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## ON RESOLVABILITY OF LINDELÖF GENERATED SPACES

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ABSTRACT. In this paper we study the properties of  $\mathcal{P}$  generated spaces (by analogy with compactly generated). We prove that a regular Lindelöf generated space with uncountable dispersion character is resolvable. It is proved that Hausdorff hereditarily  $L$ -spaces are  $L$ -tight spaces which were defined by István Juhász, Jan van Mill in (*Variations on countable tightness*, arXiv:1702.03714v1). We also prove  $\omega$ -resolvability of regular  $L$ -tight space with uncountable dispersion character.

**Keywords:** resolvable space,  $k$ -space, tightness,  $\omega$ -resolvable space, Lindelöf generated space,  $\mathcal{P}$  generated space,  $\mathcal{P}$ -tightness.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

A Hausdorff space is said to be a  $k$ -space (also called compactly generated) if it has the final topology with respect to all inclusions  $K \hookrightarrow X$  of compact subspaces  $K$  of  $X$ , so that a set  $A$  in  $X$  is closed in  $X$  if and only if  $A \cap K$  is closed in  $K$  for all compact subspaces  $K$  of  $X$ . A space is Fréchet-Uryson if, whenever a point  $x$  is in the closure of a subset  $A$ , there is a sequence from  $A$  converging to  $x$ ; it is proved in [1] that a space is hereditarily  $k$ , i.e., every subspace is a  $k$ -space, if and only if it is Fréchet-Uryson. For examples, any locally compact, or the first countably Hausdorff spaces are  $k$ -spaces.

An interesting common generalizations of  $k$ -spaces and the notion of tightness was given by A.V. Arhangel'skii and D.N. Stavrova in [2]. They defined the  $k$ ,  $k_1$ ,

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$k^*$ -tightness as follows: the  $k$ -tightness of  $X$  does not exceed  $\tau$  ( $t_k(X) \leq \tau$ ) if and only if for every  $A \subseteq X$  that is not closed there exists a  $\tau$ -compact  $B \subseteq X$  for which  $A \cap B$  is not closed in  $X$  (a set  $B$  is called  $\tau$ -compact if  $B = \bigcup \{B_\alpha : \alpha \in \tau\}$ , where  $B_\alpha$  is a compact subset of  $X$  for all  $\alpha \in \tau$ ); the  $k_1$ -tightness of  $X$  does not exceed  $\tau$  ( $t_{k_1}(X) \leq \tau$ ) if and only if for every  $A \subseteq X$  and every  $x \in \overline{A}$  there exists a  $\tau$ -compact  $B \subseteq X$  such that  $x \in \overline{A \cap B}$ ; the  $k^*$ -tightness of  $X$  does not exceed  $\tau$  ( $t_k^*(X) \leq \tau$ ) if and only if for every  $A \subseteq X$  and every  $x \in \overline{A}$  there exists a  $\tau$ -compact  $B \subseteq A$  such that  $x \in \overline{B}$ .

In [4] István Juhász and Jan Van Mill defined and studied nine attractive natural tightness conditions for topological spaces. They called a space  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight, if for all  $x \in X$  and  $A \subseteq X$  such that  $x \in \overline{A}$ , there exists  $B \subseteq A$  such that  $x \in \overline{B}$  and  $B$  has the property  $\mathcal{P}$ .

István Juhász and Jan Van Mill considered in [4] the following properties  $\mathcal{P}$  that a subspace of a topological space might have :

- $\omega D$  Countable discrete;
- $\omega N$  Countable and nowhere dense;
- $C_2$  Second-countable;
- $\omega$  Countable;
- $hL$  Hereditarily Lindelöf;
- $\sigma$ -cmp  $\sigma$ -compact;
- ccc The countable chain condition;
- $L$  Lindelöf;
- $wL$  Weakly Lindelöf.

Inspired by the researches above, in the first part of this paper we introduce and study  $\mathcal{P}$  generated spaces (by analogy with  $k$ -spaces). Since the space with property  $\mathcal{P}$  is not necessarily closed, there are two ways to determine the  $\mathcal{P}$  generated spaces.

**Definition 1.** A topological space  $X$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -space ( $\mathcal{P}$  generated space) if a subspace  $A$  is closed in  $X$  if and only if  $A \cap P$  is closed in  $P$  for any subspace  $P \subseteq X$  which has the property  $\mathcal{P}$ .

**Definition 2.** A topological space  $X$  is  $\mathcal{P}c$ -space if a set  $A$  is closed in  $X$  if and only if  $A \cap P$  is closed in  $P$  (or, is the same one, in  $X$ ) for any closed subspace  $P \subseteq X$  which has the property  $\mathcal{P}$ .

In this paper we will consider the property  $\mathcal{P} \in \wp := \{\omega N, C_2, \omega, hL, \sigma$ -cmp, ccc,  $L, wL\}$  because each  $\omega D$ -space is discrete. Note that every space with countable tightness (i.e.  $\omega$ -tight) is  $\omega$ -space [11].

