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ABSTRACT. These notes were made during a graduate seminar at Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla in Spring-2020. In the seminar, we studied the paper [4].

### 1. Preliminaries

It is assumed that the reader is familiar with the left and right derived functors. The functor Ext will play a central roll in this notes. The general background on derived functors can be found in [13]. For convenience of the reader we will mention some results which will be used along the manuscript.

**Proposition 1.1.** (1) If  $\{A_k\}_{k \in K}$  is a family of modules, then there are natural isomorphisms, for all n > 0,

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}\left(\bigoplus_{k\in K}A_{k},B\right)\cong\prod_{k\in K}\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}(A_{k},B).$$

(2) If  $\{B_k\}_{k \in K}$  is a family of modules, then there are natural isomorphisms, for all n > 0,

$$\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}\left(A,\prod_{k\in K}B_{k}\right)\cong\prod_{k\in K}\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}(A,B_{k}).$$

*Proof.* [13, Proposition 7.21 and 7.22].

- **Proposition 1.2.** (1) A left R-module P is projective if and only if  $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}(P,B) = 0$  for every R-module B.
  - (2) A left R-module E is injective if and only if  $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{n}(A, E) = 0$  for every R-module A.

*Proof.* (1) [13, Corollary 6.58 and Corollary 7.25].

(2) [13, Corollary 6.41 and Corollary 7.25].

**Definition 1.3.** Let A be a left R-module. The projective dimension of A is a less or equal than  $n \ (pd(A) \le n)$ , if there is a finite projective resolution

$$0 \to P_n \to \dots \to P_1 \to P_0 \to A \to 0.$$

If no such finite resolution exists, then  $pd(A) = \infty$ ; otherwise, pd(A) = n if n is the length of a shortest projective resolution of A.

**Proposition 1.4.** The following are equivalent for a left R-module A.

- (a)  $pd(A) \leq n$
- (b)  $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{k}(A, B) = 0$  for all left *R*-modules *B* and all  $k \ge n+1$ .

*Proof.* [13, Proposition 8.6].

**Definition 1.5.** A ring R is said to be *left hereditary* if every left ideal is projective.

**Proposition 1.6.** The following conditions are equivalent for a ring R:

- (a) R is left hereditary;
- (b) Submodules of projective left R-modules are projective;
- (c) Factor modules of injective left R-modules are injective.

**Corollary 1.7.** Let R be a left hereditary ring. Then  $pd(A) \leq 1$  for all left R-module A.

Given two modules A and C, an extension of A by C is an exact sequence  $0 \to A \to B \to C \to 0$ . The next Proposition shows that  $\text{Ext}^1(C, A)$  detects the nontrivial extensions of A by C.

**Proposition 1.8.** Every extension  $0 \to A \to B \to C \to 0$  splits if and only if  $\text{Ext}^1(C, A) = 0$ .

*Proof.* [13, Proposition 7.24 and Theorem 7.31].

I want to show the general idea of how from an extension of A by C we get an element in  $\text{Ext}^1(C, A)$  and vice-versa, all the details can be found in [13, Ch. 7, Sec. 2]. To get this we will need the constructions of pullback and pushout in modules. Let us start with  $[\alpha] \in \text{Ext}^1(C, A)$ . Taking an injective resolution

 $\mathsf{E} \qquad 0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{\eta} E_0 \xrightarrow{d_0} E_{-1} \xrightarrow{d_{-1}} E_{-2} \longrightarrow$ 

of A and applying the functor Hom(C, .) to the reduced resolution  $\mathsf{E}_A$  we get the complex:

$$\operatorname{Hom}(C, \mathsf{E}_A) \qquad 0 \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}(C, E_0) \xrightarrow{(C, d_0)} \operatorname{Hom}(C, E_{-1}) \xrightarrow{(C, d_{-1})}$$

Then  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(C, A) := H^1(\operatorname{Hom}(C, \mathsf{E}_A)) = \operatorname{Ker}(C, d_{-1}) / \operatorname{Im}(C, d_0)$ . This implies that  $[\alpha] \in \operatorname{Ext}^1(C, A)$  is represented by a morphism  $\alpha : C \to E_{-1}$  such that  $d_{-1}\alpha = 0$ . Hence  $\alpha(C) \subseteq \operatorname{Ker} d_{-1} = \operatorname{Im} d_0$ . Therefore, there is a commutative diagram

$$0 \longrightarrow A \longrightarrow M - - - > C \longrightarrow 0$$

$$\downarrow_{1} \qquad \downarrow_{\alpha} \qquad \qquad \downarrow_{\alpha}$$

$$0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{\eta} E_{0} \xrightarrow{\eta} E_{0} \xrightarrow{d_{0}} \operatorname{Im} d_{0} \longrightarrow 0$$

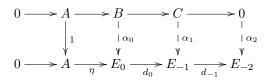
where M is the pullback of the angle given by  $\alpha$  and  $d_0$ . Thus, we have an extension of A by C.

*Remark* 1.9. The construction that we just made, can be done using a projective resolution of C. In this case,  $\alpha : P_1 \to A$  and the extension is given by a pushout (see [13, Theorem 7.30]).

Conversely, suppose that we have an extension  $0 \to A \to B \to C \to 0$  of A by C. Consider the injective resolution E of A. Then we have a morphism of complexes

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over the identity  $1_A$ :



Hence  $d_{-1}\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 0 = 0$ . This implies that  $\alpha_1 \in \text{Ker}(C, d_{-1})$ . Thus,  $[\alpha_1] \in \text{Ext}^1(C, A)$ .

**Lemma 1.10.** Let  $0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{i} B \xrightarrow{\rho} C \longrightarrow 0$  be an exact sequence and let M be a module. Then the connection morphism  $\partial : \operatorname{Hom}(M, C) \to \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, A)$ is given by taking the pullback along  $\rho$ . That is, given  $f \in \operatorname{Hom}(M, A)$ ,  $\partial(f)$ corresponds to the extension:

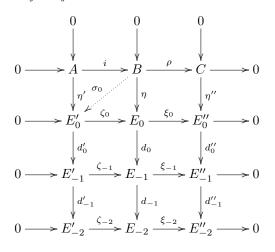
*Proof.* We have to recall how the connection morphism was defined. Let us take injective resolutions

$$E' \qquad 0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{\eta'} E'_0 \xrightarrow{d'_0} E'_{-1} \xrightarrow{d'_{-1}} E'_{-2} \longrightarrow$$
$$E'' \qquad 0 \longrightarrow C \xrightarrow{\eta''} E''_0 \xrightarrow{d''_0} E''_{-1} \xrightarrow{d''_{-1}} E''_{-2} \longrightarrow$$

of A by C respectively. Using the dual version of the horseshoe lemma, we have an injective resolution

$$\mathsf{E} \qquad 0 \longrightarrow B \xrightarrow{\eta} E_0 \xrightarrow{d_0} E_{-1} \xrightarrow{d_{-1}} E_{-2} \longrightarrow$$

of B such that  $E_j = E'_j \oplus E''_j$ . Therefore, there is a commutative diagram:



Applying the functor to the reduced resolutions, we get

Moreover,  $\operatorname{Ker}(M, d_0'') \cong \operatorname{Hom}(M, C)$ , where the isomorphism is given by  $\eta'' \circ \ldots$ . Now,  $\eta : B \to E_0$  is defined as  $\eta(b) = (\sigma_0(b), \eta''\rho(b))$  where  $\sigma_0 : B \to E'_0$  is such that  $\sigma_0 i = \eta'$ . Analogously,  $d_0 : E_0 \to E_{-1}$  is defined as  $d_0(x) = (\sigma_1(\overline{x}), d_0''\xi_0(x))$  where  $\sigma_1 : \operatorname{Coker} \eta \to E'_{-1}$ . Then  $\partial(f) = [\alpha] \in \operatorname{Ext}^1(M, A)$  is given by the morphism  $\alpha \in \operatorname{Hom}(M, E'_{-1})$  such that  $\alpha = \widehat{\zeta_{-1}} d_0 \overline{\xi_0} \eta'' f$  where  $\overline{\xi_0} : E''_0 \to E_0$  is defined as  $\xi_0(x) = (0, x)$  and  $\widehat{\zeta_{-1}} : E_{-1} \to E'_{-1}$  is defined as  $\widehat{\zeta_{-1}}(x, y) = x$ . Set  $\beta = \widehat{\zeta_{-1}} d_0 \overline{\xi_0} \eta''$ . Note that

$$\beta\rho(b) = \widehat{\zeta_{-1}}d_0(0,\eta''\rho(b)) = \widehat{\zeta_{-1}}(\sigma_1\overline{(0,\eta''\rho(b))},d_0''\eta''\rho(b))$$
$$= \widehat{\zeta_{-1}}(\sigma_1\overline{(0,\eta''\rho(b))},0) = \sigma_1\overline{(0,\eta''\rho(b))}.$$

On the other hand,  $d'_0\sigma_0(b) = \zeta_{-1}\sigma_1(\overline{\zeta_0\sigma_0(b)}) = \sigma_1(\overline{\sigma_0(b), 0})$ . Thus, we have the following diagram

Let us see that this diagram is commutative. Let  $a \in A$ . Then  $\sigma_0 \gamma j(a) = \sigma_0 \gamma(i(a), 0) = \sigma_0(i(a)) = \sigma_0(i(a)) = \eta'(a) = \eta'(1(a))$ . On the other hand,  $d'_0 \sigma_0 \gamma(b, m) = d'_0 \sigma_0(b) = \sigma_1(\overline{\sigma_0(b)}, 0) = -\sigma_1(\overline{0}, \eta''\rho(b)) = -\beta\rho(b)$ . Since  $(b, m) \in L$ ,  $\rho(b) = -f(m)$ . Then  $d'_0 \sigma_0 \gamma(b, m) = -\beta\rho(b) = \beta f(m) = \alpha \pi(b, m)$ . This implies that  $\partial(f) = [\alpha] \in \operatorname{Ext}^1(M, A)$  is the element which corresponds to the extension

$$0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{j} L \xrightarrow{\pi} M \longrightarrow 0$$

**Definition 1.11.** Let M be an R-module. The *Ext-orthogonal class of* M is given by

$$M^{\perp} = \{ {}_{R}N \mid \operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{1}(M, N) = 0 \}.$$

**Definition 1.12.** Given two *R*-modules *M* and *N*, it is said that *N* is *M*-generated if there exists an epimorphism  $\rho: M^{(X)} \to N$  for some set *X*. The class of modules *M*-generated is denoted by Gen(*M*).

