



## On $\psi gs$ -Functions in Bitopological Spaces

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**Abstract.** A subset  $A$  of a bitopological space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is called an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi gs$ -closed set if  $(i, j)\text{-}\psi cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $U$  is  $(i, j)$ -semi-open in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . In this work, the properties of this set are considered to investigate the concepts of  $\psi gs$ -functions in bitopological spaces. Specifically, this study establishes some properties and provides characterizations of  $\psi gs$ -open and  $\psi gs$ -closed functions,  $\psi gs$ -continuous functions, and  $\psi gs$ -irresolute functions in bitopological spaces.

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### 1. Introduction

Topology is a branch of mathematics that studies geometric properties and spatial relations unaffected by the continuous changes in the shape or size of objects. A topological space is a set equipped with a topology, which is a collection of open sets satisfying certain axioms related to union, intersection, and inclusion of sets.

To deepen the understanding and extend the scope of topological concepts, the notion of bitopological spaces was introduced. A bitopological space is a generalization of topological spaces, where two different topologies are defined on the same underlying set. For instance,  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is a bitopological space where  $X$  is a nonempty set and  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$  are two different topologies.

Many concepts have been investigated in bitopological spaces. One of these is the concept of functions. Functions in bitopological spaces refer to the mappings between two bitopological spaces. For instance,  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is a function in bitopological spaces where  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  are two bitopological spaces. Important functions in bitopological spaces include open and closed functions, continuous functions, and irresolute functions.

Over the years, many researchers have introduced different types of functions in bitopological spaces. Noiri and Popa in [7] studied some properties of weakly open functions in

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bitopological spaces and obtained further characterizations. Subsequently, the properties and characterizations of weakly  $\beta$ -continuous functions in bitopological spaces were investigated by Tahiliani [10]. In 2012, Mukundhan and Nagaveni in [6] introduced and studied two new types of functions in bitopological spaces called  $(i, j)$ -quasi semi weakly  $g^*$ -open and  $(i, j)$ -quasi semi weakly  $g^*$ -closed functions. They investigated some properties and proved equivalent statements. In the same year, Khedr and Al-Saadi in [3] introduced and investigated the notions of a new class of  $g$ -closed functions and a class of semi-generalized closed functions in bitopological spaces. They further studied the properties of generalized semi closed and semi-generalized closed functions in bitopological spaces. In 2014, Mahmood and Hamdi in [4] created a special type of open and closed functions in bitopological spaces, namely quasi  $(1, 2)^*$   $b$ -open functions and quasi  $(1, 2)^*$   $b$ -closed functions. They gave some properties and equivalent statements of these concepts. In 2017, Sarma in [9] introduced the notion of weakly  $b$ -open functions in bitopological spaces, established some properties of this function, and investigated the relationships with some other types of spaces. Additionally, another type of function has been studied by Kadham and Hassan in [2] namely, the  $\lambda$ -continuous function. Furthermore, a generalization of  $\lambda$ -continuous functions in bitopological spaces called weakly  $\lambda$ -continuous functions, has been investigated by Moosa Meera, et. al in [5]. They studied several properties of weakly  $\lambda$ -continuous functions and obtained several characterizations. In 2021, Sivanthi and Leevathi in [8] introduced  $rg$ -continuous functions and  $rg$ -irresolute functions using  $rg$ -closed sets and characterized some of their properties. Recently, Atewi et.al in [1] introduced the concepts of  $\omega$ -continuous functions in bitopological spaces and further characterized these concepts.

With all these concepts in mind, the author is motivated to define and introduce  $(i, j)$ - $\psi g s$ -open and  $(i, j)$ - $\psi g s$ -closed functions,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi g s$ -continuous functions, and  $(i, j)$ - $\psi g s$ -irresolute functions using  $(i, j)$ - $\psi g s$ -closed sets in bitopological spaces, and intends to investigate its properties and characterizations.

