

****B-T-SETS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES**

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we introduce ****b-t-sets**, ****b-t*-sets**, ****b-B-sets**, ****b-B*-sets**, ****b-semi open sets**, ****b-pre open sets** and discuss some properties of the above sets.

KEYWORDS: ****b-open sets**, **B-sets**, **B*-sets**, **t-sets**, **t*-sets**

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INTRODUCTION

Levine [9] introduced the notion of semi open sets and semi-continuity in topological spaces. Andrijevic [3] introduced a class of generalized open sets in topological spaces. Mashhour [10] introduced pre open sets in topological spaces. The class of b-open sets is contained in the class of semi open and pre open sets. Tong [13] introduced the concept of t-set and B-set in topological spaces. The class of *b-open sets is both semi-open and pre open. The class of ****b-open sets** is both α -open and β -open. Indira, Rekha [6] introduced the concept of *b-open set, ****b-open set**, t*-set and B*-set in topological spaces. In this paper we introduce the notion of ****b-t-set**, ****b-t*-set**, ****b-B-set**, ****b-B*-set**, ****b-semi open** and ****b-pre open**. All throughout this paper (X, τ) stand for topological spaces with no separation axioms assumed, unless otherwise stated. Let $A \subseteq X$, the closure of A and the interior of A will be denoted by $Cl(A)$ and $Int(A)$, respectively.

PRELIMINARIES

Definition 2.1: A subset A of a space X is said to be:

- Semi open [9] if $A \subseteq Cl(Int(A))$
- Pre open [10] if $A \subseteq Int(Cl(A))$
- b-open [3] if $A \subseteq Cl(Int(A)) \cup Int(Cl(A))$
- *b-open [6] if $A \subseteq Cl(Int(A)) \cap Int(Cl(A))$
- b**-open [4] if $A \subseteq Int(Cl(Int(A))) \cup Cl(Int(Cl(A)))$
- ****b-open** [6] if $A \subseteq Int(Cl(Int(A))) \cap Cl(Int(Cl(A)))$

Lemma 2.2. [1,4,6] If A is a subset of a space (X, τ) , then

- $sInt(A) = A \cap Cl(Int(A))$
- $pInt(A) = A \cap Int(Cl(A))$
- $b^{**}Int(A) = \alpha Int(A) \cup \beta Int(A)$
- $^{**}bInt(A) = \alpha Int(A) \cap \beta Int(A)$

Definition 2.3: A subset A of a space X is called:

- t -set [13] if $\text{Int}(A) = \text{Int}(\text{Cl}(A))$.
- B -set [13] if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a t -set.
- t^* -set [6] if $\text{Cl}(A) = \text{Cl}(\text{Int}(A))$.
- B^* -set [6] if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a t^* -set.

Definition 2.4: A subset A of a space X is called [1]:

- b - t -set if $\text{Int}(A) = \text{Int}(b\text{Cl}(A))$
- b - t^* -set if $\text{Cl}(A) = \text{Cl}(b\text{Int}(A))$.
- b - B -set if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a b - t -set
- b - B^* -set if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a b - t^* -set
- b -semi open if $A \subseteq \text{Cl}(b\text{Int}(A))$
- b -pre open if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(b\text{Cl}(A))$

GENERALIZED ****B**-CLOSED SETS

Definition 3.1: Let X be a space. A subset A of X is called a generalized ****b**-closed set if $\text{**bCl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open.

Example 3.2: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of generalized ****b**-closed sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$

Definition 3.3: The complement of a generalized ****b**-closed set is called generalized ****b**-open set.

From the example 3.2, The collection of generalized ****b**-open sets $= \{X, \phi, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}\}$

Theorem 3.4: For a subset A of a space (X, τ) , the following are equivalent:

- A is ****b**-closed
- A is g -****b**-closed and locally ****b**-closed.

