

On θ_I Kernel of a set

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ABSTRACT

In this paper we will introduce θ_I kernel of a set and give its characterizations. Also Examples are given throughout the paper.

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1.INTRODUCTION

In [2], Császár, introduced S_1 and S_2 spaces and discussed some properties of these spaces and in [3], Janković gave various characterizations of S_1 and S_2 spaces using the θ -closure of a set and θ -Kernel of a set. On the other hand separation axioms with respect to an ideal and various properties and characterizations were also discussed by many authors. Ideals in topological spaces were introduced by Kuratowski[4] and further studied by Vaidyanathaswamy[5]. Corresponding to an ideal a new topology $\tau^*(\mathfrak{I}, \tau)$ called the $*$ -topology was given which is generally finer than the original topology having the kuratowski closure operator $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(\mathfrak{I}, \tau)$ [6], where $A^*(\mathfrak{I}, \tau) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin \mathfrak{I} \text{ for every open subset } U \text{ of } x \text{ in } X\}$ called a local function of A with respect to \mathfrak{I} and τ . We will write τ^* for $\tau^*(\mathfrak{I}, \tau)$.

The following section contains some definitions and results that will be used in our further sections.

Definition 1.1.[4]: Let (X, τ) be a topological space. An ideal \mathfrak{I} on X is a collection of non-empty subsets of X such that (a) $\phi \in \mathfrak{I}$ (b) $A \in \mathfrak{I}$ and $B \in \mathfrak{I}$ implies $A \cup B \in \mathfrak{I}$ (c) $B \in \mathfrak{I}$ and $A \subset B$ implies $A \in \mathfrak{I}$.

Definition 1.2.[2]: A topological space (X, τ) is said to be S_1 space if for every pair of distinct points x and y , whenever one of them has a open set not containing the other then the other also has a open set not containing the other.

Definition 1.3.[1]: Let (X, τ, \mathfrak{I}) be an ideal space. Then for any subset A of X , a point x is said to be in the θ_I closure of A if for every open subset U of x in X , $cl^*(U) \cap A \neq \phi$. The collection of all such points is denoted by $cl_{\theta_I}(A)$. Also A is said to be θ_I closed if $cl_{\theta_I}(A) = A$.

Definition 1.4.[3]: Let (X, τ) be a topological space and $x \in X$ be any element. Then

- a) $\text{Ker}\{x\} = \bigcap \{G : G \in \tau(x)\}$, where $\tau(x)$ denotes the collection of all open subsets of x

i.e. $\text{Ker}\{x\} = \{y \in X \mid \text{cl}\{y\} \cap \{x\} \neq \phi\}$.

(b) $\text{Ker}_\theta(A) = \{x \in X \mid \text{cl}_\theta(x) \cap A \neq \phi\}$

II.RESULTS

We will begin by defining the θ -Kernel of a set.

Definition 2.1: Let (X, τ, \mathfrak{I}) be an ideal space and A be any subset of X . Then

$$\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) = \{x \in X \mid \text{cl}_{\theta_i}(x) \cap A \neq \phi\}.$$

Remark 2.2: Since, we know that $\text{cl}^*(A) \subset \text{cl}(A)$ for any subset A of X . So, by definition it is obvious that $\text{cl}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{cl}_\theta(A)$ for any subset A of X . Hence it follows that $\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_\theta(A)$ for any subset A of X . But the following Example shows that the converse is not true.

Example 2.3: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$ and $\mathfrak{I} = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and so $\tau^* = \emptyset(X)$. Then

$$\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(b) = \{b\} \text{ and } \text{Ker}_\theta(b) = \{a, b, c\}.$$

Hence $\text{Ker}_\theta(b) \not\subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(b)$.

Theorem 2.4: Let (X, τ, \mathfrak{I}) be an ideal space. Then prove that the following holds:

- For each $A \subset X$, $A \subset \text{Ker}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A)$
- If $A \subset B \subset X$ then $\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(B)$
- If $A, B \subset X$ then $\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A \cup B) = \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) \cup \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(B)$
- If X is S_1 space then prove that $\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{cl}_{\theta_i}(A)$.
- If X is S_1 space and A is any compact subset of X then $\text{cl}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A)$.

Proof: (a) Let A be any subset of X . Then $\forall x \in A$, $x \in \text{cl}\{x\}$ implies $\text{cl}\{x\} \cap A \neq \phi$.

Therefore, $A \subset \text{ker}(A)$. Also $\text{cl}\{x\} \subset \text{cl}_{\theta_i}(x)$ implies that $\text{Ker}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A)$.

Hence $A \subset \text{Ker}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A)$.

(b) Let A, B be two subsets of X such that $A \subset B$. Then $\text{cl}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{cl}_{\theta_i}(B)$ implies that $\text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(A) \subset \text{Ker}_{\theta_i}(B)$. Hence (b) holds.

