

# Orientable vector bundles

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$\mathbb{R}^n \hookrightarrow \xi$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $X$

$\xi$ -orientable, if  $\exists$  orientation  
 $\exists$  a class  $\alpha_{\bullet x} \in H^n(\xi_x, \xi_{x,0})$  + compatibility

Orientation  $\Rightarrow$  structure group  $SO(n)$

Complex  $\Rightarrow$  orientable

$\xi_x - \{0\}$

$$H^*(\xi, \xi_0) \longrightarrow H^*(\xi) \longrightarrow H^*(\xi_0) \longrightarrow H^{*+1}(\xi, \xi_0)$$

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$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi & \hookrightarrow & \xi_0 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xleftarrow{p} & S(\xi) \end{array}$$

$$H^*(X) \xrightarrow{p^*} H^*(S(\xi))$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S(\xi) & \hookleftarrow & \mathbb{R}^{n-1} \\ \downarrow p & & \\ X & & \end{array}$$

One-point compactification of each fibre gives a  $S^n$  bundle -  $S^\xi$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^\xi & \xleftarrow{\infty \text{ section}} & \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \text{section } s' & \\ X & & \end{array}$$

$$H^*(\xi, \xi_0) \cong H^*(S^\xi, S'(x))$$

$\parallel$   
in  $X$

Comes because

$$H^*(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n - \{0\}) \cong H^*(S^n, \infty)$$

$$H^*(\xi, \xi_0) \cong H^*(\xi \cup \frac{S'(x)}{\sim}, \xi_0 \cup \frac{S'(x)}{\sim}) \cong H^*(S^\xi, S'(x))$$

$\hookrightarrow$  contractible to  $S'(x)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^n & \longrightarrow & S^\xi \\ \downarrow p & & \\ X & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \pi_k(S^n) & \longrightarrow & \pi_k(S^\xi) & \xrightarrow{p_*} & \pi_k(X) \\ & \searrow & \pi_{k+n}(S^n) & & \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_* \cong \begin{cases} \text{if } k < n \\ \rightarrow \text{if } k = n \end{cases} \Rightarrow (X, S) \text{ } n\text{-connected.}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_* \cong \begin{cases} \text{on } H_k & \text{if } k < n \\ \rightarrow \text{on } H_k & \text{if } k = n \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^* \cong \begin{cases} \text{on } H^* & \text{if } k < n \\ \hookrightarrow \text{on } H^* & \text{if } k = n \end{cases} \quad \text{universal coefficient th}^m$$

$$\rightarrow H^*(\xi, \xi_0) \rightarrow H^*(S^k) \xrightarrow{s'^*} H^*(S^k(x)) \xrightarrow{p^*} H^*(x) \rightarrow H^{*+1}(\xi, \xi_0) \rightarrow$$

$$s' \text{- section} \Rightarrow p \circ s' = \text{id}$$

$$\Rightarrow s'^* \cdot p^* = \text{id}$$

$$p^* \cong \Rightarrow s'^* \cong$$

$$p^* \hookrightarrow \Rightarrow s'^* \rightarrow$$

we use the long exact sequence above

So we get

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} H^k(\xi, \xi_0) &= 0 & \text{for } k < n \\ H^n(\xi, \xi_0) &= \ker(H^n(S^k) \rightarrow H^n(x)) \end{aligned}}$$

Example:

$$1. \xi = S^1 \times \mathbb{R}$$

$$H^*(\xi, \xi_0) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & \text{if } * = 2, 1 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$



$$H^*(\xi, \xi'_0)$$

$$\tilde{H}^*(\xi/\xi'_0) \cong \tilde{H}^*(S^2 \vee S^1)$$

$$2. \xi = \text{Möbius bundle}$$

$$H^*(\xi/\xi_0) \cong \tilde{H}^*(\mathbb{RP}^2)$$

$$\cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z}/2 & \text{if } * = 2 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$



Thom Isomorphism  $Th^m$

$$\bullet \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \xi \downarrow x$$

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$$\exists \alpha \in H^n(\xi, \xi_0) \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\downarrow i_0^*$$

$$H^n(\xi_x, \xi_{x_0})$$

$$i^* \alpha = \pm 1$$

• for  $\xi$  - oriented,

$$H^*(x) \cong H^*(\xi) \xrightarrow{\cup \alpha} H^{*+n}(\xi, \xi_0) \text{ is an isomorphism}$$