It is not difficult to see that the class  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under extensions and contains all the injective *R*-modules by Proposition 1.2, and the class Gen(M) is closed under direct sums and epimorphisms, for all modules M.

**Definition 1.13.** A module M is *finendo* if M is finitely generated as module over its endomorphism ring.

**Lemma 1.14** (Lemma 1.5, [3]). Let M be a module. Then,  $M^X \in \text{Gen}(M)$  for every set X if and only if M is finendo.

*Proof.* ⇒ Suppose that  $M^M \in \text{Gen}(_RM)$ . Then, there exists an *R*-epimorphism  $\rho: M^{(I)} \to M^M$  for some set *I*. Let  $(x_m)_{m \in M}$  be the element in  $M^M$  such that  $x_m = m$ . Hence, there exists  $(y_x)_{i \in I} \in M^{(I)}$  such that  $\rho((y_i)_{i \in I}) = (x_m)_{m \in M}$ . This implies that there there is a finite subset  $F \subseteq I$  and homomorphisms  $\rho_i : M \to M^M$  such that  $(x_m)_{m \in M} = \rho((y_i)_{i \in I}) = \sum_{i \in F} \rho_i(y_i)$ . For each  $m \in M$ , let  $\pi_m$  denote the canonical projection  $\pi_m : M^M \to M$  and set  $f_i^m = \pi_m \rho_i \in \text{End}_R(M)$ . Therefore,

$$m = \pi_m((x_m)_{m \in M}) = \pi_m\left(\sum_{i \in F} \rho_i(y_i)\right) = \sum_{i \in F} (\pi_m \rho_i(y_i)) = \sum_{i \in F} f_i^m(y_i),$$

for each  $m \in M$ . Thus, M as module over  $\operatorname{End}_R(M)$  is generated by  $\{y_i \mid i \in F\}$ .

 $\leftarrow \text{Let } S = \text{End}_R(M) \text{ and suppose } {}_SM \text{ is generated by } \{y_1, ..., y_n\}. \text{ Let } X \text{ be any set and } (m_x)_{x \in X} \in M^X. \text{ For each } x \in X \text{ there exist } f_1^x, ..., f_n^x \in S \text{ such that } m_x = \sum_{i=1}^n f_i^x(y_i). \text{ Let } \phi_x : M^n \to M \text{ be the homomorphism given by } \phi(m_1, ..., m_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n f_i^x(m_i) \text{ and let } \phi : M^n \to M^X \text{ be the homomorphism given by } \phi(m_1, ..., m_n) = (\phi_x(m_1, ..., m_n))_{x \in X}. \text{ Consider the element } (y_1, ..., y_n) \in M^n. \text{ Then,}$ 

$$\phi(y_1, ..., y_n) = (\phi_x(y_1, ..., y_n))_{x \in X} = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n f_i^x(y_i)\right)_{x \in X} = (m_x)_{x \in X}.$$

This implies that  $(m_x)_{x \in X} \in tr^M(M^X)$ . Thus,  $M^X$  is *M*-generated.

**Lemma 1.15.** Let T be an R-module. If  $Gen(T) = T^{\perp}$ , then Gen(T) = Pres(T).

*Proof.* Let  $M \in \text{Gen}(T)$  and  $X = \text{Hom}_R(T, M)$ . Then, there is an exact sequence  $0 \to K \to T^{(X)} \xrightarrow{\rho} M \to 0$ . Applying the functor  $\text{Hom}_R(T, ...)$ , we get

$$\longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_R(T, T^{(X)}) \xrightarrow{\rho_*} \operatorname{Hom}_R(T, M) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^1(T, K) \longrightarrow 0$$

Note that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$ , by hypothesis. We claim that  $\rho_*$  is surjective. For, consider  $h \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(T, M)$ . Let  $\eta_h : T \to T^{(X)}$  be the canonical inclusion. Then,  $\rho_*(\eta_h)(t) = \rho \eta_h(t) = h(t)$ . Thus  $\rho_*$  is surjective and hence  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T, K) = 0$ . This implies that  $K \in T^{\perp} = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ . So,  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \subseteq \operatorname{Pres}(T)$ . We always have that  $\operatorname{Pres}(T) \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ .

**Lemma 1.16.** Let M and N be R-modules such that  $N \in \operatorname{Pres}(M)$  and  $\operatorname{Gen}(M) \subseteq N^{\perp}$ . Then,  $N \in \operatorname{Add}(M)$ .

*Proof.* By hypothesis, there is an exact sequence  $0 \to K \to M^{(X)} \to N \to 0$  with  $K \in \text{Gen}(M)$ . Since  $\text{Gen}(M) \subseteq N^{\perp}$ ,  $\text{Ext}^1(N, K) = 0$ . This implies that the sequence splits. Thus,  $N \in \text{Add}(M)$ .

**Lemma 1.17.** Let M be a left R-module. Then,  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorphisms if and only if  $pd(M) \leq 1$ .

*Proof.* ⇒ There exists an exact sequence  $0 \to K \to R^{(X)} \to M \to 0$  for some set X. We claim that K is projective. Let N be any module. By Proposition 1.2,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(R^{(X)}, N) = 0 = \operatorname{Ext}^2(R^{(X)}, N)$ . It follows that there is an exact sequence  $0 \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(K, N) \to \operatorname{Ext}^2(M, N) \to 0$ , and so  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(K, N) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^2(M, N)$ . Let E(N) denote the injective hull of N and consider the exact sequence  $0 \to N \to E(N) \to E(N)/N \to 0$ . Again by Proposition 1.2,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, E(N)) = 0 = \operatorname{Ext}^2(M, E(N))$ .

Therefore  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, E(N)/N) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^2(M, N)$ . Hence  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, E(N)/N) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^1(K, N)$ . Since  $E(N) \in M^{\perp}, E(N)/N \in M^{\perp}$  by hypothesis. Thus,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(K, N) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^1(M, E(N)/N) = 0$ . Since N was an arbitrary module, it follows that K is projective. Thus,  $pd(M) \leq 1$ .

 $\leftarrow$  Let  $N \in M^{\perp}$  and let  $\rho : N \to L$  be an epimorphism. Set  $K = \text{Ker }\rho$ . There is an exact sequence  $0 \to K \to N \xrightarrow{\rho} L \to 0$ . Applying the functor  $\text{Hom}_R(M, _)$  to that sequence, we get an exact sequence

 $\cdots \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(M, N) \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(M, L) \to \operatorname{Ext}^2(M, K) \to \cdots$ 

It follows that  $\operatorname{Ext}^2(M, K) = 0$  by Proposition 1.4 and  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, N) = 0$  because  $N \in M^{\perp}$ . Therefore,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, L) = 0$ . Thus,  $L \in M^{\perp}$ .

**Corollary 1.18.** Let T be a module. Then  $pd(M) \leq 1$  and  $\text{Ext}^1(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X if and only if  $\text{Gen}(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$  and  $T^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorphisms.

*Proof.* By Lemma 1.17,  $T^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorphisms if and only if  $pd(T) \leq 1$ . For any set X,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$ , that is  $T^{(X)} \in T^{\perp}$ . Therefore,  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$ . Reciprocally, if  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$ .

**Definition 1.19.** Let M be a left R-module. The module M is called *small* if the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(M, \cdot)$  commutes with direct sums canonically.

Remark 1.20. Every finitely generated module is small

**Proposition 1.21** (Lemma 1.2, [14]). The following conditions are equivalent for a module M.

(a) M is small and  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under direct sums and epimorphisms;

(b) M is finitely generated and  $pd(M) \leq 1$ .

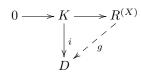
*Proof.* There exists an exact sequence

$$(1.1) 0 \to K \to R^{(X)} \to M \to 0$$

for some set X. By Lemma 1.17, K is projective. It follows from [1] that  $K = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} K_{\alpha}$  is a direct sum of countable generated modules  $K_{\alpha}$ . Set  $D = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} E(K_{\alpha})$ . There is a canonical inclusion  $K \hookrightarrow D$ . Since  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under direct sums,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, D) = 0$ . Applying  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(, D)$  to the sequence (1.1), we get an epimorphism

$$\cdots \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(R^{(X)}, D) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(K, D) \to 0.$$

Therefore, there exists  $g: \mathbb{R}^{(X)} \to D$  such that  $g|_K = i$ .



For each  $\alpha \in \Lambda$ , let  $\pi_{\alpha} : D \to E(K_{\alpha})$  and  $\rho_{\alpha} : E(K_{\alpha}) \to E(K_{\alpha})/K_{\alpha}$  be the canonical projections, respectively, and set  $g_{\alpha} = \rho_{\alpha}\pi_{\alpha}g$ , that is, the composition

$$R^{(X)} \xrightarrow{g} \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} E(K_{\alpha}) \xrightarrow{\pi_{\alpha}} E(K_{\alpha}) \xrightarrow{\rho_{\alpha}} E(K_{\alpha}) / K_{\alpha}$$

Now, define  $h : R^{(X)} \to \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} E(K_{\alpha})/K_{\alpha}$  as  $h(x) = (g_{\alpha}(x))_{\alpha \in \Lambda}$ . Note that  $g_{\alpha}(K) = 0$  for each  $\alpha$ , hence  $K \leq \text{Ker } h$ . From (1.1),  $M \cong R^{(X)}/K$ . Therefore, h induces a homomorphism  $\bar{h} \in \text{Hom}_R(M, \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} E(K_{\alpha})/K_{\alpha})$ . Since M is small,

there exists a finite subset  $F \subseteq \Lambda$  such that  $\operatorname{Im} \bar{h} \subseteq \bigoplus_{\alpha \in F} E(K_{\alpha})/K_{\alpha}$ . Thus,  $\operatorname{Im} g \subseteq \bigoplus_{\alpha \in F} E(K_{\alpha}) + \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Lambda} K_{\alpha}$ . Let  $\pi$  denote the projection of D onto  $\bigoplus_{\alpha \notin F} E(K_{\alpha})$ and let  $\overline{K}$  denote  $\bigoplus_{\alpha \notin F} K_{\alpha}$ . If  $\overline{g} = \pi g$ , then  $\overline{g} \in \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R^{(X)}, \overline{K})$ . Since  $\overline{g}|_{\overline{K}} = id$ ,  $R^{(X)} = \operatorname{Ker} \overline{g} \oplus \overline{K}$ . Set  $A = \operatorname{Ker} \overline{g} \cap \overline{K} = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in F} K_{\alpha}$ . It follows that

$$M = R^{(X)}/K = \frac{\operatorname{Ker} \bar{g} + K}{K} \cong \operatorname{Ker} \bar{g}/A.$$

Since Ker  $\bar{g}$  is projective, by [1], Ker  $\bar{g} = \bigoplus_{\beta \in \Xi}$  is a direct sum of countable generated modules. Also, A is a direct sum of countable generated modules. Hence M is direct sum of a countable generated module C and a projective module B,

$$M \cong \operatorname{Ker} \bar{g}/A = \bigoplus_{\beta \in \Xi} C_{\alpha} / \bigoplus_{\alpha \in F} K_{\alpha} \cong C \oplus B.$$

Since M is small, B is countable generated. Thus, M is a small countable generated module. Therefore M is finitely generated, by [14, Lemma 1.1].

