

## NEW SETS IN IDEAL NANO TOPOLOGICAL SPACES

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**ABSTRACT.** In this paper focuss on  $\star-nI_A$ -sets,  $\star-nI_\eta$ -sets and  $\star-nI_C$ -sets in ideal nano topological spaces and certain properties of these investigated. We also investigated the notion of  $R-nI$ -open sets and discussed their relationships with other forms of nano ideal sets. Further, we have given an appropriate examples to understand the abstract concepts clearly.

### 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

An ideal  $I$  [11] on a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  is a non-empty collection of subsets of  $X$  which satisfies the following conditions.

- (1)  $A \in I$  and  $B \subset A$  imply  $B \in I$  and
- (2)  $A \in I$  and  $B \in I$  imply  $A \cup B \in I$ .

Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a given topological space with an ideal  $I$  in  $X$ . If  $\wp(X)$  is the family of all subsets of  $X$ , a set operator  $(\cdot)^* : \wp(X) \rightarrow \wp(X)$ , called a local function of  $A$  with respect to  $\tau$  and  $I$  is defined as follows: for  $A \subset X$ ,

$$A^*(I, \tau) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin I \text{ for every } U \in \tau(x)\}$$

where  $\tau(x) = \{U \in \tau : x \in U\}$  [2]. The closure operator defined by  $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(I, \tau)$  [10] is a Kuratowski closure operator which generates a topology  $\tau^*(I, \tau)$  called the  $\star$ -topology finer than  $\tau$ . The topological space together with an ideal on  $X$  is called an ideal topological space or an ideal space denoted by  $(X, \tau, I)$ . We will simply write  $A^*$  for  $A^*(I, \tau)$  and  $\tau^*$  for  $\tau^*(I, \tau)$ .

In this paper focuss on  $\star-nI_A$ -sets,  $\star-nI_\eta$ -sets and  $\star-nI_C$ -sets in ideal nano topological spaces and certain properties of these investigated. We also investigated the notion of  $R-nI$ -open sets and discussed their relationships with other forms of

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nano ideal sets. Further, we have given an appropriate examples to understand the abstract concepts clearly.

DEFINITION 1.1. ([7]) Let  $U$  be a non-empty finite set of objects called the universe and  $R$  be an equivalence relation on  $U$  named as the indiscernibility relation. Elements belonging to the same equivalence class are said to be indiscernible with one another. The pair  $(U, R)$  is said to be the approximation space. Let  $X \subseteq U$ .

(1) The lower approximation of  $X$  with respect to  $R$  is the set of all objects, which can be for certain classified as  $X$  with respect to  $R$  and it is denoted by  $L_R(X)$ . That is,  $L_R(X) = \bigcup_{x \in U} \{R(x) : R(x) \subseteq X\}$ , where  $R(x)$  denotes the equivalence class determined by  $x$ .

(2) The upper approximation of  $X$  with respect to  $R$  is the set of all objects, which can be possibly classified as  $X$  with respect to  $R$  and it is denoted by  $U_R(X)$ . That is,  $U_R(X) = \bigcup_{x \in U} \{R(x) : R(x) \cap X \neq \phi\}$ .

(3) The boundary region of  $X$  with respect to  $R$  is the set of all objects, which can be classified neither as  $X$  nor as not -  $X$  with respect to  $R$  and it is denoted by  $B_R(X)$ . That is,  $B_R(X) = U_R(X) - L_R(X)$ .

DEFINITION 1.2. ([3]) Let  $U$  be the universe,  $R$  be an equivalence relation on  $U$  and  $\tau_R(X) = \{U, \phi, L_R(X), U_R(X), B_R(X)\}$  where  $X \subseteq U$ . Then  $\tau_R(X)$  satisfies the following axioms:

- (1)  $U$  and  $\phi \in \tau_R(X)$ ,
- (2) The union of the elements of any sub collection of  $\tau_R(X)$  is in  $\tau_R(X)$ ,
- (3) The intersection of the elements of any finite sub collection of  $\tau_R(X)$  is in  $\tau_R(X)$ .

Thus  $\tau_R(X)$  is a topology on  $U$  called the nano topology with respect to  $X$  and  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  is called the nano topological space. The elements of  $\tau_R(X)$  are called nano-open sets (briefly  $n$ -open sets). The complement of a  $n$ -open set is called  $n$ -closed.

A nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  with an ideal  $I$  on  $U$  is called [6] an ideal nano topological space and is denoted by  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ .  $G_n(x) = \{G_n \mid x \in G_n, G_n \in \mathcal{N}\}$ , denotes [6] the family of nano open sets containing  $x$ .

In future an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  will be simply called a space.

DEFINITION 1.3. ([5]) A subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is called  $n\star$ -closed if  $B_n^* \subseteq B$ . The complement of a  $n\star$ -closed set is said to be  $n\star$ -open.

DEFINITION 1.4. (citerns18) A subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is said to be

- (1)  $\alpha$ - $nI$ -open if  $B \subseteq n\text{-int}(n\text{-cl}^*(n\text{-int}(B)))$ .
- (2) pre- $nI$ -open if  $B \subseteq n\text{-int}(n\text{-cl}^*(B))$ .

DEFINITION 1.5. ([8]) The pre- $nI$ -closure of a subset  $B$  of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , denoted by  $nI_p\text{cl}(B)$ , is defined as the intersection of all pre- $nI$ -closed sets of  $U$  containing  $B$ .

DEFINITION 1.6. ([4]) A subset  $A$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , is called  $\text{semi}^*$ - $nI$ -open if  $B \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$ .

DEFINITION 1.7. ([9]) A subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is called a

- (1)  $t^\#$ - $nI$ -set if  $n\text{-int}(B) = n\text{-cl}^*(n\text{-int}(B))$ .
- (2) pre- $nI$ -regular if  $B$  is pre- $nI$ -open and  $t^\#$ - $nI$ -set.

DEFINITION 1.8. ([1]) A subset  $F$  of an nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  is said to be a nano locally closed set if  $F = S \cap P$  where  $S$  is an  $n$ -open set and  $P$  is a  $n$ -closed set in  $U$ .

## 2. On $\star$ - $nI_A$ -sets and $\star$ - $nI_C$ -sets

DEFINITION 2.1. A subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is said to be a

- (1)  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set if  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ .
- (2)  $\star$ - $nI_\eta$ -set if  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P$  is  $\alpha$ - $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ .
- (3)  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set if  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P = n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(P))$ .
- (4)  $nI_C^*$ -set if  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P$  is pre- $nI$ -regular set in  $U$ .

REMARK 2.1. Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal nano topological space and  $B \subseteq U$ . The following diagram holds for  $B$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} nI_C^*\text{-set} & \longrightarrow & \star\text{-}nI_C\text{-set} \\ & & \uparrow \\ \star\text{-}nI_A\text{-set} & \longrightarrow & \star\text{-}nI_\eta\text{-set} \end{array}$$

The following Examples show that these implications are not reversible.

EXAMPLE 2.1. Let  $U = \{a, b, c\}$  with  $U/R = \{\{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}\}$ ,  $X = \{a, b\}$ ,  $\mathcal{N} = \{\phi, U, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi\}$ . Then  $A = \{c\}$  is  $\star$ - $nI_\eta$ -set but not an  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set.

EXAMPLE 2.2. Let  $U = \{a, b, c, d\}$  with  $U/R = \{\{b\}, \{d\}, \{a, c\}\}$ ,  $X = \{c, d\}$ ,  $\mathcal{N} = \{\phi, U, \{d\}, \{a, c\}, \{a, c, d\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{d\}\}$ . Then  $A = \{b\}$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set but not an  $nI_C^*$ -set.

EXAMPLE 2.3. In Example 2.2. Then  $A = \{b, c\}$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set but not an  $\star$ - $nI_\eta$ -set.

THEOREM 2.1. For a subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , the following properties are equivalent.

- (1)  $B$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set and a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ .
- (2)  $B = L \cap n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$  for an  $n\star$ -open set  $S$ .

