

MATH 695

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$$CX : \dots \xrightarrow{d} C_n X \xrightarrow{d} C_{n-1} X \xrightarrow{d} \dots \quad \text{chain cx.}$$

X space

$$d\sigma = \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i (\sigma \circ \partial_i)$$

$$C_n X = \{ \sigma : \Delta^n \rightarrow X \} \quad \partial_i : \Delta^{n-1} \rightarrow \Delta^n$$

$$C(X; A) : \xrightarrow[d_{n+1}]{} C_n X \otimes A \xrightarrow[d_n]{} C_{n-1} X \otimes A$$

A ab. group

$$C_n(X; A) \cong A \{ \sigma : \Delta^n \rightarrow A \}$$

$C(X), C(X; A)$ chain cels

$$H_n(X; A) \approx H_n C(X; A) = \text{Ker } d_n / \text{Im } d_{n+1}$$

↑ singular homology

$$C^*(X; A) : \dots \leftarrow \text{Hom}(C_n X; A) \xleftarrow{d^n} \text{Hom}(C_n X; A) \leftarrow \dots$$

$\underbrace{\text{Hom}(C_n X; A)}_{\text{Map}(\{\sigma: \Delta^n \rightarrow X\}, A)}$
 $= A^{\{\sigma: \Delta^n \rightarrow X\}}$

$c: \{\sigma: \Delta^n \rightarrow X\} \rightarrow A$

$$(d^n c)(\tau: \Delta^{n+1} \rightarrow X) = c(d_n \bar{\tau}) =$$

$$= c \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n+1} (-1)^i \tau \circ \partial_i \right) = \sum_{i=0}^{n+1} (-1)^i c(\tau \circ \partial_i)$$

$\mathcal{C} = \text{Chain}$ = category of chain complexes
objects

Morphisms = chain maps

$$C = (\rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow C_n \xrightarrow{d} C_{n-1} \rightarrow \cdots)$$

$$D = (\rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow D_n \xrightarrow{d} D_{n-1} \rightarrow \cdots)$$

A chain map $f: C \rightarrow D$: For every $n \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $f_n (= f) : C_n \rightarrow D_n$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_n & \xrightarrow{f_n} & D_n \\ d \downarrow & & \downarrow d \\ C_{n-1} & \xrightarrow{f_{n-1}} & D_{n-1} \end{array} \quad \text{commutes.}$$

If R is, say, a commutative ring, we have analogously a category R -chain of chain complexes

of R -modules and chain maps of R -modules.

Similarly, we have R -cochain where the
an equivalent category
to R -chain

differentials go up.

commutative
diag

$H_n : \mathbb{Z}\text{-chain} \rightarrow Ab$

$R\text{-chain} \rightarrow R\text{-Mod}$

$R\text{-Modules}$

$H^n : \mathcal{U}\text{-Cochain} \rightarrow Ab$
(continuity R_1)

covariant
(not contravariant)

$$\text{Top}^0 \xrightarrow{C^*(L;A)} \mathcal{U}\text{-Cochain} \xrightarrow{H^n} Ab$$

(Co) ^{singular} homology \rightarrow computable

Eilenberg - Steenrod axioms

(Co) Chain complex of modules

Pair
↑
category

Objects = pairs (X, Y) of spaces
where $Y \subseteq X$

↑
subspace
topology

Morphisms $(X, Y) \rightarrow (X', Y') = f: X \rightarrow X'$

(Think of X/Y , continuous, $f(Y) \subseteq Y'$)

↑
quotient topology

This is not always well behaved.

\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Q} .)

↑
quotient topological space

Define for a pair (X, Y)

$$C(X, Y) := \underbrace{C(X) / C(Y)}_{\text{chain complexes}}$$

$D \subseteq C$

chain map which is an inclusion $D_n \subseteq C_n$

induced d_n

Define $C/D : \rightarrow C_n/D_n \rightarrow C_{n-1}/D_{n-1}$

HW: 4 Suppose $S \subseteq T$ is an inclusion of sets.

Prove that $\mathbb{Z}(T \setminus S) \cong \mathbb{Z}T / \mathbb{Z}S$.

