

ON $RN\delta P$ -OPEN SETS

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ABSTRACT. The aim of this paper is to introduce a new class of sets called $rn\delta p$ -open sets in nano topological spaces. we characterize these sets and study some of their fundamental properties. Also, we introduce and study the notion of $rn\delta p$ -continuity.

1. INTRODUCTION

M.L. Thivagar and C. Richard [6] initiated the study of nano topological spaces with respect to a subset Y of a universe which is defined in terms of lower approximation, upper approximation, and boundary regions. They have also defined nano-closed sets, nano-interior and nano-closure. Recently, S.Parimala et.al., introduced the class of sets, namely nano δ -open, nano δ -preopen, nano δ -semiopen, nano $\delta\alpha$ -open sets in nano topological spaces. In this paper, we introduce and study a new class of sets called $rn\delta p$ -open sets. Also, some properties of $rn\delta p$ -continuous functions are obtained.

Throughout this paper, $(U, \tau_R(X), (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ (or simply U, V) represent nano topological spaces on which no separation axioms are assumed unless explicitly stated and $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ denotes a function f of a NTS space U

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into a NTS V . Let $M \subseteq U$, then $Ncl(M) = \cap \{F: M \subseteq F \text{ and } F^c \in \tau_R(X)\}$ is the nano closure of M and $Nint(M) = \cup \{O: O \subseteq M \text{ and } O \in \tau_R(X)\}$ is the nano interior of M .

2. PRELIMINARIES

Definition 2.1. [5] 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. The pair (U, R) is said to be the approximation space. Let $Y \subseteq U$.

- (i) The lower approximation of Y with respect to R is $L_R(Y) = \cup_{y \in U} \{R(y): R(y) \subseteq Y\}$ where $R(y)$ denotes the equivalence class determined by $y \in U$.
- (ii) The upper approximation of Y with respect to R is $H_R(Y) = \cup_{y \in U} \{R(y): R(y) \cap Y \neq \emptyset\}$.
- (iii) The boundary region of Y with respect to R is $B_R(Y) = H_R(Y) - L_R(Y)$.

Definition 2.2. [6] Let U be the universe and R be an equivalence relation on U . Let $Y \subseteq U$. Let $\tau_R(Y) = N^T = \{U, \emptyset, L_R(Y), H_R(Y), B_R(Y)\}$ is called the nano topology on U . The pair (U, N^T) is called nano topological space (briefly, NTS).

Elements of the nano topology N^T are known as the nano open sets and the relative complements of nano open sets are called nano closed sets.

Definition 2.3. [1, 3, 6] Let (U, N^T) be a NTS and $M_1 \subseteq U$, then M_1 is said to be:

- (i) nano regular open if $M_1 = Nint(Ncl(M_1))$;
- (ii) nano δ -open if $M_1 = Nint_\delta(M_1)$ where $Nint_\delta(M_1) = \cup \{B: B \text{ is a nano regular open and } B \subseteq M_1\}$;
- (iii) nano δ -preopen if $M_1 \subseteq Nint(Ncl_\delta(M_1))$;
- (iv) nano δ -semiopen if $M_1 \subseteq Nint(Ncl_\delta(M_1))$;
- (v) nano $\delta\alpha$ -open if $M_1 \subseteq Nint(Ncl(Nint_\delta(M_1)))$;
- (vi) nano e -open if $M_1 \subseteq Ncl(Nint_\delta(M_1)) \cup Nint(Ncl_\delta(M_1))$.

The complements of the above respective open sets are their respective closed sets.

The class of nano δ -preopen (resp., nano δ -semiopen, nano e -open, nano δ -open) sets of (U, N^T) is denoted by $N\delta PO(U)$ (resp., $N\delta SO(U)$, $NEO(U)$ and $N\delta O(U)$) and the class of nano δ -preclosed (resp., nano δ -semiclosed, nano e -closed, nano δ -closed) sets of (U, N^T) is denoted by $N\delta PC(U)$ (resp., $N\delta SC(U)$, $NEC(U)$ and $N\delta C(U)$).