The findings of this study could serve as a resource for future research and possible applications. This may encourage other mathematics enthusiasts to discover more results and establish new research directions for further study.

## 2. Preliminaries

A collection  $\tau$  of subsets of a nonempty set  $X$  is a *topology* on  $X$  if it satisfies the conditions: (i)  $\emptyset, X \in \tau$ , (ii)  $\{M_\omega : \omega \in \Omega\} \subseteq \tau$  implies  $\cup_{\omega \in \Omega} M_\omega \in \tau$ , and (iii)  $A, B \in \tau$  implies  $A \cap B \in \tau$ . If  $\tau$  is a topology on  $X$ , then  $(X, \tau)$  is called a *topological space*, and the elements of  $\tau$  are called  $\tau$ -*open* (or simply open) sets. A subset  $F$  of  $X$  is said to be  $\tau$ -*closed* (or simply closed) if its complement  $X \setminus F$  is open. The *interior* of  $A$ , denoted by  $int(A)$ , is the union of all open sets contained in  $A$ . That is,  $int(A) = \bigcup \{O \in \tau : O \subseteq A\}$ . The *closure* of  $A$ , denoted by  $cl(A)$ , is the intersection of all closed sets containing  $A$ . That is,  $cl(A) = \bigcap \{F \subseteq X : F \text{ is closed and } A \subseteq F\}$ .

A set  $X$  endowed with two topologies,  $\tau_1$  and  $\tau_2$ , is called a *bitopological space* (abbreviated as BTS) and denoted as  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . An open set in a BTS is denoted by  $\tau_i$ -*open*,

where  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ . The *interior* and *closure* of a subset  $A$  of  $X$  in a BTS are written as  $int_i(A)$  and  $cl_i(A)$ , respectively.

The following definitions in BTS, as introduced in [11], are pertinent to this study.

**Definition 1.** A subset  $A$  of a bitopological space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is called  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$  *generalized semi-closed* (briefly,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed) set if  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ cl( $A$ )  $\subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $U$  is  $(i, j)$ -semi-open in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ ,  $i, j \in \{1, 2\}$  and  $i \neq j$ .

**Definition 2.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . An element  $x \in A$  is called  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-*interior point* of  $A$  if there exists an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set  $O$  such that  $x \in O \subseteq A$ . The set of all  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-interior points of  $A$  is called the  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-*interior* of  $A$  and is denoted by  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-int( $A$ ).

**Definition 3.** Let  $A \subseteq X$ . Then  $x \in X$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-*adherent* to  $A$  if  $V \cap A \neq \emptyset$  for every  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set  $V$  containing  $x$ . The set of all  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-adherent points of  $A$  is called the  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-*closure* of  $A$  and is denoted by  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-cl( $A$ ).

The following results from [11] are crucial for demonstrating certain findings in this study.

**Corollary 1.** Let  $(Y, \sigma_i)$  be a topological space and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be a bitopological space. Then every  $\sigma_i$ -closed set is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set.

**Remark 1.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space and  $A, B \subseteq X$ . Then the following hold:

- (i)  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-int( $A$ )  $\subseteq A$ ;
- (ii)  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-int( $A$ ) is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set; and
- (iii) If  $B \subseteq A$  such that  $B$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set, then  $B \subseteq (i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-int( $A$ ).

**Theorem 1.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . A set  $A$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set, if and only if  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-int( $A$ ) =  $A$ .

**Remark 2.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space and  $A, B \subseteq X$ . Then the following hold:

- (i)  $A \subseteq (i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-cl( $A$ );
- (ii)  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-cl( $A$ ) is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set; and
- (iii) If  $A \subseteq B$  such that  $B$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set, then  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-cl( $A$ )  $\subseteq B$ .

**Theorem 2.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . A set  $A$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set, if and only if  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-cl( $A$ ) =  $A$ .

### 3. $\psi$ gs-open function in BTS

In this section  $\psi$ gs-open function is introduced in BTS and some of its properties are investigated.

