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## On contra Čech Mp-continuous functions in Čech closure spaces

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### Abstract

The purpose of this paper is to introduce the concept of contra Čech MP-continuous mappings in closure spaces. The properties and relationship with other types of mappings in closure spaces are obtained with examples.

**Keywords:** Contra Čech MP-continuous, contra Čech MP-irresolute functions, almost contra Čech MP-continuous, Čech MP-closed maps

### 1. Introduction

Every topological space is a closure space, we define the closure operator of the space as a function that takes any subset to its closure. Norman Levine introduced the concept of generalized closed sets as a generalization of closed sets, to investigate some topological properties. The concept of closure space is the generalization of a topological space. E. Čech<sup>[4]</sup> introduced the concept of Čech-closure spaces. Closure functions that are more general than the topological ones have been studied already by many authors<sup>[5, 6]</sup>.

Let  $(X, k)$  or simply  $X$  denote a Čech-closure space. For any subset  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $\text{int}(A)$  and  $k(A)$  denote the Čech interior and Čech closure of a set  $A$  with respect to the function  $k$ . The ideas about the concept of a continuous mapping and of a set endowed with continuous operation (Composition) play a fundamental role in general mathematical analysis. Dontchev<sup>[7]</sup> introduced the notions of contra continuity in topological spaces. In this paper, the present work has as its purpose to investigate some fundamental properties of contra Čech MP-continuous, contra Čech MP-irresolute maps. Furthermore we extend and study their characterizations.

### 2. Preliminaries

A map  $k: P(X) \rightarrow P(X)$  defined on the power set  $P(X)$  of a set  $X$  is called a closure operator on  $X$  and the pair  $(X, k)$  is called a closure space if the following axioms are satisfied.

$$k(\phi) = \phi$$

$$A \subseteq k(A) \text{ for every } A \subseteq X$$

$$k(A \cup B) = k(A) \cup k(B) \text{ for all } A, B \subseteq X$$

A closure operator  $k$  on a set  $X$  is called idempotent if  $k(A) = k[k(A)]$  for all  $A \subseteq X$ .

**2.1 Definition:** A subset  $A$  of a Čech-closure  $(X, k)$  will be called Čech closed if  $k(A) = A$  and Čech-open if its complement is closed. i.e.,  $k(X-A) = X-A$ .

**2.2 Definition:** A subset  $A$  of a Čech closure space  $(X, k)$  is said to be

1. Čech regular open if  $A = \text{int}(k(A))$  and Čech regular closed if  $A = k(\text{int}(A))$ .
2. Čech pre open if  $A \subseteq \text{int}(k(A))$  and Čech pre closed if  $k(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ . Čech semi open if  $A \subseteq k(\text{int}(A))$
3. Čech  $\alpha$ -open if  $A \subseteq \text{int}(k(\text{int}(A)))$  and Čech  $\alpha$ -closed if  $k(\text{int}(k(A))) \subseteq A$ .
4. Čech  $\beta$ -open if  $A \subseteq k(\text{int}(k(A)))$  and Čech  $\beta$ -closed if  $\text{int}(k(\text{int}(A))) \subseteq A$ .

**2.3 Definition:** A Čech closure space  $(Y, I)$  is said to be a subspace of  $(X, k)$  if  $Y \subseteq X$  and  $k(A) = k(A) \cap Y$  for each subset  $A \subseteq Y$ . If  $Y$  is closed in  $(X, k)$  then the subspace  $(Y, I)$  of  $(X, k)$  is said to be closed too.

**2.4 Definition:** Let  $(X, k)$  and  $(Y, l)$  be Čech closure space. A map  $f: (X, k) \rightarrow (Y, l)$  is said to be continuous, if  $f(kA) \subseteq l f(A)$  for every subset  $A \subseteq X$ .

**2.5 Definition:** Let  $(X, k)$  and  $(Y, l)$  be Čech closure spaces. A map  $f: (X, k) \rightarrow (Y, l)$  is said to be closed (res. open) if  $f(F)$  is a closed (res. open) subset of  $(Y, l)$  whenever  $F$  is a closed (res. open) subset of  $(X, k)$ .

**2.6 Definition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure spaces. A map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called Čech M-continuous (resp. Čech N-continuous, Čech T-continuous, Čech D-continuous) <sup>[6]</sup> if the inverse image of every open set in  $(Y, v)$  is M-open in  $(X, u)$  (resp. N-open, T-open, D-open).

**2.7 Definition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure spaces. A map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called Čech MP-continuous if the inverse image of every Čech open set in  $(Y, v)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ .

**2.8 Definition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure space and a map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called Čech MP-Irresolute, if  $f^{-1}(G)$  is Čech MP-open (closed) in  $(X, u)$  for every Čech MP-open set (closed)  $G$  in  $(Y, v)$ .

