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On Generalization of ϕ -*n*-Absorbing Ideals in Commutative Rings

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Abstract. The aim of this paper is to extend the concept of *n*-absorbing, quasi-*n*-absorbing and ϕ -*n*-absorbing ideals given by Anderson and Badawi [2] to the context of ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals. Let $\phi: \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ be a function where $\mathfrak{I}(R)$ is the set of all ideals of R. A proper ideal R of R is called a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing Ideal, if for each $a \in R$ with $a^{n+1} \in I - \phi(I)$, then $a^n \in I$. Some characterizations of semi-*n*-absorbing ideals are obtained. It is shown that if J is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R, then J/I is a ϕ_I -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R/I where $I \subseteq J$. A number of results concerning relationships between ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing and $\phi_{n\geq 2}$ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals of commutative rings. Finally, we obtain sufficient conditions of a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal in order to be a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal.

Keywords. *n*-absorbing ideal; Quasi-*n*-absorbing; ϕ -*n*-absorbing ideal; Semi-*n*-absorbing ideal; ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal

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1. Introduction

Let *R* be a commutative ring with $1 \neq 0$ and *n* a positive integer. In 2007, Badawi [4] generalized the concept of prime ideals to 2-absorbing ideals in a different way. He defined a nonzero proper ideal *I* of *R* to be a 2-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $abc \in I$ for $a, b, c \in R$, then $ab \in I$ or $ac \in I$ or $bc \in I$. Anderson and Badawi [1] generalized the concept of 2-absorbing ideals to

n-absorbing ideals. According to their definition, a proper ideal *I* of *R* to be a *n*-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $a_1a_2...a_{n+1} \in I$ for $a_1, a_2, ..., a_{n+1} \in R$, then there are *n* of the a_i 's whose product is in *I*. In [5], Badawi and Darani generalized the concept of weakly prime ideals to weakly 2-absorbing ideals. According to their definition, a proper ideal *I* of *R* to be a weakly 2-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $0 \neq abc \in I$ for $a, b, c \in R$, then $ab \in I$ or $ac \in I$ or $bc \in I$. In 2016, Mostafanasab *et al.* [8] introduced the concepts of a weakly *n*-absorbing ideal in commutative ring. According to their definition, a proper ideal *I* of *R* are absorbing ideal if whenever $0 \neq abc \in I$ for $a_1, a_2, ..., a_{n+1} \in R$, then there are *n* of the a_i 's whose product is in *I*. In 2017, Anderson and Badawi [2] generalized the concept of *n*-absorbing ideals to semi-*n*-absorbing ideals. According to their definition, a proper ideal *I* of *R* to be a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $a^{n+1} \in I$ for $a \in R$, then $a^n \in I$. Mostafanasab and Darani [7] introduced the concepts of a quasi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $a^{n+1} \in I$ for $a \in R$, then $a^n \in I$ for $a, b \in R$, then $a^n \in I$ or $a^{n-1}b \in I$.

In 2008, Anderson and Batanieh [3] generalized the concept of prime and weakly prime ideals to φ -prime ideals. Let $\varphi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function where $\mathfrak{I}(R)$ is a set of ideals of R. Recall that a proper ideal I of R is called a φ -prime ideal of R as in [3] if whenever $ab \in I - \varphi(I)$ for $a, b \in R$, then $a \in I$ or $b \in I$. Ebrahimpour and Nekooei [6] generalized the concept of n-absorbing ideals to (n-1,n)- φ -prime ideals. According to their definition, a proper ideal I of R to be a (n-1,n)- φ -prime ideal of R if whenever $a_1a_2...a_n \in I$ for $a_1,a_2,...,a_n \in R$, then there are n-1 of the a_i 's whose product is in I.

Motivated and inspired by the above works, the purposes of this paper are to introduce generalizations of *n*-absorbing, quasi-*n*-absorbing and ϕ -*n*-absorbing ideals to the context of ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals. A proper ideal *I* of *R* to be a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R* if whenever $a^{n+1} \in I - \phi(I)$ for $a \in R$, then $a^{n+1} \in I$. Let *I* be a ϕ_{α} -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.

