

Decidability of theories of modules over tubular algebras

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ABSTRACT

We show that the common theory of all modules over a tubular algebra (over a recursive algebraically closed field) is decidable. This result supports a long standing conjecture of Mike Prest which says that a finite-dimensional algebra (over a suitably recursive field) is tame if and only if its common theory of modules is decidable (Prest, *Model theory and modules* (Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1988)). Moreover, as a corollary, we are able to confirm this conjecture for the class of concealed canonical algebras over algebraically closed fields. Tubular algebras are the first examples of non-domestic algebras which have been shown to have decidable theory of modules. We also correct results in Harland and Prest (*Proc. Lond. Math. Soc.* (3) 110 (2015) 695–720), in particular, Corollary 8.8 of that paper.

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1. Introduction

The study of the decidability and undecidability of theories of modules over finite-dimensional algebras began with papers of Baur which showed that the 4-subspace problem is decidable [4] and that the 5-subspace problem is undecidable [3] (also see [39]). For a given ring R , the theory of R -modules is said to be decidable if there is an algorithm that decides whether a given first order sentence in the language of R -modules is true in all R -modules. It follows easily from the results of Baur that the theory of modules over the path algebras of \widetilde{D}_4 (in subspace orientation) is decidable and that the theory of modules over the path algebra of \widetilde{D}_5 (in subspace orientation) is undecidable.

Geisler [14] and Prest [27] showed that the theory of modules over all tame hereditary algebras (over recursive fields with splitting algorithms) is decidable. In the converse direction, Prest showed that the theory of modules of strictly wild algebras is undecidable [30], and thus, all wild finite-dimensional hereditary algebras have undecidable theories of modules. Improving this result, the author, together with Prest, has shown that, over an algebraically closed field,

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all (finitely) controlled wild algebras have undecidable theories of modules [15]. Note that at this time there is no known finite-dimensional algebra (over an algebraically closed field) which is wild but not (finitely) controlled wild. Indeed, Ringel has conjectured that all wild algebras (over algebraically closed fields) are controlled wild.

Toffalori and Puninski [33] have worked on the problem of classifying finite commutative rings which have decidable theories of modules, which, of course, includes all commutative finite-dimensional algebras over finite fields.

The main result of this paper is the following.

THEOREM. *Let R be a tubular algebra over a recursive algebraically closed field. The common theory of R -modules is decidable.*

Our result supports the following long standing conjecture of Mike Prest.

CONJECTURE [28]. Let R be a finite-dimensional algebra over a suitably recursive field. The theory of R -modules is decidable if and only if R is of tame representation type.

Tubular algebras are finite-dimensional non-domestic tame algebras of linear growth (see [38, 3.6] where tubular algebras are referred to as Ringel algebras). These are the first examples of non-domestic algebras which have been shown to have decidable theory of modules.

A finite-dimensional k -algebra is of tame representation type if for each dimension d , almost all d -dimensional modules are in $\mu(d) \in \mathbb{N}$ many 1-parameter families (for a precise definition see [37, 3.3]). An algebra is of domestic representation type if there is a finite bound on $\mu(d)$. So, the module categories of non-domestic algebras are significantly more complex than those of domestic representation type. A finite-dimensional k -algebra R is of wild representation type if there is an exact k -linear functor $F : \text{fin-}k\langle x, y \rangle \rightarrow \text{mod-}R$ which preserves indecomposability and reflects isomorphism type, where $\text{fin-}k\langle x, y \rangle$ denotes that category of finite-dimensional right modules over the free k -algebra in two non-commuting variables. Drozd [9] showed that all finite-dimensional algebras over algebraically closed fields are either wild or tame and not both.

Tubular algebras, introduced by Ringel in [35], belong to a wider class of algebras called the concealed canonical algebras. According to [25], the concealed canonical algebras are exactly those algebras which admit a sincere separating tubular family of stable tubes. Equivalently, they are exactly the endomorphism rings of tilting bundles in categories of coherent sheaves on Geigle–Lenzing weighted projective lines. Moreover, the tubular algebras are exactly the tame non-domestic concealed canonical algebras [24, 3.6]; this perspective gives a geometric interpretation of the category of finite-dimensional modules over a tubular algebra akin to Atiyah’s description of the category for coherent sheaves on an elliptic curve. As a corollary to our main theorem, we are able to conclude, see Corollary 9.3, that Prest’s conjecture is true for all concealed canonical algebras.

Our methods for proving our main result are inspired by results of Harland and Prest in [17], an understanding of the Ziegler topology for modules of a fixed rational slope, decidability for tame hereditary algebras and decidability of Presburger arithmetic. For most of the paper we will work with general tubular algebras. However, in Section 6, we will mainly deal with canonical algebras of tubular type.

We also show that [17, Corollary 8.8] is false and provide, see Theorem 7.7, a best possible replacement for that result.

2. Background

If R is a ring, then we write $\text{mod-}R$ for the category of finitely presented right R -modules, $\text{Mod-}R$ for the category of all right R -modules and $\text{ind-}R$ for the set of isomorphism classes of

finitely presented indecomposable right R -modules. If $M, N \in \text{Mod-}R$, then we will frequently write (N, M) for $\text{Hom}_R(N, M)$.

If \mathcal{X} is a class of modules, then we write $(M, \mathcal{X}) = 0$ (respectively, $(\mathcal{X}, M) = 0$) to mean that $(M, X) = 0$ (respectively, $(X, M) = 0$) for all $X \in \mathcal{X}$.

We will usually assume that finite-dimensional algebras are basic, connected and over an algebraically closed base field. Note, however, that every finite-dimensional algebra is (k -linearly) Morita equivalent to a basic algebra and every basic finite-dimensional algebra is isomorphic to a finite product of basic connected algebras. So, for the main results of this article, restricting to basic connected finite-dimensional algebras is only a cosmetic restriction.

2.1. Grothendieck groups and the Euler characteristic

Let R be a finite-dimensional algebra, let S_1, \dots, S_n be the simple modules over R and for $1 \leq i \leq n$, let P_i be the projective cover of S_i . If M is a finite-dimensional module over R , then we call

$$\underline{\dim}M = (\dim \text{Hom}_R(P_1, M), \dots, \dim \text{Hom}_R(P_n, M)),$$

the *dimension vector* of M . The *Grothendieck group*, $K_0(R)$, of a finite-dimensional algebra R is the abelian group generated by the isomorphism classes $[X]$ of modules $X \in \text{mod-}R$ and subject to the relation $[Y] - [X] - [Z] = 0$ whenever there exists a short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z \rightarrow 0.$$

Note that $K_0(R) \cong \mathbb{Z}^n$. Moreover, we identify $K_0(R)$ with \mathbb{Z}^n via the unique isomorphism which for all $M \in \text{mod-}R$ sends $[M]$ to $\underline{\dim}M$.

We say a vector $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in K_0(R)$ is *positive* if $x_i \geq 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$ and $x \neq 0$. Note that x is positive if and only if $x = \underline{\dim}M$ for some non-zero $M \in \text{mod-}R$.

The assumption that R is basic implies, [2, II.2], that there exists a quiver Q , with vertices corresponding to the simple R -modules, such that R is isomorphic to the quotient of the path algebra kQ by an admissible ideal. We say $x \in K_0(R)$ is *connected* if its support is connected in the underlying quiver Q of R .

The Grothendieck group of a finite-dimensional algebra R of finite global dimension can be equipped with a bilinear form $\langle -, - \rangle$, called the *Euler characteristic*, such that for all $M, N \in \text{mod-}R$,

$$\langle [M], [N] \rangle := \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i \dim \text{Ext}^i(M, N),$$

see [2, III.3.13].

The *Euler quadratic form* of R is defined as $\chi_R(x) := \langle x, x \rangle$. We call an element $x \in K_0(R)$ *radical* if $\chi_R(x) = 0$ and a *root* if $\chi_R(x) = 1$. We denote the set of radical vectors $\text{rad}\chi_R$.

2.2. Tubular algebras

We will not give the definition of a tubular algebra in terms of branch extensions of tame concealed algebras, for this see [35, Chapter 5] or [37, XIX 3.19]; instead we will describe their module categories.

As mentioned in the Introduction, another route to tubular algebras is via coherent sheaves on Geigle–Lenzing weighted projective lines. We will use this perspective in Section 7 and briefly in Section 9. Introductory material and references on this topic are contained in Section 7.2.1.

The Euler quadratic form of a tubular algebra is positive semi-definite. It follows from [35, 1.1.1] that $x \in \text{rad}\chi_R$ if and only if $\langle x, y \rangle + \langle y, x \rangle = 0$ for all $y \in K_0(R)$. So, in particular,

- (1) $\text{rad}\chi_R$ is a subgroup of $K_0(R)$,

- (2) if $x, y \in \text{rad}\chi_R$ then $\langle x, y \rangle = -\langle y, x \rangle$ and
- (3) if $x \in \text{rad}\chi_R$ and $y \in K_0(R)$ then $\chi_R(x + y) = \chi_R(y)$.

If R is a tubular algebra, then there exists a canonical pair of linearly independent radical vectors h_0, h_∞ which generate a subgroup of $\text{rad}\chi_R$ of finite index [35, Section 5.1].

For finite-dimensional indecomposable modules M over R , we define the slope of M to be

$$\text{slope}(M) = -\frac{\langle h_0, \underline{\dim}M \rangle}{\langle h_\infty, \underline{\dim}M \rangle}.$$

For $q \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty^\dagger$, let \mathcal{T}_q be the set of isomorphism classes of indecomposable finite-dimensional modules of slope q . Let \mathcal{P}_0 be the preprojective component (the indecomposable finite-dimensional modules M with $\langle h_0, \underline{\dim}M \rangle < 0$ and $\langle h_\infty, \underline{\dim}M \rangle \leq 0$) and let \mathcal{Q}_∞ be the preinjective component (the indecomposable finite-dimensional modules M with $\langle h_0, \underline{\dim}M \rangle \geq 0$ and $\langle h_\infty, \underline{\dim}M \rangle > 0$).

THEOREM 2.1 [35]. *Let R be a tubular algebra. The set of indecomposable finite-dimensional modules is*

$$\mathcal{P}_0 \cup \bigcup \{ \mathcal{T}_q \mid q \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty \} \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty,$$

where each \mathcal{T}_q is a tubular family separating $\mathcal{P}_q := \mathcal{P}_0 \cup \bigcup \{ \mathcal{T}_{q'} \mid q' < q \}$ from $\mathcal{Q}_q := \bigcup \{ \mathcal{T}_{q'} \mid q' > q \} \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty$.

That \mathcal{T}_q separates \mathcal{P}_q from \mathcal{Q}_q means that $0 = (\mathcal{T}_q, \mathcal{P}_q) = (\mathcal{Q}_q, \mathcal{T}_q) = (\mathcal{Q}_q, \mathcal{P}_q)$ and, that for every tube $\mathcal{T}(\rho) \in \mathcal{T}_q$ and every homomorphism from $L \in \mathcal{P}_q$ to $M \in \mathcal{Q}_q$, factors through a direct sum of modules in $\mathcal{T}(\rho)$.

All finite-dimensional modules over tubular algebras have injective dimension ≤ 2 and projective dimension ≤ 2 . This means that $\dim \text{Ext}^n(-, -)$ terms of the Euler characteristic are zero for $n > 2$. All finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of strictly positive rational slope have projective and injective dimensions less than or equal to 1 [35, 3.1.5]. Thus, for those modules

$$\langle -, - \rangle := \dim \text{Hom}(-, -) - \dim \text{Ext}(-, -).$$

THEOREM 2.2 [35, 5.2.6, pg 278]. *Let R be a tubular algebra.*

- (1) *For any indecomposable finite-dimensional R -module X , $\underline{\dim}X$ is either a connected positive root or a connected positive radical vector of χ_R .*
- (2) *For any positive connected root vector $x \in K_0(R)$, there is a unique indecomposable module $X \in \text{mod-}R$ with $\underline{\dim}X = x$.*
- (3) *For any positive connected radical vector $x \in K_0(R)$, there is an infinite family of indecomposable modules with $\underline{\dim}X = x$.*

We will refer to the properties asserted in this theorem as *mod- R* is controlled by χ_R .

If R is a finite-dimensional k -algebra and M is a right (respectively, left) R -module, then we write M^* for its k -dual the left (respectively right) R -module $\text{Hom}(M, k)$.

REMARK 2.3. Let R be a tubular algebra. If M is a finite-dimensional indecomposable with slope a , then the slope of M^* is $1/a$, here we read $1/0$ as ∞ and $1/\infty$ as 0 . If M is preprojective (respectively, preinjective), then M^* is preinjective (respectively, preprojective).

[†]By \mathbb{Q}_0^∞ we mean the non-negative rational together with a maximal element ∞

The definition of slope on finite-dimensional indecomposable modules is extended to infinite-dimensional modules by Reiten and Ringel in [34] as follows.

DEFINITION 2.4. Let $r \in \mathbb{R}_0^\infty^\dagger$. We say a module M is of slope r if $(M, P) = 0$ and $(Q, M) = 0$ for all $P \in \mathcal{P}_r$ and $Q \in \mathcal{Q}_r$.

Note that $M \otimes P^* = 0$ if and only if $(M, P) = 0$ because

$$\mathrm{Hom}_k(M \otimes_R P^*, k) \cong \mathrm{Hom}_R(M, \mathrm{Hom}_k(P^*, k)) \cong \mathrm{Hom}_R(M, P)$$

for $P \in \mathrm{mod}\text{-}R$. Therefore M has slope r if and only if $M \otimes P^* = 0$ and $(Q, M) = 0$ for all $P \in \mathcal{P}_r$ and $Q \in \mathcal{Q}_r$.

THEOREM 2.5 [34, 13.1]. All indecomposable modules, except for the finite-dimensional preprojectives and preinjectives, over a tubular algebra have a slope.

2.3. pp-formulas

We now recall some concepts and results from model theory of modules; the necessary background can be found in [31] or [28].

A pp- n -formula is a formula in the language $\mathcal{L}_R = (0, +, (\cdot r)_{r \in R})$ of (right) R -modules of the form

$$\exists \bar{y}(\bar{x}, \bar{y})H = 0,$$

where \bar{x} is a n -tuple of variables and H is an appropriately sized matrix with entries in R . If φ is a pp-formula and M is a right R -module, then $\varphi(M)$ denotes the set of all elements $\bar{m} \in M^n$ such that $\varphi(\bar{m})$ holds. Note that for any module M , $\varphi(M)$ is a subgroup of M^n equipped with the addition induced by addition in M . We identify two pp-formulas if they define the same subgroup in every R -module, equivalently in every finitely presented R -module [31, 1.2.23]. After apply this identification, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$ the set of (equivalence classes of) pp- n -formulas forms a lattice with the order given by implication, that is, $\psi \leq \varphi$ if and only if $\psi(M) \subseteq \varphi(M)$ for all R -modules M . The meet of two pp- n -formulas φ, ψ is given by $\varphi \wedge \psi$ and the join is given by $\varphi + \psi$.

If M is finitely presented module and $\bar{m} \in M^n$, then there is a pp- n -formula φ which generates the pp-type of \bar{m} in M , that is, for all pp-formulas ψ , $\psi \geq \varphi$ if and only if $\bar{m} \in \psi(M)$. Conversely, if φ is a pp- n -formula, then there exists a finitely presented module M and $\bar{m} \in M^n$ such that φ generates the pp-type of \bar{m} in M . We call M together with \bar{m} a free-realisation of φ . For proofs of these assertions and more about free-realizations, see [31, Section 1.2.2].

A pair of pp-formulas φ/ψ is a pp- n -pair[‡] if for all R -modules M , $\varphi(M) \supseteq \psi(M)$. We say that a pp-pair φ/ψ is open on M if $\varphi(M) \neq \psi(M)$ and closed on M if $\varphi(M) = \psi(M)$.

A functor from $\mathrm{Mod}\text{-}R$ to Ab is said to be coherent if it is additive and if it commutes with products and direct limits. Every pp-pair gives rise to a coherent (additive) functor $\varphi/\psi : \mathrm{Mod}\text{-}R \rightarrow \mathrm{Ab}$ by sending $M \in \mathrm{Mod}\text{-}R$ to $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$. All coherent functors arise in this way. Moreover, these are exactly the functors F such that there exist $A, B \in \mathrm{mod}\text{-}R$ and $f : B \rightarrow A$ such that

$$(A, -) \xrightarrow{(f, -)} (B, -) \rightarrow F \rightarrow 0$$

is exact. See [31, Section 10].

[†]By \mathbb{R}_0^∞ we mean the non-negative reals together with a maximal element ∞

[‡]This notation for a pair of pp-formulae, which is standard in the area, is used to indicate that we are interested in the quotient groups $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$ for R -modules M .

For example, the functors $(M, -)$ and $- \otimes M$ are coherent when M is finitely presented and hence equivalent to functors defined by pp-pairs.

2.4. *Definable subcategories and Ziegler spectra*

A *definable subcategory* of $\text{Mod-}R$ is a subcategory which is closed under pure-submodules, taking direct limits and products. Equivalently, see [31, 3.47], a full subcategory \mathcal{D} of $\text{Mod-}R$ is a definable subcategory if there is a set of pp-pairs Ω such that $M \in \mathcal{D}$ if and only if $\varphi(M) = \psi(M)$ for all $\varphi/\psi \in \Omega$. If $X \subseteq \text{Mod-}R$ then we will write $\langle X \rangle$ for the smallest definable subcategory containing X .

Let R be a tubular algebra and $r \in \mathbb{R}_0^\infty$. Since $- \otimes P^*$ is a coherent functor for each finite-dimensional P and $(Q, -)$ is a coherent functor for each finite-dimensional Q , the class of all modules of slope r is a definable subcategory which we denote by \mathcal{D}_r .

Let R be a ring. An embedding of R -modules $f : M \rightarrow N$ is *pure* if for every pp-1-formula φ , $f(\varphi(M)) = \varphi(N) \cap f(M)$. A right R -module M is *pure-injective* if it is injective over all pure-embeddings.

