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ABSTRACTS 1.2

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 $Restricting \ projective \ representations \ of \ symmetric \ and \ alternating \ groups \\ to \ Young \ subgroups$

Let S(n) denote the twisted group algebra of the symmetric group S_n over a field of characteristic ≥ 3 . We are interested in the irreducible S(n)-modules that remain irreducible when restricted to subalgebras of the form $S(n-k)\otimes S(k)$. We exploit recent work of Brundan and Kleshchev on the representation theory of affine and finite Sergeev superalgebras.