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Torsion pairs in recollements of abelian categories

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Abstract For a recollement $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$ of abelian categories, we show that torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} can induce torsion pairs in \mathscr{B} ; and the converse holds true under certain conditions.

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1 Introduction

Recollements of abelian categories and triangulated categories play an important role in geometry of singular spaces, representation theory, polynomial functors theory, and ring theory [2,3,5,6,12,14,15,19], where recollements are known as torsion torsion-free (TTF) theories. They first appeared in the construction of the category of perverse sheaves on a singular space [2]. Recollements of abelian categories and recollements of triangulated categories are closely related; for instance, Chen [4] constructed a recollement of abelian categories from a recollement of triangulated categories, generalizing a result of Lin and Wang [16]. In addition, the properties of torsion pairs and recollements of abelian categories have been studied by Psaroudakis and Vitória [22]. They established a correspondence between recollements of abelian categories up to equivalence and certain TTF-triples.

Let $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$ be a recollement of triangulated categories. Chen [4] described how to glue together cotorsion pairs (which are essentially equal to torsion pairs [11]) in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} to obtain a cotorsion pair in \mathscr{B} , which is a natural generalization of a similar result in [2] on gluing together *t*-structures of \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} to obtain a *t*-structure in \mathscr{B} . After taking the hearts $\mathscr{A}', \mathscr{B}', \mathscr{C}'$ of the glued *t*-structures, $(\mathscr{A}', \mathscr{B}', \mathscr{C}')$ is a recollement of abelian categories and

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a construction of gluing of torsion pairs in this recollement was given by Liu et al. [18] (also see [13]). Note that the results of Liu et al. [18, Proposition 6.5, Lemma 6.2] depend on the recollements of triangulated categories and the proofs there do not work in the general case. Our aim is to glue torsion pairs and TTF-triples in a recollement of general abelian categories.

This paper is organized as follows. In Section 2, we give some terminologies and some preliminary results. In Section 3, we study torsion pairs in a recollement of abelian categories. Letting $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$ be a recollement of abelian categories, we obtain a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} from torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} . Conversely, we show that, under certain conditions, a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} can induce torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} .

2 Preliminaries

Throughout this paper, all subcategories are full, additive, and closed under isomorphisms.

Definition 1 [8] A recollement, denoted by $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$, of abelian categories is a diagram

$$\mathscr{A} \xrightarrow{\longleftarrow i^* \longrightarrow} \mathscr{B} \xrightarrow{\longleftarrow j^! \longrightarrow} \mathscr{C}$$

of abelian categories and additive functors such that

- (1) $(i^*, i_*), (i_*, i^!), (j_!, j^*)$, and (j^*, j_*) are adjoint pairs,
- (2) $i_*, j_!$ and j_* are fully faithful,
- (3) Im $i_* = \text{Ker } j^*$.

See [8,17,20] for examples of recollements of abelian categories. We list some properties of recollements (see [8,20-22]), which will be used in the sequel.

Lemma 1 Let $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$ be a recollement of abelian categories. Then we have

(1) $i^* j_! = 0 = i^! j_*;$

(2) the functors i_* and j^* are exact, i^* and $j_!$ are right exact, and $i^!$ and j_* are left exact;

(3) all the natural transformations

$$i^*i_* \to 1_{\mathscr{A}}, \quad 1_{\mathscr{A}} \to i^!i_*, \quad 1_{\mathscr{C}} \to j^*j_!, \quad j^*j_* \to 1_{\mathscr{C}},$$

are natural isomorphisms;

(4) for any $B \in \mathscr{B}$, there exist exact sequences

$$\begin{split} 0 &\to i_*(A) \to j_! j^*(B) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_B} B \to i_* i^*(B) \to 0, \\ 0 &\to i_* i^!(B) \to B \xrightarrow{\eta_B} j_* j^*(B) \to i_*(A') \to 0, \end{split}$$

in \mathscr{B} with $A, A' \in \mathscr{A}$;

(5) there exists an exact sequence of natural transformations:

$$0 \to i_*i^!j_! \to j_! \to j_* \to i_*i^*j_* \to 0;$$

(6) if i^* is exact, then $i^!j_! = 0$, and if $i^!$ is exact, then $i^*j_* = 0$.

