

On periodic algebras

SVAG workshop 240322

Throughout: A : finite-dimensional k -algebra, k : algebraically closed field.

$\text{mod} A$: category of finite-dimensional (right) A -modules.

On periodic algebras

SVAG workshop 240322

Throughout: A : finite-dimensional k -algebra, k : algebraically closed field.

$\text{mod} A$: category of finite-dimensional (right) A -modules.

Syzygies: $\Omega(M) \twoheadrightarrow P \xrightarrow{\text{proj. cover}} M \quad M \in \text{mod} A$

Minimal proj. resolution: $\cdots \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$
 $\Omega^3(M) \twoheadrightarrow P_2 \twoheadrightarrow P_1 \twoheadrightarrow P_0$

On periodic algebras

SVAG workshop 240322

Throughout: A : finite-dimensional k -algebra, k : algebraically closed field.

$\text{mod } A$: category of finite-dimensional (right) A -modules.

Syzygies: $\Omega(M) \twoheadrightarrow P \xrightarrow{\text{proj. cover}} M \quad M \in \text{mod } A$

Minimal proj. resolution: $\dots \rightarrow P_2 \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$
 $\Omega^3(M) \twoheadrightarrow \Omega^2(M) \twoheadrightarrow \Omega(M) \twoheadrightarrow$

Def: $M \in \text{mod } A$ is periodic if $\Omega^n(M) \cong M$ for some $n \geq 1$

$\text{mod } A$ is periodic if every non-projective $M \in \text{mod } A$ is periodic.

A is periodic if $A \in \text{mod } A^e$ is periodic

$\begin{cases} A^e = A^{\text{op}} \otimes_k A \\ A \text{ per. as an } A\text{-}A\text{-bimod.} \end{cases}$

Some results:

$$\bullet M \otimes_A \Omega_A e(A) \simeq \Omega_A(M) \oplus (\text{projectives})$$

\rightsquigarrow A periodic $\implies \text{mod } A$ periodic

Some results:

$$\bullet M \otimes_A \Omega_A e(A) \cong \Omega_A(M) \oplus (\text{projectives})$$

\rightsquigarrow A periodic $\implies \text{mod } A$ periodic

\bullet [Green-Swaskall-Solberg '03]: TFAE:

a) $\text{mod } A$ is periodic

b) all simple A -modules are periodic

c) A is twisted periodic: $\Omega_A^n(A) \cong {}_1 A_\sigma$ for some $n \geq 1$, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_k(A)$

d) A is self-injective and $\Omega^n \cong \sigma^* : \text{mod } A \rightarrow \text{mod } A$ for some $n \geq 1$, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_k(A)$

twisted bimodule:
 $a \cdot x \cdot b := ax\sigma(b)$

$$\text{proj } A = \text{inj } A$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \Omega : \text{mod } A \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{mod } A$$

Some results:

$$\bullet M \otimes_A \Omega_A e(A) \simeq \Omega_A(M) \oplus (\text{projectives})$$

\rightsquigarrow A periodic $\implies \text{mod } A$ periodic

\bullet [Green-Swaskall-Solberg '03]: TFAE:

a) $\text{mod } A$ is periodic

b) all simple A -modules are periodic

c) A is twisted periodic: $\Omega_A^n(A) \simeq {}_1 A_\sigma$ for some $n \geq 1$, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_k(A)$

d) A is self-injective and $\Omega^n \simeq \sigma^* : \text{mod } A \rightarrow \text{mod } A$ for some $n \geq 1$, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_k(A)$

twisted bimodule:
 $a \cdot x \cdot b := ax\sigma(b)$

$$\text{proj } A = \text{inj } A$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \Omega : \text{mod } A \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{mod } A$$

\bullet [Carlson '77, GSS '03]: A periodic $\implies \text{HH}^*(A) / \mathcal{N} \simeq K[x]$

$\mathcal{N} = \langle \text{homog. nilpotent elements} \rangle$
 $\triangleleft \text{HH}^*(A)$

A periodic $\implies \Omega^n \simeq \mathbb{1}_{\text{mod } A}$ for some $n \geq 1$



A twisted periodic \iff simple periodic \iff mod A periodic

$\iff \exists n, \sigma: \Omega^n \simeq \sigma^*$

A periodic $\implies \Omega^n \simeq \mathbb{1}_{\text{mod } A}$ for some $n \geq 1$



A twisted periodic \iff simple periodic \iff mod A periodic

$\iff \exists n, \sigma: \Omega^n \simeq \sigma^*$ $\iff \forall M \in \text{mod } \Lambda: \{\dim_k \Omega^n(M)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ bounded.

