



Strongly Pure Ideals And Strongly Pure Sub-modules

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ABSTRACT

Let R be a ring with unity , and let M be an unitary R -module . In this work we present strongly pure ideal (sub module) concept as a generalization of pure ideal (sub module) . Also we generalize some properties of strongly pure ideal (sub module) . And we study strongly regular ring (R -module) .

Keywords : pure ideal , strongly pure ideal , local ring , pure sub-module , strongly pure sub module , flat module , superfluous sub module .

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الملخص

لتكن R حلقة بمحايد . M مقياس بمحايد معرف على الحلقة R . تناول البحث الحالي مفهوم المثاليات النقية بقوة كتعميم للمثاليات النقية ، حيث عرف الباحث المثالي I بأنه مثالي نقي بقوة اذا لكل عنصر $a \in I$ يوجد عنصر اولي $p \in I$ بحيث $p \cdot x = x$. وكذلك دراسة بعض الخصائص وتعميم بعض القضايا من المثاليات النقية الى المثاليات النقية بقوة . بالإضافة الى ذلك عرف الباحث مفهوم المقاس الجزئي النقي بقوة كتعميم للمقاس الجزئي النقي ، حيث عرف المقاس الجزئي N من المقاس M بأنه نقي بقوة اذا وجد مثالي اولي P في الحلقة R بحيث يحقق $PN = PM$ بالإضافة الى تعميم بعض المميزات للمقاس الجزئي النقي الى المقاس الجزئي النقي بقوة.

الكلمات الدالة : المثالي النقي ، المثالي النقي بقوة ، الحلقة المحلية ، المقاس الجزئي النقي ، المقاس الجزئي النقي بقوة ، المقاس المسطح ، المقاس الجزئي الصغير .

1.INTRODUCTION

Let R be a ring with unity , and let M be a unitary R -module . Let L and K are sub modules of M , the residual of K by L , denoted by $[K:L]$ is the set of all x in R such that $xL \subseteq K$. The annihilator of M , denoted by $\text{ann } M$, is $[0:M]$. For each $m \in M$, the annihilator of m , denoted by $\text{ann}(m)$, is $[0:Rm]$. Let M be a multiplication R -module and N is a sub module of M . Then $N=IM$ for some ideal I of R . Note that $I \subseteq [N:M]$ and hence $N=IM \subseteq [N:M]M \subseteq N$, so that $N=[N:M]M$. Also K is a multiplication sub module of M if and only if $N \cap K = [N:K]K$,for every sub module N of M , [24] . Finitely generated faithful multiplication modules are cancellation modules , [29] . We introduce the concept of idempotent sub module as follows .

A sub module N of M is an idempotent if and only if $N=[N:M]N$. If M is a finitely generated faithful multiplication R -module , then N is an idempotent sub module of M if and only if $[N:M]$ is an idempotent ideal of R , [23] . Brown-McCoy(1950) in [9] define regular rings . And Fieldhouse (1969) generalize regular rings to regular modules in [16] . Ware (1971) in [30] and Zelmanowilz (1972) in [31] also study regular modules . E.Anderson and Fuller [5] called the sub module N is a pure of M if $IN=N\cap IM$ for every ideal I of R . Although R. Ribenboim [27] define N to be pure in M if $rM\cap N=rN$ for each $r\in R$.

This work include four sections . In section one , we introduce strongly pure ideals concept as generalization of pure ideals . An ideal I of R is said to be strongly pure , if for each $x\in I$ there exists a prime element $p\in I$ such that $x=xp$. Pure ideal is deferent from strongly pure ideal , thus we give examples which indicate that two classes are different . However , we put some conditions under which the two classes are equivalent as we see in (Prop.2-4) that R is factorial ring , such that each non zero and non unit element of R is irreducible. Moreover , we give some properties of strongly pure ideals as the intersection of two ideals is strongly pure ideal if one of them is strongly pure ideal (Prop.2-7) . In (Prop.2-9) prove that if the direct summand of two ideals is strongly pure , then one of them is strongly pure . If I is strongly pure ideal of R , then I_A is strongly pure ideal of R_A (Prop.2-10). Also , we present in section two strongly regular ring that a ring R is called strongly regular if and only if for each $x\in R$,there exists prime element $p\in R$ such that $x=xpx$.

