
b-separation axioms and τ^{*b} –Topology

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Abstract: In this paper, the characterization of basic open sets and subbasic open sets are introduced and discussed in τ^{*b} - topology

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1. Introduction: Ideal topological spaces have been first introduced by K. Kuratowski[4] in 1930. R. Vaidyanathaswamy,[8] introduced local function in 1945 and defined a topology τ^* . Andrijevic[2] introduced a new class of b-open sets in a topological space in 1996. Pauline Mary Helen, et.al [6], introduced b-local function and obtained τ^{*b} -topology in $*b$ -finitely additive space .In this paper, the characterization of basic open sets and subbasic open sets are introduced and discussed in τ^{*b} - topology.

2. Preliminaries and definitions

Definition 2.1:[3]An ideal \mathcal{I} on a nonempty set X is a collection of subsets of X which satisfies the following properties:(i) $A \in \mathcal{I}$ and $B \subseteq A$ implies $B \in \mathcal{I}$ (ii) $A \in \mathcal{I}$ and $B \in \mathcal{I}$ implies $A \cup B \in \mathcal{I}$

Definition 2.2:[3] A topological space (X, τ) with an ideal \mathcal{I} on X is called an ideal topological space and is denoted by (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) . Let Y be a subset of X . Then, $\mathcal{I}_Y = \{I \cap Y / I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is an ideal on Y and $\tau_Y = \{G \cap Y / G \in \tau\}$ is a topology on Y . By $(Y, \tau_Y, \mathcal{I}_Y)$ we denote the ideal topological subspace.

Definition 2.3:[9] Let $\mathcal{P}(X)$ be the power set of X , then a set operator $(\cdot)^*: \mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X)$, called the local function of A with respect to τ and \mathcal{I} is defined as follows: For $A \subseteq X$, $A^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau) = \{x \in X / U \cap A \notin \mathcal{I} \text{ for every open set } U \text{ containing } x\}$.

We simply write A^* instead of $A^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$ in case there is no confusion. X^* is often a proper subset of X .

Definition 2.4:[3] A Kuratowski closure operator $cl^*(\cdot)$ for a topology $\tau^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$, called the τ^* -topology is defined by $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*$. $\tau^*(\mathcal{I})$ is finer than τ and $\beta(\mathcal{I}, \tau) = \{U - I / U \in \tau, I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is a basis for $\tau^*(\mathcal{I})$.

Definition 2.5:[3] A subset A of an ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be τ^* -closed or simply τ^* -closed if $A^* \subseteq A$.

For a subset A of X , $cl(A)$ denotes the closure of A in (X, τ) . Similarly $cl^*(A)$ and $int^*(A)$ will represent the closure of A and the interior of A in (X, τ^*) respectively.

Definition 2.6:[2] A subset A of X is said to be b -open if $A \subseteq cl(int(A) \cup int(cl(A)))$. The complement of b -open set is called b -closed. The collection of all b -open sets and b -closed sets are denoted by $BO(X, \tau)$ and $BC(X, \tau)$.

Note 2.7:[2]

1. Arbitrary union of b-open sets is b-open.

2. Intersection of b-open sets need not b-open. Equivalently union of b-closed sets need not b-closed.

Definition 2.8:[6] Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X . Then $A^{*b}(\mathcal{I}, \tau) = \{x \in X / A \cap U \neq \emptyset \text{ for every } U \in \text{BO}(X, x)\}$ is called the b-local function of A with respect to \mathcal{I} and τ , where $\text{BO}(X, x) = \{U \in \text{BO}(X) / x \in U\}$. $cl^{*b}(A)$ is defined to be $A \cup A^{*b}$.

Remark 2.9:[6] Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an ideal topological space and A, B subsets of X . Then, for the b-local function, the following properties hold:

1. If $A \subset B$, then $A^{*b} \subset B^{*b}$.
2. $A^{*b} = \text{bcl}(A^{*b}) \subset \text{bcl}(A)$ and A^{*b} is b-closed in X
3. $(A^{*b})^{*b} \subseteq A^{*b}$.
4. $(A \cup B)^{*b} \subseteq A^{*b} \cup B^{*b}$.

In general $(A \cup B)^{*b} \neq A^{*b} \cup B^{*b}$.

$cl^{*b}(A)$ satisfies the following properties.

1. $cl^{*b}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$
2. $cl^{*b}(cl^{*b}(A)) = cl^{*b}(A)$
3. $cl^{*b}(A \cup B) \subseteq cl^{*b}(A) \cup cl^{*b}(B)$
4. $A \subseteq cl^{*b}(A)$

Definition 2.10:[6] An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be

- (1) $\ast b$ - finitely additive if $[\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i]^{\ast b} = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} (A_i)^{\ast b}$.
- (2) $\ast b$ -Countably additive if $[\bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i]^{\ast b} = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} (A_i)^{\ast b}$.
- (3) $\ast b$ –additive if $(\bigcup_{\alpha} A_{\alpha})^{\ast b} = \bigcup_{\alpha} (A_{\alpha})^{\ast b}$ for arbitrary collection $\{A_{\alpha}\}$.

Note 2.11: [6] In a $\ast b$ - finitely additive space,

$$cl^{\ast b}(A \cup B) = (A \cup B) \cup (A \cup B)^{\ast b} = (A \cup B) \cup (A^{\ast b} \cup B^{\ast b}) = cl^{\ast b}(A) \cup cl^{\ast b}(B)$$

If (X, τ, J) is $\ast b$ -finitely additive, then $cl^{\ast b}(A)$ satisfies the Kuratowski closure axiom.

Therefore $\tau^{\ast b} = \{A \subseteq X / cl^{\ast b}(X-A) = X-A\}$ is a topology on X .

Definition 2.12: [2] Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a map. Then, f is said to be

- (1) b -continuous if $f^{-1}(A)$ is b -open whenever A is open in Y .
- (2) b -open if $f(A)$ is b -open whenever A is open in X .
- (3) Strongly b -continuous if $f^{-1}(A)$ is open in X whenever A is b -open in Y .
- (4) b -irresolute if $f^{-1}(A)$ is b -open in X whenever A is b -open in Y .
- (5) b -resolute if $f(A)$ is b -open whenever A is b -open in X .

Definition 2.13: [7] Let $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a map. Then, f is said to be b -homeomorphism if f is a
i) bijection ii) b -irresolute iii) b -resolute.

Definition 2.14: [7] Any property of X which is entirely expressed in terms of the topology of X yields, (via the b -homeomorphism f) the corresponding property for the space Y is called a b -topological property of X .

Definition 2.15:[4] A subset Y of an ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be b -compact if for every cover $\{G_\alpha/\alpha \in \Omega\}$ of X by b -open sets G_α in X , there exist a finite subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} G_\alpha$.

Definition 2.16:[7] A topological space (X, τ) is said to be b -Lindelof if for every b -open cover $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ of X there exists a countable subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} U_\alpha$.

Definition 2.17:[8] An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} if for every open cover $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ of X there exists a countable subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} U_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$.

