

# sheaf isomorphism

isomorphisms of sheaves on open cover implies isomorphism on the whole sheaves

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**Lemma 1.** Let  $E \rightarrow X$  and  $F \rightarrow X$  be vector bundles over  $X$ . Then there is a sheaf isomorphism

$$\tau : \mathcal{E}(E) \otimes_{\mathcal{E}} \mathcal{E}(F) \rightarrow \mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)$$

where  $\mathcal{E}(E)$  and  $\mathcal{E}(F)$  are sheaves induced from sections of vector bundles.

*Proof.* For every  $x \in X$ , pick  $U \subseteq X$  containing  $x$  small enough such that  $E|_U \rightarrow U$  and  $F|_U \rightarrow U$  are trivial bundles. Let

$$\mathcal{T}(-) = \mathcal{E}(E)(-) \otimes_{\mathcal{E}(-)} \mathcal{E}(F)(-)$$

be the tensor product of presheaves. We will construct the map  $t$  and show that the diagram below commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{T}(U) & \xrightarrow{t} & \mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)(U) \\ \downarrow r_V^U & & \downarrow r_V^U \\ \mathcal{T}(V) & \xrightarrow{t} & \mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)(V) \end{array}$$

Let  $e = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m\}$  and  $f = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n\}$  be frames of  $E$  and  $F$  on  $U$ . Then, every element  $\xi \in \mathcal{T}(U)$  can be written as

$$\xi = \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n \xi_{ij}(e_i \otimes_{\mathcal{E}(U)} f_j)$$

where  $\xi_{ij} \in \mathcal{E}(U)$ . And every element  $\eta \in \mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)(U)$  can be written as

$$\eta(x) = \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n \eta_{ij}(x)(e_i(x) \otimes f_j(x))$$

where  $\eta_{ij} \in \mathcal{E}(U)$ . Hence, there exists a natural isomorphism of sheaves from  $\mathcal{T}|_U = \mathcal{T}^{sh}|_U$  to  $\mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)|_U$  defined on  $U \subseteq X$ .

**Lemma 2.** If  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{G}$  be two sheaves on  $X$  and there exists an open cover  $\{U_i\}_{i \in I}$  for  $X$  such that  $\tau_i : \mathcal{F}|_{U_i} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}|_{U_i}$  is an isomorphism of sheaves for all  $i \in I$ , then there exists an isomorphism of sheaves  $\tau : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$

*Proof.* Let  $V$  be open, without loss of generality, we can assume that there exists an open cover  $\{U_i\}_{i \in I}$  for  $V$  such that for each  $U_i \in \{U_i\}_{i \in I}$ ,  $\tau_i : \mathcal{F}|_{U_i} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}|_{U_i}$  is an isomorphism of sheaves. Let  $U \in \{U_i\}$ ,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F}(V) & \xrightarrow{r_U^V} & \mathcal{F}(U) \\ \tau_V \downarrow & & \downarrow \tau_U \\ \mathcal{G}(V) & \xrightarrow{r_U^V} & \mathcal{G}(U) \end{array}$$

Let  $f \in \mathcal{F}(U)$ , define

$$g_U = \tau_U r_U^V f$$

For any  $U_i, U_j \in \{U_i\}_{i \in I}$  with  $U_i \cap U_j \neq \emptyset$ , the diagram below commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
\mathcal{F}(V) & \xrightarrow{r_{U_i}^V} & \mathcal{F}(U_i) & & \\
& \searrow r_{U_j}^V & \downarrow r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_j} & \searrow r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_i} & \\
& & \mathcal{F}(U_j) & \xrightarrow{r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_i}} & \mathcal{F}(U_i \cap U_j) \\
& & \downarrow \tau_{U_j} & \downarrow \tau_{U_i} & \downarrow \tau_{U_i \cap U_j} \\
\mathcal{G}(V) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{G}(U_i) & & \\
& \searrow & \downarrow r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_j} & \searrow r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_i} & \\
& & \mathcal{G}(U_j) & \xrightarrow{r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_i}} & \mathcal{G}(U_i \cap U_j)
\end{array}$$

$\tau_V$  (dashed arrow from  $\mathcal{F}(V)$  to  $\mathcal{G}(V)$ )

Hence, by commutativity, we have

$$r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_i} g_{U_i} = r_{U_i \cap U_j}^{U_j} g_{U_j}$$

By definition of sheaf, there exists a unique map  $\tau_V : \mathcal{F}(V) \rightarrow \mathcal{G}(V)$  that makes the diagram commutes. Similarly, we can construct a unique map  $\tau_V^{-1} : \mathcal{G}(V) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(V)$ . It can be verified that  $\tau$  defines a natural isomorphism between two functors  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{G}$   $\square$

Back to the proof, use the lemma, we can construct a natural isomorphism

$$\tau : \mathcal{E}(E) \otimes_{\mathcal{E}} \mathcal{E}(F) \rightarrow \mathcal{E}(E \otimes F)$$

$\square$