

RESULTS ON AMALGAMATION ALONG A SEMIDUALIZING IDEAL

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Abstract. Let R be a commutative Noetherian ring and let I be a semidualizing ideal of R . In this paper, it is shown that the G_I -projective, G_I -injective, and G_I -flat dimensions agree with $\text{Gpd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, and $\text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, respectively. Also, it is proved that for a non-negative integer n if $\sup\{\mathcal{GP}_I\text{-pd}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$ (or $\sup\{\mathcal{GI}_I\text{-id}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$), then for every projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module P we have $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}(P) \leq n$, and for every injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module E we have $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(E) \leq n$.

1. Introduction

Throughout this paper R is a commutative Noetherian ring and all modules are unital. Recall that for an R -module M the idealization $R \times M$ (also called trivial extension) introduced by Nagata in 1956 [13, Page 2], is a new ring where the module M can be viewed as an ideal such that its square is 0. In [4], D’Anna and Fontana considered a different type of construction obtained involving a ring R and an ideal $I \subset R$ that is denoted by $R \bowtie I$, called amalgamated duplication, and it is defined $R \bowtie I = \{(r, r + i) \mid r \in R, i \in I\}$, as a subring of $R \times R$. The properties of the ring $R \bowtie I$ were studied extensively in [1, 3–5, 14, 17]. Also, in [15], the authors focused on the properties of $R \bowtie I$, when I is a semidualizing ideal of R , i.e., I is an ideal of R and I is a semidualizing R -module. The notion of a “semidualizing module” was first introduced by Foxby [8], and then Vasconcelos [18] and Golod [9] rediscovered these modules using different terminology for different purposes.

In [11], the authors showed that how a semidualizing module C gives rise to three new relative homological dimensions which are called G_C -projective, G_C -injective, and G_C -flat dimension. Also, they investigated the properties of these dimensions and they suggested the view point that one should change ring from R to $R \times C$ and they showed that the G_C -projective, G_C -injective, and G_C -flat dimensions always

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agree with the ring changed Gorenstein dimensions $\text{Gpd}_{R \times C}(-)$, $\text{Gid}_{R \times C}(-)$, and $\text{Gfd}_{R \times C}(-)$, respectively.

This paper builds on work of Holm and Jørgensen [11] for the ring $R \bowtie I$, where I is a semidualizing ideal, instead of idealization. In particular, it is shown that for a semidualizing ideal I the G_I -projective, G_I -injective, and G_I -flat dimensions agree with $\text{Gpd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, and $\text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, respectively. Also, we give some homological properties of $(R \bowtie I)$ -modules, where I is a semidualizing ideal of the ring R . In particular, it is proved that for a non-negative integer n if $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$ (or $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$), then for every projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module P we have $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}(P) \leq n$, and for every injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module E we have $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(E) \leq n$.

2. Background material

Throughout this paper $\mathcal{M}(R)$ denotes the category of R -modules. We use the term “subcategory” to mean a “full, additive subcategory $\mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathcal{M}(R)$ such that, for all R -modules M and N , if $M \cong N$ and $M \in \mathcal{X}$, then $N \in \mathcal{X}$ ”. Write $\mathcal{P}(R)$, $\mathcal{F}(R)$ and $\mathcal{I}(R)$ for the subcategories of projective, flat and injective R -modules, respectively.

DEFINITION 2.1. An R -complex is a sequence $Y = \cdots \xrightarrow{\partial_{n+1}^Y} Y_n \xrightarrow{\partial_n^Y} Y_{n-1} \xrightarrow{\partial_{n-1}^Y} \cdots$ of R -modules and R -homomorphisms such that $\partial_{n-1}^Y \partial_n^Y = 0$ for each integer n . Let \mathcal{X} be a subcategory of $\mathcal{M}(R)$. The R -complex Y is $\text{Hom}_R(\mathcal{X}, -)$ -exact if for each $X \in \mathcal{X}$, the complex $\text{Hom}_R(X, Y)$ is exact, and similarly for $\text{Hom}_R(-, \mathcal{X})$ -exact.

The notion of semidualizing modules, defined next, goes back at least to Foxby [8], but was rediscovered by others.

DEFINITION 2.2. A finitely generated R -module C is called *semidualizing* if the natural homothety homomorphism $\chi_C^R : R \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(C, C)$ is an isomorphism and $\text{Ext}_R^{\geq 1}(C, C) = 0$.

