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SLICE OF S^1 -SPECTRA

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Résumé : Voevodsky has defined a functorial tower in the motivic stable homotopy category of T -spectra, which adds « weight » information to the usual Postnikov tower of classical spectra. One main results about this motivic Postnikov tower, following from work of Voevodsky, Pelaez and myself, is that the layers have a natural structure of motives ; this being a motivic analog of the classical result that the layers in the Postnikov tower are Eilenberg-Maclane spectra of the homotopy groups of the given spectrum.

There is an intermediate step between motivic spaces and motivic T -spectra, namely, motivic S^1 -spectra. The motivic Postnikov tower exists in this setting as well, but the layers are not in general motives. We will present some counterexamples and discuss some positive results about the layers of a T -loop spectrum.

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