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# Generalized $w$ closed sets in biweak structure spaces

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## Abstract

As a generalization of the classes of  $gw$ closed (resp.  $gw$ open,  $sgw$ closed) sets in a weak structure space  $(X, w)$ , the notions of  $ij$ -generalized  $w$ closed (resp.  $ij$ -generalized  $w$ open,  $ij$ -strongly generalized  $w$ closed) sets in a biweak structure space  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  are introduced. In terms of these concepts, new forms of continuous function between biweak spaces are constructed. Additionally, the concepts of  $ij$ - $w$ normal,  $ij$ - $g$  $w$ normal,  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ , and  $ij$ - $w^{\sigma}T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  spaces are studied and several characterizations of them are acquired.

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## Introduction

In recent years, many researchers studied bitopological, bigeneralized, biminimal, and biweak spaces due to the richness of their structure and potential for doing a generous area for the generalization of topological results in bitopological environment. The concept of a bitopological space was built by Kelly [1], and thereafter, an abundant number of manuscripts was done to generalize the topological notions to bitopological setting. Fukutake [2] presented the concept of generalized closed sets and in bitopological spaces. The notion has been studied extensively in recent years by many topologists. Csaszar and Makai Jr. proposed the concept of bigeneralized topology [3]. In 2010, Boonpok [4, 5] provided the concept of bigeneralized topological spaces and biminimal structure spaces, respectively. Csaszar [6] defined the concept of weak structure which is weaker than a supra topology, a generalized topology, and a minimal structure and then offered various properties of it. Ekici [7] have investigated further properties and the main rules of the weak structure space. In order to extend many of the important properties of  $w$ closed sets to a larger family, Zahran et al. [8] characterized the concepts of generalized closed and generalized open sets in weak structures and achieved a number of properties of these concepts. As a generalization of bitopological spaces, bigeneralized topological spaces, and biminimal structure spaces, Puiwong et al. [9] in 2017 defined a new space, which is known as biweak structure. The concept of biweak structure can substitute in

many situations, biminimal structures and bigeneralized topology. A new space consists of a nonempty set  $X$  equipped with two arbitrary weak structures  $w_1, w_2$  on  $X$ . A triple  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called a biweak structure space (in short, biwss).

The interior (resp. closure) of a subset  $A$  with respect to  $w_j$  are denoted by  $int_{w_j}(A)$  (resp.  $cl_{w_j}(A)$ ), for  $(j = 1, 2)$ . A subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called  $ij$ -wclosed if  $cl_{w_i}(cl_{w_j}(A))=A$ , where  $i, j= 1$  or  $2$  and  $i \neq j$ . The complement of an  $ij$ -wclosed set is called  $ij$ -wopen.

The concepts of generalized closed sets in weak structures [8] and biweak structure spaces [9] motivated us to define a new class of sets which is called generalized wclosed sets in a biweak structure space which are found to be effective in the study of digital topology. The purpose of this article is introducing the notions of  $ij$ -generalized wclosed (written henceforth as  $ij$ -gwclosed),  $ij$ -generalized wopen (written henceforth as  $ij$ -gwopen), and  $ij$ -strongly generalized wclosed ( $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed, for short) sets in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  as a generalization of the concept of gwclosed, gwopen, and  $\sigma$ gwclosed sets, respectively, in a weak structure space  $(X, w)$  which presented in [8] and determining some of their behaviors. In terms of  $ij$ -gwclosed and  $ij$ -gwopen sets, new forms of continuous function between biweak spaces are constructed. Additionally, we try to extend the concepts of separation axioms on weak structures [8] to biwss and study some of their features. Some considerable results in articles [2, 8, 10] can be treated as particular cases of our outcomes.

### Preliminaries

To prepare this article as self-contained as possible, we recollect the next definitions and results which are due to various references [8, 9, 11].

**Definition 1** [8] *Let  $w$  be a weak structure on  $X$ . Then,*

- (1) *A subset  $A$  is called generalized wclosed (gwclosed, for short) if  $cl_w(A) \subseteq U$ , whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is wopen.*
- (2) *The complement of a generalized wclosed set is called generalized wopen (gwopen, for short), i.e, a subset  $A$  is gwopen if and only if  $int_w(A) \supseteq F$ , whenever  $A \supseteq F$  and  $F$  is wclosed.*

*The family of all gwclosed (resp. gwopen) sets in a weak structure  $X$  will be denoted by  $GWC(X)$  (resp.  $GWO(X)$ ).*

**Definition 2** [11] *Let  $w$  and  $w^*$  be weak structures on  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively. A function  $f : (X, w) \rightarrow (Y, w^*)$  is called  $(w, w^*)$ -continuous if for  $x \in X$  and  $w^*$  open set  $V$  containing  $f(x)$ , there is wopen set  $U$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .*

**Theorem 1** [11] *Let  $w$  and  $w^*$  be weak structures on  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively. For a function  $f : (X, w) \rightarrow (Y, w^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent:*

- (1)  *$f$  is  $(w, w^*)$ -continuous,*
- (2)  *$f^{-1}(B) = int_w(f^{-1}(B))$ , for every  $w^*$  open set  $B$  in  $Y$ ,*
- (3)  *$f(cl_w(A)) \subseteq cl_{w^*}(f(A))$ , for every set  $A$  in  $X$ ,*
- (4)  *$cl_w(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{w^*}(B))$ , for every set  $B$  in  $Y$ ,*
- (5)  *$f^{-1}(int_{w^*}(B)) \subseteq int_w(f^{-1}(B))$ , for every set  $B$  in  $Y$ ,*

(6)  $cl_w(f^{-1}(F)) = f^{-1}(F)$ , for every  $w^*$  closed set  $F$  in  $Y$ .