Definition 2 [7] A pair of subcategories $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ of an abelian category \mathscr{A} is called a *torsion pair* if the following conditions are satisfied:

(1) $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}) = 0$, that is, $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(X, Y) = 0$ for any $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$;

(2) for any object $M \in \mathscr{A}$, there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to X \to M \to Y \to 0$$

in \mathscr{A} with $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$.

Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be a torsion pair in an abelian category \mathscr{A} . Then we have

- (1) \mathscr{X} is closed under extensions and quotient objects,
- (2) \mathscr{Y} is closed under extensions and subobjects.

Moreover, we have

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{X} &= {}^{\perp_0} \mathcal{Y} := \{ M \in \mathscr{A} \mid \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(M, \mathcal{Y}) = 0 \}, \\ \mathcal{Y} &= \mathcal{X}^{\perp_0} := \{ M \in \mathscr{A} \mid \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(\mathcal{X}, M) = 0 \}. \end{split}$$

Definition 3 [3,10] Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be a torsion pair in an abelian category \mathscr{A} .

(1) $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is called *tilting* (resp. *cotilting*) if any object in \mathscr{A} is isomorphic to a subobject of an object in \mathscr{X} (resp. a quotient object of an object in \mathscr{Y}).

(2) $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is called *hereditary* (resp. *cohereditary*) if \mathscr{X} is closed under subobjects (resp. \mathscr{Y} is closed under quotient objects).

3 Torsion pairs in a recollement

In this section, assume that $(\mathscr{A}, \mathscr{B}, \mathscr{C})$ is a recollement of abelian categories:

$$\mathscr{A} \xrightarrow{\longleftarrow i^* \longrightarrow} \mathscr{B} \xrightarrow{\longleftarrow j_! \longrightarrow} \mathscr{C}$$

We begin with the following result.

Lemma 2 For any $B \in \mathcal{B}$,

(1) if i^* is exact, then there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to j_! j^*(B) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_B} B \to i_* i^*(B) \to 0;$$

(2) if $i^{!}$ is exact, then there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to i_*i^!(B) \to B \xrightarrow{\eta_B} j_*j^*(B) \to 0;$$

(3) i^* and $i^!$ are exact if and only if $i^* \cong i^!$, and in this case, we have $j_* \cong j_!$.

Proof (1) By Lemma 1 (4), it suffices to prove that ε_B is monic. Applying $i^!$ to the first exact sequence in Lemma 1 (4), we get an exact sequence

$$0 \to i^! i_*(A) \to i^! j_! j^*(B).$$

By Lemma 1 (6), we have

$$i^! j_! j^*(B) = 0.$$

 So

$$A \cong i^! i_*(A) = 0$$

by Lemma 1 (3), and hence, ε_B is monic.

(2) It is similar to (1).

(3) If $i^* \cong i^!$, then i^* and $i^!$ are exact by Lemma 1 (2). Conversely, applying $i^!$ to the exact sequence in (1), we get an exact sequence of natural transformations:

$$0 \to i^! j_! j^* \to i^! \to i^! i_* i^* \to 0.$$

By Lemma 1 (6) and (3), we have

$$i^! \cong i^! i_* i^* \cong i^*.$$

The isomorphism $j_* \cong j_!$ follows from Lemma 1 (5) and (6).

Our main result is the following theorem.

Theorem 1 Let $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ be torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} , respectively, and let

$$\begin{split} \mathscr{X} &:= \{ B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^*(B) \in \mathscr{X}', \, j^*(B) \in \mathscr{X}'' \}, \\ \mathscr{Y} &:= \{ B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^!(B) \in \mathscr{Y}', \, j^*(B) \in \mathscr{Y}'' \}. \end{split}$$

Then we have

(1) $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} ;

(2) $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}') = (i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'') = (j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}));$

(3) if $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{G}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{G}'')$ are cohereditary (resp. hereditary), and $i^!$ (resp. i^*) is exact, then $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{G})$ is cohereditary (resp. hereditary);

(4) if $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ are tilting (resp. cotilting), and $i^!$ and $j_!$ (resp. i^* and j_*) are exact, then $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is tilting (resp. cotilting).

