

MAT 536 Problem Set 6

Homework Policy. Please read through all the problems. Please solve 5 of the problems. I will be happy to discuss the solutions during office hours.

Problems.

Problem 1.(Effaceable monomorphisms). Let \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{B} be Abelian categories. Let

$$R = ((R^n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\delta_{R, \Sigma}^n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}),$$

be a cohomological δ -functor (typically we assume that the functors are zero for $n < 0$). Recall that a monomorphism in \mathcal{A} ,

$$u : A \hookrightarrow I,$$

is **R -effaceable in degree n** if the associated morphism in \mathcal{B} ,

$$R^n(u) : R^n(A) \rightarrow R^n(I),$$

is the zero morphism.

(a) For objects A, I and J of \mathcal{A} , for monomorphism,

$$u : A \hookrightarrow I, \quad v : A \hookrightarrow J,$$

prove that the associated monomorphism,

$$(u, v) : A \hookrightarrow I \oplus J$$

is R -effaceable in degree n if and only if both u and v are R -effaceable in degree n .

(b) For objects A, I and J of \mathcal{A} , for every pair of monomorphisms,

$$u : A \hookrightarrow I, \quad v : A \hookrightarrow J,$$

that are both R -effaceable in degree n , prove that there are commutative diagrams of short exact sequences whose rows are quotients of monomorphisms that are R -effaceable in degree n ,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \Sigma : & 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{u} & I & \xrightarrow{\bar{u}} & \text{Coker}(u) & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & q_1 \downarrow & & \text{Id}_A \downarrow & & \downarrow q_1 & & \downarrow \bar{q}_1 & & \\ \Sigma \oplus T : & 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{(u,v)} & I \oplus J & \xrightarrow{\overline{(u,v)}} & \text{Coker}(u,v) & \longrightarrow & 0 \end{array},$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \Sigma : & 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{v} & J & \xrightarrow{\bar{u}} & \text{Coker}(v) & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & q_2 \downarrow & & \text{Id}_A \downarrow & & \downarrow q_2 & & \downarrow \bar{q}_2 & & . \\ \Sigma \oplus T : & 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{(u,v)} & I \oplus J & \xrightarrow{(\bar{u},\bar{v})} & \text{Coker}(u,v) & \longrightarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

(c) For a cohomological δ -functor,

$$G = ((G^n : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\delta_{G,\Sigma}^n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}),$$

let

$$(\gamma^m : R^m \Rightarrow G^m)_{m < n}$$

be a sequence of natural transformations that commute with the morphisms $(\delta_{R,\Sigma}^m)_{m < n-1}$ and $(\delta_{G,\Sigma}^m)_{m < n-1}$ in the usual way. For every short exact sequence in \mathcal{A} ,

$$\Sigma : 0 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow{u} I \xrightarrow{\bar{u}} C \longrightarrow 0,$$

such that u is R -effaceable in degree n , define

$$\gamma_{\Sigma}^n(A) : R^n(A) \rightarrow G^n(A),$$

to be the unique morphism such that the following diagram commutes,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} R^{n-1}(I) & \xrightarrow{R^{n-1}(\bar{u})} & R^{n-1}(C) & \xrightarrow{\delta_{R,\Sigma}^{n-1}} & R^n(A) & \xrightarrow{0} & R^n(I) \\ \gamma^{n-1}(I) \downarrow & & \gamma^{n-1}(C) \downarrow & & \downarrow \gamma_{\Sigma}^n(A) & & . \\ G^{n-1}(I) & \xrightarrow{G^{n-1}(\bar{u})} & G^{n-1}(C) & \xrightarrow{\delta_{G,\Sigma}^{n-1}} & G^n(A) & \xrightarrow{G^n(u)} & R^n(I) \end{array}$$

For every commutative diagram of short exact sequences in \mathcal{A} ,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \Sigma : & 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{u} & I & \xrightarrow{\bar{u}} & C & \longrightarrow & 0, \\ & u \downarrow & & u_A \downarrow & & \downarrow u_I & & \downarrow u_C & & \\ \tilde{\Sigma} : & 0 & \longrightarrow & \tilde{A} & \xrightarrow{\tilde{u}} & \tilde{I} & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\bar{u}}} & \tilde{C} & \longrightarrow & 0, \end{array}$$

such that both u and \tilde{u} are R -effaceable in degree n , carefully chase through the “commuting cube” argument from lecture to prove that the following diagram commutes,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R^n(A) & \xrightarrow{R^n(u_A)} & R^n(\tilde{A}) \\ \gamma_{\Sigma}^n(A) \downarrow & & \downarrow \gamma_{\tilde{\Sigma}}^n(\tilde{A}) \\ G^n(A) & \xrightarrow{G^n(u_A)} & G^n(\tilde{A}) \end{array}$$

(d) Now, applying (c) to the two commutative diagrams from (b), prove that the morphisms $\gamma_{\Sigma}^n(A)$ and $\gamma_T^n(A)$ are equal.

(e) Finally, for every short exact sequence in \mathcal{A} ,

$$\Pi : 0 \longrightarrow K \xrightarrow{q} A \xrightarrow{p} Q \longrightarrow 0,$$

prove that also the following composite monomorphism is R -effaceable in degree n ,

$$K \xrightarrow{q} A \xrightarrow{u} I.$$

Thus, there is a commutative diagram of short exact sequences in \mathcal{A} ,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \Pi : 0 & \longrightarrow & K & \xrightarrow{q} & A & \xrightarrow{p} & Q & \longrightarrow & 0, \\ w \downarrow & & \text{Id}_K \downarrow & & \downarrow u & & \downarrow w & & \\ \tilde{\Pi} : 0 & \longrightarrow & K & \xrightarrow{u \circ q} & I & \xrightarrow{p} & \text{Coker}(u \circ q) & \longrightarrow & 0 \end{array}.$$

Mimic the “commuting cube” argument for the cube associated to this diagram to conclude that the following diagram commutes,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R^{n-1}(Q) & \xrightarrow{\delta_{R,\Pi}^{n-1}} & R^n(K) \\ \gamma^{n-1}(Q) \downarrow & & \downarrow \gamma_{\Pi}^n(K) \\ G^{n-1}(Q) & \xrightarrow{\delta_{G,\Pi}^{n-1}} & G^n(K) \end{array}$$

(f) Assume that for every object A of \mathcal{A} there exists a monomorphism,

$$u : A \hookrightarrow I,$$

that is R -effaceable in degree n . Conclude that there exists a unique extension of $(\gamma^m)_{m < n}$ to a sequence of natural transformations,

$$(\gamma^m : R^m \Rightarrow G^m)_{m \leq n},$$

that commutes with the morphisms $(\delta_{R,\Sigma}^m)_{m < n}$ and $(\delta_{G,\Sigma}^m)_{m < n}$ in the usual way. Assuming that for every integer $r \geq n$, for every object A of \mathcal{A} there exists a monomorphism,

$$u : A \hookrightarrow I,$$

that is R -effaceable in degree n . Conclude that there exists a unique extension of $(\gamma^m)_{m < n}$ to a natural transformation of cohomological δ -functors,

$$\gamma = (\gamma^m : R^m \Rightarrow G^m)_{m \in \mathbb{Z}}.$$

Finally, if also R is concentrated in degrees $\geq m$, conclude that $R^m \rightarrow R$ is initial among all natural transformations from R^m to a cohomological δ -functor concentrated in degrees $\geq m$.