Definition 2.4. [1, 3] If (U, N^T) is a NTS and $M \subseteq U$, then the nano δ -pre (resp., nano δ -semi, nano δ -, nano e -) interior of M is the union of all $N\delta PO(U)$ (resp., $N\delta SO(U)$, $N\delta O(U)$ and $NEO(U)$) sets contained in M and denoted by $Nint_{\delta p}(M)$ (resp., $Nint_{\delta s}(M)$, $Nint_{\delta}(M)$ and $Nint_e(M)$) and the nano δ -pre (resp., nano δ -semi, nano δ -, nano e -) closure of M is the intersection of all $N\delta PC(U)$ (resp., $N\delta SC(U)$, $N\delta C(U)$ and $NEC(U)$) sets containing M and denoted by $Ncl_{\delta p}(M)$ (resp., $Ncl_{\delta s}(M)$, $Ncl_{\delta}(M)$ and $Ncl_e(M)$).

Lemma 2.1. [1] Let M be a subset of a NTS (U, N^T) , then:

- (i) $Ncl_{\delta p}(M) = M \cup Ncl(Nint_{\delta}(M))$ and $Nint_{\delta p}(M) = M \cup Nint(Ncl_{\delta}(M))$.
- (ii) $Ncl_{\delta s}(M) = M \cup Nint(Ncl_{\delta}(M))$ and $Nint_{\delta s}(M) = M \cup Ncl(Nint_{\delta}(M))$.
- (iii) $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M)) = Ncl_{\delta p}(M) \cap Nint(Ncl_{\delta}(M))$.

Lemma 2.2. Let M be a subset of a NTS (U, N^T) , then $Ncl_e(M) = Ncl_{\delta p}(M) \cap Ncl_{\delta s}(M)$.

Definition 2.5. [4] In a NTS (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$. Then M is said to be a nano δ -dense set if $Ncl_{\delta}(M) = U$.

Definition 2.6. [4] A NTS (U, N^T) is said to be nano δ -submaximal if every nano δ -dense subset of U is nano δ -open.

Definition 2.7. [2] A function $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ is called nano δ -precontinuous if $f^{-1}(K)$ is nano δ -preopen in $(U, \tau_R(X))$ for every $K \in \tau_R^*(Y)$.

3. REGULAR NANO δ -PREOPEN SETS

Definition 3.1. Let (U, N^T) be a NTS. Then a set $H \subseteq U$ is said to be:

- (1) regular nano δ -preopen (briefly, $rn\delta p$ -open) if $H = Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(H))$;
- (2) regular nano δ -preclosed (briefly, $rn\delta p$ -closed) if $H = Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(H))$.

The class of $rn\delta p$ -open (resp., $rn\delta p$ -closed) sets of (U, N^T) will be denoted by $RN_{\delta p}O(U)$ (resp., $RN_{\delta p}C(U)$).

Theorem 3.1. In a NTS (U, N^T) , let $M_1, M_2 \subseteq U$. If $M_1 \subseteq M_2$ then $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_2))$.

Proof. Obvious. □

Theorem 3.2. For a subset M_1 of a NTS (U, N^T) , the following properties hold:

- (i) $M_1 \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1))$ if M_1 is nano δ -preopen.
- (ii) $Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)) \subseteq M_1$ if M_1 is nano δ -preclosed.
- (iii) $Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed if M_1 is nano δ -preopen.
- (iv) $Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)$ is $rn\delta p$ -open if M_1 is nano δ -preclosed.

Proof.

- (i) As $M_1 \subseteq Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)$ and M_1 is nano δ -preopen, then $M_1 \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1))$.
- (ii) Since $Nint_{\delta p}(M_1) \subseteq M_1$ and M_1 is nano δ -preclosed, then $Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)) \subseteq M_1$.
- (iii) Suppose that M_1 is nano δ -preopen.
By (i), we have $Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1))) \supseteq Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)$. On the other hand, $Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1) \supseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1))$. So that $Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1) \supseteq Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)))$. Therefore $Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1))) = Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)$.
- (iv) Suppose that M_1 is nano δ -preclosed.
By (ii), we have $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1))) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)$. On the other hand, we have $Nint_{\delta p}(M_1) \subseteq Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1))$. So that $Nint_{\delta p}(M_1) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)))$. Therefore $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M_1))) = Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)$. Thus $Nint_{\delta p}(M_1)$ is $rn\delta p$ -open. $\square$

Theorem 3.3. In a NTS (U, N^T) and let $M \subseteq U$. Then:

- (i) $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))$ is $rn\delta p$ -open.
- (ii) $Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(M))$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed.

