

HOMOGENEOUS TUBES OVER ONE-POINT EXTENSIONS

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Introduction

Let A be a finite dimensional algebra over a field k , and M a finite dimensional left A -module. We denote by $R=R(A, M)$ the one-point extension of A by M , namely,

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} A & M \\ 0 & k \end{bmatrix}.$$

V. Dlab and C. M. Ringel looked into the indecomposable representations of tame hereditary algebras [3]. As a result, they found that stable tubes, in particular homogeneous tubes, play an important role in their Auslander-Reiten quivers. Here a connected component Γ of the Auslander-Reiten quiver is called a stable tube if Γ is of the form $\mathbf{Z}A_\infty/n$ for some $n \in \mathbf{N}$, and called a homogeneous tube if Γ is a stable tube with $n=1$ [6]. Recently, in case of the base field being algebraically closed, C. M. Ringel generalized their results in terms of the one-point extension, and gave conditions on A and M that make $R(A, M)$ have stable separating tubular families [6].

We are interested in stable tubes, and in this paper we characterize broader parts of DTr -invariant R -modules in terms of the one-point extension, and construct the homogeneous tubes which contain them.

Throughout this paper, we deal only with finite dimensional algebras over a field k , and finite dimensional (usually left) modules. We denote by $P(X)$, the projective cover of X , and by $E(Y)$, the injective hull of Y . The k -dual $\text{Hom}_k(-, k)$ is denoted by D , and the A -dual $\text{Hom}_A(-, A)$ (resp. the R -dual $\text{Hom}_R(-, R)$) is denoted by $-^*$ (resp. $-^\#$). Further we freely use the results of [1], [2] and [5], and denote DTr by τ .

1. The Auslander-Reiten Translation over One-point Extensions

In this section, we calculate the Auslander-Reiten translation of $R(A, M)$ -modules. Given $R=R(A, M)$, it is well known that the category of left R -modules is equivalent to the category $\mathfrak{M}({}_A M_k)$. Recall that the category $\mathfrak{M}({}_A M_k)$ of representations of the bimodule ${}_A M_k$ has as objects the triples $({}_k U, {}_A X, \phi)$ with an A -homomorphism $\phi: {}_A M \otimes_k U \rightarrow {}_A X$, and a morphism from $({}_k U, {}_A X, \phi)$ to $({}_k U', {}_A X', \phi')$ is given by a pair (α, β) of a k -linear map α :

${}_k U \rightarrow {}_k U'$, and an A -homomorphism $\beta: {}_A X \rightarrow {}_A X'$, satisfying $\beta\phi = \phi'(1 \otimes \alpha)$. After this, we write $(\dim_k U, X, \phi)$ for (U, X, ϕ) and we will call $V = (\dim_k U, X, \phi)$ just an R -module.

Now, for an R -module $V = (n, X, \phi)$, we consider the following commutative diagram with exact rows:

$$(A) \quad \begin{array}{ccccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Ker } \nu & \xrightarrow{i} & Y & \xrightarrow{\nu} & P(\text{Cok } \phi) & \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} & \text{Cok } \phi & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & & \downarrow \chi & \wr & \downarrow \mu & \text{exact} & \downarrow \rho & & \parallel & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{Ker } \phi & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & M^n & \xrightarrow{\phi} & X & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \text{Cok } \phi & \longrightarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

This construction is as follows. In the bottom row morphisms are canonical. Since $P(\text{Cok } \phi) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0$ is the projective cover, we can take $\rho \in \text{Hom}_A(P(\text{Cok } \phi), X)$ such that $\varepsilon = \pi\rho$. For the pair (ϕ, ρ) , we take the pull-back $(Y; \mu, \nu)$. Then this square is exact, and $\text{Ker } \nu$ is isomorphic to $\text{Ker } \phi$.

