

PSEUDO-RC-INJECTIVE MODULES

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ABSTRACT

The main purpose of this work is to introduce and study the concept of pseudo-rc-injective module which is a proper generalization of rc-injective and pseudo-injective modules. Numerous properties and characterizations have been obtained. Some known results on pseudo-injective and rc-injective modules generalized to pseudo-rc-injective. Rationally extending modules and semisimple modules have been characterized in terms of pseudo-rc-injective modules. We explain the relationships of pseudo-rc-injective with some notions such as Co-Hopfian, directly finite modules.

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1 INTRODUCTION

Throughout, R represent an associative ring with identity and all R -modules are unitary right modules.

Let M and N be two R -modules, N is called pseudo $-M$ - injective if for every submodule A of M , any R -monomorphism $f: A \rightarrow N$ can be extended to an R -homomorphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$. An R -module N is called pseudo-injective, if it is pseudo N -injective. A ring R is said to be pseudo-injective ring, if R_R is pseudo-injective module (see [5] and [14]).

A submodule K of an R -module M is called rationally closed in M (denoted by $K \leq_{rc} M$) if N has no proper rational extension in M [1]. Clearly, every closed submodule is rationally closed submodule (and hence every direct summand is rationally closed), but the converse may not be true (see [1],[6],[9]).

M. S. Abbas and M. S. Nayef in [3] introduce the concept of rc -injectivity. Let M_1 and M_2 be R -modules. Then M_2 is called M_1 - rc -injective if every R -homomorphism $f: H \rightarrow M_2$, where H is rationally closed submodule of M_1 , can be extended to an R -homomorphism $g: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$. An R -module M is called rc -injective, if M is N - rc -injective, for every R -module N . An R -module M is called rc -quasi-injective or self- rc -injective, if M is M - rc -injective.

In [15], an R -module N is called pseudo- M - c -injective if for any monomorphism from a closed submodule of M to N can be extended to homomorphism from M in to N . An R -module M is called rationally extending (or RCS-module), if each submodule of M is rational in a direct summand. This is equivalent to saying that every rationally closed submodule of M is direct summand. It is clear that every rationally extending R -module is extending [1]. An R -module M is said to be Hopfian (Co-Hopfian), if every surjective (injective) endomorphism $f: M \rightarrow M$ is an automorphism [16]. An R -module M is called directly finite if it is not isomorphic to a proper direct summand of M [10]. An R -module M is said to be monoform, if each submodule of M is rational [17].

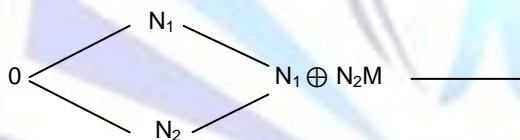
2 Pseudo-rc-injective Modules

We start with the following definition

Definition 2.1 Let M and N be two R -modules. Then N is pseudo M -rationally closed-injective (briefly pseudo M - rc -injective) if for every rationally closed submodule H of M , any R -monomorphism $\varphi: H \rightarrow N$ can be extended to an R -homomorphism $\beta: M \rightarrow N$. An R -module N is called pseudo- rc -injective, if N is pseudo N - rc -injective. A ring R is called self pseudo- rc -injective if it is a pseudo- R_R - rc -injective.

Remarks 2.2 (1) Every pseudo-injective module is rc -pseudo- injective. The converse may not be true in general, as following example let $M = Z$ as Z - module. Then, clearly M is rc - pseudo-injective, but Z is not pseudo-injective module. This shows that pseudo- rc -injective modules are a proper generalization of pseudo-injective.

(2) Clearly every rc -injective is pseudo- rc -injective. The converse may not be true in general. For example, [7, lemma 2], let M be an R -module whose lattice of submodules is



Where N_1 is not isomorphic to N_2 , and the endomorphism rings of N_i are isomorphic to $Z/2Z$ where $i=1,2$. S. Jain and S. Singh in [7] are show that, M is pseudo-injective (and hence by (1), M is pseudo- rc -injective) which is not rc -quasi-injective, since $N_1 \oplus N_2$ is rationally closed submodule of M and the natural projection of $N_1 \oplus N_2$ onto $N_i (i=1,2)$ can not be extended to an R -endomorphism of M , [7]. Therefore, M is not rc -injective module. This shows that pseud- rc -injective modules are a proper generalization of rc -injective modules.

