

A NEW FORM OF CLOSED SETS IN IDEAL TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, we introduce the notion of $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets in ideal topological spaces and obtain their characterizations. Further, we discuss the continuity and irresoluteness via $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets.

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I. INTRODUCTION

The notion of generalized open sets in a topological space called b-open sets was introduced by Andrijevic [3]. Jankovic and Hamlet [16] introduced the notion of I-open sets in topological spaces. The concept of ideals gained importance by the paper of Vaidyanathaswamy [29]. Navaneethakrishnan *et.al* [22, 23] has introduced regular g-closed sets and g-closed sets in ideal topological spaces. The class of b-open sets is contained in the class of semi-open and pre open sets. The class of generalized semi-closed, generalized semi-pre-open sets were discussed in [4, 7]. With advent of these notions, several research papers with interesting results came to existence [1, 3, 10, 11]

The aim of this paper is to study the notion of $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets and obtain their characterizations. In section 3, we study basic properties of $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets. In section 4, we characterize $I_{\pi gb}$ -open sets. Finally in section 5, $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous and $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute functions are studied.

II. PRELIMINARIES

An ideal on a set X is a nonempty collection of subsets of X which satisfies

(i) $A \in I$ and $B \subseteq A$ implies $B \in I$,

(ii) $A \in I$ and $B \in I$ implies $A \cup B \in I$. If I is an ideal on X, then (X, τ, I) is called an ideal topological space. For an ideal space (X, τ, I) and $A \subseteq X$, $A^*(I, \tau) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin I \text{ for every open set } U \text{ containing } x\}$ is called the local function [18] of A with respect to I and τ . We simply write A^* instead of $A^*(I, \tau)$ in case there is no confusion. For every ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , there exists a topology $\tau^*(I)$, finer than τ generated by $\beta(I, \tau) = \{U - J : U \in \tau \text{ and } J \in I\}$. A subset A of an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) is said to be τ^* -closed [16] or simply *-closed (resp. *-perfect in itself [14]) if $A^* \subseteq A$ (resp. $A = A^*$). A Kuratowski closure operator $cl^*(\cdot)$ for a topology $\tau^*(I, \tau)$ called the *-topology defined by $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(X, \tau)$.

Throughout this paper (X, τ, I) and (Y, σ, I) represent topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless explicitly stated. The closure and interior of a subset A of a space (X, τ, I) will be denoted by $cl(A)$ and $int(A)$. We can replace (X, τ, I) by X to avoid the chance of confusion.

Definition 2.1: A subset A of a space X is called

i) regular open set [24] if $A = int(cl(A))$

ii) b-open[2] or sp-open[6] or γ -open[5] if $A \subseteq cl(int(A)) \cup int(cl(A))$

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The complement of b-open (regular open) is called b-closed(regular closed).The finite union(intersection) of regular open set is called π -open(π -closed). If A is a subset of a space (X, τ, I) then the b-I-closure of A[20], denoted by $cl^*_b(A)$ is the smallest b-I-closed set containing A; the b-I-interior of A[20], denoted by $int_b I(A)$, is the largest b-I-open set contained in A.

The family of all b-open (resp. α -open, semi open, pre open, b-closed, pre closed) subsets of a space X is denoted by $(\alpha O(X), SO(X), PO(X), bC(X), PC(X))$.

Definition 2.2: A subset A of a space X is called

- i) g-closed [19] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X.
- ii) gb-closed [9, 13] if $bcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X.
- iii) gp-closed [21] if $pcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in X.
- iv) π g-closed [9] if $cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is π -open in X.
- v) π g α -closed [15] if $\alpha cl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is π -open in X.
- vi) π gb-closed [28] if $bcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is π -open in X.

The complement of g-closed (gb-closed, gp-closed, π g-closed, π g α -closed, π gb-closed) is called g-open (gb-open, gp-open, π g-open, π g α -open, π gb-open) respectively.

Definition 2.3: [15] A function $f: (X, \tau) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is π -open map if $f(F)$ is π -open map in Y for every π -open in X.

