

# P-coretractable and Strongly P-coretractable Modules

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**ABSTRACT**— In this paper, we introduce the notion of P-coretractable module . Some basic properties of this class of modules are investigated and some relationships between these modules and other related concepts are introduced . Also , we give the notion of strongly P-coretractable and study it comparison with P-coretractable , moreover the mono-P-coretractable concept are introduced and studied .

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper all rings have identities and all modules are unital right R-modules . A module M is called coretractable if for each a proper submodule N of M, there exists a nonzero R-homomorphism  $f:M/N \rightarrow M$  [1] , and M is called strongly coretractable module if for each proper submodule N of M , there exists a nonzero R-homomorphism  $f:M/N \rightarrow M$  such that  $Imf+N=M$  [2],[8] . It is clear every strongly coretractable module is coretractable but it is not conversely. This work consists of three sections , in section one , we introduce the notion of purely-coretractable or P-coretractable module where an R-module M is called P-coretractable if for each proper pure submodule N of M , there exists a nonzero homomorphism  $f \in Hom_R(M/N, M)$  also we give some examples and remarks about it . Some basic properties of P-coretractable modules are given . In section two , we introduce the notion of mono-P-coretractable . In section three , we introduce and study the notion of strongly P-coretractable module and we compare its properties with properties of P-coretractable module .

## 2. PURELY-CORETRACTABLE (BRIEFLY P-CORETRACTABLE)

In this section, we introduce the concept of P-coretractable module and give some properties of this class module . In the beginning , we recall a submodule N of an R-module M is a pure , if for every finitely generated ideal I of R ,  $IM \cap N = IN$  [3] .

**Definition(1.1):** An R-module is called purely-coretractable (Briefly P-coretractable) if for each proper pure submodule N of M, there exists a nonzero homomorphism  $f \in Hom(M/N, M)$ .

Equivalently , M is a P-coretractable module if for each proper pure submodule N of M , there exists  $g \in End_R(M)$  ,  $g \neq 0$  and  $g(N)=0$  . A ring R is called P-coretractable if R is P-coretractable R-module .

**Examples and Remark(1.2):**

(1) Every coretractable module is P-coretractable . But the converse is not true in general and we shall give an example later after Corollary(1.13) .

(2) Every semisimple module is P-coretractable module but the converse is not true in general . For example ,  $M=Z_4$  as Z-module is not semisimple module , but M is P-coretractable module since 0 is the only proper pure submodule of M.

(3) Every pure simple R-module is a P-coretractable . Where an R-module M is called pure simple module if the only two pure submodules are 0 and M [4] .

The converse of this Remark is not true in general . For example Consider  $M=Z_2 \oplus Z_2$  as Z-module is P-coretractable module but not pure simple module .

(4) Every pure split module is P-coretractable module . Where an R-module M is called pure split if every pure submodule is a direct summand of M [5] . In particular  $Z_8 Z_2$  is pure split , so it is P-coretractable .

- (5) Let  $P$  be the set of all prime numbers and  $M = \prod_{p \in P} Z_p$  (That is  $M = Z_2 \times Z_3 \times Z_5 \times \dots$ ). Then we shall show that  $M$  is not  $P$ -coretractable module. Let  $K = \bigoplus_{p \in P} Z_p$ , then  $K$  is a pure submodule of  $M$  by [6, Lam. 4.84(d)]. Then by using the same argument of proof of [1, Example(2.9)]. Let  $f \in \text{Hom}_R(M/K, Z_p)$  for some  $p \in P$ ,  $M/K = PM + K/K = P(M/K) \subseteq \ker f$ , so  $f=0$ . Hence  $\text{Hom}(M/K, M) \cong \prod_{p \in P} \text{Hom}\left(\frac{M}{K}, Z_p\right) = 0$ , then  $M$  is not  $P$ -coretractable module. However  $Z_p$  (for any  $p \in P$ ) is  $P$ -coretractable module.
- (6) Let  $M \cong M'$  where  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module. Then  $M'$  is a  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module.

