



# E-small essential submodules

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## Abstract

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring with identity, and  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module, with  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$ . In this work we consider a generalization of class small essential submodules namely E-small essential submodules. Where the submodule  $Q$  of  $U_R$  is said E-small essential if  $Q \cap W = 0$ , when  $W$  is a small submodule of  $U_R$ , implies that  $N_S(W) = 0$ , where  $N_S(W) = \{\psi \in E \mid \text{Im}\psi \subseteq W\}$ . The intersection  $\overline{B}_R(U)$  of each submodule of  $U_R$  contained in  $\text{Soc}(U_R)$ . The  $\overline{B}_R(U)$  is unique largest E-small essential submodule of  $U_R$ , if  $U_R$  is cyclic. Also in this paper we study  $\overline{B}_R(U)$  and  $\overline{W}_E(U)$ . The condition when  $\overline{B}_R(U)$  is E-small essential, and  $\text{Tot}(U, U) = \overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$  are given.

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## 1. Introduction

Throughout this treatise, all ring  $R$  is a associative with identity, and all module over a ring  $R$  is unitary right module. Let  $U_R$  will always denoted such an  $R$ -module and  $E$  is endomorphism ring and denoted by  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$  of ring module. The submodule  $W$  is called essential of  $U_R$  (denoted by:  $W \trianglelefteq U_R$ ) if  $0 \neq G \leq U_R$ , then  $W \cap G \neq 0$  ( see [1] ), where the submodule  $G$  of  $U_R$  is denoted by  $(G \leq U_R)$ . The submodule  $Q$  of  $U_R$  is said small submodule (denoted by:  $Q \ll U_R$ ), if  $\forall W \not\leq U_R$  then  $Q + W = U_R$  (see [2]). The left annihilator of an submodule  $Q$  of  $U_R$  is denoted by  $\delta_E(Q)$ , and the right annihilator of an endomorphism  $h$  of  $U_R$  is denoted by  $k_U(h)$ , specifically that  $\text{Ker}(h)$ . We also denoted  $N_E(Q) = \{\theta \in E \mid \text{Im}\theta \subseteq Q\}$  for each  $Q \subseteq U$ . Nicholson and Zhou defined annihilator-small right ideals [5]. Also Amouzegar and Keskin introduced and study the right annihilator-small submodules of an  $R$ -module. Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module and  $F \leq U_R$ , then

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$F$  is said to annihilator- small submodule if  $F + W = U$ , where  $W$  is a submodule of  $U_R$ , so  $\delta_E(W) = 0$  [4]. From [7] the Zhouaud and Zhang, give a definition of small- essential submodules. Let  $K$  be a submodule of a module  $U_R$ , then  $K$  is called small-essential in  $U_R$  (denoted by  $K \trianglelefteq_E U$ , if  $K \cap W = 0$ , with  $W \ll U_R$  implies that  $W = 0$ ). In this paper we introduced new concept namely E-small essential submodule, where a submodule  $Q$  of a module  $U_R$  is called E-small essential (denoted by  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U$ ) if  $Q \cap W = 0$ , for each  $W \ll U_R$ , implies that  $N_E(Q) = 0$ , where  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$ . In [7], essential submodule is small essential submodule. It is clearly that small essential submodule is E-small essential, so every essential is E-small essential. Also give us the condition that makes every E-small essential is essential ( see proposition 2.2 ), and every E-small essential is small essential (see proposition 2.4 and 2.5 ). We have verified that the equality is correct for the following statement  $\text{Tot}(U, U) = \overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$ .

## 2. Main Results

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $Q$  be an submodule of a module  $U_R$ , then  $Q$  is called E-small essential (denoted by  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U$ ) if  $Q \cap W = 0$ , where  $W$  is small submodule of  $U_R$  ( or denoted by  $W \ll U_R$  ), implies that  $N_E(W) = 0$ , where  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$ .

It is clearly that every small essential submodule is E-small essential submodule, but the opposite is generally not true (meditation the submodule  $mZ$  of the  $Z$ -module  $Z$ ).

