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#### $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ -Submaximal Spaces

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ABSTRACT: In this paper, we define  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - submaximal spaces and study its charecterizations and properties.

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# 1. Introduction and Preliminaries.

An *ideal*  $\mathcal{I}$  on X [11] is a collection of subsets of X satisfying the following: (i) If  $A \in \mathfrak{I}$  and  $B \subset A$ , then  $B \in \mathfrak{I}$ , and (ii) if  $A \in \mathfrak{I}$  and  $B \in \mathfrak{I}$ , then  $A \cup B \in \mathfrak{I}$ . A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  together with an ideal  $\mathfrak{I}$  is called an *ideal topological space* and is denoted by  $(X, \tau, J)$ . For each subset A of X,  $A^{\star}(\mathcal{I}, \tau) = \{x \in X \mid U \cap A \notin J\}$ for every open set U containing x is called the *local function* of A [11] with respect to I and  $\tau$ . We simply write  $A^*$  instead of  $A^*(\mathfrak{I},\tau)$  in case there is no chance for confusion. We often use the properties of the local function stated in Theorem 2.3 of [8] without mentioning it. Moreover,  $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*$  [15] defines a Kuratowski closure operator for a topology  $\tau^*$ , which is finer than  $\tau$ . An ideal  $\mathcal{I}$  is a *boundary ideal* [15] or a *codense ideal* [8] if  $\tau \cap \mathfrak{I} = \{\emptyset\}$ . A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ is said to be pre- $\mathcal{I}$ -open [3], if  $A \subset intcl^*(A)$  where int is the interior operator in  $(X, \tau)$ . A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, J)$  is said to be J- locally -\*- closed set [13], if there exists an open set U and a  $\star$ - closed set F such that  $A = U \cap F$ . A subset A of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is said to be g- closed [10], if  $cl(A) \subset U$ whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is open. The complement of a g- closed set is called a gopen set [10]. A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, J)$  is said to be  $J_{g}$ - closed [4], if  $A^* \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is open. The complement of an  $\mathcal{I}_{q}$ - closed set is called an  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - open set [4]. A space in which every  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - closed set is a  $\star$ - closed set is called a  $T_{\mathcal{I}}$ -space [4]. An ideal topological space  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is said to be an  $\mathcal{I}$ submaximal [1] space, if every  $\star$ -dense set is open. A topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is said to be an g- submaximal [2] space if every dense set is g- open. A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is said to be  $\mathcal{I}_q$ -locally-\*-closed set [13], if there exists an  $\mathcal{I}_q$ -

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open set U and a  $\star$ - closed set F such that  $A = U \cap F$ . The following lemmas will be useful in the sequel.

**Lemma 1.1.** [1] For a subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ , the following properties are equivalent.

(a) A is pre $\neg \exists -open$ .

(b)  $A = G \cap B$  where G is open and B is  $\star$ - dense.

**Lemma 1.2.** [14] Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an ideal space and  $A \subset X$ . If  $A \subset A^*$ , then  $A^* = cl(A^*) = cl(A) = cl^*(A)$ .

**Lemma 1.3.** [4] Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an ideal space and  $A \subset X$ . Then the finite union of  $J_q$ - closed sets is an  $J_q$ - closed set.

## **2.** $\mathcal{I}_q$ - Submaximal Spaces

An *ideal topological space*  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is said to be an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space if every  $\star$ - dense set is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open. The following Theorem 2.1 shows that every  $\mathcal{I}$ submaximal space is an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space and Example 2.2 below shows that the converse is not true.

**Theorem 2.1.** Every J- submaximal space is an  $J_q$ - submaximal space.

**Proof:** Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an J- submaximal space and A be  $\tau^*$ - dense in X. Since  $(X, \tau, J)$  is J- submaximal, A is open in X. Since every open set is  $J_{g^-}$  open, A is  $J_{g^-}$  open. Hence  $(X, \tau, J)$  is an  $J_{g}$ -submaximal space.

