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A NOTE ON sg* CONTINUOUS MAPPINGS IN SOFT TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract: The aim of this paper is to introduce sg*closed set in a Soft topological space and to study some of its properties. Then sg* continuous mapping and irresolute mapping areintroduced and some of its properties are studied. The concept *sg** open, sg* closed mappings and *sg**homeomorphism are introduced and their properties are studied.

Key-Words: sg* continuous mapping , irresolute mapping, *sg** homeomorphism

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1 . INTRODUCTION

The theory of soft sets gives a vital mathematical tool for handling uncertainties and vague concepts. In the year 1999, Molodtsov[1] initiated the study of soft sets. Soft set theory has been applied in several directions. Following this Maji, Biswas, and Roy[7,8] discussed soft set theoretical operations and gave an application of soft set theory to a decision making problem. Recently Muhammad Shabir and Munazza Naz introduced the notion of soft topology[10] and established that every soft topology induces a collection of topologies called the parametrized family of topologies induced by the soft topology. Several mathematicians published papers on applications of soft sets and soft topology[1,2,6,11,12,1]. Soft sets and soft topology have applications to data mining, image processing, decision making problems, spatial modeling and neural patterns[3,4,5,7]. In this paper, the concept sg*closed set is introduced in soft topological space and the concept of sg* continuous mapping and *sg** irresolute mapping are introduced and some of their properties are studied. Further the concept *sg** open , sg* closed mappings and *sg**homeomorphism are introduced and some of their basic soft topological properties are investigated. Finally the concept of slightly *sg** continuous mapping is introduced and studied some of its basic concepts.

2. PRELIMINARIES

2.1 Definition A soft set *(A,E)* is called sg* closed in a soft topological space $(X, \tilde{r}\ E)$ of $cl\ (A, E) \cong (U, E)$ whenever $(A, E) \cong (U, E)$ and (U, E) is soft g open in $\tilde{X}$.

2.2.1 Let $X = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}, E = \{b_1, b_2\}$ and

$\tilde{r} = \{\tilde{\emptyset}, \tilde{X}, (A_1, E), (A_2, E), (A_3, E), (A_4, E), (A_5, E), (A_6, E), (A_7, E)\}$ where

$(A_1, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, \{a_1\}),$ $(A_2, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, X)\}$

$(A_3, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_{2,3}\}), (b_2, \{a_2, a_3\})\},$ $(A_4, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_1, a_3\}), (b_2, X)\},$

$(A_5, E) = \{(b_1, \emptyset)\{b_2, \{a_1\}\}$ $(A_6, E) = \{(b_1, \emptyset)\{b_2, \{a_2, a_3\}\})$ and

$(A_7, E) = \{(b_1, \emptyset), (b_2, X)\}.$

Clearly $(A, E) = = \{(b_1, \{a_{1,3}\})(b_2, \{a_3\})\}$ is sg* closed in $(X, \tilde{r}\ E)$.

since for *(A,E)* there exists a soft g open set $(U, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_1, a_3\}. (b_2\{a_2, a_3\})$ such that $cl\ (A, E) \cong (U, E)$.

2.1 Theorem

Every soft closed set is sg* closed in a soft topological space $(X, \tilde{r}\ E)$.

3. sg* CONTINUOUS MAPPINGS

3.1 Definition

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is called sg* continuous if $f^1 (U, E)$ is sg* closed in $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$ for every soft closed set *(U,E)* of $(X, \tilde{\omega}, E)$.

3.2. Theorem

Let $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ be a soft mapping from soft topological space $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$ into a soft topological space $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$. Then the following statements are equivalent.

    i) $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is sg* continuous.

    ii) The inverse image of each soft open set in $\tilde{Y}$ is sg* open in $\tilde{Y}$.

    iii) For each soft subset $(A, E) \tilde{\in} (Y, \tilde{\omega}, E) sg^* cl(f^{-1} (A, E)) \cong f^{-1} cl(A, E)).$

i v) For each soft subset $(B,E) \cong (X, \widetilde{r}, E) f(sg^*cl\ (B,E)) \cong cl(f(B,E))$.