The (right) *Ziegler spectrum* of a ring R is a topological space with set of points, pinj_R , the isomorphism classes of indecomposable pure-injectives and basis of open sets given by

$$(\varphi/\psi) := \{N \in \text{pinj}_R \mid \varphi(N) \neq \psi(N)\},$$

where φ/ψ is a pp-pair.

The open sets (φ/ψ) are exactly the compact open sets of Zg_R . Note that this means that Zg_R itself is compact. We should mention here that the open sets of the form (φ/ψ) where φ and ψ are pp-1-formulas are also a basis for Zg_R .

There is a correspondence between closed subsets of Zg_R and definable subcategories of $\text{Mod-}R$ given by taking a closed subset \mathcal{C} to the smallest definable subcategory $\langle \mathcal{C} \rangle$ containing \mathcal{C} and in the opposite direction taking a definable subcategory \mathcal{D} to $\mathcal{D} \cap \text{pinj}_R$.

The following is an explanation of the above correspondence. If \mathcal{D}_1 and \mathcal{D}_2 are definable subcategories of $\text{Mod-}R$, then $\mathcal{D}_1 = \mathcal{D}_2$ if and only if $\mathcal{D}_1 \cap \text{pinj}_R = \mathcal{D}_2 \cap \text{pinj}_R$ [31, 5.1.5]. Thus, if \mathcal{D} is a definable subcategory, then $\mathcal{D} = \langle \mathcal{D} \cap \text{pinj}_R \rangle$. Conversely, if \mathcal{C} is a closed subset of Zg_R and $N \in \langle \mathcal{C} \rangle \cap \text{pinj}_R$, then for all pp-pairs φ/ψ , $\varphi(N) \neq \psi(N)$ implies $\varphi(M) \neq \psi(M)$ for some $M \in \mathcal{C}$. Since \mathcal{C} is closed and the basis of Zg_R is given by pp-pairs, $N \in \mathcal{C}$. Thus $\mathcal{C} = \langle \mathcal{C} \rangle \cap \text{pinj}_R$.

Let R be a tubular algebra and $r \in \mathbb{R}_0^\infty$. We denote the set of all indecomposable pure-injectives of slope r by \mathcal{C}_r . So $\mathcal{C}_r = \mathcal{D}_r \cap \text{pinj}_R$.

For each rational $q \in \mathbb{Q}^{+\dagger}$, the indecomposable pure-injective modules in \mathcal{D}_q have been completely described.

LEMMA 2.6 [16, Lemma 50]. *The following is a complete list of the indecomposable pure-injective modules in \mathcal{D}_q :*

- (1) the modules in \mathcal{T}_q ,
- (2) a unique Prüfer module $S[\infty]$ for each quasi-simple S in \mathcal{T}_q ,
- (3) a unique adic module \widehat{S} for each quasi-simple S in \mathcal{T}_q ,
- (4) the unique generic module \mathcal{G}_q .

In Section 4, we will describe the topology on \mathcal{C}_q for $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$. For $r \in \mathbb{R}^{+\ddagger}$ irrational this has already been done in [17].

[†]By \mathbb{Q}^+ we mean the strictly positive rationals.

[‡]By \mathbb{R}^+ we mean the strictly positive reals.

THEOREM 2.7 [17, Theorem 8.5]. *Let R be a tubular algebra and $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ irrational. The definable subcategory \mathcal{D}_r has no non-trivial proper definable subcategories.*

Two points x, y in a topological space are said to be *topologically indistinguishable* if for all open sets \mathcal{U} , $x \in \mathcal{U}$ if and only if $y \in \mathcal{U}$. Since the closed subsets of Zg_R correspond to definable subcategories of $\text{Mod-}R$, this means that, after identifying topologically indistinguishable points, there is exactly one point in \mathcal{C}_r for $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ irrational.

In Section 6 we will use Prest’s elementary duality for pp-formulas and Herzog’s elementary duality for the Ziegler spectrum in order to transfer results about $\mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0$ to results about $\mathcal{C}_\infty \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty$.

A duality between the lattice of right pp- n -formulae and the lattice of left pp- n -formulae was first introduced by Prest [28, Section 8.4] and then extended by Herzog [18] to give an isomorphism between the lattice of open set of the left Ziegler spectrum of a ring and the lattice of open sets of the right Ziegler spectrum of a ring.

DEFINITION 2.8. Let φ be a pp- n -formula in the language of right R -modules of the form $\exists \bar{y}(\bar{x}, \bar{y})H = 0$ where \bar{x} is a tuple of n variable, \bar{y} is a tuple of l variables, $H = (H' \ H'')^T$ and H' (respectively, H'') is a $n \times m$ (respectively, $l \times m$) matrix with entries in R . Then $D\varphi$ is the pp- n -formula in the language of left R -modules $\exists \bar{z} \begin{pmatrix} I & H' \\ 0 & H'' \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \bar{x} \\ \bar{z} \end{pmatrix} = 0$.

Similarly, let φ be a pp- n -formula in the language of left R -modules of the form $\exists \bar{y} \ H \begin{pmatrix} \bar{x} \\ \bar{y} \end{pmatrix} = 0$ where \bar{x} is a tuple of n variable, \bar{y} is a tuple of l variables, $H = (H' \ H'')$ and H' (respectively, H'') is an $m \times n$ (respectively, $m \times l$) matrix with entries in R . Then $D\varphi$ is the pp- n -formula in the language of right R -modules $\exists \bar{z} \ \begin{pmatrix} \bar{x} & \bar{z} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ H' & H'' \end{pmatrix} = 0$.

Note that the pp-formula $a|x$ for $a \in R$ is mapped by D to a formula equivalent to $xa = 0$ and the pp-formula $xa = 0$ for $a \in R$ is mapped by D to a formula equivalent to $a|x$.

THEOREM 2.9 [28, Chapter 8]. *The map $\varphi \rightarrow D\varphi$ induces an anti-isomorphism between the lattice of right pp- n -formulae and the lattice of left pp- n -formulae. In particular, if φ, ψ are pp- n -formulae then $D(\varphi + \psi)$ is equivalent to $D\varphi \wedge D\psi$ and $D(\varphi \wedge \psi)$ is equivalent to $D\varphi + D\psi$.*

This gives rise ‘at the level of open sets’ to a homeomorphism from the left Ziegler spectrum of R to the right Ziegler spectrum of R . To be precise the following theorem.

THEOREM 2.10 [18]. *The map D given on basic opens sets by*

$$(\varphi/\psi) \mapsto (D\psi/D\varphi)$$

is an idempotent lattice isomorphism from the lattice of open sets of Zg_R to the lattice of open sets of ${}_R\text{Zg}$.

It is unknown whether this lattice isomorphism always comes from a homeomorphism or even if this map always comes from a homeomorphism between Zg_R and ${}_R\text{Zg}$ after identifying topologically indistinguishable points in both spaces.

The lattice isomorphism between open sets in Zg_R and open sets in ${}_R\text{Zg}$ gives rise to a lattice isomorphism between the lattices of closed sets.

REMARK 2.11. Under the lattice isomorphism D , \mathcal{C}_0 in Zg_R is sent to \mathcal{C}_∞ in ${}_R\text{Zg}$. This follows from the proofs of Lemmas 3.8 and 3.9 in Sections 3 and 2.3.

LEMMA 2.12 [31, 1.3.13]. *Let R be a finite-dimensional k -algebra. Let φ/ψ be a right pp-pair and M a right R -module. Then $\psi(M) \leq \varphi(M)$ if and only if $D\varphi(M^*) \leq D\psi(M^*)$.*

2.5. *Baur–Monk and decidability*

Let φ/ψ be a pp- n -pair and $n \in \mathbb{N}$. There is a sentence, denoted by $|\varphi/\psi| \geq n$ in the language of (right) R -modules, which expresses in every R -module M that the quotient group $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$ has at least n elements. Such sentences will be referred to as *invariant sentences*.

THEOREM 2.13 (Baur–Monk theorem [28]). *Let R be a ring. Every sentence $\chi \in \mathcal{L}_R$ is equivalent to a Boolean combination of invariant sentences.*

If R is an algebra over an infinite field, then for all pp-pairs φ/ψ and all R -modules M , $|\varphi(M)/\psi(M)|$ is either equal to one or infinite. This is because if M is a module over a k -algebra, then $\varphi(M)$ and $\psi(M)$ are k -vector subspaces of M^n and thus so is $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$.

A *recursive field* is a field k together with a bijection with \mathbb{N} such that addition and multiplication in the field induce recursive functions on \mathbb{N} via this bijection. If k is a countable algebraically closed field, then there exists a bijection $f : k \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ so that k together with f is a recursive field. With a bit of work, this follows from [11, 5.1] together with the fact, [26, 2.2.9], that the theory of algebraically closed fields of a specified characteristic is decidable.

We will frequently use the word ‘effectively’ followed by an operation in this paper. For example, ‘effectively calculate’, ‘effectively decide’ or as in the next paragraph ‘effectively list’. This is just short hand for there exists an algorithm which performs that operation.

If R is a finite-dimensional algebra over a recursive field, then the theory of R -modules is recursively axiomatisable, that is, we can effectively list axioms for the theory of R -modules. In this situation we may use the so-called *proof algorithm*, which lists all sentences that are true in all R -modules by listing all formal proofs in first-order logic from the axioms for the theory of R -modules.[†]

With the proof algorithm in hand, we may then compute, for each sentence $\Theta \in \mathcal{L}_R$, a Boolean combination χ of invariant sentences that is equivalent to Θ as follows: In the list of formal proofs we search for entries of the form $\Theta \leftrightarrow \chi$ for some Boolean combination of invariant sentences χ . By Baur–Monk the search terminates.

Thus, given a finite-dimensional algebra R over an algebraically closed recursive field k , in order to show that the theory of R -modules is decidable, it is enough to show that there is an algorithm which, given a boolean combination χ of invariant sentences of the form $|\varphi/\psi| > 1$, answers whether there is an R -module in which χ is true.

If χ is a boolean combination of invariants sentences, we can put it into disjunctive normal form $\bigvee_{i=1}^n \chi_i$ where each χ_i is a conjunction of invariants sentences and negations of invariants sentences. It is therefore enough to be able to check whether one of the χ_i is true in some R -module.

Suppose that χ is of the form

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^n |\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1 \wedge \bigwedge_{j=1}^m |\sigma_j/\tau_j| = 1,$$

where φ_i/ψ_i and σ_j/τ_j are pp-1-pairs. Since every module is elementary equivalent to a (possibly infinite) direct sum of indecomposable pure-injective modules [28, 4.36] and solution

[†]The existence of such an algorithm may be found in any standard source on first order logic, for example, [10]

sets of pp-formulas commute with direct sums, there is an R -module M which satisfies χ if and only if there are indecomposable pure-injective R -modules M_1, \dots, M_n such that M_i satisfies

$$|\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1 \wedge \bigwedge_{j=1}^m |\sigma_j/\tau_j| = 1$$

for each $1 \leq i \leq n$.

Thus, it is enough to show that there is an algorithm which given pp-1-pairs, $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ answers whether

$$(\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i).$$

An interpretation functor, $I : \text{Mod-}R \rightarrow \text{Mod-}S$, is specified (up to equivalence) by giving a pp- m -pair φ/ψ and, for each $s \in S$, a pp- $2m$ -formula ρ_s such that, for all $M \in \text{Mod-}R$, the solution set $\rho_s(M, M) \subseteq M^m \times M^m$ defines an endomorphism of $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$ as an abelian group, and such that $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$, together with the ρ_s actions, is an S -module (see [29] or [31, 18.2.1]).

An interpretation functor $I : \text{Mod-}R \rightarrow \text{Mod-}S$ gives rise to a mapping $\chi \mapsto \chi'$ from the set of sentences in the language of S -modules to the set of sentences in the language of R -modules such that for any R -module M , χ is true for IM if and only if χ' is true for M . In particular, χ is true for all S -modules in the image of I if and only if χ' is true for all R -modules.

If R and S are finite-dimensional k -algebras and $I : \text{Mod-}R \rightarrow \text{Mod-}S$ is a k -linear interpretation functor, then together with φ/ψ , it is enough to specify pp-formulas $\rho_{s_1}, \dots, \rho_{s_n}$ where s_1, \dots, s_n are a k -basis for S and then extend k -linearly. Moreover, if k is a recursive field, then the induced mapping on sentences in the previous paragraph is effective.

3. Basic calculations

Let k be a recursive field. In this section we list basic operations that can be carried out effectively over k which we will need later in the paper. We will sketch proofs of some of the less trivial operations.

REMARK 3.1. Given a finite subset S of k^n and $v \in k^n$, we can effectively calculate a basis for $\text{Span}S$, decide whether $v \in \text{Span}S$ and find a basis for a complement of $\text{Span}S$. In particular, we can effectively calculate the dimension of $\text{Span}S$.

REMARK 3.2. Given a matrix $M \in M_{n \times l}(k)$ we can effectively find a basis for the kernel of M in k^n and the image of M in k^l when considering M as a linear map from k^n to k^l . Hence we can calculate the rank of M .

Let R be a finite-dimensional algebra with k -basis $r_1 = 1, \dots, r_s$. Let $\alpha_{ij}^k \in k$ be such that $r_i r_j = \sum_{k=1}^s \alpha_{ij}^k r_k$. These relations and that r_1, \dots, r_s is a k -basis for R completely define R as a k -algebra. An R -module M is now given by a k -vector space V together with linear maps $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_s \in \text{Hom}_k(V, V)$ such that $\varphi_i \circ \varphi_j = \sum_{k=1}^s \alpha_{ij}^k \varphi_k$. Now, if V is finite-dimensional, say of dimension d , by picking a basis B for V , we may identify M with (k^d, A_1, \dots, A_s) where A_1, \dots, A_s are $d \times d$ matrices with entries in k representing the linear maps $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_s$ with respect to B . We call (k^d, A_1, \dots, A_s) a presentation of M . Note that if A_1, \dots, A_s are $d \times d$ matrices with entries in k , then (k^d, A_1, \dots, A_s) is a presentation of an R -module if and only if $A_i A_j = \sum_{k=1}^s \alpha_{ij}^k A_k$ for $1 \leq i, j \leq s$.

If (k^d, A_1, \dots, A_s) is a presentation of an R -module, then we write

$$M(A_1, \dots, A_s)$$

for the R -module it represents.

REMARK 3.3. Let R be a finite-dimensional k -algebra with k -basis r_1, \dots, r_s . Given presentations of R -modules (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) and (k^l, B_1, \dots, B_s) , we can effectively calculate a basis for the subspace

$$M_{n \times l}(k) \supseteq \{ \Phi \in M_{n \times l}(k) \mid A_i \Phi = \Phi B_i \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s \}.$$

Note that this set is $\text{Hom}(M(A_1, \dots, A_s), M(B_1, \dots, B_s))$ in terms of matrices with respect to the standard basis.

From now on we will assume that k is a recursive algebraically closed field and that R is a finite-dimensional algebra over k given in terms of a k -basis r_1, \dots, r_s and relations.

LEMMA 3.4. Given a presentation (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) of an R -module M , we can effectively decide whether M is indecomposable or not. If M is decomposable, then we can effectively find non-zero pair-wise disjoint A_1, \dots, A_s -invariant subspaces V_1, \dots, V_m of k^n such that each V_i with the restricted action of A_1, \dots, A_s is indecomposable as an R -module and such that $V_1 + \dots + V_m = k^n$.

Proof. Firstly, we effectively find a basis for $\text{End}_R(M)$. That is, we find a basis T_1, \dots, T_l for the subspace

$$M_{n \times n}(k) \supseteq \{ \Phi \in M_{n \times n}(k) \mid A_i \Phi = \Phi A_i \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq s \}.$$

We may assume that T_1 is the identity matrix.

Now M is indecomposable if and only if $\text{End}_R(M)$ has no idempotents apart from 0 and 1. For $a_1, \dots, a_l \in k$, the condition that $a_1 T_1 + \dots + a_l T_l$ is idempotent is equivalent to $\bar{a} = (a_1, \dots, a_l)$ being a root of a particular system of polynomial equations with coefficients in k (and we can find this system effectively). Using effective quantifier elimination for algebraically closed fields, we can thus decide whether there exists $(a_1, \dots, a_l) \in k$ such that $\bar{a} \neq 0$, $\bar{a} \neq (1, 0, \dots, 0)$ and $a_1 T_1 + \dots + a_l T_l$ is idempotent. Thus, given a presentation of a finite-dimensional R -module, we can effectively decide if it is indecomposable or not.

Supposing that we know that M is not indecomposable, we may now search for an idempotent e represented by $a_1 T_1 + \dots + a_l T_l$ in $\text{End}_R(M)$ which is not the identity or zero. We know we will eventually find one because M is not indecomposable. Now $M = eM \oplus (e - 1)M$ and we can easily use our presentation of M to get presentations of eM and $(e - 1)M$. If either eM or $(e - 1)M$ is decomposable, then we may repeat the process eventually stopping when we get a decomposition of M into indecomposable summands. □

LEMMA 3.5. There is an algorithm which lists the indecomposable finite-dimensional representations of R .

Proof. Given Lemma 3.4, it is enough to be able to effectively decide if, given two presentations (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) and (k^n, B_1, \dots, B_s) of indecomposable R -modules M and N , M is isomorphic to N .