The left  $R$ -module  $U_R$  is called retractable if there exists a non-zero homomorphism  $\beta : U \rightarrow Q$  for each anon-zero submodule  $Q$  of  $U_R$ .

**Proposition 2.2.** Let  $U_R$  be an retractable  $R$ -module. If  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $Q \leq_e U_R$ .

**Proof .** Let  $Q \cap F = 0$ , for an  $F \leq U_R$ , then by hypothesis  $N_E(F) = 0$ . But  $U_R$  is retractable, then  $F = 0$ , that mean  $Q \leq_e U_R$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 2.3.** If  $U_R$  is retractable  $R$ -module and  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $Q \trianglelefteq_s U_R$ .

**Proposition 2.4.** Let  $U_R$  be a cyclic and  $\pi$ -projective module. Then  $Q$  is small essential submodule if and only if  $Q$  is E-small essential submodule of  $U_R$ .

**Proof .** Let  $U_R = uR$  for some  $u \in U_R$ , and  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Let  $V \ll U_R$ , we put  $0 \neq v \in V$ , so then there exists  $0 \neq n \in R$ , such that  $v = un$ , but  $U_R = uR = unR + u(1-n)R$ , since  $U_R$  is  $\pi$ -projective then there exists  $\beta \in \text{End}(U_R)$ , with  $\text{Im}\beta \subseteq unR \subseteq V$ , so  $\text{Im}(1-\beta) \subseteq (1-n)uR$ , that is  $N_E(V) \neq 0$ . As  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , and  $Q \cap V \neq 0$ . That mean  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . The converse is evident.  $\square$

**Proposition 2.5.** Let  $U_R$  be a cyclic  $R$ -module and  $R$  be a commutative ring. Then  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  if and only if  $Q \trianglelefteq_s U_R$ .

**Proof .** Is evident.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.6.** Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $V \leq Q \leq U_R$ , and  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $V \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .

**Proof .** Is evident.  $\square$

**Proposition 2.7.** Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $F \trianglelefteq_s U_R$ , then  $Q \cap F \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .

**Proof .** Let  $Q \cap F \cap V = 0$ , where  $V \ll U_R$ . Since  $F \trianglelefteq_s U_R$ , that is  $Q \cap V = 0$  and  $N_E(V) = 0$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2.8.** Let  $U_R$  be a module, and  $Q$  be a submodule of  $U_R$  if  $N_E(Q) \trianglelefteq_s E_E$ , then  $N_E(Q)U_R \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . In specially,  $Q \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .

**Proof .** Let  $N_E(Q)U_R \cap V = 0$ , so  $N_E(Q) \cap N_E(V) = 0$ , thus  $N_E(V) = 0$ . But  $N_E(Q) \trianglelefteq_s E_E$ . So that the last perception by (Lemma 2.6) and since  $N_E(Q)U_R \subseteq Q \subseteq U_R$  always achieve.  $\square$

Note that the converse of Lemma 2.8 is true if  $(N_E(Q) \cap vE)U_R = N_E(Q)U_R \cap vU_R$  verified for each submodule  $Q$  of  $U_R$ , and all small element  $v \in E$ . And to watch it, let  $N_E(Q) \cap vE = 0$ , for any small element  $v \in E$ . Thus  $N_E(Q)U_R \cap vU_R = 0$ , so  $N_E(vU_R) = 0$ . But  $N_E(Q)U_R \leq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $vE \subseteq N_E(vU_R) = 0$ , then  $v = 0$ . Hence  $N_E(Q) \leq_s E_E$ .

Recall that an R-module  $U_R$  is called semi-injective if for each  $\alpha \in E$  such that

$$E\alpha = \delta_E(\ker(\alpha)) = \delta_E(k_U(\alpha))$$

(equivalently for any monomorphism  $\alpha : Q \rightarrow U$ , where  $Q$  is a factor module of  $U_R$ , and for any homomorphism  $\beta : Q \rightarrow U$ , then there exists  $\gamma : U \rightarrow U$  such that  $\alpha\gamma = \beta$ ) [5, p. 261].