Proof (i) $\longrightarrow$ **(ii)** follows from 3.1 Definition.

(i)$\longrightarrow$**(iii)**

Let (A,E) be a soft subset of $(Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$. By 3.2.1 Definition $f^{-1}\ c(A,E))$ is a sg* closed set containing $f^{-1}\ (A,E)$ and $sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}\ (A,E)) \cong f^{-1}\ cl(A,E))$.

(iii) $\longrightarrow$**(iv)**

Let $(B,E) \cong (Y, \widetilde{r}, E)$,   then $f(B,E) \cong (Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$ Hence   from   (iii) $sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}\ (f(B,E)) \cong f^{-1}(\ cl(A,E))$. Therefore $f(sg^*cl(B,E)) \cong clf\ (B,E)$.

(iv) $\longrightarrow$**(i)**

Let (U,E) be a soft closed set in $\widetilde{Y}$. Then by (iv)

$f\ (sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}(U,E))) \cong cl(f(f^{-1}(U,E))$.   Hence $sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}(U,E) \cong f^{-1}(U,E)$. Therefore $f^{-1}(U,E)$ is a sg* closed set in $\widetilde{X}$.

3.3 Theorem

Let $f: \widetilde{X} \longrightarrow \widetilde{Y}$ be a soft continuous mapping from $\widetilde{X}$ into $\widetilde{Y}$. Then it is sg* continuous.

Proof

(i) $\longrightarrow$ **(ii)** follows from 3.1 Definition.

(i)$\longrightarrow$**(iii)**

Let (A,E) be a soft subset of $(Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$. By 3.1 Definition $f^{-1}(cl\ (A,E)$ is a sg* closed set containing $f^{-1}(A,E)$ and $sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}(A,E)) \cong f^{-,\{1}(cl\ (A,E))$.

(iii) $\longrightarrow$**(iv)**

Let $(B,E) \cong (X, \widetilde{r}, E)$ .Then $f(B,E) \cong (Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$. Hence from (iii) $sg^*cl\ (f^{-1}(f(B,E)))$ $\cong f^{-1}(clf(B,E))$. Therefore $f(sg^*cl\ (B,E)) \cong clf\ (B,E)$.

(iv) $\longrightarrow$**(i)**

 Let (U,E) be a soft closed set in $\widetilde{Y}$. Then by (iv)

$f(sg^*cl(f^{-1}(U,E))) \widetilde{\subseteq} cl(f(f^{-1}(U,E))$. Hence $g^*cl(f^{-1}(U,E) \widetilde{\subseteq} f(U,E)$.

Therefore $f^{-1}(U,E)$ is a sg* closed set in $\tilde{X}$.

3.4 Theorem

Let $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ be a soft continuous mapping from $\tilde{X}$ into $\tilde{Y}$. Then it is sg* continuous.

Proof

Let *(A,E)* be any soft closed set in $\tilde{Y}$. Then $f^{-1}(A,E)$ is soft closed in $\tilde{X}$. Therefore by 2.1 Theorem, $f^{-1}(A,E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$.

3.5 Example

The following example shows that the converse of the above 3.2.2 Theorem need not be true.

Let $X = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}, Y = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}, E = \{b_1, b_2\}$ and

$\tilde{r_1} = \{\tilde{\emptyset}, \tilde{X}, (B_1, E), (B_2, E), (B_3, E), (B_4, E), (B_5, E)\}$

$\tilde{r_1} = \{\tilde{\emptyset}, \tilde{X}, (A_1, E), (A_2, E), (A_3, E), (A_4, E), (A_5, E), (A_6, E)\}$ be two soft topological spaces over X and Y respectively. Then $(B_1, E), (B_2, E), (B_3, E), (B_4, E), (B_5, E)$ are soft sets over X and $(A_1, E), (A_2, E), (A_3, E), (A_4, E), (A_5, E)$ are soft sets over Y defined as follows:

$(A_1, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2, a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_1, a_3\})\}$, $(A_2, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_1\})\}$,