In section three , we introduce strongly pure sub module concept . A sub module N of an R -module M is called strongly pure , if there exists prime ideal P of R , such that $N\cap Mp=Np$, for each $p\in P$. Pure sub module is deferent from strongly pure sub module , thus we give examples which indicate that two classes are different . However , we put some conditions under which the two classes are equivalent (Prop.4-3) . And we study some properties of strongly pure sub modules . Also , we get the main result of strongly pure sub modules in (Th.4-13) .

Finally in section four , we present strongly regular module concept as generalization of regular module . Also generalize characterization and some properties of regular module to strongly regular module .

2.STRONGLY PURE IDEALS

In this section , we introduce a generalization for pure ideal concept namely strongly pure ideal .

Note: From now on , strongly pure ideal means right strongly pure ideal unless otherwise stated . First we recall definitions of pure ideals and prime ideals .

Recall that an ideal I of a ring R is said to be right (left) pure if for each $x \in I$, there exists $y \in I$ such that $x = x.y$ ($x = y.x$) , [2] & [17] .

Definition : An ideal I of a ring R is called strongly right (left) pure if for each $x \in I$, there exists a prime element $p \in I$ such that $x = x.p$ ($x = p.x$) .

Remarks and Examples :

1- Each strongly pure ideal is pure . But the converse is not true in general , as we see in the following example :

$(\bar{3}) = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{3} \}$ is a strongly pure ideal of a ring Z_6 , since $\bar{0} = \bar{0} \cdot \bar{3}$ and $\bar{3} = \bar{3} \cdot \bar{3}$. But $(\bar{2}) = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4} \}$ is not strongly pure ideal of a ring Z_6 , since there is no prime element $p \in (\bar{2})$ such that $\bar{2} = \bar{2} \cdot p$.

2- If I is strongly pure ideal of a ring R , then $JI = J \cap I$, for each ideal J of R .

Recall that an ideal I of a ring R is called idempotent if $I^2 = I$, [20] .

3- Each ideal generated by prime idempotent element is strongly pure ideal .

Proof : Let $I = (p)$ be an ideal generated by prime element p , such that $p = p^2$. If $x \in I$, there exists $r \in R$ such that $x = rp$, implies $x = rp = rp^2 = rpp = xp$. Therefore I is strongly pure ideal of a ring R . In general

4- If I is an ideal of a ring R generated by a prime idempotent elements p_i , where $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. Then I is a strongly pure ideal of R .

Proof : Let I be an ideal generated by prime idempotent elements p_i , where $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

.And let $x \in I$,there exists $r_i \in R$ such that $x = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i p_i$. Let $p_i = 1 - \prod_{i=1}^n (1 - p_i)$,

implies that $xp = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i (1 - \prod_{i=1}^n (1 - p_i)) = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i - \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i \prod_{i=1}^n (1 - p_i)$.

$(1 - p_i)x = x - \prod_{i=1}^n (1 - p_i) (\sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i - \sum_{i=1}^n r_i p_i) = x$. Therefore I is strongly pure ideal of R .

5- Each strongly pure ideal is idempotent .

Proof : Let I be a strongly pure ideal of R , and let $x \in I$. Then there exists a prime element $p \in I$, such that $x = xp$. But $x \in I$, thus $x \in I^2$. Hence $I \subseteq I^2$, and it is clear that $I^2 \subseteq I$, implies $I = I^2$. Therefore I is an idempotent ideal of R . Recall that an element $a \in R$ is called irreducible if it is non zero non unit and whenever $a = bc$ where $b, c \in R$, then either b or c is a unit element of R , [18]. An integral domain R is a factorial ring if there is a set S of non zero non unit of R such that every non zero element of R can be written uniquely in the form $ua_1a_2\cdots a_k$, where u is a unit of R and $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k \in S$. Except for the order in which the factors are written , [20] The following lemma taken from [20] .

Lemma : Let R be a factorial ring , and let S be a set whose existence is required in the definition . Then every irreducible element of R is prime , every element of S is prime , and every prime of R is the product of unit of R and an element of S . The following result gives some conditions to get strongly pure ideals from pure ideals .

Proposition : Let R be a factorial ring , and let I be an ideal of R , such that each non zero and non unit element of R is irreducible . Then I is strongly pure ideal if and only if I is pure ideal .

Proof : Let I be a pure ideal of R , and let $x \in I$, there exists $y \in I$ such that $x = xy$. Since $y \in R$ is irreducible element of R , so it is prime in I (Lemma2-3) . Therefore I is strongly pure ideal of R .

