

$(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-LOCALLY CLOSED SETS}$

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we introduce three forms of $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed sets called $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -locally closed sets, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-lc}^*$ -sets and $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-lc}^{**}$ -sets. Properties of these new concepts are studied as well as their relations to the other classes of $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed sets will be investigated.

1. Introduction

The first step of locally closedness was done by Bourbaki [2]. He defined a set A to be locally closed if it is the intersection of an open set and a closed set. In literature many general topologists introduced the studies of locally closed sets. Extensive research on locally closedness and generalizing locally closedness were done in recent years. Stone [15] used the term FG for a locally closed set. Ganster and Reilly used

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locally closed sets in [4] to define LC-continuity and LC-irresoluteness. Balachandran et al [1] introduced the concept of generalized locally closed sets. Veera Kumar [16] (Sheik John [14]) introduced \hat{g} -locally closed sets ($= \omega$ -locally closed sets) respectively.

In this paper, we introduce three forms of $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed sets called $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -locally closed sets, $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc*-sets and $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc**-sets. Properties of these new concepts are studied as well as their relations to the other classes of $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed sets will be investigated.

2. Preliminaries

Definition 2.1. Let S be a subset of X . Then S is said to be $\tau_{1,2}$ -open [8] if $S = A \cup B$ where $A \in \tau_1$ and $B \in \tau_2$.

The complement of $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set is called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed.

Notice that $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets need not necessarily form a topology.

Definition 2.2. [8] Let S be a subset of a bitopological space X . Then

- (1) the $\tau_{1,2}$ -closure of S , denoted by $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(S)$, is defined as $\cap \{F : S \subseteq F \text{ and } F \text{ is } \tau_{1,2}\text{-closed}\}$.
- (2) the $\tau_{1,2}$ -interior of S , denoted by $\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(S)$, is defined as $\cup \{F : F \subseteq S \text{ and } F \text{ is } \tau_{1,2}\text{-open}\}$.

Definition 2.3. A subset A of a bitopological space X is called

- (1) $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-open set [7] if $A \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(A))$;
- (2) $(1, 2)^*$ - α -open set [6] if $A \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(A)))$;
- (3) $(1, 2)^*$ - β -open set [10] if $A \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)))$.

Definition 2.4. A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called

- (1) (1, 2)^{*}- g -closed set [11] if $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open in X . The complement of (1, 2)^{*}- g -closed set is called (1, 2)^{*}- g -open set;
- (2) (1, 2)^{*}- sg -closed set [7] if $(1, 2)^*\text{-scl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is (1, 2)^{*}-semi-open in X . The complement of (1, 2)^{*}- sg -closed set is called (1, 2)^{*}- sg -open set;
- (3) (1, 2)^{*}- \hat{g} -closed set [3] or (1, 2)^{*}- ω -closed set [5] if $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is (1, 2)^{*}-semi-open in X . The complement of (1, 2)^{*}- \hat{g} -closed (resp. (1, 2)^{*}- ω -closed) set is called (1, 2)^{*}- \hat{g} -open (resp. (1, 2)^{*}- ω -open) set;
- (4) (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed set [12] if $(1, 2)^*\text{-scl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is (1, 2)^{*}- sg -open in X . The complement of (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed set is called (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -open set.

Definition 2.5. A subset A of a bitopological space X is called

- (1) regular (1, 2)^{*}-open [9] if $A = \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))$.
- (2) (1, 2)^{*}-regular generalized closed (briefly, (1, 2)^{*}- rg -closed) set [5] if $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular (1, 2)^{*}-open in X .

The complement of (1, 2)^{*}- rg -closed set is called (1, 2)^{*}- rg -open set.

Remark 2.6. The collection of all (1, 2)^{*}- rg -closed sets in X is denoted by (1, 2)^{*}- $RGC(X)$.

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We denote the power set of X by $P(X)$.

Corollary 2.7. If A is a (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed set and F is a $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed set, then $A \cap F$ is a (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed set.

Proposition 2.8. [13] Every $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed set is (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed.

Proposition 2.9. [13] Every (1, 2)^{*}- ψ -closed set is (1, 2)^{*}- \hat{g} -closed.