 $\Leftarrow$  By Lemma 1.17,  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorphisms. Since M is finitely generated, M is small. Now, let  $\{B_i\}_{i \in I}$  be a family of modules in  $M^{\perp}$ . It is not difficult to see that, if M is small then  $Ext^n(M, \_)$  commutes with direct sums for all n > 0. Hence,

$$\operatorname{Ext}^{1}\left(M,\bigoplus_{i\in I}B_{i}\right)\cong\bigoplus_{i\in I}\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M,B_{i})$$

Since each  $B_i \in M^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, B_i) = 0$ . Therefore  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M, \bigoplus_{i \in I} B_i) = 0$ . Thus,  $\bigoplus_{i \in I} B_i \in M^{\perp}$ .

**Corollary 1.22.** If M satisfies any of the conditions in Proposition 1.21, then M is finitely presented.

*Proof.* Since M is finitely generated and  $pd(M) \leq 1$ , there is an exact sequence

$$(1.2) 0 \to P \to R^{(n)} \to M \to 0$$

with P projective. Since P is projective, P is a direct summand of a free module  $R^{(Y)}$ . Let  $j: P \to R^{(Y)}$  be the canonical inclusion, let  $g: R^{(Y)} \to E(R)^{(Y)}$  be the canonical monomorphism and set f = gj. Since  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under direct sums,  $E(R)^{(Y)} \in M^{\perp}$  and so  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(M, E(R)^{(Y)}) = 0$ . Thus, there is an exact sequence

$$0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(M, E(R)^{(Y)}) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R^{(n)}, E(R)^{(Y)}) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, E(R)^{(Y)}) \to 0.$$

This implies that f can be extended to a homomorphism  $\hat{f}: R^{(n)} \to E(R)^{(Y)}$ . Let  $\pi_y: E(R)^{(Y)} \to E(R)$  and  $\rho_y: R^{(Y)} \to R$  be the canonical projections for each  $y \in Y$ . Since  $R^{(n)}$  is fin. gen.  $F = \{y \in Y \mid \pi_y \hat{f} \neq 0\}$  is finite. It follows that  $\rho_y$  is the corestriction of  $\pi_y g$  to R. Let  $y \in Y \setminus F$ . Then  $\pi_y \hat{f} = 0$  and so  $\pi_y f = 0$ . This implies that  $\rho_y j = \pi_y g j = \pi_y f = 0$ . Hence  $P = \text{Im } j \subseteq R^{(F)}$  and so P is a direct summand of a fin. gen. free module. Thus, P is fin. gen. and M is finitely presented.

Lemma 1.23. Let M be an R-module. If M is faithful and finendo, then

- (1) there exists an exact sequence  $0 \to R \xrightarrow{i} M^n \to M' \to 0$  for some n > 0.
- (2) for any module L, the induced homomorphism  $i^*$ : Hom<sub>R</sub> $(M, L) \to$  Hom<sub>R</sub>(R, L) is surjective if and only if  $L \in$  Gen(M).
- (3)  $M'^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(M)$ .

(4) M generates every injective module.

*Proof.* (1) Set  $S = \text{End}_R(M)$  and let  $\{t_1, ..., t_n\}$  be a set of generators of  ${}_SM$ . Since M is faithful, there is a monomorphism  $i : R \to M^n$  given by  $i(r) = (rt_1, ..., rt_n)$ . Hence, we have the exact sequence

$$0 \to R \xrightarrow{i} M^n \to M^n/R \to 0.$$

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  Suppose  $i^*$ : Hom<sub>R</sub> $(M^n, L) \rightarrow$  Hom<sub>R</sub>(R, L) is surjective and let  $l \in L$ . Since Hom<sub>R</sub> $(R, L) \cong L$ , there exists  $g \in$  Hom<sub>R</sub> $(M^n, L)$  such that gi(1) = l. Thus,  $l \in tr^M(L)$  and so  $L \in$  Gen(M).

 $\Leftarrow$  Applying Hom<sub>R</sub>(\_, L) to the exact sequence, we get

$$0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(M', L) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(M^n, L) \xrightarrow{i} \operatorname{Hom}_R(R, L)$$

Let  $x \in L \cong \operatorname{Hom}_R(R, L)$ . Since  $L \in \operatorname{Gen}(M)$ , there is an epimorphism  $M^{(Y)} \to L$ for some set Y. Making the inverse image of x, we have a homomorphism  $f: M^m \to L$  and  $(x_1, ..., x_m) \in M^m$  such that  $f(x_1, ..., x_m) = x$ . Since  ${}_{S}M = \langle t_1, ..., t_n \rangle$ , for each  $1 \leq i \leq m$  there exists  $f_1^i, ..., f_n^i \in S$  such that  $x_i = \sum_{j=1}^n f_j^i(t_j)$ . Define  $\alpha : M^n \to M^m$  as  $\alpha(y_1, ..., y_n) = \left(\sum_{j=1}^n f_j^1(y_j), ..., \sum_{j=1}^n f_j^m(y_j)\right)$ . Therefore,  $\alpha(t_1, ..., t_n) = (x_1, ..., x_m)$ . This implies that  $\iota^*(f\alpha)(1) = f\alpha\iota(1) = f(x_1, ..., x_m) = x$ . Proving that  $i^*$  is surjective.

(3) If  $L \in M'^{\perp}$ , i.e.  $Ext^1(M', L) = 0$ , then  $i^*$  is surjective. Thus,  $M \in Gen(P)$ .

(4) By (1), there is a monomorphism  $i : R \to M^n$ . Let E be an injective module and  $\phi : R^{(X)} \to E$  be an epimorphism. Then  $\phi$  can be extended to an epimorphism  $\overline{\phi} : (M^n)^{(X)} \to E$ . Thus,  $E \in \text{Gen}(M)$ .

## 2. TILTING MODULES

**Definition 2.1.** A left *R*-module *T* is *tilting* if satisfies the following conditions:

- (T1) There is an exact sequence  $0 \to R \to T' \to T'' \to 0$  such that  $T', T'' \in Add(T)$ .
- (T2)  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X.
- (T3)  $pd(T) \leq 1$ .

If, moreover, T satisfies the condition

(T4) T is finitely presented,

then T is a classical tilting module. A module T is a classical partial tilting module provided (T2),(T3) and (T4) hold true.

**Proposition 2.2.** (1) A left R-module T is tilting if and only if  $Gen(T) = T^{\perp}$ .

- (2) A left R-module P is classical partial tilting if and only if P is small, Gen(P)  $\subseteq P^{\perp}$  and  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class.
- (3) A left R-module T is classical tilting if and only if T is (self-) small and  $\text{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp}$ .

*Proof.* (1)  $\Rightarrow$  Suppose, T is a tilting module. Then,  $\text{Gen}(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$  by Corollary 1.18. Now, by (T1), there is an exact sequence  $0 \to R \xrightarrow{\alpha} T' \to T'' \to 0$  with  $T', T'' \in \text{Add}(T)$ . Let  $M \in T^{\perp}$ . Then  $\text{Ext}^1(T'', M) = 0$  (see Proposition 1.1). Hence, there is a exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T'', M) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T', M) \xrightarrow{\alpha^{*}} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R, M) \longrightarrow 0.$$

Since  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(R, M) \cong M$ , this implies that for each  $m \in M$ , there exists  $g \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(T', M)$  such that  $g(\alpha(1)) = m$ . Therefore, M is T-generated.

 $\Leftrightarrow$  Since  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp}, T^{\perp}$  is closed under direct sums and epimorphisms. This implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X and  $pd(M) \leq 1$  by Lemma 1.17. Since  $E(R) \in \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ , there is an epimorphism  $\rho: T^{(X)} \to E(R)$  for some set X. Consider  $i: R \to E(R)$  the canonical inclusion, then there exists a monomorphism  $j: R \to T^{(X)}$  such that  $\rho j = i$ . This implies that T is faithful, i.e., Ann(T) = 0. On the other hand, since  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T,T) = 0$ , by Proposition 1.1,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T,T^Y) = 0$  for any set Y. That is  $T^Y \in T^{\perp} = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$  for any set Y, thus T is finendo by Lemma 1.14. Set  $S = \operatorname{End}_R(T)$  and let  $\{t_1, ..., t_n\}$  be a set of generators of  ${}_ST$ . By Lemma 1.23.(1), there is an exact sequence

(2.1) 
$$0 \to R \xrightarrow{\iota} T^n \to T^n/R \to 0.$$

Therefore  $T^n/R \in \text{Gen}(T) = \text{Pres}(T) = T^{\perp}$  by Lemma 1.15. This implies that there is an exact sequence

(2.2) 
$$0 \to L \to T^{(X)} \to T^n/R \to 0$$

with  $L \in \text{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp}$ . Hence, applying  $\text{Hom}_{R}(-, L)$  to the sequence (2.1), we get

 $\to \operatorname{Hom}_R(T^n,L) \xrightarrow{\iota^*} \operatorname{Hom}_R(R,L) \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(T^n/R,L) \to 0,$ 

because  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T, L) = 0$ . By Lemma 1.23.(2),  $\iota^*$  is surjective. This implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T^n/R, L) = 0$ . Hence, the sequence (2.2) splits by Proposition 1.8 and we get condition (T1). Thus, T is a tilting module.

