

$I - g\alpha$ - CLOSED SETS IN IDEAL BITOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper a new class of closed sets namely $I - g\alpha$ - closed sets in ideal bitopological spaces (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) is introduced. Several properties and characterizations of this new class are investigated.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of Bitopological Spaces was initiated by Kelly [7] in 1963. He defined a set equipped with two topologies which is called a bitopological space and denoted it by (X, τ_1, τ_2) where (X, τ_1) and (X, τ_2) are the topological spaces. In 1970, Levine [9] introduced g - closed sets in Topological space (X, τ) and studied several properties. In 1986, Fukutake [2] extended the concept of generalized closed sets to bitopological spaces. In 1965, Njasted [12] and in 1990, Jelic [6] developed the concepts of alpha open sets and α - continuous functions in bitopological spaces. As an extension of α - open sets Maki *et.al* [10] defined $g\alpha$ - closed sets in topological spaces (X, τ) . In 2005, El - Tantawy and Abu.Donia [1] extended ag - closed sets induced by open sets which contains the class of $g\alpha$ - closed sets to bitopological spaces and studied several properties.

The concept of Ideal topological spaces was first introduced by Kuratowski [8] and thus opened the door for a large area of research. If I is an Ideal on X , then (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) is called an Ideal bitopological space. Vaidynathasamy [16] constructed local function in ideal topological space in 1945. Recently Tripathy and Hazarika [14], Tripathy and Mahanta [15] studied about the Ideal convergence in sequence spaces. In this article a new class of closed sets namely $I - g\alpha$ - closed sets in bitopological space is introduced. It is denoted by $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets where (i, j) means the topologies (τ_i, τ_j) , $i \neq j$; $i, j = 1, 2$ this class satisfies the inclusion relation given below.
 $\{(i, j) - g\alpha \text{ - closed sets}\} \subseteq \{(i, j) - I - g\alpha \text{ - closed sets}\}$

2. PRELIMINARIES:

Definition 2.1.1: [5] A **topology** on a set X is a collection of subsets of X having the following properties:

- 1) ϕ and X are in τ .
- 2) The union of the elements of any subcollection of τ is in τ .
- 3) The intersection of the elements of any finite subcollection of τ is in τ .

Definition 2.1.2: [7] A set X with topologies τ_1 and τ_2 is said to be **Bitopological space** and is denoted by (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Definition 2.1.3: [13]

- (i) An **ideal** I on a non-empty set X is a collection of subsets of X which satisfies
 - (a) $A \in I$ and $B \subseteq A$ implies $B \in I$ and
 - (b) $A \in I$ and $B \in I$ implies $A \cup B \in I$.

If I is an ideal on X , then (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) is called an **ideal bitopological space**.

- (ii) A subset A of X is said to be **(i, j) - clopen set** if the set is both open and closed.

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Definition 2.1.4: [4] Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space. We denote the bitopologies (τ_i, τ_j) by (i, j) .

- (i) A subset A of X is said to be (τ_i, τ_j) - α - open set or simply (i, j) - α - open set if $A \subseteq \tau_i - \text{int}[\tau_j - \text{cl}(\tau_i - \text{int}(A))]$, where $\text{int}(A)$ denote the interior of (A) and $\text{cl}(A)$ denote the closure of (A) .
- (ii) A subset A of X is said to be (τ_i, τ_j) - α - closed set or simply (i, j) - α - closed set if $\tau_i - \text{cl}[\tau_j - \text{int}(\tau_i - \text{cl}(A))] \subseteq A$.
- (iii) The (i, j) - α - interior of A is defined as the union of all (i, j) - α - open sets contained in A . We denote (i, j) - α - interior of A by (i, j) - α - $\text{int}(A)$.
- (iv) The (i, j) - α - closure of A is defined as the intersection of all (i, j) - α - closed sets containing A . We denote (i, j) - α - closure of A by (i, j) - α - $\text{cl}(A)$.

3.1 Generalized α - closed sets in ideal bitopological spaces

Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space. Throughout this chapter we denote the bitopologies (τ_i, τ_j) by (i, j) .

