

ON $R^\#$ CLOSED SETS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, a new class of closed sets called $R^\#$ closed sets in topological spaces are introduced and studied. A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called $R^\#$ -closed if U contains generalized closure of A whenever U contains A and U is R^* open set in (X, τ) . This new class of Closed sets lies between the g -closed sets and rg -closed sets in topological spaces. Also some of their properties have been investigated.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In the year 1970, Levine [58] introduced the concept of generalized closed sets in topological spaces, Also N.Palaniapan *et al.* [38], P.sundaram *et al.* [44], S.S.Benchalli *et al.* [7], C.Janaki *et al.* [19] introduced and studied regular generalized closed sets, W -closed sets, RW -closed sets, R^* -closed sets in topological spaces respectively. In this paper an attempt is made to study a new class of closed sets called $R^\#$ -closed sets in topological spaces.

Throughout this paper (X, τ) represent non-empty topological spaces. For a subset A of a topological space (X, τ) , $cl(A)$, $int(A)$, $scl(A)$, $\alpha cl(A)$ and $spcl(A)$ denote the closure of A , the interior of A , the semi-closure of A , the α -closure of A and the semi pre closure of A in a topological space X respectively. We recall the following definitions, which are prerequisites for present study.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition 2.1: A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called a

1. Generalized closed set (g -closed) [58] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
 2. R^* -closed set [19] if $rcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular semi -open in (X, τ) .
 3. RW -closed set [7] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular semi -open in (X, τ) .
 4. Generalized pre regular closed set (gpr -closed) [15] if $pcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular open in (X, τ) .
 5. Generalized semi pre closed set (gsp -closed) [14] if $spcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
 6. Regular generalized closed set (rg -closed) [38] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular-open in (X, τ) .
 7. Regular weak generalized closed set (rwg -closed) [30] if $cl(int(A)) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular open in (X, τ) .
 8. w -closed set [44] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi -open in (X, τ) .
 9. $gspr$ -closed set [35] if $spcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular -open in (X, τ) .
 10. $r^{\wedge}g$ -closed set [43] if $gcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular -open in (X, τ) .
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3. BASIC PROPERTIES OF $R^\#$ -CLOSED SETS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

Definition 3.1: A subset A of a space (X, τ) is called $R^\#$ -closed if $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is R^* -open in (X, τ) , we use the notation $R^\#$ - $C(X)$ to denote set of all $R^\#$ -closed sets in (X, τ) .

Example 3.2:

- i) Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then
 Closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
 $R^\#$ -Closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
 $R^\#$ -Open sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}$
- ii) Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then
 Closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
 $R^\#$ -Closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
 $R^\#$ -Open sets in (X, τ) are $X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}$

Theorem 3.3: Every g -closed set in X is $R^\#$ -closed set but not conversely.

Proof: Let A be a g -closed set in topological space X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is g -closed, we have $\text{gcl}(A) = A \subseteq U$. Therefore $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Example 3.4: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ then the set $A = \{a, c\}$ is $R^\#$ -closed set but not g -closed in X .

Corollary 3.5:

- i. Every closed set is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- ii. Every regular closed sets is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- iii. Every w -closed set in $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- iv. Every \hat{g} -closed set is $R^\#$ -closed set in X

Proof:

- i. Every closed set is g -closed [58] and follows from theorem 3.3.
- ii. Every regular closed set is closed, from stone [57] and then follows corollary 3.5.i).
- iii. Every w -closed set is g -closed [44] follows from theorem 3.3.
- iv. Every \hat{g} -closed set is g -closed [51] follows from theorem 3.3.

Remark 3.6: The converse of the above Corollary 3.5 need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 3.7: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$, $A = \{a, b, d\}$ is $R^\#$ -closed set but not a closed (respectively r -closed, w -closed, \hat{g} -closed) in X .

Theorem 3.8: Every $R^\#$ -closed is rg -closed set in X but not conversely.

Proof: Let A be a $R^\#$ -closed set in X . Let U be any open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every open set is R^* open set and A is $R^\#$ -closed set, we have $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$. Thus $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$, U is open in X . Therefore A is rg -closed in X .

