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Semi - T - Small Submodules

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Abstract

Let R be a ring with identity and T be a submodule of a left R - module W . A submodule N of W is called T - small in W , denoted by $N \ll_T W$, in case for any submodule X of W , $T \subseteq X + N$ implies $T \subseteq X$. A Submodule N of W is called semi - T - small in W , denoted by $N \ll_{S-T} W$, provided for submodule X of W , $T \subseteq X + N$ implies that $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. We studied this concept which is a generalization of the small submodules and obtained some related results

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المقاسات الجزئية الصغرى من النمط T

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الخلاصة

لنكن R حلقة ابدالية ذات عنصر محايد و T مقاس جزئي من المقاس W المعروف على R يدعى المقاس الجزئي N من W بانه مقاس جزئي شبه اصغر من النمط T . اذا كان $T \subseteq N + X$ يؤدي هذا الى ان $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. درسنا هذا المفهوم الذي هو تعميم لمقاسات الجزئية الصغرى وحصلنا على بعض النتائج ذات العلاقة.

1- INTRODUCTION

In this paper, all rings have identity elements and all modules are left unitary. Let R be a ring and W be an R - module. Recall that a submodule N of W is small, denoted by $N \ll W$, if for any submodule X of W , $X + N = W$ implies that $X = W$. More details about small submodules can be found in earlier reports [1,2,3]. Following Beyranvand and Moradi [4], let T be a submodule of a module W . A submodule N of a module W is called T - small in w , denoted by $N \ll_T W$, in case for any submodule X of W , $T \subseteq X + N$ implies $T \subseteq X$.

In this work, we introduce the concept of semi- T - small submodules. Let T be a submodule of a module W . A submodule N of a module W is called semi- T - small in W , denoted by $N \ll_{S-T} W$, in case for any submodule X of W , $T \subseteq X + N$ implies $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$ (where $Rad(W)$ is The Jacobson radical of W). Some properties of this kind of submodules are considered.

2- SEMI -T- SMALL SUBMODULES

Definition 2.1 Let R be a ring and T be a submodule of an R -module W . A submodule N of W is called semi- T -small in W , denoted by $N \ll_{S-T} W$, in case that for any submodule $X \leq W$, $T \subseteq X + N$ implies that $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$.

Remarks and Examples 2.2

1. Let W be an R -module and T be a submodule of W . Then every T -small submodule is semi - T - small submodule

Proof: It is clear.

2. The converse of (1) is not true, i.e. semi- T -small submodule need not to be T -small submodule; for example: consider \mathbb{Z}_{12} as \mathbb{Z} - module and $T = \langle \bar{2} \rangle, N = \langle \bar{3} \rangle, X = \langle \bar{4} \rangle$. Then $T = \langle \bar{2} \rangle \subseteq \langle \bar{4} \rangle + \langle \bar{3} \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_{12}$. Since $T \not\subseteq X$, thus N is not T -small in \mathbb{Z}_{12} . But $X + Rad(\mathbb{Z}_{12}) = \langle \bar{4} \rangle + \langle \bar{6} \rangle = \langle \bar{2} \rangle$, thus $T = X + Rad(\mathbb{Z}_{12})$. Also $T = \langle \bar{2} \rangle \subseteq \langle \bar{2} \rangle + \langle \bar{3} \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_{12}$ (where $X = \langle \bar{2} \rangle$) and thus $\langle \bar{2} \rangle \subseteq \langle \bar{2} \rangle = X$. Therefore $T \subseteq X + Rad(\mathbb{Z}_{12}) = X$. Hence N is semi- T -small.

3. Let W be an R - module. If $Rad(W) = 0$, then the two concepts T -small submodules and semi- T -small submodules are equivalent.

4. If $T = 0$ in the last definition, then every submodule of W is semi - T - small.

5. If $T \neq 0$ and $Rad(W) = 0$, then $N \ll_{S-T} W$ implies that $T \subseteq N$, for if not then $T \subseteq N + (0)$ and hence $T \subseteq (0)$, which is a contradiction.

6. It is clear that $0 \ll_{S-T} W$, for an R -module W .

Proposition 2.3: Let W be an R -module, $L \leq K \leq W$, and $T \leq W$. If $L \ll_{S-T} W$ then $L \ll_{S-T} K$.

