

DERIVED FUSION CATEGORIES

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The use of tilting modules has shown its power to endow certain semi-simple categories with a "reduced" tensor product structure.

This categories produce invariants of 2-manifolds.

This construction is given by Andersen and Paradissi, it is based in the concept of tilting modules. But, can we avoid the use of tilting modules?

This is the question we want to address

PRELIMINARIES:

Different versions of \mathfrak{sl}_2 over \mathbb{C} :

Classical:

\mathfrak{sl}_2 : \mathbb{C} -vector space spanned by E, F, H plus relations
 $[E, F] = H$; $[H, E] = 2E$; $[H, F] = -2F$

$U(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$: Associative \mathbb{C} -algebra with unit generated by
 E, F, H + $EF - FE = H$; $HE - EH = 2H$;
 $HF - FH = -2F$

Quantum:

$U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$: q indeterminate. Associative $\mathbb{C}(q)$ -algebra
with unit generated by E, F, K, K^{-1} +
 $KK^{-1} = K^{-1}K = 1$; $EF - FE = \frac{K - K^{-1}}{q - q^{-1}}$;
 $KEK^{-1} = q^2 E$; $KFK^{-1} = q^{-2} F$

$U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$: $q \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, \pm 1\}$

Lusztig version: $A = \mathbb{Z}[q, q^{-1}]$; U_A \mathbb{A} -subalgebra of $U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_2)$
generated by $E^{(i)} = \frac{E^i}{[i]!}$; $F^{(j)} = \frac{F^j}{[j]!}$; $[n] = \frac{q^n - q^{-n}}{q - q^{-1}}$

Consider \mathbb{C} as an \mathbb{A} -algebra $\boxed{U_q := U_A \otimes \mathbb{C}}$
 $q \mapsto q$

REPRESENTATION THEORY

\mathcal{U} — category of f.d. U_q -modules ($q \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, \pm 1\}$)

Tma: \mathcal{U} is semisimple category iff q is not a root of unity.

- If q not root of unity $\Rightarrow \mathcal{U} \equiv$ f.d $\overset{\text{sh-mod}}{g\text{-mod}}$
 - When q root of unity, we get a more interesting category. *Study this case!*
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The interesting case is when q is a root of unity.

For the rest of the talk, let q be a primitive l^{th} root of unity.

In \mathcal{U} any module is the sum of its weight spaces

$$M = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} M_n$$

Highest weight modules:

$\Delta_q(n)$: Standard modules \rightarrow quantizations of simple rep's

$\nabla_q(n)$: Costandard modules $\rightarrow \nabla_q(n) = \Delta_q(n)^*$

$L_q(n)$: Simple modules : $\Delta_q(n) \rightarrow L_q(n)$

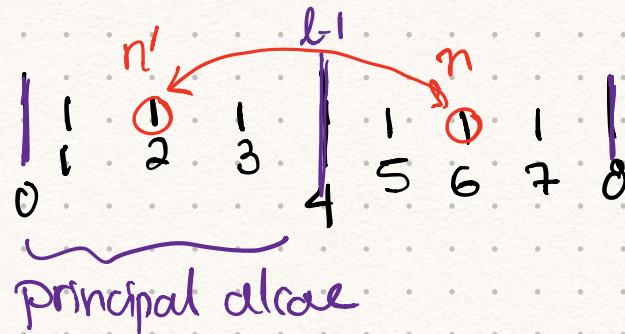
For $0 \leq n \leq l-2$; $\Delta_q(n) = \nabla_q(n) = L_q(n)$

If $n \equiv (-1) \pmod{l}$; $\Delta_q(n) = L_q(n)$

Exact sequence for standard modules:

$$0 \rightarrow L_q(n') \rightarrow \Delta_q(n) \rightarrow L_q(n) \rightarrow 0$$

q is 5-root
of curly.



All of the
primes are
the indecom-
posable.

$P_q(n)$; $I_q(n)$:

projectives and injectives. $\text{Proj} = \text{Inj.}$

$$P_q(n) = I_q(n)^*$$

Tilting modules:

Let M be a finite dimensional U_q -module.

M has a standard (costandard) filtration if there exists chain of submodules $0 = V_0 \subset V_1 \subset \dots \subset V_p \subset V_p = M$ such that $V_r/V_{r-1} \cong \Delta_q(n_r)$ ($V_r/V_{r-1} \cong \nabla_q(n_r)$)

$T \in \mathcal{U}$ is tilting if it has a std and cstd filtration.

Properties of tilting modules:

Let T be the full subcategory of \mathcal{U} consisting of tilting modules.

- T Krull-Schmidt category.
- Closed under \otimes , \oplus , deals.
- For $\underline{\text{sl}_2}$: $0 \rightarrow \Delta_q(n) \rightarrow \boxed{T_q(n)} \rightarrow \Delta_q(n') \rightarrow 0$
- For any n , there exists indecomposable tilting module $T_q(n)$

Because the category T is Krull-Schmidt, for any $T \in T$ we have

$$T \cong \left[\bigoplus_{n=0}^{l-2} T_q(n)^{\oplus r_n} \right] \oplus \left[\bigoplus_{n \geq l-1} T_q(n)^{\oplus r_n} \right]$$

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Fusion part of T

non-semisimple part.

has quantum dim "0"

This modules are called negligible modules.

