

• Let R be a field

• Def: An algebraic set is a set of the form:

$$V(f_1, \dots, f_t) = \left\{ \bar{x} \in \mathbb{A}_R^n \mid f_1(\bar{x}) = \dots = f_t(\bar{x}) = 0 \right\} \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$$

More generally, given an ideal $I \subseteq \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$

$$V(I) = \left\{ \bar{x} \in \mathbb{A}_R^n \mid f(\bar{x}) = 0 \quad \forall f \in I \right\}$$

• Remarks:

1) If $I = \langle f_1, \dots, f_t \rangle$ then $V(I) = V(f_1, \dots, f_t)$

2) Hilbert's Basis Theorem \Rightarrow every ideal in $\mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ is of this form.

• Def: Given an algebraic set $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$

$$I(V) = \left\{ \cancel{f \in \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]} f \in \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n] \mid f(a) = 0 \quad \forall a \in V \right\}$$

• Claim: $I(V)$ is an ideal.

• Lemma: If $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$ is an alg. set ~~then~~

$$V = V(I(V))$$

• Prop: Assume $R = \bar{R}$. ~~then~~ If $I \subseteq \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ is an ideal

$$I(V(I)) = \left\{ f \in \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n] \mid f^k \in I \text{ some } k \right\}$$

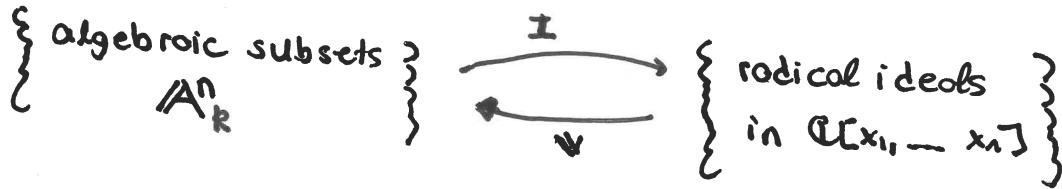
$$:= \sqrt{I}$$

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Thm: (Nullstellensatz I): Assume $k = \bar{k}$.

① ^{An ideal} $\mathfrak{m} \subseteq k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ is maximal $\Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{m} = \langle x_1 - a_1, \dots, x_n - a_n \rangle$
for some $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in k^n$.

② There is an inclusion reversing bijection



• Ex: $k = \mathbb{R}$

• $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle \subseteq \mathbb{R}[x]$ is maximal $\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle \neq \langle x - a \rangle$ for any $a \in \mathbb{R}$

• $V(\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle) = \emptyset$, $\mathbb{I}(\emptyset) = \mathbb{R}[x] \Rightarrow \mathbb{I}(V(\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle)) = \mathbb{R}[x]$

$$\neq \langle x^2 + 1 \rangle = \sqrt{\langle x^2 + 1 \rangle}$$

• Given a polynomial $f \in k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ there is a function

$$k^n \xrightarrow{f} k \quad \bar{x} \mapsto f(\bar{x})$$

Functions of this form are called polynomial functions on \mathbb{A}^n_k .

• Def: A polynomial function on an algebraic set $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n_k$ is a function $f: V \rightarrow k$ such that there exists a polynomial function $F: \mathbb{A}^n_k \rightarrow k$ w/

$$F|_V = f$$

- Def: Given an algebraic set $V \in \mathbb{A}^n_{\mathbb{R}}$ the coordinate ring of V is the ring

$$\mathbb{R}[V] = \left\{ V \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is a polynomial function on } V \right\}$$

under pointwise addition and multiplication.

- Prop: ① $\mathbb{R}[\mathbb{A}^n_{\mathbb{R}}] \cong \mathbb{R}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$

② $\mathbb{R}[V] \cong \mathbb{R}[x_1, \dots, x_n] / \mathcal{I}(V)$.

