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Heavily separable functors

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REMARK

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 $\widetilde{\eta}$ and $\widetilde{arepsilon}$ denote the unit and the counit of this adjunction.

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i.e. \widetilde{T} is heavily separable via γ .