



On nonnil- S -Noetherian and nonnil- u - S -Noetherian rings

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Abstract

Let R be a commutative ring with identity, and let S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then R is called a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if every nonnil ideal of R is S -finite. Also, R is called a u - S -Noetherian ring if there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for each ideal I of R , $sI \subseteq K$ for some finitely generated sub-ideal K of I . In this paper, we examine some new characterization of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings. Then, as a generalization of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings and u - S -Noetherian rings, we introduce and investigate the nonnil- u - S -Noetherian rings class.

1 Introduction

Throughout this paper, it is assumed that all rings are commutative with non-zero identity. If R is a ring, we denote by $Nil(R)$ the ideal of all nilpotent elements of R . Recall that an ideal I of R is said to be a nonnil ideal if $I \not\subseteq Nil(R)$. A nonempty subset S of R is said to be a multiplicative subset if $1 \in S$, and for each $a, b \in S$ we have $ab \in S$.

Badawi established the concept of nonnil-Noetherian rings in [2]. Remember that a commutative ring R is Nonnil-Noetherian if every nonnil ideal of R is finitely generated. Many of the features of Noetherian rings are analogously

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proved for the Nonnil-Noetherian rings. In [2], the trivial extension construction is provided to give examples of nonnil-Noetherian rings which are not Noetherian rings.

In [1], Anderson and Dumitrescu introduced the notion of S -Noetherian rings as a generalization of Noetherian rings. Let R be a ring, S be a multiplicative set of R , and M be an R -module. We say that M is S -finite if there exist a finitely generated submodule F of M and $s \in S$ such that $sM \subseteq F$. Also, we say that M is S -Noetherian if each submodule of M is S -finite. A ring R is said to be S -Noetherian if it is S -Noetherian as an R -module (i.e., if each ideal of R is S -finite). In addition, they gave various construction of the S -variants of the well-known results for Noetherian rings: S -versions of Cohens result, the Eakin-Nagata theorem, the Hilbert Basis theorem, and under certain supplementary hypothesis. In particular, they studied the transfer of the S -Noetherian property to the ring of polynomials and the ring of formal power series. In [10] a ring R is said to be a uniformly S -Noetherian (u - S -Noetherian for abbreviation) provided there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for any ideal I of R , $sI \subseteq K$ for some finitely generated sub-ideal K of I . Trivially, Noetherian rings are u - S -Noetherian, and u - S -Noetherian rings are S -Noetherian.

In [8], Known and Lim introduced the notion of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings as a generalization of both nonnil-Noetherian rings and S -Noetherian rings. Let R be a ring, S be a multiplicative set of R . Then R is said to be a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if each nonnil ideal of R is S -finite. If S consists of units of R , then the concept of S -finite ideals is the same as that of finitely generated ideals; so if S consists of units of R , then the notion of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings is identical to that of nonnil-Noetherian ring. Moreover, if $Nil(R) = 0$, then the concept of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings is exactly the same as that of S -Noetherian rings. Obviously, if $S_1 \subseteq S_2$ are multiplicative subsets, then any nonnil- S_1 -Noetherian ring is nonnil- S_2 -Noetherian; and if S^* is the saturation of S in R , then R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if R is a nonnil- S^* -Noetherian ring. The nonnil- S -Noetherian rings was studied in [8] using the Cohen-type theorem, the flat extension, the faithfully flat extension, the polynomial ring extension and the power series ring extension.

Let A and B be two rings, J an ideal of B and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism. In this setting, we consider the following subring of $A \times B$:

$$A \bowtie^f J = \{(a, f(a) + j) \mid a \in A \text{ and } j \in J\}$$

is called the amalgamation of A and B along J with respect to f . This con-

struction is a generalization of the amalgamated duplication of a ring along an ideal denoted by $A \bowtie I$ (introduced and studied by D’Anna and Fontana in [4]). The interest of amalgamation resides, partly, in its ability to cover several basic constructions in commutative algebra, pullbacks and trivial ring extensions. See for instance [5, 7].

This paper consists of three sections including introduction. In Section 2, we look at several new nonnil- S -Noetherian ring properties. First, we establish the Eakin-Nagata-Formanek Theorem for nonnil- S -Noetherian ring. After that we show that the polynomial ring $R[X]$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if it is S -Noetherian, and we also give a characterisation when a ring is nonnil- S -Noetherian by using the polynomial ring. In the case when R is a ϕ -ring, R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if $R/Nil(R)$ is a \bar{S} -Noetherian domain with $\bar{S} = S + Nil(R)$. The characterize of the amalgamation $A \bowtie^f J$ to be nonnil- S -Noetherian provided that is a ϕ -ring which brings this section to a close.

However, in the definition of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings, the choice of $s \in S$ such that $sI \subseteq K \subseteq I$ with K finitely generated is dependent on the nonnil ideal I . This dependence sets many obstacles to the further study of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings. The main motivation of section 3 of this work is to introduce and study a uniform version of nonnil- S -Noetherian rings. In fact, if there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for any nonnil ideal I of R , $sI \subseteq K$ for some finitely generated sub-ideal K of I , we say that a ring R is nonnil uniformly S -Noetherian (nonnil- u - S -Noetherian for short). Trivially, nonnil-Noetherian and nonnil- u - S -Noetherian rings are nonnil- S -Noetherian.

2 On nonnil- S -Noetherian rings

Let R be a commutative ring and S be a multiplicative set of R . Then if there exists $s \in S \cap Nil(R)$, so there exists a positive integre n such that $0 = s^n \in S$. Hence in this paper we always assume that $S \cap Nil(R) = \emptyset$. If $Nil(R)$ is a prime ideal of R , Then a nonnil ideal I is S -finite if and only if there is $s \in S$ and a nonnil finitely generated ideal F such that $sI \subseteq F \subseteq I$.

Recall that a ring R is called a ϕ -von Neumann regular ring if $R/Nil(R)$ is a field by [12, Theorem 4.1]. We begin this section with the following theorem, which defines when each S -Noetherian (Resp., u - S -Noetherian) R -module is Noetherian, for each multiplicative subset S of R .

