

LECTURE 12

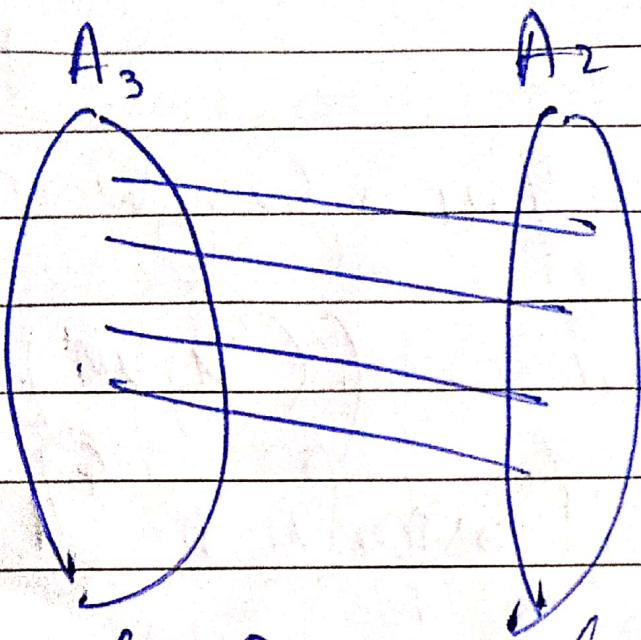
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Consider again, the short exact sequence

$$0 \xrightarrow{\eta_1} A_1 \xrightarrow{\eta_2} A_2 \xrightarrow{\eta_3} A_3 \xrightarrow{\eta_4} 0$$

So,



Maps to some
subset of
 A_2

So $\text{im}(\eta_3)$ is a subspace of A_2

$\text{Ker}(\eta_2)$ is a sub

So, since $\text{Ker}(\eta_2) = \text{im}(\eta_3)$

$$\Rightarrow A_2 / \text{im}(\eta_3) \cong A_2 / \text{ker}(\eta_2)$$

$$\cong \text{im}(\eta_2)$$

We know, $\dim(A_2 / \text{ker}(\eta_2)) = \dim(A_2)$

$$\text{But } \dim(A_2) - \dim(\text{Ker}(\eta_2)) = \dim(\text{im}(\eta_2))$$

$$= \dim(\text{im}(\eta_2))$$

Hence, $\dim(\text{Im}(\eta_2)) = \dim(A_2/\ker(\eta_2))$

$$\Rightarrow A_2/\ker(\eta_2) \cong \text{Im}(\eta_2)$$

& from the previous we know $A_1 = \text{Im}(\eta_1)$

$$\Rightarrow A_2/\ker(\eta_2) \cong \text{Im}(\eta_2) = A_1$$

Hence, $\dim(A_2)/\text{Im}(\eta_3)$

①

$$\dim(A_2) - \dim(\text{Im}(\eta_3)) = \dim(A_1)$$

Since η_3 is injective,

$$\dim(\text{Im}(\eta_3)) = \dim(A_3) \quad \text{--- } ②$$

As everything is mapped to everything

to A_3

Substituting ② in ①

$$\dim(A_2) - \dim(A_3) = \dim(A_1)$$

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Since $\dim(A_2) \geq \dim(A_1) + \dim(A_3)$

Similarly, one can show that if

$A_0 \xrightarrow{\eta} A_3 \xrightarrow{\epsilon} A_2 \rightarrow A_1 \xrightarrow{\gamma} A_0$
is an exact sequence.

$0 \rightarrow \text{coker } \eta \rightarrow A_2 \rightarrow \ker \gamma \rightarrow \dots$

is a short exact sequence where

$$\text{coker } \eta = A_3 / \text{im } (\eta_2)$$

where coker means cokernel of η_2

Chain complex

Recall that C_p is the p -th chain space.

$$\partial_p : C_p \rightarrow C_{p-1}$$

is a vector space homomorphism

The chain complex is a sequence

$$\dots \xrightarrow{\partial_{p+1}} C_p \xrightarrow{\partial_p} C_{p-1} \xrightarrow{\partial_{p-1}} \dots$$
$$\dots C_2 \xrightarrow{\partial_2} C_1 \xrightarrow{\partial_1} C_0 \xrightarrow{\partial_0} \dots$$

chain maps:

Let X & \mathcal{Y} be two chain

$$\dots X_{n+1} \xrightarrow{f_{n+1}} X_n \xrightarrow{f_n} X_{n-1} \xrightarrow{f_{n-1}} \dots$$

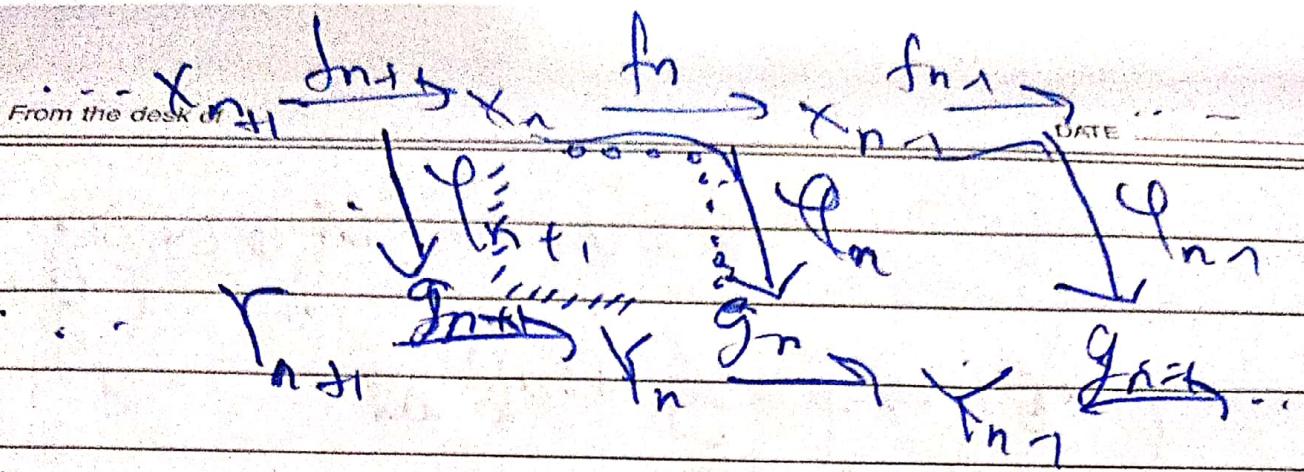
$$\dots Y_{n+1} \xrightarrow{g_{n+1}} Y_n \xrightarrow{g_n} Y_{n-1} \xrightarrow{g_{n-1}} \dots$$

So, we associate these 'chains' to X & \mathcal{Y} .

A chain map $\varphi: X \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ is a sequence of homomorphisms.

$$\varphi: X_n \rightarrow Y_n, n \in \mathbb{Z},$$

s.t. the following diagram commutes



i.e.

$$g_0 \circ l_n = l_{n-1} \circ f_n \quad \text{if } n$$

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claim 1: If $x \in \ker(f_n)$, then

$$l_n(x) \in \ker(g_n) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Proof: Since $x \in \ker(f_n)$

$$f_n(x) = 0$$

Since φ_{n-1} is a homomorphism

$$\varphi_{n-1} \circ f_n(x) = 0$$

& we know - diagram commutes

$$g_n \circ \varphi_n = \varphi_{n-1} \circ f_n(x)$$

$$= 0$$

$$g_n(\varphi_n(x)) = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi_n(x) \in \ker(g_n)$$

Claim 2: If $x \in \text{im}(f_{n+1})$, then

$$(l_n(x) \in \text{im}(g_{n+1})) \quad -\textcircled{2}$$

Proof: $\cdot x \in \text{im}(f_{n+1}) \quad x_{n+1} \xrightarrow{f_{n+1}} x_n$
 $\Rightarrow \exists x' \in X_{n+1} \text{ s.t. } \begin{matrix} x_{n+1} \\ \downarrow f_{n+1} \\ x' \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} x_n \\ \downarrow g_{n+1} \\ x_n \end{matrix}$
 $x = f_{n+1}(x')$