The converse is clear . In general right strongly pure ideal is not left , and left strongly pure ideal is not right . As the following example .

Example : Let $R = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix} : a, b, d \in Z_2 \right\}$ be the ring of 2×2 matrices over the field Z_2 . Then

there are two ideals I and J namely $I = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$, $J = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. Clearly I is right strongly pure ideal and J is not left strongly pure ideal . Recall that

a ring R is said to be reduced if R contains no non zero nilpotent element , [22] . The following proposition gives condition to get right strongly pure ideal from left strongly pure ideal ,

Proposition : Let R be a reduced ring , and let I be any ideal of R . Then I is a right strongly pure if and only if I is a left strongly pure .

Proof : Let I be a right strongly pure ideal of R and let $x \in I$, there exists prime element $p \in I$ such that $x = xp$. Since R is a reduced ring , then $(x - xp)^2 = 0$, so $x - px = 0$, thus $x = px$. Therefore I is a left strongly pure ideal of R . The converse is similar , hence it is omitted . The following proposition gives some property of strongly pure ideals .

Proposition :

1-Let I and J are two ideals of a ring R . If I is strongly pure ideal of R , then $I \cap J$ is a strongly pure ideal of R .

2-Let I and J are two ideals of a ring R such that $I \subseteq J$. If $I \cap J$ is strongly pure ideal of R , then I is strongly pure ideal of R .

Proof : Clear .

The following corollaries is immediate consequence of previous proposition .

Corollary : Let I and J are two strongly pure ideals of R , then $I \cap J$ is also strongly pure ideal of R .

Corollary : Let I and J are two ideals of R , then I is strongly pure ideal if and only if $I \cap J$ is strongly pure ideal of R . The following proposition gives another property of strongly pure ideals .

Proposition : Let I and J are two ideals of a ring R , if $I \oplus J$ is strongly pure ideal of R . Then either I or J is strongly pure ideal of R .

Proof : Let $x \in I$ and $x \in J$, implies $x + y \in I \oplus J$. Since $I \oplus J$ is strongly pure ideal of R , there exists prime element $p \in I \oplus J$, where $p = p + 0 \in I \oplus J$, such that $x + y = (x + y)p = (x + y)(p + 0) = xp + yp \in I \oplus J$. Since $yp \in I \cap J$, and $I \cap J = \{0\}$, hence $yp = 0$. Thus $x = xp \in I$. Therefore I is strongly pure ideal of R . And if $p = 0 + p \in I \oplus J$, then by the same method we can get J is strongly pure ideal of R .

Next , from (prop. 2-4) and (prop. 2-10) we can get the following result .

Corollary : Let R be a factorial ring , and let I and J are two ideals of R , such that $I \oplus J$ is strongly pure ideal of R . Then I and J are strongly pure ideals of R .

Proposition : If I is a strongly pure ideal of a ring R , then I_A is strongly pure ideal of a ring R_A , for each maximal ideal A of R .

Proof : Let $a/r \in I_A$, where $a \in I$ & $r \in R - A$. Since I strongly pure ideal of R , there exists prime element $p \in I$ such that $a = ap$, implies that $a/r = ap/r = a.p/r = a.p/1$, where $p/1$ is prime in I_A . Thus I_A is strongly pure ideal of R_A .

Remark: Let I be strongly pure ideal of R , such that $I \subseteq J(R)$. Then $I = \{0\}$.

Proof : Let $x \in I$, since I is strongly pure ideal of R , there exists a prime element $p \in I$, such that $x = xp$, implies $x(1-p) = 0$. And since $I \subseteq J(R)$, then $p \in J(R)$, hence $x = 0$, so $I = (0)$. Recall that a ring R is called local ring if R is commutative , with unique maximal ideal , [11] .

Proposition : Let I be an ideal of commutative ring R . Then I is strongly pure ideal of R if and only if $I_A = (0)$ or $I_A = R_A$ for each maximal ideal A of R .

Proof : If I is a strongly pure ideal of R , then I_A is strongly pure ideal of R_A (Prop.2-12) . If $I_A \neq R_A$, implies R_A is local ring , hence $I_A \subseteq J(R_A)$. Therefore $I_A = (0)$ (Remark 2-13) .

3. STRONGLY REGULAR RINGS

Let R be a commutative ring with non zero identity . Before we state some results , we give important definition which will be used here and later . Recall that a ring R is regular if and only if for each $x \in R$, there exists $y \in R$ such that $x = xyx$, [26] .