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For Trivial bundle:

$$\begin{aligned} \xi = B \times \mathbb{R}^n, \quad H^n(B \times \mathbb{R}^n, B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0) &\cong \tilde{H}^n(B, \wedge S^n) \\ &\cong \tilde{H}^n(B \times S^n) \\ &\cong \tilde{H}^n(B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0) \\ &\cong \frac{H^n(B) \otimes H^n(S^n)}{H^n(B)} \end{aligned}$$

$$B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0 \longrightarrow B \times S^n \longrightarrow B \times S^n / B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \longleftarrow H^{*n}(B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0) &\longleftarrow H^n(B \times S^n) \longleftarrow H^n(B \times S^n / B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0) \longleftarrow \\ &\quad \parallel \quad \parallel \\ &H^n(B) \quad H^n(B) \otimes H^0(S^n) \oplus H^0(B) \otimes H^n(S^n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H^n(B \times S^n / B \times \mathbb{R}^n_0) &= \ker (H^0(B) \otimes H^n(S^n) \longrightarrow H^n(B)) \\ &= \ker (H^n(B) \otimes H^0(S^n) \longrightarrow H^n(B)) \\ &= H^0(B) \otimes H^n(S^n) \end{aligned}$$

$$H^n(S^n) = \mathbb{Z}$$

• Assume true for  $U, V, U \cap V$

$$\begin{aligned} H^*(\xi_{U \cup V}) &\longleftrightarrow H^*(U) \oplus H^*(V) \longleftrightarrow H^*(U \cap V) \\ &\downarrow \cup \alpha_{U \cup V} \quad \downarrow \cup \alpha_U, \alpha_V \quad \downarrow \cup \alpha_{U \cap V} \\ &\longrightarrow H^*(\xi_{U \cup V}, \xi_{U \cup V_0}) \longrightarrow H^*(\xi_U, \xi_U) \oplus H^*(\xi_V, \xi_V) \longrightarrow H^*(\xi_{U \cap V}, \xi_{U \cap V_0}) \longrightarrow \\ &\quad (\alpha_U, \alpha_V) \longmapsto (\alpha_{U \cup V} - \alpha_{U \cap V}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \alpha_{U \cup V} \longmapsto (\alpha_U, \alpha_V) \longrightarrow 0$$

• So result is true for  $X$ -compact

$$\text{for } X = \varinjlim X_n \quad X_n \text{ compact}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{Hom}^*(X) &\longrightarrow \varprojlim H^*(X_n) \longrightarrow 0 \\ &\uparrow \\ 0 &\longrightarrow \varprojlim' (H^*(X_n)) \end{aligned}$$

Corresponding  $th^m$  for  $S^{n-1}$ -bundles

$$S^{n-1} \rightarrow S \rightarrow X$$

$$\text{orientable} \Leftrightarrow \exists \alpha \in H^{n-1}(S) \xrightarrow{i^*} H^{n-1}(S_x)$$

$$i^*(\alpha) \neq 0$$

$\phi \in H^n(\xi, \xi_0)$  is called the Thom class.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^n(\xi, \xi_0) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & H^n(\xi) \\ & \searrow \phi & \downarrow \cong \\ & & H^n(X) \end{array}$$

$e(\xi) = \text{euler class of } \xi$  with a chosen orientation.

• Naturality

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^*\xi & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \xi \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array} \rightsquigarrow \begin{array}{l} f^*\xi \text{ is also oriented} \\ e(f^*\xi) = f^*(e(\xi)) \end{array}$$

$$\phi(f^*\xi) = f^*\phi(\xi)$$

~~$$H^n(f^*\xi, f^*\xi_0) \xrightarrow{f^*} H^n(\xi, \xi_0)$$~~

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \phi(f^*\xi) & H^n(f^*\xi, f^*\xi_0) & \xleftarrow{f^*} & H^n(\xi, \xi_0) & \phi(\xi) \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \swarrow f^* & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ & H^n(f^*\xi) & \xleftarrow{f^*} & H^n(\xi) & \\ & \downarrow & \swarrow f^* & \downarrow & \\ & H^n(Y) & \xleftarrow{f^*} & H^n(X) & e(\xi) \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow e(f^*\xi) = f^*e(\xi)$$

• If  $\xi$  is  $\mathbb{R}^{2n+1}$  vector bundle,

$$\mathbb{R}^{2n+1} \rightarrow \xi \rightarrow X$$

$$-id: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \text{ gives}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \bar{\xi} \\ & \searrow & \swarrow \\ & X & \end{array}$$

orientation reversing

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Suppose  $s: X \rightarrow \xi$  is a section s.t.  $s(x) \neq 0 \forall x$

Then  $e(\xi) = 0$

Proof:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} H^n(\xi, \xi_0) & \longrightarrow & H^n(\xi) & \longrightarrow & H^n(\xi_0) \\ \phi \searrow & & \downarrow \text{is} & \swarrow s^* & \\ & & H^n(X) & & \\ & \nearrow e & & & \end{array}$$

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$$s: X \rightarrow \xi_0$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & \xi \\ s \swarrow & & \searrow s \\ & X & \end{array}$$

this map  
homotopic  
to 0-section

Thm

$N^M$  - compact, oriented, manifold  $C^\infty$

$$\begin{array}{c} e(TM) \in H^n(N) \\ \parallel \\ e(N) \end{array}$$

$$[N] \in H_n(N) \cong \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{Then, } \langle e(N), [N] \rangle = \chi(N)$$

