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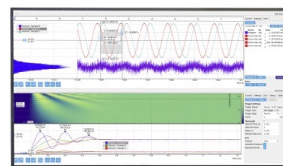
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Strongly Faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous Function in N_{nc} Topological Spaces

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Abstract. A new class of functions, called strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous function, has been defined and studied. Relationships among strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous functions and $N_{nc}e$ -connected spaces, $N_{nc}e$ -normal spaces and $N_{nc}e$ -compact spaces are investigated. Furthermore, the relationships between strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous functions and graphs are also investigated.

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INTRODUCTION

Smarandache's neutrosophic system have wide range of real time applications for the fields of Computer Science, Information Systems, Applied Mathematics, Artificial Intelligence, Mechanics, decision making, Medicine, Electrical & Electronic, and Management Science etc [1, 2, 3, 4, 27, 28]. Smarandache [20] defined the Neutrosophic set on three component Neutrosophic sets (T-Truth, F-Falsehood, I-Indeterminacy). Salama and Alblowi [17] introduced Neutrosophic topological spaces (*nts*'s). Lellis Thivagar et.al. [12] was given the geometric existence of N topology, which is a non-empty set equipped with N arbitrary topologies. Also in [13] the notion of N_n -open (closed) sets and N_n continuous in N neutrosophic crisp topological spaces are introduced. Al-Hamido et al. [5] explore the possibility of expanding the concept of neutrosophic crisp topological spaces into N -neutrosophic crisp topological spaces and investigate some of their basic properties. In 2020, Vadivel and co-author [23, 24] the concept of N -neutrosophic δ -open, N -neutrosophic δ -semiopen, N -neutrosophic δ -preopen and $N_{nc}e$ open sets are introduced. The first step of generalizing closed set was done by Levine [14] in 1970. Ekici [6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11] introduced and studied a generalization of closed sets, e -closed sets and the related sets. Nasef and Noiri [16] introduce three classes of strong forms of faintly continuity namely: strongly faint semicontinuity, strongly faint precontinuity and strongly faint β -continuity. In 2009, Nasef [15] defined strong forms of faint continuity under the terminologies strongly faint α -continuity and strongly faint γ -continuity. In this paper using $N_{nc}e$ -open sets, strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuity is introduced and studied with basic properties and theorems. Also a relationships between strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous functions and graphs are investigated.

PRELIMINARIES

The definitions of neutrosophic crisp set (in short, *ncs*) are studied in [18, 19]. In [5], N_{nc} -topological space (briefly, $N_{nc}ts$), N_{nc} -open sets ($N_{nc}os$), N_{nc} -closed sets ($N_{nc}cs$), N_{nc} interior of H (briefly, $N_{nc}int(H)$) and N_{nc} closure of H (briefly, $N_{nc}cl(H)$) are introduced. Also, N_{nc} -regular open [21] set (briefly, $N_{nc}ros$), N_{nc} -pre open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\mathcal{P}os$), N_{nc} -semi open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\mathcal{S}os$), N_{nc} - α -open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\alpha os$), N_{nc} - β -open set [22] (briefly, $N_{nc}\beta os$), N_{nc} - γ -open set [21] (briefly, $N_{nc}\gamma os$) are described. The complement of an $N_{nc}ros$ (resp. $N_{nc}\mathcal{S}os$, $N_{nc}\mathcal{P}os$, $N_{nc}\alpha os$, $N_{nc}\beta os$)

