

# On Bc-open sets

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we introduce a new class of open sets, called Bc-open sets, it is denoted and studied. Also, we have studied of definition Bc-paracompact spaces and nearly Bc-paracompact spaces and have provide some properties of this concepts.

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## 1.Introduction

In [5] H. Z. Ibrahim introduced the concept of Bc-open set in topological spaces. This paper consist of two sections. 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 obtain new a characterization and preserving theorems of Bc-paracompact spaces, nearly Bc-paracompact spaces and the product of space  $X \times Y$  where  $X$  is Bc-paracompact space and  $Y$  is  $\theta$ -compact space.

### Definition(1.1)[3]:

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subset X$ . Then  $A$  is called b-open set in  $X$  if  $A \subseteq \overline{A^\circ} \cup \overline{A}$ . 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)[5]:

Let  $X$  be a topological 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  $(X, \tau)$  is denoted by  $BcC(X, \tau)$  or (Briefly  $BcC(X)$ ).

### Remark(1.3):

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

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)[10]:

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

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

### Remark (1.5)[5]:

- 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)[2]:

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

### Proposition (1.8):

Let  $X$  be a topological 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  $B$  is 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  $x \in B$ , then there exists a closed set  $F$  such that  $x \in F \subset A$ , and there exists an open set  $E$  such that  $x \in E \subset \overline{E} \subset B$ . Therefore,  $E \cap \overline{F}$  is closed since the intersection of closed sets is closed. Thus  $x \in E \cap \overline{F} \subset A \cap B$ . Then  $A \cap B$  is Bc-open set.

### Proposition(1.9)[5]:

Let  $X$  be a topological 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  $A = \cup F_\alpha$  where  $A$  is b-open set and  $F_\alpha$  is closed sets for each  $\alpha$ .

### Proposition(1.10)[5]:

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

### Lemma(1.11)[4]:

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $Y \subset X$ . If  $G$  is an  $\theta$ -open in  $X$ , then  $G \cap Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open in  $Y$ .

### Proposition(1.12)[5]:

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $Y \subset X$ . If  $G$  is an b-open in  $X$  and  $Y$  is an open in  $X$ , then  $G \cap Y$  is b-open in  $Y$ .

**Proposition(1.13):**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $Y \subset X$ . If  $G$  is an Bc-open in  $X$  and  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open in  $X$ , then  $G \cap Y$  is Bc-open in  $Y$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $x \in G \cap Y$ ,  $x \in G$  and  $x \in Y$ . Since  $G$  is a Bc-open set in  $X$ , then for each  $x \in G \in BO(X)$ , there exists  $F$  is closed set in  $X$  such that  $x \in F \subset G$  and since  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open in  $X$ , then there exists  $U$  is open set in  $X$  such that  $x \in U \subset \bar{U} \subset Y$ . Since  $G$  is Bc-open, then  $G$  is b-open and since  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open, then  $Y$  is an open by proposition(1.12). Therefore,  $G \cap Y$  is b-open in  $Y$ . Since  $F, \bar{U}$  are closed set in  $X$  and  $Y \subset X$ , then  $F \cap \bar{U}$  is closed set in  $Y$ . Thus  $x \in F \cap \bar{U} \subset G \cap Y$ . Hence  $G \cap Y$  is Bc-open in  $Y$ .

**Proposition(1.14):**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X$ . If  $G$  is an Bc-open in  $Y$ , then  $G$  is Bc-open in  $X$ .

**Proof:**

Suppose that  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X$  and  $G \subset Y$ , since  $G$  is a Bc-open set in  $Y$ , then for each  $x \in G \in BO(Y)$ , there exists  $F$  is closed set in  $Y$  such that  $x \in F \subset G$ . Let  $G = Y \cap U$ ,  $U \subset X$ , and  $F = E \cap Y$ ,  $E \subset X$ . Then  $x \in E \subset X$ . Hence  $G$  is Bc-open in  $X$ .

**Lemma(1.15)[6]:**

Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be a topological spaces and let  $A \subset X, B \subset Y$  be two non empty subset:

- 1) If  $A$  is an open set in  $X$  and  $B$  is an open set in  $Y$ , then  $A \times B$  is an open subset in  $X \times Y$ .
- 2) If  $A$  is a closed set in  $X$  and  $B$  is a closed set in  $Y$ , then  $A \times B$  is a closed subset in  $X \times Y$ .
- 3)  $\overline{(A \times B)} = \bar{A} \times \bar{B}$ .

