

## Taylor’s functional calculus and derived categories of Fréchet modules

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J. L. Taylor’s functional calculus theorem (1970) asserts that every commuting  $n$ -tuple  $T = (T_1, \dots, T_n)$  of bounded linear operators on a Banach space  $E$  admits a holomorphic functional calculus on any neighborhood  $U$  of the joint spectrum  $\sigma(T)$ . This means that there exists a continuous homomorphism  $\gamma : \mathcal{O}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{B}(E)$  (where  $\mathcal{O}(U)$  is the algebra of holomorphic functions on  $U$  and  $\mathcal{B}(E)$  is the algebra of bounded linear operators on  $E$ ) that takes the coordinates  $z_1, \dots, z_n$  to  $T_1, \dots, T_n$ , respectively. The original Taylor’s proof was quite involved. In 1972, Taylor developed a completely different and considerably shorter proof based on methods of homological algebra. Later it was simplified and generalized by M. Putinar (1980) to the case of Fréchet  $\mathcal{O}(X)$ -modules, where  $X$  is a finite-dimensional Stein space. The idea of Taylor-Putinar’s construction is to establish an isomorphism between a Fréchet  $\mathcal{O}(X)$ -module  $M$  satisfying  $\sigma(M) \subset U$  and the 0th cohomology of a certain double complex  $C$  of Fréchet  $\mathcal{O}(U)$ -modules. Unfortunately,  $C$  depends on the choice of a special cover of  $X$  by Stein open sets, and there seems to be no canonical way of associating  $C$  to  $M$ .

Our goal is to extend Taylor-Putinar’s theorem to the setting of derived categories. We believe that this is exactly the environment in which Taylor-Putinar’s theorem is most naturally formulated and proved. Given an object  $M$  of the derived category  $\mathbf{D}^-(\mathcal{O}(X)\text{-mod})$  of Fréchet  $\mathcal{O}(X)$ -modules, we define the spectrum  $\sigma(M) \subset X$ , and we show that for every open set  $U \subset X$  containing  $\sigma(M)$  there is an isomorphism  $M \cong \mathbf{R}\Gamma(U, \mathcal{O}_X) \widehat{\otimes}_{\mathcal{O}(X)}^{\mathbf{L}} M$  in  $\mathbf{D}^-(\mathcal{O}(X)\text{-mod})$ . In the special case where  $M$  is a Fréchet  $\mathcal{O}(X)$ -module, this yields Taylor-Putinar’s result. Moreover, we have  $C = \mathbf{R}\Gamma(U, \mathcal{O}_X) \widehat{\otimes}_{\mathcal{O}(X)}^{\mathbf{L}} M$ , so  $C$  is natural in  $M$  when viewed as an object of the derived category.