Now, we present strongly regular ring concept as generalization of regular ring

Definition : A ring R is called strongly regular if and only if for each $x \in R$, there exists a prime element $p \in R$ such that $x = xpx$.

Also: A ring R is called strongly regular if each element of R is strongly regular

Remarks and Examples :

1- Z_4 is strongly regular ring , but Z_6 is not strongly regular ring .

2- Each strongly regular ring is a regular ring . But the converse is not true in general , as we see in the following example .

Z_6 is a regular ring , but it is not strongly regular ring . Recall that right duo ring if all whose right ideals are two sided ideals . A left duo ring is similarly defined . A duo ring is right and left duo ring , [10] . The following results follow from (Prop.2-4) and from [14 , Prop.2-24] .

3- Let R be right duo factorial ring ,such that each ideal of R is irreducible. Then R is strongly regular if and only if each ideal of R is left strongly pure .

4- Let R be a factorial ring , such that each ideal of R is irreducible . Then R is strongly regular ring if and only if each ideal of R is strongly pure .

In this section we gives characterizations and some useful properties of strongly regular ring .

Proposition : Let R be a factorial commutative ring , such that each ideal of R is irreducible . Then R is strongly regular ring if and only if R_A is field , for each maximal ideal A of R .

Proof : Let R_A be a field , for each maximal ideal A of R , and let I be an ideal of R . Then I_A is an ideal of R_A , since R_A is field , then R_A has no proper ideal . Thus either $I_A=(0)$ or $I_A=R_A$ [14] . Implies that I is strongly pure ideal of R (Prop.2-15) . Therefore R is strongly regular ring , (Remark 3-3(5)) .

Conversely ; let J be an ideal of R , there exists an ideal I of R such that $J=I_A$. But R is strongly regular ring , thus I is strongly pure ideal of R . Hence either $I_A=(0)$ or $I_A=R_A$ (Prop.2-15) , its` mean that R_A has no proper ideal . Therefore R_A is field .

We end this section by the following proposition .

Proposition : Let R_1 and R_2 are two rings , such that $R_1 \oplus R_2$ is strongly regular ring . Then either R_1 or R_2 is strongly regular ring .

Proof : Let $r_1 \in R_1$ and $r_2 \in R_2$, implies $r_1+r_2 \in R_1 \oplus R_2$. Put $x=r_1+r_2$, since $R_1 \oplus R_2$ is strongly regular ring , there exists prime element $p=p+0 \in R_1 \oplus R_2$, such that $x=xpx=(r_1+r_2) p (r_1+r_2)=r_1 p r_1+r_1 p r_2+r_2 p r_1+r_2 p r_2$. But $r_1 p r_2 , r_2 p r_1 \in R_1 \cap R_2$, and $R_1 \cap R_2 =(0)$. Thus $x=r_1 + r_2 = r_1 p r_1 + r_2 p r_2$, implies that $r_1=r_1 p r_1 \in R_1$. Therefore R_1 is strongly regular ring . And if $0+p \in R_1 \oplus R_2$, by the same method we can get $r_2 = r_2 p r_2 \in R_2$, hence R_2 is strongly regular ring .

4.STRONGLY PURE SUB MODULES

Let M be a unitary R -module , and let R be a commutative ring with unity , such that each ideal of R is a proper ideal .Recall that a sub module N of an R -module M is called pure if $N \cap Mr = Nr$ for each $r \in R$, [18].Also ; we define N is pure sub module if $N \cap MI = NI$, for each ideal I of a ring R , [18] Now , we start this section by the following definition.

Definition : A sub module N of an R -module M is called strongly pure , if there exists prime

ideal P of a ring R , such that $N \cap Mp = Np$, for each $p \in P$. Also ; we define N is strongly pure sub module if there exists a prime ideal P of a ring R , such that $N \cap MP = NP$.

Remarks and Examples :

1- $(\bar{3})$ is a strongly pure sub module of Z_6 -module . But $(\bar{2})$ is not strongly pure sub module of Z_6 -module .

2- Each strongly pure sub module is pure . But the converse is not true in general , as we see in the following example $(\bar{3})$ is pure sub module of Z_{12} -module . But it is not strongly pure sub module of Z_{12} -module .Next , we study the relation between pure sub module and strongly pure sub module by the following proposition .

