

(11)

Milnor-Stasheff notes:

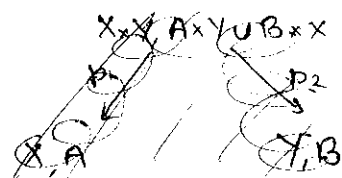
$$\bullet \quad H^n(\mathbb{R}^1 \times B, \mathbb{R}_0^1 \times B) \xleftarrow{b \times e} H^{n-1}(B) \quad e = \text{generator of } H^1(\mathbb{R}^1, \mathbb{R}_0^1)$$

$b \times e \longleftarrow b$ is an isomorphism $\mathbb{R}_0^1 = \mathbb{R}^1 - \{0\}$

$$\bullet \quad L^n(X, A) \otimes L^m(Y, B) \xrightarrow{\times} L^{n+m}(X \times Y, A \times Y \cup B \times X)$$

$$\omega, \tau \longrightarrow p_1^*(\omega) \cup p_2^*(\tau)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times Y, A \times Y & & X \times Y, X \times B \\ p_1 \downarrow & & p_2 \downarrow \\ X, A & & Y, B \end{array}$$



$$\bullet \quad H^n(X, A) \otimes H^m(X, B) \xrightarrow{\cup} H^{n+m}(X, A \cup B)$$

New Notation: $\delta^n(X, A) := n^{\text{th}}$ singular cohomology of pair (X, A) .

$\delta^{-n}(X, A) := n^{\text{th}}$ singular homology of (X, A) .

• How to define \cup on $\left(\begin{smallmatrix} X \\ A \end{smallmatrix}\right) \left(\begin{smallmatrix} Y \\ B \end{smallmatrix}\right)$?

$$\omega \in \delta^n\left(\begin{smallmatrix} X \\ A \end{smallmatrix}\right), \tau \in \delta^m\left(\begin{smallmatrix} Y \\ B \end{smallmatrix}\right)$$

Take $n+m$ simplex

acet ω on front face, τ on back face.

If a simplex lies in $A \cap B$, $\omega \tau$ on it will be 0.

Why will $\omega \tau$ be 0 on $A \cup B$?

if $\sigma \in A$ or B $\omega \tau$ on $(\sigma) = 0$ as $\omega = 0$ or $\tau = 0$

but σ might not be completely in A or B .

But \exists a short exact seq:

$$0 \longrightarrow C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} X \\ A \cup B \end{smallmatrix}\right) \longrightarrow C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} X \\ A \end{smallmatrix}\right) \cap C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} X \\ B \end{smallmatrix}\right) \longrightarrow C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} A \cup B \\ A \end{smallmatrix}\right) \cap C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} A \cup B \\ B \end{smallmatrix}\right)$$

$$\text{Claim: } C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} A \cup B \\ A \end{smallmatrix}\right) \cap C^*\left(\begin{smallmatrix} A \cup B \\ B \end{smallmatrix}\right) \xrightarrow{\delta} C^{n+1}(\quad) \cap C^{n+1}(\quad)$$

is alwaysacyclic. (i.e. trivial cohomology)

Proof: $\bullet \quad \omega \in \ker \delta \in C^n(\quad) \cap C^n(\quad)$

$$\Rightarrow \omega \in C^n(A \cup B), \quad \omega|_A = 0 = \omega|_B, \quad \delta \omega = 0$$

$$\omega \in \text{Im } \delta \subseteq C^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \delta \tau \quad \tau \in C^{n+1}() \cap C^n()$$

for $\omega \in \text{Ker } \delta$, need to construct $\tau \in C^{n+1}$ s.t. $\delta \tau = \omega$

Do barycentric subdivision of ω to $A \cup B$

$$\omega \in C_{AB}^n(A \cup B) \cap C_{AB}^n(A \cup B)$$

ω acts only on chains of A or B so this cochain group itself is trivial.

Now by barycentric subdivision th^m, $C^n = C_{AB}^n$ \square

so when we write cohomology exact sequence,

$$0 \rightarrow \delta^* \left(\begin{matrix} X \\ A \cup B \end{matrix} \right) \rightarrow H^* \left(C^* \left(\begin{matrix} X \\ A \end{matrix} \right) \cap C^* \left(\begin{matrix} X \\ B \end{matrix} \right) \right) \rightarrow 0$$

So a cochain which is 0 on A or B

$$\text{i.e. } \omega \in C^n(X), \quad \omega|_A = 0 = \omega|_B \quad (\text{is cohomologous})$$

can be represented by a cochain which is 0 on $A \cup B$

$$\text{i.e. } \exists \tau \in C^n(X), \quad \tau|_{A \cup B} = 0, \quad (\tau - \omega) = \delta \omega' \text{ for some } \omega'$$

$$\begin{matrix} \mathcal{B}^n(B, \cdot) \otimes \mathcal{B}^*(\mathbb{R}', \mathbb{R}'_0) & \xrightarrow{\times} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(B \times \mathbb{R}', B \times \mathbb{R}'_0) \\ b, e & \longmapsto & b \times e \end{matrix}$$

injective $\mathbb{R}'_- = \mathbb{R}$ negative Real axis

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \xrightarrow{\text{injective}} & \mathcal{B}^n(B \times \mathbb{R}'_0) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(B \times \mathbb{R}'_0) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(B \times \mathbb{R}') & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(B \times \mathbb{R}'_0) \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ & \uparrow \times b & & \uparrow \times b & & \uparrow \times b & & \uparrow \times b \\ & \mathcal{B}^0(\mathbb{R}'_0) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(\mathbb{R}'_0) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(\mathbb{R}') & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{B}^{n+1}(\mathbb{R}'_0) \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ & & & e & \longmapsto & a & & \end{array}$$

(12)

$$\begin{array}{c}
 B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \quad B \times \mathbb{R}^n \\
 \left[B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \right]^{m+n} \xrightarrow{\delta^*} \left[B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \right]^{m+n} \xrightarrow{p^*} \left[B \times \mathbb{R}^n \right]^{m+n} \xrightarrow{i^*} \left[B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \right]^{m+n} \longrightarrow \\
 \downarrow \psi^* \quad \downarrow i^* \quad \downarrow \phi^* \\
 [B]^n
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \phi: B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \hookrightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}^n \twoheadrightarrow B \quad \text{just the} \\
 b, x \mapsto b, x \mapsto b \quad \text{usual projection}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{interesting: } \psi: B \hookrightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}^n \twoheadrightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n \\
 b \mapsto (b, 0) \mapsto 0
 \end{array}$$

note that because of basepoint restrictions cannot map b to $(b, 0)$

so we get a split short exact:

$$\begin{array}{c}
 0 \longrightarrow [B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n]^{m+n} \xrightarrow{\phi^*} [B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n]^{m+n} \xrightarrow{\delta^*} [B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n]^{m+n} \longrightarrow 0 \\
 \downarrow \text{H.S.} \\
 [B]^{m+1} \oplus [B]^m \times [\mathbb{R}_0^n]^n
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \delta^m(B) & \xrightarrow{\sim} & \delta^m(B) \oplus \delta^n(\mathbb{R}_0^n) & \hookrightarrow & \delta^{m+n}(B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n) & \longrightarrow & \delta^{m-1+n}(B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n) \longrightarrow 0 \\
 \omega \otimes & & \omega \otimes e' & & \omega \otimes e' & & ? \\
 & & & & & & \text{need } \omega \otimes e' \\
 & & & & & & \omega \otimes e
 \end{array}$$

The map δ^* is

Given $\omega \otimes \tau \in \delta^{m+n}(B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n)$,

extend τ to $B \times \mathbb{R}^n$, look at $\delta\tau$

Now given $\omega \otimes e'$, we can extend just e' to \mathbb{R}^n . Not rigorous

$$\text{so } \delta^*(\omega \otimes e') = \omega \otimes \delta^* e' \in \delta^{m-1+n}(B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n)$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{what is } \delta^* e'? \text{ e. } 0 \longrightarrow \delta^n(\mathbb{R}_0^n) \xrightarrow{\delta^*} \delta^{n+1}(\mathbb{R}_0^n) \longrightarrow 0 \\
 e \longmapsto e'
 \end{array}$$

So

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \delta^m(B) & \longrightarrow & \delta^{m+n}(B \times \mathbb{R}_0^n) \\
 \omega \otimes & \longmapsto & \omega \otimes e
 \end{array}$$

isomorphism.

Interesting: Characteristic Classes can be defined over K-Theory also!
 Then Thom class of a vector bundle is the vector bundle itself!

Obstruction Theory

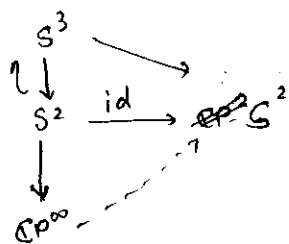
Q. $S^2 \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty$ given $f: S^2 \rightarrow S^2$
 Can we extend $\hat{f}: \mathbb{C}P^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty$

$$S^1 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} S^\infty \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^\infty \end{matrix} \quad \pi_k \mathbb{C}P^\infty = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & k=2 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\pi_3(\mathbb{C}P^\infty) = 0 \Rightarrow f: S^2 \rightarrow S^2 \text{ extends to } \hat{f}: \mathbb{C}P^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty$$

Analogously, we can extend the map f to entire $\mathbb{C}P^\infty$.
 Also the extension, \hat{f} is unique upto homotopy. \square

Q. η -Hopf map

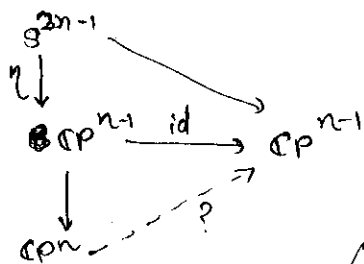


Can one extend

$$S^2 \xrightarrow{\text{id}} S^2 \text{ to } \mathbb{C}P^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty?$$

No.

