{Int}((\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i) \cup \Phi(\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i)) \cup \text{Int}((\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i) \cup \Phi(\text{Int}(\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i)))$
 $\subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(\bigcup_{i \in \Delta} A_i)).$

(ii) Let A be G- γ -open set and $U \in \tau$. Then $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A))$. So
 $A \cap U \subseteq (\Psi(\text{Int}(A)) \cup \text{Int}(\Psi(A))) \cap U \subseteq (U \cap (\text{Int}(A) \cup \Phi(\text{Int}(A)))) \cup (U \cap \text{Int}(A \cup \Phi(A)))$
 $\subseteq ((U \cap \text{Int}(A)) \cup (U \cap \Phi(\text{Int}(A)))) \cup (\text{Int}(U \cap (A \cup \Phi(A))))$
 $\subseteq (\text{Int}(U \cap A)) \cup (U \cap \Phi(\text{Int}(A) \cap U)) \cup (\text{Int}((U \cap A) \cup (U \cap \Phi(A))))$
 $\subseteq (\text{Int}(U \cap A) \cup (U \cap \Phi(\text{Int}(A \cap U)))) \cup \text{Int}((U \cap A) \cup (U \cap \Phi(A \cap U)))$
 $\subseteq (\text{Int}(U \cap A) \cup \Phi(\text{Int}(A \cap U))) \cup \text{Int}((U \cap A) \cup (\Phi(A \cap U)))$
 $\subseteq \Psi(\text{Int}(U \cap A)) \cup \text{Int}(\Psi(U \cap A))$. Hence $A \cap U$ is G- γ -open set.

Remark 3.11: Intersection of two G- γ -open sets is not G- γ -open set.

Example 3.12: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b, d\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a, b, d\}, \{a\}, \{a, d\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$. Then $\{a, b, d\}$ and $\{a, b, c\}$ are G- γ -open sets but $\{a, b\}$ is not G- γ -open set.

Definition 3.13: Let (X, τ, G) be a grill topological space and $A \subset X$ is called $G\gamma^*$ -set if $A = \bigcup U$ where $U \in \tau$ and V is a g-set in (X, τ, G) and $\text{Int}(\Psi(V)) = \Psi(\text{Int}(V))$.

Remark 3.14: Every open set is $G\gamma^*$ -set.

Converse need be true as seen in the following example

Example 3.15: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$. Take $A = \{a, c\}$, then A is a $G\gamma^*$ -set but not an open set.

Remark 3.16: G- γ -open set and $G\gamma^*$ -set are independent of each other.

Example 3.17: In example 3.15, $A = \{a, c\}$ is a $G\gamma^*$ -set but not a G- γ -open set and in example 3.4 $A = \{a, b\}$ is G- γ -open set but not a $G\gamma^*$ -set.

Proposition 3.18: For a subset $A \subset (X, \tau, G)$ the following conditions are equivalent:

- (a) A is open
- (b) A is G- γ -open set and $G\gamma^*$ -set .

Proof: $a \Rightarrow b$ Obvious

$b \Rightarrow a$: Let A be G- γ -open set and $G\gamma^*$ -set . Since A is $G\gamma^*$ -set and G- γ -open set we have

$$A = \bigcup V \subseteq \Psi(\text{Int}(U \cap V)) \cup \text{Int}(\Psi(U \cap V)) \text{ where } U \text{ is open and } V \text{ is a g-set and } \text{Int}(\Psi(V)) = \Psi(\text{Int}(V)).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } A &= (\bigcup V) \cap U \subseteq (\Psi(\text{Int}(U \cap V)) \cup \text{Int}(\Psi(U \cap V))) \cap U \subseteq (\Psi(\text{Int}(U \cap V)) \cap U) \cup (\text{Int}(\Psi(U \cap V)) \cap U) \subseteq \\ &(\Psi(\text{Int}(V)) \cap U) \cup (\text{Int}(\Psi(U \cap V)) \cap \Psi(U \cap V)) \cap U \subseteq (\text{Int}(\Psi(V)) \cap U) \cup (\text{Int}(\Psi(U) \cap \Psi(V)) \cap U) \subseteq (\text{Int}(\Psi(V)) \cap U) \\ &\cup ((\text{Int}(\Psi(U)) \cap \text{Int}(\Psi(V))) \cap U) \subseteq (\text{Int}(\Psi(V)) \cap U) \cup ((\text{Int}(\Psi(U)) \cap \text{Int}(\Psi(V))) \cap U) \subseteq (\text{Int}(V) \cap U) \cup \\ &(\text{Int}(\Psi(U)) \cap \text{Int}(V) \cap U) \subseteq (\text{Int}(V) \cap U) \cup (\text{Int}((U \cup \Phi(U))) \cap \text{Int}(V) \cap U) \\ &\subseteq \text{Int}(V \cap U) \cup (\text{Int}((\text{Cl}(U) \cap U)) \cap \text{Int}(V)) \subseteq \text{Int}(V \cap U) \subseteq \text{Int}(A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence A is open.

