

(i,j) Strongly α^{**} -Closed Sets in Bitopological Spaces

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we introduce a new class of sets namely, (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed sets. Properties of this set are investigated and we introduce new spaces namely, (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces, (i,j) $g^*T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces and (i,j) $sg^*T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces.

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1.INTRODUCTION

A triple (X, τ_1, τ_2) where X is a non-empty set and τ_1 and τ_2 are topologies on X is called bitopological space and Kelly[4] initiated the study of such spaces. Veera Kumar[15] introduced the concept of g^* -closed sets in 2000. Parimezlazhagan and Subramania Pillai[9] introduced the strongly g^* -closed sets in 2012. The purpose of this paper is to introduce the concept of strongly α^{**} closed sets in bitopological spaces. Three new spaces (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ space, (i,j) $g^*T_{sa^{**}}$ space, (i,j) $sg^*T_{sa^{**}}$ space in bitopological spaces are introduced and some of their properties are investigated.

2.PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this paper $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2), (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ represent non-empty bitopological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. If A is a subset of X with topology τ then $cl(A)$ and $int(A)$ denote the closure of A and the interior of A in X respectively. We recall the following definitions, which will be used often throughout this paper:

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

- (1) a semi-open set [6] if $A \subseteq cl(int(A))$ and a semi-closed set if $int(cl(A)) \subseteq A$
- (2) a α -open set [8] if $A \subseteq int(cl(int(A)))$ and a α -closed set if $cl(int(cl(A))) \subseteq A$
- (3) a g -closed set [7] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
- (4) a g^* -closed set [13] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is g open in (X, τ) .
- (5) a g^{**} -closed set [10] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is g^* -open in (X, τ) .
- (6) a strongly g^* -closed set [9] if $cl(int(A)) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is g -open in (X, τ) .
- (7) a sg -closed set [3] if $scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi-open in (X, τ) .

- (8) a gs-closed set [2] if $scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
- (9) a ψ -closed or sg^* closed set [14] if $scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is sg-open in (X, τ) .
- (10) a α^* -closed set [15] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is α -open in (X, τ)
- (11) a α^{**} -closed set [17] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is α^* -open in (X, τ)

Definition 2.2:

A subset A of bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called

- (1) an (i, j) g^* -closed [11] if $\tau_j-cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is g open in τ_i .
- (2) an (i, j) α^{**} -closed [17] if $\tau_j-cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is α^* -open in τ_i .
- (3) an (i, j) gs-closed [12] if $\tau_j-scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in τ_i .
- (4) an (i, j) sg-closed [4] if $\tau_j-scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi-open in τ_i .
- (5) an (i, j) ψ -closed or sg^* closed [1] if $\tau_j-scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is sg-open in τ_i .
- (6) an (i, j) strongly g^* -closed [16] if $\tau_j-cl(int(A)) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is g -open in τ_i .

Definition 2.3:

A bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called

- (1) an (i, j) - $T_{1/2}^*$ space [11] if every (i, j) - g^* -closed set is τ_j -closed.
- (2) an (i, j) - T_d space [12] if every (i, j) -gs-closed set in it is g -closed.

3.BASIC PROPERTIES OF (i, j) STRONGLY α^{} -CLOSED SETS**

We introduce the following definition:

Definition 3.1: A subset A of a bitopological space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called (i, j) -strongly α^{**} closed if $\tau_j-cl(int(A)) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is τ_i - α^* open.

Proposition 3.2: Every τ_j closed set A is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed

Proof follows from the definition.

The following example supports that a (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed set need not be closed in general

Example 3.3: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$; $\tau_1 = \{\phi, \{c\}, \{a, c\}, X\}$; $\tau_2 = \{\phi, \{a\}, X\}$. Then $A = \{b\}$ is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not τ_j -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Proposition 3.4: Every (i, j) α^{**} -closed is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed.

Proof: Let A be (i, j) α^{**} -closed. Let $A \subseteq U$ and U be τ_i -open. Since A is (i, j) α^{**} -closed., $\tau_j-cl(A) \subseteq U$, $\tau_j-cl(int(A)) \subseteq \tau_j-cl(A) \subseteq U$. Hence A is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed.

The converse of above proposition need not be true in general as seen in following example:

Example 3.5: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{c\}\}$. Then $A=\{b\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not a (i,j)- α^{**} closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Proposition 3.6: Every (i,j) g^* -closed set is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed.

Proof: Let A be (i,j) g^* -closed. Let $A \subseteq U$ and U be τ_i - α^* open. Then U is τ_i - g open and hence τ_j - $cl(A) \subseteq U$, since A is (i,j)- g^* closed. But τ_j - $cl(int(A)) \subseteq \tau_j$ - $cl(A) \subseteq U$. Then A is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed.

