

On Λ_μ -Generalized Closed Sets in Generalized Topological Spaces

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Abstract – We introduce new classes of sets called $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open sets in GTS. We also investigate several properties of such sets. It turns out that $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open sets are weaker forms of closed sets and open sets, and stronger forms of $g-\mu$ -closed sets and $g-\mu$ -open sets, respectively.
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1. INTRODUCTION

In 2010 E. Ekici and B. Roy introduced the notion of Λ_μ -sets in GTS. A Λ_μ -set is a set A which is equal to its kernel. In 2011 Bishwabhar and Ekici introduced and investigate (Λ, μ) -closed sets by involving Λ_μ -sets and μ -closed sets. The objective of this paper is to introduce new classes of sets called $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open sets in GTS. It turns out that $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open sets are weaker forms of closed sets and open sets, and stronger forms of $g-\mu$ -closed sets and $g-\mu$ -open sets, respectively.

We recall some notion defined in [1, 2]. Let X be a non-empty set and μ be a collection of subsets of X . Then μ is called a generalized topology (briefly GT) on X if $\phi \in \mu$ and $G_i \in \mu$ for $i \in I \neq \phi$ implies $G = \bigcup_{i \in I} G_i \in \mu$. We say μ is strong if $X \in \mu$, and we call the pair (X, μ) a generalized topological space (briefly GTS) on X . The elements of μ are called μ -open sets and their complements are called μ -closed sets. For $A \subseteq X$, we denote by $c_\mu(A)$ the intersection of all μ -closed sets containing A , i.e., the smallest μ -closed set containing A ; and by $i_\mu(A)$ the union of all μ -open sets contained in A , i.e., the largest μ -open set contained in A .

Definition: 1.1[3]

Let (X, μ) be a GTS and $A \subseteq X$. Then the subset $\Lambda_\mu(A)$ is defined by

$$\Lambda_\mu(A) = \begin{cases} \bigcap \{G: A \subseteq G, G \in \mu\}, & \text{if } \exists G \in \mu \text{ such that } A \subseteq G, \\ X, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Definition: 1.2[3]

In a GTS (X, μ) a subset A is called a Λ_μ -set if $A = \Lambda_\mu(A)$.

Definition: 1.3[3]

A subset A of a GTS (X, μ) is called (Λ, μ) -closed set if $A = L \cap D$, where L is a Λ_μ -set and D is a μ -closed set.

The intersection of all (Λ, μ) -closed sets containing a subset A of X is called the (Λ, μ) -closure of A and is denoted by $c_{(\Lambda, \mu)}(A)$. The complement of (Λ, μ) -closed set is called (Λ, μ) -open set. We denote the collection of (Λ, μ) -open sets (resp. (Λ, μ) -closed sets) by $\Lambda_\mu\text{-O}(X, \mu)$ (resp. $\Lambda_\mu\text{-C}(X, \mu)$).

Lemma: 1.1 [4]

For subsets A_i ($i \in I$) of a GTS (X, μ) , the following properties hold:

- (i). If A_i is (Λ, μ) -closed for each $i \in I$, then $\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i$ is (Λ, μ) -closed.
- (ii). If A_i is (Λ, μ) -open for each $i \in I$, then $\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i$ is (Λ, μ) -open.

2. Λ_μ -GENERALIZED CLOSED SETS

Definition: 2.1

A subset A of a generalized topological space (X, μ) is called Λ_μ -generalized closed, briefly $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed, if $c_\mu(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is (Λ, μ) -open.

Definition: 2.2

A subset A of a generalized topological space (X, μ) is called $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed, if $c_{(\Lambda, \mu)}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is (Λ, μ) -open.

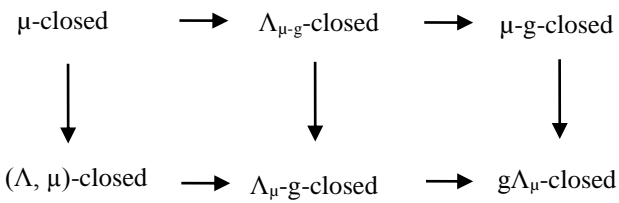
Definition: 2.3

A subset A of a generalized topological space (X, μ) is called $g\Lambda_\mu$ -closed, if $c_{(\Lambda, \mu)}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is μ -open.

Remark: 2.4

From above definitions, we have the following diagram

- (i). $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and (Λ, μ) -closed sets are independent concepts.
- (ii). $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed sets and μ - g -closed sets are independent concepts.
- (iii). (Λ, μ) -closed sets and μ - g -closed sets are also independent concepts



Example: 2.5;

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Thus $\Lambda_{\mu}\text{-O}(X, \mu) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, X\}$. Take $A = \{a, c\}$. Then we obtained that A is a $\mu\text{-g-closed}$ set but it is not $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$.

