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CONTROLLING SUBGROUPS FOR IDEALS OF CROSSED PRODUCTS

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Let K_*G be a crossed product of the group G over the F-algebra K and let F be a G-invariant subfield of K with characteristic $p \ge 0$. Then $G(F) = \{g \in G | \alpha^{g\sigma} = \alpha \text{ for all } \alpha \in F\}$ is a normal subgroup of G and $I = (I \cap K_*G(F))K_*G$ for every ideal I of K_*G . Let H be a normal subgroup of G(F) such that G(F)/H is a solvable group. If all factors of of the communicator series of G(F)/H have no p-elements when p > 0, then $J(K_*G) \subseteq J(K_*H)K_*G$, where $J(K_*G)$ is the radical of Jacobson. Moreover, if K is a semiprimitive F-algebra and G(F) is a locally nilpotent group without p-elements in case p > 0, then K_*G is semiprimitive.

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INVARIANTS AND MULTIPLICATIVE GROUPS OF COMMUTATIVE GROUP ALGEBRAS

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The basic directions of the theory of the group algebras are the following:

- 1) the isomotphism problem;
- 2) a descripcion of the multiplicative group of the group algebras;
- 3) ring-theoretic properties of the group algebras and
- 4) radicals of the group algebras.

This report is a survey of the basic results of the directions 1) and 2) for commutative group algebras.

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