

PFA implies a class of hereditarily Lindelöf spaces are D spaces

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If there is a counterexample to the basis problem, there is a sub-Sorgenfrey one.

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Sketch of proof. Fix $A \notin \mathcal{I}$. If we can find $x, y \in A$ such that $x \in C \subset (\overline{N'(y)})^{I, \mathcal{C}}$ and $y \in C' \subset (\overline{N'(x)})^{I, \mathcal{C}}$, then take $B = \{z \in C' : C \subset (\overline{N'(z)})^{I, \mathcal{C}}\} \in \mathcal{M}$ and we are done.

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