

## **$\beta$ -Homeomorphisms in Topological Ordered Spaces**

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### **ABSTRACT**

In this paper, we introduce I- $\beta$ -homeomorphisms, D- $\beta$ -homeomorphisms and B- $\beta$ -homeomorphisms for topological ordered spaces after introducing I- $\beta$ -continuous maps, D- $\beta$ -continuous maps, B- $\beta$ -continuous maps, I- $\beta$ -open maps, D- $\beta$ -open maps, B- $\beta$ -open maps, I- $\beta$ -closed maps, D- $\beta$ -closed maps and B- $\beta$ -closed maps for topological ordered spaces together with their characterizations.

**KEYWORDS AND PHRASES.** Topological ordered spaces, semi-open sets, semi-closed sets, pre-open sets, pre-closed sets,  $\alpha$ -open sets,  $\alpha$ -closed sets,  $\beta$ -open sets,  $\beta$ -closed sets increasing sets, decreasing sets, semi-continuous map, pre-continuous map,  $\alpha$ -continuous map,  $\beta$ -continuous map, semi-open map, pre-open map,  $\alpha$ -open map,  $\beta$ -open map, semi-closed map, pre-closed map,  $\alpha$ -closed map and  $\beta$ -closed map.

1. **INTRODUCTION.** Leopoldo Nachbin [11] initiated the study of topological ordered spaces. A topological ordered space is a triple  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ , where  $\tau$  is a topology on  $X$  and  $\leq$  is a partial order on  $X$ . Let  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  be a topological ordered space. For any  $x \in X$ ,  $[x, \rightarrow] = \{y \in X / x \leq y\}$  and  $[\leftarrow, x] = \{y \in X / y \leq x\}$ . A subset  $A$  of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be increasing if  $A = i(A)$  and decreasing if  $A = d(A)$ , where  $i(A) = \bigcup_{a \in A} [a, \rightarrow]$  and  $d(A) = \bigcup_{a \in A} [\leftarrow, a]$ . Observe that the complement of an increasing set is a decreasing set and the complement of a decreasing set is an increasing set. A subset of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be balanced if it is both increasing and decreasing. M.K.R.S. Veera Kumar [13] studied different types of maps between topological ordered-spaces. Abd-El-Monsef et al [1] introduced  $\beta$ -open sets and  $\beta$ -closed sets. A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called an  $\alpha$ -open set [12] if  $A \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)))$  and  $\alpha$ -closed [8] set if  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(A))) \subseteq A$ . A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $\beta$ -open set [1] (semi-pre-open set [2]) if  $A \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(A)))$  and  $\beta$ -closed set [1] (semi-pre-closed set) if  $\text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(A))) \subseteq A$ . A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a pre-open set [7] if  $A \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(A))$  and a pre-closed set if  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ , a semi-open set [6] if  $A \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(A))$  and a semi-closed set if  $\text{int}(\text{cl}(A)) \subseteq A$ .

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**LEMMA 1.1.** Every semi-closed set is a  $\beta$ -closed set.

**LEMMA 1.2.** Every pre-closed set is a  $\beta$ -closed set.

**LEMMA 1.3.** Every  $\alpha$ -closed set is a  $\beta$ -closed set.

Note that the complement of  $\beta$ -open set is  $\beta$ -closed and vice versa. We denote the complement of A by  $C(A)$ .

For a subset A of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ , we define

$i\beta cl(A) = \cap \{F/F \text{ is an increasing } \beta\text{-closed subset of } X \text{ containing } A\}$ ,

$d\beta cl(A) = \cap \{F/F \text{ is decreasing } \beta\text{-closed subset of } X \text{ containing } A\}$ ,

$b\beta cl(A) = \cap \{F/F \text{ is a balanced } \beta\text{-closed subset of } X \text{ containing } A\}$ ,

$A^{i\beta o} = \cup \{G/G \text{ is an increasing } \beta\text{-open subset of } X \text{ contained in } A\}$ ,

$A^{d\beta o} = \cup \{G/G \text{ is an decreasing } \beta\text{-open subset of } X \text{ contained in } A\}$  and

$A^{b\beta o} = \cup \{G/G \text{ is a balanced } \beta\text{-open subset of } X \text{ contained in } A\}$ .

Clearly  $i\beta cl(A)$  (resp.  $d\beta cl(A)$ ,  $b\beta cl(A)$ ) is the smallest increasing (resp. decreasing, balanced)  $\beta$ -closed set containing A.

$I\beta O(X)$  (resp.  $D\beta O(X)$ ,  $B\beta O(X)$ ) denotes the collection of all increasing (resp. decreasing, balanced)  $\beta$ -open subsets of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .  $I\beta C(X)$  (resp.  $D\beta C(X)$ ,  $B\beta C(X)$ ) denotes the collection of all increasing (resp. decreasing, balanced)  $\beta$ -closed subsets of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .

