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# On Faintly $\theta$ - Semi-Continuous and Faintly $\delta$ -Semi-Continuous Functions

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#### **Abstract**

Faintly continuous (FC) functions, entitled faintly  $\theta$ S-continuous and faintly  $\delta$ S-continuous functions have been introduced and investigated via a  $\theta$ -open and  $\delta$ -open sets. Several characterizations and properties of faintly  $\theta$ S-continuous and faintly  $\delta$ S-Continuous functions were obtained. In addition, relationships between faintly  $\theta$ S- Continuous and faintly  $\delta$ S-continuous function and other forms of FC function were investigated. Also, it is shown that every faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous is weakly  $\theta$ S-continuous. The Convers is shown to be satisfied only if the co-domain of the function is almost regular.

**Keywords:** Faintly  $\theta$ S-continuous, Faintly  $\delta$ S-continuous,  $\theta$ s-open,  $\delta$ s-open, Faint continuity.

#### Introduction

Faint continuity is a property weaker form of Continuous functions. Throughout this paper, since the introduction of FC functions by Long and Herrington<sup>1</sup>, various weak and strong forms of FC functions were studied. Many authors defined and introduced a generalization form of open sets and weak and strong forms of semi-open sets see in <sup>2-6</sup>. The concept FC functions have the attention of many authors see for example 7. First, a point  $x \in X$  is called an  $\theta$  -Cluster point of  $E\subseteq X$  if E non-trivially intersects the closure of each open set containing x in X. All  $\theta$  -Cluster set points of some set is defined to be the  $\theta$  closure of that set and it's written as  $Cl\theta$  (E). a subset that contains all its  $\theta$  -Cluster points (i.e., E = Cl $\theta$  (E)), is  $\theta$ -closed, and its complement is  $\theta$  open. Equivalently, E is  $\theta$ -open if it has a closed neighborhood of each of its points. Another equivalent definition is that if for all  $x \in E$ , an open set O exists with the property that  $x \in O \subset Cl(O) \subset E$ . The collection,  $T\theta$ , of  $\theta$  -open subsets in X forms a topology on X. The int $\theta(E)$  is the largest  $\theta$ -open

subset of E. A  $\delta$ -Cluster point  $\mathfrak{x} \in X$  of  $E \subset X$  is a point s.t. for every open set  $U \ni \mathfrak{x}$  its (int  $(Cl(O) \cap E \neq \emptyset)$ ). The  $\delta$ -closure of a set E,  $Cl\delta(E)$ , is the set of all  $\delta$ -Cluster points of that set. A  $\delta$ -closed is one which equals its  $\delta$ -closure. A  $\delta$ -open set is one whose complement is  $\delta$ -closed. Equivalently, E is  $\delta$ - open if for all  $\mathfrak{x} \in E$  there is a regular-open (r-open) subset of E containing  $\mathfrak{x}$ . The collection of all  $\delta$ -open subsets of X is a tropology on X denoted by X and X is proclaimed semi-open denoted by X if X and open set X is X

#### **Preliminaries:**

The terms  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(Y, \sigma)$  pertain to topological spaces where there are no underlying separation axioms. The closure, interior and the complement of a set E are denoted respectively by Cl (E), int(E) and  $A^c$ . A point  $x \in X$  is called the  $\theta$ -Cluster point (respectively  $\delta$ -Cluster point) of the set E if for every open subset Q of  $x \in X$  s.t.  $x \in X$  is  $x \in X$ . The set of all  $\theta$ - $x \in X$  (respectively  $x \in X$ ). The set of all  $\theta$ - $x \in X$  is called the  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$ . The set of all  $\theta$ - $x \in X$  is called the  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$ . The set of all  $\theta$ - $x \in X$  is called the  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$ . The set of all  $\theta$ - $x \in X$  is called the  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$  is called the  $x \in X$  in  $x \in X$  in

