



Properties of (i, j) - β -compact Spaces

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Abstract: A kind of new (i, j) - β -compactness axiom is introduced in L -bitopological spaces, where L is a fuzzy lattice. And its topological properties are systematically studied.

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1. Introduction

It is known that compactness and its stronger and weaker forms play very important roles in topology. Based on fuzzy topological spaces introduced by Chang [3], various kinds of fuzzy compactness [3, 6, 10] have been established. However, these concepts of fuzzy compactness rely on the structure of L and L is required to be completely distributive. In [9], for a complete De Morgan algebra L , Shi introduced a new definition of fuzzy compactness in L -topological spaces using open L -sets and their inequality. This new definition does not depend on the structure of L . In this paper, A kind of new (i, j) - β -compactness axiom is introduced in L -bitopological spaces, where L is a fuzzy lattice. And its topological properties are systematically studied.

2. Preliminaries

Throughout this paper X and Y will be nonempty ordinary sets and $L = L(\leq, \vee, \wedge')$ will denote a fuzzy lattice, that is, a completely distributive lattice with a smallest element 0 and largest element 1 ($0 \neq 1$) and with an order reversion involution $a \rightarrow a'$ ($a \in L$). We shall denote by L^X the lattice of all L -subsets of X and if $A \in X$ by χ_A the characteristic function of A . An L -topological space is a pair (X, τ) , where τ is a subfamily of L^X which contains $\underline{0}, \underline{1}$ and is closed for any suprema and finite infima. τ is called an L -topology on X . Each member of τ is called an open L -set and its quasi complementation is called a closed L -set. An L -bitopological space (or L -bts for short) is an ordered triple (X, τ_1, τ_2) , where τ_1 and τ_2 are subfamilies of L^X which contains $\underline{0}, \underline{1}$ and is closed for any suprema and finite infima. An L -bitopological space (or L -bts for short) is an ordered triple (X, τ_1, τ_2) , where τ_1 and τ_2 are subfamilies of L^X which contains $\underline{0}, \underline{1}$ and is closed for any suprema and finite infima. An element p of L is called prime if and only if $p \neq 1$ and whenever $a, b \in L$ with $a \wedge b \leq p$ then $a \leq p$ or $b \leq p$ [5, 6]. The set of all prime elements of L will be denoted by $pr(L)$. An element α of L is called union

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irreducible or coprime if and only if whenever $a, b \in L$ with $\alpha \leq a \vee b$ then $\alpha \leq a$ or $\alpha \leq b$ [5]. The set of all non zero union irreducible elements of L will be denoted by $M(L)$. It is obvious that $p \in pr(L)$ if and only if $p' \in M(L)$. Warner [12] has determined the prime element of the fuzzy lattice L^X . We have $pr(L^X) = \{x_p : x \in X \text{ and } p \in pr(L)\}$, where for each $x \in X$ and each $p \in pr(L)$, $x_p : X \rightarrow L$ is the L -subset defined by

$$x_p(y) = \begin{cases} p & \text{if } y=x, \\ 1 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

These x_p are called the L -points of X and we say that x_p is a member of an L -subset f and write $x_p \in f$ if and only if $f(x) \not\leq p$. Thus, the union irreducible elements of L^X are the function $x_\alpha : X \rightarrow L$ defined by

$$x_\alpha(y) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } y=x, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where $x \in X$ and $\alpha \in M(L)$. Hence, we have $M(L^X) = \{x_\alpha : x \in X \text{ and } \alpha \in M(L)\}$. As these x_α are identified with the L -points x_p of X , we shall refer to them as fuzzy points. When $x_\alpha \in M(L^X)$, we call x and α the support of x_α ($x = Supp x_\alpha$) and the height of x_α ($\alpha = h(x_\alpha)$), respectively.

Definition 2.1 ([1]). Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts, $A \in L^X$. Then A is called an (i, j) - β -open set if $A \leq j \text{ Cl}(i \text{ Int}(j \text{ Cl}(A)))$. The complement of an (i, j) - β -open set is called an (i, j) - β -closed set. Also, (i, j) - $\beta O(L^X)$ and (i, j) - $\beta C(L^X)$ will always denote the family of all (i, j) - β -open sets and (i, j) - β -closed sets respectively. Obviously, $A \in (i, j)$ - $\beta O(L^X)$ if and only if $A' \in (i, j)$ - $\beta C(L^X)$.