A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\beta$ -continuous [ 1 ] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a  $\beta$ -closed set of  $(X, \tau)$  for every closed set V of  $(Y, \sigma)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\beta$ -open [1] if  $f(G)$  is  $\beta$ -open set in Y for every open set G of X. A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\beta$ -closed [1] if  $f(F)$  is  $\beta$ -closed set in Y for each closed set F of X. A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called semi-continuous [6] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a semi-open set of  $(X, \tau)$  for every open set V of  $(Y, \sigma)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called pre-continuous [7] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a pre-closed set of  $(X, \tau)$  for every closed set V of  $(Y, \sigma)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\alpha$ -continuous [ 8 ] if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is an  $\alpha$ -closed set of  $(X, \tau)$  for every closed set V of  $(Y, \sigma)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called pre-open map if  $f(G)$  is a pre-open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set G of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\alpha$ -open map if  $f(G)$  is an  $\alpha$ -open set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every open set G of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called semi-closed map if  $f(G)$  is a semi-closed set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every closed set G of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called pre-closed map if  $f(G)$  is a pre-closed set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every closed set G of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$  is called  $\alpha$ -closed map if  $f(G)$  is an  $\alpha$ -closed set in  $(Y, \sigma)$  for every closed set G of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called I-semi-continuous [5] (resp. D-semi-continuous, B-semi-continuous) map if  $f^{-1}(G) \in ISO(X)$  (resp.  $f^{-1}(G) \in DSO(X)$ ,  $f^{-1}(G) \in BSO(X)$ ) whenever G is an open set of  $(X^*, \tau^*)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called I-pre-continuous [4] (resp. D-pre-continuous, B-pre-continuous) map if  $f^{-1}(G) \in IPC(X)$  ( resp  $f^{-1}(G) \in DP C(X)$ ,  $f^{-1}(G) \in BP C(X)$ ) whenever G is an closed set of  $(X^*, \tau^*)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called I- $\alpha$ -continuous [ 3 ] (resp. D- $\alpha$ -continuous, B- $\alpha$ -continuous) map if  $f^{-1}(G) \in I\alpha C(X)$  (resp  $f^{-1}(G) \in D\alpha C(X)$ ,  $f^{-1}(G) \in B\alpha C(X)$ ) whenever G is an closed set of

$(X^*, \tau^*)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-semi-open [5] (resp. a D-semi-open, B-semi-open) map if  $f(G) \in \text{ISO}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{DSO}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{BSO}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is an open subset of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-pre-open [4] (resp. a D-pre-open, B-pre-open) map if  $f(G) \in \text{IPO}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{DPO}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{BPO}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is an open subset of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\alpha$ -open [3] (resp. a D- $\alpha$ -open, B- $\alpha$ -open) map if  $f(G) \in \text{I}\alpha\text{O}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{D}\alpha\text{O}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{B}\alpha\text{O}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is an open subset of  $(X, \tau)$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-semi-closed [5] (resp. a D-semi-closed, a B-semi-closed) map if  $f(G) \in \text{ISC}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{DSC}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{BSC}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is a closed subset of  $X$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-pre-closed [4] (resp. a D-pre-closed, a B-pre-closed) map if  $f(G) \in \text{IPC}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{DPC}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{BPC}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is a closed subset of  $X$ . A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\alpha$ -closed [3] (resp. a D- $\alpha$ -closed, a B- $\alpha$ -closed) map if  $f(G) \in \text{I}\alpha\text{C}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{D}\alpha\text{C}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{B}\alpha\text{C}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is a closed subset of  $X$ . A bijection  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-semi-homeomorphism [5] (resp. a D-semi-homeomorphism, a B-semi-homeomorphism) if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are I-semi-continuous (resp. D-semi-continuous and B-semi-continuous). A bijection  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I-pre-homeomorphism [4] (resp. a D-pre-homeomorphism, a B-pre-homeomorphism) if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are I-pre-continuous (resp. D-pre-continuous and B-pre-continuous). A bijection  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism [3] (resp. a D- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism, a B- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism) if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are I- $\alpha$ -continuous (resp. D- $\alpha$ -continuous and B- $\alpha$ -continuous).

Authors studied Semi-homeomorphisms in Topological Ordered Spaces [5] pre-homeomorphisms in Topological Ordered Spaces [4] and  $\alpha$ -homeomorphisms in Topological Ordered Spaces [3].

## 2. I- $\beta$ -CONTINUOUS, D- $\beta$ -CONTINUOUS AND B- $\beta$ -CONTINUOUS MAPS

We introduce the following definition.

**DEFINITION 2.01.** A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\beta$ -continuous (resp. D- $\beta$ -continuous, B- $\beta$ -continuous) maps if  $f^{-1}(V) \in \text{I}\beta\text{C}(X)$ , (resp.  $f^{-1}(V) \in \text{D}\beta\text{C}(X)$ ,  $f^{-1}(V) \in \text{B}\beta\text{C}(X)$ ) whenever  $V$  is closed in  $X$ .

It is evident that every  $x$ - $\beta$ -continuous map is  $\beta$ -continuous for  $x = I, D, B$  and that every B- $\beta$ -continuous map is both I- $\beta$ -continuous and D- $\beta$ -continuous.

The following example shows that a  $\beta$ -continuous map need not be  $x$ - $\beta$ -continuous for  $x = I, D, B$ .

**EXAMPLE 2.01.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$   $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c)\}$ . Clearly  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a topological ordered space. Let  $f$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto itself.  $\{a, c\}$  is closed set in  $X$ . But  $f^{-1}(\{a, c\})$  is neither an increasing nor a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set. Thus  $f$  is not  $x$ - $\beta$ -continuous for  $x = I, D, B$ .

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a B- $\beta$ -continuous.

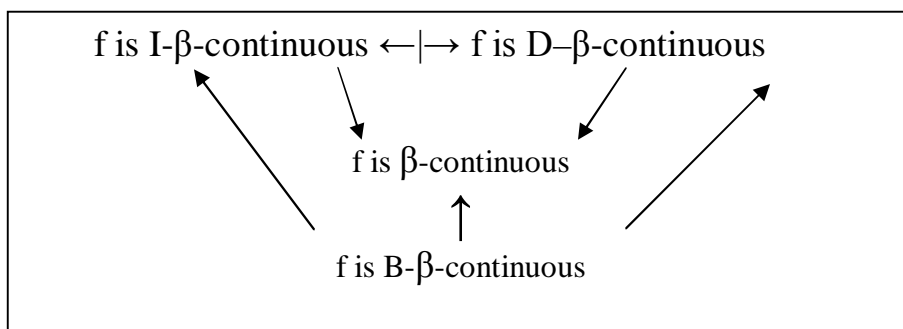
**EXAMPLE 2.02.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (b, a)\}$  and  $\leq^* = \{(a, b), (b, b), (c, c)\}$ . Let  $g$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ . Then  $g$  is not a B- $\beta$ -continuous, however  $g$  is a D- $\beta$ -continuous map.

The following example supports that an I- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a B- $\beta$  continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.03.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c), (b, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is an identity map then  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -continuous but not a B- $\beta$ -continuous map.