& $N_{nc}\gamma os$) is called an N_{nc} -regular (resp. N_{nc} -semi, N_{nc} -pre, N_{nc} - α , N_{nc} - β & N_{nc} - γ) closed set (briefly, $N_{nc}rcs$ (resp. $N_{nc}Scs$, $N_{nc}Pcs$, $N_{nc}\alpha cs$, $N_{nc}\beta cs$ & $N_{nc}\gamma cs$)). $N_{nc}\theta$ -cluster (resp. $N_{nc}\delta$ -cluster) point, $N_{nc}\theta$ -closure (resp. $N_{nc}\delta$ -closure) denoted by $N_{nc}\theta cl(H)$ (resp. $N_{nc}\delta cl(H)$), $N_{nc}\theta int(H)$ and also $N_{nc}\theta c$ (resp. $N_{nc}\delta c$), $N_{nc}\theta o$ and $N_{nc}\delta o$ [23]. In [23] $N_{nc}\delta$ interior of H (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta int(H)$), $N_{nc}\delta$ closure of H (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta cl(H)$), $N_{nc}\delta$ -open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta os$), $N_{nc}\delta$ -pre open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta Pos$), $N_{nc}\delta$ -semi open set (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta Sos$) and $N_{nc}e$ -open set (briefly, $N_{nc}eo$). Also, $N_{nc}\delta$ (resp. $N_{nc}\delta$ -pre, $N_{nc}\delta$ -semi & $N_{nc}e$) closed set (briefly, $N_{nc}\delta cs$ (resp. $N_{nc}\delta Pcs$, $N_{nc}\delta Scs$ & $N_{nc}ec s$)). A $N_{nc}e$ -continuous [25] (briefly, $N_{nc}eCts$) and $N_{nc}e$ -irresolute [26] (briefly, $N_{nc}eIrr$) are also used in this paper.

Strongly Faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous Functions

Definition 3.1 A function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is said to be

- (i) strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ (resp. N_{nc} semi, N_{nc} pre, $N_{nc}\beta$, $N_{nc}\alpha$ and $N_{nc}\gamma$)-continuous (briefly, $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $sfN_{nc}SCts$, $sfN_{nc}PCts$, $sfN_{nc}\beta Cts$, $sfN_{nc}\alpha Cts$ and $sfN_{nc}\gamma Cts$) if $\forall x \in U$ and each $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}So$, $N_{nc}Po$, $N_{nc}\beta o$, $N_{nc}\alpha o$ and $N_{nc}\gamma o$) set M of V containing $h(x)$, there exists a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set L of U containing x such that $h(L) \subseteq M$.
- (ii) strongly $N_{nc}e$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta$)-continuous (briefly, $sN_{nc}eCts$ (resp. $sN_{nc}\theta Cts$)) if $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}o$ in U for every $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta o$) set M of V .
- (iii) quasi $N_{nc}\theta$ -continuous (briefly, $qN_{nc}\theta Cts$), if $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$ in U for every $N_{nc}\theta o$ set M of V .

Theorem 3.1 For a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$, the statements

- (i) h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$,
- (ii) $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sN_{nc}eCts$,
- (iii) $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$ in $U \forall N_{nc}eo$ set M of V ,
- (iv) $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta c$ in $U \forall N_{nc}ec$ set M of V

are equivalent.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (iii): Let M be an $N_{nc}eo$ set of V and $x \in h^{-1}(M)$. Since $h(x) \in M$ and h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, there exists a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set L of U containing x $\ni h(L) \subseteq M$. It follows that $x \in L \subseteq h^{-1}(M)$. Hence $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$ in U .

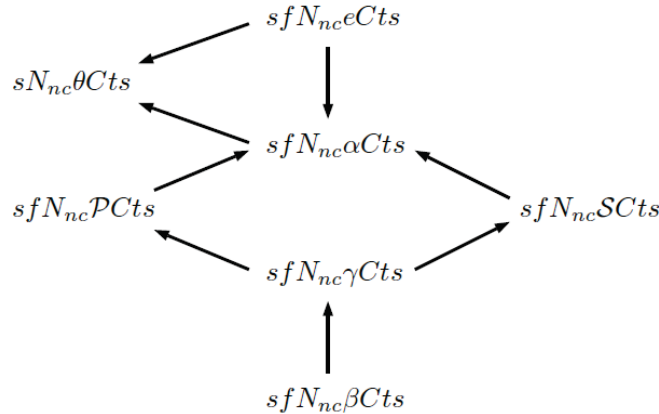
(iii) \Rightarrow (i): Let $x \in X$ and M be an $N_{nc}eo$ set of V containing $h(x)$. By (iii), $h^{-1}(M)$ is a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set containing x . Take $L = h^{-1}(M)$. Then $h(L) \subseteq M$. Thus h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

(iii) \Rightarrow (iv): Let M be any $N_{nc}ec$ set of V . Since $Y \setminus M$ is an $N_{nc}eo$ set, by (iii), it follows that $h^{-1}(Y \setminus M) = X \setminus h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$. Thus $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta c$ in X .

