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Addendum to "Almost Split Sequences in Subcategories"*

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In Corollary 4.2 we showed that for subcategories C of mod Λ closed under extensions of the form $C = \operatorname{Sub} M$ there are only a finite number of nonisomorphic indecomposable objects in C which are Ext-injective and only a finite number which are Ext-projective. In this addendum we show that these numbers are the same, and at the same time we show a close connection with the theory of tilting modules ([2, see also [1]).

We first make the following observation.

LEMMA A.1. Let M be a Λ -module and $0 \rightarrow^{f_0} M \rightarrow^{f_1} J_0 \rightarrow J_1$ be a minimal injective resolution of M. Then there is an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(, M) \rightarrow D(\text{Tr } DM,) \rightarrow (, J_1)(, \text{Im } f) \rightarrow 0.$

Proof. We have a minimal projective resolution $D(J_1) \rightarrow D(J_0) \rightarrow D(M) \rightarrow 0$, hence an exact sequence $D(J_0)^* \rightarrow D(J_1)^* \rightarrow \operatorname{Tr} D(M) \rightarrow 0$. From this we get an exact sequence of functors $D(D(J_1)^*,) \rightarrow D(D(J_0)^*,) \rightarrow D(\operatorname{Tr} DM,) \rightarrow 0$. Since $D(J_i)$ is projective, we have a natural isomorphism $(D(J_i)^*,) \xrightarrow{\sim} D(J_i) \otimes -$, and further a natural isomorphism $D(J_i) \otimes - \xrightarrow{\sim} D(, J_1)$. This gives an exact sequence $(, J_1) \rightarrow (, J_0) \rightarrow D(\operatorname{Tr} DM,) \rightarrow 0$. We now get our desired exact sequence by considering the commutative exact diagram.

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$$0 \to (, M) \to (, J_0) \longrightarrow (, \operatorname{Im} f_1) \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(, M) \to 0$$

$$\| \| \| \downarrow \qquad \downarrow \qquad \downarrow$$

$$0 \to (, M) \to (, J_0) \xrightarrow{(, f_1)} (, J_1) \to D(\operatorname{Tr} DM,) \to 0$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \downarrow \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\frac{(, J_1)}{(, \operatorname{Im} f_1)} \xrightarrow{\sim} C$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \downarrow$$

$$0 \to 0$$

PROPOSITION A.2. Assume $M = \overline{M}$. Then Sub M is closed with respect to extensions if and only if $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, M) = 0$ and $\tau_{M}(J_{1}) \subseteq \Omega^{-1}(M)$, where $0 \to M \to J_{0} \to J_{1}$ is part of a minimal injective resolution of M and $\tau_{M}(J_{1}) = \{\sum \operatorname{Im} f | f \in (M, J_{1}) \}$.

Proof. From Corollaries 5.3 and 5.7 we have that Sub M is closed with respect to extensions if and only if $(\operatorname{Tr} DM, M) = 0$ and hence if and only if $D(\operatorname{Tr} DM, M) = 0$. Now by using Lemma A.1 we have that $D(\operatorname{Tr} DM, M) = 0$ if and only if $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, M) = 0$ and $(M, \Omega^{-1}(M)) \to^{(M,i)}$ (M, J_{1}) is an isomorphism, where *i* is the inclusion $\Omega^{-1}(M) \hookrightarrow J_{1}$, which is the same as saying that $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, M) = 0$ and $\tau_{M}(J_{1}) \subseteq \Omega^{-1}(M)$.

COROLLARY A.3. Assume $M = \overline{M}$ is a faithful module. Then Sub M is closed with respect to extensions if and only if $\text{Ext}^1(M, M) = 0$ and inj dim $M \leq 1$.

Proof. If M is faithful, we have a monomorphism $\Lambda \to M^n$ for some n. If I is injective, $\tau_{\Lambda}(I) = I$ then implies that $\tau_{M}(I) = I$. Hence $\tau_{M}(J_1) = J_1 \subseteq \Omega^{-1}(M)$ if and only if inj $\cdot \dim M \leq 1$. Our result now follows from Proposition A.2.

COROLLARY A.4. Assume $M = \overline{M}$ is a faithful module such that Sub M is closed with respect to extensions. Then the Ext-injective modules in Sub M all have injective dimension at most one.

Proof. Let I be the injective Λ -module $D\Lambda^{op}$ and $\mathbf{C} = \operatorname{Sub} M$. Then in the notation of Section 4, we have the exact sequence $0 \to A_{\mathbf{C}}^{\prime} \to I_{\mathbf{C}} \to I$ which induces the exact sequence of functors $0 \to (, A_{\mathbf{C}}^{\prime}) | \mathbf{C} \to (, I_{\mathbf{C}}) | \mathbf{C} \to 0$. Hence the fact that M is faithful implies that $I_{\mathbf{C}} \to I \to 0$ is exact. Also we know by Theorem 4.1, that the indecomposable summands of $A_{\mathbf{C}}^{\prime}$ and $I_{\mathbf{C}}$ are precisely the indecomposable Ext-injective

modules in C. Since I_c is in add M, we have by Corollary A.2 that inj \cdot dim $I_c \leq 1$, which gives the desired result.

COROLLARY A.5. Assume $M = \overline{M}$ is a faithful Λ -module such that Sub M is closed with respect to extensions. Then the number of nonisomorphic indecomposable Ext-injectives and nonisomorphic indecomposable Ext-projectives in Sub M coincide.

Proof. Let $A = A_1 \perp \cdots \perp A_k$ be a direct sum of the nonisomorphic indecomposable Ext-injectives in Sub *M*. Then *DA* satisfies the following axioms for a tilting module given by Happel and Ringel [2]:

(1) proj \cdot dim $DA \leq 1$.

(2) $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(DA, DA) = 0.$

(3) There exists an exact sequence $0 \rightarrow \Lambda^{op} \rightarrow A' \rightarrow A'' \rightarrow 0$ with A' and A'' in add DA.

Hence by Corollary 3.2 of [2] we have that the number of nonisomorphic indecomposable summands of A is the same as the number of nonisomorphic indecomposable projective Λ -modules, which by Proposition 3.1 are exactly the Ext-projectives in Sub M when M is faithful.

We now get our main result.

THEOREM A.6. Assume that Sub M is closed with respect to extensions. Then Sub M has the same number of nonisomorphic indecomposable Extprojectives and Ext-injectives.

Proof. We only make the observation that M is a faithful $\Lambda/\text{ann } M$ -module and that we have the embedding Sub $M \subseteq \text{mod}(\Lambda/\text{ann } M) \subseteq \text{mod } \Lambda$. Hence the result follows from Corollary A.5.

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