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## BASIC COMMUTATIVE ALGEBRA

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### Abstract

The purpose of this work is to build a graded algebra  $A = A(q_1, q_2, q_3)$  with three shift parameters,  $q_1$ ,  $q_2$ , and  $q_3$ . By introducing a specific filtration connected with the dominance ordering among partitions, we verify the basic features of the algebra  $A$ , including commutativity and the Poincaré series. The Gordon filtration is a stratification that is characterised by a series of null conditions related with the partitions and the shift parameter  $q_i$ . The elliptic algebra [EO] can be thought of as a smooth limit of our algebra. Specifically, the original algebra is built over an elliptic curve, whereas our algebra  $A$  is built over a degenerate  $CP^1$ .

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### 1. Introduction

#### POLYNOMIAL RING

If  $R$  is a ring, the ring of polynomials in  $x$  with coefficients in  $R$  is denoted  $R[x]$ . It consists of all formal sums.

$$\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i x^i$$

That is  $R[x] = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^i$

#### QUOTIENT RING

Let  $R$  be a ring and  $I$  be an ideal of  $R$ . Then  $R/I$  forms a ring. That ring is called quotient ring.

EXAMPLE: Let  $K[x]$  is a polynomial ring and its quotient rings are

$$k[x] = \langle x^2 + x + 1 \rangle, k[x] = \langle x^3 + 2 \rangle \text{ etc.}$$

#### PRIME IDEAL

An ideal  $P$  is said to be prime ideal if  $ab \in P$  then  $a \in P$  or  $b \in P$ .

EXAMPLE:  $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle$  is an prime ideal of  $R[x]$ .

NOTE:

Let  $R$  be a ring and  $I$  be an ideal of  $R$ . Then  $R/I$  is said to be integral domain if and only if  $I$  is prime ideal.

#### MAXIMAL IDEAL

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring and ideal  $M$  of  $R$  is said to be maximal ideal of  $R$ , if there exist an ideal  $N$  of  $R$  such that  $M \subsetneq N \subsetneq R$  then

$$M=N \text{ or } N=R.$$

EXAMPLE:

Let  $K[x]$  be a ring and  $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle$  its maximal ideal.

NOTE:

1.  $R$  be a commutative ring with unity. An ideal  $M$  of  $R$  is maximal ideal of  $R$  if and only if  $R/M$  is a field.

2. Every maximal ideal is a prime ideal.

#### NILRADICAL

The set  $N$  of all Nilpotent element in a ring  $R$  is an ideal and  $R/N$  has no Nilpotent element (except zero).

The Nilradical of a ring  $R$  is the intersection of all prime ideal of  $R$ .

EXAMPLE:

Let  $Z$  be a ring and  $pZ$  be its prime ideal (where  $p$  is prime) then Nilradical of this is 0.

## JACOBSON RADICAL

The Jacobson radical of  $J$  of a ring  $R$  is define to be the intersection of all maximal ideals of  $R$ .

## COLON IDEAL

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring. Let  $S$  be a subset of  $R$  and  $I$  be an ideal of  $R$ . Now we define the subset  $(I : S) = \{a \in R / aS \subseteq I\}$  and the  $(I : S)$  is an ideal of  $R$ . This ideal is called the colon ideal or ideal quotient.

EXAMPLE:  $R = K[x] = \langle x^2 \rangle$

## EXTENSION AND CONTRACTION

Let  $f : A \rightarrow B$  be a ring homomorphism. If  $I$  be an ideal of  $A$ , define the extension  $I^e$  of  $I$  to be  $I^e = \langle f(I) \rangle$  ideal generated in  $B$ . That is,

$$I^e = \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} y_i f(x_i) / n \geq 1, y_i \in B, x_i \in I \right\}$$

let an ideal of  $B$  then  $f^{-1}(J)$  is an ideal of  $A$  is called the contraction  $J^c$  of  $J$ . That is,

$$J^c = f^{-1}(J) = \{x / f(x) \in J\}$$

## MODULES

DEFINITION: Let  $A$  be a commutative ring. An  $A$  module  $M$  is an abelian group written additively with scalar multiplication and a mapping  $f :$

$A \times M \rightarrow M$  with following properties

$$a(x+y) = ax + ay$$

$$(a+b)x = ax + bx$$

$$(ab)x = a(bx)$$

$$1x = x$$

where  $a, b \in A, x, y \in M$

EXAMPLE:

1. An ideal  $I$  of a ring  $A$  is an  $A$ -modules.
2. If  $A$  is a field  $k=R$ , then  $A$ -modules =  $K$  vector space.