Proof : Suppose that $T \subseteq L + X$, where X is a submodule of W , thus $T \subseteq L + K$. But $K \ll_{S-T} W$, therefore $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. Hence $L \ll_{S-T} W$.

Proposition 2.4: Let W be an R -module with $N \leq K \leq W$ and $T \leq K$. If $N \ll_{S-T} K$ then $N \ll_{S-T} W$.

Proof: Suppose that $N \ll_{S-T} K$. To show that $N \ll_{S-T} W$, let $T \subseteq N + X$, where X is a submodule of W . Thus $T \subseteq N + (X \cap K)$, but $N \ll_{S-T} K$. Therefore $T \subseteq (X \cap K) + Rad(K)$. Since $Rad(K) \subseteq Rad(W)$ [5], thus $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$ and therefore $N \ll_{S-T} W$.

Before we give the converse of the last proposition, we need the following Lemma [6].

Lemma 2.5 [6, Lemma (1.33), p22]: Let M be a module, then $Rad(M) = 0$ if and only if $Rad(N) = Rad(M) \cap N$, for every submodule N of M .

Now, we have the following.

Proposition 2.6: Let T, K and N be submodules of an R - module W such that $T \leq K, N \leq K \leq W$ and $Rad(W) = 0$. If $N \ll_{S-T} W$, then $N \ll_{S-T} K$.

Proof: Suppose that $N \ll_{S-T} W$ and $Rad(W) = 0$. To show that $N \ll_{S-T} K$, let $T \subseteq N + X$, where X is a submodule of K . Since $N \ll_{S-T} W$, thus $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. But $T \subseteq K$, thus $T \subseteq (X + Rad(W) \cap K) = X + Rad(W) \cap K$, and by Lemma (2.5), $T \subseteq X + Rad(K)$. Thus $N \ll_{S-T} K$.

Proposition 2.7: Let W be a module with submodules N_1, N_2 and T . Then $N_1 \ll_{S-T} W$ and $N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$ if and only if $N_1 + N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$.

Proof: (\Rightarrow): Suppose that $N_1 \ll_{S-T} W$ and $N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$. To prove that $N_1 + N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$, suppose that $T \subseteq N_1 + N_2 + X$, where X is a submodule of W . Thus $T \subseteq N_1 + (N_2 + X)$. Since $N_1 \ll_{S-T} W$, then $T \subseteq N_2 + X + Rad(W) = N_2 + (X + Rad(W))$. But $N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$, thus $T \subseteq X + Rad(W) + Rad(W) = X + Rad(W)$. Hence $N_1 + N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$.

(\Leftarrow): Now, suppose that $N_1 + N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$. To show that $N_1 \ll_{S-T} W$, suppose that $T \subseteq N_1 + X$, where X is a submodule of W , thus $T \subseteq N_1 + N_2 + X$. Since $N_1 + N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$, hence $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. Thus $N_1 \ll_{S-T} W$. Similarly, we can prove that $N_2 \ll_{S-T} W$.

Proposition 2.8: Let W be an R - module with $K_1 \leq W_1 \leq W$ and $K_2 \leq W_2 \leq W$. Then $K_1 \ll_{S-T} W_1$ and $K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_2$ if and only if $K_1 + K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_1 + W_2$.

Proof: First assume that $K_1 \ll_{S-T} W_1$ and $K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_2$. By Proposition (2.4), $K_1 \ll_{S-T} W_1 + W_2$. Also, by Proposition (2.7), $K_1 + K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_1 + W_2$.

Conversely, suppose that $K_1 + K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_1 + W_2$. To show that $K_1 \ll_{S-T} W_1$, suppose that $T \subseteq K_1 + X$, where X is a submodule of W_1 . Thus $T \subseteq K_1 + K_2 + X$, but $K_1 + K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_1 + W_2$. Therefore $K_1 \ll_{S-T} W_1$. Similarly, $K_2 \ll_{S-T} W_2$.

