# Weakly $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions and contra $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions 

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#### Abstract

The purpose of the present paper is to introduce, study and characterize upper and lower weakly $(I, J)$-continuous


multifunctions and contra $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions. Also, we investigate its relation with another class of continuous multifunctions.

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## 1 Introduction

It is well known today, that the notion of multifunction is playing a very important role in general topology, upper and lower continuity have been extensively studied on multifunctions $F:(X, \tau) \rightarrow$ $(Y, \sigma)$. Currently using the notion of topological ideal, different types of upper and lower continuity in multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow$ $(Y, \sigma)$ have been studied and characterized [2], [8], [9], [15], [18]. The concept of ideal topological spaces has been introduced and studied by Kuratowski[12] and the local function of a subset $A$ of a topological space $(X, \tau)$ was introduced by Vaidyanathaswamy [17] as follows: given a topological space $(X, \tau)$ with an ideal $I$ on $X$ and if $P(X)$ is the set of all subsets of $X$, a set operator (. $)^{*}: P(X) \rightarrow$ $P(X)$, called the local function of $A$ with respect to $\tau$ and $I$, is defined as follows: for $A \subseteq X, A^{*}(\tau, I)=\{x \in X / U \cap A \notin I$ for every $\left.U \in \tau_{x}\right\}$, where $\tau_{x}=\{U \in \tau: x \in U\}$. A Kuratowski closure operator $c l^{*}($,$) for a topology \tau^{*}(\tau, I)$ called the ${ }^{*}$-topology, finer than $\tau$ is defined by $c l^{*}(A)=A \cup A^{*}(\tau, I)$. We will denote $A^{*}(\tau, I)$ by $A^{*}$. In 1990, Jankovic and Hamlett[10], introduced the notion of $I$-open set in a topological space $(X, \tau)$ with an ideal $I$ on $X$. In 1992, Abd El-Monsef et al.[1] further investigated $I$-open sets and $I$-continuous functions. In 2007, Akdag [2], introduce the concept of $I$-continuous multifunctions in a topological space with and ideal on it. In 2007, A. Al-Omari and M. S. M. Noorani [3] introduce the notions of Contra- $I$-continuous and almost $I$-continuous functions. Given a multifunction $F:(X, \tau) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$, and two ideals $I, J$ associate, now with the topological spaces $(X, \tau, I)$ and $(Y, \sigma, J)$, consider the multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$. We want to study some type of upper and lower continuity of $F$ as doing Rosas et al. [14]. In this paper, we introduce and study a two new classes
of multifunction called a weakly $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions and contra $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions in topological spaces. Investigate its relation with another classes of continuous multifunctions. Also its relation when the ideal $J=\{\emptyset\}$.

## 2 Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, $(X, \tau)$ and $(Y, \sigma)$ (or simply $X$ and $Y$ ) always mean topological spaces in which no separation axioms are assumed, unless explicitly stated and if $I$ is and ideal on $X,(X, \tau, I)$ mean an ideal topological space. For a subset $A$ of $(X, \tau), C l(A)$ and $\operatorname{int}(A)$ denote the closure of $A$ with respect to $\tau$ and the interior of $A$ with respect to $\tau$, respectively. A subset $A$ is said to be regular open [16] (resp. semiopen [11], preopen[13], semi preopen [4]) if $A=\operatorname{int}(C l(A))(r e s p . A \subseteq C l(\operatorname{int}(A)), A \subseteq \operatorname{int}(C l(A)), A \subseteq$ $C l(\operatorname{int}(C l(A))))$. The complement of regular open (resp. semiopen, semi-preopen) set is called regular closed (resp. semiclosed, semipreclosed) set. A subset $S$ of $(X, \tau, I)$ is an $I$-open[10], if $S \subseteq$ $\operatorname{int}\left(S^{*}\right)$. The complement of an $I$-open set is called $I$-closed set. The $I$-closure and the $I$-interior, can be defined in the same way as $C l(A)$ and $\operatorname{int}(A)$, respectively, will be denoted by $I C l(A)$ and $\operatorname{Iint}(A)$, respectively. The family of all $I$-open (resp. I-closed, regular open, regular closed, semiopen, semi closed, preopen, semipreclosed) subsets of a $(X, \tau, I)$, denoted by $I O(X)$ (resp. $I C(X)$, $R O(X), R C(X), S O(X), S C(X), P O(X)$,
$S P O(X), S P C(X))$. We set $I O(X, x)=\{A: A \in I O(X)$ and $x \in$ $A\}$. It is well known that in a topological space $(X, \tau, I), X^{*} \subseteq X$ but if the ideal is codense, that is $\tau \cap I=\emptyset$, then $X^{*}=X$.
By a multifunction $F: X \rightarrow Y$, we mean a point-to-set correspondence from $X$ into $Y$, also we always assume that $F(x) \neq \varnothing$ for all $x \in X$. For a multifunction $F: X \rightarrow Y$, the upper and lower inverse of any subset $A$ of $Y$ denoted by $F^{+}(A)$ and $F^{-}(A)$, respectively, that is $F^{+}(A)=\{x \in X: F(x) \subseteq A\}$ and $F^{-}(A)=\{x \in X: F(x) \cap A \neq \varnothing\}$. In particular, $F^{+}(y)=$ $\{x \in X: y \in F(x)\}$ for each point $y \in Y$.

