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1004-54-32 David Bradshaw, Mehrdad Khosravi, Heath M Martin and Piotr Mikusinski<sup>\*</sup> (piotrm@mail.ucf.edu), Department of Mathematics, University of Central Florida, PO Box 161364, Orlando, FL 32816-1364. *Topological properties of generalized quotients*. Preliminary report.

Starting from a nonempty set X, a commutative semigroup G acting on X, and a (nonempty) index set I, we construct a new space  $\mathcal{B}$  whose algebraic character is similar to a quotient field. If X is a topological space and elements of G are continuous maps, then  $\mathcal{B}$  can be equipped with a natural topology. We are interested in properties of that topology. (Received January 03, 2005)