

Various Concepts Using J-Closed Sets

§ 3.1. Introduction

Topological structures on the assortment of information are reasonable mathematical models for mathematizing not just quantitative information yet in addition qualitative ones. The concept of g -openness assume a significant part in General Topology and they are presently the research topics of numerous topologists around the world. One of the most notable thoughts and furthermore a motivation source is the idea of J -open sets are presented. Dual operators like J -Closure of a subset and J -interior of a subset are established.

The intention of this chapter is to propose Neighbourhood using J -open sets namely J -Neighborhood of a point and J -Neighborhood of a subset in topological spaces. Also a few essential relations and fascinating characterizations of J -Neighborhood are discussed. Likewise, J -Limit point of a subset, J -Derived set, J -Frontier of a subset, J -Border of a subset, J -Exterior of a subset are introduced using the concept of J -closed sets here. Some exciting features of J -Closure, J -interior and J -Derived set, J -Saturated sets are obtained. Moreover, the interrelations between J -Border, J -Frontier, J -Exterior sets are analysed.

§ 3.2. J-Closure Operator

In this section, the notion of J -closure of a set is introduced and some of its properties are studied.

Definition 3.2.1. The J -closure of D (briefly $JCl(D)$) of a topological space (Y, ζ) is defined as follows. $JCl(D) = \bigcap \{F \subseteq Y : D \subseteq F \text{ and } F \in JC(Y, \zeta)\}$

Proposition 3.2.2. Let D be any subset of (Y, ζ) . If D is J -closed in (Y, ζ) , then $JCl(D) = D$.

Proof Let D be J -closed in (Y, ζ) . By definition, $JCl(D) = \bigcap \{F \subseteq Y : D \subseteq F \text{ and } F \in JC(Y, \zeta)\}$. Since D is J -closed, the smallest F in the above collection is D itself and hence $JCl(D) = D$.

Counter Example 3.2.3. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}, \zeta = \{\emptyset, Y, \{p\}, \{p, q\}\}$. Here $JCl(Y, \zeta) = P(Y) - \{\{p\}, \{q\}, \{p, q\}\}$. Let $D = \{p, q\}$. Then $JCl(D) = \{p, q\} = D \neq$ a J-closed set.

Remark 3.2.4. For a subset D of (Y, ζ) , $D \subseteq JCl(D) \subseteq Cl(D)$.

Proposition 3.2.5. Let D and B be subsets of (Y, ζ) . Then the following statements are true:

- (a) $JCl(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ and $JCl(Y) = Y$
- (b) If $D \subseteq B$, then $JCl(D) \subseteq JCl(B)$
- (c) $D \subseteq JCl(D)$
- (d) $JCl(D) \cup JCl(B) = JCl(D \cup B)$
- (e) $JCl(D \cap B) \subseteq JCl(D) \cap JCl(B)$
- (f) $JCl(JCl(D)) = JCl(D)$.

Proof (a), (b), (c) follow from **Definition 3.2.1**.

(d) Since $D \subseteq D \cup B$ and $B \subseteq D \cup B$. By (b), $JCl(D) \subseteq JCl(D \cup B)$ and $JCl(B) \subseteq JCl(D \cup B)$. Hence $JCl(D) \cup JCl(B) \subseteq JCl(D \cup B)$. To prove the reverse inequality, let $x \notin JCl(D) \cup JCl(B)$, then $x \notin JCl(D)$ and $x \notin JCl(B)$. Therefore, there exist J-closed sets U and V in Y such that $D \subseteq U$ and $B \subseteq V$ and $x \notin U$ and $x \notin V$. Hence we have $D \cup B \subseteq U \cup V$ and $x \notin U \cup V$. By **Theorem 2.3.48.**, $U \cup V$ is J-closed and hence $x \notin JCl(D \cup B)$.

(e) Since $D \cap B \subseteq D$ and $D \cap B \subseteq B$. By (b), $JCl(D \cap B) \subseteq JCl(D)$ and $JCl(D \cap B) \subseteq JCl(B)$. Hence $JCl(D \cap B) \subseteq JCl(D) \cap JCl(B)$.

(f) Follows from the definition of J-closure.

The converse of the above Proposition 3.2.5.(e) is not true from the following Counter Example.

Counter Example 3.2.6. Let $Y = \{p, q, r\}, \zeta = \{\emptyset, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{p, q\}\}$. Then $JCl(Y, \zeta) = \{\emptyset, Y, \{r\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, r\}\}$. Take $D = \{p\}$ and $B = \{q\}$, $D \cap B = \emptyset$, $JCl(D) = \{p, r\}$, $JCl(B) = \{q, r\}$, $JCl(D) \cap JCl(B) = \{r\}$ but $JCl(D \cap B) = \emptyset$. Hence $JCl(D) \cap JCl(B) \not\subseteq JCl(D \cap B)$.

Result 3.2.7. From **Proposition 3.2.5.(a),(b),(c) and (d),(f)**, J-closure operator is a Kuratowski's closure operator.

Theorem 3.2.8. For each $y \in Y$, $y \in JCl(D)$ if and only if $U \cap D \neq \phi$ for every **J**-open set U in (Y, ζ) containing y .

Proof(Necessity) Let $y \in JCl(D)$. Suppose that there exists a **J**-open set U in (Y, ζ) containing y such that $U \cap D = \phi$. Hence $D \subseteq Y - U$ is **J**-closed in (Y, ζ) which implies that $JCl(D) \subseteq Y - U$. Hence $y \notin JCl(D)$ which is a contradiction. Hence $U \cap D \neq \phi$.