PROPOSITION 1.1. *Let $V = (n, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module. Then $\tau_R V$ is isomorphic to the R -module $(\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V) - n, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V, \tilde{\phi})$ with some $\tilde{\phi}$. Here I_V is the injective A -module $D(Q^*)$ where Q is the direct summand of $P(Y)$ such that $P(Y) = Q \oplus P(\text{Ker } \varepsilon)$.*

PROOF. It is easy to see that an indecomposable projective R -module has the form $(0, P, 0)$ with an indecomposable projective A -module P , or the form $(1, M, 1_M)$. Applying $-^\#$, $(0, P, 0)^\# \simeq (\dim_k P^*, \text{Hom}_A(P, M), \eta(P))$ where $\eta(P)$ is the canonical isomorphism $(\eta(P)(m \otimes f))(p) = f(p)m$, $m \in M$, $f \in P^*$ and $p \in P$, or $(1, M, 1_M)^\# \simeq (0, k, 0)$. (For right R -modules, we use the similar notations.) Now the minimal projective presentation of V has the following form:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \left[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \downarrow \\ P(Y) \end{array} \right] & \longrightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \\ M^n \oplus P(\text{Cok } \phi) \end{array} \right] & \xlongequal{\quad} & \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right] \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \begin{array}{c} \left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 0 \end{array} \right] \\ \downarrow \\ \mu\alpha \\ \nu\alpha \end{array} & & \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ \phi, -\rho \end{array} \end{array}$$

where α is the projective cover $P(Y) \xrightarrow{\alpha} Y \rightarrow 0$, and each row is exact. According to the definition of the transpose, applying $-^\#$ to the above, we obtain the following diagram with exact columns:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \left[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \eta(P(\text{Cok } \phi)) \end{array} \right] & & \\ (P(\text{Cok } \phi)^* \otimes_A M) & \longrightarrow & k^n \oplus \text{Hom}_A(P(\text{Cok } \phi), M) \\ \downarrow (\nu\alpha)^* \otimes 1 & & \downarrow \kappa \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (P(Y)^* \otimes_A M) & \xrightarrow{\eta(P(Y))} & \text{Hom}_A(P(Y), M) \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 ((\text{Tr}_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus Q^*) \otimes_A M) & \xrightarrow{\xi} & \text{Cok } \kappa \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 0 & & 0
 \end{array}$$

Here $\kappa = (\kappa_1, \kappa_2)$ where $\kappa_1: k^n \rightarrow \text{Hom}_A(P(Y), M)$ and $\kappa_2: \text{Hom}_A(P(\text{Cok } \phi), M) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_A(P(Y), M)$ with $\kappa_1((a_i)) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mu_i \alpha$, $\kappa_2(f) = f \nu \alpha$ where μ_i is the composition of μ and the i -th projection, and ξ is the induced morphism. We obtain $\text{Tr}_R V \simeq (\dim_k (\text{Tr}_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus Q^*), \text{Cok } \kappa, \xi)$. Consequently $\tau_R V \simeq (\dim_k D(\text{Cok } \kappa), \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V, \tilde{\phi})$ with some $\tilde{\phi}$. To complete the proof, it is sufficient to show $\dim_k D(\text{Cok } \kappa) = \dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V) - n$. Since $\text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V) \simeq D((\text{Tr}_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus Q^*) \otimes_A M)$, we will show $\dim_k \text{Cok } \kappa = \dim_k ((\text{Tr}_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus Q^*) \otimes_A M) - n$. This follows from the following two facts: (1) $\text{Im } \kappa_1 \cap \text{Im } \kappa_2 = 0$ and (2) κ_1 is a monomorphism.

(1) Assume $\text{Im } \kappa_1 \cap \text{Im } \kappa_2 \neq 0$. Then there exists $(a_i) \in k^n$ and $f \in \text{Hom}_A(P(\text{Cok } \phi), M)$ such that $f \nu \alpha = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \mu_i \alpha \neq 0$. Since the following diagram is push-out, we have $\delta \in \text{Hom}_A(X, M)$ such that $\delta \phi = (a_i)$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 P(Y) & \xrightarrow{\nu \alpha} & P(\text{Cok } \phi) \\
 \mu \alpha \downarrow & & \downarrow \rho \\
 M^n & \xrightarrow{\phi} & X
 \end{array}$$

This means that V has a projective direct summand $(1, M, 1_M)$. It's a contradiction.

