

ON $g^{\mu}b$ –TOTALLY CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS IN SUPRA TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we introduce new generalization of strong continuous function called $g^{\mu}b$ -totally continuous function, which is stronger than $totally^{\mu}$ continuous. We characterize and obtain the properties of $g^{\mu}b$ -totally continuous function. Further $g^{\mu}b$ -totally open function is also discussed.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The generalization of closed sets in topological space and a class of topological spaces called $T_{1/2}$ spaces were introduced by Levine [7] in 1970. Extensive research on generalizing closedness was done in recent years by many Mathematicians [3, 4, 7, 8]. In 1980, R. C. Jain [6] defined totally continuous functions. Andrijevic [1] introduced a new class of generalized open sets in a topological space, the so-called b -open sets. This type of sets was discussed by Ekici and Caldas [5] under the name of γ - open sets.

In 1983, A. S. Mashhour *et al* [9] investigated the notion of supra topological spaces and studied S - S continuous functions and S^* - continuous functions. In 2010, O. R. Sayed and Takashi Noiri [10] introduced supra b - open sets and supra b - continuity. The purpose of this paper is to develop a new generalization of strong continuity called $g^{\mu}b$ -totally continuity, which is stronger than $totally^{\mu}$ continuity. Furthermore, the properties and preservation theorems of $g^{\mu}b$ -totally continuous functions are investigated. Also $g^{\mu}b$ -totally open functions in supra topological spaces are studied.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition: 2.1 [9] A subfamily μ of X is said to be a supra topology on X if

- i) $X, \phi \in \mu$
- ii) if $A_i \in \mu$ for all $i \in J$, then $\cup A_i \in \mu$. (X, μ) is called a supra topological space. The elements of μ are called supra open sets in (X, μ) and complement of supra open set is called supra closed set and it is denoted by μ^c .

Definition: 2.2 [9] The supra closure of a set A is defined as $Cl^{\mu}(A) = \cap \{B: B \text{ is supra closed and } A \subseteq B\}$ The supra interior of a set A is defined as $Int^{\mu}(A) = \cup \{B: B \text{ is supra open and } A \supseteq B\}$

Definition: 2.3 [12] A function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be $g^{\mu}b$ –continuous if $f^{-1}(V)$ is $g^{\mu}b$ - closed in (X, τ) for every supra closed set V of (Y, σ) .

Definition: 2.4 [12] A function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is said to be $g^{\mu}b$ –irresolute if $f^{-1}(V)$ is $g^{\mu}b$ - closed in (X, τ) for every $g^{\mu}b$ - closed set V of (Y, σ) .

Definition: 2.5 [2] Let (X, μ) be a supra topological space. A set A of X is called supra generalized b -closed set (simply $g^{\mu}b$ - closed) if $bc1^{\mu}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is supra open. The complement of supra generalized b - closed set is supra generalized b - open set.

3. CHARACTERIZATIONS OF $g^{\mu}b$ -TOTALLY CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS

Definition: 3.1 A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be supra -totally continuous function if the inverse image of every supra open subset of Y is $Cl^{\mu}open^{\mu}$ in X .

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Definition: 3.2 A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function if the inverse image of every $g^\mu b$ -open subset of Y is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X .

Theorem: 3.3 A bijective function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous if and only if the inverse image of every $g^\mu b$ -closed subset of Y is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X .

Proof: Let F be any $g^\mu b$ -closed set in Y . Then $Y-F$ is $g^\mu b$ -open set in Y . By definition $f^{-1}(Y-F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . That is $X-f^{-1}(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . This implies $f^{-1}(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X .

Conversely, if V is $g^\mu b$ -open in Y , then $Y-V$ is $g^\mu b$ -closed in Y . By assumption, $f^{-1}(Y-V) = X-f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X , which implies $f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Therefore f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function.

Theorem: 3.4

- (i) Every $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous function.
- (ii) Every $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function is $g^\mu b$ -continuous.

