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Copresented Dimension of Modules

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, a new homological dimension of modules, copresented dimension, is defined. We study some basic properties of this homological dimension. Some ring extensions are considered, too. For instance, we prove that if $S \ge R$ is a finite normalizing extension and S_R is a projective module, then for each right S-module M_S , the copresented dimension of M_S does not exceed the copresented dimension of $Hom_R(S, M)$.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Throughout this paper, R is an associative ring with identity and all modules are unitary. First we recall some known notions and facts needed in the sequel. Let R be a ring, n a non-negative integer and M an R-module. Then

- (1) M is said to be *finitely cogenerated* [1] if for every family $\{V_k\}_J$ of submodules of M with $\bigcap_J V_k = 0$, there is a finite subset $I \subset J$ with $\bigcap_I V_k = 0$.
- (2) M is said to be *n*-copresented [14] if there is an exact sequence of R-modules $0 \to M \to E^0 \to E^1 \to \cdots \to E^n$, where each E^i is a finitely cogenerated injective module.

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- (3) R is called right *co-coherent* [17] if every finitely cogenerated factor module of a finitely cogenerated injective R-module is finitely copresented.
- (4) R is called n-cocoherent [14] in case every n-copresented R-module is (n + 1)-copresented. It is easy to see that R is cocoherent if and only if it is 1-cocoherent. Recall that a ring R is called right conoethrian [4] if every factor module of a finitely cogenerated R-module is finitely cogenerated. By [4, Proposition 17], a ring R is co-noethrian if and only if it is 0-cocoherent.
- (5) M is said to be *n*-presented [5] if there is an exact sequence of R-modules $F_n \to F_{n-1} \to \cdots \to F_1 \to F_0 \to M \to 0$, where each F_i is a finitely generated free module.
- (6) R is called *coherent* [18] in case every 0-presented R-module is 1-presented.
- (7) A ring extension $R \subseteq R'$ with characteristic p > 0 is called a *purely* inseparable extension [10] if for every element $r' \in R'$, there exists a non-negative integer n such that $r'^{p^n} \in R$.
- (8) For any commutative ring R of prime characteristic p > 0, assume that $F_R : R \to R^{(e)}$ is the *e*-th iterated Frobenius map in which $R^{(e)} \cong R$. Then, the *perfect closure* [9] of R, denoted by R^{∞} , is defined as the limit of the following direct system:

$$R \xrightarrow{F_R} R \xrightarrow{F_R} R \xrightarrow{F_R} \cdots$$

- (9) M is called (n, d)-injective [18] if $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{d+1}(N, M) = 0$ for any *n*-presented right *R*-module *N*. It is clear that *M* is (0, 0)-injective if and only if *M* is injective.
- (10) Assume that $S \ge R$ is a unitary ring extension. Then, the ring S is called right *R*-projective [6] in case, for any right S-module M_S with an S-module N_S , $N_R \mid M_R$ implies $N_S \mid M_S$, where $N \mid M$ means that N is a direct summand of M.
- (11) The ring extension $S \ge R$ is called a *finite normalizing extension* [8] in case there is a finite subset $\{s_1, \dots, s_n\} \subseteq S$ such that $S = \sum_{i=1}^{i=n} s_i R$ and $s_i R = R s_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$.
- (12) A finite normalizing extension $S \ge R$ is called an *almost excellent* extension [12] in case $_RS$ is flat, S_R is projective, and the ring S is right R-projective.

In this paper, we introduce the dual concepts of *presented dimensions* of R-modules. We also, introduce the *copresented dimension* of any R-module M:

 $\operatorname{FEd}(M) = \inf\{m \mid \text{there exists an injective resolution } 0 \to M \to E^0 \to \cdots \to E^m \to \cdots \to E^{m+i} \to \cdots, \text{ such that } E^{m+i} \text{ are finitely cogenerated for}$

 $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ }. If $K = \ker(E^m \to E^{m+1})$, then K has an infinite finite copresentation. It is clear that any copresented dimension is finitely copresented dimension (see [16]). Also, the copresented dimension of ring R is defined to be:

