

1. Show that if a fine moduli space exists for a moduli functor, then it is unique up to isomorphism.
2. Prove that there is a fine moduli space parameterizing plane conics, and it is indeed isomorphic to the five-dimensional projective space.
3. Show that the cuspidal cubic  $y^2z = x^3 \subset \mathbb{P}^2$  has a natural bijection with  $\mathbb{P}^1$ , but it is not a coarse moduli space for the moduli problem of lines through the origin in the plane.
4. Prove that Harder-Narasimhan filtration with respect to  $\mu_H$ -stability is unique.
5. Prove that if two vector bundles  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are  $\mu_H$ -semistable, then  $E_1 \otimes E_2$  is also  $\mu_H$ -semistable.
6. Let  $E$  be a rank  $r$  vector bundle on the projective space  $\mathbb{P}^n(\mathbb{C})$ . Prove that if

$$H^0(\mathbb{P}^n(\mathbb{C}), (\wedge^q E)_{norm}) = 0 \quad \text{for } 1 \leq q \leq r - 1,$$

then  $E$  is  $\mu$ -stable.

7. Prove that there exists a rank 2  $\mu$ -stable vector bundle  $E$  on  $\mathbb{P}^2(\mathbb{C})$  with  $c_1(E) = -1$  and  $c_2(E) = c_2$  if and only if  $c_2 \geq 1$ .
8. Let  $E$  be a rank 2 vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}^3(\mathbb{C})$  associated to a curve  $Y \subset \mathbb{P}^3(\mathbb{C})$ , i.e. we have a short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^3(\mathbb{C})}(-c_1(E)) \rightarrow E(-c_1(E)) \rightarrow I_Y \rightarrow 0$$

Show that  $E$  is  $\mu$ -stable if and only if  $c_1(E) > 0$  and  $Y$  is not contained in any surface of degree  $\leq \frac{c_1(E)}{2}$