

# On p-duo Semimodules

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## Abstract

The concept of p-duo semimodule is introduced as a generalization of duo semimodule, where a semimodule  $M$  is said to be a p-duo if every pure subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant. Many results about this concept are given.

**Keywords:** p-duo semimodule, duo semimodule, weak duo semimodule, pure semimodule.

## الخلاصة

مفهوم شبه الموديول من النوع p ثنائي قد استحدث كتعميم لثنائي شبه الموديول حيث ان شبه الموديول يقال له بانه p ثنائي اذا كان كل شبه موديول جزئي نقي من شبه الموديول، تام الثبات. العديد من النتائج حول هذا المفهوم قد حصلت.

**الكلمات المفتاحية:** شبه الموديول من النوع p ثنائي، شبه موديول ضعيف، شبه موديول نقي.

## 1-Introduction

throughout all semirings are commutative have identity and all semimodules are untital.  $R$  is a semiring and  $M$  a left  $R$ -semimodule. A subsemimodule  $N$  of a semimodule  $M$  is called fully invariant if  $f(N) \subseteq N$ , for every  $R$ -endomorphism  $f$  of  $M$ . It is clear that  $0$  and  $M$  are fully invariant subsemimodules of  $M$ . The  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called duo if every subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant. The semiring  $R$  is a duo if it is duo as  $R$ -semimodule. It is clear that every semiring is a duo semiring. Also we introduced the concept of weak duo semimodules, where an  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called weak duo if every direct summand subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant.

Also, the concept of purely duo (shortly p-duo) semimodule is introduced where an  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called a p-duo if each pure subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant where a subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$  is said to be pure if  $IM \cap N = IN$  for every ideal  $I$  of  $R$ . Also, p-duo semimodule, and some conditions under which p-duo and weak duo are equivalent is studied.

## 2-Preliminaries

Some definitions that needed in this paper, will be introduced.

### Definition 2.1:[Chaudhari & Bonde, 20105]

Let  $R$  be a semiring. a left  $R$ -semimodule is a commutative monoid  $(M, +)$  with additive identity  $0_M$  for which we have a function  $R \times M \rightarrow M$ , defined by  $(r, x) \mapsto rx$  (scalar multiplication), which satisfies the following conditions for all elements  $r$  and  $s$  of  $R$  and all elements  $x$  and  $y$  of  $M$ :

- (i)  $(rs)x = r(sx)$
- (ii)  $r(x + y) = rx + ry$
- (iii)  $(r + s)x = rx + sy$
- (iv)  $0_R x = 0 = r0$  for all  $r \in R$  and  $x \in M$

If  $1_R x = x$  hold for each  $x \in M$  then the semimodule  $M$  is called unitary.

**Definition 2.2:[ Chaudhari & Bonde, 20105]**

A non-empty subset  $N$  of a left  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called subsemimodule of  $M$  if  $N$  is closed under addition and scalar multiplication, that is  $N$  is itself a semimodule over  $R$ , (denoted by  $N \hookrightarrow M$ ).

**Definition 2.3:[Golan, 2013]**

Let  $R$  be a semiring and  $L \hookrightarrow M$  ( $R$ -semimodule). Then  $L$  is said to be a direct summand of  $M$  if there exists  $R$ -subsemimodule  $K$  such that  $M = L \oplus K$  and  $M$  is called a direct sum of  $L$  and  $K$ .

**Definition 2.4:[Abdulameer, 2017]**

A left  $R$ -semimodule is said to be semisimple if it's a direct sum of its simple subsemimodule.

**Definition 2.5:[Ebrahimi & Shajari, 2010]**

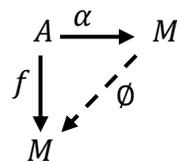
An  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called multiplication if for each subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$  there exist some ideal  $I$  of  $R$  such that  $IM = N$ .

**Definition 2.6:[Katsov et al., 2009]**

If  $M$  is an  $R$ -semimodule then its left annihilator is  $ann_R(M) = \{r \in R: rm = 0 \text{ for every element } m \in M\}$ .

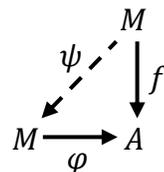
**Definition 2.7:[Abdulameer, 2017]**

A semimodule  $M$  is called quasi-injective if for any  $R$ -semimodule  $A$ , any  $R$ -monomorphism  $f: A \rightarrow M$  any  $R$ -homomorphism  $\alpha: A \rightarrow M$ , there exists  $R$ -homomorphism  $\varphi: M \rightarrow M$  (endomorphism) such that  $f = \alpha\varphi$ .