The class of  $L$ -spaces generalizes the class of spaces with countable tightness and the class of  $k$ -spaces. Below (Theorem 1) we get the example of the space with countable tightness, but is not  $Lc$ -space.

Note that the relationships between the spaces of  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight where the property  $\mathcal{P} \in \wp \cup \{\omega D\}$  were considered in [4].

We summarize the relationships between  $\mathcal{P}$ -spaces ( $\mathcal{P}$ -s) and  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight ( $\mathcal{P}$ -t) where the property  $\mathcal{P} \in \wp \setminus \{\omega N, C_2\}$  in next diagram.

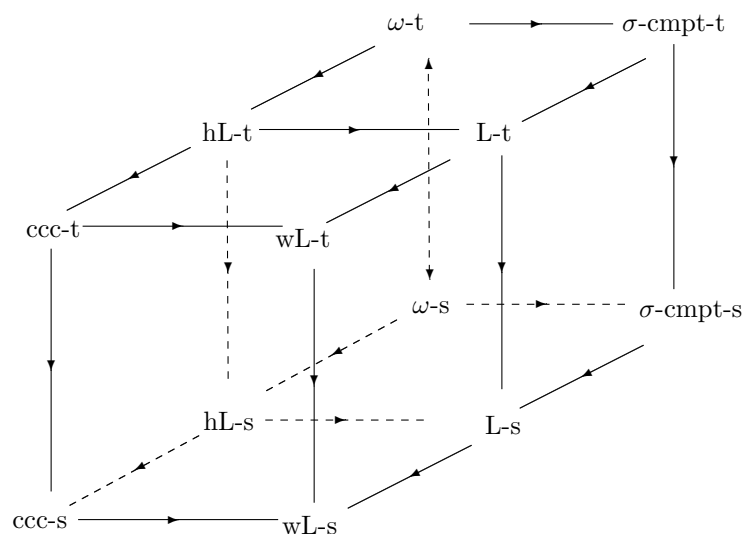


Fig. 1. The Diagram of the relationships between  $\mathcal{P}$ -spaces and  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight.

In 1943 E. Hewitt [5] called a topological space  $\tau$ -resolvable, if it can be represented as a union of  $\tau$  dense disjoint subsets. A 2-resolvable space is called resolvable, and irresolvable space is one which is not resolvable. He also defined the dispersion character  $\Delta(X)$  of a space  $X$  as the smallest size of a non-empty open subset of  $X$ . A topological space  $X$  is called maximally resolvable if it is  $\Delta(X)$ -resolvable.

The  $\omega$ -resolvability of Lindelöf spaces whose dispersion character is uncountable was proved by I. Juhász, L. Soukup, Z. Szentmiklóssy in [6].

E. Hewitt in [5] constructed an example of countable irresolvable normal space, so condition  $\Delta(X) > \omega$  is natural. V.I. Malykhin constructed an example of irresolvable Hausdorff Lindelöf space with uncountable dispersion character in [7], therefore, resolvability of regular Lindelöf spaces was studied.

The resolvability of locally compact spaces was proved by Hewitt in 1943 [5]. The resolvability (maximal resolvability) of  $k$ -spaces was proved by N.V. Velichko in 1976 [8] (E.G. Pytkeev in 1983 [9]). In connection with these results, the question of the resolvability of  $L$ -spaces is natural.

Second part of this paper is devoted to resolvability of regular  $L$ -spaces of uncountable dispersion character. We also prove  $\omega$ -resolvability of regular hereditarily  $L$ -spaces of uncountable dispersion character.

Throughout this paper the symbol  $\omega$  denotes the smallest infinite cardinal,  $\omega_1$  stands for the smallest uncountable cardinal. For a subset  $A$  of a topological space  $X$ , the closure and interior set of  $A$  are respectively denoted by  $\overline{A}$  (or  $[A]$ ) and  $Int(A)$ . We assume that all spaces are Hausdorff. Notation and terminology are taken from [10].

## 2. $\mathcal{P}$ GENERATED SPACE

By Definitions 1 and 2, a  $\mathcal{P}_c$ -space is a  $\mathcal{P}$ -space. The following example shows that the converse is not true.

**Theorem 1.** *There exists a space  $X$  such that  $X$  is a  $\omega$ -space and  $t_k(X) = t_{k_1}(X) = t_k^*(X) = t(X) = \omega$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $X = \beta\mathbb{N}$ ,  $M = \beta\mathbb{N} \setminus \mathbb{N}$ . In a  $x \in X$  we put the base of neighborhoods  $\mathcal{B}(x) = \{x\}$ , if  $x \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathcal{B}(x) = \{(U(x) \setminus M) \cup \{x\}\}$  where  $U(x)$  is open in  $\beta\mathbb{N}$ , if  $x \in M$ .