(Sufficiency) Let us assume that $U \cap D \neq \phi$ for every **J**-open set U in (Y, ζ) containing y . Suppose that $y \notin JCl(D)$. By definition of **J**-closure, there exists a **J**-closed set U in (Y, ζ) containing D such that $y \notin U$. Hence $Y - U$ is **J**-open in (Y, ζ) containing y . Therefore $(Y - U) \cap D = \phi$, which is a contradiction. Hence $y \in JCl(D)$.

§ 3.3. J-Neighbourhood

Definition 3.3.1. A subset M of a topological space (Y, ζ) is said to be a **J-Neighbourhood** of $x \in Y$ if there exists a **J**-open set D such that $x \in D \subseteq M$. The set of all **J**-Neighbourhoods of x is denoted by $JNr(x)$.

Example 3.3.2. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}$, $\zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p, q\}\}$. Then $JO(Y, \zeta) = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{r\}, \{s\}, \{p, q\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, r\}, \{p, s\}, \{q, s\}, \{p, q, r\}, \{p, q, s\}\}$. Here $\{q, r, s\}$ is a **J**-Neighbourhood of q as $q \in \{q, r\} \subseteq \{q, r, s\}$.

Theorem 3.3.3. A **J**-open set N is a **J-Neighbourhood** of each of its points.

Proof Let N be a **J**-open set and $x \in N$. Then $x \in N \subseteq N$ satisfying the condition of N being a **J**-Neighbourhood. Since x is an arbitrary point of N , N is a **J**-Neighbourhood of each of its points.

Corollary 3.3.4. Every **J**-open set containing a point x belongs to $JNr(x)$.

Remark 3.3.5. A **J**-Neighbourhood of some point in Y need not be a **J**-open set as observed from the upcoming example.

Example 3.3.6. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}$, $\zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$. Then $JO(Y, \zeta) = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{r\}, \{p, q\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, r\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$. A subset $\{p, q, s\}$ is **J**-Neighbourhood of p as $p \in \{p, q\} \subseteq \{p, q, s\}$. But it is not a **J**-open set.

Definition 3.3.7. A subset M is said to be a **J-Neighbourhood** of $N \subseteq Y$ if there exists a J-open set A such that $N \subseteq A \subseteq M$. The set of all J-Neighbourhoods of N is denoted by $JNr(N)$.

Example 3.3.8. In the above **Example 3.3.2.**, $\{p, q, s\}$ is J-Neighbourhood of $\{p\}$ as $\{p\} \in \{p, q\} \subseteq \{p, q, s\}$.

Theorem 3.3.9. If M is a J-closed subset of a topological space (Y, ζ) and $x \in Y - M$, then there exists a J-Neighbourhood N of x such that $N \cap M = \emptyset$.

Proof Let M be a J-closed subset of Y then $Y - M$ is J-open in Y . By **Theorem 3.3.3.**, $Y - M$ is a J-Neighbourhood of each of its points. Therefore there exists a J-open set N of x such that $N \subseteq Y - M$ which in turn implies that $N \cap M = \emptyset$.

Theorem 3.3.10. In a topological space (Y, ζ) with $x \in Y$, the following results are true.

- (i) $JNr(x) \neq \emptyset$
- (ii) If $M \in JNr(x)$, then $x \in M$
- (iii) If $M \in JNr(x)$ and $M \subseteq N$, then $N \in JNr(x)$
- (iv) If $M \in JNr(x)$ and $N \in JNr(x)$, then $M \cap N \in JNr(x)$
- (v) If $M \in JNr(x)$ then there exists a $N \in JNr(x)$ such that $N \subseteq M$ and $N \in JNr(y)$, for every $y \in N$.

Proof (i) Since Y itself is a J-open set by **Theorem 3.3.3.**, it is a J-Neighbourhood for every $x \in Y$. That is $Y \in JNr(x)$, for all $x \in Y$. Hence $JNr(x) \neq \emptyset$ for all $x \in Y$.

(ii) Follows from the **Definition 3.3.1.**

(iii) Let $M \in JNr(x)$ and $M \subseteq N$. Since M is a J-Neighbourhood of x then there exists a J-open set A such that $x \in A \subseteq M$. Since $M \subseteq N$, we get $x \in A \subseteq N$. Hence N is a J-Neighbourhood of x .

(iv) Let $M \in JNr(x)$ and $N \in JNr(x)$ then there exists J-open sets A and B such that $x \in A \subseteq M$ and $x \in B \subseteq N$. This implies $x \in A \cap B \subseteq M \cap N$. Now in order to prove $M \cap N$ is a J-Neighbourhood of x , it is enough to prove that $A \cap B$ is J-open. Since finite intersection of J-open sets is J-open (by **Theorem 2.3.88**), $A \cap B$ is J-open and hence $M \cap N$ is a J-Neighbourhood of x . Therefore $M \cap N \in JNr(x)$.

(v) Let $M \in \text{JNr}(x)$ then there exists a J-open set N such that $x \in N \subseteq M$. Since N is J-open, it is a J-Neighbourhood of all its points (by **Theorem 3.3.3**). Thus $N \in \text{JNr}(y)$, for every $y \in N$.

Lemma 3.3.11. $\text{Nr}(x) \subseteq \text{JNr}(x)$.

Proof Let $A \in \text{Nr}(x)$. Then $\exists B \in \zeta$ such that $x \in B \subseteq A$. Since every open set is a J-open set (by **Theorem 2.3.75**), $A \in \text{JNr}(x)$.