The converse of above proposition need not be true in general as seen in following example:

Example 3.7: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{c\}\}$. Then $A=\{a\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not (i,j)- g^* closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Proposition 3.8: Every (i,j) strongly g^* -closed set is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed.

The converse of above proposition need not be true in general as seen in following example:

Example 3.9: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{c\}\}$. Then $A=\{c\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not (i,j)-strongly g^* closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Remark 3.10: (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) sg -closedness.

Example 3.11: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$. Then $A=\{a,c\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not (i,j) sg -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Example 3.12: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b\},\{a,b\}\}$. Then $A=\{a\}$ is (i,j) sg -closed but not (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Hence (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) sg -closedness.

Remark 3.13: (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) gs -closedness.

Example 3.14: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b,c\}\}$. Then $A=\{b\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not (i,j) gs -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Example 3.15: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b\},\{a,b\}\}$. Then $A=\{b\}$ is (i,j) gs -closed but not (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Hence (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) gs -closedness.

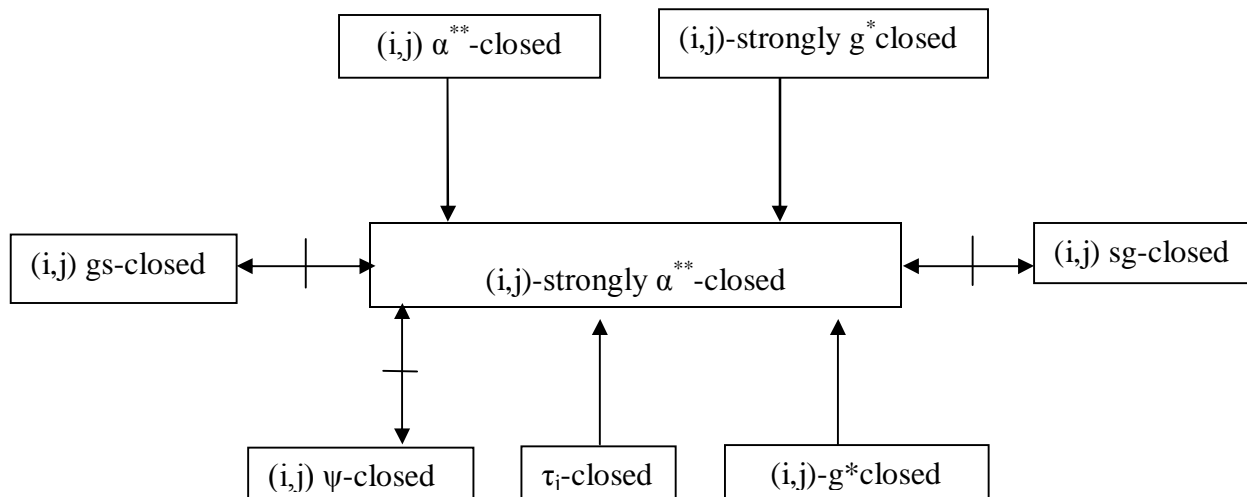
Remark 3.16: (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) ψ -closedness.

Example 3.17: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$. Then $A=\{a,c\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed set but not (i,j) ψ -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Example 3.18: Let $X=\{a,b,c\}$; $\tau_1=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{a,b\}\}$; $\tau_2=\{\phi,X,\{a\},\{b\},\{a,b\}\}$. Then $A=\{a\}$ is (i,j) ψ -closed but not (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed in (X, τ_1, τ_2) .

Hence (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closedness is independent of (i,j) ψ -closedness.

The above results can be represented in the following figure:



where $A \longrightarrow B$ represents A implies B and B need not imply A

$A \longleftrightarrow B$ represents A and B are independent.

4.APPLICATIONS OF (i,j) STRONGLY α^{**} -CLOSED SETS

As applications of (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed sets, new spaces, namely (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces, (i,j) $g^*T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces, (i,j) $sg^*T_{sa^{**}}$ spaces are introduced.

We introduce the following definitions.

Definition 4.1: A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called a (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ space if every (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed set is τ_j -closed.

Definition 4.2: A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called a (i,j) $g^*T_{sa^{**}}$ space if every (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed set is (i,j) g^* -closed.

Definition 4.3: A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is called a (i,j) $sg^*T_{sa^{**}}$ space if every (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed set is (i,j) strongly g^* -closed.

