

Graded modules over G -sets II

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Introduction

Let $R = \bigoplus_{\sigma \in G} R_{\sigma}$ be a G -graded ring and A a left G -set. In the paper [8] the category of A -graded R -modules. (G, A, R) -gr was introduced and studied. An object of this category is a left R -module M together with a direct sum decomposition $M = \bigoplus_{x \in A} M_x$, where $\{M_x | x \in A\}$ is a family of subgroups of the additive

group of M such that $R_{\sigma} M_x \subseteq M_{\sigma x}$ for all $\sigma \in G$ and $x \in A$. When A is the G -set G (G acts on itself by left translation) then (G, A, R) -gr is exactly the category R -gr of all graded R -modules (extensively studied in [6] and other works). An important example of G -set is $A = G/H$, where $H < G$ is a subgroup and G/H denotes the cosets of H in G (G acts on G/H by left translation). In this case, (G, A, R) -gr is denoted by $(G/H, R)$ -gr. This category was studied for the first time by E. Dade in [2].

In the case of the category R -gr, a powerful tool for the study of this category is the ring denoted by $\tilde{R} \# G^*$, called the smash product of R by G . This ring was introduced for the case where G is a finite group by M. Cohen and S. Montgomery in [1], and extended for the general case by D. Quinn in [9]. The utility of this ring has been emphasized, in [5] and [7] and other recent publications.

In the paper [8] the smash product $R \# A$ is defined in case R is a G -graded ring and A is a finite G -set. In the first section of the present paper, we introduce the ring $R \# A$ in case A is an arbitrary G -set and R is a G -graded ring. When A is the G -set G , one obtains the smash product $\tilde{R} \# G^*$.

If the ring $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ proved to be a powerful tool for studying the category R -gr, in the case of the category (G, A, R) -gr, unfortunately, the smash product $R \# A$ is not a satisfactory tool. This happens mainly because in this generality one does not obtain a duality theorem of the Cohen-Montgomery type.

The main purpose of this paper is to show that a good tool for studying the category $(G/H, R)$ -gr is provided by the ring $R\{H\} = (\tilde{R} \# G^*) \bar{H}$ which is obtained by adjoining to the smash product $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ a group of invertible ele-

ments of the matrix ring $M_G(R)$ isomorphic to the subgroup H of G . The idea for using this ring was provided by the constructions performed in [5], as well as by the Corollary 2.17 of [8], which stated that if G is a finite group, then the rings $(R \# G/H)$ and $R\{H\}$ are Morita equivalent.

The paper contains four sections. In the first section we define the smash product $R \# A$ for an arbitrary G -set. The construction follows the one given by D. Quinn for the smash product $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ in [9]. The section ends with an example showing that in this case the Cohen-Montgomery Duality Theorem does not function in general.

In Sect. 2 we introduce the ring $R\{H\}$ (which was introduced in fact by D. Quinn in [9]) and we define the functor $(-)^{\# \cdot H}: (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. A series of properties of this functor is given.

In Sect. 3 we construct a right adjoint for the functor $(-)^{\# \cdot H}$ and we show that the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is equivalent with a certain localizing subcategory of $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. The main result of this section is Theorem 3.1. The constructions in Sects. 2 and 3 are inspired from the paper [5].

Section 4 contains a series of applications of Theorem 3.1. The main results of this section are Theorems 4.1 and 4.2.

1 Preliminaries and remarks on the smash product

All rings considered in this paper will be unitary. If R is a ring, by an R -module we will mean a left R -module, and we will denote the category of R -modules by $R\text{-mod}$. Let G be a multiplicative group with identity "1". A G -graded ring is a ring with identity 1, together with a direct sum decomposition (as additive subgroups) $R = \bigoplus_{\sigma \in G} R_\sigma$ such that $R_\sigma R_\tau \subseteq R_{\sigma\tau}$ for all $\sigma, \tau \in G$. If A is a left G -set

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If $M = \bigoplus_{x \in A} M_x$ and $N = \bigoplus_{x \in A} N_x$ are A -graded R -modules, then a morphism $f: M \rightarrow N$ is an R -linear map such that $f(M_x) \subseteq N_x$ for all $x \in A$. The category $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ consists of left A -graded R -modules with the morphisms defined as above. It is known [8] that $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is a Grothendieck category.

If $A = G$ with the natural left action of G on itself, then the category $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is exactly the category $R\text{-gr}$ of all left G -graded R -modules. If H is a subgroup of G and $A = G/H$ is the set of all left H -cosets in G with the usual G -action on it (left translation), then we write $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ for the category $(G, G/H, R)\text{-gr}$.

If A is a singleton with G acting trivially on it, then the category $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is exactly the category $R\text{-mod}$.

We note that if A is a left G -set, then the category $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is a direct product of categories of the form $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, where H is some subgroup of G , [8].

Let $R = \bigoplus_{\sigma \in G} R_\sigma$ be a G -graded ring and A a left G -set. Following the construction given by D. Quinn in [9] for the case where $A = G$, we define now the smash product of the ring R by the G -set A (the construction in the case where A is finite was done in [8]).

We denote by $M_A(R)$ the set of row and column finite matrices over R , with rows and columns indexed by the elements of A .

$M_A^*(R)$ is the ideal of $M_A(R)$ consisting of the matrices with only finitely many non-zero entries. Clearly, if A is finite, then $M_A^*(R) = M_A(R)$. If $\alpha \in M_A(R)$, then we write $\alpha(x, y)$ for the entry in the (x, y) position of α . For $\alpha, \beta \in M_A(R)$, the matrix product is given by

$$(\alpha\beta)(x, y) = \sum_{z \in A} \alpha(x, z) \beta(z, y).$$

If $x, y \in A$, then we let $e_{x,y}$ denote the matrix with 1 in the (x, y) -position and zero elsewhere. Let $p_x = e_{x,x}$. Define $\eta: R \rightarrow M_A(R)$ by $\eta(r) = \tilde{r}$, where $\tilde{r} = \sum_{\sigma \in G} \sum_{x \in A} r_\sigma e_{\sigma x, x}$, $r = \sum_{\sigma \in G} r_\sigma$, $r_\sigma \in R_\sigma$ for any $\sigma \in G$.

We show that η is a ring homomorphism. Indeed, if $r_\sigma \in R_\sigma$, $r_\tau \in R_\tau$, then we have $\eta(r_\sigma r_\tau) = r_\sigma r_\tau \sum_{x \in A} e_{\sigma \tau x, x}$. But $\eta(r_\sigma) \eta(r_\tau) = r_\sigma r_\tau \sum_{x \in A} e_{\sigma x, x} \sum_{y \in A} e_{\tau y, y} = r_\sigma r_\tau \sum_{x \in A} \sum_{y \in A} e_{\sigma x, x} e_{\tau y, y} = r_\sigma r_\tau \sum_{x \in A} e_{\sigma x, \tau^{-1}x} = r_\sigma r_\tau \sum_{y \in A} e_{\sigma \tau y, y} = \eta(r_\sigma r_\tau)$. We prove now that η is a monomorphism. Indeed, let $r, s \in R$, $r = \sum_{\sigma \in G} r_\sigma$, $s = \sum_{\sigma \in G} s_\sigma$, $r_\sigma, s_\sigma \in R_\sigma$, such that $\eta(r) = \eta(s)$. Fix $y \in A$. Then for any $x \in A$ we denote by

$$G_{y,x} = \{\sigma \in G \mid \sigma x = y\}.$$

We have for $x \neq x'$ that $G_{y,x} \cap G_{y,x'} = \emptyset$ and $G = \bigcup_{x \in A} G_{y,x}$. Since $\eta(r) = \eta(s)$, then for any $x \in A$ we obtain that $\sum_{\sigma \in G_{y,x}} r_\sigma = \sum_{\sigma \in G_{y,x}} s_\sigma$ (the equality holds even if $G_{y,x} = \emptyset$ if we agree that a sum indexed by an empty family is zero). Since $r = \sum_{x \in A} \sum_{\sigma \in G_{y,x}} r_\sigma$, then $r = s$.

We denote by $\tilde{R} = \eta(R)$ and by $R \# A$ the subring of $M_A(R)$ generated by \tilde{R} and the set $\{p_x \mid x \in A\}$.