(c) Let A, B be two subsets of X . Then $A \subset A \cup B$ and $B \subset A \cup B$, so by (b) $Ker_{\theta_1}(A) \subset Ker_{\theta_1}(A \cup B)$ and $Ker_{\theta_1}(B) \subset Ker_{\theta_1}(A \cup B)$. Therefore, we have $Ker_{\theta_1}(A) \cup Ker_{\theta_1}(B) \subset Ker_{\theta_1}(A \cup B)$. Conversely, let $x \in Ker_{\theta_1}(A \cup B)$ implies that $cl_{\theta_1}(x) \cap (A \cup B) \neq \phi$. So $(cl_{\theta_1}(x) \cap A) \cup (cl_{\theta_1}(x) \cap B) \neq \phi$. This implies that either $cl_{\theta_1}(x) \cap A \neq \phi$ or $cl_{\theta_1}(x) \cap B \neq \phi$ and so either $x \in Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$ or $x \in Ker_{\theta_1}(B)$.

Therefore, $x \in Ker_{\theta_1}(A) \cup Ker_{\theta_1}(B)$. Hence $Ker_{\theta_1}(A) \cup Ker_{\theta_1}(B) = Ker_{\theta_1}(A \cup B)$. Hence (c) holds.

(d) Let X be S_1 space and A be any subset of X . Let $y \notin cl_{\theta_1}(A)$. We have to prove that $y \notin Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$ i.e. we have to prove that $cl_{\theta_1}(y) \cap A = \phi$. Let $z \in A$ then we have to prove that $z \notin cl_{\theta_1}(y)$. Now $y \notin cl_{\theta_1}(A)$ implies that there exist open set U_y containing y such that $cl^*(U_y) \cap A = \phi$. Further, $z \in A$ and $cl^*(U_y) \cap A = \phi$ implies that $z \notin cl^*(U_y)$ and so $z \notin U_y$ and $z \notin U_y^*$. Now, $z \notin U_y$ implies that y has a open set U_y not containing z and so X is S_1 implies that z has a open set say U_z not containing y . And $z \notin U_y^*$ implies that there exist open set V_z containing z such that $V_z \cap U_y \in \mathfrak{I}$. Consider $H_z = U_z \cap V_z$. Then H_z is open set containing z but not y . Also $H_z \cap U_y \in \mathfrak{I}$. Therefore, $y \notin H_z$ and $y \notin H_z^*$ implies that $y \notin cl^*(H_z)$ i.e.

$cl^*(H_z) \cap \{y\} = \phi$ and so $z \notin cl_{\theta_1}(y)$. Hence $z \notin Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$.

(e): Let A be any compact subset of X and X is S_1 . We have to prove that $cl_{\theta_1}(A) \subset Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$. Let $y \notin Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$. Then $cl_{\theta_1}(y) \cap A \neq \phi$. This implies that $\forall z \in A, z \in cl_{\theta_1}(y)$ and so $\forall z \in A$ there exist U_z such that $cl^*(U_z) \cap \{y\} = \phi$. Therefore, $y \notin U_z$ and $y \notin U_z^*$. Hence $\forall z \in A$, there exist open set V_z containing y such that $V_z \cap U_z \in \mathfrak{I}$. Further, z has a open set U_z not containing y and so X is S_1 implies that y has a open set say G_z not containing z . Consider $H_z = G_z \cap V_z$. Then $\forall z \in A$ H_z is open set containing y but not z and U_z is open set containing z such that $H_z \cap U_z \in \mathfrak{I}$. Further, $A \subset \bigcup_{z \in A} U_z$ and A is compact implies that there exist finite subset A_0 of A such that $A \subset \bigcup_{z \in A_0} U_z$. Let $U = \bigcup_{z \in A_0} U_z$ and $V = \bigcap_{z \in A_0} H_z$ then

$U \cap V \in \mathfrak{I}$. Now, since $\forall z \in A, z \notin H_z$. This implies that $V \cap A = \phi$. Also $U \cap V \in \mathfrak{I}$ implies that $V^* \cap U = \phi$ and so $A \subset U$ implies that $V^* \cap A = \phi$. Hence $cl^*(V) \cap A = \phi$ implies that $y \notin cl_{\theta_1}(A)$.

Hence $cl_{\theta_1}(A) \subset Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$.

If X is S_1 and A be compact subset of X then $cl_{\theta_1}(A) = Ker_{\theta_1}(A)$.

The following Example shows that the result is not true if the space is not S_1 .

Example 2.5: Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$, $\tau = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, X\}$ and $\mathfrak{I} = \{\phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$ and so $\tau^* = \wp(X)$. Then it can be seen easily that X is not S_1 . Since, 'a' has a open set $\{a\}$ not containing 'c' but 'c' does not have any open set not containing 'a'. Also $cl_{\theta_1}(a) = \{a, c\}$ and $Ker_{\theta_1}(a) = \{a\}$ and so $cl_{\theta_1}(a) \not\subset Ker_{\theta_1}(a)$. And $cl_{\theta_1}(c) = \{c\}$ and $Ker_{\theta_1}(c) = \{a, b, c\}$ and so $Ker_{\theta_1}(c) \not\subset cl_{\theta_1}(c)$.

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