

## Nano $\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -normal and nano $\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -regular spaces

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**Abstract:** In this paper, we define  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal and  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular spaces are introduced and various characterizations and properties are given. Characterizations of nano normal, mildly nano normal,  $ng^{\#}$ -normal and regular spaces are also given.

**Key words:**  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal,  $_{g^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal,  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular and  $ng^{\#}$ -normal spaces

## 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

In 2013, Lellis Thivagar et al. [6] introduced a nano topological space. Then the notions of an ideal nano topological space was introduced by Parimala et al [10]. A nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  with an ideal I on U is called [10] an ideal nano topological space and is denoted by  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$ . Recently several authors were discussed and studied the concepts of an ideal nanotopological spaces for example[[1], [4], [14], [15] and [16]]. In this paper, we define  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal,  ${}_{g^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal and  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular spaces using  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets and give characterizations and properties of such spaces. Also, characterizations of nano normal, mildly nano normal,  $ng^{\#}$ -normal and regular spaces are given.

**Definition 1.1.** A subset H of a nano topological space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  is called;

- 1. nano g-closed (briefly, ng-closed) [2] if  $ncl(H) \subseteq G$ , whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is n-open.
- 2. nano regular closed (briefly, *n*-regular closed) [6] if H = ncl(nint(H)).
- 3. nano pre-open [6] if  $H \subseteq nint(ncl(H))$ .
- 4. nano  $\alpha g$ -closed set (briefly,  $n\alpha g$ -closed) [19] if  $n\alpha cl(H) \subseteq G$  whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is n-open.
- 5. nano rg-closed set (briefly, nrg-closed) [18] if  $ncl(H) \subseteq G$  whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is n-regular open.
- 6. nano dense (briefly *n*-dense) [17] if ncl(H) = U,

**Definition 1.2.** [6] A subset H of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  is called nano  $\alpha$ -open (briefly  $n\alpha$ -open) if  $H \subseteq nint(ncl(nint(H)))$ . The family of all  $n\alpha$ -open sets in  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  denoted by  $n\tau^{\alpha}$ .

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**Definition 1.3.** A subset H of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is called

- 1. nano  $\star$ -closed (briefly,  $n \star$ -closed) [11] if  $H_n^* \subseteq H$ .
- 2. nano  $\tau^*$ -closed (briefly  $n\tau^*$ -closed) [10] if  $H_n^* \subseteq H$ .
- 3. nano  $I_g$ -closed (briefly  $nI_g$ -closed) [11] if  $H_n^* \subseteq G$  whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is n-open.
- 4. nano  $I_{rg}$ -closed (briefly  $nI_{rg}$ -closed) [12] if  $H_n^* \subseteq G$  whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is n-regular open.
- 5. nano  $\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -closed (briefly  $n\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -closed) [3] if  $H_n * \subseteq G$  whenever  $H \subseteq G$  and G is nano  $\alpha g$ -open.

**Definition 1.4.** [7] A subset E of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N})$  is called n-nowhere dense if  $nint(ncl(E)) = \phi$ .

**Definition 1.5.** [11] A subset E of a space  $(U, \mathcal{N}, I)$  is called  $n \star$ -closed if  $E_n^{\star} \subseteq E$ .

The following lemmas and proposition will be useful in the sequel.

**Lemma 1.1.** [10] Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space. If  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense, then  $n\tau^* \subseteq n\tau^{\alpha}$ .

**Theorem 1.1.** [3] Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space where  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is nano normal.
- 2. For any disjoint nano closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 3. For any nano closed set E and open set Q containing E, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq Q$ .

**Corollary 1.1.** [3] If  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is an ideal nano topological space and  $E \subseteq U$ , then if  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , then E is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed if and only if E is  $ng^{\#}$ -closed.

**Lemma 1.2.** [3] Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space and  $E \subseteq U$ . Then E is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open if and only if  $G \subseteq nint^{\star}(E)$  whenever G is  $n\alpha g$ -closed and  $G \subseteq E$ .

**Lemma 1.3.** [3] Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space. Then every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed if and only if every  $n\alpha g$ -open set is  $n \star$ -closed.

**Lemma 1.4.** [12] Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space. A subset  $A \subseteq U$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open if and only if  $F \subseteq nint^*(A)$  whenever F is nano regular closed and  $F \subseteq A$ .