Proposition : Let M be an R -module , and R/I is an integral domain , for each ideal I of R . Then N is strongly pure sub module of M if and only if N is pure sub module of M .

Proof : Let N be a pure sub module of M , thus $N \cap MI = NI$ for each ideal I of R . Since R/I is an integral domain , hence I is a prime ideal , [21] . Therefore N is strongly pure sub module of M . The converse is clear . The following remark gives characterization of strongly pure sub module .

Remark : Let M be an R -module , and let R/I be an integral domain , for each ideal I of R . If N is a sub module of M , then the following statements are equivalent :

- 1- N is strongly pure sub module .
- 2- $N \cap MI = NI$ for each ideal I of a ring R .
- 3- $N \cap MI = NI$ for each finitely generated ideal I of R . [14 , Prop.(2-8)] .

The following propositions show some properties of strongly pure sub modules .

Proposition : Let N be a sub module of an R -module M , and let L be a sub module of N . If N is pure sub module of M , and L is strongly pure sub module of N , then L is strongly pure sub module of M .

Proof : Since L is strongly pure sub module of N , then there exists a prime ideal P of R , such that $L \cap NP = LP$. And since N is pure sub module of M , then $N \cap MP = NP$, implies that $L \cap N \cap MP = LP$. And since $L \subseteq N$, then $L \cap N = L$, implies $L \cap MP = LP$. Therefore L is strongly pure sub module of M . The following corollary follow from the previous proposition.

Corollary : Let N and L are sub modules of an R -module M . If N is a pure sub module of M , and $N \cap L$ is strongly pure sub module of N . Then $N \cap L$ is strongly pure sub module of M .

Proposition : Let M be an R -module and let R/I be an integral domain for each ideal I of R . Then every direct summand sub module of M is strongly pure sub module of M .

Proof : Suppose N is a direct summand of an R -module M , then $M=N\oplus L$ for some sub module L of M . As $N\cap L=0$ is trivial , where I is an ideal of R . We want to prove the

reverse inclusion . Let $x\in N\cap MI$, implies $x\in MI=(N\oplus L)I$, then there exists $a_i\in N$, $b_i\in L$ and

$r_i\in I$ such that $x=\sum_{i=1}^n (a_i+b_i)r_i = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i r_i + \sum_{i=1}^n b_i r_i$, so $x-\sum_{i=1}^n a_i r_i = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i r_i$. But $x\in N$, thus

$x-\sum_{i=1}^n a_i r_i \in N$. Hence $\sum_{i=1}^n b_i r_i \in N\cap L$. Since $N\cap L=0$, thus $\sum_{i=1}^n b_i r_i=0$, and $x-\sum_{i=1}^n a_i r_i=0$. It

is mean $x=\sum_{i=1}^n a_i r_i$, so $x\in NI$. Thus $N\cap MI\subseteq NI$. Therefore N is pure sub module of M . And

since R/I is an integral domain . Thus N is strongly pure sub module of M (Prop. 4-3) . Before , we give the main theorem of pure sub modules , we will need the following well-known lemmas . Recall that an R -module M is said to be flat if given any exact sequence $0\rightarrow A\rightarrow B$ of right R -modules, the sequence $0\rightarrow A\otimes_R M\rightarrow B\otimes_R M$ is exact , [7] .

Lemma :[23] If M is a flat R -module , then for any sub module N of M , the following statements are equivalent .

- 1- M/N is flat .
- 2- $N\cap MI=NI$ for each ideal I of R .
- 3- $N\cap MI=NI$ for each finitely generated ideal I of R .

Recall that a sub module N of an R -module M is called superfluous if and only if $N+L\neq M$, for each proper sub module L of M , [19] .

Lemma : (Nakayamas` lemma) [5] , [19] and [28] .

For a left ideal I of a ring R , the following statements are equivalent :

- 1- For every finitely generated R -module M , if $MI=M$, then $M=0$.
- 2- For every finitely generated R -module M . MI is superfluous in M .

Recall that a right R -module M is said to be a multiplication R -module if for each sub module N of M , there exists an ideal I of a ring R , such that $N=MI$, [1] , [8] and [15] . And an R -module M is called faithful if $\text{ann } M = (0)$, [15]

Lemma : [23] Let N be a sub module of finitely generated faithful multiplication R -module M If $N=[N:M]N$, then N is an idempotent sub module of M if and only if $[N:M]$ is an idempotent ideal of a ring R .The following theorem gives several characterization of strongly pure sub modules of faithful multiplication R -module with strongly pure annihilator.