## HOMOMORPHISM

Let  $M, N$  be  $A$ -module, A mapping  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is an  $A$ -modules homomorphism if,

$$f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$$

$$f(ax) = af(x)$$

where for all  $a \in A$  and all  $x, y \in M$ .

The set of all  $A$ -module homomorphism from  $M$  to  $N$  is also  $A$ -module follow:

we define,  $f+g$  and  $af$  by the rule

$$(f+g)x = f(x) + g(x)$$

$$(af)x = af(x)$$

this is also  $A$ -module and is denoted by  $\text{Hom}_A(M; N)$ .

Homomorphism  $u : M' \rightarrow M$  and  $v : N' \rightarrow N$  induce mapping  $u' : \text{Hom}(M, N) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(M', N)$  and  $v' : \text{Hom}(M, N) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(M, N')$

define as follow,

$u'(f) = f \circ u, v'(f) = v \circ f$  these module are  $A$ -module homomorphism.

## SUB-MODULES AND QUOTIENT MODULES

An sub-module  $N$  of  $M$  is a subgroup of  $M$  which is closed under the multiplication by element of  $A$ . That is  $x \cdot n \in N$  for all  $x \in A$  and  $n \in N$ .

EXAMPLE:  $A$  be a ring and itself is a  $A$ -modules and its ideal is sub-modules.

The Abelian group  $M/N$  gives an  $A$ -modules structure from  $M$  define by  $a(x+N)=ax+N$ . The module  $M/N$  is quotient of  $M$  by  $N$ .

1. The kernel of  $f$  is the set  $\text{Ker}(f) = \{x \in M : f(x) = 0\}$  is sub-module of  $M$ .
2. The image of  $f$  is the set  $\text{im}(f)=f(M)$  is a sub-module of  $N$ .
3. The coker of  $f$  is  $\text{coker}(f)=N/\text{im}(f)$

## ANNIHILATOR

If  $N, P$  are sub-module of  $M$ , we define  $(N:M)$  to be the set of all  $a$  such that  $aP \subseteq N$  it is an ideal of  $A$ . In particular  $(0:M)$  is the set of all  $a \in A$  such that  $aM=0$ , this ideal is called the annihilator of  $M$  and is also denoted by  $\text{Ann}(M)$ . An  $A$ -module is faithful if  $\text{Ann}(M)=0$ . If  $\text{Ann}(M)=a$  then  $M$  is faithful as an  $A/a$  module.

## DIRECT SUM AND DIRECT PRODUCT

If  $M, N$  are  $A$ -module their direct sum  $M \oplus N$  is the set of all pairs

$(x, y)$  with  $x \in M; y \in N$ .

$(x_1; y_1) + (x_2; y_2) = (x_1 + x_2; y_1 + y_2)$

$a(x; y) = (ax; ay)$

If  $(M_i)_{i \in I}$  is any family of  $A$ -module, we can define the direct sum  $(M_i)$  its element are families  $(x_i)_{i \in I}$  such that  $(x_i) \in (M_i)$  for each  $i \in I$  and at-most all  $(x_i)$  are zero. If we remove on the number of non zero  $x$ 's we have the direct Product .

## CO-MAXIMAL

Let  $R$  be a ring, ideal  $A$  and  $B$  are said to be co-maximal if  $A+B=R$ .

EXAMPLE: Let  $Z$  be a ring and  $I=2Z$  and  $J=3Z$  be two co-maximal ideal.

