

Layer topology

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ABSTRACT

Concentric objects are often part of the broad category of whorled patterns, which also includes a curve which emanates from a point, moving farther away as it revolves around the point. This ignited us to think over collection of open sets forms a chain where the core open set is non empty and all the other open sets originates from it. This paves us a way to develop the new concept layer topology. Moreover, an attempt has been done to extend this definition in infinite domains like real numbers as standard layer topology, lower limit layer topology and upper limit topology in terms of bases. A comparative study has also done among them. Its properties and characterizations were also studied. Finally, we have given a new graphic approach to the layer topological structure. Further it was extended to associate the layer open sets with some special types of graphs such as cycle, complete graph, path graph and complete bipartite graph.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Topology is a main branch of mathematics. Modern topology depends strongly on the ideas of set theory, developed by Georg Cantor in the later part of the 19th century. Informally, a topology describes how elements of a set relate spatially to each other. In 1983, Mashhour et al. came up with an idea of supra topological spaces by dropping a finite intersection condition of topological spaces. In 2015, Adel. M. Al-Odhari, introduced the concept of infra topological spaces removing the arbitrary union condition of topological spaces. In 2022, [2] Amer Himza Almyaly introduced the concept of interior topology. In nature all occurring process are towards a centre and all the other objects are originated from it. The concept of layer topology was initiated from a nonempty core open set which is a source of the other layer open sets.

II. PRELIMINARIES

In this section, we recalled some basic definitions related to topology and graph theory. All these definitions can be found in the sources [2], [4] and [5].

A topology on a nonempty set X is a collection τ of subsets of X having the following properties: (i) ϕ and X are in τ . (ii) The union of the elements of any subcollection of τ is in τ . (iii) The intersection of the elements of any finite subcollection of τ is in τ . A set X for which a topology τ has been specified is called a topological space. Let X be a topological space with topology τ . If Y is a subset of X , the collection $\tau_Y = \{Y \cap U : U \in \tau\}$ is a topology on Y , called the subspace topology (relative topology). Let X be a nonempty set. A subclass $I_i \subseteq P(X)$ is called interior topology on X if the following is satisfied: (a) $\emptyset \notin I_i$ (b) It is closed under an arbitrary union of elements of I_i (c) It is closed under the arbitrary intersection of elements of I_i . An interior topological space is set X together with the interior topology I_i on X .

A graph $G = (V, E)$ consists of a set of objects $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots\}$ called vertices, and another set $E = \{e_1, e_2, \dots\}$, whose elements are called edges, such that each edge e_k is identified with an unordered pair (v_i, v_j) of vertices. The graph G is finite if the number of vertices and the number of edges in G is finite; otherwise, it is an infinite graph. If any vertex can be reached from any other vertex in G by travelling along the edges, then G is called connected graph. The number of edges incident on a vertex v is called the degree. A vertex of degree one is called an end vertex. A walk is defined as a finite alternating sequence of vertices and edges, beginning and ending with vertices, such that each edge is incident with the vertices preceding and following it. No edge appears more than once in a walk. It is possible for a walk to begin and end at the same vertex. Such a walk is called a closed walk. A walk that is not closed is called an open walk. An open walk in which no vertex appears more than once is called a path. A closed walk in which no vertex (except the initial and the final vertex) appears more than once is called a circuit. A circuit is also called a cycle.

III. NEW RESULTS

A. Layer topology

In this section, we have introduced the concept of layer topological space and studied some of its properties.

Definition 3.1 Let X be a non-empty set. The collection \mathcal{L} of subsets of X is called Layer topology on X if the following conditions are satisfied: (i) $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{L}$ and $X \in \mathcal{L}$ (ii) If A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n ($n \in \mathbb{N}$) $\in \mathcal{L}$, then $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset \dots \subset A_n$. Also (X, \mathcal{L}) is called the layer topological space. The elements of \mathcal{L} are called ℓ -open sets. By condition (ii), arbitrary union of ℓ -open sets is ℓ -open and arbitrary intersection of ℓ -open sets is ℓ -open.