We can compute a basis T_1, \dots, T_l for

$$\text{Hom}_A(M(A_1, \dots, A_n), M(B_1, \dots, B_n))$$

and S_1, \dots, S_l for

$$\text{Hom}_A(M(B_1, \dots, B_n), M(A_1, \dots, A_n)).$$

Now $M(A_1, \dots, A_n)$ and $M(B_1, \dots, B_n)$ are isomorphic if and only if there exist $t_1, \dots, t_l \in k$ and $s_1, \dots, s_l \in k$ such that $(t_1T_1 + \dots + t_lT_l)(s_1S_1 + \dots + s_lS_l) = 1$. This can be expressed as a system of polynomial equations over k in $t_1, \dots, t_l, s_1, \dots, s_l$, and thus, we may check, using effective quantifier elimination for algebraically closed fields, whether it has a solution or not. \square

LEMMA 3.6. *Given a presentation of a finitely presented R -module M and a pp-pair φ/ψ , we can effectively decide whether φ/ψ is open on M or not.*

Proof. Given a pp- n -formula φ we can calculate the dimension as a k -vector space of the solution set of φ in M^n as follows. Suppose that φ is

$$\exists y_1, \dots, y_m \bigwedge_{i=1}^l x_1r_{1i} + \dots + x_nr_{ni} + y_1s_{1i} + \dots + y_ms_{mi} = 0.$$

The k -dimension of $\varphi(M)$ is the k -dimension of the solution set of

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^l x_1r_{1i} + \dots + x_nr_{ni} + y_1s_{1i} + \dots + y_ms_{mi} = 0$$

minus the k -dimension of the solution set of

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^l y_1s_{1i} + \dots + y_ms_{mi} = 0.$$

Since φ/ψ is a pp-pair, $\varphi(M) \supseteq \psi(M)$, so the dimension of $\varphi(M)/\psi(M)$ is $\dim_k \varphi(M) - \dim_k \psi(M)$. So φ/ψ is open on X if and only if $\dim_k \varphi(M) > \dim_k \psi(M)$. \square

LEMMA 3.7. *Given a presentation of a finite-dimensional module M , we can effectively find a pp- n -formula generating the pp-type of a generating tuple for M .*

Proof. Let (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) be a presentation of M and let $\bar{e} = (e_1, \dots, e_n)$ be the n -tuple of standard basis vectors for k^n . We need to write down finitely many linear equations over R which describe the linear relations over R which \bar{e} satisfies. We can do this by describing a system of finitely many linear equations over k which describe the linear relations between the vectors e_iA_j in k^n . \square

LEMMA 3.8. *Given a presentation of a finite-dimensional module M , we can effectively find a pp- n -pair $\varphi/\bar{x} = 0$ such that the functor $(M, -)$ is equivalent to the functor defined by $\varphi/\bar{x} = 0$.*

Proof. Given a presentation (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) of M , by Lemma 3.7, we can effectively find a pp- n -formula generating the pp-type of the standard basis for k^n in M . \square

LEMMA 3.9. *Given a presentation of a finite-dimensional module M , we can effectively find a pp- n -pair $\bar{x} = \bar{x}/\psi$ such that the functor $- \otimes M^*$ is equivalent to the functor defined by $\bar{x} = \bar{x}/\psi$.*

Proof. If φ is a pp-formula, then $D\varphi$ denotes the elementary dual pp-formula in the sense of [31, Section 1.3]. Computing the elementary dual of a pp-formula is clearly effective. If $\varphi/\bar{x} = 0$

is isomorphic to $\text{Hom}(M^*, -)$, then $\bar{x} = \bar{x}/D\varphi$ is isomorphic to $- \otimes M^*$, see [31, Section 10.3]. The previous Lemma 3.8 now finishes the proof. \square

LEMMA 3.10. *Given a presentation of a finitely presented R -module M , we can calculate its dimension vector. Hence, given a presentation of a finitely presented indecomposable R -module M over a tubular algebra R , we can calculate the slope of M .*

Proof. That we can calculate the dimension vector of a module now follows directly from Remark 3.3. \square

COROLLARY 3.11. *We can list presentations of the finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope q . We can list the quasi-simples of slope q .*

Proof. The quasi-simples of slope q are just those modules of slope q with 1-dimensional endomorphism ring. \square

LEMMA 3.12. *Given a quasi-simple S of slope q , we can list the finite-dimensional modules in the ray starting at S and in the coray starting at S .*

Proof. Look for M indecomposable of slope q with $\text{Hom}(S, M) \neq 0$ (respectively, $\text{Hom}(M, S) \neq 0$). \square

LEMMA 3.13. *There is an algorithm, which, given a presentation of a finite-dimensional indecomposable R -module M , outputs a pp-1-pair φ/ψ isolating M in Zg_R .*

Proof. Given a finite-dimensional indecomposable module M over a finite-dimensional algebra, [7] gives a method of effectively constructing an almost split sequence

$$0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{f} L \xrightarrow{g} K \rightarrow 0.$$

Pick $m \in M$ non-zero and calculate φ generating the pp-type of m and ψ generating the pp-type of $f(m)$. Then φ/ψ isolates M (see [31, Theorem 5.3.31]).

By 3.7 we can effectively find a pp-formula $\psi(\bar{x})$ generating the pp-type of the standard k -basis (e_1, \dots, e_n) of M . The pp-type of m is $\exists \bar{y} (\varphi(\bar{y}) \wedge x = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i a_i)$ where $m = \sum_{i=1}^n e_i a_i$. Thus, we can effectively find a pp-formula generating the pp-type of m . \square

LEMMA 3.14. *Given presentations of finitely many finite-dimensional indecomposable modules X_1, \dots, X_m and a pp-1-pair φ/ψ , we can effectively find pp-pairs $\varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ such that $(\varphi/\psi) \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_m\} = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.*

Proof. Suppose that we are given presentations of finitely many finite-dimensional indecomposable modules X_1, \dots, X_m . For each j , let $\{X_j\} = (\sigma_j/\tau_j)$. By Lemma 3.13, we can find σ_j/τ_j effectively. Since (φ/ψ) is compact and the set $\{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$ is clopen, $(\varphi/\psi) \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$ is compact. Thus there exists pp-pairs $\varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ such that

$$(\varphi/\psi) \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_m\} = \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i).$$

This is equivalent to $\varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ being such that for all $1 \leq i \leq n$, $X_j \notin (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ and

$$|\varphi/\psi| > 1 \leftrightarrow \bigvee_{i=1}^n |\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1 \vee \bigvee_{j=1}^m |\sigma_j/\tau_j| > 1.$$

We can now use the proof algorithm and Lemma 3.6 to search for $\varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ such that for all $1 \leq j \leq m$ and for all $1 \leq i \leq n$, $X_j \notin (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ and

$$|\varphi/\psi| > 1 \Leftrightarrow \bigvee_{i=1}^n |\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1 \vee \bigvee_{j=1}^n |\sigma_j/\tau_j| > 1. \quad \square$$

LEMMA 3.15. *There is an algorithm which given a pp-1-formula φ outputs a presentation of a finite-dimensional module M and an element $m \in M$ such that (M, m) freely realises φ .*

LEMMA 3.16. *There is an algorithm which, given a presentation of a module M and an element m , outputs a presentation of M/mR .*

Proof. We are using the fact that given a finite subset L of k^n , we can algorithmically find a basis for $\text{Span}L$ and a basis for a complement of $\text{Span}L$.

Let (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) be a presentation for M and identify m with its image in k^n with respect to this presentation.

Find a basis e_1, \dots, e_t for $\text{Span}\{m, mA_1, \dots, mA_s\}$ and a basis for a complement f_1, \dots, f_l of $\text{Span}\{m, mA_1, \dots, mA_s\}$. By considering the action of A_1, \dots, A_s on f_1, \dots, f_l , we get a presentation of M/mR . □

4. Ziegler spectra of tubes of rational slope

In this section we describe the Ziegler spectrum of \mathcal{D}_q where $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$. That is, we describe the induced topology on $\mathcal{C}_q := \text{Zg}_R \cap \mathcal{D}_q$ by describing the closed subsets of \mathcal{C}_q .

Recall the complete list of indecomposable pure-injectives of rational slope q from Lemma 2.6. We essentially follow Ringel’s proof from [36] for tame hereditary algebras.

PROPOSITION 4.1. *A subset X of \mathcal{C}_q is closed if and only if the following hold.*

- (1) *If S is a quasi-simple in \mathcal{T}_q and if there are infinitely many finite length modules $M \in X$ with $\text{Hom}(S, M) \neq 0$, then $S[\infty] \in X$.*
- (2) *If S is a quasi-simple in \mathcal{T}_q and if there are infinitely many finite length modules $M \in X$ with $\text{Hom}(M, S) \neq 0$, then $\widehat{S} \in X$.*
- (3) *If there are infinitely many finite length modules in X or X contains an infinite length module, then $\mathcal{G}_q \in X$.*

LEMMA 4.2. *If X is a closed subset of \mathcal{C}_q , then (1) from Proposition 4.1 holds.*

Proof. This is clear since the Prüfer module is a direct union of such modules. □

LEMMA 4.3. *If X is a closed subset of \mathcal{C}_q , then (2) from Proposition 4.1 holds.*

Proof. Suppose that X contains infinitely many finite-dimensional modules M with $\text{Hom}(M, S) \neq 0$. Then each of these M is in the coray starting at S . Therefore \widehat{S} is an inverse limit of these M . So by [6, 2.3], \widehat{S} is in the closure of these M . □

LEMMA 4.4. *If X is a closed subset of \mathcal{C}_q , then (3) from Proposition 4.1 holds.*

Proof. Since X is closed, it is compact. Therefore if X contains infinitely many isolated points, then X must contain a non-isolated point. By [31, 5.3.31], all finite-dimensional points

are isolated in the Ziegler spectrum of a finite-dimensional algebra, and hence, all finite-dimensional points are isolated in \mathcal{C}_q . Therefore, if X contains infinitely many finite-dimensional indecomposable modules, then X must contain an infinite-dimensional module, that is, either an adic, Prüfer or generic module. By [19, 8.10] we know that the generic is in the closure of every adic and every Prüfer. \square

Proof of Proposition 4.1. The proof of Proposition 4.1 now is the same as Ringel’s proof for tame hereditary algebras but working inside \mathcal{D}_q . \square

DEFINITION 4.5. Let E be a quasi-simple of slope q and $i \in \mathbb{N}$. Let

$$R[E[i]] := \{E[j] \mid j \geq i\} \cup \{E[\infty]\}$$

and

$$C[[i]E] := \{[j]E \mid j \geq i\} \cup \{\widehat{E}\}.$$

Note that, by Proposition 4.1, both these sets are open in the subspace topology on \mathcal{C}_q . We call open sets of the form $R[E[i]]$ rays and open sets of the form $C[[i]E]$ corays.

We now classify the compact open subsets of \mathcal{C}_q .

PROPOSITION 4.6. *The compact open subsets of \mathcal{C}_q are either cofinite (excluding only finite-dimensional points) or a finite union of rays and corays plus finitely many other finite-dimensional points.*

Proof. If \mathcal{U} is an open set containing the generic, then its complement only contains finitely many points, all of which are finite-dimensional by Proposition 4.1. Such a set is compact because it is clopen that is, also closed.

So we now consider compact open sets not containing the generic module. The set $\mathcal{C}_q \setminus \{\mathcal{G}_q\}$ is contained in a union of rays and corays. Thus, any compact open set not containing the generic is a subset of a finite union of rays and corays. In particular, any compact open set not containing the generic contains only finitely many infinite-dimensional points.

If a compact open set only contains finite-dimensional points, then it is finite (since these points are isolated). Suppose that \mathcal{U} contains a Prüfer point $S[\infty]$. Then its complement, by Proposition 4.1, must contain only finitely many points of the form $S[j]$. Thus for some j the ray $R[S[j]]$ must be contained in \mathcal{U} . Similarly, if \mathcal{U} contains an adic point \widehat{S} , then it contains the coray $C[[j]S]$ for some j . Now removing all the rays and corays (which are open), we must be left with just finite-dimensional points. Since \mathcal{U} is compact, we are left with finitely many finite-dimensional points. \square

5. Algorithms at slope $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$

In this section, we present an algorithm which, given $n + 1$ pp-pairs

$$\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$$

and $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, answers whether

$$\mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi_i/\psi_i).$$

Note that \mathcal{D}_q is axiomatised by saying that for each finite-dimensional indecomposable module Q of slope strictly greater than q , the functor $(Q, -)$ is zero on \mathcal{D}_q and for each

finite-dimensional indecomposable module P of slope strictly less than q , the functor $- \otimes P^*$ is zero on \mathcal{D}_q . Given a presentation of a module M , by Lemma 3.8, we can effectively find a pp- n -pair σ/τ such that the functor defined by σ/τ is equivalent to $(M, -)$ and by Lemma 3.9, a pp- n -pair σ/τ such that the functor defined by σ/τ is equivalent to $- \otimes M^*$. By Lemmas 3.5 and 3.10 we can list the indecomposable finite-dimensional modules of slope $< q$ and those of slope $> q$. Thus, given $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, we can recursively list sentences which axiomatise \mathcal{D}_q . Let Σ_q be the recursive list of sentences axiomatising \mathcal{D}_q .

REMARK 5.1. Let $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ and $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ be pp-pairs. Then

$$\mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$$

if and only if

$$\Sigma_q \vdash |\varphi/\psi| > 1 \rightarrow \bigvee_{i=1}^n |\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1.$$

By compactness, this means that there is some finite subset of $\Sigma \subseteq \Sigma_q$ such that

$$\Sigma \vdash |\varphi/\psi| > 1 \rightarrow \bigvee_{i=1}^n |\varphi_i/\psi_i| > 1.$$

We now use the results of the previous section to give canonical forms for compact open subsets of \mathcal{C}_q .

LEMMA 5.2. Each compact open subset \mathcal{U} of \mathcal{C}_q is unique of the form:

- (1) $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}) := \mathcal{C}_q \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_n\}$ where X_1, \dots, X_n are finite-dimensional indecomposables of slope q ,
- (2) $\bigcup_{E \in S} R(E[j_E]) \cup \bigcup_{E \in D} C([k_E]E) \cup \{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$ where for each $E \in S$, if $R(E[i]) \subseteq \mathcal{U}$, then $i \geq j_E$, for each $E \in D$, if $C([i]E) \subseteq \mathcal{U}$, then $i \geq k_E$ and for $1 \leq i \leq m$, $X_i \notin \bigcup_{E \in S} R(E[j_E]) \cup \bigcup_{E \in D} C([k_E]E)$.

Proof. Proposition 4.6 gives us a description of the compact open subsets of \mathcal{C}_q . We just need to observe that the list above contains no repeats. □

LEMMA 5.3. There is an algorithm, which, given $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ and pp-pairs $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$, answers whether

$$\mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n \mathcal{C}_q \cap (\varphi_i/\psi_i).$$

Proof. By Lemmas 3.14, 3.13, 3.9 and 3.8, there is an algorithm which lists pp-pairs defining the open sets of the form $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}), \{X\}, C(X)$ and $R(X)$ where $X_1, \dots, X_n, X \in \mathcal{C}_q$.

Thus, since \mathcal{D}_q is recursively axiomatised, there is an algorithm which, given a pp-pair φ/ψ , finds a compact open set \mathcal{U} such that $(\varphi/\psi) \cap \mathcal{C}_q = \mathcal{U} \cap \mathcal{C}_q$ and such that \mathcal{U} is in the canonical form given in Lemma 5.2.

We now need to take each of the compact open sets of the form $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}), \{X\}, C(X)$ and $R(X)$ and write an algorithm which determines whether it is contained in a finite union, $W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$ of some specified other open sets of the form $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_n\}), \{X\}, C(X)$ and $R(X)$.

Case 0: $\{X_1, \dots, X_m\} \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$

Check directly whether each X_i is in some W_j . We can do this by Lemma 3.6.

Case 1: $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_m\}) \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$

If $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_m\}) \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$, then, by 4.6, one of the sets of W_i must be of the form $F(\{Y_1, \dots, Y_l\})$ for some Y_1, \dots, Y_l . So $F(\{Y_1, \dots, Y_l\})$ contains all of $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_m\})$ except the points $\{Y_1, \dots, Y_l\} \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$. We now just need to check whether the finite subset $\{Y_1, \dots, Y_l\} \setminus \{X_1, \dots, X_m\}$ is contained in $W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$. This is case 0.

Case 2: $R(E[j]) \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$

If $R(E[j]) \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$ then $E[\infty] \in W_i$ for some i . So either one of the W_i is of the form $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_m\})$ for some X_1, \dots, X_m or is of the form $R(E[l])$ for some l .

If one of the sets W_i s is $F(\{X_1, \dots, X_m\})$, then check if any of X_1, \dots, X_m is of the form $E[k]$ for some $k \geq j$. For any which is, check if that point is in one of the remaining open sets.

If one of the sets W_i s is $R(E[l])$, then either $l \leq j$, in which case $R(E[j]) \subseteq R(E[l])$, or $l > j$. If $l > j$, then $R(E[j]) \setminus R(E[l])$ is $E[j], E[j + 1], \dots, E[l - 1]$. So we just use case 0 to find out whether these are contained in the remaining open sets.

Case 3: $C([j]E) \subseteq W_1 \cup \dots \cup W_n$

As above but replacing $E[\infty]$ by \widehat{E} . □

6. One-point extensions and coextensions

Let T_{n_1, \dots, n_t} be the star quiver with t arms of length n_1, \dots, n_t in the ‘subspace’ configuration. A canonical algebra of tubular type is a one-point extension of the tame hereditary path algebra of T_{n_1, \dots, n_t} by a quasi-simple module X at the base of a tube such that (n_1, \dots, n_t) is in the set $\{(3, 3, 3), (2, 4, 4), (2, 3, 6), (2, 2, 2, 2)\}$ [35, pg161]. These algebras may equally well be viewed as one-point coextensions of star path algebras with the ‘cosubspace’ configuration by a quasi-simple module X at the base of a tube.