Lemma 3.3.12. $\text{JNr}(x)$ satisfies

- (i) $M \in \text{JNr}(x)$ such that $x \in M$
- (ii) $N, M \in \text{JNr}(x)$ implies $N \cap M \in \text{JNr}(x)$ then $\mathcal{B} = \{\emptyset\} \cup \{G \subseteq Y / x \in G \text{ implies } N \in \text{JNr}(x) \text{ such that } x \in N \subseteq G\}$ forms a basis for the topological space (Y, ζ) .

Proof Obvious.

§ 3.4. J-Derived Set

Definition 3.4.1. Let $D \subseteq Y$ and a point $y \in Y$ is known as a **J-limit point** of D if every J-Neighbourhood of y intersects D in some point other than y itself.

Example 3.4.2. Let $Y = \{p, q, r\}$, $\zeta = \{\emptyset, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{p, q\}\}$. Then $\text{JO}(Y, \zeta) = \{\emptyset, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{p, q\}\}$. Here r is the J-limit point of $\{p, r\}$.

Definition 3.4.3. The set of all J-limit points of $D \subseteq Y$ is called **J-Derived set** of D and is denoted by $\text{JDr}(D)$.

Theorem 3.4.4. Let $A, B \subseteq Y$. Then the following statements are valid in (Y, ζ) .

- (i) $\text{JDr}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$
- (ii) $\text{JDr}(A) \subseteq \text{Dr}(A)$
- (iii) If $A \subseteq B$, then $\text{JDr}(A) \subseteq \text{JDr}(B)$
- (iv) $\text{JDr}(A \cup B) = \text{JDr}(A) \cup \text{JDr}(B)$
- (v) $\text{JDr}(A \cap B) \subseteq \text{JDr}(A) \cap \text{JDr}(B)$
- (vi) $[\text{JDr}(\text{JDr}(A))] - A \subseteq \text{JDr}(A)$
- (vii) $\text{JDr}(A \cup \text{JDr}(A)) \subseteq A \cup \text{JDr}(A)$.

Proof (i) Follows from the **Definition 3.4.1**.

(ii) Let $x \in \text{JDr}(A)$. Then every J-Neighbourhood N of x is such that $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ ---- (1). Consider N' is a neighbourhood of x . By the above **Lemma 3.3.11.**, N' is J-Neighbourhood of x . Hence by (1), $N' \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$. Hence $x \in \text{Dr}(A)$.

(iii) Let $x \in \text{JDr}(A)$. Then for every J-Neighbourhood N of x is such that $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$. Since $A \subseteq B$, $N \cap (B - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$. Therefore $x \in \text{JDr}(B)$.

(iv) Since $A \subseteq A \cup B$, $\text{JDr}(A) \subseteq \text{JDr}(A \cup B)$. Similarly $B \subseteq A \cup B$, $\text{JDr}(B) \subseteq \text{JDr}(A \cup B)$. Therefore $\text{JDr}(A) \cup \text{JDr}(B) \subseteq \text{JDr}(A \cup B)$. Suppose $x \notin \text{JDr}(A) \cup \text{JDr}(B)$. Then $x \notin \text{JDr}(A)$ or $x \notin \text{JDr}(B)$, that is x is neither a limit point of A nor of B . Therefore there exist J-Neighbourhoods N_1 and N_2 , then $N_1 \cap (A - \{x\}) = \emptyset$ and $N_2 \cap (B - \{x\}) = \emptyset$. Here to prove $N_1 \cap N_2$ is a J-Neighbourhood containing x . It is enough to prove $A \cap B$ is J-open. Since finite intersection of J-open sets is J-open (by **Theorem 2.3.88.**), $A \cap B$ is J-open. Hence $N_1 \cap N_2$ is a J-Neighbourhood containing x is such that $(N_1 \cap N_2) \cap ((A \cup B) - \{x\}) = \emptyset$ implies $x \notin \text{JDr}(A \cup B)$ gives $\text{JDr}(A \cup B) \subseteq \text{JDr}(A) \cup \text{JDr}(B)$.

(v) Since $A \cap B \subseteq A, B$, the proof follows.

(vi) Let $x \in \text{JDr}(\text{JDr}(A)) - A$. Then $N \cap (\text{JDr}(A) - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of x . Now let $y \in N \cap (\text{JDr}(A) - \{x\})$ implies $y \in N$ and $y \in \text{JDr}(A)$. Here $y \in \text{JDr}(A)$ gives $N \cap (A - \{y\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of y . So that take $z \in N \cap (A - \{y\})$. Then $z \neq x$ as $z \in A$ and $x \notin A$. Therefore $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of x . Hence $x \in \text{JDr}(A)$.

(vii) Let $x \in \text{JDr}(A \cup \text{JDr}(A))$. If $x \in A$, then the result is obvious. Suppose $x \in \text{JDr}(A \cup \text{JDr}(A)) - A$. Then $N \cap (A \cup \text{JDr}(A) - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of x implies $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ and $N \cap (\text{JDr}(A) - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$. Now let $y \in N \cap (\text{JDr}(A) - \{x\})$ implies $y \in N$ and $y \in \text{JDr}(A)$. So $N \cap (A - \{y\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of y . So that take $z \in N \cap (A - \{y\})$. Then $z \neq x$ as $z \in A$ and $x \notin A$. Therefore $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ for each J-Neighbourhood N of x . Hence $x \in \text{JDr}(A)$ and thus $x \in A \cup \text{JDr}(A)$.

Theorem 3.4.5. Let $A \subseteq Y$. If A is J-closed then $\text{JDr}(A) \subseteq A$.

