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# On $\theta - G_N$ -Precontinuous Functions in Grill Topological Spaces

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**Abstract :** In this paper, we introduced and investigated the notions of  $\theta - G_N$ -preclosed sets in grill topological space,  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous function and strongly  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous function. Furthermore, we studied the relations between the  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous and other known continuous function. They will be introduced in grill topological spaces by using the  $G_N$ -preopen sets.

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# 1. Introduction

The idea of grill on a topological space, given by Choquet [2], goes as follows: A non-null collection G of subsets of a topological spaces X is said to be a grill on X if

(i)  $A \in G$  and  $A \subseteq B \Rightarrow B \in G$ 

(ii)  $A, B \subseteq X$  and  $A \cup B \in G \Rightarrow A \in G$  or  $B \in G$ .

For a topological space X, the operator  $\Phi : P(X) \to P(X)$ , given by [5]

 $\Phi(A) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \in G, \text{ for each open neighborhood } U \text{ of } x\},\$ 

and the operator  $\Psi: P(X) \to P(X)$ , given by  $\Psi(A) = A \cup \Phi(A)$ . Then there exists a unique topology  $\tau_G$  on X given by  $\tau_G = \{ U \subseteq X : \Psi(X-U) = X-U \}$ , such that  $\tau \subseteq \tau_G$ .

In 1968 Velicko [3] introduced the notions of  $\theta$ -open sets. In 1982 Mashhour [4], introduced the notion of a precontinuous function. In 2009 Al-Omari and Noiri [1], introduced

the notions of N-precontinuous function. In 2010 Hatir and Jafari [3], introduced the notions of G-precontinuous function.

For a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  and  $A \subseteq X$ , throughout this paper, we mean Cl(A) and Int(A) the closure set and the interior set of A, respectively.

**Definition 1.1.** [9] Let  $(X, \tau)$  be topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . A point  $x \in X$  is called  $\theta$ -cluster point of A if  $Cl(U) \cap A \neq \phi$  for every open set U in X containing x.

The set of all  $\theta$ -cluster points of A is called the  $\theta$ -closure set of A and denoted by  $Cl^{\theta}(A)$ . A subset A of topological space  $(X,\tau)$  is called  $\theta$ -closed set in  $(X,\tau)$  if  $Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . The complement of  $\theta$ -closed set in  $(X,\tau)$  is called  $\theta$ -open set.

**Theorem 1.2.** [9] Every  $\theta$ -closed set in topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is closed set.

**Definition 1.3.** [9] A function  $f:(X,\tau) \to (Y,\rho)$  of a topological space  $(X,\tau)$  into a space  $(Y,\rho)$  is called  $\theta$ -continuous if for each  $x \in X$  and each V in Y containing f(x), there exists an open set U in X containing x such that  $f(Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ .

**Definition 1.4.** [6] A subset A of a grill topological space  $(X, \tau, G)$  is called a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set if for each  $x \in A$ , there exists a G-preopen set  $U_x$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is a finite set. The complement of  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set is called  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preclosed set.

**Theorem 1.5**. [6] The intersection of an open set and  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set is a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set.

**Definition 1.6.** [6] Let  $(X, \tau, G)$  be a grill topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . The  $G\mathcal{N}$ -closure set of A is defined as the intersection of all  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preclosed subsets of X containing A and is denoted by  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(A)$ . The  $G\mathcal{N}$ -interior set of A is defined as the union of all  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen subsets of X contained in A and is denoted by  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Int(A)$ .

**Theorem 1.7.** [6] For a subset  $A \subseteq X$  of grill topological space  $(X, \tau, G)$ , the following hold:

1. If U is an open set in X, then  $_{GN}Cl(A) \cap U \subseteq _{GN}Cl(A \cap U)$ .

2. If U is a closed set in X, then  $_{GN}Int(A \cup U) \subseteq _{GN}Int(A) \cup U$ .

**Definition 1.8**. [8] A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  of a grill topological space  $(X,\tau,G)$  into a topological space  $(Y,\rho)$  is called  $G\mathcal{N}$ -precontinuous if  $f^{-1}(U)$  is a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  for every open set U in Y.

