

PROPOSITION.- Let \mathcal{D} be a triangulated category with small coproducts and \mathcal{D}' be an arbitrary triangulated subcategory. If for each aisle \mathcal{U} of \mathcal{D}' , $Susp_{\mathcal{D}}(\mathcal{U})$ is an aisle of \mathcal{D} , then each t-structure on \mathcal{D}' is the restriction of a t-structure on \mathcal{D} . Moreover, in such a case the assignment $\mathcal{U} \rightsquigarrow Susp_{\mathcal{D}}(\mathcal{U})$ gives a bijection between the aisles of \mathcal{D}' and the aisles of \mathcal{D} which restrict to \mathcal{D}' .

COROLLARY.- Under the hypotheses above, suppose in addition that \mathcal{D} is compactly generated. If for each aisle \mathcal{U} of \mathcal{D}' , one has that $Susp_{\mathcal{D}}(\mathcal{U}) = Susp_{\mathcal{D}}(\mathcal{S})$ for some set of compact objects \mathcal{S} , then each t-structure on \mathcal{D}' is the restriction of a t-structure on \mathcal{D} .

EXAMPLES.-

1. If \mathcal{D} is a compactly generated triangulated category, then each t-structure on \mathcal{D}^c is the restriction of a t-structure on \mathcal{D} . Moreover, we have a bijection between t-structures on \mathcal{D}^c and compactly generated t-structures on \mathcal{D} .
2. If R is a commutative Noetherian ring, then each t-structure on $D_{fg}^b(R)$ is the restriction of a compactly generated t-structure on $D(R)$

DEFINITION.- A map $\phi : \mathbf{Z} \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}(\text{Spec}(R))$ is a *filtration by supports* if $\phi(n) \supseteq \phi(n+1)$ and $\phi(n)$ is closed under specialization, for all $n \in \mathbf{Z}$.

THEOREM (A-J-S).- Let R be a commutative Noetherian ring. Then each aisle in $D(R)$ generated by complexes of $D_{fg}^b(R)$ is compactly generated. Moreover, if for each filtration by supports $\phi : \mathbf{Z} \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}(\text{Spec}(R))$ we put

$$\mathcal{U}_\phi := \{X \in D(R) : \text{Supp}(H^i(X)) \subseteq \phi(i), \text{ for all } i \in \mathbf{Z}\}.$$

then

$$\mathcal{U}_\phi = \text{Susp}_{D(R)}\left(\frac{R}{\mathfrak{p}}[-i] : i \in \mathbf{Z} \text{ and } \mathfrak{p} \in \phi(i)\right).$$

and the assignment $\phi \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{U}_\phi$ establishes a bijection between filtrations by supports on $\text{Spec}(R)$ and compactly generated t-structures on $D(R)$.

QUESTION 1.- Which are the compactly generated t-structures of $D(R)$ which restrict to t-structures on $D_{fg}^b(R)$?

Equivalently:

QUESTION 2.- Which are the filtrations by supports ϕ on $\text{Spec}(R)$ such that $\mathcal{U}_\phi \cap D_{fg}^b(R)$ is an aisle of $D_{fg}^b(R)$?

THEOREM (A-J-S).- Let R be a commutative Noetherian ring and $\phi : \mathbf{Z} \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}(\text{Spec}(R))$ be a filtration by supports. Consider the following assertions:

1. $\mathcal{U}_\phi \cap D_{fg}^b(R)$ is an aisle of $D_{fg}^b(R)$
2. If $\mathfrak{p} \subsetneq \mathfrak{q}$ are prime ideals, with \mathfrak{p} maximal under \mathfrak{q} , and $\mathfrak{q} \in \phi(j)$ then $\mathfrak{p} \in \phi(i)$ (we will say in this case that ϕ satisfies the *weak Cousin condition* (wCc)).

Then $1) \implies 2)$ and, in case R has a dualizing complex, the converse is also true.

KEY IDEAS FOR THE PROOF OF
2) \implies 1):

- **W.l.o.g.** we assume that $\text{Spec}(R)$ is connected and fix a dualizing complex D . Then we know:

a) $D \in D_{fg}^b(R)$ and D is quasi-isomorphic to a bounded complex of injectives

b) There is a codimension function $d : \text{Spec}(R) \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}$ defined by the rule:

$$d(\mathfrak{p}) = j \iff \text{Hom}_{D(R_{\mathfrak{p}})}(k(\mathfrak{p}), D_{\mathfrak{p}}[j]) \neq 0.$$

c) R has finite Krull dimension.

d) $R\text{Hom}_R(-, D) : D_{fg}^b(R) \xrightarrow{\cong} D_{fg}^b(R)$ is a duality.

