

One Condition of I -Cofiniteness of Generalized Local Cohomology Modules

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Abstract

Let I be an ideal of a commutative Noetherian local ring R , M and N two finitely generated modules. Let t be a positive integer. We mainly prove that if $d = pd(M) < \infty$ and $\dim N = n < \infty$, then $H_I^{d+n}(M, N)$ is I -cofinite, which is a generalized of cofinite modules and local cohomology ($H_I^i(M, N) = \lim_{\rightarrow} Ext_R^i(M/I^n M, N)$). In the last part of this note, we also discuss the finiteness of $H_I^i(M, N)$ and prove that if M is a nonzero cyclic R -module, then $H_I^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$ if and only if $H_I^i(M, N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$.

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1. Introduction

Let R be a commutative Noetherian ring and I a proper ideal of R . The generalized local cohomology module ($H_I^i(M, N) = \lim_{\rightarrow} Ext_R^i(M/I^n M, N)$) for all R -modules M and N was introduced by Herzog in [4]. Clearly, it is a generalization of the usual local cohomology module. The study of generalized local cohomology modules was continued by many authors. For example Asadollahi, Khashyarmansh and salarian [1] proved that if $H_I^i(M, N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$, then $Hom(R/I, H_I^t(M, N))$ is finitely generated. Another, Delfino and Marley [3] proved that if (R, m) be a Noetherian local ring, I an ideal of R and M finitely generated module ($\dim M = n$), then $H_I^n(M)$ is I -cofinite ($Ext_R^i(R/I, H_I^n(M))$ is finite for all i).

As an analogue of this result, we show that if $d = pd(M) < \infty$ and $\dim N = n < \infty$, then $H_I^{d+n}(M, N)$ is I -cofinite, which is a generalization of [3, Theorem3]. Throughout this paper (R, m) is a commutative Noetherian local ring (with nonzero identity), M and N are finitely generated R -modules and I is proper ideal of R . We refer the reader to [2] for any unexplained terminology.

2. Results

We begin this section with some lemmas.

2.1 Lemma

Let M be a finitely generated R -module. If L is artinian and I -cofinite, then $Ext_R^i(M, L)$ is I -cofinite for all i .

Proof. Since L is Artinian, $Ext_R^i(M, L)$ is Artinian for all i . By [7, Proposition 4.3], it suffices to prove that $Hom_R(R/I, Ext_R^i(M, L))$ is finitely generated. In the following, we show that

$$Hom_R(R/I, Ext_R^i(M, L)) \cong Hom_R(R/I, Ext_R^i(M, L)) \otimes \hat{R} \cong Hom_{\hat{R}}(\hat{R}/I\hat{R}, Ext_{\hat{R}}^i(\hat{M}, L))$$

We may assume that R is m -adic complete. Set $E = E(R/m)$, an injective envelope of R/m . By [9, Theorem 11.57],

$$Hom_R(Hom_R(R/I, Ext_R^i(M, L)), E) \cong R/I \otimes \cong Tor_i^R(M, Hom_R(L, E)).$$

By matlis duality, $R/I \otimes \cong Tor_i^R(M, Hom_R(L, E))$ is finitely generated, so it is enough to show that it is Artinian. Since L is I -cofinite and Artinian, $Hom_R(R/I, L)$ is of finite length, and then $Hom_R(Hom_R(R/I, L), E) \cong R/I \otimes Hom_R(L, E)$ is of finite length. In particular,

$$Supp_R\{R/I \otimes Hom_R(L, E)\} \cong V(I) \cap Supp_R\{Hom_R(L, E)\} = \{m\}.$$

Therefore

$$Supp_R\{R/I \otimes Tor_i^R(M, Hom_R(L, E))\} \cong V(I) \cap Supp_R\{Hom_R(L, E)\} = \{m\}.$$

This complete the proof.

