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**Part I**

**Set theory**



# Chapter 1

## Set theory

**Definition 1.0.1.**  $\{A_i\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(X)$ ,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a map.  $f$  **separates**  $A_i$  if  $\bigcap_i f(A_i) = \emptyset$ .  $f$  **completely separates**  $A_i$  if  $f(A_i) = f(a_i)$  for some distinct  $a_i \in A_i$ .  $f$  **perfectly separates**  $A, B$  if  $A_i = f^{-1}(a_i)$  for some  $a_i \in A_i$

Zorn's lemma

**Lemma 1.0.2** (Zorn's lemma).  $P$  is a nonempty poset and every chain has an upper bound, then  $P$  contains a maximal element

**Theorem 1.0.3** (Schröder–Bernstein theorem).  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$  and  $B \xrightarrow{g} A$  are injective, then there exists  $A \xrightarrow{h} B$  bijective

Inclusion-exclusion principle

**Theorem 1.0.4** (Inclusion-exclusion principle).  $A_1, \dots, A_n \subseteq S$  are of finite cardinality, then

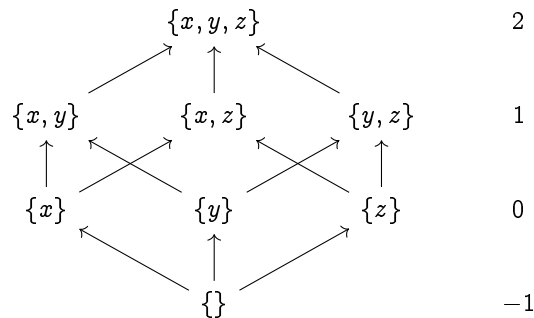
$$\left| \bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i \right| = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k+1} \sum_{i_1 < \dots < i_k} |A_{i_1} \cap \dots \cap A_{i_k}|$$

**Definition 1.0.5.** A **lattice** is a partially ordered set in which the supremum and infimum of any two elements exists uniquely

**Lemma 1.0.6.** Trees are bipartite

*Proof.* Take some  $v \in T$  as the root, and label the nodes that are even distance away from 2 and odd distance away from 1 □

**Definition 1.0.7.** A **Hasse diagram** is a mathematical diagram used to represent a partially ordered set





## Chapter 2

# Graph theory

### 2.1 Graph

**Definition 2.1.1.** A **complete graph**  $K_n$  consists of  $n$  vertices and all possible edges **Com-**

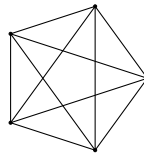


Figure 2.1.1:  $K_5$

$K_5$  complete graph

**plete bipartite** graphs are  $K_{n,m}$  with  $n, m$  vertices on each side and all possible edges between them

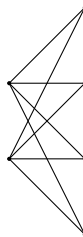


Figure 2.1.2:  $K_{2,4}$

$K_{2,4}$  complete bipartite graph

**Definition 2.1.2.**  $G$  is  $k$  vertex connected if  $G$  has more than  $k$  vertices and remain connected when removing less than  $k$  vertices

**Proposition 2.1.3.** Every convex polytope can be represented by a 3 vertex connected planar graph

**Remark 2.1.4.** A graph embedded in the plane through different ways may have different dual graphs However, if the graph is 3 vertex connected, then the dual graph will be canonical

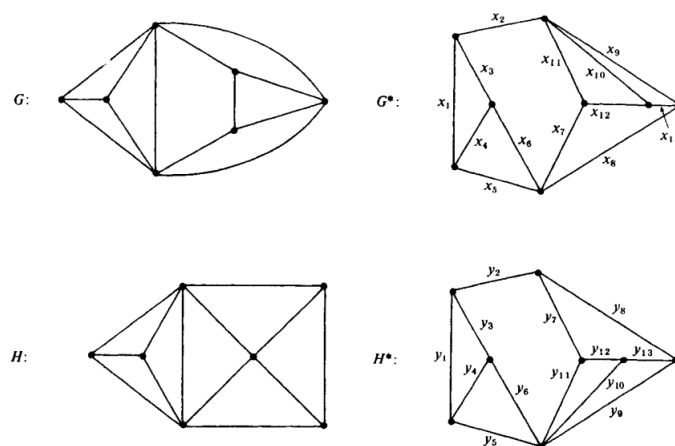


Figure 2.1.3: Different dual graphs for different planar embeddings of the same graph

**Part II**

**Abstract Algebra**





# Chapter 3

## Category

### 3.1 Category

**Definition 3.1.1.** A **category**  $\mathcal{C}$  consists of  $\text{ob}\mathcal{C}$  class of **objects** and  $\text{Hom}\mathcal{C}$  class of **morphisms**, composition  $\circ : \text{Hom}(A, B) \times \text{Hom}(B, C) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, C)$ ,  $(h \circ g) \circ f = h \circ (g \circ f)$ ,  $\text{Hom}(A, A)$  contains **identity**  $1_A$  such that  $1_A f = f$ ,  $g 1_A = g$

Identity  $1_A$  is unique since  $1'_A = 1_A \circ 1_A = 1_A$ .  $g \in \text{Hom}(B, A)$  is the **inverse** of  $f \in \text{Hom}(A, B)$  if  $g \circ f = 1_A$ ,  $f \circ g = 1_B$ . Inverse  $f^{-1}$  is unique since  $g = g \circ f \circ g' = g'$

A **functor** is  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ ,  $\text{ob}\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \text{ob}\mathcal{D}$ ,  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(F(A), F(B))$ ,  $F(1_A) = 1_{F(A)}$ ,  $F(g \circ f) = F(g) \circ F(f)$

The **dual category** of  $\mathcal{C}$  is  $\mathcal{C}^{op}$  with the same objects but morphisms reversed, if  $f \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y)$ , then  $f^{op} \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}^{op}}(Y, X)$ ,  $(fg)^{op} = g^{op}f^{op}$ ,  $1_X^{op}$  is still the identity. A **contravariant functor**  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  is a functor  $F : \mathcal{C}^{op} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ , equivalently,  $\text{Ob}\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \text{Ob}\mathcal{D}$ ,  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(F(B), F(A))$ ,  $F(1_A) = 1_{F(A)}$ ,  $F(g \circ f) = F(f) \circ F(g)$ . Functors are also called **covariant functors**

**Definition 3.1.2.** A **semicategory**  $\mathcal{C}$  consists of  $\text{ob}\mathcal{C}$  class of **objects** and  $\text{Hom}\mathcal{C}$  class of **morphisms**, composition  $\circ : \text{Hom}(A, B) \times \text{Hom}(B, C) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, C)$ ,  $(h \circ g) \circ f = h \circ (g \circ f)$ . A **semifunctor** is  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ ,  $\text{ob}\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \text{ob}\mathcal{D}$ ,  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(F(A), F(B))$ ,  $F(g \circ f) = F(g) \circ F(f)$

**Remark 3.1.3.** A category is a semicategory with identities

**Definition 3.1.4.**  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$  is a **monomorphism** if  $fg_1 = fg_2 \Rightarrow g_1 = g_2$ , is an **epimorphism** if  $g_1 f = g_2 f \Rightarrow g_1 = g_2$ , is, is a **bimorphism** is both monic and epi, is an **isomorphism** if it is invertible. Monomorphism and epimorphism are dual notions. Isomorphisms are bimorphisms. A category is **balanced** if bimorphisms are isomorphisms

**Remark 3.1.5.** A bimorphism is not necessary an isomorphism. In the category of rings,  $\mathbb{Z} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{Q}$  is a bimorphism because  $\mathbb{Q} = \mathbb{Z}_{(0)}$  is a localization and the universal property of localization

**Definition 3.1.6.** A **natural transformation** is a family of morphisms  $\eta_A : F(A) \rightarrow G(A)$  making the following diagram commute

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(A) & \xrightarrow{F(f)} & F(B) \\ \downarrow \eta_A & & \downarrow \eta_B \\ G(A) & \xrightarrow{G(f)} & G(B) \end{array}$$

For contravariant functors

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(B) & \xrightarrow{F(f)} & F(A) \\ \downarrow \eta_B & & \downarrow \eta_A \\ G(B) & \xrightarrow{G(f)} & G(A) \end{array}$$

$\eta$  is a **natural isomorphism** if  $\eta_A$  are isomorphisms

**Definition 3.1.7.**  $\mathcal{C}$  is a **small category** if  $ob(\mathcal{C})$  and  $Hom(\mathcal{C})$  are sets, otherwise **large**.  $\mathcal{C}$  is a **locally small category** if  $Hom(a, b)$  are sets

**Definition 3.1.8.** A **subcategory**  $\mathcal{S}$  is a category consists of subclasses of objects and morphisms with the same composition map

**Definition 3.1.9.** we say categories  $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  are **isomorphic** if there are functors  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  and  $G : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  such that  $G \circ F = 1_{\mathcal{C}}$ ,  $F \circ G = 1_{\mathcal{D}}$  and we say  $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  are **equivalent** if  $G \circ F$  is naturally isomorphic to  $1_{\mathcal{C}}$  and  $F \circ G$  is naturally isomorphic to  $1_{\mathcal{D}}$

**Definition 3.1.10.** Suppose  $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  are categories, define the **functor category**  $[\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}]$  or  $\mathcal{D}^{\mathcal{C}}$  has all functors from  $\mathcal{C}$  to  $\mathcal{D}$  as objects, and natural transformations as morphisms

**Definition 3.1.11.**  $\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D}$  is the **product category** with  $ob \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D} = ob \mathcal{C} \times ob \mathcal{D}$ ,  $Hom_{\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D}}(A \times B, C \times D) = Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(A, C) \times Hom_{\mathcal{D}}(B, D)$

**Definition 3.1.12.** Suppose  $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  are locally small categories,  $F$  is **faithful** if  $Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y) \rightarrow Hom_{\mathcal{D}}(F(X), F(Y))$  is injective,  $F$  is **full** if  $Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y) \rightarrow Hom_{\mathcal{D}}(F(X), F(Y))$  is surjective,  $F$  is **fully faithful** if  $Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y) \rightarrow Hom_{\mathcal{D}}(F(X), F(Y))$  is bijective,  $F$  is **essentially surjective** if  $\forall d \in ob \mathcal{D}, \exists c \in ob \mathcal{C}$  such that  $Fc \cong d$

A functor  $F$  is an equivalence iff it is fully faithful and essentially surjective

**Theorem 3.1.13.**  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  is an equivalence iff  $F$  is fully faithful and essentially surjective

*Proof.* If  $F$  is an equivalence, there exist functor  $G : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  and natural isomorphisms  $\eta : 1_{\mathcal{C}} \rightarrow GF$ ,  $\xi : 1_{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow FG$ ,  $\forall d \in \mathcal{C}, \xi_d : d = 1_{\mathcal{D}}(d) \rightarrow FG(d) = F(Gd)$  is an isomorphism, i.e.  $F$  is essentially surjective, similarly, so is  $G$

The composition of

$$Hom(c, c') \xrightarrow{F} Hom(Fc, Fc') \xrightarrow{G} Hom(GFc, GFc'), \quad f \mapsto Ff \mapsto GFf$$

Is the same as

$$Hom(c, c') \xrightarrow{\eta} Hom(GFc, GFc'), \quad f \mapsto \eta'_c f \eta_c^{-1}$$

By Exercise 47.0.1, this is bijective, thus  $Hom(c, c') \xrightarrow{F} Hom(Fc, Fc')$  is injective, i.e.  $F$  is faithful. Similarly, consider the composition

$$Hom(Fc, Fc') \xrightarrow{G} Hom(GFc, GFc') \xrightarrow{F} Hom(FGFc, FGFc')$$

We know  $Hom(GFc, GFc') \xrightarrow{F} Hom(FGFc, FGFc')$  is surjective, but we also have the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Hom(c, c') & \xrightarrow{F} & Hom(Fc, Fc') \\ \eta \downarrow & & \downarrow \xi \\ Hom(GFc, GFc') & \xrightarrow{F} & Hom(FGFc, FGFc') \end{array}$$

Since  $\eta, \xi$  are bijective,  $Hom(c, c') \xrightarrow{F} Hom(Fc, Fc')$  is surjective, i.e.  $F$  is full

Conversely, suppose  $F$  is fully faithful and essentially surjective, then for any  $d \in \mathcal{D}$ , there exists  $c$  and an isomorphism  $d \xrightarrow{\xi_d} Fc$ , denote this  $c$  as  $Gd$ , we can define a functor  $G : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ ,  $d \mapsto Gd$  (Here we have used the axiom of choice),  $d \xrightarrow{f} d' \mapsto c \xrightarrow{Gf} c'$  where  $FGf = \xi_d^{-1} f \xi_{d'}$  since  $F$  is fully faithful

$$\begin{array}{ccc} d & \xrightarrow{f} & d' \\ \xi_d \downarrow & & \downarrow \xi_{d'} \\ FGd & \xrightarrow{FGf} & FGd' \\ F \uparrow & & \uparrow F \\ Gd & \xrightarrow{Gf} & Gd' \end{array}$$

$\xi : 1_{\mathcal{D}} \rightarrow FG$  is a natural isomorphism

Since  $F$  is fully faithful, there are unique  $\eta_c : c \rightarrow GFc$ ,  $F(\eta_c) = \xi_{Fc}$

If  $f, g : c \rightarrow c'$  such that  $\eta_{c'}f = \eta_{c'}g$ , then  $\xi_{Fc'}Ff = \xi_{Fc'}Fg \Rightarrow Ff = Fg \Rightarrow f = g$

If  $f, g : c \rightarrow c'$  such that  $f\eta_c = g\eta_c$ , then  $Ff\xi_{Fc} = Fg\xi_{Fc} \Rightarrow Ff = Fg \Rightarrow f = g$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 c & \xrightarrow{\quad} & c' \\
 \eta_c \downarrow & & \downarrow \eta_{c'} \\
 Fc & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Fc' \\
 G \downarrow & & \downarrow G \\
 GFc & \xrightarrow{\quad} & GFc' \\
 F \downarrow & & \downarrow F \\
 FGFc & \xrightarrow{\quad} & FGFc'
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{l}
 \text{Left side: } \eta_c \text{ (curved arrow from } c \text{ to } Fc), \xi_{Fc} \text{ (curved arrow from } Fc \text{ to } GFc), F \text{ (curved arrow from } GFc \text{ to } FGFc) \\
 \text{Right side: } \eta_{c'} \text{ (curved arrow from } c' \text{ to } Fc'), \xi_{Fc'} \text{ (curved arrow from } Fc' \text{ to } GFc'), F \text{ (curved arrow from } GFc' \text{ to } FGFc')
 \end{array}$$

$\eta : 1_{\mathcal{C}} \rightarrow GF$  is a natural isomorphism □

**Definition 3.1.14.** The **empty category** is the category with no objects hence morphisms

**Definition 3.1.15.**  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$  is a **constant morphism** if  $fg = fh$  for any  $g, h$ ,  $f$  is a **coconstant morphism** if  $gf = hf$  for any  $g, h$ ,  $f$  is a **zero morphism** if it is both a constant and a coconstant morphism

**Definition 3.1.16.** Suppose  $u : S \rightarrow A$ ,  $v : T \rightarrow A$  are morphisms,  $v$  filter through  $s$  means there is a morphism  $w : T \rightarrow S$  such that  $v = u \circ w$ , then mutually filter defines an equivalence relation on monomorphisms(or equivalent by saying that  $w$  is an isomorphism), the equivalence classes are called **subobjects** of  $A$ , the dual notion is called **quotient objects**

**Proposition 3.1.17.** Direct limit is an exact functor

**Definition 3.1.18.** An **injective object**  $Q$  is such that for any monomorphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  and morphism  $g : X \rightarrow Q$ , there is a morphism  $h : Y \rightarrow Q$  such that  $g = h \circ f$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\
 \downarrow g & \swarrow \exists h & \\
 Q & & 
 \end{array}$$

the dual notion is called a **projective object**  $P$ , such that for any epimorphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$ , and morphism  $g : P \rightarrow Y$ , there is a morphism  $h : P \rightarrow X$  such that  $g = f \circ h$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & P & \\
 \swarrow \exists h & \downarrow g & \\
 X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y
 \end{array}$$

**Definition 3.1.19.** A functor  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$  is called a **representable** functor if there is an object  $A$  in  $\mathcal{C}$  such that  $\Phi : \mathbf{Hom}(A, -) \rightarrow F$  is a natural isomorphism

**Definition 3.1.20.** Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be a category, we can define **quotient category** by moding out a congruence relation  $\sim$ , here  $\sim$  is an equivalence relation on  $\mathbf{Hom}(X, Y)$  for any  $X, Y$  and it respects composition, i.e. suppose  $f_1 \sim f_2 : X \rightarrow Y$ ,  $g_1 \sim g_2 : Y \rightarrow Z$ , then  $g_1 \circ f_1 \sim g_2 \circ f_2$ , thus  $\mathbf{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}/\sim}(X, Y) = \mathbf{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y) / \sim$

**Definition 3.1.21.**  $\mathcal{C}$  is **concretizable** if there is a faithful functor  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ . A morphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is an **embedding** if  $F(f)$  is injective, and for any  $F(Z) \xrightarrow{\phi} F(X)$ ,  $Z \xrightarrow{h} Y$  such that  $F(Z) \xrightarrow{F(h)} F(Y)$ ,  $F(h) = F(f) \circ \phi$ ,  $\phi = F(g)$  for some  $Z \xrightarrow{g} X$

**Remark 3.1.22.**  $\mathcal{C}$  may have different concretization

**Definition 3.1.23.**  $W$  is a class of morphisms of  $\mathcal{C}$ , the **localization** of  $\mathcal{C}$  with respect to  $W$  another category, denoted  $\mathcal{C}[W^{-1}]$ , such that there is a natural localization functor  $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}[W^{-1}]$  such that any functor  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  where  $F$  sends morphisms in  $W$  to isomorphisms in  $\mathcal{D}$  uniquely factor through the localization functor, thus the localization of a category is unique up to isomorphism, one concrete construction is to consider  $\mathcal{C}[W^{-1}]$  has the same objects as  $\mathcal{C}$  and adding formal inverses to the morphisms in  $W$  which is the composition closure of morphisms in  $W$ , more concretely, morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}[W^{-1}]$  are compositions of morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$  and inverses of morphisms in  $W$

**Definition 3.1.24.** A **skeleton of a category**  $\mathcal{D}$  of  $\mathcal{C}$  is a full subcategory such that no two objects in  $\mathcal{D}$  are isomorphic and for every object in  $\mathcal{C}$  is isomorphic to some object in  $\mathcal{D}$ , the functor  $\mathcal{D} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C}$  is an equivalence of categories

**Definition 3.1.25.**  $\mathcal{C}$  is **connected** if there is a finite sequence of morphisms connecting any two objects

**Example 3.1.26.**  $C \leftarrow A \rightarrow B$  is a connected even there is no morphism between  $B, C$

**Definition 3.1.27.** Suppose  $\mathcal{C}$  is a category, a **filtered object**  $X$  is an object with a **filtration** of  $X$ , a descending filtration

$$\cdots \rightarrow X_{n+1} \rightarrow X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1} \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow X$$

Or an ascending filtration

$$X \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow X_{n+1} \rightarrow X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1} \rightarrow \cdots$$

**Definition 3.1.28.** Suppose  $\mathcal{C}$  is a category,  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is a morphism, the **image** of  $f$  is a monomorphism  $m : I \rightarrow Y$  such that there is a morphism  $e : X \rightarrow I$  such that the following diagram commutes and satisfies the universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ & \searrow e & \nearrow m \\ & I & \\ & \downarrow \exists_1 v & \\ & I' & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} e' \\ \nearrow \\ I' \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} m' \\ \nwarrow \\ I' \end{array}$$

**Definition 3.1.29.** A **quiver** in  $\mathcal{C}$  is a functor from  $\begin{array}{c} \curvearrowright \bullet \rightrightarrows \bullet \curvearrowleft \end{array}$  to  $\mathcal{C}$ . Equivalently, a directed graph allowing multiple arrows and loops

**Definition 3.1.30.** The **free category** generated by quiver  $Q$  has objects vertices in  $Q$  and morphisms paths in  $Q$  with empty path the identity

**Definition 3.1.31.**  $f \in \text{End}(A)$  is an **involution** if  $f^2 = 1_A$

**Definition 3.1.32.**  $A \xrightarrow{i} B$  has **left lifting property** or **LLP** and  $X \xrightarrow{p} Y$  has **right lifting property** or **RLP** for each other in this diagram if

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \longrightarrow & X \\ \downarrow i & \nearrow \exists & \downarrow p \\ B & \longrightarrow & Y \end{array}$$

$i, p$  are **orthogonal** if the lifting is unique

**Definition 3.1.33.** A class of morphisms  $\mathbf{M}$  of  $\mathcal{C}$  satisfies **2 out of 3** if any two of  $f, g, f \circ g$  are in  $\mathbf{M}$ , so is the third.  $\mathbf{M}$  is clearly closed under composition

A class of **weak equivalences** is a class of morphisms  $\mathbf{W}$  containing isomorphisms and satisfies 2 out of 3. The class of isomorphisms  $\mathbf{I}$  is a class of weak equivalences

### 3.2 Yoneda lemma

Yoneda lemma

**Lemma 3.2.1** (Yoneda lemma).  $\mathcal{C}$  is locally small

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}}}(\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, -), F) \xrightarrow{\cong} F(c), \eta \mapsto \eta_c(1_c)$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}}}(\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(-, c), F) \xrightarrow{\cong} F(c), \eta \mapsto \eta_c(1_c)$$

If  $F = \text{Hom}(-, d)$  or  $F = \text{Hom}(d, -)$ , then

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}}}(\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, -), \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(d, -)) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(d, c)$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}}}(\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(-, c), \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(-, d)) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, d)$$

$c \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, -)$  gives an fully faithful embedding of  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}$  into  $\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}}$ , viewing  $\{\text{Hom}(c, -)\}$  as a subcategory of  $\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}}$ ,  $c \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(-, c)$  gives an fully faithful embedding of  $\mathcal{C}$  into  $\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}}$ , viewing  $\{\text{Hom}(-, c)\}$  as a subcategory of  $\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}}$

*Proof.*

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, c) & \xrightarrow{f} & \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(c, x) \\
 \eta_c \downarrow & & \downarrow \eta_x \\
 & \begin{array}{ccc} 1_c & \xrightarrow{\quad} & f \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ u & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Ff(u) = \eta_x(f) \end{array} & \\
 F(c) & \xrightarrow{Ff} & F(x)
 \end{array}$$

The natural transformation  $\eta$  is determined by the element  $u$  in  $F(c)$  □

**Remark 3.2.2.** Functor  $\text{Hom}(-, c)$  is called **Yoneda embedding**, here embedding in the sense of a fully faithful functor, which is injective on objects up to isomorphism as in Lemma 47.0.4 Yoneda lemma tells us that if  $\text{Hom}(c, -)$  and  $\text{Hom}(d, -)$  are naturally isomorphic or  $\text{Hom}(-, c)$  and  $\text{Hom}(-, d)$  are naturally isomorphic, so are  $c$  and  $d$ , thus if we know where  $c$  goes to or what goes to  $c$ , we can determine  $c$  up to isomorphism, in other words, an object is determined by the morphisms that interact with it, this explains the uniqueness in universal construction

### 3.3 Limits

**Definition 3.3.1.** A **diagram** is a functor  $D : J \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ ,  $J$  is called the **indexed category**, the diagram  $D$  can be thought of as indexing a collection of objects and morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$  patterned on  $J$ , we say  $D$  is a diagram in  $\mathcal{C}$  shaped  $J$

Let  $F : J \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  be a diagram in  $\mathcal{C}$ ,  $N$  be an object in  $\mathcal{C}$ , then a **cone** from  $N$  to  $F$  is a family of morphisms  $\psi_X$  such that the following diagram commutes, a **cocone** from  $F$  to  $N$  is a family of morphisms  $\psi_X$  such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & N & \\ \psi_X \swarrow & & \searrow \psi_Y \\ F(X) & \xrightarrow{Ff} & F(Y) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} & N & \\ \psi_X \swarrow & & \searrow \psi_Y \\ F(X) & \xrightarrow{Ff} & F(Y) \end{array}$$

A **limit** of the diagram  $F$  is cone  $(L, \phi)$  such that for any other cone  $(N, \psi)$  there is a unique  $u : N \rightarrow L$  such that the following diagram commutes, a **colimit** of the diagram  $F$  is cone  $(L, \phi)$  such that for any other cone  $(N, \psi)$  there is a unique  $u : L \rightarrow N$  such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & N & \\ \psi_X \swarrow & \exists_1 u \downarrow & \searrow \psi_Y \\ & L & \\ \phi_X \swarrow & & \searrow \phi_Y \\ F(X) & \xrightarrow{Ff} & F(Y) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} & N & \\ \psi_X \swarrow & \exists_1 u \downarrow & \searrow \psi_Y \\ & L & \\ \phi_X \swarrow & & \searrow \phi_Y \\ F(X) & \xrightarrow{Ff} & F(Y) \end{array}$$

Limits may also be characterized as terminal objects in the category of cones to  $F$ , thus unique up to isomorphism, so is colimits, a category contains all limits is called **complete**, and is called **cocomplete** if containing all colimits

The **equaliser**  $Eq(f, g)$  is defined to be the limit of the diagram  $X \begin{smallmatrix} f \\ \rightrightarrows \\ g \end{smallmatrix} Y$ , the **coequaliser** is the colimit

**Remark 3.3.2.** Direct limit and inverse limit are defined on directed set, thus limit and colimit are more general

**Definition 3.3.3.** A **directed set**  $X$  is a set with a preorder  $\leq$  and any pair of elements has an upper bound, i.e.,  $\forall x, y \in X, \exists z \in X$  such that  $x \leq z, y \leq z$

**Definition 3.3.4.** Given a directed set  $I$ , we can define a **direct(inductive) system**, with modules  $A_i$ , and functions  $f_{ij} : A_i \rightarrow A_j$ ,  $f_{ii} = 1_{A_i}$ ,  $f_{jk} \circ f_{ij} = f_{ik}, i \leq j \leq k$ , we can also define an **inverse system**, with module  $A_i$ , and functions  $f_{ij} : A_j \rightarrow A_i$ ,  $f_{ii} = 1_{A_i}$ ,  $f_{ij} \circ f_{jk} = f_{ik}$

We can define morphism between direct and inverse systems and modules

Suppose  $A_i$  is a direct system, then a morphism  $g_i : A_i \rightarrow B$  is such that  $g_j \circ f_{ij} = g_i, i \leq j$  or  $g_i : B \rightarrow A_i$  is such that  $g_j = f_{ij} \circ g_i, i \leq j$ . Suppose  $A_i$  is an inverse system, then a morphism  $g_i : A_i \rightarrow B$  is such that  $g_i \circ f_{ij} = g_j, i \leq j$  or  $g_i : B \rightarrow A_i$  is such that  $g_i = f_{ij} \circ g_j, i \leq j$ . We can define morphisms between direct and inverse systems

Suppose  $A_i, B_i$  are both direct systems, a morphism  $g_i : A_i \rightarrow B_i$  is a family of maps such that  $g_j \circ f_{ij} = f_{ij} \circ g_i, i \leq j$ . Suppose  $A_i, B_i$  are both inverse systems, a morphism  $g_i : A_i \rightarrow B_i$  is a family of maps such that  $g_i \circ f_{ij} = f_{ij} \circ g_j, i \leq j$ .

**Definition 3.3.5.** The **direct limit** of a direct system is a module  $A_\infty$  and morphisms  $\iota_i : A_i \rightarrow A_\infty$  with the universal property: given any morphism  $g_i : A_i \rightarrow B$ , it induces a unique  $g_\infty : A_\infty \rightarrow B$  such that  $g \circ \iota_i = g_i$ , there is a concrete construction: define the direct limit  $\varinjlim A_i = \bigsqcup_{i \in I} A_i / \sim$ , where  $a_i \sim a_j, a_i \in A_i, a_j \in A_j$  if there is an upper bound  $k$  such that  $f_{ik}(a_i) = f_{jk}(a_j)$ , or equivalently,  $a_i \sim f_{ij}(a_i), i \leq j$

**Definition 3.3.6.** The **inverse limit** of an inverse system is a module  $A_\infty$  and morphisms  $\pi_i : A \rightarrow A_i$  with the universal property: given any morphism  $g_i : B \rightarrow A_i$ , it induces a unique  $g_\infty : B \rightarrow A_\infty$  such that  $\pi_i \circ g = g_i$ , there is a concrete construction: define the inverse limit

$$\varprojlim A_i = \left\{ (a_i) \in \prod_{i \in I} A_i \mid a_i = f_{ij}(a_j), i \leq j \right\},$$

**Remark 3.3.7.** Direct limit and inverse limit are dual to each other in the categorical sense

**Definition 3.3.8.** Product, coproduct The **biproducts**  $(\bigoplus_i A_i, p_i, \iota_i)$  of  $A_i$  is such that  $(\bigoplus_i A_i, p_i)$  is the product and  $(\bigoplus_i A_i, \iota_i)$  is the coproduct

**Definition 3.3.9.** An **initial object**  $\emptyset$  is for every  $X$ , there is a unique  $\emptyset \rightarrow X$ , a **final object**  $*$  is for every  $X$ , there is a unique  $X \rightarrow *$ , a **zero object** is an object which is both initial and final. A **pointed category** is a category with zero object

**Remark 3.3.10.** The initial and final object are the limit and colimit of empty diagram  
In the category of sets, the initial object is  $\emptyset$  and a terminal object is  $\{*\}$

### 3.4 Adjunction

**Definition 3.4.1.** Let  $L : \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ ,  $R : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  be functors, and there is a natural isomorphism  $\Phi_{X,Y}$ ,  $X \in \mathcal{C}, Y \in \mathcal{D}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(LX, Y) & \xrightarrow{\Phi_{X,Y}} & \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(X, RY) \\ (Lf, g) \downarrow & & \downarrow (g, Rf) \\ \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(LX', Y') & \xrightarrow{\Phi_{X',Y'}} & \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{D}}(X', RY') \end{array}$$

Here  $f : X' \rightarrow X$ ,  $g : Y \rightarrow Y'$ ,  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(Lf, g)(h) = h \circ g \circ Lf$

We say  $L$  is the **left adjoint** of  $R$  and  $R$  is the **right adjoint** of  $L$

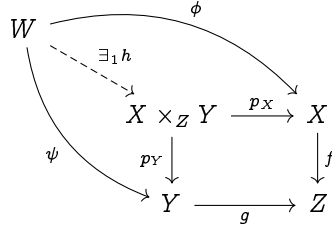
**Example 3.4.2.** Let  $G : \text{Group} \rightarrow \text{Set}$  be the forgetful functor, then the functor  $F : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Group}$ , sending  $S$  to  $F(S)$  is the left adjoint of  $G$

In the category of  $R$ -modules  $\text{Mod}$ , consider functor  $F := - \otimes B$  and functor  $G := \text{Hom}(B, -)$ , then  $F$  is the left adjoint to  $G$ , i.e.  $\text{Hom}(A \otimes B, C) \cong \text{Hom}(A, \text{Hom}(B, C))$



### 3.5 Pushout and pullback

**Definition 3.5.1.** The **pullback** of  $f : X \rightarrow Z$ ,  $g : Y \rightarrow Z$  is  $(X \times_Z Y, p_X, p_Y)$  satisfying the universal property

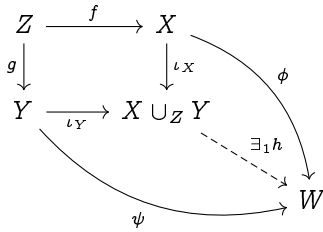


$p_X$  is the **base change** of  $g$  along  $f$ ,  $p_Y$  is the base change of  $f$  along  $g$

If  $f$  is an epimorphism, so is  $p_X$

More generally, we can also define the pullback of  $f_i : X \rightarrow Y_i$

**Definition 3.5.2.** The **pushout** of  $f : Z \rightarrow X$ ,  $g : Z \rightarrow Y$  is  $(X \cup_Z Y, \iota_X, \iota_Y)$  satisfying the universal property



$\iota_X$  is the **cobase change** of  $g$  along  $f$ ,  $\iota_Y$  is the cobase change of  $f$  along  $g$

If  $f$  is a monomorphism, so is  $\iota_X$

More generally, we can also define the pushout of  $f_i : Z \rightarrow X_i$

**Proposition 3.5.3.** Pushout preserve epimorphisms and isomorphisms and in the category of sets, pushout preserve injection

Pullback preserve monomorphisms and isomorphisms and in the category of sets, pullback preserve surjection

### 3.6 Filtered category

**Definition 3.6.1.** A category  $J$  is called **filtered** if it is not empty, and for any two objects  $j, j' \in J$ , there is an object  $k \in J$  and morphisms  $f : j \rightarrow k$  and  $f' : j' \rightarrow k$ , for any two morphisms  $u, v : i \rightarrow j$ , there is an object  $k \in J$  and a morphism  $w : j \rightarrow k$  such that  $w \circ u = w \circ v$

A filtered colimit is the colimit of a functor  $F : J \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  where  $J$  is a filtered category, direct limit is a special case of a filtered colimit

The dual notion is called **cofiltered**

### 3.7 Comma category

**Definition 3.7.1.** Consider functors  $S : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ ,  $T : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  (for source and target), define **comma category**  $(S \downarrow T)$  with objects  $(A, B, h)$ ,  $A \in \mathcal{A}, B \in \mathcal{B}$  are objects,  $h : S(A) \rightarrow T(B)$  is a morphism, and with morphisms  $(f, g) : (A, B, h) \rightarrow (A', B', h')$  where  $f : A \rightarrow A', g : B \rightarrow B'$  are morphisms such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S(A) & \xrightarrow{S(f)} & S(A') \\ h \downarrow & & \downarrow h' \\ T(B) & \xrightarrow{T(g)} & T(B') \end{array}$$

**Definition 3.7.2.** Consider the comma category of  $1_{\mathcal{A}} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ ,  $T : * \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  which we call **slice category**, sometimes denoted as  $(\mathcal{A} \downarrow A_*)$  where  $A_* = T(*)$ , the objects of the slice category are  $A \xrightarrow{\pi_A} A_*$  and morphisms are

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & A' \\ \pi_A \searrow & & \swarrow \pi_{A'} \\ & A_* & \end{array}$$

Its dual notion, the comma category of  $S : * \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ ,  $1_{\mathcal{B}} : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ , which we call **coslice category**, sometimes denoted as  $(B_* \downarrow \mathcal{B})$  where  $B_* = S(*)$ , the objects of the slice category are  $B_* \xrightarrow{\pi_B} B$  and morphisms are

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & B_* & \\ \pi_B \swarrow & & \searrow \pi_{B'} \\ B & \xrightarrow{g} & B' \end{array}$$

The comma category of  $1_{\mathcal{C}} : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ ,  $1_{\mathcal{C}} : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  which we call **arrow category**, sometimes denoted as  $\mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow}$  the objects of the arrow category are just the morphisms (arrows)  $A \xrightarrow{f} A'$ , and morphisms are

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & A' \\ h \downarrow & & \downarrow h' \\ B & \xrightarrow{g} & B' \end{array}$$

**Definition 3.7.3.** A right inverse are called a **section**, a left inverse is called a **retraction**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ & \searrow & \downarrow g \\ & & X \end{array}$$

$f$  is a section of  $g$ ,  $g$  is a retraction of  $f$

### 3.8 Sheaves

**Definition 3.8.1.**  $\mathcal{A}$  is an abelian category, open subsets of  $X$  form a category  $\tau$  under inclusion. A **presheaf** is a functor  $\tau^{op} \xrightarrow{F} \mathcal{A}$ ,  $F(U \hookrightarrow V) = res_{UV}$  are **restriction maps**. A **morphism of presheaves**  $F \xrightarrow{\phi} G$  is a natural transformation, i.e. the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(V) & \xrightarrow{res_{UV}} & F(U) \\ \phi_V \downarrow & & \downarrow \phi_U \\ G(V) & \xrightarrow{res_{UV}} & G(U) \end{array}$$

**Definition 3.8.2.**  $U \subseteq X$  is an open subset,  $F$  is a presheaf over  $X$ , the **restricted presheaf**  $F|_U$  is given by  $F|_U(V) = F(U \cap V)$

**Definition 3.8.3.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a continuous map,  $F$  is a presheaf over  $X$ , the **pushforward presheaf**  $f_*F$  of  $F$  under  $f$  is a presheaf over  $Y$  given by  $f_*F(V) = F(f^{-1}(V))$

**Definition 3.8.4.**  $F$  is a presheaf,  $x \in X$ , open subsets containing  $x$  is full subcategory  $\tau(x)$ , the **stalk**  $F_x$  is the colimit  $\varinjlim_{x \in U} F(U)$ , elements in  $F_x$  are called **germs**, denote the germ of  $f$  at  $x$  as  $f_x$

**Lemma 3.8.5.**  $B(f, U) = \{f_x | x \in U, f \in F(U)\}$  form a basis on the **étalé space**  $|F| = \bigcup F_x$ . The **étalé map**  $|F| \rightarrow X$ ,  $f_x \mapsto x$  is a local homeomorphism

Sheaf

**Definition 3.8.6.** Presheaf  $F$  is a **sheaf** if

$$F(U) \xrightarrow{res_{U_i, U}} \prod_i F(U_i) \xrightleftharpoons[res_{U_i \cap U_j, U_j}]{res_{U_i \cap U_j, U_i}} \prod_{i,j} F(U_i \cap U_j)$$

Is an equaliser. Equivalently,  $F$  satisfying

1. If  $U = \bigcup_i U_i$ ,  $f, g \in F(U)$ ,  $f|_{U_i} = g|_{U_i}$ , then  $f = g$
2. If  $U = \bigcup_i U_i$ ,  $f_i \in F(U_i)$ ,  $f_i|_{U_i \cap U_j} = f_j|_{U_i \cap U_j}$ , then there exists  $f \in F(U)$  such that  $f|_{U_i} = f_i$ , here  $f$  has to be unique because of 1

$Sh(X)$  is the category of sheaves over  $X$

**Proposition 3.8.7.**  $F \xrightarrow{\phi} G$  is a monomorphism or an epimorphism iff  $F_x \xrightarrow{\phi_x} G_x$  is injective or surjective on each stalk

**Definition 3.8.8** (Sheafification).  $F$  is a presheaf over  $X$ , the sheaf of sections  $X \rightarrow |F|$  is the **sheafification**

**Definition 3.8.9.** The **constant presheaf**  $\underline{A}$  given by  $\underline{A}(U) = A$ ,  $res_{UV} = 1_A$

$F$  is a **locally constant sheaf** if for any  $x \in X$ , there exists  $U \ni x$  such that  $F|_U$  is a constant sheaf.  $F : \Pi_1 X \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$  is a functor. The category of locally constant sheaves is equivalent to the category of covering spaces of  $X$

**Definition 3.8.10.** Functor  $\Gamma : Sh(X) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ ,  $F \mapsto F(X)$  is a left exact functor, the **sheaf cohomology** is the right derived functor  $R^i \Gamma$ , i.e.  $R^i \Gamma(F) = H^i(X, F)$

**Definition 3.8.11.** A **ringed space**  $(X, \mathcal{O})$  is a topological space  $X$  and a sheaf of rings over  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{O}$  is the **structure sheaf**.  $(X, \mathcal{O})$  is a **locally ringed space** if each stalk is a local ring

**Definition 3.8.12.** A morphism between ringed spaces is  $(X, \mathcal{O}_X) \xrightarrow{(f, \phi)} (Y, \mathcal{O}_Y)$ ,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a continuous map,  $\mathcal{O}_Y \xrightarrow{\phi} f_* \mathcal{O}_X$  is a morphism of sheaves. A morphism between locally ringed spaces require  $\phi$  is a local ring homomorphism between stalks

**Definition 3.8.13.**  $(X, \mathcal{O})$  is a ringed space, a sheaf of  $\mathcal{O}$  **modules**  $F$  is  $F(U)$  which are  $\mathcal{O}(U)$  modules such that  $res_{UV}(rm) = res_{UV}(r)res_{UV}(m)$

### 3.9 Exponential object

**Definition 3.9.1.**  $Y$  is an object such that all binary products  $X \times Y$  exist, the **exponential object** is  $Z^Y$  together with morphism  $Z^Y \times Y \xrightarrow{\text{eval}} Z$  satisfying universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times Y & & \\ \downarrow \exists_1 f \times 1_Y & \searrow f & \\ Z^Y \times Y & \xrightarrow{\text{eval}} & Z \end{array}$$

**Proposition 3.9.2.**  $\text{Hom}(X \times Y, Z) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(X, Z^Y)$  is an adjunction

### 3.10 Factorization system

**Definition 3.10.1.** A **factorization system**  $(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{M})$  for category  $\mathcal{C}$  is two classes of morphisms such that

1. Any morphism  $f$  can be decomposed as  $f = me$ ,  $m \in \mathbf{M}$ ,  $e \in \mathbf{E}$
2.  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{M}$  are closed under composition and contain all isomorphisms
3. Factorization is functorial, i.e. for any  $u, v$  such that  $vme = m'e'u$ , there exists a unique  $w$  such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \bullet & \xrightarrow{e} & \bullet & \xrightarrow{m} & \bullet \\
 \downarrow u & & \downarrow \exists_1 w & & \downarrow v \\
 \bullet & \xrightarrow{e'} & \bullet & \xrightarrow{m'} & \bullet
 \end{array}$$

**Example 3.10.2.**  $\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{M}$  being epi and mono in  $\mathbf{Set}$  is a factorization system

**Definition 3.10.3.** A **weak factorization system**  $(\mathbf{E}, \mathbf{M})$  for category  $\mathcal{C}$  is two classes of morphisms such that

1. Any morphism  $f$  can be decomposed as  $f = me$ ,  $m \in \mathbf{M}$ ,  $e \in \mathbf{E}$
2.  $\mathbf{E}$  are exactly those morphisms having left lifting property for all morphisms in  $\mathbf{M}$
3.  $\mathbf{M}$  are exactly those morphisms having right lifting property for all morphisms in  $\mathbf{E}$

### 3.11 Monoidal category

**Definition 3.11.1.** A category  $\mathcal{C}$  is **monoidal** if there is a tensor product which is a bifunctor  $\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \xrightarrow{\otimes} \mathcal{C}$ , a tensor unit  $1$ , **associator**, **left** and **right unitor** which are natural isomorphisms  $(x \otimes y) \otimes z \xrightarrow{\alpha_{x,y,z}} x \otimes (y \otimes z)$ ,  $1 \otimes x \xrightarrow{\lambda_x} x$ ,  $x \otimes 1 \xrightarrow{\rho_x} x$  such that the following diagrams commute

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (x \otimes 1) \otimes y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & x \otimes (1 \otimes y) \\
 & \searrow \quad \nearrow & \\
 & x \otimes y &
 \end{array}$$
  

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & (w \otimes x) \otimes (y \otimes z) & & \\
 & \nearrow & & \searrow & \\
 ((w \otimes x) \otimes y) \otimes z & & & & w \otimes (x \otimes (y \otimes z)) \\
 \downarrow & & & & \uparrow \\
 (w \otimes (x \otimes y)) \otimes z & \xrightarrow{\quad} & & & w \otimes ((x \otimes y) \otimes z)
 \end{array}$$

$\mathcal{C}$  is **strictly monoidal** if  $\alpha, \lambda, \rho$  are identities



# Chapter 4

## Group

### 4.1 Groups

Semigroup

**Definition 4.1.1.** A **semigroup** is a semicategory with a single object. A **monoid**  $M$  is a category with a single object. A **group** is a monoid with all morphisms invertible. A **groupoid** is a category with all morphisms invertible

A  $G$  **set** is a functor from  $G$  to the category of sets. Equivalently, a **left group action** is  $G \times X \rightarrow X$ ,  $(g, x) \mapsto g \cdot x$  satisfying  $1 \cdot x = x$ ,  $g \cdot (h \cdot x) = (gh \cdot x)$ , a right  $G$  action is functor  $G^{op}$  to the category of sets. A  $G$  **space** is a functor from  $G$  to the category of topological spaces. An **equivariant map** of  $G$  spaces is a natural transformation  $f : X \rightarrow Y$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ \downarrow g & & \downarrow g \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \end{array}$$

**Definition 4.1.2.** The **center** of  $G$  is  $Z(G) = \{z \in G | gz = zg, \forall g \in G\}$ .  $Z(G_1 \times G_2) = Z(G_1) \times Z(G_2)$

**Definition 4.1.3.** **Inner automorphism group** of  $G$  is  $Inn(G) \leq Aut(G)$  consists of conjugations  $x \mapsto gxg^{-1}$ . **Outer automorphism group** is  $Out(G) = Aut(G)/Inn(G)$

**Definition 4.1.4.**  $G$  is **perfect** if  $[G, G] = G$

**Definition 4.1.5.** A group action is **trivial** if  $g \cdot x = x$ . A group action is **free** if  $g \cdot x = h \cdot x$  for some  $x$  implies  $g = h$ , or equivalently. A group action is **transitive** if  $G \cdot x = X$ . A free and transitive action is also called **regular**. A group action is **faithful** if  $\forall x \in X, G \cdot x \neq x$

A **homogeneous space** is a  $G$  space with  $G$  acting transitively

Torsor

**Definition 4.1.6.** A **torsor**  $P$  is a set with an action  $G \times P \rightarrow P, (g, p) \mapsto gp$  such that this action is free and transitive

When chosen an element  $e \in P$ , automatically you are giving it a group structure with  $e$  as identity, notice  $e : G \rightarrow P, g \mapsto ge$  is a bijection, suppose  $g_p e = p$ , then  $g_e = 1$ , the group structure could be given as follows,  $P \times P \rightarrow P, (p, q) \mapsto g_p g_q e$ , and the inverse of  $p$  is  $g_p^{-1} e$ . i.e. a torsor is a group forgetting its identity