Because η is not null-homotopic.



Can one extend

$$\mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \text{ to } \mathbb{C}P^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty$$

No, because extension is possible iff $S^{2n-1} \xrightarrow{\eta} \mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$ is trivial.
 null homotopic. But if $S^{2n-1} \xrightarrow{\eta} \mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$ were null homotopic then $\mathbb{C}P^n \cong \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \vee S^{2n-1}$ which is false (cohomology).

Claim: f_n extends iff $\Delta_n = 0$.

Proof: \Rightarrow trivial

$$\begin{aligned} \Leftarrow \Delta_n = 0 &\Leftrightarrow \Delta f_n = \delta \omega & \Delta f_n(e_a^{n+1}) &= \delta \omega(e_a^{n+1}) \\ & & \omega \in C_{\text{cell}}^{n+1}(X, Z; \pi_n Y) &= \omega(\partial e_a^{n+1}) & \partial\text{-cellular boundary} \\ & & &= \omega(S^n \xrightarrow{\phi_a^n} X^{(n)}) \end{aligned}$$

Th^m:

Z, X simply connected, $Z \hookrightarrow X$
 $Z \xrightarrow{f} Y$

\exists an obstruction $\Delta_n \in H^{n+1}(X, Z; \pi_n Y)$, such that

$\Delta_n = 0 \Leftrightarrow$ map extends to $(n+1)$ skeleton.

extensions $\leftrightarrow H^{n+1}(X, Z; \pi_n(Y))$ [Note: This obstruction makes sense i.e.

Δ_{n+1} is defined only after extending map to $X^{(n+1)}$]

Principal G-Bundles

G-Topological Group

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ \downarrow \\ X \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} G \curvearrowright E \text{ fibrewise} \\ G \curvearrowright E_x \text{ freely, transitively} \end{array}$$

$$M^{\text{or}} = \{(\overline{x}, \alpha_x) \mid \alpha_x \text{ generator of } H^n(M, M-x)\}$$

orientation cover

M - orientable manifold

$$\mathbb{Z}/2 \text{ action on } M^{\text{or}} : \tau(\overline{x}, \alpha_x) = (\overline{x}, -\alpha_x)$$

$\Rightarrow M^{\text{or}}$ is a principal $\mathbb{Z}/2$ bundle.

$$\begin{array}{c} Y \\ \downarrow \\ X \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{covering space, Galois, ie } \pi_1 Y \triangleleft \pi_1 X \\ \text{Deck transformations act on } Y. (\pi_1 X / \pi_1 Y) \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow Y$ principal $\pi_1 X / \pi_1 Y$ bundle.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi^{(k)} & & \nu(\xi) = \{(e_1, \dots, e_k) \mid (e_1, \dots, e_k) \text{ basis for } \xi_x\} \subseteq X \times \xi_x \times \dots \times \xi_x \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & & X \end{array}$$

Fibre bundle, Fibre = $\{(e_1, \dots, e_k) \mid e_1, \dots, e_k \text{ basis for } \mathbb{R}^k\}$
 $= GL_k(\mathbb{R}^*)$

$GL_k(\mathbb{R})$ principal bundle.

- Similarly for a Riemannian vector bundle, we will get a principal ~~G -bundle~~ $O(n)$ -bundle. For oriented vector bundle $SO(n)$ -bundle.

Th^m If $f, f': X \rightarrow Y$ are such that $f \simeq f'$, then

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} f^*P & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P & \xleftarrow{\quad} & f'^*P \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Y & \xleftarrow{\quad} & Y \end{array}$$

$f^*P \cong f'^*P$

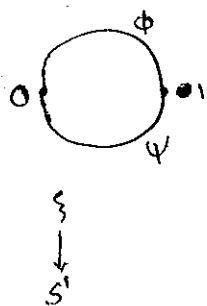
$P_G(X)$ = Principal G -bundle over $X/\sim \rightarrow G$ -bundle isomorphism

$$f: X \rightarrow Y \xrightarrow{P_G} f^*P_G(Y) \xrightarrow{P_G f} P_G(X)$$

only depends on $f \in [X, Y]$

Proposition: $G \rightarrow P$ is trivial iff $\exists s: X \rightarrow P$ section.

What is $P_G(S^1)$? ~~$\text{Aut}(G) = G$~~ $\pi_0(G)$



on ~~$\text{Aut}(G)$~~ we can give trivialization so that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \phi: \xi & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \bigcap \times G \\ \psi: \xi & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \bigcup \times G \end{array}$$

such that $\phi^* \psi^{-1}(0) = \text{id}$

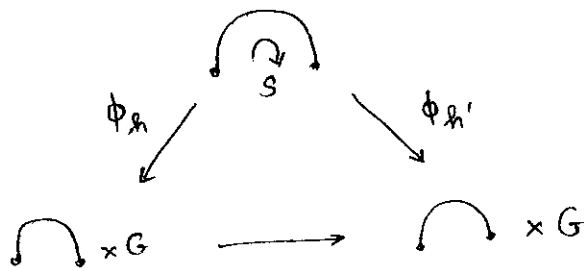
Now $\phi^* \psi^{-1}(1) \in \text{Aut}_G G = G$

Call ~~ξ_h~~ the G -bundle corresponding to $\phi^* \psi^{-1}(1) = h \in \xi_h$.

If \exists a path joining h to h' . $\gamma: [0, 1] \rightarrow G$
 $(0, 1) \mapsto (h, h')$

we give a homotopy

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{arc } \phi_h & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \text{arc } \phi_{h'} \\ \downarrow s & & \downarrow s \\ S^1 & & S^1 \end{array} \times G$$



$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \quad H: \text{circle} \times [0,1] &\longrightarrow \text{circle} \times G \\ (s, t) &\longmapsto \bullet \end{aligned}$$

Proposition: $P_G(S') = \pi_0(G)$

~~$$P_G(S' \wedge X) = [X, G]_*$$~~

$$P_G(S' \wedge X) = [X, G]_*$$

Proof:

$$S' \wedge X = C_1 X \sqcup_x C_2 X$$

Assume trivializations,

$$\phi: \pi^{-1}(C_1 X) \longrightarrow C_1 X \times G$$

$$\psi: \pi^{-1}(C_2 X) \longrightarrow C_2 X \times G$$

Further assume that

$$\phi|_{\pi^{-1}(x_0)} = \psi|_{\pi^{-1}(x_0)}$$

$$\phi|_{\pi^{-1}(x_0)} = \psi|_{\pi^{-1}(x_0)}$$

$x_0 = \text{basepoint of } X$.

do on $X = C_1 X \cap C_2 X$

$$\psi \circ \phi^{-1}: X \times G \longrightarrow X \times G$$

$$(x, g) \longmapsto (x, h(g))$$

identity on x_0 .

$$\psi \circ \phi^{-1}: X \longrightarrow \text{Aut}_G(G) = G$$

$$x \longmapsto \pi_2(\psi \circ \phi^{-1}(x, e))$$

$$\begin{array}{c} X \times G \\ \downarrow \pi_2 \\ G \end{array}$$

Call this $h \in \text{Hom}_*(X, G)_*$

Then, by this we have a vector bundle ξ_h , corresponding to every element of $\text{Hom}_*(X, G)_*$.

Next we need to determine when two of these are equivalent.

Claim: $\xi_h \cong \xi_{h'} \iff \{h\} \cong \{h'\} \text{ mod } [X, G]_*$

(15)

$$\leftarrow H: X \times [0,1] \longrightarrow G$$

$$H_0(x) = h(x)$$

$$H_1(x) = h'(x)$$

Milnor: Construction of
Universal bundles.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \phi_h, \psi_h: \xi_h & & \xi_{h'}: \phi_{h'}, \psi_{h'} \\ & \searrow & \swarrow \\ & \Sigma X & \end{array}$$

$$\phi_h: \pi^{-1}(C_1 X) \xrightarrow{\sim} C_1 X \times G$$

$$\phi_{h'}: \pi^{-1}(C_1 X) \xrightarrow{\sim} C_1 X \times G$$

$$\psi_h: \pi^{-1}(C_2 X) \xrightarrow{\sim} C_2 X \times G$$

$$\psi_{h'}: \pi^{-1}(C_2 X) \xrightarrow{\sim} C_2 X \times G$$

Aim is to construct a ~~ξ_h~~

$$K: \xi_h \longrightarrow \xi_{h'}$$

f is G -isomorphism on
each fibre.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ \pi_h \searrow & & \swarrow \pi_{h'} \\ & \Sigma X & \end{array}$$

