

# LOW SEPARATION AXIOMS ASSOCIATED WITH $\hat{g}^*s$ -CLOSED SETS

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we introduce  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ -spaces,  ${}^*{}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_d$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_f$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$ -spaces and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ -spaces and investigate their characterizations.

## 1 Introduction

Levine [7], Mashhour et al. [13] and Njastad [14] have introduced the concept of semi-open sets, preopen sets and  $\alpha$ -open sets, respectively. Levine [8] introduced generalised closed sets and studied their properties. Bhattacharya and Lahiri[3], Arya and Nour [2], Maki et al. [10, 9] introduced semi-generalised closed sets, generalised semi-closed sets and  $\alpha$ -generalised closed sets and generalised  $\alpha$ -closed sets, respectively. Veerakumar [22] defined  $\hat{g}$ -closed sets. Chandrasekararao and Narasimhan [4] introduced and studied  $g^*s$ -closed sets. Pious Missier and Anto [16] introduced  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets in topological spaces.

The rest of this paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we present the fundamental concepts and sets in topological spaces. In Section 3, we introduce  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ -spaces,  ${}^*{}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_d$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_f$ -spaces,  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$ -spaces and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ -spaces and investigate their characterizations.

## 2 Preliminaries

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Throughout this paper,  $(X, \tau)$  represents a non-empty topological spaces. For a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ ,  $cl(A)$ ,  $int(A)$  and  $A^c$  or  $X - A$  denote the closure, the interior and the complement of  $A$ , respectively. The power set of  $A$  is denoted by  $P(A)$ .

**Definition 2.1.** A subset  $A$  of a space  $(X, \tau)$  is called

- (i) semi-open [7] if  $A \subseteq cl(int(A))$  and semi-closed if  $int(cl(A)) \subseteq A$ ,
- (ii) pre-open [13] if  $A \subseteq int(cl(A))$  and pre-closed if  $cl(int(A)) \subseteq A$ ,
- (iii)  $\alpha$ -open [14] if  $A \subseteq int(cl(int(A)))$  and  $\alpha$ -closed if  $cl(int(cl(A))) \subseteq A$ ,

**Definition 2.2.** [21] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $\hat{g}$ -closed if  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is semi open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.3.** [8] Let  $A$  be a subset of a topological space. Then  $A$  is called  $g$ -closed if  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is open.

**Definition 2.4.** [15] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $sg$ -closed if  $scl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is semi open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.5.** [17] Let  $A$  be a subset of a topological space. Then  $A$  is called  $g^*$ -closed if  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $g$ -open.

**Definition 2.6.** [6] Let  $A$  be a subset of a topological space. Then  $A$  is called  $g^*s$ -closed if  $scl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $g$ -open.

The semi-closure (resp. pre closure,  $\alpha$ -closure and  $g^*s$  closure) of a subset  $A$  of a space  $(X, \tau)$  is the intersection of all semi-closed (resp. pre closed,  $\alpha$ -closed and  $g^*s$  closed) sets containing  $A$  and is denoted by  $scl(A)$  (resp.  $pcl(A)$ ,  $\alpha-cl(A)$  and  $g^*scl(A)$ ).

**Definition 2.7.** [1] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $gs$ -closed if  $scl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.8.** [19] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set if  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\hat{g}$ -open.

**Remark 2.9.** *Note that M. K. R. S. Veerakumar called this  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set as  $^*g$ -closed in his paper [19]*

**Definition 2.10.** [23] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $\hat{g}^*\alpha$ -closed if  $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\hat{g}$ -open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.11.** [11] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $g\alpha$ -closed if  $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\alpha$ -open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.12.** [12] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $\alpha g$ -closed if  $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is open in  $(X, \tau)$

**Definition 2.13.** [18] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a  $\psi$ -closed set if  $scl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $sg$ -open.

**Definition 2.14.** [13] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_b$  if every  $gs$ -closed set in it is closed.

**Definition 2.15.** [17] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_c$  if every  $gs$ -closed set is  $g^*$ -closed

**Definition 2.16.** [5] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_d$  if every  $gs$ -closed set in it is  $g$ -closed.

