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## ON ψg\*- OPEN MAPS AND ψg\*- HOMEOMORPHISMS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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## ABSTRACT

In this paper, we define new class of functions namely  $\psi g^*$  – open maps and we prove some of their basic properties. Also, we introduce a new class of  $\psi g^*$  – homeomorphisms and we prove some of their relationship among other homeomorphisms. Throughout this paper f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is a function from a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  to a topological space  $(Y, \sigma)$ .

*Keywords:* closed set,  $\psi g^*$  - closed sets,  $\psi g^*$  - continuous functions,  $\psi g^*$  - irresolute functions,  $\psi g^*$  - open maps,  $\psi g^*$  - closed maps and  $\psi g^*$  - homeomorphisms.

## **1. INTRODUCTION**

N.Levine [14] introduced the concept of generalized closed sets and studied their properties in 1970. By considering the concept of g-closed sets many concepts of topology have been generalized and interesting results have been obtained by several mathematician. Veerakumar [28] introduced and studied  $\psi$ -closed sets. Veerakumar [27] introduced g\*-closed sets in topological spaces and studied their properties. We introduced  $\psi g^*$  -closed sets [3] and studied their properties in 2015. K.Balachandran *et al.* [26] introduced the concept of generalized continuous maps in Topological spaces. We introduced  $\psi g^*$ -continuous maps [4] in topological spaces and studied their properties.

Now, we introduce a new version of maps  $\psi g^*$  – open maps and  $\psi g^*$  – homeomorphisms. And, also we prove some properties of these functions and establish the relationships between  $\psi g^*$  – homeomorphisms and other homeomorphisms.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper (X,  $\tau$ ) (or simply X) represents topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset A of (X,  $\tau$ ), Cl(A), Int(A) and A<sup>c</sup> denote the closure of A, interior of A and the complement of A respectively. We are giving some definitions.

**Definition 2.1:** A subset A of a topological space  $(X,\tau)$  is called

- 1. a semi-open set[15] if  $A \subseteq Cl(Int(A))$ .
- 2. an  $\alpha$ -open set[19] if A  $\subseteq$  Int(Cl(Int(A))).
- 3. a regular open set[25] if A = Int(Cl(A)).
- 4. a semi pre-open set[1] if  $A \subseteq Cl(Int(Cl(A)))$ .

The complement of a semi-open (resp. $\alpha$ -open, regular-open, semi pre-open) set is called semi-closed (resp. $\alpha$ -closed, regular-closed, semi pre-closed) set.

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The intersection of all semi-closed (resp. $\alpha$ -closed, regular-closed, semi pre-closed) sets of X containing A is called the semi-closure (resp. $\alpha$ -closure, regular-closure, semi pre-closure) of A and is denoted by sCl(A) (resp. $\alpha$ Cl(A), rCl(A), spCl(A)). The family of all semi-open (resp.  $\alpha$ -open, regular-open, semi pre-open) subsets of a space X is denoted by SO(X) (resp.  $\alpha O(X)$ , rO(X), spO(X)).

**Definition 2.2:** A subset A of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called

- 1) a generalized closed set (briefly g-closed)[14] if  $Cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is open in X.
- 2) a sg-closed set[6] if  $sCl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is semi-open in X.
- 3) a gs-closed set[2] if  $sCl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is open in X.
- 4) a  $\alpha$ g-closed set[16] if  $\alpha$ Cl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is open in X.
- 5) a gr\*-closed set[12] if  $rCl(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is g-open in X.
- 6) a g\*-closed set[27] if Cl(A)  $\subseteq$  U whenever A  $\subseteq$  U and U is g-open in X.
- 7) a g<sup>\*\*</sup>-closed set[20] if Cl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is g<sup>\*</sup>-open in X.
- 8) a g\*s-closed set[22] if  $sCl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is gs-open in X.
- 9) a (gs)\*-closed set[10] if  $Cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is gs-open in X.
- 10) a gsp-closed set[9] if spCl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is open in X.
- 11) a  $\psi$ -closed set[28] if sCl(A)  $\subseteq$  U whenever A  $\subseteq$  U and U is sg-open in X.
- 12) a  $\psi$ g-closed set [23] if  $\psi$ Cl(A)  $\subseteq$  U whenever A  $\subseteq$  U and U is open in X.
- 13) a  $\psi$ g\*-closed set [3] if  $\psi$ Cl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is g\*-open in X.

