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Lecture 21

Last time: let X be a complete variety $Y = \text{Spec } A$
a scheme, L a line bundle on $X_A = X_Y = X \times_{\mathbb{K}} Y$.

Let $0 \rightarrow F^0 \xrightarrow{\delta^0} F^1 \xrightarrow{\delta^1} \dots$ be the usual
Grothendieck complex, $Q = \text{coker}((F^1)^{\vee} \xrightarrow{(\delta^0)^{\vee}} (F^0)^{\vee})$.

Know that $p_{2*}(L \otimes_A M) \cong \text{Hom}_A(Q, M)$ for any
 A -module M . Let W be the locus on which L is
trivial, i.e. $y \in Y$ s.t. $L|_{X_y}$ is trivial. Fix a point $y \in W$.
Then, shrinking Y around y if necessary, $Q \cong A/J$. Let
 $Y_1' = \text{Spec}(A/J)$. The locus on which the nat'l map

$$d: p_2^* p_{2*} L|_{X_{y_1}} \longrightarrow L|_{X_{y_1}}$$

is an isomorphism, contains the fibre $p_2^{-1}(y)$.

Let Z be the union of the support of $\ker(d)$ and
 $\text{coker}(d)$. Then Z is closed in $X \times_{\mathbb{K}} Y_1'$, and
 $p_2^{-1}(y) \cap Z = \emptyset$. Therefore $p_2(Z)$ is closed subset of Y_1'
and does not contain y . Therefore we can find an
open subscheme Y_1 of Y_1' such that Y_1 contains y and
 $L|_{X_{Y_1}} \xrightarrow{\cong} p_2^* M$ for some M (in fact $M = p_{2*} L$). Shrink
 Y so that Y_1 is closed in Y .
Since we are examining the situation in a neighborhood

of y , we may assume $M \cong \mathcal{O}_{Y_1}$.

Claim: Suppose $f: Z \rightarrow Y$ is a morphism of \mathbb{K} -schemes
such that \exists a line bundle K on Z and an isomorphism
 $p_2^*(K) \cong (1 \times f)^*(L)$ on $X \times Z$, then f factors as

$$Z \longrightarrow Y_i \subset Y.$$

Proof of claim: WLOG can assume $k \cong \mathbb{O}_Z$.

Also can assume $Z = \text{Spec } B$. We have a map $A \longrightarrow B$ ($Z \rightarrow Y$) and we want to prove it factors as $A \longrightarrow A_f \longrightarrow B$.

Let $F_B^\bullet = F^\bullet \otimes_A B$, $\mathcal{O}_B = \mathcal{O} \otimes_A B$. It is clear that F_B^\bullet is the Grothendieck complex for $B: X_{k,Z} \rightarrow Z$. Since \otimes -product is right exact, $\mathcal{O}_B = \text{coker}(F_1^\bullet \otimes_A B \rightarrow F_0^\bullet \otimes_A B)$.

Hence, for any B -module N ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hom}_B(\mathcal{O} \otimes_A B, N) &\cong \text{Hom}_B(L_Z \otimes_B N) \\ &\cong \text{Hom}_B(\mathcal{O}_{X_{k,Z}} \otimes_B N) \\ &\cong \text{Hom}_B(\mathcal{O}_{X_{k,Z}}) \otimes N \quad (\text{proj formula}) \\ &\cong \mathbb{O}_Z \otimes N \\ &\cong N. \end{aligned}$$

In particular, taking $N=B$, get

$$\text{Hom}_B(B/J_B, B) \cong B. \quad (\text{since } \mathcal{O} \cong A_f)$$

The left side is the sub-module of B consisting of element $b \in B$ s.t. $J \cdot b = 0$. Therefore the R.S. is also killed by elements from J . Thus $J \cdot B = 0$. Hence $A \longrightarrow B$ must factor as $A \longrightarrow A_f \longrightarrow B$.

The discussion more or less proves the following Proposition.

Proposition: Let X be a complete variety, Y any scheme and L a line bundle on $X \times Y = X \times Y$. Then $\exists!$ closed subscheme $Y_1 \hookrightarrow Y$ having the following properties:

(a) if L_1 is the restriction of L to $X \times Y_1$, there is a l.b. M_1 on L_1 and an isomorphism $p_2^* M_1 \cong L_1$ on $X \times Y_1$,

(b) if $f: Z \rightarrow Y$ is any morphism s.t. \exists a line bundle K on Z and an isomorphism $(1 \times f)^* L \cong p_2^*(K)$ on $X \times Z$, then f can be factored as $Z \rightarrow Y_1 \hookrightarrow Y$.

Proof: If Y_1^* is another closed subscheme with these properties, then Y_1 and Y_1^* are closed subschemes of each other and hence $Y_1^* = Y_1$. So uniqueness is clear.

Suppose Y_1 exists. By the projection formula (or Kunneth), if $p_2^* M_1 \cong L_1$ then $M_1 \cong p_{2*} L_1$. Therefore to show $\exists M_1$ is equivalent to showing $p_{2*}(L_1)$ is an invertible sheaf, and the nat'l map $p_2^* p_{2*}(L_1) \rightarrow L_1$ is an isomorphism.

In view of these statements, we are reduced to proving that \exists an open cover $\{U_i\}$ of Y s.t. the proposition holds for $X \times U_i \rightarrow U_i$ and the restriction of L to $X \times U_i$. But we have proved exactly this. //

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Theorem: Let X and Y be complete varieties, Z a connected k -scheme, and L a line bundle on $X \times Y \times Z$ whose restrictions to $\{x_0\} \times Y \times Z$, $X \times \{y_0\} \times Z$ and $X \times Y \times \{z_0\}$ are trivial for some $x_0 \in X$, $y_0 \in Y$, and $z_0 \in Z$. Then L is trivial.

