## COMPLEMENTS AND CLOSED SUBMODULES RELATIVE TO TORSION THEORIES

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ABSTRACT. A submodule of a module M is called to be closed if it has no proper essential extensions in M. A submodule X of M is called to be a complement if it is maximal with respect to  $X \cap Y = 0$ , for some submodule Y of M. It is well known that closed and complement submodule are the same. A module M is called to be extending (M has condition  $(C_1)$  if any submodule of M is essential in a summand of M. It is known that quasi-injective module is extending. In this note we generalize this by using hereditary torsion theories and state related results.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper R is a ring with a unit element, every right R-module is unital and Mod-R is the category of right R-modules. A subfunctor of the identity functor of Mod-R is called a preradical. For preradical  $\sigma$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma} := \{M \in \text{Mod-}R | \sigma(M) = M\}$  is the class of  $\sigma$ -torsion right *R*-modules, and  $\mathcal{F}_{\sigma} := \{M \in \text{Mod-}R | \sigma(M) = 0\}$  is the class of  $\sigma$ -torsion free right *R*-modules. A prenadical *t* is called to be idempotent (a radical) if t(t(M)) = t(M)(t(M/t(M)) = 0). Let C be a subclass of Mod-R. A torsion theory for C is a pair of  $(\mathcal{T},\mathcal{F})$  of classes of objects of  $\mathcal{C}$  such that (i)  $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathcal{B}}(T,F)=0$  for all  $T\in\mathcal{T}$ ,  $F \in \mathcal{F}$ . (ii) If  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(M, F) = 0$  for all  $F \in \mathcal{F}$ , then  $M \in \mathcal{T}$ . (iii) If  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, N) = 0$ for all  $T \in \mathcal{T}$ , then  $N \in \mathcal{F}$ . It is well known that  $(\mathcal{T}_t, \mathcal{F}_t)$  is a torsion theory for an idempotent radical t. A preradical t is called to be left exact if  $t(N) = N \cap t(M)$  holds for any module M and its submodule N. For a preradical  $\sigma$  and a module M and its submodule N, N is called to be  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M if  $M/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . If N is an essential and  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M, then N is called to be a  $\sigma$ -essential submodule of M(M) is a  $\sigma$ -essential extension of N). If N is essential in M, we denote  $N \subseteq^{e} M$ . If N is  $\sigma$ -essential in M, we denote  $N \subseteq \sigma^e M$ . For an idempotent radical  $\sigma$  a module M is called to be  $\sigma$ -injective if the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(-, M)$  preserves the exactness for any exact sequence  $0 \to A \to B \to C \to 0$  with  $C \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . We denote E(M) the injective hull of a module M. For an idempotent radical  $\sigma$ ,  $E_{\sigma}(M)$  is called the  $\sigma$ -injective hull of a module M, where  $E_{\sigma}(M)$  is defined by  $E_{\sigma}(M)/M := \sigma(E(M)/M)$ . Then even if  $\sigma$  is not left exact,  $E_{\sigma}(M)$  is  $\sigma$ -injective and a  $\sigma$ -essential extension of M, is a maximal  $\sigma$ -essential extension of M and is a minimal  $\sigma$ -injective extension of M. If N is  $\sigma$ -essential in M, then it holds that  $E_{\sigma}(N) = E_{\sigma}(M)$ . Let B be a submodule of a module M. We call B is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M if B has no proper  $\sigma$ -essential extension in M.

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#### 2. COMPLEMENT AND CLOSED SUBMODULE

First we state  $\sigma$ -essentially closed submodules and complement submodules relative to torsion theories. Following proposition generalize Proposition 1.4 in [2].

**Proposition 1.** Let  $\sigma$  be a left exact radical and B be a submodule of a module M. We denote  $\overline{B}/B := \sigma(M/B)$ . Then the following conditions from (1) to (9) are equivalent.