Problem 2. For a right-exact additive functor $F : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$, for a homological δ -functor

$$L = ((L_m : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B})_{m \geq 0}, (\delta_m^{L, \Sigma})_{m \geq 1}),$$

that is coeffaceable in degrees ≥ 0 , for a natural equivalence of functors $\alpha : L_0 \rightarrow F$, prove *carefully* that α is final among all natural transformations $\beta : G_0 \rightarrow F$ from a homological δ -functor concentrated in degrees ≥ 0 ,

$$G = ((G_m : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B})_{m \geq 0}, (\delta_m^{G, \Sigma})_{m \geq 1}).$$

It is a good idea to use opposite categories to guide you, but please check the details carefully. Conclude that if \mathcal{A} has enough projective objects, then every right-exact additive functor F has an extension to a universal homological δ -functor (that is essentially unique).

Problem 3.(Balancing derived bifunctors.) Let \mathcal{A} , \mathcal{B} and \mathcal{C} be Abelian categories. Let

$$T : \mathcal{A} \times \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$$

be a bifunctor, i.e., an assignment to every objects A of \mathcal{A} and to every object B of \mathcal{B} of an object $T(A, B)$ of \mathcal{C} , an assignment to every object A of \mathcal{A} and all objects B, \tilde{B} of \mathcal{B} of set maps,

$$T_{A,-} : \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{B}}(B, \tilde{B}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(T(A, B), T(A, \tilde{B})),$$

and an assignment to every object B of \mathcal{B} and all objects A, \tilde{A} of \mathcal{A} of set maps,

$$T_{-,B} : \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{A}}(A, \tilde{A}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(T(A, B), T(\tilde{A}, B)),$$

making all assignments,

$$T_{A,-} : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}, \quad T_{-,B} : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C},$$

functors, and such that for every morphism in \mathcal{A} ,

$$a : A \rightarrow \tilde{A},$$

and for every morphism in \mathcal{B} ,

$$b : B \rightarrow \tilde{B},$$

the following diagram in \mathcal{C} commutes,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T(A, B) & \xrightarrow{T_{A,-}(b)} & T(A, \tilde{B}) \\ T_{-,B}(a) \downarrow & & \downarrow T_{-, \tilde{B}}(a) \\ T(\tilde{A}, B) & \xrightarrow{T_{\tilde{A},-}(b)} & T(\tilde{A}, \tilde{B}) \end{array}$$

(a) For every morphism $a : A \rightarrow \tilde{A}$, prove that the assignment to every object B of \mathcal{B} of the morphism,

$$T_{-,B}(a) : T_{A,-}(B) \rightarrow T_{\tilde{A},-}(B)$$

is a natural transformation of functors,

$$T_{a,-} : T_{A,-} \Rightarrow T_{\tilde{A},-}.$$

Prove that $T_{\text{Id}_A,-}$ is the identity natural transformation, and prove that $a \mapsto T_{a,-}$ is compatible with composition. Similarly, for every morphism $b : B \rightarrow \tilde{B}$, prove that the assignment to every object A of \mathcal{A} of the morphism,

$$T_{A,-}(b) : T_{-,B}(A) \rightarrow T_{-,\tilde{B}}(A)$$

is a natural transformation of functors,

$$T_{-,b} : T_{-,B} \Rightarrow T_{-,\tilde{B}}.$$

Prove that the rule $b \mapsto T_{-,b}$ is also compatible with identity and composition.

(b) Now assume, further, that all $T_{A,-}$ and $T_{-,B}$ are right-exact additive functors. For every object A of \mathcal{A} , let

$$LT_{A,-} = ((L_n T_{A,-} : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C})_{n \geq 0}, (\delta_n^{LT_{A,-}, \Sigma})_{n > 0}),$$

be a coeffaceable homological δ -functor extending $T_{A,-}$. For every morphism $a : A \rightarrow \tilde{A}$ in \mathcal{A} , prove that the natural transformations $T_{a,-}$ uniquely extend to natural transformations of homological δ -functors,

$$(L_n T_{a,-} : L_n T_{A,-} \Rightarrow L_n T_{\tilde{A},-})_{n \geq 0}.$$

(c) Assume the following strong hypotheses.

(H1) The category \mathcal{A} has enough projective objects.

(H2) For every projective object P of \mathcal{A} , the corresponding functor $T_{P,-}$ is exact.

Thus, for every object B of \mathcal{B} , there exists a left derived functor

$$LT_{-,B} = ((L_n T_{-,B} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{C})_{n \geq 0}, (\delta_n^{LT_{-,B}, T})_{n > 0}),$$

extending $T_{-,B}$. Also, since $T_{P,-}$ is an exact functor, every $L_n T_{P,-}$ is zero for all $n > 0$. For an object A of \mathcal{A} , let Σ be a short exact sequence in \mathcal{A} ,

$$T : 0 \longrightarrow K \xrightarrow{u} P \xrightarrow{v} A \longrightarrow 0,$$

such that P is a projective object. Denote $T_{A,-}$ by $\widehat{L}^0 T_{T,-}$. Prove that the maps $\delta_1^{LT_{-,B}, T}$ assemble to give a natural equivalence of functors $\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$,

$$\delta_1^{LT_{-,B}, T} : L_1 T_{-,B}(A) \Rightarrow \text{Ker}(T_{a,-} : T_{K,-}(B) \rightarrow T_{P,-}(B)).$$

Denote this common functor by $\widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(B)$. Prove that this is an additive functor in B .

(d) Next, for every short exact sequence in \mathcal{B} ,

$$\Sigma : 0 \longrightarrow B' \xrightarrow{q} B \xrightarrow{p} B'' \longrightarrow 0,$$

use exactness of $T_{P,-}$ to deduce that the following is a commutative diagram in \mathcal{C} with exact rows,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} T_{K,-}(\Sigma) : & T_{K,-}(B') & \xrightarrow{T_{K,-}(q)} & T_{K,-}(B) & \xrightarrow{T_{K,-}(p)} & T_{K,-}(B'') & \longrightarrow 0, \\ T_{v,-}(\Sigma) \downarrow & T_{v,-}(B') \downarrow & & \downarrow T_{v,-}(B) & & \downarrow T_{v,-}(B'') & \\ T_{P,-}(\Sigma) : & 0 & \longrightarrow & T_{P,-}(B') & \xrightarrow{T_{P,-}(q)} & T_{P,-}(B) & \xrightarrow{T_{P,-}(p)} & T_{P,-}(B'') & \longrightarrow 0, \end{array}$$

