

Pre-Rg-open and Pre-Rg-closed Functions in Topology

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Abstract: Levine in 1970, introduced the concept of generalized closed (g -closed) sets in topological space and a class of topological spaces called $T_{1/2}$ spaces. Palaniappan et al in 1993, introduced the notions of regular generalized (in brief, rg -) closed sets, rg -open sets, rg -continuity and rg -irresoluteness and in 1997, Arokia Rani et al introduced and studied the concepts of rg -openness and rg -closedness in topology. In 2013, Navalagi et al have studied the concepts of pre- rg -openness and other allied rg -openness in topological spaces. The purpose of this paper is to investigate the concept of pre- Rg -open functions, pre- Rg -closed functions and other allied Rg -openness in topology.

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1. Introduction

N. Levine [5] introduced the class of g -closed sets, a super class of closed sets in 1970. Palaniappan [14] defined rg -closed sets, rg -open sets, rg -continuous functions, rg -irresolute functions between topological spaces, in 1993. Later, in 1997.

Arokarani et al [1] have defined and studied the notion of rg -open functions and rg -closed functions. Recently, G. Navalagi et al [11] have introduced and studied the concept of pre- rg -open functions in topological spaces. In this paper, we introduce and study the new classes of functions namely, pre- Rg -open functions and pre- Rg -closed functions in topological spaces.

2. Preliminaries

In what follows, spaces X and Y are always topological spaces $Cl(A)$ and $Int(A)$ designate the closure and the interior of A which is a subset of X . A set A is said to be regular open (resp. Regular closed) if $A = Int(Cl(A))$ (resp. $A = Cl(Int(A))$).

Definition 2.1 [6]: A subset A of a space X is said to be pre-open if $A \subset Int(Cl(A))$.

The family of all preopen sets in a space X is denoted by $PO(X)$. The complement of a preopen set of a space X is called preclosed [3].

Definition 2.2 [7]: The union of all preopen sets contained in A is called the preinterior of A and is denoted by $pInt(A)$.

Definition 2.3 [3]: The intersection of all preclosed sets containing A is called the preclosure of A and is denoted by $pCl(A)$.

Definition 2.4 [5]: A subset A of a space X is called a generalized closed set (g -closed) set if $Cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is open.

Clearly, every closed set is a g -closed set. The complement of a g -closed set in X is called generalized open or g -open set. Clearly, every open set is a g -open set.

Definition 2.5 [12]: A subset A of a space X is called a generalized preclosed set (gp -closed) set if $pCl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is open.

The complement of a gp -closed set in X is called a generalized open or gp -open set.

It is obvious that every closed set is preclosed set, every closed set is g -closed set, every g -closed set is gp -closed set and every preopen set is a gp -open set.

Definition 2.6 [14]: A subset A of a space X is called a regular generalized closed (rg -closed) set if $Cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is regular open. The complement of a rg -closed set of a space is called rg -open. The family of all rg -open sets of a space X is denoted by $RGO(X)$.

Definition 2.7: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be :

- (i) preopen [7] if the image of each open set U of X , $f(U)$ is preopen in Y .
- (ii) preclosed [3] if the image of each closed set F of X , $f(F)$ is preclosed in Y .
- (iii) preirresolute [16] if the inverse image of each preopen set of Y is preopen in X .
- (iv) gp -closed [12] if the image of each closed set of X is gp -closed in Y .
- (v) pre- gp -closed [12] if the image of each preclosed set of X is gp -closed in Y .
- (vi) gp -open [9] if the image of each open set of X is gp -open in Y .

(vii) always-gp-closed [9] if the image each gp-closed set of X is gp-closed in Y .

Definition 2.8 [13]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be almost preclosed if the image of each regular closed set of X is preclosed in Y .

Definition 2.9 [8]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be M-preopen if the image of each preopen set of X is preopen in Y .

Definition 2.10[8]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be M-preclosed if the image of each pre-closed set of X is preclosed in Y .

Definition 2.11: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called

- i) rg-open[1] if image of each open set of X is rg-open in Y .
- ii) rg-closed [1] if image of each closed set of X is rg-closed in Y .

Definition 2.12: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be

- i) rg-irresolute [14] if the inverse image of each rg-open set V of Y is rg-open in X .
- ii) perfectly rg-continuous [1] if the inverse image of each rg-open set in Y is both open and closed in X .

Definition 2.13 [11]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be pre-rg-open if the image of each regular open set of X is rg-open in Y .

