

## $f\tau^*g^*$ Semi-closed Sets in Fine-Topological Spaces

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### ABSTRACT

*Powar P. L. and Rajak K. have introduced fine-topological space which is a special case of generalized topological space. In this paper, we introduce a new class of sets called  $f\tau^*g^*$  semi-closed sets and fine-generalized star semi-open sets in fine-topological spaces and study some of their properties.*

**KEYWORDS.** – *Fine-open sets, fine-closed sets,  $f\tau^*g^*$  Semi-closed Sets.*

### 1. Introduction

In 1970, Levine [3, 4] introduced the concept of generalized closed sets and semi open sets in topological spaces and studied most fundamental properties. Dunham [2] introduced the concept of closure operator  $cl^*$ , a new topology  $\tau^*$  and studied some of their properties. Arya [1] introduced and investigated generalized semi closed sets in topological spaces. Pushpalatha et al. [10] introduced a new generalization of closed set in the weaker topological space  $(X, \tau^*)$ .

Powar P. L. and Rajak K. [9], have investigated a special case of generalized topological space called fine topological space. In this space, the authors have defined a new class of open sets namely fine-open sets which contains all  $\alpha$  –open sets,  $\beta$  –open sets, semi-open sets, pre-open sets, regular open sets etc.. By using these fine-open sets they have defined fine-irresolute mappings which includes pre-continuous functions, semi-continuous function,  $\alpha$  –continuous function,  $\beta$  –continuous functions,  $\alpha$  –irresolute functions,  $\beta$  –irresolute functions, etc (cf. [5]-[8]).

The aim of this paper is to introduce the concepts of  $f\tau^*g^*s$  –closed sets in the fine topological space  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$ .

### 2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper  $X$  and  $Y$  are topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise explicitly stated. For a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $X$ ,  $int(A)$ ,  $int^*(A)$ ,  $cl(A)$ ,  $cl^*(A)$ ,  $scl^*(A)$  and  $A^c$  denote the interior, interior  $^*$ , closure, closure  $^*$ , semiclosure and complement of  $A$  respectively.

Let us recall the following definition which we shall require later.

**Definition 2.1.** [3] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called generalized closed set (briefly,  $g$ -closed) if  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is open in  $X$ .

**Remark 2.2.** [2] For a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ , the generalized closure of  $A$  denoted by  $cl^*(A)$  is defined as the intersection of all  $g$ -closed sets containing  $A$ .

**Definition 2.3.** [3] Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. Then the collection  $\{G : cl^*(G^c) = (G^c)\}$  is a topology on  $X$  and is denoted as  $\tau^*$  that is  $\tau^* = \{G : cl^*(G^c) = (G^c)\}$ .

**Remark 2.4.** For a subset A of X

$$Cl^*(A) = \cap \{K : K \supset A; K^c \in \tau^*\},$$

$$int^*(A) = \cup \{G : G \subset A; G \in \tau^*\}$$

**Definition 2.5.** A subset A of a topological space X is said to be  $\tau^*$ -semi-closed-set (briefly  $\tau^*$ s-closed) if  $int^*(cl^*(A)) \subseteq A$ . The complement of a  $\tau^*$ s-closed set is called  $\tau^*$ -semi-open set (briefly,  $\tau^*$ s-open).

**Definition 2.6.** For a subset A of a topological space  $(X, \tau^*)$ , the generalized semi closure of A denoted as  $scl^*(A)$  is defined as the intersection of all semi-closed sets in  $\tau^*$  containing A.

**Definition 2.7** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space we define

$\tau(A_\alpha) = \tau_\alpha$  (say)  $= \{G_\alpha (\neq X) : G_\alpha \cap A_\alpha = \phi, \text{ for } A_\alpha \in \tau \text{ and } A_\alpha \neq \phi, X, \text{ for some } \alpha \in J, \text{ where } J \text{ is the index set.}\}$   
Now, we define

$$\tau_f = \{\phi, X, \cup_{\{\alpha \in J\}} \{\tau_\alpha\}\}$$

The above collection  $\tau_f$  of subsets of X is called the fine collection of subsets of X and  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$  is said to be the fine space X generated by the topology  $\tau$  on X (cf. [10]).

**Definition 2.8** A subset U of a fine space X is said to be a fine-open set of X, if U belongs to the collection  $\tau_f$  and the complement of every fine-open sets of X is called the fine-closed sets of X and we denote the collection by  $F_f$  (cf. [10]).

**Definition 2.9** Let A be a subset of a fine space X, we say that a point  $x \in X$  is a fine limit point of A if every fine-open set of X containing x must contains at least one point of A other than x (cf. [10]).