 $FED(R) = \sup\{FEd(M) \mid M \text{ is a finitely cogenerated module}\}.$

Then, some basic properties of the copresented dimensions of modules are studied. For example, it is shown that if $FEd(M) < \infty$, then $id(M) \le n$ if and only if $Ext_R^{n+1}(N, M) = 0$ for every strongly copresented *R*-module *N*. Also, it is proved that $FED(R \oplus S) = \sup\{FED(R), FED(S)\}$, for any two rings *R* and *S*. Also, some characterizations of the copresented dimensions of modules on Ring Extensions are determined. For instance, let $S \ge R$ be a finite normalizing extension with S_R projective as an *R*-module, then for any right *R*-module M_R , we have $FEd(Hom_R(S, M))_S \le FEd(M_R)$. Finally, we give a sufficient condition under which $FED(S) \le FED(R)$ and or $FED(R) < FED(S) + max\{k, d\}$, where $k = id(S_R)$ and $d = \sup\{FEd(M_R) \mid M \in Mod - S$ and $FEd(M_S) = 0\}$.

2. Main Results

We start this section with the following definition which is the dual of the presented dimension of a module.

Definition 2.1. For any *R*-module *M*, we define the copresented dimension of *M* to be $\operatorname{FEd}(M) = \inf\{m \mid \text{there exists an injective resolution } 0 \to M \to E^0 \to \cdots \to E^m \to \cdots \to E^{m+i} \to \cdots$, so that E^{m+i} are finitely cogenerated for $i = 0, 1, 2, \cdots\}$. In particular, a module *M* is called strongly copresented module if $\operatorname{FEd}(M) = 0$.

Proposition 2.2. For any *R*-module M, $FEd(M) \le id(M) + 1$.

Proof. It is a direct consequence of Definition 2.1.

EXAMPLE 2.3. Let $R = \mathbb{Z}$. Since $id(\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}) = 0$, we have $FEd(\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}) \leq 1$. On the other hand, $\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}$ is finitely cogenerated by [1, p.124]. So by Definition 2.1, $FEd(\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}) = 0$.

Now, we study the behavior of the copresented dimension on the exact sequences. Before this we need the following lemma.

Lemma 2.4. Let $0 \to A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{f} C \to 0$ be a short exact sequence of *R*-modules. Then:

(1) If $0 \to A \to A^0 \to A^1 \to \cdots$ and $0 \to C \to C^0 \to C^1 \to \cdots$ are injective resolutions of A and C, respectively. Then the exact sequence

 $0 \longrightarrow B \longrightarrow A^0 \oplus C^0 \longrightarrow A^1 \oplus C^1 \longrightarrow \cdots$

is an injective resolution of B.

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(2) If $0 \to B \to B^0 \to B^1 \to \cdots$ and $0 \to C \to C^0 \to C^1 \to \cdots$ are injective resolutions of B and C, respectively. Then the exact sequence

 $0 \longrightarrow A \longrightarrow B^0 \longrightarrow D^0 \longrightarrow D^1 \longrightarrow \cdots$

is an injective resolution of A, where $D^i = C^i \oplus B^{i+1}$ for any $i \ge 0$.

(3) If $0 \to B \to B^0 \to B^1 \to \cdots$ and $0 \to A \to A^0 \to A^1 \to \cdots$ are injective resolutions of B and A, respectively. Then the exact sequence

 $0 \longrightarrow C \longrightarrow F^0 \longrightarrow E^0 \longrightarrow E^1 \longrightarrow \cdots$

is an injective resolution of C, where $F^0 = B^0 \oplus A^1$ and $E^i = A^0 \oplus B^{i+1} \oplus A^{i+2}$ for any $i \ge 0$.

Proof. (1) The proof is similar to that of [3, Theorem 2.4].