Theorem 4.4: Every (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ space is a (i,j) $T_{1/2}^*$ space

Proof: Let A be a (i,j)- g^* closed set. Then A is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed. Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i,j)- $T_{sa^{**}}$ space, A is τ_j -closed. $\therefore (X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ is a (i,j) $T_{1/2}^*$ space.

The converse of above theorem need not be true in general as seen in following example

Example 4.5: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a $T_{1/2}^*$ space. $A = \{a, b\}$ is (i,j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not τ_j -closed. \therefore The space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ space.

Theorem 4.6: Every (i,j) $T_{sa^{**}}$ space is a (i,j) $sg^*T_{sa^{**}}$ space

Proof follows from the definitions

The converse of above theorem need not be true

Example 4.7: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space. $A = \{b\}$ is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not a τ_j -closed set. \therefore The space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i, j) $Ts\alpha^{**}$ space.

Theorem 4.8: Every (i, j) $g^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space is a (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space

Proof: Let A be a (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed set. Then A is (i, j) - g^* closed and hence, A is (i, j) strongly g^* closed. $\therefore (X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ is a (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space

The converse of above theorem is not true.

Example 4.9: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space. $A = \{b\}$ is (i, j) strongly α^{**} -closed but not (i, j) g^* -closed. \therefore The space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i, j) $g^*Ts\alpha^{**}$ space.

Theorem 4.10: A space (X, τ_1, τ_2) which is both (i, j) $T_{1/2S}^*$ space and (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space is a (i, j) $g^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space

Proof: Let A be a (i, j) -strongly α^{**} -closed set. Then A is (i, j) -strongly g^* -closed, since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space. Now A is τ_j -closed, since the space is a (i, j) $T_{1/2S}^*$ space. Hence A is (i, j) g^* -closed. \therefore The space (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) $g^*Ts\alpha^{**}$ space.

Remark 4.11: (i, j) T_d ness is independent from (i, j) $-Ts\alpha^{**}$ ness, (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ ness.

Example 4.12: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) T_d space. $A = \{b\}$ is (i, j) - strongly α^{**} -closed but not a τ_2 closed set. Hence (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i, j) $-Ts\alpha^{**}$ space.

Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) T_{sa}^{**} space. $A = \{a\}$ is (i, j) - g s closed but not a (i, j) g closed set. Hence (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i, j) $-T_d$ space.

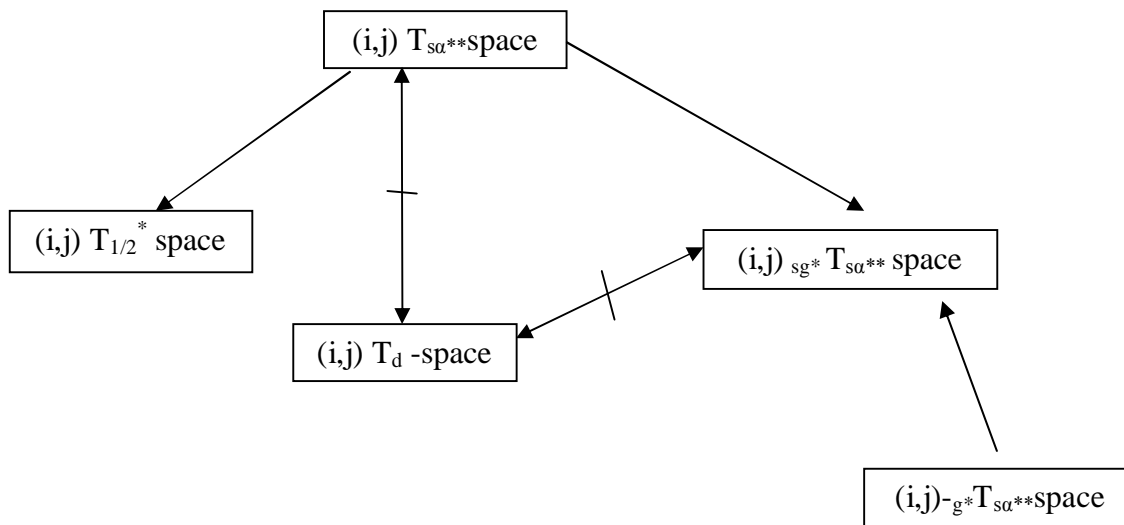
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Let $X = \{a, b, c\}; \tau_1 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}; \tau_2 = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is a (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ space. $A = \{b\}$ is (i, j) - g s closed but not (i, j) g closed set. Hence (X, τ_1, τ_2) is not a (i, j) $-T_d$ space.

Hence (i, j) T_d ness is independent from (i, j) $sg^*T_{sa}^{**}$ ness.

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