Definition 2.1. [7] A multifunction $F:(X, \tau) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is said to be

1. upper semi continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each open set $V$ of $Y$ with $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(U) \subseteq V$.
2. lower semi continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each open set $V$ of $Y$ with $F(x) \cap V \neq \emptyset$, there exists an open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(a) \cap V \neq \emptyset$ for all $a \in U$.

Definition 2.2. [15] A multifunction $F:(X, \tau) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is said to be

1. upper weakly continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{+}(C l(V))$.
2. lower weakly continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $F(x) \cap V \neq \emptyset$, there exists an open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(u) \cap C l(V) \neq \emptyset$ for every $u \in U$.
3. weakly continuous if it is both upper weakly continuous and lower weakly continuous.

Definition 2.3. [2] A multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is said to be

1. upper $I$-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{+}(V)$.
2. lower I-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{-}(V)$, there exists an I-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{-}(V)$.
3. I-continuous if it is both upper and lower I-continuous.

Definition 2.4. [5] A multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is said to be

1. upper weakly $I$-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{+}(C l(V))$.
2. lower weakly $I$-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{-}(V)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{-}(C l(V))$
3. weakly I-continuous if it is both upper weakly I-continuous and lower I-weakly continuous.

## 3 Weakly $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions

Definition 3.1. A multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is said to be:

1. upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each $J$-open set $V$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{+}(J C l(V))$
2. lower weakly $(I, J)$-continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each $J$ open set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{-}(V)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ of $X$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{-}(J C l(V))$.
3. upper (resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ if it has this property at every point of $X$.

Example 3.2. Let $X=Y=\{a, b, c\}$ with two topologies $\tau=$ $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\}\} \sigma=\{\emptyset, Y,\{a\}\}$ and two ideals $I=\{\emptyset,\{a\}\}, J=$ $\{\emptyset,\{b\}\}$. Define a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(a)=\{a\}, F(b)=\{c\}$ and $F(c)=\{b\}$. It is easy to see that:
The set of all I-open is $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$.
The set of all J-open is $\{\emptyset,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\}, Y\}$.
In consequence, $F$ is upper(resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$.

Example 3.3. Let $X=Y=\{a, b, c\}$ with two topologies $\tau=$ $\{\emptyset, X,\{b, c\}\}, \sigma=\{\emptyset, Y,\{b\}\}$ and two ideals $I=J=\{\emptyset,\{b\}\}$. Define a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(a)=$ $\{a\}, F(b)=\{c\}$ and $F(c)=\{b\}$. It is easy to see that:
The set of all I-open is $\{\emptyset, X,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$.
The set of all J-open is $\{\emptyset, Y,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$. In consequence, $F$ is not upper (resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.

Recall that if $(X, \tau, I)$ is an ideal topological space and $I$ is the empty ideal, then for each $A \subseteq X, A^{*}=\operatorname{cl}(A)$, that is to said, every $I$-open set is a preopen set, in consequence, if $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow$ $(Y, \sigma,\{\emptyset\})$ is upper weakly $(I,\{\emptyset\})$-continuous, then $F$ is upper weakly $I$-continuous.

