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## Strongly Hollow R - Annihilator Lifting Modules and Strongly R - Annihilator (Hollow- Lifting) Modules

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### Abstract

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring with unity. Let  $W$  be an  $R$ -module, for  $K \leq F$ , where  $F$  is a submodule of  $W$  and  $K$  is said to be  $R$ -annihilator coessential submodule of  $F$  in  $W$  (briefly  $R$ -a-coessential) if  $\frac{K}{F} \ll^a \frac{W}{F}$  (denoted by  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ ). An  $R$ -module  $W$  is called strongly hollow  $R$ -annihilator -lifting module (briefly, strongly hollow- $R$ -a-lifting), if for every submodule  $F$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{F}$  hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ . An  $R$ -module  $W$  is called strongly  $R$ -annihilator - (hollow - lifting) module (briefly strongly  $R$ -a - (hollow - lifting) module), if for every submodule  $F$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{F}$   $R$ -a - hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ .

**Keywords:**  $R$ -annihilator submodule, coessential submodule, hollow-lifting module, strongly hollow lifting module.

## مقاسات الرفع من النمط $R$ المجوفه القويه ومقاسات الرفع المجوفه من النمط تالف $R$ القويه

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### الخلاصة

لتكن  $R$  حلقة ابدالیه ذات عنصر محايد، وليكن  $W$  مقاسا معرفا على  $R$ ، و  $K \leq F$ ، حيث  $F$  هو مقاس جزئي من  $W$ . يدعى  $K$  مقاس جزئي ضد جوهری تالف من النمط  $R$  من  $F$  في  $W$  اذا كان  $\frac{K}{F} \ll \frac{W}{F}$  ويرمز له  $K \leq_{ace} F$  في  $W$ . يدعى المقاس  $W$  بأنه مقاس رفع من النمط تالف  $R$  المجوف قوي اذا كان لكل مقاس جزئي  $F$  من  $W$  بحيث  $\frac{W}{F}$  مجوف، يوجد جمع مباشر ثابت تام  $K$  من  $W$  بحيث  $K \leq_{ace} F$  والمقاس  $W$  يدعى مقاس رفع مجوف من النمط تالف  $R$  قوي اذا كان لكل مقاس جزئي  $F$  من  $W$  بحيث  $\frac{W}{F}$  مجوف من النمط تالف  $R$ ، يوجد جمع مباشر ثابت تام  $K$  من  $W$  بحيث  $K \leq_{ace} F$ .

### 1. Introduction

Throughout this paper, all rings are commutative rings with identity and all modules are unital. A submodule  $F$  of an  $R$ -module  $W$  is called  $R$ -annihilator -small ( $R$ -a-small) submodule if whenever  $F+T = W$ , where  $T$  is a submodule of  $W$ , implies that  $\text{ann}(T)=0$ , where  $\text{ann}(T)=\{r \in R: r.T = 0\}$ , denoted by  $F \ll^a W$  [1].

An earlier work [2] introduced the concept of  $R$ -annihilator -hollow module where a nontrivial module  $W$  is called  $R$ -annihilator-hollow (briefly  $R$ -a-hollow) if every proper submodule of  $W$  is  $R$ -a-small. Another work [3] reported that an  $R$ -module  $W$  is called hollow  $R$ -annihilator-lifting if for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  hollow there exists a direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \subseteq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . Also the concept of  $R$ -annihilator -(hollow-lifting)module was introduced where an  $R$ -module  $W$  is

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R-annihilator (hollow-lifting) module (briefly, R-a-(hollow-lifting)) if for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is R-a-hollow, there exists a direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \subseteq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$  [4]. It was also shown that an R-module  $W$  is called strongly hollow-lifting if for every submodule  $N$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{N}$  hollow, there exists a stable (fully invariant) direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $\frac{N}{K} \ll \frac{W}{K}$  [5].

In this paper, we introduce a new concept of strongly hollow-R-annihilator-lifting modules and strongly R-annihilator -(hollow-lifting) modules as a generalization of strongly hollow -lifting modules.