2. Nano  $\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal and nano  $_{g^{\#}}\mathcal{I}$ -normal spaces

**Definition 2.1.** An ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is said to be an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal space if for every pair of disjoint closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

**Remark 2.1.** Every nano open set is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -open set.

2. Every nano normal space is  $n\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -normal.

The following Example 2.1 shows that an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal space is not necessarily a nano normal space. Theorem 2.1 below gives characterizations of  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal spaces. Theorem 2.2 below shows that the two concepts coincide for completely nano codense ideal topological spaces.

**Example 2.1.** Let  $U = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$  with  $U/R = \{\{a_2\}, \{a_4\}, \{a_1, a_3\}\}$  and  $X = \{a_3, a_4\}$ . Then  $\mathcal{N} = \{\phi, \{a_4\}, \{a_1, a_3\}, \{a_1, a_3, a_4\}, U\}$  and  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi, \{a_4\}\}$ . Then  $\phi^* = \phi$ ,  $(\{a_4\})^* = \{\phi\}$ ,  $(\{a_1, a_3\})^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$ ,  $(\{a_1, a_3, a_4\})^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  and  $U^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$ . Here every  $n\alpha g$ -open set is  $n\star$ -closed and so, by Lemma 1.3, every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g\#}$ -closed and hence every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g\#}$ -open. This implies that  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g\#}$ -normal. Now  $\phi$  and  $\{a_2, a_4\}$  are disjoint nano closed subsets of U which are not separated by disjoint nano open sets and so  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  is not nano normal.

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -normal.
- 2. For every nano closed set E and an nano open set Q containing E, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq Q$ .

Proof. (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Let E be a nano closed set and Q be an nano open set containing E. Since E and U - Q are disjoint nano closed sets, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and S such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $U - Q \subseteq S$ . Again,  $P \cap S = \phi$  implies that  $P \cap nint^*(S) = \phi$  and so  $ncl^*(P) \subseteq U - nint^*(S)$ . Since U - Q is  $n\alpha g$ -closed and S is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open,  $U - Q \subseteq S$  implies that  $U - Q \subseteq nint^*(S)$  and so  $U - nint^*(S) \subseteq Q$ . Thus, we have  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq U - nint^*(S) \subseteq Q$  which proves (2).

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1). Let *E* and *F* be two disjoint nano closed subsets of *U*. By hypothesis, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set *P* such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{\star}(P) \subseteq U - F$ . If  $S = U - ncl^{\star}(P)$ , then *P* and *S* are the required disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets containing *E* and *F* respectively. So,  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal.

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space where  $n\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense. If  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -normal, then it is a nano normal space.

*Proof.* It is obvious from Theorem 2.1 and Lemma 1.1.

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal space. If F is nano closed and E is a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set such that  $E \cap F = \phi$ , then there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

*Proof.* Since  $E \cap F = \phi$ ,  $E \subseteq U - F$  where U - F is  $n \alpha g$ -open. Therefore, by hypothesis,  $ncl(A) \subseteq U - F$ . Since  $ncl(E) \cap F = \phi$  and U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $ncl(E) \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ . Thus  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

The following Corollaries 2.1 and 2.2 give properties of nano normal spaces. If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$  in Theorem 2.3, then we have the following Corollary 2.1, the proof of which follows from Theorem 2.2 and Lemma 1.1, since  $\{\phi\}$  is a completely nano codense ideal. If  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$  in Theorem 2.3, then we have the Corollary 2.2 below, since  $n\tau^*(\mathcal{N}) = n\tau^{\alpha}$  and  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -open sets coincide with  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -open sets.

**Corollary 2.1.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano normal space with  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ . If F is a nano closed set and E is a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set disjoint from F, then there exist disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

**Corollary 2.2.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be a normal ideal nano topological space where  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$ . If F is a nano closed set and E is a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set disjoint from F, then there exist disjoint  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space which is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -normal. Then the following hold.

- 1. For every nano closed set E and every  $ng^{\#}$ -open set F containing E, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq nint^{*}(P) \subseteq P \subseteq F$ .
- 2. For every  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set E and every nano open set F containing E, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq F$ .