Definition 2.4: [27] Let (X, τ) be a topological space, then a set $A \subseteq (X, \tau)$ is said to be **Q-set** if $int(cl(A)) = cl(int(A))$.

Definition 2.5: A subset A of an ideal space (X, τ, I) is said to be

- i) I-open [19] if $A \subseteq int(A^*)$
- ii) I_g -closed [8] if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open in (X, τ) .
- i) $I_{\pi g}$ -closed [26] if $A^* \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is π -open in (X, τ) .

Definition 2.6: [12] A subset A of an ideal space (X, τ, I) is said to be

- i) pre-I-closed if $cl^*(int(A)) \subseteq A$;
- ii) semi-I-closed if $int(cl^*(A)) \subseteq A$;
- iii) α -I-closed if $cl^*(int(cl^*(A))) \subseteq A$;
- iv) b-I-closed if $cl^*(int(A) \cap int(cl^*(A))) \subseteq A$.

Definition 2.7: A function $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ is called

- i) bI-irresolute [17] if for each bI-open set V in Y, $f^{-1}(V)$ is bI-open in X.
- ii) bI-continuous [12] if for each open set V in Y, $f^{-1}(V)$ is bI-open in X.

III. $I_{\pi gb}$ -CLOSED SETS

Definition 3.1: A subset A of (X, τ, I) is called $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set if $bIcl(A) \subseteq U$ whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is π -open in (X, τ) . By $I_{\pi gb}C(X)$ we mean the family of all $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed subsets of the space (X, τ, I) .

Example 3.2: Consider $X = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{b\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, c\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.3:

1. Every closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
2. Every I-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
3. Every g-closed is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
4. Every π g-closed is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
5. Every gb-closed is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
6. Every gp-closed is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
7. Every π g α -closed is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
8. Every π gb-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
9. Every pI-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
10. Every sI-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
11. Every α I-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.
12. Every *-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.

Proof: Straight forward. Converse of the above need not be true as seen in the following examples.

Example 3.4: Consider $X=\{a, b, c\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{c\}\}$. Let $A=\{b\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not closed, I -closed..

Example 3.5: Let $X=\{a, b, c\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{c\}\}$. Let $A=\{c\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not g -closed, πg -closed set.

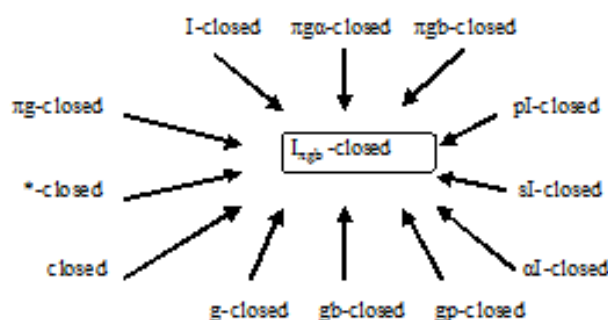
Example 3.6: Let $X=\{a, b, c, d\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{d\}\}$. Let $A=\{a, c\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not gb -closed, gp -closed, $\pi g\alpha$ -closed and not πgb -closed set.

Example 3.7: Let $X=\{a, b, c\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{b\}\}$. Let $A=\{a\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not ρI -closed set.

Example 3.8: Consider $X=\{a, b, c, d, e\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{e\}, \{a, e\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{c, d, e\}, \{a, c, d, e\}, \{b, c, d, e\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{b\}, \{e\}, \{b, e\}\}$. Let $A=\{a, b, c, e\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not sI -closed set.

Example 3.9: Let $X=\{a, b, c\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{c\}\}$. Let $A=\{a, b\}$, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but not αI -closed set, $*$ -closed.

Remark 3.10: The above discussions are shown in the figure below.



Theorem 3.11: If A is π -open and $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set, then A is bI -closed

Proof: Let A be π -open and $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set. Since $A \subseteq A$ and A is π -open we have A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, $bIcl(A) \subseteq A$. Then $A = bIcl(A)$. Hence A is bI -closed.

Theorem 3.12: If A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (X, τ, I) , then $bIcl(A) - A$ does not contain any non empty π -closed set.

