

Math 256A. Problem Set #8

“Due” Thursday, 29 October—do not hand in

1. Exercise 1.3a.
2. Let Z , X , and \mathcal{F} be as in the definition of $\mathcal{F}|_Z$ on page 65. Show that the stalk of $\mathcal{F}|_Z$ at any point $P \in Z$ is just \mathcal{F}_P (as indicated in the last sentence of that definition).
3. Exercise 1.8.
4. Exercise 1.17.
5. Let X be a noetherian topological space, and let \mathcal{F} be a subsheaf of the constant sheaf \mathbb{Z} on X . Show that \mathcal{F} is finitely generated; i.e., that there are open subsets U_1, \dots, U_n of X and sections $s_i \in \mathcal{F}(U_i)$ for all i such that no proper subsheaf of \mathcal{F} contains all of these sections. [**Hint:** First show that for all $P \in X$ the stalk \mathbb{Z}_P equals \mathbb{Z} , and then consider the sets $\{P \in X : i \in \mathcal{F}_P\}$ for $i \in \mathbb{Z}$.]