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Additive ∞ -categories and canonical monoidal structures I

We will describe joint work with David Gepner and Thomas Nikolaus, in which we study additive ∞ -categories. Examples of such ∞ -categories are given by commutative group objects, and these examples are generic in a certain sense. In the framework of presentable ∞ -categories, additive ∞ -categories define a localization, and there are similar such results for pointed, preadditive, and stable ∞ -categories. This localization picture will be analyzed further in the talk by Thomas Nikolaus, in which also some applications will be mentioned.