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# Exceptional hereditary curves and real curve orbifolds

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ABSTRACT. In this paper, we elaborate the theory of exceptional hereditary curves over arbitrary fields. In particular, we study the category of equivariant coherent sheaves on a regular projective curve whose quotient curve has genus zero and prove existence of a tilting object in this case. We also establish a link between wallpaper groups and real hereditary curves, providing details to an old observation made by Helmut Lenzing.

## 1. Introduction

Let  $\Bbbk$  be an arbitrary field. The categories  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  of coherent sheaves on a non-commutative projective hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{H})$  (where  $X = (X, \mathcal{O})$  is a commutative regular projective curve over  $\Bbbk$  and  $\mathcal{H}$  is a sheaf of hereditary  $\mathcal{O}$ -orders) provide an important class of  $\Bbbk$ -linear Ext-finite hereditary categories. In the case when  $X = \mathbb{P}^1_{\Bbbk}$  and  $\Bbbk = \bar{\Bbbk}$ is algebraically closed,  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  is equivalent to the category of coherent sheaves on an appropriate weighted projective line of Geigle and Lenzing and admits a tilting object [16]. In particular, there exist a finite dimensional  $\Bbbk$ -algebra  $\Sigma$  (which belongs to the class of so-called canonical

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algebras [43]) and an exact equivalence of derived categories

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X})) \longrightarrow D^b(\Sigma - \operatorname{mod}).$$
 (1)

In the case of an arbitrary base field  $\mathbb{k}$ , a hereditary projective curve  $\mathbb{X}$  is called *exceptional* if its derived category  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}))$  admits a tilting object. Dropping the assumption  $\mathbb{k} = \bar{\mathbb{k}}$  makes the theory of such curves significantly richer. Firstly, the underlying commutative curve X can be an arbitrary Brauer–Severi curve. Another reason for complications is caused by the fact that the Brauer group  $\mathsf{Br}(\mathbb{k}(X))$  of the function field  $\mathbb{k}(X)$  of X is no longer zero and arithmetic phenomena start to play an important role in the study of the category  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ . At this point let us mention that the Brauer class  $\eta_{\mathbb{X}} = [\Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{H})] \in \mathsf{Br}(\mathbb{k}(X))$  of an exceptional hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  can not take arbitrary values. Moreover,  $\mathbb{X}$  is a weighted projective line if and only if  $X = \mathbb{P}^1_{\mathbb{k}}$  and  $\eta_{\mathbb{X}} = 0$ .

The study of exceptional hereditary curves over arbitrary base fields was initiated by Lenzing in [31]. However, the underlying hereditary abelian category  $Coh(\mathbb{X})$  was defined in an implicit way, without an involvement of sheaves of orders. Quoting for example [19, page 415]: "Since there is at present no "geometric" definition available for coherent sheaves on a weighted projective line over an arbitrary field, the formulation of our main result will be somewhat different from the formulation for an algebraically closed field k."

A classification of k-linear Ext-finite hereditary abelian categories (see [18,42] for the case  $\mathbb{k} = \overline{\mathbb{k}}$  and [19,35] for an arbitrary  $\mathbb{k}$ ) allowed one to define exceptional hereditary curves in an "axiomatic way" by providing a list of characterizing properties of the category  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ . In this work, we give a further elaboration of this theory, starting with a ringed space  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{H})$  itself as a primary object.

The first main result of this paper is Theorem 3.12 which gives a straightforward construction of a tilting complex in the derived category  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}))$  for a complete hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  of a special type. This allows one to prove a generalization of the equivalence (1) in the case of an arbitrary field k.

A natural class of examples of exceptional heredirary curves arise from finite group actions. Let Y be a complete regular curve over k and  $G \subset \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{k}}(Y)$  be a finite group such that  $\operatorname{gcd}(|G|, \operatorname{char}(\mathbb{k})) = 1$  and the quotient X = Y/G is a curve of genus zero. Then there exists a hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X} = Y/\!\!/G = (X, \mathcal{H})$  such that  $\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y) \simeq \operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ , where  $\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y)$ is the category of G-equivariant coherent sheaves on Y. This result is well-known but we elaborate its proof in Proposition 5.3. Then we show that all such X are exceptional with  $\eta_X = 0$  (see Theorem 5.5), extending results of [39] on the case of an arbitrary base field k; see also [16,23,31].

Wallpaper groups lead to a very interesting class of finite group actions over  $\mathbb{R}$  on complex elliptic curves, what allows one to make a link to the so-called real tubular curves. This striking observation was made by Lenzing many years ago [33], although the underlying details were never published. This gap in the literature is filled by Theorem 6.11. Namely, to any wallpaper group W one can attach a hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}_W$  and in 13 cases out of 17 the corresponding derived category  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}_W))$ admits a tilting object, whose endomorphism algebra  $\Sigma_W$  is a tubular canonical algebra and whose type can be read off the orbifold description of the group W; see also Remark 6.12 for a different approach.

#### 2. Hereditary orders

We begin by recalling the notion of a classical order and its properties.

**Definition 2.1.** Let O be an excellent reduced equidimensional ring of Krull dimension one and K := Quot(O) be the corresponding total ring of fractions. An O-algebra A is an O-order if the following conditions are fulfilled:

- A is a finitely generated torsion free O-module.
- $A_K := K \otimes_O A$  is a semi-simple K-algebra, having finite length as a K-module.

Let O be as above,  $O' \subseteq O$  be a subring such that the corresponding ring extension is finite and A be an O-algebra. Then A is an O-order if and only if A is an O'-order. Moreover, if K' := Quot(O') then we have:  $A_K \cong A_{K'}$ ; see for instance [8, Lemma 2.8].

**Definition 2.2.** Let A be a ring.

- A is a classical order (or just an order) provided its center O = Z(A) is a reduced excellent equidimensional ring of Krull dimension one, and A is an O-order.
- Let K := Quot(O). Then  $A_K := K \otimes_O A$  is called the *rational* envelope of A.

- A ring  $\widetilde{A}$  is called an *overorder* of A if  $A \subseteq \widetilde{A} \subset A_K$  and  $\widetilde{A}$  is finitely generated as (a left) A-module.
- An order A is called *maximal* if it has no proper overorders.

Note that for any overorder  $\widetilde{A}$  of A, the map  $K \otimes_O \widetilde{A} \longrightarrow A_K$  is automatically an isomorphism. Hence,  $A_K = \widetilde{A}_K$  and  $\widetilde{A}$  is an order over O.

**Lemma 2.3.** Let H be an order and O = Z(H) be its center. Then the following results are true.

- (a) Assume that H is hereditary (i.e. gl.dim(H) = 1). Then  $O \cong O_1 \times \cdots \times O_r$ , where  $O_i$  is a Dedekind domain for all  $1 \le i \le r$ .
- (b) Suppose that O is semilocal. Let J be the Jacobson radical of H and  $\widehat{H} = \varprojlim_{k} (H/J^{k})$  be the completions of H. Then H is hereditary if and only if  $\widehat{H}$  is hereditary.

*Proofs* of all these results can be for instance found in [40].

Let O be a complete discrete valuation ring, A be a maximal order with center O and J be the Jacobson radical of A. We chose an element  $w \in J$  such that J = Aw = wA; see [40, Theorem 18.7] for the existence of such w. For any sequence of natural numbers  $\vec{p} = (p_1, \ldots, p_r)$ , consider the O-algebra

$$H(A, \vec{p}) := \begin{bmatrix} A & \dots & A & J & \dots & J & \dots & J & \dots & J \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A & \dots & A & A & \dots & J & \dots & J & \dots & J \\ \hline A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & J & \dots & J \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & J & \dots & J \\ \hline \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \hline A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & A & \dots & J \\ \hline \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \hline A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & A & \dots & A \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \hline A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & A & \dots & A \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \hline A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & A & \dots & A \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & J & \dots & J \\ A & A & \dots & J \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A & A & \dots & A & A & \dots & A & \dots & A \end{bmatrix}$$

where the size of the *i*-th diagonal block is  $(p_i \times p_i)$  for each  $1 \le i \le r$ .

**Theorem 2.4.** The following results are true.

- (i)  $H(A, \vec{p})$  is a hereditary order, whose center is isomorphic to O.
- (ii) Let A' be another maximal order and  $\vec{p}' \in \mathbb{N}^s$ . Then  $H(A, \vec{p}) \cong H(A', \vec{p}')$  if and only if  $A \cong A'$ , r = s and  $\vec{p}'$  is a cyclic shift of  $\vec{p}$ .

- (iii) Let H be a hereditary order, whose center is isomorphic to O. Then  $H \cong H(A, \vec{p})$  for some maximal order A and a vector  $\vec{p} \in \mathbb{N}^r$  for some  $r \in \mathbb{N}$ .
- (iv) We have the following description of the Jacobson radical of  $H = H(A, \vec{p})$ :

$$\mathsf{rad}(H) = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} J & J & \dots & J \\ A & J & \dots & J \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A & A & \dots & J \end{array} \right]^{(p_1,\dots,p_r)}$$

In particular, we have:

$$H/\mathsf{rad}(H) \cong M_{p_1}(D) \times \cdots \times M_{p_r}(D),$$

where D = A/J is the residue skew field of A.

(v) Let  $\vec{e} := (1, ..., 1) \in \mathbb{N}^r$ . Then the orders  $H(A, \vec{p})$  and

$$H_r(A) := H(A, \vec{e}) = \begin{bmatrix} A & J & \dots & J \\ A & A & \dots & J \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A & A & \dots & A \end{bmatrix}$$

are Morita equivalent.

*Proofs* of all these results can be for instance found in [20, 21] as well as in [40].

**Remark 2.5.** In what follows, the hereditary order  $H = H(A, \vec{p})$  will be called *standard*. Moreover, the following statements are true.

(i) There are precisely r pairwise non-isomorphic indecomposable projective left H-modules:

$$P_{1} = \begin{bmatrix} A \\ A \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} P_{2} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ A \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r} = \begin{bmatrix} J \\ J \end{bmatrix}^{(p_{1},\dots,p_{r})} \dots P_{r} \end{bmatrix} \dots P_{r$$

(ii) Next, there are exactly r pairwise non-isomorphic simple left H-modules  $S_1, \ldots, S_r$ , whose minimal projective resolutions are

$$0 \longrightarrow P_{j+1} \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_j} P_j \longrightarrow S_j \longrightarrow 0 \quad \text{for} \quad 1 \le j \le r.$$
 (3)

For  $1 \leq j < r$  the morphism  $\varepsilon_j$  is just the natural inclusion, whereas  $P_{r+1} = P_1$  and  $\varepsilon_r$  is given by the right multiplication with the chosen generator  $w \in J$ .

(iii) Let  $1 \leq i, j \leq r$ . It is clear that

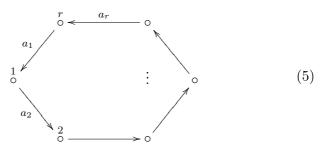
$$\operatorname{Hom}_{H}(S_{i}, S_{j}) \cong \begin{cases} D^{\circ} & \text{if } i = j, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise}, \end{cases}$$

where  $D^{\circ}$  is the opposite ring of D. Moreover,

$$\mathsf{Ext}_{H}^{1}(S_{i}, S_{j}) \cong \begin{cases} D^{\circ} & \text{if } j = i+1, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$
(4)

where  $S_{r+1} = S_1$ .

(iv) Let  $A = \mathbb{k}[\![z]\!]$ . Then  $H_r(A)$  is isomorphic to the arrow completion  $\widehat{\mathbb{k}[\vec{C_r}]}$  of the path algebra of the cyclic quiver  $\vec{C_r}$ :



Let  $A \times A \xrightarrow{\kappa} O$  be the pairing induced by the so-called *reduced* trace map  $A \xrightarrow{tr} O$ ; see [40, Section 9]. It is symmetric and invariant (i.e.  $\kappa(a,b) = \kappa(b,a)$  and  $\kappa(ab,c) = \kappa(a,bc)$  for any  $a,b,c \in A$ ). Moreover, it defines an isomorphism of (A-A)-bimodules

$$A \longrightarrow \Omega_A := \operatorname{Hom}_O(A, O), a \mapsto \kappa(a, -).$$

As a consequence, we have the following isomorphisms of (H-H)-bimodules:

 $\Omega = \Omega_H := \operatorname{Hom}_O(H, O) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_A(H, \operatorname{Hom}_O(A, O)) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_A(H, A).$  It follows that

$$\Omega \cong \begin{bmatrix} A & A & \dots & A \\ J^{-1} & A & \dots & A \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ J^{-1} & J^{-1} & \dots & A \end{bmatrix}^{\underline{(p_1,\dots,p_r)}}$$

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where  $J^{-1} = Aw^{-1} = w^{-1}A$  viewed as a subset of the rational hull of A.

