

Eisenboaries, Chapter (Pieces of) 8:

USEFUL CLASSES OF MORPHISMS OF SCHEMES



8 : USEFUL MORPHISMS

Throughout $\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ morphism of schemes

SLOGAN: morphisms are more fundamental than objects

e.g. P : property of schemes

$\rightsquigarrow \pi: X \rightarrow Y$ has P if

any affine open $U \subset Y$,
 $\pi^{-1}(U)$ has P

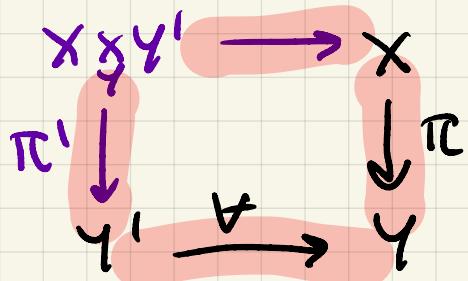
8.1 "Reasonable" classes of morphisms

A class of morphisms is called "reasonable" if:

- (i) The class is preserved by composition
- (ii) " base change "

PRECISELY (need existence of fibre products)

↪ §10.1



π in the class
 $\Rightarrow \pi'$ in the class

- (iii) The class is local on the target

i.e. (a) $\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ in the class

\Rightarrow For any $v \in Y$, $\pi|_{\pi^{-1}(v)}: \pi^{-1}(v) \rightarrow v$

is in the class

(b) $\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ a morphism

• $\{V_i\}$ open cover of Y

s.t. $\pi|_{\pi^{-1}(V_i)}: \pi^{-1}(V_i) \rightarrow V_i$

is in the class f_0

$\Rightarrow \pi$ is in the class

\triangleleft (i) + (ii) \Rightarrow (iv) prepared by product EX 8.1A

it. $X \rightarrow Y$] S-schemes with prop. P
 $X' \rightarrow Y'$]

Then $X \times_S X' \rightarrow Y \times_S Y'$ has prop. P

\Rightarrow (v) Cancellation Theorem II.2.1

"Easy" exercise 8.1.B. [class of isos of schemes] is "reasonable"

Def $\stackrel{\Delta}{=}$ 8.1.2. $\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is an open embedding
(also open immersion)

If it is an open embedding of ringed spaces

it. $\pi: (X, \mathcal{O}_X) \rightarrow (Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)$

$\xrightarrow{\sim} \pi^*: (U, \mathcal{O}_Y|_U) \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{O}_X$ $\tilde{\gamma}: U \hookrightarrow Y$
open

If $X \subset Y$ subset, and $\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ open embedding
then we call (X, \mathcal{O}_X)
an open subscheme of (Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)

$\underline{A^2 \setminus \{(0,0)\} \rightarrow A^2}$

Q: $X \subset Y$ open, Y scheme $\Rightarrow X$ scheme?

YES: CLAIM: open affine subcharts are a base of the topology on Y

§8.2 Algebraic interlude

RECALL $\circ \phi: B \rightarrow A$ ring morphism
a $\in A$ is integral over B if:

$$a^n + ?a^{n-1} + \dots + ? = 0$$

where coefficients lie in $\phi(B)$.

- ϕ is integral if every element of A is integral over $\phi(B)$
- if $\phi: B \rightarrow A$ integral +
an inclusion of rings
then ϕ is an integral extension

Thm 8.2.5 (Lying over theorem)

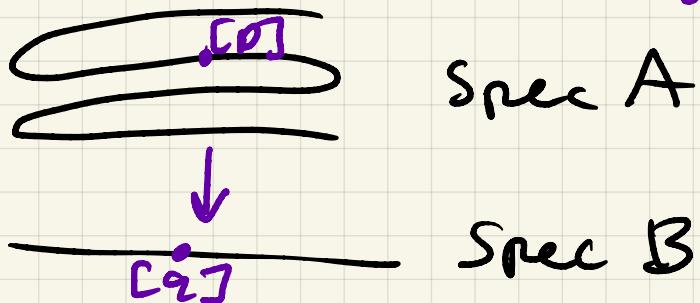
- $\phi: B \rightarrow A$ integral extension

Then \forall prime ideal $q \subset B$

\exists a prime ideal $p \in A$ s.t. $p \cap B = q$

GEOMETRIC TRANSLATION:

$\Rightarrow \text{Spec } A \longrightarrow \text{Spec } B$ is surjective



Thm 8.2.F (Exercise) (Going-up Theorem)

- $\phi: B \rightarrow A$ integral ring morphism
- (1) $q_1 \subset q_2 \subset \dots \subset q_n$ chain of primes in B
- (2) $p_1 \subset p_2 \subset \dots \subset p_m$ chain of primes in A
($1 \leq m < n$) st. p_i "lies over" q_i

Then (2) extends to $p_1 \subset p_2 \subset \dots \subset p_n$
st. p_i "lies over" q_i

( so $\text{krull dim } B \leq \text{krull dim } A$)

Ex 8.2.H. (Nakayama V4)

- (A, \underline{m}) local ring
- M is fin. gen. A -module
- $f_1, \dots, f_m \in M$ generate $M/\underline{m}M$

Then f_1, \dots, f_m generate M .

8.3 Finiteness conditions on morphisms

① Quasicompact

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is quasicompact if

& open affine subset $U \subset Y$,

$\pi^{-1}(U)$ is quasicompact


of affns

"every open cover
has a finite subcover"

② Quasi-separated

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is quasi-separated if

& open affine subset $U \subset Y$, $\pi^{-1}(U)$ is quasisep.

↗ quasicompact
 fin. ↗ quasicompact

$\text{q.cqs} \Rightarrow \exists$ cover by fin. many affines
 & intersection is covered by fin. many affines
 etc.

① X scheme is quasicompact

$\Leftrightarrow X \xrightarrow{\pi} \text{Spec } \mathcal{X}$ is quasicompact
 ↗ think about it

③ Affine

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is affine if
 & open affine $U \subset Y$, $\pi^{-1}(U)$ is affine,
 ↗ as an open
 subscheme of X

Prop 8.3.4 "affine" ness is affine-ness on the target

④ Finite

$\phi: B \rightarrow A$ ring morphism s.t.
 ↴

A is a fin. gen. B -module

then say A is a finite B -algebra

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is finite if

↗ stronger than
 "fin. gen. B -alg."

& affine open $U = \text{Spec } B \subset Y$,

$$\pi^{-1}(\text{Spec } B) = \text{Spec } A$$

where A : finite B -algebra.

SLOGAN: finite = closed + finite fibers

FACTS: finite morphisms are

- affine
- projective
- have finite fibers.]

⑤ Integral

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is integral if

- π is affine
- \forall affine open $\text{Spec } B \subset Y$,

 - $\pi^{-1}(\text{Spec } B) = \text{Spec } A$
 - induced map $B \rightarrow A$ is integral

① finite morphisms are integral

② integral morphisms are closed

⑥ Locally of finite type

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is locally of fin. type if

- \forall affine open $\text{Spec } B \subset Y$
- \forall affine open $\text{Spec } A \subset \pi^{-1}(\text{Spec } B)$

The induced induced morphism $B \rightarrow A$ expresses A as a fin. gen. B -algebra

⑦ finite type

$\pi: X \rightarrow Y$ is of finite type if

- π is locally of fin. type
- π is quasi compact.

- FACTS:
 - $\text{Finite} = \text{integral} + \text{finite type}$
 - open embeddings are locally of finite type

EXAMPLE OF A FINITE MORPHISM

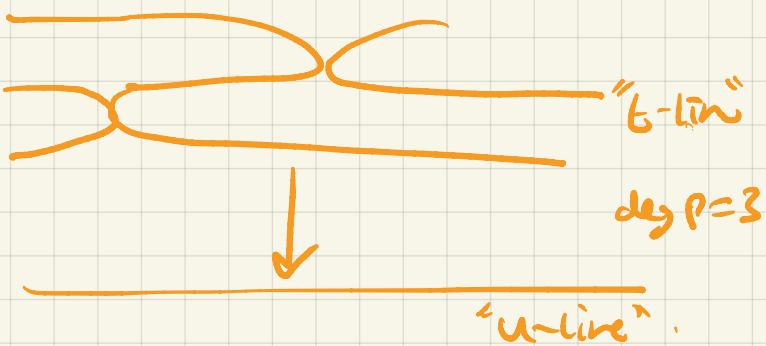
Ex $\text{Spec } K[t] \xrightarrow{\quad A \quad} \text{Spec } K[u]$ (K field!)
 given by $p(t) \longleftarrow u$
 \uparrow a degree n poly.