**Proof:** we shall introduce the proof in section three by more generally. See Proposition(3.3).

(7)  $P$ -coretractability is not preserved by taking submodules, factor modules and direct summands since for any  $R$ -module  $M$  and a cogenerator  $R$ -module  $C$ ,  $C \oplus M$  is a cogenerator and so is a coretractable module and so  $P$ -coretractable, but  $M$  need not be coretractable module.

(8) Let  $R$  be a PID,  $M$  is an  $R$ -module. If  $M$  is  $C$ -coretractable, then  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable. Where an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called  $C$ -coretractable module if for each proper closed submodule  $N$  of  $M$ , there exists a nonzero homomorphism  $f \in \text{Hom}_R(M/N, M)$ . A ring  $R$  is called  $C$ -coretractable if  $R$  is  $C$ -coretractable  $R$ -module [8].

**Proof:** Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . By [6, Lam, Exc.15, P.242],  $N$  is closed. As  $M$  is  $C$ -coretractable, then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $f(N)=0$ . Thus  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable.

(9) Let  $R$  be a PID,  $M$  is an  $R$ -module. If  $M$  is coquasi-Dedekind, then  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable. Where an  $R$ -module  $M$  is coquasi-Dedekind module if for each  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$ ,  $f$  is an epimorphism. [7, Theorem(2.1.4), P.33].

**Proof:** By [7, Theorem(2.1.15)],  $M$  has no proper nonzero pure submodule, that is  $M$  is pure simple. Thus  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable by part (3).

(10) Let  $M = \sum_{p \in P} Z_p$  as  $Z$ -module is  $P$ -coretractable and injective. Then  $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$  ( $M_i = M$ ) is  $P$ -coretractable since  $M$  is  $C$ -coretractable by Example (2) after Theorem(1.10) in [8], and  $Z$  is a PID. But  $M$  is not coquasi-Dedekind.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called purely extending if every submodule is essential in pure submodule. Equivalently,  $M$  is purely extending if and only if every closed submodule is pure in  $M$  [9].

**Proposition(1.3):** Let  $M$  be a purely extending  $R$ -module, if  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable, then  $M$  is a  $C$ -coretractable module.

**Proof:** Let  $K$  be a proper closed submodule of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is a purely extending module, then  $K$  is pure submodule. But  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable module, so there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $f(K)=0$ , then  $M$  is a  $C$ -coretractable module.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be regular (or  $F$ -regular) if  $R/\text{ann}(x)$  is regular ring for all nonzero  $x \in M$  [10, P.29].

Equivalently, an  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be regular ( $F$ -regular) if every submodule of  $M$  is a pure submodule [10, Theorem (1.7), P.35].

**Corollary(1.4):** Let  $M$  be an  $F$ -regular  $R$ -module, then if  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable module, then  $M$  is a  $C$ -coretractable module.

**Proof:** It is clear since every  $F$ -regular is purely extending module and hence by Proposition(1.3) the result holds.

**Proposition(1.5):** Let  $M$  be an  $F$ -regular  $R$ -module, then  $M$  is a coretractable if and only if  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable.

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

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Let  $N$  be a proper submodule of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is  $F$ -regular module, so  $N$  is pure submodule. But  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable module, hence there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $f(N)=0$ , then  $M$  is coretractable module.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called a purely lifting if for every submodule  $N$  of  $M$ , there exists a pure submodule  $K$  of  $M$  such that  $K \subseteq N$  and  $N/K$  is small in  $M/K$  [11]. An  $R$ -module  $M$  is called a  $V$ -module if for every factor module  $N$  of  $M$ ,  $\text{Rad}(N)=0$  [12].

**Corollary(1.6):** If  $M$  is a purely lifting  $V$ -module. Then  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable if and only if  $M$  is a coretractable module.

**Proof:** Since  $M$  is  $V$ -module and  $M$  is purely lifting. Then  $M$  is an  $F$ -regular module [11, Proposition(2.2.4), P.40]. Hence we get the results by Proposition(1.5).