- If $\phi_{\alpha}(I) = \emptyset$ for every $I \in \mathcal{J}(R)$, then we say that $\phi_{\alpha} = \phi_{\emptyset}$ and I is called a ϕ_{\emptyset} -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R [2].
- If $\phi_{\alpha}(I) = \{0\}$ for every $I \in \mathcal{J}(R)$, then we say that $\phi_{\alpha} = \phi_0$ and I is called a ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R.
- If $\phi_{\alpha}(I) = I^2$ for every $I \in \mathcal{J}(R)$, then we say that $\phi_{\alpha} = \phi_2$ and I is called a ϕ_2 -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R, and hence I is an almost semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R.
- If $\phi_{\alpha}(I) = I^{n-1}$ for every $I \in \mathcal{J}(R)$, then we say that $\phi_{\alpha} = \phi_{n \ge 3}$ and I is called a ϕ_n -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, and hence I is a n-semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
- If $\phi_{\alpha}(I) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} I^{i}$ for every $I \in \mathcal{I}(R)$, then we say that $\phi_{\alpha} = \phi_{\omega}$ and I is called a ϕ_{ω} -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, and hence I is a ω -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.

The aim of this paper is to investigate the concept of ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_{ϕ} -semi-*n*-absorbing and ϕ_{ω} -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals of commutative rings. A number of results concerning relationships between ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_{ϕ} -semi-*n*-absorbing and $\phi_{n\geq 2}$ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals of commutative rings. Finally,

we obtain sufficient conditions of a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal in order to be a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal.

2. Properties of ϕ -Semi-*n*-Absorbing Ideals

The results of the following theorems seem to play an important role to study ϕ -2-absorbing quasi-primary ideals of commutative rings; these facts will be used frequently and normally we shall make no reference to this definition.

Definition 2.1. Let $\phi : \mathcal{I}(R) \to \mathcal{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ be a function where $\mathcal{I}(R)$ is a set of all ideals of R. A proper ideal I of R is called a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R if for each $a \in R$ with $a^{n+1} \in I - \phi(I)$, then $a^n \in I$.

Remark 2.1. (1) It is easy to see that every ϕ -*n*-absorbing ideal is ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing.

- (2) It is easy to see that every semi-*n*-absorbing ideal is ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing.
- (3) It is easy to see that every quasi-*n*-absorbing ideal is ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing.

The following example shows that the converse of Remark 2.1 is not true.

- **Example 2.1.** (1) Let $R = \mathbb{Z}$ and $2 \le n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Consider the ideal $I = 3 \cdot 5^n \mathbb{Z}$ of R. Define $\phi : \mathcal{J}(R) \to \mathcal{J}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ by $\phi(I) = \{0\}$, for every ideal I of R. It is easy to see that I is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R. Notice that $3 \cdot 5^n \in 3 \cdot 5^n \mathbb{Z} \phi(3 \cdot 5^n \mathbb{Z})$, but $3 \cdot 5^{n-1} \notin 3 \cdot 5^n \mathbb{Z}$ and $5^n \notin 3 \cdot 5^n \mathbb{Z}$. Therefore I is not a ϕ -n-absorbing (quasi-n-absorbing) ideal of R.
 - (2) Let $R = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$. Consider the ideal $I = \{0\} \times 8\mathbb{Z}$ of R. Define $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ by $\phi(I) = \{0\} \times 8\mathbb{Z}$, for every ideal I of R. It is easy to see that I is a ϕ -semi-2-absorbing ideal of R. Notice that $(0,2)^3 \in \{0\} \times 8\mathbb{Z}$, but $(0,2)^2 \notin \{0\} \times 8\mathbb{Z}$. Therefore I is not a semi-2-absorbing ideal of R.

Let *I* be *n* ideal of a ring *R* and let $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ be a function. Since $I - \phi(I) = I - (I \cap \phi(I))$, without loss of generality, we will assume that $\phi(I) \subseteq I$ [3]. Throughout this paper, as it is noted earlier, if ϕ is a function, then we always assume that $\phi(I) \subseteq I$. Define $\phi_I : \mathfrak{I}(R/I) \to \mathfrak{I}(R/I) \cup \{\phi\}$ by

$$\phi_{I}(J/I) = \begin{cases} (\phi(J) + I)/I \ ; & \phi(J) \neq \emptyset, \\ \varphi \ ; & \phi(J) = \emptyset, \end{cases}$$

for every ideal J of R with $I \subseteq J$. In, 2008 Anderson and Bataineh in [3] gives relations between ϕ -prime ideals of R and ϕ_I -prime ideals of R/I. This leads us to give relations between ϕ -semi-2-absorbing ideals of R and ϕ_I -semi-2-absorbing ideals of R/I.

