

MATH 695

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Ordinary homology and cohomology have a strong relationship between them.

$$H^m(X; G) \neq \text{Hom}(H_m(X; \mathbb{Z}), G)$$

$$H_m(X; G) \neq H_m(X; \mathbb{Z}) \otimes G$$

in general (although sometimes yes).

Example: $H_m(\mathbb{R}P^k; \mathbb{Z})$ using cell homology:

$$H_m(\mathbb{Z}) \dots \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z}$$

0

dim: k

$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \mathbb{Z} & \rightarrow & \mathbb{Z} & \rightarrow & \mathbb{Z} & \rightarrow & \mathbb{Z} \dots \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z} \\ & & \mathbb{Z} & \xrightarrow{2} & \mathbb{Z} & & \\ \text{Homology: } h & 0 & \mathbb{Z}/2 & \dots & 0 & \mathbb{Z}/2 & 0 & \mathbb{Z}/2 & \mathbb{Z} \\ & \text{even} & \mathbb{Z} & \xrightarrow{0} & \mathbb{Z} & & \\ & h & \mathbb{Z} & & 0 & & \\ & \text{odd} & & & & & \end{array}$	$H_n(\mathbb{R}P^k; \mathbb{Z})$ $= \mathbb{Z} \text{ if } n=0 \text{ or } n=k \text{ odd}$ $\mathbb{Z}/2 \text{ if } 0 < n < k \text{ odd}$ 0 else
$\otimes \mathbb{Z}/2 \quad \mathbb{Z}/2 \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z}/2 \xrightarrow{0} \dots \mathbb{Z}/2 \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z}/2$	$\mathbb{Z}/2 \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z}/2 \xrightarrow{0} \mathbb{Z}/2$

$0 \text{ if } h \text{ odd}$
 $2^k \text{ if } h \text{ even}$
 $\mathbb{Z} \leftarrow \mathbb{Z} \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}$

$$H^n(\mathbb{R}P^k; \mathbb{Z}/2) \cong H_n(\mathbb{R}P^k; \mathbb{Z}/2) =$$

$$\mathbb{Z}/2 \text{ if } 0 \leq n \leq k$$

$$0 \text{ else}$$

$$H^n(\mathbb{R}P^k; \mathbb{Z}) = \mathbb{Z} \text{ if } n=0 \text{ or } n=k \text{ odd}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}/2 \text{ if } 0 < n \leq k \text{ even}$$

$$0 \text{ else}$$

All the information is in the chain complex (with coeffs. in \mathbb{Z}).

$C(X) \leftarrow$ chain c. of free abelian groups.

Given a chain c. of free abelian groups:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & d & & d & & \\
 \rightarrow & C_n & \rightarrow & C_{n-1} & \rightarrow & C_{n-2} & \rightarrow \dots \\
 \uparrow \cong & \uparrow \cong & & \uparrow \cong & & \uparrow \cong & \\
 & Z_n & & Z_{n-1} & & Z_{n-2} & \\
 \oplus & \xrightarrow{\cong} & \oplus & \xrightarrow{\subseteq} & \oplus & & \\
 B_{n-1} & & B_{n-2} & & B_{n-3} & &
 \end{array}$$

... (The diagram shows the relationship between the chain complex and the homology groups Z_n and B_n . The groups Z_n and B_n are circled in red in the original image.)

$$\begin{cases}
 Z_n = \text{Ker}(d: C_n \rightarrow C_{n-1}) \\
 B_n = \text{Im}(d: C_{n+1} \rightarrow C_n)
 \end{cases}$$

$$0 \rightarrow Z_n \rightarrow C_n \xrightarrow{d} C_{n-1} \rightarrow B_{n-1} \rightarrow 0$$

a subgroup of a free abelian group is free abelian
(works for R -modules
 $R = \text{PID}$)

Let H be any abelian group. Then we have a short exact sequence:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & B & \xrightarrow{i} & Z & \rightarrow & H \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ & & \text{free} & & \text{free abelian} & & \\ & & \text{abelian} & & & & \end{array}$$

Consider the 2-stage chain
 \mathcal{C} :

$$\mathcal{C} : \dots 0 \rightarrow B \xrightarrow{i} Z \rightarrow 0 \dots$$

deg: 1 0

Proposition: Suppose $C = (\dots \rightarrow C_n \xrightarrow{d} C_{n-1} \xrightarrow{d} \dots)$ is a chain complex of free abelian groups, $H_n = H_n C$. Then

$$C \cong \bigoplus_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathcal{C}_n[n]$$

□

(Funny point about the notation: \mathcal{C} is not determined up to \cong by H .)

↑ should we be doing
homotopy theory of chain
complexes?