**Definition 2.17.** [20] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a  $T_f$  space if every  $g$ -closed set in it is  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

**Definition 2.18.** [8] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_{1/2}$  if every  $g$ -closed set in it is closed.

**Definition 2.19.** [17] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_{1/2}^*$  if every  $g^*$ -closed set in it is closed.

**Definition 2.20.** [17] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $^*T_{1/2}$  if every  $g$ -closed set in it is  $g^*$ -closed.

**Definition 2.21.** [6] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$  space if every  $gs$ -closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed

**Definition 2.22.** [6] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a semi- $T_b$  space if every  $g$ -closed set is semi closed

**Definition 2.23.** [16] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set if  $scl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\hat{g}$ -open.

**Definition 2.24.** [12] A subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $gp$ -closed if  $pcl(A) \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is open.

If  $A$  is  $gp$ -closed, then  $A^c$  is  $gp$ -open.

**Definition 2.25.** [6] A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called a semi- $T_p$  space if every  $g^*$ -closed set is closed.

**Lemma 2.26.** [19] Let a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Then  $cl(A) - A$  contains no non-empty  $\hat{g}$ -closed set.

**Proposition 2.27.** [16] Let  $A$  be a  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed subset of  $X$ . Then  $scl(A) - A$  contains no non-empty  $\hat{g}$  closed set in  $X$

**Proposition 2.28.** [16] Every semi closed set in  $X$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $X$ .

### 3 Low separation axioms associated with

#### $\hat{g}^*$ -closed sets

**Definition 3.1.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  if every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set in it is semi closed.

**Definition 3.2.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  if every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set in it is  $g^*$ -closed.

**Definition 3.3.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  if every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set in it is closed.

**Definition 3.4.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  if every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in it is  $g^*$ -closed.

**Definition 3.5.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_d$  if every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in it is  $g$ -closed.

**Definition 3.6.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_f$  if every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in it is  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

**Definition 3.7.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$  if every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in it is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed.

**Definition 3.8.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is called  $T_b^{\kappa}$  if every  $gs$ -closed set in it is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed.

**Proposition 3.9.** *Every strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$  space is a  $T_b^{\kappa}$  space.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ . Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ ,  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. But every  $g^*s$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Hence  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.10.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.11.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space, where  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}\}$ . We have  $g^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ . Since  $gs$ -closed sets are all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not  $g^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ .*

**Proposition 3.12.** *Every strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$  space is a  ${}_{\kappa}^*T_{1/2}$  space.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  be strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ . Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $gs$ -closed. Thus  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ ,  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. Hence  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}^*T_{1/2}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.13.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.14.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space, where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $g^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all  $g^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not  $g^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ .*

**Proposition 3.15.** *A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$  iff it is both  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$  and  $T_b^\kappa$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ . Then by Proposition 3.12,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$ . And by Proposition 3.9,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$  and  $T_b^\kappa$ . Let  $A$  be  $gs$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ , by Definition 3.8,  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$ , by Definition 3.2,  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is strongly semi- $T_{1/2}$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.16.** *Every semi- $T_b$  space is a  $T_b^\kappa$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be semi- $T_b$  and  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_b$ ,  $A$  is semi closed. But every semi closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Hence  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.17.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.18.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{c, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since  $gs$ -closed sets are all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not semi-closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not semi- $T_b$ .*

**Proposition 3.19.** *Every semi- $T_b$  space is a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  be semi- $T_b$  and let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $gs$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_b$ ,  $A$  is semi closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.20.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.21.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not semi- $T_b$ .*

**Proposition 3.22.** *A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_b$  iff it is both  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_b$ . Then by Proposition 3.19,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ . Thus by Proposition 3.16,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ . Let also  $A$  be  $gs$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ , by Definition 3.8,  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ , by Definition 3.1,  $A$  is semi closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_b$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 3.23.** *Every  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space is a semi- $T_p$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $g^*s$ -closed. But every  $g^*s$ -closed set is a  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . Since  $X$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space,  $A$  is closed. Hence  $(X, \tau)$  is a semi- $T_p$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.24.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.25.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not semi- $T_p$ .

