

$k$  = comm ring with 1

$R$  = associative unital  $k$ -algebra

$M = R$  - bimodule

$$n \geq 0 \quad C_n(R, M) := M \otimes_k R^{\otimes n}$$

$$b: C_n(R, M) \longrightarrow C_{n+1}(R, M)$$

$$(m, r_1, \dots, r_n) \longmapsto (mr_1, \dots, r_n) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (-1)^i (m, \dots, r_i r_{i+1}, \dots) + (-1)^n (am, a, \dots, a_{n-1})$$

$$\text{eg: } b(m, a) = ma - am$$

Claim:  $b \circ b = 0$  i.e.  $\{C_*(M; R), b\}$  is a complex of  $R$ -bimodules

Proof: Set  $b = \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i d_i$  where  $d_i := (m, a_1, \dots, a_i a_{i+1}, \dots, a_n)$  if  $0 \leq i < n$   
 $d_0 := (ma, \dots, a_{n-1})$

$$\text{Check: } d_i \circ d_j = d_{j-1} \circ \underbrace{d_i}_{i < j} \quad d_n := (ma_n, \dots, a_{n-1})$$

Called pre-simplicial complex

Not yet a simplicial complex as degeneracy maps are missing.

Def: Presimplicial module  $C$ : collection of modules  $\{C_n\}_{n \geq 0}$  and face maps  $d_{i(n)}: C_n \longrightarrow C_{n-1}$   $0 \leq i(n) \leq n$   
satisfying  $d_{i(n-1)} d_{j(n)} = d_{j-1(n)} d_{i(n)}$  for  $0 \leq i < j \leq n$

Lemma:  $d := \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i d_{i(n)}$  then  $d \circ d = 0$ .

Def:  $CCR(M) = \{C_*(R, M), b\}$  Hochschild chain complex

$$H_n(R, M) := H_n(C_*(R, M)) \quad n\text{-th H homology}$$

Note: In general these are just  $k$ -modules

$$H_0(R, M) = M / \begin{matrix} [R, M] \\ \parallel \end{matrix} \quad \Rightarrow M_R \text{ module of co-invariants}$$

$k$ -module generated by  $mr - rm$

There is a left action of  $Z(R)$  on  $C_n(R, M)$

$$\text{this induces endo of H-complex } z(m, a, \dots, a_n) = (zm, a, \dots, a_n)$$

So  $H_n(R, M)$  are modules over  $Z(R)$

In particular, if  $R$  is commutative then  $HH_*(R) := H_*(R, R)$  is an  $R$ -module

eg: if  $R = M = k$ , the  $n$ -complex is

$$\rightarrow k \xrightarrow{1} k \xrightarrow{1} \dots \xrightarrow{1} k \xrightarrow{1} k \rightarrow 0$$

$$HH_0(k) = k \quad HH_n(k) = 0 \quad n \geq 1$$

eg:  $R = T(V)$  tensor algebra on  $V = k$ -vector space

$[R, R] = k\text{-module generated by } x_1 \dots x_{n-1}x_n - x_nx_1 \dots x_{n-1}$  for  $n \geq 2$

$\forall a, b \in R \quad ab = ba \text{ in } \mathrm{HH}_0(T(V)) = R/[R, R] \neq S(V)$

e.g.:  $x, y \in V \quad xyxy = yxyx + x^2y^2 \text{ in } \mathrm{HH}_0(T(V))$

## Hochschild cohomology

$$C^*(R, M) = M$$

$$C^n(R, M) = \mathrm{Hom}_k(R^{\otimes n}, M) \quad \forall n \geq 1 \quad (\text{setting } R^0 = k \text{ we get back } C^*(R, M))$$

$$\beta: C^*(R, M) \longrightarrow C^{n+1}(R, M)$$

$$f \longmapsto ((a_1 \dots a_{n+1}) \longmapsto a_1 f(a_2, \dots, a_{n+1}) + \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^i f(a_1, \dots, a_i a_{i+1} \dots a_{n+1}) + (-1)^{n+1} f(a_1 \dots a_n) a_{n+1})$$

