

# AN APPROACH FOR $\delta_{ss}$ – SUPPLEMENTED MODULES WITH IDEALS

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**Abstract.** The aim of this paper is to present  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented modules and investigate their main algebraic properties. Let  $J$  be an ideal of a ring  $S$  and  $A$  be an  $S$ -module. We call a module  $A$  is  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented, provided for each submodule  $B$  of  $A$ , there exists a direct summand  $C$  of  $A$  such that  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . We prove that the factor module by any fully invariant submodule remains so, when the module is  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented. We show that any direct sum of  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented modules preserves its  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented property when this direct sum is a duo module. Additionally, we make comparisons of  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented modules with other module types.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout the study, we denote by  $S$  an associative ring with unit, and whole modules under consideration are assumed to be unitary left  $S$ -modules. When we use the notation  ${}_S S$  ( $S_S$ ), we refer to the left  $S$ -module (the right  $S$ -module) over the ring  $S$ . Let  $A$  be such a module. By the implications  $B \leq A$  and  $B \leq^{\oplus} A$ , we mean that  $B$  is a submodule of  $A$  and  $B$  is a direct summand of  $A$ , respectively.  $B \leq A$  is said to be *small* in  $A$ , denoted as  $B \ll A$ , if  $A \neq B + X$  for each proper  $X \leq A$  (see [1]). Dually,  $B \leq A$  is said to be *essential* in  $A$ , notated as  $B \trianglelefteq A$ , if  $B \cap X \neq 0$  for each nonzero  $X \leq A$ . A module  $A$  is said to be *singular* provided  $A \cong A'/B$  for some module  $A'$  and  $B \trianglelefteq A'$  (see [2-3]). A nonzero module  $A$  is said to be *hollow* in case each proper submodule of  $A$  is small in  $A$  and it is said to be *local* in case the sum of whole proper submodules of  $A$  is also a proper submodule of  $A$ . A ring  $S$  is said to be *local* if  ${}_S S$  is a local module (see [4]). For a module  $A$ ,  $Soc(A)$  and  $Rad(A)$  indicate the socle and the radical of  $A$ , respectively. It can be clearly observed that  $A$  is a local module if and only if  $Rad(A) \leq A$  is a maximal submodule and  $Rad(A) \ll A$  (see [4, 41.4]). A submodule  $B$  of a module  $A$  is called *d-closed* provided the factor module  $A/B$  has a zero socle (see [5]). In [5], a module  $A$  is called *D-extending* provided each d-closed submodule of  $A$  is a direct summand. A module  $A$  is called *semiartinian* provided each nonzero homomorphic image of  $A$  includes a simple submodule, that is,  $Soc(A/B) \neq 0$  for each proper submodule  $B$  of  $A$ .

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Let  $A$  be a module and  $B \leq A$ . A submodule  $C$  is termed a *supplement* of  $B$  in  $A$ , if it is a minimal element within the collection of submodules  $K$  of  $A$  where  $A = B + K$ .  $C$  is a supplement of  $B$  in  $A$  if and only if  $A = B + C$  and  $B \cap C \ll C$ . A module  $A$  is said to be *supplemented* if each submodule of  $A$  has a supplement in  $A$ . Semisimple, artinian and local modules are supplemented. A module  $A$  is said to be *amply supplemented* in case for any  $B, C \leq A$  with  $A = B + C$ , there exists a supplement of  $B$  in  $A$  that is included in  $C$  (for the details, see [4, Section 41]). In recent years, several authors have studied structures similar to supplement submodules through the use of (pre)radicals for the category of left  $S$ -modules. Let  $B \leq A$  be modules. In [6], a submodule  $B$  of  $A$  is called to be an *sa-supplement* in  $A$  provided there exists a  $C \leq A$  such that  $A = B + C$  and  $B \cap C$  is a semiartinian module. In [7], a submodule  $B$  of  $A$  is said to have a  $Z^*$ -supplement  $C$  in  $A$  provided  $A = B + C$  and  $B \cap C \leq Z^*(C)$ . Here  $Z^*(C)$  is the set of elements  $c \in C$  for which the cyclic submodule  $Rc$  is small in its injective hull.