Example 3.2 Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$. Then $\mathcal{L} = \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, X\}$ is a layer topology on X . Also (X, \mathcal{L}) is the layer topological space.

Example 3.3 Let $X = \mathbb{C}$, the set of all complex numbers and $\mathcal{L} = \{\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{W}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}\}$, where \mathbb{N} is the set of all natural numbers, \mathbb{W} is the set of all whole numbers, \mathbb{Z} is the set of all integers, \mathbb{Q} is the set of all rational numbers, \mathbb{R} is the set of all real numbers. Clearly (X, \mathcal{L}) is the layer topological space.

Definition 3.4 A layer topology \mathcal{L} on a set X having only two ℓ -open sets is called the indiscrete layer topological space.

Remark 3.5 The following example shows that indiscrete layer topology on a set X is not unique.

Example 3.6 (i) Let $X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$. The following are some of the indiscrete layer topologies on X .

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \{\{a, b, c\}, X\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \{\{a, d\}, X\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = \{\{b\}, X\}$$

(ii) Let $X = \mathbb{R}$, the set of all real numbers.

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \{\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{R}\}, \text{ where } \mathbb{Z} \text{ is the set of all integers}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \{\mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}\}, \text{ where } \mathbb{Q} \text{ is the set of all rational numbers}$$

Definition 3.7 A layer topology \mathcal{L} on a set X having 'n' elements is said to be discrete if it has exactly 'n' number of ℓ -open sets. (i.e) $|\mathcal{L}| = n$.

Remark 3.8 The following example shows that the discrete layer topology on a finite set is not unique.

Example 3.9 Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$. The following are some of the discrete layer topologies on X .

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}, X\}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \{\{a\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, X\}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = \{\{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, b, d\}, X\}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = \{\{c\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, X\}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = \{\{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, X\}.$$

Definition 3.10 A subset of A of a layer topological space is said to be ℓ -closed set if $X-A$ is ℓ -open.

Theorem 3.11 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space, then the collection \mathcal{L}^* of all ℓ -closed sets satisfy the following: (i) $X \notin \mathcal{L}^*$, $\emptyset \in \mathcal{L}^*$ (ii) If C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n ($n \in \mathbb{N}$) $\in \mathcal{L}^*$ then $C_1 \supset C_2 \supset \dots \supset C_n$.

Proof.

(i) $X \in \mathcal{L} \Rightarrow \emptyset \in \mathcal{L}^*$ and $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{L} \Rightarrow X \in \mathcal{L}^*$.

(ii) Let $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n \in \mathcal{L}^*$. Then $C_i = A_i^c$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$, where $A_i \in \mathcal{L}$.

Also, $A_1 \subset A_2 \subset \dots \subset A_n \Rightarrow A_1^c \supset A_2^c \supset \dots \supset A_n^c$. Hence $C_1 \supset C_2 \supset \dots \supset C_n$.

Definition 3.12 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space, then $x \in X$ is called a core point if $x \in U$, $\forall U \in \mathcal{L}$. The set of all core points is called the core set denoted by \mathcal{C} .

Example 3.13 In Example 3.2, $\{a\}$ is the core set and in Example 3.3, \mathbb{N} is the core set.

Theorem 3.14 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space, then the following are equivalent.

(i) $\mathcal{C} \subseteq X$ is the core set.

(ii) $C = \bigcap U_i ; \forall U_i \in L$.

(iii) C is the minimal ℓ -open set.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let C be the core set. By definition $C \subseteq U_i, \forall i. \Rightarrow C \subseteq \bigcap U_i$.

To prove the other side, let $x \in \bigcap U_i \Rightarrow x \in U_i, \forall i \Rightarrow x \in C$. Hence $C = \bigcap U_i$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) Let $C = \bigcap U_i ; \forall U_i \in \mathcal{L}$. Then C is the subset of every ℓ -open set. Hence C is the minimal ℓ -open set.