Consider the functor  $\tau := \Omega \otimes_H - : H - \mathsf{mod} \longrightarrow H - \mathsf{mod}$ . It is clear that

$$\tau(P_1) \cong \begin{bmatrix} A \\ J^{-1} \\ \vdots \\ J^{-1} \end{bmatrix}^{\underline{(p_1,\dots,p_r)}}_{=} \cong \begin{bmatrix} J \\ A \\ \vdots \\ A \end{bmatrix}^{\underline{(p_1,\dots,p_r)}}_{=} = P_2,$$

where the last isomorphism is given by the right multiplication with w. In the same vein, we have:  $\tau(P_i) \cong P_{i+1}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq r$ . Note that  $\Omega$  is projective (hence flat) viewed as a right *H*-module. It follows that  $\tau$  is an exact functor. Actually,  $\tau$  is an auto-equivalence of *H*-mod; see the discussion below. It follows from (3) that  $\tau(S_i) \cong S_{i+1}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq r$ .

#### 3. Exceptional hereditary curves

Let k be any field and X be a reduced quasi-projective equidimensional scheme of finite type over k of Krull dimension one. Let  $X_{\circ}$  be the set of closed points of X,  $\mathcal{O}$  be the structure sheaf of X,  $\mathcal{K}$  be its sheaf of rational functions and  $\mathbb{K} := \mathcal{K}(X)$  be the ring of rational functions on X. We follow the terminology introduced in [9, Section 7].

**Definition 3.1.** A non-commutative curve over  $\Bbbk$  is a ringed space  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$ , where X is a commutative curve as above and  $\mathcal{R}$  is a sheaf of  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -orders (i.e.  $\mathcal{R}(U)$  is an  $\mathcal{O}(U)$ -order for any open affine subset  $U \subseteq X$ ), which is coherent as a sheaf of  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -modules. Such  $\mathbb{X}$  is called

- (a) central if  $\mathcal{O}_x$  is the center of  $\mathcal{R}_x$ ,
- (b) homogeneous (also called *regular* in [9]) if the order  $\mathcal{R}_x$  is maximal,
- (c) hereditary if the order  $\mathcal{R}_x$  is hereditary

for any  $x \in X_{\circ}$ .

**Remark 3.2.** Without loss of generality one may assume  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  to be central; see [9, Remark 2.14]. We call such  $\mathbb{X}$  complete if X is complete (i.e. integral and proper (hence, projective)) over  $\mathbb{k}$ . Then  $\mathbb{K}$  is a field and  $\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}} := \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{R})$  is a central simple algebra over  $\mathbb{K}$ . Let  $\eta := [\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}}]$  be the corresponding class in the Brauer group  $\mathsf{Br}(\mathbb{K})$  of  $\mathbb{K}$ .

We shall denote by g(X) the genus of X. From now on, if not otherwise stated, all non-commutative curves over k are assumed to be *central* 

and complete and we shall frequently omit the term "non-commutative" when speaking about such X.

If  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  is hereditary then X is regular; see Lemma 2.3. Recall the following easy but fundamental fact due to Artin and de Jong [3, Proposition 1.9.1] (see also [46, Proposition 2.9] and [9, Corollary 7.9]).

**Theorem 3.3.** Let X be a complete regular curve over  $\Bbbk$ . Then for any  $\eta \in Br(\mathbb{K})$  there exists a homogeneous curve  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  such that  $[\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}}] = \eta$ . If  $\mathbb{X}' = (X', \mathcal{R}')$  is another homogeneous curve then the following statements are equivalent:

- (a) The categories of coherent sheaves Coh(X) and Coh(X') are equivalent.
- (b) There exists an isomorphism  $X \xrightarrow{f} X'$  such that  $[\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}}] = f^*([\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}'}]) \in Br(\mathbb{K}).$

**Remark 3.4.** In the above theorem, the ringed spaces X and X' need not be isomorphic even if we assume  $\mathbb{F}$  and  $\mathbb{F}'$  to be skew fields; see [9, Remark 7.11] and references therein.

Let  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{H})$  be a hereditary curve. The full subcategory of finite length objects of  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  is denoted by  $\mathsf{Tor}(\mathbb{X})$ . Clearly, it splits into a union of blocks:

$$\operatorname{Tor}(\mathbb{X}) = \bigvee_{x \in X_{\circ}} \operatorname{Tor}_{x}(\mathbb{X}), \tag{6}$$

where  $\operatorname{Tor}_{x}(\mathbb{X})$  is equivalent to the category of finite length modules over the hereditary order  $\mathcal{H}_{x}$  for any  $x \in X_{\circ}$ .

We denote by  $\mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{X})$  the full subcategory of the category  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ consisting of locally projective objects, i.e. those  $\mathcal{E} \in \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  for which each stalk  $\mathcal{E}_x$  is projective over  $\mathcal{H}_x$  for any  $x \in X_\circ$ . Similarly to the case of regular commutative curves, one can show that for any  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ there exist unique  $\mathcal{E} \in \mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{X})$  and  $\mathcal{Z} \in \mathsf{Tor}(\mathbb{X})$  such that  $\mathcal{F} \cong \mathcal{E} \oplus \mathcal{Z}$ .

Consider the Serre quotient category Coh(X)/Tor(X). Then the functor

$$\Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{H}} -) : \operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X}) / \operatorname{Tor}(\mathbb{X}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}} - \operatorname{mod}$$

is an equivalence of categories. For any  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  we define its rank by the formula

$$\mathsf{rk}(\mathcal{F}) := \mathsf{length}_{\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{F}}} \big( \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{F}) \big).$$

Objects of VB(X) of rank one are called *line bundles*, the corresponding full subcategory of VB(X) is denoted by Pic(X).

**Theorem 3.5.** Let  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{H})$  be a hereditary curve. Then the following results are true.

- (a) Coh(𝔅) is an Ext-finite noetherian hereditary k-linear abelian category.
- (b) Let  $\Omega = \Omega_{\mathbb{X}} := Hom_X(\mathcal{H}, \Omega_X)$ , where  $\Omega_X$  is the dualizing sheaf of X. Then

$$\tau := \Omega \otimes_{\mathcal{H}} - : \operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X}) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X}) \tag{7}$$

is an auto-equivalence of  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ . It restricts to auto-equivalences of its full subcategories  $\mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{X})$ ,  $\mathsf{Tor}(\mathbb{X})$  as well as  $\mathsf{Tor}_x(\mathbb{X})$  for any  $x \in X$ .

(c) Moreover, for any  $\mathcal{F},\mathcal{G}\in\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  there are bifunctorial isomorphisms

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{F},\mathcal{G}) \cong \operatorname{Ext}^{1}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{G},\tau(\mathcal{F}))^{*}.$$
(8)

Comment to the proof. Properties of the functor  $\tau$  follow from much more general results about dualizing complexes and Serre functors; see for example [38, Theorem A.4] and [47, Proposition 6.14].

**Remark 3.6.** The category of coherent sheaves  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$  on a hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  is essentially characterized by the properties listed in Theorem 3.5 above; see [42, Theorem IV.5.2] for the case of an algebraically closed field  $\mathbb{k}$  and [28,35] for further elaborations in the case of an arbitrary  $\mathbb{k}$ .

**Definition 3.7.** Let X be a complete regular curve over k. We say that  $X_{\circ} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathbb{N}$  is a *weight function* if  $\rho(x) = 1$  for all but finitely many points  $x \in X_{\circ}$ .

**Theorem 3.8.** Let X be a complete regular curve over  $\mathbb{k}$ ,  $\eta \in Br(\mathbb{K})$  be any Brauer class and  $X_{\circ} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathbb{N}$  be any weight function. Consider a homogeneous curve  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  defined by  $\eta$  (see Theorem 3.3). Then there exists a hereditary curve  $\mathbb{E} = \mathbb{E}(X, \eta, \rho) = (X, \mathcal{H})$  having the following properties.

- (a) For any  $x \in X_{\circ}$ , the order  $\widehat{\mathcal{H}}_x$  is Morita equivalent to the order  $H_{\rho(x)}(\mathcal{R}_x)$ .
- (b) We have:  $[\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}}] = \eta$ .

Let  $(X', \eta', \rho')$  be another datum as above and  $\mathbb{E}'$  be a hereditary curve attached to it. Then the categories  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E})$  and  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}')$  are equivalent if and only if there exists an isomorphism  $X \xrightarrow{f} X'$  such that  $f^*(\eta') = \eta \in \mathsf{Br}(\mathbb{K})$  and  $\rho' f = \rho$ .

*Proof* can be found in [46, Proposition 2.9]; see also [9, Corollary 7.9].  $\Box$ 

**Definition 3.9.** A complete non-commutative curve  $\mathbb{X}$  over a field  $\mathbb{k}$  is called *exceptional* if its bounded derived category of coherent sheaves  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}))$  admits a tilting object. Equivalently, there exists a finitedimensional  $\mathbb{k}$ -algebra T and an exact equivalence of triangulated categories  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})) \longrightarrow D^b(T-\mathsf{mod})$ .

**Remark 3.10.** The concept of an exceptional hereditary non-commutative curve was introduced for the first time by Lenzing in [32, Section 2.5], following an axiomatic characterization of such categories. At this place let us mention that there are various classes of exceptional noncommutative curves which are not hereditary; see for instance [7, 8, 12].

**Theorem 3.11.** Let  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  be an exceptional homogeneous curve. Then there exists a tilting object  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{X})$  such that

$$\Lambda := \left( \mathsf{End}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{F}) \right)^{\circ} \cong \left( \begin{array}{cc} \mathrm{ff} & \mathrm{w} \\ 0 & \mathrm{g} \end{array} \right), \tag{9}$$

where f and g are finite dimensional division algebras over k and w is a tame (f-g)-bimodule (this means that  $\dim_{\mathrm{f}}(\mathrm{w}) \cdot \dim_{\mathrm{g}}(\mathrm{w}) = 4$ ; see [13]). Moreover, g(X) = 0.

Comment to the proof. The first part of this theorem is due to Lenzing [32, Theorem 4.5]. The statement g(X) = 0 can be deduced from results of [3, Section 4.1]; see also [27].

Let  $(X, \eta, \rho)$  be a datum as in Theorem 3.8 with g(X) = 0 and  $\eta \in Br(\mathbb{K})$  be *exceptional*. The latter condition means that homogeneous curve  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  determined by  $\eta$  is exceptional. Let  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{X})$  be a tilting object from Theorem 3.11 and T be the corresponding tilted algebra (9). Then we have an exact equivalence

$$\mathsf{T} := \mathsf{RHom}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{F}, -) : D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})) \longrightarrow D^b(\Lambda - \mathsf{mod}).$$

Let  $\mathfrak{E}_{\rho} := \{x \in X_{\circ} \mid \rho(x) \ge 2\} = \{x_1, \dots, x_t\}$  be the special locus of  $\rho$ . For any  $1 \le i \le t$ , let  $\mathcal{S}_i$  be the unique (up to isomorphisms) simple object of the category  $\operatorname{Tor}_{x_i}(\mathbb{X})$  and  $U_i := \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{S}_i) \in \Lambda - \operatorname{mod}$  be the corresponding regular left  $\Lambda$ -module. Of course, we have:  $\mathsf{T}(\mathcal{S}_i[0]) \cong U_i[0]$ , where

$$\Lambda \operatorname{\mathsf{-mod}} \longrightarrow D^b(\Lambda \operatorname{\mathsf{-mod}}), M \mapsto M[0] = \left( \ldots \longrightarrow 0 \longrightarrow M \longrightarrow 0 \longrightarrow \ldots \right)$$

is the standard embedding. For any  $1 \leq i \leq t$ , let  $A_i := \mathcal{R}_{x_i}$  and  $D_i = A_i/\operatorname{rad}(A_i)$ . Then

$$D_i^{\circ} \cong \mathsf{End}_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{S}_i) \cong \mathsf{End}_{\Lambda}(U_i).$$

Recall that the duality functor  $\operatorname{Hom}_{\Bbbk}(-, \Bbbk) : \Lambda \operatorname{-mod} \longrightarrow \operatorname{mod}-\Lambda$  is a contravariant equivalence of categories. For any  $1 \leq i \leq t$ , consider a  $(D_i - \Lambda)$ -bimodule  $V_i := \operatorname{Hom}_{\Bbbk}(U_i, \Bbbk)$ . In this notation, we put:

$$\Pi := \begin{bmatrix} D_1 & \dots & D_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & V_1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & D_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & V_1 \\ \hline \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \hline 0 & \dots & 0 & D_t & \dots & D_t & V_t \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \hline 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & \dots & D_t & V_t \\ \hline 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \Lambda \end{bmatrix},$$
(10)

where each  $D_i$  occurs precisely  $m_i := \rho(x_i) - 1$  times on the diagonal.