- Ex: Sometimes two polynomials define the same function

$$V = \mathbb{V}(y - x^2) \in \mathbb{A}^2_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$f = y$$

$$g = 2y - x^2$$

$$= 2y + (y - x^2) = y + 0$$

If $(x, y) \in V$ then $\xrightarrow{=0}$ so

+ sometimes polynomial functions do not look polynomial

- $V = \mathbb{V}(xy - 1) \in \mathbb{A}^2_{\mathbb{R}}$

$$f: V \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$(x, y) \longmapsto \frac{1}{x}$$

$$f = F|_V$$

$$F: \mathbb{A}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$(x, y) \longmapsto y$$

- $V = \mathbb{V}(x^2 + y^2 - 1) \in \mathbb{A}^2_{\mathbb{R}}$

$$g: V \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$(x, y) \longmapsto e^{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$g = G|_V$$

$$G: \mathbb{A}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$(x, y) \longmapsto e$$

- Lemma: Let $R \subseteq \mathbb{C}$. An algebraic subset $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$ is closed in the Euclidean topology on \mathbb{R}^n .

PF: $V = \mathbb{V}(f_1, \dots, f_t) \stackrel{\text{HBT}}{=} \bigcap_{i=1}^t \mathbb{V}(f_i)$

$$= \bigcap_{i=1}^t f_i^{-1}(\{0\})$$

\uparrow closed in Euclidean top
 \uparrow continuous in Euclidean top.

- Def: The Zariski-topology on \mathbb{A}_R^n is given by letting the closed sets be the algebraic sets.

- Lemma: This is a topology because

1) $\mathbb{V}(\langle 0 \rangle) = \mathbb{A}_R^n$

2) $\mathbb{V}(\langle 1 \rangle) = \emptyset$

3) $\mathbb{V}(I) \cup \mathbb{V}(J) = \mathbb{V}(IJ)$

4) $\mathbb{V}(\{F_i\}_{i \in \Delta}) \cup \mathbb{V}(\{G_i\}_{i \in \Delta'}) = \mathbb{V}(\{F_i, G_i\}_{i \in \Delta \cup \Delta'})$

- The Zariski topology on an algebraic set $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$ is the subspace topology; closed sets are of the form

$$V \cap Z$$

for $Z \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$ an algebraic set.

- Fact: $S \subseteq \mathbb{A}_R^n$ then $\bar{S} = \mathbb{V}(I(S))$.

- Zariski closed \Rightarrow Euclidean closed } convex is false
- Zariski open \Rightarrow Euclidean open

• Def: Let $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n_{\mathbb{R}}$ and $W \subseteq \mathbb{A}^m_{\mathbb{R}}$. A morphism of algebraic varieties from V to W is a function $V \xrightarrow{f} W$ such that there exists polynomial map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{A}^n & \xrightarrow{F} & \mathbb{A}^m \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ V & \xrightarrow{f} & W \end{array}$$

• Here by polynomial map we mean $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mapsto (F_1(\bar{x}), F_2(\bar{x}), \dots, F_m(\bar{x}))$ for polynomials $F_i \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$.

• Remarks 1) morphisms are cts in the Zariski topology

2) morphisms need not be closed, i.e. send subvarieties to subvarieties

$$\begin{array}{ccc} V(xy-1) \subseteq \mathbb{A}^2 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{A}^1 \cong \mathbb{A}^1 \setminus \{0\} \\ (x,y) & \longmapsto & y \end{array}$$

• Def: Two algebraic sets V and W are isomorphic \Leftrightarrow there exists morphisms

$$V \xrightarrow{f} W \quad W \xrightarrow{g} V$$

such that $g \circ f = \text{Id}_V$ and $f \circ g = \text{Id}_W$.

- A f.g. reduced \mathbb{K} -algebra $\cong \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]/I$
for $I \subseteq \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ radical ideal.

• Thm: (Nullstellensatz II): Assume $\mathbb{K} = \bar{\mathbb{K}}$

1) IF $F: V \rightarrow W$ is a morphism then

$$\mathbb{C}[W] \xrightarrow{F^*} \mathbb{C}[V]$$

$$\mathfrak{J} \longmapsto \mathfrak{J} \circ F$$

is a morphism of \mathbb{K} -algebras.

