

Previously, on Homological Algebra:

- $\text{Hom}_R(M, -) : R\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\text{-mod}$ is left exact
- $\text{Hom}_R(-, M) : R\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\text{-mod}$ is left exact
- $M \otimes_R - : R\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\text{-mod}$ is right exact

$\text{Hom}_R(P, -)$ is exact $\Leftrightarrow P$ is projective \Leftrightarrow

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & P & \\ \uparrow g & & \downarrow f \\ A & \rightarrow & B \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

Free \Rightarrow projective

thm For every module M , there exists projective P such that $P \twoheadrightarrow M$.

A seq is split if it is isomorphic to

$$0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{i} A \oplus C \xrightarrow{\pi} C \rightarrow 0$$

inclusion
of 1st factor
projection
onto 2nd factor

$$\Leftrightarrow 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0$$

$\leftarrow \dots \leftarrow$
 $\uparrow g$

$$gf = id_A$$

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$\leftarrow \dots \leftarrow$
 $\uparrow \pi$

$$g\pi = id_C$$

thm P is projective \iff every $0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow P \rightarrow 0$ splits.

Proof $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} P \rightarrow 0$ ses

P projective $\implies \exists h \begin{array}{ccc} & P & \\ \swarrow & \parallel & \\ B & \xrightarrow{g} & P \rightarrow 0 \end{array} \implies h$ is a splitting

Suppose every ses $0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow P \rightarrow 0$ splits

Given $\begin{array}{ccc} & P & \\ & \downarrow f & \\ B & \xrightarrow{p} & C \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$

free $F \xrightarrow{\pi} P \rightsquigarrow 0 \rightarrow \ker \pi \rightarrow F \xrightarrow{\pi} P \rightarrow 0$ splits

F free $\implies \exists R$ -mod map $F \xrightarrow{\hat{g}} B$ such that

$\begin{array}{ccc} & & h \\ & \swarrow & \\ F & \xrightarrow{\pi} & P \\ \hat{g} \downarrow & \swarrow g & \downarrow f \\ B & \xrightarrow{p} & C \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$

set $g := \hat{g} h$. then $pg = p\hat{g}h = f \underbrace{\pi h}_1 = f$. □

An R -module M is a direct summand of N if $A \oplus M \cong N$ for some A .

thm \mathcal{I} is projective $\iff \mathcal{I}$ is a direct summand of a free module.

If \mathcal{I} is fg, \mathcal{I} projective $\iff \mathcal{I}$ direct summand of R^n

Proof (\implies) \mathcal{I} projective, $\overset{\text{free}}{F} \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathcal{I}$ ($F=R^n$ if fg)

$$0 \rightarrow \ker \pi \rightarrow F \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathcal{I} \rightarrow 0 \text{ ses} \implies \text{splits}$$

$$\therefore F \cong \mathcal{I} \oplus \ker \pi \quad \smile$$

(\impliedby) \mathcal{I} direct summand of the free module F

$$\pi: F \rightarrow \mathcal{I} \text{ projection}, \quad i: \mathcal{I} \rightarrow F \text{ inclusion} \quad \pi i = \text{id}_{\mathcal{I}}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \mathcal{I} \\ \downarrow h & & \downarrow f \\ B & \xrightarrow{p} & C \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

i (curved arrow from \mathcal{I} to F)

$g := h i$
is a lifting of f

$$p g = p h i = f \pi i = f$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $ph = f\pi \quad \pi i = \text{id}_{\mathcal{I}}$

Corollary

- Every direct summand of a projective module is projective
- Every direct sum of projectives is projective.

Projective $\not\Rightarrow$ free

Example $R = \mathbb{Z}/6 = \underbrace{(2)}_I \oplus \underbrace{(3)}_J \Rightarrow I, J$ projective

fg free modules have $6n$ elements $\Rightarrow I, J$ not free

thm (R, \mathfrak{m}) local ring. Every fg projective R -module is free

Slogan free \Leftrightarrow projective over a local ring

Proof \mathcal{P} fg projective, $n = \mu(\mathcal{P})$ \swarrow minimal generating set

$$F = R^n \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathcal{P} = Rm_1 + \dots + Rm_n$$
$$(r_1, \dots, r_n) \longmapsto r_1 m_1 + \dots + r_n m_n$$