Theorem 2.9: Let $\{T_i\}_{i \in I}$ be an indexed set of submodules of an R -module W , and K be a submodule of W . If for each $i \in I$, $K \ll_{S-T_i} W$, then $K \ll_{S-\sum_{i \in I} T_i} W$.

Proof: suppose that $\sum T_i \subseteq K + X$, for some $X \subseteq W$, then for each $i \in I$, $T_i \subseteq K + X$, and by hypothesis, $T_i \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. Thus $\sum_{i \in I} T_i \subseteq X + Rad(W)$.

Corollary 2.10: Let K_1 and K_2 be submodules of an R -module W such that $K_1 \ll_{S-K_2} W$ and $K_2 \ll_{S-K_1} W$. Then $K_1 \cap K_2 \ll_{S-K_1+K_2} W$.

Proof: Since $K_1 \ll_{S-K_2} W$, then by Proposition (2.3), $K_1 \cap K_2 \ll_{S-K_2} W$ and $K_1 \cap K_2 \ll_{S-K_1} W$. Also, by theorem (2.9), $K_1 \cap K_2 \ll_{S-K_1+K_2} W$.

We introduce the following concept.

Definition 2.11: Let W, H be two right R -modules and $0 \neq T \leq W$. An R -epimorphism $F: W \rightarrow H$ is called semi- T -small in case that $Ker f \ll_{S-T} W$.

Proposition 2.12: Let K and $0 \neq T$ be two submodules of Left R - module W . The following statements are equivalent:

1. $K \ll_{S-T} W$.
2. The natural epimorphism $P_K: W \rightarrow W/K$ is semi- T -small.
3. For every R -module F and R -homomorphism $h: F \rightarrow W$, $T \subseteq K + Imh$ implies that $T \subseteq Imh + Rad(W)$

Proof: (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let $P_K: W \rightarrow W/K$ be the natural epimorphism and suppose that $T \subseteq Ker P_K + X$, where X is a submodule of W . But $Ker P_K = K$, thus $T \subseteq K + X$ and since $K \ll_{S-T} W$, therefore $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. Hence $Ker P_K \ll_{S-T} W$, i.e. P_K is semi- T -small.

(2) \Rightarrow (3): It is clear.

(3) \Rightarrow (1): Suppose that $T \subseteq K + X$, for some $X \leq W$. Let $i: X \rightarrow W$ be the inclusion homomorphism. Then $T \subseteq K + Im i = K + X$ and by (3) $T \subseteq X + Rad(W) = Im i + Rad(W)$.

Lemma 2.13: Let W and F be R - modules and $f: W \rightarrow F$ be R - homomorphism. If K and T are submodules of W such that $K \ll_{S-T} W$, then $f(K) \ll_{S-f(T)} F$. In particular, if $K \ll_{S-T} W \ll F$, then $K \ll_{S-T} F$.

Proof: We may assume that $f(T) \neq 0$. Let $f(T) \subseteq f(K) + X$, for some $X \leq F$. We claim that $T \subseteq K + f^{-1}(X)$. Let $t \in T$, then $f(t) = f(k) + x$, for some $k \in K$ and $x \in X$. Then $f(t - k) \in X$ and so $t - k \in f^{-1}(X)$. This implies that $t \in K + f^{-1}(X)$, but $K \ll W$, therefore $T \subseteq f^{-1}(X) + Rad(W)$. Thus $f(T) \subseteq X + f(Rad(W)) \subseteq X + Rad(f)$, i.e. $f(k) \ll_{S-f(T)} F$.

A submodule V of an R -module is called a supplement of a submodule U of W , if V is a minimal element in the set of submodules $\leq W$, with $U+V = W$. Equivalently, V is a supplement of U if $W = U+V$ and $U \cap V \ll V$ [7].

Proposition 2.14: Let N and T be submodules of an R - module W and N' be a supplement of N in W . If $N \ll_{S-T} W$, then $T \subseteq N' + Rad(W)$.

Proof: It is clear.

Theorem 2.15: Let K be a submodule of an R -module W and K' is a supplement of K in W . The following are equivalent:

1. $K' \ll_{S-K} W$;
2. For each submodule N of W , the relation $K + N = W$ implies that $K' \subseteq N + Rad(W)$.