- **LEMMA.-** If $H := RHom_R(-, D)$ then the assignement $\mathcal{U} \rightsquigarrow^\perp H(\mathcal{U})$ gives a bijection inverse of itself between the set of *closed pre-aisles* (resp. *aisles*) in $D_{fg}^b(R)$ and itself. In particular, it induces a bijection between the corresponding sets of filtrations by supports on $Spec(R)$ and themselves.

- **EXAMPLES.-**

a) If ϕ is the filtration by supports on $Spec(R)$ corresponding to the canonical t-structure, then its image by the above bijection is the filtration ϕ_{CM} given by

$$\phi_{CM}(i) = \{\mathfrak{p} \in Spec(R) : d(\mathfrak{p}) > i\}$$

b) If $Z \subseteq Spec(R)$ is closed under specialization and $n \in \mathbf{Z}$ is an integer, then the filtration by supports $\phi_{Z,n}$ given by $\phi_{Z,n}(i) = Z$, for $i \leq n$, and $\phi_{Z,n}(i) = \emptyset$, for $i > n$, has as its image by the above map the filtration by supports $\xi = \xi_{Z,n}$ given by

$$\xi(k) = \{\mathfrak{q} \in Spec(R) : V(\mathfrak{q}) \cap Z \subseteq \phi_{CM}(k+n)\}.$$

OBSERVATION.- Denote by $\Gamma_Z : R - Mod \longrightarrow R - Mod$ the torsion radical associated to Z and by $R\Gamma_Z : D(R) \longrightarrow D(R)$ is right derived functor. The left truncation functor associated to the aisle $\mathcal{U}_{\phi_{Z,n}}$ is precisely $\tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z : D(R) \longrightarrow D(R)$.

If $M \in D_{fg}^b(R)$, then we have a chain of implications:

$$\begin{aligned}
R\Gamma_Z(M) \in D^{>n}(R) &\iff \tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z(M) = 0 \iff \\
M \in \mathcal{U}_{\phi_{Z,n}}^\perp &\iff RHom_R(M, D) \in \mathcal{U}_\xi \implies \\
Supp(Hom_{D(R)}(M, D[k])) &\subseteq \xi(k), \text{ for all } \\
&k \in \mathbf{Z} \iff \\
Z \cap Supp(Hom_{D(R)}(M, D[k])) &\subseteq \phi_{CM}(k+n), \\
&\text{for all } i \in \mathbf{Z}.
\end{aligned}$$

LEMMA.- With the notation above, let M be in $D_{fg}^b(R)$. The following assertions are equivalent:

1. $\tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z(M)$ is $D_{fg}^b(R)$
2. $Supp(Hom_{D(R)}(M, D[k])) \subseteq Z \cup \xi(k)$, for all $i \in \mathbf{Z}$.

LEMMA.- (Always assuming that R has a dualizing complex) if $\phi : \mathbf{Z} \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}(\text{Spec}(R))$ is a filtration satisfying wCc, then it is of the form

$$\dots = \text{Spec}(R) = \phi(r) \supsetneq \phi(r+1) \supseteq \phi(r+2) \dots \supseteq \phi(n) \supsetneq \phi(n+1) = \emptyset = \dots,$$

for uniquely determined integers $r < n$

If ϕ , r and n are as in the above lemma and $n - r + 1 > 1$, then the filtration by supports

$$\phi': \quad \dots = \text{Spec}(R) = \phi(r) \supsetneq \phi(r+1) \supseteq \phi(r+2) \dots \supseteq \phi(n-1) \supsetneq \phi'(n) = \emptyset = \dots$$

also satisfies the wCc. This suggests to apply induction on the length $n - r + 1$, the case of length 1 being trivial.