**Theorem(1.16):**

Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be a topological spaces and let  $A \subset X, B \subset Y$  such that  $A$  is an  $\theta$ -open set of  $X$ ,  $B$  is an  $\theta$ -open set of  $Y$ , then  $A \times B$  is an  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X \times Y$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $A$  be an  $\theta$ -open set of  $X$  and  $B$  be an  $\theta$ -open set of  $Y$ , then for each  $x \in A$ , there exists  $G$  open set in  $X$  such that  $x \in G \subset \bar{G} \subset A$  and for each  $y \in B$ , there exists  $U$  open set in  $Y$  such that  $y \in U \subset \bar{U} \subset B$ . By lemma(1.15)(1), then  $G \times U$  is an open set in  $X \times Y$ . Since  $\bar{G}, \bar{U}$  is closed set, then  $\bar{G} \times \bar{U}$  is a closed set in  $X \times Y$  by lemma (1.15)(2). Since  $\bar{G} \times \bar{U} = \overline{G \times U}$  by lemma(1.15)(3), then  $x \in G \times U \subset \bar{G} \times \bar{U} \subset A \times B$ . Hence  $A \times B$  is an  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X \times Y$ .

**Proposition(1.17)[8]:**

Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be a topological spaces and let  $A \subset X, B \subset Y$  such that  $A$  is a b-open set of  $X$ ,  $B$  is an open set of  $Y$ , then  $A \times B$  is a b-open subset of  $X \times Y$ .

**Proposition(1.18):**

Let  $X$  and  $Y$  be a topological spaces and let  $A \subset X, B \subset Y$  such that  $A$  is a Bc-open set of  $X$ ,  $B$  is an  $\theta$ -open set of  $Y$ , then  $A \times B$  is a Bc-open subset of  $X \times Y$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $A$  be a Bc-open set of  $X$  and  $B$  be an  $\theta$ -open set of  $Y$ , then for each  $x \in A \in BO(X)$ , there exists  $F$  closed set in  $X$  such that  $x \in F \subset A$  and for each  $y \in B$ , there exists  $U$  open set in  $Y$  such that  $y \in U \subset \bar{U} \subset B$ . Since  $A$  is a Bc-open in  $X$  and  $B$  is an  $\theta$ -open in  $Y$ , then  $A$  is a b-open in  $X$  and  $B$  be an open in  $Y$ . Thus  $A \times B$  is a b-open subset of  $X \times Y$  by proposition(1.17),  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$ , then  $(x, y) \in A \times B \in BO(X)$ . Since  $x \in F \subset A$  and  $y \in U \subset \bar{U} \subset B$  such that  $F$  is closed set in  $X$  and  $\bar{U}$  is closed set in  $Y$ , then  $F \times \bar{U}$  is closed set in  $X \times Y$ . Therefore,  $(x, y) \in F \times \bar{U} \subset A \times B$ . Hence  $A \times B$  is a Bc-open subset in  $X \times Y$ .

**Definition(1.19)[1]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $x \in X$ . Then a subset  $N$  of  $x$  is said to be a  $\theta$ -neighborhood of  $x$ , if there exists  $\theta$ -open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $x \in U \subset N$ .

**Definition(1.20)[5]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological 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(1.21)[5]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological 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)  $A^{\circ Bc} \subset A$ .
- 4)  $A$  is Bc-open if and only if  $A = A^{\circ Bc}$ .
- 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(1.1.22)[5]:**

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

**Theorem(1.23)[5]:**

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

**Proposition(1.24)[5]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subset X$ . Then  $x \in \bar{A}^{Bc}$  if and only if  $A \cap U \neq \emptyset$  for every Bc-open set  $U$  containing  $x$ .

**Definition(1.25)[5]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subset X$ . A point  $x$  is said to be Bc-limit point of  $A$ , if for each Bc-open set  $U$  containing  $x$ ,  $U \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ . The set of all Bc-limit points of  $A$  is called a Bc-derived set of  $A$  and is denoted by  $\dot{A}^{Bc}$ .

**Proposition(1.26)[5]:**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subset X$ . Then  $\overline{A}^{Bc} = A \cup \dot{A}^{Bc}$

**Proposition(1.27):**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subset X$ , then  $\overline{A}^{Bc}$  is the smallest Bc-closed set containing  $A$ .

**Proposition(1.28)[5]:**

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

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

**Definition(1.29):**

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

**Definition(1.30):**

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

**Remark(1.31):**

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

**Proof:**

To prove  $\overline{A^{Bc}}$  is Bc-regular open we must prove that  $\overline{A^{Bc}} = \overline{\overline{A^{Bc}}^{Bc}}$ , since  $A \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$ , then  $A^{Bc} \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$  and since  $A$  is Bc-open set, hence  $A \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$   $\overline{A^{Bc}} \subset \overline{\overline{A^{Bc}}^{Bc}}$  ... (1) Since  $\overline{A^{Bc}} \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$ , then  $\overline{\overline{A^{Bc}}^{Bc}} \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$ , hence  $\overline{\overline{A^{Bc}}^{Bc}} \subset \overline{A^{Bc}}$  ... (2) From (1) and (2) we get  $\overline{A^{Bc}} = \overline{\overline{A^{Bc}}^{Bc}}$ . Hence  $\overline{A^{Bc}}$  is Bc-regular open.

