

RINGS AND MODULES CHARACTERIZED BY OPPOSITES OF ABSOLUTE PURITY

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Proposition

The following statements are equivalent for a right module N .

- (1) N is absolutely pure.*
- (2) $N \otimes M \rightarrow E(N) \otimes M$ is a monomorphism for each finitely presented left module M .*
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Definition

Given a right module M and a left module N , M is *absolutely N -pure* if for every right module K with $M \leq K$ the map $i \otimes 1_N : M \otimes N \rightarrow K \otimes N$ is a monomorphism, where $i : M \rightarrow K$ is the inclusion map and 1_N is the identity map on N . The *subpurity domain* of a module M_R , $\mathcal{S}(M)$, is defined to be the collection of all modules ${}_R N$ such that M is absolutely N -pure.

- A right module M is absolutely pure if and only if $\mathcal{S}(M) = R - \text{MOD}$.
- $\mathcal{S}(M)$ consists of the class of left flat modules.
- A right R -module M is called *test for flatness by subpurity (t.f.b.s.)* if $\mathcal{S}(M_R)$ consists of only flat left R -modules.

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Example

The ring of integers \mathbb{Z} is t.f.b.s.

Proposition

$$\bigcap_{M \in \text{MOD-}R} \mathcal{S}(M) = \{N \in R - \text{MOD} \mid N \text{ is flat}\}.$$

Proposition

Every ring has a t.f.b.s. module.

Proposition

The following statements are equivalent for a ring R .

- (1) R is von Neumann regular.*
- (2) Every right R -module is t.f.b.s.*
- (3) There exists a right absolutely pure t.f.b.s. R -module.*

In order to investigate when the ring is t.f.b.s. as a right module over itself, we need the following definition.

Definition

A ring R is called right S-ring if every finitely generated flat right ideal is projective.

Theorem

A ring R is right t.f.b.s. and a right S-ring if and only if R is right semihereditary

Corollary

A commutative domain is Prüfer if and only if it is t.f.b.s.

Definition

A module A is said to be a *test module for injectivity by subinjectivity* (or *t.i.b.s.*) if whenever a module M is A -subinjective implies M is injective (see, Alizade, Büyükaşık and Er).

Proposition

If N is right t.i.b.s., then N is right t.f.b.s.

There are t.f.b.s. modules which are not t.i.b.s.

Example

Every semihereditary ring is a t.f.b.s. as a right module over itself. On the other hand, R_R is t.i.b.s. if and only if R is right hereditary and right Noetherian (see, Alizade, Büyükaşık, and Er).

In searching the converse of above Proposition, we have the following.

Proposition

Let R be a right Noetherian ring. If M is a t.f.b.s. right R -module and $E(M)$ is finitely generated, then M is right t.i.b.s.

Proposition

The following are equivalent for a ring R .

- (1) R_R is t.f.b.s. and Noetherian.*
- (2) R_R is t.i.b.s.*

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Theorem

Let R be a right Noetherian ring. Every simple right module is t.f.b.s. or absolutely-pure (=injective) if and only if

- (1) R is a right V-ring; or*
- (2) $R \cong A \times B$, where A is right Artinian with a unique non-injective simple right module and $\text{Soc}(A_A)$ is homogeneous and B is semisimple.*

Proposition

Let R be a right Noetherian ring. Every simple right module is t.f.b.s. or absolutely pure if and only if every simple right module is t.i.b.s. or injective.

Proposition

Let R be an arbitrary ring. Suppose that every simple module is t.i.b.s. or injective. Then R is a right V-ring or right Noetherian.

Corollary

The following are equivalent for a ring R .

- (1) *Every simple module is t.i.b.s. or injective.*
- (2) *(i) R is a right V-ring, or
(ii) $R \cong A \times B$, where A is right Artinian with a unique non-injective simple right R -module and $\text{Soc}(A_A)$ is homogeneous and B is semisimple.*

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Theorem

Let R be a right Noetherian ring. Suppose that every right R -module is t.f.b.s. or absolutely pure. Then $R \cong A \times B$, where B is semisimple, and

- (1) A is right hereditary right Artinian serial with homogeneous socle, $J(A)^2 = 0$ and A has a unique noninjective simple right A -module, or;
- (2) A is a QF-ring that is isomorphic to a matrix ring over a local ring, or;
- (3) A is right SI with $\text{Soc}(A_A) = 0$.

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Proposition

The following are equivalent for a commutative domain R .

- (1) R is Prüfer.*
- (2) R is t.f.b.s.*
- (3) Every nonzero finitely generated ideal is t.f.b.s.*
- (4) A finitely generated R -module M is t.f.b.s. when $\text{Hom}(M, R) \neq 0$.*

Now we shall give a characterization of t.f.b.s. modules over commutative hereditary Noetherian rings. We begin with the following.

Theorem

Let R be a commutative hereditary Noetherian ring and F a flat module. Then F is t.f.b.s. if and only if $\text{Hom}(F, S) \neq 0$ for each singular simple R -module S .

Theorem

Let R be a commutative hereditary Noetherian ring and N be an R -module. The following are equivalent.

- (1) N is t.f.b.s.
- (2) $N/Z(N)$ is t.f.b.s.
- (3) $\text{Hom}(N/Z(N), S) \neq 0$ for every singular simple R -module S .
- (4) $N/Z(N) \otimes S \neq 0$ for every singular simple R -module S .

Corollary

Let R be a Principal Ideal Domain. Then an R -module G is t.f.b.s. if and only if $G/T(G) \neq p(G/T(G))$ for every irreducible element p in R .

Corollary

Let G be a finitely generated abelian group. Then the following are equivalent.

- (1) G is t.f.b.s.
- (2) G is t.i.b.s.
- (3) $T(G) \neq G$.

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