Theorem : Let R/I be an integral domain and let M be a multiplication R -module , with strongly pure annihilator . If N is sub module of M . Then statements (1) to (9) are equivalent , and further if M is finitely generated and faithful , then statements (1) to (10) are equivalent .

- 1- N is a strongly pure sub module of M .
- 2- N is a multiplication and idempotent sub module of M .
- 3- N is a multiplication and $K=[N:M]K$ for each sub module K of M .
- 4- N is a multiplication and $[K:N]N=[K:M]N$ for each sub module K of M .
- 5- $Rx=[N:M]x$ for each $x \in N$.
- 6- $R=[N:M]+\text{ann}(x)$ for each $x \in N$.
- 7- $R=\sum_{n \in N} [Rn:M]+\text{ann}(x)$ for each $x \in N$.
- 8- For each $x \in N$, there exists $a \in [N:M]$, such that $x=x a$.
- 9- For each maximal ideal P of R either $N_P=0_P$ or $N_P=M_P$.
- 10- $I[N:M] = I \cap [N:M]$ for every ideal I of R .

Proof : (1) \Rightarrow (2) Let K be a sub module of M , then $K=[K:M]M$. Since N is a strongly pure sub module of M and R/I is an integral domain for each ideal I of R , thus N is pure sub module of M (Prop.4-3) , we infer that $[K:N]N=N \cap [K:N]M \supseteq N \cap [K:M]M=N \cap K \supseteq [K:N]N$ So that $[K:N]N=K \cap N$, and N is a multiplication . Since N is pure sub module of M , we have that $[N:M]N=[N:M]M \cap N=N$, and hence N is idempotent sub module of M

(2) \Rightarrow (3) Let K be a sub module of N . Then $K=[K:N]N=[K:N][N:M]N=[N:M]K$.

(2) \Rightarrow (4) Let K be a sub module of M . Then $[K:N]N=[K:N][N:M]N \subseteq [K:M]N \subseteq [K:N]N$, so that $[K:N]N=[K:M]N$.

(4) \Rightarrow (2) Take $K=N$.

(3) \Rightarrow (7) Let $x \in N$, then $Rx=[N:M]x$. Since N is multiplication , it follows by [3 ,Lemma

1-1(iv)] that $Rx=[N:M]x=(\sum_{n \in N} [Rn:M])x$, and then

[29 ,Corollary to Theorem 9] gives that $R = \sum_{n \in N} [Rn:M] + \text{ann}(x)$.

(5) \Leftrightarrow (8) Clear .

(5) \Rightarrow (9) Let P be any maximal ideal of R . We discuss two cases .

Case1: If $[N:M] \subseteq P$. Then for each $x \in N$, $(Rx)_P = [N:M]_P (Rx)_P \subseteq P_P (Rx)_P \subseteq (Rx)_P$, so $(Rx)_P = P_P (Rx)_P$. By Nakayamas` Lemma , $(Rx)_P = 0_P$. Hence $N_P = 0_P$.

Case 2 : If $[N:M] \not\subseteq P$, there exists $p \in P$ such that $1 - p \in [N:M]$, and hence $(1 - p)M \subseteq N$. It follows that $N_P = M_P$.

(9) \Rightarrow (1) If $N_P = 0_P$ or $N_P = M_P$ for every maximal ideal P of R , then for every ideal I of R , $NI = N \cap MI$ is true locally , [21] . Thus N is pure sub module of M , and since R/I is an integral domain for each ideal I of R , thus N is strongly pure sub module of M (Prop.4-3) .

(1) \Rightarrow (10) Let M be a finitely generated faithful multiplication R-module and let I be any ideal of R .

Then $NI = N \cap MI$. Hence $[NI:M] = [(N \cap MI):M] = [N:M] \cap [MI:M] = [N:M] \cap I$, [18] . We need to show that $[NI:M] = [N:M]I$. Obviously, $[N:M]I \subseteq [NI:M]$. Conversely , let $x \in [NI:M]$.

Then $xM \subseteq NI = ([N:M]I)M$. But M is cancellation . thus $x \in [N:M]I$, and hence $[NI:M] \subseteq ([N:M]I)M$.

