

APPLICATIONS OF \hat{g}^{**} -CLOSED SETS IN
TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract: Topology is the branch of Mathematics which was introduced by Johann Benedict Listing in 19th century and its purpose is to investigate the ideas of continuity, within the frame work of Mathematics. The authors introduces a new class of sets namely, \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed sets [1]. We define \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed sets by "A subset of a topological space (X, τ) is called a \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed sets if $scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is \hat{g}^{**} -open" [1]. In this paper using the concept of \hat{g}^{**} -closure, \hat{g}^{**} -interior, \hat{g}^{**} -s-border, \hat{g}^{**} -s-frontier and \hat{g}^{**} -s-exterior and studied some of its properties.

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1. Introduction

Topology was introduced by Listing in 19th century. In 1963 and 1970 Norman Levine introduced the classes of semi-open and g-closed sets respectively [4]. After these many researches on generalized closed sets have been going on. Crossley and Hildebrand defined semi-closure of sets and irresolute functions [2]. In 1973, Das defined semi-interior point of a subset [3]. In 2019, authors introduced the class of \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed sets by generalizing the semi-closed sets using \hat{g}^* -open [1].

2. Preliminaries

In this paper (X, τ) represents the non-empty topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assured unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset A of X , $Cl(A)$, $Int(A)$, $Bd(A)$, $Fr(A)$, $Ext(A)$ denotes the closure, interior, border, frontier and exterior of A respectively.

Definition 2.1. A subset A of a topological spaces (X, τ) is called

1. A semi-open set [5] if $A \subseteq cl(int(A))$ and a semi-closed set if $int(cl(A)) \subseteq A$.
2. A \hat{g} closed or (w -closed) [6] set if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is semi open in (X, τ) .
3. A \hat{g}^* -closed set [4] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is \hat{g} -open in (X, τ) .
4. A \hat{g}^{**} s-closed set [1] if $scl(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is \hat{g}^* -open in (X, τ) .

Definition 2.2. Let (X, τ) be a topological space.

1. For every set $A \subset X$, we define the semi-closure [3] of A is the intersection of all semi-closed sets containing A . ie) $sCl(A) = \cap \{U : A \subset U, U \in sc(X, \tau)\}$.
2. For every set $A \subset X$, we define the semi-interior [2] of A is the union of all semi-open sets containing A . ie) $sInt(A) = \cup \{U : A \subset U, U \in so(X, \tau)\}$.
3. If A is a subset of X , border of A is defined by $Bd(A) = A \setminus Int(A)$.
4. A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called as a frontier of A if $Fr(A) = Cl(A) \setminus Int(A)$.
5. A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called as a exterior of A if $Ext(A) = Int(X - A)$.

3. \hat{g}^{**} s- Closure

Definition 3.1. For every set $A \subset X$, we define the \hat{g}^{**} s-closure of A is the intersection of all \hat{g}^{**} s-closed sets containing A . ie)

$$\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) = \cap \{U : A \subset U, U \in \hat{g}^{**}s(X, \tau)\}.$$

Theorem 3.2. If A is \hat{g}^{**} s-closed in X and B is closed in X , then $A \cup B$ is \hat{g}^{**} s-closed in X .

Proof. By hypothesis $X \setminus A$ is \hat{g}^{**} s-open and $X \setminus B$ is open in $X \Rightarrow (X \setminus A) \cap (X \setminus B) = X \setminus (A \cup B)$ is \hat{g}^{**} s-open in X . Hence $A \cup B$ is \hat{g}^{**} s-closed.

Theorem 3.3. *If A is any subset of a space X , then $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed.*

Proof. By definition: 3.1, the result is obvious.

Theorem 3.4. *A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed iff $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) = A$.*

Proof. Necessity condition is obvious.

To prove sufficiency, assume $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) = A$, by theorem: 3.3 $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed. Therefore, A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed.

Corollary 3.5. *If A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed and U is open in X , then $A \setminus U$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed in X .*

Proof. $A \setminus U = A \cap (X \setminus U)$. By theorem: 3.2, the proof follows.

Theorem 3.6. *Let $A \subseteq X$ and let $x \in X$. Then, $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$ iff every $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set in X containing x intersects A .*

Proof. Suppose $x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \Rightarrow X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$ is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set in X containing x that does not intersects A .