Apply the Snake Lemma to this commutative diagram to prove that $\widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}$ is half-exact and to construct morphisms in \mathcal{C}

$$\delta_1^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma} : \widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(B'') \rightarrow T_{A,-}(B),$$

that are functorial in Σ and such that the following sequence in \mathcal{C} is exact,

$$\widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(B) \xrightarrow{\widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(q)} \widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(B'') \xrightarrow{\delta_1^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma}} T_{A,-}(B') \xrightarrow{T_{A,-}(q)} T_{A,-}(B).$$

Moreover, from commutativity of the following square,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L_1 T_{K,-}(B'') & \xrightarrow{\delta_1^{LT_{K,-},\Sigma}} & T_{K,-}(B') \\ L_1 T_{u,-}(B'') \downarrow & & \downarrow T_{u,-}(B') \\ L_1 T_{P,-}(B'') & \xrightarrow{\delta_1^{LT_{P,-},\Sigma}} & T_{P,-}(B'), \end{array}$$

and the fact that $L_1 T_{P,-}$ is the zero functor, conclude the existence of a unique factorization

$$\delta_2^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma} : L_1 T_{K,-}(B'') \rightarrow \widehat{L}T_{T,-}(B'),$$

of $\delta_1^{LT_{K,-},\Sigma}$, and conclude that the following sequence in \mathcal{C} is exact,

$$L_1 T_{K,-}(B) \xrightarrow{L_1 T_{K,-}(v)} L_1 T_{K,-}(B'') \xrightarrow{\delta_2^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma}} \widehat{L}T_{T,-}(B') \xrightarrow{\widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(u)} \widehat{L}_1 T_{T,-}(B).$$

For every $n \geq 2$, define

$$\widehat{L}_n T_{T,-} = L_{n-1} T_{K,-}, \quad \delta_{n+1}^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma} = \delta_n^{LT_{K,-},\Sigma}.$$

Prove that the induced sequence,

$$\widehat{L}T_{T,-} = ((\widehat{L}_n T_{T,-})_{n \geq 0}, (\delta_n^{\widehat{L}T_{T,-},\Sigma})_{n \geq 1}),$$

is a homological δ -functor extending $T_{A,-}$.

(e) Using (d) and the universality of $LT_{A,-}$, conclude that there exists a unique natural transformation of homological δ -functors,

$$(\theta_{T,n} : \widehat{L}_n T_{T,-} \Rightarrow L_n T_{A,-})_{n \geq 0}.$$

In particular, for $n = 1$, this gives morphisms in \mathcal{C} ,

$$\theta_{T,1} : L_1 T_{-,B}(A) \rightarrow L_1 T_{A,-}(B).$$

(f) Finally, assume Hypotheses (H1) and (H2) also apply to \mathcal{B} and the functors $T_{-,Q}$ for projective objects Q of \mathcal{B} . For every object B of \mathcal{B} and for every projective resolution in \mathcal{B} ,

$$\Pi : 0 \longrightarrow H \longrightarrow Q \longrightarrow B \longrightarrow 0,$$

repeat the arguments above to conclude the existence of a homological δ -functor $\widehat{L}T_{-, \Pi}$ and a unique natural transformation of homological δ -functors

$$(\eta_{\Pi,n} : \widehat{L}_n T_{-, \Pi} \Rightarrow L_n T_{-,B})_{n \geq 0}.$$

In particular, for $n = 1$, this gives morphisms in \mathcal{C} ,

$$\eta_{\Pi,1} : L_1 T_{A,-}(B) \rightarrow L_1 T_{-,B}(A).$$

Use the proof of uniqueness of natural transformations to left-derived functors to conclude that $\theta_{T,1}$ and $\eta_{\Pi,1}$ are inverse isomorphisms. In particular, use this to conclude that the morphisms $\theta_{T,1}$ and $\eta_{\Pi,1}$ are independent of the choices of projective resolutions T and Π . Finally, applying $\theta_{T,n}$ to the short exact sequence Π and use induction on n to conclude that every morphism,

$$\theta_{T,-}(B) : L_n T_{K,-}(B) \rightarrow L_{n+1} T_{A,-}(B),$$

is an isomorphism. From this conclude the existence of a binatural isomorphism,

$$L_2 T_{A,-}(B) \cong L_1 T_{K,-}(B) \cong L_1 T_{B,-}(K) \cong L_2 T_{B,-}(A).$$

Iterating this argument, prove by induction that for every integer $n \geq 1$ there is a binatural isomorphism,

$$L_n T_{A,-}(B) \cong L_n T_{-,B}(A).$$

(g) Let R be an associative, unital ring. Let \mathcal{A} be the category of right R -modules. Let \mathcal{B} be the category of left R -modules. Let \mathcal{C} be the category of Abelian groups. Let $T(A, B)$ be the tensor product $A \otimes_R B$. Prove that $(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, T)$ satisfies the hypotheses above. Thus there are canonical isomorphisms,

$$L_n(A \otimes_R -)(B) \cong L_n(- \otimes_R B)(A).$$

These common Abelian groups are denote by $\text{Tor}_n^R(A, B)$, the Tor groups.

(h) Similarly, let \mathcal{A} be the category of left R -modules, let \mathcal{B} be the opposite category of the category of left R -modules, and let \mathcal{C} be the opposite category of the category of Abelian groups. Now let $T(A, B)$ be $\text{Hom}_{R\text{-mod}}(A, B)$ (it takes some time to unwind all the opposite categories!). Prove that this datum also satisfies the hypotheses above. The common Abelian groups are denoted by $\text{Ext}_R^n(A, B)$, the Ext groups.

Problem 4. Let R be \mathbb{Z} . Let A and B be \mathbb{Z} -modules. Recall that there is a short exact sequence of Abelian groups,

$$T : 0 \rightarrow A_{\text{tor}} \rightarrow A \rightarrow A_{\text{free}} \rightarrow 0,$$

where A_{tor} is the subgroup of all finite order elements of A , where the quotient group A_{free} is torsion-free.

(a) Review the theorem of finitely generated Abelian groups. In particular, note that the short exact sequence T is (non-canonically) split. For every integer $n \geq 0$, conclude the existence of short exact sequences that are (non-canonically) split,

$$\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(\Sigma, B) : 0 \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A_{\text{tor}}, B) \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A_{\text{free}}, B) \rightarrow 0.$$

In particular, for $n = 0$, there is a short sequence,

$$T \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \text{Id}_B : 0 \rightarrow A_{\text{tor}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B \rightarrow A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B \rightarrow A_{\text{free}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B \rightarrow 0.$$

(b) Recall from the structure theorem that every finitely generated, torsion-free Abelian group is free of finite rank. Conclude that for all $n > 0$, $\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A_{\text{free}}, B)$ is a zero group (thus canonically isomorphic to “the” zero group). Thus, for every $n > 0$, there is a canonical isomorphism,

$$\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A_{\text{tor}}, B) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A, B).$$

Also, conclude that there is a canonical short exact sequence,

$$0 \rightarrow A_{\text{tor}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B \rightarrow (A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B)_{\text{tor}} \rightarrow A_{\text{free}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B_{\text{tor}} \rightarrow 0,$$

as well as a canonical isomorphism,

$$A_{\text{free}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B_{\text{free}} \rightarrow (A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B)_{\text{free}}.$$

