

Ref. BO78. Notes on Crystalline Cohomology.

Gro68 Crystals and the De Rham Cohomology of Schemes.

Aim: To define Crystalline cohomology.

- Initially we have  $\ell$ -adic coho:

$X$  is smth + proj + geo connected /  $k = \mathbb{F}_q$   $q = p^r$ ,  $p$  prime.

$\leadsto$  nice invariant:  $H_X(t)$

$\leadsto H_X(t)$ : rational f'n + satisfies first eq'n + "zero"

i.e. Weil conjectures.

Weil: Proof of above properties follows from  $\exists$  of Weil coho-theories.

An example: is when  $\ell \neq p$

$$H^i(X; \mathbb{Q}_\ell) := \varprojlim H^i(X_{\mathbb{F}_q}, \mathbb{Z}/\ell^n \mathbb{Z}) \otimes \mathbb{Q}_\ell.$$

$X_{\mathbb{F}_q} := X_{X/k}$ . We take the étale cohomology on rhs.

- If  $\ell = p$ , the above formula does not give a Weil coho. theory.

- The idea of Groth. of defining a Weil coho. for  $X/k$   $k$  char  $p > 0$ .

1. lift to  $\tilde{X}/W(k)$ .  $W(k)$  ring of Witt vectors of  $k$ .

2. Take de Rham coho of  $\tilde{X}/W(k)$ .

- Gro68.4. Introduced two sites. Infinitesimal site + Stratified site.

4.1. Gro68. let  $X \in \text{Schs}$ . Define  $\text{Inf}(X/S)$ .

Objects: nilpotent  $S$ -immersions.  $U \hookrightarrow T$ .

where  $U \hookrightarrow_{\text{op}} X$ . (Zariski open).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T & \xleftarrow{\alpha} & U \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{op} \\ S & \xleftarrow{\beta} & X \end{array} \quad \text{denoted by } (U, T).$$

morphisms:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U & \hookrightarrow & T \\ \text{incl.} \downarrow & & \downarrow \alpha \\ U & \hookrightarrow & T' \end{array}$$

Covering:  $(U_i, T_i) \rightarrow (U, T)$ . st.  $T_i \rightarrow T$  Zariski open.  
 $\bigcup T_i = T$ .

- $\text{Inf Topos} = \text{shv}(\text{Inf}(X/S))$

$\leadsto$  means "this gives".

$\rightarrow$  N. Can't lift it globally.

De Rham: absolute de Rham coho.

$$H_{\text{dR}}^i(X/S) := R\Gamma^i(X, \Omega_{X/S}^{\bullet}).$$

$\uparrow$   
cplx in  $D^+(\mathcal{O}_X)$ .

Note:  $\text{Mod } \mathcal{O}_X$  has enough injectives.

Defn:  $U \hookrightarrow T$  is nilpotent imm.

if  $U \hookrightarrow T$  is closed immersion

+ (recall closed means  $\ker \gamma$   
qc. of ideals on  $T$ )

the corresponding ideal sheaf  $\mathcal{I}$  is nilpotent.

- This implies  $|U| = |T|$  as topological spaces.

Ex:  $\text{Spec } \frac{k[x]}{x^n} \hookrightarrow \text{Spec } \frac{k[x]}{x^2}$ .

- obj:  $\{ F_{(U,T)} \in \text{Sh}_{\text{Zar}}(T) \}_{(U,T) \in \text{Inf}(X/S)}$   
 $+ \{ \rho_U: u^* F_{(U',T')} \rightarrow F_{(U,T)} \}_{u: (U',T') \rightarrow (U,T)}$

+ some compatibility,

An important example:

$$\mathcal{O}_{X/S}: (U,T) \mapsto \mathcal{O}_T.$$

"Structure sheaf" of inf. site of  $X/S$ .