Proof (1) Let $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$. Applying the functor $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(-, Y)$ to the exact sequence

$$j_! j^*(X) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_X} X \to i_* i^*(X) \to 0$$

in \mathscr{B} , we get an exact sequence

$$0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(X), Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X, Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(X), Y)$$

By assumption, $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ are torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} , respectively. Since $i^*(X) \in \mathscr{X}'$, $i^!(Y) \in \mathscr{Y}'$, $j^*(X) \in \mathscr{X}''$, and $j^*(Y) \in \mathscr{Y}''$, we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(X),Y) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(X),j^*(Y)) = 0,$$

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(X),Y) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(i^*(X),i^!(Y)) = 0.$$

It follows that

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X,Y) = 0, \quad \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(\mathscr{X},\mathscr{Y}) = 0.$$

Let $B \in \mathscr{B}$. There exists an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow i_* i^!(B) \longrightarrow B \xrightarrow{\eta_B} j_* j^*(B) \longrightarrow i_*(A') \longrightarrow 0$$

Im η_B'

in \mathscr{B} with $A' \in \mathscr{A}$. Because $j^*(B) \in \mathscr{C}$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{C} , there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to X'' \to j^*(B) \xrightarrow{h} Y'' \to 0$$

in \mathscr{C} with $X'' \in \mathscr{X}''$ and $Y'' \in \mathscr{Y}''$. Notice that j_* is left exact by Lemma 1 (2). Then

$$0 \to j_*(X'') \to j_*j^*(B) \xrightarrow{j_*(h)} j_*(Y'')$$

is exact and we have the following pullback diagram:

Then we get the following pullback diagram:

Because $i^*(M)\in \mathscr{A}$ and $(\mathscr{X}',\mathscr{Y}')$ is a torsion pair in $\mathscr{A},$ there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to X' \to i^*(M) \to Y' \to 0$$

in \mathscr{A} with $X' \in \mathscr{X}'$ and $Y' \in \mathscr{Y}'$. Notice that i_* is exact by Lemma 1 (2). Then

$$0 \to i_*(X') \to i_*i^*(M) \to i_*(Y') \to 0$$

is exact and we have the following pullback diagram:

where the exactness of the middle column follows from Lemma 1 (4). Now, we get the following pushout diagram:



To get the assertion, it suffices to show $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$.

Since $i^* j_! = 0$ and i^* is right exact by Lemma 1 (1) and (2), we have

$$i^*(\operatorname{Im}\varepsilon_M)=0.$$

Since i^* is right exact by Lemma 1 (2), applying the functor i^* to the leftmost column in diagram (3.3) yields

$$i^*(X) \cong i^*i_*(X') \cong X' \in \mathscr{X}'.$$

On the other hand, note that j^* is exact (by Lemma 1 (2)) and $\operatorname{Im} i_* = \operatorname{Ker} j^*$. Then, applying the functor j^* to the bottom row in diagram (3.1), we have

$$j^*(\operatorname{Coker} g) = 0 = j^*(U);$$

furthermore, we have

 $j^*(X) \cong j^*(M)$ (by applying j^* to middle row in diagram (3.3)) $\cong j^*(K)$ (by applying j^* to leftmost column in diagram (3.2)) $\cong j^*j_*(X'')$ (by applying j^* to leftmost column in diagram (3.1)) $\cong X''$ $\in \mathscr{X}''.$

It implies $X \in \mathscr{X}$.

Applying the functor j^* to the bottom row in diagram (3.4) and the rightmost column in diagram (3.1), since j^* is exact and $\operatorname{Im} i_* = \operatorname{Ker} j^*$, we have that $j^*(Y) \cong j^*(\operatorname{Coker} f) \cong j^*(\operatorname{Im} j_*(h))$ is isomorphic to a subobject of $Y'' \cong j^* j_*(Y'')$. Because \mathscr{Y}'' is closed under subobjects, it follows that $j^*(Y) \in \mathscr{Y}''$. On the other hand, applying the functor $i^!$ to the rightmost column in diagram (3.1) and the bottom row in diagram (3.4), since $i^!$ is left exact and $i^! j_* = 0$ by Lemma 1 (1) and (2), we have

$$i'(\text{Im } j_*(h)) = 0, \quad i'(\text{Coker } f) = 0.$$

 $i^!(Y) \cong i^! i_*(Y') \cong Y' \in \mathscr{Y}',$

and hence, $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$.