**Definition 4.1.7.** Let  $X, Y$  be  $G$  sets, then we can give  $Y^X$  a  $G$  set structure by  $(gf)(x) = g f(g^{-1}x)$ , it is easy to check that a map  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is equivariant iff  $f$  is fixed under the  $G$  action

Specially, if  $G$  acts on  $Y$  trivially, we have  $(gf)(x) = f(g^{-1}x)$

**Definition 4.1.8.**  $H \leq G$  is a subgroup,  $N \trianglelefteq G$  is a normal subgroup,  $G = NH = N \rtimes H$  or  $HN = H \rtimes N$  is the **semidirect product** and every  $g \in G$  can be uniquely written as  $nh$  or  $hn$

$$(nh)(n'h') = n(hn'h^{-1})hh' \text{ or } (hn)(h'n') = hh'(h'^{-1}n'h')n'$$

**Theorem 4.1.9** (Jordan-Hölder theorem). Composition series is unique up to reordering

**Definition 4.1.10.** A group representation  $V$  is a  $\mathbb{F}G$  module

**Definition 4.1.11.** Let  $(\rho, V)$  be a group representation of finite group  $G$ ,  $W \leq V$  is called  $G$  invariant if  $GW \subseteq W$ , namely,  $W$  is  $\mathbb{F}G$  submodule, then we get a subrepresentation on  $(\rho|_W, W)$  of  $G$ , with  $\rho|_W(g) := \rho(g)|_W$ , if the only  $G$  invariant subspace of  $W$  are 0 and  $V$ , we say  $\rho$  is irreducible

**Definition 4.1.12.** A group representation  $(\rho, V)$  is completely reducible(semisimple) if  $V = V_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus V_n$ , where  $(\rho|_{V_i}, V_i)$  are irreducible subrepresentations, namely,  $V$  is the direct sum of simple  $\mathbb{F}G$  modules

**Definition 4.1.13.** Let  $V$  be a complex vector space with Hermitian form  $(,)$  finite group representation  $(\rho, V)$  of  $G$  is called unitary if  $(\rho(g)v, \rho(g)w) = (v, w), \forall g \in G, v, w \in V$

**Proposition 4.1.14.** Let  $(\rho, V)$  be a unitary representation of  $G$ ,  $(\rho, V)$  is completely reducible

*Proof.*  $W$  is  $G$  invariant  $\Rightarrow W^\perp$  is  $G$  invariant □

**Proposition 4.1.15.** Let  $V$  be a complex vector space,  $(\rho, V)$  is a representation, then there exists a positive definite Hermitian form on  $V$  such that  $(\rho, V)$  become a unitary representation

**Corollary 4.1.16.** Let  $V$  be a complex vector space, a finite group representation  $(\rho, V)$  is always completely reducible

**Definition 4.1.17.** Let  $(\rho, V)$  be a representation of  $G$ , then the dual representation  $(\rho^*, V^*)$  is defined as  $\rho^*(g) := \rho(g)^{-T}$

**Definition 4.1.18.**  $H \subseteq G$ ,  $(V, \pi)$  is a  $H$  representation, the **induced representation** is  $\mathbb{F}G \otimes_{\mathbb{F}H} V$ . Suppose  $g_1, \dots, g_n$  is a set of representatives of left cosets in  $G/H$ ,  $v_j$  is a basis for  $V$ , then  $g_i \otimes v_j$  form a basis for  $\mathbb{F}G \otimes_{\mathbb{F}H} V$ . If  $gg_i = g_j h$  for some  $h \in H$ , then  $g(g_i \otimes v) = gg_i \otimes v = g_j h \otimes v = g_j \otimes hv$

**Definition 4.1.19.** If  $X$  is a right  $G$  space,  $Y$  is a left  $G$  space,  $X \times_G Y$  is  $X \times Y / \sim$ ,  $(xg, y) \sim (x, gy)$ . Equivalently,  $X \times_G Y = X \times Y / G$  with left action  $g(x, y) = (xg^{-1}, gy)$  or right action  $(x, y)g = (xg, g^{-1}y)$

If  $X, Y$  are left  $G$  spaces,  $X \times_G Y = X \times Y / G$  with left action  $g(x, y) = (gx, gy)$

If  $X, Y$  are right  $G$  spaces,  $X \times_G Y = X \times Y / G$  with right action  $(x, y)g = (xg, yg)$

Sylow's theorem

**Theorem 4.1.20** (Sylow's theorem).  $p$  is a prime, a  $p$ -group is a group consists of elements of order  $p$ -th power, a maximal one is a **Sylow  $p$ -subgroup**  $P$  of  $G$  which always exists by Zorn's Lemma 1.0.2

1. If  $|G| = p^n m$ ,  $p \nmid m$ , then  $|P| = p^n$
2. Any subgroup of a Sylow  $p$  subgroup is subconjugate to some other Sylow  $p$  subgroup
3.  $n_p = [G : N_G(P)]$ , if the conjugacy class of  $P$  is of order  $n_p < \infty$ , then  $n_p \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

## 4.2 Permutation group

**Definition 4.2.1.** Denote  $[n] = \{1, \dots, n\}$ , a **permutation**  $[n] \xrightarrow{\sigma} [n]$  is a bijection, equivalently write  $\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \cdots & n \\ \sigma(1) & \cdots & \sigma(n) \end{pmatrix}$ .  $S_n = \text{Aut}([n])$  is the permutation group

The **length** of  $\sigma \in S_n$  is  $|\sigma|$  is the number of  $\sigma(i) < \sigma(j)$  while  $i > j$

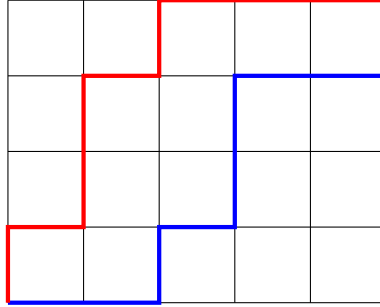
Definition for shuffle

**Definition 4.2.2.** Just like shuffling a deck of cards,  $\sigma \in S_n$  is a  $(p_1, \dots, p_m)$ -**shuffle**,  $p_1 + \dots + p_m = n$  if  $\sigma(i) < \sigma(i+1)$  for  $p_1 + \dots + p_k + 1 \leq i \leq p_1 + \dots + p_{k+1}$

A  $(p, q)$  shuffle can be represented by a path going only right or up from the lower left corner to the upper right corner in a  $(p+1) \times (q+1)$  grid,  $|\sigma|$  happen to be the number squares under the path

**Example 4.2.3**  $((5, 4)$  shuffles in  $S_9$ ). The red one is  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$ . The

blue one is  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 & 7 & 8 & 3 & 5 & 6 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$



### 4.3 Coxeter group

**Definition 4.3.1.** A **Coxeter group**  $G$  are groups with presentations

$$\langle r_1, \dots, r_n \mid (r_i r_j)^{m_{ij}} = 1 \rangle$$

$m_{ii} = 1$ , so we should think of  $r_i$ 's as reflections, for  $i \neq j$ ,  $m_{ij} = 2$  means  $r_i, r_j$  commutes, we should think of  $r_i, r_j$  are independent, most commonly,  $m_{ij} \geq 3$ , if  $m_{ij} = \infty$ .  $M = (m_{ij})$  is the **Coxeter matrix**, the corresponding **Schläfli matrix** is  $C_{ij} = -2 \cos(\pi/m_{ij})$

**Definition 4.3.2.** The **Coxeter element** is the product of all simple reflections  $s_i$ 's, different order in multiplication give conjugation, the **Coxeter number** is the order of the Coxeter element

**Definition 4.3.3.** The **Coxeter diagram** consists of  $n$  nodes for  $r_i$ 's, there is an edge numbered  $m_{ij}$  between  $i$  and  $j$  if  $m_{ij} \geq 3$

## 4.4 Grothendieck group

Grothendieck group

**Definition 4.4.1** (Grothendieck group). The **Grothendieck group** of a commutative monoid  $M$  is the abelian group  $K$  and  $i : M \rightarrow K$  satisfying universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & & \\ \downarrow i & \searrow f & \\ K & \xrightarrow[\exists_1 g]{} & A \end{array}$$

For any abelian group  $A$

**Construction 4.4.2.**

$$K = M \times M / \sim, M \xrightarrow{i} K, m \mapsto [m - 0]$$

Abelian group  $M \times M \cong \{[m - n] | m, n \in M\}$  is the set of formal differences with addition

$$[m_1 - n_1] + [m_2 - n_2] = [(m_1 + m_2) - (n_1 + n_2)]$$

$[0 - 0]$  is the identity and  $[n - m]$  is the inverse to  $[m - n]$

$$[m_1 - n_1] \sim [m_2 - n_2] \text{ if } m_1 + n_2 + m = m_2 + n_1 + m \text{ for some } m \in M$$

**Construction 4.4.3** (Grothendieck completion).

$$K = F(M) / \sim, m +' n \sim (m + n)$$

$F(M)$  is the free abelian group generated by  $M$  with addition  $+'$

**Definition 4.4.4.** The **Grothendieck group** of a semigroup  $S$  is a group  $K$  and  $i : S \rightarrow K$  satisfying the universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & & \\ \downarrow i & \searrow f & \\ K & \xrightarrow[\exists_1 g]{} & G \end{array}$$

Where  $G$  is a group

**Construction 4.4.5.**

$$K = F(S) / \sim, m *' n \sim (m * n)$$

$F(S)$  is the free group generated by  $S$  with multiplication  $*'$



# Chapter 5

## Ring

### 5.1 Rings

**Definition 5.1.1 (Rings).**  $R$  is an abelian group with addition  $+$  and additive identity  $0$ , a monoid with multiplication  $\cdot$  and multiplicative identity  $1$ , and distributive,  $a \cdot (b + c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c$ ,  $(a + b) \cdot c = a \cdot c + b \cdot c$

**Definition 5.1.2.** Ring  $R$  is **commutative** if  $ab = ba$

**Definition 5.1.3.**  $u$  is a **unit** if there exists  $v \in R$  such that  $uv = vu = 1$ . The set of units  $R^\times$  is a multiplicative group

**Definition 5.1.4.** A **semiring** or **rig** is a ring without negatives

**Definition 5.1.5.** A **rng** is ring without identity

**Definition 5.1.6 (Whitehead group).** The **Whitehead group** of ring  $R$  is an abelian group  $K_1(R)$  satisfying universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} GL(R) & & \\ \pi \downarrow & \searrow & \\ K_1(R) & \xrightarrow[\exists_1]{} & A \end{array}$$

For any abelian group  $A$

**Construction 5.1.7.**  $K_1(R) = GL(R)/[GL(R), GL(R)]$  is the abelianization of  $GL(R)$

**Definition 5.1.8.** If  $R$  is commutative,  $SL(R)$  is the kernel of  $GL(R) \xrightarrow{\det} R^\times$ ,  $SK_1(R)$  is the kernel of  $K_1(R) \xrightarrow{\det} R^\times$ ,  $GL(R) \cong SL(R) \rtimes R^\times$ ,  $K_1(R) \cong SK_1(R) \oplus R^\times$ .  $K_1(F) = F^\times$

**Lemma 5.1.9.** Since  $GL(R_1 \times R_2) = GL(R_1) \times GL(R_2)$ ,  $K_1(R_1 \times R_2) = K_1(R_1) \oplus K_1(R_2)$

## 5.2 Commutative rings

**Definition 5.2.1.** The **determinant** of a matrix is

**Definition 5.2.2.**  $I, J \subseteq R$  are ideals, the **ideal quotient**  $(I : J) = \{r \in R \mid rJ \subseteq I\}$  is also an ideal

**Definition 5.2.3.**  $S \subseteq R$  is **multiplicative closed**, the localization  $S^{-1}R$  of  $R$  with respect to  $S$  is  $R \times S / \sim$ ,  $(r, s) \sim (r', s')$  iff there exists  $t \in S$  such that  $t(rs' - sr) = 0$ .  $S^{-1}R$  has the universal property that for any  $f : R \rightarrow T$  such that maps  $S$  to units, then there exists a unique  $g : S^{-1}R \rightarrow T$  such that  $gi = f$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R & \xrightarrow{i} & S^{-1}R \\ & \searrow f & \downarrow \exists_1 g \\ & & T \end{array}$$

**Definition 5.2.4.** Given a ring  $R$  and a proper ideal  $I$ , we can define an **associated graded ring**  $gr_I R := \bigoplus_{n=0}^{\infty} I^n / I^{n+1}$ , if  $M$  is a left  $R$ -module, we can define **associated graded module**

$$gr_I M := \bigoplus_{n=0}^{\infty} I^n M / I^{n+1} M$$

**Definition 5.2.5.**  $R$  is a **local ring** if it has a unique maximal ideal  $\mathfrak{m}$ . The **residue field** is  $k = R/\mathfrak{m}$

**Definition 5.2.6.**  $R$  is a **semilocal ring** if it has only finitely many maximal ideal

**Proposition 5.2.7.** Let  $R$  be a UFD,  $f$  a prime element, then  $ht(f) = 1$

*Proof.* Suppose there exists prime ideal  $P$  such that  $0 \subsetneq P \subsetneq (f)$ , then we can find a prime element in  $g \in P$ , thus we have  $0 \subsetneq (g) \subseteq P \subsetneq (f)$ , but then  $g = fh$  for some  $h$ , but since  $f$  is prime, thus  $(f) = (g)$  which is a contradiction, such a prime element exists since we can pick any element  $0 \neq q = q_1 \cdots q_m \in P$  where  $q_i$ 's are prime, but then at least one of them has to be in  $P$   $\square$

**Theorem 5.2.8.** Let  $A \subseteq B$  be finitely generated  $k$ -algebras, and  $A, B$  are both domains,  $0 \neq b \in B \Rightarrow \exists 0 \neq a \in A$  such that for any  $k$ -algebra homomorphism  $\alpha : A \rightarrow k$  with  $\alpha(a) \neq 0$  can be extended to  $k$ -algebra homomorphism  $\beta : B \rightarrow k$  with  $\beta(b) \neq 0$

**Definition 5.2.9.** Suppose  $R$  is a commutative ring with identity, a prime element  $p \in R$  is an element which is nonzero nor a unit and  $p \mid fg \Rightarrow p \mid f$  or  $p \mid g$

**Definition 5.2.10.** A **graded ring**  $R$  is a ring such that  $R = \bigoplus_i R_i$  is a direct sum of abelian groups and  $R_i R_j \subseteq R_{i+j}$

An ideal is called a **homogeneous ideal** if it consists of only homogeneous elements

Chinese remainder theorem

**Theorem 5.2.11** (Chinese remainder theorem). Let  $R$  be a commutative ring, and  $I_1, \dots, I_n \leq R$  be pairwise coprime ideals, then  $R \cong R/I_1 \times \cdots \times R/I_n$ ,  $r \mapsto (r \bmod I_1, \dots, r \bmod I_n)$

**Definition 5.2.12.** An **integral domain** is a commutative ring  $R$  such that  $(0)$  is a prime ideal. Equivalently,  $rs \in R \Rightarrow r \in R$  or  $s \in R$

**Definition 5.2.13.** Suppose  $R$  is a domain,  $K$  is the field of fractions, a **fractional ideal** is an  $R$  submodule  $I \leq K$  such that  $rI \subseteq R$  for some nonzero  $r \in R$ .  $I$  is invertible if  $IJ = R$  for some other fractional ideal  $J$

**Definition 5.2.14.** A **Dedekind domain** is an integral domain such that every proper ideal is a product of prime ideal



**Definition 5.2.15.** A **discrete valuation ring (DVR)** is a PID with a unique nonzero prime ideal

**Definition 5.2.16.** A local ring homomorphism  $\phi : R \rightarrow S$  between local rings is such that  $\phi(m_R) \subseteq m_S$

**Definition 5.2.17.**  $\bigwedge^k A : \bigwedge^k V \rightarrow \bigwedge^k W$  is defined by  $\bigwedge^k A(v_1 \wedge \cdots \wedge v_n) := A(v_1) \wedge \cdots \wedge A(v_n)$

**Definition 5.2.18.** A ring  $A$  is an  $R$  **algebra** is a ring homomorphism  $R \xrightarrow{\phi} A$ ,  $ra = \phi(r)a$   
 $A$  is **finite** or  $\phi$  is **finite** if  $A$  is a finitely generated  $R$  module  
 $\phi$  is of **finite type** if  $A$  is **finitely generated**  $R$  algebra

**Definition 5.2.19.** For  $p \in \text{Spec}A$ ,  $q \in \text{Spec}B$ ,  $A \subseteq B$ ,  $p$  **lies under**  $q$  or  $q$  **lies over**  $p$  if  $q \cap A = p$   $A \subseteq B$  satisfies **lying over property** if every  $p \in \text{Spec}A$  lies under some  $q \in \text{Spec}B$   
 $A \subseteq B$  satisfies the **incomparability property** if different prime ideals  $q, q'$  both lie over  $p$ , then they don't contain each other

$A \subseteq B$  satisfies **going up property** if for any chain of prime ideals  $p_1 \subseteq \cdots \subseteq p_n$ ,  $q_1 \subseteq \cdots \subseteq q_m$  with  $q_i$  lies over  $p_i$  and  $m < n$  can be extended to a chain of prime ideals  $q_1 \subseteq \cdots \subseteq q_n$  with  $q_i$  lies over  $p_i$

$A \subseteq B$  satisfies **going down property** if for any chain of prime ideals  $p_1 \supseteq \cdots \supseteq p_n$ ,  $q_1 \supseteq \cdots \supseteq q_m$  with  $q_i$  lies over  $p_i$  and  $m < n$  can be extended to a chain of prime ideals  $q_1 \supseteq \cdots \supseteq q_n$  with  $q_i$  lies over  $p_i$

**Definition 5.2.20.**  $R \subseteq S$  are commutative rings,  $a \in S$  is **integral** over  $R$  if it is a root of some monic polynomial in  $R[x]$ . The **integral closure** of  $R$  in  $S$  are the integral elements of  $S$

Going up and Going down theorems

**Theorem 5.2.21.**  $B$  is integral over  $A$ , then  $A \subseteq B$  satisfies going up property and incomparability property

**Definition 5.2.22.** The **Krull dimension** of a ring  $R$  is  $\dim R = \sup_d p_0 \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq p_d$ ,  $p_i$  are prime ideals

**Proposition 5.2.23.**  $A$  is a integral domain, finitely generated over some subfield  $k$ , then  $\dim A = \text{trdeg}(\text{Frac}A/k)$



# Chapter 6

## Module

### 6.1 Modules

Module

**Definition 6.1.1.**  $R$  is a ring, a **left  $R$  module**  $M$  is an abelian group with left group action  $R \times M \rightarrow M$  such that

- $1m = m$
- $r(m + n) = rm + rn$
- $(r + s)m = rm + sm$
- $(rs)m = r(sm)$

**Definition 6.1.2.**  $X \subseteq M$  is **linearly independent** if for  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in X$

$$r_1x_1 + \dots + r_nx_n = 0 \Rightarrow r_i = 0$$

**Definition 6.1.3.** The submodule generated by  $X \subseteq M$  is **Span  $X$** , the **span** of  $X$

**Definition 6.1.4.**  $X \subseteq M$  is a **basis** of  $M$  if  $X$  is a linearly independent spanning set.  $M$  is a free  $R$  module on  $X$  if  $X$  is a basis of  $M$

*Note.* There is no well-defined dimension for free  $R$  modules in general, exemplified in Example 40.0.4

**Definition 6.1.5.**  $M$  is an right  $R$ -module,  $N$  is a left  $R$ -module and  $G$  is an abelian group, a map  $\phi : M \times N \rightarrow G$  is called an  $R$  balanced product if  $\phi$  is bilinear and  $\phi(mr, n) = \phi(m, rn)$ , we can define tensor product  $M \otimes_R N$  is an abelian group satisfying the universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M \times N & \xrightarrow{\otimes} & M \otimes_R N \\ & \searrow f & \downarrow \exists_1 \tilde{f} \\ & & G \end{array}$$

Here  $f$  is an  $R$  balanced product and  $\tilde{f}$  is an abelian group homomorphism

A concrete construction would be  $F(M \times N) / \sim$ , where  $(m + m', n) \sim (m, n) + (m', n)$ ,  $(m, n + n') \sim (m, n) + (m, n')$ ,  $(mr, n) \sim (m, rn)$

**Remark 6.1.6.**  $r(m \otimes n) = mr \otimes n = m \otimes rn$  is called associativity

**Definition 6.1.7.** Module  $M$  is **semisimple** or **completely reducible** if it is the direct sum of simple submodules. Ring  $R$  is semisimple if it is a semisimple  $R$  module

**Theorem 6.1.8.** Tensor product is right exact for  $R$  modules

**Definition 6.1.9.** Let  $R$  be a commutative ring,  $S \subseteq R$  is **multiplicatively closed** if  $1 = s^0 \in S$  and  $rs \in S, \forall r, s \in S$ , we can define localization  $S^{-1}R$  satisfying universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R & & \\ \downarrow j & \searrow f & \\ S^{-1}R & \xrightarrow[\exists_1 g]{} & T \end{array}$$

Here  $f(S) \subseteq T^\times$

Concrete construction:  $S^{-1}R := R \times S / \sim$ ,  $(r, s) \sim (r', s')$  if there exists  $t \in S$  such that  $t(rs' - r's) = 0$

Let  $M$  be an  $R$  module, we can define localization,  $S^{-1}M := M \times S / \sim$ ,  $(m, s) \sim (m', s')$  if there exists  $t \in S$  such that  $t(sm' - s'm) = 0$

*Proof.* Suppose  $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0$  is a short exact sequence, then it is obvious that  $A \otimes D \xrightarrow{f \otimes 1_D} B \otimes D \xrightarrow{g \otimes 1_D} C \otimes D \rightarrow 0$  is a complex and  $g \otimes 1_D$  is surjective, now define  $\phi : B \otimes D / \ker g \otimes 1_D \rightarrow A \otimes D$ ,  $b \otimes d \mapsto a \otimes d$ , where  $a$  is the unique element in  $A$  such that  $g(b - f(a)) = 0$   $\square$

**Definition 6.1.10.** Let  $P_i, A, D$  be  $R$  modules,  $\cdots P_2 \xrightarrow{d_2} P_1 \xrightarrow{d_1} P_0 \xrightarrow{\epsilon} A \rightarrow 0$  be a projective resolution, then we have  $0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(A, D) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} \text{Hom}_R(P_0, D) \xrightarrow{d_1} \text{Hom}_R(P_1, D) \xrightarrow{d_2} \text{Hom}_R(P_2, D) \cdots$ , define  $\text{Ext}_R^n(A, D)$  to be the  $n$ -th cohomology group of  $0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_R(P_0, D) \xrightarrow{d_1} \text{Hom}_R(P_1, D) \xrightarrow{d_2} \text{Hom}_R(P_2, D) \cdots$ , note that  $\text{Ext}_R^0(A, D) \cong \text{Hom}_R(A, D)$

**Definition 6.1.11.** Let  $P_i, B, D$  be  $R$  modules,  $\cdots P_2 \xrightarrow{d_2} P_1 \xrightarrow{d_1} P_0 \xrightarrow{\epsilon} B \rightarrow 0$  be a projective resolution, then we have  $\cdots D \otimes_R P_2 \xrightarrow{1 \otimes d_2} D \otimes_R P_1 \xrightarrow{1 \otimes d_1} D \otimes_R P_0 \xrightarrow{1 \otimes \epsilon} D \otimes_R B \rightarrow 0$ , define  $\text{Tor}_n^R(D, B)$  to be the  $n$ -th homology group of  $\cdots D \otimes_R P_2 \xrightarrow{1 \otimes d_2} D \otimes_R P_1 \xrightarrow{1 \otimes d_1} D \otimes_R P_0 \rightarrow 0$ , note that  $\text{Tor}_0^R(D, B) \cong D \otimes_R B$

Schur's lemma

**Lemma 6.1.12** (Schur's Lemma).  $R$  is a ring,  $M, N$  are nonzero simple  $R$  modules. A homomorphism  $\varphi : M \rightarrow N$  is either 0 or an isomorphism. In particular,  $\text{End}_R(M)$  is a division ring. Moreover, if  $\overline{F} = F$ ,  $\text{Hom}_F(M, N) = \{\lambda \varphi | \lambda \in F\}$  where  $M \xrightarrow{\varphi} N$  is an isomorphism (all isomorphisms are scalar multiple of each other), in particular,  $\text{Hom}_F(M, M) = \{\lambda 1_M | \lambda \in F\}$

**Theorem 6.1.13** (Maschke's theorem).  $G$  is a finite group,  $F$  is a field,  $\text{char } F \nmid |G|$ , then  $FG$  is a semisimple ring

**Theorem 6.1.14** (Artin-Wedderburn theorem).  $R = V_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus V_r$  is a semisimple ring, by Schur's lemma 6.1.12,  $D_i = \text{End}_R(V_i)$  are division rings, then

$$R \cong M_{n_1}(D_1) \times \cdots \times M_{n_r}(D_r)$$

where  $n_i = \dim_{D_i}(V_i)$ .  $\sum_{i=1}^r n_i^2 = |G|$ ,  $r$  is the number of conjugacy classes in  $G$

**Definition 6.1.15.**  $F$  is a field,  $G$  is a group, the representation ring  $R_F(G)$  is the completion of the set of isomorphic classes of representations

**Definition 6.1.16.** The symmetric  $k$  algebra is  $S^k(V) \subseteq T^k(V)$  consists of  $k$  tensors symmetric under the permutation of  $S_k$ . The exterior  $k$  algebra is  $\bigwedge^k(V) \subseteq T^k(V)$  consists of  $k$  tensors antisymmetric under the permutation of  $S_k$ . We have

$$\text{Sym} : T^k(V) \rightarrow S^k(V), a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes a_k \mapsto \frac{1}{k!} \sum_{\sigma} a_{\sigma(1)} \otimes \cdots \otimes a_{\sigma(k)}$$

and

$$\text{Alt} : T^k(V) \rightarrow S^k(V), a_1 \otimes \cdots \otimes a_k \mapsto \frac{1}{k!} \sum_{\sigma} (-1)^{\text{sgn } \sigma} a_{\sigma(1)} \otimes \cdots \otimes a_{\sigma(k)}$$

For  $\alpha \in \bigwedge^k(V)$ ,  $\beta \in \bigwedge^l(V)$ , define

$$\alpha\beta = \alpha \odot \beta = \text{Sym}(\alpha \otimes \beta)$$

$$\alpha \wedge \beta = \frac{(k+l)!}{k!l!} \text{Alt}(\alpha \otimes \beta)$$

Which corresponds to determinants



# Chapter 7

## Field

### 7.1 Fields

**Definition 7.1.1.** A **division ring**  $R$  is a nonzero ring such that  $\mathbb{F}^\times = \mathbb{F} - \{0\}$

A **field**  $\mathbb{F}$  is a nonzero commutative ring such that  $\mathbb{F}^\times = \mathbb{F} - \{0\}$

**Definition 7.1.2.** A **character** of  $G$  is a group homomorphism  $G \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^\times$ , and a **cocharacter** is a group homomorphism  $\mathbb{F}^\times \rightarrow G$

**Lemma 7.1.3.** Characters of  $G$ , denoted as  $ch(G)$  are linear independent on  $\mathbb{F}[G]$

*Proof.* Suppose not, we can find  $c_1\chi_1 + \cdots + c_m\chi_m = 0, c_i \in \mathbb{F}^\times$ , with minimal terms, since  $\chi_1 \neq \chi_m$ , there exists  $g_0 \in G$  such that  $\chi_1(g_0) \neq \chi_m(g_0)$ , on the other hand we have  $0 = c_1\chi_1(g) + \cdots + c_m\chi_m(g) = c_1\chi_1(g)\chi_m(g_0) + \cdots + c_m\chi_m(g)\chi_m(g_0), \forall g \in G$  and  $0 = c_1\chi_1(gg_0) + \cdots + c_m\chi_m(gg_0) = c_1\chi_1(g)\chi_1(g_0) + \cdots + c_m\chi_m(g)\chi_m(g_0), \forall g \in G$ , subtract to get  $0 = c_1(\chi_m(g_0) - \chi_1(g_0))\chi_1(g) + \cdots + c_{m-1}(\chi_m(g_0) - \chi_{m-1}(g_0))\chi_{m-1}(g)$  with fewer terms which is a contradiction  $\square$

**Definition 7.1.4.** Suppose  $E/F$  is a field extension, we can define **field trace**  $Tr_{E/F}(\alpha)$  to be the trace of  $\alpha$  as a linear transformation and **field norm**  $N_{E/F}(\alpha)$  to be the determinant of  $\alpha$

**Definition 7.1.5.**  $\mathbb{F}$  is a **perfect field** if  $\mathbb{F}^p = \mathbb{F}$  if  $\text{char}\mathbb{F} = p \neq 0$  or  $\text{char}\mathbb{F} = 0$

**Definition 7.1.6.**  $E/F$  is a field extension,  $\alpha \in E$  is algebraic over  $F$  if  $\alpha$  is a zero of some polynomial in  $F[x]$ . The **algebraic closure** of  $F$  in  $E$  are the algebraic elements of  $E$

**Theorem 7.1.7** (Emil Artin). Any field  $F$  has an algebraically closed extension

## 7.2 Number field

**Definition 7.2.1.** A **number field** is  $\mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{F} \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ . An **algebraic number field** is  $\mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{F} \subseteq \overline{\mathbb{Q}}$

**Definition 7.2.2.**  $E, F$  are algebraic number fields of finite degree,  $E/F$  is finite separable,  $A, B$  are corresponding ring of integers,  $\{\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n\}$  is an integral basis of  $B$  over  $A$ . The **discriminant** of  $E/F$  with respect to  $\{\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n\}$  is  $D_{E/F}(\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n) = \det(\text{Tr}(\beta_i \beta_j))$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ A & \hookrightarrow & F \end{array}$$

**Lemma 7.2.3.**  $D_K$  is well defined in  $\frac{A}{(A^\times)^2}$

**Definition 7.2.4.**  $E, F$  are algebraic number fields of finite degree,  $E/F$  is finite separable,  $A, B$  are corresponding ring of integers which are Dedekind domains

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ A & \hookrightarrow & F \end{array}$$

$pB = q_1^{e_1} \cdots q_r^{e_r}$  with  $e_i > 0$ .  $p$  is **ramified** if  $e_i > 1$  for some  $i$ , otherwise unramified.  $p$  is **inert** if  $r = e = 1$ .  $p$  **totally split** if  $e_i = f_i = 1$

$B/pB \cong \prod_{i=1}^r B/q_i^{e_i}$ ,  $f_i = [k_{q_i} : k_p]$ ,  $[E : F] = \dim_{k_p}(B/pB) = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i f_i$

If  $E/F$  is Galois,  $G = \text{Aut}(E/F)$  acts transitively on  $\{q_1, \dots, q_r\}$ , then  $n = \sum_{i=1}^r e_i f_i = r e f$

*Proof.*  $B \cong A^n$ ,  $B/pB \cong A^n/pA^n \cong (A/p)^n \cong k_p^n$  □

**Example 7.2.5.**  $2\mathbb{Z}[i] = (1+i)^2$  is ramified,  $3\mathbb{Z}[i]$  is inert,  $5\mathbb{Z}[i] = (2+i)(2-i)$  totally split

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{Z}[i] & \hookrightarrow & \mathbb{Q}[i] \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \mathbb{Z} & \hookrightarrow & \mathbb{Q} \end{array}$$

**Theorem 7.2.6.**  $p$  ramifies in  $O_K \Leftrightarrow p \mid \text{disc}(O_K/\mathbb{Z})$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} O_K & \hookrightarrow & K \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \mathbb{Z} & \hookrightarrow & \mathbb{Q} \end{array}$$

*Proof.*  $pO_K = \beta_1^{e_1} \cdots \beta_r^{e_r}$ ,  $O_K/pO_K \cong O_K/\beta_i^{e_i}$  is an isomorphism of  $\mathbb{F}_p$  algebras.  $d_i = \text{disc}((O_K/\beta_i^{e_i})/\mathbb{F}_p)$ ,  $d = \text{disc}((O_K/pO_K)/\mathbb{F}_p)$ , thus  $d = d_1 \cdots d_r$ , since discriminant is functorial,  $D = \det(\text{Tr}_{O_K/\mathbb{Z}}()) \mapsto d$ ,  $p \mid D \Leftrightarrow d = 0 \Leftrightarrow d_i = 0$  for some  $i$  □



# Chapter 8

## Linear algebra

### 8.1 Vector spaces

**Definition 8.1.1.** A **vector space**  $V$  over field  $F$  is an  $F$  module

**Definition 8.1.2.** An **affine space** is a vector space witho

**Definition 8.1.3.**  $C \subseteq V$  is **convex** if  $tC + (1-t)C \subseteq C$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 1$ .  $C$  is **strictly convex** if  $tC + (1-t)C \subsetneq C$  for  $0 < t < 1$

**Definition 8.1.4.**  $V$  is a vector space of dimension  $n$ , a  **$q$  flag** is

$$0 = V_0 \subsetneq V_1 \subsetneq \cdots \subsetneq V_q = V$$

A complete flag is an  $n$  flag

$GL(n, F)$  acts transitively on flags

**Lemma 8.1.5.**  $GL(n, F)$  acts transitively on flags

## 8.2 Matrices

**Definition 8.2.1.**  $E_{ij}$  is the matrix with 1 on the  $(i, j)$ -th entry and otherwise zeros, then  $E_{ij}E_{kl} = \delta_{jk}E_{il}$

Elementary matrices are single row operations, i.e.

$$e_{ij}(r) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & r & & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

with  $r$  on the  $(i, j)$ -th entry

$$s_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & 0 & & 1 \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & 1 & & 0 & \\ & & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$d_i(r) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & r & & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

We have  $e_{ij}(-r) = e_{ij}(r)^{-1}$  and

$$\begin{aligned} e_{ij}(r)e_{ij}(s) &= e_{ij}(r+s) \\ [e_{ij}(r), e_{kl}(s)] &= I + rs\delta_{jk}E_{il} - sr\delta_{li}E_{kj} + \delta_{jk}\delta_{li}(srsE_{kl} - rsrE_{ij}) + rsrs\delta_{jk}\delta_{li}E_{il} \\ &= \begin{cases} I & i \neq l, j \neq k \\ e_{il}(rs) & i = l, j \neq k \\ e_{kj}(-sr) & i \neq l, j = k \\ * & i = l, j = k \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Steinberg relations

**Definition 8.2.2.**  $E(n, R) \subseteq SL(n, R)$  is the subgroup generated by elementary matrices of determinant 1.  $E(R) = \bigcup E(n, R)$

**Lemma 8.2.3.**  $SL(n, F) = E(n, F)$

$E(n, R)$  is perfect

**Lemma 8.2.4.**  $[E(n, R), E(n, R)] = E(n, R)$  if  $n \geq 3$

*Proof.* For distinct  $i, j, k$ ,  $e_{ij}(r) = [e_{ik}(r), e_{kj}(1)]$  □

$[GL, GL] = E$

**Theorem 8.2.5** (Whitehead).  $[GL(R), GL(R)] = E(R)$ , hence  $K_1(R) = GL(R)/E(R)$

*Proof.* Since

$$e_{12}(1)e_{21}(-1)e_{12}(1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$\begin{pmatrix} g & \\ & g^{-1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & g \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ -g^{-1} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & g \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} & -1 \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}$$

We know

$$[g, h] = \begin{pmatrix} g & \\ & g^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} h & \\ & h^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} (hg)^{-1} & \\ & hg \end{pmatrix} \in E(R)$$

□

**Definition 8.2.6.** The **Kronecker product** of matrices

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & \cdots & b_{1p} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{np} & \cdots & b_{np} \end{pmatrix}$$

is

$$A \otimes B = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11}B & \cdots & a_{1n}B \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1}B & \cdots & a_{mn}B \end{pmatrix}$$

### 8.3 Eigenspace decomposition

**Proposition 8.3.1.**  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is a linear operator, and  $V = \bigoplus_i V_i$ , where  $V_i$  are  $T$  invariant spaces, denote  $T|_{V_i}$  as  $T - i$ , then  $ch_T(t) = \prod_i ch_{T_i}(t)$ , and  $m_T(t) = lcm_i m_{T_i}(t)$

**Definition 8.3.2.**  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$ .  $\lambda \in F$  is an **eigenvalue** if  $Tv = \lambda v$  has nontrivial solution,  $v \in V$  is a **generalized eigenvector** of rank  $m$  of  $T$  corresponding to eigenvalue  $\lambda$  if  $(T - \lambda 1_V)^m v = 0$ ,  $(T - \lambda 1_V)^{m-1} v \neq 0$  for some  $m \geq 1$ , and let  $V_\lambda$  be the subspace of all such generalized eigenvectors, called **generalized eigenspace**, notice if  $V$  is of finite dimensional, then  $V_\lambda = \ker(T - \lambda 1_V)^m$  for some  $m$  with  $m$  being smallest, suppose  $\dim V_\lambda = d$ , then the characteristic polynomial of  $T|_{V_\lambda}$  is  $(t - \lambda)^d$ , and the minimal polynomial of  $T|_{V_\lambda}$  is  $(t - \lambda)^m$

Generalized eigenspace decomposition

**Proposition 8.3.3.**  $\overline{F} = F$ , finitely dimensional  $F$  vector space  $V$  can be decomposed into the direct sum of generalized eigenspaces  $V = \bigoplus_{\lambda} V_{\lambda}$

**Definition 8.3.4.**  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  give  $V$  an  $F[x]$  module with  $x \cdot v = Tv$ ,  $W \leq V$  be a subspace,  $W$  is called  **$T$  invariant** if  $TW \subseteq W$ , or rather  $W$  is an  $F[x]$  submodule

**Definition 8.3.5.** An linear operator  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is called **semisimple** if  $V$  is a semisimple  $F[x]$  submodule

**Proposition 8.3.6.** Let  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  be a linear operator with  $\overline{F} = F$ , then  $T$  is semisimple  $\Leftrightarrow T$  is diagonalizable

*Proof.* Since  $\overline{F} = F$  and  $T$  is semisimple,  $V$  can be decomposed as a direct sum of eigenspaces of  $T$ , thus  $T$  is diagonalizable, conversely, if  $T$  is diagonalizable, and  $TW \subseteq W$ , let  $V_\lambda$  be the eigenspaces of  $T$ , denote  $W_\lambda = W \cap V_\lambda$ , and  $W' = \bigoplus_{\lambda} W'_\lambda$ , since  $T|_{V_\lambda} = \lambda 1_{V_\lambda}$ , we can find  $W'_\lambda \leq V_\lambda$  such that  $V_\lambda = W_\lambda \oplus W'_\lambda$ , and of course  $TW'_\lambda \subseteq W'_\lambda$  which implies  $TW' \subseteq W'$ , then we have  $V = \bigoplus_{\lambda} V_\lambda = \bigoplus_{\lambda} W_\lambda \oplus W'_\lambda = \bigoplus_{\lambda} W_\lambda \oplus \bigoplus_{\lambda} W'_\lambda = W \oplus W'$   $\square$

**Definition 8.3.7.** An linear operator  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is called nilpotent if  $T^k = 0$  for some  $k$ ,  $T$  is called unipotent if  $T - 1_V$  is nilpotent

Jordan-Chevalley decomposition

**Definition 8.3.8** (Jordan-Chevalley decomposition). **Jordan-Chevalley decomposition** of a linear operator  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is  $T = T_s + T_n$ , where  $T_s$  is semisimple,  $T_n$  is nilpotent and  $[T_s, T_n] = 0$

Existence of Jordan-Chevalley decomposition

**Theorem 8.3.9.** If  $V$  is a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with  $\mathbb{F}$  being a perfect field, and  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is a linear operator, then Jordan-Chevalley decomposition always exist, additionally, there exist polynomials  $p(t), q(t)$  with no constant terms and  $T_s = p(T), T_n = q(T)$ , moreover, the decomposition is unique

*Proof.* First consider  $\overline{F} = F$ , by Proposition 8.3.3,  $V$  can be decomposed into the direct sum of generalized eigenspaces  $V = \bigoplus_i V_{\lambda_i}$ , where  $V_{\lambda_i} = \ker(T - \lambda_i 1_V)^{m_i}$  with being  $m_i$  being the least and  $\dim V_{\lambda_i} = d_i$ , define  $T_s \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  such that  $T_s|_{V_{\lambda_i}} = \lambda_i 1_{V_{\lambda_i}}$  and  $T_n = T - T_s$ , thus  $T_s$  is diagonalizable(semisimple),  $T_n$  is nilpotent,  $ch_T(t) = \prod_i (t - \lambda_i)^{d_i}$ , by Theorem 5.2.11, there exists polynomial  $p(t)$  such that  $p(t) \equiv 0 \pmod{t}$ ,  $p(t) \equiv \lambda_i \pmod{(t - \lambda_i)^{d_i}}$ , and let  $q(t) = t - p(t)$ , then  $p, q$  doesn't have constant terms and  $T_s = p(T), T_n = q(T)$ . For uniqueness, suppose  $T = T_s + T_n = T'_s + T'_n$  are two such decompositions, then  $T_s - T'_s = T'_n - T_n$  will be nilpotent which implies  $T_s - T'_s = 0$   $\square$

# Chapter 9

## Lie algebra

### 9.1 Non-associative algebra

**Definition 9.1.1.** A nonassociative  $\mathbb{F}$  algebra  $A$  is an  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with multiplication  $\cdot$  that is distributive  $(a + b) \cdot c = a \cdot c + b \cdot c$ ,  $a \cdot (b + c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c$ .  $A$  is **unital** if  $1 \in A$ ,  $A$  is **symmetric** if  $xy = yx$ ,  $A$  is **antisymmetric** if  $xy = -yx$ ,  $A$  satisfies **Jacobi identity** if  $(xy)z + (yz)x + (zx)y = 0$

A homomorphism  $\phi : A \rightarrow B$  is a linear map such that  $\phi(xy) = \phi(x)\phi(y)$

**Definition 9.1.2.** Suppose  $e_1, \dots, e_n$  is a basis of  $A$ ,  $e_i e_j = \sum_k c_k^{ij} e_k$ ,  $c_k^{ij}$  are called **structure constants** with respect to  $e_1, \dots, e_n$ . If  $A$  satisfies Jacobi identity, then

$$\sum_l c_m^{il} c_l^{jk} + \sum_l c_m^{jl} c_l^{ki} + \sum_l c_m^{kl} c_l^{ij} = 0$$

**Definition 9.1.3.**  $B \leq A$  is a **subalgebra** if  $B$  is a subspace such that  $BB \subseteq B$ .  $I \leq A$  is a **left ideal** if  $AI \subseteq I$ . Suppose  $I, J \leq A$  are ideals, define **ideal quotients**  $(J : I) = \{x \in A \mid xI \subseteq J\}$  which is an ideal. Homomorphisms preserve ideals

**Remark 9.1.4.** If  $A$  is (anti)symmetric, left ideals are two-sided ideals

**Definition 9.1.5.**  $A$  is **abelian** if  $AA = 0$ ,  $A$  is **simple** if it is not abelian and the only ideals are 0 and  $A$ ,  $A$  is **semisimple** if  $A = A_1 \oplus \dots \oplus A_n$  is the direct sum of simple subalgebras,  $A$  is **reductive** if  $A = \mathfrak{s} \oplus \mathfrak{a}$  is a direct sum of a semisimple subalgebra  $\mathfrak{s}$  and an abelian subalgebra  $\mathfrak{a}$

**Definition 9.1.6.** A **derivation** is an endomorphism  $D : A \rightarrow A$  such that  $D(ab) = D(a)b + aD(b)$ . Let  $Der_{\mathbb{F}}(A)$  denote all derivations. If  $D_1, D_2 \in Der(A)$ , then  $[D_1, D_2] = D_1 D_2 - D_2 D_1 \in Der(A)$ ,  $Der(A) \leq End(A)$  is a Lie subalgebra

## 9.2 Lie algebras

**Definition 9.2.1.** A **Lie algebra**  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a antisymmetric nonassociative  $\mathbb{F}$  algebra satisfying Jacobi identity, usually with a **Lie bracket**  $[\cdot, \cdot] : \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}$  denote the multiplication. If  $\text{char} \mathbb{F} = 2$ , we also require  $[x, x] = 0$

**Definition 9.2.2.** A  **$\mathfrak{g}$  module**  $V$  is an abelian group with left group action  $\mathfrak{g} \times V \rightarrow V$  such that  $1v = v$ ,  $x(v + w) = xv + xw$ ,  $(x + y)v = xv + yv$ ,  $(xy)v = x(yv) - y(xv)$ . Equivalently, a **Lie algebra representation**  $(\pi, V)$  is a Lie algebra homomorphism  $\pi : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(V)$ , where  $V$  is an  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space,  $xv := \pi(x)v$  give  $V$  the  $\mathfrak{g}$  module structure

**Remark 9.2.3.** A  $\mathfrak{g}$  module is not a module according to Definition 6.1.1

**Definition 9.2.4.** A  **$\mathfrak{g}$  module homomorphism**  $\phi : V \rightarrow W$  between  $\mathfrak{g}$  modules is a group homomorphism such that  $\phi(xv) = x\phi(v)$ . Equivalently, an intertwine map  $\phi : V \rightarrow W$  between Lie algebra representations is a linear map such that  $\phi(\pi_V(x)v) = \pi_W(x)\phi(v)$ , giving the  $\mathfrak{g}$  module homomorphism

