

Characterizations of Algebras whose Modules with Fitting's Property are of Finite Length

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Let R be a ring. A left R -module M is said to satisfy property (I) (resp. (S)) if every injective (resp. surjective) endomorphism of M is an automorphism, M is said to satisfy Fitting's property (for short Property (F)) if for every endomorphism f of M there exists $n \in \mathbb{N}$ such that :

$M = \text{Im } f^n \oplus \text{Ker } f^n$. The object of this paper is to report the following result.

THEOREM. *For a finite dimensional algebra R over an algebraically closed field \mathbb{K} , the following conditions are equivalent.*

- 1) *Every left R -module with property (I) is Artinian.*
- 2) *Every left R -module with property (S) is Noetherian.*
- 3) *Every left R -module with property (F) is of finite length.*
- 4) *Every left R -module is a direct sum of finitely generated left R -modules.*

Proof. We show that if one of the conditions 1), 2) or 3) holds then every indecomposable left R -module M of infinite length is also of infinite length, considered as right $\text{End}_R M$ -module, and this last condition implies that R is of finite representation type (see [3]). Thus we obtain 1) \Rightarrow 4), 2) \Rightarrow 4), 3) \Rightarrow 4). The implications 4) \Rightarrow 1), 4) \Rightarrow 2) and 4) \Rightarrow 3) result from the fact that, on condition 4) R is of finite representation type (see [3]). For more informations on rings with one of the four conditions of the above theorem one may see [5], [6], [8] and [9]. ■

COROLLARY 1. *Let R be a finite dimensional algebra over an algebraically closed field \mathbb{K} . The following conditions are equivalent.*

- a) *Every left R -module with property (I) (resp. (S), resp. (F)) is Artinian (resp. Noetherian, resp. of finite length).*

b) Every right R -module with property (I) (resp. (S), resp. (F)) is Artinian (resp. Noetherian, resp. of finite length).

COROLLARY 2. Let \mathbb{K} be an algebraically closed field of characteristic $P \neq 0$, and G a finite group. The following conditions are equivalent.

- 1) Every left $\mathbb{K}[G]$ -module with property (I) (resp. (S), resp. (F)) is Artinian (resp. Noetherian, resp. of finite length).
- 2) The sylow p -subgroups of G are cyclic.
- 3) Every left R -module is a direct sum of finitely generated left R -modules.

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