Define:

$$K: \pi_h^{-1}(C_1 X) \longrightarrow \pi_{h'}^{-1}(C_2 X)$$

$$\phi_h^{-1}(x, g) \longmapsto \phi_{h'}^{-1}(x, g)$$

$$\pi_h^{-1}(C_2 X) \longrightarrow \pi_{h'}^{-1}(C_2 X)$$

~~$\pi_h^{-1}(C_2 X)$~~

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \pi_h^{-1}(C_2 X) & & \pi_{h'}^{-1}(C_2 X) \\ \downarrow \pi_h & \searrow & \swarrow \pi_{h'} \\ & C_2 X & \\ \uparrow \phi_h & & \uparrow \phi_{h'} \\ & C_2 X \times G & \end{array}$$

$$C_2 X = \mathbb{B}[0,1] \times X / (x, 0) \sim (x, 1)$$

$$K: \psi_h^{-1}(t, x, g) = \psi_{h'}^{-1}(t, x, H_t(x)^{-1}g)$$

$$\text{On } C_1 X \quad K(\phi_h^{-1}(t, x, g)) = \phi_{h'}^{-1}(t, x, g)$$

$$\text{On } C_2 X \quad K(\psi_h^{-1}(t, x, g)) = \psi_{h'}^{-1}(t, x, H_t(x)^{-1}g) H_{1-t}(x)^{-1} h_0(x)^{-1} g$$

• K - well defined

on $C_1 \times \Pi_2 X_0$: $K(\phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g)) = \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g)$ at $t=0$
 $K(\psi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g)) = \psi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g))$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &\stackrel{?}{=} \psi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ \psi_{h'} \cdot \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &\stackrel{?}{=} (0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ &\parallel \\ (0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ \psi_{h'} \cdot \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &= (0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &= \psi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ K(\downarrow) &\stackrel{?}{=} K(\downarrow) \\ \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &\stackrel{?}{=} \psi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \\ \psi_{h'} \cdot \phi_{h'}^{-1}(0, x, g) &= \\ &\parallel \\ (0, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \end{aligned}$$

so K - defined on X .

at $t=1$, K should be ~~constant ident~~ constant function

$$\begin{aligned} K(\psi_{h'}^{-1}(1, x, g)) &= \psi_{h'}^{-1}(1, x, h'(x)^{-1} h(x)^{-1}(g)) \quad t=1 \\ &= \psi_{h'}^{-1}(1, x, g) \end{aligned}$$

so K - well defined on $\mathbb{R} \Sigma X$.

• K fibrewise isomorphism. Easy.

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \quad \xi_h &\xrightarrow{\sim} \xi_{h'} \\ &\searrow \quad \swarrow \\ &\Sigma X \end{aligned}$$

So far we have obtained a map

$$[X, G]_* \longrightarrow P_G(\Sigma X)$$

$$[h] \longmapsto \xi_h$$

we need to show bijection.

• Surjection is clear

• We will construct an inverse

$$P_G(\Sigma X) \longrightarrow [X, G]_*$$

$$\phi: \pi^1(C_1 X) \longrightarrow C_1 X \times G$$

$$\psi: \pi^1(C_2 X) \longrightarrow C_2 X \times G$$

$$\psi \cdot \phi^{-1}: \pi^1(C_1 X) \longrightarrow X \times G$$

Give map: $\xi \longmapsto \psi \cdot \phi^{-1}(-, e)$

If well-defined inverse is obvious.

So enough to show, does not depend on choices of ϕ, ψ .

Suppose ϕ_1, ψ_1 are another trivializations.

need to show: $\psi_1 \cdot \phi_1^{-1}(-, e) \equiv \psi \cdot \phi^{-1}(-, e) \pmod{[X, G]_*}$

$$\phi_1 \cdot \psi_1^{-1} \cdot \psi \cdot \phi^{-1}(-, e) \equiv \text{id} \pmod{[X, G]_*}$$

Either need X -path connected or G path connected.

By identifying $C_1 X, C_2 X$, we can define the map

$$\phi \cdot \psi^{-1} \cdot \psi_1 \cdot \phi_1^{-1}: C_1 X \times G \longrightarrow C_1 X \times G$$

$$\text{i.e. } \phi \cdot \psi^{-1} \cdot \psi_1 \cdot \phi_1^{-1}(-, e): C_1 X \longrightarrow G$$

i.e. on X the map is null-homotopic.

i.e. homotopy equivalent to identity.

So to conclude,

$$[X, G]_* \cong P_G(\Sigma X).$$

Principal Bundle

Universal Bundle :

E_Z Principal G -bundle, Z -CW complex
 \downarrow
 Z

• $[X, Z] \xrightarrow{\cong} P_G(X)$ Z -Universal G -bundle
 X -CW complex

• E_Z n -universal if iso. is true for
 \downarrow
 Z X -CW complex of $\dim \leq n$.

• E_Z ~~universal~~ \rightarrow unique upto homotopy
 \downarrow
 Z universal

i.e. $E_{Z_1} \quad E_{Z_2}$ Z -universal
 $\downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $Z_1 \quad Z_2$

$\Rightarrow \exists f: Z_1 \rightarrow Z_2$ s.t.

$f^* E_{Z_2} = E_{Z_1}$ f -homotopy equivalence

• Analogously

E_Z n -Universal, unique upto n -equivalence.
 \downarrow
 Z

Theorem:

E_Z n -universal $\Leftrightarrow E_Z$ $(n-1)$ -connected
 \downarrow
 Z
 $(\Rightarrow E_Z$ universal $\Leftrightarrow E_Z$ contractible $)$.

Proof:

• 0-connected universal

• $[S, Z] = P_G(S)$
 $= \{*\}$

S -0-dim

\Rightarrow discrete set of pts

\Rightarrow every bundle on S trivial

$\Rightarrow Z$ -path connected
 π_1 -connected

- 1 universal

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{arc} = I \\ \text{circle} = S^1 \end{array}$$

$$[I, Z] = P_G[I] = *$$

$$[S^1, Z] = P_G(S^1) = \pi_1(Z)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} G \longrightarrow E_Z \\ \downarrow \\ Z \end{array}$$

$$[S^1, Z] = P_G(S^1) = \pi_0(G)$$

$$\rightarrow \pi_1 G \rightarrow \pi_1 E_Z \rightarrow \pi_1 Z \rightarrow \pi_0(G)$$

- $n-1$ dim CW - X

n -Universal

$$S^{n-1} \xrightarrow{f} X$$

$$Y = X \cup_f e^n$$

$$\begin{array}{c} P \\ \downarrow \\ S^{n-1} \end{array}$$

G-bundle

- 1) Can this be extended to D^n
- iff P is a trivial bundle
- i.e. P has a section.

Lemma:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & & E_Z \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \end{array}$$

$P = f^* E_Z$

s section exists
 $\Leftrightarrow f$ lifts to E_Z

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & & E_Z \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \end{array}$$

$$P = f^* E_Z$$

- Q. when can P be extended to Y ?
- iff $\phi^*(P)$ extends to e^n .

- Q. How many extensions exist?
- $\pi_{n-1}(G)$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{\phi} & X \xrightarrow{f} Z \\ & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ & & E_Z \end{array}$$

$f \circ \phi$ lifts

By lemma



$$\gamma = X \cup_{\phi} e^n = \text{cone}(\phi)$$

(r_{ϕ}) (c_{ϕ})

$$S^{n-1} \xrightarrow{\phi} X \longrightarrow Y \longrightarrow S^n \longrightarrow \Sigma X \longrightarrow$$

$$[S^{n-1}, Z] \xleftarrow{\phi^*} [X, Z] \xleftarrow{f} [Y, Z] \xleftarrow{\pi_n(z)} [S^n, Z] \xleftarrow{(\Sigma\phi)^*} [\Sigma X, Z]$$

$\phi \circ f \longleftarrow f$

Q. when can $f \in [X, Z]$ be extended to $f \in [Y, Z]$?

• $f \in \text{Im}([Y, Z] \longrightarrow [X, Z])$

$f \in \ker(\phi^*)$

Q. How many extensions?

i.e. How many pre-images?

$g \in [Y, Z] \cdot \quad g \longrightarrow f$

$g_1, g_2 \longrightarrow f \quad \Rightarrow \quad g_1 - g_2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \exists h \cdot h \in [S^n, Z], \quad h \longrightarrow g_1 - g_2$

So $\exists \pi_n(z)$ many extensions

$\Rightarrow \pi_n(z) \cong \pi_{n-1}(G)$

Milnor - Stasheff

$$\frac{X \times Y \cup CX \times Y}{X \times Y} \quad \begin{matrix} X * Y = \sum (X \wedge Y) \\ = S^1 \wedge X \wedge Y? \end{matrix}$$

Q.5-A)

$$G|_n(\mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$\downarrow q$$

$$G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$q \circ f \circ q: V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad C^\infty, \text{ if } f: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad C^\infty$

if $q \circ f \circ q \in C^\infty \cdot (f \circ q)^{-1}(U)$ open in $V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$

$\Rightarrow q^{-1} \cdot f^{-1}(U)$ open

$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(U)$ open as q is quotient map, hence open

(18)

Now remains to check smoothness, i.e.

Claim: $f \circ q: \mathbb{C}^\infty \Rightarrow f: \mathbb{C}^\infty$

Locally $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \supseteq U$, $q^{-1}(U) = U \times G_n(\mathbb{R})$.

