

UNIFORM DIMENSION OF FINITE SUBNORMALIZING EXTENSIONS

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1. Introduction

In 1986, E.A. Whelan ([2]) studied some properties of more generalized ring extensions which are finite subnormalizing extensions and self conjugate extensions. He gave some examples of those extensions which are not finite normalizing extensions and showed that the cutting down property is also true in finite subnormalizing extensions.

In this paper we will show that if any S -module M has finite uniform dimension if and only if it has finite uniform dimension when considered as an R -module where S is a finite subnormalizing extension of a ring R . And we will give some counterexample which show some properties that are not true in finite subnormalizing extensions but are true in finite normalizing extensions.

DEFINITION 1. Let M be an $R - S$ bimodule where R and S are any rings.

- (1) x is called normalizing in M where $x \in M$ if $Rx = xS$.
- (2) $X \subset M$ is called self conjugate in M if $RX = XS$.
- (3) A sequence $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, \dots\}$ in M is called a subnormalizing sequence if $X_j = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_j\}$ is self conjugate for every j .

From this definition we get the following definition.

DEFINITION 2. Let R be a subring of a ring S and there exists some finite subset $X \subset S$ such that $S = RX$ that is $S = \sum Rx$, where $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$.

- (1) S is called a finite normalizing extension of a ring R if $Rx_i = x_iR$ for every i .
- (2) S is called a finite subnormalizing extension of a ring R if X is a subnormalizing sequence.

(3) S is called a finite self conjugate extension of a ring R if R is self conjugate in S .

The following example show that there exist finite subnormalizing extension which are not finite normalizing extension.

EXAMPLE 3. Let K be a field and R be the set of all upper triangular matrices and S be the set of all 2×2 matrices over K . Then S is a finite subnormalizing extension of R but not a finite normalizing extension of R .

EXAMPLE 4. Let K be an extension field of a field F such that $\dim_F K = n \geq 2$. Let $R = \begin{pmatrix} F & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$ and $S = \begin{pmatrix} F & K \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$. Then S is self conjugate extension but not a finite subnormalizing extension of R .

2. Main theorem

In this paper we assume that S is a finite subnormalizing extension of a ring R with the same unit $1_R = 1_S$ and every module is unitary. We get the following lemmas easily.

LEMMA 5. Let N be an R -submodule of an S -module M .

(1) Let $N^t = \sum_{i=1}^t Nx_i$, where $Nx_i = \{nx_i \mid n \in N\}$. Then N^t is R -submodule of M and N^n is an S -submodule of M .

(2) Let $Nx_i^{-1} = \{m \in M \mid mx_i \in N\}$ and $b(N) = \bigcap Nx_i^{-1}$. Then $b(N)$ is an S -submodule of M .

(3) $N^t x_{t+1}^{-1} \cap N$ is an R -submodule of N .

Proof. (1) Clearly $N^n S \subset N^n$.

(2) Since $(mr_1 x_1 + \dots + mr_n x_n)x_i = mx_1 a_1 + \dots + mx_n a_n$, $b(N)$ is an S -submodule.

(3) $(nr)x_{t+1} = n(x_1 a_1 + \dots + x_n a_n) \in N$ for any r and some a_j in R .

LEMMA 6. M contains an R -submodule N maximal with respect to $b(N) = 0$. And if $\text{rank} M_R = m$, then $\text{rank}(M/N)_R \leq m$.

Proof. By Zorn's lemma we can find a maximal R -submodule A_1, \dots, A_t be R -submodules of M strictly containing N whose sum is direct module N . Then $b(A) = 0$ for every j . If $t > m$ then for some j ,

$\sum_{i \neq j} b(A_i) \cap b(A_j) \neq 0$. Thus $b((\sum A_i) \cap A_j) \neq 0$. Hence $\sum_{i \neq j} A_i \cap A_j$ strictly contains N . This is contradiction on the maximality of N . Thus we get $\text{rank}(M/N) \leq m$.

THEOREM 7. Any S -module M has finite uniform dimension if and only if it has finite uniform dimension when considered as an R -module.

Proof. Since every S -module is R -module if an S -module M has finite uniform dimension as R -module then it has also finite uniform dimension as S -module. Conversely, we assume that M has infinite direct sum of R -submodules $\{\sum N_i\}$. Then we can show that M has infinite direct sum of S -submodules $\{K_i\}$. At first, if $(\sum N_i^t)x_{t+1}^{-1} \cap N = 0$ and $\{\sum N_i^t\}$ is direct sum where $N = \sum N_i$, then $\sum N_i^{t+1}$ is direct sum as R -submodules. For if $\sum x_i = 0$ where $x_i \in N_i^{t+1}$ that is $x_i = (\sum y_i) + (\sum n_i)x_{t+1} = 0$ where $y_i \in N_i^t$ and $n_i \in N_i$. That implies $\sum n_i \in (\sum N_i^t)x_{t+1}^{-1} \cap N = 0$. Thus we get $n_i = 0$ for all i , and $y_i = 0$ for $\sum N_i^t$ is direct sum. If $(\sum N_i^t)x_{t+1}^{-1} \cap N = 0$ for all $1 \leq t \leq n-1$, then N^n is an infinite direct sum of S -submodules. Secondly we assume that for any infinite subcollection $J \subset I$, $(\sum N_j^t)x_{t+1} \cap N \neq 0$ for $1 \leq t \leq n-1$. Then for every $p > 0$ there exist $y \in N_{p+1} + \dots + N_k$ such that yx_{t+1} is contained in $N_{p+1}^t + \dots + N_m^t$. Let $q = \max(k, m)$. Then

$$0 \neq y \in (N_{p+1} + \dots + N_q)^{t+1} \cap (N_{p+1}^t + \dots + N_q^t)x_{t+1} = W.$$

Thus $W^{t+1} \subset N_{p+1}^t + \dots + N_q^t$ and $\sum W_i^{t+1}$ is direct. So we get a subcollection $\{\sum K_i\}$ of S -submodules which is infinite direct sum by doing same process continuously for $1 \leq t \leq n-1$.

From this theorem we get the following corollary.

COROLLARY. If S is a left Goldie ring, then R is also left Goldie ring.

The following example shows that some properties do not hold in finite subnormalizing extension.

EXAMPLE 8. Let K be a field and $R = \begin{pmatrix} K & K \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$ $S = \begin{pmatrix} K & K \\ K & K \end{pmatrix}$.

(1) Let $I = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$. Then $IS = S$. But if S is a finite normalizing extension of a ring R , then $IS \neq S$ for any proper ideal I of R .

(2) Clearly $J(R) = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $J(S) = 0$. Thus $J(R) \neq R \cap J(S)$ which is different from the case of finite normalizing extensions.

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