

Lecture 2

Previously

- field $\mathbb{F}_q(T)$, Ring $\mathbb{F}_q[T]$, $q = p^r$

- $v(x) = v\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \deg b - \deg a$

- $|x| = \left|\frac{a}{b}\right| = q^{\deg a - \deg b} = q^{-v(x)}$

- properties of non-Archimedean fields

- ultrametric inequality

- Δ is isosceles

- balls are disjoint or contained in each other

True facts

• if K is of char p then every $|\cdot|$ is non-Archimedean

• every Archimedean $|\cdot|$ comes from

$$\iota: K \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad |x| = |\iota(x)|_{\infty}^{\alpha} \quad \alpha = 1, 2$$

Why?

Analogy

fields

\mathbb{Z}

\mathbb{Q}

function fields

$\mathbb{F}_q[T]$

$\mathbb{F}_q(T)$

- it works, many theorems have analogues on either side
- both \mathbb{Z} , $\mathbb{F}_q[T]$ are PIDs
"base rings" Dedekind domains
- completions of \mathbb{Q} & $\mathbb{F}_q(T)$ are all locally compact fields
- both \mathbb{Z} , $\mathbb{F}_q[T]$ have finite unit groups
- both \mathbb{Q} , $\mathbb{F}_q(T)$ are "global fields"

FOR US: class field theory, elliptic curves

First, finish completions & entire functions

Definitions

Let K be a fld, $|\cdot|$ abs value on K

① $\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ $x_n \in K$ this sequence is Cauchy
if $\forall \varepsilon > 0 \exists N$ s.t. $|x_n - x_m| < \varepsilon$ whenever
 $n, m > N$

② K is complete ~~if~~ wrt $|\cdot|$ if every Cauchy
sequence converges to an element of K

③ $S \subset K$ is dense if every open ball around every element of K contains an element of S
i.e. $\forall x \in K \quad \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad B(x, \varepsilon) \cap S \neq \emptyset$

My problem: $\mathbb{F}_q(T)$ is not complete

Consider
$$x_n = \sum_{i=-n}^0 T^i = T^{-n} + T^{-n+1} + \dots + 1$$
$$= \frac{T^n + T^{n-1} + \dots + 1}{T^n} \in \mathbb{F}_q(T)$$

$\{x_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is Cauchy

Fix $\varepsilon > 0$, let N be s.t. $q^{-N} < \varepsilon$

Then if $n \geq m \geq N$

$$\begin{aligned} |x_n - x_m| &= |T^{-n} + T^{-n+1} + \dots + T^{-m-1}| \\ &= \max(|T^{-n}|, |T^{-n+1}|, \dots, |T^{-m-1}|) \\ &= \max(q^{-n}, q^{-n+1}, \dots, q^{-m-1}) \\ &= q^{-m-1} < q^{-N} < \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

This "should" converge to $x_\infty = \sum_{i=-\infty}^0 T^i \mathbb{1}_{\mathbb{F}_q}(T)$
 $= \frac{1}{1-T}$

Instead $x_n = \sum_{i=-n}^0 T_i^2 \rightarrow x_\infty = \sum_{i=-\infty}^0 T_i^2 \notin \mathbb{F}_q(T)$

↑ Cauchy

Want a place where every Cauchy sequences converges, this is called the completion of K

"Definition" \hat{K} the completion of K wrt 1.1
is $K \cup \{ \text{the limit of every Cauchy sequence} \}$

Look up the real definition

FOR US $\widehat{\mathbb{F}_q}(T) = \mathbb{F}_q\left(\left(\frac{1}{T}\right)\right) \ni \sum_{n=-\infty}^N a_n T^n$

$$\pi \approx 3.14159 \dots$$

PROPOSITION

Let \widehat{K} be a complete fld wrt a non-Arch l.l.

① $\{x_n\}$ is Cauchy iff $\lim_{h \rightarrow \infty} |x_{n+h} - x_n| = 0$

② $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x_n$ converges iff $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$

\mathbb{Z}
 \mathbb{Q}
 \mathbb{R}
 complete & alg closed $\rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

$$[\mathbb{C} : \mathbb{R}] = 2$$

$\mathbb{F}_q[T]$
 $\mathbb{F}_q(T) = K_\infty$
 $\mathbb{F}_q\left(\left(\frac{1}{T}\right)\right)$ - complete

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \overline{\mathbb{F}_q\left(\left(\frac{1}{T}\right)\right)} \text{ - alg closed} \\ \text{but not complete} \\ \bigwedge \\ \widehat{\mathbb{F}_q\left(\left(\frac{1}{T}\right)\right)} \text{ - complete \& alg closed} \end{array} \right.$
 $\quad \quad \quad = C_\infty$

$$[C_\infty : K_\infty] = \infty$$

Definition / Proposition

Let $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$ $a_n \in \mathbb{C}$. We say

f is entire if it converges for all $x \in \mathbb{C}$

This happens iff $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{v(a_n)}{n} = \infty$

Next up: char p stuff

Additive & \mathbb{F}_q -linear polynomials.

Def: Let K be a fld, $P(x) \in K[x]$ then

P is additive if

$$P(x+y) = P(x) + P(y) \quad \forall x, y \in K$$

$K = \mathbb{Q}$ only additive polys $P(x) = cx$

But in char p , we have $(x+y)^p = x^p + y^p$

Also: $P(x) \in \mathbb{F}_3[x]$ check that

$P(x) = x^6 + x^4 + x^2 + x$ is additive

Def: Let K be a fld & $\mathbb{F}_q \subset K$

Then $P(x) \in K[x]$ is \mathbb{F}_q -linear if

• P is additive

• $P(\zeta x) = \zeta P(x) \quad \forall \zeta \in \mathbb{F}_q$

$$P(\zeta x + \xi y) = \zeta P(x) + \xi P(y) \quad \forall \zeta, \xi \in \mathbb{F}_q$$
$$x, y \in K$$