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## ON $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -CLOSED SETS IN IDEAL BI $m$ -SPACES

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**Abstract.** The notions of  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets and  $mn$ - $\mathcal{T}_I$  spaces in an ideal bi  $m$ -space are introduced and investigated by Sanabria et al. [18]. In this paper, we introduce the notion of  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed sets and obtain a decomposition of  $n^*$ -closed sets and a characterization of  $mn$ - $\mathcal{T}_I$  spaces [18] by using  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets and  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed sets.

*Dedicated to Professor Valeriu Popa on the Occasion of His 80th  
Birthday*

### 1. INTRODUCTION

A subfamily  $m$  of the power set  $\mathcal{P}(X)$  of a set  $X$  is called a minimal structure of  $X$  [16] if  $\emptyset \in m$  and  $X \in m$ . Ozbakir and Yildirim [17] introduced and investigated the  $m$ -local function and minimal  $\star$ -closures in a minimal space  $(X, m)$  with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  on  $X$ . And they constructed the minimal structure  $m^*$  containing  $m$ . The notion of  $m$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets is defined and investigated in [17]. In a bi  $m$ -space  $(X, m, n)$  with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ , Sanabria al. [18] introduced and investigated the notion of  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets which is a generalization of  $m$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets. And also they defined  $mn$ - $\mathcal{T}_I$  spaces and obtained a characterization of  $mn$ - $\mathcal{T}_I$  spaces.

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In this paper, we introduce the notion of  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed sets and obtain decompositions of  $n^*$ -closed sets and a characterization of  $mn\mathcal{T}_I$  spaces by using  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets and  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed sets.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

**Definition 2.1.** A subfamily  $m$  of the power set  $\mathcal{P}(X)$  of a nonempty set  $X$  is called a *minimal-structure* (briefly *m-structure*) [16] on  $X$  if  $m$  satisfies the following properties:  $\emptyset \in m$  and  $X \in m$ .

By  $(X, m)$ , we denote a nonempty set  $X$  with a minimal structure  $m$  on  $X$  and call it an *m-space*. Each member of  $m$  is said to be *m-open* and the complement of an *m-open* set is said to be *m-closed*.

**Definition 2.2.** A minimal structure  $m$  of a set  $X$  is said to have:

- (1) *property  $\mathcal{B}$*  [13] if the union of any collection of elements of  $m$  is an element of  $m$ ,
- (2) *property  $\mathcal{F}$*  [18] any finite intersection of sets belonging to  $m$  belongs to  $m$ .

**Definition 2.3.** Let  $(X, m)$  be an *m-space* and  $A$  a subset of  $X$ . The *m-closure*  $m\text{Cl}(A)$  of  $A$  [13] is defined as follows:  $m\text{Cl}(A) = \cap\{F : A \subset F, X \setminus F \in m\}$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** (Popa and Noiri [16]). *Let  $(X, m)$  be an m-space and  $m$  have property  $\mathcal{B}$ . For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties hold:*

- (1)  *$A$  is m-closed if and only if  $m\text{Cl}(A) = A$ ,*
- (2)  *$m\text{Cl}(A)$  is m-closed.*

**Definition 2.4.** A nonempty subfamily  $\mathcal{I}$  of  $\mathcal{P}(X)$  is called an *ideal* on  $X$  [8] if it satisfies the following properties:

- (1)  $A \in \mathcal{I}$  and  $B \subset A$  imply  $B \in \mathcal{I}$ ,
- (2)  $A \in \mathcal{I}$  and  $B \in \mathcal{I}$  imply  $A \cup B \in \mathcal{I}$ .

A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  on  $X$  is called an *ideal topological space* and is denoted by  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ . For an ideal topological space  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  and a subset  $A$  of  $X$ ,  $A^*(\mathcal{I})$  is defined as follows:

$$A^*(\mathcal{I}) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin \mathcal{I} \text{ for every open set } U \text{ containing } x\}.$$

In case there is no chance for confusion,  $A^*(\mathcal{I})$  is simply written as  $A^*$ . In [10],  $A^*$  is called the *local function* of  $A$  with respect to  $\mathcal{I}$  and  $\tau$  and  $\text{Cl}^*(A) = A^* \cup A$  defines a Kuratowski closure operator for a topology  $\tau^*(\mathcal{I})$  which is finer than  $\tau$ . A subset  $A$  is said to be  $\star$ -closed [8] if  $A^* \subset A$ , that is,  $\text{Cl}^*(A) = A$ . If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset\}$ , then  $A^* = \text{Cl}(A)$  and hence  $\text{Cl}^*(A) = \text{Cl}(A)$ .

