

## Problem Set 11

**Due: 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 10**

*Instructions:* Carefully read Section 10.5 of the textbook. Work all of the following problems. A subset of the problems will be graded. Be sure to adhere to the expectations outlined on the sheet *Guidelines for Problem Sets*. Submit your solutions in-class or to Dr. Cooper's mailbox in the Department of Mathematics.

*Exercises:* For this Problem Set, let  $R$  be a ring with identity.

1. (Dummit and Foote §10.5 #3) Let  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  be  $R$ -modules. Prove that  $P_1 \oplus P_2$  is a projective  $R$ -module if and only if both  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  are projective. You may assume the fact that any direct sum of free  $R$ -modules is free.
2. (Dummit and Foote §10.5 #6) Prove that the following are equivalent:
  - (i) Every  $R$ -module is projective.
  - (ii) Every  $R$ -module is injective.
3. Assume that  $R$  is commutative and let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module. Prove that the following conditions are equivalent:
  - (i)  $M$  is flat over  $R$ .
  - (ii) For every injective  $R$ -module homomorphism  $g' : N' \rightarrow N$ , the induced homomorphism  $id_M \otimes g' : M \otimes_R N' \rightarrow M \otimes_R N$  is injective.
  - (iii) For every short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow N' \xrightarrow{g'} N \xrightarrow{g} N'' \rightarrow 0$$

of  $R$ -module homomorphisms, the induced sequence

$$0 \rightarrow M \otimes_R N' \xrightarrow{id_M \otimes g'} M \otimes_R N \xrightarrow{id_M \otimes g} M \otimes_R N'' \rightarrow 0$$

is exact.

4. Let  $R$  be a commutative ring and let  $S \subseteq R$  be a multiplicatively closed subset. Let  $M$  be an  $R$ -module. You may assume the fact that  $(S^{-1}R) \otimes_R M$  has a well-defined  $(S^{-1}R)$ -module structure given by

$$\frac{r}{s} \left( \frac{r'}{s'} \otimes_R m \right) := \frac{rr'}{ss'} \otimes_R m.$$

Prove that the  $R$ -module isomorphism  $g : (S^{-1}R) \otimes_R M \rightarrow S^{-1}M$  given by

$$\frac{r}{s} \otimes_R m \mapsto \frac{rm}{s}$$

is a  $(S^{-1}R)$ -module isomorphism.