**2.9 Definition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure spaces and a map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called open map (closed map) if  $f(B)$  is open in  $(Y, v)$  for every open set (closed set)  $B$  in  $(X, u)$ .

**2.10 Definition:** A closure space  $(X, u)$  is said to be  $T_m$ -space if every Čech MP-open set in  $(X, u)$  is open.

### 3. Contra Čech MP-continuous and contra Čech MP-irresolute functions

**3.1 Definition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure spaces. A map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called contra Čech MP-continuous if the inverse image of every Čech open set in  $(Y, v)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, u)$ .

**3.2 Proposition:** Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be a map where  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  are closure spaces. Then  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous if and only if the inverse image of every closed subset of  $(Y, v)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ .

**Proof:** Consider  $F$  to be a closed subset in  $(Y, v)$ . Then  $Y-F$  is open in  $(Y, v)$ . Since  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous,  $f^{-1}(Y-F)$  is Čech MP-closed. But  $f^{-1}(Y-F) = X-f^{-1}(F)$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ . Conversely let  $G$  be an open subset in  $(Y, v)$ . Then  $Y-G$  is closed in  $(Y, v)$ . Since the inverse image of each closed subset in  $(Y, v)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ ,  $f^{-1}(Y-G)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ . But  $f^{-1}(Y-G) = X-f^{-1}(G)$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(G)$  is Čech MP-closed. Therefore  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**3.3 Proposition:** Let  $(X, u)$ ,  $(Y, v)$  and  $(Z, w)$  be closure spaces. If  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  and  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  be maps. If  $g \circ f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous and  $g$  is a closed injection. Then  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Let  $H$  be a closed subset of  $(Y, v)$ . since  $g$  is closed,  $g(H)$  is closed in  $(Z, w)$  as  $g \circ f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous,  $(g \circ f)^{-1}(g(H)) = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(g(H)))$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ . But  $g$  is injective, hence  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(g(H))) = f^{-1}(H)$ ,  $f^{-1}(H)$  is Čech MP-open. Therefore,  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**3.4 Proposition:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Z, w)$  be closure space and  $(Y, v)$  be a  $T_m$ -space. If  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  and  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  are contra Čech MP-continuous maps. Then  $g \circ f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Let  $H$  be closed in  $(Z, w)$ . Since  $g$  is contra Čech MP-continuous,  $g^{-1}(H)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(Y, v)$ . But  $(Y, v)$  is a  $T_m$ -space, Hence  $g^{-1}(H)$  is open in  $(Y, v)$ . As  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous,  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(H)) = (g \circ f)^{-1}(H)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, u)$ . Therefore,  $g \circ f$  is Čech MP-continuous.

**3.5 Proposition:** Assume  $(X, u)$ ,  $(Y, v)$  and  $(Z, w)$  be closure spaces, where  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$ ,  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  be two maps. If  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous and  $g$  is continuous. Then  $g \circ f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Consider  $g \circ f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Z, w)$ . Let  $H$  be closed in  $Z$ . Since  $g$  is continuous,  $g^{-1}(H)$  is closed in  $Y$ . As  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous,  $f^{-1}(g^{-1}(H))$  is Čech MP-open in  $X$ . Hence  $(g \circ f)^{-1}(H)$  is Čech MP-open in  $X$ . Therefore,  $(g \circ f)$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**3.6 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is said to be contra Čech MP-irresolute if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$  for every Čech MP-closed set  $V$  in  $(Y, v)$ .

**3.7 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is said to be totally continuous if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is clopen in  $(X, u)$  for every open set  $V$  in  $(Y, v)$ .

### 3.8 Theorem

1. Every contra Čech continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
2. Every contra Čech w-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
3. Every contra Čech g-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
4. Every contra Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
5. Every contra J-Čech continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
6. Every contra Čech  $\pi g\beta$ -continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
7. Every contra Čech M-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
8. Every contra Čech N-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
9. Every contra Čech T-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.
10. Every contra Čech D-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** (1) Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be a contra Čech continuous map. Let  $V$  be a Čech open set in  $(Y, v)$ . Since  $f$  is contra Čech continuous map,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech closed set of  $(X, u)$ . Every Čech closed set is Čech MP-closed set. That implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $(X, u)$ , for every Čech open set  $V$  in  $(Y, v)$ . (i.e.,)  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous. Therefore every contra Čech continuous map is contra Čech MP-continuous.

Proof of the following statements are similar.

**3.9 Remark:** The converse of the above need not be true may be seen by the following example.

**3.10 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{2\} = v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 2$ ,  $f(b) = 3$ ,  $f(c) = 1$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 2\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1, 2\} = \{a, c\}$  is not Čech open in  $X$ .

