

On New Type of Sets in Ideal Topological Spaces

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Abstract

In this paper, we introduce the notion of $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets in ideal topological spaces and investigate some of their properties. Further, we introduce the concept of mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets and $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ normal space.

1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Levine [7, 8] introduced the concept of generalized closed sets and semiclosed sets in topological spaces. The concept of $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed sets were introduced by Devi et al. [2]. Dontchev et al. [4] introduced the notion of the generalized closed sets in ideal topological space (i.e. \mathcal{I} - g -closed sets) in 1999. In 2008, Navaneethakrishnan and Joseph have studied some characterizations of normal spaces via I_g open sets [10]. In this paper, we introduce the notion of $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets in ideal topological spaces and investigate some of their properties. Further, we introduce the concept of mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets.

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An ideal \mathcal{I} [5] on a topological space (X, τ) is a non-empty collection of subsets of X satisfies

- (a) $A \in \mathcal{I}$ and $B \subset A$ implies $B \in \mathcal{I}$ and
- (b) $A \in \mathcal{I}$ and $B \in \mathcal{I}$ implies $A \cup B \in \mathcal{I}$.

Given a topological space (X, τ) with an ideal \mathcal{I} on X and if $P(X)$ is the set of all subsets of X , a set operator $(\cdot)^* : P(X) \rightarrow P(X)$, called a local function [5] of A with respect to τ and \mathcal{I} is defined as follows: For $A \subset X$, $A^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \neq \mathcal{I} \text{ for every } U \in \tau(x)\}$, where $\tau(x) = \{U \in \tau : x \in U\}$. We will make use of the basic facts about the local functions [5, Theorem 2.3] without mentioning it explicitly. A Kuratowski closure operator $cl^*(\cdot)$ for a topology $\tau^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$, called the τ^* -topology, finer than τ is defined by $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$ [16]. When there is no chance for confusion, we will simply write A^* for $A^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$ and τ^* for $\tau^*(\mathcal{I}, \tau)$. If \mathcal{I} is an ideal on X , then (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is called ideal space. A subset A of an ideal space (X, τ, \mathcal{I}) is τ^* closed [5] if $A^* \subset A$.

By a space, we always mean a topological space (X, τ) with no separation properties assumed. If $A \subset X$, $cl(A)$ and $\text{int}(A)$ will, respectively, denote the closure and interior of A in (X, τ) and $\text{int}^*(A)$ will denote the interior of A in (X, τ^*) .

Definition 1.1. A subset A of a space (X, τ) is called a

- (a) *semi-open set* [8] if $A \subseteq cl(\text{int}(A))$ and a *semi-closed set* [8] if $\text{int}(cl(A)) \subseteq A$,
- (b) *α -open set* [12] if $A \subseteq \text{int}(cl(\text{int}(A)))$ and an *α -closed set* [12] if $cl(\text{int}(cl(A))) \subseteq A$ and
- (c) *regular open* [15] if $A = \text{int}(cl(A))$.

The semi-closure (resp. α -closure) of a subset A of a space (X, τ) is the intersection of all semi-closed (resp. α -closed) sets that contain A and is denoted by $scl(A)$ (resp. $\alpha cl(A)$).

Definition 1.2. A subset A of a topological space (X, τ) is called

- (a) a g -closed set [7] if $cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is open in (X, τ) ,
- (b) an αg -closed set [9] if $\alpha cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is open in (X, τ) ,
- (c) a \hat{g} -closed set [18, 20] if $cl(A) \subset U$ whenever $A \subset U$ and U is semi-open in (X, τ) ,
- (d) a *g -closed set [17] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is \hat{g} -open in (X, τ) ,
- (e) a $\#gs$ -closed set [19] if $scl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is *g -open in (X, τ) , and
- (f) a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set [2] if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\#gs$ -open set of (X, τ) . The complement of an $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set is called $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open.

The set $\bigcap \{F \subset X : F \supseteq A, F \text{ is } \tilde{g}\alpha\text{-closed}\}$ is called $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closure of A and is denoted by $cl\tilde{g}\alpha(A)$.