(3) Obviously, every pseudo- M - rc -injective is pseudo M - c -injective. The converse is not true in general. For example, consider the two Z - module $M = Z/9Z$ and $N = Z/3Z$ it is clear that N is pseudo M - c - injective but N is not pseudo - M - rc - injective. This shows that pseud- rc -injective modules are stronger than of rc -injective modules.

Proof: Let $H = \langle 3 \rangle$, clearly H is rationally closed submodule of M , and define $\alpha: H \rightarrow N$ by $\alpha(0) = 0$, $\alpha(3) = 1$, $\alpha(6) = 2$. Obvious, α is Z - monomorphism. Now, suppose that N is pseudo M - rc -injective then there is $\beta: M \rightarrow N$ and $\beta(1) = n$ for some $n \in N$. Hence $\beta(3) = 3\beta(1) = 3n$ and hence $3n = \beta(3) = \alpha(3) = 1$, implies $3n = 1$, a contradiction, this shows that, N is not pseudo M - rc -injective. \square

(4) For a non-singular R - module M . If N is pseudo M - c -injective then N is pseudo M - rc -injective.

(5) Every monoform R -module is pseudo- rc -injective.

(6) An R -isomorphic module to pseudo- rc -injective is pseudo- rc - injective.



So, by above we obtain the following implications for modules.

- ❖ $Injective \Rightarrow quasi\text{-injective} \Rightarrow pseudo\text{-injective} \Rightarrow pseudo\text{-rc-injective} \Rightarrow pseudo\text{-c-injective}.$
- ❖ $Rc\text{-injective} \Rightarrow rc\text{-quasi-injective} \Rightarrow pseudo\text{-rc-injective} \Rightarrow pseudo\text{-c-injective}.$

In the following result we show that, for a uniform R -module the concepts of the rc -injective modules and pseudo- rc -injective are equivalents.

Theorem 2.3 Let M be uniform R - module. M is a rc -injective if and only if M is a pseudo- rc -injective module.

Proof:(\Rightarrow) Obviously. □

(\Leftarrow) Suppose that M is a pseudo- rc - injective, let K be rationally closed submodule of M and $\alpha : K \rightarrow M$ be R -homomorphism. Since M is uniform module, either α or $I_K - \alpha$ is a R -monomorphism. First, if α is R -monomorphism, then by pseudo- rc -injectivity of M , there exists R -homomorphism $g : M \rightarrow M$ such that $g \circ i_K = \alpha$. Finally, if $I_K - \alpha$ is R -monomorphism, then by pseudo- rc -injectivity of M , there exists $g : M \rightarrow M$ such that $g \circ i_K = I_K - \alpha$ hence $I_K - g = \alpha$. Therefore M is rc - injective. □

Proposition 2.4 Let N_1 and N_2 be two R -modules and $N = N_1 \oplus N_2$. Then N_2 is pseudo N_1 - rc -injective if and only if for every (rationally closed) submodule A of N such that $A \cap N_2 = 0$ and $\pi_1(A)$ rationally closed submodule of N_1 (where π_1 is a projection map from N onto N_1), there exists a submodule A' of N such that $A \leq A'$ and $N = A' \oplus N_2$.

Proof: Similar to proving [3, proposition (2.3)]. □

Some general properties of pseudo- rc -injectivity are given in the following results.

Proposition 2.5 Let M and $N_i (i \in I)$ be R -modules. Then $\prod_{i \in I} N_i$ is pseudo M - rc -injective if and only if N_i is pseudo M - rc -injective, for every $i \in I$.

Proof: Follows from the definition and injections and projections associated with the direct product. □

The following corollary is immediately from proposition (2.5).

Corollary 2.6 Let M and N_i be R - modules where $i \in I$ and I is finite index set, if $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n N_i$ is pseudo M - rc -injective, $\forall i \in I$, then N_i is pseudo- M - rc -injective. In particular every direct summand of pseudo- rc -injective R -module is pseudo- rc -injective. □

Proposition 2.7 Let M and N be R -modules. If M is pseudo N - rc - injective, then M is pseudo A - rc - injective for every rationally closed submodule A of N .