Proof: (1) \Rightarrow (2): It is clear.

(2)⇒(1): Suppose that $K' \subseteq K + X$ for some $X \leq W$. Since $W = K + K' \subseteq K + X$, we have $W = K + X$, and by assumption, $K' \subseteq X + Rad(W)$.

3- ADDITIONAL RESULTS ABOUT SEMI-T-SMALL SUBMODULES

In this section, we provide new results about semi – T – small submodules and start by the following proposition.

Proposition 3.1: Let K, N and L be submodules of a module W such that $K \subseteq N \subseteq L \subseteq W$. If $\frac{L}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+K}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$, then $\frac{L}{N} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{N}} \frac{W}{N}$ and $\frac{N}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$.

Proof: Let $\frac{L}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+K}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$. To show that $\frac{L}{N} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{N}} \frac{W}{N}$, let $\frac{T+N}{N} \subseteq \frac{L}{N} + \frac{X}{N}$, for some submodule $\frac{X}{N}$ of $\frac{W}{N}$, then $\frac{T+N}{N} \subseteq \frac{L+X}{N}$. Hence $T \subseteq T + N \subseteq L + X$, so $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{L+X}{K}$, therefore $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{L}{K} + \frac{X}{K}$. But $\frac{L}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$, therefore $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{X}{K} + Rad\left(\frac{W}{K}\right) \subseteq \frac{X}{K} + \frac{Rad(W)}{K}$.

So $T \subseteq T + K \subseteq X + Rad(W)$, hence $\frac{T+N}{N} \subseteq \frac{X}{N} + \frac{Rad(W)+N}{N} \subseteq \frac{X}{N} + \frac{Rad(W)}{N} \subseteq \frac{X}{N} + Rad\left(\frac{W}{N}\right)$. Thus $\frac{L}{N} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{N}} \frac{W}{N}$.

To show that $\frac{N}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$, let $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{N}{K} + \frac{X}{K}$, for some submodule $\frac{X}{K}$ of $\frac{W}{K}$. Then $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{N+X}{K}$ and hence $T \subseteq T + K \subseteq N + X \subseteq L + X$. So $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{L+X}{K}$, therefore $\frac{T+K}{K} \subseteq \frac{X}{K} + Rad\left(\frac{W}{K}\right)$. Thus $\frac{N}{K} \ll_{S-\frac{T+N}{K}} \frac{W}{K}$.

Proposition 3.2: Let W be an R -module, $L \leq K \leq W$ and $T \leq W$. If $K \ll_{S-T} W$, then $\frac{K}{L} \ll_{S-T} \frac{W}{L}$.

Proof: Suppose that $K \ll_{S-T} W$. To show that $\frac{K}{L} \ll_{S-T} \frac{W}{L}$, suppose that $\frac{T}{L} \subseteq \frac{K}{L} + \frac{X}{L}$, where $X \leq W$ such that $L \leq X$. Then $\frac{T}{L} \subseteq \frac{K+X}{L}$, therefore $T \subseteq K + X$. But $K \ll_{S-T} W$, thus $T \subseteq X + Rad(W)$. Therefore $\frac{T}{L} \subseteq \frac{X+Rad(W)}{L} = \frac{X}{L} + \frac{Rad(W)+L}{L} \subseteq \frac{X}{L} + Rad\left(\frac{W}{L}\right)$. Hence $\frac{K}{L} \ll_{S-T} \frac{W}{L}$.

Proposition 3.3: Let $W = W_1 \oplus W_2$ be a module such that $R = annW_1 + annW_2$. If $H_1 \ll_{S-T_1} W_1$ and $H_2 \ll_{S-T_2} W_2$, then $H_1 \oplus H_2 \ll_{S-T_1 \oplus T_2} W$.

