

# The Excellent Extensions of Rings and Copure Dimensions

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**Abstract:** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ .  $\text{cid}(M)$  denotes the copure injective dimension of  $M$  and  $\text{cfd}(M)$  denotes the copure flat dimension of  $M$ . We prove that if  $M_S$  is a right  $S$ -module then  $\text{cid}(M_S) = \text{cid}(M_R)$  and if  ${}_S M$  is a left  $S$ -module then  $\text{cfd}({}_S M) = \text{cfd}({}_R M)$ . Moreover,  $\text{cid-}D(S) = \text{cid-}D(R)$  and  $\text{cfd-}D(S) = \text{cfd-}D(R)$ .

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## §1. Introduction

Throughout this article, all rings are associative with identity and all modules are unitary modules unless stated otherwise.  $\text{cid}(M)$ (resp  $\text{cfd}(M)$ ) denotes the copure injective dimension(resp copure flat dimension) of  $M$ .  $\text{cid-}D(R)$ (resp  $\text{cfd-}D(R)$ ) denotes the copure injective dimension(resp copure flat dimension) of  $R$ . If  $A$  is a ring and  $N_A$  is a submodule of  $M_A$ , the notation  $N_A|M_A$  means that there is an  $A$ -submodule  $P_A$  such that  $M_A = N_A \oplus P_A$ .

Excellent extension is an important extension of rings. It contains full matrix rings over ring  $R$  ([1]) and the ring  $R * G$  of finite group  $G$  with  $|G|^{-1} \in R$  ([2]). It was proved in [3] that if  $S$  is an excellent extension of  $R$ , then  $S$  and  $R$  have the same right global dimensions and weak global dimensions, the author considered the  $FP$ -injective dimensions in [4] and proved that if  $M_S$  is a right  $S$ -module, then  $FP\text{-id}(M_S) = FP\text{-id}(M_R)$  and  $FP\text{-}D(S) = FP\text{-}D(R)$ . In this article, we consider the copure injective dimension and copure flat dimension.

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We proved that if  $R$  is a noetherian ring,  $S$  is an excellent extension of  $R$  and  $M_S$  is an  $S$ -module, then  $\text{cid}(M_S) = \text{cid}(M_R)$ ; if  ${}_S M$  is a  $S$ -module, then  $\text{cf}d({}_S M) = \text{cf}d({}_R M)$ . Moreover, we obtain  $\text{cid-}D(S) = \text{cid-}D(R)$  and  $\text{cf}d\text{-}D(S) = \text{cf}d\text{-}D(R)$ .

## §2. Preliminaries

In order to consider the copure injective dimension and copure flat dimension, we first give some definitions and some results that are well known.

**Definition 1.1** Let  $R$  be a ring. We call a right  $R$ -module  $M$  copure injective if for any injective right  $R$ -module  $E$ ,  $\text{Ext}_R^1(E, M) = 0$ .

**Definition 1.2** Let  $R$  be a ring. We call a right  $R$ -module  $M$  strongly copure injective if for any injective right  $R$ -module  $E$  and  $i \geq 1$ ,  $\text{Ext}_R^i(E, M) = 0$ .

**Definition 1.3** Let  $R$  be a ring. We call a left  $R$ -module  $M$  copure flat if for any injective right  $R$ -module  $E$ ,  $\text{Tor}_1^R(E, M) = 0$ .

**Definition 1.4** Let  $R$  be a ring. We call a left  $R$ -module  $M$  strongly copure flat if for any injective right  $R$ -module  $E$  and  $i \geq 1$ ,  $\text{Tor}_i^R(E, M) = 0$ .

Let  $R$  be a ring with identity,  $S$  be an extension of  $R$ , where  $S$  and  $R$  have the same identity 1. The ring  $S$  is called an excellent extension of  $R$  if

(1)  $S$  is a free normalizing extension of  $R$  with a basis that includes 1; that is, there is a finite set  $\{a_1, \dots, a_n\} \subseteq S$  such that  $a_1=1$ ,  $S = Ra_1 + \dots + Ra_n$ ,  $a_i R = Ra_i$ , for all  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $S$  is free with basis  $\{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$  as both a right and left  $R$ -module and

(2)  $S$  is  $R$ -projective; that is, if  $N_S$  is a submodule of  $M_S$ . then  $N_R | M_R$  implies  $N_S | M_S$ .

