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On y -closed Dual Rickart Modules

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Abstract

In this paper, we develop the work of Ghawi on close dual Rickart modules and discuss y -closed dual Rickart modules with some properties. Then, we prove that, if M_1 and M_2 are y -closed simple R -modules and if M_1 is M_2 - y -closed is a dual Rickart module, then either $\text{Hom}(M_1, M_2) = 0$ or $M_1 \cong M_2$. Also, we study the direct sum of y -closed dual Rickart modules.

Keywords: Endomorphism ring, y -closed submodule, Image of endomorphism, y -closed simple, y -closed dual Rickart modules.

حول مقاسات الريكارتية الرديفة من النمط y -مغلق

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الخلاصة

في هذا البحث قمنا بتوسيع دراسة ثائر يونس غاوي في المقاسات الريكارتية الرديفة المغلقة حيث ناقشنا المقاسات الريكارتية الرديفة من النمط y -مغلق مع توسيع بعض الخواص حول هذا المفهوم. برهنا اذا كانت M_1 و M_2 هي مقاسات بسيطة من النمط y -مغلق و كان المقاس الريكارتية الرديف M_1 is M_2 من النمط y -مغلق فان اما $\text{Hom}(M_1, M_2) = 0$ او $M_1 \cong M_2$. وايضا درسنا الجمع المباشر للمقاسات الريكارتية الرديفة من النمط y -مغلق.

1. INTRODUCTION

A module M is called a dual Rickart module if for every $\varphi \in \text{End}(M)$, then $\text{Im}\varphi = eM$ for some $e^2 = e \in S$. Equivalently, a module M is a dual Rickart module if and only if for every $\varphi \in \text{End}(M)$, then $\text{Im}\varphi$ is a direct summand of M [1]. A module M is called a closed dual Rickart module, if for any $f \in \text{End}(M)$, $\text{Im}f$ is a closed submodule in M [1]. Recall that a submodule A of an R -module M is called a y -closed submodule of M if $\frac{M}{A}$ is nonsingular [2]. It is known that every y -closed submodule is closed.

In this paper, we give some results on the y -closed dual Rickart modules.

In section 2, we give the definition of the y -closed dual Rickart modules with some examples and basic properties. Moreover, we prove that for two R -modules M and N , and let B be a submodule of N if M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then M is B - y -closed dual Rickart module, see proposition (2.4).

In section 3, we study the direct sum of y -closed dual Rickart modules. Furthermore, we prove that, let M and N be two R -modules, such that $M = A \oplus B$ if M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then A is L - y -closed dual Rickart module, for every submodule L of N , see proposition (3.1).

Throughout this article, R is a ring with identity and M is a unital left R -module. For a left module M , $S = \text{End}_R(M)$ will denote the endomorphism ring of M .

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§2: Y-CLOSED DUAL RICKART MODULES

In this section, we introduce the concept of the y -closed dual Rickart modules and we illustrate it by some examples. Also, we give some basic properties. We start by the definition.

Definition 2.1: Let M and N be two R -modules. We say that M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module if for every homomorphism $0 \neq f: M \rightarrow N$, Imf is a y -closed submodule of N .

For a module M . If M is M - y -closed dual Rickart module. Then we say that M is a y -closed dual Rickart module.

Examples 2.2

1- The module $Z_2 \oplus Z_2$ as Z_2 -module is Z_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module. To show that, let $0 \neq f: Z_2 \oplus Z_2 \rightarrow Z_2$ be any R -homomorphism. Then $Imf = Z_2$ is a y -closed submodule of Z_2 .

2- Consider the module Z as Z -module and let $f: Z \rightarrow Z$ be a map defined by $f(n) = 4n, \forall n \in Z$. It is clear that f is an R -homomorphism and $Imf = 4Z$. But $\frac{Z}{4Z} \simeq Z_4$ and Z_4 as Z -module is singular, therefore $Imf = 4Z$ is not a y -closed submodule of Z . Thus Z is not y -closed dual Rickart module.