- (1) B is essentially closed in  $\overline{B}$ .
- (2) B is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M.
- (3) B is a complement of a submodule in  $\overline{B}$ .
- (4) If X is a complement of B in  $\overline{B}$ , then B is a complement of X in  $\overline{B}$ .
- (5) It holds that  $B = E_{\sigma}(B) \cap M$ .
- (6) If  $B \subseteq X \subseteq^{e} \overline{B}$ , then  $X/B \subseteq^{e} \overline{B}/B$ .
- (7) It holds that  $B = E(B) \cap \overline{B}$ .
- (8) There exists submodules  $M_1$  and K of M such that  $K \subseteq M_1$ ,  $M/M_1 \in \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}$  and B is a complement of K in  $M_1$ .
- (9) If  $B \subseteq X \subseteq^{\sigma e} M$ , then  $X/B \subseteq^{\sigma e} M/B$ .

*Proof.* (2) $\rightarrow$ (1): Let *B* be  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in *M*. Let *H* a module such that  $B \subseteq {}^{e}$  $H \subseteq \overline{B}$ . Since  $H/B \subseteq \overline{B}/B = \sigma(M/B) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ ,  $H/B \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Thus  $B \subseteq {}^{\sigma e} H \subseteq M$ , and so H = B by (2).

 $(1) \to (2)$ : Let *B* be essentially closed in  $\overline{B}$ . Let *N* be a module such that  $B \subseteq^{\sigma e} N \subseteq M$ , and so  $B \subseteq^{e} N$  and  $N/B \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Then  $N/B \subseteq \sigma(M/B) = \overline{B}/B$ . Thus it holds that  $B \subseteq^{e} N \subseteq \overline{B}$ . By (1), B = N.

(2) $\rightarrow$ (6): Suppose that *B* is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in *M* and *X* an essential submodule of  $\overline{B}$  containing *B*. Let *Y*/*B* be a submodule of  $\overline{B}/B$  such that  $X/B \cap Y/B = \overline{0}$ . Then  $X \cap Y = B$ . Since *X* is essential in  $\overline{B}$ ,  $B = Y \cap X$  is essential in  $Y \cap \overline{B} = Y$ . Since  $Y/B = Y/(Y \cap X) \cong (Y + X)/X \subseteq \overline{B}/X \iff \overline{B}/B \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , *B* is  $\sigma$ -essential in *Y*. As *B* is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in *M*, it follows that Y = B. Thus X/B is essential in  $\overline{B}/B$ .

 $(6) \rightarrow (4)$ : Let X be a complement of B in  $\overline{B}$ . Let B' be a complement of X in  $\overline{B}$  containing B. Then  $(X \oplus B) \cap B' = (X \cap B') \oplus B = B$ . Thus  $((X \oplus B)/B) \cap (B'/B) = \overline{0}$ . Since  $X \oplus B$  is essential in  $\overline{B}$ , it holds that  $(X \oplus B)/B$  is essential in  $\overline{B}/B$  by (6). Since  $((X \oplus B)/B) \cap (B'/B) = \overline{0}$ , then B' = B, as desired.

 $(4) \rightarrow (3)$ : Since there exists a complement of B in  $\overline{B}$ , it is obvious.

 $(3) \to (2)$ : Let *B* be a complement of a submodule *K* of  $\overline{B}$ . Then *B* is essentially closed in  $\overline{B}$ . We show that *B* is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in *M*. Let *B'* be a submodule of *M* such that *B'* is a  $\sigma$ -essential extension of *B*. Then  $B \cap \overline{B} = B$  is essential in  $B' \cap \overline{B}$ . Since *B* is essentially closed in  $\overline{B}$ ,  $B = B' \cap \overline{B}$ . Since  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma} \ni B'/B = B'/(B' \cap \overline{B}) \cong (B' + \overline{B})/\overline{B} \subseteq$  $M/\overline{B} \cong (M/B)/\sigma(M/B) \in \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}$ , it follows that B' = B, as desired.

(2) $\rightarrow$ (5): It is easily verified that  $E_{\sigma}(B) \cap M$  is  $\sigma$ -essential extension of B in M. By (2), it follows that  $E_{\sigma}(B) \cap M = B$ .