## 2. Strongly Hollow - R - Annihilator - Lifting Modules

In this section, we introduce the new concept of strongly hollow - R - annihilator - lifting modules as a generalization of strongly hollow - lifting modules and as a proper stronger module of hollow - R - a - lifting modules.

We start with the following definition:

### Definition (2-1)

An R - module  $W$  is called strongly hollow - R - annihilator - lifting module ( briefly, strongly hollow - R - a - lifting ) if for every submodule  $F$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{F}$  hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ .

### Proposition (2-2)

Every strongly hollow - R - a - lifting module  $W$  is hollow - R - a - lifting module.

### Proof

Let  $F$  be a submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{F}$  hollow. Since  $W$  is strongly hollow - R - a - lifting, then there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ .

But the converse of the previous proposition is not true in general ( we have no example yet ).

The following proposition shows that the converse is true if the module is indecomposable.

### Proposition (2-3)

Let  $W$  be an indecomposable R - module. Then  $W$  is strongly hollow - R - a - lifting module if and only if  $W$  is hollow - R - a - lifting module.

### Proof

From proposition (2-2),  $W$  is a hollow - R - a - lifting module.

Conversely, Let  $W$  be a hollow - R - a - lifting and  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  hollow. Since  $W$  is hollow - R - a - lifting module, then there exists a direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . But  $W$  is an indecomposable, therefore  $B = (0)$ , so  $\frac{A}{(0)} \ll^a \frac{W}{(0)}$  such that  $B = (0)$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$ . Thus  $W$  is strongly hollow - R - a - lifting.

### Example (2-4)

$Z_4$  as  $Z$  - module is indecomposable and hollow -  $Z$  - a - lifting, thus by the last proposition,  $Z_4$  as  $Z$  - module is strongly hollow -  $Z$  - a - lifting.

An earlier work [ 5, Examples and Remarks ( 3.1.2 )(7), P. 50] proved that if  $W$  is indecomposable, then  $W$  is strongly hollow - lifting if and only if  $W$  is hollow - lifting. Thus we provide the following remark.

### Remark (2-5)

Strongly hollow - R - a - lifting needs not to be strongly hollow - lifting module. For example, consider that  $W = Z$  as  $Z$  - module is indecomposable. Then by [ 6, Examples and Remarks ( 2.2.2 )(3), P. 34]  $Z$  as  $Z$  - module is not hollow - lifting and by [ 5, Examples and Remarks ( 3.1.2 )(7), P. 50]  $Z$  as  $Z$  - module is not strongly hollow - lifting module.

But  $Z$  as  $Z$  - module is hollow -  $Z$  - a - lifting, thus by proposition (2-3),  $Z$  as  $Z$  - module is strongly hollow -  $Z$  - a - lifting module.

We think that strongly hollow - lifting is not strongly hollow - R - a - lifting.

### Remark ( 2-6)

Every R - a - hollow module is strongly hollow - R - a - lifting module. But the converse is not true. For example,  $Z_4$  as  $Z$  - module is strongly hollow -  $Z$  - a - lifting but it is not  $Z$  - a - hollow.

**Proposition (2-7)**

If  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting module, then every  $R$  -  $a$  - coclosed submodule  $L$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{L}$  hollow is a fully invariant direct summand.

**Proof**

Let  $W$  be strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting module and let  $L$  be  $R$  -  $a$  - coclosed submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{L}$  hollow. Thus there is a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq L$  and  $\frac{L}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . But  $L$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - coclosed of  $W$ , so  $L = B$  and hence  $L$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$ .

Before we give the next proposition, we need the following lemma.

**Lemma (2-8)** [7]

Let  $W$  be an  $R$  - module. If  $W = W_1 \oplus W_2$ , then  $\frac{W}{A} = \frac{A \oplus W_1}{A} \oplus \frac{A \oplus W_2}{A}$ , for every fully invariant submodule  $A$  of  $W$ .

