

Definition: The morphism of presheaves

$\mathcal{F} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{F}}$   
is defined by sending  $s \in \mathcal{F}(U)$  to the section  
 $x \mapsto s(x)$  where  $s(x)$  is the germ of  $s$  at  $x$ .

Verification of the universal property:

Let  $\mathcal{G}$  be a sheaf with a morphism of pre-  
sheaves  $\varphi: \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$ .

Uniqueness of  $\tilde{\varphi}: \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$  s.t.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F} & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & \mathcal{G} \\ \downarrow & \cong & \uparrow \\ \tilde{\mathcal{F}} & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\varphi}} & \mathcal{G} \end{array}$$

Given  $U \subset X$  and  $f \in \tilde{\mathcal{F}}(U)$ ,

$\exists$  an open covering  $U = \bigcup_{i \in I} W_i$  and sections  
 $s_i \in \mathcal{F}(W_i)$

s.t. for all  $x \in W_i$ ,  $f(x) = s_i(x)$ .

Then,  $\forall i$   $\tilde{\varphi}(s_i) = \varphi(s_i)$  is uniquely determined.

This uniquely determines  $\tilde{\varphi}(f)$  because

$$\tilde{\varphi}(f)|_{W_i} = \tilde{\varphi}(f|_{W_i}) = \tilde{\varphi}(s_i) \text{ is uniquely}$$

determined and  $\mathcal{U}$  is a sheaf, so sections of

$\mathcal{U}(U)$  are uniquely determined by their restrictions

to an open covering.

Existence of  $\tilde{\varphi}: \tilde{\mathcal{F}} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}$ :  $U \subset X$  open,  $f \in \tilde{\mathcal{F}}(U)$ .

$\exists$  covering  $U = \bigcup_{i \in I} W_i$  and  $s_i \in \mathcal{F}(W_i)$  s.t.

$\forall i, \forall x \in W_i$   $f(x) = s_i(x)$ , i.e.,  $f|_{W_i} = s_i$ .

So we know  $\tilde{\varphi}(f) |_{W_i}$ . We need to glue these

$$\tilde{\varphi}(f |_{W_i}) = \tilde{\varphi}(s_i) = \varphi(s_i)$$

to get  $\tilde{\varphi}(f)$ .

We need to know:  $\tilde{\varphi}(f |_{W_i}) |_{W_i \cap W_j} = \tilde{\varphi}(f |_{W_j}) |_{W_i \cap W_j}$

or we need to know:  $\forall i, j$   
 $\varphi(s_i) |_{W_i \cap W_j} = \varphi(s_j) |_{W_i \cap W_j}$

We know:  $\forall x \in W_i$   $f(x) = s_i(x)$

So for  $x \in W_i \cap W_j$

$$f(x) = s_i(x) = s_j(x)$$

So  $\exists W_x \subset W_i \cap W_j$

$$\text{s.t. } s_i |_{W_x} = s_j |_{W_x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(s_i |_{W_x}) = \varphi(s_j |_{W_x})$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(s_i)|_{W_x} = \varphi(s_j)|_{W_x}$$

The  $W_x$  form an open covering of  $W_i \cap W_j$  and  $\mathcal{O}_Y$  is a sheaf, we conclude  $\varphi(s_i)|_{W_i \cap W_j} = \varphi(s_j)|_{W_i \cap W_j}$ .  
 Since  $\mathcal{O}_Y$  is a sheaf,  $\exists t \in \mathcal{O}_Y(U)$  s.t.  $\forall i$

$$t|_{W_i} = \varphi(s_i)$$

We define  $\tilde{\varphi}(f) := t \in \mathcal{O}_Y(U)$

We need to verify that this is independent of the choice of open covering  $\{W_i\}$  and sections  $s_i \in \mathcal{F}(W_i)$

s.t.  $f(x) = s_i(x)$  for  $x \in W_i$ .

Definitions: (1) Sheaf of rings:  $\mathcal{F}$  on  $X$  sheaf of sets  
 s.t.  $\forall U \quad \mathcal{F}(U)$  is a ring (commutative with 1)  
 and  $\forall V \subset U$  the restriction  $\mathcal{F}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(V)$  is a  
 hom. of rings.