2) IF $\mathbb{C}[y_1, \dots, y_m]/J \xrightarrow{\sigma} \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n]/I$ is a morphism

of \mathbb{K} -algebras w/ J and I radical, let $F_i \in \mathbb{C}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$

be any polynomials such that $\sigma(y_i) = F_i \text{ mod } I$. Then

$$\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{K}}^n \xrightarrow{(F_1, \dots, F_m)} \mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{K}}^m$$

is a polynomial morphism that sends $V(I)$ to $V(J)$.

This induced map is independent of choice

3) The map F from (2) has $F^* = \sigma$.

4) V and W are isomorphic $\Leftrightarrow \mathbb{C}[V] \cong \mathbb{C}[W]$ as \mathbb{K} -algebras

5) There is an anti-equivalence of categories



• Def: Projective n -space over \mathbb{R} is the set

$$\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n = \left\{ \text{one-dimensional subspaces } \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \right\}$$

• Lemma:

$$\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n = (\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\}) / \sim$$

where $(a_0, \dots, a_n) \sim (b_0, \dots, b_n)$

$$\Leftrightarrow \exists \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^* \quad (\lambda a_0, \dots, \lambda a_n) = (b_0, \dots, b_n)$$

• A point in $\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n$ can be thought of as an equivalence class

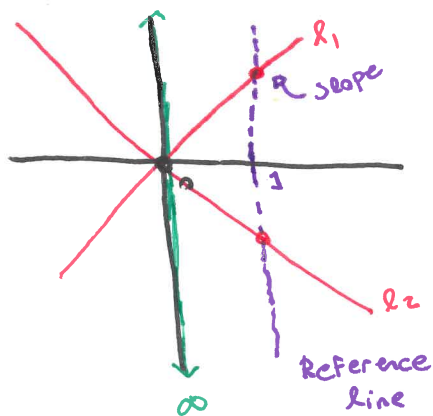
$$[(a_0, \dots, a_n)] = \left\{ (\lambda a_0, \dots, \lambda a_n) \mid \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^* \right\}$$

with some $a_i \neq 0$. we write $[a_0 : a_1 : \dots : a_n]$ for this class and call a_0, \dots, a_n the homogeneous coordinates.

↑ only defined up to scaling by non-zero $\neq 1$.

• Ex: $[1 : 2 : 3] = [6 : 12 : 18] \neq [5 : 12 : 18]$.

• Ex: $\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{C}}^1$



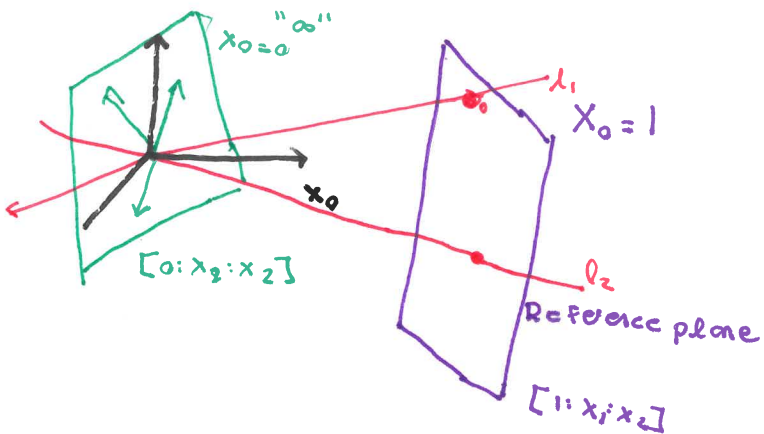
$$\mathbb{P}^1 \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$[x_0 : x_1] \longmapsto \begin{cases} \frac{x_1}{x_0} & x_0 \neq 0 \\ \infty & x_0 = 0 \end{cases}$$

• ∞ $[0 : 1]$



• Ex: $\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{C}}^2$



$$\mathbb{P}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \cup \mathbb{C}^2$$

$$[x_0 : x_1 : x_2] \longmapsto \begin{cases} (\frac{x_1}{x_0}, \frac{x_2}{x_0}) & x_0 \neq 0 \\ [x_1 : x_2] & x_0 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbb{P}^2 = \mathbb{C}^2 \cup \mathbb{C}^1 \cup \{\infty\}$$

• The above idea generalizes.