Proof. (i) We have $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M)))) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))) = Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))$ and $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M)))) \supseteq Nint_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))) = Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))$. Therefore $Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M)))) = Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M))$. $\square$

Theorem 3.4. Let (U, N^T) be a NTS, then the following properties hold:

- (i) Every $rn\delta p$ -open set is nano δ -preopen.
- (ii) Every $rn\delta p$ -open set is nano e -open.
- (iii) Every $rn\delta p$ -open set is nano e -closed.

Proof.

- (i) Let M_1 be $rn\delta p$ -open, then

$$M_1 = Nint_{\delta p}(Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1)) = Ncl_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap Nint(Ncl_{\delta}(M_1)) \subseteq Nint(Ncl_{\delta}(M_1)).$$

Hence M_1 is nano δ -preopen.

(ii) Let M_1 be rn δ p-open, then

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) = \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \\ &\subseteq \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \subseteq \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \cup \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M_1)). \end{aligned}$$

Hence M_1 is nano e-open.

(iii) Suppose that M_1 is rn δ p-open, then

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) \\ &= \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \\ &= [M_1 \cup \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M_1))] \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \\ &= [M_1 \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1))] \cup [\text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M_1)) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1))] \end{aligned}$$

As M_1 is nano δ -preopen, then

$$M_1 = M_1 \cup [\text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M_1)) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1))] = \text{Ncl}_e(M_1).$$

Hence M_1 is nano e-closed.

The converse inclusions in Theorem 3.4 may not hold as shown by the following example. $\square$

Example 1. Let $U = \{b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4, b_5\}$ with $U \setminus R = \{\{b_1, b_3\}, \{b_2\}, \{b_4\}, \{b_5\}\}$ and let $X = \{b_1, b_4, b_5\}$, $N^T = \{U, \phi, \{b_4, b_5\}, \{b_1, b_3, b_4, b_5\}, \{b_1, b_3\}\}$. Then $\{b_1b_3, b_4, b_5\}$ is nano δ -preopen(hence nano e-open) but not rn δ p-open and $\{b_2\}$ is nano e-closed but not rn δ p-open.

Lemma 3.1. In a NTS (U, N^T) and let $M \subseteq U$ be nano regular open. Then $M = \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}(M)) = \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M))$.

Theorem 3.5. In a NTS (U, N^T) , every nano regular open set is rn δ p-open.

Proof. Let M_1 be a nano regular open set, then by Lemmas 2.1 and 2.2, we have $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) = \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) = \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap M_1 = M_1$. Hence M_1 is rn δ p-open.

Converse of the above theorem need not be true as shown by the following example. $\square$

Example 2. In Example 1, the set $\{b_1\}$ is rn δ p-open but it is not nano regular open.

Theorem 3.6. Let M_1 be a nano δ -preclosed subset of a NTS (U, N^T) . Then following statements are equivalent:

- (1) M_1 is nano δ -preopen;
- (2) M_1 is rn δ p-open.

Proof.

(1)→(2): By (1), $M_1 = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(M_1)$ and, by hypothesis, $M = \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)$. Therefore, $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(M_1) = M_1$.

(2)→(1): Obvious from Theorem 3.4(i). $\square$

Remark 3.1. The class of $rn\delta p$ -open sets is not closed under finite union as well as finite intersection. It will be shown in the following example.

Example 3. In Example 1, $\{b_1, b_3\}$ and $\{b_4, b_5\}$ are $rn\delta p$ -open sets but $\{b_1, b_3\} \cup \{b_4, b_5\} = \{b_1, b_3, b_4, b_5\} \notin RN\delta P(U)$. Moreover, $\{b_1, b_2, b_4\}$ and $\{b_1, b_2, b_5\}$ are $rn\delta p$ -open sets but $\{b_1, b_2, b_4\} \cap \{b_1, b_2, b_5\} = \{b_1, b_2\} \notin RN\delta P(U)$.

Theorem 3.7. In a nano δ -partition space (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$. Then the following are equivalent:

- (1) M is nano δ -preopen;
- (2) M is $rn\delta p$ -open.