$(A_3, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, \{a_3\})\}$, $(A_4, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_3\}), (b_2, \emptyset)\}$,

$(A_5, E) = \{(b_1, X), (b_2, \{a_1, a_3\})\}$, $(A_6, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_{2,3}\}), (b_2, \{a_3\})\}$,

$(B_1, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, \{a_1\})\}$ $(B_2, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_1, a_3\})\}$,

$(B_3, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2, a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_1, a_2\})\}$, $(B_4, E) = \{(b_1, X), (b_2, \{a_1, a_2\})\}$,

and $(B_5, E) = \{(b_1, \emptyset), (b_2, \{a_1\})\}$.

Let $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ be a soft mapping defined by $f(a_1) = a_1, f(a_2) = a_3,$ and $f(a_3) = a_2$. Then f is sg* continuous map but not soft continuous. Since $f^{-1}(A_1, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_{2,3}\}), (b_2, \{a_1, a_2\})\}$,

$f^{-1}(A_2, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, \{a_1\})\}$, $f^{-1}(A_3, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_2\})\}$,

$f^{-1}(A_4, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2\}), (b_2, \emptyset)\}, \qquad f^{-1}(A_5, E) = \{(b_1, X), (b_2, \{a_1, a_2,\})\},$

$f^{-1}(A_6, E) = \{(b_1, \{a_2, a_3\}), (b_2, \{a_2,\})$ are sg* open sets in $\tilde{r_1}$ but

$f^{-1}(A_3, E)$, $f^{-1}(A_4, E), f^{-1}(A_5, E), f^{-1}(A_6, E)$ are not soft open sets in $\tilde{r_1}$.

3.6 Theorem

If $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow {}^{\sim}$ is a sg* continuous mapping from $\tilde{X}$ into $\tilde{Y}$ then f is soft g continuous.

Proof Let (A,E) be any soft closed set in $\tilde{Y}$. Then $f^{-1}(A, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$. Therefore by 2.1 Theorem $f^{-1}(A, E)$ is soft g closed in $\tilde{X}$.

3.7 Definition

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow {}^{\sim}$ called sg* irresolute if $f^{-1}(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$ for every sg* closed set of $(Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$.

3.8 Remark

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow {}^{\sim}$ is sg* irresolute if and only if the inverse image of every sg* open set in $(Y, \widetilde{\omega}, E)$ is sg* open in $\tilde{X}$.

3.9 Theorem   If $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ and $h: \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{Z}$ are any two soft mappings then

     i) $h \circ g$ is sg* continuous if h is soft continuous and f is sg* continuous.

     ii) $h \circ g$ is sg* continuous if h is sg* continuous and g is sg* irresolute.

     iii) $h \circ g$ is sg* irresolute if both g and h are sg* irresolute.

Proof

(i) Let (U,E) be a soft closed set in $\tilde{Z}$. Then $h^{-1}(U, E)$ is soft closed in $\tilde{Y}$ and $g^{-1}(h^{-1}(U, E)) = h \circ g)(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$.

     (ii)   Let (U,E) be a soft closed set in $\tilde{Z}$. Then $h^{-1}(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{Y}$ and $g^{-1}(h^{-1}(U, E)) = h \circ g)(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$.

     (iii)   Let (U,E) be a sg* closed set in $\tilde{Z}$. Then $h^{-1}(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{Y}$ and $g^{-1}(h^{-1}(U, E)) = h \circ g)(U, E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$.

3.10 Theorem

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is sg* irresolute if and only if for every soft subset *(U,E)* of $\tilde{X}, (sg^* \, cl(U,E)) \cong sg^* \, cl(g(U,E))$.

Proof   Let g be a sg* irresolute mapping and *(U,E)* be a soft subset in $\tilde{X}$. Then $sg^* \, c(g(U,E))$ is sg* closed set in $\tilde{Y}$. Hence $g^{-1}(sg^* \, cl(g(U,E)))$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{X}$ and $(U,E) \cong ^{-1}(g(U,E)) \cong g^{-1}(sg^* \, cl(g(U,E)))$.