Similarly, Ozbakir and Yildirim [17] constructed a new  $m$ -structure  $n^*$  on  $X$  containing an  $m$ -structure  $n$  from an  $m$ -space  $(X, n)$  with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  on  $X$ .

**Definition 2.5.** Let  $(X, n)$  be an  $m$ -space with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ . For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the *minimal local function*  $A_n^*$  of  $A$  [17] is defined as follows:

$$A_n^* = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin \mathcal{I} \text{ for every } U \in n(x)\}, \text{ where} \\ n(x) = \{U : x \in U \in n\}.$$

Moreover, the minimal  $\star$ -closure  $nCl^*(A) = A \cup A_n^*$  is defined and the  $m$ -structure  $n^*$  generated by  $nCl^*(A)$  is defined as follows:  $n^* = \{U \subset X : nCl^*(X \setminus U) = X \setminus U\}$ .

**Lemma 2.2.** (Al-Omari and Noiri [1]). *Let  $(X, n)$  be an  $m$ -space with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  and  $n$  have property  $\mathcal{F}$ . Then the operator  $nCl^*(\cdot)$  is a Kuratowski closure operator and  $n^*$  is a topology for  $X$  containing  $n$ .*

**Lemma 2.3.** (Ozbakir and Yildirim [17]). *Let  $(X, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal  $m$ -space. For subsets  $A$  and  $B$  of  $X$ , the following properties hold:*

- (1) *If  $A \subset B$ , then  $A_n^* \subset B_n^*$ ,*
- (2)  *$A_n^* = nCl(A_n^*) \subset nCl(A)$ ,*
- (3)  *$A_n^* \cup B_n^* \subset (A \cup B)_n^*$ ,*
- (4)  *$(A_n^*)_n^* \subset A_n^*$ .*

**Lemma 2.4.** *Let  $(X, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal  $m$ -space and  $A$  a subset of  $X$ . Then the following properties hold:*

- (1)  *$(A \cup A_n^*)_n^* = A_n^*$ ,*
- (2)  *$nCl^*(nCl^*(A)) = nCl^*(A)$ , that is,  $nCl^*(A)$  is  $n^*$ -closed.*

**Proof.** (1) Since  $A \subset (A \cup A_n^*)$ , by Lemma 2.3(1),  $A_n^* \subset (A \cup A_n^*)_n^*$ . Suppose that  $x \notin A_n^*$ . Then there exists  $U \in n(x)$  such that  $U \cap A \in \mathcal{I}$ . Hence  $U \cap A_n^* = \emptyset$ . Because, if  $(U \cap A_n^*)$  is not empty, there exists  $u \in U \cap A_n^*$  and hence  $U \in n(u)$  and  $u \in A_n^*$ . Thus  $U \cap A \notin \mathcal{I}$ . This is a contradiction. Hence  $U \cap A_n^*$  is empty. Now, we have  $U \cap (A \cup A_n^*)_n^* = (U \cap A) \cup (U \cap A_n^*)_n^* = U \cap A \in \mathcal{I}$ . Therefore,  $x \notin (A \cup A_n^*)_n^*$  and  $(A \cup A_n^*)_n^* \subset A_n^*$ . Therefore, we have  $(A \cup A_n^*)_n^* = A_n^*$ .

(2)  $nCl^*(nCl^*(A)) = nCl^*(A \cup A_n^*) = (A \cup A_n^*) \cup (A \cup A_n^*)_n^* = (A \cup A_n^*) \cup A_n^* = nCl^*(A)$ . By the definition of  $n^*$ ,  $nCl^*(A)$  is  $n^*$ -closed.

**Remark 2.1.** It is pointed out in Remark 2.2 of [17] that Lemma 2.4(2) holds under the assumption that  $m$  has property  $\mathcal{F}$ . The proof is not given. However, this is valid without the assumption.

3.  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -CLOSED SETS

A subset  $X$  with two  $m$ -structures  $m, n$  and an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  is called an *ideal bi  $m$ -space* and is briefly denoted by  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$ . First, we shall recall  $\Lambda_m$ -sets in an  $m$ -space  $(X, m)$ .

