# PRE-I<sub>sn</sub>-OPEN SETS AND SOME NOTIONS RELATED TO PRE-I-CONVERGENCE

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ABSTRACT. In this article, we define a new notion of open sets which are namely pre- $I_{sn}$ -open sets. Furthermore, we show and prove some properties on pre-I-convergence and pre-I-neighbourhood spaces.

### 1. Introduction and preliminaries

Kuratowski [6] in 1933 introduced the concept of ideal on a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ . An ideal I is a collection of non-empty sets of X which satisfies the following (i) if  $A \in I$  and  $B \subset A$ , then  $B \in I$  and (ii) if  $A \in I$  and  $B \in I$ , then  $A \cup B \in I$ . Given a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  with an ideal I is called ideal topological space and it is denoted by  $(X, \tau, I)$ . On the other hand, the notion of I-convergence was originality introduced by Kostyrko et. al. [5] in 2000 as a generalization of statistical convergence which is based on the structure of the ideal I of subset of natural numbers  $\mathbb{N}$ . Later, in 2011, Hazarika [4] used the notion of *I*-convergence for defining the concept of an ideal convergence in topological group. Taking into account the notion of *I*-convergence, Granados in 2020 [2] introduced the concept of pre-*I*-convergence, besides he showed some notions related to pre-*I*-irresolute functions on pre-I-convergence. Otherwise, the notion of pre-I-open sets were introduced by Dontchev [1] in 1996. On the other hand, the study of open sets in sequences *I*-convergence has been recently studied by many authors. In 2019, Zhou et al. [10], studied *I*-open sets on *I*-convergence. Besides, Lin [8] in 2020, complemented this notion, they defined and studied  $I_{sn}$ -open sets and showed some characterizations.

In this paper, we define and study the notion of  $\operatorname{pre-}I_{sn}$ -open sets, which are defined taking into account the concepts of sequences  $\operatorname{pre-}I$ -eventually and  $\operatorname{pre-}I$ -sequential neighbourhood. Furthermore, we prove some characterizations on  $\operatorname{pre-}I_{sn}$ -neighbourhood. Throughout this paper,  $\mathbb{N}$  denotes the set of natural number.

**Definition 1.1.** Let *I* be a family of non-empty sets of  $\mathbb{N}$  and consider the following statements:

- (1) If  $A, B \in I$ , then  $A \cup B \in I$ .
- (2) If  $B \subset A$  and  $A \subset I$ , then  $B \in A$ .
- (3)  $I \subseteq \{\emptyset\}$  and  $\mathbb{N} \notin I$ .
- (4) I is a cover of  $\mathbb{N}$ .

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If the family I of  $\mathbb{N}$  satisfies conditions (1) and (2), I is an ideal on  $\mathbb{N}$  [6]. If I satisfies conditions (1), (2) and (3), I is a non-trivial on  $\mathbb{N}$  [5]. If I satisfies conditions (1), (2), (3) and (4), I is an admissible ideal on  $\mathbb{N}$  [5].

**Definition 1.2.** ([5]) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of X is said to be *I*-convergent to a point  $x_0 \in X$ , provides of a neighbourhood V of  $x_0$ , we have that  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ .

**Definition 1.3.** ([2]) A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  of X is said to be pre-*I*-convergent to a point  $x_0 \in X$ , provides of a pre-neighbourhood V of  $x_0$ , we have that  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ , this will be denoted by p-*I*-lim<sub> $n\to\infty$ </sub>  $x_n = x_0$  or  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  and the point  $x_0$  is called p-*I*-limit of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$ .

**Definition 1.4.** ([2]) Let I be an ideal on  $\mathbb{N}$  and X be a topological space, then X is said to be a pre-I-sequential space if each pre-I-closed set in X is closed.

**Definition 1.5.** Zhou [11] defined the following notions:

- (1) Let P be a subset of X. A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is said to be I-eventually in P, if the set  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin P\} \in I$ .
- (2) Let P be a subset of X. Then, P is said to be I-sequential neighbourhood of a point x of X if every sequence which is I-convergent to x is I-eventually in V.
- (3) Let P be a subset of X. Then, P is said to be  $I_{sn}$ -open, if P is a I-sequential neighbourhood of x for each  $x \in P$ .