DEFINITION 2.3. Let C be a semidualizing R -module. An R -module is C -projective (resp. C -flat or C -injective) if it is isomorphic to a module of the form $P \otimes_R C$ for some projective R -module P (resp. $F \otimes_R C$ for some flat R -module F or $\text{Hom}_R(C, I)$ for some injective R -module I). We let $\mathcal{P}_C(R)$, $\mathcal{F}_C(R)$ and $\mathcal{I}_C(R)$ denote the categories of C -projective, C -flat and C -injective R -modules, respectively.

The next two classes were also introduced by Foxby [8].

DEFINITION 2.4. Let C be a semidualizing R -module. The *Auslander class* with respect to C is the class $\mathcal{A}_C(R)$ of R -modules M such that:

- (i) $\text{Tor}_i^R(C, M) = 0 = \text{Ext}_R^i(C, C \otimes_R M)$ for all $i \geq 1$, and
- (ii) the natural map $\gamma_C^M : M \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(C, C) \otimes_R M$ is an isomorphism.

The *Bass class* with respect to C is the class $\mathcal{B}_C(R)$ of R -modules M such that:

- (i) $\text{Ext}_R^i(C, M) = 0 = \text{Tor}_i^R(C, \text{Hom}_R(C, M))$ for all $i \geq 1$, and
- (ii) the natural evaluation map $\xi_M^C : C \otimes_R \text{Hom}_R(C, M) \rightarrow M$ is an isomorphism.

The notion of precovers and preenvelopes, defined next, are from [6].

DEFINITION 2.5. Let \mathcal{X} be a subcategory of $\mathcal{M}(R)$. An \mathcal{X} -precover of an R -module M is an R -module homomorphism $X \xrightarrow{\varphi} M$, where $X \in \mathcal{X}$, and such that the map $\text{Hom}_R(X', \varphi)$ is surjective for every $X' \in \mathcal{X}$. If every R -module admits \mathcal{X} -precover, then the class \mathcal{X} is *precovering*. The notions of \mathcal{X} -preenvelope and *preenveloping* are defined dually.

DEFINITION 2.6. Let C be a semidualizing R -module. In [12], it is shown that the class $\mathcal{P}_C(R)$ is precovering. So, one can iteratively take precovers to construct an *augmented proper \mathcal{P}_C -projective resolution* for any R -module M , that is, a complex $X^+ = \cdots \rightarrow C \otimes_R P_1 \rightarrow C \otimes_R P_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$ which is $\text{Hom}_R(\mathcal{P}_C(R), -)$ -exact. The truncated complex $X = \cdots \rightarrow C \otimes_R P_1 \rightarrow C \otimes_R P_0 \rightarrow 0$ is a *proper \mathcal{P}_C -projective resolution* of M .

Dually, in [12] it is proved that the class $\mathcal{I}_C(R)$ is enveloping. So, for an R -module N one can construct an *augmented proper \mathcal{I}_C -injective resolution*, that is, a complex $Y^+ = 0 \rightarrow N \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(C, I^0) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(C, I^1) \rightarrow \cdots$ which is $\text{Hom}_R(-, \mathcal{I}_C(R))$ -exact. Also, in [12] it is shown that the class $\mathcal{F}_C(R)$ is covering. Similarly for an R -module M one can construct an *augmented proper \mathcal{F}_C -flat resolution*.

FACT 2.7. Note that X^+ and Y^+ need not be exact. In [16, Corollary 2.4], it is proved that if M is in $\mathcal{B}_C(R)$ (resp. $\mathcal{A}_C(R)$), then every augmented proper \mathcal{P}_C -projective resolution (resp. \mathcal{I}_C -injective resolution) of M is exact.

DEFINITION 2.8. Let C be a semidualizing R -module and let M be an R -module. The \mathcal{P}_C -projective dimension of M is $\mathcal{P}_C\text{-pd}_R(M) = \inf\{\sup\{n \mid X_n \neq 0\} \mid X \text{ is a proper } \mathcal{P}_C\text{-projective resolution of } M\}$. The \mathcal{F}_C -projective dimension, denoted $\mathcal{F}_C\text{-pd}_R(-)$ is defined similarly and the \mathcal{I}_C -injective dimension, denoted $\mathcal{I}_C\text{-id}_R(-)$ is defined dually.

FACT 2.9 ([16, Theorem 2.11]). Let C be a semidualizing R -module. Then for every R -module M , we have the following statements.