**2. Separation Axiom****Definition(2.1)[7]:**

A space  $X$  is called  $\theta T_2$  - space iff for each  $x \neq y$  in  $X$  there exist disjoint  $\theta$ -open sets  $U, V$  such that  $x \in U, y \in V$ .

**Definition(2.2):**

A space  $X$  is called Bc-regular space iff for each  $x$  in  $X$  and  $C$   $\theta$ -closed set such that  $x \notin C$ , there exist disjoint Bc-open sets  $U, V$  such that  $x \in U, C \subseteq V$ .

**Proposition(2.3):**

A space  $X$  is Bc-regular space iff for every  $x \in X$  and each  $\theta$ -open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$  there exists an Bc-open set  $W$  such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a Bc-regular space and  $x \in X$ ,  $U$  is  $\theta$ -open in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$ . Thus  $U^c$  is  $\theta$ -closed set,  $x \notin U^c$ . Then there exist disjoint Bc-open set  $W, V$  such that  $x \in W, U^c \subseteq V$ . Hence  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V^c}^{Bc} \subseteq V^c \subseteq U$ . Conversely let  $F$  be an  $\theta$ -closed set such that  $x \notin F$ . Then  $F^c$  is an  $\theta$ -open set and  $x \in F^c$ . Thus there exist  $W$  is Bc-open set such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq F^c$ . Then  $x \in W, F \subseteq (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  and  $W, (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  are disjoint Bc-open set. Hence  $X$  is Bc-regular space.

**Definition(2.4):**

A space  $X$  is called Bc\*-regular space iff for each  $x$  in  $X$  and Bc-closed set  $C$  such that  $x \notin C$ , there exist disjoint sets  $U, V$  such that  $U$  is an  $\theta$ -open,  $V$  is a Bc-open and  $x \in U, C \subseteq V$ .

**Proposition(2.5):**

A space  $X$  is Bc\*-regular space iff for every  $x \in X$  and each Bc-open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$  there exists an  $\theta$ -open set  $W$  such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a Bc\*-regular space and  $x \in X$ ,  $U$  is Bc-open in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$ . Thus  $U^c$  is Bc-closed set,  $x \notin U^c$ . Then there exist disjoint set  $W, V$  such that  $W$  is an  $\theta$ -open,  $V$  is a Bc-open and  $x \in W, U^c \subseteq V$ . Hence  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V^c}^{Bc} \subseteq V^c \subseteq U$ . Conversely, let  $F$  be an Bc-closed set such that  $x \notin F$ . Then  $F^c$  is an Bc-open set and  $x \in F^c$ . Thus there exist  $W$  is  $\theta$ -open set such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq F^c$ . Then  $x \in W, F \subseteq (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  and  $(\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  is Bc-open set,  $W \cap (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c = \emptyset$ . Hence  $X$  is Bc\*-regular space.

**Definition(2.7):**

A space  $X$  is called almost Bc-regular space iff for each  $x$  in  $X$  and  $C$  is  $\theta$ -regular closed set such that  $x \notin C$ , there exist disjoint Bc-open sets  $U, V$  such that  $x \in U, C \subseteq V$ .

**Definition(2.8):**

A space  $X$  is called almost Bc\*-regular space iff for each  $x$  in  $X$  and  $C$  is Bc-regular closed set such that  $x \notin C$ , there exist disjoint sets  $U, V$  such that  $U$  is  $\theta$ -open,  $V$  is Bc-open and  $x \in U, C \subseteq V$ .

**Proposition(2.9):**

A space  $X$  is almost Bc-regular space iff for every  $x \in X$  and each  $\theta$ -regular open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$  there exists an Bc-open set  $W$  such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a almost Bc-regular space and  $x \in X$ ,  $U$  is  $\theta$ -regular open set in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$ . Thus  $U^c$  is  $\theta$ -regular closed set,  $x \notin U^c$ . Then there exist disjoint Bc-open set  $W, V$  such that  $x \in W, U^c \subseteq V$ . Hence  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V^c}^{Bc} \subseteq V^c \subseteq U$ . Conversely, Let  $F$  be an  $\theta$ -regular closed set such that  $x \notin F$ . Then  $F^c$  is an  $\theta$ -regular-open set and

$x \in F^c$ . Thus there exist  $W$  is Bc-open set such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq F^c$ . Then  $x \in W$ ,  $F \subseteq (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  and  $W, (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  are disjoint Bc-open set. Hence  $X$  is almost Bc-regular space.