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called quasi-Dedekind if every proper nonzero submodule  $N$  of  $M$  is quasi-invertible where a submodule  $N$  of  $M$  is called quasi-invertible if  $\text{Hom}_R(M/N, M)=0$  [13]. A nonzero ideal (right ideal)  $I$  of a ring  $R$  is quasi-invertible ideal (right ideal) of  $R$  if  $I$  is quasi-invertible submodule of  $R$ . Also  $M$  is a quasi-Dedekind  $R$ -module if for any nonzero  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f$  is monomorphism; that is  $\ker f = (0)$  [13, Theorem(1.5), P.26].

**Proposition(1.7):** Let  $M$  be a  $P$ -coretractable quasi-Dedekind  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a pure simple.

**Proof:** Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . Then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $f(N)=0$ . As  $M$  is quasi-Dedekind module, hence  $f$  is monomorphism. Thus  $N=0$  and hence  $M$  is pure simple module.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called purely Rickart if for all  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $\ker f$  is pure submodule of  $M$  [14].

**Theorem(1.8):** Let  $M$  be a purely Rickart  $R$ -module . Then  $M$  is coretractable module if and only if for all proper submodule  $K$  of  $M$  , there exists a pure submodule  $W$  of  $M$  such that  $K \subseteq W$  and  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable.

**Proof :** ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Clear that  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable module because  $M$  is coretractable module . Now, let  $K$  be a proper submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is coretractable module , then there exists a nonzero  $R$ -homomorphism  $f: M \rightarrow M$  ,  $f(K)=0$  , so  $K \subseteq \ker f$  . But  $M$  is purely Rickart module , so  $\ker f$  pure submodule of  $M$  . As  $f \neq 0$  hence  $\ker f \neq M$  and hence  $\ker f$  is a proper pure submodule such that  $K \subseteq W \subset M$  (Where  $W = \ker f$ ) .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Let  $K$  be a proper submodule of  $M$  . By hypothesis there exists a pure submodule  $W$  of  $M$  such that  $K \subseteq W$  . Since  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable , hence  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  such that  $f(W)=0$  ,  $f \neq 0$  implies to  $f(K)=0$  . Then  $M$  is coretractable module .

Recall that , let  $M$  be a right  $R$ -module and  $S = \text{End}_R(M)$ . Then  $M$  is said to be dual-purely Rickart (shortly, dual purely Rickart) module if the image in  $M$  of any single element of  $S$  is pure in  $M$  . That is for each  $\alpha \in S$ ,  $Im \alpha$  is pure submodule in  $M$  [14] .

**Proposition(1.9):** Let  $M$  be a mono-coretractable  $R$ -module . Then  $M$  is dual purely Rickart module , if  $M$  is purely Rickart module.

**Proof :** Let  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  . Since  $M$  is mono-coretractable module , then there exists  $g \in \text{End}_R(M)$  such that  $Im f = \ker g$  . As  $M$  is purely Rickart module , if  $\ker g$  is pure submodule of  $M$  . Thus  $Im f$  is pure submodule of  $M$  and so  $M$  is dual purely Rickart module .

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called finitely presented if any finite generated submodule of  $M$  is direct summand [6] .

**Proposition(1.10):** Let  $M$  be a Noetherian finitely presented  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proof :** Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is Noetherian module . Then  $N$  is finitely generated . As  $M$  is finitely presented , so  $N$  is direct summand submodule by [6,Lam.Exc.32,P.163]. Then  $N \oplus W = M$  for some a submodule  $W$  of  $M$  , so  $M/N \cong W$  . Then  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable .

**Proposition(1.11):** Let  $M$  be a Noetherian projective  $R$ -module . Then  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable module.

**Proof :** Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is Noetherian module ,  $N$  is finitely generated . Hence by [15],  $N$  is a direct summand , then  $M = N \oplus W$  for some a submodule  $W$  of  $M$  , then there exists an isomorphism  $f: M/N \rightarrow W$  and let  $i: W \rightarrow M$  be the inclusion map , therefore  $i \circ f: M/N \rightarrow M$  ,  $i \circ f \neq 0$  . Thus  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable module .

Now , we can present an example of  $P$ -coretractable but not coretractable .

**Example(1.12):** Consider  $M = Z \oplus Z$  as  $Z$ -module ,  $M$  is Noetherian and projective and so  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable by Proposition(1.11) , but  $M$  is not coretractable module .