Throughout this section, A will be the path algebra of a star quiver in subspace configuration as above, $X \in \text{mod-}A$ will be a quasi-simple at the base of a tube and $A[X]$ will be the one-point extension of A by X , that is, the 2×2 -matrix algebra

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ {}_k X_A & k \end{pmatrix}.$$

The category $\text{Mod-}A[X]$ is equivalent to $\text{Rep}(X)$, the category of representation of the bimodule ${}_k X_A$ and also to, $\overline{\text{Rep}}(X)$, the k -category with objects $M = (M_0, M_1, \Gamma_M)$ where M_0 is a k -vector space, M_1 is a right A -module and $\Gamma_M : M_0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_A(X, M_1)$ is a k -vector space homomorphism. Morphisms in $\overline{\text{Rep}}(X)$ are given by pairs $f = (f_0, f_1) : M = (M_0, M_1, \Gamma_M) \rightarrow N = (N_0, N_1, \Gamma_N)$, where $f_0 : M_0 \rightarrow N_0$ is a k -vector space homomorphism and $f_1 : M_1 \rightarrow N_1$ is a A -module homomorphism such that the following square commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M_0 & \xrightarrow{f_0} & N_0 \\ \Gamma_M \downarrow & & \downarrow \Gamma_N \\ \text{Hom}_A(X, M_1) & \xrightarrow{\text{Hom}_A(X, f_1)} & \text{Hom}_A(X, N_1) \end{array}$$

Throughout this section we identify representations of $A[X]$ with objects in $\overline{\text{Rep}}(X)$. So, if (M_0, M_1, Γ_M) is an object in $\overline{\text{Rep}}(X)$, $m \in M_1$, $\delta \in M_0$, $a \in A$, $x \in X$ and $\mu \in k$, then

$$(m, \delta) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ x & \mu \end{pmatrix} = (m \cdot a + \Gamma_M(\delta)[x], \mu\delta).$$

This gives us the following two embeddings of $\text{Mod-}A$ into $\text{Mod-}A[X]$;

$$F_0 : \text{Mod-}A \rightarrow \text{Mod-}A[X], \quad M \mapsto (0, M, 0)$$

and

$$F_1 : \text{Mod-}A \rightarrow \text{Mod-}A[X], \quad M \mapsto (\text{Hom}(X, M), M, \text{Id}_{\text{Hom}(X, M)}).$$

We also have a functor $r : \text{Mod-}A[X] \rightarrow \text{Mod-}A$ which sends (M_0, M_1, Γ_M) to M_1 . This functor is right adjoint to F_0 and left adjoint to F_1 .

In this section we will see that F_0 and F_1 are interpretation functors whose images are finitely axiomatisable and that every indecomposable pure-injective in $\mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{D}_0$ is in the union of the images of F_0 and F_1 .

REMARK 6.1. Let A be a k -algebra and X a right A -module. The assignment F_0 which sends a right A -module M to the right $A[X]$ -module $(0, M, 0)$ and sends a morphism $g : M \rightarrow N$ to $(0, g)$ is clearly a full and faithful exact interpretation functor whose image is a (finitely axiomatisable) definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}A[X]$.

PROPOSITION 6.2. *Let A be a k -algebra and X a finitely presented right A -module. The functor F_1 is a full and faithful (left exact) interpretation functor whose image is a definable subcategory (after closing under isomorphisms) of $\text{Mod-}A[X]$.*

Proof. It is straightforward to see that F_1 is indeed a functor and that it is full, faithful and left exact (see, for instance, [37, 1.4]).

The functor F_1 is an interpretation functor if and only if it commutes with direct limits and products [32, 25.3]. In order to check that F_1 commutes with direct limits and products, it is enough to check that its composition with the forgetful functor from $\text{Mod-}A[X]$ to $\text{Mod-}k$ commutes with direct limits and products. This follows since $\text{Hom}(X, -)$ commutes with direct limits and products.

We now show that the image of F_1 is a (finitely axiomatisable) definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}A[X]$. Firstly note that $L = (L_0, L_1, \Gamma_L)$ is in the (essential) image of F_1 if and only if Γ_L is an isomorphism. Let t_1, \dots, t_n generate X as an A -module. Note that for any $\delta \in L_0$ and $\gamma \in \text{Hom}(X, L_1)$, we have that $\Gamma_L(\delta) = \gamma$ if and only if $\Gamma_L(\delta)[t_i] = \gamma[t_i]$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$. Now for $\delta \in L_0$,

$$\Gamma_L(\delta)[t_i] = (0, \delta) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ t_i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let $\psi \in \text{pp}_R^n$ be the pp-formula

$$\exists z \bigwedge_{i=1}^n x_i = z \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ t_i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let φ generate the pp-type of (t_1, \dots, t_n) viewed as a tuple from $(0, X, 0)$. Now

$$\varphi(L) = \{f(\bar{t}) \mid f \in \text{Hom}_R((0, X, 0), L)\}.$$

So

$$\varphi(L) = \{(\gamma[t_1], \dots, \gamma[t_n]) \mid \gamma \in \text{Hom}_A(X, L_1)\}.$$

Thus Γ_L is surjective if and only if $\varphi(L) = \psi(L)$.

Let $e_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.
 Let

$$\sigma(x) := \exists z \ x = ze_0 \bigwedge_{i=1}^n x \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ t_i & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0.$$

For all $M \in \text{Mod-}A[X]$, Γ_M is injective if and only if $\sigma(M) = 0$.

So M is in the (essential) image of F_1 if and only if $\sigma(M) = 0$ and $\varphi(M) = \psi(M)$. □

Let \mathcal{E}_0 be the image of the functor F_0 and \mathcal{E}_1 be the image of the functor F_1 . We will show, Proposition 6.8, that every indecomposable finite-dimensional module of slope 0 is either contained in \mathcal{E}_0 or \mathcal{E}_1 . Thus, if the finite-dimensional modules of slope 0 are dense in the Ziegler closed subset corresponding to the definable subcategory of slope 0, then all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope zero are either contained in \mathcal{E}_0 or \mathcal{E}_1 .

PROPOSITION 6.3. *Let R be a tubular algebra. The finite-dimensional indecomposable R -modules of slope zero are dense in the Ziegler closed subset of indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope zero.*

Proof. By an argument exactly as the first paragraph of [28, Theorem 13.6], we know that every open set containing a module of slope zero contains a finite-dimensional module of slope greater than or equal to zero.

Suppose that N is an infinite-dimensional indecomposable module of slope zero and that F is a coherent functor with $FN \neq 0$. Let $P_2, P_1 \in \text{mod-}R$ be preprojective, $T_2, T_1 \in \text{mod-}R$ of slope zero, $Q_2, Q_1 \in \text{mod-}R$ of slope greater than zero and $f : P_1 \oplus T_1 \oplus Q_1 \rightarrow P_2 \oplus T_2 \oplus Q_2$ be such that

$$(P_2 \oplus T_2 \oplus Q_2, -) \xrightarrow{(f, -)} (P_1 \oplus T_1 \oplus Q_1, -) \rightarrow F \rightarrow 0$$

is exact.

Let $\pi_i : P_i \oplus T_i \oplus Q_i \rightarrow P_i \oplus T_i$ and $\mu_i : P_i \oplus T_i \rightarrow P_i \oplus T_i \oplus Q_i$ be canonical projections and embeddings for $i = 1, 2$. Let G be a coherent functor such that

$$(P_2 \oplus T_2, -) \xrightarrow{(\pi_2 \circ f \circ \mu_1, -)} (P_1 \oplus T_1, -) \rightarrow G \rightarrow 0$$

is exact.

Suppose that M is an indecomposable module of slope zero. We show that $(\pi_2 f \mu_1, M)$ is surjective if and only if (f, M) is surjective. That is, we show that $FM \neq 0$ if and only if $GM \neq 0$.

Since there are no non-zero maps from modules of slope greater than zero to M , for all $g \in (P_2 \oplus T_2 \oplus Q_2, M)$, $g = g\mu_2\pi_2$. So the following diagram commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (P_2 \oplus T_2 \oplus Q_2, M) & \xrightarrow{(f, M)} & (P_1 \oplus T_1 \oplus Q_1, M) \\ (\mu_2, M) \downarrow & & \downarrow (\mu_1, M) \\ (P_2 \oplus T_2, M) & \xrightarrow{(\pi_2 f \mu_1, M)} & (P_1 \oplus T_1, M) \end{array}$$

Moreover, (μ_1, M) and (μ_2, M) are isomorphisms. Thus, $g \in (P_1 \oplus T_1 \oplus Q_1, M)$ is in the image of (f, M) if and only if $g\mu_1$ is in the image of $(\pi_2 f \mu_2, M)$. So for M a module of slope zero, $GM \neq 0$ if and only if $FM \neq 0$.

Now in order to show that there is some $L \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope zero such that $FL \neq 0$, it is enough to show that $GL \neq 0$.

By the first paragraph, there exists $L \in \text{mod-}R$ of slope greater than or equal to zero, such that $GL \neq 0$. Suppose that the slope of L is greater than zero and let $h \in (P_1 \oplus T_1, L)$ be such that it does not factor through g . Since the finite-dimensional modules of slope zero separate the preprojective modules from those of slope greater than zero, h factors through some direct sum of finite-dimensional modules of slope zero. One of these modules T is such that $GT \neq 0$. \square

We gather together the facts we need in order to show that every finite-dimensional module of slope zero over a canonical algebra of tubular type is either in the image of $F_1 : \text{Mod-}A \rightarrow \text{Mod-}A[X]$ or in the image of $F_2 : \text{Mod-}A \rightarrow \text{Mod-}A[X]$.

From now on, let m be the rank of the tube \mathcal{T} containing X . The quasi-simples at the mouth of \mathcal{T} are $X, \tau^{-1}X, \dots, \tau^{-(m-1)}X$. Note that if $1 \leq p < m$ and $i \in \mathbb{N}$, then $\text{Hom}_A(X, \tau^{-p}X[i]) = 0$. So, in particular, $F_1\tau^{-p}X[i] \cong F_0\tau^{-p}X[i]$.

A finite-dimensional module M over a tame hereditary algebra is *regular* if $(M, P) = 0$ for all preprojective P and $(E, M) = 0$ for all preinjective E .

LEMMA 6.4. *If $M = (M_0, M_1, \Gamma_M) \in \text{Mod-}A[X]$ is finite-dimensional, indecomposable and has slope zero then M_1 is regular. Moreover either $M = (0, M_1, 0)$ with M_1 indecomposable (and regular) or M_1 is a sum of finite-dimensional modules of the form $X[i]$.*

Proof. Suppose that P is a preprojective A -module, so $\text{Hom}(X, P) = 0$. Then $\text{Hom}_A(rM, P) \cong \text{Hom}_{A[X]}(M, F_1P) = 0$ since $F_1P = (0, P, 0) \in \mathcal{P}_0$.

Note that if Q is preinjective over A , then $(0, Q, 0)$ has slope greater than zero. This is because $\langle \underline{\dim}X, \underline{\dim}Q \rangle = \dim \text{Hom}_A(X, Q) - \dim \text{Ext}_A(X, Q) = \dim \text{Hom}_A(X, Q) \neq 0$, since X is a regular module. Then $\text{Hom}_A(Q, rM) \cong \text{Hom}_{A[X]}(F_0Q, M) = 0$ since $F_0Q \in \mathcal{Q}_0$.

So for all preprojective A -modules P , $\text{Hom}_A(rM, P) = 0$ and for all preinjective A -modules Q , $\text{Hom}_A(Q, rM) = 0$. Thus $rM = M_1$ is regular.

For the final part, suppose that $M_1 = L \oplus K$ where L is a direct sum of A -modules of the form $X[i]$ and K is a direct sum of regular modules not of the form $X[i]$. Then $\text{Hom}_A(X, K) = 0$. So (M_0, M_1, Γ_M) decomposes as a direct sum of $(0, K, 0)$ and (M_0, L, Γ_M) . \square

LEMMA 6.5. (1) *When $m \geq 2$, for each $i \in \mathbb{N}$ and $1 \leq p < m$,*

$$0 \rightarrow F_0\tau^{-p}X[i] \longrightarrow F_0\tau^{-p}X[i+1] \oplus F_0\tau^{-(p+1)}X[i-1] \longrightarrow F_0\tau^{-(p+1)}X[i] \rightarrow 0$$

is an almost split exact sequence, where $\tau^{-(p+1)}X[0] = 0$.

(2) *For each $i \in \mathbb{N}$,*

$$0 \rightarrow F_1X[i] \longrightarrow F_1X[i+1] \oplus F_0\tau^{-1}X[i-1] \longrightarrow F_0\tau^{-1}X[i] \rightarrow 0$$

is an almost split exact sequence, where $\tau^{-1}X[0] = 0$.

Proof. Apply [37, XV 1.6] to the almost split sequence $0 \rightarrow \tau^{-p}X[i] \rightarrow \tau^{-p}X[i+1] \oplus \tau^{-(p+1)}X[i-1] \rightarrow \tau^{-(p+1)}X[i] \rightarrow 0$. \square

The following lemma is most likely well known but since we could not find a reference, we include a proof.

LEMMA 6.6. *For each $i \in \mathbb{N}$,*

$$0 \longrightarrow F_0X[i] \longrightarrow F_1X[i] \oplus F_0X[i+1] \longrightarrow F_1X[i+1] \rightarrow 0$$

is an almost split exact sequence.

Proof. We prove this by induction on i .

Suppose $i = 1$. Firstly, note that the embedding of $X[1]$ into $X[2]$ remains irreducible in $A[X]$ after applying F_0 and the canonical embedding of $F_0X[1]$ into $F_1X[1]$ is irreducible since it is the embedding of the radical of an indecomposable projective.

Suppose that N is an indecomposable non-projective module and that $f : F_0X[1] \rightarrow N$ is irreducible. By [2, IV 3.8], there exists an irreducible map from τN to $F_0X[1]$. So by Lemma 6.5, $\tau N \cong F_1X[2]$ if $m = 1$ and $\tau N = F_0\tau^{-(m-1)}X[2]$ otherwise. In either case Lemma 6.5 implies $N \cong F_0X[2]$. It now remains to remark that $\text{Hom}_{A[X]}(F_0X[1], F_1X[1]) \cong \text{Hom}_A(X[1], X[1])$ and $\text{Hom}_{A[X]}(F_0X[1], F_0X[2]) \cong \text{Hom}_A(X[1], X[2])$ are both one dimensional and that the cokernel of the left minimal almost split map from $F_0X[1]$ to $F_1X[1] \oplus F_0X[2]$ is $F_1X[2]$.

Now suppose that we have proved the assertion of the lemma for all $i \leq n$. Suppose that N is an indecomposable non-projective module and that $f : F_0X[n + 1] \rightarrow N$ is irreducible. Then, as before, there is an irreducible map from τN to $F_0X[n + 1]$. So, by Lemma 6.5, if $m = 1$, then $\tau N \cong F_0X[n]$ or $\tau N \cong F_1X[n + 2]$, and, if $m \neq 1$, then $\tau N \cong F_0X[n]$ or $\tau N \cong F_0\tau^{m-1}X[n + 2]$. If $\tau N \cong F_0X[n]$, then, by the induction hypothesis, $N \cong F_1X[n + 1]$. If $m = 1$ and $\tau N \cong F_1X[n + 2]$, or, if $m \neq 1$ and $\tau N \cong F_0\tau^{m-1}X[n + 2]$, then $N \cong F_0X[n + 2]$.

It remains now to note that every map from $F_0X[n + 1]$ to $F_1X[n + 1]$ factors through the canonical embedding and that the spaces of irreducible morphisms $\text{Irr}_{A[X]}(F_0X[n + 1], F_0X[n + 2])$ and $\text{Irr}_A(X[n + 1], X[n + 2])$ are isomorphic. \square

LEMMA 6.7. *If $M \in \text{Mod-}A[X]$ is indecomposable and not injective, then Γ_M is an embedding.*

Proof. Note that $(M_0, M_1, \Gamma_M) \cong (\ker \Gamma_M, 0, 0) \oplus (M_0/\ker \Gamma_M, M_1, \Gamma_M)$ and the only indecomposable $A[X]$ -module with $M_1 = 0$ is the simple injective module. \square

PROPOSITION 6.8. *If M is an indecomposable finite-dimensional module of slope zero, then $M = F_0N$ or $M = F_1N$ for some indecomposable regular module N .*

Proof. Since $M := (M_0, M_1, \Gamma_M)$ is not injective either $M_0 = 0$ and M is in the image of F_0 , or, $M_0 \neq 0$ and, using Lemma 6.7 and the adjunction $\text{Hom}_A(rM, M_1) \cong \text{Hom}_{A[X]}(M, F_1M_1)$, there is an embedding of M into F_1M_1 . From Lemma 6.4 we know that if $M_0 \neq 0$, then F_1M_1 is a direct sum of modules of the form $F_1X[i]$. Thus there is a non-zero map $f = (f_0, f_1)$ from M to some $F_1X[i]$. Take i minimal such that $f_0 \neq 0$. Firstly suppose $i > 1$. If M is not isomorphic to $F_1X[i]$, then f factors through the right minimal almost split map from $F_0X[i] \oplus F_1X[i - 1]$ as in Lemma 6.6. Since $f_0 \neq 0$, there is a non-zero map from M to $F_1X[i - 1]$ contradicting the minimality of i . Thus $M \cong F_1X[i]$.

