

# On a new operator on filter generalized topological spaces

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**ABSTRACT.** The purpose of this paper is to introduce the notion of  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$  operator induced by a given filter  $\mathcal{F}$  and a generalized topology  $\mu$ , and to investigate some properties of this operator. We shall further discuss some characterizations of this operator with the help of  $\mathcal{F}$ -codeness and  $\mathcal{F}$ -compatibility.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Let  $X$  be a nonempty set and let  $\wp(X)$  be the power set of  $X$ . Then  $\mu \subseteq \wp(X)$  is called a *generalized topology* (briefly GT) [2] on  $X$  iff  $\emptyset \in \mu$  and  $G_i \in \mu$  for  $i \in I \neq \emptyset$  implies  $G = \cup_{i \in I} G_i \in \mu$ . We call the pair  $(X, \mu)$  a *generalized topological space* (briefly GTS) on  $X$ . A GT  $\mu$  is said to be a *quasi-topology* [4] on  $X$  if  $M, N \in \mu$  implies  $M \cap N \in \mu$ . A *filter*  $\mathcal{F}$  (not containing the empty set) on  $X$  is a nonempty family  $\mathcal{F} \subseteq \wp(X)$  satisfying the following conditions:

- (1)  $A \subset B, A \in \mathcal{F}$  implies  $B \in \mathcal{F}$ .
- (2)  $A, B \in \mathcal{F}$  implies  $A \cap B \in \mathcal{F}$ .

Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a GTS and  $\mathcal{F}$  be a filter on  $X$ , then  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  is called a *filter generalized topological space* (briefly FGTS).

In [1], Al-Omari and Modak introduced an operator  $\Omega : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$  by using a GT  $\mu$  with a filter  $\mathcal{F}$ . They also defined an operator  $c^{\Omega} : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$  by using the operator  $\Omega$  (i. e., for  $A \subset X$ ,  $c^{\Omega}(A) = A \cup \Omega(A)$ ), which is monotone, enlarging and idempotent. They showed that the operator  $c^{\Omega}$  induces another generalized topology  $\mu^{\Omega}$  satisfying  $\mu \subset \mu^{\Omega}$ . Some properties of operators  $\Omega$  and  $c^{\Omega}$  were investigated in [1].

The purpose of this paper is to introduce another operator  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$  and investigate some of its properties.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a FGTS. A mapping  $\Omega : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$  is defined as follows:  $\Omega(A) \subseteq X$  by  $x \in \Omega(A)$  if and only if  $x \in M \in \mu$  imply  $A \cap U \in \mathcal{F}$ . If  $\mathcal{M}_{\mu} = \cup\{M : M \in \mu\}$  and  $x \notin \mathcal{M}_{\mu}$  then by definition  $x \in \Omega(A)$ .

The mapping is called the local function associated with the filter  $\mathcal{F}$  and generalized topology  $\mu$ .

**Proposition 2.1.** [1] Let  $\mu$  be a GT on a set  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{J}$  filters on  $X$  and  $A, B$  be subsets of  $X$ . The following properties hold:

- (1) If  $A \subseteq B$ , then  $\Omega(A) \subseteq \Omega(B)$ ,
- (2) If  $\mathcal{J} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ , then  $\Omega(A)(\mathcal{J}) \subseteq \Omega(A)(\mathcal{F})$ ,
- (3)  $\Omega(A) = c_{\mu}(\Omega(A)) \subseteq c_{\mu}(A)$  (where  $c_{\mu}$  denotes the closure operator of  $(X, \mu)$ ),
- (4)  $\Omega(A) \cup \Omega(B) \subseteq \Omega(A \cup B)$ ,

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- (5)  $\Omega(\Omega(A)) \subseteq \Omega(A)$ .  
 (6)  $\Omega(A)$  is a  $\mu$ -closed set.

