
MA3203 - PROBLEM SHEET 6

BONUS SHEET

Problem 1. Let $\varphi: \Lambda \rightarrow \Gamma$ be a surjective algebra homomorphism of two finite dimensional algebras.

- (a) Show that a left Γ -module M is a left Λ -module via the action of Λ on M defined by

$$\lambda \cdot m \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \varphi(\lambda)m$$

for $\lambda \in \Lambda$ and $m \in M$.

- (b) Let M and N be two Γ -modules. Show that

$$\text{Hom}_{\Gamma}(M, N) = \text{Hom}_{\Lambda}(M, N)$$

when we view M and N as Λ -modules above.

- (c) Show that ${}_{\Gamma}M \simeq {}_{\Gamma}N$ if and only if ${}_{\Lambda}M \simeq {}_{\Lambda}N$ for two left Γ -modules M and N .

- (d) Define $F: \text{mod } \Gamma \rightarrow \text{mod } \Lambda$ by letting

$$F(M) = {}_{\Lambda}M$$

and

$$F(f) = f$$

for a Γ -module M and a Γ -homomorphism $f: M \rightarrow N$. Show that $F: \text{mod } \Gamma \rightarrow \text{mod } \Lambda$ is an exact full and faithful functor. Is F a dense functor?

- (e) (Challenge) Let $\Lambda = kQ/I$ for a quiver Q , a field k and an admissible ideal I in kQ . Show that if Λ has finite representation type, then there are no double arrows in Q .