Negligible modules:

A finite dimensional U_q -module M is called negligible if:

for any $f \in \text{End}_U(M)$ we have

For $T_q(n)$: if it is negligible iff $n \geq l-1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tr}_q(f) &= 0 \\ &:= \text{Tr}(Kf) = \text{Tr}(K^\dagger f) \quad (= \text{Tr}(TK_B f)) \\ &\quad \text{left trace} \quad \text{right trace.} \end{aligned}$$

When M is indecomposable, M negligible iff $\dim_q(M) = 0$

A semisimple category of tilting modules:

Consider the irreducible tilting modules $L_{\mathbb{F}}(n)$, $0 \leq n \leq l-2$

(Recall that in this situation $L_{\mathbb{F}}(n) \cong \Delta_{\mathbb{F}}(n) = T_{\mathbb{F}}(n)$)

\mathcal{F} full subcat of T whose objects are direct sum of $L_{\mathbb{F}}(n)$; $0 \leq n \leq l-2$.

\mathcal{F} is semisimple abelian category.

But: Not closed for \otimes

$$F_1, F_2 \in \mathcal{F} \quad F_1 \otimes F_2 = \bigoplus_{n=0}^{l-2} L_{\mathbb{F}}(n) \oplus \bigoplus_{n=l-1}^{\infty} L_{\mathbb{F}}(n) \quad (\text{crossed out})$$

define a reduce \otimes -product

$$\boxed{F_1 \overline{\otimes} F_2 = \bigoplus_{n=0}^{l-2} L_{\mathbb{F}}(n)}$$

\mathcal{F} : • ss, abelian

• closed \oplus, \otimes ; dual.

• has finitely many (60-)classes of simples.

• \otimes commutative and associative.

\mathcal{F} is
a
Fusion
category.

What do we need to generalize this idea ?

Let \mathcal{C} be a category such that:

- rigid monoidal tensor cat.
- with $\mathbb{1}$, $\mathbb{C} = \text{End}_{\mathcal{C}}(\mathbb{1})$
- Pivotal $X \cong X^{**}$
- Traces $\text{Tr}_L ; \text{Tr}_R$

$$\text{Tr}_L = \text{Tr}_R = \text{Tr}_q$$

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Spherical
cat|

In spherical categories we have the notion of negligible objects:

$$X \text{ negligible iff } \text{Tr}_q(f) = 0 \quad \forall f \in \text{End}(X)$$

But... we don't have tilting modules

Let $\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{E}}$ be the full subcategory of \mathcal{E} consisting of negligible modules.

- $\mathcal{E}/\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{E}}$ → has infinitely many simples
- T/\mathcal{N}_T → Fusion cat. T-fitting., reduced \otimes .
finitely many simples. ↴ negligible modules
- U/\mathcal{N}_U → infinitely many simples.

DERIVED APPROACH :

$D^b(U)$: Derived cat. of U

$K^b(T)$: Homotopy cat of T

Theorem (BBM) : There is a triangle equivalence between

$$D^b(U) \equiv K^b(T)$$

We fixed the following notation:

- $\text{Trg}(\mathcal{A})$: Triangulated subcategory of $D(U)$ generated by \mathcal{A} .
- $\langle \mathcal{A} \rangle$: Smallest full triangulated subcategory of $D^b(U)$ that contains \mathcal{A} and is closed under retracts and tensor product with arbitrary modules.

Some properties:

- $K^b(W_T)$ is closed under retracts.
- If we identify $K^b(W_T)$ with $\text{Trg}(W_T)$ under BBM we have $\text{Trg}(W_T) = \langle W_T \rangle$

- $K^b(T) \equiv D^b(U)$: $K^b(T)/K^b(W_T) \equiv D^b(U)/\langle W_T \rangle$ *tilting*
- $K_0(D^b(U)/\langle W_T \rangle) \equiv K_0(T/W) = K_0(F)$ *fraction ring*.

Avoiding tilting modules:

We have the following characterization for the tensor ideal $\langle N_T \rangle$:

$\langle N_T \rangle = \text{smallest full } \Delta\text{-subcat } D^b(U) \text{ generated by } M \text{ in a } \boxed{\text{singular block}}.$ Closed under reflections and is a tensor ideal. $\langle D_{\text{sing}}^b \rangle$

Here tiltings no tilting.

Then, the Verdier quotient

$$K_0 \left(\frac{D^b(U)}{\langle D_{\text{sing}}^b \rangle} \right)$$

Fusion ring.

Moreover, we have $K_0(D^b(U)/\langle D_{\text{sing}}^b \rangle) \cong R$

Fusion ring.

Can we avoid the use of the intrinsic representation theory of U_q ?

What if we consider W_U all negligible modules for U ?

$$\frac{D^b(U)}{\langle W_U \rangle}$$

Using all the negligible modules :

We can consider the category $D^b(\mathcal{U})/\langle \text{Wh} \rangle$

But sadly I do not know how big $\langle \text{Wh} \rangle$ is.

- If $\text{Trg}(\text{Wh})$ is closed under products $\Rightarrow \text{Trg}(\text{Wh}) = \langle \text{Wh} \rangle$
it is a proper ideal and $K_0(D^b(\mathcal{U})/\langle \text{Wh} \rangle)$ = Fusion ring.
 - If I consider small quantum group for sl_2 , the above works.
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The above, suggest the study of the following:

If \mathcal{C} abelian spherical category

$$\begin{array}{c} D^b(\mathcal{C}) \\ \diagdown \quad \diagup \\ \langle \text{Wh} \rangle \end{array} \rightarrow \text{Derived fusion category}$$

$$K_0\left(D^b(\mathcal{C})/\langle \text{Wh} \rangle\right) \rightarrow \text{Derived fusion ring.}$$

And that's all

THANK YOU FOR THE
ATTENTION !

$$0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow T \xrightarrow{F} T/\kappa \rightarrow 0$$

(*) \downarrow

$$(F) \hookrightarrow T$$