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### **On Bc-Lindelof spaces and nearly Bc-Lindelof spaces**

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### Abstract

In this paper, we have discussed a new class of  $\omega$ Bc-open sets and  $\omega$ Bc-regular open sets. Throughout this work, new concepts have been illustrated including an Bc-Lindelof spaces and nearly Bc-Lindelof spaces and the behavior of these invariant under kinds of functions.

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#### **1.Introduction**

The concept of Bc-open set in topological spaces was introduced in 2013 by Hariwan Z [2]. This set was also considered in [3].

This paper consist of three section. In section one, we give similar definition by using of Bc-open sets and also we proof some properties about it. In section two we introduce a new generalization of  $\omega$ Bc-open set,  $\omega$ Bc-regular open and investigate some properties of this set. In section three we obtain new a characterization and preserving theorems of Bc-Lindelof space and nearly Bc-Lindelof space.

#### **Definition**(1.1)[1]:

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subseteq X$ . Then *A* is called b-open set in *X* if  $A \subseteq \overline{A^{\circ}} \cup \overline{A^{\circ}}$ . The family of all b-open subset of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is denoted by  $BO(X, \tau)$  or (Briefly BO(X)).

### **Definition**(1.2)[2]:

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Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is called Bc-open set in X if for each  $x \in A \in BO(X,\tau)$ , there exists a closed set F such that  $x \in F \subset A$ . The family of all Bc-open subset of a topological space  $(X,\tau)$  is denoted by  $BcO(X,\tau)$  or (Briefly BcO(X)), A is Bc-closed set if  $A^c$  is Bc-open set. The family of all Bc-closed subset of a topological space  $(X,\tau)$  or (Briefly BcC(X)).

## **Example(1.3):**

It is clear from the definition that every Bc-open set is b-open, but the converse is not true in general.

Let  $X = \{1,2,3\}, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1,2\}\}$ . Then the closed set are:  $X, \phi, \{2,3\}, \{1,3\}, \{3\}$ . Hence  $BO(X) = \{\phi, X, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}\}$  and  $BcO(X) = \{\phi, X, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}\}$ . Then  $\{1\}$  is b-open but  $\{1\}$  is not Bc-open.

## **Definition**(1.4)[2]:

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is called  $\theta$ -open set in X if for each  $x \in A$ , there exists an open set G such that  $x \in G \subset \overline{G} \subset A$ . The family of all  $\theta$ -open subset of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is denoted by  $\theta O(X, \tau)$  or (Briefly  $\theta O(X)$ ).

## Remark(1.5)[2]:

1) Every  $\theta$ -open is Bc-open.

2) Every  $\theta$ -closed is Bc-closed.

### Example(1.6):

The intersection of two Bc-open sets is not Bc-open in general.

Let  $X = \{1,2,3\}, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1,2\}\}$ . Then  $\{1,3\}, \{2,3\}$  is Bc-open set, where as  $\{1,3\} \cap \{2,3\} = \{3\}$  is not Bc-open set.

## Remark(1.7)[4]:

The intersection of an b-open set and an open set is b-open set.

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## **Remark(1.8):**

Let X be a space and  $A, B \subset X$ . If A is Bc-open set and B is an  $\theta$ -open set, then  $A \cap B$  is Bc-open set.

### **Proof:**

Let *A* be a Bc-open set and *B* be an  $\theta$ -open set, then *A* is b-open set and *B* is an open set since every  $\theta$ -open is open. Then  $A \cap B$  is b-open set by (Remark(1.7)). Now, let  $x \in A \cap B$ ,  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$ . If  $x \in A$ , then there exists a closed set *F* such that  $x \in F \subset A$  and if  $x \in B$ , then there exists an open set *E* such that  $x \in E \subset \overline{E} \subset B$ . Therefore,  $F \cap \overline{E}$  is closed since the intersection of closed sets is closed. Thus  $x \in F \cap \overline{E} \subset A \cap B$ . Then  $A \cap B$  is Bc-open set.

# **Proposition**(1.9)[2]:

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then *A* is Bc-open set if and only if *A* is b-open set and it is a union of closed sets. That is  $A = \bigcup F_{\alpha}$  where *A* is b-open set and  $F_{\alpha}$  is closed subsets for each  $\alpha$ .

## Proposition(1.10)[2]:

Let  $\{A_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a collection of Bc-open sets in a topological space *X*. Then  $\bigcup \{A_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-open.

## **Definition**(1.11)[2]:

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . A point  $x \in X$  is said to Bc-interior point of A, if there exist a Bc-open set U such that  $x \in U \subset A$ . The set of all Bc-interior points of A is called Bc-interior of A and is denoted by  $A^{\circ Bc}$ .

## Theorem(1.12)[2]:

Let *X* be a space and  $A, B \subset X$ , then the following statements are true.

1)  $A^{\circ Bc}$  is the union of all Bc-open set which are contained in A.

- 2)  $A^{\circ Bc}$  is Bc-open set in *X*.
- 3) *A* is Bc-open if and only if  $A = A^{\circ Bc}$ .

$$4) A^{\circ Bc} \subset A.$$

$$5) (A^{\circ Bc})^{\circ Bc} = A^{\circ Bc}$$

6) If  $A \subset B$ , then  $A^{\circ Bc} \subset B^{\circ Bc}$ .

$$7) A^{\circ Bc} \cup B^{\circ Bc} \subset (A \cup B)^{\circ Bc}$$

8)  $(A \cap B)^{\circ Bc} \subset A^{\circ Bc} \cap B^{\circ Bc}$ .

# **Definition**(1.13)[2]:

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Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . The Bc-closure of A is defined by the intersection of all Bcclosed sets in X containing A, and is denoted by  $\overline{A}^{Bc}$ .