**2.01 Thus we have the following diagram.**

For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$



,where  $p \rightarrow q$  (resp.  $p \leftarrow | \rightarrow q$ ) represents  $p$  implies  $q$  but  $q$  need not imply  $p$  (resp.  $p$  and  $q$  are independent of each other)

The following theorem characterizes I- $\beta$ -continuous maps.

**THEOREM 2.01.** For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -continuous.
- 2)  $f(i\beta cl(A)) \subseteq cl(f(A))$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $i\beta cl(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(B))$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .
- 4) For any closed subset  $K$  of  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ ,  $f^{-1}(K)$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Since  $cl(f(A))$  is closed in  $X^*$  and  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -continuous we have that  $f^{-1}(cl(f(A)))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -closed set in  $X$ .  $f(A) \subseteq cl(f(A)) \Rightarrow A \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(f(A)))$  and  $i\beta cl(A)$  is the smallest increasing  $\beta$ -closed set containing  $A$ . Therefore  $i\beta cl(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(f(A)))$ . Here  $f(i\beta cl(A)) \subseteq cl(f(A))$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Put  $A = f^{-1}(B)$ . Then  $f(A) \subseteq B$  and  $cl(f(A)) \subseteq cl(B)$ . Therefore  $i\beta cl(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(B))$

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4) Let  $K$  be any closed set in  $X^*$ . From (3)  $i\beta cl(f^{-1}(K)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(K)) = f^{-1}(K)$ . Clearly  $f^{-1}(K) \subseteq i\beta cl(f^{-1}(K))$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(K)$  is increasing  $\beta$ -closed set in  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  whenever  $K$  is closed in  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ .

(4)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) follows from definition.

**THEOREM 2.02.** For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $D$ - $\beta$ -continuous.
- 2)  $f(d\beta cl(A)) \subseteq cl(f(A))$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $d\beta cl(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(B))$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .
- 4) For every closed subset  $K$  of  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ ,  $f^{-1}(K)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .

**THEOREM 2.03.** For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $B$ - $\beta$ -continuous.
- 2)  $f(b\beta cl(A)) \subseteq cl(f(A))$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $b\beta cl(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl(B))$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .
- 4) For every closed subset  $K$  of  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ ,  $f^{-1}(K)$  is a balanced  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .

**THEOREM 2.04.** Every  $I$ -semi-continuous map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map need not be an  $I$ -semi-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.04.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a  $I$ -semi-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.05.** Every  $I$ -pre-continuous map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map need not be an  $I$ -pre-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.05.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map, but not an  $I$ -pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.06.** Every  $I$ - $\alpha$ -continuous map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map need not be an  $I$ - $\alpha$ -continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.06.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map, but not an  $I$ - $\alpha$ -continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.07.** Every D-semi-continuous map is a D- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a D-semi-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.07.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a D-semi-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.08.** Every D-pre-continuous map is a D- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a D-pre-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.08.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a D-pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.09.** Every D- $\alpha$ -continuous map is a D- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a D- $\alpha$ -continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.09.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a D- $\alpha$ -continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.10.** Every B-semi-continuous map is a B- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a B-semi-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.10.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and let  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a B-semi-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.11.** Every B-pre-continuous map is a B- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a B-pre-continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.11.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -continuous map, but not a B-pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 2.12.** Every B- $\alpha$ -continuous map is a B- $\beta$ -continuous.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -continuous map need not be a B- $\alpha$ -continuous map.

**EXAMPLE 2.12.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is a B- $\beta$ -continuous map but not a B- $\alpha$ -continuous map.

### 3. I- $\beta$ -OPEN, D- $\beta$ -OPEN AND B- $\beta$ -OPEN MAPS.

**DEFINITION 3.01.** A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\beta$ -open map (resp. D- $\beta$ -open map, B- $\beta$ -open map) if  $f(G) \in I\beta O(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in D\beta O(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in B\beta O(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is an open subset of  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ .

It is evident that every x- $\beta$ -open map is an  $\beta$ -open map for  $x = I, D, B$  and that every B- $\beta$ -open map is both I- $\beta$ -open and D- $\beta$ -open.

The following example shows that a  $\beta$ -open map need not be a x- $\beta$ -open map for  $x = I, D, B$ .

**EXAMPLE 3.01.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c)\}$ . Clearly  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a topological ordered space. Let  $f$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto itself.  $\{b\}$  is an open set in  $X$  but  $f(\{b\}) = \{b\}$  is not an I- $\beta$ -open set, not a D- $\beta$ -open set, not a B- $\beta$ -open set in  $X^*$ . Therefore  $f$  is not an I- $\beta$ -open map, not a D- $\beta$ -open map and not a B- $\beta$ -open map. Clearly  $f$  is a  $\beta$ -open map.

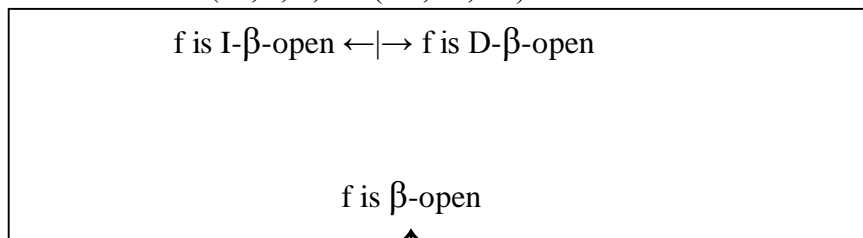
The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -open map need not be a B- $\beta$ -open map.

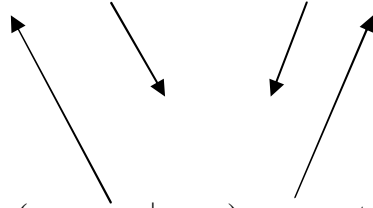
**EXAMPLE 3.02.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\} = \tau^*$ ,  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c)\}$  and  $\leq^* = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c), (b, c)\}$ . Let  $\theta$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ .  $\theta$  is D- $\beta$ -open map but not B- $\beta$ -open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.03.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (c, a), (b, c), (b, a)\} = \leq^*$ . Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be the identity map. Then  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open map but not a B- $\beta$ -open map.

