

K-THEORY OF BERNOULLI SHIFTS OF FINITE GROUPS ON UHF-ALGEBRAS

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ABSTRACT. We show that the Bernoulli shift and the trivial action of a finite group G on a UHF-algebra of infinite type are KK^G -equivalent and that the Bernoulli shift absorbs the trivial action up to conjugacy. As an application, we compute the K-theory of crossed products by approximately inner flips on classifiable C^* -algebras.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In topological dynamics, a very fertile class of examples is given by Bernoulli shifts, that is, by the shift action of a group G on the product $X^G := \prod_G X$ of G -many copies of a given compact space X . When the space X is moreover totally disconnected, the K-theory of the crossed product $C(X^G) \rtimes_r G$ can be computed in many cases [CEL13]. These computations and the techniques appearing in them are not only of intrinsic interest, but they make possible the computation of the K-theory of C^* -algebras associated to large classes of (inverse) semigroups, wreath products, and many more examples [CEL13, Li19, Li22]. The simplest non-commutative analogue of a totally disconnected space is a UHF-algebra, that is, a (possibly infinite) tensor product of matrix algebras. The non-commutative version of the Bernoulli shift is the shift action of a group G on the tensor product $A^{\otimes G} := \bigotimes_{g \in G} A$ for a given unital C^* -algebra A . Our main result computes

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the K-theory of the associated crossed product in the case that G is finite and that A is a UHF-algebra:

Theorem A (Theorem 2.8). *Let G be a finite group, let Z be a G -set and let M_n be a UHF-algebra of infinite type. Then M_n is KK^G -equivalent to $M_n^{\otimes Z}$ where we equip M_n with the trivial G -action and $M_n^{\otimes Z}$ with the Bernoulli shift. In particular, we have*

$$K_* \left(M_n^{\otimes Z} \rtimes G \right) \cong K_*(C^*(G) \otimes M_n) \cong K_*(C^*(G))[1/n].$$

The proof of Theorem A relies on a representation theoretic argument about invertibility of a certain element in the representation ring $R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ after inverting sufficiently many primes (see Proposition 2.1). A byproduct of the proof is that the Bernoulli shift absorbs the trivial action not only in KK -theory, but up to conjugacy. We point out that this fact may alternatively be extracted from [HW08, Lemma 3.1].

Theorem B (Theorem 2.7). *With the notation as in Theorem A, there is a G -equivariant isomorphism*

$$M_n^{\otimes Z} \cong M_n \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z}.$$

One immediate consequence of Theorem A and [Izu04, Theorem 3.13] is that the Bernoulli shift $G \curvearrowright M_n^{\otimes Z}$ as above does not have the Rokhlin property (see Corollary 2.10). Beyond finite group actions, Theorem A also has consequences for infinite groups satisfying the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients [BCH94].

Corollary C (Corollary 2.11). *Let G be a discrete group satisfying the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients, let Z be a G -set, let A be a G - C^* -algebra and let M_n be a UHF-algebra. Assume that Z is infinite or that n is of infinite type. Then the inclusion $A \rightarrow A \otimes M_n$ induces an isomorphism*

$$K_* \left(A \rtimes_r G \right) [1/n] \cong K_* \left(\left(A \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z} \right) \rtimes_r G \right).$$

In particular, the right hand side is a $\mathbb{Z}[1/n]$ -module.

Corollary C will be used in the follow-up paper [CEKN22] together with S. Chakraborty and S. Echterhoff to compute the K-theory of many more general Bernoulli shifts. Another consequence of Theorem A is that the Bernoulli shift of an amenable group G on a strongly self-absorbing (in the sense of [TW07]) C^* -algebra \mathcal{D} satisfying the UCT is KK^G -equivalent to the trivial G -action on \mathcal{D} (see Corollary 2.12; for $\mathcal{D} = \mathcal{O}_{\infty}$, this is [Sza18, Corollary 6.9]).

In Section 3, we apply Theorem A and compute $K_* \left(B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right)$ whenever B is a C^* -algebra with approximately inner flip (in the sense of [ER78]) satisfying the assumptions of the Elliott classification programme¹. Thanks to Tikuisis' classification of such C^* -algebras [Tik16], the computation reduces to the following special case (only the case $m = 1$ is relevant):

¹We refer to [Win18] and the references therein for an overview of the Elliott programme.

Theorem D (Theorem 3.2). *For supernatural numbers n and m of infinite type, we have*

$$K_* \left(\mathcal{F}_{m,n}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_r/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 0 \\ \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 1 \end{cases}$$

where r is the greatest common divisor of m and n .

We refer to Section 3 for the definition of the notation appearing above. Our methods heavily build on Izumi's computation of K-theory of flip automorphisms on C^* -algebras with finitely generated K-theory [Izu19].

