# Semi generalization of δI\*-closed sets in ideal topological space

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#### Abstract

In this paper we introduce the notion of semi generalized  $\delta I^*$ -closed sets or  $gs\delta I^*$ closed sets using semi open sets and investigate its basic properties and characterizations in an ideal topological space. This class of sets is properly lies between the class of  $\delta I^*$ -closed sets and the class of g-closed sets. Also, study the relationship with various existing closed sets in ideal topological spaces. Moreover, we introduce and study the concept of maximal  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed sets.

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### **1. Introduction and Preliminaries**

An ideal I is a non-empty collection of subsets of X which satisfies: (i) A \in I and B  $\subseteq$  A implies B  $\in$  I, and (ii) A \in I and B  $\in$  I implies A  $\cup$  B  $\in$  I. Given a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  with an ideal I on X called ideal topological space denoted by  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Kuratowski [5] and vaidhyanathaswamy [18] was studied the notion of ideal topological spaces, J. Dontchev, M. Ganster [3], Navaneethakrishnan, P. Paulraj Joseph [13], D. Jankovic, T. R. Hamlett [4], M. N. Mukherjee, R. Bishwambhar, R. Sen [10], A. A. Nasef, R. A. Mahmond [12] etc., were investigated applications to various fields of ideal topology. If P(X) is the collection of all subsets of X a set operator (.)\*: P(X) $\rightarrow$  P(X) called a local function [5] for any subset A of X with respect to I and  $\tau$ is defined as,  $A^*(I, \tau) = \{x \in X : U \cap A \notin I \text{ for every } U \in \tau(x)\}$ , where  $\tau(x) = \{U \in \tau / I \}$  $x \in U$ . A kuratowski closure operator cl\*(A) for a topology  $\tau^*(I, \tau)$  called \*topology finer than  $\tau$  is defined by  $cl^*(A) = A \cup A^*(I, \tau)$ . A subset A of X is said to be  $\delta$ -closed [19] set if  $cl_{\delta}(A) = A$ , where  $cl_{\delta}(A) = \{x \in X: Int(cl(U)) \cap A \neq \phi, \text{ for every } U\}$  $\in \tau(x)$ . The complement of  $\delta$ -closed set is  $\delta$ -open set. A subset A subset A of a space (X,  $\tau$ ) is an  $\alpha$ -open [14] (resp. semi open [7]) set if A  $\subset$  int(cl(int(A))) (resp. A  $\subset$ cl(int(A))). The complement of a semi open (resp. $\alpha$ -open) set is called a semi closed (resp.α-open).

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $(X,\tau)$  be a topological space. A subset A of X is said to be

(i) a generalized closed (briefly, g-closed) set [6] if  $cl(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is open in  $(X, \tau)$ .

(ii) a generalized semi closed (briefly, gs-closed) set [1] if  $scl(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is open set in  $(X, \tau)$ .

(iii) a semi-generalized closed (briefly, sg-closed) set [2] if  $scl(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is semi open set in  $(X, \tau)$ .

(iv)an $\alpha$ -generalized closed (briefly, $\alpha$ g-closed) se [8]t if  $\alpha$ cl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is open in (X,  $\tau$ ).

(v) a generalized  $\alpha$ -closed (briefly, g $\alpha$ -closed) set [9] if  $\alpha$ cl(A)  $\subset$  U whenever A  $\subset$  U and U is  $\alpha$ -open in (X,  $\tau$ ).

(vi)  $a\hat{g}$  (or) w-closed set [20] if  $cl(A) \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is semi open set in  $(X, \tau)$ .

**Definition 1.2.** [21] Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal topological space. A subset A of X is said to be an I<sub>g</sub>-closed set if  $A^* \subset U$  whenever  $A \subset U$  and U is open in X.

**Definition 1.3.** [21] Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal topological space, A a subset of X and x is a point of X. Then

(1) x is called a  $\delta$ -I-cluster point of A if A  $\cap$ int(cl\*(U))  $\neq \phi$ , for each open neighborhood U of x.

(2) the family of all  $\delta$ -I-cluster points of A is called the  $\delta$ -I-closure of A and is denoted by [A]  $_{\delta$ -I.

