

# On the Generalization of Dedekind Modules

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- It has been investigating module theory over commutative domains from the view-point of arithmetic ideal theory ( Ali (2006), El-Bast and Smith (1988) , Naoum and Al-Alwan (1996), Saraç, Smith, Tiras (2007)). They mainly focus on multiplication modules except for Dedekind modules.
- However if  $M$  is a projective  $R$ -module with the uniform dimension  $n$ , where  $R$  is a Dedekind domain, then  $M$  is neither a multiplication module nor a Dedekind module if  $n \geq 2$ .
- It turns out that  $M$  is a generalized Dedekind module.
- We have started studying modules theory over commutative domains, without the condition:  $M$  is a multiplication module

- $R$  is an integrally closed domain with its quotient field  $K$ .
- $M$  is a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module with its quotient module  $KM$ .
- $R[X]$  is a polynomial ring over  $R$  in an indeterminate  $X$
- $M[X]$  is a polynomial  $R[X]$ -module.
- $K(X)$  is the quotient field of  $K[X]$ .

### Definition 1

An  $R$ -submodule  $N$  of  $KM$  is called a *fractional  $R$ -submodule* in  $KM$  if there is a  $0 \neq r \in R$  such that  $rN \subseteq M$  and  $KN = KM$ . If  $M \supseteq N$ , then  $N$  is a *integral submodule* of  $M$ .

### Lemma 1

Let  $N$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule. Then  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M) = \{r \in R \mid rM \subseteq N\}$  is a non-zero ideal.

For any  $R$ -submodule  $\mathfrak{a}$  of  $K$ , we denote

$$\mathfrak{a}^+ = \{m \in KM \mid \mathfrak{a}m \subseteq M\}.$$

### Definition 2

An  $R$ -submodule  $\mathfrak{a}$  of  $K$  is called a *fractional  $M$ -ideal* if there is a  $0 \neq m \in M$  such that  $\mathfrak{a}m \subseteq M$  and  $K\mathfrak{a}^+ = KM$ . If  $R \supseteq \mathfrak{a}$ , then  $\mathfrak{a}$  is just a non-zero ideal.

### Lemma 2

1. Any fractional  $R$ -ideal in  $K$  is a fractional  $M$ -ideal.
2. Let  $N$  be an  $R$ -submodule of  $KM$ . Then  $KN = KM$  if and only if  $N$  is an essential  $R$ -submodule of  $KM$ .

For a fractional  $R$ -submodule  $N$  in  $KM$ , we define

- $N^- = \{k \in K \mid kN \subseteq M\}$ , a fractional  $M$ -ideal in  $K$ .
- $N_v = (N^-)^+$  which is a fractional  $R$ -submodule in  $KM$  and  $N_v \supseteq N$ .

### Definition 3

A fractional  $R$ -submodule  $N$  in  $KM$  is called a  $v$ -submodule in  $KM$  if  $N = N_v$ .

### Lemma 3

Let  $N$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule in  $KM$ . Then

1.  $M = M_v$ .
2.  $(kN)_v = kN_v$  for any  $k \in K$ .
3.  $N^- = (N_v)^-$ .



## Definition

We recall that  $M$  is called a *Dedekind modules* if each submodule  $N$  of  $M$  is invertible, that is,  $N^{-1}N = M$ .

### Definition 4

A module  $M$  is called a *generalized Dedekind module* ( a G-Dedekind module for short) if

- a each  $v$ -submodule of  $M$  is invertible and
- b  $M$  satisfies the ascending chain condition on  $v$ -submodules of  $M$ .

### Lemma 4

Let  $R$  be an integrally closed domain. Let  $\mathfrak{a}$  be an invertible fractional ideal in  $K$  and let  $N$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule of  $KM$ . Then  $(\mathfrak{a}N)_v = \mathfrak{a}N_v$ .

## Theorem 1

Suppose  $R$  is a Dedekind domain and  $M$  is a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module. Then

1. Each  $v$ -submodule  $N$  of  $M$  is the form:  $N = \mathfrak{n}M$  for some ideal  $\mathfrak{n}$  of  $R$  and  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M)$ .
2.  $M$  is a G-Dedekind module.

Sketch of Proof :

First we show that for any  $P$  a maximal  $v$ -submodule of  $M$  (submodules maximal amongst the  $v$ -submodules of  $M$ ),  $P$  is a prime submodule of  $M$  such that  $\mathfrak{p} = (P : M) \neq (0)$  is a prime ideal of  $R$ .

Then we show that for any  $P$  a prime  $v$ -submodule of  $M$ ,  $P = \mathfrak{p}M$ , where  $\mathfrak{p} = (P : M)$ .