Proposition 2.10. [13] *Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed set is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -closed.*

Proposition 2.11. [13] *Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed set is $(1, 2)^*$ - sg -closed.*

3. $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -locally closed sets

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 3.1. *A subset S of a bitopological space X is called*

- (1) $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -lc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and F is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed in X .
- (2) $(1, 2)^*$ -generalized locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -glc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -closed in X .
- (3) $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-generalized locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -sglc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - sg -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ - sg -closed in X .
- (4) $(1, 2)^*$ -regular-generalized locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -rg-lc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - rg -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ - rg -closed in X .
- (5) generalized locally $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -glsc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-closed in X .
- (6) $(1, 2)^*$ -locally semi-closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ -lsc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-closed in X .
- (7) $(1, 2)^*$ - α -locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ - α -lc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - α -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ - α -closed in X .
- (8) $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -lc) if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -closed in X .
- (9) $(1, 2)^*$ -sglc* if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ - sg -open and F is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed in X .

The class of all $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed (resp. $(1, 2)^*$ -generalized locally closed, $(1, 2)^*$ -generalized locally semi-closed, $(1, 2)^*$ -locally semi-closed, $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -locally closed) sets in X is denoted by $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X) (resp. $(1, 2)^*$ -GLC(X), $(1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X), $(1, 2)^*$ -LSC(X), $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -LC(X)).

Definition 3.2. A subset of a bitopological space X is called $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -locally closed (briefly, $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc) if $A = S \cap G$, where S is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open and G is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed in X .

The class of all $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -locally closed sets in X is denoted by $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X).

Proposition 3.3. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed (resp. $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open) set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Definition 3.2.

Example 3.4. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{b\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed and the set $\{a, c\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open in X .

Proposition 3.5. Every $(1, 2)^*$ -lc set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Proposition 2.8.

Example 3.6. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{b\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ -lc set in X .

Proposition 3.7. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set is a (i) $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -lc set, (ii) $(1, 2)^*$ -glc set and (iii) $(1, 2)^*$ -sglc set. However the separate converses are not true.

Proof. It follows from Propositions 2.9, 2.10 and 2.11.

Example 3.8. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b, c\}\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{b\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ -g-lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set in X . Moreover, the set $\{c\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ -sg-lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set in X .

Example 3.9. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{a\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ - ω -lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ - ω -lc set in X .

Proposition 3.10. Every $(1,2)^*$ - α -lc set is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Example 3.11. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{a\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ - α -lc set in X .

Proposition 3.12. Every $(1,2)^*$ -lsc set is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Example 3.13. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{a\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ -lsc set in X .

Proposition 3.14. Every $(1,2)^*$ -glsc set is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Example 3.15. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{a, b\}$ is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1,2)^*$ -glsc set in X .

Proposition 3.16. Every $(1,2)^*$ -sglc* set is $(1,2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but not conversely.

Example 3.17. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then the set $\{a, b\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc set but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ -sglc^{*} set in X .

Theorem 3.18. For a $T(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -space X , the following properties hold:

- (1) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) = $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X).
- (2) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLC(X).
- (3) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X).
- (4) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -LC(X).

Proof. (1) Since every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open set is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed set is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed in X , $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X) and hence $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) = $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X).

(2), (3) and (4) follows from (1), since for any space (X, τ) , $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLC(X), $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X) and $(1, 2)^*$ -LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -LC(X).

Corollary 3.19. If $(1, 2)^*$ -GO(X) = $(1, 2)^*$ -O(X) where $(1, 2)^*$ -O(X) is the collection of all $\tau_{1,2}$ -open subsets of X , then $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -LSC(X).

Proof. $(1, 2)^*$ -GO(X) = $(1, 2)^*$ -O(X) implies that X is a $T(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -space and hence by Theorem 3.18, $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ LC(X) \subseteq $(1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X). Let $A \in (1, 2)^*$ -GLSC(X). Then $A = U \cap F$, where U is $(1, 2)^*$ -g-open and F is $(1, 2)^*$ -semi-closed. By hypothesis, U is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and hence A is a $(1, 2)^*$ -lsc set and so $A \in (1, 2)^*$ -LSC(X).

Definition 3.20. A subset A of a bitopological space X is called

- (1) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc^{*} set if $A = S \cap G$, where S is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open in X and G is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed in X .

(2) $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} set if $A = S \cap G$, where S is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open in X and G is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed in X .