(iii) \Rightarrow (i) Let A be a minimal ℓ -open set and C be the core set. Then $A \subseteq C$. To prove $C \subseteq A$. Suppose not, there exist $x \in C$ such that $x \notin A$. Now $x \in C$ means x is the core point and $x \in U_i, \forall i$, where U_i is the ℓ -open set. Therefore $x \in A$. Which is a contradiction. Hence $A = C$.

Theorem 3.15 In layer topological space the core set is unique.

Proof. Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space. We have $C = \bigcap U_i, U_i$'s are the ℓ -open sets. Also, $\bigcap U_i = U_i$ for some i . Therefore, C is a ℓ -open set. Suppose C_1 and C_2 are two core sets in (X, \mathcal{L}) . Now $C_1 = \bigcap U_i = C_2$. Hence the core set exists and unique.

Definition 3.16 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space, then $x \in X$ is called a border point if $x \notin U, \forall U \in L$ such that $U \neq X$. The set \mathcal{B} of all border points is called the border set.

Example 3.17 In Example 3.2, $\{d\}$ is the border set and in Example 3.3, the set of all purely imaginary numbers is the border set.

Remark 3.18 Border set is not a ℓ -open set.

Remark 3.19 Discrete layer topology has exactly one core point and one border point.

Theorem 3.20 Core set and border set of a layer topology are disjoint.

Proof. Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space. Let C be the core set and \mathcal{B} the border set.

Suppose $C \cap \mathcal{B} \neq \emptyset$. Let $x \in C \cap \mathcal{B}$. Then $x \in C$ and $x \in \mathcal{B}$. Now from the definition of border set if $x \in \mathcal{B}$ then $x \notin U, \forall U \in L$ such that $U \neq X$. Therefore $x \notin C$. Which is a contradiction. Hence $C \cap \mathcal{B} = \emptyset$.

Theorem 3.21 No two distinct ℓ -open sets have the same number of elements.

Proof. Let A and B be distinct ℓ -open sets. From the definition it is clear that, either $A \subset B$ or $B \subset A$. Hence they have different number of elements.

Theorem 3.22 Let X be a non-empty set with 'n' elements and \mathcal{L} be a layer topology on X . Then \mathcal{L} has a maximum of 'n' number of ℓ -open sets.

Proof. Suppose \mathcal{L} has a maximum of 'n + 1' ℓ -open sets. Let $\mathcal{L} = \{A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n, X\}$ and $|A_1| = 1, |A_2| = 2, \dots, |A_n| = n$. Also $|X| = n. \therefore |A_n| = |X|$. Which is a contradiction, by theorem 3.14.

Definition 3.23 Suppose \mathcal{L} and \mathcal{L}' are two layer topologies on a set X . If $\mathcal{L} \supset \mathcal{L}'$, then we say that \mathcal{L}' is finer than \mathcal{L} ; if \mathcal{L}' properly contains \mathcal{L} , we say that \mathcal{L}' is strictly finer than \mathcal{L} . Also we say that \mathcal{L} is coarser than \mathcal{L}' ; if \mathcal{L} properly contained in \mathcal{L}' , we say that \mathcal{L} is strictly coarser than \mathcal{L}' . We say that \mathcal{L} is comparable with \mathcal{L}' if either $\mathcal{L} \supset \mathcal{L}'$ or $\mathcal{L}' \supset \mathcal{L}$.

Example 3.24 Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$. The layer topologies $\mathcal{L}_1 = \{\{a\}, \{a, d\}, X\}$ and $\mathcal{L}_2 = \{\{a\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, X\}$ are comparable such that $\mathcal{L}_1 \subset \mathcal{L}_2$.

B. Relative layer topology

In this section, we have discussed the condition for the subspace layer topology.

Theorem 4.1 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space and $C \subseteq X$ be the core set and let $Y \subseteq X$ such that $Y \cap C \neq \emptyset$ then the collection $\mathcal{L}_Y = \{U \cap Y : \forall U \in \mathcal{L}\}$ is a layer topology on Y .

Proof. (i) Let $Y \subseteq X$, then $X \cap Y = Y \in \mathcal{L}_Y$.