(2) Let $0 \to B \to B^0 \to B^1 \to \cdots$ be an injective resolution of B. Then, the exact sequences

 $0 \to K \to B^1 \to B^2 \to \cdots$ and $0 \to B \to B^0 \to K \to 0$ exist, where $K = \frac{B^0}{B}$. Now, we consider the following commutative diagram:

By (1), there is an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow D \longrightarrow D^0 \longrightarrow D^1 \longrightarrow D^2 \longrightarrow \cdots$$

of injective *R*-modules D^i such that $D^i = C^i \oplus B^{i+1}$ for any $i \ge 0$.

Combining this sequence with the exact sequence $0 \to A \to B^0 \to D \to 0$, we get the exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow A \longrightarrow B^0 \longrightarrow D^0 \longrightarrow D^1 \longrightarrow \cdots,$$

where B^0 and D^i are injective for any $i \ge 0$.

(3) Let $0 \to A \to A^0 \to A^1 \to \cdots$ be an injective resolution of A. Then, the exact sequences

 $0 \to K \to A^1 \to A^2 \to \cdots$ and $0 \to A \to A^0 \to K \to 0$ exist, where $K = \frac{A^0}{A}$. Now, we consider the following commutative diagram:

By (1), there is an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow F \longrightarrow F^0 \longrightarrow F^1 \longrightarrow F^2 \longrightarrow \cdots$$

of injective R-modules F^i such that $F^i = B^i \oplus A^{i+1}$ for any $i \ge 0$.

It is clear that $F = A^0 \oplus C$. So, the exact sequence $0 \to C \to F \to A^0 \to 0$ exists. Let $K = \frac{F^0}{F}$, then we obtain the following commutative diagram:

Therefore by (1), the sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow E \longrightarrow E^0 \longrightarrow E^1 \longrightarrow E^2 \longrightarrow \cdots$$

is an injective resolution of E, where $E^i = A^0 \oplus F^{i+1} = A^0 \oplus B^{i+1} \oplus A^{i+2}$ for any $i \ge 0$. Combining this sequence with the exact sequence $0 \to C \to F^0 \to E \to 0$, we get the exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow C \longrightarrow F^0 \longrightarrow E^0 \longrightarrow E^1 \longrightarrow \cdots$$

where F^0 and E^i are injective for any $i \ge 0$.

Theorem 2.5. Let $0 \to A \xrightarrow{g} B \xrightarrow{f} C \to 0$ be an exact sequence of *R*-modules. Then $FEd(B) \leq \max\{FEd(A), FEd(C)\}, FEd(C) \leq \max\{FEd(B), FEd(A) + 1\}, FEd(A) \leq \max\{FEd(B), FEd(C) - 1\}.$

Proof. Assume that \mathbf{E}' is an injective resolution of A and \mathbf{E}'' is an injective resolution of C. Thus by Lemma 2.5(1), there exists an injective resolution \mathbf{E} of B such that

$$0 \to \mathbf{E}'^{\mathbf{A}} \to \mathbf{E}^{\mathbf{B}} = \mathbf{E}'^{\mathbf{A}} \oplus \mathbf{E}''^{\mathbf{C}} \to \mathbf{E}''^{\mathbf{C}} \to 0$$

is an exact sequence of complexes. Hence for every $m \ge \max{\text{FEd}(A), \text{FEd}(C)}$, E^m is finitely cogenerated. So, we deduce that $\text{FEd}(B) \le \max{\text{FEd}(A), \text{FEd}(C)}$.

Assume that \mathbf{E}'' is an injective resolution of C and \mathbf{E} is an injective resolution of B. Thus by Lemma 2.5(2), the exact sequence

 $0 \longrightarrow A \longrightarrow E^0 \longrightarrow D^0 \longrightarrow D^1 \longrightarrow \cdots \longrightarrow D^d \longrightarrow \cdots$

is an injective resolution of A. So for every $d \ge \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(B), \operatorname{FEd}(C) - 1\}$, D^d is finitely cogenerated. Thus, we have that $\operatorname{FEd}(A) \le \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(B), \operatorname{FEd}(C) - 1\}$. Also, it is prove that $\operatorname{FEd}(C) \le \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(B), \operatorname{FEd}(A) + 1\}$. \Box

The proof of the following Corollary is similar to the proof of [19, Corollary 2.7].