## 2. Pre- $I_{sn}$ -open sets

In this section, we introduce the notion of pre- $I_{sn}$ -open spaces. Moreover, we study some of their properties.

**Definition 2.1.** Let V be an open subset of X. A sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is said to be pre-*I*-eventually in V, if the set  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ .

**Definition 2.2.** Let V be a subset of X. Then, V is said to be pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of a point  $x_0$  of X if every sequence which is pre-*I*-convergent to  $x_0$  is pre-*I*-eventually in V.

**Definition 2.3.** Let A be a subset of X. Then, V is said to be pre- $I_{sn}$ -open, if V is a pre-I-sequential neighbourhood of  $x_0$  for each  $x_0 \in V$ .

Remark 2.4. Let U a subset of X. Then, U is called pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed if the complement of X - U is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set.

**Definition 2.5.** Let V be a subset of X. Then, V is said to be pre- $I_{sn}$ -neighbourhood of  $x_0$ , if there exits a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set A of X such that  $x_0 \in A \subset V$ .

**Definition 2.6.** Let U be a subset of X. Then, U is said to be pre-*I*-closed if any sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in U with  $x_n \rightarrow^{pI} x_0$  in X, the p-lim point  $x_0 \in U$ .

Remark 2.7. Let U be a subset of X. Then, V is called pre-I-open, if the complement of X - V is a pre-I-closed set.

Now, show results taking into account the previously definitions are shown.

Lemma 2.8. pre-I-convergence implies I-convergence.

*Proof.* Let V an open set of  $(X, \tau)$ , then V is a pre-open set. Since  $\{x_n\}$  is a pre-*I*-convergent sequence, we have that  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ . Therefore, by the Definition 1.2,  $\{x_n\}$  is a *I*-convergent sequence.

**Lemma 2.9.** Every pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set is  $I_{sn}$ -open set.

*Proof.* Let V be a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set, then there exits a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  which is pre-I-convergent, by the Lemma 2.8,  $\{x_n\}$  is I-convergent. Now, since  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-I-convergent, then  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-I-eventually and hence by the Definition 1.5,  $\{x_n\}$  is I-eventually. Therefore, this proofs that V is  $I_{sn}$ -open.

Remark 2.10. Every  $I_{sn}$ -open set is not pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set.

This is followed by, first: *I*-convergence does not always imply pre-*I*-convergence and second: If we have a set *V* which is not open and  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ , by the Definition 1.5 *V* is *I*-eventually, but it is not pre-*I*-eventually.

**Lemma 2.11.** ([2]) Let I be an ideal on  $\mathbb{N}$  and X be a topological space. If a sequence  $(X_n : x \in \mathbb{N})$  pre-I-convergent to a point  $x \in X$  and  $(y_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  is a sequence in X with  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \neq y_n\} \in I$ , then the sequence  $(y_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  pre-I-convergent to  $x \in X$ 

**Theorem 2.12.** Let X be a topological space and V a subset of X, if we have the following conditions:

- (1) V is a open set of X.
- (2) V is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set of X.
- (3) V is a pre-I-open set of X.
- (4)  $\{n \in \mathbb{N}x_n \in V\} \notin I$  for each sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X with  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$ .

Then, the have that:

$$(1) \Rightarrow (2) \Rightarrow (3) \Leftrightarrow (4).$$

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Consider V be an open set of X. If a point  $x_0 \in V$  and a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is pre-*I*-convergent to  $x_n$ . Then,  $n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ , this means that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-*I*-eventually in V. Hence, V is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of  $x_0$ . Therefore, this shows that the set V is a pre-*I*<sub>sn</sub>-open set of X.

 $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$ : Suppose that the set V is not a pre-*I*-open set of X, then the complement X - V is not a pre-*I*-closed set of X, this implies that there exists a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X - V and a point  $x_0 \in V$  with  $x_n \rightarrow^{pI} x_0$ , thus  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} = \mathbb{N} \notin I$ , in consequence the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is not pre-*I*-eventually in V. Therefore, V is not a pre-*I<sub>sn</sub>*-open set of X.