A subrepresentation  $(\pi, W)$  is a  $\mathfrak{g}$  submodule  $W \leq V$

Adjoint representation

**Definition 9.2.5.** The **adjoint endomorphism** associated to  $x$  is left multiplication by  $x$ , i.e.  $ad(x)(y) = [x, y]$ , Jacobi identity becomes  $ad([x, y]) = [ad(x), ad(y)]$ , give a Lie algebra representation (adjoint representation)  $ad : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$ ,  $ad(x)$  are called **inner derivations** since  $ad(z)[x, y] = [ad(z)x, y] + [x, ad(z)y]$ .  $ad(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \text{Der}(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  are Lie subalgebras  
Any Lie algebra homomorphism  $\phi : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}$  induce a Lie algebra homomorphism  $\phi : ad(\mathfrak{g}) \rightarrow ad(\mathfrak{h})$  by  $\phi(ad(x)) = ad(\phi(x))$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathfrak{g} & \xrightarrow{\phi} & \mathfrak{h} \\ \downarrow ad & & \downarrow ad \\ ad(\mathfrak{g}) & \xrightarrow{\phi} & ad(\mathfrak{h}) \end{array}$$

**Definition 9.2.6.** Centralizer of  $S$  is defined to be  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(S) := \{g \in \mathfrak{g} \mid [g, S] = 0\}$ , in particular, the center  $Z(\mathfrak{g}) := C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{g})$

Normalizer of  $S$  is defined to be  $N_{\mathfrak{g}}(S) := \{g \in \mathfrak{g} \mid [g, S] \subseteq S\}$

**Definition 9.2.7.**

$$\mathfrak{g} \supseteq [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] \supseteq [[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}], [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]] \supseteq [[[[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}], [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]], [[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}], [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]]] \supseteq \cdots$$

is called the **derived series**,  $\mathfrak{g}$  is **solvable** if derived series terminates

$$\mathfrak{g} \supseteq [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] \supseteq [\mathfrak{g}, [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]] \supseteq [\mathfrak{g}, [\mathfrak{g}, [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]]] \supseteq \cdots$$

is called the **lower central series**,  $\mathfrak{g}$  is **nilpotent** if lower central series terminates

**Example 9.2.8.**  $[\mathfrak{gl}(V), \mathfrak{gl}(V)] = \mathfrak{sl}(V)$

*Proof.* Since  $\text{Tr}[X, Y] = 0$ , thus  $[\mathfrak{gl}(V), \mathfrak{gl}(V)] \leq \mathfrak{sl}(V)$ , conversely  $\square$

**Definition 9.2.9.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a Lie algebra, a Cartan subalgebra  $\mathfrak{h} \leq \mathfrak{g}$  is a nilpotent subalgebra such that  $N_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}) = \mathfrak{h}$  (self normalizing or alternatively  $(\mathfrak{h} : \mathfrak{h}) = \mathfrak{h}$ )

**Definition 9.2.10.** Let  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  be a Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g}$  is called **toral** if  $\mathfrak{g}$  consists of semisimple elements

**Definition 9.2.11.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a Lie algebra, we can show the sum of all solvable ideal is again a solvable ideal, thus  $\mathfrak{g}$  has a unique maximal solvable ideal  $\text{rad}(\mathfrak{g})$ , called the **radical** of  $\mathfrak{g}$

**Definition 9.2.12.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a complex Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g}_0$  is called a **real form** of  $\mathfrak{g}$  if  $\mathfrak{g} \cong \mathfrak{g}_0 \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{C}$

**Example 9.2.13.** Let  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  be Lie subalgebra, the **tautological representation**  $(\tau, V)$  is defined by  $\tau(x) = x$ , then  $\tau([x, y]) = [x, y] = [\tau(x), \tau(y)]$

**Proposition 9.2.14.** Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  is reductive iff its adjoint representation is completely reducible

$$\mathfrak{g} \text{ semisimple, } \phi: \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(V) \text{ representation} \Rightarrow \phi(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{sl}(V)$$

**Lemma 9.2.15.** If  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple Lie algebra, and  $\varphi: \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a Lie algebra representation, then  $\varphi(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{sl}(V)$

*Proof.* By Proposition 9.6.1,  $\varphi(\mathfrak{g}) = \varphi([\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]) \leq [\mathfrak{gl}(V), \mathfrak{gl}(V)] = \mathfrak{sl}(V)$  □

Derivations of semisimple Lie algebra are inner derivations

**Proposition 9.2.16.** If  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a semisimple Lie algebra, then  $ad(\mathfrak{g}) = Der(\mathfrak{g})$

*Proof.* As an abelian ideal of  $\mathfrak{g}$ ,  $Z(\mathfrak{g}) = 0$ , thus  $\mathfrak{g} \xrightarrow{ad} ad(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  is an embedding. Since  $[\delta, ad(x)] = ad(\delta(x))$ ,  $\delta \in Der(\mathfrak{g})$ , thus  $[Der(\mathfrak{g}), ad(\mathfrak{g})] \subseteq ad(\mathfrak{g})$ , Let  $K(\cdot, \cdot)$  be the Killing form on  $Der(\mathfrak{g})$ , due to Proposition 9.6.6(b) and Proposition 9.4.4(c),  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{ad(\mathfrak{g})}$  is nondegenerate, denote  $I := ad(\mathfrak{g})^\perp$  under  $K(\cdot, \cdot)$ , then  $I \cap ad(\mathfrak{g}) = 0$ , otherwise  $0 \neq I \cap ad(\mathfrak{g}) \subseteq \ker K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{ad(\mathfrak{g})}$ , by Exercise 53.0.2,  $[I, ad(\mathfrak{g})] = 0$ , thus for any  $\delta \in I$ ,  $0 = [\delta, ad(x)] = ad(\delta(x))$ , since  $ad$  is an isomorphism,  $\delta(x) = 0$ , thus  $\delta = 0$ ,  $I = 0$ ,  $ad(\mathfrak{g}) = Der(\mathfrak{g})$  □

**Remark 9.2.17.** When  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a semisimple Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{g} \xrightarrow{ad} ad(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  is an embedding, we can identify  $x$  with  $ad(x)$ , by abuse of notations,  $xy$  can be defined to be the preimage of  $ad(x)ad(y) \in \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$

**Lemma 9.2.18.** Let  $G$  be a compact Lie group, we can pick any nonzero  $k$ -form  $\alpha_I$  at  $I$ , and extend it to a  $k$ -form on  $G$  by  $\alpha_A(Y_1, \dots, Y_k) = \alpha_I(Y_1 A^{-1}, \dots, Y_k A^{-1})$ , or just  $R_A^* \alpha_A = \alpha_I$ , then we can define integral  $\int_G f(A) \alpha$ , then we would have  $\int_G f(AB) \alpha = \int_G f(AB) \alpha_A = \int_G f(AB) R_B^* \alpha_{AB} = \int_G f(A) R_B^* \alpha = \int_G f(A) \alpha$ , since  $R_B^* \alpha = \alpha$ , i.e.  $(R_B^* \alpha)_A(X_A) = R_B^* \alpha_{AB}(X_A) = \alpha_A(X_A)$ , thus this integration is right invariant. Note that this actually gives a right invariant Haar measure

**Theorem 9.2.19. Weyl's theorem** Weyl's theorem

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a semisimple Lie algebra and  $\varphi: \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a Lie algebra representation, then  $\varphi$  is completely reducible, namely,  $\mathfrak{g}$  modules are semisimple(completely reducible), thus any irreducible subrepresentation has to be one of the summand in the decomposition

*Proof.* Weyl's unitary trick □

### 9.3 Engel's theorem and Lie's theorem

Lemma for Engel's theorem

**Lemma 9.3.1.** Let  $V \neq 0$  be a finite dimensional vector space, suppose  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a Lie subalgebra consists of nilpotent elements, then there exists  $0 \neq v \in V$  such that  $\mathfrak{g}v = 0$

**Theorem 9.3.2. Engel's theorem** <sup>Engel's theorem</sup> Consider the adjoint representation  $(ad, \mathfrak{g})$  of a finite dimensional Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$ , then  $\mathfrak{g}$  nilpotent iff  $ad(X), X \in \mathfrak{g}$  can be strictly upper triangularized simultaneously iff  $ad(X)$  is nilpotent for any  $X \in \mathfrak{g}$

$\mathfrak{g}$  nilpotent,  $I$  ideal  $\Rightarrow I \cap Z(\mathfrak{g})$  is nontrivial

**Lemma 9.3.3.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a nilpotent Lie algebra,  $I \leq \mathfrak{g}$  is a nonzero ideal, then  $I \cap Z(\mathfrak{g}) \neq 0$ , in particular, if  $I = \mathfrak{g}$  then  $Z(\mathfrak{g}) \neq 0$  which can also easily being shown from the fact that  $Z(\mathfrak{g})$  contains the last nonzero term in the lower central series of  $\mathfrak{g}$

*Proof.* Consider adjoint map restrict on  $I$ , since  $\mathfrak{g}$  is nilpotent,  $ad(X)$  is nilpotent for any  $X \in \mathfrak{g}$ , so is  $ad(X)|_I$ , i.e.  $ad(\mathfrak{g})|_I \leq \mathfrak{gl}(I)$  is a Lie subalgebra consists of nilpotent elements, by Lemma 9.3.1, there exists  $0 \neq Y \in I$  such that  $[X, Y] = 0, \forall X \in \mathfrak{g}$ , thus  $Y \in I \cap Z(\mathfrak{g})$   $\square$

**Theorem 9.3.4. Lie's theorem** <sup>Lie's theorem</sup>

If  $(\pi, V)$  is a finite representation of a finite dimensional Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}, \text{char} \mathbb{F} = 0$ , if  $\mathfrak{g}$  is solvable, so is  $\pi(\mathfrak{g})$ , and  $\pi(X), X \in \mathfrak{g}$  can be upper triangularized simultaneously

**Remark 9.3.5.** If  $(\pi, V)$  is a finite representation of a finite dimensional Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}, \text{char} \mathbb{F} = 0$ , if  $\mathfrak{g}$  is abelian, so is  $\pi(\mathfrak{g})$ , but it doesn't imply  $\pi(X), X \in \mathfrak{g}$  can be diagonalized simultaneously, for example  $\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle \subseteq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathbb{C}^2)$  is abelian, and  $\left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$  is not diagonalizable at all

However, due to Proposition 53.0.5, if  $(\pi, V)$  is a finite representation of a finite dimensional Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ , where  $\mathfrak{g}$  is abelian, so is  $\pi(\mathfrak{g})$ , and suppose  $\pi(X), X \in \mathfrak{g}$  are diagonalizable ( $\pi(\mathfrak{g})$  is a toral Lie subalgebra), then they can be diagonalized simultaneously



## 9.4 Killing form

**Definition 9.4.1.** A bilinear form  $(,)$  on Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  is **invariant** or **associative** if the Lie derivative is zero, i.e.  $(ad_Y X, Z) + (X, ad_Y Z) = 0$ , or equivalently,  $([X, Y], Z) = (X, [Y, Z])$

**Definition 9.4.2.** A **quadratic Lie algebra** is a Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  with an invariant nondegenerate symmetric bilinear form  $(,): \mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$

**Definition 9.4.3.** **Killing form** is the bilinear map  $K(,): \mathfrak{g} \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ ,  $(X, Y) \mapsto \text{Tr}(ad(X)ad(Y))$

Some basic properties of Killing form

**Proposition 9.4.4.**

- (a) The Killing form is symmetric and invariant
- (b) The Killing form on a nilpotent Lie algebra is zero
- (c) Suppose  $I \leq \mathfrak{g}$  is an ideal, then Killing form  $K_I(,)$  on  $I$  is the same as the restriction of Killing form  $K(,)$  to  $I$ , i.e.  $K_I(,) = K(,)|_I$

*Proof.*

- (a)
- (b) Due to Theorem 9.3.2
- (c) By Exercise 46.1.4, for  $X, Y \in I$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_I(X, Y) &= \text{Tr}(ad(X)|_I ad(Y)|_I) \\
 &= \text{Tr}((ad(X)ad(Y))|_I) \\
 &= \text{Tr}(ad(X)ad(Y)) \\
 &= K(X, Y) \\
 &= K(X, Y)|_I
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Example 9.4.5.** The Killing form is a symmetric, bilinear and invariant form, and it is nondegenerate iff  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple due to Proposition 9.6.6

nondegenerate, symmetric, bilinear and invariant form is unique up to scalar

**Lemma 9.4.6.** Any invariant, symmetric and bilinear form on simple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a multiple of the Killing form

*Proof.* Suppose  $(,)$  is an invariant, symmetric and bilinear form, so is  $[,]_c = (,) - cK(,)$  for any  $c$ . If  $(,) \neq 0$ , then there exists  $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$  such that  $[x, y]_c = 0$  for some  $c$ , since the kernel of  $[,]_c$  is a nonzero ideal,  $[,]_c = 0$  □

## 9.5 Jordan-Chevalley decomposition

Abstract Jordan-Chevalley decomposition on nonassociative  $\mathbb{F}$ -algebras

**Lemma 9.5.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a finite dimensional nonassociative  $\mathbb{F}$  algebra (including Lie algebra) with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ , for any  $\delta \in \text{Der}(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$ , let  $\delta = \delta_s + \delta_n$  be its Jordan-Chevalley decomposition in  $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$ , then  $\delta_s, \delta_n \in \text{Der}(\mathfrak{g})$

*Proof.* For any  $a \in \mathbb{F}$ , define  $\mathfrak{g}_a$  be the generalized eigenspace of  $a$ , then we have  $\mathfrak{g} = \bigoplus_{a \in \mathbb{F}} \mathfrak{g}_a$ , and  $[\mathfrak{g}_a, \mathfrak{g}_b] \subseteq \mathfrak{g}_{a+b}$ , since for any  $x \in \mathfrak{g}_a, y \in \mathfrak{g}_b$ ,  $(\delta - (a+b)1_{\mathfrak{g}})^m([x, y]) = \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k} [(\delta - a1_{\mathfrak{g}})^{m-k}x, (\delta - b1_{\mathfrak{g}})^k y]$  which can be easily checked by induction. Then we have  $\delta_s(x) = ax, \delta_s(y) = by$ , and  $\delta_s([x, y]) = (a+b)[x, y] = [ax, y] + [x, by] = [\delta_s(x), y] + [x, \delta_s(y)]$ , thus  $\delta_s \in \text{Der}(\mathfrak{g})$ , so does  $\delta_n = \delta - \delta_s$   $\square$

**Definition 9.5.2. Abstract Jordan-Chevalley decomposition on semisimple Lie algebras**  
Abstract Jordan-Chevalley decomposition on semisimple Lie algebras

Because Lemma 9.5.1 and Proposition 9.2.16, for any  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we can identify  $x$  with  $ad(x)$ , and we have Jordan-Chevalley decomposition  $ad(x) = ad(x)_s + ad(x)_n = ad(x_s) + ad(x_n)$ , where  $x_s, x_n$  are defined to be the preimages of  $ad(x)_s, ad(x)_n$ . Moreover, there exists polynomials  $p(t), q(t)$  with no constant terms such that  $ad(x_s) = ad(x)_s = p(ad(x))$ ,  $ad(x_n) = ad(x)_n = q(ad(x))$ , by abuse of notations,  $x_s = p(x)$  and  $x_n = q(x)$

Semisimple Lie algebra contains the semisimple and nilpotent parts of its elements

**Theorem 9.5.3.** Suppose  $V$  is a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ ,  $\text{char} \mathbb{F} = 0$ ,  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a semisimple Lie algebra, for any  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ ,  $x = x_s + x_n$  is the Jordan-Chevalley decomposition in  $\mathfrak{gl}(V)$ , moreover, the abstract and usual Jordan-Chevalley decompositions coincide, i.e.  $ad(x_s) = ad(x)_s, ad(x_n) = ad(x)_n$

*Proof.* Define Lie subalgebras  $\mathfrak{l}_W := \{y \in \mathfrak{gl}(V) | yW \subseteq W, \text{Tr}(y|_W) = 0\}$  with  $W \leq V$  being  $\mathfrak{g}$  submodules, and define  $\mathfrak{l} = \left( \bigcap_W \mathfrak{l}_W \right) \cap N_{\mathfrak{gl}(V)}(\mathfrak{g})$ , for any  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ , due to Proposition 46.1.4 and Lemma 9.2.15,  $\text{Tr}(x|_W) = \text{Tr}(x) = 0$ ,  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{l}_W \Rightarrow \mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{l}$ , thus  $\mathfrak{l}$  is a subalgebra of  $N_{\mathfrak{gl}(V)}(\mathfrak{g})$  of containing  $\mathfrak{g}$ , thus  $\mathfrak{l}$  is finite dimensional  $\mathfrak{g}$  module, by Theorem 9.2.19,  $\mathfrak{l} = \mathfrak{g} \oplus \mathfrak{h}$  is a direct sum of  $\mathfrak{g}$  modules, since  $\mathfrak{l} \leq N_{\mathfrak{gl}(V)}(\mathfrak{g})$ ,  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{l}] = 0 \Rightarrow [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{h}] = 0$ , i.e.  $\mathfrak{g}$  acts trivially on  $\mathfrak{h}$ , fix any irreducible  $\mathfrak{g}$  submodule  $W$ , for any  $y \in \mathfrak{h}, x \in \mathfrak{g}, xy - yx = [x, y] = 0, yxv = xyv$  for  $v \in W$ , i.e.  $y \in \text{Hom}_{\mathfrak{g}}(W, W)$ , by Lemma 6.1.12,  $y$  acts on  $W$  as a scalar, but  $\text{Tr}(y|_W) = 0$ , thus  $y$  acts trivially on  $W$ , again by Theorem 9.2.19,  $V$  can be written as the direct sum of irreducible  $\mathfrak{g}$  submodules, thus  $y$  acts trivially on  $W \Rightarrow y = 0$ , therefore  $\mathfrak{h}_j = 0 \Rightarrow \mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{l}$ , for any  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ , due to Theorem 8.3.9,  $x = x_s + x_n$  and  $x_s = p(x), x_n = q(x)$  for some polynomials  $p(x), q(x)$  with no constant terms, thus if  $x \in \mathfrak{l}_W, xW \subseteq W$  and  $\text{Tr}(x|_W) = 0$ , then  $x_s W = p(x)W \subseteq W, \text{Tr}(x_s|_W) = \text{Tr}(p(x)|_W) = 0$ , similarly,  $x_n W \subseteq W, \text{Tr}(x_n|_W) = 0, x_s, x_n \in \mathfrak{l}_W$ , also  $x_s = p(x), x_n = q(x) \in N_{\mathfrak{gl}(V)}(\mathfrak{g})$ , thus  $x_s, x_n \in \mathfrak{l} = \mathfrak{g}$ . Since the Jordan-Chevalley decomposition of  $ad(x)$  in  $\mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is unique and  $ad(x_s) + ad(x_n) = ad(x) = ad(x)_s + ad(x)_n$ , thus  $ad(x_s) = ad(x)_s, ad(x_n) = ad(x)_n$   $\square$

**Corollary 9.5.4.** Suppose  $V$  is a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ ,  $\text{char} \mathbb{F} = 0$ ,  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a semisimple Lie algebra, and  $\phi : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a Lie algebra representation,  $x = x_s + x_n$  is the abstract Jordan-Chevalley decomposition, then  $\phi(x) = \phi(x_s) + \phi(x_n)$  is the usual Jordan-Chevalley decomposition in  $\mathfrak{gl}(V)$

*Proof.* Due to Proposition 9.6.2,  $\phi(\mathfrak{g})$  is also semisimple

First notice that a linear operator  $T \in \text{End}_{\mathbb{F}}(V)$  is diagonalizable (semisimple) iff the dimension of the sum of its eigenspaces is  $\dim V$ , or equivalently iff all eigenvectors span  $V$

Since  $ad(x_s)$  is semisimple in  $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  as in Proposition 9.2.16, the eigenvectors  $y_i$ 's of  $ad(x_s)$  spans  $\mathfrak{g}$ , say  $ad(x_s)(y_i) = \lambda_i y_i$ , then as in Definition 9.2.5,  $ad(\phi(x_s))(\phi(y_i)) = [\phi(x_s), \phi(y_i)] =$

$\phi([x_s, y_i]) = \phi(ad(x_s)(y_i)) = \phi(\lambda_i y_i) = \lambda_i \phi(y_i)$ , thus those  $0 \neq \phi(y_i)$  are eigenvectors of  $\phi(\mathfrak{g})$ , hence  $ad(\phi(x_s))$  is semisimple in  $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{gl}(V))$

Since  $ad(x_n)$  is semisimple in  $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  as in Proposition 9.2.16,  $ad(x_n)^m = 0$  for some  $m$ , then as in Definition 9.2.5  $ad(\phi(x_n))^m = \phi(ad(x_n))^m = \phi(ad(x_n)^m) = 0$ , thus  $ad(\phi(x_n))$  is also nilpotent in  $\mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{gl}(V))$

Moreover, as in Definition 9.2.5,  $[ad(\phi(x_s)), ad(\phi(x_n))] = [\phi(ad(x_s)), \phi(ad(x_n))] = \phi([ad(x_s), ad(x_n)]) = 0$

Thus  $\phi(x) = \phi(x_s) + \phi(x_n)$  is the abstract Jordan-Chevalley decomposition of  $\phi(x)$  in  $\phi(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$ , by Theorem 9.5.3, this coincide with the usual Jordan-Chevalley decomposition of  $\phi(x) = \phi(x)_s + \phi(x)_n$  in  $\mathfrak{gl}(V)$ , i.e.  $\phi(x_s) = \phi(x)_s$ ,  $\phi(x_n) = \phi(x)_n$   $\square$

## 9.6 Classification of semisimple Lie algebras

$\mathfrak{g}$  simple implies  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] = \mathfrak{g}$

**Proposition 9.6.1.** Let  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_n$  be a semisimple Lie algebra, then any ideal of  $\mathfrak{g}$  is certain sum of  $\mathfrak{g}_i$ 's, and any sum of  $\mathfrak{g}_i$ 's is an ideal, in particular,  $\mathfrak{g}_i$ 's are ideals, moreover,  $\mathfrak{g} = [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$

*Proof.* any ideal  $I \leq \mathfrak{g}$  is certain sum of  $\mathfrak{g}_i$ 's, because  $I \cap \mathfrak{g}_i$  is an ideal of  $\mathfrak{g}_i$  which is either 0 or  $\mathfrak{g}_i$  itself

If  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a simple Lie algebra, then it is not abelian,  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] \neq 0$ , thus  $\mathfrak{g} = [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$ , generally,  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] = [\mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_n, \mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_n] = [\mathfrak{g}_1, \mathfrak{g}_1] \oplus \cdots \oplus [\mathfrak{g}_n, \mathfrak{g}_n] = \mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_n = \mathfrak{g}$   $\square$

image of a semisimple Lie algebra is also semisimple

**Proposition 9.6.2.** If  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple,  $\phi : \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}$  is a Lie algebra homomorphism, then  $\phi(\mathfrak{g})$  is also semisimple

*Proof.* Suppose  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathfrak{g}_n$  is a direct sum of simple Lie algebras,  $\phi(\mathfrak{g}_i)$  are also ideals so  $\phi(\mathfrak{g}) = \phi(\mathfrak{g}_1) \oplus \cdots \oplus \phi(\mathfrak{g}_n)$  is a direct sum of ideals, and  $[\phi(\mathfrak{g}_i), \phi(\mathfrak{g}_i)] = \phi([\mathfrak{g}_i, \mathfrak{g}_i]) = \phi(\mathfrak{g}_i)$  implies that each  $\phi(\mathfrak{g}_i)$  is simple or 0, thus  $\phi(\mathfrak{g})$  is also semisimple  $\square$

nilpotent/semisimple implies ad-nilpotent/ad-semisimple

**Proposition 9.6.3.** Let  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  be a Lie algebra,  $X \in \mathfrak{g}$ , then  $X$  is nilpotent  $\Rightarrow \text{ad}(X)$  is nilpotent, if in addition  $V$  is finite dimensional and  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ , then  $X$  is semisimple  $\Rightarrow \text{ad}(X)$  is semisimple, or rather diagonalizable

*Proof.* Let  $L_X, R_X$  be left and right multiplications by  $X$ , then we have  $\text{ad}_X = L_X - R_X$  and  $[L_X, R_X] = 0$ , thus  $X$  is nilpotent  $\Rightarrow \text{ad}(X)$  is nilpotent

Notice that given  $A = (a_{ij})$ ,  $D = \text{diag}(d_1, \dots, d_n)$ ,  $[D, A] = ((d_i - d_j)a_{ij})$ , thus  $[D, E_{ij}] = (d_i - d_j)E_{ij}$ , thus  $X$  is diagonalizable  $\Rightarrow \text{ad}(X)$  is diagonalizable  $\square$

Cartan's criterion for solvability

**Theorem 9.6.4** (Cartan's criterion for solvability). Let  $V$  be a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with  $\text{char } \mathbb{F} = 0$ ,  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  is a Lie subalgebra, then  $\mathfrak{g}$  is solvable iff  $\text{Tr}(XY) = 0$ ,  $\forall X \in \mathfrak{g}, Y \in [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$

**Corollary 9.6.5. Cartan's criterion for semisimplicity** Cartan's criterion for semisimplicity

Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  is finite dimensional Lie algebra with  $\text{char } \mathbb{F} = 0$ , then  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple iff its Killing form is nondegenerate

Equivalent conditions for semisimplicity

**Proposition 9.6.6.** The following statements are equivalent

- (a)  $\mathfrak{g}$  is semisimple
- (b) The Killing form is nondegenerate
- (c)  $\mathfrak{g}$  doesn't have nontrivial abelian ideals
- (d)  $\mathfrak{g}$  doesn't have nontrivial solvable ideals
- (e)  $\text{rad}(\mathfrak{g}) = 0$

*Proof.* (a)  $\Leftrightarrow$  (b) is due to Corollary 9.6.5  $\square$

Adjoint representation of  $\text{SL}(2, \mathbb{F})$

**Example 9.6.7.**

Recall  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F}) = \{X \in M(2, \mathbb{F}) \mid \text{Tr}(X) = 0\} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & -a \end{pmatrix} \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{F} \right\}$

$\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F}) = \langle H, X, Y \rangle$ , where  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $\text{ad}_H X = [H, X] = 2X$ ,  $\text{ad}_H Y = [H, Y] = -2Y$ ,  $\text{ad}_X Y = [X, Y] = H$ , this is the adjoint representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$

**Lemma 9.6.8.** Let  $(\pi, V)$  be a finite dimensional representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$ , if  $V = \mathbb{F}^n$ , then there are three  $n \times n$  matrices  $x, y, h$  such that  $[h, x] = 2x$ ,  $[h, y] = -2y$ ,  $[x, y] = h$  due to Example 9.6.7

**Lemma 9.6.9.** Let  $(\pi, V)$  be a finite dimensional representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$ ,  $V_\lambda := \{v \in V \mid \pi(H)v = \lambda v\}$ , then  $\pi(X)V_\lambda \subseteq V_{\lambda+2}$ ,  $\pi(Y)V_\lambda \subseteq V_{\lambda-2}$  and  $\pi(H)V_\lambda \subseteq V_\lambda$

*Proof.*  $\pi(H)V_\lambda \subseteq V_\lambda$  is just by definition, suppose  $v \in V_\lambda$ ,  $\pi(H)\pi(X)v = 2\pi(X)v + \pi(X)\pi(H)v = (\lambda + 2)\pi(X)v$ ,  $\pi(H)\pi(Y)v = -2\pi(Y)v + \pi(Y)\pi(H)v = (\lambda - 2)\pi(Y)v$ ,  $\square$

**Remark 9.6.10.**  $\pi(X), \pi(Y)$  are named **raising and lowering operator**

Classification of representations of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$

**Theorem 9.6.11.** Suppose  $\bar{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ ,  $\text{char } \mathbb{F} = 0$ , for any integer  $m \geq 0$ , there is an irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  with dimension  $m + 1$

*Proof.* Let  $(\pi, V)$  be a finite dimensional irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$ , there exists highest  $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$  such that  $V_\lambda \neq 0$ , pick  $0 \neq u \in V_\lambda$ , let  $u_k := \pi(Y)^k u \in V_{\lambda-2k}$ , then there exists  $m$  such that  $u_m \neq 0$  but  $u_{m+1} = 0$ , then  $u_0, \dots, u_m$  are independent since they belong distinct eigenspaces, with  $\pi(H)u_k = (\lambda - 2k)u_k$ ,  $\pi(X)u_0 = \pi(X)u = 0$  since  $u \in V_\lambda$  is of "highest weight", and  $\pi(X)u_k = k(\lambda - k + 1)u_{k-1}$ ,  $k > 0$  by induction,  $\pi(X)u_1 = \pi(X)\pi(Y)u = ([\pi(X), \pi(Y)] + \pi(Y)\pi(X))u = \pi(H)u + \pi(Y)\pi(X)u = \lambda u = 1(\lambda - 1 + 1)u_0$ ,  $\pi(X)u_{k+1} = \pi(X)\pi(Y)u_k = ([\pi(X), \pi(Y)] + \pi(Y)\pi(X))u_k = \pi(H)u_k + \pi(Y)\pi(X)u_k = (\lambda - 2k)u_k + k(\lambda - k + 1)\pi(Y)u_{k-1} = (k + 1)(\lambda - k)u_k$

Note that since  $0 = Xu_{m+1} = (m + 1)(\lambda - m)u_m \Rightarrow \lambda = m$ , which implies all possible eigenvalue for  $\pi(H)$  has to be integers, when  $m$  is even, we call this irreducible representation even, when  $m$  is odd, we call this irreducible representation odd

In general, for any finite dimensional representation, we can decompose the representation into irreducible subrepresentations by using this procedure repeatedly

Therefore  $0 \neq W := \langle u_0, \dots, u_m \rangle$  is invariant, but  $\pi$  is irreducible, thus  $V = W$ , and by Lemma 6.1.12,  $(\pi, V)$  is unique up to isomorphism  $\square$

Adjoint representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  is the unique 3 dimensional irreducible representation

**Example 9.6.12.**  $(ad, \mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F}))$  is the unique irreducible 3 dimensional representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  with  $V_0 = \langle H \rangle$ ,  $V_{-2} = \langle Y \rangle$  and  $V_2 = \langle X \rangle$ , it is irreducible because of Lemma 9.6.15, if we use  $X, Y, H$  as basis, then  $ad(X), ad(Y), ad(H)$  would have the matrix forms

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus

$$K(X, X) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0, \quad K(X, Y) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 4$$

$$K(X, H) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0, \quad K(Y, Y) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$K(Y, H) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0, \quad K(H, H) = Tr \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 8$$

Thus its Cartan matrix is  $\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$  which is nondegenerate

Tautological representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$

**Example 9.6.13.** The tautological representation  $(\tau, \mathbb{F}^2)$  is the unique irreducible 2 dimensional representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  with  $V_1 = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$ ,  $V_{-1} = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$

**Example 9.6.14.** Let  $S^k(\mathbb{F}^2)$  be the  $k$ -th symmetric power of  $\mathbb{F}^2$  which is isomorphic to the set of degree  $k$  polynomials in  $\mathbb{F}[x, y]$  generated by  $\langle x^k, x^{k-1}y, \dots, xy^{k-1}, y^k \rangle$  which is of dimension  $k + 1$ , with this identification,  $(\pi, S^k(\mathbb{F}^2))$  with

$\pi(X)(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0$ ,  $\pi(X)y = x$ ,  $\pi(Y)x = y$ ,  $\pi(Y)y = 0$ ,  $\pi(H)x = x$ ,  $\pi(H)y = -y$ , just as in Example 9.6.13, and define inductively that  $\pi(Z)(fg) = g\pi(Z)f + f\pi(Z)g$ , this is the unique  $k+1$  dimensional irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$

Count the number irreducible summand of a representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$

**Lemma 9.6.15.** Let  $(\pi, V)$  be a finite dimensional irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$ , and  $V_k$  be the  $k$ -eigenspace of  $\pi(H)$ , then the number of irreducible summand of  $(\pi, V)$  is  $\dim V_0 + \dim V_1$ , whereas  $\dim V_0, \dim V_1$  are number of even and odd irreducible summands

*Proof.* In an even irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  all the eigenvalues are even, so there is a unique 0-eigenvector, in an odd irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  all the eigenvalues are odd, so there is a unique 1-eigenvector, thus the number of irreducible summand of  $(\pi, V)$  is  $\dim V_0 + \dim V_1$   $\square$

**Definition 9.6.16.**  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a semisimple Lie algebra,  $\mathfrak{h}$  is a maximal toral Lie algebra. For  $\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^* = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(\mathfrak{h}, \mathbb{F})$ , define **root spaces**

$$\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} = \{x \in \mathfrak{g} | \text{ad}_{\mathfrak{h}}(x) = [h, x] = \alpha(h)x, \forall h \in \mathfrak{h}\}$$

$\alpha$  is a **root** if  $\alpha \neq 0$  and  $\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} \neq 0$ , denote the set of roots as  $\Delta$ .  $\mathfrak{g}_0 = C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is the centralizer of  $\mathfrak{h}$   
Basic properties of root spaces

**Proposition 9.6.17.**

- (a)  $[\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, \mathfrak{g}_{\beta}] \subseteq \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha+\beta}$
- (b)  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , any  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}$  is nilpotent
- (c)  $K(\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, \mathfrak{g}_{\beta}) = 0$  unless  $\alpha + \beta = 0$
- (d)  $K(, )|_{\mathfrak{g}_0}$  is nondegenerate

*Proof.*

- (a) For  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, Y \in \mathfrak{g}_{\beta}, Z \in \mathfrak{h}$ , we have

$$[Z, [X, Y]] = [[Z, X], Y] + [X, [Z, Y]] = \alpha(Z)[X, Y] + \beta(Z)[X, Y] = (\alpha + \beta)(Z)[X, Y]$$

- (b) For  $\beta \in \Delta \cup \{0\}, \alpha \in \Delta, X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, Y \in \mathfrak{g}_{\beta}, \text{ad}(X)^n(Y) \in \mathfrak{g}_{n\alpha+\beta} = 0$  when  $n$  is big enough, thus  $\text{ad}(X)$  is nilpotent
- (c) Suppose  $\alpha + \beta \neq 0$ , then there exists  $Z \in \mathfrak{h}$  such that  $(\alpha + \beta)(Z) \neq 0$ , then for any  $X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, Y \in \mathfrak{g}_{\beta}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\alpha + \beta)(Z)K(X, Y) &= \alpha(Z)K(X, Y) + \beta(Z)K(X, Y) \\ &= K(\alpha(Z)X, Y) + K(X, \beta(Z)Y) \\ &= K([Z, X], Y) + K(X, [Z, Y]) \\ &= -K([X, Z], Y) + K(X, [Z, Y]) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $K(X, Y) = 0$

- (d) Since  $K(\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, \mathfrak{h}) = 0, \forall \alpha \in \Delta, \ker K(, )|_{\mathfrak{g}_0} \subseteq \ker K(, ) = 0$ , thus  $K(, )|_{\mathfrak{g}_0}$  is nondegenerate

$\square$

Root space decomposition

**Theorem 9.6.18.** Semisimple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  has root space decomposition  $\mathfrak{g} = \bigoplus_{\alpha \in \Delta \cup \{0\}} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}$

*Proof.* By Proposition 9.6.17  $\square$

$x, y$  in  $\mathfrak{gl}(V)$  commutes,  $x$  nilpotent  $\Rightarrow xy$  nilpotent

**Lemma 9.6.19.**  $V$  is an  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space,  $x, y \in \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  commutes,  $x$  is nilpotent, then  $xy$  is nilpotent, and  $\text{Tr}(xy) = 0$

*Proof.*  $x^m = 0 \Rightarrow (xy)^m = x^m y^m = 0$  □

Maximal toral Lie algebra of semisimple Lie algebra is self centralizing

**Proposition 9.6.20.** For semisimple Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  with maximal toral Lie subalgebra  $\mathfrak{h}$ ,  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}) = \mathfrak{h}$

*Proof.*

**Step I:**  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  contains semisimple and nilpotent parts of its elements

If  $x \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$ , due to Proposition 9.5.2, there are polynomials  $p(t), q(t)$  with no constant terms such that  $\text{ad}(x_s) = \text{ad}(x)_s = p(\text{ad}(x))$ ,  $\text{ad}(x_n) = \text{ad}(x)_n = q(\text{ad}(x))$ , since  $x \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$ ,  $\text{ad}(x)|_{\mathfrak{h}} = 0$ ,  $\text{ad}(x_s)|_{\mathfrak{h}} = p(\text{ad}(x))|_{\mathfrak{h}} = 0$ ,  $\text{ad}(x_n)|_{\mathfrak{h}} = q(\text{ad}(x))|_{\mathfrak{h}} = 0$ , thus  $x_s, x_n \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$

**Step II:**  $\mathfrak{h}$  contains all semisimple elements of  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$

If  $s \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  be a semisimple element, use Exercise 53.0.4,  $s$  and elements of  $\mathfrak{h}$  are diagonalizable simultaneously, thus  $\mathfrak{h} + \langle s \rangle$  is toral in  $\mathfrak{g}$ , then  $s \in \mathfrak{h}$  since  $\mathfrak{h}$  is maximal

**Step III:**  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  is nondegenerate

Suppose there exists  $h \in \mathfrak{h}$  such that  $K(h, h) = 0$ , if  $n \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  be a nilpotent element, then  $\text{ad}(n)$  is nilpotent, and  $[n, h] = 0$ , thus  $[\text{ad}(n), \text{ad}(h)] = \text{ad}([n, h]) = 0$ , by Lemma 9.6.19,  $\text{Tr}(\text{ad}(n)\text{ad}(h)) = 0$ , if  $s \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  be a semisimple element, according to Step II,  $s \in \mathfrak{h}$ , thus  $K(s, h) = 0$ , and according to Step I,  $K(h, C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})) = 0$  which contradicts Proposition 9.6.17(d) that  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})}$  is nondegenerate

**Step IV:**  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is nilpotent

If  $n \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  be a nilpotent element, then  $\text{ad}(n)$  is nilpotent, so is  $\text{ad}(n)|_{C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})}$ , if  $s \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  be a semisimple element, according to Step II,  $s \in \mathfrak{h}$ ,  $\text{ad}(s)|_{C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})} = 0$ , by Theorem 9.3.2,  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is nilpotent

**Step V:**  $\mathfrak{h} \cap [C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}), C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})] = 0$

Suppose  $x \in \mathfrak{h} \cap [C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}), C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})]$ , then  $x = \sum [y_i, z_i]$  where  $y_i, z_i \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$ , then  $K(x, x) = \sum K(x, [y_i, z_i]) = \sum K([x, y_i], z_i) = 0$ , since  $K(\cdot, \cdot)$  is nondegenerate on  $\mathfrak{h}$  (or  $\mathfrak{g}$  or  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$ ), thus  $x = 0$

**Step VI:**  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is abelian

Suppose  $[C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}), C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})] \neq 0$ , since  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is nilpotent from Step IV, by Lemma 9.3.3, there exists  $0 \neq z \in Z(C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})) \cap [C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}), C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})]$ , then  $z$  can't be semisimple, otherwise  $z \in \mathfrak{h} \cap [C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}), C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})]$ , contradicting Step V, thus its nilpotent part  $n \neq 0$ , but its semisimple part  $s \in \mathfrak{h} \leq Z(C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}))$ , so is  $n = z - s$ , but then  $[n, C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})] = 0$ , by Lemma 9.6.19,  $K(n, C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})) = 0$ , contradicting Proposition 9.6.17(d)

**Step VII:**  $\mathfrak{h} = C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$

Suppose  $x \in C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h}) \setminus \mathfrak{h}$ , then it gives a nonzero nilpotent part  $n$ , but then since  $C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})$  is abelian by Step VI, thus  $[n, C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})] = 0$ , by Lemma 9.6.19,  $K(n, C_{\mathfrak{g}}(\mathfrak{h})) = 0$ , contradicting Proposition 9.6.17(d) □

**Remark 9.6.21.**  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  is nondegenerate is not the same as saying that the Killing form of  $\mathfrak{h}$  is nondegenerate which obviously violates Proposition 9.6.6, it doesn't contradict Proposition 9.4.4 since  $\mathfrak{h} \leq \mathfrak{g}$  is merely a Lie subalgebra but not an ideal, by the nondegeneracy, we can identify  $\mathfrak{h}^*$  with  $\mathfrak{h}$  by  $\mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}, \alpha \mapsto t_\alpha$ , where  $K(t_\alpha, x) = \alpha(x)$ , and here  $t$  behaves like the linear isomorphism  $t : \mathfrak{h}^* \rightarrow \mathfrak{h}, \alpha \mapsto t_\alpha$

Some properties about root space decomposition

**Proposition 9.6.22.**

- (a)  $\Delta$  spans  $\mathfrak{h}^*$
- (b)  $\alpha \in \Delta \Rightarrow -\alpha \in \Delta$
- (c)  $\alpha \in \Delta, x \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, y \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$ , then  $[x, y] = K(x, y)t_\alpha$
- (d)  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $0 \neq [\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}] = \langle t_\alpha \rangle$
- (e) If  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $\alpha(t_\alpha) = K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha) \neq 0$
- (f) If  $\alpha \in \Delta, 0 \neq x_\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha$ , then there exists  $y_\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$  such that  $K(x_\alpha, y_\alpha) = \frac{2}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}$ ,  
define  $h_\alpha := [x_\alpha, y_\alpha] = \frac{2t_\alpha}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}$ , then  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha := \langle x_\alpha, y_\alpha, h_\alpha \rangle$  is isomorphic to  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{F})$  via  
 $x_\alpha \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, y_\alpha \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, h_\alpha \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
- (g) Given  $\alpha \in \Delta, (ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{g})$  will be a representation of  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$ , thus  $\mathfrak{g}$  can be decomposed into irreducible representations of  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$ , and the highest eigenvectors for this representation are also common highest eigenvectors of  $ad(\mathfrak{h})$

*Proof.*

- (a) Suppose  $\langle \Delta \rangle \subsetneq \mathfrak{h}^*$ , then there exists  $0 \neq h \in \mathfrak{h}$ , such that  $\forall \alpha \in \Delta, \alpha(h) = 0$ , then  $\forall x \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, [h, x] = \alpha(h)x = 0$ , and since  $\mathfrak{h}$  is abelian,  $[h, \mathfrak{h}] = 0$ , thus  $[h, \mathfrak{g}] = 0$ , but then  $h \in Z(\mathfrak{g}) = 0$  which is a contradiction
- (b) If  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , and  $\mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha} = 0$ , then  $K(\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_\beta) = 0, \forall \beta$  by Proposition 9.6.17(c), then  $\mathfrak{g}_\alpha = 0$  which is a contradiction
- (c)  $\forall h \in \mathfrak{h}, K(h, [x, y]) = K([h, x], y) = K(\alpha(h)x, y) = K(t_\alpha, h)K(x, y) = K(h, K(x, y)t_\alpha)$ , since  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  is nondegenerate,  $[x, y] = K(x, y)t_\alpha$
- (d) Only need to show that  $[\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}] \neq 0$ . There exists  $x \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, y \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$  such that  $K(x, y) \neq 0$ , otherwise then  $K(\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_\beta) = 0, \forall \beta$  by Proposition 9.6.17(c), then  $\mathfrak{g}_\alpha = 0$  which is a contradiction, thus  $[x, y] = K(x, y)t_\alpha \neq 0$  by (c)
- (e) Suppose instead  $\alpha(t_\alpha) = 0$ , then  $[t_\alpha, x] = [t_\alpha, y] = 0, \forall x \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, y \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$ , by nondegeneracy, we can find  $x \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha, y \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$  such that  $K(x, y) = 1$ , then by (c),  $[x, y] = K(x, y)t_\alpha = t_\alpha$ , thus  $\mathfrak{s} = \langle x, y, t_\alpha \rangle \cong ad(\mathfrak{s}) \leq ad(\mathfrak{g}) \leq \mathfrak{gl}(\mathfrak{g})$  is a 3 dimensional solvable Lie algebra, by Theorem 9.3.4, for any  $s \in [\mathfrak{s}, \mathfrak{s}]$ ,  $ad(s)$  is nilpotent, thus  $ad(t_\alpha)$  is both semisimple and nilpotent, hence  $ad(t_\alpha) = 0 \Rightarrow t_\alpha = 0$  which is a contradiction
- (f)  $[h_\alpha, x_\alpha] = \frac{2}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}[t_\alpha, x_\alpha] = \frac{2}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}\alpha(t_\alpha)x_\alpha = 2x_\alpha [h_\alpha, y_\alpha] = \frac{2}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}[t_\alpha, y_\alpha] = -\frac{2}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}\alpha(t_\alpha)y_\alpha = -2y_\alpha$
- (g) Suppose  $x \in \mathfrak{g}$  is a highest eigenvector of representation  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{g})$ , then  $0 = ad(x_\alpha)(x) = [x_\alpha, x], \forall h \in \mathfrak{h}, [x_\alpha, ad(h)(x)] = [x_\alpha, [h, x]] = [[x_\alpha, h], x] + [h, [x_\alpha, x]] = [-\alpha(h)x_\alpha, x] = 0$