- (i) $\text{pd}_R(M) = \mathcal{P}_C\text{-pd}_R(C \otimes_R M)$ and $\mathcal{P}_C\text{-pd}_R(M) = \text{pd}_R(\text{Hom}_R(C, M))$.
- (ii) $\mathcal{I}_C\text{-id}_R(M) = \text{id}_R(C \otimes_R M)$ and $\text{id}_R(M) = \mathcal{I}_C\text{-id}_R(\text{Hom}_R(C, M))$.

DEFINITION 2.10 ([11]). Let C be a semidualizing R -module. A *complete $\mathcal{I}_C\mathcal{I}$ -resolution* is a complex Y of R -modules satisfying the following:

- (i) Y is exact and $\text{Hom}_R(I, Y)$ is exact for each $I \in \mathcal{I}_C(R)$, and
- (ii) $Y_i \in \mathcal{I}_C(R)$ for all $i \geq 0$ and Y_i is injective for all $i < 0$.

An R -module M is G_C -injective if there exists a complete $\mathcal{I}_C\mathcal{I}$ -resolution Y such that $M \cong \text{Coker}(\partial_1^Y)$; in this case Y is a *complete $\mathcal{I}_C\mathcal{I}$ -resolution* of M . The class

of all G_C -injective R -modules is denoted by $\mathcal{GI}_C(R)$. In the case $C = R$, we use the more common terminology “complete injective resolution” and “Gorenstein injective module” and the notation $\mathcal{GI}(R)$.

A *complete \mathcal{PP}_C -resolution* is a complex X of R -modules such that:

- (i) X is exact and $\text{Hom}_R(X, P)$ is exact for each $P \in \mathcal{P}_C(R)$, and
- (ii) X_i is projective for all $i \geq 0$ and $X_i \in \mathcal{P}_C(R)$ for all $i < 0$.

An R -module M is G_C -projective if there exists a complete \mathcal{PP}_C -resolution X such that $M \cong \text{Coker}(\partial_1^X)$; in this case X is a *complete \mathcal{PP}_C -resolution* of M . The class of all G_C -projective R -modules is denoted by $\mathcal{GP}_C(R)$. In the case $C = R$, we use the more common terminology “complete projective resolution” and “Gorenstein projective module” and the notation $\mathcal{GP}(R)$.

A *complete \mathcal{FF}_C -resolution* is a complex Z of R -modules such that:

- (i) Z is exact and $Z \otimes_R I$ is exact for each $I \in \mathcal{I}_C(R)$, and
- (ii) Z_i is flat for all $i \geq 0$ and $Z_i \in \mathcal{F}_C(R)$ for all $i < 0$.

An R -module M is G_C -flat if there exists a complete \mathcal{FF}_C -resolution Z such that $M \cong \text{Coker}(\partial_1^Z)$; in this case Z is a *complete \mathcal{FF}_C -resolution* of M . The class of all G_C -flat R -modules is denoted by $\mathcal{GF}_C(R)$. In the case $C = R$, we use the more common terminology “complete flat resolution” and “Gorenstein flat module” and the notation $\mathcal{GF}(R)$.

FACT 2.11 ([11]). *Let C be a semidualizing module of the ring R . Then the following statements hold:*

- (i) $\mathcal{P}(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GP}_C(R)$ and $\mathcal{P}_C(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GP}_C(R)$.
- (ii) $\mathcal{I}(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GI}_C(R)$ and $\mathcal{I}_C(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GI}_C(R)$.
- (iii) $\mathcal{F}(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GF}_C(R)$ and $\mathcal{F}_C(R) \subseteq \mathcal{GF}_C(R)$.

DEFINITION 2.12. Let C be a semidualizing module of the ring R and let M be an R -module. A \mathcal{GP}_C -resolution of M is a complex of R -modules in $\mathcal{GP}_C(R)$ of the form $X = \cdots \xrightarrow{\partial_2^X} X_1 \xrightarrow{\partial_1^X} X_0 \longrightarrow 0$ such that $H_0(X) \cong M$ and $H_n(X) = 0$ for $n \geq 1$. The \mathcal{GP}_C -projective dimension of M is the quantity $\mathcal{GP}_C - \text{pd}_R(M) = \inf\{\sup\{n \mid X_n \neq 0\} \mid X \text{ is an } \mathcal{GP}_C\text{-resolution of } M\}$.