**Proposition(2.10):**

A space  $X$  is almost Bc\*-regular space iff for every  $x \in X$  and each Bc-regular open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$  there exists an  $\theta$ -open set  $W$  such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a almost Bc\*-regular space and  $x \in X$ ,  $U$  is Bc-regular open in  $X$  such that  $x \in U$ . Thus  $U^c$  is Bc-regular closed set,  $x \notin U^c$ . Then there exist disjoint set  $W, V$  such that  $W$  is an  $\theta$ -open,  $V$  is a Bc-open and  $x \in W, U^c \subseteq V$ . Hence  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V}^{Bc} \subseteq V^c \subseteq U$ . Conversely, let  $F$  be an Bc-regular closed set such that  $x \notin F$ . Then  $F^c$  is an Bc-regular open set and  $x \in F^c$ . Thus there exist  $W$  is  $\theta$ -open set such that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq F^c$ . Then  $x \in W$ ,  $F \subseteq (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  and  $(\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  is Bc-open set,  $W \cap (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c = \phi$ . Hence  $X$  is almost Bc\*-regular space.

**Definition(2.11):**

A space  $X$  is called Bc-normal space iff for every disjoint  $\theta$ -closed set  $F_1, F_2$  there exist disjoint Bc-open sets  $V_1, V_2$  such that  $F_1 \subseteq V_1, F_2 \subseteq V_2$ .

**Proposition(2.12):**

A space  $X$  is called Bc-normal space iff for every  $\theta$ -closed set  $F \subseteq X$  and each  $\theta$ -open set  $U$  in  $X$  such that  $F \subseteq U$  there exists an Bc-open set  $W$  such that  $F \subseteq W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a Bc-normal space and let  $F$  is an  $\theta$ -closed set in  $X$ ,  $U$  is an  $\theta$ -open set such that  $F \subseteq U$ . Thus  $U^c$  is  $\theta$ -closed set,  $F$  are disjoint  $\theta$ -open set, then there exists Bc-open sets  $W, V$  such that  $F \subseteq W, U^c \subseteq V, W \cap V = \phi$ . Hence  $F \subseteq W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V}^{Bc} = V^c \subseteq U$ . Conversely, let  $F_1, F_2$  be a disjoint  $\theta$ -closed set. Then  $F_1^c$  is an  $\theta$ -open set and  $F_1 \subseteq F_2^c$ . Thus there exist  $W$  is Bc-open set such that  $F_1 \subseteq W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq F_2^c$ . Then  $F_1 \subseteq W, F_2 \subseteq (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  and  $W, (\overline{W}^{Bc})^c$  are disjoint Bc-open set. Hence  $X$  is Bc-normal space.

**Proposition(2.13):**

If  $X$  is both Bc-normal and  $\theta T_2$  - space, then  $X$  is Bc-regular.

**Proof:**

Let  $x \in X$  and  $U$  be an  $\theta$ -open set such that  $x \in U$ . Then  $\{x\}$  is  $\theta$ -closed subset of  $X$ . Thus there exists a Bc-open set  $W$  such that  $\{x\} \subseteq W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$ . By proposition (2.12). So that  $x \in W \subseteq \overline{W}^{Bc} \subseteq U$  and hence by proposition (2.3)  $X$  is Bc-regular space.

**3.Bc-paracompact Spaces****Definition(3.1)[9]:**

A covering of a topological 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  $B_\gamma \subseteq A_\alpha$ .

**Definition(3.2):**

The family  $\{B_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  of a subset of a space  $X$  is said to be an  $\theta$ -locally finite if for each  $x \in X$  there exist an  $\theta$ -neighborhood  $N_x$  of  $x$  such that the set  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: N_x \cap B_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is finite.

**Proposition(3.3):**

If  $\{B_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite family of subset of a space  $X$ , there exist a family  $\{C_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$ ,  $C_\alpha \subseteq B_\alpha$  for each  $\alpha$ , then  $\{C_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite.

**Proof:**

Let  $\{B_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, for each  $x \in X$ , then there exist  $G_x$   $\theta$ -open set containing  $x$  such that  $G_x \cap B_{\alpha_i} \neq \phi, i = 1, \dots, n$ , hence  $G_x \cap B_{\alpha_j} = \phi, j = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Since  $G_x$  is an  $\theta$ -open set, then  $G_x$  is Bc-open set, and hence  $G_x^c$  is Bc-closed set. Therefore, for  $B_{\alpha_i} \subseteq G_x^c, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Hence  $C_{\alpha_i} \subseteq B_{\alpha_i} \subseteq G_x^c, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . This implies  $G_x \cap C_{\alpha_i} = \phi, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Hence  $\{G_x \cap C_{\alpha_j} \neq \phi, j = 1, \dots, n\}$ . Therefore,  $\{C_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite.

**Proposition(3.4):**

Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ . If  $A_\alpha$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, then  $\overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite.