The complement of a g-closed (resp. sg-closed, gs-closed, gr\*-closed, gr\*-closed, g\*-closed, g\*s-closed, g\*s-clos (gs)\*-closed, gsp-closed,  $\psi$ -closed,  $\psi$ -closed and  $\psi$ g\*-closed) set is called g-open (resp. sg-open, gs-open,  $\alpha$ g-open, gr\*-open, g\*-open, g\*s-open, gsp-open,  $\psi$ -open,  $\psi$ -open and  $\psi$ g\*-open) set.

**Definition 2.3:**  $\psi$ Cl(A) is defined as the intersection of all  $\psi$ -closed sets containing A.

**Definition 2.4:** A function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called a

- 1. continuous [29] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 2. semi-continuous [15] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is semi-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 3.  $\alpha$ -continuous [7] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\alpha$ -closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 4. regular continuous [18] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is regular closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 5. g-continuous [26] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is g-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- ag-continuous [11] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is ag-closed in X for every closed set V in Y. 6.
- gr\*-continuous[13] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is gr\*-closed in X for every closed set V in Y. g\*-continuous[27] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is g\*-closed in X for every closed set V in Y. 7.
- 8.
- g\*\*-continuous[20] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is g\*\*-closed in X for every closed set V in Y. 9.
- 10. g\*s-continuous [21] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is g\*s-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 11. (gs)\*-continuous [10] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is (gs)\*-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 12. gsp-continuous [9] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is gsp-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 13.  $\psi$ g-continuous [24] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\psi$ g-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.
- 14.  $\psi$ g\*-continuous[4] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\psi$ g\*-closed in X for every closed set V in Y.

**Definition 2.5:** A function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called a

- 1. open map[29] if f(V) is open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 2. Semi-open map [5] if f(V) is semi-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 3.  $\alpha$ -open map[7] if f(V) is  $\alpha$ -open in (Y,  $\sigma$ ) for every open set V in (X, $\tau$ ).
- regular open map[18] if f(V) is regular open in  $(Y,\sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ . 4.
- g-open map[26] if f(V) is g-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ . 5.
- $\alpha g$ -open map[11] if f(V) is  $\alpha g$ -open in (Y,  $\sigma$ ) for every open set V in (X,  $\tau$ ). 6.
- 7. gr\*-open map[13] if f(V) is gr\*-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 8. g\*-open map[27] if f(V) is g\*-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 9 g\*\*-open map[20] if f(V) is g\*\*-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 10. g\*s-open map[21] if f(V) is g\*s-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 11. (gs)\*-open map [10] if f(V) is (gs)\*-open in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set V in  $(X, \tau)$ .
- 12.  $\psi$ g-open map[24] if f(V) is  $\psi$ g-open in (Y, $\sigma$ ) for every open set V in (X,  $\tau$ ).

#### **Definition 2.6:** A bijection f: $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called a

- 1. homeomorphism[29] if f is both continuous map and open map
- 2. semi-homeomorphism[5] if f is both semi-continuous map and semi-open map
- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism[8] if f is both  $\alpha$ -continuous map and  $\alpha$ -open map 3.
- regular-homeomorphism[18] if f is both regular continuous map and regular open map 4.

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- 5. g-homeomorphism [17] if f is both g-continuous map and g-open map
- 6. gr\*-homeomorphism [13] if f is both gr\*-continuous map and gr\*-open map.
- 7. g\*-homeomorphism [27] if f is both g\*-continuous map and g\*-open map.
- 8. g\*s-homeomorphism [21] if f is both g\*s-continuous map and g\*s-open map.
- 9. (gs)\*-homeomorphism [10] if f is both (gs)\*-continuous map and (gs)\*-open map.

**Definition 2.7:** A function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is said to be g\*- irresolute function [27] if the inverse image of every g\*-closed set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  is g\*- closed set in  $(X, \tau)$ .

**Remark 2.8:** The family of all  $\psi g^*$  – open subsets of a space X is denoted by  $\psi g^*$ -O(X). The family of all  $\psi g^*$  – closed subsets of a space X is denoted by  $\psi g^*$ -C(X).

