## Characterization of R-Annihilator $-\mu$ - Hollow Modules

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Abstract: In this paper we construct some examples for R-Ann-µ-hollow modules and add theorems, propositions. Related concept was given by Nicholsion and Zhou. Let M be an R-modules, then M is R-Ann-µ-hollow module if and only if every submodule A of M such that M/A Small in M. Every finitely generated proper submodule N of M is R-Ann-µ-small for M is a faithful and torsion-µ-small.

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## INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper all rings are associative ring with identity and modules are unitary left modules .Nicholson and Zhou defined annihilator-small right (left) ideals in [1] as follows: a left ideal A of a ring R is called annihilator-small if A + T = R, where T is a left ideal , implies that r(T) = 0 where r(T) indicates the right annihilator.

Kalati and Keskin consider this problem for modules in [2] as follows : let M be an R-module and S=End(M).A submodule K of M is called annihilator-small if K + T = M, T is a submodule of M ,implies that  $r_s(T) = 0$ , where  $r_s$  indicates the right annihilator of T over S=End(M), where  $r_s(T) = \{f \in S; f(T) = 0, \forall t \in T\}$ .

A nonzero module M is called hollow module, if every proper submodule of M is small in M [1]. A submodule A of M is called  $\mu$ -small submodules of M ( $A \ll_{\mu} M$ ) if whenever

 $M = A + X, \frac{M}{x}$  is cosingular, then M=X. see [1]. A nonzero R-module M is called  $\mu$ -Hollow module if every proper submodule of M is  $\mu$ -small sub modules of M. A nonzero module M is called R-annihilator –hollow module (R-Annhollow) if every proper submodule of M is R-annihilator – small submodule of M. These observations lead us to introduce the following concept a nonzero module M is called R-Annihilator – $\mu$ - Hollow Module if every proper submodule of M is R-annihilator – **Examples**:

1) For an R-module M ,M is not R-Annihilator  $-\mu$ -small submodule of M.

where M = M + 0 and  $Ann(0) = \{r \in R : r.0 = 0\} = R \neq 0$ 2)  $Z_4$  as Z-module is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow (only proper submodule of  $Z_4$  *is*  $Z_2$  and  $Z_2 = \{0,1\}$  is

µ-small in Z.

3) Every simple module is R-Ann- $\mu$ -Hollow module ( $Z_3$  as Z-module).

4)  $Z_6$  as Z-module is not R-Ann- $\mu$ -Hollow module since {0,3} and {0,2,4} are not  $\mu$ -small in  $Z_6$ .

An R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of an R-module M need not be small submodule.

For example, consider the module Z as Z-module, for every n>1, claim that nZ is Z-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of Z, let Z = nZ + mZ, where mZ is submodule of Z. Since Z has a nonzero divisors, then Ann mZ={r $\in Z$ ;r.mZ=0}=0.Thus nZ is Z-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of Z. But {0} is the only small submodule of Z. Therefore Z as Z-module is R-Ann- $\mu$ -Hollow module.

A small submodule of an R-module M need not be R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule.

For example, consider  $Z_4$  as Z-module.{0} and {0,2} are small submodule of  $Z_4$ . But  $Z_4=\{0\}+Z_4$  and  $Z_4=\{0,2\}+Z_4$ and Ann  $Z_4=\{n\in\mathbb{Z}: n. Z_4=0\}=4Z \neq 0$ . Thus each of {0} and {0,2} is not Z-Ann-small sub modules of  $Z_4$  is not R-Ann- $\mu$ small submodule.

## **Results:**

**Proposition1.** Let f:  $M \rightarrow M'$  be a homomorphism and let M' is R-Ann- $\mu$ -Hollow module such that for all N $\leq$ M such that kerf is  $\mu$ -small in M then M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module.

**Proof:** Let  $N \not\subseteq M$  with M = N+K, where  $K \leq M$ . To show Ann K = 0. f(N) + f(K) = f(M) = M' (f is epimorphism), if f(N) = M' = f(M) then,

 $f^{-1}(f(N)) = M. N + kerf = M$ , since kerf is  $\mu$ -small of M then N = M(contradiction). Therefore  $N \neq M$ . since f(N) is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of f(M), then  $f(N) \neq M' = f(M)$ . Thus M' is M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module. But Ann f(K) = 0 and Ann  $K \leq Ann(f(K)) = 0$ , Then N is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of M. Thus M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module.

**Remark:** Let f:  $M \rightarrow M'$  be a homomorphism from R-module M to M'. The inverse of R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of M' need not be is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule in M.

Consider  $\pi: Z \to \frac{Z}{3Z} \cong Z_3$  the natural epimorphism since 0 is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule in  $Z_3$ , but  $f^1(0) = 3Z$  is not R-Ann- $\mu$ -small in  $f^1(Z_3) = Z$ .

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**Proposition 2.** If  $\frac{M}{k}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module then M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module for all K proper submodule of M. **Proof:** Let  $\frac{M}{K}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ - Hollow module and let N $\leq$ M such that M = N + L, L is a submodule of M then Ann L= 0,if every proper submodule K of M such that  $\frac{M}{k}$  is  $\mu$ -hollow and K is a submodule of M then M is  $\mu$ -hollow[1].  $\frac{M}{K} = \frac{N+L}{K} = \frac{N+K}{K} + \frac{L+K}{K}$ . Since  $\frac{N+K}{K} \leq \frac{M}{K}$ , then  $\frac{N+K}{K}$  is R - Ann -  $\mu$  small submodule  $\frac{M}{K}$ , then ann  $\frac{L+K}{K} = 0$ . Thus Ann(L) is submodule of Ann  $\frac{L+K}{K} = 0$ , therefore Ann L= 0, and M is  $\mu$ hollow. Therefore M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - hollow module.