 $(5) \to (2)$ : Let X be a module such that  $B \subseteq X \subseteq M$  and B is  $\sigma$ -essential in X. Then  $E_{\sigma}(B) = E_{\sigma}(X)$ . By (5),  $B = E_{\sigma}(B) \cap M$ . Since  $B \subseteq X \subseteq E_{\sigma}(X) \cap M = E_{\sigma}(B) \cap M = B$ , it follows that X = B, as desired.

 $(1) \rightarrow (7)$ : Since  $E(B) \cap \overline{B}$  is essential extension of B in  $\overline{B}$ , it holds that  $B = E(B) \cap \overline{B}$ .

 $(7) \rightarrow (1)$ : Let X be a module such that  $B \subseteq X \subseteq \overline{B}$  such that X is  $\sigma$ -essential extension of B. Then it follows that E(X) = E(B). Since  $B \subseteq X \subseteq E(X) \cap \overline{B} = E(B) \cap \overline{B} = B$ , it concludes that B = X.

 $(2) \to (8)$ : Let *B* be  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in *M*. Then  $M/\overline{B} \in \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}$ . We take a complement *K* of *B* in  $\overline{B}$ . Then  $B \oplus K$  is essential in  $\overline{B}$  and  $(B \oplus K)/K$  is essential in  $\overline{B}/K$ . We take a complement *L* of *K* containing *B* in  $\overline{B}$ . Since  $(B \oplus K)/K$  is  $\sigma$ -essential in  $\overline{B}/K$ ,  $(B \oplus K)/K$  is  $\sigma$ -essential in  $(L \oplus K)/K$ . Thus *L* is  $\sigma$ -essential extension of *B*. Thus by (2) B = L, and so *B* is a complement of *K* in  $\overline{B}$ .

 $(8) \rightarrow (2)$ : Suppose that there exists submodules  $M_1$  and K of M such that  $K \subseteq M_1$ ,  $M/M_1 \in \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}$  and B is a complement of K in  $M_1$ . Then B is essentially closed in  $M_1$ . We show that B is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M. Let  $B_1$  be a submodule of M such that B is  $\sigma$ -essential in  $B_1$ . Then  $B = B \cap M_1$  is essential in  $B_1 \cap M_1 (\subseteq M_1)$ . Since B is essentially closed in  $M_1$ ,  $B = B_1 \cap M_1$ . Since  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma} \ni B_1/B = B_1/(B_1 \cap M_1) \cong (B_1 + M_1)/M_1 \subseteq$  $M/M_1 \in \mathcal{F}_{\sigma}$ , it follows that  $B_1 = B$ .

 $(2) \rightarrow (9)$ : Suppose that B is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M. Let X be a submodule of M such that  $B \subseteq X \subseteq^{\sigma e} M$ . Let Q be a submodule of M containing B such that  $(X/B) \cap (Q/B) = 0$ . Then  $B = Q \cap X \subseteq^{e} Q \cap M = Q$ . Since  $Q/B = Q/(Q \cap X) \cong (Q+X)/X \subseteq M/X \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , it holds that  $B \subseteq^{\sigma e} Q \subseteq M$ . Since B is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M, B = Q, and so (Q/B) = 0. Thus X/B is  $\sigma$ -essential in M/B.

 $(9) \rightarrow (2)$ : Suppose that  $B \subseteq {}^{\sigma e} X \subseteq M$ . Let B' be a complement of B in M. Then  $B \oplus B' \subseteq {}^{\sigma e} M$  and hence by  $(9) (B \oplus B')/B \subseteq {}^{\sigma e} M/B$ . Since  $B \cap (B' \cap X) = 0, B' \cap X = 0$ . Since  $((B \oplus B')/B) \cap (X/B) = [(B \oplus B') \cap X]/B = [B \oplus (B' \cap X)]/B = 0, (X/B) = 0$ , as desired.

# 3. $\sigma$ -QUASI-INJECTIVE MODULE

We call  $A \sigma - M$ -injective if  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(-, A)$  preserves the exactness for any exact sequence  $0 \to N \to M \to M/N \to 0$ , where  $M/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . The following proposition is a generalization of Theorem 15 in [1].