Proof:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Delta: M & \xrightarrow{\circ} & M \times M \\ x & \mapsto & (x, x) \end{array}$$

$$T(M \times M) \cong TM \oplus TM$$

$\nu_\Delta \cong$  Normal bundle of  $\Delta N$  in  $M \times M = TM$

$$H^*(\nu_\Delta, \nu_{\Delta,0})$$

In general if  
 $\nu$  is normal bundle of  
 $i: N \rightarrow W$ ,

$$\text{Then } H^*(\nu, \nu_0) \cong H^*(W, W-N)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_\nu \cap [W] = [N]$$

Read Milnor, Stasheff

Phodu Proof

(Simpler proof in Bott, Tu)

# Milnor-Stasheff notes

- Homology, Cohomology

$(C^n) C_n X - (co) - cycles chains$

$(Z^n) Z_n X - (co) - cycles$

$(B^n) B_n X - (co) - boundaries$

- If  $H_{n-1}(X)$  is free,  $H^{n-1} \cong \text{Hom}(H_{n-1}, G)$ .

- $\alpha \in \text{Hom}(H_n(X), G)$   $H_n(X) = Z_n(X)/B_n(X)$

$$\alpha: Z_n(X)/B_n(X) \rightarrow G$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$Z_n(X)$$

$$C_n(X)/Z_n(X) = B_{n-1}(X) \hookrightarrow Z_{n-1}(X) \hookrightarrow C_{n-1}(X)$$

$\hookrightarrow \text{free}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Exact } 0 \rightarrow B_{n-1}(X) \rightarrow C_n(X) \rightarrow Z_n(X) \rightarrow 0$$

$$G \xleftarrow{\alpha} Z_n(X)/B_n(X) \xleftarrow{\downarrow} Z_n(X) \xleftarrow{\downarrow} B_n(X) \xleftarrow{\downarrow} 0$$

Following the arrow we get an element of  $H^n(X, G)$ .

- $\alpha \in H^n(X, G)$  defn

we get  $\tilde{\alpha} \in \text{Hom}(H_n, G)$

$$\tilde{\alpha}([c]) = \alpha(c)$$

- If  $\tilde{\alpha} \circ \partial \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \alpha(c) = 0$  on all cycles

Need to show  $\alpha = \delta\beta$   $\beta \in H^{n-1}(X, G)$ .

$$\alpha: C_n(X) \rightarrow G \quad \alpha|_{B_n(X)} \rightarrow 0$$

$\alpha = \delta\beta \iff \alpha$  depends only on boundary

$$\beta: B_{n-1}(X) \rightarrow G$$

$$\beta(\tau) = \alpha(c) \text{ for some } c, \partial c = \tau$$

$$= \alpha \cdot \partial^{-1} \tau$$

$$H_{n-1} = Z_{n-1}/B_{n-1} - \text{free} \Rightarrow Z_{n-1} \xrightarrow{\text{splits}} Z_{n-1} \hookrightarrow C_{n-1}$$

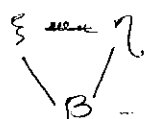
Extend  $\beta$  to  $C_{n-1}$ .

In general

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}(H_{n-1}(X), G) \rightarrow H^n(X, G) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_n(X), G) \rightarrow 0$$

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vector bundles

Tychonoff i.e.  $\forall p \in B, V \subseteq B, V$  <sup>closed</sup> ~~open~~,  $p \notin V$   
 $\exists f: B \rightarrow [0,1]$   
 $f|_V(0)=p, f|_V(1)=V.$

$S(\xi) = \{ \text{continuous } s: B \rightarrow \xi, \text{ section} \}$

$C^0(B) = \{ f: B \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \text{ continuous} \}$

$S(\xi)$  is  $C^0(B)$  module

1.  $S(\xi \oplus \eta)$

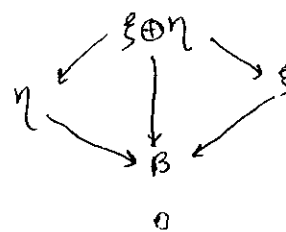
$$\Psi: S(\xi) \otimes S(\eta) \xrightarrow{\sim} S(\xi \oplus \eta)$$

$$\Psi(f\alpha + g\beta)(p) = f(p)\alpha(p) + g(p)\beta(p)$$

Injectivity is clear

Surjectivity

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi \oplus \eta & \xrightarrow{\Delta^*} & \xi \times \eta \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & B \times B \end{array}$$



$$(\xi \oplus \eta)_p = (\xi_p, \eta_p)$$

$$\xi = B \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\mathbb{1} = \bigoplus^n \mathbb{1} \quad \mathbb{1} = B \times \mathbb{R}$$

Enough to show  $\mathbb{1} = C^0(B)$  which is by def<sup>n</sup>

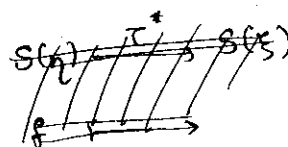
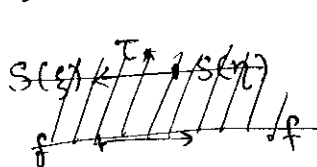
$$\text{So } \xi = C^0(B)^n \text{ free}$$

$$2. \text{ If } \xi \oplus \eta = B \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$S(\xi) \oplus S(\eta) = C^0(B)^n$$

