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### **On $(1,2)^*$ - $G'''$ -Regular Space In Bitopological Spaces**

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#### **ABSTRACT**

In this paper, we introduce  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -regular space in bitopological spaces. We obtain several characterizations of  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -regular space in some preservation theorems for  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Using  $g$ -closed sets, Munshi<sup>1</sup>introduced  $g$ -regular in topological spaces. In a similar way, Sheik John<sup>2</sup>introduced  $\omega$ -regular using  $\omega$ -closed sets in topological spaces.

## 2. SOME DEFINITIONS AND THEOREMS

### Definition 2.1

A function  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is called a weakly  $(1,2)^*$ - continuous if for each point  $x \in X$  and each  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -open set  $V$  in  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  containing  $f(x)$ , there exists a  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set  $U$  containing  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq \sigma_{1,2}$ - $\text{cl}(V)$ .

### Definition 2.2

A space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is called a  $(1,2)^*$ - $gT$   $g'''$ -space if every  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ - closed set in it is  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -closed.

### Definition 2.3

A bitopological space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  will be termed symmetric if and only if for  $x$  and  $y$  in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ ,  $x \in \tau_{1,2}$ - $\text{cl}(y)$  implies that  $y \in \tau_{1,2}$ - $\text{cl}(x)$ .

### Definition 2.4

For a subset  $A$  of a bitopological space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ ,  $\tau_{1,2}$ - $\text{cl}_0(A) = \{x \in X : \tau_{1,2}$ - $\text{cl}(U) \cap A \neq \emptyset, U$  is  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set containing  $x\}$ .

### Theorem 2.5

A set  $A$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -open if and only if  $F \subseteq \tau_{1,2}$ - $\text{int}(A)$  whenever  $F$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -closed and  $F \subseteq A$ .

### Theorem 2.6

The space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is symmetric if and only if  $\{x\}$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -closed in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  for each point  $x$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ .

### Definition 2.7

Let  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  be a function. Then  $f$  is called

- (i)  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -continuous if the inverse image of every  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -closed set of  $Y$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -closed in  $X$ .
- (ii)  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -irresolute if the inverse image of every  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -closed set of  $Y$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -closed in  $X$ .
- (iii) pre- $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open if the image of every  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open set of  $X$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open set in  $Y$ .
- (iv)  $(1,2)^*$ -open if the image of every  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set of  $X$  is  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -open in  $Y$ .
- (v)  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -irresolute if the inverse image of every  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -closed set of  $Y$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -closed in  $X$ .
- (vi)  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ -closed if the image of every  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed set of  $X$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -  $g'''$ - closed in  $Y$ .
- (vii)  $(1, 2)^*$ -continuous<sup>3</sup> if for each  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -open set  $V$  of  $Y$ ,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is  $\tau_{1,2}$ - open in  $X$ .

**Theorem 2.8**

If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is bijective, pre-(1,2)\*-gs-open and (1,2)\*-g'''-continuous, then  $f$  is (1,2)\*-g'''-irresolute.

**Definition 2.9**

Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space. Let  $x$  be a point of  $X$  and  $G$  be a subset of  $X$ . Then  $G$  is called an (1,2)\*-g'''-neighborhood of  $x$  (briefly, (1,2)\*-g'''-neighborhood of  $x$ ) in  $X$  if there exists an (1,2)\*-g'''-open set  $U$  of  $X$  such that  $x \in U \subseteq G$ .

**3. (1,2)\*-  $\alpha$  g'''-REGULAR SPACE**

We introduce the following definition.

**Definition 3.1**

A space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is said to be (1,2)\*-g'''-regular if for every (1,2)\*-g'''-closed set  $F$  and each point  $x \notin F$ , there exist disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $F \subseteq U$  and  $x \in V$ .

**Theorem 3.2**

Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space.

Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is a (1,2)\*-g'''-regular space.
- (ii) For each  $x \in X$  and (1,2)\*-g'''-neighborhood  $W$  of  $x$  there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq W$ .

**Proof**

(i)  $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $W$  be any (1,2)\*-g'''-neighborhood of  $x$ . Then there exist a (1,2)\*-g'''-open set  $G$  such that  $x \in G \subseteq W$ . Since  $G^c$  is (1,2)\*-g'''-closed and  $x \notin G^c$ , by hypothesis there exist  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $G^c \subseteq U$ ,  $x \in V$  and  $U \cap V = \emptyset$  and so  $V \subseteq U^c$ . Now,  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U^c) = U^c$  and  $G^c \subseteq U$  implies  $U^c \subseteq G \subseteq W$ . Therefore  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq W$ .