Proof Let $x \in \text{JDr}(A)$ then $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ whenever N is a J-Neighbourhood of x implies $N \cap A \neq \emptyset$ whenever N is a J-Neighbourhood of x ---- (1). Consider $N' \cap A$ where

N' is J-open, then by **Theorem 3.3.3.**, every J-open is J-Neighbourhood of x and from (1), $N' \cap A \neq \emptyset$. Therefore $x \in JCl(A) = A$, since A is J-closed. Hence the proof.

Corollary 3.4.6. $JDr(A) \subseteq JCl(A)$.

Theorem 3.4.7. For any subset A of a topological space (Y, ζ) , $JCl(A) = A \cup JDr(A)$.

Proof By the above **Corollary 3.4.6.**, $JDr(A) \subseteq JCl(A)$, $A \cup JDr(A) \subseteq JCl(A)$. On the other hand, let $x \in JCl(A)$. If $x \in A$, then the proof is complete. If $x \notin A$, each J-open set U containing x intersects A at a point distinct from x ; So $x \in JDr(A)$. Thus $JDr(A) \subseteq A \cup JDr(A)$ which completes the proof.

Lemma 3.4.8. $JCl(A) - A \subseteq JDr(A)$.

Proof Let $x \in JCl(A) - A$. Then $x \in JCl(A)$ and $x \notin A$. For every J-open set N containing x intersects A and $x \notin A$. By **Theorem 3.3.3.**, for every J-Neighbourhood N containing x intersects A and $x \notin A$. Hence $N \cap (A - \{x\}) \neq \emptyset$ and $x \in JDr(A)$. Hence the proof.

§ 3.5. J-Interior Operator

In this section, the notion of J-Interior of a set is introduced and some of its properties are studied.

Definition 3.5.1. Let D be a subset of Y . A point $y \in D$ is said to be **J-interior point** of D if D is a J-Neighbourhood of y . The set of all J-interior points of D is called the J-interior of D and is denoted by $Jint(D)$.

Lemma 3.5.2. If D is a subset of Y , then $Jint(D) = \cup\{G: G \subseteq D \text{ and } G \in JO((Y, \zeta))\}$.

Proof Let D be a subset of Y . Let $y \in Jint(D) \Leftrightarrow y$ is a J-interior point of $D \Leftrightarrow D$ is a J-Neighbourhood of $y \Leftrightarrow \exists$ a J-open set G such that $y \in G \subseteq D \Leftrightarrow y \in \cup\{G: G \subseteq D \text{ and } G \in JO((Y, \zeta))\}$. Hence $Jint(D) = \cup\{G \subseteq Y: G \subseteq D \text{ and } G \in JO((Y, \zeta))\}$.

Lemma 3.5.3. If D is a subset of Y , then $int(D) \subseteq Jint(D)$.

Proof Let D be a subset of Y . Let $y \in int(D) \Rightarrow y \in \cup\{G: G \subseteq D \text{ and } G \in \zeta \Rightarrow \exists$ an open set G such that $y \in G \subseteq D$. Since every open set is a J-open set (by **Theorem 2.3.75.**) in $Y \Rightarrow y \in \cup\{G: G \subseteq D \text{ and } G \in JO((Y, \zeta))\} \Rightarrow y \in Jint(D)$. Hence $int(D) \subseteq Jint(D)$.

The converse of the above **Lemma 3.5.3.** is not true from the following counter example.

Counter Example 3.5.4. Let $Y = \{p, q, r\}, \zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p, q\}\}$. Here $JO((Y, \zeta)) = P(Y)$. Let $D = \{r\}, Jint(D) = \{r\}, int(D) = \phi$. Hence $Jint(D) \not\subseteq int(D)$.

Result 3.5.5. In general $intD$ is an open set. But $JintD$ need not be a J-open set. It can be proved by the following counter example.

Counter Example 3.5.6. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}, \zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}\}$. Here $JO((Y, \zeta)) = P(Y) - \{q, r, s\}$. Let $D = \{q, r, s\}, Jint(D) = \{q, r, s\}$ but it is not a J-open set.

Theorem 3.5.7. For any two subsets D and B of (Y, ζ) , the following statements are true:

- (a) $Jint(Y) = Y$ and $Jint(\phi) = \phi$
- (b) $Jint(D) \subseteq D$
- (c) If B is any J-open set contained in D , then $B \subseteq Jint(D)$
- (d) If $D \subseteq B$, then $Jint(D) \subseteq Jint(B)$.

Proof (a) It is obvious. (b) Let $y \in Jint(D)$. Then y is a J-interior point of $D \Rightarrow D$ is a J-Neighbourhood of $y \Rightarrow y \in D$. Hence $Jint(D) \subseteq D$. (c) Let B be any J-open set such that $B \subseteq D$. Let $y \in B$. Since B is a J-open set contained in D , y is a J-interior point of D . That is $y \in Jint(D)$. Hence $B \subseteq Jint(D)$. (d) Let D and B be subsets of Y such that $D \subseteq B$. Let $y \in Jint(D)$. Then y is a J-interior point of D and so D is a J-Neighbourhood of y . (ie) there exists a J-open set G such that $y \in G \subseteq D$. Now $D \subseteq B$ implies $y \in G \subseteq B$. Hence B is also J-Neighbourhood of y then $y \in Jint(B)$. Hence $Jint(D) \subseteq Jint(B)$.

Remark 3.5.8. For a subset D of (Y, ζ) , $int(D) \subseteq Jint(D) \subseteq D$.

Lemma 3.5.9. $Jint(D) = D - JDr(Y - D)$.