(3)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (4): We begin prove (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (4). Suppose that V is a pre-*I*-open set of X and let  $(x_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  be a sequence in X satisfying  $x_n \to^{pI} x \in V$ . Now, choose  $N_0 = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \in V\}$ . If  $N_0 \in I$ , then  $N_0 \neq \mathbb{N}$  and so  $V \neq X$ . Now, take a point  $a \in X - V$  and define the sequence  $(y_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  in X by  $y_n = a, n \in N_0$ , thus  $y_n = x_n, n \notin N_0$ . By Lemma 2.11, the sequence  $(y_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  pre-*I*-converges to x. Therefore, we can see that X - V is pre-*I*-closed and  $(y_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq X - V$ , and hence  $x \in X - V$  and this is a contradiction. Therefore,  $N_0 \notin I$ .

The prove of  $(4) \Rightarrow (3)$  is followed taking into account that I is an admissible ideal.  $\Box$ 

Remark 2.13. If I is and ideal of all never dense sets and let X be a topological space and V a subset of X, if we have the following conditions:

- (1) V is a open set of X.
- (2) V is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set of X.
- (3) V is a pre-I-open set of X.
- (4) V is a pre-open set of X.

(5)  $\{n \in \mathbb{N}x_n \in V\} \notin I$  for each sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X with  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$ . Then, the have that:

$$\begin{array}{c} (1) \to (2) \to (3) \leftrightarrow (4) \\ \uparrow & \uparrow \\ (5) \end{array}$$

The prove is similar to the Theorem 2.12, taking into account that pre-I-open sets and semi-open sets are equivalent.

**Lemma 2.14.** ([2]) Let X be a topological space. If a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is pre-I-convergent to a point  $x \in X$ , and  $\{y_n\}$  is a sequence in X with  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \neq y_n\} \in I$ , then the sequence  $\{y_n\}$  is pre-I-convergent to  $x \in X$ .

**Theorem 2.15.** Let X be a topological space. The, the following statements hold:

- (1) If  $Y \subset X$  and V is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open (resp. pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed, pre-I-open, pre-Iclosed) subset of X, then  $A \cap Y$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open (resp. pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed, pre-I-open, pre-I-closed) subset of the subspace Y.
- (2) If Y is a pre-I<sub>sn</sub>-open subset of X and V is a pre-I-open (resp. pre-I<sub>sn</sub>-open) subset of the subspace Y, then V is a pre-I-open (resp. pre-I<sub>sn</sub>-subst of X).
- (3) If Y is a pre-I-closed subset of X and V is a pre-I-closed subset of the subspace Y, then V is a pre-I-closed subset of X.
- Proof. (1) We will prove the cases for pre- $I_{sn}$ -open and pre-I-open subsets. Let  $Y \subset X$ . If  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence in Y with  $\{x_n \to^{sp_I} x_0 \in Y \text{ and } P \text{ is}$ a neighbourhood of  $x_0$  in X, then  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin P\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin P \cap Y\} \in I$ . Therefore, the sequence  $\{x_n \to^{pI} x_0 \in X$ . Consider that V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X. Now, let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in Y with  $\{x_n \to^{pI} x_0 \in V \cap Y$ . Then, the sequence  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$ in X. Since V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X, the set  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V \cap Y\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ , this implies that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-I-eventually in  $V \cap Y$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of the subspace Y. Consider that V is a pre-I-open subset of X. Now, let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in Y with  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0 \in V \cap Y$ . Then, the sequence  $x_n \to^{sI} x_0$  in X, and  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \in V \cap Y\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \in V\} \notin I$ , by part (4) of the Theorem 2.12 . Hence,  $V \cap Y$  is a pre-I-open subset of the subspace Y.

The cases for pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed and pre-I-closed subsets are proved analogous by complement sets.

(2) Consider that Y is an open subset of X, then Y is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X. Now, let V be a pre-I-open subset of the subspace Y. If V is not pre-I-open subset of X, then X - V is not a pre-I-closed subset of

X, hence there exits a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X - V and a point  $x \in V$  with  $x_n \rightarrow^{pI} x_0$  in X. By  $V \neq Y$ , choose a point  $y \in Y - A$  and define a sequence  $\{y_n\}$  in Y as follows:  $y_n = x_n$ , if  $x_n \in Y$ .  $y_n = y$ , if  $x_n \notin Y$ . It is well known that Y is a pre-I-sequential neighbourhood of x, then we have that  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \neq y_n\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin Y\} \in I$ . Therefore, by Lemma 2.14, the sequence  $\{y_n\}$  is pre-*I*-convergent to x in the subspace Y. Now, by part (4) of the Theorem 2.12, we have that  $\emptyset = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : y_n \in V\} \notin I$ , and this is a contradiction. Hence, this proves that V is a pre-I-open subset of X.

