- 1. Let A be a domain, K a field, and suppose that  $A \subseteq K$ . Show that the integral closure  $\mathcal{O}_K(A)$  of A in K is integrally closed.
- 2. Let  $K = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{-5})$ . Show that  $\mathcal{O}_K$  is not a P.I.D. *Hint:* Is the ideal  $(2, 1 + \sqrt{-5})$  principal?
- 3. Let K be a number field and L/K a separable field extension of degree n. By the primitive element theorem, we know that  $L = K(\alpha)$  for some  $\alpha \in L$  with minimal polynomial  $f \in K[X]$  of degree n. Let  $\overline{K}$  be an algebraic closure of K. Denote by  $\sigma_1, \ldots, \sigma_n$  an enumeration of  $\operatorname{Hom}_K(L, \overline{K})$ , and set

$$\alpha_1 = \sigma_1(\alpha), \ldots, \alpha_n = \sigma_n(\alpha).$$

Note that  $\alpha_1, \ldots, \alpha_n$  are exactly the roots of f (which we know to be pairwise distinct since L/K is separable).

Given  $a \in L$ , let  $[\times a]_{L/K} : L \to L$  be the K-linear map given by  $[\times a]_{L/K}(b) = ab$  for all  $b \in L$ . Define  $B : L \times L \to K$  by

$$\forall a, b \in L \quad B(a, b) = \operatorname{tr} ([\times ab]_{L/K}).$$

We call B the trace-pairing form on L/K.

- a) Show that B is K-bilinear.
- b) Show that

$$\det (B(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)) = \prod_{i < j} (\alpha_i - \alpha_j)^2.$$

Conclude that the trace pairing form on L/K is non-degenerate.

c) Prove that

$$\det (B(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)) = (-1)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \operatorname{Nr}_{L/K}(f'(\alpha))$$
$$= (-1)^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \prod_{i=1}^{n} \sigma_i(f'(\alpha)).$$

4. Let K be a number field and  $\mathcal{B}$  be a  $\mathbb{Q}$ -basis of K contained in  $\mathcal{O}_K$ . Prove that if  $\Delta(\mathcal{B})$  is square free, then  $\mathcal{B}$  is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis of  $\mathcal{O}_K$ .