Now suppose $i = 1$. Then $F_1X[1]$ is an indecomposable projective and $F_0X[1]$ is its radical. Thus either $f : M \rightarrow F_1X[1]$ is surjective or f factors through $F_0X[1]$. If $f : M \rightarrow F_1X[1]$ is surjective, then it is split since $F_1X[1]$ is projective. So, since M is indecomposable, $M \cong F_1X[1]$. The second possibility cannot occur since $f_0 \neq 0$. \square

PROPOSITION 6.9. *Every indecomposable pure-injective module of slope zero is either in the image of F_0 or in the image of F_1 . Note that all preprojective modules are in the image of F_0 .*

Proof. The pure-injective modules of slope zero form a closed subset \mathcal{C}_0 of the Ziegler spectrum. By 6.3, the finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope zero are dense in this set. We have shown (Remark 6.1 and Proposition 6.2) that the images of F_0 and F_1 are definable subcategories. Let \mathcal{A}_0 and \mathcal{A}_1 be their images in $\text{Zg}_{A[X]}$ intersected with \mathcal{C}_0 , note that both \mathcal{A}_0 and \mathcal{A}_1 are closed. Since all finite-dimensional points of slope zero are contained in either \mathcal{A}_0 or \mathcal{A}_1 , the closure of $\mathcal{A}_0 \cup \mathcal{A}_1$ is \mathcal{C}_0 . Thus $\mathcal{A}_0 \cup \mathcal{A}_1 = \mathcal{C}_0$ as required. \square

We now use the above to provide an algorithm which given pp-pairs

$$\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$$

answers whether there is a preprojective or module of slope zero in (φ/ψ) but not in $\bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

PROPOSITION 6.10. *Let A be a tame hereditary algebra and $A[X]$ be a canonical algebra of tubular type both over a recursive algebraically closed field. There is an algorithm which given pp-pairs $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ answers whether there is an indecomposable pure-injective module N such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi) \cap (\mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i) \cap (\mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1)$.*

Proof. If $N \in \mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0$, then $N \in \mathcal{E}_0$ or $N \in \mathcal{E}_1$. We now describe how to effectively check whether there is an $N \in \mathcal{E}_0$ such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$. Given a pp-pair φ/ψ we can effectively translate this to a pp-pair σ/τ in the language of A -modules via F_0 such that $N \in (\sigma/\tau)$ if and only if $F_0N \in (\varphi/\psi)$. Since the common theory of modules over a tame hereditary algebra is decidable [14], we can answer whether one Ziegler basic open set over A is contained in a finite union of other specified Ziegler open sets over A .

The argument is exactly the same for \mathcal{E}_1 . □

We now deal with the preinjective component and modules of slope ∞ . If R is a canonical algebra of tubular type (respectively, a tubular algebra), then R^{op} is also a canonical algebra of the same tubular type (respectively, a tubular algebra) as R . For canonical algebras, this can be easily seen from the original definition of canonical algebra [35, p. 161] and for tubular algebras is [35, 5.2.3].

We have shown Proposition 6.3 that, for a tubular algebra R , the finite-dimensional indecomposable R -modules of slope zero are dense in \mathcal{C}_0 . Using elementary duality, this implies the same result for \mathcal{C}_∞ .

PROPOSITION 6.11. *Let R be a tubular algebra. The finite-dimensional indecomposable R -modules of slope infinity are dense in the definable subcategory of modules of slope infinity.*

Proof. Suppose that $N \in \mathcal{C}_\infty$ and $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$. By Lemma 2.12 and Remark 2.11, $\text{Hom}(N, k) \in \mathcal{D}_0$ and $\text{Hom}(N, k) \in (D\psi/D\varphi)$. Thus, by Proposition 6.3, there is an indecomposable finite-dimensional module M of slope zero such that $M \in (D\psi/D\varphi)$. Now $\text{Hom}(M, k) \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and is an indecomposable finite-dimensional module of slope infinity. □

If \mathcal{E} is a definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R$ such that $\mathcal{E} := \{N \in \text{Mod-}R \mid \varphi_i(N) = \psi_i(N) \text{ for all } i \in I\}$, then let $D\mathcal{E}$ be the definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R^{\text{op}}$ such that $D\mathcal{E} := \{N \in \text{Mod-}R^{\text{op}} \mid D\varphi_i(N) = D\psi_i(N) \text{ for all } i \in I\}$.

LEMMA 6.12. *Let A be a tame hereditary algebra and $R := A[X]$ be a canonical algebra of tubular type. Every indecomposable pure-injective module of slope infinity and every indecomposable preinjective module over R^{op} is in $D\mathcal{E}_0 \cup D\mathcal{E}_1$.*

Proof. This is true for all finite-dimensional modules by Remark 2.3. So by Proposition 6.11, this is also true for all indecomposable pure-injectives of slope infinity. □

If R is a canonical algebra of tubular type, then let \mathcal{E}'_0 (respectively, \mathcal{E}'_1) be $D\mathcal{E}_1$ (respectively, $D\mathcal{E}_0$) where \mathcal{E}_0 and \mathcal{E}_1 are the images of F_0 (respectively, F_1) as functors to $\text{Mod-}R^{\text{op}}$.

LEMMA 6.13. *Let A be a tame hereditary algebra and $R := A[X]$ be a canonical algebra of tubular type. Let $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ be pp-pairs over R . There exists an indecomposable pure-injective R -module $N \in \mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1$ such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ if and only if there exists a indecomposable pure-injective R^{op} -module $L \in \mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1$ such that $L \in (D\psi/D\varphi)$ and $L \notin \bigcup (D\psi_i/D\varphi_i)$.*

Proof. Suppose $L \in \mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1$ is such that $L \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $L \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

Then $\text{Hom}(L, k)$ is in the definable category $\mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1$ and $\text{Hom}(L, k)$ opens $D\psi/D\varphi$ but not $D\psi_i/D\varphi_i$ for any $1 \leq i \leq n$. Therefore, there is an indecomposable pure-injective module M over R^{op} in $\mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1$ which is in $(D\psi/D\varphi)$ but not in $\bigcup_{i=1}^n (D\psi_i/D\varphi_i)$.

The reverse direction is proved symmetrically. □

COROLLARY 6.14. *Let A be a tame hereditary algebra and $A[X]$ be a canonical algebra of tubular type over a recursive algebraically closed field. There is an algorithm which given pp-pairs $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ answers whether there is an indecomposable pure-injective module N such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi) \cap (\mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i) \cap (\mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1)$.*

7. Corrections to a paper of Harland and Prest

Throughout this section, unless explicitly indicated, R will be a tubular algebra.

The main work of this section is to show, Proposition 7.15, that [17, Corollary 8.8] is false for all tubular algebras and to provide, Theorem 7.7, a best possible replacement. Although the replacement of Corollary 8.8 will not be used in later sections, many statements in this section will be needed.

We start by correcting some statements in [17, Section 3].

In [17], it is claimed that for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$ the set of modules which are direct limits of finite-dimensional modules with slope in the interval (a, b) is a definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R$, in [17] this is called the set of modules supported on (a, b) . This is false for $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}^+$. The problem is that although the set of modules supported on (a, b) is a definable category by [22, 2.1], it is not a definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R$.

Using the terminology of [17], the set of modules lying over (a, b) , that is, those modules M such that $M \otimes P^* = 0$ (equivalently $(M, P) = 0$) for all finite-dimensional P of slope less than or equal to a and $(P, M) = 0$ for all finite-dimensional P of slope greater than or equal to b , is a definable subcategory by definition. However, the description of the indecomposable pure-injectives lying over (a, b) given in [17] is not correct. The following proposition corrects this.

PROPOSITION 7.1. *Let R be a tubular algebra and let $a, b \in \mathbb{R}^+$. The smallest definable subcategory, $\mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+$, containing all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules with slope in (a, b) contains exactly all indecomposable pure-injectives with slope in (a, b) plus,*

- (1) *the Prüfer and generic modules of slope a if $a \in \mathbb{Q}^+$,*
- (2) *the adic and generic modules of slope b if $b \in \mathbb{Q}^+$,*
- (3) *all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope a if $a \notin \mathbb{Q}^+$,*
- (4) *all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope b if $b \notin \mathbb{Q}^+$.*

Before we prove the proposition, we need a few lemmas and to recall a few facts. The following remark will hold for general rings if $\text{Hom}(M, k)$ is replaced an appropriate notion of dual module (see [31] for notions of dual modules in the general context). We will only need it for finite-dimensional k -algebras.

REMARK 7.2. Let R be a finite-dimensional k -algebra. If $\{M_i \mid i \in I\}$ is a set of finite-dimensional left modules and $L \in \langle M_i \mid i \in I \rangle$, then $\text{Hom}(L, k) \in \langle \text{Hom}(M_i, k) \mid i \in I \rangle$.

LEMMA 7.3 [17, 3.4]. Suppose that M is an indecomposable module of positive slope $r > 0$. Then for every $\epsilon > 0$, M is the directed union of its finite-dimensional submodules in $(r - \epsilon, r]$, indeed in $(r - \epsilon, r)$ in the case that r is irrational.

LEMMA 7.4. Let M be a finite-dimensional indecomposable module of slope $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ and let E be a quasi-simple of slope q . Then

- (i) $\text{Hom}(\mathcal{G}_q, M) = 0$,
- (ii) $\text{Hom}(E[\infty], M) = 0$,
- (iii) $\text{Hom}(M, \mathcal{G}_q) = 0$,
- (iv) $\text{Hom}(M, \hat{E}) = 0$.

Proof. The first two statements are a consequence of [34, Theorem 6.4]. The right adic modules of slope q are k -duals of the left Prüfer modules at slope $1/q$, the generic module of slope q is the k -dual of the generic module of slope $1/q$ and k -duality sends finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope q to finite-dimensional modules of slope $1/q$. Thus, if $\text{Hom}(M, \hat{E}) \neq 0$ (respectively $\text{Hom}(M, \mathcal{G}_q) \neq 0$), then $\text{Hom}(E^*[\infty], M^*) \neq 0$ (respectively, $\text{Hom}(\mathcal{G}_{1/q}, M^*) \neq 0$). But this cannot happen by parts (i) and (ii). \square

PROPOSITION 7.5 [17, 3.11]. Let φ/ψ be a pp-pair and $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ irrational. Then the following are equivalent.

- (1) There is an $\epsilon > 0$ such for all finite-dimensional modules M lying in homogeneous tubes with slope in $(r, r + \epsilon)$, $\varphi(M) > \psi(M)$.
- (2) There is an $\epsilon > 0$ such for all finite-dimensional modules M lying in homogeneous tubes with slope in $(r - \epsilon, r)$, $\varphi(M) > \psi(M)$.
- (3) There is an indecomposable pure-injective module N with slope r such that $\varphi(N) > \psi(N)$.

Proof of Proposition 7.1. We give proofs for the case $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ and the case $a, b \notin \mathbb{Q}^+$.

Note that the definable subcategory $\mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+$ is contained in the definable subcategory of modules M such that $(P, M) = 0$ for all finite-dimensional P of slope greater than or equal to b and $M \otimes P^* = 0$ for all finite-dimensional P of slope less than or equal to a . We will now show that this definable subcategory is in fact $\mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+$.

By Lemma 7.3, every indecomposable pure-injective module with slope in (a, b) is in $\mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+$.

If $b \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, $\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and a definable subcategory \mathcal{D} of $\text{Mod-}R$ contains all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules with slope in $(b - \epsilon, b)$, then \mathcal{D} contains the generic at b and all adic modules at b . This is because any module of slope b is a direct union of direct sums of indecomposable finite-dimensional modules with slope in $(b - \epsilon, b]$ and no finite-dimensional indecomposable module of slope b is a submodule of the generic at b or any adic module at b by 7.4.

If $a \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, $\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+$ and a definable subcategory \mathcal{D} of $\text{Mod-}R$ contains all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules with slope in $(a, a + \epsilon)$, then \mathcal{D} contains the generic at a and all Prüfer modules at a . This follows from the above paragraph, since each left adic module at $1/a$ is equal to the k -dual of some right Prüfer module at a , so, by [31, 1.3.16], every right Prüfer module at a is a pure-submodule of the k -dual of a left adic module at $1/a$.

Note now that, by Proposition 4.1, if any definable subcategory contains either a Prüfer module at slope c or an adic module at slope c , then it also contains the generic module at slope c .

Thus if a, b are both rational, then $\mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+$ contains all pure-injective indecomposables with slope in (a, b) , the adic and generic modules at b and the Prüfer and generic modules at a . These are exactly the pure-injective indecomposable modules M such that $(P, M) = 0$ for all finite-dimensional P of slope greater than or equal to b and $M \otimes P^* = 0$ for all finite-dimensional P of slope less than or equal to a .

If both a, b are irrational, then the situation is much simpler. All indecomposable modules of slope b are direct unions of direct sums of finite-dimensional modules with slope in (a, b) . In order to deal with the a irrational case we use Proposition 7.5, which says that if φ/ψ is open on some indecomposable pure-injective module of slope a , then it is open on all homogeneous tubes with slope in $(a, a + \epsilon)$ for some $\epsilon > 0$. Thus if φ/ψ is open on some indecomposable pure-injective module of slope a , then it is open on some finite-dimensional indecomposable module with slope in (a, b) . So the indecomposables pure-injectives of slope a are in the definable subcategory generated by the finite-dimensional indecomposable modules with slope in (a, b) . □

DEFINITION 7.6. For $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, let $\mathcal{C}_{(a,b)} := \mathcal{D}_{(a,b)}^+ \cap \text{pinj}_R$.

7.1. A replacement for [17, Corollary 8.8]

We now consider [17, Corollary 8.8] and prove a replacement.

We say a pp-pair φ/ψ is *uniformly open* at $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ if φ/ψ is open on all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope q . We say that φ/ψ is *uniformly closed* at $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ if φ/ψ is closed on all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope q . We say that $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ is a *non-uniform slope* for φ/ψ if φ/ψ is neither uniformly open or closed at q .

Corollary 8.8 of [17] states that if φ/ψ is a pp-pair over a tubular algebra, then for all but finitely many $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$, φ/ψ is either φ/ψ is open on all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope r or closed on all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope r . It further states that the set of $r \in \mathbb{R}^+$ for which φ/ψ is open on all indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope r is the union of finitely many rational points and intervals with rational endpoints. We will show in Proposition 7.15 that for all tubular algebras this is not the case and, in fact, that for all $p \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ there exists a pp-pair φ/ψ such that p is an accumulation point of the set of slopes $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ where φ/ψ is neither uniformly open nor uniformly closed at q .

We first prove the following which is a best possible replacement for [17, Corollary 8.8].

THEOREM 7.7. Let φ/ψ be a pp-pair and S be the set of slopes $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ where φ/ψ is neither uniformly open nor uniformly closed at q . The set S has finitely many accumulation points in \mathbb{R} , and all these accumulation points are in \mathbb{Q} .

The following series of lemmas will be used in the proof of Theorem 7.7.

LEMMA 7.8. If $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ and φ/ψ is open on all finite-dimensional modules of slope q in homogeneous tubes, then φ/ψ is closed on at most finitely many $X \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope q .

Proof. This follows directly from Proposition 4.6. □

LEMMA 7.9. Suppose that $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, φ/ψ is a pp-pair and $v \in K_0(R)$ is such that $\dim \varphi/\psi(X) = v \cdot \underline{\dim} X$ for all $X \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope q . Then φ/ψ is either open on all modules in homogeneous tubes of slope q or closed on all modules in homogeneous tubes of slope q .

Proof. Let w be the dimension vector of a finite-dimensional quasi-simple in a homogeneous tube of slope q . Then for all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules X of slope q lying

in homogeneous tubes, $\underline{\dim}X = n \cdot w$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Since $\dim \varphi/\psi(X) = v \cdot \underline{\dim}X$ for all $X \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope q , φ/ψ is open on all modules in homogeneous tubes of slope q if $v \cdot w > 0$ and φ/ψ is closed on all modules in homogeneous tubes of slope q if $v \cdot w = 0$. \square

PROPOSITION 7.10. *Suppose that $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+$, φ/ψ is a pp-pair and $v \in K_0(R)$ is such that $\dim \varphi/\psi(X) = v \cdot \underline{\dim}X$ for all $X \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope q . If φ/ψ is closed on all modules of slope q in homogeneous tubes, then φ/ψ is closed on all modules of slope q .*

Proof. Let E_1, \dots, E_n be the quasi-simples at the mouth of an inhomogeneous tube $T(\rho)$ of slope q . Then $\underline{\dim}E_1 + \dots + \underline{\dim}E_n$ is the dimension vector of an indecomposable module in a homogeneous tube with slope q . Thus φ/ψ is closed on all modules with dimension vector $\underline{\dim}E_1 + \dots + \underline{\dim}E_n$, so $v \cdot (\underline{\dim}E_1 + \dots + \underline{\dim}E_n) = 0$. Since $v \cdot \underline{\dim}E_i \geq 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$, it follows that $v \cdot \underline{\dim}E_i = 0$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$. Thus $v \cdot \underline{\dim}X = 0$ for every finite-dimensional module in $T(\rho)$. Thus φ/ψ is closed on all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules of slope q . So, by Proposition 4.1, φ/ψ is closed on all modules of slope q . \square

LEMMA 7.11. *Let $a < b \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$, φ/ψ be a pp-pair and suppose that there is a $v \in K_0(R)$ such that $\dim \varphi/\psi(X) = v \cdot \underline{\dim}X$ for all $X \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope $q \in (a, b)$. If φ/ψ is closed on all homogeneous tubes of slope q for some rational $q \in (a, b)$, then φ/ψ is uniformly closed on all rational slopes in (a, b) .*

Proof. Let $q \in (a, b)$ be such that φ/ψ is closed on all homogeneous tubes of slope q . By Proposition 7.10, we may assume that φ/ψ is uniformly closed at q .