Now we show that  $X$  is a  $\omega$ -space. Consider the set  $A \subset X$  for which  $A \cap P$  is closed in  $P$  for any countable subspace  $P \subseteq X$ . Let  $x \in \bar{A}$ . The set  $P_1 = (A \cap \mathbb{N}) \cup \{x\}$  is a countable. Then  $A \cap P_1$  is closed in  $P_1$  therefore  $x \in A$ .

Let us note that if  $B$  is infinity subset of  $\mathbb{N}$  then  $\bar{B}$  contains uncountable discrete space. Consequently  $\bar{B}$  is not a countable space. Therefore, if  $B \subset X$  is closed countable space, then the intersection  $\mathbb{N} \cap B$  is finite, and, consequently, closed in  $X$ . But  $\mathbb{N}$  is not closed in  $X$ , hence,  $X$  is not  $\omega c$ -space.

Being the  $\omega$ -space,  $X$  is  $hL$ -space,  $\sigma$ -cmp-space,  $ccc$ -space,  $L$ -space and  $wL$ -space. It is clear that  $X$  is not  $hLc$ -space,  $\sigma$ -cmpc-space,  $ccc$ -space,  $Lc$ -space,  $wLc$ -space.

The equalities  $t_k(X) = t_{k_1}(X) = t_k^*(X) = t(X) = \omega$  are obvious. Being  $\omega$ -tight a space  $X$  is  $wL$ -tight too.  $\square$

**Corollary 1.** *There exists a space  $X$  such that  $X$  is a  $\omega$ -space, but is not  $\omega c$ -space.*

It is clear that any  $k$ -space is  $Lc$ -space (hence,  $L$ -space), and every space with countable tightness is  $hL$ -space (therefore  $\sigma$ -cmp-space,  $ccc$ -space,  $L$ -space and  $wL$ -space). The converse statements are not true. Theorem 1 shows that even  $wLc$ -spaces do not generalize a notion of countable tightness. Thus, a natural generalization of spaces with countable tightness and  $k$ -spaces is  $\mathcal{P}$ -spaces.

**Theorem 2.** *There exists a space  $X$  such that  $X$  is a  $L$ -space, but is not  $hL$ -tight.*

*Proof.* For example, let  $D$  be the infinite discrete space of cardinality continuum  $\mathfrak{c}$ , and  $X = \beta D$  be the Čech-Stone compactification of  $D$ . Being the compact space,  $X$  is a  $L$ -space. Consider  $p \in X \setminus \{\bigcup \bar{A} : A \in [D]^{\leq \omega}\}$ . Since the space  $D$  has not an uncountable Lindelöf subspaces, there is no Lindelöf subspace  $B \subset D$  such that  $p \in \bar{B}$ .  $\square$

In what follows we shall concentrate on the study of some properties of  $\mathcal{P}$ -spaces. Most of all we are interested in the resolvability of  $L$ -space. The following statements will be useful for these purpose.

**Theorem 3.** *Let the property  $\mathcal{P} \in \wp \setminus \{C_2\}$ . Then the following properties of a space  $X$  are equivalent.*

- (i)  $X$  is a  $\mathcal{P}$ -space;
- (ii) a set  $A \subset X$  is non-closed in  $X$  if and only if there exists  $P \subseteq X$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $X$ .

*Proof.* (i)  $\rightarrow$  (ii). Let  $X$  is a  $\mathcal{P}$ -space,  $A \subset X$  is non-closed in  $X$ . Then there exists  $P \subseteq X$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $P$ , therefore  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $X$ . Let for a set  $A$  there exists  $P \subseteq X$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $X$ . Consider  $x \in \overline{P \cap A} \setminus (P \cap A) \subseteq \overline{P} \cap \bar{A} \setminus (P \cap A)$ . If  $x \in A$  then  $x \in \overline{P} \setminus P$ , i.e.  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $P$ , consequently a set  $A$  is non-closed in  $X$ . If  $x \in P$  then  $x \in \bar{A} \setminus A$ , i.e. a set  $A$  is non-closed in  $X$ .

(ii)  $\rightarrow$  (i). Consider  $A \subset X$  such that  $A \cap P$  is closed in  $P$  for any subspace  $P \subseteq X$  which has the property  $\mathcal{P}$ . Suppose that  $A \neq \overline{A}$ . Then exists  $P \subseteq X$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $P \cap A$  is non-closed in  $X$ . Consider  $x \in \overline{P \cap A} \setminus (P \cap A)$ . Let  $P_1 = P \cup \{x\}$ . Then  $P_1$  has the property  $\mathcal{P}$  and  $P_1 \cap A$  is not closed in  $P_1$ , contradiction.  $\square$

**Corollary 2.** *A space  $X$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -space if and only if for any  $A$  non-closed in  $X$  there are  $x \in \overline{A} \setminus A$  and  $P \subseteq X$  with a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $x \in \overline{P \cap A}$ .*

**Corollary 3.** *For any non-isolated point  $x$  in  $\mathcal{P}$ -space  $X$  there is a subspace  $P \subseteq X$  with a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $x \in \overline{P} \setminus \{x\}$ .*

We give the following definition.

