

## $([r, s], [t, u])$ -INTERVAL-VALUED INTUITIONISTIC FUZZY GENERALIZED PRECONTINUOUS MAPPINGS

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper, we introduce the concepts of  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosed sets and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preopen sets in the interval-valued intuitionistic smooth topological space and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized precontinuous mappings and then investigate some of their properties.

### 1. Introduction

After Zadeh [16] introduced the concept of fuzzy sets, there have been various generalizations of the concept of fuzzy sets. Chang [5] introduced the concept of fuzzy topology on a set  $X$  by axiomatizing a collection  $T$  of fuzzy subsets of  $X$  and Coker [7] introduced the concept of intuitionistic fuzzy topology on a set by axiomatizing a collection  $T$  of intuitionistic fuzzy subsets of  $X$ . Chattopadhyay, Hazra and Samanta [6,9] introduced the concept of gradation of openness of fuzzy subsets. Zadeh [17] introduced the concept of interval-valued fuzzy sets and Atanassov [1]

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introduced the concept of intuitionistic fuzzy sets. Atanassov and Gargov [2] introduced the concept of interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy sets which is a generalization of both interval-valued fuzzy sets and intuitionistic fuzzy sets. Mondal and Samanta [10,15] introduced the concept of intuitionistic gradation of openness and defined an intuitionistic smooth topological space. In [13], we introduced the concept of interval-valued intuitionistic gradation of openness and defined an interval-valued intuitionistic smooth topological space. Fukutake, Saraf, Caldas and Mishra [8] introduced the concepts of generalized preclosed fuzzy sets and fuzzy generalized precontinuous mappings in fuzzy topological spaces.

In this paper, we introduce the concepts of  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosed sets and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preopen sets in the interval-valued intuitionistic smooth topological space and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized precontinuous mappings and then investigate some of their properties.

## 2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, let  $X$  be a nonempty set,  $I = [0, 1]$ ,  $I_0 = (0, 1]$  and  $I_1 = [0, 1)$ . The family of all fuzzy sets of  $X$  will be denoted by  $I^X$ . By  $0_X$  and  $1_X$  we denote the characteristic functions of  $\phi$  and  $X$ , respectively. For any  $A \in I^X$ ,  $A^c$  denotes the complement of  $A$ , i.e.,  $A^c = 1_X - A$ .

DEFINITION 2.1.[3,6,14]. A *gradation of openness* (for short, GO) on  $X$ , which is also called a *smooth topology* on  $X$ , is a mapping  $\tau : I^X \rightarrow I$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (O1)  $\tau(0_X) = \tau(1_X) = 1$ ,
  - (O2)  $\tau(A \cap B) \geq \tau(A) \wedge \tau(B)$  for each  $A, B \in I^X$ ,
  - (O3)  $\tau(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \tau(A_i)$ , for each subfamily  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\} \subseteq I^X$ .
- The pair  $(X, \tau)$  is called a *smooth topological space* (for short, STS).

DEFINITION 2.2.[10]. An *intuitionistic gradation of openness* (for short, IGO) on  $X$ , which is also called an *intuitionistic smooth topology* on  $X$ , is an ordered pair  $(\tau, \tau^*)$  of mappings from  $I^X$  to  $I$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (IGO1)  $\tau(A) + \tau^*(A) \leq 1$  for each  $A \in I^X$ ,
- (IGO2)  $\tau(0_X) = \tau(1_X) = 1$  and  $\tau^*(0_X) = \tau^*(1_X) = 0$ ,

(IGO3)  $\tau(A \cap B) \geq \tau(A) \wedge \tau(B)$  and  $\tau^*(A \cap B) \leq \tau^*(A) \vee \tau^*(B)$  for each  $A, B \in I^X$ ,

(IGO4)  $\tau(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \tau(A_i)$  and  $\tau^*(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \leq \vee_{i \in \Gamma} \tau^*(A_i)$  for each subfamily  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\} \subseteq I^X$ .