(c) Recall from the structure theorem that for every finitely generated, torsion Abelian group A_{tor} there is an increasing sequence of nonnegative integers $\underline{e} = (e_0, \dots, e_m)$ with

$$1 < e_0, e_0 | e_1, \dots, e_k | e_{k+1}, \dots, e_{m-1} | e_m$$

and a sequence of positive integers (r_0, \dots, r_m) such that there is an isomorphism,

$$A_{\text{tor}} \cong (\mathbb{Z}/e_0\mathbb{Z})^{\oplus r_0} \oplus \dots \oplus (\mathbb{Z}/e_m\mathbb{Z})^{\oplus r_m}.$$

The isomorphism is not canonical. However, this isomorphism does reduce the computation of the *isomorphism class* of $\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A_{\text{tor}}, B)$ as a \mathbb{Z} -module to the computation of every isomorphism class of the \mathbb{Z} -module,

$$\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z}, B).$$

Use the free resolution,

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{e} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0,$$

to prove that there is an isomorphism of Abelian groups,

$$\text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z}, B) \cong B_e := \{b \in B \mid e \cdot b = 0\},$$

and for every $n > 1$, $\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z}, B)$ is a zero group.

(d) For those who know about colimits, prove that every \mathbb{Z} -module A is a filtering colimit of finitely generated \mathbb{Z} -modules. Since tensor product commutes with filtering colimits, conclude that all of the functors Tor_n commute with filtering colimits. In particular, conclude that for every \mathbb{Z} -module A , finitely generated or not, for every integer $n \geq 2$, $\text{Tor}_n^{\mathbb{Z}}(A, B)$ is a zero group.

Problem 5. Repeat the steps of the previous problem to compute the Ext groups $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^n(A, B)$ when A is a finitely generated \mathbb{Z} -module. In particular, conclude that for every $n \geq 1$, $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^n(A_{\text{free}}, B)$ is zero, there is an isomorphism of \mathbb{Z} -modules,

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(\mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z}, B) \cong B/eB,$$

and for every $n \geq 2$, $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^n(\mathbb{Z}/e\mathbb{Z}, B)$ is a zero group. Again use commutation of the functor $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(-, B)$ with filtering colimits to conclude that for every \mathbb{Z} -module A , for every $n \geq 2$, $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^n(A, B)$ is a zero group. This property is denoted by saying that \mathbb{Z} has *global homological dimension* 1. Note that this equals the Krull dimension of \mathbb{Z} .

Problem 6. Let k be a field and let R be $k[x]$, the polynomial ring in one variable x with coefficients in k . Use the structure theorem for finitely generated $k[x]$ -modules to prove all of the following.

(a) For every $k[x]$ -module A , defining A_{tor} to be the submodule of all elements that are annihilated by some nonzero element of $k[x]$, there is a short exact sequence of $k[x]$ -modules,

$$T : 0 \rightarrow A_{\text{tor}} \rightarrow A \rightarrow A_{\text{free}} \rightarrow 0,$$

such that A_{free} is torsion-free. If A is finitely generated, then this short exact sequence is (non-canonically) split. In that case, for every integer $n \geq 0$ there are short exact sequences that are (non-canonically) split,

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A_{\text{tor}}, B) \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A_{\text{free}}, B) \rightarrow 0,$$

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A_{\text{free}}, B) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A_{\text{tor}}, B) \rightarrow 0.$$

(b) Every finitely generated, torsion-free $k[x]$ -module A_{free} is a finitely generated, free $k[x]$ -module. In this case, conclude for every $n \geq 1$ that both $\text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A_{\text{free}}, B)$ and $\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A_{\text{free}}, B)$ are zero groups.

(c) Every finitely generated, torsion $k[x]$ -module A_{tor} is (non-canonically) isomorphic to a direct sum of $k[x]$ -modules of the form $k[x]/e(x)k[x]$ for noninvertible, nonzerodivisors $e(x) \in k[x]$. If we choose each $e(x)$ to be monic, then the sequence of distinct elementary divisors $(e_0(x), \dots, e_m(x))$ with $e_0|e_1, \dots, e_{m-1}|e_m$, and the sequence of multiplicities (r_0, \dots, r_m) as in the previous problem is unique. Reduce the computation of the isomorphism type of $\text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A_{\text{tor}}, B)$ and $\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A_{\text{tor}}, B)$ to the computation of the groups $\text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(k[x]/e(x)k[x], B)$ and $\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(k[x]/ek[x], B)$.

(d) Prove that there are isomorphisms,

$$\text{Tor}_1^{k[x]}(k[x]/e(x)k[x], B) \cong B_{e(x)} := \{b \in B \mid e(x) \cdot b = 0\},$$

$$\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^1(k[x]/e(x)k[x], B) \cong B/e(x)B.$$

Also prove that for every $n \geq 2$, both $\text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(k[x]/e(x)k[x], B)$ and $\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(k[x]/e(x)k[x], B)$ are zero groups.

(e) Again use filtering colimits to conclude that for every $k[x]$ -module A , for every $n \geq 2$, both $\text{Tor}_n^{k[x]}(A, B)$ and $\text{Ext}_{k[x]}^n(A, B)$ are zero groups. Thus $k[x]$ has global homological dimension 1, which also equals the Krull dimension of $k[x]$.

Problem 7. Read the definition of Noetherian ring R , and in particular the proof that every finitely generated R -module A is finitely presented, and every R -submodule A' of a finitely generated R -module A is again a finitely generated R -module. Use this to prove that every finitely generated R -module A has a projective resolution,

$$P_\bullet \rightarrow A[0],$$

such that for every $n \geq 0$, P_n is a finitely generated, free R -module. Conclude that for every finitely generated R -module B , for every integer $n \geq 0$, both $\text{Tor}_n^R(A, B)$ and $\text{Ext}_R^n(A, B)$ is a finitely generated R -module.

Problem 8. Let p be a prime integer, and let R be the ring $\mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z}$. Let A be the R -module $A = R/pR \cong \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$. For every integer $n \geq 0$, define $P_n = R = \mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z}$. For every integer $n \geq 1$, define

$$d_n : P_n \rightarrow P_{n-1}, \quad \mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{p} \mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z}.$$

Define $\epsilon : P_0 \rightarrow A$ to be the quotient map $\mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$. Prove that $P_\bullet \rightarrow A[0]$ is a projective resolution. Compute that for every $n \geq 0$, $\text{Tor}_n^R(A, A)$ and $\text{Ext}_R^n(A, A)$ are both isomorphic to A . Conclude that $R = \mathbb{Z}/p^2\mathbb{Z}$ does not have finite global homological dimension.

Problem 9. Repeat Problem 8 for the ring $R = k[x]/x^2k[x]$.