 $(2) \Rightarrow$  It follows from Proposition 1.21 that T is small and  $P^{\perp}$  is closed under direct sums and epimorphisms. Hence  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. Since  $P^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorphisms and by (T2),  $\text{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ .

⇐. By Corollary 1.22, P is finitely presented and by Proposition 1.21,  $pd(P) \le 1$ . Since Gen $(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ ,  $Ext^{1}(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X.

 $(3) \Rightarrow \text{By } (1), \text{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp}.$  Since T is fin. pres., T is small.

 $\Leftrightarrow$  By (1), T is a tilting module. Since Gen(T) =  $T^{\perp}$ ,  $T^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. It follows by Corollary 1.22 that T is finitely presented.

*Remark* 2.3. Note that the proof of (1) of last Proposition shows that every tilting module is faithful and finendo.

The Proposition 2.2, suggest the following generalization of classical partial tilting module.

**Definition 2.4.** A left *R*-module *P* is a partial tilting module if  $Gen(P) \subset P^{\perp}$  and  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class.

- Remark 2.5. Classical tilting module if and only if tilting and small (or just fin. gen.).
  - Classical partial tilting module if and only if partial tilting and small (or just fin. gen.).
  - Any direct sum of copies of a (partial) tilting module is a (partial) tilting module. (This is something which does not happen in the classical case)

A classical partial tilting module is defined as a finitely presented module satisfying (T2) and (T3). Every partial tilting module P satisfies conditions (T2) and (T3) but next example shows that conditions (T2) and (T3) are not sufficient for P to be partial tilting. **Example 2.6.** Let  $R = \mathbb{Z}$  and  $P = {}_{\mathbb{Z}}\mathbb{Q}$ . Since R is a hereditary ring,  $pd(P) \leq 1$ . Moreover,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P, P^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X because R is Noetherian. Thus, P satisfies (T2) and (T3). Note that  $\operatorname{Gen}(P)$  consists of all divisible groups. On the other hand  $P^{\perp} = \{G \mid \operatorname{Ext}^1(\mathbb{Q}, G) = 0\}$  is the class of cotorsion goups which is not a torsion class because is not closed under direct sums. For, consider a prime number p and the abelian group  $G = \bigoplus_{n>0} \mathbb{Z}_{p^n}$ . It follows from [7, Corollary 54.4] that each  $\mathbb{Z}_{p^n}$  is a cotorsion group but G is not. Note that  $P^{\perp}$  is closed under epimorfisms (Lemma 1.17).

Clearly a summand of a classical tilting module is a classical partial tilting module. The converse is not true in general.

**Example 2.7.** Let k be a universal differential field of characteristic 0 with differentiation D. Denote by R = k[y; D] the ring of differential polynomials of one indeterminate y over k. In [5, Theorem 1.4], it is proved that R is a left and right principal ideal domain. Hence R is Noetherian and hereditary. Moreover R has only one simple left R-module S up to isomorphism which is injective. Under this hypothesis is not difficult to prove that S is a classical partial tilting R-module. Suppose that there exists a classical tilting module T such that  $S \leq^{\oplus} T$ . If T is not injective, E(T)/T is nonzero torsion (singular) R-module. It follows from [2, Theorem 4] that every torsion (singular) module is semisimple. Thus E(T)/T is semisimple and so  $E(T)/T \cong S^{(X)}$  for some set X. Therefore there exists a split monomorphism  $\phi: S \to E(T)/T$ . Applying  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, .)$  to the sequence  $0 \to T \to E(T) \to E(T)/T \to 0$  we get

$$\longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E(T)) \xrightarrow{\pi_*} \operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E(T)/T) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^1(S, T) \longrightarrow 0$$

where  $\pi: E(T) \to E(T)/T$  is the canonical projection. If there exists  $0 \neq \psi \in$  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(S, E(T))$  such that  $\phi = \pi_*(\psi) = \pi \psi$ , then  $S \cong \psi(S) \leq^{\oplus} E(T)$  and  $0 \neq \infty$  $\phi(S) = \pi \psi(S)$ . This implies that  $\psi(S) \cap T = 0$  and so  $\psi(S) = 0$  which is a contradiction. Thus,  $\phi \notin \operatorname{Im} \pi_*$ . Therefore  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(S,T) \neq 0$  which cannot be because T is tilting. Hence T is injective and finitely generated. By [2, Corollary 6], T is semisimple and so  $T \cong S^{(X)}$  for some set X. Therefore the condition (T1) implies that R is semisimple, contradiction. Thus, S cannot be a direct summand of a classical tilting R-module. Nevertheless, S is a direct summand of the tilting module  $T = S \oplus E(R)$ . By [8, Corollary 7.12], E(R) is isomorphic to the skew field of fractions of R. Hence E(R) is a flat non projective R-module. It follows from [11, Theorem 4.30] that E(R) is not finitely generated and so T is not a classical tilting module. In fact T does not satisfies condition  $(T1_0)$ . For, suppose that there exist  $n,m \in \mathbb{N}$  and an exact sequence  $0 \to R \xrightarrow{\nu} T^{(m)} \to T' \to 0$ with  $T' \leq^{\oplus} T^{(n)}$ . Since T is injective,  $\nu$  can be extended to a monomorphism  $\nu' : E(R) \to T^{(m)}$ . Hence  $\nu'(E(R))/\nu(R) \leq T^{(m)}/\nu(R) \cong T'$ . Thus T' contains a copy of E(R)/R which is torsion and hence semisimple. Then,  $E(R)/R \cong S^{(I)}$  for some infinite set I because E(R)/R is not finitely generated. Therefore,

$$S^{(I)} \hookrightarrow \operatorname{Soc}(T') \le \operatorname{Soc}(T^{(n)}) = S^{(n)},$$

contradiction. Note that P is also a direct summand of  $E(R) \oplus E(R)/R$  which is tilting by the next proposition.

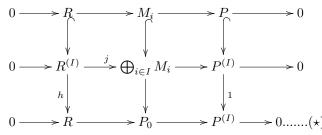
**Proposition 2.8.** Let R be a left hereditary left Noetherian ring. Then  $T = E(R) \oplus E(R)/R$  is a tilting module.

*Proof.* Since R is left hereditary, T is injective and  $pd(T) \leq 1$ . Moreover,  $T^{(X)}$  is injective for any set X. Hence,  $\text{Ext}^1(T, T^{(X)}) = 0$  for any set X. We have an exact sequence  $0 \to R \to E(R) \to E(R)/R \to 0$  with  $E(R), E(R)/R \in \text{Add}(T)$ . Thus, T is a tilting module.

**Lemma 2.9.** Let P be a module satisfying (T2) and (T3).

- (1) Then there is a module T such that P is a summand of T,  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp} = T^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ , and T satisfies (T1), (T3) and  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(T,T) = 0$ .
- (2) Let T be as in (1). Then P is partial tilting if and only if T is tilting.

Proof. (1) Let  $\{\alpha_i\}_{i\in I}$  be a set of generators of  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P, R)$ . Each  $\alpha_i$  corresponds to an extension of R by P, that is,  $0 \to R \to M_i \to P \to 0$  for all  $i \in I$ . Taking the direct sum over I of this sequences, we get an exact sequence  $0 \to R^{(I)} \xrightarrow{j} \bigoplus_{i\in I} M_i \to P^{(I)} \to 0$ . Let  $h: R^{(I)} \to R$  be the homomorphism given by  $h((r_i)_{i\in I}) = \sum_{i\in I} r_i$ . Taking the push-out of j and h, we get a diagram with exact rows



This implies that  $P \in \text{Gen}(P_0)$ . Applying the functor  $\text{Hom}_R(P, .)$  to  $(\star)$ , we get the exact sequence

$$\longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, P^{(I)}) \xrightarrow{\partial} \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, R) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P_{0}) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P^{(I)}).$$

Since P satisfies (T2),  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P^{(I)}) = 0$ . By construction  $\partial$  is surjective (see Lemma 1.10) and hence  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P_{0}) = 0$ . Thus,  $P_{0} \in P^{\perp}$ . Let  $M \in P^{\perp}$  and we apply  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(-, M)$  to  $(\star)$ .

 $\rightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P_{0},M) \xrightarrow{i^{*}} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R,M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P^{(I)},M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{0},M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(R,M)$ 

Since  $M \in P^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P^{(I)}, M) = 0$  and  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(R, M) = 0$  because R is projective. Therefore,  $i^{*}$  is surjective and  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{0}, M) = 0$ . This implies that M is  $P_{0}$ -generated and so  $M \in P_{0}^{\perp}$ . Thus,  $P^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0}) \cap P_{0}^{\perp}$ . Put  $T = P \oplus P_{0}$ . Then  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp} \cap P_{0}^{\perp} = P^{\perp}$ . Since  $P \in \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0})$ ,  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) = \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0})$ . It follows that  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0}) = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ . Also, note that  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P) = 0$  by hypothesis,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, P_{0}) = 0$  because  $P_{0} \in P^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{0}, P) = 0$  because  $P^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0}) \cap P_{0}^{\perp}$  and  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{0}, P_{0}) = 0$  because  $P_{0} \in P^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(P_{0}) \cap P_{0}^{\perp}$ . Thus,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(T, T) = 0$ . By  $(\star), T$  satisfies (T1). Let M be any module. Applying  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R(-,M)}$  to  $(\star)$ , for  $n \geq 2$ , we get

$$\rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{n-1}(R,M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^n(P^{(I)},M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^n(P_0,M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^n(R,M) \rightarrow .$$

Since R is projective,  $\operatorname{Ext}^n(P^{(I)}, M) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^n(P_0, M)$ . Since P satisfies (T3),  $\operatorname{Ext}^n(P^{(I)}, M) = 0$ . This implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^n(P_0, M) = 0$  for all  $n \ge 2$  and all module M, that is,  $pd(P_0) \le 1$ . Thus, T satisfies (T3).