(2) Similarly.

COROLLARY 1.2. *Let $V = (n, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module. Then*

- (1) *If ϕ is an epimorphism, $\tau_R V$ is isomorphic to $(\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, E(\text{top}(\text{Ker } \phi))) - n, E(\text{top}(\text{Ker } \phi)), \tilde{\phi})$.*
- (2) *If ϕ is a monomorphism, $\tau_R V$ is isomorphic to $(\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi)) - n, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi), \tilde{\phi})$.*
- (3) *If $\text{proj. dim}_A \text{Cok } \phi = 1$, $\tau_R V$ is isomorphic to $(\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus E(\text{top}(\text{Ker } \phi))) - n, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus E(\text{top}(\text{Ker } \phi)), \tilde{\phi})$.*

PROOF. By Proposition 1.1.

2. Homogeneous Tubes

In this section, we characterize some τ_R -invariant modules by using the previous proposition. And we construct homogeneous tubes which contain them.

LEMMA 2.1. *Let $V=(n, X, \phi)$, ($n \neq 0$) be a non-projective indecomposable R -module. Then the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term V has the following form:*

$$\begin{array}{c}
 0 \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \tilde{\phi}_1 \\ \tilde{\phi}_2 \end{array} \right] \\ \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \oplus M^n \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \tilde{\phi}_1 \ \psi_1 \\ \tilde{\phi}_2 \ \psi_2 \\ 0 \ \phi \end{array} \right] \\ (\tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V) \oplus X \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ (001) \end{matrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right] \longrightarrow 0 \\
 0 \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \tilde{\phi}_1 \\ \tilde{\phi}_2 \end{array} \right] \\ \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 01 \\ 00 \end{bmatrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \oplus M^n \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \tilde{\phi}_1 \ \psi_1 \\ \tilde{\phi}_2 \ \psi_2 \\ 0 \ \phi \end{array} \right] \\ (\tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V) \oplus X \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ (001) \end{matrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right] \longrightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

with some $\tilde{\phi}_1, \tilde{\phi}_2, \psi_1$ and ψ_2 , where $m = \dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V)$.

PROOF. By Proposition 1.1, the Auslander-Reiten sequence has the following form:

$$\begin{array}{c}
 0 \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{array} \right] \\ \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \oplus M^n \\ \downarrow E \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ \beta \end{matrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right] \longrightarrow 0 \\
 0 \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \\ \downarrow \left[\begin{array}{c} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{array} \right] \\ \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi) \oplus I_V \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (\alpha_1 \ \alpha_2) \\ \beta \end{matrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^{m-n} \oplus M^n \\ \downarrow E \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ \beta \end{matrix}} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right] \longrightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

with some E , and some $\phi_1, \phi_2, \alpha_1, \alpha_2$ and β . Since the R -homomorphism

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \downarrow \\ X \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\quad} \left[\begin{array}{c} M^n \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{array} \right]$$

is not a splittable epimorphism, it factors through $((0 \ 1), \beta)$, and E has X as a direct summand.

THEOREM 2.2. *Let $V=(1, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module.*

(I) *If ϕ is an epimorphism, the following two statements are equivalent.*

- (1) $\tau_R V \simeq V$.
- (2) (a) ${}_A X \simeq E(\text{top}(\text{Ker } \phi))$.
- (b) $\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X) = 2$.

(II) If ϕ is not an epimorphism, the following two statements are equivalent.

- (1) $\tau_R V \simeq V$.
- (2) (a) ${}_A X \simeq \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi)$.
- (b) $\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X) = 2$.
- (c) In the commutative diagram(A), $\text{Im } \iota \subset \text{rad } Y$.