Proof: Let F be a non empty π -closed set such that $F \subseteq bIcl(A) - A$. Since A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, $A \subseteq X - F$ where $X - F$ is π -open implies $bIcl(A) \subseteq X - F$. Hence $F \subseteq X - bIcl(A)$. Now $F \subseteq bIcl(A) \cap (X - bIcl(A))$ implies $F = \phi$ which is a contradiction. Therefore $bIcl(A)$ does not contain any non empty π -closed set.

Corollary 3.13: Let A be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (X, τ, I) . Then A is bI -closed if and only if $bIcl(A) - A$ is π -closed.

Proof:

Necessity: Let A be bI -closed, then $bIcl(A) = A$. This implies $bIcl(A) - A = \phi$ which is π -closed.

Sufficiency: Assume $bIcl(A) - A$ is π -closed. Then $bIcl(A) - A = \phi$. Hence $bIcl(A) = A$ implies A is bI -closed.

Remark 3.14: Finite Union of $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets need not be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Example 3.15: Consider $X=\{a, b, c\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{c\}\}$. Let $A=\{a\}, B=\{c\}$. Here A and B are $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but $A \cup B = \{a, c\}$ is not $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.

Remark 3.16: Finite Intersection of $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set need not be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Example 3.17: Let $X=\{a, b, c, d, e\}, \tau=\{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{e\}, \{a, e\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{c, d, e\}, \{a, c, d, e\}, \{b, c, d, e\}\}$ and $I=\{\phi, \{b\}, \{e\}, \{b, e\}\}$. Let $A=\{b, c, e\}, B=\{a, c, d, e\}$ are $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set but $A \cap B = \{c, e\}$ is not $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.

Theorem 3.18: If A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and B is any set such that $A \subseteq B \subseteq bIcl(A)$, then B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set.

Proof: Let $B \subseteq U$ and U be π -open. Given $A \subseteq B$. Then $A \subseteq U$. Since A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, $A \subseteq U$ implies $bIcl(A) \subseteq U$. By assumption it follows that $bIcl(B) \subseteq bIcl(A) \subseteq U$. Hence B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

IV. $I_{\pi gb}$ -OPEN SETS

Definition 4.1: A set $A \subseteq X$ is called **$I_{\pi gb}$ -open** if its complement is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Remark 4.2: $bIcl(X - A) = X - bIint(A)$.

By $I\pi GBO(X)$ we mean the family of all $I_{\pi gb}$ -open subsets of the space (X, τ, I) .

Theorem 4.3: A set $A \subseteq X$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open if and only if $F \subseteq bI-int(A)$ whenever F is π -closed and $F \subseteq A$.

Proof:

Necessity: Let A be a $I_{\pi gb}$ -open. Let F be a closed set and $F \subseteq A$, then $X - A \subseteq X - F$ where $X - F$ is π -open. By assumption, $bIcl(X - A) \subseteq X - F$. By remark 4.2, $X - bIint(A) \subseteq X - F$. Thus $F \subseteq bIint(A)$.

Sufficiency: Suppose F is π -closed and $F \subseteq A$ such that $F \subseteq bIint(A)$. Let $X - A \subseteq U$ where U is π -open. Then $X - U \subseteq A$ where $X - U$ is π -closed. By hypothesis, $X - U \subseteq bIint(A)$ implies $X - bIint(A) \subseteq U$ implies $bIcl(X - A) \subseteq U$. Thus $X - A$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

Theorem 4.4: If $bIint(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$ and A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open, then B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

Proof: Let $bIint(A) \subseteq B \subseteq A$. Thus $X - A \subseteq X - B \subseteq bIcl(X - A)$. Since $X - A$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, By theorem 3.18, $(X - A) \subseteq (X - B) \subseteq bIcl(A)$ implies $(X - B)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. Hence B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

Remark 4.5: For any $A \subseteq X$, $bIint(bIcl(A) - A) = \emptyset$.

