



## ON GENERALIZATION OF INJECTIVE MODULES

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**ABSTRACT:** Here we introduce the concept of CK-N-injectivity as a generalization of N-injectivity. We give a homomorphism diagram representation of such concept, as well as an equivalent condition in terms of module decompositions. The concept CK-N-jectivity is also dealt with, as a generalization of CK-N-injectivity. We introduce a generalization of N-injectivity, namely C-N-injectivity. Its generalization CI-N-injectivity ( given in [8] as C-N-injectivity ). In our study of C-N-injectivity, we discovered some mistake results (given in [1] as IC-Pseudo-injectivity), and we dealt with their corrections. Finally we turn our attention to a more generalization of injective modules, namely the generalized extending modules (or module with  $(C_1^*)$ ) and obtained some important results.

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## 1 INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper,  $R$  is an associative ring with identity and all modules are unitary right  $R$ -modules. A submodule  $N$  of an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called an essential submodule in  $M$  (denoted by  $N \leq^e M$ ) if  $N \cap K \neq 0$  for any non-zero submodule  $K$  of  $M$ . For a submodule  $C$  of an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called closed in  $M$  (denoted by  $N \leq^c M$ ) if  $C$  has no proper essential extensions in  $M$ . Clearly, every direct summand of  $M$  is closed in  $M$ . Moreover, if  $A$  is any submodule of  $M$ , then there exists, by Zorn's Lemma, a submodule  $B$  of  $M$  maximal with respect to the property that  $A$  is an essential submodule of  $B$ , and in this case  $B$  is a closed submodule of  $M$ . A module  $M$  is an extending module (or a CS-module, or a module with  $(C_1)$ ) if every closed submodule is a direct summand (or equivalently, if  $L \leq M$ , then there is a decomposition  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , such that  $L \leq M_1$  and  $L \oplus M_2 \leq^e M$ ): For the properties of closed submodules and extending modules (see [2], [9]): In [6]; a module  $M$  has the condition  $(C_1^*)$  (given in [11] as  $(C_{11})$ ) if every submodule of  $M$  has a complement which is a direct summand of  $M$  (equivalently, every closed submodule has a complement which is a direct summand, or if  $L \leq M$ , then there is a decomposition  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , such that  $L \cap M_2 = 0$ ; and  $L \oplus M_2 \leq^e M$ ). It is well known that the condition  $(C_1)$  is inherited by direct summands, while the inheritance of modules having the condition  $(C_1^*)$  is not so (given by an example in [12]). In Lemma 22, we prove that if a module  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , then  $M_i$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ) has  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if for every submodule of  $M$  with zero intersection with  $M_j$  ( $j \neq i$ ) has a complement summand submodule of  $M$ . As an immediate result of Lemma 22, we obtained Corollary 23, namely, if  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus F$ , then both have  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if every submodule  $C$  of  $M$ , with zero intersection with  $Z_2(M)$  (or with  $F$ ) has a complement summand containing  $F$  (or  $Z_2(M)$ ). An extending module  $M$  which satisfies the condition  $(C_2)$ : (every submodule of  $M$  which is isomorphic to a direct summand of  $M$ , is itself direct summand), is called continuous. We introduce the concept of CK-injectivity as the following: Let  $M$  and  $N$  be  $R$ -modules,  $M$  is said to be CK- $N$ -injective if for every submodule  $X$  of  $N$  and every homomorphism  $f : X \rightarrow M$ , with  $\ker f \leq^c N$  can be extended to a homomorphism  $f^- : N \rightarrow M$ . An  $R$ -module is CK-injective, if it is CK- $N$ -injective for all  $R$ -modules  $N$ . Here we show that a module  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective if and only if for every closed submodule  $L$  of  $M \oplus N$ , with  $L \cap M = 0$ , and  $L \cap N \leq^c N$ , there exists a submodule  $M'$  of  $M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ ; and  $L \leq M'$ . We show that the concept of CK- $N$ -injectivity is inherited by direct summands on both ways, we also study the properties of such concept. It is clear that if  $M$  is  $N$ -injective, then  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective. Example 5, shows that there are CK-injective modules, which are not injective. An  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be C- $N$ -injective, if for every closed submodule  $N'$  of  $N$ , and every monomorphism  $\rightarrow : N' \rightarrow N$ , and every homomorphism  $f : N' \rightarrow M$ , there exists a homomorphism  $\varphi : N \rightarrow M$ , such that  $\varphi \circ \rightarrow = f$ . We prove that a module  $N$  is continuous if and only if  $K$  is C- $N$ -injective for every closed submodule  $K$  of  $N$ . Example 35, tells us that there exists an  $R$ -modules that are C-injective modules, which are not injective. An  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be CI- $N$ -injective, if for every closed submodule  $N'$  of  $N$ , and for every homomorphism  $f$  from  $N'$  to  $M$ , there exists a homomorphism  $f^- : N \rightarrow M$ , such that  $f^- \circ j_{N'} = f$ .

## 2 CK-INJECTIVE MODULES

**Definition 1:** A module  $M$  is said to be CK- $N$ -injective, if for every submodule  $X$  of  $N$  and every homomorphism  $f : X \rightarrow M$ , with  $\ker f \leq^c N$  can be extended to a homomorphism  $f^- : N \rightarrow M$ .