Corollary 2.6. If $FEd(M_1)$, $FEd(M_2)$, \cdots $FEd(M_d)$ are finite, then:

$$\operatorname{FEd}(\oplus M_i) = \max{\operatorname{FEd}(M_i) \mid i = 1, \cdots, d}.$$

Proof. For the case m = 2, the exact sequences

$$0 \to M_1 \to M_1 \oplus M_2 \to M_2 \to 0$$

and

$$0 \to M_2 \to M_2 \oplus M_1 \to M_1 \to 0$$

exist. Thus by Theorem 2.5, we deduce that

$$FEd(M_2) \le \max\{FEd(M_1 \oplus M_2), FEd(M_1) - 1\},\$$

$$FEd(M_1) \le \max\{FEd(M_1 \oplus M_2), FEd(M_2) - 1\}$$

and

$$\operatorname{FEd}(M_1 \oplus M_2) \le \max\{FEd(M_1), FEd(M_2)\}.$$

Assume that $FEd(M_1) < FEd(M_2)$. Then $FEd(M_1) \leq FEd(M_2) - 1$, and we have:

$$\operatorname{FEd}(M_2) \leq \max{\operatorname{FEd}(M_1 \oplus M_2), \operatorname{FEd}(M_2) - 2} = \operatorname{FEd}(M_1 \oplus M_2).$$

Also, similarly $\operatorname{FEd}(M_1) \leq \operatorname{FEd}(M_1 \oplus M_2)$. So, we conclude that $\operatorname{FEd}(M_1 \oplus M_2) = \max{\operatorname{FEd}(M_1), \operatorname{FEd}(M_2)}$.

Proposition 2.7. Let n be a non-negative integer. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) $id(M) \leq n$ for every strongly copresented *R*-module *M*;
- (2) $\operatorname{Ext}_{B}^{n+1}(N,M) = 0$ for every strongly correspondent R-module N.

Proof. $(1) \Rightarrow (2)$ This is obvious.

 $(2) \Rightarrow (1)$ We use the induction on n. Let n = 0. Since $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{1}(N, M) = 0$ for any strongly copresented R-module N, by using the exact sequence $0 \to M \to E^{0} \to L^{0} \to 0$ where E^{0} is finitely cogenerated and L^{0} is strongly copresented, we deduce that $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{1}(L^{0}, M) = 0$. Therefore by [7, Theorem 7.31], the exact sequence ebove is split. So, M is injective and hence $\operatorname{id}(M) \leq 0$. Assume that

n > 0. By [7, Corollary 6.42], we have that $\operatorname{Ext}_R^{n+1}(N, M) \cong \operatorname{Ext}_R^n(N, L^0) =$ 0. Thus by induction hypothesis, $id(L^0) \leq n-1$. Therefore from the exact sequence ebove, we deduce that id(M) < n.

Proposition 2.8. Let $FEd(M) \leq 1$. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) $\operatorname{id}(M) \leq n;$
- (2) $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n+1}(N,M) = 0$ for every strongly copresented R-module N.

Proof. Since $FEd(M) \leq 1$, the exact sequence $0 \to M \to E^0 \to L^0 \to 0$ exists. where E^0 is injective and L^0 is strongly corresented. Thus, $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n+1}(N, M) = 0$ for any strongly copresented R-module N if and only if $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}(N, L^{0}) = 0$ if and only if $id(L^0) \le n-1$ (by Proposition 2.7) if and only if $id(M) \le n$.

Theorem 2.9. Let $FEd(M) < \infty$. Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (1) $\operatorname{id}(M) \leq n$; (2) $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n+1}(N, M) = 0$ for every strongly copresented R-module N.

Proof. $(1) \Rightarrow (2)$ It is clear.