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $F$  be any (1,2)\*-g'''-closed set and  $x \notin F$ . Then  $x \in F^c$  and  $F^c$  is (1,2)\*-g'''-open and so  $F^c$  is a (1,2)\*-g'''-neighborhood of  $x$ . By hypothesis, there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $x \in V$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq F^c$ , which implies  $F \subseteq (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V))^c$ . Then  $(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V))^c$  is an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set containing  $F$  and  $V \cap (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V))^c = \emptyset$ . Therefore,  $X$  is (1,2)\*-g'''-regular<sup>4,5,6,7</sup>.

**Theorem 3.3**

For a space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  the following are equivalent:

- (i)  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is (1,2)\*-normal.

- (ii) For every pair of disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed sets  $A$  and  $B$ , there exist  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ - open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $A \subseteq U, B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \varnothing$ .

**Proof**

(i)  $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $A$  and  $B$  be disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed subsets of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . By hypothesis, there exist disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets (and hence  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -open sets)  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $A \subseteq U$  and  $B \subseteq V$ .

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $A$  and  $B$  be  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed subsets of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . Then by assumption,  $A \subseteq G, B \subseteq H$  and  $G \cap H = \varnothing$ , where  $G$  and  $H$  are disjoint  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -open sets. Since  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed, by Theorem 2.5,  $A \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(G)$  and  $B \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(H)$ . Further,  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(G) \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(H) = \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(G \cap H) = \varnothing$ .

**Theorem 3.4**

A  $(1,2)^*$ - $gT$   $g'''$ -space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is symmetric if and only if  $\{x\}$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  for each point  $x$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ .

**Proof**

Follows from Definitions 2.2, 2.3 and Theorem 2.6.

**Theorem 3.5**

A bitopological space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular if and only if for each  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set  $F$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and each  $x \in F^c$  there exist  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  such that  $x \in U, F \subseteq V$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \varnothing$ .

**Proof**

Let  $F$  be a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $x \notin F$ . Then there exist  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U_0$  and  $V$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  such that  $x \in U_0, F \subseteq V$  and  $U_0 \cap V = \varnothing$ , which implies  $U_0 \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \varnothing$ . Since  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V)$  is  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed, it is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed and  $x \notin \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V)$ . Since  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular, there exist  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $G$  and  $H$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  such that  $x \in G, \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq H$  and  $G \cap H = \varnothing$ , which implies  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(G) \cap H = \varnothing$ . Let  $U = U_0 \cap G$ , then  $U$  and  $V$  are  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  such that  $x \in U, F \subseteq V$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \varnothing$ .

Converse part is trivial.

**Corollary 3.6**

If a space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular, symmetric and  $(1,2)^*$ - $gT$   $g'''$ - space, then it is  $(1,2)^*$ -Urysohn.

**Proof**

Let  $x$  and  $y$  be any two distinct points of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . Since  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is symmetric and  $(1,2)^*$ - $gT$   $g'''$ -space,  $\{x\}$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed by Theorem 3.4. Therefore, by Theorem 3.5, there exist  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $x \in U, y \in V$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \varnothing$ .

**Theorem 3.7**

Let  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  be a bitopological space. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular.
- (ii) For each point  $x \in X$  and for each  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -neighborhood  $W$  of  $x$ , there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq W$ .
- (iii) For each point  $x \in X$  and for each  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set  $F$  not containing  $x$ , there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \cap F = \emptyset$ .

**Proof**

(i)  $\Leftrightarrow$ (ii). It is obvious from Theorem 3.2.

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$ (iii). Let  $x \in X$  and  $F$  be a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set such that  $x \notin F$ . Then  $F^c$  is a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -neighborhood of  $x$  and by hypothesis, there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq F^c$  and hence  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \cap F = \emptyset$ .

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$ (ii). Let  $x \in X$  and  $W$  be a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -neighborhood of  $x$ . Then there exists a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -open set  $G$  such that  $x \in G \subseteq W$ . Since  $G^c$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed and  $x \notin G^c$ , by hypothesis there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \cap G^c = \emptyset$ . Therefore,  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) \subseteq G \subseteq W$ .

**Theorem 3.8**

The following are equivalent for a space  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ .

- (i)  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular.
- (i)  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(A) = (1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ - $\text{cl}(A)$  for each subset  $A$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ .
- (ii)  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(A) = A$  for each  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set  $A$ .