Proof

To prove: (1) \Rightarrow (2)

Let A be ****b**-closed. Then $A = A \cap X$ where A is ****b**-closed and X is open. Therefore A is locally ****b**-closed.

To Prove: A is generalized ****b**-closed.

Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is open. Then $\text{**bCl}(A) \subseteq U$ [since A is ****b**-closed]. Therefore A is generalized ****b**-closed.

To prove: (2) \Rightarrow (1)

Let A be locally ****b**-closed and generalized ****b**-closed.

To Prove: A is ****b**-closed.

Since A is locally ****b**-closed. Therefore, there exist an open set U such that $A = U \cap \mathbf{**bCl}(A)$ (1)

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq U$ and $A \subseteq \mathbf{**bCl}(A)$ (2)

$\Rightarrow \mathbf{**bCl}(A) \subseteq U$

$\Rightarrow \mathbf{**bCl}(A) \subseteq U \cap \mathbf{**bCl}(A) = A$ [From(1)]. Therefore $\mathbf{**bCl}(A) \subseteq A$. Hence A is ****b**-closed.

****B-T-SETS**

Definition 4.1: A subset A of a space X is called:

- ****b**-t-set if $\text{Int}(A) = \text{Int}(\mathbf{**bCl}(A))$
- ****b**-t*-set if $\text{Cl}(A) = \text{Cl}(\mathbf{**bInt}(A))$
- ****b**-B-set if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a ****b**-t-set
- ****b**-B*-set if $A = U \cap V$, where $U \in \tau$ and V is a ****b**-t*-set
- ****b**-semi open if $A \subseteq \text{Cl}(\mathbf{**bInt}(A))$
- ****b**-pre open if $A \subseteq \text{Int}(\mathbf{**bCl}(A))$

Example 4.2: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\mathcal{T} = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-open sets $= \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-closed sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-t-sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-t*-sets $= \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-B-sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, b\},$

$\{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-B*-sets $= \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-semi open sets $= \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

The collection of ****b**-pre open sets $= \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$

Results 4.3

- Every ****b**-closed set is a ****b**-t-set.
- Every ****b**-open set is a ****b**-t*-set.
- Every open set is a ****b**-pre open set.

Example 4.4: From the example 4.2,

- $\{d\}$ is a ****b**-t-set, but not a ****b**-closed set.
- $\{a, c\}$ is a ****b**-t*-set, but not a ****b**-open set.

Definition 4.5: The complement of a $**b$ -semi open ($**b$ -pre open) set is called a $**b$ -semi closed ($**b$ -pre closed) set.

From the example 4.2,

The collection of $**b$ -semi closed sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a,b,d\}, \{a,b,c\}, \{b,d\}, \{b,c\}, \{a,d\}, \{a,c\}, \{a,b\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a\}\}$

The collection of $**b$ -pre closed sets $= \{X, \phi, \{a,b,d\}, \{a,b,c\}, \{a,b\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$

Note 4.6

$S(**bCl(A))$ is the intersection of all $**b$ -semi closed sets containing A .

$S(**bInt(A))$ is the union of all $**b$ -semi open sets contained in A .

Theorem 4.7: For subsets A and B of a space (X, τ) , the following properties hold:

- A is a $**b$ - t^* -set iff it is $**b$ -semi open.
- If A and B are $**b$ - t^* -sets, then $A \cup B$ is a $**b$ - t^* -set.

Proof

- Let A be a $**b$ - t^* -set.

Then $Cl(A) = Cl(**bInt(A))$. Therefore $A \subseteq Cl(**bInt(A))$. Hence A is $**b$ -semi open.

Conversly, If A is $**b$ -semi open.

$$\text{Then } A \subseteq Cl(**bInt(A)), Cl(A) \subseteq Cl(**bInt(A)) \tag{1}$$

$$\text{Since } Cl(**bInt(A)) \subseteq Cl(A) \tag{2}$$

Hence A is a $**b$ - t^* -set.