**Definition 1.9.** [8] A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  of a grill topological space  $(X,\tau,G)$  into a space  $(Y,\rho)$  is called:

1. An almost  $G\mathcal{N}$ -precontinuous if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set V in Y containing f(x), there is a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set U in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing x such that  $f(U) \subseteq Int[Cl(V)]$ .

2. Weakly  $G\mathcal{N}$ -precontinuous function, if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set V in Y containing f(x), there is a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set U in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing x such that  $f(U) \subseteq Cl(V)$ .

The purpose of this paper is extend the notion of  $G\mathcal{N}$ -precontinuous by giving the concept of functions is called

 $\theta$ - GN-precontinuous in a grill topological space.

#### 2. $\theta$ -GN-Preclosed set

Let  $(X,\tau,G)$  be grill topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . A point  $x \in X$  is called  $\theta - G_N$ -precluster point of A if  $_{GN}Cl(U) \cap A \neq \phi$  for every  $G_N$ -preopen set U containing x. The set of all  $\theta - G_N$ -precluster points of A is called the  $\theta - G_N$ -preclosure set of A and denoted by  $_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)$ .

**Definition 2.1.** A subset A of grill topological space  $(X, \tau, G)$  is called  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set, if  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . The complement of  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set is called  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in  $(X, \tau, G)$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** Every  $\theta$ -closed set in topological space  $(X,\tau)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in grill topological space  $(X,\tau,G)$ .

**Proof.** Let A be a  $\theta$ -closed set in a space  $(X,\tau)$ , that is,  $Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . It is clear that  $A \subseteq {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)$ . We prove that  ${}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)\subseteq A$ . Let  $x \in {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)$ . Then  ${}_{GN}Cl(U) \cap A \neq \phi$ . Since  ${}_{GN}Cl(U)\subseteq Cl(U)$ , then  $Cl(U) \cap A \neq \phi$ . Then  $x \in Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . Hence  ${}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)\subseteq A$ . That is, A is a  $\theta - G_{N}$ -preclosed set in  $(X,\tau,G)$ .

The converse of the last theorem no need to be true.

**Example 2.3.** In a grill topological space  $(X,\tau,G)$ , where  $X = \{a,b,c\}, \tau = \{\phi,X, \{a,b\}\}$  and  $G = \{\{c\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\},X\}$ , the set  $\{a\}$  is a  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X,\tau,G)$ , but it is not  $\theta$ -closed set in  $(X,\tau)$ .

**Theorem 2.4.** Every  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set.

**Proof.** Let  $(X,\tau,G)$  be a grill topological space and A be a  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set, that is,  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . It is clear that  $A \subseteq {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(A)$ . We prove that  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(A)\subseteq A$ . Let  $x \in {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(A)$ . Then  $U \cap A \neq \phi$ . Since  $U \subseteq {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)$ , then  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U) \cap A \neq \phi$ . Then  $x \in {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(A)=A$ . Hence  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(A)\subseteq A$ . That is, A is a  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preclosed set in  $(X,\tau,G)$ .

**Theorem 2.5.** For open set H in grill topological space  $(X, \tau, G)$ ,  $_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(H) = _{GN}Cl(H)$ .

**Proof.** Let  $x \in {}_{GN}Cl(H)$ . Then for every  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau, G)$  containing x,  $U \cap H \neq \phi$ . Since  $U \subseteq {}_{GN}Cl(U)$ , then  ${}_{GN}Cl(U) \cap H \neq \phi$ . Hence  $x \in {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(H)$ . That is,  ${}_{GN}Cl(H) \subseteq {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(H)$ . For the other side, let  $x \in {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(H)$ . Then for every  $G\mathcal{N}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x,  ${}_{GN}Cl(U) \cap H \neq \phi$ . Since H is open set, then by Theorem (1.7),  ${}_{GN}Cl(U) \cap H \subseteq {}_{GN}Cl(U \cap H)$ . Then  ${}_{GN}Cl(U \cap H) \neq \phi$ . Hence  $U \cap H \neq \phi$ . That is,  $x \in {}_{GN}Cl(H)$ . That is,  ${}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(H) \subseteq {}_{GN}Cl(H)$ .