Example 4.6: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$, $I = \{\emptyset, \{d\}\}$. Let $A = \{a, d\}$ be any subset of X. $bIcl\{a, d\} - \{a, d\} = \{b, c\}$. Then $bIint[bIcl\{a, d\} - \{a, d\}] = bIint\{b, c\} = \emptyset$.

Theorem 4.7: If $A \subseteq X$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, then $bIcl(A) - A$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

Proof: Let A be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. Let F be π -closed. $F \subseteq bIcl(A) - A$ by theorem 3.12, $F = \emptyset$. By remark 4.5, $bIint(bIcl(A) - A) = \emptyset$. Thus $F \subseteq bIint(bIcl(A) - A)$. Thus $bIcl(A) - A$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

Corollary 4.8: Let A be a π -open, $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set. Then $A \cap F$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed whenever $F \in bIcl(X)$.

Proof: Since A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and π -open, $bIcl(A) \subseteq A$ and thus A is bI-closed. Hence $A \cap F$ is bI-closed in X which implies $A \cap F$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set in X.

Lemma 4.9[25]: Let $A \subseteq X$. If A is open or dense, then $\pi O(A, \tau/A) = V \cap A$ such that $V \in \pi O(X, \tau)$.

Theorem 4.10: Let $B \subseteq A \subseteq X$ where A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and π -open set. Then B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed relative to A iff B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X.

Proof: Let $B \subseteq A \subseteq X$, where A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and π -open set. Let B be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in A. Let $B \subseteq U$ where U is π -open in X. Since $B \subseteq A$, $B = B \cap A \subseteq U \cap A$, this implies $bIcl(B) = bIcl_A(B) \subseteq U \cap A \subseteq U$. Hence, B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X. Let B be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X. Let $B \subseteq O$ where O is π -open in A. Then $O = U \cap A$ where U is π -open in X. This implies $B \subseteq O = U \cap A \subseteq U$. Since B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X, $bIcl(B) \subseteq U$. Thus $bIcl_A(B) = A \cap bIcl(B) \subseteq U \cap A = O$. Hence, B is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed relative to A.

Definition 4.11: A space (X, τ, I) is called an $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space if every $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed is bI-closed.

Theorem 4.12:

- i) $BIO(\tau) \subseteq I\pi GBO(\tau)$.
- ii) A space (X, τ, I) is $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space if and only if $BIO(\tau) = I\pi GBO(\tau)$.

Proof: i) Let A be a bI-open, then X-A is bI-closed. So X-A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. Thus A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open. Hence $BIO(\tau) \subseteq I\pi GBO(\tau)$.

ii) **Necessity:** Let (X, τ, I) be $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space. Let $A \in I\pi GBO(\tau)$. Then X-A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. By hypothesis, X-A is bI-closed, thus $A \in BIO(\tau)$. Hence $BIO(\tau) = I\pi GBO(\tau)$. **Sufficiency:** Let $BIO(\tau) = I\pi GBO(\tau)$. Let A be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. Then X-A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open. We have X-A $\in I\pi GBO(\tau)$ implies X-A $\in BIO(\tau)$. Hence A is bI-closed this implies (X, τ, I) is $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space..

Theorem 4.13: For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following are equivalent.

- i) X is $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space.
- ii) Every singleton set is either π -closed or bI-open.

Proof:

(i) \Rightarrow (ii): Let X be a $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space. Let $x \in X$ and assume that $\{x\}$ is not π -closed. Then clearly X- $\{x\}$ is trivially $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed. Since X is $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space, X- $\{x\}$ is bI-closed or $\{x\}$ is bI-open.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i): Assume every singleton of X is either π -closed or bI-open. Let A be a $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set. Let $\{x\} \in bIcl(A)$.

Case-(i): Let $\{x\}$ be π -closed. Suppose $\{x\}$ does not belong to A, then $\{x\} \in bIcl(A) - A$ by theorem 3.12, $\{x\} \in A$. Hence $bIcl(A) \subseteq A$.

Case-(ii): Let $\{x\}$ be bI-open. Since $\{x\} \in bIcl(A)$, we have $\{x\} \cap A \neq \emptyset$ implies $\{x\} \in A$. Therefore $bIcl(A) \subseteq A$ and A is bI-closed.

