0.1 Notation

Let $\omega = \alpha H$ and $B = \beta H$ where H is an ample class. Let

$$\operatorname{ch}^{B}(E) = e^{-B}\operatorname{ch}(E)$$

therefore

$$\begin{split} \mathrm{ch}_0^B(E) &= \mathrm{ch}_0(E) \\ \mathrm{ch}_1^B(E) &= \mathrm{ch}_1(E) - B \\ \mathrm{ch}_2^B(E) &= \mathrm{ch}_2(E) - B\mathrm{ch}_1(E) + \frac{1}{2}B^2\mathrm{ch}_0(E) \\ \mathrm{ch}_3^B(E) &= \mathrm{ch}_3(E) - B\mathrm{ch}_2(E) + \frac{1}{2}B^2\mathrm{ch}_1(E) - \frac{1}{6}B^3\mathrm{ch}_0(E) \end{split}$$

Furthermore, we define the slope

$$\mu_{\omega,B}(E) := \frac{\omega^{n-1} \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E)}{\omega^n \operatorname{ch}_0^B(E)} = \frac{\omega^{n-1} \operatorname{ch}_1(E) - \omega^{n-1} \cdot B \operatorname{ch}_0(E)}{\omega^n \operatorname{ch}_0(E)}$$

when E is a torsion-free sheaf then

$$\mu_{\omega,B}(E) = \frac{\omega^{n-1}c_1(E)}{\operatorname{rank} E} - \omega^{n-1} \cdot B$$

We define the central charge

$$Z_{\omega,B}(E) = \int_X e^{-i\omega - B} \operatorname{ch}(E)$$

Define two subcategories of $\mathfrak{Coh}(X)$.

Definition 0.1.1. Let $\mathcal{T}_{\omega,B}$ be the subcategory generated, via extensions, by $\mu_{\omega,B}$ -semistable sheaves of slope $\mu_{\omega,B} > 0$ where we set the torsion sheaves to have $\mu_{\omega,B} = \infty$.

This is the category of sheaves E such that $E/E_{\rm tors}$ has all HN-slopes strictly positive.

Definition 0.1.2. Let $\mathcal{F}_{\omega,B}$ be the subcategory generated under extensions by $\mu_{\omega,B}$ -semistable sheaves of slope $\mu_{\omega,B} \leq 0$ (hence these are torsion-free).

Definition 0.1.3. $\mathcal{B}_{\omega,B} = \langle \mathcal{F}_{\omega,B}[1], \mathcal{T}_{\omega,B} \rangle \subset D^b(X)$ what we call the *tilt*. We define the slope function on $\mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$

$$\nu_{\omega,B}(E) = \frac{\operatorname{Im}(Z_{\omega,B}(E))}{\omega^2 \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E)} = \frac{\omega \operatorname{ch}_2^B(E) - \frac{1}{6}\omega^3 \operatorname{ch}_0^B(E)}{\omega^2 \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E)}$$

Conjecture 0.1.4. For any tilt-stable object $E \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ satisfying $\nu_{\omega,B}(E) = 0$ meaning

$$\frac{1}{6}\operatorname{ch}_0^B(E) = \omega \operatorname{ch}_2^B(E)$$

we have the inequality

$$\operatorname{ch}_3^B(E) \le \frac{1}{18}\omega^2 \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E)$$

0.2 A few computations

By Grothendieck-Riemann-Roch

$$\operatorname{ch}(\mathcal{O}_C) = \iota_*(\operatorname{Td}_C \cdot \operatorname{Td}_X^{-1}) = \iota_*(1 - (g - 1)[*] + \frac{1}{2}K_X \cdot C[*]) = [C] + \frac{1}{2}(K_X \cdot C - 2(g - 1))[*]$$

0.3 Tangent Bundle

Let X be not uniruled then Miyaoka's theorem shows that $\mu_{\max}(\mathcal{T}_X) \leq 0$. Therefore, as long as $\beta \geq 0$ we have $\mathcal{T}_X \in \mathcal{F}_{\omega,B}$.

- (a) $\mathcal{T}_X[1] \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $\beta \geq 0$
- (b) if \mathcal{T}_X satisfies $\mu_{\max}(\mathcal{T}_X) < -\epsilon$ then $\mathcal{T}_X \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $-H^3\epsilon > \beta$
- (c) if $\mu_{\min}(\Omega_X) > \epsilon$ then $\Omega_X \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $\beta < \omega^3 \epsilon$
- (d) $\mathscr{I}_C[1] \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $\beta \geq 0$ and $\mathscr{I}_C \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $\beta < 0$
- (e) $\mathscr{I}_C^{\vee}[1] \in \mathcal{B}_{\omega,B}$ for $\beta \geq 0$

We want to compute

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{i}\left(\mathcal{O}_{X}, \mathscr{I}_{C} \otimes \mathcal{T}_{X}\right) = \operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{i}\left(\mathscr{I}_{C}^{\vee}, \mathcal{T}_{X}\right) = \operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{i}\left(\Omega_{X}, \mathscr{I}_{C}\right)$$

0.4 Case (a)

We consider X such that $\mu(\Omega_X) = \epsilon > 0$ and Ω_X is μ -semistable. We need $0 < \beta H^3 < \epsilon$.