So  $S(\xi), S(\eta)$  projective

$$3. \xi \xrightarrow{\tau} \eta \quad \tau \text{ isomorphism}$$



$$S(\xi) \xrightarrow{\tau_*} S(\eta)$$

$\tau_*$  isomorphism

$$f \longmapsto \tau_* f$$

Given  $\tau: S(\xi) \longrightarrow S(\eta)$  isomorphism

$$\mathfrak{m}_p = \{f: B \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f(p) = 0\} \subseteq C^0(B)$$

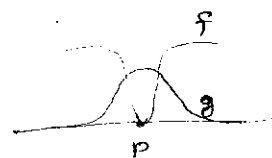
maximal:  $g \notin \mathfrak{m}_p \Rightarrow g(p) \neq 0$

$\exists U \ni p, U \subseteq B$ , open s.t.

$$0 \notin g(U)$$

let  $f$  be  $f^n$  separating  $U^c$  and  $p, f \in \mathfrak{m}_p$

$$f^2 + g^2 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{unit} \quad \square$$



$S(\xi)/\mathfrak{m}_p S(\xi)$  — module over  $C^0(B)/\mathfrak{m}_p = \mathbb{R}$

$$\text{Then, } \xi_p \cong S(\xi)/\mathfrak{m}_p S(\xi)$$

$$S(p) \longleftarrow [S]$$

Define:  $\tau^*: \xi \longrightarrow \eta$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi_p & \longrightarrow & \eta_p \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ S(\xi) & & S(\eta) \\ \mathfrak{m}_p S(\xi) & & \mathfrak{m}_p S(\eta) \end{array}$$

Remains to show  $\tau^*$  is continuous.

this you can do because,

$\tau^*$  takes sections to sections.





•  $H^*(M \times M) \cong H^*(M) \otimes H^*(M)$  in  $\mathbb{Q}$  coefficients

$\{ \alpha_i \}$   $\{ \alpha_i^* \}$  dual basis  
elements of form  $A_{ij} (\alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*)$

•  $\tau$  - orientation class  $\tau \in H^*(M \times M, M \times M - \Delta(M)) \rightarrow H^*(M \times M)$

$\tau \cap [M \times M] = \Delta_*[M]$

$\tau = \sum_{i,j} A_{ij} \alpha_i^* \otimes \alpha_j$   $\nabla$   $A_{ij} = 0$  if  $| \alpha_i | \neq | \alpha_j |$

•  $\langle (\alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*) \cup \tau, [M \times M] \rangle = \langle (\alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*) \cup \sum A_{kl} (\alpha_k^* \otimes \alpha_l), [M \times M] \rangle$   
 $= \langle \alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*, \tau \cap [M \times M] \rangle = (-1)^{|\alpha_i|} A_{ij} \langle (\alpha_i \cup \alpha_i^*) \otimes (\alpha_j^* \cup \alpha_j), [M] \otimes [M] \rangle$   
 $= \langle \alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*, \Delta_*^*[M] \rangle = (-1)^{|\alpha_i|^2} A_{ij} \langle \alpha_i \cup \alpha_i^*, [M] \rangle \langle \alpha_j^* \cup \alpha_j, [M] \rangle$   
 $= \langle \Delta^*(\alpha_i \otimes \alpha_j^*), [M] \rangle = \langle \alpha_i \cup \alpha_j^*, [M] \rangle = A_{ij} (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|}$   
 $= \delta_{ij}$

$A_{ij} = (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|} \delta_{ij}$

$\Rightarrow \tau = \sum_i (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|} \alpha_i^* \otimes \alpha_i$

$\Rightarrow e(TM) = \int \Delta^* \tau$

$= \sum_i (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|} (\alpha_i^* \cup \alpha_i)$

$\langle e(TM), [M] \rangle = \sum_i (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|} \langle \alpha_i^* \cup \alpha_i, [M] \rangle$

$= \sum_i (-1)^{n|\alpha_i|}$

$= \chi(M)$

Corollary: Hairy ball theorem.

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$$\phi(\xi) \oplus \phi(\xi') = \phi(\xi) \cup \phi(\xi')$$

$$e(\xi \oplus \xi') = e(\xi) \cup e(\xi')$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \rightarrow H^*(\xi, \xi_0) \rightarrow H^*(\xi) \rightarrow H^*(\xi_0) \rightarrow \\ \text{Thom} \quad \downarrow \text{IS} \quad \searrow \text{ve} \quad \downarrow \text{IS} \\ H^{*-n}(x) \quad H^*(x) \end{array}$$

$$\rightarrow H^{*-n}(x) \xrightarrow{\text{ve}} H^*(x) \rightarrow H^*(\xi_0) \rightarrow$$

Lysin sequence

Stiefel Whitney classes:

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \xi \\ \downarrow \\ B \end{array}$$

$$\omega_i(\xi) \in H^i(B; \mathbb{Z}/2)$$

$$1) \omega_0(\xi) = 1, \quad \omega_i(\xi) = 0 \text{ if } \dim \xi < i$$

$$2) \omega_i(\xi \oplus \eta) = \sum_{k+l=i} \omega_k(\xi) \cup \omega_l(\eta)$$

$$3) f^*(\omega_i(\xi)) = \omega_i(f^*\xi)$$

$$4) \omega_i^*(L) \neq 0 \quad \text{where } \begin{array}{c} L \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{R}P^1 \end{array} \text{ canonical line bundle}$$

Chern classes:

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \xi \\ \downarrow \\ B \end{array}$$

$$c_i(\xi) \in H^{2i}(B; \mathbb{Z})$$

$$1) c_0(\xi) = 1, \quad c_i(\xi) = 0 \text{ if } 2i > \dim \xi$$

$$2) c_i(\xi \oplus \eta) = \sum_{k+l=i} c_k(\xi) \cup c_l(\eta)$$

$$3) f^*(c_i(\xi)) = c_i(f^*\xi)$$

$$4) c_i(L) \neq 0 \quad \text{where } \begin{array}{c} L \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^1 \end{array} \text{ canonical line bundle}$$

Then

$$w = 1 + \omega_1 + \omega_2 + \dots \quad \text{Total S-W class}$$

$$C = 1 + c_1 + c_2 + \dots \quad \text{Total Chern class}$$

$$\bullet \text{ If } \eta \oplus \xi = \text{trivial}$$

$$\omega(\eta) = \bar{\omega}(\xi) \quad (\bar{\omega}(\xi) \cdot \omega(\eta) = 1)$$

$$\bullet \quad \omega(TS^n) = 1 \quad \because \quad TS^n \oplus 1 = \mathbb{C}^{n+1}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{L} & \rightarrow & \mathcal{L}_n \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{RP}^1 & \rightarrow & \mathbb{RP}^n \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{so } i^* \omega_1(\mathcal{L}_n) = \omega_1(\mathcal{L}) \neq 0 \\ \Rightarrow \omega_1(\mathcal{L}_n) \neq 0 \end{array}$$

$$T\mathbb{RP}^n \cong \text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}^\perp)$$

$$\text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}^\perp) \oplus \text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}) = \text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, n+1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}^\perp) \oplus 1 = \text{Hom} \oplus^{n+1} \text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, 1) \cong \mathcal{L}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \omega_k(T\mathbb{RP}^n) &= \omega_k(\text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, \mathcal{L}^\perp)) \\ &= (\omega_k(\text{Hom}(\mathcal{L}, 1)))^n \\ &= (1 + \alpha)^n \quad \mathbb{Z}\alpha = H^1(\mathbb{RP}^n) \\ \omega_i(T\mathbb{RP}^n) &= \binom{n+1}{i} \alpha^i \quad \text{for } i \leq n \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T\mathbb{RP}^n \cong n &\Rightarrow \omega(T\mathbb{RP}^n) = 1 \\ \Rightarrow \binom{n+1}{i} &\equiv 0 \pmod{2} \quad \text{for } i \leq n \\ \Rightarrow n &= 2^k - 1 \quad \text{for some } k. \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbb{RP}^n \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \quad \text{immersion}$$

Let  $\mathcal{V}$  be the normal bundle of  $i$

$$\Rightarrow T\mathbb{RP}^n \oplus \mathcal{V} = n+k$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(T\mathbb{RP}^n) \cdot \omega(\mathcal{V}) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\omega}_i(T\mathbb{RP}^n) = 0 \quad \text{for } i > k$$

$$\text{for } n=2^r \quad \binom{n+1}{i} = \binom{2^r+1}{i} = \binom{2^r}{i-1} + \binom{2^r}{i} = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq n+1$$

$$\omega(T\mathbb{RP}^{2^r}) = 1 + \alpha + \alpha^{2^r}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\omega}(T\mathbb{RP}^{2^r}) &= 1 + (\alpha + \alpha^{2^r}) + (\alpha + \alpha^{2^r})^2 + (\alpha + \alpha^{2^r})^3 + \dots \\ &= 1 + \alpha + \alpha^2 + \dots + \alpha^{2^r} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{RP}^{2^r} \text{ can only be immersed in } \mathbb{RP}^{2^{r+1}-1}$$

## Cohomology, Poincaré Duality

$$(X, A) \times (Y, B) = (X \times Y, X \times B \cup Y \times A)$$

$$\bullet \bullet H^m(X, A) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^{m+n}((X, A) \times (\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n - \{0\}))$$

$$a \mapsto a \times e \quad e \in H^n(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n - \{0\})$$

$$\bullet K \subset L \subset M \quad M - L \subseteq M - K$$

$$H_i(M, M - L) \longrightarrow H_i(M, M - K)$$

$$\alpha \longmapsto \beta_K(\alpha)$$

$$C_i(M - L) \hookrightarrow C_i(M - K)$$

$$C_i(M) / C_i(M - L) \longrightarrow C_i(M) / C_i(M - K)$$



• Prop:  $H_i(M, M - K) = 0$  for  $i > \dim M$

$$\alpha \in H_i(M, M - K) \quad \beta_K: H_i(M, M - K) \longrightarrow H_i(M, M - \infty)$$

