

GENERALIZATION OF R_0 SPACES VIA IDEALS

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Abstract: In this paper, we introduce and study a generalization of R_0 space called pre-I- R_0 space.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The concept of ideals in topological spaces has been introduced and studied by Kuratowski [6] and Vaidyanathaswamy, [11]. An ideal I on an ideal topological space (X, τ) is a nonempty collection of subsets of X which satisfies (i) $A \in I$ and $B \subset A$ implies $B \in I$ and (ii) $A \in I$ and $B \in I$ implies $A \cup B \in I$. Given an ideal topological space (X, τ) with an ideal I on X and if $\mathcal{P}(X)$ is the set of all subsets of X , a set operator $(.)^* : \mathcal{P}(X) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X)$, called the local function [11] of A with respect to τ and I , is defined as follows: for $A \subset X$, $A^*(\tau, I) = \{x \in X \mid U \cap A \notin I \text{ for every } U \in \tau(x)\}$, where $\tau(x) = \{U \in \tau \mid x \in U\}$. A Kuratowski closure operator $Cl^*(.)$ for a topology $\tau^*(\tau, I)$ called the $*$ -topology, finer than τ is defined by $Cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(\tau, I)$ when there is no chance of confusion, $A^*(I)$ is denoted by A^* . If I is an ideal on X , then (X, τ, I) is called an ideal topological space. In this paper, we introduce and study a generalization of R_0 space called pre-I- R_0 space.

2. PRELIMINARIES

For a subset A of (X, τ) , $Cl(A)$ and $Int(A)$ denote the closure of A with respect to τ and the interior of A with respect to τ , respectively. A subset S of an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is pre-I-open [1] if $S \subset Int(Cl^*(S))$. The complement of a pre-I-open set is called a pre-I-closed set. The intersection of all pre-I-closed sets containing S is called the pre-I-closure of S and is denoted by $pCl(S)$. The family of all pre-I-open (resp. pre-I-closed) sets of (X, τ, I) is denoted by $PIO(X)$ (resp. $PIC(X)$). The family of all pre-I-open (resp. pre-I-closed) sets of (X, τ, I) containing a point $x \in X$ is denoted by $PIO(X, x)$ (resp. $PIC(X, x)$). Recall, that a subset B_x of an ideal topological space (X, τ) is said to be a pre-I-neighbourhood of a point $x \in X$ [9] if there exists a pre-I-open set U such that $x \in U \subseteq B_x$. A subset of an ideal topological space X is pre-I-open in X if and only if it is pre-I-neighbourhood of each of its points.

3. Pre-I-R₀ SPACES

Definition 3.1. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and $A \subseteq X$. Then the pre-I-kernel of A , denoted by $pIker(A)$ is defined to be the set $pIKer(A) = \bigcap \{G \in PIO(X) \mid A \subseteq G\}$.

Lemma 3.2. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and $x \in X$. Then, $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$ if and only if $x \in pICl(\{y\})$.

Proof. Suppose that $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$. Then there exists a pre-I-open set V of X containing x such that $y \in V$. Then we have $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. The proof of the converse case can be done similarly.

Lemma 3.3. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X . Then, $pIKer(A) = \{x \in X \mid pICl(\{x\}) \cap A \neq \emptyset\}$.

Proof. Let $x \in pIKer(A)$ and $pICl(\{x\}) \cap A \neq \emptyset$. Hence $x \in X \setminus pICl(\{x\})$ which is a pre-I-open set containing A . This is impossible, since $x \in pIKer(A)$. Consequently, $pICl(\{x\}) \cap A \neq \emptyset$. Next, let $x \in X$ such that $pICl(\{x\}) \cap A \neq \emptyset$ and suppose that $x \notin pIKer(A)$. Then, there exists a pre-I-open set U containing A and $x \notin U$. Let $y \in pICl(\{x\}) \cap A$. Hence, U is a pre-I-neighbourhood of y which does not contain x . By this contradiction $x \in pIKer(A)$ and the claim.

Definition 3.4. An ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is said to be a pre-I-R₀ space if every pre-I-open set contains the pre-I-closure of each of its singletons.