**3.11 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{2\} = v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 2$ ,  $f(b) = 3$ ,  $f(c) = 1$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech w-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 2\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1, 2\} = \{a, c\}$  is not Čech w-open in  $X$ .

**3.12 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = u\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = \{c\}$ ,  $u\{a, c\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = \{2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = \{3\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = v\{1, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 3$ ,  $f(b) = 2$ ,  $f(c) = 1$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech g-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{2\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{2\} = \{b\}$  is not Čech g-open in  $X$ .

**3.13 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = u\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = \{c\}$ ,  $u\{a, c\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = \{2, 3\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = \{3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 2$ ,  $f(b) = 1$ ,  $f(c) = 3$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 3\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image of  $f^{-1}\{1, 3\} = \{b, c\}$  is not Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -open in  $X$ .

**3.14 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = \{1\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = \{2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = v\{2, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 1$ ,  $f(b) = 3$ ,  $f(c) = 2$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra J-Čech continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1\}$  in  $Y$ , the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1\} = \{a\}$  is not in J-Čech open in  $X$ .

**3.15 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = u\{b, c\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = \{c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{a, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = \{1\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = \{2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = \{3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = v\{1, 3\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 1$ ,  $f(b) = 3$ ,  $f(c) = 2$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech  $\pi g\beta$ -continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 2\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1, 2\} = \{a, c\}$  is not in Čech  $\pi g\beta$ -open in  $X$ .

**3.15 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = \{c\}$ ,  $u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = v\{2, 3\} = \{2, 3\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = \{3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 3$ ,  $f(b) = 2$ ,  $f(c) = 1$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech M-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{3\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{3\} = \{a\}$  is not in Čech M-open in  $X$ .

**3.16 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \{\phi\}$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = u\{b, c\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = \{c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}$ ,  $u\{a, c\} = u\{a, b, c\} = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \{\phi\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = \{2\}$ ,  $v\{3\} = v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{1, 2\} = v\{2, 3\} = v\{1, 2, 3\} = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 2$ ,  $f(b) = 1$ ,  $f(c) = 3$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech N-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 3\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1, 3\} = \{b, c\}$  is not in Čech N-open in  $X$ .

**3.17 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = u\{a, b, c\} = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = \{2, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1\} = v\{2\} = v\{3\} = v\{1, 2, 3\} = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 1$ ,  $f(b) = 3$ ,  $f(c) = 2$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech T-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1, 2\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1, 2\} = \{a, c\}$  is not in Čech T-open in  $X$ .

**3.18 Example:** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $x$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $u\{a\} = \{a\}$ ,  $u\{b\} = \{b, c\}$ ,  $u\{c\} = u\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}$ ,  $u\{a, b\} = u\{b, c\} = u\{a, b, c\} = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi$ ,  $v\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $v\{2, 3\} = \{2, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}$ ,  $v\{1\} = \{1\}$ ,  $v\{2\} = v\{3\} = v\{1, 2, 3\} = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be defined by  $f(a) = 1$ ,  $f(b) = 2$ ,  $f(c) = 3$ . Here  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous but not contra Čech D-continuous. Since for the closed set  $\{1\}$  in  $Y$  the inverse image  $f^{-1}\{1\} = \{a\}$  is not in Čech D-open in  $X$ .

**3.19 Proposition:** Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be a surjection function. Suppose Čech MP( $X$ ) is closed under arbitrary union. Then the following statements are equivalent.

1.  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.
2. For every Čech closed subset  $F$  of  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open in  $X$
3. For each  $x \in X$  and each Čech closed set  $F$  in  $Y$  containing  $f(x)$ , there exists Čech MP-open set  $U$  in  $X$  containing  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq F$

**Proof:** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $F$  be Čech closed in  $Y$ . Then  $Y - F$  is Čech open in  $Y$ . by (1),  $f^{-1}(Y - F) = X - f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $X$  which implies  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) Suppose  $V$  is Čech open in  $Y$ . Then  $Y - V$  is Čech closed in  $Y$  by (2),  $f^{-1}(Y - V) = X - f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-open in  $X$  which implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $X$  thus  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Let  $F$  be Čech closed set in  $Y$  containing  $f(x)$ . by(2),  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open for  $x \in f^{-1}(F)$  take  $U = f^{-1}(F)$  then  $f(U) \subseteq F$

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $F$  be any Čech closed set in  $Y$  and  $x \in f^{-1}(F)$  by(3), there exists Čech MP-open set  $U_x \subseteq f^{-1}(F)$ , hence  $f^{-1}(F) = \bigcup_{x \in X} U_x$ . thus  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open.