Theorem 2.1. *Let R be a ring. Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. For every multiplicative subset $S \subseteq R \setminus Nil(R)$, an R -module is S -Noetherian if and only if it is Noetherian,
2. For every multiplicative subset $S \subseteq R \setminus Nil(R)$, an R -module is u - S -Noetherian if and only if it is Noetherian,
3. R is a ϕ -von Neumann regular ring.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) Straightforward.

(2) \Rightarrow (3) Let $a \in R \setminus Nil(R)$. Set $S = \{a^n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$. Consider the following R -module $M = \bigoplus_{i \in \mathbb{N}} R/aR$. Since $aM = 0$, M is u - S -Noetherian. Then M is Noetherian and consequently $R/aR = 0$, so a is a unit, hence every non nilpotent element in R is a unit, thus $(R, Nil(R))$ is a local ring. Therefore, R is a ϕ -Von Neumann regular ring.

(3) \Rightarrow (1) Let S be a multiplicative subset S of R . Then $S \subseteq R \setminus Nil(R) = U(R)$, so every element in S is a unit. Therefore an R -module M is S -Noetherian if and only if it is Noetherian. \square

In order to generalize some known results on nonnil- S -Noetherian rings. We start with recalling the following definitions.

Definition 2.2. Let R be a commutative ring, $S \subseteq R$ be a multiplicative set, and M an R -module.

1. An ascending chain $(N_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ of submodules of M is called S -stationary if there exists a positive integer k and $s \in S$ such that for each $n \geq k$, $sN_n \subseteq N_k$.
2. Let Ω be a family of submodules of M . An element $N \in \Omega$ is said to be S -maximal if there exists $s \in S$ such that for each $L \in \Omega$, if $N \subseteq L$ then $sL \subseteq N$.

Now, we will give Eakin-Nagata-Formanek Theorem for nonnil- S -Noetherian rings for any multiplicative subset S of R .

Theorem 2.3. Let R be a ring and let S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then the following conditions are equivalent:

1. Every nonempty family of nonnil-ideals has an S -maximal element,
2. R is nonnil- S -Noetherian,
3. Every ascending chain of nonnil-ideals of R is S -stationary,

4. For every nonnil-ideal I of R , R/I is a \bar{S} -Noetherian ring with $\bar{S} = S+I$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) Let I be a nonnil ideal of R . Set Ω be the set of S -finite nonnil ideals of R which are included in I . Since I is a nonnil ideal of R , there exists $a \in R \setminus Nil(R)$ such that $a \in I$. Hence $aR \in \Omega$, so Ω is nonempty. By assumption Ω has an S -maximal element L . Therefore, there exists $s_1 \in S$ such that if $J \in \Omega$ and $L \subseteq J$, then $s_1J \subseteq L$. On the other hand L is S -finite, then there exists $s_2 \in S$, $x_1, \dots, x_n \in L$ such that $s_2L \subseteq F = x_1R + \dots + x_nR$. Now, our aim is to prove that $s_1s_2I \subseteq F$. For this, let $\alpha \in I$. If $\alpha \in F$, then $s_1s_2\alpha \in F$. If $\alpha \notin F$, set $Q = L + \alpha R$, then $Q \subseteq I$ and Q is S -finite nonnil ideal of R . Hence $Q \in \Omega$. Since $L \subseteq Q$, then by S -maximality of L , $s_2Q \subseteq L$. Therefore, $s_1s_2\alpha \in s_1s_2Q \subseteq s_1L \subseteq F$. Hence $sI \subseteq F \subseteq I$ for $s = s_1s_2 \in S$. Thus R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring.

(2) \Rightarrow (3) Let $(I_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ be an ascending chain of nonnil ideals of R . Let $I = \bigsqcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} I_n$ is a nonnil ideal of R . Since by hypothesis I is S -finite, then there exists $s \in S$ and $a_1, \dots, a_p \in I$ such that $sI \subseteq F = Ra_1 + \dots + Ra_p$. Hence there exists $k \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $F \subseteq I_k$. So $sI_n \subseteq sI \subseteq F \subseteq I_k$ for any $n \geq k$. Thus, $(I_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is S -stationary.

(3) \Rightarrow (4) Let I be a nonnil ideal of R . Let $L_1/I \subseteq L_2/I \subseteq \dots$ be an ascending chain of non zero ideal of R/I . Then $L_1 \subseteq L \subseteq L_2 \subseteq \dots$ is an ascending chain of nonnil ideal of R . Hence by hypothesis there exists $s \in S$ and $k \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $sL_{n+1} \subseteq L_n$ for every $n > k$. So $\bar{s}L_{n+1}/I \subseteq L_n/I$ for every $n > k$. Hence $(L_n/I)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ is \bar{S} -stationary. Thus, R/I is \bar{S} -Noetherian.

(4) \Rightarrow (1) Let Ω be a non empty set of nonnil-ideal of R which is not satisfying the property in (1). Then for every $I \in \Omega$ and every $s \in S$ there exists $J \in \Omega$ such that $I \subseteq J$ and $sJ \not\subseteq I$. Let $I \in \Omega$ and set $\Theta = \{J \in \Omega \mid I \subseteq J\}$. Then Θ is also does not have an S -maximmmal element. Hence $\Lambda = \{J/I \mid J \in \Theta\}$ is a set of ideals of R/I which is also does not have an \bar{S} -maximmmal element, which contraduces the fact that R/N is \bar{S} -Noetherian. □

Let R be a ring, M an R -module and $R \times M$ the set of pairs (r, m) with component-by-component addition and multiplication defined by: $(r, m)(b, f) = (rb, rf + bm)$, is a unitary commutative ring called the trivial extension (or idealization) of R by M .

The following example shows that the polynomial ring over a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring need not be nonnil- S -Noetherian.