**Definition 3.** *The property  $\mathcal{P}$  is ICS (independent of the containing subspace) in  $X$  if  $P \subseteq X$  has a property  $\mathcal{P}$  in  $X$  if and only if  $P$  has a property  $\mathcal{P}$  in  $Y$  for any subset  $Y$  such that  $P \subseteq Y$ .*

The next theorem shows that hereditarily  $\mathcal{P}$ -space is  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight if property  $\mathcal{P}$  is ICS in  $X$ .

**Theorem 4.** *Let property  $\mathcal{P}$  be ICS in  $X$ . A space  $X$  is hereditarily  $\mathcal{P}$ -space if and only if for any  $A \subset X$  and  $x \in \overline{A} \setminus A$  there exists  $P \subseteq A$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $x \in \overline{P}$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $X$  be a hereditarily  $\mathcal{P}$ -space,  $A \subset X$  and  $x \in \overline{A} \setminus A$ . The subspace  $B = A \cup \{x\}$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -space,  $x$  is non-isolated point in  $B$ . Then there is  $P \subseteq A$  with a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $x \in \overline{P}$ .

Converse, let  $B \subset X$ ,  $A \subseteq B$  and  $A \cap P$  is closed in  $B$  for any  $P \subseteq B$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$ . If  $x \in \overline{A} \setminus A$  then there exists  $P \subseteq A$  which have a property  $\mathcal{P}$  such that  $x \in \overline{P}$ , i.e.  $A \cap P$  is non-closed in  $B$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 4.** *Let property  $\mathcal{P}$  be ICS in  $X$ . A space  $X$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight if and only if each subspace  $Y$  of  $X$  is  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight.*

Note that  $\omega\mathbb{N}$ -tight is not hereditarily property. The real numbers  $\mathbb{R}$  is  $\omega\mathbb{N}$ -tight, but its subspace  $Y = \{\frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N}\} \cup \{0\}$  is not  $\omega\mathbb{N}$ -tight.

### 3. ON RESOLVABILITY OF $L$ -SPACES

The maximal resolvability of  $\omega$ -tight spaces whose dispersion character is uncountable was proved by E.G. Pytkeev in [9]. Therefore  $\omega$ -spaces with uncountable dispersion character are maximally resolvable. A. Bella and V.I. Malykhin was proved that  $\omega\mathbb{N}$ -tight spaces are maximally resolvable [12].

E. Hewitt in [5] constructed an example of countable irresolvable normal space. Such space is obviously  $\omega$ -tight ( $hL$ -,  $\sigma$ - $cmp$ -,  $ccc$ -,  $L$ -,  $wL$ -tight) space with countable dispersion character. Therefore, in studying the resolvability of these spaces, it is necessarily to consider the spaces with uncountable dispersion character.

In this section we prove  $\omega$ -resolvability of regular  $L$ -tight spaces which dispersion character is uncountable. Consequently,  $hL$ -,  $\sigma$ - $cmp$ -,  $ccc$ -,  $wL$ -tight spaces are also  $\omega$ -resolvable (if  $X$  is regular space then properties  $ccc$ -tight,  $L$ -tight,  $wL$ -tight are equivalent).

The  $\omega$ -resolvability of  $\omega$ D-spaces was proved by P.L. Sharma and S. Sharma in [13]. V.I. Malykhin constructed an example of irresolvable Hausdorff Lindelöf space with uncountable dispersion character [7].

It is clear that any Lindelöf space is  $L$ -space. Therefore, the resolvability of  $L$ -spaces must be investigated in the class of regular spaces.

We will use a following

**Theorem 5** (Hewitt's criterion of resolvability [12]). *A topological space  $X$  is resolvable ( $\tau$ -resolvable) if and only if for any nonempty open subset  $U$  of  $X$  there exist nonempty resolvable ( $\tau$ -resolvable) subspace of  $U$ .*

A.G. El'kin proved the following elegant result

**Theorem 6** (Theorem 1 in [3]). *Let  $X$  be a collectionwise Hausdorff  $\sigma$ -discrete normal space that satisfies the following condition:*

(\*) *For each point  $x \in X$  there exists a discrete set  $D \subset X$  such that  $x \in \overline{D} \setminus D$ . Then the space  $X$  is  $\omega$ -resolvable.*

Recall that a set  $D \subseteq X$  is strongly discrete if there exists a pairwise disjoint family  $\mathfrak{U}_D = \{U_x : x \in D, U_x \text{ is an open neighborhood of } x\}$  (i.e.  $U_x \cap U_y = \emptyset$  for  $x \neq y, x \in D, y \in D$ ).