PROOF. (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Assuming that  $B$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set and semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . Since  $B$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set, then we have  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ . We have  $B \subseteq P$ , so  $n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B)) \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(P))$ . Since  $P$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ , we have  $n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(P)) \subseteq P$ . Since  $B$  is semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ , We have  $P \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$ . It follows that  $B = B \cap n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B)) = S \cap P \cap n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B)) = L \cap n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $B = S \cap n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$  for  $n\star$ -open set  $S$ . We have  $B \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$ . It follows that  $B$  is semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . Since  $n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))$  is

a closed set, then  $n-cl(n-int^*(B))$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ . Hence,  $B$  is  $\star-nI_C$ -set in  $U$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 2.2.** *For a subset  $B$  of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , the following properties are equivalent.*

- (1)  $B$  is  $\star-nI_A$ -set in  $U$ .
- (2)  $B$  is  $\star-nI_\eta$ -set and a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ .
- (3)  $B$  is  $\star-nI_C$ -set and a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ .

**PROOF.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Suppose that  $B$  is  $\star-nI_A$ -set in  $U$ . It follows that  $B = S \cap P$ , where  $S$  is  $n\star$ -open set and  $P = n-cl(n-int^*(P))$ . This implies

$$\begin{aligned} B &= S \cap P \\ &= S \cap n-cl(n-int^*(P)) \\ &= n-int^*(S) \cap n-cl(n-int^*(P)) \\ &\subseteq n-cl(n-int^*(S)) \cap n-cl(n-int^*(P)) \\ &\subseteq n-cl(n-int^*(S) \cap n-int^*(P)) \\ &= n-cl(n-int^*(S \cap P)) \\ &= n-cl(n-int^*(B)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $B \subseteq n-cl(n-int^*(B))$  and hence  $B$  is a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . Moreover, Remark 2.1,  $B$  is  $\star-nI_\eta$ -set in  $U$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): It follows from the fact that every  $\star-nI_\eta$ -set is  $\star-nI_C$ -set in  $U$  by Remark 2.1.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Suppose that  $B$  is  $\star-nI_C$ -set and a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . By Theorem 2.1,  $B = S \cap n-cl(n-int^*(B))$  for a  $n\star$ -open set  $S$ . We have

$$n-cl(n-int^*(n-cl(n-int^*(B)))) = n-cl(n-int^*(B)).$$

It follows that  $B$  is  $\star-nI_A$ -set in  $U$ .  $\square$

**DEFINITION 2.2.** A subset  $B$  of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is said to be  $\star-nI_{gp}$ -open if  $G \subseteq nI_p int(B)$  whenever  $G \subseteq B$  and  $G$  is  $n\star$ -closed set in  $U$  where

$$nI_p int(B) = B \cap n-int(n-cl^*(B)).$$

**THEOREM 2.3.** *For a subset  $B$  of a ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ ,  $B$  is  $\star-nI_{gp}$ -closed if and only if  $nI_p cl(B) \subseteq G$  whenever  $B \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $n\star$ -open set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ .*

**PROOF.** Let  $B$  be  $\star-nI_{gp}$ -closed set in  $U$ . Suppose that  $B \subseteq G$  and  $G$  is  $n\star$ -open set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ . Then  $U - B$  is  $\star-nI_{gp}$ -open and  $U - G \subseteq U - B$  where  $U - G$  is  $n\star$ -closed. Since  $U - B$  is  $\star-nI_{gp}$ -open, then we have

$$U - G \subseteq nI_p int(U - B),$$

where

$$nI_p int(U - B) = (U - B) \cap n-int(n-cl^*(U - B)).$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} (U - B) \cap n\text{-int}(n\text{-cl}^*(U - B)) &= (U - B) \cap (U - n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))) \\ &= U - (B \cup n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))), \\ \text{then by } nI_p\text{cl}(B) &= B \cup n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B)), \\ (U - B) \cap n\text{-int}(n\text{-cl}^*(U - B)) &= U - (B \cup n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(B))) \\ &= U - nI_p\text{cl}(B). \end{aligned}$$

It follows that  $nI_p\text{int}(U - B) = U - nI_p\text{cl}(B)$ . Thus  $nI_p\text{cl}(B) = U - nI_p\text{int}(U - B) \subseteq G$  and hence  $nI_p\text{cl}(B) \subseteq G$ .