In [8], Zhou has defined  $\delta$ -small submodules as a more comprehensive class that includes small submodules, and has emphasized their crucial role within the context of supplements. Let  $A$  be a module. The author defines  $B \leq A$  as  $\delta$ -small in  $A$  if, in cases where  $A = B + B'$  and  $A/B'$  is singular, so  $B' = A$ . We signify this description with the notation  $B \ll_{\delta} A$ . Each projective semisimple submodule or small submodule of a module  $A$  is  $\delta$ -small in  $A$ . Following a similar approach to [8, Lemma 1.5], we will employ the notation  $\delta(A)$  to represent the sum of whole  $\delta$ -small submodules of  $A$ . Given that  $Rad(A)$  denotes the sum of whole small submodules of  $A$ , therefore  $Rad(A) \leq \delta(A)$ . So for any ring  $S$ ,  $\delta(S) = \delta({}_S S)$ .

In [9], a module  $A$  is said to be  $\delta$ -supplemented in case each  $B \leq A$  has a  $\delta$ -supplement  $C$  in  $A$ , that is,  $A = B + C$  and  $B \cap C \ll_{\delta} C$ . Also in the same paper, a module  $A$  is said to be *amply  $\delta$ -supplemented* provided, for any  $B, C \leq A$  with  $A = B + C$ ,  $B$  has a  $\delta$ -supplement  $X$  in  $A$  such that  $X \leq C$ .

In [10], a submodule  $C$  is said to be an *ss-supplement* of  $B$  in a module  $A$  if  $A = B + C$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_S(C)$ . Here  $Soc_S(C)$  is the sum of whole small submodules that are simple as defined in [11]. It is proved in [10, Lemma 3] that  $C$  is an ss-supplement of  $B$  in  $A$  if and only if  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  is semisimple and  $B \cap C \ll C$  if and only if  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  is semisimple and  $B \cap C \leq Rad(C)$ . Moreover, the authors termed a module  $A$  as *ss-supplemented* if each submodule of  $A$  has an ss-supplement in  $A$ . In the same paper, a module  $A$  is defined as *strongly local* if the module  $A$  meets two criteria; firstly,  $A$  must be local and secondly,  $Rad(A)$  must be semisimple. A ring  $S$  is said to be *left strongly local* if  ${}_S S$  is a strongly local module.

In [12], the concept of  $\oplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module is introduced. A module  $A$  is termed as  $\oplus_{ss}$ -supplemented if each submodule of  $A$  has an ss-supplement which is also a direct summand of  $A$ . The author has explored various properties of these modules in the paper.

In the study [13], a module  $A$  is said to be  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented provided each submodule  $B$  of  $A$  has a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement  $C$  in  $A$ , i.e.,  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  is semisimple and  $B \cap C \ll_{\delta} C$ . The authors have proved in [13, Lemma 3.3] that  $C$  serves as a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement of  $B$  in  $A$  if and only if the conditions  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  being semisimple and  $B \cap C \leq \delta(C)$  holds. In the same study, for a module  $A$ , the submodule  $Soc_{\delta}(A)$  is defined as the sum of whole simple submodules that are  $\delta$ -small within the module  $A$ . [13, Proposition 3.1] presents the fact that  $Soc_{\delta}(A) = Soc(A) \cap \delta(A)$ . Hence  $C \leq A$  is said to be  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement of  $B$  in  $A$ , if  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . It can be observed that  $Soc_S(A) \leq Soc_{\delta}(A)$ , for any module  $A$ .

In [14], a module  $A$  is said to be  $\oplus - \delta_{SS}$ -supplemented provided each submodule of  $A$  has a  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplement that is a direct summand of  $A$ . In this paper, the author also determined the rings whose modules are  $\oplus - \delta_{SS}$ -supplemented.