**Theorem 2.6.** A subset U is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in grill topological space  $(X, \tau, G)$  if and only if for each  $x \in U$  there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set V in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing x such that  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(V) \subseteq U$ .

**Proof.** Suppose that U is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  and  $x \in U$ . Then  $x \notin X - U = {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(X-U)$ . Then there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set V in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(V) \cap (X-U) = \phi$ . That is,  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(V) \subseteq U$ .

**Conversely**, suppose that U is not  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set. Then X - U is not  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set. That is, there is  $x \in {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(X-U)$  and  $x \notin X - U$ . Since  $x \in U$ , then by the hypothesis, there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set V in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(V) \subseteq U$ . This implies,  ${}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(V) \cap (X-U) = \phi$  and this contradiction. Hence U is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set.

# 3. $\theta$ -GN-Precontinuous Functions

**Definition 3.1.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  of a grill topological space  $(X,\tau,G)$  into a space  $(Y,\rho)$  is called  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous function if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set V in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x), there exists  $G_N$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous if and only if

$$_{G_N}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(V))$$

for every open set V in  $(Y, \rho)$ .

**Proof.** Suppose that f is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$ . Let  $x \notin f^{-1}(Cl(V))$ . Then  $f(x)\notin Cl(V)$ . Then  $f(x)\in Y-Cl(V)$ . Since Y-Cl(V) is open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  and f is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that

$$f(_{G_N}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(Y - Cl(V)).$$

This implies,

$$f(_{G_N} Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(Y - Cl(V)) = Y - Int(Cl(V)).$$

Hence

$$f(_{G_{N}}Cl(U)) \cap Int(Cl(V)) = \phi.$$

Since

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathrm{Int}(\mathbf{V}) \subseteq \mathrm{Int}(Cl(V)),$$

then  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \cap V = \phi$  and so  $_{GN}Cl(U) \cap f^{-1}(V) = \phi$ . Since U is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set, then  $x \notin _{GN}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(V))$ . Hence

$$_{G_N}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(V))$$

**Conversely**, let  $x \in X$  be any point and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Since  $V \cap (Y - Cl(V)) = \phi$ , then  $f(x) \notin Cl(Y - Cl(V))$ . This implies,  $x \notin f^{-1}[Cl(Y - Cl(V))]$ . Since Y - Cl(V) is an open set in  $(Y,\rho)$ , then by the hypothesis,

 $_{G_{N}}Cl^{\theta}[f^{-1}(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{Cl}(\mathbf{V}))] \subseteq f^{-1}[Cl(\mathbf{Y}-\mathbf{Cl}(\mathbf{V}))]$ 

Then  $x \notin {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}[f^{-1}(Y-Cl(V))]$ . Hence there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that

$$_{G_{\mathrm{N}}} \mathrm{C}l(\mathrm{U}) \cap f^{-1}(\mathrm{Y} - \mathrm{C}l(\mathrm{V})) = \phi.$$

This implies,  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . Hence f is  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous.

**Theorem 3.3.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous if and only if

$$_{G_{N}}Cl^{\theta}[X-f^{-1}(Cl(V))] \subseteq X-f^{-1}(V),$$

for every open set V in  $(Y, \rho)$ .