PROOF. (I) (2) \rightarrow (1) By Proposition 1.1, $\tau_R V \simeq (1, X, \tilde{\phi})$ with some $\tilde{\phi}$. Then, by Lemma 2.1, the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term V has the following form:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \tilde{\phi} \\ X \end{bmatrix} & \longrightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \oplus M \\ \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\phi} & \psi \\ 0 & \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ X \oplus X \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{\begin{smallmatrix} (0 & 1) \\ (0 & 1) \end{smallmatrix}} & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow 0 \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \tilde{\phi} \\ X \end{bmatrix} & \longrightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \oplus M \\ \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{\phi} & \psi \\ 0 & \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ X \oplus X \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{\begin{smallmatrix} (0 & 1) \\ (0 & 1) \end{smallmatrix}} & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & & &
 \end{array}$$

with some ψ . If ϕ and $\tilde{\phi}$ are linearly independent over k , this extension splits. It's a contradiction. Hence $\tau_R V \simeq V$. (1) \rightarrow (2) Obviously.

(II) By the after remark, the proof is similar to (I).

COROLLARY 2.3. Let $V = (1, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module.

(I) If ϕ is a monomorphism, the following two statements are equivalent.

- (1) $\tau_R V \simeq V$.
- (2) (a) ${}_A X \simeq \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi)$.
- (b) $\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X) = 2$.

(II) If ϕ is not an epimorphism and $\text{proj. dim}_A \text{Cok } \phi = 1$, the following two statements are equivalent.

- (1) $\tau_R V \simeq V$.
- (2) (a) ϕ is a monomorphism.
- (b) ${}_A X \simeq \tau_A(\text{Cok } \phi)$.
- (c) $\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X) = 2$.

REMARK. In case of $\tau_R V \simeq V$, X is indecomposable. Otherwise, X decomposes as $X = X_1 \oplus X_2$, $X_1, X_2 \neq 0$, we have $\dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X_1) = \dim_k \text{Hom}_A(M, X_2) = 1$, and the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term V has the following form:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & & & & \\
 0 \rightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{c} M \\ \downarrow \\ X_1 \oplus X_2 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} & \rightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{c} M \oplus M \\ \downarrow \\ (X_1 \oplus X_2) \oplus (X_1 \oplus X_2) \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 & b_1\phi_1 \\ \phi_2 & b_2\phi_2 \\ 0 & \phi_1 \\ 0 & \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{(0 \ 1)} & \left[\begin{array}{c} M \\ \downarrow \\ X_1 \oplus X_2 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{bmatrix} & \rightarrow 0 \\
 0 \rightarrow & & & & & & \\
 & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} & & & & \begin{bmatrix} 0010 \\ 0001 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{array}$$

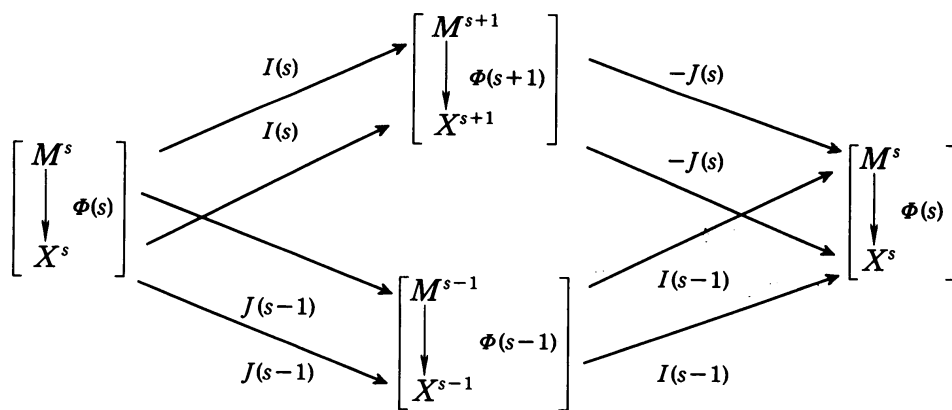
with $b_1, b_2 \in k$. But it is easy to see that this sequence splits. It's a contradiction, therefore ${}_A X$ is indecomposable.

If $\tau_R V \simeq V$, V belongs to some homogeneous tube \mathcal{C} [4]. Next we will state the construction of the homogeneous tube \mathcal{C} . Here we denote $V(s)$ the module in \mathcal{C} which has the quasi-length s [5].