**Lemma 2.9.** *Let us have the following situation for any R-module  $U_R$  and  $u \in E$ :*

- (1)  $k_U(u) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ .
- (2)  $k_U(u) \not\subseteq k_U(ur)$  for all  $0 \neq r \in E$ .
- (3)  $k_E(1_E - au) = 0$  for all  $0 \neq a \in E$ .
- (4)  $k_E(1_E - ua) = 0$  for all  $0 \neq a \in E$ .
- (5)  $k_E(u - uau) = k_E(u)$  for all  $0 \neq a \in E$ .

Then (1)  $\implies$  (2)  $\implies$  (3)  $\implies$  (4)  $\implies$  (5). If  $U_R$  is semi-injective, then (5)  $\implies$  (1).

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) Suppose that  $0 \neq r \in E$ , and  $k_U(r) = k_U(ur)$ . It is clear that  $k_U(u) \cap rU = 0$ . According to  $k_U(u) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ , and  $N_E(rU) = 0$ , so  $rE \subseteq N_E(rU) = 0$ . That is  $r = 0$ .

(2)  $\implies$  (3) Let  $a \in E$ , and  $r \in k_E(1_E - au)$ , so  $r = aur$ , then  $k_U(ur) \subseteq k_U(aur) = k_U(r)$ . Then by (2), hence  $r = 0$ .

(3)  $\implies$  (4) Let  $r \in k_E(1_E - ua)$ , for all  $a \in E$ , thus  $(1_E - ua)r = 0$ , that mean  $(1_E - au)ar = (a - aua)r = a(1_E - ua)r = 0$ , implies that  $ar = 0$  that by (3), then  $r = uar = 0$ .

(4)  $\implies$  (5) Let  $r \in k_E(u - uau)$ , for all  $a \in E$ , so by (4)  $ur = 0$ . Then  $r \in k_E(u)$ . Other embedding in a similar way.

(5)  $\implies$  (1) Suppose that  $U_R$  is semi-injective. Now, let  $k_U(u) \cap V = 0$  for a small submodule  $V$  of  $U_R$ , and let  $r \in N_E(V)$ , implies that  $rU \cap k_U(u) = 0$ , then  $k_U(r) = k_U(ur)$ . But  $U_R$  is semi-injective, then thereexists a homomorphism  $v \in E$  such that  $r = vur$ , so  $(u - uvu)r = 0$ . Thus  $r \in (u - uvu) = k_E(u)$ , then  $ur = 0$ , and hence  $r = 0$ .  $\square$

Note that we us define  $\overline{W}_E(U) = \{u \in E \mid \ker v = k_U(u) \leq_{E-s} U_R\}$  for any module  $U_R$ .

**Corollary 2.10.** *Let  $U_R$  be a module, and  $u \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Thus  $Eu \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ . If  $U_R$  is semi-injective, then  $uE \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ .*

**Proof .** Let  $r \in E$ , and  $U_R$  is semi-injective, we most show that  $k_U(ur) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ . Now let  $v \in E$ , since  $k_U(u) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ , then by Lemma 2.9(4)  $k_E(1_E - urv) = 0$ . Once again form Lemma 2.9(4)  $k_U(ur) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ . Thus  $uE \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Now through the Lemma ??, we get  $Eu \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 2.11.** *We own  $\overline{W}_E(U) \subseteq \delta_E(\text{Soc}(E_E))$ . Furthermore,  $J(E) \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ , if  $U_R$  is a semi-injective.*