Example 3.4. Let $X=Y=\{a, b, c\}$ with two topologies $\tau=$ $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\}\} \sigma=\{\emptyset, Y,\{a, c\}\}$ and two ideals $I=\{\emptyset,\{a\}\}, J=\{\emptyset\}$. Define a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(a)=$ $\{b\}, F(b)=\{c\}$ and $F(c)=\{a\}$. It is easy to see that:
The set of all I-open is $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$.
The set of all J-open is $\{\emptyset,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\}, Y\}$.
$F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is upper weakly I-continuous but $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow$ $(Y, \sigma,\{\emptyset\})$ is not upper weakly $(I,\{\emptyset\})$-continuous.

Now consider $(X, \tau, I)$ and $(Y, \sigma, J)$ two ideals topological spaces. If $J \neq\{\emptyset\}$, then the concepts of upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous and upper weakly $I$-continuous are independent, as we can see in the following examples.

Example 3.5. In the Example 3.4, the multifunction $F$ is upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ but is not upper weakly I-continuous on $X$.

Example 3.6. In the Example 3.3, the multifunction $F$ is upper weakly $I$-continuous on $X$ but is not upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$.

Remark 3.7. It is easy to see that if $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is a multifunction and $J O(Y) \subset \sigma$ and $F$ is upper (lower) weakly $I$ continuous, then $F$ is upper (lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous. Even more, if $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is a multifunction and $J O(Y) \nsubseteq$ $\sigma$, we can find upper (resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ that are not upper (lower) weakly I-continuous.

The following theorem characterize the upper weakly $(I, J)$ continuous multifunctions.

Theorem 3.8. For a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

1. $F$ is upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.
2. $F^{+}(V) \subseteq \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(V))\right)$ for any $J$-open set $V$ of $Y$.
3. I $C l\left(F^{-}(\operatorname{Jint}(B))\right) \subset F^{-}(B)$ for any every $J$-closed subset $B$ of $Y$.

Proof. (1) $\Rightarrow(2)$ : Let $x \in F^{+}(V)$ and $V$ be any $J$ - open set of $Y$. From (1), there exists an $I$-open set $U_{x}$ containing $x$ such that $U_{x} \subset F^{+}(J C l(V))$. It follows that $x \in \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(V))\right)$, in consequence, $F^{+}(V) \subseteq I \operatorname{int}\left(F^{+}(J C l(V))\right)$ for any $J$-open set $V$ of $Y$. $(2) \Rightarrow(1)$ : Let $V$ any $J$-open subset of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$. By $(2), x \in F^{+}(V) \subseteq \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(V))\right) \subseteq F^{+}(J C l(V))$. Choose $U=\operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(V))\right) . U$ is an $I$-open subset of $X$, containing $x$. It follows that $F$ is upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.
$(2) \Rightarrow(3)$ : Let $B$ be any $J$ - closed set of $Y$. Then by $(2), F^{+}(Y \backslash B)=$ $X \backslash F^{-}(B) \subseteq \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(Y \backslash B))\right)=\operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(J C l(Y \backslash \operatorname{Iint}(B)))\right)=$ $X \backslash I C l\left(F^{-}(\operatorname{Jint}(B))\right)$. Thus, $I C l\left(F^{-}(J \operatorname{int}(B))\right) \subset F^{-}(B)$.
$(3) \Rightarrow(2)$ : Let $V$ be any $J$ - open set of $Y$. Then by (3),
$I C l\left(F^{-}(\operatorname{Jint}(Y \backslash V))\right) \subset F^{-}(Y \backslash V)=X \backslash F^{+}(V)$. It follows that
$I C l\left(X \backslash F^{+}(I C l(V))=I C l\left(F^{-}(Y \backslash I C l(V))\right)=I C l\left(F^{-}(\operatorname{Jint}(Y \backslash V))\right) \subset\right.$ $X \backslash F^{+}(V)$, and then $X \backslash \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{+}(I C l(V))\right) \subseteq X \backslash F^{+}(V)$. And the result follows.

Theorem 3.9. For a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

1. $F$ is lower weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.
2. $F^{-}(V) \subseteq \operatorname{Iint}\left(F^{-}(J C l(V))\right)$ for any $J$-open set $V$ of $Y$.
3. I $C l\left(F^{+}(\operatorname{Jint}(B))\right) \subset F^{+}(B)$ for any every $J$-closed subset $B$ of $Y$.

Proof. The proof is similar to that of Theorem 3.8.
Definition 3.10. [14] A multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is said to be:

1. upper $(I, J)$-continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each $J$-open set $V$ containing $F(x)$, there exists an I-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(U) \subset V$.
2. lower $(I, J)$-continuous at a point $x \in X$ if for each $J$-open set $V$ of $Y$ meeting $F(x)$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ of $X$ containing $x$ such that $F(u) \cap V \neq \emptyset$ for each $u \in U$.
3. upper (resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ if it has this property at every point of $X$.

