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Goal: Beilinson - Bernstein localization.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{D-mod. with a fixed} \\ \text{central char} \end{array} \right\} \longleftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{twisted D-mods} \\ \text{on } G/B \end{array} \right\}$$

D-modules:

$X/\mathbb{C}$ smooth alg var.

$$\text{Vect}(X) = \text{Der}(\mathcal{O}_X) = \left\{ A: \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \mid \begin{array}{l} A(fg) = A(f)g + fA(g) \\ \mathbb{C}\text{-linear} \end{array} \right\}$$

If $t_1, \dots, t_n$ is a local coordinate system locally $\text{Vect}(X) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathcal{O}_X \partial_{t_i}$.
 $\mathcal{O}_X$ -Lie algebra

$\mathcal{D}_X =$ sheaf of differential operators $= \langle \text{Vect}(X) \rangle$.

$\mathcal{D}_X$ is a sheaf of algebras on X . has a filtration by order of diff. operators.

$$\text{gr} \mathcal{D}_X = \pi_X^* \mathcal{O}_{T^*X}, \quad \pi: T^*X \rightarrow X.$$

Another characterisation of $\mathcal{D}_X$:

$$\mathcal{D}_X^{\leq r} = \{A \mid \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X, \text{ s.t.: } [\dots [[A, x_0] x_1] \dots x_n] = 0. \}$$

$$\forall x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathcal{O}_X$$

$$[A, x_0] = Ax_0 - x_0A.$$

e.g. $n=0$.

$$\mathcal{D}_X^{\leq 0} = \{A \mid [A, x] = 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathcal{O}_X\} = \mathcal{O}_X$$

$$\mathcal{D}_X^{\leq 1} = \mathcal{O}_X \cup \text{Vect}(X) \quad (\text{exercise}).$$

Def 2. $\mathcal{D}_X = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{D}_X^{\leq n}$. Question: Why are these two equivalent?

Let $\mathcal{L}$ be a line bundle on X . Using analogue of def 2 for $A: \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$.

We get a twisted sheaf of diff. operators.

$$\mathcal{D}_X^{\mathcal{L}} \subseteq \text{End}_{\mathcal{O}}(\mathcal{L}).$$

Examples: $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{O}(n)$ on $\mathbb{P}^1$.

If $n=0$, z is the usual coordinate on $\mathbb{P}^1$.

$$\omega = \frac{1}{z} dz \text{ on } \mathbb{P}^1 \setminus 0 = \mathbb{A}^1$$

$$\mathbb{P}^1 \setminus \infty = \mathbb{A}^1$$

Normally, $\partial \omega = -z^2 \partial z$.

$$\mathcal{L}(U) = \mathbb{C}[z]$$

$$\mathcal{L}(V) = \mathbb{C}[\omega]$$

Restrict to $U \cap V$ gluing datum:

$$\mathbb{C}[z, z^{-1}] \xrightarrow{\varphi} \mathbb{C}[\omega, \omega^{-1}]$$

$$1 \mapsto \omega^n$$

$$z \mapsto z \cdot \varphi(1) = z \cdot \omega^n = \omega^n \cdot \omega^{-n} = \omega^{n-1}.$$

$$\partial_z (z^\alpha) = \alpha z^{\alpha-1}$$

$$\varphi(z^\alpha) = \omega^{n-\alpha}$$

$$\varphi(\alpha z^{\alpha-1}) = \alpha \omega^{n-\alpha+1}$$

What operator send $\omega^{n-\alpha}$ to $\alpha \omega^{n-\alpha+1}$?

Answer:

$$n\omega - \omega^2 \partial \omega.$$

$$\partial_z = n\omega - \omega^2 \partial \omega$$

More generally, $G =$ semi simple simply connected group $(G$

$B \supseteq T$ Borel, torus.

$$X = G/B.$$

$$\text{Pic}(G/B) = \text{Hom}(T, G_m) = X^*(T).$$

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use simply connected condition.

$$\text{Furthermore, } \text{Pic}^G(G/B) = X^*(T).$$

For all $\lambda \in X^*(T)$, $\rightsquigarrow D_{G/B}^\lambda$.