# Theorem(1.14)[2]:

Let *X* be a space and *A*,  $B \subset X$ . Then the following statements are true.

1)  $\bar{A}^{Bc}$  is the intersection of all Bc-closed sets containing A.

- 2)  $A \subset \overline{A}^{Bc}$ .
- 3)  $\overline{A}^{Bc}$  is Bc-closed set in *X*.
- 4) *A* is Bc-closed set if and only if  $A = \overline{A}^{Bc}$ .
- 5)  $\overline{(\bar{A}^{Bc})}^{Bc} = \bar{A}^{Bc}$ .
- 6) If  $A \subset B$ , then  $\overline{A}^{Bc} \subset \overline{B}^{Bc}$ .
- 7)  $\overline{A}^{Bc} \cup \overline{B}^{Bc} \subset \overline{(A \cup B)}^{Bc}$ .
- 8)  $\overline{(A \cap B)}^{Bc} \subset \overline{A}^{Bc} \cap \overline{B}^{Bc}$ .

# Proposition(1.15)[2]:

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subset X$ , then the following statements are true.

1) 
$$(\overline{A}^{Bc})^{c} = (A^{c})^{\circ Bc}$$
.  
2)  $(A^{\circ Bc})^{c} = \overline{(A^{c})}^{Bc}$ .  
3)  $\overline{A}^{Bc} = (A^{c \circ Bc})^{c}$ .  
4)  $A^{\circ Bc} = (\overline{A^{c}}^{Bc})^{c}$ .

# **Definition**(1.16):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is called Bc-regular open set in X iff  $A = \overline{A}^{Bc^{\circ Bc}}$ . The complement of Bc-regular open set is called Bc-regular closed.

# **Remark(1.17):**

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subset X$ . *A* is Bc-regular closed set iff  $A = \overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc}$ .

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### **Proof:**

Let A be a Bc-regular closed set, then  $A^c$  is a Bc-regular open set A =

$$(A^c)^c = \left(\overline{A^c}^{Bc} \circ^{Bc}\right)^c = \left(\overline{A^c}^{c} \circ^{Bc} \circ^{C}^{C}\right)^c = \overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc} \circ^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc} \circ^{Bc}. \quad \text{Then} \quad A = \overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc} \circ^{Bc}$$

Conversely, let  $A = \overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc}$ . To prove A is a Bc-regular closed set we must prove that  $A^c$  is a

Bc-regular open set.  $A^{c} = \left(\overline{A^{\circ Bc}}^{Bc}\right)^{c} = \left(\overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{c}\right)^{c} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{Bc}^{c} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{Bc}^{c} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{Bc}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{Bc}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{Bc}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C}^{C} = \overline{A^{c}}^{Bc}^{C}^{C}^{C}^{C}$ 

 $\overline{A^c}^{Bc}$ . Then  $A^c$  is a Bc-regular open set. Therefore A is Bc-regular closed set.

### **Remark(1.18):**

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . A is a Bc-regular open set, then  $\overline{A}^{Bc^{\circ Bc}}$  is a Bc-regular open set.

# **Proof:**

To prove  $\bar{A}^{Bc} e^{Bc}$  is a Bc-regular open we must prove that  $\bar{A}^{Bc} e^{Bc} = \overline{\bar{A}^{Bc}} e^{Bc}$ , since  $A \subset \bar{A}^{Bc}$ , then  $A^{eBc} \subset \bar{A}^{Bc} e^{Bc}$  and since A is a Bc-open set, hence  $A \subset \bar{A}^{Bc} e^{Bc}$ 

$$\bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc} \subset \overline{\bar{A}^{Bc}} \circ Bc}^{Bc} \cdots (1)$$
Since
$$\bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc} \subset \bar{A}^{Bc}, \text{ then } \overline{\bar{A}^{Bc}} \circ Bc}^{Bc} \subset \bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc} = \bar{A}^{Bc}, \text{ hence}$$

$$\bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc} \cdots (2)$$
From (1) and (2)
we get  $\bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc} = \overline{\bar{A}^{Bc}} \circ Bc}^{Bc}$ . Hence  $\bar{A}^{Bc} \circ Bc}$  is a Bc-regular open.

Diagram I shows the relations among BcO(X), BO(X),  $\theta O(X)$  and O(X)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \theta O(X) & \rightarrow & O(X) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ BcO(X) & \rightarrow & BO(X) \\ & Diagram I \end{array}$$

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### **Definition**(2.1)[5]:

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is said to be  $\omega$ b-open if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a b-open subset  $U_x \subseteq X$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is countable. The complement of an  $\omega$ b-open subset is said to be  $\omega$ b-closed.

#### Lemma(2.2)[5]:

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . A is said to be  $\omega$ b-open if and only if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a b-open subset U containing x and a countable subset D such that  $U - D \subseteq A$ .

#### **Definition**(2.3):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is said to be  $\omega$ Bc-open if for each  $x \in A$ , there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x \subseteq X$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is countable. The complement of an  $\omega$ Bc-open subset is said to be  $\omega$ Bc-closed.

#### Lemma(2.4):

Every ωBc-open is ωb-open.

#### **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega$ Bc-open, then for each  $x \in A$ , there exists Bc-open  $U_x$  subset containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is countable set. Since every Bc-open set is b-open, then A is  $\omega$ b-open.

#### Lemma(2.5):

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subset X$ . *A* is said to be  $\omega$ Bc-open if and only if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a Bc-open subset *U* containing *x* and a countable subset *D* such that  $U - D \subseteq A$ .