**Definition 2.9:** A Space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a

- a.  $T_{\psi g^*}$ -space [3] if every  $\psi g^*$ -closed set in it is closed.
- b.  ${}_{g}T_{\psi g^*}$ -space [3] if every  $\psi g^*$ -closed set in it is g-closed.

#### 3. yg\*- OPEN MAPS AND yg\*- CLOSED MAPS

We introduce the following definitions.

**Definition 3.1:** Let X and Y be two topological spaces. A map f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\psi g^*$  – open map if for each open set V of X, f(V) is  $\psi g^*$  – open set in Y.

**Definition 3.2:** Let X and Y be two topological sapces. A map  $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\psi g^*$  – closed map if for each closed set V of X, f(V) is  $\psi g^*$  – closed set in Y.

Example 3.3: Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a, c\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}\}$ 

Define a map f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = b, f(b) = a, f(c) = c.

Then f is  $\psi g^*$  – open map, since the image of a open set {a, c} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {b, c} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ).

#### **Proposition 3.4:**

- a. Every open map is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- b. Every semi-open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- c. Every  $\alpha$ -open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- d. Every regular open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- e. Every g-open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- f. Every  $\alpha g$ -open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- g. Every gr\*-open map is  $\psi$ g\*- open map.
- h. Every  $g^*$ -open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.
- i. Every  $g^{**}$ -open map is  $\psi g^{*-}$  open map.
- j. Every g\*s-open map is  $\psi$ g\*- open map.
- k. Every  $(gs)^*$ -open map is  $\psi g^*$  open map.

#### **Proof:**

- a. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an open map, f(V) is an open set in Y. By Proposition 3.4 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- b. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an semi-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an semi-open map, f(V) is an semi-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.6 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- c. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an  $\alpha$ -open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an  $\alpha$ -open map, f(V) is an  $\alpha$ -open set in Y. By Proposition 3.8 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- d. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an regular open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an regular open map, f(V) is an regular open set in Y. By Proposition 3.10 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- e. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an g-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an g-open map, f(V) is an g-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.12 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- f. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an  $\alpha g$ -open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an  $\alpha g$ -open map, f(V) is an  $\alpha g$ -open set in Y. By Proposition 3.14 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.
- g. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an gr\*-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an gr\*-open map, f(V) is an gr\*-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.16 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi$ g\*-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ). Therefore, f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map.
- h. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an g\*-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an g\*-open map, f(V) is an g\*-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.18 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi$ g\*-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map.

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- i. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an g\*\*-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an g\*\*-open map, f(V) is an g\*\*-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.20 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi$ g\*-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ). Therefore, f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map.
- j. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an g\*s-open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an g\*s-open map, f(V) is an g\*s-open set in Y. By Proposition 3.22 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi$ g\*-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map.
- k. Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be an  $(gs)^*$ -open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is an  $(gs)^*$ -open map, f(V) is an  $(gs)^*$ -open set in Y. By Proposition 3.24 in [3], f(V) is a  $\psi g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map.

The following examples show that the converse of the above proposition need not be true.

#### Example 3.5:

a. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$  $O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $\psi g^*$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}} Since the image of an open set {a} in  $(X, \tau)$  is {a} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not open map. b. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$ Semi-O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {c}, {a, b}}  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set {a} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {a} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not semi-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ), f is  $\psi g^*$ open map but not semi-open map. c. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $\alpha$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {b}, {a, c}}  $\psi g^*$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}} Since the image of an open set {a}, {a, b} in (X,  $\tau$ ) are {a}, {a, b} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $\alpha$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not  $\alpha$ -open map. d. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ regular-O(Y) =  $\{Y, \phi\}$  $\psi g^* - O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set  $\{b\}, \{a, c\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  are  $\{b\}, \{a, c\}$  which is  $\forall g^*$ -open set but not regular-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not regular-open map. e. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $g-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set  $\{a, c\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\{a, c\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not g-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ open map but not g-open map. f. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $\alpha g$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {a, b}}  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set  $\{a, c\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\{a, c\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $\alpha g$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not  $\alpha g$ -open map. g. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $gr^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$ 

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 $\psi g^* - O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set  $\{a, c\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\{a, c\}$  which is  $\psi$ g\*-open set but not gr\*-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map but not gr\*-open map. h. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} \text{ and } \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}\}$  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set {b}, {a, b} in (X,  $\tau$ ) are {b}, {a, b} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $g^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not  $g^*$ -open map. i. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $g^{**}-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $\psi g^* - O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set {b, c} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {b, c} which is  $\psi$ g\*-open set but not g\*\*-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ), f is  $\psi$ g\*-open map but not g\*\*-open map. j. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$  $g*s-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set {a} in  $(X, \tau)$  is {a} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $g^*$ s-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi g^*$ open map but not g\*s-open map. k. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\},\$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}.$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c.