Rules: 1) often people use S -shifts.

2) This construction generalizes to $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^* = X^*(T) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} = H^2(X; \mathbb{C})$

clear by computation when $G = \text{SL}_2$.

Some links: If G is not simply conn. $\mathrm{Pic}^G(G/\mathbb{B}) =$ not described as above?

BB Thm: $\lambda \in \mathfrak{h}^* \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{O}_\lambda : \mathbb{Z}[\mathfrak{g}] \xrightarrow{\text{center}} \mathbb{C}$ central char. = char. of h.wt module with h.wt λ

$$\mathcal{U}_\pi := \mathcal{U}(\mathfrak{g}) / \mathcal{O}_\pi.$$

Suppose $\langle \alpha, \alpha_i^v \rangle \notin \tau^{-1}, -2, -3$ $\forall$ simple α_i

Then:

Then: $\exists$ an equivalence of categories

$$\{ \mathcal{D}_{G/B}^{\lambda} \text{-modules} \} \xrightleftharpoons[\Delta = \mathcal{D}_{G/B}^{\lambda} \otimes^{\mathbb{L}}]{\mathcal{R}(G/B, -)} \{ \mathcal{U}_{\lambda} \text{-modules} \}$$

↗ localization functor

add: quasi-coherent.

Examples:

$$G = \mathrm{SL}_2, \quad \lambda = 0. \quad X = \mathbb{P}^1$$

 U_n -modules:

$$h^0(P^1, \mathcal{O}) = 1 - \dim.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{O}_X &= \mathcal{O}_{P^1} \\ \langle \delta_0 \rangle & \xrightarrow{\quad} \text{trivial, 1-dimensional.} \\ \text{Dirac } \delta\text{-function at } 0 \text{ in } P^1 & \xleftarrow{\quad} \begin{aligned} &\bullet \text{ Verma } M(-2) \quad \text{h.wt } -2 \\ &\bullet \text{ dual Verma } M^*(0) \quad \text{h.wt } 0. \end{aligned} \\ \sum \delta_0 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

This D-mod is supported at 0.

A basis of its global sections is $\left\{ \partial_z^n \delta_0 \right\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$.
 = weight vector in $M(-2)$.

Verma $M(0)$ corresp. to an extension of $\mathcal{O}_{X_S}$ on X_S to $P^1 = \{0\} \cup X_S$.

$$\begin{aligned} U &= P^1 \setminus \{0\}, & V &= P^1 \setminus \{0\}. & \text{allow a function to have a pole at } 0. \\ \text{Coordinate: } z, & & w. & & \\ M(U) &= \mathbb{C}[z, z^{-1}] & M(V) &= \mathbb{C}[w] \\ &= \mathbb{C}[w, w^{-1}]. & & & \end{aligned}$$

$\mathcal{R}(\mathbb{P}^1, \mathcal{M}) = \text{meromorphic functions with poles at } 0.$
 $= \mathbb{C}\langle w \rangle$

this is the dual Verma.

This $\mathcal{M}$ has a submodule gen. by w .

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M} \xrightarrow{\text{dual Verma}} (\mathcal{S}_0) \rightarrow 0$$

Dual doesn't have such a nice description.

Dual Verma:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{triv} \xrightarrow{\sigma} \mathcal{M}(0)^* \xrightarrow{\text{simple Verma}} \mathcal{M}(-2) \rightarrow 0.$$

Example:

$\mathfrak{g}$ arbitrary. $\lambda \leftrightarrow \mathcal{L}(\lambda)$ arbitrary.

$\mathcal{D}_{\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{b}} \curvearrowright \mathcal{L} \curvearrowright \mathfrak{D}\text{-module}$

$\mathcal{R}(\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{b}, \mathcal{L}(w)) = V_\lambda \curvearrowright \text{h. wt } \mathfrak{g}\text{-module h. wt} = \lambda$
 $\uparrow$
 Borel weil.

This example shows the conditions on λ are necessary.

for an abelian equivalence.

Comment: There is a derived BB.

How do we relate $\mathfrak{g}$ to $D_{\mathfrak{g}/B}^{\mathbb{R}}$?