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{2}\left(\Omega_{X},\mathscr{I}_{C}\right)=\operatorname{Hom}_{D^{b}\left(X\right)}\left(\Omega_{X},\mathscr{I}_{C}[2]\right)$$

We consider a nonzero element ξ then we consider the extension defined by (ξ, ξ, ξ)

$$\mathscr{I}_C[1]^{\oplus 3} \to E_{\xi} \to \Omega_X$$

Now we compute

$$\operatorname{ch}^{B}(E_{\xi}) = 3\operatorname{ch}^{B}(\mathscr{I}_{C}[1]) + \operatorname{ch}^{B}(\Omega_{X})$$

likewise

$$\operatorname{ch}^{B}(\mathscr{I}_{C}[1]) = e^{-B}\operatorname{ch}(\mathscr{I}_{C}[1]) = -e^{-B}(\operatorname{ch}(\mathcal{O}_{X}) - \operatorname{ch}(\mathcal{O}_{C})) = -e^{-B}(1 - [C] + \frac{1}{2}(K_{X} \cdot C - 2(g - 1))[*])$$
$$= \left(-1, B, -\frac{1}{2}B^{2} + [C], \frac{1}{6}B^{3} - \frac{1}{2}(K_{X} \cdot C - 2(g - 1))\right)$$

Therefore

$$\operatorname{ch}(E_{\xi}) = \left(0, c_1, \frac{1}{2}c_1^2 - c_2 + 3[C], \frac{1}{6}(c_1^3 - 3c_1c_2 + 3c_3) - \frac{3}{2}(c_1 \cdot C - 2(g-1))\right)$$

hence

$$\operatorname{ch}^{B}(E_{\xi}) = \left(0, c_{1}, -c_{1} \cdot B + \frac{1}{2}c_{1}^{2} - c_{2} + 3[C], \right.$$

$$\frac{1}{6}(c_{1}^{3} - 3c_{1}c_{2} + 3c_{3}) - \frac{3}{2}(c_{1} \cdot C - 2(g - 1)) + \frac{1}{2}B^{2} \cdot c_{1} - B \cdot (\frac{1}{2}c_{1}^{2} - c_{2} + 3[C])\right)$$

We want

$$H \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}c_1^2 + c_1 \cdot B - c_2 + 3[C]\right) = 0$$

i.e.

$$\beta = \frac{H \cdot (c_2 - \frac{1}{2}c_1^2) - 3\deg_H C}{c_1 \cdot H^2}$$

but this is a series condition on the curves we can consider. Now we consider the conjectural inequality:

$$\operatorname{ch}_3^B(E_\xi) \le \frac{1}{18}\omega^2 \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E_\xi)$$

This says

$$\frac{1}{6}(c_1^3 - 3c_1c_2 + 3c_3) - \frac{3}{2}(c_1 \cdot C - 2(g - 1)) + \frac{1}{2}B^2 \cdot c_1 - B \cdot (\frac{1}{2}c_1^2 - c_2 + 3[C]) \le \frac{1}{18}\omega^2 \operatorname{ch}_1^B(E_\xi) = \frac{1}{18}\alpha^2 H^2 \cdot c_1$$

We are going to take the limit as $\alpha \to 0$. Therefore, E_{ξ} is destabilized if the RHS is positive. Therefore

$$B \cdot (\frac{1}{2}c_1^2 - c_2 + 3[C]) = \beta H \cdot (\frac{1}{2}c_1^2 - c_2 + 3[C]) = -\beta H \cdot B \cdot c_1 = -B^2 \cdot c_1$$

Therefore we get

$$\frac{1}{9}(c_1^3 - 3c_1c_2 + 3c_3) - (c_1 \cdot C - 2(g-1)) + B^2 \cdot c_1 \le 0$$

0.5 (b)

Alternatively, lets look at

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{1}\left(\mathcal{O}_{X}, \mathscr{I}_{C} \otimes \mathcal{T}_{X}\right) = \operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{1}\left(\mathscr{I}_{C}^{\vee}, \mathcal{T}_{X}\right) = \operatorname{Ext}_{X}^{1}\left(\mathscr{I}_{C}^{\vee}[1], \mathcal{T}_{X}[1]\right)$$

then we get an extension

$$\mathcal{T}_X[1] \to E_\xi \to \mathscr{I}_C^\vee[1]$$