Example 3.9: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then the set $A = \{c\}$ is rg -closed set but not $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Corollary 3.10: For a topological space (X, τ) the following are hold

- i) Every $R^\#$ -closed set is rgb -closed set
- ii) Every $R^\#$ -closed set is $wgr\alpha$ -closed set
- iii) Every $R^\#$ -closed set is gpr -closed, $gspr$ -closed, and $rg\beta$ -closed
- iv) Every $R^\#$ -closed set is $r^{\wedge}g$ -closed and rwg -closed

Proof:

- i) Let A be a $R^\#$ -closed set in X . Let U be any regular open in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every regular open set is R^* -open set in X and A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X it follows that $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$, U is open in X . Hence A is rgb -closed set in X .
- ii) Let A be a $R^\#$ -closed set in X . Let U be any $r\alpha$ -open in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since every $r\alpha$ -open set is R^* -open set in X and A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X it follows that $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$, U is regular open in X . Hence A is $wgr\alpha$ -closed set in X .

- iii) Every rg closed and gpr-closed is gspr closed [35], and also gpr-closed is $rg\beta$ -closed [43] and follows from Theorem 3.8.
- iv) Every rg is $r^\wedge g$ -closed [43], rwg –closed [30] and follows from Theorem 3.9(iii)

Remark 3.11: The following examples are shows that the $R^\#$ -closed sets are independent with some existing closed sets in topological spaces p-closed [32], s-closed [23], α -closed sets [59], semi pre-closed sets [5], b-closed sets [4], rs-closed sets [11], gs-closed sets [1], $g\alpha$ -closed sets [25], αg -closed sets [24], gsp-closed sets [14], gp-closed sets [26], g^* -closed [49], swg-closed sets [35], wg-closed sets [31], $rg\alpha$ -closed sets [47], g^*p -closed sets [50], $w\alpha$ -closed sets [8], gwa -closed sets [8], R^* [19], rgw -closed sets [28], $pgpr$ -closed sets [6], rps -closed [45] sets, $gprw$ -closed sets [29], arw -closed sets [55], αgp -closed sets [36], βwg^* -closed sets [13], $**g\alpha$ -closed sets [54], gab -closed sets [56], sgb -closed sets [18], rg^*b -closed sets [17], ps -closed sets [48], ags -closed sets [41], $g\#s$ -closed sets [53], $\alpha^{**}g$ -closed sets [25], g^{**} -closed sets [16], gb -closed sets [2], swg^* -closed sets [31], gr -closed sets [9], rps -closed sets [45], βwg^{**} -closed sets [46], $g\#\alpha$ -closed sets [37], g^*s -closed sets [14], $\#g\alpha$ -closed sets [12], $\#g\alpha$ -closed sets [22], g^*p -closed sets [50], gps -closed sets [42], $g\#p\#$ -closed sets [3].

Example 3.12: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then

- i. α -closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- ii. rs- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- iii. gs- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- iv. $g\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- v. αg - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- vi. gsp- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- vii. gp- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- viii. g^* - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- ix. wg- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- x. $rg\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xi. g^*p - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xii. $w\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xiii. gwa - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xiv. R^* closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xv. rgw - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xvi. $pgpr$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xvii. rps - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xviii. $gprw$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xix. arw - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xx. αgp - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxi. ps - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxii. p- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxiii. αgs - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxiv. $g\#s$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxv. $\alpha^{**}g$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxvi. gb - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxvii. βwg^{**} -closed set in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}$
- xxviii. $g\#\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxix. $og^\#p$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxx. g^*p - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxxii. $g\#p\#$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}$