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2. KK-THEORY OF BERNOULLI SHIFTS

For a finite group G , denote by $R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ its representation ring, given by the free abelian group generated by all irreducible complex representations of G with the tensor product as multiplication. The character of a finite-dimensional complex representation $\pi: G \rightarrow GL(V_\pi)$ is denoted by

$$\chi_\pi: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad \chi_\pi(g) := \text{tr} \left(V_\pi \xrightarrow{\pi(g)} V_\pi \right),$$

where tr denotes the (non-normalized) trace. Recall that the map

$$R_{\mathbb{C}}(G) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}_{\text{class}}(G), \quad \pi \mapsto \chi_\pi$$

is an injective ring homomorphism with values in the algebra $\mathbb{C}_{\text{class}}(G)$ of conjugation invariant functions on G with pointwise multiplication. There is a natural isomorphism $R_{\mathbb{C}}(G) \cong KK^G(\mathbb{C}, \mathbb{C})$. We refer to [Ser77] for an introduction to representation theory of finite groups and to [Kas88] for the definition of equivariant KK-theory.

Proposition 2.1. *Let G be a finite group, let $k \geq 1$ and let Z be a finite G -set. Denote by $\pi_k: G \rightarrow GL(\ell^2(\{1, \dots, k\}^Z))$ the permutation representation associated to the G -set $\{1, \dots, k\}^Z$. Then the following hold.*

- (1) *There exist $\alpha \in R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ and $r \geq 1$ such that $[\pi_k]^r = k\alpha$.*
- (2) *There exist $\beta \in R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ and $l \geq 1$ such that $[\pi_k] \cdot \beta = k^l$.*

Proof. By considering the standard basis in $\ell^2(\{1, \dots, k\}^Z)$, it is easy to see that the trace of $\pi_k(g)$ for $g \in G$ is given by the number of g -fixed points in $\{1, \dots, k\}^Z$. In other words, the character of π_k is given by

$$\chi_{\pi_k}(g) = k^{|\mathbb{Z}/\langle g \rangle|}.$$

We therefore have

$$\prod_{g \in G} (\chi_{\pi_k} - k^{|Z/\langle g \rangle|}) = 0 \text{ in } \mathbb{C}_{\text{class}}(G).$$

Since the map $\pi \mapsto \chi_\pi$ is injective, we also have

$$\prod_{g \in G} ([\pi_k] - k^{|Z/\langle g \rangle|}) = 0 \text{ in } R_{\mathbb{C}}(G).$$

In particular, there are polynomials $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}[t]$ satisfying

$$[\pi_k]^{|G|} = kp([\pi_k]), \quad [\pi_k] \cdot q([\pi_k]) = \prod_{g \in G} k^{|Z/\langle g \rangle|},$$

which proves the proposition. \square

Definition 2.2. Let Z be a set and let $(A_z)_{z \in Z}$ be a collection of unital C^* -algebras. The infinite tensor product $\bigotimes_{z \in Z} A_z$ is defined as

$$\bigotimes_{z \in Z} A_z := \varinjlim_F \bigotimes_{z \in F} A_z,$$

where the inductive limit is taken over all finite subsets $F \subseteq Z$ with respect to the connecting maps $a \mapsto a \otimes 1$. Given a discrete group G , a unital C^* -algebra A and a G -set Z , the *Bernoulli shift* of G on $A^{\otimes Z} := \bigotimes_Z A$ is the G -action induced by permuting the tensor factors according to the G -action on Z .

Countability of G and of a G -set Z and separability of A will be assumed *only if the statement involves KK-theory*. For example, we do not assume these when the statement is on K -theory of involved C^* -algebras.

Definition 2.3. A *supernatural number* is a formal product $n = \prod_p p^{n_p}$ where p runs over all primes and $n_p \in \{0, \dots, \infty\}$. The *UHF-algebra* associated to n is the infinite tensor product

$$M_n := \bigotimes_p M_{p^{n_p}},$$

with $M_{p^\infty} := M_p^{\otimes \mathbb{N}}$. We call n or M_n of *infinite type* if $n_p \in \{0, \infty\}$ for all p . We say that $n = \prod p^{n_p}$ divides $m = \prod p^{m_p}$ if $n_p \leq m_p$ for all p .

Remark 2.4. Note that the above definition includes natural numbers and matrix algebras as a special case.

Definition 2.5. If M is an abelian group, we denote by $M[1/n]$ the inductive limit of the system

$$M \xrightarrow{\cdot p_1} M \xrightarrow{\cdot p_2} M \xrightarrow{\cdot p_3} \dots$$

where (p_1, p_2, \dots) contains each prime dividing n infinitely many times.