A point  $x$  of a space  $X$  is called *lsd-point* (a *limit point of a strongly discrete subspace*) if there exists a strongly discrete subspace  $D \subset X$  such that  $x \in \overline{D} \setminus D$  [7].

By using idea of the proof of El'kin's Theorem 6, P.L. Sharma and S. Sharma proved the following result [13].

**Theorem 7** (P.L. Sharma, S. Sharma). *Let  $X$  be a  $T_1$ -space. If each  $x \in X$  is a limit point of a strongly discrete subspace of  $X$  then  $X$  is a  $\omega$ -resolvable.*

**Definition 4.** *A discrete set  $D$  of cardinality  $\omega_1$  is a correct discrete, if any  $Y \subseteq D$  such that  $|Y| = \omega_1$  has a  $\omega_1$ -accumulation point.*

The following lemma is a generalized version of the lemma 2.1 in [15].

**Lemma 1.** *Let  $X$  be a regular space such that for each  $x \in X$  there exists a correct discrete set  $D_x$  of cardinality  $\omega_1$  such that  $x$  is a  $\omega_1$ -accumulation point of  $D_x$ . Then  $X$  is resolvable.*

*Proof.* By Theorem 5, it suffices to prove that each non-empty open set  $V$  of  $X$  contains dense-in-itself  $Y$  such that  $\overline{Y}$  is resolvable.

Denote by  $P(D)$  the set of  $\omega_1$ -accumulation points of a correct discrete set  $D$ . Let us note that  $\overline{P(D)} = P(D)$  and for any open set  $U$  such that  $P(D) \subset U$ , the set  $D \setminus U$  is at most countable.

Let  $y \in V$ ,  $D_y \subset V$  is a correct discrete set of cardinality  $\omega_1$ , such that  $y \in P(D_y)$ . Let  $Y_1 = D_y$ ,  $Y_n = \bigcup \{D_y : y \in Y_{n-1}\}$ , where  $D_y$  is correct discrete set,  $y$  is  $\omega_1$ -accumulation of  $D_y$ , we put  $Y = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} Y_n$ . It is clear that  $|Y| = \omega_1$  and any  $y \in Y$  is a  $\omega_1$ -accumulation point of correct (in  $\overline{Y}$ ) discrete subset  $D_y$  of  $Y$ .

Now we prove that  $\overline{Y}$  is resolvable.

First, we renumber the space  $Y = \{y_\alpha : \alpha < \omega_1\}$ .

For  $\alpha < \omega_1$  we construct sets  $A_\alpha^i \subset \bar{Y}$ ,  $A_i = \bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} A_\alpha^i$  where  $i = 1, 2$ , such that  $A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset$  and  $\overline{A_1} = \overline{A_2} \supset Y$ .

Consider  $y_1$ . Let  $D_1$  be a correct (in  $X$ ) discrete space of cardinality  $\omega_1$ , such that  $y_1 \in P(D_1)$ . Let  $A_1^1 = D_1$ ,  $A_1^2 = P(D_1)$ ,  $P_1 = P(D_1)$ . Obviously,  $A_1^1 \cap A_1^2 = \emptyset$  and  $\overline{A_1^1} \cap \overline{A_1^2} \supset P_1$ .

Suppose that for each  $\alpha < \beta < \omega_1$  we construct sets  $P_\alpha \subset \bar{Y}$ ,  $D_\alpha \subset Y$ ,  $A_\alpha^1, A_\alpha^2$  with the following properties.

1. If  $y_\alpha \in \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} P_\eta \right]$ , then  $P_\alpha = D_\alpha = \emptyset$ ,  $A_\alpha^i = \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ .
2. If  $y_\alpha \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} P_\eta \right]$ , but  $y_\alpha \in \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^1 \right] \cap \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^2 \right]$ , then  $P_\alpha = \{y_\alpha\}$ ,  $D_\alpha = \emptyset$ ,  $A_\alpha^1 = \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^1$ ,  $A_\alpha^2 = \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^2$ .
3. If  $y_\alpha \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} P_\eta \right]$  and  $y_\alpha \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^1 \right] \cap \left[ \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^2 \right]$ , then  $D_\alpha$  is a correct discrete set of cardinality  $\omega_1$ , such that  $y_\alpha \in P(D_\alpha)$ ,  $\left( \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} D_\eta \right) \cap D_\alpha = \emptyset$ ,  $P_\alpha = P(D_\alpha)$ . In this case  $A_\alpha^1 = \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^1 \cup P_\alpha$ ,  $A_\alpha^2 = \bigcup_{\eta < \alpha} A_\eta^2 \cup D_\alpha$ .
4.  $A_\alpha^1 \cap A_\alpha^2 = \emptyset$ ;  $A_\alpha^i$  form a monotonically nondecreasing sequence (by  $\alpha$ ),  $\left[ \bigcup_{\eta \leq \alpha} P_\eta \right] \subset [A_\alpha^i]$ , and  $A_\alpha^i \subset \bigcup_{\eta \leq \alpha} (P_\eta \cup D_\eta)$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ .

Consider  $y_\beta$ . If  $y_\beta \in \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} P_\alpha \right]$ , we suppose  $P_\beta = D_\beta = \emptyset$ ,  $A_\beta^i = \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ . It is easy to see  $\left[ \bigcup_{\alpha \leq \beta} P_\alpha \right] \subset [A_\beta^i]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$  and  $A_\beta^1 \cap A_\beta^2 = \emptyset$ .

Indeed, by construction,  $\bigcup_{\alpha \leq \beta} [P_\alpha] \subset [A_\beta^i]$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ , then  $\left[ \bigcup_{\alpha \leq \beta} P_\alpha \right] \subset \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha \leq \beta} [P_\alpha] \right] \subset [A_\beta^i]$ .

Let  $y_\beta \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} P_\alpha \right]$ , but  $y_\beta \in \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^1 \right] \cap \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2 \right]$ , then  $P_\beta = \{y_\beta\}$ ,  $D_\beta = \emptyset$ ,  $A_\beta^i = \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ .

It is easy to see that  $A_\beta^i$  satisfy item 4.

Finally the last case  $y_\beta \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} P_\alpha \right]$ , and  $y_\beta \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^1 \right] \cap \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2 \right]$ .

Suppose, for definiteness,  $y_\beta \notin \left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^1 \right]$ . Consider a neighborhood  $U_\beta$  of  $y_\beta$ , such that the closure of  $U_\beta$  is disjoint with  $\left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^1 \right]$  and  $\left[ \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} P_\alpha \right]$ .

In this neighborhood there is at most a countable of points of the set  $\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2$  because it intersect with  $U_\beta$  can only with  $D_\alpha$ ,  $\alpha < \beta$  (by 4).

For each  $\alpha$  such that  $D_\alpha \neq \emptyset$  and  $D_\alpha$  is a discrete,  $P(D_\alpha) \subset \bar{Y} \setminus [U_\beta]$ , hence,  $D_\alpha \cap U_\beta$  is at most a countable. It follows that  $\left(\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} D_\alpha\right) \cap U_\beta$  has a cardinality

$< \omega_1$  and, by 4,  $\left(\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2\right) \cap U_\beta$  is countable. Let  $D_\beta$  be a correct discrete set

such that  $D_\beta \subset U_\beta$ ,  $y_\beta \in P(D_\beta)$  and  $D_\beta \cap \left(\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2\right) = \emptyset$ .

Let  $P_\beta = P(D_\beta)$ ,  $A_\beta^1 = D_\beta \cup \left(\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^1\right)$ ,  $A_\beta^2 = P_\beta \cup \left(\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} A_\alpha^2\right)$ .

By construction,  $A_\beta^1, A_\beta^2$  are disjoint sets and has the property 4.

We prove that  $Y \subset \left[\bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} P_\alpha\right]$ . Suppose that  $Y \setminus \left[\bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} P_\alpha\right] \neq \emptyset$ , consider  $y_\gamma \in Y \setminus \left[\bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} P_\alpha\right]$ . Then  $P_\gamma = \emptyset$ , because if  $P_\gamma \neq \emptyset$ , then  $y_\gamma \in P_\gamma$ . By 1, 2, 3,

we have  $y_\gamma \in \left[\bigcup_{\alpha < \gamma} P_\alpha\right] \subset \left[\bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} P_\alpha\right]$ , a contradiction.

Let  $A_i = \bigcup_{\alpha < \omega_1} A_\alpha^i$ ,  $i = 1, 2$ . By construction,  $A_1 \cap A_2 = \emptyset$  and  $[A_1] = [A_2] \supset Y$ .

So we have that  $\bar{Y}$  is resolvable. □

**Corollary 5.** *Let  $X$  be a regular space,  $Y = \{x \in X : \exists \text{ countable discrete set } D_x \text{ such that } x \in \bar{D}_x \setminus D_x \text{ or } \exists \text{ correct discrete } D_x \text{ of cardinality } \omega_1 \text{ such that } x \in \bar{D}_x \setminus D_x\}$  and  $\bar{Y} = X$ . Then  $X$  is resolvable.*

*Proof.* Let  $A = \{x \in X : \exists \text{ countable discrete set } D_x \text{ such that } x \in \bar{D}_x \setminus D_x\}$  and  $B = Y \setminus A$ . By Theorem 7, the set  $Int(A)$  is resolvable. Hence, there are disjoint sets  $A_1, A_2 \subset Int(A)$  such that  $\bar{A}_i \supset Int(A)$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . If  $Int(A) = \emptyset$  then we put  $A_i = \emptyset$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .

Now we prove that if  $Int(B) \neq \emptyset$  then  $Int(B)$  is resolvable. Let  $W$  be an non-empty open set such that  $\bar{W} \subset Int(B)$ . Note that there is a set  $Y \subset W$  such that  $|Y| = \omega_1$  and any  $y \in Y$  is a  $\omega_1$ -accumulation point of correct (in  $\bar{Y}$  and also in  $\bar{W}$ ) discrete subset  $D_y$  of  $\bar{Y}$ . Then, by Lemma 1,  $Int(B)$  is resolvable.

Hence, there are disjoint sets  $B_1, B_2 \subset Int(B)$  such that  $\bar{B}_i \supset Int(B)$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . If  $Int(B) = \emptyset$  then we put  $B_i = \emptyset$  for  $i = 1, 2$ .

Let  $Z = X \setminus (\bar{Int(A)} \cup \bar{Int(B)})$ ,  $A_z = A \cap Z$ ,  $B_z = B \cap Z$ . Consider  $C = Int(A_z \cup B_z)$ . Let  $C_1 = A \cap C$ ,  $C_2 = B \cap C$  for  $C \neq \emptyset$ . Note that  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ , hence,  $C_1 \cap C_2 = \emptyset$ ,  $Int(C_1) = Int(C_2) = \emptyset$  and  $C = C_1 \cup C_2$ . It follows that  $C \subset \bar{C}_i$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . If  $C = \emptyset$  then we assume  $C_1 = C_2 = \emptyset$ .

Let  $D = X \setminus (\bar{Int(A)} \cup \bar{Int(B)} \cup \bar{C})$ . If  $D = \emptyset$  we assume  $D_1 = (A \cup B) \cap D$  and  $D_2 = (X \setminus (A \cup B)) \cap D$ . Note that  $D_1$  and  $D_2$  are disjoint sets and are dense in  $D$ . If  $D = \emptyset$  then we assume  $D_1 = D_2 = \emptyset$ . Note that  $X = \bar{Int(A)} \cup \bar{Int(B)} \cup \bar{C} \cup \bar{D}$ .



Finally, let  $X_i = A_i \cup B_i \cup C_i \cup D_i$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . It is clear  $X = \overline{X_i}$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $X_1 \cap X_2 = \emptyset$ .

□

The following theorem is the main result of this work.

**Theorem 8.** *The regular  $L$ -space with uncountable dispersion character is resolvable.*

*Proof.* Let  $U$  be an open subset of  $X$  such that each Lindelöf subspace of  $U$  at most countable. Note that if  $U \neq \emptyset$  then  $U$  is maximally resolvable [9] because it is a  $\omega$ -tight and has uncountable dispersion character.

Consider a set  $Z = \bigcup\{U, \text{ where } U \text{ is an open subset of } X \text{ such that each Lindelöf subspace of } U \text{ at most countable}\}$ . Then the set  $Z$  is resolvable (as the union of resolvable subspaces [14]) or  $Z = \emptyset$ .

Let  $Y = X \setminus [Z]$ . By definition of  $Y$  and Corollary 3, any open subset of  $Y$  contains uncountable Lindelöf subspace  $L$ . If  $L$  is a heriditaraly Lindelöf then it contains subspace  $M$  of uncountable dispersion character. Then  $M$  is resolvable (see [6]). Let  $H = \bigcup\{M, \text{ where } M \text{ is a heriditaraly Lindelöf of uncountable dispersion character}\}$ . The set  $H$  is resolvable (as the union of resolvable subspaces [14]) or  $H = \emptyset$ .

Let  $K = Y \setminus \overline{H}$ . It remains to prove that  $K$  is resolvable. Let us note that if a subspace  $L \subset K$  is not heriditaraly Lindelöf, then it contains a closed set  $F$  which is not  $G_\delta$ -set. Let  $K \neq \emptyset$ .

We claim that  $K$  has the conditions of Corollary 5. Let  $V$  be an open set such that  $\overline{V} \subset K$ . Consider  $L \subset \overline{V}$  such that  $L$  is Lindelöf, but is not heriditaraly Lindelöf and  $F \subset L$  such that  $F$  is a closed set of  $L$ , but is not  $G_\delta$ -set in  $L$ .

By induction on  $\alpha$ , we construct the required discrete  $D \subset L$ .

Let  $x_1 \in L \setminus F$ . By the regularity of  $L$ , there are an open sets  $U_1$  and  $V_1$  such that  $\overline{U_1}^L \cap \overline{V_1}^L = \emptyset$ ,  $x_1 \in U_1$  and  $F \subset V_1$ .

Let we constructed  $x_\alpha, V_\alpha, U_\alpha$  for  $\alpha < \beta$  such that  $\overline{U_\alpha}^L \cap \overline{V_\alpha}^L = \emptyset$ ,  $x_\alpha \in U_\alpha$  and  $F \subset V_\alpha$  and

1.  $x_\alpha \in \bigcap_{\gamma < \alpha} \overline{V_\gamma}^L$ ;
2.  $x_\gamma \notin U_\alpha$  for  $\alpha \neq \gamma$ ;
3.  $x_\alpha \notin F$ ;
4.  $\bigcup_{\gamma < \alpha} \{x_\gamma\}$  are closed subsets of  $L$  for  $\alpha < \beta$ .