Thus

$$\mathcal{C}_q = \bigcap_{\epsilon > 0} \mathcal{C}_{(q-\epsilon, q+\epsilon)} \subseteq \text{Zg}_R \setminus (\varphi/\psi).$$

So, since the closed sets $\mathcal{C}_{(q-\epsilon, q+\epsilon)}$ form a chain and (φ/ψ) is compact, there exists a $\delta > 0$ such that

$$(\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(q-\delta, q+\delta)}.$$

Thus φ/ψ is closed on $\mathcal{C}_{(q-\delta, q+\delta)}$. This implies that $v \cdot (ch_0 + dh_\infty) = 0$ for all $d/c \in (q - \delta, q + \delta)$. Thus $v \cdot h_0 = v \cdot h_\infty = 0$. So $v \cdot \underline{\dim}X = 0$ for all X in homogeneous tubes with slope in (a, b) and thus φ/ψ is uniformly closed on all rational slopes in (a, b) . \square

LEMMA 7.12. *If $p \in \mathbb{Q}^+$ is such that φ/ψ is closed on just finitely many indecomposable modules of slope p and p is rational, then there is an $\epsilon > 0$ such that for all $q \in (p - \epsilon, p + \epsilon) \setminus \{p\}$, φ/ψ is uniformly open at q .*

Proof. Let $\{Z_1, \dots, Z_n\}$ be the indecomposable modules of slope p which do not open φ/ψ . Let σ/τ be a pp-pair such that $(\sigma/\tau) = \{Z_1, \dots, Z_n\}$. Then $\mathcal{U} := (\varphi/\psi) \cup (\sigma/\tau)$ is open and

$$\mathcal{U} \cap \bigcap_{\epsilon > 0} \mathcal{C}_{(p-\epsilon, p+\epsilon)} = \mathcal{U} \cap \mathcal{C}_p = \mathcal{C}_p = \bigcap_{\epsilon > 0} \mathcal{C}_{(p-\epsilon, p+\epsilon)}.$$

Thus $\text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{U} \subseteq \bigcup_{\epsilon > 0} \text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(p-\epsilon, p+\epsilon)}$. Since $\text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{U}$ is closed and hence compact, there is an $\epsilon > 0$ such that $\text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{U} \subseteq \text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(p-\epsilon, p+\epsilon)}$. So $\mathcal{C}_{(p-\epsilon, p+\epsilon)} \subseteq \mathcal{U}$. Thus for all $q \in (p - \epsilon, p + \epsilon) \setminus \{p\}$, φ/ψ is uniformly open at q . \square

The following is inspired by [17, Theorem 3.2].

PROPOSITION 7.13. *Let φ be a pp-formula. There is an algorithm which outputs $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $q_0 = 0 < q_1 < q_2 < \dots < q_n < q_{n+1} = \infty \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ and $v_1, \dots, v_{n+1} \in K_0(R)$ such that for $0 \leq i \leq n$, for all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules N with slope in (q_i, q_{i+1}) ,*

$$\dim \varphi(N) = v_i \cdot \underline{\dim} N.$$

Proof. There is an algorithm, Lemma 3.15, which given φ outputs a presentation (k^n, A_1, \dots, A_s) of a finite-dimensional module M and an element $m \in k^n$ such that (M, m) is a free-realisation of φ . Note that, [31, Corollary 1.2.19] for any finite-dimensional module L , $\dim \varphi(L) = \dim \text{Hom}(M, L) - \dim \text{Hom}(\text{coker}(m), L)$.

There is an algorithm, Lemma 3.4, which given a presentation of M outputs presentations of its indecomposable factors with multiplicity. From this we can compute the dimension vectors of the indecomposable factors of M and $\text{coker}(m)$ with multiplicity. We may now, by Lemma 3.10, compute the slope of each of the indecomposable factors of M and $\text{coker}(m)$. Let $q_1 < \dots < q_n$ be the slopes of those indecomposable factors which have slope greater than zero and less than infinity.

For $0 \leq i \leq n$, let w_i (respectively, u_i) be the sum of the dimension vectors of all indecomposable factors of M (respectively, of $\text{coker}(m)$) with slope strictly smaller than q_{i+1} (equivalently have slope less than or equal to q_i).

Since all indecomposable factors of M are either preprojective or have slope less than or equal to q_i ,

$$\dim \text{Hom}(M, N) = \langle w_i, \underline{\dim} N \rangle + \dim \text{Ext}(M, N) = \langle w_i, \underline{\dim} N \rangle$$

and

$$\dim \text{Hom}(\text{coker}(m), N) = \langle u_i, \underline{\dim} N \rangle + \dim \text{Ext}(M, N) = \langle u_i, \underline{\dim} N \rangle$$

for all finite-dimensional indecomposable N with slope in (q_i, q_{i+1}) .

Thus $\dim \varphi(N)/\psi(N) = \langle w_i - u_i, \underline{\dim} N \rangle$ for N with slope in (q_i, q_{i+1}) . For $0 \leq i \leq n$, let $v_i = (\langle w_i - u_i, \underline{\dim} S_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle w_i - u_i, \underline{\dim} S_m \rangle)$ where S_1, \dots, S_m are the simple modules over R . □

COROLLARY 7.14. *Let φ/ψ be a pp-pair. There is an algorithm which outputs $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $q_0 = 0 < q_1 < q_2 < \dots < q_n < q_{n+1} = \infty \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ and $v_0, \dots, v_n \in K_0(R)$ such that for all for all finite-dimensional indecomposable modules N with slope in (q_i, q_{i+1}) ,*

$$\dim \varphi/\psi(N) = v_i \cdot \underline{\dim} N.$$

Proof of Theorem 7.7. By Corollary 7.14, it is enough to show that if $a < b \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ and there exists $v \in K_0(R)$ such that for all $M \in \text{ind-}R$,

$$\dim \varphi(M)/\psi(M) = v \cdot \underline{\dim} M,$$

then there are only finitely many accumulation points of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ in (a, b) .

Lemmas 7.8, 7.9, 7.10 and 7.11 show that either φ/ψ is uniformly closed on all rational $q \in (a, b)$ or for each rational $q \in (a, b)$, φ/ψ is open on all but finitely many points of slope q , all of which are finite-dimensional.

If φ/ψ is uniformly closed on all rational $q \in (a, b)$, then φ/ψ is closed on all indecomposable pure-injectives with slope in (a, b) . This is because the finite-dimensional indecomposable modules are dense in $\mathcal{C}_{(a,b)}$.

If for each rational $q \in (a, b)$, φ/ψ is open on all but finitely many points of slope q , all of which are finite-dimensional, then there are no rational accumulation points in the set of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ between a and b by Lemma 7.12.

It remains to show that if for each rational $q \in (a, b)$, φ/ψ is open on all but finitely many points of slope q , all of which are finite-dimensional, then there are no irrational accumulation points of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ inside (a, b) . Note that if φ/ψ is closed on $X \in \text{ind-}R$, then X is in an inhomogeneous tube. We refer forward to Lemma 8.3, which states that there is a finite set Ω of roots of χ_R such that for all $X \in \text{ind-}R$ lying in inhomogeneous tubes $\underline{\dim}X = y + w$ where $y \in \Omega$ and $w \in \text{rad}\chi_R$. Let g_1, g_2 generate $\text{rad}\chi_R$. Note that since φ/ψ is open on all homogeneous tubes with slope in (a, b) either $v g_1 \neq 0$ or $v g_2 \neq 0$. So if $\underline{\dim}X = y + \alpha g_1 + \beta g_2$ for $y \in \Omega$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}$, X has slope in (a, b) and φ/ψ is closed on X , then $0 = v \cdot \underline{\dim}X = \alpha v \cdot g_1 + \beta v \cdot g_2 + v \cdot y$.

For fixed $y \in \Omega$, we now consider the set of $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $\alpha v \cdot g_1 + \beta v \cdot g_2 + v \cdot y = 0$. If $v \cdot g_1 = 0$, then β is a fixed integer and if $v \cdot g_1 \neq 0$, then $\alpha = \sigma\beta + \mu$ for some fixed $\sigma, \mu \in \mathbb{Q}$. In the first case there are fixed rationals c, d, e, f such that the slope of $y + \alpha g_1 + \beta g_2$ is of the form $(c\alpha + d)/(e\alpha + f)$. So as α tends to $\pm\infty$, the slope of $y + \alpha g_1 + \beta g_2$ tends to a rational or $\pm\infty$. In the second case there are fixed rationals c, d, e, f such that the slope of $y + \alpha g_1 + \beta g_2$ is of the form $(c\beta + d)/(e\beta + f)$. So as β tends to infinity, the slope of $y + \alpha g_1 + \beta g_2$ tends to a rational or $\pm\infty$. Therefore, since Ω is finite, there are no irrational accumulation points of non-uniform slope for φ/ψ in (a, b) . □

In the above proof we could have replaced the final argument with the following argument using Theorem 2.7. We know that if $r \in (a, b)$ is irrational and an accumulation point of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ , then φ/ψ is open on all points in \mathcal{C}_r . Thus $\bigcap_{\epsilon>0} \mathcal{C}_{(r-\epsilon, r+\epsilon)} = \mathcal{C}_r \subseteq (\varphi/\psi)$. So $\text{Zg}_R \setminus (\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{\epsilon>0} \text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(r-\epsilon, r+\epsilon)}$. Since $\text{Zg}_R \setminus (\varphi/\psi)$ is closed, it is compact. Thus there exists an $\epsilon_0 > 0$ such that $\text{Zg}_R \setminus (\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \text{Zg}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(r-\epsilon_0, r+\epsilon_0)}$. So $\mathcal{C}_{(r-\epsilon_0, r+\epsilon_0)} \subseteq (\varphi/\psi)$. So r is not an accumulation point of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ .

7.2. Accumulation points of non-uniform slopes

The rest of this section will be spent proving the following result.

PROPOSITION 7.15. *Let R be a tubular algebra. For any $q' \in \mathbb{Q}^+ \cup \{0\}$ there exists $L \in \text{ind-}R$ of slope q' such that q' is an accumulation point of the set of non-uniform slopes for $\text{Hom}(L, -)$.*

If X is finite-dimensional, then the functor $\text{Hom}(X, -)$ is equivalent to a functor given by a pp-pair φ/ψ (see 3.8). So Proposition 7.15 implies that for all $q' \in \mathbb{Q}^+ \cup \{0\}$, there is a pp-pair φ/ψ such that q' is an accumulation point of the set of non-uniform slopes of φ/ψ thus contradicting [17, Corollary 8.8].

COROLLARY 7.16. *Let R be a tubular algebra. For all $q \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ there exists a pp-pair φ/ψ such that q is an accumulation point of the set of non-uniform slopes for φ/ψ .*

Proof. For all $q \in \mathbb{Q}^+ \cup \{0\}$, this follows directly from Proposition 7.15. The result for $q = \infty$ follows by combining duality for pp-formulas with Lemma 2.12 and Theorem 2.3. □

7.2.1. Coherent sheaves on weighted projective lines. We will use categories of coherent sheaves on a weighted projective lines of tubular type to prove Proposition 7.15. To introduce notation and for the readers' convenience, we briefly review various features of categories of coherent sheaves on weighted projective lines. Our main references are [12, 23].

Let $t \in \mathbb{N}$ be greater than 2, $\mathbf{p} = (p_1, \dots, p_t)$ be a t -tuple of strictly positive integers p_i , called a weight sequence, and $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_t)$ a t -tuple of pairwise distinct elements of $\mathbb{P}_1(k)$, called a parameter sequence, normalised so that $\lambda_1 = \infty, \lambda_2 = 0$ and, if it exists $\lambda_3 = 1$. For

$1 \leq i \leq t$, we will refer to the point $\lambda_i \in \mathbb{P}^1(k)$ as an *exceptional point* (of weight p_i) and all other points in $\mathbb{P}^1(k)$ as *ordinary*.

For every pair (\mathbf{p}, λ) , Geigle and Lenzing define, [12, 1.1,1.5], a weighted projective line $\mathbb{X} := \mathbb{X}(\mathbf{p}, \lambda)$. We will not give this definition but instead define the category of coherent sheaves on $\mathbb{X}(\mathbf{p}, \lambda)$ purely in terms of (\mathbf{p}, λ) .

Given a weight sequence \mathbf{p} , let $\mathbb{L} := \mathbb{L}(\mathbf{p})$ be the abelian group on generators x_1, \dots, x_t with the relations

$$p_1x_1 = p_2x_2 = \dots = p_t x_t =: c.$$

The *degree homomorphism* $\delta : \mathbb{L} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ is defined on generators by $\delta(x_i) := p/p_i$ where p is the lowest common multiple of p_1, \dots, p_t .

The $\mathbb{L}(\mathbf{p})$ -graded k -algebra $S := S(\mathbf{p}, \lambda)$ is the quotient of $k[X_1, \dots, X_t]$ by the ideal generated by

$$f_i := X_i^{p_i} - X_2^{p_2} - \lambda_i X_1^{p_1},$$

for $3 \leq i \leq t$, with the $\mathbb{L}(\mathbf{p})$ -grading given by assigning X_i , for $1 \leq i \leq t$, degree x_i .

Let $\text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ denote the category of finitely generated \mathbb{L} -graded S -modules with morphisms given by S -linear maps of degree zero. Let $\text{mod}_0^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ denote the full subcategory of all graded modules of finite length. The category of coherent sheaves, $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, on the weighted projective line \mathbb{X} , is equivalent to the category $\text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S/\text{mod}_0^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ (see [12, Serre’s theorem] and [13, 7.4]). The *structure sheaf* \mathcal{O} is the image of S in $\text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S/\text{mod}_0^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$.

The group \mathbb{L} acts on $\text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ by grading shift, that is, for $x \in \mathbb{L}$ and $M \in \text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$, $M(x)$ is defined to be the \mathbb{L} -graded S -module such that for all $y \in \mathbb{L}$, the homogeneous component of degree y , $M(x)_y$, is equal to M_{x+y} . Since the \mathbb{L} -action on $\text{mod}^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ fixes $\text{mod}_0^{\mathbb{L}}\text{-}S$ as a subcategory, \mathbb{L} acts on $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$.

The category $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is a hereditary hom-finite k -category with Serre duality. In particular, [12, 2.2], for all $X, Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$,

$$\text{DExt}(X, Y) \cong \text{Hom}(Y, X(\omega)),$$

where $\omega := (t - 2)c - \sum_{i=1}^t x_i$ is called the *dualising element*. Moreover, $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ has almost-split sequences and the Auslander–Reiten translate τX of $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is $X(\omega)$.

The Grothendieck group of $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, denoted as $K_0(\mathbb{X}) := K_0(\text{coh}(\mathbb{X}))$, is equipped with the Euler form $\langle -, - \rangle : K_0(\mathbb{X}) \times K_0(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ which is given on sheaves $X, Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ by

$$\langle [X], [Y] \rangle = \dim \text{Hom}(X, Y) - \dim \text{Ext}(X, Y).$$

The torsion-free objects in $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, that is, those without non-zero subobjects of finite length, are called *vector bundles*. Every object in $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ decomposes as $V \oplus F$ where V is a vector bundle and F is finite length.

The subcategory, $\text{coh}_0(\mathbb{X})$, of finite length objects is uniserial and decomposes into connected components as $\coprod_{\lambda \in \mathbb{P}^1(k)} \mathcal{U}_\lambda$ where for each $\lambda \in \mathbb{P}^1(k) \setminus \{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_t\}$, \mathcal{U}_λ is a homogeneous tube and for $1 \leq i \leq t$, \mathcal{U}_{λ_i} is a stable tube of rank p_i . We will refer to the sheaves in \mathcal{U}_λ for $\lambda \in \mathbb{P}^1(k)$ as being *sheaves concentrated at λ* .

There are linear forms $\text{rk} : K_0(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ [12, 1.8.2], called *rank*, and $\text{deg} : K_0(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ [12, 2.8], called *degree*. The linear form rk is determined by $\text{rk } \mathcal{O}(x) = 1$ for all $x \in \mathbb{L}$ and the linear form deg is determined by $\text{deg } \mathcal{O}(x) = \delta(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{L}$. For all $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, $\text{rk } X \geq 0$. A coherent sheaf X has rank zero if and only if X is finite length. If $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is finite length and non-zero, then $\text{deg } X > 0$.

The vector bundles of rank 1 are called *line bundles* and they are all isomorphic to vector bundles of the form $\mathcal{O}(x)$ where $x \in \mathbb{L}$. Moreover, [12, 2.6], every vector bundle F has a filtration by line bundles and the number of line bundles occurring in such a filtration is equal to the rank of F .

The *virtual genus* $g_{\mathbb{X}} := 1 + \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega)$ of \mathbb{X} strongly controls the structure of $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$. When $g_{\mathbb{X}} = 1$, we say that \mathbb{X} is of *tubular type*. Note that $g_{\mathbb{X}}$ is only dependent on the weight sequence of \mathbb{X} and, up to permutation, the only weight sequences of tubular type are $(2,3,6)$, $(2,4,4)$, $(3,3,3)$ and $(2,2,2,2)$.

The Riemann–Roch formula, given here as in [23, 2.4], relates the degree and rank of $x, y \in \mathbb{K}_0(\mathbb{X})$ with the Euler form:

$$\sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \langle \tau^j x, y \rangle = p(1 - g_{\mathbb{X}}) \text{rk } x \cdot \text{rk } y + \begin{vmatrix} \text{rk } x & \text{rk } y \\ \text{deg } x & \text{deg } y \end{vmatrix}.$$

The *(GL)-slope* of a non-zero vector bundle X is given by $\mu(X) := \text{deg } X / \text{rk } X$. If X is a finite length sheaf then we set $\mu(X) := \infty$.

A vector bundle $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is *semistable* if for each $Y \subseteq X$, $\mu(Y) \leq \mu(X)$. For $q \in \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\infty\}$, let \mathcal{W}_q denote the full subcategory of all semistable sheaves of slope q .

When \mathbb{X} is of tubular type the following theorem describes $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$.

THEOREM 7.17 [12, 5.6][23]. *Let \mathbb{X} be a weighted projective line of tubular type.*

- (i) *All indecomposable $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ are semistable.*
- (ii) *For all $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ indecomposable, $\mu(X) = \mu(\tau X)$.*
- (iii) *For $X, Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ indecomposable, if $\text{Hom}(X, Y) \neq 0$ then $\mu(X) \leq \mu(Y)$.*
- (iv) *For each $q \in \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\infty\}$, \mathcal{W}_q is equivalent to $\text{coh}_0(\mathbb{X})$.*

7.2.2. Concealed canonical algebras. A vector bundle Σ is said to be a *tilting bundle* if $\text{Ext}^1(\Sigma, \Sigma) = 0$ and $D^b(\mathbb{X}) := D^b(\text{coh}(\mathbb{X}))$ is the smallest triangulated subcategory of $D^b(\mathbb{X})$ containing Σ (see [12, 3.1]). A *concealed canonical algebra* is the endomorphism ring of a tilting bundle in $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ for some weighted projective line \mathbb{X} . If \mathbb{X} is of tubular type and $\Sigma \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is a tilting bundle, then $\text{End}(\Sigma)$ is a tubular algebra and all tubular algebras occur in this way [24, 3.6].