**Theorem 2:** Let  $M$  and  $N$  be  $R$ -modules. Then the following are equivalent:

1.  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective.
2. For every submodule  $L$  of  $M \oplus N$ , with  $L \cap M = 0$ , and  $L \cap N \leq^c N$ , there exists a submodule



$M'$  of  $M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ , and  $L \leq M'$ .

3. For every closed submodule  $L$  of  $M \oplus N$ , with  $L \cap M = 0$ , and  $L \cap N \leq^c N$ , there exists a submodule  $M'$  of  $M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ , and that  $L \leq M'$ .

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $L \leq M \oplus N$ ,  $L \cap M = 0$ , and that  $L \cap N \leq^c N$ . Write  $K = N \cap (L \oplus M)$ , and let  $\pi : L \oplus M \rightarrow M$  be the projection. Then  $\ker(\pi|_K) = L \cap K = L \cap N \leq^c N$ . Since  $M$  is CK-N-injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $f : N \rightarrow M$ , such that  $f|_K = \pi|_K$ . Put  $M' = \{n - f(n) \mid n \in N\}$ , then for all  $m \in M$  and  $n \in N$ , we have  $m + n = (m + f(n)) + (n - f(n)) \in M \oplus M'$ , and hence  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ . Now let  $l \in L$ , as  $l = m + n$  ( $m \in M, n \in N$ ), we have  $l - m = n \in N \cap (L \oplus M)$ , then  $\pi|_K(l - m) = \pi|_K(n) = f(n)$ , then  $l = n + m = n - f(n) \in M'$ , and hence  $L \leq M'$ .

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $N$ , and  $f : X \rightarrow M$  be a homomorphism, with  $\ker f \leq^c N$ . Choose  $W = \{x - f(x) \mid x \in X\}$ , it follows that  $W \cap M = 0$ , and  $W \cap N = \ker f \leq^c N$ . By assumption, there exists  $M' \leq M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ ,  $W \leq M'$ . Let  $\pi$  denote the projection of  $M \oplus M'$  onto  $M$ , then for every  $x \in X$ , we have that  $\pi(x) = \pi(f(x) + (x - f(x))) = \pi(f(x)) = f(x)$ . Therefore  $M$  is CK-N-injective.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): It is clear.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $L \leq M \oplus N$ , such that  $L \cap M = 0$ ,  $L \cap N \leq^c N$ , and let  $K$  be a maximal essential extension of  $L$  in  $M \oplus N$ , then  $K \leq^c M \oplus N$ , and  $K \cap M = 0$ . Since  $L \leq^e K$ , we have that  $L \cap N \leq^e K \cap N$ , and hence  $K \cap N \leq^c N$ . By assumption, there exists  $M' \leq M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ ,  $K \leq M'$ , and hence there exists  $M' \leq M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ , and that  $L \leq M'$ .

**Proposition 3:** Let  $M$  be CK-N-injective, then  $M \oplus N = M \oplus C$  holds for every complement  $C$  of  $M$  in  $M \oplus N$ , with  $C \cap N \leq^c N$ .

**Proof.** Let  $C$  be a complement of  $M$  in  $M \oplus N$ , with  $C \cap N \leq^c N$ , then  $C \leq^c M \oplus N$ . By Theorem 2, there exists  $M' \leq M \oplus N$ , such that  $M \oplus N = M \oplus M'$ ,  $C \leq M'$ . But  $C$  is maximal zero intersection of  $M$  in  $M \oplus N$ , then  $M' = C$ .

**Lemma 4:** Let  $M$  be N-injective, then  $M$  is CK-N-injective.

**Proof.** It is clear.

*The following example shows that CK-N-injective need not be N-injective.*

**Example 5:**  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  is CK- $\mathbb{Z}$ -injective, which is not injective.

**Proposition 6:** Let  $M = A \oplus B$ , where  $B$  is CK-A-injective. Let  $A = A_1 \oplus A_2$ , and  $B = B_1 \oplus B_2$ . Then the following are satisfied (for  $i, j = 1, 2$ ):

1.  $B_i$  is CK-A-injective.
2.  $B$  is CK- $A_j$ -injective.
3.  $B_i$  is CK- $A_j$ -injective.

**Proof.** For 1. Write  $M = A \oplus B_1 \oplus B_2$ . Let  $L \leq A \oplus B_1$ , such that  $L \cap B_1 = 0$ , and that  $L \cap A \leq^c A$ , then  $L \leq M$ ,  $L \cap B = 0$ . Since  $B$  is CK-A-injective, we have that there exists  $M' \leq M$ , such that  $M = M' \oplus B_1 \oplus B_2$ , and that  $L \leq M'$ . Then  $A \oplus B_1 = [(A \oplus B_1) \cap (B_2 \oplus M')] \oplus B_1$ ,  $L \leq (A \oplus B_1) \cap (B_2 \oplus M')$ . Then  $B_1$  is CK-A-injective.