Locally we have a map

$i: U \rightarrow U \times G_n(\mathbb{R})$ which is just a section,

Then

$$f = f \circ q \circ i = \mathbb{C}^\infty$$

□

Q.5 B)

Problem with direct approach:

The canonical bundle is not defined for arbitrary G -bundles. $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$ is a very specific space

$$G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) = \{ n \text{ planes in } \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \}$$

\mathbb{C}^∞ -structure on $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$

$$x \in G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$U_x = \{ y \in G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \mid \exists v \in y, v \perp x \}$$

$$x^\perp \in G_k(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) = \{ w \mid w \perp x \}$$

$$\varphi_x: U_x \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{nk} \longleftarrow \text{Coordinate Chart}$$

Let e_1, \dots, e_n be a basis for x i.e. $x = \langle e_1, \dots, e_n \rangle$

f_1, \dots, f_k be a basis for x^\perp $x^\perp = \langle f_1, \dots, f_k \rangle$

$$y \in U_x, y = \langle e'_1, e'_2, \dots, e'_n \rangle$$

$$= \langle e_1 + f_1, e_2 + f_2, \dots, e_n + f_n \rangle$$

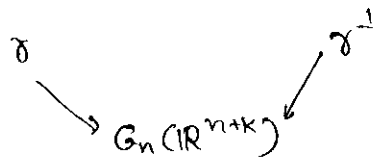
Then if

$$\begin{bmatrix} f'_1 \\ \vdots \\ f'_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_{ij} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ \vdots \\ f_k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\varphi_x(y) = [y_{ij}]$$

Then we have

$$\varphi_x^*: T(U_x) \xrightarrow{\sim} T_x^*(T\mathbb{R}^{nk}) \cong \mathbb{R}^{nk} \times \mathbb{R}^{nk} \cong U_x \times \mathbb{R}^{nk}$$



$$\gamma = \{(x, \omega) \mid \omega \in x\}$$

$$\gamma^\perp = \{(y, \omega) \mid \omega \perp y\}$$

Locally we have:

$$x \in G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

x^\perp, U_x as defined earlier

$$\gamma(U_x) \xrightarrow{\sim} U_x \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

$(y, \omega) \mapsto (y, \text{co-ordinates of } \omega \text{ in the basis } e_1, \dots, e_n).$

$$\gamma^\perp(U_x) \xrightarrow{\sim} U_x \times \mathbb{R}^k$$


$(y, \omega) \mapsto (y, \text{co-ordinates of } \omega \text{ in the basis } f_1, \dots, f_k)$

$$\psi: \text{Hom}(\gamma, \gamma^\perp) \xrightarrow{\sim} U_x \times \mathbb{R}^{nk}$$

$(y, \alpha) \mapsto (y, \alpha \text{ written as a matrix in the basis } e_1, \dots, e_n, f_1, \dots, f_k)$

Then we have the following isomorphism:

$$\text{Hom}(\gamma, \gamma^\perp) \xrightarrow{\psi} U_x \times \mathbb{R}^{nk} \xrightarrow{(\varphi^*)^{-1}} T U_x \times \mathbb{R}^{nk}$$

(We have made a lot of choices of bases. )

Compatibility is something that needs to be checked.

$$M^n \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

$$\bar{g}: M^n \longrightarrow G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

generalised Gauss map.

$$\bar{g}^*: TM \longrightarrow TG_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

is

$$\text{Hom}(\gamma, \gamma^\perp)$$

At a point $p \in M$,

$$\gamma(\bar{g}(p)) = T_p M, \quad \gamma^\perp(\bar{g}(p)) = \nu_p M$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{g}^*: TM \longrightarrow \text{Hom}(TM, \mathcal{V})$$

$\swarrow \quad \searrow$
 M

$$\Rightarrow \bar{g}_p^* \in \text{Hom}(T_p M, \text{Hom}(T_p M, \mathcal{V}_p)) \cong \text{Hom}(T_p M, T_p M^* \otimes \mathcal{V}_p)$$

$$\cong \text{Hom}(T_p M \otimes T_p M, \mathcal{V}_p) \quad \text{as finite dimensional}$$

$$(\text{Hom}(A, B^* \otimes C) \cong \text{Hom}(A \otimes B, C) \quad ?$$

□

Q.5 c)

$$I_n \subseteq M_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) = \{A \in M_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \mid A^2 = A, \text{trace}(A) = n\}$$

Then, we know that Jordan-Canonical form of A is

$$A \approx B + C$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ only 1's, 0's in diagonal, all other entries 0.}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ only 1's, 0's in sub-diagonal, all other entries 0.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^2 &= B^2 + BC + C^2 + CB \\ &= B + C + C + B = 2B + 2C \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore A(A-I) = 0, \text{ size of each Jordan block should be 1.}$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\text{So } \exists P \in GL_{n+k}(\mathbb{R}^n) \text{ s.t.}$$

$$PAP^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{Projection in the first } n\text{-plane.}$$

$$\text{So } \psi: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}I_n$$

$$x \longmapsto \text{Projection onto the plane } x.$$

Injectivity is clear, surjectivity follows from the above proposition.

There is one gap in proof:

By Jordan decomposition, we get $P \in GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ s.t.

$$PAP^{-1} = B$$

we need a $P \in GL_n(\mathbb{R})$.

one needs a stronger version of Jordan canonical decomposition:

• If K is a field, if minimal characteristic polynomial of A splits in K , then $\exists P \in GL_n(K)$ s.t. $PAP^{-1} = \text{Jordan}$.

Proof of Jordan canonical actually proves this thm.

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi: \bigwedge^n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) &\longrightarrow \bigwedge^n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}(\bigwedge^n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})) \\ (u_1 \dots u_n) &\longmapsto (u_1 \wedge u_2 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n) \longrightarrow [(u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{If } \text{sp}\langle w_1, \dots, w_n \rangle = \text{sp}\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_n \end{bmatrix} = A \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix} \quad A \in GL(\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle)$$

$$\text{Then, } \varphi(w_1 \dots w_n) = [w_1 \wedge w_2 \wedge \dots \wedge w_n]$$

$$= [\det A (u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n)]$$

$$= [u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n] = \varphi(u_1 \dots u_n)$$

By property of quotient topology

$$\tilde{\varphi}: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}(\bigwedge^n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}))$$

Injectivity:

$$\tilde{\varphi}([u_1, \dots, u_n]) =$$

$$\text{Claim: } u_1 \wedge u_2 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n = (w_1 \wedge w_2 \wedge \dots \wedge w_n) \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{sp}\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle = \text{sp}\langle w_1, \dots, w_n \rangle.$$

Proof:

If $k=0$,

$$u_1 \wedge \dots \wedge u_n = w_1 \wedge \dots \wedge w_n \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+k} = \text{sp}\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle = \text{sp}\langle w_1, \dots, w_n \rangle.$$

$k > 0$

Assume contrary.

$$\text{Let } u' \perp \text{sp}\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle. \quad w_1 = u' + (\lambda_1 u_1 + \dots + \lambda_n u_n)$$

we define following multilinear map on \mathbb{R}^{n+k}

$$\psi: \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \cong \bigwedge^n(\text{sp}\langle u', w_2, \dots, w_n \rangle)$$

$$(u_1, \dots, u_n) \longmapsto \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } u_1, \dots, u_n \notin \text{sp}\langle u', w_2, \dots, w_n \rangle \\ \text{signed volume of } u_1, \dots, u_n & \text{in the space } u', w_2, \dots, w_n \end{cases}$$

$$\# \quad \alpha(v_1, \dots, v_n) = 0 \quad \text{so } v' \perp v_i \quad \forall i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha(w_1, \dots, w_n) &= \alpha(v', w_2, \dots, w_n) + \alpha(\lambda v_1, w_2, \dots, w_n) \\ &= \alpha(v', w_2, \dots, w_n) + \lambda \alpha(v_1, w_2, \dots, w_n) \\ &= \alpha(v', w_2, \dots, w_n) + \lambda \cdot 0 \\ &\neq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Being signed volume α is anti-symmetric

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (\mathbb{R}^{n+k})^k & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & \mathbb{R} \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \exists \lambda & \\ \wedge^k(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) & & \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \alpha(v_1, \dots, v_n) &= 0 \\ \alpha(w_1, \dots, w_n) &\neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1, \dots, v_n \neq w_1, \dots, w_n \quad \text{Contradiction.}$$

⊗

Q.5 D)

$$x, y \in \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \quad n\text{-planes.} \quad x \neq y$$

$$\phi \in \mathcal{O}(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$\phi(x) = y$$

$$\phi(y) = x$$

Claim: ϕ exists, ~~unique~~

Proof:

We should get two n -planes P_1, P_2 which are equidistant from x, y .

$$\text{Assume } x = w \oplus x_1, \quad y = w \oplus y_1 \\ \text{where } w = x \cap y$$

$$\text{So } x_1 \cap y_1 = \{0\}$$

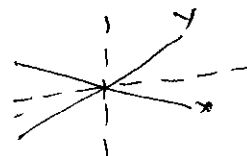
Enough to find the planes for x_1, y_1

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Suppose } x_1 &= \text{sp} \langle x_1, \dots, x_i \rangle \\ y_1 &= \text{sp} \langle y_1, \dots, y_i \rangle \end{aligned} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{orthonormal} \\ \text{basis} \end{array}$$

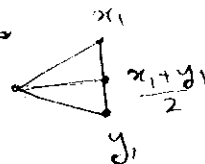
$$\text{s.t. } |y_1| = |x_1| = \dots = |y_i| = |x_i| = 1$$

$$\text{Then } P_1 = \text{sp} \left\langle \frac{x_1 + y_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{x_i + y_i}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$P_2 = \text{sp} \left\langle \frac{x_1 - y_1}{2}, \dots, \frac{x_i - y_i}{2} \right\rangle$$



Now we need to show reflecting x_2 in P_1 takes x_1 to y_1 .
(or P_2)



$$(x_1 - y_1) \cdot \left(\frac{x_1 + y_1}{2}\right) = \frac{x_1^2 - y_1^2}{2} = 0$$

$$|x_1 - \frac{x_1 + y_1}{2}| = |y_1 - \frac{x_1 + y_1}{2}|$$

Result follows.

