

REPRESENTATION THEORY EXERCISES 8

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1. Let Λ be a ring. We will denote by $\text{Mod } \Lambda$ the category of Λ -modules and by $\text{fg } \Lambda$ and $\text{mod } \Lambda$, respectively, its full subcategories consisting of finitely generated and finitely presented modules.

(a) Prove the following:

(i) The category $\text{fg } \Lambda$ is abelian iff $\text{fg } \Lambda = \text{mod } \Lambda$ iff Λ is right noetherian.

(ii) The category $\text{mod } \Lambda$ is abelian iff Λ is right coherent.

(iii) If Λ is right coherent, then the embedding $\text{mod } \Lambda \hookrightarrow \text{Mod } \Lambda$ is homological.

(b) Show similarly that the canonical embedding $\text{Filt}(\Delta) \hookrightarrow \mathcal{A}$ is homological for any highest weight category \mathcal{A} with standard objects Δ_j .

2. For the highest weight categories $\mathcal{A} = \text{mod } \Lambda$ in Exercises 4.2 (b) and 4.3 (a) do the following:

(a) Compute the Auslander-Reiten quiver of \mathcal{A} .

(b) Determine all indecomposable objects in \mathcal{A} belonging to $\text{Filt}(\Delta)$.

(c) Determine all indecomposable objects in \mathcal{A} belonging to $\text{Filt}(\nabla)$.

(d) Find the indecomposable objects T_i in \mathcal{A} such that $T = \bigoplus_i T_i$ is the characteristic tilting object and determine the exact sequences

$$0 \longrightarrow V_i \longrightarrow T_i \longrightarrow \nabla_i \longrightarrow 0$$

$$0 \longrightarrow \Delta_i \longrightarrow T_i \longrightarrow W_i \longrightarrow 0$$

satisfying $V_i \in \text{Filt}(\{\nabla_j : j < i\})$ and $W_i \in \text{Filt}(\{\Delta_j : j < i\})$.

(e) Describe the Ringel dual $\text{End}_{\mathcal{A}}(T)$ as a path algebra $\mathbb{C}Q$ modulo an admissible ideal I .

3. Let k be a field of characteristic p and let $V = k^n$ for some positive integer n .

Verify the following claims in the case that p is not a prime less than or equal to d :

(i) The canonical projection $(V^{\otimes d})^{\mathfrak{S}_d} \rightarrow S^d V$ is invertible.

(ii) The Schur algebra $S_k(n, d)$ is semisimple.

(iii) Explicitly, for $n = d = 2$, we have $S_k(2, 2) \cong k \times M_3(k)$.

4. Describe the basic version of the group algebra $k\mathfrak{S}_p$ and the Schur algebra $S_{\mathbb{F}_p}(p, p)$ each as a path algebra modulo an admissible ideal, both for $p = 2$ and for $p = 3$.

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