Problem 10. Let R be a commutative, unital ring. An *associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra* (with homological indexing) is a triple

$$A_\bullet = ((A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (m_{p,q} : A_p \times A_q \rightarrow A_{p+q})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\epsilon : R \rightarrow A_0))$$

of a sequence $(A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ of R -modules, of a sequence $(m_{p,q})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}$ of R -bilinear maps, and an R -module morphism ϵ such that the following hold.

- (i) For the associated R -module $A = \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} A_n$ and the induced morphism $m : A \times A \rightarrow A$ whose restriction to each $A_p \times A_q$ equals $m_{p,q}$, $(A, m, \epsilon(1))$ is an associative, unital, R -algebra.
- (ii) For every $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$, for every $a_p \in A_p$ and for every $a_q \in A_q$, $m_{q,p}(a_q, a_p)$ equals $(-1)^{pq}m_{p,q}(a_p, a_q)$.

(a) Prove that the R -submodules of A ,

$$A_{\geq 0} = \bigoplus_{n \geq 0} A_n, \quad A_{\leq 0} = \bigoplus_{n \leq 0} A_n,$$

are both associative, unital R -subalgebras. Moreover, prove that the R -submodule,

$$A_{> 0} = \bigoplus_{n > 0} A_n, \quad \text{resp.} \quad A_{< 0} = \bigoplus_{n < 0} A_n,$$

is a left-right ideal in $A_{\geq 0}$, resp. in $A_{\leq 0}$.

(b) For associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras A_{\bullet} and B_{\bullet} , a graded homomorphism of R -algebras is a collection

$$f_{\bullet} = (f_n : A_n \rightarrow B_n)_{n \geq 0}$$

such that for the unique R -module homomorphism $f : A \rightarrow B$ whose restriction to every A_n equals f_n , f is an R -algebra homomorphism. Prove that such f_{\bullet} is uniquely reconstructed from the homomorphism f . Prove that Id_A comes from a unique graded homomorphism $\text{Id}_{A_{\bullet}}$. Prove that for a graded homomorphism of R -algebras, $g_{\bullet} : B_{\bullet} \rightarrow C_{\bullet}$, the composition $g \circ f$ arises from a unique graded homomorphism of R -algebras, $A_{\bullet} \rightarrow C_{\bullet}$. Using this to define composition of homomorphisms of graded R -algebras, prove that composition is associative and the identity morphisms are left-right identities for composition. Conclude that these notions form a category $R\text{-GrComm}$ of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras. Prove that the rule $A_{\bullet} \mapsto A$, $f_{\bullet} \mapsto f$ defines a faithful functor

$$R\text{-GrComm} \rightarrow R\text{-Algebra}.$$

Give an example showing that this functor is not typically full.

(c) Let A_{\bullet} be an associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra. Prove that R is commutative (in the usual sense) if and only if A_n is a zero module for every even integer n . Denote by $R\text{-Comm}$ the category of associative, unital R -algebras S that are commutative. Denote by $\mathbb{Z}\text{-}R\text{-Comm}$ the faithful (but not full) subcategory whose objects are triples,

$$S_{\bullet} = ((S_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (m_{p,q} : S_p \times S_q \rightarrow S_{p+q})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\epsilon : R \rightarrow S_0))$$

as above, but such that the multiplication is commutative rather than graded commutative, i.e., $m_{q,p}(s_q, s_p) = m_{p,q}(s_p, s_q)$. Prove that there is a functor,

$$v_{\text{even}} : R\text{-GrComm} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}\text{-}R\text{-Comm},$$

$((A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (m_{p,q} : A_p \times A_q \rightarrow A_{p+q})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\epsilon : R \rightarrow A_0)) \mapsto ((A_{2n})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (m_{2p,2q} : A_{2p} \times A_{2q} \rightarrow A_{2(p+q)})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\epsilon : R \rightarrow A_0))$ and $f_\bullet : A_\bullet \rightarrow B_\bullet$ maps to $v_{\text{ev}}(f) = (f_{2n})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$. Also prove that there is a left adjoint to v_{even} ,

$$w_{\text{even}} : \mathbb{Z} - R - \text{Comm} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm},$$

where $w_{\text{even}}(S_\bullet)_{2n}$ equals S_n , where $w_{\text{even}}(S_\bullet)_p$ is the zero module for every odd p , where

$$A_{2p} \times A_{2q} \rightarrow A_{2(p+q)}$$

is $m_{p,q}$ for S_\bullet , and where $R \rightarrow A_0$ is $\epsilon : R \rightarrow S_0$. For a morphism $f_\bullet : S_\bullet \rightarrow T_\bullet$ in $\mathbb{Z} - R - \text{Comm}$, $w_{\text{even}}(f_\bullet)$ is the unique morphism whose component in degree $2n$ equals f_n for every $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

(d) Let e be an odd integer. For every associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra A_\bullet define $v_e(A_\bullet)$ to be the collection

$$((A_{ne})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (m_{pe,qe} : A_{pe} \times A_{qe} \rightarrow A_{(p+q)e})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, \epsilon : R \rightarrow A_0 = A_{0e}).$$

Prove that $v_e(A_\bullet)$ is again an associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra. For every morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras, $f_\bullet : A_\bullet \rightarrow B_\bullet$, the collection $v_e(f_\bullet) = (f_{ne})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ is a morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras, $v_e(A_\bullet) \rightarrow v_e(B_\bullet)$. Prove that this defines a functor,

$$v_e : R - \text{GrComm} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}.$$

This is sometimes called the *Veronese functor* (it is closely related to the Veronese morphism of projective spaces). If e is positive, prove that the induced morphism $v_e(A_{\geq 0}) \rightarrow v_e(A_\bullet)$, resp. $v_e(A_{\leq 0}) \rightarrow v_e(A_\bullet)$, is an isomorphism to $(v_e(A_\bullet))_{\geq 0}$, resp. to $(v_e(A_\bullet))_{\leq 0}$. Similarly, if e is negative (e.g., if e equals -1), this defines an isomorphism to $(v_e(A_\bullet))_{\leq 0}$, resp. to $(v_e(A_\bullet))_{\geq 0}$. Prove that v_1 is the identity functor. For odd integers d and e , construct a natural isomorphism of functors,

$$v_{d,e} : v_d \circ v_e \Rightarrow v_{de},$$

prove that $v_{d,1}$ and $v_{1,e}$ are identity natural transformations, and prove that these natural isomorphisms are associative: $v_{de,f} \circ (v_{d,e} \circ v_f)$ equals $v_{d,ef} \circ (v_d \circ v_{e,f})$ for all odd integers d, e and f .

(e) For every associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra A_\bullet , for every odd integer e , define

$$w_e : R - \text{GrComm} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm},$$

where $w_e(A_\bullet)_{ne}$ equals A_n for every integer n , and where $w_e(A_\bullet)_m$ is a zero module if e does not divide m . For every morphism $f_\bullet : A_\bullet \rightarrow B_\bullet$, define $w_e(f_\bullet)$ to be the unique morphism whose component in degree en equals f_n for every $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Prove that w_e is a functor. For the natural isomorphism,

$$\theta_e(A_\bullet) : A_\bullet \rightarrow v_e(w_e(A_\bullet)), (A_n \xrightarrow{\cong} A_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$$

and the natural monomorphisms

$$\eta_e(B_\bullet) : w_e(v_e(B_\bullet)) \rightarrow B_\bullet, (B_{ne} \xrightarrow{=} B_{ne})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}},$$

prove that $(w_e, v_e, \theta_e, \eta_e)$ is an adjoint pair.

