

open, closed embeddings
f: Spec A → Spec B

Pre-images:

$$f: X \rightarrow Y \quad (X, Y = \text{schemes})$$

$$f^{-1}(Z) \rightarrow Z$$

$$A \leftarrow B$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$A/\mathfrak{f}A \leftarrow B/\mathfrak{f}B$$

locally defined as:
 $f^{-1}(Z) = X \times_Y Z$

locally: $\text{Spec } A \xrightarrow{f} \text{Spec } B$

$$\uparrow \quad \uparrow$$

$$\text{Spec}(A \otimes_B B/\mathfrak{f}) \rightarrow \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}$$

$$f^{-1}(\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}) = \text{Spec } A/\mathfrak{f}A$$

via $\varphi: B \rightarrow A$

Scheme-theoretic image (1) Local subcase: $f: \text{Spec } A \rightarrow \text{Spec } B \rightsquigarrow f(\text{Spec } A) \subseteq \text{Spec } B$
is defined as $\overline{f(\text{Spec } A)} \subseteq \text{Spec } B$.

$f(\text{Spec } A) = V(\mathfrak{f})$, $\mathfrak{f} \subseteq B$ → scheme str. $\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}$ - problem: what is \mathfrak{f} ?

$$\text{Spec } A \xrightarrow{f} \text{Spec } B$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}$$

$$A \xleftarrow{\varphi} B$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$B/\mathfrak{f}$$

best choice of \mathfrak{f} : $\mathfrak{f} = \text{Ker } \varphi$.

$$\Rightarrow B/\mathfrak{f} \hookrightarrow A$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Spec } A \rightarrow V(\mathfrak{f}) \text{ closed}$$

$$\text{Spec } B \xrightarrow{\downarrow} \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f} = V(\mathfrak{f})$$

Thus: $\mathfrak{f} = \text{Ker } \varphi \Rightarrow \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}$ is the smallest scheme str. on $f(\text{Spec } A)$ such that f goes through it.

(i.e. if $\mathfrak{f}' \subseteq B$ st: $\text{Spec } A \rightarrow \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}'$

$$\text{Spec } A \rightarrow \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}'$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}'$$

(2) $X \xrightarrow{f} \text{Spec } B$

(no good situation: $f: X \rightarrow Y$)

$\text{Spec } A$ does not suffice (with f) do "slice"

$$f: f^{-1}(\text{Spec } B) \rightarrow \text{Spec } B \quad (\text{open set})$$

$$X = \bigcup \text{Spec } A_i$$

$$A_i \rightarrow (A_i)_{\text{red}} = A_i/\mathfrak{p}_i$$

$$X_{\text{red}} = \bigcup \text{Spec } (A_i)_{\text{red}}$$

Special cases: (i) $D(f) \subseteq \text{Spec } A$ ($f \in A$), what is $D(f) \subseteq \text{Spec } A$?

$$\text{Spec } A_f \xrightarrow{\text{①}} \text{Spec } A$$

recipe of ①: $A \xrightarrow{\varphi} A_f$

$$\text{Ker } \varphi = \{a \in A \mid \frac{a}{f} = 0 \text{ in } A_f\} = \{a \mid \exists n, f^n a = 0\}$$

$$= (0 : f^\infty) \subseteq A$$

$$\Rightarrow \overline{D(f)} = \text{Spec } A / (0 : f^\infty)$$

(ii) generalize: $\text{Spec } A \setminus V(\mathfrak{f}) \hookrightarrow \text{Spec } A$ ($\mathfrak{f} \subseteq A$ ideal) ex: $A^2 - \{(0,0)\} = \text{Spec } k[x,y] \setminus V(x,y)$

Goal: find a canonical scheme str. on \overline{U} (we met this before: $V(\mathfrak{I}) \setminus V(\mathfrak{f})$, es. strict transform of the blow up)

Situation of (2): $\mathfrak{f} = (f_1, \dots, f_n) \rightarrow V(\mathfrak{f}) = \bigcap V(f_i) \Rightarrow A \rightarrow A_f$ (v.i.)

before: $\overline{\text{Spec } A \setminus V(\mathfrak{f})} = V((0 : \mathfrak{f}^\infty))$ $U = \bigcup D(f_i)$ $\mathfrak{I} = \bigcap (0 : f_i^\infty) = (0 : \mathfrak{f}^\infty)$

now: $\text{Spec } A / (0 : \mathfrak{f}^\infty) = \text{st} \dots$ ($\text{Spec } A/\mathfrak{I} \subseteq \text{Spec } A$ will be the st.u.)

does not need to be reduced. $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$
 $X_{\text{red}} \rightarrow Y_{\text{red}} = \overline{f(X)}$

$$X = \bigcup \text{Spec } A_i \rightsquigarrow f: \text{Spec } A_i \rightarrow \text{Spec } B \xrightarrow{\cong} A_i \xleftarrow{\varphi_i} B$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}$$

(*)

\mathfrak{f} exists for $\varphi_i \leftarrow \mathfrak{f} \subseteq \text{Ker } \varphi_i$

$\Rightarrow \mathfrak{f}_\varphi = \bigcap \text{Ker } \varphi_i$ is the max. \mathfrak{f} satisfy (*) (v.i.)

