

Affinoid algebras

1 The first properties

Definition 1. Let \mathbf{k} be a non-archimedean field. A banach \mathbf{k} -algebra A is called a *affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra* if there exists an admissible surjective homomorphism

$$\varphi : \mathbf{k}\{\underline{T}/\underline{r}\} \twoheadrightarrow A$$

for some $\underline{r} = (r_1, \dots, r_n) \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}^n$.

If one can choose $r_1 = \dots = r_n = 1$, then we say that A is a *strict affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra*.

Example 2. Yang: To be added.

Example 3. Let A be an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra and $f_i, g_i \in A$. Then the normed localization

$$A\{(f_i/g_i)/r_i\}_{i=1}^n = A \otimes_{\mathbf{k}\{\underline{T}\}} \mathbf{k}\{\underline{T}/\underline{r}, \underline{S}\}/(g_i T_i - f_i)_{i=1}^n$$

is again an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. Yang: To be added.

Proposition 4. Let A be an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. Then A is noetherian, and every ideal of A is closed.

Proof. Yang: To be completed. □

Proposition 5. Let A be an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. Then there exists a constant $C > 0$ and $N > 0$ such that for all $f \in A$ and $n \geq N$, we have

$$\|f^n\| \leq C\rho(f)^n.$$

In particular, $\text{Qnil}(A) = \text{nil}(A)$.

Furthermore, if A is reduced, we have

$$\|f\| \leq C\rho(f)$$

for all $f \in A$.

Proof. Yang: To be completed. □

Proposition 6. Let A be an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. If and only if $\rho(f) \in \sqrt{|\mathbf{k}|} \cup \{0\}$ for all $f \in A$, then A is strict. Yang: To be complete.

Proof. Yang: To be completed. □

Definition 7. Let \mathbf{k} be a non-archimedean field. We define the *ring of restricted Laurent series* over \mathbf{k} as

$$\mathbf{K}_r = \mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{k},r} = \left\{ \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} a_n T^n : a_n \in \mathbf{k}, \lim_{|n| \rightarrow \infty} |a_n| r^n = 0 \right\}$$

equipped with the norm

$$\|f\| = \sup_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} |a_n| r^n.$$

Yang: Is \mathbf{K}_r always a field? Yang: Do we have $\mathbf{L}_{\mathbf{k},r} = \text{Frac}(\mathbf{k}\{T/r\})$?

Proposition 8. Let \mathbf{k} be a non-archimedean field. If $r \notin \sqrt{|\mathbf{k}^\times|}$, then \mathbf{K}_r is a complete non-archimedean field with non-trivial absolute value extending that of \mathbf{k} .

Yang: Tensor with \mathbf{K}_r .

Theorem 9. Let A be a strict affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. Then there exists a finite injective admissible homomorphism

$$\varphi : \mathbf{k}\{T\} \hookrightarrow A$$

for some $d \in \mathbb{N}$ and $r_1, \dots, r_d \in \mathbb{R}_{>0}$. Yang: To be checked.

2 Finite modules over affinoid algebras

There are three different categories of finite modules over an affinoid algebra A :

- The category \mathbf{Banmod}_A of finite banach A -modules with A -linear maps as morphisms.
- The category \mathbf{Banmod}_A^b of finite banach A -modules with bounded A -linear maps as morphisms.
- The category \mathbf{mod}_A of finite A -modules with all A -linear maps as morphisms.

Theorem 10. Let A be an affinoid \mathbf{k} -algebra. Then the category of finite banach A -modules with bounded A -linear maps as morphisms is equivalent to the category of finite A -modules with A -linear maps as morphisms. Yang: To be revised.

For simplicity, we will just write \mathbf{mod}_A to denote the category of finite banach A -modules with bounded A -linear maps as morphisms.

Appendix