

Math 654 Homework Assignment 4

1. Let $0 \rightarrow U \xrightarrow{\alpha} V \xrightarrow{\beta} W \rightarrow 0$ be a short exact sequence of R -modules. Prove that it is split if, and only if, there is an R -module homomorphism $\delta : V \rightarrow U$ such that $\delta \circ \alpha = \text{id}_U$.
2. Let $A \xrightarrow{\alpha} B \xrightarrow{\beta} C \rightarrow 0$ be an exact sequence of R -modules. Prove that under the induced maps,

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(C, D) \xrightarrow{\beta^*} \text{Hom}_R(B, D) \xrightarrow{\alpha^*} \text{Hom}_R(A, D)$$

is exact for any R -module D .

3. Let R be a commutative ring and let $A \xrightarrow{\alpha} B \xrightarrow{\beta} C \rightarrow 0$ be an exact sequence of R -modules. Prove that under the induced maps,

$$A \otimes_R D \xrightarrow{\alpha_*} B \otimes_R D \xrightarrow{\beta_*} C \otimes_R D \rightarrow 0$$

is exact for any R -module D . (*Hint: Look in Hungerford.*)

4. Prove that a direct sum $\bigoplus_{i \in I} P_i$ of R -modules is projective if, and only if, P_i is projective for all $i \in I$.
5. Let R be a principal ideal domain. Prove that every finitely generated projective R -module is free.
6. Let M, N be R -modules.
 - (a) Use #2 above to prove $\text{Ext}_R^0(M, N) \cong \text{Hom}_R(M, N)$.
 - (b) Assume R is commutative. Use #3 above to prove $\text{Tor}_0^R(M, N) \cong M \otimes_R N$.

For # 7,8, use the projective resolutions we found in class.

7. Let N be a \mathbb{Z} -module, and p a positive integer. Show that

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^0(\mathbb{Z}_p, N) \cong \{n \in N \mid pn = 0\}, \quad \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(\mathbb{Z}_p, N) \cong N/pN,$$

and $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^i(\mathbb{Z}_p, N) = 0$ for all $i \geq 2$.

8. Let \mathbb{F} be a field and $R = \mathbb{F}[x]/(x^2)$. Consider \mathbb{F} to be an R -module on which x acts as multiplication by 0. Show that $\text{Tor}_i^R(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{F}) \cong \mathbb{F}$ for all $i \geq 0$.
9. Let \mathbb{F} be a field, n a positive integer, $n \geq 2$, and $R = \mathbb{F}[x]/(x^n)$. Consider \mathbb{F} to be an R -module on which x acts as multiplication by 0.
 - (a) Construct a projective resolution of the R -module \mathbb{F} , similar to how it was done in class when $n = 2$.
 - (b) Use your projective resolution to find $\text{Ext}_R^i(\mathbb{F}, \mathbb{F})$ for each $i \geq 0$.
10. Let R be a ring. Prove that any direct summand of an injective R -module I is injective.