Therefore

$sg^* \, cl(U,E) \cong g^{-1}(sg^* \, cl(g(U,E)))$, hence $g(sg^* \, cl(U,E)) \cong g^{-1}(sg^* \, cl(g(U,E)))$.

Conversely, suppose that *(U,E)* is sg* closed in $\tilde{Y}$.

Therefore

$(sg^* \, cl(g^{-1}(U,E))) \cong (sg^* \, cl \, (g(g^{-1}(U,E)))) = sg^* \, cl(U,E) = (U,E)$. Hence

$sg^* \, c(g^{-1}(U,E)) \cong g^{-1}(U,E)$.

4. sg* HOMEOMORPHISMS

4.1 Definition

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{}$ is called sg* open if $g(U,E)$ of each soft open set *(U,E)* in $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$ is sg* open in $(Y, \tilde{\omega}, E)$.

4.2 Definition

A soft mapping $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is called sg* closed if $g(U,E)$ of each soft closed set *(U,E)* in $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$ is sg* closed in $(Y, \tilde{\omega}, E)$.

4.3 Theorem

Let the soft mappings $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ and $g: \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{Z}$ be bijective.   If $g \circ f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Z}$ is soft continuous and $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is soft continuous and $f: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is sg* closed then $g: \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{Z}$ is sg* continuous.

Proof

Let *(U,E)* be the soft closed set in $\tilde{Z}$. Since $g \circ f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Z}$ is soft continuous, then $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(U,E)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(U,E)$ is soft closed set in $\tilde{X}$. Since $f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{}$ is sg* closed, then $f(f^{-1}(g^{-1}(U,E))) = g^{-1}(U,E)$ is sg* closed set in $\tilde{Y}$.

4.5 Theorem

A soft mapping $f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ is a sg* open iff if $f(ikt(B,U)) \cong sg^*ikt (f(B,E))$ for every soft subset *(B,E)* of $\tilde{X}$.

Proof

Let $f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ be sg* open and *(B,E)* be a soft subset of $\tilde{X}$, then $ikt(B,U)$ is a soft open set in $\tilde{X}$. Hence $f(ikt(B,E)) = sg^*ikt (f(ikt(B,E))$.

Conversely, Let *(G,E)* be a soft open set in $\tilde{X}$. $f(G,E) = f(ikt(G,E)) \cong sg^*ikt (f(G,E))$, which implies $f(G,E) \cong sg^*ikt (f(G,E))$. Hence $f(G,E)$ is a sg* open in $\tilde{Y}$.

4.6 Definition

If a soft mapping $f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{}$ is sg* continuous bijective and f^{-1} is sg* continuous then *f* is said to be sg* homeomorphism from $(X, \tilde{r}, E)$ in to $(Y, \tilde{\omega}, E)$.

4.7 Theorem

Let $f \colon \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \tilde{Y}$ be the soft bijective mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent: . Since f is sg* open map,

i) $f^{-1} \colon \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{X}$ is sg* continuous.

ii) *f* is sg* open .

iii) *f* is sg* closed.

Proof

(i)→(ii) Let *(U,E)* be any soft open set in $\tilde{X}$. Since $f^{-1} \colon \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{X}$ is sg* continuous, therefore $(f^{-1})^{-1}(U,E) = f(U,E)$ is sg* open in $\tilde{Y}$.

(ii) →(iii) Let *(B,E)* be any soft closed set in $\tilde{X}$, then $\tilde{X} - (B,E)$ is soft open set in $\tilde{X}$. Since f is sg* open map, $f(\tilde{X} - (B,E))$ is sg* open in $\tilde{Y}$. But $f(\tilde{X} - (B,E)) = \tilde{Y} - f(B,E)$, implies $f(B,E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{Y}$.

(iii) →(i) Let *(B,E)* be any soft closed set in $\tilde{X}$. Then $(f^{-1})^{-1}(U,E) = f(U,E)$ is sg* closed in $\tilde{Y}$. Therefore $f^{-1}: \tilde{Y} \longrightarrow \tilde{X}$ is sg* continuous.

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