**Theorem 3.12.** Let X be a complete regular curve over  $\Bbbk$  of genus zero,  $\eta \in Br(\mathbb{K})$  be an exceptional class,  $X_{\circ} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathbb{N}$  a weight function and  $\mathbb{E} = \mathbb{E}(X, \eta, \rho) = (X, \mathcal{H})$  be a hereditary curve attached to this datum (see Theorem 3.8). Then there exists an exact equivalence

$$D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E})) \simeq D^b(\Pi - \mathsf{mod}),$$
 (11)

where  $\Pi$  is the k-algebra given by (10). In other words, the curve  $\mathbb{E}$  is exceptional.

*Proof.* Consider a homogeneous curve  $\mathbb{X} = (X, \mathcal{R})$  determined by  $\eta \in Br(\mathbb{K})$ . Without loss of generality one may assume that  $\mathbb{F} := \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{R})$  is a skew field. Then there exists  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{H}) \cong M_m(\mathbb{F})$ .

For any  $1 \leq i \leq t$  we have an isomorphism of k-algebras  $H_i := \widehat{\mathcal{H}}_{x_i} \cong H(A_i, \vec{p}_i)$ , where  $A_i = \widehat{\mathcal{R}}_{x_i}$  and  $\vec{p}_i \in \mathbb{N}^{\rho(x_i)}$  is some vector. In particular, there are precisely  $\rho(x_i) = m_i + 1$  pairwise non-isomorphic simple left  $H_i$ -modules  $S_i^{(0)}, S_i^{(1)}, \ldots, S_i^{(m_i)}$  with a cyclic ordering such that

$$\tau(S_i^{(j)}) \cong S_i^{(j+1)} \text{ for all } 1 \le i \le t \text{ and } 0 \le j \le m_i.$$

$$(12)$$

Let  $P_i^{(j)}$  be an indecomposable projective left  $H_i$ -module defined by (2) such that

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{H_i}(P_i^{(j)}, S_i^{(j)}) \neq 0.$$

According to [9, Theorem 6.2] there exists  $\mathcal{P} \in \mathsf{Pic}(\mathbb{E})$  such that  $\widehat{\mathcal{P}}_{x_i} \cong P_i^{(0)}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ . Let  $\mathcal{A} := (End_{\mathbb{X}}(\mathcal{P}))^\circ$ . It is clear that  $\widehat{\mathcal{A}}_x \cong \widehat{\mathcal{R}}_x$  for all  $x \in X$  and  $\Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{A}) \cong \mathbb{F}$ . It follows that  $\mathbb{Y} := (X, \mathcal{A})$  is a complete homogeneous curve over  $\mathbb{k}$  and by Theorem 3.3 we have:  $\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{Y}) \simeq \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ . In particular, the curve  $\mathbb{Y}$  is exceptional.

Following the terminology of [11, Definition 4.1], the homogeneous curve  $\mathbb{Y}$  is a *minor* of the hereditary curve  $\mathbb{E}$ . We have the following functors:

- $G := Hom_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{P}, -)$  from  $Coh(\mathbb{E})$  to  $Coh(\mathbb{Y})$ .
- $\mathsf{F} := \mathcal{P} \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} \text{ from } \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{Y}) \text{ to } \mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}).$

Note that (F, G) is an adjoint pair and both functors F and G are exact. The general theory of minors developed in [11, Section 4] leads to the following results.

First note that F is fully faithful. Next, denote by DG and DF the corresponding derived functors between the bounded derived categories of coherent sheaves  $D^b(Coh(\mathbb{E}))$  and  $D^b(Coh(\mathbb{Y}))$ . Then (DF, DG) is again an adjoint pair and DF is fully faithful.

Consider the sheaf  $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{\mathcal{P}}$  of two-sided ideals in  $\mathcal{H}$  defined as follows:

$$\mathcal{I} := Im(\mathcal{P} \otimes_{\mathcal{A}} \mathcal{P}^{\vee} \xrightarrow{ev} \mathcal{H}),$$

where ev is the evaluation morphism. It is clear that  $\mathcal{I}_x = \mathcal{H}_x$  for all  $x \in X_\circ \setminus \mathfrak{E}_\rho$  and  $\overline{\mathcal{H}} := \mathcal{H}/\mathcal{I}$  is supported at  $\mathfrak{E}_\rho$ . One can check that for any  $1 \leq i \leq t$  we have:

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$$\widehat{\mathcal{I}}_{x_i} = \begin{bmatrix} A_i & J_i & \dots & J_i \\ A_i & J_i & \dots & J_i \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A_i & J_i & \dots & J_i \end{bmatrix}^{\frac{(p_0^{(i)}, \dots, p_{m_i}^{(i)})}{}}$$

where  $(p_0^{(i)}, \ldots, p_{m_i}^{(i)}) = \vec{p_i}$ . Let  $L := \Gamma(X, \overline{\mathcal{H}})$ . Then we have:  $L \cong L_1 \times \cdots \times L_t$ , where

$$L_i \cong \overline{\mathcal{H}}_{x_i} \cong \begin{bmatrix} D_i & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ D_i & D_i & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ D_i & D_i & \dots & D_i \end{bmatrix}^{\underbrace{(p_1^{(i)}, \dots, p_{m_i}^{(i)})}_{i}}_{i}$$

for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ . It is clear, that  $L_i$  is Morita equivalent to the algebra

$$\begin{bmatrix} D_i & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ D_i & D_i & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ D_i & D_i & \dots & D_i \end{bmatrix} \subset M_{m_i}(D_i).$$

For any  $\mathcal{E}^{\bullet} \in D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$  we have a distinguished triangle

$$(\mathsf{DF} \circ \mathsf{DG})(\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}) \xrightarrow{\xi_{\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}}} \mathcal{E}^{\bullet} \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\bullet} \longrightarrow (\mathsf{DF} \circ \mathsf{DG})(\mathcal{E}^{\bullet})[1],$$

where  $\mathsf{DF} \circ \mathsf{DG} \xrightarrow{\xi} \mathsf{Id}$  is the counit of the adjoint pair ( $\mathsf{DF}, \mathsf{DG}$ ). Since  $\mathsf{DF}$  is fully faithful, the morphism  $\mathsf{DG}(\xi_{\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}})$  is an isomorphism and, as a consequence,  $\mathsf{DG}(\mathcal{C}^{\bullet}) = 0$ . The kernel  $\mathsf{Ker}(\mathsf{DG})$  of the functor  $\mathsf{DG}$  consists of those complexes, whose cohomology is annihilated by the sheaf of ideals  $\mathcal{I}$ . Note that for any  $1 \leq i \leq t$  the ideal  $\widehat{\mathcal{I}}_{x_i}$  is projective (hence, flat), viewed as a right  $\widehat{\mathcal{H}}_{x_i}$ -module. It implies that  $\mathsf{Ker}(\mathsf{DG})$  can be identified with the derived category  $D^b(L-\mathsf{mod})$ ; see [11, Theorem 4.6]. Let  $D^b(L-\mathsf{mod}) \xrightarrow{\mathsf{I}} D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$  be the corresponding fully faithful embedding, whose essential image is  $\mathsf{Ker}(\mathsf{DG})$ . Then we get a semiorthogonal decomposition

$$D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E})) = \left\langle \mathsf{Im}(\mathsf{I}), \, \mathsf{Im}(\mathsf{DF}) \right\rangle = \left\langle D^{b}(L - \mathsf{mod}), \, D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{Y})) \right\rangle, \quad (13)$$

see [11, Theorem 4.5]. For any  $1 \le i \le t$  and  $1 \le j \le m_i$  consider the following  $L_i$ -modules  $Z_i^{(j)}$  given in terms of their projective resolutions

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 \longrightarrow P_i^{(0)} \longrightarrow P_i^{(1)} \longrightarrow Z_i^{(1)} \longrightarrow 0, \\ 0 \longrightarrow P_i^{(m_i)} \longrightarrow P_i^{(1)} \longrightarrow Z_i^{(2)} \longrightarrow 0, \\ \vdots \\ 0 \longrightarrow P_i^{(2)} \longrightarrow P_i^{(1)} \longrightarrow Z_i^{(m_i)} \longrightarrow 0. \end{array} \right.$$

Note that  $Z_i := \bigoplus_{j=1}^{m_i} Z_i^{(j)}$  is an injective cogenerator of the category  $L_i$ -mod. Let  $Z := \bigoplus_{i=1}^t Z_i$  and  $\mathcal{Z}[0] := I(Z)$ , then we have:  $\mathcal{Z} \in \mathsf{Tor}(\mathbb{X})$ . Next, we set  $\widetilde{\mathcal{F}} := \mathsf{F}(\mathcal{F}) \in \mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{E})$ , where  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{VB}(\mathbb{Y})$  is a tilting object from Theorem 3.11. We claim that

$$\mathcal{X}^{\bullet} := \mathcal{Z}[-1] \oplus \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}[0] \tag{14}$$

is a tilting object in the derived category  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$ .

The statement that  $\mathcal{X}^{\bullet}$  generates  $D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$  follows from existence of a semi-orthogonal decomposition (13) and the facts that Z generates  $D^{b}(L-\mathsf{mod})$  and  $\mathcal{F}$  generates  $D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{Y}))$ . Since both functors I and DF are fully faithful and Z and  $\mathcal{F}$  are tilting objects in the corresponding derived categories, we have:

$$\mathsf{Ext}^i_{\mathbb{E}}(\mathcal{Z},\mathcal{Z}) = 0 = \mathsf{Ext}^i_{\mathbb{E}}(\widetilde{\mathcal{F}},\widetilde{\mathcal{F}})$$

for all  $i \ge 1$ . Since the functor DF is left adjoint to DG and  $DG(\mathcal{Z}) = 0$ , we have:

 $\mathsf{Ext}^{i}_{\mathbb{E}}(\widetilde{\mathcal{F}}, \mathcal{Z}) \cong \mathsf{Hom}_{D^{b}(\mathbb{E})}(\mathsf{DF}(\mathcal{F}), \mathcal{Z}[i]) \cong \mathsf{Hom}_{D^{b}(\mathbb{Y})}(\mathcal{F}, \mathsf{DG}(\mathcal{Z})[i]) = 0$ 

for all  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

This vanishing is also a consequence of the semi-orthogonal decomposition (13). Finally, for any  $i \in \mathbb{Z}$  we have:  $\operatorname{Ext}^{i}_{\mathbb{E}}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) \cong \Gamma(X, \operatorname{Ext}^{i}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}))$ . Since  $\mathcal{Z}$  is torsion and  $\widetilde{\mathcal{F}}$  is locally projective, we have:  $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) = 0$ . As  $\mathbb{E}$  is hereditary, we also have:  $\operatorname{Ext}^{i}_{\mathcal{H}}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) = 0$  for all  $i \geq 2$ . Therefore,  $\operatorname{Hom}_{D^{b}(\mathbb{E})}(\mathcal{X}^{\bullet}, \mathcal{X}^{\bullet}[i]) = 0$  for  $i \neq 0$ . We have shown that  $\mathcal{X}^{\bullet}$  is a tilting object in  $D^{b}(\operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$ . Put

$$\Pi := \left( \mathsf{End}_{D^{b}(\mathbb{E})}(\mathcal{X}^{\bullet}) \right)^{\circ} \cong \left( \begin{array}{cc} \left( \mathsf{End}_{\mathbb{E}}(\mathcal{Z}) \right)^{\circ} & \mathsf{Ext}_{\mathbb{E}}^{1}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) \\ 0 & \left( \mathsf{End}_{\mathbb{E}}(\widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) \right)^{\circ} \end{array} \right).$$
(15)

Then the triangulated categories  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{E}))$  and  $D^b(\Pi-\mathsf{mod})$  are equivalent; see [22].