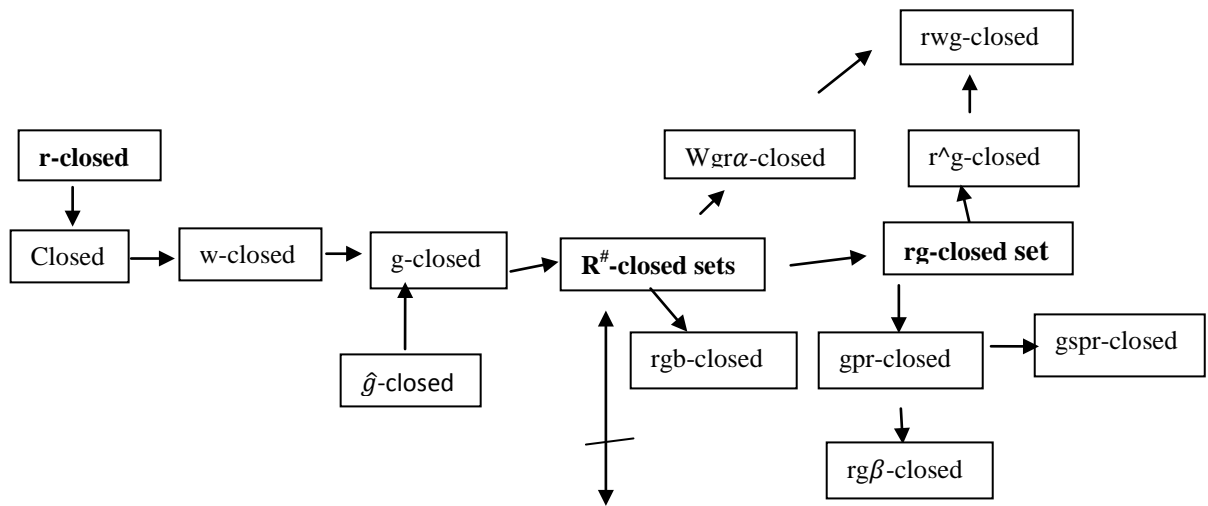
Conclusion: From the above example we proved that the following closed sets are independent to $R^\#$ -closed sets: α -closed set, rs- closed set, gs- closed set, $g\alpha$ - closed set, αg - closed set, gsp- closed set, gp- closed set, g^* - closed set, wg-closed set, $rg\alpha$ - closed set, g^*p - closed set, $w\alpha$ - closed set, gw - closed set, R^* -closed set, rgw - closed set, $pgpr$ -closed set, rps - closed set, $gprw$ - closed set, arw -closed set, gp- closed set, ps - closed set, p- closed set, gs- closed set, $g\#s$ - closed set, $\alpha^{**}g$ -closed set, gb - closed set, βwg^{**} -closed set, $g\#\alpha$ - closed set, $og^\#p$ - closed set, g^*p - closed set, $g^\#p$ - closed set.

Example 3.13: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then

- i. closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- ii. sp- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- iii. b- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- iv. swg- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- v. $g\omega\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- vi. rgw- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- vii. pgpr- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- viii. rps- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- ix. βwg^* - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- x. $**g\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xi. gab - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xii. sgb - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xiii. rg^*b - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xiv. gb- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xv. swg^* - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xvi. gr- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xvii. rps- closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xviii. $g\#\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi,$
- xix. $\{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xx. g^*s - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$
- xxi. $\#g\alpha$ - closed sets in (X, τ) are $X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}$

Conclusion: From the above example we proved that the following closed sets are independent to $R^\#$ -closed sets: s-closed set, sp- closed set, b- closed set, swg-closed set, $g\omega\alpha$ -closed set, rgw- closed set, pgpr- closed set, rps- closed set, βwg^* -closed set, $**g\alpha$ - closed set, gab - closed set, sgb -closed set, rg^*b - closed set, gb-closed set, swg^* - closed set, gr- closed set, rps- closed set, $g\#\alpha$ - closed set, g^*s -closed set, $\#g\alpha$ - closed set.