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Cluster points (respectively  $\delta$ -Cluster points) of a set, E, is said to be the  $\theta$ -closure of E denoted by Cl $\theta$ (E) (respectively  $\delta$ -closure denoted by  $Cl\delta(E)$ ). Also  $\theta$ -closed (respectively  $\delta$ -closed) set is one which equals its respective closure. A  $\theta$  -open set (respectively  $\delta$ -open) is one whose complement is  $\theta$ -closed set (respectively  $\delta$ -closed)<sup>9</sup>. A set E in a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\theta$  -semi-open if  $\exists$  a  $\theta$  open subset Q of X s.t  $Q \subset E \subset Cl(Q)$ . Equivalently, if  $E \subset Cl(int\theta (E))^{10}$ . A set is  $\theta$  -semi closed if its complement is  $\theta$ -semi open. A set E in a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\delta$  -semi-open if  $\exists \delta$  -open set Q of X s.t  $Q \subset E \subset Cl(Q)^{11}$ . Equivalently, if  $E \subset Cl(int\delta(E))$ . A  $\delta$  -semi closed set is one whose complement is  $\delta$ -semi open, its denote by  $\delta s(X)$  for the collection consisting of all  $\delta$ -semi open sets in a space X. A mapping f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called faintly Continuous (FC) (respectively faintly semi-Continuous (FSC)) if  $\forall x \in X$  and every  $\delta$ -open

#### **Results and Discussion**

# Characterization of faintly $\theta$ semicontinuity:

**Definition 1:**<sup>14</sup> f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is faintly  $\theta$ -semi-Continuous  $(\theta$ - S-continuous) if for all point  $x \in X$  and every  $\theta$  -open set Q of Y,  $f(x) \in Q$ , there is an  $\theta$  -semi open set O of X,  $x \in Q$  s.t f(O) is contained in Q.

#### **Theorem 1:**

Given a mapping  $f: (X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$ , such that Y is an almost regular space, then the equivalence of the following statements can be established:

- i. The mapping f is faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous.
- ii. The pre-image  $f^{-1}(Q)$  is a  $\theta$  semi open subset of X whenever Q is r-open subset of Y.
- iii. The pre-image f  $^{-1}(F)$  is a  $\theta$ semi closed set of X whenever
  F r-closed is a set in Y.
- iv. If  $E \subset X$  then,  $f(sCl\theta(E)) \subset Cl\theta$  (f(E)).
- v. If  $B \subset X$   $sCl\theta$  (f  $^{-1}(B)$ )  $\subset$ f  $^{-1}(Cl\theta (B))$ .
- vi. The pre-image f  $^{-1}$  (F) is a  $\theta$  -semi closed for all  $\theta$  -closed set F of Y.

subset Q of Y,  $f(x) \in Q$ , there is an open subset (respectively semi-open), O, of X, containing x s.t  $f(O) \subset Q$ . Equivalently, f is FC (respectively FSC) if the pre-image of each  $\theta$ -open set is open (semi-open) set. A regular-open set Q, is one s.t. Q=int (Cl(Q)). A regular closed (r-closed) is one whose complement is r-open. Equivalently, F is r-closed set if Cl(int(F)) =F. The point  $x \in X$  is a  $\delta$ -semi-Cluster point of some set E if  $E \cap O \neq \emptyset \forall \delta$ -semi open subset O of X,  $x \in O$ . The  $\delta$ -semi closure of a subset E (which denotes  $sCl\delta(E)$ ) is the set consisting of its  $\delta$ -semi-Cluster points. The family consisting of  $\delta$ -semi open sets (respectively  $\delta$ -semi closed) will be denoted by  $\delta SO(X, \tau)$  (respectively  $\delta SC(X, \tau)$ ). Then,  $sCl\delta(E)$  $= \cap \{F: E \subset F, F \text{ is } \delta\text{-semi closed}\}^i$ . The concept of  $\theta$  -semi-closure of some subset E of a space X, denoted  $sCl\theta(E)$ , is the set of all  $x \in X$  s.t  $Cl(O)\cap E$  $\neq \emptyset$  for all semi open subset O of X s.t.  $x \in O$ ,  $sCl\theta(E)$  $= \bigcap \{F: E \subseteq F, F \text{ is } \theta \text{ -semi closed}^{12,13}.$ 

vii. For every  $\theta$  -open subset Q of Y, f  $^{-1}$  (Q) is a  $\theta$  -semi open subset of X.