(2) Let T be as in (1). Suppose P is partial tilting. By hypothesis,  $T \in T^{\perp} = P^{\perp}$ . Therefore  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \subset T^{\perp} = P^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ . By Proposition 2.2, T is a tilting module. Reciprocally, if T is tilting,  $P^{\perp} = T^{\perp} = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$  by Proposition 2.2. This implies that  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. By hypothesis,  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ . Thus, P is partial tilting.

**Theorem 2.10.** Let P be a left R-module. Then, P is a partial tilting module if and only if P is a direct summand of a tilting module T such that  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp}$ . Moreover, T can be chosen so that  $T \cong P \oplus T$ .

*Proof.*  $\Rightarrow$  There is a tilting module T satisfying the conditions in Lemma 2.9. Put  $\overline{T} = (T \oplus P)^{(\aleph_0)}$ . Since P is a direct summand of T,  $\text{Gen}(T) = \text{Gen}(\overline{T})$ . Also,  $T^{\perp} = \overline{T}^{\perp}$  because  $P^{\perp} = T^{\perp}$ . Therefore  $\overline{T}^{\perp} = \text{Gen}(\overline{T})$ , that is,  $\overline{T}$  is a tilting module. Note that  $\overline{T} \cong P \oplus \overline{T}$  and  $P^{\perp} = \overline{T}^{\perp}$ .

 $\Leftarrow$  Suppose P is a direct summand of a tilting module T with  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp}$ . Then  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp} = P^{\perp}$ . Since  $P^{\perp} = T^{\perp} = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ ,  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. Thus, P is a partial tilting module.

We have that, if P is partial tilting module, there exists a module C such that  $T = P \oplus C$  is a tilting module and T and P have the same Ext-orthogonal class. Sometimes, C is called *the Bongartz complement of* P. Nevertheless, P can be, at the same time, a direct summand of another tilting module T' with different Ext-orthogonal class

**Example 2.11.** Let R be the subring of  $\operatorname{Mat}_2(\mathbb{C})$  given by  $\{\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & c \end{pmatrix} \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \ b, c \in \mathbb{C}\}$ . Hence R is a finite dimensional hereditary  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebra. Consider  $P = E(R) = \operatorname{Mat}_2(\mathbb{C})$ . By Proposition 2.8,  $T' = P \oplus P/R$  is a (classical) tilting module and so P is a (classical) partial tilting module. We have that

$$\mathfrak{I} = \operatorname{Gen}(P) = \operatorname{Gen}(T') = T'^{\perp} \subseteq P^{\perp},$$

where  $\Im$  is the class of injective *R*-modules. We claim that  $T'^{\perp} \neq P^{\perp}$ . Put  $N = \{\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \ b \in \mathbb{C}\} = R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  which is a direct summand of *R*. We have that  $_{R}P = \{\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ b & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{C}\} \oplus \{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & d \\ 0 & c \end{pmatrix} \mid c, d \in \mathbb{C}\}$  and let  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  denote these direct summands respectively. Hence  $P_1 = E(N)$ , and  $P/R = \frac{P_1 \oplus P_2}{N \oplus N'} \cong \frac{P_1}{N} \oplus \frac{P_2}{N'}$ . Note that  $P_1 \cong P_2$ . We claim that  $N \in P^{\perp} \setminus T'^{\perp}$ , that is  $N \in P_1^{\perp} \setminus \text{Gen}(T')$ . Since *N* is not injective,  $N \notin \text{Gen}(T')$ . Write  $P_1 = Rx + Ry$  with  $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = N$  with  $c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ . Define  $\varphi \in \text{Hom}_R(P_1, P_1)$  as  $\varphi(x) = \begin{pmatrix} c^{i} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = M \varphi(y) = \begin{pmatrix} -c + d & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $\phi = \pi\varphi$  where  $\pi : P_1 \to P_1/N$  is the canonical projection. Hence, in the exact sequence

 $\to \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P_{1}, P_{1}) \xrightarrow{\pi_{*}} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P_{1}, P_{1}/N) \to \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{1}, N) \to \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P_{1}, P_{1})$ 

 $\pi_*$  is surjective and  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P_1, P_1) = 0$  because  $P_1$  is injective. This implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P_1, N) = 0$  and so  $N \in P_1^{\perp}$ .

#### 3. TILTING AND CLASSICAL TILTING TORSION THEORIES

**Definition 3.1.** Let  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{F})$  be a (not necessarily hereditary) torsion theory in *R*-Mod. Then  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{F})$  is a *(classical) tilting torsion theory* provided there is a *(classical)* tilting module *T* such that  $\mathcal{T} = T^{\perp}$ . In this case,  $\mathcal{T}$  is called a *(classical) tilting torsion class.* 

Recall that if M is a left R-module, the tosion theory generated by M is the pair  $(\mathcal{T}_M, \mathcal{F}_M)$  where  $\mathcal{F}_M = \text{Ker Hom}_R(M, _)$  and  $\mathcal{T}_M = \{N \mid \text{Hom}_R(N, F) \forall F \in \mathcal{F}_M\}$ . The class  $\mathcal{T}_M$  is the least torsion class containing M. It follows that  $\text{Gen}(M) \subset \mathcal{T}_M$  for all module M. Now, if  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{F})$  is a tilting torsion theory, that is,  $\mathcal{T} = T^{\perp}$  for some tilting module T, then  $\text{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp} = \mathcal{T}$ . This implies that  $\mathcal{T}_T = \text{Gen}(T) = \mathcal{T}$  and  $\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_T$ . Thus,  $(\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{F})$  is the torsion theory generated by T.

**Theorem 3.2.** A torsion class  $\mathcal{T}$  in R-Mod is a tilting torsion class if and only if  $\mathcal{T} = P^{\perp}$  for some  $P \in \mathcal{T}$ .

*Proof.*  $\Rightarrow$  If  $\mathcal{T}$  is a tilting torsion class, then  $\mathcal{T} = T^{\perp}$  for some tilting module T. Since T is tilting,  $T \in \mathcal{T}$ .

 $\Leftarrow$  Suppose  $\mathcal{T} = P^{\perp}$  for some  $P \in \mathcal{T}$ . Then,  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq \mathcal{T} = P^{\perp}$ . Hence P is a partial tilting module. By Theorem 2.10 there exists a tilting module T such that  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp} = \mathcal{T}$ . Thus,  $\mathcal{T}$  is a tilting torsion class.

The next result shows that, if P is a (classical) partial tilting module, but not a (classical) tilting, then there are two different torsion theories determined by P.

**Lemma 3.3.** If P is a partial tilting module, then both Gen(P) and  $P^{\perp}$  are torsion classes, the second one being a tilting torsion class.

*Proof.* By definition  $P^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. It follows from Theorem 3.2 that  $P^{\perp}$  is a tilting torsion class. It just remains to prove that Gen(P) is closed under extensions. Let B any module. Consider the exact sequence

$$0 \to tr^P(B) \to B \to B/tr^P(B) \to 0.$$

Applying the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(P, -)$  to this sequence, we get

$$\rightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P,B) \rightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P,B/tr^{P}(B)) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P,tr^{P}(B)).$$

Since  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, tr^{P}(B)) = 0$ . This implies that for all  $f \in \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, B/tr^{P}(B))$ the can be lifted to a  $\overline{f} \in \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, B)$ . But,  $\overline{f}(P) \subseteq tr^{P}(B)$ . Hence f = 0. Thus,  $tr^{P}(B/tr^{P}(B)) = 0$ . Thus  $tr^{P}( )$  is a radical and  $\operatorname{Gen}(P)$  is closed under extensions.  $\Box$ 

**Proposition 3.4.** Let P be a (fin. gen.) module such that  $\text{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ . Then, Gen(P) is a (classical) tilting torsion theory if and only if P is faithful and finendo.

*Proof.* ⇒ If Gen(P) = Gen(T) =  $T^{\perp}$  for some (classical) tilting module T, then P is faithful because T is faithful (Remark 2.3). Moreover, by Proposition 1.1,  $P^X \in T^{\perp} = \text{Gen}(P)$ . Thus, P is finendo by Lemma 1.14.

 $\Leftarrow \text{Let } P \text{ be a (fin. gen.) faithful and finendo module such that } \operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}.$ By Lemma 1.23.(1), there exists an exact sequence  $0 \to R \to P^n \to P' \to 0$ . Let  $M \in \operatorname{Gen}(P)$ . By Lemma 1.23.(3),  $P'^{\perp} \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(P) =$ . On the other hand, if  $M \in \operatorname{Gen}(P)$ , then  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P^n, M) = 0$ . Lemma 1.23.(2) implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P', M) = 0$ . Hence  $M \in P'^{\perp}$ . Put  $T = P \oplus P'$ . Then,  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$  and  $T^{\perp} = P^{\perp} \cap P'^{\perp} = P^{\perp} \cap \operatorname{Gen}(P) = \operatorname{Gen}(P)$ . Hence  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) = \operatorname{Gen}(P) = \operatorname{Ter}(P)$  is a tilting torsion class. Note that, if P is fin. gen. then so is T.

**Definition 3.5.** Let  $\mathcal{T}$  be a class of modules A module P is  $\mathcal{T}$ -projective if the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(P, \cdot)$  preserves exactness of all sequences of the form  $0 \to L \to M \to N \to 0$ , where  $L, M, N \in \mathcal{T}$ .

Remark 3.6. If  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ , then P is  $\operatorname{Gen}(P)$ -projective. Indeed, let  $0 \to L \to D$  $M \to N \to 0$  be an exact sequence with  $L, M, N \in \text{Gen}(P)$ . Applying the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_{B}(P, \mathbb{I})$  to this sequence, we get

 $0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(P,L) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(P,M) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(P,N) \to \operatorname{Ext}^1(P,L)$ 

Since  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ ,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(P, L) = 0$ . Thus, P is  $\operatorname{Gen}(P)$ -projective.

**Corollary 3.7.** A class of modules  $\mathcal{T}$  is a (classical) tilting torsion class if and only if  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P)$  for a (fin. gen.) faithful, finendo, and  $\mathcal{T}$ -projective module.

*Proof.*  $\Rightarrow$  Suppose  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp}$  for some tilting module T. Then, T is faithful and finendo. By last remark, T is  $\mathcal{T}$ -projective.

