

On $\Pi g\beta$ -Normal And $\Pi g\beta$ -Regular Spaces

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Abstract - We use the notion of $\pi g\beta$ -closed sets and use it to obtain some new characterizations of $\pi g\beta$ -normal spaces introduced by kumar, chand and rajbhar. We also introduced $\pi g\beta$ -regular spaces and obtained its basic properties.

1. Introduction

Kumar, Chand and Rajbhar[7] used the notion of $\pi g\beta$ -closed sets to obtain a new characterization of $\pi g\beta$ -normal spaces and obtained some preservation theorems for $\pi g\beta$ -normal spaces. In this paper, we study $\pi g\beta$ -normal spaces further and obtained some new results. Also, we introduce $\pi g\beta$ -regular spaces and obtain some of its basic properties.

2. Preliminaries

Throughout the present paper, X and Y denote topological spaces. Let A be a subset of X . We denote the interior and closure of A by $\text{Int}(A)$ and $\text{Cl}(A)$ respectively.

A subset A of a topological space X is said to be β -open [1] or semi-preopen [3] (if $A \subseteq \text{Cl}(\text{Int}(\text{Cl}(A)))$). The complement of β -open set is β -closed. The intersection of all β -closed sets containing A is called β -closure [2] of A and is denoted by $\beta\text{Cl}(A)$. Further A is said to be regular open if $A = \text{Int}(\text{Cl}(A))$ and it is said to be regular closed if $A = \text{Cl}(\text{Int}(A))$. It is said to be π -open [12] if it is finite union of regular open sets.

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Also, A is said to be generalized semi-preclosed [4] (briefly, gsp -closed) or $g\beta$ -closed (resp. $\pi g\beta$ -closed [11]) if $\beta\text{Cl}(A) \subseteq U$, whenever $A \subseteq U$ and U is open (resp. π -open) in X . The complement of $\pi g\beta$ -closed set is $\pi g\beta$ -open.

Definition 2.1 [10]. A space X is said to be $g\beta$ -normal if for any two disjoint $g\beta$ -closed sets A and B of X , there exists two disjoint β -open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

Definition 2.2 [5]. A space X is said to be strongly β -normal if for any two disjoint β -closed sets A and B of X , there exists two disjoint β -open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

Definition 2.3 [8]. A space X is said to be β -normal if for any two disjoint closed sets A and B of X , there exists two disjoint β -open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

Definition 2.4 [9]. A subset A of space X is said to be β -clopen or semi-pre regular if its β -open as well as β -closed.

Definition 2.5. A subset A of space X is said to be locally discrete if every open set is closed.

Definition 2.6. A space X is said to be weakly $\pi g\beta$ -normal if disjoint $\pi g\beta$ -closed set can be separated by disjoint closed sets.

Definition 2.7. A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be

(1). contra- β -continuous [6] if $f^{-1}(F)$ is β -open in X for each closed set F of Y .

(2). always $\pi g\beta$ -closed if the image of each $\pi g\beta$ -closed set in X is $\pi g\beta$ -closed set in Y .

3. $\pi g\beta$ -Normal Topological Spaces

In this section, we study more of $\pi g\beta$ -normal spaces and study some of its properties.

Definition 3.1. A space X is said to be $\pi g\beta$ -normal[7] if for any two disjoint $\pi g\beta$ -closed sets A and B of X , there exists two disjoint β -open sets U and V such that $A \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$.

From above definition, its clear that ;

$\pi g\beta$ -normal \rightarrow $g\beta$ -normal \rightarrow strongly β -normal \rightarrow β -normal

None of the implications is reversible as can be seen from the following examples:

Example 3.1. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and let the topology on X be $T = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{d\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$. Then (X, T) is normal, hence β -normal but not strongly β -normal since $\{c, d\}$ and $\{a\}$ are the pair of disjoint β -closed sets and there is no pair of disjoint β -open sets containing $\{c, d\}$ and $\{a\}$.

Example 3.2. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and let the topology on X be $T = \{\emptyset, X, \{b, d\}, \{a, b, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$. Then (X, T) is β -normal, hence $g\beta$ -normal but not $\pi g\beta$ -normal since $\{b, d\}$ and $\{a, c\}$ are the pair of disjoint $\pi g\beta$ -closed sets and there is no pair of disjoint β -open sets containing them.

Example 3.3. Let Y and Z be disjoint finite sets and let $X = Y \cup Z$. Then $T = \{\emptyset, X, Y, Z\}$ is a topology on X . Clearly (X, T) is locally discrete and hence every β -closed set is clopen. Hence (X, T) is strongly β -normal. If A is non empty subset of Y and $B \subseteq Y - A$, then A is $g\beta$ -closed, but A and B cannot be separated by disjoint β -open sets.

Hence (X, T) is not $g\beta$ -normal.

Definition 3.2. A space X is said to be $\pi g\beta$ -regular if for every $\pi g\beta$ -closed subset F of X and a point x not in F , there exist disjoint β -open subsets U and V such that $x \in U$ and $F \subseteq V$.

A $\pi g\beta$ -normal space need not be $\pi g\beta$ -regular, as the following example shows:

Example 3.4. Let $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ and let the topology on X be $T = \{\emptyset, X, \{a, b\}\}$. Then (X, T) is $\pi g\beta$ -normal but not $\pi g\beta$ -regular since $\{a, b, c\}$ is $\pi g\beta$ -closed but for d not in $\{a, b, c\}$, there does not exist any pair of disjoint β -open sets containing them.

Definition 3.3. A topological space (X, T) is said to be $(\beta, \pi g\beta)$ - R_0 if $\beta Cl(\{x\}) \subseteq U$ whenever U is $\pi g\beta$ -open and $x \in U$.