□



**Remark 9.6.23.** In (f), the choice of  $x_\alpha$  is not canonical, however,  $h_\alpha = \frac{2t_\alpha}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}$  is canonical, alpha check is canonical

for example, if we pick  $0 \neq x_{-\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha}$ ,  $s_{-\alpha} = \langle x_{-\alpha}, y_{-\alpha}, h_{-\alpha} \rangle$ , then  $h_{-\alpha} = h_\alpha = \frac{2t_{-\alpha}}{K(t_{-\alpha}, t_{-\alpha})} = -h_\alpha$ , moreover, according to Lemma 9.4.6, any nondegenerate, symmetric, bilinear and invariant form on  $\mathfrak{h}$  is of the form  $(, ) := cK(, )|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  for some  $c \neq 0$ , then  $t'_\alpha$  the dual of  $\alpha \in \mathfrak{h}^*$  given by  $(t'_\alpha, x) = \alpha(x), \forall x \in \mathfrak{h}$ , then we have  $K(t_\alpha, x) = \alpha(x) = (t'_\alpha, x) = cK(t'_\alpha, x) = K(ct'_\alpha, x)$ , because of the nondegeneracy of  $K(, )|_{\mathfrak{h}}$ ,  $t_\alpha = ct'_\alpha \Rightarrow t'_\alpha = \frac{t_\alpha}{c}$ , and  $\frac{2t'_\alpha}{(t'_\alpha, t'_\alpha)} = \frac{2\frac{t_\alpha}{c}}{cK(\frac{t_\alpha}{c}, \frac{t_\alpha}{c})} = \frac{2t_\alpha}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)} = h_\alpha$ , thus  $h_\alpha$  is even canonical defined regardless of the choice of the nondegenerate, symmetric, bilinear and invariant form on  $\mathfrak{h}$ , for this reason, we give  $h_\alpha$  a new notation  $\alpha^\vee$  for later use, whereas  $\alpha(\alpha^\vee) = 2$ , for any nondegenerate, symmetric, bilinear and invariant form on  $\mathfrak{h}$ , note that  $\alpha \mapsto \alpha^\vee$  is not linear

Also, according to Lemma 9.4.6, even though  $(, )$  is defined up to a scalar, but the orthogonality is always well defined

Due to Proposition 9.6.22(g), if  $0 \neq x \in \mathfrak{g}$  is a highest eigenvector for representation of  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{g})$ , then  $x \in \mathfrak{g}_\beta$ , for some  $\beta \in \Delta \cup \{0\}$ , when  $\beta = 0$ , these corresponds to the trivial representations, if  $\beta \in \Delta$ , we can denote one such highest eigenvector  $0 \neq x_\beta \in \mathfrak{g}_\beta$ , then  $ad(h_\alpha)(x_\beta) = [h_\alpha, x_\beta] = \beta(h_\alpha)x_\beta$ , thus  $x_\beta$  is a  $\beta(h_\alpha) = \frac{2K(t_\alpha, t_\beta)}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}$ -eigenvector, by Proposition 9.6.17(a),  $ad(y_\alpha)^j(x_\beta) \in \mathfrak{g}_{\beta-j\alpha}$  are all the nonzero eigenvectors corresponds to eigenvalues  $(\beta - j\alpha)(h_\alpha) = 2 \left( \frac{K(t_\alpha, t_\beta)}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)} - j \right)$ , and these roots  $\beta - j\alpha, j = 0, \dots, k = \beta(h_\alpha)$  form an  $\alpha$ -string

One of these irreducible representation is  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$  itself according to Example 9.6.12

**Example 9.6.24.** Consider  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{C})$  which is a semisimple Lie algebra, then

$$\mathfrak{h} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} z_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & z_n \end{pmatrix} \middle| \sum z_i = 0 \right\}$$

is a maximal toral Lie subalgebra, denote  $\text{diag}(z_1, \dots, z_n)$  as  $h_z$ , then  $[h_z, E_{ij}] = (z_i - z_j)E_{ij}$ , and  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{C}) = \mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{h} \bigoplus_{i \neq j} \langle E_{ij} \rangle$ ,  $\Delta = \{e_i - e_j | i \neq j\}$ , where  $e_i \in \mathfrak{h}^*$  is defined by  $e_i(h_z) = z_i$ , also

$$\mathfrak{s}_\alpha = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & & & & \\ & \ddots & & & \\ & & a & & b \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & b & & -a & \\ & & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \cong \mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{C})$$

where  $\alpha = e_i - e_j$

**Definition 9.6.25.** Define  $s_\alpha(\beta) := \beta - \frac{2K(t_\alpha, t_\beta)}{K(t_\alpha, t_\alpha)}\alpha, \forall \alpha \in \Delta, \beta \in \mathfrak{h}^*$  is an orthogonal reflection over the hyperplane  $H_\alpha = \{\alpha(x) = K(t_\alpha, x) = 0 | x \in \mathfrak{h}\} = \ker \alpha$ , more precisely,  $s_\alpha(\alpha) = -\alpha$ ,  $s_\alpha(\beta) = \beta, \forall \beta \in H_\alpha$ , note here any nondegenerate, symmetric, bilinear and invariant form  $(, )$  can be used as the definition in place of the Killing form  $K(, )$  thanks to Lemma 9.4.6 Definition of s\_alpha

**Proposition 9.6.26.**

(a) If  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $\dim \mathfrak{g}_\alpha = 1$  alpha string through beta

- (b) If  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $c\alpha \in \Delta \Leftrightarrow c = \pm 1$   
 (c) If  $\alpha, \beta, \alpha + \beta \in \Delta$ , then  $[\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_\beta] = \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha+\beta}$   
 (d) If  $\alpha, \beta \in \Delta$ , the Cartan integer  $\beta(h_\alpha) = \frac{2K(\alpha, \beta)}{K(\alpha, \alpha)} \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $\beta - \beta(h_\alpha)\alpha \in \Delta$ , if  $\beta \neq \alpha, -\alpha$ , then  $\Delta \cap \{\beta + j\alpha | j \in \mathbb{Z}\} = \{\beta + j\alpha | -r \leq j \leq s, j \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  which is an  $\alpha$  string through  $\beta$ , and  $\beta(h_\alpha) = r - s$

*Proof.* (a) Let  $\mathfrak{m} = \mathfrak{h} \bigoplus_{c\alpha \in \Delta, c \in \mathbb{F}^\times} \mathfrak{g}_{c\alpha}$ , then  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{m})$  is a finite representation of  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$  because of

Proposition 9.6.17(a), first notice for  $x \in \mathfrak{g}_{c\alpha}$ , we have  $ad(h_\alpha)(x) = [h_\alpha, x] = c\alpha(h_\alpha)x = 2cx$ , thus the 0-eigenspace of  $ad(h_\alpha)$  is  $\mathfrak{h}$ , but note that for any  $h \in \ker \alpha = H_\alpha \leq \mathfrak{h}$  as in Definition 9.6.25,  $ad(x_\alpha)(h) = [x_\alpha, h] = \alpha(h)x_\alpha = 0$ ,  $ad(y_\alpha)(h) = [y_\alpha, h] = -\alpha(h)y_\alpha = 0$ ,  $ad(h_\alpha)(h) = [h_\alpha, h] = 0$ , thus  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$  acts trivially on  $\ker \alpha$  which is of codimension 1 in  $\mathfrak{h}$  which gives  $\dim \mathfrak{h} - 1$  copies of trivial representation of  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{m})$ , since  $h_\alpha \notin \ker \alpha$ ,  $\mathfrak{h} = \langle h_\alpha \rangle \oplus \ker \alpha$ , by Example 9.6.12 and Lemma 9.6.15,  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha = \langle x_\alpha, y_\alpha, h_\alpha \rangle$  is a 3 dimensional irreducible representation of  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$ , and  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha \oplus \ker \alpha$  are the only possible even irreducible representations of  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{m})$ , thus  $\dim \mathfrak{g}_\alpha = 1$ , otherwise, we can choose  $0 \neq x'_\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha$  linearly independent of  $x_\alpha$ , then we have  $[h_\alpha, x'_\alpha] = \alpha(h_\alpha)x'_\alpha = 2x'_\alpha$ , which gives a contradiction. Moreover,  $2\alpha \notin \Delta$ , otherwise, we can choose  $0 \neq x_{2\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}_{2\alpha}$ , then  $[h_\alpha, x_{2\alpha}] = 2\alpha(h_\alpha)x_{2\alpha} = 4x_{2\alpha}$  which also gives a contradiction

(b) Suppose  $c\alpha \in \Delta$ , for  $0 \neq x \in \mathfrak{g}_{c\alpha}$ , we have  $ad(h_\alpha)(x) = [h_\alpha, x] = c\alpha(h_\alpha)x = 2cx$ , by Theorem 9.6.11, we know that  $2c \in \mathbb{Z}$ , but by symmetry, if we let  $\beta = c\alpha$ , then  $\alpha = \frac{\beta}{c} \in \Delta$  implies  $\frac{2}{c} \in \mathbb{Z}$ , thus  $c$  can only possibly be  $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm \frac{1}{2}$ , but from (a), we know  $c \neq 2$ , thus  $c \neq -2$

thanks to Proposition 9.6.22(b), and by symmetry,  $c \neq \pm \frac{1}{2}$ , therefore  $\mathfrak{m} = \mathfrak{h} \oplus \mathfrak{g}_\alpha \oplus \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha} = \ker \alpha \oplus \langle h_\alpha \rangle \oplus \mathfrak{g}_\alpha \oplus \mathfrak{g}_{-\alpha} = \ker \alpha \oplus \mathfrak{s}_\alpha$

(c) Obviously  $\beta$  can't be  $\alpha$  or  $-\alpha$ , otherwise  $\alpha + \beta \notin \Delta$ , also  $\beta + j\alpha \neq 0, \forall j \in \mathbb{F}$  by (b), for  $\beta \in \Delta \setminus \{\alpha, -\alpha\}$ , we can consider  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{m})$  which is a finite representation of  $\mathfrak{s}_\alpha$  with

$\mathfrak{m} = \bigoplus_{\beta+j\alpha \in \Delta, j \in \mathbb{Z}} \mathfrak{g}_{\beta+j\alpha}$ , suppose  $\beta + j\alpha \in \Delta$ ,  $\dim \mathfrak{g}_{\beta+j\alpha} = 1$  by (a), choose  $0 \neq x_{\beta+j\alpha} \in \mathfrak{g}_{\beta+j\alpha}$ ,

we have  $[h_\alpha, x_{\beta+j\alpha}] = (\beta + j\alpha)(h_\alpha)x_{\beta+j\alpha} = (\beta(h_\alpha) + 2j)x_{\beta+j\alpha}$ , as  $j$  varies in  $\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\beta(h_\alpha) + 2j$  can't take both 0 and 1, thus the sum of dimension of 0-eigenspace and 1-eigenspace of  $ad(h_\alpha)$  on  $\mathfrak{m}$  is 1, by Lemma 9.6.15,  $(ad|_{\mathfrak{s}_\alpha}, \mathfrak{m})$  is irreducible, according to Theorem 9.6.11 and Remark 9.6.23,  $\mathfrak{m} = \bigoplus_{-r \leq j \leq s} \mathfrak{g}_{\beta+j\alpha}$ , for some  $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ , and  $\beta + j\alpha \in \Delta, \forall -r \leq j \leq s$  which is the  $\alpha$

string through  $\beta$ , note that  $ad(x_\alpha)(x_\beta) \neq 0$  as in Theorem 9.6.11, thus  $[\mathfrak{g}_\alpha, \mathfrak{g}_\beta] = \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha+\beta}$

(d) When  $\beta = \alpha, -\alpha$ , it is trivial. When  $\beta \neq \alpha, -\alpha$ , as in (c), we know that when  $j$  varies from  $-r$  to  $s$ ,  $(\beta(h_\alpha) + 2j)$  are all the possible eigenvalues which are integers symmetric over 0, thus  $\beta(h_\alpha) + 2s + \beta(h_\alpha) - 2r = 0 \Rightarrow \beta(h_\alpha) = r - s$  is an integer, then  $-r \leq -\beta(h_\alpha) \leq s \Rightarrow \beta - \beta(h_\alpha)\alpha \in \Delta$   $\square$

Connection between roots and root system

### Proposition 9.6.27.

- (1) Let  $V = \mathbb{Q}\Delta$ , then  $\mathfrak{h}^* = V \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{F}$   
 (2) For any  $h, k \in \mathfrak{h}$ ,  $K(h, k) = Tr(ad(h)ad(k)) = \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} \alpha(h)\alpha(k)$   
 (3) The dual of Killing form restricted on  $V$  is rational and positive definite

*Proof.* Since  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  is nondegenerate, we define the dual of  $K(\cdot, \cdot)|_{\mathfrak{h}}$  on  $\mathfrak{h}^*$  as  $(\alpha, \beta) := K(t_\alpha, t_\beta)$ , which is also nondegenerate

(1) Since  $\mathfrak{h}^* = \mathbb{F}\Delta$  by Proposition 9.6.22(a), Pick any basis in  $\Delta$ , say  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m$ , then  $\forall \beta \in \Delta$ ,  $\beta = \sum c_j \alpha_j, c_j \in \mathbb{F}$ , we have  $(\beta, \alpha_k) = \sum c_j (\alpha_j, \alpha_k) \Rightarrow \frac{2(\beta, \alpha_k)}{(\alpha_k, \alpha_k)} = \sum c_j \frac{2(\alpha_j, \alpha_k)}{(\alpha_k, \alpha_k)}$  whereas  $\frac{2(\beta, \alpha_k)}{(\alpha_k, \alpha_k)}, \frac{2(\alpha_j, \alpha_k)}{(\alpha_k, \alpha_k)}$  are all integers by Proposition 9.6.26(d), since  $(\beta - \sum c_j \alpha_j, \alpha_k) = 0$  and that  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  is nondegenerate, meaning  $c_j$ 's are the unique solution, hence matrix  $((\alpha_j, \alpha_k))$  is nonsingular,

so is matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 2(\alpha_j, \alpha_k) \\ (\alpha_k, \alpha_k) \end{pmatrix}$ , thus  $c_j \in \mathbb{Q}$ , which means  $\dim_{\mathbb{Q}} V = \dim_{\mathbb{F}} \mathfrak{h}^*$  and  $\mathfrak{h}^* = V \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{F}$

(2) For  $0 \neq x_\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}_\alpha$ ,  $ad(h)ad(k)(x_\alpha) = [h, [k, x_\alpha]] = \alpha(k)[h, x_\alpha] = \alpha(h)\alpha(k)x_\alpha$ , according to Theorem 9.6.18, we have

$$K(h, k) = Tr(ad(h)ad(k)) = 0 + \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} Tr(ad(h)|_{\mathfrak{g}_\alpha} ad(k)|_{\mathfrak{g}_\alpha}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} \alpha(h)\alpha(k)$$

Due to Proposition 9.6.22(b), roots always appears in pairs, if let  $\Delta^+ \subseteq \Delta$  consists of exactly one from each pair, then  $\sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} \alpha(h)\alpha(k) = 2 \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta^+} \alpha(h)\alpha(k)$  (3) By (2), for any  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathfrak{h}^*$

$$\begin{aligned} (\lambda, \mu) &= K(t_\lambda, t_\mu) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} \alpha(t_\lambda)\alpha(t_\mu) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} K(t_\alpha, t_\lambda)K(t_\alpha, t_\mu) \\ &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta} (\alpha, \lambda)(\alpha, \mu) \\ &= 2 \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta^+} (\alpha, \lambda)(\alpha, \mu) \end{aligned}$$

In particular, for any  $\beta \in \Delta$ ,  $(\beta, \beta) = 2 \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta^+} (\alpha, \beta)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{2}{(\beta, \beta)} = \sum_{\alpha \in \Delta^+} \left( \frac{2(\alpha, \beta)}{(\beta, \beta)} \right)^2$ , where

$\frac{2(\alpha, \beta)}{(\beta, \beta)} \in \mathbb{Z}$ , thus  $0 \leq (\beta, \beta) \in \mathbb{Q}$  and equals 0 iff  $(\alpha, \beta) = 0, \forall \alpha \in \Delta \Rightarrow \beta = 0$  by the nondegeneracy of  $(,)$ , thus  $(,)|_V$  is rational and positive definite on a basis, which implies it is rational and positive definite  $\square$

**Remark 9.6.28.** When  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ , note that  $\mathbb{Q}\Delta < \mathbb{R}\Delta < \mathbb{C}\Delta$ , we can view  $V$  embedded in the Euclidean space  $V_{\mathbb{R}} := \mathbb{R}\Delta = V \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{R}$  which helps thinking, then we have a root system

**Example 9.6.29.** Let  $\Omega = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ I & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , then  $\{X \in SL(2n, \mathbb{C}) | X^T \Omega X = \Omega\}$  is conjugate to  $SO(2n, \mathbb{C})$ , thus then also induce isomorphic Lie algebra, hence we can identify  $\mathfrak{so}(2n, \mathbb{C})$  with  $\{X \in M(2n, \mathbb{C}) | \Omega X^T + X \Omega = 0\}$  which is the same as  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & -A^T \end{pmatrix} \in M(2n, \mathbb{C}) \middle| B^T = -B, C^T = -C \right\} =: \mathfrak{g}$ , then one Cartan subalgebra of  $\mathfrak{g}$  will be  $\mathfrak{h} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & -D \end{pmatrix} \in M(2n, \mathbb{C}) \middle| D = \text{diag}(d_1, \dots, d_n) \right\}$ , note that

$$\begin{aligned} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & -D \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} E_{ij} & 0 \\ 0 & -E_{ji} \end{pmatrix} \right] &= (d_i - d_j) \begin{pmatrix} E_{ij} & 0 \\ 0 & -E_{ji} \end{pmatrix} \\ \left[ \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & -D \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & E_{ij} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] &= (d_i + d_j) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & E_{ij} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \left[ \begin{pmatrix} D & 0 \\ 0 & -D \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ E_{ij} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] &= -(d_i + d_j) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ E_{ij} & 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## 9.7 Root system

Delta is finite spanning set of  $V$ , then there is at most one  $s: V \rightarrow V$ , maps Delta to Delta,  $s^2=1$  and  $s\alpha = -\alpha$

**Lemma 9.7.1.**  $V$  is a finite dimensional vector space over a field of characteristic 0,  $\Delta \subseteq V$  is a finite set such that  $V = \text{Span } \Delta$ , then for any  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , there is at most one linear map  $s : V \rightarrow V$  such that  $s^2 = 1$ ,  $s\alpha = -\alpha$ ,  $s(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$

*Proof.* Suppose  $s, t$  both satisfy the condition,  $sv = v + (s-1)v$ ,  $s(s-1)v = s^2v - sv = v - sv = -(s-1)v$ , thus  $(s-1)v \in \langle \alpha \rangle \Rightarrow sv = v + f(v)\alpha$ , where  $f \in V^*$ , similarly,  $tv = v + g(v)\alpha$ , where  $g \in V^*$ , thus  $stv = s(v + g(v)\alpha) = v + g(v)\alpha + f(v + g(v)\alpha)\alpha = v + g(v)\alpha + f(v)\alpha + f(v)g(v)\alpha$ , and since  $s\alpha = \alpha + f(\alpha)\alpha = -\alpha \Rightarrow f(\alpha) = -2$ , thus check  $(st)^nv = v + n(f(v) - g(v))\alpha$ , but  $(st)^n = 1$  for some  $n$  because  $st$  is just a permutation of  $\Delta$ , thus  $f = g \Rightarrow s = t$   $\square$

**Remark 9.7.2.**  $s^2 = 1$  and  $s(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$  implies that  $s$  is a permutation of  $\Delta$ , note that this definition doesn't involve inner product on  $V$ , you could see this as a more abstract definition of a reflection

Definition of root system

**Definition 9.7.3.**  $V = \mathbb{R}^n$  is the standard Euclidean space with the standard inner product  $(\cdot, \cdot)$ , a **root system**  $\Delta$  is a finite subset of  $V$  satisfying

1.  $V = \langle \Delta \rangle$
2. If  $\alpha \in \Delta$ , then the only multiples of  $\alpha$  are  $\pm\alpha$
3.  $s_\alpha(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$ , where

$$s_\alpha(\beta) = \beta - \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \alpha = \beta - \frac{2(\beta, \alpha)}{(\alpha, \alpha)} \alpha$$

is the reflection across the hyperplane  $H_\alpha = \{\beta \in V \mid (\beta, \alpha) = 0\}$

4.  $\langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = \frac{2(\beta, \alpha)}{(\alpha, \alpha)} \in \mathbb{Z}$  are called the **Cartan integers**

**Remark 9.7.4.**  $\langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \in \mathbb{Z}$  is the **integrality** condition, and such roots system is called **crystallographic**

$\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = 4 \frac{(\alpha, \beta)^2}{(\alpha, \alpha)(\beta, \beta)} = 4 \cos^2 \theta \in \mathbb{Z}$  can only be 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , and it is 4 iff  $\alpha = \pm\beta$

$\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle$	0	1	2	3	4
$\theta$	$\pm \frac{\pi}{2}$	$\pm \frac{\pi}{3}$	$\pm \frac{\pi}{4}$	$\pm \frac{\pi}{6}$	0

$a_{ji} = \frac{2(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)}{(\alpha_j, \alpha_j)}$  gives a Cartan matrix  $A$  with  $D_{ij} = \frac{\delta_{ij}}{(\alpha_i, \alpha_i)}$ ,  $S_{ij} = 2(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)$

Conversely, given a generalized Cartan matrix, we can find the corresponding Lie algebra, see Kac-Moody algebra

**Remark 9.7.5.** Thanks to Lemma 9.7.1,  $s_\alpha$  is the unique linear map  $V \rightarrow V$  such that  $s_\alpha(\alpha) = -\alpha$ ,  $s_\alpha(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$

**Definition 9.7.6.** Let  $(V, \Delta)$  be a root system, define the coroot of  $\alpha \in \Delta$  to be  $\alpha^\vee = \frac{2}{(\alpha, \alpha)} \alpha$ , and let  $\Delta^\vee = \{\alpha^\vee \mid \alpha \in \Delta\}$ , then  $(V, \Delta^\vee)$  is also a root system

alpha not equal to pm beta are roots,  $(\alpha, \beta) > 0 \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta$  is a root

**Lemma 9.7.7.**  $\alpha \neq \pm\beta \in \Delta$ . If  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle > 0$ , then  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta$ , if  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle < 0$ , then  $\alpha + \beta \in \Delta$

*Proof.* Note that  $s_\alpha(\beta) = \beta - \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \alpha \in \Delta$ ,  $s_\beta(\alpha) = \alpha - \langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \beta \in \Delta$ , and  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = 4 \frac{(\alpha, \beta)^2}{(\alpha, \alpha)(\beta, \beta)} = 4 \cos^2 \theta \in \mathbb{Z}$  can only be 0, 1, 2, 3, where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ , if  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle > 0 \Leftrightarrow (\alpha, \beta) > 0$ , then  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle = 1, 2, 3$  or  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle = 2, 3, \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = 1$ , hence either  $\alpha - \beta$  or  $\beta - \alpha$  will be in  $\Delta$ , but then the other will also be in  $\Delta$ . Similarly, if  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle < 0 \Leftrightarrow (\alpha, \beta) < 0$ , then  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle = -1, -2, -3$  or  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle = -2, -3, \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = -1$ , hence  $\alpha + \beta \in \Delta$   $\square$

**Definition 9.7.8.**  $\Delta^+ \subset \Delta$  is a set of **positive roots** if  $\alpha \in \Delta \Rightarrow$  precisely one of  $\alpha, -\alpha$  is in  $\Delta^+$ , and  $\alpha, \beta \in \Delta^+ \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in \Delta^+$ , thus we can correspondingly define negative roots  $\Delta^- = \Delta \setminus \Delta^+ = -\Delta^+$ . Any hyperplane  $H$  that doesn't intersect  $\Delta$  separates  $\Delta$  into  $\Delta^+$  and  $\Delta^-$ .  $\gamma \in V$  is called **regular** if  $(\gamma, \alpha) \neq 0, \forall \alpha \in \Delta$ , then  $H_\gamma = \{v \in V | (\gamma, v) = 0\}$  separates  $\Delta$  into  $\Delta^+(\gamma) = \{\alpha \in \Delta | (\gamma, \alpha) > 0\}$  and  $\Delta^-(\gamma) = \{\alpha \in \Delta | (\gamma, \alpha) < 0\}$ . Conversely, given a hyperplane  $H$  that doesn't intersect  $\Delta$  and separates  $\Delta$  into  $\Delta^+$  and  $\Delta^-$ , we can find  $\gamma \in V$  such that  $H = H_\gamma, \Delta^+ = \Delta^+(\gamma), \Delta^- = \Delta^-(\gamma)$

**Definition 9.7.9.**  $\gamma \in V$  is **dominant** if  $(\gamma, \alpha) \geq 0, \forall \alpha \in \Delta^+$  and **strictly dominant** if  $(\gamma, \alpha) > 0, \forall \alpha \in \Delta^+$

**Definition 9.7.10.**  $\alpha \in \Delta^+$  is **decomposable** if  $\alpha = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2$  for some  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in \Delta^+, \alpha$  is a **simple root** of  $\Delta^+$  if it is not decomposable.  $S = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m\}$  is a **base** for  $\Delta^+$  if for any  $\alpha \in \Delta^+$ , there are  $c_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  such that  $\alpha = \sum_i c_i \alpha_i$ , which also implies that for any  $\alpha \in \Delta^- = -\Delta^+$ , there are  $c_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\leq 0}$  such that  $\alpha = \sum_i c_i \alpha_i$

$v_1, \dots, v_m$  on one side of a hyperplane,  $(v_i, v_j) < 0 \Rightarrow v_i$  linearly independent

**Lemma 9.7.11.**  $S = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$  are on one side of a hyperplane  $H$ , and  $(v_i, v_j) < 0, \forall i \neq j$ , then  $S$  is linearly independent

*Proof.* Suppose  $\sum_{i=1}^m a_i v_i = 0$  and not all  $a_i$ 's are zero, then we can rewrite as  $\sum_{k \in K} a_k v_k = \sum_{l \in L} -a_l v_l$ , where  $a_k > 0, \forall k \in K, a_l < 0, \forall l \in L$ , then we have  $0 \leq \left( \sum_{k \in K} a_k v_k, \sum_{l \in L} -a_l v_l \right) = \sum_{k \in K, l \in L} -a_k a_l (v_k, v_l) < 0$  which is a contradiction  $\square$

**Lemma 9.7.12.**  $S$  is the set of simple roots of  $\Delta^+$ , then  $S$  is a base for  $\Delta^+$ , and  $S$  is linearly independent

*Proof.* It is obvious that  $S$  is a base of  $\Delta^+$  by definition. Suppose  $\alpha \neq \beta \in S, \alpha \neq -\beta$  is obvious, hence  $(\alpha, \beta) \neq 0$ . If  $(\alpha, \beta) > 0$ , then by Lemma 9.7.7, we have  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta$ , if  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta^+$ , then  $\alpha = \beta + (\alpha - \beta)$  gives a contradiction, if  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta^-$ , then  $\beta - \alpha \in \Delta^+$  and  $\beta = \alpha + (\beta - \alpha)$  gives a contradiction, therefore  $(\alpha, \beta) < 0$ . By lemma 9.7.11, we know  $S$  is linearly independent  $\square$

**Remark 9.7.13.** Given a set of positive roots, there is precisely one base which is the set of simple roots

Conjugacy of roots and Weyl group

**Lemma 9.7.14.**  $\sigma \in \text{GL}(V), \sigma(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$ , then for any  $\alpha \in \Delta, \sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1} = s_{\sigma\alpha}$ , moreover,  $\langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = \langle \sigma\beta, \sigma\alpha \rangle$

*Proof.*  $\sigma^m = 1$  for some  $m$  since there are only finitely many choices of maps  $\Delta \rightarrow \Delta$ , thus  $\sigma$  is a permutation on  $\Delta$ , hence  $\sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1}(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta, (\sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1})^2 = 1$  and  $\sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1} \sigma \alpha = -\sigma \alpha$  implies  $\sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1} = s_{\sigma\alpha}$  by Lemma 9.7.1. Compare  $s_{\sigma\alpha}(\sigma\beta) = \sigma\beta - \langle \sigma\beta, \sigma\alpha \rangle \sigma\alpha$ , and  $\sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1}(\sigma\beta) = \sigma s_\alpha \beta = \sigma(\beta - \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \alpha) = \sigma\beta - \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \sigma\alpha$ , we get  $\langle \beta, \alpha \rangle = \langle \sigma\beta, \sigma\alpha \rangle$   $\square$

**Definition 9.7.15.** The **Weyl group**  $W$  of  $\Delta$  is  $\langle s_\alpha | \alpha \in \Delta \rangle$ .  $|W| < \infty$  since  $s_\alpha(\Delta) \subseteq \Delta$ .  $W$  is a subgroup of  $O(V)$

**Remark 9.7.16.**  $W$  is a finite Coxeter group

**Definition 9.7.17.** **Weyl chambers** are connected components of  $V \setminus \bigcup_{\alpha \in \Delta} H_\alpha$ , as the intersection of open half spaces, Weyl chambers are open convex, each regular  $\gamma \in V$  by definition belongs to precisely one Weyl chamber denote as  $C(\gamma), C(\gamma) = C(\gamma')$  iff  $\gamma, \gamma'$  are on the side

for every hyperplane  $H_\alpha$  iff  $\Delta^+(\gamma) = \Delta^+(\gamma')$ , thus Weyl chambers are in one to one correspondence with the sets of positive roots, the fundamental Weyl chamber associated to  $\Delta^+$ , or rather, associated to  $S$  is  $\{\gamma \in V \mid (\gamma, \alpha) > 0, \forall \alpha \in S\}$ . For any  $\sigma \in W$ , since  $(\sigma\gamma, \sigma\alpha) = (\gamma, \alpha)$ ,  $\sigma(\Delta^+(\gamma)) = \Delta^+(\sigma\gamma)$ ,  $\sigma(S(\gamma)) = S(\sigma\gamma)$ ,  $\sigma(C(\gamma)) = C(\sigma\gamma)$

For any positive nonsimple root  $\alpha$ , there exists simple root  $\beta$  such that  $\alpha - \beta$  is a positive root

**Lemma 9.7.18.** If  $\alpha \in \Delta^+ \setminus S$ , then there exists  $\beta \in S$  such that  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta^+$

*Proof.* It is obvious that  $(\alpha, \beta) \neq 0, \forall \beta \in \Delta^+$ , suppose  $(\alpha, \beta) < 0, \forall \beta \in S$ , then by Lemma 9.7.11,  $S \cup \{\alpha\}$  is linearly independent which is impossible, thus  $(\alpha, \beta) > 0$  for some  $\beta \in \Delta^+$ , by Lemma 9.7.7,  $\alpha - \beta \in \Delta$ , but since  $\alpha = \sum_{\alpha_i \in S} c_i \alpha_i$ , and  $\beta = \alpha_j$  for some  $j$ , since some  $c_i > 0$ , it

necessarily has to be that  $\alpha - \beta = (c_j - 1)\beta + \sum_{i \neq j} c_i \alpha_i \in \Delta^+$  □

**Lemma 9.7.19.** Each  $\alpha \in \Delta^+$  can be written as  $\alpha_1 + \cdots + \alpha_k$ ,  $\alpha_i \in S$ , here  $\alpha_i$  may repeat, such that partial sums are all positive roots, i.e.  $\alpha_i + \cdots + \alpha_k \in \Delta^+$

*Proof.* Each  $\alpha \in \Delta^+$  can be written uniquely as a sum of simple roots, by induction on the number of summands and Lemma 9.7.18 □

If  $\alpha$  is a simple root, then  $s_\alpha$  permutes positive roots except  $\alpha$

**Lemma 9.7.20.** If  $\alpha \in S$ , then  $s_\alpha$  permutes  $\Delta^+ \setminus \{\alpha\}$

*Proof.* For any  $\beta \in \Delta^+ \setminus \{\alpha\}$ ,  $\beta = \sum_{\alpha_i \in S} c_i \alpha_i$ ,  $c_j > 0$  for some  $\alpha_j \neq \alpha$ , then  $s_\alpha(\beta) = \beta - \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle \alpha$  still has some positive coefficient, thus it has to be positive, and  $s_\alpha(\beta) \neq \alpha = s_\alpha(-\alpha)$  □

$\delta = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\beta \in \Delta^+} \beta$ , then for any simple root  $\alpha$ ,  $s_\alpha(\delta) = \delta - \alpha$

**Corollary 9.7.21.** Let  $\delta = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\beta \in \Delta^+} \beta$ , then  $s_\alpha(\delta) = \delta - \alpha, \forall \alpha \in S$

$s = s_1 \cdots s_q$  is of minimal length  $\Rightarrow s_1 \cdots s_q(\alpha_q)$  is a negative root

**Lemma 9.7.22.** Use  $\alpha \prec 0$  and  $\alpha \succ 0$  to mean positive and negative roots, suppose  $\alpha_i \in S, i = 1, \dots, q$ , and denote  $s_i := s_{\alpha_i}$ , if  $s_1 \cdots s_{q-1}(\alpha_q) \prec 0$ , then  $s_1 \cdots s_q = s_1 \cdots s_{p-1} s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1}$ . In particular, suppose  $s = s_1 \cdots s_q$  is of the smallest length, then  $0 \prec s_1 \cdots s_{q-1} \alpha_q = -s_1 \cdots s_q \alpha_q \Rightarrow s_1 \cdots s_q \alpha_q \prec 0$

*Proof.* Write  $\beta_i = s_i \cdots s_{q-1} \alpha_q$ , then  $\beta_q = \alpha_q \succ 0$ ,  $\beta_1 \prec 0$ , thus there must be some  $1 \leq p < q$  such that  $\beta_{p+1} \succ 0$  but  $\beta_p = s_p \beta_{p+1} \prec 0$ , by lemma 9.7.20, thus  $\beta_{p+1}$  can only be  $\alpha_p$ , hence by Lemma 9.7.14, we have

$$\begin{aligned} s_p &= s_{\alpha_p} = s_{\beta_{p+1}} = s_{s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1} \alpha_q} = (s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1}) s_q (s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1})^{-1} \\ &\Rightarrow s_p \cdots s_{q-1} = s_{p+1} \cdots s_q \\ &\Rightarrow s_1 \cdots s_q = s_1 \cdots s_p s_{p+1} \cdots s_q = s_{p+1} \cdots s_p s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1} = s_1 \cdots s_{p-1} s_{p+1} \cdots s_{q-1} \end{aligned}$$

□

**Lemma 9.7.23.** Denote  $n(\sigma)$  the number of positive roots that  $\sigma$  send to negative.  $l(\sigma) = n(\sigma)$ . Hence there is a unique element  $w_o$  such that  $w_o(S) = -S$  of maximal length, and  $w_o^2 = 1$

Some properties about Weyl group and Weyl chambers

**Theorem 9.7.24.**

- (a) Let  $\gamma \in V$  be regular, then there exists some  $\sigma \in W$  such that  $\Delta^+(\sigma\gamma) = \Delta^+$ , namely,  $W$  acts transitively on Weyl chambers
- (b) If  $S'$  is another base, then there exists some  $\sigma \in W$  such that  $\sigma(S') = S$ , namely,  $W$  acts transitively on bases
- (c) If  $\alpha$  is any root, then there exists some  $\sigma \in W$  such that  $\sigma(\alpha) \in S$
- (d)  $W$  is generated by  $s_\alpha$ 's for  $\alpha \in S$

- (e) If  $\sigma \in W$ , then  $\sigma(S) \subseteq S \Rightarrow \sigma = 1$ , namely,  $W$  acts freely and transitively(regularly) on bases(and Weyl chambers)

*Proof.* Let  $W' \leq W$  be the subgroup of  $O(n)$  generated by  $s_\alpha$ 's for  $\alpha \in S$

- (a) Let  $\delta = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\beta \in \Delta^+} \beta$ , choose  $\sigma \in W'$  such that  $(\sigma\gamma, \delta)$  is the biggest possible, then for any  $s_\alpha \in W'$ , due to Corollary 9.7.21, we have  $(\sigma\gamma, \delta) \geq (s_\alpha\sigma\gamma, \delta) = (\sigma\gamma, s_\alpha\delta) = (\sigma\gamma, \delta - \alpha) = (\sigma\gamma, \delta) - (\sigma\gamma, \alpha) \Rightarrow (\sigma\gamma, \alpha) \geq 0$ , since  $\gamma$  is regular, so is  $\sigma\gamma$ , thus  $(\sigma\gamma, \alpha) > 0, \forall \alpha \in S$ ,  $\sigma(C(\gamma)) = C(S)$ , i.e.  $W$  acts transitively on Weyl chambers

- (b) Directly from (a)

- (c) Thanks to (b), it suffices to prove that each root lies in some base, there exists  $\gamma \in H_\alpha \setminus \bigcup_{\beta \in \Delta \setminus \{\pm\alpha\}} H_\beta$ , and the perturb  $\gamma$  slightly so that  $0 < (\gamma, \alpha) < |(\gamma, \beta)|, \beta \in \Delta \setminus \{\pm\alpha\}$ , then  $\alpha \in S(\gamma)$

- (d) By (c), if  $\alpha \in \Delta, \beta \in S$ , then there exists  $\sigma \in W'$  such that  $\sigma\alpha = \beta$ , then  $s_\beta = s_{\sigma\alpha} = \sigma s_\alpha \sigma^{-1}$ , thus  $s_\alpha = \sigma^{-1} s_\beta \sigma \in W'$

- (e) By (d),  $\sigma \in W$  can be written as  $s = s_{\alpha_1} \cdots s_{\alpha_q}, \alpha_i \in S$  and suppose it is of minimal length, by Lemma 9.7.22,  $\sigma(\alpha_q) \prec 0$  contradicting  $\sigma(S) \subseteq S$

□

**Proposition 9.7.25.** The root system is irreducible iff the Lie algebra is simple

## 9.8 Dynkin diagram

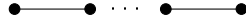
**Definition 9.8.1.** A **generalized Cartan matrix**  $A$  is such that  $a_{ii} = 2$ ,  $a_{ij} \leq 0$  for  $i \neq j$ , if  $a_{ij} = 0$ , then  $a_{ji} = 0$ ,  $A = DS$  for some diagonal matrix  $D$  and symmetric matrix  $S$ , i.e.  $A$  is symmetrizable. Note that  $D$  would have nonzero diagonal entries, we can pick positive entries,  $A$  is a **Cartan matrix** if  $S$  is positive definite  $A$  is **decomposable** if  $a_{ij} = 0$ ,  $i \in I, j \in J$  for some  $\{1, \dots, n\} = I \sqcup J$ , i.e.  $A$  can be diagonalized by blocks

An indecomposable matrix  $A$  is of **finite type** if all principal minors are positive, **affine type** if all proper principal minors are positive and  $\det A = 0$ , **indefinite type** otherwise

**Definition 9.8.2.**  $S$  is a set of positive simple roots, the **Dynkin diagram** is a graph with nodes simple roots,  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle \langle \beta, \alpha \rangle$  edges between  $\alpha, \beta$  which can only be 0, 1, 2, 3, and an arrow from  $\alpha$  to  $\beta$  if  $\langle \alpha, \beta \rangle > 1$ . The **Coxeter diagram** of the Weyl group  $W$  is just the Dynkin diagram without arrows. The **Coxeter graph** of it is the underlying graph

**Theorem 9.8.3.** We can recover the root system through Dynkin diagram

**Definition 9.8.4.** Type  $A_n$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



**Example 9.8.5.**  $\mathfrak{sl}_{n+1}$  corresponds to type  $A_n$

**Definition 9.8.6.** Type  $B_n$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



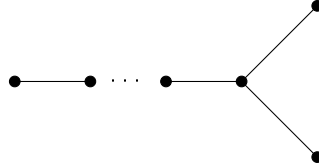
**Example 9.8.7.**  $\mathfrak{so}_{2n+1}$  corresponds to type  $B_n$

**Definition 9.8.8.** Type  $C_n$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



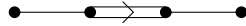
**Example 9.8.9.**  $\mathfrak{sp}_{2n}$  corresponds to type  $C_n$

**Definition 9.8.10.** Type  $D_n$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



**Example 9.8.11.**  $\mathfrak{so}_{2n}$  corresponds to type  $D_n$

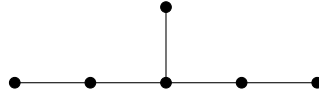
**Definition 9.8.12.** Type  $F_4$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



**Definition 9.8.13.** Type  $G_4$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram

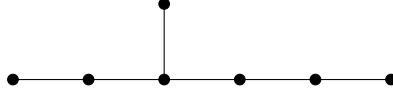


**Definition 9.8.14.** Type  $E_6$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram

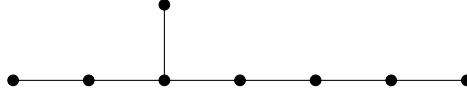


**Definition 9.8.15.** Type  $E_7$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram





**Definition 9.8.16.** Type  $E_8$  corresponds to Dynkin diagram



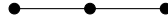
**Remark 9.8.17.** The number in the subscript is the number of nodes. In particular, we have  $A_1 = B_1 = C_1$



$B_2 = C_2$



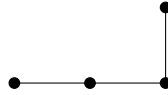
$D_3 = A_3$



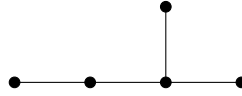
$D_2 = A_1 A_1$

$E_3 = A_2 A_1$

$E_4 = A_4$



$E_5 = D_5$



Cartan-Killing classification

**Theorem 9.8.18** (Cartan-Killing classification). The above Dynkin diagrams classifies simple Lie algebras

*Proof.* Consider the **admissible sets** of Euclidean space  $V$ ,  $A = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  of linearly independent unit vectors with  $(v_i, v_j) \leq 0$  and  $4(v_i, v_j)^2 \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  if  $i \neq j$ . Define Coxeter diagram  $\Gamma_A$  for  $A$  to have vertices  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ , and  $d_{ij} = 4(v_i, v_j)^2$  edges between  $v_i$  and  $v_j$  if  $i \neq j$ . Assume that  $\Gamma_A$  is connected

a) The number of vertices in  $\Gamma_A$  joined by at least one edge is at most  $|A| - 1$

$v = v_1 + \dots + v_n \neq 0$  satisfies  $(v, v) = n + 2 \sum_{i < j} (v_i, v_j) > 0$ , thus  $n > - \sum_{i < j} 2(v_i, v_j) =$

$\sum_{i < j} \sqrt{d_{ij}} \geq N$ , where  $N$  is the number of pairs  $v_i, v_j$  such that  $d_{ij} \geq 1$

b) The graph  $\Gamma_A$  contains no cycles

The vectors in a cycle of  $\Gamma_A$  form an admissible set which contradicts a)

c) No vertex in  $\Gamma_A$  has more than 3 edges

Let  $w$  be a vertex of  $\Gamma_A$  with adjacent vertices  $w_1, \dots, w_k$ , then  $(w_i, w_j) = 0$  for  $i \neq j$ . Let  $U = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{R}}(w_1, \dots, w_k, w)$ , and extend  $\{w_1, \dots, w_k\}$  to an orthonormal basis of  $U$ , say by adjoining  $w_0$ . Clearly  $(w, w_0) \neq 0$  and  $w = \sum_{i=0}^k (w, w_i) w_i$ . Hence  $1 = (w, w) = \sum_{i=0}^k (w, w_i)^2$ ,

$\sum_{i=1}^k (w, w_i)^2 < 1$ ,  $w$  has no more than 3 edges

- d) If  $\Gamma_A$  has triple edge, then by c), the  $\Gamma_A$  can only be  $G_2$
- e) Assume  $\Gamma_A$  has a subgraph which is a line along  $w_1, \dots, w_n$ , if we replace this subgraph with  $w = w_1 + \dots + w_n$ , then it is still an admissible set

$$(w, w) = n + 2 \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (w_i, w_{i+1}) = n - (n-1) = 1, \text{ by d) any vertex } v \text{ has at most edges linked with one such } w_i, \text{ hence } (v, w) = (v, w_i), \text{ this gives an admissible set}$$

- f) A branch point is a vertex having more than 2 adjacent vertices, in this case, exactly 3.  $\Gamma_A$  has only one double edge, or only one branch point, or neither, but not both. Note that if  $\Gamma_A$  has no branch points and double edges corresponds to  $A_n$

If  $\Gamma_A$  has two double edges between  $w_1, w_2$  and  $v_1, v_2$ , then they can be linked through a line, by e), we can collapse it into a single vertex, but this will contradict c)

- g) If  $\Gamma_A$  has a subgraph which is a line through  $w_1, \dots, w_n$ , let  $w = \sum i w_i$ , then  $(w, w) = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

- h) If  $\Gamma_A$  has a double edge, then  $\Gamma_A$  is  $F_4$  or  $B_n$

By f) we know  $\Gamma_A$  is a line through  $v_1, \dots, v_p, w_q, \dots, w_1$ ,  $q \geq p \geq 1$  with single edges except  $v_p, w_q$ , let  $v = \sum i v_i$ ,  $w = \sum i w_i$ , then

$$(v, w)^2 = (p v_p, q w_q)^2 = \frac{p^2 q^2}{2}$$

Since  $v, w$  are linearly independent, by Cauchy Schwarz inequality, we have

$$\frac{p^2 q^2}{2} = (v, w)^2 < (v, v)(w, w) = \frac{p(p+1)q(q+1)}{4}$$

Which implies  $(p-1)(q-1) < 2$ , thus if  $p = 1$ , then  $q$  can be any positive interger, giving  $B_n$ , if  $p = 2$ , then  $q = 2$ , giving  $F_4$

- i) If  $\Gamma_A$  has a branch point, then  $\Gamma_A$  is  $D_n$  or  $E_6, E_7, E_8$

$\Gamma_A$  is has three branch lines  $v_1, \dots, v_p, x$  and  $w_1, \dots, w_q, x$  together with  $z_1, \dots, z_r, x$ ,  $p \geq q \geq r$ , let  $v = \sum i v_i$ ,  $w = \sum i w_i$ ,  $z = \sum i z_i$  which are pairwise orthogonal,  $\hat{v}, \hat{w}, \hat{z}$  be normalized vectors of  $v, w, z$ , and consider  $U = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{R}}(v, w, z, x) = \text{Span}_{\mathbb{R}}(\hat{v}, \hat{w}, \hat{z}, x_0)$ , where  $x_0$  is a unit vector orthogonal to  $v, w, z$ , then  $(x, x_0) \neq 0$

$$1 = (x, x) = (x, \hat{v})^2 + (x, \hat{w})^2 + (x, \hat{z})^2 + (x, x_0)^2$$

Thus by g)

$$\frac{2p^2}{4p(p+1)} + \frac{2q^2}{4q(q+1)} + \frac{2r^2}{4r(r+1)} < 1$$

Hence

$$\frac{1}{1+p} + \frac{1}{1+q} + \frac{1}{1+r} > 1$$

and we know that

$$\frac{1}{1+p} \leq \frac{1}{1+q} \leq \frac{1}{1+r} \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

Hence  $r = 1$

$$\frac{1}{1+p} + \frac{1}{1+q} > \frac{1}{2}$$

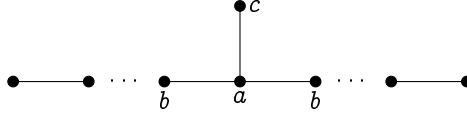
If  $q = 1$ , then  $p$  can be any positive integer, giving  $D_n$ , if  $q = 2$ , then  $p$  can only be 2, 3 or 4, giving  $E_6, E_7, E_8$

□

**Lemma 9.8.19.**  $(V, \Delta)$  be a irreducible root system,  $\Delta^+$  be a set of positive roots and  $S = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n\}$  be its base, then there exists unique highest root  $\gamma \in \Delta$ , meaning  $\gamma + \alpha_i \in \Delta, \forall \alpha_i \in S$

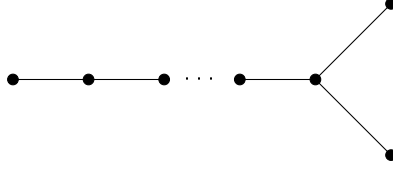
**Definition 9.8.20.** Let  $(V, \Delta)$  be a irreducible root system,  $\Delta^+$  be a set of positive roots,  $S = \{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n\}$  be its base, and  $\gamma$  its unique highest root, the extended Dynkin diagram is the usual Dynkin diagram adding  $\alpha_0 = -\gamma$ , the number of bonds for each two nodes and direction are still defined as before. Finally, suppose  $-\alpha_0 = \sum n_i \alpha_i$ , then label  $\gamma$  with  $\Phi$ , and label node  $\alpha_i$  with  $n_i$

**Lemma 9.8.21.** If the following part of the extended Dynkin diagram

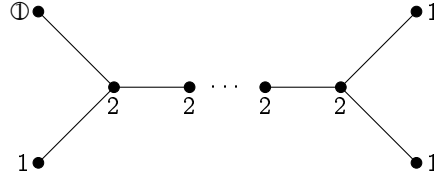


We have  $2a = b + c + d$

**Example 9.8.22.** Consider the classical root system  $D_n$ ,  $\Delta^+ = \{e_i \pm e_j | i < j\}$ ,  $S = \{e_1 - e_2, \dots, e_{n-1} - e_n, e_{n-1} + e_n\}$ , then  $\gamma = e_1 + e_2$ , its usual Dynkin diagram is



So its extended Dynkin diagram is





# Chapter 10

## Cluster algebra

### 10.1 Cluster algebra

$\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{P}$  is a UFD

**Lemma 10.1.1.**  $\mathbb{P}$  is a torsion free abelian group written multiplicatively, then the group ring  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{P}$  is a UFD

*Proof.* Finitely generated torsion free abelian groups are free □

**Definition 10.1.2** (Exchange pattern).  $I = \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\mathbb{T}_n$  is the regular  $n$  tree, the coefficient group  $\mathbb{P}$  is a torsion free abelian group under multiplication, thus the group ring  $\mathbb{Z}\mathbb{P}$  is a domain.