**Proposition 3.26.** Every  $T_b$  space is a  $\kappa T_b$  space.

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $gs$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed in  $X$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b$ ,  $A$  is closed. Therefore  $X$  is  $\kappa T_b$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.27.** The converse is not true as seen from the following example.

**Example 3.28.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_b$ . Since  $gs$ -closed sets are all not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_b$ .

**Proposition 3.29.** Every  $\kappa T_b$  space is a  $\kappa T_{1/2}$  space.

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $\kappa T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  $\kappa T_b$ ,  $A$  is closed. Since  $X$  is closed,  $A$  is semi closed. Therefore  $X$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.30.** The converse is not true as seen by the following Example.

**Example 3.31.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ . As  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_b$ .

**Proposition 3.32.** Every  $\kappa T_{1/2}$  space is a  $\kappa^* T_{1/2}$  space.

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ ,  $A$  is semi closed. But every semi closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $X$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.33.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.34.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ ;  $g^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . By the fact that every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$*

**Proposition 3.35.** *Every  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space.*

*Proof.* By Proposition 3.29, every  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space is a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space. By Proposition 3.32, every  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space. Therefore, every  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space.  $\square$

**Note 3.36.** *The converse of the above Proposition is not true as seen by the following Example.*

### Example

**3.37.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are  $g^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . As  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are all not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .*

**Proposition 3.38.** *A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  iff it is both  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  and semi- $T_p$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ . Then by Proposition 3.35,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . Due to Proposition 3.23,  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_p$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  and semi- $T_p$ . Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ , by Definition 3.2,  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. By the fact that  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_p$ ,  $A$  is closed.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.39.** *Every  $T_c$  space is a  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $T_c$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set is  $gs$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed in  $X$ . Since  $X$  is  $T_c$ ,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. Therefore  $X$  is  $\kappa T_c$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.40.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.41.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed sets are all  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_c$ . As,  $gs$ -closed sets are all not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_c$ .*

**Proposition 3.42.** *Every  $\kappa T_c$  space is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $\kappa T_c$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_c$ ,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. But every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $g^*$ -closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.43.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.44.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $g^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_c$ .*

**Proposition 3.45.** *Every  $\kappa T_b$  space is a  $\kappa T_c$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $\kappa T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_b$ ,  $A$  is closed. But every closed set is  $g^*$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. *i.e.*,  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $\kappa T_c$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.46.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.47.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}\}$ ,*

$\{a, c\}, \{c\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .

**Proposition 3.48.** *Every  $T_c$  space is a  $T_b^{\kappa}$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $T_c$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_c$ ,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. But every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. *i.e.*  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T_b^{\kappa}$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.49.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.50.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_c$ .

**Proposition 3.51.** *A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_c$  iff it is both  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_c$ . Then by Proposition 3.39,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ . And by Proposition 3.48,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  and  $T_b^{\kappa}$ . Let  $A$  be  $gs$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ , by Definition 3.8,  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ , by Definition 3.4,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T_c$  space.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.52.** *Every  $T_b$  space is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $gs$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b$ ,  $A$  is closed. But every closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. *i.e.*  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T_b^{\kappa}$  space.  $\square$

**Remark 3.53.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.54.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) =$

$\{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\},$

$\{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_b$ .

**Proposition 3.55.** *A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b$  iff it is both  ${}_\kappa T_b$  and  $T_b^\kappa$ .*

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b$ . Then by Proposition 3.26,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_\kappa T_b$ . And also by Proposition 3.52,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_\kappa T_b$  and  $T_b^\kappa$ . Suppose  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^\kappa$ , by Definition 3.8,  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Further, since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_\kappa T_b$ , by Definition 3.3  $A$  is closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T_b$  space.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.56.** *If a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is both  ${}_\kappa T_d$  and  $T_{1/2}$ , then it is  ${}_\kappa T_b$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_\kappa T_d$  and  $T_{1/2}$ . Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_\kappa T_d$ , by Definition 3.5,  $A$  is  $g$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_{1/2}$ ,  $A$  is closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  ${}_\kappa T_b$  space.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.57.** *If a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is both  ${}_\kappa T_d$  and  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ , then it is  ${}_\kappa T_c$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_\kappa T_d$  and  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . Suppose that  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_\kappa T_d$ , by Definition 3.5,  $A$  is  $g$ -closed. But the space  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  and hence  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  ${}_\kappa T_c$  space.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.58.** *Every  ${}_\kappa T_b$  space is a  $T_{1/2}^*$  space.*