Then,

$$\alpha = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \beta_K(\alpha) = 0 \quad \forall K$$

## • Local Orientation:

$$H_x \in H_n(M, M - x) \text{ s.t. } \forall x \exists B \ni x \text{ satisfying } \exists \alpha \text{ s.t.}$$

$$H_n(M, M - x) \longleftarrow H_n(M, M - B) \longrightarrow H_n(M, M - y)$$

$$H_x \longleftarrow \alpha \longrightarrow H_y \quad \forall y \in B.$$

## • Global Orientation:

Given a local orientation,  $\forall K \subset M$  compact,

$$\exists \mu_K \in H_n(M, M - K) \text{ s.t. } \beta_K(\mu_K) = H_x \quad \forall x \in K.$$

$$\bullet H_{\text{comp}}^i(M) = \varinjlim_{K \text{ compact}} H^i(M, M - K) \quad H^i(M, M - K) \longrightarrow H^i(M, M - L)$$

•  $M$  oriented

$$H_{\text{comp}}^n(M) \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

$$a \longmapsto \langle a', \mu_K \rangle$$

$$\text{for } a' \in H^n(M, M - K)$$

Integration /

$$H^i(M, M - K) \longrightarrow H_{\text{comp}}^i(M)$$

$$a' \longmapsto a$$

Kronecker product with the fundamental class

- $$\cap: C^i(X) \otimes C_n(X) \longrightarrow C_{n-i}(X)$$

$$\langle a, b \cap \xi \rangle = \langle a \cap b, \xi \rangle$$

- Poincaré Duality:

$M$  compact, oriented

$$\begin{aligned} H^i M &\xrightarrow{\sim} H_{n-i} M \\ a &\longmapsto a \cap \mu_M \end{aligned}$$

- $$\cap: H^i(X, A) \otimes C_n(X, A \cup B) \longrightarrow C_{n-i}(X, B)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{D}: H_{\text{comp}}^i M &\xrightarrow{\sim} H_{n-i} M \\ a &\longmapsto a' \cap \mu_K \end{aligned}$$

- $$\begin{aligned} H_{\text{comp}}^i(M) &\xrightarrow{\sim} H_{n-i}(M, \partial M) & M \text{ with boundary} \\ H_{\text{comp}}^i(M, \partial M) &\xrightarrow{\sim} H_{n-i}(\bar{M}) \end{aligned}$$

- Alexander duality:

$$K \subseteq_{\text{comp}} S^n, \text{ good}$$

$$H^i K \cong \varinjlim_{U \supset K} H^i(U)$$

$$H^i(S^n, K) \cong \varprojlim H^i(S^n, U) \cong H_{\text{comp}}^i(S^n - K)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{H}^{i-1}(K) \cong \tilde{H}_{n-i}(S^n - K) \cong H_{n-i}(S^n - K)$$

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A)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi & & \eta \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & & Y \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \hat{\xi} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \xi \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times Y & \xrightarrow{\pi_1} & X \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \hat{\eta} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \eta \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times Y & \xrightarrow{\pi_2} & Y \end{array}$$

Then,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi \times \eta & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \hat{\xi} \times \hat{\eta} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times Y & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & (X \times Y) \times (X \times Y) \end{array}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \xi \times \eta = \hat{\xi} \oplus \hat{\eta}$$

$$\text{So } \omega(\xi \times \eta) = \omega(\hat{\xi} \oplus \hat{\eta}) = \omega(\hat{\xi}) \cdot \omega(\hat{\eta})$$

$$= \omega(\pi_1^* \xi) \omega(\pi_2^* \eta)$$

$$= \pi_1^* \omega(\xi) \pi_2^* \omega(\eta)$$

$$= \omega(\xi) \times \omega(\eta).$$

B)

$$n+1 = 2^r m$$

$$\binom{n+1}{2^r} = \frac{2^r m \cdot (2^r m - 1) \cdots}{2^r \cdot (2^r - 1) \cdots} = \text{odd}$$

$$\omega_2(\mathbb{R}P^n) = \omega_{n+1-2^r}(\mathbb{R}P^n) \neq 0.$$

$$\text{if } \mathbb{R}P^n = 2^r + \eta \quad \dim \eta = n - 2^r$$

$$\text{then } \omega_{n+1-2^r}(\mathbb{R}P^n) = 0$$

$$\text{C) } \mathbb{R}P^n - \omega(\mathbb{R}P^n) = (1+a)^{n+1} \quad a \in H^4(\mathbb{R}P^n, \mathbb{Z}_2) \neq 0$$

For  $n$ -odd we have a non-vanishing vector field.