 $(2) \Rightarrow (1)$ If FEd(M) = m, then the exact sequence

$$0 \to M \to E^0 \to E^1 \to \dots \to E^{m-1} \stackrel{d^{m-1}}{\to} E^m \stackrel{d^m}{\to} \dots \to E^{m+j} \to \dots$$

exists, where E^i is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge m$. By Proposition 2.2, $n+1 \ge m$. Let $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n+1}(N,M) = 0$ for every strongly copresented R-module N. Thus by [7, Corollary 6.42], we have

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n+1}(N,M) \cong \operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n-m+1}(N,\operatorname{coker} d^{m-1}) = 0.$$

Since $\operatorname{coker} d^{m-1}$ is strongly copresented, Proposition 2.8 impleis that

$$\operatorname{id}(\operatorname{coker} d^{m-1}) \le n-m$$

and so, we deduce that $id(M) \leq n$.

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Corollary 2.10. Let $D(R) < \infty$. Then:

 $D(R) = \sup\{pd(N) \mid N \text{ is strongly copresented}\}.$

Proof. Assume that D(R) < m. Thus, pd(N') < m for any *R*-module N'. So, for any strongly corresented R-module N, $pd(N) \leq m$. Conversely, let $pd(N) \leq m$ for every strongly correspondent R-module N. Thus $Ext_R^{m+1}(N, M) =$ 0 for every strongly presented R-module M. Since $D(R) < \infty$, $FEd(M) < \infty$ by Proposition 2.2. Therefore by Theorem 2.9, $id(M) \leq m$ and hence by [19, corollary 3.7], $D(R) \leq m$.

Definition 2.11. For any ring R, we define the copresented dimension of Rto be $FED(R) = \sup\{FEd(M) \mid M \text{ is a finitely cogenerated module}\}.$

EXAMPLE 2.12. Let $R = k[x^3, x^3y, xy^3, y^3]$, where k is a field with characteristic p = 3. By Definition 2.11 and Proposition 2.2, $\text{FED}(R^{\infty}) \leq D(R^{\infty}) + 1$, where R^{∞} is perfect closure of R. On the other hand, k[x, y] is purely inseparable over R. Also, by [9, Proposition 3.3], $(k[x, y])^{\infty}$ is coherent. Therefore by [10, Remark 1.4], R^{∞} is coherent. Since R is reduced, [2, Proposition 5.5] implies that $\text{FED}(R^{\infty}) \leq \dim(R) + 1$ and so, $\text{FED}(R^{\infty}) \leq 3$.

Proposition 2.13. The following statements are equivalent:

- (1) FED(R) = 0;
- (2) Every finitely cogenerated module has an infinite finite corresented;
- (3) Every finitely cogenerated module is finitely copresented;
- (4) R is co-noetherian.

Proof. The implication $(1) \Longrightarrow (2) \Longrightarrow (3)$ follow immediately from Definiton 2.11.

$$(3) \Longrightarrow (4) \Longrightarrow (1)$$
 are trivial.

Corollary 2.14. If $FED(R) \leq 0$, then R is n-cocoherent.

Proof. Since every *n*-corresented module M is finitely cogenerated, Proposition 2.13 implies that M is (n + 1)-corresented.

Next, we study the copresented dimension of the direct sum of rings. But before this we need the following lemma.

Lemma 2.15. Let $f : R \to S$ be a ring epimorphism. If M_S is a right S-module (hence a right R-module) and N_R is a right R-module, then the following statements hold:

- (1) $M \otimes_R S \cong M_S$.
- (2) If f is flat and N_R is a finitely cogenerated right R-module, then $N \otimes_R S$ is a finitely cogenerated right S-module.
- (3) If f is flat, then M_S is a finitely cogenerated right S-module if and only if M_R is a finitely cogenerated right R-module.
- (4) If f is projective, then M_S is an injective right S-module if and only if M_R is an injective right R-module.

Proof. (1) This is clear.