Proof:

- (i) Suppose $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and U is any supra open subset of Y . Since every supra open set is $g^\mu b$ -open, U is $g^\mu b$ -open in Y and $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, it follows $f^{-1}(U)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X .
- (ii) It is similar to (i).

Remark: 3.5 The converse of the above theorem is not true as shown by the following example.

Example: 3.6 Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}$. Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, \sigma)$ be an identity function. Here f is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous but $f^{-1}\{b\} = \{b\}$ is not supra closed in (X, τ) . Therefore f is not $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function.

Example: 3.7 Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}; \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\sigma = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}$. Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (X, \sigma)$ be defined by $f(a) = b; f(b) = c; f(c) = d$ and $f(d) = a$. Here f is $g^\mu b$ -continuous function but not $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Theorem: 3.8 Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a function, where X and Y are supra topological spaces. Then following are equivalent.

- (i) f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.
- (ii) For each $x \in X$ and each $g^\mu b$ -open set V in Y with $f(x) \in V$, there is a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set U in X such that $x \in U$ and $f(U) \subset V$.

Proof: (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Suppose f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and V be any $g^\mu b$ -open set in Y containing $f(x)$ so that $x \in f^{-1}(V)$. Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, $f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Let $U = f^{-1}(V)$ then U is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set in X and $x \in U$. Also $f(U) = f(f^{-1}(V)) \subset V$. This implies $f(U) \subset V$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let V be $g^\mu b$ -open in Y . Let $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ be any arbitrary point. This implies $f(x) \in V$. Therefore by (ii) there is a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set $f(G_x) \subset X$ containing x such that $f(G_x) \subset V$, which implies $G_x \subset f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ neighbourhood of x . Since x is arbitrary, it implies $f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ neighborhood of each of its points. Hence it is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set in X . Therefore f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Definition: 3.9 A supra topological space (X, τ) is said to be $g^\mu b$ -space if every $g^\mu b$ -closed set of X is supra closed in X .

Definition: 3.10 A supra topological space X is said to be *locally* $^\mu$ indiscrete if every supra open set of X is supra closed in X .

Theorem: 3.11 For a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ the following properties hold

- (i) If f is supra continuous and X is *locally* $^\mu$ indiscrete then f is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous.
- (ii) If f is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous and Y is $g^\mu b$ -space then f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Proof: (i) Let V be supra open in Y . Since f is supra continuous and X is *locally* $^\mu$ indiscrete, $f^{-1}(V)$ is supra open and supra closed in X . Hence $f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Therefore f is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous.

(ii) Let V be $g^\mu b$ -open in Y . Then $Y-V$ is $g^\mu b$ -closed in Y . Since Y is $g^\mu b$ -space, $Y-V$ is supra closed in Y , which implies V is supra open in Y . Since f is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous $f^{-1}(V)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Therefore f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Theorem: 3.12 The composition of two $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous function is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem: 3.13

- (i) If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ irresolute, then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.
 (ii) If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -continuous, then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is *totally* $^\mu$ continuous.

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem: 3.14 Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be $g^\mu b$ -closed map and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be any function. If $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous then g is $g^\mu b$ -irresolute.

Proof: Let $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ be $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous. Let V be $g^\mu b$ -open set in Z . Since $g \circ f$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, $(g \circ f)^{-1}(V) = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V))$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, $f(f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)))$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . Then $g^{-1}(V)$ is $g^\mu b$ -open in Y . Hence g is $g^\mu b$ -irresolute.