Thm 4.1. Gro G.8. if  $S$  is sch of char 0.  $X/S$  smooth then.

$$H^i((X/S)_{\text{inf}}, \mathcal{O}_{X/S}) \simeq H^i_{\text{dR}}(X/S) \simeq R^i \Gamma(X, \Omega^*_{X/S}).$$

N: nilpotent thickening comp differentials.

5.3 Gro G.8. If  $X/S$   $S_0 \hookrightarrow S$  is nilpotent thickening. (372 SP)

$$X_0 := X \times_S S_0.$$

$$H^i((X/S)_{\text{inf}}, \mathcal{O}_{X/S}) \simeq H^i((X_0/S)_{\text{inf}}, \mathcal{O}_{X_0/S}) \quad (\text{p340 Gro G.8}).$$

$$\therefore 4.1 + 5.3 \Rightarrow H^i_{\text{dR}}(X/S) \simeq H^i((X_0/S)_{\text{inf}}, \mathcal{O}_{X_0/S}). \quad \text{if } S \text{ is of char 0.}$$

• Let us suppose we have a lift of  $X_0$  to  $X/W(k)$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} X_0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X_n & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{Spec } k & \searrow & \text{Spec } (W_n(k)) = S_n & \searrow & \text{Spec } (W(k)) = S \end{array}$$

•  $X/S$  is smooth + proper.

$$\text{lem: } R^i \Gamma(X, \Omega^*_{X/S}) \simeq \varprojlim R^i \Gamma(X_n, \Omega^*_{X_n/S_n}).$$

$$\text{Also if: } \text{A1. } H^i_{\text{inf}}(X_n/W_n, \mathcal{O}_{X_n}) \simeq H^i_{\text{inf}}(X_0/W_n, \mathcal{O}_{X_0})$$

$$\text{A2. } H^i_{\text{inf}}(X_n/W_n, \mathcal{O}_{X_n}) \simeq R^i \Gamma(X_n, \Omega^*_{X_n/W_n}).$$

Holds then,

$$H^i_{\text{dR}}(X/S) = R^i \Gamma(X, \Omega^*_{X/S}) \simeq \varprojlim H^i_{\text{inf}}(X_0/W_n, \mathcal{O}_{X_0}).$$

A. holds by const'n.

B. does not hold. This holds  $\Leftarrow$  Poincaré lemma which requires  $\frac{d^2}{dx^2}$ . Ex: consider  $\text{Inf}(X/S)$  ( $U \hookrightarrow T$ )

•  $S$  is char 0  $\Rightarrow S \rightarrow \text{Spec } k$ .

• if  $e$  is a site. ( $\text{Inf}(X/S)$ .)  
 $f_e \in \text{PSh}(e)$ .

$$\Gamma(e, f_e) := \text{Hom}_{\text{PSh}(e)}(e, f_e).$$

where  $e$  is a terminal obj in  $\text{PSh}(e)$ .

$$H^i(e, f_e) := R^i \Gamma(e, f_e).$$

• Apply defn to  $e = \text{Inf}(X/S)$   
 $f_e = \mathcal{O}_{X/S}$ .

2.2 SP.

1.12 B078.

• Don't know why.

which are equipped with a PD str.

### Divided Powers 3. B078.

- $A \in \text{CAlg}$   $I \triangleleft A$ .
- A PD str. on  $I$  is a family of maps.

$$\gamma_n: I \rightarrow I \quad \forall n \geq 1, \text{ st.}$$

$$0. \gamma_0(x) = 1.$$

$$1. \gamma_1(x) = x. \quad \forall x \in I.$$

$$2. x, y \in I, \gamma_n(x+y) = \sum_{i+j=n} \gamma_i(x) \gamma_j(y).$$

$$3. \text{ For } \lambda \in A, x \in I, \gamma_n(\lambda x) = \lambda^n \gamma_n(x).$$

$$4. \text{ For } x \in I, \gamma_i(x) \gamma_j(x) = \binom{i+j}{i} \gamma_{i+j}(x)$$

$$5. \gamma_p(\gamma_q(x)) = C_{p,q}(x) \gamma_{pq}(x). \quad C_{p,q} := \frac{(pq)!}{p!(q!)^p}.$$

Ex: If  $A$  is  $\mathbb{Q}$ -alg. Every ideal  $I \triangleleft A$  has a unique PD str.