The triple  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  is called an *intuitionistic smooth topological space* (for short, ISTS).  $\tau$  and  $\tau^*$  may be interpreted as gradation of openness and gradation of nonopenness, respectively.

DEFINITION 2.3.[10]. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two ISTSs and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping.  $f$  is called a *gradation preserving mapping* (for short, a GP-mapping) if for each  $A \in I^Y$ ,  $\eta(A) \leq \tau(f^{-1}(A))$  and  $\eta^*(A) \geq \tau^*(f^{-1}(A))$ .

Let  $D(I)$  be the set of all closed subintervals of the unit interval  $I$ . The elements of  $D(I)$  are generally denoted by capital letters  $M, N, \dots$  and  $M = [M^L, M^U]$ , where  $M^L$  and  $M^U$  are respectively the lower and the upper end points. Especially, we denote  $\mathbf{r} = [r, r]$  for each  $r \in I$ . The complement of  $M$ , denoted by  $M^c$ , is defined by  $M^c = 1 - M = [1 - M^U, 1 - M^L]$ . Note that  $M = N$  iff  $M^L = N^L$  and  $M^U = N^U$  and that  $M \leq N$  iff  $M^L \leq N^L$  and  $M^U \leq N^U$ .

DEFINITION 2.4.[17]. A mapping  $A = [A^L, A^U] : X \rightarrow D(I)$  is called an *interval-valued fuzzy set* (for short, IVFS) on  $X$ , where  $A(x) = [A^L(x), A^U(x)]$  for each  $x \in X$ .  $A^L(x)$  and  $A^U(x)$  are called the *lower* and *upper end points* of  $A(x)$ , respectively.

DEFINITION 2.5.[11]. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be IVFSs on  $X$ .

- (i)  $A = B$  iff  $A^L(x) = B^L(x)$  and  $A^U(x) = B^U(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .
- (ii)  $A \subseteq B$  iff  $A^L(x) \leq B^L(x)$  and  $A^U(x) \leq B^U(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .
- (iii) The *complement*  $A^c$  of  $A$  is defined by  $A^c(x) = [1 - A^U(x), 1 - A^L(x)]$  for all  $x \in X$ .
- (iv) For a family of IVFSs  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\}$ , the union  $\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i$  and the intersection  $\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i$  are respectively defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i(x) &= [\vee_{i \in \Gamma} A_i^L(x), \vee_{i \in \Gamma} A_i^U(x)], \\ \cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i(x) &= [\wedge_{i \in \Gamma} A_i^L(x), \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} A_i^U(x)] \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in X$ .

DEFINITION 2.6.[2]. A mapping  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A) : X \rightarrow D(I) \times D(I)$  is called an *interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy set* (for short, IVIFS) on  $X$ , where  $\mu_A : X \rightarrow D(I)$  and  $\nu_A : X \rightarrow D(I)$  are interval-valued fuzzy sets

on  $X$  with the condition  $\sup_{x \in X} \mu_A^U(x) + \sup_{x \in X} \nu_A^U(x) \leq 1$ . The intervals  $\mu_A(x) = [\mu_A^L(x), \mu_A^U(x)]$  and  $\nu_A(x) = [\nu_A^L(x), \nu_A^U(x)]$  denote the degree of belongingness and the degree of nonbelongingness of the element  $x$  to the set  $A$ , respectively.

DEFINITION 2.7.[12]. Let  $A = (\mu_A, \nu_A)$  and  $B = (\mu_B, \nu_B)$  be IVIFSs on  $X$ .

(i)  $A \subseteq B$  iff  $\mu_A^L(x) \leq \mu_B^L(x)$ ,  $\mu_A^U(x) \leq \mu_B^U(x)$  and  $\nu_A^L(x) \geq \nu_B^L(x)$ ,  $\nu_A^U(x) \geq \nu_B^U(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

(ii)  $A = B$  iff  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq A$ .