The following result follows by Proposition(1.11) , Since  $R$  is projective

**Corollary(1.13):** Let  $R$  be a Noetherian ring . Then  $R$  is a  $P$ -coretractable ring . The ring of integers  $Z$  is Noetherian , so It is a  $P$ -coretractable , but  $Z$  is not coretractable ring . Recall that a submodule  $N$  of an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called fully invariant if  $f(N)$  is contained in  $N$  for every  $R$ -endomorphism  $f$  of  $M$  [16] and a submodule  $N$  of an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called stable if for each  $f \in \text{Hom}(N, M)$  ,  $f(N) \subseteq N$  where an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called fully stable if every submodule of  $M$  is stable [17] .

**Proposition(1.14):** Let  $N$  be a direct summand submodule of a  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module  $M$  . If  $N$  is fully invariant submodule of  $M$  , then  $N$  is  $P$ -coretractable .

**Proof :** Since  $N$  is a direct summand submodule , so there exists a submodule  $W$  of  $M$  such that  $N \oplus W = M$  . Let  $K$  be a proper pure submodule of  $N$  , we have  $K \oplus W$  is a pure submodule in  $N \oplus W = M$  ( Since  $K$  is pure in  $N$  and  $W$  is pure in  $W$  ) . Since  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable module , so there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  ,  $f \neq 0$  ,  $f(K \oplus W) = 0$  . suppose that  $g$  is the restriction map of  $f$  from  $N$  into  $M$  ,  $g \neq 0$  . Also  $N$  is fully invariant direct summand . Then  $N$  is stable submodule . So  $g(N) \subseteq N$  . Therefore  $g \in \text{End}_R(N)$  ,  $g \neq 0$  .  $g(K) = f_N(K) = 0$  . Thus  $N$  is  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Corollary(1.15):** Let  $N$  be a direct summand submodule of a  $P$ -coretractable and duo  $R$ -module  $M$  , then  $N$  is  $P$ -coretractable . where a module  $M$  is duo if every submodule is fully invariant [12] .

**Proof :** It is clear since every submodule is fully invariant in duo module .

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called cogenerator if for every nonzero homomorphism  $f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$  where  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are  $R$ -modules , there exists  $g: M_2 \rightarrow M$  such that  $g \circ f \neq 0$  [6, P.507] and [3, P.53] .

**Proposition(1.16):** Let  $N$  be a direct summand of a  $P$ -coretractable module  $M$  . If  $N$  is cogenerates  $M$  . Then  $N$  is  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proof :** Suppose  $N$  is cogenerates  $M$  , so there exists  $g \in \text{Hom}_R(M, N)$  ,  $g \neq 0$ . Let  $K$  be a pure submodule of  $N$  . Since  $N$  is direct summand of  $M$ , then  $N \oplus W = M$  for some a submodule  $W$  of  $M$  . So  $K \oplus W$  is pure in  $N \oplus W = M$ . Then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  ,  $f(K \oplus W) = 0$  . Hence  $g \circ f \neq 0$  , Let  $h$  be a restriction map of  $g \circ f$  on  $N$  , so  $h \in \text{End}_R(N)$  and  $h(K) = g(f(K)) = 0$  . Therefore  $N$  is  $P$ -coretractable module .

For an  $R$ -module  $M$  . Recall that a module  $M$  has the pure intersection property (briefly PIP) if the intersection of any two pure submodules is again pure [9] .

**Theorem(1.17) :** Let  $\{ M_\alpha : \alpha \in I \}$  be a family of  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module if for any  $\alpha, \beta \in I$  ,  $M_\alpha$  is  $M_\beta$ -injective and  $M = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} M_\alpha$  has PIP, then  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable . In particular , if  $M$  is quasi-injective  $P$ -coretractable and satisfy PIP , then  $\bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} M_\alpha$  is  $P$ -coretractable for any index  $I$  ,  $M_\alpha = M$  for all  $\alpha \in I$  .

