

Midterm: November 14

Def A ^{commutative} ring R is Noetherian if every ideal $I \triangleleft R$ is finitely generated (i.e. $I = \langle a_1, \dots, a_n \rangle$)

(similarly, can define right-Noetherian & left-Noetherian)
if R not necessarily comm,

From now on, R commutative

Remark If R is Noeth, $I \triangleleft R$ then R/I also Noetherian.

(if $\bar{J} \triangleleft R/I$ $\bar{J} = J/I$ $J = \langle a_1, \dots, a_n \rangle \triangleleft R$
 $\bar{J} = \langle \bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_n \rangle \triangleleft R/I$)

Thm (Hilbert Basis Theorem) If R is Noeth,
so is $R[x]$.

Pf. let $I \triangleleft R[x]$

$f(x) \in R[x]$

$$f(x) = a_0 x^0 + a_1 x^1 + \dots$$

$a_0 = \text{leading term}$
(if $a_0 \neq 0$)

Observation: if $J = \{ \text{leading terms of elems of } I \} \cup \{0\}$

then $J \triangleleft R$.

$$f(x) = ax^d + \text{LOT} \quad g(x) = bx^e + \text{LOT}$$

$ra = \text{lead term of } rf(x) \text{ (unless } = 0)$
in any case $ra \in J$

$x^e f + x^d g$ has lead term $a+b$.
 $a+b \in J$. (unless 0)

\Rightarrow (R Math) can choose finite set f_1, \dots, f_n whose lead terms generate J .

let $D = \max \{ \text{degree } f_i \}$.

consider $\tilde{I} = \langle f_1, \dots, f_n \rangle \subset I$

Claim: if $g \in I$, then $\exists f \in \tilde{I}$ s.t.

$g-f$ has $\text{degree} \leq D$.

Pf: by induction on degree of g .

if $\deg g \leq D$ ✓

assume true if $\deg g \leq m$

suppose $\deg g = m+1$

$$g = a x^{m+1} + \text{LOT} \quad a \in J$$

$$f_i = a_i x^{d_i} + \text{LOT} \quad \text{know } d_i \leq m+1$$

$$a \in \langle a_i \rangle \quad a = \sum b_i a_i \quad b_i \in R$$

$$g - \underbrace{\sum x^{m+1-d_i} b_i f_i}_{\alpha \in \tilde{I}} \quad \text{has degree at most } m$$

$$g - \alpha \in I \quad \deg \leq m \quad \begin{array}{l} g - \alpha - f' \quad \deg \leq D \\ \text{for some } f' \in \tilde{I} \end{array}$$

$$\text{set } f = \alpha + f' \quad \checkmark$$

Observation: for any d , can find a finite collection of poly's of degree d in I

also $= \{g_1, \dots, g_r\}$ such that if $f \in I$ of $\deg d$ then can find $n_i \in R$ st. $f = \sum n_i g_i \quad \deg d$

if true, then $\{f_1, \dots, f_n\} \cup \bigcup_{d \in D} d$ generates I .

Why can we find d 's?

let $J_d = \{ \text{lead terms of elements of } I \text{ which have } d \text{ as l.f.} \} \cup \{0\}$

$J_d \triangleleft R$

L. term $(f+g) = \text{l. term } f + \text{l. term } g$
unless 0.

$\text{l. term}(rf) = r \cdot \text{lead term}(f)$
unless 0.

J_d is generated, check $\{g_1, \dots, g_r\}$ in I of d
whose l. terms gen J_d .
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Modules!

Def R ring, a (unital left) R -module is $\begin{matrix} \text{Abelian} \\ \text{group} \end{matrix} M$
w/ operation $R \times M \rightarrow M$ s.t.
 $(r, m) \mapsto rm$

- $r(sm) = (rs)m$ all $r, s \in R, m \in M$
- $r(m+n) = rm + rn$ all $r \in R, m, n \in M$
- $1 \cdot m = m$ all $m \in M$

$$\cdot (r+s)m = rm + sm \quad \text{all } r, s \in R, m \in M.$$

Similarly, right modules are...

Ex: $R = C_{\mathbb{R}}^{\infty}(X) \quad X = \mathbb{R}^n$
 $M = \text{vector fields on } X$

Ex: V a vector space / F -dimension n .

$\text{End}_F(V)$ linear transformations

V an F -module, also $\text{End}_F(V)$ -module.

Def If V an R -module, $W \subset V$ is a submodule if it is a subgp, $RW \subset W$ (i.e. closed under ops.)

Def If U, W R -modules, an $(R\text{-module})$ homomorphism is an ab-gp hom. $U \xrightarrow{\phi} W$ st. $\phi(rv) = r\phi(v)$ all $r \in R, v \in U$.

Remark: if M is an R -module,
 $\text{End}_R M = \{f: M \rightarrow M \mid f \text{ an } R\text{-mod hom}\}$

is a ring, w/ mult. given by composition
& pointwise addition

$$(f+g)(m) = f(m) + g(m)$$

$$(fg)(m) = f(g(m))$$

and M is a left $\text{End}_R(M)$ -module
(even if M is a right R -mod)

Ex: R is an R -module, submodules of R
are left (right) ideals.

$$\text{End}_R(R) = \text{Hom}_R(R, R) \xleftarrow{\sim} R \xrightarrow{\sim} R$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $\varphi \quad \varphi_r$

$$\text{if } \varphi(1) = r$$

$$\varphi(s) = s\varphi(1) = sr$$

$$\varphi_r(s) = sr.$$

Ex $R^n = \{(r_1, \dots, r_n) \mid r_i \in R\}$ ptwise ops.

Def R is a ring, define R^{op} ring w/ same underlying Ab-grp but w/ mult.

$$r \circ s = sr$$

Rem M is a right R -module $\leadsto M$ can also be regarded as a left R^{op} -module.

$$r(sm) = (rs)m$$

$$m(rs) = (mr)s$$

Def If R, S rings, an R - S bimodule is a Ab. gp M w/ left R -module & right S -module structures s.t.

$$(rm)s = r(ms).$$

Ex: V a right F -vector space $R = \text{End}_F(V)$

$$\varphi(v\lambda) = \varphi(v)\lambda = (\varphi \cdot v)\lambda$$

V a $\text{End}_F V - F$ bimodule.