(iii) The *complement*  $A^c$  of  $A$  is defined by  $\mu_{A^c}(x) = \nu_A(x)$  and  $\nu_{A^c}(x) = \mu_A(x)$  for all  $x \in X$ .

(iv) For a family of IVIFSs  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\}$ , the union  $\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i$  and the intersection  $\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i$  are respectively defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \mu_{\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i}(x) &= \cup_{i \in \Gamma} \mu_{A_i}(x), \nu_{\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i}(x) = \cap_{i \in \Gamma} \nu_{A_i}(x), \\ \mu_{\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i}(x) &= \cap_{i \in \Gamma} \mu_{A_i}(x), \nu_{\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i}(x) = \cup_{i \in \Gamma} \nu_{A_i}(x) \end{aligned}$$

for all  $x \in X$ .

DEFINITION 2.8.[4]. Let  $(X, \mathcal{T})$  be a fuzzy topological space.

(i) A fuzzy set  $A$  in  $X$  is called a *preopen fuzzy set* if  $A \subseteq \text{int}(cl(A))$  and a *preclosed fuzzy set* if  $cl(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ .

(ii) The *preclosure* of a fuzzy set  $A$  in  $X$  is the intersection of all preclosed fuzzy sets containing  $A$  and is denoted by  $pcl(A)$ .

(iii) A fuzzy set  $A$  in  $X$  is called a *generalized preclosed fuzzy set* if  $pcl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is an open fuzzy set in  $X$ . The complement of a generalized preclosed fuzzy set is called a *generalized preopen fuzzy set*.

DEFINITION 2.9.[4]. Let  $(X, \mathcal{T})$  and  $(Y, \mathcal{U})$  be two fuzzy topological spaces. A mapping  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is called *fuzzy generalized precontinuous* if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a generalized preclosed fuzzy set in  $X$  for every closed fuzzy set  $A$  of  $Y$ .

### 3. $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosed and preopen sets

DEFINITION 3.1.[13]. An *interval-valued intuitionistic gradation of openness* (for short, IVIGO) on  $X$ , which is also called an *interval-valued intuitionistic smooth topology* on  $X$ , is an ordered pair  $(\tau, \tau^*)$  of

mappings  $\tau = [\tau^L, \tau^U] : I^X \rightarrow D(I)$  and  $\tau^* = [\tau^{*L}, \tau^{*U}] : I^X \rightarrow D(I)$  satisfying the following conditions:

(IVIGO1)  $\tau^L(A) \leq \tau^U(A)$ ,  $\tau^{*L}(A) \leq \tau^{*U}(A)$  and  $\tau^U(A) + \tau^{*U}(A) \leq 1$  for each  $A \in I^X$ ,

(IVIGO2)  $\tau(0_X) = \tau(1_X) = \mathbf{1}$  and  $\tau^*(0_X) = \tau^*(1_X) = \mathbf{0}$ ,

(IVIGO3)  $\tau^L(A \cap B) \geq \tau^L(A) \wedge \tau^L(B)$ ,  $\tau^U(A \cap B) \geq \tau^U(A) \wedge \tau^U(B)$  and  $\tau^{*L}(A \cap B) \leq \tau^{*L}(A) \vee \tau^{*L}(B)$ ,  $\tau^{*U}(A \cap B) \leq \tau^{*U}(A) \vee \tau^{*U}(B)$  for each  $A, B \in I^X$ ,

(IVIGO4)  $\tau^L(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \tau^L(A_i)$ ,  $\tau^U(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \tau^U(A_i)$  and  $\tau^{*L}(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \leq \vee_{i \in \Gamma} \tau^{*L}(A_i)$ ,  $\tau^{*U}(\cup_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \leq \vee_{i \in \Gamma} \tau^{*U}(A_i)$  for each subfamily  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\} \subseteq I^X$ .

The triple  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  is called an *interval-valued intuitionistic smooth topological space* (for short, IVISTS).  $\tau$  and  $\tau^*$  may be interpreted as interval-valued gradation of openness and interval-valued gradation of nonopenness, respectively.