Definition 3.1.1: [1] A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is said to be (i, j) -generalized α - closed (In short, (i, j) - $g\alpha$ - closed) set if (j, i) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is τ_i - α open in X .

In this section we prove several properties regarding (i, j) - α - interior and (i, j) - α - closure of sets in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Lemma 3.1.1: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and A be a subset of X . Then

- (i) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ is (i, j) - α - open.
- (ii) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ is (i, j) - α - closed.
- (iii) A is (i, j) - α - open if and only if $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$.
- (iv) A is (i, j) - α - closed if and only if $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$.

Proof:

- (i) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ is the union of all (i, j) - α - open sets contained in A . First we prove that (i, j) - α - open set is (i, j) - α - open. [Let $\{A_k\}$ where $k \in J$ be a family of (i, j) - α - open sets contained in A . Then for each $k \in J$,

$$\begin{aligned} A_k &\subseteq \tau_i - \text{int}[\tau_j - \text{cl}(\tau_i - \text{int} A_k)] \\ \text{Now, } \bigcup_k A_k &\subseteq \bigcup_k \{\tau_i - \text{int}[\tau_j - \text{cl}(\tau_i - \text{int} A_k)]\} \\ &\subseteq \tau_i - \text{int}[\bigcup_k \tau_j - \text{cl}(\tau_i - \text{int} A_k)] \\ &= \tau_i - \text{int}[\tau_j - \text{cl}(\bigcup_k \tau_i - \text{int} A_k)] \\ &\subseteq \tau_i - \text{int}[\tau_j - \text{cl}(\tau_i - \text{int} (\bigcup_k A_k))] \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\bigcup A_k$ is a (i, j) - α - open set

Therefore, (i, j) - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ is (i, j) - α - open.

- (ii) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ is defined by intersection of all (i, j) - α - closed sets containing A . [Let $\{A_k\}$ where $k \in J$ is a family of (i, j) - α - closed sets containing A . This implies $\{A_k^c\}$ is a family of (i, j) - α - open sets contained in A^c . $\bigcup A_k^c$ is (i, j) - α - open set [by (i)]. Consequently $(\bigcap A_k)^c$ is (i, j) - α - open set and $\bigcap A_k$ (i, j) - α - closed set]. Therefore, (i, j) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ is (i, j) - α - closed.
- (iii) Since (i, j) - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ is the largest (i, j) - α - open set contained in A and A is (i, j) - α - open, we have $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$. Conversely, suppose $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ then by (i), A is (i, j) - α - open.
- (iv) We know that, (i, j) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ is the smallest (i, j) - α - closed set containing A . Since A itself is (i, j) - α - closed set, $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$. Conversely, suppose $A = (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ then by (ii), A is (i, j) - α - closed.

Lemma 3.1.2: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and A be a subset of X . Then the following assertion hold.

- (i) $x \in (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(A)$ if and only if for every (i, j) - α - open set U containing x , $U \cap A \neq \phi$.
- (ii) $x \in (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{int}(A)$ if and only if there exists an (i, j) - α - open set U such that $x \in U \subseteq A$.
- (iii) If $A \subset B$, then (a) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{int}(A) \subset (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{int}(B)$ and (b) (i, j) - $\alpha \text{cl}(A) \subset (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(B)$

Proof:

- (i) Suppose $x \in (i, j)$ - $\alpha \text{cl}(A) = \bigcap_k B_k$, where B_k is a (i, j) - α - closed set containing A

Let U be an (i, j) - α - open set and $x \in U$ (3.1.1)

Suppose $U \cap A = \phi$ then $U^C \supset A$ and U^C is (i, j) - α - closed set containing A and hence $U^C = B_k$ for some k . Consequently, $x \in U^C$ which is a contradiction to (3.1.1). Hence $U \cap A \neq \phi$.