If $r, s \in R$, we have the equality:

$$(\tilde{r} p_x)(\tilde{s} p) = \begin{cases} (\sum_{\substack{\sigma \in G \\ \sigma y = x}} r s_\sigma) p_y = r (\sum_{\substack{\sigma \in G \\ \sigma y = x}} s_\sigma) p_y \\ 0 \end{cases} \text{ if there is no } \sigma \text{ such that } \sigma y = x$$

Indeed, it is sufficient to prove that

$$p_x(\tilde{s} p_y) = (\sum_{\substack{\sigma \in G \\ \sigma y = x}} s_\sigma) p_y.$$

Suppose there exists $\sigma \in G$ such that $\sigma y = x$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_x(\tilde{s}p_y) &= p_x\left(\sum_{\sigma \in G} \sum_{x' \in A} s_\sigma e_{\sigma x' x}\right) p_y \\
 &= e_{x, x}\left(\sum_{\sigma \in G} \sum_{z \in A} s_\sigma e_{\sigma z, z}\right) p_y \\
 &= \left(\sum_{\sigma \in G} s_\sigma \sum_{z \in A} e_{x, x} e_{\sigma z, z}\right) p_y \\
 &= \left(\sum_{\sigma \in G} s_\sigma e_{x, \sigma^{-1}x}\right) e_{y, y} \\
 &= \left(\sum_{\substack{\sigma \in G \\ \sigma y = x}} s_\sigma\right) p_y.
 \end{aligned}$$

In particular, if $r_\sigma \in R_\sigma$, $x \in A$, we have

$$p_x \tilde{r}_\sigma = \tilde{r}_\sigma p_{\sigma^{-1}x}.$$

If $r \in R$ such that $\tilde{r}p_x = 0$ or $p_x \tilde{r} = 0$, then $r = 0$. Indeed, if $\tilde{r}p_x = 0$, then $\left(\sum_{\sigma \in G} \sum_{y \in A} r_\sigma e_{\sigma y, y}\right) e_{x, x} = 0$, and therefore $\sum_{\sigma \in G} r_\sigma e_{\sigma x, x} = 0$.

Thus $\sum_{\sigma \in G_{y, x}} r_\sigma = 0$ for all $y \in A$, and hence $r = \sum_{y \in A} \sum_{\sigma \in G_{y, x}} r_\sigma = 0$. We have that $G_{x, y} \cap G_{y', x} = 0$ for $y \neq y'$, and $G = \bigcup_{y \in A} G_{y, x}$.

Now if $p_x \tilde{r} = 0$, then we obtain $0 = p_x \sum_{\sigma \in G} \sum_{z \in A} r_\sigma e_{\sigma z, z} = \sum_{\sigma \in G} r_\sigma e_{x, \sigma^{-1}x}$, and hence $\sum_{\sigma \in G_{y, \sigma^{-1}x}} r_\sigma = 0$, so $r = 0$.

Thus the set of orthogonal idempotents $\{p_x | x \in A\}$ is a free set on the left and on the right over the ring \tilde{R} . Hence, if A is an infinite set, then

$$R \# A = \tilde{R} \oplus \left(\bigoplus_{x \in A} \tilde{R} p_x\right).$$

We denote by $\text{Aut}_G(A)$ the group of G -automorphisms of the G -set A . If $\varphi \in \text{Aut}_G(A)$ we define $\tilde{\varphi} \in M_A(R)$ by $\tilde{\varphi} = \sum_{x \in A} e_{x, \varphi(x)}$. If $\varphi \in \text{Aut}_G(A)$ and $\alpha \in M_A(R)$, then for any $x, y \in A$ we have

$$(\tilde{\varphi}^{-1} \alpha \tilde{\varphi})(x, y) = \alpha(\tilde{\varphi}^{-1}(x), \tilde{\varphi}^{-1}(y)).$$

Indeed, if $\beta = \alpha \tilde{\varphi}$, then

$$\beta = \sum_{v \in A} \alpha e_{v, \varphi(v)},$$

and therefore

$$\beta(x, y) = \sum_{v \in A} \sum_{z \in A} \alpha(x, z) e_{v, \varphi(v)}(z, y) = \alpha(x, z) \quad \text{with } y = \varphi(z),$$

and hence $\beta(x, y) = \alpha(x, \tilde{\varphi}^{-1}(y))$.

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\bar{\varphi}^{-1} \alpha \bar{\varphi})(x, y) &= \sum_{u \in A} \sum_{z \in A} e_{u, \varphi^{-1}(u)}(x, z) \beta(z, y) \\
 &= \sum_{u \in A} \sum_{z \in A} e_{u, \varphi^{-1}(u)}(x, z) \alpha(z, \bar{\varphi}^{-1}(y)) \\
 &= \sum_{z \in A} \sum_{u \in A} e_{u, \varphi^{-1}(u)}(x, z) \alpha(z, \bar{\varphi}^{-1}(y)) \\
 &= \alpha(\varphi^{-1}(x), \varphi^{-1}(y)).
 \end{aligned}$$

If we denote by $R\{\text{Aut}_G(A)\}$ the subring of $M_A(R)$ generated by $R \# A$ and the set $\{\bar{\varphi} \mid \varphi \in \text{Aut}_G(A)\}$, then $R\{\text{Aut}_G(A)\} = \sum_{\varphi \in \text{Aut}_G(A)} (R \# A) \bar{\varphi}$, and the set

$\{\bar{\varphi} \mid \varphi \in \text{Aut}_G(A)\}$ is a set of normalizing elements for the ring $R \# A$.

Unfortunately, we do not have a Duality Theorem in the sense of Cohen-Montgomery over the ring $R \# A$, i.e. in general

$$R\{\text{Aut}_G(A)\} \neq M_A(R).$$

For example, if $H < G$ is a subgroup of G such that $N(H) = H(N(H))$ is the normalizer of H in G then by [8] we have $\text{Aut}_G(G/H) \simeq N(H)/H = \{e\}$. Thus $R\{\text{Aut}_G(A)\} = R \# A$, but $R \# A \neq M_A(R)$.

Using the same arguments as in [5] it may be shown that if A is an arbitrary G -set, then $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is isomorphic to some localizing subcategory of $R \# A\text{-mod}$. If A is finite, then $(G, A, R)\text{-gr}$ is isomorphic to $R \# A\text{-mod}$ (this result was obtained using different methods in [8]).

2 The functor $(.)^{*,H}$

Let $R = \sum_{\sigma \in G} R_\sigma$ be a G -graded ring and H is a subgroup of G . Let $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ denote

the smash product associated to the graded ring R , i.e. the smash product when the G -set A is the group G with the natural left action on itself.

$\tilde{R} \# G^*$ is a subring of $M_G(R)$. For any $g \in G$ we consider the element $\bar{g} \in M_G(R)$, $\bar{g} = \sum_{x \in G} e_{x, xg}$. Then \bar{g} is a unit in $M_G(R)$, and $\bar{G} = \{\bar{g} \mid g \in G\}$ is a group isomorphic to G .

We denote by $R\{H\}$ the subring of $M_G(R)$ defined by the equality

$$R\{H\} = (\tilde{R} \# G^*) \bar{H} = \sum_{h \in H} (\tilde{R} \# G^*) \bar{h}.$$

It is well known from [9] that

$$R\{H\} = \sum_{h \in H} \tilde{R} \bar{h} \oplus R^* \{H\}$$

where $R^*\{H\} = \{\alpha \in M_G^*(R) \mid \alpha(x, y) \in R\langle xHy^{-1} \rangle\}$ (if X is a subset of G , then $R\langle X \rangle$ denotes the set $R\langle X \rangle = \bigoplus_{x \in X} R_x$).

We have the inclusions

$$\tilde{R} \# G^* \subset R\{H\} \subset R\{G\} \subset M_G(R).$$

When G is a finite group, we have $R\{G\} = M_G(R)$, which is exactly the Duality Theorem of Cohen and Montgomery.