**Proof .** Let  $w \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , and  $0 \neq u \in \text{Soc}(E_E)$ , we want to prove that  $0 = w\text{Soc}(E_E)$ . Now  $u \in E_1 \oplus E_2 \oplus \dots \oplus E_n$ , where  $E_1, E_2, \dots, E_n$  are simple right ideal of  $E$ , and  $n$  is positive integer. Suppose that  $wu \neq 0$  and  $u = u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_n$  where as  $u_j \in E_j$  for some  $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , then  $wu_j \neq 0$ . As  $E_j$  is simple so  $Ewu_j = E_j$ . Thus  $u_j = \beta wu_j$  for all  $\beta \in E$ . So  $u_j \in k_E(1_E - \beta w)$ , but  $k_U(w) \leq_{E-s} U_R$ , then from Lemma2.9  $k_E(1_E - \beta w) = 0$ , that is  $u_j = 0$ . This is a contradiction. So  $wu = 0$ , hence  $\overline{W}_E(U) \subseteq \delta_E(\text{Soc}(E_E))$ . Now let  $v \in J(E)$  and  $w \in E$ . We must prove that  $v \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , we take  $\beta \in k_E(1_E - vw)$ . Thus  $(1_E - vw) = 0$ , but  $1_E - vw$  is invertible, so  $\beta = 0$ . Then  $k_E(1_E - vw) = 0$  for all  $w \in E$ . Hence from Lemma2.9  $v \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , implies that  $J(E) \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 2.12.** *Let  $U_R$  is a semi- injective module and  $h \in E$ . Then  $Kerh = k_U(u) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  if and only if  $Eh \ll_a E_E$ .*

**Proof .** *Let  $h \in E$  and suppose that  $k_U(h) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Now let  $E = Eh + P$ , where  $P$  is an ideal of  $E$ . So  $1_E = rh + q$ , where  $r \in E$  and  $q \in P$ , then  $k_U(h) \cap k_U(q) = 0$ . But  $k_U(h) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $N_E(k_U(q)) = 0$ . That is  $N_E(k_U(P)) = 0$ , hence  $k_U(P) = 0$  implies that  $Eh \ll_a E_E$ . The converse, suppose  $Eh \ll_a E_E$ , then from ( [4], Corollary 2.8 )  $k_E(h - hrh) = k_E(h)$ , for all  $r \in E$ . Then from Lemma 2.9  $k_U(h) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .  $\square$*

**Corollary 2.13.** *Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $h^2 = h \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , then  $h = 0$ .*

**Proof .** *We can see from the lemma2.9 (4) and  $k_U(h) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ ,  $k_E(1_E - h) = 0$ , and since  $h \in k_E(1_E - h)$ . Implies that  $h = 0$ .  $\square$*

**Corollary 2.14.** *Let  $P$  be an maximal-ideal of  $E$ , where  $E = End(U_R)$  and  $U_R$  be amodule. Then the following ferries are equivalent:*

1.  $PU \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$
2.  $P \leq_e E_E$

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) *Let  $PU \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  Suppose that  $P$  is not essential of  $E_E$ . Then  $P \cap K = 0$ , foe some  $K$  is a non-zero ideal of  $E_E$ . But  $P$  is amaximal ideal, that mean  $P$  is direct summand of  $E_E$ . So there exists idempotent element  $i \in E_E$  such that  $P = iE$ . Then  $PU = iU = k_E(1_E - i) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Hence  $1_E - i \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Then from ( Corollary 2.13 )  $i = 1$ . This is acontradiction.*

(2)  $\implies$  (1) *Let  $P \leq_e E_E$ , and  $PU \cap V = 0$  for an small submodule  $V$  of  $U_R$ . So  $0 = N_E(0) = N_E(PU) \cap N_E(V)$ . Then  $P \cap N_E(V) = 0$ . But  $P \leq_e E_E$ , then  $N_E(V) = 0$ .  $\square$*

Recall that the element  $h$  in  $E$  is called to be partially invertible if  $hE$  contains anon-zero idempotent, where (  $hE$  equivalent  $Eh$  ). Where an  $R$ -module  $U_R$  the total of  $U_R$  is defined as  $Tot(E) = Tot(U, U) = \{h \in E | h \text{ is not partially invertible}\}$ .

Unable to closed the total under addition. In effect, if 0 and 1 are the only idempotent in  $E$ , then the total of  $U_R$  is the set of non-isomorphism.