**Proof** : Let  $K$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ , then there exists  $\beta \in I$  such that  $M_\beta \not\subseteq K$ . Since  $K$  is pure in  $M$  and  $M_\beta$  is pure in  $M$  and  $M$  satisfies PIP, so  $K \cap M_\beta \subset M_\beta$ , and it is a proper pure submodule in  $M_\beta$ . Therefore there exists a nonzero homomorphism  $f: M_\beta / K \cap M_\beta \rightarrow M_\beta$  and let  $g: M_\beta / (K \cap M_\beta) \rightarrow M/K$  (Which is defined by  $g(x + (K \cap M_\beta)) = x + K$  for all  $x \in M_\beta \subset M$ ), then  $g$  is a monomorphism. As  $M_\beta$  is  $M_\alpha$ -injective for any  $\alpha \in I$  by hypothesis,  $M_\beta$  is  $M/K$ -injective by [3, proposition 16.13], so there exists  $h: M/K \rightarrow M_\beta$  such that  $h \circ g = f$ . Hence  $0 \neq i \circ h \in \text{Hom}_R(M/K, M)$ , where  $i: M_\beta \rightarrow M$  is the natural inclusion.

**Theorem (1.18)**: Let  $M = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} M_\alpha$  such that  $M_\alpha$  be a P-coretractable module  $\alpha \in I$ . If every pure submodule in  $M$  is fully invariant, then  $M$  is P-coretractable module.

**Proof** : Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . By hypothesis  $N$  is fully invariant,  $N = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} (N \cap M_\alpha)$ . Put  $N \cap M_\alpha = N_\alpha$  for all  $\alpha \in I$ , since  $N \cap N_\alpha \leq N_\alpha$ , then  $N_\alpha$  is pure submodule in  $N$ , but  $N$  is pure in  $M$ , then  $N_\alpha$  pure in  $M$ . As  $N_\alpha \leq M_\alpha$ , we get  $N_\alpha$  is pure in  $M_\alpha$ . Also since  $N$  is a proper submodule of  $M$ , there exists at least one  $\alpha_i \in I$ ,  $N_{\alpha_i}$  proper submodule of  $M_{\alpha_i}$ . But  $M_{\alpha_i}$  is P-coretractable, so there exists  $f_{\alpha_i}: M_{\alpha_i} / N_{\alpha_i} \rightarrow M_{\alpha_i}$  and  $f_{\alpha_i} \neq 0$ . As  $M/N \cong \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} (M_\alpha / N_\alpha)$ . Define  $h: M/N \rightarrow M_{\alpha_i}$  by  $h(m + N) = f_{\alpha_i}(m_{\alpha_i} + N_{\alpha_i})$  for any  $m = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} m_\alpha \in M$ . Then  $h \neq 0$  and  $g = i \circ h: M/N \rightarrow M$ ,  $g \neq 0$ .

### 3. MONO-P-CORETRACTABLE MODULES

In this section, we introduce the notion of mono-P-coretractable module and study some properties of this class module.

**Definition (2.1)**: An  $R$ -module  $M$  is called mono-P-coretractable if for all a proper pure submodule of  $M$ , there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $N = \ker f$ . Equivalently, A module  $M$  is mono-P-coretractable if for each proper pure submodule  $N$  of  $M$ , there exists a monomorphism  $f$  from  $M/N$  into  $M$ .

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called co-epi-retractable if it contains a copy of any of its factor modules [18]. However, for more convenient, we call it mono-coretractable module.

**Examples and Remarks (2.2)**:

- (1) Every pure split module is a mono-P-coretractable.
- (2) Every mono-coretractable module is mono-P-coretractable.
- (3) Every pure simple module is mono-P-coretractable.
- (4) Every mono-P-coretractable module is P-coretractable.
- (5) Every semisimple module is mono-coretractable and hence it is mono-P-coretractable module by part(3).
- (6) Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module. If  $M$  is a quasi-Dedekind mono-P-coretractable, then  $M$  is a pure simple.

**Proof** : Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is mono-P-coretractable, so there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$ ,  $f(N) = 0$  and  $N = \ker f$ , but  $M$  is quasi-Dedekind, hence  $\ker f = 0$ . Thus  $N = 0$  and hence  $M$  is pure simple module.