The following Example 2.2. shows that the converse of Theorem 2.1. is not true.

**Example 2.2.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$ and  $J = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{c\}, \{a, c\}\}$ . If  $A = \{b, c, d\}$ , then A is  $J_g$ - open but not open.

**Theorem 2.3.** If  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $T_I$ - ideal space and A is a  $\star$ -dense - in -itself,  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ -closed subset of X, then A is closed.

**Proof:** Let A be  $\star$ -dense-in -itself,  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - closed subset of X. Then by Theorem 2.1 [12], there exists no nonempty closed set in  $cl^*(A) - A$ . Since  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is a  $T_I$ -space, A is  $\star$ - closed and so  $cl^*(A) - A = \emptyset$ . Since A is  $\star$ - dense-in -itself,  $cl^*(A) = cl(A), cl(A) - A = \emptyset$  which implies that cl(A) = A. Thus A is closed.  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 2.4.** Every g- submaximal space is an  $\mathcal{J}_{q}$ - submaximal space.

**Proof:** Let  $A \subset X$  be  $\star$ - dense in a g- submaximal space  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ . Since every  $\star$ dense set is a dense set, A is dense in X. Since $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is g- submaximal, A is gopen. By Remark 2 of [6], every g- open set is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open set and so A is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open. Therefore every g- submaximal space is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.  $\Box$ 

The following Example 2.5. shows that the converse of Theorem 2.4. is not true.

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**Example 2.5.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{\emptyset, X, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$  and  $\mathcal{I} = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{d\}, \{a, d\}\}$ . If  $A = \{a, c\}$ , then A is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open but not g- open.

**Theorem 2.6.** Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, J)$  is an  $J_g$ - submaximal space. (b) Every pre-J-open set is  $J_g$ - open.

**Proof:**  $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$ . Suppose that  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  submaximal and  $A \subset X$  be pre- $\mathcal{I}$ -open. Then  $A = U \cap D, U \in \tau, D$  is  $\star$ -dense. Since X is  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  submaximal, D is  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  open. Also U is  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  open. Since intersection of two  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  open sets is an  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  open set by Lemma 1.3, A is an  $\mathcal{I}_{g^-}$  open set.

 $(b) \Rightarrow (a)$ . Let A be  $\star$ -dense in  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ . Then A is pre- $\mathfrak{I}$ -open which implies that A is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - open, by hypothesis. Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - submaximal space.  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 2.7.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

(b) Every subset is  $\mathfrak{I}_q$ -locally- $\star$ -closed set.

(c) Every  $\star$ - dense subset of X is an intersection of a  $\star$ -closed set and an  $\mathbb{J}_g$ - open subset of X.

**Proof:**  $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$ . Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - submaximal space. Since every  $\star$ - dense set is open in  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ , by Corollary 4.7(b) of [13], every subset is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - locally- $\star$ - closed set.

 $(b) \Rightarrow (c)$ . Let A be  $\star$ - dense in  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ . By hypothesis, A is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ -locally- $\star$ closed set. Then by Theorem 4.3 of [13], there exists an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open set U such that  $A = U \cap cl^{\star}(A)$ . It follows that  $A = U \cap X = U$  which implies that A is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open. Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

 $(c) \Rightarrow (a)$ . Let A be  $\star$ - dense in  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ . By hypothesis,  $A = U \cap F$ , where U is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open and F is a  $\star$ - closed set. Since  $A \subset F$ , F is  $\star$ -dense and so F = X. Hence A = U which is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open set. Thus  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 2.8.** For an ideal space  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$ , the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space. (b) For every subset  $A \subset X$ , if A is not an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open set, then

 $A - intcl^*(A) \neq \emptyset.$ 

(c)  $\eta = \{U - A : U \text{ is } \mathfrak{I}_g\text{-open and } int^*(A) = \emptyset\}$  where  $\eta$  is the family of all  $\mathfrak{I}_g\text{-open sets.}$ 

**Proof:**  $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$ . Suppose that  $A - intcl^*(A) = \emptyset$ . Then  $A \subset intcl^*(A)$  which implies A is pre- $\mathbb{I}$ -open. Since X is  $\mathbb{J}_{g^-}$  submaximal, A is  $\mathbb{J}_{g^-}$  open which is a contradiction. Hence  $A - intcl^*(A) \neq \emptyset$ .