(iv) \Rightarrow (iii): Let M be an $N_{nc}eo$ set of V . Then $Y \setminus M$ is $N_{nc}ec$ in V . By (iv), $h^{-1}(Y \setminus M) = X \setminus h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta c$ and thus $h^{-1}(M)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii): Clear.

The relationships between this new class of functions are shown in the following diagram but reversible is not true.



Example 3.1 Let $X = \{a_1, b_1, c_1\} = Y$, ${}_{nc}\tau_1 = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, X_N, D\}$. $A = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $B = \langle\{b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $C = \langle\{a_1, b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, $D = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\tau = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C, D\}$ and ${}_{nc}\sigma_1 = \{\phi_N, Y_N, E\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, Y_N\}$, $E = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\sigma = \{\phi_N, X_N, E\}$. Define $h : (X, {}_{2nc}\tau) \rightarrow (Y, {}_{2nc}\sigma)$ as an identity map, then h is $sf2_{nc}SCts$ (resp. $sf2_{nc}\alpha Cts$) but not $sf2_{nc}\gamma Cts$ (resp. $sf2_{nc}\mathcal{P}Cts$).

Example 3.2 Let $X = \{a_1, b_1, c_1, d_1\} = Y$, ${}_{nc}\tau_1 = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, X_N, D, E, F\}$. $A = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $B = \langle\{c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, b_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $C = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $D = \langle\{b_1, d_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $E = \langle\{a_1, b_1, d_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, $F = \langle\{b_1, c_1, d_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\tau = \{\phi_N, X_N, D, E, F, A, B, C\}$ and ${}_{nc}\sigma_1 = \{\phi_N, Y_N, G, H, I\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, Y_N\}$, $G = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $H = \langle\{b_1, d_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $I = \langle\{a_1, b_1, d_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\sigma = \{\phi_N, X_N, G, H, I\}$. Define $h : (X, {}_{2nc}\tau) \rightarrow (Y, {}_{2nc}\sigma)$ as an identity map, then h is $sf2_{nc}\alpha Cts$ (resp. $s2_{nc}\theta Cts$) but not $sf2_{nc}eCts$ (resp. $sf2_{nc}eCts$).

Example 3.3 Let $X = \{a_1, b_1, c_1\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_1 = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, X_N, D\}$. $A = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $B = \langle\{b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $C = \langle\{a_1, b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, $D = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\tau = \{\phi_N, X_N, D, C, B, A\}$. Define $h : (X, {}_{2nc}\tau) \rightarrow (X, {}_{2nc}\tau)$ as an identity map, then h is $s2_{nc}\theta Cts$ but not $sf2_{nc}\alpha Cts$.

Example 3.4 Let $X = \{a_1, b_1, c_1\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_1 = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, X_N, D\}$. $A = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $B = \langle\{b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $C = \langle\{a_1, b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, $D = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\tau = \{\phi_N, X_N, C, D, A, B\}$ and $Y = \{a_1, b_1, c_1, d_1\}$, ${}_{nc}\sigma_1 = \{\phi_N, Y_N, G, H, I\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, Y_N\}$, $G = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $H = \langle\{b_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, d_1\}\rangle$, $I = \langle\{a_1, b_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{d_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\sigma = \{\phi_N, X_N, G, H, I\}$. Define $h : (X, {}_{2nc}\tau) \rightarrow (Y, {}_{2nc}\sigma)$ as $h(a_1) = b_1$, $h(b_1) = a_1$, $h(c_1) = c_1$ & $h(d_1) = d_1$, then h is $sf2_{nc}\alpha Cts$ (resp. $sf2_{nc}\mathcal{P}Cts$) but not $sf2_{nc}SCts$ (resp. $sf2_{nc}\gamma Cts$).