The converse is similar.  $\square$

**THEOREM 2.4.** *Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal nano topological space and  $F \subseteq U$ . Then  $F$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set in  $U$  if and only if  $F = H \cap nI_p\text{cl}(F)$  for an  $n\star$ -open set  $H$  in  $U$ .*

**PROOF.** If  $F$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set, then  $F = H \cap P$  for an  $n\star$ -open set  $H$  and a pre- $nI$ -closed set  $P$ . But then  $F \subseteq P$  and so  $F \subseteq nI_p\text{cl}(F) \subseteq P$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} F &= F \cap nI_p\text{cl}(F) \\ &= H \cap P \cap nI_p\text{cl}(F) \\ &= H \cap nI_p\text{cl}(F) \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, it is enough to prove that  $nI_p\text{cl}(F)$  is a pre- $nI$ -closed set. But  $nI_p\text{cl}(F) \subseteq P$ , for any pre- $nI$ -closed set  $P$  containing  $F$ . So,  $n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(nI_p\text{cl}(F))) \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(P)) \subseteq P$ . It follows that

$$n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(nI_p\text{cl}(F))) \subseteq \cap F \subseteq P,$$

$P$  is pre- $nI$ -closed  $P = nI_p\text{cl}(F)$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 2.5.** *Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal nano topological space and  $B \subseteq U$ . The following properties are equivalent.*

- (1)  $B$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ .
- (2)  $B$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set and  $\star\text{-}nI_{gp}$ -closed set in  $U$ .

**PROOF.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): It follows from the fact that any pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set and  $\star\text{-}nI_{gp}$ -closed set in  $U$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Suppose that  $B$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set and  $\star\text{-}nI_{gp}$ -closed set in  $U$ . Since  $B$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set, then by Theorem 2.4,  $B = H \cap nI_p\text{cl}(B)$  for  $n\star$ -open set  $H$  in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ . Since  $B \subseteq H$  and  $B$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_{gp}$ -closed set in  $U$ , then  $nI_p\text{cl}(B) \subseteq H$ . It follows that  $nI_p\text{cl}(B) \subseteq H \cap nI_p\text{cl}(B) = B$ . Thus,  $B = nI_p\text{cl}(B)$  and hence  $B$  is pre- $nI$ -closed.  $\square$

**THEOREM 2.6.** *Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be a nano ideal topological space and  $B \subseteq U$ . If  $B$  is  $\star\text{-}nI_C$ -set in  $U$ , then  $nI_p\text{cl}(B) - B$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set and  $B \cup (U - nI_p\text{cl}(B))$  is pre- $nI$ -open set in  $U$ .*

PROOF. Suppose that  $B$  is  $\star$ - $nI_C$ -set in  $U$ . By Theorem 2.4, we have  $B = L \cap nI_pcl(B)$  for  $n\star$ -open set  $S$  in  $U$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} nI_pcl(B) - B &= nI_pcl(B) - (S \cap nI_pcl(B)) \\ &= nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - (S \cap nI_pcl(B))) \\ &= nI_pcl(B) \cap ((U - S) \cup (U - nI_pcl(B))) \\ &= (nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - S)) \cup (nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - nI_pcl(B))) \\ &= (nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - S)) \cup \phi \\ &= nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - S). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $nI_pcl(B) - B = nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - S)$  and hence  $nI_pcl(B) - B$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set. Moreover, since  $nI_pcl(B) - B$  is pre- $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ , then

$$U - (nI_pcl(B) - B) = (U - (nI_pcl(B) \cap (U - S))) = (U - nI_pcl(B)) \cup B$$

is pre- $nI$ -open set. Thus,

$$U - (nI_pcl(B) - B) = (U - nI_pcl(B)) \cup B$$

is pre- $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . □

### 3. On $R$ - $nI$ -open sets and $\star$ - $nI_A$ -sets

DEFINITION 3.1. A subset  $F$  of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is said to be  $R$ - $nI$ -open if  $F = n\text{-int}(n\text{-cl}^*(F))$ . The complement of  $R$ - $nI$ -open is  $R$ - $nI$ -closed.

THEOREM 3.1. For an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  and a subset  $F$  of  $U$ , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1)  $F$  is an  $R$ - $nI$ -closed set,
- (2)  $F$  is semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open and  $n$ -closed.