#### Proof:

(i  $\Rightarrow$  ii) assume that Q is a r-open in Y, in addition let  $x \in f^{-1}(Q)$ , then  $Q = \operatorname{int}(\operatorname{Cl}(Q))$  and  $f(x) \in Q$ , openness of Q, implies  $\theta$  —the openness Q in Y [because Y is almost regular] and by application of part (i) and the definition 1,  $\exists$  a  $\theta$  -semi open set Ox of X s.t  $x \in Ox$  and  $f(Ox) \subset Q$ . Therefore,  $x \in Ox \subset f^{-1}(f(Ox)) \subset f^{-1}(Q)$  and  $\exists$  a  $\theta$  -open set Wx s.t Wx $\subset Ox \subset Cl(Wx)$ , since Ox is a  $\theta$  -semi open set. Now, suppose that  $W=Ox \in f^{-1}(Q)$  WX. As  $U_{x \in f^{-1}(Q)} \subset Cl(Wx) \subset Cl(Wx)$  then  $O=U_{x \in f^{-1}(Q)} \subset Ox \subset Cl(Wx) \subset Cl(Wx)$  and the proof is concluded.

(ii  $\Rightarrow$  iii) Suppose that F is r-closed in Y,so Y\F is r-open in Y. BY (ii),  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus F)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open subset of X. Since  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus F) = f^{-1}(Y) \setminus f^{-1}(F)$ , it is then implied that  $f^{-1}(F)$  is a  $\theta$ -semi closed subset of X.

(iii  $\Rightarrow$  iv) Suppose that  $x \in sCl\theta$  (E) and suppose that  $f(x) \notin Cl\theta$  (f(E)). So,  $\exists$  an open set  $Q_0$  s.t  $f(x) \in Q_0$  and  $f(E) \cap Cl(Q_0) = \emptyset$ . When taking the r-open set  $W_0 = int$  ( $Cl(Q_0)$ ). Then  $Cl(W_0) = Cl(Q_0)$ . Thus,  $f(E) \subset Y \setminus Cl(W_0)$ . By part (iii), it got  $X \setminus f^{-1}(W_0)$  is  $\theta$  -semi closed and  $E \subset X \setminus f^{-1}(W_0)$ . Thus, by the definition of  $sCl\theta$  (E), it got  $x \in X \setminus f^{-1}(W_0)$ , a



contradiction with  $f(x) \in Q_0 \subset \text{int } (Cl(Q_0)) = W_0$ .

(iv  $\Rightarrow$  v) Assume that E = f  $^{-1}$  (B)  $\subset$  X. Then, by part (iv) it has  $f(sCl\theta \ (E) \subset Cl\theta \ (f(E))$ . Since  $Cl\theta \ (f \ (E)) \subset Cl\theta \ (B)$ , it follows that  $sCl\theta \ (E) \subset f^{-1} \ (Cl\theta \ (B))$ .

(v  $\Rightarrow$  vi) Assume that a set F is an  $\theta$  -Closed of Y. S0, F $\subset$  Cl(F)  $\subset$  Cl $\theta$  (F) = F. Taking B = F in part (v), it got sCl $\theta$  (f  $^{-1}$ (F))  $\subset$  f $^{-1}$  (F). As f  $^{-1}$ (F)  $\subset$  sCl $\theta$  (f  $^{-1}$  (F)) and sCl $\theta$  (f  $^{-1}$ (F) is  $\theta$  -semi closed, it concludes f  $^{-1}$  (F) is  $\theta$  -semi closed subset of X.

(vi  $\Rightarrow$  vii) Let Q be  $\theta$ -open subset of Y. Taking F = Q<sup>c</sup> in part (vi) it got f<sup>-1</sup> (Q<sup>c</sup>) =  $(f^{-1}(Q))^c$  is  $\theta$  -semi closed subset of X,then f<sup>-1</sup> (Q) is  $\theta$  -semi open set of X.