#### **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega$ Bc-open and  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x$  containing x such that  $|U_x - A|$  is countable. Let  $D = U_x - A = U_x \cap A^c$ , then  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ . Conversely, let  $x \in A$ , Then there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x$  containing x and a countable subset D such that  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ . Thus  $U_x - A \subseteq D$  and  $U_x - A$  is countable set.

#### **Theorem**(2.6):

Let X be a space and  $D \subseteq X$ . If D is  $\omega$ Bc-closed, then  $D \subseteq K \cup B$  for some Bc-closed subset K and a countable subset B.

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## **Proof:**

If *D* is  $\omega$ Bc-closed, then  $D^c$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open and hence for every  $x \in D^c$ , there exists a Bcopen set *U* containing *x* and a countable set *B* such that  $U - B \subseteq D^c$ . Thus  $D \subseteq (U - B)^c = (U \cap B^c)^c = U^c \cup B$ . Let  $K = U^c$ , then *K* is Bc-closed such that  $D \subseteq K \cup B$ .

### **Proposition**(2.7):

The union of any family of  $\omega$ Bc-open is  $\omega$ Bc-open.

### **Proof:**

If  $\{A_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a collection of  $\omega$ Bc-open subset of X, then for every  $x \in \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}, x \in A_{\beta}$  for some  $\beta \in \Lambda$ . Hence there exists a Bc-open subset U of X containing x such that  $U - A_{\beta}$  is countable. Now as  $U - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha} \subseteq U - A_{\beta}$  and thus  $U - (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha})$  is countable. Therefore  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open set.

## **Definition**(2.8):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is said to be  $\omega Bc^*$ -open if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x \subseteq X$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is finite. The complement of an  $\omega Bc^*$ -open subset is said to be  $\omega Bc^*$ -closed.

## Lemma(2.9):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . A is  $\omega Bc^*$ -open if and only if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a

Bc-open subset U containing x and a finite subset D such that  $U - D \subseteq A$ .

### **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega Bc^*$ -open and  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is finite. Let  $D = U_x - A = U_x \cap (A)^c$ . Then  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ . Conversely, let  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc-open subset  $U_x$  containing x and a finite subset D such that  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ , thus  $U_x - A \subseteq D$  and  $U_x - A$  is finite set.

### **Theorem**(2.10):

Let X be a space and  $D \subseteq X$  if D is  $\omega Bc^*$ -closed, then  $D \subseteq K \cup B$  for some Bc-closed subset K and a finite subset B.

## **Proof:**

If D is  $\omega Bc^*$ -closed, then  $D^c$  is  $\omega Bc^*$ -open and hence for every  $x \in D^c$ , there exists a Bcopen set U containing x and a finite set B such that  $U - B \subseteq D^c$ , thus  $D \subseteq (U - B)^c = (U \cap (B)^c)^c = U^c \cup B$ . Let  $K = U^c$ . Then K is Bc-closed such that  $D \subseteq K \cup B$ .

# **Proposition**(2.11):

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The union of any family of  $\omega Bc^*$ -open sets is  $\omega Bc^*$ -open.

# **Proof:**

If  $\{A_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a collection of  $\omega Bc^*$ -open subset of *X*, then for every  $x \in \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}, x \in A_{\beta}$  for some  $\beta \in \Lambda$ . Hence there exists Bc-open subset *U* of *X* containing *x* such that  $U - A_{\beta}$  is finite. Now as  $U - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha} \subseteq U - A_{\beta}$  and thus  $U - (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha})$  is finite. Therefore,  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}$  is  $\omega Bc^*$ -open set.

The following diagram shows the implication for properties of subsets

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\omegaBc*-open \rightarrow \omegaBc-open

\uparrow \land

Bc-open
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Diagram II

# Lemma(2.12):

Every  $\omega Bc^*$ -open is  $\omega Bc$ -open.

# **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega$ Bc\*-open, then for each  $x \in A$  there exists Bc-open subset  $U_x \subseteq X$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is finite. Since every finite is countable, then  $U_x - A$  is countable. Therefore, A is a  $\omega$ Bc-open.

# Lemma(2.13):

Every Bc-open is  $\omega$ Bc-open and  $\omega$ Bc\*-open

## **Proof:**

## 1)

Let A be a Bc-open, then for each  $x \in A$  there exists Bc-open set  $U_x = A$  containing x such that  $U_x - A = \phi$ , then  $U_x - A$  is countable. Therefore, A is a  $\omega$ Bc-open. 2)

Let A be a Bc-open, then for each  $x \in A$  there exists Bc-open set  $U_x = A$  containing x such that  $U_x - A = \phi$ , then  $U_x - A$  is finite. Therefore, A is a  $\omega$ Bc\*-open.

### **Example(2.14):**

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Let  $\mathbb{R}$  be the set of all real numbers with the usual topology and  $\mathbb{Q}$  the set of all rational numbers. Then  $A = \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}$  is an  $\omega$ Bc-open set but it is not  $\omega$ Bc\*-open.

### **Example(2.15):**

Let  $X = \{1,2,3\}, \tau = \{\phi, X, \{1\}, \{1,2\}, \{2,3\}\}$ . Then  $BcO(X) = \{\phi, X, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}\}$ . Therefore,  $\{3\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open and  $\omega$ Bc\*-open but it is not Bc-open.

#### **Definition**(2.16):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open if for each  $x \in A$ , there exists a Bc-regular open subset  $U_x$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is a countable.

#### Lemma(2.17):

Every Bc-regular open is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open.

#### **Proof:**

Let A be a Bc-regular open, then for each  $x \in A$  there exists Bc-regular open subset  $U_x = A$  containing x such that  $U_x - A = \phi$ , then  $U_x - A$  is countable. Therefore, A be a  $\omega$ Bc-regular open.