(2) It is trivial that
$$i^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}'$$
. For any $X' \in \mathscr{X}'$, since

$$i^*i_*(X')\cong X'\in \mathscr{X}', \quad j^*i_*(X')=0\in \mathscr{X}'',$$

we have $i_*(X') \in \mathscr{X}$, and hence,

$$X' \cong i^*(i_*(X')) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}).$$

Thus,

$$\mathscr{X}' \subseteq i^*(\mathscr{X}).$$

Similarly, we get

$$\mathscr{Y}' = i^!(\mathscr{Y}), \quad \mathscr{X}'' = j^*(\mathscr{X}), \quad \mathscr{Y}'' = j^*(\mathscr{Y}).$$

(3) Assume that $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ are cohereditary. Then \mathscr{Y}' and \mathscr{Y}'' are closed under quotient objects. Let $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$, and let

$$0 \longrightarrow Y' \longrightarrow Y \longrightarrow Y_1 \longrightarrow 0$$

be an exact sequence in \mathscr{B} . Since j^* and $i^!$ are exact by Lemma 1 (2) and assumption, we have $j^*(Y_1)$ and $i^!(Y_1)$ are isomorphic to quotient objects of $j^*(Y) \ (\in \mathscr{Y}')$ and $i^!(Y) \ (\in \mathscr{Y}')$, respectively. So

$$j^*(Y_1) \in \mathscr{Y}'', \quad i^!(Y_1) \in \mathscr{Y}'.$$

It implies that $Y_1 \in \mathscr{Y}$ and $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is cohereditary.

Dually, we get the assertion for the hereditary case.

(4) Assume that $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ are tilting. Let $B \in \mathscr{B}$. By Lemma 1 (4) and Lemma 2 (2), there exist exact sequences

$$0 \longrightarrow i_{*}(A) \longrightarrow j_{!}j^{*}(B) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_{B}} B \longrightarrow i_{*}i^{*}(B) \longrightarrow 0,$$

Im ε_{B}

$$0 \to i_* i^!(B) \to B \to j_* j^*(B) \to 0,$$

in \mathscr{B} with $A \in \mathscr{A}$.

Since $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'')$ is tilting and $j^*(B) \in \mathscr{C}$, there exists a monomorphism

$$0 \to j^*(B) \to X''$$

 \mathbf{So}

in \mathscr{C} with $X'' \in \mathscr{X}''$. Since $j_!$ is exact by assumption, we get the exact sequence

$$0 \to j_! j^*(B) \to j_!(X'') \to j_!(X''/j^*(B)) \to 0$$

in ${\mathcal B}$ and the pushout diagram

Then we get the following pushout diagram:

On the other hand, since $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}')$ is tilting and $i^!(B) \in \mathscr{A}$, there exists a monomorphism

$$0 \to i^!(B) \to X'$$

in \mathscr{A} with $X' \in \mathscr{X}'$. Since i_* is exact by Lemma 1 (2), we get the exact sequence

$$0 \to i_*i^!(B) \to i_*(X') \to i_*(X'/i^!(B)) \to 0$$

in ${\mathcal B}$ and the pushout diagram



Then we get the following pushout diagram:

Since j^* is exact (by Lemma 1 (2)) and $\operatorname{Im} i_* = \operatorname{Ker} j^*$, we have $j^*(X) \cong j^*(V'')$ (by applying j^* to middle column in diagram (3.8)) $\cong j^*(U)$ (by applying j^* to middle row in diagram (3.6)) $\cong j^* j_!(X'')$ (by applying j^* to middle row in diagram (3.5)) $\cong X''$ $\in \mathscr{X}''.$