Remark 3.2. In a nano δ -partition space (U, N^T) , the class of $rn\delta p$ -open sets is closed under arbitrary union.

Lemma 3.2. Let M_1 be a subset of a NTS (U, N^T) , then

$$\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_e(M_1)).$$

Proof. By Lemma 2.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) &= \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1)) \\ &\subseteq \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap (M_1 \cup \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M_1))) \\ &= \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1) \cap \text{Ncl}_{\delta s}(M_1) \\ &= \text{Ncl}_e(M_1), \text{ by Lemma 2.2.} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) \subseteq \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_e(M_1))$.

The reverse inclusion is obvious. $\square$

Theorem 3.8. Let (U, N^T) be a NTS and $M_1 \subseteq U$, the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) M_1 is $rn\delta p$ -open;
- (2) M_1 is nano e -closed and nano δ -preopen.

Proof.

(1)→(2): Obvious from Theorem 3.4 [(i), (iii)].

(2)→(1): By (2), $M_1 = \text{Ncl}_e(M_1)$ and $M_1 = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(M_1)$. By Lemma ??,

$$\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M_1)) = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_e(M_1)) = \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(M_1) = M_1.$$

Hence M_1 is $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open. $\square$

Lemma 3.3. *Let (U, N^T) be a NTS, then the following are equivalent:*

- (1) (U, N^T) nano δ -submaximal.
- (2) Every nano δ -preopen set is nano δ -open.

Theorem 3.9. *Let (U, N^T) be a nano δ -submaximal, then any finite intersection of nano δ -preopen sets is nano δ -preopen.*

Proof. Obvious since $N\delta O(X)$ is closed under finite intersection. $\square$

Theorem 3.10. *If a NTS (U, N^T) is nano δ -submaximal, then any finite intersection of $\text{rn}\delta p$ sets is $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open.*

Proof. Let $\{G_i: i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ be a finite family of $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open sets. Since the space (U, N^T) is nano δ -submaximal, then by Theorem 3.9, we have $\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i \in \delta PO(U)$. By

Theorem 3.2(i), $\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i \subseteq \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i))$.

On the other hand, for each i , we have $\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i \subseteq G_i$ and thus $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i)) \subseteq \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(G_i)) = A_i$ as $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(G_i)) = G_i$. Therefore $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i)) \subseteq \bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i$. In consequence, $\bigcap_{i=1}^n G_i$ is $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open in U . $\square$

Definition 3.2. *In a NTS (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$. Then M is called nano η -open if $\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M)) \subseteq \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M))$.*

Theorem 3.11. *In a NTS (U, N^T) ,*

- (i) Every nano δ -semiopen set is nano η -set.
- (ii) Every nano δ -semiclosed set is nano η -set.

Proof.

- (i) Let M be nano δ -semiopen, then $M \subseteq \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M))$ which implies,

$$\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(M)) \subseteq \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_{\delta}(M)).$$

Hence M is nano η -set.

- (ii) Let K be nano δ -semiclosed, then $\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta}(K)) \subseteq K$. Therefore

$$\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(K)) \subseteq \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_\delta(K)).$$

Hence K is nano η -set.

Converse of the above Theorem need not be true as shown by the following example. $\square$

Example 4. In Example 1, the set $\{b_2\}$ is η -set but it is not nano δ -semiopen. and the set $\{b_1, b_3, b_4, b_5\}$ is nano η -set but it is not nano δ -semiclosed.

Remark 3.3. DIAGRAM

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \text{nano regular open} & \rightarrow & \text{nano } \delta\alpha\text{-open} & \rightarrow & \text{nano } \delta\text{-semiopen} & \rightarrow & \text{nano } \eta\text{-set} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\ \text{rn}\delta p\text{-open} & \longrightarrow & \text{nano } \delta\text{-preopen} & \longrightarrow & \text{nano } e\text{-open} & & \end{array}$$

Remark 3.4. The notions of nano η -sets and $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open (hence nano δ -preopen, nano e -open) sets are independent of each other.

Example 5. Let (U, N^T) be a space as in Example 1. Then $\{b_2\}$ is nano η -set but not a nano e -open set and the set $\{b_1, b_2, b_4, b_5\}$ is $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open but it is not a η -set.