Note that  $(\operatorname{End}_{\mathbb{E}}(\widetilde{\mathcal{F}}))^{\circ} \cong (\operatorname{End}_{\mathbb{Y}}(\mathcal{F}))^{\circ} = \Lambda$  and  $\operatorname{End}_{\mathbb{E}}(\mathcal{Z}) \cong \operatorname{End}_{L}(Z) \cong \prod_{i=1}^{t} \operatorname{End}_{L_{i}}(Z_{i})$ . An easy computation shows that

$$\left(\mathsf{End}_{L_i}(Z_i)\right)^{\circ} \cong \left[\begin{array}{cccc} D_i & D_i & \dots & D_i \\ 0 & D_i & \dots & D_i \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & D_i \end{array}\right] \subset M_{m_i}(D_i).$$

Finally, using the Auslander–Reiten duality formula (8) and the fact that (F, G) is an adjoint pair, we get binatural isomorphisms

$$\mathsf{Ext}^{1}_{\mathbb{E}}\big(\mathcal{Z},\widetilde{\mathcal{F}}\big) \cong \mathsf{Hom}_{\mathbb{E}}\big(\mathsf{F}(\mathcal{F}),\tau^{-1}(\mathcal{Z})\big)^{*} \cong \mathsf{Hom}_{\mathbb{Y}}\big(\mathcal{F},\mathsf{G}\big(\tau^{-1}(\mathcal{Z})\big)\big)^{*}.$$

Next, we have:  $G(\tau^{-1}(\mathcal{Z})) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^{t} \mathcal{S}_{i}^{\oplus m_{i}}$  where  $\mathcal{S}_{i}$  is the unique (up to isomorphism) simple object of the category  $\operatorname{Tor}_{x_{i}}(\mathbb{Y})$ . Hence, we get isomorphisms

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{Y}}(\mathcal{F}, \mathsf{G}(\tau^{-1}(\mathcal{Z}))) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^{t} \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{Y}}(\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{S}_{i})^{\oplus m_{i}} \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^{t} U_{i}^{\oplus m_{i}}$$

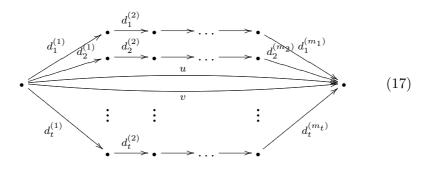
Taking the duals over  $\mathbb{k}$ , we get a bimodule isomorphism  $\mathsf{Ext}^1_{\mathbb{E}}(\mathcal{Z}, \widetilde{\mathcal{F}}) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^t V_i^{\oplus m_i}$ . This implies that the  $\mathbb{k}$ -algebras given by (10) and (15) are isomorphic.

**Remark 3.13.** Let  $\Bbbk$  be an algebraically closed field and  $X = \mathbb{P}^1_{\Bbbk}$ . We chose homogeneous coordinates (u : v) on X. Then  $\mathcal{F} := \mathcal{O}(-1) \oplus \mathcal{O} \in \mathsf{VB}(X)$  is a tilting bundle u and v can be viewed as elements of a distinguished basis of  $\mathsf{Hom}_X(\mathcal{O}(-1), \mathcal{O})$ . Hence,  $\Lambda := (\mathsf{End}_X(\mathcal{F}))^\circ$  can be identified with the path algebra of the Kronecker quiver  $\bullet \underbrace{\overset{u}{\smile}}_{v} \bullet$  and we have an exact equivalence  $\mathsf{T} := \mathsf{RHom}(\mathcal{F}, -) : D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(X)) \longrightarrow D^b(\Lambda-\mathsf{mod}).$ 

Let  $X_{\circ} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathbb{N}$  be any weight function and  $\mathfrak{E}_{\rho} = \{x_1, \ldots, x_t\}$  be the corresponding special locus. We write  $x_i = (\alpha_i : \beta_i)$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ . Let  $\mathcal{S}_i \in \operatorname{Tor}_{x_i}(X)$  be the simple object and  $U_i \in \Lambda - \operatorname{mod}$  be its image under the equivalence  $\mathsf{T}$  (i.e.  $\mathsf{T}(\mathcal{S}_i[0]) \cong U_i[0]$ ). Then  $U_i = \Bbbk \bigoplus_{\beta_i}^{\alpha_i} \Bbbk$  and

 $\operatorname{End}_{\Lambda}(U_i) \cong \mathbb{k}$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ . Let  $\rho(x_i) = m_i + 1$ . Then the algebra  $\Pi$  defined by (10) is isomorphic to the path algebra of the following quiver

subject to the relations  $c_i^{(1)}(\beta_i u - \alpha_i v) = 0$  for all  $1 \le i \le t$ . This is a socalled squid algebra (see [4, Section IV.6] and [44, Section 4]). The canonical algebra  $\Sigma$  attached to the same datum  $((x_1, m_1+1), \ldots, (x_t, m_t+1))$ is the path algebra of the quiver



modulo the relations

$$d_i^{(m_i)} \dots d_i^{(1)} = \beta_i u - \alpha_i v \quad \text{for} \quad 1 \le i \le t,$$
(18)

see [43]. Then there exists an exact equivalence of triangulated categories

$$D^b(\Pi-\mathsf{mod}) \simeq D^b(\Sigma-\mathsf{mod}),$$
 (19)

see [43,44]. For  $t \geq 3$  one may without loss of generality assume that  $x_1 = (1 : 0), x_2 = (0 : 1)$  and  $x_3 = (1 : 1)$ . Suppose that t = 3. If  $l_i = \rho(x_i)$  then we use the notation  $\Pi_{(l_1, l_2, l_3)}$  and  $\Sigma_{(l_1, l_2, l_3)}$  for the corresponding squid and canonical algebras, respectively.

In the case of an arbitrary field  $\mathbb{k}$ , the algebra  $\Pi$  given by (10) is a variation of a squid algebra introduced by Ringel in [44, Section 4].

**Remark 3.14.** Let us mention that Theorem 3.12 is not entirely original; see e.g. [19, Theorem 2.8 and Theorem 3.4] as well as [27, 34]. However, that works are based on the "axiomatic approach" to non-commutative hereditary curves and analogues of the derived equivalence (11) serve rather as a definition of  $\mathbb{E}$  than as its property.

#### 4. Generalities on skew group products

Let A be a ring, G be a finite group and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} \operatorname{Aut}(A)$  be a group homomorphism. For any  $g \in G$ , let  $A \xrightarrow{\phi_g} A$  be the corresponding ring automorphism of A. The associated skew group ring  $A[G, \phi]$  is a free left A-module of rank |G|

$$A[G,\phi] = \left\{ \sum_{g \in G} a_g[g] \, \big| a_g \in A \right\}$$
(20)

equipped with the product given by the rule

$$a[f] \cdot b[g] := a\phi_f(b)[fg]$$
 for any  $a, b \in A$  and  $f, g \in G$ .

Then  $A[G, \phi]$  is a unital ring, whose multiplicative unit element is 1[e], where 1 is the unit in A and e is the neutral element of G. Let

$$A^G := \left\{ a \in A \, \big| \, \phi_g(a) = a \text{ for all } g \in G \right\}$$

be the ring of invariants. If A is commutative then  $A^G$  is the center of  $A[G, \phi]$ . In what follows, we put n = |G|.

**Lemma 4.1.** Let L be a field,  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} Aut(A)$  be injective and  $K = L^G$ . Then we have an isomorphism of K-algebras

$$L[G,\phi] \cong M_n(K). \tag{21}$$

*Proof.* By Artin's Theorem (see e.g. [30, Theorem VI.1.8]) L/K is a finite Galois extension and  $G \cong \operatorname{Gal}(L/K)$ . Next, we have a group isomorphism

$$H^2(G, L^*) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathsf{Br}(L/K), [\omega] \mapsto L[G, (\phi, \omega)]$$
 (22)

see e.g. [14, Theorem 5.6.6]. Here,  $L[G, (\phi, \omega)]$  is the crossed product of L and G with respect to the two-cocycle  $G \times G \xrightarrow{\omega} L^*$ ; see [41]. If  $\omega$  is the trivial cocycle then  $L[G, (\phi, \omega)] = L[G, \phi]$ . Hence, we have an isomorphism of K-algebras  $L[G, \phi] \cong M_m(K)$  for some  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . From the dimension reasons it follows that m = n.  $\Box$ 

**Lemma 4.2.** Let  $A = A_1 \times \cdots \times A_t$ , where  $A_i$  is a connected ring for all  $1 \leq i \leq t$ . Let  $e_i := (0, \ldots, 0, 1, 0, \ldots, 0)$  be the *i*-th central idempotent of A. Assume that G acts transitively on the set  $\{e_1, \ldots, e_t\}$ . Let  $A_{\diamond} = A_1$ ,  $G_{\diamond}$  be the stabilizer of  $e_1$  and  $G_{\diamond} \xrightarrow{\phi_{\diamond}} \operatorname{Aut}(A_{\diamond})$  be the restricted action. Then the skew group rings  $A[G, \phi]$  and  $A_{\diamond}[G_{\diamond}, \phi_{\diamond}]$  are Morita equivalent. Proof. By the transitivity assumption, for any  $1 \leq i, j \leq t$  there exists  $g \in G$  such that  $\phi_g(e_i) = e_j$ . Then we have:  $e_j = [g]e_i[g]^{-1}$ . Since  $1_{A[G,\phi]} = e_1 + \cdots + e_t$  and the idempotents  $\{e_1, \ldots, e_t\}$  are orthogonal and pairwise conjugate, the rings  $A[G,\phi]$  and  $e_1A[G,\phi]e_1$  are Morita equivalent. Now we prove that  $e_1A[G,\phi]e_1 \cong A_{\diamond}[G_{\diamond},\phi_{\diamond}]$ . Let  $\{g_1, \ldots, g_s\} \subset G$  be such that  $g_1 = e$  and  $G = g_1G_{\diamond} \sqcup \cdots \sqcup g_sG_{\diamond}$ . Consider an arbitrary element  $A \ni a = (a_1, \ldots, a_t) = a_1 + \cdots + a_t$ , where  $a_i \in A_i$  for  $1 \leq i \leq t$  as well as an arbitrary element  $g \in G$ . First note that  $e_1a = a_1$ . Next, there exist unique  $1 \leq j \leq s$  and  $h \in G_{\diamond}$  such that  $g = g_jh$ . Then we have:  $\phi_h(e_1) = e_1$  and

$$e_1 \cdot a[g]e_1 = a_1[g_jh]e_1 = a_1\phi_{g_j}(e_1)[g_jh] = \begin{cases} a_1[h] & \text{if } j = 1, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Hence,  $e_1 A[G, \phi] e_1 \cong A_{\diamond} [G_{\diamond}, \phi_{\diamond}]$ , as asserted.

From now on, let k be a field such that gcd(n, char(k)) = 1, A be a k-algebra and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} Aut_k(A)$  be a group homomorphism. Then the skew product  $A[G, \phi]$  is a k-algebra.

**Theorem 4.3.** Let A be a commutative connected Dedekind  $\Bbbk$ -algebra,  $O = A^G$  and  $H = A[G, \phi]$ . Then the following statements are true.

- (i) O is again a Dedekind k-algebra and  $O \subseteq A$  is a finite extension.
- (ii) H is a hereditary order, whose center is O and whose rational hull is  $M_n(K)$ , where K is the quotient field of O.

*Proof.* For the first statement, see for instance [6, Theorem 4.1]. We conclude that  $O \subseteq H$  is finite and H is a torsion free module over O. It follows from Lemma 4.1 that the rational hull of H is  $M_n(K)$ . Hence H is an order, whose center is O. Finally, it follows from [41, Theorem 1.3] that H is hereditary; see also [10, Corollary 2.7].

**Lemma 4.4.** Let  $\Bbbk$  be algebraically closed,  $A = \Bbbk \llbracket z \rrbracket$  and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} Aut_{\Bbbk}(A)$  be an injective group homomorphism. Then the following statement are true:

- (i) The group G is cyclic, i.e.  $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$ .
- (ii) We have:  $A[G, \phi] \cong H_n(O)$ , where  $O = \mathbb{k}[\![z^n]\!]$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\mathfrak{m} = (z)$  be the maximal ideal in A. For any  $g \in G$ , let  $\mathfrak{m}/\mathfrak{m}^2 \xrightarrow{\bar{\phi}_g} \mathfrak{m}/\mathfrak{m}^2$  be the induced automorphism. We identify  $\Bbbk$  with  $\mathfrak{m}/\mathfrak{m}^2$  sending 1 to [z]. Then  $\bar{\phi}_g([z]) = \xi_g[z]$  for some  $\xi_g \in \Bbbk^*$ . Clearly,  $\xi_e = 1$  and  $\xi_{g_1g_2} = \xi_{g_1}\xi_{g_2}$  for all  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ . Next, for any  $g \in G$  consider the automorphism of  $\Bbbk$ -algebras

$$A \xrightarrow{\psi_g} A, \ f(z) \mapsto f(\xi_g z).$$

We define  $\tau \in \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{k}}(A)$  by the rule  $\tau(z) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{g \in G} \psi_g^{-1} \phi_g(z)$ . It is easy to see that  $\psi_e = \operatorname{id}, \ \psi_{g_1g_2} = \psi_{g_1}\psi_{g_2}$  and  $\psi_g \tau = \tau \phi_g$  for all  $g_1, g_2, g \in G$ . Hence,  $\tau$  can be extended to an isomorphism of k-algebras  $A[G, \phi] \xrightarrow{\tau} A[G, \psi]$ .

Since  $\phi$  is injective,  $G \xrightarrow{\psi} \operatorname{Aut}_{\Bbbk}(A)$  is injective, too. It follows that  $G \longrightarrow \Bbbk^*, g \mapsto \xi_g$  is an injective group homomorphism. Moreover,  $\xi_g^n = 1$  for all  $g \in G$ . This implies that G is a cyclic group of order n.