DEFINITION 3.2.[13]. An *interval-valued intuitionistic gradation of closedness* (for short, IVIGC) on  $X$ , which is also called an *interval-valued intuitionistic smooth cotopology* on  $X$ , is an ordered pair  $(\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}^*)$  of mappings  $\mathcal{F} = [\mathcal{F}^L, \mathcal{F}^U] : I^X \rightarrow D(I)$  and  $\mathcal{F}^* = [\mathcal{F}^{*L}, \mathcal{F}^{*U}] : I^X \rightarrow D(I)$  satisfying the following conditions:

(IVIGC1)  $\mathcal{F}^L(A) \leq \mathcal{F}^U(A)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^{*L}(A) \leq \mathcal{F}^{*U}(A)$  and  $\mathcal{F}^U(A) + \mathcal{F}^{*U}(A) \leq 1$  for each  $A \in I^X$ ,

(IVIGC2)  $\mathcal{F}(0_X) = \mathcal{F}(1_X) = \mathbf{1}$  and  $\mathcal{F}^*(0_X) = \mathcal{F}^*(1_X) = \mathbf{0}$ ,

(IVIGC3)  $\mathcal{F}^L(A \cup B) \geq \mathcal{F}^L(A) \wedge \mathcal{F}^L(B)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^U(A \cup B) \geq \mathcal{F}^U(A) \wedge \mathcal{F}^U(B)$  and  $\mathcal{F}^{*L}(A \cup B) \leq \mathcal{F}^{*L}(A) \vee \mathcal{F}^{*L}(B)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^{*U}(A \cup B) \leq \mathcal{F}^{*U}(A) \vee \mathcal{F}^{*U}(B)$  for each  $A, B \in I^X$ ,

(IVIGC4)  $\mathcal{F}^L(\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \mathcal{F}^L(A_i)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^U(\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \geq \wedge_{i \in \Gamma} \mathcal{F}^U(A_i)$  and  $\mathcal{F}^{*L}(\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \leq \vee_{i \in \Gamma} \mathcal{F}^{*L}(A_i)$ ,  $\mathcal{F}^{*U}(\cap_{i \in \Gamma} A_i) \leq \vee_{i \in \Gamma} \mathcal{F}^{*U}(A_i)$  for each subfamily  $\{A_i : i \in \Gamma\} \subseteq I^X$ .

For an IVIGO  $(\tau, \tau^*)$  and an IVIGC  $(\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}^*)$  on  $X$ , we define

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{\mathcal{F}}(A) &= \mathcal{F}(A^c), \quad \tau_{\mathcal{F}^*}^*(A) = \mathcal{F}^*(A^c), \\ \mathcal{F}_{\tau}(A) &= \tau(A^c), \quad \mathcal{F}_{\tau^*}^*(A) = \tau^*(A^c) \end{aligned}$$

for each  $A \in I^X$ .

DEFINITION 3.3. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ .

- (i)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy open set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS) if  $\tau(A) \geq [r, s]$  and  $\tau^*(A) \leq [t, u]$ .
- (ii)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy closed set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS) if  $\mathcal{F}_\tau(A) \geq [r, s]$  and  $\mathcal{F}_{\tau^*}(A) \leq [t, u]$ .

DEFINITION 3.4. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . The  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy closure and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy interior of  $A$  are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cap\{K \in I^X : A \subseteq K, \mathcal{F}_\tau(K) \geq [r, s], \mathcal{F}_{\tau^*}(K) \leq [t, u]\}, \\ int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cup\{G \in I^X : G \subseteq A, \tau(G) \geq [r, s], \tau^*(G) \leq [t, u]\}. \end{aligned}$$

DEFINITION 3.5. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ .

- (i)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy pre-open set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOS) if  $A \subseteq int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$ .
- (ii)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy pre-closed set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS) if  $A^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOS, or equivalently,  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq A$ .

