

Corollary 6.4: If we have a set of  $\{M_1, \dots, M_n\}$  Noetherian  $A$ -modules. So is  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^n M_i$ .

proof: Apply induct

Base case:

$$0 \rightarrow M_2 \rightarrow M_1 \oplus M_2 \rightarrow M_1 \rightarrow 0$$

$M_1 \oplus M_2$  Noetherian

Apply induction to the exact seq.

$$0 \rightarrow M_n \rightarrow \bigoplus_{i=1}^n M_i \rightarrow \bigoplus_{i=1}^{n-1} M_i \rightarrow 0$$

Prop 6.5: Let  $A$  be a Noetherian ring,  $M$  f.g.  $A$ -mod. Then  $M$  is Noetherian  $A$ -module.

proof: we have the homomorphism. Let  $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$  be <sup>set of</sup> generators of  $M$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \rho: A^n &\longrightarrow M \\ (a_1, \dots, a_n) &\longrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i \end{aligned}$$

$\rho$  is home between  $A$ -mod,  $M \cong A^n / \ker \rho$ .

by Cor 6.4.  $A^n$  is Noetherian  $A$ -module.

by Prop 6.3 and the exact seq.  $0 \rightarrow \ker \rho \rightarrow A^n \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$

$\Rightarrow A^n / \ker \rho$  is Noetherian  $A$ -module.

and we're done :).

Prop 7.2:  $A \subseteq B$ , <sup>Subring</sup> Suppose  $A$  is Noetherian and that  $B$  is f.g. as  $A$ -mod.  $B$  is a Noetherian ring.

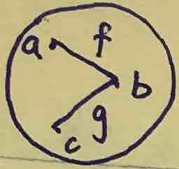
proof: by prop 6.5.  $B$  is Noetherian  $A$ -module.  $\Rightarrow$  every ideal of  $B$  is f.g.  $A$ -modules

$\Leftrightarrow$  every ideal of  $B$  is f.g.  $B$ -modules (multiplication work for all of  $B$ )

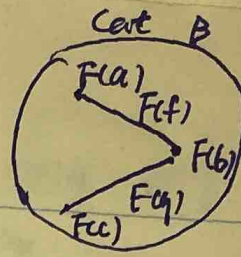
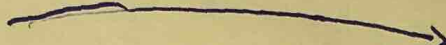
$\Leftrightarrow B$  is Noetherian  $B$ -module (with generator 1)

$\Leftrightarrow B$  is a Noetherian ring.

Cat A



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- Category:
- objects (a, b, c, ...)
  - morphism between objects (f, g, ...)
  - identity morphism
  - composition of morphisms satisfying associativity.

Briefly, the Functor F is the morphism between 2 different categories, which preserves structures of Categories.

- objects {a, b, c}  $\longrightarrow$  objects {F(a), F(b), F(c), ...}
- morphisms in Cat A are mapped to morphisms in Cat B, and laws of composition preserved.

s.e.s.

So when we have a the useful tool  $\Lambda$  it make sense to apply some functor to it, (that is apply some functor to the Cat of modules, apply it to the objects  $M_i$ , and morphism  $i, p$ .)

$$0 \longrightarrow M_1 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{p} M_3 \longrightarrow 0$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$F(M_1) \xrightarrow{F(i)} F(M_2) \xrightarrow{F(p)} F(M_3)$$

then the very natural question to ask is that after apply the functor do we still get the exact sequence? or what kind of Functor preserve the exactness?

We know the Fact from Class:

$M$  a  $R$ -mod,  $\text{Hom}(M, -)$  is left exact.

i.e. if we have s.e.s.

$$0 \longrightarrow M_1 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{p} M_3 \longrightarrow 0$$

$$0 \longrightarrow \text{Hom}(M, M_1) \xrightarrow{i^*} \text{Hom}(M, M_2) \xrightarrow{p_*} \text{Hom}(M, M_3)$$

$$f \xrightarrow{i^*(f)} i^*o_f$$

$$g \xrightarrow{p_*(f) = p \circ f} p \circ g$$

where  $i^*$ ,  $p_*$  are induced maps.

surjective.

then the injectivity is preserved ( $\ker i_* = \{0\}$ )  
 and  $\text{Im } i_* = \ker p_*$

Check (1)  $\ker i_* = \{0\}$

If  $f \in \ker i_*$ ,  $f: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ ,  $i_*(f) = 0 \xrightarrow{\text{by def}} i \circ f(x) = 0$  for  $\forall x \in M_1$ .  
 as  $i$  injective, it must be  $f(x) = 0 \forall x \in M_1$ .

$\Rightarrow f$  is zero map  $\Rightarrow \ker i_* = \{0\}$

(2)  $\text{Im } i_* \subseteq \ker p_*$ , if  $g \in \text{Im } i_*$ ,  $g: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ ,  $\exists f \in \text{Hom}(M_1, M_1)$ ,  $g = i_* \circ f$   
 $p_*(g) = p_* \circ i_* \circ f = p_* \circ i \circ f = 0$   
 $\uparrow$   
 $\ker p_*$

(3)  $\ker p_* \subseteq \text{Im } i_*$ .