Let h be a generator of G. Then  $\xi = \xi_h$  is a primitive n-th root of 1 in k. For  $1 \le k \le n$ , let  $\zeta_k := \xi^k$  and

$$\varepsilon_k := \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \zeta_k^j [h]^j \in A[G, \psi].$$

$$(23)$$

Then we have:

$$\begin{cases} 1 = \varepsilon_1 + \dots + \varepsilon_n, \\ \varepsilon_k \cdot \varepsilon_l = \delta_{kl} \varepsilon_k, \ 1 \le k, l \le n. \end{cases}$$

In other words,  $\{\varepsilon_1, \ldots, \varepsilon_n\}$  is a complete set of primitive idempotents of  $A[G, \psi]$ . An isomorphism  $A[G, \psi] \xrightarrow{\mu} \widehat{\Bbbk[\vec{C}_n]}$  is given by the rule:

$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon_k & \stackrel{\mu}{\mapsto} & e_k, \\ \varepsilon_{k+1} z \varepsilon_k & \stackrel{\mu}{\mapsto} & a_k, \end{cases}$$
(24)

where  $\widehat{\mathbb{k}[\vec{C}_n]}$  is the complete path algebra of a cyclic quiver  $\vec{C}_n$  (see (5)) and  $e_k \in \widehat{\mathbb{k}[\vec{C}_n]}$  is the idempotent corresponding to the vertex  $1 \leq k \leq r$ . This gives us the desired isomorphisms  $A[G,\phi] \cong A[G,\psi] \cong \widehat{\mathbb{k}[\vec{C}_n]} \cong H_n(O)$ .

# 5. Equivariant coherent sheaves on regular curves and hereditary non-commutative curves

As in the previous section, let G be a finite group of order n and  $\Bbbk$  be a field such that  $gcd(n, char(\Bbbk)) = 1$ . Let Y be a quasi-projective variety over  $\Bbbk$  and  $G \xrightarrow{\gamma} Aut_{\Bbbk}(Y)$  be a group homomorphism, which we assume to be injective. Then we have a quasi-projective variety X := Y/G and a canonical projection  $Y \xrightarrow{\pi} X$ . Let us now recall the corresponding constructions, following [17] (see also [37, Appendix 1]).

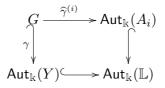
We can always find an open affine G-invariant covering  $Y = Y_1 \cup \ldots \cup Y_m$ . For any  $1 \leq i \leq m$  let  $A_i = \mathcal{O}_Y(Y_i)$ . Then for any  $g \in G$  we have a k-algebra automorphism  $A_i \xrightarrow{\gamma_{i,g}^{\sharp}} A_i$ . Moreover,  $\gamma_{i,e}^{\sharp} = \operatorname{id} \operatorname{and} \gamma_{i,g_1g_2}^{\sharp} = \gamma_{i,g_2}^{\sharp} \gamma_{i,g_1}^{\sharp}$  for all  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ . For any  $g \in G$  we put  $\widehat{\gamma}_g^{(i)} := \gamma_{i,g^{-1}}^{\sharp}$ . In this way, for any  $1 \leq i \leq m$  we get a group homomorphism  $G \xrightarrow{\widehat{\gamma}^{(i)}} \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{K}}(A_i)$ . Let  $O_i := A_i^G$  and  $X_i = \operatorname{Spec}(O_i)$ . By the construction of X = Y/G, we have an open affine covering  $X = X_1 \cup \cdots \cup X_m$  with  $Y_i = \pi^{-1}(X_i)$ . Moreover, the morphism  $Y_i \xrightarrow{\pi_i} X_i$  is dual to the inclusion  $O_i \subseteq A_i$ . Next, we put  $H_i := A_i[G, \widehat{\gamma}^{(i)}]$ . In this way we construct a coherent sheaf of  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -algebras  $\mathcal{H}$  on X such that  $\mathcal{H}(X_i) = H_i$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq m$ .

Proposition 5.1. The following results are true.

- (a) Assume Y is integral. Then for any  $1 \le i \le m$ , the homomorphism  $G \xrightarrow{\widehat{\gamma}^{(i)}} \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{K}}(A_i)$  is injective.
- (b) Let  $\mathcal{K}$  be the sheaf of rational functions on X,  $\mathbb{K} = \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K})$  be the field of rational functions on X and  $\mathbb{F} = \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{H})$ . Then we have an isomorphism of  $\mathbb{K}$ -algebras  $\mathbb{F} \cong M_n(\mathbb{K})$ .
- (c) Suppose furthermore that Y is a regular curve. Then X is regular as well and  $\mathbb{X} = Y/\!\!/G = (X, \mathcal{H})$  is a non-commutative hereditary curve.
- (d) Let Y be as above,  $y \in Y_{\circ}$ ,  $G_{\diamond} \subseteq G$  be its stabilizer group,  $r = |G_{\diamond}|$ ,  $x := \pi(y) \in X$ ,  $O = \widehat{\mathcal{O}}_x$  and  $H = \widehat{\mathcal{H}}_x$ . If  $\Bbbk$  is algebraically closed then H is Morita equivalent to the standard hereditary order  $H_r(O)$ .

*Proof.* (a) Let  $\mathbb{L}$  be the field of rational functions on Y. Then for any

 $1 \leq i \leq m$  we have a commutative diagram



where three out four group homomorphisms are known to be injective. Hence,  $\hat{\gamma}^{(i)}$  is injective, too.

(b) Since  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{L}^G$ , this result is a consequence of Lemma 4.1.

(c) This statement follows from Theorem 4.3.

(d) Let  $\pi^{-1}(x) = \{y_1, \ldots, y_t\}$  with  $y = y_1$ . For  $1 \le i \le t$  we put  $B_i = \widehat{\mathcal{O}}_{y_i}$ and  $B := B_1 \times \cdots \times B_t$ . Then we have an injective group homomorphism  $G \xrightarrow{\widehat{\gamma}} \operatorname{Aut}_{\Bbbk}(B)$ . Moreover, we have an isomorphism of k-algebras  $H \cong B[G, \widehat{\gamma}]$ . By Lemma 4.2, the k-algebras H and  $B_{\diamond}[G_{\diamond}, \widehat{\gamma}_{\diamond}]$  are Morita equivalent, where  $B_{\diamond} = B_1$  and  $G_{\diamond} \xrightarrow{\widehat{\gamma}_{\diamond}} \operatorname{Aut}_{\Bbbk}(B_{\diamond})$  is the restricted action. Since  $\gamma$  is injective,  $\widehat{\gamma}_{\diamond}$  is injective, too. If k is algebraically closed, then by Lemma 4.4 we have:  $G_{\diamond} \cong \mathbb{Z}_r$  and  $B_{\diamond}[G_{\diamond}, \widehat{\gamma}_{\diamond}] \cong H_r(O)$ .

For any  $g \in G$  the automorphism  $Y \xrightarrow{\gamma_g} Y$  induces a pair of k-linear auto-equivalences  $\gamma_g^*$  and  $\gamma_{g*} : \operatorname{Coh}(Y) \longrightarrow \operatorname{Coh}(Y)$ , which assign to a coherent sheaf on Y its inverse (respectively, direct) image sheaf. We have:  $\gamma_{g_1g_{2*}} = \gamma_{g_1*}\gamma_{g_{2*}}$  and  $\gamma_{g*} = \gamma_{g^{-1}}^*$  for all  $g, g_1, g_2 \in G$ . Hence, in what follows we shall assume that the canonical isomorphisms of functors  $\gamma_{g_1g_2}^* \xrightarrow{\cong} \gamma_{g_2}^*\gamma_{g_1}^*$  are trivial for all  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ .

**Definition 5.2.** The category  $\mathsf{Coh}^G(Y)$  of *G*-equivariant coherent sheaves on *Y* is defined as follows.

(a) Its objects are tuples  $(\mathcal{F}, (\alpha_g)_{g \in G})$ , where  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{Coh}(Y)$  and  $\mathcal{F} \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} \gamma_g^*(\mathcal{F})$  is an isomorphism in  $\mathsf{Coh}(Y)$  for any  $g \in G$  such that  $\alpha_e = \mathrm{id}$  and

$$\alpha_{g_2g_1} = \gamma_{g_1}^*(\alpha_{g_2})\alpha_{g_1} \in \operatorname{Hom}_Y\left(\mathcal{F}, \gamma_{g_2g_1}^*(\mathcal{F})\right) \tag{25}$$

for any  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ .

(b) A morphism  $(\mathcal{F}, (\alpha_g)_{g \in G}) \longrightarrow (\mathcal{F}', (\alpha'_g)_{g \in G})$  of *G*-equivariant coherent sheaves is given by a morphism  $f \in \operatorname{Hom}_Y(\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{F}')$  such that

the diagram

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
\mathcal{F} & \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} & \gamma_g^*(\mathcal{F}) \\
f & & & & & & \\
\mathcal{F}' & \xrightarrow{\alpha'_g} & \gamma_g^*(\mathcal{F}') \\
\end{array} (26)$$

is commutative for all  $g \in G$ .

The following result is well-known to the experts. For the reader's convenience, we give below its proof.

**Proposition 5.3.** The categories  $Coh^{G}(Y)$  and  $Coh(\mathbb{X})$  are equivalent.

*Proof.* We first prove the local statement. Let A be a (commutative)  $\Bbbk$ -algebra and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} \operatorname{Aut}_{\Bbbk}(A)$  be a group homomorphism. Consider a left  $A[G, \phi]$ -module M. Then M is also a left A-module and for any  $g \in G$  we have a  $\Bbbk$ -linear automorphism

$$M \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} M, x \mapsto [g]x$$

We have:  $\alpha_e = \text{id}$  and  $\alpha_{g_1}\alpha_{g_2} = \alpha_{g_1g_2}$  for all  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ . Moreover,

$$\alpha_g(ax) = [g]ax = \phi_g(a)[g]x = \phi_g(a)\alpha_g(x)$$

for all  $a \in A$  and  $x \in M$ . Conversely, let M be a left A-module and  $\left(M \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} M\right)_{g \in G}$  be a family of k-linear automorphisms such that  $\alpha_g(ax) = \phi_g(a)\alpha_g(x)$  for any  $a \in A$  and  $x \in M$  and such that  $\alpha_e =$  id and  $\alpha_{g_1}\alpha_{g_2} = \alpha_{g_1g_2}$  for all  $g_1, g_2 \in G$ . Then M can be equipped with a unique structure of a left  $A[G, \phi]$ -module such that  $[g]x = \alpha_g(x)$ . In these terms, a morphism  $(M, (\alpha_g)_{g \in G}) \xrightarrow{f} (M', (\alpha'_g)_{g \in G})$  of  $A[G, \phi]$ -modules is a morphism of A-modules  $M \xrightarrow{f} M'$  such that

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
M & \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} & M \\
f & & & & \\
M' & \xrightarrow{\alpha'_g} & M'
\end{array}$$
(27)

is commutative for all  $g \in G$ .

Let A' be another commutative k-algebra and  $A \xrightarrow{\vartheta} A'$  be a homomorphism of k-algebras. Let  $X' = \operatorname{Spec}(A') \xrightarrow{\nu} X = \operatorname{Spec}(A)$  be the morphism of schemes induced by  $\vartheta$ . The functors of global sections give equivalences of categories  $\operatorname{\mathsf{QCoh}}(Y) \simeq A-\operatorname{\mathsf{Mod}}$  and  $\operatorname{\mathsf{QCoh}}(Y') \simeq A'-\operatorname{\mathsf{Mod}}$ . In this identification, for  $M \in A-\operatorname{\mathsf{Mod}}$  we have:  $\nu^*(M) = A' \otimes_A M$ . For any  $a \in A$  and  $x \in M$  we have:  $\vartheta(a) \otimes x = 1 \otimes ax$ . Now, consider a special case when A' = A. Then we have mutually inverse isomorphisms of A-modules  $M \to \nu^*(M), x \mapsto 1 \otimes x$  and  $\nu^*(M) \to M$ ,  $a \otimes x \mapsto \vartheta^{-1}(a)x$ .

