

Algebraic Geometry 2, Exercises

Sheet 9, due June 14

Exercise 25

Let \mathcal{C} , \mathcal{D} be categories, and let $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$, $G: \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$ be functors. We say that F is left adjoint to G (or that G is right adjoint to F), if there exist, for all objects X of \mathcal{C} and Y of \mathcal{D} , bijections

$$\mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(F(X), Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathrm{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, G(Y)) \quad (*)$$

which are functorial in X and Y (i.e., for all morphisms $X' \rightarrow X$ in \mathcal{C} and $Y' \rightarrow Y$ in \mathcal{D} the obvious diagram commutes).

1. Assume that F is left adjoint to G . Show that $(*)$ (applied with $Y = F(X)$, and $X = G(Y)$, respectively) induces morphisms $\varepsilon: \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{C}} \rightarrow G \circ F$ and $\eta: F \circ G \rightarrow \mathrm{id}_{\mathcal{D}}$ of functors, such that the map $(*)$ is given by $\alpha \mapsto G(\alpha) \circ \varepsilon(X)$, and its inverse is given by $\beta \mapsto \eta(Y) \circ F(\beta)$.
2. Let G and G' be functors which are both right adjoint to F . Prove that there is an isomorphism $G \cong G'$ of functors. (An analogous statement holds for left adjoint functors.)
3. Give the map $(*)$ and its inverse in some of the following cases of adjoint functors (or find other cases of adjoint functors). Let R be a ring, and let $(R\text{-mod})$ be the category of R -modules.
 - (a) For any set I , we write $R^{(I)} = \bigoplus_{i \in I} R$ for the free R -module with standard basis indexed by I . Let $F: (\text{Sets}) \rightarrow (R\text{-mod})$, $I \mapsto R^{(I)}$, and let $G: (R\text{-mod}) \rightarrow (\text{Sets})$ be the forgetful functor.
 - (b) Let \mathcal{C} be the category of R -algebras, consider $F: (\text{Sets}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ given by $I \mapsto R[X_i; i \in I]$, and let $G: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow (\text{Sets})$ be the forgetful functor.
 - (c) Let P be an R -module, let $F: (R\text{-mod}) \rightarrow (R\text{-mod})$, $M \mapsto M \otimes_R P$, $G: (R\text{-mod}) \rightarrow (R\text{-mod})$, $N \mapsto \mathrm{Hom}_R(P, N)$.
 - (d) Let R' be an R -algebra, consider $F: (R\text{-mod}) \rightarrow (R'\text{-mod})$, $M \mapsto M \otimes_R R'$, and let $G: (R'\text{-mod}) \rightarrow (R\text{-mod})$ which maps N to N , considered as an R -module.
 - (e) Let X be a topological space, let \mathcal{C} be the category of presheaves on X , let \mathcal{D} be the category of sheaves on X . Let $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ be the sheafification functor and $G: \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ be the forgetful functor.

Exercise 26

Let R be a ring. Recall that an R -module M is called locally free (of finite rank) if there exist $f_1, \dots, f_n \in R$ with $(f_1, \dots, f_n) = R$ and such that for all i , the R_{f_i} -module M_{f_i} is free (of finite rank). We say that M is locally free of rank r , if for all i , M_{f_i} is free of rank r .

1. Let R be noetherian and let M be a finitely generated R -module. Prove that M is locally free if and only if for all $\mathfrak{p} \in \text{Spec } R$, the $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ -module $M_{\mathfrak{p}}$ is free.
2. Give an example of a ring R and an R -module M which is locally free, but not free. (*Hint:* One possibility is to take as R a Dedekind domain which is not a principal ideal domain, and as M an ideal of R which is not principal.)

Exercise 27

Let R be a discrete valuation ring with field of fractions K , $X = \text{Spec } R$, $U = \text{Spec } K$ (regarded as an open subscheme of X). Which of the following \mathcal{O}_X -modules (where in each case, the restriction map $\mathcal{F}(X) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(U)$ is the “obvious” map, and the \mathcal{O}_X -module structure is the “obvious” one) is of the form \widetilde{M} for an R -module M ?

1. $\mathcal{F}(X) = 0$, $\mathcal{F}(U) = K$,
2. $\mathcal{F}(X) = K$, $\mathcal{F}(U) = K$,
3. $\mathcal{F}(X) = k$, $\mathcal{F}(U) = 0$,
4. $\mathcal{F}(X) = R$, $\mathcal{F}(U) = K$,
5. $\mathcal{F}(X) = R$, $\mathcal{F}(U) = 0$.