Smallest subcase such that f go through!

$$= \text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}_\varphi \subseteq \text{Spec } B$$

Remark: $\text{Spec } B/\mathfrak{f}_\varphi = \overline{f(X)} \subseteq \text{Spec } B$ (will be on Ex. 6)

Remark: $f: X \rightarrow \text{Spec } B \xrightarrow{\cong} B \xrightarrow{\varphi} \Gamma(X, \mathcal{O}_X) \rightarrow A_i$
 $\mathfrak{f}_\varphi \stackrel{(*)}{=} \text{Ker } \varphi$

Elimination $A^n \xrightarrow{\pi} A^{n-1}$
 $(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mapsto (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1})$
 $V(\mathcal{F}) \xrightarrow{\pi} \pi(V(\mathcal{F}))$
 $Ker \pi = \{f \in \mathcal{F} \mid f(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathcal{F}\}$
 $= \mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{F}'$
 ex: $A^3 \rightarrow A^2$
 $V(\mathcal{F}) = \{x-z, y-z\}$
 $\pi(V(\mathcal{F})) = V(\mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{F}') = V(x-y)$

Ex (K-val. pts)
 $X = Spec R[x] = A^1_R \xrightarrow{\cong} R^1$
 $(x \mapsto r) \xrightarrow{\cong} r$
 Problem: (x^2+1)
 $Y = Spec C[x] = A^1_C \xrightarrow{\cong} C^1$
 $(x \mapsto c) \xrightarrow{\cong} c$

"K-rational points of a scheme" $K = \text{field}$
 Yoneda-Lemma replace objects by fields: X -scheme $\rightsquigarrow X(S) = \text{Mbr}_{S, X}(S, X)$
 $\text{Sch} \xrightarrow{\text{functor}} \text{Fun}_{S \rightarrow \text{Sch}}(\cdot, X)$
 Special case: $S = \text{Spec } K$
 $X(K) := X(\text{Spec } K) =$ "set of K-rational points"
 $p \in X(K) \iff \text{Spec } K \xrightarrow{p} X$
 • cont. map: $pt \rightarrow X \iff \text{closed pt } x \in X$
 • replace X by $\text{Spec } A$
 $\text{Spec } K \rightarrow \text{Spec } A \iff A \xrightarrow{y} K$ ($x \in \text{Spec } A \iff x \in [P \subseteq A \text{ PI}]$)
 $P = \text{ker } y = y^{-1}(0) \iff (0)$
 $\iff A/P \xrightarrow{y} K \iff K(P) \hookrightarrow K$
 $\{A\} = \text{fun. fld. on } \{ \text{Spec } A \}$
 $A \rightarrow A/P \hookrightarrow \text{Quot } A/P \xrightarrow{\cong} K(P)$ (residue field)
 $a \mapsto a \mapsto a \mapsto a(P) = \bar{a}$
 Remark: $\mathcal{O}_{X, P} \xrightarrow{\cong} m_P \xrightarrow{\cong} K(P) = \mathcal{O}_{X, P} / m_P = (A/P)_{(P)} / m_P \cong K(P)$

$Y = \text{scheme over Spec } C \iff Y \rightarrow \text{Spec } C$
 $Y(C) = \text{Mbr}(\text{Spec } C, Y) = \{p \in Y \mid K(p) \hookrightarrow C\}$
 $\mathcal{O} \hookrightarrow K$
 $\mathcal{O} \hookrightarrow C$
 $K(p) \hookrightarrow C$
 $K(p) = C[x, y] / (x-c, y-d) = C$
 $(0) \implies K(0) = C[x, y] / (0) = C[x, y]$
 $K(P) = C[x, y] / (x-c, y-d) = C$
 C -val. pts of a C -scheme = closed pts of the scheme.