**Proof:**

Let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, for each  $x \in X$ , then there exist  $\theta$ -open set  $G_x$  containing  $x$  such that  $G_x \cap A_{\alpha_i} \neq \phi, i = 1, \dots, n$ , hence  $G_x \cap A_{\alpha_j} = \phi, j = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Since  $G_x$  is an  $\theta$ -open set, then  $G_x$  is Bc-open set, and hence  $G_x^c$  is Bc-closed set. Therefore,  $A_{\alpha_i} \subseteq G_x^c, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Hence  $\overline{A_{\alpha_i}}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{G_x^c}^{Bc} = G_x^c, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ , then  $\overline{A_{\alpha_i}}^{Bc} \subseteq G_x^c, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . This implies  $G_x \cap \overline{A_{\alpha_i}}^{Bc} = \phi, i = n + 1, n + 2, \dots$ . Hence  $\{G_x \cap \overline{A_{\alpha_j}}^{Bc} \neq \phi, j = 1, \dots, n\}$ . Therefore,  $\overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite.

**Proposition(3.5):**

Let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed family of a space  $X$  then  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc} = \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ .

**Proof:**

Since  $A_\alpha \subseteq \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha$ , then  $\overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  by theorem(1.23) and hence  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ . To prove that  $\overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc} \subseteq \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ . Let  $x \in \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  such that  $x \notin \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ , then  $x \notin \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ , for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Since  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, then there exists an  $\theta$ -open set  $G_x$  containing  $x$  such that  $G_x \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi$  for only a finite member of  $\alpha$  say  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ . Since  $x \notin \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ , then  $x \notin A_\alpha$  and  $x \notin \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$  by proposition(1.27). Thus there exists an Bc-open set  $U_x$  which contain  $x$  such that  $U_x \cap A_\alpha = \phi$  for each  $\alpha \neq \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ . Let  $x \in U_x \cap G_x = V$  is a Bc-open and since  $U_x \cap A_\alpha = \phi$ , for each  $\alpha = \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ , Since  $V \subseteq U_x$  then  $V \cap A_{\alpha_1} = \phi, \dots, V \cap A_{\alpha_n} = \phi$ . Since  $G_x \cap A_\alpha = \phi$ , for  $\alpha = \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ , then  $V \cap A_\alpha = \phi$  for each  $\alpha \neq \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$ ,

then  $V \cap A_\alpha = \phi$ , for  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Now, we have  $\bigcap (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha) = \phi$ , so that since  $x \in V$ , then  $x \notin \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ , by proposition(1.24) which is a contradiction. Thus  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha \subseteq \overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ , so that  $\overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc} \subseteq \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ , then  $\overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc}$ .

**Proposition (3.6):**

The union of member of  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed sets is Bc-closed. **Proof:**

Let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  be a family of  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed sets. Then  $\overline{\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \overline{A_\alpha}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha$ , by theorem (3.4) and hence  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} A_\alpha$  is Bc-closed set by theorem (1.23).

**Theorem (3.7):**

Let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  be a family of Bc-open subsets of a space  $X$  and let  $\{B_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$  be an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed covering of  $X$  such that for each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  the set  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: B_\gamma \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is a finite. Then there exists  $\theta$ -locally finite family  $\{G_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  of Bc-open set of  $X$  such that  $A_\alpha \subseteq G_\alpha$  for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ .

**Proof:**

For each  $\alpha$ , let  $G_\alpha = (\{F_\gamma - B_\gamma \cap A_\alpha = \phi\})^c$ . Clearly  $A_\alpha \subseteq G_\alpha$  and since  $\{B_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, it follow that  $G_\alpha$  is Bc-open by proposition (3.6). Let  $x$  be a point of  $X$ , there exists an  $\theta$ -neighborhood  $N$  of  $x$ , and a finite subset  $k$  of  $\Gamma$  such that  $N \cap F_\gamma = \phi$  if  $\gamma \notin k$ . Hence  $N \subseteq \bigcup_{\gamma \in k} F_\gamma$ . Now  $F_\gamma \cap G_\alpha \neq \phi$  iff  $F_\gamma \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi$ . For each  $\alpha \in k$  the set  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: F_\gamma \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is a finite. Hence  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: N \cap G_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is a finite.

**Lemma(3.8):**

If every  $\theta$ -open cover of a topological space  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement, then every  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement.

**Proof:**

Let  $\mathcal{U}$  be  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$ , and  $\mathcal{A} = \{A_s: s \in S\}$  an  $\theta$ -locally finite of  $\mathcal{U}$  and for each  $x \in X$  choose an  $\theta$ -neighborhood  $V_x$  of  $x$  which meets only finitely many members of  $\mathcal{A}$ . Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement of the  $\theta$ -open cover  $\{V_x: x \in X\}$  and for each  $s \in S$ , let  $W_s = (\{F \in \mathcal{F}: F \cap A_s\})^c$ , then  $W_s$  is a Bc-open and contain  $A_s$ , for each  $s \in S$  and  $F \in \mathcal{F}$ , we have  $W_s \cap F \neq \phi$  iff  $A_s \cap F \neq \phi$ . For each  $s \in S$  take a  $U_s \in \mathcal{U}$  such that  $A_s \subseteq U_s$  and let  $V_s = W_s \cap U_s$ . The family  $\{V_s\}_{s \in S}$  is a Bc-open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ . Since for each  $x \in X$  has an  $\theta$ -neighborhood such that meets only finitely many members of  $\mathcal{F}$  and every members of  $\mathcal{F}$  meets only finitely many members of  $\mathcal{A}$ . Therefore,  $\{V_s\}_{s \in S}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ .

**Theorem(3.9):**

If every finite  $\theta$ -open covering of a space  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc- closed refinement, then  $X$  is Bc-normal space.

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a topological space such that each finite  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$  which has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement and let  $A, B$  be a disjoint  $\theta$ -closed set of  $X$ . The  $\theta$ -

open covering  $\{A^c, B^c\}$  of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement  $W$ . Let  $E$  be the union of the members of  $W$  disjoint from  $A$  and let  $S$  be the union of the members of  $W$  disjoint from  $B$ . Then  $E$  and  $S$  are Bc-closed sets and  $E \cup S = X$ . Thus if  $G = (E)^c$  and  $U = (S)^c$ , then  $G, U$  are disjoint Bc-open sets such that  $A \subseteq G, B \subseteq U$ . Hence  $X$  is Bc-normal space.

**Definition (3.10):**

A topological space  $X$  is said to be Bc-paracompact if every  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement.

**Proposition (3.11):**

Let  $X$  be a Bc paracompact space, let  $A$  be an  $\theta$ -open subset of  $X$  and let  $B$  be an  $\theta$ -closed set of  $X$  which is disjoint from  $A$ . If for every  $x \in B$  there exist  $\theta$ -open sets  $U_x, V_x$  such that  $A \subseteq U_x, x \in V_x$  and  $U_x \cap V_x = \phi$ , then also there exist Bc-open sets  $U, V$  such that  $A \subseteq U, x \in V$  and  $U \cap V = \phi$ .

**Proof:**

The family  $\{V_x: x \in B\} \cup \{(B)^c\}$  is an  $\theta$ -open cover of Bc-paracompact, so that it has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\{W_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$ . Let

$\Gamma_1 = \{\gamma \in \Gamma: W_\gamma \subseteq V_x \text{ for some } x \in B\}$ . If  $\gamma \in \Gamma_1$ , then

$U_x \cap W_\gamma = \phi$  for some  $x$  by proposition (3.4), then  $\overline{W_\gamma}^{Bc}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed. Therefore,  $A \cap \overline{W_\gamma}^{Bc} = \phi$ .

Now, let  $U = (\bigcup_{\gamma \in \Gamma_1} \overline{W_\gamma}^{Bc})^c$  and  $V = \bigcup_{\gamma \in \Gamma_1} W_\gamma$ . Then  $A \subseteq U, B \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \phi$ .

**Proposition(3.12):**

If  $X$  is a Bc-paracompact  $\theta T_2$ -space, then  $X$  is Bc-regular.

**Proof:**

Let  $x \in X$  and  $F$  be an  $\theta$ -closed set in  $X$  such that  $x \notin F$ . Then for each  $y \in F$  there exists  $\theta$ -open sets  $U_y, V_y$  such that  $x \in U_y, y \in V_y$ . It follow from proposition(3.11) there exists Bc-open sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that  $x \in U, F \subseteq V$  and  $U \cap V = \phi$ . Thus  $X$  is Bc-regular.

**Proposition(3.13):**

Let  $X$  be a topological space. If each  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement, then  $X$  is Bc-paracompact Bc-normal Space.

**Proof:**

Let  $\mathcal{U}$  be an  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$  and let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  be an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ . Since  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite, for each point  $x$  of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -neighborhood  $G_x$  such that  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: G_x \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is a finite. If  $\{B_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \Gamma}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement of the

$\theta$ -open covering  $\{G_x\}_{x \in X}$  of  $X$ , then for each  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  the set  $\{\alpha \in \Lambda: B_\gamma \cap A_\alpha \neq \phi\}$  is a finite. It follows from theorem (3.9), that there exist an  $\theta$ -locally finite family  $\{V_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  of Bc-open sets, such that  $A_\alpha \subseteq V_\alpha$  for each  $\alpha$ . Let  $U_\alpha$  be a member of  $\mathcal{U}$  such that  $A_\alpha \subseteq U_\alpha$ , for each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ .

Then  $(V_\alpha \cap U_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ . Thus  $X$  is Bc-paracompact, so that  $X$  is Bc-normal space by theorem(3.9).

**Theorem(3.14):**

Bc\*-regular space is Bc-paracompact Bc-normal if and only if each  $\theta$ -open covering has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-closed refinement.