For the chain complex \mathcal{X} , and an abelian group G , I can consider the chain complex $\mathcal{X} \otimes G$ and its homology:

$$\cdots \quad 0 \quad B \otimes G \xrightarrow{i \otimes G} Z \otimes G \quad 0 \quad \cdots$$

$$\uparrow \quad \quad \quad \uparrow$$

$$Z \otimes G / \text{Im } i \otimes G \cong Z/B \otimes G \cong H \otimes G.$$

$$\text{Ker}(i \otimes G) =: \text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}(H, G),$$

homology of $\text{Hom}(\mathcal{X}, G)$:

$$0 \quad \text{Hom}(B, G) \xleftarrow{\text{Hom}(i, G)} \text{Hom}(Z, G) \quad 0$$

$$\text{Hom}(B, G) / \text{Im}(\text{Hom}(\cdot, G)) =: \text{Ext}_2^1(H, G)$$

"we don't know the answer so let's give it a name!"

$$\text{Tor}_0^{\mathbb{Z}}(H, G)$$

$$\text{Hom}(H, G)$$

\otimes , $\text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}$ commute with \oplus

Hom , Ext_R^1 take \oplus in first variable to Π .
(direct sum of 2 still preserved).

(HW) (2) Compute $\text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}(H, G)$, $\text{Ext}_R^1(H, G)$ where H, G are cyclic (\mathbb{Z} or \mathbb{Z}/n).

Independence of the choice of \mathcal{H} ?

\Downarrow
homotopy theory of chain complexes.

Theorem: Let X be a space. Universal coefficient theorem

$$H_n(X; G) \cong H_n(X; \mathbb{Z}) \otimes G \oplus \text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}(H_{n-1}(X; \mathbb{Z}), G)$$

$$H^n(X; G) \cong \text{Hom}(H_n(X; \mathbb{Z}), G) \oplus \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(H_{n-1}(X; \mathbb{Z}), G)$$

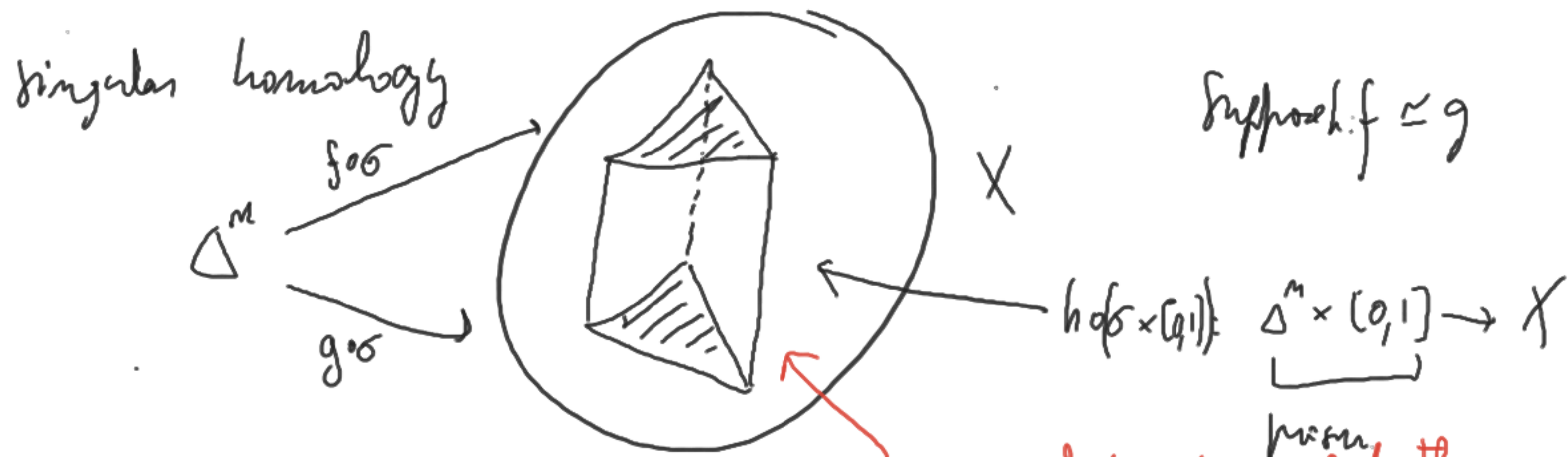
Proof: First summand: $H_0(\mathcal{X}_n \otimes G) = H_n(\mathcal{X}_n[\wedge] \otimes G)$

$$\text{Second summand: } H_1(\mathcal{X}_{n-1} \otimes G) = H_n(\mathcal{X}_{n-1}[\wedge] \otimes G) \\ \cong \text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}(H_{n-1}, G).$$

Similarly for cohomology. \square

Note: \oplus depends on choice of splitting \Rightarrow not natural.

Proving the homotopy axiom for singular homology involves introducing chain homotopy and proving that chain-homotopic chain maps induce the same homomorphism in homology.



you need to triangulate the prism

Assume also:

maps f, g are $\rightarrow f_{\#} - g_{\#} = dh_{\#} + h_{\#}d$

Definition: If $f, g: C \rightarrow D$ are chain maps then
a chain homotopy between them is a sequence of homomorphisms

$$h = (h_n: C_n \rightarrow D_{n+1})$$

so that

$$f - g = dh + hd$$

$$f_n - g_n = dh_n + h_{n-1}d.$$