Example 2.4. Let K be a field and E be a K -vector space of infinite dimensional and set $R = K \times E$. Then R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring for every multiplicative subset S of R , and if $0 \notin S$ we have $R[X]$ is not a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring.

Proof. We have $\text{Nil}(R) = 0 \times E$ is a maximal ideal of R , so the unique nonnil ideal of R is R . Then R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring for every multiplicative subset S of R . If $S \cap \text{Nil}(R) = \emptyset$, then $S \subseteq U(R)$. Since E is a K -vector space infinite dimensional, $\text{Nil}(R) = 0 \times E$ is not a finitely generated ideal of R by [2, Lemma 3.2]. By absurdity, assume that $R[X]$ is not a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring. Then, the nonnil ideal $\text{Nil}(R) + XR[X]$ of $R[X]$ is finitely generated. Therefore:

$$\text{Nil}(R) + X = P_1R[X] + \cdots + P_nR[X].$$

As a result, we get

$$\text{Nil}(R) = P_1(0)R + \cdots + P_n(0)R.$$

Thus $\text{Nil}(R)$ is a finitely generated ideal of R , which is absurd since $\text{Nil}(R)$ is not a finitely generated ideal of R . \square

We next shows that the polynomial ring $R[X]$ is nonnil- S -Noetherian if and only if it is S -Noetherian.

Theorem 2.5. Let R be a ring and S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then the following statements are equivalent:

1. $R[X]$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring,
2. $R[X]$ is an S -Noetherian ring.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2). Let P be a prime ideal of $R[X]$. If $\text{Nil}(R[X]) \not\subseteq P$, then P is a nonnil ideal of $R[X]$ so it is S -finite. If $P = \text{Nil}(R[X]) = \text{Nil}(R)[X]$. Since the nonnil ideal $\text{Nil}(R) + XR[X]$ of $R[X]$ is S -finite, there exists $s \in S$ and $P_1, \dots, P_n \in R[X]$ such that:

$$s(\text{Nil}(R) + XR[X]) \subseteq P_1R[X] + \cdots + P_nR[X] \subseteq \text{Nil}(R) + XR[X].$$

As a result, we get

$$s\text{Nil}(R) \subseteq P_1(0)R + \cdots + P_n(0)R \subseteq \text{Nil}(R).$$

Therefore,

$$s\text{Nil}(R)[X] \subseteq P_1(0)R[X] + \cdots + P_n(0)R[X] \subseteq \text{Nil}(R)[X].$$

Thus in all cases P is an S -finite ideal of $R[X]$. Then $R[X]$ is S -Noetherian by [1, Corollary 5].

(1) \Rightarrow (2) Straightforward. □

Let R be a ring and S be a multiplicative subset of R . Recall that S is an anti-Archimedean subset of R if $\bigcap_{n \geq 1} s^n R \cap S \neq \emptyset$, for all $s \in S$. As a direct corollary of Theorem 2.5 and [1, Proposition 9], we deduce [8, Theorem 3].

Corollary 2.6. *Let R be a ring and $S \subseteq R$ an anti-Archimedean multiplicative subset of R . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. $R[X_1, \dots, X_n]$ is nonnil- S -Noetherian for every $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$,
2. $R[X_1, \dots, X_n]$ is S -Noetherian for every $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$,
3. R is S -Noetherian.

By using the polynomial ring, the following Theorem characterizes rings that are nonnil- S -Noetherian.

Theorem 2.7. *Let R be a ring and S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring,
2. $R[X]/X^{n+1}R[X]$ is a nonnil- \bar{S} -Noetherian ring with $\bar{S} = S + X^{n+1}R[X]$ For every integer $n > 0$,
3. $R[X]/X^{n+1}R[X]$ is a nonnil- \bar{S} -Noetherian ring with $\bar{S} = S + X^{n+1}R[X]$ For some integer $n > 0$.

Proof. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and set $U = X + X^{n+1}R[X]$. Then $R[X]/X^{n+1}R[X] = R[U] = R + RU + \dots + RU^n$ since $U^{n+1} = 0$.

(1) \Rightarrow (2) Let I be a nonnil prime ideal of $R[U]$. Then two cases are possibles:

Case 1: $U \in I$. Set $A_0 = \{f(0) \mid f(U) \in I\}$, then A_0 is an ideal of R . Assume that $A_0 \subseteq Nil(R)$. So for any $f(U) = a_0 + a_1U + \dots + a_nU^n \in I$, there exists a positive integer m such that $a_0^m = 0$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (f(U))^{m(n+1)} &= (a_0 + a_1U + \dots + a_nU^n)^{m(n+1)} \\
 &= (a_0^m + b_1U + \dots + b_nU^n)^{n+1} \\
 &= (U(b_1 + b_2U + \dots + b_nU^{n-1}))^{n+1} \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

which is impossible. So A_0 is a nonnil ideal of R . Hence there exists $s \in S$ and $x_1, \dots, x_m \in A_0$ such that $sA_0 \subseteq F = x_1R + \dots + x_mR$. On the other hand we have $I \subseteq A_0 + UR[U]$, for the converse. Let $a_0 \in A_0$, so $a_0 + a_1U + \dots + a_nU^n \in I$ for some $a_1, \dots, a_n \in R$. Then $a_0 \in I$ since $a_0 + a_1U + \dots + a_nU^n = a_0 + U(a_1 + a_2U + \dots + a_nU^{n-1}) \in I$ and $U \in I$. Hence $A_0 \subseteq I$, and consequently $I = A_0 + UR[U]$. Therefore

$$sI \subseteq sA_0 + sUR[U] \subseteq x_1R[U] + x_2R[U] + \dots + x_mR[U] + UR[U] \subseteq I.$$

Thus, I is \bar{S} -finite.