3- Consider the modules Z_p and Z_{p^∞} as Z -modules. The module Z_p is not Z_{p^∞} - y -closed dual Rickart module. To show that, let $i: (\frac{1}{p} + Z) \rightarrow Z_{p^\infty}$ be the inclusion map. Since Z_{p^∞} is singular, then $\frac{Z_{p^\infty}}{(\frac{1}{p} + Z)}$ is

singular, by [2]. Therefore $(\frac{1}{p} + Z)$ is not a y -closed submodule of Z_{p^∞} . But $Z_p \simeq (\frac{1}{p} + Z)$ as Z -module, therefore, is not Z_{p^∞} - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Remark 2.3: A dual Rickart module needs not to be a y -closed dual Rickart module. For example, the module Z_6 as Z -module is a dual Rickart module, where Z_6 as Z -module is semisimple. Claim that Z_6 as Z -module is not y -closed dual Rickart module. To show that, let $f: Z_6 \rightarrow Z_6$ be a map defined by $f(x) = 2x, \forall x \in Z_6$. It is clear that f is a homomorphism and $Imf = \{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}\}$. But $\frac{Z_6}{Imf} \simeq Z_2$ and Z_2 as Z -module is singular, therefore Imf is not a y -closed submodule of Z_6 . Thus Z_6 is not y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proposition 2.4: Let M and N be two R -modules and let B be a submodule of N . If M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then M is B - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proof. Let $f: M \rightarrow B$ be an R -homomorphism and let $i: B \rightarrow N$ be the inclusion map. Consider the map $i \circ f: M \rightarrow N$. Since M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then $Imf = Im i \circ f$ is a y -closed submodule of N and hence $\frac{N}{Imf}$ is nonsingular. But $\frac{B}{Imf}$ is a submodule of $\frac{N}{Imf}$, therefore $\frac{B}{Imf}$ is nonsingular and hence Imf is a y -closed submodule of B . Thus M is B - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Definition 2.5: Let M be an R -module, then M is called a y -closed simple if M and 0 are the only y -closed submodules of M .

Proposition 2.6: Let M be an R -module and let N be a y -closed simple R -module. If M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then either

- (1) $\text{Hom}(M, N) = 0$ or
- (2) Every nonzero R -homomorphism from M to N is an epimorphism.

Proof. Assume that $\text{Hom}(M, N) \neq 0$ and let $f: M \rightarrow N$ be a non-zero R -homomorphism. Since M is N - y -closed dual Rickart, then Imf is y -closed submodule of N . But N is y -closed simple, therefore $Imf = N$ and f is an epimorphism.

Recall that an R -module M is called a Co-Quasi-Dedekind R -module if every nonzero endomorphism of M is an epimorphism, see[3, p2].

Proposition 2.7: Let M_1 and M_2 be R -modules such that M_2 is y -closed simple and M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module. If $\text{Hom}(M_1, M_2) \neq 0$, then M_2 is Co-Quasi-Dedekind R -module.

Proof. Assume that there is an R -homomorphism $0 \neq f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$. Then by proposition (2.6), $Imf = M_2$. Now let $0 \neq g: M_2 \rightarrow M_2$ be an R -homomorphism. Consider the map $g \circ f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$. Since M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module, then $Img \circ f$ is a y -closed submodule of M_2 . But f is an epimorphism, therefore $Img \circ f = Img$ is a y -closed submodule of M_2 . Since M_2 is y -closed simple, then $Img = M_2$. Thus M_2 is Co-Quasi-Dedekind R -module.

Proposition 2.8: Let M_1 and M_2 be y -closed simple R -modules. If M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module, then either $\text{Hom}(M_1, M_2) = 0$ or $M_1 \cong M_2$.

Proof. Assume that $\text{Hom}(M_1, M_2) \neq 0$ and let $0 \neq f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ be an R -homomorphism. Since M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module, then by Proposition (2.7), f is an epimorphism. Now consider

the following short exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \ker f \xrightarrow{i} M_1 \xrightarrow{f} M_2 \longrightarrow 0$$

where i is the inclusion map. Since M_2 is nonsingular, then $M_2 \cong \frac{M_1}{\ker f}$ is nonsingular. Hence $\ker f$ is y -closed submodule of M_1 . But M_1 is y -closed simple and $M_1 \neq \ker f$, therefore $\ker f = 0$. Thus $M_1 \cong M_2$.

§3 DIRECT SUM OF Y -CLOSED DUAL RICKART MODULES

In this section, we study the direct sum of the y -closed dual Rickart modules. we begin with the following theorem .

Theorem 3.1: Let M and N be two R -modules such that $M = A \oplus B$. If M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module, then A is L - y -closed dual Rickart module, for every submodule L of N .