**Proposition 2.2.** [1] Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a FGTS. If  $M \in \mu$ ,  $M \cap A \notin \mathcal{F}$  imply  $M \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$ . Hence  $\Omega(A) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$  if  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$ .

**Lemma 2.1.** [1] Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a FGTS.  $\Omega(X) = X$  if and only if  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ .

**Corollary 2.1.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a quasi-topological space with a filter  $\mathcal{F}$ . Then  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$  if and only if  $U \subseteq \Omega(U)$ , for  $U \in \mu$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ . Then for  $U \in \mu$  and  $x \in U$ , any  $U_x \in \mu(x)$ ,  $U \cap U_x \in \mu$ . This implies that  $U \cap U_x \in \mathcal{F}$ , and so  $x \in \Omega(U)$ .

Conversely suppose that  $U \subseteq \Omega(U)$ . Then for  $x \in U \subseteq \Omega(U)$ ,  $U_x \cap U \in \mathcal{F}$ , where  $U_x \in \mu(x)$ . Therefore,  $U \in \mathcal{F}$ .  $\square$

### 3. $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$ operator

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a filter on a space  $(X, \mu)$ , an operator  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}} : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$  is defined as follows: for every  $A \in \wp(X)$ ,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \{x \in X : \text{there exists } M \in \mu \text{ such that } M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}\}$ .

Before discussing the properties of  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$  operator, we shall give an Example to illustrate the difference between the two operators:

**Example 3.1.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ , a GT  $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a, c\}\}$  and  $\mathcal{F} = \{\{a, b\}, X\}$ . Then  $\Omega(\{b, c\}) = \emptyset$ , but  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\{b, c\}) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus \{b, c\}) = X \setminus \Omega(\{a\}) = X \setminus \emptyset = X$ .

The following theorem gives a characterization of the function  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$ .

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a FGTS. Then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $x \in X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$ . Then  $x \notin \Omega(X \setminus A)$  and so there exists  $M \in \mu$  containing  $x$  such that  $M \cap (X \setminus A) \notin \mathcal{F}$  which implies that  $M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Therefore,  $X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A) \subset \{x \in X : \text{there exists } M \in \mu(x) \text{ such that } M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}\}$ .

Conversely, assume that  $y \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Then there exists  $M \in \mu$  containing  $y$  such that  $M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Since  $M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ ,  $M \cap (X \setminus A) \notin \mathcal{F}$  which implies that  $y \notin \Omega(X \setminus A)$ . Therefore  $y \in X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$ . Thus  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a space with a filter  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $A, B \subset X$ . Then the following hold:

- (1)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$  is  $\mu$ -open.
- (2)  $\Omega(A) = X \setminus \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X \setminus A)$ .
- (3) If  $A \subset B$ , then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(B)$ .
- (4)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A \cap B) \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(B)$ .
- (5) If  $U \in \mu^\Omega$ , then  $U \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U)$ .
- (6)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A))$ .
- (7)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A))$  if and only if  $\Omega(X \setminus A) = \Omega(\Omega(X \setminus A))$ .
- (8)  $A \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = i_\mu^\Omega(A)$  ( where  $i_\mu^\Omega$  denotes the interior operator of  $(X, \mu^\Omega)$  ).
- (9)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X) = X$  or  $\mathcal{M}_\mu$ .
- (10) For  $X \setminus K \notin \mathcal{F}$ ,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(K) = \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .
- (11)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \mathcal{M}_\mu \setminus \Omega(X)$ .

*Proof.* (1) Proof is obvious from Proposition 2.1.

(2) Obvious from definition of  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$ .

(3) Proof is obvious from Proposition 2.1.

(4) Obvious from (3).

(5) If  $U \in \mu^\Omega$ , then  $X \setminus U$  is  $\mu^\Omega$ -closed. Therefore  $\Omega(X \setminus U) \subset X \setminus U$  which implies that  $X \setminus (X \setminus U) \subset X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus U)$  and so  $U \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U)$ .

