

“Objects in the mirror may appear closer than they really are.” — Not General Motors

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Homological Mirror Symmetry for the Elliptic  
Curve

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**Abstract**

Let  $X$  be a complex projective variety. Much of the algebraic geometry of  $X$  is incorporated into the bounded derived category of coherent sheaves  $D(X)$ , a category that contains the category of sheaves. Homological mirror symmetry is the claim that for many  $X$  the category  $D(X)$  can be described in terms of the symplectic geometry of a “mirror” symplectic manifold  $\widehat{X}$ . In this talk we’ll describe how the correspondence works in the simplest case of an elliptic curve, and what the complications are in the general case.

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