(2) Sheaf of modules over a sheaf of rings:

Given  $\mathcal{O}_X$  a sheaf of rings on  $X$ , a sheaf  $\mathcal{M}$  of  
 $\mathcal{O}_X$ -modules is a sheaf of abelian groups s.t.  
 $\forall U \subset X \quad \mathcal{M}(U)$  is a module over  $\mathcal{O}_X(U)$ .  
 s.t.  $\forall V \subset U$  and all  $a \in \mathcal{O}_X(U), m \in \mathcal{M}(U)$

$$(a \cdot m)|_V = a|_V \cdot m|_V$$

(3) Ringed space:  $(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$   
top. space  $\rightarrow$  sheaf of rings.

(4) Locally ringed space:  $(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$  ringed space  
s.t.  $\forall x \in X$ , the stalk  $\mathcal{O}_{X,x}$  at  $x$  is a  
local ring, i.e.; it has exactly one maximal ideal.

(5) Push-forward of a presheaf or sheaf:

Given a continuous map  $\varphi: Y \rightarrow X$  and a  
presheaf  $\mathcal{G}$  on  $Y$ , the push-forward  $\varphi_* \mathcal{G}$  is the  
presheaf:  $(\varphi_* \mathcal{G})$  on  $X$  defined by:

$$\forall V \subset X \quad (\varphi_* \mathcal{G})(V) := \mathcal{G}(\varphi^{-1}(V))$$

Exercise: If  $\mathcal{G}$  is a sheaf,  $\varphi_* \mathcal{G}$  is also a sheaf.

Example:  $R$  ring,  $(\text{Spec } R, \mathcal{O}_{\text{Spec } R})$   
is a ringed space. We will see that this is in fact  
a locally ringed space.

(6) Morphisms of ringed spaces:

Given  $(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$ ,  $(Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)$  ringed spaces.

A morphism of ringed spaces  $\varphi: (Y, \mathcal{O}_Y) \rightarrow (X, \mathcal{O}_X)$

is the data of a continuous map  $\varphi: Y \rightarrow X$

and a morphism of sheaves of rings

$$\varphi^\# : \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \varphi_* \mathcal{O}_Y \quad \text{on } X$$

(7) Morphisms of locally ringed spaces: later

Back to  $\text{Spec } R$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Spec } R}$

Recall that for  $f \in R$ ,  $D_f := \{ \mathfrak{p} \mid f \notin \mathfrak{p} \}$

$$\mathcal{O}(D_f) = R[f^{-1}] := R[x] / (fx - 1)$$

More generally, if we have an integral domain  $R$ .

$R \subset \text{Frac } R$  and for any subset  $S \subset R$ ,  
we can consider  $R[S^{-1}] \subset \text{Frac } R$ .

"subring of  $\text{Frac } R$  generated by  
 $R$  and the inverses of the elements  
of  $S$ ."

We are inspired by the construction of  $\mathbb{Q}$  from  $\mathbb{Z}$ :

$$\mathbb{Q} := \mathbb{Z} \times (\mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}) / \sim$$

$$(a, b) \sim (c, d) \Leftrightarrow ad - bc = 0$$

$\hookrightarrow \frac{a}{b} \quad \hookrightarrow \frac{c}{d}$

$\frac{a}{b}$  = equivalence class of  $(a, b)$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{d} \iff ad - bc = 0.$$

Definition: Let  $A$  be a ring. A subset  $S \subset A$  is called multiplicative if

(i)  $1 \in S$ , and

(ii)  $\forall s, t \in S, st \in S$ .

Definition: Given  $S \subset A$  multiplicative, define an equivalence relation on  $A \times S$  as follows:

$$(a, s) \equiv (b, t) \iff \exists s' \in S \text{ s.t. } (at - bs)s' = 0.$$

The localization  $S^{-1}A$  of  $A$  at  $S$  is, by definition

$$S^{-1}A := A \times S / \equiv.$$

We usually denote the equivalence class of

$(a, s)$  by  $\frac{a}{s}$ .

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Next time: examples.