Case 2: $U \notin I$. Set $A = \{ \text{the coefficient of } f(U) \mid f(U) \in I \}$. Then A is a nonnil ideal of R , so there exists $s \in S$ and $r_1, \dots, r_m \in A$ such that $sA \subseteq r_1R + r_2R + \dots + r_mR$, so for every $a_i \in A$, $sa_i = \sum_{j=1}^m r_j r_j^i$ for some $r_j^i \in R$. Hence for every $f(U) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i U^i \in I$ we have:

$$\begin{aligned} sf(U) &= \sum_{i=1}^n sa_i U^i \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^m r_j r_j^i U^i \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^m r_j \sum_{i=1}^n r_j^i U^i \\ &\in r_1R[U] + r_2R[U] + \dots + r_mR[U]. \end{aligned}$$

Thus $sI \subseteq r_1R[U] + r_2R[U] + \dots + r_mR[U]$. Now, let $f(U) = x_0 + x_1U + \dots + x_nU^n \in I$. Then

$$U^n f(U) = U^n(x_0 + x_1U + \dots + x_nU^n) = x_0U^n \in I.$$

Since $U \notin I$ and I is a prime ideal of $R[U]$, we get $x_0 \in I$. Therefore $x_1U + \dots + x_nU^n \in I$, hence $(x_1U + \dots + x_nU^n)U^{n-1} = x_1U^n \in I$. Since $U \notin I$ and I is a prime ideal of $R[U]$, $x_1 \in I$. Continuing this procedure yields that $x_i \in I$ for every $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$. Hence $A \subseteq I$. Since $r_i \in A$ for all $i = 1, \dots, m$, then all $r_i \in I$. Therefore

$$sI \subseteq r_1R[U] + r_2R[U] + \dots + r_mR[U] \subseteq I.$$

Hence in both cases we have I is \bar{S} -finite. Thus, every nonnil prime ideal of $R[U]$ is \bar{S} -finite. Therefore $R[U]$ is a nonnil- \bar{S} -Noetherian ring by [8, Theorem 1].

(2) \Rightarrow (3) Straightforward.

(3) \Rightarrow (1) Let $I_1 \subseteq I_2 \subseteq \dots$ be any ascending chain of nonnil ideals of R . then, $I_1R[U] \subseteq I_2R[U] \subseteq \dots$ is an ascending chain of nonnil ideals of $R[U]$. So by Theorem 2.3 there exists $s \in S$ and a positive integer k such that $sI_{m+1}R[U] \subseteq I_mR[U]$ for every $m > k$. Hence $sI_{m+1} \subseteq I_m$. Thus R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring by Theorem 2.10. \square

As a consequence of the previous Theorem, we have the following two corollaries.

Corollary 2.8. *Let R be a ring, X_1, X_2, \dots, X_k a finite indeterminates over R , $n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k \in \mathbb{N}$ and S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if $R[X_1, \dots, X_k]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1})$ is a nonnil- \bar{S} -Noetherian ring with $\bar{S} = S + (X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1})$.*

Proof. It is easy to show that $R[X_1, \dots, X_k]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1}) \cong (R[X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_{k-1}^{n_{k-1}+1}))[X_k]/(X_k^{n_k+1})$ via the isomorphism $\alpha : (R[X_1, \dots, X_{k-1}]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_{k-1}^{n_{k-1}+1}))[X_k]/(X_k^{n_k+1}) \rightarrow R[X_1, \dots, X_k]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1})$, with $\alpha(\sum_{i=0}^n f_i X_k^i + (X_k^{n_k+1})) = \sum_{i=0}^n f_i X_k^i + (X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1})$. Therefore, $R[X_1, \dots, X_k]/(X_1^{n_1+1}, \dots, X_k^{n_k+1})$ is a nonnil- \bar{S} -Noetherian ring if and only if R is nonnil- S -Noetherian. \square

Corollary 2.9. *Let R be a ring and S be a multiplicative subset of $R \times R$. Set S' the trace of S in R . Then $R \times R$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if R is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring.*

Proof. Let S be a multiplicative subset of $R \times R$ and S' its trace in R . Then S and $S' \times 0$ have the same saturation. On the other hand we have $R \times R \cong R[X]/(X^2)$ via the isomorphism $(a, b) \rightarrow a + bX$. Then by Theorem 2.7, we get $R \times R$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if R is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring. \square

Recall that a prime ideal P of R is called a divided prime if it is comparable to every ideal of R . Set $H = \{R \mid R \text{ is a commutative ring and } Nil(R) \text{ is a divided prime ideal of } R\}$. If $R \in H$, then R is called a ϕ -ring. For a ring $R \in H$, we have the following result.

Theorem 2.10. *Let R be a ϕ -ring and S a multiplicative subset of R . Then R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if $R/Nil(R)$ is an \bar{S} -Noetherian domain with $\bar{S} = S + Nil(R)$.*

Proof. Assume that R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring. Set $A = R/Nil(R)$ and let Q be a non zero ideal of A . Then $Q = J/Nil(R)$ for some nonnil ideal J of R , hence there exists $s \in S$ and a finitely generated ideal F of R such that $sP \subseteq F \subseteq P$. Since F is a finitely generated ideal of R , $L = F/Nil(R)$ is a finitely generated ideal of A . Thus $\bar{s}Q \subseteq L \subseteq Q$, hence A is an \bar{S} -Noetherian domain.

Conversely, Assume that $A = R/Nil(R)$ is a \bar{S} -Noetherian ring. Let I be a nonnil ideal of R , since $Nil(R)$ is a divided ideal of R , $Nil(R) \subseteq I$. Then $J = I/Nil(R)$ is an ideal of A , so there exists $s \in S$ and $i_1, \dots, i_n \in I$ such that $\bar{s}J \subseteq (i_1 + Nil(R), \dots, i_n + Nil(R)) \subseteq J$. Let x be a non nilpotent element of I . Then $sx + Nil(R) = c_1i_1 + \dots + c_ni_n + Nil(R)$ in A for some $c_1, \dots, c_n \in R$. Hence there is $w \in Nil(R)$ such that $sx + w = c_1i_1 + \dots + c_ni_n$ in R . Since $sx \in I \setminus Nil(R)$, $Nil(R) \subseteq Rxs$, so $w = sx f$ for some $f \in Nil(R)$. Hence $sx + w = sx + sx f = sx(1 + f) = c_1i_1 + \dots + c_ni_n$ in R . Since $f \in Nil(R)$, $1 + f$ is a unit of R . Thus $sx \in i_1R + \dots + i_nR$, Hence $sI \subseteq i_1R + \dots + i_nR \subseteq I$. Thus I is S -finite. Therefore R is a Nonnil- S -Noetherian ring. □

Assume that R is ϕ -ring, and set $\phi : R \rightarrow R_{Nil(R)}$ such that $\phi(r) = \frac{r}{1}$ for every $r \in R$. Then $R/Nil(R) \cong \phi(R)/Nil(\phi(R))$ by [2, Lemma 1.1]. We have the following corollary as a direct consequence of this result and the previous Theorem.