Proof. (1) Let E be a nano closed set and F be a  $ng^{\#}$ -open set containing E. Then  $E \cap (U - F) = \phi$ , where E is nano closed and U - F is  $ng^{\#}$ -closed. By Theorem 2.3, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $U - F \subseteq Q$ . Since  $P \cap Q = \phi$ , we have  $P \subseteq U - Q$ . By Lemma 1.2,  $E \subseteq nint^{*}(P)$ . Therefore,  $E \subseteq nint^{*}(P) \subseteq P \subseteq U - Q \subseteq F$ . This proves (1).

(2) Let E be a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set and F be an nano open set containing E. Then U - F is a nano closed set contained in the  $ng^{\#}$ -open set U - E. By (1), there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set Q such that  $U - F \subseteq nint^{*}(Q) \subseteq Q \subseteq U - E$ . Therefore,  $E \subseteq U - Q \subseteq ncl^{*}(U - Q) \subseteq F$ . If P = U - Q, then  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq F$  and so P is the required  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set.

The following Corollaries 2.3 and 2.4 give some properties of nano normal spaces. If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$  in Theorem 2.4, then we have the following Corollary 2.3. If  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$  in Theorem 2.4, then we have the Corollary 2.4 below.  $\Box$ 

**Corollary 2.3.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano normal space with  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ . Then the following hold.

- 1. For every nano closed set E and every  $ng^{\#}$ -open set F containing E, there exists a  $ng^{\#}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq nint(P) \subseteq P \subseteq F$ .
- 2. For every  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set E and every nano open set F containing E, there exists a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq F$ .

**Corollary 2.4.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano normal space with  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$ . Then the following hold.

- 1. For every nano closed set E and every  $ng^{\#}$ -open set F containing E, there exists an  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq n\alpha$ -int $(P) \subseteq P \subseteq F$ .
- 2. For every  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set E and every nano open set F containing E, there exists an  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -closed set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq n\alpha$ -cl $(P) \subseteq F$ .

**Definition 2.2.** An ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is said to be  $_{g^{\#}} n\mathcal{I}$ -normal if for each pair of disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint open sets P and Q in U such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

**Remark 2.2.** Every nano closed set is  $n\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -closed.

2. Every  $_{a^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal space is nano normal. But converse need not be true as the following Example 2.2 shows.

**Example 2.2.** Let  $U = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  with  $U/R = \{\{a_1\}, \{a_2, a_3\}\}$  and  $X = \{a_1, a_3\}$ . Then the nano topology  $\mathcal{N} = \{\phi, \{a_1\}, \{a_2, a_3\}, U\}$  and  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi, \{a_1\}, \{a_2\}, \{a_3\}, \{a_1, a_2\}, \{a_1, a_3\}, \{a_2, a_3\}, U\}$ . Every  $n\alpha g$ -open set is  $n \star$ -closed and so every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed. Now  $E = \{a_1, a_2\}$  and  $F = \{a_3\}$  are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed sets, but they are not separated by disjoint nano open sets. So  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is not  $_{g^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal. But  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is nano normal.

Theorems 2.5 and 2.6 below give characterizations of  $_{q^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal spaces.

**Theorem 2.5.** In an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$ , the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $_{g^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal.
- 2. For every  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set E and every  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set F containing E, there exists an nano open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq F$ .

*Proof.* It is similar to the proof of Theorem 2.1.

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , then  $_{g^{\#}} n\mathcal{I}$ -normal spaces coincide with  $ng^{\#}$ -normal spaces and so if we take  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , in Theorem 2.5 then we have the following characterization for  $ng^{\#}$ -normal spaces.

**Corollary 2.5.** In a space  $(U, \tau_R(X))$ , the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $ng^{\#}$ -normal.
- 2. For every  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set E and every  $ng^{\#}$ -open set F containing E, there exists an nano open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq F$ .

**Theorem 2.6.** In an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$ , the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $_{q^{\#}}n\mathcal{I}$ -normal.
- 2. For each pair of disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed subsets E and F of U, there exists an nano open set P of U containing E such that  $cl(P) \cap F = \phi$ .
- 3. For each pair of disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed subsets E and F of U, there exist an nano open set P containing Eand an nano open set Q containing F such that  $ncl(P) \cap ncl(Q) = \phi$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Suppose that E and F are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed subsets of U. Then the  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set E is contained in the  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set U - F. By Theorem 2.5, there exists an nano open set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq U - F$ . Therefore, P is the required nano open set containing E such that  $ncl(P) \cap F = \phi$ .