Remark 2.6. If $q = \prod_p p^{n_p}$ with $n_p \geq 1$ for all p , then

$$M[1/q] \cong M \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}.$$

If $k \geq 1$ is a positive integer, then

$$\mathbb{Z}[1/k] \cong \left\{ \frac{m}{k^n} \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}, n \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \right\} \subseteq \mathbb{Q}.$$

In general, the group $\mathbb{Z}[1/n]$ is different from the closely related group

$$\mathbb{Q}_n := \left\{ \frac{m}{k} \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}, k \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \text{ divides } n \right\},$$

unless n is of infinite type.

Theorem 2.7 (cf. [HW08, Lemma 3.1]). *Let G be a finite group, let M_n be a UHF-algebra and let Z be a G -set. Assume that Z is infinite or that n is of infinite type. Equip M_n with the trivial G -action and $M_n^{\otimes Z}$ with the Bernoulli shift. Then there is an equivariant isomorphism*

$$M_n^{\otimes Z} \otimes M_n \cong M_n^{\otimes Z}.$$

If Z is infinite, and $m < \infty$, there is an equivariant isomorphism

$$M_m^{\otimes Z} \otimes M_{m^\infty} \cong M_m^{\otimes Z}.$$

Proof. Note that it suffices to prove the statement in the case that $M_n = M_{p^k}$ (or $M_m = M_{p^k}$) for a prime p and $k \in \{0, 1, \dots, \infty\}$. As before, if Z is finite, we denote by π_p the permutation representation of G on $V_p := \ell^2(\{1, \dots, p\}^Z)$, so that $M_p^{\otimes Z}$ is equivariantly isomorphic to $\text{End}(V_p)$.

Assume first that $k = \infty$. We only need to prove the theorem for (any) one G -orbit of Z so we may assume that Z is finite. Let $\alpha \in R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$ and $r \geq 1$ be as in Proposition 2.1 so that $[\pi_p]^r = p\alpha \in R_{\mathbb{C}}(G)$. Since $[\pi_p]$ is a non-negative linear combination of irreducible representations of G , α has to be the class of a finite-dimensional representation $\pi_\alpha: G \rightarrow \text{GL}(W_\alpha)$. In particular, we have an equivariant isomorphism $V_p^{\otimes r} \cong \mathbb{C}^p \otimes W_\alpha$. Passing to endomorphisms, we obtain an equivariant isomorphism

$$\left(M_p^{\otimes Z} \right)^{\otimes r} \cong M_p \otimes \text{End}(W_\alpha)$$

with the trivial G -action on M_p . By taking the infinite tensor product we obtain an equivariant isomorphism

$$M_{p^\infty}^{\otimes Z} \cong M_{p^\infty} \otimes \text{End}(W_\alpha)^{\otimes \mathbb{N}} \cong M_{p^\infty} \otimes M_{p^\infty} \otimes \text{End}(W_\alpha)^{\otimes \mathbb{N}} \cong M_{p^\infty} \otimes M_{p^\infty}^{\otimes Z}.$$

Assume now that $k < \infty$ and that Z is infinite. Then Z contains infinitely many orbits of the same type. We may thus assume that Z is of the form $Z = \bigsqcup_{\mathbb{N}} G/H$ for some subgroup $H \subseteq G$. Then there is an equivariant isomorphism $M_{p^k}^{\otimes Z} \cong M_{p^\infty}^{\otimes G/H}$. This reduces the proof to the case considered above. \square

Theorem 2.8. *Let G be a finite group, let Z be a countable G -set and let M_n be a UHF-algebra of infinite type. Then the canonical inclusions*

$$M_n \hookrightarrow M_n \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z} \hookleftarrow M_n^{\otimes Z}$$

are KK^G -equivalences, where M_n is endowed with the trivial action and where $M_n^{\otimes Z}$ is endowed with the Bernoulli shift. If Z is infinite, and $m < \infty$, the same conclusion holds for the inclusions

$$M_{m^\infty} \hookrightarrow M_{m^\infty} \otimes M_m^{\otimes Z} \hookleftarrow M_m^{\otimes Z}.$$

Proof. It follows from Theorem 2.7 and the fact that M_n is strongly self-absorbing (in the sense of [TW07]) that the map

$$M_n^{\otimes Z} \hookrightarrow M_n \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z}$$

is a KK^G -equivalence. Similarly, if Z is infinite and $m < \infty$, the map

$$M_m^{\otimes Z} \hookrightarrow M_{m^\infty} \otimes M_m^{\otimes Z}$$

is a KK^G -equivalence. We prove that the map

$$(2.1) \quad \text{id}_{M_n} \otimes 1_{M_n^{\otimes Z}} : M_n \rightarrow M_n \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z}$$

is a KK^G -equivalence. Note that this map is the inductive limit of the maps

$$(2.2) \quad \text{id}_{M_n} \otimes 1_{M_k^{\otimes Y}} : M_n \rightarrow M_n \otimes M_k^{\otimes Y}$$