(3) a subset A is said to be  $\delta$ -I-closed if  $[A]_{\delta-I} = A$ . The complement of a  $\delta$ -I-closed set of X is said to be  $\delta$ -I-open.

**Lemma 1.4.** [21] Let A and B be subsets of an ideal topological space  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Then, the following properties hold.

 $(1) A \subset [A]_{\delta-I}.$ 

(2) If  $A \subset B$ , then  $[A]_{\delta - I} \subset [B]_{\delta - I}$ .

(3)  $[A]_{\delta - I} = \cap \{F \subset X / A \subset F \text{ and } F \text{ is } \delta \text{-I-closed}\}.$ 

(4) If  $A_{\alpha}$  is  $\delta$ -I-closed set of Xs for each  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $\cap \{A_{\alpha} / \alpha \in \Delta\}$  is  $\delta$ -I-closed.

(5) [A] $_{\delta-I}$  is  $\delta$ -I-closed.

**Lemma 1.5.** [21] Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal topological space and  $\tau_{\delta-I} = \{A \subset X / A \text{ is } \delta\text{-I-open subset of } (X, \tau, I)\}$ . Then  $\tau_{\delta-I}$  is a topology such that  $\tau_S \subset \tau_{\delta-I} \subset \tau$ , where  $\tau_S$  is the collection of

δ-open sets.

**Definition 1.6.** [16] Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal topological space and A a subset of X. Then  $[A]^*(I, \tau) = \{x \in X: int[U]_{\delta - I} \cap A \neq \phi \text{ for every } U \in \tau(x)\}$  is called local  $\delta I$ -closure function of A with respect to the ideal I and topology  $\tau$ , where  $\tau(x) = \{U \in \tau / x \in U\}$ . A subset A is said to be  $\delta I$ -closed if  $[A]^* = A$ . The complement of  $\delta I$ -closed set is called  $\delta I$ -open set.

**Remark 1.7.**[16] Always, (i) [A]\* is closed, (ii)  $[\phi]^* = \phi$  and  $[X]^* = X$ , (iii)  $A \subseteq [A]^*$ .

**Lemma.1.8.** [16] Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal topological space and A, B subsets of X. Then for local  $\delta$ I-closure functions the following properties hold.

(i) If  $A \subseteq B$  then  $[A]^* \subseteq [B]^*$ . (ii)  $[A \cup B]^* = [A]^* \cup [B]^*$ . (iii)  $[A \cap B]^* \subseteq [A]^* \cap [B]^*$ . (iv)  $[[A]^*]^* = [A]^*$ .

**Lemma 1.9.**[16] (i)  $cl(A) \subseteq [A]^*$ , (ii)  $A^* \subseteq [A]^*$ , (iii)  $cl_{\delta}(A) \subseteq [A]^*$ , (iv)  $[A]_{\delta-I} \subseteq [A]^*$ . **Definition 1.10.** [17] A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$  is called  $g\delta I^*$ -closed if  $[A]^* \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is open in  $(X, \tau, I)$ . The complement of a  $g\delta I^*$ -closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$  is called  $g\delta I^*$  open set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

## 2. gs<sub>8</sub>I\*- closed Sets

In this section we introduce  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed sets and discuss the relationship with some existing sets.

**Definition 2.1.** A subset A of an ideal topological space  $(X, \tau, I)$  is called  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed if  $[A]^* \subseteq U$  whenever  $A \subseteq U$  and U is semi open set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ . The complement of  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ , is called  $gs\delta I^*$ -open set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Theorem 2.2.** EveryδI\*-closed set is gsδI\*-closed.

**Proof.** Let A be any  $\delta I^*$ -closed set and U be any semi open set containing A. Since A is  $\delta I^*$ -closed,  $[A]^* = A$ . Therefore, A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Remark 2.3.** The converse of the above Theorem 2.2 is need not be true as shown in the following Example 2.4.

**Example 2.4.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c\}, \{b, c, d\}\}, I = \{\phi, \{d\}\}.$  Let  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ . Then, A is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed but not  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem 2.5.** In an ideal topological space  $(X, \tau, I)$ , every  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set is (i)  $\hat{g}$  -closed set in  $(X, \tau)$ .