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(X, m)$  be an  $m$ -space and  $A$  a subset of  $X$ . The subset  $\Lambda_m(A)$  is defined in [4] as follows:  $\Lambda_m(A) = \cap\{U : A \subset U, U \in m\}$ .

A subset  $A$  is called a  $\Lambda_m$ -set if  $A = \Lambda_m(A)$ . The family of all  $\Lambda_m$ -sets on  $X$  is denoted by  $\Lambda_m$ . In case  $m = \tau$  a subset  $A$  is called a  $\Lambda$ -set [12] if  $A = \Lambda_m(A)$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** (Cammurato and Noiri [4]). *For any subsets  $A, B$  and  $A_\alpha$  ( $\alpha \in \Delta$ ) of  $X$ , the following properties hold:*

- (1)  $A \subset \Lambda_m(A)$ ,
- (2)  $m \subset \Lambda_m$ ,
- (3)  $\Lambda_m(A)$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set,
- (4) If  $A \subset B$ , then  $\Lambda_m(A) \subset \Lambda_m(B)$ ,
- (5) If  $A_\alpha$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set for each  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $\cap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha$  is a  $\Lambda_\alpha$ -set.

**Remark 3.1.** In [4], it is assumed that  $m$  has property  $\mathcal{B}$ . However, the above lemma holds without this assumption.

**Definition 3.2.** Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed [18] (resp.  $mng$ -closed [14]) if  $A_n^* \subset U$  (resp.  $nCl(A) \subset U$ ) whenever  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ .

**Remark 3.2.** (1) For every subset  $A$  of  $X$ ,  $A_n^* \subset nCl(A)$  by Lemma 2.3 and hence every  $mng$ -closed set is  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed (Proposition 5.1 of [18]). If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset\}$ , then  $A_n^* = nCl(A)$  and  $mng$ -closed sets are coincident with  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed sets.

(2) By the definitions, we have the following diagram:

## DIAGRAM I

$$\begin{array}{ccc} n\text{-closed} & \Rightarrow & n^*\text{-closed} \\ \Downarrow & & \Downarrow \\ mng\text{-closed} & \Rightarrow & mn\text{-}\mathcal{I}_g\text{-closed} \end{array}$$

The following theorem is a slight modification of the results due to [18].

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed;
- (2)  $nCl^*(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ ;
- (3)  $nCl^*(A) \cap F = \emptyset$  whenever  $A \cap F = \emptyset$  and  $F$  is  $m$ -closed;
- (4)  $nCl^*(A) \subset \Lambda_m(A)$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Suppose that  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ . By (1),  $A_n^* \subset U$  and  $nCl^*(A) = A \cup A_n^* \subset U$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Suppose that  $A \cap F = \emptyset$  and  $F$  is  $m$ -closed. Then  $A \subset X \setminus F \in m$  and by (2)  $nCl^*(A) \subset X \setminus F$ . Therefore, we have  $nCl^*(A) \cap F = \emptyset$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4): Suppose that  $x \notin \Lambda_m(A)$ . Then there exists  $U \in m$  such that  $x \notin U$  and  $A \subset U$ . Hence  $A \cap (X \setminus U) = \emptyset$  and  $X \setminus U$  is  $m$ -closed. By (3), we have  $nCl^*(A) \cap (X \setminus U) = \emptyset$  and  $nCl^*(A) \subset U$ . Hence  $x \notin nCl^*(A)$ . This implies that  $nCl^*(A) \subset \Lambda_m(A)$ .

(4)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Suppose that  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ . By (4) and Lemma 3.1,  $nCl^*(A) \subset \Lambda_m(A) \subset \Lambda_m(U) = U$  and  $A_n^* \subset nCl^*(A) \subset U$ . This shows that  $A$  is  $mn$ - $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed.

**Definition 3.3.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ . A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be  $\mathcal{I}$ - $mg$ -closed [15] if  $A^* \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ .

If we set  $n = \tau$  in Theorems 3.1, then we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 3.1.** (Noiri and Popa [15]) *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space with an ideal  $\mathcal{I}$ . For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $\mathcal{I}$ - $mg$ -closed;
- (2)  $Cl^*(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and  $U \in m$ ;
- (3)  $Cl^*(A) \cap F = \emptyset$  whenever  $A \cap F = \emptyset$  and  $F$  is  $m$ -closed;
- (4)  $Cl^*(A) \subset \Lambda_m(A)$ .