Definition 2.18:[7] A collection \mathcal{B} of b -open sets is said to be a b -basis for X if for every b -open set U and $x \in U$ there exist $B \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B \subseteq U$. The members of \mathcal{B} are called basic b -open sets.

Definition 2.19:[8] A topological space (X, τ) is said to be bT_0 if for any two points $x \neq y$ in X there exist b -open set G such that $x \in G, y \notin G$ or $y \in G, x \notin G$.

Definition 2.20:[8] An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be T_0 modulo \mathcal{I} if for any two points $x \neq y$ in X , there exist a open set G such that $x \in G$ and $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$ or $y \in G$ and $G \cap \{x\} \in \mathcal{I}$.

Definition 2.21:[7] A topological space (X, τ) is said to be bT_1 if for every two points $x \neq y$ in X there exist b -open sets $U, V \in \tau$ such that $x \in U \setminus V, y \in V \setminus U$. Equivalently, every singleton set is b -closed.

Definition 2.22:[8]An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be T_1 modulo \mathcal{I} if for any two points $x \neq y$ in X , there exist a open sets $U, V \in \tau$ such that $x \in U \setminus V, y \in V \setminus U$ and $U \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$ and $V \cap \{x\} \in \mathcal{I}$.

Definition 2.23:[7] A topological space (X, τ) is said to be bT_2 if for every two points $x \neq y$ in X there exist disjoint b-open sets U, V in X such that $x \in U, y \in V$.

Definition 2.24 :[8]An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be T_2 modulo \mathcal{I} if for every points $x \neq y$ in X , there exist a open sets U, V in X such that $x \in U \setminus V, y \in V \setminus U$ and $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$.

Definition 2.25:[7]A topological space (X, τ) is said to be a bT_3 space or b-regular space, if

(1) X is bT_1 space and

(2) For any b-closed subset F of X and every point $x \notin F$ there exist disjoint b-open sets G, H in X such that $x \in H, F \subseteq G$.

Definition 2.26:[8]An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be a T_3 modulo \mathcal{I} space or regular modulo an ideal space. If

(1) X is T_1 modulo \mathcal{I} and

(2) For any semi closed subset F of X and every point $x \notin F$ there exist b-open sets G, H such that $x \in H \setminus G, F \subseteq G - H$ and $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$.

Definition 2.27:[7]A topological space (X, τ) is said to be b-normal if

(1) X is semi T_1 space.

(2) For any two disjoint semi closed sets G, H in X , there exist disjoint b-open sets

U, V such that $G \subseteq U, H \subseteq V$.

Definition 2.28:[8] An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be normal modulo \mathcal{I} if

- (1) X is T_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (2) For any two disjoint closed sets G, H in X , there exists open sets U, V such that $G \subseteq U \setminus V, H \subseteq V \setminus U$ and $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$.

3. Basic open sets and sub-basic open sets in τ^{*b} Topology

Definition 3.1[7]: A topological space (X, τ) is said to be

- (1) finitely b -additive if finite union of b -closed sets is b -closed.
- (2) Countably b -additive if finite union of b -closed sets is b -closed.
- (3) b -additive if arbitrary union of b -closed sets is b -closed.

Remark 3.2[7] : b -additive \Rightarrow Countably b -additive \Rightarrow Finitely b -additive.

Example 3.3: Let (X, τ) be an infinite cofinite topological space. Then, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, A/A^c \text{ is finite}\}$, $BO(X) = \{\emptyset, X, A/A \text{ is infinite}\}$. In this space a set A is b -closed $\Leftrightarrow A^c$ is infinite.

This space is not finitely b -additive and hence it is not countably b -additive and b -additive.

Theorem 3.4: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ -additive and finitely b -additive space then $\mathcal{B} = \{V - I / V \in BO(X), I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is a basis for the topology τ^{*b} .

Proof: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is $*b$ -finitely additive then τ^{*b} is a topology. $U \in \tau^{*b} \Leftrightarrow X - U$ is τ^{*b} -closed $\Leftrightarrow (X - U)^{*b} \subseteq X - U \Leftrightarrow U \subseteq X - (X - U)^{*b} \therefore x \in U \Rightarrow x \notin (X - U)^{*b} \Rightarrow$ there exist $V \in BO(X, x)$ such that $V \cap (X - U) \in \mathcal{I}$. Let $I = V \cap (X - U)$ then $x \notin I$ which implies $x \in V - I \subseteq U$.

It is enough to prove: Intersection of two members of \mathcal{B} is again in \mathcal{B} . Let $x \in (V_1 - I_1) \cap (V_2 - I_2)$ where $V_1, V_2 \in \text{BO}(X)$ and $I_1, I_2 \in \mathcal{I}$. Then, $(V_1 - I_1) \cap (V_2 - I_2) = V_1 \cap I_1^c \cap V_2 \cap I_2^c = (V_1 \cap V_2) \cap (I_1 \cup I_2)^c = (V_1 \cap V_2) - (I_1 \cup I_2) \in \mathcal{B}$, since $V_1 \cap V_2$ is b-open and $I_1 \cup I_2 \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore \mathcal{B}$ is a basis for τ^{*b} .

Note 3.5: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ -additive and not finitely b-additive then \mathcal{B} is only a sub basis for τ^{*b} .

Example 3.6: Let (X, τ) be an infinite cofinite topological space and $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$. Then $A^{*b} = \emptyset$ for any subset A and $\text{BO}(X) = \{ \emptyset, X, \text{all infinite subsets} \}$. Therefore (X, τ) is not finitely b-additive. But $\text{cl}^{*b}(A) = A \cup A^{*b} = A$ for all $A \subseteq X$. Therefore (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ additive. So in this space \mathcal{B} need not be a subbasis for τ^{*b} .

Theorem 3.7: In (X, τ) a set is b-open if and only if it is union of b-basic open sets.

Proof: Let U be b-open. For every $x \in U$ there exist $B_x \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B_x \subseteq U$. Therefore $U = \bigcup_{x \in U} B_x$. Conversely, union of b-basic open sets is b-open, since every b-basic open set is b-open and union of b-open sets is b-open.

4.b-COMPACTNESS MODULO AN IDEAL

Definition 4.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} if for every b-open cover $\{G_\alpha / \alpha \in \Omega\}$ of X there exists a finite subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} G_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$.

Remark 4.2:

- (1) Every finite ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (2) Every b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} space is compact modulo \mathcal{I} , since every open set is b-open.

(3) Every b-compact space is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} , for any ideal \mathcal{I} since $\emptyset \in \mathcal{I}$ but not conversely as seen in the following example.