Corollary 2.11. *Let R be a ϕ -ring. Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. R is a Nonnil- S -Noetherian ring,
2. $R/Nil(R)$ is an \bar{S} -Noetherian domain, with $\bar{S} = S + Nil(R)$,
3. $\phi(R)/Nil(\phi(R))$ is an S' -Noetherian domain, with $S' = \phi(S) + Nil(\phi(R))$,
4. $\phi(R)$ is a Nonnil- $\phi(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

The next corollary studies when the amalgamated duplication $A \bowtie I$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring, provided $A \bowtie I$ is a ϕ -ring.

Corollary 2.12. *Let A be a ring, I an ideal of A such that $A \bowtie I$ is a ϕ -ring. Let S be a multiplicative subset of $A \bowtie I$. Set S' the trace of S in A . Then $A \bowtie I$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if A is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring.*

Proof. By [6, Theorem 2.1], it follows immediately that $I \subseteq Nil(A)$. Hence $Nil(A \bowtie I) = Nil(A) \bowtie I$, therefore $A \bowtie I/Nil(A \bowtie I) \cong A/Nil(A)$. Thus the conclusion is an easy consequence of Theorem 2.10. □

Recall from [6, Corollary 2.4], That the the trivial ring extension $A \times E$ is a ϕ -ring if and only if A is a ϕ -ring and $E = aE$ for each $a \in A \setminus Nil(A)$. The following corollary is an immediate result of Corollary 2.12, which examines when the trivial ring extension is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring.

Corollary 2.13. *Let A be a ϕ -ring, E be an A -module such that $E = aE$ for every $a \in A \setminus Nil(A)$. Let S be a multiplicative subset of $A \times E$. Set S' the trace of S in R . Then $A \times E$ is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring if and only if A is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring.*

Let A and B be two rings, J a nonzero ideal of B , and $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism. Set $R := A \bowtie^f J$ and $N(J) := Nil(B) \cap J$. Recall from [6, Theorem 2.1] that (1) If J is a nonnil ideal of B , then R is a ϕ -ring if and only if $f^{-1}(J) = 0$, A is an integral domain, and $N(J)$ is a divided prime ideal of $f(A) + J$. (2) If $J \subseteq Nil(B)$, then R is a ϕ -ring if and only if A is a ϕ -ring, and for each $i, j \in J$ and each $a \in A \setminus Nil(A)$, there exists $x \in Nil(A)$ and $k \in J$ such that $xa = 0$ and $j = kf(a) + i(f(x) + k)$. Moreover let $\iota : A \rightarrow A \bowtie^f J$ be the natural embedding defined by $a \rightarrow (a, f(a))$ for each $a \in A$, and S a multiplicative subset of A , then $S' := \{(s, f(s)) \mid s \in S\}$ and $f(S)$ are multiplicative subsets of $A \bowtie^f J$ and B , respectively.

Theorem 2.14. *Let A and B be two rings, J a nonzero ideal of B , and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism such that $A \bowtie^f J$ is a ϕ -ring and S a multiplicative subset of A . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring,
2. A is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J$ is a nonnil- $f(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

Before proving Theorem 2.14, we need the following lemma of independent interest.

Lemma 2.15. *Let $\alpha : R \rightarrow R'$ be a surjective ring homomorphism and $S \subseteq R$ a multiplicative set of R . If R is nonnil- S -Noetherian, then R' is nonnil- $\alpha(S)$ -Noetherian.*

Proof. let J be a nonnil ideal of R' , then $J = f(I)$ for some nonnil ideal I of R . Since R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring, there exist $x_1, \dots, x_n \in I$ and $s \in S$ such that

$$sI \subseteq Rx_1 + \dots + Rx_n \subseteq I.$$

Whence

$$f(s)J \subseteq R'f(x_1) + \dots + R'f(x_n) \subseteq J.$$

So R' is nonnil- $\alpha(S)$ -Noetherian. \square

Proof of Theorem 2.14

(1) \Rightarrow (2) Set $p_A : A \bowtie^f J \rightarrow A$ and $p_B : A \bowtie^f J \rightarrow f(A) + J$ the two canonical projections. Since $p_A(S') = S$ and $p_B(S') = f(S)$, we conclude that A is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J$ is a nonnil- $f(S)$ -Noetherian ring by lemma 2.15.