4. APPLICATIONS

Definition: 4.1 A supra topological space X is said to be

- (i) $g^\mu b-T_0$ if for each pair of distinct points in X , there exists a $g^\mu b$ -open set containing one point but not the other.
- (ii) $g^\mu b-T_1$ (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu T_1$) if for each pair of distinct points x and y of X , there exist $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) sets U and V containing x and y respectively such that $x \in U, y \notin U$ and $x \notin V, y \in V$.
- (iii) $g^\mu b-T_2$ (resp. *ultra* $^\mu$ Hausdorff or UT_2^μ) if every two distinct points of X can be separated by disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) sets.
- (iv) S^μ -normal (resp. *ultra* $^\mu$ normal) if each pair of non-empty disjoint supra closed sets can be separated by disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) sets.
- (v) S^μ -regular (resp. *ultra* $^\mu$ -regular) if for each supra closed set F of X and each $x \notin F$, there exist disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) sets U and V such that $F \subset U$ and $x \in V$.
- (vi) $g^\mu b$ -normal (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ normal) if for each pair of disjoint $g^\mu b$ -closed (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) sets U and V of X , there exist two disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. supra open) sets G and H such that $U \subset G$ and $V \subset H$.
- (vii) $g^\mu b$ -regular ($Cl^\mu open^\mu$ regular) if for each $g^\mu b$ -closed (resp. $Cl^\mu open^\mu$) set F of X and each $x \notin F$, there exist disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open (resp. supra open) sets U and V such that $F \subset U$ and $x \in V$.
- (viii) $g^\mu b$ -connected if X is not the union of two non-empty disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open subsets of X .

Theorem: 4.2 Every $g^\mu b$ -regular is S^μ -regular space.

- (i) Every $g^\mu b$ -normal is S^μ -normal space.

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem: 4.3 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous injection and Y is $g^\mu b-T_1$, then X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu-T_1$

Proof: Let x and y be any two distinct points in X . Since f is injective we have $f(x)$ and $f(y) \in Y$ such that $f(x) \neq f(y)$. Since Y is $g^\mu b-T_1$, there exist $g^\mu b$ -open sets U and V in Y such that $f(x) \in U, f(y) \notin U, f(y) \in V$ and $f(x) \notin V$. Therefore we have $x \in f^{-1}(U), y \notin f^{-1}(U), y \in f^{-1}(V)$ and $x \notin f^{-1}(V)$, where $f^{-1}(U)$ and $f^{-1}(V)$ are $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ subsets of X because f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous. This shows that X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu-T_1$.

Theorem: 4.4 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous injection and Y is $g^\mu b-T_0$, then X is *ultra* $^\mu$ Hausdorff.

Proof: Let a and b be any pair of distinct points of X and f be injective. Then $f(a) \neq f(b)$ in Y . Since Y is $g^\mu b-T_0$, there exists a $g^\mu b$ -open set containing say $f(a)$ but not $f(b)$. Then we have $a \in f^{-1}(U)$ and $b \notin f^{-1}(U)$. Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous $f^{-1}(U)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Also $a \in f^{-1}(U)$ and $b \in X - f^{-1}(U)$. This implies every pair of distinct points of X can be separated by disjoint $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X . Therefore X is *ultra* $^\mu$ Hausdorff.

Theorem: 4.5 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous injection and Y is $g^\mu b-T_2$, then X is *ultra* $^\mu$ Hausdorff.

Proof: Let $x_1, x_2 \in X$ and $x_1 \neq x_2$. Then, since f is injective, $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$ in Y . Further, since Y is $g^\mu b-T_2$, there exist V_1 and $V_2 \in g^\mu bo(Y)$ such that $f(x_1) \in V_1, f(x_2) \in V_2$, and $V_1 \cap V_2 = \phi$. This implies $x_1 \in f^{-1}(V_1)$ and $x_2 \in f^{-1}(V_2)$. Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, $f^{-1}(V_1)$ and $f^{-1}(V_2)$ are $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X . Also $f^{-1}(V_1) \cap f^{-1}(V_2) = f^{-1}(V_1 \cap V_2) = \phi$. Thus every two distinct points of X can be separated by disjoint $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets. Therefore X is *ultra* $^\mu$ Hausdorff.

Theorem: 4.6 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, supra closed injection and Y is $g^\mu b$ -normal, then X is $ultra^\mu$ normal.