Example 4.3: Consider an infinite discrete space (X, τ) and an ideal $\mathcal{P}(X)$. In this space $\text{BO}(X) = \{\text{all subsets}\} \cdot \{\{x\}/x \in X\}$ is a b-open cover which has no finite sub cover. $\therefore (X, \tau)$ is not b-compact. On the other hand if $\{G_\alpha/\alpha \in \Omega\}$ is a b-open cover for X , and Ω_0 is any finite subset of Ω , then $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} G_\alpha \in \mathcal{P}(X)$. $\therefore (X, \tau, \mathcal{P}(X))$ is b-compact modulo $\mathcal{P}(X)$. But (X, τ) is not b-compact

Theorem 4.4: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then every b-closed subset of X is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Let A be a b-closed subset of X and $\{G_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ be a cover for A by b-open sets in X . Then $\{\{G_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}, X-A\}$ is a b-open cover for X . By the hypothesis there exist a finite sub cover such that $X - \{G_{\alpha_1} \cup \dots \cup G_{\alpha_n} \cup (X-A)\} \in \mathcal{I}$. Then $A - \{G_{\alpha_1} \cup \dots \cup G_{\alpha_n}\} \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore A$ is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 4.7: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is a bijection then \mathcal{I} is an ideal in Y , $\Leftrightarrow f^{-1}(\mathcal{I})$ is an ideal in X .

Proof: Obvious from the definition.

Theorem 4.8: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{I}))$ be a bijection. Then

- (1) X is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is b-irresolute $\Rightarrow Y$ is b-compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.
- (2) X is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is b-continuous $\Rightarrow Y$ is compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.
- (3) X is compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is strongly b-continuous $\Rightarrow Y$ is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (4) Y is b-compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$ and f is b-resolute $\Rightarrow X$ is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (5) Y is b-compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$ and f is b-open $\Rightarrow X$ is compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Let $\{G_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ be a b-open cover for Y. Since f is b-irresolute, $f^{-1}(G_\alpha)$ is b-open in X for all $\alpha \in \Omega$. $\therefore \{f^{-1}(G_\alpha)\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ is a b-open cover for X. Since X is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} , there exists a finite subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} f^{-1}(G_\alpha) \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore Y - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} (G_\alpha) \in f(\mathcal{I})$. $\therefore Y$ is b-compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.

Proof of (2) to (4) are similar.

Remark 4.9: From Theorem 4.8 (1) and (4), it follows that ‘b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} ’ is a b-topological property.

Theorem 4.10: Let \mathcal{I}_F denote the ideal of all finite subsets of X. Then (X, τ) is b-compact if and only if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}_F) is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I}_F .

Proof: Let (X, τ) be b-compact. Then by the remark 4.2(3), (X, τ, \mathcal{I}_F) is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I}_F .

Conversely let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}_F) be b-compact modulo \mathcal{I}_F . Let $\{G_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ be a b-open covering for X.

Then there exist a finite subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} (G_\alpha) \in \mathcal{I}_F$. Let $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} (G_\alpha) = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ and let $x_i \in G_{\alpha_i}$ for $i=1, 2, 3, \dots, n$. Then $X = \{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} G_\alpha\} \cup \{\bigcup_{i=1}^n G_{\alpha_i}\}$. $\therefore (X, \tau)$ is b-compact.

5. b-COUNTABLY COMPACT MODULO \mathcal{I}

Definition 5.1 : A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is said to be b-countably compact if every countable b-open covering of A has a finite sub cover.

Definition 5.2: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} if for every countable \mathcal{I} -open cover $\{G_\alpha/\alpha \in \Omega\}$ of X , there exists a finite subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} G_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$.

All the results from remark (4.2) to theorem (4.10) are true in the case when (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Remark 5.3:

- (1) \mathcal{I} -b-compact modulo \mathcal{I} implies \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} for $\varphi \in \mathcal{I}$
- (2) Every finite ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (3) Every \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} space is countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} , since every open set is \mathcal{I} -open.
- (4) Every \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact space is \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} , for any ideal \mathcal{I} since $\varphi \in \mathcal{I}$

Theorem 5.4: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then every \mathcal{I} -b-closed subset of X is \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Proof is similar to the proof of theorem (4.4)

Theorem 5.5: If $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a bijection then \mathcal{J} is an ideal in Y , $\Leftrightarrow f^{-1}(\mathcal{J})$ is an ideal in X .

Proof: Obvious from the definition.

Theorem 5.6: Let $f : (X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, \mathcal{J})$ be a bijection. Then

- (1) X is \mathcal{I} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is \mathcal{I} -irresolute $\Rightarrow Y$ is \mathcal{J} -b-countably compact modulo \mathcal{J} .

- (2) X is b -countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is b -continuous $\Rightarrow Y$ is countably compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.
- (3) X is countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} and f is strongly b -continuous $\Rightarrow Y$ is b -countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (4) Y is b -countably compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$ and f is b -resolute $\Rightarrow X$ is b -countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (5) Y is b -countably compact modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$ and f is b -open $\Rightarrow X$ is countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Proof is similar to the proof of theorem (4.8).

Remark 5.7: From (1) and (4) of theorem 5.6, it follows that ‘ b -countably compact modulo \mathcal{I} ’ is a b -topological property.

Theorem 5.8: Let \mathcal{I}_F denote the ideal of all finite subsets of X . Then (X, τ) is b -countably compact if and only if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}_F) is b -countably compact modulo \mathcal{I}_F .

Proof: Proof is similar to theorem (4.10)

6 . b -LINDELOF MODULO AN IDEAL

Definition 6.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be b -Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} if for every b -open cover $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ there exists a countable subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} U_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$.

Remark 6.2:

- (1) If (X, τ) is b -Lindelof then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} , since $\{\emptyset\} \in \mathcal{I}$.
- (2) If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -compact modulo \mathcal{I} then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} . It follows from the definition.

- (3) (X, τ) is b-Lindelof $\Leftrightarrow (X, \tau, \varphi)$ is b-Lindelof modulo $\{\varphi\}$. It follows from the definition.
- (4) If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} since every open set is b-open.

Theorem 6.3: Let \mathcal{I}_c be the ideal of countable subsets of X . Then (X, τ) is b-Lindelof \Leftrightarrow

(X, τ, \mathcal{I}_c) is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I}_c .

Proof: Proof is similar to theorem 4.10

Corollary 6.4: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}_c) is b-compact modulo \mathcal{I}_c then (X, τ) is b-Lindelof.

Proof: Follows from remark 6.2 (2) and theorem 6.5.

Theorem 6.5: A topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} if and only if every b-basic open cover $\{B_\alpha\}$ has a countable sub collection $\{B_{\alpha_i}\}$ such that $X - \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} B_{\alpha_i} \in \mathcal{I}$.

Proof: Necessity: Obvious since b-basic open sets are b-open.

Sufficiency: Let $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ be a b-open cover for X . By theorem (3.7), each U_α is a union of b-basic open sets B'_β s. So the collection of all such B'_β s is a b-basic open cover for X . By hypothesis, there exists a countable sub collection $\{B_{\beta_i} / i=1, 2, \dots\}$ such that $X - \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} B_{\beta_i} \in \mathcal{I}$.

For each set B_{β_i} in this countable collection, select a U_{α_i} which contains it. Then $\{U_{\alpha_i}\}_{i=1}^{\infty}$ is a countable sub cover of the collection $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ and $X - \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} U_{\alpha_i} \subseteq X - \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} B_{\beta_i} \in \mathcal{I}$. Therefore (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} .