We have the functor

$$\text{Col}_G(-): R\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\{G\}\text{-mod}$$

which is defined as follows: if $M \in R\text{-mod}$, then $\text{Col}_G(M)$ is the set of column matrices over M with elements indexed by G and with finitely many non-zero entries. In fact, $\text{Col}_G(M)$ is a left $M_G(R)$ -module, and by restriction of scalars it is a left $R\{G\}$ -module. This functor is exact. By [5] we have the functor

$$(-)^*: R\text{-gr} \rightarrow \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$$

which is defined as follows: if $M \in R\text{-gr}$, then M has a natural structure of on $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-module}$ (see [5]) if for $m \in M$, $m = \sum_{x \in G} m_x$ ($m_x \in M_x$ are the homogeneous components of m) and $\tilde{r} \in \tilde{R}$ we put $\tilde{r}m = r m$ and $p_x m = m_x$. We denote the module M considered with this structure by M^* . The correspondence $M \rightarrow M^*$ defines an exact functor $(-)^*: R\text{-gr} \rightarrow \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$.

If we denote by

$$(R\text{-gr})^* = \{M \in \tilde{R} \# G^* \mid M = \bigoplus_{x \in G} p_x M\}$$

then by [5], $(R\text{-gr})^*$ is a localizing subcategory of $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$ (i.e. it is closed under subobjects, quotient objects, extensions and arbitrary direct sums). Since $(R\text{-gr})^*$ is a localizing subcategory, then for any $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-module}$ N there exists a largest $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-submodule}$ $t_* N$ of N such that $t_* N \in (R\text{-gr})^*$. In fact $t_* N = \sum_{x \in G} p_x N$. Now if $N \in (R\text{-gr})^*$, then N has a natural structure of a graded R -module if we consider N as an R -module via the morphism

$$\eta: R \rightarrow \tilde{R} \# G^*$$

and with the grading $N_x = p_x N$.

Thus we obtain a new functor

$$(-)_{\text{gr}}: \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\text{-gr}$$

which sends $N \in \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$ to $t_* N$ considered as a graded R -module.

It is showed in [5] that the functor $(-)_{\text{gr}}$ is a right adjoint of the functor $(-)^*$. Moreover, the functors $(-)^*$ and $(-)_{\text{gr}}$ define an equivalence (in fact an isomorphism) between the categories $R\text{-gr}$ and $(R\text{-gr})^*$.

We define now the functor

$$(-)^{\#,H}: (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow R\{H\}\text{-mod}$$

as follows: if $M = \bigoplus_{C \in G/H} M_C \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, then $M^{\#,H}$ is the subset of $\text{Col}_G(M)$ such that the entries in the x -position belong to M_C if $x \in C$.

Lemma 2.1 *With the above notation, $M^{\#,H}$ is an $R\{H\}$ -submodule of $\text{Col}_G(M)$.*

Proof. Let $v \in M^{\#,H}$ and $\alpha \in R\{H\}$. We must prove that $\alpha v \in M^{\#,H}$. We can assume that $v_x \in M_C$, where $x \in C$ (v_x in the entry in the x -position of v), and $v_y = 0$ for $y \neq x$. Now if $\alpha = p_y$, we have

$$p_y v = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } y \neq x \\ v & \text{if } y = x \end{cases}$$

and therefore $p_y v \in M^{\#,H}$.

If $\alpha = \tilde{r}_\sigma$, $r_\sigma \in R_\sigma$, then we have

$$(\tilde{r}_\sigma v)_t = \sum_{y \in G} \tilde{r}_\sigma(t, y) v_y = \tilde{r}_\sigma(t, x) v_x.$$

But $\tilde{r}_\sigma(t, x) = r_\sigma$ if $\sigma = tx^{-1}$ and $\tilde{r}_\sigma(t, x) = 0$ if $\sigma \neq tx^{-1}$. Hence $(\tilde{r}_\sigma v)_t = r_\sigma v_x$ if $t = \sigma x$ and $(\tilde{r}_\sigma v)_t = 0$ if $t \neq \sigma x$. But $r_\sigma v_x \in M_{\sigma C}$, $\sigma x \in \sigma C$ and $\sigma C \in G/H$, therefore $\tilde{r}_\sigma v \in M^{\#,H}$.

Let now $\alpha = \bar{h}$, $h \in H$. Then we have $(\bar{h} v)_t = \sum_{y \in G} \bar{h}(t, y) v_y = \bar{h}(t, x) v_x$. Since $\bar{h} = \sum_{z \in G} e_{z, zh}$, we have $\bar{h}(t, x) = 1$ if $t = xh^{-1}$ and $\bar{h}(t, x) = 0$ if $t \neq xh^{-1}$.

$$\text{Hence } (\bar{h} v)_t = \begin{cases} v_x & \text{if } t = xh^{-1} \\ 0 & \text{if } t \neq xh^{-1} \end{cases}$$

and thus $(\bar{h} v)_{xh^{-1}} = v_x$ and $(\bar{h} v)_t = 0$ if $t \neq xh^{-1}$, since $x \in C$, then $C = xH$, and we note that $xh^{-1}H = xH = C$, i.e. $xh^{-1} \in C$. Hence $\bar{h} v \in M^{\#,H}$, and therefore $M^{\#,H}$ is an $R\{H\}$ -submodule of $\text{Col}_G(M)$.

Remark 2.1 If $H = \{1\}$, then $M^{\#,H}$ is exactly the $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ -module $M^\#$. If $H = G$, then $M^{\#,G}$ is exactly the $R\{G\}$ -module $\text{Col}_G(M)$.

Lemma 2.2 *The correspondence $M \rightarrow M^{\#,H}$ defines an exact functor $(-)^{\#,H}: (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow R\{H\}\text{-mod}$.*

Proof. If $M, N \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ and $f \in \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N)$, then it is obvious that $\text{Col}_G(f)(M^{\#,H}) \subseteq N^{\#,H}$, and hence the correspondence $M \rightarrow M^{\#,H}$ defines a covariant functor. It is obvious that this functor is exact.

Let now $\varphi: G \rightarrow G/H$ be the canonical map $\varphi(g) = gH$ for $g \in G$, which is a morphism of G -sets. By [8] we can associate to the map the canonical functor

$$(-)_\varphi: R\text{-gr} \rightarrow (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$$

defined as follows: if $M \in R\text{-gr}$, $M = \bigoplus_{x \in G} M_x$, then $M_\varphi = M$ as R -modules, and M_φ has the G/H -grading $M = \bigoplus_{C \in G/H} M_C$ where $M_C = \bigoplus_{x \in C} M_x$.

By Theorem 3.1 of [8] we have that $(-)_{\varphi}$ has a right adjoint. This right adjoint may be constructed using the functor $(-)^{*,H}$ as follows:

Proposition 2.1 *The functor $(-)_{\text{gr}} \circ i_{\star} \circ (-)^{*,H}: (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow R\text{-gr}$ is a right adjoint of the functor $(-)_{\varphi}$. (Here i_{\star} denotes the restriction of scalars functor associated to the inclusion morphism $i: \tilde{R} \# G^* \hookrightarrow R\{H\}$).*

Proof. By the construction of the right adjoint of the functor $(-)_{\varphi}$ given in Theorem 3.1 of [8] it is easy to see that this is exactly the functor $(-)_{\text{gr}} \circ i_{\star} \circ (-)^{*,H}$. Assume now that H is a finite subgroup of G . If $M = \bigoplus_{C \in G/H} M_C$ is an object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, then there exists a canonical map

$$\alpha_M: M \rightarrow M^{*,H}$$

defined as follows: if $m \in M_C$, then $\alpha_M(m)$ is the column matrix such that for any $x \in C$ the entry in the x -position is m and the other entries are zero. Since C is a finite set then α_M is well defined.

Lemma 2.3 *Assume that H is a finite subgroup of G . Then $\alpha_M: M \rightarrow M^{*,H}$ is an R -monomorphism (here $M^{*,H}$ is considered as an R -module via the morphisms of rings $R \xrightarrow{\eta} \tilde{R} \# G^* \xrightarrow{i} R\{H\}$).*

Proof. Let $m \in M_C$ and $a_{\sigma} \in R_{\sigma}$. If $C = xH$, then $\sigma C = \sigma xH$ and thus if we denote by $v = \alpha_M(a_{\sigma} m)$, then for any $y \in \sigma C$ we have $v_y = a_{\sigma} m$ and if $y \notin \sigma C$, then $v_y = 0$.