Since diagram commutes

$$l_n(f_{n+1}(x')) = g_{n+1}(l_{n+1}(x'))$$

$$\Rightarrow l_n(x) = g_{n+1}(l_{n+1}(x'))$$

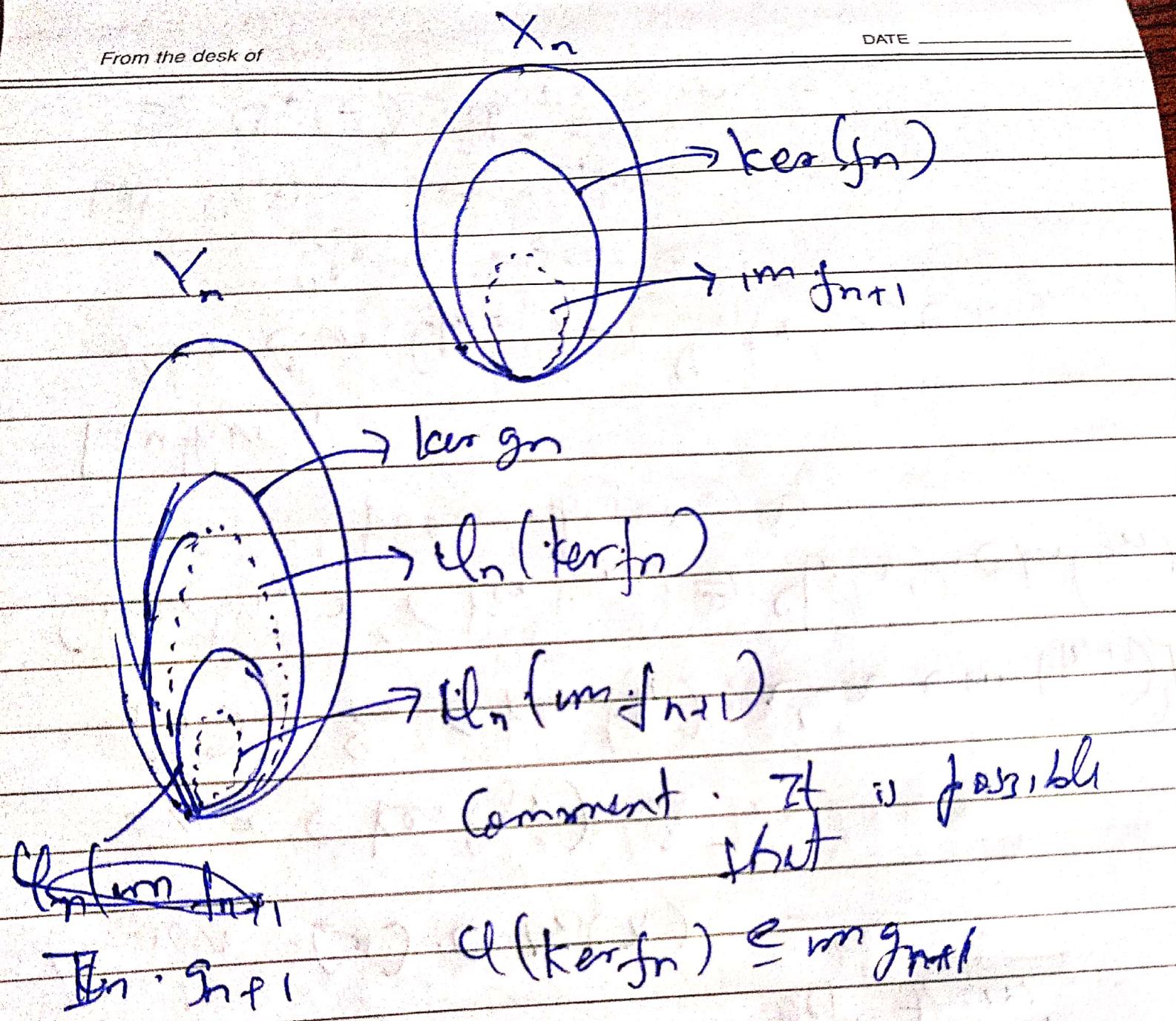
\Rightarrow that is $l_n(x)$ is in image of

g_{n+1}

As usual; since $f^2 \equiv 0$ & $g^2 \equiv 0$,
we have $\text{im } f_{n+1} \subseteq \ker(f_n)$

