

Resolutions for truncated Ore extensions

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Twisted Tensor Products

Let \mathbb{k} be a field and A, B unital associative \mathbb{k} algebras with multiplication maps m_A and m_B .

Definition (Twisting Map)

A **twisting map**, τ is a bijective \mathbb{k} -linear map

$$\tau : B \otimes A \rightarrow A \otimes B$$

for which $\tau(1_B \otimes a) = a \otimes 1_B$, $\tau(b \otimes 1_A) = 1_A \otimes b$, and

$$\tau \circ (m_B \otimes m_A) = (m_A \otimes m_B) \circ (1 \otimes \tau \otimes 1) \circ (\tau \otimes \tau) \circ (1 \otimes \tau \otimes 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & B \otimes A \otimes B \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\tau \otimes \tau} & A \otimes B \otimes A \otimes B \\
 & \nearrow^{1 \otimes \tau \otimes 1} & & & \searrow^{1 \otimes \tau \otimes 1} \\
 B \otimes B \otimes A \otimes A & & & & & A \otimes A \otimes B \otimes B \\
 & \searrow_{m_B \otimes m_A} & & & \swarrow_{m_A \otimes m_B} & \\
 & & B \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\tau} & A \otimes B &
 \end{array}$$

Twisted Tensor Products

Definition (Twisted Tensor Product)

The **twisted tensor product algebra** $A \otimes_{\tau} B$ is the vector space $A \otimes_{\mathbb{k}} B$ with multiplication given by the map $(m_A \otimes m_B) \circ (1 \otimes \tau \otimes 1)$ on $A \otimes B \otimes A \otimes B$.

Example (Quantum Plane)

$$\mathbb{k}\langle x, y \rangle / (xy - qyx)$$

where $q \in \mathbb{k}$ and $q \neq 0$. Letting $A = \mathbb{k}\langle x \rangle$ and $B = \mathbb{k}\langle y \rangle$ with

$$\tau(y \otimes x) = q^{-1}x \otimes y$$

then $\mathbb{k}\langle x, y \rangle / (xy - qyx) \cong A \otimes_{\tau} B$

Modules

Definition (Compatibility)

A left A -module M is said to be **compatible with** τ if \exists a bijective \mathbb{k} -linear map

$$\tau_{B,M} : B \otimes M \rightarrow M \otimes B$$

which commutes with the module structure of M and multiplication in B

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & B \otimes M \otimes B & & \\
 & \nearrow^{1 \otimes \tau_{B,M}} & & \searrow^{\tau_{B,M} \otimes 1} & \\
 B \otimes B \otimes M & & & & M \otimes B \otimes B \\
 \searrow^{m_B \otimes 1} & & & & \swarrow^{1 \otimes m_B} \\
 & & B \otimes M & \xrightarrow{\tau_{B,M}} & M \otimes B \\
 \nearrow^{1 \otimes \rho_A} & & & & \swarrow^{\rho_A \otimes 1} \\
 B \otimes A \otimes M & & & & A \otimes M \otimes B \\
 \searrow^{\tau \otimes 1} & & & \nearrow^{1 \otimes \tau_{B,M}} & \\
 & & A \otimes B \otimes M & &
 \end{array}$$

Resolutions

Let M be a left A -module compatible with a twisting map τ via some $\tau_{B,M}$. Let $P_{\bullet}(M)$ be a projective resolution of M as an A -module.

Definition

The resolution $P_{\bullet}(M)$ is said to be **compatible with** τ if each $P_i(M)$ is compatible with τ via a bijective \mathbb{k} -linear map

$$\tau_{B,i} : B \otimes P_i(M) \rightarrow P_i(M) \otimes B$$

with $\tau_{B,\bullet}$ lifting $\tau_{B,M}$.

Ore Extensions

Let A be a unital associative \mathbb{k} -algebra, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_{\mathbb{k}}(A)$, and δ be a σ -derivation. That is $\delta(aa') = \sigma(a)\delta(a') + \delta(a)a'$.

Definition (Ore extension)

The **Ore extension** $A[x; \sigma, \delta]$ is the associative algebra with underlying vector space $A[x]$ and multiplication determined by that of A and $\mathbb{k}[x]$ with the additional Ore relation

$$xa = \sigma(a)x + \delta(a)$$

Example (Quantum Plane)

$$\mathbb{k}\langle x, y \rangle / (xy - qyx)$$

where $q \in \mathbb{k}$ and $q \neq 0$. Letting $A = \mathbb{k}[x]$, $\sigma(x) = q^{-1}x$ and $\delta = 0$ then

$$\mathbb{k}\langle x, y \rangle / (xy - qyx) \cong A[y; \sigma, \delta]$$

More Examples

Example (first Weyl Algebra)

The first Weyl Algebra \mathcal{W} is defined as

$$\mathcal{W} := \mathbb{k}\langle x, y \rangle / (xy - yx - 1)$$

Letting $A = \mathbb{k}[x]$, $\sigma = id_A$ and δ be formal differentiation of polynomials. Then $\mathcal{W} \cong A[y; \sigma, \delta]$

Example (Universal Enveloping Algebras)

Let \mathfrak{g} be a Lie algebra. The universal enveloping algebra of \mathfrak{g} is defined as the algebra with underlying vector space \mathfrak{g} and multiplication defined by the Ore relation on generators

$$uv = vu + [u, v]$$

Truncated Ore Extensions

Let A be an associative \mathbb{k} -algebra, $\sigma \in \text{Aut}_{\mathbb{k}}(A)$, and δ be a σ -derivation.