Example 3.5 Let $X = \{a_1, b_1, c_1\} = Y$, ${}_{nc}\tau_1 = \{\phi_N, X_N, A, B, C\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, X_N, D, E, F\}$. $A = \langle\{a_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $B = \langle\{b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, c_1\}\rangle$, $C = \langle\{a_1, b_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{c_1\}\rangle$, $D = \langle\{c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1, b_1\}\rangle$, $E = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, $F = \langle\{b_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{a_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\tau = \{\phi_N, X_N, D, E, F, A, B, C\}$ and ${}_{nc}\sigma_1 = \{\phi_N, Y_N, E\}$, ${}_{nc}\tau_2 = \{\phi_N, Y_N\}$, $E = \langle\{a_1, c_1\}, \{\phi\}, \{b_1\}\rangle$, then we have ${}_{2nc}\sigma = \{\phi_N, X_N, E\}$. Define $h : (X, {}_{2nc}\tau) \rightarrow (Y, {}_{2nc}\sigma)$ as an identity map, then h is $sf2_{nc}\gamma Cts$ but not $sf2_{nc}\beta Cts$.

Theorem 3.2 If a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ function, then it is $sN_{nc}eCts$.

If $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is a regular space, we have $N_{nc}\tau = N_{nc}\tau_\theta$ and the next theorem follows immediately.

Theorem 3.3 Let $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ be a regular space. Then for a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ the following properties are equivalent:

- (i) h is $sN_{nc}eCts$.
- (ii) h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

Definition 3.2 A $N_{nc}ts$ $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is said to be a $N_{nc}T_e$ -space if every $N_{nc}eo$ set of $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}o$.

Definition 3.3 A $N_{nc}ts$ X is said to be N_{nc} submaximal if each N_{nc} dense set of X is $N_{nc}o$ in X and N_{nc} extremely disconnected (briefly $N_{nc}ed$) if the N_{nc} closure of each $N_{nc}o$ set of X is $N_{nc}o$ in X .

Theorem 3.4 Let $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ be a function and let $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ be a N_{nc} submaximal, $N_{nc}ed$ and $N_{nc}T_e$ -space. Then the following

- (i) h is $sfN_{nc}\alpha Cts$,
- (ii) h is $sfN_{nc}\gamma Cts$,
- (iii) h is $sfN_{nc}SCts$.
- (iv) h is $sfN_{nc}\mathcal{P}Cts$.
- (v) h is $sfN_{nc}\beta Cts$.
- (vi) h is $sN_{nc}\theta Cts$.
- (vii) h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$

are equivalent.

Proof. We have (i) \Rightarrow (ii) \Rightarrow (iii) \Rightarrow (iv) \Rightarrow (v) \Rightarrow (vi) \Rightarrow (i) (since U is N_{nc} submaximal and $N_{nc}ed$, then $N_{nc}\sigma = N_{nc}\alpha OS(Y) = N_{nc}\gamma OS(Y) = N_{nc}SOS(Y) = N_{nc}\mathcal{P}OS(Y) = N_{nc}\beta OS(Y)$).

(vi) \Leftrightarrow (vii): This follows from the fact that if $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}T_e$ -space, then $N_{nc}\sigma = N_{nc}eOS(Y)$.

Theorem 3.5 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ and $g : (V, N_{nc}\sigma) \rightarrow (W, N_{nc}\psi)$ is $N_{nc}eIrr$, then $g \circ h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (W, N_{nc}\psi)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

Proof. Let $G \in N_{nc}eOS(Z)$. Then $g^{-1}(G) \in N_{nc}eOS(Y)$ and hence $(g \circ h)^{-1}(G) = h^{-1}(g^{-1}(G))$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$ in U . Therefore $g \circ h$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

Theorem 3.6 The functions $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ and $g : (V, N_{nc}\sigma) \rightarrow (W, N_{nc}\psi)$ are hold for

- (i) If both h and g are $sfN_{nc}eCts$, then the composition $g \circ h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (W, N_{nc}\psi)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

- (ii) If h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ and g is an $N_{nc}eIrr$, then $g \circ h$ is $sN_{nc}eCts$.
- (iii) If h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ and g is a $N_{nc}eCts$, then $g \circ h$ is $sN_{nc}\theta Cts$.
- (iv) If h is quasi $N_{nc}\theta Cts$ and g is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, then $g \circ h$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.
- (v) If h is $sN_{nc}\theta Cts$ and g is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, then $g \circ h$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

Definition 3.4 A $N_{nc}\theta$ -frontier of a subset A of $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is $N_{nc}\theta Fr(A) = N_{nc}\theta cl(A) \cap N_{nc}\theta cl(X \setminus A)$.