Now, let  $\mathcal{F} \in \operatorname{Coh}(Y)$  and  $Y = Y_1 \cup \cdots \cup Y_m$  be a *G*-invariant open affine covering. For any  $1 \leq i \leq m$  let  $A_i = \mathcal{O}_Y(Y_i)$ ,  $M_i = \mathcal{F}(Y_i)$  and  $H_i = A_i[G, \widehat{\gamma}^{(i)}]$ . Let  $\left(\mathcal{F} \xrightarrow{\alpha_g} \gamma_g^*(\mathcal{F})\right)_{g \in G}$  be a family of isomorphisms in  $\operatorname{Coh}(Y)$  making  $\mathcal{F}$  to an *G*-equivariant sheaf. For each  $1 \leq i \leq m$  $\alpha_g^{(i)} = \alpha_g|_{Y_i} : M_i \longrightarrow M_i$  is a k-linear map satisfying the property  $\alpha_g^{(i)}(ax) = \widehat{\gamma}^{(i)}(a)\alpha_g^{(i)}(x)$  for all  $a \in A_i$  and  $x \in M_i$ . The above discussion allows one to equip  $M_i$  with a structure of a left  $H_i$ -module. Globalizing this correspondence, we equip  $\mathcal{F}$  with a structure of a left  $\mathcal{H}$ -module. Comparing (26) with (27) we conclude that we get a functor  $\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y) \xrightarrow{\mathsf{E}}$  $\operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X})$ . Moreover, the above discussion shows that  $\mathsf{E}$  is fully faithful and dense, hence an equivalence of categories.  $\Box$ 

**Summary**. Let Y be a complete regular curve over a field k and G be a finite group of order n such that gcd(n, char(k)) = 1. Let  $G \xrightarrow{\gamma} Aut_k(Y)$  be an injective group homomorphism, X = Y/G and  $X = Y//G = (X, \mathcal{H})$  be the corresponding non-commutative hereditary curve. Then X is also complete and the following statements are true.

- (i) Let  $\mathbb{K}$  be the field of rational functions of  $\mathbb{X}$ . Then the class  $[\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}}]$  of  $\mathbb{X}$  in the Brauer group  $\mathsf{Br}(\mathbb{K})$  is trivial, where  $\mathbb{F}_{\mathbb{X}} = \Gamma(X, \mathcal{K} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{H})$ .
- (ii) Let  $y \in Y_{\circ}$ ,  $x = \pi(y) \in X$  and  $G_y$  be the stabilizer of y. Then  $\widehat{H}_x$  is Morita equivalent to  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}_y[G_y, \widehat{\gamma}_y]$ .
- (iii) If k is algebraically closed then  $\widehat{\mathcal{O}}_y[G_y, \widehat{\gamma}_y] \cong H_r(\widehat{\mathcal{O}}_x)$ , where  $r = |G_y|$ . In particular, the special locus  $\mathfrak{E}_{\mathbb{X}}$  of the hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  admits the following description. Let  $y \in Y_\circ$  be such that  $x = \pi(y)$ . Then  $x \in \mathfrak{E}_{\mathbb{X}}$  if and only if  $G_y \neq \{e\}$ . Moreover,  $\rho(x) = |G_y|$ .

**Remark 5.4.** In the case the field k is algebraically closed of characteristic zero, the theory of non-commutative hereditary curves was considered in [15] from the perspective of algebraic stacks.

**Theorem 5.5.** Let  $\Bbbk$  be a field of char( $\Bbbk$ )  $\neq 2$ , Y be a complete regular and geometrically integral curve over  $\Bbbk$  and  $G \subset Aut_{\Bbbk}(Y)$  be a finite

group of order n acting faithfully on Y. Assume that  $gcd(n, char(\mathbb{k})) = 1$ and X = Y/G is a curve of genus zero. Then there exists a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{k}$ -algebra  $\Pi_{(Y,G)}$  such that we have an exact equivalence

$$D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}^{G}(Y)) \simeq D^{b}(\Pi_{(Y,G)} - \mathsf{mod}).$$
<sup>(28)</sup>

*Proof.* Any geometrically integral regular projective curve X over  $\Bbbk$  of genus zero is isomorphic to a plane conic

$$X_{(a,b)} := \mathsf{Proj}\big(\mathbb{k}[x, y, z]/(ax^2 + by^2 - z^2)\big)$$
(29)

for some  $a, b \in \mathbb{k}^*$ . Let

$$\Lambda_{(a,b)} = \left\langle i,j \left| \, i^2 = a, j^2 = b, ij = -ji \right\rangle_{\mathbb{R}} \right.$$

be the corresponding generalized quaternion algebra. It was shown in [26] that there exists a tilting bundle  $\mathcal{F} \in \mathsf{VB}(X_{(a,b)})$  such that  $(\mathsf{End}_X(\mathcal{F}))^{\circ} \cong \Lambda_{(a,b)}$ . The statement is therefore a consequence of Theorem 3.12 and Proposition 5.3.

**Example 5.6.** Let  $G \subset SL_2(\mathbb{C})$  be a finite subgroup. Then G acts on the complex projective line  $Y = \mathbb{P}^1$  by the fractional-linear transformations. Then  $X = Y/G \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ . Let  $\mathbb{X} = Y /\!\!/ G$  be the corresponding non-commutative hereditary curve. Then there exists a finite-dimensional algebra  $\Pi_{(\mathbb{P}^1,G)}$  of the form (16) such that

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y)) \simeq D^b(\operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{X})) \simeq D^b(\Pi_{(\mathbb{P}^1,G)} - \operatorname{mod}).$$

Up to a conjugation, a classification of finite subgroups of  $SL_2(\mathbb{C})$  is well-known; see for instance [25]. In all the cases, the cardinality of the exceptional set  $\mathfrak{E}_{\mathbb{X}}$  is either two or three. The group  $Aut_{\mathbb{C}}(\mathbb{P}^1)$  acts transitively on the set of triples on distinct points of  $\mathbb{P}^1$ . In the case of two special points, we may assume that  $\mathfrak{E}_{\mathbb{X}} = \{(0:1), (1:0)\}$ . In the case of three special points, we may assume that  $\mathfrak{E}_{\mathbb{X}} = \{(0:1), (1:0)\}$ . In the case of three fore, to define  $\mathbb{X}$ , it is sufficient to specify the sequence (a, b, c) of orders on non-trivial stabilizers of the *G*-action on  $\mathbb{P}^1$  (with  $a \leq b \leq c$ and allowing a = 1 in the case there are only two special points). The corresponding hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  will be therefore denoted by  $\mathbb{P}^1_{(a,b,c)}$ . The following cases can occur.

(a) 
$$G \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$$
 with  $n \ge 2$ . The corresponding weight sequence is  $(n, n)$ .

- (b)  $G \cong \mathbb{D}_n$  is a binary dihedral group with  $n \ge 2$ . The corresponding weight sequence is (2, 2, n).
- (c) G is a binary tetrahedral, octahedral or icosahedral group. The corresponding weight sequences are (2,3,3), (2,3,4) and (2,3,5), respectively.

On the other hand, the simply-laced Dynkin diagrams are parametrized by the triples  $(a, b, c) \in \mathbb{N}^3$  such that

$$a \le b \le c$$
 and  $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} > 1$ .

Hence, we may write  $\Pi_{(\mathbb{P}^1,G)} = \Pi_{(a,b,c)}$ . On the other hand, let  $\Gamma_{(a,b,c)}$  be the path algebra of the corresponding Euclidean quiver. Then there exists an exact equivalence of triangulated categories  $D^b(\Pi_{(a,b,c)}-\mathsf{mod}) \simeq D^b(\Gamma_{(a,b,c)}-\mathsf{mod})$ , see [43, Section 4.3] and [45, Section XII.1]. Hence, there exists an exact equivalence

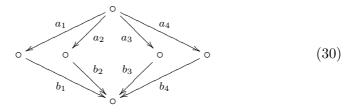
$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}(\mathbb{P}^1_{(a,b,c)})) \simeq D^b(\Gamma_{(a,b,c)}-\operatorname{mod}).$$

This striking observation was made for the first time by Lenzing in [31]. Later it led to a development of the theory of weighted projective lines of Geigle and Lenzing in [16]. An elaboration of the equivalence  $D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^G(\mathbb{P}^1)) \simeq D^b(\Pi_{(\mathbb{P}^1,G)}-\operatorname{mod})$  in the framework of genuine equivariant coherent sheaves on  $\mathbb{P}^1$  can be found in [23,39].

**Example 5.7.** Let  $\Bbbk$  be a field of  $char(\Bbbk) \neq 2$ ,  $\lambda \in \Bbbk^* \setminus \{1\}$  and

$$Y_{\lambda} = \mathsf{Proj}\big(\mathbb{k}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x(x - z)(x - \lambda z))\big)$$

be an elliptic curve over k. Then  $G = \langle i | i^2 = e \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$  acts on  $Y_{\lambda}$  by the rule  $(x : y : z) \stackrel{i}{\mapsto} (x : -y : z)$ . There are precisely four points of  $Y_{\lambda}$  with non-trivial stabilizers: (0 : 0 : 1), (0 : 1 : 0), (1 : 0 : 1)and  $(\lambda : 0 : 1)$ . Next, we have:  $X = Y_{\lambda}/G \cong \mathbb{P}^1_{\mathbb{k}}$ . Let  $Y_{\lambda} \xrightarrow{\pi} X$ be the canonical projection. One can choose homogeneous coordinates on X so that the image of the set of four ramification points of  $\pi$  is  $\mathfrak{E} = \{(0 : 1), (1 : 0), (1 : 1), (\lambda : 1)\}$ . For any  $x \in \mathfrak{E}$  we have  $\rho(x) = 2$ . Let  $\Sigma_{\lambda}$  be the tubular canonical algebra of type  $((2, 2, 2, 2); \lambda)$  [44], i.e. the path algebra of the following quiver



modulo the relations  $b_1a_1 - b_2a_2 = b_3a_3$  and  $b_1a_1 - \lambda b_2a_2 = b_4a_4$ . An exact equivalence of triangulated categories

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y_\lambda)) \longrightarrow D^b(\Sigma_\lambda - \operatorname{mod})$$
 (31)

was for the first time discovered by Geigle and Lenzing; see [16, Example 5.8]. The algebra  $\Sigma_{\lambda}$  is derived-equivalent to the squid algebra (16) of the same type  $((2, 2, 2, 2); \lambda)$  (see [43, 44]), which is of course consistent with Theorem 5.5.

**Example 5.8.** Let  $\mathbb{k} = \mathbb{C}$ . Consider the following finite group actions on the following complex elliptic curves.

(I) Let  $Y = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{k}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x^3 - z^3))$  and  $G = \langle \varrho | \varrho^6 = e \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_6$ . Then G acts on Y by the rule  $\varrho(x : y : z) = (\xi x : -y : z)$ , where  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{3}\right)$  and  $Y/G \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ . Moreover,

(a) The stabilizer of (-1:0:1) is  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ .

- (b) The stabilizer of (0:1:1) is  $\mathbb{Z}_3$ .
- (c) The stabilizer of (0:1:0) is  $\mathbb{Z}_6$ .

Combining the exact equivalences of triangulated categories (28) and (19) we get

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y)) \simeq D^b(\Pi_{(2,3,6)} - \operatorname{mod}) \simeq D^b(\Sigma_{(2,3,6)} - \operatorname{mod}),$$

where  $\Pi_{(2,3,6)}$  and  $\Sigma_{(2,3,6)}$  are the squid and canonical algebras of type (2,3,6), respectively.

(II) Next, let  $\tilde{\varrho} = \varrho^4$ . Consider the subgroup  $\mathbb{Z}_3 \cong N = \langle \tilde{\varrho} \rangle \subset G$ . Then N acts on Y by the rule  $\tilde{\varrho}(x : y : z) = (\xi x : y : z)$  Again, we have  $Y/N \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ . However, this time the stabilizer of the point (-1 : 0 : 1) is trivial, whereas (0 : 1 : 1) and (0 : -1 : 1) belong to different orbits. The stabilizer of each point (0 : 1 : 1), (0 : -1 : 1) and (0 : 1 : 0) is the

group N itself. Therefore, we have exact equivalences of triangulated categories

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^N(Y)) \simeq D^b(\Pi_{(3,3,3)} - \operatorname{mod}) \simeq D^b(\Sigma_{(3,3,3)} - \operatorname{mod}).$$

(III) Now, let  $Y = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{k}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x^3 + xz^2))$  and  $G = \langle \varrho | \varrho^4 = e \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_4$ . Then G acts on Y by the rule  $\varrho(x : y : z) = (-x : iy : z)$  and  $Y/G \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ . The stabilizer of the point (1 : 0 : 1) is  $\mathbb{Z}_2$ , whereas the stabilizer of (0 : 0 : 1) and (0 : 1 : 0) is the group G itself. Therefore, we have exact equivalences of triangulated categories

$$D^b(\operatorname{Coh}^G(Y)) \simeq D^b(\Pi_{(2,4,4)} - \operatorname{mod}) \simeq D^b(\Sigma_{(2,4,4)} - \operatorname{mod}).$$

#### 6. Tilting on real curve orbifolds

In this section, we shall discuss some interesting and natural actions *over*  $\mathbb{R}$  on *complex* projective curves. Do this, we begin with the local case.

**Proposition 6.1.** Let G be a finite group,  $A = \mathbb{C}[\![z]\!]$ ,  $\mathfrak{m} = (z)$  and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{R}}(A)$  be an injective group homomorphism. Then the following two cases can occur.