□

Next we need to define an angle $\alpha(x, y)$ which is independent of ϕ .

Again decompose x, y as $x = w \oplus x_1$, $y = w \oplus y_1$.

Define:

$$\alpha(x, y) = \inf_{\substack{x \in X_1 \\ y \in Y_1}} \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{x \cdot y}{\|x\| \|y\|} \right) \\ = \min_{\substack{x \in X_1, y \in Y_1 \\ \|x\| = \|y\|}} \cos^{-1}(x \cdot y)$$

In fact $\cos^{-1}(x \cdot y)$ is constant for $x \in X_1, y \in Y_1$.

α is a metric on $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$.

Proof:

$$\alpha: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \times G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow [0, \pi/2] \subset \mathbb{C}^\infty$$

Enough to show

$$\alpha \circ q: V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \times V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow [0, \pi/2] \subset \mathbb{C}^\infty$$

Let $e_1, \dots, e_n, e_{n+1}, \dots, e_{n+k}$ be standard basis for \mathbb{R}^{n+k}

Enough to show:

$$\alpha \circ q(e_1, \dots, e_n, -) \subset \mathbb{C}^\infty$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_{n+k} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} v_{ij} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ \vdots \\ e_{n+k} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{i.e. } v_i = \sum_j v_{ij} e_j$$

$$\alpha \circ q(v) = \min \cos^{-1}(\alpha_i)$$

Technical difficult.

Need different approach

Easier way to define, angle which does not require X, Y .

$$\alpha(X, Y) = \max_{\substack{x, y \in X \\ y \in Y \\ \|x\| = \|y\|}} \cos^{-1}(x \cdot y)$$

where max is achieved precisely when $x, y \in X, y \in Y$.

$$\bullet \alpha(X, X) = 0$$

$$\bullet \alpha(X, Y) = \alpha(Y, X)$$

$$\bullet \alpha(X, Y) \in [0, \pi]$$

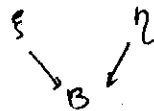
Proof might be given using Lagrange's Multipliers?

$$\bullet \alpha(X, Y) + \alpha(Y, Z) \geq \alpha(X, Z)$$

Q.5) E)

1)

$$\begin{aligned} \xi \oplus \eta &= \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \\ &= B \times \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \end{aligned}$$



$$\xi \longrightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \longrightarrow B \times \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

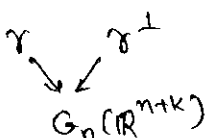
$$b \in B, \xi_b \longmapsto n\text{-plane in } \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

also we get a map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi & \longrightarrow & \gamma \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B & \longrightarrow & G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \end{array}$$

2)

Conversely,



$$\gamma \oplus \gamma^\perp = \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

Result follows.

2) B normal

$$\bullet \exists u_i \in B, \text{ finite s.t. } \varphi_i: \xi|_{u_i} \xrightarrow{\sim} B \times \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathbb{R}^n \quad 1 \leq i \leq N$$

$$f_i: B \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$f_i|_{u_i} = (0, 1]$$

$$f_i(u_i^c) = 0$$

Define

$$\xi \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{Nn}$$

$$x \longmapsto (f_1 \cdot \varphi_1(\pi \cdot \varphi_1)x, f_2 \cdot (\pi \cdot \varphi_2)x, \dots, f_N(\pi \cdot \varphi_N)x)$$

where $\varphi_i(x) = 0$ if $x \notin U_i$

This gives the required map.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \xi & \longrightarrow & \gamma \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B & \longrightarrow & G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \end{array}$$

$G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$ is a manifold, compact

$\Rightarrow \exists U_i \subseteq G_n$, finite st. U_i contractible,

$$\gamma U_i \cong G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \times \mathbb{R}^n$$

Result follows from the pullback property of manifold

3) B-paracompact

Use partitions of unity

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 4) & \gamma & \omega(x) = 1 + x \\ & \downarrow & \\ & \mathbb{R}P^\infty & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{if } \eta \oplus \gamma = \text{trivial} \\ \Rightarrow \omega(\eta) = \frac{1}{1+x} = 1 + x + x^2 + \dots \end{array} \quad H^1(\mathbb{R}P^\infty, \mathbb{Z}/2) = \mathbb{Z}/2 x$$

Not possible.

grassmannian - Cell structures

$$G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$\mathbb{R}^0 \subset \mathbb{R}^1 \subset \dots \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

X - n plane

Schubert symbol of $X = (\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n)$

$$1 \leq \sigma_1 < \sigma_2 < \dots < \sigma_n \leq \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

$$\dim(\mathbb{R}^{\sigma_i} \cap X) = i$$

$$\dim(\mathbb{R}^{\sigma_i-1} \cap X) = i-1$$

$$e(\sigma) = \{X \mid X \text{ n plane, schubert}(X) = \sigma\}$$

$$e(\sigma) = \text{open cell of dim } (\sigma_1-1) + (\sigma_2-2) + \dots + (\sigma_n-n).$$

$e(\sigma)$ - cells of $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$

No. of r -cells in $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$ = no. of partitions of r into at most n -integers each $\leq k$.

Q.6-A)

- X - CW, compact
- X = Union of open cells of X , disjoint
- X compact \Rightarrow finite
- finite \Rightarrow disjoint union quotient of compact set \Rightarrow compact

Q.6-B)

$$i: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \hookrightarrow G_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty)$$

$$i: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \hookrightarrow G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})$$

a p -cell of $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1}) = e(\sigma)$ s.t. $\dim e(\sigma) = p$ $p \leq k$

$$= \{X\text{-plane } \in \mathbb{R}^{n+k+1} \mid \text{schubert}(X) = \sigma\}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^0 \subset \mathbb{R}^1 \subset \dots \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+k} \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+k+1}, \dots \quad (\sigma_1 - 1)$$

$$\dim(X \cap \mathbb{R}^{\sigma_i}) = i$$

$$\dim(X \cap \mathbb{R}^{\sigma_{i-1}}) = i-1$$

$$+ \dots + (\sigma_n - n) = p$$

$$p \leq k \Rightarrow \sigma_n - n \leq k \Rightarrow \sigma_n \leq n+k$$

$$\text{Thus } e(\sigma) \subseteq G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \subseteq G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})$$

so k -skeleton of $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) = k$ -skeleton of $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})$

$\Rightarrow i^*$ isomorphism for $\forall p \leq k$.

Q.6-C)

$$X \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}^1 \oplus X$$

$$f: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow G_{n+1}(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})$$

Injectivity is clear. Need to show C^∞ .

$$\tilde{f}: V_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow V_{n+1}(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})$$

$$\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1} = \mathbb{R}e_1 \oplus \mathbb{R}^{n+k}$$

$$(x_1, \dots, x_n) \longmapsto (e_1, x_1, \dots, x_n).$$

$$f^*(\gamma_{n+1}(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1}))_{\text{eq}} = \{(e_1, x_1, \dots, x_n) \mid (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in [X]\}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^*(\gamma_{n+1}(\mathbb{R}^{n+k+1})) = \mathbb{R}e_1 \oplus \gamma_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$e(\sigma) \in G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$f(e(\sigma)) = e(1, \sigma_1+1, \dots, \sigma_n+1)$$

Q.6-D)

$$\omega_1^{r_1} \dots \omega_n^{r_n} [M]$$

$$r_1 + 2r_2 + \dots + nr_n = n = \text{partition of } n \text{ using } r_i \text{ i's.}$$

Q.6-E)

$$f: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow G_k(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$X \longmapsto X^\perp$$

Smoothness - difficult to prove, might not be true!

~~is~~

Homeomorphism:

$$\text{if } x \in e(\sigma) \quad \sigma = (\sigma_1 \dots \sigma_n)$$

$$1 \leq \sigma_1 < \dots < \sigma_n \leq n+k$$

$$f(x) \in e(\tau) \quad \tau = (\tau_1 \dots \tau_k)$$

$$1 \leq \tau_1 < \dots < \tau_k \leq n+k$$

$$\{\sigma_1 \dots \sigma_n, \tau_1 \dots \tau_k\} = \{1, 2, \dots, n+k\}$$

$$\dim(\tau) = (\tau_1 - 1) + \dots + (\tau_k - k)$$

$$= \sum \tau_i - \frac{k(k+1)}{2}$$

$$= \sum \frac{(n+k)(n+k+1)}{2} - \frac{k(k+1)}{2} - \sum \sigma_i$$

$$= \frac{n^2 + nk + nk + n}{2} - \sum \sigma_i$$

$$= nk - (\dim \sigma)$$

Nearly NOT a CW complex isomorphism

we will give $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$ a different cell-structure

$$\text{Let } \begin{array}{c} \cancel{G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})} \xrightarrow{\quad} \cancel{G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})} \\ \cancel{G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})} \xrightarrow{\quad} \end{array}$$

$$A \in GL_{n+k}(\mathbb{R}) = \begin{bmatrix} & & & 1 \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ 1 & & & \end{bmatrix} \quad A_{ij} = \delta_{i(n+k-j)}$$

A permutes $e_1, e_{n+k-1}, e_2, e_{n+k-2}, \dots$

23

look at the induced map on $G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$

$$\tilde{A}: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$X = \text{sp}\langle u_1, \dots, u_n \rangle \longmapsto \tilde{A}X = \text{sp}\langle Au_1, \dots, Au_n \rangle.$$

This is clearly a homeomorphism.