Theorem 3.12. In a NTS (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$, the following are equivalent:

- (i) M is nano δ -semiopen;
- (ii) M is both nano e -open and nano η -set.

Proof.

(i) $\rightarrow$ (ii): Obvious.

(ii) $\rightarrow$ (i): Let M be both nano e -open and nano η -set. Then, $\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) \cap \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_\delta(M)) \subseteq M$ and $\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) \subseteq \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_\delta(M))$, and $\text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) \subseteq M$. Hence M is nano δ -semiopen. $\square$

Theorem 3.13. For a subset M of a NTS (U, N^T) , the following are equivalent:

- (i) M is nano regular open;
- (ii) M is $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open and η -set.

Proof.

(i) $\rightarrow$ (ii): It follows from Remark 3.3.

(ii) $\rightarrow$ (i): Let M be $\text{rn}\delta p$ -open and η -set. Then, by Lemma 2.1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \text{Nint}_{\delta p}(\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}(M)) \\ &= (M \cup \text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_\delta(M)) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M))) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (M \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) \cup (\text{Ncl}(\text{Nint}_\delta(M)) \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M))) \\
&= (M \cap \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) \cup \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M))) \\
&= \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M))
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $M = \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}_\delta(M)) = \text{Nint}(\text{Ncl}(M))$. Hence M is nano regular open. $\square$

Definition 3.3. In (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$.

(1) The $rn\delta p$ -interior of M , denoted by $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(M)$ is defined as

$$\text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(M) = \bigcup \{K : K \subseteq M \text{ and } M \in \text{RN}\delta\text{PO}(U)\};$$

(2) The $rn\delta p$ -closure of M , denoted by $\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}^r(M)$ is defined as

$$\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}^r(M) = \bigcap \{F : M \subseteq F \text{ and } F \in \text{RN}\delta\text{PC}(U)\}.$$

Theorem 3.14. In (U, N^T) , let $M \subseteq U$. Then the following hold:

(a) $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(M) \subseteq M \subseteq \text{Ncl}_{\delta p}^r(M)$.

(b) If M is $rn\delta p$ -open ($rn\delta p$ -closed), then $\text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(M) = M$ (resp, $\text{Ncl}_{\delta p}^r(M) = M$).

Remark 3.5. The converse of Theorem 3.14 (b) is true only when (U, N^T) is nano δ -partition.

4. RN δ P-CONTINUOUS FUNCTIONS:

Definition 4.1. A function $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ is said to be $rn\delta p$ -continuous if $f^{-1}(H)$ is $rn\delta p$ -open in $(U, \tau_R(X))$ for each $H \in \tau_R^*(Y)$.

Example 6. Let $U = \{b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4, b_5\}$ with $U \setminus R = \{\{b_1, b_3\}, \{b_2\}, \{b_4\}, \{b_5\}\}$ and let $X = \{b_1, b_4, b_5\}$, $\tau_R(X) = \{U, \phi, \{b_4, b_5\}, \{b_1, b_3, b_4, b_5\}, \{b_1, b_3\}\}$. Let $V = \{a, b, c, d\}$ with $V \setminus R = \{\{a, c\}, \{b\}, \{d\}\}$ and let $Y = \{a, b\}$, $\tau_R^*(Y) = \{V, \phi, \{b\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}$. Define $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ as $f(b_1) = a$, $f(b_2) = c$, $f(b_4) = b$ and $f(b_3) = b = f(b_5)$. Then $f^{-1}(\{b\}) = \{b_3, b_5\}$, $f^{-1}(\{a, b, c\}) = V$ and $f^{-1}(\{a, c\}) = \{b_1, b_2, b_4\}$.

That is, the inverse image of every nano open set is $rn\delta p$ -open in U . Therefore, f is $rn\delta p$ -continuous

Theorem 4.1. A function $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ is $rn\delta p$ -continuous, if and only if, $f^{-1}(D)$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed in $(U, \tau_R(X))$ for every nano closed set D of $(V, \tau_R^*(Y))$.

