

Derived Category

1 Construction

Definition 1 (Derived category). Let \mathbf{A} be an abelian category. The *derived category* $D(\mathbf{A})$ is defined by the following universal property: for any $\mathcal{H}om \mathcal{H}om Ext \mathcal{L}abel \mathfrak{p} \mathbf{k} \mathbf{k}$.