

Separation Axioms and $ij - \alpha$ - Open Sets in Bitopological Spaces

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Abstract :

In this paper, we study especial cases of separation axioms in bitopological spaces by considering $ij - \alpha$ - open sets , we prove some results about them comparing with similar cases in topological spaces .

1.Introduction :

The study of bitopological spaces was initiated by Kelly , J . C . [3] . A triple (G, τ_1, τ_2) is called bitopological space if (G, τ_1) and (G, τ_2) are two topological spaces. α - open (resp . β - open) set in topological space defined by Njastad , O . (1965) [6] is as follows : A subset A of a topological space (G, τ) is said to be α - open (resp . β - open) set if $A \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)))$ (resp . $A \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(A)))$) , and the family of all α - open (resp . β - open) sets of G is denoted by $\alpha . O(G)$ (resp . $\beta . O(G)$) .

$ij - \alpha$ - open set in bitopological space defined by Jelic , M . (1990) [2] ; Kumar Sampath , S . (1997) [4] ; Nasef , A . A .and Noiri , T . (1998) [5] is as follows : A subset A of a bitopological space (G, τ_1, τ_2) is called $ij - \alpha$ - open set if $A \subseteq i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(i - \text{int}(A)))$, and the family of all $ij - \alpha$ - open sets of G is denoted by $ij - \alpha . O(G)$, where $i \neq j$; $i, j = 1, 2$.

In this paper we first (in section 2) introduce a comparable studying between $ij - \alpha$ - open sets , and then (in section 3) we study especial case of separation axioms in bitopological spaces in the sense of $ij - \alpha$ - open sets .

2. ij - α - Open Sets :

This section deals with the main definitions ij - α - open and ij - α - closed . It also presents a general study of the notions ij - α - neighborhood and ij - α - closure as well as some theorems and properties that are included throughout the work .

Definition 2.1 : [2]

A subset A of a bitopological space (G, τ_1, τ_2) is called ij - α - open set if $A \subseteq i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(i - \text{int}(A)))$, and the family of all ij - α - open sets of G is denoted by $ij - \alpha.O(G)$, where $i \neq j$; $i, j = 1, 2$.

Example 2.2 :

Let $G = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{G, \phi, \{a\}\}$, and $\tau_2 = \{G, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$.

(G, τ_1) and (G, τ_2) are two topological spaces, then (G, τ_1, τ_2) is a bitopological space .The family of all 12 - α - open sets and 21 - α - open sets of G are :

$$12 - \alpha.O(G) = 21 - \alpha.O(G) = \{G, \phi, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\} .$$

If we put $A = \{a\}$, then $\tau_1 - \text{int}(\{a\}) = \{a\}$, $\tau_2 - \text{cl}(\tau_1 - \text{int}(\{a\})) = G$, so

$$\tau_1 - \text{int}(\tau_2 - \text{cl}(\tau_1 - \text{int}(\{a\}))) = \tau_1 - \text{int}(G) = G, \text{ there fore}$$

$$A \subseteq \tau_1 - \text{int}(\tau_2 - \text{cl}(\tau_1 - \text{int}(A))) .$$

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$$A \subseteq \tau_2 - \text{int}(\tau_1 - \text{cl}(\tau_2 - \text{int}(A))) .$$

Hence $A = \{a\}$ is 12 - α - open set and 21 - α - open set in (G, τ_1, τ_2) .

In general in any bitopological space, G and ϕ are clearly ij - α - open sets for $i, j \in \{1, 2\}$.

Remark 2.3 :

In general $12 - \alpha.O(G) \neq 21 - \alpha.O(G)$ as in the following example .

Example 2.4 :

Let $G = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau_1 = \{G, \phi, \{a\}\}$, and $\tau_2 = \{G, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$.

(G, τ_1) and (G, τ_2) are two topological spaces , then (G, τ_1, τ_2) is a bitopological space , it is easy to see that $\{a\}$ is a $12 - \alpha$ - open set but not $21 - \alpha$ - open set .

The following lemma will give an equivalent definition of $ij - \alpha$ - open sets .