**Proof.** Suppose that f is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$ . Let  $x \notin X - f^{-1}(V)$ . Then  $f(x) \in V$ . Since f is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  $f(_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . This implies,  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(V))$ . Then

$$_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{V}}}\mathbf{C}l(\mathbf{U}) \cap [X - f^{-1}(\mathbf{C}l(\mathbf{V}))] = \phi..$$

Since U is a  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set, then  $x \notin G_{\mathcal{N}} Cl^{\theta} [X-f^{-1}(Cl(V))]$ . Hence

$$_{\mathcal{G}_{\mathcal{N}}} Cl^{\theta}[X - f^{-1}(Cl(\mathcal{V}))] \subseteq X - f^{-1}(\mathcal{V}).$$

**Conversely,** let  $x \in X$  be any point and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Then  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ , that is,  $x \notin X - f^{-1}(V)$ . Then by the hypothesis,  $x \notin {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}[X - f^{-1}(Cl(V))]$ . That is, there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that

$$_{G_{N}}Cl(U) \cap [X - f^{-1}(Cl(V))] = \phi.$$

This implies,  $_{GN}Cl(U) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(V))$  and so  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . Hence f is  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous.

**Theorem 3.4.** For a function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$ , the following properties are equivalent:

1. *f* is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$  - precontinuous.

2.  $_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl^{\theta}(B))$  for every subset  $B \subseteq Y$ .

3.  $f({}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(A)) \subseteq Cl^{\theta}(f(A))$  for every subset  $A \subseteq X$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let *B* be any subset of *Y*. Suppose that  $x \notin f^{-1}(Cl^{\theta}(B))$ . Then  $f(x) \notin Cl^{\theta}(B)$ . Then there is an open set *V* in *Y* containing f(x) such that  $Cl(V) \cap B = \phi$ . Since *f* is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set *U* in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing *x* such that  $f(_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . Then we have  $f(_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \cap B = \phi$ . This implies,  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U) \cap f^{-1}(B) = \phi$ . Hence  $x \notin _{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B))$ . That is,

$$_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{N}}}\mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(f^{-1}(\mathbf{B})) \subseteq f^{-1}(\mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(\mathbf{B})).$$

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $x \in X$  and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Since  $Cl(V) \cap (Y-Cl(V)) = \phi$ , then  $f(x) \notin Cl^{\theta}(Y-Cl(V))$ . This implies,  $x \notin f^{-1}[Cl^{\theta}(Y-Cl(V))]$ . Since  $Y-Cl(V) \subseteq Y$ , then by the hypothesis,

$$_{\mathcal{G}_{N}} Cl^{\theta}[f^{-1}(\mathbf{Y} - Cl(\mathbf{V}))] \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl^{\theta}(\mathbf{Y} - Cl(\mathbf{V})).$$

Then  $x \notin {}_{GN}Cl^{\theta}[f^{-1}(Y-Cl(V))]$ . Hence there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that

$$_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{N}}}\mathbf{C}l(\mathbf{U}) \cap f^{-1}(\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{C}l(\mathbf{V})) = \phi.$$

This implies,  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . Hence f is  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let *A* be any subset of *X*. Since  $f(A) \subseteq Y$ , then by the hypothesis,

$$_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{N}}}\mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(\mathbf{A}) \subseteq_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{N}}} \mathbf{C}l^{\theta}[f^{-1}(f(\mathbf{A}))] \subseteq f^{-1}[\mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(f(\mathbf{A}))].$$

This implies,  $f(_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)) \subseteq Cl^{\theta}(f(A))$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let *B* be any subset of *Y*. Since  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq X$ , then by the hypothesis,

$$f[_{\mathbf{G}_{\mathbf{N}}}\mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(f^{-1}(\mathbf{B}))] \subseteq \mathbf{C}l^{\theta}[f(f^{-1}(\mathbf{B}))] \subseteq \mathbf{C}l^{\theta}(\mathbf{B}).$$

This implies,  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl^{\theta}(B)).$ 

**Lemma 3.5.** Let  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  be a function. Then the following statements are equivalent:

1. f is an almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

2.  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X, \tau, G)$  for every *r*-closed set *F* in *Y*.

3.  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  for every r-open set V in Y.