 $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$ . Let E and F be two disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed subsets of U. By hypothesis, there exists an nano open set P of U containing E such that  $ncl(P) \cap F = \phi$ . Also, ncl(P) and F are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed sets of U. By hypothesis, there exists an nano open set Q of U containing F such that  $ncl(P) \cap ncl(Q) = \phi$ .

 $(3) \Rightarrow (1)$ . The proof is clear.

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , in Theorem 2.6, then we have the following characterizations for  $ng^{\#}$ -normal spaces.

**Corollary 2.6.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano topological space. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $ng^{\#}$ -normal.
- 2. For each pair of disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -closed subsets E and F of U, there exists an nano open set P of U containing E such that  $ncl(P) \cap F = \phi$ .
- 3. For each pair of disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -closed subsets E and F of U, there exist an nano open set P containing E and an nano open set Q containing F such that  $ncl(P) \cap ncl(Q) = \phi$ .

**Theorem 2.7.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an  $_{g^{\#}} n \mathcal{I}$ -normal space. If E and F are disjoint  $n \mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed subsets of U, then there exist disjoint nano open sets P and Q such that  $ncl^*(E) \subseteq P$  and  $ncl^*(F) \subseteq Q$ .

Proof. Suppose that E and F are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed sets. By Theorem 2.6(3), there exist an nano open set P containing E and an nano open set Q containing F such that  $ncl(P) \cap ncl(Q) = \phi$ . Since E is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed,  $E \subseteq P$  implies that  $ncl^{*}(E) \subseteq P$ . Similarly  $ncl^{*}(F) \subseteq Q$ .

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , in Theorem 2.7, then we have the following property of disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -closed sets in  $ng^{\#}$ -normal spaces.

**Corollary 2.7.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a  $ng^{\#}$ -normal space. If E and F are disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -closed subsets of U, then there exist disjoint open sets P and Q such that  $ncl(E) \subseteq P$  and  $cl(F) \subseteq Q$ .

**Theorem 2.8.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an  $_{g^{\#}} n\mathcal{I}$ -normal space. If E is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set and F is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set containing E, then there exists an nano open set P such that  $E \subseteq ncl^*(E) \subseteq P \subseteq nint^*(F) \subseteq F$ .

Proof. Suppose E is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed set and F is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set containing E. Since E and U - F are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed sets, by Theorem 2.7, there exist disjoint nano open sets P and Q such that  $ncl^{\star}(E) \subseteq P$  and  $ncl^{\star}(U - F) \subseteq Q$ . Now,  $U - nint^{\star}(F) = ncl^{\star}(U - F) \subseteq Q$  implies that  $U - Q \subseteq nint^{\star}(F)$ . Again,  $P \cap Q = \phi$  implies  $P \subseteq U - Q$  and so  $E \subseteq ncl^{\star}(E) \subseteq P \subseteq U - Q \subseteq nint^{\star}(F) \subseteq F$ .

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ , in Theorem 2.8, then we have the following Corollary 2.8.

**Corollary 2.8.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a  $ng^{\#}$ -normal space. If E is a  $ng^{\#}$ -closed set and F is a  $ng^{\#}$ -open set containing E, then there exists an nano open set P such that  $E \subseteq ncl(E) \subseteq P \subseteq nint(F) \subseteq F$ .

The following Theorem 2.9 gives a characterization of nano normal spaces in terms of  $ng^{\#}$ -open sets which follows from Lemma 1.1 if  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$ .

**Theorem 2.9.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano topological space. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is normal.
- 2. For any disjoint nano closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 3. For any nano closed set E and nano open set Q containing E, there exists a  $ng^{\#}$ -open set P such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq Q$ .

The rest of the section is devoted to the study of mildly nano normal spaces in terms of  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets,  $n\mathcal{I}_{g}$ -open sets and  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open sets.

**Theorem 2.10.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  be an ideal nano topological space where  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is mildly nano normal.
- 2. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 3. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_g$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 4. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 5. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open set Pof U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq Q$ .
- 6. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an  $n\star$ -open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^{\star}(P) \subseteq Q$ .
- 7. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\star$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Suppose that E and F are disjoint nano regular closed sets. Since U is mildly nano normal, there exist disjoint nano open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ . But every nano open set is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -open set. This proves (2).