**Lemma 1.5**<sup>[4]</sup> Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module, then  $\text{cf}dM = \text{cid}M^+$ .

**Lemma 1.6**<sup>[4]</sup> Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring. Then for an  $R$ -module  $M$ , the following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $\text{cid}M \leq n$ ;
- (2) For any injective  $R$ -module  $E$  and  $i \geq n + 1$ ,  $\text{Ext}^i(E, M) = 0$ ;
- (3) The  $n$ th cosyzygy of  $M$  is strongly copure injective.

**Lemma 1.7**<sup>[4]</sup> Let  $R$  be a ring. Then for an  $R$ -module  $M$ , the following statements are equivalent:

- (1)  $\text{cf}dM \leq n$ ;
- (2) For any injective right  $R$ -module  $E$  and  $i \geq n + 1$ ,  $\text{Tor}_i(E, M) = 0$ ;
- (3) The  $n$ th syzygy of  $M$  is strongly copure flat.

General background materials can be found in [1-10].

### §3. Main Results

**Theorem 2.1** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . If  $M$  is a right  $S$ -module, then  $\text{cid}(M_S) = \text{cid}(M_R)$ .

**Proof** If  $\text{cid}(M_S) = \infty$ , then  $\text{cid}(M_R) \leq \text{cid}(M_S)$ .

Let  $\text{cid}(M_S) = m < \infty$ . Since  ${}_R S$  is a flat left  $R$ -module, then for any right  $R$ -module  $X$ , we have

$$\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X \otimes_R S, M) \simeq \text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X, M), \quad j \geq 1.$$

If  $X_R$  is injective, then  $X \otimes_R S$  is injective by Proposition 7 of [5]. So  $\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X \otimes_R S, M) = 0$ ,  $j \geq 1$ . And thus  $\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X, M) = 0$ , that is,  $\text{cid}(M_R) \leq m$ . Therefore,  $\text{cid}(M_R) \leq \text{cid}(M_S)$ .

Conversely, suppose that  $\text{cid}(M_R) = m < \infty$ . For any right  $S$ -module  $X$ , since  $S_R$  is projective and  ${}_S S$  is flat, we have natural isomorphism:

$$\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X, M) \simeq \text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X \otimes_S S, M) \simeq \text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, \text{Hom}_R(S, M)).$$

If  $X_S$  is an injective right  $S$ -module, Then  $\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X, M) = 0$  since  $X_R$  is an injective right  $R$ -module by [6]. And so  $\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, \text{Hom}_R(S, M)) = 0$ . There exists a right  $S$ -module  $Q_S$  such that  $M_S \oplus Q_S \simeq \text{Hom}(S, M)_S$  by [7]. Thus we have

$$\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, M) \oplus \text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, Q) \simeq \text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, \text{Hom}_R(S, M)) = 0.$$

And so  $\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, M) = 0$ . Therefore,  $\text{cid}(M_S) \leq m$ .

If  $\text{cid}(M_R) = \infty$ , it is clear that  $\text{cid}(M_S) \leq \text{cid}(M_R)$ . Therefore,  $\text{cid}(M_S) = \text{cid}(M_R)$ .

**Corollary 2.2** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . If  $M$  is a right  $S$ -module, then  $M_S$  is strongly copure injective if and only if  $M_R$  is strongly copure injective.

**Corollary 2.3** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) Every left ideal of  $R$  is strongly copure injective;
- (2) Every left ideal of  $S$  is strongly copure injective;
- (3) Every right ideal of  $R$  is strongly copure injective;
- (4) Every right ideal of  $S$  is strongly copure injective.

For a ring  $R$ . We define the right copure injective dimension of  $R$ . We denote  $\text{cid-}D(R)$

$$\text{cid-}D(R) = \sup\{ \text{cid}(M_R) \mid M \text{ is a right } R\text{-module} \}.$$

It is clear that  $\text{cid-}D(R) \leq D(R)$ , where  $D(R)$  denotes the right global dimension of  $R$ .

**Theorem 2.4** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . Then  $\text{cid-}D(S) = \text{cid-}D(R)$ .

**Proof** From Theorem 2.1, it follows that  $\text{cid-}D(S) \leq \text{cid-}D(R)$ .

If  $\text{cid-}D(S) = \infty$ , it is clear that  $\text{cid-}D(R) \leq \text{cid-}D(S)$ .