 $(b) \Rightarrow (a)$ . Let A be pre- $\mathcal{I}$ -open. Suppose that A is not an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open set. Then by hypothesis,  $A-intcl^*(A) \neq \emptyset$  which implies  $A \not\subseteq intcl^*(A)$  which is a contradiction. Hence A is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open which implies that  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

 $(a) \Rightarrow (c)$ . Suppose that  $\sigma = \{U - A : U \text{ is } \mathcal{I}_q \text{-open and } int^*(A) = \emptyset\}$ . Let  $G \in \eta$ .

Since  $G = G - \emptyset$ , and  $int^*(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ , then  $\eta \subset \sigma$ . Let  $G \in \sigma$ . Then G = U - A, where U is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^-}$  open and  $int^*(A) = \emptyset$ . Then  $G = U \cap (X - A)$ . Since  $int^*(A) = \emptyset, X - int^*(A) = cl^*(X - A) = X$ . Since X is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^-}$  submaximal, X - A is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^-}$  open. By Lemma 1.3, G is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^-}$  open. Hence  $\sigma \subset \eta$ .

 $(c) \Rightarrow (a)$ . Let A be a pre- $\mathfrak{I}$ -open set. By Lemma 1.1,  $A = G \cap B$ , where G is open and B is  $\star$ - dense. Hence  $cl^{\star}(B) = X$  and so  $int^{\star}(X - B) = \emptyset$ . This implies A = G - (X - B) and  $int^{\star}(X - B) = \emptyset$ . Since every open set is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - open, G is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - open. Hence by Lemma 1.3, A is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g}$ - open.  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 2.9.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space. (b)  $cl^*(A) - A$  is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - closed for every  $A \subset X$ .

**Proof:**  $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$ . Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^{-}}$  submaximal space and  $A \subset X$ . Consider  $(X - (cl^{*}(A) - A)) = (X - cl^{*}(A)) \cup A$ . Then  $cl^{*}(X - (cl^{*}(A) - A)) = cl^{*}((X - cl^{*}(A)) \cup A) \supset (X - (cl^{*}(A)) \cup cl^{*}(A) = X$ . Thus  $cl^{*}(X - (cl^{*}(A) - A)) = X$ . Hence  $X - (cl^{*}(A) - A)$  is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^{-}}$  open which implies that  $cl^{*}(A) - A$  is  $\mathfrak{I}_{g^{-}}$  closed for every  $A \subset X$ .

 $(b) \Rightarrow (a)$ . Suppose that (b) holds. Let A be \*-dense in  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ . Since  $cl^*(A) - A$  is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - closed for every  $A \subset X$ , X - A is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ -closed which implies that A is an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ -open set for every  $A \subset X$ . Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space.  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 2.10.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space. (b)  $A \cap (A^* - A)^*$  is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open for every  $A \subset X$ .

**Proof:**  $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$ . Let  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  be an  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal space. Then by Theorem 2.9, every subset is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - locally -\*- closed and so by Theorem 4.8 of [13],  $A \cap (A^* - A)^*$  is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open for every  $A \subset X$ .

 $(b) \Rightarrow (a).$  Let A be a  $\star$ -dense set in an ideal space  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ . Then by hypothesis,  $A \cap (A^{\star} - A)^{\star}$  is  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - open for every  $A \subset X$ . Since A is  $\star$ - dense,  $A^{\star} - A = cl^{\star}(A) - A = X - A$ . This implies that  $A \cap (A^{\star} - A)^{\star} = (A^{\star} - A)^{\star} \cap A = (X - A)^{\star} \cap A = (X - A)^{\star} \cap A = (X - A)^{\star} - (X - A)$ . Since  $(X - A)^{\star} - (X - A)$  is  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - open, by Theorem 2.12 of [13], X - A is  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - closed which implies that A is  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - open in  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$ . Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is an  $\mathcal{I}_{q}$ - submaximal space.

