



## ON WEAKLY $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -CLOSED SETS IN TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we introduce a new class of generalized closed sets called  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed and weakly  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed sets. Also, we investigate the relationships among related generalized closed sets.

**Keywords:**  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed,  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed, gsp-closed, gs-closed, sg-closed.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Levine [11] introduced generalized closed sets in general topology as a generalization of closed sets. This idea was viewed as valuable and many outcomes overall generalised topology were gotten to the next level. Many researchers like Veerakumar [19] introduced  $\hat{g}$ -closed sets in topological spaces. Sheik John [17] introduced  $\omega$ -closed sets in topological spaces. After the coming of these ideas, generalised topologists presented different sorts of generalised closed sets and concentrated on their major properties. As of late, Ravi and Ganesan [16] presented and  $\ddot{g}$ -closed sets in general topology as one more generalization of closed sets and demonstrated that the class of  $\ddot{g}$ -closed sets appropriately lies between the class of closed sets and the class of g-closed sets.

Pious Missier et al. [15] have presented the idea of  $g'''$ -closed sets and concentrated on their most basic properties in topological spaces.

In this paper, we present class of generalized closed sets called weakly  $\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -closed sets. Also, Additionally, we examine the connections among related generalized closed sets.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Throughout this thesis  $(X, \tau)$ ,  $(Y, \sigma)$  and  $(Z, \eta)$  (or  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $Z$ ) represent topological spaces ( briefly  $\mathcal{TPS}$ ) on which no separation axioms are assumed unless otherwise mentioned. For a subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a space  $X$ ,  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P})$ ,  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P})$  and  $\mathcal{P}^c$  or  $X \setminus \mathcal{P}$  or  $X - \mathcal{P}$  denote the closure of  $\mathcal{P}$ , the interior of  $\mathcal{P}$  and the complement of  $\mathcal{P}$ , respectively.

We recall the following definitions which are useful in the sequel.

### Definition 2.1

A subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a space  $X$  is called:

- (i) semi-open [10] if  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))$ ;
- (ii)  $\alpha$ -open [13] if  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})))$ ;
- (iii) semi-preopen [1] if  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P})))$ ;
- (iv) regular open [18] if  $\mathcal{P} = \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$ .

The complements of the above mentioned open sets are called their respective closed sets.

### Definition 2.2

A subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a space  $X$  is called:

- (i) a generalized closed (briefly g-cld) [11] if  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is open in  $X$ .
- (ii) a generalized semiclosed (briefly gs-cld) [3] if  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is open in  $X$ .
- (iii) a  $\alpha$ -generalized closed (briefly  $\alpha$  g-cld) set [12] if  $\alpha \text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is open in  $X$ .
- (iv) a generalized semi-preclosed (briefly gsp-cld) set [9] if  $\text{spcl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is open in  $X$ .
- (v) a semi-generalized closed (briefly sg-cld) [5] if  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is semi-open in  $X$ .

3. WEAKLY  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -CLOSED SETS

We introduce the definition of weakly  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed sets in  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$  and study the relationships of such sets.

**Definition 3.1** A subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$  is called

- (i) a  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed (briefly  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld) if  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open in  $X$ .
- (ii) a weakly  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed (briefly  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld) if  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.2**

Any closed is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld but converse is not true.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a closed set such that  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$ . Then  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P}$ . Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be sg-open. Since  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P}$ . We have  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open. Thus  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld.

**Example 3.3**

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{i, s\}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld set but not closed in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.4**

Any  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld but converse is not true.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed. Then by definition  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open in  $X$ . Since  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P}$ . We have  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open. Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld.

**Example 3.5**

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ . The set  $\{i, s\}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld set but not  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.6**

Any regular cld is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld but converse is not true.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be any regular closed set. Then by definition  $\mathcal{P} = \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$ . Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be sg-open set containing  $\mathcal{P}$ .

Hence,  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld.

