

Category of Left Modules

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Summary. We define the category of left modules over an associative ring. The carriers of the modules are included in a universum. The universum is a parameter of the category.

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The papers [12], [1], [2], [4], [5], [7], [3], [11], [10], [9], [6], and [8] provide the terminology and notation for this paper. For simplicity we adopt the following convention: x, y are arbitrary, D is a non-empty set, U_1 is a universal class, R is an associative ring, and G, H are left modules over R . Let us consider R . A non-empty set is said to be a non-empty set of left-modules of R if:

(Def.1) for every element x of it holds x is a strict left module over R .

In the sequel V is a non-empty set of left-modules of R . Let us consider R, V . We see that the element of V is a left module over R .

We now state two propositions:

- (1) For every left module morphism f of R and for every element x of $\{f\}$ holds x is a left module morphism of R .
- (2) For every strict morphism f from G to H and for every element x of $\{f\}$ holds x is a strict morphism from G to H .

Let us consider R . A non-empty set is said to be a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules of R if:

(Def.2) for every element x of it holds x is a strict left module morphism of R .

Let us consider R , and let M be a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules of R . We see that the element of M is a left module morphism of R .

Next we state the proposition

- (3) For every strict left module morphism f of R holds $\{f\}$ is a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules of R .

Let us consider R, G, H . A non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules of R is called a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules from G into H if:

(Def.3) for every element x of it holds x is a strict morphism from G to H .

The following two propositions are true:

- (4) D is a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules from G into H if and only if for every element x of D holds x is a strict morphism from G to H .
- (5) For every strict morphism f from G to H holds $\{f\}$ is a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules from G into H .

Let us consider R, G, H . The functor $\text{Morphs}(G, H)$ yields a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules from G into H and is defined as follows:

(Def.4) $x \in \text{Morphs}(G, H)$ if and only if x is a strict morphism from G to H .

Let us consider R, G, H , and let M be a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules from G into H . We see that the element of M is a morphism from G to H .

Let us consider x, y, R . The predicate $P_{\text{ob}} x, y, R$ is defined by:

(Def.5) there exist arbitrary x_1, x_2 such that $x = \langle x_1, x_2 \rangle$ and there exists a strict left module G over R such that $y = G$ and $x_1 =$ the carrier of G and $x_2 =$ the left multiplication of G .

One can prove the following propositions:

- (6) For arbitrary x, y_1, y_2 such that $P_{\text{ob}} x, y_1, R$ and $P_{\text{ob}} x, y_2, R$ holds $y_1 = y_2$.
- (7) For every U_1 there exists x such that $x \in \{\langle G, f \rangle\}$, where G ranges over elements of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$, and f ranges over elements of $\{\emptyset\}^{\text{the carrier of } R, \{\emptyset\}}$ and $P_{\text{ob}} x, {}_R\Theta, R$.

Let us consider U_1, R . The functor $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ yielding a non-empty set is defined as follows:

(Def.6) for every y holds $y \in \text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ if and only if there exists x such that $x \in \{\langle G, f \rangle\}$, where G ranges over elements of $\text{GroupObj}(U_1)$, and f ranges over elements of $\{\emptyset\}^{\text{the carrier of } R, \{\emptyset\}}$ and $P_{\text{ob}} x, y, R$.

One can prove the following two propositions:

- (8) ${}_R\Theta \in \text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$.
- (9) For every element x of $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ holds x is a strict left module over R .

Let us consider U_1, R . Then $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ is a non-empty set of left-modules of R .

Let us consider R, V . The functor $\text{Morphs} V$ yields a non-empty set of morphisms of left-modules of R and is defined as follows:

(Def.7) for every x holds $x \in \text{Morphs} V$ if and only if there exist strict elements G, H of V such that x is a strict morphism from G to H .

We now define two new functors. Let us consider R, V , and let F be an element of $\text{Morphs } V$. The functor $\text{dom}' F$ yields an element of V and is defined as follows:

(Def.8) $\text{dom}' F = \text{dom } F$.

