

g-PRE REGULAR AND g-PRE NORMAL TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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Abstract: In general topology, the notion of pre-open set, introduced by A.S. Mashour et al. [1982], has a significant role and the most important generalizations of regularity & normality appear as the notions of pre-regularity along with strong regularity [1983] and pre-normality as well as strong normality [1984] respectively. In 1970, N. Levine projected the concept of so called g-closed sets in topological spaces in an independent way and studied its basic properties.

Since then many modifications of g-closed sets were defined and investigated by a large number of topologists. In 1996, Maki et al. introduced the concepts of gp-closed sets. The purpose of this paper is to study the classes of regular spaces & normal spaces, namely gp-regular spaces & gp-normal spaces which are a generalization of the classes of p-regular & p-normal spaces respectively. The paper also contains the behaviour of $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ spaces whenever it is strongly regular or strongly normal. It also highlights the pre-topological property of a gp-normal pre- R_0 spaces.

Also, through this paper, a tribute is being paid to the renowned mathematician Professor M.E. Abd. El - Monsef who left for his heavenly abode on 13th August, 2014.

Introduction & preliminaries: Various new topological concepts & their basic properties have been defined & investigated using the notion of pre-open sets & pre-open, pre-continuous mappings (i.e. pre homeomorphism) as introduced by A.S. Mashhour et al. [1]. In 1998, T. Noiri et al. [2] studied generalized pre closed functions using generalized preclosed sets.

A subset A of a space (X, T) is known as a generalized pre-closed iff every open superset of A contains its pre-closure [2].

The concepts of g-pre -regular & g-pre -normal spaces as, here, studied using generalized- pre- closed sets.

Definition (1.1)[2]: A subset A of a space (X, T) is said to be generalized preclosed (briefly gp-closed) iff $\text{pcl}(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X .

Definition (1.4)[6]: A space (X, T) is called $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ if every gp-closed set in X is preclosed.

Definition (1.5): A function $f: (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called pre continuous [1] (resp. pre irresolute [7]) if the inverse image of each open (resp. pre open) set of Y is pre open in X .

Definition (1.6)[8]: A bijective function $f: (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called pre-homeomorphism if f is M-preopen and pre-irresolute.

Definition (1.7) [5]: A space (X, T) is called strongly regular if for each preclosed set A & each point $x \notin A$, there exist pre-open sets U & V such that $x \in U$ & $A \subset V$.

Definition (1.8): A space (X, T) is called strongly normal if for each pair of disjoint preclosed sets A & B , there exist pre-open sets U & V such that $A \subseteq U$ & $B \subseteq V$. Any other notion and symbol, not defined in this paper, may be found in the appropriate reference.

§2. g- pre regular spaces: This section introduces gp-regular spaces in topological spaces.

Definition (2.1): A topological space (X, T) is said to be g-pre-regular (in short gp-regular) space iff every gp-closed set F and every point $x \notin F$, there exist disjoint pre-open sets U & V such that $F \subset U$ & $x \in V$. Obviously, every gp-regular space is strongly regular space, but not conversely.

Lemma (2.2): A strongly regular $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ space is gp-regular.

Proof: Let (X, T) be a strongly regular space as well as $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ space. Since, (X, T) is a $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ space, hence every gp-closed set in X is preclosed i.e. the class of gp-closed sets & pre-closed sets coincide. Now, (X, T) is strongly regular space which provides that for each preclosed set A & each point $x \notin A$, there exist disjoint pre-open sets U & V such that $x \in U$ & $A \subset V$. Combining these facts, it is concluded that for each gp-closed set A and each point there exist disjoint pre-open sets U & V such that $A \subset U$ & $x \in V$, which turns (X, T) to be a gp-regular.

Characterization criteria:

Theorem (2.3): A topological space (X, T) is gp-regular iff every gp-closed set F and every point $x \notin$

F , there exists pre-open sets U & V such that $x \in U$, $F \subset V$ and $\text{pcl}(U) \cap \text{pcl}(V) = \phi$.