THEOREM 2.4. *Let $V = (1, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module. And assume $\tau_R V \simeq V$. Then V is quasi-simple, and $V(s) = (s, X^s, \Phi(s))$, where $\Phi(s) =$*

$$\begin{bmatrix} \phi & \psi & & 0 \\ & \phi & \ddots & \\ & & \ddots & \psi \\ 0 & & & \phi \end{bmatrix} \text{ with } \psi \text{ being an arbitrary linear map which is linearly inde-}$$

pendent of ϕ . Further the Auslander–Reiten sequence which has the end-term $V(s)$ has the following form:



where $I(s) = (E(s)/0)$, $J(s) = (0|E(s))$ with $E(s)$ the unit matrix of degree s .

PROOF. It is easy to see that V is quasi-simple. We prove the rest parts by the induction on s . First, by Lemma 2.1, the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term V has the following form:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & & & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} & \rightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \oplus M \\ \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} \phi & \psi \\ 0 & \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ X \oplus X \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ (0 \ 1) \end{matrix}} & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow 0 \\
 0 & \rightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} & \rightarrow & \begin{bmatrix} M \oplus M \\ \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} \phi & \psi \\ 0 & \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ X \oplus X \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (0 \ 1) \\ (0 \ 1) \end{matrix}} & \begin{bmatrix} M \\ \downarrow \phi \\ X \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & & &
 \end{array}$$

with some ψ . If ψ is linearly dependent of ϕ , this sequence splits. Consequently it must be linearly independent of ϕ . Here it is easy to see that the arbitrary ψ which is linearly independent of ϕ makes the isomorphic extension. Second, assume that the form of $V(s)$ and the form of the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term $V(s-1)$ are checked. Then the Auslander-Reiten sequence which has the end-term $V(s)$ is decided except θ as the following form. But routine calculations show that we can take $\theta=0$.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & & \begin{bmatrix} M^{s+1} \\ \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} \phi & \psi & 0 & \dots & 0 & \theta \\ \phi & & & & & \\ \vdots & & & & & \\ 0 & & & & & \\ \psi & & & & & \\ \phi & & & & & \end{bmatrix} \\ X^{s+1} \end{bmatrix} & & & & \\
 \begin{bmatrix} M^s \\ \downarrow \phi(s) \\ X^s \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{I(s)} & & \xrightarrow{-J(s)} & \begin{bmatrix} M^s \\ \downarrow \phi(s) \\ X^s \end{bmatrix} \\
 & \xrightarrow{I(s)} & & \xrightarrow{-J(s)} & \\
 & \xrightarrow{J(s-1)} & & \xrightarrow{I(s-1)} & \\
 & \xrightarrow{J(s-1)} & \begin{bmatrix} M^{s-1} \\ \downarrow \phi(s-1) \\ X^{s-1} \end{bmatrix} & \xrightarrow{I(s-1)} & \\
 & & & \xrightarrow{I(s-1)} &
 \end{array}$$

Recently Ringel considered the stable separating tubular families, and he made $\mathbf{P}_1 k$ -family of stable tubes [6]. In connection with it, we show the following.

PROPOSITION 2.5. *Let $V=(1, X, \phi)$ be a non-projective indecomposable R -module. Assume $\tau_R V \simeq V$, ϕ a monomorphism, $\text{End}_A(X) = k$, and k an infinite field. Then we can make*

$|k|$ -family of homogeneous tubes. ($|k|$ means the cardinal number.)