The class of all $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* (resp. $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**}) sets in a bitopological space X is denoted by $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - $LC^*(X)$ (resp. $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - $LC^{**}(X)$).

Proposition 3.21. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - lc set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Definitions 3.1 (1) and 3.20 (1).

Example 3.22. The set $\{b\}$ in Example 3.6 is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - lc set in X .

Proposition 3.23. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - lc set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Definitions 3.1 (1) and 3.20 (2).

Example 3.24. The set $\{a, c\}$ in Example 3.6 is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - lc set in X .

Proposition 3.25. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Definitions 3.2 and 3.20 (1).

Example 3.26. The set $\{a, b\}$ in Example 3.6 is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set in X .

Proposition 3.27. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc set but not conversely.

Proof. It follows from Definitions 3.2 and 3.20 (2).

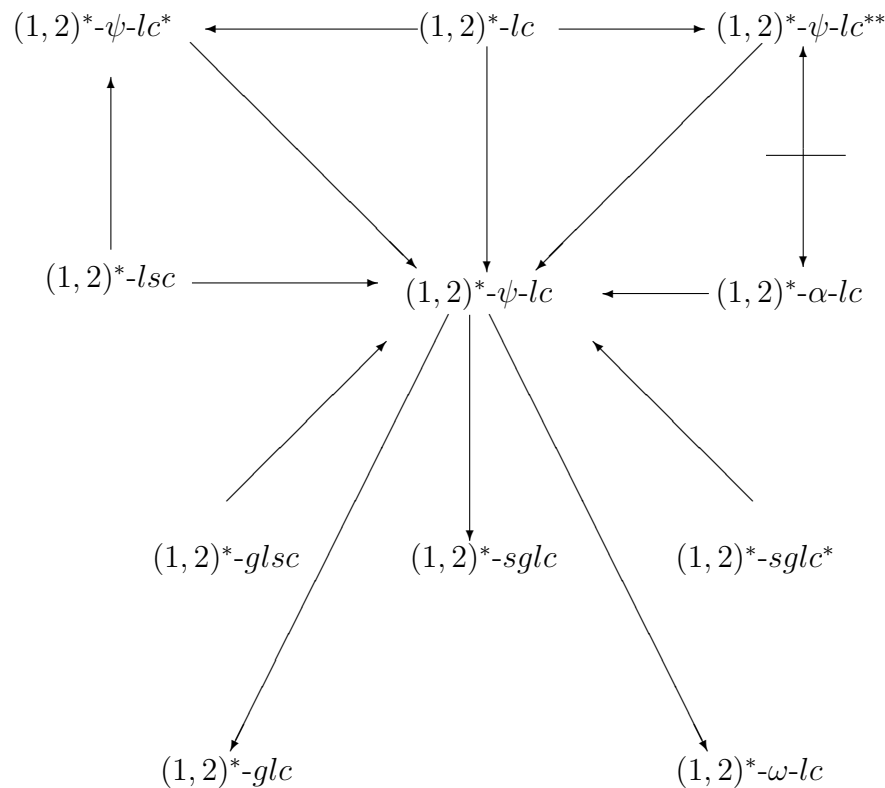
Remark 3.28. The concepts of $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* sets and $(1, 2)^*$ - lsc sets are independent of each other.

Example 3.29. *The set $\{c\}$ in Example 3.6 is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - lsc set in X and the set $\{a\}$ in Example 3.4 is $(1, 2)^*$ - lsc set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set in X .*

Remark 3.30. *The concepts of $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} sets and $(1, 2)^*$ - α - lc sets are independent of each other.*

Example 3.31. *The set $\{a, b\}$ in Example 3.6 is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^{**} set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - α - lc set in X and the set $\{a, b\}$ in Example 3.4 is $(1, 2)^*$ - α - lc set but it is not a $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ - lc^* set in X .*

Remark 3.32. *From the above discussions we have the following implications where $A \rightarrow B$ (resp. $A B$) represents A implies B but not conversely (resp. A and B are independent of each other).*



Proposition 3.33. *If $(1, 2)^*\text{-}GO(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}O(X)$, then $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.*

Proof. Since $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{O}(\mathbf{X}) \subseteq (1, 2)^*\text{-}\text{GO}(\mathbf{X}) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\text{O}(\mathbf{X})$, therefore by hypothesis, \mathbf{X} is a $\text{T}(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -space and hence $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(\mathbf{X}) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^*(\mathbf{X}) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^{**}(\mathbf{X})$.