Definition 1.3. A subset A of an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is called

- (a) an I_g closed [4] if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, I, τ) ,
- (b) an I_{rg} closed [11] if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular open in (X, I, τ) ,
- (c) an $I_{\alpha gg}$ closed [13] if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is αg -open in (X, I, τ) ,
- (d) an I - R closed [1] if $A = cl^*(\text{int}(A))$ and
- (e) a pre - I -closed [3] if $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$.

Lemma 1.4 [14]. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space $A \subseteq X$. If $A \subseteq A^*$, then $A^* = cl(A^*) = cl(A) = cl^*(A)$.

Lemma 1.5 [5]. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A, B be subsets of X . Then the following properties hold:

- (a) $A \subset B$ implies $A^* \subset B^*$,
- (b) $A^* = cl(A^*) \subset cl(A)$,
- (c) $(A^*)^* \subset A^*$,
- (d) $(A \cup B)^* = A^* \cup B^*$.

2. Properties of $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed Sets in Ideal Topological Spaces

Definition 2.1. A subset A of an ideal space (X, τ, I) is said to be $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set.

Theorem 2.2.

- (a) Every $*$ -closed set is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.
- (b) Every $I_{\alpha g g}$ -closed set is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.
- (c) Every $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set is $I_{r g}$ -closed set.
- (d) Every $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set is I_g -closed set.

Proof.

- (a) It is obvious.
- (b) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set and hence αg -open set. Since A is $I_{\alpha g g}$ -closed, we have $A^* \subseteq U$. Therefore A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.
- (c) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is regular open set and hence $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, we have $A^* \subseteq U$. Therefore A is $I_{r g}$ -closed set.
- (d) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is open set and hence $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, we have $A^* \subseteq U$. Therefore A is I_g -closed set.

The converse of the above theorems need not be true by the following examples.

Example 2.3.

(a) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset\}$. Then $\{a, c\}$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but not $*$ -closed.

(b) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{c\}\}$. Then $\{b\}$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but not $I_{\alpha gg}$ -closed.

(c) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset\}$. Then $\{c\}$ is I_{rg} -closed set but not $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

(d) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}$. Then $\{a, c\}$ is I_g -closed set but not $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.4. *The union of two $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.*

Proof. Let A and B are $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets. Let U be an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open set containing $A \cup B$. Since A and B are $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets, $A^* \subseteq U$ and $B^* \subseteq U$. We have $(A \cup B)^* = A^* \cup B^*$, $(A \cup B)^* \subseteq U$. Therefore $A \cup B$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

Remark 2.5. The intersection of two $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed sets need not be $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Proof. It follows from the following example.

Example 2.6. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset\}$. Then $A = \{a, c\}$ and $B = \{a, d\}$ are $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but $A \cap B = \{a\}$ is not $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.7. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space. For every $A \in I$, A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.*

Proof. Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since $A^* = \emptyset$, $A^* \subseteq U$. Therefore A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.8. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space, then A^* is always $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed for every subset A of X .*

Proof. Let $A^* \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since $(A^*)^* \subseteq A^*$, we have $(A^*)^* \subseteq U$ implies $A^* \subseteq U$. Hence A^* is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.9. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space, then every $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set is $*$ -closed set.*

Proof. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed and $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Then $A^* \subseteq A$, $A \subseteq A^*$ and A is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open. Hence A is $*$ -closed set.

Theorem 2.10. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X , then the following are equivalent.*

- (a) A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.
- (b) $cl^*(A) \subseteq U$, $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open in X .
- (c) For all $x \in cl^*(A)$, $\tilde{g}\alpha cl\{x\} \cap A \neq \emptyset$.
- (d) $cl^*(A) - A$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.
- (e) $A^* - A$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Proof. (a) \Rightarrow (b) If A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, then $A^* \subseteq U$, $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open in X and so $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^* \subseteq U$, $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open in X .

(b) \Rightarrow (c) Suppose $x \in cl^*(A)$. If $\tilde{g}\alpha cl\{x\} \cap A = \emptyset$, then $A \subseteq X - \tilde{g}\alpha cl\{x\}$. By (b) $cl^*(A) \subseteq X - \tilde{g}\alpha\{x\}$, a contradiction.