**3.20 Proposition**

1. If  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  be a map, then the following are equivalent
2.  $f$  is contra Čech MP-irresolute
3. For each  $x \in X$  and any Čech MP-open set  $V$  of  $(Y, v)$  containing  $f(x)$  there exists a Čech MP-closed set  $U$  such that  $x \in U$  and  $f(U) \subseteq V$
4. The inverse image of every Čech MP-closed set in  $(Y, v)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, u)$ .

The proof is obvious.

**4. Almost Contra Čech Mp-Continuous Maps**

**4.1 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is said to be almost contra Čech MP-continuous if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set in  $(X, u)$  for every Čech regular open set  $V$  of  $(Y, v)$ .

**4.2 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is said to be perfectly Čech continuous if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech clopen set in  $(X, u)$  for each Čech open set  $V$  of  $(Y, v)$ .

**4.3 Theorem:** Let  $(X, u)$  and  $(Y, v)$  be closure spaces. Then the following statements are equivalent for a function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$ .

1.  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.
2.  $f^{-1}(F)$  is a Čech MP-open set of  $(X, u)$ , for every  $F$  in Čech regular closed set of  $(Y, v)$ .
3. For each  $x \in X$  and each Čech regular closed set  $F$  of  $(Y, v)$ , there exist Čech MP-open set of  $(X, u)$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq F$ .
4. For each  $x \in X$  and each Čech regular open set  $V$  in  $Y$  not containing  $f(x)$  there exist a Čech MP-closed set  $A$  in  $X$  not containing  $x$  such that  $f^{-1}(U) \subseteq A$ .
5.  $f^{-1}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(G)))$  is a Čech MP-closed set of  $(X, u)$  for every open subset  $G$  of  $Y$ .
6.  $f^{-1}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(F)))$  is a Čech MP-open set of  $X$ , for every Čech closed subset  $F$  of  $Y$ .

**Proof:** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $F$  be Čech regular closed set of  $(Y, \nu)$ . that implies  $Y-F$  is Čech regular open in  $(Y, \nu)$ . Since  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous,  $f^{-1}(Y-F) = X-f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, \mu)$ . that implies  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open set in  $(X, \mu)$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) Let  $V$  be Čech regular open set in  $(Y, \nu)$ , then  $Y-V$  is Čech regular closed set in  $(Y, \nu)$ . By (2)  $f^{-1}(Y-V) = X-f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-open set in  $(X, \mu)$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set in  $(X, \mu)$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Let  $F$  be any Čech regular closed set in  $Y$  containing  $f(x)$ . By (2)  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(X, \mu)$  and  $x \in f^{-1}(F)$ . Take  $U=f^{-1}(F)$  then  $U$  is Čech MP-open set in  $X$  containing  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq F$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $F$  be Čech regular closed set  $U_x \subset f^{-1}(F)$ , we have  $f^{-1}(F) = \bigcup \{ U_x / x \in f^{-1}(F) \}$  is Čech MP-open set in  $X$ . Therefore  $f^{-1}(F)$  is Čech MP-open.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4) Let  $V$  be any Čech regular open in  $Y$  not containing  $f(x)$ . Then  $Y-V$  is a Čech regular closed set containing  $f(x)$ . By (3) there exist a Čech MP-open set  $U$  in  $X$  containing  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subset Y-V$ . Hence  $U \subset f^{-1}(Y-V) = X-f^{-1}(V)$  and  $f^{-1}(V) \subset X-U$ . Take  $A=X-U$ . Therefore we get Čech MP-closed set  $A$  in  $X$  not containing  $x$ .

(4)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Let  $F$  be a Čech regular closed set  $Y$  containing  $f(x)$ . Then  $Y-F$  is a Čech regular set in  $Y$  not containing  $f(x)$ . By (4) there exist a Čech MP-closed set  $A$  in  $X$  not containing  $x$  such that  $f^{-1}(Y-F) \subset A$ . that implies  $X-f^{-1}(F) \subset A$ . Therefore  $f(X-A) \subset F$ . Take  $U=X-A$ . Then  $U$  is Čech MP-open set in  $X$  containing  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subset F$ .

(1)  $\Rightarrow$  (5) Let  $G$  be an Čech open subset of  $Y$ . Since  $\text{int}(\text{cl}(G))$  is Čech regular open, then by (1)  $f^{-1}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(G)))$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $X$ .

(5)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) Let  $V$  be a Čech regular open set in  $Y$ , then  $V$  is Čech open in  $Y$ . Therefore by (5)  $f^{-1}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(V)))$  is Čech MP-closed set in  $(X, \mu)$ . that implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set in  $X$ . Therefore  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (6) Let  $F$  be Čech closed subset of  $Y$ . Since  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(F))$  is Čech regular closed, then by (2)  $f^{-1}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(F)))$  is Čech MP-open set in  $(X, \mu)$ .

