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free resolution

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Let M be a module. A *free resolution* of M is an exact sequence of the form

$$\cdots \rightarrow F_n \rightarrow F_{n-1} \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow F_1 \rightarrow F_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$$

where each F_n is a free module.