

(Section 7)

Morphisms to projective space & globally generated line bundles

Def A coherent sheaf \mathcal{F} on a scheme X is globally generated if \exists sections s_1, \dots, s_n (in general maybe not finite) s.t. $\forall x \in X$ images of s_1, \dots, s_n generate \mathcal{F}_x .

First Surprise: globally generated line bundles always give (and come from) maps to projective space.

More precisely: X is a scheme and A (comm. ring) recall, we have defined the sheaf $\mathcal{O}(1)$ on \mathbb{P}_A^n

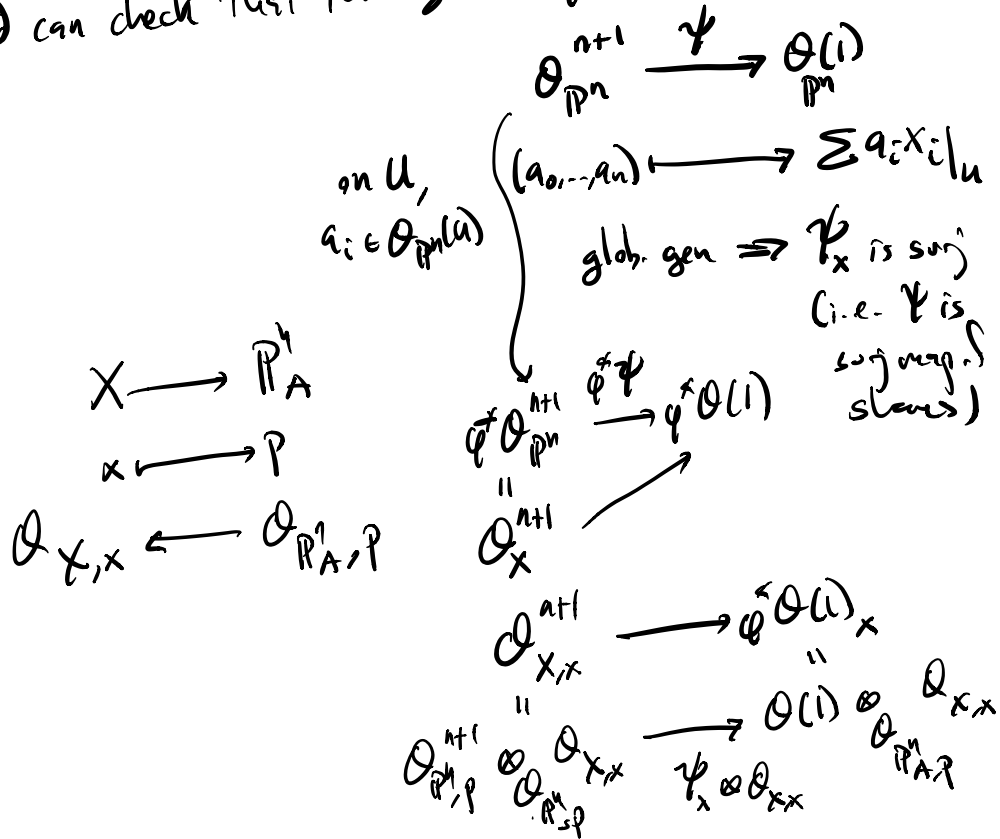
(if $\mathbb{P}_A^n = \text{Proj } A[x_0, \dots, x_n]$, then $x_0, \dots, x_n \in \Gamma(\mathbb{P}_A^n, \mathcal{O}(1))$ and $\mathcal{O}(1)$ is globally generated by these

and
Thm 7.1 {
• if $\varphi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_A^n$ is any morphism, then $\varphi^* \mathcal{O}(1)$ is globally generated.
• if \mathcal{L} is any globally generated line bundle on X , $\exists \varphi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_A^n$ s.t. $\varphi^* \mathcal{O}(1) \cong \mathcal{L}$.

First part: recall from last time if $f: X \rightarrow Y$ any morphism of schemes, get an induced map $f^*: \Gamma(Y) \rightarrow \Gamma(X)$



in particular, given $\varphi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^n_A$, set $s_i = \varphi^*(x_i)$ and can check that the gen. $\varphi^*\mathcal{O}(1)$



Quick heuristic

Given an inv. sheaf \mathcal{L} on X , globally generated by $s_0, \dots, s_n \in \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L})$

Define a map $\varphi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^n$ as follows:

$$x \mapsto [s_0(x); s_1(x); \dots; s_n(x)]$$

but wait there aren't #'s.