Lemma 2.5 :

A subset A of a bitopological space (G, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij - \alpha$ - open set iff there exist $B \in \tau_i$ such that $B \subseteq A \subseteq i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(B))$.

Proof :

See [1] .

Lemma 2.6 :

$$i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(A)))) = i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(A)) .$$

Proof :

See [1] .

Lemma 2.7 :

If B is $ij - \alpha$ - open set and $B \subseteq A \subseteq i - \text{int}(j - \text{cl}(B))$, then A is also $ij - \alpha$ - open set .

Proof :

See [1] .

Lemma 2.8 :

Every τ_i - open set is $ij - \alpha$ - open set , but the converse is not true .

Proof :

See [1] .

But the converse is not true as in the following example .

Example 2.9 :

In example (2.2) , $\{a, c\}$ is a $12 - \alpha$ - open set but not τ_1 - open set .

Remark 2.10 :

The intersection of any two $ij - \alpha$ - open sets is not necessary $ij - \alpha$ - open set as in the following example .

Example 2.11 :

Let $G = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau_1 = \{G, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$,
 $\tau_2 = \{G, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}\}$.

(G, τ_1) , (G, τ_2) are two topological spaces , then (G, τ_1, τ_2) is a bitopological space .

Hence $\{a, c\}$ and $\{b, c\}$ are two $12 - \alpha$ - open sets ,

but $\{a, c\} \cap \{b, c\} = \{c\}$ is not $12 - \alpha$ - open set .

Proposition 2.12 :

The union of any family of $ij - \alpha$ - open sets is $ij - \alpha$ - open set .

Proof :

See [1] .

Definition 2.13 : [4]

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space A subset A of G is called $ij - \alpha$ - closed set of G iff the complement of A is $ij - \alpha$ - open set of G , and the family of all $ij - \alpha$ - closed sets of G is denoted by $ij - \alpha.C(G)$.

Remark 2.14 :

The intersection of any family of $ij - \alpha$ - closed sets is $ij - \alpha$ - closed set . By proposition (2.12) .

Definition 2.15 :

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space , and let $g \in G$. A subset N of G is said to be $ij - \alpha$ - nhd of a point g iff there exists a $ij - \alpha$ - open set U such that $g \in U \subseteq N$. The set of all $ij - \alpha$ - nhds of a point g is denoted by $ij - \alpha - N(g)$.

Lemma 2.16 :

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and let $g \in G$. Then every τ_i - nhd of g is $ij - \alpha$ - nhd of g .

Proof :

See [1] .

But the converse is not true as in the following example .

Example 2.17 :

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be the same bitopological space of example (2.2) we have

$$12-\alpha-N(a) = 21-\alpha-N(a) = \{G, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\},$$

$$12-\alpha-N(b) = 21-\alpha-N(b) = \{G, \{a, b\}\},$$

$$12-\alpha-N(c) = 21-\alpha-N(c) = \{G, \{a, c\}\}, \text{ and}$$

$$\tau_1-N(a) = \{G, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\},$$

$$\tau_1-N(b) = \{G\},$$

$$\tau_1-N(c) = \{G\};$$

$$\tau_2-N(a) = \{G, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\},$$

$$\tau_2-N(b) = \{G, \{a, b\}\},$$

$$\tau_2-N(c) = \{G\}.$$

Clearly $12-\alpha-N(c)$ is not equal to $\tau_1-N(c)$.

Proposition 2.18 :

$B \in ij-\alpha.O(G)$ iff B is an $ij-\alpha$ -nhd of each of its points .

Proof:

See [1] .

Definition 2.19 : [4]

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and $A \subseteq G$, the intersection of all $ij-\alpha$ -closed sets containing A is called $ij-\alpha$ -closure of A , and is denoted by $ij-\alpha-cl(A)$; i.e $ij-\alpha-cl(A) = \bigcap \{B \subseteq G : B \text{ is } ij-\alpha\text{-closed set, } A \subseteq B\}$.

Example 2.20 :

By example (2.2), the family of all $12-\alpha$ -closed sets and $21-\alpha$ -closed sets of G are : $12-\alpha.C(G) = 21-\alpha.C(G) = \{G, \phi, \{b, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$.