Cluster variables are  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \{x_i(t)\}_{i \in I}$  for  $t \in \mathbb{T}_n$  such that for  $\neq j$  and  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$

$$x_i(t) = x_i(t')$$

$\mathcal{M} = \{M_j(t)\}$  are monomials such that

$$M_j(t)(\mathbf{x}) = p_j(t) \prod_i x_i^{b_i}, p_j(t) \in \mathbb{P}, b_i \geq 0$$

and for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ ,  $b_i$ 's depend on  $j$  and  $t$

$$x_j(t)x_j(t') = M_j(t)(\mathbf{x}(t)) + M_j(t')(\mathbf{x}(t'))$$

satisfying **exchange pattern**

$$(E1) \ x_j \nmid M_j(t)$$

$$(E2) \ x_i \mid M_j(t) \Rightarrow x_i \nmid M_j(t') \text{ for } t \xrightarrow{j} t'$$

$$(E3) \ x_j \mid M_i(t) \Leftrightarrow x_i \mid M_j(t') \text{ for } t \xrightarrow{i} t' \xrightarrow{j} t_1$$

$$(E4) \ \frac{M_i(t_3)}{M_i(t_4)} = \frac{M_i(t_2)}{M_i(t_1)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}} \text{ for } t_1 \xrightarrow{i} t_2 \xrightarrow{j} t_3 \xrightarrow{i} t_4, \ M_0 = (M_j(t_2) + M_j(t_3))|_{x_i=0}$$

**Remark 10.1.3.** The substitution  $x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}$  is effectively a monomial. Since if  $M_j(t_2)$  nor  $M_j(t_3)$  contain  $x_i$ , then  $M_i(t_2)$  nor  $M_i(t_3)$  contain  $x_j$  which it substitute for nothing

$$\frac{M_i(t_2)}{M_i(t_1)} = \left( \frac{M_i(t_2)}{M_i(t_1)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}} \right) \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}} = \frac{M_i(t_3)}{M_i(t_4)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}}$$

**Definition 10.1.4.** There is an involution between  $(\mathbf{x}, \mathcal{M})$  and  $(\mathbf{x}', \mathcal{M}')$  where  $x'_j(t) = x_j(t')$ ,  $M'_j(t) = M_j(t')$  for every  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$

**Definition 10.1.5.** Suppose  $J \subseteq I$  is a subset of size  $m$ , delete sides labeled in  $I - J$  in  $\mathbb{T}_n$  and choose a connected component which would be  $\mathbb{T}_m$ , add to the coefficient group  $x_k$ 's  $k \in I - J$ . This is called a restriction

**Definition 10.1.6.** Exchange pattern on exponents is a family of  $B(t)$  such that for each  $t \xrightarrow{\quad} t'$

$$\frac{M_j(t)}{M_j(t')} = \frac{p_j(t)}{p_j(t')} \prod_i x_i^{b_{ij}(t)}$$

Thus

$$M_j(t) = p_j(t) \prod_i x_i^{[b_{ij}(t)]_+}, M_j(t') = p_j(t') \prod_i x_i^{[-b_{ij}(t)]_+}$$

**Definition 10.1.7.** An  $n \times n$  matrix  $B$  is **sign-skew-symmetric** if  $b_{ii} = 0$  and for  $i \neq j$ ,  $b_{ij}, b_{ji}$  are both zeros or of opposite signs.  $B$  is **skew-symmetrizable** if there is a diagonal matrix  $D$  such that  $DB$  is skew symmetric, i.e.  $d_i b_{ij} = -d_j b_{ji}$ . Skew-symmetrizable matrices are obviously sign-skew-symmetric

Lemma on  $(|a|b + a|b|)/2$

**Lemma 10.1.8.**

$$\frac{|a|b + a|b|}{2} = \begin{cases} ab & a, b > 0 \\ -ab & a, b < 0 \\ 0 & ab < 0 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} \text{sgn}(a)[ab]_+ & \text{sgn}(b)[ab]_+ \\ 0 & ab < 0 \end{cases}$$

Note.  $|a| = [a]_+ + [-a]_+$

**Definition 10.1.9.** A **mutation** on a  $m \times n$  ( $m > n$ ) matrix  $B$  in direction  $k$  denoted by  $\mu_k$  is given by

$$b'_{ij} = \begin{cases} -b_{ij} & i = k \text{ or } j = k \\ b_{ij} + \frac{|b_{ik}|b_{kj} + b_{ik}|b_{kj}|}{2} = b_{ij} + \text{sgn}(b_{ik})[b_{ik}b_{kj}]_+ & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Here  $\mu_k(B) = B'$ .  $\mu_k$  is involutive

**Theorem 10.1.10.** If  $B(t)$  are sign-skew-symmetric and  $\mu_k(B(t)) = B(t')$  for each  $t \xrightarrow{k} t'$ , then it gives a exchange pattern

*Proof.* Suppose  $B(t)$  is an exchange pattern, then  $B(t)$  is obviously sign-skew-symmetric. For  $t \xrightarrow{k} t'$ , we have

$$\frac{M_k(t)}{M_k(t')} = \frac{p_k(t)}{p_k(t')} \prod_i x_i^{b_{ik}}, \frac{M_k(t')}{M_k(t)} = \frac{p_k(t')}{p_k(t)} \prod_i x_i^{b'_{ik}}$$

Hence  $b'_{ik} = -b_{ik}$ . Consider  $t_1 \xrightarrow{j} t' \xrightarrow{k} t \xrightarrow{j} t_2$

$$\frac{M_j(t')}{M_j(t_1)} = \frac{M_j(t)}{M_j(t_2)} \Big|_{x_k \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_k}}$$

becomes

$$\frac{p_j(t')}{p_j(t_1)} \prod_i x_i^{b'_{ij}} = \frac{p_j(t)}{p_j(t_2)} \prod_i x_i^{b_{ij}} \Big|_{x_k \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_k}}$$

Where

$$M_0 = \left( p_k(t) \prod_i x_i^{[b_{ik}]_+} + p_k(t') \prod_i x_i^{[-b_{ik}]_+} \right) \Big|_{x_j=0}$$

Case 1:  $b_{jk} > 0 \Leftrightarrow b_{kj} < 0$ , then  $M_0 = p_k(t') \prod_{i \neq j} x_i^{[-b_{ik}]_+}$ , thus

$$\prod_{i \neq j} x_i^{b'_{ij}} = \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b_{ij}} \cdot \left( x_k^{-1} \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{[-b_{ik}]_+} \right)^{b_{kj}} = \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b_{ij} + b_{kj}[-b_{ik}]_+} x_k^{-b_{kj}}$$

Case 2:  $b_{jk} < 0 \Leftrightarrow b_{kj} > 0$ , then  $M_0 = p_k(t') \prod_{i \neq j} x_i^{[-b_{ik}]_+}$ , thus

$$\prod_{i \neq j} x_i^{b'_{ij}} = \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b_{ij}} \cdot \left( x_k^{-1} \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{[b_{ik}]_+} \right)^{b_{kj}} = \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b_{ij} + b_{kj}[b_{ik}]_+} x_k^{-b_{kj}}$$

Case 3:  $b_{jk} = 0 \Leftrightarrow b_{kj} = 0$ , then

$$\prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b'_{ij}} = \prod_{i \neq j, k} x_i^{b_{ij}}$$

Therefore  $b'_{kj} = -b_{kj}$  and  $b'_{ij} = b_{ij} + \text{sgn}(b_{ik})[b_{ik}b_{kj}]_+$

Conversely, if  $B(t)$  are sign-skew-symmetric and  $\mu_k(B(t)) = B(t')$  for each  $t \xrightarrow{k} t'$ , take

$$M_k(t) = \prod_i x_i^{[b_{ik}(t)]_+}, M_k(t') = \prod_i x_i^{[-b_{ik}(t)]_+}$$

for  $t \xrightarrow{k} t'$ , then obviously  $x_k \nmid M_k(t)$  since  $b_{kk} = 0$  and

$$x_j \mid M_k(t) \Leftrightarrow b_{jk} > 0 \Leftrightarrow -b_{jk} < 0 \Rightarrow x_j \nmid M_k(t')$$

For  $t \xrightarrow{k} t' \xrightarrow{j} t_1$

$$x_j \mid M_k(t) \Leftrightarrow b_{jk} > 0 \Leftrightarrow b'_{kj} = -b_{kj} > 0 \Leftrightarrow x_k \mid M_j(t')$$

For  $t_1 \xrightarrow{j} t' \xrightarrow{k} t \xrightarrow{j} t_2$ , it is the exact argument above by taking  $p_j(t) \equiv 1$  □

Mutation of a skew-symmetrizable matrix preserves the skew-symmetrizing matrix

**Proposition 10.1.11.** Given a skew-symmetrizable matrix  $B$ , the all possible mutations  $B(t)$  in  $\mathbb{T}_n$  are skew-symmetrizable with the same skew-symmetrizing matrix  $D$

*Proof.* True for each mutation  $\mu_k$  □

**Remark 10.1.12.** For cluster algebra of rank  $n \leq 2$ , the exchange pattern is skew-symmetrizable. If  $n = 1$ ,  $B(t) \equiv 0$ . If  $n = 2$ ,  $B(t_n) = (-1)^n \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b \\ -c & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

**Definition 10.1.13.** Denote  $2n$  tuple  $\mathbf{p}(t)$  the coefficients  $p_j(t), p_j(t')$  for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ .  $\Sigma(t) = (\mathbf{x}(t), \mathbf{p}(t), B(t))$  is a **seed**,  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  is the **cluster** of the seed. If we assume  $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$  are algebraically independent ( $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$  is a cluster of rank  $n$ ), then so are  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  since they are all mutationally equivalent. Denote the collection of all cluster variables  $\mathcal{X}$ , the collection of all coefficients  $\mathcal{P}$ , the collection of exchange matrices  $\mathcal{B}$ , the collection of  $M_j(t)$ 's  $\mathcal{M}$ , the collection of seeds  $\mathcal{S}$ . We can take  $\mathcal{F} = \mathbb{Z}\mathbb{P}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  to be the **ambient field**,  $\mathbf{x}$  can be some cluster  $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$ . The **cluster algebra** is the subalgebra  $\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{P}[\mathcal{X}]$

**Proposition 10.1.14.** Given  $B(t)$  that give rise to exchange pattern, the coefficients must satisfy

$$p_i(t_1)p_i(t_3)p_i(t_3)^{[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} = p_i(t_2)p_i(t_4)p_i(t_2)^{[b_{ji}(t_2)]_+} \quad (10.1.1)$$

*Proof.* For  $t_1 \xrightarrow{i} t_2 \xrightarrow{j} t_3 \xrightarrow{i} t_4$

$$\frac{p_i(t_3)}{p_i(t_4)} \prod_k x_k^{b_{ki}(t_3)} = \frac{M_i(t_3)}{M_i(t_4)} = \frac{M_i(t_3)}{M_i(t_4)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}} = \frac{p_i(t_2)}{p_i(t_1)} \prod_k x_k^{b_{ki}(t_2)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}}$$

Here

$$M_0 = (M_j(t_2) + M_j(t_3))|_{x_i=0} = \left( p_j(t_2) \prod_k x_k^{[b_{kj}(t_2)]_+} + p_j(t_3) \prod_k x_k^{[b_{kj}(t_3)]_+} \right) \Big|_{x_i=0}$$

Take  $x_k = 1$  for  $k \neq j$ , and use the fact that  $B(t)$  are sign-skew-symmetric, we get

$$p_i(t_1)p_i(t_3) = p_i(t_2)p_i(t_4)M_0^{b_{ji}(t_2)}$$

With

Case 1:  $b_{ij}(t_2) > 0$ . Then  $b_{ij}(t_3) < 0$ ,  $M_0 = p_j(t_3)$  and

$$p_i(t_1)p_i(t_3)p_i(t_3)^{b_{ji}(t_3)} = p_i(t_2)p_i(t_4)$$

Case 2:  $b_{ij}(t_2) < 0$ . Then  $b_{ij}(t_3) > 0$ ,  $M_0 = p_j(t_2)$  and

$$p_i(t_1)p_i(t_3) = p_i(t_2)p_i(t_4)p_i(t_2)^{b_{ji}(t_2)}$$

Case 3:  $b_{ij}(t_2) = 0$ . Then  $b_{ij}(t_3) = 0$ ,  $M_0 = p_j(t_2) + p_j(t_3)$ , but  $b_{ji}(t_2) = b_{ji}(t_3) = 0$ , hence

$$p_i(t_1)p_i(t_3) = p_i(t_2)p_i(t_4)$$

□

*Note.* A trivial solution of (10.1.1) is  $p_j(t) = 1$

**Proposition 10.1.15.** The **universal coefficient group**  $\mathcal{P}$  of  $\mathbb{P}$  is the free abelian group generated by  $p_i(t)$  modulo (10.1.1).  $\mathcal{P}$  is torsion free, more precisely, it is the free abelian group generated by  $p_i(t_0), p_i(t)$  for every  $t_0 \xrightarrow{i} t$  and exactly one of  $p_i(t), p_i(t')$  for every  $t \xrightarrow{i} t'$  where  $t, t' \neq t_0$

**Definition 10.1.16.** Take the field of rational functions of cluster variables  $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$  with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{P}$  to be the ambient field  $\mathcal{F}$ , all other cluster variables  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  are also in  $\mathcal{F}$  by Theorem 10.2.3. The **universal cluster algebra**  $\mathcal{A}$  is the subalgebra generated by all cluster variables with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}\mathcal{P}$

M-equivalence

**Definition 10.1.17.**  $t, t' \in \mathbb{T}_n$  are **M-equivalent** if there is a permutation  $\sigma$  of  $I$  such that

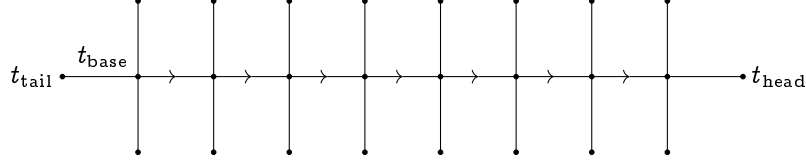
- $x_{\sigma(i)}(t) = x_i(t')$
- $M_{\sigma(j)}(t)(\mathbf{x}(t)) = M_j(t')(\mathbf{x}(t'))$  and  $M_{\sigma(j)}(t_1)(\mathbf{x}(t)) = M_j(t'_1)(\mathbf{x}(t'))$  for  $t \xrightarrow{\sigma(j)} t_1$  and  $t' \xrightarrow{j} t'_1$



## 10.2 Laurent phenomenon

Caterpillar lemma

**Lemma 10.2.1** (Caterpillar lemma). Define the caterpillar tree  $\mathbb{T}_{n,m}$  consists of a spine of  $m+2$  nodes, with an orientation from  $t_{\text{tail}}$  to  $t_{\text{head}}$  with  $t_{\text{base}}$  connected to  $t_{\text{tail}}$ , as illustrated in Figure 10.2.1

Figure 10.2.1:  $\mathbb{T}_{4,8}$ 

T4,8

Let  $\mathbb{A}$  be a UFD, exchange polynomial  $P \in \mathbb{A}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$  for each edge  $t \xrightarrow[j]{P} t'$ , denoted  $x \xrightarrow[j]{P} t'$  satisfying the generalized exchange pattern

- $P$  doesn't depend on  $x_j$  and  $x_i$  doesn't divide  $P$
- For  $t_0 \xrightarrow[i]{P} t_1 \xrightarrow[j]{Q} t_2$ ,  $P, Q_0$  are coprime in  $\mathbb{A}[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ , where  $Q_0 = Q|_{x_i=0}$
- For  $t_0 \xrightarrow[i]{P} t_1 \xrightarrow[j]{Q} t_2 \xrightarrow[i]{R} t_3$ ,  $LQ_0^b P = R|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}}$  for some  $b \geq 0$  and some Laurent monomial  $L$  with coefficients in  $\mathbb{A}$  coprime with  $P$

Cluster variables  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \{x_i(t)\}$  for  $t \in \mathbb{T}_{n,m}$  satisfying for each  $t \xrightarrow[i]{P} t'$

- $x_i(t) = x_i(t')$  for any  $i \neq j$
- $x_j(t)x_j(t') = P(t)(\mathbf{x}(t))$

Then  $\mathbf{x}(t_{\text{head}})$  are Laurent polynomials in  $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$  with coefficients in  $\mathbb{A}$

*Proof.* Write the subring of Laurent polynomials generated by  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  as

$$\mathcal{L}(t) = \mathbb{A}[x_1(t)^{\pm 1}, \dots, x_n(t)^{\pm 1}]$$

Make induction on  $m$ . If  $m = 1$ , consider  $t_{\text{tail}} = t \xrightarrow[i]{P} t_{\text{base}} = t' \xrightarrow[j]{Q} t_{\text{head}} = t_1$ , we have for  $k \neq i, j$

$$\begin{aligned} x_k(t_1) &= x_k(t') = x_k(t) \\ x_i(t_1) &= x_i(t') = \frac{P(\mathbf{x}(t))}{x_i(t)} \\ x_j(t_1) &= \frac{Q(\mathbf{x}(t'))}{x_j(t')} = \frac{Q(\mathbf{x}(t))}{x_j(t)} \end{aligned}$$

Now suppose  $m \geq 2$ , let's show that  $X = x_k(t_{\text{head}}) \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$ , by induction,  $X \in \mathcal{L}(t_1) \cap \mathcal{L}(t_3)$ .

Since  $X, x_i(t_1) = \frac{P(\mathbf{x}(t_0))}{x_i(t_0)} \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$ ,  $X = \frac{f_0}{x_i(t_1)^a}$  for some  $f_0 \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$  and  $a \geq 0$ , similarly,

$X = \frac{g_0}{x_j(t_2)^b x_i(t_3)^c}$  for some  $g_0 \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$  and  $b, c \geq 0$ , thanks to Lemma 10.2.2,  $X \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$   $\square$

Lemma for caterpillar lemma

**Lemma 10.2.2.** For  $t_0 \xrightarrow[i]{P} t_1 \xrightarrow[j]{Q} t_2 \xrightarrow[i]{R} t_3$ ,  $\mathbf{x}(t_1), \mathbf{x}(t_2), \mathbf{x}(t_3) \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$ , and

$$\gcd(x_i(t_1), x_i(t_3)) = \gcd(x_j(t_2), x_i(t_1)) = 1$$

in  $\mathcal{L}(t_0)$

*Note.*  $\mathcal{L}(t_0)$  is a UFD,  $\mathcal{L}(t_0)^\times$  consists of Laurent monomials with coefficients  $\mathbb{A}^\times$

*Proof.* Denote  $x = x_i(t_0)$ ,  $y = x_j(t_0) = x_j(t_1)$ ,  $z = x_i(t_1) = x_i(t_2)$ ,  $u = x_j(t_2) = x_j(t_3)$ ,  $v = x_i(t_3)$ , think of  $P, Q, R$  as functions of  $x_j, x_i, x_j$  respectively, then

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{P(y)}{x} \\ u &= \frac{Q(z)}{y} = \frac{Q\left(\frac{P(y)}{x}\right)}{y} \\ v &= \frac{R(u)}{z} = \frac{R\left(\frac{Q(z)}{y}\right)}{z} = \frac{R\left(\frac{Q(z)}{y}\right) - R\left(\frac{Q(0)}{y}\right)}{z} + \frac{R\left(\frac{Q(0)}{y}\right)}{z} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{R\left(\frac{Q(z)}{y}\right) - R\left(\frac{Q(0)}{y}\right)}{z} = R'\left(\frac{Q_0}{y}\right) \frac{Q'(0)}{y} + \frac{1}{2} R''\left(\frac{Q(z)}{y}\right) \Big|_{z=0} z + \dots \equiv R'\left(\frac{Q_0}{y}\right) \frac{Q'(0)}{y} \pmod{z}$$

$$\frac{R\left(\frac{Q_0}{y}\right)}{z} = \frac{L(y)Q_0(y)^b P(y)}{z} = L(y)Q_0(y)^b x$$

Thus  $v \in \mathcal{L}(t_0)$

Since  $\gcd(P, Q_0) = \gcd(P, L) = 1$

$$\gcd(z, v) = \gcd\left(\frac{P(y)}{x}, L(y)Q_0(y)^b x\right) = \gcd(P(y), L(y)Q_0(y)^b) = 1$$

Since  $\frac{Q(z)}{y} \equiv \frac{Q_0}{y} \pmod{z}$

$$\gcd(z, u) = \gcd\left(z, \frac{Q_0}{y}\right) = \gcd(P(y), Q_0) = 1$$

□

Laurent phenomenon

**Theorem 10.2.3.** Catepillar lemma 10.2.1 implies that in a cluster algebra, any cluster variable can be expressed as a Laurent polynomial in a given  $\mathbf{x}(t_0)$  with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\mathbb{P}$  since there is no subtraction involved

*Proof.*  $\mathbb{T}_{n,m}$  can be embedded in  $\mathbb{T}_n$ .  $M_j(t) + M_j(t')$  doesn't depend on  $x_j$  and not divisible by  $x_i$  for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$  and any  $i \neq j$

For  $t_0 \xrightarrow[i]{P} t_1 \xrightarrow[j]{Q} t_2 \xrightarrow[i]{R} t_3$ , we have

$$\frac{P}{M_i(t_0)} = 1 + \frac{M_i(t_1)}{M_i(t_0)} = 1 + \frac{M_i(t_2)}{M_i(t_3)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}} = \frac{R}{M_i(t_3)} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_j}}$$

Where  $M_0 = (M_j(t_1) + M_j(t_2))|_{x_i=0} = Q_0$ , thus

$$\frac{R|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}}}{P} = \frac{M_i(t_3)|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}}}{M_i(t_0)}$$

Note that  $M_i(t_0) = p_i(t_0) \prod_k x_k^{[b_{ki}(t_0)]_+}$  and

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_i(t_3)|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}} &= p_i(t_3) \prod_k x_k^{[b_{ki}(t_3)]_+} \Big|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}} \\
 &= p_i(t_3) \left( \frac{Q_0}{x_j} \right)^{[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} \prod_{k \neq i, j} x_k^{[b_{ki}(t_3)]_+} \\
 &= p_i(t_3) Q_0^{[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} x_j^{-[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} \prod_{k \neq i, j} x_k^{[b_{ki}(t_3)]_+}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$R|_{x_j \leftarrow \frac{Q_0}{x_j}} = \frac{p_i(t_3)}{p_i(t_0)} x_j^{-[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+ - [b_{ji}(t_0)]_+} \prod_{k \neq i, j} x_k^{[b_{ki}(t_3)]_+ - [b_{ki}(t_0)]_+} Q_0^{[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} P = L Q_0^b P$$

Since the sum of two monomials  $P$  doesn't depend on  $x_i$  and is not divisible by any  $x_k$  for  $k \neq i$ ,  $Q_0$  is a monomial,  $L$  is a Laurent monomial,  $Q_0, P$  are coprime in  $\mathbb{A}[\mathbf{x}]$  and  $L, P$  are coprime in  $\mathcal{L}[\mathbf{x}]$   $\square$

### 10.3 Y-system

$A$  is the Cartan matrix of root system  $\Phi$  with simple system  $\Pi$ , denote  $[\alpha : \alpha_i]$  as the coefficients of  $\alpha \in \Phi$ , write  $\Phi_{\geq -1} = \Phi_+ \cup (-\Pi)$ . Since the Coxeter graph is a tree, it is bipartite, up to renaming  $I = \{1, \dots, n\} = I_- \sqcup I_+$ ,  $\varepsilon(i) = \varepsilon$  for  $i \in I_\varepsilon$  be the indicator. Let  $t_\varepsilon = \prod_{i \in I_\varepsilon} s_i$ ,  $t = t_- t_+$  is a Coxeter element,  $h$  is the Coxeter number.  $s_{i_-}, s_{i_+}$  are reduced words of  $t_-, t_+$ , then

$$w_o = \underbrace{s_{i_-} s_{i_+} \cdots s_{i_\pm}}_{h \text{ times}} = s_{i_o}$$

is the element of longest length

**Definition 10.3.1.** Suppose  $\Phi$  is irreducible, then

$$[s_i(\alpha) : \alpha_k] = \begin{cases} -[\alpha : \alpha_i] - \sum_{j \neq i} a_{ij} [\alpha : \alpha_j] & k = i \\ [\alpha : \alpha_k] & k \neq i \end{cases}$$

Define a piecewise linear modification

$$[\sigma_i(\alpha) : \alpha_k] = \begin{cases} -[\alpha : \alpha_i] - \sum_{j \neq i} a_{ij} [\alpha : \alpha_j]_+ & k = i \\ [\alpha : \alpha_k] & k \neq i \end{cases}$$

**Proposition 10.3.2.**

1.  $\sigma_i$  are involutions
2.  $\sigma_i, \sigma_j$  commutes if  $i, j$  are not adjacent in the Coxeter graph
3.  $\sigma_i$  preserves  $\Phi_{\geq -1}$

**Proposition 10.3.3.** Let  $\tau_\varepsilon = \prod_{i \in I_\varepsilon} \sigma_i$

1.  $\tau_\varepsilon$  are involutions that preserve  $\Phi_{\geq -1}$
2.  $\tau_\varepsilon \alpha = t_\varepsilon \alpha$  for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \Pi$
3.  $\Phi_{\geq -1} \rightarrow \Phi_{\geq -1}^\vee$ ,  $\alpha \mapsto \alpha^\vee$  are  $\tau_\varepsilon$  equivariant, i.e.  $(\tau_\varepsilon \alpha)^\vee = \tau_\varepsilon \alpha^\vee$

**Definition 10.3.4.** A **Y-system** is a family of commuting variables  $Y_i(t)$ ,  $i \in I = \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $t \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that

$$Y_i(t+1)Y_i(t-1) = \prod_{j \neq i} (1 + Y_j(t))^{-a_{ij}} \quad (10.3.1)$$

**Remark 10.3.5.** (10.3.1) only really involve those  $Y_j(k)$  with  $\varepsilon(j) \cdot (-1)^k = \text{const}$ , assume  $Y_j(k) = Y_j(k+1)$  for  $\varepsilon(i) = (-1)^k$ , then we have

$$Y_i(k+1) = \begin{cases} \frac{\prod_{j \neq i} (1 + Y_j(k))^{-a_{ij}}}{Y_i(k)} & \varepsilon(i) = (-1)^k + 1 \\ Y_i(k) & \varepsilon(i) = (-1)^k \end{cases}$$

Denote  $\mathcal{Y}$  as the collection of all  $Y_j(k)$ 's,  $u_i = Y_i(0)$ , define

$$\tau_\varepsilon(u_i) = \begin{cases} \frac{\prod_{j \neq i} (1 + u_j)^{-a_{ij}}}{u_i} & \varepsilon(i) = \varepsilon \\ u_i & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 10.3.6** (Zamolodichikov).  $Y_i(t)$ 's are  $2(h+2)$  periodic, i.e.  $Y_i(t+2(h+2)) = Y_i(t)$

**Theorem 10.3.7.** There is a unique family  $\{F[\alpha]\}_{\alpha \in \Phi_{\geq -1}}$  of polynomials in  $u_i$  such that  $F[-\alpha_i] = -1$  and

$$\tau_\varepsilon(F[\alpha]) = \frac{\prod_{\varepsilon(i)=-\varepsilon} (u_i + 1)^{[\alpha^\vee : \alpha_i^\vee]}}{\prod_{\varepsilon(i)=\varepsilon} u_i^{[\alpha^\vee : \alpha_i^\vee]_+}} F[\tau_{-\varepsilon}(\alpha)]$$

Furthermore,  $F[\alpha] \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}[\mathbf{u}]$  has constant term 1. Call  $F[\alpha]$  Fibonacci polynomials

Any  $\alpha \in \Phi_{\geq -1}$  can be written as  $\alpha(k, i) = (\tau_- \tau_+)^k(-\alpha_i)$ , denote  $N[\alpha] = \prod_{j \neq i} F[\alpha(-k, i)]^{-a_{ij}}$ ,

note that  $N[\alpha] \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}[\mathbf{u}]$  also has constant term 1

**Theorem 10.3.8.** There is a unique bijection  $\Phi_{\geq -1} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ ,  $\alpha \mapsto Y[\alpha] = \frac{N[\alpha]}{\mathbf{u}^{\alpha^\vee}}$  such that  $Y[-\alpha_i] = u_i$ ,  $\tau_\varepsilon(Y[\alpha]) = Y[\tau_\varepsilon(\alpha)]$

**Definition 10.3.9.** A **tropical specialization**  $r_{\text{trop}}$  of a rational expression  $r$  is changing the addition  $+$  and multiplication  $\cdot$  into  $\oplus$  and  $\odot$  where  $a \oplus b = \max(a, b)$ ,  $a \odot b = a + b$

The **compatibility degree** for  $\alpha, \beta \in \Phi_{\geq -1}$  is

$$(\alpha || \beta) = (Y[\alpha] + 1)(\beta)_{\text{trop}}$$

Here  $(Y[\alpha] + 1)(\beta)$  is evaluation at  $\{u_i = [\beta : \alpha_i]\}$ .  $\alpha, \beta$  are **compatible** if  $(\alpha || \beta) = 0$

$\Delta(\Phi)$  is a simplicial complex with  $\Phi_{\geq -1}$  as vertices and mutually compatible subsets of  $\Delta(\Phi)$  are simplices, the maximal simplices are **clusters**. The **exchange graph**  $E(\Phi)$  is an unoriented graph with clusters as vertices and an edge between clusters which has intersection of cardinality  $n - 1$

**Remark 10.3.10.**  $(||)$  is uniquely characterized by

$$\begin{aligned} (-\alpha_i || \beta) &= (Y[-\alpha_i] + 1)(\beta)_{\text{trop}} = (u_i + 1)(\beta)_{\text{trop}} = [\beta : \alpha_i]_+ \\ (\tau_\varepsilon(\alpha) || \tau_\varepsilon(\beta)) &= (Y[\tau_\varepsilon(\alpha)] + 1)(\tau_\varepsilon(\beta))_{\text{trop}} = (\tau_\varepsilon(Y[\alpha]) + 1)(\tau_\varepsilon(\beta))_{\text{trop}} = (\alpha || \beta) \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 10.3.11.** Consider perfect bilinear pairing

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{Z}\Pi^\vee \times \mathbb{Z}\Pi &\rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \\ (\xi, \gamma) &\mapsto \{\xi, \gamma\} \end{aligned}$$

Where  $\{\xi, \gamma\} = \sum \varepsilon(i)[\xi : \alpha_i^\vee][\gamma : \alpha_i]$ . Then

$$(\alpha || \beta) = \max(\{\tau_+ \alpha^\vee, \beta\}, \{\alpha^\vee, \tau_+ \beta\}, 0) = \max(-\{\tau_- \alpha^\vee, \beta\}, -\{\alpha^\vee, \tau_- \beta\}, 0)$$

*Note.*  $(||)$  doesn't depend on the choice of the indicator  $\varepsilon$

**Proposition 10.3.12.**

1.  $(\alpha || \beta) = (\beta^\vee || \alpha^\vee)$ , in particular, if  $\Phi$  is simply laced, then  $(\alpha || \beta) = (\beta || \alpha)$
2. If  $(\alpha || \beta) = 0$ , then  $(\beta || \alpha) = 0$
3.  $J \subseteq I$ ,  $\Phi(J) \subseteq \Phi$  is a root subsystem,  $(||)$  on  $\Phi(J)$  is the same as the restriction

**Theorem 10.3.13.**  $\Delta(\Phi)$  is pure of dimension  $n - 1$ , and each facet forms a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis for the root lattice

**Theorem 10.3.14.** The simplicial cones of all clusters form a complete simplicial fan

**Corollary 10.3.15.** The geometric realization of  $\Delta(\Phi)$  is  $\mathbb{S}^{n-1}$

**Conjecture 10.3.16.** The simplicial fan of  $\Delta(\Phi)$  is the normal fan of some convex polytope  $P(\Phi)$

**Theorem 10.3.17.**  $E(\Phi)$  is a regular  $n$  tree

**Example 10.3.18.**

## 10.4 Associahedron

**Definition 10.4.1.** Any  $n$  regular polygon has  $\binom{n}{2} - n = \frac{n(n-3)}{2}$  diagonals, with these as vertices, noncrossing subsets as simplexes, we have given it a abstract simplicial complex structure

## 10.5 Cluster algebra of geometric type

Semifield is multiplicative torison free

**Lemma 10.5.1.** Semifield  $\mathbb{P}$  is multiplicative torison free

*Proof.* Suppose  $p^m = 1$ , then

$$p = \frac{p^m \oplus p^{m-1} \oplus \cdots \oplus p}{p^{m-1} \oplus p^{m-2} \oplus \cdots \oplus 1} = \frac{1 \oplus p^{m-1} \oplus \cdots \oplus p}{p^{m-1} \oplus p^{m-2} \oplus \cdots \oplus 1} = 1$$

□

**Definition 10.5.2.** Exchange pattern is **normalized** if  $\mathbb{P}$  is a semifield and  $p_j(t) \oplus p_j(t') = 1$  for any  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$

Normalized exchange pattern determines the cluster algebra

**Proposition 10.5.3.** Given  $p_j, r_j$  in a semifield  $\mathbb{P}$  such that  $p_j \oplus r_j = 1$ , and exchange matrix  $B(t)$  on  $\mathbb{T}_n$ , define  $p_j(t_0) = p_j, p_j(t) = r_j$  for each  $t_0 \xrightarrow{i} t$ , this completely determines the cluster algebra

*Proof.* Define  $u_j(t) = \frac{p_j(t)}{p_j(t')}$  for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ , then

$$p_j(t) = \frac{u_j(t)}{1 \oplus u_j(t)}, p_j(t') = \frac{1}{1 \oplus u_j(t)}$$

Then (10.1.1) becomes

$$u_i(t_3)p_j(t_3)^{[b_{ji}(t_3)]_+} = u_i(t_2)p_j(t_2)^{[b_{ji}(t_2)]_+}$$

Case 1:  $u_i(t_3)p_j(t_3)^{b_{ji}(t_3)} = u_i(t_2) \Rightarrow u_i(t_3) = u_i(t_2)(1 \oplus u_j(t_2))^{b_{ji}(t_2)}$

Case 2:  $u_i(t_3) = u_i(t_2)p_j(t_2)^{b_{ji}(t_2)} = u_i(t_2) \left( \frac{u_j(t_2)}{1 \oplus u_j(t_2)} \right)^{b_{ji}(t_2)}$

Thus for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ , we have

$$u_i(t') = u_i(t)u_j(t)^{[b_{ji}(t)]_+} (1 \oplus u_j(t))^{-b_{ji}(t)}$$

□

**Remark 10.5.4.**  $\mathbf{p}$  determines  $\mathbf{u}$  which in turn determines  $\mathbf{p}$

Fix semifield  $\mathbb{P}$ ,  $B$  is skew-symmetrizable, then  $(B, \mathbf{p})$  determines the cluster algebra  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}(B, \mathbf{p})$  up to isomorphism

**Corollary 10.5.5.** The exchange graph of a normalized cluster algebra is  $n$ -regular

**Definition 10.5.6.** The **tropical semifield**  $(\mathbb{R}, \oplus, \odot)$  is a semifield with multiplication as  $\odot$ , min or max as  $\oplus$

The tropical semifield generated by  $p$  is the free abelian group generated multiplicatively by  $p$  with  $p^a \oplus p^b = p^{\min(a,b)}$

**Definition 10.5.7.** A normalized cluster algebra is of geometric type if  $\mathbb{P}$  is the tropical semifield generated by  $\{p_i\}_{i \in I'}$  and each  $p_j(t)$  is a monomial with nonnegative exponents

**Remark 10.5.8.** In this particular case, normality just means that for  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ ,  $p_j(t), p_j(t')$  doesn't have a common variable, or the support doesn't intersect

**Proposition 10.5.9.**  $\mathbb{P}$  is the tropical semifield generated by  $p_i, i \in I'$ ,  $B(t)$  is the exchange pattern of exponents,  $p_j(t)$  give rise to a cluster algebra of geometric type iff  $C(t)$  satisfies the exchange pattern of coefficients, i.e.  $p_j(t) = \prod_i p_i^{[c_{ij}(t)]_+}$  and

$$c'_{ij} = \begin{cases} -c_{ij} & j = k \\ c_{ij} + \frac{|c_{ij}|b_{jk} + c_{ij}|b_{jk}|}{2} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Here the mutation is in direction  $k$

*Proof.* Suppose  $p_j(t)$  give rise to a cluster algebra of geometric type. Define  $u_j(t) = \frac{p_j(t)}{p_j(t')} =$

$\prod_{i \in I'} p_i^{c_{ij}(t)}$  for each  $t \xrightarrow{j} t'$ , then according to Proposition 10.5.3

$$p_j(t) = \frac{u_j(t)}{1 \oplus u_j(t)} = \frac{\prod_i p_i^{c_{ij}}}{1 \oplus \prod_i p_i^{c_{ij}}} = \frac{\prod_i p_i^{c_{ij}}}{\prod_i p_i^{-[c_{ij}]_+}} = \prod_i p_i^{[c_{ij}]_+}$$

$$1 = u_k(t)u_k(t') = \prod_i p_i^{c_{ik} + c'_{ik}} \Rightarrow c'_{ik} = -c_{ik}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} \prod_i p_i^{c'_{ij}} &= \prod_i p_i^{c_{ij}} \left( \prod_i p_i^{c_{ik}} \right)^{[b_{kj}]_+} \left( 1 \oplus \prod_i p_i^{c_{ik}} \right)^{-b_{kj}} \\ &= \prod_i p_i^{c_{ij}} \prod_i p_i^{c_{ik}[b_{kj}]_+} \prod_i p_i^{b_{kj}[-c_{ik}]_+} \\ &= \prod_i p_i^{c_{ij} + \frac{|c_{ij}|b_{jk} + c_{ij}|b_{jk}|}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

□

**Remark 10.5.10.** Note if we take  $\tilde{B}(t) = (\tilde{b}_{ij})_{i \in I \cup I', j \in I}$  where  $\tilde{b}_{ij} = b_{ij}$  for  $i, j \in I$  is the principal part of  $\tilde{B}$ ,  $\tilde{b}_{ij} = c_{ij}$  for  $i \in I', j \in I$

**Corollary 10.5.11.** Given  $\tilde{B}_0$  with a skew-symmetrizable principal part  $B_0$ , then there exists a unique exchange pattern of geometric type such that  $\tilde{B}(t_0) = \tilde{B}_0$  for  $t_0 \in \mathbb{T}_n$

*Proof.* By Proposition 10.1.11

□

**Remark 10.5.12.** The class of exchange patterns of geometric type is stable under restriction and direct product



## 10.6 Rank two case

Cluster algebra of rank 2

**Example 10.6.1.** If  $n = 2$ , consider  $\mathbb{T}_2$

$$\overset{1}{\text{---}} t_0 \overset{2}{\text{---}} t_1 \overset{1}{\text{---}} t_2 \overset{2}{\text{---}} t_3 \overset{1}{\text{---}} t_4 \overset{2}{\text{---}} t_5 \overset{1}{\text{---}}$$

The cluster variables are  $y_i, y_{i+1}$  for  $t_i$

$$y_{2k+1} = x_1(t_{2k}) = x_1(t_{2k+1}), y_{2k} = x_2(t_{2k-1}) = x_2(t_{2k})$$

$M_2(t_0)$  and  $M_2(t_1)$  don't have  $x_1$  and can't both have  $x_2$

If both of them don't have  $x_2$ , then  $M_2(t_0), M_2(t_1) \in \mathbb{P}$ , thus

$$\cdots x_2 \nmid M_1(t_{-1}) \Leftrightarrow x_1 \nmid M_2(t_0) \Leftrightarrow x_2 \nmid M_1(t_1) \Leftrightarrow x_1 \nmid M_2(t_2) \cdots$$

$$\cdots x_2 \nmid M_1(t_0) \Leftrightarrow x_1 \nmid M_2(t_1) \Leftrightarrow x_2 \nmid M_1(t_2) \Leftrightarrow x_1 \nmid M_2(t_3) \cdots$$

So is every  $M_*(t_*) \in \mathbb{P}$ , write  $q_m, r_m$  as the two monomials of  $t_{m-1} \text{---} t_m$ , then we have

$$y_{m-1}y_{m+1} = q_m + r_m$$

And for  $t_{m-2} \text{---} t_{m-1} \text{---} t_m \text{---} t_{m+1}$  we have

$$\frac{q_{m+1}}{r_{m+1}} = \frac{r_{m-1}}{q_{m-1}} \Leftrightarrow q_{m-1}q_{m+1} = r_{m-1}r_{m+1}$$

If  $M_2(t_0) = q_1 x_1^b$ ,  $M_2(t_1) = r_1$  (the other case corresponds to the involution) for some  $b > 0$ , then  $M_1(t_1) = q_2 x_2^c$ ,  $M_1(t_2) = r_2$  for some  $c > 0$ , we have

$$\frac{M_2(t_2)}{M_2(t_3)} = \frac{M_2(t_1)}{M_2(t_0)} \Big|_{x_1 \leftarrow \frac{M_0}{x_1}} = \frac{r_1}{q_1 x_1^b} \Big|_{x_1 \leftarrow \frac{r_2}{x_1}} = \frac{r_1 x_1^b}{q_1 r_2^b}$$