Note that if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS then  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOS and that if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS then  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS.

REMARK 3.6. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . Then

- (i) Any intersection of  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCSs is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS.
- (ii) Any union of  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOSs is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOS.

DEFINITION 3.7. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . The  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy preclosure and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy preinterior of  $A$  are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cap\{K \in I^X : A \subseteq K, K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFPCS}\}, \\ pint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cup\{G \in I^X : G \subseteq A, G \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFPOS}\}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq pint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq A \subseteq pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \\ &\subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A). \end{aligned}$$

DEFINITION 3.8. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ .

(i)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosed set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS) if  $pcl_{([r,s],[t,u])}(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS.

(ii)  $A$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preopen set (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS) if  $A^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS, or equivalently,  $U \subseteq pint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  whenever  $U \subseteq A$  and  $U$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS.

Note that if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS then  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS and that if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPOS then  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS.

EXAMPLE 3.9. The intersection of two  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCSs need not be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS and the union of two  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOSs need not be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS.

Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ . Define  $G_1, G_2, G_3 \in I^X$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} G_1 &= \{(a, 1), (b, 0), (c, 0)\}, & G_2 &= \{(a, 1), (b, 1), (c, 0)\}, \\ G_3 &= \{(a, 1), (b, 0), (c, 1)\}. \end{aligned}$$

Define  $\tau, \tau^* : I^X \rightarrow D(I)$  as follows:

$$\tau(A) = \begin{cases} \mathbf{1} & \text{if } A \in \{0_X, 1_X\}, \\ [0.7, 0.8] & \text{if } A = G_1, \\ [0.5, 0.6] & \text{if } A = G_2, \\ [0.3, 0.4] & \text{if } A = G_3, \\ \mathbf{0} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$\tau^*(A) = \begin{cases} \mathbf{0} & \text{if } A \in \{0_X, 1_X\}, \\ [0.1, 0.2] & \text{if } A = G_1, \\ [0.3, 0.4] & \text{if } A = G_2, \\ [0.5, 0.6] & \text{if } A = G_3, \\ \mathbf{1} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Then  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  is an IVISTS. Let  $[r, s] = [0.6, 0.7]$  and  $[t, u] = [0.2, 0.3]$ . Then  $int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_2) = G_1$  and  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_1) = 1_X$ . Hence  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_2)) = 1_X \not\subseteq G_2$ . Thus  $G_2$  is not an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS. Similarly,  $G_3$  is not also an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS. Let  $G_2 \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS. Then  $U = 1_X$  and so  $pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_2) \subseteq 1_X = U$ . Hence  $G_2$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS. Similarly,  $G_3$  is also

an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS. Since  $G_2 \cap G_3 = G_1$  and  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_1) = G_1$  and  $\text{cl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_1) = 1_X$ ,  $\text{cl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_1)) = 1_X \not\subseteq G_1$ . Hence  $G_1$  is not an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS. Also  $G_1$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS. Let  $G = \{(a, 1), (b, s), (c, t)\} \in I^X$ , where  $s, t \in (0, 1)$ . Then  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G) = G_1$  and so  $\text{cl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G)) = 1_X \not\subseteq G$ . Hence  $G$  is not an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS. Therefore the set for which  $K$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS with  $G_1 \subseteq K$  is only  $K = 1_X$ . Hence  $\text{pcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(G_1) = \cap\{K \in I^X : G_1 \subseteq K, K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFPCS}\} = 1_X \not\subseteq G_1$ . Therefore  $G_2 \cap G_3 = G_1$  is not an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS.

By taking the complement in the above example, the union of two  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOSs need not be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS.

**DEFINITION 3.10.** Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . The  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosure and  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preinterior of  $A$  are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cap\{K \in I^X : A \subseteq K, K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\}, \\ \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &= \cup\{G \in I^X : G \subseteq A, G \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPOS}\}. \end{aligned}$$

Note that  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{pint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq A \subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{pcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{cl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ .

**THEOREM 3.11.** Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A, B \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . Then

- (i)  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(0_X) = 0_X$ .
- (ii)  $A \subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ .
- (iii)  $A = \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS.
- (iv)  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$  if  $A \subseteq B$ .
- (v)  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A \cup B) \supseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \cup \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$ ,  
 $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A \cap B) \subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \cap \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$ .
- (vi)  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) = \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ .
- (vii)  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c) = (\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))^c$ .

*Proof.* (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) follow directly from Definition 3.10.

(v) It follows directly from (iv).

(vi) By (ii) and (iv),  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$ .

Suppose that  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \not\subseteq \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ . Then there exists  $x \in X$  such that  $(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))(x) < (\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))(x)$ . Choose  $a \in (0, 1)$  with  $(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))(x) < a < (\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))(x)$ . Since  $(\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))(x) < a$ , by Definition 3.10, there exists an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS  $K$  such that  $A \subseteq K$  and  $K(x) < a$ .



Since  $K$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS with  $A \subseteq K$ ,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq K$  and also  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq K$ . Hence  $(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))(x) \leq K(x) < a$ . This is a contradiction. Hence  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ . Therefore  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) = gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ .

(vii) By Definition 3.10, we have

$$\begin{aligned} & gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c) \\ &= \cap \{K \in I^X : A^c \subseteq K, K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\} \\ &= \cap \{G^c \in I^X : A^c \subseteq G^c, G^c \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\} \\ &= (\cup \{G \in I^X : G \subseteq A, G \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPOS}\})^c \\ &= (gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))^c. \end{aligned}$$

□

**THEOREM 3.12.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS,  $A, B \in I^X$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ . Then*

- (i)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(1_X) = 1_X$ .
- (ii)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq A$ .
- (iii)  $A = gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  if  $A$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS.
- (iv)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$  if  $A \subseteq B$ .
- (v)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A \cup B) \supseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \cup gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$ ,  
 $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A \cap B) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \cap gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(B)$ .
- (vi)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) = gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$ .
- (vii)  $gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c) = (gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))^c$ .

*Proof.* The proof is similar to Theorem 3.11.

□

#### 4. $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized precontinuous mappings

**DEFINITION 4.1.** Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping.

(i)  $f$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized precontinuous mapping (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping) if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS  $A$  of  $Y$ .

(ii)  $f$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preopen mapping (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preopen mapping) if  $f(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $Y$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS  $A$  of  $X$ .

(iii)  $f$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preclosed mapping (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping) if  $f(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS  $A$  of  $X$ .

(iv)  $f$  is called an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy generalized preirresolute mapping (for short,  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping) if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS  $A$  of  $Y$ .

Note that  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping if and only if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $X$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS  $A$  of  $Y$ .

**THEOREM 4.2.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s+u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping, then  $f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $A \in I^X$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous,  $f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Since  $A \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))$ , by Definition 3.10  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))$ . Hence  $f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 4.3.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s+u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $f(pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ , then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.*

*Proof.* Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(A) \in I^X$ . Let  $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS. By hypothesis,  $f(pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A$ . Hence  $pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f^{-1}(f(pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A) \subseteq U$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.  $\square$

DEFINITION 4.4. An IVISTS  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  is called an *interval-valued intuitionistic fuzzy pre  $T_{1/2}$  space* (for short,  $\text{IVIFPT}_{1/2}$  space) if for each  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$ , every  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS in  $X$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS in  $X$ .

THEOREM 4.5. Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an  $\text{IVIFPT}_{1/2}$  space and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVISTS and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent.

- (i)  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.
- (ii)  $f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ .
- (iii)  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .
- (iv)  $f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .

*Proof.* (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). It follows from Theorem 4.2.