- Let A and B be $**b$ - t^* -sets.

$$\text{Since } **bInt(A \cup B) \subseteq (A \cup B)$$

$$Cl(**bInt(A \cup B)) \subseteq Cl(A \cup B) \tag{1}$$

$$Cl(**bInt(A \cup B)) \supseteq Cl(**bInt(A) \cup **bInt(B)) = Cl(A) \cup Cl(B) = Cl(A \cup B) \tag{2}$$

From (1) & (2), $Cl(**bInt(A \cup B)) = Cl(A \cup B)$. Hence $A \cup B$ is a $**b$ - t^* -set.

Theorem 4.8: For subsets A and B of a space (X, τ) , the following properties hold:

- A is a $**b$ - t -set if and only if it is $**b$ -semi closed.
- If A is $**b$ -closed, then it is a $**b$ - t -set.
- If A and B are $**b$ - t -sets, then $A \cap B$ is a $**b$ - t -set.

Proof

- Let A be a $**b$ - t -set. Therefore $Int(**bCl(A)) \subseteq Int(A)$

$Int(**bCl(A)) \subseteq A$. Hence A is $**b$ -semi closed.

Conversly, If A is ****b**-semi closed.

$$\text{Then } \text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A)) \subseteq A \Rightarrow \text{Int}(\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A))) \subseteq \text{Int}(A) \Rightarrow \text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A)) \subseteq \text{Int}(A) \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Since } \text{Int}(A) \subseteq \text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A)) \quad (2)$$

From (1) & (2), $\text{Int}(A)=\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A)) \Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**-t-set.

- Let A be a ****b**-closed set. Then $A=\text{**bCl}(A) \Rightarrow \text{Int}(A)=\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A)) \Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**-t-set.
- Let A and B be ****b**-t-sets. Since $A \cap B \subseteq \text{**bCl}(A \cap B)$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Int}(A \cap B) \subseteq \text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A \cap B)) \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A \cap B)) \subseteq \text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A) \cap \text{**bCl}(B)) = \text{Int}(A) \cap \text{Int}(B) = \text{Int}(A \cap B) \quad (2)$$

From (1) & (2), $\text{Int}(A \cap B)=\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A \cap B)) \Rightarrow A \cap B$ is a ****b**-t-set.

Theorem 4.9: For a subset A of a space (X, τ) , the following properties hold:

- If A is t-set then it is ****b**-t-set.
- If A is ****b**-t-set then it is ****b**-B-set.
- If A is B-set then it is ****b**-B-set.

Proof

- Let A be a t-set. Then $\text{Int}(A)=\text{Int}(\text{Cl}(A)) \Rightarrow A$ is closed.
Since every closed set is ****b**-closed. $\Rightarrow \text{Int}(A)=\text{Int}(\text{**bCl}(A))$. Hence A is a ****b**-t-set.
- Let A be a ****b**-t-set. Let $U \in \tau$ be an open set containing A & $V=A$ be a ****b**-t-set containing A. $\Rightarrow A=U \cap V \Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**-B-set.
- Let A be a B-set. Then $A=U \cap V$ where $U \in \tau$ and V is a t-set. Since every t-set is a ****b**-t-set. $\Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**-B-set.

Theorem 4.10: For a subset A of a space (X, τ) , the following properties hold:

- If A is a t^* -set then it is ****b**- t^* -set.
- If A is a ****b**- t^* -set then it is ****b**- B^* -set.
- If A is a B^* -set then it is ****b**- B^* -set.

Proof

- Let A be a t^* -set. Then $\text{Cl}(A)=\text{Cl}(\text{Int}(A))$. $\Rightarrow A$ is open.
Since every open set is ****b**-open. $\Rightarrow \text{Cl}(A)=\text{Cl}(\text{**bInt}(A)) \Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**- t^* -set.
- Let A be a ****b**- t^* -set. Let $U \in \tau$ be an open set containing A & $V=A$ be a ****b**- t^* -set containing A. $\Rightarrow A=U \cap V \Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**- B^* -set.
- Let A be a B^* -set. Then $A=U \cap V$ where $U \in \tau$ and V is a t^* -set

Since every t^* -set is a $**b$ - t^* -set. Hence A is a $**b$ - B^* -set.