Proof: Let $A \leq_{rc} N$ and let $K \leq_{rc} A$, $f : K \rightarrow M$ be R -monomorphism. Then, by [2, Lemma (3.2)] we obtain, $(K \leq_{rc} N)$, hence by pseudo N - rc - injectivity of M , there exists a R -homomorphism $h : N \rightarrow M$ such that $h \circ i_A \circ i_K = f$ where $i_K : K \rightarrow A$ and $i_A : A \rightarrow N$ are inclusion maps. Let $\varphi = h \circ i_A$. Clearly, φ is R -homomorphism, and $\varphi \circ i_K = h \circ i_A \circ i_K = f$. Then φ extends f . Therefore, M is A - rc - injective. □

In [15] was proved the following: Suppose that R is a commutative domain. Let c be a non-zero non-unit element of R . The right R -module $R \oplus (R/xR)$ is not pseudo- c -injective. From this result and remark (2.2)(3), we conclude the following proposition for pseudo- rc -injective modules.

Proposition 2.8 For a commutative domain R . Let x be a non-zero non-unit element of R . The R -module $R \oplus (R/xR)$ is not pseudo rc - injective. □

Now, we investigate more properties of pseudo rc -injectivity.

The R -module M_1 and M_2 are relatively (mutually) pseudo- rc - injective if M_i is pseudo M_j - rc - injective for every $i, j \in \{1, 2\}, i \neq j$.

The following result is generalization of [5, Theorem (2.2)].

Theorem 2.9 If $M \oplus N$ is a pseudo- rc -injective module, then M and N are mutually rc -injective.

Proof: Suppose that $M \oplus N$ is a pseudo- rc -injective module. Let B be a rationally closed submodule of N and $\alpha : B \rightarrow M$ be an R -homomorphism. Define $\varphi : B \rightarrow M \oplus N$ by $\varphi(b) = (\alpha(b), b)$ for all $b \in B$, it is clear that φ is an R -monomorphism. Since N is isomorphic to a direct summand of $M \oplus N$, then (by remark (2.2)(3)) and proposition (2.7), we have $M \oplus N$ is pseudo- rc N -injective, thus, there exists an R -homomorphism $f : N \rightarrow M \oplus N$ such that $\varphi = f \circ i_B$ where $i_B : B \rightarrow N$ be the inclusion map. Let



$\pi_1 = M \oplus N \rightarrow M$ be natural projection of $M \oplus N$ onto M . We have $\pi_1 \circ \varphi = \pi_1 \circ f \circ i_B$ and hence $\alpha = \pi_1 \circ f \circ i_B$, thus $\pi_1 \circ f: N \rightarrow M$ is R -homomorphism extending α . This show that M is N -rc-injective. As same way we can prove that N is M -rc-injective. \square

Corollary 2.10 If $\bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ is a pseudo-rc-injective, then M_i is a M_j -rc-injective for all distinct $i, j \in I$. \square

Corollary 2.11 For any positive integer $n \geq 2$, if M^n is pseudo rc-injective, then M is rc-quasi-injective. \square

The following example shows that the direct sum of two pseudo-rc-injective is not pseudo-rc-injective in general. For a prim p , let $M_1 = Z$ and $M_2 = Z/pZ$, be a right Z -modules. Since M_1 , and M_2 are monofrom then, M_1 , and M_2 are pseudo-rc-injective. But, by proposition (2.8), we have $M_1 \oplus M_2$ is not pseudo-rc-injective module.

Now, we consider the sufficient condition for a direct sum of two pseudo-rc-injective modules to be pseudo-rc-injective.

Theorem 2.12 The direct sum of any two pseudo-rc-injective modules is pseudo-rc-injective if and only if every pseudo-rc-injective module is injective.