The following lemma is a generalization of [8, Lemma 3.4]

2.2 Lemma

Let M be a finitely generated R -module such that $d = pd(M) < \infty$. Let N be a finitely generated R -module and assume that n is an integer, and x_1, \dots, x_n is an I -filter regular sequence on N . Then $H_i^{d+n}(M, N) \cong H_i^d(M, H_{(x_1, \dots, x_n)}^n(N))$ for all $i \geq d$.

Proof. See [6, Theorem 3.2].

2.3 Proposition

Let I be an ideal of R , and let M, N be two finitely generated R -modules such that $d = pd(M) < \infty$ and $\dim N = n < \infty$. Then $H_i^{d+n}(M, N) \cong Ext_R^d(M, H_i^n(N))$. In particular, $H_i^{d+n}(M, N)$ is Artinian.

Proof. For this integer n , it is well known that there exists a sequence x_1, \dots, x_n in I such that it is an I -filter regular sequence on N . Note that $H_{(x_1, \dots, x_n)}^n(N)$ is Artinian when $n = \dim N$. By virtue of [8, Lemma 3.4], $H_{(x_1, \dots, x_n)}^n(N) \cong H_i^0(H_{(x_1, \dots, x_n)}^n(N)) \cong H_i^n(N)$. Therefore, by Lemma 2.6,

$$H_i^{d+n}(M, N) \cong H_i^d(M, H_{(x_1, \dots, x_n)}^n(N)) \cong H_i^d(M, H_i^n(N)) \cong Ext_R^d(M, H_i^n(N)).$$

This completes the proof.

The following theorem is our main result, which generalizes [3, Theorem 3].

2.4 Theorem

Let I be an ideal of R , and let M, N be two finitely generated R -modules such that $d = pd(M) < \infty$ and $\dim N = n < \infty$. Then $H_i^{d+n}(M, N)$ is I -cofinite.

Proof. By [3, Theorem 3], we know that $H_i^n(N)$ is I -cofinite. Then by Lemma 2.1 and proposition 2.3, the result follows.

In the last part of this note, we discuss the finiteness of $H_i^i(M, N)$.

2.5 Lemma

Let N be a finitely generated R -module and M a nonzero cyclic R -module. Let t be a positive integer. If $H_i^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$, then $H_i^t(N)$ is finitely generated if and only if $Hom(M, H_i^t(N))$ is finitely generated.

Proof. The 'only if' part is clear. Now suppose that $Hom(M, H_i^t(N))$ is finitely generated. Note that $Hom(M, H_i^t(N))$ is I -torsion, then there exists an integer n such that $I^n Hom(M, H_i^t(N)) = 0$. Assume that M is generated by an element m . For any $x \in H_i^t(N)$, we can find an element $f \in Hom(M, H_i^t(N))$ such that $f(m) = x$. Since $I^n f = 0$, $I^n x = 0$ and so $I^n H_i^t(N) = 0$. Since $H_i^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$, by [2, proposition 9.1.2], there exist an integer r , $I^r H_i^i(N) = 0$ for all $i < t$. Thus, $I^r H_i^i(N) = 0$ for all $i < t + 1$. Again by [2, proposition 9.1.2], $H_i^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t + 1$. In particular, $H_i^t(N)$ is finitely generated.

2.6 Proposition

Let N be a finitely generated R -module and let t be a positive integer. If M is a nonzero cyclic R -module, then $H_i^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$ if and only if $H_i^i(M, N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$.

Proof. The 'only if' part has been proved in [5, Theorem 1.1(\mathbf{w})]. Now we suppose that $H_i^i(M, N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t$. By induction on t , we can assume that $H_i^i(N)$ is finitely generated for all $i < t - 1$. Then by [5, Theorem 1.1(\mathbf{u})], it follows that $Hom(M, H_i^{t-1}(N))$ is finitely generated from the fact that $H_i^{t-1}(M, N)$ is finitely generated. Then $H_i^{t-1}(N)$ is finitely generated by Lemma 2.5.

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