**Definition 4.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is said to be an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ -generalized semi open (briefly,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open) function if for every  $\tau_i$ -open set  $A$  in  $X$ ,  $f(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$ , where  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

**Theorem 3.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function if and only if for every  $\tau_i$ -open set  $A$  in  $X$

$$f(\text{int}_i(A)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(f(A)).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function and  $A$  be  $\tau_i$ -open in  $X$ . It follows that  $f(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$  where  $i, j \in \{1, 2\}$ . Since  $A$  is  $\tau_i$ -open,  $\text{int}_i(A) = A$ , and so  $f(\text{int}_i(A)) = f(A)$ . Note that  $f(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set, it follows that

$$(i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(f(A)) = f(A),$$

and hence  $f(\text{int}_i(A)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(f(A))$ . Conversely, suppose

$$f(\text{int}_i(A)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(f(A))$$

and let  $A$  be  $\tau_i$ -open set in  $X$ . Then  $\text{int}_i(A) = A$ , and so  $f(\text{int}_i(A)) = f(A)$ . It follows that,  $(i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(f(A)) = f(A)$ . Thus,  $f(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set by Theorem 1. Hence, by Definition 4,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function.  $\square$

**Theorem 4.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function if and only if for any subset  $B$  of  $Y$  and for any  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $A$  of  $X$  containing  $f^{-1}(B)$  there exists an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set  $C$  of  $Y$  containing  $B$  such that  $f^{-1}(C) \subseteq A$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function,  $B \subseteq Y$ , and  $A$  be  $\tau_i$ -closed set of  $X$  containing  $f^{-1}(B)$ . Take  $C = Y \setminus f(X \setminus A)$  and note that  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq A$ . These imply that  $B \subseteq C$ . Since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function and  $X \setminus A$  is  $\tau_i$ -open set,  $f(X \setminus A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open in  $Y$ . Hence  $C$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set of  $Y$ . Moreover,  $f^{-1}(C) \subseteq A$ . Conversely, let  $G$  be  $\tau_i$ -open set in  $X$ . Take  $B = Y \setminus f(G)$ . Then  $X \setminus G$  is  $\tau_i$ -closed set in  $X$  such that  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq X \setminus G$ . By hypothesis, there exists  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set  $C$  of  $Y$  containing  $B$  such that  $f^{-1}(C) \subseteq X \setminus G$ . Thus,  $f(G) \subseteq Y \setminus C$ . Note that  $B \subseteq C$ , and so  $Y \setminus C \subseteq Y \setminus B = f(G)$ . Now,  $f(G) \subseteq Y \setminus C$  and  $Y \setminus C \subseteq f(G)$ . Hence,  $f(G) = Y \setminus C$ , which is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$ . Therefore,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function.  $\square$

**Theorem 5.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ ,  $(Y, \mu_1, \mu_2)$ , and  $(Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be three bitopological spaces. If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $\tau_i$ -open function and  $g : (Y, \mu_1, \mu_2) \rightarrow (Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function, then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function.

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $\tau_i$ -open function. Then  $f(A)$  is  $\tau_i$ -open in  $Y$  for every  $\tau_i$ -open set  $A$  in  $X$ . Since  $g$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function, it follows that  $g(f(A)) = (g \circ f)(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Z$ . Hence  $g \circ f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function.  $\square$

#### 4. $\psi$ gs-closed function in BTS

In this section  $\psi$ gs-closed function is presented in BTS and some of its properties are explored.