Conversely, let  $P = \mathfrak{p}M$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}$  is a maximal ideal of  $R$ . Then we show that  $P$  is a prime  $v$ -submodule of  $M$ .

Finally we prove that each  $v$ -submodule  $N$  of  $M$  is of the form  $N = \mathfrak{n}M$  for some ideal  $\mathfrak{n}$  of  $R$ .

Recall Proposition 3.6 and Theorem 3.12 of paper of Alkan, Saraç, Tiras (2005) and Theorem 3.1 of paper of El-Bast and Smith (1988).

We prove it from generalized Dedekind modules point of view.

### Corollary 1

Let  $R$  be an integrally closed domain with its quotient field  $K$  and  $M$  a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module. If  $M$  is a Dedekind module, then  $u - \dim M = 1$ .

### Proposition 1

Let  $M$  be a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module and  $R$  be a Noetherian integrally closed domain. Then  $M$  is a Dedekind module if and only if  $M$  is a multiplication module with  $\text{u-dim } M = 1$  and  $R$  is a Dedekind domain.

### Proposition 2

Let  $M$  be a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module, where  $R$  is an integrally closed domain. Then  $M$  is a Noetherian valuation module if and only if  $M$  is a multiplication module with  $\text{u-dim } M = 1$  and  $R$  is a Noetherian valuation domain.

### Lemma 5

Let  $\mathfrak{n}$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule with  $M \supseteq \mathfrak{n}$  and  $N = \mathfrak{n}[X]$ . Then

1.  $N^- = \mathfrak{n}^-[X]$ .
2.  $N_v = \mathfrak{n}_v[X]$ .

### Lemma 6

Let  $P$  be a prime  $R[X]$ -submodule of  $M[X]$  with  $\mathfrak{p} = P \cap M \neq (0)$ . Then

1.  $\mathfrak{p}$  is a prime submodule of  $M$ .
2.  $P_1 = \mathfrak{p}[X]$  is a prime submodule of  $M[X]$ .

### Lemma 7

Let  $P$  be a prime  $v$ -submodule of  $M[X]$  such that  $\mathfrak{p} = P \cap M \neq (0)$ . Then

- (1)  $\mathfrak{p}$  is a prime  $v$ -submodule of  $M$  and  $\mathfrak{p} = \mathfrak{p}_0 M$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}_0$  is a maximal ideal of  $R$  with  $\mathfrak{p}_0 = (\mathfrak{p} : M)$ .
- (2)  $P = \mathfrak{p}[X] = \mathfrak{p}_0[X]M[X]$ , and  $\mathfrak{p}_0[X] = (P : M[X])$  is a minimal prime ideal of  $R[X]$ .

### Proposition 3

Let  $N$  be a  $v$ -submodule of  $M[X]$  with  $\mathfrak{n} = N \cap M \neq (0)$ . Then

- (1)  $\mathfrak{n}$  is a  $v$ -submodule of  $M$  and  $\mathfrak{n} = \mathfrak{n}_0 M$  for some ideal  $\mathfrak{n}_0$  of  $R$ .
- (2)  $N = \mathfrak{n}_0[X]M[X]$  and  $\mathfrak{n}_0[X] = (N : M[X])$ .

### Theorem 2

Let  $R$  be a Dedekind domain and  $M$  be a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module. Then

- (1) The  $R[X]$ -module  $M[X]$  is a generalized Dedekind module.
- (2) Any  $v$ -submodule  $N$  of  $M[X]$  is of the form:  $N = \mathfrak{n}M[X]$ , where  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M[X])$ .

## Sketch of Proof (1)

Let  $N$  be a  $\nu$ -submodule of  $M[X]$ .

If  $\mathfrak{n} = N \cap M \neq (0)$ , then  $N = \mathfrak{n}_0[X]M[X]$ . Hence  $N$  is an invertible submodule of  $M[X]$  since  $\mathfrak{n}_0[X]$  is an invertible ideal of  $R[X]$ .

In case  $N \cap M = (0)$ , if  $N$  is a maximal  $\nu$ -submodule of  $M[X]$ , then  $N = \mathfrak{p}M[X]$  for some minimal prime ideal of  $R[X]$ , which is invertible. Thus  $N$  is an invertible submodule of  $M[X]$ .

Suppose there is a  $\nu$ -submodule  $N$  of  $M[X]$  with  $N \cap M = (0)$  and  $N$  is not invertible. We may assume that  $N$  is maximal for this property. Then there is a maximal  $\nu$ -submodule  $P = \mathfrak{p}M[X]$  with  $P \supset N$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}$  is a minimal prime ideal of  $R[X]$  and  $M[X] \supseteq \mathfrak{p}^{-1}N \supseteq N$ . If  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N = N$ , then  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1} \subseteq R[X]$  by the determinant argument, a contradiction.