• Lemma: For $i=0, 1, \dots, n$ let

$$U_i = \{ [x_0 : \dots : x_n] \in \mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n \mid x_i \neq 0 \}$$

1) There is a bijection

$$\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n \xrightarrow{\psi_i} U_i \cup \mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^{n-1}$$

$$[x_0 : \dots : x_n] \longmapsto \begin{cases} (\frac{x_0}{x_i}, \dots, \frac{x_{i-1}}{x_i}, \dots, \frac{x_{i+1}}{x_i}, \dots, \frac{x_n}{x_i}) & x_i \neq 0 \\ [x_0 : \dots : \hat{x}_i : \dots : x_n] & x_i = 0 \end{cases}$$

2) $\psi|_{U_i}$ is a bijection w/ U_i

$$3) \mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n = \bigcup_{i=0}^n U_i$$

4) $\psi_j \circ \psi_i^{-1} : \psi_i(U_i \cap U_j) \longrightarrow \psi_j(U_i \cap U_j)$ are rational functions in the coordinates on $\mathbb{A}_{\mathbb{R}}^n$.

• Ex: $\psi_n \circ \psi_0^{-1}(a_1, \dots, a_n)$

$$= \psi_n(\psi_0^{-1}(a_1, \dots, a_n)) = \psi_n([1, a_1, \dots, a_n])$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{a_n}, \frac{a_1}{a_n}, \dots, \frac{a_{n-1}}{a_n} \right)$$

• $\psi_j \circ \psi_i^{-1}(a_1, \dots, a_n)$

$$= \psi_j(\psi_i^{-1}(a_1, \dots, a_n)) = \psi_j([a_1, \dots, a_{i-1}, 1, a_i, \dots, a_n])$$

$$= \left(\frac{a_1}{a_j}, \dots, \frac{a_{i-1}}{a_j}, \frac{1}{a_j}, \dots, \frac{a_i}{a_j}, \dots, \frac{a_n}{a_j} \right)$$

• Fact: $R = \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}$, makes $\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{R}}^n$ a compact \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C} -manifold.

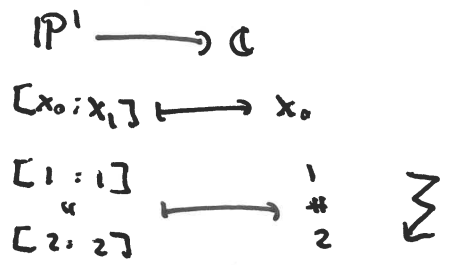
• Fact: There are no non-constant functions $\mathbb{P}_{\mathbb{C}}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

• Def: A polynomial $F \in \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ is homogeneous

\Leftrightarrow every term has same degree

$$\Leftrightarrow F(\lambda x_0, \dots, \lambda x_n) = \lambda^{\deg(F)} F(x_0, \dots, x_n) \quad \forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}^*$$

• Ex: Warning homogeneous polynomials are not functions on \mathbb{P}^n



- However, given $f_1, \dots, f_t \in \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ homogeneous

$$V(f_1, \dots, f_t) = \{ \bar{a} \in \mathbb{P}_R^n \mid f_1(\bar{a}) = \dots = f_t(\bar{a}) = 0 \}$$

is well-defined subset of \mathbb{P}_R^n .

- Def: A set of the form $V(f_1, \dots, f_t)$ is a projective variety.

More generally of the form

$$V(I) = \{ \bar{a} \in \mathbb{P}_R^n \mid f(\bar{a}) = 0 \ \forall f \in I \}$$

for a homogeneous ideal $I \subseteq \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n]$

↳ ideal generated by homogeneous elements.