Let V be an open subset of Y, then V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of the subspace Y. If  $x \in V$  and  $\{x_n\}$  is a sequence with  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  in X, then Y is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of x in X, and  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin y\} \in I$ . Suppose that  $Y \neq V$  and choose a point  $y \in Y - V$ . Now, define a sequence  $\{y_n\} \in Y$  as follows:  $y_n = x_n$ , if  $x_n \in Y$ .  $y_n = y$  If  $x_n \notin Y$ . Thus,  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} :$  $x_n \notin y_n$  = { $n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin Y$ }  $\in Y$ . Now, by the Lemma 2.14, { $y_n$ } is pre-*I*-convergent to x in X, in consequence  $\{y_n\}$  is pre-*I*-convergent to x in the subspace Y as well. Therefore,  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin Y\} \in I$ , this means that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-*I*-eventually in V and then pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of x in X. Therefore, this proves that V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X.

(3) Consider that Y is a pre-I-closed subset of X and V is a pre-I-closed subset of the subspace Y. If a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in V is pre-I-convergent to a point x in X, then  $x \in Y$ . Therefore, the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-*I*-convergent to xin the subspace Y, thus  $x \in V$ . In consequence, V is a pre-I-closed subset of X.

**Definition 2.16.** Let V be a subset of X, then

- (1)  $[V]_{PI_s} = \{x_0 \in X : \text{there exits a sequence } \{x_n\} \text{ in } V \text{ with } x_n \to^{pI} x_0\}.$
- (2)  $(V)_{PI_s} = \{x_0 \in X : \text{there exits no sequence } \{x_n \text{ in } X V \text{ with } x_n \to^{pI} x_0\}.$
- (3)  $[V]_{PI_{sn}} = \{x_0 \in X : \text{if } W \text{ is a pre-}I\text{-sequential neighbourhood of } x_0, \text{ then}$  $W \cap V \neq \emptyset.$
- (4)  $(V)_{PI_{sn}} = \{x_0 \in X : V \text{ is a pre-}I\text{-sequential neighbourhood of } x\}.$

Remark 2.17.  $[V]_{PI_s}$  and  $(V)_{PI_s}$  denote pre-*I*-hull and pre-*I*-kernel of the set V in X. besides,  $[V]_{PI_{sn}}$  and  $(V)_{PI_{sn}}$  denote pre- $I_{sn}$ -closure and pre- $I_{sn}$ -interior of V in X.

**Theorem 2.18.** Let X be a topological space. If  $V, U \subset X$ . Then, the following statements hold:

- (1)  $[V]_{PI_s} = X (X V)_{PI_s}.$

- $\begin{array}{l} (1) \quad (Y)_{PI_{s}} = X \quad (X \quad Y)_{PI_{s}}. \\ (2) \quad [V]_{PI_{sn}} = X (X A)_{PI_{sn}}. \\ (3) \quad Int(V) \subset (V)_{PI_{sn}} \subset (V)_{PI_{s}} \subset V \subset [V]_{PI_{s}} \subset [V]_{PI_{sn}} \subset Cl(V). \\ (4) \quad (V \cap U)_{PI_{sn}} = (V)_{PI_{sn}} \cap (U)_{PI_{sn}} \text{ and } [V \cup U]_{PI_{sn}} = [V]_{PI_{sn}} \cup [U]_{PI_{sn}}. \end{array}$

*Proof.* We begin proving (2): If  $x \in (X - V)_{PI_{sn}}$ , then X - V is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of  $x_0$  and  $(X - V) \cap V = \emptyset$ , and then,  $x_0 \notin [V]_{PI_{sn}}$ . This implies

that  $[V]_{PI_{sn}} \subset X - (X - A)_{PI_{sn}}$ . Now, if  $x_0 \notin [A]_{PI_{sn}}$ , then there exits a pre-I-sequential neighbourhood W of  $x_0$  with  $W \cap V = \emptyset$ , thus  $W \subset X - V$ , hence  $x \in (X - A)_{PI_{sn}}$ . Therefore,  $X - (X - V)_{PI_{sn}} \subset [V]_{PI_{sn}}$ . This proves that  $[V]_{PI_{sn}} = X - (X - V)_{PI_{sn}}$ . The proof of (1) is similar to the proof of (2). We continue proving (3): By the Theorem 2.12, it results that  $Int(V) \subset (V)_{PI_{sn}}$ .