Claim:  $\beta^2 = 0$

$$H^0(R, M) = \ker(M \longrightarrow C^1(M, R)) = \mathrm{Hom}_k(R, M)$$

$$= \{m \in M \mid rm = mr \quad \forall r \in R\}$$

Note: if  $R$  is commutative  $H^0(R, M)$  is a symmetric sub-module of  $M$

$H^*(-, -): \{(R, M)\} \longrightarrow k\text{-modules contravariant functor}$

$$R \xrightarrow{\alpha} R' \quad M' \xrightarrow{\varphi} M$$

$$\rightsquigarrow C^*(R', M') \longrightarrow C^*(R, M) \quad \rightsquigarrow H^*(R', M) \longrightarrow H^*(R, M)$$

## Resolution → Bar (2-sided) resolution of $R$

in homological degree  $n$ :  $C_n^{\text{bar}} = R^{\otimes (n+1)}$

$$b': R^{\otimes n+2} \longrightarrow R^{\otimes n+1}$$

$$b'(a_1 a_2 \dots a_{n+1}) = \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^i a_i \quad (\text{does not include } a_{n+1})$$

$$\text{eg: } R^{\otimes 4} \xrightarrow{b'} R^{\otimes 3}$$

$$(a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4) \longmapsto (a a_1 a_2 a_3) - (a_1 a a_2 a_3) + (a_1 a_2 a a_3)$$

$$b' \circ b' = 0$$

$C_*^{\text{bar}}$  is augmented by  $b'_0 = \mu: R \otimes R \longrightarrow R$

Prop:  $R$  be a unital  $k$ -algebra, then  $C_*^{\text{bar}}$  is a resolution of the  $R$ -bimodule  $R$ .

Proof: Define a homotopy

$$\forall n \geq 1 \quad s: R^{\otimes n} \longrightarrow R^{\otimes n+1}$$

$$(a_1 \dots a_n) \longmapsto (1, a_1, \dots, a_n)$$

$$sb_i = s \cdot d_{i+1} \quad \forall i=1 \dots n-1, \quad d_0 \cdot s = id$$

then  $s \cdot b' + b \cdot s = 1$  and so the complex is acyclic.

The map  $b'$  is completely determined by

i)  $b'$  is left  $R$ -module hom

ii)  $b' = M$  on  $R \otimes R$

iii)  $b' \circ b = 1$

Prop: If the unital  $k$ -algebra  $R$  is projective as a  $sk$ -module, then

$$H_n(R, M) = \text{Tor}_n^{R^e}(M, R)$$

Proof:

$R$  is projective  $\Rightarrow R^{\otimes n}$  is projective as  $k$ -modules

$$\Rightarrow R^{\otimes(n+1)} = R \otimes R^{\otimes n} \otimes R \text{ is a projective } R^e\text{-left module} \quad \text{why?}$$

Bar resolution provides a projective resolution of  $R$  as left  $R^e$ -module

By applying  $(M \otimes_{R^e} -)$  we get back the Hochschild complex.

$$\rightarrow 1 \otimes b' \text{ becomes } b \text{ under } M \otimes_{R^e} R^{\otimes(n+2)} \cong M \otimes R^{\otimes n} \quad \text{Check}$$

Prop:  $\exists$  a subcomplex  $D_* \subseteq C_*(R, M)$  which is acyclic (assuming  $R$  unital)

the projection

$$C_*(R, M) \longrightarrow C_*(R, M)/D_* \text{ is a quasi-isomorphism of complexes.}$$

Claim:  $R$ -unital  $\Rightarrow \{C_n(R, M)\}_{n \geq 0}$  is an example of simplicial module.

Def: A simplicial module is a pre-simplicial module i.e.  $\exists d_i: M_i \longrightarrow M_{i-1}$  (face maps) together with a collection of  $sk$ -homomorphisms  $s_i: M_n \longrightarrow M_{n+1}$  together with relations.

$$s_i \cdot s_j = s_{j+1} \cdot s_i \quad i \leq j$$

$$d_i \cdot s_j = \begin{cases} s_{j-1} \cdot d_i & i < j \\ id & i=j \\ s_j \cdot d_i & \text{else} \end{cases} \quad i = j \quad i = j+1$$

Morphism of simplicial modules defined as usual

e.g.  $M_n := M \otimes R^{\otimes n}$  with  $M = R$ -bimodule

$$s_j(a_0, \dots, a_n) = (a_0, \dots, a_{j-1}, a_{j+1}, \dots, a_n) \quad j = 0, \dots, n$$

$(j \leftrightarrow)$  position

$$\det D_n := \langle s_0 M_{n-1} + \dots + s_{n-1} M_0 \rangle \subseteq M_n$$

$D_*$  is then a subcomplex

← Check what is this in case of  $M = R$

Claim:  $D_*$  is acyclic.