 $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$   $(gs)^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$   $\forall g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ Since the image of an open set  $\{a\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\{a\}$  which is  $\forall g^*$ -open set but not  $(gs)^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\forall g^*$ -open map but not  $(gs)^*$ -open map.

**Proposition 3.6:** Every  $\psi g^*$ -open map is  $\psi g$ -open map.

**Proof:** Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a  $\psi g^*$ -open map and V be an open set in X. Since f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map, f(V) is  $\psi g^*$ -open set in Y. By Proposition 3.28 in [3], f(V) is  $\psi g$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . Therefore, f is  $\psi g$ -open map.

**Example 3.7:** Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, d\}\}.$ 

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Define a map } f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma) \ by \ f(a) = a, \ f(b) = b, \ f(c) = c, \ f(d) = d. \\ O(X) = \{X, \phi, \ \{c\}, \ \{c, d\}, \ \{b, c, d\}\} \\ \psi g \text{-}O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \ \{a\}, \ \{b\}, \ \{d\}, \ \{a, b\}, \ \{a, d\}, \ \{b, d\}, \ \{c, d\}, \ \{a, b, c\}, \ \{a, b, d\}, \ \{a, c, d\}, \ \{b, c, d\}\} \\ \psi g^{*}\text{-}O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \ \{a\}, \ \{b\}, \ \{d\}, \ \{a, b\}, \ \{a, d\}, \ \{b, d\}, \ \{c, d\}, \ \{a, b, c\}, \ \{a, b, d\}\} \\ \end{array}$ 

Since the image of an open set {c, d}, {b, c, d} in  $(X, \tau)$  is {c, d}, {b, c, d} which is  $\psi$ g-open set but not  $\psi$ g\*-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ , f is  $\psi$ g-open map but not  $\psi$ g\*-open map.

**Remark 3.8:** The following diagram shows the relationships of  $\psi g^*$ -continuous functions with other known existing functions. A  $\rightarrow$  B represents A implies B but not conversely.

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#### 4. ψg\* – HOMEOMORPHISM

We introduce the following definition.

**Definition 4.1:** A bijection f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called a  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism if f is both  $\psi g^*$ -continuous map and  $\psi g^*$ -open map.

That is, both f and  $f^{-1}$  are  $\psi g^*$ -continuous map.

#### Example 4.2:

Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}$   $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$  and  $\sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}\}$ Define a map f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = b, f(b) = c, f(c) = a  $\psi g^{*}-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$   $\psi g^{*}-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$   $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a, c\}\}$  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$ 

Here, the inverse image of a closed set  $\{a, c\}$  in Y is  $\{b, c\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed set in X and the image of an open set  $\{a\}$  in X is  $\{b\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -open in Y. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism.

#### **Proposition 4.3:**

- a) Every homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism
- b) Every semi-homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism
- c) Every  $\alpha$ -homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism
- d) Every regular-homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism
- e) Every g-homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism
- f) Every gr\*-homeomorphism is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism
- g) Every g\*-homeomorphism is ψg\*-homeomorphism
- h) Every g\*s-homeomorphism is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism
- i) Every  $(gs)^*$ -homeomorphism is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism

#### **Proof:**

- a) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a homeomorphism. Then f is continuous and open map. By Proposition 3.5(a) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(a), f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous and  $\psi g^*$ -open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism.
- b) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a semi-homeomorphism. Then f is semi-continuous and semi-open map. By Proposition 3.5(b) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(b), f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous and  $\psi g^*$ -open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism.
- c) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a  $\alpha$ -homeomorphism. Then f is  $\alpha$ -continuous and  $\alpha$ -open map. By Proposition 3.5(c) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(c), f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous and  $\psi g^*$ -open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism.
- d) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a regular-homeomorphism. Then f is regular-continuous and regular-open map. By Proposition 3.5(d) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(d), f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous and  $\psi g^*$ -open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism.
- e) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a g-homeomorphism. Then f is g-continuous and g-open map. By Proposition 3.5(e) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(e), f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous and  $\psi$ g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism.