Theorem 3.7 Let $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ be a N_{nc} regular space. Then the set of all points $x \in X$ in which a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is not $sfN_{nc}eCts$ at x is identical with the union of the $N_{nc}\theta$ -frontier of the inverse images of $N_{nc}eo$ sets of V containing $h(x)$.

Proof. Necessity. Suppose that h is not $sfN_{nc}eCts$ at $x \in X$. Then there exists a $N_{nc}eo$ set M of V containing $h(x) \ni h(L)$ is not a subset of $M \forall L \in \tau_\theta$ containing x . Hence we have $L \cap (X \setminus h^{-1}(M)) \neq \emptyset \forall L \in N_{nc}\tau_\theta$ containing x . Since U is N_{nc} regular, it follows that $x \in N_{nc}\theta cl(X \setminus h^{-1}(M))$. We have that, $x \in h^{-1}(M) \subseteq N_{nc}\theta cl(h^{-1}(M))$. This means that $x \in N_{nc}\theta Fr(h^{-1}(M))$. Sufficiency. Suppose that $x \in N_{nc}\theta Fr(h^{-1}(M))$ for some $M \in eo(Y, h(x))$. Now, we assume that h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ at $x \in X$. Then $\exists L \in N_{nc}\tau_\theta$ containing $x \ni h(L) \subseteq M$. Therefore, we have $L \subseteq h^{-1}(M)$ and hence $x \in N_{nc}\theta int(h^{-1}(M)) \subseteq X \setminus N_{nc}\theta Fr(h^{-1}(M))$. This is a contradiction. This means that h is not $sfN_{nc}eCts$.

Definition 3.5

- (i) A space $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is said to be $N_{nc}e$ -connected (resp. $N_{nc}\theta$ -connected & N_{nc} -connected) if U cannot be written as the union of two nonempty disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta o$ & $N_{nc}o$) sets.
- (ii) A subset K of a $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ space is said to be, $N_{nc}e$ -compact (resp. $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact) relative to $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$, if for every cover of K by $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta o$) sets has a finite subcover. A $N_{nc}ts$ $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is $N_{nc}e$ -compact (resp. $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact) if the set U is $N_{nc}e$ -compact (resp. $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact) relative to $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$.

It should be mentioned that $N_{nc}\theta$ -connected is equivalent with N_{nc} connected.

Theorem 3.8 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is a $sfN_{nc}eCts$ surjection function and $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is a $N_{nc}\theta$ -connected space, then V is an $N_{nc}e$ -connected space.

Proof. Assume that $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is not $N_{nc}e$ -connected. Then there exist nonempty $N_{nc}eo$ sets M_1 and M_2 of V such that $M_1 \cap M_2 = \emptyset$ and $M_1 \cup M_2 = V$. Hence we have $h^{-1}(M_1) \cap h^{-1}(M_2) = \emptyset$ and $h^{-1}(M_1) \cup h^{-1}(M_2) = U$. Since h is surjective, $h^{-1}(M_1)$ and $h^{-1}(M_2)$ are nonempty subsets of U . Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(M_1)$ and $h^{-1}(M_2)$ are $N_{nc}\theta o$ sets of U . Therefore $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is not $N_{nc}\theta$ -connected. This is a contradiction and hence $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}e$ -connected.

Theorem 3.9 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is a $sfN_{nc}eCts$, then $h(H)$ is $N_{nc}e$ -compact relative to $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ for each subset H which is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact relative to $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$.