 $\Leftarrow$  By Proposition 3.4, it is enough to prove that Gen $(P) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ . Let  $M \in$ Gen(P). Consider the sequence  $0 \to M \to E(M) \to E(M)/M \to 0$ . Note that  $M, E(M), E(M)/M \in \text{Gen}(P)$  by Lemma 1.23. Applying the functor  $\text{Hom}_R(P, .)$ , we get

 $\rightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, E(M)) \rightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(P, E(M)/M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, E(M)).$ 

It follows that  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, M) = 0$  because P is  $\operatorname{Gen}(P)$ -projective and  $\operatorname{Ext}^{1}(P, E(M)) =$ 0. Thus,  $M \in P^{\perp}$ .

Let P be a partial tilting module. Let  $[\operatorname{Gen}(P), P^{\perp}]$  denote the interval of torsion classes  $\mathcal{T}$  such that  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq \mathcal{T} \subseteq P^{\perp}$ . The tilting torsion classes in this interval are characterized as follows.

**Lemma 3.8.** Let P be a partial tilting module and let T be any module. The following conditions are equivalent:

- (a) T is a tilting module and  $P \in Add(T)$ ;
- (b)  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) = T^{\perp} \in [\operatorname{Gen}(P), P^{\perp}].$

*Proof.* (a) $\Rightarrow$ (b) Since T is tilting, Gen(T) =  $T^{\perp}$  is a torsion class. Moreover,  $\operatorname{Gen}(P) \subseteq \operatorname{Gen}(T) \text{ and } T^{\perp} \subseteq P^{\perp} \text{ because } P \in \operatorname{Add}(T).$ 

(b) $\Rightarrow$ (a) Gen(T) = T<sup>\perp</sup> implies that T is a tilting module. By Lemma 1.15,  $P \in \operatorname{Pres}(T)$ . Since  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \subseteq P^{\perp}$ ,  $P \in \operatorname{Add}(T)$  by Lemma 1.16.

**Proposition 3.9.** Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be two tilting modules. The following conditions are equivalent:

- (a)  $T_1 \in Add(T_2)$ ;
- (b)  $T_2 \in \operatorname{Add}(T_1);$
- (c)  $T_1 \in T_2^{\perp}$  and  $T_2 \in T_1^{\perp}$ ; (d)  $\operatorname{Gen}(T_1) = \operatorname{Gen}(T_2)$ .

*Proof.* (a) $\Rightarrow$ (d) Since  $T_2$  is tilting and  $T_1 \in Add(T_2)$ , by Lemma 3.8 Gen $(T_1) \subseteq$  $\operatorname{Gen}(T_2) \subseteq T_1^{\perp}$ . This implies that  $\operatorname{Gen}(T_1) = \operatorname{Gen}(T_2)$ . (b) $\Rightarrow$ (d)is similar.

 $(d) \Rightarrow (a)$  and (b) follows from Lemma 3.8.

(c)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (d) is clear because Gen $(T_1) = T_1^{\perp}$  and Gen $(T_2) = T_2^{\perp}$ . 

**Example 3.10.** Let K be a field. Consider the ring of lower triangular matrices  $R = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K & K \end{pmatrix}$  with coefficients in K. We have that  $_RR = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K & 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$ . The injective hull of R is  $Mat_2(K) = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K & 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 & K \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$ . There are, up to isomprphism, two simple *R*-modules. One is  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$  with injective hull  $P_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & K \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix} \cong \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and the other one is  $P_2 := P_1 / \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}$  which is injective because R is a left hereditary ring. Since R is left Artinian, every injective R-module is a direct sum of injective hulls of simple modules, that is, a direct sum of direct sums of copies of  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ . Since  $P_1$  generates  $P_2$ ,  $\text{Gen}(P_1) = \Im$  the class of all injective modules. On the other hand,  $P_1^{\perp} = R$ -Mod because  $P_1$  is projective. Hence  $P_1$  is a partial tilting module. Now, let  $M \in P_2^{\perp}$  and let N be any module. Applying  $\text{Hom}_R(-, M)$  to the sequence  $0 \to N \to E(N) \to E(N)/N \to 0$ , we get

$$\rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(E(N)/N, M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(E(N), M) \rightarrow \operatorname{Ext}^{1}(N, M) \rightarrow 0$$

We have that  $E(N) = P_1^{(X)} \oplus P_2^{(Y)}$  for some sets X and Y. Since  $M \in P_2^{\perp}$  and  $P_1^{\perp} = R$ -Mod,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(E(N).M) = 0$ . Hence  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(N, M) = 0$ . This implies that M is injective. Since always  $\mathfrak{I} \subseteq P_2^{\perp}$ , then  $\mathfrak{I} = P_2^{\perp}$ . The class  $\operatorname{Gen}(P_2)$  consist of all semisimple injective modules. Thus,  $P_2$  is a partial tilting module.

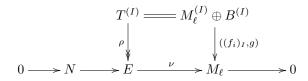
For what follows, we will need some facts on modules of finite length. We place those results here for the convenience of the reader.

**Theorem 3.11.** Let M be an indecomposable modulo of finite length. Then, End<sub>R</sub>(M) is a local ringa and the noninvertible elements of End<sub>R</sub>(M) are exactly the nilpotent elements.

**Theorem 3.12.** Let  $M \neq 0$ . If M is Artinian or Noetherian, then there exist indecomposable submodules  $M_1, ..., M_n$  of M such that  $M = \bigoplus_{i=1}^n M_i$ . Moreover, if M has finite length,  $\operatorname{End}_R(M_i)$  is local for every  $1 \leq i \leq n$ .

**Lemma 3.13.** Let M be a module of finite length. If Gen(M) is a torsion class, then there exists a direct summand T of M such that  $Gen(M) = Gen(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$ .

Proof. Since M has finite length,  $M = M_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus M_n$  with  $M_i$  idecomposable. Renumbering if needed, there exists  $k \leq n$  such that  $M_i \in \text{Gen}(M_k \oplus \cdots \oplus M_n)$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq n$  and  $M_i \notin \text{Gen}(\bigoplus\{M_j \mid k \leq j \leq n \text{ and } i \neq j\})$  for all  $k \leq i \leq n$ . Put  $T = M_k \oplus \cdots \oplus M_n$ , then Gen(M) = Gen(T). Let  $k \leq \ell \leq n$ . Suppose there is  $N \in \text{Gen}(M)$  with  $\text{Ext}^1(M_\ell, N) \neq 0$ . Set  $B = \bigoplus\{M_i \mid k \leq i \leq n \text{ and } i \neq \ell\}$ . Then  $T = M_\ell \oplus B$ . Since  $\text{Ext}^1(M_\ell, N) \neq 0$ , there is a nontrivial extension  $0 \to N \to E \to M_\ell \to 0$ . Hence  $E \in \text{Gen}(M) = \text{Gen}(T)$  because Gen(M) is a torsion class. There is a commutative diagram



Here  $f_i = \nu \rho \eta_i$ , where  $\eta_i : M_\ell \to M_\ell^{(I)}$  is the canonical inclusion. Then  $f_i \in \text{End}_R(M_\ell)$  is not an isomorphism for all  $i \in I$ , because  $\nu$  does not split. Since  $\text{End}_R(M_\ell)$  is local,  $f_i \in \text{Rad}(\text{End}_R(M_\ell))$  for all  $i \in I$ . This implies that  $\sum_{i \in I} f_i(M_\ell) \subseteq \text{Rad}(\text{End}_R(M_\ell))M_\ell$ . Note that  $\text{Rad}(\text{End}_R(M_\ell))$  is nilpotent [10, Ex. 21.24], and  $M_\ell = \sum_{i \in I} f_i(M_\ell) + g(B^{(I)})$ . This implies that  $M_\ell = g(B^{(I)}) \in \text{Gen}(B)$  by [10, Proposition 23.16], which is a contradiction. Therefore, Gen(M) = Gen(T) and

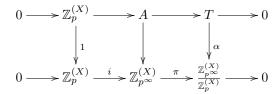
$$\operatorname{Gen}(M) \subseteq \bigcap_{k \le \ell \le n} M_{\ell} = T^{\perp}.$$

The next example shows that last lemma cannot be true if the module M has infinite length.

**Example 3.14.** Let  $p \in \mathbb{Z}$  be a prime number. Consider  $R = \mathbb{Z}$  and  $M = \bigoplus_{n>0} \mathbb{Z}_{p^n}$ . Let  $\mathcal{T}_p$  be the class of *p*-groups. Then  $\operatorname{Gen}(M) = \mathcal{T}_p$  which is a torsion class. Let  $0 \neq T \in \mathcal{T}_p$  be any *p*-group. It follows that  $E(T) \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}^{(X)}$  for some set X. Then,

$$\frac{\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}^{(X)}}{\mathbb{Z}_{p}^{(X)}} \cong \left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}}{\mathbb{Z}_{p}}\right)^{(X)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}^{(X)} \cong E(T).$$

Therefore, there is a monomorphism  $\alpha: T \to \frac{\mathbb{Z}_{p^{\infty}}^{(X)}}{\mathbb{Z}_{p}^{(X)}}$ . Consider the following diagram:



where the lower row is the canonical sequence and A is the pull-back of  $\alpha$  and  $\pi$ . By [13, Lemma 7.29], the upper row is exact. Since *i* is an essential monomorphism, the upper row is not a trivial extension. This implies that  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(T, \mathbb{Z}_p^{(X)}) \neq 0$ . Thus,  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) \not\subseteq T^{\perp}$ .

**Theorem 3.15.** Consider the following conditions for a torsion class  $\mathcal{T}$  in *R*-Mod.

- (1)  $\mathcal{T}$  is a classic tilting torsion class.
- (2)  $\mathcal{T}$  is closed under direct products, it contains any injective module and  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P)$  for a finitely generated module P.
- (3)  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P)$  for a finitely generated, faithful and finendo module P.

Then,  $(1) \Rightarrow (2) \Rightarrow (3)$ . In addition, if R is left Artinian, then the three conditions are equivalent.

*Proof.* (1) $\Rightarrow$ (2) Suppose  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P) = P^{\perp}$  is a classical torsion class. Since  $\mathcal{T} = P^{\perp}, \mathcal{T}$  is closed under direct products (Proposition 1.1) and contains any injective module. By hypothesis, P is finitely generated.