For 2. Write  $M = A_1 \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ . Let  $L \leq A_1 \oplus B$ , such that  $L \cap B = 0$ , and that  $L \cap A \leq^c A_1$ . It is clear that  $L \leq M$ , and  $L \cap A = L \cap A_1$ . Since  $B$  is CK-A-injective, then there exists  $M' \leq M$ , such that  $M = M' \oplus B$ , and that  $L \leq M'$ . Then  $A_1 \oplus B = [(A_1 \oplus B) \cap M'] \oplus B$ , and  $L \leq (A_1 \oplus B) \cap M'$ . Hence  $B$  is CK- $A_1$ -injective.

For 3. Follows from (1) and (2).

**Proposition 7:** Let  $M$  be CK-N-injective, and  $N'$  be a closed submodule of  $N$ . Then  $M$  is CK- $N'$ -injective.

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $N'$ , and  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $X$  into  $M$  with  $\ker f \leq^c N'$ . Hence  $\ker f \leq^c N$ . Since  $M$  is CK-N-injective, then there exists a homomorphism  $f^-$  from  $N$  into  $M$ ,





such that  $f^{-1}X = f$ .

**Proposition 8:** *If  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective, and  $N$  is isomorphic to  $W$ , then  $M$  is CK- $W$ -injective.*

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $W$ , and  $f : X \rightarrow M$  be a homomorphism, with  $\ker f \leq^c W$ , and let  $\psi$  be an isomorphism from  $W$  into  $N$ , then  $f\psi^{-1}$  be a homomorphism from  $\psi(X)$  into  $M$ . Claim that  $\ker(f\psi^{-1}) \leq^c N$ . So let  $\psi(\ker f) \leq^e K \leq N$ , we have that  $\ker f \leq^e \psi^{-1}(K) \leq W$ , and that  $\ker f = \psi^{-1}(K)$ , then  $\psi(\ker f) = K$ , and consequently  $(f\psi^{-1}) \leq^c N$ . By assumption, there exists a homomorphism  $\theta$  from  $N$  into  $M$  with  $\theta|_{\psi(X)} = f$ . Define  $\theta\psi : W \rightarrow M$ , then  $\theta\psi(w) = f(w)$ , for any  $w \in W$ . Hence  $M$  is CK- $W$ -injective.

**Proposition 9:** *If  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective, and  $N'$  is a direct summand submodule of  $N$ , then  $M$  is CK- $N/N'$ -injective.*

**Proof.** Write  $M = N' \oplus K$ . Proposition 7, tells us that  $M$  is CK- $K$ -injective. Since  $K$  is isomorphic to  $M/N'$ , then  $M$  is CK- $N/N'$ -injective.

*The following example shows that CK- $N$ -injective need not be  $N/N'$ -injective, for every submodule  $N'$  of  $N$ .*

**Example 10:**  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  is CK- $\mathbb{Z}$ -injective (by example 2.5) and  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  is not CK- $\mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z}$  ( $p$ - prime,  $n=2,3,4,\dots$ )-injective.

**Proposition 11:** *Let  $M$  be CK- $N$ -injective and  $N'$  be a closed submodule of  $N$ . Then every monomorphism from a submodule  $X/N'$  of  $N/N'$  into  $M$  can be extended to a homomorphism from  $N/N'$  into  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $N$  which contains  $N'$ , and let  $\phi : X/N' \rightarrow M$  be a monomorphism. Let  $\pi$  denote the natural epimorphism of  $N$  onto  $N/N'$  and  $\pi' = \pi|_X$ , then  $\ker(\phi\pi') = \pi'^{-1}(\ker \phi) = \pi'^{-1}(0) = \ker \pi' = N' \leq^c N$ . Since  $M$  is CK- $N$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $\theta$  from  $N$  to  $M$ , such that  $\theta|_X = \phi\pi'$ . Since  $\theta(N') = \phi\pi'(N') = \phi(0) = 0$ , we have that  $\ker \pi \leq \ker \theta$ , and consequently there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $N/N'$  to  $M$ , such that  $\psi\pi = \theta$ . It follows that for every  $x + N' \in X/N'$ ,  $\psi(x + N') = \psi\pi'(x) = \theta(x) = \phi\pi'(x) = \phi(x + N')$ . Thus  $\psi$  extends  $\phi$ .

**Lemma 12:** ([6], Lemma 2.3.) It was shown that if  $M = N \oplus K$ , and  $C$  is a complement in  $N$  of a submodule  $A$  of  $N$ . Then

- (1)  $C \oplus K$  is a complement of  $A$  in  $M$ .
- (2)  $C$  is a complement of  $A \oplus K$  in  $M$ .

*(In [6]) A module  $M$  is said to be  $N$ -jjective if, for every complement  $C$  of  $M$  in  $M \oplus N$  is a direct summand.*

**Definition 13:** *A module  $M$  is said to be CK- $N$ -jjective if, for every complement  $C$  of  $M$  in  $M \oplus N$  with  $C \cap N \leq^c N$  is a direct summand.*

**Proposition 14:** *Let  $M = A \oplus B$ , where  $B$  is CK- $A$ -jjective. Let  $A = A_1 \oplus A_2$ , and  $B = B_1 \oplus B_2$ . Then the following are satisfied (for  $i, j = 1, 2$ ):*

1.  $B_i$  is CK- $A$ -jjective.
2.  $B$  is CK- $A_j$ -jjective.
3.  $B_i$  is CK- $A_j$ -jjective.