Definition 6.6: A subset A of (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} if every cover

$\{U_\alpha/\alpha \in \Omega\}$ of A by b-open sets in X has a countable sub cover $\{U_{\alpha_i}\}_{i=1}^\infty$ such that $A = \bigcup_{i=1}^\infty U_{\alpha_i} \in \mathcal{I}$.

Theorem 6.7: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be b- Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then every b-closed subset of X is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Similar to proof of theorem (4.4)

Theorem 6.8: Let $f:(X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{I}))$ be a bijection. Then

- 1) X is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} and f is b-irresolute \Rightarrow Y is b-Lindelof modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.
- 2) X is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} and f is b-continuous \Rightarrow Y is Lindelof modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$.
- 3) X is Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} and f is strongly b-continuous \Rightarrow Y is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} .
- 4) Y is b-Lindelof modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$ and f is b- resolute \Rightarrow X is b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Similar to proof of theorem 4.8

Remark 6.9: From theorem 6.8(1) and (4) it follows that ‘b-Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} ’ is a b-topological property.

Theorem 6.10: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $\ast b$ additive space. Then if $(X, \tau^{\ast b}, \mathcal{I})$ is Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b- Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} . The converse is true if X is also finitely b-additive and \mathcal{I} is closed under countable union.

Proof: Necessity: Under the given hypothesis $\tau^{\ast b}$ is a topology. Let $\{U_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Omega}$ be a b-open cover for X. Since $\text{BO}(X) \subseteq \tau^{\ast b}$ and $(X, \tau^{\ast b}, \mathcal{I})$ is Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} , there exist a countable subset Ω_0 of Ω such that $X = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Omega_0} U_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$. Hence (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b- Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I} .

Sufficiency: Since (X, τ) is finitely b-additive, $\{U-I/U \in \text{BO}(X) \text{ and } I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is a basis for τ^{*b} . Let $\{U_\alpha/\alpha \in \Omega\}$ be a cover for X by basic τ^{*b} -open sets. Then $U_\alpha = G_\alpha - I_\alpha$ where $G_\alpha \in \text{BO}(X)$ and $I_\alpha \in \mathcal{I}$. Here $\{G_\alpha\}$ is a b-open cover for X . Then there exists $\{G_{\alpha_i}/i=1,2,\dots\}$ such that $X = \bigcup_{i=1}^\infty G_{\alpha_i}$. $\therefore X = \bigcup_{i=1}^\infty U_{\alpha_i} = (X - \bigcup_{i=1}^\infty G_{\alpha_i}) \cup (\bigcup_{i=1}^\infty I_{\alpha_i}) \in \mathcal{I}$. (Since \mathcal{I} is closed under countable union.) $\therefore (X, \tau^{*b}, \mathcal{I})$ is Lindelof modulo \mathcal{I}

7.bT₀ MODULO AN IDEAL OR b-KOLMOGROV MODULO AN IDEAL

Definition 7.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be bT₀ modulo \mathcal{I} if for any two points $x \neq y$ in X , there exist $G \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $x \in G$ and $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$ or $y \in G$ and $G \cap \{x\} \in \mathcal{I}$

Remark 7.2:

(1) Every T₀ space is bT₀, since every open set is b-open. Converse need not be true which follows from example (7.3)

(2) Every T₀ modulo \mathcal{I} space is bT₀ modulo \mathcal{I} , since every open set is b-open which follows from example (7.4)

(3) If (X, τ) is a bT₀ space then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT₀ modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} on X , since the open sets are b-open and $\emptyset \in \mathcal{I}$. The converse is not true.

Example 7.3: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}\}$.

Then $\text{BO}(X) = \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \emptyset, X$. Therefore (X, τ) is not T₀ but bT₀

Example 7.4: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}\}$ $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ is not T₀ modulo \mathcal{I} but it is bT₀ modulo \mathcal{I} space

Theorem 7.5: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be bT_0 modulo \mathcal{I} and \mathcal{J} an ideal in X with $\mathcal{I} \subseteq \mathcal{J}$. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Proof: It is obvious.

Theorem 7.6: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ -additive. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_0 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_0 space. The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely b -additive.

Proof: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be bT_0 modulo \mathcal{I} and $x \neq y$ be two points in X . Then there exist $G \in \mathcal{BO}(X)$ such that $x \in G$ and $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$ or $y \in G$ and $G \cap \{x\} \in \mathcal{I}$. Without loss of generality, assume that $x \in G$ and $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$. If $G \cap \{y\} = \emptyset$, put $G' = G$. If $G \cap \{y\} = \{y\}$, put $G' = G - \{y\}$. In both cases, G' is a sub basic open set in τ^{*b} topology. $\therefore G' \in \tau^{*b}$, $x \in G'$ and $y \notin G'$. $\therefore (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_0 space. Conversely, Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely b -additive and let (X, τ^{*b}) be a T_0 space and $x \neq y$ be two points in X . Then \mathcal{B} is a basis for τ^{*b} . Therefore there exist $G' = G - I \in \tau^{*b}$ such that $x \in G'$ and $y \notin G'$ or $y \in G'$ and $x \notin G'$ where $G \in \mathcal{BO}(X)$ and $I \in \mathcal{I}$. w.l.g., let $x \in G'$ and $y \notin G'$. Then $G \cap \{y\} = \{y\}$ or $\{\emptyset\}$. Suppose $G \cap \{y\} = \{\emptyset\}$, then $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$. Suppose $G \cap \{y\} = \{y\}$, then $y \in I$ which implies $\{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$. Hence, G is a b -open set containing x and $G \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 7.7: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ -additive T_0 space then (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_0 space.

Proof: It follows from the theorem (7.6) and (1) and (2) of remark (7.2). But the converse need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 7.8: Consider an infinite discrete space (X, τ) and an ideal $\mathcal{P}(X)$. Then $\tau^{*b} = \{\text{all subsets}\}$. This space is $*b$ -additive and (X, τ^{*b}) is T_0 but (X, τ) is not T_0 .

Theorem 7.9: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ -additive then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_0 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow \tau^{*b}$ closure of distinct points are distinct. The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely b -additive.

Proof: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) be bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} . By theorem (7.6), (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_0 space. If $x \neq y$ be two points in X , then there exist $U \in \tau^{*b}$ such that $x \in U$ and $y \notin U$ or $y \in U$ and $x \notin U$. w.l.g., assume that $x \in U$ and $y \notin U$. Then $y \in U^c$ which is τ^{*b} closed. $\therefore x \notin cl^{*b}(y)$ which implies $cl^{*b}(x) \neq cl^{*b}(y)$. Conversely, let $x \neq y$ imply $cl^{*b}(x) \neq cl^{*b}(y)$. $G = [cl^{*b}(y)]^c$ is τ^{*b} open. Now, $G \in \tau^{*b}$, $x \in G$ and $y \notin G$ implies that (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_0 space. By theorem (7.6), (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Theorem 7.10: Any b -homeomorphic image of bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} space is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$ where f is the corresponding b -homeomorphism.