Definition 2.14[11]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called strongly rg-open if the image of each rg-open set of X is open in Y .

Definition 2.17[11]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be always rg-open, if the image of each rg-open set of X is rg-open in Y .

Definition 2.19[11]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be prg-open if image of each preopen set of X is rg-open in Y .

Definition 2.20[11]: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called strongly p-open if the image of each preopen set of X is open in Y .

Clearly, every strongly p-open function is M-preopen.

3. Properties of pre-Rg-open functions

Definition 3.1: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is called pre-Rg-open if the image of each rg-open set of X is preopen in Y .

Clearly, (i) prg-open functions and Pre-Rg-open functions are dual in nature and hence their composition yields a M-preopen function due to Mashhour et al. [8]. (ii) Every strongly-rg-open function is pre-Rg-open function. (iii) Every pre-Rg-open function is preopen.

We, characterize the prg-openness in the following.

Theorem 3.2: Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a map. Then the following are equivalent:

- i) f is prg-open
- ii) The image of each preopen set in X is rg-open in Y
- iii) The image of each preclosed set in X is rg-closed in Y

Obvious proof is omitted.

Theorem 3.3: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is strongly rg-open and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is preopen, then the composition $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-open.

Proof: Let U be rg-open set in X , then $f(U)$ is open in Y since f is strongly rg-open. Since g is preopen and $f(U)$ is open set in Y , $g(f(U)) = g \circ f(U)$ is preopen set in Z . This shows that $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open function.

Theorem 3.4: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is prg-open and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is always-rg-open, then the composition $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is prg-open.

Easy proof is omitted.

We, define the following.

Definition 3.5: A topological space X is said to be $T_{1/2}^{**}$ iff every rg-closed set is preclosed.

Definition 3.6: A topological space X is said to be T_{rg}^* space iff every rg-closed set is gp-closed.

Theorem 3.7: Let X and Z be any topological spaces and Y be a $T_{1/2}^{**}$ space. Then the composition $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ of the rg-closed function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and M-preclosed function $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is preclosed function.

Proof: Let F be any closed set in X . Since f is rg-closed function, $f(F)$ is rg-closed in Y . But Y is $T_{1/2}^{**}$ -space, therefore $f(F)$ is preclosed set in Y which implies that $g(f(F)) = g \circ f(F)$ is preclosed set in Z . This shows that $g \circ f$ is preclosed.

Theorem 3.8: Let X and Z be any topological spaces and Y be a $T_{1/2}^{**}$ space. Then, if $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be rg-closed function and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be pre-gp-closed then $g \circ f$ is gp-closed.

Proof: Obvious.

Theorem 3.9: Let X and Z be any topological spaces and Y be a T_{rg}^* -space. Then the composition $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ of the rg-closed function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and always gp-closed function $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is gp-closed function.

Proof: Obvious.

We, define the following.

Definition 3.10: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be contra rg-open if for each open set U of X , $f(U)$ is rg-closed set in Y .

Definition 3.11: A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be regular-rg-open if for each regular open set U of X , $f(U)$ is rg-open in Y .

Definition 3.12: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be contra regular-rg-open if for each regular-open set U of X , $f(U)$ is rg-closed in Y .

Definition 3.13: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be contra always-rg-open if for each rg-open set U of X , $f(U)$ is rg-closed in Y . We, prove the following.

Theorem 3.14: A surjective function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is pre-Rg-open if and only if for each subset B of Y and each rg-closed set F of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there exists preclosed set H of Y such that $B \subset H$ and $f^{-1}(H) \subset F$.

Proof: Necessity: Suppose f is pre-Rg-open. Let B be any subset of Y and F is rg-closed set of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$. Put $H = f(X-F)$. Then, H is preclosed in Y , $B \subset H$ and $f^{-1}(H) \subset F$.

Sufficiency: Let U be any rg-open set in X . Put $B = Y - f(U)$, then we have $f^{-1}(B) \subset X-U$ and $X-U$ is rg-closed such that $B = Y - f(U) \subset H$ and $f^{-1}(H) \subset X-U$. Therefore we obtain $f(U) = Y - H$ and hence $f(U)$ is preopen in Y . This shows that f is pre-Rg-open.

Theorem 3.15: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a function. Then the following are equivalent.

- (i) f is pre-Rg-open
- (ii) The image of each rg-open set in X is preopen in Y .
- (iii) The image of each rg-closed set in X is preclosed in Y .