**Proof.** For 1. Write  $M = A \oplus B_1 \oplus B_2$ . Let  $C$  be a complement of  $B_1$  in  $A \oplus B_1$ , with  $C \cap A \leq^c A$ . Then by Lemma 12(2), we have that  $C$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $M$ . Since  $B$  is CK- $A$ -jjective, then  $C \leq^{\oplus} M$ , we have that  $C \leq^{\oplus} A \oplus B_1$ . Then  $B_1$  is CK- $A$ -jjective.

For 2. Write  $M = A_1 \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ . Let  $C$  be a complement of  $B$  in  $A_1 \oplus B$ , with  $C \cap A_1 \leq^c A_1$ . Then by Lemma 12(1), we have that  $C \oplus A_2$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $M$ . Since  $C \cap A_1 \leq^c A_1$ , we have



that  $C \cap A_1$  is a complement of  $K$  in  $A_1$ , for some submodule  $K$  of  $A$ . Hence by Lemma 12(1),  $(C \cap A_1) \oplus A_2$  is a complement of  $K$  in  $A$ . It is clear that  $C \cap A_1 = C \cap A$ , then  $(C \oplus A_2) \cap A = (C \cap A) \oplus A_2 = (C \cap A_1) \oplus A_2 \leq^c A$ . Since  $B$  is CK- $A$ -jective, we have that  $C \oplus A_2 \leq^\oplus M$ , then  $C \leq^\oplus A \oplus B_1$ . Therefore  $B$  is CK- $A_1$ -jective.

For 3. Follows from (1) and (2).

**Lemma 15:** ([10], Lemma 1) *Let  $A$  and  $B$  be submodules of a module  $M$ , with  $A \cap B = 0$ . Then  $A$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $M$  if and only if  $A$  is a closed submodule of  $M$ , and  $A \oplus B$  is essential in  $M$ .*

**Proposition 16:** *Let  $M = A \oplus B$ ,  $B$  is CK- $A$ -jective. If  $A$  is an extending module. then every closed submodule  $C$  of  $M$ , with  $C \cap B = 0$  and  $C \cap A \leq^c A$  is a direct summand of  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Since  $A$  is an extending module, we have  $(C \oplus B) \cap A \leq^e A_1 \leq^\oplus A$ , and hence  $((C \oplus B) \cap A) \oplus B \leq^e A_1 \oplus B$ . Since  $C \oplus B = ((C \oplus B) \cap A) \oplus B$ , we have that  $C \oplus B \leq^e A_1 \oplus B$ . By Lemma 15,  $C$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $A_1 \oplus B$ . It follows that  $C \cap A = C \cap A_1$ , and hence  $C \cap A_1 \leq^c A_1$ , Proposition 14, tell us that  $B$  is CK- $A_1$ -jective. Therefore  $C \leq^\oplus A_1 \oplus B \leq^\oplus M$ .

### 3 GENERALIZED EXTENDING MODULES

(In[6]) *A module  $M$  is said to have  $(C_1^*)$  if, for every submodule  $X$  of  $M$ , there exists a direct summand submodule  $K$  of  $M$ , which is a complement of  $X$  in  $M$ .*

**Proposition 17:** ([6], Proposition 3.11.) *Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module, which has  $(C_1^*)$ . Then the second singular submodule  $Z_2(M)$  of  $M$  splits.*

**Lemma 18:** ([6], Lemma 3.14.) *Let  $A \leq B \leq M$ . If  $C$  is a complement of  $A$  in  $M$ , then  $C \cap B$  is a complement of  $A$  in  $B$ .*

**Theorem 19:** ([6], Theorem 3.2.) *If  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , where  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are both have the condition  $(C_1^*)$ , then  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ .*

#### Remark 20 :

- (1) *Let  $R$  be a commutative integral domain, and Let  $M$  be an  $R$ - module, which is not torsion. If  $M$  has  $(C_1)$ , then its torsion submodule  $t(M)$  is injective (given in [5], Corollary 2.)*
- (2) *Let  $R$  be a commutative integral domain, and let  $M$  be an  $R$ - module, which is not torsion. If  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ , then its torsion submodule  $t(M)$  is not necessary to be injective.*

**Example 21:** *Let  $M = \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}$ , it is clear that  $M$  is not torsion, and by Theorem 19, we have  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ . But  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  is not injective.*

**Lemma 22:** *If  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , then  $M_i$  ( $i = 1, 2$ ) has  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if for every submodule  $L$  of  $M$ , with  $L \cap M_j = 0$  ( $j \neq i$ ), then there exists a submodule  $H$  of  $M$ , such that  $H + M_j$  is a direct summand in  $M$  and is a complement of  $L$  in  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Suppose first that  $M_1$  has  $(C_1^*)$ . Let  $L \leq M$ , with  $L \cap M_2 = 0$ , then there exists  $H \leq^\oplus M_1$ , such that  $H$  is a complement of  $(L \oplus M_2) \cap M_1$  in  $M_1$ . As  $((L \oplus M_2) \cap M_1) \oplus H \leq^e M_1$ , we have that  $((L \oplus M_2) \cap M_1) \oplus H \oplus M_2 \leq^e M$ . Since  $L \oplus M_2 = ((L \oplus M_2) \cap M_1) \oplus M_2$ , it follows that  $L \oplus M_2 \oplus H \leq^e M$ . Thus, by Lemma 15,  $H \oplus M_2$  is a complement of  $L$  in  $M$ .