Conversely, Suppose U is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set containing x that does not intersects A . Then $X \setminus U$ is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed set containing A . Therefore, $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \subseteq X \setminus U$. Hence $x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$. Thus $x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$ iff there is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set containing x that does not intersects A .

Theorem 3.7. *If A is a subset of X , then*

$$i) \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A) = X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$$

$$ii) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(X \setminus A) = X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$$

Proof. i) Let $x \in X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \Rightarrow x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \Rightarrow x$ does not belong to $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open subset of A . Then, F is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed set containing $X \setminus A$. Hence $X \setminus F$ is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set contained in A . Therefore, $x \notin X \setminus F$ and so, $x \in F$. Hence $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A)$. Then x belongs to every $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed set containing $X \setminus A$. Hence x does not belong to any $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open subset of A . That is, $x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$. Then $x \notin X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$.

ii) can be proved by replacing A by $X \setminus A$.

Theorem 3.8. *If a subset A of X is nowhere dense, then $Int(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)) = \emptyset$.*

Proof. $Int(Cl(A)) = \emptyset \Rightarrow Int(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)) \subseteq Int(Cl(A))$.

Theorem 3.9. *In a topological space (X, τ) , the following hold:*

$$i) \hat{g}^{**}sCl(\emptyset) = \emptyset$$

$$ii) \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X) = X$$

If A and B are subsets of X

$$iii) A \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$$

$$iv) A \subseteq B \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B)$$

$$v) A \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \subseteq sCl(A) \subseteq Cl(A)$$

- vi) $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B)$
- vii) $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A \cup B) \supseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B)$
- viii) $\hat{g}^{**}s(A \cap B) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B)$
- ix) $Cl(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)) = Cl(A)$
- x) $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(Cl(A)) = Cl(A)$

Theorem 3.10. *If A and B are subsets of X such that $A \cap B = \emptyset$ and A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open in X , then $A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B) = \emptyset$.*

Proof. Suppose $x \in A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B) \Rightarrow x \in A$ and $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B) \Rightarrow x \in A$ and $x \in B \Rightarrow A \cap B \neq \emptyset$ which is a contradiction to hypothesis. Therefore, $A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B) = \emptyset$.

4. $\hat{g}^{**}s$ - Interior

Definition 4.1. *For any $A \subset X$, $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -interior of A is defined as the union of all $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open sets containing A . ie) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) = \cup \{U : A \subset U, U \in \hat{g}^{**}so(X, \tau)\}$.*

Theorem 4.2. *If the subsets A and B of a topological space (X, τ) are separated $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open, then $A \cup B$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open.*

Proof. Assume that A and B are separated $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open sets. Let G be a \hat{g}^* -closed set in X such that $G \subseteq A \cup B$. By assumption, we have $Cl(A) \cap B = A \cap Cl(B) = \emptyset$. Then, $G \cap Cl(A) \subseteq (A \cup B) \cap Cl(A) = (A \cap Cl(A)) \cup (B \cap Cl(A)) = (A \cap Cl(A)) \cup \emptyset = A \cup \emptyset = A$. Therefore, $G \cap Cl(A) \subseteq A$. Similarly, $G \cap Cl(A) \subseteq B$. Since G is \hat{g}^* -closed in X , $G \cap Cl(A)$ and $G \cap Cl(B)$ are \hat{g}^* -closed. Since A and B are $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open, $G \cap Cl(A) \subseteq sInt(A)$ and $G \cap Cl(B) \subseteq sInt(B)$. Now, $G = G \cap (A \cup B) = (G \cap A) \cup (G \cap B) \Rightarrow G \subseteq (G \cap Cl(A)) \cup (G \cap Cl(B)) \Rightarrow G \subseteq sInt(A) \cup sInt(B) \Rightarrow G \subseteq sInt(A \cup B)$. Therefore, $A \cup B$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open.

Theorem 4.3. *If a set A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open in a topological space (X, τ) , then $G = X$, whenever G is \hat{g}^* -open and $sInt(A) \cup A^c \subseteq G$.*

Proof. Suppose A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open and G is \hat{g}^* -open and $sInt(A) \cup A^c \subseteq G$. Then, $G^c \subseteq (sInt(A) \cup A^c)^c \Rightarrow G^c \subseteq (sInt(A))^c \cap A \Rightarrow G^c \subseteq sCl(A^c) - A^c$. Since, A^c is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed, $sCl(A^c) - A^c$ contains no non-empty \hat{g}^* -closed set in X . Therefore, $G^c = \emptyset \Rightarrow G = X$.