**Definition 2.10** Let A be the subset of a fine space X, the fine interior of A is defined as the union of all fine-open sets contained in the set A i.e. the largest fine-open set contained in the set A and is denoted by  $f_{int}$  (cf. [10]).

**Definition 2.11** Let A be the subset of a fine space X, the fine closure of A is defined as the intersection of all fine-closed sets containing the set A i.e. the smallest fine-closed set containing the set A and is denoted by  $f_{cl}$  (cf. [10]).

**Definition 2.12** A function  $f : (X, \tau, \tau_f) \rightarrow (Y, \tau', \tau'_f)$  is called fine-irresolute (or f-irresolute) if  $f^{-1}(V)$  is fine-open in X for every fine-open set V of Y (cf. [10]).

### 3. Generalized star semi-closed sets in topological spaces

In this section, we introduce the concept of  $f\tau^*$ -generalized star-semi-closed sets in fine- topological spaces.

**Definition 3.1.** A subset A of a fine-topological space  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$  is called fine-generalized closed set (briefly, fg-closed) if  $f_{cl}(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is fine-open in X.

**Definition 3.2** For a subset A of a fine - topological space  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$ , the fine-generalized closure of A denoted by  $f_{cl}^*(A)$  is defined as the intersection of all fg-closed sets containing A.

**Definition 3.3** Let  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$  be a topological space. Then the collection  $\{G : f_{cl}^*(G^c) = (G^c)$  is a fine-topology on X and is denoted as  $\tau_f^*$  that is  $\tau_f^* = \{G : f_{cl}^*(G^c) = (G^c)$ .

**Definition 3.4** For a subset A of X

$$f_{cl}^*(A) = \cap \{K : K \supset A; K^c \in f\tau^*\},$$

$$f_{int}^*(A) = \cup \{G : G \subset A; G \in f\tau^*\}$$

**Definition 3.5** A subset A of a fine-topological space X is said to be  $\tau^*$ -semi-closed-set (briefly  $\tau^*$ s-closed) if  $f_{int}^*(f_{cl}^*(A)) \subseteq A$ . The complement of a  $\tau_f^*$ s-closed set is called  $\tau_f^*$ -semi-open set (briefly,  $f\tau^*$ s-open).

Example

**Definition 3.6** For a subset A of a fine-topological space  $(X, \tau, \tau_f)$ , the fine-generalized semi closure of A denoted as  $f_{scl}^*(A)$  is defined as the intersection of all fine-semi-closed sets in  $\tau_f^*$  containing A.

**Definition 3.7** A subset A of a fine-topological space X is said to be  $\tau_f^*$ -generalized star-semi-closed (briefly  $f\tau^*$ -g\*s-closed) set if  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq G$  and G is  $f\tau^*$ -semi-open.

The complement of a  $f\tau^*$ -g\*s-closed set is called as  $f\tau^*$ -g\*s -open.

**Example 3.8** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with the topology  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{b\}\}$ ,  $\tau_f = \{\phi, X, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ . It can be easily check that  $\tau_f^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b\}\}$ .

**Remark 3.9** It can be easily check that  $\tau_f^*$  is a topology on X.

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**Example 3.10** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with the topology  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\tau_f = \{\phi, X, \{b\}, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}\}$ . It can be easily check that  $\tau_f^* = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{a\}$  and  $B = \{a, b\}$ , it may be observe that  $f_{cl}^*(A) = \{a, c\}$  and  $f_{int}^*(B) = \{a, b\}$ .

**Theorem 3.11** Every fine-closed set in  $X$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be a closed set. Let  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -semi-open. Since  $A$  is fine-closed,  $f_{cl}(A) = A \subseteq G$ . But  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq f_{cl}(A)$ . Hence we have  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*$ -semi-open. Therefore,  $A$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

**Theorem 3.12** Every  $f\tau^*$ -closed set in  $X$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be a  $f\tau^*$ -closed set. Let  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*$ -semi-open. Since  $A$  is  $f\tau^*$ -closed,  $f_{cl}(A) = A \subseteq G$ . But  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq G$ . Hence we have  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*$ -semi-open. Therefore  $A$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

**Theorem 3.13** Every  $f\tau^*g$ -closed set in  $X$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

**Proof.** Let  $A$  be a  $f\tau^*g$ -closed set. Let  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*$ -semi-open. Since  $A$  is  $f\tau^*g$ -closed,  $f_{cl}(A) = A \subseteq G$ . But  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq f_{cl}^*(A)$ . Thus we have  $f_{scl}^*(A) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $f\tau^*g$ -semi-open. Therefore  $A$  is  $f\tau^*g^*$ s -closed.

The converse of the above Theorem need not be true as seen from the following example.

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