Based on the results mentioned above, we can define the concept of  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -modules, where  $J$  is any ideal of the ring  $S$ . It is demonstrated that the class of  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented modules remains unchanged when considering factor modules by fully invariant submodules. Exactly, it has been established that any direct sum of  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented modules is a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented module provided that it is a duo module. Indeed, we draw comparisons between this concept and  $\oplus_{SS}$ -supplemented modules as well as  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented modules. It is established that for a projective  $S$ -module  $A$  with the condition  $Soc_{\delta}(A) \leq JA$ , where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$ , the module  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented module if and only if it is a  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented module. It is proved that a projective  $S$ -module  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented module where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$  containing  $Soc({}_S S)$  if and only if  $A$  is a  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented module. It is verified that a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module  $A$ , where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$  is coatomic if and only if  $JA$  is  $\delta$ -small in  $A$ . It is showed that each fully invariant direct summand  $B$  and the factor module  $A/B$  of a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented module  $A$  are  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented.

## 2. MAIN RESULTS

**Proposition 2.1.** Let  $A$  be a projective  $S$ -module. Then  $A$  is a  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented module if and only if for each  $B \leq A$ , there exists a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  is semisimple and  $B \cap C \leq \delta(S)C$ .

*Proof:* The proof is derived from [13, Lemma 2.2], [13, Theorem 5.6] and [8, Lemma 1.9].

Considering the fact above, we realize that a new concept has emerged.

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$ . We call the module  $A$  as being  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented, in case for each submodule  $B$  of  $A$ , there exists a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ .

It is explicit that for each ideal  $J$  of  $S$ , each  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module is  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented. In the sequel, we will provide an example of a module which is  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented but not  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented for any ideal  $J$  of  $S$ . Also semisimple  $S$ -modules are  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented for each ideal  $J$  of  $S$ .

**Lemma 2.3.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  having the condition  $JA = 0$ . Then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{SS}}$ -supplemented module if and only if  $A$  is a semisimple module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . Then by the hypothesis, there is a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Since  $JC \leq JA = 0$ , then we obtain that  $A = B \oplus C$ . Thus  $A$  is a semisimple module. The other part of the proof is explicit.

Assume that  $A$  represents a module over the commutative domain  $S$ . Consider the set of whole  $x \in A$  for which a nonzero element  $s$  of  $S$  exists and has the property  $sx = 0$ , say

$T(A)$ . The fact that  $T(A)$  is a submodule of  $A$  is widely acknowledged. This submodule  $T(A)$  of  $A$  is named as *torsion submodule* of  $A$ . When  $T(A) = A$ , the module  $A$  is said to be *torsion module*. The module  $A$  is said to be *torsion-free* in case  $T(A) = 0$  (see [3, Chapter 4.8, Exercise 11]).

Analysis to the explanations in [13] yields the following result.

**Proposition 2.4.** Let  $A$  be a torsion-free  $S$ -module, where  $S$  is a Dedekind domain that is not field. Then  $A$  is a semisimple module if and only if  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* To prove the sufficiency, let  $B \leq A$ . Then by the hypothesis, there exists a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Note that  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(A)$ . Since  $A$  is a torsion-free module, then  $Soc_{\delta}(A) = 0$ . This implies that  $A = B \oplus C$ . Hence  $A$  is semisimple. The rest of the proof is explicit.

Following [15], a module  $A$  is said to be  $\delta$ -local if  $\delta(A) \ll_{\delta} A$  and  $\delta(A) \leq A$  is a maximal submodule. By strengthening the notion of  $\delta$ -local modules, in [13], a module  $A$  is said to be *strongly  $\delta$ -local* in cases  $\delta(A) \leq A$  is a maximal submodule,  $\delta(A) \ll_{\delta} A$  and  $\delta(A)$  is semisimple.

**Proposition 2.5.** Let  $A$  be a finitely generated  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$ . If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then  $A = \sum_{\lambda=1}^n A_{\lambda}$ , where each  $A_{\lambda}$  is a strongly  $\delta$ -local module or a projective semisimple module.

*Proof:* It follows from [13, Corollary 4.11], since  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented modules are  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented.

**Proposition 2.6.** Let  $A$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module with  $\delta(A) = A$ . Then  $A$  is a projective semisimple module.

*Proof:* By assumption,  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module with  $\delta(A) = A$ . Therefore, the result is derived from [13, Proposition 4.17].