Definition

The **truncated Ore extension** $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$, is the associative algebra with underlying vector space $A[x]/(x^n)$ and multiplication determined by that of A and $\mathbb{k}[x]/(x^n)$ with the additional Ore relation

$$\bar{x}a = \sigma(a)\bar{x} + \delta(a)$$

Example (Nichols Algebra)

$$\mathfrak{B}(V_0) = \mathbb{k}[x, y]/(x^2, y^2, xy + yx)$$

Letting $A = \mathbb{k}[x]/(x^2)$, $\sigma(x) = -x$, and $\delta = 0$ then for $n = 2$

$$\mathfrak{B}(V_0) \cong A[\bar{y}; \sigma, \delta].$$

Multiplication in Truncated Ore Extensions

We introduce some notation. Let $s_{(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_k)}(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k)$ be the polynomial in k noncommuting variables which is the sum of all possible products of i_1 copies of x_1 , i_2 copies of x_2 , ..., and i_k copies of x_k

Example

$$s_{(1,2)}(x, y) = xy^2 + yxy + y^2x$$

Proposition

Let τ be a twisting map for the Ore extension $A[x; \sigma, \delta]$. If σ and δ satisfy the following conditions

$$s_{(i,j)}(\sigma, \delta) = 0$$

for $i + j = n$, $0 \leq i \leq n - 1$, $1 \leq j \leq n$ then τ induces a well defined multiplication on the quotient $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$.

Compatibility with τ

Let A be any associative algebra and $B = \mathbb{k}[x]/(x^n)$. Suppose τ is a twisting map for $A[x; \sigma, \delta]$ and induces a well defined multiplication on $A \otimes_{\tau} B \cong A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$.

Let M be a left $A \otimes_{\tau} B$ -module where upon restriction to an A -module \exists an A -module isomorphism

$$\phi : M \rightarrow M^{\sigma}$$

where M^{σ} is the vector space M with A -module action given by $a \cdot_{\sigma} m = \sigma(a) \cdot m$.

Definition

Let $\tau_{B,M} : B \otimes M \rightarrow M \otimes B$ be the \mathbb{k} -linear map induced by

$$\tau_{B,M}(\bar{x} \otimes m) = \phi(m) \otimes \bar{x} + \bar{x} \cdot m \otimes 1$$

Compatibility with τ

Let τ , $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$, M , and $\tau_{B,M}$ be defined as in the previous slide.

Lemma

If the maps ϕ and $\bar{x}\cdot$ satisfy the following relations

$$s_{(i,j)}(\phi, \bar{x}\cdot) = 0$$

for $i + j = n$ with $1 \leq i \leq n - 1$, $1 \leq j \leq n - 1$ then M is compatible with τ via $\tau_{B,M}$

Constructing $\tau_{B,\bullet}$

Let M be a left $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module compatible with τ via $\tau_{B,M}$ and $P_\bullet(M)$ be a projective resolution of M as an A -module. We then define $P_\bullet(M)^\sigma$ to be the vector spaces $P_i(M)$ with module action given by $a \cdot_\sigma z = \sigma(a) \cdot z$ then set $d_i^\sigma = d_i$ for $i \neq 0$ and $d_0^\sigma = \phi^{-1}d_0$.

Remark

By the comparison theorem \exists an A -module chain map

$$\sigma_\bullet : P_\bullet(M) \rightarrow P_\bullet(M)^\sigma$$

lifting the identity on M .

Constructing $\tau_{B,\bullet}$

Lemma

For any projective A -module, P , \exists an $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module structure on P that extends the action of A

Lemma

There exists a \mathbb{k} -linear chain map

$$\delta_\bullet : P_\bullet(M) \rightarrow P_\bullet(M)$$

which lifts the action of \bar{x} on M such that for every $i \geq 0$, $a \in A$, $z \in P_i(M)$

$$\delta_i(a \cdot z) = \sigma(a)\delta_i(z) + \delta(a)z$$

Constructing $\tau_{B,\bullet}$

Definition

Let $\tau_{B,\bullet} : B \otimes P_\bullet(M) \rightarrow P_\bullet(M) \otimes B$ be the \mathbb{k} -linear chain map induced by

$$\tau_{B,i}(\bar{x} \otimes z) = \sigma_i(z) \otimes \bar{x} + \delta_i(z) \otimes 1$$

for all $z \in P_i(M)$.

