

## A comment on weakly $\pi$ g-closed sets in topological spaces

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**Abstract.** In this paper, we show that the notions of  $\pi$ gp-closed sets and weakly  $\pi$ g-closed sets are equivalent.

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### 1. Introduction

Mashhour et al. [2] introduced the notion of preopen sets and obtained their properties. In 1968, Zaitsav [5] introduced the concept of  $\pi$ -open sets in topological spaces. Many results had been obtained by using the concept of  $\pi$ -open sets.

In 2004, J. H Park [3] introduced and studied the concept of  $\pi$ gp-closed sets. Recently, O. Ravi et al. [4] discussed and established the concept of weakly  $\pi$ g-closed sets in topological spaces.

In this paper, we show that the concept of  $\pi$ gp-closed set and a weakly  $\pi$ g-closed set are same.

### 2. Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be preclosed [2] if  $cl(int(A)) \subseteq A$ .

**Definition 2.2** ([5]). Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be  $\pi$ -open if  $A$  is the finite union of regular open sets.

**Definition 2.3** ([3]). Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be  $\pi$ gp-closed if  $pcl(A) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\pi$ -open in  $X$ .

**Definition 2.4** ([4]). Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be weakly  $\pi$ g-closed if  $cl(int(A)) \subseteq G$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is  $\pi$ -open in  $X$ .

**Lemma 2.1** ([1]). Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then,  $pcl(A) = A \cup cl(int(A))$ .

### 3. Main result

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then, the following are equivalent:*

- (i)  $A$  is  $\pi$ gp-closed.
- (ii)  $A$  is weakly  $\pi$ g-closed.

**Proof.** (i) $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A \subseteq X$  be a  $\pi$ gp-closed set and  $U$  be an  $\pi$ -open set containing  $A$ . By Definition 2.3,  $\text{pcl}(A) \subseteq U$ . Using Lemma 2.5,  $A \cup \text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$  which implies  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$ .

This shows that  $A$  is weakly  $\pi$ g-closed.

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $A \subseteq X$  be a weakly  $\pi$ g-closed set such that  $A \subseteq V$  and  $V$  is  $\pi$ -open set in  $X$ . Then by Definition 2.4,  $\text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq V$ . Using Lemma 2.1, we have  $\text{pcl}(A) = A \cup \text{cl}(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A \cup V = V$ .

Therefore,  $\text{pcl}(A) \subseteq V$ . Hence,  $A$  is  $\pi$ gp-closed.  $\square$

### 4. Illustrative examples

In this section, we give some examples to confirm our claim.

**Example 4.1.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}\}, \\ C(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}, \\ \pi O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, c\}\}, \\ \pi GPC(X) &= P(X) = W\pi GC(X). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\pi GPC(X) = W\pi GC(X)$ .

**Example 4.2.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \\ C(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \\ \pi O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \pi GPC(X) = P(X) = W\pi GC(X). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\pi GPC(X) = W\pi GC(X)$ .

**Example 4.3.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$  and  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ , then  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ ,  $C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$ ,  $\pi O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ ,  $\pi GPC(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$ ,  $W\pi GC(X) = \{X, \phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$ .

Therefore,  $\pi GPC(X) = W\pi GC(X)$ .

**Example 4.4.** Let  $X = \{a,b,c,d\}$  and  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a,b\}, \{c,d\}\}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}, \\ C(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}, \\ \pi O(X) &= \{X, \phi, \{a, b\}, \{c, d\}\}, \\ \pi GPC(X) &= P(X) = W\pi GC(X). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\pi GPC(X) = W\pi GC(X)$ .

**Example 4.5.** Let  $X = \{a,b,c,d,e\}$  and  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\}, \{a,b,c\}\}$ , then  $O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\}, \{a,b,c\}\}$ ,  
 $C(X) = \{X, \phi, \{d,e\}, \{a,d,e\}, \{b,d,e\}, \{c,d,e\}, \{a,b,d,e\}, \{a,c,d,e\}, \{b,c,d,e\}\}$ ,  
 $\pi O(X) = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\}, \{a,b,c\}\}$ ,  
 $\pi GPC(X) = \{X, \phi, \{d\}, \{e\}, \{a,d\}, \{a,e\}, \{b,d\}, \{b,e\}, \{c,d\}, \{c,e\}, \{d,e\}, \{a,b,e\}, \{a,b,d\}, \{a,c,d\}, \{a,c,e\}, \{a,d,e\}, \{b,c,d\}, \{b,c,e\}, \{b,d,e\}, \{c,d,e\}, \{a,b,c,d\}, \{a,c,d,e\}, \{b,c,d,e\}, \{a,b,d,e\}, \{a,b,c,e\}\}$ ,  
 $W\pi GC(X) = \{X, \phi, \{d\}, \{e\}, \{a,d\}, \{a,e\}, \{b,d\}, \{b,e\}, \{c,d\}, \{c,e\}, \{d,e\}, \{a,b,e\}, \{a,b,d\}, \{a,c,d\}, \{a,c,e\}, \{a,d,e\}, \{b,c,d\}, \{b,c,e\}, \{b,d,e\}, \{c,d,e\}, \{a,b,c,d\}, \{a,c,d,e\}, \{b,c,d,e\}, \{a,b,d,e\}, \{a,b,c,e\}\}$ .

Therefore,  $\pi GPC(X) = W\pi GC(X)$ .

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