V. $I_{\pi gb}$ -CONTINUOUS and $I_{\pi gb}$ -IRRESOLUTE FUNCTIONS

Definition 5.1: A function $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma)$ is called $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous if every $f^{-1}(V)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (X, τ, I) for every closed set V of (Y, σ) .

Definition 5.2: A function $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ is called $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute if every $f^{-1}(V)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (X, τ, I) for $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set V in (Y, σ, I) .

Theorem 5.3: Every $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute is $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous function.

Proof: Let $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ be $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous and V be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (Y, σ, I) . But every $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed sets need not be closed in (Y, σ, I) . So there exists some sets which is not closed in (Y, σ) . By definition, there exists some sets which are not $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in (X, τ, I) which implies f is not $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute.

Example 5.4: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$, $\sigma = \{X, \emptyset, \{a\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{c\}\}$. Let $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (X, \sigma, I)$ be the identity function, then f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous function but not $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute.

Remark 5.5: Composition of two $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous need not be $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous.

Example 5.6: Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$, $\tau = \{X, \emptyset, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c\}\}$, $\sigma = \{X, \emptyset, \{a, b, d\}\}$, $\eta = \{X, \emptyset, \{a, d\}\}$ and $I = \{\emptyset, \{b\}\}$. Define $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (X, \sigma)$ by $f(a) = a$, $f(b) = c$, $f(c) = b$, $f(d) = d$. Define $g: (X, \sigma, I) \rightarrow (X, \eta)$ by $g(a) = d$, $g(b) = c$, $g(c) = b$, $g(d) = a$. Then f and g are $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous but $g \circ f$ is not $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous.

Remark 5.7:

1. Every continuous function implies *-continuous function.
2. Every *-continuous function implies πgb -continuous function.
3. (3) Every πgb -continuous function implies $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous function.

Definition 5.8: A function $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ is said to be pre-bI-closed if $f(U)$ is bI-closed in Y for each bI-closed set in X.

Proposition 5.9: Let $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ be π -irresolute and pre-bI-closed map. Then $f(A)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in Y for every $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set A of X.

Proof: Let A be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X . Let $f(A) \subseteq V$ where V is π -open in Y . Then $A \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$ and A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X implies $bIcl(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(V)$. Hence $f(bIcl(A)) \subseteq V$. Since f is pre-bI-closed, $bIcl(f(A)) \subseteq bIcl(f(bIcl(A))) = f(bIcl(A)) \subseteq V$. Hence $f(A)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in Y .

Theorem 5.10: Let (X, τ, I) be a topological space if $A \subseteq X$ is nowhere dense, then A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Proof: Let $A \subseteq U$ where U is π -open in X . Since A is nowhere dense, $int(cl(A)) = \emptyset$.

Now $bIcl(A) \subseteq cl(A) \subseteq int(cl(A)) = \emptyset \subseteq U$. Therefore A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X .

Theorem 5.11: If an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) for each $x \in X, X \setminus \{x\}$ is either $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed or π -open in X .

Proof: Suppose $X \setminus \{x\}$ is not π -open, then X is the only π -open containing $X \setminus \{x\}$. Hence $bIcl(X \setminus \{x\}) \subseteq X$ implies $X \setminus \{x\}$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Definition 5.12: The intersection of all $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set containing A is called $I_{\pi gb}$ -closure of A is denoted by $I_{\pi gb}-cl(A)$.

Theorem 5.13: Let $A \subseteq (X, \tau, I)$ and $x \in X$. Then $x \in I_{\pi gb}-cl(A)$ if and only if $\forall V \ni x, V \cap A \neq \emptyset$ for every $I_{\pi gb}$ -open V containing x .