Proof. Let $\{M_i : i \in I\}$ be any cover of $h(H)$ by $N_{nc}eo$ sets. For each $x \in H$, $\exists i_x \in I$, $\ni h(x) \in M_{i_x}$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $\exists L_x \in \tau_\theta$ containing $x \ni h(L_x) \subseteq M_{i_x}$. The family $\{L_x : x \in H\}$ is a cover of H by $N_{nc}\theta o$ sets of $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$. Since H is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact relative to $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$, there exists a N_{nc} finite subset H_0 of $H \ni H \subseteq \bigcup \{L_x : x \in H_0\}$. Therefore, we obtain $h(H) \subseteq \bigcup \{h(L_x) : x \in H_0\} \subseteq \bigcup \{M_{i_x} : x \in H_0\}$. Therefore, $h(H)$ is $N_{nc}e$ -compact relative to $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$.

Theorem 3.10 The surjective $sfN_{nc}eCts$ image of a $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact space is $N_{nc}e$ -compact.

Proof. Let $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ be a $sfN_{nc}eCts$ function from a $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact space U onto a space V . Let $\{G_i : i \in I\}$ be any $N_{nc}eo$ cover of V . Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $\{h^{-1}(G_i) : i \in I\}$ is a $N_{nc}\theta o$ cover of U . Since U is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact, there exists a N_{nc} finite subcover $\{h^{-1}(G_i) : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ of U . Then it follows that $\{G_i : i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ is a finite subfamily which cover V . Hence V is $N_{nc}e$ -compact.

Separation Axioms

Definition 4.1 A $N_{nc}ts$ $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is said to be:

- (i) $N_{nc}e-T_1$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta-T_1$) if for each pair of distinct points l and m of U , there exists $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta o$) sets L and M containing l and m , respectively such that $m \notin L$ and $l \notin M$.
- (ii) $N_{nc}e-T_2$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta-T_2$) if for each pair of distinct points l and m in U , there exists disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ (resp. $N_{nc}\theta o$) sets L and M in U such that $l \in L$ and $m \in M$.

Remark 4.1 N_{nc} Hausdorff $\Leftrightarrow N_{nc}\theta-T_1$.

Theorem 4.1 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ injection and V is an $N_{nc}e-T_1$ space, then U is a $N_{nc}\theta-T_1$ (or N_{nc} Hausdorff) space.

Proof. Suppose that V is $N_{nc}e-T_1$. For any distinct points l and m in U , then $\exists L, M \in N_{nc}eO(Y) \ni h(l) \in L, h(m) \notin L, h(l) \notin M \& h(m) \in M$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(L) \& h^{-1}(M)$ are $N_{nc}\theta o$ subsets of $(U, N_{nc}\tau) \ni l \in h^{-1}(L), m \notin h^{-1}(L), l \notin h^{-1}(M) \& m \in h^{-1}(M)$. This shows that U is $N_{nc}\theta-T_1$ (equivalently N_{nc} Hausdorff by Remark 3).

Theorem 4.2 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ injection and V is an $N_{nc}e-T_2$ space, then U is a $N_{nc}\theta-T_2$ space.

Proof. Suppose that V is $N_{nc}e-T_2$. For any pair of distinct points $l \& m$ in U , there exist disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ sets $L \& M$ in V such that $h(l) \in L \& h(m) \in M$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(L) \& h^{-1}(M)$ are $N_{nc}\theta o$ in U containing $l \& m$, respectively. Therefore, $h^{-1}(L) \cap h^{-1}(M) = \phi$ because $L \cap M = \phi$. This shows that U is $N_{nc}\theta-T_2$.

Theorem 4.3 If $h, g : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ are $sfN_{nc}eCts$ functions and V is $N_{nc}e-T_2$, then $E = \{e \in X : h(e) = g(e)\}$ is $N_{nc}c$ in U .