(c) \Rightarrow (d) Suppose $F \subseteq cl^*(A) - A$, F is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed and $x \in F$. Since $F \subseteq X - A$ and F is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed, then $A \subseteq X - F$ and F is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed, $\tilde{g}\alpha cl\{x\} \cap A = \emptyset$. Since $x \in cl^*(A)$, by (c) $\tilde{g}\alpha cl\{x\} \cap A \neq \emptyset$. Therefore $cl^*(A) - A$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

(d) \Rightarrow (e) Since $cl^*(A) - A = (A \cup A^*) - A = (A \cup A^*) \cap A^c = (A \cap A^c) \cup (A^* \cap A^c) = A^* \cap A^c = A^* - A$. Therefore $A^* - A$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

(e) \Rightarrow (a) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Therefore $X - U \subseteq X - A$ and $A^* \cap (X - U) \subseteq A^* \cap (X - A) = A^* - A$. Since A^* is always closed set, so $A^* \cap (X - U)$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set contained in $A^* - A$. Therefore, $A^* \cap (X - U) = \emptyset$ and hence $A^* \subseteq U$ which implies A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.11. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A be an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, then the following are equivalent.*

- (a) A is a $*$ -closed set.
- (b) $cl^*(A) - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.
- (c) $A^* - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Proof. (a) \Rightarrow (b) If A is $*$ -closed, then $A^* \subseteq A$ and so $cl^*(A) - A = (A \cup A^*) - A = \emptyset$. Hence $cl^*(A) - A$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed.

(b) \Rightarrow (c) Since $cl^*(A) - A = (A \cup A^*) - A = (A \cup A^*) \cap A^c = (A \cap A^c) \cup (A^* \cap A^c) = A^* \cap A^c = A^* - A$ and so $A^* - A$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed.

(c) \Rightarrow (a) If $A^* - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set and A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, by Theorem 2.10. $A^* - A = \emptyset$ and so A is $*$ -closed.

Theorem 2.12. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . Then A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed if and only if $A = F - N$, where F is $*$ -closed and N contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.*

Proof. If A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, then by Theorem 2.10, $N = A^* - A$ contains no nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. If $F = cl^*(A)$, then F is $*$ -closed such that $F - N = (A \cup A^*) - (A^* - A) = (A \cup A^*) \cap (A^* \cap A^c)^c = (A \cup A^*) \cap (A \cup (A^*)^c) = A \cup (A^* \cap (A^*)^c) = A$.

Conversely suppose $A = F - N$, where F is $*$ -closed and N contains no nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Let U be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set such that $A \subseteq U$. Then $F - N \subseteq U$ implies $F \cap (X - U) \subseteq N$. Now $A \subseteq F$ and $F^* \subseteq F$, then $A^* \subseteq F^*$ and so $A^* \cap (X - U) \subseteq F^* \cap (X - U) \subseteq F \cap (X - U) \subseteq N$. By hypothesis, since $A^* \cap (X - U)$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed, $A^* \cap (X - U) = \emptyset$ and so $A^* \subseteq U$. Hence A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.13. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space. If A and B are subset of X such that $A \subseteq B \subseteq cl^*(A)$ and A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, then B is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed.*

Proof. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed, by Theorem 2.10(d) $cl^*(A) - A$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Since $cl^*(B) - B \subseteq cl^*(A) - A$ and so $cl^*(B) - B$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Hence B is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

Theorem 2.14. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . Then A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open if and only if $F \subseteq int^*(A)$ whenever F is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed and $F \subseteq A$.*

Proof. Suppose A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open. If F is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed and $F \subseteq A$, then $X - A \subseteq X - F$ and so $cl^*(X - A) \subseteq X - F$ by Theorem 2.10. Therefore, $F \subseteq X - cl^*(X - A) = int^*(A)$.

Conversely suppose the condition holds. Let U be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set such that $X - A \subseteq U$. Then $X - U \subseteq A$ and so $X - U \subseteq int^*(A)$ implies $cl^*(X - A) \subseteq U$, by Theorem 2.10, $X - A$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed. Hence A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open set.

Theorem 2.15. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . If A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open and $int^*(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$ then B is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open.*

Proof. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open, $X - A$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed. By Theorem 2.10, $cl^*(X - A) - (X - A)$ contains no non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Since $int^*(A) \subseteq int^*(B)$ which implies $cl^*(X - B) \subseteq cl^*(X - A)$ and so $cl^*(X - B) - (X - B) \subseteq cl^*(X - A) - (X - A)$. Hence B is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open.