**Example 3.7**

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ , the set  $\{a\}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld but not regular closed in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.8**

Any  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld is gsp-cld but converse is not true.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be any  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld and  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  be open set. Then  $\mathcal{B}$  is a sg-open set containing  $\mathcal{P}$  and  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$ . Hence  $\text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))) \subseteq \text{int } \mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B}$ , Since  $\mathcal{B}$  is open which shows that  $\text{spcl}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P} \cup \text{int}(\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$ .

Thus,  $\mathcal{P}$  is gsp-closed.

**Example 3.9**

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{i\}$  is gsp-cld but not  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld.

**Theorem 3.10**

If a subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$   $X$  is both closed and  $\alpha$  g-cld, then it is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be an  $\alpha$  g-closed set in  $(X, \tau)$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  be open set containing  $\mathcal{P}$ . Then by definition  $\mathcal{B} \supseteq \alpha \text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P} \cup \text{cl}(\text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P})))$  whenever  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is an open set. Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is closed,  $\mathcal{B} \supseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))$  and hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.11**

If a subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$   $X$  is both open and  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld, then it is closed.

**Proof**

Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is open,  $\text{int } \mathcal{P} = \mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{P}$  is sg open. Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld,  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ . Also  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\mathcal{P})$ , which implies that  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is closed in  $(X, \tau)$ .

**Corollary 3.12**

If a subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{TPS}$   $X$  is both open and  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld, then it is both regular open and regular cld in  $X$ .

**Proof**

Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is open,  $\text{int } \mathcal{P} = \mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{P}$  is sg open. Since  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld,  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \text{int}(\mathcal{P}) = \mathcal{P}$ .

Also we have  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\mathcal{P})$ ,  $\mathcal{P} = \text{int}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$ , which implies that  $\mathcal{P} = \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is regular open.

Since  $\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ ,  $\text{cl}(\text{int} \mathcal{P}) \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ . Also  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\mathcal{P}) = \text{cl}(\text{int } \mathcal{P})$ . Which shows that  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int} \mathcal{P})$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is regular closed.

**Theorem 3.13**

Suppose that  $B \subseteq \mathcal{P} \subseteq X$ ,  $B$  is a sg-cld relative to  $\mathcal{P}$  and that  $\mathcal{P}$  is both open and sg-cld subset of  $X$ .

Then  $B$  is sg-cld relative to  $X$ .

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be a sg-closed set such that  $\mathcal{B} \subseteq O$ ,  $O$  is open in  $X$ . Then  $\mathcal{B} \subseteq \mathcal{P} \cap O$  and  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}) \subseteq \mathcal{P} \cap O$ . It follows that  $\mathcal{P} \cap \text{scl}(\mathcal{B}) \subseteq \mathcal{P} \cap O$  and  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq O \cup (\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}))^c$ . Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is sg-closed in  $X$ , we have  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq O \cup (\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}))^c$  since the union of open set and semi-open set is semi-open. Therefore  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}) \subseteq \text{scl}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq O \cup (\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}))^c$  and consequently,  $\text{scl}(\mathcal{B}) \subseteq O$ .

**Corollary 3.14**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be both open and sg-cld and suppose that  $F$  is closed. Then  $\mathcal{P} \cap F$  is sg-cld.

**Proof**

Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is both open and sg-cld and  $F$  is closed. Also we have  $\mathcal{P} \cap F \subseteq \mathcal{P}$ . Thus  $\mathcal{P} \cap F$  is closed in  $\mathcal{P}$  and hence by theorem 1.3.13  $\mathcal{P} \cap F$  is sg-cld in  $\mathcal{P}$ .

**Theorem 3.15**

A set  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld if and only if  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) - \mathcal{P}$  contains no non-empty sg-cld.

**Proof**

Necessity. Let us assume that  $F$  be a sg-cld such that  $F \subseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) - \mathcal{P}$ . Since  $F^c$  is sg-open and  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq F^c$ , by definition of  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld it follows that  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq F^c$ . ie.  $F \subseteq (\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})))^c$ . This implies that  $F \subseteq (\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))) \cap (\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})))^c = \phi$ .

Sufficiency. Conversely Assume that there exist no non-empty sg closed set contained in  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) - \mathcal{P}$ . Let  $G$  be both closed and sg-open set in  $X$  such that  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq G$ . If  $\mathcal{P}$  is not  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld, then  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))$  is not contained in  $G$ , then  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \cap G^c$  is a non-empty sg-closed subset of  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) - \mathcal{P}$ , which is a contradiction. Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld.