In particular, $\mathcal{GP}_C - \text{pd}_R(0) = -\infty$. The modules of \mathcal{GP}_C -projective dimension zero are the non-zero modules in $\mathcal{GP}_C(R)$. The \mathcal{GF}_C -resolution and \mathcal{GF}_C -projective dimension are defined similarly.

Dually, an \mathcal{GI}_C -coresolution of M is a complex of R -modules in $\mathcal{GI}_C(R)$ of the form $X = 0 \longrightarrow X_0 \xrightarrow{\partial_0^X} X_{-1} \xrightarrow{\partial_{-1}^X} \cdots$ such that $H_0(X) \cong M$ and $H_n(X) = 0$ for $n \leq -1$. The \mathcal{GI}_C -injective dimension of M is the quantity $\mathcal{GI}_C - \text{id}_R(M) = \inf\{\sup\{n \mid X_n \neq 0\} \mid X \text{ is an } \mathcal{GI}_C\text{-coresolution of } M\}$.

In particular, $\mathcal{GI}_C - \text{id}_R(0) = -\infty$. The modules of \mathcal{GI}_C -injective dimension zero are the non-zero modules in $\mathcal{GI}_C(R)$.

3. Amalgamation along a semidualizing ideal and relative Gorenstein homological dimensions

The first aim of this section is to show that for a semidualizing ideal I of the ring R , i.e., I is an ideal of R and I is a semidualizing R -module, the G_I -projective, G_I -injective, and G_I -flat dimensions agree with $\text{Gpd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, and $\text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(-)$, respectively.

First, we deal with some applications of a general construction, introduced in [4], called amalgamated duplication of a ring along an ideal.

Let R be a commutative ring with unit element 1 and let I be an ideal of R . Set $R \bowtie I = \{(r, s) \mid r, s \in R, s - r \in I\}$. It is easy to check that $R \bowtie I$ is a subring, with unit element $(1, 1)$, of $R \times R$ (with the usual componentwise operations) and that $R \bowtie I = \{(r, r + i) \mid r \in R, i \in I\}$. In the following, we recall some main properties of the ring $R \bowtie I$ from [3] which will be important later on.

PROPOSITION 3.1. *Let R be a ring and let I be an ideal of R . Then the following statements hold.*

(i) *By introducing a multiplicative structure in the R -module direct sum $R \oplus I$ by setting $(r, i)(s, j) = (rs, rj + si + ij)$, the map $f : R \oplus I \rightarrow R \bowtie I$ defined by $f((r, i)) = (r, r + i)$ is a ring isomorphism and R -isomorphism too. Moreover, there is an exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow R \xrightarrow{\varphi} R \bowtie I \xrightarrow{\psi} I \rightarrow 0$ where $\varphi(r) = (r, r)$ for all $r \in R$, and $\psi((r, s)) = s - r$, for all $(r, s) \in R \bowtie I$. Notice that this sequence splits; hence we also have the short exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow I \xrightarrow{\psi'} R \bowtie I \xrightarrow{\varphi'} R \rightarrow 0$, where $\psi'(i) = (0, i)$ and $\varphi'((r, s)) = r$, for every $i \in I$ and $(r, s) \in R \bowtie I$.*

(ii) *R and $R \bowtie I$ have the same Krull dimension. Also, if R is a Noetherian ring, then $R \bowtie I$ is a finitely generated R -module.*

In [1, 3–5, 14, 17], the properties of the ring $R \bowtie I$ were studied extensively. In addition, in [15], the authors focused on the properties of $R \bowtie I$, where I is a semidualizing ideal. Some of these results are collected in the following proposition.

PROPOSITION 3.2 ([15, Lemmas 3.7 and 3.1(v)]). *Let I be an ideal of the ring R . Then the following statements hold.*

(i) *If E is a (faithfully) injective R -module, then $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)$ is a (faithfully) injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module.*

(ii) *Every injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module is a direct summand of the R -module $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)$, where E is a injective R -module.*

(iii) *If I is a semidualizing ideal of the ring R , then for every injective R -module E we have the following equivalence of $(R \bowtie I)$ -module $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E), -) \cong \text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, E), -)$.*

Using the same method of the proof of Proposition 3.2, we obtain the following dual.