**Proposition 2.** Let  $\sigma$  be a left exact radical. Then A is  $\sigma$ -M-injective if and only if  $f(M) \subseteq A$  for any  $f \in Hom_R(E_{\sigma}(M), E_{\sigma}(A))$ .

Proof. ( $\leftarrow$ ): Let  $\sigma$  be an idempotent radical and N be a submodule of M such that  $M/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Since  $E_{\sigma}(M)/M \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  and  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  is closed under taking extensions, it follows that  $E_{\sigma}(M)/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Consider the following diagram.

$$0 \to N \to E_{\sigma}(M) \to E_{\sigma}(M)/N \to 0$$
$$\downarrow_{f} \qquad \downarrow_{g}$$
$$0 \to A \longrightarrow E_{\sigma}(A)$$

For any  $f \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(N, A)$ , f is extended to  $g \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(E_{\sigma}(M), E_{\sigma}(A))$ . By the assumption it follows that  $g(M) \subseteq A$ , and so f is extended to  $g|_M \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(M, A)$ , as desired.

 $(\rightarrow)$ : Let  $\sigma$  be a left exact radical and  $f \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(E_{\sigma}(M), E_{\sigma}(A))$ . Then  $f|_{M \cap f^{-1}A} \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(M \cap f^{-1}(A), A)$ . Since  $M/(M \cap f^{-1}(A)) \simeq (M + f^{-1}(A))/f^{-1}(A) \simeq (f(M) + A)/A \subseteq E_{\sigma}(A)/A \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}, M/(M \cap f^{-1}(A)) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Consider the following diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0 \to & M \cap f^{-1}(A) \to M \to M/(M \cap f^{-1}(A)) \to 0 \\ & & f \downarrow & \swarrow g \\ & & A \end{array}$$

Thus by the assumption  $f|_{M\cap f^{-1}(A)}$  is extended to  $g \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(M, A)$ , and so  $(g-f)(M\cap f^{-1}(A)) = 0$ . Hence we obtain  $\ker(g-f) \supseteq M \cap f^{-1}(A)$ . If  $x \in (g-f)^{-1}(A)$ , then there exists an  $a \in A$  such that g(x) - f(x) = a, and then  $f(x) = g(x) - a \in A$  and so  $x \in f^{-1}(A)$ . It follows that  $(g-f)^{-1}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(A)$ , and so  $M \cap (g-f)^{-1}(A) \subseteq M \cap f^{-1}(A) \subseteq \ker(g-f)$ . If  $a = (g-f)(m) \in (g-f)M \cap A$  for  $a \in A$  and  $m \in M$ , then  $m \in (g-f)^{-1}a \subseteq M \cap (g-f)^{-1}A \subseteq \ker(g-f)$ , and so 0 = (g-f)(m) = a. Thus it follows that  $(g-f)M \cap A = 0$ . Since A is essential in  $E_{\sigma}(A)$ , (g-f)M = 0, and so we obtain that  $f(M) = g(M) \subseteq A$ , as desired.  $\Box$ 

We obtain the following corollary as a torsion theoretic generalization of the Johnson Wong theorem [4] by putting M = A in Proposition 2. We call a module  $A \sigma$ -quasi-injective if A is  $\sigma$ -A-injective.

**Corollary 3.** Let  $\sigma$  be a left exact radical. Then A is  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective if and only if  $f(A) \subseteq A$  for any  $f \in Hom_R(E_{\sigma}(A), E_{\sigma}(A))$ .

The following lemma generalizes Proposition 2.3 in [3].

**Lemma 4.** If A is  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective and  $E_{\sigma}(A) = M \oplus N$ , then  $A = (M \cap A) \oplus (N \cap A)$ .