Proof: $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{J}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{J}))$ is a b -homeomorphism. Let $y_1 \neq y_2$ be two points in Y . Then $y_1 = f(x_1)$, $y_2 = f(x_2)$ for some points $x_1 \neq x_2 \in X$. \therefore There exist $G \in \mathcal{BO}(X)$ such that $x_1 \in G$ and $G \cap \{x_2\} \in \mathcal{J}$ or $x_2 \in G$ and $G \cap \{x_1\} \in \mathcal{J}$. Then, $f(G)$ is b -open in Y . $\therefore f(x_1) \in f(G)$, $f(G) \cap f(x_2) \in f(\mathcal{J})$ or $f(x_2) \in f(G)$, $f(G) \cap f(x_1) \in f(\mathcal{J})$. $\therefore (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{J}))$ is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$.

Theorem 7.11: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{J}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{J}))$ be a bijection.

- (1) f is b -open and X is T_0 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$
- (2) f is b -resolute and X is bT_0 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$
- (3) f is b -continuous and Y is T_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .
- (4) f is b -irresolute and Y is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .
- (5) f is strongly b -continuous and Y is bT_0 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is T_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Proof: Obvious from the definition.

Note 7.11: The property of being ' bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} ' is a b -topological property as from (2) and (4) of theorem (7.11).

8.bT₁ MODULO AN IDEAL OR b-QUASI-SEPARATED MODULO AN IDEAL

Definition 8.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be bT₁ modulo \mathcal{I} if for any two points $x \neq y \in X$, there exist b-open sets $U, V \in \tau$ such that $x \in U$, $y \in V$, $U \cap \{y\} \in \mathcal{I}$ and $V \cap \{x\} \in \mathcal{I}$.

Example 8.2: Any discrete ideal topological (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT₁ modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} since all subsets are b-open.

Example 8.3: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}\}$.

Then $BO(X) = \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \emptyset, X\}$. Since $\{a\}$ is not b-closed, (X, τ) is bT₀ but it is not bT₁. So (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is not bT₁ modulo \mathcal{I} when $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset\}$.

Theorem 8.4: Every bT₁ space is bT₁ modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Obvious since $\emptyset \in \mathcal{I}$.

Theorem 8.5: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be bT₁ modulo \mathcal{J} and \mathcal{J} an ideal in X with $\mathcal{J} \subseteq \mathcal{I}$. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT₁ modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Obvious

Theorem 8.9: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely *b-additive space. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT₁ modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T₁ space. The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a finitely b-additive space.

Proof: Similar to proof of theorem (7.6).

Theorem 8.10: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely *b-additive space. Then X is bT₁ modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow$ every singleton set is τ^{*b} closed. The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is also finitely b-additive.

Proof: X is a bT₁ modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is T₁ space. (By theorem (8.9))

\Rightarrow every singleton set is τ^{*b} closed. Conversely, every singleton set is τ^{*b} closed $\Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_1 space, under the given hypothesis, (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{J} . (By theorem (8.9))

Theorem 8.11: Every space which is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{J} is bT_0 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Proof: The proof is obvious from the definition. Converse need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 8.12: In example 8.3, (X, τ, φ) is not bT_1 modulo φ but it is bT_0 modulo φ

Theorem 8.13: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) be finitely $*b$ -additive, then (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_1 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow$ every

finite subset of X is τ^{*b} -closed. Converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is also finitely b -additive.

Proof: By theorem (8.4), in a bT_1 modulo \mathcal{J} space, every singleton set is τ^{*b} closed and hence every finite subset is τ^{*b} closed since τ^{*b} is a topology. Conversely let every finite subset of X be τ^{*b} closed. Then in particular every singleton set is τ^{*b} closed. Therefore by theorem (8.10) (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Theorem 8.14: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) be finitely $*b$ -additive. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is bT_1 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow \tau^{*b}$ contains the cofinite topology for X . The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) is also finitely b -additive.

Proof: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) be bT_1 modulo \mathcal{J} and A a finite subset of X . By theorem (8.13), A is τ^{*b} closed. $\therefore A^c$ is τ^{*b} open. This shows that the complements of finite sets are τ^{*b} open and hence τ^{*b} contains the cofinite topology for X . Conversely, if τ^{*b} contains the cofinite topology for X

then for each $x \in X, X - \{x\}$ is τ^{*b} open. $\therefore \{x\}$ is τ^{*b} closed. \therefore By theorem (8.13), (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 8.15: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a finitely $*b$ -additive, finite, bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} space, then τ^{*b} is discrete topology.

Proof: By theorem (8.14), since every subset of X is τ^{*b} open and hence τ^{*b} is discrete topology.

Definition 8.16: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an ideal topological space and $A \subseteq X$. We say x is a b -

limit point of A modulo \mathcal{I} if every τ^{*b} neighborhood of x contains at least one point of A other than x .

Theorem 8.17: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ -additive, bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then x is a b -limit point of A modulo $\mathcal{I} \Leftrightarrow$ every τ^{*b} neighborhood of x contains infinitely many points of A .

Proof: If every τ^{*b} neighborhood of x contains infinitely many points of A then it contains at least one point of A other than x . $\therefore x$ is a b -limit point of A modulo \mathcal{I} . Conversely, let x be a b -limit point of A modulo \mathcal{I} . Suppose that there exist a τ^{*b} neighborhood U of x which contains only finitely many points of A , then $U \cap \{A - \{x\}\}$ is finite. Let $U \cap \{A - \{x\}\} = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$. $\therefore X - \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ is τ^{*b} open (by theorem (8.13)). $\therefore U \cap [X - \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}]$ is τ^{*b} open neighborhood of x and it does not intersect A which is a contradiction.

Theorem 8.18: Every finite subset of a finitely $*b$ -additive bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} space has no b -limit point modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: The proof follows from theorem (8.17).

Theorem 8.19: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a finitely $*b$ -additive, T_1 space then (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_1 space.

Proof: The proof follows from the theorem (8.9), since every T_1 space is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} . But, the converse is not true.

Example 8.20: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an indiscrete ideal topological space where $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$.

Then, $cl^{*b}(A) = A \quad \forall A \subseteq X$. τ^{*b} is discrete topology and hence (X, τ^{*b}) is a $*b$ -additive T_1 space. But, (X, τ) is not a T_1 space.

Theorem 8.21: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{I}))$ be a bijection.

- (1) f is b -open and X is T_1 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_1 modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$
- (2) f is b -resolute and X is bT_1 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_1 modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$
- (3) f is b -continuous and Y is T_1 modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (4) f is b -irresolute and Y is bT_1 modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (5) f is strongly b -continuous and Y is bT_1 modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is T_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Similar to the proof of theorem (7.11).

Remark 8.22: The property of being a ' bT_1 space modulo \mathcal{I} ' is a b -topological property by

(2) and (4) of theorem (8.21).

9. bT_2 Modulo an ideal or b -Hausdorff space

Definition 9.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} if for every $x \neq y \in X$, there exist b -open sets U, V in X such that $x \in U \setminus V$, $y \in V \setminus U$ and $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$.