where k ranges over all positive integers that divide n and where Y ranges over all finite G -subsets of Z . It follows from the finiteness of G , the nuclearity of the involved algebras and [MN06, Proposition 2.6, Lemma 2.7] that the map in (2.1) is also the homotopy colimit (with respect to the triangulated structure of KK^G) of the maps in (2.2). Since a homotopy colimit of KK^G -equivalences is a KK^G -equivalence², it suffices to show that the maps appearing in (2.2) are KK^G -equivalences. Note that the maps in (2.2) can be identified with the elements $[\text{id}_{M_n}] \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} [\pi_k] \in KK^G(M_n, M_n)$, where $\pi_k : G \rightarrow GL(\ell^2(\{1, \dots, k\}^Y))$ is the permutation representation and $[\pi_k]$ is its class in $KK^G(\mathbb{C}, \mathbb{C})$. By Proposition 2.1, there is an element $\beta \in KK^G(\mathbb{C}, \mathbb{C})$ and $l \geq 1$ such that $[\pi_k]\beta = k^l$. Thus $[\text{id}_{M_n}] \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} [\pi_k]$ is invertible with inverse $\frac{1}{k^l}[\text{id}_{M_n}] \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \beta$. The same proof shows that, if Z is infinite and $m < \infty$, the map

$$\text{id}_{M_{m^\infty}} \otimes 1_{M_m^{\otimes Z}} : M_{m^\infty} \rightarrow M_{m^\infty} \otimes M_m^{\otimes Z}$$

is a KK^G -equivalence. □

Remark 2.9. By [GL21, Theorem B] and [GHV22, Theorem B], a countable discrete group G is amenable if and only if for some (any) supernatural number $n \neq 1$ of infinite type, the Bernoulli shift on $M_n^{\otimes G}$ absorbs the trivial action on the Jiang-Su algebra \mathcal{Z} up to cocycle conjugacy. In particular (since $M_n \cong M_n \otimes \mathcal{Z}$), the conclusion of Theorem 2.7 is false for

²This follows from the axioms of a triangulated category. The fact that homotopy colimits of maps are not unique does not cause a problem here.

non-amenable groups. On the other hand, Theorem 2.8 together with the Higson-Kasparov Theorem [HK01] (applied in the form of [MN06, Theorem 8.5]) implies that if G is an amenable group, then $M_n^{\otimes G}$ absorbs the trivial action on M_n up to KK^G -equivalence. It is thus conceivable that a discrete group G is amenable if and only if the Bernoulli shift on $M_n^{\otimes G}$ absorbs the trivial action on M_n up to cocycle conjugacy.

The following observation provides some evidence for this: Let G be an amenable group, $n \neq 1$ a supernatural number of infinite type, and A a G - C^* -algebra. By the remarks above, the unital embedding

$$\text{id} \otimes 1: (A \otimes M_n^{\otimes G}) \rtimes G \hookrightarrow (A \otimes M_n^{\otimes G}) \rtimes G \otimes M_n$$

is a KK -equivalence between \mathbb{Z} -stable C^* -algebras that induces an isomorphism on the trace spaces, in particular it induces an isomorphism on the Elliott invariants. If we additionally assume that $(A \otimes M_n^{\otimes G}) \rtimes G$ is simple, separable, nuclear, and satisfies the UCT (which happens in many cases of interest), then the classification of unital, simple, separable, nuclear, \mathbb{Z} -stable C^* -algebras satisfying the UCT [Phi00, EGLN15, TWW17, CET⁺21] implies that $(A \otimes M_n^{\otimes G}) \rtimes G \cong (A \otimes M_n) \rtimes G \otimes M_n$. This condition is certainly necessary for $M_n^{\otimes G}$ to absorb M_n up to cocycle conjugacy.

Corollary 2.10. *Let $G \neq \{e\}$ be a finite group, let Z be a G -set and let M_n be a UHF-algebra of infinite type. Then the Bernoulli shift of G on $M_n^{\otimes Z}$ does not have the Rokhlin property.*

Proof. Assume the contrary. Then [Izu04, Theorem 3.13] yields an isomorphism³

$$K_0(M_n^{\otimes Z} \rtimes G) \cong K_0(M_n^{\otimes Z}) = \mathbb{Z}[1/n].$$

On the other hand, Theorem 2.8 yields an isomorphism

$$K_0(M_n^{\otimes Z} \rtimes G) \cong K_0(C^*(G)) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Z}[1/n] \cong \mathbb{Z}[1/n]^{\oplus \hat{G}},$$

a contradiction. \square

The following corollary will be used in the follow-up paper [CEKN22] with Sayan Chakraborty and Siegfried Echterhoff. We refer to [BCH94] for the formulation of the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients. Note that the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients holds for many groups, including a-T-menable groups [HK01] and hyperbolic groups [Laf12].

