

# Tilting in functor categories

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Evaluation  $F \mapsto F(\mathbf{k}^n)$  endows  $\mathbf{k}^n$  with a structure of representation of  $GL_n(\mathbf{k})$ .

When  $n \geq d$  it yields an equivalence of abelian categories

$$\mathcal{P}_d \simeq \Gamma^d(\mathrm{End}_{\mathbf{k}}(\mathbf{k}^n))\text{-mod} =: S_{n,d}(\mathbf{k})\text{-mod}$$

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Functors with parameters:  $U \in \mathbf{k}\text{-mod}^f$ ,  $F_U(V) := F(U \otimes V)$ .

We have:  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{P}_d}(\Gamma_{U^*}^d, F) \simeq F(U)$ , (Yoneda lemma),

hence if  $\dim(U) \geq d$ , then  $\Gamma_{U^*}^d$  is a projective generator  $\mathcal{P}_d$ .

## Schur, Weyl and simple objects, Kuhn duality

Young diagram of weight  $d$ :  $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k)$ ,  $\sum \lambda_j = d$ .

$$S_\lambda := \text{im}(\Lambda^{\lambda_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \Lambda^{\lambda_k} \longrightarrow I^d \longrightarrow S^{\tilde{\lambda}_1} \otimes \dots \otimes S^{\tilde{\lambda}_s}),$$

$$W_\lambda := \text{im}(\Gamma^{\tilde{\lambda}_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \Gamma^{\tilde{\lambda}_s} \longrightarrow I^d \longrightarrow \Lambda^{\lambda_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \Lambda^{\lambda_k}),$$

The complete set (of classes of isomorphism) of simples in  $\mathcal{P}_d$ :

$$F_\lambda := \text{im}(W_\lambda \longrightarrow \Lambda^{\lambda_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \Lambda^{\lambda_k} \longrightarrow S_\lambda)$$

$F_\lambda \hookrightarrow S_\lambda$ ,  $W_\lambda \twoheadrightarrow F_\lambda, \dots$  ( $\mathcal{P}_d$  is highest weight category)

$$F^\#(V) := (F(V^*))^*,$$

$$(S^d)^\# = \Gamma^d, (\Lambda^d)^\# = \Lambda^d, (S_\lambda)^\# = W_\lambda, (F_\lambda)^\# = F_\lambda.$$

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or we can directly define an auto-equivalence of  $\mathcal{DP}_d$  given as:

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$\Theta$  enjoys nice properties:

$$\begin{aligned}\Theta(S^d) &= \Lambda^d \\ \Theta(S_\lambda) &= W_\lambda \\ \Theta(I^{(1)}) &= I^{(1)}[-(p-1)]\end{aligned}$$

## Abelian vs. triangulated case

**Theorem (Gabriel)** Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an AB5 category and let  $T \in \mathcal{A}$  satisfies the conditions:

- ▶  $T$  generates  $\mathcal{A}$  (ie. if  $X \neq 0$  then  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{A}}(T, X) \neq 0$ ).
- ▶  $T$  is projective.
- ▶  $T$  is compact (ie.  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{A}}(T, -)$  commutes with infinite sums).

Then the functor:  $X \mapsto \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{A}}(T, X)$  yields an equivalence of abelian categories:

$$\mathcal{A} \simeq (\text{End}_{\mathcal{A}}(T)^{op}\text{-mod}).$$

**Theorem (Beilinson, Keller,...)** Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an AB5 category and let  $T^{\bullet} \in \text{Kom}(\mathcal{A})$  satisfies the conditions:

- ▶  $T^{\bullet}$  generates  $\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{A})$ .
- ▶  $T^{\bullet}$  is compact.

Then the functor:  $X^{\bullet} \mapsto \text{RHom}_{\mathcal{A}}(T^{\bullet}, X^{\bullet})$  yields an equivalence of triangulated categories:

$$\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{A}) \simeq \mathcal{D}(\text{REnd}_{\mathcal{A}}(T^{\bullet})^{op}\text{-dgmod}).$$

## Collapsing conjecture and formality

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### Theorem/“Collapsing conjecture” (MC)

There is a quasi-isomorphism of dg-algebras:

$$\mathrm{REnd}(\Gamma_{U^*}^{d(1)}) \simeq H^*(\mathrm{End}(\Gamma_{U^*}^{d(1)})) = \mathrm{Ext}^*(\Gamma_{U^*}^{d(1)}, \Gamma_{U^*}^{d(1)}) = \Gamma^d(\mathrm{End}(U) \otimes A),$$

where  $A := \mathrm{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_p}^*(I^{(1)}, I^{(1)}) \simeq \mathbf{k}[x]/x^p$ , for  $\deg(x) = 2$ .

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# Affine strict polynomial functors

An object of  $\mathcal{P}_d^{af}$  is determined by:

1. For a fg. free graded  $A$ -module  $V$ , the graded  $\mathbf{k}$ -module  $F(V)$
2. For any pair  $V, W$  of fg. free graded  $A$ -modules, the graded  $\mathbf{k}$ -linear map:  
$$F_{V,W} : \Gamma^d(\mathrm{Hom}_A(V, W)) \longrightarrow \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathbf{k}}(F(V), F(W))$$
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## Towards $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_d}^*(S_\lambda, S_\mu)$

How to compute  $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(S^{pd}, \Lambda^{pd})$  (for  $p|d$ )? (done by Akin)

Consider the de Rham complex  $\mathbf{S}^{pd}$ :

$$0 \rightarrow S^{pd} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow S^{pd-i} \otimes \Lambda^i \rightarrow S^{pd-i-1} \otimes \Lambda^{i+1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \Lambda^{pd} \rightarrow 0.$$

**Theorem (Cartier)**  $H^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}) = \mathbf{S}^{d(1)}$ .

Hence one can proceed by induction on  $d$  as follows:

- ▶ Compute  $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(H^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}), \Lambda^{pd})$ .
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$$E_2^{**} = \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(H^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}), \Lambda^{pd}) \Rightarrow \text{HExt}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}, \Lambda^{pd}).$$
- ▶ Compute  $\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(S^{pd}, \Lambda^{pd})$  by using 
$$E_1^{**} = \text{Ext}_{\mathcal{P}_{pd}}^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}, \Lambda^{pd}) \Rightarrow \text{HExt}^*(\mathbf{S}^{pd}, \Lambda^{pd}).$$

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Alternatively, we can describe  $\mathbf{S}_\lambda$  as:

$$\mathbf{S}_\lambda(V) := \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{P}_d}(\mathbf{S}_{V^*}^d, S_\lambda)^\#$$

One can study the functor:

$$\mathcal{R}(F^\bullet)(V) := \text{RHom}_{\mathcal{P}_d}(\mathbf{S}_{V^*}^d, F^\bullet)^\#$$