(vii  $\Rightarrow$  i) Suppose that  $x \in X$  and Q be an  $\theta$  open subset of Y, which contains f(x). BY part (vii), if the inverse  $f^{-1}(Q)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open subset in X,then taking  $O = f^{-1}(Q)$ , it gives  $x \in O$  and  $f(O)=f(f^{-1}(Q)) \subset Q$ , so the map is faintly  $\theta$  -S-continuous in X.

SO can make another definition of a faintly  $\theta$  -S-continuous as can see in the following theorem:

#### Theorem 2:

 $f \colon X \to Y$  is faintly  $\theta$  -S-continuous iff  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open subset in  $X \lor \theta$  -open set B in Y.

Proof: For the necessity, suppose that B  $\theta$  - open in Y. (to proof) f  $^{-1}(B)$  is a  $\theta$  -semi open subset of X.

If  $x \in f^{-1}(B)$  with  $f(x) \in B$ , then B is  $\theta$ -open [by the fact that f is faintly  $\theta$  -S-continuous]. Then  $\exists$  a  $\theta$  -semi open subset O of X,  $x \in O$  s.t f (O)  $\subset$  B, Then  $x \in O \subset f^{-1}(B)$ . Therefore,  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open subset of  $x \in O$  (since  $x \in O$  is a union of  $x \in O$  -semi open set).

For sufficiency, suppose that  $x \in X$  and  $Q \subset Y$ , Q is  $\theta$  -open subset of Y, then  $f^{-1}(Q)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open set in X. Suppose that  $x \in f^{-1}(Q)$  and  $f^{-1}(Q) = Q$ , Then  $f(Q) = f(f^{-1}(Q)) = Q$ , there exists  $Q = f^{-1}(Q)$  is  $\theta$  -semi open in X s.t  $f(Q) \subset Q$ , which implies that f is faintly  $\theta$  -S-continuous.

In definition 1, If we replace the  $\theta$ -open set by the closure of  $\theta$ -open set we can define the following definition

#### **Definition 2:**

f:  $X \to Y$  is Called a weakly  $\theta$  -S-continuous if for all  $x \in X$  and all  $\theta$  -open set  $Q \subset Y$  s.t

 $f(x) \in Q$ , there be  $O \in \theta$  SO(x, X) s.t  $f(O) \subset Cl(Q)$ .

#### **Theorem 3:**

Every faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous mapping is weakly  $\theta$  S-continuous.

Proof: if  $x \in X$  and Q is an  $\theta$ -open subset in Y with  $f(x)\in Q$ . By faint  $\theta$ -S-continuity of f,  $\exists \theta$  s-open set O,  $x \in O$  which is contained in Q, then  $f(O) \subset Q \subset Cl(Q)$ , consequently  $f(O) \subset Cl(Q)$  which implies weak  $\theta$  S-continuity f.

The converse, however, can only hold if Y is assumed to be almost regular as shown below.

#### **Definition 3:**

A space X is almost regular if whenever F r-closed subset in X with  $x \notin F$ ,  $\exists$  disjointed open subsets O and Q of X, s.t  $x \in O$  and  $F \subset O$ 

#### **Theorem 4:**

If  $f:(X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$  is weakly  $\theta$  S-continuous, with Y being almost regular, then f is faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous.

Proof: Let  $y \in X$ . Assume further that Q is  $\theta$  open set of Y,  $f(y) \in Q$ . S0, there exists r-open set W in Y s.t f  $(y) \in W \subset Cl$   $(w) \subset Q$ . [by Theorem 1 in<sup>1</sup>]. Since Y is almost regular, then each r-open set in Y is also  $\theta$  -open [by Theorem 3 in<sup>1</sup>]. Now, by weak  $\theta$  -S-continuity of f, $\exists \theta$  s-open set O,  $y \in O$  s.t f  $(O) \subset Cl$   $(W) \subset Q$ ,  $\Rightarrow$  f  $(O) \subset Q$ , consequently, faint  $\theta$  -S-continuity of f is established.