**Definition 2.8:[Althani, 2011]**

A semimodule  $M$  is called quasi-projective if for any  $R$ -semimodule  $A$ , any  $R$ -epimorphism  $\alpha: M \rightarrow A$  any  $R$ -homomorphism  $\varphi: M \rightarrow A$ , there exists  $R$ -homomorphism  $\psi: M \rightarrow M$  (endomorphism) such that  $\alpha = \varphi\psi$ .



**Definition 2.9:[Abdulameer, 2017]**

A subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$  is said to be fully invariant if  $f(N) \subseteq N$  for each  $R$ -endomorphism  $f$  on  $M$ .

**Definition 2.10:[Abdulameer, 2017]**

A semimodule  $M$  is said to be duo if each subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant.

**3- p-duo semimodules**

In [Özcan & Harmanci, 2006; Anderson & Fuller, 1974] weak duo and p-duo modules were introduced respectively. Analogously, the similar concepts for semimodules is introduced.

**Definition 3.1:**

A semimodule  $M$  is called weak duo if every direct summand subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant.

**Definition 3.2:**

A subsemimodule  $N$  of a semimodule  $M$  is called pure if  $IM \cap N = IN$  for each ideal  $I$  of  $R$ .

**Definition 3.3:**

A semimodule  $M$  is called a p-duo if each pure subsemimodule of  $M$  is fully invariant.

**Remark 3.4:**

- 1-Every duo semimodule is p-duo and every p-duo is weakly duo.
- 2-Every multiplication semimodule is a duo semimodule, hence a p-duo semimodule and a weakly duo semimodule.
- 3-Every pure simple semimodule  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule, hence a weak duo semimodule.

**Proposition 3.5:**

A direct summand of p-duo semimodule is a p-duo.

**Proof:**

Let  $L$  be a direct summand of a p-duo  $R$ -semimodule. That is  $M = L \oplus K$  for some  $K \hookrightarrow M$ . let  $N$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $L$  and let  $f: L \rightarrow L$  be an  $R$ -homomorphism semimodule. Since  $L$  is a direct summand, then  $L$  is pure subsemimodule in  $M$ , hence  $N$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ .

Defined  $h = f\pi_L: M \rightarrow M$  by  $h(x) = f(x)$

$h$  is a well-defined  $R$ -homomorphism. It follows that  $h(N) \subseteq N$ , since  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule and  $N$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ . But  $h(N) = f(N)$ , ( $N \hookrightarrow L$ ). Hence  $f(N) \subseteq N$ ; that is  $N$  is fully invariant subsemimodule of  $L$ . Thus  $L$  is a p-duo semimodule.

**Lemma3.6:**

If  $N$  is a fully invariant subsemimodule of  $M$  and if  $M = K \oplus H$ , then  $N = (N \cap K) \oplus (N \cap H)$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $n \in N$ , since  $M = K \oplus H \Rightarrow n = k + h$  and  $\pi_K: M \rightarrow M \Rightarrow \pi_K(N) \subseteq N$  (fully invariant)

$$\pi_K(n) = k \Rightarrow k \in N \Rightarrow k \in N \cap K$$

Similarly,  $h \in N \cap H$

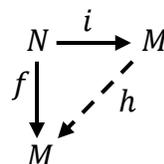
So  $(N \cap K) + (N \cap H)$  and  $(N \cap K) \cap (N \cap H) = N \cap (K \cap H) = N \cap (0) = 0$ , so  $N =$

$(N \cap K) \oplus (N \cap H)$ . ◇

In [9] the purely quasi-injective of modules was introduced. Analogously, the similar concept for semimodules is introduced.

**Definition 3.7:**

An  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is called purely quasi-injective if every pure subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$  and every  $f: N \rightarrow M$ , there exists an  $R$ -homomorphism  $h: M \rightarrow M$  such that  $h \circ i = f$  where  $i$  is the inclusion mapping.



**Proposition 3.8:**

Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -semimodule such that every cyclic subsemimodule is pure. Then  $M$  is a P-duo semimodule if and only if for each  $f \in \text{End}(M)$  and for each  $m \in M$ , there exists  $r \in R$  such that  $f(m) = rm$ .