If  $x_0 \in (V)_{PI_{sn}} - (V)_{PI}$ , then there exits a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X - V with  $x_n \to {}^{pI} x_0$ , and so,  $\mathbb{N} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ , which is a contradiction. Therefore, this implies that  $(V)_{PI_{sn}} \subset (V)_{PI_s}$ . If  $x_0 \in X - V$ , since the constant sequence  $x_0, x_0, \ldots$  is pre-*I*-convergent to  $x_0, x_0 \notin (V)_{pI_s}$ . This proves that  $(V)_{PI_s} \subset V$ . By part (1) and (2) of this Theorem, it results that  $V \subset [V]_{PI_s} \subset [V]_{PI_{sn}} \subset Cl(V)$ .

Finally, we prove (4): We will only prove  $(V \cap U)_{PI_{sn}} = (V)_{PI_{sn}} \cap (U)_{PI_{sn}}$ . It is clear that  $(V \cap U)_{PI_{sn}} \subset (V)_{PI_{sn}} \cap (U)_{PI_{sn}}$ . Otherwise, consider that  $x \in (V)_{PI_{sn}} \cap (U_{PI_{sn}})$  and a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is pre-*I*-convergent to the point  $x_0$ . Then, V and U are pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhoods of  $x_0$ , thus  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ and  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin U\} \in I$ . It follows that  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V \cap U\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \cup \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin U\} \in I$ . This implies that the set  $V \cap U$  is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhoods of  $x_0$ . this means,  $x_0 \in (U \cap V)_{PI_{sn}}$ . Therefore,  $(V \cap U)_{PI_{sn}} = (V)_{PI_{sn}} \cap (U)_{PI_{sn}}$ .

Remark 2.19. It is an open problem: If  $(V \cap U)_{PI_s} = (V)_{PI_s} \cap (U)_{PI_s}$  and  $[V \cup U]_{PI_s} = [V]_{PI_s} \cup [U]_{PI_s}$  for any subsets V and U of X.

## 3. Pre-I-neighbourhood spaces

In this section, we introduce the notion of pre-*I*-neighbourhood spaces. Besides, we study some of their properties and prove some equivalent conditions of the transformations among various neighbourhoods defined by pre-*I*-convergence.

Remark 3.1. Any family of pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subsets of a topological space is closed under arbitrary unions. Indeed, let  $\{V_{\alpha}\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$  be a family of pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subsets of a topological space X. Then,  $(\bigcup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} V_{\lambda})_{PI_{sn}} \subset \bigcup_{\lambda \in \Lambda} V_{\alpha} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} (V_{\alpha})_{PI_{sn}} \subset (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} V_{\alpha})_{PI_{sn}}$ . Therefore,  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} V_{\alpha} = (\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} V_{\alpha})_{PI_{sn}}$ , this means that the set  $\bigcup_{\alpha \in \Lambda} V_{\alpha}$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X.

Remark 3.2.  $\tau_{PI_{sn}} = \{V \subset X : V = (V)_{PI_{sn}}\}$  is a topology on X, this is followed by part (4) of the Theorem 2.18.

**Definition 3.3.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space, then:

- (1) X is said to be pre-*I*-neighbourhood space provided a subset V of X is pre-*I*-open if and only if  $V = (V)_{PI_{sn}}$ .
- (2) The family  $\tau_{PI_{sn}}$  is said to be pre- $I_{sn}$ -open topology induced by the topology  $\tau$  and the ideal I, and the topological space  $(X, \tau_{PI_{sn}})$  is called pre- $I_{sn}$ -open topological space induced by the space  $(X, \tau)$  or a pre- $I_{sn}$ -coreflection of the space  $(X, \tau)$  which is denoted by  $X_{PI_{sn}}$ .