If  $\beta = \omega_1$  or  $\bigcup_{\gamma < \alpha} \{x_\gamma\}$  is not closed set then inductive process is completed.

If  $\bigcup_{\gamma < \alpha} \{x_\gamma\}$  is closed set then there is  $x_\beta \in \bigcap_{\gamma < \beta} \overline{V_\gamma}^L \setminus F$ . There are an open sets  $V_\beta$  and  $U_\beta$  such that  $F \subset V_\beta$ ,  $x_\beta \in U_\beta$ ,  $\overline{U_\beta}^L \cap \overline{V_\beta}^L = \emptyset$ ,  $\overline{V_\beta}^L \cap (\bigcup_{\gamma < \beta} \{x_\gamma\}) = \emptyset$  and  $\overline{U_\beta}^L \cap (\bigcup_{\gamma < \beta} \{x_\gamma\}) = \emptyset$ .

By construction, if  $|D| = \omega$  then  $\overline{D} \setminus D \neq \emptyset$ .

If  $|D| = \omega_1$ , but  $D$  contains a countable is not closed (in  $K$ ) subset  $D_1$ , then  $D = D_1$ .

If  $|D| = \omega_1$  and each countable subset of  $D$  is closed set in  $K$  then  $D$  is a correct discrete set in Lindelöf space  $L$  and, hence,  $D$  is a correct discrete set in  $\overline{V}$ .

So  $K$  is resolvable. Then  $X$  is resolvable as the union of resolvable subspaces.  $\square$

Note that a regular  $wL$ -space is a  $L$ -space.

**Corollary 6.** *Let  $\mathcal{P} \in \{\omega N, \omega, hL, \sigma\text{-cmp}, ccc, L, wL\}$ . The regular  $\mathcal{P}$ -space with uncountable dispersion character is resolvable.*

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $X$  be a regular resolvable space and  $\Delta(X) > \omega$ . Then there are disjoint dense in  $X$  subsets  $Y_1, Y_2$  of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(Y_1) > \omega$ .*

*Proof.* Let  $X = X_1 \cup X_2$  and  $\overline{X_i} = X$  for  $i = 1, 2$ . Suppose that  $\Delta(X_1) = \Delta(X_2) = \omega$ . Consider an open set  $U_1$  of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(U_1 \cap X_1) = \omega$ . Then  $\Delta(U_1 \cap X_2) > \omega$ . Let  $Z_1^1 = U_1 \cap X_2$ ,  $Z_1^2 = U_1 \cap X_1$ . If  $\Delta(X_1 \setminus \overline{U_1}) > \omega$  then inductive process is completed. Suppose that  $\Delta(X_1 \setminus \overline{U_1}) = \omega$ . Let  $U_2$  be an open set of  $X$  such that  $\Delta(X_1 \setminus \overline{U_2}) = \omega$ .  $Z_2^1 = U_2 \cap X_2$ ,  $Z_2^2 = U_2 \cap X_1$  and so on. By inductive process, we construct a disjoint family  $\{U_\alpha, \alpha < \beta\}$  of open subsets of  $X$  such that  $X = [\bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} U_\alpha]$  and disjoint sets  $Z_\alpha^1 \subset U_\alpha$ ,  $Z_\alpha^2 \subset U_\alpha$ . Let  $Y_1 = \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} Z_\alpha^1$  and  $Y_2 = \bigcup_{\alpha < \beta} Z_\alpha^2$ . It is clear that  $X = \overline{Y_i}$  for  $i = 1, 2$  and  $\Delta(Y_1) > \omega$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 9.** *The regular  $L$ -tight space  $X$  of uncountable dispersion character is  $\omega$ -resolvable.*

*Proof.* Let  $X = Y_1 \cup X_1$ , where  $X_1, Y_1$  are disjoint and dense in  $X$ . Let  $\Delta(Y_1) > \omega$ . Let  $Y_1 = Y_2 \cup X_2$ , where  $X_2, Y_2$  are disjoint dense in  $Y_1$  and  $\Delta(Y_2) > \omega$ . A space  $Y_1$  is dense in  $X$ , consequently  $X_2, Y_2$  are dense in  $X$  too. And so on. By inductive process, we construct a countable disjoint family  $\{X_n, n \in \omega\}$  of dense in  $X$  sets.  $\square$

Note that a regular  $wL$ -tight is a  $L$ -tight.

**Corollary 7.** *Let  $\mathcal{P} \in \{\omega N, \omega, hL, \sigma\text{-cmp}, ccc, L, wL\}$ . The regular  $\mathcal{P}$ -tight space with uncountable dispersion character is  $\omega$ -resolvable.*

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