### Lemma(2.18):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . A is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open if and only if for every  $x \in A$ , there exists a Bc-regular open subset  $U_x$  containing x and a countable subset D such that  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ .

#### **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega$ Bc-regular open and  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc-regular open subset  $U_x$ containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is countable. Let  $D = U_x - A = U_x \cap (A)^c$ . Then  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ . Conversely, let  $x \in A$ . Then there exists a Bc-regular open subset  $U_x$  containing x and a countable subset D such that  $U_x - D \subseteq A$ . Thus  $U_x - A \subseteq D$  and  $U_x - A$  is countable.

#### **Theorem**(2.19):

Let X be a space and  $F \subseteq X$ . If F is  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed, then  $F \subseteq K \cup D$  for some Bc-regular closed subset K and a countable subset F.

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# **Proof:**

If F is  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed, then  $F^c$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open and hence choose  $x \in F^c$ , there exists a Bc-regular open set  $U_x$  containing x and a countable set  $D_x$  such that  $U_x - D_x \subseteq F^c$ . Thus  $F \subseteq (U_x - D_x)^c = (U_x \cap (D_x)^c)^c = U_x^c \cup D_x$ . Let  $K = U_x^c$ . Then K is Bc-closed such that  $F \subseteq K \cup D_x$ .

# **Proposition(2.20):**

The union of any family of ωBc-regular open is ωBc-regular open.

## **Proof:**

If  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a collection of  $\omega$ Bc-regular open subset of X, then for every  $x \in \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}, x \in A_{\beta}$  for some  $\beta \in \Lambda$ . Hence there exists Bc-regular open subset U of X containing x such that  $U - A_{\beta}$  is countable. Now as  $U - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha} \subseteq U - A_{\beta}$  and thus  $U - (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha})$  is countable. Therefore,  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open set.

# **Definition**(2.21):

Let X be a space and  $A \subset X$ . Then A is is said to be  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular open if for each  $x \in A$ ,

there exists a Bc-regular open subset  $U_x$  containing x such that  $U_x - A$  is a finite set.

## Lemma(2.22):

Let *X* be a space and  $A \subset X$ . *A* is  $\omega$ Bc\*-regular open if and only if for every  $x \in A$ , there exist a Bc-regular open subset *U* containing *x* and a finite subset *D* such that U - A.

## **Proof:**

Let A be an  $\omega Bc^*$ -open and  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc- regular open subset U containing x such that U - A is finite. Let  $D = U - A = U \cap (A)^c$ . Then  $U - D \subseteq A$ . Conversely, let  $x \in A$ , then there exists a Bc- regular open subset U containing x and a finite subset D such that  $U - D \subseteq A$ , thus  $U - A \subseteq D$  and U - A is finite set.

### **Theorem**(2.23):

Let X be a space and  $F \subseteq X$ . If F is  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular closed, then  $F \subseteq K \cup D$  for some Bc-regular closed subset K and a finite subset F.

## **Proof:**

If F is  $\omega$ Bc\*-regular closed, then  $F^c$  is  $\omega$ Bc\*-regular open and hence choose  $x \in F^c$ , there exists a Bc-regular open set  $U_x$  containing x and a finite set  $D_x$  such that  $U_x - D_x \subseteq F^c$ . Thus  $F \subseteq (U_x - D_x)^c = (U_x \cap (D_x)^c)^c = U_x^c \cup D_x$ . Let  $K = U_x^c$ . Then K is Bc-closed such that  $D \subseteq K \cup D_x$ .

## **Proposition**(2.24):

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The union of any family of  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular open sets is  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular open.

### **Proof:**

If  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a collection of  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular open subset of X, then for every  $x \in \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}, x \in A_{\beta}$  for some  $\beta \in \Lambda$ . Hence there exists Bc-regular open subset U of X containing x such that  $U - A_{\beta}$  is finite. Now as  $U - \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha} \subseteq U - A_{\beta}$  and thus  $U - (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha})$  is finite. Therefore,  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha}$  is  $\omega Bc^*$ -regular open set.

## **Definition**(2.25)[6]:

A covering of a space X is the family  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of subsets such that  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_{\alpha} = X$ . If each  $A_{\alpha}$  is open, then  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is called an open covering, and if each set  $A_{\alpha}$  is closed, then  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is called a closed covering. A covering  $\{B_{\gamma}: \gamma \in \Gamma\}$  is said to be refinement of a covering  $\{A_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  if for each  $\gamma$  in  $\Gamma$  there exists some  $\alpha$  in  $\Lambda$  such that  $B_{\gamma} \subset A_{\alpha}$ .

## **Definition**(2.26):

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a function

1) *f* is called Bc-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is Bc-open subset of *X* for each  $\theta$ -open subset *A* of *Y*.

2) f is called Bc\*-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is Bc-open subset of X for each Bc-open subset A of Y.

3) f is called  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed function if f(A) is  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed of Y for each Bc-closed set A of X.

4) f is called  $\omega$ Bc-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open subset of X for each  $\theta$ -open subset A of Y.

5) *f* is called  $\omega$ Bc\*-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open subset of *X* for each Bc-open subset *A* of *Y*.

6) f is called  $\omega Bc^{**}$ -continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -open subset of X for each  $\theta$ open subset A of Y.

### **Remark(2.27):**

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Every ωBc\*\*-continuous is ωBc-continuous.

### **Proof:**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a function and let A be an  $\theta$ -open of Y. Since f is an  $\omega Bc^{**}$ -continuous function, then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -open of X. Since every  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -open is  $\omega Bc$ -open, then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $\omega Bc$ -open of X. Thus f is an  $\omega Bc$ -continuous.