For  $n$ -even  $n = 2m$

$$\text{If } \mathbb{R}P^{2m} = \eta + \varepsilon \quad \dim \eta = 1, \dim \varepsilon = 2m-1$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(\eta) = (1+a) \text{ or } 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \varepsilon = (1+a)^{2m} \text{ or } (1+a)^{2m+1}$$

Both not possible as  $\dim \varepsilon < 2m$

for  $\mathbb{RP}^4$ ,  $\omega = (1+a)^5 = 1+a+a^4$

If  $T\mathbb{RP}^4 = \eta + \varepsilon$   $\dim \eta = \dim \varepsilon = 2$

$\Rightarrow \omega(\eta) = 1+a+a^2$  or  $1+a$  or  $(1+a)^2$  or  $1$

$\Rightarrow \omega(\varepsilon) = 1+a^2+a^3+a^4$  or  $1+a^4$  or  $1+a+a^2+a^3$  or  $1+a+a^4$

Not possible as  $\dim \varepsilon < 3$

for  $\mathbb{RP}^6$ ,  $\omega = (1+a)^7 = 1+a+a^2+a^3+a^4+a^5+a^6$

If  $T\mathbb{RP}^6 = \eta + \varepsilon$   $\dim \eta = 2$   $\dim \varepsilon = 4$

$\Rightarrow \omega(\eta) = 1+a+a^2$  or  $(1+a)^2$  or  $1+a$  or  $1$

$\Rightarrow \omega(\varepsilon) = 1+a^3+a^6$  or  $1+a+a^4+a^5$  or  $1+a^2+a^4+a^6$  or  $(1+a)^6$

$\dim \varepsilon < 5$

④ D)  $M^m \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathbb{R}^{m+1}$  immersion

$\Rightarrow TM \oplus \eta = m+1$   $\dim \eta = 1$   $\omega_1(\eta) = \alpha$

$\omega(\eta) = 1$  or  $1+$

$\Rightarrow \omega(M) = \frac{1}{\omega(\eta)} = \frac{1}{1+\omega_1(\eta)} = 1 + \omega_1(\eta) + \omega_1(\eta)^2 + \dots$

$\Rightarrow \omega_i(M) = \omega_1(M)^i$

for  $\mathbb{RP}^n$ , this implies

$\omega(\mathbb{RP}^n) = 1$  or  $\omega(\mathbb{RP}^n) = \frac{1}{1+a} = \omega(\eta)$

$\Rightarrow (1+a)^{n+1} = 1$  or  $(1+a)^{n+2} = 1$

$\Rightarrow \binom{n+1}{i} = 0 \nRightarrow$  or  $\binom{n+2}{i} = 0 \forall i$  non-trivial

$\Rightarrow n = 2^{r-1}$  or  $2^{r-2}$

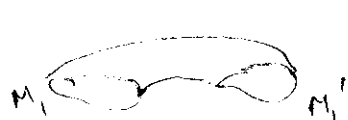


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6 E)  $\mathcal{Z}_n$  = cobordism classes of  $n$ -manifolds

Additive structure:

$$[M_1] + [M_2] = [M_1 \sqcup M_2]$$



$$[M_1] = [M_1']$$

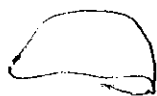
 $\Rightarrow$ 


$$[M_1 \sqcup M_2] = [M_1' \sqcup M_2]$$

$$[M] + [M] = 0$$

$\mathbb{Z}/2$  module

$$[\text{Boundary}] = 0$$



Characterized by Steifel Whitney nos.

$$p^2 \times p^2 \quad w(p^2 \times p^2) = w(p^2) \times w(p^2)$$

$$= (1 + a + a^2) \times (1 + a + a^2)$$

$$= 1 + 1 \times a + 1 \times a^2 + a \times 1 + a \times a + a \times a^2 + a^2 \times 1 + a^2 \times a + a^2 \times a^2$$

$$w_1^4 = 0$$

$$= 1 + (1 \times a + a \times 1) + (a \times a + a \times a^2 + a^2 \times a) + a^2 \times a^2$$

$$p^4$$

$$w(p^4) = (1 + a)^5$$

$$w_1^4 = w_4$$

$$= 1 + a + a^4$$

So

$$[p^2 \times p^2] \neq [p^4]$$

$$\mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{L} \downarrow \mathbb{C}P^n$$

canonical line bundle

Gysin sequence:

$$H^k(\mathbb{C}P^n) \xrightarrow{-\cup e(L)} H^{k+2}(\mathbb{C}P^n) \longrightarrow H^{k+2}(\mathcal{L}) \longrightarrow H^{k+1}(\mathbb{C}P^n)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{L}_0 \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^n \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \cong \mathbb{C}^{n+1} - \{0\} \cong S^{2n+1} \\ \Rightarrow H^*(\mathcal{L}_0) = \begin{cases} 0 & * < 2n+1 \end{cases} \end{array}$$

$$H^{k+2}(\mathbb{C}P^n) \xrightarrow{-e(L)} H^{k+2}(\mathbb{C}P^n) \quad \text{is an isomorphism for } k \leq 2n+1$$