Let  $M$  be a right  $R$ -module and let  $S = \text{End}_R(M)$ . Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called a Rickart module if the right annihilator in  $M$  of any single element of  $S$  is generated by an idempotent of  $S$ . Equivalently,  $M$  is called Rickart module if for all  $f \in S$ ,  $\ker f \leq eM$  [19].

**Proposition (2.3)**: Let  $M$  be a Rickart  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a mono-P-coretractable if and only if  $M$  is a pure split.

**Proof** : ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is mono-P-coretractable, then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $N = \ker f$ , but  $M$  is a Rickart, hence  $\ker f$  is a direct summand of  $M$  for each  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  and so  $N$  is direct summand of  $M$ . Thus  $M$  is pure split module.

( $\Leftarrow$ ) It follows by Examples and Remarks(2.2 (1)).

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called a strongly Rickart if and only if  $\ker f = r_M(f)$  is a fully invariant direct summand in  $M$  for all  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  [20].

We introduce the following definition: An  $R$ -module  $M$  is called P-fully stable if every pure submodule is stable. It is clear that every fully stable is P-fully stable but not conversely.

**Proposition (2.4)**: Let  $M$  be a strongly Rickart  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a mono-P-coretractable if and only if a P-fully stable and pure split.

**Proof** : ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$ . Since  $M$  is mono-P-coretractable, then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $N = \ker f$ , but  $M$  is a strongly Rickart, hence  $\ker f$  is a stable direct summand of  $M$  for each  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  and hence  $N$  is a stable direct summand of  $M$ . Thus  $M$  is P-fully stable pure split module.

( $\Leftarrow$ ) It is clear.

Recall that an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called mono-C-coretractable if for each proper closed submodule of  $M$ , there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$  and  $N = \ker f$  [8].

**Proposition (2.5)**: Let  $M$  be a purely extending. If  $M$  is a mono-P-coretractable module, then  $M$  is a mono-C-coretractable.

**Proof** : It is clear since if  $N$  is a proper closed submodule of  $M$ , then  $N$  is a pure. As  $M$  is a mono-P-coretractable, so there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$ ,  $f \neq 0$ ,  $f(N) = 0$  and  $N = \ker f$  and hence  $M$  is a mono-C-coretractable.

**Proposition(2.6):** Let  $M$  be a mono- $P$ -coretractable and  $P$ -fully stable module . Then every nonzero pure submodule of  $M$  is also mono- $P$ -coretractable .

**Proof :** Suppose that  $N$  is a nonzero pure submodule of  $M$  . Let  $K$  be a proper pure submodule of  $N$  , so  $K$  is pure submodule of  $M$  . But  $M$  is mono- $P$ -coretractable module . Then there exists  $f \in \text{End}_R(M)$  ,  $f \neq 0$  ,  $f(K)=0$  and  $K=\ker f$  , so if  $f(N)=0$  , then  $N \subseteq \ker f = K$  so  $N=K$  which is a contradiction . Thus  $f(N) \neq 0$  . Let  $g$  be a restriction map from  $N$  into  $M$  . Since  $M$  is  $P$ -fully stable , so  $g(N) \subseteq N$  . Hence  $g \in \text{End}_R(N)$  and  $g \neq 0$  since  $g(N)=f(N) \neq 0$  . Hence  $g(K)=f(K)=0$  . Thus  $K \subseteq \ker g \subseteq \ker f = K$  . Then  $K = \ker g$  .

#### 4. STRONGLY-P-CORETRACTABLE MODULES

In this section, we define a new concept concerned directly with pure submodule called strongly  $P$ -coretractable module as one of generalization the concept strongly coretractable module see [17], also we introduce some properties and related with this concept .

**Definition(3.1):** An  $R$ -module is called strongly  $P$ -coretractable module if for each proper pure submodule  $K$  of  $M$  , there exists a nonzero homomorphism  $f \in \text{Hom}(M/K, M)$  and  $f(M/K)+K=M$  . Equivalently ,  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module if for each proper pure submodule  $K$  of  $M$  , there exists  $g \in \text{End}_R(M)$  ,  $g(M/K)+K=M$ ,  $g \neq 0$  and  $g(K)=0$  . A ring  $R$  is called strongly  $P$ -coretractable if  $R$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module .