On the other hand, suppose for every (i, j) - α - open set U containing x , $U \cap A \neq \phi$. Suppose let $x \notin (i, j) - \alpha cl(A)$ then $x \notin \bigcap_k B_k$, where B_k is a (i, j) - α - closed set containing A . That means there exists $B_k \supset A$ such that $x \notin B_k$ and $x \in B_k^C$ where B_k^C is a (i, j) - α - open set contained in A and $B_k^C \cap A = \phi$ which is a contradiction. Therefore $x \in (i, j) - \alpha cl(A)$.

(ii) It is obvious by the definition of $(i, j) - \alpha int(A)$.

(iii) (a) $(i, j) - \alpha int(A) = \cup A_k$, where A_k is a (i, j) - α - open set contained in A (3.1.2)
Since $A_k \subset A \subset B$ for all k , $\cup A_k \subset B$, by (3.1.2), $(i, j) - \alpha int(A) \subseteq B$. The fact that $(i, j) - \alpha int(A)$ is an (i, j) - α - open set and $(i, j) - \alpha int(B)$ is the largest (i, j) - α - open set contained in B , implies $(i, j) - \alpha int(A) \subset (i, j) - \alpha int(B)$.

(b) $A \subset B \Rightarrow B^C \subset A^C$. By (a), $(i, j) - \alpha int(B^C) \subset (i, j) - \alpha int(A^C)$ (3.1.3)
Since $(i, j) - \alpha int(B^C) = \cup_k B_k^C$ and $(i, j) - \alpha int(A^C) = \cup_s A_s^C$ where B_k^C and A_s^C are (i, j) - α - open sets contained in B^C and A^C respectively.

By (3.1.3), $\cup_k B_k^C \subset \cup_s A_s^C \Rightarrow (\cap_k B_k)^C \subset (\cap_s A_s)^C \Rightarrow \cap_s A_s \subseteq \cap_k B_k$

where A_s and B_k are (i, j) - α - closed sets. Therefore, $(i, j) - \alpha cl(A) \subset (i, j) - \alpha cl(B)$.

Lemma 3.1.3: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and A be a subset of X . Then

(i) $X \setminus (i, j) - \alpha int(A) = (i, j) - (i, j) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A)$

(ii) $X \setminus (i, j) - \alpha cl(A) = (i, j) - (i, j) - \alpha int(X \setminus A)$

Proof:

(i) $X \setminus (i, j) - \alpha int(A) = X \setminus \cup_k A_k$ where A_k is a (i, j) - α - open set contained in A

$$= \cap_k (X \setminus A_k)$$

$$= \cap_k A_k^C \text{ where } A_k^C \text{ is } (i, j) - \alpha \text{ - closed set containing } A^C$$

$$= (i, j) - \alpha cl(A^C)$$

(ii) $X \setminus (i, j) - \alpha cl(A) = X \setminus \cap_s A_s$ where A_s is a (i, j) - α - closed set containing A
 $= \cup (X \setminus A_s)$
 $= \cup A_s^C$ where A_s^C is (i, j) - α - open set contained in A^C
 $= (i, j) - \alpha int(A^C)$

3.2 (i, j) - I - generalized α - closed sets

As an extension of (i, j) - generalized α - closed sets in bitopological space to the ideal bitopological space we introduce the following definition.

Definition 3.2.1: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. A subset A of X is said to be **(i, j) - I - generalized α - closed** (in short, (i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closed) set if $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus B \in I$ whenever $A \subset B$ and B is τ_i - α open in X , for $i, j = 1, 2$ and $i \neq j$. The family of all (i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closed sets of X is denoted by $(i, j) - I - g\alpha C(X)$. This new class (i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closed set contains the class of (i, j) - $g\alpha$ - closed set.

Definition 3.2.2: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space and $A \subseteq X$, the intersection of all (i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closed sets containing A is called **(i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closure** of A and is denoted by $(i, j) - I - g\alpha - Cl(A)$.

The inclusion relation $\{(i, j) - g\alpha \text{ - closed sets}\} \subseteq \{(i, j) - I - g\alpha \text{ - closed sets}\}$ is proved in the following theorem.