Theorem 2.1. Let $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function and let I, J be two ideals of R with $I \subseteq J$. If J is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, then J/I is a ϕ_I -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R/I.

Proof. Let $a \in R$ such that $a^{n+1} + I = (a+I)^{n+1} \in (J/I) - \phi_I(J/I) = (J/I) - (\phi(J)+I)/I = (J-\phi(J))/I$. Clearly, $a^{n+1} \in J - \phi(J)$. By Definition 2.1, $a^n \in J$. Therefore $(a+I)^n = a^n + I \in J/I$. Hence J/I is a ϕ_I -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R/I. **Theorem 2.2.** Let $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function and let I, J be two ideals of R with $I \subseteq J$. If J/I is a ϕ_I -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R/I such that $I \subseteq \phi(J)$, then J is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.

Proof. Let $a \in R$ such that $a^{n+1} \in J - \phi(J)$. Then $(a+I)^{n+1} = a^{n+1} + I \in (J - \phi(J))/I = J/I - (\phi(J) + I)/I = (J/I) - \phi_I(J/I)$. By Definition 2.1, $a^n + I = (a+I)^n \in J/I$. Thus $a^n \in J$. Hence J is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.

Now, by Theorems 2.1 and 2.2, we have the following corollary.

Corollary 2.1. Let $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function and let I, J be two ideals of R with $I \subseteq \phi(J)$. Then J is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R if and only if J/I is a ϕ_I -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R/I.

Proof. The proof is similar to Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 2.2.

We are finding additional condition to show that a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.

Theorem 2.3. Let $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function and let $\phi(I)$ be a semi-2-absorbing ideal of R. Then I is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R if and only if I is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.

Proof. Suppose that I is a semi-2-absorbing ideal of R. Clearly, I is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R.

Conversely, assume that *I* is a ϕ -semi-2-absorbing ideal of *R*. Let $a \in R$ such that $a^{n+1} \in I$. If $a^{n+1} \notin \phi(I)$, then $a^{n+1} \in I - \phi(I)$. By Definition 2.1, $a^{n+1} \in I$. Now if $a^{n+1} \in \phi(I)$, then there is nothing to prove. Hence *I* is a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.

3. Properties of ϕ_{α} -Semi-*n*-Absorbing Ideals

We start with the following theorem that gives a relation between ϕ_{α} -semi-*n*-absorbing and ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal. Our starting points are the following definitions:

Definition 3.1. Let *R* be commutative ring and let $\mathcal{I}(R)$ be the set of all ideals of *R*. Define the following functions $\phi_{\alpha} : \mathcal{I}(R) \to \mathcal{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ and the corresponding ϕ_{α} -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals:

- (1) If $\phi_{\emptyset}(I) = \emptyset$, then *I* is a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R* [2].
- (2) If $\phi_0(I) = \{0\}$, then *I* is a weakly semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.
- (3) If $\phi_1(I) = I$, then *I* is a proper ideal of *R*.
- (4) If $\phi_2(I) = I^2$, then *I* is an almost semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.
- (5) If $\phi_m(I) = I^m$, then *I* is a *m*-semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.
- (6) If $\phi_{\omega}(I) = \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} I^i$, then *I* is an ω -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*.

Remark 3.1. Let *R* be commutative ring and let $\mathcal{I}(R)$ be the set of all ideals of *R*. For two functions $\phi_{\alpha}, \phi_{\beta} : \mathcal{I}(R) \to \mathcal{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$. Define $\phi_{\alpha} \leq \phi_{\beta}$, if $\phi_{\alpha}(I) \subseteq \phi_{\beta}(I)$, for all $I \in \mathcal{J}(R)[2]$. By Definition 3.1, observe that $\phi_{\phi} \leq \phi_0 \leq \phi_{\omega} \leq \ldots \leq \phi_{n+1} \leq \phi_n \leq \ldots \leq \phi_2 \leq \phi_1$.

Notice that for a commutative ring R, the zero ideal {0} is always a ϕ_0 -semi-n-absorbing ideal. In the following example, we give a commutative ring in which a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal is not ϕ_0 -semi-n-absorbing.

Example 3.1. Let $R = \mathbb{Z}$. Consider the ideal $I = 2^{n+1}\mathbb{Z}$ of R. Define $\phi : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\phi\}$ by $\phi(I) = I$, for every ideal I of R. It is easy to see that I is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R. Notice that $2^{n+1} \in 2^{n+1}\mathbb{Z} - \phi_0(2^{n+1}\mathbb{Z})$, but $2^n \notin 2^{n+1}\mathbb{Z}$. Therefore I is not a ϕ_0 -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.