Remark 3.34. *The converse of Proposition 3.33 need not be true.*

For the bitopological space X in Example 3.4, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$. However $(1, 2)^*\text{-}GO(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\} \neq (1, 2)^*\text{-}O(X)$.

Proposition 3.35. *Let X be a bitopological space. If $(1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $LC(X)$, then $(1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X)$.*

Proof. Let $A \in (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X)$. Then $A = S \cap G$ where S is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open and G is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed. Since $(1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X)$ and by hypothesis $(1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $LC(X)$, S is $(1, 2)^*$ -locally closed. Then $S = P \cap Q$, where P is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and Q is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Therefore, $A = P \cap (Q \cap G)$. By Corollary 2.7, $Q \cap G$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -closed and hence $A \in (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X)$. That is $(1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X)$. For any bitopological space, $(1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X)$ and so $(1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X)$.

Remark 3.36. *The converse of Proposition 3.35 need not be true in general.*

For the bitopological space X in Example 3.4, then $(1, 2)^$ - $\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X) = \{\emptyset, \{b\}, \{a, c\}, X\}$. But $(1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\} \not\subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X) = \{\emptyset, \{b\}, \{a, c\}, X\}$.*

Corollary 3.37. *Let X be a bitopological space. If $(1, 2)^*$ - $\omega O(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $LC(X)$, then $(1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X)$.*

Proof. It follows from the fact that $(1, 2)^*$ - $\omega O(X) \subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $GO(X)$ and Proposition 6.3.35.

Remark 3.38. *The converse of Corollary 3.37 need not be true in general.*

For the bitopological space X in Example 3.6, then $(1, 2)^$ - $\psi LC(X) = (1, 2)^*$ - $\psi LC^{**}(X) = P(X)$. But $(1, 2)^*$ - $\omega O(X) = P(X) \not\subseteq (1, 2)^*$ - $LC(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$.*

The following theorems are exploring the characterizations of $(1, 2)^$ - ψ -lc sets, $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc* sets and $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -lc** sets.*

Theorem 3.39. *For a subset A of X the following statements are equivalent:*

- (1) $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(X)$,
- (2) $A = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ for some $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ set S ,
- (3) $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$,
- (4) $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$,
- (5) $A \subseteq (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-int}(A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c)$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2). Let $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(X)$. Then $A = S \cap G$ where S is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ and G is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$. Since $A \subseteq G$, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq G$ and so $S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq A$. Also $A \subseteq S$ and $A \subseteq (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ implies $A \subseteq S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ and therefore $A = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3). $A = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ implies $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) \cap S^c$ which is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$ since S^c is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$ and $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4). $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c = ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A)^c$ and by assumption, $((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A)^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ and so is $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c$.

(4) \Rightarrow (5). By assumption, $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-int}(A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c)$ and hence $A \subseteq (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-int}(A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c)$.

(5) \Rightarrow (1). By assumption and since $A \subseteq (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$, $A = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-int}(A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c) \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$. Therefore, $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(X)$.

Theorem 3.40. For a subset A of X , the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^*(X)$,
- (2) $A = S \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$ for some $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ set S ,
- (3) $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$,
- (4) $A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2). Let $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^*(X)$. There exist an $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ set S and a $\tau_{1,2}\text{-closed}$ set G such that $A = S \cap G$. Since $A \subseteq S$ and $A \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$, $A \subseteq S \cap$

$\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$. Also since $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq G$, $S \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq S \cap G = A$. Therefore $A = S \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$.

(2) \Rightarrow (1). Since S is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open and $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$ is a $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed set, $A = S \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^*(X)$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3). Since $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A = \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \cap S^c$, $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed by Corollary 2.7.

(3) \Rightarrow (2). Let $S = (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A)^c$. Then by assumption S is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open in X and $A = S \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A)$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4). Let $G = \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A$. Then $G^c = A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$ and $A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open.

(4) \Rightarrow (3). Let $S = A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$. Then S^c is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed and $S^c = \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A$ and so $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) - A$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed.

Theorem 3.41. *Let A be a subset of X . Then $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^{**}(X)$ if and only if $A = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ for some $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set S .*

Proof. Let $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^{**}(X)$. Then $A = S \cap G$ where S is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and G is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed. Since $A \subseteq G$, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq G$. We obtain $A = A \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) = S \cap G \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$.