**Proof:**

Suppose that  $X$  is Bc-paracompact Bc-normal space and let  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  be an  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$ . Since  $X$  is Bc\*-regular, there exists an  $\theta$ -open set  $V_x$  such that  $x \in V_x \subseteq \overline{V_x}^{Bc} \subseteq A_\alpha$  for some  $\alpha$ . The family  $\{V_x : x \in X\}$  is an  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$  and since  $X$  is Bc-paracompact, then there exists an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\mathcal{W} = \{W_x : x \in X\}$  of  $\{V_x : x \in X\}$ . Hence  $\overline{W_x}^{Bc} \subseteq \overline{V_x}^{Bc} \subseteq A_\alpha$ , then  $\{\overline{W_x}^{Bc} : x \in X\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of  $\{A_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$ . Conversely, from theorem(3.13).

**Theorem(3.15):**

Let  $X$  be any Bc\*-regular space, the following condition are equivalent:

- 1)  $X$  is Bc-paracompact.
- 2) Every  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement.
- 3) Every  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$  has a Bc-closed  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement.

**Proof:**

1 $\rightarrow$ 2

Let  $X$  be a Bc-paracompact, then every  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement.

2 $\rightarrow$ 3

Let  $\mathcal{U}$  be an  $\theta$ -open covering of  $X$ . Since  $X$  is Bc\*-regular, there exists  $\theta$ -open set  $V_x$  such that  $x \in V_x \subseteq \overline{V_x}^{Bc} \subseteq U_x$ . The family  $\mathcal{V} = \{V_x : x \in X\}$  is an  $\theta$ -open cover of  $X$ , by (2)  $\mathcal{V}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement. Hence  $\{\overline{V_x}^{Bc} : x \in X\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ .

3 $\rightarrow$ 1

By lemma(3.14).

**Lemma(3.16):**

Let  $X$  be any Bc\*-regular Bc-paracompact space. Then every Bc-open cover  $\{G_s : s \in S\}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\{U_s : s \in S\}$  such that  $\overline{U_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$  for each  $s \in S$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $\{G_s : s \in S\}$  be any Bc-open cover of  $X$ . For  $x \in X$ ,  $x \in G_s$ , for some  $s \in S$  and since  $X$  is Bc\*-regular, hence by proposition(1.36), there exists an  $\theta$ -open cover  $\mathcal{W} = \{W_x : x \in X\}$  and  $\overline{W_x}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ . Since  $X$  is Bc-paracompact, then  $\mathcal{W}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\{A_h : h \in H\}$  for each  $h \in H$  choose  $s(h) \in S$  such that  $\overline{A_h}^{Bc} \subseteq G_{s(h)}$ , and let  $U_s = \bigcup_{s(h)=s} A_h$ . Since  $\bigcup_{s(h)=s} A_h \subseteq \overline{\bigcup_{s(h)=s} A_h}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{s(h)=s} \overline{A_h}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ , then  $\{U_s : s \in S\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of  $\{G_s : s \in S\}$  such that  $\overline{U_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$  for each  $s \in S$ .

**Definition(3.17):**

Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $A \subseteq X$ .  $A$  is said to be Bc-dense set if  $\overline{A}^{Bc} = X$ .

**Definition(3.18):**

A topological space  $X$  is said to be Bc-Lindelof if every Bc-open cover of  $X$  has a countable sub cover.

**Theorem(3.19):**

Let  $X$  be any Bc\*-regular Bc-paracompact space such that there exists an  $\theta$ -open Bc-dense Bc-Lindelof set  $A$ , then  $X$  is a Bc-Lindelof.

**Proof:**

Let  $\mathcal{U} = \{U_s : s \in S\}$  be any Bc-open cover of  $X$ . For each  $x \in X$ ,  $x \in U_s$ , for some  $s \in S$ . By lemma (3.16), there exists a Bc-open  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement  $\{V_s : s \in S\}$  of  $\mathcal{U}$  such that  $\overline{V_s}^{Bc} \subseteq U_s$ , for each  $s \in S$ . Then  $\{V_s \cap A : s \in S\}$  is Bc-open cover of  $A$ , by proposition(1.13). Since  $A$  is Bc-Lindelof, there exists a countable set  $S_0 \subseteq S$  such that  $A = \bigcup \{V_s \cap A : s \in S_0\}$ . So  $X = \overline{A}^{Bc} = \overline{\bigcup_{s \in S_0} V_s \cap A}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{s \in S_0} \overline{V_s \cap A}^{Bc} \subseteq \bigcup_{s \in S_0} \overline{V_s}^{Bc} \subseteq \bigcup_{s \in S_0} U_s$ , hence  $X$  is Bc-Lindelof.