Theorem 3.2.1: Every (i, j) - $g\alpha$ - closed is (i, j) - I - $g\alpha$ - closed.

Proof: Let A be (i, j) - $g\alpha$ - closed.

That is, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X (3.2.1)

We have to show that A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed. That is, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus B \in I$ whenever $A \subset B$ and B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X , for $i, j = 1, 2$ and $i \neq j$. So, let $A \subset B$ and B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X . By (3.2.1), $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \subset B$, and hence $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus B = \emptyset \in I$. Thus A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed.

Remark 3.2.1: The converse of the above theorem is not necessarily true. This is proved in the following example.

Example 3.2.1: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$. Consider the topologies $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, X\}$, $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$. Here $\{a\}$ is $(1, 2) - I - g\alpha$ - closed set but not $(1, 2) - g\alpha$ - closed. Since $(2, 1) - \alpha cl(\{a\}) = X$ not a subset of $\{a\}$.

Theorem 3.2.2: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. If A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed and $A \subset B \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)$ in X , then B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed in X , where $i, j = 1, 2$ and $i \neq j$.

Proof: Let $B \subset V$ and V is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X . Since $A \subset B \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)$ and $B \subset V$, we have $A \subset V$. By hypothesis, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V \in I$. Further $B \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)$ implies that $(j, i) - \alpha cl(B) \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \Rightarrow (j, i) - \alpha cl(B) \setminus V \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V \in I$. Consequently B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed.

Set operations : The following Theorem and example prove that the class of $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets is closed for the set operation union but not for intersection.

Theorem 3.2.3: Union of two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets in an ideal bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) is also $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed.

Proof: Let A and B be two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets with $A \cup B \subset V$, where V is any $\tau_i - \alpha$ open set. Clearly, $A \subset V$ and $B \subset V$ as $A \cup B \subset V$. Since A and B are $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets, we have $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V \in I$ and $(j, i) - \alpha cl(B) \setminus V \in I$. Now, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B) \setminus V = ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cup (j, i) - \alpha cl(B)) \setminus V = ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V) \cup ((j, i) - \alpha cl(B) \setminus V) \in I$ [since $A \in I$ and $B \in I \Rightarrow A \cup B \in I$]. Thus $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B) \setminus V \in I$. Hence $A \cup B$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed set.

Remark 3.2.2: The intersection of two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets need not be $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed. This is proved in the following example.

Example 3.2.2: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$. Consider the topologies $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$, $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset\}$. Here $\{b, c\}$ and $\{a, c\}$ are $(1, 2) - I - g\alpha$ - closed set but $\{b, c\} \cap \{a, c\} = \{c\}$ is not $(1, 2) - I - g\alpha$ - closed.

Hereditary property : The following Theorem proves that the class of $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed sets admits hereditary property.

Theorem 3.2.4: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. Suppose A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed in X and $A \subset Y \subset X$. Then A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed relative to the subspace Y of X and with respect to the ideal $I_Y = \{P \subset Y : P \in I\}$.

Proof: Let V be $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X and $A \subset Y \cap V$. Therefore, we have $A \subset V$. Since A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed in X , we have $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V \in I$. Further, we see that $((j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cap Y) \setminus (Y \cap V) = ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \setminus V) \cap Y \in I_Y$.

Thus for $A \subset Y \cap V$ and V is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open, we have $((j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cap Y) \setminus (Y \cap V) \in I_Y$. Hence A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed relative to the subspace $(Y, \tau_1|_Y, \tau_2|_Y)$.

3.3 $(i, j) - I$ - generalized α - open sets

We introduce the following definition namely $(i, j) - I$ - generalized α - open set.

Definition 3.3.1: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. A subset A of X is said to be $(i, j) - I$ - generalized α - open (in short, $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open) set if $X \setminus A$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed, for $i, j = 1, 2$ and $i \neq j$. The family of all $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets contained in A is denoted by $(i, j) - I - g\alpha - O(X)$.