For any weighted projective line $\mathbb{X}(\mathbf{p}, \lambda)$, Geigle and Lenzing defined a tilting bundle $\Sigma_{can} := \bigoplus_{0 \leq x \leq c} \mathcal{O}(x)$, called the *canonical tilting bundle*. The endomorphism ring of Σ_{can} is the canonical algebra $\Lambda(\mathbf{p}, \lambda)$ in the sense of Ringel [12, § 4].

Suppose that R is a concealed canonical algebra of tubular type, that is, a tubular algebra, and $\Sigma \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is a tilting vector bundle such that $\text{End}(\Sigma) = R$.

Let \mathcal{T} be the *torsion class* of Σ , that is, the full subcategory of $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ generated by Σ (or equivalently, the full subcategory of objects $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ such that $\text{Ext}^1(\Sigma, X) = 0$) and let \mathcal{F} be the *torsion-free class* of Σ , that is, the full subcategory of objects $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ such that $\text{Hom}(\Sigma, X) = 0$.

Since $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is hereditary, the objects of the bounded derived category, $D^b(\mathbb{X})$, are of the form $\bigoplus_{i \in I} X_i[i]$ where $I \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$ is finite and $X_i \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ for all $i \in I$. For all $X, Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ and $i, j \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$\text{Hom}_{D^b(\mathbb{X})}(X[i], Y[j]) = \text{Ext}_{\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})}^{j-i}(X, Y).$$

The right derived functor of $\text{Hom}(\Sigma, -)$ gives equivalence of bounded derived categories

$$\text{RHom}(\Sigma, -) : D^b(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow D^b(R) := D^b(\text{mod-}R)$$

and $\text{mod-}R$ is equivalent to the subcategory $\mathcal{T} \vee \mathcal{F}[1]$ of $D^b(\mathbb{X})$ consisting of objects of the form $X \oplus Z[1]$ where $X \in \mathcal{T}$ and $Z \in \mathcal{F}$ (see [12, § 3]). Moreover, $\text{RHom}(\Sigma, -)$ induces an Euler form preserving isomorphism of Grothendieck groups

$$K_0(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow K_0(R), \quad [X] \mapsto \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (-1)^i [\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{X}}^i(\Sigma, X)].$$

In what follows, we will use this equivalence to identify $D^b(\mathbb{X})$ and $D^b(R)$ (and hence $K_0(\mathbb{X})$ and $K_0(R)$ equipped with their Euler forms).

We now recall, see [23] and [20, 4.9], how the various parts of $\text{mod-}R$ sit in $\mathcal{T} \vee \mathcal{F}[1]$. This will allow us to link slope in the sense of Geigle and Lenzing and slope in the sense of Ringel.

Throughout this section, let μ_{\max} (respectively, μ_{\min}) be the maximal (respectively, minimal) GL-slope of any indecomposable direct summand of Σ . Decompose the tilting bundle $\Sigma = \Sigma_0 \oplus \Sigma_{\max} = \Sigma_{\infty} \oplus \Sigma_{\min}$ where Σ_{\max} (respectively, Σ_{\min}) is the sum of the indecomposable direct summands of Σ with GL-slope μ_{\max} (respectively, μ_{\min}). Note that $\mu_{\min} < \mu_{\max}$ since if all indecomposable direct summands of Σ had the same GL-slope, then Σ would not generate $D^b(\mathbb{X})$.

PROPOSITION 7.18. (1) *If $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is indecomposable and $\mu(X) > \mu_{\max}$, then $X \in \mathcal{T}$.*

(2) *If $Z \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is indecomposable and $\mu(Z) < \mu_{\min}$, then $Z \in \mathcal{F}$.*

(3) *The indecomposable projective R -modules are the indecomposable direct summands of Σ and the preprojective component of R is equal to those $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ with $\mu(X) < \mu_{\max}$ and $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{X}}(\Sigma, X) = 0$. So, in particular, the indecomposable direct summands of Σ_{\max} are exactly the projective R -modules of Ringel slope zero.*

(4) *The indecomposable injective R -modules are $(\tau X)[1]$ where X is an indecomposable direct summand of Σ and the preinjective component of R is equal to $Z[1]$ such that $Z \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, $\mu(Z) > \mu_{\min}$ and $\text{Hom}(\Sigma, Z) = 0$.*

Proof. Points (1) and (2) follow from Theorem 7.17 and Serre duality. For (3), see [24, 5.7] and [20, 4.9]. The first part of (4) is [24, 5.3] and the rest follows from (3) using vector bundle duality as indicated in [23, 5.1]. □

Following [23], let $u_j := [\tau^j \mathcal{O}]$ and $u := \sum_{j=0}^{p-1} u_j$ and $w := [S]$ where $S \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is a simple sheaf concentrated at an ordinary point. Then $\langle u, x \rangle = \text{deg } x$ and $\langle w, x \rangle = -\text{rk } x$. By [23, 2.6], w and u generate $\text{rad}(K_0(\mathbb{X}))$ as an abelian group.

Let h_0 and h_{∞} be the canonical radical vectors of R in the sense of Ringel. Let $\alpha_0, \alpha_{\infty}, \beta_0, \beta_{\infty} \in \mathbb{Q}$ be such that $h_0 = \alpha_0 u + \beta_0 w$ and $h_{\infty} = \alpha_{\infty} u + \beta_{\infty} w$.

Suppose $X \in \mathcal{T}$. Then

$$\langle h_0, [X] \rangle = \begin{cases} \alpha_0 \text{deg } X, & \text{when } \text{rk } X = 0; \\ \text{rk } X(\alpha_0 \mu(X) - \beta_0), & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$\langle h_{\infty}, [X] \rangle = \begin{cases} \alpha_{\infty} \text{deg } X, & \text{when } \text{rk } X = 0; \\ \text{rk } X(\alpha_{\infty} \mu(X) - \beta_{\infty}), & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Suppose $Z \in \mathcal{F}$. Then

$$\langle h_0, [Z[1]] \rangle = -\text{rk } Z(\alpha_0 \mu(Z) - \beta_0)$$

and

$$\langle h_{\infty}, [Z[1]] \rangle = -\text{rk } Z(\alpha_{\infty} \mu(Z) - \beta_{\infty}).$$

LEMMA 7.19. *With the notation as in the rest of this section, the following hold:*

- (i) $\beta_0 = \mu_{\max} \alpha_0$,
- (ii) $\beta_{\infty} = \mu_{\min} \alpha_{\infty}$,
- (iii) $\alpha_0 > 0$ and $\alpha_{\infty} < 0$.

Proof. (i) If X is an indecomposable direct summand of Σ_{\max} , then $X \in \mathcal{T}$ and X is a projective R -module not in the preprojective component by Proposition 7.18 (3). Hence X has Ringel slope 0. Therefore $0 = \langle h_0, [X] \rangle = \text{rk } X(\alpha_\infty \mu(X) - \beta_\infty)$. So, since $\text{rk } X > 0$, $\beta_0 = \mu_{\max} \alpha_0$. Note that we can also conclude from this that $\alpha_0 \neq 0$.

(ii) This is proved as (i) using 7.18 (4). As in (i), we can conclude that $\alpha_\infty \neq 0$.

(iii) If $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is indecomposable and $\mu(X) = \infty$ then, by Proposition 7.18, as a R -module, X is neither preprojective, of slope 0 or preinjective. So, by [35, 5.2], $\alpha_0 \deg X > 0$ and $\alpha_\infty \deg X \leq 0$. Therefore $\alpha_0 > 0$ and $\alpha_\infty < 0$. \square

DEFINITION 7.20. Let $\gamma : \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\infty\} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\infty\}$ be defined by

$$\gamma(q) := -\frac{\alpha_0}{\alpha_\infty} \cdot \frac{q - \mu_{\max}}{q - \mu_{\min}}$$

for $q \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{\mu_{\min}\}$, $\gamma(\mu_{\min}) = \infty$ and $\gamma(\infty) = -\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty$.

The determinant of the Möbius transformation γ is

$$\alpha_0 \beta_\infty - \alpha_\infty \beta_0 = \alpha_0 \alpha_\infty (\mu_{\min} - \mu_{\max}).$$

So, by Lemma 7.19, the determinant is strictly positive. It is now easy to see that

$$\gamma|_{(-\infty, \mu_{\min})} : (-\infty, \mu_{\min}) \rightarrow (-\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty, \infty)$$

and

$$\gamma|_{(\mu_{\max}, \infty]} : (\mu_{\max}, \infty] \rightarrow (0, -\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty]$$

are both strictly increasing and bijective.

So, in particular, if $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is indecomposable and $q := \mu(X) > \mu_{\max}$, then the Ringel slope of X is $\gamma(q) \in (0, -\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty]$ and if $Z \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ is indecomposable and $q := \mu(Z) < \mu_{\min}$, then the Ringel slope of $Z[1]$ is $\gamma(q) \in (-\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty, \infty)$.

7.2.3. Accumulation points for coherent sheaves and tubular algebras.

REMARK 7.21. Let \mathbb{X} be a weighted projective line of tubular type. Let $(a, b) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N} \cup \{(1, 0)\}$ with a, b coprime. Every quasi-simple $Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ in a tube of rank $p := \text{lcm}\{p_1, \dots, p_t\}$ with $\mu(Y) = a/b$ has $\text{rk } Y = b$ and $\deg Y = a$.

Proof. Let E be a simple sheaf concentrated at an exceptional point of weight p . By definition, see [12, 2.8], $\deg E = 1$ and $\text{rk } E = 0$. For all $q \in \mathbb{Q}$, there is an equivalence, defined in [23], called a telescope functor, $\Phi_{q, \infty} : \mathcal{C}_\infty \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_q$. These functors are compositions of shift functors $S : \text{coh}(\mathbb{X}) \rightarrow \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ given on objects by $SX = X(x_i)$ where $1 \leq i \leq t$ is such that $p_i = p$, inverses of shift functors and right mutations $R_q : \mathcal{C}_q \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_{q/1+q}$ for $0 < q \leq \infty$. If $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, then $\text{rk } SX = \text{rk } X$ and $\deg SX = \deg X + \text{rk } X$. If $X \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ and $0 < \mu(X) \leq \infty$, then $\text{rk } R_q X = \text{rk } X + \deg X$ and $\deg R_q X = \deg X$. So S and R_q , and hence $\Phi_{q, \infty}$ preserve coprimeness of rank and degree. \square

PROPOSITION 7.22. Let \mathbb{X} be a weighted projective line of tubular type.

- (a) Let $q \in \mathbb{Q}$ and Y be a quasi-simple in a tube of rank p with $\mu(Y) = q$. There exist
 - $(q_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ a strictly decreasing sequence with $q_n \in \mathbb{Q}$ such that $q_n \rightarrow q$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$, and
 - $X_n, Z_n \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ with $\mu(X_n) = \mu(Z_n) = q_n$, $\text{Hom}(Y, X_n) = 0$ and $\text{Hom}(Y, Z_n) \neq 0$.
- (b) There exist
 - $Y \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ with $\mu(Y) = \infty$, and
 - $X_n, Z_n \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ with $\mu(X_n) = \mu(Z_n) = -n$, $\text{Hom}(Z_n, Y) = 0$ and $\text{Hom}(Z_n, Y) \neq 0$.

Proof. (a) Let $q \in \mathbb{Q}$. By Remark 7.21, $r := \text{rk } Y > 0$ and $d := \text{deg } Y$ are coprime and $d/r = q$. Since r and d are coprime, there exists $a_0 \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $b_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ such that $ra_0 - b_0d = 1$. For all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, let $a_n = a_0 + nd$ and $b_n = b_0 + nr$. Then $ra_n - b_nd = 1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ and hence a_n and b_n are coprime. Moreover $q_n := a_n/b_n$ is a strictly decreasing sequence of rational numbers such that $q_n \rightarrow d/r = q$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Since a_n and b_n are coprime, by Remark 7.21, for each $n \in \mathbb{N}$, there exists a quasi-simple W in a tube of rank p such that $\text{rk}(W) = b_n$ and $\text{deg}(W) = a_n$. By the Riemann–Roch equation and since $q_n > q$,

$$\sum_{j=0}^{p-1} \dim \text{Hom}(Y, \tau^j W) = ra_n - b_nd = 1.$$

Therefore $\dim \text{Hom}(Y, \tau^j W) \neq 0$ for exactly one $0 \leq j \leq p - 1$.

(b) The argument is similar to part (a) and left to the reader. □

Proof of Proposition 7.15. Let \mathbb{X} be a weighted projective line and $\Sigma \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ a tilting bundle such that $\text{End}(\Sigma) \cong R$. We keep the notation as in the rest of this section.

First suppose that $q' \in (0, -\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty)$. Let $q \in (\mu_{\max}, \infty)$ be such that $\gamma(q) = q'$. Let $Y, X_n, Z_n \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ and $q_n \in \mathbb{Q}$ be as in Proposition 7.22(a). Since $\mu(Y), \mu(X_n), \mu(Z_n) > \mu_{\max}$, $Y, X_n, Z_n \in \mathcal{T}$. So $\text{Hom}_R(Y, X_n) = 0$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and $\text{Hom}_R(Y, Z_n) \neq 0$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $q'_n := \gamma(q_n)$. Then $\text{slope } Y = q'$, $\text{slope } X_n = \text{slope } Z_n = q'_n$ and $q'_n \rightarrow q$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. So q' is an accumulation point of the set of non-uniform slopes for $\text{Hom}_R(Y, -)$.

The case when $q' \in (-\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty, \infty)$ is similar and left to the reader.

Suppose that $q' = -\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty$. Let $Y, X_n, Z_n \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ be as in Proposition 7.22(b). Then $\mu(\tau X_n) = \mu(\tau Z_n) = -n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. For all $n \geq -\mu_{\min} + 1$, $X_n, Z_n \in \mathcal{F}$. By Serre duality, $0 = D\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(X_n, Y) = \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{X}}(Y, \tau X_n)$ and $0 \neq D\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(Z_n, Y) = \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{X}}(Y, \tau Z_n)$. So $\text{Hom}_R(Y, (\tau X_n)[1]) = 0$ and $\text{Hom}_R(Y, (\tau Z_n)[1]) \neq 0$ for all $n \geq -\mu_{\min} + 1$. It just remains to note that the Ringel slope of X_n and Z_n , that is, $\gamma(-n)$, tends to $-\alpha_0/\alpha_\infty$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Suppose $q' = 0$. The description of the tilting objects of $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ given in [24, 3.1 & 3.5] means that if \mathbb{X} is of tubular type and if \mathcal{T} is inhomogeneous tube of slope μ_{\max} , then if Σ_{\max} has a direct summand in \mathcal{T} , then Σ_{\max} has a quasi-simple from \mathcal{T} as a direct summand. Let Y be a quasi-simple of slope μ_{\max} in a tube \mathcal{T} of rank p . If Σ_{\max} has a direct summand from \mathcal{T} , then assume that Y is a direct summand of Σ_{\max} . In either case, $\text{Ext}(\Sigma_{\max}, Y) = 0$ and hence $\text{Ext}(\Sigma, Y) = 0$.

Now, arguments as in Proposition 7.22 imply that there exist a strictly decreasing sequence $q_n \in \mathbb{Q}$ such that $q_n \rightarrow q$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$ and $X_n, Z_n \in \text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ indecomposable of slope q_n such that $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(Y, X_n) = 0$ and $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(Y, Z_n) \neq 0$. Since $\mu(X_n) = \mu(Z_n) > \mu_{\max}$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $Y, X_n, Z_n \in \mathcal{T}$. The argument now proceeds as in the previous cases. □

8. Almost all slopes and Presburger arithmetic

The language of Presburger arithmetic is $\mathcal{L}_{Pr} := (+, <, 0)$ where $+$ is a binary function symbol, $<$ is a binary relation symbol and 0 is a constant symbol. Presburger arithmetic is the theory of \mathbb{Z} in \mathcal{L}_{Pr} where $+$ is interpreted as the usual addition on \mathbb{Z} , $<$ is interpreted as the usual order on \mathbb{Z} and 0 is interpreted as the additive unit in \mathbb{Z} . Presburger arithmetic is decidable. For more information about Presburger arithmetic, see [26] (see [26, 3.1.21] for the proof of decidability).

We start this section by showing that for a tubular algebra R , the set of $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n \cong K_0(R)$ such that x is the dimension vector of some indecomposable $X \in \text{mod-}R$ is a definable subset of \mathbb{Z}^n in the language of Presburger arithmetic 8.4. In order to do this, we will use the fact that $\text{mod-}R$ is controlled by χ_R , in particular that the dimension vectors of indecomposable

finite-dimensional R -modules correspond exactly to the positive connected radical and root vectors of χ_R . Note, however, that if we add a function symbol χ to Presburger arithmetic and interpret it as any non-zero quadratic form on \mathbb{Z} , then we can define multiplication in \mathbb{Z} , and hence, the theory becomes undecidable. So instead we argue that for χ_R the Euler quadratic form on $K_0(R)$, the set of $x \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ such that $\chi_R(x) = 0$ or $\chi_R(x) = 1$ is already a definable subset of \mathbb{Z}^n in the language of Presburger arithmetic.

LEMMA 8.1. *For any pure subgroup G of \mathbb{Z}^n there is an n -formula $\Delta(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ in the language of Presburger arithmetic such that (g_1, \dots, g_n) is in G if and only if $\Delta(g_1, \dots, g_n)$ holds in \mathbb{Z} .*

Proof. Let V be the \mathbb{Q} -linear span of G as a subset of \mathbb{Q}^n . Since G is pure, $V \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = G$. Since V is a subspace of \mathbb{Q}^n , there is a matrix A with entries from \mathbb{Q} such that $v \in V$ if and only if $vA = 0$. By multiplying A by some integer, we may assume that A has integer entries. Now, for any $g \in \mathbb{Z}^n$, $g \in G$ if and only if $gA = 0$. Let $\Delta(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ be the formula $(x_1, \dots, x_n)A = 0$. Note that Δ is a formula without parameters. \square

COROLLARY 8.2. *Let R be a tubular algebra. The group $\text{rad}\chi_R \subseteq \mathbb{Z}^n \cong K_0(R)$ is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic.*

Proof. Recall, that, when R is a tubular algebra, χ_R is positive semi-definite and hence $\text{rad}\chi_R$ is a subgroup of $K_0(R)$. If $x \in K_0(R)$ and $nx \in \text{rad}\chi_R$ for some $n \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$, then $n^2\chi_R(x) = \chi_R(nx) = 0$ and hence $x \in \text{rad}\chi_R$. So $\text{rad}\chi_R$ is pure in $K_0(R)$. \square

If R is a tubular algebra, $\chi_R(x) = 1$ and $x - y \in \text{rad}\chi_R$, then, since χ_R is positive semi-definite, $\chi_R(y) = \chi_R(x - (x - y)) = \chi_R(x) = 1$.