Proof. Let D be a nano closed set in V . Then $V \setminus D$ is a nano open set in V . Since f is $rn\delta p$ -continuous, $f^{-1}(V \setminus D) = U \setminus f^{-1}(D)$ is $rn\delta p$ -open in U . Therefore, $f^{-1}(D)$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed.

Conversely, let F be a nano open set in $(V, \tau_R^*(Y))$, then $V \setminus F$ is a nano closed set in V . By assumption, $f^{-1}(V \setminus F) = U \setminus f^{-1}(F)$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed in U . This implies $f^{-1}(F)$ is $rn\delta p$ -open in U . $\square$

Theorem 4.2. Every $rn\delta p$ -continuous function is nano δ -precontinuous.

Example 7. Consider $(U, \tau_R(X))$ and $(V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ as in Example 6. Define $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ as $f(b_1) = a$, $f(b_2) = b = f(b_5)$ and $f(b_3) = c = f(b_4)$. Then $f^{-1}(\{b\}) = \{b_2, b_5\}$, $f^{-1}(\{a, b, c\}) = V$ and $f^{-1}(\{a, c\}) = \{b_1, b_3, b_4\}$. Therefore, f is nano δ -precontinuous but there exists $\{a, c\} \in \tau_R^*(Y)$ such that $f^{-1}(\{a, c\}) = \{b_1, b_3, b_4\} \notin RN\delta PO(U)$. Hence f is not $rn\delta p$ -continuous.

Theorem 4.3. Let $f: (U, \tau_R(X)) \rightarrow (V, \tau_R^*(Y))$ be a function where $(U, \tau_R(X))$ is nano δ -partition. Then the following are equivalent:

- (1) f is $rn\delta p$ -continuous;
- (2) For each subset B of V , $Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Ncl(B))$;
- (3) For each subset A of U , $f(Ncl_{\delta p}^r(A)) \subseteq Ncl(f(A))$;
- (4) For each subset B of V , $f^{-1}(Nint(B)) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B))$.

Proof.

(1) $\rightarrow$ (2). Let f be $rn\delta p$ -continuous and $B \subseteq V$. Then $f^{-1}(Ncl(B))$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed in U . Then $cl_{rp}^N(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B)) = f^{-1}(Ncl(B))$.

(2) $\rightarrow$ (1). Let $B \subseteq V$ be a nano closed set. Then by (2), $Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Ncl(B)) = f^{-1}(B) \Rightarrow Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B)) = f^{-1}(B)$ since $(U, \tau_R(X))$ is nano δ -partition. Therefore, $f^{-1}(B)$ is $rn\delta p$ -closed in $(U, \tau_R(X))$.

(2) $\rightarrow$ (3). Let $A \subseteq U$. Then $f(A) \subseteq V$. By (2), we get

$$f^{-1}(cl(f(A))) \supseteq cl_{rp}^N(f^{-1}(f(A))) \supseteq Ncl_{\delta p}^r(A).$$

Therefore, $f(Ncl_{\delta p}^r(A)) \subseteq f(f^{-1}(Ncl(f(A)))) \subseteq Ncl(f(A))$.

(3) $\rightarrow$ (2). Let $B \subseteq V$ and $A = f^{-1}(B) \subseteq U$. Then by (3), $f(Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B))) \subseteq Ncl(f(f^{-1}(B))) \subseteq Ncl(B) \Rightarrow Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Ncl(B))$.

(2) $\rightarrow$ (4). Replace B by $V \setminus B$ in (2), we get $Ncl_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(V \setminus B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(Ncl(V \setminus B)) \Rightarrow Ncl_{\delta p}^r(X \setminus f^{-1}(B)) \subseteq f^{-1}(V \setminus Nint(B))$. Therefore, $f^{-1}(Nint(B)) \subseteq Nint_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(B))$ for each $B \subseteq V$.

(4) $\rightarrow$ (1). Let $H \subseteq V$ be nano open. Then

$$f^{-1}(H) = f^{-1}(\text{Nint}(H)) \subseteq \text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(H))$$

$\Rightarrow \text{Nint}_{\delta p}^r(f^{-1}(H)) = f^{-1}(H)$ since $(U, \tau_R(X))$ is nano δ -partition. Hence, $f^{-1}(H)$ is rn δ p-open in U . $\square$

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