Proof: Suppose $x \in I_{\pi gb}-cl(A)$ and let V be an $I_{\pi gb}$ -open such that $x \in V$. Assume $V \cap A = \emptyset$, then $A \subseteq X \setminus V$ implies $I_{\pi gb}-cl(A) \subseteq X \setminus V$ which implies $x \in X \setminus V$, thus $V \cap A \neq \emptyset$ for every $I_{\pi gb}$ -open set V containing x . Conversely, suppose $x \notin I_{\pi gb}-cl(A)$ which implies $x \in X \setminus I_{\pi gb}-cl(A) = V$ (say). Then V is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open & $x \in V$. Also since $A \subseteq I_{\pi gb}-cl(A), A \cap V = \emptyset$ implies $V \cap A = \emptyset$. Hence the proof.

Definition 5.14: An ideal topological space X is a $I_{\pi gb}$ -space if every $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set is I-closed.

Theorem 5.15: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is π -open, bI-irresolute, pre bI-closed surjective function, if X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space, then Y is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.

Proof: Let F be a $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set in Y . Let $f^{-1}(F) \subseteq U$ where U is π -open in X . Then $F \subseteq f(U)$ and F is a $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in Y implies $bIcl(F) \subseteq f(U)$. Since f is bI-irresolute, $bIcl(f^{-1}(F)) \subseteq bIcl(f^{-1}(bIcl(F))) = f^{-1}(bIcl(F)) \subseteq U$. Therefore $f^{-1}(F)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X . Since X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space, $f^{-1}(F)$ is bI-closed in X . Since f is pre-bI-closed, $f(f^{-1}(F)) = F$ is bI-closed in Y . Hence Y is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.

Proposition 5.16: Every $I_{\pi gb}$ -space is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.

Proof: Let X be $I_{\pi gb}$ -space, then every $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set is I-closed which implies (X, τ, I) is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.

Theorem 5.17: For an ideal topological space (X, τ, I) , the following are equivalent.

- (i) X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.
- (ii) For every subset $A \subseteq X, A$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open if and only if A is bI-open.

Proof:

(i) \Rightarrow (ii): Let $A \subseteq X$ be $I_{\pi gb}$ -open. Then $(X-A)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed and by (i), $(X-A)$ is bI-closed implies A is bI-open.

Conversely, assume A is bI-open. Then $(X-A)$ is bI-closed. As every bI-closed set is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed, $(X-A)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed implies A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i): Let A be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed set in X . Then $(X-A)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -open. Hence by (ii), $(X-A)$ is bI-open implies A is bI-closed. Hence X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space.

Theorem 5.18: Let $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ be a function.

- (i) If f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute and X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space, then f is bI-irresolute.
- (ii) If f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous and X is $I_{\pi gb}-T_{1/2}$ space, then f is bI-continuous.

Proof:

- (i) Let V be bI -closed in Y . Since f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute, $f^{-1}(V)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X . Since X is $I_{\pi gb}$ - $T_{1/2}$ space, $f^{-1}(V)$ is bI -closed in X . Hence f is bI -irresolute.
- (ii) Let V be bI -closed in Y . Since f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -continuous, $f^{-1}(V)$ is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in X . By assumption it is bI -closed in X . Hence f is bI -continuous.

Theorem 5.19: If the bijective $f: (X, \tau, I) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma, I)$ is bI -irresolute and π -open map, then f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute.

Proof: Let V be $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed in Y . Let $f^{-1}(V) \subseteq U$ where U is π -open in X . Hence $V \subseteq f(U)$ and $f(U)$ is π -open implies $bIcl(V) \subseteq f(U)$. Since f is bI -irresolute, $f^{-1}(bIcl(V))$ is bI -closed.

Hence $bIcl(f^{-1}(V)) \subseteq bIcl(f^{-1}(bIcl(V))) = f^{-1}(bIcl(V)) \subseteq U$. Therefore f is $I_{\pi gb}$ -irresolute.

Theorem 5.20: For a set $A \subseteq (X, \tau, I)$ if A is π -clopen, then A is Q -set, $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

Proof: Let A be π -clopen, then A is both π -open and π -closed. Hence A is both open and closed. Therefore $cl(int(A)) = int(cl(A))$ which shows that A is Q -set. Also $bIcl(A) \subseteq cl(A) = A$, hence A is $I_{\pi gb}$ -closed.

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