On the other hand, $a_{\sigma} \alpha_M(m) = \tilde{a}_{\sigma}(\dots, m, \dots)^t \rightarrow x(x \in C)$. But $\tilde{a}_{\sigma}(\dots, m, \dots)^t - x = (\dots, a_{\sigma} m, \dots)^t - \sigma x$, and therefore $\alpha_M(a_{\sigma} m) = a_{\sigma} \alpha_M(m)$. It is obvious that α_M is injective.

Remark 2.2 In fact α_M is morphism in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, if we consider $M^{*,H}$ as an object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ via the functors $R\{H\}\text{-mod} \xrightarrow{i_{\star}} \tilde{R} \# G^* \text{-mod} \xrightarrow{(-)_{\text{gr}}} R\text{-gr} \xrightarrow{(-)_{\varphi}} (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ where $\varphi: G \rightarrow G/H$ is the canonical map of G -sets.

Lemma 2.4 *Let $K < H < G$ be subgroups, $\phi: G/K \rightarrow G/H$ the canonical morphism of G -sets ($\phi(\sigma K) = \sigma H$, $\sigma \in G$). If $M \in (G/K, R)\text{-gr}$, then M may be viewed as an object from $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ via the canonical functor $(-)_{\phi}: (G/K, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. We have that*

$$M^{*,H} \simeq R\{H\} \bigotimes_{R\{K\}} M^{*,K} \quad \text{as } R\{H\}\text{-modules.}$$

Proof. We define the map

$$\gamma: R\{H\} \bigotimes_{R\{K\}} M^{*,K} \rightarrow \text{Col}_G(M)$$

by the equality $\gamma(\alpha \otimes v) = \alpha v$, $\alpha \in R\{H\}$, $v \in M^{\bullet, K}$. First we must prove that $\gamma(\alpha \otimes v) \in M^{\bullet, H}$. It is obvious that we may assume that the entry of v in the x -position is $v_x \in M_{xK}$ and all the other entries of v are zero. If $\alpha = p_y$, then

$$\alpha v = \begin{cases} v & \text{if } y = x \\ 0 & \text{if } y \neq x \end{cases}$$

and $v \in M^{\bullet, H}$, since $M_{xK} \subseteq M_{xH}$ by the definition of the functor $(-)_\phi$. If $\alpha = \tilde{a}_\sigma$, then the entry in the t -position of $\tilde{a}_\sigma v$ is

$$(\tilde{a}_\sigma v)_t = \begin{cases} a_\sigma v_x & \text{if } t = \sigma x \\ 0 & \text{if } t \neq \sigma x. \end{cases}$$

But $a_\sigma v_x \in M_{\sigma x K} \subseteq M_{\sigma x H}$, hence $\tilde{a}_\sigma v \in M^{\bullet, H}$. Now if $\alpha = \bar{h}$, $h \in H$, then the entry in the t -position of $\bar{h}v$ is

$$(\bar{h}v)_t = \begin{cases} v_x & \text{if } t = xh^{-1} \\ 0 & \text{if } t \neq xh^{-1}. \end{cases}$$

But $v_x \in M_{xK} \subseteq M_{xH} = M_{xh^{-1}H}$ because $h \in H$, so $\bar{h}v \in M^{\bullet, H}$. In conclusion, $\gamma(\alpha \otimes v) \in M^{\bullet, H}$, and so γ may be considered as a map from $R\{H\} \otimes_{R\{K\}} M^{\bullet, K}$

to $M^{\bullet, H}$, which is clearly a morphism of $R\{H\}$ -modules.

We prove now that γ is bijective. In order to show that γ is injective, let us remark first that if $\{\sigma_i\}_{i \in I}$ is a set of representatives for the left cosets of K in H , then clearly we have that $R\{H\} = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i R\{K\}$. Now if $\sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i a_i = 0$, where

$a_i \in R\{K\}$, then we can write $a_i = \sum_{j \in I_i} \bar{k}_{ij} a_{ij}$, where $k_{ij} \in K$, $k_{ij} \neq k_{ij'}$, for $j \neq j'$, and

$a_{ij} \in \tilde{R} \# G^*$. But $0 = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i a_i = \sum_{i \in I} \sum_{j \in I_i} \bar{\sigma}_i \bar{k}_{ij} a_{ij}$. For $i \neq i'$ we have that $\sigma_i k \neq \sigma_{i'} k'$

for any $k, k' \in K$, and for $j \neq j'$ we have that $\sigma_i k_{ij} \neq \sigma_{i'} k_{i'j'}$. Since the set $\{\bar{g} | g \in G\}$ is free over $\tilde{R} \# G^*$, then $a_{ij} = 0$ for any $i \in I$, $j \in I_i$. Hence $a_i = 0$ for any $i \in I$. So $R\{H\} = \bigoplus_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i R\{K\}$. Therefore every element from $R\{H\} \otimes_{R\{K\}} M^{\bullet, K}$ has the form

$u = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i \otimes v_i$, where $v_i \in M^{\bullet, K}$.

Assume that $\gamma(u) = 0$. Then $\sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i v_i = 0$. If $x \in G$, then the entry of $\sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i v_i$ in

the x -position is the sum (indexed by $i \in I$) of the entries in the x -position of $\sigma_i v_i$. The entry in the x -position of $\bar{\sigma}_i v_i$ is equal to the entry in the $x\sigma_i$ -position of v_i . Since for $i \neq j$ we have $x\sigma_i \neq x\sigma_j$, we obtain that the entry of v_i in the $x\sigma_i$ -position is zero for any $i \in I$. It follows that if we fix $i \in I$, then the entry of v_i in the $x\sigma_i$ -position is zero for all $x \in G$. If $y \in G$, then there exists $x \in G$ such that $y = x\sigma_i$, so the entry of v_i in the y -position is zero. It follows that $v_i = 0$, and so $u = 0$, i.e. γ is injective. We prove now that γ is surjective. Let $v \in M^{\bullet, H}$. We can assume that the entry of v in the x -position ($x \in G$) is $m \in M_{xH}$ and all the other entries of v are zero. Now we have that $m \in M_{xH} = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_{x\sigma_i K}$,

so $m = \sum_{i \in I} m_i$, where $m_i \in M_{x\sigma_i K}$. We put $v_i \in M^{\bullet, K}$ as follows: the entry of v_i

in the $x\sigma_i$ position is m_i , and all the other entries are zero. Then $\gamma(u) = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i v_i$. We let $u = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i \otimes v_i$. If we denote for each $w \in M^{\#, H}$ and $t \in G$ by w_t the entry of W in the t -position, then $\gamma(u)_x = (\sum_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i v_i)_x = \sum_{i \in I} (\bar{\sigma}_i v_i)_x = \sum_{i \in I} (v_i)_{x\sigma_i} = \sum_{i \in I} m_i = m$, and $\gamma(u)_y = \sum_{i \in I} (v_i)_{y\sigma_i} = 0$ for $y \neq x$. So $\gamma(u) = v$ and hence γ is surjective too.

Remarks 2.3 a) By Lemma 2.4, if $K < H < G$ are subgroups, $\phi: G/K \rightarrow G/H$ is the canonical map of G -sets, $(-)_\phi: (G/K, R)\text{-gr} \rightarrow (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is the associated functor, then we have the following commutative diagram of functors:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (G/K, R)\text{-gr} & \xrightarrow{(-)_\phi} & (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \\ (-)^* \cdot K \downarrow & & \downarrow (-)^* \cdot H \\ R\{K\}\text{-mod} & \xrightarrow[R(K)]{R\{H\} \otimes -} & R\{H\}\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

b) Taking $H = G$ we obtain that for any $M \in (G/K, R)\text{-gr-mod}$ we have $R\{G\} \otimes_{R(K)} M^{\#, K} \simeq \text{Col}_G(M)$ as $R\{G\}$ -modules, so the following diagram of functors is commutative

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (G/K, R)\text{-gr} & \xrightarrow{U} & R\text{-mod} \\ (-)^* \cdot K \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{Col}_G(-) \\ R\{K\}\text{-mod} & \xrightarrow[R(K)]{R\{K\} \otimes -} & R\{G\}\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

where U is the forgetful functor.