#### 3.01 Thus we have the following diagram

For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$





,where  $p \rightarrow q$  (resp.  $p \leftarrow q$ ) represents  $p$  implies  $q$  but  $q$  need not imply  $p$  (resp.  $p$  and  $q$  are independent of each other).

**LEMMA 3.01.** Let  $A$  be any subset of a topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$ . Then

- 1)  $C(d\beta cl(A)) = (C(A))^{i\beta o}$ .
- 2)  $C(i\beta cl(A)) = (C(A))^{d\beta o}$ .
- 3)  $C(b\beta cl(A)) = (C(A))^{b\beta o}$ .

**Proof.**  $C(d\beta cl(A)) = C\{\cap F/F \text{ is a decreasing } \beta\text{-closed subset of } X \text{ containing } A\}$   
 $= \cup \{C(F)/F \text{ is a decreasing } \beta\text{-closed subset of } X \text{ containing } A\}$   
 $= \cup \{G/G \text{ is an increasing } \beta\text{-open subset of } X \text{ contained in } C(A)\}$   
 $= (C(A))^{i\beta o}$ .

Proofs of (2) and (3) are analogous to as that of (1) and hence omitted

The following theorem characterizes I- $\beta$ -open functions.

**THEOREM 3.01.** For any function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $f(A^0) \subseteq [f(A)]^{i\beta o}$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $[f^{-1}(B)]^0 = f^{-1}(B^{i\beta o})$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (3). Since  $[f^{-1}(B)]^0$  is open in  $X$  and  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open,  $f([f^{-1}(B)]^0) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq B$ , then  $f([f^{-1}(B)]^0)$  is I- $\beta$ -open in  $X^*$  contained in  $B$ . Then  $f([f^{-1}(B)]^0) \subseteq B^{i\beta o}$  since  $B^{i\beta o}$  is the largest increasing  $\beta$ -open set contained in  $B$ . Therefore  $[f^{-1}(B)]^0 \subseteq f^{-1}(B^{i\beta o})$

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Replacing  $B$  by  $f(A)$  in (3), we have  $[f^{-1}(f(A))]^0 \subseteq f^{-1}([f(A)]^{i\beta o})$ . Since  $A^0 \subseteq [f^{-1}(f(A))]^0$ , we have  $A^0 \subseteq f^{-1}([f(A)]^{i\beta o})$ .  $f(A^0) \subseteq f(f^{-1}([f(A)]^{i\beta o})) \subseteq [f(A)]^{i\beta o}$ . Hence  $f(A^0) \subseteq [f(A)]^{i\beta o}$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1). Let  $G$  be any open set in  $X$ . Then  $f(G) = f(G^0) \subseteq [f(G)]^{i\beta o} \subseteq f(G)$ . Therefore  $f(G)$  is an increasing  $\beta$  open set in  $X^*$  and hence  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open map.

The following two theorems give characterizations for D- $\beta$ -open map and B- $\beta$ -open maps, whose proofs are similar to as that of the above theorem.

**THEOREM 3.02.** For any function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent.



- 1)  $f$  is  $D$ - $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $f(A^0) \subseteq [f(A)]^{d\beta_0}$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $[f^{-1}(B)]^0 \subseteq f^{-1}(B^{d\beta_0})$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .

**THEOREM 3.03.** For any function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ , the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $[f(A^0)] \subseteq [f(A)]^{b\beta_0}$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .
- 3)  $[f^{-1}(B)]^0 \subseteq f^{-1}(B^{b\beta_0})$  for any  $B \subseteq X^*$ .

**THEOREM 3.04.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, \leq_2)$  and  $g : (Y, \sigma, \leq_2) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, \leq_3)$  be any two mappings. Then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau, \leq_1) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, \leq_3)$  is  $x$ - $\beta$ -open if  $f$  is open and  $g$  is  $x$ - $\beta$ -open for  $x = I, D, B$ .

**Proof.** Omitted.

**THEOREM 3.05.** Every  $I$ -semi-open map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map need not be an  $I$ -semi-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.04.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map, but not an  $I$ -semi-open map.

**THEOREM 3.06.** Every  $I$ -pre-open map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map need not be an  $I$ -pre-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.05.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map, but not an  $I$ -pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 3.07.** Every  $I$ - $\alpha$ -open map is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map need not be an  $I$ - $\alpha$ -open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.06.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map, but not an  $I$ - $\alpha$ -open map.

**THEOREM 3.08.** Every D-semi-open map is a D- $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -open map need not be a D-semi-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.07.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -open map, but not a D-semi-open map.

**THEOREM 3.09.** Every D-pre-open map is a D- $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -open map need not be a D-pre-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.08.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -open map, but not a D-pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 3.10.** Every D- $\alpha$ -open map is a D- $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -open map need not be a D- $\alpha$ -open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.09.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -open map, but not a D- $\alpha$ -open map.

**THEOREM 3.11.** Every B-semi-open map is a B- $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -open map need not be a B-semi-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.10.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -open map, but not a B-semi-open map.

**THEOREM 3.12.** Every B-pre-open map is a B- $\beta$ -open map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -open map need not be a B-pre-open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.11.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a B- $\beta$ -open map, but not a B-pre-continuous map.

**THEOREM 3.13.** Every B- $\alpha$ -open map is a B- $\beta$ -open.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -open map need not be a B- $\alpha$ -open map.