Definition 2.2 ([1]). Let (L^X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bitopological space, $A, B \in L^X$. Let (i, j) - $\beta \text{ Int}(A) = \vee \{B \in L^X \mid B \leq A, B \in (i, j)$ - $\beta O(L^X)\}$, (i, j) - $\beta \text{ Cl}(A) = \wedge \{B \in L^X \mid A \leq B, B \in (i, j)$ - $\beta C(L^X)\}$. Then (i, j) - $\beta \text{ Int}(A)$ and (i, j) - $\beta \text{ Cl}(A)$ are called the (i, j) - β -interior and (i, j) - β -closure of A respectively.

Definition 2.3 ([11]). Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) and (Y, σ_1, σ_2) be two L -bitopological spaces. A function $f : (X, \tau_1, \tau_2) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ is called (i, j) - β -continuous if and only if $f^{-1}(g)$ is (i, j) - β -open in (X, τ_1, τ_2) for each $g \in \sigma_i$.

Definition 2.4 ([2]). Let $\alpha \in M(L)$ and $g \in L^X$. A collection η of L -subsets is said to form an α -level filter base in the L -subset g if and only if for any finite subcollection $\{f_1, \dots, f_n\}$ of η , there exists $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$ such that $(\bigwedge_{i=1}^n f_i)(x) \geq \alpha$. When g is the whole space X , then η is an α -level filter base if and only if for any finite subcollection $\{f_1, \dots, f_n\}$ of η , there exists $x \in X$ such that $(\bigwedge_{i=1}^n f_i)(x) \geq \alpha$.

Lemma 2.5 ([9]). Let (X, τ) be a topological space, f be an L -subset in the L -ts $(X, \omega(\tau))$ and $p \in pr(L)$. Then we have

1. $(\text{Cl}(f))^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}) \subset \text{Cl}(f^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}))$.
2. $(\text{Int}(f))^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}) \subset \text{Int}(f^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}))$.

Lemma 2.6 ([9]). Let (X, τ) be a topological space and $A \subset X$. Considering the L -ts $(X, \omega(\tau))$ and

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e \in L & \text{if } x \in A, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

we have the following

$$\text{Cl}(f)(x) = \begin{cases} e & \text{if } x \in \text{Cl}(A), \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

and

$$\text{Int}(f)(x) = \begin{cases} e & \text{if } x \in \text{Int}(A), \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

Definition 2.7 ([2]). Let (X, τ) be an L -ts and $g \in L^X, r \in L$.

1. A collection $\mu = \{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ of L -subsets is called an r -level cover of g if and only if $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq r$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq r'$. If each f_i is open then μ is called an r -level open cover of g . If g is the whole space X , then μ is called an r -level cover of X if and only if $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq r$ for all $x \in X$.

2. An r -level cover $\mu = \{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ of g is said to have a finite r -level subcover if there exists a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq r$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq r'$.

Definition 2.8. Let (X, τ) be an L -ts and $g \in L^X$. Then g is said to be compact [7] if and only if for every prime $p \in L$ and every collection $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ of open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$, there exists a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$, that is, every p -level open cover of g has a finite p -level subcover, where $p \in \text{pr}(L)$. If g is the whole space, then the L -ts (X, τ) is called compact.

3. (i, j) - β -compactness and its Goodness

Definition 3.1. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts and $g \in L^X$. The g is called (i, j) - β -compact if and only if every p -level cover of g consisting of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets has a finite p -level subcover, where $p \in \text{pr}(L)$. If g is the whole space, then we say that the L -bts (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact.

Lemma 3.2. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space and $A \subset X$. If A is (i, j) - β -open in (X, τ_1, τ_2) , then χ_A is (i, j) - β -open in the L -bts $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$.

Theorem 3.3. Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be a bitopological space. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if the L -bts $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$ is (i, j) - β -compact.