- $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$ . The proof follows from the fact that every  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -open set is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g}$ -open set.
- $(3) \Rightarrow (4)$ . The proof follows from the fact that every  $n\mathcal{I}_g$ -open set is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open set.

 $(4) \Rightarrow (5)$ . Suppose E is a nano regular closed and F is a nano regular open set containing E. Then E and U - F are disjoint nano regular closed sets. By hypothesis, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $U - F \subseteq Q$ . Since U - F is nano regular closed and Q is  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open, by Lemma 1.4,  $U - F \subseteq nint^*(Q)$  and so  $U - nint^*(Q) \subseteq F$ . Again,  $P \cap Q = \phi$  implies that  $P \cap nint^*(Q) = \phi$  and so  $ncl^*(P) \subseteq U - nint^*(Q) \subseteq F$ . Hence P is the required  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open set such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq F$ .

 $(5) \Rightarrow (6)$ . Let E be a nano regular closed set and Q be a nano regular open set containing E. Then there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -open set H of U such that  $E \subseteq H \subseteq ncl^*(H) \subseteq Q$ . By Lemma 1.4,  $E \subseteq nint^*(H)$ . If  $P = nint^*(H)$ , then P is an  $n^*$ -open set and  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq ncl^*(H) \subseteq Q$ . Therefore,  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq Q$ .

(6)  $\Rightarrow$  (7). Let *E* and *F* be disjoint nano regular closed subsets of *U*. Then U-F is a nano regular open set containing *E*. By hypothesis, there exists an *n*\*-open set *P* of *U* such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq U - F$ . If  $Q = U - ncl^*(P)$ , then *P* and *Q* are disjoint *n*\*-open sets of *U* such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

 $(7) \Rightarrow (1)$ . Let E and F be disjoint nano regular closed sets of U. Then there exist disjoint  $n\star$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ . Since  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense, by Lemma 1.1,  $n\tau^* \subseteq n\tau^{\alpha}$ and so P,  $Q \in n\tau^{\alpha}$ . Hence  $E \subseteq P \subseteq nint(ncl(nint(P))) = G$  and  $F \subseteq Q \subseteq nint(ncl(nint(Q))) = H$ . G and H are the required disjoint nano open sets containing E and F respectively. This proves (1).

If  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$ , in the above Theorem 2.10, then  $n\mathcal{I}_{rg}$ -closed sets coincide with  $nr\alpha g$ -closed sets and so we have the following Corollary 2.9.

**Corollary 2.9.** Let  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano topological space. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is mildly nano normal.
- 2. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 3. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\alpha g$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 4. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $nr\alpha g$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 5. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an  $nr\alpha g$ -open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq n\alpha cl(P) \subseteq Q$ .
- 6. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an  $n\alpha$ -open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq n\alpha$ -cl(P)  $\subseteq Q$ .
- 7. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $n\alpha$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$  in the above Theorem 2.10, we get the following Corollary 2.10.

**Corollary 2.10.** Let  $(X, \tau_R(X))$  be a nano topological space. Then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is mildly nano normal.
- 2. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint  $ng^{\#}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 3. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint ng-open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$ and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 4. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint nrg-open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .
- 5. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an nrg-open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq Q$ .
- 6. For a nano regular closed set E and a nano regular open set Q containing E, there exists an nano open set P of U such that  $E \subseteq P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq Q$ .
- 7. For disjoint nano regular closed sets E and F, there exist disjoint nano open sets P and Q such that  $E \subseteq P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

## 3. Nano $\mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -regular spaces

**Definition 3.1.** An ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is said to be an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular space if for each pair consisting of a point x and a nano closed set F not containing x, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and Q such that  $x \in P$  and  $F \subseteq Q$ .

**Remark 3.1.** Every nano regular space is  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -regular.

The following Example 3.1 shows that an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular space need not be nano regular. Theorem 3.1 gives a characterization of  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular spaces.