Since i' is exact by assumption, we have $i^*j_* = 0$ by Lemma 1 (6). So, applying i^* to the middle row in diagram (3.7) yields that

$$i^*i_*(X') \to i^*(V') \to 0$$

is exact. Since $i^* j_! = 0$ by Lemma 1 (1), applying i^* to the middle row in diagram (3.8) yields that

$$i^*(V') \to i^*(X) \to 0$$

is exact. Thus, $i^*(X)$ is isomorphic to a quotient object of $i^*i_*(X') \cong X' \in$ \mathscr{X}'). Notice that \mathscr{X}' is closed under quotient objects, so $i^*(X) \in \mathscr{X}'$, and hence $X \in \mathscr{X}$. Thus, we conclude that $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is tilting. \square

Dually, we get the assertion for the cotilting case.

Recall from [9] that a triple of subcategories $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}, \mathscr{Z})$ of an abelian category is called a *TTF-triple* if $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ and $(\mathscr{Y}, \mathscr{Z})$ are torsion pairs. By [22, Theorem 4.3], we know that (Ker i^* , Im i_* , Ker $i^!$) is a TTF-triple in \mathscr{B} .

Corollary 1 Let $(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}', \mathscr{Z}')$ and $(\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'', \mathscr{Z}'')$ are TTF-triples in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} , respectively. If i^* and $i^!$ are exact, then $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}, \mathscr{Z})$ is a TTF-triple in \mathscr{B} , where \mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y} are as in Theorem 1 and

$$\mathscr{Z} := \{ B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^*(B) \in \mathscr{Z}', \, j^*(B) \in \mathscr{Z}'' \}.$$

Proof It follows from Lemma 2 (3) and Theorem 1.

Lemma 3 If $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} , then we have

- (1) $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ if and only if $j_!j^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}$;
- (2) $i_*i^!(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ if and only if $i_*i^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}$.

Proof (1) Let $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$. Since

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X, j_*j^*(Y)) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(X), j^*(Y)) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(X), Y)$$

and

$$\mathscr{X} = {}^{\perp_0} \mathscr{Y}, \quad \mathscr{Y} = \mathscr{X}^{\perp_0}.$$

the assertion follows.

(2) It is similar to (1).

The following result shows that the converse of Theorem 1(1) and (2) holds true under certain conditions.

Theorem 2 Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} . Then we have

- (1) $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{A} ;
- (2) $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ if and only if $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{C} ;
- (3) if $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{X} &= \{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^*(B) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{X})\}, \\ \mathscr{Y} &= \{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^!(B) \in i^!(\mathscr{Y}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{Y})\}. \end{aligned}$$

Proof (1) Let $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$. Applying the functor $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(-,Y)$ to the exact sequence

$$j_! j^*(X) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_X} X \to i_* i^*(X) \to 0$$

in \mathscr{B} , we get an exact sequence

$$0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(X), Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X, Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(X), Y).$$

Since $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X, Y) = 0$, we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(X), Y) = 0.$$

It follows that

$$i_*i^*(X) \in {}^{\perp_0}\mathscr{Y} = \mathscr{X}, \quad i_*i^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}.$$

So $i_*i^!(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ by Lemma 3 (2).

Let $X' \in i^*(\mathscr{X})$ and $Y' \in i^!(\mathscr{Y})$. Then there exist $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$ such that

$$X' = i^*(X), \quad Y' = i^!(Y).$$

Because $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} (by assumption) and $i_*i^!(Y) \in \mathscr{Y}$, we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(X',Y') = \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(i^*(X),i^!(Y)) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X,i_*i^!(Y)) = 0$$

and

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y})) = 0$$

Let $A \in \mathscr{A}$. Because $i_*(A) \in \mathscr{B}$, there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to X \to i_*(A) \to Y \to 0$$

in \mathscr{B} with $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$. Since $i_*(\mathscr{A})$ is a Serre subcategory of \mathscr{B} by [22, Proposition 2.8], there exist $X_1, Y_1 \in \mathscr{A}$ such that

$$X \cong i_*(X_1), \quad Y \cong i_*(Y_1).$$

Since $i_* \colon \mathscr{A} \to i_*(\mathscr{A})$ is an equivalence, we get that

$$0 \to X_1 \to A \to Y_1 \to 0$$

is an exact sequence in \mathscr{A} with

$$X_1 \cong i^*(i_*(X_1)) \cong i^*(X) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}), \quad Y_1 \cong i^!(i_*(Y_1)) \cong i^!(Y) \in i^!(\mathscr{Y}).$$

Thus, we conclude that $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{A} .