$\{m_1, \dots, m_n\}$ minimal generating set \Leftrightarrow basis for $\mathcal{P}/\mathfrak{m}\mathcal{P}$

$$(r_1, \dots, r_n) \in \ker \pi \Rightarrow r_1, \dots, r_n \in \mathfrak{m}$$

$$\text{so } \ker \pi \subseteq \mathfrak{m}F$$

$$\mathcal{P} \text{ projective} \Rightarrow 0 \rightarrow \ker \pi \rightarrow F \xrightarrow[\downarrow j]{\pi} \mathcal{P} \rightarrow 0 \text{ splits}$$
$$F \cong \text{im } j \oplus \ker \pi$$

$$\ker \pi \subseteq \mathfrak{m}F \Rightarrow \ker \pi \subseteq \mathfrak{m}(\ker \pi) \stackrel{\text{NAK}}{\Rightarrow} \ker \pi = 0$$

$\therefore \pi$ is an iso and \mathcal{P} is projective.

Injectives

$$I \text{ is injective} \iff \begin{array}{ccc} & I & \\ & f \uparrow & \swarrow g \\ 0 & \rightarrow A & \rightarrow B \end{array}$$

lemma I injective $\iff \text{Hom}_R(-, I)$ is exact.

Proof $\text{Hom}_R(-, I)$ left exact

$\text{Hom}_R(-, I)$ exact \iff for every $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{i} B$, i^* is surjective

$$\iff \text{for every } f \quad \text{Hom}_R(B, I) \xrightarrow{i^*} \text{Hom}_R(A, I)$$

there exists $g \quad g \dashrightarrow f$

□

lemma I_i injective for all $i \implies \prod_i I_i$ injective

Idea: to map into a product is to map into each factor.

thm If $M \oplus N = E$ is injective $\implies M, N$ are injective

Sketch

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \cdots \\ 0 \rightarrow A & \xrightarrow{\quad} & B \end{array}$$

(A curved arrow points from E back to M)

Baer Criterion E is injective if and only if for every ideal I , every R -module map $I \rightarrow E$ can be extended to R

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & E & & \\ & & \uparrow & \nearrow & \\ & f & & & g \\ 0 & \rightarrow & I & \rightarrow & R \end{array}$$

Proof this is a special case of the definition, so we only need to show this condition implies injectivity

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & E & \\ & \uparrow & \\ 0 & \rightarrow M & \rightarrow N \end{array} \quad \text{Assume } M \subseteq N$$

$$X := \{ (A, g) \mid M \subseteq A \subseteq N \text{ submodule, } g \text{ extends } f \}$$

$$\neq \emptyset \text{ because } (M, f) \in X$$

X is partially ordered by

$$(A, g) \leq (B, h) := A \subseteq B \text{ and } h|_A = g$$

Claim Can apply Zorn's lemma to X .

Recall Zorn's lemma If S is a partially ordered set and every chain in S has an upper bound, then S has a maximal element.

Why we can apply Zorn's lemma:

$$(A_1, g_1) \leq (A_2, g_2) \leq \dots$$

$$A := \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} A_i \xrightarrow{g} E$$
$$a \longmapsto g_i(a) \quad \text{if } a \in A_i$$

thus (A, g) is an upper bound for our chain.

By Zorn's lemma, \mathcal{X} has a maximal element, say (A, g) .

Claim $A = N$.

Suppose $n \in N, n \notin A$.

$I := \{ r \in R \mid rn \in A \}$ is an ideal

$I \xrightarrow{h} E$ is an R -module map
 $x \longmapsto g(xn)$

By assumption, this h extends to $R \xrightarrow{h} E$.

$A + Rn \xrightarrow{\varphi} E$ is an R -mod map
 $a + xn \longmapsto g(a) + h(x)$

is well-defined: if $xn \in A$, $h(x) = g(xn)$ ✓
and it extends g ! So $A = N$ by maximality. \downarrow □

Corollary R Noetherian $\{M_i\}_i$ injective $\Rightarrow \bigoplus_i M_i$ is injective

Proof

$$\begin{array}{c} \bigoplus M_i \\ \uparrow \\ 0 \rightarrow I \rightarrow R \end{array}$$

R Noetherian $\Rightarrow I = (a_1, \dots, a_n)$

$$f(a_i) = (b_{ij})_j \quad b_{ij} \neq 0 \text{ only for finitely many } j$$

$$k := \{j \mid f(a_i)_j = b_{ij} \neq 0 \text{ for some } i\}$$

$$f(I) \subseteq \bigoplus_{j \in k} M_j = \prod_{j \in k} M_j \quad \text{finite!} \quad \text{injective}$$

$$\text{So } f \text{ extends to } R \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{j \in k} M_j \xrightarrow{\cong} \bigoplus_j M_j \quad \square$$