#### **Definition**(2.28):

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a function

1) f is called BcR-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is Bc-regular open subset of X for each  $\theta$ open subset A of Y.

2) f is called Bc\*R-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is Bc-regular open subset of X for each Bc-open subset A of Y.

3) *f* is called  $\omega$ Bc\*R-closed function if f(A) is  $\omega$ Bc\*-regular closed of *Y* for each Bc-closed set *A* of *X*.

4) f is called  $\omega$ BcR-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open subset of X for each  $\theta$ -open subset A of Y.

5) f is called  $\omega$ Bc\*R-continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open subset of X for each Bc-open subset A of Y.

6) f is called  $\omega Bc^{**}R$ -continuous function if  $f^{-1}(A)$  is  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -regular open subset of X for each  $\theta$ -open subset A of Y.

#### **Remark(2.29):**

Every ωBc\*\*R-continuous is ωBcR-continuous.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a function and let A be an  $\theta$ -open of Y. Since f is an  $\omega Bc^{**}R$ -continuous function, then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -regular open of X. Since every  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -regular open is  $\omega Bc^{*}$ -regular open, then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is an  $\omega Bc$ -regular open of X. Thus f is an  $\omega BcR$ -continuous.

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# **3.Bc-Lindelof space and nearly Bc-Lindelof space**

## **Definition(3.1):**

A space X is said to be  $\theta$ -Lindelof if every  $\theta$ -open cover of X has a countable subcover.

# **Definition**(3.2):

A space X is said to be Bc-Lindelof if every Bc-open cover of X has a countable subcover.
 For a subset B of a space X is said to be Bc-Lindelof relative to X if every cover of B by Bc-open sets of X has a countable subcover.

# **Theorem(3.3):**

For any space *X*, the following properties are equivalent:

1) X is Bc-Lindelof.

2) Every  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of *X* has a countable subcover.

## **Proof:**

 $1 \rightarrow 2$ 

Let  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of X. For each  $x \in X$ , there exists  $\alpha(x) \in \Lambda$  such that  $x \in G_{\alpha(x)}$ . Since  $G_{\alpha(x)}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open, there exists Bc-open set  $V_{\alpha(x)}$  such that  $x \in V_{\alpha(x)}$  and  $V_{\alpha(x)} - G_{\alpha(x)}$  is a countable. The family  $\{V_{\alpha(x)}: x \in X\}$  is a Bc-open cover of X. Since X is Bc-Lindelof, then there exists a countable subset, say  $\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n), \dots$  such that  $X = \bigcup\{V_{\alpha(xi)}: i \in N\}$ . Now, we have

$$X = \bigcup_{i \in N} \{ (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}) \cup G_{\alpha(xi)} \}$$
$$= (\bigcup_{i \in N} (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)})$$

For each  $\alpha(xi)$ ,  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}$  is a countable set and there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}$  of  $\Lambda$  such that  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)} \subseteq \bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}\}$ . Therefore, we have  $X \subseteq (\bigcup_{i \in N} (\bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}\})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)}).$  $2 \rightarrow 1$ 

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any Bc-open cover of *X*. To prove *X* is Bc-Lindelof, since every Bcopen is  $\omega$ Bc-open by lemma(2.13). By(2), then  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of *X* has a countable subcover. Therefore, *X* is Bc-Lindelof.

### **Proposition**(3.4):

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For any space *X*, the following properties are equivalent:

1) X is Bc-Lindelof.

2) Every  $\omega Bc^*$ -open cover of *X* has a countable subcover.

### **Proof:**

#### $1 \rightarrow 2$

Let  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any  $\omega$ Bc\*-open cover of X. For each  $x \in X$ , there exists  $\alpha(x) \in \Lambda$ such that  $x \in G_{\alpha(x)}$ . Since  $G_{\alpha(x)}$  is  $\omega$ Bc\*-open, there exists Bc-open set  $V_{\alpha(x)}$  such that  $x \in V_{\alpha(x)}$  and  $V_{\alpha(x)} - G_{\alpha(x)}$  is a finite. Since every finite is countable, then  $V_{\alpha(x)} - G_{\alpha(x)}$  is a countable. The family  $\{V_{\alpha(x)}: x \in X\}$  is a Bc-open cover of X and since X is Bc-Lindelof, then there exists a countable subset, say  $\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n), \dots$  such that  $X = \bigcup \{V_{\alpha(xi)}: i \in N\}$ . Now, we have

$$X = \bigcup_{i \in N} \{ (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}) \cup G_{\alpha(xi)} \}$$
$$= (\bigcup_{i \in N} (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)})$$

For each  $\alpha(xi)$ ,  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}$  is a countable set and there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}$ of  $\Lambda$  such that  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)} \subseteq \bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}\}$ . Therefore, we have  $X \subseteq (\bigcup_{i \in N} (\bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}\})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)}).$  $2 \rightarrow 1$ 

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any Bc-open cover of *X*. To prove *X* is Bc-Lindelof, since every Bcopen is  $\omega$ Bc-open, then  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of *X* has a countable subcover by theorem(3.3). Therefore, *X* is Bc-Lindelof.

### **Proposition(3.5):**

If X is a space such that every Bc-open subset of X is a Bc-Lindelof relative to X, then every subset is Bc-Lindelof relative to X.

### **Proof:**

Let *B* be an arbitrary subset of *X* and let  $\{U_i: i \in I\}$  be a cover of *B* by Bc-open set. Then the family  $\{U_i: i \in I\}$  is a Bc-open cover of the Bc-open set  $\bigcup\{U_i: i \in I\}$  by proposition(1.10). Hence by assumption there is a countable subfamily  $\{U_{ij}: j \in I\}$  which covers  $\bigcup\{U_i: i \in I\}$ . This subfamily is also a cover of the set *B*.