Corollary 2.11. *Let G be a countable discrete group satisfying the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients, let Z be a G -set, let A be a G - C^* -algebra and let M_n be a UHF-algebra. Assume that Z is infinite or that n is of infinite type. Then the inclusion $A \rightarrow A \otimes M_n$ induces an isomorphism*

$$K_*(A \rtimes_r G)[1/n] \cong K_*\left(\left(A \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z}\right) \rtimes_r G\right).$$

³Theorem 3.13 of [Izu04] is applicable by the combination of [Phi87, Proposition 7.1.3] and [Kis81, Theorem 3.1].

In particular, the right hand side is a $\mathbb{Z}[1/n]$ -module.

Proof. By an inductive limit argument, we may assume Z is countable and A is separable. If G is finite, the statement follows from Theorem 2.8 considering the commutative diagram

$$(2.3) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} A & \longrightarrow & A \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z} & \xrightarrow{\phi_1} & A \otimes M_{n^\infty} \otimes M_n^{\otimes Z} \\ & \searrow & & \nearrow \phi_2 & \\ & & A \otimes M_{n^\infty} & & \end{array}$$

where ϕ_1, ϕ_2 are KK^G -equivalences. Assume now that G is infinite. Consider the diagram (2.3). We know that (the restrictions of) ϕ_1, ϕ_2 are KK^H -equivalences for every finite subgroup $H \subseteq G$. Since G satisfies the Baum–Connes conjecture with coefficients, the results of [CEOO04] (see also [MN06]) imply that ϕ_1 and ϕ_2 induce isomorphisms of the K -theory groups of reduced crossed products by G . The statement follows from this by identifying $K_*((A \otimes M_{n^\infty}) \rtimes_r G) \cong K_*(A \rtimes_r G)[1/n]$. \square

We end this section with an application to Bernoulli shifts on strongly self-absorbing C^* -algebras. Recall that a separable, unital C^* -algebra $\mathcal{D} \neq \mathbb{C}$ is strongly self-absorbing [TW07] if there is an isomorphism $\mathcal{D} \cong \mathcal{D} \otimes \mathcal{D}$ which is approximately unitarily equivalent to the first factor inclusion $\mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{D}} \otimes 1_{\mathcal{D}}: \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{D} \otimes \mathcal{D}$. Strongly self-absorbing C^* -algebras are automatically simple, nuclear [TW07] and \mathbb{Z} -stable [Win11]. By the combination of [TW07, Proposition 5.1] and the classification of unital, simple, separable, nuclear, \mathbb{Z} -stable C^* -algebras in the UCT class [Phi00, EGLN15, TWW17, CET⁺21], a complete list of strongly self-absorbing C^* -algebras satisfying the UCT is given by

$$(2.4) \quad \mathbb{Z}, M_n, \mathcal{O}_\infty, \mathcal{O}_\infty \otimes M_n, \mathcal{O}_2,$$

where $n \neq 1$ is a supernatural number of infinite type. The following corollary is a generalization of [Sza18, Corollary 6.9]:

Corollary 2.12. *Let \mathcal{D} be a strongly self-absorbing C^* -algebra satisfying the UCT and let G be a discrete group having a γ -element equal to 1^4 . Then, for any G -set Z , the G - C^* -algebra $\mathcal{D}^{\otimes Z}$ equipped with the Bernoulli shift is KK^G -equivalent to \mathcal{D} equipped with the trivial G -action.*

For the proof, we need the following result of Izumi [Izu19] which we spell out here for later reference.

Theorem 2.13 ([Izu19, Theorem 2.1], see also [Sza18, Lemma 6.8]). *Let A, B be separable nuclear C^* -algebras, let H be a finite group and let Z be a finite H -set. Then, there is a map from $\mathrm{KK}(A, B)$ to $\mathrm{KK}^H(A^{\otimes Z}, B^{\otimes Z})$ which in particular, sends a class of a $*$ -homomorphism ϕ to the class of $\phi^{\otimes Z}$. Furthermore, this map*

⁴See [MN06, Section 7] for a definition of the γ -element. By the Higson–Kasparov theorem [HK01], this assumption is satisfied for all a-T-menable groups.

is compatible with the compositions and in particular sends a KK -equivalence to a KK^H -equivalence. In particular, the Bernoulli shifts on $A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}}$ and $B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}}$ are KK^H -equivalent if A and B are KK -equivalent.