PROOF. (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) : Let  $F$  be an  $R$ - $nI$ -closed set in  $U$ . Then we have  $F = n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(F))$ . It follows that  $F$  is semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open and  $n$ -closed.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) : Assuming that  $F$  is a semi $\star$ - $nI$ -open set and a closed set in  $U$ . It follows that  $F \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(F))$ . Since  $F$  is  $n$ -closed, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(F)) &\subseteq n\text{-cl}(F) \\ &= F \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(F)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $F = n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(F))$  and hence  $F$  is  $R$ - $nI$ -closed. □

THEOREM 3.2. For an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  and a subset  $F$  of  $U$ , the following properties are equivalent:

- (1)  $F$  is an  $R$ - $nI$ -closed set,
- (2) There exists a  $n\star$ -open set  $S$  such that  $F = n\text{-cl}(S)$ .

PROOF. (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) : Suppose that there exists a  $n\star$ -open set  $S$  such that  $F = n-cl(S)$ . Since  $S = n-int^*(S)$ , then we have  $n-cl(S) = n-cl(n-int^*(S))$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} n-cl(n-int^*(n-cl(S))) &= n-cl(n-int^*(n-cl(n-int^*(S)))) \\ &= n-cl(n-int^*(S)) \\ &= n-cl(S). \end{aligned}$$

This implies  $F = n-cl(S) = n-cl(n-int^*(n-cl(S))) = n-cl(n-int^*(F))$ . Thus,  $F = n-cl(n-int^*(F))$  and hence  $F$  is an  $R-nI$ -closed set in  $U$ .

(1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) : Suppose that  $F$  is an  $R-nI$ -closed set in  $U$ . We have  $F = n-cl(n-int^*(F))$ . We take  $S = n-int^*(F)$ . It follows that  $S$  is a  $n\star$ -open set and  $F = n-cl(S)$ .  $\square$

**THEOREM 3.3.** For an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  and a subset  $F$  of  $U$ ,  $F$  is  $semi^*-nI$ -open if  $F = S \cap P$  where  $S$  is an  $R-nI$ -closed set and  $n-int(P)$  is a  $n\star$ -dense set.

PROOF. Suppose that  $F = S \cap P$  where  $S$  is an  $R-nI$ -closed set and  $n-int(P)$  is a  $n\star$ -dense set. Then there exists a  $n\star$ -open set  $G$  such that  $S = n-cl(G)$ . We take  $E = G \cap n-int(P)$ . It follows that  $E$  is  $n\star$ -open and  $E \subseteq F$ . Moreover, we have  $n-cl(E) = n-cl(G \cap n-int(P))$  and  $n-cl(G \cap n-int(P)) \subseteq n-cl(G)$ . Since  $n-int(P)$  is  $n\star$ -dense, then we have

$$\begin{aligned} G &= G \cap n-cl^*(n-int(P)) \\ &\subseteq n-cl^*(G \cap n-int(P)) \\ &\subseteq n-cl(G \cap n-int(P)). \end{aligned}$$

It follows that  $n-cl(G) \subseteq n-cl(G \cap n-int(P))$ . Furthermore, we have

$$\begin{aligned} n-cl(E) &= n-cl(G \cap n-int(P)) \\ &\subseteq n-cl(G) \\ &= S \subseteq n-cl(G \cap n-int(P)) \\ &= n-cl(E). \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $E \subseteq F \subseteq S = n-cl(E)$ . Hence,  $F$  is a  $semi^*-nI$ -open set in  $U$ .  $\square$

**DEFINITION 3.2.** The  $semi^*-nI$ -closure of a subset  $F$  of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , denoted by  $s_{nI}^*cl(F)$ , is defined by the intersection of all  $semi^*-nI$ -closed sets of  $U$  containing  $F$ .

**DEFINITION 3.3.** Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal topological space and  $F \subseteq U$ .  $F$  is called

(1) generalized  $semi^*-nI$ -closed ( $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed) in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  if  $s_{nI}^*cl(F) \subseteq E$  whenever  $F \subseteq E$  and  $E$  is an  $n$ -open set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ .

(2) generalized  $semi^*-nI$ -open ( $gs_{nI}^*$ -open) in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  if  $U - F$  is a  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ .

**THEOREM 3.4.** *For a subset  $F$  of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ ,  $F$  is  $gs_{nI}^*$ -open if and only if  $J \subseteq s_{nI}^*int(F)$  whenever  $J \subseteq F$  and  $J$  is a  $n$ -closed set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ , where  $s_{nI}^*int(F) = F \cap n-cl(n-int^*(F))$ .*

**PROOF.** ( $\Rightarrow$ ) : Suppose that  $F$  is a  $gs_{nI}$ -open set in  $U$ . Let  $J \subseteq F$  and  $J$  be a  $n$ -closed set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ . It follows that  $U - F$  is a  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed set and  $U - F \subseteq U - J$  where  $U - J$  is an  $n$ -open set. Since  $U - F$  is  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed, then  $s_{nI}^*cl(U - F) \subseteq U - J$ , where  $s_{nI}^*cl(U - F) = (U - F) \cup n-int(n-cl^*(U - F))$ . Since

$$\begin{aligned} (U - F) \cup n-int(n-cl^*(U - F)) &= (U - F) \cup U - n-cl(n-int^*(F)) \\ &= U - (F \cap n-cl(n-int^*(F))), \\ \text{then } (U - F) \cup n-int(n-cl^*(U - F)) &= U - (F \cap n-cl(n-int^*(F))) \\ &= U - s_{nI}^*int(F). \end{aligned}$$

It follows that  $s_{nI}^*cl(U - F) = U - s_{nI}^*int(F)$ . Thus,

$$J \subseteq U - s_{nI}^*cl(U - F) = s_{nI}^*int(F)$$

and hence  $J \subseteq s_{nI}^*int(F)$ .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) : The converse is similar.  $\square$

**THEOREM 3.5.** *Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal nano topological space and  $F \subseteq U$ . The following properties are equivalent:*

- (1)  $F$  is an  $R$ - $nI$ -open set,
- (2)  $F$  is open and  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed.

**PROOF.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2) : Let  $F$  be an  $R$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ . Then we have  $F = n-int(n-cl^*(F))$ . It follows that  $F$  is open and  $semi^*$ - $nI$ -closed in  $U$ . Thus,  $s_{nI}^*cl(F) \subseteq L$  whenever  $F \subseteq L$  and  $L$  is an open set in  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ . Hence,  $F$  is a  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed set in  $U$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1) : Let  $F$  be  $n$ -open and  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed in  $U$ . We have  $F \subseteq n-int(n-cl^*(F))$ . Since  $F$  is  $gs_{nI}^*$ -closed and  $n$ -open, then we have  $s_{nI}^*cl(F) \subseteq F$ . Since  $s_{nI}^*cl(F) = F \cup n-int(n-cl^*(F))$ , then  $s_{nI}^*cl(F) = F \cup n-int(n-cl^*(F)) \subseteq F$ . Thus,  $n-int(n-cl^*(F)) \subseteq F$  and  $F \subseteq n-int(n-cl^*(F))$ . Hence,  $F = n-int(n-cl^*(F))$  and  $F$  is an  $R$ - $nI$ -open set in  $U$ .  $\square$

**REMARK 3.1.** Any  $n$ -open set and any  $R$ - $nI$ -closed set in  $U$  is an  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set in  $U$ . The reverse of this implication is not true in general as shown in the following example.

**EXAMPLE 3.1.** In Example 2.2. Then the set  $A = \{b, d\}$  is an  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set but it is not  $n$ -open. The set  $B = \{d\}$  is an  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set but it is not  $R$ - $nI$ -closed.

**REMARK 3.2.** Any  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set is a nano locally closed set in  $U$ . The reverse implication is not true in general as shown in the following Example.

**EXAMPLE 3.2.** In Example 2.1, then the set  $A = \{c\}$  is nano locally closed but it is not an  $\star$ - $nI_A$ -set.



**THEOREM 3.6.** *Let  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  be an ideal nano topological space,  $E \subseteq U$  and  $F \subseteq U$ . If  $E$  is a  $\text{semi}^* \text{-}nI$ -open set and  $F$  is an  $n$ -open set, then  $E \cap F$  is  $\text{semi}^* \text{-}nI$ -open.*

**PROOF.** Suppose that  $E$  is a  $\text{semi}^* \text{-}nI$ -open set and  $F$  is an  $n$ -open set in  $U$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} E \cap F &\subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(E)) \cap F \\ &\subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(E) \cap F) \\ &= n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(E \cap F)). \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $E \cap F \subseteq n\text{-cl}(n\text{-int}^*(E \cap F))$  and hence,  $E \cap F$  is a  $\text{semi}^* \text{-}nI$ -open set in  $U$ .  $\square$

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