Proof: Let Z' be the maximal closed subscheme of Z over which L is trivial. Note $z_0 \in Z'$ and hence $Z' \neq \emptyset$. We have to show $Z' = Z$. Since Z is connected it is enough to show that if a point belongs to Z' , Z' contains an open neighbourhood (open subscheme of Z) of that point. Let us denote this point z_0 .

Set $\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M}_{z_0}$ - the maximal ideal of \mathcal{O}_{Z, z_0} .

Let $\mathcal{I} = \mathcal{I}_{z_0}$, where \mathcal{I} is ideal sheaf of Z' .

Note $\mathcal{I} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$.

We have to show that $\mathcal{I} = 0$.

By Krull's 0th theorem

$$\bigcap_{n \geq 0} \mathcal{M}^n = 0.$$

Suppose $\mathcal{I} \neq 0$. We know $\mathcal{I} \subseteq \mathcal{M}$. There exists an integer $n > 0$ such that

$$\mathcal{M}^n \supseteq \mathcal{I}, \quad \mathcal{M}^{n+1} \not\supseteq \mathcal{I}.$$

So $\frac{\mathcal{M}^{n+1} + \mathcal{I}}{\mathcal{M}^{n+1}} \left(\subset \frac{\mathcal{M}^n}{\mathcal{M}^{n+1}} \right)$ is a non-zero

k -vector space. Let $\mathcal{J}_1 = \mathcal{M}^{n+1} + \mathcal{I}$. We can find \mathcal{J}_2 s.t. $\mathcal{M}^{n+1} \subset \mathcal{J}_2 \subset \mathcal{J}_1$ such that

$$\dim_k \frac{J_1}{J_2} = 1.$$

so

$$J_1 = J_2 + a \cdot k$$

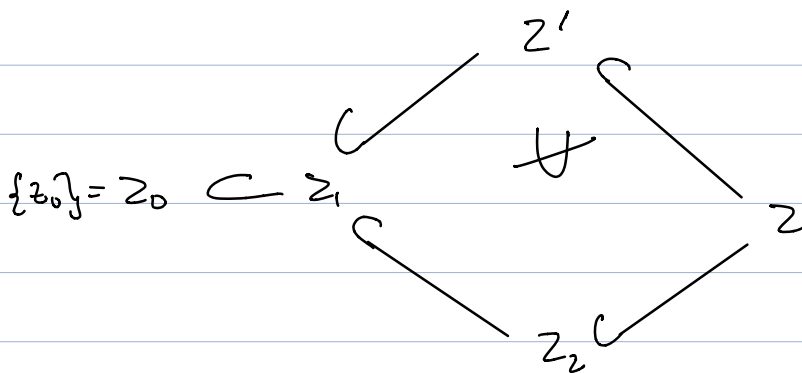
for some $a \in J_1$. Moreover ~~$J_2 \not\subseteq I$~~ . $J_2 \neq I$

error.



Let $J_0 = \mathcal{M}$.

Let $\Sigma_i =$ closed subscheme of Z consisting of the single point z_0 with structure sheaf $\mathcal{O}_{Z, z_0}/J_i$.



Let L_0, L_1, L_2 be the restrictions of L to $X \times Y \times Z_0, X \times Y \times Z_1, X \times Y \times Z_2$

We have an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{Z_0} \xrightarrow{\text{multiplication by } a} \mathcal{O}_{Z_2} \xrightarrow{\text{restriction}} \mathcal{O}_{Z_1} \longrightarrow 0$$

Therefore on the top. space $X \times Y \times Z_0$ we have an

exact sequence of sheaves

$$0 \longrightarrow L_0 \xrightarrow{\text{mult. by } a} L_2 \xrightarrow{\text{restriction}} L_1 \longrightarrow 0$$

We know $\mathcal{O}_{X \times Y \times Z_1} \xrightarrow{\sim} L_1$. Therefore we have a

nowhere vanishing $s = \lambda(1)$ on L_1 . It is easy

to see that L_2 is trivial if and only if s can

be lifted to a section s' of L_2 . Such a section s' is necessarily nowhere vanishing.

Therefore if we can show that $\xi \in H^1(X \times Y \times Z_0, L_0)$ is zero where ξ is the image of s under the connecting map $H^0(X \times Y, L_1) \rightarrow H^1(X \times Y, L_0)$, then L_2 is trivial.

Since the restrictions of L to $X \times \{y_0\} \times Z$ and $\{x_0\} \times Y \times Z$ are trivial, the restriction of L to $X \times \{y_0\} \times Z_1$ and $\{x_0\} \times Y \times Z_1$ are also trivial, hence the restrictions of s to $X \times \{y_0\} \times Z_1$ and $\{x_0\} \times Y \times Z_1$ can be lifted to $L|_{X \times \{y_0\} \times Z_2}$, $L|_{\{x_0\} \times Y \times Z_2}$.

This means that the image of ξ by the maps $H^1(X \times Y, \mathcal{O}_{X \times Y}) \rightarrow H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$ and $H^1(X \times Y, \mathcal{O}_{X \times Y}) \rightarrow H^1(Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)$ are zero. By the Kunneth formula, $H^1(X \times Y, \mathcal{O}_{X \times Y}) \cong H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X) \oplus H^1(Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)$, and hence ξ is zero.

Thus L_2 is trivial, where $Z_2 \subset Z'$ a contradiction. //