Proof of Corollary 2.12. We claim that the unital embeddings

$$(2.5) \quad \mathcal{D} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{D} \otimes \mathcal{D}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}} \hookleftarrow \mathcal{D}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}}$$

are KK^G -equivalences. By the assumption on G , this amounts to showing that they are KK^H -equivalences for every finite subgroup $H \subseteq G$. (see [MN06, Theorem 7.3]). By the same homotopy co-limit argument as in the proof of Theorem 2.8, it is enough to show that the maps

$$\mathcal{D} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{D} \otimes \mathcal{D}^{\otimes Y} \hookleftarrow \mathcal{D}^{\otimes Y}$$

are KK^H -equivalences for all finite H -subsets Y of \mathbb{Z} . Now Theorem 2.13 allows us to replace \mathcal{D} by a KK -equivalent C^* -algebra. Thanks to the list (2.4), this reduces the problem to the cases $\mathcal{D} = \mathbb{C}$, $\mathcal{D} = 0$ and $\mathcal{D} = M_n$. The first two cases are trivial and the third one follows from Theorem 2.8. \square

3. K-THEORY OF APPROXIMATELY INNER FLIPS

In this section we apply Theorem 2.8 to the K -theory of approximately inner flips. Recall that a C^* -algebra B is said to have approximately inner flip if the flip automorphism $B \otimes B \rightarrow B \otimes B$, $a \otimes b \mapsto b \otimes a$ is approximately inner, i.e. a point-norm limit of inner automorphisms. A C^* -algebra B with approximately inner flip must be simple, nuclear and have at most one trace [ER78]. An approximately inner flip necessarily induces the identity map on $K_*(B \otimes B)$ and this largely restricts the class of C^* -algebras B with approximately inner flip. Effros and Rosenberg [ER78] showed that if B is AF, then B must be stably isomorphic to a UHF-algebra. Tikuisis [Tik16] determined a complete list of classifiable C^* -algebras with approximately inner flip. We would like to thank Dominic Enders, André Schemaitat and Aaron Tikuisis for informing us about a corrigendum stated below:

Theorem 3.1. ([EST22], Corrigendum to [Tik16, Theorem 2.2]) *Let B be a separable, unital C^* -algebra with strict comparison, in the UCT class, which is either infinite or quasi-diagonal. The following are equivalent.*

- (1) B has approximately inner flip;
- (2) B is Morita equivalent to one of the following C^* -algebras:
 - \mathbb{C} ;
 - $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}$;
 - $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m} \otimes \mathcal{O}_\infty$;
 - $\mathcal{F}_{1,m}$.

Here m, n are supernatural numbers of infinite type such that m divides n , \mathcal{O}_∞ is the Cuntz algebra on infinitely many generators, $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}$ is the simple, separable, unital, \mathbb{Z} -stable, quasi-diagonal C^* -algebra in the UCT class with unique trace satisfying

$$K_0(\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_n, [1]_0 = 1, K_1(\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z},$$

and $\mathcal{F}_{m,n}$ is the unique unital Kirchberg algebra in the UCT class satisfying

$$K_0(\mathcal{F}_{m,n}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, \quad [1]_0 = 0, \quad K_1(\mathcal{F}_{m,n}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z}.$$

Our strategy to compute the groups $K_*(B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2)$ with B as in Theorem 3.1 builds on Izumi's remarkable computation of $K_*(A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2)$ for all separable nuclear C^* -algebras A in the UCT class and with finitely generated K -theory [Izu19]. Izumi's starting point is his Theorem 2.13 above. This allows him to replace the appearing C^* -algebras by finite direct sums of building blocks of the form \mathbb{C} , $C_0(\mathbb{R})$, \mathcal{O}_{n+1} and D_n , where \mathcal{O}_{n+1} denotes the Cuntz algebra on $n+1$ generators and where D_n denotes the dimension drop algebra. For B one of these building blocks, Izumi explicitly computes $K_*(B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2)$.

We follow the same strategy here. Thanks to Theorems 3.1 and 2.13 above, the following theorem and its corollary completely determine the K -theory groups $K_*(B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2)$ whenever B is a UCT C^* -algebra that is KK -equivalent to a classifiable C^* -algebra with an approximately inner flip.

Theorem 3.2. *Let m and n be supernatural numbers of infinite type. Let $\mathcal{F}_{m,n}$ be any C^* -algebra satisfying the UCT such that*

$$K_*(\mathcal{F}_{m,n}) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 0 \\ \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 1 \end{cases}.$$

Then we have

$$K_*(\mathcal{F}_{m,n}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_r/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 0 \\ \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_n/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 1 \end{cases},$$

where r is the greatest common divisor of m and n .