Since  $x_1 \mid M_2(t_3) \Rightarrow x_2 \nmid M_2(t_2)$  gives a contradiction,  $x_1 \nmid M_2(t_3) \Rightarrow M_2(t_3) = r_3$ , thus  $M_2(t_2) = q_3 x_1^b$ , periodically, we can conclude

$$M_2(t_{2k}) = q_{2k+1} x_1^b$$

$$M_2(t_{2k+1}) = r_{2k+1}$$

$$M_1(t_{2k-1}) = q_{2k} x_2^c$$

$$M_1(t_{2k}) = r_{2k}$$

Therefore we have

$$y_{2k-1}y_{2k+1} = q_{2k} y_{2k}^c + r_{2k}$$

$$y_{2k}y_{2k+2} = q_{2k+1} y_{2k+1}^b + r_{2k+1}$$

For  $t_{2k-1} \text{---} t_{2k} \text{---} t_{2k+1} \text{---} t_{2k+2}$  we have

$$q_{2k} q_{2k+2} r_{2k+1}^c = r_{2k} r_{2k+2}$$

For  $t_{2k-2} \text{---} t_{2k-1} \text{---} t_{2k} \text{---} t_{2k+1}$  we have

$$q_{2k-1} q_{2k+1} r_{2k}^b = r_{2k-1} r_{2k+1}$$

The exchange matrices are

$$B(t_m) = (-1)^m \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b \\ -c & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Conversely, given such relation, we can always find a corresponding cluster algebra

In particular, consider the coordinate ring of  $\text{Gr}_2(5)$ , let

$$\begin{aligned} y_m &= [\overline{2m-1}, \overline{2m+1}] \\ q_m &= [\overline{2m-2}, \overline{2m+2}] \\ r_m &= [\overline{2m-2}, \overline{2m-1}] [\overline{2m+1}, \overline{2m+2}] \\ b &= c = 1 \end{aligned}$$

*Note.* If we denote  $m \bmod 2$  as  $\langle m \rangle$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} p_{\langle m \rangle}(t_m) &= q_{m+1} \\ p_{\langle m+1 \rangle}(t_m) &= r_m \\ x_{\langle m \rangle}(t_m) &= q_m \\ x_{\langle m+1 \rangle}(t_m) &= y_{m+1} \end{aligned}$$

**Example 10.6.2.** As in Example 10.6.1, by Theorem 10.2.3, we know that

$$y_m = \frac{N_m(y_1, y_2)}{y_1^{d_1(m)} y_2^{d_2(m)}}$$

Where  $N_m(y_1, y_2) \in \mathbb{Z}\mathbb{P}[y_1, y_2]$  not divisible by  $y_1$  or  $y_2$

## 10.7 Cluster algebra of finite type

**Definition 10.7.1.** Seeds  $\Sigma(t), \Sigma(t')$  are **equivalent** if  $t, t'$  are  $\mathcal{M}$ -equivalent, i.e. there is a permutation  $\sigma$  of  $I$  such that  $x_{\sigma(i)}(t) = x_i(t')$ ,  $b_{\sigma(i)\sigma(j)}(t') = b_{ij}(t)$ ,  $p_{\sigma(j)}(t) = p_j(t')$ . For geometric type,  $c_{i\sigma(j)}(t) = c_{ij}(t')$ , or rather,  $\tilde{b}_{\sigma(i)\sigma(j)}(t') = \tilde{b}_{ij}(t)$  since  $\sigma$  as only a permutation of  $I$  fixes  $I'$ . By Proposition 10.5.3, if  $t, t'$  are equivalent, and  $t \xrightarrow{\sigma(j)} t_1$  and  $t' \xrightarrow{j} t'_1$ , then  $t_1, t'_1$  are equivalent

Cluster algebras  $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{S}), \mathcal{A}'(\mathcal{S}')$  are strongly isomorphic if there is a field isomorphism  $\mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}'$  that sends seeds in  $\mathcal{S}$  to seeds  $\mathcal{S}'$ , thus inducing bijection  $\mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}'$  and an isomorphism  $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}'$ .  $\mathcal{A}(B, -)$  are all the possible normalized cluster algebras.  $\mathcal{A}(B), \mathcal{A}(B')$  are strongly isomorphic if there is a one-to-one correspondence between  $\mathcal{A}(B, \mathbf{p})$  and  $\mathcal{A}(B', \mathbf{p}')$ , this is true iff  $B, B'$  are mutationally equivalent modulo relabelling rows and columns

$\mathcal{A}$  is of **finite type** if it has finitely many seeds up to equivalences

**Definition 10.7.2.** The **Cartan counterpart** of  $B$  is the **generalized Cartan matrix**  $A(B) = (a_{ij})$ ,  $a_{ii} = 2$ ,  $a_{ij} = -|b_{ij}|$  for  $i \neq j$ , with the same symmetrizing matrix  $D$ , i.e.  $d_i a_{ij} = d_j a_{ji}$

A Cartan matrix of finite type,  $A(B)=A$ ,  $b_{ij}b_{ik}>0$ ,  $p$  normalized, then cluster algebra is of finite type

**Theorem 10.7.3.**  $A$  is a Cartan matrix of finite type, there is a sign-skew symmetric  $B_o$  such that  $A(B_o) = A$  and  $b_{ij}b_{ik} > 0$  for all  $i, j, k$ , and  $\mathbf{p}_o$  is normalized, then  $\mathcal{A}(B_o, \mathbf{p}_o)$  is of finite type. Any cluster algebra of finite type is strongly isomorphic to one such data

**Remark 10.7.4.** Since the Coxeter graph of  $A$  is a tree which is bipartite, thus we can certainly divide them into sinks and sources. Since  $b_{ij} > 0$  would be there is a directed edge from  $i$  to  $j$ , thus we can always find such a  $B_o$

**Theorem 10.7.5.**  $B, B'$  sign-skew symmetric,  $\mathcal{A}(B), \mathcal{A}(B')$  iff  $A(B), A(B')$  are of the same Cartan-Killing type

**Theorem 10.7.6.**  $\mathcal{A}$  is a cluster algebra, the following are equivalent

- (i)  $\mathcal{A}$  is of finite type
- (ii)  $|\mathcal{X}| < \infty$
- (iii) For every seed  $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, B)$ ,  $|b_{xy}b_{yx}| < 3$  for  $x, y \in \mathbf{x}$
- (iv)  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{A}(B_o, \mathbf{p}_o)$  as in Theorem 10.7.3

**Theorem 10.7.7.**  $\mathcal{A}(B)$  consists of cluster algebras all simultaneously of finite type or of infinite type. There is a bijective correspondence between generalized Cartan matrices of finite type and strong isomorphic classes of normalized cluster algebras, through  $B \rightarrow A(B)$

Bijection between almost positive roots and  $X$

**Theorem 10.7.8.** There is a unique bijection  $\Phi_{\geq -1} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$ ,  $\alpha \mapsto x[\alpha] = \frac{P_\alpha(\mathbf{x}_o)}{\mathbf{x}^\alpha}$ ,  $P_\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}\mathcal{P}$  with nonzero constant term such that  $X[-\alpha_i] = x_i$

**Theorem 10.7.9.** Every seed  $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{p}, B)$  in  $\mathcal{A}$  is uniquely determined by the cluster  $\mathbf{x}$ , and for any  $x \in \mathbf{x}$ , there is a unique cluster  $\mathbf{x}'$  such that  $\mathbf{x} \cap \mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x} - \{x\}$ . The cluster complex  $\Delta(\mathcal{A})$  encodes the combinatorics of seed mutations

**Theorem 10.7.10.** The bijection in Theorem 10.7.8 identifies  $\Delta(\mathcal{A})$  and  $\Delta(\Phi)$ , in particular, the cluster complex doesn't depend on  $\mathbb{P}$  nor  $\mathbf{p}_o$



# Chapter 11

## Polylogarithm

### 11.1 Polylogarithm

**Definition 11.1.1.** *Iterated integral* is defined inductively by

$$\int_a^b f_1(t)dt \cdots f_r(t)dt = \int_a^b f_1(\tau)d\tau \cdots f_{r-1}(\tau) \left( \int_a^\tau f_r(t)dt \right) d\tau$$

If  $\alpha : I \rightarrow M$  is a curve,  $\alpha^*\omega_i = f_i(t)dt$ , then

$$\int_\alpha \omega_1 \cdots \omega_r = \int_0^1 f_1(t)dt \cdots f_r(t)dt$$

is well defined, independent of the parametrization. Set the integral to be 1 if  $r = 0$

**Proposition 11.1.2.**

1.  $\int_{\alpha\beta} \omega_1 \cdots \omega_r = \sum_j \int_\beta \omega_1 \cdots \omega_j \int_\alpha \omega_{j+1} \cdots \omega_r$
2.  $\int_{\alpha^{-1}} \omega_1 \cdots \omega_r = (-1)^r \int_\alpha \omega_r \cdots \omega_1$
3.  $\int_\alpha \omega_1 \cdots \omega_r \int_\alpha \omega_{r+1} \cdots \omega_{r+s} = \sum_\sigma \int_\alpha \omega_{\sigma^{-1}(1)} \cdots \omega_{\sigma^{-1}(r+s)}$ , here  $\sigma$  runs over  $(r, s)$  shuffles

**Lemma 11.1.3.**  $\omega_i^{(j)}$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq r$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n$  are closed one forms such that  $\sum_j \omega_{i-1}^{(j)} \wedge \omega_i^{(j)} = 0$

for  $2 \leq i \leq r$ , then  $\int_\alpha \sum_j \omega_1^{(j)} \cdots \omega_r^{(j)}$  only depends on the homotopy class of  $\alpha$

**Definition 11.1.4.** The *Polylogarithms* are

$$\text{Li}_n(z) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{z^k}{k^n}$$

Note that

$$\text{Li}_{n+1}(z) = \int_0^z \frac{\text{Li}_n(t)}{t} dt, \quad \text{Li}_1(z) = -\ln(1-z)$$

Hence

$$\text{Li}_n(z) = \int_0^z \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{n-1} \frac{dt}{1-t} = \int_0^1 \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{n-1} \frac{dt}{z^{-1}-t}$$

*Dilogarithm*  $\text{Li}_2(z) = -\int_0^z \frac{\ln(1-u)}{u} du$  is the analytic continuation on  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, 1\}$ , avoiding the the cut  $[1, \infty]$

**Definition 11.1.5.** The *Bloch-Wigner function* is  $D_2(z) = \text{Im}(\text{Li}_2(z)) + \arg(1-z) \ln|z|$ ,  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, 1\}$

**Definition 11.1.6.** The *multiple polylogarithms* are

$$\text{Li}_{\mathbf{n}}(z) = \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{z^{\mathbf{k}}}{\mathbf{k}^{\mathbf{n}}} = \int_0^1 \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{n_1-1} \frac{dt}{a_1-t} \cdots \left( \frac{dt}{t} \right)^{n_d-1} \frac{dt}{a_d-t}$$

Here  $\mathbf{k}$  runs over  $k_1 > \cdots > k_d \geq 1$ ,  $a_j = a_j(\mathbf{z}) = (z_1 \cdots z_j)^{-1}$ ,  $a_0 = 1$ ,  $a_{n+1} = 0$

*Note.* For  $\mathbf{k}$  runs over  $(k_1, \dots, k_d) \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}^d$

$$\sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{z^{\mathbf{k}}}{\mathbf{k}^{\mathbf{n}}} = \left( \sum_{k_1} \frac{z_1^{k_1}}{k_1^{n_1}} \right) \cdots \left( \sum_{k_d} \frac{z_d^{k_d}}{k_d^{n_d}} \right) = \text{Li}_{n_1}(z_1) \cdots \text{Li}_{n_d}(z_d)$$

Total differential on  $\text{Li}_{\mathbf{n}}$

**Lemma 11.1.7.** Write  $\mathfrak{S}_n = \{0, 1\}^n$ ,  $\mathbf{0} = (0, \dots, 0)$ ,  $\mathbf{1} = (1, \dots, 1)$ , define *multiple logarithm*  $\mathcal{L}_n = \text{Li}_1$ ,  $\mathcal{L}_0 = 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} d_j \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{k_1 > \cdots > \widehat{k_j} > \cdots > k_n} \frac{x_1^{k_1} \cdots \widehat{x_j^{k_j}} \cdots x_n^{k_n}}{k_1 \cdots \widehat{k_j} \cdots k_n} \sum_{k_j = k_{j+1}+1}^{k_j-1} x_j^{k_j-1} dx_j \\ &= \sum_{k_1 > \cdots > \widehat{k_j} > \cdots > k_n} \frac{x_1^{k_1} \cdots \widehat{x_j^{k_j}} \cdots x_n^{k_n}}{k_1 \cdots \widehat{k_j} \cdots k_n} \frac{x_j^{k_j-1} - x_j^{k_j+1}}{x_j - 1} dx_j \end{aligned}$$

Denote  $\mathbf{x}_j = (x_1, \dots, x_j x_{j+1}, x_{j+2}, \dots, x_n)$ ,  $\mathbf{x}_n = (x_1, \dots, x_{n-1})$ , we have

$$d_j \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) = \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_{j-1}) \frac{dx_j}{x_j(x_j - 1)} - \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_j) \frac{dx_j}{x_j - 1}$$

For  $2 \leq j \leq n$ , and

$$d_1 \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) = -\mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_1) \frac{dx_1}{x_1 - 1}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} d \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{j=1}^n d_j \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \left( \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_j) \frac{dx_j}{1-x_j} + \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_j) \frac{dx_{j+1}}{x_{j+1}(x_{j+1} - 1)} \right) + \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_n) \frac{dx_n}{x_n - 1} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_j) \left( -d \ln(1-x_j) + d \ln \left( \frac{x_{j+1} - 1}{x_{j+1}} \right) \right) + \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_n) \frac{dx_n}{x_n - 1} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_j) d \ln \left( \frac{1-x_{j+1}^{-1}}{1-x_j} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Here  $x_{n+1} = \infty$ ,  $\mathcal{L}_0 = 1$

Suppose  $\mathbf{i} \in \mathfrak{S}_n$ ,  $|\mathbf{i}| = k$  and  $i_{\tau_1} = \cdots = i_{\tau_k} = 1$  for some  $1 \leq \tau_1 \leq \cdots \leq \tau_k \leq n$ , set

$$\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{i}) = \mathbf{y}, \quad y_m = \prod_{j=\tau_{m-1}+1}^{\tau_m} x_j = \frac{a_{\tau_{m-1}}}{a_{\tau_m}}$$

$$w_j(\mathbf{x}) = d \ln \left( \frac{1-x_{j+1}^{-1}}{1-x_j} \right)$$

With  $\tau_0 = 0$ ,  $w_0(\mathbf{x}) = 1$ . A partial order  $\preceq$  on  $\mathfrak{S}_n$  is given by  $\mathbf{i} \preceq \mathbf{j}$  if  $i_k \leq j_k$

**Theorem 11.1.8.** Multiple logarithm  $\mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x})$  is a multi-valued holomorphic function on

$$\mathbb{C}^n \setminus \left\{ \prod_{j \leq k} (1 - x_j \cdots x_k) = 0 \right\}$$

And

$$\mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{0 \neq \mathbf{j}_1 \prec \cdots \prec \mathbf{j}_n} \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_{\mathbf{j}_n - \mathbf{j}_{n-1}}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_n)) \cdots w_{\mathbf{j}_2 - \mathbf{j}_1}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_2)) w_1(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_1))$$

Here  $\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{i} = \begin{cases} s' & j_t = i_t + \delta_{st} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  for  $\mathbf{i} \prec \mathbf{j}$ ,  $j_s$  is the  $s'$ -th nonzero element in  $\mathbf{j}$ , and the integration is taken over  $\alpha : I \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$

*Proof.* Use induction and Lemma 11.1.7

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} d\mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_k) d \ln \left( \frac{1 - x_{k+1}^{-1}}{1 - x_k} \right) + \mathcal{L}_{n-1}(\mathbf{x}_n) \frac{dx_n}{1 - x_n} \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} \sum_{j=1}^n w_{1-\mathbf{f}_k}(\mathbf{x}) \sum_{0 \neq \mathbf{p}_1 \prec \cdots \prec \mathbf{p}_{n-1}} w_{\mathbf{p}_{n-1} - \mathbf{p}_{n-2}}(\mathbf{x}_k(\mathbf{p}_{n-1})) \cdots w_{\mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1}(\mathbf{x}_k(\mathbf{p}_2)) w_1(\mathbf{x}_k(\mathbf{p}_1)) \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} \sum_{j=1}^n w_{1-\mathbf{f}_k}(\mathbf{x}) \sum_{0 \neq \mathbf{q}_1 \prec \cdots \prec \mathbf{q}_{n-1}} w_{\mathbf{q}_{n-1} - \mathbf{q}_{n-2}}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{q}_{n-1})) \cdots w_{\mathbf{q}_2 - \mathbf{q}_1}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{q}_2)) w_1(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{q}_1)) \\ &= \sum_{0 \neq \mathbf{j}_1 \prec \cdots \prec \mathbf{j}_n} \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_{\mathbf{j}_n - \mathbf{j}_{n-1}}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_n)) \cdots w_{\mathbf{j}_2 - \mathbf{j}_1}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_2)) w_1(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}_1)) \end{aligned}$$

Here  $\mathbf{f}_k = (1, \dots, \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ k\text{-th}}}{0}, \dots, 1)$ ,  $\mathbf{q}_i$  is  $\mathbf{p}_i$  with 0 inserted in as the  $k$ -th entry. Note that the domain is given so that  $w_i(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{j}))$  are defined □

**Example 11.1.9.** When  $n = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_1(x_1) &= \int_0^{x_1} w_1(\mathbf{x}(1)) \\ &= \int_0^{x_1} d \ln \left( \frac{1}{1 - x_1} \right) \\ &= \int_0^{x_1} \frac{dx_1}{1 - x_1} \end{aligned}$$

When  $n = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_2(\mathbf{x}) &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_{(1,1)-(1,0)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1})) w_1(\mathbf{x}(1,0)) + w_{(1,1)-(0,1)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1})) w_1(\mathbf{x}(0,1)) \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_2(\mathbf{x}) w_1(x_1) + w_1(\mathbf{x}) w_1(x_1 x_2) \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} d \ln \left( \frac{1}{1 - x_2} \right) d \ln \left( \frac{1}{1 - x_1} \right) + d \ln \left( \frac{1 - x_2^{-1}}{1 - x_1} \right) d \ln \left( \frac{1}{1 - x_1 x_2} \right) \\ &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} \frac{dx_2}{1 - x_2} \frac{dx_1}{1 - x_1} + \left( \frac{dx_2}{x_2(x_2 - 1)} + \frac{dx_1}{1 - x_1} \right) \frac{d(x_1 x_2)}{1 - x_1 x_2} \end{aligned}$$

When  $n = 3$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}_3(\mathbf{x}) &= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_{(1,1,1)-(1,1,0)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(1,1,0)-(1,0,0)}(\mathbf{x}(1,1,0))w_1(\mathbf{x}(1,0,0))+ \\
&\quad w_{(1,1,1)-(1,1,0)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(1,1,0)-(0,1,0)}(\mathbf{x}(1,1,0))w_1(\mathbf{x}(0,1,0))+ \\
&\quad w_{(1,1,1)-(1,0,1)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(1,0,1)-(1,0,0)}(\mathbf{x}(1,0,1))w_1(\mathbf{x}(1,0,0))+ \\
&\quad w_{(1,1,1)-(1,0,1)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(1,0,1)-(0,0,1)}(\mathbf{x}(1,0,1))w_1(\mathbf{x}(0,0,1))+ \\
&\quad w_{(1,1,1)-(0,1,1)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(0,1,1)-(0,1,0)}(\mathbf{x}(0,1,1))w_1(\mathbf{x}(0,1,0))+ \\
&\quad w_{(1,1,1)-(0,1,1)}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{1}))w_{(0,1,1)-(0,0,1)}(\mathbf{x}(0,1,1))w_1(\mathbf{x}(0,0,1)) \\
&= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} w_3(\mathbf{x})w_2(x_1,x_2)w_1(x_1) + w_3(\mathbf{x})w_1(x_1,x_2)w_1(x_1x_2)+ \\
&\quad w_2(\mathbf{x})w_2(x_1,x_2x_3)w_1(x_1) + w_2(\mathbf{x})w_1(x_1,x_2x_3)w_1(x_1x_2x_3)+ \\
&\quad w_1(\mathbf{x})w_2(x_1x_2,x_3)w_1(x_1x_2) + w_1(\mathbf{x})w_1(x_1x_2,x_3)w_1(x_1x_2x_3) \\
&= \int_0^{\mathbf{x}} \frac{dx_3}{1-x_3} \frac{dx_2}{1-x_2} \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} + \frac{dx_3}{1-x_3} \left( \frac{dx_2}{x_2(x_2-1)} + \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} \right) \frac{d(x_1x_2)}{1-x_1x_2} + \\
&\quad \left( \frac{dx_3}{x_3(x_3-1)} + \frac{dx_2}{1-x_2} \right) \frac{d(x_2x_3)}{1-x_2x_3} \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} + \\
&\quad \left( \frac{dx_3}{x_3(x_3-1)} + \frac{dx_2}{1-x_2} \right) \left( \frac{d(x_2x_3)}{x_2x_3(x_2x_3-1)} + \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} \right) \frac{d(x_1x_2x_3)}{1-x_1x_2x_3} + \\
&\quad \left( \frac{dx_2}{x_2(x_2-1)} + \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} \right) \frac{dx_3}{1-x_3} \frac{d(x_1x_2)}{1-x_1x_2} + \\
&\quad \left( \frac{dx_2}{x_2(x_2-1)} + \frac{dx_1}{1-x_1} \right) \left( \frac{dx_3}{x_3(x_3-1)} + \frac{d(x_1x_2)}{1-x_1x_2} \right) \frac{d(x_1x_2x_3)}{1-x_1x_2x_3}
\end{aligned}$$

**Definition 11.1.10.**  $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j} \in \mathfrak{S}_n$ ,  $|\mathbf{i}| = k$ ,  $|\mathbf{j}| = l$ , the  $\mathbf{i}$ -th *retraction* map  $\rho_{\mathbf{i}} : \mathfrak{S}_n \rightarrow \mathfrak{S}_k$  is defined by

- If  $\mathbf{i} \not\geq \mathbf{j}$ ,  $\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{j}) = \mathbf{0}$
- If  $\mathbf{i} \geq \mathbf{j}$ , assume  $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_k$  and  $t_1, \dots, t_l$  are the nonzero entries in  $\mathbf{i}$  and  $\mathbf{j}$ , suppose  $\tau_{\alpha_r} = t_r$ , then  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_l$  are the nonzero entries of  $\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{j})$

Write  $\theta_s = \theta_s(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{dt}{t - \alpha_s}$ , the  $2^n \times 2^n$  *variation matrix*  $\mathcal{M}_{[\mathbf{n}]}(\mathbf{x}) = (2\pi i)^l E_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}}(\mathbf{x})$  associated with  $\mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x})$  is defined by

$$\begin{aligned}
E_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}} &= \gamma_{\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{j})}^k(\mathbf{y}) = (-1)^{k-l} \prod_{r=0}^l \int_{a_{\alpha_{r+1}}(\mathbf{y})}^{a_{\alpha_r}(\mathbf{y})} \theta_{\alpha_{r+1}}(\mathbf{y}) \cdots \theta_{\alpha_{r+1}-1}(\mathbf{y}) \\
&= (-1)^{k-l} \prod_{r=0}^l \int_{a_{t_{r+1}}}^{a_{t_r}} \theta_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}}}(\mathbf{x}) \cdots \theta_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-1}}(\mathbf{x}) \\
&= (-1)^{k-l} \prod_{r=0}^l \int_{p_r} \theta_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}}}(\mathbf{x}) \cdots \theta_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-1}}(\mathbf{x})
\end{aligned}$$

$\tau_{k+1} = t_{l+1} = n + 1$ ,  $\alpha_{l+1} = k + 1$ .  $p_r$  are independent from  $\mathbf{i}$  These thetas are very weird



**Proposition 11.1.11.**

$$\begin{aligned} E_{\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}} &= \prod_{r=0}^l \mathcal{L}_{\alpha_{r+1}-\alpha_r-1} \left( \frac{a_{t_r}(\mathbf{x}) - a_{t_{r+1}}(\mathbf{x})}{a_{\tau_{\alpha_r+1}}(\mathbf{x}) - a_{t_{r+1}}(\mathbf{x})}, \dots, \frac{a_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-2}}(\mathbf{x}) - a_{t_{r+1}}(\mathbf{x})}{a_{\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-1}}(\mathbf{x}) - a_{t_{r+1}}(\mathbf{x})} \right) \\ &= \mathcal{L}_{k-\alpha_l} (x_{1+t_l} \cdots x_{\tau_{\alpha_l+1}}, \dots, x_{1+\tau_{k-1}} \cdots x_{\tau_k}) \\ &\quad \prod_{r=0}^{l-1} \mathcal{L}_{\alpha_{r+1}-\alpha_r-1} \left( \frac{1 - x_{1+t_r} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}}{1 - x_{1+\tau_{\alpha_r+1}} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}}, \dots, \frac{1 - x_{1+\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-2}} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}}{1 - x_{1+\tau_{\alpha_{r+1}-1}} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.*

□

**Example 11.1.12.**

$$\begin{aligned} E_{1, \mathbf{j}}(\mathbf{x}) &= \gamma_{\mathbf{j}}^n(\mathbf{x}) = \prod_{r=0}^l \mathcal{L}_{t_{r+1}-t_r-1} \left( \frac{a_{t_r} - a_{t_{r+1}}}{a_{t_{r+1}} - a_{t_{r+1}}}, \dots, \frac{a_{t_{r+1}-2} - a_{t_{r+1}}}{a_{t_{r+1}-1} - a_{t_{r+1}}} \right) \\ &= \prod_{r=0}^l \mathcal{L}_{t_{r+1}-t_r-1} \left( \frac{1 - x_{1+t_r} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}}{1 - x_{2+t_r} \cdots x_{t_{r+1}}}, \dots, \frac{1 - x_{t_{r+1}-1} x_{t_{r+1}}}{1 - x_{t_{r+1}}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

In particular we have

$$\begin{aligned} E_{1, \mathbf{0}}(\mathbf{x}) &= \gamma_{\mathbf{0}}^n(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \mathcal{L}_n \left( \frac{1 - x_1 \cdots x_{n+1}}{1 - x_2 \cdots x_{n+1}}, \dots, \frac{1 - x_n x_{n+1}}{1 - x_{n+1}} \right) \\ &= \mathcal{L}_n \left( \frac{x_1 \cdots x_n - \frac{1}{x_{n+1}}}{x_2 \cdots x_n - \frac{1}{x_{n+1}}}, \dots, \frac{x_n - \frac{1}{x_{n+1}}}{1 - \frac{1}{x_{n+1}}} \right) \\ &= \mathcal{L}_n(\mathbf{x}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E_{1, \mathbf{1}}(\mathbf{x}) &= \gamma_{\mathbf{1}}^n(\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \prod_{r=0}^n \mathcal{L}_0 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Define matrix  $L_n = L_n(\mathbf{x})$  with columns

$$C_{\mathbf{j}} = \sum_{\mathbf{i} \succeq \mathbf{j}} \gamma_{\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{j})}^{|\mathbf{i}|}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{i})) e_{\mathbf{i}}$$

$e_{\mathbf{i}}$  is the standard unit column vector, using the complete order  $<$  on  $\mathfrak{S}_n$ : if  $|\mathbf{i}| < |\mathbf{j}|$ , then  $\mathbf{i} < \mathbf{j}$ , if  $|\mathbf{i}| = |\mathbf{j}|$ , then compare the lexicographic order from left to right with  $\mathbf{1} < \mathbf{0}$ . By definition, the  $\mathbf{i}$ -th row of  $L_n$  is

$$R_{\mathbf{i}} = \sum_{\mathbf{j} \succeq \mathbf{i}} (2\pi i)^{|\mathbf{j}|} \gamma_{\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{j})}^{|\mathbf{i}|}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{i})) e_{\mathbf{j}}^T$$

Note that  $\gamma_{\rho_{\mathbf{i}}(\mathbf{i})}^{|\mathbf{i}|}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{i})) = 1$ , and the first entry of  $R_{\mathbf{i}}$  is  $\mathcal{L}_{|\mathbf{i}|}(\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{i}))$

**Example 11.1.13.** The variation matrix associated with double logarithm is

$$\mathcal{M}_{1,1} = [1]$$

Variation matrix is lower triangular

**Lemma 11.1.14.** The variation matrix is lower triangular

*Proof.*

□



**Part III**

**Commutative Algebra**



## Chapter 12

# p-adic numbers

**Definition 12.0.1.** The  $p$ -adic intergers are

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbb{Z}_p = \varprojlim_n \mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z} &= \left\{ (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) \in \prod \mathbb{Z}/p^n\mathbb{Z} \mid a_n \equiv a_m \pmod{p^m}, n \geq m \right\} \\ &= \{b_0 + b_1p + b_2p^2 + \dots\}\end{aligned}$$

Here  $a_n = b_0 + b_1p + \dots + b_np^n$

**Example 12.0.2.** If  $p = 7$ , we can write  $3 + 6 \cdot 7 + 7^2 + 4 \cdot 7^3 + 2 \cdot 7^4 + \dots$  as

$$\dots 24163$$

With base 7



**Part IV**

**Homological Algebra**





# Chapter 13

## Abelian category

**Definition 13.0.1.** Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be a locally small category, we say  $\mathcal{C}$  is a **preadditive category** if  $Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y)$  are abelian groups, and the addition distributes over composition, i.e.  $f \circ (g + h) = f \circ g + f \circ h$ ,  $(f + g) \circ h = f \circ h + g \circ h$

Note that the 0 in the abelian group  $Hom_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y)$  is a zero morphism

A preadditive category is called an **additive category** if any finite set has a biproduct, in particular, it has a zero object, the empty biproduct

An additive category is called a **preabelian category** if every morphism has a kernel and a cokernel, where kernels and cokernels means the equalisers and coequalisers of the morphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  and the zero morphism  $0 : X \rightarrow Y$

A preabelian category is called an **abelian category** if every monomorphisms is normal and every epimorphisms is conormal, a morphism is **normal** if it is a kernel, **conormal** if it is a cokernel and **binormal** if it is both a kernel and a cokernel

**Definition 13.0.2.** For a morphism  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$ , define its image  $\text{im} f$  by the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & A & & & & \\ & & \downarrow \exists_1 & \searrow f & & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & \text{im} f & \longrightarrow & B & \twoheadrightarrow & \text{coker} f \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

The image satisfies universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \\ & \searrow & \nearrow \\ & \text{im} f & \\ & \downarrow \exists_1 & \\ & I & \end{array}$$

**Example 13.0.3.** A ring  $R$  can be thought of as a preadditive category with a single object and morphisms  $r \in R$ . The category of left  $R$  modules can be thought of as the functor category  $[R, Ab]$ , where  $Ab$  the category of abelian groups

**Proposition 13.0.4.** In an abelian category  $\mathcal{A}$ , the equaliser of  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is isomorphic to the kernel of  $f - g$

**Definition 13.0.5.** Let  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  be a functor of preadditive categories, if  $F$  is an abelian group homomorphism on  $Hom(F(X), F(Y))$  for any  $X, Y$ , we say  $F$  is an **additive functor**

**Definition 13.0.6.** Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an abelian category, a ( $\mathbb{Z}$ -graded) **chain complex**  $C_{\bullet}$  is

$$\cdots \rightarrow C_1 \xrightarrow{\partial_1} C_0 \xrightarrow{\partial_0} C_{-1} \rightarrow \cdots$$

Such that  $\partial_n \circ \partial_{n+1} = 0$ ,  $\partial_i$  are called **boundary maps(differentials)**

We can define chain maps, chain homotopy, boundaries, cycles, and homology groups, and we say the chain complex is exact if each homology groups is zero, the chain complexes form the **category of chain complexes**  $Ch\mathcal{A}$

The **homotopy category of chain complexes** often denoted as  $K(\mathcal{A})$  is the quotient category with chain maps modulo chain homotopy equivalence as morphisms

a chain map is called a **quasi-isomorphism** if it induces isomorphisms on homology groups

**Lemma 13.0.7.** An alternative definition of an exact functor  $F$  could be that  $F$  preserve exactness, i.e.  $F(A) \rightarrow F(B) \rightarrow F(C)$  is exact for any short exact sequence  $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C$

**Definition 13.0.8.** The **direct sum**  $(C \oplus D)_\bullet$  of chain complexes  $C_\bullet, D_\bullet$  is

$$\cdots \rightarrow C_1 \oplus D_1 \xrightarrow{\partial_1^C \oplus \partial_1^D} C_0 \oplus D_0 \xrightarrow{\partial_0^C \oplus \partial_0^D} C_{-1} \oplus D_{-1} \rightarrow \cdots$$

**Definition 13.0.9.** A **double complex**  $C_{*,*}$  is  $\{C_{p,q}\}_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}}$  two differentials  $\partial' : C_{p,q} \rightarrow C_{p-1,q}$ ,  $\partial'' : C_{p,q} \rightarrow C_{p,q-1}$  such that  $(\partial')^2 = (\partial'')^2 = 0$  and  $\partial' \partial'' + \partial'' \partial' = 0$  ( $\partial', \partial''$  anticommutes)

The **total chain complexes** are  $(Tot^\oplus)_n = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} C_{p,q}$  and  $(Tot^\Pi)_n = \prod_{p+q=n} C_{p,q}$  with  $\partial = \partial' + \partial''$

**Example 13.0.10.**  $C_* \otimes D_*$  is the total complex of double complex  $C_{p,q} := C_p \otimes D_q$ ,  $\partial' := \partial^C \otimes 1$ ,  $\partial'' := (-1)^p 1 \otimes \partial^D$

**Definition 13.0.11.** A **filtered chain complex** is a filtered object in  $Ch\mathcal{A}$

$$\cdots \rightarrow F_{p+1}C_\bullet \rightarrow F_p C_\bullet \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow C_\bullet$$

Snake lemma

**Lemma 13.0.12** (Snake lemma). Given the following commutative diagram with exact rows, then we have an exact sequence

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \xrightarrow{w_*} & \ker a & \xrightarrow{u_*} & \ker b & \xrightarrow{v_*} & \ker c & \xrightarrow{\quad} & 0 \\ & & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & & \\ D & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{u} & B & \xrightarrow{v} & C & \longrightarrow & 0 \\ & & \downarrow a & \downarrow b & \downarrow c & & & & & \\ 0 & \longrightarrow & A' & \xrightarrow{u'} & B' & \xrightarrow{v'} & C' & \longrightarrow & D' \\ & & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & & & \\ & & \text{coker } a & \xrightarrow{u'_*} & \text{coker } b & \xrightarrow{v'_*} & \text{coker } c & \xrightarrow{\quad} & 0 \end{array}$$

Five lemma

**Lemma 13.0.13** (Five lemma). If  $b$  and  $d$  are monic and  $a$  is an epi, then  $c$  is monic. Dually, if  $b$  and  $d$  are epis and  $e$  is monic, then  $c$  is an epi. In particular, if  $a, b, d$  and  $e$  are iso, then  $c$  is also an iso

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} A' & \xrightarrow{u'} & B' & \xrightarrow{v'} & C' & \xrightarrow{w'} & D' & \xrightarrow{x'} & E' \\ a \downarrow \cong & & b \downarrow \cong & & c \downarrow & & d \downarrow \cong & & e \downarrow \cong \\ A & \xrightarrow{u} & B & \xrightarrow{v} & C & \xrightarrow{w} & D & \xrightarrow{x} & E \end{array}$$

Horseshoe lemma

**Lemma 13.0.14** (Horseshoe lemma). Suppose  $P_\bullet \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} M$ ,  $Q_\bullet \xrightarrow{\eta} N$  are projective resolutions, then any exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{f} A \xrightarrow{g} N \rightarrow 0$  can be extended into commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & P_0 & \longrightarrow & P_1 \oplus Q_1 & \longrightarrow & Q_1 \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & P_0 & \longrightarrow & P_0 \oplus Q_0 & \longrightarrow & Q_0 \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & M & \xrightarrow{f} & A & \xrightarrow{g} & N \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
& 0 & & 0 & & 0 & 
\end{array}$$

With  $(P \oplus Q)_\bullet$  being a projective resolution, every row and column are exact

*Proof.* Since  $A \xrightarrow{g} N$  is epi and  $Q_0$  is projective, we get  $Q_0 \xrightarrow{s_0} A$  such that  $gs_0 = \partial_0$  which gives us  $P_0 \oplus Q_0 \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} f\partial_0 & s_0 \end{pmatrix}} A$ , by Lemma 13.0.12, this is epi, and we get an exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow Z_0P \rightarrow \ker i_0 \rightarrow Z_0Q \rightarrow 0$ , similarly, we can construct  $Q_1 \xrightarrow{s_1} \ker i_0$ , then  $P_1 \oplus Q_1 \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} \iota_0\partial_0 & s_1 \end{pmatrix}} \ker i_0$  is again epi by Lemma 13.0.12, inductively, we can construct the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & P_1 & \longrightarrow & P_1 \oplus Q_1 & \longrightarrow & Q_1 \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow \partial_1 & & \downarrow & \swarrow s_1 & \downarrow \partial_1 & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & Z_0P & \xrightarrow{\iota_0} & \ker i_0 & \longrightarrow & Z_0Q \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & P_0 & \longrightarrow & P_0 \oplus Q_0 & \longrightarrow & Q_0 \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow \partial_0 & & \downarrow & \swarrow s_0 & \downarrow \partial_0 & \\
0 & \longrightarrow & M & \xrightarrow{f} & A & \xrightarrow{g} & N \longrightarrow 0 \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
& 0 & & 0 & & 0 & 
\end{array}$$

□

Lemma for universal coefficient theorem for cohomology

**Lemma 13.0.15.** If  $A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C$  is a sequence and there is a homomorphism (retraction)  $C \xrightarrow{r} B$  such that  $rg = 1_B$ , then there is an exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow \operatorname{coker} f \rightarrow \operatorname{coker}(gf) \rightarrow \operatorname{coker} g \rightarrow 0$

*Proof.* First observe that we have  $0 \rightarrow \operatorname{img}/\operatorname{im}(gf) \rightarrow C/\operatorname{im}(gf) \rightarrow C/\operatorname{img} \rightarrow 0$ ,  $B \rightarrow \operatorname{img}$ ,  $\operatorname{im} f \rightarrow \operatorname{im}(gf)$ , thus  $B/\operatorname{im} f \rightarrow \operatorname{img}/\operatorname{im}(gf)$ , since  $rg = 1_B$ ,  $B/\operatorname{im} f \cong \operatorname{img}/\operatorname{im}(gf)$ , therefore,  $0 \rightarrow B/\operatorname{im} f \rightarrow C/\operatorname{im}(gf) \rightarrow C/\operatorname{img} \rightarrow 0$  □

**Lemma 13.0.16.** Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is abelian category, then  $\operatorname{im} f = \ker \operatorname{coker} f = \operatorname{coker} \ker f$

**Definition 13.0.17.** Pick  $p \in \mathbb{Z}$ , define the **translation** of  $X$  by  $p$  is  $X_\bullet[p]$  where  $(X_\bullet[p])_n = X_{p+n}$ , differential  $X_\bullet[p]_n \rightarrow X_\bullet[p]_{n-1}$  is given by  $(-1)^p \partial$  The **translation functor**  $T : Ch(\mathcal{A}) \rightarrow Ch(\mathcal{A})$ ,  $X \mapsto X_\bullet[1]$  is an auto morphism of  $Ch(\mathcal{A})$

Acyclic model theorem

**Theorem 13.0.18** (Acyclic model theorem). <sup>1</sup> **Model**  $\mathcal{M} = \{M_j\}$  is a subclass (possibly with repetition) of objects in  $\mathcal{C}$ ,  $F, G : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow Ch_{\geq 0}$  are functors,  $H_n(G(M_j)) = 0$  for any  $n \neq 0$ ,  $M_j \in \mathcal{M}$ . For any  $C$ , there exist  $m_j \in F_k M_j$  such that  $F_k(C)$  is free with basis  $\{F_k(\sigma)(m_j) \mid M_j \xrightarrow{\sigma} C\}$

<sup>1</sup>Consult Theorem 9.12 of [1] or <https://amathew.wordpress.com/2010/09/11/the-method-of-acyclic-models/>

Universal coefficient theorem for cohomology

**Theorem 13.0.19** (Universal coefficient theorem for cohomology). There is an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(H_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow H^n(C; A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_n, A) \rightarrow 0$$

*Proof.* Since  $C_n$  is a free group, so are subgroups  $B_n, Z_n$ , exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow Z_n \hookrightarrow C_n \rightarrow B_{n-1} \rightarrow 0$$

Splits, i.e. we have a splitting homomorphism  $B_{n-1} \xrightarrow{s} C_n$ ,  $C_n \cong Z_n \oplus B_{n-1}$ , thus exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow H_n = Z_n/B_n \rightarrow C_n/B_n \rightarrow C_n/Z_n \cong B_{n-1} \rightarrow 0$$

Induces exact sequence

$$\text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_n, A) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(B_{n-1}, A) = 0$$

 $\text{Hom}(H_n, A)$  is the cokernel of  $\text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A)$ 

Note that

$$H^n(C; A) = Z^n(C; A)/B^n(C; A) = \frac{\ker(\text{Hom}(C_n, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_{n+1}, A))}{\text{im}(\text{Hom}(C_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n, A))}$$

 $C_n \xrightarrow{\phi} A \in Z^n(C; A) \Leftrightarrow \phi\partial = 0 \Leftrightarrow \phi \in \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A)$ , thus  $\text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A) \cong Z^n(C; A)$ 

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_{n+1} & \xrightarrow{\partial} & C_n \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \phi \\ & & A \end{array}$$

 $C_n \xrightarrow{\psi} A \in B^n(C; A) \Leftrightarrow \psi = \phi\partial$  for some  $C_{n-1} \xrightarrow{\phi} A \Leftrightarrow \psi = \phi\partial$  for some  $Z_{n-1} \xrightarrow{\phi} A$ , and since  $B^n(C; A) \subseteq Z^n(C; A) \cong \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A)$ , we have  $B^n(C; A) \cong \text{im}(\text{Hom}(Z_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A))$ 

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_n & \xrightarrow{\partial} & C_{n-1} \\ & \searrow \psi & \downarrow \phi \\ & & A \end{array}$$

Exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow B_{n-1} \rightarrow Z_{n-1} \rightarrow B_{n-1}/Z_{n-1} = H_{n-1} \rightarrow 0$$

Induces exact sequence

$$\text{Hom}(Z_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(H_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(Z_{n-1}, A) = 0$$

 $\text{Ext}^1(H_{n-1}, A)$  is the cokernel of  $\text{Hom}(Z_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A)$ Since composition  $B_{n-1} \xrightarrow{s} C_n \rightarrow C_n/B_n \xrightarrow{\partial} B_{n-1}$  is identity, we have a homomorphism  $r : \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A)$  induced by  $B_{n-1} \rightarrow C_n/B_n$  such that composition  $\text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A) \xrightarrow{r} \text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A)$  is identityApply Lemma 13.0.15 to  $\text{Hom}(Z_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(B_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(C_n/B_n, A)$ , we get an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(H_{n-1}, A) \rightarrow H^n(C; A) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_n, A) \rightarrow 0$$

□

**Remark 13.0.20.**  $B_n$  is not necessarily a direct summand of  $C_n$ , a map  $B_n \xrightarrow{\phi} A$  may not be possible to extended to  $C_n \xrightarrow{\phi} A$ , however a map  $Z_n \xrightarrow{\phi} A$  can always be extended to  $C_n \xrightarrow{\phi} A$

**Theorem 13.0.21** (Algebraic Künneth formula).  $C, D$  are free chain complexes, then

$$0 \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(D) \rightarrow H_n(C \otimes D) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n-1} \text{Tor}_1(H_p(C), H_q(D)) \rightarrow 0$$

Is exact

*Proof.* If  $D$  has trivial differentials, then  $H_q(D) = D_q$  is free, hence

$$H_n(C \otimes D) = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C \otimes D_q) = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C) \otimes D_q = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(D)$$

In general, consider exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow Z \xrightarrow{i} D \xrightarrow{\partial} B[-1] \rightarrow 0$ ,  $0 \rightarrow B \xrightarrow{i} Z \rightarrow H(D) \rightarrow 0$ , then  $0 \rightarrow C \otimes Z \rightarrow C \otimes D \rightarrow C \otimes B[-1] \rightarrow 0$  is exact since  $C_k$  are free, this gives us long exact sequence

$$\cdots \rightarrow H_n(C \otimes Z) \xrightarrow{1 \otimes i} H_n(C \otimes D) \xrightarrow{1 \otimes \partial} H_n(C \otimes B[-1]) \xrightarrow{1 \otimes i} H_{n-1}(C \otimes Z) \rightarrow \cdots$$

$Z, B[-1]$  have trivial differentials, hence the connecting homomorphism is just

$$\bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(B[-1]) = \bigoplus_{p+q=n-1} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(B) \xrightarrow{1 \otimes i} \bigoplus_{p+q=n-1} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(Z)$$

Then we have

$$0 \rightarrow \text{coker}(1 \otimes i) \rightarrow H_n(C \otimes D) \rightarrow \ker(1 \otimes i) \rightarrow 0$$

We also have

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Tor}_1(H_p(C), H_q(D)) \rightarrow H_p(C) \otimes B_q \xrightarrow{1 \otimes i} H_p(C) \otimes Z_q \rightarrow H_p(C) \otimes H_q(D) \rightarrow 0$$

Therefore, we have exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(C) \otimes H_q(D) \rightarrow H_n(C \otimes D) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n-1} \text{Tor}_1(H_p(C), H_q(D)) \rightarrow 0$$

□

**Definition 13.0.22.** A **composition series** of  $A$  is a sequence of subobjects

$$A = A_n \supseteq \cdots \supseteq A_1 \supseteq A_0 = 0$$

With **composition factors**  $H_{i+1}/H_i$  simple and **composition length**  $\ell(A) = n$