- Def: If $V \subseteq \mathbb{P}_R^n$ is a projective variety.

$$I(V) = \{ f \in \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n] \mid f(\bar{a}) = 0 \ \forall \bar{a} \in V \}$$

- Lemma: $I(V)$ is an ideal.

- Thm: (Projective Nullstellensatz): Assume $k = \bar{k}$

1) ~~Let~~ $I \subseteq \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ then

$$V(I) = \emptyset \iff \langle x_0, \dots, x_n \rangle^t \subseteq I \text{ for some } t \geq 0$$

2) If $V(I) \neq \emptyset$ then

$$I(V(I)) = \sqrt{I}$$

Thm (cont.)

3) There is a inclusion reversing bijection

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Projective subvarieties} \\ \mathbb{P}^n_{\mathbb{C}} \end{array} \right\} \longleftrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{radical homogeneous ideals} \\ \neq \langle x_0, \dots, x_n \rangle \text{ in} \\ \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n] \end{array} \right\}$$

• Facts 1) If $R \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ then projective varieties are compact in the Euclidean topology

2) Projective varieties are the compactifications (in both topologies) of affine varieties

3) Projective subvarieties are covered by ~~algebraic~~ algebraic sets

• Def: The homogeneous coordinate ring of $V \subseteq \mathbb{P}^n_{\mathbb{C}}$ is $\mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n] / \mathcal{I}(V)$

↑
Warning these are not functions on V .

• Def: The Zariski topology on $\mathbb{P}^n_{\mathbb{C}}$ is given by letting the closed sets be projective subvarieties. The Zariski topology on $V \subseteq \mathbb{P}^n_{\mathbb{C}}$ is the subspace topology.

• Def: A morphism between projective subvarieties $U \subseteq \mathbb{P}^n$, $W \subseteq \mathbb{P}^m$ is a function $U \xrightarrow{F} W$ if for all $p \in U$ there exists $F_0, \dots, F_m \in \mathbb{C}[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ homogeneous of the same degree and on Zariski open neighborhood $p \in U \subseteq V$ s.t.

$$F|_U = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} U & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{P}^m \\ \bar{x} & \longmapsto & [F_0(\bar{x}) : \dots : F_m(\bar{x})] \end{array} \right]$$

• Ex: $C = V(zx - y^2) \subseteq \mathbb{P}^2$

$$C \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$$

$$[x:y:z] \longmapsto \begin{cases} [x:y] & x \neq 0 \\ [y:z] & z \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

If $[x:y:z] \in C$ then $x=0$ or $z=0$ but not both

Further if $x \neq 0$ and $z \neq 0$

$$[x:y] = [\lambda y : y^2] = [x y : x z] = [y : z]$$

• Def: Two projective subvarieties are isomorphic iff there exists mutual inverse morphisms

• Ex: $\mathbb{P}^1 \longrightarrow C$

$$[s:t] \longmapsto [s^2 : st : t^2]$$

verify this is the inverse to the above

• Ex: Warning C and \mathbb{P}^1 are isomorphic but

$$\frac{\mathbb{C}[x, y, z]}{\langle xz - y^2 \rangle} \neq \mathbb{C}[s, t]$$

- Recall: A locally closed subset of a top. space X is a closed subset of an open subset, i.e.

$$U \cap Z \subseteq X$$

\uparrow open \uparrow closed

- Def: A quasi-projective variety is a locally closed subset \mathbb{P}_k^n .

• ~~Pf~~

Lemma: The following are quasiprojective varieties:

- 1) projective varieties
- 2) ~~affine varieties~~ algebraic sets
- 3) open subsets of the above.

• Ex: 1) $\mathbb{A}_k^1 \setminus \{0\} \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^1 \subseteq \mathbb{P}^1$ is quasiprojective.

2) $(k^*)^n = \mathbb{P}^n \setminus \mathbb{V}(x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n)$ is quasiprojective.

