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L-NEIGHBORHOOD SYSTEMS, L-TOPOLOGIES AND L-UNIFORMITIES

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Abstract. In this paper, we study the relations among L-topology, L-neighborhood system and L-uniformity in complete residuated lattices. We give their examples.

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1. Introduction

Quasi-uniformities have the following different approaches as follows the entourage approach of Lowen [2,10-14,17], the uniform covering approach of Kotzé [13] and the unification approach of Hutton [6,9,19] based on the powersets of the form  $L^{XL^X}$ .

Many researcher introduced the notion of fuzzy uniformities in unit interval [0,1] ([3,4,14,15]), complete distributive lattices ([9,13,17,19]), commutative unital quantales ([8,11,12]) and complete quasi-monoidal lattices ([6,8,18]).

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In this paper, we study the relations among *L*-topology, *L*-neighborhood system and *L*-uniformity as extensions of Lowen's definitions in complete residuated lattices. We give their examples.

## 2. Preliminaries

**Definition 2.1.** [1,7] An algebra  $(L, \land, \lor, \odot, \rightarrow, \bot, \top)$  is called a complete residuated lattice if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (C1)  $L = (L, \leq, \vee, \wedge, \top, \bot)$  is a complete lattice with the greatest element  $\top$  and the least element  $\bot$ ;
  - (C2)  $(L, \odot, \top)$  is a commutative monoid;
  - (C3)  $x \odot y \le z$  iff  $x \le y \to z$  for  $x, y, z \in L$ .

An operator \*:  $L \to L$  defined by  $a^* = a \to 0$  is called a *strong negation* if  $a^{**} = a$ .

For  $\alpha \in L, \lambda \in L^A$ , we denote  $(\alpha \to \lambda), (\alpha \odot \lambda), \alpha_A, \top_x, \top_x^* \in L^A$  as  $(\alpha \to \lambda)(x) = \alpha \to \lambda(x), (\alpha \odot \lambda)(x) = \alpha \odot \lambda(x), \alpha_A(x) = \alpha$ ,

$$\top_x(y) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \top, & \text{if } y = x, \\ \bot, & \text{otherwise,} \end{array} \right. \ \, \top_x^*(y) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \bot, & \text{if } y = x, \\ \top, & \text{otherwise.} \end{array} \right.$$

In this paper, we assume that  $(L, \vee, \wedge, \odot, \rightarrow, *, \top, \bot)$  be a complete residuated lattice with a strong negation \*.

**Lemma 2.2.** [1,7] Let  $(L, \vee, \wedge, \odot, \rightarrow, *, \top, \bot)$  be a complete residuated lattice with a strong negation \*. For each  $x, y, z, x_i, y_i \in L$ , the following properties hold.

- (1) If  $y \le z$ , then  $x \odot y \le x \odot z$ .
- (2) If  $y \le z$ , then  $x \to y \le x \to z$  and  $z \to x \le y \to x$ .
- (3)  $x \rightarrow y = \top \text{ iff } x < y$ .
- (4)  $x \to \top = \top$  and  $\top \to x = x$ .
- $(5) x \odot y \leq x \wedge y$ .
- (6)  $x \odot (\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} y_i) = \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} (x \odot y_i)$  and  $(\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} x_i) \odot y = \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} (x_i \odot y)$ .
- (7)  $x \to (\bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} y_i) = \bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} (x \to y_i)$  and  $(\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} x_i) \to y = \bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} (x_i \to y)$ .
- (8)  $\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} x_i \to \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} y_i \ge \bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} (x_i \to y_i)$  and  $\bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} x_i \to \bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} y_i \ge \bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} (x_i \to y_i)$ .

(9) 
$$(x \to y) \odot x \le y$$
 and  $(x \to y) \odot (y \to z) \le (x \to z)$ .

(10) 
$$x \to y \le (y \to z) \to (x \to z)$$
 and  $x \to y \le (z \to x) \to (z \to y)$ .

(11) 
$$\bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} x_i^* = (\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} x_i)^*$$
 and  $\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} x_i^* = (\bigwedge_{i \in \Gamma} x_i)^*$ .

(12) 
$$(x \odot y) \rightarrow z = x \rightarrow (y \rightarrow z) = y \rightarrow (x \rightarrow z)$$
 and  $(x \odot y)^* = x \rightarrow y^*$ .