Theorem 2.16. *If (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X , then the following are equivalent.*

- (a) A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.
- (b) $A \cup (X - A^*)$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.
- (c) $A^* - A$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open.

Proof. (a) \Rightarrow (b) Suppose A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed. If U is any $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set such that $A \cup (X - A^*) \subseteq U$, then $X - U \subseteq X - (A \cup (X - A^*)) = X \cap (A \cup (A^*)^c)^c = A^* \cap A^c = A^* - A$. Since A is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed, by Theorem 2.10(e), it follows that $X - U = \emptyset$ and so $X = U$. Therefore $A \cup (X - A^*) \subseteq U$ which implies $A \cup (X - A^*) \subseteq X$ and so $(A \cup (X - A^*))^* \subseteq X^* \subseteq X = U$. Hence $A \cup (X - A^*)$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

(b) \Rightarrow (a) Suppose $A \cup (X - A^*)$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed. If F is any $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed-set such that $F \subseteq A^* - A$, then $F \subseteq A^*$ and F does not contained in A which implies $(A - A^*) \subseteq X - F$ and $A \subseteq X - F$. Therefore $A \cup (X - A^*) \subseteq A \cup (X - F) = X - F$ and $X - F$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open. Since $(A \cup (X - A^*))^* \subseteq X - F$ which implies $A^* \cup (X - A^*)^* \subseteq X - F$ and so $A^* \subseteq X - F$ which implies $F \subseteq X - A^*$. Since $F \subseteq A^*$, it follows that $F = \emptyset$. Hence A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

(b) \Leftrightarrow (c) Since $X - (A^* - A) = X \cap (A^* \cap A^c)^c = X \cap (A^{*c} \cup A) = (X \cap (A^*)^c) \cup (X \cap A) = A \cup (X - A^*)$.

Theorem 2.17. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space. Then every subset X is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed if and only if every $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set is $*$ -closed.*

Proof. Suppose every subset of X is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed. If $U \subseteq X$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open, then U is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed and so $U^* \subseteq U$. Hence U is $*$ -closed.

Conversely suppose that every $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set is $*$ -closed. If U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open such that $A \subseteq U \subseteq X$, then $A^* \subseteq U^* \subseteq U$ and so A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 2.18. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space. Then either $\{x\}$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed or $\{x\}^c$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed for every $x \in X$.*

Proof. Suppose $\{x\}$ is not $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed, then $\{x\}^c$ is not $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open and the only $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set containing $\{x\}^c$ is X and hence $(\{x\}^c)^* \subseteq X$. Thus $\{x\}^c$ is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Definition 2.19. An ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , is said to be an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ normal space if every pair of disjoint closed subsets A and B of X , there exist disjoint $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

Theorem 2.20. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent:*

- (i) X is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ normal.
- (ii) For every closed set A and an open set V containing A there exist an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open set U such that $A \subset U \subset cl^*(U) \subset V$.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let A be a closed set and V be an open set containing A . Then A and $X - V$ are disjoint closed set and so there exist disjoint $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open sets U and W such that $A \subset U$ and $X - V \subset W$. Now $U \cap W = \emptyset$ implies that $U \cap int^*(W) = \emptyset$ which implies that $U \subset X - int^*(W) = \emptyset$ and so $cl^*(U) \subset X - int^*(W)$. Again, $X - V \subset W$ implies that $X - W \subset V$, where V is open which implies that $cl^*(X - W) \subset V$ and so $X - int^*(W) \subset V$. Thus $A \subset U \subset cl^*(U) \subset X - int^*(W) \subset V$. Therefore $A \subset U \subset cl^*(U) \subset V$, where U is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let A and B be two disjoint closed subsets of X , by hypothesis, there exists an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open set U such that $A \subset U \subset cl^*(U) \subset X - B$. Now $cl^*(U) \subset X - B$ implies that $B \subset X - cl^*(U)$. If $X - cl^*(U) = W$, then W is an $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open. Hence U and W are the required disjoint $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ open sets containing A and B , respectively. Therefore (X, τ, I) is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ normal.

3. Mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed Sets in Ideal Topological Spaces

Definition 3.1. A subset A of an ideal space (X, τ, I) is said to be *mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set* if $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set.

Theorem 3.2. (a) Every $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

(b) Every pre- I -closed set is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

Proof. (a) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since A is $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, $A^* \subseteq U$ which implies $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq U$. Therefore A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

(b) Let $A \subseteq U$ and U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since A is pre- I -closed set, $cI^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A \subseteq U$. Therefore A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

The converse of Theorem 3.2 need not be true by the following examples.

Example 3.3. (a) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then $\{c\}$ is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but not $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

(b) Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset\}$. Then $\{c, d\}$ is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but not pre *I -closed.

Remark 3.4. The union of two mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in an ideal topological space need not be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

Proof. It follows from the following example.

Example 3.5. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space such that $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$. Then $\{a\}$ and $\{b, c\}$ are mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set but their union $\{a, b, c\}$ is not mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed.

Theorem 3.6. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . The following properties are equivalent*

(i) A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set

(ii) $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set in X .

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Suppose that $A \subseteq U$ and U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set in X . We have $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq U$. Since $\text{int}(A) \subseteq A \subseteq U$, then $(\text{int}(A))^* \cup (\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U \Rightarrow cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set in X . Since $(\text{int}(A))^* \cup (\text{int}(A)) \subseteq U$, then $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq U$, $A \subseteq U$ and U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set in X . Therefore A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.7. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . If A is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set and mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, then pre- I closed.*

Proof. Let A be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set and mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Then $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq A$, $A \subseteq A$, A is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set, by Theorem 3.6, $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$, $A \subseteq A$, A is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Thus A is a pre- I closed set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.8. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . If A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, then $(\text{int } A)^* - A$ contains no any nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.*

Proof. Let A be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Suppose that U is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set such that $U \subseteq (\text{int}(A))^* - A$. Since A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, $X - U$ is $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set and $A \subseteq X - U$, then $(\text{int}(A))^* \subseteq X - U$. We have $U \subseteq X - (\text{int}(A))^*$. Hence $U \subseteq (\text{int}(A))^* \cap (X - (\text{int}(A))^*) = \emptyset$. Thus $(\text{int}(A))^* - A$ contains no any nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.9. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of U . If A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, then $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ contains no any nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Proof. Suppose U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set such that $U \subseteq cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ by Theorem 3.8. It follows from the fact that $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A = (\text{int}(A))^* \cup (\text{int}(A)) - A$.

Theorem 3.10. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . If A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, then $\text{int}(A) = H - K$, where H is I - R -closed and K contains no any non-empty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Proof. Let A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Take $K = (\text{int}(A))^* - A$. Then by Theorem 3.8., K contains no any nonempty $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Take $H = cl^*(\text{int}(A))$. Then $H = cl^*(\text{int}(H))$. Moreover we have

$$\begin{aligned} H - K &= cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - ((\text{int}(A))^* - A) = \text{int}(A) \cup (\text{int}(A))^* - ((\text{int}(A))^* - A) \\ &= \text{int}(A) \cup (\text{int}(A))^* \cap (X - ((\text{int}(A))^* - A)) = \text{int}(A). \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 3.11. Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space. The following properties are equivalent.

- (i) A pre- I closed for each mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set A in (X, τ, I) .
- (ii) Each singleton $\{x\}$ of X is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set or $\{x\}$ is pre- I open.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let A be pre- I closed for each mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set A in (X, τ, I) and $x \in X$. We have $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ for each mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set A in (X, τ, I) . Assume that $\{x\}$ is not a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. It follows that X is the only $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set containing $X - \{x\}$. Then $X - \{x\}$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Thus $cl^*(\text{int}(X - \{x\})) \subseteq X - \{x\}$ and hence $\{x\} \subseteq \text{int}^*(cl(\{x\}))$. Consequently $\{x\}$ is pre- I open.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let A be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Let $x \in cl^*(\text{int}(A))$.