**Definition 5.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is said to be an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ -generalized semi closed (briefly,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed) function if for every  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $H$  in  $X$ ,  $f(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ , where  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

**Theorem 6.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces and  $H \subseteq X$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function if and only if for every  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $H$  in  $X$

$$f(cl_i(H)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(f(H)).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function. It follows that  $f(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$  for every  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $H$  in  $X$ . Since  $H$  is  $\tau_i$ -closed,  $cl_i(H) = H$ , and so  $f(cl_i(H)) = f(H)$ . Also, since  $f(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set,  $(i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(f(H)) = f(H)$ , and hence  $f(cl_i(H)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(f(H))$ . Conversely, suppose

$$f(cl_i(H)) = (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(f(H))$$

for every  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $H$  in  $X$ . Then  $cl_i(H) = H$ , and so  $f(cl_i(H)) = f(H)$ . It follows that,  $(i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(f(H)) = f(H)$ . Thus,  $f(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set by Theorem 2. Consequently, by Definition 5,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function.  $\square$

**Theorem 7.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ ,  $(Y, \mu_1, \mu_2)$ , and  $(Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be three bitopological spaces. If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $\tau_i$ -closed function and  $g : (Y, \mu_1, \mu_2) \rightarrow (Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function, then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Z, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function.

*Proof.* Suppose  $f$  be  $\tau_i$ -closed function. Then  $f(H)$  is  $\tau_i$ -closed in  $Y$  for every  $\tau_i$ -closed set  $H$  in  $X$ . Since  $g$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function,  $g(f(H))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Z$ . Hence  $g \circ f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function.  $\square$

#### 5. $\psi$ gs-continuous function in BTS

In this section  $\psi$ gs-continuous function is defined in BTS and some of its properties are established. Moreover, equivalent statements involving  $\psi$ gs-continuous function,  $\psi$ gs-open, and  $\psi$ gs-closed functions are provided.

**Definition 6.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is said to be an  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$  generalized semi continuous (briefly,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous) function if the inverse image of each  $\sigma_i$ -closed set in  $Y$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ , where  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

**Theorem 8.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces and  $A \subseteq X$ . If a function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous, then

$$f((i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(A)) \subseteq cl_i(f(A)).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then  $f(A) \subseteq Y$ . Note that  $f(A) \subseteq cl_i(f(A))$ , and so  $A \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_i(f(A)))$ . Also, note that  $cl_i(f(A))$  is  $\sigma_i$ -closed in  $Y$ , and so  $f^{-1}(cl_i(f(A)))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ . Since  $A \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_i(f(A)))$  and  $f^{-1}(cl_i(f(A)))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set,  $(i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_i(f(A)))$ , by Remark 2(iii). Thus,  $f((i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-cl}(A)) \subseteq cl_i(f(A))$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 9.** A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous in BTS if and only if the inverse image of every  $\mu_i$ -open set in  $Y$  is a  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function and  $G$  be  $\mu_i$ -open set in  $Y$ . Then  $Y \setminus G$  is  $\mu_i$ -closed set in  $Y$ . By assumption,  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus G) = X \setminus f^{-1}(G)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ . Hence,  $f^{-1}(G)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ . Conversely, let  $B$  be  $\mu_i$ -open set in  $Y$  such that  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ . Then  $X \setminus f^{-1}(B) = f^{-1}(Y \setminus B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$  for every  $\mu_i$ -closed set  $Y \setminus B$  in  $Y$ . Hence  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function.  $\square$

**Theorem 10.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces and  $A \subseteq X$ . If a function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous, then

$$int_i(f(B)) \subseteq f((i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(B)).$$

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function and  $B \subseteq X$ . Then  $f(B) \subseteq Y$ . Now,  $int_i(f(B)) \subseteq f(B)$ , and so  $f^{-1}(int_i(f(B))) \subseteq B$ . Note that  $int_i(f(B))$  is  $\sigma_i$ -open in  $Y$ , and so  $f^{-1}(int_i(f(B)))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$  by Theorem 9. Since  $f^{-1}(int_i(f(B))) \subseteq B$  and  $f^{-1}(int_i(f(B)))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set,  $f^{-1}(int_i(f(B))) \subseteq (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(B)$  by Remark 1(iii). Thus,

$$int_i(f(B)) \subseteq f((i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-int}(B)).$$

$\square$

**Theorem 11.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. Then the following statements are equivalent.

- (i)  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function;
- (ii)  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function; and

(iii)  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function.

