

# Representation Theory PSET 1

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**Proposition 1.** *Consider the category of topological abelian groups with continuous homomorphisms between them. Show this category is additive but not abelian.*

*Proof.*

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**Proposition 2.** *Let  $S \rightarrow R$  be a homomorphism of rings. It induces the restriction and induction functors between the corresponding categories of modules,  $\text{Res} : \mathbf{R}\text{-Mod} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}\text{-Mod}$  and  $\text{Ind} : \mathbf{S}\text{-Mod} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}\text{-Mod}$ , where  $\text{Ind } A = R \otimes_S A$  and  $\text{Res } B$  is the module  $B$  viewed as an  $S$ -module. Show that these functors are adjoint in the sense that  $\text{Hom}_R(\text{Ind } A, B) = \text{Hom}_S(A, \text{Res } B)$ .*

**Proposition 3.** *Show that every module in category  $\mathcal{O}$  is finitely generated as a  $\mathcal{U}\mathfrak{n}_-$ -module.*

**Proposition 4.** *For  $V_1, V_2 \in \text{Obj } \mathcal{O}$ , consider the tensor product  $V_1 \otimes V_2$ . Show that it is in  $\mathcal{O}$  is one of the factors is finite-dimensional, but not in general.*

**Proposition 5.** *Consider the action of  $GL(3)$  on polynomials of degree  $d$  in  $x_1, x_2, x_3$ . Resolve this representation by Verma modules.*