Corollary 3.3. *For any supernatural numbers m and n of infinite type, we have*

$$K_*(\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_n \oplus \mathbb{Q}_n, & * = 0 \\ \mathbb{Q}_{mn}/\mathbb{Q}_n \oplus \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 1 \end{cases}.$$

Proof. The algebra $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}$ is KK -equivalent to $M_n \oplus \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$. Thus, using Theorem 2.13, we see that $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2$ is KK -equivalent to

$$(M_n^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \oplus (\mathcal{F}_{1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \oplus (M_n \otimes \mathcal{F}_{1,m}).$$

Note that $K_0(M_n \otimes \mathcal{F}_{1,m}) \cong 0$ and $K_1(M_n \otimes \mathcal{F}_{1,m}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_n \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Q}_{mn}/\mathbb{Q}_n$. The assertion now follows from Theorem 3.2. \square

We break up the proof of Theorem 3.2 into two lemmas. We denote by $[e_0], [e_1], [1] \in K_0(C^*(\mathbb{Z}/2))$ the classes of the trivial representation, the sign representation and the unit of $C^*(\mathbb{Z}/2)$. We will abuse notation and write KK -elements as arrows between C^* -algebras, well-aware that they might not be induced by $*$ -homomorphisms.

Lemma 3.4. *We have*

$$K_* \left(\mathbb{F}_{m,1}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 0 \\ 0, & * = 1 \end{cases}.$$

Proof. By the Kirchberg–Phillips classification theorem [Phi00], there is a unital $*$ -homomorphism

$$M_m \otimes \mathcal{O}_\infty \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{m,1}$$

such that the composition

$$\phi: M_m \xrightarrow{\text{id} \otimes 1} M_m \otimes \mathcal{O}_\infty \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{m,1}$$

induces the canonical quotient map $\mathbb{Q}_m \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}$ on K_0 . Denote by

$$M_\phi = \{(a, f) \in M_m \oplus (C[0, 1] \otimes \mathcal{F}_{m,1}) \mid \phi(a) = f(0)\}$$

the mapping cylinder of ϕ and by $C_\phi := \ker(\text{ev}_1: M_\phi \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_{m,1})$ the mapping cone of ϕ . Note that the inclusion $M_m \hookrightarrow M_\phi$ is a KK-equivalence. The short exact sequence

$$(3.1) \quad 0 \longrightarrow C_\phi \longrightarrow M_\phi \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}_{m,1} \longrightarrow 0,$$

induces an exact sequence

$$(3.2) \quad 0 \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z} \longrightarrow \mathbb{Q}_m \longrightarrow \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \longrightarrow 0$$

on K_0 and 0 on K_1 . We streamline the notations and re-write the exact sequence (3.1) as

$$0 \longrightarrow I \longrightarrow B \longrightarrow A_0 \longrightarrow 0.$$

The only properties that we will use are the induced sequence (3.2) on K_0 and that the map $I \rightarrow B$ can be identified with the unital inclusion $\mathbb{C} \hookrightarrow M_m$ in KK-theory. From now on, we follow the beautiful computations of [Izu19, Theorem 3.4]. Writing $I_1 := I \otimes B + B \otimes I \subseteq B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$, we have the following short exact sequences of $\mathbb{Z}/2$ -C*-algebras

$$(3.3) \quad 0 \longrightarrow I_1 \longrightarrow B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \longrightarrow A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \longrightarrow 0,$$

$$(3.4) \quad 0 \longrightarrow I^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \longrightarrow I_1 \longrightarrow (I \otimes A_0) \oplus (A_0 \otimes I) \longrightarrow 0.$$

Taking crossed-products and applying K-theory for (3.4) produces the 6-term exact sequence

$$(3.5) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z} & \longrightarrow & K_0(I_1 \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \\ \uparrow & & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & \longleftarrow & K_1(I_1 \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) & \longleftarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

Here the generators of $\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}$ are the image of $[1]$ and $[e_1]$ via the KK-equivalence $\mathbb{C}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow I^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2$ obtained from the KK-equivalence

$\mathbb{C} \rightarrow I$ as in Theorem 2.13, and \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} is identified with $K_0(I \otimes A_0)$. The canonical map from the exact sequence

$$(3.6) \quad \underbrace{K_0(I \otimes I) \oplus \mathbb{Z}}_{\cong \mathbb{Z}} \rightarrow \underbrace{K_0(I \otimes B) \oplus \mathbb{Z}}_{\cong \mathbb{Q}_m} \rightarrow \underbrace{K_0(I \otimes A_0)}_{\cong \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}}$$

to the top row of (3.5) is an isomorphism (since it clearly is on the left and right hand terms). From this we see that $K_0(I_1 \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong \mathbb{Q}_m \oplus \mathbb{Z}$, with the generator of \mathbb{Z} being the image of $[e_1]$ via the KK-element $\mathbb{C}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow I^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow I_1 \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2$ and with \mathbb{Q}_m being the image of $K_0(M_m)$ via the KK-element $M_m \rightarrow B \rightarrow I \otimes B \rightarrow I_1$.

