Modules over short graded Gorenstein rings

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The *R*-module $\mathbb{k} \cong R/(x_1,\ldots,x_e)$ is Koszul:

$$0 \leftarrow \mathbb{k} \leftarrow R \xleftarrow{(x_1, \dots, x_e)} R(-1)^e \xleftarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & z & 0 & 0 & y & 0 & x \\ 0 & -z & -z & -z & y & -z & x-z & 0 \\ z & y & 0 & x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}} \cdots$$

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Let M be an indecomposable module. Fix a positive integer $m \le e - 1$. The following statements are equivalent:

- **1** $M \cong \operatorname{Syz}_{-n-1}(I)$ where I is an ideal minimally generated by m linear forms.
- $2 \mathcal{H}_M(s) = (b_n mb_{n-1}) + (b_{n+1} mb_n)s.$

If one of the above holds, then M is Koszul.

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