 $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$  By hypothesis,  $P^X \in \text{Gen}(P) = \mathcal{T}$  for every set X. This implies that P is finendo (Lemma 1.14). Since  $E(R) \in \mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P)$ , there exists an epimorphism  $P^{(X)} \to E(R) \to 0$  for some set X. Since R is projective, the inclusion  $R \hookrightarrow E(R)$ lifts to a monomorphism  $R \to P^{(X)}$ . Then, P is faithful.

Now suppose R is left Artinian and assume (3). Then P is of finite length. By Lemma 3.13, there is a direct summand T of P such that  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(P) = \text{Gen}(T) \subseteq T^{\perp}$ . Since P is faithful and there exists an epimorphism  $T^{(X)} \to P$  for some set X, T is also faithful. Now, for any set  $X, P^X \in \text{Gen}(P)$  because P is finendo. This implies that  $T^X \in \text{Gen}(P) = \text{Gen}(T)$ . Thus, T is finendo. By Proposition 3.4,  $\mathcal{T}$ is a classical tilting torsion class, proving (1).

*Remark* 3.16. Note that either (1), (2) or (3) of Theorem 3.15 does not imply that P is of finite length. For, just consider a P = R for some non left Artinian ring R.

**Definition 3.17.** A bimodule  ${}_{A}C_{B}$  is faithfully balanced if the natural homomorphism  $A \to \operatorname{End}_{B}(C)$  and  $B \to \operatorname{End}_{A}(C)$  are isomorphisms.

For a nonclassical torsion class  $\mathcal{T} = \text{Gen}(T)$  there is not a generalization of the Brenner-Butler Theorem, that is, there is not an equivalence of categories between  $\mathcal{T}$  and  $\text{Cogen}(\text{Hom}_R(\_,T)) = \text{Ker}(\text{Tor}_1^S(\_,T))$ . This is because T is not finitely generated. What can be done is to choose T as a classical partial tilting faithfully balanced module over its endomorphism ring such that  $\mathcal{T}$  is equivalent to  $\text{Hom}_R(T,\mathcal{T})$ .

**Lemma 3.18.** Let T be an R-module with endomorphism ring  $S = \text{End}_R(T)$ . Consider the following conditions:

- (1) T satisfies: (T1<sub>0</sub>) There is an exact sequence  $0 \to R \to T' \to T'' \to 0$  such that  $T', T'' \in$  add(T).
  - $(T2_0)$  Ext<sup>1</sup>(T,T) = 0.
- (2) T is faithfully balanced as S R-bimodule and  $_{S}T$  is a classical partial tilting module.
- (3)  $_{R}T$  is faithful and there is  $\bar{t} = (t_{1}, ..., t_{n}) \in T^{n}$  such that  $_{S}\langle t_{1}, ..., t_{n} \rangle = _{S}T$ and  $T^{n}/R\bar{t} \in \operatorname{add}(T)$ .
- (4)  $_{R}T$  satisfies (T1<sub>0</sub>).

Then  $(1) \Rightarrow (2) \Leftrightarrow (3) \Rightarrow (4)$ . Moreover, if (3) is true, then every module  $M \in \text{Gen}(T)$  is T-reflexive, i.e.,  $\text{Hom}_R(T, M) \otimes_S T \cong M$  canonically.

*Proof.* (1) $\Rightarrow$ (2) Applying the functor Hom<sub>R</sub>(-, T) to the sequence (T1<sub>0</sub>), we get a sequence in S-Mod:

$$(3.1) \quad 0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(T'',T) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(T',R) \to \operatorname{Hom}_R(R,T) \to \operatorname{Ext}^1_R(T'',T) = 0$$

where  $\operatorname{Ext}_{R}^{1}(T'',T) = 0$  because  $(\operatorname{T2}_{0})$ . Now, we have that  $T' \leq^{\oplus} T^{m}$  for some m > 0. Then  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T',T) \leq^{\oplus} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T^{m},T) \cong S^{m}$ . Therefore,  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T',T)$ ,  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T'',T) \in \operatorname{add}(S)$ , that is,  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T',T)$ ,  $\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T'',T)$  are finitely generated projective S-modules. Since  $_{S} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R,T) \cong _{S}T$ ,  $_{S}T$  satisfies (T3) and (T4). Now, we apply  $\operatorname{Hom}_{S}(\_,T)$  to (3.1) and we get the diagram:

$$0 \longrightarrow R \longrightarrow T' \longrightarrow T' \longrightarrow T'' \longrightarrow T'' \longrightarrow 0$$
  
$$\downarrow^{\omega_{R}} \downarrow^{\omega_{T'}} \downarrow^{\omega_{T''}} \downarrow^{\omega_{T''$$

Note that  $\operatorname{Hom}_{S}(\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R,T),T) \cong \operatorname{End}_{S}(T)$  and  $\omega_{T'}$  and  $\omega_{T''}$  are isomorphisms because  $T', T'' \in \operatorname{add}(T)$ . Thus,  $\omega_{R}$  is an isomorphism. This implies that T is faithfully balanced. Also, we have that  $\operatorname{Ext}_{S}^{1}(T,T) = 0$ .

 $(2) \Rightarrow (3)$  Since <sub>S</sub>T satisfies (T3) and (T4), there is an exact sequence in S-Mod

 $0 \longrightarrow K \longrightarrow S^n \stackrel{\phi}{\longrightarrow} T \longrightarrow 0$ 

with  $K \in \operatorname{add}(S)$ . Let  $\{e_i\}$  be the canonical basis of  $S^n$ . Then,  ${}_ST = {}_S\langle t_1, ..., t_n \rangle$ where  $t_i = \phi(e_i)$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . Applying the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_S(\_, T)$  to the sequence, we get

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{S}(T,T) & \stackrel{\phi^{*}}{\longrightarrow} \operatorname{Hom}_{S}(S^{n},T) & \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{S}(K,T) & \longrightarrow \operatorname{Ext}_{S}^{1}(T,T) = 0 \\ & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & & & & & \uparrow \\ R^{*} & & & & T^{n} & & & T^{n}/R^{*} \\ \end{array}$$

where  $\bar{t} = \phi^*(1) = (t_1, ..., t_n)$ . The first isomorphism is by hypothesis and the second is the canonical isomorphism. Hence  $T^n/R\bar{t} \cong \text{Hom}_S(K, T) \in \text{add}(T)$ .

 $(3) \Rightarrow (2)$  Since  $_RT$  is faithful and  $_ST = _S \langle t_1, ..., t_n \rangle$ ,  $R\bar{t} = R$ . Hence, there is an exact sequence  $0 \longrightarrow R \xrightarrow{i} T^n \longrightarrow T_0 \longrightarrow 0$ , with  $T_0 \cong T^n/R\bar{t}$ . Applying the functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(_{-}, T)$  to the sequence, we get a sequence in S-Mod:

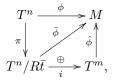
$$0 \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T_{0}, T) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T^{n}, T) \xrightarrow{i^{*}} \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(R, T) \cong_{S} T.$$

Given  $t \in T$ , there exist  $f_1, ..., f_n \in S$  such that  $t = \sum_{i=1}^n f_i(t_i)$ . Then  $i^*(\sum_{i=1}^n f_i)(1) = t$ . Thus,  $i^*$  is surjective. Also,  $T_0 \in \text{add}(S)$ . Therefore,  ${}_ST$  satisfies (T3) and (T4). Now, we apply  $\text{Hom}_S(\_,T)$  and we get a commutative diagram in *R*-Mod,

where  $\omega_{T^n}$  and  $\omega_{T_0}$  are isomorphisms. Thus,  $\omega_R$  is an isomorphism. Hence, T is faithfully balanced and  $\operatorname{Ext}_S^1(T,T) = 0$ . At the beginning we show  $(3) \Rightarrow (4)$ . For the last assertion, assume (3) and let  $M \in \operatorname{Gen}(T)$  and  $\rho_M : \operatorname{Hom}_R(T,M) \otimes_S T \to M$  be the canonical homomorphim given by  $\rho_M(\phi \otimes t) = \phi(t)$ . Since M is T-generated, each element  $m \in M$  can be writing as a finite sum  $m = \sum f_i(t_i)$ with  $f_i : T \to M$ . As  $i \rho_M(\sum f_i \otimes t_i) = m$ , that is,  $\rho_M$  is surjective. Now, let us prove that  $\rho_M$  is injective. Given any element  $\sum \phi \otimes t \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(T,M) \otimes_S T$ , then

$$\phi \otimes t = \phi \otimes \sum \phi_i(t_i) = \sum \phi \phi_i \otimes t_i = \sum \psi_i \otimes t_i.$$

Hence, if  $u \in \operatorname{Ker} \rho_M$ , then we can write  $u = \sum_{i=1}^n \phi_i \otimes t_i$ ,  $\phi = (\phi_1, ..., \phi_n) \in \operatorname{Hom}_R(T^n, M)$  with  $\phi(\overline{t}) = 0$ . Consider the following diagram:



where  $\pi$  is the canonical projection. Since  $\phi(\bar{t}) = 0$ , then  $\phi$  factors through  $T^n/R\bar{t}$ . Since  $T^n/R\bar{t} \in \operatorname{add}(T)$ , there exists m > 0 such that  $T^n/R\bar{t} \leq^{\oplus} T^m$  and so there exists a homomorphism  $\hat{\phi} : T^m \to M$  such that  $\hat{\phi}i = \bar{\phi}$ . Therefore,  $\phi = \bar{\phi}\pi = \hat{\phi}i\pi = \hat{\phi}(s_{ji})$  where  $(s_{ji})$  a matrix of  $m \times n$  with  $s_{ji} \in S$ . Let  $\eta_i : T \to T^n$  be the

canonical inclusion. Hence

$$u = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \phi_i \otimes t_i$$
  
=  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left( \sum_{j=1}^{m} \eta_i \hat{\phi} s_{ji} \right) \otimes t_i$   
=  $\sum_{j=1}^{m} \eta_j \hat{\phi} \otimes \left( \sum_{i=1}^{n} s_{ji} t_i \right)$   
=  $\sum_{j=1}^{m} \eta_j \hat{\phi} \otimes (i\pi(\bar{t}))_j$   
= 0

Thus,  $\rho_M$  is injective.

The following examples show that the implications  $(3) \Rightarrow (1)$  and  $(4) \Rightarrow (3)$  are not true in general.