(6) Obvious from the fact that  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \in \mu^\Omega$ .

(7) Suppose  $\Omega(X \setminus A) = \Omega(\Omega(X \setminus A))$ . Then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$  implies that  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)) = X \setminus \Omega(\Omega(X \setminus A)) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ .

Conversely,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A))$  implies that  $X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)) = X \setminus \Omega(\Omega(X \setminus A))$ . Therefore,  $\Omega(X \setminus A) = \Omega(\Omega(X \setminus A))$ .

(8) Let  $x \in A \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Since  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ , there exists  $M_x \in \mu$  containing  $x$  such that  $M_x \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Therefore,  $x \in M_x \setminus (M_x \setminus A) \subset A$ . Since  $\beta = \{V \setminus F : V \text{ is a } \mu\text{-open set of } (X, \mu), F \notin \mathcal{F}\}$  is a basis for  $\mu^\Omega$  (see [1]) and  $M_x \setminus (M_x \setminus A) \in \beta$ ,  $x \in i_\mu^\Omega(A)$ , where  $i_\mu^\Omega(A)$  is the interior operator in  $(X, \mu^\Omega)$ . Conversely, assume that  $x \in i_\mu^\Omega(A)$ . Then there exists a  $\mu$ -open set  $M_x$  containing  $x$  and  $F \in \mathcal{F}$  such that  $x \in M_x \setminus F \subset A$ . Now  $M_x \setminus F \subset A$  implies that  $M_x \setminus A \subset F$  which turn implies that  $M_x \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and so  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Therefore  $x \in A \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Hence  $A \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = i_\mu^\Omega(A)$ .

(9) Since  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$  by Proposition 2.2 we have  $\Omega(\emptyset) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ . If  $\mu$  is strong, then  $\mathcal{M}_\mu = X$ , and  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X) = X \setminus \Omega(\emptyset) = X \setminus (X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu) = X$ . Otherwise  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X) = X \setminus \Omega(\emptyset) = X \setminus (X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu) = \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .

(10) For  $X \setminus K \notin \mathcal{F}$ , by Proposition 2.2  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(K) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus K) = X \setminus (X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu) = \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .

(11) By Theorem 3.1  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = X \setminus \Omega(X) = (\mathcal{M}_\mu \cup (X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu)) \setminus \Omega(X) = (\mathcal{M}_\mu \setminus \Omega(X)) \cup ((X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu) \setminus \Omega(X)) = \mathcal{M}_\mu \setminus \Omega(X)$ , since  $\Omega(X)$  is  $\mu$ -closed by Proposition 2.1 and  $X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$  is the smallest  $\mu$ -closed set contained in every  $\mu$ -closed set.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a quasi-topological space and  $\mathcal{F}$  be a filter on  $X$ . If  $A, B \subset X$ , then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A \cap B) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(B)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(B)$ . Then there exist  $\mu$ -open sets  $U$  and  $V$  containing  $x$  such that  $U \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and  $U \setminus B \notin \mathcal{F}$ . If  $G = U \cap V$ , then  $G$  is a  $\mu$ -open set containing  $x$  such that  $G \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and  $G \setminus B \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Now  $G \setminus (A \cap B) = (G \setminus A) \cup (G \setminus B) \notin \mathcal{F}$  and so  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A \cap B)$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a FGTS. If  $\sigma = \{A \subset X : A \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)\}$ , then  $\sigma$  is called a generalized topology on  $X$  and  $\sigma = \mu^\Omega$ .

*Proof.* Let  $A \in \sigma$ . Then  $A \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus A)$  which implies that  $\Omega(X \setminus A) \subset (X \setminus A)$ . Therefore,  $X \setminus A$  is  $\mu^\Omega$ -closed and so  $A$  is  $\mu^\Omega$ -open. Therefore,  $\sigma \subset \mu^\Omega$ .