Proof Let $x \in D - JDr(Y - D)$, then $x \notin JDr(Y - D)$. Therefore \exists a J-open set G containing x such that $G \cap (Y - D) = \emptyset$ implies $x \in G \subseteq D$ and hence $x \in Jint(D)$. Now to prove $Jint(D) \subseteq D - JDr(Y - D)$. Let $x \in Jint(D)$ then $JintD$ is a J-Neighbourhood of x . Since $JintD \cap (Y - D) = \emptyset$, there is a J-Neighbourhood of x does not intersect $Y - D$ implies $x \notin JDr(Y - D)$. Therefore $x \in D - JDr(Y - D)$. Hence $Jint(D) = D - JDr(Y - D)$.

Proposition 3.5.10. Let D be any subset of (Y, ζ) . If D is J -open in (Y, ζ) then $Jint(D) = D$.

Proof Let D be J -open in (Y, ζ) . We know that $Jint(D) \subseteq D$. Also D is a J -open set contained in D . From above **Theorem 3.5.7.(c)**, $D \subseteq Jint(D)$. Hence $Jint(D) = D$.

The converse of **Proposition 3.5.10.** need not be true.

Counter Example 3.5.11. Same as in **Counter Example 3.5.6.** Here $Jint(D) = D$ but D is not a J -open set.

Corollary 3.5.12. $Jint(Jint(D)) = Jint(D)$.

Theorem 3.5.13. If D and B are subsets of Y , then $Jint(D) \cup Jint(B) \subseteq Jint(D \cup B)$.

Proof Since $D \subseteq D \cup B$ and $B \subseteq D \cup B$, by **Theorem 3.5.7.(d)**, $Jint(D) \subseteq Jint(D \cup B)$ and $Jint(B) \subseteq Jint(D \cup B)$. Hence $Jint(D) \cup Jint(B) \subseteq Jint(D \cup B)$.

The converse of **Theorem 3.5.13.** need not be true as seen from the following Counter example.

Counter Example 3.5.14. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}$, $\zeta = \{Y, \phi, \{r\}, \{p, q\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$. Here $JO(Y, \zeta) = \{Y, \phi, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{r\}, \{p, r\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, q\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$. Let $D = \{p, q, r\}$, $B = \{p, q, s\}$ and $D \cup B = \{p, q, r, s\} = Y$ then $Jint\{D\} = \{p, q, r\}$, $Jint\{B\} = \{p, q\}$ and $Jint\{D \cup B\} = Y$. Hence $Jint(D \cup B) = Y \not\subseteq Jint\{D\} \cup Jint\{B\} = \{p, q, r\}$.

Theorem 3.5.15. If D and B are subsets of Y , then $Jint(D \cap B) = Jint(D) \cap Jint(B)$.

Proof Since $D \cap B \subseteq D$ and $D \cap B \subseteq B$, by **Theorem 3.5.7.(d)**, $Jint(D \cap B) \subseteq Jint(D)$ and $Jint(D \cap B) \subseteq Jint(B)$. Hence $Jint(D \cap B) \subseteq Jint(D) \cap Jint(B)$. In other way, to prove $Jint(D) \cap Jint(B) \subseteq Jint(D \cap B)$. Let $y \in Jint(D)$ and $y \in Jint(B)$. Then y is a J -interior point of D and y is a J -interior point of B . That implies D is a J -Neighbourhood of y and B is a J -Neighbourhood of y . Therefore \exists a J -open set G such that $y \in G \subseteq D$ and \exists a J -open set M such that $y \in M \subseteq B$. By **Theorem 2.3.88.**, \exists a J -open set such that $y \in G \cap M \subseteq D \cap B$. Hence $y \in Jint(D \cap B)$.

Note 3.5.16. From **Theorem 3.5.7. (a),(b)** and **Corollary 3.5.12., Theorem 3.5.15.,** J -interior operator is a Kuratowski's interior operator.

Theorem 3.5.17. Let D be any subset of (Y, ζ) , then

$$(a) \quad (\text{Jint}(D))^c = \text{JCl}(D^c).$$

$$(b) \quad (\text{JCl}(D))^c = \text{Jint}(D^c).$$

Proof (a) Let $x \in (\text{Jint}(D))^c$. Then $x \notin \text{Jint}(D)$. That is every J -open set U containing x is such that $U \not\subseteq D$. That is every J -open set U containing x is such that $U \cap D^c \neq \emptyset$. By

Theorem 3.2.8., $x \in \text{JCl}(D^c)$ and therefore $(\text{Jint}(D))^c \subseteq \text{JCl}(D^c)$. Conversely, let $x \in \text{JCl}(D^c)$. Then by **Theorem 3.2.8.**, every J -open set U containing x is such that $U \cap D^c \neq \emptyset$. Then $x \notin \text{Jint}(D)$. Hence $x \in (\text{Jint}(D))^c$ and $\text{JCl}(D^c) \subseteq (\text{Jint}(D))^c$. Thus $(\text{Jint}(D))^c = \text{JCl}(D^c)$. (b) Follows by replacing int by Cl and Cl by int in (a).

Remark 3.5.18. In other notation, the above **Theorem 3.5.17.** can be stated as follows :

$$(a) \quad Y - \text{Jint}(D) = \text{JCl}(Y - D).$$

$$(b) \quad Y - \text{JCl}(D) = \text{Jint}(Y - D).$$

§ 3.6. J-Saturated Set

Definition 3.6.1. A subset D of a topological space (Y, ζ) is said to be **J-saturated set** if $\text{JCl}(\{x\}) \subseteq D$ for each $x \in D$. The set of all J -saturated sets in (Y, ζ) is denoted by $\text{JSr}(Y)$.