c) Taking $K = \{1\}$ we obtain that for any $M \in R\text{-gr}$ we have $R\{H\} \otimes_{\tilde{R} \# G^*} M^{\#} \simeq M^{\#, H}$ as $R\{H\}$ -modules, so the following diagram of functors is commutative:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R\text{-gr} & \xrightarrow{(-)_\phi} & (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \\ (-)^* \downarrow & & \downarrow (-)^* \cdot H \\ \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod} & \xrightarrow[\tilde{R} \# G^*]{R\{H\} \otimes -} & R\{H\}\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

where $\phi: G \rightarrow G/H$ denotes the canonical map.

d) If $\{\sigma_i\}_{i \in I}$ denotes as in the proof of Lemma 2.4 a set of representatives for the left cosets of K in H , then from the proof of the Lemma 2.4 we get that $R\{H\} \otimes_{R(K)} M^{\#, K} \simeq \bigoplus_{i \in I} \bar{\sigma}_i \otimes M^{\#, K}$ as $R\{K\}$ -modules whenever K is a normal subgroup of H . Indeed, if $K \triangleleft H$, then $R\{K\} \bar{\sigma}_i = \bar{\sigma}_i R\{K\}$, and so $\bar{\sigma}_i \otimes M^{\#, K}$ is an $R\{K\}$ -module for each $i \in I$.

In particular, if $K = \{1\}$, then we obtain that $R\{H\} \otimes_{\tilde{R} \# G^*} M^{\#} \simeq \bigoplus_{h \in H} h \otimes M^{\#}$ as $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ -modules.

We recall now that if $M = \bigoplus_{x \in G} M_x$ is an object of the category $R\text{-gr}$ and $\sigma \in G$, then $M(\sigma)$ denotes the graded module obtained from M putting $M(\sigma)_\lambda = M_{\lambda\sigma}$. The graded module $M(\sigma)$ is called the σ -suspension of M .

Lemma 2.5 *Assume that $M \in R\text{-gr}$ and $H < G$. Then*

$$M^{*,H} \simeq \bigoplus_{h \in H} M(h)^* \quad \text{as } \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-modules}$$

Proof. By Lemma 2.4 and Remarks 2.3, c), d) we have that

$$M^{*,H} \simeq R\{H\} \bigotimes_{\tilde{R} \# G^*} M^* \simeq \bigoplus_{h \in H} \bar{h} \otimes M^*, \quad \text{as } \tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-modules}$$

(each $\bar{h} \otimes M^*$ is an $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ -module). We show that for any $h \in H$ we have that $\bar{h} \otimes M^* \simeq M(h)^*$.

Indeed, we define the map $\delta: \bar{h} \otimes M^* \rightarrow \text{Col}_G(M)$ by

$$\delta(\bar{h} \otimes v) = \bar{h}v \quad \text{for any } v \in M^*.$$

It is easy to see that $\delta(\bar{h} \otimes M^*) \subseteq M(h)^*$ and that δ is bijective. We prove that δ is an $\tilde{R} \# G^*$ -morphism. Indeed, we have $\delta(p_x(\bar{h} \otimes v)) = \delta(p_x \bar{h} \otimes v) = \delta(\bar{h} p_{xh} \otimes v) = \delta(\bar{h} \otimes p_{xh} v) = \bar{h} p_{xh} v = p_x \bar{h} v = p_x \delta(\bar{h} \otimes v)$, and $\delta(\tilde{a}_\sigma(\bar{h} \otimes v)) = \delta(\tilde{a}_\sigma \bar{h} \otimes v) = \delta(\bar{h} \tilde{a}_\sigma \otimes v) = \delta(\bar{h} \otimes \tilde{a}_\sigma v) = \bar{h}(\tilde{a}_\sigma v) = \tilde{a}_\sigma \bar{h} v = \tilde{a}_\sigma \delta(\bar{h} \otimes v)$.

3 The construction of a right adjoint functor of the functor $(-)^{*,H}$

In this section we show that the functor $(-)^{*,H}$ has a right adjoint and that the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is equivalent, via the functor $(-)^{*,H}$ with some subcategory of $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$.

We denote by

$$\mathcal{C}^{*,H} = \{M \in R\{H\}\text{-mod} \mid M = \sum_{x \in G} p_x M\}.$$

It is easy to see that $\mathcal{C}^{*,H}$ is a localizing subcategory of $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. In particular, if $H = \{1\}$, then we obtain the localizing subcategory \mathcal{C}^* of $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$ which is studied in [5]. In fact \mathcal{C}^* is exactly $(R\text{-gr})^*$ defined in § 2. Since $\tilde{R} \# G^* \subseteq R\{H\}$ we have the canonical functors between the categories \mathcal{C}^* and $\mathcal{C}^{*,H}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R\{H\} \otimes - & & \\ \mathcal{C}^* & \xrightleftharpoons[\quad i_*]{\quad R \# G^* \quad} & \mathcal{C}^{*,H} \end{array}$$

where i_* is the functor “restriction of scalars”.

Indeed if $M \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$, then it is obvious that $i_*(M) \in \mathcal{C}^*$. Now if $N \in \mathcal{C}^*$, we denote $M = R\{H\} \bigotimes_{\tilde{R} \# G^*} N$. If $m \in M$, then $m = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{h}_i \otimes n_i$, where h_i , where $h_i \in H$, $n_i \in N$.

Thus $p_x m = \sum_{i \in I} p_x \bar{h}_i \otimes n_i = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{h}_i p_{x h_i} \otimes n_i = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{h}_i \otimes p_{x h_i} n_i$, and therefore $\sum_{x \in G} p_x m = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{h}_i \otimes \sum_{x \in G} p_{x h_i} n_i$.

Since $N \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$, then $n_i = \sum_{x \in G} p_{x h_i} n_i$ and therefore $\sum_{x \in G} p_x m = \sum_{i \in I} \bar{h}_i \otimes n_i = m$. Hence $M \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$. The following result will be very useful in the sequel:

Lemma 3.1 *Let $M \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$, $x \in G$ and $h \in H$. Then there exists a canonical isomorphism*

$$\varphi_{x,h}: p_x M \rightarrow p_{xh} M.$$

Proof. If $m \in M$ we define $\varphi_{x,h}(p_x m) = p_{xh} \bar{h}^{-1} m$. We check that $\varphi_{x,h}$ is well defined. Indeed, if $p_x m = p_x m'$, then $\bar{h}^{-1} p_x m = \bar{h}^{-1} p_x m'$. Since $\bar{h}^{-1} p_x = p_{xh} \bar{h}^{-1}$, then we obtain that $p_{xh} \bar{h}^{-1} m = p_{xh} \bar{h}^{-1} m'$.

Now it is easy to see that $\varphi_{x,h}$ is bijective. We have that $\varphi_{x,h}^{-1}: p_{xh} M \rightarrow p_x M$ is the map given by $\varphi_{x,h}^{-1}(p_{xh} m) = p_x \bar{h} m$. Let now $\{\sigma_i\}_{i \in I}$ be a left transversal for H in G . If $M \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$. We define the abelian group $M_0 = \bigoplus_{i \in I} p_{\sigma_i} M$. We intro-

duce now an R -module structure on M_0 . Let $a_\lambda \in R_\lambda$, $m \in M$. Then we have $\bar{a}_\lambda p_{\sigma_i} m = p_{\lambda \sigma_i} \bar{a}_\lambda m$. Since $\lambda \sigma_i = \sigma_j h$ where $h \in H$ and σ_j is uniquely determined by σ_i and λ , we have that $\bar{a}_\lambda p_{\sigma_i} m = p_{\sigma_j h} \bar{a}_\lambda m$. By Lemma 3.1 we have the isomorphism $\varphi_{\sigma_j h}^{-1}: p_{\sigma_j h} M \rightarrow p_{\sigma_j} M$. Hence we can define the product

$$a_\lambda * p_{\sigma_i} m = \varphi_{\sigma_j h}^{-1}(p_{\sigma_j h} \bar{a}_\lambda m) = p_{\sigma_j} \bar{h} \bar{a}_\lambda m.$$

Now if $a_\mu \in R_\mu$ and $a_\lambda \in R_\lambda$, then $a_\mu * (a_\lambda * p_{\sigma_i} m) = a_\mu * (p_{\sigma_i} \bar{h} \bar{a}_\lambda m)$ if $\lambda \sigma_i = \sigma_i h$. Hence $a_\mu * (p_{\sigma_j} \bar{h} \bar{a}_\lambda m) = p_{\sigma_k} \bar{h}' \bar{a}_\mu \bar{h} \bar{a}_\lambda m$ if $\mu \sigma_j = \sigma_k h'$, so $a_\mu * (a_\lambda * p_{\sigma_i} m) = p_{\sigma_k} \bar{a}_\mu \bar{a}_\lambda \bar{h}' \bar{h} m = p_{\sigma_k} \bar{h}' \bar{h} \bar{a}_\mu \bar{a}_\lambda m$. Since $\lambda \sigma_i = \sigma_j h$, then $\mu \lambda \sigma_i = \mu \sigma_j h = \sigma_k h' h$, and so we have $(a_\mu a_\lambda) * (p_{\sigma_i} m) = p_{\sigma_k} \bar{h}' \bar{h} \bar{a}_\mu \bar{a}_\lambda m$.

