# On b-Syndetic Sets

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## **Abstract**

This paper introduce the notion of b-syndetic sets and give new results by using the

work of W. Gottschalk (1955), H. Lee (1985), D. Andrijevic' (1996) and S. Al-Kutaibi (1997).

#### Introduction

Some preliminaries and basic definitions are follows:

Let X be a topological space, a subset A of X is said to be b-open set if and only if  $A \subseteq cl(int \ A) \cup int(cl \ A)$ [2]. The subset B of X is said to be b-closed if its complement is b-open[2]. Let  $A \subseteq X$  and  $\beta$  be a family of b-open subsets of X, then  $\beta$  is called a b-open cover of A if  $A \subseteq U_{B \in \beta} B$ , A is said to be b-compact if and only if any b-open cover has a finite sub cover. Clear that, every open set is b-open and then every b-compact set is compact also, the union of two b-compact subsets of X is b-compact. A topological group is a set G which carries a group structure and a topology and satisfies the two axioms: (i) The map  $(x,y) \rightarrow xy$  of  $G \times G$ 

into **G** is continuous.(That is, the operation of **G** is continuous).(ii) The map  $x \to x^{-1}$  (The inversion map) of **G** into **G** is continuous[4].

# **Proposition .1:**

If K is b-compact set in a topological group G, then  $K^{-1}$  is b-compact.

#### **Proof:**

Let  $f:G \to G$  be the inversion map ,that is,  $f(x) = x^{-1}$  for all x in G, let G be a b-open cover of  $K^{-1}$  then f(G) is a b-open cover of  $f(K^{-1}) = (K^{-1})^{-1} = K$ , but G is b-compact which implies, f(G) has a finite subcover G then f(G) covers f(G) as a finite subcover G then compact set.

#### Definition.2:[3]

Let A be a subset of a topological group G, then A is called left (right) syndetic if there exists a compact subset K of G such that AK = G(KA = G).

Similarly, we obtain the following definition:

#### **Definition.3:**

Let A be a subset of a topological group G, then A is called left (right) b-syndetic if there exists a b-compact subset K of G such that AK = G(KA = G).

#### Remark.4:

Directly from the above definition we can obtain that, every b-syndetic set is syndetic.

#### Note.5:

In the following results we will prove the case of left-syndetic and the case of right syndetic will be similar.

# **Proposition.6:**

Let G be a topological group and let  $A \subseteq G$ , then A is left (right) b-syndetic set in G if and only if there exists a b-compact subset K of G such that every left(right) translation of K intersects A.

#### **Proof:**

Sufficiency, suppose A is a left b-syndetic set then there exists a b-compact subset K of G such that AK = G, let  $g \in G$  then there exists  $a \in A, k \in K$  such that g = ak which implies  $a = gk^{-1}$  and then  $a \in gK^{-1}$  but  $K^{-1}$  is b-compact .Hence,  $gK^{-1} \cap A \neq \phi$  (i.e. $K^{-1}$  is the b-compact set we need).

Efficiency, let  $g \in G$ , there exists a b-compact subset K of G such that  $gK \cap A \neq \phi$ , for each g in G, there exists  $a \in A, k \in K$  such that, gk = a so,  $g = ak^{-1}$  which implies  $G = AK^{-1}$  and since  $K^{-1}$  is b-compact then A is a left b-syndetic set.

#### **Proposition .7:**

Let A be a subset of a topological group G then A is left (right) bsyndetic in G if and only if  $A^{-1}$  is right (left) bsyndetic.

#### Proof:

Let A be a left b-syndetic then there exists b-compact subset K of G such that AK = G. Since  $G = G^{-1} = (AK)^{-1} = K^{-1}A^{-1}$  and since  $K^{-1}$  is b-compact then  $A^{-1}$  is right b-syndetic.

# **Proposition .8:**

Let G be a topological group, let A, B are two subsets of G such that  $A \subseteq B$ . If A is a left (right) b-syndetic set then so is B.

#### Proof:

Let A be a left b-syndetic set, then there exists a b-compact subset K of G such that AK = G, since  $A \subseteq B$  then BK = G which implies that B is left b-syndetic.

### **Proposition.9:**

Let **G** be a topological group then:

If A is a left (right) b-syndetic set in G

1- then, cl A and bcl A are left (right) bsyndetic sets in G.(where bcl A denotes the b-closure of A, that is, the smallest bclosed set containing A)

The union of any family of left (right) b-syndetic sets is left (right) b-syndetic.

#### **Proof:**

Directly from proposition.8.

#### **Proposition .10:**

Let G be a topological group, let A, B are two left (right) b-syndetic subsets of G then  $A \cap B$  is a left (right) b-syndetic.

#### **Proof:**

Since both A and B are left b-syndetic then there exist b-compact sets K and H such that AK = G and BH = G and then  $(A \cap B)(K \cup H) = A(K \cup H) \cap B(K \cup H) = G \cap G = G$  and since  $(K \cup H)$  is b-compact then  $(A \cap B)$  is left b-syndetic.

#### **Proposition .11:**

Let **A** be a subset of a topological group **G**. If **A** is a subgroup of **G** or if **G** is an abelian group, then **A** is left b-syndetic in **G** if and only if **A** is a right b-syndetic in **G**.

#### **Proof:**

Let A be a left b-syndetic subgroup of G, then G = AK, that means  $G^{-1} = K^{-1}A^{-1}$  and hence,  $G = K^{-1}A$ , but  $K^{-1}$  is b-compact which implies A is right b-syndetic in G.

#### **Proposition .12:**

Let A be a b-syndetic subgroup of a topological group G, then the quotient space G/A is compact.

#### Proof:

Let A be a b-syndetic subgroup of a topological group G, then there exists a b-compact set K such that KA = G. Let  $p: G \to G/A$  be the canonical projection.

Clear that  $p(K) \subseteq G/A$ . Let  $gA \in G/A$  then,  $gA \subseteq G$  which implies  $gA \subseteq KA$  that is,  $gA \in p(K)$  and then,  $G/A \subseteq p(K)$ . Hence, G/A = p(K).

Since p is continuous and K is b-compact and hence is compact. Then p(K) = G/A is compact set.

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# حول المجموعات الرابطة من النمط -b

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# الملخص:

نقدم في هذا البحث المجموعة الرابطة من النمط -b مع بعض النتائج التي حصلنا عليها معتمدين في ذلك على المفاهيم التي قدمها كوتسجوك في هذا الموضوع (1955) واندريجفيك (1996) والكتبي (1997).