

## FEUILLE DE TD NO. 5

### VECTOR BUNDLES

Let  $k$  be an algebraically closed field.

**Exercise 1** ([Liu02, 1.2.8]). Let  $A$  be a Noetherian ring,  $M$  a finitely generated  $A$ -module and  $N$  an  $A$ -module. Let  $B$  a flat  $A$ -algebra and consider the canonical homomorphism

$$\rho: \text{Hom}_A(M, N) \otimes_A B \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_B(M \otimes_A B, N \otimes_A B).$$

- (1) Show that  $\rho$  is an isomorphism if  $M$  is free of finite rank.
- (2) Let  $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow M'' \rightarrow 0$  be a short exact sequence of  $A$ -modules. Show that it induces an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_A(M'', N) \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_A(M, N) \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_A(M', N).$$

- (3) Conclude that  $\rho$  is bijective.

**Exercise 2** ([Liu02, 5.1.5-6]). Let  $X$  be a  $k$ -algebraic variety and let  $F, G$  be  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -modules.

- (1) Show that the correspondence

$$U \longmapsto \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_U\text{-mod}}(F|_U, G|_U),$$

defines a  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module, which is denoted  $\mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(F, G)$ ;

- (2) Suppose  $X = \text{Spec } A$ . Show that the natural map

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_X}(F, G) \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_A(F(X), G(X)),$$

is bijective if  $F$  is quasi-coherent.

- (3) If  $F$  is coherent and  $G$  quasi-coherent, then  $\mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(F, G)$  is quasi-coherent.
- (4) If  $F$  and  $G$  are coherent, then so is  $\mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(F, G)$ .

**Exercise 3** ([Har77, 5.1]). Let  $X$  be a  $k$ -algebraic variety and  $E$  a locally free  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module of finite rank. The *dual*  $E^\vee$  of  $E$  is the coherent  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module  $\mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(E, \mathcal{O}_X)$ .

- (1) Show that the canonical map  $E \rightarrow (E^\vee)^\vee$  is an isomorphism.
- (2) Let  $F$  be an  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module. Then the canonical map

$$E^\vee \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} F \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(E, F),$$

is an isomorphism.

- (3) Let  $F, G$  be  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -modules. Then the canonical map

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_X}(F, \mathcal{H}om_{\mathcal{O}_X}(E, G)) \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{O}_X}(E \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} F, G),$$

is an isomorphism.

- (4) Let  $f: Y \rightarrow X$  be a morphism of algebraic variety and  $F$  an  $\mathcal{O}_Y$ -module. Show that the canonical morphism

$$f_*(E \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} f^*E) \longrightarrow f_*E \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_Y} F,$$

is an isomorphism.

**Exercise 4.** Let  $A$  be a ring and  $M$  an  $A$ -module. Set

$$T^n(M) = \begin{cases} M^{\otimes n} & \text{if } n \geq 1, \\ A & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The *tensor algebra* is the non commutative algebra  $T_A^\bullet M = \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} T^n(M)$ . The *symmetric algebra*  $\text{Sym}_A^\bullet M$  is the quotient of  $T_A^\bullet M$  by the two-sided ideal generated by the elements of the form  $m \otimes m' - m' \otimes m$  for all  $m, m' \in M$ .

- (1) Suppose  $M$  free of rank  $n$ . Then  $\text{Sym}_A^\bullet M \simeq A[t_1, \dots, t_n]$ .
- (2) A homomorphism  $\varphi: M \rightarrow M'$  of  $A$ -modules induces a homomorphism of  $A$ -algebras

$$\text{Sym } \varphi: \text{Sym}_A^\bullet M \longrightarrow \text{Sym}_A^\bullet M'.$$

Moreover if  $\varphi$  is surjective, then  $\text{Sym } \varphi$  is surjective.

- (3) Let  $B$  be a  $A$ -algebra. The natural map

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hom}_{A\text{-alg}}(\text{Sym}_A^\bullet M, B) &\longrightarrow \text{Hom}_{A\text{-mod}}(M, B) \\ \varphi: \text{Sym}_A^\bullet M \rightarrow B &\longmapsto \varphi|_M: M \rightarrow B, \end{aligned}$$

is bijective.

- (4) Suppose  $M$  is finitely generated and locally free, that is the  $\mathcal{O}_X$ -module  $\tilde{M}$  is locally free on  $X = \text{Spec } A$ . Let  $f: Y \rightarrow X$  be a morphism of  $k$ -algebraic varieties. Set  $\mathbb{V}(M) = \text{Spec}(\text{Sym}^\bullet M^\vee)$  and  $p: \mathbb{V}(M) \rightarrow X$  the map induced by the inclusion  $A \rightarrow \text{Sym}^\bullet M^\vee$ . Set up a natural bijection between

$$\text{Hom}_X(Y, \mathbb{V}(M)) = \{g: Y \rightarrow \mathbb{V}(M) : p \circ g = f\},$$

and  $\Gamma(Y, f^* \tilde{M})$ .

- (5) Apply the preceding constructions with
  - (a)  $A = k$  and  $M$  a finite dimensional  $k$ -vector space;
  - (b)  $Y = U$  an open subset of  $X$  and  $f: U \rightarrow X$  the inclusion.

**Exercise 5.** Let  $A$  be a PID and  $M$  a finitely generated  $A$ -module.

- (1) Suppose  $A$  to be a DVR. Then the following conditions are equivalent:
  - (a)  $M$  is free of finite rank;
  - (b)  $M$  is torsion-free.
- (2) Suppose  $M$  torsion-free. Show that the canonical map of  $M \rightarrow (M^\vee)^\vee$  is an isomorphism.
- (3) Show that every submodule  $M$  of  $A^n$  is free of rank  $\leq n$ .
- (4) Deduce that every torsion-free finitely generated  $A$ -module  $M$  is free of finite rank.

Recall the following:

**Theorem 1** (Elementary divisors). *Let  $K = \text{Frac}(A)$  and  $g \in \text{GL}_n(K)$ . Then there are  $u, v \in \text{GL}_n(A)$  and  $a_1, \dots, a_n \in K$  such that*

$$g = u \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a_n \end{pmatrix} v.$$

- (5) Let  $E$  be a vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}^1$  of rank  $n$ . Then there exist  $d_1, \dots, d_n \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that

$$E \simeq \mathcal{O}(d_1) \oplus \dots \oplus \mathcal{O}(d_n).$$

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