PROPOSITION 3.3. *Let I be an ideal of the ring R . Then the following statements hold.*

- (i) *If P is a projective R -module, then $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R P$ is a projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module.*
- (ii) *Every projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module is a direct summand of the R -module $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R P$, where P is a projective R -module.*
- (iii) *If I is a semidualizing ideal of the ring R , then for every projective R -module Q we have the following equivalence of $(R \bowtie I)$ -module $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(-, (R \bowtie I) \otimes_R Q) \cong \text{Hom}_R(-, I \otimes_R Q)$.*

COROLLARY 3.4. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R and let M be an R -module. Then the following statements hold for any integer n .*

- (i) *$\text{Ext}_R^n(\text{Hom}_R(I, J), M) = 0$ for any injective R -module J if and only if for any injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module U we have $\text{Ext}_{R \bowtie I}^n(U, M) = 0$.*
- (ii) *$\text{Ext}_R^n(M, I \otimes_R P) = 0$ for any projective R -module P if and only if for any projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module S we have $\text{Ext}_{R \bowtie I}^n(M, S) = 0$.*

Proof. The item (i) follows from Proposition 3.2 while the item (ii) is a consequence of Proposition 3.3. \square

PROPOSITION 3.5. *Let I be an ideal of the ring R and let M be an R -module. If E is a faithfully injective R -module, then $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(M, E)) = \text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$.*

Proof. By Proposition 3.2 (i), $L = \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)$ is a faithfully injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Therefore, [2, Theorem 6.4.2] implies that $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(M, L)) = \text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$. In the following sequence, the first isomorphism follows from adjointness and the second one follows from tensor cancellation.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(M, L) &= \text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(M, \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)) \\ &\cong \text{Hom}_R((R \bowtie I) \otimes_{R \bowtie I} M, E) \cong \text{Hom}_R(M, E). \end{aligned} \quad \square$$

PROPOSITION 3.6 ([7, Proposition 2.2]). *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R and let M be an R -module which is Gorenstein injective over $R \bowtie I$. Then there exists a short exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(I, E) \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$, where E is an injective R -module and M' is Gorenstein injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module, which stays exact under applying the functor $\text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, J), -)$, for any injective R -module J .*

The dual proof of Proposition 3.6 (this time using Proposition 3.3), is as follows.

PROPOSITION 3.7. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R and let M be an R -module which is Gorenstein projective as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Then there exists a short exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow I \otimes_R P \rightarrow M' \rightarrow 0$, where P is a projective R -module and M' is Gorenstein projective as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Furthermore, the sequence stays exact applying the functor $\text{Hom}_R(-, I \otimes_R Q)$ for any projective R -module Q .*

LEMMA 3.8. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R and let M be a G_I -injective R -module. Then there exists the short exact sequence of $(R \bowtie I)$ -modules $0 \rightarrow$*

$M' \rightarrow U \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$, where $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}(U) = 0$ and $\mathcal{G}\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(M') = 0$. Furthermore, the sequence stays exact over applying the functor $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(V, -)$ for any injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module V .

Proof. By definition there exists a short exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow N \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(I, E) \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$, where E is injective and N is G_I -injective, and stays exact by applying the functor $\text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, J), -)$ for every injective R -module J . By Proposition 3.1 (i), we have the following short exact sequence of R -modules $(*) : 0 \rightarrow I \rightarrow R \bowtie I \rightarrow R \rightarrow 0$. By applying the functor $\text{Hom}_R(-, E)$ to the sequence $(*)$, we get the exact sequence of $(R \bowtie I)$ -modules $(**): 0 \rightarrow E \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(I, E) \rightarrow 0$. Now we have the following commutative diagram of $(R \bowtie I)$ -modules with exact rows:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & M' & \longrightarrow & \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E) & \longrightarrow & M \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \parallel \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & N & \longrightarrow & \text{Hom}_R(I, E) & \longrightarrow & M \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

By Proposition 3.2 (i), $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)$ is an injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Also using Snake lemma on the diagram embeds the vertical arrows into exact sequences, which implies the short exact sequence of R -modules $0 \rightarrow E \rightarrow M' \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$. Therefore $M' \cong E \oplus N$ as R -modules. But N is G_I -injective and E is by Fact 2.11 (ii). So M' is also G_I -injective. Furthermore the lower row in the diagram stays exact under $\text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, J), -)$ for every injective R -module J . Also, the sequence $(**)$ splits as R -modules, so the surjection $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(I, E)$ splits, which implies that the upper row in the diagram also stays exact under $\text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, J), -)$. Now using Proposition 3.2 (iii) we see that the upper row in the diagram stays exact under $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, J), -)$ for every injective R -module J . This proves that the sequence stays exact under $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(V, -)$, for every injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module V . \square

By a similar argument, the following result obtained.