**Theorem 2** [9] *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss and  $A$  be a subset of  $X$ . Then, the following are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $ij$ -wclosed,
- (2)  $A = cl_{w_i}(A)$  and  $A = cl_{w_j}(A)$ ,
- (3)  $A = cl_{w_j}(cl_{w_i}(A))$ , where  $i, j = 1$  or  $2$  and  $i \neq j$ .

**Proposition 1** [9] *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then,  $A$  is a  $ij$ -wclosed set, if  $A$  is both  $w_i$ closed and  $w_j$ closed, where  $i, j = 1$  or  $2$  and  $i \neq j$ .*

**Proposition 2** [9] *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss. If  $A_\alpha$  is  $ij$ -wclosed for all  $\alpha \in \Lambda \neq \emptyset$ , then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha$  is  $ij$ -wclosed and the union of two  $ij$ -wclosed sets is not a  $ij$ -wclosed set, where  $i, j = 1$  or  $2$  and  $i \neq j$ .*

In the rest of this article  $i, j$  will stand for fixed integers in the set  $\{1, 2\}$  and  $i \neq j$ .

**On  $ij$ -gwclosed sets**

In this part, a new family of sets called  $ij$ -generalized wclosed (briefly,  $ij$ -gwclosed) is presented and its properties are investigated.

**Definition 3** *A subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called  $ij$ -generalized wclosed ( $ij$ -gwclosed, for short) if  $cl_{w_j}(A) \subseteq U$ , whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $w_i$ open. The complement of  $ij$ -gwclosed set is called  $ij$ -gwopen.*

*The family of all  $ij$ -gwclosed (resp.  $ij$ -gwopen) sets in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  will be denoted by  $ij$ -GWC( $X$ ) (resp.  $ij$ -GWO( $X$ )).*

**Remark 1** *If  $A \in ij$ -GWC( $X$ )  $\cap$   $ji$ -GWC( $X$ ), then a subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called pairwise gwclosed and its complement is pairwise gwopen.*

**Example 1** *Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{1, 2\}\}$ , and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{3\}\}$ . A set  $\{3\}$  is pairwise gwclosed.*

Certainly, the next theorems are obtained:

**Theorem 3** *A subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ -gwopen iff  $int_{w_j}(A) \supseteq F$ , whenever  $A \supseteq F$  and  $F$  is  $w_i$ closed.*

**Theorem 4** *If  $A$  is an  $ij$ -gwclosed and  $w_i$ open set in  $(X, w_1, w_2)$ , then  $A = cl_{w_j}(A)$ .*

**Theorem 5** *Every  $w_j$ closed set in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ -gwclosed.*

*Proof* Let  $A$  be a  $w_j$ closed set and  $U$  be a  $w_i$ open set in  $X$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ . Then,  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$ . It implies that  $A \in ij$ -GWC( $X$ ). □

**Corollary 1** *If  $A$  is a  $w_j$ open set in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$ , then  $A \in ij$ -GWO( $X$ ).*

**Remark 2** By the following example, we have a tendency to show that the converse of Theorem 5 is not always true.

**Example 2** In Example 1, a set  $\{2\}$  is 12-gwclosed and not  $w_2$ closed.

**Proposition 3** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss. Then,

- (1) If  $X \in w_i$  and each  $w_i$  open set is  $w_i$ closed, then,  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , for each  $A \subset X$ .
- (2)  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , for each  $A \subset X$  iff  $cl_{w_i}U = U$  for each  $w_i$  open set  $U$ .

*Proof* We prove only (2) and the rest of the proof is simple. Suppose that  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , for each  $A \subset X$ . Then, every  $w_i$ open set  $U$ ,  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ . If  $U \subseteq U$ , hence  $cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq U$ . Thus,  $cl_{w_i}(U) = U$ , for each  $w_i$ open set  $U$ . Conversely, suppose that  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  be a  $w_i$ open set. Then,  $cl_{w_i}(A) \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U)$ . From assumption,  $cl_{w_i}(A) \subseteq U$  and so  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ . □

**Remark 3** In the biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$ , the converse of the Proposition 3(1) need not be true in general as shown by the next example.

**Example 3** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{1, 3\}\}$ , and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}$ . One may notice that every subset of  $X$  is 12-gwclosed, but  $A = \{2\}$  is a  $w_1$ open set in  $X$  and it is not  $w_2$ closed.

**Remark 4** In general,  $21\text{-GWC}(X) \neq 12\text{-GWC}(X)$  as in Example 3.

**Proposition 4** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss. If  $w_1 \subseteq w_2$ , then  $21\text{-GWC}(X) \subseteq 12\text{-GWC}(X)$ .

*Proof* Straightforward. □

The converse of the Proposition 4 is not true as seen from the next example.

**Example 4** In Example 3, then  $21\text{-GWC}(X) \subseteq 12\text{-GWC}(X)$ , but  $w_1 \not\subseteq w_2$ .

Now, one can conclude attitudes relative to the union as well as the intersection of two  $ij$ -gwclosed sets in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$ .

**Example 5** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{3\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 3, 4\}, \{1, 2, 4\}\}$  and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{2, 3, 4\}\}$ . Let us consider  $A = \{2\}$  and  $B = \{3\}$ . Note that  $A$  and  $B$  are 21-gwclosed sets but its union is not 21-gwclosed.