$X = \text{Spec } R[x]$ as scheme over $\text{Spec } R$
 $X(R) = \{p \in X \text{ and } K(p) \hookrightarrow R\}$
 $A^1_R(R) = R^1$
 no candidates for K (as R -algebra): $R \rightarrow R$
 $R \hookrightarrow C$
 $p = (x-c), (x^2+1), (0)$
 $K(x-c) = R[x] / (x-c) = R$
 $K(x^2+1) = R[x] / (x^2+1) \cong C$
 $K(0) = R[x]$

$A^1_R(C) = \{p \in X \text{ and } K(p) \hookrightarrow C\}$
 $(A^1_R \rightarrow R)$
 $\implies (x^2+1) \in A^1_R$ carries two C -val. pts!
 $(0) \implies K(0) = R[x]$
 $(x-c) \implies K(x-c) = R$
 $(x^2+1) \implies R[x] / (x^2+1) \xrightarrow{\cong} C$
 induce exactly one C -val. pt.
 $R[x] / (x^2+1) \xrightarrow{\cong} C$
 Remark: $Y \rightarrow \text{Spec } k, \mathcal{F} = \bar{x}$ $\rightsquigarrow Y(k) = \{\text{closed pts of } Y\}$

$\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2})$
 $\sqrt{2} \mapsto -\sqrt{2}$
 $S := \text{Spec } R[\varepsilon] / \varepsilon^2 \supseteq S_{\text{red}} = \text{Spec } R[\varepsilon] / (\varepsilon) = \text{Spec } R$
 $X = R$ -scheme $\rightsquigarrow X(S) = \text{Der}(R, R)$ (via id. $X(\text{Spec } R) = \{ \text{Spec } R \rightarrow R \}$)
 Let $f: \text{Spec } R[\varepsilon] / \varepsilon^2 \rightarrow X$
 $\triangleleft x \in X$, closed point \rightsquigarrow choose $x \in \text{Spec } A \subseteq X$ (open)
 $(x \neq P \subseteq A \text{ maximal ideal})$
 ring hom: $\mathcal{O}_A \rightarrow R$, additive, R -linear
 $d(a) = \bar{a} + \varepsilon \cdot d(a)$
 $d(ab) = \bar{a} \cdot d(b) + \bar{b} \cdot d(a) = (\bar{a} + \varepsilon d(a))(\bar{b} + \varepsilon d(b))$
 $= \bar{a}\bar{b} + \varepsilon(\bar{a}d(b) + \bar{b}d(a) + d(a)d(b))$
 $= \bar{a}\bar{b} + \varepsilon(\bar{a}d(b) + \bar{b}d(a) + d(a)d(b))$ Leibniz rule
 \mathcal{O}_A becomes an R -module via $A/P \xrightarrow{\cong} R$

A -alg, $M=A$ -module
 Def: $d: A \rightarrow M$ "derivation" \iff $d = \mathbb{R}$ -linear
 $d(ab) = a \cdot d(b) + b \cdot d(a)$
 We set $X = \mathbb{R}$ -scheme, $\mathbb{R} = \bar{\mathbb{R}}$
 $X(\mathbb{R}(c)/\mathbb{Z}(c)) = \{x \in X(\mathbb{R}) \text{ and a derivation } d: \mathcal{O}_{X,x} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$
 closed pts \implies (vertices A from before: $\mathcal{O}_{X,x} = A_f$)
 $(A, m) = \text{local ring}$
 $\text{Der}_{\mathbb{R}}(A, \mathbb{R}) = \text{Hom}_A(m, \mathbb{R})$
 $d \longmapsto d|_m$
 $d(a \cdot m) = a \cdot d(m) + m \cdot d(a) = a \cdot d(m)$
 $d(ca) = c \cdot d(a) + a \cdot d(c) \implies d(ca) = 0$
 $d(c \cdot 1) = c \cdot d(1) + 1 \cdot d(c) \implies d(c) = 0$
 $\mathbb{R} \hookrightarrow A \xrightarrow{d} A/m = \mathbb{R}$
 $d: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is local: $d(a) = \frac{a - \bar{a}}{a - \bar{a}}$
 $a \in A \rightarrow A/m = \mathbb{R}$
 $a \mapsto \bar{a}$
 $a - \bar{a} \in m \subset A$
 $\mathbb{R}(a - \bar{a})$ is defined.
 $d(a) = d(a - \bar{a}) = d(a - \bar{a}) = \frac{a - \bar{a}}{a - \bar{a}}$