Similar results to the following have been obtained purely K-theoretically in [21, 2.3]. However, we require exactly the formulation of Lemma 8.3.

LEMMA 8.3. *Let R be a tubular algebra. There is a finite subset $\Omega \subseteq K_0(R)$ such that for all $x \in K_0(R)$ with $\chi_R(x) = 1$, there exists $y \in \Omega$ such that $x - y \in \text{rad}\chi_R$.*

Proof. Suppose that no such finite set $\Omega \subseteq K_0(R)$ exists. Then there are infinitely many y with $\chi_R(y) = 1$ all in pairwise distinct cosets of $\text{rad}\chi_R$. Note that if $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $\langle h_0, y + \lambda h_0 + \mu h_\infty \rangle = \langle h_0, y \rangle + \mu \langle h_0, h_\infty \rangle$ and $\langle h_\infty, y + \lambda h_0 + \mu h_\infty \rangle = \langle h_\infty, y \rangle + \lambda \langle h_\infty, h_0 \rangle$. Let $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$ be such that $a = \langle h_0, h_\infty \rangle$ and $-b = \langle h_\infty, h_0 \rangle$. Thus, there are infinitely many y with $\chi_R(y) = 1$ in pairwise different cosets of $\text{rad}\chi_R$ such that $0 < \langle h_0, y \rangle \leq a$ and $-b \leq \langle h_\infty, y \rangle < 0$. Therefore, there exists $e, f \in \mathbb{N}$ such that there are infinitely many y with $\chi_R(y) = 1$ in pairwise different cosets of $\text{rad}\chi_R$ such that $\langle h_0, y \rangle = e$ and $\langle h_\infty, y \rangle = -f$.

Let $x = fh_0 + eh_\infty$. Note that by [35, 5.1.1] x is sincere, that is, $x_i > 0$ for all $1 \leq i \leq n$ where $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$. A quick calculation gives that $-e\langle h_\infty, x \rangle = f\langle h_0, x \rangle$. Since x is sincere, for any y in our infinite set, there is a $c \in \mathbb{N}_0$ such that $y + cx$ is positive and connected; note that $-e\langle h_\infty, y + cx \rangle = f\langle h_0, y + cx \rangle$. Thus we have an infinite set of elements $z \in K_0(R)$ such that z is connected, positive, $\chi_R(z) = 1$ and $-e\langle h_\infty, z \rangle = f\langle h_0, z \rangle$ all of which are pairwise in different cosets of $\text{rad}\chi_R$. This contradicts that fact that for each slope q , R has only finitely many inhomogeneous tubes. \square

LEMMA 8.4. *Let R be a tubular algebra. The set of dimension vectors $x \in K_0(R)$ such that $\chi_R(x) = 0$ or $\chi_R(x) = 1$ is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic. Thus, the set of dimension vectors of finite-dimensional indecomposable modules over R is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic.*

Proof. By Lemma 8.3, there is a finite subset $\Omega \subseteq K_0(R)$ such that for all $x \in K_0(R)$ with $\chi_R(x) = 1$, there exists $y \in \Omega$ such that $x - y \in \text{rad}\chi_R$. By Lemma 8.1 $\text{rad}\chi_R$ is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic. Thus, the set of dimension vectors $x \in K_0(R)$ such that $\chi_R(x) = 0$ or $\chi_R(x) = 1$ is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic.

That $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in K_0(R)$ is positive is expressed by saying $x_i \geq 0$ for all $1 \leq i \leq n$ and that $x_i > 0$ for some $1 \leq i \leq n$. That $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in K_0(R)$ is connected is expressed by saying that if $x_i > 0$ and $x_j > 0$, then there is some path P in the underlying quiver of R between i and j such that for all vertices k in P , $x_k > 0$.

By 2.2, $\text{mod-}R$ is controlled by χ_R . Thus any connected positive dimension vector with $\chi_R(x) = 0$ or $\chi_R(x) = 1$ is the dimension vector of an indecomposable module and all dimension vectors of indecomposable modules are of this form. Thus, we have shown that the set of dimension vectors of finite-dimensional indecomposable modules over R is definable in the language of Presburger arithmetic. \square

PROPOSITION 8.5. *Let R be a tubular algebra and $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ be pp-pairs such that there exist $v, w_1, \dots, w_n \in K_0(R)$ such that for indecomposable finite-dimensional modules M with slope in the interval (a, b) ,*

$$\dim \varphi(M)/\psi(M) = v \cdot \underline{\dim}M$$

and for $1 \leq i \leq n$

$$\dim \varphi_i(M)/\psi_i(M) = w_i \cdot \underline{\dim}M.$$

If there is an indecomposable pure-injective module N with slope in (a, b) such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ but $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$, then there is a finite-dimensional indecomposable module M with slope in (a, b) such that $M \in (\varphi/\psi)$ but $M \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

Proof. Suppose that N is as in the statement and that N has slope q .

For any slope $p \in (a, b)$ either φ/ψ is closed on all modules of slope p or φ/ψ is open on all the indecomposable pure-injective modules of slope p except for finitely many finite-dimensional indecomposable modules. See Proposition 7.10 and Lemma 7.8 for p rational and Theorem 2.7 for p irrational.

So, $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ implies that φ/ψ is open on almost all indecomposable pure injectives of slope q and $N \notin (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ implies that φ_i/ψ_i is closed on all indecomposable pure-injectives of slope q . So if q is rational, then there is a finite-dimensional indecomposable module M such that $M \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $M \notin (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ for $1 \leq i \leq n$.

If q is irrational, then there is some $\epsilon > 0$ such that φ/ψ is open on all finite-dimensional indecomposable M with slope in $(q - \epsilon, q + \epsilon)$ [17, 8.7]. Likewise, for each $1 \leq i \leq n$, there is some $\epsilon_i > 0$ such that φ_i/ψ_i is closed on all finite-dimensional indecomposable M with slope in $(q - \epsilon_i, q + \epsilon_i)$. This is true because if $\mathcal{C}_q \subseteq \mathbb{Z}\mathfrak{g}_R \setminus (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$, then $(\varphi_i/\psi_i) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}\mathfrak{g}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_q = \bigcup_{\epsilon > 0} \mathbb{Z}\mathfrak{g}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(q-\epsilon, q+\epsilon)}$. Since (φ_i/ψ_i) is compact, there exists some $\epsilon > 0$ such that $(\varphi_i/\psi_i) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}\mathfrak{g}_R \setminus \mathcal{C}_{(q-\epsilon, q+\epsilon)}$.

Thus there is some finite-dimensional indecomposable module M with slope in (a, b) such that $M \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $M \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$. \square

LEMMA 8.6. *There is an algorithm which given $w, v_1, \dots, v_n \in \mathbb{Z}^m$ and $a < b \in \mathbb{Q}_0^\infty$ answers whether there is an indecomposable finite-dimensional module X with slope in (a, b) such that $w \cdot \underline{\dim}X > 0$ and for $1 \leq i \leq n$, $v_i \cdot \underline{\dim}X = 0$.*

Proof. Note that there are vectors g_0 and g_∞ such that for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}^m$, $\langle h_0, x \rangle = g_0 \cdot x$ and $\langle h_\infty, x \rangle = g_\infty \cdot x$.

Thus $x \in \mathbb{Z}^m$ has ‘slope’ in (a, b) if and only if $-(g_0 \cdot x)/(g_\infty \cdot x) \in (a, b)$. This statement can be easily rewritten in the language of Presburger arithmetic.

In Lemma 8.4, we showed that set of dimension vectors of indecomposable finite-dimensional modules over R is definable in Presburger arithmetic. Thus, since Presburger arithmetic is decidable, there is an algorithm which decides whether there is an $x \in \mathbb{Z}^m$ such that x is the dimension vector of an indecomposable finite-dimensional module over R , x has slope in (a, b) , $w \cdot x > 0$ and for $1 \leq i \leq n$, $v_i \cdot x = 0$. \square

9. Decidability for theories of modules over tubular algebras

In this section we combine the results of the previous sections in order to prove that if R is a tubular algebra over a recursive algebraically closed field, then R has decidable theory of modules.

THEOREM 9.1. *Let R be a tubular algebra over a recursive algebraically closed field. The common theory of R -modules is decidable.*

Proof of Theorem 9.1 for canonical algebras of tubular type. It is enough to show that there is an algorithm which, given pp-pairs $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$, answers whether

$$(\varphi/\psi) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i).$$

First we show that there is an algorithm which answers whether there is an indecomposable pure-injective N of strictly positive non-infinite slope with $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ such that $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

By Corollary 7.14, there is an algorithm which, given $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$, outputs $0 = q_0 < q_1 < \dots < q_m < q_{m+1} = \infty$ and v_j, w_{ij} such that for all $0 \leq j \leq m$ and all indecomposable finite-dimensional modules N with slope in (q_j, q_{j+1}) ,

$$\dim \varphi(N)/\psi(N) = v_j \cdot \underline{\dim} N$$

and

$$\dim \varphi_i(N)/\psi_i(N) = w_{ij} \cdot \underline{\dim} N.$$

By Proposition 8.5, if there is an indecomposable pure-injective module N with slope in (q_j, q_{j+1}) such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$, then there is a finite-dimensional indecomposable module with slope in (q_j, q_{j+1}) such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$. Thus, by Lemma 8.6, we can effectively answer whether there is an indecomposable pure-injective module N with slope in (q_j, q_{j+1}) such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

By Lemma 5.3, there is an algorithm which, for each $1 \leq j \leq m$ answer whether

$$(\varphi/\psi) \cap \mathcal{C}_{q_j} \subseteq \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i) \cap \mathcal{C}_{q_j}.$$

It now remains to answer whether there is an indecomposable pure-injective module $N \in \mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0$ or $N \in \mathcal{C}_\infty \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty$ such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$.

Since $\mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0 \subseteq \mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1$ and $\mathcal{C}_\infty \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty \subseteq \mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1$, it is enough to check if there is an indecomposable pure-injective module $N \in \mathcal{E}_0 \cup \mathcal{E}_1$ or $N \in \mathcal{E}'_0 \cup \mathcal{E}'_1$ such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$. For this we refer to 6.10 and 6.14. \square

We now extend the above result to tubular algebras. Note that since the results of Sections 5–8 are for general tubular algebras, the only part of the proof missing is an algorithm which given pp-pairs $\varphi/\psi, \varphi_1/\psi_1, \dots, \varphi_n/\psi_n$ answers yes or no such that

- (1) if the algorithm answers yes, then there is an (indecomposable pure-injective) R -module N such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ and
- (2) if the algorithm answers no, then there does not exist $N \in \mathcal{H}$ such that $N \in (\varphi/\psi)$ and $N \notin \bigcup_{i=1}^n (\varphi_i/\psi_i)$ where $\mathcal{H} := \mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_\infty \cup \mathcal{Q}_\infty$.

Using Herzog’s duality, as in Lemma 6.13, it is sufficient to replace \mathcal{H} in the above by $\mathcal{P}_0 \cup \mathcal{C}_0$. Let Γ be a finite-dimensional algebra. A finite-dimensional Γ -module T is a tilting module if the following three conditions are satisfied:

- (T1) T has projective dimension less than or equal to 1,
- (T2) $\text{Ext}^1(T, T) = 0$ and
- (T3) There exists a short exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Gamma \rightarrow T' \rightarrow T'' \rightarrow 0$ where T' and T'' are direct summands of some finite power of T .

Note that, [5, 2.1], (T3) can be replaced with the condition that the number of pairwise non-isomorphic indecomposable direct summands of T is equal to the number of pairwise non-isomorphic simple Γ -modules.

For an introduction to tilting theory for finite-dimensional algebras, see [2, Chapter VI].

PROPOSITION 9.2. *Let R be a tubular algebra. There exists a canonical algebra Γ of tubular type and a tilting module $\Sigma \in \text{mod-}\Gamma$ with $\text{End}(\Sigma) \cong R$ such that for all indecomposable pure-injective R -modules N which are either of slope zero or preprojective, there exists an indecomposable pure-injective Γ -module M with $\text{Hom}_\Gamma(R\Sigma, M) \cong N$.*

Proof. Let Σ be a tilting vector bundle in $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ where \mathbb{X} is of tubular type such that $\text{End}(\Sigma) \cong R$. Let Γ be the endomorphism ring of the canonical tilting bundle $\Sigma_{\text{can}} := \bigoplus_{0 \leq x \leq c} \mathcal{O}(x)$. Then Γ is a canonical algebra of tubular type. We will view the categories $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$, $\text{mod-}\Gamma$ and $\text{mod-}R$ as subcategories of $D^b(\mathbb{X})$.

Let $\text{coh}_{\geq}(\mathbb{X})$ be the torsion class of Σ_{can} and $\text{coh}_{-}(\mathbb{X})$ be the torsion-free class of Σ_{can} . So $\text{mod-}\Gamma$ is equivalent to $\text{coh}_{\geq}(\mathbb{X}) \vee \text{coh}_{-}(\mathbb{X})[1]$. Note that the maximal (respectively, minimal) GL-slope of any $\mathcal{O}(x)$ for $0 \leq x \leq c$ is $p = \text{lcm}\{p_1, \dots, p_t\}$ (respectively, 0).

By repeatedly applying the shift functor, which acts on sheaves by sending X to $X(x_t)$, we may assume that each indecomposable direct summand of Σ has slope strictly greater than p and hence $\Sigma \in \text{coh}_{\geq}(\mathbb{X})$. Since Σ generates $D^b(\mathbb{X}) \cong D^b(\Gamma)$, the indecomposable direct summands of Σ generate $K_0(\Gamma)$. So, viewed as a Γ -module Σ satisfies (T3). That Σ has projective dimension less than or equal to 1 follows from [35, 3.1.5]. Therefore $\Sigma \in \text{mod-}\Gamma$ is a tilting module.

Let \mathcal{T} be the torsion class induced on $\text{coh}(\mathbb{X})$ by Σ . Let μ_{max} be the maximal slope of any indecomposable direct summand of Σ and let μ_{min} be the minimal slope of any indecomposable direct summand of Σ . Note that if $X \in \mathcal{T}$ is indecomposable, then $\mu_{\text{min}} \leq \mu(X)$. So, in particular, $p < \mu(X)$ and hence $X \in \text{coh}_{\geq}(\mathbb{X})$. Moreover, if $X \in \mathcal{T}$, then $\text{Ext}_\Gamma^1(\Sigma, X) = \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{X}}^1(\Sigma, X) = 0$ and $\text{Hom}_\Gamma(\Sigma, X) \cong \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(\Sigma, X)$ as R -modules.

Since \mathcal{T} contains the preprojective component and all finite-dimensional R -modules of slope 0, the image of the torsion class of Σ in $\text{mod-}\Gamma$ under $\text{Hom}_\Gamma(\Sigma, -)$ in $\text{Mod-}R$ contains all preprojective R -modules and all finite-dimensional R -modules of slope zero.

Since Σ is a tilting module in $\text{mod-}\Gamma$, $\text{Hom}_\Gamma(\Sigma, -) : \text{Mod-}\Gamma \rightarrow \text{Mod-}R$ induces an equivalence between the torsion class \mathcal{G} in $\text{Mod-}\Gamma$ of Γ -modules M with $\text{Ext}_\Gamma(\Sigma, M) = 0$ and the torsion-free class \mathcal{Y} in $\text{Mod-}R$ of R -modules N with $\text{Tor}_R(N, \Sigma) = 0$ by [8, 3.5.1]. By [31, 10.2.36], \mathcal{Y} is a definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R$. Since, by Proposition 6.3, the smallest definable subcategory of $\text{Mod-}R$ containing all finite-dimensional R -modules of slope 0 contains all R -modules of slope 0 and \mathcal{Y} contains all finite-dimensional R -modules of slope 0, it follows that all R -modules of slope 0 are in the image of $\text{Hom}_\Gamma(\Sigma, -) : \text{Mod-}\Gamma \rightarrow \text{Mod-}R$. □

Proof of Theorem 9.1 for tubular algebras via tilting. Let R be a tubular algebra. Let Γ and $\Sigma \in \text{mod-}\Gamma$ be as in Proposition 9.2.

Since $F := \text{Hom}_\Gamma(\Sigma, -)$ is a k -linear interpretation functor, given a pp-pair φ/ψ over R , we can effectively construct a pp-pair φ'/ψ' over Γ such that for all $M \in \text{Mod-}\Gamma$, $|\varphi'(M)/\psi'(M)| > 1$ if and only if $|\varphi(FM)/\psi(FM)| > 1$. By the previous discussion and since we have already shown that the theory of Γ -modules is decidable, this is enough. \square

COROLLARY 9.3. *Prest's conjecture is true for concealed canonical algebras.*

Proof. As a consequence of Theorem 9.1, it remains to confirm that domestic concealed canonical algebras have decidable theory of modules and that wild concealed canonical algebras have undecidable theory of modules.

By [24, 5.7], if Λ is a wild concealed canonical algebra, then Λ is strictly wild and hence, by [30], has undecidable theory of modules.

By [25, 7.1], if Λ is a domestic concealed canonical algebra, then Λ is tame concealed. So, [28, 17.17], Λ has decidable theory of modules. \square

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