Poetry,
not
math.
(i.e. varieties
and the complex #s)

note that

$\frac{s_i(x)}{s_j(x)}$ is well defined (i.e. doesn't depend on $\mathcal{L} \cong \mathcal{O}_X$ locally) when $s_j(x) \neq 0$

slightly better:

for each i , let $U_i \subset X$ be locus where $s_i \neq 0$

$$i.e. U_i = \{x \in X \mid s_i \notin \mathfrak{m}_x \mathcal{L}_x\}$$

and then for $V \subset U_i$ st. $\mathcal{L}|_V \cong \mathcal{O}_X|_V$

choose an isom. $\psi: \mathcal{L}|_V \cong \mathcal{O}_X|_V$

define $V \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^n$
 $\searrow \mathbb{A}^n$

$$\mathbb{A}^n \leftarrow V$$

$$\mathbb{A}[y_1, \dots, y_n]$$

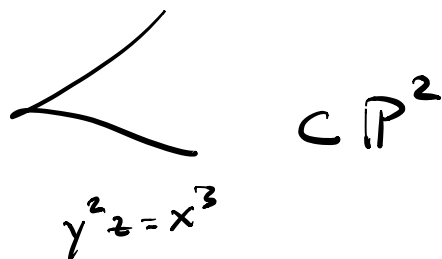
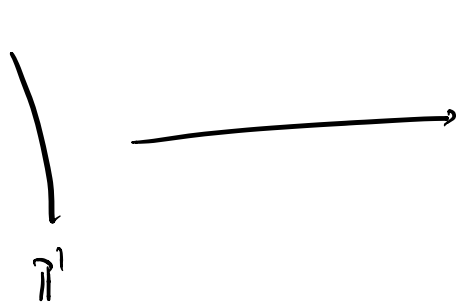
$$\mathbb{A}\left[\frac{x_1}{x_i}, \frac{x_2}{x_i}, \dots, \frac{x_n}{x_i}\right]$$

$$\frac{x_j}{x_i}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(V)$$

$$\psi(s_j)$$

$$\psi(s_i)$$



$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{id}} & \mathbb{P}^1 \\ \mathcal{O}(1) & \searrow & \mathbb{P}^2 \end{array}$$

$(\mathcal{L} + \text{sections } s_0, \dots, s_n) \longleftrightarrow \text{maps to proj space.}$

when is a map to proj. space an embedding?

Prop if $X \xrightarrow{\varphi} \mathbb{P}_A^1$ is a map given by

$\mathcal{L}, s_0, \dots, s_n$ sections as above,

then φ is a closed embedding if and only if

$X_i = \varphi^{-1}(A_{A}^{n,i})$ is affine, and

$A\left[\frac{x_0}{x_i}, \dots, \frac{x_n}{x_i}\right] \rightarrow \Gamma(X_i, \mathcal{O}_{X_i})$
is surjective.

Prop If $A = k = \bar{k}$ an alg. closed field, then as above
have a closed immersion if and only if

" s_i 's separate pts & tangent vectors"

i.e. if $V = \langle s_0, \dots, s_n \rangle$ in $\mathbb{P}(X, \mathcal{L})$ (a k -vector space)
and $p, q \in X$, then \exists $s \in V$ st. $s_p \neq m_p \mathcal{L}$
 $s_q \in m_q \mathcal{L}$.

• for all P , $\{s \in V \mid sp \in \mathcal{L}\}$
spans $m_P \mathcal{L} / m_P^2 \mathcal{L}$

Def An invertible sheaf on a Noeth scheme X is ample if for every coherent sheaf \mathcal{F} on X $\exists n_0 > 0$ integer s.t. $\forall n \geq n_0$, $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes n} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} \mathcal{F}$ is globally generated.

Note: any coherent sheaf on an affine scheme is glob. gen.
 \Rightarrow every m -sheaf is ample.

Def An invertible sheaf \mathcal{L} is very ample if $\exists \varphi: X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_A^r$ closed embedding w/ $\mathcal{L} \cong \varphi^* \mathcal{O}(1)$

Thm (Serre) very ample \Rightarrow ample

Thm 7.6 If X is finite type over a Noeth A , and \mathcal{L} is an invertible sheaf on X then \mathcal{L} is ample if and only if $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes m}$ is very ample for some $m > 0$.

A tiny bit of the proof

choose $x \in X$, want to find some n ,
 section $s \in \Gamma(X, \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n})$ s.t. $X_s = \{P \in X \mid s_P \notin m_P \mathcal{L}\}$
 and $x \in X_s$ (i.e. X_s is non-empty)

choose $U \ni x$ s.t. $\mathcal{L}|_U \cong \mathcal{O}_X|_U$

suppose $Y = X \setminus U$.

going to find a section s which vanishes all along
 Y , not at x . ($\Rightarrow X_s \subset U$ affine)

$$\text{cl}_Y \hookrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X$$

"stuck that vanishes along Y "

$$\text{cl}_Y \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n}$$

"stuck in $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes n}$ that vanishes along Y "

if $n \gg 0$,
 $\text{cl}_Y \otimes \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n}$
 is glob. gen.

$$\Rightarrow \exists \tilde{s} \in \Gamma(X, \text{cl}_Y \otimes \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n})$$

s.t. $\tilde{s} \notin m_x(\text{cl}_Y \otimes \mathcal{L}^{\otimes n})_x$

consider image s of \tilde{s} in $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes n}$

$$(\text{cl}_Y)_x = \mathcal{O}_{X,x}$$

in this \uparrow $\text{is } m$,
 $S \notin m_x L \text{ on}$