Proof. Let $p \in \text{pr}(L)$ and $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover of $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$. Then $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Hence for each $x \in X$ there is $i \in J$ such that $f_i(x) \not\leq p$, that is, $x \in f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\})$. So, $X = \bigcup_{i \in J} f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\})$. Because f_i is (i, j) - β -open in $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$, there is an (i, j) -preopen L -subset g_i in $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$ such that $g_i \leq f_i \leq \text{Cl}(g_i)$ for every $i \in J$. Hence by Lemma 2.5, we get $g_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}) \subset f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}) \subset (\text{Cl}(g_i))^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}) \subset \text{Cl}(g_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\}))$, Which means that $f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\})$ is (i, j) - β -open in (X, τ_1, τ_2) . Thus $\{f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\})\}_{i \in J}$ is an (i, j) - β -open cover of (X, τ_1, τ_2) . Since (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact, there is a finite subset F of J such that $X = \bigcup_{i \in F} f_i^{-1}(\{t \in L : t \not\leq p\})$, that is, $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Hence, $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$ is (i, j) - β -compact.

Conversely let $\{A_i\}_{i \in J}$ be an (i, j) - β -open cover of (X, τ_1, τ_2) . Then by Lemma 3.2 $\{\chi_{A_i}\}_{i \in J}$ is a family of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets in $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$ such that $1 = (\bigvee_{i \in J} \chi_{A_i})(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ and for all $p \in \text{pr}(L)$, that is, $\{\chi_{A_i}\}_{i \in J}$ is a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover of $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$. Since $(X, \omega(\tau_1), \omega(\tau_2))$ is (i, j) - β -compact, there is a finite F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} \chi_{A_i})(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Hence $(\bigvee_{i \in F} \chi_{A_i})(x) = 1$ for all $x \in X$, that is, $X = \bigcup_{i \in F} A_i$ and therefore (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact. \square

Theorem 3.4. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts. Then $g \in L^X$ is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if for every $\alpha \in M(L)$ and every collection $\{h_i\}_{i \in J}$ of (i, j) - β -closed L -subsets with $(\bigwedge_{i \in J} h_i)(x) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$, there is a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigwedge_{i \in F} h_i)(x) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$.*

Proof. This follows immediately from Definition 3.1. \square

Theorem 3.5. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts. Then $g \in L^X$ is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if for every $p \in \text{pr}(L)$ and every collection $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$, there is a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$.*

Proof. Let $p \in \text{pr}(L)$ and $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a collection of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Then $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$. Since g is (i, j) - β -compact, there is a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$. Take an arbitrary $x \in X$. If $g'(x) \leq p$, then $g'(x) \vee (\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) = (\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ because $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$. If $g'(x) \not\leq p$, then we have $g'(x) \vee (\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) = (\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$. Thus, we have $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$.

Conversely, let $p \in \text{pr}(L)$ and $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover of g . Then $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$. Hence $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. From the hypothesis, there is a finite subset F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i \vee g')(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Then $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g'(x) \leq p$. Thus g is (i, j) - β -compact. \square

Definition 3.6. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts, x_α be an L -point in $M(L^X)$ and $S = (S_m)_{m \in D}$ be a net. x_α is called (i, j) - β -cluster point of S if and only if for each (i, j) - β -closed L -subset f with $f(x) \not\leq \alpha$ and for all $n \in D$, there is $m \in D$ such that $m \geq n$ and $S_m \not\leq f$, that is, $h(S_m) \not\leq f$ ($\text{Supp} S_m$).*

Theorem 3.7. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts. Then $g \in L^X$ is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if every constant α -net in g , where $\alpha \in M(L)$, has an (i, j) - β -cluster point in g with height α .*

Proof. Let $\alpha \in M(L)$ and $S = (S_m)_{m \in D}$ be a constant α -net in g without any (i, j) - β -cluster point with height α in g . Then for each $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$, x_α is not an (i, j) - β -cluster point of S , that is, there are $n_x \in D$ and an (i, j) - β -closed L -subset f_x with $f_x(x) \not\leq \alpha$ and $S_m \leq f_x$ for each $m \geq n_x$. Let x^1, \dots, x^k be elements of X with $g(x^i) \geq \alpha$ for each $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$. Then there are $n_{x_1}, \dots, n_{x_k} \in D$ and (i, j) - β -closed L -subset f_{x_i} with $f_{x_i}(x^i) \not\leq \alpha$ and $S_m \leq f_{x_i}$ for each $m \geq n_{x_i}$ and for each $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$. Since D is a directed set, there is $n_0 \in D$ such that $n_0 \geq n_{x_i}$ for each $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$ and $S_m \leq f_{x_i}$ for $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$ and each $m \geq n_0$. Now, consider the family $\mu = \{f_x\}_{x \in X}$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$. Then $(\bigwedge_{f_x \in \mu} f_x)(y) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $y \in X$ with $g(y) \geq \alpha$ because $f_y(y) \not\leq \alpha$. We also have that for any finite subfamily $v = \{f_{x_1}, \dots, f_{x_k}\}$ of μ , there is $y \in X$ with $g(y) \geq \alpha$ and $(\bigwedge_{i=1}^k f_{x_i})(y) \geq \alpha$ since $S_m \leq \bigwedge_{i=1}^k f_{x_i}$ for each $m \geq n_0$ because $S_m \leq f_{x_i}$ for each $i \in \{1, \dots, k\}$ and for each $m \geq n_0$. Hence, by Theorem 3.5, g is not (i, j) - β -compact.