This finite:

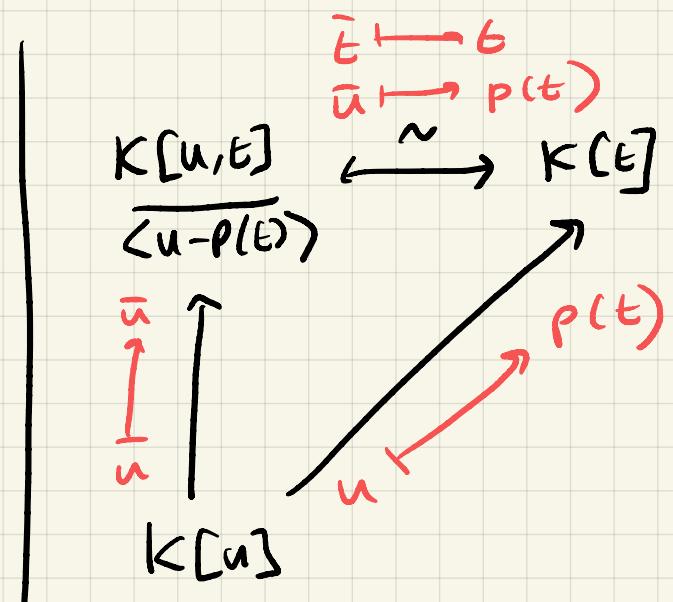
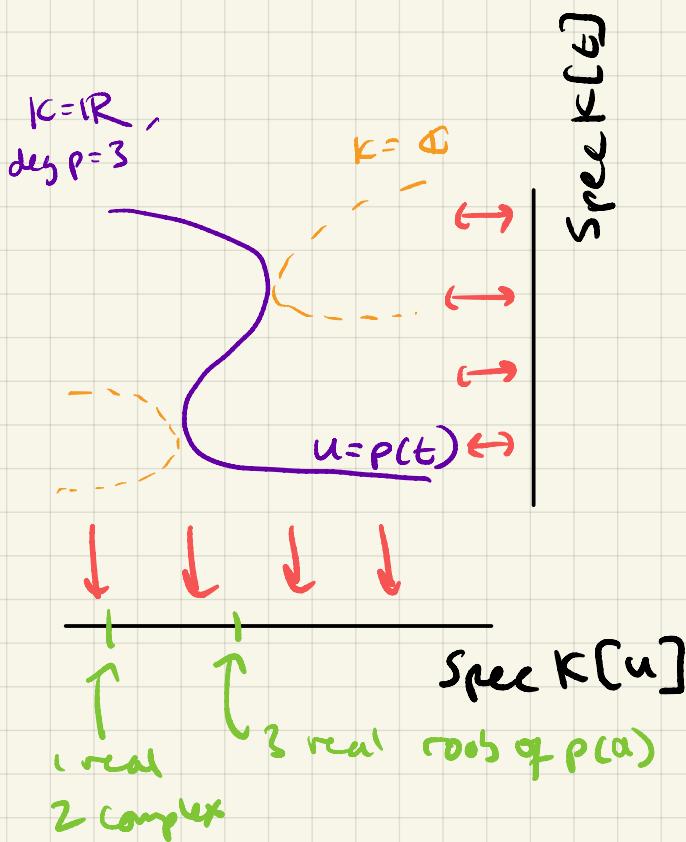
$K[t]$ gen. as a $K(u)$ -module
 by $1, t, t^2, \dots, t^{n-1}$

$$1 \in K[t]$$

$$u \cdot 1 := p(t)$$



Unpacking the picture:



$$K[t] \xleftarrow{} K[u]$$

$$\rho(t) \longleftrightarrow u$$

$$\text{Spec } K[t] \longrightarrow \text{Spec } K[u]$$

$$(t-a) \longmapsto (u - \rho(a))$$

c.g. $\rho(t) = t^3$, $K = \mathbb{Q}$

$$\begin{matrix} (t-a) \\ (t-\zeta a) \\ (t-\bar{\zeta}^2 a) \end{matrix} \longmapsto (u - a^3)$$

ζ : 3rd root of unit