Example 3.11. The multifunction defined in Example 3.2 is upper weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ but is not upper $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$.

Remark 3.12. Every upper (resp. lower) ( $I, J$ )-continuous multifunction on $X$ is upper (resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous multifunction on $X$, but the converse is not necessarily true, as we can see in the following example.

Example 3.13. Let $X=\mathbb{R}$ the set of real numbers with the topology $\tau=\{\emptyset, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}\}, Y=\mathbb{R}$ with the topology $\sigma=\{\emptyset, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{Q}\}$ and $I=\{\emptyset\}=J$. Define $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(x)=\mathbb{Q}$ if $x \in \mathbb{Q}$ and $F(x)=\mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}$ if $x \in \mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}$. Recall that in this case the $I$-open sets are the preopen sets. $f$ is upper (resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$, but is not upper(resp. lower) $(I, J)$ continuous on $X$..

Theorem 3.14. [14] For a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

1. $F$ is upper $(I, J)$-continuous.
2. $F^{+}(V)$ is I-open for each $J$-open set $V$ of $Y$.
3. $F^{-}(K)$ is I-closed for every $J$-closed subset $K$ of $Y$.
4. I $C l\left(F^{-}(B)\right) \subset F^{-}(J C l(B))$ for every subset $B$ of $Y$.
5. For each point $x \in X$ and each $J$-open set $V$ containing $F(x)$, $F^{+}(V)$ is an I-open containing $x$.

There exist any additional condition in order to say that every upper (resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous if upper (resp. lower) weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.

Theorem 3.15. Let $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ be a multifunction such that $F(x)$ is a J-open subset of $Y$ for each $x \in X$. Then $F$ is lower $(I, J)$-continuous if and only if lower weakly $(I, J)$ continuous.

Proof. Let $x \in X$ and $V$ any $J$-open subset of $Y$ such that $x \in$ $F^{-}(V)$. Then there exists an $I$-open subset $U$ of $X$ containing $x$ such that $U \subset F^{-}(J C l(V)$. It follows that $F(u) \cap J C l(V) \neq \emptyset$ for each $u \in U$. Since $F(u)$ is a $J$-open subset of $Y$ for each $u \in U$, It follows that $F(u) \cap V \neq \emptyset$ and then $F$ is lower $(I, J)$-continuous. The converse is clear because every $(I, J)$-continuous multifunction is weakly $(I, J)$-continuous.

Theorem 3.16. Let $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ be a multifunction such that $F(x)$ is a J-open subset of $Y$ for each $x \in X$. Then $F$ is upper $(I, J)$-continuous if and only if upper weakly $(I, J)$ continuous.

Proof. The proof is similar to the above Theorem.

## 4 Contra $(I, J)$-continuous multifunctions

Definition 4.1. A multifunction $f:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is said to be:

1. upper contra $(I, J)$-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each $J$-closed set $V$ such that $x \in F^{+}(V)$, there exists an I-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(U) \subset V$.
2. lower contra $(I, J)$-continuous if for each $x \in X$ and each $J$ closed set $V$ of $Y$ such that $x \in F^{-}(V)$, there exists an I-open set $U$ of $X$ containing $x$ such that $U \subseteq F^{-}(V)$.
3. Contra $(I, J)$-continuous if it is upper contra $(I, J)$-continuous and lower contra $(I, J)$-continuous.

Example 4.2. Let $X=\mathbb{R}$ the set of real numbers with the topology $\tau=\{\emptyset, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}\}, Y=\mathbb{R}$ with the topology $\sigma=\{\emptyset, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{Q}\}$ and $I=\{\emptyset\}=J$. Define $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(x)=\mathbb{Q}$ if $x \in \mathbb{Q}$ and $F(x)=\mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}$ if $x \in \mathbb{R} \backslash \mathbb{Q}$. Recall that in this case the $I$-open sets are the preopen sets. It is easy to see that $F$ is upper (resp. lower) contra $(I, J)$-continuous.