Proof: (i) \Leftrightarrow (ii) : it follows from definition.

(ii) \Leftrightarrow (iii) : Let F be any rg-closed set in X . Then $X-F$ is rg-open in X . Since f is preopen, $f(X-F)$ is preopen in Y . But $f(X-F) = Y - f(F)$ is preclosed in Y . Therefore $f(F)$ is preclosed in Y .

We define the following.

Definition 3.16: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be rg-regular-open if for each rg-open set of X is regular-open in Y . Clearly, Every rg-regular-open function is pre-rg-open. We prove the following.

Theorem 3.17: A surjective function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is rg-regular-open if and only if for each subset B of Y and each rg-closed set

F of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there exists regular-closed set H of Y such that $B \subset H$ and $f^{-1}(H) \subset F$.

Proof: Similar to Th.3.14.

Theorem 3.18: If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is rg-regular-open and g is almost-preopen function, then their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-open.

Proof: Let U be an rg-open set in X . Since f is rg-regular-open. Then $f(U)$ is regular-open in Y . Hence $g(f(U))$ is preopen in Z because g is almost preopen function. But $g(f(U)) = g \circ f(U)$. This shows that $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open.

Theorem 3.19: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is strongly-rg-open function and preopen function g , then their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-open.

Proof : Let U be an arbitrary rg-open set in X . Since f is strongly-rg-open. Then $f(U)$ is open in Y . Hence $g(f(U))$ is preopen in Z because g is preopen function. But $g(f(U)) = g \circ f(U)$. This shows that $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open.

We, state the following

Theorem 3.20: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions and $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open function. Then,

- (i) If f is rg-irresolute and surjective, then g is pre-Rg-open.
- (ii) If g is pre-irresolute and injective, then f is pre-Rg-open.

Theorem 3.21: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions and $g \circ f$ is always rg-open function. Then,

- (i) If f is rg-irresolute and surjective, then g is always rg-open.
- (ii) If g is rg-irresolute and injective, then f is always rg-open.

Theorem 3.22 : Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. Then,

- (i) $g \circ f$ is M-preopen, if f is prg-open and g is pre-Rg-open function.
- (ii) $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open, if f is pre-Rg-open and g is M-preopen function.
- (iii) $g \circ f$ is almost preopen, if f is pre-rg-open and g is pre-Rg-open function.
- (iv) $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-open, if f is always rg-open and g is pre-Rg-open function.

4. Properties of pre-rg-closed functions

In this section we define the following:

Definition 4.1: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is called pre-Rg-closed if the image of each rg-closed set of X is preclosed in Y .

Definition 4.2: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be contra rg-closed if for each closed set F of X , $f(F)$ is rg-open set in Y .

Definition 4.3: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be contra always-rg-closed if for each rg-closed set F of X , $f(F)$ is rg-open in Y .

Definition 4.4: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be rg-regular-closed if the image of each rg-closed set of X is regular-closed in Y .

We, prove the following.

Theorem 4.5 : A surjective function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is pre-Rg-closed if and only if for each subset B of Y and each rg-open set U of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there exists preopen set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Proof: Necessity: Suppose f is pre-Rg-closed. Let B be any subset of Y and U is rg-open set of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$. Put $V = Y - f(X-U)$. Then, V is preopen in Y , $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Sufficiency : Let F be any rg-closed set of X . Put $B = Y - f(F)$, then we have $f^{-1}(B) \subset X-F$ and $X-F$ is rg-open such that

$B = Y - f(F) \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset X - F$. Therefore, we obtain $f(F) = Y - V$ and hence $f(F)$ is preclosed in Y . This shows that f is pre-Rg-closed.

Theorem 4.6 : Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ be a function. Then the following are equivalent.

- (i) f is pre-Rg-closed.
- (ii) The image of each rg-closed set in X is preclosed in Y .
- (iii) The image of each rg-open set in X is preopen in Y .

Easy proof is omitted.

Theorem 4.7 : A surjective function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is rg-regular-closed if and only if for each subset B of Y and each rg-open set U of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there exists regular-open set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Proof: Necessity: Suppose f is rg-regular-closed. Let B be any subset of Y and U is rg-open set of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$. Put $V = Y - f(X - U)$. Then, V is rg-open in Y , $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Sufficiency : Let F be any rg-closed set in X . Put $B = Y - f(F)$, then we have $f^{-1}(B) \subset X - F$ and $X - F$ is rg-open set in X . There exists regular-open set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset X - F$. Therefore we obtain $f(F) = Y - V$ and hence $f(F)$ is regular-closed in Y . This shows that f is rg-regular-closed.