Proof. Let  $p_M(p_N)$  be a canonical projection from  $E_{\sigma}(A)$  to M(N) respectively. Then by Corollay 3, it follows that  $p_M(A) \subseteq A$  and  $p_N(A) \subseteq A$ . If  $A \ni a = m + n \in M + N$  for  $m \in M$  and  $n \in N$ , then  $A \ni p_M(a) = p_M(m+n) = m \in M$ , and so  $m \in A \cap M$ , and it is similarly proved that  $n \in A \cap N$ . Thus  $A \subseteq (M \cap A) \oplus (N \cap A)$ , as desired.  $\Box$ 

## 4. $(\sigma - C_i)$ CONDITIONS

Next we consider  $(C_i)$  conditions relative to torsion theories. For  $(C_i)$  conditions, see [5]. We call a module M  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective if for any  $\sigma$ -dense submodule N of M,  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(\_, M)$  preserves the exactness of a short exact sequence  $0 \to N \to M \to M/N \to 0$ . The following proposition generalize Proposition 2.1 in [5]. We call a module M has  $(\sigma - C_1)$  if every  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M is essential in a summand of M. We call a module M has  $(\sigma - C_2)$  if a  $\sigma$ -dense submodule A of M is isomorphic to a summand  $A_1$  of M, then A is a summand of M.

From now on we assume that  $\sigma$  is a left exact radical.

#### **Proposition 5.** Any $\sigma$ -quasi-injective module M has $(\sigma - C_1)$ and $(\sigma - C_2)$ .

Proof.  $(\sigma - C_1)$ : Let N be a  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of a  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective module M. Consider the exact sequence  $0 \to M/N \to E_{\sigma}(M)/N \to E_{\sigma}(M)/M \to 0$ . Since  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  is closed under taking extensions, it follows that  $E_{\sigma}(M)/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Since  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  is closed under taking factor modules, it holds that  $E_{\sigma}(M)/E_{\sigma}(N) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . As  $E_{\sigma}(N)$  is  $\sigma$ -injective, there exists a submodule E of  $E_{\sigma}(M)$  such that  $E_{\sigma}(M) = E_{\sigma}(N) \oplus E$ . Since M is  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective, it follows that  $M = (M \cap E_{\sigma}(N)) \oplus (E \cap M)$  by Lemma 4. Thus N is  $\sigma$ -essential in  $M \cap E_{\sigma}(N)$  which is a summand of M, as desired.  $(\sigma - C_2)$ : Since M is  $\sigma$ -quasi-injective, M is  $\sigma$ -M-injective. As  $A_1$  is a direct summand of M,  $A_1$  is  $\sigma$ -M-injective. Consider the following exact sequence.

$$0 \to A \xrightarrow{g} M \to M/A \to 0 \text{ (with } M/A \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma})$$
$$\downarrow_{h} \qquad \downarrow_{f}$$
$$A_{1} \subseteq_{\oplus} M$$

, where h is isomorphism from A to  $A_1$  and f is a homomorphism from M to  $A_1$  such that fg = h. It is easily verified that A is a summand of M.

We call a module M has  $(\sigma - C_3)$  if  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are summands of M such that  $M_1 \cap M_2 = 0$ and  $M/(M_1 \oplus M_2) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , then  $M_1 \oplus M_2$  is a summand of M. We call a module M has  $(\sigma - C'_3)$  if  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are summands of M such that  $M_1, M/M_2 \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  and  $M_1 \cap M_2 = 0$ , then  $M_1 \oplus M_2$  is a summand of M. It is easily verified that  $(\sigma - C_3) \Rightarrow (\sigma - C'_3)$ . The following proposition generalize Proposition 2.2 in [5].