(2) \Rightarrow (1) Set $\bar{A} = A/\text{Nil}(A)$, $\bar{B} = B/\text{Nil}(B)$, $\pi : B \rightarrow \bar{B}$ the canonical projection and $\bar{J} = \pi(J)$. Consider the ring homomorphism $\bar{f} : \bar{A} \rightarrow \bar{B}$ defined by setting $\bar{f}(\bar{a}) = \bar{f}(a)$. It is easy to see that \bar{f} is well defined and it is clearly a ring homomorphism. The kernel of the restriction to $A \bowtie^f J$ of the canonical projection $A \times B \rightarrow \bar{A} \times \bar{B}$ is obviously $\text{Nil}(A \bowtie^f J)$ and the image is $\bar{A} \bowtie^{\bar{f}} \bar{J}$ by the proof of [11, Theorem 2.7]. Hence, we have the following isomorphism of rings:

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : (A \bowtie^f J) / \text{Nilp}(A \bowtie^f J) &\longrightarrow \bar{A} \bowtie^{\bar{f}} \bar{J} \\ (\overline{a, f(a) + j}) &\longrightarrow (\bar{a}, \bar{f}(\bar{a}) + \bar{j}) \end{aligned}$$

on the other hand A and $f(A) + J$ are ϕ -rings by [6, Lemma 2.3]. Thus \bar{A} is \bar{S} -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J/\text{Nil}(f(A) + J) \cong \bar{f}(\bar{A}) + \bar{J}$ is $\bar{f}(\bar{S})$ -Noetherian ring. So $\bar{A} \bowtie^{\bar{f}} \bar{J}$ is \bar{S}' -Noetherian domain by [9, Theorem 3.2]. Whence $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil- S' -Noetherian ring by Theorem 2.10. \square

In the case where $S = \{1\}$, we find the following result.

Corollary 2.16. *Let A and B be two rings, J a nonzero ideal of B , and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism such that $A \bowtie^f J$ is a ϕ -ring. Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil-Noetherian ring,
2. A and $f(A) + J$ are nonnil-Noetherian rings.

It must be noted that the autours of [11] have been studied when $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil-Noetherian ring, and it shows that if $A \bowtie^f J$ is a ϕ -ring. Then $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil-Noetherian ring if and only if A and $f(A) + J$ are nonnil-Noetherian rings and $f^{-1}(J) \subseteq \text{Nil}(A)$.

Remark 2.17. *Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism and J an ideal of B , if $A \bowtie^f J$ is a ϕ -ring, then $f^{-1}(J) \subseteq \text{Nil}(A)$ by [6, Lemma 2.3]. Whence our corollary 2.16 and [11, Theorem 2.7] are identical.*

The following example shows that the condition R is a ϕ -ring is a necessary condition in Theorem 2.14.

Example 2.18. ([11, Example 2.10])

Set $A = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Q}$ and consider the surjective ring homomorphism $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/6\mathbb{Z}$; $f((n, q)) = \bar{n}$. Consider $J = 3\mathbb{Z}/6\mathbb{Z}$ the ideal of $\mathbb{Z}/6\mathbb{Z}$. Then, R and $f(A)+J$ are nonnil-Noetherian rings. However, $A \bowtie^f J$ is not.

3 On nonnil-u-S-Noetherian rings

Recall from [10] that a ring R is said to be a u-S-Noetherian provided there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for any ideal I of R , $sI \subseteq K$ for some finitely generated sub-ideal K of I . Now we state our definition of nonnil-u-S-Noetherian rings.

Definition 3.1. Let R be a ring and S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then :

1. R is called a nonnil uniformly S -Noetherian (nonnil-u- S -Noetherian for abbreviation) ring provided there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for any nonnil ideal I of R there exists a finitely generated ideal F of R , $sI \subseteq F \subseteq I$.
2. R is called a nonnil uniformly S -Principal ideal ring (nonnil-u- S -PIR for short) provided there exists an element $s \in S$ such that for any nonnil ideal I of R there exists $a \in I$, $sI \subseteq Ra$.

If S consists of units of R , then the notion of nonnil-u- S -Noetherian rings coincides with that of nonnil-Noetherian ring. Furthermore, if $\text{Nil}(R) = (0)$, then the concept of nonnil-u- S -Noetherian rings is precisely the same as that of u- S -Noetherian rings. Clearly, if $S_1 \subseteq S_2$ are multiplicative subsets, then any nonnil-u- S_1 -Noetherian ring is nonnil-u- S_2 -Noetherian; and if S^* is the saturation of S in R , then R is a nonnil-u- S^* -Noetherian ring if and only if R is a nonnil-u- S -Noetherian ring. Also, every nonnil-Noetherian ring is nonnil-u- S -Noetherian. However, the converse does not hold general.

Example 3.2. Let $R = \prod_{i=1}^{\infty} \mathbb{Z}/4\mathbb{Z}$ be the countable infinite direct product of $\mathbb{Z}/4\mathbb{Z}$, then R is not nonnil-Noetherian. Let e_i be the element in R with the i -th component 1 and others 0. Denote $S = \{1, e_i \mid i = 1, 2, \dots\}$. Then R is a nonnil-u- S -PIR, let I be a nonnil ideal of R . Then if all elements in I have 1-th components equal to 0, we have $e_1 I = 0$. Otherwise $e_1 I = e_1 R$ or $e_1 I = 2e_1 R$. Thus $e_1 I$ is principally generated. Consequently R is a nonnil-u- S -PIR, and so is nonnil-u- S -Noetherian.

Proposition 3.3. Let R be a ring and S a multiplicative subset of R consisting of finite elements. Then R is a nonnil-u- S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil-u- S -PIR) if and only if R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil- S -PIR).

Assume that R is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil- u - S -PIR). Then trivially R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil- S -PIR).

Conversely, assume that $S = \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$, R is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil- u - S -PIR) and set $s = s_1 s_2 \cdots s_n$. Then for any nonnil ideal I of R , there exists a finitely generated ideal (resp., principal ideal) J of R such that $s_I I \subseteq J \subseteq I$. Hence $sI \subseteq J \subseteq I$. Thus, R is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring (resp., nonnil- u - S -PIR). \square

The following example shows that a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring is not a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring in general.

Example 3.4. Let K be a field and $X = \{X_1, X_2, \dots\}$ be an infinite set of indeterminates over K , let $R = K[X]$ and set $S = R \setminus 0$. Then R is an S -Noetherian ring so it is a nonnil- S -Noetherian ring. However, R is not a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian by [10, Example 2.5].