*Proof.*

(i)  $\implies$  (ii): Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function. We want to show that  $f^{-1} : (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow (X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function. Now, let  $A$  be  $\sigma_i$ -open set in  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function, by Theorem 9,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ . Hence  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function.

(ii)  $\implies$  (iii): Suppose  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function and  $B$  a  $\sigma_i$ -closed in  $Y$ . Then  $Y \setminus B$  is  $\sigma_i$ -open in  $Y$ , and so  $X \setminus f^{-1}(B) = f^{-1}(Y \setminus B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$  since  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open function. It follows that  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ , and thus  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function.

(iii)  $\implies$  (i): Assume  $f^{-1}$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed function and  $C$  be  $\sigma_i$ -closed set in  $Y$ . Then, by assumption,  $f^{-1}(C)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ . Thus, by Definition 6,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function.  $\square$

## 6. $\psi$ gs-irresolute function in BTS

In this section, the  $\psi$ gs-irresolute function is introduced and defined within BTS, with several of its properties established. Furthermore, a characterization of the  $\psi$ gs-irresolute function is presented.

**Definition 7.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is said to be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$  generalized semi irresolute (briefly,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute) function if the inverse image of each  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ , where  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ .

**Theorem 12.** A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute in BTS if and only if the inverse image of every  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$  is a  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function and let  $H$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$ . Then  $Y \setminus H$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ . By assumption,  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus H) = X \setminus f^{-1}(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed in  $X$ . Hence,  $f^{-1}(H)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ . Conversely, let  $B$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ . Then,  $Y \setminus B$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$ . Since the inverse image of every  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $Y$  is a  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open set in  $X$ ,  $f^{-1}(Y \setminus B) = X \setminus f^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open in  $X$ . Thus,  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed in  $X$ , consequently,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function.  $\square$

**Theorem 13.** Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be two bitopological spaces. If a function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute, then  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous.

*Proof.* Let  $f$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function and  $A$  be  $\sigma_i$ -closed set in  $Y$ . By Corollary 1,  $A$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ . Therefore,  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous.  $\square$

**Theorem 14.** *If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  and  $g : (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  are  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute functions, then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute.*

*Proof.* Let  $A$  be  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Z$ . Since  $g$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function,  $g^{-1}(A)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ . Moreover,  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(A))$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$  since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function. Note that  $(g \circ f)^{-1}(A) = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(A))$ . Therefore,  $g \circ f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute.  $\square$

**Theorem 15.** *If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  and  $g : (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  are  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute functions, then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous.*

*Proof.* Let  $B$  be  $\mu_i$ -closed set in  $Z$ . By Corollary 1,  $B$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Z$ . Since  $g$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function,  $g^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$ . Also, since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function,  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(B)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(B)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$ . Therefore,  $g \circ f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous.  $\square$

**Theorem 16.** *If a function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function and  $g : (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function, then*

$$g \circ f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Z, \mu_1, \mu_2) \text{ is } (i, j)\text{-}\psi\text{gs-continuous.}$$

*Proof.* Let  $V$  be  $\mu_i$ -closed set in  $Z$ . Then  $g^{-1}(V)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $Y$  since  $g$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous function. It follows that  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(V)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(V)$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed set in  $X$  since  $f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute function. Therefore,  $g \circ f$  is  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous.  $\square$

## 7. Conclusion

In this paper, the author defined and introduced  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-open and  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed functions,  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-continuous functions, and  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-irresolute functions using  $(i, j)$ - $\psi$ gs-closed sets in bitopological spaces. The properties and characterizations of these functions were investigated in detail. The results of this study are purely theoretical; therefore, further research into the practical applications of these findings is recommended.

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