Proposition 3.5. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is pre-I-R₀ space.
- (2) For any $F \in PIC(X)$, $x \in F$ implies $F \subseteq U$ and $x \in U$ for some $U \in PIO(X)$;
- (3) For any $F \in PIC(X)$, $x \in F$ implies $F \cap pICl(\{x\}) = \emptyset$;
- (4) For any distinct points x and y of X , either $pICl(\{x\}) = Cl(\{y\})$ or $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) = \emptyset$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let $F \in PIC(X)$, and $x \in F$. Then by (1) $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq X \setminus F$. Set $U = X \setminus pICl(\{x\})$, then $U \in PIO(X)$, $F \subseteq U$ and $x \in U$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3): Let $F \in PIC(X)$ and $x \in F$. There exists $U \in PIO(X)$ such that $F \subseteq U$ and $x \in U$. Since $U \in PIO(X)$, $U \cap pICl(\{x\}) = \emptyset$ and $F \cap pICl(\{x\}) = \emptyset$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4): Suppose that $pICl(\{x\}) \neq pICl(\{y\})$ for distinct points $x, y \in X$. There exists $z \in pICl(\{x\})$ such that $z \notin pICl(\{y\})$ (or $z \in pICl(\{y\})$ such that $z \notin pICl(\{x\})$). There exists $V \in PIO(X)$, such that $y \in V$ and $z \notin V$; hence $x \in V$. Therefore, we have $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. By (3), we obtain $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. The proof for otherwise is similar.

(4) \Rightarrow (1): Let $V \in PIO(X)$ and $x \in V$. For each $y \in V$, $x \neq y$ and $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. Then $pICl(\{x\}) \neq pICl(\{y\})$. By (4), $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) = \emptyset$ for each $y \in X \setminus V$, and hence $pICl(\{x\}) \cap (\bigcup_{y \in X \setminus V} pICl(\{y\})) = \emptyset$. On

other hand, since $V \in \text{PIO}(X)$ and $y \in X \setminus V$, we have $\text{pICl}(\{y\}) \subseteq X \setminus V$ and hence $X \setminus V = \bigcup_{y \in X \setminus V} \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Therefore, we obtain $(X \setminus V) \cap \text{pICl}(\{x\}) = \emptyset$ and $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \subseteq V$. This shows that (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space.

Theorem 3.6. An ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space if and only if for any x and y in X , $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$ implies $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pICl}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$.

Proof. Suppose that (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 and $x, y \in X$ such that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Then, there exist $z \in \text{pICl}(\{x\})$ such that $z \notin \text{pICl}(\{y\})$ (or $z \in \text{pICl}(\{y\})$ such that $z \notin \text{pICl}(\{x\})$). There exists $V \in \text{PIO}(X)$ such that $y \in V$ and $z \notin V$; hence $x \in V$. Therefore, we have $x \in \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Thus $x \in X \setminus \text{pICl}(\{y\}) \in \text{PIO}(X)$, which implies $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \subseteq X \setminus \text{pICl}(\{y\})$ and $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pICl}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. The proof for otherwise is similar. Conversely let $V \in \text{PIO}(X)$ and let $x \in V$. We will show that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \subseteq V$. Let $y \in X \setminus V$. Then $x \neq y$ and x not in $\text{pICl}(\{y\})$. This shows that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. By assumption, $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pICl}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. Hence $y \notin \text{pICl}(\{x\})$ and therefore $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \subseteq V$.

Lemma 3.7. The following statements are equivalent for any points x and y in an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) :

- (1) $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$;
- (2) $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Suppose that $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$, then there exists a point z in X such that $z \in \text{pIKer}(\{x\})$ and $z \notin \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$. It follows from $z \in \text{pIKer}(\{x\})$ that $\{x\} \cap \text{pICl}(\{z\}) = \emptyset$. This implies that $x \notin \text{pICl}(\{z\})$. By $z \in \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$, we have $\{y\} \cap \text{pICl}(\{z\}) = \emptyset$. Since $x \notin \text{pICl}(\{z\})$, $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \subseteq \text{pICl}(\{z\})$ and $\{y\} \cap \text{pICl}(\{x\}) = \emptyset$. Therefore, it follows that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Now $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$ implies that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$.

(2) \Rightarrow (1): Suppose that $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Then there exists a point z in X such that $z \in \text{pICl}(\{x\})$ and $z \notin \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Then, there exists a pre-I-open set containing z and therefore x but not y , namely, $y \in \text{pIKer}(\{x\})$ and thus $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$.