For a pair (X, Y) , $C(X, Y)$ is a chain complex of free abelian groups. (Meaning each $C_n(X, Y)$ is a free abelian group.)

$$C(X, Y; A) := C(X, Y) \otimes A = (\cdots \rightarrow C_n(X, Y) \otimes A \rightarrow \cdots)$$

$$C^*(X, Y; A) := \text{Hom}(C(X, Y), A) = (\cdots \leftarrow \text{Hom}(C_n(X, Y), A) \leftarrow \cdots)$$

$$H_n(X, Y; A) := H_n(C(X, Y; A)) \quad \text{Pair} \rightarrow \text{Ab}$$

$$H^n(X, Y; A) := H^n(C^*(X, Y; A)) \quad \text{Pair}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Ab}.$$

Exact sequence

$$\rightarrow \dots \xrightarrow{d_{n+1}} A_n \xrightarrow{d_n} A_{n-1} \rightarrow \dots \quad \ker d_n = \text{Im } d_{n+1}$$

(like a chain complex with homology 0,
not necessarily indexed over \mathbb{Z} . When it ends,
where it ends, no condition).

Short exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow 0$$

$\begin{array}{ccc} & \nearrow & \nwarrow \\ & \cong & \text{onto} \\ & C = B/A & \end{array}$

A key point of homological algebra:

If $0 \rightarrow C' \xrightarrow{i} C \xrightarrow{j} C'' \rightarrow 0$

\Rightarrow a short exact sequence of chain complexes
(i.e. $C'' = C/C'$)

Then we get a long exact sequence in homology:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \cdots & \rightarrow & H_n C' & \xrightarrow{\quad i'_\# \quad} & H_n C & \xrightarrow{\quad j'_\# \quad} & H_n C'' \\
 & & \downarrow i'_\# & & \downarrow j'_\# & & \downarrow i''_\# \\
 & & H_n(i') & & H_n(j') & & H_n(i'')
 \end{array}$$

\nearrow

connecting map,
 natural in pairs of chain
 complexes $C' \subseteq C$.

Main point (constructing ∂):

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 0 \rightarrow & C_n' & \rightarrow & C_{n-1} & \rightarrow & C_{n-1}'' & \rightarrow 0 \\
 & \downarrow d & & \downarrow d & & \downarrow d & \\
 0 \rightarrow & C_{n-1}' & \rightarrow & C_{n-1} & \rightarrow & C_{n-1}'' & \rightarrow 0 \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow &
 \end{array}$$

...



Terminology:

cycle & Ker d

Boundary \in Im d

Eilenberg - Steenrod axioms

① Functoriality : $H_n(?, A) : \text{Top} \rightarrow \text{Ab}$
 $\text{Pair} \rightarrow \text{Ab}$

$H^n(?, A) : \text{Top}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Ab}$
 $\text{Pair}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Ab}$

② Homotopy : $f, g : X \rightarrow X'$
 $f \underset{\sim}{\simeq} g \iff h : X \times [0, 1] \rightarrow X' \mid \text{for path } (X, \gamma) \sim (X', \gamma)$

homotopy

$$\begin{array}{l} h(x, 0) = f(x) \\ h(x, 1) = g(x) \end{array} \quad \left| \quad \begin{array}{l} h(y, t) \in Y \\ y \in X \end{array} \right.$$

Homotopic maps induce the same maps in homology and cohomology.

$$f \simeq g \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{array}{ccc} f_* & = & g_* \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ H_n f & & H_n g \end{array} : H_n(X; A) \rightarrow H_n(Y; A)$$

conversely
for pairs

$$H^n f = f^* = g^* = H^n g : H^n(Y; A) \rightarrow H^n(X; A).$$

③ Exactness axiom: For a pair

$$(X, Y)$$

$$Y \subseteq X$$

we have a natural long exact sequence

$$\cdots \rightarrow H_n(Y; A) \xrightarrow{\subseteq_*} H_n(X; A) \xrightarrow{\subseteq_*} H_n(X, Y; A) \rightarrow \cdots$$

$$\cdots \rightarrow H_{n-1}(Y; A) \rightarrow \cdots$$

$$\cdots \rightarrow H^n(X, Y; A) \xrightarrow{\subseteq^*} H^n(X; A) \rightarrow H^n(Y; A) \xrightarrow{\delta} H^{n+1}(X, Y; A) \rightarrow \cdots$$

④ Excision axiom : $Z \subset Y \subset X$

$$\text{Closure}_X(Z) \subseteq \text{Interior}_X(Y)$$

Then the inclusion of pairs

$$(X \setminus Z, Y \setminus Z) \subseteq (X, Y)$$

induces \cong in (co)homology

$$H_n(X \setminus Z, Y \setminus Z; A) \xrightarrow{\cong} H_n(X, Y; A)$$

$$H^n(X, Y; A) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^n(X \setminus Z, Y \setminus Z; A)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{5} \quad H_n(\ast; A) &= A & n=0 \\ &= H_n(\ast, A) & 0 \quad \text{else} \end{aligned}$$

$\ast =$ single point.

$\textcircled{\text{HW}}$ (ungraded): Read the proofs of the homotopy and excision theorems on the course webpage.