**Proposition 6.** If a module M has  $(\sigma - C_2)$ , then M has  $(\sigma - C'_3)$ .

Proof. Let  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  be summands of M such that  $M_1, M/M_2 \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  and  $M_1 \cap M_2 = 0$ . Since  $M_1$  is a summand of M, there exists a submodule  $M_1^*$  such that  $M = M_1 \oplus M_1^*$ . Let  $\pi$  be a projection  $M = M_1 \oplus M_1^* \to M_1^*$ . By modular law,  $M_1 \oplus M_2 = M \cap (M_1 \oplus M_2) = (M_1 \oplus M_1^*) \cap (M_1 \oplus M_2) = M_1 \oplus (M_1^* \cap (M_1 \oplus M_2))$ . Thus  $\pi(M_2) = \pi(M_1 \oplus M_2) = \pi(M_1 \oplus M_2)) = M_1^* \cap (M_1 \oplus M_2)$ . Thus  $M_1 \oplus M_2 = M_1 \oplus \pi(M_2)$  and  $\pi(M_2) \subseteq M_1^*$ . Then ker  $\pi|_{M_2} = \ker \pi \cap M_2 = M_1 \cap M_2 = 0$ ,  $\pi|_{M_2} : M_2 \twoheadrightarrow \pi(M_2) \subseteq M)$  is an isomorphism. Since  $M_1^*/\pi(M_2) \simeq M/M_2 \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  and  $M/M_1^* \simeq M_1 \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , the middle term of  $0 \to M_1^*/\pi(M_2) \to M/\pi(M_2) \to M/M_1^* \to 0$  is in  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Thus  $\pi(M_2)$  is  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M. Thus we get  $\pi(M_2) \subseteq^{\oplus} M$  by  $(\sigma - C_2)$ . Thus there exists a module X such that  $M = X \oplus \pi(M_2)$ . By modular law,  $M_1^* = (X \cap M_1^*) \oplus \pi(M_2)$ . Thus  $M = M_1 \oplus M_1^* = M_1 \oplus (X \cap M_1^*) \oplus \pi(M_2) = (M_1 \oplus \pi(M_2)) \oplus (X \cap M_1^*) = M_1 \oplus M_2 \oplus (X \cap M_1^*)$ , and so  $M_1 \oplus M_2 \subseteq^{\oplus} M$ .

We call a module of M  $\sigma$ -continuous if it has  $(\sigma - C_1)$  and  $(\sigma - C_2)$ . We call a module M  $\sigma$ -quasi-continuous if it has  $(\sigma - C_1)$  and  $(\sigma - C'_3)$ . We have just seen that the following implications hold:  $\sigma$ -injective  $\Rightarrow \sigma$ -quasi-injective  $\Rightarrow \sigma$ -continuous  $\Rightarrow \sigma$ -quasi-continuous  $\Rightarrow \sigma$ 

**Proposition 7.** A module M has  $(\sigma - C_1)$  if and only if every essentially closed  $\sigma$ -densesubmodule of M is a summand of M.

*Proof.*  $\Rightarrow$ ): Let N be an essentially closed  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M. Since  $M/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , there exists a decomposition  $M = X \oplus Y$  such that  $N \subseteq^{\sigma e} X \subseteq M$ . As N is essentially closed in M and so N = X. Thus  $M = N \oplus Y$ .

 $\Leftarrow$ ): Let N be a  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M. Let X be a complement of N in M and Y be a complement of X in M containing N. Then Y is essentially closed  $\sigma$ -dense in M. By the assumption Y is a summand of M. We show that N is essential in Y. If N is not essential in Y, there exists a nonzero submodule H of Y such that  $N \cap H = 0$ . If  $N \cap (X \oplus H) \ni n = x + h$ , where  $n \in N, x \in X$  and  $h \in H$ . Then  $x = n - h \in X \cap Y = 0$ . Thus x = 0, and so  $n = h \in N \cap H = 0$ . Therefore  $N \cap (X \oplus H) = 0$ . By construction of X,  $X = X \oplus H$ , and so H = 0. Thus N is essential in Y. Thus if  $M/N \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , then there exists a submodule Y of M such that  $N \subseteq^{e} Y$  and Y is a summand of M.

**Proposition 8.** For a submodule A of a module M, if A is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in a summand of M, then A is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in M.

Proof. Let  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$  with  $A \sigma$ -essentially closed in  $M_1$ . Let  $\pi$  denote the projection  $M_1 \oplus M_2 \twoheadrightarrow M_1$ . Assume that  $A \subseteq^{\sigma e} B \subseteq M$ . It is easy to see that  $A = \pi(A) \subseteq^{\sigma e} \pi(B) \subseteq M_1$ . Since A is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in  $M_1$ ,  $\pi(B) = A \subseteq B$ , and so  $(1 - \pi)(B) \subseteq B$ . Since  $(1 - \pi)(B) \cap A = 0$  and  $A \subseteq^e B$ ,  $(1 - \pi)(B) = 0$ . Thus  $A \subseteq^{\sigma e} B = \pi(B) \subseteq M_1$ . Since A is  $\sigma$ -essentially closed in  $M_1$ , it holds that A = B.