Conversely, suppose that g is not (i, j) - β -compact. Then by Theorem 3.5, there exist $\alpha \in M(L)$ and a collection $\mu = \{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ of (i, j) - β -closed L -subsets with $(\bigwedge_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$, but for any finite subfamily v of μ there is $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$ and $(\bigwedge_{f \in v} f)(x) \geq \alpha$. Consider the family of all finite subsets of μ , $2^{(\mu)}$, with the order $v_1 \leq v_2$ if and only if $v_1 \subset v_2$. Then $2^{(\mu)}$ is a directed set. So, writing x_α as S_v for every $v \in 2^{(\mu)}$, $(S_v)_{v \in 2^{(\mu)}}$ is a constant α -net in g because the height of S_v for all $v \in 2^{(\mu)}$ is α and $S_v \leq g$ for all $v \in 2^{(\mu)}$, that is, $g(x) \geq \alpha$. $(S_v)_{v \in 2^{(\mu)}}$ also satisfies the condition that for each (i, j) - β -closed L -subset $f_i \in v$ we have $x_\alpha = S_v \leq f_i$. Let $y \in X$ with $g(y) \geq \alpha$. Then $(\bigwedge_{i \in J} f_i)(y) \not\leq \alpha$, that is, there

exists $j \in J$ with $f_j(y) \not\leq \alpha$. Let $v_0 = \{f_i\}$. So, for any $v \geq v_0, S_v \leq \bigwedge_{f_i \in v} f_i \leq \bigwedge_{f_i \in v_0} f_i = f_j$. Thus, we get an (i, j) - β -closed L -subset f_j with $f_j(y) \geq \alpha$ and $v_0 \in 2^{(\mu)}$ such that for any $v \geq v_0, S_v \leq f_j$. That means that $y_\alpha \in M(L^X)$ is not an (i, j) - β -cluster point $(X_v)_{v \in 2^{(\mu)}}$ for all $y \in X$ with $g(y) \geq \alpha$. Hence, the constant α -net $(S_v)_{v \in 2^{(\mu)}}$ has no (i, j) - β -cluster point in g with height α . \square

Corollary 3.8. *An L -bts (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if every constant α -net in (X, τ_1, τ_2) has an (i, j) - β -cluster point with height α , where $\alpha \in M(L)$.*

Definition 3.9. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts and η an α -level filter base, where $\alpha \in M(L)$. An L -point $x_r \in M(L^X)$ is called an (i, j) - β -cluster point of η , if $\bigwedge_{f \in \eta} (i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f)(x) \geq r$.*

Theorem 3.10. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts. Then $g \in L^X$ is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if every α -filter base in g , where $\alpha \in M(L)$, has an (i, j) - β -cluster point x_α in g with height α .*

Proof. Assume that η is an α -level filter base in g with no (i, j) - β -cluster point in g with height α , where $\alpha \in M(L)$. Then for each $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha, x_\alpha$ is not an (i, j) - β -cluster point of η , that is, there is $f_x \in \eta$ with $(i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_x)(x) \not\leq \alpha$. Hence $(i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_x)'(x) \not\leq \alpha' = p \in pr(L)$. This means that the collection $\{(i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_x)'(x) : x \in X \text{ with } g(x) \geq \alpha\}$ is a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover of g . Since g is (i, j) - β -compact, there are $(i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_{x_1}), \dots, (i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_{x_n})$ such that $(\bigvee_{i=1}^n (i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_{x_i})'(x)) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p' = \alpha$. Hence $\bigwedge_{i=1}^n (i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(f_{x_i})(x) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$ which implies that $(\bigwedge_{i=1}^n f_{x_i})(x) \not\leq \alpha$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq \alpha$. This is a contradiction.