**EXAMPLE 3.12.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -open map, but not a B- $\alpha$ -open map.

#### 4. I- $\beta$ -CLOSED, D- $\beta$ -CLOSED AND B- $\beta$ -CLOSED MAPS

**DEFINITION 4.01.** A function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called an I- $\beta$ -closed (resp. D- $\beta$  closed, B- $\beta$ -closed) map if  $f(G) \in \text{I}\beta\text{C}(X^*)$  (resp.  $f(G) \in \text{D}\beta\text{C}(X^*)$ ,  $f(G) \in \text{B}\beta\text{C}(X^*)$ ) whenever  $G$  is a closed subset of  $X$ . Clearly every x- $\beta$ -closed map is a  $\beta$ -closed map for  $x = \text{I, D, B}$  and every B- $\beta$ -closed map is both I- $\beta$ -closed and D- $\beta$ -closed map.

The following example shows that a  $\beta$ -closed map need not be a x- $\beta$ -closed for  $x = \text{I, D, B}$

**EXAMPLE 4.01.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c)\}$ . Clearly  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a topological ordered space. Let  $f$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto itself.  $\{a, c\}$  is closed set but  $f(\{a, b\})$  is neither an increasing nor a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set. Thus  $f$  is not x- $\beta$ -closed map for  $x = \text{I, D, B}$ . Clearly  $f$  is  $\beta$ -closed map.

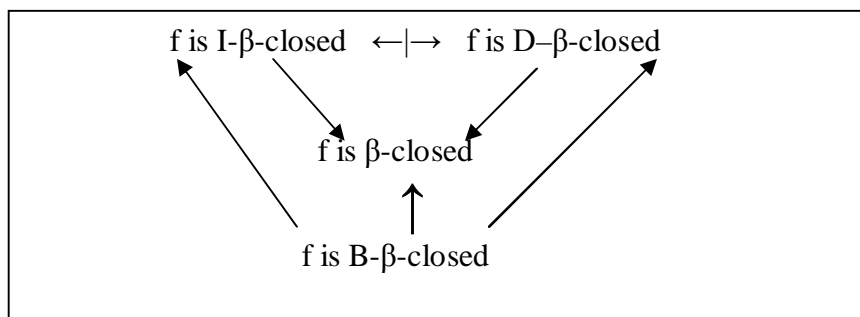
The following example shows that an I- $\beta$ -closed map need not be a B- $\beta$ -closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.02.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$ ,  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c)\}$  and  $\leq^* = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c), (b, c)\}$ . Let  $\theta$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ .  $\theta$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map but not a B- $\beta$ -closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.03.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\} = \tau^*$ ,  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c)\} = \leq^*$  and  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be the identity map. Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -closed map but not a B- $\beta$ -closed map.

#### 4.01 Thus we have the following diagram

For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$



,where  $p \rightarrow q$  (resp.  $p \leftarrow | \rightarrow q$ ) represents  $p$  implies  $q$ , but  $q$  need not imply  $p$  ( $p$  and  $q$  are independent of each other)

The following theorem characterizes I- $\beta$ -closed maps.

**THEOREM 4.01.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be any map. Then  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -closed iff  $i\beta cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A))$  for any  $A \subseteq X$ .

**Proof.** Necessity: Since  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -closed,  $f(cl(A))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X$ . Clearly  $f(A) \subseteq f(cl(A))$ . Therefore  $i\beta cl(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl(A))$  since  $i\beta cl(f(A))$  is the smallest increasing  $\beta$ -closed set in  $X^*$  containing  $f(A)$ .

Sufficiency: Let  $F$  be any  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X$ . Then  $f(F) \subseteq i\beta cl(f(F)) \subseteq f(cl(F)) = f(F)$ . Thus  $f(F) = i\beta cl(f(F))$ . So  $f(F)$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X^*$ . Therefore  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map.

The following two theorems characterize D- $\beta$ -closed maps and B- $\beta$ -closed maps.

**THEOREM 4.02.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be any map. Then  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -closed iff  $d\beta cl(A) \subseteq f(cl(A))$  for every  $A \subseteq X$ .

**Proof.** Omitted.

**THEOREM 4.03.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be any map. Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -closed iff  $b\beta cl(A) \subseteq f(cl(A))$  for every  $A \subseteq X$ .

**Proof.** Omitted

**THEOREM 4.04.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijection. Then

- 1)  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -open iff  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -closed
- 2)  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -closed iff  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -open
- 3)  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -open iff  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -closed.

**Proof.(1)** Necessity. Let  $F$  be any closed subset of  $X$ . Then  $f(C(F))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open subset of  $X^*$ . Since  $f(C(F)) = C(f(F))$  and  $C(f(F))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open subset of  $X^*$ ,  $f(F)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X^*$ . Therefore  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -closed.

Sufficiency. Let  $G$  be any open subset of  $X$ . Then  $f(C(G))$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X^*$ . Since  $f$  is a bijection, we have  $f(C(G)) = C(f(G))$ . So  $f(G)$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open subset of  $X^*$ . Therefore  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open map.

Proofs of (2) and (3) are similar to that of (1).

**THEOREM 4.05.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq_1) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, \leq_2)$  and  $g : (Y, \sigma, \leq_2) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, \leq_3)$  be any two mappings. Then  $g \circ f : (X, \tau, \leq_1) \rightarrow (Z, \eta, \leq_3)$  is  $x$ - $\beta$ -closed if  $f$  is closed and  $g$  is  $x$ - $\beta$ -closed for  $x=I,D,B$ .

**Proof.** Omitted

**THEOREM 4.06.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijection. Then the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -closed map.
- 3)  $f^{-1}$  is a D- $\beta$ -continuous map.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Let  $f$  be I- $\beta$ -open map. Let  $F$  be closed set of  $X$ , then  $C(F)$  is open.  $f(C(F))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open set of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow C(f(F))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open set of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow f(F)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow f$  is D- $\beta$ -closed map.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3). Let  $f$  be a D- $\beta$ -closed map. Let  $F$  be closed in  $X$ , then  $f(F)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow [f^{-1}]^{-1}(F)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow f^{-1} : X^* \rightarrow X$  is D- $\beta$ -continuous.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) Let  $F$  be open in  $X$ . Then  $C(F)$  is closed in  $X$ .  $\Rightarrow [f^{-1}]^{-1}(C(F))$  is a decreasing closed subset of  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow C(f(F))$  is a decreasing closed set in  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow f(F)$  is an increasing open set in  $X^*$ .  $\Rightarrow f$  is I- $\beta$ -open.

