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„Hermitian K-theory via oriented Gorenstein algebras.“

Abstract:

The Hermitian K-theory of a ring or scheme is a variant of algebraic K-theory in which we use vector bundles equipped with a non-degenerate symmetric bilinear form. From the perspective of  $A^1$ -homotopy theory, the Hermitian K-theory space of a regular ring  $R$  can be obtained as the  $A^1$ -homotopy type of the moduli stack of finite oriented Gorenstein  $R$ -algebras. I will explain this statement in details as well as its relevance in the larger context of  $A^1$ -homotopy theory. This is based on joint work with Joachim Jelisiejew, Denis Nardin and Maria Yakerson.