Look at cell-structure induced by \tilde{A}

$$Ae(\sigma) = \{X \mid \tilde{A}X \subseteq e(\sigma)\}$$

$$\dim(Ae(\sigma))$$

Now we have

$$f: G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k}) \longrightarrow G_k(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})$$

$$X \longmapsto X^\perp$$

as before

$$\dim(f(e(\sigma))) + \dim(e(\sigma)) = nk$$

$$\text{But } \dim(Ae(\sigma)) = nk - \dim(e(\sigma))$$

$$\text{Reason: } X \in Ae(\sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow AX \in e(\sigma)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(AX \cap \mathbb{R}^{n+k-\sigma_i}) = n-i$$

$$\dim(AX \cap \mathbb{R}^{n+k-\sigma_{i+1}}) = n-i+1$$

$$\Rightarrow Ae(\sigma) = e(\tau)$$

$$\tau_{n-i+1} = n+k-\sigma_i+1$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(Ae(\sigma)) = \sum_i (n+k-\sigma_i+1) -$$

$$= \sum_i (n+k-\sigma_i+1) - (n+i-1)$$

$$= \sum_i (k - (\sigma_i - i))$$

$$= nk - \dim(e(\sigma))$$

(Another way of saying the same thing would be to look at the map

$$X \longmapsto AX^\perp$$

$H^*(G_n, \mathbb{Z}/2) - \text{Real Grassmannian}$

for ξ vector bundle over paracompact B

$$\begin{array}{c} \xi \\ \downarrow \\ B \end{array} \quad \exists f: B \rightarrow G_n \text{ s.t. } \xi = f^* \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(\xi) = f^* \omega(\gamma)$$

But for $B = \mathbb{R}P^n$, $\xi = \gamma$ = orthogonal bundle of the canonical bundle

$$\omega(\xi) = \frac{1}{1+x} = 1+x+\dots+x^{n-1}, \quad x \in H^1(\mathbb{R}P^n)$$

not useful.

$$B = \underbrace{\mathbb{R}P_1^\infty \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}P_n^\infty}_{n\text{-times}} \quad \xi = \gamma_1' \times \gamma_2' \times \dots \times \gamma_n'$$

$\gamma_i' \rightarrow$ Canonical line bundle over $\mathbb{R}P_i^\infty$

$\mathbb{R}P^\infty$ - CW complex, hence paracompact

$$\omega(\xi) = (1+a_1)(1+a_2)\dots(1+a_n) \quad \text{Always}$$

$$H^1(\mathbb{R}P_i^\infty) = \mathbb{Z}/2 a_i \quad \text{co. of. group } \mathbb{Z}/2.$$

$\omega_i(\xi) = i^{\text{th}}$ symmetric poly in n -variables.

Claim: $\exists P(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in \mathbb{Z}/2[z_1, \dots, z_n]$ s.t.

$$P(\omega_1(\xi), \dots, \omega_n(\xi)) = 0$$

Proof:

$$\mathbb{Z}/2(a_1, \dots, a_n)$$



$$\mathbb{Z}/2(\omega_1(\xi), \dots, \omega_n(\xi))$$

is finite extension of degree at most $n!$

But since the Galois group is S_n , $\deg = n!$

Transcendence degree of $\mathbb{Z}/2(a_1, \dots, a_n) = n$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \quad \quad \mathbb{Z}/2(\omega_1, \dots, \omega_n(\xi)) = n$$

So result follows. ~~Conject~~ \square

Transcendence degree of

so we get that $\exists \mathbb{Z}_2[x_1, \dots, x_n] \subseteq H^*(G_n, \mathbb{Z}_2)$

$$x_i \in H^i(G_n, \mathbb{Z}_2)$$

But no. of cells in $\#G_n$ of dim m = no. of partitions of m in at most n -parts.

$$= \# \{r_1, \dots, r_n\}$$

= no. of partitions of m with each partition size at most n .

$$= \# \{r_1, \dots, r_n \mid 1r_1 + 2r_2 + \dots + nr_n = m\}$$

Reason: $\dim e(\sigma) = m$

$$\Rightarrow (\sigma_1 - 1) + (\sigma_2 - 2) + \dots + (\sigma_n - n) = m$$

Partition of m in n -parts.

By comparing dimension,

$$H^*(G_n, \mathbb{Z}_2) = \mathbb{Z}_2[x_1, \dots, x_n] \quad |x_i| = i$$

Because each dim- has rank equal to no. of cells of that dim, we must have that all the maps in the cellular complex of

G_n are 0 mod 2, so

$$\text{rank } H_i(G_n, \mathbb{Z}_2) = \text{rank } (H^i(G_n, \mathbb{Z}_2))$$

Q.7 A)

$\omega_n(\sigma^n) =$ orth symmetric polynomial in a_1, \dots, a_n

Cup product of a_i 's will give this cocycle.

First we find co-cycle representing a_i 's.

?? what do we have to find??

Q.7 B)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^*(G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})) & & \\ \downarrow i^* & \xrightarrow{\quad} & H^p(G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})) \\ H^p(G_n) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & H^p(G_n(\mathbb{R}^{n+k})) \end{array}$$

isomorphism for $p < k$.

$$\text{we have } (\mathbb{R} - \{0\})^n \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty(\mathbb{R} - \{0\})^n$$

\downarrow
 $\mathbb{R}P^\infty$

But $(\mathbb{R}^\infty - 0)^n \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty$ by the map

$$((x_{11}, \dots), (x_{21}, \dots), \dots, (x_{n1}, \dots)) \mapsto (x_{11}, x_{21}, \dots, x_{n1}, x_{12}, x_{22}, \dots, x_{n2}, \dots)$$

Then $\mathbb{R}P^\infty \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}P^\infty \cong$ lines n -tuple of lines in \mathbb{R}^∞
with a subspace of \mathbb{R}^∞

note that these lines will be linearly independent.

so the map,

$$\mathbb{R}P^\infty \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}P^\infty \longrightarrow G_n \text{ is given by}$$

$$(\ell_1, \dots, \ell_n) \mapsto \text{Sp} \langle \ell_1, \dots, \ell_n \rangle$$

$$G \rightarrow E_Z \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ Z \end{array} \text{ is } \underline{n\text{-universal}} \text{ if}$$

$$\forall CW X \quad \dim X \leq n,$$

$$\boxed{[X, F] \cong [X, Z]} \quad P_G(X) \cong [X, Z]$$

~~Wrong~~

- $K \subseteq L$, L -CW complex, K subcomplex, $\dim L \leq n$

$$G \rightarrow E \begin{array}{c} \downarrow \\ L \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} E|_K \\ \downarrow \\ K \end{array} \longleftrightarrow K \xrightarrow{f} Z \quad E|_K = f^* E_Z$$

q. For any $K \subseteq L$, does $\exists g: Z \leftarrow L: g$ so that

$$1) E = g^* E_Z$$

2) g is an extension of f .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \\ \downarrow & \nearrow g & \\ L & & \end{array}$$

Answer: iff E_Z is $(n-1)$ connected.

Proof: Assume we know for $\dim L < n \leftarrow$ Induction

• \Rightarrow

The statement is true for $K = S^n$,

Take $K = S^{n-1}$, $L = e^{K \times n}$

$$\text{let } [f] \in [K, Z] = [S^{n-1}, Z] = \pi_{n-1}(Z)$$

$$K = S^{n+1}, L = e^n$$

$f: K \rightarrow E_2$ the map

$$[f] \in \pi_{n+1}(E_2)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E_2 \\ \downarrow \pi \\ Z \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (f \circ \pi)^* E_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_2 \\ \downarrow & \nearrow f & \downarrow \pi \\ S^{n+1} & \xrightarrow{f \circ \pi} & Z \end{array}$$

write proof later

$K \subseteq L$ subcomplex of L ,
 $\dim L \leq n$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E|_K & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_2 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi \\ K & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Z \end{array}$$

Bundle extends to L

\Leftrightarrow the map $K \rightarrow Z$ extends to $L \rightarrow Z$

$\Rightarrow E_2$ is $(n-1)$ -connected.

Theorem:

E_2 n -connected $\Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} E_2 \\ \downarrow \\ Z \end{array}$ n -universal.

(ie $[x, Z] \xrightarrow{\sim} P_G(X)$ for $\dim X \leq n$)

$\begin{array}{c} E_2 \\ \downarrow \\ Z \end{array}$ n -universal $\Rightarrow E_2$ $(n-1)$ -connected.