(13) 
$$x^* \to y^* = y \to x$$
 and  $(x \to y)^* = x \odot y^*$ .

$$(14) y \rightarrow z \le x \odot y \rightarrow x \odot z.$$

**Definition 2.3.**[1,4,5,16] Let X be a set. A function  $R: X \times X \to L$  is called an L-prtial order if it satisfies the following conditions:

- (E1) reflexive if  $R(x,x) = \top$  for all  $x \in X$ ,
- (E2) transitive if  $R(x,y) \odot R(y,z) \le R(x,z)$ , for all  $x,y,z \in X$ ,
- (E3) if  $R(x, y) = R(y, x) = \top$ , then x = y.

**Lemma 2.4.** [4,5,16] For a given set X, define a binary mapping  $S: L^X \times L^X \to L$  by

$$S(\lambda, \mu) = \bigwedge_{x \in X} (\lambda(x) \to \mu(x)).$$

Then, for each  $\lambda, \mu, \rho, v \in L^X$ , and  $\alpha \in L$ , the following properties hold.

- (1) S is an L-partial order on  $L^X$ .
- (2)  $\lambda \leq \mu$  iff  $S(\lambda, \mu) = \top$ ,
- (3) If  $\lambda \leq \mu$ , then  $S(\rho, \lambda) \leq S(\rho, \mu)$  and  $S(\lambda, \rho) \geq S(\mu, \rho)$  for each  $\rho \in L^X$ ,
- (4)  $S(\lambda, \mu) \odot S(\nu, \rho) \leq S(\lambda \odot \nu, \mu \odot \rho)$ .

Let  $\phi: X \to Y$  be an ordinary mapping. Define  $\phi^{\to}: L^X \to L^Y$  and  $\phi^{\leftarrow}: L^Y \to L^X$  by

$$\phi^{\rightarrow}(\lambda)(y) = \bigvee_{\phi(x)=y} \lambda(x) \text{ for } \lambda \in L^X, y \in Y,$$

$$\phi^{\leftarrow}(\mu)(x) = \mu(\phi(x)) = \mu \circ \phi(x) \text{ for } \mu \in L^Y,$$

respectively.

**Lemma 2.5.** [5,16] Let  $\phi: X \to Y$  be an ordinary mapping. Define  $\phi^{\to}: L^X \to L^Y$  and  $\phi^{\leftarrow}: L^Y \to L^X$  by

$$\phi^{\to}(\lambda)(y) = \bigvee_{\phi(x) = y} \lambda(x), \quad \forall \lambda \in L^X, \ y \in Y,$$
  
$$\phi^{\leftarrow}(\mu)(x) = \mu(\phi(x)) = \mu \circ \phi(x), \ \forall \mu \in L^Y.$$

Then for  $\lambda, \mu \in L^X$  and  $\rho, \nu \in L^Y$ ,

$$S(\lambda, \mu) \leq S(\phi^{\rightarrow}(\lambda), \phi^{\rightarrow}(\mu)),$$

$$S(\rho, \nu) \leq S(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\rho), \phi^{\leftarrow}(\nu)),$$

and the equalities hold if  $\phi$  is bijective.

**Definition 2.6.** [8] A map  $\tau: L^X \to L$  is called an L-topology on X if it satisfies the following conditions.

- $(T1) \perp_X, \top_X \in \tau$ ,
- (T2) if  $\lambda, \rho \in \tau$ , then  $\lambda \odot \mu \in \tau$ ,
- (T3) If  $\lambda_i \in \tau$  for each  $i \in \Gamma$ , then  $\bigvee_i \lambda_{i \in \Gamma} \in \tau$ .

An L-topology is called enriched if

(R) if  $\lambda, \rho \in \tau$ , then  $\alpha \odot \lambda \in \tau$  for all  $\alpha \in L$ .

The pair  $(X, \tau)$  is called an L-topological space.

Let  $(X, \tau_1)$  and  $(Y, \tau_2)$  be two *L*-topological spaces. A mapping  $\phi : X \to Y$  is said to be *L*-continuous iff  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) \in \tau_1$  for each  $\lambda \tau_2$ .

**Definition 2.7.** [8] A map  $N: X \to L^{L^X}$  is called an L-neighborhood system on X if N satisfies the following conditions

(N1) 
$$N_x(\top_X) = \top$$
 and  $N_x(0_X) = \bot$ ,

(N2) 
$$N_x(\lambda \odot \mu) \ge N_x(\lambda) \odot N_x(\mu)$$
 for each  $\lambda, \mu \in L^X$ ,

(N3) If 
$$\lambda \leq \mu$$
, then  $N_x(\lambda) \leq N_x(\mu)$ ,

(N4) 
$$N_x(\lambda) \leq \lambda(x)$$
 for all  $\lambda \in L^X$ ,

(N5) 
$$N_x(\lambda) \leq \bigvee \{N_x(\mu) \mid \mu(y) \leq N_y(\lambda), \ \forall \ y \in X\}.$$

An L-neighborhood system is called stratified if

(R)  $N_x(\alpha \odot \lambda) \ge \alpha \odot N_x(\lambda)$  for all  $\lambda \in L^X$  and  $\alpha \in L$ .