Proof: Let F_1 and F_2 be disjoint supra closed subsets of X . Since f is supra closed and injective, $f(F_1)$ and $f(F_2)$ are disjoint supra closed subsets of Y . Since Y is $g^\mu b$ -normal, $f(F_1)$ and $f(F_2)$ are separated by disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open sets V_1 and V_2 separately. Therefore we obtain, $F_1 \subset f^{-1}(V_1)$ and $F_2 \subset f^{-1}(V_2)$. Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, $f^{-1}(V_1)$ and $f^{-1}(V_2)$ are $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X . Also $f^{-1}(V_1) \cap f^{-1}(V_2) = f^{-1}(V_1 \cap V_2) = \phi$. Thus each pair of non-empty disjoint supra closed sets in X can be separated by disjoint $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X . Therefore X is $ultra^\mu$ normal.

Theorem: 4.7 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, surjection and X is supra connected then Y is $g^\mu b$ -connected.

Proof: Suppose Y is not $g^\mu b$ -connected. Let A and B form disconnection of Y . Then A and B are $g^\mu b$ -open sets in Y and $Y = A \cup B$ where $A \cap B = \phi$. Also $X = f^{-1}(Y) = f^{-1}(A \cup B) = f^{-1}(A) \cup f^{-1}(B)$, where $f^{-1}(A)$ and $f^{-1}(B)$ are non-empty $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X , because f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous. Further $f^{-1}(A) \cap f^{-1}(B) = f^{-1}(A \cap B) = \phi$. This implies X is not supra connected, which is a contradiction. Hence Y is $g^\mu b$ -connected.

Theorem: 4.8 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $totally^\mu$ continuous injective $g^\mu b$ -open function from a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ regular $^\mu$ space X onto a space Y , then Y is s^μ -regular.

Proof: Let F be supra closed set in Y and $y \notin F$. Take $y = f(x)$. Since f is $totally^\mu$ continuous, $f^{-1}(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in X . Let $G = f^{-1}(F)$. Then we have $x \notin G$. Since X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ regular, there exist disjoint supra open sets U and V such that $G \subset U$ and $x \in V$. This implies $F = f(G) \subset f(U)$ and $y = f(x) \in f(V)$. Further, since f is injective and $g^\mu b$ -open, we have $f(U \cap V) = f(\phi) = \phi$ and $f(U)$ and $f(V)$ are $g^\mu b$ -open sets in Y . Thus, for each supra closed set F in Y and each $y \notin F$, there exist disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open sets $f(U)$ and $f(V)$ in Y such that $F \subset f(U)$ and $y \in f(V)$. Therefore Y is $g^\mu b$ -regular.

Theorem: 4.9 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous injective $g^\mu b$ -open function from a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ regular space X onto a space Y , then Y is $g^\mu b$ -regular.

Proof: It is similar to theorem 4.8

Theorem: 4.10 Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, supra closed injection. If Y is $g^\mu b$ -regular then X is $ultra^\mu$ -regular.

Proof: Let F be supra closed set not containing x . Since f is supra closed, we have $f(F)$ is supra closed in Y not containing $f(x)$. Since Y is $g^\mu b$ -regular, there exists disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open sets A and B such that $f(x) \in A$ and $f(F) \subset B$, which implies $x \in f^{-1}(A)$ and $F \subset f^{-1}(B)$, where $f^{-1}(A)$ and $f^{-1}(B)$ are $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets in X because f is $totally^\mu$ continuous. Moreover, since f is injective, we have $f^{-1}(A) \cap f^{-1}(B) = f^{-1}(A \cap B) = f^{-1}(\phi) = \phi$. Thus, for a pair of point and supra closed set not containing the point, they can be separated by disjoint $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ sets. Therefore X is $ultra^\mu$ regular.

Theorem: 4.11 Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and $g^\mu b$ -closed injection. If Y is $g^\mu b$ -regular, then X is $ultra^\mu$ -regular.