**Proof.** (1) $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let *F* be any *r*-closed set in (*Y*, $\rho$ ) and

$$x \in X - f^{-1}(F) = f^{-1}(Y - F).$$

Then Y-F is r-open and, so open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Since f is an almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there is a  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that

$$f(U) \subseteq Int[Cl(Y-F)] = Y - F.$$

This implies,

$$x \in U \subseteq f^{-1}(Y - F) = X - f^{-1}(F),$$

that is,  $X-f^{-1}(F)$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set. Hence  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X, \tau, G)$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): It is trivial.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $x \in X$  and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Since Int(Cl(V)) is r-open set in Y containing f(x). Then by the hypothesis,  $U=f^{-l}[Int(Cl(V))]$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x and

$$f(U) = f[f^{-1}[Int(Cl(V))]] \subseteq Int(Cl(V)).$$

Hence f is an almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Theorem 3.6.** Every almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous is  $\theta$ - $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Proof.** Let  $f: (X, \tau, G) \to (Y, \rho)$  be almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let  $x \in X$  be any point and V be any open set in  $(Y, \rho)$  containing f(x). Since

$$Cl(V) = Cl[Int(V)] \subseteq Cl[Int(Cl(V))]$$

and

$$Cl[Int(Cl(V))] \subseteq Cl[Cl(V)] = Cl(V).$$

then Cl(V) is r-closed set in Y. Since Int(Cl(V)) is r-open set in Y containing f(x) and f is almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then by Lemma (3.5),  $U=f^{-l}[Int(Cl(V))]$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set and  $f^{-l}(Cl(V))$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  and

$$_{G_N}Cl(U) =_{G_N}Cl[f^{-1}[Int(Cl(V))]] \succeq_{G_N}Cl[f^{-1}(Cl(V))] = f^{-1}(Cl(V)).$$

This implies,

$$f(_{G_N}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V).$$

Hence f is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Theorem 3.7.** Every  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous is weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Proof.** Let  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  be  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$  precontinuous. Let  $x \in X$  be any point and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$  preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  $f(_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V)$ . Since

$$f(U) \subseteq f(_{G_N} Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(V),$$

then f is weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Definition 3.8.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  is called *strongly*  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous function if for each  $x \in X$  and each open set V in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x), there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x such that  $f(_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq V$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous if and only if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  for every open set V in  $(Y,\rho)$ .

**Proof.** Suppose that f is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$ . We prove that  $X - f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set. Let  $x \notin X - f^{-1}(V)$ . Then  $f(x) \in V$ . Since f is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing x, such that  $f(G_{\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq V$ . This implies,  $G_{\mathcal{N}}Cl(U) \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence

$$_{G_{\mathcal{V}}}Cl(U) \cap X - f^{-1}(V) = \phi.$$

Since U is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen, then  $x \notin {}_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(X-f^{-1}(V))$ . Hence

$$_{G_N} Cl^{\theta}(X - f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq X - f^{-1}(V).$$

Hence  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set.

**Conversely,** let x be any point in X and V be any open set in  $(Y,\rho)$  containing f(x). Then by the hypothesis,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set, that is,  $X - f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set. Since

$$x \notin X - f^{-1}(V) =_{G_N} Cl^{\theta}(X - f^{-1}(V)).$$

Then there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing x such that

$$_{G_N}Cl(U)\cap X-f^{-1}(V)=\phi.$$

This implies,  $f(_{GN}Cl(U)) \subseteq V$ . Hence f is strongly  $\theta - G_N$ -precontinuous.

**Corollary 3.10.** A function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$  is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous if and only if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X,\tau,G)$  for every closed set V in  $(Y,\rho)$ .

**Theorem 3.11.** For a function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$ , the following properties are equivalent:

1. *f* is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$  precontinuous.

2.  $f(_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)) \subseteq Cl(f(A))$  for every subset  $A \subseteq X$ .