Theorem 4.4. *In a topological space (X, τ) , if $Int(A) \cup (X - A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed, then $G \cup Int(A) = A$, for some $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set in G .*

Proof. Assume that $Int(A) \cup (X - A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed in (X, τ) .

Let $U = Int(A) \cup (X - A)$, then U^c is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open. Now,
 $U^c \cup (Int(A))^c = [(X - A) \cup (Int(A))]^c \cup (Int(A))^c = [(X - A)^c \cap (Int(A))^c] \cup (Int(A))^c = [A \cap (Int(A))^c] \cup (Int(A))^c = [A \cup (Int(A))] \cap [(Int(A))^c \cup (Int(A))] = A \cap X = A$. Take, $G = U^c$, we have $A = G \cup (Int(A))$ for some $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set in G .

Theorem 4.5. *If A is any subset of X , $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open. Then, $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ is the largest \hat{g}^{**} -s-open set contained in A .*

Proof. It is obvious from definition.

Theorem 4.6. *A subset A of X is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open, then $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) = A$.*

Proof. The proof is obvious.

Remark 4.7. *The converse of above theorem is not true.*

Example 4.8. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$. $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ and

$\hat{g}^{**}so(X, \tau) = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$
Here, $\{b, c, d\} = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(\{b, c, d\})$ but $\{b, c, d\}$ is not a \hat{g}^{**} -s-open set.

Theorem 4.9. *If A is a subset of X , then $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ is the set of all \hat{g}^{**} -s-interior points of A .*

Proof. $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ iff $x \in \hat{g}^{**}$ -s-open subset U of A . $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ iff x is a \hat{g}^{**} -s-interior points of A .

Corollary 4.10. *A subset A of X is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open iff every point of A is a \hat{g}^{**} -s-interior points of A .*

Proof. By using theorem: 4.6 and theorem: 4.9.

Theorem 4.11. *Every open set is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open.*

Proof. Let A be an open set in X . Then, A^c is closed in X . Since every closed set is \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed, A^c is \hat{g}^{**} -s-closed in X . Then, A is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open in X .

Theorem 4.12. *If a subset A of X is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open and U is open, then $A \cup U$ is \hat{g}^{**} -s-open.*

Theorem 4.13. *In a topological space (X, τ) , the following hold:*

$$i) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(\emptyset) = \emptyset$$

$$ii) \hat{g}^{**}s(X) = X$$

If A and B are subsets of X .

$$iii) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \subseteq A$$

$$iv) A \subseteq B \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sInt(B)$$

$$v) Int(A) \subseteq sInt(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \subseteq A$$

$$vi) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$$

$$vii) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A \cup B) \supseteq \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sInt(B)$$

$$viii) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A \cap B) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sInt(B)$$

$$ix) Int(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)) = Int(A)$$

$$x) \hat{g}^{**}sInt(Int(A)) = Int(A)$$

Theorem 4.14. *Let A be a subset of a space X , then the following are true.*

- i) $(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c)$
- ii) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) = (\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A))^c$
- iii) $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) = (\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c$

Proof. i) Let $x \in (\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c \Rightarrow x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$. That is, every $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set U containing x is such that $U \not\subseteq A \Rightarrow$ every $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set containing x such that $U \cap A^c \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow x \in \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c)$. Therefore, $(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c)$.

Conversely, $x \in \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c)$. By theorem 4.7, every $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set containing x such that $U \cap A^c \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow x \notin \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \Rightarrow x \in (\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c$. Therefore, $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c) \subseteq (\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c$. Hence, $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A^c) = (\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A))^c$.

ii) By taking complement in (i) we get the result. iii) Replace A by A^c in (i).

5. $\hat{g}^{**}s$ - Border

Definition 5.1. If A is a subset of X , $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -border of A is defined by $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = A \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$.

Theorem 5.2. In a topological space (X, τ) , the following hold:

- i) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(\emptyset) = \emptyset$
- ii) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(X) = \emptyset$

If A and B are subsets of X .