Theorem 3.1. Let $\phi_{\alpha} : \mathfrak{I}(R) \to \mathfrak{I}(R) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function. Then the following hold.

- (1) If I is a ϕ_{β} -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R such that $\phi_{\beta} \leq \phi_{\gamma}$, then I is a ϕ_{γ} -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
- (2) If I is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, then I is a ϕ_0 -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
- (3) If I is a ϕ_0 -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, then I is an ω -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
- (4) If I is a ϕ_{ω} -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, then I is a ϕ_n -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
- (5) If I is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R, then I is a ϕ -semi-(n+m)-absorbing ideal of R.
- *Proof.* (1) Let $a \in R$ such that $a^{n+1} \in I \phi_{\gamma}(I)$. Since $\phi_{\beta} \leq \phi_{\gamma}$, we have $\phi_{\beta}(I) \subseteq \phi_{\gamma}(I)$. Then $a^{n+1} \in I \phi_{\gamma}(I) \subseteq I \phi_{\beta}(I)$. By Definition 3.1, $a^n \in I$. Hence I is a ϕ_{γ} -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R.
 - (2) It is obvious.
 - (3) It is obvious.
 - (4) It is obvious.
 - (5) It is obvious.

From the above definitions we obtain immediately the following implication chart for the considered types of ideals:

semi-*n*-absorbing \Rightarrow weakly semi-*n*-absorbing $\Rightarrow \omega$ -semi-*n*-absorbing $\Rightarrow \phi_{n\geq 2}$ -semi-*n*-absorbing \Rightarrow almost semi-*n*-absorbing.

Next, let R be a commutative ring. Clearly, every semi-n-absorbing ideal of R is ϕ -semi-n-absorbing but the converse does not necessarily hold. In Theorems 3.4, 3.5 and Corollary 3.2 provide some conditions under which a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal is semi-n-absorbing.

Next, let R_i be a commutative ring with identity. Then $R_1 \times R_2$ is a commutative ring with identity and each ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$ is of the form $I_1 \times I_2$ for some ideals I_1 of R_1 and I_2 of R_2 . Next we show that, if I_1 is a $(\psi_1)_0$ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_1 , then $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing

ideal if $\{0\} \times R_2 \subseteq \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$. First, we would like to show that, I_1 is a ψ_1 -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_1 if $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.

Theorem 3.2. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. If $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$, then I_1 is a ψ_1 -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_1 .

Proof. Let $a \in R_1$ such that $a^{n+1} \in I_1 - \psi_1(I_1)$. Clearly, $(a, 0)^{n+1} = (a^{n+1}, 0) \in I_1 \times R_2 - \psi_1(I_1) \times R_2$ $\psi_2(R_2) = I_1 \times R_2 - \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$. By Definition 3.1, $(a^n, 0) = (a, 0)^n \in I_1 \times R_2$. Therefore $a^n \in I_1$. Hence I_1 is a ψ_1 -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_1 .

Lemma 3.1. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. If I_1 is a $(\psi_1)_0$ -semi-nabsorbing ideal of R_1 such that $\{0\} \times R_2 \subseteq \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$, then $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.

Proof. Let $(a,b) \in R_1 \times R_2$ such that $(a,b)^{n+1} \in I_1 \times R_2 - \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$. Since $\{0\} \times R_2 \subseteq \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$, we have $(a^{n+1}, b^{n+1}) = (a, b)^{n+1} \notin \{0\} \times R_2$. Clearly, $a^{n+1} \neq 0$. Thus $a^{n+1} \in I_1 - (\psi_1)_0(I_1)$. By Definition 3.1, $a^n \in I_1$. Therefore $(a, b)^n \in I_1 \times R_2$. Consequently $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.

Corollary 3.1. Let $\psi_i : \mathcal{J}(R_i) \to \mathcal{J}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. If I_2 is a $(\psi_2)_0$ -semi*n*-absorbing ideal of R_2 such that $R_2 \times \{0\} \subseteq \phi(R_2 \times I_1)$, then $R_1 \times I_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.

Proof. Similar to the proof of Lemma 3.1.

Theorem 3.3. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \ldots \times \psi_k$ and $R_1 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times \ldots \times \varphi_k$ $\{0\} \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k \subseteq \phi(R_1 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times I_i \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k)$. Then I_i is a $(\psi_i)_0$ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_i if and only if $R_1 \times R_2 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times I_i \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2 \times \ldots \times R_k$.