**Example 6** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{3\}\}$  and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{1\}\}$ . Consider two 21-gwclosed sets  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and  $B = \{1, 3\}$ , then  $A \cap B = \{1\}$  is not 21-gwclosed.

**Theorem 6** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss and  $cl_{w_i}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ . Then, the family of all  $ij$ -gwclosed sets is a biminimal structure in  $X$ .

*Proof* Obvious. □

**Theorem 7** Suppose  $X \in w_i$ . Then,  $\{x\}$  is  $w_i$ closed or  $X \setminus \{x\} \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , for each  $x \in X$ .

*Proof* Suppose that the singleton  $\{x\}$  is not  $w_i$ closed for some  $x \in X$ . Then,  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is not  $w_i$ open. Since  $X$  is  $w_i$ open set and  $X \setminus \{x\} \subseteq X$ . Hence,  $X \setminus \{x\} \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 8** *If  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$  contains no nonempty  $w_i$ closed.*

*Proof* For an  $ij$ -gwclosed set  $A$ , let  $S$  be a nonempty  $w_i$ closed set s.t.  $S \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$ . Then,  $S \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A)$  and  $S \subseteq X \setminus A$ . Since  $X \setminus S$  is  $w_i$ open and  $A$  is  $ij$ -gwclosed, then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \subseteq X \setminus S$  or  $S \subseteq X \setminus cl_{w_j}(A)$ . Thus,  $S = \emptyset$ . Therefore,  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$  does not contain nonempty  $w_i$ closed.  $\square$

**Remark 5** *In general, the converse of Theorem 8 is not true as shown in the next example.*

**Example 7** *In Example 6, if  $A = \{1\}$ , then  $c_{w_1}(A) \setminus A = \{2\}$ . So we know that there is no any nonempty  $w_2$ closed contained in  $c_{w_1}(A) \setminus A$ . But  $A \notin 21\text{-GWC}(X)$ .*

It thus follows from Theorem 8 that

**Corollary 2** *If  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$  and  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$  is a  $w_i$ closed set, then  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$ .*

**Remark 6** *If  $A$  is an  $ij$ -gwclosed set in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  and  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$  need not to be  $w_i$ closed as shown by the following example.*

**Example 8** *Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{2\}\}$ , and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}\}$ . If  $A = \{2\}$ , one may notice that  $c_{w_2}(A) = A$  and hence  $c_{w_2}(A) \setminus A = \emptyset$ , which is not  $w_1$ closed.*

**Theorem 9** *If  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$ .*

*Proof* Let  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$  and  $F$  be a  $w_i$ closed set s.t.  $F \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$ . Then, by Theorem 8, we have  $F = \emptyset$  and hence  $F \subseteq int_{w_j}(cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A)$ . So by Theorem 3, we have  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$ .  $\square$

**Remark 7** *The converse of the Theorem 9 need not to be true in general as shown by the following example.*

**Example 9** *In Example 6. If  $A = \{1\}$ , one may notice that  $cl_{w_1}(A) \setminus A \in 21\text{-GWO}(X)$ , but  $A \notin 21\text{-GWC}(X)$ .*

**Theorem 10** *If  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$  and  $A \subseteq B \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A)$ , then  $B \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ .*

*Proof* Let  $U$  be any  $w_i$ open set s.t.  $B \subseteq U$ . Since  $A \subseteq B$  and  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \subseteq U$ . Since  $B \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A)$ , then we have  $cl_{w_j}(B) \subseteq cl_{w_j}cl_{w_j}(A) = cl_{w_j}(A) \subseteq U$ . Consequently  $B \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 3** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss. Then,*

- (1) *If  $A \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$  and  $int_{w_j}(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$ , then,  $B \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$ .*
- (2)  *$cl_{w_j}(A) \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$  if  $A \in ij\text{-GWC}(X)$ .*
- (3)  *$int_{w_j}(A) \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$  if  $A \in ij\text{-GWO}(X)$ .*

In view of Theorems 8 and 10, the next theorem is valid.

**Theorem 11** *Let  $A$  be an  $ij$ -gwclosed set with  $A \subseteq B \subseteq cl_{w_j}(A)$ , then,  $cl_{w_j}(B) \setminus B$  does not contain nonempty  $w_i$ -closed.*

**Theorem 12** *If  $A$  is an  $ij$ -gwopen set in  $X$ , then  $U=X$  whenever  $U$  is  $w_i$ -open and  $int_{w_j}(A) \cup (X \setminus A) \subseteq U$ .*

*Proof* Let  $U$  be a  $w_i$ -open set in  $X$  and  $int_{w_j}(A) \cup (X \setminus A) \subseteq U$  for any  $ij$ -gwopen set  $A$ . Then,  $X \setminus U \subseteq (X - int_{w_j}(A)) \cap A$  and so  $X \setminus U \subseteq cl_{w_j}(X \setminus A) \setminus (X \setminus A)$ . Since  $X \setminus A$  is  $ij$ -gwclosed, then by Theorem 8, we have  $X \setminus U = \emptyset$  and hence  $U = X$ . □

**Definition 4** *If  $cl_{w_j}(\cup_{\alpha} A_{\alpha}) = \cup_{\alpha} cl_{w_j}(A_{\alpha})$ , for  $(j = 1, 2)$ , then a family  $\{A_{\alpha} \mid \alpha \in \Delta\}$  is called  $w_j$ -locally finite.*

**Theorem 13** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a biwss. If the family  $\{A_{\alpha} \mid \alpha \in \Delta\}$  is  $w_j$ -locally finite, then the arbitrary union of  $ij$ -gwclosed sets  $A_{\alpha}$ ,  $\alpha \in \Delta$  is an  $ij$ -gwclosed set.*

*Proof* Direct to prove. □

In the next definition, as an application of  $ji$ -gwopen sets, we offer a new type of sets namely  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed sets.