Hence $a_\mu * (a_\lambda * p_{\sigma_i} m) = (a_\mu a_\lambda) * p_{\sigma_i} m$.

Thus M_0 has a canonical structure of a left R -module. Moreover, M_0 is an object of the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. Indeed, if $C \in G/H$, then there exists a unique σ_i such that $C = \sigma_i H$. We put $(M_0)_C = p_{\sigma_i} M$. Hence $M_0 = \bigoplus_{C \in G/H} (M_0)_C$.

If $a_\lambda \in R_\lambda$ we have $a_\lambda * (M_0)_C = a_\lambda * p_{\sigma_i} M = p_{\lambda \sigma_i} \bar{a}_\lambda M = p_{\sigma_i} \bar{h} \bar{a}_\lambda M$. Since $\lambda C = \lambda \sigma_i H = \sigma_j h H = \sigma_j H$, we have that $a_\lambda * (M_0)_C \subseteq (M_0)_{\lambda C}$, and therefore M is an object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$.

Since $\mathcal{C}^{*,H}$ is a localizing subcategory, if $M \in R\{H\}\text{-mod}$, then there exists the largest $R\{H\}$ -submodule of M , $t_{*,H}(M)$, such that $t_{*,H}(M) \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$. It is obvious that $t_{*,H}(M) = \sum_{x \in G} p_x M = \bigoplus_{x \in G} p_x M$.

Now if $0 \rightarrow M' \xrightarrow{u} M \xrightarrow{v} M'' \rightarrow 0$ is an exact sequence in $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$, then we have exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow t_{*,H}(M') \xrightarrow{u} t_{*,H}(M) \xrightarrow{v} t_{*,H}(M'') \rightarrow 0.$$

Indeed, let $m'' \in t_{\#, H}(M'')$. Then $m'' = \sum_{i=1}^n p_{x_i} m'_i$. If $m_i \in M$ such that $v(m_i) = m'_i$ (v is surjective), then we put $m = \sum_{i=1}^n p_{x_i} m_i$. We have clearly that $m \in t_{\#, H}(M)$ and $v(m) = m''$.

Now we can define the functor

$$(-)_{G/H}: R\{H\}\text{-mod} \rightarrow (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$$

by $(M)_{G/H} = M_0$ defined as above. It is easy to see that the functor $(-)_{G/H}$ is exact. We have the main result of this section:

Theorem 3.1 *With the above notation, $(-)_{G/H}$ is a right adjoint of the functor $(-)^{*, H}$. Moreover, the functors $(-)^{*, H}$ and $(-)_{G/H}$ define an equivalence between the categories $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ and $\mathcal{C}^{*, H}$.*

Proof. We define the functorial morphisms

$$\text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}((-)^{*, H}, -) \xrightleftharpoons[\beta]{\alpha} \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(-, (-)_{G/H})$$

as follows: if $M \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ and $N \in R\{H\}\text{-mod}$, then

$$\alpha(M, N): \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*, H}, N) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N_{G/H})$$

is defined in the following way: if $u \in \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*, H}, N)$, then $u(M^{*, H}) \subseteq t_{\#, H}(N)$.

If $\{\sigma_i\}_{i \in I}$ is a left transversal of H in G , then $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$, where $M_i = M_{\sigma_i H}$.

If $m \in M$, then $m = \sum_{i \in I} m_i$, $m_i \in M_i$. We put $\alpha(M, N)(u)(m) = \sum_{i \in I} u(\tilde{m}_i)$, where $\tilde{m}_i = (0, \dots, 0, m_i, \dots, 0)^t - \sigma_i$.

We have that $\alpha(M, N)(u)(m) \in N_{G/H}$, since $u(\tilde{m}_i) = u(p_{\sigma_i} \tilde{m}_i) = p_{\sigma_i} u(\tilde{m}_i) \in p_{\sigma_i} N$.

If $a_\lambda \in R_\lambda$, then $a_\lambda m_i \in M_{\lambda \sigma_i H} = M_{\sigma_j h H} = M_{\sigma_j H}$ if $\lambda \sigma_i = \sigma_j h$.

We have that $\tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}_i = (0, \dots, 0, a_\lambda m_i, 0, \dots)^t - \lambda \sigma_i$ and do $\tilde{h} \tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}_i = (0, \dots, 0, a_\lambda m_i, \dots, 0)^t - \sigma_j = \tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}_i$. Now $\alpha(M, N)(u)(a_\lambda m) = \sum_{i \in I} u(\tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}_i) = \sum_{i \in I} u(\tilde{h} \tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}_i) = \sum_{i \in I} \tilde{h} \tilde{a}_\lambda u(\tilde{m}_i) = \sum_{i \in I} p_{\sigma_j} \tilde{h} \tilde{a}_\lambda u(\tilde{m}_i) = \sum_{i \in I} a_\lambda * \alpha(M, N)(u)(m_i) = a_\lambda * \alpha(M, N)(u)(m)$. Hence $\alpha(M, N)(u) \in \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N_{G/H})$. We define now

$$\beta(M, N): \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N_{G/H}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*, H}, N)$$

as follows:

if $v \in \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N_{G/H})$, then it will be sufficient to define $\beta(M, N)(v)$ on elements

of $M^{*, H}$ of the form $\tilde{m} = (0, \dots, 0, m_x, \dots, 0)^t - x$ where $m_x \in M_C$, $C = xH$. There exists $i \in I$ such that $C = \sigma_i H$, i.e. $x = \sigma_i h$ for some $h \in H$. We have that $v(m_x) \in (N_{G/H})_C = p_{\sigma_i} N$. By Lemma 3.1 we have the canonical isomorphism $\varphi_{\sigma_i, h}: p_{\sigma_i} N \rightarrow p_x N$, so we put $\beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{m}) = \varphi_{\sigma_i, h}(v(m_x)) = p_x h^{-1} v(m_x)$.

We must prove that $\beta(M, N)(v) \in \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*,H}, N)$. If $\alpha \in R\{H\}$ and $\alpha = p_y$ then

$$p_y \tilde{m} = \begin{cases} \tilde{m} & \text{if } y = x \\ 0 & \text{if } y \neq x. \end{cases}$$

So for $y = x$, $\beta(M, N)(v)(p_y \tilde{m}) = \beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{m}) = \varphi_{\sigma_i, h}(v(m_x))$.

But $p_y \beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{m}) = p_y \varphi_{\sigma_i, h}(v(m_x)) = \varphi_{\sigma_i, h}(v(m_x))$.

