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## ***g*-REGULARLY ORDERED SPACES**

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### **ABSTRACT**

In the present paper, we introduce the order analogue of *g*-regular space and prove some results about *g*-regular space to *g*-regularly ordered spaces.

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**1. Introduction.** A topological ordered space is a topological space equipped with a partial order. The study of topological ordered space was initiated by Nachbin [3]. Nachbin defines a topological ordered spaces to be a topological space if it is also equipped with an order relation. The order may be a preorder (i.e. a reflexive and transitive relation) or a partial order (i.e. an antisymmetric preorder). Every topological spaces may be regarded as a topological ordered space equipped with a discrete (trivial order ' $\leq$ ', where  $x \leq y$  iff  $x=y$ ). The concept in topological space was introduced by Munshi [2]. In this paper we introduce the order analogue of *g*-regular space and we prove some results about *g*-regular space to *g*-regularly ordered spaces.

**2. Preliminary .** Let  $X$  be a set equipped with a partial order ' $\leq$ '. For  $y \in X$ , the set  $\{x \in X : x \leq y\}$  will be denoted by  $[\leftarrow, y]$  and the set  $\{x \in X : y \leq x\}$  will be denoted by  $[y, \rightarrow]$ . For any subset  $A$  of  $X$ ,

$$i(A) = \cup \{[a, \rightarrow] : a \in A\}, \text{ and}$$

$$d(A) = \cup \{[\leftarrow, a] : a \in A\}.$$

Obviously,  $A \subseteq i(A)$  and  $A \subseteq d(A)$ , If  $A=i(A)$ , then  $A$  is said to be **increasing** and if  $A=d(A)$ , then  $A$  is said to be **decreasing**. In other words is  $A$  increasing iff  $x \leq y$  and  $x \in A \Rightarrow y \in A$ , and  $A$  is decreasing iff  $x \leq y$  and  $y \in A \Rightarrow x \in A$ . The complement of a decreasing (increasing) set is increasing (decreasing).

Let  $(X, \leq, T)$  be a topological ordered space. For any subset  $A$  of  $X$ , let

$$D(A) = \bigcap \{F : F \text{ is a decreasing closed set containing } A\},$$

$$I(A) = \bigcap \{H : H \text{ is a increasing closed set containing } A\},$$

$$D^0(A) = \bigcup \{G : G \text{ is a decreasing open set contained in } A\},$$

$$I^0(A) = \bigcup \{M : M \text{ is an increasing open set contained in } A\}.$$

It can be easily seen that  $D(A)$  ( $I(A)$ ) is the smallest decreasing (increasing) closed set containing  $A$  and  $D^0(A)$  ( $I^0(A)$ ) is the largest decreasing (increasing) open set contained in  $A$ .

**2.1 Lemma [4].** If  $A$  be any subset of a topological ordered space  $X$  and if  $D(A)$ ,  $I(A)$ ,  $D^0(A)$ ,  $I^0(A)$  be as above, then the following hold :

$$(i) \quad X - D(A) = I^0(X - A),$$

$$(ii) \quad X - I(A) = D^0(X - A),$$

$$(iii) \quad X - I^0(A) = D(X - A),$$

$$(iv) \quad X - D^0(A) = I(X - A).$$

### 3. g-Regularly Ordered Spaces.

**3.1 Definition.** A subset  $A$  of a topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be *decreasing generalized closed* (written as *decreasing g-closed*) if  $D(A) \subseteq U$  and  $U$  is decreasing open in  $X$ . Similarly *increasing g-closed* defined dually.

**3.2 Definition.** A subset  $A$  of a topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be *increasing generalized open* (written as *increasing g-open*) if  $X - A$  is decreasing g-closed. Similarly *decreasing g-open* defined dually.

Clearly increasing open (resp. decreasing closed) sets are increasing g-open (resp. decreasing g-closed) sets, but the converse is not necessarily true.

**3.3 Definition.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is called a *lower (upper)  $T_{1/2}$ -ordered* if every decreasing (increasing) g-closed set is decreasing (increasing) closed.  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be  *$T_{1/2}$ -ordered* iff  $(X, \leq, T)$  is lower and upper  $T_{1/2}$ -ordered.

