Queen's Algebraic Geometry
— Seminar —

EQUIVALENCES OF DERIVED CATEGORIES
VIA GEOMETRIC sl_2 ACTIONS

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Abstract

I will discuss a new technique for constructing equivalences of derived categories of coherent sheaves. This allows us to construct in a natural way equivalences between the derived categories of sheaves on cotangent bundles to Grassmannians. Our work generalizes the spherical twists of Seidel-Thomas and is based on work of Chuang-Rouquier. This is joint work with Sabin Cautis and Anthony Licata.

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