(f) For every integer $n \geq 0$, recall from Problem 5(iv) of Problem Set 1, that there is a functor,

$$\bigwedge_R^n : R\text{-mod} \rightarrow R\text{-mod}, M \mapsto \bigwedge_R^n(M).$$

In particular, there is a natural isomorphism

$$\epsilon(M) : R \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^0(M),$$

and there is a natural isomorphism,

$$\theta(M) : M \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^1(M).$$

By convention, for every integer $n < 0$, define $\bigwedge_R^n(M)$ to be the zero module. For every pair of integers $q, r \geq 0$, prove that the natural R -bilinear map

$$\otimes : M^{\otimes q} \times M^{\otimes r} \rightarrow M^{\otimes(q+r)}, ((m_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes m_q), (m'_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes m'_r)) \mapsto m_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes m_q \otimes m'_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes m'_r,$$

factors uniquely through an R -bilinear map,

$$\wedge : \bigwedge_R^q(M) \times \bigwedge_R^r(M) \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^{q+r}(M).$$

Prove that $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ is an associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra. For every R -module homomorphism $\phi : M \rightarrow N$, prove that the associated R -module homomorphisms,

$$\bigwedge_R^n(\phi) : \bigwedge_R^n(M) \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^n(N),$$

define a morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras,

$$\bigwedge_R^\bullet(\phi) : \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M) \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^\bullet(N).$$

Prove that for every R -module homomorphism $\psi : N \rightarrow P$, $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(\psi \circ \phi)$ equals $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(\psi) \circ \bigwedge_R^\bullet(\phi)$. Also prove that $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(\text{Id}_M)$ is the identity morphism of $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$.

(g) An associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra A_\bullet is (strictly) 0 -connected, resp. *weakly* 0 -connected, if the inclusion $A_{\geq 0} \rightarrow A$ is an isomorphism and the R -module homomorphism ϵ is an isomorphism, resp. an epimorphism. If R is a field, prove that every weakly 0 -connected algebra is strictly 0 -connected. Denote by

$$R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0}, \text{ resp. } R - \text{GrComm}'_{\geq 0}$$

the full subcategory of $R - \text{GrComm}$ whose objects are the 0 -connected algebras, resp. the weakly 0 -connected algebras. Prove that v_{even} restricts to a functor,

$$R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_+ - R - \text{Comm},$$

where $\mathbb{Z}_+ - R - \text{Comm}$ is the full subcategory of $\mathbb{Z} - R - \text{Comm}$ of algebras graded in nonnegative degrees such that $R \rightarrow S_0$ is an isomorphism. For e an odd positive integer, prove that v_e and w_e restrict to an adjoint pair of functors,

$$v_e : R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0},$$

$$w_e : R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0}.$$

For every odd positive integer e , define a functor

$$\Phi_e : R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{mod},$$

that sends A_\bullet to A_e and sends f_\bullet to f_e . Of course, for every odd positive integer d , $\Phi_e \circ v_d$ is naturally isomorphic to Φ_{de} and $\Phi_{de} \circ w_d$ is Φ_e . By the previous part, there is a functor

$$\overset{\bullet}{\bigwedge}_R : R - \text{mod} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0}$$

that sends every module M to the 0 -connected, associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra $(\overset{\bullet}{\bigwedge}_R^n(M))_{n \geq 0}$. Moreover, there is a natural transformation,

$$\theta : \text{Id}_{R - \text{mod}} \Rightarrow \Phi_1 \circ \overset{\bullet}{\bigwedge}_R.$$

Prove that this extends uniquely to an adjoint pair of functors

$$(\overset{\bullet}{\bigwedge}_R, \Phi_1, \theta, \eta).$$

Using the natural isomorphisms $\Phi_e \circ v_d = \Phi_{de}$ and $\Phi_{de} \circ w_d = \Phi_e$, prove that there is also an adjoint pair of functors

$$(w_e \circ \overset{\bullet}{\bigwedge}_R, \Phi_e, \theta, \eta_e).$$

Problem 11. Let R be a commutative, unital ring. A (homological, unital, associative, graded commutative) *differential graded R -algebra* is a pair

$$((C_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\wedge : C_p \times C_q \rightarrow C_{p+q})_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}, (\epsilon : R \rightarrow C_0), (d_n : C_n \rightarrow C_{n-1})_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}),$$

of an associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra C_\bullet together with R -linear morphisms $(d_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ such that $d_{n-1} \circ d_n$ equals 0 for every $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, and that satisfies the graded Leibniz identity,

$$d_{p+q}(c_p \wedge c_q) = d_p(c_p) \wedge c_q + (-1)^p c_p \wedge d_q(c_q),$$

for every $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$, for every $c_p \in C_p$, and for every $c_q \in C_q$. A *morphism* of differential graded R -algebras,

$$\phi_\bullet : C_\bullet \rightarrow A_\bullet,$$

is a morphism $\phi_\bullet = (\phi_n)_{n \in \mathbb{Z}}$ that is simultaneously a morphism of chain complexes of R -modules and a morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras.

(a) For morphisms of differential graded R -algebras, $\phi_\bullet : C_\bullet \rightarrow A_\bullet$, $\psi_\bullet : D_\bullet \rightarrow C_\bullet$, prove that the composition of $\psi_\bullet \circ \phi_\bullet$ of graded R -modules is both a morphism of chain complexes of R -modules and a morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras. Thus, it is a composition of morphisms of differential graded R -algebras. With this composition, prove that this defines a category R -CDGA of differential graded R -algebras.

(b) For every associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra A_\bullet , for every integer n , define $d_{E(A)_n} : A_n \rightarrow A_{n-1}$ to be the zero morphism. Prove that this gives a differential graded R -algebra, denoted $E(A_\bullet)$. For every morphism $f_\bullet : A_\bullet \rightarrow B_\bullet$ of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras, prove that $f_\bullet : E(A_\bullet) \rightarrow E(B_\bullet)$ is a morphism of differential graded R -algebras, denoted $E(f_\bullet)$. Prove that this defines a functor

$$E : R - \text{GrComm} \rightarrow R - \text{CDGA}.$$

For every differential graded R -algebra C_\bullet , prove that the subcomplex $Z_\bullet(C_\bullet)$ is a differential graded R -subalgebra with zero differential, and the inclusion,

$$\eta(C_\bullet) : E(Z_\bullet(C_\bullet)) \rightarrow C_\bullet,$$

is a morphism of differential graded R -algebras. Also, for every morphism $\phi_\bullet : C_\bullet \rightarrow D_\bullet$ of differential graded R -algebras, prove that the induced morphism $Z_\bullet(\phi_\bullet) : Z_\bullet(C_\bullet) \rightarrow Z_\bullet(D_\bullet)$ is a morphism of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebras. Prove that this defines a functor

$$Z_\bullet : R - \text{CDGA} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}.$$