Example 9.2: Let X be infinite set and τ -cofinite topology, $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$.

Then $BO(X) = \{ \emptyset, X, A \mid A \text{ is infinite} \}$. Let $x \neq y \in X$ and let $U = X - \{x\}$; $V = X - \{y\}$; U, V are

b -open in X , $y \in U$, $x \in V$ and $U \cap V = \{X - \{x\} \cap Y - \{y\}\} = X - \{x, y\} \in \mathcal{I} \therefore X$ is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} .

Example 9.3: In example (8.3), (X, τ, φ) is not bT_2 modulo φ .

Remark 9.4:

- (1) Every T_2 space is T_2 modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} .
- (2) A space is bT_2 space \Leftrightarrow it is bT_2 modulo $\{\varphi\}$
- (3) (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} and $\mathcal{I} \subseteq J \Rightarrow (X, \tau, J)$ is bT_2 modulo J .
- (4) (X, τ, J) is T_2 modulo $J \Rightarrow (X, \tau, J)$ is bT_2 modulo J .

Theorem 9.5: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ -additive. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_2 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_2 space. The converse is true if (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely b -additive.

Proof: Similar to the proof of theorem (8.9).

Theorem 9.10: Every bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} space is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} space.

Proof: Obvious from the definition

Example 9.11: An indiscrete space (X, τ) is not T_2 but it is bT_2 and bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I}

Theorem 9.12: Every finite subset of a finitely $*b$ -additive, bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is τ^{*b} closed.

Proof: By the theorem (9.10), (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} and by the theorem (8.9), (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_1 space and hence every singleton set is τ^{*b} -closed, since X is finitely $*b$ -additive, every finite subset is τ^{*b} -closed.

Definition 9.13:

1. A τ^{*b} -open set U containing x is called a τ^{*b} neighborhood of x .

2. Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an ideal topological space and $\{x_n\}$ a sequence in X . We say $x_n \xrightarrow{b} x$ (modulo \mathcal{I}) if for every τ^{*b} neighborhood U of x there exist positive integer N such that $x \in U$ for all $n \geq N$.

In this case we say x is b - limit modulo \mathcal{I} of the sequence $\{x_n\}$.

Theorem 9.14: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a finitely $*b$ -additive T_2 modulo \mathcal{I} space and $\{x_n\}$ a sequence in X .

If b - limit modulo \mathcal{I} of the sequence $\{x_n\}$ exists then it is unique.

Proof: Suppose that $x_n \xrightarrow{b} x$ modulo \mathcal{I} and $x_n \xrightarrow{b} y$ modulo \mathcal{I} and $x \neq y$, since X is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} there exist U, V in $BO(X)$ such that $x \in U \setminus V, y \in V \setminus U, U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$

Let $I = U \cap V$, then $V - I \in \tau^{*b}$ (since $V - I$ is a sub basic open set in τ^{*b} topology) and $U \cap (V - I) = \emptyset$. $\therefore U$ contains all the elements of $\{x_n\}$ except finite number of points. Hence,

$V - I$ contain only finite number of points of $\{x_n\}$. Therefore, it is a contradiction to the fact $x_n \xrightarrow{b} y$ modulo \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 9.15: If (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a finitely $*b$ additive, T_2 space, then (X, τ^{*b}) is a T_2 space.

Proof: Since (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ -additive, τ^{*b} is a topology. For $x \neq y \in X$, there exist

U, V in τ such that $x \in U, y \in V$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$. Since $\tau \subseteq \tau^{*b}, U, V \in \tau^{*b}$. $\therefore (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_2 space.

Remark 9.16: Converse of the above theorem need not be true as seen from the following example

Example 9.17 : Consider (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) where τ is an indiscrete topology and $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$

Then $A^{*b} = \emptyset$ for all $A \subseteq X$. $cl^{*b}(A) = A \cup A^{*b} = A$. Therefore, every subset is closed in τ^{*b}

topology. τ^{*b} is discrete topology. $\therefore (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a finitely $*b$ -additive, T_2 space. But (X, τ) is

not a T_2 space.

Theorem 9.18: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{J}) be a finitely \ast^b additive, bT_2 modulo \mathcal{J} space then ,

- (1) For each pair $x, y \in X$ there exist closed τ^{\ast^b} neighbourhood N_y of y such that $x \notin N_y$ (N_y is said to be a closed τ^{\ast^b} neighbourhood , if N_y is τ^{\ast^b} -closed and there exist a τ^{\ast^b} -open set V such that $V \subseteq N_y$)
- (2) For $x \in X$, $\{x\} = \bigcap N_x$ where the intersection is over τ^{\ast^b} closed neighbourhood N_x of x .

Proof:

- (1) X is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{J} space $\Rightarrow (X, \tau^{\ast^b})$ is a T_2 space (by theorem (9.5))

Let $x \neq y \in X$. Then there exist U, V in τ^{\ast^b} such that $x \in U, y \in V$ and $U \cap V = \emptyset$

Then, $N_y = X \setminus U$ is a τ^{\ast^b} -closed set such that $y \in V \subseteq N_y$ and $x \notin N_y$

- (2) Let $x \in X, y \neq x$. Then by (1), there exist a τ^{\ast^b} closed neighborhood N_x of x such that $y \notin N_x$

Therefore, $y \notin$ intersection of all closed τ^{\ast^b} neighborhood of x . Therefore, $\{x\} = \bigcap N_x$.

Theorem 9.19: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{J}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{J}))$ be a bijection.

- (1) f is b -open and X is T_2 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_2 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$
- (2) f is b -resolute and X is bT_2 modulo $\mathcal{J} \Rightarrow Y$ is bT_2 modulo $f(\mathcal{J})$
- (3) f is b -continuous and Y is T_2 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{J} .
- (4) f is b -irresolute and Y is bT_2 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{J} .
- (5) f is strongly b -continuous and Y is bT_2 modulo $f(\mathcal{J}) \Rightarrow X$ is T_2 modulo \mathcal{J} .

Proof: Similar to the proof of theorem (7.11).

Remark 9.20: The property of being "bT₂ modulo \mathcal{I} " is a b-topological property by (2) and (4) of theorem (9.20).

Theorem 9.21: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely b-additive, bT₂ modulo \mathcal{I} , $x \in X$ and C a b-compact subspace of X not containing x , then there exist U, V such that $V \in \text{BO}(X)$, U is a finite intersection of b-open sets such that, $x \in U$, $C \subset V$ and $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$.