**Proof:**

$\Rightarrow$  Let  $f \in \text{End}(M), m \in M$ . Since  $\langle m \rangle$  is pure (where  $\langle m \rangle$  denotes the cyclic subsemimodule generated by  $m$ ), then  $f(\langle m \rangle) \subseteq \langle m \rangle$ . Hence the result is obtained.

$\Leftarrow$  The stated condition implies  $f(N) \subseteq N$  for every  $f \in \text{End}(M)$ . It follows that  $M$  is a duo semimodule. Hence it is a P-duo semimodule.

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**Remark 3.9:**

If  $M$  is a semisimple semimodule. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- 1-  $M$  is a duo semimodule.
- 2-  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule.
- 3-  $M$  is a weak duo semimodule.

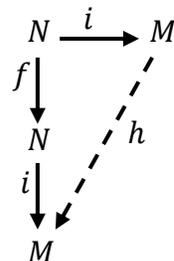
**Proposition 3.10:**

Let  $M$  be a P-duo  $R$ -semimodule. Then

- 1- If  $M$  is purely quasi-injective, then every pure subsemimodule of  $M$  is a P-duo semimodule.
- 2- If  $M$  is quasi-projective, then for any pure subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$ ,  $M/N$  is a P-duo  $R$ -semimodule.

**Proof:**

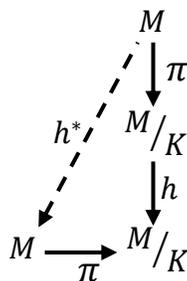
1-Let  $N$  be a pure subsemimodule and  $K$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $N$ . Let  $f: N \rightarrow N$  be a homomorphism. Since  $N$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$  and  $M$  is a purely quasi-injective semimodule, there exists  $h: M \rightarrow M$  such that  $h \circ i = i \circ f$  where  $i$  is the inclusion mapping of  $N$  into  $M$ .



Thus  $h \circ i(K) = h(K)$ . But  $K$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $N$  and  $N$  is a pure submodule in  $M$ , implies  $K$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ . Hence  $h(K) \subseteq K$ .

Also  $h \circ i(K) = i \circ f(K) = f(K)$ . Thus  $h(K) = f(K)$  and so  $f(K) \subseteq K$ . Therefore  $N$  is a P-duo semimodule.

2-Let  $L/K$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $M/K$ . and let  $h: M/K \rightarrow M/K$  be an  $R$ -homomorphism. Let  $\pi: M \rightarrow M/K$  be the natural epimorphism. Since  $M/K$  is quasi-



projective, there exists  $h^*: M \rightarrow M$  such that  $\pi \circ h^* = h \circ \pi$ . Hence  $h^*(m) + K = h(m + K)$  for each  $m \in M$ . But  $L/K$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M/K$  and  $K$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ , so that  $L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ .

It follows that  $h^*(L) \subseteq L$ , since  $M$  is a P-duo semimodule. Hence  $h\left(\frac{L}{K}\right) = h(\pi(L)) = \pi(h^*(L)) = \frac{h^*(L)}{K} \subseteq L/K$ , Thus  $L/K$  is a P-duo semimodule.  $\diamond$

**Remark 3.11 :**

Let a semimodule  $M = L_1 \oplus L_2$  be a direct sum of subsemimodules  $L_1, L_2$ . Then  $L_1$  is fully invariant subsemimodule of  $M$  if and only if  $Hom(L_1, L_2) = 0$

**Proposition 3.12:**

Let a semimodule  $M = L \oplus K$  be a direct sum of subsemimodules  $L, K$  such that  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule. Then  $Hom(L, K) = 0$ .

**Proof:**

Since  $L$  is a direct sum of  $M, L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ . But  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule, so  $L$  is fully invariant subsemimodule in  $M$ . Hence  $Hom(L, K) = 0$  by note (3.11).

**Lemma 3.13:**

Let  $M$  be a semimodule. If  $annM_1 + annM_2 = R$ , with  $M_1, M_2$  are two semimodule, then  $N = I_1N \oplus I_2N$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $I_1 = annM_1, I_2 = annM_2$

$$I_1M \cap N = I_1N \subseteq I_1M = I_1(M_1 + M_2) = M_2$$

Similarly,  $I_2M \cap N = I_2N \subseteq M_1$

$$\Rightarrow I_1N \cap I_2N \subseteq M_1 \cap M_2 = (0)$$

Now, let  $n \in N \Rightarrow n = 1n = r_1n + r_2n. r_1 \in I_1, r_2 \in I_2 \Rightarrow n \in I_1N + I_2N$

So  $N = I_1N \oplus I_2N$ .