(2) Let $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$. For any $X' \in j^*(\mathscr{X})$ and $Y' \in j^*(\mathscr{Y})$, there exist $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$ such that

$$X' = j^*(X), \quad Y' = j^*(Y).$$

Because $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} , we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(X',Y') = \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(X),j^*(Y)) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(X,j_*j^*(Y)) = 0$$

and

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y})) = 0.$$

Let $C \in \mathscr{C}$. Because $j_*(C) \in \mathscr{B}$, there exists an exact sequence

$$0 \to X \to j_*(C) \to Y \to 0$$

in \mathscr{B} with $X \in \mathscr{X}$ and $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$. Since j^* is exact by Lemma 1 (2), we have

$$0 \to j^*(X) \to j^*j_*(C) \ (\cong C) \to j^*(Y) \to 0$$

is also exact and the assertion follows.

Conversely, if $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a torsion pair in \mathscr{C} , then we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(\mathscr{X}, j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y})) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y})) = 0,$$

which implies

$$j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}^{\perp_0} = \mathscr{Y}.$$

(3) It is trivial that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathscr{X} &\subseteq \{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^*(B) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{X})\}, \\ \mathscr{Y} &\subseteq \{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^!(B) \in i^!(\mathscr{Y}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{Y})\}. \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, let $B \in \mathscr{B}$ with $i^*(B) \in i^*(\mathscr{X})$ and $j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{X})$. By Lemma 1 (4), there exists an exact sequence

$$j_! j^*(B) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_B} B \to i_* i^*(B) \to 0$$

in \mathscr{B} . For any $Y \in \mathscr{Y}$, applying the functor $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(-,Y)$ to the above exact sequence, we get an exact sequence

$$0 \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(B), Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(B, Y) \to \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(B), Y).$$

By (1) and (2), $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ and $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ are torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} and \mathscr{C} , respectively. So we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(j_!j^*(B),Y) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{C}}(j^*(B),j^*(Y)) = 0,$$

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(i_*i^*(B),Y) \cong \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{A}}(i^*(B),i^!(Y)) = 0,$$

and hence, $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{B}}(B,Y) = 0$ and $B \in {}^{\perp_0}\mathscr{Y} = \mathscr{X}$. It follows that

$$\{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^*(B) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{X})\} \subseteq \mathscr{X}.$$

Dually, we have

$$\{B \in \mathscr{B} \mid i^!(B) \in i^!(\mathscr{Y}), \, j^*(B) \in j^*(\mathscr{Y})\} \subseteq \mathscr{Y}.$$

The following corollary is a converse of Corollary 1.

Corollary 2 Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}, \mathscr{Z})$ be a TTF-triple in \mathscr{B} . Then we have

(1) $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^*(\mathscr{Y}), i^!(\mathscr{Z}))$ is a TTF-triple in \mathscr{A} ;

(2) if $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ and $j_!j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$, then $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}), j^*(\mathscr{X}))$ is a TTF-triple in \mathscr{C} .

Proof (1) By Theorem 2 (1), we have $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ and $(i^*(\mathscr{Y}), i^!(\mathscr{X}))$ are torsion pairs in \mathscr{A} . As in the proof of Theorem 2, we have

$$i_*i^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}, \quad i_*i^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}.$$

By Lemma 3 (2), we have $i_*i^!(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$. It follows that $i^*(\mathscr{Y}) = i^!(\mathscr{Y})$ since $i^*i_* \cong 1_{\mathscr{A}} \cong i^!i_*$ by Lemma 1 (3). Thus, $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^*(\mathscr{Y}), i^!(\mathscr{X}))$ is a TTF-triple in \mathscr{A} .

(2) Since $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ and $j_!j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ by assumption, it follows from Lemma 3 (1) and Theorem 2 (2) that $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ and $(j^*(\mathscr{Y}), j^*(\mathscr{X}))$ are torsion pairs in \mathscr{C} . Thus, we get the assertion.