Lemma 3.3.1: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. Then $(j, i) - \alpha Cl(X \setminus A) = X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$.

Proof: Let $x \in (j, i) - \alpha Cl(X \setminus A)$. That is for any $(j, i) - \alpha$ - open set U with $x \in U$, we have $U \cap (X \setminus A) \neq \phi$. This implies that there is no $(j, i) - \alpha$ - open set U with $x \in U$ so that $U \subseteq A$. Therefore, x is not $(j, i) - \alpha$ - interior point of A .

Thus $x \in X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$. On the other hand, let $x \in X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$. This implies $x \in X$ and $x \notin (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$. Since $x \notin (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$, there is no $(j, i) - \alpha$ - open set U with $x \in U$ so and $U \subseteq A$. We have $U \not\subseteq A$. Thus for any $(j, i) - \alpha$ - open set U with $x \in U$ we see that $U \cap (X \setminus A) \neq \phi$ which means that $x \in (j, i) - \alpha Cl(X \setminus A)$.

The following Theorem gives a Characterization of $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in an Ideal bitopological space.

Theorem 3.3.2: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. A subset A of X is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open in X if and if only $(B \setminus P) \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$ for some $P \in I$, whenever $B \subset A$ and B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed.

Proof: Suppose A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open in X . Let $B \subset A$ and B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed. Clearly $X \setminus A \subset X \setminus B$ and $X \setminus B$ is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open. Since A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open, we have $X \setminus A$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed. By definition, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \setminus (X \setminus B) \in I$. This implies $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \cap (X \setminus B)^c = P$ for some $P \in I$
 $[(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \cap (X \setminus B)^c] \cup (X \setminus B) = P \cup (X \setminus B)$
 $[(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \cup (X \setminus B)] \cap [(X \setminus B)^c \cup (X \setminus B)] = P \cup (X \setminus B)$
 $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \cup (X \setminus B) \cap X = P \cup (X \setminus B)$
 $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \cup (X \setminus B) = P \cup (X \setminus B)$

This implies $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \subset (X \setminus B) \cup P$, for some $P \in I$. Consequently $X \setminus ((X \setminus B) \cup P) \subset X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A)$. By Lemma 3.3.1, we have $B \setminus P \subset X \setminus (X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A))$. Hence $B \setminus P \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$.

Conversely, Let $X \setminus A \subset B$ where B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open in X , then $X \setminus B \subset A$ where B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed. By hypothesis, $(X \setminus B) \setminus P \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$, where $P \in I$ which implies $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \subset X \setminus [(X \setminus B) \setminus P] \subset B \cup P$. Therefore, $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \setminus B \subset P \in I$ which implies $(j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A) \setminus B \in I$ whenever $X \setminus A \subset B$ and B is $\tau_i - \alpha$ open $\Rightarrow X \setminus A$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed in $X \Rightarrow A$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open in X .

Theorem 3.3.3: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. If A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open in X and $(j, i) - \alpha int(A) \subset B \subset A$, then B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open in X .

Proof: Assume that A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open. Then $X \setminus A$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed

We have $X \setminus A \subset X \setminus B \subset X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$

(3.2.2)

$X \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A) = (j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A)$. By (3.3.1), $X \setminus A \subset X \setminus B \subset (j, i) - \alpha cl(X \setminus A)$. By Theorem 3.3.1, we have $X \setminus B$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed. Hence B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

Set operations:

Theorem 3.3.4: The intersection of two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in an ideal bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) is also $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

Proof: Suppose A and B be two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in X . Then $X \setminus A$ and $X \setminus B$ are $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed. Now, we have $X \setminus (A \cap B) = (X \setminus A) \cup (X \setminus B)$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - closed, by Theorem 3.2.3. Hence $A \cap B$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

Remark 3.3.1: The union of $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets need not be $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open set. This is proved in the following example.