We need the following proposition

**Proposition (2-9)** [8]

Let  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  be  $R$ -modules and let  $f: W_1 \rightarrow W_2$  be an epimorphism if  $K < L < W_2$  and  $K \leq_{ace} L$  in  $W_2$ , then  $f^{-1}(K) \leq_{ace} f^{-1}(L)$  in  $W_1$

The following proposition shows the case when the quotient module be strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting.

**Proposition (2-10)**

Let  $W$  be an  $R$  - module. If  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting, then  $\frac{W}{F}$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting for every fully invariant submodule  $F$  of  $W$ .

**Proof**

Let  $\frac{A}{F}$  be a submodule of  $\frac{W}{F}$  such that  $\frac{W}{\frac{A}{F}}$  is hollow. So, by the third isomorphism theorem,  $\frac{W}{\frac{A}{F}} \cong \frac{W}{A}$ , then  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow. Now, since  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting, then there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $L$  of  $W$  such that  $\frac{A}{L} \ll^a \frac{W}{L}$ . Let  $W = L \oplus H$ , where  $H$  is a submodule of  $W$ . Now, clearly  $L + F \leq A$  and hence  $\frac{L+F}{F} \leq \frac{A}{F}$ . Let  $f: \frac{W}{L+F} \rightarrow \frac{W}{L}$  be a mapping defined by  $f(w + (L + F)) = w + L$ , for all  $w \in W$ . One can easily find that  $f$  is an isomorphism. Then by proposition (2-9), we have  $f^{-1}(\frac{A}{L}) \ll^a \frac{W}{L+F}$ , and hence  $f^{-1}(\frac{A}{L}) = \frac{A}{L+F} \ll^a \frac{W}{L+F}$ . Since  $F$  is fully invariant submodule of  $W$ , thus by lemma (2-8), we have  $\frac{W}{F} = \frac{W}{L+F} \oplus \frac{H+F}{F}$  and  $\frac{L+F}{F}$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $\frac{W}{F}$ . Thus  $\frac{W}{F}$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $W$  is  $SS$  - module if every direct summand  $D$  of  $W$  is stable. Equivalently,  $W$  is  $SS$  - module if and only if every direct summand  $D$  is fully invariant [9].

**Proposition (2-11)**

Let  $W$  be an  $R$  - module. If  $W$  is  $SS$  - module, then  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting if and only if  $W$  is hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting.

**Proof:** Clear.

**Corollary (2-12):**

Let  $W$  be duo ( fully invariant ) module. Then  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting if and only if  $W$  is hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting.

**Proposition (2-13)**

If  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting module, then for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  with  $B \leq A$  such that  $W = B \oplus L$  and  $A \cap L \ll^a L$ .

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  -  $a$  - lifting, and let  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow. Then by our assumption, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$

and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . Let  $W = B \oplus L$ , where  $L$  is a submodule of  $W$ . We must show that  $A \cap L \ll^a L$ . To show that, let  $L = A \cap L + X$ , where  $X \leq L$ . By the modular law,  $A = A \cap W = A \cap (B \oplus L) = B \oplus (A \cap L)$ , then  $W = B \oplus L = B + (A \cap L) + X = A + X$ . We get  $\frac{W}{B} = \frac{A+X}{B} = \frac{A}{B} + \frac{X+B}{B}$ , but  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$  implies that  $\text{ann}(\frac{X+B}{B}) = 0$ . One can easily show that  $\text{ann}(X) = 0$ . Hence  $A \cap L \ll^a L$ . Now, we need the following.

**Lemma(2-14) [1]**

Let  $L$  and  $H$  be submodules of an  $R$ -module  $W$  such that  $L \leq H$ . If  $\frac{H}{L}$  is  $R$ -a-small in  $\frac{W}{L}$ , then  $H$  is  $R$ -a-small submodule of  $W$ .