Based on the proposition mentioned above, it is evident that a hollow radical  $S$ -module cannot be considered as a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented for any ideal  $J$  of  $S$ . When we combine this observation with [13, Proposition 4.18], we reach the conclusion below:

**Corollary 2.7.** Let  $A$  be a hollow module. If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then it is a strongly local module.

As a reminder from [16] that a module  $A$  is said to be *semilocal* if the factor module  $A/Rad(A)$  is a semisimple module and a ring  $S$  is said to be *semilocal* if  ${}_S S$  (or  $S_S$ ) is a semilocal module.

**Proposition 2.8.** Let  $A$  be a projective module. If  $A$  is a semilocal and  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then  $A$  is an  $ss$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* It follows from [13, Proposition 5.9].

**Proposition 2.9.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  with the property for any ideal  $J$  of  $S$ ,  $\delta(A) \leq JA$ . If  $A$  is a strongly  $\delta$ -local module, then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . If  $B \leq \delta(A)$ , then  $B$  is semisimple as  $\delta(A) \leq Soc(A)$ . Thus  $B \ll_{\delta} A$  by [13, Lemma 2.2]. Therefore we have  $A = B + A$ ,  $B = B \cap A \leq Soc_{\delta}(A)$ . Since  $B = B \cap A \leq \delta(A)$ , then  $B \cap A \leq JA$ . Hence  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module. Assume that  $B \not\leq \delta(A)$ . Since  $\delta(A) \leq A$  is a maximal submodule, then  $A = B + \delta(A)$ . This leads to the conclusion that  $A = B \oplus P$ , where  $P$  is a projective semisimple submodule of  $\delta(A)$  as  $\delta(A) \ll_{\delta} A$  by [8, Lemma 1.2]. Hence  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Proposition 2.10.** Let  $A$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module. If  $A$  is a  $\delta$ -local module, then  $A$  is a strongly  $\delta$ -local module.

*Proof:* By assumption,  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module. Then the result is derived from [13, Proposition 4.5].

**Proposition 2.11.** Let  $A$  be a projective  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  with  $Soc_{\delta}(A) \leq JA$ . Then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module if and only if  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* The first direction of the proof is explicit. Conversely, let  $A$  be  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module and  $B \leq A$ . Then  $B$  has a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement  $C$  with  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$  as  $A$  is projective by [13, Theorem 5.6]. Thus we conclude that  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Note that  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(A)$ . Then by assumption,  $B \cap C \leq JA$ . Therefore, we conclude that  $B \cap C \leq C \cap JA = JC$  by [17, Lemma 3.4]. Hence  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Corollary 2.12.** Let  $S$  be a ring and  $A$  be an  $S$ -module. If either  $A$  is a projective module, or  $S/\delta(S)$  is a semisimple ring, then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module for an ideal  $J$  of  $S$  containing  $\delta(S)$  if and only if  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* If a module  $A$  is projective, then  $\delta(A) = \delta(S)A$  by [8, Lemma 1.9]. Also note that if  $S/\delta(S)$  is a semisimple ring, then  $\delta(A) = \delta(S)A$  for each  $S$ -module  $A$  by [8, Theorem 1.8]. It follows from  $Soc_{\delta}(A) \leq \delta(A)$  that we can deduce the result from Proposition 2.11.

**Corollary 2.13.** Let  $A$  be a projective  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  which includes  $Soc({}_S S)$ . Then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module if and only if  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

The next step will show an example of a module that is  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented although it is not  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented with respect to any ideal  $J$  of  $S$ .

**Example 2.14.** Let  $Q = \prod_{\lambda=1}^{\infty} Q_{\lambda}$ , where  $Q_{\lambda} = \mathbb{Z}_2$ . Suppose that  $S$  is the subring of  $Q$  generated by  $\bigoplus_{\lambda=1}^{\infty} Q_{\lambda}$  and  $1_Q$ . Say  $A = {}_S S$ . Then  $A$  is a regular module that is not semisimple. Thus  $Soc(A)$  is a maximal submodule. By [8, Example 4.1],  $Soc(A) = \delta(A) \ll_{\delta} A$ .  $A$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module by [13, Lemma 4.1]. On the other hand, since  $Rad(S)A = 0$ ,  $A$  is not a  $Rad(S)_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module by Proposition 2.11.