**Definition 5** *A subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called  $ij$ -strongly generalized wclosed (briefly,  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed), if  $cl_{w_j}(A) \subseteq U$ , whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $ji$ -gwopen. The complement of  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed set is called  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen.*

*The family of all  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed (resp.  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen) sets in a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  will be denoted by  $ij$ - $\sigma$   $GWC(X)$  (resp.  $ij$ - $\sigma$   $GWO(X)$ ).*

**Remark 8** *If  $A \in ij$ - $\sigma$   $GWC(X) \cap ji$ - $\sigma$   $GWC(X)$ , then a subset  $A$  of a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called pairwise  $\sigma$ gwclosed and its complement is called pairwise  $\sigma$ gwopen.*

For brevity the proof of the next proposition is omitted.

**Proposition 5** *In a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$ , we have the following relation:*

$$w_j\text{-closed set} \Rightarrow ij\text{-}\sigma\text{gwclosed set} \Rightarrow ij\text{-gwclosed set.}$$

**Remark 9** *The converse of Proposition 5 is not true as can be seen from the next example.*

**Example 10** *In Example 6, one may notice that  $\{4\}$  is  $21$ -gwclosed set, but it is not  $21$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed.*

**Example 11** *In Example 8. One may notice that,  $\{2\}$  is  $12$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed set, but it is not  $w_2$ -closed.*

**Theorem 14** *If  $A \in ji$ - $GWO(X) \cap ij$ - $\sigma$   $GWC(X)$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$*

*Proof* Straightforward. □

**Theorem 15** *Let  $cl_{w_i}\emptyset = \emptyset$ . Then,  $\{x\} \in ji$ - $GWC(X)$  or  $X \setminus \{x\} \in ij$ - $\sigma$   $GWC(X)$ , for each  $x \in X$ .*

*Proof* Similar to Theorem 7. □

**Theorem 16** *If  $A \in ij\text{-}\sigma\text{GWC}(X)$ , then  $cl_{w_j}(A) \setminus A$  contains no nonempty  $ji\text{-}gw\text{closed}$ .*

*Proof* Similar to Theorem 8. □

**Separation axioms in biweak spaces**

By using  $ij\text{-}gw\text{closed}$ ,  $ij\text{-}gw\text{open}$  and  $ij\text{-}\sigma\text{gw}\text{closed}$  sets, we introduce and study the notions of  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$ ,  $ij\text{-}w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $ij\text{-}wn\text{ormal}$ , and  $ij\text{-}gwn\text{ormal}$  spaces.

**Definition 6** *Let  $cl_{w_j}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ . A biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called*

- (1)  $ij\text{-}wT_1$  *if for each distinct points  $x, y \in X$ , there exist a  $w_i$ -open set  $U$  and  $w_j$ -open set  $V$  s.t.  $x \in U, y \notin U$  and  $y \in V, x \notin V$ .*
- (2)  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  *if each  $ij\text{-}gw\text{closed}$  set  $A$  of  $X$ ,  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$ .*
- (3)  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  *if each  $ij\text{-}\sigma\text{gw}\text{closed}$  set  $A$  of  $X$ ,  $cl_{w_j}(A) = A$ .*

**Theorem 17** *A biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij\text{-}wT_1$  if every singleton in  $X$  is  $ij\text{-}w\text{closed}$ .*

*Proof* Let  $x, y \in X$  and  $x \neq y$ . Then,  $\{x\}, \{y\}$  are  $ij\text{-}w\text{closed}$  sets. From Theorem 1, we have  $x \notin cl_{w_i}(\{y\})$  and  $y \notin cl_{w_j}(\{x\})$ . Hence, there exist  $w_i$ -open set  $U$  containing  $x$  and  $w_j$ -open set  $V$  s.t.  $x \in U, y \notin U$ , and  $y \in V, x \notin V$ . Consequently,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is a  $ij\text{-}wT_1$  space. □

In view of Proposition 5, the class of  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  spaces properly contains the class of  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  spaces.

**Proposition 6** *Every  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space is  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$ .*

The following example supports that the converse of the Proposition 6 is not true in general.

**Example 12** *In Example 5,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is a  $21\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space but not  $21\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .*

**Theorem 18** *Let  $X$  be a  $w_i$ open set and  $int_{w_j}\{x\}$  is  $w_j$ open. A biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  iff  $\{x\}$  is  $w_i$ closed or  $\{x\} = int_{w_j}\{x\}$  for each  $x \in X$ .*

*Proof* Suppose that  $\{x\}$  is not  $w_i$ closed for some  $x \in X$ . Then, by using Theorem 7,  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is  $ij\text{-}gw\text{closed}$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ , then  $\{x\} = int_{w_j}\{x\}$ . On the other hand, let  $B$  be an  $ij\text{-}gw\text{closed}$  set. By assumption,  $\{x\}$  is  $w_i$ closed or  $\{x\} = int_{w_j}\{x\}$  for any  $x \in cl_{w_j}B$ .

Case (I): Suppose  $\{x\}$  is  $w_i$ closed. If  $x \notin B$ , then  $\{x\} \subseteq cl_{w_j}B \setminus B$ , which is a contradiction to Theorem 8. Hence  $x \in B$ .