Taking crossed products and applying K-theory for (3.3) yields the 6-term exact sequence

$$(3.7) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbb{Q}_m \oplus \mathbb{Z} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Q}_m \oplus \mathbb{Q}_m & \longrightarrow & K_0(A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \\ \uparrow & & & & \downarrow \\ K_1(A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) & \longleftarrow & 0 & \longleftarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

where the generators $\mathbb{Q}_m \oplus \mathbb{Q}_m$ over \mathbb{Q}_m are the images of $[1]$ and $[e_1]$ by the KK-equivalence $M_m^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow B^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2$. Here we have used Theorem 2.8. Thus the first arrow in the top row of (3.7) is the natural inclusion. We get $K_1(A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong 0$ and $K_0(A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}$, generated by the image of $\mathbb{Q}_m[e_1]$ in $K_0(M_m^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2)$. \square

Lemma 3.5. *We have*

$$K_*\left(F_{1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\right) \cong \begin{cases} 0, & * = 0 \\ \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 1 \end{cases}.$$

Proof. We write $A_0 := F_{m,1}$ as in the proof of Lemma 3.4 and use $A := C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes A_0$ as a model for $F_{1,m}$. Note that the flip action on $C_0(\mathbb{R})^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$ is conjugate to the action on $C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes C_0(\mathbb{R})$ that is trivial on the first factor and reflects at the origin $0 \in \mathbb{R}$ on the second factor. We thus have

$$(3.8) \quad K_*\left(A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\right) \cong K_{*+1}\left(\left(C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}\right) \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\right).$$

We consider the short exact sequence

$$(3.9) \quad 0 \rightarrow (C_0(-\infty, 0) \oplus C_0(0, \infty)) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rightarrow C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rightarrow A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rightarrow 0$$

of $\mathbb{Z}/2$ - C^* -algebras. We have

$$\begin{aligned} K_*\left(\left((C_0(-\infty, 0) \oplus C_0(0, \infty)) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}\right) \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\right) &\cong K_{*+1}\left(A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}\right) \\ &\cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, & * = 0 \\ 0, & * = 1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

by the Künneth theorem (since $\mathrm{Tor}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(\mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z}$). In view of this and Lemma 3.4, taking crossed products and applying K-theory for (3.9) produces the 6-term exact sequence

$$(3.10) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} & \longrightarrow & K_0 \left(\left(C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \right) \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{Q}_m/\mathbb{Z} \\ \uparrow & & & & \downarrow \\ 0 & \longleftarrow & K_1 \left(\left(C_0(\mathbb{R}) \otimes A_0^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \right) \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right) & \longleftarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

By [Tik16, Lemma 1.1], the top row of (3.10) splits. Now the Lemma follows from (3.10) and (3.8). \square

By Theorem 3.1, the list of the classifiable C^* -algebras with approximately inner flip is up to KK-equivalences given by

$$\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}, \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$$

for supernatural numbers m and n where m divides n . Theorem 3.2 and Corollary 3.3 say that for any of these algebras A , we have an isomorphism

$$K_* \left(A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \right) \cong K_*(A \otimes C_r^*(\mathbb{Z}/2)).$$

The Künneth formula moreover implies $K_*(A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}) \cong K_*(A)$. This naturally raises the following question.

Question 3.6. *Let A be any C^* -algebra satisfying the UCT with approximately inner flip. Is the $\mathbb{Z}/2$ - C^* -algebra $A^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$ equipped with the flip action $\mathrm{KK}^{\mathbb{Z}/2}$ -equivalent to A equipped with the trivial action?*

We note that in order to answer this question positively, it would suffice to answer it positively for $A = \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$. Indeed, $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}$ is KK-equivalent to $M_n \oplus \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$ and $M_n \otimes \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$ is KK-equivalent to zero if m divides n . In particular, the flip on $\mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$ is $\mathrm{KK}^{\mathbb{Z}/2}$ -equivalent to the sum of the flips on $M_n^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \oplus \mathcal{F}_{1,m}^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$. Since Theorem 2.8 provides a positive answer to Question 3.6 for $A = M_n$, a positive answer for $A = \mathcal{F}_{1,m}$ would provide a positive answer for $A = \mathcal{E}_{n,1,m}$.

Unfortunately, the methods used to establish the $\mathrm{KK}^{\mathbb{Z}/2}$ -equivalence between $M_n^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2}$ and M_n in Theorem 2.8 do not apply in the situation of Question 3.6. For once, there is no analogue of the representation theoretic argument in Proposition 2.1 for $\mathcal{F}_{1,m}$. Furthermore, the diagram

$$M_n^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \rightarrow M_n^{\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2} \otimes M_n \leftarrow M_n$$

of $\mathrm{KK}^{\mathbb{Z}/2}$ -equivalences in Theorem 2.8 does not have an analogue for $\mathcal{F}_{1,m}$ since the unit class $[1]_0 \in K_0(\mathcal{F}_{1,m}) \cong 0$ is zero.

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