Proof: For every $y \in C$, there exists $G_y, H_y \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $x \in G_y \setminus H_y$, $y \in H_y \setminus G_y$,

$G_y \cap H_y \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore \{H_y / y \in C\}$ is a b-open cover for C . Since C is b-compact there exist

H_{y_1}, \dots, H_{y_n} such that $C \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n H_{y_i}$. Let G_{y_1}, \dots, G_{y_n} be the corresponding b-

open sets containing x . Let $U = \bigcap_{i=1}^n G_{y_i}$; $V = \bigcup_{i=1}^n H_{y_i}$. Finite union of b-open sets is b-

open. $\therefore V$ is b-open. Now, $x \in V \setminus U$, $C \subseteq U \setminus V$; Put $G_{y_i} = G_i$ and $H_{y_i} = H_i$. Then, $U \cap V$

$$= (\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i) \cap (\bigcup_{i=1}^n H_i) = (G_1 \cap G_2 \cap \dots \cap G_n) \cap (H_1 \cup H_2 \cup \dots \cup H_n)$$

$$= \{(G_1 \cap G_2 \cap \dots \cap G_n) \cap H_1\} \cup \{(G_1 \cap G_2 \cap \dots \cap G_n) \cap H_2\} \cup \dots \cup$$

$$(G_1 \cap G_2 \cap \dots \cap G_n) \cap H_n\} \subseteq (G_1 \cap H_1) \cup (G_2 \cap H_2) \cup \dots \cup (G_n \cap H_n) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (G_i \cap H_i)$$

$$\in \mathcal{I}. \therefore U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}.$$

Remark 9.22: In the above theorem, suppose (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely b-additive then U in the above proof is b-open.

Theorem 9.23: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a finitely *b-additive, bT₂ modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then every b-compact subspace of X is τ^{*b} closed.

Proof: Let C be a b-compact subspace of a bT₂ modulo \mathcal{I} finitely *b-additive space X .

Claim: C is τ^{*b} closed. (i.e) To prove: C^c is τ^{*b} open. Let $x \in C^c$, by theorem (9.21), there exist U, V such that $V \in \text{BO}(X)$ and U is finite intersection of b -open sets, $x \in U \setminus V$, $C \subseteq V \setminus U$ and $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$. Let $U \cap V = I$. Now, $U \setminus I$ is a basic b -open set and hence $U \setminus I \in \tau^{*b}$. Now, $U = \bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i$ where $G_i \in \text{BO}(X)$. Now, $x \in U \setminus I \subseteq X \setminus V \subseteq X \setminus C$. $\therefore X \setminus C$ is τ^{*b} open and hence C is τ^{*b} closed.

Remark 9.24: The following example shows that, the converse of the above theorem is not true

Example 9.25: Let (X, τ) be an infinite discrete space and $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$. Then $\text{BO}(X) = \{\text{all subsets}\}$ and $\tau^{*b} = \{\text{all subsets}\}$. This space is finitely $*b$ -additive, bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} . An infinite subset B of X is τ^{*b} -closed but not b -compact since $\{\{x\}/x \in X\}$ is a b -open cover for B which has no finite sub cover.

10. bT_3 modulo an ideal or b -regular modulo an ideal

Definition 10.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be a bT_3 modulo \mathcal{I} space or b -regular modulo an ideal space, if

(1) X is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} and

(2) For any b -closed subset F of X and every point $x \notin F$ there exist $G, H \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $x \in H \setminus G$, $F \subseteq G \setminus H$ and $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$.

Note 10.2: (X, τ) is b -regular $\Leftrightarrow (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is b -regular modulo $\{\emptyset\}$.

Theorem 10.3: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a finitely $*b$ additive. Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I}

$\Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is regular. The converse need not be true.

Proof: (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_1 modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau^{*b})$ is a T_1 space. Let F be b -closed set in X and $x \notin F$, then by definition there exist $G, H \in BO(X)$ such that $F \subseteq G \setminus H$ and $x \in H \setminus G$ and $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$. Let $G \cap H = I$, Put $G' = G - I$ and $H' = H - I$, then G', H' are sub basic τ^{*b} – open sets and $F \subseteq G', x \in H'$ and $G' \cap H' = \emptyset$. Therefore, (X, τ^{*b}) is regular.

Example 10.4: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an indiscrete ideal topological space where $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$. Then τ^{*b} is discrete topology. Then $BO(X) = \{\text{All subsets}\}$. $\tau^{*b} = \{\text{All subsets}\}$. (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ additive. So, (X, τ^{*b}) is regular.

Example 10.5: Let (X, τ) be a discrete ideal topological space then $BO(X) = \mathcal{P}(X)$. Then (X, τ) is b -regular. So, (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 10.6: Every b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} space is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} . To Prove: (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} . Let $x \neq y \in X$, (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -regular modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} . Then there exists b -open sets U and V such that $x \in U \setminus V$ and $y \in V \setminus U$, $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$. $X - V$ is a b -closed set and $y \notin X \setminus V$.

Since (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} , there exists b -open sets W_1, W_2 such that $y \in W_1 \setminus W_2$, $x \in X - V \subseteq W_2 - W_1$ and $W_1 \cap W_2 \in \mathcal{I}$. Hence (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} .

Theorem 10.7: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ additive. If X is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} then given a point $x \in X$ and a b -open set U containing x , there exist b -open set V containing x such that $x \in V \subseteq cl^{*b}(V) \subseteq U$.

Proof: Let X be finitely semi $*b$ additive space. Then τ^{*b} is a topology. Let X be b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} ; Let $U \in BO(X)$ and $x \in U$. Then $F = X - U$ is b -closed and $x \notin F$. By definition, there

exist $G, H \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $F \subseteq G-H$, $x \in H \setminus G$, $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$. Let $G \cap H = I$. Put $G' = G-I$, $H' = H-I$. Then G' and H' are sub basic open sets in τ^{*b} -topology. $\therefore G'$ and $H' \in \tau^{*b}$ and $G' \cap H' = \emptyset$. Now, $x \in H' \subseteq cl^{*b}(H')$. To prove: $cl^{*b}(H') \subseteq U$. If $y \in F$ then $y \in G'$ which is disjoint from H' . $\therefore G'$ is a τ^{*b} neighborhood of y , disjoint from H' . $\therefore y \notin cl^{*b}(H')$. $\therefore F \subseteq X - cl^{*b}(H')$. $\therefore U \supseteq cl^{*b}(H')$. $\therefore x \in H' \subseteq cl^{*b}(H') \subseteq U$. Hence the proof.

Remark 10.8: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{I}))$ be a bijection.

- (1) f is b -open and X is regular modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is b -regular modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$
- (2) f is b -resolute and X is b -regular modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is b -regular modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$
- (3) f is b -continuous and Y is regular modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (4) f is b -irresolute and Y is b -regular modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (5) f is strongly b -irresolute and Y is b -regular modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is b -modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Similar to the proof of theorem (7.12).

Remark 10.9: From (2) and (3) of theorem (10.8) it follows that ' b -regular modulo \mathcal{I} ' is a b -topological property.

11. b -NORMAL MODULO AN IDEAL

Definition 11.1: An ideal topological space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is said to be b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} if

- (1) X is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (2) For any two disjoint b -closed sets G, H in X , there exist $U, V \in \text{BO}(X)$ such

that $G \subseteq U \setminus V$, $H \subseteq V \setminus U$ and $G \cap H \in \mathcal{I}$.

Example 11.2: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be a discrete ideal topological space where $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset\}$. Then

$\text{BO}(X) = \{\text{all subsets}\}$. \therefore This space is b-normal modulo \mathcal{I} .