Remark 3.14: From the above results discussion and known results we have the following implications



p-closed, s-closed, α -closed sets, semi pre-closed sets, b-closed sets, rs-closed sets, gs closed sets, $g\alpha$ -closed sets, αg -closed sets, gsp-closed sets, gp-closed sets, g^* -closed, swg-closed sets, wg-closed sets, $rg\alpha$ -closed sets, g^*p -closed sets, wa-closed sets, $g\omega\alpha$ -closed sets, R^* , rgw-closed sets, pgpr-closed sets, rps-closed sets, gprw-closed sets, arw-closed sets, αgp -closed sets, βwg^* -closed sets, $**g\alpha$ -closed sets, gab -closed sets, sgb -closed sets, rg^*b -closed sets, ps-closed sets, αgs -closed sets, $g\#s$ -closed sets, α^*g -closed sets, g^{**} -closed sets, gb-closed sets, swg^* -closed sets, gr-closed sets, rps-closed sets, βwg^{**} -closed sets, $g\#\alpha$ -closed sets, g^*s -closed sets, $\#g\alpha$ -closed sets, $\#g\alpha$ -closed sets, g^*p -closed sets, gps-closed sets, $g\#p\#$ -closed sets.

Notations:

$A \rightarrow B$ means the set A implies the set B but not conversely
 $A \leftrightarrow B$ means the set A and the set B are independent of each other.

Theorem 3.15: The union of any two $R^\#$ -closed sets of X is $R^\#$ -closed s

Proof: Let A and B are the $R^\#$ -closed sets in topological space (X, τ) . Let U be R^* -open set in X such that $A \cup B \subseteq U$, then $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq U$, since A and B are the $R^\#$ -closed sets, $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$, $\text{gcl}(B) \subseteq U$, and we know that $\text{gcl}(A) \cup \text{gcl}(B) = \text{gcl}(A \cup B) \subseteq U$. Therefore $A \cup B$ is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Remark 3.16: The intersection of two $R^\#$ -closed sets of topological space (X, τ) is generally not a $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Example 3.17: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ then the set $A = \{a, c\}$ and $B = \{a, d\}$ are $R^\#$ -closed sets in X , but $A \cap B = \{a\}$ is not $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Theorem 3.18: If a subset A of topological space (X, τ) is a $R^\#$ -closed set in X then $\text{gcl}(A) - A$ does not contain any non empty R^* -closed set in X .

Proof: Let A be a $R^\#$ -closed set in X and suppose F be a non empty R^* -closed subset of $\text{gcl}(A) - A$. $F \subseteq \text{gcl}(A) - A \Rightarrow F \subseteq \text{gcl}(A) \cap (X - A) \Rightarrow F \subseteq \text{gcl}(A) \cap (X - F)$ (1) & $F \subseteq X - A$
 $\Rightarrow A \subseteq X - F$ and $X - F$ is R^* -open set and A is an $R^\#$ -closed set, $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq X - F$
 $\Rightarrow F \subseteq X - \text{gcl}(A)$ (2) from equations (1) and (2) we get $F \subseteq \text{gcl}(A) \cap (X - \text{gcl}(A)) = \phi$
 $\Rightarrow F = \phi$ thus $\text{gcl}(A) - A$ does not contain any non empty R^* -closed set in X .

Remark 3.19: The converse of the above Theorem 3.17 need not be true as seen from the following example 3.20.

Example 3.20: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ then the set $A = \{a\}$, $\text{gcl}\{a\} = \{ac\}$, $\text{gcl}\{A\} - A = \{a\} - \{a, c\} = \{c\}$ does not contain any non empty R^* closed set in X but A is not $R^\#$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.21: If A is an $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) and $A \subseteq B \subseteq \text{gcl}(A)$ then B is also $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Proof: If it is given that A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X then we have to prove that B is also $R^\#$ -closed set in X . Let U be an R^* -open set of X such that $B \subseteq U$. Since $A \subseteq B$ and A is $R^\#$ -closed set, $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$ & $A \subseteq U$ Now $B \subseteq \text{gcl}(A) \Rightarrow \text{gcl}(B) \subseteq \text{gcl}(\text{gcl}(A)) = \text{gcl}(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore $\text{gcl}(B) \subseteq U$ Hence B is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Remark 3.22: The converse of the above theorem 3.20 need not to be true as seen from the following example 3.23

Example 3.23: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ then the set $A = \{c, d\}$ $B = \{a, c, d\}$ such that A and B are $R^\#$ -closed sets in X , but $A \subseteq B$ and B is not a subset of $\text{gcl}(A)$, because $\text{gcl}(A) = \{c, d\}$.