The following result shows that the converse of Theorem 1 (3) and (4) also holds true under certain conditions.

Proposition 1 Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be a torsion pair in \mathscr{B} .

(1) Assume that $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is hereditary (resp. cohereditary). Then we have

(a) $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a hereditary (resp. cohereditary) torsion pair;

(b) if $j_!$ (resp. j_*) is exact and $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$, then $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a hereditary (resp. cohereditary) torsion pair.

(2) Assume that $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is tilting (resp. cotilting). Then we have

(a) if i^* (resp. $i^!$) is exact, then $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a tilting (resp. cotilting) torsion pair;

(b) if $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$, then $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a tilting (resp. cotilting) torsion pair.

Proof (1) (a) Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be hereditary, and let

$$0 \to X'_0 \to X'$$

be a monomorphism in \mathscr{A} with $X' \in i^*(\mathscr{X})$. Since i_* is exact by Lemma 1 (2),

$$0 \to i_*(X'_0) \to i_*(X')$$

is a monomorphism in \mathcal{B} . As in the proof of Theorem 2, we have

$$i_*i^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}, \quad i_*(X') \in \mathscr{X}.$$

Since $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is hereditary, it follows that

$$i_*(X'_0) \in \mathscr{X}, \quad X'_0 \cong i^*i_*(X'_0) \in i^*(\mathscr{X}).$$

Thus, $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a hereditary torsion pair by Theorem 2 (1).

(b) Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be hereditary, and let

$$0 \to X_0'' \to X''$$

be a monomorphism in \mathscr{C} with $X'' \in j^*(\mathscr{X})$. Since $j_!$ is exact by assumption,

$$0 \to j_!(X_0'') \to j_!(X'')$$

is a monomorphism in \mathscr{B} . Since $j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) \subseteq \mathscr{Y}$ by assumption, by Lemma 3 (1), we have

$$j_!j^*(\mathscr{X}) \subseteq \mathscr{X}, \quad j_!(X'') \in \mathscr{X}$$

Since $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ is hereditary, it follows that

$$j_!(X_0'') \in \mathscr{X}, \quad X_0'' \cong j^* j_!(X_0'') \in j^*(\mathscr{X}).$$

Thus, $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a hereditary torsion pair by Theorem 2 (2).

Dually, we get the assertion for the cohereditary case.

(2) (a) Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be tilting and $A \in \mathscr{A}$. Then $i_*(A) \in \mathscr{B}$ and we have a monomorphism

$$0 \to i_*(A) \to X$$

in \mathscr{B} with $X \in \mathscr{X}$. Since i^* is exact by assumption and $i^*i_* \cong 1_{\mathscr{A}}$ by Lemma 1 (3), we get a monomorphism

$$0 \to A \ (\cong i^*i_*(A)) \to i^*(X)$$

in \mathscr{A} . Thus, $(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a tilting torsion pair by Theorem 2 (1).

(b) Let $(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y})$ be tilting and $C \in \mathscr{C}$. Then $j_*(C) \in \mathscr{B}$ and we have a monomorphism

$$0 \to j_*(C) \to X$$

in \mathscr{B} with $X \in \mathscr{X}$. Since j^* is exact and $j^*j_* \cong 1_{\mathscr{C}}$ by Lemma 1 (2) and (3), we get a monomorphism

$$0 \to C \ (\cong j^* j_*(C)) \to j^*(X)$$

in \mathscr{C} . Thus, $(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y}))$ is a tilting torsion pair by Theorem 2 (2).

Dually, we get the assertion for the cotilting case.

Finally, we give an example to illustrate the obtained results.