Proof: Let M be a pseudo-rc-injective module, and $E(M)$ its injective hull of M . By hypothesis, we have $M \oplus E(M)$ is pseudo-rc-injective. Let $i_M: M \rightarrow M \oplus E(M)$ be a natural injective map then there exists an R -homomorphism $\alpha: M \oplus E(M) \rightarrow M \oplus E(M)$ such that $i_M = \alpha \circ i_E \circ i$, where $i: M \rightarrow E(M)$ is inclusion map and $i_E: E(M) \rightarrow M \oplus E(M)$ is injective map. Thus, $I_M = \pi_M \circ i_M = \pi_M \circ \alpha \circ i_E \circ i$, where I_M is the identity of M and π_M is a projection map from $M \oplus E(M)$ onto M . Therefore $I_M = g \circ i$, where $g = \pi_M \circ \alpha \circ i_E$. Thus by [8, Corollary (3.4.10)], we obtain $E(M) = M \oplus \ker g$. Since $M \cap \ker g = 0$ and $M \leq_e E(M)$ lead to $\ker g = 0$ and hence $M = E(M)$. This shows that M is injective module. The other direction is obvious. \square

Recall that an R -module M is a multiplication if, each submodule of M has the form IM for some ideal I of R [9].

Proposition 2.13 Every rationally closed submodule of multiplication pseudo-rc-injective R -module is pseudo-rc-injective.

Proof: Let A be a rationally closed submodule of a rationally closed submodule H of M and let $f: A \rightarrow H$ be an R -monomorphism. Since H is a rationally closed of M . It follows that by [2, Lemma (3.2)], A is also a rationally closed submodule of M . Since M is pseudo-rc-injective, then there exist an R -homomorphism $\varphi: M \rightarrow M$ that extends f . Since M is multiplication module, we have $H = MI$ for some ideal I of R . Thus $\varphi|_H = \varphi(H) = \varphi(MI) = \varphi(M)I \leq MI = H$. This show that H is pseudo-rc-injective. \square

In the following part we give characterizations of known R -modules in terms of pseudo-rc-injectivity.

We start with the following results which are given a characterization of rationally extending modules. Firstly, the following lemma is needed.

Lemma 2.14 Let A be rationally closed submodule of R -module M . If A is pseudo M -rc-injective, then A is a direct summand of M . \square

Proof: Since A is a pseudo M -rc-injective R -module, there exists an R -homomorphism $f: M \rightarrow A$. That extends The identity $I: A \rightarrow A$. Hence by [8, Corollary (3.4.10)], $M = A \oplus \ker f$, so that A is a direct summand of M .

Proposition 2.15 An R -module M is rationally extending if and only if every R -module is pseudo M -rc-injective.

Proof: (\Rightarrow). It is similarly to prove [3, proposition (2.4)].

(\Leftarrow). Follow from lemma (2.14). \square

Note that, by proposition (2.15), every rationally extending R -module is pseudo-rc-injective. But the converse is not true in general. As in the following example: consider the Z -module $M = Z/p^2Z$ where p is prime number. It is clear that, M is pseudo-rc-injective (in fact, M is rc-injective). Obviously, $A = \langle p \rangle$ is rationally closed submodule of M but A is not direct summand of M . Thus M is not rationally extending.

Theorem 2.16 For an R -module M , the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) M is rationally extending;
- (2) Every R -module is an M -rc-injective;
- (3) Every R -module is pseudo M -rc-injective;
- (4) Every rationally closed submodule of M is an M -rc-injective;
- (5) Every rationally closed submodule of M is a pseudo M -rc-injective.

Proof: (1) \Leftrightarrow (2) Follows from [3, proposition (2. 4)].



(2) \Rightarrow (4). Clear.

(4) \Rightarrow (1). It follows from lemma (2.14).

Now, (1) \Rightarrow (3). It follows from proposition (2.15).

(3) \Rightarrow (5). It is obvious.

(5) \Rightarrow (1). It follows from lemma (2.14). \square

An R -module M is directly finite if and only if $f \circ g = I_M$ implies that $g \circ f = I_M$ for all $f, g \in \text{End}(M)$ [10, proposition (1.25)]. The Z -module Z is directly finite, but it is not co-Hopfian. In the following proposition we show that the co-Hopfian and directly finite R -modules are equivalent under pseudo-rc-injective property.

Proposition 2.17 A pseudo-rc-injective R -module M is directly finite if and only if it is co-Hopfian.

Proof: Let φ be an injective map belong to $\text{End}(M)$ and I is identity R -homomorphism from M to M . By pseudo-rc-injectivity of M , there exists an R -homomorphism $\beta: M \rightarrow M$ such that $\beta \circ \varphi = I_M$. Since M is directly finite, we have $\varphi \circ \beta = I_M$ which shows that φ is an R -automorphism. Therefore, M is co-Hopfian. The other direction it is clear. \square

The following corollary is immediately from proposition (2.17).