Pf: It's defn  $\Rightarrow n! \gamma_n(x) = x^n$ .

$\therefore \gamma_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{n!}$ . Check axioms are satisfied.  $\square$ .

3.2.3 B078. •  $V$  is div of mix chr  $p > 0$

• uniform  $\pi$ . Supra  $p = n\pi^e$ .

•  $(\pi)$  has a PD str iff  $e \leq p-1$ .

Now  $pW(k) \leq W(k)$  has a PD str.

3.5 B078. If  $(A, I, \gamma)$  is a PD-ring.  $J \triangleleft A$ .

Then is a PD str. on  $\bar{I} = I(A/J)$  st.

$(A, I, \gamma) \rightarrow (A/J, \bar{I}, \bar{\gamma})$  is a PD-morphism.

iff  $J \cap I \subseteq I$  is a sub PD ideal.

3.14. B078 If  $(A, I, \gamma)$  is a PD ring.

$B$  is an  $A$ -alg. We say  $\gamma$ -extends

$(A, I, \gamma) \rightarrow (B, IB, \bar{\gamma})$  is a PD-morphism.

wh  $(B, IB, \bar{\gamma})$  is a PD-ring.

Remark: The extension is unique if  $\exists$ .

Pf: Use condition 2+3.  $\bar{\gamma}_* (\sum x_i y_i) = \sum \prod k_i \gamma_*(x_i)$ .

from requirement of PD-morphism.

$\square$ .

Various conditions that allows extensions: eg if  $I$  is principal

3.15. B078.

$$\text{Modly } \gamma_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

$W(k)$  chr 0. is perfect

chr  $p$ .

Defn A PD-epi.

$$(A, I, \gamma) \rightarrow (A', I', \gamma').$$

•  $\varphi: A \rightarrow A'$  ring homo.

$$I \xrightarrow{\varphi} I'$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & I' \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ A & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & A' \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & I' \\ \gamma_n \downarrow & & \downarrow \gamma'_n \\ I & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & I' \end{array} \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

Defn A  $(A, I, \gamma)$

$J \subseteq I$  is a sub PD ideal

if  $\gamma_*(x) \in J \quad \forall x \in J \text{ i.e. } \mathbb{N}$

Globalizing the notions. 59.7.1.

- If  $(C, \mathcal{C})$  is a site.
- $\mathcal{O} \in \text{Shv}_{\mathcal{C}}(\mathcal{C})$  is a ring obj.
- $\mathcal{Y} \subset \mathcal{O}$  is an ideal shf.
- A PD str. on  $\mathcal{Y}$  is given by  $\gamma_n: \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$  s.t.  $\forall u \in \mathcal{C}$ .  
 $(\mathcal{O}(u), \mathcal{Y}(u), \gamma)$  is a PD-ring.
- A morphism between such PD-topos.  
 $(f, f^*) : (\text{Sh}(\mathcal{C}), \mathcal{Y}, \mathcal{O}) \rightarrow (\text{Sh}(\mathcal{C}'), \mathcal{Y}', \mathcal{O}')$   
 as simply as a morphism of PD-rings.

59.7.2. A PD-sch. is  $(S, \mathcal{Y})$ .

- See the small Zariski site.
- Require  $\mathcal{Y}$  to be a qc. shf.

5. B078. The crystalline topos.

- Let  $(S, \mathcal{Y})$  be a PD-sch.
- $X$  is a  $S$ -sch. extends  $\mathcal{Y}$   
 (ring defn of PD exactly)
- We will require that all schs are locally nilpotent.  
 i.e.  $p\mathcal{O}$  is locally nilpotent.