Proof. The proof of the following result is similar to the proof of Lemma 3.1 and Corollary 3.1. \square

Theorem 3.4. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (1) I_1 is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_1 .
- (2) $I_1 \times R_2$ is a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.
- (3) $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$ where $\psi_2(R_2) \neq R_2$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2): Let $(a,b) \in R_1 \times R_2$ such that $(a^{n+1},b) = (a,b)^{n+1} \in I_1 \times R_2$. Clearly, $a^{n+1} \in I_1$. By Definition 3.1, $a^n \in I_1$. Thus $(a,b)^n \in I_1 \times R_2$. Hence $I_1 \times R_2$ is a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of *R*. $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$: It is obvious.

(3) \Rightarrow (1): Let $a \in R_1$ such that $a^{n+1} \in I_1$. Since $(a, 1)^{n+1} = (a^{n+1}, 1) \notin I_1 \times \psi_2(R_2)$ and $\psi_1 \times \psi_2(I_1 \times R_2) \subseteq I_1 \times \psi_2(R_2)$, we have $(a, 1)^{n+1} \notin \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$. Clearly, $(a, 1)^{n+1} \in I_1 \times R_2 - \phi(I_1 \times R_2)$.

By Definition 3.1, $(a,1)^n \in I_1 \times R_2$. Therefore $a^n \in I_1$. Hence I_1 is a semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_1 .

Corollary 3.2. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (1) I_2 is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_2 .
- (2) $R_1 \times I_2$ is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$.
- (3) $R_1 \times I_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$ where $\psi_1(R_1) \neq R_1$.

Proof. Similar to the proof of Theorem 3.4.

Theorem 3.5. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\phi = \psi_1 \times \ldots \times \psi_k$. Then the following conditions are equivalent:

- (1) I_i is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_i .
- (2) $R_1 \times R_2 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times I_i \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k$ is a semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times \ldots \times R_k$.
- (3) $R_1 \times R_2 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times I_i \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times \ldots \times R_2$ with $\psi_j(R_j) \neq R_j$.

Proof. Similar to the proof of Theorem 3.4 and Corollary 3.2.

Theorem 3.6. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\psi_2(R_2) = R_2$ and $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. Then $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$ if and only if I_1 is a ψ_1 -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_1 .

Proof. (\Rightarrow): This follows from Theorem 3.2.

 $(\Leftarrow): \text{Let } (a,b) \in R_1 \times R_2 \text{ such that } (a^{n+1},b^{n+1}) = (a,b)^{n+1} \in I_1 \times R_2 - \phi(I_1 \times R_2) = I_1 \times R_2 - \psi_1(I_1) \times R_2.$ Clearly, $a^{n+1} \in I_1 - \psi_1(I_1)$. By Definition 3.1, $a^n \in I_1$. Hence $I_1 \times R_2$ is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$. \Box

Corollary 3.3. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\psi_1(R_1) = R_1$ and $\phi = \psi_1 \times \psi_2$. Then $R_1 \times I_2$ is a ϕ -semi-n-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times R_2$ if and only if I_2 is a ψ_2 -semi-n-absorbing ideal of R_2 .

Proof. Similar to the proof of Theorem 3.6.

Theorem 3.7. Let $\psi_i : \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \to \mathfrak{I}(R_i) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ be a function with $\psi_j(R_j) = R_j$ and $\phi = \psi_1 \times \ldots \times \psi_k$. Then $R_1 \times R_2 \times \ldots \times R_{i-1} \times I_i \times R_{i+1} \times \ldots \times R_k$ is a ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of $R_1 \times \ldots \times R_k$ if and only if I_i is a ψ_i -semi-*n*-absorbing ideal of R_i .

Proof. Similar to the proof of Theorem 3.6 and Corollary 3.3.

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4. Conclusion

We introduced the concept of a semi-*n*-absorbing of a commutative ring. The aim of this paper is to investigate the concept of ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_{ϕ} -semi-*n*-absorbing, $\phi_{n\geq 2}$ -semi-*n*-absorbing and ϕ_{ω} -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals of commutative rings. A number of results concerning relationships between ϕ -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_0 -semi-*n*-absorbing, ϕ_{ϕ} -semi-*n*absorbing and $\phi_{n\geq 2}$ -semi-*n*-absorbing ideals of commutative rings.

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