

§. Linkage Principle

• Set up.

• Γ : field of char 0

• $f: \mathbb{B} \rightarrow \Gamma$ specialization of \mathbb{B} into Γ which takes v into a primitive l -th root of 1.

• $U_{\Gamma} = U_{\mathbb{B}} \otimes_{\mathbb{B}} \Gamma$.

Recall We define the affine Weyl group in my first talk. Now, let \mathfrak{L} define $W_{\mathfrak{L}}^{\hat{a}} := W \ltimes \Lambda_r$, and the " \mathfrak{L} -rescaled dot action" on Λ by

$$w \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} \lambda = w \cdot \lambda, \quad tv \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} \lambda := \lambda + t v, \quad \forall w \in W, v \in \Lambda_r.$$

So, $W_{\mathfrak{L}}^{\hat{a}}$ is generated by reflections $S_{\alpha, r}: \Lambda \rightarrow \Lambda$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}^+$, $r \in \mathbb{Z}$ where

$$S_{\alpha, r}(\lambda) := S_{\alpha}(\lambda) + r \mathfrak{L} \alpha, \quad \forall \lambda \in \Lambda.$$

Example Let $G = \mathrm{SL}_2$. $\Lambda = \mathbb{Z} \chi_1$, $\Lambda_r = 2\mathbb{Z} \chi_1$, where $\chi_1: \begin{pmatrix} t & \\ & t^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \mapsto t$.

$$W = \left\{ 1, s = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}. \quad \text{For any } n \chi_1 \in \Lambda, s(n \chi_1) = -n \chi_1.$$

For any $\lambda = n \chi_1 \in \Lambda$ and $v = 2m \chi_1 \in \Lambda_r$,

$$\begin{aligned} (s, t_{2m \chi_1}) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} n \chi_1 &= s(n \chi_1 + 2m \mathfrak{L} \chi_1 + \chi_1) - \chi_1 \\ &= -(n + 2m \mathfrak{L} + 2) \chi_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \chi_1 \stackrel{\geq}{\neq} (s, t_{2m \chi_1}) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} n \chi_1 \Leftrightarrow n \stackrel{\geq}{\neq} m \mathfrak{L} - 1.$$

$$(1, t_{2m \chi_1}) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} n \chi_1 = n \chi_1 + 2m \mathfrak{L} \chi_1 \Rightarrow n \chi_1 \stackrel{\leq}{\neq} (1, t_{2m \chi_1}) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} n \chi_1 \Leftrightarrow m \stackrel{\leq}{\neq} 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& (\mathfrak{S}, t_{2m'} \alpha_1) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} (-n - 2ml - 2) \alpha_1 \\
&= \mathfrak{S}((-n - 2ml - 2) \alpha_1 + 2m'l(\alpha_1 + \alpha_1)) - \alpha_1 \\
&= (n + 2ml - 2m'l) \alpha_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \alpha_1 \leq (\mathfrak{S}, t_{2m'} \alpha_1) \cdot_{\mathfrak{L}} (-n - 2ml - 2) \alpha_1 \Leftrightarrow m - m' \geq 0$$

So, the above computation allows us to conclude that $(\mathfrak{L}^{-1}) \alpha_1$ is minimal in its $W_{\mathfrak{L}}^{\mathfrak{g}}$ orbit.

Remark In general, $(\mathfrak{L}^{-1})\rho$ is the minimal element in its $W_{\mathfrak{L}}^{\mathfrak{g}}$ orbit.

As in the case of $U_{\mathfrak{E}}$, we have the following theorem.

Thm For any $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$, $W_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda)$ has a unique simple quotient $L_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda)$ whose highest weight is λ . Moreover, any finite-dim simple $U_{\mathfrak{F}}$ -module (of type I) is isom. to $L_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda)$ for some $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$.

Remark (i) We define the dual Weyl module $M_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda) := W_{\mathfrak{F}}(-\lambda^*)^*$. Then above thm may be restated as \dots has a unique submodule $L_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda)$, \dots

(ii) We define the dual Weyl module as the dual of Weyl modules. In fact we can define it using an induction functor as we have seen in my first talk

$\text{Ind}_{U_{\mathfrak{F}}^{\leq 0}}^{U_{\mathfrak{F}}} : \mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{F}}^{\leq 0} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{F}}$, $\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{F}}^{\leq 0}$ (resp.) $\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{F}}$ is the cat. of integrable $U_{\mathfrak{F}}^{\leq 0}$ (resp.) $U_{\mathfrak{F}}$ modules. Then $M_{\mathfrak{F}}(\lambda) \cong \text{Ind}_{U_{\mathfrak{F}}^{\leq 0}}^{U_{\mathfrak{F}}} T\lambda$.

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(iii) The induction functor has the derived props

• (Frob. Rec) $\forall M \in \mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}, N \in \mathcal{U}_\Gamma$, then

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{U}_\Gamma}(N, \text{Ind}_{\mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}} M) \cong \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}}(N, M)$$

• (Tensor Identity) $V: \Gamma$ -module, $M \in \mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}$. Then there is a \mathcal{U}_Γ -module

isom.

$$V \otimes \text{Ind}_{\mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}} M \cong \text{Ind}_{\mathcal{U}_\Gamma^{\leq 0}}(V \otimes M)$$

• Higher derived functors

• Kempf's Vanishing Thm

For a more detailed discussion, see [APW].