3.  $_{G\mathcal{N}}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(B))$  for every subset  $B \subseteq Y$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let A be any subset of X. Suppose that  $y \notin Cl(f(A))$ . Then there is an open set V in Y containing y such that f(x)=y and  $V \cap f(A)=\phi$ . Since f is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there exists  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set U in  $(X, \tau, G)$  containing x such that  $f(g_{\mathcal{N}}Cl(U)) \subseteq V$ . Then we have

$$f[_{G_N}Cl(U) \cap A] \subseteq f(_{G_N}Cl(U)) \cap f(A) = \phi.$$

This implies,  $_{GN}Cl(U) \cap A = \phi$ . Hence  $x \notin _{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A)$ . That is,  $y \notin f(_{GN}Cl^{\theta}(A))$ . Hence

$$f(_{G_N}Cl^{\theta}(A)) \subseteq Cl(f(A)).$$

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let *B* be any subset of *Y*. Since  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq X$ , then by the hypothesis,

$$f[_{G_N}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B))] \subseteq Cl[f(f^{-1}(B))] \subseteq Cl(B).$$

Hence

$$_{G_N}Cl^{\theta}(f^{-1}(B))\subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(B)).$$

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let V be any open set in (Y, $\rho$ ). Since Y-V is closed set in Y and by the hypothesis,

$$_{G_N} Cl^{\theta} (X - f^{-1}(V)) =_{G_N} Cl^{\theta} (f^{-1}(Y - V)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Cl(Y - V))$$
$$= f^{-1}(Y - V) = X - f^{-1}(V)$$

Hence  $X-f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set. That is,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set. Then by Theorem (3.9), f is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Theorem 3.12.** Every strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Proof.** From Theorem (3.9) and the fact every  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set.

**Theorem 3.13.** Let  $(Y,\rho)$  be a regular space. Then, for a function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$ , the following properties are equivalent:

- 1. f is weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.
- 2. *f* is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.
- 3. *f* is strongly  $\theta G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let *f* be weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let *x* be any point in *X* and *V* be any open set in *Y* containing f(x). Since *Y* is regular, then there is an open set *M* in *Y* containing f(x) such that  $Cl(M) \subseteq V$ . Since *f* is weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous, then there is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set *U* in  $(X,\tau,G)$  containing *x* such that  $f(U) \subseteq Cl(M) \subseteq V$ . Hence *f* is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let f be  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous. Let  $x \in X$  be any point and V be any open set in Y containing f(x). Since Y is regular, then there is an open set M in Y containing f(x) such that  $Cl(M) \subseteq V$ . Since  $f^{-1}(M)$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preopen set and  $f^{-1}(Cl(M))$  is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -preclosed set in  $(X, \tau, G)$ . Let  $U = f^{-1}(M)$ . Then we have

$$_{G_N} Cl(U) =_{G_N} Cl(f^{-1}(M)) \subseteq_{G_N} Cl(f^{-1}(Cl(M))) = f^{-1}(Cl(M)).$$

This implies,

$$f(_{G_N}Cl(U)) \subseteq Cl(M) \subseteq V.$$

Hence f is strongly  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): The proof follows immediately from the definitions.

**Corollary 3.14.** Let  $(Y,\rho)$  be a regular space. Then, for a function  $f:(X,\tau,G) \to (Y,\rho)$ , the following properties are equivalent:

1. *f* is  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$  precontinuous.

- 2. f is an almost  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.
- 3. *f* is weakly  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.
- 4. *f* is  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.
- 5. *f* is strongly  $\theta G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous.

#### 4. Conclusion

The applications of  $G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precontinuous functions is very important in the area of mathematics, computer sciences and other areas. The notions in this article have been developed for the last notions in a grill topological space by giving a new concept. Moreover, they will play a significant role in solving some mathematical problems. We suggest to study notions of  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -disconnected sets,  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -connected,  $\theta - G_{\mathcal{N}}$ -precompact sets, and separation axioms.

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