(2) For any family of submodules $\{N_i \otimes_R 1_S | i \in I\}$ in $N \otimes_R S$, if $\bigcap (N_i \otimes_R 1_S) = 0$, then we need to show that $\bigcap_{i \in F} (N_i \otimes_R 1_S) = 0$ for some finite subset F of I. Since f is flat, we have that $\bigcap_{i \in I} N_i \otimes_R 1_S = 0$. So, $\bigcap_{i \in I} N_i = 0$ and hence by hypotises $\bigcap_{i \in F} N_i = 0$ for some finite subset F of I. Therefore, $\bigcap_{i \in F} (N_i \otimes_R 1_S) = \bigcap_{i \in F} N_i \otimes_R 1_S = 0$.

(3) (\Rightarrow) : Let $\psi : M \to \prod_{i \in I} R$ is a monomorphism, then we claim that $\pi : M \to \prod_{i \in F} R$ is a monomorphism for some finite subset F of I. We have the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} M & \stackrel{\psi}{\longrightarrow} & \prod_{i \in I} R \\ \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow g \\ M & \stackrel{h}{\longrightarrow} & \prod_{i \in I} S, \end{array}$$

where since g is epimorphism and ψ is monomorphism, h is monomorphism. So by hypothesis, $\alpha : M \to \prod_{i \in F} S$ is a monomorphism for some finite subset F of I. Therefore the following commutative diagram:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} M & \stackrel{\gamma}{\longrightarrow} & \prod_{i \in F} R \\ \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \beta \\ M & \stackrel{\alpha}{\longrightarrow} & \prod_{i \in F} S, \end{array}$$

where β is epimorphism and α is monomorphism, implies that γ is monomorphism.

 (\Leftarrow) : This follows from (1) and (2)

(4) By [5, Lemma 3.3], M_S is an (n, d)-injective right S-module if and only if M_R is an (n, d)-injective right R-module. If n = 0, d = 0, Then (4) is hold. \Box

Theorem 2.16. Assume that R and S are two rings. Then:

$$FED(R \oplus S) = \sup\{FED(R), FED(S)\}.$$

Proof. We first show that $\text{FED}(R \oplus S) \leq \sup\{\text{FED}(R), \text{FED}(S)\}$. Consider FED(R) = n, FED(S) = m and $n \geq m$. Also, let M be a finitely cogenerated right $(R \oplus S)$ -module. Then M has a unique decomposition $M = A \oplus B$, where A, B are right modules of rings R and S, respectively. By [15, Lemma 1.1], A and B are finitely cogenerated right $(R \oplus S)$ -module. So by Lemma 2.15, A is finitely cogenerated right R-module and B is finitely cogenerated right S-module. Therefore $\text{FEd}(A) \leq n$ and $\text{FEd}(B) \leq m$, and hence there is an exact sequences

$$0 \to A \to E_a^0 \to E_a^1 \to \dots \to E_a^{n-1} \to E_a^n \to \dots,$$

$$0 \to B \to E_b^0 \to E_b^1 \to \dots \to E_b^{m-1} \to E_b^m \to \dots$$

of injective right *R*-modules E_a^i and injective right *S*-modules E_b^i such that E_a^i, E_b^i are finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge n$ and $i \ge m$, respectively. So, we deduce that the exact sequence

$$0 \to A \oplus B \to E_a^0 \oplus E_b^0 \to E_a^1 \oplus E_b^1 \to \dots \to E_a^{n-1} \oplus E_b^{m-1} \to E_a^n \oplus E_b^m \to \dots$$

exists, where by Lemma 2.15, every $E_a^i \oplus E_b^i$ is injective right $(R \oplus S)$ -module and also, every $E_a^i \oplus E_b^i$ is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge n$. Therefore, we have $\text{FED}(R \oplus S) \le \sup\{\text{FED}(R), \text{FED}(S)\}$.