Theorem 3.8. An ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space if and only if for any point x and y in X , $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$ implies $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pIKer}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$.

Proof. Suppose that (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space. Thus by Lemma 3.7, for any points x and y in X if $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$, then $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$. Now we prove that $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pIKer}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. Assume that $z \in \text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$. By $z \in \text{pIKer}(\{x\})$ and Lemma 3.2, it follows that $x \in \text{pICl}(\{z\})$. Since $x \in \text{pICl}(\{x\})$, by Theorem 3.6 $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) = \text{pICl}(\{z\})$. Similarly, we have $\text{pICl}(\{y\}) = \text{pICl}(\{z\}) = \text{pICl}(\{x\})$. This is a contradiction. Therefore, we have $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pIKer}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. Conversely, let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that for any points x and y in X , $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$ implies $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \cap \text{pIKer}(\{y\}) = \emptyset$. If $\text{pICl}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pICl}(\{y\})$, then by Lemma 3.2, $\text{pIKer}(\{x\}) \neq \text{pIKer}(\{y\})$.

Hence, $pIKer(\{x\}) \cap pIKer(\{y\}) = \phi$ which implies $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) = \phi$. Because $z \in pICl(\{x\})$ implies that $x \in pIKer(\{z\})$ and therefore $pIKer(\{x\}) \cap pIKer(\{y\}) = \phi$. By hypothesis, we have $pIKer(\{x\}) = pIKer(\{z\})$. Then $z \in pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\})$ implies that $pIKer(\{x\}) = pIKer(\{z\}) = pIKer(\{y\})$. This is a contradiction. Therefore, $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) = \phi$ and by Theorem 3.6 (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space.

Theorem 3.9. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is a pre-I- R_0 space;
- (2) For any nonempty set A and $G \in PIO(X)$ such that $A \cap G \neq \phi$, there exists $F \in PIC(X)$ such that $A \cap F \neq \phi$ and $F \subseteq G$;
- (3) Any $G \in PIO(X)$, $G = \cup \{ F \in PIC(X) \mid F \subseteq G \}$;
- (4) Any $F \in PIC(X)$, $F = \cap \{ G \in PIO(X) \mid F \subseteq G \}$;
- (5) For any $x \in X$, $pICl(\{x\}) = pIKer(\{x\})$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let A be a nonempty set of X and $G \in PIO(X)$ such that $A \cap G \neq \phi$. There exists $x \in A \cap G$. Since $x \in G \in PIO(X)$, $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq G$. Set $F = pICl(\{x\})$, then $F \in PIC(X)$, $F \subseteq G$ and $A \cap F \neq \phi$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3): Let $G \in PIO(X)$, then $G \subseteq \cup \{ F \in PIC(X) \mid F \subseteq G \}$. Let x be any point of G . There exists $F \in PIC(X)$ such that $x \in F$ and $F \subseteq G$. Therefore, we have $x \in \cup \{ F \in PIC(X) \mid F \subseteq G \}$ and hence $G = \cup \{ F \in PIC(X) \mid F \subseteq G \}$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4): This is obvious.

(4) \Rightarrow (5): Let x be any point of X and $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$. There exists $V \in PIO(X)$ such that $x \in V$ and $y \in V$; hence $pICl(\{y\}) \cap V = \phi$. By (4) $(\cap \{ G \in PIO(X) \mid pICl(\{y\}) \subseteq G \}) \cap V = \phi$ and there exists $G \in PIO(X)$ such that $x \in G$ and $pICl(\{y\}) \subseteq G$. Therefore, $pICl(\{x\}) \cap G \neq \phi$ and $y \in pICl(\{x\})$. Consequently, we obtain $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq pIKer(\{x\})$.

(5) \Rightarrow (1): Let $G \in PIO(X)$ and $x \in G$. Let $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$, then $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ and $y \in G$. This implies that $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq G$. Therefore, we obtain $x \in pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq G$. This shows that (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space.

Corollary 3.10. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space;
- (2) $pICl(\{x\}) = pIKer(\{x\})$ for all $x \in X$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Suppose that (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space. By Theorem 3.9, $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq pIKer(\{x\})$ for each $x \in X$. Let $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$, then $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ and by Theorem 3.6 $pICl(\{x\}) = pICl(\{y\})$. Therefore, $y \in pICl(\{x\})$ and hence $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq pICl(\{x\})$. This shows that $pICl(\{x\}) = pIKer(\{x\})$.