(ii) g-closed (resp.  $g\alpha$ ,  $\alpha g$ , sg, gs) -closed set in (X,  $\tau$ ).

(iii)  $I_g$  -closed set in (X,  $\tau$ , I).

**Proof.** (i) Let A be a gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set and U be any semi open set in  $(X, \tau, I)$  containing A. Since A is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed,  $[A]^* \subseteq U$ . Then  $cl(A) \subseteq U$  and hence A is  $\hat{g}$ -closed in  $(X, \tau, I)$ , by Lemma 1.9.

(ii) By [20], every  $\hat{g}$ -closed set is g-closed (resp. ga-closed, ag-closed, sg-closed, gs-closed) set in (X,  $\tau$ , I). Therefore, it holds.

(iii) Since every g-closed set is Ig-closed, it holds.

**Remark 2.6.** The following Example 2.7 shows that, the converse of the above Theorem 2.5 (i) is not always true.

**Example 2.7.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{b\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{c, d\}$ . Then A is  $\hat{g}$ -closed set but not  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Remark 2.8.** The following Examples shows that, the converse of Theorem 2.5 (ii) is not true.

**Example 2.9.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{b, c,\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{d\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{d\}$ . Then A is g-closed,  $\alpha$ g-closed,  $\alpha$ g-closed but not  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Example 2.10.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{a\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{a, b\}$ . Then A is gs-closed and sg-closed but not gs $\delta I^*$  closed.

**Remark 2.11.** The following Example 2.12 shows that, the converse of Theorem 2.5 (iii) is not always true.

**Example 2.12.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$ ,  $\tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, d\}\}$ and  $I = \{\phi, \{b\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{b\}$ . Then A is Ig -closed but not gs $\delta I^*$ -closed.

# 3. Characterizations

In this section we study some of the basic properties and characterizations of  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed sets.

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space and A a subset of X. Then  $[A]^*$  is semi closed.

**Proof**. By Remark 1.7, [A]\* is closed and hence it is semi closed.

**Theorem 3.2.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space and  $A \subseteq X$ . If  $A \subseteq B \subseteq [A]^*$ , then  $[A]^* = [B]^*$ .

**Proof.** Since  $A \subseteq B$ ,  $[A]^* \subseteq [B]^*$  and since  $B \subseteq [A]^*$ ,  $[B]^* \subseteq [[A]^*]^* = [A]^*$ , By Lemma 1.8 and Lemma 1.9. Therefore,  $[A]^* = [B]^*$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space. Then  $[A]^*$  is always  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed for every subset A of X.

**Proof.** Let  $[A]^* \subseteq U$ , where U is semi open. Always,  $[[A]^*]^* = [A]^*$ . Hence  $[A]^*$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem 3.4.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space and  $A \subseteq X$ . If sker(A) is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed, then A is also gs $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Proof.** Suppose that, sker(A) is a  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set. If  $A \subseteq U$  and U is semi open, then  $sker(A) \subseteq U$ . Since sker(A) is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed,  $[sker(A)]^* \subseteq U$ . Always,  $[A]^* \subseteq [sker(A)]^*$ . Thus, A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

The following Example 3.5 shows that, the converse of the above Theorem 3.4 is not always hold.

**Example 3.5.** In Example 2.12, let  $A = \{a, b\}$ . Then A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed. But,  $sker(A) = \{a, b, c\}$  is not  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem 3.6.** If A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed subset in  $(X, \tau, I)$ , then  $[A]^* - A$  does not contain any nonempty closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Proof.** Let F be any closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$  such that  $F \subseteq [A]^* - A$  then  $A \subseteq X - F$  and X - F is open and hence semiopen in  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Since A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed,  $[A]^*\subseteq X - F$ . Hence,  $F \subseteq X - [A]^*$ . Therefore,  $F \subseteq ([A]^* - A) \cap (X - [A]^*) = \phi$ .

**Remark 3.7.** The converse of the above Theorem 3.6 is not always true as shown in the following Example 3.8.

**Example 3.8.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{c\}, \{d\}, \{c, d\}\}$ . Let  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ . Then  $[A]^* - A = X - \{a, b, c\} = \{d\}$  does not contain any nonempty closed set. But A is not a gs $\delta I^*$ -closed subset of  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Theorem 3.9.** For a subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$ , cl(A) - A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed if and only if  $A \cup (X - cl(A))$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open.