**Lemma 3.4.** Both topological spaces  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \tau_{PI_{sn}})$  have the same pre-*I*-convergent sequences

*Proof.* Let  $x_0 \in X$  and  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence in X. It is followed that  $\tau \subset \tau_{PI_{sn}}$  that if  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  in  $\tau_{PI_{sn}}$ , then  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  in  $\tau$ . Conversely, suppose that  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  in  $\tau$  and  $x \in V \in \tau_{pI_{sn}}$ , where V is an open set in  $\tau$ . Then, V is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of x, therefore the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-*I*-eventually in V, thus  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin V\} \in I$ . This implies that,  $x_n \to^{pI} \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ .

**Theorem 3.5.** If a topology  $\sigma$  of a set of X contains each pre-I-open subset of a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ , then both spaces  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \sigma)$  have the same pre-I-convergent sequences if and only if  $\sigma = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ 

*Proof.* Let  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \sigma)$  be two topological spaces such that they have the same pre-*I*-convergent sequences. Since the family  $\sigma$  contains each pre-*I*-open subsets of  $(X, \tau)$ , by the Theorem 2.12,  $\tau_{PI_{sn}} \subset \sigma$ .

Otherwise, if  $V \in \sigma$ , then V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open set of  $(X, \sigma)$ . Since both spaces  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \sigma)$  have the same pre-I-convergent sequences, they have the same pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subsets, and hence  $V \in \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ . Therefore, this proves that  $\sigma = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ .

Now, consider  $\sigma = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ . Since both spaces  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \tau_{PI_{sn}})$  have the same pre-*I*-convergent sequences, both spaces  $(X, \tau)$  and  $(X, \sigma)$  have the same pre-*I*-convergent sequences. If *V* is a pre-*I*-open subset of  $(X, \sigma)$ , then *V* is a pre-*I*-open subset of  $(X, \tau)$ . And then,  $\sigma$  contains each pre-*I*-open subset of  $(X, \tau)$ .

*Remark* 3.6. The topological space  $(X, \sigma)$  of the above Theorem, it is a pre-*I*-sequential space.

**Lemma 3.7.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be a topological space. Then, the following statements hold:

- (1) X is a pre-I-sequential space if and only if X is a pre-I-neighbourhood space and  $\tau = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ .
- (2) X is a pre-I-neighbourhood space if and only if any pre-I-neighbourhood of each point is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -neighbourhood of the point in X.
- (3) X is a pre-I-sequential space if and only if any pre-I-neighbourhood of each point is a neighbourhood of the point X.

*Proof.* We begin proving (1): Let X be a pre-*I*-sequential space. If V is a pre-*I*-open subsets of X, then V is open in X, by the Theorem 2.12, V is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open, hence X is a pre-*I*-neighbourhood space. Besides, we have that  $\tau \subset \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ . If  $V \in \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ , then  $V = (V)_{PI_{sn}}$ , and by the Theorem 2.12, V is a pre-*I*-open subsets of X, therefore V is open in X, and hence  $V \in \tau$ . This proves that  $\tau = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ .

The proof of (2) and (3) are followed directly by the definitions.

Remark 3.8. Taking into account that we have seen so far and since that any family of pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subsets of a topological space X is closed under arbitrary unions, a subset V of X is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open if and only if V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -neighbourhood of  $x_0$ for each  $x_0 \in V$ . Then, it would be easily to check that the following statements are equivalent for a topological space  $(X, \tau)$ :

- (1)  $\tau = \tau_{PI_{sn}}$ .
- (2) Every pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X is open.
- (3) Any pre- $I_{sn}$ -neighbourhood of each point is a neighbourhood of the point in X.

Furthermore, it would be easily to check that the following statements are equivalent for a topological space  $(X, \tau)$  as well:

- (1) Any pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of each point is a neighbourhood of the point in X.
- (2) For each  $V \subset X$ , then  $Int(V) = (V)_{PI_{sn}}$ , and  $Cl(V) = [A]_{PI_{sn}}$ .
- (3) For each  $V \subset X$ , then  $(A)_{PI_{sn}}$  is open, and  $[A]_{PI_{sn}}$  is closed in X.

*Remark* 3.9. If we have a pre-*I*-neighbourhood, the following statements are open problems for future work:

- (1) Being hereditary with respect to subspaces.
- (2) Being hereditary with respect to pre-*I*-open (resp. pre-*I*-closed) subspaces.
- (3) Being preserved by topological sums.
- (4) We could not find an ideal I on  $\mathbb{N}$  and a topological space X such that X is not a pre-I-neighbourhood space.