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_\kappa T_b$  space. Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $g^*$ -closed. But every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_\kappa T_b$ ,  $A$  is closed. Therefore  $A$  is closed. *i.e.*  $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T_{1/2}^*$ .  $\square$

**Remark 3.59.** *The converse is not true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.60.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space, where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $g^*$ -closed sets are closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_{1/2}^*$ . By the fact that all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .

**Proposition 3.61.** A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  iff it is both  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  and  $T_{1/2}^*$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ . Then by Proposition 3.45,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ . And by Proposition 3.58,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_{1/2}^*$ .

Conversely, let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  and  $T_{1/2}^*$ . Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $(X, \tau)$ . Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ , by Definition 3.4,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. Since  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_{1/2}^*$ ,  $A$  is closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ . □

**Remark 3.62.**  $T_c$  space and  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.63.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_c$ .

**Example 3.64.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_c$ . But since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not closed, the space  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .

It follows from Examples 3.63 and 3.64,  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space and  $T_c$  space are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.65.**  $T_{1/2}^*$  space and  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.66.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{d\}\}$ . We have

$$gC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}\};$$

$$g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}\} \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\},$$

$\{c\}, \{b\}\}$ . Since all  $g$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_c$ .

**Example 3.67.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $gC(X, \tau) = P(X)$ ;  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_c$ . And since all  $g$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ .

It follows from Examples 3.66 and 3.67,  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space and  $\kappa T_c$  space are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.68.**  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space and  $\kappa T_b$  space are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.69.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{d\}\}$ . We have  $gC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}\}$ ;  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ . Since all  $g$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_b$ .

**Example 3.70.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ . We have  $gC(X, \tau) = P(X)$ ;  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ .

Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_b$ . It is obvious that all  $g$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed, thus  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ .

Therefore from Examples 3.69 and 3.70,  ${}^*T_{1/2}$  space and  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.71.** *semi- $T_{1/2}$  space and  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.*

**Example 3.72.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{d\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ ;  $sgC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{d\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ . Since all  $sg$ -closed sets are semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is semi- $T_{1/2}$ . Moreover, since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ .

**Example 3.73.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $sgC(X, \tau) = P(X)$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ .

Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $sg$ -closed sets are not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not semi- $T_{1/2}$ .

Therefore from Examples 3.72 and 3.73, semi- $T_{1/2}$  space and  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.74.**  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  and  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.75.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\},$

$$\{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}; \quad g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$$

and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ .

**Example 3.76.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $SC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ ;

$g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not semi closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ .

It follows from Examples 3.75 and 3.76,  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  and  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.77.**  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  and  $T_b^{\kappa}$  are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.78.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $gsC(X, \tau) = P(X)$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are not  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .

**Example 3.79.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{c\}\}$ .  $gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .

It follows from Examples 3.78 and 3.79,  $T_b^{\kappa}$  and  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.80.**  $T_b^{\kappa}$  and  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  are independent of each other as seen from the following two examples.

**Example 3.81.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a\}\}$  and  $gsC(X, \tau) = P(X)$ .

Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ . And since all  $gs$ -closed sets are not  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .

**Example 3.82.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$  and

$gsC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}\}$ . Since all  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed sets are not  $g^*$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ . Since all  $gs$ -closed sets are  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed,  $(X, \tau)$  is  $T_b^{\kappa}$ .

Therefore from Examples 3.81 and 3.82,  $T_b^{\kappa}$  and  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  are independent of each other.