**Proof.** Necessity - Let F = cl(A) - A. By hypothesis, F is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed and  $X - F = X \cap (X - F) = X \cap (X - (cl(A) - A)) = A \cup (X - cl(A))$ . Since X - F is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open,  $A \cup (X - cl(A))$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open.

Sufficiency-Let  $U = A \cup (X - cl(A))$ . By hypothesis, U is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open. Then X - U is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed and  $X - U = X - (A \cup (X - cl(A))) = cl(A) \cap (X - A) = cl(A) - A$ . Hence proved.

**Theorem 3.10.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space. Then every subset of X is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed if and only if every semiopen subset of X is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Proof.** Necessity - Suppose every subset of X is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed. If U is a semiopen subset of X, then U is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed and so  $[U]^* = U$ . Hence, U is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

Sufficiency - Suppose  $A \subseteq U$  and U is semiopen. By hypothesis, U is  $\delta I^*$ -closed. Therefore,  $[A]^* \subseteq [U]^* = U$  and hence A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem 3.11.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space. If every subset of X is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed, then every open subset of X is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Proof.** Suppose every subset of X is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed. If U is an open subset of X, then U is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed and so  $[U]^* \subseteq U$ , since every open set is semiopen. Hence, U is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem 3.12.** Intersection of a  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set and  $a\delta I^*$ -closed set is always  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Proof.** Let A be a gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set and G be any  $\delta I^*$ -closed set of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Suppose  $A \cap G \subseteq U$  and U is semiopen set in X. Then,  $A \subseteq U \cup (X - G)$ . Now, X - G is  $\delta I^*$ -open and hence open and so semiopen set. Therefore,  $U \cup (X - G)$  is a semiopen set containing A. But A is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed and therefore,  $[A]^* \subseteq U \cup (X - G)$ .

Therefore,  $[A]^* \cap G \subseteq U$  which implies that,  $[A \cap G]^* \subseteq U$ . Hence,  $A \cap G$  is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem3.13.** In an ideal space (X,  $\tau$ , I), for each  $x \in X$ , either  $\{x\}$  is semiclosed or  $\{x\}^c$  is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Proof.** Suppose that  $\{x\}$  is not a semiclosed set, then  $\{x\}^c$  is not a semiopen set and hence X is the only semiopen set containing  $\{x\}^c$ . Therefore,  $[\{x\}^c] *\subseteq X$  and hence  $\{x\}^c$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Theorem 3.14.** Every  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed, semiopen set is  $\delta I^*$ -closed. **Proof.** Let A be a  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed, semiopen set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Since A is semiopen such that  $A \subseteq A$ , by hypothesis,  $[A]^* \subseteq A$ . Thus, A is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Corollary 3.15.** Every  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed; open set is  $\delta I^*$ -closed set.

**Theorem 3.16.** If A and B are  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed sets in an ideal topological space (X,  $\tau$ , I), then  $A \cup B$  is a  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set in (X,  $\tau$ , I).

**Proof.** Suppose that  $A \cup B \subseteq U$ , where U is semi open set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ . Then  $A \subseteq U$  and  $B \subseteq U$ . Since A and B are gs $\delta I^*$ -closed sets in  $(X, \tau, I)$ ,  $[A]^* \subseteq U$  and  $[B]^* \subseteq U$ . Always,  $[A \cup B]^* = [A]^* \cup [B]^*$ . Therefore,  $[A \cup B]^* \subseteq U$ , whenever U is semi open. Hence,  $A \cup B$  is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set in  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Theorem 3.17.** Let  $(X, \tau, I)$  be an ideal space. If A is a gs $\delta I^*$ -closed subset of X and A  $\subseteq B \subseteq [A]^*$ , then B is also gs $\delta I^*$ -closed. **Proof.** The proof is clear.