## 2. Chinese Remainder Theorem

**Theorem 1.** Let  $A_1; A_2; A_3; \dots; A_k$  be an ideals in  $R$ . The mapping  $R \rightarrow R/A_1 \times R/A_2 \times \dots \times R/A_k$  define by,  $r \rightarrow (r + A_1, r + A_2, \dots, r + A_k)$  is a ring homomorphism with kernel  $A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_k$ . If for each  $i, j \in \{1; 2; 3; \dots; k\}$  with  $i \neq j$

the ideals  $A_i$  and  $A_j$  are co-maximal, then this map is Surjective and  $A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_k = A_1 A_2 \dots A_k$ , so  $R/(A_1 A_2 \dots A_k) = R/(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_k) \cong R/A_1 \times \dots \times R/A_k$

**Proof.** for  $k=2$

We first prove this for  $k = 2$ ; the general case will follow by induction.

Let  $A = A_1$  and  $B = A_2$ .

Consider the map  $f : R \rightarrow R/A \times R/B$ .

defined by  $f(r) = (r \text{ mod } A; r \text{ mod } B)$ , where  $\text{mod } A$  means the class in  $R/A$  containing  $r$  ( that is,  $r + A$ ). when  $A$  and  $B$  are co-maximal,

$f$  is surjective and  $A \cap B = AB$ .

Since  $A + B = R$ , there are elements  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$  s.t.  $x+y = 1$ .

1. This equation show that  $f(x) = (0, 1)$  and  $f(y) = (1, 0)$ .

since, for example,  $x$  is an element of  $A$  and  $x = 1 - y \in 1 + B$ . If now  $(r_1 \text{ mod } A; r_2 \text{ mod } B)$  is an arbitrary element in  $R/A \times R/B$ , then element  $r_2 x + r_1 y$  maps to this to element.

Since  $f(r_2 x + r_1 y) = f(r_2)f(x) + f(r_1)f(y)$   
 $= (r_2 \text{ mod } A; r_2 \text{ mod } B)(0; 1) + (r_1 \text{ mod } A; r_1 \text{ mod } B)(1; 0)$   
 $= (0; r_2 \text{ mod } B) + (r_1 \text{ mod } A; 0)$   
 $= (r_1 \text{ mod } A; r_2 \text{ mod } B)$ .

This shows that  $f$  is indeed surjective. Finally, the ideal  $AB$  is always contained in  $A \cap B$ . If  $A$  and  $B$  are comaximal and  $x$  and  $y$  are as above, then for any  $c \in A \cap B$ ;  $c = c_1 = cx + cy \in AB$ .

The general case follows easily by induction from the case of two ideals using  $A = A_1$  and  $B = A_2 \dots A_k$  once we show that  $A_1$  and  $A_2 \dots A_k$  are co-maximal. By hypothesis for each  $i \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots, k\}$  there are elements  $x_i \in A_1$  and  $y_i \in A_i$  s.t.

$x_i + y_i = 1$ . Since  $x_i + y_i \equiv y_i \text{ mod } A_1$ , it follows that  $1 = (x_2 + y_2) \dots (x_k + y_k)$  is an element in  $A_1 + (A_2 \dots A_k)$ .

### 3. Hilbert Basis Theorem

We First describe some general Finiteness condition. Let  $R$  be a ring and let  $M$  be a left  $R$ -module.

Definition:

1. The left  $R$ -module  $M$  is said to be a Noetherian  $R$ -module or to satisfy the ascending chain condition on submodules (or A.C.C on submodules) if there are no infinite increasing chain of submodules. If an increasing chain of submodules of  $M$ , then there is a positive integer  $m$  such that for all  $k \geq m$ ;  $M_k = M_m$  (of the chain becomes stationary at stage

$$m: M_m = M_{m+1} = M_{m+2} = \dots$$

2. The ring  $R$  is said to be Noetherian if it is Noetherian as a left module over itself, i.e. if there is no infinite increasing chains of left ideals in  $R$ .

EXAMPLE:

Any field is a Noetherian ring.

Any Principal ideal domain is also a Noetherian ring. So, the integers, considered as a module over the ring of integers, is a Noetherian module.

#### Theorem 2.

Let  $R$  be a ring and let  $M$  be a left  $R$ -module. then the following are equivalent,

- (1)  $M$  is a Noetherian  $R$ -module.
- (2) Every nonempty set of submodules of  $M$  contain a maximal element under inclusion.
- (3) Every submodule of  $M$  is finitely generated.

