

A note on H-closed spaces

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1. INTRODUCTION.

In this paper I want to find out the properties which is satisfied in H-closed space. Many characterizations was introduced by Larry L. Herrington and Paul E. Long with weakly continuous mapping [4] and strongly closed graph, filterbase, family of regular-closed sets and nets [5].

Here I calculate the properties that a continuous surjection image of H-closed space is H-closed, a preimage of continuous bijection of H-closed and Urysohn space is H-closed space, a H-closed subspace of Hausdorff space is closed and if product space is H-closed space then each projection space is H-closed but not for converse.

Moreover all the notation are based on [1].

2. PRELIMINARY AND DEFINITION.

Definition 2.1. A Hausdorff space X is H-closed if for every $\{U_\alpha | \alpha \in A\}$ there exists a finite subfamily $\{U_{\alpha_i} | i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ such that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(U_{\alpha_i}) = X$.

Definition 2.2. A mapping $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be weakly continuous (briefly w.c.) if for each point $x \in X$ and each open set $V \subset Y$ containing $f(x)$, there exists an open set $U \subset X$ containing x such that $f(U) \subset Cl(V)$.

We omitt the other definition.

Lemma 2.3. (Levine). A mapping $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is w.c. iff for each open set $V \subset Y$, $f^{-1}(V) \subset Int(f^{-1}(Cl(V)))$.

Proof. [3].

Lemma 2.4 If Y is a Urysohn space and $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is w.c. injection, then X is Hausdorff.

Proof. For any distinct points $x_1, x_2 \in X$, we have $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$ because f is injective. Since Y is Urysohn, there exist open sets V_1 and V_2 in Y such that $f(x_1) \in V_1$, $f(x_2) \in V_2$ and $Cl(V_1) \cap Cl(V_2) = \emptyset$. Hence we have $Int(f^{-1}(Cl(V_1))) \cap Int(f^{-1}(Cl(V_2))) = \emptyset$. Since f is w.c., by L. 2.3., we have $x_j \in f^{-1}(V_j) \subset Int(f^{-1}(Cl(V_j)))$ for $j=1, 2$. This implies that X is Hausdorff.

3. MAIN PROPERTIES.

Theorem 3.1. A continuous surjection image of H-closed space is H-closed.

Proof. Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a continuous surjection and X be a H-closed space, $\{U_\alpha | \alpha \in A\}$ be arbitrary open cover of Y then there exists open cover of X with $\{f^{-1}(U_\alpha) | \alpha \in A\}$ since f is continuous. On the other hand since X is H-closed space there exists finite subcover $\{f^{-1}(U_{\alpha_i}) | i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ of $\{f^{-1}(U_\alpha) | \alpha \in A\}$ such that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(f^{-1}(U_{\alpha_i})) = X$. Thus, for above finite subcover, $\{U_{\alpha_1}, U_{\alpha_2}, \dots, U_{\alpha_n}\}$ is finite subcover of $\{U_\alpha | \alpha \in A\}$ and moreover $Y = f(X) = f(\bigcup_{i=1}^n Cl(f^{-1}(U_{\alpha_i}))) \subset f(\bigcup_{i=1}^n f^{-1}(Cl(U_{\alpha_i}))) =$

$(f^{-1}(\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(U_{\alpha i}))) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\text{Cl}(U_{\alpha i}))$. Clearly $\bigcup_{i=1}^n (\text{Cl}(U_{\alpha i})) \subset Y$. Thus $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(U_{\alpha i}) = Y$. This implies Y is H-closed space.

Theorem 3.2. A preimage of continuous bijection of H-closed and Urysohn space is H-closed space.

Proof. We put $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be continuous bijection and Y is H-closed and Urysohn space, then by Lemma 2.4 X is Hausdorff since generally if f is continuous then f is w.c. [4].

If each open cover $\{U_{\alpha} | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$ of X is the preimage of some open cover of Y of the form $\{V_{\alpha} | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$. Thus $\{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha}) | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$ be a cover of X such that $f^{-1}(V_{\alpha}) = U_{\alpha}$ for each $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$. Since Y is H-closed there exist finite subcover $\{V_{\alpha_i} | i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ of $\{V_{\alpha} | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$ such that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(V_{\alpha_i}) = Y$. For this finite subcover $\{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha_i}) | i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ is the finite subcover of $\{f^{-1}(V_{\alpha}) | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$ and that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(f^{-1}(V_{\alpha_i})) \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n f^{-1}(\text{Cl}(V_{\alpha_i})) = f^{-1}(\bigcup_{i=1}^n (\text{Cl}(V_{\alpha_i}))) = f^{-1}(Y) = X$. Since f is surjection, Suppose if $x \in X$, $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\text{Cl}(f^{-1}(V_{\alpha_i})))$, then $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^n f^{-1}(\text{Cl}(V_{\alpha_i})) = f^{-1}(\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(V_{\alpha_i})) = f^{-1}(Y) = X$ since f is surjection. $f(x) \in Y$ Thus this implies X is H-closed.

Theorem 3.3. A H-closed subspace of Hausdorff space is closed.

Proof. Let X be Hausdorff space and $A \subset X$ be the H-closed subspace, then as for the relative topology, we pick any open covering $\{U(a) \cap A | a \in A\}$ of A . On the other hand, since $U(a)$ is open in Hausdorff space and A is H-closed space itself, there exists finite subcover $\{U(a_i) \cap A | i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$ of $\{U(a) \cap A | a \in A\}$ such that $\bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Cl}(U(a_i) \cap A) = A$. Since finite union of closed sets is closed, thus A is closed.

Theorem 3.4. Let $\{Y_{\alpha} | \alpha \in \mathcal{A}\}$ be a family of spaces. If $\prod_{\alpha} Y_{\alpha}$ is H-closed space, then Y_{α} is H-closed for each $\alpha \in \mathcal{A}$.

Proof. We take projection $p_{\beta}: \prod_{\alpha} Y_{\alpha} \rightarrow Y_{\beta}$, since projection is continuous surjection and by theorem 3.1 Y_{β} is H-closed space.

In above theorem 3.4, converse is not hold by property of theorem 3.2.

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요 약

남정완, 배철근, 민강주

L.L. Herrington 과 P.E. Long 이 서술한 H-closed Space 에 대해서 성질 즉 H-closed Space 의 연속 이고 전사인 상은 H-closed Space 가 된다는 사실과 그의 몇가지 성질을 조사 했다.