Conversely, Assume that $\text{FED}(R \oplus S) = d$. If M is a finitely cogenerated right R-module. Then by Lemma 2.15, M is a finitely cogenerated right $(R \oplus S)$ module and hence $\text{FED}(M_{(R \oplus S)}) \leq d$. Thus, the exact sequence $0 \to M \to E^0 \to E^1 \to \cdots \to E^{d-1} \to E^d \to \cdots$ of injective right $(R \oplus S)$ -modules E^i exists, where every E^i is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge d$. Let $E^i = C^i \oplus D^i$, where C^i is a R-module and D^i is a S-module. On the other hand, M is a right R-module, so we have the exact sequence $0 \to M \to C^0 \to C^1 \to \cdots \to C^{d-1} \to C^d \to \cdots$ of R-modules. But, every C^i is injective right $(R \oplus S)$ -module and also every C^i is finitely cogenerated right $(R \oplus S)$ -module for $i \ge d$. So by [15, Lemma 1.1] and Lemma 2.15, C^i is an injective right R-module and it is finitely cogenerated R-module for $i \ge d$. Therefore FEd $(M) \le d$ and hence FED $(R) \le d$. Similarly, FED $(S) \le d$ and implies that $\sup\{\text{FED}(R), \text{FED}(S)\} \le \text{FED}(R \oplus S)$.

Proposition 2.17. Let $S \ge R$ be a finite normalizing extension with S_R projective as an *R*-module. Then for any right *R*-module M_R , FEd $(\text{Hom}_R(S, M))_S \le$ FEd (M_R) .

Proof. Asume that $FEd(M_R) = n$. Then there axists an exact sequence of injective *R*-modules

 $0 \to M \to E^0 \to E^1 \to \dots \to E^{n-1} \to E^n \to \dots,$

where each E^i is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge n$. Since S is projective, there is an exact sequence

 $0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E^0) \to \cdots \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E^n) \to \cdots$

of injective S-modules $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E^i)$, where by [13, Propositon 8.3], $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E^i)$ is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge n$. Thus $\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M))_S \le n$ and hence, we have $\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M))_S \le \operatorname{FEd}(M_R)$.

Proposition 2.18. Let $S \ge R$ be a finite normalizing extension, S_R be Projective, and S be R-projective. Then for each right S-module M_S , $FEd(M_S) \le FEd(Hom_R(S, M))$.

Proof. By [12, Lemma 1.1], M_S is isomorphic to a direct summand of $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)$. So, from Corollary 2.6, we deduce that $\operatorname{FEd}(M_S) \leq \operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M))$.

Proposition 2.19. Let $S \ge R$ be an almost excellent extension. Then for each right S-module M_S , $FEd(M_R) \le FEd(M_S)$.

Proof. Asume that $FEd(M_S) = n$. So, there axists an exact sequence of injective S-modules

 $0 \to M \to E^0 \to E^1 \to \dots \to E^{n-1} \to E^n \to \dots,$

where each E^i is finitely cogenerated for any $i \ge n$. Thus by [18, Proposition 5.1], every E^i is an injective *R*-module and also, it is a finitely cogenerated *R*-module for $i \ge n$ by [14, Theorem 5]. Therefore, it follows that $\text{FEd}(M_R) \le \text{FEd}(M_S)$.

Corollary 2.20. Let $S \ge R$ be an almost excellent extension. Then for each right S-module M_S , $\text{FEd}(M_R) = \text{FEd}(M_S) = \text{FEd}(\text{Hom}_R(S, M))$.

Theorem 2.21. Asume that $S \ge R$ is a finite normalizing extension and S_R is Projective. Then:

- (1) If S is R-projective and $FED(S) < \infty$, then $FED(S) \le FED(R)$.
- (2) If $\operatorname{FED}(R) < \infty$, then $\operatorname{FED}(R) < \operatorname{FED}(S) + \max\{k, d\}$, where $k = id(S_R)$ and $d = \sup\{\operatorname{FEd}(M_R) \mid M \in \operatorname{Mod} S \text{ and } \operatorname{FEd}(M_S) = 0\}.$

Proof. (1) Asume that FED(S) = n and $FEd(M_S) = n$ for a finitely cogenerated S-module M. Since S_R is projective, by hypothesis and [12, Lemma 1.1], M_S is isomorphic to a direct summand of $Hom_R(S, M)$ and hence we have:

$$0 \to K \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)) \to M_S \to 0.$$

By [14, Lemma 4], $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)$) is finitely cogenerated S-module, since M_R is a finitely cogenerated R-module. So, $\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)_S) \leq n$. On the other hand, by Theorem 2.5,

$$FEd(K) \le \max\{n, n-1\}$$

 $n = \operatorname{FEd}(M_S) \le \max{\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)_S), \operatorname{FEd}(K_S) - 1} \le \operatorname{FED}(S) = n.$ Therefore $\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)_S) = n.$ Thus, Proposition 2.17 implies that

$$\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)_S) \leq \operatorname{FEd}(M_R)$$

and hence $FED(S) \leq FED(R)$.

