

Linearity defect, Castelnuovo-Mumford Regularity and Rate of modules

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Let (R, \mathfrak{m}, k) be a local ring (or standard graded k -algebra), M an R -module and $\mathbf{F} \rightarrow M$ be the minimal free resolution of M .

$$(1) P_M^R(t) = \sum_i \dim_k \operatorname{Tor}_i^R(M, k) t^i$$

$$(2) H_M(z) = \sum_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} \dim_k(M_i) z^i \quad (M \text{ is graded})$$

$$(3) \operatorname{reg}_R(M) = \sup\{j - i : \text{and } \operatorname{Tor}_i^R(M, k)_j \neq 0, j \in \mathbb{Z}, i \in \mathbb{N}\} \\ (M \text{ is graded}).$$

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Rationality of $P_M^R(t)$

Definition

$P_M^R(t)$ is said to be rational if $P_M^R(t) = f(t)/g(t) \in \mathbb{C}(t)$,

A rational expression for $P_M^R(t)$ has practical applications.

- (1) it provides recurrent relation for Betti numbers that can be useful in constructing a minimal resolution.
- (2) it allows for a efficient estimate of asymptotic behavior of Betti sequences.

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Castelnuovo-Mumford Regularity

By definition $\text{reg}_R(M)$ can be infinite.

Question

Over which R , $\text{reg}_R(M) < \infty$ for all R -module M .

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- (1) $\text{reg}_R(M)$ is finite for every R -module M ;
- (2) $\text{reg}_R(K)$ is finite;
- (3) R is Koszul ($\text{reg}_R(K) = 0$).

R is a Koszul algebra $\Leftrightarrow P_k^R(t) = 1/H_R(-t)$ (so $P_k^R(t)$ is rational)

Definition

Let \mathbf{F} be the minimal free resolution of M . We can construct a complex of graded modules.

$$\text{lin}(\mathbf{F}) : \cdots \rightarrow F_n^g(-n) \rightarrow F_{n-1}^g(-n+1) \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow F_0^g(0) \rightarrow M^g \rightarrow 0$$

where $N^g = \text{gr}_m(N)$

$$\text{ld}_R(M) := \sup\{i \in \mathbb{N}_0 : H_i(\text{lin}(\mathbf{F})) \neq 0\} \text{ (linearity defect)}.$$

M is said to be Koszul if $\text{ld}_R(M) = 0$. This is equivalent to say that M^g has a linear resolution.

- (1) $\text{ld}_R(M) \leq d \Leftrightarrow \text{Syz}_d(M)$ is Koszul
- (2) $\text{ld}_R(M) \leq \infty \rightarrow P_M^R(t) = q(t)/D_R(t)$

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Paper 1 Aim: Study the regularity and Koszulness of modules over local rings

Let (R, \mathfrak{m}, k) be a local ring which has an element $x \neq 0 = x^2$ and $x\mathfrak{m} = \mathfrak{m}^2$. Then R is absolutely Koszul (Avramov- Iyengar- Sega)

- 1 M is Koszul if $xM = 0$;
- 2 $\text{reg}_R(M) \leq 1$;
- 3 $\mathfrak{m}M$ is Koszul;
- 4 For every ideal I of R the quotient ring R/I is a Koszul ring.

Let (R, \mathfrak{m}, k) be a Cohen-Macaulay local ring of dimension $d > 0$ and of minimal multiplicity. Then any R -module annihilated by a minimal reduction of \mathfrak{m} is a Koszul module. In particular, R is a Koszul ring.

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Let (R, \mathfrak{m}) be a local ring and M be an R -module. If $\text{Ann}(x)\mathfrak{m} = \mathfrak{m}^2$, for all $x \in \mathfrak{m} \setminus \mathfrak{m}^2$, then the following hold.

- (i) M is Koszul if there exists $x \in \mathfrak{m} \setminus \mathfrak{m}^2$ such that $\text{Ann}(x)M=0$; in particular, R is a Koszul ring.
- (ii) If x_1, \dots, x_s are in $\mathfrak{m} \setminus \mathfrak{m}^2$, then $(x_1, \dots, x_s)M$ is Koszul;
- (iii) $\text{reg}_R(M) \leq 1$;
- (iv) for every ideal $I \subseteq \mathfrak{m}$ the quotient ring R/I is Koszul;

Paper 2 (Joint with Rossi) Aim: study the relation between $\text{ld}_R(M)$ and $\text{reg}_R(M)$ and answer to an question asked by Herzog and Iyengar.

(Rossi,-)

Let R be a standard graded algebra and let M be a graded R -module with $D(M) = \{i_1, \dots, i_s\}$. Assume that M is Koszul. Then for each $n \geq 1$ we have

$$\mathrm{Tor}_n^R(M, k)_j = 0 \quad \text{for } j \neq i_1 + n, \dots, i_s + n.$$

Furthermore

if for some $n \geq 1$ and $1 \leq r \leq s$, we have $\mathrm{Tor}_n^R(M, k)_{i_r+n} = 0$, then $\mathrm{Tor}_m^R(M, k)_{i_r+m} = 0$, for all $m \geq n$.

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Let R be a standard graded algebra and let M be a R -module.
If $\text{ld}_R(M) = d < \infty$ then

$$\text{reg}_R(M) = \max\{t_i(M) - i : 0 \leq i \leq d\}.$$

In particular, if M is Koszul then $\text{reg}_R(M) = t_0(M)$.

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(Herzog, Iyengar)

Let R be a standard graded k -algebra. If $\text{ld}(k) < \infty$ then $\text{ld}(R) = 0$.

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Question

Herzog, Iyengar (2005) Let (R, \mathfrak{m}, k) be a local ring. If $\text{ld}(k) < \infty$ then is $\text{ld}(k) = 0$?

positive Answers

- (i) (Sega 2013) $\mathfrak{m}^3 = 0$
- (ii) R is complete intersection and R^g is CM
- (iii) (Rossi,- (2013)) R is of homogeneous type.

Definition

Bakelin Let R be a standard graded k -algebra

$$\text{Rate}(R) := \sup\{(t_i^R(K) - 1)/i - 1 : i \geq 2\}$$

Herzog, Aramova:

$$\text{rate}_R(M) := \sup\{t_i^R(M)/i : i \geq 1\}.$$

A comparison with Bakelin's rate shows that

$\text{Rate}(R) = \text{rate}_R(\mathfrak{m}(1))$. The rate of any module is finite.

Backelin

for all $d \geq 1$

$$\text{Rate } R^{(d)} \leq \lceil \text{Rate}(R)/d \rceil$$

Eisenbud, Reevse and Totaro started their work (initial ideals, veronese subrings,...) from a request by George Kempf for a simpler proof. They showed for $d \gg 0$ $R^{(d)}$ admits a quadratic initial ideals.

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for all $d \geq 1$

$$\text{rate}_{R^{(d)}}(M^{(d)}) \leq \max\{\lceil \text{rate}_R(M)/d \rceil, \lceil t_0^R(M)/d \rceil\}$$

A direct consequence of this is Backelin's Theorem.

If $d \geq \text{rate}_R(M)$, then $M^{(d)}$ is a Koszul module over $R^{(d)}$.

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