Proof. Let M be N - y -closed dual Rickart module and $f: A \rightarrow L$ be an R -homomorphism. Let $p: M \rightarrow A$ be the projection map and $i: L \rightarrow N$ be the inclusion map. Consider the map $(i \circ f \circ p): M \rightarrow N$. Since M is N - y -closed dual Rickart, then $Im(i \circ f \circ p)$ is a y -closed submodule of N . But

$$\begin{aligned} Im(i \circ f \circ p) &= \{i \circ f \circ p(x), x \in M\} \\ &= \{i(f(p(a+b))), a \in A, b \in B\} \\ &= \{f(a), a \in A\} = Imf \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $Im(i \circ f \circ p) = Imf$ is a y -closed submodule of N . Hence Imf is a y -closed of L . Thus A is L - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proposition 3.2: Let $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ and $N = \bigoplus_{i \in I} N_i$ be two R -modules, such that $f(M_i) \subseteq N_i, \forall i \in I$. Then M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module if and only if each M_i is N_i - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proof. \Rightarrow Clear by Propositions (2.4) and (3.1)

For the converse, let $f: M \rightarrow N$ be an R -homomorphism. We want to show that Imf is a y -closed submodule of N . Since $f(M_i) \subseteq N_i, \forall i \in I$, then we can consider $f|_{M_i}: M_i \rightarrow N_i \forall i \in I$. First, claim

that $Im(f|_{M_i}) = Imf \cap N_i, \forall i \in I$. To show that, let $f(x_i) \in Im(f|_{M_i}), x_i \in M_i$, then $f(x_i) \in (Imf \cap N_i)$. Now let $f(x) \in (Imf \cap N_i)$. Then $x = \sum_{j \in I} x_j$, where $x_j \in M_j$, for each $j \in I$ and $x_j \neq 0$ for at most a finite number of $j \in I$. Now $f(x) = f(\sum_{j \in I} x_j) = \sum_{j \in I} f(x_j) \in \bigoplus_{j \in I} N_j$. But $f(x) \in N_i$. Therefore $f(x_j) = 0, \forall j \neq i$ and $f(x) = f(x_i)$. Hence $f(x) \in Im(f|_{M_i})$. Thus $Im(f|_{M_i}) = Imf \cap N_i, \forall i \in I$. Claim that $Imf = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (Imf \cap N_i)$. To show that, let $f(x) \in Imf, x \in M$. Then $x = \sum_{i \in I} x_i$, where $x_i \in M_i, \forall i \in I$ and $x_i \neq 0$, for at most a finite number of $i \in I$. Hence $f(x) = f(\sum_{i \in I} x_i) = \sum_{i \in I} f(x_i)$, for all $i \in I$. By our assumption $f(x_i) \in Imf \cap N_i, \forall i \in I$. Hence $f(x) \in \bigoplus_{i \in I} (Imf \cap N_i)$. Thus $Imf = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (Imf \cap N_i) = \bigoplus_{i \in I} Im(f|_{M_i})$. Since M_i is N_i - y -closed

dual Rickart module, for each $i \in I$, then $Im(f|_{M_i})$ is a y -closed submodule of N_i and hence

$\bigoplus_{i \in I} Im(f|_{M_i})$ is a y -closed submodule of N , by [4, proposition (2.1.20), p29]. So, Imf is a y -closed submodule of N . Thus M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proposition 3.3: Let M, N be two R -modules with the property that the sum of any two y -closed submodule of N is a y -closed submodule of N . The following statements are equivalent

- M is a y -closed dual Rickart module,
- $\sum_{f \in I} f(M)$ is y -closed submodule of M , where I is a finitely generated left ideal of $End_R(M)$.

Proof. (a) \Rightarrow (b). Let $I = (f_1, \dots, f_n)$ be a finitely generated left ideal of $End_R(M)$. Since M is a y -closed dual Rickart module, then $Im(f_j)$ is a y -closed submodule of $N, \forall 1 \leq j \leq n$. But $Im(f_j) = Im(f_1 + \dots + f_n)$. Hence $\sum_{j=1}^n f_j(M)$ is a y -closed submodule of N .

(b) \Rightarrow (a). Clear.

Recall that an R -module M is called a faithful module if $\text{ann}(M) = 0$, where $\text{ann}(M) = \{r \in R \mid rx = 0, \forall x \in M\}$, see [5, p206].

Before we give our next result, let us recall that an R -module M is called dualizable if $\text{Hom}(M, R) \neq 0$, see [6, p10].