Proof: Consider the following increasing filtration of  $D_n$ :

$$n, p \geq 0 \quad F_p D_n := \{ \text{Linear span of } s_0, \dots, s_p : D_{n-p} \rightarrow D_n \}$$

Claim:  $F_{n-1} D_n = F_n D_n = \dots = D_n$  ← stabilization of filtration

This filtration determines a spectral sequence where  $E^1$  term is the homology of  $\text{Gr}_* D_*$  ( $E_{p,q}^1 := H_p(\text{Gr}_q D_*)$ )  
whose abutment is

$$\text{the homology of } D_* \quad E_{p,q}^\infty = F_p H_{p+q}(D_*) / F_{p-1} H_{p+q}(D_*) \subseteq E_{p+q}^\infty = H_{p+q}(D_*)$$

Lemma:  $\forall p \geq 0$  the complex  $\text{Gr}_p D_*$  is acyclic.

Proof: For  $n \leq p$ :  $\text{Gr}_p F_p D_n = 0$

If  $n \geq p$ ,  $(-)^p s_p$  induces a chain homotopy from  $\text{id}$  to 0.

$$\text{i.e. } (d \cdot s_p + s_p \cdot d) s_p \equiv (-)^p s_p \pmod{F_{p-1}}$$

$$\text{If } i < p, \quad d_i \cdot s_p = s_{p-i} \cdot d_i = 0 \pmod{F_{p-1}}$$

$$\text{i.e. } d_p s_p \text{ and } d_{p+1} \cdot s_p \text{ cancel each other}$$

$$\text{i.e. } d_i \cdot s_p = s_{p-i} \cdot d_i, \text{ so } d_i \cdot s_p \cdot s_p \text{ cancel with } s_p \cdot d_{i-1} \cdot s_p \text{ for } p+2 < i$$

hence the only term left out is  $s_p \cdot d + d \cdot s_p$  is

$$(-)^{p+2} \cdot d_{p+2} \cdot s_p \cdot s_p = (-)^p s_p \cdot \underbrace{d_{p+1} \cdot s_p}_{\text{id}} = (-)^p s_p$$

Check everything on this page.

The: In a first quadrant SS abutting to  $A_*(= H_*(D_*))$  with  $E_{p,q}^2 = 0 \quad \forall p > 0, q > 0$  then there is a LES

$$\rightarrow E_{n-n, 0}^2 \rightarrow E_{0, n}^2 \rightarrow A_n = H_n(D_*) \rightarrow E_{n, 0}^2 \rightarrow E_{0, n-1}^2 \rightarrow \dots$$

in this case  $E_{n, 0}^2 = 0 \quad \forall n > 0$ .

→  $s_i$ 's are numbered wrong, it goes from  $s_0$  to  $s_n$

→ Why is  $R \otimes R \otimes \dots \otimes R$  a projective  $R^e$  module? What is the  $R^e$  module structure on  $R^{\otimes(n+2)}$ ?  
 $(\alpha, \beta)(s_0, r_1, \dots, r_n, s_1) = (\alpha s_0, r_1, \dots, r_n, s_1 \beta)$

Projectivity:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & R^{\otimes(n+2)} & \\ R^e\text{-modules} & \searrow & \\ M & \longrightarrow N \longrightarrow 0 & \end{array}$$

for each  $R$  we have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & R_i & \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \\ M & \longrightarrow N \longrightarrow 0 & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{as } k\text{-modules} \\ \text{as } R \text{ is a projective } k\text{-mod} \end{array}$$

→ eg:  $V = k\text{-module}$  (remember  $k$  is a commutative ring & not a field)

Weibel  
Prop.  
g 1.6  
 $T = T(V)$  tensor algebra/ $V$   
=  $k \oplus V \oplus V \otimes V \oplus V \otimes V \otimes V \oplus \dots$

$M = T$ - $T$  bi-module

Q. what is  $H_1(T, M)$ ?

Pg 303 Claim:  $0 \rightarrow H_1(T, M) \rightarrow M \otimes V \xrightarrow{b} M \rightarrow H_0(T, M) \rightarrow 0$ , rest all 0.