For an algebra A, we use mod A to denote the category of finitely generated left A-modules. Let A and B be artin algebras, let $_AM_B$ be an (A, B)-bimodule, and let

$$\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} A & M \\ 0 & B \end{pmatrix}$$

be a triangular matrix algebra. Then any module in mod Λ can be uniquely written as a triple $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}_f$ with ([1, p. 76])

$$X \in \operatorname{mod} A, \quad Y \in \operatorname{mod} B, \quad f \in \operatorname{Hom}_A(M \otimes_B Y, X).$$

Example 1 Let A be a finite-dimensional algebra given by the quiver $1 \rightarrow 2$. Then

$$\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} A & A \\ 0 & A \end{pmatrix}$$

is a finite-dimensional algebra given by the quiver



with the relation $\beta \alpha - \delta \gamma$. The Auslander-Reiten quiver of Λ is



By [20, Example 2.12], we have

$$\operatorname{mod} A \xrightarrow[\leftarrow]{i_*}{\underset{\leftarrow}{i_*}{\longrightarrow}} \operatorname{mod} \Lambda \xrightarrow[\leftarrow]{j_!}{\underset{\leftarrow}{\longrightarrow}{j_*}{\longrightarrow}} \operatorname{mod} A$$

is a recollement of abelian categories, where

$$i^* \left(\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}_f \right) = \operatorname{Coker} f, \quad i_*(X) = \begin{pmatrix} X \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad i^! \left(\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}_f \right) = X,$$
$$j_!(Y) = \begin{pmatrix} Y \\ Y \end{pmatrix}_1, \quad j^* \left(\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}_f \right) = Y, \quad j_*(Y) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ Y \end{pmatrix}.$$

(1) Take torsion pairs

$$\begin{split} (\mathscr{X}',\mathscr{Y}') &= (\mathrm{add}(P(1)\oplus S(1)), \mathrm{add}\,S(2)), \\ (\mathscr{X}'',\mathscr{Y}'') &= (\mathrm{add}\,S(2), \mathrm{add}\,S(1)), \end{split}$$

in mod A. Then, by Theorem 1 (1), we get a torsion pair

$$(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}) = \left(\operatorname{add} \left(\begin{pmatrix} S(2) \\ S(2) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} P(1) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} P(1) \\ S(2) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ S(2) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} S(1) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right), \\ \operatorname{add} \left(\begin{pmatrix} S(2) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ S(1) \end{pmatrix} \right) \right)$$

in $\operatorname{mod} \Lambda$.

In addition, take torsion pairs

$$(\mathscr{X}', \mathscr{Y}') = (\mathscr{X}'', \mathscr{Y}'') = (\operatorname{add} S(2), \operatorname{add} S(1))$$

in mod A. Then by Theorem 1 (1), we get a torsion pair

$$(\mathscr{X}, \mathscr{Y}) = \left(\operatorname{add} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ S(2) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} S(2) \\ S(2) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} S(2) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right), \\ \operatorname{add} \left(\begin{pmatrix} S(1) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} S(1) \\ S(1) \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ S(1) \end{pmatrix} \right) \right)$$

in $\operatorname{mod} \Lambda$.

(2) Take a torsion pair

$$(\mathscr{X},\mathscr{Y}) = \left(\operatorname{add}\left(\begin{pmatrix}0\\S(2)\end{pmatrix}\oplus\binom{P(1)}{P(1)}\oplus\binom{S(1)}{0}\oplus\binom{S(1)}{P(1)}\right) \\ \oplus \begin{pmatrix}S(1)\\S(1)\end{pmatrix}\oplus\binom{0}{P(1)}\oplus\binom{0}{S(1)}\right), \\ \operatorname{add}\left(\begin{pmatrix}S(2)\\0\end{pmatrix}\oplus\binom{S(2)}{S(2)}\oplus\binom{P(1)}{0}\oplus\binom{P(1)}{S(2)}\right)\right)$$

in mod Λ . Then by Theorem 2 (1), we have

$$(i^*(\mathscr{X}), i^!(\mathscr{Y})) = (\operatorname{add} S(1), \operatorname{add} (S(2) \oplus P(1)))$$

is a torsion pair in mod A. Since

$$j_*j^*(\mathscr{Y}) = \operatorname{add} \begin{pmatrix} 0\\S(2) \end{pmatrix} \not\subseteq \mathscr{Y}$$

it follows from Theorem 2(2) that

$$(j^*(\mathscr{X}), j^*(\mathscr{Y})) = (\operatorname{add}(S(2) \oplus P(1) \oplus S(1)), \operatorname{add} S(2))$$

is not a torsion pair in mod A.

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