**3.4 Theorem.** A subset  $A$  of a topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is increasing (decreasing) g-open iff  $F \subseteq I^0(A)$  ( $D^0(A)$ ) whenever  $F \subseteq A$  and  $F$  is increasing (decreasing) closed.

**Proof.** Necessary : Let  $A$  be an increasing g-open and suppose that  $F \subseteq A$  whenever  $F$  is an increasing closed set. By definition,  $X - A$  is decreasing g-closed set. Also  $X - A \subseteq X - F$ . Since  $X - F$  is decreasing open, therefore  $D(X - A) \subseteq X - F$ . Hence  $X - I^0(A) \subseteq X - F$  and so  $F \subseteq I^0(A)$ .

**Sufficiency :** If  $F$  is an increasing closed set with  $F \subseteq I^0(A)$  whenever  $F \subseteq A$ , it follows that  $X-A \subseteq X-F$  and  $X-I^0(A) \subseteq X-F$ . Hence  $D(X-A) \subseteq X-F$ . Thus  $X-A$  is decreasing  $g$ -closed and so  $A$  is increasing  $g$ -open. Similarly, the decreasing  $g$ -open case may be discussed.

**3.5 Definition [1].** A topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be **lower (upper) regularly ordered** if for each decreasing (increasing)  $T$ -closed set  $F \subseteq X$  and each element  $a \in F$ , there exist disjoint  $T$ -neighbourhoods  $U$  of  $a$  and  $V$  of  $F$  such that  $U$  is increasing (decreasing) and  $V$  is decreasing (increasing) in  $X$ .  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be **regularly ordered** iff  $(X, \leq, T)$  is both lower and upper regularly ordered.

**3.6 Definition.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be **lower (upper)  $g$ -regularly ordered** iff for each decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set  $F \subseteq X$  and each element  $a \in F$ , there exist disjoint  $T$ -neighbourhoods  $U$  of  $a$  and  $V$  of  $F$  such that  $U$  is increasing (decreasing) and  $V$  is decreasing (increasing) in  $X$ .  $(X, \leq, T)$  is said to be  **$g$ -regularly ordered** iff  $(X, \leq, T)$  is both lower and upper regularly ordered.

It follows from the above definition that every  $g$ -regularly ordered space is regularly ordered space, but the converse need not be true. Also a space is regularly ordered and  $T_{1/2}$ -ordered iff it is  $g$ -regularly ordered.

**3.7 Example.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}$  equipped with the topology  $T = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b, c\}, X\}$  and with the partial order ' $\leq$ ' defined as :  $a \leq a, b \leq b, b \leq c, c \leq c$ , then  $(X, \leq, T)$  is a  $g$ -regularly ordered space.

**3.8 Theorem.** For a topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  the following are equivalent:

- (a)  $X$  is lower (upper)  $g$ -regularly ordered.
- (b) For each  $x \in X$  and every increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open set  $U$  containing  $x$ , there exists increasing (decreasing) open set  $V$  such that

$$x \in V \subseteq I(V) \setminus (D(V)) \subseteq U.$$

**Proof.** (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b). Let  $U$  be an increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open set containing  $x$ . Then  $(X-U)$  is decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set such that  $x \notin X-U$ . It follows that there exists a decreasing (increasing) open set  $W$  and an increasing (decreasing) open set  $V$  such that  $X-U \subseteq W, x \in V$  and  $W \cap V = \phi$ . Since  $W$  is decreasing (increasing) open and  $V \cap W = \phi$ , therefore  $W \cap I(V) \setminus (D(V)) = \phi$ . Thus  $x \in V \subseteq I(V)$

$$(D(V)) \subseteq X - W \subseteq U.$$

(b)  $\Rightarrow$  (a). Let  $F$  be a decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set and  $x \in F$ . Then  $X - F$  is increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open set such that  $x \in X - F$ . By (b), there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $U$  such that  $x \in U \subseteq I(U)(D(U)) \subseteq X - F$ . Thus  $F \subseteq X - I(U)(D(U))$  which is decreasing (increasing) open and  $U \cap (X - I(U)(D(U))) = \emptyset$ . Hence  $X$  is  $g$ -regularly ordered space.