Theorem 4.11: For a subset A of a space (X, τ) , the following are equivalent:

- A is open.
- A is $**b$ -pre open and a $**b$ - B -set.

Proof

To Prove: (1) \Rightarrow (2)

Let A be open. $\Rightarrow A = \text{Int}(A)$. Since $A \subseteq **bCl(A) \Rightarrow A \subseteq \text{Int}(**bCl(A)) \Rightarrow A$ is $**b$ -pre open.

Let $U=A \in \tau$ and $V=X$ be a $**b$ - t -set containing A . $\Rightarrow A=U \cap V \Rightarrow A$ is a $**b$ - B -set.

To Prove: (2) \Rightarrow (1)

Let A be $**b$ -pre open and a $**b$ - B -set. Since A is $**b$ - B -set.

We have $A=U \cap V$, where U is an open set and $\text{Int}(V)=\text{Int}(**bCl(V))$

Since A is also $**b$ -pre open.

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow A &\subseteq \text{Int}(**bCl(A)) = \text{Int}(**bCl(U \cap V)) \\ &\subseteq \text{Int}(**bCl(U) \cap **bCl(V)) = \text{Int}(**bCl(U)) \cap \text{Int}(**bCl(V)) \\ &= \text{Int}(**bCl(U)) \cap \text{Int}(V) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $A = U \cap V \subseteq \text{Int}(**bCl(U)) \cap \text{Int}(V)$

Consider $U \cap V = (U \cap V) \cap U \subseteq [\text{Int}(**bCl(U)) \cap \text{Int}(V)] \cap U = [\text{Int}(**bCl(U)) \cap U] \cap \text{Int}(V) = U \cap \text{Int}(V)$

$\Rightarrow U \cap V \subseteq U \cap \text{Int}(V)$. Therefore $A = U \cap V = U \cap \text{Int}(V) \Rightarrow A$ is open.

Lemma 4.12: Let A be an open subset of a space X .

Then $**bCl(A) = Cl(A)$ and $\text{Int}(**bCl(A)) = \text{Int}(Cl(A))$.

Proof

Let A be an open set. Then $A = \text{Int}(A)$

$$\begin{aligned} **bCl(A) &= \alpha Cl(A) \cup \beta Cl(A) \\ &= [A \cup Cl(\text{Int}(Cl(A)))] \cup [A \cup \text{Int}(Cl(\text{Int}(A)))] = A \cup [Cl(\text{Int}(Cl(A))) \cup \text{Int}(Cl(\text{Int}(A)))] \\ &= A \cup [\text{Int}(Cl(A)) \cup Cl(\text{Int}(Cl(A)))] \\ &= A \cup Cl(\text{Int}(Cl(A))) \subseteq A \cup Cl(Cl(Cl(A))) [\because \text{Int}(Cl(A)) \subseteq Cl(Cl(A))] \\ &\subseteq A \cup Cl(A) = Cl(A) \Rightarrow **bCl(A) \subseteq Cl(A) \\ \therefore Cl(A) &\subseteq **bCl(A) \Rightarrow **bCl(A) = Cl(A) \\ \Rightarrow \text{Int}(**bCl(A)) &= \text{Int}(Cl(A)) \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 4.13: For a subset A of a space (X, τ) , the following are equivalent:

- A is regular open.
- $A = Int(**bCl(A))$
- A is ****b**-pre open and a ****b**-t-set.