For every associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra A_\bullet , the inclusion $Z_\bullet(E(A_\bullet)) \rightarrow E(A_\bullet)$ is just the identity map, whose inverse,

$$\theta(A_\bullet) : A_\bullet \rightarrow Z_\bullet(E(A_\bullet)),$$

is an isomorphism. Prove that $(E, Z_\bullet, \theta, \eta)$ is an adjoint pair of functors. Finally, prove that the subcomplex $B_\bullet(C_\bullet) \subset Z_\bullet(C_\bullet)$ is a left-right ideal in the associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra $Z_\bullet(C_\bullet)$. Conclude that there is a unique structure of associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra on the cokernel $H_\bullet(C_\bullet)$ such that the quotient morphism $Z_\bullet(C_\bullet) \rightarrow H_\bullet(C_\bullet)$ is a morphism of differential graded R -algebras. Prove that altogether this defines a functor,

$$H : R - \text{CDGA} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}.$$

(c) A differential graded R -algebra C_\bullet is (strictly) *0-connected*, resp. *weakly 0-connected*, if the underlying associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra is 0-connected, resp. weakly 0-connected. Denote by $R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0}$, resp. $R - \text{CDGA}'_{\geq 0}$, the full subcategory of $R - \text{CDGA}$ whose objects are the 0-connected differential graded R -algebras, resp. those that are weakly 0-connected. Prove that the functors above restrict to functors,

$$E : R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0},$$

$$Z_\bullet : R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}_{\geq 0},$$

such that (E, Z, θ, η) is still an adjoint pair. Similarly, show that H restricts to a functor

$$H : R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{GrComm}'_{\geq 0}.$$

(d) Denote by $R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]}$ the full subcategory of $R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0}$ whose objects are 0-connected differential graded R -algebras C_\bullet such that C_n is a zero object for $n > 1$. Prove that every such object is uniquely determined by the data of an R -module C_1 and an R -module homomorphism $d_{C,1} : C_1 \rightarrow C_0 = R$, and conversely such data uniquely determine an object of $R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]}$. Prove that for such algebras C_\bullet and D_\bullet , every morphism $\phi_\bullet : C_\bullet \rightarrow D_\bullet$ of differential graded R -algebras is uniquely determined by an R -module homomorphism $\phi_1 : C_1 \rightarrow D_1$ such that $d_{D,1} \circ \phi_1$ equals $d_{C,1}$, and conversely, such an R -module homomorphism uniquely determines a morphism of differential graded R -algebras. Conclude that there is a functor

$$\sigma_{[0,1]} : R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0} \rightarrow R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]},$$

that associates to every 0-connected differential graded R -algebra C_\bullet the algebra $\sigma_{[0,1]}(C_\bullet)$ uniquely determined by the R -module homomorphism $d_{C,1} : C_1 \rightarrow C_0 = R$ and that associates to every morphism $\phi_\bullet : C_\bullet \rightarrow D_\bullet$ of 0-connected differential graded R -algebras the morphism,

$$\sigma_{[0,1]}(\phi_\bullet) : \sigma_{[0,1]}(C_\bullet) \rightarrow \sigma_{[0,1]}(D_\bullet),$$

uniquely determined by the morphism $\phi_1 : C_1 \rightarrow D_1$.

(e) For every R -module M and for every R -module homomorphism $\phi : M \rightarrow R$, prove that there exists a unique sequence of R -module homomorphisms,

$$(d_{M,\phi,n} : \bigwedge_R^n(M) \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^{n-1}(M))_{n>0},$$

such that d_1 equals ϕ and such that $(\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M), d_{M,\phi})$ is a 0-connected differential graded R -algebra. It may be convenient to begin with the case of a free R -module P and a morphism $\psi : P \rightarrow R$, in which case every $\bigwedge_R^n(P)$ is also free and the R -module homomorphisms d_n is uniquely determined by its restriction to a convenient basis. Given a presentation $M = P/K$ such that ψ factors uniquely through $\phi : M \rightarrow R$, prove that the associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ is the quotient of $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(P)$ by the left-right ideal generated by $K \subset P = \bigwedge_R^1(P)$. Also prove that $d_{P,\psi}$ maps this ideal to itself, i.e., the ideal is differentially-closed. Conclude that there is a unique structure of differential graded algebra on the quotient $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ such that the quotient map is a morphism of differential graded R -algebras.

(f) Prove that the construction of the previous part defines a functor,

$$\bigwedge_R^\bullet : R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]} \rightarrow R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0}.$$

Prove that for every object $(\phi : M \rightarrow R)$ of $R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]}$, the morphism

$$\theta(M, \phi) : M \xrightarrow{\cong} \bigwedge_R^1(M)$$

is a natural isomorphism

$$\theta : \text{Id}_{R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]}} \Rightarrow \sigma_{[0,1]} \circ \bigwedge_R^\bullet.$$

Similarly, for every object 0-connected differential graded R -algebra C_\bullet , prove that the natural transformation from Problem 10(g),

$$\eta(C_\bullet) : \bigwedge_R^\bullet(C_1) \rightarrow C_\bullet,$$

is compatible with the differential on $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(C_1)$ induced by $d_{C,1} : C_1 \rightarrow C_0 = R$, i.e., $\eta(C_\bullet)$ is a natural transformation,

$$\eta : \bigwedge_R^\bullet \circ \sigma_{[0,1]} \rightarrow \text{Id}_{R - \text{CDGA}_{\geq 0}}.$$

Conclude that $(\bigwedge_R^\bullet, \sigma_{[0,1]}, \theta, \eta)$ is an adjoint pair of functors. For every $\phi : M \rightarrow R$ in $R - \text{CDGA}_{[0,1]}$, the associated 0-complete differential graded R -algebra structure on $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ is called the *Koszul algebra* of $\phi : M \rightarrow R$ and denoted $K_\bullet(M, \phi)$.