**Theorem 3.18.** A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed if and only if  $[A]^* \subseteq sker(A)$ .

**Proof.** Necessity - Suppose A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed and  $x \in [A]^*$ . If  $x \notin sker(A)$ , then there exist a semiopen set U such that  $A \subseteq U$  but  $x \notin U$ . Since A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed,  $[A]^* \subseteq U$  and so  $x \notin [A]^*$ , a contradiction. Therefore,  $[A]^* \subset sker(A)$ .

Sufficiency - Suppose that  $[A]^* \subseteq$  sker(A). If  $A \subseteq U$  and U is semiopen then sker(A)  $\subseteq$  U and so  $[A]^* \subseteq U$ . Therefore, A is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed.

**Theorem3.19.** Let A be a semi $\wedge$  - set of an ideal space (X,  $\tau$ , I). Then A is gs $\delta$ I\*-closed if and only if A is  $\delta$ I\*-closed.

**Proof.** Necessity - Suppose A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed. Then by Theorem 3.18,  $[A]^* \subseteq sker(A) = A$ , since A is semi $\wedge$  - set. Therefore, A is  $\delta I^*$ -closed.

Sufficiency - The proof is follows from the Theorem 2.2.

**Definition 3.20.** A proper nonempty  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed subset A of an ideal space (X,  $\tau$ , I) is said to be maximal  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed if any  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set containing A is either X or A.

**Example 3.21.** Let  $X = \{a, b, c, d\}, \tau = \{X, \phi, \{b\}, \{c, d\}, \{b, c, d\}\}$  and  $I = \{\phi, \{d\}\}$ . Then  $\{a, b, c\}$  is a maximal gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set.

**Theorem 3.22.** In an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$ , the following are true.

(i) Let F be a maximal gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set and G be a gs $\delta I^*$ -closed set. Then  $F \cup G = X$  or  $G \subseteq F$ .

(ii) Let F and G be maximal  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed sets. Then  $F \cup G = X$  or F = G.

**Proof.** (i)Let F be a maximal  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set and G be a  $gs\delta I^*$ -closed set. If  $F \cup G = X$ , then there is nothing to prove. Assume that,  $F \cup G \neq X$ . Now,  $F \subseteq F \cup G$ . By Theorem 3.16,  $F \cup G$ 

is a gs $\delta$ I\*-closed set. Since F is maximal gs $\delta$ I\*-closed, we have  $F \cup G = X$  or  $F \cup G = F$ . F. Hence,  $F \cup G = F$  and so  $G \subseteq F$ .

(ii) Let F and G be maximal gs $\delta I^*$ -closed sets. If  $F \cup G = X$ , then there is nothing to prove. Assume that,  $F \cup G \neq X$ . Then by (i),  $F \subseteq G$  and  $G \subseteq F$ , which implies that, F = G.

**Theorem 3.23.** A subset A of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$  is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open if and only if  $F \subseteq [A]_{int}^*$  whenever F is semiclosed and  $F \subseteq A$ .

**Proof.** Necessity - Suppose A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open and F be a semiclosed set contained in A. Then  $X - A \subseteq X - F$  and hence  $[X - A]^* \subseteq X - F$ . Thus,  $F \subseteq X - [X - A]^* = [A]_{int}^*$ .

Sufficiency - Suppose  $X - A \subseteq U$ , where U is semiopen. Then  $X - U \subseteq A$  and X - U is semiclosed. Then  $X - U \subseteq [A]_{int}^*$ , which implies  $[X - A]^* \subseteq U$ . Therefore, X - A is gs $\delta I^*$ -closed and hence A is gs $\delta I^*$ -open.

**Theorem 3.24.** If A is a gs $\delta I^*$ -open subset of an ideal space  $(X, \tau, I)$  and  $[A]_{int}^* \subseteq B \subseteq A$ . Then B is also a gs $\delta I^*$ -open subset of  $(X, \tau, I)$ .

**Proof.** Suppose  $F \subseteq B$ , where F is semiclosed set. Then,  $F \subseteq A$ . Since A is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open,  $F \subseteq [A]_{int}^*$ . Since  $[A]_{int}^* \subseteq [B]_{int}^*$ , we have  $F \subseteq [B]_{int}^*$ . By the above Theorem 3.23, B is  $gs\delta I^*$ -open.

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