If  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N \cap M \neq (0)$ , then  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N = \mathfrak{m}_0[X]M[X]$  for some invertible ideal  $\mathfrak{m}_0[X]$  of  $R[X]$  and so  $N = \mathfrak{p}\mathfrak{m}_0[X]M[X]$ , an invertible submodule of  $M[X]$ , a contradiction.

If  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N \cap M = (0)$ , then by the choice of  $N$ ,  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N$  is invertible and so  $M[X] = (\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N)^{-1}\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N = \mathfrak{p}N^{-1}\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N = N^{-1}N$ , a contradiction.



## Sketch of Proof (2)

We assume that there is a  $v$ -submodule  $N$  of  $M[X]$  such that  $N \neq \mathfrak{n}M[X]$ , where  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M[X])$ . We may assume that  $N$  is maximal for this property. Then as in (1),  $\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N = \mathfrak{m}M[X]$ , where  $\mathfrak{m} = (\mathfrak{p}^{-1}N : M[X])$ , an invertible ideal of  $R[X]$ . Thus  $N = \mathfrak{p}\mathfrak{m}M[X]$ , a contradiction. Hence  $N = \mathfrak{n}M[X]$  for all  $v$ -submodule  $N$  of  $R[X]$ , where  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M[X])$ .

We denote by  $F(M)$  the set of all fractional  $R$ -submodules in  $KM$ . Recall the definition of  $*$ -operation as follow:

### Definition 5

A mapping  $N \rightarrow N^*$  of  $F(M)$  into  $F(M)$  is called a  $*$ -operation on  $M$  if the following conditions hold for each  $k \in K$  and all  $N, N_1 \in F(M)$ :

- (i)  $(kN)^* = kN^*$ .
- (ii)  $N \subseteq N^*$  and if  $N \subseteq N_1$ , then  $N^* \subseteq N_1^*$ .
- (iii)  $(N^*)^* = N^*$ .

### Lemma 8

The mapping  $v: F(M) \rightarrow F(M)$  given by  $N \rightarrow N_v$  is a  $*$ -operation on  $M$ .

### Lemma 9

- (1) Let  $N$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule in  $KM$ . Then  $N_v = \bigcap_{N \subseteq kM} kM$ , where  $k \in K$ .
- (2) Let  $\mathfrak{a}$  be a fractional  $R$ -ideal. Then  $(\mathfrak{a}M)_v = (\mathfrak{a}_v M)_v$ .
- (3) Let  $N$  be a fractional  $R$ -submodule in  $KM$  such that  $M \supseteq N$  and  $N = N_v$ . Then  $\mathfrak{n} = (N : M) = \{r \in R \mid rm \subseteq N\}$  is a  $v$ -ideal of  $R$ .

We denote by

- $F(R)$  the set of all fractional  $v$ -submodules in  $KM$ ,
- $F_v(M)$  the Abelian group of fractional ideals in  $K$ .

#### Proposition 4

The mapping :  $F(R) \longrightarrow F_v(M)$  given by  $\mathfrak{n} \longrightarrow \mathfrak{n}M$  is a bijection, where  $\mathfrak{n} \in F(R)$ .

Let

- $F_v(M[X]) = \{N \mid N \text{ are fractional } v\text{-submodules in } K(X)M[X]\},$
- $F_v(R[X]) = \{\mathfrak{n} \mid \mathfrak{n} \text{ are fractional } v\text{-ideals in } K(X)\}.$

### Proposition 5

Let  $R$  be a commutative Dedekind domain and  $M$  be a finitely generated torsion-free  $R$ -module. Then the mapping :

$$F_v(R[X]) \longrightarrow F_v(M[X])$$

given by  $\mathfrak{n} \longrightarrow \mathfrak{n}M[X]$  is a bijection, where  $\mathfrak{n} \in F_v(R[X]).$







- Since  $R[X]$  is a generalized Dedekind domain,  $F_v(R[X])$  is an Abelian group under the usual ideal product.
- We define a product "o" in  $F_v(M[X])$  as follows:






$$N \circ N_1 = \mathfrak{n}\mathfrak{n}_1 M[X]$$

for  $N = \mathfrak{n}M[X]$  and  $N_1 = \mathfrak{n}_1 M[X]$ , where  $\mathfrak{n}, \mathfrak{n}_1 \in F_v(R[X])$ .



## Corollary 2

$F_v(M[X])$  is isomorphic to  $F_v(R[X])$  as Abelian groups.

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