$\text{Der}_{\mathbb{R}}(A, \mathbb{R}) = \text{Hom}_A(m, \mathbb{R}) = \text{Hom}_A(m/m^2, \mathbb{R}) = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{R}}(m/m^2, \mathbb{R}) = (m/m^2)^*$
 $\mathbb{R} \text{ vs } m/m^2, \mathbb{R} = A/m$ -module \iff \mathbb{R} -vs. m -alls both
 Theorem: $\text{Mov}(\text{Spec } \mathbb{R}(c)/\mathbb{Z}(c), X) = \{(x \in X, d \in \text{Der}_x(\mathcal{O}_{X,x}, \mathbb{R})) \text{ and } d \in T_x^* X\}$
 Remark: $m_{X,x}/m_{X,x}^2 = T_{X,x}^*$
 2 ways to believe d.s.: $X = \text{pt}, x \in X$
 e.g. $X = \mathbb{R}^n, x = 0$ tangent vector $t \in T_{\mathbb{R}^n, 0} = \mathbb{R}^n$
 $t \in T_{x_0}, f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \rightsquigarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(0) = \text{dir. der. of } f \text{ in dir. } t$
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \cdot (f \circ \gamma) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a derivative!
 $f = f \circ \gamma$ must operate on $f \in m/m^2$
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \cdot (f \circ \gamma) = \langle t, f'(0) \rangle$
 $\{ \text{directional derivatives} \}$
 $f = f \circ \gamma$ must operate on $f \in m/m^2$
 Ex-ple: $X = A_{\mathbb{C}}^1 \rightsquigarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{C}[x_1, x_2]$
 $X = V(y^2 - x^3) \subset \mathbb{C}^2$
 $T_x = T_{\mathbb{C}^2} = \mathbb{C}^2$
 $\mathbb{R}(x)/\mathbb{Z}(x) = \mathbb{R}(x)/\mathbb{Z}(x) = \mathbb{R}$
 $m/m^2 = T_{x,0}^*$
 $(x)/\mathbb{Z}(x) = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{C}}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \cong \mathbb{C}^n$

Fin. denseness assumptions
 $X = \text{scheme (locally } X \supset \text{Spec } A)$
 $X = \text{scheme over } S \iff X \rightarrow S$ e.g. $S = \text{Spec } \mathbb{R}$
 $Y = \dots$
 Def: $X = \text{locally noetherian} \iff \exists$ open covering $X = \bigcup \text{Spec } A_i$ st: $A_i = \text{noeth. rings}$
 Prop: If $\text{Spec } B \subseteq X$ as an open subset, $X = \text{l. noeth.} \implies B = \text{noeth.}$
 Proof: $\text{Spec } B \subseteq X \supseteq \text{Spec } A_i \implies \exists$ covering of $\text{Spec } B \cap \text{Spec } A_i$ by $\bigcup U_{\nu_i}$
 $U_{\nu_i} = \text{"nice" w.r. to } B$
 $\text{Spec } C_{\nu_i}, C_{\nu_i} = B_{(f_i)} = [A_i]_{(f_i)} = \text{noeth.}$
 $\implies B = \text{noeth.}$
 \implies we get an open covering of $\text{Spec } B$ by $\text{Spec } B_{(f_i)}$ st. $B_{(f_i)} = \text{noeth.}$
 $(f_i |_{i \in I}) = (1) \implies \exists \text{ finite } I' \subseteq I, (f_i |_{i \in I'}) = (1)$
 $\implies \text{Spec } B = \bigcup_{i \in I'} \text{Spec } B_{(f_i)}$

Claim: $B_f = \text{noeth.} \xrightarrow{(\exists)}$ $B = \text{noeth.}$ $(f_i) = (1)$
 Proof: $\mathcal{J} \subseteq B$ ideal $\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{J}_f \subseteq B_f \implies \exists \mathcal{J}_f = (\frac{b_1}{f}, \dots, \frac{b_n}{f})$ st. $L_{\mathcal{J}_f} \in \mathcal{J}$
 $\mathcal{J}' := (\mathcal{J}_f) \subseteq B \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{J}' \subseteq \mathcal{J}$
 $\mathcal{J}'_f \neq \mathcal{J}_f$
 $\forall P \in \text{Spec } B \exists i, P \in \text{Spec } B_{(f_i)} \implies B \rightarrow B_{(f_i)} \rightarrow B_P$
 $B \rightarrow B_f$ f.s. algebra $B_f = B[\frac{1}{f}]$; B_P local $I \subseteq A$ $I_P = (f_1, \dots, f_n) \rightsquigarrow (f_1, \dots, f_n) \subseteq A_P$
 Def: $X = \text{noeth. scheme} \iff$ l. noeth., open $\iff \exists$ finite covering by affine $\text{Spec } A_i \iff X = \text{quasi-compact}$
 Proof: $X = \bigcup_{i=1}^n \text{Spec } A_i$ quasi-compact. $(\forall$ open coverings you may select)
 $X = \bigcup_{\nu \in I} U_{\nu} \implies \text{Spec } A_i = \bigcup (\text{Spec } A_i \cap U_{\nu})$. Here, ν_i finitely many ν suffice! (a finite sub covering)
 Remark: $X = \text{noeth. scheme} \implies X = \text{noeth. top. space}$ (i.e. ascending chain of open subsets terminate)
 $U \subseteq X, Z \subseteq X$ subscheme $\implies U \cap Z = \text{noeth.}$