**Remark 3.83.** From the above Definitions and Remarks, we obtain the following comparative diagram.

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**Proposition 3.84.** In a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  which is both  $T_d$  and  $T_f$ , every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in it is  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  be both  $T_d$  and  $T_f$ . Let  $A \subseteq X$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $gs$ -closed a set. Therefore  $A$  is  $gs$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  $T_d$ ,  $A$  is  $g$ -closed. By the fact that  $X$  is  $T_d$ , then  $A$  is  $g$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.85.** Every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space is

(i)  $g$ -closed.

(ii)  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

(iii)  $g^*$  -closed.

(iv)  $\hat{g}^*$  -closed.

(v) semi closed.

(vi)  $g^*s$  -closed.

(vii)  $sg$  -closed.

(viii)  $gs$  -closed.

(ix)  $\psi$  -closed.

(x)  $\alpha$  -closed.

(xi)  $\alpha g$  -closed.

(xii)  $g\alpha$  -closed.

(xiii)  $\hat{g}^*\alpha$  -closed.

(xiv) pre closed.

(xv)  $gp$  closed.

*Proof.* (i) Let  $X$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space and  $A$   $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ .

Consequently, by Definition 3.3,  $A$  is closed. But every closed set is  $g$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $g$ -closed.

(ii) Since every closed set is  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

(iii) Since every closed set is  $g^*$ -closed.

(iv) Since every closed set is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed.

(v) Since every closed set is semi closed.

(vi) Since every semi closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed.

(vii) Since every semi closed set is  $sg$ -closed.

(viii) Since every semi closed set is  $gs$ -closed.

(ix) Since every semi closed set is  $\psi$ -closed.

(x) Since every closed set is  $\alpha$ -closed.

(xi) Since every  $\alpha$ -closed set is  $g\alpha$ -closed.

(xii) Since every  $g\alpha$ -closed set is  $\alpha g$ -closed.

(xiii) Since every  $\alpha$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*\alpha$ -closed.

(xiv) Since every closed set is pre-closed.

(xv) Since every pre closed set is  $gp$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.86.** *Every  $gs$ -closed set in a  $T_b$  space is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed.*

*Proof.* Let  $X$  be a  $T_b$  space and  $A$  a  $gs$ -closed set in  $X$ .

Consequently,  $A$  is closed. But every closed set is semi closed and every semi closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.87.** *Every  $gs$ -closed set in a  $T_c$  space is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed.*

*Proof.* Let  $X$  be a  $T_c$  space and  $A$  a  $gs$ -closed set in  $X$ .

Consequently,  $A$  is  $g^*$  closed. But every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed and every  $g^*s$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.88.** *Every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space is*

(i)  $sg$ -closed.

(ii)  $g^*s$ -closed.

(iii)  $\psi$ -closed.

*Proof.* (i) Let  $X$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{1/2}$  space and  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ .

Consequently,  $A$  is semi closed. But every semi closed set is  $sg$ -closed. Hence  $A$  is  $sg$ -closed.

(ii) Since every semi closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed.

(iii) Since every semi closed set is  $\psi$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.89.** *Every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  space is*

(i)  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed and hence  $g$ -closed.

(ii)  $g^*s$ -closed.

*Proof.* (i) Let  $X$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  space and  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ .

Consequently,  $A$  is  $g^*$ -closed. But every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed and every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set is  $g$ -closed. Hence (i) follows.

(ii) Since every  $g^*$ -closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.90.** *Every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$  space is  $g$ -closed.*

*Proof.* Let  $X$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$  space and  $A \subseteq X$  be a  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set. Since  $X$  is  ${}_{\kappa}T_{\hat{g}^*}$ ,  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. But every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set is  $g$ -closed. Therefore,  $A$  is  $g$ -closed. □

**Proposition 3.91.** *Let the topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  space. Then for each  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g^*$ -open.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Therefore  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Hence  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ .

Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$  space, every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $g^*$ -closed. Thus,  $X - \{x\}$  is  $g^*$ -closed. Hence  $\{x\}$  is  $g^*$ -open. □

**Remark 3.92.** *The converse need not be true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.93.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $g^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{c\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ;  $g^*O(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{a, b\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\},$*

$\{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \}$ . In this example, for every  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g^*$ -open. But, not every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $g^*$ -closed. i.e.,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_c$ .