Conversely,  $A \in \mu^\Omega$  and  $x \in A$ . Then there exists  $M \in \mu$  and  $F \notin \mathcal{F}$  such that  $x \in M \setminus F \subset A$ . Now  $M \setminus F \subset A$  implies that  $M \setminus A \subset F$  which in turn implies  $M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and so  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Therefore,  $\mu^\Omega \subset \sigma$ . Hence  $\sigma = \mu^\Omega$ . Since  $\mu^\Omega$  is generalized topology [1], it follows that  $\sigma$  is a generalized topology.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS and  $A \subset X$ . Then the following statement hold.

- (1)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \cup\{U \in \mu : U \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}\}$ .  
 (2)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \cup\{U \in \mu : (U \setminus A) \cup (A \setminus U) \notin \mathcal{F}\}$ , if  $A$  is  $\mu$ -open.

*Proof.* (1). Follows immediately from the definition of  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}$ .

(2). Denote  $\cup\{U \in \mu : (U \setminus A) \cup (A \setminus U) \notin \mathcal{F}\}$  by  $A_1$ . Then  $A_1 \subset \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$  for every  $A \subset X$ . Assume  $A \in \mu$  and  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ . Then there exists  $M \in \mu$  such that  $x \in M$  and  $M \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . If  $M \cup A = U$ , then  $U \in \mu$  and  $x \in U$ . Now  $(U \setminus A) \cup (A \setminus U) = (M \setminus A) \cup \emptyset = M \setminus A$  implies  $(U \setminus A) \cup (A \setminus U) \notin \mathcal{F}$  and so  $x \in A_1$ . Hence  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = A_1$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.6.** Let  $(X, \mu)$  be a quasi-topological space with a filter  $\mathcal{F}$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ .  
 (2)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ .  
 (3) If  $A \subseteq X$  is  $\mu$ -closed, then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A = \emptyset$ .  
 (4) If  $A \subseteq X$ , then  $i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)))$  ( where  $i_{\mu}$  denotes the interior operator of  $(X, \mu)$  ).  
 (5) If  $A = i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$ , then  $A = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ .  
 (6) If  $U \in \mu$ , then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U) \subseteq i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U)) \subseteq \Omega(U)$ .

*Proof.* (1) $\Rightarrow$ (2).  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \cup\{U \in \mu : U \setminus \emptyset = U \notin \mathcal{F}\} = \emptyset$ , since  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subset \mathcal{F}$ .

(2) $\Rightarrow$ (3). Suppose  $A \subseteq X$  is  $\mu$ -closed. If  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A$ , there exists a  $U_x \in \mu$  containing  $x$  such that  $U_x \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . But  $U_x \setminus A \notin \mu$  implies that  $U_x \setminus A \in \{U : U \notin \mathcal{F}\}$  and so  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) \neq \emptyset$ , a contradiction. Therefore,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A = \emptyset$ .

(3) $\Rightarrow$ (4). Since  $i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)) \in \mu$  for every subset  $A$  of  $X$ , by Theorem 3.2(5),  $i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)) \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)))$ . By (3)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(c_{\mu}(A)) \subseteq c_{\mu}(A)$  and so  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(c_{\mu}(A)) = i_{\mu}(\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(c_{\mu}(A))) \subseteq i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$ . By Theorem 3.1,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))) \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(c_{\mu}(A)) \subseteq i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$  and so  $i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)))$ .

(4) $\Rightarrow$ (5). Let  $A = i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$ . Then  $A = i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))$  and so  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A))) = i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(A)) = A$ .

(5) $\Rightarrow$ (6). Let  $U \in \mu$ . Then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U)))))) = \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U))) = i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U))$ . Implies that  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U) \subseteq i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U))$ , since  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U) \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U)))$ .

Again  $i_{\mu}(c_{\mu}(U)) \subseteq c_{\mu}(U) \subseteq c_{\mu}(\Omega(U)) = \Omega(U)$ .