Proposition 3.19: If A is both regular open and G- γ -open set then it is closed.

Proof: $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\Psi(A)) \cup \Psi(\text{Int}(A)) \subseteq \text{Int}(A \cup \Phi(A)) \cup \Psi(A) \subseteq \text{Int}(A \cup \text{Cl}(A)) \cup \text{Cl}(A) \subseteq \text{Int}(\text{Cl}(A)) \cup \text{Cl}(A) \subseteq A \cup \text{Cl}(A) \subseteq \text{Cl}(A)$. Hence A is closed.

Proposition 3.20: Every $G\gamma^*$ -set is G-set.

4. DECOMPOSITION OF CONTINUITY:

Definition 4.1: A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be G- γ -continuous function if for each open set V in Y, $f^{-1}(V)$ is G- γ -open set

Definition 4.2: A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be $G\gamma^*$ -continuous function if for each open set V in Y , $f^{-1}(V)$ is $G\gamma^*$ set.

Proposition 4.3:

- (a) Every G -continuous function is $G\gamma$ -continuous function.
- (b) Every G -precontinuous function is $G\gamma$ -continuous function.
- (c) Every $G\alpha$ -continuous function is $G\gamma$ -continuous function.
- (d) Every G -semicontinuous function is $G\gamma$ -continuous function.
- (e) Every $G\gamma$ -continuous function is γ -continuous function

Proof: Obvious. Converse need not be true can be seen in the following examples.

Example 4.4: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$. Let $Y = \{a, b\}$ with topology $\sigma = \{\emptyset, Y, \{a\}\}$.

Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = a$ and $f(c) = b$. Then f is $G\gamma$ -continuous but it is neither G -semicontinuous nor $G\alpha$ -continuous.

Example 4.5: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$. Let $Y = \{a, b\}$ with topology $\sigma = \{\emptyset, Y, \{a\}\}$.

Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b$ and $f(c) = a$. Then f is $G\gamma$ -continuous but it is neither G -precontinuous nor G -continuous.

Example 4.6: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$. Let $Y = \{a, b, c\}$ with topology $\sigma = \{\emptyset, Y, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be the identity function. Then f is γ -continuous but not $G\gamma$ -continuous.

Proposition 4.7: Every continuous function is $G\gamma^*$ -continuous function.

Remark 4.8: Converse of the above need not be true as seen in the following example.

Example 4.9: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$. If $G = \{X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}\}$, then G is a grill on X such that $\tau \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset G$.

Let $Y = \{a, b\}$ with topology $\sigma = \{\emptyset, Y, \{a\}\}$, Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be defined by $f(a) = a, f(b) = b$ and $f(c) = a$. Then f is $G\gamma^*$ -continuous function but not continuous.

Proposition 4.10: A function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is continuous if and only if it is $G\gamma$ -continuous and $G\gamma^*$ -continuous.

Proof: It follows from proposition 3.18.

Proposition 4.11: The following statements are equivalent for a function $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$:

- (a) f is $G\gamma$ -continuous;
- (b) for each $x \in X$ and each open set V in Y with $f(x) \in V$, there exists a $G\gamma$ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subset V$;
- (c) for each $x \in X$ and each open set V in Y with $f(x) \in V$, $f^{-1}(V)$ is a $G\gamma$ -neighborhood of x .
- (d) the inverse image of each closed set in (Y, σ) is $G\gamma$ -closed.

Proof: $a \Rightarrow b$: Let $x \in X$ and V be an open set in Y such that $f(x) \in V$. Since f is $G\gamma$ -continuous, $f^{-1}(V)$ is $G\gamma$ -open.

Put $U = f^{-1}(V)$, then U is a $G\gamma$ -open set containing x such that $f(U) \subset V$.