**THEOREM 4.07.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijection. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map.
- 3)  $f^{-1}$  is D- $\beta$ -continuous map.

**Proof.** Omitted

**THEOREM 4.08.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijection. Then the following statements are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -open map.
- 2)  $f$  is an B- $\beta$ -closed map.
- 3)  $f^{-1}$  is a B- $\beta$ -continuous map.

**Proof.** Omitted

**THEOREM 4.09.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be an I- $\beta$ -closed map and  $B, C \subseteq X^*$ . Then.

- 1) If  $U$  is an open neighborhood of  $f^{-1}(B)$ , then there exists a decreasing  $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $B$  such that  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ .
- 2) If  $f^{-1}(B)$  and  $f^{-1}(C)$  have disjoint neighborhoods, then  $B$  and  $C$  have disjoint  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods.

**Proof.** Let  $U$  be an open neighborhood of  $f^{-1}(B)$ . Take  $C(V) = f(C(U))$ . Since  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map and  $C(V)$  is closed, then  $C(V) = f(C(U))$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -closed subset of  $X$ . Since  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$ , then  $C(V) = f(C(U)) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(C(U))) \subseteq C(B)$ . Therefore  $B \subseteq V$ . Thus  $V$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $B$ .  $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$ . Further  $C(U) \subseteq f^{-1}(f(C(U))) = f^{-1}(C(V)) = C(f^{-1}(V)) \Rightarrow f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ . Let  $U_B, U_C$  be disjoint open neighborhoods of  $f^{-1}(B), f^{-1}(C)$ , where  $B, C \subseteq X^*$ . From (1) there exists  $V_B, V_C$  such that  $B \subseteq V_B, C \subseteq V_C$ . Also  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V_B) \subseteq U_B, f^{-1}(C) \subseteq f^{-1}(V_C) \subseteq U_C$  where  $V_B, V_C$  are decreasing closed neighborhoods of  $B$  and  $C$  respectively. Since  $U_B \cap U_C = \phi; f^{-1}(V_B) \cap f^{-1}(V_C) = \phi. \Rightarrow V_B \cap V_C = \phi$ .

Similarly we have the following two theorems (proofs are omitted) regarding D- $\beta$ -closed maps and B- $\beta$ -closed maps.

**THEOREM 4.10.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a D- $\beta$ -closed map and  $B, C, \subseteq X^*$ . Then

1. If  $U$  is an open neighborhood of  $f^{-1}(B)$ , then there exists an increasing  $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $B$  such that  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$
2. If  $f^{-1}(B)$  and  $f^{-1}(C)$  have disjoint neighborhoods, then  $f^{-1}(B)$  and  $f^{-1}(C)$  have disjoint increasing  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods.

**THEOREM 4.11.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a B- $\beta$ -closed map and  $B, C, \subseteq X^*$ . Then

1. If  $U$  is an open neighborhood of  $f^{-1}(B)$ , then there exists an  $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $B$ , which is balanced such that  $f^{-1}(B) \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$
2. If  $f^{-1}(B)$  and  $f^{-1}(C)$  have disjoint neighborhoods, then  $f^{-1}(B)$  and  $f^{-1}(C)$  have disjoint balanced  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods.

**THEOREM 4.12.** Every I-semi-closed map is an I- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that an I- $\beta$ -closed map need not be an I-semi-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.04.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}, \tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b, f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is I- $\beta$ -closed map, but not an I-semi-closed map.

**THEOREM 4.13.** Every I-pre-closed map is an I- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that an I- $\beta$ -closed map need not be an I-pre-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.05.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = b$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map, but not an I- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**THEOREM 4.14.** Every I- $\alpha$ -closed map is an I- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that an I- $\beta$ -closed map need not be an I- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.06.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -closed map, but not an I- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**THEOREM 4.15.** Every D-semi-closed map is a D- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -closed map need not be a D-semi-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.07.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -closed map, but not a D-semi-closed map.

**THEOREM 4.16.** Every D-pre-closed map is a D- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -closed map need not be D-pre-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.08.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = b$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -closed map but not a D-pre-closed map.

**THEOREM 4.17.** Every D- $\alpha$ -closed map is a D- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -closed map need not be a D- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.09.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -closed map but not a D- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**THEOREM 4.18.** Every B-semi-closed map is a B- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -closed map need not be a B-semi-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.10.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = c$ . Then  $f$  is a B- $\beta$ -closed map, but not a B-semi-closed map.

**THEOREM 4.19.** Every B-pre-closed map is a B- $\beta$ -closed map..

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -closed map need not be a B-pre-closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.11.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = b$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a B- $\beta$ -closed map, but not a B-pre-closed map.

**THEOREM 4.20.** Every B- $\alpha$ -closed map is a B- $\beta$ -closed map.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -closed map need not be B- $\alpha$ -closed map.

**EXAMPLE 4.12.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = c$ ,  $f(b) = a$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a B- $\beta$ -closed map but not a B- $\alpha$ -closed map.

## 5. I- $\beta$ -HOMEOMORPHISMS, D- $\beta$ -HOMEOMORPHISMS AND B- $\beta$ -HOMEOMORPHISMS

We introduce the following definition

**DEFINITION 5.01.** A bijection  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is called I- $\beta$ -homeomorphism (resp. a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism, B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism) if both  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  are I- $\beta$ -continuous (resp. D- $\beta$ -continuous, B- $\beta$ -continuous).

Clearly every x- $\beta$ -homeomorphism is a  $\beta$ -homeomorphism for  $x = I, D, B$  and every B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism is both I- $\beta$ -homeomorphism and D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

The following example shows that a  $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a x- $\beta$ -homeomorphism for  $x= I,D,B$ .