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii). Let  $A \in I^Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(A) \in I^X$ . By (ii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) &\subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(f^{-1}(A))) \\ &\subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) &\subseteq f^{-1}(f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)). \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\Rightarrow$ (iv). Let  $A \in I^Y$ . By (iii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f^{-1}(A))^c) &= gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A^c)) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))^c \subseteq (f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))^c$ . Hence  $f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$ .

(iv) $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(A) \in I^X$  and  $A^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $Y$  and so  $int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c) = A^c$ . Let  $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $X$ . By (iv), we have

$$\begin{aligned} (f^{-1}(A))^c &= f^{-1}(A^c) = f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c)) \\ &\subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A^c)) \\ &= (gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))^c. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$  and so  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) = f^{-1}(A)$ . Since  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  is an  $\text{IVIFPT}_{1/2}$  space,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) = pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$ . Hence  $pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) = f^{-1}(A) \subseteq U$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(A)$  is

an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.  $\square$

**THEOREM 4.6.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ , then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.*

*Proof.* Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $Y$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A$ . By hypothesis,  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) = f^{-1}(A)$ . Thus  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS of  $X$ . So  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Hence  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.  $\square$

We can obtain the following corollary from Theorem 4.6.

**COROLLARY 4.7.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ , then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.*

**THEOREM 4.8.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVISTS and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (i)  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping.
- (ii)  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .
- (iii)  $f^{-1}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .

*Proof.* (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A \in I^Y$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG precontinuous mapping,  $f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Since  $X$  is an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space,  $f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS of  $X$ . Thus  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) &\subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)). \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii). Let  $A \in I^Y$ . Then  $A^c \in I^Y$ . By (ii),  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A^c))) \subseteq f^{-1}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A^c))$ . Thus  $(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))^c \subseteq$

$(f^{-1}(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)))^c$ . Hence  $f^{-1}(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq \text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(\text{cl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$ .

(iii) $\Rightarrow$ (i). It follows from Corollary 4.7. □

**THEOREM 4.9.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (i)  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preopen mapping.
- (ii)  $f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ .
- (iii)  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f^{-1}(\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .

*Proof.* (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A \in I^X$ . Then  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $X$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preopen mapping,  $f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $Y$  and  $f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq f(A)$ . By Definition 3.10,  $f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$ .

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii). Let  $A \in I^Y$ . Then  $f^{-1}(A) \in I^X$ . By (ii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) &\subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(f^{-1}(A))) \\ &\subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) &\subseteq f^{-1}(f(\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)). \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $X$ . Then  $\text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A$  and  $f(A) \in I^Y$ . Let  $(f(A))^c \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $Y$ . By (iii), we have

$$\begin{aligned} A = \text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) &\subseteq \text{int}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(f(A))) \\ &\subseteq f^{-1}(\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $f(A) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))) \subseteq \text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  and so  $(f(A))^c \supseteq (\text{gpint}_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))^c = \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f(A))^c)$ . Thus  $(f(A))^c = \text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f(A))^c)$ . Since  $Y$  is an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space,  $\text{gpcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f(A))^c) = \text{pcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f(A))^c)$ . Hence  $\text{pcl}_{[r,s],[t,u]}((f(A))^c) = (f(A))^c \subseteq U$ . So  $(f(A))^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Thus  $f(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $Y$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preopen mapping. □

**THEOREM 4.10.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping if and only if  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping. Let  $A \in I^X$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $X$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping,  $f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$  and  $f(A) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$ . By Definition 3.10,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$ .

