

Day 8: The multigraded BGG correspondence.

Tate resolutions have had many applications in CA and AG.

- Algorithm for computing sheaf cohomology over \mathbb{P}^n (Eisenbud-Decker)
- $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Bij-Söderberg Theory} \\ \text{Computing resultants} \end{array} \right\} \text{(Eisenbud-Schreyer)}$

... many others. **Over 200 citations.**

Question: does the story extend to multigraded polynomial rings and toric varieties?

Answer: Yes (Eisenbud-Erman-Schreyer 15, B-Erman 24)
products of proj. spaces general case

Story is more complicated.

Multigraded BGG: reference: "Tate resolutions on toric varieties", B-Erman

k a field

Let A be a fg abelian group

Suppose $S = k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ is A -graded, where $d_i := \deg(x_i) \in A$.

Key example: if X is a projective toric variety, its homogeneous coordinate ring, or Cox ring, is a $Cl(X)$ -gdd polynomial ring. More on this later.

For instance: $A = \mathbb{Z}$, $d_i \geq 1$. $S =$ Cox ring of weighted proj. space.

Say $S = k[x_0, x_1]$, $\deg(x_0) = 1$, $\deg(x_1) = 2$. How should

BGG work in this case? For instance, what is $R(S)$?

Naive guess: $R(S)_i = w_E(i) \otimes_k S_{-i}$ w/ differential $\bullet \sum x_i \otimes e_i$.

$$R(S) = \left[w_E \xrightarrow{e_0} w_E(-1) \xrightarrow{e_0} w_E(-2)^2 \xrightarrow{e_0} w_E(-3)^2 \xrightarrow{e_0} \dots \right]$$

$\xrightarrow{e_1} \quad \quad \quad \xrightarrow{e_1} \quad \quad \quad \xrightarrow{e_1}$

Not a complex! No way to grade this thing to make it a complex.

Solution: enlarge the category of complexes

$$E = \Lambda_k(e_0, \dots, e_n), \quad A \times \mathbb{Z} \text{ grad w/ } \deg(e_i) = (-d_i, -1).$$

Def'n: A differential E-module is an $A \times \mathbb{Z}$ -graded E-module D w/ degree $(0, -1)$ differential ∂ s.t. $\partial^2 = 0$.

Note: Think of E as a dg-algebra w/ internal A -grading and homological \mathbb{Z} -grading, and trivial differential. From this perspective, a differential E-module is precisely a dg-E-module.

$\text{Com}(S)$: category of complexes of graded S-modules (diff's / morphisms degree 0)

$\text{DM}(E)$: " " differential E-modules.

Here, a morphism $D \xrightarrow{\alpha} D'$ of diff. E-modules is a degree 0 map s.t. $\alpha \partial_D = \partial_{D'} \alpha$.

• The homology of $D \in \text{DM}(E)$ is $\ker(\partial : D \rightarrow D[0, -1]) / \text{im}(D[0, 1] \rightarrow D)$.

Thm (Hawwa-Hoffman-Wey, 12) There is an adjunction

$$\mathbb{L} : \text{DM}(E) \rightleftarrows \text{Com}(S) : \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{If } M \in \text{Mod}(S), \quad \mathbb{R}(M) = \bigoplus_{d \in A} w_E(-d, 0) \otimes_k M_d, \quad \partial_{\mathbb{R}} = \sum e_i \otimes x_i$$

$$w_E := \text{Hom}_k(E, k) \cong E(-\sum d_i, -n-1).$$

If $C \in \text{Com}(S)$, think of each $\mathbb{R}(C_i)$ as a 1-periodic complex, and form a bicomplex. Its totalization is 1-periodic: fold it to a DM to get $\mathbb{R}(C)$.

$$\text{If } D \in \text{DM}(E), \quad \mathbb{L}(D)_i = \bigoplus_{a \in A} S(-a) \otimes_k D_{(a, i)} \text{ w/ diff.}$$

$$\sum x_i \otimes e_i - \text{id} \otimes \partial_D.$$

Ex: $\mathbb{L}(k) = S$, $\mathbb{R}(k) = \omega_E$

Say $S = k[x_0, x_1]$, $\deg(x_0) = 1$, $\deg(x_1) = 2$.

$$\mathbb{R}(S) = \left[\begin{array}{ccccccc} \omega_E & \oplus & \omega_E(-1,0) & \oplus & \omega_E(-2,0) & \oplus & \omega_E(-3,0) \\ & & & & \omega_E(-2,0) & & \omega_E(-3,0) \\ & & & & & & \omega_E(-3,0) \end{array} \right]$$

$1 \qquad \qquad x_0 \qquad \qquad x_1 \qquad \qquad x_0 x_1$

Diagram illustrating the grading shifts and the structure of the Rees algebra $\mathbb{R}(S)$. The diagram shows the sequence of terms in the direct sum, with red arrows labeled e_0 and green arrows labeled e_1 indicating the shifts.

Short exercise: say S is as above. Carefully show that

$\mathbb{L}(\omega_E)$ is $k(x_0, \dots, x_n)$, w/ the appropriate grading twists.