**Proposition 2.15.** *Let  $U_R$  be a module. Then  $\overline{W}_E(U) \subseteq Tot(U, U)$ .*

**Proof .** *If  $h \in \overline{W}_E(U)$  and  $h \notin Tot(U, U)$ , implies that  $h$  is partially invertible then there exists  $0 \neq i^2 = i \in Eh$ . So by (Corollary 2.10),  $i \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Thus acontradicts to (Corollary 2.13).  $\square$*

Let  $P$  is a subset of a ring  $R$ , then  $R$  is called to be  $P$ -semi-potent if every ideal not contained in  $P$  contains anon-zero idempotent, equivalently if every element  $q \notin P$  is a partial inverse  $R$  is said to be semi-potent if  $R$  is  $J(R)$ -semi-potent.

**Lemma 2.16.** *Let  $U_R$  be a module, if  $P$  is a subset of  $E = End(U_R)$ . Then the following ferries are equivalent:*

1.  $E$  is  $P$ -semi-potent.
2.  $Tot(U, U) \subseteq P$ .

**Proof .** *Is evident from ( [5], Lemma 20).  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.17.** *Let  $E = End(U_R)$  for any  $R$ -module  $U_R$ . Then  $E$  is a semi-potent if and only if  $J(E) = Tot(U, U)$ .*

**Proof .** *Is evident from ([5], Theorem 21).  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.18.** *Let  $U_R$  be asemi- injective  $R$ -module, and  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$  is a semi-potent. Then  $\overline{W}_E(U) = J(E) = \text{Tot}(U, U)$ .*

**Proof .** *It is evident that  $J(E) \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$  by (Corollary 2.11 ). Let  $u \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , if  $u \notin J(E)$  and  $E$  is  $J(E)$ -semi-potent, then  $\overline{W}_E(U)$  have anon-zero idempotent which is a contradiction (we can see corollary 2.13). Then  $J(E) = \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Now from Proposition 2.15  $\overline{W}_E(U) \subseteq \text{Tot}(U, U)$ . From other hand,  $E$  is  $\overline{W}_E(U)$ -semi-potent and since  $J(E) = \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Hence form Lemma 2.16  $\text{Tot}(U, U) \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ .  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.19.** *Let  $U_R$  be asemi- injective  $R$ -module, and  $E = \text{End}(U_R)$ , where  $k_E(u) = 0$ , for all  $u \in E$ , such that  $Eu = E$ . Then  $\overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$ .*

**Proof .** *It is clear that from Corollary 2.11  $J(E) \subseteq \overline{W}_E(U)$ . Let  $x \in \overline{W}_E(U)$ , then  $k_U(x) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , hence  $k_E(1_E - ux) = 0$ , for all  $u \in E$ , so from Lemma 2.9 then  $E(1_E - ux) = E$ , thus by hypothesis  $x \in J(E)$ . Implies  $\overline{W}_E(U) \subseteq J(E)$ .  $\square$*

A ring  $R$  is said to be right Kasch if every simple right  $R$ -module embeds in  $R$ , this is rewarding, if  $k_R(V) \neq 0$  for every maximal right ideal  $E$  of  $R$ . Associated  $R$  aleft ideal  $W_2$  ring if every left ideal is isomorphic to direct of  ${}_R R$  is itself a direct summand of  ${}_R R$

**Lemma 2.20.** *Let  $U_R$  be asemi- injective  $R$ -module. In each of the following statements, we have  $\overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$ .*

1.  $E$  is semi-potent.
2.  $E$  is right Kasch.
3.  $E$  is a left  $W_2$  ring.

**Proof .**

1. *Is evident from Proposition 2.18*
2. *Let  $u \in E$ , then  $k_E(u) = 0$ . If  $uE \neq E$ , then by (2)  $k_E(uE) = 0$ , that is  $k_E(u) \neq 0$ . This is a contradiction. Hence from Proposition 2.19  $\overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$ .*
3. *Let  $v \in E$ , then  $k_E(v) = 0$ . If  $Ev = E$ , then by (3)  $Ev$  is a direct summand of  $E$ , so  $v xv = v$ , for some element  $x \in E$ . Since  $0 = k_E(v) = k_E(vx) = E(1_E - vx)$ . Hence  $vx = 1_E$  and  $vE = E$ , from Proposition 2.19,  $\overline{W}_E(U) = J(E)$ .*

$\square$

**Lemma 2.21.** *Let  $u = uR$ , where  $u \in U$ , and  $U$  be a cyclic  $R$ -module. Then the following are equivalent for  $w \in U$ :-*

1.  $wR \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U$
2.  $g(wR) \subsetneq f(U)$ , for all  $g \in E$
3.  $k_E(u - wn) = 0$ , for all  $n \in R$ .