Proof. Suppose that $e \notin E$. Then $h(e) \neq g(e)$. Since V is $N_{nc}e-T_2$, $\exists L \in N_{nc}eO(Y, h(e)) \& M \in N_{nc}eO(Y, g(e)) \ni L \cap M = \phi$. Since $h \& g$ are $sfN_{nc}eCts$, there exist a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set N of U containing e and a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set O of U containing $e \ni h(N) \subseteq L \& g(O) \subseteq M$. Set $D = N \cap O$, then $D \cap E = \phi$ with D a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set and hence $N_{nc}o \ni e \in D$. Then $e \notin N_{nc}cl(E)$ and thus E is $N_{nc}c$ in U .

Definition 4.2 A space $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is said to be:

- (i) $N_{nc}\theta$ regular (briefly, $N_{nc}\theta Reg$ (resp. $N_{nc}e$ regular (briefly $N_{nc}eReg$))) if $\forall N_{nc}\theta c$ (resp. $N_{nc}ec$) set C and each point $x \notin C$, there exist disjoint $N_{nc}\theta o$ (resp. $N_{nc}eo$) sets $L \& M \ni C \subseteq L$ and $x \in M$.
- (ii) $N_{nc}\theta$ -normal (briefly, $N_{nc}\theta Nor$ (resp. $N_{nc}e$ -normal (briefly, $N_{nc}eNor$))) if for any pair of disjoint $N_{nc}\theta c$ (resp. $N_{nc}ec$) subsets $C_1 \& C_2$ of U , there exist disjoint $N_{nc}\theta o$ (resp. $N_{nc}eo$) sets $L \& M \ni C_1 \subseteq L \& C_2 \subseteq M$.

Definition 4.3 A function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is called $N_{nc}\theta e$ -open (briefly, $N_{nc}\theta eO$) if $h(L) \in N_{nc}eOS(Y)$ for each $L \in N_{nc}\tau_\theta$.

Theorem 4.4 If h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ & $N_{nc}\theta eO$ injection from a $N_{nc}\theta Reg$ space $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ onto a space $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$, then $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}eReg$.

Proof. Let C be an $N_{nc}ec$ set of V and $y \notin C$. Take $y = h(x)$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(C)$ is $N_{nc}\theta c$ in $U \ni h^{-1}(y) = x \notin h^{-1}(C)$. Take $D = h^{-1}(C)$. We have $x \notin D$. Since U is $N_{nc}\theta Reg$, then there exist disjoint $N_{nc}\theta o$ sets $L \& M$ in $U \ni D \subseteq L \& x \in M$. We obtain that $C = h(D) \subseteq h(L) \& y = h(x) \in h(L) \ni h(L) \& h(M)$ are disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ sets. This shows that V is $N_{nc}eReg$.

Theorem 4.5 If h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ & $N_{nc}\theta eO$ injection from a $N_{nc}\theta Nor$ space $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ onto a space $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$, then V is $N_{nc}eNor$.

Proof. Let $F_1 \& F_2$ be disjoint $N_{nc}ec$ sets of V . Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(F_1) \& h^{-1}(F_2)$ are $N_{nc}\theta c$ sets. Take $L = h^{-1}(F_1) \& M = h^{-1}(F_2)$. We have $L \cap M = \phi$. Since U is $N_{nc}\theta Nor$, there exist disjoint $N_{nc}\theta o$ sets $C \& D \ni L \subseteq C \& M \subseteq D$. We obtain that $F_1 = h(L) \subseteq h(C) \& F_2 = h(M) \subseteq h(D) \ni h(C) \& h(D)$ are disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ sets. Thus, V is $N_{nc}eNor$.

Definition 4.4 A function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$, the subset $\{(g, h(g)) : g \in X\} \subseteq X \times Y$ is called the graph of h and is denoted by $N_{nc}G(h)$.

Definition 4.5 A graph $N_{nc}G(h)$ of a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is said to be $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed if for each $(l, m) \in (X \times Y) \setminus N_{nc}G(h)$, there exist a $N_{nc}\theta o$ L set of U containing l and an $N_{nc}eo$ set M of V containing $m \ni (L \times M) \cap G(h) = \phi$.

Lemma 4.1 A graph $N_{nc}G(h)$ of a function $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed in $X \times Y$ iff for each $(l, m) \in (X \times Y) \setminus N_{nc}G(h)$, there exist a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set L of U containing l and an $N_{nc}eo$ set M of V containing $m \ni h(L) \cap M = \phi$.