**Proposition 3.94.** *Let the topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space. Then for each  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or open.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Therefore  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Thus  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$  space, every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is closed. Hence  $X - \{x\}$  is closed. It follows that  $\{x\}$  is open. □

**Remark 3.95.** *The converse of the above Proposition need not be true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.96.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $\hat{g}C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \}$ . In this example, for every  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or open. But, not every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is closed. i.e.,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  ${}_{\kappa}T_b$ .*

**Proposition 3.97.** *Let the topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be a  ${}_{\kappa}T_d$  space. Then for each  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g$ -open.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Then  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Therefore  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ .

Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But in a  ${}_{\kappa}T_d$  space, every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $g$ -closed. Hence  $X - \{x\}$  is  $g$ -closed. Therefore  $\{x\}$  is  $g$ -open. □

**Remark 3.98.** *The converse of the above Proposition need not be true as seen from the following Example.*

**Example 3.99.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We*

have  $\hat{g}C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $gO(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ;  $gC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . From this Example, we find out  $\{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g$ -open. But not every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $g$ -closed. Therefore  $(X, \tau)$  is not a  $\kappa T_d$  space.

**Proposition 3.100.** *Let the topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $\kappa T_f$  space. Then for each  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $\hat{g}$ -open.*

*Proof.* Suppose  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Then  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Therefore  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. But in a  $\kappa T_f$  space, every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Thus  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Hence  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -open.  $\square$

**Remark 3.101.** *The converse of the above Proposition need not be true as seen from the following Example.*

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**3.102.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space, where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $\hat{g}C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}O(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \}$ . In this example, for every  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $\hat{g}$ -open. But, not every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}$ -closed. This means that  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_f$ .*

**Proposition 3.103.** *Let the topological space  $(X, \tau)$  be a  $\kappa T_{\hat{g}^*}$  space. Then for each  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $\hat{g}^*$ -open.*

*Proof.* Suppose that for some  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Thus  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Therefore  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Hence  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  $\kappa T_{\hat{g}^*}$ ,  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. It follows that  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -open.  $\square$

**Remark 3.104.** *The converse need not be true as seen from the following example.*

**Example 3.105.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space where  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $\tau = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $\tau^c = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ . We have  $\hat{g}C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$ ;  $\hat{g}^*O(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ;

$\hat{g}^*C(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\hat{g}^*sC(X, \tau) = \{\phi, X, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}, \{c\},$

$\{b\}, \{a\}\}$ . In this example, for every  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is either  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $\hat{g}^*$ -open. But, not every  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed set is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. i.e.,  $(X, \tau)$  is not  $\kappa T_{\hat{g}^*}$

**Proposition 3.106.** For a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ , the following are equivalent.

(i) Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ .

(ii) Every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set in it is semi closed.

(iii) Every singleton  $\{x\}$  of  $X$  is either semi open or  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

*Proof.* (i)  $\Rightarrow$  (iii)

Suppose that for some  $x \in X, \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Then  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Thus  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ ,  $X - \{x\}$  is semi closed. Hence  $\{x\}$  is semi open.

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (i)

Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . To show that  $A$  is semi closed in  $X$ , it means to show that  $scl(A) = A$ .

Let  $x \in scl(A)$ . Then  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or semi open.

*Case (i):* Let  $\{x\}$  be  $\hat{g}$ -closed.

Suppose  $x \notin A$ . Therefore  $x \in scl(A) - A$ . Thus  $\{x\} \subseteq scl(A) - A$ . Then by Proposition 2.27,  $A$  is not  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$  which is a contradiction. Therefore  $x \in A$ .

*Case (ii):* Suppose  $\{x\}$  is semi open. Then  $\{x\} \cap A \neq \phi$ . Therefore  $x \in A$ . Thus in both cases  $x \in A$ . Thus  $scl(A) \subseteq A$ . Hence  $A$  is semi closed in  $X$ . It follows that  $X$  is  $\kappa T_{1/2}$ .

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$  (iii)

Let  $x \in X$ . Suppose that for some  $x \in X$ ,  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. It follows that  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Thus  $cl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. Therefore, by assumption,  $X - \{x\}$  is semi closed. Hence  $\{x\}$  is semi open.