Proposition 3.4: Let M be a y -closed simple, faithful R -module. If M is y -closed dual Rickart module. Then M is divisible.

Proof. Suppose that M is y -closed simple, faithful and y -closed dual Rickart module. Let R must be commutative. $f(m) = rm, \forall m \in M$. R must be considered not zero divisor. It is clear that f is an R -homomorphism. Since M is a y -closed dual Rickart module, then $\text{Im}f = rM$ is a y -closed submodule of M . Since M is a faithful module, then $rM \neq 0$. But M is y -closed simple, therefore $rM = M$. Thus M is divisible.

Recall that an R -module M is called 1/2 cancellation module if it is faithful and for any ideal A of R such that $AM = M$ implies $A = R$, see [7].

Proposition 3.5: Let M be a faithful, finitely generated and y -closed simple R -module, where R is not a field. Then M is not y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proof. Assume that M is a y -closed dual Rickart module and let $0 \neq r \in R$ such that $R \neq (r)$. Define $f: M \rightarrow M$ by $f(m) = rm, \forall m \in M$. It is clear that f is an epimorphism, then $\text{Im}f = rM$ is a y -closed submodule of M . Since M is a faithful module, then $rM \neq 0$. But M is a y -closed simple module, therefore $rM = M$. Since M is finitely generated and faithful, then M is 1/2 cancellation, by [7]. So, $R = (r)$, which is a contradiction. Thus M is not y -closed dual Rickart module.

Proposition 3.6: Let M be an R -module such that R is M - y -closed dual Rickart module. Then every cyclic submodule of M is a y -closed submodule.

Proof. Suppose that M is an R -module such that R is M - y -closed dual Rickart module and let $0 \neq m \in M$. Define $f: R \rightarrow Rm$ by $f(r) = rm, r \in R$. Let $i: Rm \rightarrow M$ be the inclusion map. Consider the map $i \circ f: R \rightarrow M$. It is clear that $\text{Im}(i \circ f) = Rm$. Since R is M - y -closed dual Rickart, then $\text{Im} i \circ f$ is a y -closed submodule of M . Thus Rm is a y -closed submodule of M .

Recall that an R -module M is called y -extending if for any submodule A of M there exists a direct summand K of M such that $A \cap K$ is essential in A and $A \cap K$ is essential in K , see [8].

Proposition 3.7: Let M be a y -extending R -module. If $\bigoplus_I R$ is M - y -closed dual Rickart module, for every index set I , then M is a semisimple module.

Proof. Let N be a submodule of M and let $\{n_\alpha; \alpha \in \Lambda\}$ be a set of generators of N . For each $\alpha \in \Lambda$, define $f_\alpha: R \rightarrow Rn_\alpha$ by $f_\alpha(r) = rn_\alpha, \forall r \in R$. Now define $f: \bigoplus_I R \rightarrow N$ by $(r_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \mapsto \sum r_\alpha n_\alpha$. It is clear that f is an epimorphism. Let $i: N \rightarrow M$ be the inclusion map. Consider $i \circ f: \bigoplus_I R \rightarrow M$. Since $\bigoplus_I R$ is M - y -closed dual Rickart module, then $\text{Im} i \circ f = N$ is a y -closed submodule of M . But M is a y -extending module, therefore N is a direct summand of M . Thus M is semisimple.

Proposition 3.8: Let M be y -extending and a self-generator R -module. If $\bigoplus_I M$ is a y -closed dual Rickart module for every index set I , then M is semisimple.

Proof. Let N be a submodule of M . Since M is a self-generator, then there exists a family $\{f_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$ where $f_\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ is an R -homomorphism such that $\sum_{\alpha \in \Lambda} \text{Im}f_\alpha = N$. Define $f: \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} M \rightarrow N$ by $f((m_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \Lambda}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \Lambda} f_\alpha(m_\alpha)$. It is clear that f is an epimorphism. Let $i: N \rightarrow M$ be the inclusion map. Consider the map $i \circ f: \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} M \rightarrow M$. Since $\bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} M$ is a y -closed dual Rickart module, then $\text{Im} i \circ f = \text{Im}f = N$ is a y -closed submodule of M . But M is a y -extending module, therefore N is a direct summand of M . Thus M is semisimple.

Now, we give the following characterization.

Theorem 3.9: Let M_1 and M_2 be two R -modules. Then the following statements are equivalent.