Conversely, suppose that for every submodule  $L$  of  $M$ , with  $L \cap M_2 = 0$ , there exists a submodule  $H$  of  $M$ , such that  $H + M_2 \leq^\oplus M$ , and that is a complement of  $L$  in  $M$ . let  $C \leq M_1$ , then there exists a submodule  $H$  of  $M$ , such that  $H + M_2 \leq^\oplus M$ , and that is a complement of  $C$  in  $M$ . By Lemma 18, we



have that  $M_1 \cap (H + M_2)$  is a complement of  $C$  in  $M_1$ . It is clear that  $M_1 \cap (H + M_2) \leq^\oplus M_1$ .

**Corollary 23:** *If  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus F$ , then both have  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if every submodule  $C$  of  $M$ , with zero intersection with  $Z_2(M)$  (or with  $F$ ) has a complement summand containing  $F$  (or  $Z_2(M)$ ).*

**Proposition 24:** *If  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus F$ , then  $M$  has the condition  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if  $Z_2(M)$  and  $F$  both have  $(C_1^*)$ .*

**Proof.** Suppose first that  $Z_2(M)$  and  $F$  both have  $(C_1^*)$ . By Theorem 19, we have  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ . Conversely, write  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus F$ . Let  $N$  be nonsingular submodule of  $M$ , then  $N \cap Z(M) = 0$ . Since  $Z(M) \leq^e Z_2(M)$ , we have that  $N \cap Z_2(M) = 0$ . Since  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ , we have that there exists  $K \leq^\oplus M$ , which is a complement of  $N$  in  $M$ . Write  $M = K \oplus K'$ , since  $K \oplus N \leq^e M$ , we have that  $Z_2(K) \oplus Z_2(N) \leq^e Z_2(M)$ , and that  $Z_2(K) \leq^e Z_2(M)$ , and consequently  $Z_2(K) = Z_2(M)$ . Hence  $Z_2(M) \leq^\oplus K$ . By Lemma 22, we have  $F$  has  $(C_1^*)$ . Again, let  $L$  be a submodule of  $M$ , with  $L \cap F = 0$ . Since  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ , we have that there exists  $H \leq^\oplus M$ , such that  $H$  is a complement of  $(L \oplus F) \cap Z_2(M)$  in  $M$ . As  $((L \oplus F) \cap Z_2(M)) \oplus H \leq^e M$ , we have that  $[(L \oplus F) \cap Z_2(M)] \oplus [Z_2(M) \cap H] \leq^e Z_2(M)$ , then  $[(L \oplus F) \cap Z_2(M)] \oplus F \oplus Z_2(H) \leq^e M$ . Since  $L \oplus F = [(L \oplus F) \cap Z_2(M)] \oplus F$ , we have that  $L \oplus F \oplus Z_2(H) \leq^e M$ . It is clear that  $F \oplus Z_2(H)$  is a direct summand submodule of  $M$ , and hence  $F \oplus Z_2(H)$  is a complement of  $L$  in  $M$ . By Corollary 23, we have  $Z_2(M)$  has  $(C_1^*)$ .

**Corollary 25:** *Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module has  $(C_1^*)$ , and the second singular submodule  $Z_2(M) \neq M$ . Then for every submodule  $N$  of  $M$ , with  $N \cap Z(M) = 0$ , there exists a submodule  $H'$  of  $F$ , such that  $H' \oplus Z_2(M)$  is a direct summand of  $M$ , and is a complement of  $N$  in  $M$ .*

**Proof.** Write  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus F$ . Let  $N$  be a submodule of  $M$ , such that  $N \cap Z(M) = 0$ , then by Proposition 24, and Lemma 22, there exists  $H + Z_2(M) \leq^\oplus M$ , and it is a complement of  $N$  in  $M$ . Hence  $H + Z_2(M) = Z_2(M) \oplus (F \cap (H + Z_2(M)))$ . Choose  $H' = F \cap (H + Z_2(M))$ .

**Corollary 26:** ([11], Theorem 2.7.) *A module  $M$  satisfies  $(C_1^*)$  if and only if  $M = Z_2(M) \oplus K$ , for some (nonsingular) submodule  $K$  of  $M$ , and  $Z_2(M)$  and  $K$  both satisfy  $(C_1^*)$ .*

**Proof.** Straightforward from Theorem 19, and Proposition 24.

**Corollary 27:** Let  $R$  be a commutative integral domain, and Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module which is not torsion. If  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ , then the following are holds:

1.  $t(M)$  is contained in a complement of every torsion free submodule of  $M$ .
2.  $M = t(M) \oplus F$ , where  $t(M)$  and  $F$  both have  $(C_1^*)$ .