(ii) Let $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n \in \mathcal{L}_Y$.

Then $A_1 = U_1 \cap Y, A_2 = U_2 \cap Y, \dots, A_n = U_n \cap Y$, where $U_1, U_2, \dots, U_n \in \mathcal{L}$, such that $U_1 \subset U_2 \subset \dots, U_n$.

Now, $(U_1 \cap Y) \subset (U_2 \cap Y) \subset \dots \subset (U_n \cap Y) \Rightarrow A_1 \subset A_2 \subset \dots \subset A_n$.

(iii) Suppose $\emptyset \in \mathcal{L}_Y$. Then there exist some $A \in \mathcal{L}$ such that $A \cap Y = \emptyset$.

$\Rightarrow (C \cap A) \cap (C \cap Y) = C \cap \emptyset$, where C is the core set of (X, \mathcal{L}) .

$\Rightarrow C \cap (C \cap Y) = \emptyset$.

$\Rightarrow C \cap Y = \emptyset$. Which is a contradiction. Hence $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{L}_Y$.

Definition 4.2 The collection \mathcal{L}_Y is called relative layer topology on $Y \subseteq X$ and (Y, \mathcal{L}_Y) is called relative layer topological space.

Example 4.3 Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and $\mathcal{L} = \{\{b\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, X\}$ be the layer topology on X . Consider $Y = \{b, c, d\}$, then the relative layer topology $\mathcal{L}_Y = \{\{b\}, \{b, d\}, Y\}$.

C. Layer topology in \mathbb{R}

In this section, we have defined a base for the layer topology and some special types of layer topologies generated by the layer base in \mathbb{R} .

Definition 5.1 Let (X, \mathcal{L}) be a layer topological space and $\mathcal{B} \subseteq \mathcal{L}$. Then \mathcal{B} is called a base for a layer topology \mathcal{L} if every ℓ -open set $U \in \mathcal{L}$ is a union of members of \mathcal{B} . Equivalently, \mathcal{B} is a layer base for \mathcal{L} if for any $x \in U \in \mathcal{L}$, there exist $B \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B \subseteq U$.

Lemma 5.2 Let \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{B}' be bases for the layer topologies \mathcal{L} and \mathcal{L}' respectively on X . Then the following are equivalent.

(i) \mathcal{L}' is finer than \mathcal{L} .

(ii) For each $x \in X$ and each basis element $B \in \mathcal{B}$ containing x , there is a basis element $B' \in \mathcal{B}'$ such that $x \in B' \subseteq B$.

Proof. (ii) \Rightarrow (i). Given $U \in \mathcal{L}$. To prove $U \in \mathcal{L}'$.

Let $x \in U$. Since \mathcal{B} generates \mathcal{L} , there is an element $B \in \mathcal{B}$ such that $x \in B \subseteq U$. By(ii), there exist an element $B' \in \mathcal{B}'$ such that $x \in B' \subseteq B$. Then $x \in B' \subseteq U$. So $U \in \mathcal{L}'$.

(i) \Rightarrow (ii). Given $x \in X$ and $B \in \mathcal{B}$, with $x \in B$. Now $B \in \mathcal{L}$ and $\mathcal{L} \subset \mathcal{L}'$. Therefore $B \in \mathcal{L}'$. Since \mathcal{L}' is generated by \mathcal{B}' , there is an element $B' \in \mathcal{B}'$ such that $x \in B' \subseteq B$.

Definition 5.3 If \mathcal{B} is the collection of all open intervals in \mathbb{R} (the set of real numbers), of the form $(-n, n)$; $n \in \mathbb{R}$, the layer topology generated by \mathcal{B} is called the standard layer topology on \mathbb{R} , denoted by \mathcal{L}_R .

Definition 5.4 If \mathcal{B}' is the collection of all half-open intervals in \mathbb{R} , of the form $[-a, a)$; $a \in \mathbb{R}$, the layer topology generated by \mathcal{B}' is called the lower limit layer topology on \mathbb{R} , denoted by \mathcal{L}_L .

