

Def: A rational map  $\varphi: V \dashrightarrow W$  is a regular map  $U \xrightarrow{\varphi} W$ , where  $U$  open in  $V$ .  
 $U = \text{domain of } \varphi$   
 Equivalently,  $\varphi$  is locally given by rational functions and  $U = \{ \text{all denominators} \neq 0 \}$ .

Ex  $\alpha: X \rightarrow \mathbb{A}^2$  regular ( $X = \text{Bl } \mathbb{A}^2$  from last lecture)  
 $\alpha': \mathbb{A}^2 \dashrightarrow X$  rational, defined on  $\mathbb{A}^2 \setminus \{(0,0)\}$

Pedantic remark: Assume  $V$  irreducible. Then a rational map  $\varphi: V \dashrightarrow W$  is an equivalence class of pairs  $(U, \varphi): U \text{ open in } V, \varphi: U \rightarrow W$  regular  
 $(U, \varphi) \sim (U', \varphi')$  if  $\varphi = \varphi'$  on  $U \cap U'$

Def  $V$  and  $W$  are called birational if

$\Rightarrow V \xrightleftharpoons[\varphi]{\psi} W$  such that  $\varphi \circ \psi = \psi \circ \varphi = \text{Id}$  wherever defined.

Ex  $X$  is birational to  $\mathbb{A}^2$

Def A line bundle on  $X$  is the following data:

- (1) A map  $E \xrightarrow{\pi} X$
- (2) The structure of 1-dim vector space in each

(2) The structure of 1-dim vector space in each fiber. That is, if  $e_1, e_2 \in E$  and  $\pi(e_1) = \pi(e_2) = x$  then we can define  $\alpha e_1 + \beta e_2 \in \pi^{-1}(x)$  for  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{K}$ .

(3) Local triviality: for each  $x \in X$  there is an open  $U \ni x$  such that  $\pi^{-1}(U) \xrightarrow{\sim} U \times \mathbb{A}^1$

Ex  $X = \mathbb{P}^n$ ,  $E = \{(p, \ell) : p \in \ell\} = \text{Bl}_0 \mathbb{A}^{n+1}$   
 $\pi : E \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^n$   $\pi(p, \ell) = \ell$

This is called the tautological line bundle on  $\mathbb{P}^n$  and denoted by  $\mathcal{O}(-1)$ .

Def More generally, we define:

for  $k \geq 0$ :  $\mathcal{O}(k) = \{(f, \ell) : f \text{ is a degree } k \text{ homogeneous polynomial on } \ell \}$   
 $\ell \in \mathbb{P}^n \simeq \text{line on } \mathbb{A}^{n+1}$

for  $k \leq 0$   $\mathcal{O}(-k) = \{(f, \ell) : f \text{ is a degree } k \text{ homogeneous polynomial on } \ell^\perp \}$

for  $k = 0$  we get  $f \in \mathbb{K} \Rightarrow \mathcal{O}(0) \simeq \mathbb{A}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^n$   
 trivial bundle.

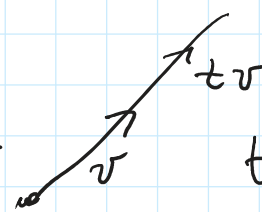
Lemma  $\mathcal{O}(k)$  is a line bundle on  $\mathbb{P}^n$  for all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

$\mathbb{P}^1 \simeq \dots$  to show  $\mathcal{O}(k)$  triviality

Pf We need to check local triviality.

$U_i = \{x_i \neq 0\}$   $[x_0 : \dots : x_n]$  homogeneous coords on  $\mathbb{P}^n$ .