**Example 2.15.** Assume that  $t$  is a prime integer,  $i \geq 3$  and  $A$  denotes the local  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module  $\mathbb{Z}_{t^i}$ . By [13, Example 4.4(2)],  $A$  is not a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplemented module. Hence for at least one ideal  $J$  of  $\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $A$  can not be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Proposition 2.16.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$ . If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then  $A/JA$  is a semisimple module.

*Proof:* Let  $JA \leq B \leq A$ . Then by the hypothesis, there is a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$  provided that  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Thus  $A/JA = B/JA + (C + JA)/JA$ . Therefore we obtain that  $B \cap (C + JA) = JA + (B \cap C) = JA$ . This implies that  $B/JA \leq^{\oplus} A/JA$ . Hence  $A/JA$  is a semisimple module.

A module  $A$  is called *coatomic* if, each proper submodule is included in a maximal submodule of  $A$  (see [18]). Semisimple modules and finitely generated modules can be given as examples of coatomic modules. It is a commonly established fact that coatomic modules have small radical.

**Corollary 2.17.** Let  $A$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module, where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$ . Then  $JA$  is  $\delta$ -small in  $A$  if and only if  $A$  is a coatomic module.

*Proof:* ( $\Rightarrow$ ) If  $JA = A$ , then  $A \ll_{\delta} A$ , and hence  $A$  is a projective semisimple module. Suppose that  $JA \neq A$  and  $B \leq A$ . If  $B + JA = A$ , then there exists a projective semisimple submodule  $P \leq JA$  with  $A = P \oplus B$  by [8, Lemma 1.2]. Suppose that  $P = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} P_{\lambda}$ , where each  $P_{\lambda}$  is simple and  $\Lambda$  is some index set. For some  $\lambda_0 \in \Lambda$ , say  $X = B \oplus (\bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda \setminus \{\lambda_0\}} P_{\lambda})$ . Then  $B \leq X$ . Thus  $A/X \cong P_{\lambda_0}$ , and so  $X \leq A$  is a maximal submodule. Now assume that  $B + JA \neq A$ . Then  $(B + JA)/JA \leq A/JA$  is a proper submodule. Since  $A/JA$  is semisimple according to Proposition 2.16, there is a maximal submodule  $K/JA \leq A/JA$  that contains  $(B + JA)/JA$ . Therefore  $K \leq A$  is a maximal submodule containing  $B$ . Hence  $A$  is a coatomic module.

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Since  $A$  is a coatomic module, then by [8, Lemma 1.5(4)],  $\delta(A)$  is the only biggest  $\delta$ -small submodule of  $A$ . By assumption, we have  $A = JA + A$ ,  $JA = JA \cap A \leq JA$  and  $JA \leq Soc_{\delta}(A) \leq \delta(A)$ . Thus  $JA \ll_{\delta} A$  by [8, Lemma 1.3(1)].

**Corollary 2.18.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  and  $A = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} A_{\lambda}$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module, where each  $A_{\lambda}$  is either a strongly  $\delta$ -local module or a projective semisimple module. Then  $JA$  is  $\delta$ -small in  $A$ .

*Proof:* It follows from [13, Theorem 2.9] and Corollary 2.17.

**Proposition 2.19.** Let  $A$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module for an ideal  $J$  of  $S$ . If  $JA \leq Rad(A)$ , then  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . By the hypothesis, there exists a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$  provided that  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Note that  $B \cap C$  is a semisimple module. Since  $JA \leq Rad(A)$ , we have  $JC = C \cap JA \leq C \cap Rad(A) = Rad(C)$  by [17, Lemma 3.4]. Thus  $B \cap C \leq Rad(C)$ . Hence  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

**Proposition 2.20.** Let  $S$  be a Dedekind domain and  $A = T(A)$  be an  $S$ -module. If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . Then by assumption, there exists  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$  provided that  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C \leq JC$  and  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Note that  $B \cap C \ll_{\delta} C$ , and so  $B \cap C \ll_{\delta} A$  by [8, Lemma 1.3(2)]. Then  $B \cap C \ll A$  by [17, Proposition 2.6]. Therefore  $B \cap C \ll C$  by [4, 19.3(5)]. So  $B \cap C$  is a semisimple module. Hence  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

Let  $B \leq A$ .  $B$  is said to be *fully invariant* if for each endomorphism  $\psi$  of  $A$ ,  $\psi(B) \leq B$ . A module  $A$  is said to be *duo* if whole of its submodules are fully invariant as defined in [19].