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- f) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a gr\*-homeomorphism. Then f is gr\*-continuous and gr\*-open map. By Proposition 3.5(g) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(g), f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous and  $\psi$ g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism.
- g) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a g\*-homeomorphism. Then f is g\*-continuous and g\*-open map. By Proposition 3.5(h) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(h), f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous and  $\psi$ g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism.
- h) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a g\*s-homeomorphism. Then f is g\*s-continuous and g\*s-open map. By Proposition 3.5(j) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(j), f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous and  $\psi$ g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism.
- i) Let f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  be a (gs)\*-homeomorphism. Then f is (gs)\*-continuous and (gs)\*-open map. By Proposition 3.5(k) in [4] and Proposition 3.4(k), f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous and  $\psi$ g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism.

The following examples show that the converse of the above proposition need not be true.

#### Example 4.4:

a) Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}$ Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c  $\psi g^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$   $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$   $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}$   $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set  $\{c\}, \{a, b\}$  in  $(Y, \sigma)$  are  $\{c\}, \{a, b\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous but not continuous. Also the image of an open set  $\{a\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\{a\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism but not homeomorphism.

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b) Let X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}

Define a function f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma) by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c

\psi g^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}

\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}

O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}\}

C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}

semi-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}

semi-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{a, b\}\}

Here, the inverse image of a closed set \{a, b\} in (Y, \sigma) is \{a, b\} which is \psi g^*-closed but not semi-closed in (X, \tau).

So f is \psi g^*-continuous but not semi-continuous. Also the image of an open set \{a\} in (X, \tau) is \{a\} which is \psi g^*-open map but not semi-open map. Hence, f is \psi g^*-homeomorphism but not semi-homeomorphism.
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c) Let X = Y = {a, b, c}, τ = {X, φ, {b}, {a, c}}, σ = {Y, φ, {a}, {b, c}}
Define a function f: (X, τ) → (Y, σ) by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c
ψg*-C(X) = {X, φ, {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}}
ψg*-O(Y) = {Y, φ, {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}}
O(X) = {X, φ, {b}, {a, c}}
C(Y) = {Y, φ, {a}, {b, c}}
α-C(X) = {X, φ, {b}, {a, c}}
Here, the inverse image of a closed set {a}, {b, c} in (Y, σ) are {a}, {b, c} which is ψg*-closed but not α-closed in
(X, τ). So f is ψg*-continuous but not α-continuous. Also the image of an open set {b}, {a, c} in (X, τ) is {b},
{a, c} which is ψg*-open set but not α-open set in (Y, σ). So f is ψg*-open map but not α-open map. Hence, f is
ψg*-homeomorphism but not α-homeomorphism.
d) Let X = Y = {a, b, c}, τ = {X, φ, {b}}, σ = {Y, φ, {a}, {b, c}}
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Define a function f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma) by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c

\psi g^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}

\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}

O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{b\}\}

C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}

regular-C(X) = \{X, \phi\}

regular-C(X) = \{X, \phi\}

Here, the inverse image of a closed set \{a\}, \{b, c\} in (Y, \sigma) are \{a\}, \{b, c\} which is \psi g^*-closed but not regular-

closed in (X, \tau). So f is \psi g^*-continuous but not regular-continuous. Also the image of an open set \{b\} in (X, \tau) is

\{b\} which is \psi g^*-open set but not regular-open set in (Y, \sigma). So f is \psi g^*-open map but not regular-open map.

Hence, f is \psi g^*-homeomorphism but not regular-homeomorphism.
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e) Let X = Y = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b, d\}\}

Define a function f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma) by f(a) = b, f(b) = c, f(c) = d, f(d) = a.