**Theorem 3.14:**

Let an  $R$ -semimodule  $M = L_1 \oplus L_2$  be a direct sum of subsemimodules  $L_1, L_2$  such that  $annL_1 + annL_2 = R$ . Then  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule if and only if  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are p-duo semimodule and  $Hom(L_i, L_j) = 0$  for  $i \neq j, i, j \in \{1, 2\}$ .

**Proof:**

$\Rightarrow$  By proposition(3.5) and Proposition(3.12).

$\Leftarrow$  Let  $N$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $M$ . since  $annL + annK = R$ , then by lemma(3.13)  $N = N_1 \oplus N_2$  for some  $N_1 \hookrightarrow L, N_2 \hookrightarrow K$ . Hence  $N_1$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $L_1$  and  $N_2$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $L_2$ . Let  $f: M \rightarrow M$  be an  $R$ -homomorphism. Then  $\rho_j f i_j: L_j \rightarrow L_j, j = 1, 2$ , where  $\rho_j$  is the canonical projection and  $i_j$  is the inclusion map. Hence  $\rho_j f i_j(N_j) \subseteq N_j, j = 1, 2$ , since  $L_j(j = 1, 2)$  is a p-duo semimodule. Moreover by hypothesis  $\rho_k f i_j(N_j)(N_2) = 0$  for  $k \neq j(k, j \in \{1, 2\})$ . Then  $f(N) = f(N_1) + f(N_2) = f(i_1(N_1)) + f(i_2(N_2)) = (\rho_1 + \rho_2) (f(i_1(N_1)) + f(i_2(N_2))) = \rho_1 (f(i_1(N_1))) + \rho_2 (f(i_1(N_1))) + \rho_1 (f(i_2(N_2))) + \rho_2 (f(i_2(N_2))) = \rho_1 (f(i_1(N_1))) + \rho_2 (f(i_2(N_2))) \subseteq N_1 + N_2 = N$ . Thus  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule.

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**Lemma 3.15:**

Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -semimodule such that  $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ . If  $N$  is fully invariant subsemimodule of  $M$ , then  $N = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (N \cap M_i)$ .

Proof: As in Lemma (3.6).

**Theorem 3.16:**

Let a semimodule  $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ . Then  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule if and only if

1-  $M_i$  is a p-duo semimodule for all  $i \in I$ .

2-  $Hom(M_i, M_j) = 0$  for all  $i \neq j, j \in I$ .

3-  $N = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (N \cap M_i)$  for every pure subsemimodule  $N$  of  $M$ .

**Proof:**

⇒ By proposition(3.5), proposition(3.12) and Lemma(3.15) .

⇐let  $N$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $M$ . By(3),  $N = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (N \cap M_i)$ . Thus  $N \cap M_i$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M_i$ . Let  $f: M \rightarrow M$ . For any  $j \in I$ . Consider the following

$$M_j \xrightarrow{i_j} M \xrightarrow{f} M \xrightarrow{\rho_j} M_j$$

Where  $i_j$  is the inclusion map and  $\rho_j$  is the canonical projection. Hence  $\rho_j f i_j: M_j \rightarrow M_j$  and so  $\rho_j f i_j(N \cap M_i) \subseteq N \cap M_i$  for each  $j \in I$ . By (2),  $Hom(M_i, M_j) = 0$  for all  $i \neq j, j \in I$ . Hence  $f(\bigoplus_{j \in I} (N \cap M_j)) \subseteq \bigoplus_{j \in I} (\rho_j f i_j(N \cap M_i)) = N$ . Thus  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule.  $\diamond$

In [Al-Bahraany, 2000] the pure intersection property of modules was introduced. Analogously, the similar concept for semimodules is introduced.

**Definition 3.17:**

An  $R$ -semimodule  $M$  is said to satisfy pure intersection property (shortly *PIP*) if the intersection of any two pure subsemimodule is pure too.

**Corollary 3.18:**

Let  $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ . Then  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule if the following conditions hold:  
 1- $\bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$  is a p-duo for every finite subset  $I'$  of  $I$ .  
 2- $M$  satisfies *PIP*.