**Lemma 13.0.23.**  $\ell(A)$  is indepent of the composition series



# Chapter 14

## Spectral sequence

**Definition 14.0.1.** Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is an abelian category, a **spectral sequence** consists of objects  $\{E_r\}_{r \geq r_0}$  ( $r_0$  is mostly 0), and morphisms  $d_r : E_r \rightarrow E_r$  such that  $d_r \circ d_r = 0$  and  $E_{r+1} \cong H(E_r) = \ker d_r / \text{im} d_r$

**Definition 14.0.2.** Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is an abelian category, an **exact couple** is  $(D, E, i, j, k)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D & \xrightarrow{i} & D \\ & \swarrow k & \searrow j \\ & E & \end{array}$$

Such that it is exact at each term, define differential  $d = jk$ , then  $d^2 = jkj k = j(kj)k = 0$ , we can define the **derived couple**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D' & \xrightarrow{i'} & D' \\ & \swarrow k' & \searrow j' \\ & E' & \end{array}$$

Where  $D' = i(D)$ ,  $E' = \ker k / \text{im} j$ ,  $i'(a) = i(a)$ ,  $j'(i(a)) = \overline{j(a)}$ ,  $k'(b) = \overline{k(b)}$ , then the derived couple is again an exact couple, thus we can carry this process indefinitely, giving the  $n$ -th derived couple  $(D^{(n)}, E^{(n)}, i^{(n)}, j^{(n)}, k^{(n)})$

**Example 14.0.3.** Suppose  $\cdots \subseteq F_{p-1}C_\bullet \subseteq F_pC_\bullet \subseteq \cdots$  is a filtration of chain complex  $C_\bullet$  (or **filtered chain complex**), exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow F_{p-1}C_\bullet \rightarrow F_pC_\bullet \rightarrow (grC_\bullet)_p \rightarrow 0$  give a long exact sequence

$$\cdots \rightarrow H_n(F_{p-1}C_\bullet) \xrightarrow{i_*} H_n(F_pC_\bullet) \xrightarrow{j_*} H_n(F_pC_\bullet / F_{p-1}C_\bullet) \xrightarrow{k_*} H_{n-1}(F_{p-1}C_\bullet) \rightarrow \cdots$$

If we write  $D_{p,q}^1 := H_{p+q}(F_pC_\bullet)$ ,  $E_{pq}^1 := H_{p+q}(F_pC_\bullet / F_{p-1}C_\bullet)$ , then the long exact sequence become

$$\cdots \rightarrow D_{p,q}^1 \rightarrow D_{p+1,q-1}^1 \rightarrow E_{p,q}^1 \rightarrow D_{p,q-1}^1 \rightarrow \cdots$$

Consider  $D^1 = \bigoplus_p D_{p,q}^1$ ,  $E^1 = \bigoplus_{p,q} E_{pq}^1$ , then  $(D^1, E^1, i_*, j_*, k_*)$  form an exact couple, note that  $d_r : E_{p,q}^r \rightarrow E_{p-r,q+r-1}^r$

**Remark 14.0.4.**  $grC_\bullet = \bigoplus_p F_pC_\bullet / F_{p-1}C_\bullet$  is called the **associated graded complex**  
If  $X$  is a CW complex, we can take  $F_pC_\bullet = C_\bullet(X^p)$ , here  $X^p$  is the  $p$ -th skeleton of  $X$

**Definition 14.0.5.** A **double cochain complex**  $C^{\bullet,\bullet}$  is bigraded with anticommuting differentials  $d_h, d_v$ , i.e.  $(d_h)^2 = 0$ ,  $(d_v)^2 = 0$ ,  $d_h d_v + d_v d_h = 0$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& & \vdots & & \vdots & & \\
& & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
\cdots & \longrightarrow & C^{0,1} & \xrightarrow{d_h^{0,1}} & C^{1,1} & \longrightarrow & \cdots \\
& & \uparrow d_v^{0,0} & & \uparrow d_v^{1,0} & & \\
\cdots & \longrightarrow & C^{0,0} & \xrightarrow{d_h^{0,0}} & C^{1,0} & \longrightarrow & \cdots \\
& & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
& & \vdots & & \vdots & & 
\end{array}$$

Define the **total cochain complex** to be  $C^n = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} C^{p,q}$ , with total differential  $d = d_h + d_v$ ,

this is indeed a differential since  $d^2 = (d_h + d_v)^2 = (d_h)^2 + d_h d_v + d_v d_h + (d_v)^2 = 0$

We can define the **horizontal filtration** of the total cochain complex  $(F_p^h C)^n = \bigoplus_{\substack{k+l=n \\ k \leq p}} C^{k,l}$  and

the **vertical filtration** of the total cochain complex  $(F_q^h C)^n = \bigoplus_{\substack{k+l=n \\ l \leq q}} C^{k,l}$

A **double chain complex**  $C_{\bullet,\bullet}$  is bigraded with anticommuting differentials  $\partial^h, \partial^v$ , i.e.  $(\partial^h)^2 = 0$ ,  $(\partial^v)^2 = 0$ ,  $\partial^h \partial^v + \partial^v \partial^h = 0$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& & \vdots & & \vdots & & \\
& & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
\cdots & \longrightarrow & C_{1,1} & \xrightarrow{\partial_{1,1}^h} & C_{0,1} & \longrightarrow & \cdots \\
& & \downarrow \partial_{1,1}^v & & \downarrow \partial_{0,1}^v & & \\
\cdots & \longrightarrow & C_{1,0} & \xrightarrow{\partial_{1,0}^h} & C_{0,0} & \longrightarrow & \cdots \\
& & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
& & \vdots & & \vdots & & 
\end{array}$$

Define the **total chain complex** to be  $C_n = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} C_{p,q}$ , with total differential  $\partial = \partial_h + \partial_v$

We can define the **horizontal filtration** of the total chain complex  $(F_p^h C)_n = \bigoplus_{\substack{k+l=n \\ k \leq p}} C_{k,l}$  and

the **vertical filtration** of the total chain complex  $(F_q^h C)_n = \bigoplus_{\substack{k+l=n \\ l \leq q}} C_{k,l}$

**Remark 14.0.6.** If  $d_h, d_v$  commutes instead of anticommuting, then  $C^{\bullet,\bullet}$  can be viewed as a cochain complex of cochain complexes, the total differential becomes  $d^n(c) = d_h^p c + (-1)^p d_v^q c$  for any  $c \in C^{p,q}$ , this is indeed a differential since

$$\begin{aligned}
d^{n+1} d^n(c) &= d^{n+1}(d_h^p c + (-1)^p d_v^q c) \\
&= d^{n+1} d_h^p c + (-1)^p d^{n+1} d_v^q c \\
&= d_h^{p+1} d_h^p c + (-1)^{p+1} d_v^q d_h^p c + (-1)^p d_h^p d_v^q c + (-1)^{2p} d_v^{q+1} d_v^q c \\
&= (-1)^{p+1} d_v^q d_h^p c + (-1)^p d_h^p d_v^q c \\
&= (-1)^p (d_h^p d_v^q - d_v^q d_h^p) c \\
&= 0
\end{aligned}$$

However, these two types of definitions are equivalent



**Proposition 14.0.7.** Let  $E_{p,q}^r$  be the spectral sequence corresponds to the horizontal filtration

- (1)  $E_{p,q}^0 \cong C^{p,q}$
- (2)  $E_{p,q}^1 \cong H_q(C_{p,\bullet})$
- (3)  $E_{p,q}^0 \cong H_p(H_q^v(C))$
- (4) If  $C_{p,q}$  vanishes outside the first quadrant, i.e.  $C_{p,q} = 0$  for any  $p < 0$  or  $q < 0$ , then the spectral sequence converges to the homology of the total chain complex  $E_{p,q}^r \Rightarrow H_{p+q}(C)$ , i.e.  $E_{p,q}^\infty \cong H_{p+q}(C)$

*Proof.* (1) By definition  $E_{p,q}^0 := (F_p^h C)_{p+q} / (F_{p-1}^h C)_{p+q} \cong C^{p,q}$

(2)  $E_{p,q}^1 = H_{p+q}(F_p^h C / F_{p-1}^h C) \cong H_{p+q}(C_{p,\bullet})$

(3)

□



**Part V**

**General topology**



# Chapter 15

## General topology

### 15.1 General topology

**Definition 15.1.1.** A **topological space**  $X$  is a set with **topology**  $\tau \subseteq \mathcal{P}(X)$ , such that  $\emptyset, X \in \tau$ ,  $U_i \in \tau \Rightarrow \bigcup_i U_i \in \tau$ ,  $U, V \in \tau \Rightarrow U \cap V \in \tau$ , elements in  $\tau$  are **open sets**, complements of open sets are **closed sets**

$N$  is a **neighborhood** of  $A \subseteq X$  if  $A \subseteq U \subseteq N \subseteq X$  for some open set  $U$

$x$  is a **limit point** of  $A$  if any neighborhood of  $x$  intersects  $A$ .  $x$  is a **limit** of  $\{x_n\}$  if for any neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$ , all but finitely many lies in  $U$

A **subspace** is  $A \subseteq X$  with **subspace topology** given by  $\{U \cap A | U \in \tau\}$

**Definition 15.1.2.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is **continuous** at  $x$  if for any neighborhood  $V$  of  $y = f(x)$ , there exists a neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq V$ . Then  $f$  is continuous iff  $f^{-1}(V)$  is open for any open set  $V \subseteq Y$

**Definition 15.1.3.** A **base** for  $\tau$  is  $B \subseteq \tau$  such that  $B$  covers  $X$  and for any  $U_1, U_2 \in B$  such that  $U_1 \cap U_2 \neq \emptyset$ , there exists  $U_3 \in B$  such that  $U_3 \subseteq U_1 \cap U_2$

A **local base** for  $\tau$  at  $x$  is a collection of neighborhoods  $B(x)$  of  $x$  such that any neighborhood of  $x$  contain an element of  $B(x)$

A **subbase** for  $\tau$  is  $B \subseteq \tau$  such that  $B$  generates  $\tau$ , i.e. by arbitrary union of finite intersections, equivalently,  $\tau$  is the smallest topology containing  $B$ . Here empty union and empty intersection are  $\emptyset$  and  $X$

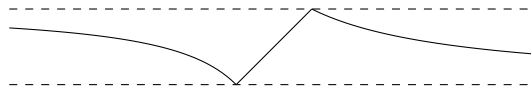
**Definition 15.1.4.**  $X$  is **first countable** if each point has a countable local base

$X$  is **second countable** if it has a countable base

**Definition 15.1.5.**  $X$  is **regular** if any point and a disjoint closed set have disjoint neighborhoods.  $X$  is **normal** if disjoint closed sets have disjoint neighborhoods

**Definition 15.1.6.**  $\{A_i\}$  can be **completely separated** if  $\{A_i\}$  can be completely separated by a continuous function  $X \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}$ . Closed subsets  $\{A_i\}$  can be **perfectly separated** if  $\{A_i\}$  can be perfectly separated by a continuous function  $X \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}$ .  $\mathbb{R}$  can be replaced with  $I$  considering

$$\mathbb{R} \rightarrow I, x \mapsto \begin{cases} \frac{x}{x-1} & x \leq 0 \\ x & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \text{ and } I \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ \frac{2}{x+1} & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$



**Definition 15.1.7** (Kolmogorov classification of topological spaces).  $X$  is a  $T_0$  **space** if for any two distinct points in  $X$ , at least one of them has a neighborhood which doesn't intersect the other point, i.e. they are **topologically distinguishable**

$X$  is a  $T_1$  **space** if for any two distinct points in  $X$ , each of them has a neighborhood which doesn't intersect the other point.  $T_1 \Leftrightarrow$  points are closed

$X$  is a  $T_2$  **space** or **Hausdorff space** if any two distinct points have disjoint neighborhoods. Then the limit of  $\{x_n\}$  is unique, denotes the limit  $x = \lim x_n$

$X$  is a  $T_{2\frac{1}{2}}$  **space** or **Urysohn space** if any two distinct points have disjoint closed neighborhoods

$X$  is a  $T_3$  **space** if  $X$  is regular Hausdorff

$X$  is a  $T_{3\frac{1}{2}}$  **space** if  $X$  is completely regular Hausdorff

$X$  is a  $T_4$  **space** if  $X$  is normal  $T_1$  space  $\Leftrightarrow$  normal Hausdorff

$X$  is a  $T_5$  **space** if  $X$  is completely normal Hausdorff

$X$  is a  $T_6$  **space** if  $X$  is perfectly normal  $\Leftrightarrow$  perfectly normal Hausdorff

**Definition 15.1.8.** The **box topology** on  $\prod_{i \in I} X_i$  has base  $\left\{ \prod_{i \in I} U_i \mid U_i \subseteq X_i \text{ open} \right\}$

**Lemma 15.1.9.**  $X$  is Hausdorff iff the diagonal  $\{(x, x) \mid x \in X\}$  is closed

**Definition 15.1.10.**  $X \times I \xrightarrow{F} Y$  is a **homotopy** between  $X \xrightarrow{f_0, f_1} Y$  if  $F(x, 0) = f_0(x)$ ,  $F(x, 1) = f_1(x)$ , write  $f_t = F(\cdot, t)$ .  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a **homotopy equivalence** if there is  $Y \xrightarrow{g} X$  such that  $gf \simeq 1_X$ ,  $fg \simeq 1_Y$

**Definition 15.1.11.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a **topological embedding** if  $f$  is injective and  $f : X \rightarrow f(X)$  is a homeomorphism

**Definition 15.1.12.**  $K \subseteq X$  is **compact** if any open cover has a finite subcover. Equivalently,  $K$  is disjoint from the intersection of a family of closed sets, then  $K$  is disjoint from the intersection of finitely many of them

$X$  is **locally compact** if there is a compact neighborhood for each point

$Y \subseteq X$  is **precompact** if  $\bar{Y}$  is compact

**Definition 15.1.13.**  $A \subseteq X$  is **dense** if  $\bar{A} = X$

$X$  is **separable** if  $X$  has a countable dense subset

**Definition 15.1.14.**  $X_\alpha \subseteq X$ ,  $\{X_\alpha\}$  is **locally finite** if for any  $x \in X$ , there is a neighborhood of  $x$  intersecting only finitely many  $X_\alpha$ 's

$\mathcal{U} = \{U_\alpha\}$ ,  $\mathcal{V} = \{V_\beta\}$  are covers of  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{V}$  is a **refinement** of  $\mathcal{U}$  if for any  $V_\beta$ , there exists  $U_\alpha$  containing  $V_\beta$

$X$  is **paracompact** if every open cover has a locally finite open refinement

**Lemma 15.1.15.** Closed subsets of compact space are closed

The image of a compact set is compact

Compact subsets of a Hausdorff space are closed

$X$  compact,  $Y$  Hausdorff, injective maps are embeddings

**Lemma 15.1.16.**  $X$  is compact,  $Y$  is Hausdorff, an injective map  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a topological embedding

*Proof.*  $f : X \rightarrow f(X)$  is a continuous bijection. If  $K \subseteq X$  is closed,  $K$  is also compact since  $X$  is compact, thus  $f(K)$  is compact,  $f(K)$  is also closed since  $Y$  is Hausdorff  $\square$

**Definition 15.1.17.**  $X$  is called **connected** if it can be written as the union of two open subsets

$X$  is called **locally connected** if for any  $x \in X$ , there is a local basis that are connected

**Proposition 15.1.18.** Connected components are closed

Connectedness and local path connectedness implies path connectedness

**Remark 15.1.19.** Connected components may not be open

**Definition 15.1.20.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  has **lift extension property** for  $(X, A)$  if for any  $X \xrightarrow{f} B$ , a lift  $A \xrightarrow{\tilde{f}} E$  can be extended to  $\tilde{f} : X \rightarrow E$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\tilde{f}} & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \tilde{f} & \downarrow p \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & B \end{array}$$

$E \xrightarrow{p} B$  has **homotopy lifting property** for  $(X, A)$  if it has lift extension property for  $(X \times I, X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I)$

**Proposition 15.1.21.** If  $(X, A)$  satisfies homotopy extension property, and  $A$  is contractible, then the quotient map  $X \xrightarrow{q} X/A$  is a homotopy equivalence

*Proof.* Consider  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I \rightarrow A \hookrightarrow X$ , where  $(x, 0) \mapsto x$ ,  $(a, 1) \mapsto *$  can be extended to  $f : X \times I \rightarrow X$ ,  $f_0 = 1_X$ ,  $f_1(A) = \{*\}$ , thus  $f_1$  induces  $r : X/A \rightarrow X$ ,  $f_1 = r q$ ,  $X \times I \xrightarrow{f} X \xrightarrow{q} X/A$  also induce  $g : X/A \times I \rightarrow X/A$ , where  $q f_t = g_t q$ , and  $g_0 = 1_{X/A}$ ,  $g_1 = q r$  thus  $q r \simeq 1_{X/A}$   $\square$

**Definition 15.1.22.**  $U \subseteq X$  is open if  $U \cap K$  is open for any compact subspace  $K \subseteq X$  defines a topology. Equivalently,  $F \subseteq X$  is closed if  $F \cap K$  is closed for any compact subspace  $K \subseteq X$ .  $X$  is **compactly generated** if  $X$  has this topology

**Definition 15.1.23.** A map is **proper** if the preimage of a compact set is compact

A map is **discrete** if the preimage of a discrete set is discrete

**Definition 15.1.24.**  $X$  has **discrete topology** if  $\tau = \mathcal{P}(X)$ .  $X$  has **trivial topology** if  $\tau = \{\emptyset, X\}$

Properties of discrete topology

**Proposition 15.1.25.** Suppose  $X$  has discrete topology

(a) Any map  $f : Y \rightarrow X$  is continuous iff  $f^{-1}(x)$  is open for all  $x \in X$

(b) If continuous maps  $f, g : X \rightarrow X$  are homotopic, then they are actually the same

*Proof.*

(a) For any subset  $U \subseteq X$ ,  $f^{-1}(U) = \bigcup_{x \in U} f^{-1}(x)$  is open

(b) If  $F : X \times I \rightarrow X$  is a homotopy, then the restriction on  $\{x\} \times I$  is gives a continuous map  $I \rightarrow X$ , the image has to be connected, thus the restriction is a constant, thus  $f(x) = F(x, 0) = F(x, 1) = g(x)$   $\square$

Pasting lemma

**Lemma 15.1.26.**  $F_i \subseteq X$  are closed,  $\bigcup_i F_i = X$ ,  $f|_{F_i}$  are continuous, then  $f$  is continuous

$X$  compact +  $Y$  Hausdorff  $\Rightarrow f : X \rightarrow Y$  quotient map

**Lemma 15.1.27.** If  $X$  is compact,  $Y$  is Hausdorff, a surjective continuous map  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is a quotient map

*Proof.* Let's use the universal property of quotient space, consider a continuous map  $g : X \rightarrow Z$  such that  $g$  maps fibers of  $f$  to points, thus we have a map  $\tilde{g} : Y \rightarrow Z$ ,  $\tilde{g} f = g$ , for any closed set  $F$  in  $Z$ , so is  $K = g^{-1}(F) = f^{-1}(\tilde{g}^{-1}(F))$ , since  $X$  is compact, so is  $K$ , hence  $f(K) = \tilde{g}^{-1}(F)$  is compact, and since  $Y$  is Hausdorff,  $\tilde{g}^{-1}(F)$  is closed  $\square$

$X$  locally compact + Hausdorff,  $F$  closed iff  $F$  intersects  $K$  is compact for any  $K$  compact

**Lemma 15.1.28.**  $X$  is locally compact, Hausdorff,  $F \subseteq X$  is closed iff  $F \cap K$  is compact for any compact subset  $K \subseteq X$

*Proof.*  $F$  closed  $\Rightarrow F \cap K$  closed. Conversely, suppose  $F \cap K$  is compact for any compact subsets  $K \subseteq X$ , for any  $x \notin F$ , there is a compact set  $K$  containing an open neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$ ,  $F \cap K$  is compact thus closed, hence  $G = U - F \cap K$  is an open neighborhood of  $x$  which is disjoint of  $F$ , hence  $F$  is closed  $\square$

**Lemma 15.1.29.**  $X, Y$  are locally compact, Hausdorff,  $p : X \rightarrow Y$  is continuous, proper, then  $p$  is closed

*Proof.* Suppose  $F \subseteq X$  is closed, since  $p(F \cap p^{-1}(K)) = p(F) \cap K$ , by Lemma 15.1.28, we can take any  $K \subseteq Y$  compact, hence  $F$  is closed  $\square$

**Definition 15.1.30.**  $X$  is noncompact, the **Alexandorff extension** of  $X$  is  $X^* = X \cup \{\infty\}$  with open sets  $\emptyset, X^*$ , open sets in  $X$  and complements of closed compact sets of  $X$   
 $X \hookrightarrow X^*$  is an open topological embedding

If  $X$  is also locally compact Hausdorff,  $X^*$  is the **one point compactification** of  $X$  which is Hausdorff

$X, Y$  locally compact Hausdorff,  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  proper,  $f$  send discrete sets to discrete sets

**Lemma 15.1.31.**  $X, Y$  are locally compact Hausdorff,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is proper, then  $f$  sends discrete sets to discrete sets

*Proof.* Suppose  $A \subseteq X$  is discrete,  $x_0 \in A$ ,  $y_0 = f(x_0) \in Y$ ,  $K$  is a compact neighborhood of  $y_0$ , then  $f^{-1}(K)$  is a compact neighborhood of  $x_0$ , thus  $f^{-1}(K) \cap A$  is finite, so is  $K \cap f(A)$ , since  $Y$  is Hausdorff, there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $y_0$  such that  $U \cap f(A) = y_0$   $\square$

**Lemma 15.1.32.**  $X, Y$  are locally compact,  $X \xrightarrow{p} Y$  is proper and discrete, then  $p^{-1}(y)$  is finite, and for any neighborhood  $V$  of  $p^{-1}(y)$ , there is a neighborhood  $U$  of  $y$  such that  $p^{-1}(U) \subseteq V$

**Lemma 15.1.33.**  $X, Y$  are locally compact Hausdorff,  $X \xrightarrow{p} Y$  is a proper local homeomorphism, then  $p$  is a finite sheeted covering

**Definition 15.1.34.** The **compact-open topology** on  $Y^X$  is given by a subbase  $V(K, U) := \{f \in Y^X \mid f(K) \subseteq U\}$ , with  $K \subseteq X$  compact and  $U \subseteq Y$  open

A **normal family**  $\{f_i\}$  is a precompact subset of  $Y^X$

**Lemma 15.1.35.**  $\{f_n\}$  converges pointwise on  $X$  iff  $\{f_n\}$  converges in  $Y^X$  with the product topology  $\prod_{x \in X} Y$ . Hence we call the product topology the **topology of pointwise convergence**

*Proof.* If  $f_n$  converges pointwise on  $X$  to  $f$ , then for any neighborhood  $V_i$  of  $f(x_i)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, k$ ,  $V_k$  contains all but finitely many  $f_n(x_i)$ , thus for  $n$  big enough,  $f_n \in V_1 \cap \dots \cap V_k \cap \prod_{x \neq x_0} Y$ , i.e.  $\{f_n\}$  converges to  $f$  in  $Y^X$   $\square$

**Theorem 15.1.36.**  $X$  is compact,  $Y$  is a complete metric space, then the topology induced by metric  $d(f, g) = \sup_{x \in X} d(f(x), g(x))$  is the same as the compact-open topology on  $Y^X$

**Theorem 15.1.37.**  $Y^* \cong Y$

**Theorem 15.1.38.** The composition  $Z^Y \times Y^X \rightarrow Z^X$ ,  $(g, f) \mapsto g \circ f$  is continuous, in particular, if  $X = *$ , then this becomes the evaluation map  $\text{eval} : Z^Y \times Y, (f, y) \mapsto f(y)$

**Theorem 15.1.39.**  $Z^{X \times Y} \cong (Z^Y)^X$

**Definition 15.1.40.** A topological space  $X$  is reducible if  $X = X_1 \cup X_2$ ,  $X_1, X_2$  are proper nonempty closed subsets,  $X_1 \not\subseteq X_2$ ,  $X_2 \not\subseteq X_1$ ,  $X$  is **irreducible** if not reducible

**Definition 15.1.41.** A topological space  $X$  is **Noetherian** if  $X \supsetneq X_1 \supsetneq X_2 \supsetneq \dots$  terminates,  $\dim V = \sup_d (X_0 \supsetneq X_1 \supsetneq \dots \supsetneq X_d)$ ,  $V_i$ 's are closed and irreducible

Tychonoff's theorem

**Theorem 15.1.42** (Tychonoff's theorem).  $\{K_i\}_{i \in I}$  are compact, so is  $\prod_{i \in I} K_i$

**Proposition 15.1.43.** Connected sets of  $\mathbb{R}$  are intervals  $(a, b)$ ,  $[a, b)$ ,  $(a, b]$  or  $[a, b]$



Jordan curve theorem

**Theorem 15.1.44** (Jordan curve theorem).  $S^n \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  is injective thus an open embedding by Lemma 15.1.16, denote  $X = i(S^n)$ , then  $Y = \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus X$  consists of exactly two connected components, the interior  $U$  which is bounded, and the exterior  $V$  which is not. When  $n = 1$ ,  $U$  and  $V$  are homeomorphic to  $D$  and  $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus D$

**Definition 15.1.45.** A **locally closed set**  $X$  is the intersection of an open subset and a closed subset. Equivalently,  $X$  is relatively open in  $\overline{X}$ . A **constructible set**  $X$  if it is a finite union of locally closed sets

Lefschetz fixed point theorem

**Theorem 15.1.46** (Lefschetz fixed point theorem).  $X$  is a compact triangulable space of dimension  $n$ , the **Lefschetz number** of  $f$  is  $\sum_{k=0}^n \text{tr}(f_*|_{H_k(X;\mathbb{Q})})$ . If the Lefschetz number of  $f$  is nonzero, then  $f$  has fixed points. The converse is not true, i.e. even if the Lefschetz number is zero, then could be fixed points  
If  $f = \text{id}_X$ , then the Lefschetz number is the Euler characteristic  $\chi$

**Definition 15.1.47.** The **join** of  $X, Y$  is

$$X * Y = \frac{X \times Y \times I}{(x, y_1, 0) \sim (x, y_2, 0), (x_1, y, 1) \sim (x_2, y, 1)}$$

We can also interpret it as all possible paths from  $X$  to  $Y$ . In general,  $\ast_i X_i$  can be thought of as finite sum  $\sum_i t_i x_i, t_i \in I, x_i \in X_i$

## 15.2 Retract

**Definition 15.2.1.**  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is inclusion. A **deformation** of  $A$  into  $B \subseteq X$  in  $X$  is a homotopy  $A \xrightarrow{f_t} X$  such that  $f_0 = i$  and  $f_1(A) \subseteq B$ , onto if equality holds.  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  is a **retraction** if  $ri = 1_A$ .  $r$  is a **weak retraction** if inclusion  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  has a left homotopy inverse, i.e.  $ri \simeq 1_A$ . A **deformation retraction** is a deformation  $X \xrightarrow{f_t} X$  such that  $f_1 = ri$  for some retraction  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$ . Deformation retraction  $f_t$  is **strong** if  $f_t|_A = 1_A$ .  $X$  is **contractible** if  $X$  deformation retracts onto a point.  $(X, A)$  is a **good pair** if  $A$  is a strong neighborhood deformation retract of  $X$ .

Some rudimentary lemma about retract and deformation

**Lemma 15.2.2.**  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is inclusion

- (1)  $X$  is deformable into  $A$  iff  $i$  is a **weak section**, namely  $i$  has a right homotopy inverse, i.e.  $ir \simeq 1_X$
- (2)  $i$  is a homotopy equivalence iff  $A$  is a weak retract of  $X$  and  $X$  is deformable into  $A$
- (3) If  $X$  is deformable into a retract  $A$ , then  $A$  is a deformation retract of  $X$
- (4) If  $(X, A)$  is cofibered, then  $A$  is a weak retract of  $X$  iff  $A$  is a retract of  $X$

*Proof.*

- (1) If  $X \times I \xrightarrow{H} X$  is a homotopy from  $1_X$  to  $ir$ , then  $H$  is a deformation of  $X$  into  $A$  since  $H_0 = 1_X$ ,  $H_1(X) \subseteq A$ . If  $H$  is a deformation of  $X$  into  $A$ , since  $H_1(X) \subseteq A$ , define  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  such that  $ir = H_1$ , then  $r$  is a right homotopy inverse of  $i$
- (2)  $i$  is a homotopy equivalence  $\Leftrightarrow$  there exists  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  such that  $ri \simeq 1_A$ ,  $1_X \xrightarrow{H} ir \Leftrightarrow r$  is a weak retract,  $H$  is a deformation of  $X$  into  $A$
- (3)  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  is a retraction,  $X \times I \xrightarrow{H} X$  is a deformation of  $X$ , then  $1_X \simeq ir'$  for some  $X \xrightarrow{r'} A$ , hence  $r \simeq rir' = r' \Rightarrow 1_X \simeq ir \simeq ir$  giving a deformation retract
- (4)  $A \times I \xrightarrow{H} A$  is a homotopy from  $ri$  to  $1_A$ , since  $r(a) = H_0(a)$  and  $(X, A)$  is cofibered, we have  $X \times I \xrightarrow{F} A$ , then  $F_0 = r$ ,  $F_1i = 1_A$ , i.e.  $r$  is homotopic to retraction  $F_1$  □

**Definition 15.2.3.**  $\mathcal{C}$  is a class of topological spaces closed under homeomorphism and closed subsets.  $X$  is an **absolute retract** for  $\mathcal{C}$  if for  $Y \in \mathcal{C}$ , embedding  $X \hookrightarrow Y$  is closed  $\Rightarrow X$  is a retract of  $Y$ .  $X$  is an **absolute neighborhood retract** for  $\mathcal{C}$  if for  $Y \in \mathcal{C}$ , embedding  $X \hookrightarrow Y$  is closed  $\Rightarrow X$  is a neighborhood retract of  $Y$

**Part VI**

**Algebraic Topology**



# Chapter 16

## Cell structure

### 16.1 CW complexes

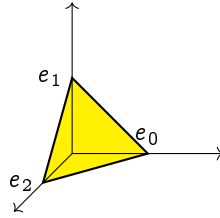
Standard simplex

**Definition 16.1.1.** With the standard basis  $\{e_i\}$  for  $\mathbb{R}^\infty$  as vertices, the **standard  $n$ -simplex** is

$$\Delta^n = \left\{ (t_0, \dots, t_n) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid \sum t_i = 1, 0 \leq t_i \leq 1 \right\}$$

The  **$i$ -th face** of  $\Delta^n$  is the face opposite to the  $i$ -th vertex, i.e.  $\{t_i = 0\} \cap \Delta^n$

The **boundary** of  $\Delta^n$  to be  $\partial\Delta^n$  is the union of faces.  $\partial\Delta^0 = \emptyset$



$$\Delta^{n-1} \xrightarrow{d_{n,i}} \Delta^n, e_j \mapsto \begin{cases} e_j & j < i \\ e_{j+1} & j \geq i \end{cases} \text{ is } i\text{-th } \mathbf{face \ map} \text{ attaching } \Delta^{n-1} \text{ to the } i\text{-th face of } \Delta^n$$

$$\Delta^{n+1} \xrightarrow{s_{n,i}} \Delta^n, e_j \mapsto \begin{cases} e_j & j \leq i \\ e_{j-1} & j > i \end{cases} \text{ is the } i\text{-th } \mathbf{degeneracy \ map} \text{ which is a projection}$$

**Definition 16.1.2.**  $X$  has a **cell decomposition** if  $X$  can be written as the disjoint union of open  $n$  cells, i.e.  $X = \bigcup_{n,\alpha} e_\alpha^n$ , where cells  $e_\alpha^n$  with subspace topology are homeomorphic to open  $n$

disks or open  $n$  simplices and disjoint,  $X^n = \bigsqcup_{k \leq n, \alpha} e_\alpha^k$  is called the  **$n$ -skeleton**, define  $X^{-1} = \emptyset$

Suppose  $X, Y$  have cell decomposition  $X = \bigcup_{n,\alpha} e_\alpha^n, Y = \bigcup_{m,\beta} e_\beta^m$ , then  $X \times Y$  also has a cell

decomposition  $X \times Y = \bigcup_k \bigcup_{\substack{n+m=k \\ \alpha,\beta}} e_\alpha^n \times e_\beta^m$ , note that  $e_\alpha^n \times e_\beta^m \cong e^{n+m}$

Every topological space has a cell decomposition into points

**Definition 16.1.3.** A **cellular map** is a map  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  between topological spaces with cell decompositions such that  $f(X^n) \subseteq Y^n$

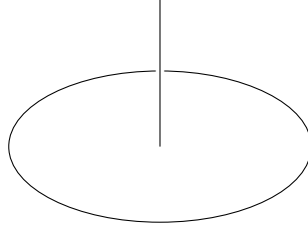
**Definition 16.1.4.**  $X$  is called a **cell complex** if  $X$  is a Hausdorff space with cell decomposition  $X = \bigcup_{n,\alpha} e_\alpha^n$  and a cell complex structure: a family of characteristic maps  $\Phi_\alpha^n : \Delta^n \rightarrow X$  such

that  $\Phi_\alpha^n$  restricted on  $\Delta^n \setminus \partial\Delta^n$  is a homeomorphism onto  $e_\alpha^n$  and  $\Phi_\alpha^n(\partial\Delta^n) \subseteq X^{n-1}$

Note that in the definition, we could also replace  $\Delta^n$  with  $D^n$

**Remark 16.1.5.** Since  $\Delta^n$  is compact Hausdorff and  $X$  is Hausdorff,  $\overline{e_\alpha^n} \subseteq \Phi_\alpha^n(\Delta^n)$ ,  $\partial e_\alpha^n \subseteq \Phi_\alpha^n(\partial \Delta^n)$  for  $n > 0$ , on the other hand, if  $\partial e_\alpha^n \subsetneq \Phi_\alpha^n(\partial \Delta^n)$ , then there exists  $x \in \partial \Delta^n$  such that  $y = \Phi_\alpha^n(x) \notin \overline{e_\alpha^n}$ , this means there is an open neighborhood  $U$  of  $y$  disjoint from  $\overline{e_\alpha^n}$ , but then the preimage of  $U$  under  $\Phi_\alpha^n$  would be a nonempty open subset of  $\Delta^n$  which intersects  $\Delta^n \setminus \partial \Delta^n$  which is impossible, hence  $\Phi_\alpha^n(\Delta^n) = \overline{e_\alpha^n}$ ,  $\Phi_\alpha^n(\partial \Delta^n) = \partial e_\alpha^n$  for  $n > 0$

A Hausdorff space  $X$  with a cell decomposition doesn't immediately give a cell complex structure, for example, consider an open disk union with an open segment right in the middle



Cell complex  $X$  can be seen as  $\Delta^n$  is compact Hausdorff and  $X$  is Hausdorff and Lemma 15.1.27

**Definition 16.1.6.** A cell complex  $X$  is called **regular** if all characteristic maps are embeddings

**Definition 16.1.7.** Let  $X$  be a cell complex, it is **closure finite** if  $\overline{e_\alpha^n}$  is contained in the union of finitely many cells, and we say  $X$  has the **weak topology**, meaning  $F \subseteq X$  is closed iff  $F \cap \overline{e_\alpha^n}$  is closed in  $\overline{e_\alpha^n}$  for any cell, if a cell complex is both closure finite and has the weak topology, we say it is a **CW complex**

Closure finiteness is equivalent of saying  $\partial e_\alpha^n \subseteq \bigcup_{k < n, \alpha} e_\alpha^k$  a finite union of cells

**Example 16.1.8.** Consider  $X = D^2$  with a cell complex structure  $D^2 \rightarrow D^2$  and  $*$   $\rightarrow$   $x$  for each  $x \in \partial D^2$ , this doesn't satisfy closure finiteness since  $\overline{e^2} = X$ , but the weak topology is the same as the original one, since if  $F \subseteq D^2$  is closed in the weak topology, then  $F \cap \overline{e^2} = F$  is closed

Consider  $X = S^1$  with a cell complex structure  $*$   $\rightarrow$   $x$  for each  $x \in S^1$ , the weak topology is the discrete topology on  $S^1$  which doesn't match with the original topology on  $S^1$ , but it does satisfy closure finiteness

**Remark 16.1.9.** Suppose  $X$  is a CW complex

$X^n$  is obviously closed due to the weak topology

Since  $\overline{e_\alpha^n}$  is contained in the union of finitely many cells,  $\overline{e_\alpha^n}$  contains at most finitely many 0 cells, thus any union of 0 cells  $F$  is closed because  $F \cap \overline{e_\alpha^n}$  is finitely many points which is closed given that  $X$  is Hausdorff, therefore  $X^0$  is discrete

Suppose  $K \subseteq X$  is a compact subset, then  $K \subseteq X = \bigcup e_\alpha^n \subseteq \bigcup \overline{e_\alpha^n} \setminus \partial e_\alpha^n$

contained in finitely many cells, since  $K \subseteq \bigcup \overline{e_\alpha^n} \setminus \partial e_\alpha^n$

if  $K \cap e_\alpha^n \neq \emptyset$ ,

, otherwise  $K$  intersects infinitely many cells,

**Theorem 16.1.10.** Another description of CW complexes is as follows:

These two definitions coincides

**Proposition 16.1.11.** Any compact set of a CW complex is contained in finitely many cells

**Proposition 16.1.12.** CW complexes are locally contractible, thus they are locally path connected, hence connectedness and path connectedness are equivalent for CW complexes

**Theorem 16.1.13.** CW complexes are normal, satisfies  $T_4$  axiom

**Proposition 16.1.14.** If  $A \subseteq X$  is a CW subcomplex, then  $(X, A)$  is a good pair

**Theorem 16.1.15.** CW complexes have partitions of unity

**Proposition 16.1.16.** Covering space of CW complexes are CW complexes

**Proposition 16.1.17.** The product of two countable CW complexes is again a CW complex

## 16.2 Graphs

**Theorem 16.2.1.** For every group  $G$ , there is a connected two dimensional CW complex  $X$  with  $\pi_1(X) = G$

*Proof.* We can always find a surjection from a free group  $F$  to  $G$ , suppose  $F$  is generated by  $g_\alpha$ 's, and the kernel  $K$  is generated by  $r_\beta$ 's, i.e.  $F$  has a group presentation  $\langle g_\alpha | r_\beta \rangle$ , then define  $X$  to be  $\bigvee_\alpha S_\alpha^1$  attached with cells  $e_\beta^2$ 's along each word  $r_\beta$   $\square$

**Definition 16.2.2.** Cayley graphs, Cayley complexes

**Definition 16.2.3.** A **graph**  $G$  is a one dimensional CW complex, a **tree**  $T$  is a contractible graph,  $T \subseteq G$  is maximal if  $T$  contains all vertices, note that in a tree there is a unique path between two vertices

**Proposition 16.2.4.** Let  $X$  be a connected graph, any tree in  $X$  is contained in a maximal tree, in particular,  $X$  has a maximal tree

*Proof.* Let's prove more generally any subgraph  $X_0$  is the deformation retraction of subgraph  $Y$  which contains all the vertices

Construct  $X_0 \subseteq X_1 \subseteq X_2 \subseteq \dots$  as follows,  $X_{i+1}$  is obtained by adding the closures of all the edges that connected to  $X_i$ ,  $X = \bigcup_i X_i$ , since  $X$  is path connected, let  $Y_0 = X_0$ , and construct  $Y_0 \subseteq Y_1 \subseteq Y_2 \subseteq \dots$  as follows, for any vertex in  $X_{i+1} - X_i$ , choose one edge that connects to  $Y_i$ , and add the closure, so we have  $Y_{i+1}$  from  $Y_i$ , it is easy to see the  $Y_{i+1}$  deformation retracts onto  $Y_i$ , so  $Y = \bigcup_i Y_i$  deformation retracts onto  $Y_0 = X_0$

If  $X_0 = T$  is a tree, so is  $Y$  since  $Y$  deformation retracts onto  $T$  which is contractible  $\square$

Free basis for connected graphs

**Proposition 16.2.5** (Free basis for connected graphs). For a connected graph  $X$  with maximal tree  $T$ , for any edge  $e_\alpha \in X - T$ , there is a corresponding loop  $f_\alpha$  goes from  $x_0$  to one endpoint of  $e_\alpha$ , across  $e_\alpha$  to the other, and go back to  $x_0$ ,  $\pi_1(X, x_0)$  is a free group generated by  $f_\alpha$

*Proof.* Consider  $X \rightarrow X/T$  which is a homotopy equivalence  $\square$

**Theorem 16.2.6.** Any subgroup of a free group is also free

*Proof.* Let  $F$  be a free group, there exists a graph  $X$  such that  $\pi_1(X) = F$  by just taking the wedge sum of circles at  $x_0$ , let  $G \leq F$  be a subgroup, then there exists a covering  $Y \xrightarrow{p} X$  such that  $p_*(\pi_1(Y, y_0)) = G$ , thus  $\pi_1(Y, y_0) \cong G$ , and since  $Y$  is a covering of  $X$ ,  $Y$  is also a graph, by Proposition 16.2.5,  $G \cong \pi_1(Y)$  is free  $\square$

### 16.3 Simplex category

**Definition 16.3.1.** The **simplex category**  $Simp$  has  $[n] := \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$  as objects, and order preserving functions as morphisms, there are two special types of morphisms: **Face maps**

$$d_{n,i} : [n-1] \rightarrow [n], d_{n,i}(j) = \begin{cases} j & , j < i \\ j+1 & , j \geq i \end{cases} \text{ and the } \mathbf{degeneracy maps } s_{n,i} : [n+1] \rightarrow [n],$$

$$s_{n,i}(j) = \begin{cases} j & , j \leq i \\ j-1 & , j > i \end{cases}, \text{ they subject to } \mathbf{simplicial identities:}$$

$$d_j \circ d_i = d_i \circ d_{j-1}, i < j \Leftrightarrow i \leq j-1$$

$$s_j \circ s_i = s_i \circ s_{j+1}, i \leq j \Leftrightarrow i < j+1$$

$$s_j \circ d_i = \begin{cases} d_{i-1} \circ s_j & , j \leq i-2 \Leftrightarrow j < i-1 \\ 1 & , j = i, i-1 \\ d_i \circ s_{j-1} & , j > i \Leftrightarrow j-1 \geq i \end{cases}$$

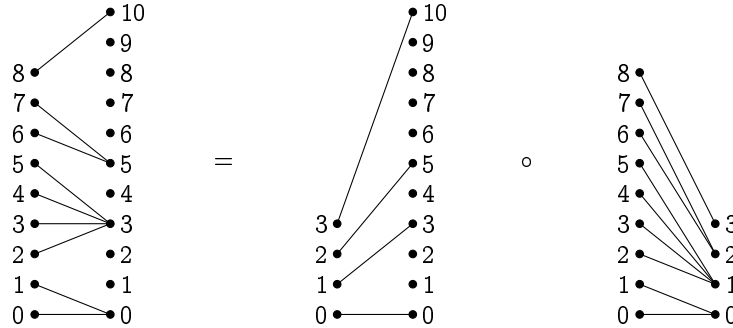
I find it easier to just think about  $d_i, s_i : [\infty] \rightarrow [\infty]$

The **semisimple simplex category** is when discarding degeneracy maps, i.e. morphisms are strictly order preserving. The **augmented simplex category** is  $Simp \cup \emptyset$ . The **unordered simplex category** with the same objects as  $Simp$  and all functions as morphisms. The **unordered semisimple simplex category** with the same objects as  $Simp$  and all injections as morphisms

Unique decomposition of morphisms in simplex category

**Lemma 16.3.2.** Thanks to simplicial identities. Any morphism can be uniquely decomposed into a surjection compose with an injection. Any injection can be uniquely decomposed into composition of face maps with index strictly increasing. Any surjection can be uniquely decomposed into composition of degeneracy maps with index nondecreasing

*Proof.* For example



The right hand side can be written as  $d_9 d_8 d_7 d_6 d_4 d_2 d_1 \circ s_2 s_2 s_1 s_1 s_0$

□

**Definition 16.3.3.** A **simplicial object** in  $\mathcal{C}$  is a functor  $Simp^{op} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ , and a **cosimplicial object** is a functor  $Simp \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ . If  $\mathcal{C}$  is the category of sets, then the simplicial object is called a **simplicial set**  $X : Simp^{op} \rightarrow Set$ ,  $X([n]) = X_n$  is a family of sets, the face map  $X(d_{n,i})$  sends elements of  $X_n$  to its  $i$ -th face

Similarly, we have semisimplicial object, augmented simplicial object, unordered simplicial object and unordered semisimplicial object

**Example 16.3.4.** The standard simplices  $\{\Delta^n\}$  in Definition 16.1.1 with face and degeneracy maps is a cosimplicial object  $\Delta$  in the category of topological spaces

$$\begin{array}{ccc} [n] & \longrightarrow & \Delta^n \\ d_i \downarrow & & \downarrow d_i \\ [n+1] & \longrightarrow & \Delta^{n+1} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} [n] & \longrightarrow & \Delta^n \\ s_i \uparrow & & \uparrow s_i \\ [n+1] & \longrightarrow & \Delta^{n+1} \end{array}$$



This functor is faithful and injective on objects, hence we may also just think of standard simplices as the simplex category

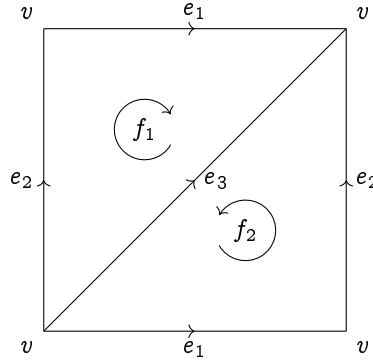
Due to Lemma 16.3.2, any morphism  $\Delta^n \rightarrow \Delta^m$  can be uniquely written as an ordered degeneration compose with an ordered inclusion  $\Delta^n \twoheadrightarrow \Delta^k \hookrightarrow \Delta^m$