The pair (X, N) is called an *L*-neighborhood space.

Let (X,N) and (Y,M) be two L-neighborhood spaces. A mapping  $\phi: X \to Y$  is said to be L-continuous at  $x \in X$  iff  $M_{\phi(x)}(\lambda) \leq N_x(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$  for each  $\lambda \in L^Y, \phi$  is L-continuous if it is L-continuous at every  $x \in X$ .

We define L-uniformity in a sense of Lowen.

**Definition 2.8.** [24] A map  $U \subset L^{X \times X}$  is called an L-quasi-uniformity on X iff the following conditions are fulfilled

- (QU1)  $\top_{X\times X} \in U$ ,
- (QU2) If  $v \le u$  and  $v \in U$ , then  $u \in U$ ,
- (QU3) For every  $u, v \in U$ ,  $u \odot v \in U$ ,
- (QU4) If  $u \in U$  then  $\top_{\triangle} \leq u$  where

$$\top_{\triangle}(x,y) = \begin{cases} \top, & \text{if } x = y \\ \bot, & \text{if } x \neq y, \end{cases}$$

(QU5) For each  $u \in U$ , there exists  $v \in U$  such that  $v \circ v \le u$  where

$$v \circ v(x,y) = \bigvee_{z \in X} v(x,z) \odot v(z,y), \ \forall \ x,y \in X.$$

An L-quasi-uniformity U on X is said to be stratified if

(S)If  $u \in U$ , then  $\alpha \odot u \in U$ .

An L-quasi-uniformity U on X is said to be L-uniformity if

(US)If 
$$u \in U$$
, then  $u^{-1} \in U$  where  $u^{-1}(x,y) = u(y,x)$ .

The pair (X, U) is called an L-uniform space.

Let (X,U) and (Y,V) be L-uniform spaces, and  $\phi: X \to Y$  ba a mapping. Then  $\phi$  is said to be L-uniformly continuous if  $(\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v) \in U$ , for every  $v \in V$ .

## 3. L-neighborhood systems, L-topologies and L-uniformities

**Theorem 3.1.** Let  $(X, \tau)$  be an L-topological space. Define a map  $N^{\tau}: X \to L^{L^X}$  by

$$N_x^{\tau}(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \mid \rho \leq \lambda, \ \rho \in \tau \}.$$

Then the following properties hold.

- (1)  $(X, N^{\tau})$  is an *L*-neighborhood space.
- (2) If  $\tau$  is enriched, then  $N^{\tau}$  is stratified and

$$N_x^{\tau}(\lambda) = \bigvee_{\rho \in \tau} (\rho(x) \odot S(\rho, \lambda).$$

**Proof.** (1) (N1) Since  $\top_X, \bot \in \tau$ ,  $N_x^{\tau}(\top_X) = \top$  and  $N_x^{\tau}(\bot) = \bot$ . (N2)

$$N_{x}^{\tau}(\lambda) \odot N_{x}^{\tau}(\rho)$$

$$= (\bigvee \{\lambda_{1}(x) \mid \lambda_{1} \leq \lambda, \ \lambda_{1} \in \tau\}) \odot (\bigvee \{\rho_{1}(x) \mid \rho_{1} \leq \rho, \ \rho_{1} \in \tau \geq s\})$$

$$\leq \bigvee \{(\lambda_{1} \odot \rho_{1})(x) \mid \lambda_{1} \odot \rho_{1} \leq \lambda \odot \rho, \ \lambda_{1} \odot \rho_{1} \in \tau\}$$

$$< N_{x}^{\tau}(\lambda \odot \rho).$$

(N3-5) follow from the definition of  $N^{\tau}$ .