**Proposition 2.21.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  and an  $S$ -module  $A = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} A_{\lambda}$  be a duo module. If  $A_{\lambda}$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module for each  $\lambda \in \Lambda$ , then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . Then  $B = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} (B \cap A_{\lambda})$  by [19, Lemma 2.1]. By the hypothesis, there exists a  $C_{\lambda} \leq^{\oplus} A_{\lambda}$ , where  $A_{\lambda} = (B \cap A_{\lambda}) + C_{\lambda}$ ,  $B \cap C_{\lambda} \leq JC_{\lambda}$  and  $B \cap C_{\lambda} \leq Soc_{\delta}(C_{\lambda})$  for each  $\lambda \in \Lambda$ . Put  $C = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} C_{\lambda}$ . It is explicit that  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$  and  $A = B + C$ . Moreover, we have  $B \cap C = \bigoplus_{\lambda \in \Lambda} (B \cap C_{\lambda}) \leq JC$ , and so by [8, Lemma 1.5(3)] and [4, 21.2(5)],  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Hence  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Proposition 2.22.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  and  $A$  be a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module having the condition  $Rad(A) \leq JA$ . Then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $B \leq A$ . Then there is a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = B + C$ ,  $B \cap C$  is semisimple and  $B \cap C \ll C$ . Note that  $B \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Moreover,  $JC = C \cap JA$  by [17, Lemma 3.4]. Since  $Rad(A) \leq JA$ ,  $Rad(C) = Rad(A) \cap C \leq JA \cap C = JC$  by [17, Lemma 3.4]. Hence  $B \cap C \leq Rad(C) \leq JC$ . This gives the desired.

**Corollary 2.23.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  and  $A$  be an  $S$ -module. If  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module, where  $JA = A$ , then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Corollary 2.24.** Let  $T$  be a maximal ideal of a commutative ring  $S$ ,  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $T'$  be an ideal of  $S$  provided that  $TA = T'A$ . If  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module, then  $A$  is a  $T'_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Since  $Rad(A) \leq TA = T'A$ , the result follows from Proposition 2.22.

Recall from [4] that an  $S$ -module  $A$  over a commutative domain  $S$  is said to be *divisible* in case  $sA = A$  for each nonzero  $s \in S$ .

**Corollary 2.25.** Let  $A$  be a divisible  $S$ -module, where  $S$  is a commutative domain. If  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module, then  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module for each nonzero ideal  $J$  of  $S$ .

*Proof:* The proof follows from Corollary 2.23.

Recall from [4, 23.7] that a ring  $S$  is said to be *left good ring* if  $Rad(A) = Rad(S)A$  for each  $S$ -module  $A$ . For instance, semilocal rings are left good rings.

**Corollary 2.26.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module. If either  $A$  is a projective module, or  $S$  is a left good ring, then  $A$  is a  $Rad(S)_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module if and only if  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Since  $Rad(S)A = Rad(A)$  by [4, 23.7], the result can be obtained from Proposition 2.19 and Proposition 2.22.

**Corollary 2.27.** Let  $A$  be an  $S$ -module. If either  $A$  is a projective module, or  $S/\delta(S)$  is a semisimple ring, then  $A$  is a  $\delta(S)_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module if and only if  $A$  is a  $\bigoplus_{ss}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Since  $\delta(S)A = \delta(A)$  by [8, Theorem 1.8], the result can be derived from Proposition 2.19 and Proposition 2.22.

A module  $A$  is said to be *distributive* if  $(B + C) \cap K = (B \cap K) + (C \cap K)$  for each  $B, C, K \leq A$  (or equivalently,  $(B \cap C) + K = (B + K) \cap (C + K)$ , for each  $B, C, K \leq A$ ).