**Proof.** First we proof that (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2)

Assume  $M$  is Noetherian and let  $\Sigma$  be any nonempty collection of submodules of  $M$ .

choose any  $M_1 \in \Sigma$ .

If  $M_1$  is a maximal element of  $\Sigma$ , (2) holds, so assume  $M_1$  is not maximal.

Then there is some  $M_2 \in \Sigma$ , such that  $M_1 \subset M_2$ .

If  $M_2$  is maximal in  $\Sigma$ , (2) holds, so we may assume there is an  $M_3 \in \Sigma$ , properly containing  $M_2$ .

proceeding in this way one see that if (2) fails we can produce by axiom of choice an infinite strictly increasing chain of elements of  $\Sigma$ , contrary to (1).

Now we proof (2)  $\Rightarrow$  (3)

Assume (2) holds and let  $N$  be any submodules of  $M$ .

Let  $\Sigma$  be the collection of all finitely generated submodules of  $N$ . Since  $0 \in \Sigma$ , this collection is nonempty.

By (2)  $\Sigma$  contains a maximal element  $N'$ .

If  $N \neq N'$ , Let  $x \in N \setminus N'$ .

since  $N' \in \Sigma$ , the submodule  $N'$  is finitely generated by assumption, hence also the submodule generated  $N'$  and  $x$  is finitely generated.

This contradicts the maximality of  $N'$ , so  $N = N'$  is finitely generated.

Now we proof that (3)  $\Rightarrow$  (1)

Assume (3) holds and let  $M_1 \subset M_2 \subset M_3 \subset \dots$  be a chain of submodules of  $M$ .

Let  $N = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} M_i$  and note that  $N$  is a submodule.

By (3)  $N$  is finitely generated by, say  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ . since  $a_i \in N$  for all  $i$ , each  $a_i$  lies in one of the submodule in the chain, say  $M_{j_i}$

Let  $m = \max \{j_1, j_2, j_3, \dots, j_n\}$ .

Then  $a_i \in M_m$  for all  $i$  so the module they generate is contained in  $M_m$  i.e,  $N \subset M_m$ .

This implies  $M_m = N = M_k$  for all  $k \geq m$ , which proof 1.

**Corollary 1.**  $R$  is a Noetherian ring if and only if every ideal of  $R$  is finitely generated.

**Corollary 2.** If  $R$  is a P.I.D, then every nonempty set of ideal of  $R$  has a maximal element and  $R$  is a Noetherian ring.

**Proof.** The P.I.D,  $R$  satisfies condition of the above theorem with  $M=R$ .

Recall that even if  $M$  itself is a finitely generated  $R$ -module, submodule of  $M$  need not be finitely generated, so the condition that  $M$  be a Noetherian  $R$ -module is in general stronger than the condition that  $M$  be a finitely generated  $R$ -module.

**Proposition** Let  $R$  be an integral domain and Let  $M$  be a free  $R$ -module of rank

$n < \infty$ . Then any  $n+1$  elements of  $M$  are  $R$  linearly dependent i.e for any  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_{n+1} \in M$  there are elements  $r_1, r_2, \dots, r_{n+1} \in R$  not all zero, such that  $r_1 y_1 + r_2 y_2 + \dots + r_{n+1} y_{n+1} = 0$

**Proof.** The quickest way of proving this is to embed  $R$  in its quotient field  $F$ .

since  $R$  is an integral domain and observe that since  $M \cong R^{\oplus n} \oplus R^{\oplus \dots} R$  ( $n$  times).

the latter is an  $n$ -dimensional vector space over  $F$ , so any  $n+1$  elements of  $M$  are  $F$  linearly dependent.

By clearing the denominators of the scalar, we obtain an  $R$ -linear dependence relation among the  $n+1$  elements of  $M$ .

If  $R$  is any integral domain and  $M$  is any  $R$ -module recall that

Torsion  $(M) = \{x \in M / rx = 0 \text{ for some nonzero } r \in R\}$

**Theorem** .  $R$  is a Noetherian if and only if every prime ideal is finitely generated.

**proof**

Assume  $R$  is Noetherian .

$T = \{I \mid I \text{ is an ideal of } R \text{ which is NOT finitely generated}\}$

By assumption  $T \neq \emptyset$

Now we used Zorn's lemma to show that  $T$  has a maximal element.