**Proposition 3.** Let M be a faithful  $\mu$ -hollow R-module then every proper small submodule of M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - hollow module.

**Proof:** Let M be a faithful  $\mu$ -hollow R-module, N be proper small submodule of M.

M = M + U, since N is small in M then M = U, Ann (M)= Ann(U) so Ann (U) = 0. Thus N is R-a-small submodule of M, such that  $\frac{M}{N}$  is cosingular. Thus M is R-Ann- $\mu$ - hollow module.

**Theorem 1.**: Let M be an R-module, then M is R-Ann- $\mu$ hollow module if and only if every proper submodule A of M (Ann (A) = 0) such that  $\frac{M}{A}$  is cosingular is small in M.

**Proof:**  $\Rightarrow$  Let A be a proper submodule of M, such that  $\frac{M}{A}$  is cosingular and Ann(A) = 0.

To show that A is small in M (A $\ll$ M), assume that there exists B $\subset$  M such that M = A + B, since M is R-Annµ-hollow module then B $\ll_{\mu}$ M and we have  $\frac{M}{A}$  is cosingular then M = A. which is a contradiction. Thus A is small in M (A $\ll$ M).

 $\Leftarrow$  To show that M is R-Ann-μ- hollow module, let A be a proper submodule of M assume that A is not μ-small in M ,then there exists a proper submodule B of M such that  $\frac{M}{B}$  is cosingular and M=A+B thus B≪M then M=A (since A is a proper submodule of M)which is a contradiction ,thus M is R-Ann-μ- hollow module.

**Proposition 4.** Let M be a R-module and K be R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule in M. if Rad(M) is  $\mu$ -small submodule of M and Z(M) is finitely generated then K+ Rad(M) + Z(M) is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of M.

**Proof:** Let  $Z(M) = Rz_1 + Rz_2 + Rz_3 + ... + Rz_n$  where  $z_i \in Z(M), \forall I = 1, 2, 3...n$ 

Let K+ Rad(M) + Z(M) + X = M where X is a submodule of M .since Rad(M) is  $\mu$ -small submodule of M, then K + Z(M) + X = M. but K is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule in M, therefore Ann(Z(M) + X) = Ann(Rz\_1 + Rz\_2 + Rz\_3 + ...+ Rz\_n + X) = 0.

So  $(\bigcap_{i=1}^{n} Ann Rz_i) \cap AnnX = 0$ . Since

 $z_i \in Z(M)$ , then ann  $z_i \leq {}^e R$ , so Ann(X) = 0 and  $\frac{M}{X}$  is cosingular. Thus K+ Rad(M) + Z(M) is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of M.

**Proposition 5.** Let R be an integral domain, let M be a faithful R-module then every proper submodule N of M ; with Ann  $N \neq 0$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small.

**Proof:** Let M = N + K, then  $0 = Ann(M) = Ann(N+K) = Ann(N) \cap Ann(K)$ . Since  $Ann \neq 0$  and R is an integral domain, then ann  $N \leq^{e} R$ . therefore Ann K = 0, hence K << M where  $\frac{M}{K}$  is cosingular, thus N is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small.

**Proposition 6.** Let R be an integral domain and M be a faithful and torsion  $\mu$ -small module then every finitely generated proper submodule N of M is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small.

**Proof:** Let  $N = Rx_1 + Rx_2 + Rx_3 + ... + Rx_n$  be a finitely generated proper submodule of M and M = N + K, then  $0 = Ann(M) = Ann(N + K) = Ann(N) \cap Ann(K) = (Ann(Rx_1 + Rx_2 + Rx_3 + ... + Rx_n)) \cap Ann(K) = (\bigcap_{i=1}^n ann Rx_i) \cap Ann(K)$ .). Since M is torsion, then

Ann  $(Rx_i) \neq 0 \forall I = 1,2,3,...,n$ . But R is integral domain then  $Rx_i$  is essential in R, for all i. Hence  $\bigcup_{i=1}^n Ann Rx_i =$ Ann(K) = 0 thus, N is R-Ann-small in M, but M is  $\mu$ -small module, thus M is cosingular implies  $\frac{M}{K}$  is cosingular. thus N is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small.

**Corollary 1.** Let R be an integral domain and let M be a projective small R-module then every proper small submodule of M is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of M.

**Corollary 2.** Let M be a small R-module and let  $K \ll_{\mu} N \ll_{\mu} L \ll_{\mu} M$  such that  $\frac{L}{N}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of  $\frac{M}{N}$  then  $\frac{L}{K}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of  $\frac{M}{K}$ . **Proof:** Let f:  $\frac{M}{K} \rightarrow \frac{M}{N}$  be the map defined by f(x + N) = x + N,  $\forall x \in M$ . easily to show f is an epimorphism.since  $\frac{L}{N}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of  $\frac{M}{N}$ , therefore  $\frac{L}{K} = f^{-1}(\frac{L}{N})$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of  $\frac{M}{K}$ . Thus  $\frac{L}{K}$  is R-Ann- $\mu$ -small submodule of  $\frac{M}{K}$ .

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