### Theorem 3.16

Let  $X$  be a  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$  and  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq Y \subseteq X$ . If  $\mathcal{P}$  is open and  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -closed in  $X$ , then  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld relative to  $Y$ .

### Proof

Let  $\mathcal{B}$  is sg-open in  $(X, \tau)$  such that  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B} \cap Y$ . Since  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{P} \subseteq \mathcal{B}$  implies  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) \subseteq \mathcal{B}$ . That is  $Y \cap (\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))) \subseteq Y \cap \mathcal{B}$  where  $Y \cap \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}))$  is closure of interior of  $\mathcal{P}$  in  $Y$ . Thus,  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld relative to  $Y$ .

### Theorem 3.17

If a subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{T}\mathcal{P}\mathcal{S}$   $X$  is nowhere dense, then it is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld.

### Proof

Since  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P}) \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$  and  $\mathcal{P}$  is nowhere dense,  $\text{int}(\mathcal{P}) = \emptyset$ . Therefore  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P})) = \emptyset$  and hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

The converse of Theorem 3.17 need not be true as seen in the following example.

### Example 3.18

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s, d\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{i\}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld but not nowhere dense in  $X$ .

### Remark 3.19

The following examples show that  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld and semi-closedness are independent.

### Example 3.20

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s, d\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{s\}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld but not semi-cld in  $X$ .

### Example 3.21

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{s\}$  is semi-closed set but not  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

**Definition 3.22**

A subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{TPS}$   $X$  is called  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set if  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.23**

Any open set is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be an open set in a  $\mathcal{TPS}$   $X$ . Then  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is closed in  $X$ . By Theorem 3.2 it follows that  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open in  $X$ .

The converse of Theorem 3.23 need not be true as seen in the following example.

**Example 3.24**

Let  $X = \{i, s, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{\emptyset, \{i\}, \{s\}, \{i, s\}, X\}$ . Then the set  $\{d\}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set but it is not open in  $X$ .

**Proposition 3.25**

- (i) Every  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open but not conversely.
- (ii) Every regular open is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open but not conversely.
- (iii) Every  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set is gsp-open but not conversely.

**Proof**

(i) Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be an  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set in a topological space  $X$ . Then  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ - $\mathcal{P}^c$  is closed in  $X$ . By Theorem 1.3.4 it follows that  $\mathcal{C}\Omega$ - $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open in  $X$ .

(ii) Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be an regular open set in a topological space  $X$ . Then  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is regular closed in  $X$ . By Theorem 1.3.6 it follows that  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -cld in  $X$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open in  $X$ .

(iii) Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be an  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open set in a topological space  $X$ . Then  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$  closed in  $X$ . By Theorem 1.3.8 it follows that  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is gsp-cld in  $X$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}$  is gsp open in  $X$ .

**Theorem 3.26**

A subset  $\mathcal{P}$  of a  $\mathcal{TPS}$   $X$  is  $w\mathcal{C}\Omega$ -open if  $G \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$  whenever  $G \subseteq \mathcal{P}$  and  $G$  is sg-cld.

**Proof**

Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be any  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -open. Then  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld. Let  $G$  be a sg-cld contained in  $\mathcal{P}$ . Then  $G^c$  is a sg-open set containing  $\mathcal{P}^c$ . Since  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld, we have  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}^c)) \subseteq G^c$ . Therefore  $G \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$ .

Conversely, we suppose that  $G \subseteq \text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P}))$  whenever  $G \subseteq \mathcal{P}$  and  $G$  is sg-closed. Then  $G^c$  is a sg-open set containing  $\mathcal{P}^c$  and  $G^c \supseteq (\text{int}(\text{cl}(\mathcal{P})))^c$ . It follows that  $G^c \supseteq \text{cl}(\text{int}(\mathcal{P}^c))$ . Hence  $\mathcal{P}^c$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -cld and so  $\mathcal{P}$  is  $w\mathcal{G}\Omega$ -open.

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