Suppose that $\{x\}$ is pre- I -open. We have $\{x\} \subseteq \text{int}^*(cl\{x\})$. Since $x \in cl^*(\text{int}(A))$, then $\text{int}^*(cl\{x\}) \cap \text{int}(A) \neq \emptyset$. It follows that $(cl\{x\}) \cap \text{int}(A) \neq \emptyset$. We have $(cl\{x\}) \cap \text{int}(A) \neq \emptyset$ and then $(cl\{x\}) \cap \text{int}(A) \neq \emptyset$. Hence $x \in \text{int}(A)$. Thus, we have $x \in A$. Suppose that $\{x\}$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. By Theorem 3.9, $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ does not contain $\{x\}$. Since $x \in cl^*(\text{int}(A))$, we have $x \in A$. Thus, $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ and hence A is pre- I -closed.

Theorem 3.12. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A is a subset of X . Assume that A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. The following properties are equivalent.*

(i) A is pre- I -closed.

(ii) $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

(iii) $(\text{int}(A))^* - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Let A be pre- I -closed. We have $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$. Then $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A = \emptyset$. Thus $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A$ be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set. Since A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) , then by Theorem 3.9 $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A = \emptyset$. Hence $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$. Thus, A is pre- I -closed.

(ii) \Rightarrow (iii) It follows easily from that $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) - A = (\text{int}(A))^* - A$.

Theorem 3.13. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. Then $A \cup (X - (\text{int}(A))^*)$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .*

Proof. Let A be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) . Suppose U is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set such that $A \cup (X - (\text{int}(A))^*) \subseteq U$. We have $X - U \subseteq X - (A \cup (X - (\text{int}(A))^*)) = (X - A) \cap (\text{int}(A))^* = (\text{int}(A))^* - A$. Since $X - U$ is a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed set and A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, it follows from Theorem 3.8 that $X - U = \emptyset$. Hence $X = U$.

Thus X is the only $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set containing $A \cup (X - \text{int}(A))^*$. Hence $A \cup (X - \text{int}(A))^*$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.14. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. Then $(\text{int}(A))^* - A$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open set in (X, τ, I) .*

Proof. Since $X - (\text{int}(A))^* - A = A \cup X - (\text{int}(A))^*$, it follows from Theorem 3.13 that $(\text{int}(A))^* - A$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -open set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.15. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. Then the following properties are equivalent.*

- (i) A is $*$ -closed and open set.
- (ii) A is I - R closed and open set.
- (iii) A is a mildly $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -closed and open set.

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) \Rightarrow (iii): Obvious. (iii) \Rightarrow (i) Since A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed and open set, then $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$ and so $A = cl^*(\text{int}(A))$. Then A is I - R closed and hence it is $*$ -closed.

Theorem 3.16. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X be a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. Then the following properties are equivalent.*

- (i) Each subset of (X, τ, I) is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.
- (ii) A is pre- I -closed for each $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set A in X .

Proof. (i) \Rightarrow (ii) Suppose that each subset of (X, τ, I) is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set. Let A be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set. Since A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, then we have $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq A$. Thus A is pre- I -closed.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Let A be a subset of (X, τ, I) and U be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set such that $A \subseteq U$. We have $cl^*(\text{int}(A)) \subseteq cl^*(\text{int}(U)) \subseteq U$. Thus A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.17. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A be a subset of X . If A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set and $A \subseteq U \subseteq cl^*(int(A))$, then U is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.*

Proof. Let $U \subseteq K$ and K be a $\tilde{g}\alpha$ -open set in X . Since $A \subseteq K$ and A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set, $cl^*(int(A)) \subseteq K$. Since $U \subseteq cl^*(int(A))$, $cl^*(int(U)) \subseteq cl^*(int(A)) \subseteq K$. Thus $cl^*(int(U)) \subseteq K$ and hence U is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.18. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A be a subset of X . If A is mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed and open set, then $cl^*(A)$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.*

Proof. Let A be mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed and open set in (X, τ, I) . We have $A \subseteq cl^*(A) = cl^*(int(A))$. Hence by Theorem 3.17, $cl^*(A)$ is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 3.19. *Let (X, τ, I) be an ideal topological space and A be a subset of X . If A is nowhere dense set, then A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set.*

Proof. Let A be a nowhere dense set in X . Since $int(A) \subseteq int(cl(A))$, $int(A) = \emptyset$. Hence $cl^*(int(A)) = \emptyset$. Thus, A is a mildly $I_{\tilde{g}\alpha}$ -closed set in (X, τ, I) .

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