**Lemma 9.** If  $M = A \oplus B$  and  $A \subseteq^{e} K \subseteq M$ , then K = A.

*Proof.* By modular law it follows that  $K = A \oplus (K \cap B)$ , and so  $A \cap (K \cap B) = 0$ . Since A is essential in  $K, K \cap B = 0$ , and so  $K = A \oplus (K \cap B) = A$ .

The following proposition generalize Theorem 2.8 in [5].

**Proposition 10.** Consider the following conditions.

It holds that (3)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (4)  $\rightarrow$  (1)  $\rightarrow$  (2). If ker  $f \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  for any idempotent  $f \in End_R(E_{\sigma}(M))$ , then (2)  $\rightarrow$  (3) holds.

- (1) M has  $(\sigma C_1)$  and  $(\sigma C_3)$ .
- (2)  $M = X \oplus Y$  for  $\sigma$ -dense submodules X, Y of M such that X is a complement of Y in M and Y is a complement of X in M.
- (3)  $f(M) \subseteq M$  for any idempotent f in  $End_R(E_{\sigma}(M))$ .
- (4) If  $E_{\sigma}(M) = \oplus E_i$ , then  $M = \oplus (M \cap E_i)$ .

*Proof.* (1) $\rightarrow$ (2): Let X and Y be  $\sigma$ -dense submodules of M such that X is a complement of Y in M and Y is a complement of X in M. Since X and Y are essentially closed in M, X and Y are direct summands of M by  $(\sigma - C_1)$ . Then  $X \oplus Y$  is  $\sigma$ -essential in M. By  $(\sigma - C_3), X \oplus Y$  is a direct summand of M, and so  $M = X \oplus Y \oplus Z \supseteq^e (X \oplus Y)$ . Therefore it follows that Z = 0, and so  $M = X \oplus Y$ .

 $(2) \rightarrow (3)$ : We assume that ker  $f \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  for any idempotent  $f \in \operatorname{End}_{R}(E_{\sigma}(M))$ . Let  $A_{1} = M \cap f(E_{\sigma}(M))$  and  $A_{2} = M \cap (1 - f)(E_{\sigma}(M))$ . Then  $A_{1} \cap A_{2} = 0$ . Since  $E_{\sigma}(M) = f(E_{\sigma}(M)) \oplus \ker f$  for any idempotent f in  $\operatorname{End}_{R}(E_{\sigma}(M))$  and  $M/A_{i} \simeq (M + f(E_{\sigma}(M)))/f(E_{\sigma}(M)) \subseteq E_{\sigma}(M)/f(E_{\sigma}(M)) \simeq \ker f \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}, M/A_{i} \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  for i = 1, 2. Let  $B_{1}$  be a complement of  $A_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  be a complement of  $B_{1}$  containing  $A_{2}$  in M and  $B_{2}$  is  $A_{1} \oplus B_{2} \to M$ . Then by  $(2) M = B_{1} \oplus B_{2} \oplus M$  such that  $(f - \pi)(x) = y$ . Then  $f(x) = y + \pi(x) \in M$ , and so  $f(x) \in A_{1} \oplus A_{2} \subseteq B_{1} \oplus B_{2} = M$ .  $\pi(x) = \pi(f(x)) + \pi(1 - f)(x) = f(x) + 0$ , and so y = 0. Thus  $M \cap (f - \pi)(M) = 0$ . Since M is essential in  $E_{\sigma}(M), (f - \pi)(M) = 0$ , and so  $f(M) = \pi(M) \subseteq M$ .