**Examples and Remarks(3.2):**

- (1) Every strongly coretractable is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module but the converse is not true in general , for example the  $Z$ -module  $Z_4$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable , but it is not strongly coretractable , where an  $R$ -module  $M$  is called strongly coretractable module if for each proper submodule  $N$  of  $M$  , there exists a nonzero  $R$ -homomorphism  $f: M/N \rightarrow M$  such that  $\text{Im} f + N = M$  [2],[8] .
- (2) Every semisimple module is a strongly coretractable and hence strongly  $P$ -coretractable .
- (3) Every pure simple  $R$ -module is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .
- (4) Every pure split module is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .
- (5) Every strongly  $P$ -coretractable module is a  $P$ -coretractable .

**Proposition(3.3):** Let  $M \cong M'$  , where  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module . Then  $M'$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module.

**Proof :** Since  $M \cong M'$  , so there exists  $f: M \rightarrow M'$  be  $R$ -isomorphism . Let  $W$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M'$  . Then  $N=f^{-1}(W)$  is proper pure submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module, so there exists a nonzero  $R$ -homomorphism  $h: M/N \rightarrow M$  such that  $h(M/N)+N=M$  .

Define  $g: M'/W \rightarrow M'$  ,  $g(f(m)+f(N))= f(m_1)$  where  $h(m+N)=m_1 \in M$  . To prove  $g$  is well-defined , suppose that  $f(m)+f(N)=f(x)+f(N)$  where  $m, x \in M$ . Then  $f(m)-f(x) \in f(N)$  , so  $f(m-x) \in f(N)$  and so  $m-x \in N$  . Then  $m+N = x+N$  . Therefore  $h(m+N)=m_1 = m_2 = h(x+N)$  (Since  $h$  is well-defined ) which implies  $g(f(m)+f(N))= f(m_1)=f(m_2) = g(f(x)+f(N))$  ( Since  $f$  is well-defined ) . Therefore  $g$  is well-defined , also  $g$  is an  $R$ -homomorphism .

To prove  $g(M'/W) + W = M' = f(M)$  . Let  $m' \in M'$  , then  $m'=f(m)$  for some  $m \in M$  . But  $m=h(m_1+N)+n_1$  for some  $m_1 \in M$  and  $n_1 \in N$  . Let  $h(m_1+N)=m_2$  , so  $m=m_2+n_1$  . But  $g(f(m)+f(N))+f(n_1)= f(m_2)+f(n_1)= f(m_2+n_1) = f(m) = m'$  . Therefore  $M' = \text{Im} g + W$ , we get  $M'$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module .

**Proposition(3.4):** Let  $M$  be a strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module and  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$  , then  $M/N$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proof :** Let  $W/N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M/N$  . Since  $N$  is pure submodule of  $M$  , so  $W$  is pure submodule of  $M$  . But  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module Then there exists a nonzero  $R$ -homomorphism  $g: M/W \rightarrow M$  such that  $\text{Im} g + W = M$  . But  $(M/N)/(W/N) \cong M/W$  . Set  $f = \pi \circ g$  where  $\pi$  is the natural epimorphism from  $M$  into  $M/W$  . Then  $f(\frac{M}{W}) + \frac{W}{N} = \pi(g(\frac{M}{W})) + \frac{W}{N} = \frac{g(\frac{M}{W})+N}{N} + \frac{W}{N} = \frac{g(\frac{M}{W})+N+W}{N} = \frac{M+N}{N} = \frac{M}{N}$  , and  $f \neq 0$  ( because if  $f$  is a zero mapping , then  $M/N=W/N$  which is a contradiction ) , we can get  $M/N$  is also strongly  $P$ -coretractable .