Proof: Let $T_1 \oplus T_2 \subseteq H_1 \oplus H_2 + K$, for some submodule K of W . Since $R = annW_1 + annW_2$, then by [7, prop. 4.2, ch1] $K = K_1 \oplus K_2$, for some submodules K_1 of W_1 and submodule K_2 of W_2 . Hence,

$$T_1 \oplus T_2 \subseteq H_1 \oplus H_2 + K_1 \oplus K_2 = (H_1 + K_1) \oplus (H_2 + K_2).$$

One can easily shows that $T_1 \subseteq H_1 + K_1$ and $T_2 \subseteq H_2 + K_2$. Since $H_1 \ll_{S-T_1} W_1$ and $H_2 \ll_{S-T_2} W_2$, then $T_1 \subseteq K_1 + Rad(W_1)$ and $T_2 \subseteq K_2 + Rad(W_2)$. Thus $T_1 \oplus T_2 \subseteq K_1 \oplus K_2 + Rad(W_1) \oplus Rad(W_2)$. Hence $T_1 \oplus T_2 \subseteq K_1 + K_2 + Rad(W)$ [5]. Therefore $H_1 \oplus H_2 \ll_{S-T_1 \oplus T_2} W$.

Let W be an R – module. W is called a fully stable module if for each submodule N of W and for each R - homomorphism f from N to W , $f(N) \subseteq N$, see [8].

Proposition 3.4: Let $W = \bigoplus W_i$ be a fully stable module. If $H_i \ll_{S-T_i} W_i$, for each $i \in I$ then $\bigoplus_{i \in I} H_i \ll_{S-\bigoplus T_i} \bigoplus W_i$.

Proof: Let $W = \bigoplus_{i \in I} W_i$ be a fully stable module and $H_i \ll_{S-T_i} W_i$, for each $i \in I$. To show that $\bigoplus_{i \in I} H_i \ll_{S-\bigoplus T_i} \bigoplus_{i \in I} W_i$, let $\bigoplus_{i \in I} T_i \subseteq \bigoplus_{i \in I} H_i + K$, for some submodule K of W . We claim that $K = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (K \cap W_i)$. To show that, for each $i \in I$, let $\pi_i: W \rightarrow W_i$ be the projection map and let $x \in K$, then $x \in \bigoplus_{i \in I} W_i$ and hence $x = \sum_{i \in I} x_i$ where $x_i \in W_i$, for all $i \in I$ and $x_i \neq 0$ for at most a finite of $i \in I$. Since W is fully stable, then $\pi_i(x) \in K$, $\forall i \in I$. Now, $\pi_i(x) = \pi_i(\sum_{i \in I} x_i) = x_i \in K \cap W_i$ and hence $x = \sum_{i \in I} x_i \in \bigoplus (K \cap W_i)$. Thus $K \subseteq \bigoplus (K \cap W_i)$. Clearly, $\bigoplus_{i \in I} (K \cap W_i) \subseteq K$. Thus $K = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (K \cap W_i)$. Now, $\bigoplus_{i \in I} T_i \subseteq (\bigoplus_{i \in I} H_i) + (\bigoplus_{i \in I} (K \cap W_i)) = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (H_i + (K \cap W_i))$. Therefore $T_i \subseteq H_i + (K \cap W_i)$, for each $i \in I$. Since $H_i \ll_{S-T_i} W_i$, $\forall i \in I$, then $T_i \subseteq K \cap W_i + Rad(W_i)$, $\forall i \in I$ and hence $\bigoplus T_i \subseteq \bigoplus (K \cap W_i) + Rad(W)$ [5].

Let W be an R - module. Recall that W is a multiplication module if, for each submodule N of W , there exists an ideal I of R such that $N = IW$, see [9].

Proposition 3.5

Let W be a finitely generated, faithful, and multiplication module and let I, J be ideals in R . Then $I \ll_{S-T} R$ if and only if $IW \ll_{S-JW} W$.

Proof:

Assume that $I \ll_{S-J} R$. To show that $IW \ll_{S-JW} W$. $JW \subseteq IW + X$, for some submodule X of W . Since W is a multiplication module, then $X = KW$, for some ideal K of R and hence $JW \subseteq IW + KW = (I + K)W$. But W is finitely generated faithful and a multiplication module, therefore W is a cancelation module by [9]. So $J \subseteq I + K$. Since $I \ll_{S-J} R$, then $J \subseteq K + Rad(R)$. Hence $JW \subseteq KW + Rad(R)W \subseteq X + Rad(W)$ [6]. Thus $IW \ll_{S-JW} W$.

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