**Example 3.1.** Consider the ideal topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  of Example 2.1. Then  $\phi^* = \phi$ ,  $(\{a_4\})^* = \{\phi\}$ ,  $(\{a_1, a_3\})^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$ ,  $(\{a_1, a_3, a_4\})^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  and  $U^* = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$ . Since every  $n\alpha g$ -open set is  $n \star - closed$ , every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -closed and so every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open. This implies that  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular. Now,  $\{a_2\}$  is a nano closed set not containing  $a_4 \in U$ ,  $\{a_2\}$  and a are not separated by disjoint nano open sets. So  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is not nano regular.

**Theorem 3.1.** In an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$ , the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{a^{\#}}$ -regular.
- 2. For every nano open set Q containing  $x \in U$ , there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P of U such that  $x \in P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq Q$ .

Proof. (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Let Q be an nano open subset such that  $x \in Q$ . Then U - Q is a nano closed set not containing x. Therefore, there exist disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets P and S such that  $x \in P$  and  $U - Q \subseteq S$ . Now,  $U - Q \subseteq S$  implies that  $U - Q \subseteq nint^*(S)$  and so  $U - nint^*(S) \subseteq Q$ . Again,  $P \cap S = \phi$  implies that  $P \cap nint^*(S) = \phi$  and so  $ncl^*(P) \subseteq U - nint^*(S)$ . Therefore,  $x \in P \subseteq ncl^*(P) \subseteq Q$ . This proves (2).

 $(2) \Rightarrow (1)$ . Let F be a nano closed set not containing x. By hypothesis, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P such that  $x \in P \subseteq ncl^{\star}(P) \subseteq U - F$ . If  $S = U - ncl^{\star}(P)$ , then P and S are disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets such that  $x \in P$  and  $F \subseteq S$ . This proves (1).

**Theorem 3.2.** If  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular,  $nT_{\mathcal{I}}$ -space where  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense, then U is nano regular.

Proof. Let F be a nano closed set not containing  $x \in U$ . By Theorem 3.1, there exists an  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open set P of U such that  $x \in P \subseteq ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq U - F$ . Since U is a  $nT_{\mathcal{I}}$ -space,  $\{x\}$  is  $n\alpha g$ -closed and so  $\{x\} \subseteq nint^{*}(P)$ , by Lemma 1.2. Since  $\mathcal{I}$  is completely nano codense,  $n\tau^{*} \subseteq n\tau^{\alpha}$  and so  $nint^{*}(P)$  and  $U-ncl^{*}(P)$  are  $n\alpha$ -open sets. Now,  $x \in nint^{*}(P) \subseteq nint(ncl(nint(nint^{*}(P)))) = G$  and  $F \subseteq U - ncl^{*}(P) \subseteq nint(ncl(nint(U - ncl^{*}(P)))) = H$ . Then G and H are disjoint nano open sets containing x and F respectively. Therefore, U is nano regular.

If  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{N}$  in Theorem 3.1, then we have the following Corollary 3.1 which gives characterizations of nano regular spaces, the proof of which follows from Theorem 3.2.

**Corollary 3.1.** If  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  is a  $nT_{\mathcal{I}}$ -space, then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is nano regular.
- 2. For every nano open set Q containing  $x \in U$ , there exists an  $n\alpha g^{\#}$ -open set P of U such that  $x \in P \subseteq n\alpha$ - $ncl(P) \subseteq Q$ .

If  $\mathcal{I} = \{\phi\}$  in Theorem 3.1, then we have the following Corollary 3.2 which gives characterizations of nano regular spaces, the proof of which follows from Theorem 3.2.

**Corollary 3.2.** If  $(U, \tau_R(X))$  is a  $nT_{\mathcal{I}}$ -space, then the following are equivalent.

- 1. U is nano regular.
- 2. For every nano open set Q containing  $x \in U$ , there exists a  $ng^{\#}$ -open set P of U such that  $x \in P \subseteq ncl(P) \subseteq Q$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** If every  $n \alpha g$ -open subset of an ideal nano topological space  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n \star$ -closed, then  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n \mathcal{I}_{q^{\#}}$ -regular.

*Proof.* Suppose every  $n\alpha g$ -open subset of U is  $n\star$ -closed. Then by Lemma 1.3, every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ closed and hence every subset of U is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open. If F is a nano closed set not containing x, then  $\{x\}$ and F are the required disjoint  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -open sets containing x and F respectively. Therefore,  $(U, \tau_R(X), \mathcal{I})$  is  $n\mathcal{I}_{g^{\#}}$ -regular.

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