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Pictorially, we have

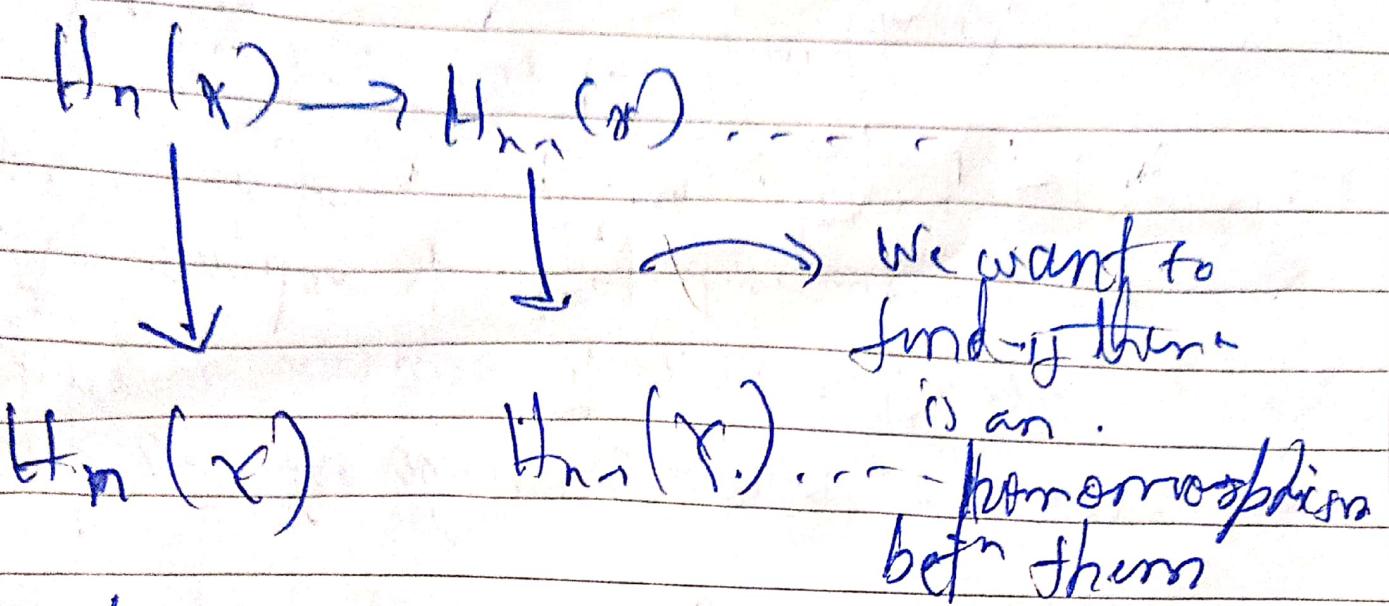


Based on the above discussion, we can define a induced homomorphism. In similar spirit of homology groups from before, we can define,

$$H_n(X) := \ker(f_n) / \text{im}(f_{n+1})$$

$$I H_n(X) := \text{im}(g_n) / \text{im}(g_{n+1})$$

We can do something like this:



Consider $\cdot([x]) \in H_n(X)$

$\Rightarrow x \in \ker(f_n) \text{ &}$

$(x) \rightarrow x' \in \ker(f_n) : x' - x \in \text{im}(f_{n+1})$

Clearly, $x' \in \ker(f_n) \Rightarrow \text{cl}_n(x') \in \ker(g$
(proved before) ①

Further,

$x' - x \in \text{im}(f_{n+1}) \Rightarrow \text{cl}_n(x' - x) \in \text{im}(g_n)$

(from before ②)

but cl_n is a homomorphism

$\Rightarrow \text{cl}_n(x' - x) = \text{cl}_n(x) + \text{cl}_n(-x)$

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Thus if x is in $\ker(g_n)$

then $U_n(x) \sim U_n(x)$

In other words, if

$[x] = [y]$, $y \in \ker(g_n)$: $x \sim y$

$U_n(x) \sim U_n(y)$ are elements of $\ker(g_n)$

so, $U_n(x) - U_n(y) \in \ker(g_{n+1})$

then $U_n([x]) \subseteq [U_n(x)]$.

$\Rightarrow \exists y \in \ker(g_n)$ s.t.
 $y \sim U_n(x)$