Conversely, suppose that g is not (i, j) - β -compact. Then there is a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover μ of g with no finite p -level subcover, where $p \in pr(L)$. Hence for each finite subcollection $\{h_1, \dots, h_n\}$ of μ , there exists $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$ such that $(\bigvee_{i=1}^n h_i)(x) \leq p$, that is, $(\bigvee_{i=1}^n h_i')(x) \geq p' = \alpha \in M(L)$. Thus, $\eta = \{h' : h \in \mu\}$ forms an α -level filter base in g . By the hypothesis, μ has an (i, j) - β -cluster point $y_\alpha \in M(L^X)$ in g with height α , that is, $g(y) \geq \alpha$ and $\bigwedge_{h \in \mu} (i, j)\text{-}\beta \text{Cl}(h')(y) = (\bigwedge_{h \in \mu} h')(y) \geq \alpha$. Then $(\bigwedge_{h \in \mu} h')(y) \leq p$, which yields a contradiction. \square

Corollary 3.11. *An L -bts (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact if and only if every α -filter base has an (i, j) - β -cluster point with height α , where $\alpha \in M(L)$.*

Theorem 3.12. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts and $g, h \in L^X$. If g and h are (i, j) - β -compact, then $g \vee h$ is (i, j) - β -compact.*

Proof. Let $p \in pr(L)$ and $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a collection of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $(g \vee h)(x) \geq p'$. Since p is prime, we have $(g \vee h)(x) \geq p'$ if and only if $g(x) \geq p'$ or $h(x) \geq p'$. So, by the (i, j) - β -compactness of g and h , there are finite subsets E, F of J such that $(\bigvee_{i \in E} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$ and $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $h(x) \geq p'$. Then $(\bigvee_{i \in E \cup F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$ or $h(x) \geq p'$, that is, $(\bigvee_{i \in E \cup F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $(g \vee h)(x) \geq p'$. Thus, $g \vee h$ is (i, j) - β -compact. \square

Theorem 3.13. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts and $g, h \in L^X$. If f is (i, j) - β -compact and h is (i, j) - β -closed, then $g \wedge h$ is (i, j) - β -compact.*

Proof. Let $p \in pr(L)$ and $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a collection of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $(g \wedge h)(x) \geq p'$. Thus $\mu = \{f_i\}_{i \in J} \cup \{h'\}$ is a family of (i, j) - β -open L -subsets with $(\bigvee_{k \in \mu} k)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$. In fact, for each $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$, if $h(x) \geq p'$, then $(g \wedge h)(x) \geq p'$ which implies that $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$, thus $(\bigvee_{k \in \mu} k)(x) \not\leq p$. If $h(x) \not\geq p'$, then $h'(x) \not\leq p$ which implies $(\bigvee_{k \in \mu} k)(x) \not\leq p$. From the (i, j) - β -compactness of g there is a

finite subfamily v of μ , say $v = \{f_1, \dots, f_n, h'\}$ with $(\bigvee_{k \in v} k)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $g(x) \geq p'$. Then $(\bigvee_{i=1}^n f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$ with $(g \wedge h)(x) \geq p'$. Hence $g \wedge h$ is (i, j) - β -compact. \square

Corollary 3.14. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an (i, j) - β -compact space and g be an (i, j) - β -closed L -subset. Then g is (i, j) - β -compact.*

Theorem 3.15. *Let (X, τ_1, τ_2) be an L -bts where X is a finite set. Then (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact.*

Proof. Let $\{f_i\}_{i \in J}$ be a p -level (i, j) - β -open cover of (X, τ_1, τ_2) , where $p \in pr(L)$. Then $(\bigvee_{i \in J} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for all $x \in X$. Hence, for each $x \in X$ there is $i \in J$ such that $x \in f_i^{-1}(\{t \in T : t \not\leq p\})$. Since X is finite subset F of J such that $X = \bigcup_{i \in F} f_i^{-1}(\{t \in T : t \not\leq p\})$, that is, $(\bigvee_{i \in F} f_i)(x) \not\leq p$ for each $x \in X$. Hence (X, τ_1, τ_2) is (i, j) - β -compact. \square

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