PROOF. We write the canonical extension

$$0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{\phi} X \xrightarrow{\pi} \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0$$

and let

$$0 \rightarrow X \xrightarrow{\lambda} E \xrightarrow{\mu} \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0$$

be the Auslander-Reiten sequence. Since π is not a splittable epimorphism, there exists λ' such that $\pi = \mu\lambda'$. If necessary, adding some $a\lambda$ ($a \in k$) to λ' , we can take λ' as a monomorphism. Further, since λ' is not a splittable monomorphism, there exists ζ such that $\lambda' = \zeta\lambda$. We can also take ζ as an automorphism. Now, using λ' above, we can make the following commutative diagram with exact rows and columns, with some $\phi' \in \text{Hom}_A(M, X)$:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & 0 & & 0 & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & M & \xrightarrow{\phi} & X & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow \phi' & & \downarrow \lambda' & & \parallel \\
 0 & \rightarrow & X & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & E & \xrightarrow{\mu} & \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 & & \text{Cok } \phi' \simeq \text{Cok } \lambda' & & & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 & & 0 & & 0 & &
 \end{array}$$

Notice $\text{Cok } \phi \simeq \text{Cok } \lambda'$ from the commutative diagram below:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \rightarrow & X & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & E & \xrightarrow{\mu} & \text{Cok } \phi \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & \parallel & & \downarrow \zeta & \downarrow \wr & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & X & \xrightarrow{\lambda'} & E & \xrightarrow{\mu'} & \text{Cok } \lambda' \rightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

where each row is exact. Set $V' = (1, X, \phi')$, then by Corollary 2.3, $\tau_R V' \simeq V'$. It is easy to see $V \neq V'$. In this way we can construct $|k|$ -number of τ_R -invariant modules.

EXAMPLE. We give an example where $\text{gl.dim}_A A = \infty$ and there exists a left A -module M such that $R(A, M)$ has homogeneous tubes.

Let

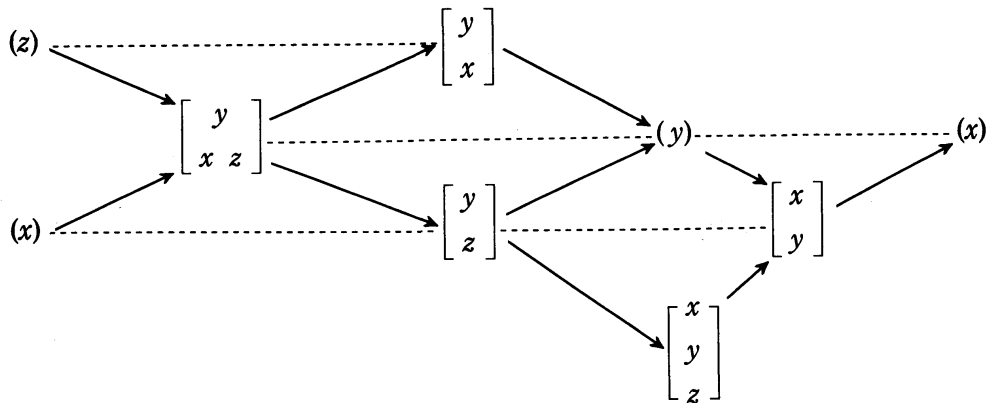
$$A = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} z & 0 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \\ 0 & x & y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & y & \delta \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & x \end{bmatrix} \in M_5(k) \right\}.$$

In other words, A is defined by the following quiver with relations:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & \delta & & \\ & & \longrightarrow & & \\ x & & & y & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & z, \\ & & \longleftarrow & & \\ & & \gamma & & \end{array}$$

with $\gamma\delta = \delta\gamma = 0$ ($\beta = \alpha\delta$).

A is representation-finite, and has the following Auslander-Reiten quiver:



Here, for example, $\begin{pmatrix} y \\ x \ z \end{pmatrix}$ means the indecomposable A -module N such that $\text{top } N \simeq S_y$ and $\text{soc } N \simeq S_x \oplus S_z$, where $S_{_}$ means the simple A -module corresponding to the idempotent $_$. Let $M = (x) \oplus (z)$. Then R -modules $V = \left(1, \begin{pmatrix} y \\ x \ z \end{pmatrix}, \phi \right)$, where ϕ are inclusions in the sense of Proposition 2.5, are τ_R -invariant.

REMARK. (Ringel [6]) *Under the additional assumption that $\text{End}_A(X) = k$, the homogeneous tube in $\text{mod } R$ constructed in Theorem 2.4. is an abelian category which is serial, and is closed under extensions in $\text{mod } R$.*

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