Let  $\{I_\alpha\}$  be a chain,

Let  $I = \bigcup I_\alpha$ .

Then  $I$  is an ideal.

we claim  $I$  is not finitely generated because if it is, then

$I = Rx_1 + Rx_2 + \dots + Rx_n$  for  $x_i \in I_\alpha$

Set  $r = \max \alpha_j$ , where  $j=1, 2, \dots, n$

where  $\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_j\} =$  totally ordered finite set.

$x_i \in I_r$  for all  $i$

By Zorn's lemma  $T$  has a maximal element say  $P$ .

we will show  $P$  is prime which will be a contradiction .

suppose  $\exists x \in R/P; y \in R/P$  with  $xy \in P$ .

Look at  $(x, P)$  is not a proper superset of  $P$  and  $P : x$  is not a proper superset of  $P$ .

By maximality of  $P, (P, x), (P : x)$  are finitely generated

$\Rightarrow (P : x) = Rx_1 + Rx_2 + \dots + Rx_n + \dots : Rx$

Assume  $x_1; x_2; \dots \in P$ .

But  $P = Rx_1 + Rx_2 + \dots + Rx_n + (P : x)x$

because if  $z \in P$

$\Rightarrow z \in (P : x) = Rx_1 + Rx_2 + \dots + Rx_n + Rx$

$\Rightarrow z = \lambda_1 x_1 + \lambda_2 x_2 + \dots + \lambda_n x_n + \lambda x$

$\Rightarrow \lambda x \in P$

$\Rightarrow \lambda \in (P : x)$ .

#### 4. Hilbert Basis Theorem

If  $R$  is a Noetherian Ring, then the polynomial ring  $R[x_1; x_2, \dots, x_n]$  is Noetherian.

Proof.

we may assume that  $n=1$ ,

we show that  $R$  is Noetherian

$\Rightarrow R[x]$  is Noetherian.

$I \subset R[x]$  be an  $R[x]$ -ideal.

Set

$I_n = \{a \in R \mid \exists f \in I \text{ with degree } n \text{ and leading coefficient } a\} \cup \{0\}$ .

Then  $I_n$  is an R-ideal.

(For all  $a; b \in I_n \ni$  two polynomial  $f; g$  of order  $n$  such that the leading coefficient of  $f; g$  are  $a; b$  respectively .

$\Rightarrow f - g$  is also a polynomial of degree  $n$  and leading coefficient of  $f - g$  is  $a - b$

$\Rightarrow a - b \in I_n$

Therefore  $(a \neq 0) \in R; a \in I_n, r$  is a polynomial of degree  $n$  and leading coefficient is  $ra$  .

$\Rightarrow ra \in I_n$

$I_n$  is an R-ideal.)

$(\forall a \in I_j \exists$  a polynomial  $f$  of degree  $j$  such that leading coefficient of  $f$  is  $a$  .Now consider  $xf$ . This is a polynomial of degree  $j + 1$  and leading coefficient is  $a$ . This implies  $a \in I_{j+1}$ )

Since  $R$  is Noetherian.

Let  $f_{n_i}; 1 \leq i \leq n; 0 \leq n \leq r$  be polynomial such that  $\deg f_{n_i} = n$  and leading coefficient of  $f_{n_i}; 1 \leq i \leq n$  generated  $I_n$ .

claim:  $\{f_{n_i}; 1 \leq i \leq n; 0 \leq n \leq r\} = W$  generates  $I$

By definition the leading coefficient of  $f_{n_i}$  generates  $I_n; \forall i$ .

Now let  $g(x) \in I; g \neq 0$ . By induction on  $\deg g$ ,

We show  $g \in (W)R[x]$ .

If degree of  $g$  equals 0 then  $g \in I \cup R \subset I_0 = Rf_{0_1} + \dots + Rf_{0_n}$

Assume by induction that the result is true for all  $\deg \leq n - 1$ .

Now let  $\deg g = n$ . Since the leading coefficient of  $g$  is  $I_n; \exists \lambda_i \in R$  with  $\deg(g - \sum \lambda_i f_{n_i}) \leq n - 1$

By induction we know  $f_{n_i} \in (W)T[x]$ .

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