**Proof:**

By (1),  $M_i$  is a p-duo semimodule for every  $i \in I$ . Also  $M_i \oplus M_j$  is a p-duo semimodule for each  $i \neq j, i, j \in I$ . Let  $x \in N$ , hence  $x \in \bigoplus_{i \in I'} M_i = L$ , for some finite subset  $I'$  of  $I$ . Thus  $x \in N \cap L$ . By (2),  $N \cap L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ . But  $N \cap L \subseteq L$ , so  $N \cap L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $L$ . Since  $L$  is a p-duo semimodule by (1),  $N \cap L$  is a fully invariant subsemimodule in  $L$ . Thus  $N \cap L = \bigoplus_{i \in I'} [(N \cap L) \cap M_i] = \bigoplus_{i \in I'} (N \cap M_i)$ . It follows that  $x \in \bigoplus_{i \in I'} (N \cap M_i)$  and so  $x \in \bigoplus_{i \in I} (N \cap M_i)$ . Thus  $N = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (N \cap M_i)$  and hence  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule by Theorem(3.16).  $\diamond$

In [Saad *et al.*, 1990] the summand sum property and summand intersection property of modules were introduced respectively. Analogously, the similar concepts for semimodules is introduced.

**Definition 3.19:**

An  $R$ -semimodule is said to satisfy summand sum property if  $K + L$  is a direct summand of  $M$  whenever  $K$  and  $L$  are direct summands of  $M$ .

**Definition 3.20:**

An  $R$ -semimodule is said to satisfy summand intersection property if  $K \cap L$  is a direct summand of  $M$  whenever  $K$  and  $L$  are direct summands of  $M$ .

**Proposition 3.21:**

Let  $M$  be a P-duo semimodule. If  $L$  is a direct summand of  $M$  and  $N$  is a pure subsemimodule of  $M$ , then  $L \cap N$  is a pure subsemimodule of  $M$ .

**Proof:**

Since  $L$  is a direct summand of  $M$ ,  $M = L \oplus H$  for some  $H \hookrightarrow M$ . Since  $M$  is a P-duo semimodule and  $K$  is a pure subsemimodule, by (Lemma ) then  $K$  is a fully invariant. Hence  $K = (K \cap L) \oplus (K \cap H)$ . Thus  $K \cap L$  is a direct summand of  $K$ , so  $K \cap L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $K$ . But  $K$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ , hence  $K \cap L$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$ .

**Proposition 3.22:**

Let  $M$  be an R-semimodule, then the following two statements are equivalent:  
 1-  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule.  
 2- For each two pure subsemimodule of  $M$  with zero intersection, then their sum is fully invariant in  $M$ .

**Proof:**

(1 $\rightarrow$ 2) It is clear.

(2 $\rightarrow$ 1) Let  $N$  be a pure subsemimodule of  $M$ . Let  $H = (0)$ , then  $H$  is a pure subsemimodule in  $M$  and  $N \cap H = (0)$ . Hence by (2),  $N = N + H$  is a fully invariant. Thus  $M$  is a p-duo semimodule.  $\diamond$

**Lemma 3.23:**

An R-semimodule  $M$  satisfies PIP if  $I(N \cap L) = IN \cap IL$ , for each ideal  $I$  of  $R$  and for each pure subsemimodules  $N, L$  of  $M$ .

**Proof:**

Let  $N, L$  be two pure subsemimodules of  $M$ . Then  $IM \cap N = IN$  and  $IM \cap L = IL$ . Hence  $IM \cap (N \cap L) = (IM \cap N) \cap L = IN \cap L$ , also  $IM \cap (N \cap L) = (IM \cap L) \cap N = IL \cap N$ . Hence  $IN \cap L = IL \cap N$ . On the other hand,  $I(N \cap L) = IN \cap IL$ . Claim that  $IN \cap L = IN \cap IL$ . Let  $x \in IN \cap L = IL \cap N$ . Hence  $x \in IN \cap IL$  so  $IN \cap L \subseteq IN \cap IL$  and  $IN \cap IL \subseteq IN \cap L$ . So  $IN \cap IL = IN \cap L$ . Thus  $IM \cap (N \cap L) = IN \cap L = IN \cap IL = I(N \cap L)$ . Therefore  $M$  is satisfies PIP .

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