Case (II): Suppose  $\{x\} = int_{w_j}\{x\}$  and  $x \in cl_{w_j}B$ . Since  $\{x\} \cap B \neq \emptyset$ , we have  $x \in B$ . Thus, in both cases, we conclude that  $cl_{w_j}B = B$ . Therefore,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. □

**Theorem 19** *Suppose  $cl_{w_i}\emptyset = \emptyset$ . If  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij\text{-}wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space, then  $\{x\}$  is  $ji\text{-}gw\text{closed}$  or  $\{x\} = int_{w_j}\{x\}$ , for each  $x \in X$ .*

*Proof* Follows directly from Theorem 15 and Definition 6. □

**Lemma 1** *If  $\{x\}$  is  $ji$ - $gw$ closed, then  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij$ - $w$ - $T_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space, for each  $x \in X$ .*

*Proof* Straightforward. □

**Definition 7** *A  $biwss$   $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called*

- (1) *Pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  if it is both  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $ji$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .*
- (2) *Pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  if it is both  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  and  $ji$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$ .*

**Proposition 7** *If  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is a pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then it is pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$ .*

*Proof* Uncomplicated. □

**Remark 10** *The converse of Proposition 7 is not true as can be seen from the next example.*

**Example 13** *Let  $X, w_1, w_2$  be as in Example 12. Then,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is also a  $21$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space, and therefore, it is a pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space. But  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is not a pairwise  $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space.*

**Definition 8** *A  $biwss$   $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called an  $ij$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  if  $ij$ - $GWC(X) = ij$ - $\sigma GWC(X)$ .*

**Proposition 8** *Every  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space is  $ij$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .*

*Proof* Obvious. □

**Remark 11** *The converse of Proposition 8 may not be applicable as we see in the next example.*

**Example 14** *Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ . Define weak structures  $w_1, w_2$  on  $X$  as follows:  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 4\}, \{2, 3, 4\}\}$  and  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}, \{3, 4\}, \{1, 3, 4\}\}$ . Then,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $12$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space but not  $12$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .*

**Remark 12**  *$ij$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  and  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  spaces are independent as may be seen from Example 15 and Example 16.*

**Example 15** *Let  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{1, 2\}\}$ ,  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{3\}, X\}$  be weak structures on  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$ , then  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is a  $12$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space but not  $12$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .*

**Example 16** *In Example 14,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $12$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ , but it is not  $12$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$ .*

**Theorem 20** *Let  $cl_{w_j}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ . A  $biwss$   $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  if and only if it is both  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  and  $ij$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space.*

*Proof* Suppose that  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. Then, by Propositions 6 and 8,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is both  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  and  $ij$ - $w^\sigma T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. Conversely, suppose that  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is both

$ij-wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\sigma}$  and  $ij-w^{\sigma}T_{\frac{1}{2}}$ . Let  $A \in ij-GWC(X)$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij-w^{\sigma}T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space,  $A \in ij-\sigma GWC(X)$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij-wT_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\sigma}$  space, then  $cl_{w_j}(A)=A$ . Therefore,  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij-wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ .  $\square$

**Definition 9** A *biwss*  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called *ij-wnormal* if for each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and  $w_j$ closed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there are  $w_j$ open set  $U$  and  $w_i$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$ , and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ .

**Theorem 21** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a *biwss*. Consider the following statements:

- (1)  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is *ij-wnormal*,
- (2) For each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and  $w_j$ open set  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $w_j$ open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ ,
- (3) For each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and each *ij-gw*closed set  $H$  with  $A \cap H = \emptyset$ , there exist  $w_j$ open set  $U$  and  $w_i$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $H \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ ,
- (4) For each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and *ij-gw*open  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $w_j$ open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .

Then, the implications (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) and (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) are hold.

*Proof* Obvious.  $\square$

**Theorem 22** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a *biwss*. If  $cl_{w_i}(A)$  is  $w_i$ closed for each  $w_j$ open or *ij-gw*closed, then the statements in Theorem 21 are equivalent.

*Proof* According to Theorem 21, we need to prove (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) and (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) only.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $A$  be a  $w_i$ closed set and  $B$  be a  $w_j$ closed set with  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ . Then,  $X \setminus B$  is a  $w_j$ open set with  $A \subseteq X \setminus B$ . Thus, by (2) there exists  $w_j$  open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq X \setminus B$ . Hence  $A \subseteq U$  and  $B \subseteq X \setminus cl_{w_i}(U)$ . Since  $cl_{w_i}(U)$  is  $w_i$ closed for each  $w_j$ open  $U$ , then  $X \setminus cl_{w_i}(U) = V$  is  $w_i$ open and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ . Hence  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is *ij-wnormal*.

(1)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $A$  be a  $w_i$ closed set and  $H$  be an *ij-gw*closed set with  $A \cap H = \emptyset$ . Then,  $H \subseteq X \setminus A$ . From Definition 3, we have  $cl_{w_j}(H) \subseteq X \setminus A$ . Since  $H$  is *ij-gw*closed, then  $cl_{w_j}(H)$  is  $w_j$ closed. Since  $A \cap cl_{w_j}(H) = \emptyset$ , then from (1) there exist  $w_j$ open set  $U$  and  $w_i$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $H \subseteq cl_{w_j}(H) \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 23** Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a *biwss*. Consider the following statements:

- (1)  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is *ij-wnormal*,
- (2) For each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and  $w_j$ closed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there exist *ij-gw*open  $U$  and *ji-gw*open  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ ,
- (3) For each  $w_i$ closed set  $A$  and  $w_j$ open  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists *ij-gw*open  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .

Then, the implication (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) is hold.

*Proof* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $A$  be a  $w_i$ closed set and  $B$  be a  $w_j$ closed set with  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is *ij-wnormal*, then there exist  $w_j$ open set  $U$  and  $w_i$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ . From Corollary 1, there exist *ij-gw*open  $U$  and *ji-gw*open  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $A$  be a  $w_i$ closed set and  $N$  be a  $w_j$ open set with  $A \subseteq N$ . Then,  $A \cap X \setminus N = \emptyset$ . From (2), there exist  $ij$ - $gw$ open  $U$  and  $ji$ - $gw$ open  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $X \setminus N \subseteq V$ , and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ . Since  $X \setminus V$  is  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed,  $N$  is  $w_j$ open, and  $X \setminus V \subseteq N$ , then from Definition 3, we have  $cl_{w_i}(X \setminus V) \subseteq N$ . Since  $U \subseteq X \setminus V$ , hence  $U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq cl_{w_i}(X \setminus V)$ . Consequently,  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 24** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be an  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$ . If  $cl_{w_i}(U)$  is  $w_i$ closed for each  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed and  $int_{w_j}(U)$  is  $w_j$ open for each  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed  $U$ , then the statements in Theorem 23 are equivalent.*

*Proof* According to Theorem 23, we need to prove (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1).

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $A$  be a  $w_i$ closed set and  $B$  be a  $w_j$ closed set with  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ . Take  $N = X \setminus B$ , then by using (3) there exists  $ij$ - $gw$ open  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij$ - $wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then,  $int_{w_j}(U) = U$ . By assumption  $U$  is  $w_j$ open. Also,  $X \setminus cl_{w_i}(U)$  is  $w_i$ open and  $B \subseteq X \setminus cl_{w_i}(U)$ .  $\square$

**Definition 10** *A  $biwss$   $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is called  $ij$ - $gwn$ ormal if for each  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there are  $w_j$ open set  $U$  and  $w_i$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ .*

**Remark 13** *It is clear that every  $ij$ - $gwn$ ormal space is  $ij$ - $w$ normal. It can be checked that the converse is not true by the following example.*

**Theorem 25** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a  $biwss$ . Consider the following statements:*

- (1)  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ - $gwn$ ormal,
- (2) For each  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $gw$ open set  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $w_j$ open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ ,
- (3) For each  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there exist  $w_j$ open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$  and  $cl_{w_i}(U) \cap B = \emptyset$ .

*Then, the implication (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) is hold.*

*Proof* Obvious.  $\square$

**Remark 14** *If  $cl_{w_i}(U)$  is  $w_i$ closed for each  $w_i$ open set  $U$ , then the statements in Theorem 25 are equivalent.*

**Theorem 26** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be a  $biwss$ . Consider the following statements:*

- (1)  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ - $gwn$ ormal,
- (2) For each  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there exist  $ij$ - $\sigma$   $gw$ open set  $U$ ,  $ji$ - $\sigma$   $gw$ open set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ ,
- (3) For each  $ji$ - $gwc$ losed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $gw$ open set  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $ij$ - $\sigma$   $gw$ open set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .

*Then, the implication (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) is hold.*

*Proof* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Follows directly from Proposition 5.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Let  $A$  be a  $ji$ -gwclosed set and  $N$  be an  $ij$ -gwopen set with  $A \subseteq N$ . Take  $B = X \setminus N$ . Then, by assumption, there exist  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen set  $U$ ,  $ji$ - $\sigma$ gwopen set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ . Hence,  $U \subseteq X \setminus V$ ,  $X \setminus V \subseteq N$ . Since  $X \setminus V$  is  $ji$ - $\sigma$ gwclosed, then  $cl_{w_i}(X \setminus V) \subseteq N$  and so  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .  $\square$

The question that comes to our mind, under what conditions can be achieved parity in Theorem 26.

**Theorem 27** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be an  $ij$ - $w$ - $T_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  space. If  $int_{w_j}(U)$  is  $w_j$ open and  $int_{w_i}(U)$  is  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen for each  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen set  $U$ , then the statements in Theorem 26 are equivalent.*

*Proof* Straightforward.  $\square$

**Corollary 4** *If a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ -gwnormal, then for each  $ji$ -gwclosed set  $A$  and  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen set  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $ij$ - $\sigma$ gwopen set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .*

*Proof* Obvious from Proposition 5.  $\square$

**Theorem 28** *If a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ -gwnormal, then for each  $ji$ -gwclosed set  $A$  and  $ij$ -gwclosed set  $B$  s.t.  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , there exist  $ij$ -gwopen set  $U$  and  $ji$ -gwopen set  $V$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U$ ,  $B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$ .*

*Proof* Clear.  $\square$

**Theorem 29** *If a biwss  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ji$ - $w$ - $T_{\frac{1}{2}}^\sigma$  and  $cl_{w_i}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ . Consider the following statements:*

- (1)  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is  $ij$ -gwnormal,
- (2) For each  $ji$ -gwclosed set  $A$  and  $ij$ -gwopen set  $N$  with  $A \subseteq N$ , there exists  $ij$ -gwopen set  $U$  s.t.  $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl_{w_i}(U) \subseteq N$ .

*Then, the implication (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) is hold.*

*Proof* Obvious.  $\square$

### Some types of $ij$ - $(w, w^*)$ continuous functions

In this section, types of continuous functions between biweak spaces are defined and some of their features are established.