#### **Definition 4:**<sup>17</sup>

Suppose that f:  $X \rightarrow Y$  be a function, the function g:  $X \rightarrow X \times Y$  is called a graph function of f if g is defined by g(x) = (x, f(x)) for each  $x \in X$ .

#### **Theorem 5:**

Given the graph map of f:  $X \rightarrow Y$  to be is faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous, then so is f.

Proof: Assume that  $x \in X$ , Q an  $\theta$ -open subset of Y,  $f(x) \in Q$ ,  $\Rightarrow X \times Q$  is  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X \times Y$  [By Theorem 5 in<sup>1</sup>] containing g(x) = (x, f(x)). Since the graph map  $g: X \to X \times Y$  is faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous, there exists  $O \in \theta$  SO(X) containing X s.t  $g(O) \subset X \times Q$ , then  $f(O) \subset Q$ . Hence, faint  $\theta$  -S-continuity of f is established.

#### **Theorem 6:**

Supposing f is faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous with Y is almost regular. For all  $x \in X$  and all  $\theta$  -open set Q in Y s.t  $f(x) \in Q$ ,  $\exists \theta$  s-open subset O of X s.t  $f(O) \subset int(Cl(Q))$ .



Proof: If  $x \in X$  with  $f(x) \in Q$ , where Q is a  $\theta$ -open subset in Y, where Y be almost regular, then there exists r-open subset G in Y s.t  $f(x) \in G \subset Cl(G) \subset Q \subset int(Cl(Q))$ .

[by Theorem 3 in<sup>1</sup>] so, G is r-open, when Y is almost regular then G is  $\theta$ -open [by theorem 3 in<sup>1</sup>], faint  $\theta$  S-continuity of f means that it can find a  $\theta$  s-open set O in X s.t. x $\in$ O and f(O)  $\subset$  G  $\subset$ Cl(G)  $\subset$ int (Cl(Q)). Therefore, f(O)  $\subset$  int (Cl(Q)).

# Characterization of faintly $\delta$ semicontinuitY:

#### **Definition5:**

 $f: (X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$  is A faintly  $\delta$ - S-continuous if  $\forall x \in X$  and all  $\delta$ -open subset Q of Y that contains f(x),  $\exists a \delta$ -semi open subset O of X that contains  $x \in A$ .

#### Theorem 7:

Given  $f:(X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$ , then we can establish the equivalence of the following:

- i. The map f is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous.
- ii. The pre-image f  $^{-1}$  (Q) is a  $\delta$ -semi open subset of X for all r-open set Q of Y.
- iii. The pre-image f  $^{-1}$  (F) is a  $\delta$ -semi closed subset of X for all r-closed subset F of Y.
- iv.  $f(sCl\delta(E)) \subset Cl\delta(f(E)) \forall E \subset X$ .
- v.  $sCl\delta$  (f  $^{-1}$  (B))  $\subset$  f  $^{-1}$  (Cl $\delta$ (B))  $\forall$  B  $\subset$  Y.
- vi. The pre-image f  $^{-1}$  (F) is a  $\delta$ -semi closed subset in  $X \forall \delta$ -closed subset F of Y
- vii. The pre-image f  $^{-1}$  (Q) is a  $\delta$ -semi open subset in  $X \forall \delta$ -open subset Q of Y.

### **Proof:**

(i $\Rightarrow$  ii) for an r-open subset Q of Y suppose that  $x \in f^{-1}(Q)$ , then  $Q = \operatorname{int}(Cl(Q))$  and  $f(x) \in Q$ , then Q is a  $\delta$ -open set of Y and by application of part (i) and the definition 5,  $\exists$  a  $\delta$ -semi open subset set  $O_X$  of X s.t  $x \in O_X$  and  $f(O_X) \subset Q$ . Therefore,  $x \in O_X \subset f^{-1}(f(O_X)) \subset f^{-1}(Q)$  and  $\exists$  a  $\delta$ -open set  $W_X$  s.t  $W_X \subset O_X \subset Cl(W_X)$ , since  $O_X$  is  $\delta$ -semi open. Now, suppose that  $W=\bigcup_{X\in f\cdot 1(Q)}W_X$ . As  $\bigcup_{X\in f\cdot 1(V)}Cl(W_X) \subset Cl(W)$ , then  $O=\bigcup_{X\in f\cdot 1(Q)}(O_X) = f^{-1}(Q)$  and  $\delta$ -semi openness is established.