Theorem 3.1. Every $\pi g\beta$ -normal $(\beta, \pi g\beta)$ - R_0 space is $\pi g\beta$ -regular

Proof. Let F be a $\pi g\beta$ -closed subset of X and $x \in X$ such that x is not in F . Then $x \in X - F$, where $X - F$ is a $\pi g\beta$ -open set in X . Since X is a $(\beta, \pi g\beta)$ - R_0 space, we have $\beta Cl(\{x\}) \subseteq X - F$. Thus F and $\beta Cl(\{x\})$ are disjoint $\pi g\beta$ -closed sets in X . By $\pi g\beta$ -normality of X , there exist disjoint β -open subsets U and V such that $F \subseteq U$ and $\beta Cl(\{x\}) \subseteq V$. Therefore, there exist disjoint β -open subsets U and V such that $x \in U$ and $F \subseteq V$. Hence X is a $\pi g\beta$ -regular.

Following is some new characterization of $\pi g\beta$ -normality:

Theorem. 3.2. The following properties are equivalent for a space X :

- (i). X is $\pi g\beta$ -normal.
- (ii). For every $\pi g\beta$ -closed set A and every $\pi g\beta$ -open set B containing A , there is a β -clopen set V such that $A \subseteq V \subseteq B$.

Proof. (i) \rightarrow (ii). Let A be $\pi g\beta$ -closed set and U be $\pi g\beta$ -open set with $A \subseteq U$. Now we have $A \cap (X - U) = \emptyset$, hence there exists disjoint β -open sets W_1 and W_2 such that $A \subseteq W_1$ and $X - U \subseteq W_2$. If $V = \beta Cl(W_1)$, then V is a β -clopen set satisfying $A \subseteq V \subseteq U$.

(ii) \rightarrow (i). Obvious.

Theorem 3.3. If $f:(X,\tau)\rightarrow(Y,\sigma)$ is an injective always $\pi g\beta$ -closed function and (Y,σ) is weakly $\pi g\beta$ -normal, then (X,τ) is $\pi g\beta$ -normal.

Proof. Suppose that $A_1, A_2 \subseteq X$ are $\pi g\beta$ -closed and disjoint. Since f is always $\pi g\beta$ -closed and injective, $f(A_1), f(A_2) \subseteq Y$ are $\pi g\beta$ -closed and disjoint. Since (Y,σ) is weakly $\pi g\beta$ -normal, $f(A_1)$ and $f(A_2)$ can be separated by disjoint closed sets $B_1, B_2 \subseteq Y$. Moreover as f is contra β -continuous, A_1 and A_2 can be separated by disjoint β -open sets $f^{-1}(B_1)$ and $f^{-1}(B_2)$. Thus (X,τ) is $\pi g\beta$ -normal.

4. $\pi g\beta$ -regular spaces

Definition 4.1. A topological space (X, τ) is said to be $g\beta$ -regular [10] if for each $g\beta$ -closed set A and each point $x \in X$ such that $x \notin A$, there exist disjoint β -open sets $U, V \subseteq X$ such that $A \subseteq V$ and $x \in U$.

Definition 4.2. A topological space (X, τ) is said to be $\pi g\beta$ -regular if for each $\pi g\beta$ -closed set A and each point $x \in X$ such that $x \notin A$, there exist disjoint β -open sets $U, V \subseteq X$ such that $A \subseteq V$ and $x \in U$.

Definition 4.3. A topological space (X, τ) is said to be $\pi g\beta$ - $T_{1/2}$ [11] if every $\pi g\beta$ -closed set is $g\beta$ -closed.

Theorem 4.1. A space (X,τ) is $\pi g\beta$ -regular if and only if (X,τ) is $g\beta$ -regular and $\pi g\beta$ - $T_{1/2}$.

Proof. Suppose that (X,τ) is $\pi g\beta$ -regular. Then clearly (X,τ) is $g\beta$ -regular. Now, let $A \subseteq X$ be $\pi g\beta$ -closed. For each $x \notin A$, there exists a $g\beta$ -open set V_x containing x such that $V_x \cap A = \emptyset$. If $V = \bigcup \{V_x : x \notin A\}$, then V is a $g\beta$ -open set and $V = X \setminus A$. Hence A is $g\beta$ -closed. Converse is obvious.

Remark 4.1. There exist a topological space which is $g\beta$ -regular but not $\pi g\beta$ -regular as can be seen in Example 3.1.

Our next result characterizes $\pi g\beta$ -regular spaces.

Theorem 4.2. For a topological space (X, τ) , the following are equivalent:

- (i). (X,τ) is $\pi g\beta$ -regular.
- (ii). Every $\pi g\beta$ -open set U is a union of β -clopen sets.
- (iii). Every $\pi g\beta$ -closed set A is intersection of β -clopen sets.

Proof. (i) \rightarrow (ii). Let U be $\pi g\beta$ -open and $x \in U$. If $A = X \setminus U$, then A is $\pi g\beta$ -closed. By assumption, there exist disjoint β -open subsets W_1 and W_2 of X such that $x \in W_1$ and $A \subseteq W_2$. If $V = \beta Cl(W_1)$, then V is β -clopen ([9], Theorem 3.1) and $V \cap A \subseteq V \cap W_2 = \emptyset$. It follows that $x \in V \subseteq U$. Thus U is a union of β -clopen sets.

(ii) \rightarrow (iii). obvious.

(iii) \rightarrow (i). Let A be $\pi g\beta$ -closed and let $x \notin A$. By assumption, there exists a β -clopen set V such that $A \subseteq V$ and $x \notin V$. If $U = X \setminus V$, then U is a β -open set containing x and $U \cap V = \emptyset$. Thus (X, T) is $\pi g\beta$ -regular.

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