**Proposition 2.28.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$  and  $A$  be a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

- 1) If  $B \leq A$  having the property  $(B + C)/B \leq^{\oplus} A/B$  for each  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , then  $A/B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.
- 2) If  $B \leq A$  is a fully invariant submodule, then  $A/B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.
- 3) If  $A$  is a distributive module, then  $A/B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module for each  $B \leq A$ .

*Proof:* (1) Suppose that  $B \leq K \leq A$ . Since  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, there exists a  $C \leq^{\oplus} A$ , where  $A = K + C$ ,  $K \cap C \leq JC$  and  $K \cap C \leq Soc_{\delta}(C)$ . Then  $A/B = (K/B) + ((C + B)/B)$  and  $(K/B) \cap ((C + B)/B) = ((K \cap C) + B)/B \leq (JC + B)/B \leq J((C + B)/B)$ . Let  $\pi: C \rightarrow (C + B)/B$  be the canonical projection. Since  $K \cap C \ll_{\delta} C$ , we have  $\pi(K \cap C) = ((K \cap C) + B)/B \ll_{\delta} (C + B)/B$  by [8, Lemma 1.3(2)]. Also,  $\pi(K \cap C)$  is a semisimple module as a factor module of the semisimple module  $K \cap C$  by [3, 8.1.5]. Therefore  $((K \cap C) + B)/B \leq Soc_{\delta}((C + B)/B)$ . Since  $(C + B)/B \leq^{\oplus} A/B$  by assumption, then  $A/B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

(2) and (3) are results of (1).

**Corollary 2.29.** Let  $J$  be an ideal of  $S$ ,  $A$  be an  $S$ -module and  $B \leq^{\oplus} A$  be fully invariant. If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, then  $B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

*Proof:* Suppose that  $L \leq B$ . By the hypothesis, there are submodules  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  with  $A = A_1 \oplus A_2 = A_1 + L$ ,  $A_1 \cap L \leq JA_1$  and  $A_1 \cap L \leq Soc_{\delta}(A_1)$ . Note that  $B = (A_1 \cap B) + L$ . Since  $B \leq A$  is a fully invariant submodule, then  $B = (A_1 \cap B) \oplus (A_2 \cap B)$  by [19, Lemma 2.1]. Thus  $A_1 \cap B \leq^{\oplus} A$ . However,  $J(A_1 \cap B) = (A_1 \cap B) \cap JA$  by [17, Lemma 3.4]. For this reason  $(A_1 \cap B) \cap L = A_1 \cap L \leq (A_1 \cap B) \cap JA = J(A_1 \cap B)$ . Since  $A_1 \cap L \leq Soc_{\delta}(A_1)$  and  $A_1 \cap B \leq^{\oplus} A_1$ , we have  $A_1 \cap L \leq Soc_{\delta}(A_1 \cap B)$  by [8, Lemma 1.3(3)]. Therefore  $B$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module.

**Lemma 2.30.** Let  $C$  be proper submodule of  $A$ , where  $A/C$  is cyclic. Then the following statements hold:



- 1) If  $K$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement of  $C$  in  $A$ , then  $K = P \oplus Sx$ , where  $P \leq K \cap C$  is a semisimple projective module and  $x \in K$ . In this case,  $Sx$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement of  $C$  in  $A$ .
- 2) If  $C$  has a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement that is a direct summand of  $A$ , then  $C$  has a cyclic  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement that is a direct summand of  $A$ .

*Proof:* (1) By assumption,  $A = K + C$ ,  $K \cap C$  is semisimple and  $K \cap C \ll_{\delta} K$ . Thus,  $A/C \cong K/(K \cap C)$  is cyclic. Assume that  $x$  is an element of  $K$  with  $K = (K \cap C) + Sx$ . Since  $K \cap C \ll_{\delta} K$ , there is a projective semisimple submodule  $P \leq K \cap C$  with  $K = P \oplus Sx$  by [8, Lemma 1.2]. Note that  $K \cap C = (P \oplus Sx) \cap C = P \oplus (Sx \cap C) \ll_{\delta} P \oplus Sx$ . By [8, Lemma 1.3(3)], we obtain that  $P \ll_{\delta} P$  and  $Sx \cap C \ll_{\delta} Sx$ . Therefore  $P$  is a projective semisimple module. Also note that  $A = Sx + C$  and  $Sx \cap C$  is semisimple as a submodule of  $K \cap C$  by [3, 8.1.5]. This indicates that  $Sx$  is a  $\delta_{ss}$ -supplement of  $C$  in  $A$ .