• Pf: If $f \in k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ then $f^h = x_0^d f\left(\frac{x_1}{x_0}, \dots, \frac{x_n}{x_0}\right) \in k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ where $d = \deg(f)$. Note f^h is homog of degree d

• If $x_0 \neq 0$ then $f^h(x_0, \dots, x_n) = 0 \iff f\left(\frac{x_1}{x_0}, \dots, \frac{x_n}{x_0}\right) = 0$

So if $V = \mathbb{V}(f_1, \dots, f_t) \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^n$ then

$$V = \mathbb{V}(f_1^h, \dots, f_t^h) \cap \underbrace{D(x_0)}_{x_0 \neq 0} \subseteq \mathbb{P}_k^n$$

• Def: A morphism of quasi-projective varieties $V \subseteq \mathbb{P}^n$ and $W \subseteq \mathbb{P}^m$ if there is a function $F: V \rightarrow W$ st $\forall p \in V$ there exists homogeneous polynomials $F_0, \dots, F_m \in K[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ of the same degree and a open subset $U \subseteq V$ such that

$$F|_U = \begin{array}{ccc} V & \longrightarrow & W \\ p & \longmapsto & [F_0(p) : \dots : F_m(p)]. \end{array}$$

• Ex: $V = V(xy - 1) \subseteq \mathbb{A}^2$ and $W \subseteq \mathbb{A}^1 \setminus \{0\}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} W & \xrightarrow{F} & V \\ t & \longmapsto & (t, \frac{1}{t}) \end{array}$$

view $W \subseteq \mathbb{P}^1$ by $t \mapsto [t:1]$ and $V = V(xy - z^2) \subseteq \mathbb{P}^2$
 $z \neq 0$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{F}} & \mathbb{P}^2 \\ [a:b] & \longmapsto & [a^2:b^2:ab] \end{array}$$

$$(x,y) \mapsto [x:y:1]$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ W & \xrightarrow{F} & V \end{array}$$

$$t = \frac{a}{b} \quad \bar{F}([t:1]) = [t^2:1:t] = [t:\frac{1}{t}:1]$$

• Def: A quasi-projective variety is affine iff it is isomorphic to some algebraic set $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n_{\mathbb{R}}$ for some n .

• Def: If W is a quasi-projective affine variety then the coordinate ring of W is $\mathbb{C}[W] \cong \mathbb{C}[V]$ for any $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n_{\mathbb{R}}$ w/ $W \cong V$.

- Warning: We must check that if $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^n$ and $W \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^n$ are algebraic sets isomorphic as quasiprojective varieties $\Rightarrow V$ & W are isomorphic as algebraic set

• Ex: $\mathbb{C}[\mathbb{A}^1 \setminus \{0\}] \cong \frac{\mathbb{C}[x, y]}{\langle xy - 1 \rangle} \cong \mathbb{C}[t, t^{-1}]$

- Fact: We could redefine projective variety, but this does not change things.

- Ex: Let $V = V(\mathfrak{g}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{g}_t) \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^n$ and $f \in \mathbb{C}[V]$ then the set $U_f = V \setminus V(f)$ is quasiprojective.

- Lemma: If $V = V(\mathfrak{g}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{g}_t) \subseteq \mathbb{A}_k^n$ and $f \in \mathbb{C}[V]$ then $U_f = V \setminus V(f)$ is affine and $\mathbb{C}[U_f] \cong \mathbb{C}[V]_{(f)}$

- Pf: Think of $U_f \subseteq V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n$ and consider the map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U_f & \xrightarrow{F} & \mathbb{A}^{n+1}_{x_1, \dots, x_n, z} \\ (x_1, \dots, x_n) & \longmapsto & (x_1, \dots, x_n, \frac{1}{f(x_1, \dots, x_n)}) \end{array}$$

This is well-defined on $f \neq 0$ on U_f . The image is

$$V(\mathfrak{g}_1, \dots, \mathfrak{g}_t, z-1)$$

Argue as above

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• Warning: $A^2 \setminus \{0\} = A^2 \setminus \langle x, y \rangle$ is not affine

• Lemma: Every quasiprojective variety is covered by affine varieties.