Definition 5.5 If \mathcal{B}'' is the collection of all half-open intervals in \mathbb{R} , of the form $(-b, b]$; $b \in \mathbb{R}$, the layer topology generated by \mathcal{B}'' is called the upper limit layer topology on \mathbb{R} , denoted by \mathcal{L}_U .

Lemma 5.6 The layer topologies of \mathcal{L}_L and \mathcal{L}_U strictly finer than the standard layer topology on \mathbb{R} , but are not comparable with one another.

Proof. Let $\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}'$ and \mathcal{L}'' be the layer topologies of $\mathcal{L}_R, \mathcal{L}_L$ and \mathcal{L}_U , respectively. Given a basis element $(-n, n)$ for \mathcal{L} and a point x of $(-n, n)$, the basis element $[-x-\varepsilon, x+\varepsilon)$ for \mathcal{L}' contains x and lies in $(-n, n)$. On the other hand, given the basis element $[-a, a)$ for \mathcal{L}' , there is no open interval $(-n, n)$ that contains $-a$ and lies in $[-a, a)$. Thus \mathcal{L}' is strictly finer than \mathcal{L} .

Given a basis element $(-n, n)$ for \mathcal{L} and a point x of $(-n, n)$, the basis element $(-x-\varepsilon, x+\varepsilon]$ for \mathcal{L}'' contains x and lies in $(-n, n)$. On the other hand, given the basis element $(-b, b]$ for \mathcal{L}'' , there is no open interval $(-n, n)$ that contains b and lies in $(-b, b]$. Thus \mathcal{L}'' is strictly finer than \mathcal{L} .

Given a basis element $[-a, a)$ for \mathcal{L}' , and $-a \in [-a, a)$ there is no basis element $(-b, b]$ for \mathcal{L}'' that contains $-a$ and lies in $[-a, a)$. On the other hand, given basis element $(-b, b]$ for \mathcal{L}'' , and $b \in (-b, b]$ there is no basis element $[-a, a)$ for \mathcal{L}' that contains b and lies in $(-b, b]$. Hence the layer topologies of \mathcal{L}_L and \mathcal{L}_U are not comparable.

Definition 5.7 For a fixed $x \in \mathbb{R}$ or $y \in \mathbb{R}$, if \mathcal{B}_1 is the collection of all open intervals in \mathbb{R} , of the form (x, y) ; $x < y$, the layer topology generated by \mathcal{B}_1 is called the open ray layer topology on \mathbb{R} .

Definition 5.8 For a fixed $x \in \mathbb{R}$ or $y \in \mathbb{R}$, if \mathcal{B}_2 is the collection of all closed intervals in \mathbb{R} , of the form $[x, y]$; $x < y$, the layer topology generated by \mathcal{B}_2 is called the closed ray layer topology on \mathbb{R} .

D. Layer topology on graphs

In this section, we have defined layer topology for each non empty proper subset of the vertex set V of a simple connected graph G .

Definition 6.1 Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple connected graph. The closed neighbourhood of the sub set A of V is defined by, $N[A] = A \cup \{v \in V-A : uv \in E, \forall u \in A\}$.

Definition 6.2 Let $G = (V, E)$ be a simple connected graph with ‘n’ vertices. Then the layer topology corresponding to a non-empty proper subset A of V is defined as $\mathcal{L}_A = \{A, A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k\}$, where $A_i = N[A_{i-1}]$, $i = 2, 3, \dots, k$; $k < n$; with $A_k = V$.

Example 6.3 Consider a graph in figure 1, with vertex set $V = \{a, b, c, d\}$.

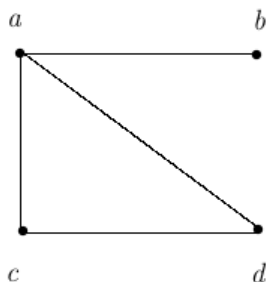


Figure 1.

$$\mathcal{L}_{\{b\}} = \{\{b\}, \{a, b\}, V\};$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\{a,d\}} = \{\{a, d\}, V\}.$$

Theorem 6.4 The layer topology corresponding to every vertex in a complete graph is indiscrete.