(6)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $F$  be Čech regular closed set of  $(Y, \nu)$ . Then  $F$  is Čech closed set in  $Y$ . By (6)  $f^{-1}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(F)))$  is Čech MP-open set in  $X$ .

**4.4 Theorem:** If  $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  is contra Čech MP-continuous, then it is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Let  $V$  be Čech regular open in  $Y$ . Then  $V$  is Čech open in  $X$ . By assumption  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, \mu)$ . Thus  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**4.5 Proposition:** If  $f: (x, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  be Čech regular set connected then it is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** If  $V$  is a Čech regular open set in  $(Y, \nu)$ . Then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech clopen in  $(X, \mu)$ , since  $f$  is Čech regular set connected. That implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech closed set in  $(X, \mu)$ . But every Čech closed set is Čech MP-closed set. That implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, \mu)$ . That implies  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**4.6 Proposition:** If  $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  is contra Čech continuous then it is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Let  $V$  be Čech regular open in  $(Y, \nu)$ . Then  $V$  is Čech open in  $(Y, \nu)$ . Since  $f$  is contra Čech continuous,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech closed set in  $(X, \mu)$ . Every Čech closed set is Čech MP-closed in  $(X, \mu)$  that implies  $f$  is almost contra Čech MP-continuous.

**4.7 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  is called perfectly Čech continuous if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech clopen in  $X$ , for each Čech open set  $V$  in  $Y$ .

**4.8 Definition:** A function  $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  is called Perfectly Čech MP-continuous if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-clopen in  $X$ , for each Čech open set  $V$  in  $Y$ .

**4.9 Proposition:** Every Perfectly Čech continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** Suppose  $f$  is a Perfectly Čech continuous function and  $V$  is a Čech open set in  $Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech clopen in  $X$ . (i.e.,)  $f^{-1}(V)$  is both Čech closed and Čech open. But every Čech closed set is Čech MP-closed set. That implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set. Hence  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**4.10 Proposition:** Every Perfectly Čech MP-continuous function is contra Čech MP-continuous.

**Proof:** If  $V$  is a Čech open set in  $Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-clopen in  $X$ , Since  $f$  is a Perfectly Čech MP-continuous. (i.e.,)  $f^{-1}(V)$  is both Čech MP-closed and Čech MP-open. That implies  $f^{-1}(V)$  is Čech MP-closed set. Hence  $f$  is contra Čech MP-continuous.

## 5. Čech MP-closed maps

**5.1 Definition:** A map  $f: (X, \mu) \rightarrow (Y, \nu)$  is called Čech MP-closed map if for each Čech closed set of  $A$  of  $(X, \mu)$ ,  $f(A)$  is a Čech MP-closed set of  $(Y, \nu)$ .

**5.2 Definition:** A map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is called Čech T-closed(res. Čech M-closed, Čech N-closed, Čech D-closed) map if for each Čech closed set of A of  $(X, u)$ ,  $f(A)$  is a Čech T-closed set(res. Čech M-closed, Čech N-closed, Čech D-closed) of  $(Y, v)$ .

**5.3 Proposition:** Let  $(X, u)$  be a closure space and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then the following properties hold

1.  $k_\beta(A)$  is the smallest Čech MP-closed set containing A and
2. A is Čech MP-closed if and only if  $k_\beta(A)=A$

**Proof**

1. It follows from the definition of  $k_\beta$ .
2. If A is Čech MP-closed, then A itself is the smallest Čech MP-closed set containing  $k_\beta(A)$ . (i.e.,)  $k_\beta(A) \subseteq A$ .

We know that  $A \subseteq k_\beta(A)$  and hence  $k_\beta(A)=A$ . Conversely, Let  $k_\beta(A)=A$ , then by (i)  $k_\beta(A)$  is Čech MP-closed set. Therefore A is Čech MP-closed set.

**5.4 Proposition:** For any two subsets A and B of  $(X, u)$

1. If  $A \subseteq B$  then  $k_\beta(A) \subseteq k_\beta(B)$  and
2.  $k_\beta(A \cap B) \subseteq k_\beta(A) \cap k_\beta(B)$ .

**Proof**

1. We know that  $B \subseteq k_\beta(B)$ , Since  $A \subseteq B$ , we have  $A \subseteq k_\beta(B)$ . Thus  $k_\beta(B)$  is a Čech MP-closed set containing A. Since  $k_\beta(A)$  is the smallest closed set containing A, we have  $k_\beta(A) \subseteq k_\beta(B)$ .
2.  $A \cap B \subseteq A \Rightarrow k_\beta(A \cap B) \subseteq k_\beta(A)$  and  $A \cap B \subseteq B \Rightarrow k_\beta(A \cap B) \subseteq k_\beta(B)$  Hence  $k_\beta(A \cap B) \subseteq k_\beta(A) \cap k_\beta(B)$ .