Construction of Universal bundles

(Mithor)

$$X * Y = \Sigma(X \wedge Y)$$

$$E_G^{(n)} = \underbrace{G * G * \dots * G}_n = \Sigma^n(G \wedge G \wedge \dots \wedge G) \leftarrow n\text{-connected why?}$$

$$B_G^{(n)} = E_G^{(n)} / G$$

$$G \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} E_G^{(n)} \\ \downarrow \\ B_G^{(n)} \end{array}$$

$$E_G = \varinjlim_n E_G^{(n)}$$

$$B_G = E_G / G = \varinjlim_n B_G^{(n)}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} X\text{-}n\text{-connected} \Rightarrow S^1 \wedge X \text{ } n+1\text{-connected} \\ H^{n+1}(S^1 \wedge X) = H^n(X) = 0 \\ m \leq n \\ \Rightarrow H_{m+1}(S^1 \wedge X) = 0 \text{ } m \leq n \\ \Rightarrow S^1 \wedge X \text{ } n+1\text{-connected} \\ \text{By Hurewicz.} \end{array}$$

Vector Bundles:

$G \rightarrow O(k)$ continuous group homomorphism

Then $\text{Vect}_k^G(x) \xrightarrow{\sim} P_G(x)$

$\Rightarrow \text{Vect}_k^G(x) \xrightarrow{\sim} [x, BG]$

$G \rightarrow EG$
 \downarrow
 BG

$\mathbb{R}^k \times_G G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^k \times_G EG$
 \downarrow
 BG

$\mathbb{R}^k \times_G EG = \{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^k \times EG \} / \sim$

$(x, gy) \sim (g^{-1}x, y)$

$\mathbb{R}^k \times_G G = \{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^k \times G \} / \sim$

$(x, gy) \sim (g^{-1}x, y)$

$\Rightarrow (x, gy) \sim (y^{-1}g^{-1}x, 1)$

$= \mathbb{R}^k$

so we get a vector bundle

$\mathbb{R}^k \times_G EG$ corresponding

\downarrow
 BG

aside:

$G = \mathbb{Z}/2$

$E = S^{n-1}$
 \downarrow
 $B = \mathbb{R}P^{n-1}$

$\mathbb{Z}/2 \subset S^{n-1}$

antipode action

$\mathbb{Z}/2 \subset \mathbb{R}^n$

$\mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow S^{n-1}$
 \downarrow
 $\mathbb{R}P^{n-1}$

~~$\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{Z}/2$~~

$\mathbb{R}^n \times_{\mathbb{Z}/2} \mathbb{Z}/2$

$\mathbb{R}^n \times_{\mathbb{Z}/2} S^{n-1}$
 \downarrow
 $\mathbb{R}P^{n-1}$

$\mathbb{R} \times_{\mathbb{Z}/2} S^{n-1} = \{ (t, x) \} / \sim$

$\mathbb{R} \times_{\mathbb{Z}/2} \mathbb{Z}/2 \cong \mathbb{R}$

$(t, x) \sim (-t, -x)$

claim:

$\mathbb{R} \times_{\mathbb{Z}/2} S^{n-1} \rightarrow \gamma$

isomorphism

\downarrow
 $\mathbb{R}P^{n-1}$

$(t, x) \mapsto (tx)$

\mathbb{R}

similarly

$S^1 \rightarrow S^{2n+1}$
 \downarrow
 $\mathbb{C}P^n$

γ
 \downarrow
 $\mathbb{C}P^n$

$\gamma \cong \mathbb{R} \times_{S^1} S^{2n+1}$

$$G = O(n), U(n) \quad \text{Vect}_k^{\mathbb{R}}(X) \cong [X, BO(n)] \quad \text{Vect}_k^{\mathbb{C}}(X) \cong [X, BU(n)]$$

$$BO(n) = Gr_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty) \quad BU(n) = Gr_n(\mathbb{C}^\infty)$$

Proof of Previous Th^m:

Induction. $n=0 \rightarrow$ Trivial
 Assume the statement to be true for $n-1$.

- E_Z - n -connected $\Rightarrow (n-1)$ -connected

$$\Rightarrow E_Z - (n-1) \text{ is universal}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$Z$$

X = n -dimensional C.W.-complex

Y = $(n-1)$ skeleton of X .

$$\begin{array}{c} E \leftarrow G \\ \downarrow \\ X \end{array}$$

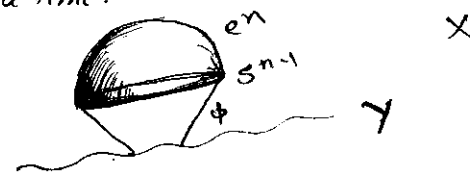
$$\begin{array}{ccc} E_Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_Z \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \end{array}$$

By induction hypothesis

$$\exists f: Y \rightarrow Z \text{ s.t. } f^* E_Z = E_Y$$

We need to extend f to X so that $f^* E_Z = E$.
 We do it 1-cell at a time.

$$X = Y \cup \{e^n\}$$



WLOG assume

$$S^{n-1} \xrightarrow{\phi} Y$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} E_{S^{n-1}} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_Z \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{\phi} & Y & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \end{array}$$

$$E_{S^{n-1}} = \phi^* E|_Y$$

we also have

$$\begin{aligned} E_{S^{n-1}} &= i^*(\phi^* E) \\ &= i^*(E_{e^n}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} E_{S^{n-1}} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E_{e^n} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{i} & e^n & \xrightarrow{\phi} & X \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow E_{S^{n-1}}$ - trivial G -bundle

$$\Rightarrow \exists \text{ section } S^{n-1} \rightarrow E_{S^{n-1}}$$

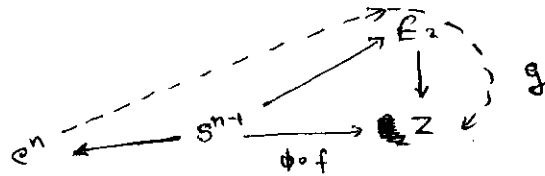
Pushing forward we get a map

$$S^{n-1} \xrightarrow{\widehat{f \circ \phi}} E_Z$$

Because $\pi_{n-1}(E_2) = 0$

\Rightarrow we can extend $\hat{\phi} \circ f$ to $e^n \xrightarrow{\hat{\phi} \circ f} E_2$

Push this down to get a map $g: e^n \rightarrow Z$



Define:

$$\hat{f}: X \rightarrow Z$$

$$\hat{f}|_Y = f$$

$$\hat{f}|_{e^n} = g$$

so we have obtained:

$$[X, Z] \longrightarrow P_G(X) \quad \text{surjective.}$$

Injectivity:

$$E \equiv f^* E_2 \cong_{\varphi} g^* E_2 \quad \text{where } Z \leftarrow X = f, g$$

Construct a vector bundle over $X \times I$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p^*(E) & \longrightarrow & E \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{p} & X \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^* E_2 & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & g^* E_2 \\ \searrow & & \swarrow \\ & X & \end{array}$$

$$\bigcup_{x \in I} p^* E|_{X \times \{x\}} \cong E$$

Construction of Universal Vector Bundles (contd.)

• If G discrete group, $\pi_n G = \begin{cases} G & n=0 \\ 0 & n>0 \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_n BG = \begin{cases} G & n=1 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases} \quad \Rightarrow BG = K(G, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} BU(n) &= Gr_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty) \\ BU(1) &= \mathbb{C}P^\infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} BO(n) &= Gr_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty) \\ BO(1) &= \mathbb{R}P^\infty \end{aligned}$$

• $\mathbb{C}W$ -complex structure on $Gr_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty) / Gr_n(\mathbb{C}^\infty)$

Schubert Cells

$$w \in Gr_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty) \quad \mathbb{R}^k = \{(x_1, \dots, x_k, 0, \dots, 0)\}$$

$$W \cap R^1 \subseteq W \cap R^2 \subseteq \dots \subseteq W \cap R^k \subseteq W \cap R^{k+1} \subseteq \dots$$

$$\dim(W \cap \mathbb{R}^{k+1}) \leq \dim(W \cap \mathbb{R}^k) + 1$$

$$W \rightsquigarrow (\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n) \quad 0 \leq \sigma_1 < \dots < \sigma_n \leq n-1 \quad \dim(W \cap \mathbb{R}^{\sigma_i}) = i$$

$\text{Seq}(W)$

$$\dim (W \cap \mathbb{R}^{\sigma(i-1)}) = i-1$$

$$A(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n) = \{w \in \text{Gr}_n^{\infty} \mid \text{seq}(w)_i \leq \sigma_i \forall i\} \longleftarrow \text{will be skeleton of } \text{AG} \text{Gr}_n(\mathbb{R}^{\infty})$$

Orthonormal Basis of W as Row vectors:

for

we ~~are~~ $(A_k - \epsilon_k)$

	ϵ_1	ϵ_2	ϵ_3	ϵ_n	ϵ_0
$x \dots x$	1	0	0	0	0
$x \dots x$	0	1	0	0	0
$x \dots x$	0	0	1	0	0
\vdots					
$x \dots x$	0	0	0	1	0

Guess:

$$\dim A(\sigma_i)$$

$$= (6_1-1) + (6_2-2) + \dots + (6_n-n)$$

But ~~interior~~ $A(\sigma_i)$ needs
to be replaced by interior $B(\sigma_i)$

• ~~Interior~~ $B(\sigma_i) = \{w \mid \text{seq } w|_k = \sigma_i \ \forall i\}$ \longleftarrow cell of $G_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty)$
~~the non-wild above.~~

To each $w \in B(G_i)$, we can associate an orthonormal basis

To each $w \in B(\sigma_i)$, we can associate an $v_i \in \mathbb{R}^{(\text{seq } w)_i}$, $v_i \notin \mathbb{R}^{(\text{seq } w)_i - 1}$, $\text{seq}(v_i) \text{seq } w_i \rightarrow 0$
 v_1, \dots, v_n s.t. $B(\sigma_i) \rightarrow V_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty)$.