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) *Let  $g(wR) = g(U)$ , then  $g(wn) = g(u)$ , for all  $n \in R$ , hence  $g \in k_E(u - wn)$ . But  $wR + (u - wn)R = uR = U$ , then by (1)  $k_E(u - wn) = 0$ . Therefore  $g = 0$ .*

(2)  $\implies$  (3) *Let  $g \in k_E(u - wn)$ , for all  $n \in R$ , so  $g(u) = g(wn) \subseteq g(wR)$  by (2). Therefore  $g = 0$ .*

(3)  $\implies$  (1) *If  $wR + V = U$ , where  $V$  is small submodule of  $U_R$ , then  $u = wn + v$ , for all  $n \in R$  and  $v \in V$ . Now let  $g \in k_E(V)$  that mean  $g(u) = g(wn)$ . Hence by (3)  $g \in k_E(u - wn) = 0$ . Therefore  $g = 0$ .  $\square$*

Note: Let  $U_R$  be a module, we can defined  $\overline{B}_R(U) = \cap \{D \subseteq U_R | D \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R\}$ . It is clearly that  $\overline{B}_R(U) \subseteq \text{Soc}(U)$ .

**Proposition 2.22.** *If  $U_R$  is an retractable and semi- projective  $R$ -module, then  $\overline{B}_R(U) = Soc(U) = Soc(E_E)U$ .*

**Proof .** *From Corollary 2.3  $\overline{B}_R(U) = Soc(U)$ . Since  $U_R$  is semi- projective, then from ([3], Proposition 2.4),  $\overline{B}_R(U) = Soc(U) = Soc(E_E)U$ .*

*Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module, an element  $c \in U_R$  is called  $E$ -small essential if  $cR \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . For simplicity, we denoted  $C_R(U) = \{c \in U | c \text{ is a } E\text{-small essential in } U\} = \{c \in U | cR \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R\}$ . It is evident that  $C_R(U) \subseteq \overline{B}_R(U)$ .  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.23.** *Let  $U = aR$  be a cyclic  $R$ -module, and  $X$  be a submodule of  $U_R$ . Then the following are equivalent:*

1.  $X \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$
2.  $X \subseteq C_R(U)$
3.  $k_E(u - a) = 0$ , for all  $a \in R$ .

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) *Fore Proposition 2.7.*

(2)  $\implies$  (3) *Let  $X + Y = U$ , where  $Y$  is small submodule of  $U_R$ ,  $u = x + y$ , for all  $x \in X$  and  $y \in Y$ , then  $k_E(Y) \subseteq k_E(u - x) = 0$ .*

(3)  $\implies$  (1) *According to the hypothesis(3). Therefore  $X \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.24.** *Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module, Then*

1.  $\overline{B}_R(U) = \{c_1 + c_2 + \dots + c_n | c_j \in C_R(U) \text{ for each } n, j \text{ are positive integer}\}$ .
2.  $\overline{B}_R(U) = C_R(U) R$ .