**Definition 11** *A function  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \longrightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is called:*

- (1)  $j$ - $(w, w^*)$ -continuous if for  $x \in X$  and  $w_j^*$ open set  $V$  containing  $f(x)$ , there is a  $w_j$  open set  $U$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .
- (2)  $ij$ - $g(w, w^*)$ -continuous if for  $x \in X$  and  $w_j^*$ open set  $V$  containing  $f(x)$ , there is an  $ij$ -gwopen set  $U$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(U) \subseteq V$ .
- (3)  $ij$ - $g(w, w^*)$ closed if for each  $w_j$ closed set  $B$ ,  $f(B)$  is  $ji$ - $gw^*$  closed set.

We describe  $ij$ - $g(w, w^*)$ -continuous function in the following part.

**Theorem 30** *Let  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  be an  $ij-wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. If  $int_{w_j}(U)$  is  $w_j$ -open for each  $ij$ - $gw$ -open set  $U$ , then, a function  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -continuous iff  $f^{-1}(V) = int_{w_j} f^{-1}(V)$  for each  $w_j^*$ -open set  $V$ .*

*Proof* ( $\Rightarrow$ ): Let  $V$  be a  $w_j^*$ -open set and  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ . Since  $f$  is  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -continuous, then there is an  $ij$ - $gw$ -open set  $U$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(U) \subseteq V$ . Hence,  $U \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$ . Since  $(X, w_1, w_2)$  is an  $ij-wT_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then  $int_{w_j}(U) = U$ . From assumptions,  $U$  is a  $w_j$ -open set s.t.  $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$  and so  $x \in int_{w_j} f^{-1}(V)$ . Therefore,  $f^{-1}(V) = int_{w_j} f^{-1}(V)$ .

( $\Leftarrow$ ): Let  $x \in X$  and  $V$  be a  $w_j^*$ -open set in  $Y$  with  $f(x) \in V$ , then  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ . Since  $f^{-1}(V) = int_{w_j} f^{-1}(V)$ , then there exists  $w_j$ -open set  $U$  s.t.  $x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$ . From Corollary 1,  $U$  is an  $ij$ - $gw$ -open set containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(U) \subseteq V$ . Consequently,  $f$  is  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -continuous. □

**Theorem 31** *For a function  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$ , the following are equivalent:*

- (1)  $f^{-1}(V) = int_{w_j} (f^{-1}(V))$ , for every  $w_j^*$ -open set  $V$  in  $Y$ ,
- (2)  $f(cl_{w_j}(A)) \subseteq cl_{w_j^*}(f(A))$ , for every set  $A$  in  $X$ ,
- (3)  $cl_{w_j}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{w_j^*}(V))$ , for every set  $V$  in  $Y$ ,
- (4)  $f^{-1}(int_{w_j^*}(V)) \subseteq int_{w_j}(f^{-1}(V))$ , for every set  $V$  in  $Y$ ,
- (5)  $cl_{w_j}(f^{-1}(F)) = f^{-1}(F)$ , for every  $w_j^*$ -closed set  $F$  in  $Y$ .

*Proof* Obvious. □

**Theorem 32** *For any function  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$ , every  $j$ - $(w, w^*)$ -continuous function is  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -continuous.*

*Proof* Obvious from Theorem 30. □

**Remark 15** *The following example justifies the converse of the Theorem 32 need not to be true in general.*

**Example 17** *Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $w_1 = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, d\}\}$ ,  $w_2 = \{\emptyset, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}$ ,  $w_1^* = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2, 3\}\}$ , and  $w_2^* = \{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}$ . If  $f$  is defined by  $f(a) = f(b) = 2, f(c) = 1, f(d) = 3$ , we have  $f$  is  $12-g(w, w^*)$ -continuous, but it is not  $2-(w, w^*)$ -continuous.*

**Proposition 9** *For any surjection function  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$ , the following are equivalent.*

- (1)  $f$  is an  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -closed function.
- (2) For any set  $B$  in  $Y$  and each  $w_i$ -open  $U$  s.t.  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ , there exists  $ij-gw^*$ -open set  $V$  of  $Y$  s.t.  $B \subseteq V$  and  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ .

*Proof* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $B \subseteq Y$  and  $U$  be a  $w_i$ -open set s.t.  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ . Since  $f$  is an  $ij-g(w, w^*)$ -closed function, then  $f(U)$  is an  $ij-gw^*$ -open set in  $Y$ . Take  $f^{-1}(V) = U$ . Since  $f$  is a surjection function and  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ , then  $B = f(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f(U) = V$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $U$  be a  $w_i$ -open set,  $F \subseteq f(U)$  s.t.  $F$  is a  $w_i^*$ -closed set, then  $f^{-1}(F) \subseteq U$ . This implies that there exists  $ij-gw^*$ -open set  $V$  in  $Y$  s.t.  $F \subseteq V$  and  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ . Consequently,

$F \subseteq \text{int}_{w_j^*}(V)$  and so  $F \subseteq \text{int}_{w_j^*}(f(U))$ . This implies that  $f(U)$  is  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open in  $Y$ . Therefore,  $f$  is an  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function.  $\square$

**Theorem 33** *Let  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. If  $\text{int}_{w_j^*}(A)$  is  $w_i^*$  open for each  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open set  $A$ . If  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is a surjection  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed and  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$ -continuous function, then  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $ij\text{-}gw$  closed set of  $X$  for every  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed set  $B$  of  $Y$ .*