Theorem 3.24: Let A be a $R^\#$ -closed in X . Then A is g -closed if and only if $\text{gcl}(A) - A$ is R^* -closed.

Proof: Necessity: suppose A be a g -closed set in X then $\text{gcl}(A) = A$ that is $\text{gcl}(A) - A = \phi$ which is R^* -closed.

Sufficiency: Suppose A is $R^\#$ -closed in X and $\text{gcl}(A) - A$ is R^* -closed from theorem 3.18 then $\text{gcl}(A) - A = \phi \Rightarrow \text{gcl}(A) = A$ Therefore A is g -closed.

Theorem 3.25: Let $A \subseteq Y \subseteq X$, (X, τ) and (Y, σ) are topological spaces. If A is a $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) . Then A is $R^\#$ -closed relative to (Y, σ) .

Proof: Let $A \subseteq Y \cap G$, where G is R^* -open since A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X . Then $A \subseteq X$ and $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq G$ this implies that $Y \cap \text{gcl}(A) \subseteq Y \cap G$ where $Y \cap \text{gcl}(A)$ is g -closed set of A in Y . Thus A is $R^\#$ -closed set relative to Y .

Theorem 3.26:

- i) If A is regular open and rg -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) .
- ii) If A is g -open and rg -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) .
- iii) If A is a regular-open and rwg -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed in (X, τ) .
- iv) If A is a regular-open and gpr -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed in (X, τ) .
- v) If A is regular open and $r^{\wedge}g$ -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) .
- vi) If A is regular open and $\beta w g^{**}$ -closed set in (X, τ) then A is $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) .

Proof:

- i. Let A be a regular open and rg -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is regular open and rg -closed in X by definition $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq (A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- ii. Let A be a g -open and rg -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open in X such that $A \subseteq U$ since A is g -open and rg -closed in X by definition $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq A$ then $\text{gcl}(A) \subseteq A \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

- iii. Let A be a regular open and rwg -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$ since A is regular open and rwg -closed in X , by definition $cl(int(A)) \subseteq A$ we know that $cl(int(A)) \subseteq cl(int(cl(A))) \subseteq A \subseteq U$ Then $gcl(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- iv. Let A be a regular open and gpr -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is regular open and gpr -closed in X , by definition $pcl(A) \subseteq A$ then we know that $pcl(A) \subseteq gcl(A) \subseteq A$ hence $gcl(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- v. Let A be a regular open and $r\hat{g}$ -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$. Since A is regular open and $r\hat{g}$ -closed in X by definition $gcl(A) \subseteq U$ then A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .
- vi. Let A is regular open and βwg^{**} -closed set in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$ since A is regular open and βwg^{**} -closed in X by definition $gcl(A) \subseteq U$ then $gcl(A) \subseteq A \subseteq U$. Hence A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Remark 3.27: If A is both semi-open and $R^\#$ -closed set in (X, τ) , then A need not be \hat{g} -closed in general as seen from the following example 3.28.

Example 3.28: Consider $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$, $A = \{a, c, d\}$ is both semi-open and $R^\#$ -closed but it is not \hat{g} -closed set.

Theorem 3.29: If A is both open and g -closed set in X then A is $R^\#$ closed set in X .

Proof: Let A be open and g -closed in X . Let U be any R^* -open set in X such that $A \subseteq U$, by definition $cl(A) \subseteq A \subseteq U$ and $gcl(A) = A$. This implies that $cl(A) \subseteq gcl(A) \subseteq A \subseteq U$. Hence $gcl(A) \subseteq U$. Therefore A is $R^\#$ -closed set in X .

Theorem 3.30: If a subset A of a topological space X is both regular open and $R^\#$ -closed set in X then it is g -closed set in X .

Proof: Suppose a subset A of a topological space X is regular open and $R^\#$ -closed as every regular open is R^* -open now $A \subseteq A$ then definition of $R^\#$ -closed, $gcl(A) \subseteq A$ and also $A \subseteq gcl(A)$ then $gcl(A) = A$. Hence A is g -closed in X .

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