- (a) For any  $g \in G$  the homomorphism  $A \xrightarrow{\phi_g} A$  is  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear. Then  $G = \langle \varrho \mid \varrho^n = e \rangle$  is a cyclic group and there exists another choice of a local parameter  $w \in \mathfrak{m}$  such that  $\phi_{\varrho}(w) = \xi w$ , where  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{n}\right)$ .
- (b) Otherwise,

$$G \cong D_n = \left\langle \sigma, \varrho \, \middle| \, \sigma^2 = e = \varrho^n, \sigma \varrho \sigma^{-1} = \varrho^{-1} \right\rangle \tag{32}$$

is a dihedral group for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Moreover, there exists a choice of a local parameter  $w \in \mathfrak{m}$  such that

$$\begin{cases} \phi_{\sigma}(\alpha) = \bar{\alpha} \text{ for } \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } \phi_{\sigma}(w) = w, \\ \phi_{\varrho}(\alpha) = \alpha \text{ for } \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } \phi_{\varrho}(w) = \xi w, \end{cases}$$
(33)

where  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{n}\right)$ .

*Proof.* First note that  $\{a \in A \mid a^2 + 1 = 0\} = \{i, -i\}$ . Since for any  $g \in G$  the map  $A \xrightarrow{\phi_g} A$  is an automorphism of  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebras, we conclude that  $\phi_g(i) = \pm i$ . Hence, any  $\phi_g$  is either  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear or  $\mathbb{C}$ -antilinear. We put

$$N := \left\{ g \in G \, \big| \, \phi_g \text{ is } \mathbb{C}\text{-linear} \right\}.$$

By Lemma 4.4 we have:  $N = \langle \varrho | \varrho^n = e \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$  for some  $\varrho \in N$  and n = |N|. Moreover, there exists a local parameter  $w \in \mathfrak{m}$  such that  $\phi_{\varrho}(w) = \xi w$ , where  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{n}\right)$ . The same proof allows one to construct  $w \in \mathfrak{m}$  such that  $\phi_g(w) = \xi_g w$  for any  $g \in G$ , where  $\xi_g \in \mathbb{C}^*$ .

If N = G then we are done and have the case (a). Now assume that there exists  $\sigma \in G \setminus N$ . Then  $\sigma^2 \in N$  and  $\phi_{\sigma}(\alpha) = \bar{\alpha}$  for any  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$ . Moreover, for any  $g \in G \setminus N$  we have:  $g\sigma \in N$ . Hence, the elements  $\varrho$ and  $\sigma$  generate the group G.

We know that  $\phi_{\sigma}(w) = \alpha w$  for some  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $|\alpha|^2 = 1$ . Let  $\zeta \in \mathbb{C}^*$  be such that  $\zeta^2 = \alpha$ . Then  $\phi_{\sigma}(\zeta w) = \overline{\zeta} \alpha w = \zeta w$ . Replacing w by  $\zeta w$  we obtain:

$$\begin{cases} \phi_{\varrho}(\alpha) = \alpha \text{ for } \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } \phi_{\varrho}(w) = \xi w, \\ \phi_{\sigma}(\alpha) = \bar{\alpha} \text{ for } \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \text{ and } \phi_{\sigma}(w) = w. \end{cases}$$

The last formula implies that  $\phi_{\sigma^2} = \text{id.}$  Since  $\phi$  is injective, we conclude that  $\sigma^2 = e$ . Analogously, we have  $\phi_{\sigma\varrho} = \phi_{\varrho^{-1}\sigma}$ , hence  $\sigma\varrho = \varrho^{-1}\sigma$  and G is a dihedral group.

**Lemma 6.2.** Let  $G = D_n$  be the dihedral group given by the presentation (32),  $N = \langle \varrho \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$  and  $C = \langle \sigma \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ . Let A be a ring and  $G \xrightarrow{\phi} \operatorname{Aut}(A)$  be a group homomorphism. Then the following results are true.

(a) We have a group homomorphism  $C \xrightarrow{\psi} \operatorname{Aut}(A[N, \phi])$ , where

$$\psi_{\sigma}(a[h]) = \phi_{\sigma}(a)[h^{-1}] \text{ for any } a \in A, h \in N.$$
(34)

(b) There is a ring isomorphism

$$(A[N,\phi])[C,\psi] \cong A[G,\phi], \ (a[h])\{\sigma^m\} \mapsto a[h\sigma^m]$$
  
for any  $a \in A, h \in N$  and  $m \in \mathbb{N}.$  (35)

Moreover, if k is a field and G acts on A by k-algebra automorphisms then the action  $\psi$  is also k-linear and (35) is an isomorphism of k-algebras. Comment to the proof. Both results can be verified by a straightforward computation and are therefore left to an interested reader as an exercise.  $\Box$ 

**Proposition 6.3.** For any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $G = D_n$  be the corresponding dihedral group acting on  $A = \mathbb{C}[\![z]\!]$  by  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebra homomorphisms given by the formula (33). Then we have an isomorphism of  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebras

$$A[G,\phi] \cong M_2(H_n(O)), \tag{36}$$

where  $O = \mathbb{R}\llbracket t^n \rrbracket$ .

*Proof.* By Lemma 6.2 we have:  $A[G, \phi] \cong (A[N, \phi])[C, \psi]$ . Recall that we have an isomorphism of  $\mathbb{C}$ -algebras  $A[N, \phi] \xrightarrow{\mu} \widehat{\mathbb{C}[C_n]}$  given by the formula (24). For any  $\zeta \in \mathbb{C}^*$  with  $|\zeta| = 1$  we have:  $\psi_{\sigma}(\zeta) = \overline{\zeta} = \zeta^{-1}$ . For all  $h \in N$  we have:  $\psi_{\sigma}([h]) = [h^{-1}]$ . Hence,

$$\psi_{\sigma}(\varepsilon_k) = \psi_{\sigma}\left(\frac{1}{n}\sum_{j=0}^{n-1}\zeta_k^j[\varrho^j]\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1}\zeta_k^{-j}[\varrho^{-j}] = \varepsilon_k$$

for any  $1 \leq k \leq n$ . It follows that the induced action  $\widehat{\mathbb{C}[\vec{C}_n]} \xrightarrow{\psi_{\sigma}} \widehat{\mathbb{C}[\vec{C}_n]}$  is given by the complex conjugation.

According to Lemma 4.1 we have:  $\mathbb{C}[C, \psi] \cong M_2(\mathbb{R})$ , where  $\mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{\psi_{\sigma}} \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\alpha \mapsto \bar{\alpha}$  is the complex conjugation. As a consequence, we get isomorphisms of  $\mathbb{R}$ -algebras

$$A[G,\phi] \cong \widehat{\mathbb{C}[\vec{C_n}]} [C,\psi] \cong M_2(H_n(O)),$$

what proves the statement.

**Definition 6.4.** Let Y be a complete regular curve over  $\mathbb{C}$ , which we view as a scheme over  $\mathbb{R}$ . Let  $G \subseteq \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{R}}(Y)$  be a finite subgroup and  $Y \xrightarrow{\pi} Y/G =: X$  be the canonical projection. For  $y \in Y_{\circ}$  let  $N \subseteq G$  be the corresponding stabilizer group,  $A = \widehat{\mathcal{O}}_y$  and  $x = \pi(y)$ . We suppose that  $|N| \ge 2$ .

(a) Assume that N acts on A by  $\mathbb{C}$ -linear automorphisms. Then we say that  $x \in X$  has type n for n = |N| (note that according to Proposition 6.1 we have  $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_n$ ).

(b) Assume that N contains an element which acts as the complex conjugation on A. Then  $N \cong D_n$  for some  $n \in N$  (see again Proposition 6.1) and we say that x has type  $\bar{n}$  provided  $n \ge 2$ .

**Remark 6.5.** In the notation of Definition 6.4, let  $\mathbb{X} = Y /\!\!/ G = (X, \mathcal{H})$  be the corresponding non-commutative hereditary curve. Then points of X of types n and  $\bar{n}$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 2}$  are precisely those ones for which the order  $\widehat{\mathcal{H}}_x$  is not maximal; see Proposition 6.3.

**Remark 6.6.** There are precisely three pairwise non-isomorphic real projective curves of genus zero:

(a) The real projective line  $X_{re} = \mathbb{P}^1_{\mathbb{R}}$ . The corresponding tame bimodule  $\Lambda_{re}$  (see (9)) is the path algebra of the Kronecker quiver:

$$\Lambda_{\mathsf{re}} = \mathbb{R} \Big[ \bullet \bigcirc \bullet \Big] \cong \left( \begin{array}{cc} \mathbb{R} & \mathbb{R} \oplus \mathbb{R} \\ 0 & \mathbb{R} \end{array} \right).$$

(b) The complex projective line  $X_{co} = \mathbb{P}^1_{\mathbb{C}}$ . The corresponding tame bimodule  $\Lambda_{co}$  is the path algebra of the Kronecker quiver over  $\mathbb{C}$ :

$$\Lambda_{\mathsf{co}} = \mathbb{C} \Big[ \bullet \overset{\frown}{\longrightarrow} \bullet \Big] \cong \left( \begin{array}{cc} \mathbb{C} & \mathbb{C} \oplus \mathbb{C} \\ 0 & \mathbb{C} \end{array} \right).$$

(c) The real conic  $X_{qt} = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{R}[x, y, z]/(x^2 + y^2 + z^2))$ . The corresponding tame bimodule is

$$\Lambda_{\mathsf{qt}} = \left( \begin{array}{cc} \mathbb{R} & \mathbb{H} \\ 0 & \mathbb{H} \end{array} \right),$$

see [32, Proposition 7.5].

Let Y' be a complete geometrically integral regular curve over  $\mathbb{R}$  and

$$Y = \operatorname{Spec}\left(\mathbb{C}\right) \times_{\operatorname{Spec}(\mathbb{R})} Y'.$$

Then the Galois group  $\mathsf{Gal}(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}) = \langle \sigma | \sigma^2 = e \rangle$  canonically acts on Y viewed as a scheme over  $\mathbb{R}$ . In all examples below  $\sigma$  acts as the complex conjugation.

Analogously to Example 5.7 and Example 5.8, we can consider finite group actions on *complex* elliptic curves viewed as schemes over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

**Example 6.7.** Let  $Y_{\lambda} = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{C}[x, y, z]/(y^2z - (x - \lambda z)(x^2 + z^2)))$  for some  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then the dihedral group  $G = D_2 = \langle \sigma, \varrho \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$  acts on  $Y_{\lambda}$  by the rule  $(x : y : z) \stackrel{\varrho}{\mapsto} (x : -y : z)$ . The fixed points of this action are  $(\lambda : 0 : 1), (0 : i : 1)$  and (0 : 1 : 0) (note that  $\sigma$  permutes (0 : i : 1)and (0 : -i : 1)). The stabilizer of  $(\lambda : 0 : 1)$  and (0 : 1 : 0) is the group G itself, whereas the stabilizer of (0 : i : 1) is  $\langle \varrho \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ .

We have:  $Y_{\lambda}/G \cong X_{\text{re}}$ . Moreover, one can naturally choose homogeneous coordinates (u : v) on  $X_{\text{re}} = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{R}[u, v])$  such that for the canonical projection  $Y_{\lambda} \xrightarrow{\pi} X_{\text{re}}$  we have:  $\pi(\lambda : 0 : 1) = (\lambda : 1)$  and  $\pi(0:1:0) = (1:0)$ . The point  $o = \pi(i:0:1) \in X_{\text{re}}$  corresponds to the homogeneous ideal  $u^2 + v^2 \in \mathbb{R}[u, v]$ .

The above discussion shows that the corresponding non-commutative hereditary curve X is of type  $(X_{re}, (2, \overline{2}, \overline{2}))$ . More precisely, X has

- (a) one special complex point o of weight 2;
- (b) two special real points  $(\lambda : 1)$  and (1:0) of weight 2.

We have an exact equivalence of triangulated categories

$$D^b(\mathsf{Coh}^G(Y_\lambda)) \longrightarrow D^b(\Pi_{Y_\lambda,G} - \mathsf{mod})$$

for an appropriate squid algebra  $\Pi_{Y_{\lambda},G}$  of the form (10).

**Example 6.8.** Let  $Y = \operatorname{Proj}\left(\mathbb{C}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x^3 - z^3)\right)$  and  $G = \langle \sigma, \varrho \rangle$  $\cong D_6$ . Then G acts on Y by the rule  $\varrho(x : y : z) = (\xi x : -y : z)$ , where  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{3}\right)$ . The special orbits of the G-action are those of

- (a) the point (-1:0:1), whose stabilizer is  $D_2$ ;
- (b) the point (0:1:1), whose stabilizer is  $D_3$ ;
- (c) the point (0:1:0), whose stabilizer is  $D_6$ .

The corresponding hereditary curve X has type  $(X_{re}, (\overline{2}, \overline{3}, \overline{6}))$ . Since the group  $\operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{R}}(X_{re})$  acts transitively on triples of distinct closed real points of  $X_{re}$ , we may assume that the special points of X are (0:1), (1:0) and (1:1), respectively.