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Then $A = \{b\}$ is a $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ set but it is not $\mu\text{-g-closed}$.

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, X\}$. Then $A = \{a, b\}$ is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set but it is not $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$

Remark 2.6

The union of two $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ sets need not be $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ as can be verified from the following example

Example: 2.7

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. Now put $A = \{a\}$ and $B = \{c\}$ are two $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ sets. But $A \cup B = \{a, c\}$ is not a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set.

Remark: 2.8

The intersection of two $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ sets need not be $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ as can be verified from the following lemma

Example: 2.9

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}$. Now put $A = \{a\}$ and $B = \{b\}$ are two $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$. But $A \cap B = \emptyset$ is not a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set.

Theorem: 2.10

A subset A of GTS (X, μ) is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$, then $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$ contains no non empty $\mu\text{-closed}$ subset of (X, μ) .

Proof.

Let F be a $\mu\text{-closed}$ subset contained in $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$. Clearly $A \subseteq F^c$ where A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ and F^c is an $\mu\text{-open}$ set of X . Thus $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq F^c$ or $F \subseteq (c_{\mu}(A))^c$. Then $F \subseteq (c_{\mu}(A))^c \cap (c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A) \subseteq (c_{\mu}(A))^c \cap c_{\mu}(A) = \emptyset$. This shows that $F = \emptyset$.

The converse of the above theorem is not true in general as it is shown in the following example.

Example: 2.11

Let $X = \{a, b, c, \}$ and $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$. If $A = \{a, c\}$, then $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A = \{b\}$ does not contain a non-empty $\mu\text{-closed}$ set. But A is not $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) .

Corollary: 2.12

In a T_1 space, every $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set is $\mu\text{-closed}$.

Proof.

Let A be a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set in a T_1 space (X, μ) . Let $x \in c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$. Since (X, μ) is T_1 , $\{x\}$ is a $\mu\text{-closed}$ set in (X, μ) . By theorem 2.10, there exists no non empty $\mu\text{-closed}$ set in $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A = \emptyset$. Therefore $c_{\mu}(A) = A$. Hence A is $\mu\text{-closed}$.

Theorem: 2.13

A set A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ if and only if $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$ contains no non empty $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ sets.

Proof.

Necessity: Suppose that A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$. Let S be a $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ subset of $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$. Then $A \subseteq S^c$. Since A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$, we have $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq S^c$ consequently $S \subseteq (c_{\mu}(A))^c$. Hence $S \subseteq c_{\mu}(A) \cap (c_{\mu}(A))^c = \emptyset$. Therefore S is empty.

Sufficiency: Suppose that $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$ contains no nonempty $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ sets. Let $A \subseteq G$ and G be $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-open}$. If $c_{\mu}(A) \not\subseteq G$, then $c_{\mu}(A) \cap G^c$ is a nonempty $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ subset of $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$. Therefore, A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$.

Theorem: 2.14

If A is a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set of (X, μ) and $A \subseteq B \subseteq c_{\mu}(A)$, then B is a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set in (X, μ) .

Proof.

Let $A \subseteq B$ and $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq c_{\mu}(B)$. Hence $c_{\mu}(B) \setminus B \subseteq c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$. But by the theorem 2.13, $c_{\mu}(A) \setminus A$ contains no non empty $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ subsets of X and hence neither $c_{\mu}(B) \setminus B$. Again by theorem 2.13, B is a $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set.

Theorem: 2.15

If A is $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-open}$ and $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ set in (X, μ) , then A is $\mu\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) .

Proof.

Since A is $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-open}$ and $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$, $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq A$ and hence A is $\mu\text{-closed}$.

Theorem: 2.16

For each $\{x\} \in X$, either $\{x\}$ is $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ or $\{x\}^c$ is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) .

Proof.

Suppose $\{x\}$ is not $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) then $\{x\}^c$ is not $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-open}$ and the only $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-open}$ set containing $\{x\}^c$ is the space X itself. Therefore $c_{\mu}(\{x\}^c) \subseteq X$ and so $\{x\}$ is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) .

Definition: 2.17

A subset S of X is said to be locally- $\mu\text{-closed}$ if $S = U \cap F$, where U is $\mu\text{-open}$ F is $\mu\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) .

Theorem: 2.18.

Let A be locally- $\mu\text{-closed}$ subset of (X, μ) . For the set A the following properties are equivalent:

- (i). A is $\mu\text{-closed}$;
- (ii). A is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$;
- (iii). A is $\mu\text{-g-closed}$.