$b \Rightarrow c$: Let V be an open set in Y such that $f(x) \in V$. Then by assumption, there exists a G - γ -open set U containing x such that $f(U) \subset V$. So $x \in U \subset f^{-1}(V)$. Hence $f^{-1}(V)$ is a G - γ -neighborhood of x

$c \Rightarrow a$: Let V be an open set in Y such that $f(x) \in V$. Then by c) $f^{-1}(V)$ is a G - γ -neighborhood of x . Thus for each $x \in f^{-1}(V)$, there exists a G - γ -open set U_x containing x such that $x \in U_x \subset f^{-1}(V)$. Hence $f^{-1}(V) \subset \bigcup_{x \in f^{-1}(V)} U_x$.

So $f^{-1}(V)$ is G - γ -open set.

$a \Leftrightarrow d$: Obvious.

Proposition 4.12: Let $f: (X, \tau, G_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, G_2)$ and $g: (Y, \sigma, G_2) \rightarrow (Z, \eta)$ be two functions where G_1, G_2 are grills on X and Y respectively. Then $g \circ f$ is G - γ -continuous if f is G - γ -continuous and g is continuous.

Proof: Straight forward

Definition 4.13: A grill topological space (X, τ, G) is said to G - γ -connected if X is not the union of two disjoint G - γ -open subsets of X .

Definition 4.14: A grill topological space (X, τ, G) is said to G - γ -normal if for each pair of non-empty disjoint closed sets of X , it can be separated by disjoint G - γ -open sets.

Theorem 4.15: A G - γ -continuous image of a G - γ -connected space is connected.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be G - γ -continuous function of a G - γ -connected space X on to a topological space Y . Suppose Y is not connected. Then A and B are clopen and $Y = A \cup B$, where $A \cap B = \emptyset$. Since f is G - γ -continuous, $X = f^{-1}(A) \cup f^{-1}(B)$ where $f^{-1}(A), f^{-1}(B)$ are non-empty G - γ -open sets in X . Also $f^{-1}(A) \cap f^{-1}(B) = \emptyset$.

Hence X is not G - γ -connected which is a contradiction. Therefore, Y is connected.

Theorem 4.16: If $f: (X, \tau, G) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is G - γ -continuous, closed injective and Y is normal, then X is G - γ -normal.

Proof: Let F_1 and F_2 be disjoint closed subsets of X . Since f is closed and injective, $f(F_1)$ and $f(F_2)$ are disjoint closed subsets of Y . Since Y is normal, $f(F_1)$ and $f(F_2)$ are separated by disjoint open sets V_1 and V_2 respectively. $f^{-1}(V_1)$ and $f^{-1}(V_2)$ are disjoint G - γ -open sets containing F_1 and F_2 . Hence X is G - γ -normal.

Definition 4.17: A function $f: (X, \tau, G_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, G_2)$ is called G - γ -open (resp. G - γ -closed) if for each $U \in \tau$ (resp. closed set F), $f(U)$ is G - γ -open (resp. G - γ -closed).

Theorem 4.18: A function $f: (X, \tau, G_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, G_2)$ is G - γ -open if and only if for for each $x \in X$ and each neighborhood U of x , there exists G - γ -open set V in Y containing $f(x)$ such that $V \subset f(U)$.

Proof: Suppose f is G - γ -open function. For each $x \in X$ and each neighborhood U of x , there exists $U_x \in \tau$ such that $x \in U_x \subset U$. Since f is G - γ -open, $V = f(U_x)$ is G - γ -open set in Y and hence $f(x) \in V \subset f(U)$. Conversely,

Let U be an open set of (X, τ) . For $x \in U$, there exists G - γ -open set V_x in Y containing $f(x)$ such that $f(x) \in V_x \subset f(U)$.

Therefore, we obtain $f(U) = \bigcup \{ V_x : x \in U \}$ and hence $f(U)$ is G - γ -open and hence f is G - γ -open.

Theorem 4.19: Let $f: (X, \tau, G_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, G_2)$ be G - γ -open. If W is any subset of Y and F is closed subset of X containing $f^{-1}(W)$, then there exist a G - γ -closed subset H of Y containing W such that $f^{-1}(H) \subset F$.

Proof: Suppose f is G - γ -open function. Let W be any subset of Y and F a closed subset of X containing $f^{-1}(W)$. Then $X - F$ is open. Since f is G - γ -open, $f(X - F)$ is G - γ -open.

Hence $H = Y - f(X - F)$ is G - γ -closed. It follows from $f^{-1}(W) \subset F$ that $f^{-1}(H) \subset F$.

Theorem 4.20: For any bijective function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, G)$, the following are equivalent:

(I) $f^{-1}: (Y, \sigma, G) \rightarrow (X, \tau)$ is G - γ -continuous.

(ii) f is G - γ -open.

(iii) f is G - γ -closed.

Proof: Straight forward.

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