Converse part is trivial.

Corollary 3.42. *Let A be a subset of X . If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^{**}(X)$, then $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed and $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open.*

Proof. Let $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}^{**}(X)$. Then by Theorem 3.41, $A = S \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ for some $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set S and $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) \cap S^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed in X . If $G = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) - A$, then $G^c = A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c$ and G^c is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open and so is $A \cup ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))^c$.

4. $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense sets and $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal spaces

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 4.1. A subset A of a space X is called $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense if $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -cl(A) = X .

Example 4.2. Consider the bitopological space X in Example 3.6. Then the set $A = \{b, c\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense in X .

Recall that a subset A of a space X is called $(1, 2)^*$ -dense if $\tau_{1,2}$ -cl(A) = X .

Proposition 4.3. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense set is $(1, 2)^*$ -dense.

Proof. Let A be an $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense set in X . Then $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -cl(A) = X . Since $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -cl(A) \subseteq $\tau_{1,2}$ -cl(A), we have $\tau_{1,2}$ -cl(A) = X and so A is $(1, 2)^*$ -dense.

The converse of Proposition 4.3 need not be true as can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.4. The set $\{a, c\}$ in Example 3.6 is a $(1, 2)^*$ -dense in X but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -dense in X .

Definition 4.5. A bitopological space X is called

- (1) $(1, 2)^*$ -submaximal if every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open.
- (2) $(1, 2)^*$ - \hat{g} (or $(1, 2)^*$ - ω)-submaximal if every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -open.
- (3) $(1, 2)^*$ - g -submaximal if every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -open.
- (4) $(1, 2)^*$ - rg -submaximal if every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset is $(1, 2)^*$ - rg -open.

Proposition 4.6. Let X be a bitopological space.

- (1) If X is $(1, 2)^*$ -submaximal, then X is $(1, 2)^*$ - \hat{g} -submaximal.

- (2) If X is $(1, 2)^*$ - \hat{g} -submaximal, then X is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -submaximal.
- (3) If X is $(1, 2)^*$ - g -submaximal, then X is $(1, 2)^*$ - rg -submaximal.
- (4) The respective converses of the above need not be true in general.

Definition 4.7. A bitopological space X is called $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal if every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset in it is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open in X .

Proposition 4.8. Every $(1, 2)^*$ -submaximal space is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal.

Proof. Let X be a $(1, 2)^*$ -submaximal space and A be a $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset of X . Then A is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open. But every $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open and so A is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open. Therefore X is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal.

The converse of Proposition 4.8 need not be true as can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.9. For the bitopological space X of Example 3.6, every $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open and hence X is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal. However, the set $A = \{a, b\}$ is $(1, 2)^*$ -dense in X , but it is not $\tau_{1,2}$ -open in X . Therefore X is not $(1, 2)^*$ -submaximal.

Proposition 4.10. Every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal space is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -submaximal.

Proof. Let X be an $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal space and A be a $(1, 2)^*$ -dense subset of X . Then A is $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open. But every $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open set is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -open and so A is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -open. Therefore X is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -submaximal.

The converse of Proposition 4.10 need not be true as can be seen from the following example.

Example 4.11. Consider the bitopological space X in Example 3.9. Then X is $(1, 2)^*$ - ω -submaximal but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -submaximal, because the set $A = \{b, c\}$ is a $(1, 2)^*$ -dense set in X but it is not $(1, 2)^*$ - ψ -open in X .

Remark 4.12. From Propositions 3.40, 4.8 and 4.10, we have the following diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} (1, 2)^*\text{-submaximal} & \longrightarrow & (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-submaximal} & \longrightarrow & (1, 2)^*\text{-}\omega\text{-submaximal} \\ & & & & \downarrow \\ & & (1, 2)^*\text{-rg-submaximal} & \longleftarrow & (1, 2)^*\text{-g-submaximal} \end{array}$$

Theorem 4.13. A space (X, t) is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-submaximal}$ if and only if $P(X) = (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.

Proof. Necessity. Let $A \in P(X)$ and let $V = A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$. This implies that $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c = X$. Hence $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = X$. Therefore V is a $(1, 2)^*\text{-dense}$ subset of X . Since X is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-submaximal}$, V is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$. Thus $A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ and by Theorem 3.40, we have $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.