Example 3.6.2. Consider $Y = \{m, n, o\}$, $\zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{m\}, \{n\}, \{m, n\}\}$. Then $\text{JC}(Y, \zeta) = \{\phi, Y, \{n, o\}, \{m, o\}, \{o\}\}$. Let $D = \{n, o\}$. Then $\text{JCl}(\{x\}) \subseteq D$ for each $x \in D$, it is a J -saturated set.

Theorem 3.6.3. Every J -closed set is a J -saturated set but not conversely.

Proof Let D be a J -closed set and $x \in D$. Then $\{x\} \subseteq D$. Take J -closure on both sides of $\{x\} \subseteq D$, we get $\text{JCl}(\{x\}) \subseteq \text{JCl}(D) = D$, as D is J -closed. Therefore D is J -saturated.

Counter Example 3.6.4. Let $Y = \{p, q, r, s\}$, $\zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{p, q\}, \{p, q, s\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$. Then $\text{JC}(Y, \zeta) = \{\phi, Y, \{r\}, \{s\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, r\}, \{p, s\}, \{r, s\}, \{q, s\}, \{p, q, r\}, \{p, r, s\}, \{p, q, s\}, \{q, r, s\}\}$. Let $D = \{p, q\}$. Then $\text{JCl}(\{x\}) \subseteq D$ for each $x \in D$, it is J -saturated but D is not J -closed.

§ 3.7. J-Frontier

Definition 3.7.1. Let $D \subseteq Y$. A subset D of (Y, ζ) is known as the **J-Frontier of D** is defined as $\text{JCl}(D) - \text{Jint}(D)$ and is denoted by $\text{JFr}(D)$.

Example 3.7.2. In the above **Example 3.3.6.**, $JC(Y, \zeta) = \{\phi, Y, \{s\}, \{p,s\}, \{r,s\}, \{q,s\}, \{p,r,s\}, \{p,q,s\}, \{q,r,s\}\}$. Let $D = \{r\}$, $JCl(D) = \{r,s\}$. Here $Jint(D) = \{r\}$. Therefore $JFr(D) = JCl(D) - Jint(D) = \{r,s\} - \{r\} = \{s\}$.

Proposition 3.7.3. Let $D \subseteq Y$. Then the upcoming results are perfect.

- (a) $JFr(D) \subseteq Fr(D)$
- (b) $JCl(D) = Jint(D) \cup JFr(D)$
- (c) $Jint(D) \cap JFr(D) = \emptyset$
- (d) If D is a J -open set then $JFr(D) \subseteq JDr(D)$
- (e) $JFr(D) = JCl(D) \cap JCl(Y - D)$
- (f) $JFr(D)$ is J -closed
- (g) $JFr(D) = JFr(Y - D)$
- (h) $JFr(JFr(D)) \subseteq JFr(D)$
- (i) $JFr(Jint(D)) \subseteq JFr(D)$
- (j) $JFr(JCl(D)) \subseteq JFr(D)$
- (k) $Jint(D) = D - JFr(D)$.

Proof

- (a) Since $JCl(D) \subseteq Cl(D)$ (by **Proposition 2.3.2.**) and $int(D) \subseteq Jint(D)$ (by **Remark 3.5.8.**). It gives $JCl(D) - Jint(D) \subseteq Cl(D) - int(D)$ implies $JFr(D) \subseteq Fr(D)$.
- (b) $RHS = Jint(D) \cup JFr(D) = Jint(D) \cup [JCl(D) - Jint(D)] = Jint(D) \cup [JCl(D) \cap (Y - Jint(D))]$
 $= (Jint(D) \cup JCl(D)) \cap (Jint(D) \cup (Y - Jint(D))) = JCl(D) \cap Y = JCl(D)$ [By $Jint(D) \subseteq D \subseteq JCl(D)$]
 $= LHS$.
- (c) $Jint(D) \cap JFr(D) = Jint(D) \cap [JCl(D) - Jint(D)] = Jint(D) \cap [JCl(D) \cap (Y - Jint(D))]$
 $= Jint(D) \cap (Y - Jint(D)) \cap JCl(D) = JCl(D) \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$.
- (d) Given D is J -open implies that $Jint(D) = D$. $JFr(D) = JCl(D) - Jint(D)$
 $= JCl(D) - D \subseteq JDr(D)$. (By **Lemma 3.4.8.**)
- (e) $RHS = JCl(D) \cap JCl(Y - D) = JCl(D) - Jint(D) = JFr(D) = LHS$.
- (f) $JCl(JFr(D)) = JCl(JCl(D) - Jint(D)) = JCl(JCl(D) \cap JCl(Y - D))$
 $\subseteq JCl(JCl(D)) \cap JCl(JCl(Y - D)) = JCl(D) \cap JCl(Y - D)$ (by **Proposition 3.2.5.**)
 $= JCl(D) - Jint(D) = JFr(D)$. Hence $JFr(D)$ is J -closed.