Example 4.3. Let $X=Y=\{a, b, c\}$ with two topologies $\tau=$ $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\}\} \sigma=\{\emptyset, Y,\{a\}\}$ and two ideals $I=\{\emptyset,\{a\}\}, J=$
$\{\emptyset,\{b\}\}$. Define a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(a)=\{b\}, F(b)=\{a\}$ and $F(c)=\{c\}$. It is easy to see that:
The set of all I-open is $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$.
The set of all J-open is $\{\emptyset,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\}, Y\}$.
The set of all J-closed is $\{\emptyset,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{b, c\}, Y\}$.
In consequence, $f$ is upper(resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ but is not upper (resp. lower) contra $(I, J)$-continuous.

Example 4.4. The multifunction $F$ defined in Example 4.2 is upper (resp. lower) contra $(I, J)$-continuous but is not upper (resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ and the multifunction $F$ defined in Example 4.3 is upper (resp. lower) $(I, J)$-continuous but is not upper (resp. lower) contra ( $I, J$ )-continuous. In consequence both concepts are independent of each other.

Theorem 4.5. For a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

1. $F$ is upper contra $(I, J)$-continuous.
2. $F^{+}(V)$ is I-open for each $J$-closed set $V$ of $Y$.
3. $F^{-}(K)$ is I-closed for every $J$-open subset $K$ of $Y$.

Proof. (1) $\Leftrightarrow(2):$ Let $x \in F^{+}(V)$ and $V$ be any $J$-closed set of $Y$. From (1), there exists an $I$-open set $U_{x}$ containing $x$ such that $U_{x} \subset F^{+}(V)$. It follows that $F^{+}(V)=\bigcup_{x \in F^{+}(V)} U_{x}$. Since any union of $I$-open sets is $I$-open, $F^{+}(V)$ is $I$-open in $(X, \tau)$. The converse is similar.
$(2) \Leftrightarrow(3)$ : Let $K$ be any $J$ - open set of $Y$. Then $Y \backslash K$ is a $J$ closed set of $Y$ by $(2), F^{+}(Y \backslash K)=X \backslash F^{-}(K)$ is an $I$-open set. Then it is obtained that $F^{-}(K)$ is an $I$-closed set. The converse is similar.

Theorem 4.6. For a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$, the following statements are equivalent:

1. $F$ is lower contra $(I, J)$-continuous.
2. $F^{-}(V)$ is I-open for each $J$-closed set $V$ of $Y$.
3. $F^{+}(K)$ is $I$-closed for every $J$-open subset $K$ of $Y$.
4. For each $x \in X$ and each $J$-closed set $K$ of $Y$ such that $F(x) \cap K \neq \emptyset$, there exists an $I$-open set $U$ containing $x$ such that $F(y) \cap K \neq \emptyset$ for each $y \in U$.

Proof. The proof is similar to the proof of Theorem 4.5.
Remark 4.7. It is easy to see that if $J=\{\emptyset\}$ and $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow$ $(Y, \sigma, J)$ is upper (resp. lower) contra $(I, J)$-continuous then $F$ is upper (resp. lower) contra I-continuous.

The following example shows the existence of upper (resp. lower) contra $I$-continuous that is not upper (resp. lower) contra $(I,\{\emptyset\})$ continuous.

Example 4.8. Let $X=Y=\{a, b, c\}$ with two topologies $\tau=$ $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\}\} \sigma=\{\emptyset, Y,\{a, c\}\}$ and two ideals $I=\{\emptyset,\{a\}\}, J=\{\emptyset\}$. Define a multifunction $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ as follows: $F(a)=$ $\{c\}, F(b)=\{b\}$ and $F(c)=\{a\}$. It is easy to see that:
The set of all I-open is $\{\emptyset, X,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}\}$.
The set of all J-open is $\{\emptyset,\{a\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{a, c\},\{b, c\}, Y\}$.
The set of all $J$-closed is $\{\emptyset,\{b\},\{c\},\{a, b\},\{b, c\}, Y\}$.
Observe that $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma)$ is upper contra $I$-continuous but $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma,\{\emptyset\})$ is not upper contra $(I,\{\emptyset\})$-continuous.

Remark 4.9. It is easy to see that if $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is a multifunction and $J O(Y) \subset \sigma$. If $F$ is upper (lower) contra $I$ continuous, then $F$ is upper (lower) $(I, J)$-continuous. Even more, if $F:(X, \tau, I) \rightarrow(Y, \sigma, J)$ is a multifunction and $J O(Y) \nsubseteq \sigma$, we can find upper (resp. lower) contra $(I, J)$-continuous on $X$ that are not upper (lower) contra I-continuous.

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