(10) \Rightarrow (2) For this part it is not necessary to assume M is finitely generated or faithful . Assume $[N:M]I = [N:M] \cap I$ for all ideals I of R . Take $I = [N:M]$. Then $[N:M]^2 = [N:M]$, and hence $[N:M]$ is an idempotent ideal of R . It follows that N is idempotent sub module of M (Lemma 4-10) .

Now , to prove that N is multiplication , let K be any sub module of M , and let $I = [K:M]$. Then $[(K \cap N):M] = [K:M] \cap [N:M] = [K:M][N:M] \subseteq [K:N][N:M]$, and hence $K \cap N = [(K \cap N):M]M \subseteq [K:N][N:M]M \subseteq [K:N]N \subseteq K \cap N$, so that $K \cap N = [K:N]N$, and N is multiplication . Next , we get the following result .

Corollary : Let R/I be an integral domain , and let M be a finitely generated faithful multiplication R-module . If N is strongly pure sub module of M , then the following statements hold :

1- $N = [N:M]N$.

2- $\text{ann}N = \text{ann}[N:M]$.

3- $[N:M]$ is strongly pure ideal of R .

Proof : (1) follows from Theorem 4-11 .

(2) As N is strongly pure sub module of M , we have $NP=N \cap MP$, for some prime ideal P of R . Taking $P=\text{ann}N$, we get $0=N \cap (\text{ann}N)M$, and hence $0=[0:M]=[(N:(\text{ann}N)M):M]=[N:M] \cap [(\text{ann}N)M:M]=[N:M] \cap \text{ann}N=[N:M]\text{ann}$.

Hence $\text{ann}N \subseteq \text{ann}[N:M]$.

Conversely ; if $x \in \text{ann}[N:M]$, then $x[N:M]=0$, and hence $xN=x[N:M]N=0$, so that $x \in \text{ann}N$ and $\text{ann}[N:M] \subseteq \text{ann}N$. Therefore $\text{ann}N=\text{ann}[N:M]$.

(3) Let $a \in [N:M]$, implies $aM \subseteq N$, and by theorem(4-11,(3)) $aM = [N:M]aM$, and hence $Ra=[N:M]a$. Therefore $[N:M]$ a strongly pure ideal of R (Th. 4-11). Another consequence of theorem(4-11) is the following .

Corollary : Let R/I be an integral domain . M is multiplication R -module with strongly pure annihilator .

(1) If I is strongly pure ideal of R , and N is a strongly pure sub module of M . Then IN is a strongly pure sub module of M .

(2) If N and L are strongly pure sub modules of M , then $N+L$ is also strongly pure sub module of M .

(3) If N and L are strongly pure sub modules of M , then $N \otimes L$ is strongly pure sub module of $M \otimes M$.

Proof : (1) As I is strongly pure ideal of R , and N is strongly pure sub module of M , then by theorem(4-11) , we infer that each ideal I and sub module N are multiplication and idempotent ideale of R (sub module of M) . Hence IN is multiplication [6 ,Corollary of theorem 2] . Moreover IN is idempotent . By theorem 3-11 , we infer IN is strongly pure sub module of M

(2) Let $x \in N+L$, there exists $a \in N$ and $b \in L$ such that $x=a+b$.

By theorem(4-11) $Ra=[N:M]a$ and $Rb=[L:M]b$, and hence $Rx=R(a+b) \subseteq Ra+Rb=[N:M]a+[L:M]b \subseteq [(N+L):M](a+b)=[(N+L):M]x$.

And by theorem(4-11) , $N+L$ is strongly pure sub module of M .

(3) Let $a \in N$ and $b \in L$. Then $Ra=[N:M]a$ and $Rb=[L:M]b$ and hence

$R(a \otimes b)=Ra \otimes Rb=[N:M]a \otimes [L:M]b=[N:M][L:M](a \otimes b)$. It is easy to check that $[N:M][L:M] \subseteq [a \otimes b : M \otimes M]$. Implies that $R(a \otimes b) \subseteq [N \otimes L : M \otimes M](a \otimes b) \subseteq R(a \otimes b)$, so

that $R(a \otimes b) \subseteq [N \otimes L : M \otimes M](a \otimes b)$. By theorem(4-11) , we infer that $N \otimes L$ is strongly pure sub module of $M \otimes M$. Finally , we get the following results .