- (g) $\text{RHS} = \text{JFr}(Y-D) = \text{JCl}(Y -D) - \text{Jint}(Y-D) = (Y - \text{Jint}(D)) - (Y - \text{JCl}(D)) = (Y - \text{Jint}(D)) \cap \text{JCl}(D) = \text{JCl}(D) - \text{Jint}(D) = \text{JFr}(D) = \text{LHS}.$
- (h) $\text{JFr}(\text{JFr}(D)) = \text{JCl}(\text{JFr}(D)) \cap \text{JCl}(Y - \text{JFr}(D)) \subseteq \text{JCl}(\text{JFr}(D)) = \text{JFr}(D)$ by (e) and (f).
- (i) $\text{JFr}(\text{Jint}(D)) = \text{JCl}(\text{Jint}(D)) - \text{Jint}(\text{Jint}(D)) = \text{JCl}(\text{Jint}(D)) - \text{Jint}(D) \subseteq \text{JCl}(D) - \text{Jint}(D) = \text{JFr}(D)$ (Since $\text{JCl}(\text{Jint}(D)) \subseteq \text{JCl}(D)$).
- (j) $\text{JFr}(\text{JCl}(D)) = \text{JCl}(\text{JCl}(D)) - \text{Jint}(\text{JCl}(D)) \subseteq \text{JCl}(D) - \text{Jint}(D) = \text{JFr}(D)$ (Since $\text{Jint}(\text{JCl}(D)) \supseteq \text{Jint}(D)$).

Proposition 3.7.4. Let $A \subseteq B$ and $\text{Jint}(B) = \emptyset$ then $\text{JFr}(A) \subseteq \text{JFr}(B)$.

Proof Let $A \subseteq B$ and $\text{Jint}(B) = \emptyset$. Let $x \in \text{JFr}(A) = \text{JCl}(A) - \text{Jint}(A)$ as $A \subseteq B$ and since $\text{Jint}(B) = \emptyset$, we get $x \in \text{JCl}(A) \subseteq \text{JCl}(B) = \text{JCl}(B) - \text{Jint}(B) = \text{JFr}(B)$. Hence $x \in \text{JFr}(B)$.

§ 3.8. J-Border

Definition 3.8.1. Let D be a subset of a topological space (Y, ζ) . The **J-Border of D** is defined as $D - \text{Jint}(D)$ and is denoted by $\text{JBr}(D)$.

Example 3.8.2. In the above **Example 3.3.6.**, let $D = \{q, r, s\}$, then $\text{Jint}(D) = \{q, r\}$. Therefore $\text{JBr}(D) = \{s\}$.

Theorem 3.8.3. Let A be a subset of a topological space (Y, ζ) . Then the following results hold:

- (a) $\text{JBr}(A) \subseteq \text{Br}(A)$
- (b) $\text{JBr}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$
- (c) $\text{JBr}(Y) = \emptyset$
- (d) $\text{JBr}(A) \subseteq A$
- (e) $A = \text{Jint}(A) \cup \text{JBr}(A)$
- (f) If A is J-open, then $\text{JBr}(A) = \emptyset$
- (g) $\text{Jint}(A) \cap \text{JBr}(A) = \emptyset$
- (h) $\text{JBr}(\text{Jint}(A)) = \emptyset$
- (i) $\text{Jint}(\text{JBr}(A)) = \emptyset$
- (j) $\text{JBr}(\text{JBr}(A)) = \text{JBr}(A)$
- (k) $\text{JBr}(A) = A \cap \text{JCl}(Y - A)$

$$(l) \text{ JBr}(A) = \text{JDr}(Y - A)$$

$$(m) \text{ Jint}(A) = A - \text{JBr}(A)$$

$$(n) \text{ JBr}(A) \subseteq \text{JFr}(A).$$

Proof

$$(a) \text{ JBr}(A) = A - \text{Jint}A \subseteq A - \text{int} A = \text{Br}(A) \text{ (By Lemma 3.5.3).}$$

(b) It is a trivial one.

$$(c) \text{ By definition } \text{JBr}(Y) = Y - \text{Jint}(Y) = Y - Y = \emptyset.$$

(d) It follows from the **Definition of Border of A**.

$$(e) \text{ RHS} = \text{Jint}(A) \cup \text{JBr}(A) = \text{Jint}(A) \cup [A - \text{Jint}(A)] = \text{Jint}(A) \cup (A \cap (Y - \text{Jint}A)) \\ = (\text{Jint}(A) \cup A) \cap (\text{Jint}(A) \cup (Y - \text{Jint}A)) = A \cap Y = A = \text{LHS}.$$

(f) Let A be J-open. Then $\text{Jint}(A) = A$. By definition of $\text{JBr}(A) = A - \text{Jint}(A) = A - A = \emptyset$.

$$(g) \text{ LHS} = \text{Jint}(A) \cap \text{JBr}(A) = \text{Jint}(A) \cap [A - \text{Jint}(A)] = \text{Jint}(A) \cap [A \cap (Y - \text{Jint}A)] \\ = \emptyset = \text{RHS}.$$

$$(h) \text{ JBr}(\text{Jint}(A)) = \text{Jint}(A) - \text{Jint}(\text{Jint}(A)) = \text{Jint}(A) - \text{Jint}(A) = \emptyset.$$

(i) Let $x \in \text{Jint}(\text{JBr}(A))$. Then $x \in \text{JBr}(A)$. In other way $\text{JBr}(A) \subseteq A$ by (d). Hence $x \in \text{Jint}(\text{JBr}(A)) \subseteq \text{Jint}(A)$. This implies that $x \in \text{Jint}(A) \cap \text{JBr}(A)$ which contradicts (g). Therefore $\text{Jint}(\text{JBr}(A)) = \emptyset$.

$$(j) \text{ LHS} = \text{JBr}(\text{JBr}(A)) = \text{JBr}(A - \text{Jint}(A)) = A - \text{Jint}(\text{Jint}(A)) = A - \text{Jint}(A) \\ = \text{JBr}(A) = \text{RHS}.$$

$$(k) \text{ JBr}(A) = A - \text{Jint}(A) = A - (Y - \text{JCl}(Y - A)) = A \cap \text{JCl}(Y - A).$$

$$(l) \text{ JBr}(A) = A - \text{Jint}(A) = A - (A - \text{JDr}(Y - A)) \text{ (by Lemma 3.5.9.)} = \text{JDr}(Y - A).$$

$$(m) \text{ RHS} = A - \text{JBr}(A) = A - (A - \text{Jint}(A)) = \text{Jint}(A) = \text{LHS}.$$

(n) Direct Proof.