If we take $A = \{b, c\}$, then $12-\alpha-cl(A) = 21-\alpha-cl(A) = G \cap \{b, c\} = \{b, c\}$.

Theorem 2.21 :

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space , and let $A \subseteq G$, then :

- (i) $ij - \alpha - cl(A)$ is the smallest $ij - \alpha$ - closed set containing A .
- (ii) A is $ij - \alpha$ - closed set iff $ij - \alpha - cl(A) = A$.

Proof :

See [1].

3.Separation Axioms in Bitopological Spaces :

In this section $ij - \alpha - T_0$, $ij - \alpha - T_1$, $ij - \alpha - T_2$, $ij - \alpha$ - normal , $ij - \alpha$ - regular , $ij - \alpha - T_3$ and $ij - \alpha - T_4$ spaces are introduced , with several properties .

Definition 3.1 :

Let G be a bitopological space . Then G is called :

- (i) $ij - \alpha - T_0$ - space iff for each pair of distinct points in G , there exists an $ij - \alpha$ - open set in G containing one and not the other .
- (ii) $ij - \alpha - T_1$ - space iff for each pair of distinct points g and h , there exists an $ij - \alpha$ - open sets U and V containing g and h respectively such that $h \notin U$ and $g \notin V$.
- (iii) $ij - \alpha - T_2$ - space ($ij - \alpha$ - Hausdorff space) iff for each pair of distinct points g and h , there exist disjoint $ij - \alpha$ - open sets A and B in G such that $g \in A$ and $h \in B$.
- (iv) $ij - \alpha$ - regular space iff for each $ij - \alpha$ - closed set A and for each $g \notin A$, there exist disjoint $ij - \alpha$ - open sets U and V such that $g \in U$ and $A \subseteq V$.
- (v) $ij - \alpha$ - normal space iff for each pair of disjoint $ij - \alpha$ - closed sets A and B , there exist disjoint $ij - \alpha$ - open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.
- (vi) $ij - \alpha - T_3$ - space iff it is $ij - \alpha - T_1$ and $ij - \alpha$ - regular .
- (vii) $ij - \alpha - T_4$ - space iff it is $ij - \alpha - T_1$ and $ij - \alpha$ - normal .

Theorem 3.2 :

Every subspace of $ij - \alpha - T_k$ - space is $ij - \alpha - T_k$ - space , that is property is hereditary , where $k = 0,1,2$.

Remark 3.3 :

Every $ij - \alpha - T_1$ - space is $ij - \alpha - T_0$ - space , but the converse is not true as the following example .

Example 3.4 :

By example (2.2) , if we take a and b , $a \neq b$, then we can not find two $12 - \alpha$ - open sets , such that one of them contains a but not b and the other contains b but not a . There fore (G, τ_1, τ_2) is not $12 - \alpha - T_1$ - space , but it is clear that (G, τ_1, τ_2) is $12 - \alpha - T_0$ - space .

Proposition 3.5 :

A bitopological space (G, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij - \alpha - T_1$ - space iff a singleton subset $\{g\}$ of G is $ij - \alpha$ - closed .

Proof :

See [1] .

Remark 3.6 :

Every $ij - \alpha - T_2$ - space is $ij - \alpha - T_1$ - space , but the converse is not true as the following example .

Example 3.7 :

Let $\tau_1 = \tau_2 =$ the co-finite topology on an infinite set G . There fore (G, τ_1, τ_2) is not $12 - \alpha - T_2$ - space , but it is clear that (G, τ_1, τ_2) is $12 - \alpha - T_1$ - space .

Corollary 3.8 :

Each singleton subset of $ij - \alpha - T_2$ - space is $ij - \alpha$ - closed .

Proof :

By proposition (3.5) and remark (3.6) .

Theorem 3.10 :

The property of a space being $ij-\alpha$ - regular space is hereditary .

Proof :

See [1] .

Theorem 3.11 :

Let (G, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space , then (G, τ_1, τ_2) is $ij-\alpha$ - regular space iff for each $ij-\alpha$ - open set U and $g \in U$, there exists $ij-\alpha$ - open set V such that $g \in V$, $ij-\alpha - cl(V) \subseteq U$.