Conversely, suppose that  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ . Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $X$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A$ . Let  $f(A) \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $Y$ . By hypothesis,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) = f(A)$ . Thus  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = f(A)$ . Since  $Y$  is an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$ . Hence  $pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = f(A) \subseteq U$ . Thus  $f(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping. □

**THEOREM 4.11.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVISTS and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a bijective mapping. Then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping if and only if  $f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose that  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping. Let  $A \in I^Y$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $X$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping,  $f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is surjective,  $A = f(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$ . By Definition 3.10,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) \subseteq f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$ . Since  $f$  is injective, we have

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) &\subseteq f^{-1}(f(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \\ &= cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)). \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, suppose that  $f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ . Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFCS of  $X$ . Then  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A$ . Let  $f(A) \subseteq U$  and let  $U$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFOS of  $Y$ . By

hypothesis and the injectivity of  $f$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))) &\subseteq cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(f(A))) \\ &= cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A) = A. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $f$  is surjective,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = f(f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))) \subseteq f(A)$ . Thus  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = f(A)$ . Since  $Y$  is an  $IVIFPT_{1/2}$  space,  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$ . Thus  $pcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)) = f(A) \subseteq U$ . Hence  $f(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preclosed mapping.  $\square$

**THEOREM 4.12.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an  $IVIFPT_{1/2}$  space and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an  $IVISTS$  and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (i)  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping.
- (ii)  $f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))$  for each  $A \in I^X$ .
- (iii)  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .
- (iv)  $f^{-1}(gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ .

*Proof.* (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A \in I^X$ . Then  $f(A) \in I^Y$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping, we have

$$\begin{aligned} &f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A))) \\ &= f^{-1}(\cap\{K \in I^Y : f(A) \subseteq K, K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\}) \\ &\supseteq f^{-1}(\cap\{K \in I^Y : A \subseteq f^{-1}(K), K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\}) \\ &= \cap\{f^{-1}(K) \in I^X : A \subseteq f^{-1}(K), K \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\} \\ &\supseteq \cap\{f^{-1}(K) \in I^X : A \subseteq f^{-1}(K), f^{-1}(K) \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\} \\ &\supseteq \cap\{W \in I^X : A \subseteq W, W \text{ is an } ([r, s], [t, u])\text{-IVIFGPCS}\} \\ &= gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A). \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} f(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) &\subseteq f(f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)))) \\ &\subseteq gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f(A)). \end{aligned}$$

The proofs of (ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii), (iii) $\Rightarrow$ (iv) and (iv) $\Rightarrow$ (i) are similar to Theorem 4.5.  $\square$

**THEOREM 4.13.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ , then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping.*

*Proof.* It is similar to Theorem 4.6. □

We can obtain the following corollary from Theorem 4.13.

**COROLLARY 4.14.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  be two IVISTSs and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. If  $f^{-1}(gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(A)) \subseteq int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))$  for each  $A \in I^Y$ , then  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping.*

**THEOREM 4.15.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \tau^*)$  be an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space and  $(Y, \eta, \eta^*)$  an IVISTS and  $[r, s] \in D(I_0)$ ,  $[t, u] \in D(I_1)$  with  $s + u \leq 1$  and let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be a mapping. Then the following statements are equivalent.*

- (i)  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping.
- (ii)  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS  $A$  of  $Y$ .
- (iii)  $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))$  for each  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS  $A$  of  $Y$ .

*Proof.* (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Since  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$  and so  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) = f^{-1}(A)$ . Since  $X$  is an IVIFPT $_{1/2}$  space,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS of  $X$  and so  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \\ & \subseteq gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)) = f^{-1}(A). \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (iii). Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $Y$ . Then  $A^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . By (ii),  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A^c)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A^c)$ . Thus  $(gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))^c \subseteq (f^{-1}(A^c))^c$ . Hence  $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))$ .

(iii) $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $A$  be an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $Y$ . Then  $A^c$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPOS of  $Y$ . By (iii),  $f^{-1}(A^c) \subseteq gpint_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A^c))))$ . Thus  $(f^{-1}(A))^c \subseteq (gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))^c$ . Hence  $gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A)))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$ . Since  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq gpcl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))))$



$(A)))$ ,  $cl_{[r,s],[t,u]}(int_{[r,s],[t,u]}(f^{-1}(A))) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$ . Hence  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFPCS of  $X$  and so  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFGPCS of  $X$ . Therefore  $f$  is an  $([r, s], [t, u])$ -IVIFG preirresolute mapping.

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