Proof

To prove: (1) \Rightarrow (2)

Let A be regular open. $\Rightarrow A = Int(Cl(A))$ (1)

By lemma 4.12, $**bCl(A) = Cl(A) \Rightarrow Int(**bCl(A)) = Int(Cl(A))$

$\Rightarrow Int(**bCl(A)) = A$ [From (1)] $\Rightarrow A = Int(**bCl(A))$

To prove: (2) \Rightarrow (3)

Given $A = Int(**bCl(A))$ (2)

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq Int(**bCl(A)) \ \& \ Int(**bCl(A)) \subseteq A \Rightarrow A$ is ****b**-pre open.

From(2),

$Int(A) = Int(Int(**bCl(A))) \Rightarrow Int(A) = Int(**bCl(A))$

$\Rightarrow A$ is a ****b**-t-set.

To prove: (3) \Rightarrow (1)

Let A be ****b**-pre open and a ****b**-t-set. Since A is ****b**-pre open.

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq Int(**bCl(A))$ (3)

Since A is a ****b**-t-set. $\Rightarrow Int(A) = Int(**bCl(A))$ (4)

From (3) & (4), $A \subseteq Int(**bCl(A)) = Int(A) \subseteq A \Rightarrow A \subseteq Int(**bCl(A)) \subseteq A$

$\Rightarrow A = Int(**bCl(A))$

$\Rightarrow A = Int(Cl(A))$ [Since A is open]

$\Rightarrow A$ is regular open.

Definition 4.14: A subset A of a topological space X is called **s-****b**-generalized closed** if $s(**bCl(A)) \subseteq U$

Whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is ****b**-pre open.

- $s(**bCl(A))$ is the intersection of all ****b**-semi closed sets containing A .

Example 4.15

Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$

$$\tau = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$$

The collection of s- $**b$ -generalized closed sets =

$$\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$$

Theorem 4.16: For a subset A of a topological space X , the following are equivalent:

- A is regular open.
- A is $**b$ -pre open and s- $**b$ -generalized.

Proof

To prove: (1) \Rightarrow (2)

Let A be regular open.

$$\Rightarrow A \text{ is } **b\text{-pre open [By Proposition 4.13]}$$

$$\Rightarrow A \subseteq \text{Int}(**bCl(A))$$

$$s(**bCl(A)) = A \cup \text{Int}(**bCl(A))$$

$$= \text{Int}(**bCl(A))$$

$$= \text{Int}(Cl(A)) = A [\because A \text{ is regular open}]$$

$$\Rightarrow s(**bCl(A)) = A$$

$$\Rightarrow A \text{ is s-}**b\text{-generalized closed.}$$

To prove: (2) \Rightarrow (1)

Let A be $**b$ -pre open and s- $**b$ -generalized closed.

To prove: A is regular open.

Since A is $**b$ -pre open.

Let $U = A$

$$\Rightarrow s(**bCl(A)) \subseteq A \tag{1}$$

$$\text{Since } A \subseteq s(**bCl(A)) \tag{2}$$

From (1) & (2)

$$A = s(**bCl(A))$$

$\Rightarrow A$ is ****b**-semi closed.

Therefore $Int(**bCl(A)) \subseteq A$ (3)

Since A is ****b**-pre open.

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq Int(**bCl(A))$ (4)

From (3) & (4)

$A = Int(**bCl(A))$

$\Rightarrow A$ is regular open.

Theorem 4.17: A set A is a ****b**-t-set iff its complement is a ****b**-t*-set.

Proof

Let A be a ****b**-t-set.

Then $Int(A)=Int(**bCl(A))$

$\Leftrightarrow X-Int(A)=X-Int(**bCl(A))$

$\Leftrightarrow Cl(X-A)=Cl(X- **bCl(A))$

$\Leftrightarrow Cl(X-A)=Cl(**bInt(X-A))$

$\Leftrightarrow Cl(A^c)=Cl(**bInt(A^c))$

$\Leftrightarrow A^c$ is a ****b**-t*-set.

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