**5.5 Proposition:** A mapping  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is Čech MP-closed if and only if  $k_\beta(f(A)) \subseteq f(k_\beta(A))$  for every subset A of  $(X, u)$ .

**Proof:** Suppose that f is Čech MP-closed and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then  $f(k_\beta(A))$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Y, v)$ . we have  $f(A) \subseteq f(k_\beta(A))$  and by proposition 5.3 and 5.4,  $k_\beta(f(A)) \subseteq k_\beta(f(k_\beta(A)))=f(k_\beta(A))$ . Conversely, Let A be any closed set in  $(X, u)$ . Then by hypothesis,  $A=k_\beta(A)$ , so  $f(A)=f(k_\beta(A)) \supseteq k_\beta(f(A))$ . We have  $f(A) \subseteq k_\beta(f(A))$  by proposition 5.3. Therefore,  $f(A)=k_\beta(f(A))$ . (i.e.,) f(A) is Čech MP-closed by proposition 5.3. Hence f is Čech MP-closed.

**5.6 Theorem:** A map  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is Čech MP-closed if and only if for each subset S of Y and for each Čech open set U containing  $f(S)$ , there exists an Čech MP-open set V of Y containing S and  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ .

**Proof**

**Necessity:** Suppose that f is a Čech MP-closed map. Let S be a subset of Y and U be an Čech open set of X such that  $f^{-1}(S) \subseteq U$ . Then  $V=Y-f(X-U)$ , is an Čech MP-open set containing S such that  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ .

**Sufficiency:** Let F be a Čech closed set of X. Then  $f^{-1}(Y-f(F)) \subseteq X-F$  and  $X-F$  is Čech open. By taking  $S=Y-f(F)$  and  $U=X-F$  in hypothesis there exists an Čech MP-open set V of Y containing  $Y-f(F)$  and  $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq X-F$ . Then we have  $F \subseteq X-f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence  $Y-V \subseteq f(F) \subseteq f(X-f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq Y-V$ . that implies  $Y-V=f(F)$ . Since  $Y-V$  is Čech MP-closed,  $f(F)$  is Čech MP-closed and thus f is an Čech MP-closed map.

**5.7 Remark:** The following example shows that the composition of two Čech MP-closed maps need not be Čech MP-closed.

**5.8 Example:** Let  $X = \{p, q, r, s\}, Y = \{a, b, c, d\}, Z = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ . Define a function  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  such that  $f(p)=a, f(q)=c, f(r)=d, f(s)=b$  and  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  such that  $g(a)=2, g(b)=4, g(c)=1, g(d)=3$  and  $gof: (X, u) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  such that  $gof(p)=2, gof(q)=1, gof(r)=3, gof(s)=4$ .

Let  $u, v$  and  $w$  be closure operators of  $X, Y$  and  $Z$  defined as  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{p\}=u\{p, q\}=\{p, q\}, u\{p, r\}=u\{p, q, r\}=\{p, q, r\}, u\{p, s\}=u\{r, s\}=u\{p, r, s\}=\{p, r, s\}, u\{r\}=\{r\}, u\{q\}=\{q\}, u\{q, r\}=\{q, r\}, u\{s\}=u\{q, s\}=u\{p, q, s\}=u\{q, r, s\}=u X=X$  and  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=v\{a, b\}=\{a, b\}, v\{b\}=v\{b, c\}=v\{a, b, c\}=\{a, b, c\}, v\{c\}=v\{a, c\}=\{a, c\}, v\{d\}=v\{a, d\}=v\{a, b, d\}=\{a, b, d\}, v\{b, d\}=v\{c, d\}=v\{b, c, d\}=v\{a, c, d\}=v Y=Y$  and  $w\{\phi\}=\phi, w\{1\}=w\{4\}=w\{1, 2\}=w\{1, 4\}=w\{1, 2, 4\}=\{1, 2, 4\}, w\{2\}=\{2\}, w\{3\}=w\{2, 4\}=w\{3, 4\}=w\{2, 3, 4\}=\{2, 3, 4\}, w\{1, 3\}=w\{1, 3, 4\}=\{1, 3, 4\}, w\{2, 3\}=w\{1, 2, 3\}=w Z=Z$ . Here f and g are Čech MP-closed maps, but  $g$  of  $\{q\} = \{1\}$  is not Čech MP-closed in  $(Z, w)$ . Therefore  $gof$  is not a Čech MP-closed map.

**5.9 Proposition:** If  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is Čech closed map and  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  is Čech MP-closed map, then their composition  $gof: (X, u) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  is Čech MP-closed.