**Lemma(3.20):**

If  $\mathcal{U}$  is an  $\theta$ -open covering of a topological space product  $X \times Y$  of a Bc-paracompact space  $X$  and an  $\theta$ -compact space  $Y$ , then  $\mathcal{U}$  has a refinement of the form  $\{V_\alpha \times G_{i\alpha} : i = 1, \dots, n_\alpha\}$ . Where  $\{V_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open covering of  $X$ , and for each  $\alpha$ ,  $\{G_{i\alpha} : i = 1, \dots, n_\alpha\}$  is a finite  $\theta$ -open covering of  $Y$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $x$  be a point of  $X$ . Since  $Y$  is an  $\theta$ -compact there exists an  $\theta$ -open neighborhood  $W_x$  of  $x$  and a finite  $\theta$ -open covering  $\mathcal{G}_x$  of  $Y$  such that  $W_x \times G$  is contained in some member of  $\mathcal{U}$  if  $G \in \mathcal{G}_x$ . Let  $\{V_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  be an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement of open covering  $\{W_x : x \in X\}$  of the Bc-paracompact space  $X$ . For  $\alpha \in \Lambda$  choose  $x$  in  $X$  such that  $V_\alpha \subseteq W_x$  and let  $\mathcal{G}_x = \{G_{i\alpha} : i = 1, \dots, n_\alpha\}$ . Then  $\{V_\alpha \times G_{i\alpha}\}$  is a Bc-open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ .

**Proposition(3.21):**

The product of a Bc-paracompact space and an  $\theta$ -compact space is a Bc-paracompact space.

**Proof:**

Let  $X$  be a Bc-paracompact space and  $Y$  be an  $\theta$ -compact space and let  $\mathcal{U}$  be an  $\theta$ -open covering of the topological product  $X \times Y$ . Then by lemma(3.20)  $\mathcal{U}$  has a Bc-open refinement of the form  $\{V_\alpha \times G_{i\alpha} : i = 1, \dots, n_\alpha\}$ , where  $\{V_\alpha : \alpha \in \Lambda\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement and  $\{G_{i\alpha} : i = 1, \dots, n_\alpha\}$  is a finite  $\theta$ -open covering of  $Y$  for  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ . Therefore,  $X \times Y$  is a Bc-paracompact space.

**Definition (3.22):**

A space  $X$  is said to be nearly Bc-paracompact space if each  $\theta$ -regular open covering of  $X$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement.

**Lemma(3.23):**

Let  $X$  be any almost Bc\*-regular nearly Bc-paracompact space. Then every Bc-regular open cover  $\{G_s: s \in S\}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-regular open refinement  $\{V_s: s \in S\}$  such that  $\overline{V_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$  for each  $s \in S$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $\{G_s: s \in S\}$  be any Bc-regular open cover of  $X$ . For  $x \in X, x \in G_s$ , for some  $s \in S$  and since  $X$  is almost Bc\*-regular, hence by proposition(2.10), there exists an  $\theta$ -regular open cover  $\mathcal{W} = \{W_x: x \in X\}$  and  $\overline{W_x}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ . Since  $X$  is nearly Bc-paracompact, then  $\mathcal{W}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\{A_h: h \in H\}$  for each  $h \in H$  choose  $s(h) \in S$  such that  $\overline{A_h}^{Bc} \subseteq G_{s(h)}$ , and let  $U_s = \bigcup_{s(h)=s} A_h$ . Since  $U_s \subseteq \bigcup_{s(h)=s} \overline{A_h}^{Bc} = \bigcup_{s(h)=s} \overline{A_h}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ , then  $U_s \subseteq \overline{U_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ , hence  $U_s \subseteq \overline{U_s}^{Bc \circ Bc} \subseteq \overline{U_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$ . Let  $V_s = \overline{U_s}^{Bc \circ Bc}$ , then  $\{V_s: s \in S\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-regular open refinement of  $\{G_s: s \in S\}$  such that  $\overline{V_s}^{Bc} \subseteq G_s$  for each  $s \in S$ .

**Theorem (3.24):**

For any space, the following are equivalent:

- 1)  $X$  is nearly Bc-paracompact.
- 2) Every  $\theta$ -regular open cover of  $X$  has a Bc-regular open  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement.
- 3) Every  $\theta$ -regular open cover of  $X$  has a Bc-regular closed  $\theta$ -locally finite refinement.

**Proof:**

1 $\rightarrow$ 2

Let  $\mathcal{U}$  be any  $\theta$ -regular open cover of  $X$ , then  $\mathcal{U}$  has an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-open refinement  $\mathcal{V}$ . Consider the family  $\mathcal{W} = \{\overline{V}^{Bc \circ Bc}: V \in \mathcal{V}\}$  is an  $\theta$ -locally finite Bc-regular open refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ .

2 $\rightarrow$ 3

It is clear since every Bc-regular open set is Bc-regular closed set.

3 $\rightarrow$ 1

From lemma(3.8).

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