Theorem: $U_{\mathbb{R}} \cong \mathbb{R}(D_{\mathfrak{g}/B}^{\mathbb{R}})$

There should be a natural map

$$\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(D_{\mathfrak{g}/B}^{\mathbb{R}}).$$

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• $\mathcal{L}$ is G -equivariant.

So if $X \in \mathfrak{g}$, can define

$$\partial_X: \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L} \text{ by}$$

$$(\partial_X \frac{s}{\mathbb{R}})(y) = \frac{d}{dt} (e^{tX}s)(e^{-tX}y) \Big|_{t=0}$$

This defines

$$U(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(D_{\mathfrak{g}/B}^{\mathbb{R}}) \text{ section}$$

If $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}_2$.

$$\left. \begin{aligned} e &\mapsto -\partial_w \\ f &\mapsto -\partial_z \end{aligned} \right\} \text{ indep. of } \mathbb{R} = \mathbb{R}$$

Use: $[e, f] = h$ + previous computation, relating ∂_z & ∂_w ,
about computing action of h .

At the level of assoc. graded $X = \mathfrak{g}/B$

$$\begin{aligned}
 R(X, \mathcal{G}r D_X^{\mathcal{R}}) &\cong R(X, \pi_* \mathcal{O}_{T^*X}) \\
 &= R(T^*X, \mathcal{O}_{T^*X}) \\
 &= R(N) \xleftarrow{\text{nilcone}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 T^*X \\
 \downarrow \\
 N \leftarrow \text{nilcone}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 T^*X \\
 \downarrow \\
 N \hookrightarrow \mathcal{G}^*
 \end{array}$$

$$\cong S(\mathcal{Y}) / \langle S(\mathcal{Y})^{\mathcal{G}} \rangle$$

has the same size as U_n

$$S(\mathcal{Y}) = \mathcal{G}r U(\mathcal{Y})$$

How to check you have the right central char:

- $R(X, D^{\mathcal{R}}_{\mathcal{G}/\mathcal{B}})^{\mathcal{G}}$: 1-dim.
- Look at action on $V_n = R(X, L)$.

D-affinity:

Requires

$$H^2(X; M) = 0, \text{ for all } D_X^{\mathcal{R}}\text{-module } M.$$

Need to be quasi-coherent.

Question. Is H^2 defined in $\mathbb{C}_X\text{-mod}$, on $\mathcal{O}_X\text{-mod}$ or $\mathcal{Qcoh}(X)$ or does it matter?

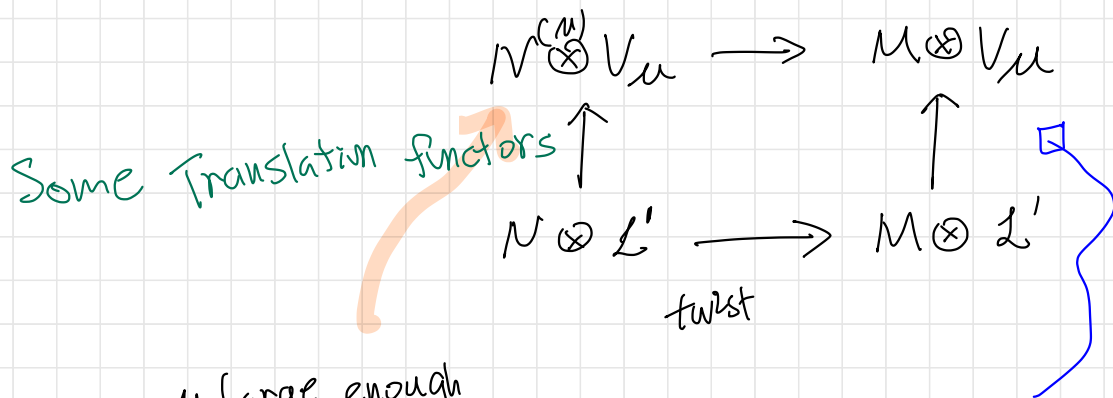
M quasi-coh.

$M \cong \varinjlim N$, N coherent $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module.