Now, let  $\tilde{\varrho} = \varrho^4$ . Consider the subgroup  $D_3 \cong N = \langle \sigma, \tilde{\varrho} \rangle \subset G$ . Then N acts on Y by the rule  $\tilde{\varrho}(x : y : z) = (\xi x : y : z)$ . Again, we have  $Y/N \cong X_{\text{re}}$ . The points (0 : 1 : 1), (0 : -1 : 1) and (0 : 1 : 0) are stabilized by N. Hence, the corresponding hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  hat type  $(X_{\text{re}}, (\bar{3}, \bar{3}, \bar{3}))$ .

**Example 6.9.** Consider now  $Y = \operatorname{Proj}\left(\mathbb{C}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x^3 + z^3)\right)$  and  $D_3 \cong N = \langle \sigma, \tilde{\varrho} \rangle$ , where  $\tilde{\varrho}(x : y : z) = (\xi x : y : z)$  for  $\xi = \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i}{3}\right)$ . Again, we have  $Y/N \cong X_{\mathsf{re}}$ . However, this time  $\sigma(0 : i : 1) = (0 : -i : 1)$ . As a consequence, we now have only two special orbits of the N-action on Y:

- (a) those of (0:i:1) whose stabilizer is  $\mathbb{Z}_3$ ;
- (b) those of (0:1:0) whose stabilizer is  $D_3$ .

As a consequence, the corresponding hereditary curve X has type  $(X_{re}, (3, \overline{3}))$ .

**Example 6.10.** Let  $A = \mathbb{C}[x, y]/(y^2 + (x^2 + \lambda)^2 + 1)$  for some  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and  $Y = Y_{\lambda}$  be the smooth regular projective curve over  $\mathbb{C}$  with is the completion of  $\check{Y} = \operatorname{Spec}(A) \subset \mathbb{A}^2_{\mathbb{C}}$ . The dihedral group  $D_2 = \langle \sigma, \varrho \rangle$ operates on A by the rule  $x \stackrel{\varrho}{\mapsto} -x, y \stackrel{\varrho}{\mapsto} y$ . It is clear that this action on  $\operatorname{Spec}(A)$  can be extended to an action on Y. Since  $A^G = \mathbb{R}[w, y]/(z^2 + y^2 + 1)$  for  $w = x^2 + \lambda$ , we may conclude that  $Y/G \cong X_{qt}$ .

The action of G on Y has two special orbits. The first one is the orbit of the point  $(0, i\sqrt{1+\lambda^2}) \in \check{Y}$ . The corresponding stabilizer is  $\langle \varrho \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ . To describe the second orbit, consider the closure  $\check{Y}$  of Y in  $\mathbb{P}^2_{\mathbb{C}}$ . We have:  $\check{Y} = \operatorname{Proj}(\mathbb{C}[x, y, z]/(y^2z^2 + (x^2 + \lambda z^2)^2 + z^4))$ . Note that the point  $o = (0:1:0) \in \check{Y}$  is singular. The curve Y is the normalization of  $\check{Y}$ . Let  $Y \xrightarrow{\nu} \check{Y}$  be the normalization map. Then  $\nu^{-1}(o) = \{o_+, o_-\}$ and  $\sigma(o_{\pm}) = o_{\mp}$ . A straightforward local computation shows that the stabilizer of  $o_+$  is  $\langle \varrho \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$ . It follows that the corresponding hereditary curve  $\mathbb{X}$  has type  $(X_{qt}, (2, 2))$ .

A systematic way to construct finite group actions on complex elliptic curves viewed as real algebraic schemes comes from wallpaper groups. To explain this construction, recall that a *Klein surface*  $\mathfrak{X}$  is a *dianalytic manifold* (possibly, with non-empty boundary) of complex dimension one; see [1,2,5] for the details. Klein surfaces naturally form a category. An important result due to Alling and Greenleaf asserts that the category of compact Klein surfaces is equivalent to the category of regular complete curves over  $\mathbb{R}$ ; see [1, Theorem 3], [2, Section II.3] as well as [5, Appendix A] for further elaborations. The key point is the following: the set  $\mathbb{M}(\mathfrak{X})$  of all meromorphic functions on a connected Klein surface  $\mathfrak{X}$ is an algebraic function field of one variable over  $\mathbb{R}$  (i.e. a finitely generated field extension of  $\mathbb{R}$  of transcendence degree one); see [1, Theorem 1] as well as [2]. The field  $\mathbb{M}(\mathfrak{X})$  defines a uniquely determined (up to isomorphisms) regular projective curve X over  $\mathbb{R}$ . The main point is to prove that the correspondence  $\mathfrak{X} \mapsto \mathbb{M}(\mathfrak{X})$  defines a contravariant equivalence between the category of connected Klein surfaces and the category of real algebraic function fields in one variable.

In particular, in genus zero we have:

- (a) the closed disc  $\mathfrak{D} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| \leq 1\}$  has the function field  $\mathbb{R}(z)$  and corresponds to the curve  $X_{\mathsf{re}}$ ;
- (b) the Riemann sphere 𝔅 has the function field 𝔅(z) and corresponds to X<sub>co</sub>;
- (c) the real projective plane  $\mathfrak{P}$  has the function field  $\mathbb{R}(y)[x]/(x^2 + y^2 + 1)$  and corresponds to the curve  $X_{qt}$ .

Recall that the Euclidean group  $\mathsf{E}_2 = \mathsf{O}_2(\mathbb{R}) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^2$  is the group of isometries of the Euclidean plane  $\mathbb{R}^2 = \mathbb{C}$ . For any  $(A, \vec{v}) \in \mathsf{E}_2$  we have the corresponding automorphism

$$\mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \vec{x} \mapsto A\vec{x} + \vec{v},$$

which is either analytic (if det(A) = 1) or anti-analytic (if det(A) = -1) with respect to the standard complex structure on  $\mathbb{R}^2 = \mathbb{C}$ .

A wallpaper group W (also called plane crystallographic group) is a discrete cocompact subgroup of  $\mathsf{E}_2$ ; see for example [24,36]. Let T be the subgroup of W consisting of all translations. Bieberbach's Theorem asserts that  $T \triangleleft W$  is a normal subgroup,  $T \cong \mathbb{Z}^2$  and  $G := W/T \subset \mathsf{O}_2(\mathbb{R})$ is a finite group (called *point group* of W). Obviously,  $\mathfrak{Y} = \mathbb{C}/T$  is a complex torus and the point group G acts on  $\mathfrak{Y}$  by dianalytic automorphisms. The quotient  $\mathfrak{X}_W = \mathbb{R}^2/W = \mathfrak{Y}/G$  is a compact flat surface orbifold; see [36, Appendix A.3].

Let  $\mathfrak{Z}$  be a surface orbifold and  $p \in \mathfrak{Z}$  be its singular point. Then p belongs to a one of the following three classes:

- (a) Mirror point, if it admits a neighbourhood isomorphic to ℝ<sup>2</sup>/ℤ<sub>2</sub>, where the generator of ℤ<sub>2</sub> acts by a reflection (say, with respect to the x-axis).
- (b) Elliptic point of order  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 2}$  (denoted by n), if it admits a neighbourhood isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}^2/\mathbb{Z}_n$ , where  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  acts on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  by rotations.

(c) Corner reflector point of order  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 2}$  (denoted by  $\bar{n}$ ), if it admits a neighbourhood isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}^2/D_n$  with respect to the natural action of the dihedral group on  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

If  $p \in \mathfrak{X}_W$  is a mirror point then it is just an ordinary point of the boundary of  $\mathfrak{X}_W$ . An essential information about  $\mathfrak{X}_W$  (viewed as an surface orbifold) is governed by its diffeomorphism type and by the number/position of its elliptic and corner reflector points.

Let  $\mathbb{M}$  be the field of meromorphic functions on  $\mathfrak{Y}$ . Then we have a natural group embedding  $G \subset \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathbb{M})$  induced by the action of Gon  $\mathfrak{Y}$  (viewed as a Klein surface). Let Y be the complex elliptic curve corresponding to  $\mathfrak{Y}$ . Then we have a group embedding  $G \subset \operatorname{Aut}_{\mathbb{R}}(Y)$ . Let X = Y/G and  $\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{X}_W = Y/\!\!/G$  be the corresponding hereditary curve. The key Proposition 6.1 as well as the aforementioned Alling–Greenleaf equivalence of categories allows one to relate the datum  $(X, \rho)$  defining  $\mathbb{X}$  with the orbifold notation of the underlying wallpaper group W.

**Theorem 6.11.** Let W be a wallpaper group for which g(X) = 0. Then there exists a real squid algebra  $\Pi_W$  of tubular type and an exact equivalence of triangulated categories

$$D^{b}(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}_{W})) \simeq D^{b}(\Pi_{W} - \mathsf{mod}).$$
(37)

*Proof.* Since g(X) = 0, Theorem 3.12 implies that there exists a squid algebra  $\Pi_W$  such that  $D^b(Coh(\mathbb{X}_W)) \simeq D^b(\Pi_W - mod)$ . Recall (see [24,36]) the classification of the isomorphism classes of wallpaper groups and the corresponding flat surface orbifolds:

| N⁰ | Wallpaper group  | Orbifold type                             | hereditary curve type   |
|----|------------------|---|---|
| 1  | hexatrope group  | $\mathfrak{S}(2,3,6)$                     | $X_{co}(2,3,6)$   |
| 2  | tetratrope group | $\mathfrak{S}(2,4,4)$                     | $X_{\sf co}(2,4,4)$   |
| 3  | tritrope group   | $\mathfrak{S}(3,3,3)$                     | $X_{co}(3,3,3)$   |
| 4  | ditrope group    | $\mathfrak{S}(2,2,2,2)$                   | $X_{\sf co}(2,2,2,2)$   |
| 5  | hexascope group  | $\mathfrak{D}(ar{2},ar{3},ar{6})$         | $X_{\sf re}(ar 2,ar 3,ar 6)$                                  |
| 6  | tetrascope group | $\mathfrak{D}(ar{2},ar{4},ar{4})$         | $X_{\sf re}(ar 2,ar 4,ar 4)$                                  |
| 7  | triscope group   | $\mathfrak{D}(\bar{3}, \bar{3}, \bar{3})$ | $X_{\sf re}(ar{3},ar{3},ar{3})$                               |
| 8  | discope group    | $\mathfrak{D}(ar{2},ar{2},ar{2},ar{2})$   | $X_{re}(ar{2},ar{2},ar{2},ar{2})$                             |
| 9  | tetragyro group  | $\mathfrak{D}(4, \overline{2})$           | $X_{re}(4, \overline{2})$                                     |
| 10 | trigyro group    | $\mathfrak{D}(3,ar{3})$                   | $X_{re}(3, \overline{3})$                                     |
| 11 | digyro group     | $\mathfrak{D}(2,2)$                       | $X_{re}(2,2)$   |
| 12 | dirhomb group    | $\mathfrak{D}(2,ar{2},ar{2})$             | $X_{re}(2,ar{2},ar{2})$                                       |
| 13 | diglide group    | $\mathfrak{P}(2,2)$                       | $X_{qt}(2,2)$   |
| 14 | monotrope group  | torus                                     | $Projig(\mathbb{C}[x,y,z]/(zy^2-x^3+xz^2)ig)$                 |
| 15 | monoglide group  | Klein bottle                              | $Proj\big(\mathbb{R}[x,y,z]/(z^2y^2+(x^2+z^2)(x^2+z^2))\big)$ |
| 16 | monorhomb group  | Möbius band                               | $Proj(\mathbb{R}[x, y, z]/(zy^2 - x^3 - xz^2))$               |
| 17 | monoscope group  | annulus                                   | $Projig(\mathbb{R}[x,y,z]/(zy^2-x^3+xz^2)ig)$                 |

The last four types of the above table correspond to real projective curve of genus one, the stated correspondence is taken from [2, Example 1]. The corresponding derived category  $D^b(\mathsf{Coh}(\mathbb{X}))$  does not have tilting objects. In the first thirteen cases, it follows from the stated classification, that the squid algebra  $\Pi_W$  has a tubular type.  $\Box$ 

**Remark 6.12.** The correspondence between wallpaper groups and real hereditary curves of tubular type was for the first time observed by Lenzing many years ago [33]. Kussin in [28, Corollary 13.23] gave a classification of all hereditary curves of tubular type. From this classification it became apparent that the curves of type  $X_W$  are precisely those ones, for which  $[\eta_X] = 0$ : indeed, the corresponding numerical patterns are the same. Kussin informed me about another approach to establish a more concrete correspondence between wallpaper groups and exceptional hereditary curves of tubular type [29]. However, the works [28, 29] are heavily based on the "axiomatic approach" to non-commutative hereditary curves and the corresponding proofs are technically different from the ones given in this paper.

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