(N6) Put  $N_-^{\tau}(\lambda, r) = \bigvee \{ \rho \mid \rho \leq \lambda, \ \rho \in \tau \}$  with  $N_-^{\tau}(x) = N_x^{\tau}$ . Then  $N_-^{\tau}(\lambda) \in \tau$ . By (N3) and the definition of  $N^{\tau}$ ,

$$N_x^{\tau}(N_-^{\tau}(\lambda)) = N_x^{\tau}(\lambda).$$

For  $r > r_1$ ,

$$N_x^{\tau}(\lambda) = N_x^{\tau}(N_-^{\tau}(\lambda))$$

$$\leq \bigvee \{N_x^{\tau}(\rho) \mid \rho(y) \leq N_y^{\tau}(\lambda)\}.$$

Thus  $(X, N^{\tau})$  is an *L*-neighborhood space.

(2)

$$\begin{split} &\alpha\odot N_x^\tau(\lambda)=\alpha\odot\bigvee\{\rho\mid\rho\leq\lambda,\,\rho\in\tau\}\\ &\leq\bigvee\{\alpha\odot\rho\mid\alpha\odot\rho\leq\alpha\odot\lambda,\,\alpha\odot\rho\in\tau\}\leq N_x^\tau(\alpha\odot\lambda). \end{split}$$

Put  $\gamma(x) = \bigvee_{\rho \in \tau} (\rho(x) \odot S(\rho, \lambda))$ . Let  $\rho$  with  $\rho \leq \lambda$  and  $\rho \in \tau$ . Then  $\rho(x) \odot S(\rho, \lambda) = \rho(x) \odot \top = \rho(x)$ . Thus  $\rho(x) \leq \gamma(x)$ . Therefore  $N_x^{\tau}(\lambda) \leq \gamma(x)$ .

Let  $\rho(x) \odot S(\rho, \lambda)$  with  $\rho \in \tau$ . Since  $\tau$  is enriched,  $\rho \odot S(\rho, \lambda) \in \tau$  and  $\rho(x) \odot S(\rho, \lambda) \le \rho(x) \odot (\rho(x) \to \lambda(x)) \le \lambda(x)$ . Then  $\gamma(x) \le N_x^{\tau}(\lambda)$ .

**Theorem 3.2.** Let (X,N) be an L-neighborhood space. Define  $\tau_N \subset L^X$  as follows

$$\tau_N = \{ \lambda \in L^X \mid \lambda(x) = N_x(\lambda), \forall x \in X \}.$$

Then,

- (1)  $\tau_N$  is an *L*-topology on *X*,
- (2) If *N* is stratified, then  $\tau_N$  is an enriched *L*-topology.
- (3)  $N = N^{\tau_N}$ .
- (4) If  $(X, \tau)$  is an *L*-topological space, then  $\tau = \tau_{N^{\tau}}$ .

**Proof.** (1) (T1) Since  $N_x(\top_X) = \top$  and  $N_x(\bot_X) = \bot$ , we have  $\top_X, \bot_X \in \tau_N$ .

- (T2) Let  $\lambda, \rho \in \tau_N$ . Since  $N_x(\lambda \odot \rho) \ge N_x(\lambda) \odot N_x(\rho) = (\lambda \odot \rho)(x)$  and (N4), then  $\lambda \odot \rho \in \tau_N$ .
- (T3) Let  $\lambda_i \in \tau_N$  for all  $i \in \Gamma$ . Since  $N_x(\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i) \ge \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} N_x(\lambda_i) = \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i$  and (N4), then  $\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i \in \tau_N$ .
  - (2) (R) Let  $\lambda \in \tau_N$ . Since  $N_x(\alpha \odot \lambda) \ge \alpha \odot N_x(\lambda) = \alpha \odot \lambda(x)$  and (N4), then  $\alpha \odot \lambda \in \tau_N$ .
- (3) Since  $N_x(\lambda) \leq N_x(N_-(\lambda)) \leq N_x(\lambda)$  from (N3) and (N5),  $N_x(\lambda) \leq N_x(N_-(\lambda))$  for all  $x \in X$ . Since  $N_-(\lambda) \in \tau$ , by the definition of  $N^{\tau_N}$ ,  $N_x(\lambda) \leq N_x^{\tau_N}(\lambda)$ .

Since  $N_x^{\tau_N}(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \rho_i(x) \mid \rho_i \leq \lambda, \ \rho_i \in \tau_N \}$  and  $\rho_i(x) = N_x(\rho_i)$ , then

$$\bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}(x) = \bigvee_{i} N_{x}(\rho_{i}) \leq N_{x}(N_{-}^{\tau_{N}}(\lambda)) = N_{x}(\bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}) \leq \bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}(x).$$

Hence  $N_x(N_-^{\tau_N}(\lambda)) = N_x^{\tau_N}(\lambda)$ . Since  $N_-^{\tau_N}(\lambda) \le \lambda$ , by (N3),

$$N_x^{\tau_N}(\lambda) = N_x(N_-^{\tau_N}(\lambda)) \leq N_x(\lambda).$$

Thus  $N_x^{\tau_N} = N_x$  for all  $x \in X$ .