**Definition 28:** *An  $R$ -module  $M$  has the condition  $(*)$  "if every submodule of  $M$  has a unique complement in  $M$ "*

**Proposition 29:** *Let  $M$  be a right  $R$ -module has  $(*)$ , then the following are equivalent :*

1.  $M$  has  $(C_1^*)$ .
2.  $M$  is an extending module.
3.  $M$  is quasi - continuous.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): Let  $A$  be a closed submodule of  $M$ . By  $(C_1^*)$ , there exists a decomposition  $M = B \oplus C$ , where  $B$  is a complement of  $A$  in  $M$ . Since  $A \leq^c M$ , then  $A$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $M$ . By  $(*)$ , we have that  $A = C$ . Therefore  $M$  is an extending module.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $A$  and  $B$  are both direct summand submodules of  $M$ , and  $A \cap B = 0$ . Then by  $(C_1)$ , there exists a decomposition  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ , where  $A \oplus B \leq^e M_1$ . Then  $M_2$  is a complement of  $A \oplus B$ . Since  $M$  has the condition  $(*)$ , we have that  $A \oplus B = M_1$ .

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): It is clear from the fact that every extending module has  $(C_1^*)$ .





**Proposition 30:** Let  $M = A \oplus B$ , where  $B$  is  $A$ -jective. If  $A = A_1 \oplus A_2$ , where  $A_1$  is an extending module, then for every closed submodule  $C$  of  $M$ , with  $C \cap B = 0$ , and  $A_2 \leq C \oplus B$ , is a summand of  $M$ .

**Proof.** Since  $A_1$  is an extending module, we have that  $(C \oplus B) \cap A_1 \leq^e A_1' \leq^{\oplus} A_1$ , and hence  $[(C \oplus B) \cap A_1] \oplus A_2 \oplus B \leq^e A_1' \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ . Since  $C \oplus B = [(C \oplus B) \cap A_1] \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ , we have that  $C \oplus B \leq^e A_1' \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ , and that  $C$  is a complement of  $B$  in  $A_1' \oplus A_2 \oplus B$ , and hence  $B$  is  $A_1' \oplus A_2$ -jective. Therefore  $C \leq^{\oplus} A_1' \oplus A_2 \oplus B \leq^{\oplus} M$ .

#### 4 C-INJECTIVE AND CI-INJECTIVE

**Definition 31:** An  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be  $C$ - $N$ -injective if, for every closed submodule  $N'$  of  $N$ , every monomorphism  $\alpha$  from  $N'$  to  $N$ , and every homomorphism  $f$  from  $N'$  into  $M$ , then there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $N$  into  $M$ , such that  $\psi\alpha = f$ .

**Definition 32:** An  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be  $CI$ - $N$ -injective, if for every closed submodule  $N'$  of  $N$ , and any homomorphism  $f$  from  $N'$  into  $M$ , Can be extended to a homomorphism  $f$  from  $N'$  into  $M$ .

**Lemma 33:** (In [9]) Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is continuous if and only if for every closed submodule  $C$  of  $M$ , and every monomorphism  $\alpha$  from  $C$  into  $M$ , then  $\alpha$  is split.

**Remark 34:** If  $M$  and  $N$  are right  $R$ -modules, then we have the following implications :

$M$  is  $N$ -injective  $\Rightarrow M$  is  $C$ - $N$ -injective  $\Rightarrow M$  is  $CI$ - $N$ -injective.

Generally neither of the converse implications is true, and we shows that by the following examples.

**Example 35:** Let  $R$  be a von neumann regular ring. Suppose that a right  $R$ -module  $R$  is extending, then by ([7], exercises 6G, (38)), we have  $R$  as a right  $R$ -module is continuous. Let  $M$  be a right  $R$ -module which is not injective, and  $C$  be a closed submodule of  $R_R$ . Let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $C$  to  $R_R$ , and  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $C$  to  $M$ . Then, by Lemma 33, we have  $R_R = \alpha(C) \oplus K$ , for some  $K_R \leq R_R$ . Let  $\pi$  be a projection homomorphism from  $\alpha(C) \oplus K$  to  $\alpha(C)$ . Then for every  $c \in C$ , we have  $f\alpha^{-1}\pi\alpha(c) = \alpha(c)$ . Therefore  $M$  is  $C$ - $R$ -injective.

**Example 36:** It is clear that  $\mathbb{Z}$  is  $CI$ - $\mathbb{Z}$ -injective. Let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $\mathbb{Z}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}$ , where  $\alpha(1) = n$ ,  $n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$ . suppose that there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $\mathbb{Z}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}$ , such that  $\psi\alpha = I_{\mathbb{Z}}$  if and only if  $n\mathbb{Z}$  is a direct summand of  $\mathbb{Z}$ . Then there is not exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $\mathbb{Z}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}$ , such that  $\psi\alpha = I_{\mathbb{Z}}$ . Then  $\mathbb{Z}$  is not  $C$ - $\mathbb{Z}$ -injective.

**Proposition 37:** Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is continuous if and only if  $N$  is  $C$ - $M$ -injective for every closed submodule  $N$  of  $M$ .

