
REPRESENTATION THEORY — EXERCISE SHEET 5

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Throughout G denotes a finite group and K a field. All KG -modules considered are assumed to be finitely generated.

EXERCISE 25.

Let $H, L \leq G$, let M be a KL -module and let N be a KH -module. Use the Mackey formula to prove that:

- (a) $M \uparrow_L^G \otimes_K N \uparrow_H^G \cong \bigoplus_{g \in [H \backslash G / L]} (\text{Hom}_K(M \downarrow_{H \cap gL}^g, N \downarrow_{H \cap gL}^g)) \uparrow_{H \cap gL}^G;$
- (b) $\text{Hom}_K(M \uparrow_L^G, N \uparrow_H^G) \cong \bigoplus_{g \in [H \backslash G / L]} (\text{Hom}_K(\text{Hom}_K(M \downarrow_{H \cap gL}^g, N \downarrow_{H \cap gL}^g), N \downarrow_{H \cap gL}^g)) \uparrow_{H \cap gL}^G.$

EXERCISE 26.

Let M be a KG -module. Prove that the following KG -submodules of M are equal:

- (1) $\text{soc}(M);$
- (2) the largest semisimple KG -submodule of M ;
- (3) $\{m \in M \mid J(KG)m = 0\}.$

EXERCISE 27.

Prove that:

- (a) If P is a projective KG -module, then so is P^* .
- (b) If $H \leq G$ and P is a projective KH -module, then $P \uparrow_H^G$ is a projective KG -module.
- (c) If P is a projective KG -module and M is an arbitrary KG -module, then $P \otimes_K M$ is projective.
- (d) If P is a projective indecomposable KG -module, then $\text{soc}(P)$ is simple. (Hint: consider duals.)

EXERCISE 28.

Let S be a simple KG -module and let P_S denote the corresponding PIM (i.e. $P_S / \text{rad}(P_S) \cong S$).

Let M be an arbitrary KG -module. Prove that:

- (a) If T is a simple KG -module then

$$\dim_K \text{Hom}_{KG}(P_S, T) = \begin{cases} \dim_K \text{End}_{KG}(S) & \text{if } S \cong T, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- (b) The multiplicity of S as a composition factor of M is

$$\dim_K \text{Hom}_{KG}(P_S, M) / \dim_K \text{End}_{KG}(S).$$