Lemma

Let σ_\bullet and δ_\bullet be the chain maps previously constructed. If σ_\bullet and δ_\bullet satisfy the relations

$$s_{(i,j)}(\sigma_\bullet, \delta_\bullet) = 0$$

for $i + j = n$ with $0 \leq i \leq n - 1$ and $1 \leq j \leq n$ then the resolution $P_\bullet(M)$ is compatible with the twisting map τ via $\tau_{B,\bullet}$.

Constructing Resolutions

Let A be any associative algebra, $B = \mathbb{k}[x]/(x^n)$, and $P_*(B)$ be the standard projective resolution of \mathbb{k} as a module over B with augmentation map $\epsilon_B(\bar{x}) = 0$, i.e.

$$\dots \xrightarrow{\bar{x}\cdot} B \xrightarrow{\bar{x}^{n-1}\cdot} B \xrightarrow{\bar{x}\cdot} B \xrightarrow{\epsilon_B} \mathbb{k} \longrightarrow 0$$

Let $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$ be a truncated Ore extension and M a left $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module for which $M \cong M^\sigma$ as A -modules and which is compatible with τ via $\tau_{B,M}$. Let $P_*(M)$ be a projective resolution of M as an A -module which is compatible with τ via $\tau_{B,\cdot}$.

Theorem

If $\sigma_i : P_i(M) \rightarrow P_i(M)$ is bijective for every $i \geq 0$ then the twisted product complex of $P_(M)$ and $P_*(B)$ gives a projective resolution of M as a left $A[\bar{x}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module.*

Example

Let \mathbb{k} be a field of prime characteristic p , $A = \mathbb{k}[x_1]/(x_1^p)$, and $B = \mathbb{k}[x_2]/(x_2^p)$. We consider the class of truncated Ore extensions of the form $A[\overline{x}_2; \sigma, \delta] \cong A \otimes_{\tau} B$ where

$$\tau(\overline{x}_2 \otimes \overline{x}_1) = \sigma(\overline{x}_1) \otimes \overline{x}_2 + \delta(\overline{x}_1) \otimes 1$$

with

$$\sigma = id_A$$

and δ is the σ -derivation defined by

$$\delta(1) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \delta(\overline{x}_1) = \alpha \overline{x}_1^t$$

for $\alpha \in \mathbb{k}$ and $2 \leq t \leq p - 1$

Example

Remark

Since $\sigma = id_A$ then

$$s_{(i,j)}(\sigma, \delta) = \binom{p}{j} \delta^j$$

And since p is prime, $\text{char}(\mathbb{k}) = p$, and $\delta^p(\overline{x_1}) = 0$ we have that

$$s_{(i,j)}(\sigma, \delta) = 0$$

Remark

Also we note that for any $m \in \mathbb{k}$ we have that $\sigma(a) \cdot m = a \cdot m$ and thus \mathbb{k} is trivially isomorphic to \mathbb{k}^σ

Example

Definition

Letting $\phi = id_{\mathbb{k}}$ and noting that $\overline{x_1}$ acts on \mathbb{k} as 0 we have

$$\tau_{B,\mathbb{k}}(b \otimes m) = m \otimes b$$

for all $b \in B$ and $m \in \mathbb{k}$

Let $P_*(A)$ be the standard projective resolution of \mathbb{k} as an A -module.

Proposition

$P_*(A)$ is compatible with τ via the maps

$$\tau_{B,i}(\overline{x_2}^r \otimes \overline{x_1}^s) = \begin{cases} \tau(\overline{x_2}^r \otimes \overline{x_1}^s) = \sum_{j=0}^r \binom{r}{j} (s)^{[j]} (\alpha \overline{x_1}^t)^j \overline{x_1}^{s-j} \otimes \overline{x_2}^{r-j} \\ \sum_{j=0}^r \binom{r}{j} (s+1)^{[j]} (\alpha \overline{x_1}^t)^j \overline{x_1}^{s-j} \otimes \overline{x_2}^{r-j} \end{cases}$$

where $(s)^{[j]} = \prod_{i=0}^{j-1} (s + i(t-1))$, $(s)^{[0]} = 1$

Example

Let $P_\bullet(B)$ be the standard projective resolution of \mathbb{k} as a B -module.





Proposition

$P_i(A) \otimes P_i(B)$ is a projective $A[\overline{x_2}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module and thus the following twisted product complex is a projective resolution of \mathbb{k} as a $A[\overline{x_2}; \sigma, \delta]$ -module.

$$\dots \xrightarrow{d_3} (A \otimes B)^{\oplus 3} \xrightarrow{d_2} (A \otimes B)^{\oplus 2} \xrightarrow{d_1} A \otimes B \longrightarrow \mathbb{k} \longrightarrow 0$$

with $d_k = \sum_{i+j=k} d_{i,j}$ for $d_{i,j} = (d_i \otimes 1) + ((-1)^i \otimes d_j)$

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