(4) Let  $\lambda \in \tau_{N^{\tau}}$ . Then  $\lambda = N_{-}^{\tau}(\lambda) \in \tau$ .

Let  $\rho \in \tau$ . Then  $\rho(x) = N_x^{\tau}(\rho)$  for all  $x \in X$ . Then  $\rho \in \tau_{N^{\tau}}$ .

**Theorem 3.3.**  $\phi:(X,\tau_X)\to (Y,\tau_Y)$  is *L*-continuous iff  $\phi:(X,N^{\tau_X})\to (Y,N^{\tau_Y})$  is *L*-continuous.

**Proof.** ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Since  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\rho) \in \tau_X$  for each  $\rho \in \tau_Y$ , we have

$$N_{\phi(x)}^{\tau_{Y}}(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \rho(\phi(x)) \mid \rho \leq \lambda, \rho \in \tau_{Y} \}$$

$$= \bigvee \{ \phi^{\leftarrow}(\rho)(x) \mid \phi^{\leftarrow}(\rho) \leq \phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda), \phi^{\leftarrow}(\rho) \in \tau_{X} \}$$

$$\leq N_{\phi(x)}^{\tau_{Y}}(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda)).$$

 $(\Leftarrow)$  Let  $\lambda \in \tau_Y$ . Since  $\tau_Y = \tau_{N^{\tau_Y}}$  from Theorem 3.2(4),  $\lambda(\phi(x)) = N_{\phi(x)}^{\tau_Y}(\lambda) \le N_x^{\tau_Y}(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ . Hence  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) \in \tau_Y$ .

**Theorem 3.4.** Let (X,U) be an L-quasi uniform space. Define two maps  $rN^U,lN^U:X\to L^{L^X}$  by

$$rN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda), \ \forall \ \lambda \in L^X, \ x \in X,$$

$$IN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[[x]], \lambda), \ \forall \ \lambda \in L^X, \ x \in X,$$

where u[x](y) = u(y,x) and u[[x]](y) = u(x,y).

Then

- (1)  $(X, rN^U)$  is a stratified *L*-neighborhood space.
- (2)  $(X, lN^U)$  is a stratified *L*-neighborhood space.

(3) 
$$rN_r^U(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \mid u[\rho] < \lambda \mid u \in U \} = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda) \mid u \in U \}$$
 where

$$u[\rho](x) = \bigvee_{y \in X} u(x, y) \odot \rho(y),$$

(4)  $lN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \mid u[[\rho]] \le \lambda \mid u \in U \} = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \odot S(u[[\rho]], \lambda) \mid u \in U \}$  where

$$u[[\rho]](x) = \bigvee_{y \in X} u(y,x) \odot \rho(y),$$

**Proof.** (1) (N1) For  $u \in U$ , by (QU4),  $\top_{\triangle} \leq u$ . Then

$$rN_x^U(\bot_X) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \bot_X)$$
  
  $\leq \bigvee_{u \in U} (u(x, x) \to \bot) = \bot.$ 

Hence  $rN_x^U(\bot_X) = \bot$ . Also,  $rN_x^U(\top_X) = \top$ , because

$$rN_x^U(\top_X) \ge \bigwedge_{y \in X} (\top_{\triangle}(x, y) \to \top_X(y)) = \top.$$

(N2) By Lemma 2.4 (4), we have

$$rN_{x}^{U}(\lambda) \odot rN_{x}^{U}(\mu) = \left(\bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda)\right) \odot \left(\bigvee_{v \in U} S(v[x], \mu)\right)$$

$$= \bigvee_{u \odot v \in U} S(u[x], \lambda) \odot S(v[x], \mu) \leq \bigvee_{u \odot v \in U} S((u \odot v)[x], \lambda \odot \mu)$$

$$\leq \bigvee_{w \in U} S(w[x], \lambda \odot \mu) = rN_{x}^{U}(\lambda \odot \mu).$$

(N3) By Lemma 2.4 (3), we have

$$rN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda)$$
  
  $\leq \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \mu) = rN_x^U(\mu).$ 

(N4) For  $u \in U$ , by (QU4),  $\top_{\triangle} \leq u$ . We have

$$rN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} (u(y, x) \to \lambda(y))$$
  