The functor $\text{cod}' F$ yields an element of V and is defined by:

(Def.9) $\text{cod}' F = \text{cod } F$.

Let us consider R, V , and let G be an element of V . The functor I_G yielding a strict element of $\text{Morphs } V$ is defined as follows:

(Def.10) $I_G = I_G$.

We now define three new functors. Let us consider R, V . The functor $\text{dom } V$ yields a function from $\text{Morphs } V$ into V and is defined by:

(Def.11) for every element f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $(\text{dom } V)(f) = \text{dom}' f$.

The functor $\text{cod } V$ yields a function from $\text{Morphs } V$ into V and is defined as follows:

(Def.12) for every element f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $(\text{cod } V)(f) = \text{cod}' f$.

The functor I_V yields a function from V into $\text{Morphs } V$ and is defined by:

(Def.13) for every element G of V holds $I_V(G) = I_G$.

One can prove the following three propositions:

- (10) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\text{dom}' g = \text{cod}' f$ there exist strict elements G_1, G_2, G_3 of V such that g is a morphism from G_2 to G_3 and f is a morphism from G_1 to G_2 .
- (11) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\text{dom}' g = \text{cod}' f$ holds $g \cdot f \in \text{Morphs } V$.
- (12) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ holds $g \cdot f \in \text{Morphs } V$.

Let us consider R, V . The functor $\text{comp } V$ yields a partial function from $\{ \text{Morphs } V, \text{Morphs } V \}$ to $\text{Morphs } V$ and is defined by:

(Def.14) for all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom comp } V$ if and only if $\text{dom}' g = \text{cod}' f$ and for all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ such that $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom comp } V$ holds $(\text{comp } V)(\langle g, f \rangle) = g \cdot f$.

The following proposition is true

- (13) For all elements g, f of $\text{Morphs } V$ holds $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom comp } V$ if and only if $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$.

Let us consider U_1, R . The functor $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ yields a strict category structure and is defined by:

(Def.15) $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R) = \langle \text{LModObj}(U_1, R), \text{Morphs LModObj}(U_1, R), \text{dom LModObj}(U_1, R), \text{cod LModObj}(U_1, R), \text{comp LModObj}(U_1, R), I_{\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)} \rangle$.

One can prove the following propositions:

- (14) For all morphisms f, g of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ holds $\langle g, f \rangle \in \text{dom}$ (the composition of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$) if and only if $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$.

- (15) Let f be a morphism of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$. Then for every element f' of $\text{Morphs LModObj}(U_1, R)$ and for every object b of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ and for every element b' of $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ holds f is a strict element of $\text{Morphs LModObj}(U_1, R)$ and f' is a morphism of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ and b is a strict element of $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ and b' is an object of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$.
- (16) For every object b of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ and for every element b' of $\text{LModObj}(U_1, R)$ such that $b = b'$ holds $\text{id}_b = I_{b'}$.
- (17) For every morphism f of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ and for every element f' of $\text{Morphs LModObj}(U_1, R)$ such that $f = f'$ holds $\text{dom } f = \text{dom } f'$ and $\text{cod } f = \text{cod } f'$.
- (18) Let f, g be morphisms of $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$. Let f', g' be elements of $\text{Morphs LModObj}(U_1, R)$. Suppose $f = f'$ and $g = g'$. Then
- (i) $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ if and only if $\text{dom } g' = \text{cod } f'$,
 - (ii) $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$ if and only if $\langle g', f' \rangle \in \text{dom comp LModObj}(U_1, R)$,
 - (iii) if $\text{dom } g = \text{cod } f$, then $g \cdot f = g' \cdot f'$,
 - (iv) $\text{dom } f = \text{dom } g$ if and only if $\text{dom } f' = \text{dom } g'$,
 - (v) $\text{cod } f = \text{cod } g$ if and only if $\text{cod } f' = \text{cod } g'$.

Let us consider U_1, R . Then $\text{LModCat}(U_1, R)$ is a strict category.

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