We define the following..

Definition 4.8 : A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be strongly rg-closed if the image of each rg-closed set of X is closed in Y .

Definition 4.9 : A space X is said to be p-rg-normal if for any pair of disjoint rg-closed sets A, B of X , there exists disjoint preopen sets U, V such that $A \subset U$ and $B \subset V$.

Definition 4.10 : A space X is said to be p-rg-regular if for each rg-closed set F of X and each point $x \in X - F$, there exist disjoint preopen sets U and V of X such that $F \subset U$ and $x \in V$.

Definition 4.11 : A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be prg-closed if the image of each preclosed set of X is rg-closed in Y .

Theorem 4.12 : A surjective function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is always rg-closed if and only if for each subset B of Y and each rg-open set U of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$, there exists rg-open set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Proof: Necessity: Suppose f is always rg-closed. Let B be any subset of Y and U is rg-open set of X containing $f^{-1}(B)$. Put $V = Y - f(X - U)$. Then, V is rg-open in Y , $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset U$.

Sufficiency : Let F be any rg-closed set in X . Put $B = Y - f(F)$, then we have $f^{-1}(B) \subset X - F$ and $X - F$ is rg-open set in X . There exists rg-open set V of Y such that $B \subset V$ and $f^{-1}(V) \subset X - F$. Therefore we obtain $f(F) = Y - V$ and hence $f(F)$ is rg-closed in Y . This shows that f is always rg-closed.

Theorem 4.13 : If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is rg-regular-closed and g is almost-preclosed

function, then their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-closed.

Proof : Let F be an rg-closed set in X . Since f is rg-regular-closed. Then $f(F)$ is regular-closed in Y . Hence $g(f(F))$ is preclosed in Z because g is almost preclosed function. But $g(f(F)) = g \circ f(F)$. This shows that $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-closed.

Theorem 4.14: If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is strongly-rg-closed and g is preclosed function g then their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-closed.

Proof : Let F be any rg-closed set in X . Since f is strongly rg-closed. Then $f(F)$ is closed in Y . Hence $g(f(F))$ is preclosed in Z because g is preclosed function. But $g(f(F)) = g \circ f(F)$. This shows that $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-closed.

We, state the following.

Theorem 4.15 : If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. If f is strongly-rg-closed and g is preclosed function, then their composition $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$ is pre-Rg-closed.

- (i) If f is rg-irresolute and surjective, then g is pre-Rg-closed.
- (ii) If g is preirresolute and injective, then f is pre-Rg-closed.

Theorem 4.16 : If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions and $g \circ f$ is always rg-closed function.

- (i) If f is rg-irresolute and surjective, then g is always rg-closed.
- (ii) If g is rg-irresolute and injective, then f is always rg-closed.

Theorem 4.17 : Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : X \rightarrow Y$ be two functions . Then,

- (i) $g \circ f$ is M-preclosed, if f is prg-closed and g is pre-Rg-closed function.
- (ii) $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-closed, if f is pre-Rg-closed and g is M-preclosed function.
- (iii) $g \circ f$ is almost preclosed, if f is pre-rg-closed and g is pre-Rg-closed function.
- (iv) $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-closed, if f is always rg-closed and g is pre-Rg-closed function.

We, prove the following.

Theorem 4.18: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions. Then f is rg-g-closed function and g is g-rg-closed and $g \circ f$ is always-rg-closed function.

Proof: Let F be an arbitrary rg-closed set in Y . Since f is rg-g-closed, then $f(F)$ is g-closed in Y . Hence $g(f(F))$ is rg-closed in Z because g is g-rg-closed function. But $g(f(F)) = g \circ f(F)$. This shows that $g \circ f$ is always rg-closed.

Theorem 4.19: Let $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Z$ be two functions . Then f is rg-regular-closed function and g is regular-preclosed function, then their composition $g \circ f$ is pre-Rg-closed function.

Proof : Let F be anyrg-closed set in X . Since f is rg-regular-closed, then $f(F)$ is regular-closed in Y . Hence $g(f(F))$ is

preclosed in Z because g is regular-preclosed function. But $g(f(F)) = \text{gof}(F)$. This shows that gof is pre-Rg-closed.

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