This can only happen if

$$\boxed{e(L) = \pm x.}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{L} \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^n \end{array} \quad e(L) \Rightarrow \{1, -e(L), (-e(L))^2, \dots, (-e(L))^n\} \text{ is a basis for } H^*(\mathbb{C}P^n).$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \xi \\ \downarrow \\ X \end{array} \leftarrow \mathbb{C}^n \quad \begin{array}{c} x \in X \quad \xi_x \cong \mathbb{C}^n \\ \text{lines in } \xi_x \cong \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \xi \\ \downarrow p \\ X \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \rightarrow P(\xi) \\ \downarrow p \\ X \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{Projectivisation of} \\ \xi_x \end{array}$$

Form a canonical line bundle over  $P(\xi)$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_\xi \\ \downarrow \\ P(\xi) \end{array} \quad (\mathcal{L}_\xi)_{(x, \ell)} = \ell$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{L} & \xrightarrow{i^*} & \mathcal{L}_\xi \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^n & \xrightarrow{i} & P(\xi) \end{array}$$

$$\text{Now let } y = e(\mathcal{L}_\xi) \in H^2(P(\xi))$$

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to Pulling back  $y$  via  $i^*$ , we get

$$e(\mathcal{L}) = i^*e(\mathcal{L}_{\otimes \xi}) = i^*y$$

$$\Rightarrow (1, i^*y, (i^*y)^2, \dots, (i^*y)^{n-1}) \leftarrow \text{basis for } \mathbb{C}P^{n-1}.$$

By Leray Hirsch Th<sup>m</sup>:

$$H^*(P(\xi)) = (p^*H^*(X)) \{1, y, y^2, \dots, y^{n-1}\}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} P(\xi) \\ \downarrow p \\ X \end{array}$$

Then,  $\exists! e y^n$

$$y^n - c_1 y^{n-1} + c_2 y^{n-2} - \dots + (-1)^n c_n = 0 \quad c_i \in \mathbb{P} H^2(X).$$

Then:

$$c_i = i^{\text{th}} \text{ Chern class of } \xi$$

• Need to check axioms:

1. Naturality

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^*\xi & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \xi \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array} \rightarrow$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} L_{f^*\xi} & \xrightarrow{f^*} & L_\xi \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ f^*P(\xi) & \xrightarrow{f^*} & P(\xi) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array}$$

2.  $c_i(\xi) = 0$  for  $i > n$ ,  $c_0(\xi) = 1$

3.  $c(\xi \oplus \eta) = c(\xi) c(\eta)$

Trick:

$$\mathbb{C}P^n - \mathbb{C}P^i \xrightarrow[\text{def retract}]{\sim} \mathbb{C}P^{n-i-1}$$

$$\text{LHS} = [x_0 : \dots : x_i : x_{i+1} : \dots : x_n] \quad \text{s.t. at least 1 of } x_{i+1} \dots x_n \neq 0$$

$\downarrow$

$$[tx_0 : \dots : tx_i : x_{i+1} : \dots : x_{n+1}] \leftarrow \text{def retract}$$

at  $t=0$  RHS

at  $t=1$  LHS

Now do same thing for  $P(V) \oplus W$

$$P(V \oplus W) = P(V) \xrightarrow[\text{retracts}]{\text{def}} P(W)$$

Do this fibre wise

$$U = P(\xi \oplus \eta) - P(\xi) \xrightarrow[\text{def}]{\sim} P(\eta)$$

$$V = P(\xi \oplus \eta) - P(\eta) \xrightarrow[\text{def}]{\sim} P(\xi)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta), V) & & H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta), U) \longrightarrow H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta), U \cup V) = 0 \\
 & \swarrow & \downarrow & \searrow & \downarrow \\
 \text{Exact} & \downarrow \omega_1 & H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta)) & \xrightarrow{\cup} & \omega_2 H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta)) \longrightarrow H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta)) \\
 & \downarrow & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 & 0 & H^*(P(\xi)) & & 0 \quad H^*(P(\eta))
 \end{array}$$

Cup product

$$y_{\xi \oplus \eta} = e(\mathcal{L}_{P(\xi \oplus \eta)})$$

$$\omega_1 = y_{\xi \oplus \eta}^n - c_1(\xi) y_{\xi \oplus \eta}^{n-1} + \dots + (-1)^n c_n(\xi)$$

$$\omega_2 = y_{\xi \oplus \eta}^m - c_1(\eta) y_{\xi \oplus \eta}^{m-1} + \dots + (-1)^m c_m(\eta)$$

$$\text{As } \omega_1 \xrightarrow{i^*} 0, \quad \omega_2 \xrightarrow{i^*} 0$$

$$\omega_1 \in H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta), V) \quad \omega_2 \in H^*(P(\xi \oplus \eta), U)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_1 \cdot \omega_2 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  Whitney product formula.

$$4) \quad \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{A}^1 \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{CP}^n \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow e(\mathcal{L}) = -x$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{A}^1 \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{CP}^n \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathbb{A}^1 \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{CP}^n \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{CP}^n \end{array}$$