**Proof.** Suppose first that  $N$  is  $C$ - $M$ -injective for every closed submodule  $N$  of  $M$ . Let  $L \leq^{\oplus} M$ , and let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $L$  into  $M$ , and  $I_L$  denote the identity mapping on  $L$ . By assumption, there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $M$  to  $L$ , such that  $\psi\alpha = I_L$ , then  $M = \alpha(L) \oplus \ker \psi$ , by Lemma 33, we have  $M$  is continuous.

Conversely, suppose that  $M$  is continuous. Let  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  be closed submodules of  $M$ , and let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $M_1$  into  $M$ , and  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $M_1$  to  $M_2$ . By Lemma 33, we have  $M = \alpha(M_1) \oplus W$ , for some submodule  $W$  of  $M$ . Let  $\pi$  be a projection homomorphism from  $\alpha(M_1) \oplus W$  to  $\alpha(M_1)$ . Then for every  $m_1 \in M_1$ , we have  $f\alpha^{-1}\pi\alpha(m_1) = f(m_1)$ . Therefore  $N$  is  $C$ - $M$ -injective for every closed submodule  $N$  of  $M$ .



**Proposition 38:** Let  $M$  be  $CI-N$ -injective and  $N'$  be a closed submodule of  $N$ , then we have the following :

1.  $M$  is  $CI-N'$ -injective .
2.  $M$  is  $CI-N/N'$ -injective .

**Proof.** For 1. Let  $N'' \leq^c N'$ , and let  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $N''$  into  $M$ , then  $N'' \leq^c N$ . Since  $M$  be  $CI-N$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $f^-$  from  $N$  into  $M$ , such that  $f^-|_{N''} = f$ . Therefore  $M$  is  $CI-N'$ -injective.

For 2. Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $N$ , which contained  $N'$ ,  $X/N' \leq^c N/N'$ , and let  $\phi$  be a homomorphism from  $X/N'$  into  $M$ . Let  $\pi$  denote the natural homomorphism of  $N$  onto  $N/N'$ , and  $\pi' = \pi|_X$ . Claim that  $X \leq^c N$ . Suppose that  $X \leq^e L$ , for some submodule  $L$  of  $N$ , since  $N' \leq^c N$ , we have that  $X/N' \leq^e L/N' \leq N/N'$ , and that  $X \leq^c N$ . Since  $M$  is  $CI-N$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $\theta$  from  $N$  to  $M$ , such that  $\theta|_X = \phi\pi'$ . Since  $\theta(N') = \phi\pi'(N') = \phi(0) = 0$ , we have that  $\ker \pi \leq \ker \theta$ , and consequently there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $N/N'$  into  $M$ , such that  $\psi\pi = \theta$ . For every  $x + N' \in X/N'$ ,  $\psi(x + N') = \psi\pi'(x) = \theta(x) = \phi\pi'(x) = \phi(x + N')$ . Thus  $\psi$  extends  $\phi$ .

*(In [7]) An abelian group  $D$  is divisible if, given any  $y \in D$  and  $0 \neq n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , there exists  $x \in D$ , such that  $nx = y$ .*

**Lemma 39:** ([7],chapter IV, Lemma 3.9.) An abelian group  $D$  is divisible if and only if  $D$  is injective.

**Lemma 40:** Let  $M$  be an abelian group, then the following are equivalent :

1.  $M$  is an injective.
2.  $M$  is  $C$ -injective.
3.  $M$  is divisible.

**Proof.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2): It is clear.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3): Let  $m \in M$  and  $0 \neq n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $\mathbb{Z}$  into  $\mathbb{Z}$ , such that  $\alpha(1) = n$ , and let  $\phi$  be a homomorphism from  $\mathbb{Z}$  into  $M$ , such that  $\phi(1) = m$ . Since  $M$  is  $C$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $\mathbb{Z}$  into  $M$ , such that  $\alpha\psi = \phi$ . Put  $\psi(1) = m'$ , then  $m = \phi(1) = \psi\alpha(1) = \psi(n) = n\psi(1) = nm'$ . Hence  $M$  is divisible.

(3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1): Clear from Lemma 39.

**Proposition 41:** Let  $M$  and  $N$  be an  $R$ -modules. If  $M$  is  $C-N$ -injective, and  $L$  is a direct summand submodule of  $M$  and  $K$  is a closed submodule of  $N$ , then we have the following :

1.  $L$  is  $C-N$ -injective;
2.  $M$  is  $C-K$ -injective;
3.  $L$  is  $C-K$ -injective.

**Proof.** For 1. Let  $N'$  be a closed submodule of  $N$ , let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $N'$  into  $N$ , and  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $N'$  into  $L$ . Consider  $\iota_L$  be the inclusion monomorphism from  $L$  into  $M$ . Since  $M$  is  $C-N$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $N$  to  $M$ , such that  $\psi\alpha = \iota_L f$ . Let  $\pi$  be a projection homomorphism from  $M$  into  $L$ . Define  $\pi\psi$  from  $N$  to  $L$ , then for every  $n' \in N'$ , we have that  $\pi\psi\alpha(n') = \pi\iota_L f(n') = f(n')$ . Therefore  $L$  is  $C-N$ -injective.