Complex:  $0 \leftarrow M \leftarrow M \otimes T \leftarrow M \otimes T \otimes T \leftarrow M \otimes T \otimes T \otimes T \leftarrow \dots$   
 $mt - tm \leftarrow m, t$

$H_0 = M / [M, T]$  so need to say  $\text{im } b = [M, T] \quad [M, V] \rightsquigarrow$  why are the two equal?

$$\begin{aligned} M \otimes v_1 \otimes v_2 - v_1 \otimes v_2 \otimes m &= m \otimes v_1 \otimes v_2 - v_2 \otimes m \otimes v_1 + v_1 \otimes m \otimes v_1 \\ &\quad + v_1 \otimes v_2 \otimes m \\ &= (m \otimes v_1) \otimes v_2 - v_2 \otimes (m \otimes v_1) + \\ &\quad (v_2 \otimes m) \otimes v_1 - v_1 \otimes (v_2 \otimes m) \\ &\in [M, V] \end{aligned}$$

By using cyclic permutations we see that  $[M, T] = [M, V]$

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$$H_1 = \ker(mt - tm) / \text{im}(mt_1 \otimes t_2 - m \otimes t_1 t_2 + t_2 m \otimes t_1)$$

Need to say  $H_1 = \ker(mv - um)$

As seen above  $[M, T] = [M, V]$  so in fact need to say  
 $\text{im}(mt_1 \otimes t_2 - m \otimes t_1 t_2 + t_2 m \otimes t_1) = 0$  even this does not feel  
does not mean kernels are the same right

Now clearly  $\ker b \subseteq \ker \mathcal{J}$

Think this will work: by quotienting  $\text{im}(\mathcal{J})$  we are setting  
 $m \otimes t_1 \otimes t_2 = mt_1 \otimes t_2 + t_2 m \otimes t_1$   
so that we end back in  $[M, V]$ .

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$$H_2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \ker(M \otimes T \otimes T \rightarrow M \otimes T) = \text{im}(M \otimes T \otimes T \otimes T \rightarrow M \otimes T \otimes T)$$

$$m \otimes t_1 \otimes t_2 \mapsto mt_1 \otimes t_2 - m \otimes t_1 + t_1 m \otimes t_1. \quad \text{Finding ker is a difficult thing}$$

Finding im is simpler.

Q. Is  $T(V)$  flat as an  $k$ -module?

This does not look doable

Need to find → either a chain homotopy  
or some simplification.

Book uses notion of a relative ext / tor → Read about it.

Here the trick:  $T(V)$  has a resolution  
called corifile resolution

$$m \otimes t_1 \otimes t_2 \otimes t_3$$

$$m t_1 \otimes t_2 \otimes t_3 - m \otimes t_1 t_2 \otimes t_3$$

$$+ m \otimes t_1 \otimes t_3 - t_3 m \otimes t_1 \otimes t_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\longrightarrow T \otimes V \otimes T \longrightarrow T \otimes T \longrightarrow T \longrightarrow 0 \\ a \otimes b \otimes c &\longmapsto ab \otimes c \\ &\quad - abc \end{aligned}$$

Can we this to compute the Hochschild homology

Tensor over  $T^e$  by  $M$  to get

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\longrightarrow M \otimes V \longrightarrow M \longrightarrow 0 \\ &\quad \swarrow \text{HH complex} \end{aligned}$$

Taking cohomology gives us back

$$0 \rightarrow H_1 \longrightarrow M \otimes V \longrightarrow M \longrightarrow H_0 \longrightarrow 0$$

Now for  $M = T$ ,

$$HH_1(T) = \ker (t \circ - \circ t) \stackrel{T \otimes V \cong T}{=} \ker (\cup^{(V \otimes i)})$$

$$HH_0(T) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^{\infty} (\cup^{(V \otimes i)})^\circ$$

*Note error in book  
 $HH_1, HH_0$  are interchanged.*