(2) is deduced from (1).

**Proposition 2.31.** Let  $S$  be a non-local Dedekind domain and  $Q$  be the quotient field of  $S$ . If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented  $S$ -module, where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$ , then  $A/T(A) \cong Q^{(\Lambda)}$  for some index set  $\Lambda$ .

*Proof:* Suppose that  $A$  includes a maximal submodule  $X$  containing  $T(A)$ . Since  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, there exists a cyclic  $Y \leq A$ , where  $A = X + Y$ ,  $X \cap Y$  is semisimple and  $X \cap Y \ll_{\delta} Y$  by Lemma 2.30. Let  $S'$  be an ideal of  $S$  with  $Y \cong S/S'$ . Since  $Y$  is not a submodule of  $X$ ,  $Y$  is not a torsion module. Thus  $S' = 0$  and  $Y \cong {}_S S$ . Therefore  $Y$  is an indecomposable module. By [17, Proposition 2.3], we have  $X \cap Y \ll Y$ . Since  $Y/(X \cap Y) \cong A/X$ ,  $Y \leq A$  is a strongly local submodule. This is a contradiction, since  $S$  is not a local ring. Therefore  $Rad(A/T(A)) = A/T(A)$ . Hence  $A/T(A)$  is an injective module, and so there is an index set  $\Lambda$  with  $A/T(A) \cong Q^{(\Lambda)}$ .

**Proposition 2.32.** Let  $S$  be a Dedekind domain which is not local and  $A$  be a finitely generated  $S$ -module. If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$ , then  $A$  is a torsion module.

*Proof:* Since  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, there exist  $X, Y \leq A$ , where  $A = X \oplus Y = T(A) + Y$ ,  $T(A) \cap Y \leq JY$  and  $T(A) \cap Y \leq Soc_{\delta}(Y)$ . Since  $T(A) = T(X) \oplus T(Y)$ , we have  $A = T(X) \oplus Y$  and  $T(A) = T(X) \oplus (T(A) \cap Y)$ . Hence  $T(X) = X$  and  $T(Y) = T(A) \cap Y$ . Thus  $T(Y) \ll_{\delta} Y$ . So  $T(Y) \ll Y$  by [17, Proposition 2.6]. Note that  $A/T(A) \cong Y/T(Y)$  is divisible by Proposition 2.31. Then we have  $sY + T(Y) = Y$  for each nonzero element  $s$  of  $S$ . Accordingly, for each nonzero  $s \in S$ ,  $sY = Y$ . This means that  $Y$  is a divisible module, that is,  $Rad(Y) = Y$ . But  $Rad(Y) \ll Y$  since  $Rad(A) \ll A$ . Hence  $Y = 0$  and  $A = X$  is a torsion module.

**Corollary 2.33.** Let  $S$  be a Dedekind domain which is not local and  $A$  be a finitely generated  $S$ -module. If  $A$  is a  $J_{\delta_{ss}}$ -supplemented module, where  $J$  is an ideal of  $S$ , then  $A$  is a torsion module, where  $JA$  is  $\delta$ -small in  $A$ .

*Proof:* It is derived from Corollary 2.17 and Proposition 2.32.

### 3. CONCLUSION

In [13], Nişancı Türkmen and Türkmen described the notion of  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented modules and analyzed all of their algebraic properties. They have established that when the module is projective, necessary and sufficient condition for it to be  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented is that each submodule of it has a  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplement which is also a direct summand of the module itself. Moreover, as mentioned in Zhou's paper, for a projective  $S$ -module  $A$ ,  $\delta(A)$  equals  $\delta(S)A$ . With these observations, we arrive at the fact that we can approach  $\delta_{SS}$ -supplemented  $S$ -modules by considering any ideal  $J$  of the ring  $S$ , for which we can also make use of direct summands, and thus we define the modules in this study.

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