

Algebra 2R, list 8.

All mappings/functions are R -linear (R -homomorphisms), M, N, P, Q are R -modules. R is a commutative ring with $1 \neq 0$. Homework: as usual.

1. (a)– Assume that $f : M \rightarrow N$ is an epimorphism. Prove that f splits $\iff \exists g : N \rightarrow M, fg = id_N$.
 (b) Assume $g : M \rightarrow N$ is a monomorphism. Prove that $g(M)$ is a direct summand of module $N \iff \exists f : N \rightarrow M, fg = id_M$.
2. Prove that the following conditions are equivalent:
 - (a) For every epimorphism $f : M \rightarrow N$ of arbitrary modules M, N and every $g : P \rightarrow N$ there is an $h : P \rightarrow M$ such that $fh = g$.
 - (b) Module P is projective.
 - (c) There is a module L such that $P \oplus L$ is free.
 (hint: for a proof of (c) \Rightarrow (a) consider projection $p : P \oplus L \rightarrow P$)
3. Prove that the following conditions are equivalent:
 - (a) Module Q is injective.
 - (b) For every monomorphism $f : M \rightarrow N$ of arbitrary modules M, N and homomorphism $g : M \rightarrow Q$ there is an $h : N \rightarrow Q$ such that $hf = g$.
 (hint: in a proof of (a) \Rightarrow (b) consider the module $M = Q \oplus N/L$, where L is a submodule of $Q \oplus N$ generated by $\{(g(m), -f(m)) : m \in M\}$).
4. (a) Prove that the module $M = \bigoplus_{i \in I} M_i$ is projective \iff every M_i is projective.
 (b) Prove that the module $M = \prod_{i \in I} M_i$ is injective \iff every M_i is injective.
5. Assume that $\{m_1, \dots, m_n\}$ is a basis of a free R -module M and

$$m'_j = \sum_i r_{ij} m_i,$$

where $r_{ij} \in R$ for $i, j = 1, \dots, n$. Prove that the set $\{m'_1, \dots, m'_n\}$ is a basis of $M \iff \det[r_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ is invertible in R .

6. Assume K_1, K_2 are fields and $R = K_1 \times K_2$ (ring product).
 - (a) Prove that every R -module is of the form $V_1 \times V_2$, where V_i is a vector space over K_i ($i = 1, 2$) and for $(k_1, k_2) \in R, (k_1, k_2) \cdot (v_1, v_2) = (k_1 v_1, k_2 v_2)$.
 - (b) Prove that every R -module is projective. Which R -modules are free ?
7. (a)– Assume M is a submodule of N and $n \in N$. Prove that the set $I = \{r \in R : rn \in M\}$ is an ideal in R .
 (b) Prove that the R -module Q is injective \iff for every ideal $I \subset R$ and R -homomorphism $f : I \rightarrow Q, f$ extends to an R -homomorphism $R \rightarrow Q$. (hint: To prove \Leftarrow use (a))
 (c) Conclude from (b) that if R is PID, then a module Q jest injektywny

$$\iff \forall r \in R \setminus \{0\} \forall m \in Q \exists m' \in Q, rm' = m.$$

(in particular an abelian group G is an injective \mathbb{Z} -module $\iff G$ is divisible)

8. * Prove that every module M embeds into an injective R -module. (possibly do it for R that is PID, use the previous problem)
(hint: for an ideal $I \subset R$ and $f : I \rightarrow M$ consider the module $M \oplus R/L$, where L is generated by $(f(i), -i)$ for $i \in I$).

One can prove that there is a smallest injective R -module containing M , it is also unique up to isomorphism. It is called the injective hull of M .

One can prove that a module M is injective $\iff M$ is existentially closed in the class of R -modules.