#### 4. $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -CLOSED SETS

A subset  $A$  of a topological space is said to be *locally closed* [3], [7] (resp.  $\lambda$ -closed [2]) if it is the intersection of an open set (resp. a  $\Lambda$ -set) and a closed set. In this section, we investigate some generalizations of locally closed sets and  $\lambda$ -closed sets.

**Definition 4.1.** Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be:

- (1) *locally  $mn^*$ -closed* if  $A = U \cap F$ , where  $U$  is an  $m$ -open set and  $F$  is a  $\star$ -closed set,

(2)  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed if  $A = U \cap F$ , where  $U$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set and  $F$  is  $n^*$ -closed.

**Remark 4.1.** For a subset of an ideal bi  $m$ -space  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$ , we obtain the following implications.

DIAGRAM II

$$n^*\text{-closed} \Rightarrow \text{locally } mn^*\text{-closed} \Rightarrow (\Lambda, mn^*)\text{-closed}$$

**Proposition 4.1.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space and  $n$  have property  $\mathcal{F}$ . If  $A_\alpha$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed for each  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.*

**Proof.** Let  $A_\alpha$  be  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed for each  $\alpha \in \Delta$ . Then  $A_\alpha = U_\alpha \cap F_\alpha$ , where  $U_\alpha$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set and  $F_\alpha$  is an  $n^*$ -closed set for each  $\alpha \in \Delta$ . Then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha = (\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} U_\alpha) \cap (\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} F_\alpha)$ . By Lemma 3.1,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} U_\alpha$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set. Since  $n$  has property  $\mathcal{F}$ , by Lemma 2.2  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} F_\alpha$  is  $n^*$ -closed. Therefore,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed;
- (2)  $A = U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$  for some  $U \in \Lambda_m$ ;
- (3)  $A = \Lambda_m(A) \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $A$  be a  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed set. Then  $A = U \cap F$ , where  $U \in \Lambda_m$  and  $F$  is  $n^*$ -closed. Then, we have  $A \subset U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A) \subset U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(F) = U \cap F = A$ . Therefore, we have  $A = U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$  for  $U \in \Lambda_m$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $A = U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$  for some  $U \in \Lambda_m$ . Since  $A \subset U$ , by Lemma 3.1  $\Lambda_m(A) \subset \Lambda_m(U) = U$  and hence  $A \subset \Lambda_m(A) \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A) \subset U \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A) = A$ . Therefore, we obtain  $A = \Lambda_m(A) \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $A = \Lambda_m(A) \cap n\text{Cl}^*(A)$ . By Lemma 3.1,  $\Lambda_m(A)$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set. It follows from Lemma 2.4 that  $n\text{Cl}^*(A)$  is  $n^*$ -closed. Therefore,  $A$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

**Theorem 4.2.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $n^*$ -closed;
- (2)  $A$  is locally  $mn^*$ -closed set and  $mn\text{-}\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed;
- (3)  $A$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed and  $mn\text{-}\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): The proofs are obvious by DIAGRAMS I and II.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Suppose that  $A$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed and  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed. Then  $A = U \cap F$ , where  $U$  is a  $\Lambda_m$ -set and  $F$  is  $n^*$ -closed. Since  $A \subset U$  and  $A$  is  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed, by Theorem 3.1 and Lemma 3.1,  $nCl^*(A) \subset \Lambda_m(A) \subset \Lambda_m(U) = U$ . On the other hand, since  $A \subset F$ , by Proposition 2.1 of [17],  $nCl^*(A) \subset nCl^*(F) = F$ . Hence  $nCl^*(A) \subset U \cap F = A$  and  $nCl^*(A) = A$ . Therefore,  $A$  is  $n^*$ -closed.

**Remark 4.2.** Both locally  $mn^*$ -closedness and  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closedness are independent of  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closedness as shown by the following examples.

**Example 4.1.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $m = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b\}\}$ ,  $n = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{c\}\}$  and  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{a\}$ . Then  $A$  is not  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed by Example 5.1 of [18]. However, since  $A$  is  $m$ -open and  $X$  is  $m^*$ -closed,  $A$  is locally  $mn^*$ -closed.