$\text{Cris}(X/S) := \text{obj } (U \xrightarrow{\alpha} T, S) \quad U \xrightarrow{\text{Zariski open}} X$

- $U \hookrightarrow Y$  qc. of ideal.
- Require a PD-structure on  $Y$ .  
 i.e. data. of PD-sch.  $(T, \mathcal{Y}, S)$

Summary.

- obj:
- $U \xrightarrow{\text{Zariski open}} X$
  - $(U \xrightarrow{\alpha} T, S)$   
 closed immersion over  $S$ .
  - $(T, \mathcal{Y}, S)$  PD str on  $\mathcal{Y}$ ,  $\mathcal{Y}$  is qc shf compatible to  $U \hookrightarrow T$ .

7.16. B078.

$(A, \mathcal{Y}, \eta) \in \text{PD-ang.}$   $B$  is an  $A$ -alg.

$(\mathcal{Y}, S) \rightarrow$  a PD-ideal of  $B$ .

If  $\mathcal{Y}$  extends to  $B$

$\Rightarrow (B, \mathcal{Y}, \eta)$  on  $B$ .

Then we say PD-str are compatible

if  $\bar{\mathcal{Y}} = S$  on  $\mathcal{Y} \cap IB$ .

• Errata: replace  $T$  by  $U$  below.

Important:  $T_U$  has two PD-str.

has induced PD-str from  $U \hookrightarrow X$

1.  $U \xrightarrow{\alpha} T \rightarrow S$ . This induces a PD-str on  $T$ .

2. has PD str.  $(T, \mathcal{Y}, S)$  from closed immersion.  
 require these two to be compatible.

• obj:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & U \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{open} \\ S & \longleftarrow & X \end{array}$$

23.2.6 SP.

• As a consequence of locally nilpotent can show  $U \hookrightarrow T$  is nil immersion.  
 threys, 37.2 SP.

nil immersion: the  $\mathcal{Y}$  qc shf

defining  $\mathcal{Y}$  is nil-ideal.

$\mathcal{Y}$  nil-ideal  $\Rightarrow \mathcal{Y}(u)$  nil-ideal.  
 Is  $A$  nil iff  $\forall x \in A$  s.t.  $x^n = 0$ .  
 is nil.

$$X \hookrightarrow X'$$

d.m.

(y)

$$s.t. |X| \cong |X'|$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \mathcal{Y} \text{ is nil-ideal.}$$

• Covering family:  $\{u_i: T_i \rightarrow T\}$ , s.t.

•  $T_i \hookrightarrow T$  Zariski open.

•  $T = \bigcup T_i$ .

$$\text{Shv}(\text{Cris}(X/S)).$$

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• Similar to inf-site. we can describe sheaves on  $F \in (X/S)_{\text{cris}}$

•  $\{F_T \in \text{Shv}_{\text{Zar}}(T) \mid (u, T, s) \in \text{Cris}(X/S)$

+ morphisms + compatibly.

Pf: Zariski shf: given as  $(u, T, s)$

Each Zariski open  $T' \hookrightarrow T$ .

• let  $u' := u|_{T'}$ ,  $s' := s|_{T'}$ .

PD-sch.  $(u', T', s') \hookrightarrow (u, T, s)$ ,  $\mapsto F(T) \rightarrow F(T')$ .

$\therefore$  Assignment.  $T' \mapsto F(T')$  is a shf on Zariski top of  $T$ .  $\square$ .

In partial we have the str. shf  $\mathcal{O}_{X/S}$  on  $\text{Cris}(X/S)$

$$\mathcal{O}_{X/S}: (u, T, s) \mapsto \mathcal{O}_T.$$

• define coho:  $H^i((X/S)_{\text{cris}}, \mathcal{O}_{X/S})$

(as  $R^i\Gamma(e, \mathcal{O}_{X/S})$ ).

$W_n :=$  Witt vectors of length  $n$ .

•  $H^i(X/W(k)) := \varprojlim H^i((X/W_n)_{\text{cris}}, \mathcal{O}_{X/W_n})$ .

in our case of interest. people refer this as **crystalline coho.**