**Corollary(3.5):** Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module . If  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module. Then any direct summand submodule of  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proof :** Since  $N$  is direct summand submodule of  $M$  , so there exists  $W$  is pure submodule of  $M$  such that  $N \oplus W = M$  . Thus  $M/W$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module by Proposition(3.4) . But  $M/W \cong N$  so that  $N$  is also strongly  $P$ -coretractable module by Proposition(3.3)

**Proposition(3.6):** Let  $M=M_1 \oplus M_2$  , where  $M$  is duo module (or distributive or  $\text{ann} M_1 + \text{ann} M_2 = R$ ) . Then  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module if and only if  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are strongly  $P$ -coretractable modules .

**Proof :** ( $\Rightarrow$ ) It follows directly by Corollary(3.5) .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is duo (or distributive or  $\text{ann} M_1 + \text{ann} M_2 = R$ ) , then  $N=(N \cap M_1) \oplus (N \cap M_2)$  . Thus  $N=N_1 \oplus N_2$  for some  $N_1 \leq M_1$  and  $N_2 \leq M_2$  . Thus each of  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  are pure submodules in  $M_1$  and  $M_2$

respectively . Thus By the same argument proof of Theorem(2.7) in [2] , we can get  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

Compare the following Propositions with Proposition(1.3) , Proposition(1.5) and Proposition(1.8) respectively .

**Proposition(3.7):** Let  $M$  be a purely extending  $R$ -module , if  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module , then  $M$  is strongly  $C$ -coretractable .

**Proposition(3.8):** Let  $M$  be an  $F$ -regular  $R$ -module , then  $M$  is strongly coretractable module if and only if  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proposition(3.9):** Let  $M$  be a purely Rickart  $R$ -module . Then  $M$  is strongly coretractable module if and only if for all proper submodule  $K$  of  $M$  , there exists a pure submodule  $W$  of  $M$  such that  $K \subseteq W$  and  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable .

**Proposition(3.10):** Let  $M$  be a Noetherian finitely presented  $R$ -module. Then  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Proof :** Let  $N$  be a proper pure submodule of  $M$  . Since  $M$  is Noetherian module . Then  $N$  is finitely generated . As  $M$  is finitely presented , so  $N$  is direct summand submodule by [6,Lam.Exc.32,P.163]. Then  $N \oplus W = M$  for some a submodule  $W$  of  $M$  , so  $M/N \cong W$  . Consider  $(i \circ f)(M/N) + N = W \oplus N = M$  . Then  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

By a similar proof Corollary(1.6) , Proposition(1.14) and Theorem(1.18) , we can get the following result .

**Corollary(3.11):** If  $M$  is a purely lifting  $V$ -module. Then  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable if and only if  $M$  is a strongly coretractable module .

**Proposition(3.12):** Let  $M$  be a Noetherian projective  $R$ -module . Then  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable module .

**Theorem(3.13):** Let  $\{ M_\alpha : \alpha \in I \}$  be a family of strongly  $P$ -coretractable  $R$ -module if for any  $\alpha, \beta \in I$ ,  $M_\alpha$  is  $M_\beta$ -injective and  $M = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in I} M_\alpha$  has PIP , then  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable . In particular , if  $M$  is quasi-injective  $P$ -coretractable and satisfy PIP , then  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable for any index  $I$  .

**Proposition(3.14):** Let  $M$  be a quasi-Dedekind  $R$ -module , then the following statements are equivalent :

- (1)  $M$  is a strongly  $P$ -coretractable ;
- (2)  $M$  is a  $P$ -coretractable ;
- (3)  $M$  is a pure simple ;
- (4)  $M$  is a mono- $P$ -coretractable .

**Proof :** (1) $\Rightarrow$ (2) It is clear by Examples and Remarks(3.2(5)) .

(2) $\Rightarrow$ (3) It follows by Proposition(1.7) since  $M$  is a quasi-Dedekind module.

(3) $\Rightarrow$ (4) It follows by Examples and Remarks(2.2 (3)) .

(4) $\Rightarrow$ (1) Let  $M$  be a mono- $P$ -coretractable . It is clear that  $M$  is  $P$ -coretractable. As  $M$  is quasi-Dedekind , so again  $M$  is a pure simple by Proposition(1.7) and hence  $M$  is strongly  $P$ -coretractable by Examples and Remarks(3.2(3)) .

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