(6) $\Rightarrow$ (1). Proof is obvious from  $U \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(U)$  and the Corollary 2.1.  $\square$

**Theorem 3.7.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS. Then for  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $i_{\mu}(A) \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$

*Proof.* Let  $x \in i_{\mu}(A)$ , then there exists  $M \in \mu$  containing  $x$  such that  $M \subseteq A$ . This implies that  $M \setminus A = \emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$  and hence by definition of  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ ,  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ .  $\square$

The revers inclusion of the above theorem may be not hold as shown in the next example:

**Example 3.2.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$ , a GT  $\mu = \{\emptyset, \{a, c\}\}$  and  $\mathcal{F} = \{\{a, b\}, X\}$ . Then  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\{a\}) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus \{a\}) = X \setminus \Omega(\{b, c\}) = X \setminus \emptyset = X$  and  $i_{\mu}(\{a\}) = \emptyset$ . Therefore,  $i_{\mu}(A) \neq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ .

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS. We say the  $\mu$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -compatible with a filter  $\mathcal{F}$ , denoted  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$ , if the following holds for every  $A \subseteq X$ , if for every  $x \in A$  there exists  $M \in \mu(x)$  such that  $M \cap A \notin \mathcal{F}$ , then  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$ .

**Theorem 3.8.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS. Then the implications (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4) hold.

- (1)  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$ ;
- (2) If a subset  $A$  of  $X$  has a cover of  $\mu$ -open sets each of whose intersection with  $A$  is not in  $\mathcal{F}$ , then  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$ ;
- (3) For every  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $A \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$  implies that  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$ ;
- (4) For every  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $A \setminus \Omega(A) \notin \mathcal{F}$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): The proof is obvious.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $A \subseteq X$  and  $x \in A$ . Then  $x \notin \Omega(A)$  and there exists  $V_x \in \mu(x)$  such that  $V_x \cap A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Therefore, we have  $A \subseteq \cup\{V_x : x \in A\}$  and  $V_x \in \mu(x)$  and by (2)  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4): For any  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $A \setminus \Omega(A) \subseteq A$  and  $(A \setminus \Omega(A)) \cap \Omega(A \setminus \Omega(A)) \subseteq (A \setminus \Omega(A)) \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$ . By (3),  $A \setminus \Omega(A) \notin \mathcal{F}$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.9.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS. If  $\mu$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -compatible with  $\mathcal{F}$ . If for every  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $A \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$  implies that  $\Omega(A) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ , then  $\Omega(A \setminus \Omega(A)) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .

*Proof.* First, we show that (1) holds if  $\mu$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -compatible with  $\mathcal{F}$ . Let  $A$  be any subset of  $X$  and  $A \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$ . By Theorem 3.8,  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and by Proposition 2.1,  $\Omega(A) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .

Assume that for every  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $A \cap \Omega(A) = \emptyset$  implies that  $\Omega(A) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ . Let  $B = A \setminus \Omega(A)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} B \cap \Omega(B) &= (A \setminus \Omega(A)) \cap \Omega(A \setminus \Omega(A)) \\ &= (A \cap (X \setminus \Omega(A))) \cap (A \cap \Omega(X \setminus \Omega(A))) \\ &\subseteq [A \cap (X \setminus \Omega(A))] \cap [\Omega(A) \cap (\Omega(X \setminus \Omega(A)))] = \emptyset. \end{aligned}$$

By (1), we have  $\Omega(B) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ . Hence  $\Omega(A \setminus \Omega(A)) = X \setminus \mathcal{M}_\mu$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.10.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS. Then  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$  if and only if  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  for every  $A \subseteq X$ .