This association gives us a continuous map, $B(\sigma_i) \rightarrow V_n(\mathbb{R}^\infty)$.

$B(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n)$ homeomorphic to its image

$$\dim B(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n) = (\sigma_1 - 1) + (\sigma_2 - 2) + \dots + (\sigma_n - n)$$

$$\text{for } G^{\infty} = 2(\sigma_1 - 1) + 2(\sigma_2 - 2) + \dots + 2(\sigma_n - n)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{n} \log^n - \sqrt{n+1} \\ & 1 - n+2 \\ & - n+K \end{aligned} \quad x_1, \dots, x_n$$

$$a_n = b_n - b_{n-1}$$

$$a_2 = b_{n-1} - b_{n-2}$$

$$1 \cdot a_1 + 2 \cdot a_2 + \dots + n a_n$$

$$S^3 \longrightarrow P$$

RP³
 0 1 2 3
 0 1 2 3

$$P(E) \hookrightarrow (B) \twoheadrightarrow B/P(E)$$

$$H(B/P(E)) \longleftrightarrow H(B)$$

6. π = Mapping cylinder

P $G, P(E)$



$$M/P(E) = \mathbb{R}$$

Any vector bundle on \mathbb{P}^1 which is trivial on $\mathbb{P}(E)$ is trivial.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{H} &\rightarrow \text{BSO}(3) \\ S^3 &\rightarrow \text{BSO}(3) \end{aligned}$$

$$S^3 \rightarrow \text{BSO}(3)$$

Steifel-Whitney classes

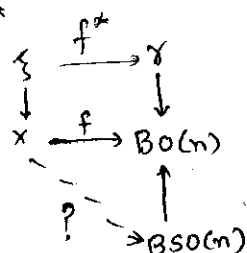
$$\omega(T\mathbb{R}P^n) = (1+x)^{n+1} \quad \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}x = H^1(\mathbb{R}P^n)$$

Open Problem: what is the smallest n_k s.t. $\mathbb{R}P^k$ immerses in \mathbb{R}^{n+k} ?

Immersion \Rightarrow normal bundle $\Rightarrow \nu \quad \omega(\nu) = \frac{1}{(1+x)^{n+1}} = \sum \binom{-n-1}{k} x^k$

Th^m : ξ vector bundle, orientable $\Leftrightarrow \omega_1(\xi) = 0$.

Proof:



$SO(n)$ connected component of $O(n)$

$$\pi_* SO(n) = \begin{cases} \pi_* O(n) & \text{if } * > 0 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\pi_* BSO(n) = \begin{cases} \pi_* O(n) & \text{if } * > 1 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Then $BSO(n)$ is just the universal cover of $B0(n)$

$$\pi_1(BSO(n)) = \pi_1(O(n)) = \mathbb{Z}/2$$

$$p^*: H^*(B0(n); \mathbb{Z}/2) \longrightarrow H^*(BSO(n); \mathbb{Z}/2)$$

For group G ,

$\pi_0 G$ is also a group

$= G / \text{connected component of id.}$

is 0 when $* = 1$?

$$\pi_1(BSO(n)) = 0, H_1(BSO(n)) = 0 \Rightarrow H^1(BSO(n); \mathbb{Z}/2) = 0$$

• if ξ - orientable

$$\Rightarrow \exists \tilde{f}: X \longrightarrow BSO(n)$$

$$\omega_1(\xi) = f^* \omega_1(\gamma) = (f \circ \tilde{f})^* \omega_1(\gamma) = \tilde{f}^* \cdot \underbrace{p^* \omega_1(\gamma)}_0 = 0$$

$$\omega_1(\gamma) \in H^1(B0(n); \mathbb{Z}/2)$$

• if $\omega_1(\xi) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow f^* \omega_1(\gamma) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow f^*: H^1(B0(n)) \longrightarrow H^1(X)$$

0 map

$H^*(B0(n))$ generated by $\omega_1, \omega_2, \dots, \omega_n(\gamma)$.

$$\Rightarrow f: H_1(X) \longrightarrow H_1(B0(n))$$

0 map

$$\Rightarrow f: \pi_1(X) \longrightarrow \pi_1(B0(n))$$

0 map

$\Rightarrow f$ lifts to $BSO(n)$. orientable

Th^m: $M^n - C^\infty$, $M^n \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$ embedded in $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \Rightarrow M^n$ orientable.

Proof:

Normal bundle ν 1-dim

$$TM \oplus \nu = T\mathbb{R}^{n+1} = \text{trivial}$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(TM) \cdot \omega(\nu) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega(TM) = 1 + \omega(\nu) + \omega(\nu)^2 + \dots + \omega(\nu)^n$$

$$\omega_i(TM) = (\omega(\nu))^i = (\omega(TM))^i$$

Prove directly that \exists an outward normal vector field.

Need to use a separation th^m:

M divides \mathbb{R}^n in two parts. \rightarrow Jordan curve for dim n .

for this use Alexander Duality.

Th^m: For all n -odd, Steifel Whitney numbers of $\mathbb{R}P^n$ are 0.

Proof:

$$\omega_i(T\mathbb{R}P^n) = \binom{n+1}{i} x^i$$

$$\omega_1^{i_1} \dots \omega_n^{i_n} = \binom{n+1}{1}^{i_1} \binom{n+1}{2}^{i_2} \dots \binom{n+1}{n}^{i_n} \cdot x^n$$

$$\text{Claim: } 1 \cdot i_1 + 2 \cdot i_2 + \dots + n \cdot i_n = n$$

$$\Rightarrow \binom{n+1}{1}^{i_1} \dots \binom{n+1}{n}^{i_n} = 0 \pmod{2}$$

Steenrod Square

\exists operations $Sq^k: H^n(x) \longrightarrow H^{n+k}(x)$ satisfying

$$1. Sq^k(f^* \omega) = f^* Sq^k(\omega)$$

$$2. Sq^k(\omega) = 0 \quad \text{if } k > |\omega|$$

$$= \omega^2 \quad \text{if } k = |\omega|$$

$$= \omega \quad \text{if } k = 0$$

$$3. Sq^k(\omega \cup \omega) = \sum_{i+j=k} Sq^i(\omega) \cup Sq^j(\omega)$$

$$4. Sq^k(\sum \omega) = \sum Sq^k(\omega) \quad H^n(x) \xrightarrow{\sum} H^{n+k}(\sum x)$$

5. Adem's Relations.

eg: $\Sigma \mathbb{CP}^2$ $S^3 \vee S^5$ both have trivial rings.

$$H^*(\Sigma \mathbb{CP}^2) = \mathbb{Z}\{1, y_3, y_5\} \quad \mathbb{Z}_2 \text{ co-eff.}$$

$$H^*(\mathbb{CP}^2) = \mathbb{Z}\{1, x, x^2\}$$

$$\mathbb{I}y_3 = \Sigma x, \quad \mathbb{I}y_5 = \Sigma x^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad Sq^2(y_3) = Sq^2(\Sigma x) = \Sigma Sq^2(x) = y_5$$

$$H^*(S^3 \vee S^5) = \mathbb{Z}\{1, z_3, z_5\}$$

$$S^3 \vee S^5 \longrightarrow S^3$$

$$H^*(S^3 \vee S^5) \xleftarrow{f} H^*(S^3) \quad \text{injection}$$

$$z_3 \longleftarrow 1$$

$$Sq_2(z_3) = f^*(Sq_2(1)) = 0$$

So Steenrod squares differentiate $\Sigma \mathbb{CP}^2, S^3 \vee S^5$

\mathbb{CP}^2

$$S^3 \xrightarrow{\eta} S^2 \quad \text{hopf map}$$

$[\eta] \in \pi_3(S^2)$ not null homotopic $\because \mathbb{CP}^2 \not\cong S^2 \vee S^4$

$\Sigma \mathbb{CP}^2$

$$S^4 \xrightarrow{\Sigma \eta} S^3$$

$[\Sigma \eta] \in \pi_4(S^3)$ not null homotopic $\because \Sigma \mathbb{CP}^2 \not\cong S^3 \vee S^5$

Q. $[\Sigma \eta^k] \in \pi_{k+3}(S^{k+2})$ not null homotopic.

\mathbb{RP}^∞

$$H^*(\mathbb{RP}^\infty; \mathbb{Z}_2) = \mathbb{Z}_2[x]$$

$$\begin{aligned} Sq^r(x^k) &= Sq^{r-1}(x^{k-1}) Sq^1(x) + Sq^r(x^{k-1}) x \\ &= Sq^{r-1}(x^{k-1}) x^2 + Sq^r(x^{k-1}) x \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Guess: } Sq^k(x^n) = x^{2k}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Sq^{k+1}(x^k) &= Sq^{k-2}(x^{k-1}) x^2 + Sq^{k-1}(x^{k-1}) x \\ &= Sq^{k-3}(x^{k-2}) x^3 + Sq^{k-2}(x^{k-2}) x^3 + Sq^{k-1}(x^{k-1}) x \end{aligned}$$

$$= (k-1) x^{2k}$$

$$Sq^n(x^k) = \binom{k}{n} x^{2k}$$