Proof. Let $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ be the vertex set a complete graph K_n . Consider $v_i \in V$. Since v_i is adjacent to every other vertex, the layer topology corresponding to a vertex $v_i \in V$ is $\mathcal{L}_{\{v_i\}} = \{\{v_i\}, V\}$.

Theorem 6.5 The layer topology corresponding to every vertex in a complete bipartite graph has exactly three ℓ -open sets. (i.e) $|\mathcal{L}_{\{v\}}| = 3, \forall v \in V$.

Proof. Let V be the vertex set of a complete bipartite graph $K_{m,n}$. Let V can be partitioned into V_1 and V_2 such that $V_1 \cup V_2 = V$ and $V_1 \cap V_2 = \emptyset$. Let $V_1 = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\}$ and $V_2 = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$. Let $x_i \in V_1$; $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, then the layer topology $\mathcal{L}_{\{x_i\}} = \{\{x_i\}, \{x_i, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}, V\}$. Now, $y_j \in V_2$; $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$, then the layer topology $\mathcal{L}_{\{y_j\}} = \{\{y_j\}, \{y_j, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\}, V\}$. Hence for every vertex $v \in \mathcal{L}$, $|\mathcal{L}_{\{v\}}| = 3$.

Theorem 6.6 The layer topology corresponding to the end vertices of a path graph P_n is discrete.

Proof. Let $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ be the vertex set a path graph P_n . Consider $v_1 \in V$. Then $\mathcal{L}_{\{v_1\}} = \{\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$, where $A_1 = \{v_1\}$, $A_2 = \{v_1, v_2\}$, ... $A_n = V$, is a discrete layer topology. Similar argument for $v_n \in V$.

Theorem 6.7 Let $G = (V, E)$ be a cycle graph C_n ; $n \geq 3$, and $\mathcal{L}_{\{v\}}$ be a layer topology corresponding to a vertex

$$v \in V, \text{ then } |\mathcal{L}_{\{v\}}| = \begin{cases} \frac{(n+1)}{2} & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{n}{2} + 1 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

Proof. Let $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$. Consider $v_i \in V$. Since G is a cycle, for $i = 1$; $v_{i-1} = v_n, v_{i-2} = v_{n-1}$ and so on. Also, for $i = n$; $v_{i+1} = v_1, v_{i+2} = v_2$ and so on.

Case(i). Suppose ‘n’ is odd.

Let $A_1 = \{v_i\}$. Then $A_2 = N[A_1] = \{v_{i-1}, v_i, v_{i+1}\}$, $A_3 = N[A_2] = \{v_{i-2}, v_{i-1}, v_i, v_{i+1}, v_{i+2}\}$, ..., $A_{\frac{(n+1)}{2}} = V$.

Then $\mathcal{L}_{\{v_i\}} = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{\frac{(n+1)}{2}}\}$ is a layer topology, with $|\mathcal{L}_{\{v_i\}}| = \frac{(n+1)}{2}$.

Case(ii). Suppose ‘n’ is even.

Let $A_1 = \{v_i\}$. Then $A_2 = N[A_1] = \{v_{i-1}, v_i, v_{i+1}\}$, $A_3 = N[A_2] = \{v_{i-2}, v_{i-1}, v_i, v_{i+1}, v_{i+2}\}$, ..., $A_{\frac{n}{2}+1} = V$.

Then $\mathcal{L}_{\{v_i\}} = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{\frac{n}{2}+1}\}$ is a layer topology, with $|\mathcal{L}_{\{v_i\}}| = \frac{n}{2} + 1$.

IV. CONCLUSION

In this paper, we have explored the concept of layer topology and studied its basic properties and characterisations. We have also induced layer topological structure from graphs. In addition, we have also analysed and enumerated the layer open sets for some special types of graphs. In future, we will extend this notion to compactness and separation axioms. Also, this idea may be extended to determine various parametres of a given graph which may lead us to give some real life applications.

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