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (ii)

Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $X$ . Showing that  $A$  is semi closed in  $X$ , it means that to show that  $scl(A) = A$ . Let  $x \in scl(A)$ . Then  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or semi open.

*Case (i)* : Let  $\{x\}$  be  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Suppose  $x \notin A$ . Therefore  $x \in scl(A) - A$ . Thus  $\{x\} \subseteq scl(A) - A$ . Therefore  $\{x\} \subseteq cl(A) - A$ . It follows, by Lemma 2.26,  $A$  is not  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $X$  which is a contradiction. Therefore  $x \in A$ .

*Case (ii)* : Suppose  $\{x\}$  is semi open. Then  $\{x\} \cap A \neq \phi$ . Therefore  $x \in A$ . Thus in both cases  $x \in A$ . This means that  $scl(A) \subseteq A$ . Therefore  $A$  is semi closed.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.107.** *For a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ , the following are equivalent.*

(i) *Suppose  $(X, \tau)$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ .*

(ii) *Every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set in it is  $g^*s$ -closed.*

(iii) *Every singleton  $\{x\}$  of  $X$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g^*s$ -open.*

*Proof.* (i)  $\Rightarrow$  (iii)

Suppose that for some  $x \in X$ ,  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. Thus  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Therefore  $scl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . It follows that  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed. Since  $X$  is  ${}^*T_{1/2}$ ,  $X - \{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $\{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -open.

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (i)

Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . To show that  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed in  $X$ , i.e. to show that  $g^*scl(A) = A$ . Let  $x \in g^*scl(A)$ . Then  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g^*s$ -open.

*Case (i)* : Let  $\{x\}$  be  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Since  $x \in g^*scl(A)$ , by Proposition 2.28, we have  $x \in$

$scl(A)$ . Suppose  $x \notin A$ . Therefore  $x \in scl(A) - A$ . It follows that  $\{x\} \subseteq scl(A) - A$ . Then, by Proposition 2.27,  $A$  is not  $g^*s$ -closed which is a contradiction. Hence  $x \in A$ .

Case (ii) : Suppose  $\{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -open. Then  $\{x\} \cap A \neq \phi$ . Therefore  $x \in A$ . Thus in both cases  $x \in A$ . Thus  $g^*scl(A) \subseteq A$ . Therefore  $A$  is  $\hat{g}^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . Hence  $X$  is  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$ .

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$  (iii)

Suppose that for some  $x \in X$ ,  $\{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Then  $X - \{x\}$  is not  $\hat{g}$ -open. This implies that  $X$  is the only  $\hat{g}$ -open set containing  $X - \{x\}$ . Therefore  $cl(X - \{x\}) \subseteq X$ . Thus  $X - \{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed. By our assumption, every  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed. Therefore  $X - \{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -closed. Hence  $\{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -open.

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (ii)

Let  $A$  be  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $X$ . To show that  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . i.e. to show that  $g^*scl(A) = A$ . Let  $x \in g^*scl(A)$ . Then  $\{x\}$  is  $\hat{g}$ -closed or  $g^*s$ -open.

Case (i) : Let  $\{x\}$  be  $\hat{g}$ -closed. Since, every closed set is  $g^*s$ -closed, we have  $g^*scl(A) \subseteq cl(A)$ , we have  $x \in cl(A)$ . Suppose  $x \notin A$ . Therefore  $x \in cl(A) - A$ . It follows that  $\{x\} \subseteq cl(A) - A$ . Thus, by Lemma 2.26,  $A$  is not  $\hat{g}^*$ -closed in  $X$  which is a contradiction. Hence  $x \in A$ .

Case (ii) : Suppose  $\{x\}$  is  $g^*s$ -open. Then  $\{x\} \cap A \neq \phi$ . Therefore  $x \in A$ . Thus in both cases  $x \in A$ . It follows that  $g^*scl(A) \subseteq A$ . Therefore  $A$  is  $g^*s$ -closed in  $X$ . Hence  $X$  is  ${}^*_\kappa T_{1/2}$ .  $\square$

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