Example 11.3: In example (8.3), (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is not bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} and hence it is not b-normal

Modulo \mathcal{I} .

Remark 11.4:

- (1) (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b-normal modulo \mathcal{I} and $\mathcal{I} \subseteq \mathcal{J} \Rightarrow (X, \tau, \mathcal{J})$ is b-normal modulo \mathcal{J} .
- (2) (X, τ) is b-normal $\Rightarrow (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is b-normal modulo \mathcal{I} for any ideal.
- (3) (X, τ) is b-normal $\Leftrightarrow (X, \tau, \emptyset)$ is b-normal modulo $\{\emptyset\}$

Theorem 11.5: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $\ast b$ additive, b-normal modulo \mathcal{I} space. Then

$(X, \tau^{\ast b})$ is normal.

Proof: By definition, (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} space. Under the given hypothesis, $\tau^{\ast b}$ is a topology and $\mathcal{B} = \{V - I \mid V \in \text{BO}(X), I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is a sub basis for the topology. By the theorem (3.6), every singleton set is $\tau^{\ast b}$ -closed. Let G, H be two disjoint b -closed sets. Then by the hypothesis there exist $U, V \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $G \subseteq U \setminus V$, $H \subseteq V \setminus U$ and $U \cap V \in \mathcal{I}$. Let $U \cap V = I$. Put $G' = U - I$ and $H' = V - I$, then G', H' are sub basic open sets in $\tau^{\ast b}$ -topology. $\therefore G' \text{ and } H' \in \tau^{\ast b}$. Now, $G \subseteq G'$, $H \subseteq H'$ and $G' \cap H' = \emptyset$. $\therefore (X, \tau^{\ast b})$ is normal.

Remark 11.6: Let $f: (X, \tau, \mathcal{I}) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, f(\mathcal{I}))$ be a bijection.

- (1) f is b-open and X is normal modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is b-normal modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$
- (2) f is b-resolute and X is b-normal modulo $\mathcal{I} \Rightarrow Y$ is b-normal modulo $f(\mathcal{I})$

- (3) f is b -continuous and Y is normal modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (4) f is b -irresolute and Y is b -normal modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (5) f is strongly b -irresolute and Y is b -normal modulo $f(\mathcal{I}) \Rightarrow X$ is normal modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Similar to the proof of theorem (7.11)

Note 11.7: The property of being ' b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} ' is b -topological property.

Theorem 11.8: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ additive, finitely b -additive, b -compact space

which is bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} . Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Let (X, τ) be b -compact and bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} . Then, X is bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} . Let G, H be disjoint b -closed sets in X . First let us prove G and H are b -compact. Let $\{A_\alpha\}$ be a b -open cover for G . Then, $\{\{A_\alpha\} / X-G\}$ is a b -open cover for X . Since X is b -compact, there exist $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ such that $X = A_{\alpha_1} \cup \dots \cup A_{\alpha_n} \cup X-G$.

Then $G = A_{\alpha_1} \cup \dots \cup A_{\alpha_n} \therefore G$ is b -compact. Similarly H is b -compact. For each $x \in G$ there exist U_x and $V_x \in \mathcal{BO}(X)$ such that $x \in U_x$; $H \subseteq V_x$ and $U_x \cap V_x \in \mathcal{I}$ (by theorem (9.21)). $\{U_x / x \in G\}$ is a b -open cover for G . Since G is b -compact there exist x_1, \dots, x_n such that $G \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n U_{x_i}$. Let $U = \bigcup_{i=1}^n U_{x_i}$ and $V = \bigcap_{i=1}^n V_{x_i}$. U and V are b -open (Since X is finitely b -additive). Then, $G \subseteq U$, $H \subseteq V$ and

$$U \cap V = \left(\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_{x_i} \right) \cap \left(\bigcap_{i=1}^n V_{x_i} \right) = \left((V_{x_1} \cap \dots \cap V_{x_n}) \cap U_{x_1} \right) \cup \dots \cup \left((V_{x_1} \cap \dots \cap V_{x_n}) \cap U_{x_n} \right) \subseteq (V_{x_1} \cup U_{x_1}) \cup \dots \cup (V_{x_n} \cap U_{x_n}) \in \mathcal{I} \therefore U \cap V \in \mathcal{I} \therefore X \text{ is } b\text{-normal modulo } \mathcal{I}.$$

Note 11.9: But converse need not be true as seen from the following example.

Example 11.10: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be an infinite discrete ideal topological space where

$\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{P}(X)$. Then $\text{BO}(X) = \{\text{all subsets}\}, \tau^{*b} = \{\text{all subsets}\} \therefore (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is finitely $*b$ additive, finitely b -additive. (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a bT_2 modulo \mathcal{I} . But it is not b -compact $\{\{x\}/x \in X\}$ is a b -open cover for X which has no finite subcover.

Theorem 11.11: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is finitely $*b$ additive space. Then if X is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} then given a b -closed set A and a b -open set U containing A , there exist a b -open set G containing A , such that $A \subseteq G \subseteq cl^{*b} G \subseteq U$.

Proof: Under the given hypothesis, τ^{*b} is a topology and $\mathcal{B} = \{V-I/V \in \text{BO}(X), I \in \mathcal{I}\}$ is a sub basis for τ^{*b} . A and $X-U$ are two disjoint τ^{*b} -closed sets. Since X is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} there exist V and $W \in \text{BO}(X)$ such that $A \subseteq V \setminus W$, $X \setminus U \subseteq W \setminus V$ and $V \cap W = I \in \mathcal{I}$. Put $G = V-I$ and $H = W-I$. Then G and H are sub basic open sets and hence G and H are in τ^{*b} . Now, $A \subseteq G$ and $X-U \subseteq H$ and $G \cap H = \emptyset$. $\therefore G \subseteq X-H \subseteq U$. $X-H$ is τ^{*b} -closed.

$\therefore cl^{*b}(X-H) = X-H$. $A \subseteq G \subseteq cl^{*b}(G) \subseteq X-H \subseteq U$. Hence the proof.

Theorem 11.12: Let (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) be finitely $*b$ additive space with the following conditions.

- (1) $\tau^{*b} = \text{BO}(X)$.
- (2) (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is a bT_1 modulo \mathcal{I} .
- (3) Given a b -closed set A and a b -open set U containing A , there exist a b -open set G containing A , such that $A \subseteq G \subseteq cl^{*s} G \subseteq U$.

Then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is b -normal modulo \mathcal{I} .

Proof: Let A and B be two disjoint b -closed sets in X . Then $U = X-B$ is a b -open set containing A . By the hypothesis, there exist a b -open set G such that $A \subseteq G \subseteq cl^{*b} G \subseteq U$ since $\tau^{*b} = \text{BO}(X)$, G

and $H = X - cl^{*b}G$ are b-open. Now, $A \subseteq G$, $B \subseteq H$ and $G \cap H = \emptyset \in \mathcal{I}$. $\therefore (X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ is b-normal modulo \mathcal{I} .

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