## **Example 3.19.** Let K be a field.

(i) Consider the ring  $R = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K^{(\mathbb{N})} & K \end{pmatrix}$  and the idempotents  $\epsilon_a = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\epsilon_b = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then,

$$R = R\epsilon_a \oplus R\epsilon_b = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K^{(\mathbb{N})} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & K \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let  $e_1$  be the first element in the canonical basis of  $K^{(\mathbb{N})}$ . Put  $S = R\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0\\ e_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0\\ Ke_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Then  $S \cong R\epsilon_b$ . Set  $M_1 = R\epsilon_a$ ,  $M_2 = R\epsilon_a/S$  and  $M = M_1 \oplus M_2$ . Then, there is an exact sequence:

$$0 \to M_1 \oplus R\epsilon_b = R \to M_1^2 \to M \to 0.$$

This implies that M satisfies the condition (4) of Lemma 3.18 and M is finitely presented, since  $M_1$  is a finitely generated projective R-module. On the other hand,

$$\operatorname{End}_{R}(M) = \begin{pmatrix} \operatorname{End}_{R}(M_{1}) & \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(M_{2}, M_{1}) \\ \operatorname{Hom}_{R}(M_{1}, M_{2}) & \operatorname{End}_{R}(M_{2}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} K & 0 \\ K & \operatorname{End}_{R}(M_{2}) \end{pmatrix}$$

Since the dimension over K of  $M_1$  is infinite, M cannot be finitely generated over its endomorphism ring. Thus, M does not satisfy the condition (3) of Lemma 3.18.

(ii) Let R be the ring of  $3 \times 3$  lower triangular matrices with coefficients in K. Then  $R = R\epsilon_1 \oplus R\epsilon_2 \oplus R\epsilon_3$  where

$$\epsilon_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \epsilon_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \epsilon_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then  $\operatorname{Rad}(R\epsilon_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ K & 0 & 0 \\ K & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\operatorname{Soc}(R\epsilon_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ K & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Set  $U = R\epsilon_1 / \operatorname{Soc}(R\epsilon_1)$ ,  $T = R\epsilon_1 \oplus R\epsilon_3 \oplus R\epsilon_1 / \operatorname{Rad}(R\epsilon_1)$  and  $M = T \oplus U$ . Then T is a tilting module,  $\dim_K(U) < \infty$  and  $U \in \operatorname{Gen}(T)$ . It follows from [6, Proposition 8] that M satisfies the condition (3) of Lemma 3.18. There is a canonical, non trivial,

extension  $0 \to R\epsilon_3 \to R\epsilon_1 \to U \to 0$ , because  $\operatorname{Soc}(R\epsilon_1) \cong R\epsilon_3$ . This implies that there is a non trivial extension of T by U. Thus,  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(U,T) \neq 0$  and so  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(M,M) \neq 0$ . That is, M does not satisfy the condition (1) of Lemma 3.18.

**Proposition 3.20.** If T is a tilting module, then there exists a cardinal  $\kappa$  such that the tilting module  $T^{(\kappa)}$  satisfies  $(T1_0)$ .

*Proof.* By (T1), there exists an exact sequence  $0 \to R \to T' \to T'' \to 0$  such that  $T', T'' \in \operatorname{Add}(T)$ . Then, there are two cardinals  $\kappa_1$  and  $\kappa_2$  such that  $T' \leq^{\oplus} T^{(\kappa_1)}$  and  $T'' \leq^{\oplus} T^{(\kappa_2)}$ . Take  $\kappa = \max\{\kappa_1, \kappa_2\}$ . Thus,  $T', T'' \in \operatorname{Add}(T^{(\kappa)})$ .

**Corollary 3.21.** Let  $\mathcal{T}$  be a tilting torsion class in R-Mod. Then  $\mathcal{T}$  is generated by a tilting module T such that:

- (1) if  $S = \operatorname{End}_R(T)$  then T is a faithfully balanced (S R)-bimodule and  $_ST$  is a classical partial tilting module.
- (2)  $\mathcal{T}$  coincides with the class of T-reflexive R-modules, i.e.,

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T,\mathcal{T}) \underbrace{\xrightarrow{-\otimes_{S}T}}_{\operatorname{Hom}_{R}(T,-)} \mathcal{T}$$

is an equivalence.

(3)  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T})$  is a torsionfree class in S-Mod if and only if  $_RT$  is classical tilting.

*Proof.* Since  $\operatorname{Gen}(T) = \operatorname{Gen}(T^{(\kappa)})$  for any cardinal  $\kappa$ , by Proposition 3.20, we can assume that  $\mathcal{T} = \operatorname{Gen}(T)$  for a tilting module T satisfying  $(T1_0)$  and  $(T2_0)$ .

(1) If follows from the condition (2) of Lemma 3.18.

(2) By the condition (3) of Lemma 3.18, every  $M \in \text{Gen}(T)$  is T-reflexive. On the other hand, any T reflexive module is T-generated.

 $(3) \Rightarrow$  If  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T})$  is a torsionfree class in S-Mod, then  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T}) = \operatorname{Cogen}(S)$ . The equivalence

$$\operatorname{Cogen}(S) \underbrace{\xrightarrow{-\otimes_S T}}_{\operatorname{Hom}_R(T,-)} \mathcal{T}$$

implies that  $_{R}T$  is finitely generated by [15, Theorem 1].

 $\leftarrow$  Since <sub>R</sub>T is finitely generated and we have the equivalence

$$\operatorname{Hom}_R(T,\mathcal{T}) \underbrace{\xrightarrow[]{Wom_R(T,-)}]{\xrightarrow[]{Wom_R(T,-)}}}_{\operatorname{Hom}_R(T,-)} \mathcal{T}$$

by [12, Theorem 3.1],  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T}) = \operatorname{Cogen}(S)$ . Thus,  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T})$  is a torsionfree class.

#### 4. Exercises

- (1) Prove Corollary 1.7.
- (2) [13, Ex. 7.26(ii)].
- (3) Let M be a module. Prove that  $M^{\perp}$  is closed under extensions and contains all injective modules.

- (4) Let M be a module. Prove that Gen(M) is closed under epimorphisms and direct sums.
- (5) Prove Remark 1.20 and give an example of a no finitely generated small module.
- (6) A module T is classical tilting if and only if T satisfies  $(T1_0)$ ,  $(T2_0)$ , (T3) and (T4).
- (7) A module T is classical partial tilting if and only if T satisfies  $(T2_0)$ , (T3) and (T4). [9, III.6]
- (8) Prove Remark 2.5.
- (9) Prove that every simple module over a left hereditary left Noetherian left V-ring is a classical partial tilting module.
- (10) Let R be a ring and M be a left R-module. The singular submodule of M is defined as  $\mathcal{Z}(M) = \{m \in M \mid ann(m) \leq^{\text{ess}} R\}$ . It is said that a module is singular if  $\mathcal{Z}(M) = M$ . Show that,
  - (a)  $\mathcal{Z}(M/N) = M/N$  for all  $N \leq^{\text{ess}} M$ .
  - (b) if R is a semiprime Noetherian ring  $\mathcal{Z}(M)$  is equal to the *torsion* of M, that is  $\mathcal{Z}(M) = t(M) = \{m \in M \mid cm = 0 \text{ for some regular element } c \in R\}$ . [8, Ch. 7]
- (11) Let R be a hereditary Noetherian V-ring. Using [2, Theorem 4] prove that every torsion R-module is semisimple.
- (12) In Example 2.7
  - (a) Prove that  $T = S \oplus E(R)$  is a tilting module.
  - (b) Find a reference for the sentence "E(R) is a flat non projective *R*-module".
  - (c) Prove that E(R)/R cannot be finitely generated.
- (13) Let *E* be an injective module and  $\varphi : M \to E$  be a monomorphism. Show that if  $\alpha : M \to N$  is an essential monomorphism, then there exists a monomorphism  $\overline{\alpha} : N \to E$  such that  $\overline{\alpha}\alpha = \varphi$ .
- (14) In Example 2.11, prove that:
  - (a) R is finite dimensional over  $\mathbb{R}$ .
  - (b) Describe the lattice of left ideals of the ring R. [10, Proposition 1.7]
  - (c) Prove that R is a hereditary ring. (*Hint:* Prove that all the minimal ideals of R are isomorphic)
  - (d) the left ideals  $I = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{R} & 0 \\ \mathbb{C} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \mathbb{C} & \mathbb{C} \end{pmatrix}$  are two-sided ideals and are the only two maximal ideals of R. Conclude that there are only two isomorphism classes of simple R-modules
  - (e) R is Artinian (use [10, Theorem 1.22])
  - (f) there is an isomorphism:

$$R/J \cong P/\left(\begin{smallmatrix} \mathbb{R} & \mathbb{C} \\ \mathbb{C} & \mathbb{C} \end{smallmatrix}\right)$$

and hence R/J is injective.

- (g)  $\Im = \text{Gen}(P)$ . (*Hint:* prove that P generates the injective hull of each simple)
- (15) Let r be a precadical, i.e., a subfunctor of the identity functor. Show that if r is a radical, that is, r(M/r(M)) = 0 for all module M, then the class  $\mathcal{T}_r = \{M \mid r(M) = M\}$  is closed under extensions.
- (16) in Example 3.10.
  - (a) Describe the lattice of left ideals of the ring R. [10, Proposition 1.7]

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- (b) Prove that R is an Artinian hereditary ring. (*Hint:* Prove that all the minimal ideals of R are isomorphic)
- (17) [10, Ex. 21.24].
- (18) In Example 3.14, prove the equality  $\operatorname{Gen}(M) = \mathcal{T}_p$ .
- (19) Prove that the homomorphisms  $\omega_{T'}$  and  $\omega_{T''}$  in the proof  $(1) \Rightarrow (2)$  of Lemma 3.18, are isomorphisms.
- (20) Prove that the module  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(M_1, M_2) = K$  and  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(M_2, M_1) = 0$  in Example 3.19(i).
- (21) Prove that the module T in Example 3.19(ii) is a tilting module.
- (22) In the proof (3) $\Rightarrow$ , prove that  $\operatorname{Hom}_R(T, \mathcal{T}) = \operatorname{Cogen}(S)$ .
- (23) In the proof  $(3) \Leftarrow$ , prove that  $\operatorname{Cogen}(S)$  is a torsionfree class.

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