Pf: View $V \subseteq \mathbb{P}_R^n$ then $\forall n U_i \subseteq U_i \cong A^n$ is quasiprojective

and then $\forall n U_i = V(f_1, \dots, f_t) \setminus V(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)$ for $f_i, \theta_j \in R[x_1, \dots, x_n]$

these are then covered by $V(f_1, \dots, f_t) \setminus V(\theta_i)$

• Def: Let $U \subseteq V$ be an open subset of an affine variety k , and $U \xrightarrow{f} k$ a function

1) the function is regular at $p \in U$, iff $\exists h, g \in \mathbb{C}[V]$ such that $h(p) \neq 0$ and $\exists U' \ni p$ open st. $f|_{U'} = \frac{g}{h}$.

2) f is regular on U iff it is regular $\forall p \in U$.

write $\mathcal{O}_V(U)$ for the ring of regular functions wrt pointwise addition/multiplication

• Ex: $U = A^2 \setminus V(x) \xrightarrow{\quad} k$
 $(x, y) \longmapsto \frac{y}{x}$

• Thm: Let $V \subseteq A^n_k$ be an alg. set then $\mathbb{C}[V] \cong \mathcal{O}_V(V)$.

\uparrow global regular functions are restrictions of a global function $A^n \rightarrow k$

• Def: Let $U \subseteq V$ be an open subset of a quasiprojective variety, and $U \xrightarrow{f} k$ a function

1) the function is regular at $p \in U$ iff $\exists p \in U' \subseteq U$ w/ U' affine st. f is regular at $p \in U'$

2) f is regular on U iff it is regular $\forall p \in U$

write $\mathcal{O}_V(U)$ for the ring of regular functions on U .

• Lemma: 1) \mathcal{O}_V is a sheaf of \mathbb{R} -algebras

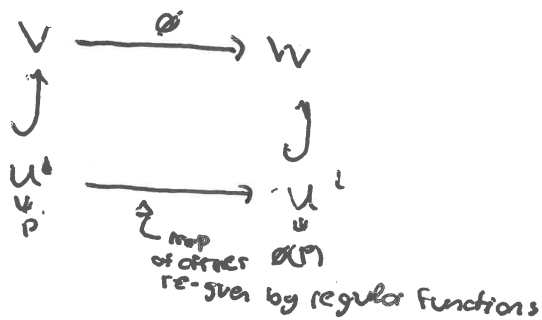
2) If $f: V \xrightarrow{F} W$ is a morphism of quasiprojective varieties for all $U \subseteq W$ open and $f \in \mathcal{O}_W(U)$

$$f \circ F \in \mathcal{O}_V(F^{-1}(U))$$

i.e. F induces a map of sheaves.

• Def: A function $V \xrightarrow{F} W$ of quasi-projective varieties is a morphism

$\Leftrightarrow \forall p \in V$ there exists affine open neighborhoods $U \subseteq V$ and $V(p) \subseteq W$



• Def: An abstract algebraic variety is a top. space V and a sheaf of \mathbb{k} algebras \mathcal{O}_V s.t. there is an open cover $V = \bigcup U_i$

where $(U_i, \mathcal{O}_V|_{U_i})$ is isomorphic to (W_i, \mathcal{O}_{W_i}) w/ this affine

• Informally $(\{V_\alpha\}, \{V_\beta\}, \{g_{\alpha\beta}\})$

\uparrow affine variety \uparrow affine open subset \uparrow isomorphism: $g_{\alpha\beta}: V_\alpha \rightarrow V_\beta$

$$g_{\alpha\alpha} = 1$$

$$g_{\beta\alpha}|_{V_\beta \cap V_\alpha} \circ g_{\alpha\beta}|_{V_\alpha \cap V_\beta} = g_{\alpha\alpha}|_{V_\alpha \cap V_\alpha}$$

$$X = \bigcup V_\alpha / \sim$$

$$a \sim b \Leftrightarrow g_{\alpha\beta}(a) = b$$

$$\sim \mid \sim$$