Proof: Suppose that F is a gp- closed set of a space (X, T) and $x \notin F$. Since, (X, T) is a gp-regular space hence, there exist disjoint pre-open sets U & V such that $F \subset V$ & $x \in U$ & $U \cap V = \phi$. Obviously, $U \cap V = \phi \Rightarrow U \cap \text{pcl}(V) = \phi$ & $\text{pcl}(U) \cap V = \phi \Rightarrow \text{pcl}(U) \cap \text{pcl}(V) = \phi$. Converse is not natural, so omitted.

Theorem (2.4): For a space (X, T) the following are equivalent:

- (i) (X, T) is gp-regular.
- (ii) for every $x \in X$ and for every gp- open set W containing x there exists a pre open set V such that $\text{pcl} V \subseteq W$.
- (iii) for every gp-closed set F and every point $x \notin F$, there exists pre-open sets V such that $\text{pcl}(V) \cap F = \phi$.

Proof: The proof is as natural as exhibited in the case of the characterization of a normal space.

Hereditary property: The following lemmas are helpful in analyzing the hereditary property of gp-regular spaces:

Lemma (2.5): If $X_0 \in \alpha O(X, T)$ and $A \in PO(X, T)$, then $X_0 \cap A \in PO(X_0, T_{X_0})$, [5]

Lemma (2.6): Suppose $B \subseteq A \subseteq X$ and (X, T) is a space. If A is open & gp-closed in (X, T) and B is a gp-closed in (A, T_A) , then B is also gp-closed in (X, T) .

Theorem (2.7): If (X, T) is a gp-regular space & Y is an open and gp-closed subset of (X, T) , then the subspace (Y, T_Y) is a gp-regular space.

i.e. gp-regularity is a hereditary property with respect to an open & gp-closed subspace.

Proof: The lemmas (2.5)&(2.6) are the base & hereditary criteria of a regular space is the motivation for the establishment of the theorem.

Preservation theorem: the gp-regularity of a space is preserved under a bijective, gp irresolute and M -pre -open mapping as established in the following theorem.

Theorem (2.8): If $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a bijective, gp-irresolute and M - pre-open mapping from a gp-regular (X, T) , then (Y, σ) is also gp-regular.

§3. g -pre normal spaces: The weak form of normality called gp-normality in topological spaces is being introduced and studied in this section.

Definition (3.1): A topological space (X, T) is said to be g-pre-normal (in short gp-normal) space iff for any pair of disjoint gp-closed sets A & B , there exist disjoint pre-open sets U & V such that $A \subseteq U$ & $B \subseteq V$.

Transformation of gp-normal space into a gp- regular space occurs only when it is a pre- R_0 space as described through the following theorem(3.2).

Theorem (3.2): Every gp-normal, pre- R_0 space is gp-regular

Characterization criteria: The following theorems are innunciated to charecterize a gp-normal space.

Theorem (3.3): A topological space (X, T) is gp-normal iff every pair of disjoint gp-closed sets A and B there exist a pair of pre-open sets U & V such that $A \subseteq U$ & $B \subseteq V$. and $\text{pcl}(U) \cap \text{pcl}(V) = \phi$.

Theorem(3.4) For a space (X, T) the following are equivalent:

- (i) (X, T) is gp-normal..
- (ii) for every gp- closed set F and every open set G containing F , there exists a pre open set V such that $F \subseteq U \subseteq \text{pcl}(U) \subseteq G$.

Proof: the proof is based upon the required definition & procedure according to the text.

Hereditary criteria: gp-normality is hereditary property with respect to an open and gp-closed subspace.

Theorem (3.5): If (X, T) is a gp-normal space and Y is an open & gp-closed subset of (X, T) , then (Y, T_Y) is a gp-normal subspace.

Preservation criteria: the gp-normality of a space is preserved under a bijective, gp-irresolute and M -pre-open mapping as expressed in following theorem.

Theorem (3.6): If $f : (X, T) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ be a bijective, gp-irresolute and M - pre-open mapping from a gp-normal (X, T) , then (Y, σ) is also gp-normal..

Conclusion: Transformation of a strongly regulars pace into a gp-regular space under the criteria of being $\text{pre}^* - T_{1/2}$ has been discussed.

Transformation of a gp-normal space into a gp-regular space under the criteria of being pre- R_0 has also been analyzed.

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