• Thm (Weak Linkage Principle). Let $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \Lambda^+$. if $\bar{\text{Ext}}^1(L_\Gamma(\lambda_1), L_\Gamma(\lambda_2)) \neq 0$, then

$$\lambda_1 \otimes \lambda_2 \in W \cdot \lambda_2$$

§. Steinberg Representations and Proj. Objects.

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Again, we assume that $\text{char } T = 0$ in this section.

• Lemma. The Steinberg mod. $W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g})$ is simple.

Proof. It follows from the weak linkage principle and the fact that $(l-1)\mathfrak{g}$ is minimal in its $W_{\mathbb{F}}$ orbit.

• Prop. For any $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$, $W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda)$ is simple.

Proof. By definition, $W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda) \twoheadrightarrow L_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda)$. We compare their dimensions.

By the Weyl dimension formula,

$$\begin{aligned} \dim W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda) &= \prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{F}^+} \frac{\langle (l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda + \rho, \alpha^\vee \rangle}{\langle \rho, \alpha^\vee \rangle} = l^{|\mathbb{F}^+|} \prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{F}^+} \frac{\langle \lambda + \rho, \alpha^\vee \rangle}{\langle \rho, \alpha^\vee \rangle} \\ &= l^{|\mathbb{F}^+|} \dim W_{\mathbb{F}}(l\lambda) \end{aligned}$$

By Lusztig's Tensor Product Thm,

$$L_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda) \simeq L_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g}) \otimes_{\mathbb{F}}^* L(l\lambda).$$

Since $L_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g}) \simeq W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g})$, $\dim(L_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g} + l\lambda)) = \dim W_{\mathbb{F}}((l-1)\mathfrak{g}) \dim L(l\lambda)$
 $= l^{|\mathbb{F}^+|} \dim L(l\lambda).$

Note that as $\mathfrak{sl}(\mathfrak{g})$ -modules, $W_{\mathbb{F}}(l\lambda)$ and $L(l\lambda)$ have the same set of generators and relations, then $\dim W_{\mathbb{F}}(l\lambda) = \dim L(l\lambda)$

□

Propositions.

\mathcal{FP} : the cat. of all finite-dim U_{Γ} -modules of type 1.

Thm. St is a proj. object in \mathcal{FP} .

Proof It suffices to show that

$$\text{Ext}_{U_{\Gamma}}^1(St, L(\lambda)) = 0 \quad \forall \lambda \in \Lambda^+(\Lambda)$$

Weak Linkage principle \Rightarrow suffices to show this for $\emptyset \neq \lambda \in W_{\Gamma}^a \cdot (\lambda - \rho)$. Thus, we

let $\lambda = (\lambda - \rho) + \lambda\mu$ for some $\mu \in \Lambda^+$. We have shown that $W_{\Gamma}((\lambda - \rho) + \lambda\mu) \simeq L_{\Gamma}((\lambda - \rho) + \lambda\mu)$. Thus, it suffices to prove that

$$\text{Ext}_{U_{\Gamma}}^1(St, W_{\Gamma}(\lambda)) = 0.$$

This follows from the following lemma

Lemma. $\forall \lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \Lambda^+$, $\text{Ext}_{U_{\Gamma}}^1(W_{\Gamma}(\lambda_1), W_{\Gamma}(\lambda_2)) = 0$

The above lemma essentially follows from the universal prop. of quantum Weyl modules. □

Remark. $St \simeq St^*$ \Rightarrow St is also proj.

Lemma. For any $\lambda \in \Lambda^+$, \exists an embedding $L(\lambda) \hookrightarrow St \otimes E$ for some $E \in \mathcal{FP}$.

Proof Lusztig's Tensor Product Thm \Rightarrow may assume that λ is a restricted weight.

Then, $\mu := (\lambda - \rho) - \lambda \in \Lambda^+$, and the natural U_{Γ}^{co} -homomorphism

$$L(\lambda) \otimes L(\mu) \rightarrow L(\lambda - \rho)$$

$$L(\lambda) \hookrightarrow L(\mu)^* \otimes St.$$

□

• Thm. (i) \mathcal{F}_R has enough injectives. Moreover, any injective object is a direct summand of $St \otimes E$, for some $E \in \mathcal{F}_R$.

(ii) Injectives \Leftrightarrow Projectives in \mathcal{F}_R .

Proof (i) Recall that $\forall M \in \mathcal{F}_R$, $Soc(M) :=$ sum of its irred. submodules.

Then $Soc(M) = \bigoplus_{U_i \in \mathcal{N}} L_{R^*}(U_i)$. Then $Soc(M) \hookrightarrow St \otimes E$ for some $E \in \mathcal{F}_R$, and $St \otimes E$ is ~~proj.~~ inj. So, we get $M \hookrightarrow St \otimes E$

(ii) Let M be an inj. object. Then $M \hookrightarrow St \otimes E$ as a direct summand

Since $St \otimes E$ is proj. then M is proj. The converse is obvious.