LEMMA 3.9. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R and let M be a G_I -projective R -module. Then there exists the short exact sequence of $(R \bowtie I)$ -modules $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow M' \rightarrow 0$, where $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(P) = 0$ and $\mathcal{G}\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(M') = 0$. Furthermore, the sequence stays exact over applying the functor $\text{Hom}_{R \bowtie I}(-, S)$ for any projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module S .*

In [11], Holm and Jørgensen investigated the properties of relative Gorenstein homological dimensions, G_C -projective, G_C -injective, and G_C -flat dimensions, where C is a semidualizing R -module and they showed that the G_C -projective, G_C -injective, and G_C -flat dimensions always agree with the ring changed Gorenstein dimensions $\text{Gpd}_{R \times C}(-)$, $\text{Gid}_{R \times C}(-)$, and $\text{Gfd}_{R \times C}(-)$, respectively. In the following, we study these result for amalgamation instead of idealization.

PROPOSITION 3.10. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R . Then for every R -module M the following statements holds.*

- (i) M is a G_I -injective R -module if and only if M is a Gorenstein injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module.

(ii) M is a G_I -projective R -module if and only if M is a Gorenstein projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module.

(iii) M is a G_I -flat R -module if and only if M is a Gorenstein flat $(R \bowtie I)$ -module.

Proof. (i) Assume that M is G_I -injective R -module. Then Lemma 3.8 implies that M is Gorenstein injective as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Conversely, if M is Gorenstein injective over $R \bowtie I$, then Proposition 3.6 and Corollary 3.4 (i) gives the existence of a complete $\mathcal{L}_C\mathcal{I}$ -resolution.

(ii) Similar, with using Proposition 3.7 and Lemma 3.9 and Corollary 3.4 (ii).

(iii) By item (i) and Propositions 3.5, we only need to show that for every faithfully injective R -module E we have M is G_I -flat if and only if $\text{Hom}_R(M, E)$ is G_I -injective, which is proved in the proof of [11, Proposition 2.15]. \square

THEOREM 3.11. *Let I be a semidualizing R -module of the ring R and let M be an R -module. Then the following equalities hold.*

(i) $\mathcal{GL}_I - \text{id}_R(M) = \text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$,

(ii) $\mathcal{GP}_I - \text{pd}_R(M) = \text{Gpd}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$,

(iii) $\mathcal{GF}_I - \text{fd}_R(M) = \text{Gfd}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$.

Proof. We only prove the first equality. The proofs of other items are similar. By Proposition 3.10 (i) we have $\mathcal{GL}_I - \text{id}_R(M) \geq \text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(M)$. For the opposite, assume that $\text{Gid}_{R \bowtie I}(M) = n$. Pick an injective resolution \mathbf{E} of M as R -module, $\mathbf{E} : 0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow E_0 \rightarrow E_{-1} \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow E_{1-n} \rightarrow K_{-n} \rightarrow 0$. By [15, Theorem 3.8] the modules E_i are Gorenstein injective as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module, and therefore [10, Theorem (2.22)] implies that the R -module K_{-n} is Gorenstein injective as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. Now Proposition 3.10 implies that K_{-n} is a G_I -injective R -module. On the other hand, Fact 2.11(ii) implies that the modules E_i are G_I -injective R -modules, which shows that $\mathcal{GL}_I - \text{id}_R(M) \leq n$. \square

Here, we investigate some homological properties on amalgamation along a semidualizing ideal I .

LEMMA 3.12. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R , P be a projective R -module, and let E be an injective R -module. Then the following statements hold.*

(i) $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}((R \bowtie I) \otimes_R P) \leq \text{id}_R(I \otimes_R P)$.

(ii) $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)) \leq \text{pd}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, E))$.