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# **Proposition(3.6):**

For any space *X*, the following statements are equivalent:

1) X is Bc-Lindelof.

2) Every family of  $\omega$ Bc-closed sets { $F_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda$ } of *X* such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ , then there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\circ} \subseteq \Lambda$  such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ .

3) Every family of  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed sets { $F_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda$ } of *X* such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ , then there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\circ} \subseteq \Lambda$  such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ .

4) Every family of Bc-closed sets  $\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of *X* such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ , then there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\circ} \subseteq \Lambda$  such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ .

## **Proof:**

#### 1→2

Suppose that X is Bc-Lindelof. Let  $\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a family of  $\omega$ Bc-closed subsets of X such that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ . Then the family  $\{F_{\alpha}{}^{c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of Bc-Lindelof space X, there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\circ}$  of  $\Lambda$  such that  $X = \bigcup\{F_{\alpha}{}^{c} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\}$ . Then  $\phi = (\bigcup\{F_{\alpha}{}^{c} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\})^{c} = \bigcap\{(F_{\alpha}{}^{c})^{c} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\} = \bigcap\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\}$ 

It is clear since every  $\omega Bc^*$ -closed is  $\omega Bc$ -closed.

### 3→4

It is clear since every Bc-closed is ωBc\*-closed.

### 4→1

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any a Bc-open cover of *X*. Then  $\{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a family of Bcclosed subset of *X* with  $\bigcap \{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\} = \phi$ . By assumption, there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\circ}$  of  $\Lambda$ , then  $\bigcap \{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\} = \phi$ . So that  $X = (\bigcap \{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\})^{c} = \bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\circ}\}$ . Hence *X* is Bc-Lindelof.

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#### **Theorem(3.7):**

A space *X* is Bc-Lindelof if and only if for every collection of Bc-closed sets with countable intersection property  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ .

### **Proof:**

Let *X* is Bc-Lindelof and  $\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a collection of Bc-closed sets with countable intersection property,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ . Suppose that  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ . Then  $X = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha}{}^{c}$  where  $F_{\alpha}{}^{c}$  is Bc-open set for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{F_{\alpha}{}^{c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-open cover of *X* which is a Bc-Lindelof, there exist countable many members  $\alpha_{1}, ..., \alpha_{n}, ...$  such that  $X = \bigcup_{i \in N} F_{\alpha i}{}^{c} = (\bigcap_{i \in N} F_{\alpha i})^{c}$ 

$$\bigcap_{i\in N} F_{\alpha i} = F_{\alpha 1} \cap \dots \cap F_{\alpha n} \cap \dots = \phi$$

which is a contradiction with our assumption that  $\{F_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  has a countable intersection property. Hence  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ . Conversely, let every collection of Bc-closed subset of Xwith the countable intersection property,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ . Suppose that X is not Bc-Lindelof, then there exist Bc-open cover  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of X has no countable subcover  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$ i.e  $X = G_{\alpha 1} \cup \dots \cup G_{\alpha n} \cup \dots$ . Then  $(\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha i})^c = \bigcap_{i \in N} G_{\alpha i}^c \neq \phi$ . But  $\{G_{\alpha}{}^c: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a collection of Bc- closed of X with countable intersection property by assumption. Then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} G_{\alpha}{}^c \neq \phi$ ,  $(\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} G_{\alpha})^c \neq \phi$  which is a contradiction that G is Bc-

open cover of X. Thus must have countable subcover. Hence X is Bc-Lindelof.

### **Theorem(3.8):**

Every  $\omega$ Bc-closed subset of a Bc-Lindelof space of X is Bc-Lindelof relative to X.

### **Proof:**

Let *A* be an  $\omega$ Bc-closed subset of *X*. Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a cover of *A* by Bc-open set of *X*. Now, for each  $x \in A^c$ , there is a Bc-open set  $V_x$  such that  $V_x \cap A$  is a countable. Since *X* is Bc-Lindelof and the collection  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\} \cup \{V_x : x \in A^c\}$  is a Bc-open cover of *X*, there exists a countable subcover  $\{G_{\alpha i} : i \in N\} \cup \{V_{xi} : i \in N\}$ . Since  $\bigcup_{i \in N} (V_{xi} \cap A)$  is countable, so for each  $x_j \in \bigcup (V_{xi} \cap A)$ , there is  $G_{\alpha(xj)} \in \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  such that  $x_j \in G_{\alpha(xj)}$  and  $j \in N$ . Hence  $\{G_{\alpha i} : i \in N\} \cup \{G_{\alpha(xj)} : j \in N\}$  is a countable subcover of  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  and it covers *A*. Therefore, *A* is Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

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### **Theorem(3.9):**

Every Bc-closed subset of a Bc-Lindelof space of X is Bc-Lindelof relative to X.

### **Proof:**

Let *A* be an Bc-closed subset of *X*. Then  $A^c$  is Bc-open ,since every Bc-open is  $\omega$ Bc-open. Therefore, *A* is  $\omega$ Bc-closed by theorem(3.8), then *A* is Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

## **Proposition(3.10):**

Every  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed subset of a Bc-Lindelof space of *X* is Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

### **Proof:**

Let *A* be an  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed subset of *X*. Then *A<sup>c</sup>* is  $\omega$ Bc\*-open ,since every  $\omega$ Bc\*-open is  $\omega$ Bc-open. Therefore, *A* is  $\omega$ Bc-closed by theorem(3.8), then *A* is Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

### **Theorem(3.11):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a Bc-continuous and onto function. If X is a Bc-Lindelof, then Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an  $\theta$ -open cover of Y and since f is Bc-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-open cover of X. Since X is Bc-Lindelof, then X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) =$  $G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable subcover of Y. Hence Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

## **Theorem(3.12):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a Bc\*-continuous and onto function. If X is a Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a Bc-open cover of *Y* and since *f* is Bc\*-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-open cover of *X*. Since *X* is Bc-Lindelof, then *X* has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since *f* is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$ for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable subcover of *Y*. Hence *Y* is a Bc-Lindelof.