(2) Asume that FED(R) = n and $\text{FEd}(M_R) = n$ for a finitely cogenerated R-module M. Since S_R is projective, by [12, Lemma 1.1], M_R is isomorphic to a direct summand of $\text{Hom}_R(S, M)$ which induces the following short exact sequence of R-modules:

$$0 \to K \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(S_R, M)) \to M_R \to 0.$$

It is clear that $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S_R, M)$ is a finitely cogenerated *R*-module. Thus Theorem 2.5 implies that

 $n = \operatorname{FEd}(M_R) \le \max{\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S_R, M)), \operatorname{FEd}(K_R) - 1} \le \operatorname{FED}(R) = n,$

and hence $FEd(Hom_R(S_R, M)) = n$.

If $\operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M))_S = m \leq \operatorname{FED}(S)$, then there is an injective resolution

$$0 \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(S, M) \xrightarrow{f_{0}} E^{0} \xrightarrow{f_{1}} E^{1} \longrightarrow \cdots \longrightarrow E^{m-1} \xrightarrow{f_{m}} E^{m} \xrightarrow{f_{m+1}} \cdots$$

of $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, M)$, where every E^i is a finitely cogenerated S-module for any $i \geq m$. Let $D^i = \operatorname{coker}(f_i)$ for every $i \geq 0$. Thus, the following short exact sequences

$$0 \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(S, M) \longrightarrow E^{0} \rightarrow D^{0} \longrightarrow 0,$$
$$\dots$$
$$0 \longrightarrow D^{m-2} \longrightarrow E^{m-1} \longrightarrow D^{m-1} \longrightarrow 0,$$
$$0 \longrightarrow D^{m-1} \longrightarrow E^{m} \longrightarrow D^{m} \longrightarrow 0$$

exists, where $FEd(D^{m-1}) = 0$. But by hypothesis and Proposition 2.2, we have:

$$\operatorname{FEd}(D^i)_R \le \operatorname{id}(D^i)_R + 1 \le \operatorname{id}(S_R) + 1 = k + 1$$
, $\operatorname{FEd}(D^{m-1})_R \le d$

Therefore by Theorem 2.5, we deduce that:

 $\operatorname{FEd}(D^{m-2})_R \le \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(E^{m-1})_R, \operatorname{FEd}(D^{m-1})_R + 1\} < \max\{k+1, d+1\} = 1 + \max\{k, d\},$

$$\operatorname{FEd}(D^{m-3})_R \le \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(E^{m-2})_R, \operatorname{FEd}(D^{m-2})_R + 1\} < 2 + \max\{k, d\},\$$

$$\begin{split} \operatorname{FEd}(D^0)_R &\leq \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(E^1)_R, \operatorname{FEd}(D^1)_R+1\} < m-1 + \max\{k,d\},\\ n &= \operatorname{FEd}(\operatorname{Hom}_R(S,M))_R \leq \max\{\operatorname{FEd}(E^0)_R, \operatorname{FEd}(D^0)_R+1\} < m + \max\{k,d\}.\\ \operatorname{Thus}\, \operatorname{FED}(R) < m + \max\{k,d\} \leq \operatorname{FED}(S) + \max\{k,d\} \text{ and so, the proof is complete.} \end{split}$$

Corollary 2.22. Let $S \ge R$ be an almost excellent extension. Then $FED(R) < FED(S) + id(S)_R$.

Proof. By Proposition 2.19 and Theorem 2.21, this is clear.

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