- (1) M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module;
- (2) For every submodule N of M_2 , every direct summand K of M_1 is N - y -closed dual Rickart module;
- (3) For every direct summand K of M_1 , every y -closed submodule L of M_2 , and for every $f \in \text{Hom}_R(M_1, L)$, the Image of the restricted map $f|_K$ is a y -closed submodule of K .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) Let K be a direct summand of M_1 , N be a submodule of M_2 , and $f: K \rightarrow N$ be an R -homomorphism. Let $M = K \oplus K_1$ for some submodule K_1 of M . Define $g: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ by

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} f(x), & \text{if } x \in K \\ 0 & \text{if } x \in K_1 \end{cases}$$

Clearly, g is an R -homomorphism. Since M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module, then Img is a y -closed submodule of M_2 and hence $\frac{M_2}{Img}$ is nonsingular. But,

$Img = \{g(a+b), a \in K, b \in K_1\} = \{f(a), a \in K\} = Imf$. So Imf is a y -closed submodule of M_2 . Hence $\frac{M_2}{Imf}$ is nonsingular. But $\frac{N}{Imf}$ is a submodule of $\frac{M_2}{Imf}$, therefore $\frac{N}{Imf}$ is nonsingular. Thus Imf is a y -closed submodule of N .

(2) \Rightarrow (3). Let K be a direct summand of M_1 and L is y -closed submodule of M_2 . Let $f: M_1 \rightarrow L$ be R -homomorphism. Since $f|_K: K \rightarrow L$ and K is L - y -closed dual Rickart module, then $Im(f|_K)$ is a y -closed submodule of L .

(3) \Rightarrow (1) Let $f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ be an R -homomorphism. Take $K = M_1$ and $L = M_2$. Since $f|_K: K \rightarrow L$ and L is a y -closed submodule of M_2 , therefore Imf is a y -closed submodule of M_2 . Thus M_1 is M_2 - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Remark 3.10: let M and N be two R -modules and $f: M \rightarrow N$ be an R -homomorphism. Let $A_M = M \oplus 0$, $B_N = 0 \oplus N$, $\bar{f}: A_M \rightarrow B_N$ be a map defined by $\bar{f}(m, 0) = (0, f(m))$, for every $m \in M$ and $T_f = \{x + \bar{f}(x), x \in A_M\}$. Then,

- 1- $M \oplus N = A_M \oplus B_N$
- 2- \bar{f} is an R -homomorphism
- 3- $ker \bar{f} = ker f \oplus 0$
- 4- T_f is a submodule of $M \oplus N$
- 5- $A_M + T_f = A_M \oplus Im\bar{f}$.

In this paper, by A_M, B_N, \bar{f}, T_f , we mean the same concepts in the previous above remark.

Now, we will give characterization for the notion that M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module.

Theorem 3.11: Let M and N be two R -modules. Then M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module if and only if, for every homomorphism $f: M \rightarrow N$, $A_M + T_f$ is a y -closed of $M \oplus N$.

Proof. Let $f: M \rightarrow N$ be an R -homomorphism. Since M is N - y -closed dual Rickart, then Imf is y -closed submodule of N and so $0 \oplus Imf$ is y -closed submodule of $0 \oplus N$. Therefore $Im\bar{f}$ is y -closed submodule of $0 \oplus N$. Hence $A_M \oplus Im\bar{f}$ is y -closed submodule of $A_M \oplus B_N$. So $A_M \oplus Im\bar{f}$ is y -closed submodule of $M \oplus N$. By the same argument of the proof of the theorem in [9, Theorem(2.2)], $A_M \oplus Im\bar{f} = A_M + T_f$. Thus $A_M + T_f$ is a y -closed submodule of $M \oplus N$.

For the converse, Let $f: M \rightarrow N$ be R -homomorphism. Since $A_M + T_f$ is y -closed submodule of $M \oplus N$, and $A_M + T_f = A_M \oplus Im\bar{f}$, therefore $\frac{M \oplus N}{A_M + T_f} = \frac{A_M \oplus B_N}{A_M \oplus Im\bar{f}} \simeq \frac{B_N}{Im\bar{f}}$ is nonsingular. Therefore $Im\bar{f}$ is y -closed submodule of $0 \oplus N$. Hence $\frac{0 \oplus N}{Im\bar{f}} = \frac{0 \oplus N}{0 \oplus Imf} \simeq \frac{N}{Imf}$ is nonsingular. So Imf is y -closed submodule of N . Thus M is N - y -closed dual Rickart module.

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