$v = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \\ x_i \end{pmatrix} =$  basis in  $\ell$

Any vector in  $\ell$ :  $(t \frac{x_0}{x_i} : \dots : t \frac{x_n}{x_i}) = tv$    $t =$  coord on  $\ell$

$f =$  homog. polynomial on  $\ell$  of deg.  $k \iff$

$$f(tv) = \alpha t^k$$

$k \geq 0$

$$f\left(\underbrace{x_0}_{x_i} : \dots : x_n\right) = f(x_i \cdot v) = \alpha x_i^k$$

also a vector on  $\ell$

Claim:  $\pi^{-1}(U) \simeq U \times \mathbb{A}^1$  isomorphism.

$$(\alpha t^k, \ell) \longleftarrow (\ell, \alpha)$$

$$(f, \ell) \longleftarrow (\ell, \frac{f(x_0, \dots, x_n)}{x_i^k})$$

For  $k \leq 0$ , we use the following linear algebra fact.

Fact Suppose  $V = 1$ -dim vector space over  $\mathbb{K}$ .

Then there is a canonical isomorphism

$$\{ \text{degree } k \text{ polynomials on } V^* \} \longleftrightarrow \{ \text{degree } (-k) \text{ Laurent polynomials on } V \}$$

Pf Let  $V_k = \{ \text{deg } k \text{ Laurent monom } \}$   $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

We have a pairing  $V_k \otimes V_{-k} \rightarrow \mathbb{K}$

$$(f, g) \longrightarrow f \cdot g \leftarrow \text{deg } 0 \text{ poly} = \text{constant.}$$

$$(t, g) \longrightarrow f \cdot g \quad \text{deg} = \text{poly} = \text{constant.}$$

Nondegenerate  $\Rightarrow V_{-k} \cong V_k^*$ .

In words:  $\bar{e}$  = basis vector in  $V$ , any other vector  $t \cdot \bar{e}$

$$g \in V_{-k}, \quad g(t \cdot \bar{e}) = \beta t^{-k}$$

$\bar{e}^*$  = dual basis on  $V^*$ , define map  $V_{-k} \longrightarrow \{ \text{deg } k \text{ poly on } V^* \}$

$$\beta t^{-k} \longrightarrow h \text{ such that } h(s \bar{e}^*) = \beta s^k.$$

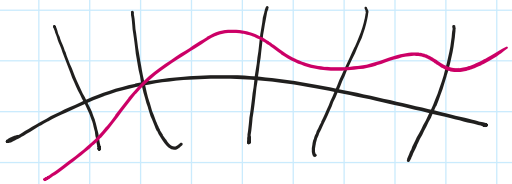
Change basis:  $\bar{e} \rightarrow \lambda \bar{e}$      $t \rightarrow \frac{t}{\lambda}$      $\bar{e}^* \rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} \bar{e}^*$ ,  $s \rightarrow \lambda s$

words

$$\beta t^{-k} = (\beta \lambda^{-k}) \cdot \left(\frac{t}{\lambda}\right)^{-k} \quad \tilde{\beta} = \beta \lambda^{-k}$$

$$\beta s^k = (\beta \lambda^k) \cdot (\lambda s)^k \quad \tilde{\beta} = \beta \lambda^k \quad \checkmark.$$

Def A section is a map  $s: X \rightarrow E$  such that  $\pi(s(x)) = x$  for all  $x \in X$



Ex  $E = X \times \mathbb{A}^1$  trivial bundle

Section  $\iff$  function  $X \rightarrow \mathbb{A}^1$ .

Ex  $E = \mathcal{O}(k)$  on  $\mathbb{P}^n$ ,  $k \geq 0$

$F = \text{degree } k \text{ homog. polynomial on } \mathbb{A}^{n+1}$

$\rightarrow$  section of  $\mathcal{O}(k)$      $s(\ell) = (F|_{\ell}, \ell)$

So: degree  $k$  polynomials = section of  $\mathcal{O}(k)$ ,

Lemma (a)  $s_1, s_2 =$  two sections of  $E$

$\Rightarrow \frac{s_1}{s_2} =$  rational function on  $X$

well defined on  $\{s_2 \neq 0\}$ .

(b) Assume  $E$  has a section which is nowhere zero.

then  $E$  is trivial.