Proposition : Let M be an R -module . N and L are sub modules of M such that L is sub module of N . If N is strongly pure sub module of M , then $\frac{N}{L}$ is strongly pure sub module of

$$\frac{M}{L}$$

Proof : Since N is strongly pure sub module of M , then $NI = N \cap MI$, for some finitely generated prime ideal I of R . So $I(\frac{M}{L}) \cap \frac{N}{L} = \frac{IM}{L} \cap \frac{N}{L} = \frac{IM \cap N}{L} = \frac{IN}{L} = I(\frac{N}{L})$. Thus

$\frac{N}{L}$ is a strongly pure sub module of $\frac{M}{L}$.

5.STRONGLY REGULAR R-MODULES

In this section we introduce a generalization for regular R -module concept namely strongly regular R -module .Recall that an element $x \in M$ is called regular if there exists an R -module homomorphism $\theta : M \rightarrow R$, such that $\theta(x)x = x$, [4] . If every element of M is regular , we say that M is regular R -module , [4] .

And an R -module M is regular if for each $x \in M$, and each $r \in R$, there exists $t \in R$, such that $xr = xrt$, [12] .First , we start this section by the following definition .

Definition : Let M be an R -module . An element $x \in M$ is called strongly regular if there exists an R -module homomorphism $\theta : M \rightarrow R$, such that $\theta(x)x = x$ where $\theta(x)$ is strongly regular element in a ring R .

Definition : An R -module M is called strongly regular if every element of M is strongly regular .**Also :** M is strongly regular R -module if for every element $x \in M$, and each $r \in R$, there exists a prime element $p \in R$, such that $xr = xrpr$.

Remark : Every sub module of strongly regular R -module is strongly pure.

Proof : Let N be a sub module of M , and let I be an ideal of R . It is clear that $IN \subseteq N \cap IM$. Conversely , let $x \in N \cap IM$, then $x = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i x_i$, where $r_i \in I$ and $x_i \in M$. Since M is a strongly regular R -module , hence x is strongly regular element . Thus there exists an R -module

homomorphism $\theta: M \rightarrow R$, such that $x = \theta(x)x$, so $\theta(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i \theta(x_i)$ and $x = \theta(x)x = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i \theta(x_i)x$.

And since $x \in N$, hence $x = \sum_{i=1}^n r_i \theta(x_i)x \in IN$. Thus $N \cap IM \subseteq IN$. Therefore N is strongly pure sub module of M .

Next , we want to study the relation between strongly regular ring and strongly regular module , by the following proposition .

Proposition : R is strongly regular ring if and only if R is strongly regular R -module .

Proof : Let R be a strongly regular ring , and let $x \in R$. Thus there exists prime element $p \in R$, such that $x = xpx$. Now defined a function $\theta : R \rightarrow R$, by $\theta(x) = xp$ for each $x \in R$, then $\theta(x)x = xpx$, so $\theta(x)x = x$. Thus R is strongly regular R -module .

Conversely ; Let R be strongly regular R -module , and let $x \in R$, there exists an R -module homomorphism $\theta: R \rightarrow R$, such that $x = x\theta(x)$, where $\theta(x)$ is strongly regular element of R . Since $\theta(x) = \theta(1.x) = \theta(1)x$, so $xpx = x\theta(1)x$. Therefore R is strongly regular ring .

Proposition : If M is strongly regular R -module , and divisible over an integral domain R , then every sub module of M is divisible .

Proof : Let N be a sub module of M , and let $0 \neq r \in R$, we show that $rN = N$. By remark (5-3) N is strongly pure , so $\langle r \rangle N = N \cap \langle r \rangle M$. We show that $rN = N \cap rM$, if $x \in N \cap rM$, then $x = rm$, since x is a strongly regular element of M , there exists an R -module homomorphism $\theta: M \rightarrow R$ such that $x = \theta(x).x$, and so $x = \theta(x).x = r.\theta(m).x$, as $x \in N$ this implies that $x \in rN$, so $N \cap rM \subseteq rN$, hence $N \cap rM = rN$. As $rM = M$, we see that $rN = N$, so N is divisible .

Proposition : For every strongly regular R -module M , we have $J(R)M = 0$.

Proof : Since M is strongly regular R -module , thus every sub module of M is strongly pure (Remark 5-3) . Let $J(R)M \neq 0$, therefore there exists $x \in J(R)M$, so Rx is strongly pure sub module of M , thus $Rx \cap J(R)M = JRx$. Then $Rx = J(R)Rx$, and by Nakayama's Lemma $Rx = 0$, so $x = 0$, and hence $J(R)M = 0$.



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