**EXAMPLE 5.01.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, c), (a, c)\}$ . Clearly  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a topological ordered space. Let  $f$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto



itself.  $\{a, c\}$  is closed set but  $f^{-1}(\{a, c\}) = \{a, c\}$  is neither an increasing nor a decreasing  $\beta$ -closed set. Thus  $f$  is not  $x$ - $\beta$ -continuous for  $x = I, D, B$ . However  $f$  is  $\beta$ -continuous.  $f$  is a  $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not  $x$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism for  $x = I, D, B$

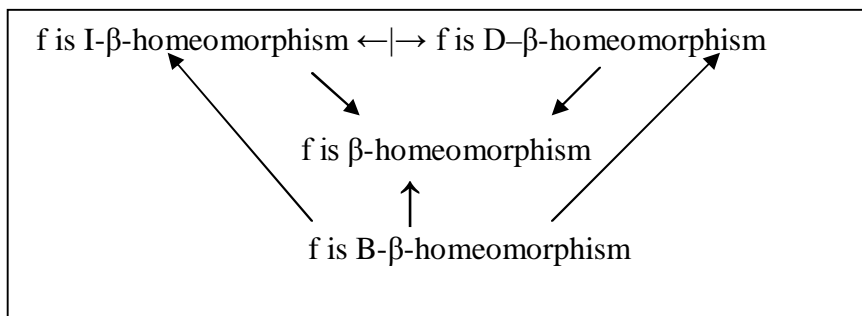
The following example shows that a  $D$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.02.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\} = \tau^*$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (b, a)\}$ . Let  $g$  be the identity map from  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  onto  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$ .  $g$  is a  $D$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.03.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ;  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, c), (b, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be the identity map. Then  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**5.01 Thus we have the following diagram**

For a function  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$



, where  $p \rightarrow q$  (resp.  $p \leftarrow | \rightarrow q$ ) represents  $p$  implies  $q$  but  $q$  does not imply  $p$  (resp.  $p$  and  $q$  are independent of each other)

**THEOREM 5.01.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $I$ - $\beta$ -continuous map. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.
- 2)  $f$  is  $D$ - $\beta$ -open.
- 3)  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -closed.

**Proof.** Follows from the theorem 4.07.

**THEOREM 5.02.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be bijection and  $D$ - $\beta$ -continuous map. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $D$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.
- 2)  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -open.
- 3)  $f$  is  $D$ - $\beta$ -closed.

**Proof.** Follows from the theorem 4.06.

**THEOREM 5.03.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijection,  $B$ - $\beta$ -continuous map. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1)  $f$  is  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.
- 2)  $f$  is a  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map.
- 3)  $f$  is a  $B$ - $\beta$ -closed map.

Standard separation axioms for topological ordered spaces have been studied systematically by S.D.McCartan [9,10] Now we examine the separation properties of range spaces under some of these mappings.

**DEFINITION 5.02.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be upper strongly  $T_1$ -ordered iff for each pair of elements  $a \not\leq b$  in  $X$ , there exists a decreasing  $\tau$ -open neighborhood  $W$  of  $b$  such that  $a \notin W$ .

**DEFINITION 5.03.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be lower strongly  $T_1$ -ordered iff for each pair of elements  $a \not\geq b$  in  $X$ , there exists an increasing open neighborhood  $W$  of  $a$  such that  $b \notin W$ .  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be strongly  $T_1$  ordered iff it is both lower and upper strongly  $T_1$ -ordered.

**DEFINITION 5.04.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be upper strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered iff for each pair of elements  $a \not\leq b$  in  $X$ , there exists a decreasing  $\tau$   $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $W$  of  $b$  such that  $a \notin W$ .

**DEFINITION 5.05.** A topological order space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be lower strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered iff for each pair of elements  $a \not\geq b$  in  $X$  there exists an increasing  $\tau$ - $\beta$ -open neighborhood  $W$  of  $a$  such that  $b \notin W$ .  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be strongly  $T_1$ -ordered iff it is both lower and upper strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered

**THEOREM 5.04.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $I$ - $\beta$ -open map as well as a poset isomorphism (i.e.  $x \leq y$  iff  $f(x) \leq^* f(y) : \forall x, y \in X$ ). If  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a lower strongly  $T_1$ -ordered space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a lower strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered space.

**Proof.**  $a, b \in X^*$  such that  $a \not\leq^* b$ . Then  $f^{-1}(a) \not\leq f^{-1}(b)$ . Since  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is a lower strongly  $T_1$ -ordered space, there exists an increasing open neighborhood  $U$  of  $f^{-1}(a)$  such that  $f^{-1}(b) \notin U$ . Thus  $f(U)$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open neighborhood of  $f(f^{-1}(a)) = a$  such that  $b = f(f^{-1}(b)) \notin f(U)$ . Therefore  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a lower strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered space.

**THEOREM 5.05.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $D$ - $\beta$ -open map as well as a poset isomorphism. If  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is an upper strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is upper strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered space.

**Proof.** Similar to as that of the theorem 5.04.

**THEOREM 5.06.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map. If  $f$  is a poset isomorphism and  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is strongly  $T_1$ -ordered space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered space

**Proof.** Follows from the theorems 5.04 and 5.05.

**DEFINITION 5.06.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is called strongly  $\beta$ - $T_2$ -ordered (or strongly  $\beta$ -Hausdorff ordered or strongly  $\beta$ -Hausdorff closed) if for each pair of elements  $a \not\leq b$  in  $X$ , there exists  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods  $U$  and  $V$  of  $a$  and  $b$  respectively such that  $U$  is an increasing set and  $V$  is a decreasing set.

**THEOREM 5.07.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be bijective  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map. If  $(X, \tau)$  is a Hausdorff space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is strongly  $\beta$ -Hausdorff ordered space.