Remark 3.8.4. The converse of the above Theorem 3.8.3. (f) is not true as seen from the following Counter Example.

Counter Example 3.8.5. In Counter Example 3.5.6., $\text{JBr}(D) = \emptyset$. But D is not J-open.

§ 3.9. J-Exterior

Definition 3.9.1. Let D be a subset of a topological space (Y, ζ) . The **J-Exterior** of D is defined as $Y - \text{JCl}(D)$ and is denoted by **JEr(D)**.

Example 3.9.2. In the above **Example 3.7.2.**, take $D = \{p\}$. Then $JCl(D) = \{p, s\}$. Therefore $JEr(D) = Y - JCl(D) = Y - \{p, s\} = \{q, r\}$.

Theorem 3.9.3. Let A be a subset of a topological space (Y, ζ) . Then the following results hold:

- (a) $JEr(A) \subseteq Er(A)$
- (b) $JEr(Y) = \emptyset$
- (c) $JEr(\emptyset) = Y$
- (d) $JEr(A) = Jint(Y - A) = Y - JCl(A)$
- (e) If $A \subseteq B$ then $JEr(A) \supseteq JEr(B)$
- (f) $JEr(A \cup B) = JEr(A) \cap JEr(B)$
- (g) $JEr(A \cap B) \supseteq JEr(A) \cap JEr(B)$
- (h) $JEr(JEr(A)) = Jint(JCl(A))$
- (i) $JEr(A) = JEr(Y - JEr(A))$
- (j) $Y = Jint(A) \cup JEr(A) \cup JFr(A)$
- (k) $Jint(A) \subseteq JEr(JEr(A))$
- (l) $JEr(A) \cup JEr(B) \subseteq JEr(A \cap B)$.

Proof

- (a) $JEr(A) = Y - JCl(A) \subseteq Y - Cl(A) = Er(A)$. (By **Proposition 2.3.2.**)
- (b) $JEr(Y) = Y - JCl(Y) = Jint(Y - Y) = Jint(\emptyset) = \emptyset$.
- (c) $JEr(\emptyset) = Y - JCl(\emptyset) = Y$.
- (d) From this $JEr(A) = Y - JCl(A) = Jint(Y - A)$ (by **Remark 3.5.18(b)**), we got the proof.
- (e) $JEr(A) = Y - JCl(A) = Jint(Y - A) \supseteq Jint(Y - B)$ as $A \subseteq B$. Hence $JEr(A) \supseteq JEr(B)$.
- (f) LHS = $JEr(A \cup B) = Y - JCl(A \cup B) = Y - (JCl(A) \cup JCl(B))$ (by **Proposition 3.2.5. (d)**) = $(Y - JCl(A)) \cap (Y - JCl(B)) = JEr(A) \cap JEr(B) =$ RHS.
- (g) Since $A \cap B \subseteq A$ and $A \cap B \subseteq B$. By (e), $JEr(A \cap B) \supseteq JEr(A)$ and $JEr(A \cap B) \supseteq JEr(B)$. Hence $JEr(A \cap B) \supseteq JEr(A) \cap JEr(B)$.
- (h) $JEr(JEr(A)) = JEr(Y - JCl(A)) = Jint(Y - (Y - JCl(A)))$ (by (d)) = $Jint(JCl(A))$.
- (i) $JEr(Y - JEr(A)) = JEr(Y - (Y - JCl(A))) = JEr(JCl(A)) = (Y - JCl(JCl(A)))$ (by (d)) = $Y - JCl(A)$ (by **Proposition 3.2.5.(f)**) = $JEr(A)$.

$$(j) \text{Jint}(A) \cup \text{JEr}(A) \cup \text{JFr}(A) = (\text{Jint}(A) \cup \text{JFr}(A)) \cup \text{JEr}(A) = \text{JCl}(A) \cup (Y - \text{JCl}(A)) = Y. (\text{By Proposition 3.7.3.(b)}).$$

$$(k) \text{Jint}(A) \subseteq \text{Jint}(\text{JCl}(A)) = \text{JEr}(\text{JEr}(A)), \text{by (h)}.$$

$$(l) \text{JEr}(A) \cup \text{JEr}(B) = \text{Jint}(Y-A) \cup \text{Jint}(Y-B) \subseteq \text{Jint}((Y-A) \cup (Y-B))$$

(by **Theorem 3.5.13.**) = $\text{Jint}(Y - (A \cap B)) = \text{JEr}(A \cap B)$, by **(d)**.

In Latif (2014), Theorem 1.13.(2) states that $\text{Ext}_\delta(A)$ is δ -open but in J-closed sets, the result does not hold good.

Result 3.9.4. $\text{JEr}(A)$ need not be J-open.

Counter Example 3.9.5. Let $Y = \{p, q, r\}$, $\zeta = \{\phi, Y, \{p\}\}$. Take $A = \{p\}$. Then $\text{JCl}(A) = \{p\}$. Therefore $\text{JEr}(A) = Y - \text{JCl}(A) = \{q, r\}$ which is not J-open in (Y, ζ) .