A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, J)$  is said to be \*-codense [5], if X - A is \*dense. The following Theorem 2.12 follows from the definition of  $\mathcal{I}_{g}$ - submaximal spaces.

**Theorem 2.11.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an ideal space. Then the following are equivalent. (a)  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space. (b) Every  $\star$ - codense subset A of X is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - closed.

## 3. $\mathcal{I}_q$ - Submaximal Subspaces

If  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an ideal topological space and  $A \subset X$ , then  $(A, \tau_A, \mathfrak{I}_A)$ , where  $\tau_A$  is the relative topology on A and  $\mathfrak{I}_A = \{A \cap \mathcal{J} : \mathcal{J} \in \mathfrak{I}\}$  is an ideal topological space.

**Lemma 3.1.** [9] Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an ideal topological space and  $B \subset A \subset X$ . Then  $B^*(\tau_A, J_A) = B^*(\tau, J) \cap A$ .

**Lemma 3.2.** [7] Let  $(X, \tau, J)$  be an ideal topological space and  $B \subset A \subset X$ . Then  $cl^*_A(B) = cl^*(B) \cap A$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** If  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space, then every open subspace  $(A, \tau_A, \mathfrak{I}_A)$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

**Proof:** Let B be  $\star$ - dense in  $(A, \tau_A, \mathfrak{I}_A)$ . Let  $U = B \cup (X - A)$ . Then  $cl^*(U) = cl^*(B) \cup cl^*(X - A) \supset cl^*_A(B) \cup cl^*(X - A) = A \cup cl^*(X - A)$ . We have  $cl^*(U) \supset A \cup (X - A) \cup (X - A)^* = X$ . Therefore U is  $\star$ - dense in X. Since X is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal, U is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ -open. Now  $B = U \cap A$  is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open, since A is open. Therefore  $(A, \tau_A, \mathfrak{I}_A)$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an ideal space where  $\mathfrak{I}$  is codense. If every subset is  $\mathfrak{I}$ - locally closed, then  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_q$ - submaximal space.

**Proof:** Let A be  $\tau^*$ - dense. Since  $\mathfrak{I}$  is codense, A is  $\mathfrak{I}$ - dense. Also A is  $\mathfrak{I}$ - locally closed. Then by Theorem 4.8 of [14], A is open. Thus A is  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - open. Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  is an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space.

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{I})$  be an  $\mathfrak{I}_g$ - submaximal space and  $\mathfrak{I} \subset \mathfrak{J}$  where  $\mathfrak{I}$  and  $\mathfrak{J}$  are ideals on X. Then  $(X, \tau, \mathfrak{J})$  is  $\mathfrak{J}_g$ - submaximal.

**Proof:** Let A be  $\tau^*(\mathcal{J})$ - dense in  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{J})$ . Then  $A \cup A^*(\mathcal{J}) = X$ . Since  $\mathcal{I} \subset \mathcal{J}$ ,  $A^*(\mathcal{J}) \subset A^*(\mathcal{I})$ . Hence  $X = A \cup A^*(\mathcal{J}) \subset A \cup A^*(\mathcal{I})$  which implies that  $A \cup A^*(\mathcal{I}) = X$ . Thus A is  $\tau^*(\mathcal{I})$ -dense. Since  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{I})$  is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - submaximal, A is  $\mathcal{I}_g$ - open. Since  $\mathcal{I} \subset \mathcal{J}$ , A is  $\mathcal{J}_g$ - open. Hence  $(X, \tau, \mathcal{J})$  is  $\mathcal{J}_g$ - submaximal.  $\Box$ 

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