The key point is then

LEMMA.- With the notation above, if we put $Z = \phi(n)$, then we have triangles in $D(R)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \tau_{\phi'}^{\leq} X & \longrightarrow & \tau_{\phi}^{\leq} X & \longrightarrow & \tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z(\tau_{\phi'}^> X) & \xrightarrow{+} & \\ \tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z(\tau_{\phi'}^> X) & \longrightarrow & \tau_{\phi'}^> X & \longrightarrow & \tau_{\phi}^> X & \xrightarrow{+} & \end{array}$$

COROLLARY.- If $\mathcal{U}_{\phi'} \cap D_{fg}^b(R)$ is an aisle of $D_{fg}^b(R)$ then $\mathcal{U}_{\phi} \cap D_{fg}^b(R)$ is an aisle of $D_{fg}^b(R)$ if, and only if, $\tau^{\leq n} R\Gamma_Z(\tau_{\phi'}^> X) \in D_{fg}^b(R)$, where $Z = \phi(n)$.

KEY IDEAS FOR THE PROOF OF
1) \implies 2):

- We assume, by reduction to absurd, that there is an inclusion $\mathfrak{p} \subsetneq \mathfrak{q}$, with \mathfrak{p} maximal under \mathfrak{q} , such that $\mathfrak{q} \in \phi(1)$ and $\mathfrak{p} \notin \phi(0)$ (there is no loss of generality).

- We fix the ϕ -triangle

$$T \longrightarrow R/\mathfrak{p} \longrightarrow Y \xrightarrow{+}$$

(i.e. with $T \in \mathcal{U}_\phi$ and $Y \in \mathcal{U}_\phi^\perp$) which, by hypothesis, lives in $D_{fg}^b(R)$.

- By localizing at \mathfrak{q} , we can assume that R is local and $\mathfrak{q} = \mathfrak{m}$ is the maximal ideal. By the exact sequence of homology applied to the triangle, one gets:

a) $T \in D^{>0}(R)$ and $Y \in D^{\geq 0}(R)$

b) An exact sequence $0 \rightarrow R/\mathfrak{p} \xrightarrow{j} H^0(Y) \rightarrow H^1(T) \rightarrow 0$, where j is an essential monomorphism.

c) (As a consequence of b) $Supp(H^1(T)) \subseteq Supp(H^0(Y)) = Supp(R/\mathfrak{p}) = V(\mathfrak{p}) = \{\mathfrak{p}, \mathfrak{m}\}$, and $\mathfrak{p} \notin Supp(H^1(T))$ since $\mathfrak{p} \notin \phi(0)$ (and hence $\mathfrak{p} \notin \phi(1)$).

- It follows that $Supp(H^1(Y)) = \{\mathfrak{m}\}$, and hence $H^1(Y)$ is an R -module of finite length and there is a $r > 0$ such that $\mathfrak{m}^r H^1(Y) = 0$.

- We check that if $A = R/\mathfrak{p}$ and $\mathfrak{n} = \mathfrak{m}/\mathfrak{p}$, then the canonical maps

$$Ext_A^1(A/\mathfrak{n}^k, A) \longrightarrow Ext_R^1(A/\mathfrak{n}^k, A) \longrightarrow Ext_R^1(R/\mathfrak{m}^k, R)$$

are both injective.

- Using the fact that A is a local Noetherian domain of Krull dimension 1, one uses the minimal injective resolution of A to see that $\mathfrak{n}^{k-1} \text{Ext}_A^1(A/\mathfrak{n}^k, A) \neq 0$, and hence $\mathfrak{m}^{k-1} \text{Ext}_R^1(R/\mathfrak{m}^k, R/\mathfrak{p}) \neq 0$, for all $k > 0$

- Using now that $R/\mathfrak{m}^k[-1] \in \mathcal{U}_\phi$ (since $\mathfrak{m} \in \phi(1)$) and that the truncation functor $\tau_\phi^{\leq} : D(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}_\phi$ is right adjoint to the inclusion, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ext}_R^1(R/\mathfrak{m}^k, R/\mathfrak{p}) &\cong \\ \text{Hom}_{D(R)}(R/\mathfrak{m}^k[-1], R/\mathfrak{p}) &\cong \\ \text{Hom}_{D(R)}(R/\mathfrak{m}^k[-1], T) &\cong \\ \text{Hom}_R(R/\mathfrak{m}^k, H^1(T)), & \end{aligned}$$

the last isomorphism due to the fact that $T \in D^{>0}(R)$.

- Finally, from the equality $\mathfrak{m}^r H^1(T) = 0$ we get that $\mathfrak{m}^r \text{Ext}_R^1(R/\mathfrak{m}^k, R/\mathfrak{p}) = 0$, for all $k > 0$, which is a contradiction.