**3.9 Theorem.** For a topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$ , the following are equivalent:

(a)  $X$  is lower (upper)  $g$ -regularly ordered.

(b) For every decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set  $F$ , the intersection of all decreasing (increasing) closed decreasing (increasing) neighbourhoods of  $F$  is exactly  $F$ .

**Proof.** (a)  $\Rightarrow$  (b). Let  $F$  be a decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed subset of  $X$  and  $x \in F$ . Then  $X - F \subseteq U$  is an increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open set containing  $x$ , therefore there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  such that  $x \in G \subseteq I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq U$ . Hence  $F \subseteq X - I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq X - G$  and  $x \in X - G$ . Thus  $X - G$  is a decreasing (increasing) closed decreasing (increasing) neighbourhoods of  $F$  which does not contains  $x$ . Thus the intersection of all decreasing (increasing) closed decreasing (increasing) neighbourhoods of  $F$  exactly  $F$ .

(b)  $\Rightarrow$  (a). Let  $F$  be decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed and  $x \in F$ . There exists decreasing (increasing) closed decreasing (increasing) neighbourhood  $A$  of  $F$  such that  $x \notin A$ .  $A$  is decreasing (increasing) closed decreasing (increasing) neighbourhood of  $F$  implies that there exists a decreasing (increasing) open set  $V$  such that  $F \subseteq V \subseteq A$ . Now,  $x \in X - A$  which is increasing (decreasing) open and  $F \subseteq V$  which is decreasing (increasing) open such that  $V \cap X - A = \emptyset$ .

**3.10 Theorem.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is  $g$ -regularly ordered iff for every set  $A$  and every increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open set  $B$  such that  $A \cap B \neq \emptyset$ , there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  such that  $A \cap G \neq \emptyset$ ; and  $I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq B$ .

**Proof.** Let  $A \subseteq X$  and  $B$  be an increasing (decreasing)  $g$ -open such that  $A \cap B \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $x \in A \cap B$ . Then there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  such that  $x \in G \subseteq I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq B$ . Clearly,  $G \cap A \neq \emptyset$  as  $x \in G \cap A$  and  $I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq B$ .

**Conversely**, let  $F$  be a decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set and  $x \in F$ . If  $A = \{x\}$  and  $B = X - F$ , then  $A \cap B \neq \emptyset$ . There exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  such

that  $A \cap G \neq \phi$  and  $I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq B$ .  $F = X - B \subseteq X - I(G)(D(G))$ . Thus  $x \in G$ ,  $F \subseteq X - I(G)(D(G))$ ,  $G$  is an increasing (decreasing) open,  $X - I(G)(D(G))$  is decreasing (increasing) open and  $G \cap (X - I(G)(D(G))) = \phi$ .

**3.11 Theorem.** A topological ordered space  $(X, \leq, T)$  is  $g$ -regularly ordered iff for every non-empty set  $A$  and any decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set  $B$  satisfying  $A \cap B = \phi$ , there exists disjoint open sets  $G$  and  $H$  such that  $A \cap G \neq \phi$  and  $B \subseteq H$ , where  $G$  is increasing (decreasing) open and  $H$  is decreasing (increasing) open.

**Proof.**  $A \cap B = \phi \Rightarrow A \cap (X - B) \neq \phi$ . Therefore, there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  such that  $A \cap G \neq \phi$  and  $I(G)(D(G)) \subseteq X - B$ . Then  $G$  and  $H = X - I(G)(D(G))$  satisfying the required property.

**Conversely,** let  $F$  be decreasing (increasing)  $g$ -closed set and  $x \notin F$ . Put  $A = \{x\}$  and  $B = F$ . Then there exists an increasing (decreasing) open set  $G$  and decreasing (increasing) open set  $H$  such that  $A \subseteq G$ ,  $B \subseteq H$  and  $G \cap H = \phi$ . Hence  $X$  is  $g$  regularly ordered.

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