If  $g \in \ker p_*$ ,  $g: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ ,  $p_*(g) = 0$ ,  $\forall x \in M_1$ ,  $\Rightarrow g(x) \in \ker p = \text{Im } i$ .

for  $\forall x \in M_1$ .

$g(x) = i(a)$  for some  $a \in M_1$ ,  $a$  is unique since  $i$  injective.

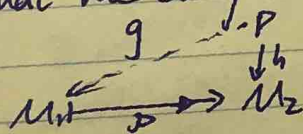
Hence, the function  $f: M_1 \rightarrow M_1$  given by  $f(x) = a$  if  $g(x) = i(a)$  well-def.

It's easy to check that  $f \in \text{Hom}_R(M_1, M_1)$ ; that is,  $f$  is an  $R$ -hom by  $g$  is a  $R$ -hom.

$i_*(f) = i \circ f \Rightarrow i(f(x)) = i(a) = g(x)$ ,  $\forall x \in M_1 \Rightarrow i_*(f) = g$ ,  $g \in \text{Im } i_*$

We'll see the definition of a Projective module leads directly to  
 "Hom $_R(P, -)$  is an exact functor"

Def (Projective mod) A left  $R$ -mod  $P$  is projective if we have surjective  
 $R$ -hom of  $R$ -mods,  $p: M_1 \rightarrow M_2$ , and  $h$  is any map from  $P$  to  $M_2$ ,  
 $\exists$  lifing  $g$ , that the diagram commutes



i.e.  $pg = h$ .

$\dots$   
 injective.

Prop 3.2. A left  $R$ -mod  $P$  is Surjective iff  $\text{Hom}_R(P, -)$  is an exact functor.

proof: it suffices to prove that  $\text{Hom}_R(P, -)$  is right exact. i.e. it suffices to show  $P$  is ~~projective~~ <sup>surjective</sup> whenever  $P$  is projective by def,

$$P \text{ projective: } 0 \rightarrow M_1 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{p} M_3 \rightarrow 0$$

any  $h: P \rightarrow M_3$ ,  $\exists$  a lifting  $g: P \rightarrow M_2$  s.th.  $pg = h$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{(induce } 0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(P, M_1) \xrightarrow{i^*} \text{Hom}_R(P, M_2) \xrightarrow{p_*} \text{Hom}_R(P, M_3) \rightarrow 0)$$

$\forall h \in \text{Hom}_R(P, M_3), \exists g \in \text{Hom}_R(P, M_2)$  s.th.  $pg = p_*(g) = h$

$\Leftrightarrow p_*$  is Surjective.

(Finding ~~examples~~ <sup>non-trivial examples</sup> of projective modules leads to algebraic K-theory)

Example of projective modules:  $F$  free left  $R$ -modules

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & F \\ & \swarrow & \downarrow h \\ M_1 & \xrightarrow{p} & M' \end{array}$$

$P$  projective,  $h$  any map  $h: F \rightarrow M'$   
 $B$  be a basis of  $F$ ,  $h(b) \in M'$ ,  $p$  surjective  
 $h(b) = p(m_b)$ , for some  $m_b \in M$ .

by axiom of choice:  $\exists$  a function  $u: B \rightarrow M$   $u(b) = m_b$   
 $u$  from the Basis  $B$  to  $M$  can be lifted to  $g: F \rightarrow M$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F & \xrightarrow{g} & M \\ \uparrow i & \dashrightarrow & \downarrow p \\ B & \xrightarrow{u} & M \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow$  the diagram commutes,  $F$  is projective.

Def: s.e.s  $0 \rightarrow M_1 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{P} M_3 \rightarrow 0$  split.  
 if  $\exists$  an inverse  $j$  s.th.  $poj = \text{id}_C$

$P$  becomes a retract, i.e.  $M_3$  is a summand of  $M_2$ .  
 $M_2 \cong M_1 \oplus M_3$   
 $\cong M_1 \oplus M_2/M_1$

Prop 3.3. A left  $R$ -module  $P$  is projective if and only if every s.e.s.  
 $0 \rightarrow M_1 \xrightarrow{i} M_2 \xrightarrow{P} P \rightarrow 0$  splits.

Proof: if  $P$  is projective,  $\exists g: P \rightarrow M_2$  with  $Ip = p_*(f) = pj$   
 that is,  $P$  is a retract of  $B$ . ~~Conversely  $\exists$   $g$  s.th.  $poj = \text{id}_P$~~

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & g \cdot P & \\ \swarrow & \downarrow P & \\ M_2 & \xrightarrow{p} & P \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

Conversely, assume that every s.e.s. ending with  $P$  splits.

Consider the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F & \xrightarrow{f} & P \rightarrow 0 \\ \uparrow j & & \downarrow h \\ M_1 & \xrightarrow{p} & M_2 \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

there  $\exists$  a free  $R$ -mod  $F$  and a surjection  $f: F \rightarrow P$ ,  $F$  is projective,  $\exists g_0: F \rightarrow M_1$ , s.th.  $poj = h_0 f_0$ .

By assumption,  $\exists j: P \rightarrow F$  s.th.  $h_0 j = I_p$

we have a commutative diagram, and so  $P$  is projective.