Proof. (i) Consider the following injective resolution of the R -module $I \otimes_R P$,

$$\mathbf{E} : 0 \rightarrow I \otimes_R P \rightarrow E^0 \rightarrow E^1 \rightarrow \cdots$$

By [12, Corollary 6.1], $I \otimes_R P \in \mathcal{B}_I(R)$. Therefore, using Proposition 3.1 (i), we have $\text{Ext}_R^{i \geq 1}(R \bowtie I, I \otimes_R P) \cong \text{Ext}_R^{i \geq 1}(R \oplus I, I \otimes_R P) = 0$. So, the sequence \mathbf{E} stays exact by applying the functor $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, -)$. On the other hand, Proposition 3.2 (i) implies that $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E^i)$ is an injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module for every $i \geq 0$, which shows that $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, \mathbf{E})$ is an injective resolution of the $(R \bowtie I)$ -module

$\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, I \otimes_R P)$. But, $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, I \otimes_R P) \cong \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, I) \otimes_R P$, by [6, Theorem 3.2.14], and $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, I) \otimes_R P \cong (R \bowtie I) \otimes_R P$ as $(R \bowtie I)$ -module by [5, Theorem 4.1].

(ii) Consider the projective resolution of the R -module $\text{Hom}_R(I, E)$ as follows, $\mathbf{P} : \dots \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(I, E) \rightarrow 0$. By [12, Corollary 6.1], $\text{Hom}_R(I, E) \in \mathcal{A}_C(R)$. Therefore using Proposition 3.1 (i), we have $\text{Tor}_{i \geq 1}^R(R \bowtie I, \text{Hom}_R(I, E)) \cong \text{Tor}_{i \geq 1}^R(R \oplus I, \text{Hom}_R(I, E)) = 0$. So, the sequence \mathbf{P} stays exact by applying the functor $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R -$. Also, Proposition 3.3 (i) implies that $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R P_i$ is a projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module for every $i \geq 0$, which shows that $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R \mathbf{P}$ is a projective resolution of the $(R \bowtie I)$ -module $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R \text{Hom}_R(I, E)$. On the other hand, we have:

$$(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R \text{Hom}_R(I, E) \cong \text{Hom}_R(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, I), E) \cong \text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E).$$

Note that in the above sequence the first isomorphism follows from [6, Theorem 3.2.11], since $R \bowtie I$ is a finitely generated R -module by Proposition 3.1 (ii), and the second one follows from [5, Theorem 4.1]. \square

THEOREM 3.13. *Let I be a semidualizing ideal of the ring R . Assume that $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$, (or $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$), where n is a non-negative integer. Then for every projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module P and every injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module E the following statements hold.*

- (i) $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}(P) \leq n$.
- (ii) $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(E) \leq n$.

Proof. Let P be a projective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module and let E be an injective $(R \bowtie I)$ -module. By Proposition 3.2 (ii) and Proposition 3.3 (ii), E is a direct summand of the R -module $\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E')$ for some injective R -module E' and P is a direct summand of the R -module $(R \bowtie I) \otimes_R Q$ for some projective R -module Q . Now we show that $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}((R \bowtie I) \otimes_R Q) \leq n$ and $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E')) \leq n$.

First assume that $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$.

(i) Let Q be a projective R -module and let M be an R -module. Then by [19, Proposition 2.12], $\text{Ext}_R^{i > n}(M, I \otimes_R Q) = 0$, which implies that $\text{id}_R(I \otimes_R Q) \leq n$. Now, Lemma 3.12(i) implies that $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}((R \bowtie I) \otimes_R Q) \leq n$.

(ii) By [20, Lemma 3.4(1)], $\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(E) = \mathcal{G}\mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(E)$ for any injective R -module E . Therefore Fact 2.9 (i) implies that $\text{pd}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, E)) = \mathcal{P}_I - \text{pd}_R(E) \leq n$. Now Lemma 3.12 (ii) implies that $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)) \leq n$.

Now suppose that $\sup\{\mathcal{G}\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(M) \mid M \in \mathcal{M}(R)\} \leq n$.

(i) By [20, Lemma 3.4(2)], $\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(Q) = \mathcal{G}\mathcal{I}_I - \text{id}_R(Q)$ for any projective R -module Q . So, Fact 2.9 (ii) implies that $\text{id}_R(I \otimes_R Q) \leq n$. Hence, $\text{id}_{R \bowtie I}((R \bowtie I) \otimes_R Q) \leq n$ by Lemma 3.12 (i).

(ii) Let M be an R -module. Then $\text{Ext}_R^{i > n}(\text{Hom}_R(I, E), M) = 0$ for any injective R -module E , by the dual of [19, Proposition 2.12]. So, $\text{pd}_R(\text{Hom}_R(I, E)) \leq n$. Now, Lemma 3.12 (ii) implies that $\text{pd}_{R \bowtie I}(\text{Hom}_R(R \bowtie I, E)) \leq n$. \square

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