Next, we will give Eakin-Nagata-Formanek Theorem for nonnil- u - S -Noetherian rings for any multiplicative subset S of R . First, recall from [10] the notions of stationary ascending chains of R -modules with respect to $s \in S$ and maximal elements of a family of R -modules with respect to s . Let R be a ring, S a multiplicative subset of R and M an R -module. Denote by M^* an ascending chain $M_1 \subseteq M_2 \subseteq \dots$ of submodules of M . An ascending chain M^* is called stationary with respect to s if there exists $k \geq 1$ such that $sM_n \subseteq M_k$ for any $n \geq k$. Let $\{M_i\}_{i \in \Gamma}$ be a family of sub-modules of M . We say an R -module $M_0 \in \{M_i\}_{i \in \Gamma}$ is maximal with respect to s provided that if $M_0 \subseteq M_j$ for some $M_j \in \{M_i\}_{i \in \Gamma}$, then $sM_j \subseteq M_0$.

Theorem 3.5. Let R be a ring and let S be a multiplicative subset of R . Then the following conditions are equivalent:

1. There exists $s \in S$ such that any nonempty family of nonnil ideals of R has an maximal element with respect to s ,
2. R is nonnil- u - S -Noetherian,
3. There exists $s \in S$ such that any ascending chain of nonnil ideals of R is stationary with respect to s ,
4. For every nonnil ideal I of R , R/I is a u - \bar{S} -Noetherian ring with $\bar{S} = S + I$.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) Let $s_0 \in S$ the element in (1) and set $s = s_0^2 \in S$. Let I be a nonnil ideal of R . Set Ω be the set of s_0 -finite nonnil ideals of R which are included in I . Since I is a nonnil ideal of R , there exists $a \in R \setminus Nil(R)$ such that $a \in I$. Hence $aR \in \Omega$, so Ω is nonempty. By assumption Ω has an

has an maximal element L with respect to s_0 . Therefore, for each $J \in \Omega$ such that $L \subseteq J$, $s_0J \subseteq L$. On the other hand L is s_0 -finite, then there exists $x_1, \dots, x_n \in L$ such that $s_0L \subseteq F = x_1R + \dots + x_nR$. Now, our aim is to prove that $sI \subseteq F$. For this, let $\alpha \in I$. If $\alpha \in F$, then $s\alpha \in F$. If $\alpha \notin F$, set $Q = L + \alpha R$, then $Q \subseteq I$ and Q is s_0 -finite nonnil ideal of R . Hence $Q \in \Omega$. Since $L \subseteq Q$, then by maximality of L with respect to s_0 , $s_0Q \subseteq L$. Therefore, $s\alpha \in s_0Q \subseteq s_0L \subseteq F$. Hence $sI \subseteq F \subseteq I$. Thus R is a nonnil-u-S-Noetherian ring.

The rest of the proof is analogous to the proof of Theorem 2.3. □

Let P be a prime ideal of R . We say R is nonnil-u- P -Noetherian provided that is nonnil-u- $(R \setminus P)$ -Noetherian. The next result gives a local characterization of nonnil-Noetherian rings.

Proposition 3.6. *Let R be a ring. Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. R is a nonnil-Noetherian ring,
2. R is a nonnil-u- P -Noetherian ring for all primes ideal P of R ,
3. R is a nonnil-u- M -Noetherian ring for all maximal ideals M of R .

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) \Rightarrow (3) Straightforward.

(3) \Rightarrow (1) Assume that R is a nonnil-u- M -Noetherian ring for all maximal ideals M of R . Let I be a nonnil ideal of R , so for every maximal ideal M of R , there exist an element $s_M \in R \setminus M$ and a finitely generated ideal F_M of R such that $s_M I \subseteq F_M \subseteq I$. Let $S = \{s_M \mid M \text{ is a maximal ideal of } R\}$. Since S generated R , there exists finite elements s_{M_1}, \dots, s_{M_n} of S such that

$$I = (s_{M_1}R + \dots + s_{M_n}R)I \subseteq F_{M_1} + \dots + F_{M_n} \subseteq I,$$

which means that $I = F_{M_1} + \dots + F_{M_n}$, so I is finitely generated. Therefore, R is a nonnil-Noetherian ring. □

Corollary 3.7. *Let R be a local ring with maximal ideal M , then R is a nonnil-Noetherian ring if and only if R is a nonnil-u- M -Noetherian ring.*

Let R be a commutative ring with identity. Recall that R is decomposable if $R = R_1 \oplus R_2$ for some nonzero rings R_1 and R_2 .

Theorem 3.8. *Let R be a decomposable commutative ring with identity, S a multiplicative subset of R and $\{\pi_i\}_{i \in \Lambda}$ the set of canonical epimorphisms from R to each component of decompositions of R . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. R is an u - S -Noetherian ring,
2. R is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring,
3. For each $i \in \Lambda$, $\pi_i(R)$ is a u - $\pi_i(S)$ -Noetherian ring,
4. If e is a nonzero non unit idempotent element of R , there exists $s_e \in S$ such that every ideal of R contained in eR is s_e -finite.

Proof. (1) \Rightarrow (2) Straightforward.

(2) \Rightarrow (3) Let $i \in \Lambda$. Then $R = \pi_i(R) \oplus \pi_j(R)$ for some $j \in \Lambda$. Let s the element in (2), and let I be an ideal of $\pi_i(R)$. So $I \oplus \pi_j(R)$ is a nonnil ideal of $\pi_i(R) \oplus \pi_j(R)$. Then there exist a finitely generated ideal F of R such that $s(I \oplus \pi_j(R)) \subseteq F \subseteq I \oplus \pi_j(R)$. Therefore $s\pi_i(I) \subseteq \pi_i(F) \subseteq I$. Since F is a finitely generated ideal of R , $\pi_i(F)$ is a finitely generated ideal of $\pi_i(R)$. Therefore $\pi_i(R)$ is a u - $\pi_i(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

(3) \Rightarrow (4) Let e be a nonzero non unit idempotent element of R . Then $R = Re \oplus R(1 - e)$. Then $Re = \pi_i(R)$ for some $i \in \lambda$. Hence by the assumption, Re is a u - $\pi_i(S)$ -Noetherian ring. Then there exists $s \in S$ such that every ideal of eR is $\pi_i(s)$ -finite. Let I be an ideal of R contained in eR . So there exists a finitely generated ideal F of eR such that $\pi_i(s)I \subseteq F \subseteq I$. Since F is a finitely generated ideal of R , $E = F \oplus 0$ is a finitely generated ideal of R , and $sI \subseteq E \subseteq I$. Thus I is s -finite.