For 2. Let  $K'$  be a closed submodule of  $K$ , let  $\alpha$  be a monomorphism from  $K'$  into  $K$ , and  $f$  be a homomorphism from  $K'$  into  $M$ . Consider  $\iota_K$  be inclusion monomorphism from  $K$  into  $N$ . Since  $K' \leq^c N$ , and  $M$  is  $C-N$ -injective, we have that there exists a homomorphism  $\psi$  from  $N$  into  $M$ , such that  $\psi\iota_K\alpha = f$ . Then for every  $k' \in K'$ , we have  $\psi\iota_K\alpha(k') = \psi\alpha(k') = f(k')$ . Therefore  $M$  is  $C-K$ -injective.

For 3. Follows from (1) and (2).

**Corollary 42:** Let  $M$  and  $N$  be right  $R$ -modules. Then  $M$  is  $C-N$ -injective if and only if  $M$  is  $C-X$ -injective, for every closed submodule  $X$  of  $N$ .





**Corollary 43:** *A direct summand of quasi-C-injective is a quasi-C-injective.*

*Recall that the ring  $R$  is said to be principal right ideal ring (for short right PI-ring) if every right ideal of  $R$  is principal. This concept ( given in [4] and [1] as  $R$  is pri-ring ) and generalizing these concept to modules, an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called epi-retractable if every submodule of  $M$  is a homomorphic image of  $M$ .*

*In [7], a ring  $R$  is said to be right hereditary if every right ideal of  $R$  is projective as a right  $R$ -module, that is equivalent to submodules of projective right  $R$ -modules are projective.*

*In [3], a module  $M$  is called an hereditary module if every submodule of  $M$  is projective.*

**Proposition 44:** *[[4], Proposition 2.5.] Let  $R$  be a right hereditary ring, then  $R$  is PI-ring if and only if every free right  $R$ -module is epi-retractable.*

**Lemma 45:** *Let  $R$  be a ring, such that the right ideal  $x^0$  is a direct summand of  $R$ , for every  $x \in R$ . Then every right ideal of  $R$  is projective.*

**Proof.** Let  $x \in R$ , by assumption, write  $R = x^0 \oplus D$ . Since  $R$  is projective, then  $D$  is projective, and consequently  $R/x^0$ . Then  $xR$  is projective.

**Corollary 46:** *Let  $R$  be a ring, such that the right ideal  $x^0$  is a direct summand of  $R$ , for every  $x \in R$ . Then  $R$  is right hereditary ring.*

**Corollary 47:** *Let  $R$  be a ring, such that the right ideal  $x^0$  is a direct summand of  $R$ , for every  $x \in R$ . Then  $R$  is PI-ring if and only if every free right  $R$ -module is epi-retractable.*

**Remark 48:** *In [1], Proposition 2.3., tell us if  $R$  is right hereditary PI-ring .Then every free  $R$ -module is continuous. But this is not true, for example  $\mathbb{Z}$  as a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module, and we will correct them in the following Proposition.*

**Proposition 49:** *Let  $R$  be a right PI-ring with the right ideal  $x^0$  is a direct summand of  $R$ , for every  $x \in R$ . Then every submodule of  $R^{(I)}$  (for some index set  $I$ ) is isomorphic to a summand.*

**Proof.** Let  $X$  be a submodule of  $R^{(I)}$ . Since  $R^{(I)}$  is free, then by Proposition 44, we have  $R^{(I)}$  is epi-retractable, and consequently there exists an epimorphism  $\alpha$  from  $R^{(I)}$  to  $X$ . Let  $I_X$  be the identity mapping on  $X$ , by Corollary 46, we have that  $X$  is projective, and consequently there exists a monomorphism  $\beta$  from  $X$  to  $R^{(I)}$ , such that  $\alpha\beta = I_X$ . Then  $R^{(I)} = \beta(X) \oplus \ker \alpha$ . Hence  $X$  is isomorphic to a summand of  $R^{(I)}$ .

**Remark 50:**

1. *If  $R$  be a ring, which satisfies all conditions in Proposition 49, then every free right  $R$ -module need not to be continuous for example  $\mathbb{Z}_{\mathbb{Z}}$ .*
2. *If  $R$  be a ring which satisfies all conditions in Proposition 49. Then every free right  $R$ -module, which has the condition  $(C_2)$  is semisimple  $R$ -module.*

**Proposition 51:** *( [3], Proposition 9 ) Let  $R$  be any ring, and  $M$  an hereditary continuous right  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a direct sum of Noetherian uniform submodules, each with a division endomorphism ring .*

**Remark 52:** *Proposition 2.4 in [1], tell us if  $R$  is a right hereditary PI-ring, then every projective*



*R*-module is a direct sum of Neotherian uniform submodules each with a division endomorphism ring. But this is not true, for example  $\mathbb{Z}$  as a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module and we will reformulate them in the following Proposition.

**Proposition 53:** *Let  $R$  be a right PI-ring with the right ideal  $x^0$  is a direct summand of  $R$ , for every  $x \in R$  and let  $M$  be a projective right  $R$ -module whose closed submodules are  $C$ - $M$ -injective. Then  $M$  is a direct sum of Neotherian uniform submodules each with a division endomorphism ring.*

**Proof.** Straightforward from Proposition 37, and Proposition 51.

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