(ii  $\Rightarrow$ iii) Suppose that F is an r-closed subset F of Y.  $\Rightarrow$  Y\F is r-open subset of Y. By part (ii), f<sup>-1</sup> (Y\F) is a  $\delta$ -semi open subset of X.

Since  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus F) = f^{-1}(Y) \setminus f^{-1}$  (F), hence  $f^{-1}(F)$  is a  $\delta$ -semi closed subset of X.

(iii  $\Rightarrow$  iv) Suppose that  $x \in sCl\delta(E)$  and suppose that  $f(x) \notin Cl\delta(f(E))$ . Then,  $\exists$  an open set  $Q_0$  s.t  $f(x) \in Q_0$  and  $f(E) \cap$  int  $(Cl(Q_0)) = \emptyset$ . Then, take the r-open set  $W_0 =$  int  $(Cl(Q_0))$ . Hence,  $f(E) \subset Y \setminus W_0$ . BY part (iii), it got  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus W_0)$  is  $\delta$ -semi closed and  $E \subset f^{-1}(Y \setminus W_0)$ . Thus, by the definition of  $sCl\delta(E)$ , it got  $x \in f^{-1}(Y \setminus W_0)$  a contradiction with  $f(x) \in Q_0 \subset int(Cl(Q_0)) = W_0$ .

(iv  $\Rightarrow$  v) Suppose that  $E = f^{-1}(B) \subset X$ . Then, by part (iv) take  $f(sCl\delta(E)) \subset Cl\delta(f(E))$ . Since  $Cl\delta(f(E)) \subset Cl\delta(B)$ , it follows that  $sCl\delta(E) \subset f^{-1}(Cl\delta(B))$ .

(v  $\Rightarrow$  vi) Suppose F is a  $\delta$ -closed subset in Y. This means F  $\subset$ Cl(F) $\subset$ Cl $\delta$ (F) = F. Taking B = F in part (v), and it got sCl $\delta$ (f  $^{-1}$ (F)) $\subset$ f  $^{-1}$ (F). As f $^{-1}$ (F) $\subset$ sCl $\delta$ (f $^{-1}$ (F)) and sCl $\delta$ (f  $^{-1}$ (F) is  $\delta$ -semi closed which concludes f  $^{-1}$ (F) is a  $\delta$ -semiclosed subset of X.

(vi  $\Rightarrow$  vii) Let Q be an  $\delta$ -open subset of Y. Taking  $F = Y \setminus Q$  c in part (vi) it got  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus Q)$  =  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus Q)^c$  is  $\delta$ -semi closed subset of X. Thus,  $f^{-1}(Q)$  is  $\delta$ -semi open subset of X.

(vii  $\Rightarrow$ i) Assume that  $x \in X$  and suppose that Q is  $\delta$ -open subset of Y, f (x)  $\in$ Q. By part (vii), f  $^{-1}$  (Q) is  $\delta$ -semi open subset of X. Then, taking O = f  $^{-1}$  (Q), it got x  $\in$  O and f(O)  $\subset$  f (f  $^{-1}$  (Q))  $\subset$  Q. Therefore, faint  $\delta$  -S-continuity of f is established

**Theorem 8:** For any function between two spaces f:  $X \rightarrow Y$ . If the graph function g is faintly  $\delta S$ -continuous, then so is f.

**Proof** Let  $x \in X$  and assume that Q is  $\delta$  -open set that contains f(x). Then  $X \times Q$  is  $\delta$  -open subset of  $X \times Y$  [Theorem5in<sup>1</sup>], it further contains g(x) = (x, f(x)). Therefore,  $\exists O \in \delta s(X)$  containing  $X \in S$ .  $g(O) \subset X \times Q$ , which implies  $f(O) \subset Q$ , and faint  $\delta$  -S-continuity of f is established.