(4) \Rightarrow (1) Let e be a nonzero non unit idempotent element of R , Then $R = Re \oplus R(1 - e)$, Hence $Re = \pi_i(R)$ and $R(1 - e) = \pi_j(R)$ for some $i, j \in \lambda$. Then by assumption there exists $s_i \in S$ (resp., $s_j \in S$) such that every ideal of R contained in eR (resp., $(1 - e)R$) is s_i -finite (resp., s_j -finite). Set $s = s_i s_j \in S$. Let I be an ideal of R . Then $I = \pi_i(I) \oplus \pi_j(I)$. By assumption there exists finitely generated ideals E and F such that $s_i \pi_i(I) \subseteq E \subseteq \pi_i(I)$ and $s_j \pi_j(I) \subseteq F \subseteq \pi_j(I)$. Set $L = E \oplus F$, then L is a finitely generated ideal of R and we have $sI \subseteq L \subseteq I$, which implies that I is s -finite, Thus R is a u - S -Noetherian ring. \square

Corollary 3.9. Let $n \geq 2$ be an integer, R_1, \dots, R_n rings with identity, and let S_1, \dots, S_n be multiplicative subsets of R_1, \dots, R_n , respectively. Then the following assertions are equivalent:

1. $\prod_{i=1}^n R_i$ is a nonnil- u - $(\prod_{i=1}^n S_i)$ -Noetherian ring,
2. $\prod_{i=1}^n R_i$ is a u - $(\prod_{i=1}^n S_i)$ -Noetherian ring,
3. For all $i = 1, \dots, n$, R_i is an u - S_i -Noetherian ring.

For a ϕ -ring, we have the following result.

Theorem 3.10. *Let R be a ϕ -ring and S a multiplicative subset of R . Then R is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring if and only if $R/Nil(R)$ is a u - \overline{S} -Noetherian domain with $\overline{S} = S + Nil(R)$.*

Proof. Analogue to Theorem 2.10. □

Corollary 3.11. *Let R be a ϕ -ring and S a multiplicative subset of R . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. R is a Nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring,
2. $R/Nil(R)$ is a u - \overline{S} -Noetherian domain with $\overline{S} = S + Nil(R)$,
3. $\phi(R)/Nil(\phi(R))$ is a u - S' -Noetherian domain, with $S' = Nil(\phi(R)) + \phi(S)$,
4. $\phi(R)$ is a nonnil- u - $\phi(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

Let A and B be two rings, J a nonzero ideal of B , and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism. Let $i : A \rightarrow A \bowtie^f J$ be the natural embedding defined by $a \rightarrow (a, f(a))$ for all $a \in A$. For a multiplicative subset S of A , put $S' := \{(s, f(s)) \mid s \in S\}$. Clearly, S' and $f(S)$ are multiplicative subsets of $A \bowtie^f J$ and B , respectively.

Theorem 3.12. *Let A and B be two rings, J a nonzero ideal of B , and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a ring homomorphism such that $A \bowtie^f J$ is a ϕ -ring, let S a multiplicative subset of A . Then the following statements are equivalent:*

1. $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil- u - S' -Noetherian ring.
2. A is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J$ is a nonnil- u - $f(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

Before proving Theorem 2.14, we need the following lemma of independent interest.

Lemma 3.13. *Let $\alpha : R \rightarrow R'$ be a surjective ring homomorphism and $S \subseteq R$ a multiplicative set of R . If R is nonnil- u - S -Noetherian, then R' is nonnil- u - $\alpha(S)$ -Noetherian.*

Proof. Let $s \in S$ the element such that every nonnil ideal of R is s -finite. Let J be a nonnil ideal of R' , then $J = f(I)$ for some nonnil ideal I of R . Since R is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring, there exist $x_1, \dots, x_n \in I$ such that

$$sI \subseteq Rx_1 + \dots + Rx_n \subseteq I.$$

Whence

$$f(s)J \subseteq R'f(x_1) + \cdots + R'f(x_n) \subseteq J.$$

So R' is nonnil- u - $\alpha(S)$ -Noetherian. \square

Proof of Theorem 3.12

(1) \Rightarrow (2) Set $p_A : A \bowtie^f J \rightarrow A$ and $p_B : A \bowtie^f J \rightarrow f(A) + J$ the two canonical projections. Since $p_A(S') = S$ and $p_B(S') = f(S)$, we conclude that A is a nonnil- u - S -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J$ is a nonnil- u - $f(S)$ -Noetherian ring.

(2) \Rightarrow (1) With the same notation in theorem 2.14, we have the following isomorphism of rings:

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : (A \bowtie^f J) / \text{Nilp}(A \bowtie^f J) &\longrightarrow \bar{A} \bowtie^{\bar{f}} \bar{J} \\ \overline{(a, f(a) + j)} &\longrightarrow (\bar{a}, \bar{f}(\bar{a}) + \bar{j}) \end{aligned}$$

on the other hand A and $f(A) + J$ are ϕ -rings by [6, Lemma 2.3]. Thus \bar{A} is u - \bar{S} -Noetherian ring and $f(A) + J / \text{Nil}(f(A) + J) \cong \bar{f}(\bar{S}) + \bar{J}$ is u - $\bar{f}(\bar{S})$ -Noetherian ring by [10, Lemma 3.3]. So $\bar{A} \bowtie^{\bar{f}} \bar{J}$ is \bar{S}' -Noetherian domain by [10, Proposition 3.4]. Whence $A \bowtie^f J$ is a nonnil- u - S' -Noetherian ring by Theorem 3.10. \square

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