Corollary 2.18 An rc-injective R -module M is directly finite if and only if it is Co-Hopfian. \square

Since every indecomposable module is directly finite then by proposition (2.17), we obtain the following corollary.

Corollary 2.19 If M is an indecomposable pseudo-rc-injective module then M is a Co-Hopfian. \square

In [33] was proved that every Hopfian R -module is directly finite. Thus the following result follows from proposition (2.17).

Corollary 2.20 If M is a pseudo-rc-injective and Hopfian R -module. Then M is a Co-Hopfian. \square

For any an R -module M we consider the following definition.

Definition 2.21 An R -module M said to be complete rationally closed module (briefly **CRC** module), if each submodule of M is a rationally closed. It is clear that every semisimple module is CRC module, but the converse is not true in general.

For example Z_4 as Z -module is CRC module, but not semisimple since $\langle 2 \rangle$ is not direct summand of Z_4 .

An R -module M is said to be satisfies (C_2) -condition, if for each submodule of M which is isomorphic to a direct summand of M , then it is a direct summand of M [10]. Recall that an R -module M is said to satisfy the generalized C_2 -condition (or GC_2) if, any $N \leq M$ and $N \cong M$, N is a summand of M [18].

The following result is a generalization of [5, Theorem (2.6)]

Proposition 2.22 Every pseudo-rc-injective CRC module satisfies C_2 (and hence GC_2).

Proof: Let M be a pseudo-rc-injective CRC module, let $H \leq M$ and $K \leq M$ such that H is isomorphic to K with $H \leq_d M$. Since M is a pseudo-rc-injective then by corollary(2.6), we obtain H is a pseudo- M -rc-injective. But $H \cong K$ thus, by remark (2.2)(9), K is a pseudo M -rc-injective. By assumption, we have K is rationally closed sub module of M . Thus, by Lemma (2.14), we get $K \leq_d M$. Hence M satisfies C_2 . The last fact follows easily. \square

Although the Z -module $M = Z$ is a pseudo-rc-injective, but it is not satisfies C_2 , since there is a submodule $H = nZ$ (where $(n \geq 2)$) of which is isomorphic to M but it is not a direct summand in M . This shows that the CRC property of the module in proposition (2.22) cannot be dropped.

In [4], an R -module M is called direct-injective, if given any direct summand K of M , an injection map $j_K: K \rightarrow M$ and every R -monomorphism $\alpha: K \rightarrow M$, there is an R -endomorphism β of M such that $\beta\alpha = j_K$.

In [11, Theorem (7.13)], it was proved that, an R -module M is a direct-injective if and only if M is satisfies (C_2) -condition. Thus by proposition (2.22) we can conclude the following result.

Proposition 2.23 Every pseudo-rc-injective CRC module is direct-injective. \square

In [13, p.32], recall that a right R -module M is called divisible, if for each $m \in M$ and for each $r \in R$ which is not left zero-divisor, there exist $m' \in M$ such that $m = m'r$. In [4] was proved that every direct-injective R -module is divisible. Thus we have the following corollary which follows from proposition (2.23).

Corollary 2.24 Every pseudo-rc-injective CRC module is divisible.



Recall that an R -module M is self-similar if, every submodule of M is isomorphic to M [12]. The Z -module Z is both self-similar and pseudo-rc-injective module but it is not semisimple and CRC module. Also, Z_4 as Z -module is pseudo-rc-injective CRC module but it is not self-similar module. Note that from above examples the concepts CRC-modules and self-similar modules are completely different.

In the following result we show that the pseudo-rc-injective and semisimple R -modules are equivalent under self-similar CRC modules.

Theorem 2.25 Let M is a self-similar CRC module. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i) M is semisimple module;
- (ii) M is pseudo-rc-injective.

Proof: (i) \Rightarrow (ii). Clear.

(ii) \Rightarrow (i). Let K be any submodule of M , then by self-similarity of M , we have K is isomorphic to M . Since M is pseudo-rc-injective CRC module thus, by proposition (2.22), M satisfy GC_2 -condition. So, K is a direct summand of M . therefore, M is semisimple module. \square

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