**Proof:** It is obvious.

**5.10 Theorem:** Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  and  $g: (Y, v) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  be two mappings such that their composition  $gof: (X, u) \rightarrow (Z, w)$  be a Čech MP-closed map. Then the following statements are true

1. If  $f$  is Čech continuous and surjective then  $g$  is Čech MP-closed.
2. If  $g$  is Čech MP-irresolute and injective then  $f$  is Čech MP-closed.

**Proof:** (1) If  $A$  is a Čech closed set of  $(Y, v)$  then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is Čech closed in  $(X, u)$  since  $f$  is Čech continuous. Since  $g \circ f$  is Čech MP-closed,  $(g \circ f)(f^{-1}(A))$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Z, w)$ . (i.e.,)  $g(A)$  is a Čech MP-closed in  $(Z, w)$  [since  $f$  is surjective]. Therefore  $g$  is a Čech MP-closed map.

(2) Let  $B$  be a Čech closed set of  $(X, u)$ . Since  $g \circ f$  is Čech MP-closed,  $(g \circ f)(B)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Z, w)$ . Here  $g$  is Čech MP-irresolute and hence  $g^{-1}((g \circ f)(B))$  is Čech MP-closed in  $Y$ . (i.e.,)  $f(B)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Y, v)$ , since  $g$  is injective. Thus  $f$  is a Čech MP-closed map.

**5.11 Proposition:** For any bijective  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$ , the following statements are equivalent:

1.  $f^{-1}: (Y, v) \rightarrow (X, u)$  is Čech MP-continuous
2.  $f$  is a Čech MP-open map and
3.  $f$  is a Čech MP-closed map.

**Proof:** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) Let  $U$  be a Čech open set of  $(X, u)$ . by assumption  $(f^{-1})^{-1}(U) = f(U)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(Y, v)$  and so  $f$  is Čech MP-open.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3) Let  $F$  be a Čech closed set of  $(X, u)$ . Then  $X - F$  is Čech open in  $(X, u)$ . By assumption,  $f(X - F)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(Y, v)$ . (i.e.,)  $f(X - F) = Y - f(F)$  is Čech MP-open in  $(Y, v)$  and therefore  $f(F)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Y, v)$ . Hence  $f$  is Čech MP-closed.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) Let  $F$  be a Čech closed set of  $(X, u)$ . By assumption,  $f(F)$  is Čech MP-closed in  $(Y, v)$ . But  $f(F) = (f^{-1})^{-1}(F)$ . Therefore  $f^{-1}$  is Čech MP-continuous on  $Y$ .

**5.12 Proposition:** Every Čech closed map is Čech MP-closed map.

**Proof:** Suppose  $f$  be a Čech closed map and  $A$  is a Čech closed set in  $X$ . Since  $f$  is a Čech closed map,  $f(A)$  is a Čech closed set in  $(Y, v)$ . But every Čech closed set is Čech MP-closed. Therefore  $f(A)$  is Čech MP-closed set. Hence  $f$  is a Čech MP-closed map.

**5.13 Proposition**

1. Every Čech  $w$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
2. Every Čech  $g$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
3. Every Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
4. Every  $J$ -Čech closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
5. Every Čech  $\pi g\beta$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
6. Every Čech  $M$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
7. Every Čech  $N$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
8. Every Čech  $T$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.
9. Every Čech  $D$ -closed map is Čech MP-closed map.

**Proof:** (1) Assume that  $f$  is a Čech  $w$ -closed map and  $A$  is a Čech closed set in  $X$ . Then  $f(A)$  is a Čech  $w$ -closed set in  $(Y, v)$ . Since  $f$  is a Čech  $w$ -closed map, But every Čech  $w$ -closed set is Čech MP-closed. Therefore  $f(A)$  is Čech MP-closed set. Thus  $f$  is a Čech MP-closed map.

The proof of others is obvious.

**5.14 Remark:** The converse of the above theorem need not be true which can be seen from the following example.

**5.15 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}, Y = \{a, b, c, d\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi, u\{1\} = u\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}, u\{2\} = \{2\}, u\{3\} = \{3\}, u\{2, 3\} = u\{1, 3\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi, v\{a\} = \{a\}, v\{b\} = \{b, c\}, v\{c\} = v\{a, c\} = \{a, c\}, v\{a, b\} = v\{b, c\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1) = a, f(2) = b$ , and  $f(3) = c$ . Here  $\{2\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{2\} = \{b\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $w$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $w$ -closed map.

