

## Lecture 8 - More on quasi-coherent sheaves and stacks

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Prop<sup>o</sup>: A for a morphism  $X_0 \rightarrow Y_0$ ,  $\exists$  pullback functor  $QCoh(Y_0) \rightarrow QCoh(X_0)$ , which is an equivalence if  $f$  is morita, and natural trans. gives iso. of functors

The cleanest way to think of this is given a diagram of schemes, what is a Quasi-coherent sheaf on that diagram (Cartesian)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{E} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{F} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \end{array}$$

arrow  $\mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}$  is an isomorphism.  
 $f^* \mathcal{F} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{E}$

Claim<sup>o</sup>: A quasicoherent sheaf is the same sheaf as a Cartesian quasicoherent on the diagram

$$X_2 \rightrightarrows X_1 \xrightarrow{\quad} X_0$$

Proof of prop<sup>o</sup>:

Step 1) Banal around for fof map

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↳ can reduce to case of  
affine fppf maps, statement  
about ring maps

2) for general groupoids, look at

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X_0 & \rightarrow & Y_0 \\ W_{\infty} & \xrightarrow{f_0} & Y_1 \xrightarrow{t} Y_0 \\ \downarrow r_0 & & \downarrow s \\ X_0 & \rightarrow & Y_0 \end{array} \quad \left( \begin{array}{c} X_0 \rightarrow X \\ \uparrow \hookrightarrow \quad \uparrow \\ W_{\infty} \rightarrow Y_0 \end{array} \right)$$

motivation

3) Use the fact that

$$QCoh(X_0) \xrightarrow{\cong} QCoh(W_{\infty}) \xleftarrow{\cong} QCoh(Y_0)$$



Thus we think of  $QCoh(X_0)$  as indep.  
of presentation.

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categorification • definition • variation

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fibred categories: definition: existence  
of Cartesian arrays

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{\quad \xi \quad} & Y & & \\
 p \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \theta & & \\
 Sch & \xrightarrow{\quad p(\xi) \quad} & p(Y) & & 
 \end{array}$$

We saw the example of  $QCoh = \{(X, \mathcal{E})\}$

Think of this as a functor from  
schemes to categories

$$QCoh(U) := p^{-1}(U) \subset QCoh$$

Given a diagram of schemes, a quasi-ct.  
sheaf on that diagram is a  
Cartesian section

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{E} & \rightarrow & QCoh \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 D & \longrightarrow & Sch
 \end{array}$$

This leads to the correct notion of a  
stack (modeled after the stack of  
q-coh. sheaves).

Def: A stack is a category fibered in groupoids such that  $\forall$  banal groupoids associated to an etale cover  $U \rightarrow X$  of schemes,

$F(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} F(U)$   
is an equivalence.

(Vistoli)

#### 4.1.3. Fibered categories with descent.

DEFINITION 4.6. Let  $\mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  be a fibered category on a site  $\mathcal{C}$ .

- (i)  $\mathcal{F}$  is a prestack over  $\mathcal{C}$  if for each covering  $\{U_i \rightarrow U\}$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , the functor  $\mathcal{F}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\{U_i \rightarrow U\})$  is fully faithful.
- (ii)  $\mathcal{F}$  is a stack over  $\mathcal{C}$  if for each covering  $\{U_i \rightarrow U\}$  in  $\mathcal{C}$ , the functor  $\mathcal{F}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\{U_i \rightarrow U\})$  is an equivalence of categories.

Ex: the stack  $QCoh^{cart}$

Ex: Stack of  $G$ -bundles

Ex: Quotient stacks

these are algebraic,

To define this, some notions

- 1) base preserving functors
- 2) 2-fiber product

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- 3) 2-yoneda lemma

2-YONEDA LEMMA. *The two functors above define an equivalence of categories*

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}((\mathcal{C}/X), \mathcal{F}) \simeq \mathcal{F}(X).$$

- 4) definition of representable maps