Suffices to show:

if $N \hookrightarrow M$ is a coherent submodule.

then: $H^i(X, N) \rightarrow H^i(X, M)$ is 0 (for $i > 0$)



V_u -simple G -module



trivial v. bundle on X .

B -module filtration
gives filtration on V_u .

u large enough

$H^i(-) = 0$

(Serre vanishing uses
 N coherent)

This arrow splits in G_X -mod by

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 0 & \longrightarrow & H^i(\cdot) \text{ central dir argument.} \\
 \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 H^i(N) & \xrightarrow{0} & H^i(M)
 \end{array}$$

Dual Verma's go to extensions of $\mathcal{O}_{xw}$. $xw \xrightarrow{\omega} X$ is a Schubert cell.

$$J_{i\omega} \mathcal{O}_{xw} = i\omega * (D_{x \leftarrow xw}^{\lambda} \otimes_{D_{xw}^{\lambda}} \mathcal{O}_{xw})$$

- x Dual Verma's are (inductively) characterise them by
- x check character
- x show that the D -module has no submodules supported on smaller strata.

No homomorphism

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{dual Verma} & \longrightarrow & \text{dual Verma} \\ \text{wt } \lambda & & \text{wt } \mu \end{array} \quad \text{with } \lambda < \mu.$$

Using the dot action.

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It doesn't matter in which category you define $H^z(X, -)$

$\mathcal{F}$ an injective $\mathcal{O}_X$ -mod (Pf: Consider $j_u! \mathcal{O}_u \hookrightarrow j_v! \mathcal{O}_v$
apply $\text{Hom}(-, \mathcal{F})$.)

$\mathcal{F}$ is flasque (if $U \subseteq V$ open, then $\mathcal{F}(V) \twoheadrightarrow \mathcal{F}(U)$ surj.)

$\mathcal{F}$ is acyclic for Γ .

D-modules:

A D-module is always (by def) quasi-coherent as an $\mathcal{O}_X$ -mod.

G simply conn.

$\rho \in \text{Hom}(T, G_n)$

simple alg group G ,

$\mapsto$ (twisted) sheaf of diff. operators D^ρ on G/B .

B-B: If $\langle \lambda, \alpha_i^\vee \rangle \geq 0, \forall i$

$$\{ D^{\lambda} \text{-mod} \} \cong \{ U_{\lambda} \text{-mod} \}$$

Major point of the proof:

- 1). R is exact
- 2). $R(M) = 0 \Rightarrow M = 0$
- 3). $R(D^{\lambda}) = U_{\lambda}$

About 1): V a rep of G . W a B -submodule of V

Define: $E_W = \{ (gB, gw) \in G/B \times V \mid g \in G, w \in W \}$
 $\downarrow$
 G/B is a vector bundle

In particular, $V = V_{\mu}$ of highest wt μ .

gives $\mathcal{O}(\mu) \hookrightarrow V_{\mu} \leftarrow$ trivial bundle.

Global section functor has a left adjoint

$$\Delta = D^{\lambda} \otimes_{U_{\lambda}} -$$

turns out to be the inverse equiv. to Γ .
localization functor $\Leftarrow$

Let $M \in U_n\text{-mod}$. It has a presentation:

$$U_n^{\oplus J} \rightarrow U_n^{\oplus I} \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0.$$

$$\downarrow \delta_{II} \quad \downarrow \delta_{II} \quad \downarrow$$

$$P_0 \Delta(U_n^{\oplus J}) \rightarrow P_0 \Delta(U_n^{\oplus I}) \rightarrow P_0 \Delta(M) \rightarrow 0$$

$\therefore M \rightarrow P_0 \Delta(M)$ is an isom (use P is exact).

$M \in D^R\text{-mod}$. $\text{kernel} \quad \text{cokernel}$

$$0 \rightarrow \cancel{K} \rightarrow \Delta^R M \rightarrow M \rightarrow \cancel{C} \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow \cancel{P_0 K} \rightarrow P_0 \Delta^R M \xrightarrow{\cong} P_0 M \rightarrow \cancel{P_0 C} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta^R M \cong M.$$