**5.16 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}, Y = \{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi, u\{1\} = u\{2\} = u\{1, 2\} = \{1, 2\}, u\{3\} = u\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}, u\{2, 3\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi, v\{a\} = v\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}, v\{b\} = \{b\}, v\{c\} = \{c\}, v\{a, c\} = v\{b, c\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1) = c, f(2) = b$ , and  $f(3) = a$ . Here  $\{1, 3\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{1, 3\} = \{a, c\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $g$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $g$ -closed map.

**5.17 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}, Y = \{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\} = \phi, u\{1\} = \{1\}, u\{2\} = \{2\}, u\{3\} = u\{1, 3\} = \{1, 3\}, u\{1, 2\} = u\{2, 3\} = uX = X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\} = \phi, v\{a\} = v\{a, b\} = \{a, b\}, v\{b\} = \{b\}, v\{c\} = \{c\}, v\{a, c\} = v\{b, c\} = vY = Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u) \rightarrow (Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1) = a, f(2) = c$  and  $f(3) = b$ . Here  $\{1\}$  is a Čech closed set

of  $X$ . But  $f\{1\}=\{a\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $\alpha\psi$ -closed map.

**5.18 Example:** Let  $X=\{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{1\}=\{1,2\}, u\{2\}=\{2,3\}, u\{3\}=\{3\}, u\{1,3\}=\{1,3\}, u\{1,2\}=\{1,2\}, u\{2,3\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a\}, v\{b\}=\{b, c\}, v\{c\}=v\{a, c\}=\{a, c\}, v\{a, b\}=v\{b, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=b, f(2)=c$  and  $f(3)=a$ . Here  $\{1,2\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{1,2\}=\{b,c\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not  $J$ -Čech closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a  $J$ -Čech closed map.

**5.19 Example:** Let  $X=\{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{1\}=\{1\}, u\{2\}=\{2\}, u\{3\}=\{3\}, u\{1, 2\}=\{1, 2\}, u\{2, 3\}=u\{1, 3\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a, b\}, v\{b\}=v\{b, c\}=\{b, c\}, v\{c\}=\{c\}, v\{a, b\}=\{a, b\}, v\{a, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=a, f(2)=c$  and  $f(3)=b$ . Here  $\{3\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{3\}=\{b\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $\pi\beta$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $\pi\beta$ -closed map.

**5.20 Example:** Let  $X=\{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{1\}=u\{1, 3\}=\{1, 3\}, u\{2\}=u\{2, 3\}=\{2, 3\}, u\{3\}=\{3\}, u\{1, 2\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a\}, v\{b\}=\{b\}, v\{c\}=\{c\}, v\{a, c\}=\{a, c\}, v\{a, b\}=v\{b, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=c, f(2)=b$  and  $f(3)=a$ . Here  $\{2,3\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{2,3\}=\{a,b\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $M$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $M$ -closed map.

**5.21 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{2\}=\{2\}, u\{3\}=u\{1, 3\}=\{1, 3\}, u\{1\}=u\{1, 2\}=u\{2, 3\}, u\{2\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a, b\}, v\{b\}=v\{b, c\}=\{b, c\}, v\{c\}=\{c\}, v\{a, b\}=\{a, b\}, v\{a, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=c, f(2)=a$  and  $f(3)=b$ . Here  $\{2\}$  is a Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{2\}=\{a\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $N$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $N$ -closed map.

**5.22 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{1, 2\}=\{1, 2\}, u\{2, 3\}=\{2, 3\}, u\{1, 3\}=\{1, 3\}, u\{1\}=u\{2\}=u\{3\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a\}, v\{b\}=\{b, c\}, v\{c\}=v\{a, c\}=\{a, c\}, v\{a, b\}=v\{b, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=a, f(2)=c$  and  $f(3)=b$ . Here  $\{3\}$  is Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{3\}=\{b\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $T$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $T$ -closed map.

**5.23 Example:** Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}, Y=\{a, b, c\}$ . Define a closure operator  $u$  on  $X$  by  $u\{\phi\}=\phi, u\{1, 2\}=\{1, 2\}, u\{2, 3\}=\{2, 3\}, u\{1, 3\}=\{1, 3\}, u\{1\}=u\{2\}=u\{3\}=uX=X$ . Define a closure operator  $v$  on  $Y$  by  $v\{\phi\}=\phi, v\{a\}=\{a\}, v\{b\}=\{b, c\}, v\{c\}=v\{a, c\}=\{a, c\}, v\{a, b\}=v\{b, c\}=vY=Y$ . Let  $f: (X, u)\rightarrow(Y, v)$  is defined by  $f(1)=c, f(2)=a$  and  $f(3)=b$ . Here  $\{2, 3\}$  is Čech closed set of  $X$ . But  $f\{2,3\}=\{a,b\}$  is Čech MP-closed set of  $Y$  but not Čech  $D$ -closed set of  $Y$ . Therefore Čech MP-closed map need not be a Čech  $D$ -closed map.

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