If $\alpha = \tilde{a}_\lambda$ then $\tilde{n} = \tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m} = (0, \dots, 0, a_\lambda m_x, \dots, 0)^t - \lambda x$. Since $\lambda x = \lambda \sigma_i h = \sigma_j h' h$, where $\lambda \sigma_i = \sigma_j h'$, then $\beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}) = \varphi_{\sigma_j h', h}(v(a_\lambda m_x)) = \varphi_{\sigma_j h', h}(a_\lambda * v(m_x)) = \varphi_{\sigma_j h', h}(p_{\sigma_j} \tilde{h} \tilde{a}_\lambda v(m)) = p_{\lambda x} \tilde{h}^{-1} \tilde{h}^{-1} p_{\sigma_j} h' \tilde{a}_\lambda v(m_x) = p_{\lambda x} \tilde{h}^{-1} p_{\sigma_j h'} \tilde{a}_\lambda v(m_x) = p_{\lambda x} \tilde{h}^{-1} p_{\lambda \sigma_i} \tilde{a}_\lambda v(m_x) = p_{\lambda x} \tilde{h}^{-1} \tilde{a}_\lambda p_{\sigma_i} v(m_x) = p_{\lambda x} \tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{h}^{-1} p_{\sigma_i} v(m_x) = \tilde{a}_\lambda p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} p_{\sigma_i} v(m_x)$. Since $v(m_x) \in (N_{G/H})_C = p_{\sigma_i} N$, then $p_{\sigma_i} v(m_x) = v(m_x)$, and thus $\beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{a}_\lambda \tilde{m}) = \tilde{a}_\lambda p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} v(m_x) = \tilde{a}_\lambda \beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{m})$.

Now if $\alpha = \bar{k}$, where $k \in H$, then $\bar{k} \tilde{m} = (0, \dots, 0, m_x, \dots, 0, \dots)^t - x k^{-1}$. Since $x = \sigma_i h$, then $x k^{-1} = \sigma_i h k^{-1}$, and so $\beta(M, N)(v)(\bar{k} \tilde{m}) = p_{x k^{-1}} (\bar{h} k^{-1})^{-1} v(m_x) = p_{x k} \bar{h}^{-1} v(m_x) = \bar{k} p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} v(m_x) = \bar{k} \beta(M, N)(v)(\tilde{m})$. Therefore $\beta(M, N)(v) \in \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*,H}, N)$. We prove now that $\beta(M, N) \circ \alpha(M, N) = 1$. Indeed, if

$u \in \text{Hom}_{R\{H\}\text{-mod}}(M^{*,H}, N)$ and $\tilde{m} = (0, \dots, 0, m_x, 0)^t - x$ where $m_x \in M_{\sigma_i H}$, and $h \in H$ is

such that $x = \sigma_i h$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \beta(M, N)(\alpha(M, N)(u))(\tilde{m}) &= p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} \alpha(M, N)(u)(m_x) = p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} u(0, \dots, 0, m_x, 0)^t - \sigma_i \\ &= p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} u(\dots, 0, m_x, 0, \dots)^t - x h^{-1} = p_x u(\tilde{h}^{-1}(\dots, 0, m_x, 0, \dots)^t - x h^{-1}) \\ &= p_x u(\dots, 0, m_x, 0, \dots)^t - x = u(p_x(\dots, 0, m_x, 0, \dots)^t - x) = u(\tilde{m}). \end{aligned}$$

We prove now that $\alpha(M, N) \circ \beta(M, N) = 1$. Let $v \in \text{Hom}_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M, N_{G/H})$, and

$m \in M_{\sigma_i H}$. Then $\alpha(M, N)(\beta(M, N)(v))(m) = \beta(M, N)(v)(\dots, 0, m, 0, \dots)^t - \sigma_i = p_{\sigma_i} \tilde{h}^{-1} v(m) = p_{\sigma_i} v(m) = v(m)$, since $v(m) \in (N_{G/H})_{\sigma_i H} = p_{\sigma_i} N$.

We prove now the second part of the statement. The functorial morphisms α and β define the canonical functorial morphisms γ and δ as follows: for $M \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, $\gamma(M): M \rightarrow (M^{*,H})_{G/H}$. If $m \in M_{\sigma_i H}$, then $\gamma(M)(m) = (\dots, 0, m, 0, \dots)^t - \sigma_i = p_{\sigma_i}(0, \dots, 0, m, 0, \dots)^t - \sigma_i \in [(M^{*,H})_{G/H}]_{\sigma_i H}$.

For $N \in R\{H\}\text{-mod}$ $\delta(N): (N_{G/H})^{*,H} \rightarrow N$. Let $\tilde{n} = (\dots, 0, n, 0, \dots)^t - x \in (N_{G/H})^{*,H}$, so $n \in (N_{G/H})_{\sigma_i H} = p_{\sigma_i} N$, $x = \sigma_i h$. Then $\delta(N)(\tilde{n}) = p_x \tilde{h}^{-1} n$.

It is easy to see that γ is a functorial isomorphism, and the if $N \in \mathcal{C}^{*,H}$, then $\delta(N)$ is an isomorphism. Therefore $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is equivalent with the category $\mathcal{C}^{*,H}$.

Corollary 3.1 [8] Assume that G is a finite group. Then the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is equivalent with the category $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. In particular, it follows that the rings $R \# G/H$ and $R\{H\}$ are Morita equivalent.

Proof. Since G is finite, then the set $\{p_x | x \in G\}$ is finite and therefore $\mathcal{C}^{*,H} = R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. Now our assertion follows from Theorem 3.1.

Corollary 3.2 Assume that G is an infinite group. Then the quotient category $R\{H\}\text{-mod}/\mathcal{C}^{*,H}$ is equivalent with the category $R[H]\text{-mod}$, where $R[H]$ is the ordinary group ring associated to the ring R and to the group H .

Proof. The same as the Corollary 1.2 (assertion 2) of [5].

4 Applications

Using Theorem 3.1 we obtain some applications to the study of the objects of the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. Let $R = \bigoplus_{\sigma \in G} R_\sigma$ be a G -graded ring and $H < G$ a

subgroup. In the paper [8] there is an example (Example 2.3) which shows that if $M \hookrightarrow N$ is an essential extension in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, then it does not follow that $M \hookrightarrow N$ remains essential in $R\text{-mod}$. Now, using Theorem 3.1 we can give a sufficient condition for this result to hold:

Theorem 4.1 *Let H be a finite subgroup of G with $n = |H|$ and $M \hookrightarrow N$ be an essential extension in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. If N is n -torsion free, then $M \hookrightarrow N$ is an essential extension in $R\text{-mod}$.*

Proof. We have the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & \longrightarrow & N \\ \alpha_M \downarrow & & \downarrow \alpha_N \\ M^{*,H} & \longrightarrow & N^{*,H} \end{array}$$

By Theorem 3.1 we have that $M^{*,H} \hookrightarrow N^{*,H}$ is an essential extension in the category $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. Since the ring $R\{H\}$ is a skew group ring $(\tilde{R} \# G^*)\tilde{H}$, then by Maschke's Theorem (see [4]) it follows that $M^{*,H} \hookrightarrow N^{*,H}$ is an essential extension in $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$. Since the functor $(-)\text{-gr}: (R\text{-gr})^* \rightarrow R\text{-gr}$ is an equivalence of categories, then $M^{*,H} \hookrightarrow N^{*,H}$ is an essential extension in the category $R\text{-gr}$. Let $n \in N$, $n \neq 0$. Since $\alpha_N(n) \in N^{*,H}$ and $\alpha_N(n) \neq 0$, then by Lemma 3.3.18 [6] there exists $\lambda_0 \in R_\sigma$ such that $\lambda_\sigma \alpha_N(n) \in M^{*,H}$ and $\lambda_\sigma \alpha_N(n) \neq 0$.

If $n = \sum_{C \in G/H} n_C$, where $n_C \in N_C$, then we have $\lambda_\sigma \alpha_N(n) = \sum_{C \in G/H} \alpha_N(\lambda_\sigma n_C)$. For $C, C' \in G/H$, $C \neq C'$, we have $\sigma C \neq \sigma C'$ and since $\lambda_\sigma \alpha_N(n) \in M^{*,H}$, then for any $y \in \sigma C$ there exists $m_y \in M_{\sigma C}$ such that $\lambda_\sigma n_C = m_y$. If $y' \in \sigma C$ is another element, we obtain the element $m_{y'} \in M_{\sigma C}$ such that $m_{y'} = \lambda_\sigma n_C$. Hence $m_y = m_{y'}$ for any $y, y' \in \sigma C$. We denote by $m_{\sigma C}$ this common element m_y . Thus $m_{\sigma C} \in M_{\sigma C}$. Since the map $C \mapsto \sigma C$ is bijective then we can define the element $m = \sum_{C \in G/H} m_{\sigma C}$. Thus

$m \in M$ and $\alpha_M(m) = \alpha_N(\lambda_\sigma n)$. Since $\alpha_M(m) = \alpha_N(m)$ and α_N is injective, then $m = \lambda_\sigma n$. Hence $\lambda_\sigma n \in M$ and $\lambda_\sigma n \neq 0$. Therefore $M \hookrightarrow N$ is an essential extension in $R\text{-mod}$.