Example 3.3.1: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$. Consider the topologies $\tau_1 = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$, $\tau_2 = \{\phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}, X\}$ and $I = \{\phi\}$. Here $\{b\}$ and $\{c\}$ are $(1, 2) - I - g\alpha$ - open but $\{b, c\}$ is not $(1, 2) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

The following Theorem proves that the union of any two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open set is open with the condition.

Theorem 3.3.5: If A and B are two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in X such that $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cap B = \phi$ and $A \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B) = \phi$, then $A \cup B$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

Proof: Let A and B be two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in X such that $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cap B = \phi$ and $A \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B) = \phi$. Suppose V is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed and $V \subset A \cup B$. Then $V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \subset (A \cup B) \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) = (A \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \cup (B \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A))$. $V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \subset A \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A) = A$. Similarly, $V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B) \subset B \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B) = B$. Since A and B are two $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open sets in X , we have

$(V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \setminus P \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$ and $(V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B)) \setminus Q \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(B)$ for some $P, Q \in I$.

This implies that $(V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A) \subset P \in I$

$$\Rightarrow (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A) \in I \quad (3.2.3)$$

$$\text{Similarly, } (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B)) \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(B) \in I \quad (3.3.3)$$

By (3.3.2) and (3.3.3), we have

$(V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A) \cup (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B)) \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(B) \in I$. Since for any two sets $A, B \in I$

$\Rightarrow A \cup B \in I$. Since for any sets A, B, C, D we have, $(A \cup C) \setminus (B \cup D) \subset (A \setminus B) \cup (C \setminus D)$

where $A = (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A))$; $B = (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$. $C = (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B))$; $D = (j, i) - \alpha int(B)$

$[(V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(A)) \cup (V \cap (j, i) - \alpha cl(B))] \setminus [(j, i) - \alpha int(A) \cup (j, i) - \alpha int(B)] \in I$. Also since

$A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$, we have $V \cap [(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cup (j, i) - \alpha cl(B)] \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A) \cup (j, i) - \alpha int(B) \in I$. Thus $[V \cap ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B))] \setminus (j, i) - \alpha int(A \cup B) \in I$

[Since $(j, i) - \alpha cl(A) \cup \alpha cl(B) = (j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B)$]. Further, $V = V \cap (A \cup B)$,

$V \subset V \cap ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B))$. Therefore,

$V \setminus [(j, i) - \alpha int(A \cup B)] \subset [V \cap ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B))] \setminus [(j, i) - \alpha int(A \cup B)] \subset [V \cap ((j, i) - \alpha cl(A \cup B))] \setminus ((j, i) - \alpha int(A) \cup (j, i) - \alpha int(B)) \in I$. This shows that $V \setminus R \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A \cup B)$ for some $R \in I$

$\Rightarrow A \cup B$ is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open.

Theorem 3.3.6: Let (X, τ_1, τ_2, I) be an ideal bitopological space. If A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open set relative to B such that $A \subset B \subset X$ and B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open relative to X , then A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open relative to X .

Proof: Let $U \subset A$ and U is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed. Suppose A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open relative to B . Then, we have $U \setminus P \subset (j, i) - \alpha int_B(A)$ for some $P \in I_B$, where $P \in I_B$ denotes the ideal of the set B . This implies that there exists a $(j, i) - \alpha$ open set V_1 , such that $U \setminus P \subset V_1 \cap B \subset A$. Let $U \subset B$ and U is $\tau_i - \alpha$ closed. Suppose B is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open relative to X . Then, we have $U \setminus Q \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(B)$ for some $Q \in I$. This implies that there exists a $(j, i) - \alpha$ open set V_2 , such that $U \setminus Q \subset V_2 \subset B$. Further $U \setminus (P \cup Q) = (U \setminus P) \cap (U \setminus Q) \subset ((V_1 \cap B) \cap V_2) \subset (V_1 \cap B) \cap B = V_1 \cap B \subset A$. This shows that $U \setminus (P \cup Q) \subset (j, i) - \alpha int(A)$ for some $P \cup Q \in I$. Hence A is $(i, j) - I - g\alpha$ - open relative to X .

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