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#### **Theorem(3.13):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a  $\omega$ Bc-continuous and onto function. If X is a Bc-Lindelof, then Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an  $\theta$ -open cover of Y and since f is  $\omega$ Bc-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of X. Since X is Bc-Lindelof, then by theorem(3.4), X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable subcover of Y. Hence Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

### **Theorem(3.14):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a  $\omega Bc^*$ -continuous and onto function. If X is a Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a Bc-open cover of *Y* and since *f* is  $\omega$ Bc\*-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-open cover of *X*. Since *X* is Bc-Lindelof, then by theorem(3.4), *X* has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since *f* is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable subcover of *Y*. Hence *Y* is a Bc-Lindelof.

### **Theorem(3.15):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be an  $\omega Bc^{**}$ -continuous and onto function. If X is a Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

It is clear since every  $\omega Bc^{**}$ -continuous is  $\omega Bc$ -continuous.

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### **Proposition**(3.16):

If  $f: X \to Y$  be an  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed onto such that  $f^{-1}(y)$  is Bc-Lindelof relative to X and Y is a Bc-Lindelof for each  $y \in Y$ , then X is a Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an Bc-open cover of X. For each  $y \in Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(y)$  is Bc-Lindelof relative to X and there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_1(y)$  of  $\Lambda$  such that  $f^{-1}(y) \subset \cup \{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda_1(y)\}$ . Now we put  $G(y) = \{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda_1(y)\}$  and  $V(y) = Y - f(U(y)^c)$ . Then, since f is an  $\omega$ Bc\*-closed, V(y) is an  $\omega$ Bc\*-open set in Y containing y such that  $f^{-1}(V(y)) \subset U(y)$ . Since V(y) is an  $\omega$ Bc\*-open, there exists a Bc-open set W(y) containing y such that W(y) - V(y) is a countable set. For each  $y \in Y$ , we have  $W(y) \subset (W(y) - V(y)) \cup V(y)$  and hence

$$\begin{aligned} f^{-1}\big(W(y)\big) &\subset \left[f^{-1}\big(W(y) - V(y)\big)\right] \cup f^{-1}\big(V(y)\big) \\ &\subset f^{-1}\big(W(y) - V(y)\big) \cup G(y) \end{aligned}$$

since W(y) - V(y) is a countable set and  $f^{-1}(y)$  is Bc-Lindelof relative to X, there exists a countable set  $\Lambda_2(y)$  of  $\Lambda$  such that

$$f^{-1}\big(W(y)-V(y)\big) \subset \bigcup \{G_\alpha \colon \alpha \in \Lambda_2(y)\}$$

and hence  $f^{-1}(W(y)) \subset [\bigcup\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda_{2}(y)\}] \bigcup[G(y)]$ . Since  $\{W(y): y \in Y\}$  is Bc-open cover of the Bc-Lindelof space Y, there exists a countable points of Y, say  $y_{1}, ..., y_{n}, ...$  such that  $Y = \bigcup\{W(yi): i \in N\}$ . Therefore, we obtain  $X = \bigcup_{i \in N} f^{-1}(W(yi)) = \bigcup_{i \in N} [\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda_{2}(yi)} G_{\alpha}] \cup (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda_{1}(yi)} G_{\alpha})$  $= \bigcup\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda_{1}(yi) \cup \Lambda_{2}(yi), i \in N\}.$ 

Hence X is Bc-Lindelof.

### **Definition**(3.17):

1) A space X is said to be nearly Bc-Lindelof if every Bc-regular open cover of X has a countable subcover.

2) For a subset *B* of a space *X* is said to be nearly Bc-Lindelof relative to *X* if every cover of *B* by Bc-regular open sets of *X* has a countable subcover of *B*.

### **Theorem(3.18):**

For any space *X*, the following properties are equivalent:

- 1) X is nearly Bc-Lindelof.
- 2) Every  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of *X* has a countable subcover.

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### **Proof:**

#### $1 \rightarrow 2$

Let  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of X. For each  $x \in X$ , there exists  $\alpha(x) \in \Lambda$  such that  $x \in G_{\alpha(x)}$ . Since  $G_{\alpha(x)}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open, there exists Bc-regular open set  $V_{\alpha(x)}$  such that  $x \in V_{\alpha(x)}$  and  $V_{\alpha(x)} - G_{\alpha(x)}$  is a countable. The family  $\{V_{\alpha(x)}: x \in X\}$  is a Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, then there exists a countable subset, say  $\alpha(x_1), \dots, \alpha(x_n), \dots$  such that  $X = \bigcup \{V_{\alpha(xi)}: i \in N\}$ . Now, we have

$$X = \bigcup_{i \in N} \{ (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}) \cup G_{\alpha(xi)} \}$$
  
=  $(\bigcup_{i \in N} (V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)}).$ 

For each  $\alpha(xi)$ ,  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)}$  is a countable set and there exists a countable subset  $\Lambda_{\alpha(xi)}$  of  $\Lambda$  such that  $V_{\alpha(xi)} - G_{\alpha(xi)} \subseteq \bigcup \{ G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)} \}$ . Therefore, we have  $X \subseteq (\bigcup_{i \in N} (\bigcup \{ G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda_{\alpha(xi)} \})) \cup (\bigcup_{i \in N} G_{\alpha(xi)}).$  $2 \rightarrow 1$ 

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be any Bc-regular open cover of X. To prove X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, since every Bc-regular open is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open by (2) ,then  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of X has a countable subcover. Therefore, X is nearly Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Proposition**(3.19):

A space X is nearly Bc-Lindelof if and only if every family  $\{F_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed sets has countable intersection property  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ .

#### **Proof:**

Let X be a nearly Bc-Lindelof space and suppose that  $\{F_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a family of  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed sets with countable intersection property,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} = \phi$ . Let us consider the  $\omega$ Bc-regular open sets  $G_{\alpha} = F_{\alpha}^{\ c}$ , the family  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, the cover  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  has a countable subcover  $\{G_{\alpha i}: i \in N\}$ . Therefore,  $X = \bigcup\{G_{\alpha i}: i \in N\}$ 

$$= \bigcup \{F_{\alpha i}^{\ c} : i \in N\}$$
$$= (\bigcap \{F_{\alpha i} : i \in N\})^{c}.$$

Then  $\bigcap \{F_{\alpha i} : i \in N\} = \phi$ . Thus, if the family  $\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed sets with countable intersection property, then  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ . Conversely, Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of *X* and suppose that every family  $\{F_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  of  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed sets

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has countable intersection property,  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Lambda} F_{\alpha} \neq \phi$ . Then  $X = \bigcup \{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ . Therefore,  $\phi = X^c = \bigcap \{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  and  $\{G_{\alpha}^{\ c} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is a family of  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed sets with an empty intersection. By assumption, there exists a countable subset  $\{G_{\alpha i}^{\ c} : i \in N\}$  such that  $\bigcap \{G_{\alpha i}^{\ c} : i \in N\} = \phi$ . Hence  $(\bigcap \{G_{\alpha i}^{\ c} : i \in N\})^c = X = \bigcup \{G_{\alpha i} : i \in N\}$ . Thus X is nearly Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Theorem (3.20):**

Every  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed subset of a nearly Bc-Lindelof space *X* is nearly Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

#### **Proof:**

Let *A* be an  $\omega$ Bc-regular closed subset of *X*. Let  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a cover by Bc-regular open sets of *X*. Now, for each  $x \in A^c$ , there is a Bc-regular open set  $V_x$  such that  $V_x \cap A$  is a countable. Since *X* is nearly Bc-Lindelof and the collection  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\} \cup \{V_x: x \in A^c\}$  is a Bc-regular open cover of *X*, there exists a countable subcover  $\{G_{\alpha i}: i \in N\} \cup \{V_{xi}: i \in N\}$ . Since  $\bigcup_{i \in N} (V_{xi} \cap A)$  is a countable, so for each  $x_j \in \bigcup (V_{xi} \cap A)$ , there is  $G_{\alpha(xj)} \in \{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  such that  $x_j \in G_{\alpha(xj)}$  and  $j \in N$ . Hence  $\{G_{\alpha i}: i \in N\} \cup \{G_{\alpha(xj)}: i \in N\}$  is a countable subcover of  $\{G_{\alpha}: \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  and it covers *A*. Therefore, *A* is nearly Bc-Lindelof relative to *X*.

#### **Theorem(3.21):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be an BcR-continuous and onto function. If X is a nearly Bc-Lindelof, then Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an  $\theta$ -open cover of Y and since f is BcR-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, then X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable sub cover of Y. Hence Y is an  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

#### **Theorem(3.22):**

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Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a Bc\*R-continuous and onto function. If X is a nearly Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a Bc-open cover of Y and since f is Bc\*R-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, then X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), \dots, f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), \dots\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, \dots, G_{\alpha n}, \dots\}$  is a countable subcover of Y. Hence Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

### **Theorem(3.23):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a  $\omega$ BcR-continuous and onto function. If X is a nearly Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a  $\theta$ -open cover of Y and since f is  $\omega$ BcR-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is Bc-nearly Bc-Lindelof, then by theorem(3.18), X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), ..., f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), ...\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, ..., G_{\alpha n}, ...\}$  is a countable subcover of Y. Hence Y is a  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

### **Theorem(3.24):**

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be a  $\omega$ Bc\*R-continuous and onto function. If X is a nearly Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

### **Proof:**

Let  $\{G_{\alpha} : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be a Bc-open cover of Y and since f is  $\omega$ Bc\*R-continuous function, then  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha}) : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is  $\omega$ Bc-regular open cover of X. Since X is nearly Bc-Lindelof, then by theorem(3.18), X has a countable subcover  $\{f^{-1}(G_{\alpha 1}), ..., f^{-1}(G_{\alpha n}), ...\}$ . Since f is onto, then  $f(f^{-1}(G_{\alpha})) = G_{\alpha}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $\{G_{\alpha 1}, ..., G_{\alpha n}, ...\}$  is a countable subcover of Y. Hence Y is a Bc-Lindelof.

#### **Theorem**(3.25):

Let  $f: X \to Y$  be an  $\omega Bc^{**}R$ -continuous and onto function. If X is a nearly Bc-Lindelof, then Y is a  $\theta$ -Lindelof.

#### **Proof:**

It is clear since every  $\omega Bc^{**}R$ -continuous is  $\omega BcR$ -continuous.

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### المستخلص

. Bc& والمجاميع المفتوحة المنتظمة من النمط-Bc∞نناقش في هذا البحث صنف جديد من المجاميع المفتوحة من النمط-بالاضافة الى ذلك Bc واللندلوف تقريبا من النمط-Bcظهرت خلال هذا العمل مفاهيم جديدة وتتضمن اللندلوف من النمط-در سنا سلوك هذه الصفات تحت تأثير بعض انواع معينه من الدوال.