Proof: It is similar to theorem 4.10

Theorem: 4.12 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $totally^\mu$ continuous, injective and $g^\mu b$ -open function from a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ normal space X onto a space Y then Y is s^μ -normal.

Proof: Let F_1 and F_2 be any two distinct supra closed sets in Y . Since f is $totally^\mu$ continuous, $f^{-1}(F_1)$ and $f^{-1}(F_2)$ are $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ subsets of X . Take $U = f^{-1}(F_1)$ and $V = f^{-1}(F_2)$. Since f is injective, we have $U \cap V = f^{-1}(F_1) \cap f^{-1}(F_2) = f^{-1}(F_1 \cap F_2) = f^{-1}(\phi) = \phi$. Since X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ normal there exist disjoint supra open sets A and B such that $U \subset A$ and $V \subset B$. This implies $F_1 = f(U) \subset f(A)$ and $F_2 = f(V) \subset f(B)$. Further, since f is injective $g^\mu b$ -open, $f(A)$ and $f(B)$ are disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open sets. Thus, each pair of disjoint supra closed sets in Y can be separated by disjoint $g^\mu b$ -open sets. Therefore Y is $g^\mu b$ -normal.

Theorem: 4.13 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous injective $g^\mu b$ -open function from a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ normal space X onto a space Y , then Y is $g^\mu b$ -normal.

Proof: It is similar to theorem 4.12

Definition: 4.14 A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be $g^\mu b$ -totally open if the image of every $g^\mu b$ -open set in X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y .

Theorem: 4.15 If a bijective function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally open, then the image of every $g^\mu b$ -open set in X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y .

Proof: Let F be $g^\mu b$ -closed set in X . Then $X-F$ is $g^\mu b$ -open in X . Since f is $g^\mu b$ -totally open, $f(X - F) = Y - f(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . This implies $f(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y .

Theorem: 4.16 A surjective function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally open iff for each subset B of Y and for each $g^\mu b$ -closed set U containing $f^{-1}(B)$ there is a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Proof: Suppose $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is surjective $g^\mu b$ -totally open function and $B \subset Y$. Let U be $g^\mu b$ -closed set of X such that $f^{-1}(B) \subset U$. Then $V = Y - f(X - U)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ subset of Y containing B such that $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Conversely, suppose F is $g^\mu b$ -closed set of X . Then $f^{-1}(Y - f(F)) \subset X - F$ is $g^\mu b$ -open. By hypothesis, there exists a $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ set V of Y such that $Y - f(F) \subset V$, which implies $f^{-1}(V) \subset X - F$. Therefore $F \subset X - f^{-1}(V)$. Hence $Y - V \subset f(F) \subset f(X - f^{-1}(V)) \subset Y - V$. This implies, $f(F) = Y - V$, which is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . Thus, the image of a $g^\mu b$ -open set in X is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . Therefore f is $g^\mu b$ -totally open function.

Theorem: 4.17 For any bijective function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ the following statements are equivalent

- (i) Inverse of f is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.
- (ii) f is $g^\mu b$ -totally open.

Proof:

(i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let U be $g^\mu b$ -open set of X . By assumption $(f^{-1})^{-1}(U) = f(U)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y , So f is $g^\mu b$ -totally open.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let F be $g^\mu b$ -open in X . Then $f(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . That is $(f^{-1})^{-1}(F)$ is $Cl^\mu open^\mu$ in Y . Therefore f^{-1} is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous.

Theorem: 4.18 The composition of two $g^\mu b$ -totally open function is again $g^\mu b$ -totally open.

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem: 4.19 If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is $g^\mu b$ irresolute and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous, then $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally open.

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem: 4.20 Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions such that $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is $g^\mu b$ -totally open function. Then

- (i) If f is supra irresolute and surjective, then g is $g^\mu b$ -totally open.
- (ii) If g is $g^\mu b$ -totally continuous and injective, then f is $g^\mu b$ -totally open.

Proof: It is obvious.

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