Proof.

By Remark 2.4, it suffices to prove that (iii) implies (i). By $A \cup (c_{\mu}(A))^c$ is $\mu\text{-open}$ in (X, μ) since A is locally- $\mu\text{-closed}$. Now $A \cup (c_{\mu}(A))^c$ is an $\mu\text{-open}$ set of (X, μ) such that $A \subseteq A \cup (c_{\mu}(A))^c$. Since A is $\mu\text{-g-closed}$, then $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq A \cup (c_{\mu}(A))^c$. But $c_{\mu}(A) \cap (c_{\mu}(A))^c = \emptyset$. Thus we have $c_{\mu}(A) \subseteq A$ and hence A is $\mu\text{-closed}$.

Definition: 2.19

A subset A in (X, μ) is said to be $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-open}$ in (X, μ) if and only if A^c is $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-closed}$.

Theorem: 2.20

A set A is said to be $\Lambda_{\mu\text{-g}}\text{-open}$ in (X, μ) if and only if $F \subseteq i_{\mu}(A)$ whenever F is $(\Lambda, \mu)\text{-closed}$ in (X, μ) and $F \subseteq A$.

Proof.

Suppose that $F \subseteq i_\mu(A)$ whenever F is (Λ, μ) -closed and $F \subseteq A$. Let $A^c \subseteq G$, where G is (Λ, μ) -open. Hence $G^c \subseteq A$. By assumption $G^c \subseteq i_\mu(A)$ which implies that $(i_\mu(A))^c \subseteq G$, so $c_\mu(A^c) \subseteq G$. Hence A^c is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed. i.e., A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open

Conversely, let A be $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open. Then A^c is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed. Also let F be a (Λ, μ) -closed set contained in A . Then F^c is (Λ, μ) -open. Therefore whenever $A^c \subseteq F^c$, $c_\mu(A^c) \subseteq F^c$. This implies that $F \subseteq (c_\mu(A^c))^c = i_\mu(A)$. Thus $F \subseteq i_\mu(A)$.

Theorem: 2.21

A set A is said to be $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) if and only if $G = X$ whenever G is (Λ, μ) -open and $i_\mu(A) \cup A^c \subseteq G$.

Proof.

Let A be $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open, G be (Λ, μ) -open and $i_\mu(A) \cup A^c \subseteq G$. This gives $G^c \subseteq (i_\mu(A))^c \cap (A^c)^c = (i_\mu(A))^c \setminus A^c = c_\mu(A^c) \setminus A^c$. Since A^c is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed and G^c is (Λ, μ) -closed, by theorem 2.13, it follows that $G^c = \emptyset$. Therefore $X = G$. Conversely, suppose that F is (Λ, μ) -closed and $F \subseteq A$. Then $i_\mu(A) \cup A^c \subseteq i_\mu(A) \cup F^c$. It follows that $i_\mu(A) \cup F^c = X$ and hence $F \subseteq i_\mu(A)$. Therefore A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open.

Theorem: 2.22

If $i_\mu(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$ and A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) , then B is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) .

Proof.

Suppose $i_\mu(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$ and A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) . Then $A^c \subseteq B^c \subseteq c_\mu(A^c)$ and A^c is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed.

Theorem: 2.23

A set A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed in (X, μ) if and only if $c_\mu(A) \setminus A$ is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) .

Proof.

Necessity: Suppose that A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed in (X, μ) . Let $F \subseteq c_\mu(A) \setminus A$, where F is (Λ, μ) -closed. By theorem 2.10, $F = \emptyset$. Therefore $F \subseteq i_\mu(c_\mu(A) \setminus A)$ and by theorem 2.20, $c_\mu(A) \setminus A$ is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in (X, μ) .

Sufficiency: Let $A \subseteq G$, where G is (Λ, μ) -open set. Then $c_\mu(A) \cap G^c \subseteq c_\mu(A) \cap A^c = c_\mu(A) \setminus A$. Since $c_\mu(A) \cap G^c$ is (Λ, μ) -closed and $c_\mu(A) \setminus A$ is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open in by theorem 2.20, we have $c_\mu(A) \cap G^c \subseteq i_\mu(c_\mu(A) \setminus A) = \emptyset$. Hence A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed in (X, μ) .

Theorem: 2.24

For the subset $A \subseteq X$ the following properties are equivalent:

- (i). A is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -closed;
- (ii). $c_\mu(A) \setminus A$ contains no nonempty (Λ, μ) -closed set;
- (iii). $c_\mu(A) \setminus A$ is $\Lambda_{\mu-g}$ -open

Proof.

This follows from the theorem 2.10 and 2.23

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