**Theorem 9:** If f:  $X \rightarrow Y$  is faintly  $\delta$  Scontinuous with Y almost regular. Then for all  $x \in X$  and  $\delta$ -open subset Q of Y, s.t  $f(x) \in Q$ ,  $\exists$  a  $\delta$ -open subset O in X,  $x \in O$  s.t  $f(O) \subset O$  int (Cl (Q)).

**Proof.** If  $x \in X$  and Q is a  $\delta$ -open subset in Y with  $f(x) \in Q$ , but Y is almost regular. so  $\exists$  ropen subset G in Y s.t  $f(x) \in G \subset Cl(G) \subset int (Cl(Q)^{13}$  [Theorem 2.2]. Since f is faintly  $\delta$  S-



continuous, since G is r-open, then G is  $\delta$ -open. It follows  $\exists$  a  $\delta$ s-open subset O of X, with  $x \in O$  s.t  $f(O) \subset G \subset Cl(G) \subset int(Cl(Q))$ .

#### Remark 1:

Clearly, any union  $\delta$ s-open sets in (X, t) is  $\delta$ -open. However, as can be seen in the example below, the result for intersection is generally false.

#### Example 1:

Suppose R<sup>2</sup> with the usual topology. Suppose that E be the set defined by  $E = \{(X, Y) \in \mathbb{R}^2:$  $X^{2}+Y^{2} < 1$   $\cup \{(\cos(\alpha), \sin(\alpha)): 0 < \alpha < \pi/2 \},$ B=  $\{(X, Y) \in \mathbb{R}^2: X^2+Y^2>1\} \cup \{(\cos(\alpha),$  $sin(\alpha)$ ): 0 <  $\alpha$  <  $\pi/2$  }. A is  $\delta$ -semi open because D is in E and E is in Cl(D), being D=  $\{(X, Y) \in \mathbb{R}^2: X^2+Y^2 < 1\}, D \text{ is a } \delta\text{-open}$ set. Moreover, D is open and regular. B is  $\delta$ semi open because M is in B and B is in Cl (M), being M=  $\{(X, Y) \in \mathbb{R}^2: X^2+Y^2>1\}$ . M is a  $\delta$ -open set. Moreover, M is open and regular. However,  $E \cap B = \{(\cos(\alpha), \sin(\alpha)): 0 < \alpha\}$  $\alpha < \pi/2$  } is not  $\delta$ - semi open because if  $\exists \delta$ open set O s.t O is in E∩B and E∩B is in Cl(O) ,then O is not empty, it follows there exists x in O. For that X,  $\exists$  an open and regular set W s.t x is in W and W is in O. Therefore,  $E \cap B$  contains a disk that is a contradiction.

**Theorem 10:** If f is a mapping of X into Y, and  $X = X + 1 \cup X^2$ , where  $X^1$  and  $X^2$  are  $\delta S^2$  open, and  $f|_{X^1}$  and  $f|_{X^2}$  are faintly  $\delta S^2$  continuous, then f is faintly  $\delta S^2$ -continuous.

Proof. Let  $x \in X$  and suppose that B is a  $\delta$ -open subset of Y that contains f(x). If  $x \in X1$ , then there exists  $\delta s$ -open O1 subset of X1, s.t  $f(O1) = f[X1(O1) \subset B$ . Also, if  $x \in X2$ , then there exists  $\delta s$ -open O2 subset of X2 s.t  $f(O2) = f[X2(O2) \subset B$ . If  $x \in X1 \cup X2$ , SO can take  $O=O1 \cup O2$ : thus, O is  $\delta s$ -open (By Remark 1) and  $f(O) = f[X1(O1) \cup f[X2(O2) \subset B]$ . Therefore, f is faintly  $\delta S$ -continuous.