Sufficiency. Let A be a $(1, 2)^*\text{-dense}$ subset of X . This implies $A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c = A \cup X^c = A \cup \emptyset = A$. Now $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$ implies that $A = A \cup (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))^c$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ by Theorem 3.40. Hence X is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-submaximal}$.

Proposition 4.14. Assume that $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$ forms a topology. For subsets A and B in X , the following are true:

- (1) If $A, B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.
- (2) If $A, B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.
- (3) If $A, B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.
- (4) If $A, B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.
- (5) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$ and B is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ (resp. $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-closed}$), then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.
- (6) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$ and B is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-open}$ (resp. $\tau_{1,2}\text{-closed}$), then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.

- (7) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$ and B is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed (resp. $\tau_{1,2}$ -open), then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.
- (8) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$ and B is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.
- (9) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$ and B is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.
- (10) If $A \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$ and $B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$, then $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.

Proof. By Corollary 2.7 (1) to (8) hold.

(9). Let $A = S \cap G$ where S is $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and G is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed and $B = P \cap Q$ where P is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open and Q is $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then $A \cap B = (S \cap P) \cap (G \cap Q)$ where $S \cap P$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open and $G \cap Q$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -closed, by Corollary 2.7. Therefore $A \cap B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.

Remark 4.15. Union of two $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc sets (resp. $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc sets, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc^{**} sets) need not be an $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc set (resp. $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc^{*} set, $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc^{**} set) as can be seen from the following examples.

Example 4.16. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Then the sets $\{a\}$ and $\{c\}$ are $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -lc sets, but their union $\{a, c\} \notin (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.

Example 4.17. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}$.

$c\}$, $X\}$. Then the sets $\{b\}$ and $\{c\}$ are $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}lc^*$ sets, but their union $\{b, c\} \notin (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.

Example 4.18. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}\}$ and $\tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{b, c\}\}$. Then the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -open and the sets in $\{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, c\}\}$ are called $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed. Then $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Then the sets $\{a\}$ and $\{b\}$ are $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}lc^{**}$ sets, but their union $\{a, b\} \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.

We introduce the following definition.

Definition 4.19. Let A and B be subsets of X . Then A and B are said to be $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated if $A \cap (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(B) = \emptyset$ and $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(A) \cap B = \emptyset$.

Example 4.20. For the bitopological space X of Example 3.6. Let $A = \{b\}$ and let $B = \{c\}$. Then $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(A) = \{a, b\}$ and $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(B) = \{a, c\}$ and so the sets A and B are $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated.

Proposition 4.21. For a bitopological space X , the followings are true:

- (1) Let $A, B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$. If A and B are $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated then $A \cup B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$.
- (2) Let $A, B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$. If A and B are separated (i.e., $A \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-}cl(B) = \emptyset$ and $\tau_{1,2}\text{-}cl(A) \cap B = \emptyset$), then $A \cup B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^*(X)$.
- (3) Let $A, B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$. If A and B are $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated then $A \cup B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC^{**}(X)$.

Proof. (1) Since $A, B \in (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi LC(X)$, by Theorem 3.39, there exist $(1,2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open sets U and V of X such that $A = U \cap (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(A)$ and $B = V \cap (1,2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-}cl(B)$.

Now $G = U \cap (X - (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B))$ and $H = V \cap (X - (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A))$ are $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open subsets of X . Since $A \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B) = \emptyset$, $A \subseteq ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B))^c$. Now $A = U \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$ becomes $A \cap ((1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B))^c = G \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$. Then $A = G \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A)$. Similarly $B = H \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B)$. Moreover $G \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(B) = \emptyset$ and $H \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A) = \emptyset$. Since G and H are $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open sets of X , $G \cup H$ is $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -open. Therefore $A \cup B = (G \cup H) \cap (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{-cl}(A \cup B)$ and hence $A \cup B \in (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(X)$.

(2) and (3) are similar to (1), using Theorems 3.40 and 3.41.

Remark 4.22. *The assumption that A and B are $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated in (1) of Proposition 4.21 cannot be removed. In the bitopological space X in Example 4.16, the sets $\{a\}$ and $\{c\}$ are not $(1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi$ -separated and their union $\{a, c\} \notin (1, 2)^*\text{-}\psi\text{LC}(X)$.*

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