(g) For every R -module M , and for every R -submodule M' of M , denote by $F^1 \subset \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ the left-right ideal generated by $M' \subset M = \bigwedge_R^1(M)$. For every integer $n \leq 0$, denote by $F^n \subset \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ the entire algebra. For every integer $n \geq 1$, denote by F^n the left-right ideal of $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ generated

by the n -fold self-product $F^1 \cdots F^1$. For every pair of nonnegative integers p, q , prove that the ideal $F^p \cdot F^q$ equals F^{p+q} . In particular, prove that there is a natural epimorphism,

$$\bigwedge_R^p(F_1^1) \otimes_R \bigwedge_R^q(M) \rightarrow F_{p+q}^p.$$

Denote the quotient M/M' by M'' , and denote by Σ the short exact sequence,

$$\Sigma : 0 \longrightarrow M' \xrightarrow{u} M \xrightarrow{v} M'' \longrightarrow 0.$$

For every nonnegative integer q , prove that the R -module morphism,

$$\bigwedge_R^q(v) : \bigwedge_R^q(M) \rightarrow \bigwedge_R^q(M''),$$

is an epimorphism whose kernel equals F_q^1 . Conclude that the composite epimorphism

$$\bigwedge_R^p(M') \otimes_R \bigwedge_R^q(M) \rightarrow F_{p+q}^p \rightarrow F_{p+q}^p / F_{p+q}^{p+1}$$

factors uniquely through an R -module epimorphism

$$c_{\Sigma,p,q} : \bigwedge_R^p(M') \otimes_R \bigwedge_R^q(M'') \rightarrow F_{p+q}^p / F_{p+q}^{p+1}.$$

In case there exists a splitting of Σ , prove that every epimorphism $c_{\Sigma,p,q}$ is an isomorphism. On the other hand, find an example where Σ is not split and some morphism $c_{\Sigma,p,q}$ is not a monomorphism (there exist such examples for $R = \mathbb{C}[x, y]$).

(h) Continuing the previous problem, assume that M'' is isomorphic to R as an R -module (or, more generally, projective of constant rank 1), so that Σ is split. For every nonnegative integer p , conclude that there exists a short exact sequence,

$$\Sigma_{p,1} : 0 \longrightarrow \bigwedge_R^{p+1}(M') \xrightarrow{\bigwedge_R^{p+1}(u)} \bigwedge_R^{p+1}(M) \xrightarrow{c_{\Sigma,p,1}^{-1}} \bigwedge_R^p(M') \otimes_R M'' \longrightarrow 0,$$

that is split. Check that this is compatible with the product structure and, thus, defines a short exact sequence of graded (left) $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$ -modules,

$$\bigwedge_R^\bullet(\Sigma) : 0 \longrightarrow \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M') \xrightarrow{\bigwedge_R^\bullet(u)} \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M) \xrightarrow{c_{\Sigma}^{-1}} \bigwedge_R^\bullet(M') \otimes_R M''[+1] \longrightarrow 0.$$

(i) Now, let $\phi : M \rightarrow R$ be an R -module homomorphism. Denote by $\phi' : M' \rightarrow R$ the restriction $\phi \circ u$. These morphisms define structures of differential graded R -algebra, $K_\bullet(M, \phi)$ on $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M)$,

and $K_\bullet(M', \phi')$ on $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(M')$. Moreover, the morphism $\bigwedge_R^\bullet(u)$ above is a morphism of differential graded R -modules,

$$K(u) : K_\bullet(M', \phi') \rightarrow K_\bullet(M, \phi).$$

Prove that the induced morphism

$$c_\Sigma^{-1} : K_\bullet(M, \phi) \rightarrow K_\bullet(M', \phi') \otimes_R M''[+1]$$

is a morphism of cochain complexes. Moreover, for a choice of splitting $s : M'' \rightarrow M$, for the induced morphism $\phi'' : M'' \rightarrow R$, $\phi'' = \phi \circ s$, for the induced morphism of cochain complexes,

$$\text{Id}_{K_\bullet(M', \phi')} \otimes \phi'' : K_\bullet(M', \phi') \otimes_R M'' \rightarrow K_\bullet(M', \phi'),$$

prove that there is a unique commutative diagram of short exact sequences,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} T_{\text{Id} \otimes \phi''} : 0 & \longrightarrow & K_\bullet(M', \phi') & \xrightarrow{q_{\text{Id} \otimes \phi''}} & \text{Cone}(\text{Id} \otimes \phi'') & \xrightarrow{p_{\text{Id} \otimes \phi''}} & K_\bullet(M', \phi') \otimes_R M''[+1] \longrightarrow 0 \\ \tilde{s} \downarrow & & \text{Id} \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{s} & & \downarrow \text{Id} \\ K(\Sigma) \quad 0 & \longrightarrow & K_\bullet(M', \phi') & \xrightarrow{K_\bullet(u)} & K_\bullet(M, \phi) & \xrightarrow{c_\Sigma^{-1}} & K_\bullet(M', \phi') \otimes_R M'' \longrightarrow 0. \end{array}$$

(j) With the same hypotheses as above, conclude that there is an exact sequence of homology (remember the shift $[+1]$ above is cohomological),

$$H_0(K_\bullet(M', \phi') \otimes_R M'' \xrightarrow{\text{Id} \otimes \phi''} H_0(K_\bullet(M', \phi')) \xrightarrow{K_0(u)} H_0(K_\bullet(M, \phi)) \rightarrow 0,$$

i.e., $H_0(K_\bullet(M, \phi)) \cong H_0(K_\bullet(M, \phi)) / \phi(M'') \cdot H_0(K_\bullet(M, \phi))$ as a quotient algebra of R . Also, for every $n > 0$, conclude the existence of a short exact sequence of Koszul homologies,

$$0 \rightarrow K_n(M', \phi') \otimes_R R / \text{Im}(\phi'') \xrightarrow{\psi''} K_n(M, \phi) \rightarrow K_{n-1}(M', \phi'; M'')_{\text{Im}(\phi'')} \rightarrow 0,$$

where for every R -module N , $N_{\text{Im}(\phi'')}$ denotes the submodule of elements that are annihilated by the ideal $\text{Im}(\phi'') \subset R$. As graded modules over the associative, unital, graded commutative R -algebra $K_*(M', \phi') = H_*(K_\bullet(M', \phi'))$, this is a short exact sequence,

$$0 \rightarrow K_*(M', \phi') \otimes_R R / \text{Im}(\phi'') \xrightarrow{\psi''} K_*(M, \phi) \rightarrow K_{*-1}(M', \phi'; M'')_{\text{Im}(\phi'')} \rightarrow 0,$$

As a special case, if $K_\bullet(M', \phi')$ is acyclic, and if the morphism

$$H_0(K_\bullet(M', \phi')) \otimes_R M'' \xrightarrow{\text{Id} \otimes \phi''} H_0(K_\bullet(M', \phi'))$$

is injective, conclude that also $K_\bullet(M, \phi)$ is acyclic.

(k) Repeat this exercise for the cohomological Koszul complexes $K^\bullet(M, \phi)$.

Problem 12. Let R be the ring $k[x_1, \dots, x_m]$. For the sequence of elements $\underline{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_m)$, check that this is a regular sequence for the R -module R , itself. For the quotient R -module $A = R / \langle x_1, \dots, x_m \rangle$, use the Koszul resolution in the previous problem to prove that for every R -module B , for every integer $n > m$, both $\text{Tor}_n^R(A, B)$ and $\text{Ext}_n^R(A, B)$ are zero. Moreover, check that there is an isomorphism $\text{Ext}_R^n(A, B) \cong \text{Tor}_{m-n}^R(A, B)$ for every $n = 0, \dots, m$. When B is A , compute the associative, unital graded R -algebras (homological, resp. cohomological) given by $\text{Tor}_\bullet^R(A, A)$, resp. $\text{Ext}_R^\bullet(A, A)$.