\psi g^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}\}

\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}\}
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 $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$  $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$  $g-C(X) = \{ X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\} \}$  $g-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set {c} in (Y,  $\sigma$ ) is {d} which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not g-closed in (X,  $\tau$ ). So f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous but not g-continuous. Also the image of an open set {b, c, d} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {a, c, d} which is  $\psi$ g\*open set but not g-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not g-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism but not g-homeomorphism. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ f) Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c $\psi g^*$ -C(X) = {X,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {a, b}, {a, c}}  $\psi g^*$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}}  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $gr^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $gr^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set {b} in  $(Y, \sigma)$  is {b} which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not  $gr^*$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . So f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous but not gr\*-continuous. Also the image of an open set {c}, {b, c} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {c}, {b, c} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not gr\*-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ). So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not gr\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ homeomorphism but not gr\*-homeomorphism. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ g) Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c $\psi g^*$ -C(X) = {X,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {a, b}, {a, c}}  $\psi g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $g^*\text{-}C(X) = \{X,\, \phi,\, \{a\},\, \{a,\, b\},\, \{a,\, c\}\}$  $g^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set {b} in  $(Y, \sigma)$  is {b} which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not  $g^*$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . So f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous but not g\*-continuous. Also the image of an open set {c},{b, c} in (X,  $\tau$ ) is {c},{b, c} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not g\*-open set in (Y,  $\sigma$ ). So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not g\*-open map. Hence, f is  $\psi g^*$ homeomorphism but not g\*-homeomorphism. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ h) Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c $\psi g^*$ -C(X) = {X,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {a, b}, {a, c}}  $\psi g^*$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}}  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $g*s-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $g^*s-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set  $\{a, c\}$  in  $(Y, \sigma)$  is  $\{a, c\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not  $g^*$ s-closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . So f is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous but not g\*s-continuous. Also the image of an open set {c}, {b, c} in (X,  $\tau$ ) are {c}, {b, c} which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $g^*$ s-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not  $g^*$ s-open map. Hence, f is *yg*\*-homeomorphism but not g\*s-homeomorphism. Let  $X = Y = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \sigma = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ i) Define a function f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  by f(a) = a, f(b) = b, f(c) = c $\psi g^*$ -C(X) = {X,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {a,b}, {a, c}}  $\psi g^*$ -O(Y) = {Y,  $\phi$ , {a}, {b}, {c}, {a, b}, {b, c}, {a, c}}  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$  $C(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$  $(gs)^*-C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$  $(gs)^*-O(Y) = \{Y, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ Here, the inverse image of a closed set {b}, {a, c} in (Y,  $\sigma$ ) are {b}, {a, c} which is  $\psi g^*$ -closed but not (gs)\*closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous but not  $(gs)^*$ -continuous. Also the image of an open set  $\{c\}, \{b, c\}$  in  $(X, \tau)$  are  $\{c\}, \{b, c\}$  which is  $\psi g^*$ -open set but not  $(gs)^*$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$ . So f is  $\psi g^*$ -open map but not  $(gs)^*$ open map. Hence, f is  $\psi$ g\*-homeomorphism but not (gs)\*-homeomorphism.

**Remark 4.5:** The following diagram shows the relationships of  $\psi g^*$ -homeomorphism with other known existing homeomorphisms. A  $\rightarrow$  B represents A implies B but not conversely.

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**Proposition 4.6:** For any bijection f:  $(X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  the following statements are equivalent

- a) Its inverse map  $f^{-1}$ : Y  $\rightarrow$  X is  $\psi$ g\*-continuous
- b) f is a  $\psi g^*$ -open map
- c) f is a  $\psi g^*$ -closed map.

## **Proof:**

(a) ==> (b): Let G be any open set in X.

Since  $f^{-1}$  is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous, f(G) is  $\psi g^*$ -open in Y. So, f is a  $\psi g^*$ -open map.

## (b) ==> (c):

Let F be any closed set in X. Then  $F^c$  is open in X. Since f is  $\psi g^*$ -open,  $f(F^c)$  is  $\psi g^*$ -open in Y. So f(F) is  $\psi g^*$ -closed in Y. Therefore, f is a  $\psi g^*$ -closed map.

### (c) ==> (a):

Let F be any closed set in X. Since f is a  $\psi g^*$ -closed map, f(F) is closed in Y. So  $(f^{-1})^{-1}$  (F) is closed in Y. Therefore, f<sup>-1</sup> is  $\psi g^*$ -continuous.

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