  $\leq \bigvee_{u \in U} (u(x, x) \to \lambda(x)) \leq \lambda(x).$ 

$$\begin{split} rN_{X}^{U}(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda) \\ &= \bigvee_{u \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} (u(y, x) \to \lambda(y)) \\ &\leq \bigvee_{v \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} ((v \circ v)(y, x) \to \lambda(y)) \\ &= \bigvee_{v \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} ((\bigvee_{z \in X} v(z, x) \odot v(y, z)) \to \lambda(y)) \\ &= \bigvee_{v \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} \bigwedge_{z \in X} ((v(z, x) \odot v(y, z)) \to \lambda(y)) \\ &\text{(by Lemma 2.2 (12))} \\ &= \bigvee_{v \in U} \bigwedge_{y \in X} \bigwedge_{z \in X} (v(z, x) \to (v(y, z) \to \lambda(y))) \\ &= \bigvee_{v \in U} \bigwedge_{z \in X} (v(z, x) \to \bigwedge_{v \in X} (v(y, z) \to \lambda(y)). \end{split}$$

Let  $\rho(z) = \bigwedge_{y \in X} (v(y, z) \to \lambda(y))$ . Then  $\rho(z) \le rN_x^U(\lambda)$  for all  $z \in X$ . Thus,

$$rN_x^U(\lambda) \leq \bigvee_{v \in U} \{ \bigwedge_{z \in X} (v(z, x) \to \rho(z)) \mid \rho(z) \leq N_z^U(\lambda) \}$$
  
$$\leq \bigvee_v \{ rN_x^U(\rho) \mid \rho(z) \leq N_z^U(\lambda) \}.$$

Thus,  $(X, rN^U)$  is an *L*-neighborhood space.

Since  $\alpha \odot u[x](y) \odot S(u[x], \lambda) \le \alpha \odot u[x](y) \odot (u[x](y) \to \lambda(y)) \le \alpha \odot \lambda(y)$ , we have

$$\alpha \odot S(u[x], \lambda) \leq S(u[x], \alpha \odot \lambda).$$

Thus,  $rN^U$  is stratified from:

$$\alpha \odot rN_x^U(\lambda) = \alpha \odot \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} (\alpha \odot S(u[x], \lambda))$$
$$\leq \bigvee_{u \in U} (S(u[x], \alpha \odot \lambda)) = rN_x^U(\alpha \odot \lambda).$$

(2) It is similarly proved as (1).

(3) Put  $\gamma = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \mid u[\rho] \le \lambda \mid u \in U \}$ . We show that  $rN_-^U = \gamma$  from the following statements. Let  $\rho = \bigwedge_{x \in X} (u(x,y) \to \lambda(x))$ . Then

$$u[\rho](z) = \bigvee_{y \in X} (u(z, y) \odot \rho(y))$$
  
=  $\bigvee_{y \in X} (u(z, y) \odot (\bigwedge_{x \in X} (u(x, y) \rightarrow \lambda(x))))$   
 $\leq \bigvee_{y \in X} (u(z, y) \odot (u(z, y) \rightarrow \lambda(z))) \leq \lambda(z).$ 

Hence  $rN_{-}^{U} \leq \gamma$ .

Let  $u[\rho](z) = \bigvee_{y \in X} (u(z, y) \odot \rho(y)) \le \lambda(z)$ . Then

$$\rho(y) \le \bigwedge_{z \in X} (u(z, y) \to \lambda(z)).$$

Hence  $rN_{-}^{U} > \gamma$ .

Put  $\delta = \bigvee \{ \rho(x) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda) \mid u \in U \}$ . We show that  $\delta = \gamma$  from the following statements.

Let  $\rho \in L^X$  with  $u[\rho] \leq \lambda$  and  $u \in U$ . Then  $S(u[\rho], \lambda) = \top$ . Hence  $\rho(x) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda) = \rho(x) \leq \delta(x)$ . So,  $\gamma(x) \leq \delta(x)$ .

Let  $\rho \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda)$  with  $u \in U$ . Since

$$u[\rho \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda)](x) = \bigvee_{y \in X} (u(x, y) \odot \rho(y) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda))$$
  
=  $u[\rho](x) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda) < \lambda(x).$ 

we have  $u[\rho \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda)] \le \lambda$ . Then  $\rho(x) \odot S(u[\rho], \lambda) \le \gamma(x)$ . Thus,  $\delta = \gamma$ .

