PROBLEM SET 8 (DUE ON NOV 10)

(All Exercises are references to the December 29, 2015 version of Foundations of Algebraic Geometry by R. Vakil.)

- **Problem 1.** Exercise 9.2.C(a) (fiber product of closed subschemes is their intersection)
- **Problem 2.** Exercise 9.3.B (underlying topological space of scheme-theoretic fiber is topological fiber)
- **Problem 3.** Exercise 9.4.D (surjectivity is preserved by base change you might find Exercise 9.3.C helpful)
- **Problem 4.** Exercise 10.1.J (separated over Spec A and separated over Spec \mathbb{Z} are equivalent)
- **Problem 5.** Describe two morphisms $\mathbb{A}^1_{\mathbb{C}} \to \mathbb{A}^1_{\mathbb{C}}$ such that the fiber product $X = \mathbb{A}^1_{\mathbb{C}} \times_{\mathbb{A}^1_{\mathbb{C}}} \mathbb{A}^1_{\mathbb{C}}$ using these morphisms has exactly two irreducible components and such that the two irreducible components intersect in exactly two points.