[Dugas'12]

A periodic $\implies \Omega^n \simeq \mathbb{1}_{\text{mod } A}$ for some $n \geq 1$



A twisted periodic \iff simple periodic \iff mod A periodic

$\iff \exists n, \sigma: \Omega^n \simeq \sigma^* \iff \forall M \in \text{mod } \Lambda: \{\dim_k \Omega^n(M)\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ bounded.

[Dugas'12]

Examples:

• Self-injective algebras of finite representation type [Dugas'10]

• Preprojective algebras of Dynkin quivers

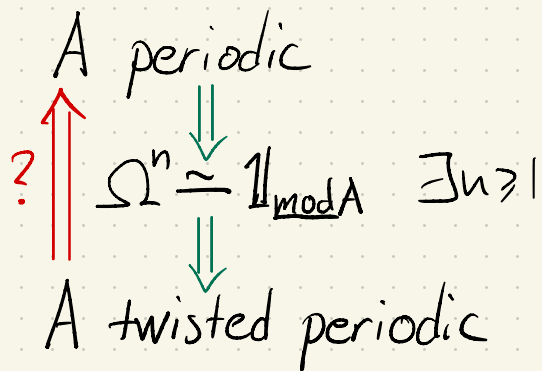
• G : finite group, $p = \text{char } k$. Then

kG : periodic \iff Sylow p -subgroups of G are cyclic

or generalised quaternion, $p=2$

• All known examples of self-inj. alg. with a d -cluster-tilting module

Periodicity conjecture [Erdmann-Skowroński '08]



• True for finite group algebras [ES'08]

Trivial extension of A : $T(A) := A \oplus DA$
 $= \text{Hom}_k(A, k) \in \text{mod}(A^e)$

with multiplication $(a, f) \cdot (b, g) := (ab, ag + fb)$

$T(A)$ is symmetric: $D(T(A)) \simeq T(A)$ as a bimodule

\Rightarrow self-injective

Trivial extension of A : $T(A) := A \oplus DA$
 $\stackrel{=}{=} \text{Hom}_k(A, k) \in \text{mod}(A^e)$

with multiplication $(a, f) \cdot (b, g) := (ab, ag + fb)$

$T(A)$ is symmetric: $D(T(A)) \simeq T(A)$ as a bimodule

\Rightarrow self-injective

Happel's theorem: If $\text{gldim} A < \infty$ then $\mathcal{D}^b(\text{mod} A) \simeq \underline{\text{mod}}^{\mathbb{Z}} T(A)$

$\mathcal{D}^b(\text{mod} A) \simeq \underline{\text{mod}}^{\mathbb{Z}} T(A) \xrightarrow{\text{forget}} \underline{\text{mod}} T(A)$

Let $\text{gldim } A < \infty$.

Then $\nu = -\mathbb{1} \otimes_A^L DA : \mathcal{D}^b(\text{mod } A) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{D}^b(\text{mod } A)$ is a (the) Serre functor:

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(X, \nu(Y)) \simeq D \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(Y, X) \quad (\text{bifunctorially})$$

Def: A is fractionally Calabi-Yau if $\nu^a \simeq [b]$ for some $a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \neq 0$.

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} b\text{-Calabi-Yau if } a=1 \\ [b] \simeq \nu \end{array} \right)$$

Theorem [Chan-D-Iyama-Marczinzik]

1) $T(A)$ periodic \iff $\text{gldim} A < \infty$ and A fractionally Calabi-Yau

2) $T(A)$ twisted periodic

\iff $\text{gldim} A < \infty$ and A *twisted* fractionally Calabi-Yau:

$$\nu^a \simeq [b] \circ \varphi^* \text{ for some } a, b; \\ \varphi \in \text{Aut}_k(A)$$

\rightsquigarrow Many new examples of periodic and fractionally Calabi-Yau algs.

Ex: P_n : Boolean lattice with 2^n elements.

Then $T(k[P_n])$ is periodic

with min. period $\begin{cases} 2(n+3) & \text{if } n \text{ even, char } k \neq 2, \\ n+3 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$

Ex: P_n : Boolean lattice with 2^n elements.

Then $T(k[P_n])$ is periodic

with min. period $\begin{cases} 2(n+3) & \text{if } n \text{ even, char } k \neq 2, \\ n+3 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$

Corollary: P poset with some $x \in P$ comparable with all other elements.

Then $T(k[P])$ is periodic iff it is twisted periodic.

Ex: P_n : Boolean lattice with 2^n elements.

Then $T(k[P_n])$ is periodic

with min. period $\begin{cases} 2(n+3) & \text{if } n \text{ even, char } k \neq 2, \\ n+3 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$

Corollary: P poset with some $x \in P$ comparable with all other elements.

Then $T(k[P])$ is periodic iff it is twisted periodic.

• What about the periodicity conjecture?

• Does A twisted periodic imply $H^1(A) = 0$?