**Theorem 3.5.** Let (X,U) be an L-uniform space,  $(X,rN^U)$  and  $(X,lN^U)$  L-neighborhood spaces. Define  $\tau^r_U,\tau^l_U\subset L^X$  as follows

$$\tau_U^r = \{ \lambda \in L^X \mid \lambda(x) = rN_x^U(\lambda), \forall x \in X \},$$
  
$$\tau_U^l = \{ \lambda \in L^X \mid \lambda(x) = lN_x^U(\lambda), \forall x \in X \}.$$

Then,

- (1)  $\tau_U^r$  is an enriched *L*-topology on *X*.
- (2)  $\tau_U^l$  is an enriched *L*-topology on *X*.
- (3)  $rN^{U} = N^{\tau_{U}^{r}}$ .
- (4)  $lN^U = N^{\tau_U^l}$ .

**Proof.** (1) (T1) Since  $N_x^U(\top_X) = \top$  and  $N_x^U(\bot_X) = \bot$ , we have  $\top_X, \bot_X \in \tau_U$ .

- (T2) Let  $\lambda, \rho \in \tau_U$ . Since  $N_x^U(\lambda \odot \rho) \ge N_x^U(\lambda) \odot N_x^U(\rho) = (\lambda \odot \rho)(x)$  and (N4), then  $\lambda \odot \rho \in \tau_U$ .
- (T3) Let  $\lambda_i \in \tau_U$  for all  $i \in \Gamma$ . Since  $N_x^U(\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i) \ge \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} N_x^U(\lambda_i) = \bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i$  and (N4), then  $\bigvee_{i \in \Gamma} \lambda_i \in \tau_U$ .
  - (R) Let  $\lambda \in \tau_U$ . Since  $N_x^U(\alpha \odot \lambda) \ge \alpha \odot N_x^U(\lambda) = \alpha \odot \lambda(x)$  and (N4), then  $\alpha \odot \lambda \in \tau_U$ .
  - (2) It is similarly proved as (1).
- (3) Since  $rN_x^U(\lambda) \le rN_x^U(rN_-^U(\lambda)) \le rN_x^U(\lambda)$  from (N3) and (N5),  $rN_x^U(\lambda) = rN_x^U(rN_-^U(\lambda))$  for all  $x \in X$ . Since  $rN_-^U(\lambda) \in \tau_U^r$ , by the definition of  $N^{\tau_U^r}$ ,  $rN_x^U(\lambda) \le N_x^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda)$ .

Since  $N^{\tau_U^r} = \bigvee \{ \rho_i(x) \mid \rho_i \leq \lambda, \ \rho_i \in \tau_U^r \}$  and  $\rho_i(x) = rN_x^U(\rho_i)$ , then

$$\bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}(x) = \bigvee_{i} rN_{x}^{U}(\rho_{i}) \leq rN_{x}^{U}(N^{\tau_{U}^{r}}(\lambda)) = rN_{x}^{U}(\bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}) \leq \bigvee_{i} \rho_{i}(x).$$

Hence  $rN_x^U(N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda)) = N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda)$ . Since  $N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda) \le \lambda$ , by (N3),  $N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda) = rN_x^U(N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda)) \le rN_x^U(\lambda)$ . So,  $rN^U = N^{\tau_U^r}(\lambda)$ .

(4) It is similarly proved as (3).

**Theorem 3.6.** If  $\phi:(X,U)\to (Y,V)$  is *L*-quasi-uniformly continuous, then

- (1)  $\phi: (X, rN^U) \to (Y, rN^V)$  is *L*-continuous.
- (2)  $\phi: (X, lN^U) \to (Y, lN^V)$  is *L*-continuous.
- (3) a map  $\phi:(X,\tau_U^r)\to (Y,\tau_V^r)$  is L- continuous.
- (4) a map  $\phi:(X,\tau_U^l)\to (Y,\tau_V^l)$  is L- continuous.

**Proof.** (1) First we show that  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(v[\phi(x)]) = (\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v)[x]$  from

$$\phi^{\leftarrow}(v[\phi(x)])(z) = v[\phi(x)](\phi(z)) = v(\phi(z), \phi(x))$$
$$= (\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v)(z, x) = (\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v)[x](z).$$

Thus, by Lemma 2.5, we have

$$S(\nu[\phi(x)], \lambda) \leq S(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\nu[\phi(x)]), \phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$$
  
=  $S((\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(\nu)[x], \phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ .

$$rN_{\phi(x)}^{V}(\lambda) = \bigvee_{v \in V(v)} S(v[\phi(x)], \lambda) \leq \bigvee_{v \in V} S((\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v)[x], \phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$$
  
$$\leq \bigvee_{(\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v) \in U} S((\phi \times \phi)^{\leftarrow}(v)[x], \phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda)) \leq rN_{x}^{U}(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda)).$$

- (2) It is similarly proved as (1).
- (3) Let  $\lambda \in \tau_V^r(\lambda)$ . Then  $\lambda = rN_-^V(\lambda)$ . Then  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) = \phi^{\leftarrow}(rN_-^V(\lambda))$ . Since  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(rN_-^V(\lambda)) \le rN_-^U(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ , then  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) = \phi^{\leftarrow}(rN_-^V(\lambda)) \le rN_-^U(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ . By (N3),  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) = rN_-^U(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ . Hence  $\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda) \in \tau_U^r(\phi^{\leftarrow}(\lambda))$ .
  - (4) It is similarly proved as (3).

**Example 3.7.** Let  $(L = [0,1], \odot, \rightarrow)$  be a complete residuated lattice defined by

$$x \odot y = x \land y, \ x \rightarrow y = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \le y, \\ y, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Let  $X = \{x, y, z\}$  be a set and  $w \in L^{X \times X}$  such that

$$w = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0.6 & 0.8 \\ 0.4 & 1 & 0.4 \\ 0.5 & 0.5 & 1 \end{array}\right).$$

Define  $U = \{u \in L^{X \times X} \mid u \ge w\}.$ 

- (1) Since  $w \circ w = w$ , U is an L- quasi-uniformity on X.
- (2) Since  $rN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda)$ , we have

$$\begin{split} rN_x^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[x], \lambda) = \lambda(x) \wedge (0.4 \to \lambda(y)) \wedge (0.5 \to \lambda(z)), \\ rN_y^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[y], \lambda) = (0.6 \to \lambda(x)) \wedge \lambda(y) \wedge (0.5 \to \lambda(z)), \\ rN_z^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[z], \lambda) = (0.8 \to \lambda(x)) \wedge (0.4 \to \lambda(y)) \wedge \lambda(z). \end{split}$$

(3) Since  $lN_x^U(\lambda) = \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[[x]], \lambda)$ , we have

$$\begin{split} lN_x^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[[x]], \lambda) = \lambda(x) \wedge (0.6 \to \lambda(y)) \wedge (0.8 \to \lambda(z)), \\ lN_y^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[[y]], \lambda) = (0.6 \to \lambda(x)) \wedge \lambda(y) \wedge (0.6 \to \lambda(z)), \\ lN_z^U(\lambda) &= \bigvee_{u \in U} S(u[[z]], \lambda) = (0.5 \to \lambda(x)) \wedge (0.5 \to \lambda(y)) \wedge \lambda(z). \end{split}$$

(3) Since  $\tau_U^r = \{\lambda \in L^X \mid \lambda(x) = rN_x^U(\lambda), \forall x \in X\}$  from Theorem 3.5, we have

$$\lambda \in au_U^r ext{ iff } \left\{ egin{array}{l} \lambda = lpha_X, \ \lambda(x) \leq 0.4 
ightarrow \lambda(y), \lambda(x) \leq 0.5 
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ightarrow \lambda(x), \lambda(y) \leq 0.5 
ightarrow \lambda(z), \ \lambda(z) \leq 0.8 
ightarrow \lambda(x), \lambda(z) \leq 0.4 
ightarrow \lambda(z), \end{array} 
ight.$$

$$egin{aligned} \lambda \in au_U^l & ext{iff} \end{array} \left\{ egin{aligned} \lambda = lpha_X, \ \lambda(x) \leq 0.6 &
ightarrow \lambda(y), \lambda(x) \leq 0.8 
ightarrow \lambda(z), \ \lambda(y) \leq 0.4 
ightarrow \lambda(x), \lambda(y) \leq 0.4 
ightarrow \lambda(z), \ \lambda(z) \leq 0.5 
ightarrow \lambda(x), \lambda(z) \leq 0.5 
ightarrow \lambda(z), \end{aligned} 
ight.$$

For 
$$\lambda=(0.6,0.5,0.6), \lambda\in au^r_{rN^U}, \lambda\not\in au^l_{lN^U},$$
 
$$\lambda=(0.1,0.9,0.5), \lambda\not\in au^r_{rN^U}, \lambda\not\in au^l_{lN^U},$$
 
$$\lambda=(0.5,0.5,0.6), \lambda\not\in au^r_{rN^U}, \lambda\in au^l_{lN^U}.$$

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