

**ON THE LINKING ALGEBRA OF HILBERT
MODULES AND MORITA EQUIVALENCE OF
LOCALLY C^* -ALGEBRAS**

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Abstract. In this paper we introduce the notion of linking algebra of a Hilbert module over a locally C^* -algebra and we extend in the context of locally C^* -algebras a result of Brown, Green and Rieffel [Pacific J.,1977] which states that two C^* -algebras are strongly Morita equivalent if and only if they are isomorphic with two complementary full corners of a C^* -algebra.

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