**Proof.** Let  $a, b \in X^*$  such that  $a \not\leq^* b$ . Then  $f^{-1}(a) \neq f^{-1}(b)$ . Since  $H$  is Hausdorff, there exists disjoint  $\tau$ -open neighborhoods  $U$  and  $V$  of  $f^{-1}(a)$  and  $f^{-1}(b)$  respectively. Since  $f$  is  $B$ - $\beta$ -open then  $f(U)$  and  $f(V)$  are two disjoint  $\tau^*$   $\beta$ -open neighborhoods of  $a$  and  $b$  respectively such that  $f(U)$  is an increasing set and  $f(V)$  is a decreasing set. Therefore  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a strongly Hausdorff ordered space.

**DEFINITION 5.07.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be a lower (an upper) strongly regular ordered space iff for each element  $a \notin F$  there exists  $\tau$ -open neighborhoods  $U$  of  $a$  and  $V$  of  $F$  such that  $U$  is an increasing (a decreasing) and  $V$  is a decreasing (an increasing) set in  $X$  and  $U \cap V = \phi$ .

**DEFINITION 5.08.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be a lower (upper) strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered space iff for each decreasing (an increasing)  $\tau$ -closed set  $F$  and for each element  $a$  of  $F$ , there exist  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods  $U$  of  $a$  and  $V$  of  $F$  such that  $U$  is an increasing (a decreasing) and  $V$  is a decreasing (an increasing) set in  $X$  and  $U \cap V = \phi$ .  $X$  is called strongly  $\beta$ -regular if it is upper and lower strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered space.

**THEOREM 5.08.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $D$ -continuous map and a  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map. If  $(X, \tau)$  is regular space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a lower strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered space.

**Proof.** Let  $F$  be a decreasing closed subset of  $X^*$  and  $a \in X^*$  such that  $a \notin F$ . Since  $f$  is  $D$ -continuous  $f^{-1}(F)$  is a decreasing closed set in  $X$ . Since  $f^{-1}(a) \notin f^{-1}(F)$  and  $X$  is regular there exists two disjoint open neighborhoods  $U$  of  $f^{-1}(a)$ ,  $V$  of  $f^{-1}(F)$  in  $X$ . Since  $f$  is  $B$ - $\beta$ -open,  $f^{-1}(U)$  is an increasing  $\beta$ -open set and  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a decreasing  $\beta$ -open in  $X^*$ . Also  $a \in f(U)$ ,  $F \subseteq f(V)$ .  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is lower strongly  $B$ -regular ordered space.

**THEOREM 5.09.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $D$ -continuous,  $B$ -open map. If  $(X, \tau)$  is a regular space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is an upper strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered space.

**Proof.** Analogous to that of the theorem 5.08

**THEOREM 5.10.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homomorphism. If  $(X, \tau)$  is a regular space, then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered space.

**DEFINITION 5.09.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be a strongly  $\beta$ -normally ordered space iff for each pair of disjoint closed sets  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  in  $X$ , where  $F_1$  is increasing  $F_2$  is decreasing

there exists two disjoint  $\beta$ -open neighborhoods  $U_1$  of  $F_1$  and  $U_2$  of  $F_2$  such that  $U_1$  is increasing and  $U_2$  is a decreasing in  $X$ .

**DEFINITION 5.10.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be a strongly  $\beta$ - $T_3$ -ordered iff it is both strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered and strongly  $\beta$ -regular ordered

**DEFINITION 5.11.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \tau, \leq)$  is said to be a strongly  $\beta$ - $T_4$ -ordered space iff it is both strongly  $\beta$ - $T_1$ -ordered and strongly  $\beta$ -normally ordered.

**THEOREM 5.11.** Let  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  be a bijective  $B$ -continuous and  $B$ - $\beta$ -open map. Then.

- 1) If  $(X, \tau)$  is normal then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is a strongly  $\beta$ -normally ordered space.
- 2) If  $f$  is a poset isomorphism and  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_3$ , then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is strongly  $B$ - $T_3$ -ordered space (Follows from the 5.06, 5.08)
- 3) If  $f$  is a poset isomorphism and  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_4$ , then  $(X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  is strongly  $B$ - $T_4$ -ordered space. (Follows from 5.06, 5.11(1))

**THEOREM 5.12.** Every  $I$ -semi-homeomorphism is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be an  $I$ -semi-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.04.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism, but not an  $I$ -semi-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.13.** Every  $I$ -pre-homeomorphism is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism needs not be an  $I$ -pre-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.05.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = a$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism, but not an  $I$ -pre-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.14.** Every  $I$ - $\alpha$ -homeomorphism is an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that an  $I$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be an  $I$ - $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.06.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and

$\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b, f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is an I- $\beta$ -homeomorphism, but not an I- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.15.** Every D-semi-homeomorphism is a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be D-semi-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.07.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b, f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism, but not an D-semi-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.16.** Every D-pre-homeomorphism is a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a D-pre-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.08.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}, \tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = a, f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a D-pre-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.17.** Every D- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism is a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a D- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.09.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b, f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a D- $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a D- $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.18.** Every B-semi-homeomorphism is a B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.1.

The following example shows that a B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a B-semi-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.10.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b, f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism, but not a B-semi-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.19.** Every B-pre-homeomorphism is a B- $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.2.

The following example shows that a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a  $B$ -pre-homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.11.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = a$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = b$ . Then  $f$  is a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a  $B$ -pre-homeomorphism.

**THEOREM 5.20.** Every  $B$ - $\alpha$ -homeomorphism is a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism.

**Proof.** Follows from Lemma 1.3.

The following example shows that a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism need not be a  $B$ - $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

**EXAMPLE 5.12.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\} = X^*$ ,  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $\tau^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\leq = (a, a), (b, b), (c, c) = \leq^*$ . Define a map  $f : (X, \tau, \leq) \rightarrow (X^*, \tau^*, \leq^*)$  by  $f(a) = b$ ,  $f(b) = c$  and  $f(c) = a$ . Then  $f$  is a  $B$ - $\beta$ -homeomorphism but not a  $B$ - $\alpha$ -homeomorphism.

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