*Proof. Necessity.* Assume  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$  and let  $A \subseteq X$ . Observe that  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A$  if and only if  $x \notin A$  and  $x \notin \Omega(X \setminus A)$  if and only if  $x \notin A$  and there exists  $U_x \in \mu(x)$  such that  $U_x \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  if and only if there exists  $U_x \in \mu(x)$  such that  $x \in U_x \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Now, for each  $x \in \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A$  and  $U_x \in \mu(x)$ ,  $U_x \cap (\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A) \notin \mathcal{F}$  by heredity and hence  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  by assumption that  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$ .

*Sufficiency.* Let  $A \subseteq X$  and assume that for each  $x \in A$  there exists  $U_x \in \mu(x)$  such that  $U_x \cap A \notin \mathcal{F}$ . Observe that  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X \setminus A) \setminus (X \setminus A) = A \setminus \Omega(A) = \{x \in X : \text{there exists } U_x \in \mu(x) \text{ such that } x \in U_x \cap A \notin \mathcal{F}\}$ . Thus we have  $A \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X \setminus A) \setminus (X \setminus A) \notin \mathcal{F}$  and hence  $A \notin \mathcal{F}$  by heredity of  $\mathcal{F}$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 3.11.** Let  $(X, \mu, \mathcal{F})$  be a GFTS with  $\mu \sim \mathcal{F}$ ,  $A \subseteq X$ . If  $N$  is a nonempty  $\mu$ -open subset of  $\Omega(A) \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ , then  $N \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  and  $N \cap A \in \mathcal{F}$ .

*Proof.* If  $N \subseteq \Omega(A) \cap \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A)$ , then  $N \setminus A \subseteq \psi_{\mathcal{F}}(A) \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  by Theorem 3.10 and hence  $N \setminus A \notin \mathcal{F}$  by heredity. Since  $N \in \mu \setminus \{\emptyset\}$  and  $N \subseteq \Omega(A)$ , we have  $N \cap A \in \mathcal{F}$  by the Definition of  $\Omega(A)$ .  $\square$

We shall say that a filter  $\mathcal{F}$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -codense if and only if  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** Let  $\mu$  be a GT in  $X$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  a filter on  $X$ .  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$  if and only if a filter  $\mathcal{F}$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -codense.

*Proof.* Since  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = X \setminus \Omega(X)$ ,  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$  if and only if  $X = \Omega(X)$  and hence by Lemma 2.1  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$  if and only if a filter  $\mathcal{F}$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -codense.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.3.** *Let  $\mu$  be a GT in  $X$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  a filter on  $X$ . Then the following are equivalent.*

- (1)  $\mathcal{F}$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -codense.
- (2)  $\Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu}) = X$ .
- (3)  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X \setminus \mathcal{M}_{\mu}) = \emptyset$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (2). Suppose  $x \in X$  and  $x \notin \Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu})$ . Then there exists  $M \in \mu$  such that  $x \in M$  and  $M \cap \mathcal{M}_{\mu} \notin \mathcal{F}$  which implies that  $M \notin \mathcal{F}$  and hence  $M = \emptyset$  since  $\mathcal{F}$  is  $\mathcal{F}$ -codense which is a contradiction. Therefore,  $x \in \Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu})$ . Hence  $\Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu}) = X$ . Conversely, suppose  $M \in \mu \setminus \{\emptyset\}$  and  $M \notin \mathcal{F}$ ,  $M \in \mu$ . If  $M \neq \emptyset$ , then there exists  $x \in M$  and hence  $x \in \Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu})$  which implies that  $M \cap \mathcal{M}_{\mu} = M \in \mathcal{F}$ , a contradiction. Therefore,  $\mu \setminus \{\emptyset\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ .

(2)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (3). It is obvious from  $\psi_{\mathcal{F}}(X \setminus \mathcal{M}_{\mu}) = X \setminus \Omega(X \setminus (X \setminus \mathcal{M}_{\mu})) = X \setminus \Omega(\mathcal{M}_{\mu})$ . Hence (2) and (3) are equivalent.  $\square$

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