Let  $\text{cid-}D(S) = m < \infty$ . Then for any right  $R$ -module  $M$  and any right  $S$ -module  $X$ , we get

$$\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X \otimes_S S, M) \simeq \text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, \text{Hom}_R(S, M)), \quad j \geq 1.$$

Since  $\text{cid}(\text{Hom}_R(S, M)_S) \leq \text{cid-}D(S) = m$ , then for any injective right  $S$ -module  $X$ , we get

$$\text{Ext}_S^{m+j}(X, \text{Hom}_R(S, M)) = 0, \quad j \geq 1.$$

And hence  $\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(X, M) = 0$ ,  $j \geq 1$ , where  $X$  is an injective right  $S$ -module.

If  $Y$  is an injective right  $R$ -module. Then  $Y \otimes_R S$  is an injective right  $S$ -module by Proposition 7 of [5]. So  $\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(Y \otimes_R S, M) = 0$ . Since  $S$  is an excellent extension of  $R$ , as right  $R$ -modules, we have

$$Y \otimes_R S_R = Y \otimes_R \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^n R s_i \right) \simeq Y \otimes_R \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^n R \right) \simeq \bigoplus_{i=1}^n (Y \otimes_R R) \simeq \bigoplus_{i=1}^n Y.$$

Thus we have

$$\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(Y, M) \simeq \text{Ext}_R^{m+j} \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^n Y, M \right) \simeq \text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(Y \otimes_R S, M) = 0, \quad j \geq 1.$$

And hence  $\text{Ext}_R^{m+j}(Y, M) = 0$ ,  $j \geq 1$ . That is,  $\text{cid}(M_R) \leq m$ . Then  $\text{cid-}D(R) \leq m$  and so  $\text{cid-}D(R) \leq \text{cid-}D(S)$ . Therefore,

$$\text{cid-}D(R) = \text{cid-}D(S).$$

**Theorem 2.5** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . If  $M$  is a left  $S$ -module, then  $\text{cf}d({}_S M) = \text{cf}d({}_R M)$ .

**Proof** From Lemma 1.5, it follows that  $\text{cf}d({}_R M) = \text{cid}(M_R^+)$  and  $\text{cf}d({}_S M) = \text{cid}(M_S^+)$ . By Theorem 2.1, we have  $\text{cid}(M_R^+) = \text{cid}(M_S^+)$ . Hence  $\text{cf}d({}_R M) = \text{cf}d({}_S M)$ .

**Corollary 2.6** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . If  $M$  is a left  $S$ -module, then  ${}_S M$  is strongly copure flat if and only if  ${}_R M$  is strongly copure flat.

**Corollary 2.7** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) Every left ideal of  $R$  is strongly copure flat;
- (2) Every left ideal of  $S$  is strongly copure flat;

(3) Every right ideal of  $R$  is strongly copure flat;

(4) Every right ideal of  $S$  is strongly copure flat.

For a ring  $R$ . We define the right copure flat dimension of  $R$ . We denote  $cf\text{-}D(R)$

$$cf\text{-}D(R) = \sup\{ \text{cid}(M_R) \mid M \text{ is a left } R\text{-module} \}.$$

It is clear that  $cf\text{-}D(R) \leq WD(R)$ , where  $WD(R)$  denotes the left weak global dimension of  $R$ .

**Theorem 2.8** Let  $R$  be a noetherian ring and  $S$  an excellent extension of  $R$ . Then  $\text{cid-}D(S) = \text{cid-}D(R)$ .

**Proof** From Theorem 2.5, it follows that  $cf\text{-}D(S) \leq cf\text{-}D(R)$ .

If  $cf\text{-}D(S) = \infty$ , then it is clear that  $cf\text{-}D(R) \leq cf\text{-}D(S)$ .

Let  $cf\text{-}D(S) = m < \infty$ . Then for any left  $R$ -module  $M$   $cf\text{-}D({}_R M) = \text{cid}(M_R^+)$  by Lemma 1.5. By Theorem 2.1, we have  $\text{cid}(M_R^+) = \text{cid}(M_S^+)$ . And  $\text{cid}(M_S^+) = cf\text{-}D({}_S M)$  by Lemma 1.5. So  $cf\text{-}D({}_R M) = cf\text{-}D({}_S M) \leq m$ , that is,  $cf\text{-}D(R) \leq cf\text{-}D(S)$ . Therefore,  $cf\text{-}D(S) = cf\text{-}D(R)$ .

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