**Example 4.2.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ ,  $m = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$ ,  $n = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{a, c\}, \{c, d\}\}$  and  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset, \{b\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{a, c\}$ . Then  $A$  is  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed by Example 5.6 of [18]. However, since  $\Lambda_m(A) = X$  and  $A$  is not  $n^*$ -closed,  $A$  is not  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

**Definition 4.2.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal topological space. A subset  $A$  of  $X$  is said to be:

(1)  $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed [5] (resp.  $g$ -closed [11]) if  $A^* \subset U$  (resp.  $Cl(A) \subset U$ ) whenever  $A \subset U$  and  $U$  is an open set,

(2) weakly  $\mathcal{I}$ -locally closed [9] (resp.  $(\Lambda, \star)$ -closed) if  $A = U \cap F$ , where  $U$  is an open set (resp. a  $\Lambda$ -set) and  $F$  is a  $\star$ -closed set.

In Theorem 4.2, we put  $m = n = \tau$  (topology), then we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 4.1.** *Let  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal topological space. For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is  $\star$ -closed;
- (2)  $A$  is weakly  $\mathcal{I}$ -locally closed and  $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed;
- (3)  $A$  is  $(\Lambda, \star)$ -closed and  $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed.

**Proof.** It is shown in Theorem 2.5 of [6] that (1) and (2) are equivalent.

In Corollary 4.1, we put  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset\}$ , then  $A^* = Cl(A)$  and hence every  $\star$ -closed set is closed. Therefore, we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 4.2.** (Arenas et al. [2]). *Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. For a subset  $A$  of  $X$ , the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $A$  is closed;
- (2)  $A$  is locally closed and  $g$ -closed;
- (3)  $A$  is  $\lambda$ -closed and  $g$ -closed.

**Theorem 4.3.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. Then, the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1) Every singleton of  $X$  is  $n^*$ -open or  $m$ -closed;
- (2) Every subset  $A$  of  $X$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let every singleton of  $X$  be  $n^*$ -open or  $m$ -closed. Suppose that there exists a subset  $A$  of  $X$  such that it is not  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed. Then, by Theorem 4.1,  $A \neq \Lambda_m(A) \cap nCl^*(A)$ . Since  $A \subset \Lambda_m(A) \cap nCl^*(A)$ , there exists a point  $x \in \Lambda_m(A) \cap nCl^*(A)$  such that  $x \notin A$ . Since  $\{x\}$  is  $n^*$ -open or  $m$ -closed, we consider two cases.

(i) In case  $\{x\}$  is  $m$ -closed, since  $x \notin A$ ,  $A \subset X \setminus \{x\} \in m$  and  $A \subset \Lambda_m(A) \subset X \setminus \{x\}$ . However,  $x \in \Lambda_m(A)$  and hence  $x \in X \setminus \{x\}$ . This is a contradiction.

(ii) In case  $\{x\}$  is  $n^*$ -open, since  $x \notin A$ ,  $A \subset X \setminus \{x\}$  and  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is  $n^*$ -closed. Therefore,  $nCl^*(A) \subset nCl^*(X \setminus \{x\}) = X \setminus \{x\}$ . However,  $x \in nCl^*(A)$  and  $x \in X \setminus \{x\}$ . This is a contradiction.

Consequently, we obtain that every subset  $A$  of  $X$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Suppose that  $x \in X$  and  $\{x\}$  is not  $m$ -closed. Then  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is not  $m$ -open and the  $m$ -open set which contains  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is only  $X$ . Therefore,  $nCl^*(X \setminus \{x\}) \subset X$  and by Theorem 3.1  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed. By (2),  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed and  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed. By Theorem 4.2,  $X \setminus \{x\}$  is  $n^*$ -closed and  $\{x\}$  is  $n^*$ -open.

**Definition 4.3.** An ideal bi  $m$ -space  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  is said to be  $mn\mathcal{T}_I$  [18] if every  $mn\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed set of  $X$  is  $n^*$ -closed.

**Corollary 4.3.** *Let  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal bi  $m$ -space. Then, the following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $(X, m, n, \mathcal{I})$  is  $mn\mathcal{T}_I$ ;
- (2) Every singleton of  $X$  is  $n^*$ -open or  $m$ -closed;
- (3) Every subset  $A$  of  $X$  is  $(\Lambda, mn^*)$ -closed.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (2): This follows from Theorem 5.5 of [18].

(2)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (3): This follows from Theorem 4.3

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