(2) \Rightarrow (1): This is obvious by Theorem 3.9.

Theorem 3.11. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space;
- (2) $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ if and only if $y \in pICl(\{x\})$ for any points x and y in X .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Assume that X is pre-I- R_0 . Let $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ and D be any pre-I-open set such that $y \in D$. Now by hypothesis, $x \in D$. Therefore, every pre-I-open set containing y contains x . Hence $y \in pICl(\{x\})$.

(2) \Rightarrow (1): Let U be a pre-I-open set and $x \in U$. If $y \in U$, then $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ and hence $y \in pICl(\{x\})$. This implies that $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq U$. Hence (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 .

Theorem 3.12. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space;
- (2) If F is a pre-I-closed subset of X , then $F = pIKer(F)$;
- (3) If F is a pre-I-closed subset of X and $x \in F$, then $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq F$;
- (4) If $x \in X$, then $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq pICl(\{x\})$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let F be pre-I-closed subset of X and $x \in F$. Thus $X \setminus F$ is pre-I-open and contains x . Since (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 , $pICl(\{x\}) \subseteq X \setminus F$. Thus $pICl(\{x\}) \cap F = \phi$ and Lemma 3.3 $x \in pIKer(F)$. Therefore, $pIKer(F) = F$.

(2) \Rightarrow (3): In general, $A \subseteq B$ implies $pIKer(A) \subseteq pIKer(B)$. Therefore, it follows from (2) that $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq pIKer(F) = F$.

(3) \Rightarrow (4): Since $x \in pICl(\{x\})$ and $pICl(\{x\})$ is pre-I-closed, by (3) $pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq pICl(\{x\})$.

(4) \Rightarrow (1): We show the implication by using Theorem 3.11. Let $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. Then by Lemma 3.2 $y \in pIKer(\{x\})$. Since $x \in pICl(\{x\})$ and $pICl(\{x\})$ is pre-I-closed, by (4) we obtain $y \in pIKer(\{x\}) \subseteq pICl(\{x\})$. Therefore, $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ implies $y \in pICl(\{x\})$. The converse is obvious and (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 .

Definition 3.13. A filterbase F is called pre-I-convergent to a point x in X , if for any pre-I-open set U of X containing x , there exists B in F such that B is a subset of U .

Lemma 3.14. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and let x and y be any two points in X such that every net in X pre-I-converging to y pre-I-converge to x . Then $x \in pICl(\{y\})$.

Proof. Suppose that $x_n = y$ for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a net in $pICl(\{y\})$. Since $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ pre-I-converges to y , then $\{x_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ pre-I-converges to x and this implies that $x \in pICl(\{y\})$.

Theorem 3.15. For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1) (X, τ, I) is pre-I- R_0 space;
- (2) If $y \in X$, then $y \in pICl(\{x\})$ if and only if every net in X pre-I-converging to y pre-I-converges to x .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let $x, y \in X$ such that $y \in pICl(\{x\})$. Suppose that $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ be a net in X such that $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ pre-I-converges to y . Since $y \in pICl(\{x\})$, by Theorem 3.6 we have $pICl(\{x\}) = pICl(\{y\})$. Therefore $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. This means that $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ pre-I-converges to y . Conversely, let $x, y \in X$ such that every net in X pre-I-converging to y pre-I-converges to x . Then $x \in pICl(\{y\})$ by Lemma 3.3. By Theorem 3.6, we have $pICl(\{x\}) = pICl(\{y\})$. Therefore $y \in pICl(\{x\})$.

(2) \Rightarrow (1): Assume that x and y are any two points of X such that $pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\}) \neq \phi$. Let $z \in pICl(\{x\}) \cap pICl(\{y\})$. So there exists a net $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ in $pICl(\{x\})$ such that $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ pre-I-converges to z . Since $z \in pICl(\{y\})$, then $\{x_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in N}$ pre-I-converges to y . It follows that $y \in pICl(\{x\})$. By the same manner we obtain $x \in pICl(\{y\})$. Therefore $pICl(\{x\}) = pICl(\{y\})$ and by Theorem 3.6 (X, τ, I) is pre-I-R₀.

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