**Proposition (2-15) [1]**

Let  $E$  and  $F$  be submodules of an  $R$ - module  $W$  such that  $E \leq F$ , then the following holds:

- (1) If  $E$  is  $R$ -a-small submodule of  $F$ , then  $E$  is  $R$ -a-small submodule of  $W$ .
- (2) If  $F$  is  $R$ -a-small submodule of  $W$ , then  $E$  is  $R$ -a-small submodule of  $W$ .

**Proposition (2-16)**

If  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting, then every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow can be written as  $A = B \oplus S$ , with  $B$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$  and  $A \cap S \ll^a W$ .

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting, and let  $A \leq W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow. Then by our assumption, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . Let  $W = B \oplus L$ , where  $L$  is a submodule of  $W$ . By the modular law,  $A = A \cap W = A \cap (B \oplus L) = B \oplus (A \cap L)$ . We want to show that  $A \cap L \ll^a W$ , since  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ , thus by corollary (2-14), we get  $A \ll^a W$ . But  $A \cap L \leq A$ , thus by proposition (2-15), we get  $A \cap L \ll^a W$ . By putting  $S = A \cap L$  then  $A = B \oplus S$  with  $B$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$  and  $S \ll^a W$ .

**Proposition (2-17)**

If  $W$  is strongly hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting, then every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow can be written as  $A = B + S$ , with  $B$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$  and  $S \ll^a W$ .

**Proof:** Clear.

**Corollary (2-18)**

Let  $W$  be a projective  $SS$  - module. If  $W$  is a strongly hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting, then for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$ , such that  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow,  $\frac{W}{A}$  has a projective  $R$  - a - cover.

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is a projective  $SS$  - module and  $W$  is a strongly hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting module, and let  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is hollow, then by proposition (2-11), we have  $W$  is hollow -  $R$  - a - lifting, and by proposition (2-17), we have that  $\frac{W}{A}$  has a projective  $R$  - a - cover.

**3. Strongly R - Annihilator - ( Hollow - Lifting ) Modules**

In this section, we introduce the new concept of strongly  $R$  - annihilator - ( hollow - lifting ) modules as a generalization of strongly hollow - lifting modules and as a proper stronger module of  $R$  - a - ( hollow - lifting ) modules.

We start with the following definition:

**Definition (3-1)**

An  $R$  - module  $W$  is called strongly  $R$  - annihilator - ( hollow - lifting ) module ( briefly, strongly  $R$  - a - ( hollow - lifting ) module ) if for every submodule  $F$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{F}$   $R$  - a - hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ .

**Proposition (3-2)**

Every strongly  $R$  - a - ( hollow - lifting ) module  $W$  is  $R$  - a - ( hollow - lifting ) module.

**Proof**

Let  $F$  be a submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{F}$   $R$  - a - hollow. Since  $W$  is strongly  $R$  - a - ( hollow - lifting ), then there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $K$  of  $W$  such that  $K \leq_{ace} F$  in  $W$ .

But the converse of the previous proposition is not true in general ( we have no example yet ).

The following proposition shows that the converse is true if the module is indecomposable.

**Proposition (3-3)**

Let  $W$  be an indecomposable  $R$ -module. Then  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module if and only if  $W$  is  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module.

**Proof**

From proposition (3-2), we have that  $W$  is  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

Conversely, Let  $W$  be an  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) and  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$   $R$ -a- hollow. Since  $W$  is  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module, then there exists a direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . But  $W$  is an indecomposable, therefore  $B = (0)$ , so  $\frac{A}{(0)} \ll^a \frac{W}{(0)}$  such that  $B = (0)$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$ . Thus  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

**Example (3-4)**

$Z$  as  $Z$ -module is indecomposable and  $Z$ -a- (hollow - lifting), thus by the previous proposition,  $Z$  as  $Z$ -module is strongly  $Z$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

The abovementioned study [ 5, Examples and Remarks ( 3.1.2 )(7), P. 50] proved that if  $W$  is indecomposable, then  $W$  is strongly hollow - lifting if and only if  $W$  is hollow - lifting. Thus, we provide the following remark.