The following results show some results which were found on continuous functions.

**Definition 3.10.** Let *I* be an ideal on  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $(X, \tau)$ ,  $(Y, \sigma)$  be a topological spaces and  $f : (X, \tau) \to (Y, \sigma)$  be a function, then:

- (1) f is said to be pre- $I_{sn}$ -continuous if V is a pre- $I_{sn}$  open subset of Y, then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X.
- (2) [2] f is said to be preserving pre-*I*-convergence provided for each sequences  $(x_n : n \in \mathbb{N})$  in X with  $x_n \to^{pI} x$ , the sequence  $(f(x_n) : n \in \mathbb{N})$  pre-*I*-converges to f(x).

**Theorem 3.11.** Let X and Y be two topological spaces and  $f : X \to Y$  be a function. Then, the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) f preserving pre-I-convergence.
- (2) f is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -continuous function.
- (3) If W is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of Y, then  $f^{-1}(W)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of X.
- (4)  $f([V]_{PI_{sn}}) \subset [f(V)]_{PI_{sn}}$  for each  $V \subset X$ .
- (5) If A is open and pre-I-sequential neighbourhood of a point  $y \in Y$  and  $x \in f^{-1}(y)$ , then  $f^{-1}(A)$  is open and semi-I-sequential neighbourhood of  $x \in X$ .

*Proof.* (1) $\Rightarrow$ (5): Let A be an open set and be a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of a point  $y \in Y$  and  $x \in f^{-1}(y)$ . Consider a sequence  $\{x_n\}$  in X is pre-*I*-convergent to the point  $x \in X$ . Since f is a preserving pre-*I*-convergence function, the sequence  $\{f(x_n) \text{ in } Y \text{ is pre-}I\text{-convergent to } f(x)$ . Hence,  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin f^{-1}(A)\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : f(x_n) \notin A\} \in I$ . Since  $f^{-1}(A)$  is open, then  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-*I*-eventually in  $f^{-1}(A)$ . Therefore,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a pre-*I*-sequential neighbourhood of x.

 $(5)\Rightarrow(4)$ : Let  $V \subset X$ . Consider that  $x \in [V]_{PI_{sn}} \subset X$ . If A is a pre-I-sequential neighbourhood of f(x) in Y, by part (5) of this Theorem,  $f^{-1}(A)$  is a pre-I-sequential neighbourhood of x in X, hence  $f^{-1}(A) \cap V \neq \emptyset$ , this implies that  $A \cap f(V) \neq \emptyset$ , and then  $f(x) \in [f(V)]_{PI_{sn}}$ . Therefore,  $f([V]_{PI_{sn}}) \subset [f(V)]_{PI_{sn}}$ .

 $(4)\Rightarrow(3)$ : Let W be a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of Y. Then, by part (4) of this Theorem,  $f([f^{-1}(W)]_{PI_{sn}}]) \subset [f(f^{-1}(W))]_{PI_{sn}} \subset [W]_{PI_{sn}} = W$ , this implies that  $[f^{-1}(W)]_{PI_{sn}} \subset f^{-1}(W)$ . Therefore, this proves that  $f^{-1}(W)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of X.

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 $(3)\Rightarrow(2)$ : Let V be a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of Y, thus Y - V is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of Y. By part (3) of this Theorem,  $f^{-1}(Y - V) = X - f^{-1}(V)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -closed subset of X, and then  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X. Therefore, this proves that f is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -continuous function.

 $(2) \Rightarrow (1)$ : Consider that a sequence  $x_n \to^{pI} x_0$  in X and V be a open subset of Y with  $f(x) \in V$ . Since V is pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of Y, then by part (2) of this Theorem,  $f^{-1}(V)$  is a pre- $I_{sn}$ -open subset of X and  $x \in f^{-1}(V)$ . Hence, the sequence  $\{x_n\}$  is pre-I-eventually in  $f^{-1}(V)$  and so,  $\{n \in \mathbb{N} : f(x_n) \notin V\} = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : x_n \notin f^{-1}(V)\} \in I$ , besides V and  $f^{-1}(V)$  are pre-open, therefore this implies that  $f(x_n) \to^{pI} f(x_0)$  in Y. In consequence, f is preserving pre-I-convergence.  $\Box$ 

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