Theorem 4.2 *Let H be a finite subgroup of G and $M \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. If M is a Noetherian (resp. Artinian, has Krull dimension, has Gabriel dimension, simple) object, then there exists an object $N \in R\text{-gr}$ with the same property such that M is isomorphic with a submodule of N .*

Proof. Since M is a Noetherian (resp. Artinian, etc.) object of the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ then $M^{*,H}$ has the same property in $R\{H\}\text{-mod}$. Since $R\{H\}$ is a finite normalizing extension of the ring $\tilde{R} \# G^*$, then $M^{*,H}$ is Noetherian (resp. Artinian, etc.) in $\tilde{R} \# G^*\text{-mod}$. Now since the functor $(-)\text{-gr}: (R\text{-gr})^* \rightarrow R\text{-gr}$ is an equivalence, then $M^{*,H}$ is gr-Noetherian (resp. Artinian, etc.). Since H is a finite subgroup, there exists a monomorphism $\alpha_M: M \rightarrow M^{*,H}$. Thus we can put $N = M^{*,H}$.

Recall that a group G is said to be polycyclic-by-finite if G has a subnormal series $\{1\} = G_0 \triangleleft G_1 \triangleleft \dots \triangleleft G_n = G$, where G_i/G_{i-1} is either finite or cyclic for all $i = 1, \dots, n$. The number of infinite cyclic factors which occur in this series is called the Hirsch number of G and is written $h(G)$. Since any two series have isomorphic refinements, $h(G)$ is a well-defined non-negative integer invariant of G .

Corollary 4.1 *Assume that G is polycyclic-by-finite group and H is a finite subgroup of G . If M is Noetherian in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, then M is Noetherian in $R\text{-mod}$.*

Moreover,
$$K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) \leq K_* \dim_R(M) \leq K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) + h(G) \quad (\text{where})$$

 $K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M)$ (resp. $K_* \dim_R(M)$) denotes the Krull dimension of M in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ (resp. $R\text{-mod}$).

Proof. With the notation of Theorem 4.2 we have that N is Noetherian in $R\text{-gr}$ and $K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) = K_* \dim_{R\text{-gr}}(N)$. By [9] it follows that N is Noetherian in $R\text{-mod}$ and $K_* \dim_R(N) \leq K_* \dim_R(N) + h(G)$.

Therefore M is Noetherian and $K_* \dim_R(M) \leq K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) + h(G)$. The inequality $K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) \leq K_* \dim_R(M)$ is obvious.

Let $H < G$ be a subgroup. We say that G is polycyclic-by-finite with respect to H if there exists a subnormal series of the form

$$H = G_0 \triangleleft G_1 \triangleleft \dots \triangleleft G_n = G$$

such that G_i/G_{i-1} is finite cyclic for $i = 1, \dots, n$. We remark that for $H = \{1\}$ we obtain the notion of a polycyclic-by-finite group. We denote by $h_{G/H}$ the number of infinite cyclic factors in the series. The following result is a consequence of Theorem 3.1:

Corollary 4.2 *Let $K < H < G$ be subgroups of G such that H is polycyclic-by-finite with respect to K . If M is a Noetherian object of $(G/K, R)\text{-gr}$, then M is Noetherian in $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. Moreover, we have*

$$\leq K_* \dim_{(G/K, R)\text{-gr}}(M) + h_{H/K}.$$

Proof. By Lemma 2.4 we have the following commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (G/K, R)\text{-gr} & \xrightarrow{(-)_\phi} & (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \\ (-)_* \cdot K & \downarrow & \downarrow (-)_* \cdot H \\ R\{K\}\text{-mod} & \xrightarrow{R\{H\} \otimes_{R(K)} -} & R\{H\}\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

Moreover, we remark that since $(-)_G \circ (-)_H$ is the identity functor of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$, then $M \simeq (R\{H\} \otimes_{R(K)} M^* \cdot H)_{G/H}$ in $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$.

Now $M^{*,H}$ is Noetherian in $R\{K\}$ -mod by Theorem 3.1, and $K_* \dim_{(G/K, R)\text{-gr}}(M) = K_* \dim_{R\{K\}}(M^{*,H})$.

We now note that if $H_1 \triangleleft H_2 < G$, then $R\{H_2\}$ is a strongly graded ring of type H_2/H_1 . Indeed, if $C \in H_2/H_1$, i.e. $C = \sigma H_1 = H_1 \sigma$ for some $\sigma \in H_2$, then we define $R\{H_2\}_C = \sum_{\bar{C} \in C} R\{H_1\}_{\bar{C}} = R\{H_1\}_{\bar{\sigma}}$. Thus $R\{H_2\} = \bigoplus_{c \in G/H} R\{H_2\}_c$, and $R\{H_2\}_c R\{H_2\}_{c'} = R\{H_2\}_{cc'}$ for any $c, c' \in H_2/H_1$.

We proceed now by induction on the length of the series $K = H_0 \triangleleft H_1 \triangleleft \dots \triangleleft H_n = H$, and using Theorem II.3.8 of [6] the result follows.

Corollary 4.3 *If G is polycyclic-by-finite with respect to the subgroup H , and $M \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ is a Noetherian object, then M is Noetherian in $R\text{-mod}$. Moreover, $K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) \leq K_* \dim_R(M) \leq K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) + h_{G/H}$.*

Proof. Take $K = H$ and $H = G$ in Corollary 4.2.

Corollary 4.4 *If H is a polycyclic-by-finite subgroup of the group G , and $M \in R\text{-gr}$ is gr-Noetherian, then M is Noetherian in $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. Moreover, $\text{gr-}K_* \dim_{(G/H, R)\text{-gr}}(M) \leq K_* \dim_{R\text{-gr}}(M) \leq \text{gr-}K_* \dim_R(M) + h(H)$ (here $\text{gr-}K_* \dim_R(M) = K_* \dim_{R\text{-gr}}(M)$).*

Proof. Take $K = \{1\}$ in Corollary 4.2.

Corollary 4.5 *Let $M \in R\text{-gr}$ be a graded module such that for each R -submodule $N \leq M$ there exists a polycyclic-by-finite subgroup H of G such that N is an object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. Then if M is gr-Noetherian it follows that M is Noetherian in $R\text{-mod}$.*

Proof. If M is not Noetherian, let $N \leq M$ be an R -submodule of M which is not finitely generated, and let H be a polycyclic-by-finite subgroup of G such that $N \in (G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. It follows that N is not finitely generated as an object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$. But M is a Noetherian object of $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$ by Corollary 4.4, and this is a contradiction.

Corollary 4.6 *Let $K \triangleleft H < G$ be subgroups of G such that $n = |H/K| < \infty$. Suppose that $M \in (G/K, R)\text{-gr}$ is a semisimple object which has no n -torsion. Then M is a semisimple object in the category $(G/H, R)\text{-gr}$.*

Proof. By Lemma 2.4 we have the commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (G/K, R)\text{-gr} & \xrightarrow{(-)_\phi} & (G/H, R)\text{-gr} \\
 (-)_* \cdot K \downarrow & & \downarrow (-)_* \cdot H \\
 R\{K\}\text{-mod} & \xrightarrow{R\{H\} \otimes_{R\{K\}} -} & R\{H\}\text{-mod}
 \end{array}$$

It is clear that we may assume that M is a simple object of $(G/K, R)\text{-gr}$. By Theorem 3.1 $M^{*,H}$ is simple in $R\{K\}\text{-mod}$ and it is clear that n is invertible on $M^{*,H}$ (i.e. $M^{*,H} = nM^{*,H}$). By Remark 2.3.d) $M^{*,H}$ is semisimple over $R\{K\}$ and we can apply Proposition 2.1 of [4].

Corollary 4.7 *Let $H < G$ be a finite subgroup, $n = |H|$. Suppose that $M \in R\text{-gr}$ is a semisimple object and that it has no n -torsion. Then M is semisimple in $(G/H, R\text{-gr})$.*

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