*Proof* Let  $B \subseteq Y$  be an  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed set. Let  $U$  be a  $w_i$  open set of  $X$  s.t.  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ . Since  $f$  is a surjection  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function, then by Proposition 9, there exists  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open set  $V$  of  $Y$  s.t.  $B \subseteq V$  and  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ . Since  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then  $\text{int}_{w_j^*}(V) = V$ . From assumptions,  $V$  is a  $w_i^*$  open set. Since  $B$  is  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed, then  $cl_{w_j^*}(B) \subseteq V$ . Hence,  $f^{-1}(cl_{w_j^*}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ . By Theorems 30 and 31,  $cl_{w_j}f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ , and hence,  $f^{-1}(B)$  is  $ij\text{-}gw$  closed set in  $X$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2** *Let  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be an  $ji\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. If  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is an  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function, then  $cl_{w_j^*}f(A) = f(cl_{w_j}(A))$ , for every  $w_j$  closed set  $A$  in  $X$ .*

*Proof* Let  $A$  be a  $w_j$  closed set in  $X$ , then  $A = cl_{w_j}(A)$ . Since  $f$  is an  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function, then  $f(A)$  is  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed set since  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is a  $ji\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then  $cl_{w_j^*}f(A) = f(A)$ . Hence,  $cl_{w_j^*}f(A) = f(cl_{w_j}(A))$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 3** *Let  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. and  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be a  $ji\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function. If  $cl_{w_j}(A)$  is a  $w_i$  closed set for each set  $A$  in  $X$ , then  $cl_{w_j^*}f(A) \subseteq f(cl_{w_j}(A))$ .*

*Proof* Suppose  $cl_{w_j}(A)$  is a  $w_i$  closed set in  $X$ . Since  $f$  is an  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed function, then  $f(cl_{w_j}(A))$  is  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed set containing  $f(A)$ . Since  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, then  $cl_{w_j^*}f(cl_{w_j}(A)) = f(cl_{w_j}(A))$ . Hence,  $cl_{w_j^*}f(A) \subseteq f(cl_{w_j}(A))$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 34** *Let  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. If  $\text{int}_{w_i}f^{-1}(U)$  is  $w_i$  open for each  $w_j^*$  open set  $U$  in  $Y$  and  $cl_{w_j}(A)$  is a  $w_i$  closed set for each set  $A$  in  $X$ . If  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is a  $ji\text{-}g(w, w^*)$  closed and  $ji\text{-}g(w, w^*)$ -continuous function, then  $f(A)$  is  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  closed set of  $Y$  for every  $ij\text{-}gw$  closed set  $A$  of  $X$ .*

*Proof* Follows directly from Theorem 30, Theorem 31, and Lemma 3.  $\square$

**Theorem 35** *Let  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  be an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space. If  $i_{w_j^*}(A)$  is  $w_j^*$  open for each  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open set  $A$  of  $Y$ . If  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  and  $h : (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*) \rightarrow (Z, v_1, v_2)$  are  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$ -continuous and  $ij\text{-}g(w^*, v)$ -continuous functions, respectively, then  $h \circ f : (X, w_1, w_2) \rightarrow (Z, v_1, v_2)$  is  $ij\text{-}g(w, v)$ -continuous.*

*Proof* Let  $x \in X$  and  $V$  be a  $v_j$  open set of  $Z$  containing  $h \circ f(x)$ . Since  $h$  is  $ij\text{-}g(w^*, v)$ -continuous, then there is an  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open set  $U$  containing  $h(x)$  s.t.  $h(U) \subseteq V$ . Since  $(Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  is an  $ij\text{-}w^*T_{\frac{1}{2}}$  space, hence,  $i_{w_j^*}(U) = U$ . From assumptions,  $U$  is a  $w_j^*$  open for each  $ij\text{-}gw^*$  open set  $U$  of  $Y$  containing  $h(x)$ . Since  $f$  is an  $ij\text{-}g(w, w^*)$ -continuous function,

so there is an  $ij$ - $gw$ open set  $G$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $f(G) \subseteq U$ . It follows that there exists an  $ij$ - $gw$ open set  $G$  containing  $x$  s.t.  $hof(G) \subseteq V$ . Consequently,  $hof$  is  $ij$ - $g(w, \nu)$ -continuous.  $\square$

**Theorem 36** *If  $f : (X, w_1, w_2) \longrightarrow (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*)$  and  $h : (Y, w_1^*, w_2^*) \longrightarrow (Z, \nu_1, \nu_2)$  are  $ij$ - $g(w, w^*)$ -continuous and  $j$ - $(w^*, \nu)$ -continuous respectively, then  $hof : (X, w_1, w_2) \longrightarrow (Z, \nu_1, \nu_2)$  is  $ij$ - $g(w, \nu)$ -continuous.*

*Proof* Straightforward.  $\square$

### Future work

In the future, we intend to introduce the bisoft weak structure spaces and study the notions  $ij$ -soft  $gw$  closed,  $ij$ -soft  $gw$ open, and  $ij$ -soft  $\sigma gw$ closed sets in it. Also, using these sets, diverse classes of mappings on soft biweak structures can be examined. Further, we suggest studying the properties of some kinds of  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed subsets with respect to a biweak structure modified by elements of an ideal or a hereditary class. Accordingly, we construct a kind of continuity depending on the new class of  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed subsets. Moreover, one may take research to find the suitable way of defining the biweak structure spaces associated to the digraphs by using  $ij$ - $gwc$ losed such that there is a one-to-one correspondence between them. It may also lead to the new properties of separation axioms on these spaces. It will be necessary to perform more research to strengthen a comprehensive framework for the practical applications.

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