**Proof**

(i)  $\Rightarrow$ (ii). For any subset  $A$  of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ , we have always  $A \subseteq (1,2)^*\text{-}g'''\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(A)$ . Let  $x \in ((1,2)^*\text{-}g'''\text{-cl}(A))^c$ . Then there exists a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set  $F$  such that  $x \in F^c$  and  $A \subseteq F$ . By assumption, there exist disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $x \in U$  and  $F \subseteq V$ . Now,  $x \in U \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \subseteq V^c \subseteq F^c \subseteq A^c$  and therefore  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap A = \emptyset$ . Thus,  $x \in (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(A))^c$  and hence  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(A) = (1,2)^*\text{-}g'''\text{-cl}(A)$ .

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$ (iii). It is trivial.

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$ (i). Let  $F$  be any  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set and  $x \in F^c$ . Since  $F$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed, by assumption  $x \in (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}_0(F))^c$  and so there exists an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open set  $U$  such that  $x \in U$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap F = \emptyset$ . Then  $F \subseteq (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U))^c$ . Let

$V = (\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U))^c$ . Then  $V$  is an  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open such that  $F \subseteq V$ . Also, the sets  $U$  and  $V$  are disjoint and hence  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  are  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular<sup>12,13</sup>.

**Theorem 3.9**

If  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular space and  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is bijective, pre- $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open,  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -continuous and  $(1,2)^*$ -open, then  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular.

**Proof**

Let  $F$  be any  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed subset of  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  and  $y \notin F$ . Since the function  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -irresolute by Theorem 2.8, we have  $f^{-1}(F)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$ . Since  $f$  is bijective, let  $f(x) = y$ , then  $x \notin f^{-1}(F)$ . By hypothesis, there exist disjoint  $\tau_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $x \in U$  and  $f^{-1}(F) \subseteq V$ . Since  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -open and bijective, we have  $y \in f(U)$ ,  $F \subseteq f(V)$  and  $f(U) \cap f(V) = \emptyset$ . This shows that the space  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is also  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular<sup>14</sup>.

**Proposition 3.10**

If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -irresolute  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed and  $A$  is an  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed subset of  $X$  then  $f(A)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $Y$ .

**Proof**

Let  $U$  be a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open set in  $Y$  such that  $f(A) \subseteq U$ . Since  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -irresolute,  $f^{-1}(U)$  is a  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open set containing  $A$ . Hence  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(U)$  as  $A$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $X$ . Since  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed,  $f(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))$  is an  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set contained in the  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -open set  $U$ , which implies that  $\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(f(\tau_{1,2}\text{-cl}(A))) \subseteq U$  and  $\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(f(A)) \subseteq U$ . Therefore  $f(A)$  is an  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set in  $Y$ <sup>15</sup>.

**Theorem 3.11**

If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau^2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -irresolute  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed  $(1,2)^*$ -continuous injection and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular, then  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular.

**Proof**

Let  $F$  be any  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed set of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $x \notin F$ . Since  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g$ -irresolute  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed, by Proposition 3.3.10,  $f(F)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  and  $f(x) \notin f(F)$ . Since  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular and so there exist disjoint  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  in  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  such that  $f(x) \in U$  and  $f(F) \subseteq V$ . i.e.,  $x \in f^{-1}(U)$ ,  $F \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$  and  $f^{-1}(U) \cap f^{-1}(V) = \emptyset$ . Therefore,  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular<sup>16</sup>.

**Theorem 3.12**

If  $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is weakly  $(1,2)^*$ -continuous  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ - closed injection and  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular, then  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -regular.

**Proof**

Let  $F$  be any  $\tau_{1,2}$ -closed set of  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  and  $x \notin F$ . Since  $f$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ - closed,  $f(F)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -closed in  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  and  $f(x) \notin f(F)$ . Since  $(Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ - $g'''$ -regular

by Theorem 3.5 there exist  $\sigma_{1,2}$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $f(x) \in U$ ,  $f(F) \subseteq V$  and  $\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U) \cap \sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V) = \varnothing$ . Since  $f$  is weakly  $(1,2)^*$ -continuous it follows that  $x \in f^{-1}(U) \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(f^{-1}(\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U)))$ ,  $F \subseteq f^{-1}(V) \subseteq \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(f^{-1}(\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V)))$  and  $\tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(f^{-1}(\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(U))) \cap \tau_{1,2}\text{-int}(f^{-1}(\sigma_{1,2}\text{-cl}(V))) = \varnothing$ . Therefore,  $(X, \tau_1, \tau_2)$  is  $(1,2)^*$ -regular<sup>17</sup>.

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