Proof :

See [1] .

Theorem 3.12 :

Every $ij-\alpha$ - closed subspace of $ij-\alpha$ - normal space is $ij-\alpha$ - normal space .

Proof :

See [1] .

Theorem 3.13 :

The property of a space being $ij-\alpha - T_3$ - space is hereditary .

Proof :

See [1] .

Remark 3.14 :

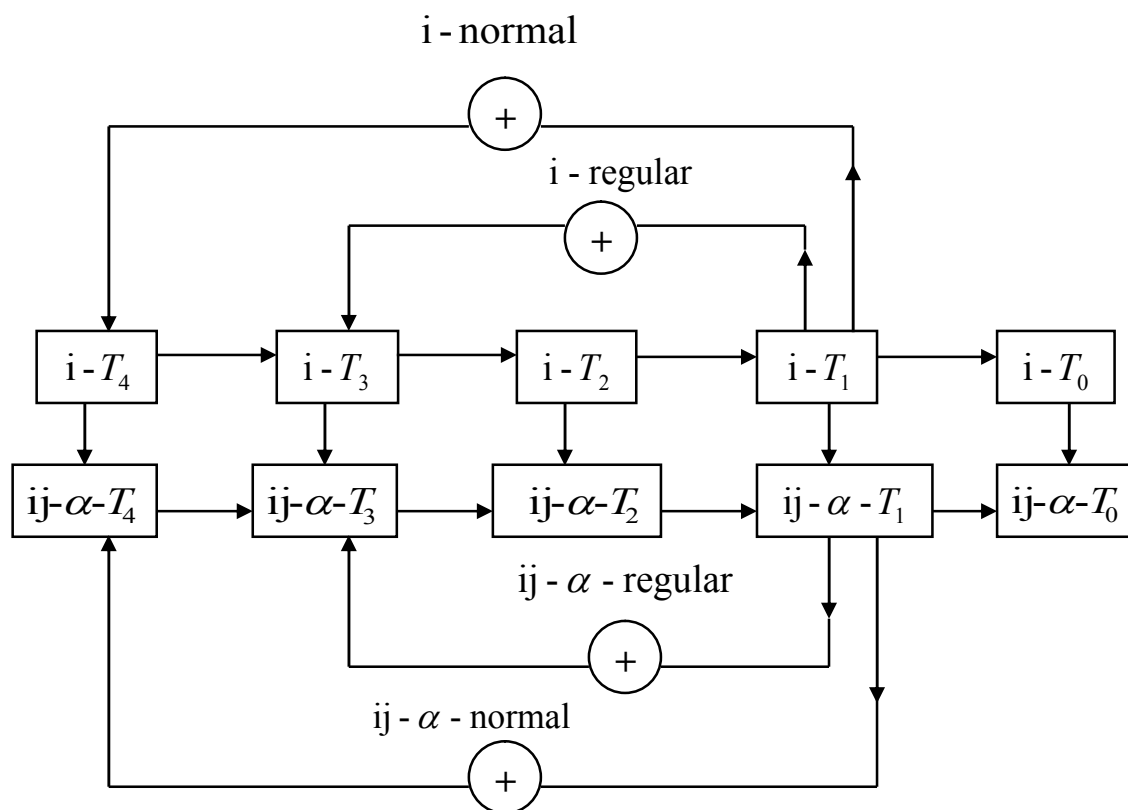
Every $ij-\alpha - T_3$ - space is $ij-\alpha - T_2$ - space , but the converse is not true .

Remark 3.15 :

Every $ij-\alpha - T_4$ - space is $ij-\alpha - T_3$ - space , but the converse is not true .

Remark 3.16 :

The following diagram shows the relations between $i - T_0, i - T_1, i - T_2, i - T_3, i - T_4, ij - \alpha - T_0, ij - \alpha - T_1, ij - \alpha - T_2, ij - \alpha - T_3$ and $ij - \alpha - T_4$ spaces :



And no other relations hold between them .

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