Theorem 4.6 If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $sfN_{nc}eCts$ function and $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}e-T_2$, then $N_{nc}G(h)$ is $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed.

Proof. Let $(l, m) \in (X \times Y) \setminus N_{nc}G(h)$, then $h(l) \notin m$. Since V is $N_{nc}e-T_2$, there exist disjoint $N_{nc}eo$ sets $L \& M$ in $V \ni h(l) \in L \& m \in M$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, $h^{-1}(L)$ is $N_{nc}\theta o$ in U containing l . Take $N = h^{-1}(L)$. We have $h(N) \subseteq L$. Therefore, we obtain $h(N) \cap M = \phi$. This shows that $N_{nc}G(h)$ is $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed.

Theorem 4.7 Let $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ has an $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed graph $N_{nc}G(h)$. If h is a $sfN_{nc}eCts$ injection, then $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is $N_{nc}\theta-T_2$.

Proof. Let $l \& m$ be any two distinct points of U . Then since h is injective, we have $h(l) \neq h(m)$. Then, we have $(l, h(m)) \in (X \times Y) \setminus N_{nc}G(h)$. By Lemma 3, there exist a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set L of U and an $N_{nc}eo$ set M of $V \ni (l, h(m)) \in L \times M \& h(L) \cap M = \phi$. Hence $L \cap h^{-1}(M) = \phi \& m \notin L$. Since h is $sfN_{nc}eCts$, there exists a $N_{nc}\theta o$ set N of U containing $m \ni h(N) \subseteq M$. Therefore, we have $h(L) \cap h(N) = \phi$. Since h is injective, we obtain $L \cap N = \phi$. This implies that $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$ is $N_{nc}\theta-T_2$.

Definition 4.6 A $N_{nc}ts$ U is said to be $N_{nc}e$ -Alexandroff if every finite intersection of $N_{nc}eo$ sets is $N_{nc}eo$.

Theorem 4.8 Let $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ be $N_{nc}e$ -Alexandroff. If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ has the $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed graph, then $h(H)$ is $N_{nc}ec$ in $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ for each subset H which is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact relative to U .

Proof. Suppose that $m \notin h(H)$. Then $(l, m) \notin N_{nc}G(h)$ for each $l \in H$. Since $N_{nc}G(h)$ is $N_{nc}(e, \theta)$ -closed, there exist a $N_{nc}\theta$ L_l set of U containing l and $N_{nc}eo$ M_l set of V containing $m \ni h(L_l) \cap M_l = \phi$, by Lemma 3. The family $\{L_l : l \in H\}$ is a cover of H by $N_{nc}\theta$ sets. Since H is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact relative to $(U, N_{nc}\tau)$, there exists a N_{nc} finite subset H_0 of $H \ni H \subseteq \bigcup\{L_l : l \in H_0\}$. Set $M = \bigcap\{M_l : l \in H_0\}$. Then M is a $N_{nc}eo$ set in V containing m . Therefore, we have $h(H) \cap M \subseteq (\bigcap_{l \in H_0} h(L_l)) \cap M \subseteq \bigcap_{l \in H_0} (h(L_l) \cap M) = \phi$. It follows that $m \notin N_{nc}ec(h(H))$. Therefore, $h(H)$ is $N_{nc}ec$ in $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$.

Corollary 4.1 Let $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ be $N_{nc}e$ -Alexandroff. If $h : (U, N_{nc}\tau) \rightarrow (V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}eCts$ and $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ is $N_{nc}e-T_2$, then $h(H)$ is $N_{nc}ec$ in $(V, N_{nc}\sigma)$ for each subset H which is $N_{nc}\theta$ -compact relative to (X, τ) .

CONCLUSION

In this work, we have introduced some new class of functions, called strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous. Also the relationships among strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous function and $N_{nc}e$ -connected, normal and compact spaces are investigated. Furthermore, the relationships between strongly faint $N_{nc}e$ -continuous functions and graphs are also investigated.

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