#### Lemma 1:11

Suppose that G, H  $\subset$  (X,  $\tau$ ). And suppose further that G  $\in \delta SO(X)$  and G  $\in \delta O(X)$ , then the intersection G  $\cap$  H  $\in \delta SO(H)$ .

#### **Conclusion**

In this work, several results on faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous and faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous were obtained. Several properties of these kinds of faint Continuity were considered. Also, the relations

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#### Lemma 2:11

Suppose that  $G,H \subset (X, \tau)$ . And suppose further that  $G \in \delta SO(H)$  and  $H \in \delta O(X)$ , then  $G \in \delta SO(X)$ .

#### Theorem 11:

Suppose that  $f: (X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$  is a mapping with  $\{Qi: i \in I\}$  an  $\delta s$ -open cover of X. If the restriction  $f|Qi: (Qi, \tau Qi) \to (Y, \sigma)$  is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous  $\forall i \in I$ , so f is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous.

**Proof**: If O is an δ-open set in (Y, σ) (By Lemma 1). Therefore,  $f^{-1}(O) = X \cap f^{-1}(O) = U$  {Qi  $\cap$  f  $^{-1}(O)$ : i ∈ I } = U {(f |Qi)  $^{-1}(O)$ : i ∈ I}.

But  $f \mid Qi$  is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous  $\forall i \in I$ , ( $f \mid Qi$ )  $^{-1}(O) \in \delta SO(Qi) \forall i \in I$ . (By Lemma 2), for all  $i \in I$ , ( $f \mid Qi$ )  $^{-1}(O)$  is  $\delta$ -semi open in X and as  $f \mid ^{-1}(O)$  is  $\delta$ -semi open in X. Therefore,  $f \mid S$  is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous.

#### **Definition 6:15**

A mapping  $f: X \to Y$  is An almost  $\delta$ -semi open if  $f(Q) \subset \text{int } (Cl(f(Q))) \ \forall \ \delta$ -semi open subset Q of X.

#### **Theorem 12:**

Given a mapping  $f: X \to Y$  that is faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous and almost  $\delta$ -semi open, then for all  $x \in X$  and all  $\delta$ -open set  $O \subset Y$ , s.t  $f(x) \in Q$ ,  $\exists$  a  $\delta$ -semi open set  $Q \in \delta SO(X)$  s.t  $f(Q) \subset I$  int I (Cl I (O)).

Proof: Let  $x \in X$  and suppose that O is an  $\delta$ -open subset of Y s.t  $f(x) \in O$ . By faint  $\delta$  -S-continuity of f, then there is  $Q \in \delta So(X)$  s.t  $f(Q) \subset O$ .

but f is almost  $\delta$ -semi open, which implies that  $f(Q)\subset int(Cl(f(Q)))\subset int(Cl(O))$ , then  $f(Q)\subset int(Cl(O))$ .

**Note:** Many authors defined and introduced a generalization form of semiopen sets and semi closed sets have many applications see for example <sup>16</sup>.

between the graph of faintly  $\theta$  S-continuous and faintly  $\delta$ -S-continuous functions were obtained. Furthermore, the relation between these types of functions was considered.

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## $\delta$ و $\theta$ الدوال المستمره الضعيفه من النمط

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#### الخلاصة

الدوال المستمرة بشكل ضعيف (FC) والمعنونة باسم الدوال شبه المستمره بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\theta$ S و الدوال شبه المستمره بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\delta$ S تم در استها والتحقق منها بوساطة المجاميع المفتوحة من النوع  $\theta$ S العديد من الخصائص والمميزات للدوال شبه المستمرة بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\delta$ S تم الحصول عليها. أضافة الى ذلك العلاقات بين الدوال شبه المستمرة بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\delta$ S و انواع اخرى من الدوال المستمرة الدوال شبه المستمرة بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\delta$ S و انواع اخرى من الدوال المستمرة بشكل ضعيف من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة ضعيفة من النوع  $\delta$ S هي دالة شبه مستمرة بشكل ضعيفة الموارة الذكر يتحقق عندما يكون المجال المقابل للدالة من النوع المنتظم تقريبا.

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