 $(3) \to (4): \text{ Let } E_{\sigma}(M) = \bigoplus_{i \in I} E_i, \text{ then it is clear that } M \supseteq \bigoplus_{i \in I} (M \cap E_i). \text{ Let } m \text{ be}$ an element of  $M \subseteq E_{\sigma}(M) = \bigoplus_{i \in I} E_i.$  Then there exists a finite index subset F of Isuch that  $m \in \bigoplus_{i \in F} E_i.$  Write  $E_{\sigma}(M) = (\bigoplus_{i \in F} E_i) \oplus (\bigoplus_{i \in I-F} E_i).$  Then there exist orthogonal idempotents  $f_i \in \text{End}_R(E_{\sigma}(M))(i \in F)$  such that  $E_i = f_i(E_{\sigma}(M)).$  Since  $f_i(M) \subseteq M$  by  $(3), m = \sum_{i \in F} f_i(m) \in \bigoplus_{i \in F} (M \cap E_i).$  Thus  $M \subseteq \bigoplus_{i \in I} (M \cap E_i), \text{ and } M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} (M \cap E_i).$   $(4) \to (1)$ : Let A be a  $\sigma$ -dense submodule of M. Consider the following exact sequence.  $0 \to M/A \to E_{\sigma}(M)/A \to E_{\sigma}(M)/M \to 0$ . Since  $\mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$  is closed under taking extensions,  $E_{\sigma}(M)/A \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . As  $E_{\sigma}(M)/A \twoheadrightarrow E_{\sigma}(M)/E_{\sigma}(A)$ ,  $E_{\sigma}(M)/E_{\sigma}(A) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Thus  $0 \to E_{\sigma}(A) \to E_{\sigma}(M) \to E_{\sigma}(M)/E_{\sigma}(A) \to 0$  splits. Then  $E_{\sigma}(M) = E_{\sigma}(A) \oplus E$ . By (4)  $M = (M \cap E_{\sigma}(A)) \oplus (M \cap E)$ . Since  $(M \cap E_{\sigma}(A))/A \subseteq E_{\sigma}(A)/A \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ , A is  $\sigma$ -essential in  $M \cap E_{\sigma}(A)$  which is a direct summand of M. Thus M has  $(\sigma - C_1)$ .

Let  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  be direct summands of M such that  $M_1 \cap M_2 = 0$  and  $M/M_1, M_2 \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Then  $M/(M_1 \oplus M_2) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Consider the following exact sequence.  $0 \to M/(M_1 \oplus M_2) \to E_{\sigma}(M)/(M_1 \oplus M_2) \to E_{\sigma}(M)/M \to 0$ . Thus  $E_{\sigma}(M)/(M_1 \oplus M_2) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Thus  $E_{\sigma}(M)/(E_{\sigma}(M_1) \oplus E_{\sigma}(M_2)) \in \mathcal{T}_{\sigma}$ . Thus  $0 \to E_{\sigma}(M_1) \oplus E_{\sigma}(M_2) \to E_{\sigma}(M) \to E_{\sigma}(M)/(E_{\sigma}(M_1) \oplus E_{\sigma}(M_2)) \to 0$  splits. Thus there exists a submodule E of  $E_{\sigma}(M)$  such that  $E_{\sigma}(M) = E_{\sigma}(M_1) \oplus E_{\sigma}(M_2) \oplus E$ . Then by (4)  $M = (M \cap E_{\sigma}(M_1)) \oplus (M \cap E_{\sigma}(M_2)) \oplus (M \cap E)$ . Since  $M_i$  is a summand of M and  $M_i$  is essential in  $M \cap E_{\sigma}(M_i), M_i = M \cap E_{\sigma}(M_i)$  by Lemma 9. Thus  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2 \oplus (M \cap E)$ , as desired. Thus M has  $(\sigma - C_3)$ .

 $(4) \to (3): \operatorname{End}_R(E_{\sigma}(M)) \ni f = f^2, \text{ then } E_{\sigma}(M) = f(E_{\sigma}(M)) \oplus f^{-1}(0). \text{ By } (4) M = (M \cap f(E_{\sigma}(M))) \oplus (M \cap f^{-1}(0)). \text{ For any } m \in M, \text{ there exists } x \in M \cap f(E_{\sigma}(M)) \text{ and } y \in M \cap f^{-1}(0) \text{ such that } m = x + y. \text{ Then } f(m) = f(x) + f(y) = x + 0 \in M, \text{ and so } f(M) \subseteq M.$ 

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