**Proof .** (1) *Let the set  $F = \{c_1 + c_2 + \dots + c_n | c_j \in C_R(U) \text{ for each } n, j \text{ are positive integer}\}$ . If  $c \in \overline{B}_R(U)$ , then  $c \in F_1 + F_2 + \dots + F_n$ , where  $F_j \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , for each  $n, j$  are positive integer. If  $c = c_1 + c_2 + \dots + c_n$ ,  $c_j \in F_j$ , implies that from Proposition 2.7  $c_j R \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Thus  $c_j \in C_R(U)$ . Hence  $\overline{B}_R(U) \subseteq F$ . Simply we can note that  $F \subseteq \overline{B}_R(U)$ .*

(2) *Evident by fact,  $C_R(U) \subseteq \overline{B}_R(U)$ , and by (1).  $\square$*

**Proposition 2.25.** *Let  $U_R$  be an  $R$ -module, consider the following expression:*

1. *If  $F \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $F + H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .*
2.  *$C_R(U)$  is closed under addition.*
3.  *$\overline{B}_R(U) = C_R(U)$ .*
4.  *$\overline{B}_R(U) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$*

*Can we get (1)  $\implies$  (2)  $\implies$  (3) and (4)  $\implies$  (1) .*

*But (3)  $\implies$  (4) , it can obtained by adding if  $U_R$  is cyclic  $R$ -module. In addition, if  $U = uR$ , where  $u \in U$  one of the above-mentioned condition the following:*

- (i)  *$\overline{B}_R(U)$  is the unique largest  $E$ -small essential of  $U$ .*
- (ii)  *$\overline{B}_R(U) = \{u \in U | k_E(a - uw) = 0, \text{ for all } w \in R\}$*
- (iii)  *$\overline{B}_R(U) = \cap \{G \subseteq^{\max} U | \overline{B}_R(U) \subseteq G\}$*

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) *Since  $(u + v) R \subseteq uR + vR$ , so  $C_R(U)$  is closed under addition by Prop. 2.7.*

(2)  $\implies$  (3) *It is obvious that  $C_R(U) \subseteq \overline{B}_R(U)$ , then from Proposition 2.24 (1),  $\overline{B}_R(U) \subseteq C_R(U)$ .*

(3)  $\implies$  (4) *Let  $U = uR$ , for some  $u \in U$ , and  $\overline{B}_R(U) + F = U$ , where  $F$  is a small submodule of  $U_R$ . Thus by (3)  $C_R(U) + F = U$ . If  $u = v + w$ , where  $v \in C_R(U)$  and  $w \in F$ . Thus  $U = vR + F$ , so  $vR \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Then  $k_E(U) = 0$ . Hence  $\overline{B}_R(U) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .*

(4)  $\implies$  (1) Let  $F \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ . Thus  $F \subseteq \overline{B_R}(U)$  and  $H \subseteq \overline{B_R}(U)$ , then  $F + H \subseteq \overline{B_R}(U)$ . Hence from Proposition 2.7 and by (4), implies that  $F + H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .

Now, (i) is evident by (4), and (ii) is evident from Lemma 2.21 and by (3). Finally (iii) if  $u \in \overline{B_R}(U)$ , so  $uR$  is not E-small essential by (3), then  $uR + F = U$ , for an small submodule  $F$  of  $U_R$ , with  $k_E(U) \neq 0$ , by (4)  $\overline{B_R}(U) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then we have  $\overline{B_R}(U) + F \neq U$ . If  $\overline{B_R}(U) + F \subseteq G \subseteq^{\max} U$ , thus  $u \notin U$ . This is prove of (iii).  $\square$

**Proposition 2.26.** Let  $U_R$  be a module. consider the following expression:

1.  $\overline{B_R}(U) \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$
2. If  $F \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , then  $F \cap H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$

Note (1)  $\implies$  (2) verified. As well if  $U_R$  finitely cogenerated, hence (2)  $\implies$  (1)

**Proof .** (1)  $\implies$  (2) Let  $F \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$  and  $H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ , so  $\overline{B_R}(U) \subseteq F \cap H$ , then from Lemma 2.8  $F \cap H \trianglelefteq_{E-s} U_R$ .

(2)  $\implies$  (1) If  $U_R$  finitely cogenerated, and let  $\overline{B_R}(U) \cap F = 0$ , where  $F$  is a small submodule of  $U_R$ , then  $F_1 \cap F_2 \cap \dots \cap F_n \cap H = 0$ , for some  $E_j \subseteq \overline{B_R}(U)$ . Therefore  $N_E(H) = 0$ . that by (1).  $\square$

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