- iii) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) \subseteq A$
- iv) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = A$
- v) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = \emptyset$
- vi) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) \subseteq sBd(A) \subseteq Bd(A)$
- vii) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A)) = \emptyset$
- viii) A is $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$ iff $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = \emptyset$
- ix) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)) = \emptyset$
- x) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sBd(A)$
- xi) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A)$
- xii) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) = A \cap D_{\hat{g}^{**}s}(X \setminus A)$

6. $\hat{g}^{**}s$ - Frontier

Definition 6.1. A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called as a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -frontier of A if $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)$.

Theorem 6.2. In a topological space (X, τ) , the following hold:

- i) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\emptyset) = \emptyset$
- ii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(X) = \emptyset$

If A is a subset of X .

- iii) $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
- iv) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) = \emptyset$
- v) $\hat{g}^{**}sBd(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$

- vi) A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed iff $A = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
vii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \subseteq sFr(A) \subseteq Fr(A)$
viii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A)$
ix) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed and hence $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
x) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sFr(X \setminus A)$
xi) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$ is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed iff $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sBd(A)$. Hence A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed iff A contains its $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -frontier.
xii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A)) \supseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
xiii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
xiv) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$
xv) $X - \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sInt(X - A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$

Theorem 6.3. If A is a subset of X , then $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))) = \hat{g}^{**}s(\hat{g}^{**}s(A))$.

Proof. $\hat{g}^{**}s(\hat{g}^{**}s(\hat{g}^{**}s(A)))$

$$= \hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}s(\hat{g}^{**}s(A))) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))) \quad \text{---(1)}$$

$$\text{Now, } X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = X \setminus [\hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))]
= [X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)] \cup [X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))].$$

Consider, $\hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)))$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \hat{g}^{**}sCl[X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)] \cup [X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))] \\ &= D \cup \hat{g}^{**}s(X \setminus D), \text{ where } D = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \\ &\supseteq D \cup (X \setminus D) = X \quad \text{---(2)} \end{aligned}$$

Substitute (2) in (1),

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore, (1)} &\Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}s(A))) \\ &= \hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))) \cap X \\ &= \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \cap X \\ &= \hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 6.4. If a subset A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open or $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed in X , then

$$\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A).$$

Proof. $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A))$
 $= \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \quad \text{---(1)}$

If A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open in X and $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \cap A = \emptyset \Rightarrow A \subseteq X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$.

If A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed in X , $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \subseteq A \Rightarrow X \setminus A \subseteq X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A)$.

Therefore, $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sCl(X \setminus A) = \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$.

Theorem 6.5. If A and B are subsets of X such that $A \cap B = \emptyset$ and A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open in X , then $A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sFr(B) = \emptyset$.

Proof. Since $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(B) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sCl(B)$ and by theorem 3.10, $A \cap \hat{g}^{**}sFr(B) = \emptyset$.

Theorem 6.6. *If A and B are subsets of X , then*

- i) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A \cup B) \supseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sFr(B)$*
- ii) $\hat{g}^{**}sFr(A \cap B) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sFr(B)$*

7. $\hat{g}^{**}s$ - Exterior

Definition 7.1. *If A is a subset of X , $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -exterior of A is defined by $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(X - A)$.*

Theorem 7.2. *In a topological space (X, τ) , the following hold:*

- i) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(\emptyset) = X$*
- ii) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(X) = \emptyset$*

*If A and B are subsets of X iii) $A \subseteq B \Rightarrow \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sExt(B)$*

*iv) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A)$ is a $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -open set.*

*v) $Ext(A) \subseteq sExt(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) \subseteq X \setminus A$*

*vi) A is $\hat{g}^{**}s$ -closed iff $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) = X \setminus A$*

*vii) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) = X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sCl(A)$*

*viii) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A)) = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(\hat{g}^{**}sCl(A))$*

*ix) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) = \hat{g}^{**}sExt(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A))$*

*x) $\hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sExt(X \setminus \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A))$*

*xi) $X = \hat{g}^{**}sInt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sFr(A)$*

*xii) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A \cup B) \subseteq \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) \cap \hat{g}^{**}sExt(B)$*

*xiii) $\hat{g}^{**}sExt(A \cap B) \supseteq \hat{g}^{**}sExt(A) \cup \hat{g}^{**}sExt(B)$.*

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