**Remark (3-5)**

Strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) needs not to be strongly hollow - lifting module. For example, consider that  $W = Z$  as  $Z$ -module is indecomposable. By [ 6, Examples and Remarks ( 2.2.2 )(3), P. 34],  $Z$  as  $Z$ -module is not hollow - lifting and by [ 5, Examples and Remarks ( 3.1.2 )(7), P. 50]  $Z$  as  $Z$ -module is not strongly hollow - lifting module.

But  $Z$  as  $Z$ -module is  $Z$ -a- (hollow - lifting), thus by proposition ( 3-5)  $Z$  as  $Z$ -module is strongly  $Z$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module.

We think that strongly hollow - lifting is not strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

**Remark (3-6)**

Every  $R$ -a- hollow module is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module. But the converse is not true. For example  $Z_4$  as  $Z$ -module is strongly  $Z$ -a- (hollow - lifting) but it is not  $Z$ -a- hollow.

**Proposition (3-7)**

If  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module, then every  $R$ -a- coclosed submodule  $L$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{L}$   $R$ -a- hollow is a fully invariant direct summand.

**Proof**

Let  $W$  be strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) module and let  $L$  be  $R$ -a- coclosed submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{L}$   $R$ -a- hollow. Thus, there is a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq L$  and  $\frac{L}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . But  $L$  is  $R$ -a- coclosed of  $W$ , so  $L = B$  and hence  $L$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$ .

The following proposition shows the case when the quotient module is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

**Proposition (3-8)**

Let  $W$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting), then  $\frac{W}{F}$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) for every fully invariant submodule  $F$  of  $W$ .

**Proof:** Let  $\frac{A}{F}$  be a submodule of  $\frac{W}{F}$  such that  $\frac{W}{\frac{A}{F}}$  is  $R$ -a- hollow. So by the third isomorphism

theorem,  $\frac{\frac{W}{F}}{\frac{A}{F}} \cong \frac{W}{A}$ , then  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$ -a- hollow.

Now, since  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting), then there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $L$  of  $W$  such that  $\frac{A}{L} \ll^a \frac{W}{L}$ .

We complete the proof in the same way of proposition (2-10).

**Proposition (3-9)**

Let  $W$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $W$  is SS - module, then  $W$  is strongly  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting) if and only if  $W$  is  $R$ -a- (hollow - lifting).

**Proof:** Clear.

**Corollary (3-10)**

Let  $W$  be a duo ( fully invariant ) module. Then  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ) if and only if  $W$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ).

**Proposition (3-11)**

If  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ) module, then for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  with  $B \leq A$  such that  $W = B \oplus L$  and  $A \cap L \ll^a L$ .

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), and let  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow. Then by our assumption, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ . We complete the proof in the same way of proposition ( 2-13).

**Proposition (3-12)**

If  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), then every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow can be written as  $A = B \oplus S$ , with  $B$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$  and  $S \ll^a W$ .

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), and let  $A \leq W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow. Then by our assumption, there exists a fully invariant direct summand  $B$  of  $W$  such that  $B \leq A$  and  $\frac{A}{B} \ll^a \frac{W}{B}$ .

We complete the proof in the same way of proposition (2-16).

**Proposition (3-13)**

If  $W$  is strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), then every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow can be written as  $A = B + S$ , with  $B$  is a fully invariant direct summand of  $W$  and  $S \ll^a W$ .

**Proof:** Clear.

**Corollary (3-14)**

Let  $W$  be a projective  $SS$  - module. If  $W$  is a strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), then for every submodule  $A$  of  $W$  such that  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow,  $\frac{W}{A}$  has a projective  $R$  -  $a$  - cover.

**Proof**

Suppose that  $W$  is a projective  $SS$  - module and  $W$  is a strongly  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ) module, and let  $A$  be a submodule of  $W$  with  $\frac{W}{A}$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - hollow. By proposition (3-9), we have that  $W$  is  $R$  -  $a$  - ( hollow - lifting ), and by proposition( 3-7), we have that  $\frac{W}{A}$  has a projective  $R$  -  $a$  - cover.

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