

# Reflexive dg categories & HH<sup>o</sup>

loosely based on joint work with  
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Def A dg category /  $K$

$$A\text{-Mod} = \text{dgFun}(A, \text{Ch}(K))$$

$$D(A) = A\text{-Mod} [\text{quasi-isos}^{-1}]$$

Say that an  $A$ -module  $M$  is proper

if  $\forall a \in A, M(a) \in \text{per}(K)$

These assemble into a category

$$D_{\text{fd}}(A) \subseteq D(A)$$

$\mathbb{A}^1_{\text{Ch}}^m$  (Ballard '11)

$X$  proj. variety /  $K$

Then  $D_{\text{fd}}$  permutes  $\text{per} X$  &  $D_{\text{coh}}^b X$

Th<sup>m</sup> (Ben-Zvi - Noeller - Pridget '17)

Same result for (relative) alg. space  
(in char 0)

Th<sup>m</sup> (Chen '21)

Same is true for fin-dim-algs.

Evaluation In all of these

examples,  $HH^*(C) \simeq HH^*(D_{fd} C)$

(Keller, Laven-Van den Bergh, Toën) ...)

Def (Kuznetsov-Shinder '22)

First observe that there's a natural  
evaluation map

$$\text{ev}: A \longrightarrow D_{fd} D_{fd} A$$

$$a \longmapsto (M \mapsto M(a))$$

Say that  $A$  is reflexive if  
ev is a derived Morita equivalence

$\Leftrightarrow \text{per} A \rightarrow \text{D}_{\text{fd}} \text{D}_{\text{fd}} A$   
being a quasi-equivalence.

All of the previous examples  
are reflexive!

Rank We have a quasi-equivalence

$$\text{D}_{\text{fd}}(A) \simeq \mathbb{R}\text{Hom}_{\text{Hge}}(A, \text{per} K) \simeq \mathbb{R}\text{Hom}_{\text{Hmo}}(A, K)$$

Thm (Goodbody '24)

$$C \text{ reflexive} \Rightarrow \text{HH}^i C \simeq \text{HH}^i \text{D}_{\text{fd}} C$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{DPic} C \simeq \text{DPic} \text{D}_{\text{fd}} C$$

$$\nrightarrow HH_* C \simeq HH_* D_{fd} C$$

$K[t]$

## Other known examples of reflexive dg cats

- smooth proper dg cats  
(since  $per A \simeq D_{fd} A$ )
- Proper connective dg algs
- Proper schemes / any field
- $K[[t]]$  but not  $K[t]$
- Fukaya cats of Milnor fibres  
of certain weighted hom. polys.

in [BGO]:

i) characterisation of reflexivity for dg algebras  $A$  in terms of

- generators for  $D_{fd}(A)$
- being derived complete with respect to these generators.  
(dc-complete  $\Rightarrow$  Koszul duality).

ii) Apply this to give new examples

- char. when Noetherian com. rings are reflexive
- dg algebras associated to solting objects / simple-minded collections are reflexive
- Completed Ginzburg dg algs are reflexive
- Fukaya cats of surfaces / gentle algebras are reflexive
- Algs associated to top. spaces

# Topological examples

$X$  <sup>path connected</sup> top space

$C_0(X, K) \rightsquigarrow$  chains on  $X$

$C^0(X, K) \rightsquigarrow$  cochains on  $X$

$C_0(\Omega X, K) \rightsquigarrow$  chains on loops.

$D_{fd}(C_0 \Omega X) \simeq \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{locally finite systems of} \\ \text{vector spaces on } X \\ \text{with finite fibres} \end{array} \right\}$

$D_{fd} C^0 X \simeq \text{per} (C_0 \Omega X)^{!!}$  double  
Koszul  
dual

## Prop (BGO)

$X$  either  $\bullet$  simply connected finite CW complex

or  $\bullet$  BG,  $G$  finite  $p$ -group  
( $K$  char  $p$ )

derived completion

Then  $C^*X$  &  $C_\bullet \Omega X$  are reflexive & they're each others Morita duals

$$(e.g. \ C_\bullet \Omega X \underset{\text{Mor}}{\simeq} D_{fd} C^*X)$$

Cor. In the above setting, every proper  $C^*X$ -module dualises to a  $C_\bullet X$ -comodule

String topology flavour example

$M$  compact orientable simply conn. manifold.

Sores:  $HH_\bullet(C_\bullet \Omega M) \simeq C_\bullet L M$

can show

$$HH^\bullet(D_{fd} C^*M) \simeq HH^\bullet(D_{fd} C_\bullet \Omega M)$$

$\cong C(LM)[- \dim M]$   
(Cradler - Zeindian)