**Definition 16.3.5.** A  $\Delta$ -**complex** structure on a cell complex  $X$  is a CW complex structure where the restriction of a characteristic map  $\Phi_\alpha^n : \Delta^n \rightarrow \overline{e}_\alpha^n$  to its  $i$ -th face is such that  $\Phi_\beta^{n-1} = \Phi_\alpha^n \circ d_{n,i}$  for some  $\Phi_\beta^{n-1}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Delta^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{d_{n,i}} & \Delta^n \\ \Phi_\beta^{n-1} \downarrow & & \downarrow \Phi_\alpha^n \\ \overline{e}_\beta^{n-1} & \hookrightarrow & \overline{e}_\alpha^n \end{array}$$

**Remark 16.3.6.** A  $\Delta$  complex  $X$  is also called semisimplicial complex because it can be regarded as a semisimple set  $X : \mathbf{Simp} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ , with  $X([n]) = X_n$  being all the  $n$  faces,  $X(d_{n,i}) : X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1}$  being face maps that map each cell to its  $i$ -th face

**Example 16.3.7.** Consider a  $\Delta$  complex structure on torus



**Definition 16.3.8.** An **unordered  $\Delta$ -complex** structure on a cell complex  $X$  is a CW complex structure where the restriction of a characteristic map  $\Phi_\alpha^n : \Delta^n \rightarrow \overline{e}_\alpha^n$  to any face is such that  $\Phi_\beta^{n-1} = \Phi_\alpha^n \circ i$  for some  $\Phi_\beta^{n-1}$ ,  $i$  is an inclusion to that face regardless of order

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Delta^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{i} & \Delta^n \\ \Phi_\beta^{n-1} \downarrow & & \downarrow \Phi_\alpha^n \\ \overline{e}_\beta^{n-1} & \hookrightarrow & \overline{e}_\alpha^n \end{array}$$

**Remark 16.3.9.** An unordered  $\Delta$  complex  $X$  can be regarded as an unordered semisimple set  $X : \mathbf{Simp} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ , with  $X([n]) = X_n$  being all the  $n$  faces,  $X(i) : X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1}$  being face maps that map each cell to the corresponding face

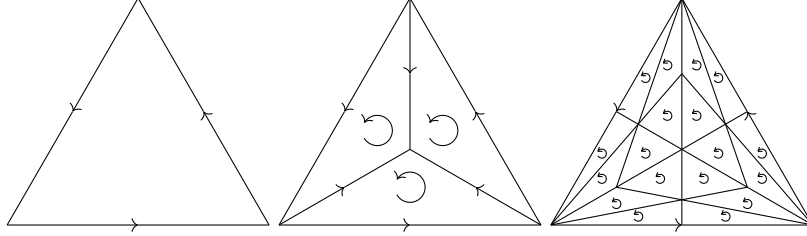
**Definition 16.3.10.** A regular unordered  $\Delta$  complex is called a **multicomplex**, prefix multi-means different simplices can have the same faces

A regular unordered  $\Delta$  complex in which each simplex is uniquely determined by its faces is called a simplicial complex

**Definition 16.3.11.** A **simplicial map**  $f : K \rightarrow L$  is a map such that maps vertices of a simplex of  $K$  to the vertices of a simplex of  $L$  and linear on each simplex, two simplicial maps  $f, g$  are **contiguous** if for any simplex  $s$  in  $K$ ,  $f(s), g(s)$  are faces of the same simplex, in particular,  $f, g$  are homotopic, just consider  $(1-t)f + tg$

**Lemma 16.3.12.** Any unordered  $\Delta$  complex can be subdivided once to become a  $\Delta$  complex, and any  $\Delta$  complex can be subdivided to be a simplicial complex, therefore, every unordered  $\Delta$  complex is homeomorphic to a  $\Delta$  complex and is homeomorphic to a simplicial complex

**Example 16.3.13.** The one on the left with three edges identified is not a  $\Delta$  complex, but an unordered  $\Delta$  complex, the one in the middle is a  $\Delta$  complex, but not a simplicial complex, the one on the right is a simplicial complex



**Definition 16.3.14.** A **singular  $\Delta$ -complex** structure on a cell complex  $X$  is a CW complex structure where the restriction of a characteristic map  $\Phi_\alpha^n : \Delta^n \rightarrow \bar{e}_\alpha^n$  to its  $i$ -th face is such that  $\Phi_\beta^k \circ q = \Phi_\alpha^n \circ d_{n,i}$  for some  $\Phi_\beta^k, k \leq n-1, q : \Delta^{n-1} \rightarrow \Delta^k$  is a degeneration

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Delta^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{q} & \Delta^k \\ d_{n,i} \downarrow & & \downarrow \Phi_\beta^k \\ \Delta^n & \xrightarrow{\Phi_\alpha^n} & X \end{array}$$

**Remark 16.3.15.** A singular  $\Delta$  complex is defined quite like a CW complex, where the characteristic maps are simplicial, instead of cellular

The vertices of a singular  $\Delta$  complex can be given a partial order which is a total order on each simplex, just start at any point and use Zorn's lemma, in fact, it can be totally ordered

**Definition 16.3.16.** Suppose  $X : \mathbf{Simp} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$  is a simplicial set, we can use this combinatorial information to construct its **geometric realization**  $|X|$  with  $X([n]) = X_n$  represents its  $n$  faces and morphisms  $X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1}$  represents face maps and morphisms  $X_n \rightarrow X_{n+1}$  represents degeneracy maps

The concrete construction is

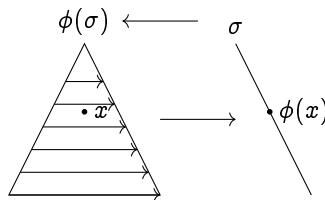
$$|X| := \frac{\bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} \Delta([n]) \times X([n])}{(\Delta\phi(x), \sigma) \sim (x, X\phi(\sigma))} = \frac{\bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} \Delta^n \times X_n}{(\phi(x), \sigma) \sim (x, \phi(\sigma))}$$

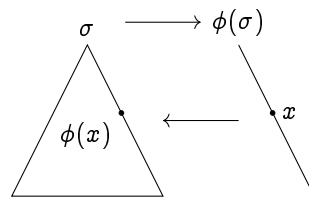
Where  $X_n$  is given the discrete topology,  $x \in \Delta^n, \sigma \in X_n, \phi$  a morphism ranging over  $\mathbf{Simp}$  which is the same as ranging over all face maps and degeneracy maps since every morphism can be decomposed uniquely as a degeneration compose with an inclusion, the difference being taking the transitive closure which is the definition of a quotient space

This basically means that give each  $n$  face an  $n$  simplex and if there is a face map or a degeneracy map, glue the corresponding simplices according to the map

**Proposition 16.3.17.** The geometric realization  $|X|$  of a simplicial set  $X$  is a singular  $\Delta$  complex,  $|-|$  is a functor from the category of simplicial sets to the category of singular  $\Delta$  complexes, Moreover, if  $X$  is a semisimplicial set, then  $|X|$  is a  $\Delta$  complex

*Proof.* Let's first deal with the degeneration





□

**Definition 16.3.18.** Given a singular  $\Delta$  complex (equivalently a simplicial set), its one skeleton with a partial order can be seen as a diagram, consider such a diagram in the category of spaces, we call this a complex of spaces

## 16.4 abstract simplicial complex

**Definition 16.4.1.** An **abstract simplicial complex** is  $K \subseteq \mathcal{P}(S) \setminus \emptyset$  such that  $X \in K \Rightarrow \mathcal{P}(X) \setminus \emptyset \subseteq K$ . Finite elements of  $K$  are called **faces**. The **dimension** of a face  $X$  is  $\dim X = |X| - 1$ . The  $d$  skeleton  $K^d$  is the union of faces of dimension no more than  $d$ .  $\dim K = \sup \dim X$ .  $K^0$  are **vertices**. Maximal elements are **facets**.  $K$  is **pure** if all facets have dimension  $\dim K$ . A **simplex** is a subcomplex which contains all its nonempty subsets, for  $X \in K$ ,  $\overline{X}$  is the corresponding simplicial complex

**Definition 16.4.2.** The **closure**  $\overline{L}$  of  $L \subseteq K$  is smallest subcomplex of  $K$  containing  $L$ . The **star** of  $Y \in K$  is  $\text{st } Y = \{X \mid Y \subseteq X\}$ , the star of  $L \subseteq K$  is  $\text{st } L = \bigcup_{Y \in L} \text{st } Y$ . The **link** of a face  $Y \in K$  is  $\text{lk } Y = \{X \mid Y \cap X = \emptyset, Y \cup X \in K\}$ . Equivalently,  $\text{lk } Y = \overline{\text{st } Y} - \text{st } Y$

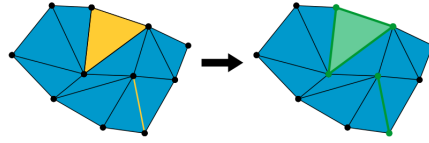


Figure 16.4.1: Two **simplices** and their **closure** Closure of a complex

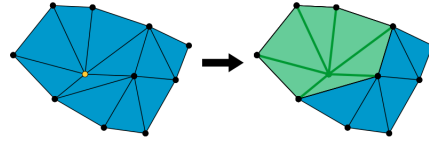


Figure 16.4.2: A **vertex** and its **star** Star of a complex

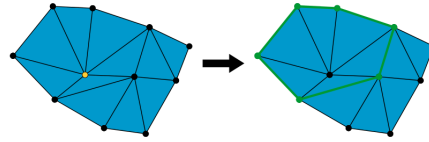


Figure 16.4.3: A **vertex** and its **link** Link of a complex

*Note.*  $\text{lk } \emptyset = K$

**Definition 16.4.3.** If  $K, L$  has disjoint sets of vertices, then  $K * L = \{X \sqcup Y \mid X \in K, Y \in L\}$

**Definition 16.4.4.**  $L \subseteq K$ , the **deletion**  $K \setminus L$  consists of those sets which don't contain sets in  $L$  as subsets. The stellar subdivision of  $X \in K$  is by introducing a new vertex  $x$ , and form  $K \setminus X \cup (\overline{x} * \partial \overline{X} * \text{lk } X)$

**Definition 16.4.5.** A simplicial map  $f : K \rightarrow L$  is such that  $f(K^d) \subseteq L^d$

## 16.5 CW approximation

CW approximation

**Theorem 16.5.1** (CW approximation). For any topological space  $X$ , there is a  $CW$  complex  $Z$  and a weak homotopy equivalence  $f : Z \rightarrow X$ , this is called a CW approximation

Whitehead's theorem

**Theorem 16.5.2** (Whitehead's theorem). Suppose  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is weak homotopy equivalence between CW complexes, then it is a homotopy equivalence

## 16.6 Triangulation

**Definition 16.6.1.** A **pseudomanifold**  $M$  is a pure triangulated space of dimension  $n$  such that  $M$  is not branching, i.e. any two  $n$  simplices have precisely one  $(n - 1)$  common face,  $M$  is strongly connected, i.e. any two  $n$  simplices can be linked with a sequence of simplices having common  $(n - 1)$  face pairwise

*Note.* The dual graph  $\Gamma$  of  $M$  is connected and  $n$ -regular

**Example 16.6.2.** The 0 dimensional pseudomanifold is the disjoint union of two points, since the empty set has to be the common face two point. The dual graph is a two points joined by an edge, **this example is weird**

A 1 dimensional pseudomanifold is a infinite chain or a loop, its dual graph is the same

**Definition 16.6.3.**  $D$  is a nonmaximal simplex, then  $\text{lk } D$  is a  $n - |D|$  pure dimensional simplicial complex. A pseudomanifold such that  $\text{lk } D$  is also pseudomanifolds for any nonmaximal simplex is an **abstract polytope**

# Chapter 17

## Homology theory

### 17.1 Singular homology

**Definition 17.1.1** (Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms).  $Top$  is the category of topological spaces,  $Ab$  is the category of abelian groups,  $\mathcal{T}$  is the fully faithful subcategory of  $Top \times Top$  with objects pairs of topological spaces  $(X, A)$  such that  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_A$  is the fully faithful subcategory of  $\mathcal{T}$  with objects  $(X, A)$ ,  $R: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow Top$ ,  $(X, A) \mapsto A$ ,  $f \mapsto f|_A$  is a functor

**Relative homology** are functors  $H_n: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow Ab$ , then  $H_n(-, A)$  define functors  $\mathcal{T}_A \rightarrow Ab$ , **absolute homology** are functors  $H_n(-, \emptyset): Top \rightarrow Ab$ , **reduced homology** are  $\tilde{H}_n = H_n(-, *)$ .  $\partial_n: H_n \rightarrow H_{n-1}R$  are natural transformations

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H_n(X, A) & \xrightarrow{H_n(f)} & H_n(Y, B) \\ \downarrow \partial_n & & \downarrow \partial_n \\ H_{n-1}(A) & \xrightarrow{H_{n-1}(f)} & H_{n-1}(B) \end{array}$$

$(H, \partial)$  is a **homology theory** if it satisfies axioms

Homotopy invariance:  $f \simeq g: (X, A) \rightarrow (Y, B)$ , then  $H_n(f) = H_n(g)$

Additivity:  $(X, A) = \bigsqcup_{\alpha} (X_{\alpha}, A_{\alpha})$ , then  $\bigoplus_{\alpha} H_n(X_{\alpha}, A_{\alpha}) \xrightarrow{\bigoplus_{\alpha} H_n(i_{\alpha})} H_n(X, A)$  is an isomorphism

Exactness:

$$\dots \xrightarrow{\partial_{n+1}} H_n(A) \xrightarrow{H_n(i)} H_n(X) \xrightarrow{H_n(j)} H_n(X, A) \xrightarrow{\partial_n} \dots$$

Excision:  $\bar{Z} \subseteq \overset{\circ}{U}$ , then  $H_n(X - Z, U - Z) \xrightarrow{H_n(i)} H_n(X, U)$  is an isomorphism

Dimension:  $H_n(*) = 0, \forall n \neq 0$ ,  $H_0(*)$  is the **coefficient group**

$(H, \partial)$  is an **extraordinary homology theory** without dimension axiom

**Definition 17.1.2.** A **singular  $n$ -simplex** in  $X$  is just a continuous map  $\Delta \xrightarrow{\sigma} X$ , the free abelian group  $C_n(X)$  with singular  $n$ -simplices in  $X$  as basis consists of  $n$ -chains(singular chain) which are finite sums  $\sum n_i \sigma_i, n_i \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we can tensor  $C_n(X)$  with a ring  $R$ ,  $C_n(X; R) := C_n(X) \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} R$  to be chains with  $R$  coefficients, here  $R$  could be an abelian group(group ring) or a field Also, if we only consider characteristic maps(for simplicial,  $\Delta$ , cell complexes), we would get  $C_n(X)$  to be simplicial, cellular chains

**Remark 17.1.3.** Given a topological space, we can form a huge  $\Delta$  complex  $S(X)$

Let  $S(X)^0$  be  $X$  with discrete topology which can be identified with all the maps  $\Delta^0 = * \rightarrow X$ , then build on it inductively as a CW complex, suppose  $S(X)^n$  is constructed, for each map  $\Delta^{n+1} \rightarrow X$ , we add an  $n+1$  cell by gluing its faces to its restrictions, preserving the order

Similarly, suppose  $X$  is a singular  $\Delta$  complex, we can also construct a  $\Delta$  complex  $\Delta(X)$  by replacing continuous maps with simplicial maps above

The simplicial homology of  $S(X), \Delta(X)$  is the same as the singular homology of  $X$

**Definition 17.1.4.** The boundary map  $\partial_n : C_n(X) \rightarrow C_{n-1}(X)$  given by

$$\partial_n \sigma = \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i \sigma [[e_0, \dots, \widehat{e_i}, \dots, e_n]]$$

Where  $\sigma : \Delta^n \rightarrow X$  is a singular simplex, we can easily show that  $\partial_n \partial_{n+1} = 0$ , define cycles  $Z_n(X) = \ker \partial_n$  and boundaries  $B_n(X) = \text{im} \partial_{n+1}$ , and the (singular) homology group  $H_n(X) = Z_n(X)/B_n(X)$

Similarly, we can define simplicial cycles, boundaries and homology groups correspondingly For cell complexes, if  $\partial_n \sigma \subseteq X^{n-1}$ ,  $\sigma$  is called a cellular cycle, and cellular boundary is defined to be the image of some cellular chain, we can therefore define cellular homology

**Definition 17.1.5.** Define  $C_n(X, A)$  to be  $C_n(X)/C_n(A)$ ,  $C_\bullet(X, A)$  form a chain complex,  $Z_n(X, A)$  can be represented by  $n$ -chains with its boundary in  $A$

The cellular homology could also be defined as the homology groups of  $\dots \rightarrow H_{n+1}(X^{n+1}, X^n) \xrightarrow{d_{n+1}} H_n(X^n, X^{n-1}) \rightarrow \dots$ , where  $d_{n+1}$  is induced by  $H_{n+1}(X^{n+1}, X^n) \rightarrow H_n(X^n, X^{n-1})$

**Definition 17.1.6.** Suppose  $\mathcal{U} = \{U_j\}$  are a family of subspaces of  $X$  and interiors of  $U_j$  form an open cover of  $X$ , define  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(X)$  to be  $n$ -chains  $\sum n_i \sigma_i$  such that the image of each  $\sigma_i$  is contained in some  $U_j$ ,  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(X, A) := C_n^\mathcal{U}(X)/C_n^\mathcal{U}(A)$

**Theorem 17.1.7.** The inclusion  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(X, A) \rightarrow C_n(X, A)$  is a chain homotopy equivalence

Excision theorem for singular homology

**Theorem 17.1.8** (Excision theorem for singular homology). Singular homology satisfies excision theorem

*Proof.* Suppose  $\bar{Z} \subseteq \overset{\circ}{U}$ , let  $A = U, B = X - Z, \mathcal{U} = \{A, B\}$ , only need to show  $H_n^\mathcal{U}(A \cup B, A) \cong H_n(A \cup B, A) \cong H_n(X, U) \cong H_n(X - Z, U - Z) \cong H_n(B, A \cap B) \cong H_n^\mathcal{U}(B, A \cap B)$   
Consider  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(B) \hookrightarrow C_n^\mathcal{U}(X) \rightarrow C_n^\mathcal{U}(X)/C_n^\mathcal{U}(A)$  has kernel  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(A \cap B)$ , thus  $C_n^\mathcal{U}(B)/C_n^\mathcal{U}(A \cap B) \cong C_n^\mathcal{U}(X)/C_n^\mathcal{U}(A)$   $\square$

**Definition 17.1.9.**  $(X, A)$  is called a good pair if  $A$  has a neighborhood  $U$  deformation retracts onto  $A$

**Definition 17.1.10.** The reduced singular homology  $\tilde{H}_n(X)$  is defined to be the homology group of the chain complex

$$\dots \xrightarrow{\partial} C_1(X) \xrightarrow{\partial} C_0(X) \xrightarrow{\epsilon} \mathbb{Z}$$

**Lemma 17.1.11.**  $\tilde{H}_n(X) \rightarrow H_n(X, *)$  is an isomorphism induced from  $C_n(X) \rightarrow C_n(X, *)$

*Proof.* For  $\sum n_i \sigma_i \in C_1(X)$ , if  $\sum n_i \partial \sigma_i \in C_0(*)$ , then  $\sum n_i \partial \sigma_i = 0$ , thus  $H_1(X, *) \cong \tilde{H}_1(X)$   
For any  $\sum n_i P_i \in C_0(X, *)$  where  $P_i$  are points, then  $\sum n_i P_i - \sum n_i *$  is a preimage in  $Z_0(X)$ , a boundary in  $Z_0(X)$  certainly maps to a boundary in  $C_0(X, *)$ , suppose  $\sum n_i P_i \in C_0(X, *)$  is a boundary,  $\sum n_i P_i - \sum n_i *$  has to be a boundary in  $C_0(X)$ , thus  $H_0(X, *) \cong \tilde{H}_0(X)$   $\square$

**Theorem 17.1.12.** If  $(X, A)$  is called a good pair,  $H_n(X, A) \xrightarrow{q_*} \tilde{H}_n(X/A)$  is an isomorphism

*Proof.* Consider the quotient map  $q : X \rightarrow X/A$  induces  $H_n(X, A) \rightarrow H_n(X/A, *) \rightarrow \tilde{H}_n(X/A)$ , we show that  $q_*$  is an isomorphism, suppose  $U$  is a neighborhood of  $A$  that deformation retracts onto it, consider the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} H_n(X, A) & \xrightarrow{i_*} & H_n(X, U) & \xleftarrow{i_*} & H_n(X - A, U - A) \\ \downarrow q_* & & \downarrow q_* & & \downarrow q_* \\ H_n(X/A, *) & \xrightarrow{i_*} & H_n(X/A, U/A) & \xleftarrow{i_*} & H_n(X - A/A, U - A/A) \end{array}$$



$H_n(X, A) \xrightarrow{i_*} H_n(X, U)$ ,  $H_n(X/A, *) \xrightarrow{i_*} H_n(X/A, U/A)$  are isomorphisms because of the deformation retraction,  $H_n(X - A, U - A) \xrightarrow{i_*} H_n(X, U)$ ,  $H_n(X - A/A, U - A/A) \xrightarrow{i_*} H_n(X/A, U/A)$  are isomorphisms because of the Theorem 17.1.8,  $H_n(X - A, U - A) \xrightarrow{q_*} H_n(X - A/A, U - A/A)$  is an isomorphism since  $(X - A, U - A) \xrightarrow{q} (X - A/A, U - A/A)$  is a homeomorphism  $\square$

**Theorem 17.1.13** (Mayer Vietoris sequence). Suppose  $A, B$  are subspaces of  $X$  that the interior of  $A, B$  covers  $X$ , then we have an exact sequence of homology groups  $\cdots \rightarrow H_n(A \cap B) \rightarrow H_n(A) \oplus H_n(B) \rightarrow H_n(A \cup B) \rightarrow \cdots$

*Proof.* It is not hard to see there is a short exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow C_n^U(A \cap B) \rightarrow C_n^U(A) \oplus C_n^U(B) \rightarrow C_n^U(A \cup B) \rightarrow 0$ ,  $x \mapsto (x, x)$  and  $(x, y) \mapsto x - y$   $\square$

**Theorem 17.1.14.** Suppose  $X$  has a  $\Delta$  complex structure,  $H_n^\Delta(X) \rightarrow H_n(X)$ ,  $\Phi_\alpha^n \mapsto \Phi_\alpha^n$  is an isomorphism

**Definition 17.1.15.**  $S^n \xrightarrow{f} S^n$  induces  $\mathbb{Z} \cong H_n S^n \xrightarrow{f_*} H_n S^n \cong \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $f_*(1)$  is the **degree** of  $f$

**Proposition 17.1.16** (Properties of degrees).

1.  $\deg 1 = 1$
2.  $\deg(fg) = \deg f \deg g$
3. If  $f$  is not surjective,  $\deg f = 0$
4. If  $f$  is a reflection,  $\deg f = -1$
5. Let  $a$  be the antipodal map, then  $\deg a = (-1)^{n+1}$
6. If  $f$  has no fixed points on  $S^n$ , then  $f$  is homotopic to the antipodal map

*Proof.*

1. Let  $\Delta_1^n, \Delta_2^n$  maps to the upper and lower hemisphere be a  $\Delta$  complex structure on  $S^n$ , then  $\Delta_1^n - \Delta_2^n$  would be a generator, and  $f$  maps them to  $\Delta_2^n - \Delta_1^n$ , thus  $\deg f = -1$
2.  $a$  is the composition of  $n + 1$  reflections
3. Since  $f(x) \neq -x$ ,  $\frac{(1-t)f(x) - tx}{|(1-t)f(x) - tx|}$  homotopy  $f$  to  $a$

$\square$

**Definition 17.1.17.** View  $\Delta^n$  as  $\{0 \leq x_1 \leq \cdots \leq x_n \leq 1\}$ , we can cut  $\Delta^n \times \Delta^m = \{0 \leq x_1 \leq \cdots \leq x_n \leq 1\} \times \{0 \leq x_{n+1} \leq \cdots \leq x_{n+m} \leq 1\}$  into  $\binom{n+m}{m}$  simplices

$$\Delta^n \times \Delta^m = \bigcup_{\sigma} \Delta_{\sigma}, \quad \Delta_{\sigma} = \{0 \leq x_{\sigma(1)} \leq \cdots \leq x_{\sigma(n+m)} \leq 1\}$$

$\sigma$  runs over  $(n, m)$ -shuffles. Each  $\sigma$  can be viewed as a path through a grid as in Definition 4.2.2. Associate a linear map  $\ell_{\sigma} : \Delta^{n+m} \rightarrow \Delta_{\sigma} \subseteq \Delta^n \times \Delta^m$ , sending the  $k$ -th vertex to vertex in the grid. The **cross product**

$$C_n(X) \otimes C_m(Y) \rightarrow C_{n+m}(X \times Y) \\ f \otimes g \mapsto f \times g$$

Where

$$f \times g = \sum_{\sigma} (-1)^{|\sigma|} (f \times g) \ell_{\sigma}$$

Here on the right hand side  $f \times g : \Delta^n \times \Delta^m \rightarrow X \times Y$ ,  $(a, b) \mapsto (f(a), g(b))$  is different from the left hand side. We have  $\partial(f \times g) = \partial f \times g + (-1)^n f \times \partial g$

Eilenberg-Zilber theorem

**Theorem 17.1.18** (Eilenberg-Zilber theorem).  $C_*(X \times Y) \rightarrow C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y)$  is a natural equivalence

*Proof.* Consider  $Top \times Top$  with model  $\mathcal{M} = \{(\Delta^n, \Delta^m)\}$ ,  $F, G : Top \times Top \rightarrow Ch_{\geq 0}$ ,  $F(X, Y) = C_*(X \times Y)$ ,  $G(X, Y) = C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y)$ ,  $H_i(\Delta^n \times \Delta^m) = 0$  for  $i \neq 0$ ,

$F_k(X, Y) = \left\{ \Delta^k \xrightarrow{(\text{id}, \text{id})} \Delta^k \times \Delta^k \xrightarrow{\sigma} X \times Y \right\}$ . By Exercise 47.0.7,  $H_i(C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y)) = 0$  for

$i \neq 0$ ,  $C_k(X) = \{ \Delta^k \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \Delta^k \xrightarrow{\sigma} X \}$ ,  $G_k(X, Y) = \left\{ (\sigma \otimes \tau)(\text{id}_{\Delta^p} \otimes \text{id}_{\Delta^q}) \Big| \Delta^p \xrightarrow{\sigma} X, \Delta^q \xrightarrow{\tau} Y \right\}$   
There is a natural equivalence  $\phi_0 : H_0 F \rightarrow H_0 G$  induced by  $\varphi : C_0(X \times Y) = F_0(X, Y) \rightarrow G_0(X, Y) = C_0(X) \otimes C_0(Y)$ ,  $(\sigma, \tau) \mapsto \sigma \otimes \tau$ , since  $H_0(X \times Y) = C_0(X \times Y)/(x_0, y_0) \sim (x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_0, y_0), (x_1, y_1)$  are connected by a path,  $H_0(C_*(X) \times C_*(Y)) = C_0(X) \otimes C_0(Y)/(x_0, y_0) \sim (x_1, y_0) \sim (x_1, y_1)$   $\square$

Cross product and its dual for homology

**Remark 17.1.19.** We define the **cross product**  $C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y) \xrightarrow{\times} C_*(X \times Y)$  and its dual  $\varphi$ . Define  $T : C_*(X \times Y) \rightarrow C_*(Y \times X)$ ,  $(x, y) \mapsto (y, x)$ ,  $\tau : C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y) \rightarrow C_*(Y) \otimes C_*(X)$ ,  $x \otimes y \mapsto (-1)^{|x||y|} y \otimes x$ ,  $T^2 = 1$ ,  $\tau^2 = 1$ ,  $\tau \partial = \partial \tau$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y) & \xrightarrow{\times} & C_*(X \times Y) \\ \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow T \\ C_*(Y) \otimes C_*(X) & \xrightarrow{\times} & C_*(Y \times X) \end{array}$$

Is not commutative, but  $\times$  and  $T \circ \times \circ \tau$  are chain homotopic

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_*(X \times Y) & \xrightarrow{\theta} & C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y) \\ \downarrow T & & \downarrow \tau \\ C_*(Y \times X) & \xrightarrow{\theta} & C_*(Y) \otimes C_*(X) \end{array}$$

Is not commutative, but  $\theta$  and  $\tau \circ \theta \circ T$  are chain homotopic

Topological Kunneth formula

**Theorem 17.1.20** (Topological Kunneth formula).

$$0 \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H_p(X) \otimes H_q(Y) \rightarrow H_n(X \times Y) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{p+q=n-1} \text{Tor}_1(H_p(X), H_q(Y)) \rightarrow 0$$

Is exact

*Proof.* Apply Theorem 17.1.18 and Theorem 13.0.21  $\square$

## 17.2 Cellular homology



# Chapter 18

## Cohomology theory

### 18.1 Singular cohomology

**Definition 18.1.1** (Eilenberg-Steenrod axioms).  $Top$  is the category of topological spaces,  $Ab$  is the category of abelian groups,  $\mathcal{T}$  is the fully faithful subcategory of  $Top \times Top$  with objects pairs of topological spaces  $(X, A)$  such that  $A \subseteq X$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_A$  is the fully faithful subcategory of  $\mathcal{T}$  with objects  $(X, A)$ ,  $R: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow Top$ ,  $(X, A) \mapsto A$ ,  $f \mapsto f|_A$  is a functor

**Relative cohomology** are contravariant functors  $H^n: \mathcal{T} \rightarrow Ab$ , then  $H^n(-, A)$  define contravariant functors  $\mathcal{T}_A \rightarrow Ab$ , **absolute cohomology** are contravariant functors  $H^n(-, \emptyset): Top \rightarrow Ab$ , **reduced cohomology** are  $\tilde{H}^n = H^n(-, *)$ .  $\partial^n: H^n \rightarrow H^{n+1}R$  are natural transformations

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^n(X, A) & \xrightarrow{H_n(f)} & H^n(Y, B) \\ \downarrow \partial^n & & \downarrow \partial^n \\ H^{n+1}(A) & \xrightarrow{H_{n+1}(f)} & H^{n+1}(B) \end{array}$$

$(H, \delta)$  is a **cohomology theory** if it satisfies axioms

Homotopy invariance:  $f \simeq g: (X, A) \rightarrow (Y, B)$ , then  $H^n(f) = H^n(g)$

Additivity:  $(X, A) = \bigsqcup_\alpha (X_\alpha, A_\alpha)$ , then  $\bigoplus_\alpha H^n(X_\alpha, A_\alpha) \xrightarrow{\bigoplus_\alpha H^n(i_\alpha)} H^n(X, A)$  is an isomorphism

Exactness:

$$\dots \xrightarrow{\partial^{n-1}} H^n(X, A) \xrightarrow{H^n(j)} H^n(X) \xrightarrow{H^n(i)} H^n(A) \xrightarrow{\partial^n} \dots$$

Excision:  $\bar{Z} \subseteq \overset{\circ}{U}$ , then  $H^n(X - Z, U - Z) \xrightarrow{H^n(i)} H^n(X, U)$  is an isomorphism

Dimension:  $H^n(*) = 0, \forall n \neq 0$ ,  $H^0(*)$  is the **coefficient group**

$(H, \delta)$  is an **extraordinary cohomology theory** without dimension axiom

**Definition 18.1.2.** Define singular  $n$ -cochains to be  $C^n(X) = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(C_n(X), \mathbb{Z})$ , if  $R$  is a ring, then we can also define cohomology with  $R$  coefficients  $C^n(X; R) = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(C_n(X), R)$ , here  $R$  can be abelian groups(group ring) or fields

We can also define simplicial, cellular cochains correspondingly

**Remark 18.1.3.** Note that  $\text{Hom}(A \otimes B, C) \cong \text{Hom}(A, \text{Hom}(B, C))$ ,  $\text{Hom}(C_n(X; R), \mathbb{Z}) = \text{Hom}(C_n(X) \otimes R, \mathbb{Z}) \cong \text{Hom}(C_n(X), \text{Hom}(R, \mathbb{Z})) \not\cong \text{Hom}(C_n(X), R) = C^n(X; R)$

**Definition 18.1.4.**  $\partial_{n+1}: C_{n+1}(X) \rightarrow C_n(X)$  induce the coboundary map  $\delta^n: C^n(X) \rightarrow C^{n+1}(X)$ , we can define cocycles  $Z^n(X) = \ker \delta^n$ , coboundaries  $B^n = \text{im} \delta^{n-1}$  and cohomology  $H^n(X) = Z^n(X)/B^n(X)$

**Definition 18.1.5.**  $\theta$  as in Remark 17.1.19, the cross product is composition  $\times: C^*(X; R) \otimes C^*(Y; R) \xrightarrow{\theta^*} C^*(X \times Y; R \otimes R) \rightarrow C^*(X \times Y; R)$ , here  $R \otimes R \rightarrow R$  is the ring multiplication.

$\delta(f \times g) = \delta f \times g + (-1)^{|f|} f \times \delta g$ ,  $\times$  is well defined on cohomology since  $\theta$  is unique up to natural chain equivalence. If  $R$  is commutative, then  $f \times g = (-1)^{|f||g|} g \times f$ .  
 For  $[f] \in H^p(X; R)$ ,  $[g] \in H^q(Y; R)$ ,  $[a] \in H_p(X)$ ,  $[b] \in H_q(Y)$ , then  $([f] \times [g])([a] \times [b]) = f(a)g(b) \in R$

**Lemma 18.1.6.** If  $a \in H^p(Y; R)$ , then  $1 \times a = p_Y^*(a) \in H^p(X \times Y; R)$

*Proof.*  $C_*(X \times Y) \rightarrow C_*(X) \otimes C_*(Y) \rightarrow C_*(x_0) \otimes C_*(Y) \xrightarrow{\epsilon \otimes 1} \mathbb{Z} \otimes C_*(Y) \cong C_*(Y) \xrightarrow{a} R$  and  $C_*(X \times Y) \xrightarrow{p_Y} C_*(Y) \xrightarrow{a} R$  are chain homotopic  $\square$

**Definition 18.1.7.**  $\Delta : X \rightarrow X \times X$  is the diagonal, for  $a \in H^p(X; R)$ ,  $b \in H^q(X; R)$ , the **cup product** is  $a \smile b = \Delta^*(a \times b) \in H^{p+q}(X; R)$ ,  $f^*(a \smile b) = f^*(a) \smile f^*(b)$ , if  $R$  is commutative,  $a \smile b = (-1)^{|a||b|} b \smile a$ ,  $1 \smile a = \Delta^*(1 \times a) = \Delta^*(p_X^*(a)) = (p_X \Delta)^*(a) = 1^*(a) = a$

**Proposition 18.1.8.** Cross product and cup product determine each other,  $a \smile b = \Delta^*(a \times b)$ ,  $a \times b = p_X^*(a) \smile p_Y^*(b)$

*Proof.*  $p_X^*(a) \smile p_Y^*(b) = \Delta^*(p_X^*(a) \times p_Y^*(b)) = \Delta^*(a \times 1 \times 1 \times b) = \Delta^*(1 \times 1 \times a \times b) = (1 \times 1) \smile (a \times b) = 1 \smile (a \times b) = a \times b$   $\square$

## 18.2 Čech cohomology

**Definition 18.2.1.** Given any open cover  $\mathcal{U}$  of  $X$ , we can define a (abstract) simplicial complex, the nerve  $N(\mathcal{U})$ , with each  $U_\alpha$  a vertex and an  $n$ -face if  $U_{\alpha_1} \cap \cdots \cap U_{\alpha_{n+1}} \neq \emptyset$ , and we call  $U_{\alpha_1} \cap \cdots \cap U_{\alpha_{n+1}}$  the carrier of this face, a cover is called a good cover if each  $U_{\alpha_1} \cap \cdots \cap U_{\alpha_{n+1}}$  is contractible, in that case,  $N(\mathcal{U})$  is homotopic to  $X$

**Definition 18.2.2.** Suppose  $\mathcal{V}$  is a refinement of  $\mathcal{U}$ , i.e. every  $V_\beta$  is contained in some  $U_\alpha$ , refinement defines a preorder, then inclusion induce a simplicial map  $N(\mathcal{V}) \rightarrow N(\mathcal{U})$ , different choice of inclusions induce contiguous simplicial maps, thus this is well defined up to homotopy, we can define the direct limit  $\varinjlim H^i(N(\mathcal{U}); G)$  to be the Čech cohomology group  $H^i(X; G)$

### 18.3 Poincare duality



# Chapter 19

## Homotopy theory

### 19.1 Homotopy

**Definition 19.1.1.**  $\pi_n(X) := [S^n, X]$  are the homotopy groups, the relative homotopy groups  $\pi_n(X, A)$  are defined to be all homotopy classes of maps  $(I^n, \partial I^n) \rightarrow (X, A)$  or equivalently all homotopy classes of maps  $(S^n, s_0) \rightarrow (X, A)$ , in particular, if  $A = \{x_0\}$ , we have  $\pi_n(X, x_0) := \langle S^n, X \rangle$  with basepoints  $x_0, s_0$ , furthermore, we also define  $\pi_n(X, A, x_0)$  to be all homotopy classes of maps  $(I^n, \partial I^n, J^{n-1}) \rightarrow (X, A, x_0)$  or equivalently all homotopy classes of maps  $(D^n, S^{n-1}, s_0) \rightarrow (X, A, x_0)$ , here  $J^{n-1} = \partial I^n - I^{n-1}$   
 $\pi_1(X, x_0)$  is called the fundamental group, note that  $\pi_n(X, x, x) = \pi_n(X, x)$

**Definition 19.1.2.** All homotopy classes of paths form the **fundamental groupoid**  $\Pi_1(X)$  of  $X$ , suppose  $A \subseteq X$ , we can also define  $\Pi_1(X, A)$  to be the subcategory with objects  $x \in A$  and morphisms  $Hom(x, y), x, y \in A$ ,  $\Pi_1(X, x) = \pi_1(X, x)$ ,  $\Pi_1(X)$  is a connected category if  $X$  is pathconnected connected since there is a morphism connecting any two objects, thus  $\pi_1(X, x)$  is a skeleton of  $\Pi_1(X)$ ,  $\pi_1(X, x) \hookrightarrow \Pi_1(X)$  is an equivalence of categories

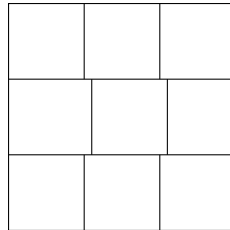
**Proposition 19.1.3.**  $\pi_n(X, x_0)$  are groups, abelian if  $n > 1$

Van Kampen's theorem

**Theorem 19.1.4** (Van Kampen's theorem). Suppose  $X = \bigcup_{\alpha} A_{\alpha}$ , interiors of  $A_{\alpha}$  cover  $X$ , where  $X, A_{\alpha}, A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta}$  are path connected and  $x_0 \in A_{\alpha}$ , then the map induced by inclusion  $*\pi_1(A_{\alpha}, x_0) \rightarrow \pi_1(X, x_0)$  is surjective. Moreover, if  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta} \cap A_{\gamma}$  are path connected, then kernel is generated by  $i_{\alpha}(w)i_{\beta}(w)^{-1}, w \in \pi_1(A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta}, x_0)$ , where  $i_{\alpha} : A_{\alpha} \rightarrow X$  are the inclusions

*Proof.* Since  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta}$  are path connected, we can cut a loop in  $X$  into pieces such that each intermediate point is in  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta}$  for some  $\alpha, \beta$ , thus the map is surjective

Suppose  $f_1 \cdots f_n, g_1 \cdots g_m$  are homotopic as loops, suppose  $F$  is the homotopy, consider the following diagram, each rectangle is so small that it is inside some  $A_{\alpha}$ , then homotopy the path across a cube one at a time, and since  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta} \cap A_{\gamma}$  are path connected, each vertex lies in  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta} \cap A_{\gamma}$  for some  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ , then we can connect it to  $x_0$  through a path in  $A_{\alpha} \cap A_{\beta} \cap A_{\gamma}$



□

**Definition 19.1.5.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a **weak homotopy equivalence** if  $\pi_0(X, x_0) \xrightarrow{f_*} \pi_0(Y, f(x_0))$  is bijective, and on each path connected component,  $\pi_n(X, x_0) \xrightarrow{f_*} \pi_n(Y, f(x_0))$  are isomorphisms

## 19.2 Model category

Model category

**Definition 19.2.1.** A **model structure** on  $\mathcal{C}$  is three classes of morphisms  $(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  satisfying

1.  $\mathbf{W}$  satisfies 2 out of 3,  $\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C}$  are closed under composition
2.  $i \in \mathbf{C}$  has LLP for  $p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$  and  $p \in \mathbf{F}$  has RLP for  $i \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bullet & \xrightarrow{f} & \bullet \\ i \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\ \bullet & \xrightarrow{g} & \bullet \end{array}$$

3. For any morphism  $f$ ,  $f = pi$  with  $i \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$ ,  $p \in \mathbf{F}$ .  $f = pi$  with  $i \in \mathbf{C}$ ,  $p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$
4.  $\mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C}$  are closed under base change and cobase change. base change of  $p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$  and cobase change of  $i \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$  are in  $\mathbf{W}$ . Isomorphisms  $\mathbf{I} \subseteq \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{C}$

$(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  is a **closed model structure** if it satisfying 1,2,3 and

5.  $\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C}$  are closed under retraction, i.e. if  $f$  is a retract of  $g$  in the arrow category, then  $f, g$  belong to the same class

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} X & \xrightarrow{i} & Y & \xrightarrow{j} & X \\ f \downarrow & & \downarrow g & & \downarrow f \\ X' & \xrightarrow{i'} & Y' & \xrightarrow{j} & X' \end{array}$$

By Theorem 19.2.3, a closed model structure is a model structure. Moreover,  $\mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$  is closed under base change,  $\mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$  is closed under cobase change

$\mathbf{W}$  are **weak equivalences**,  $\mathbf{F}$  are **fibrations**,  $\mathbf{C}$  are **cofibrations**,  $\mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$  are **acyclic fibrations**,  $\mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$  are **acyclic cofibrations**

A **model category**  $\mathcal{C}$  is a complete and cocomplete category with a model structure

**Remark 19.2.2.**  $\mathcal{C}^{op}$  is also a model category where fibrations and cofibrations are switched, hence dual of true statements in  $\mathcal{C}$  are also true

Equivalence of closed model structure and weak factorization system

**Theorem 19.2.3.**  $(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  is a closed model structure  $\Leftrightarrow (\mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F})$  and  $(\mathbf{C}, \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W})$  are both weak factorization systems

*Proof.*  $(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  is a closed model structure. If  $X \xrightarrow{i} Y$  has LLP for all  $p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$ ,  $i$  can be decomposed as  $X \xrightarrow{i'} Y' \xrightarrow{p} Y$  with  $i' \in \mathbf{C}, p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$ , then we have a lift  $Y \xrightarrow{f} Y'$  by

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{i'} & Y' \\ i \downarrow & \nearrow f & \downarrow p \\ Y & \xlongequal{\quad} & Y \end{array}$$

Hence  $i \in \mathbf{C}$  by

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} X & \xlongequal{\quad} & X & \xlongequal{\quad} & X \\ \downarrow i & & \downarrow i' & & \downarrow i \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & Y' & \xrightarrow{p} & Y \end{array}$$

Suppose  $(\mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F})$  and  $(\mathbf{C}, \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W})$  are both weak factorization systems, and  $\mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$  is closed under base change,  $\mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$  is closed under cobase change

For any base cobase change  $j$  of  $i \in \mathbf{C}$ , and any  $p \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$ , we get  $Y \xrightarrow{h} E$  and then  $Y \sqcup Z \xrightarrow{c} e$ , hence  $j \in \mathbf{C}$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
X & \xrightarrow{f} & Z & \xrightarrow{a} & E \\
\downarrow i & & \downarrow j & \nearrow c & \downarrow p \\
Y & \xrightarrow{g} & Y \sqcup Z & \xrightarrow{b} & B
\end{array}$$

(Note: A dashed arrow labeled  $h$  also goes from  $Y$  to  $Z$ .)

The class of isomorphisms  $\mathbf{I} \subseteq \mathbf{W} \cap \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{C}$  since  $1_X \in \mathbf{W} \cap \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{C}$  and

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
X & \xlongequal{\quad} & X & \xlongequal{\quad} & X \\
\downarrow f & & \parallel & & \downarrow f \\
Y & \xrightarrow{f^{-1}} & X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y
\end{array}$$

□

**Definition 19.2.4.** Since  $\mathcal{C}$  is complete and cocomplete,  $\mathcal{C}$  initial object  $\emptyset$  and final object  $*$ .  $X$  is **cofibrant** if  $\emptyset \rightarrow X \in \mathbf{C}$ ,  $X$  is **fibrant** if  $X \rightarrow * \in \mathbf{F}$

**Definition 19.2.5.**  $A \times I$  is a **cylinder object** for  $A$  if the following diagram commutes for some  $h \in \mathbf{W}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A \amalg A & \xrightarrow{i} & A \times I \\
& \searrow 1_A + 1_A & \downarrow h \\
& & A
\end{array}$$

$A \times I$  is **good** if  $i \in \mathbf{C}$ .  $A \times I$  is **very good** if  $i \in \mathbf{C}$ ,  $h \in \mathbf{F} (\Rightarrow h \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W})$ . Very good cylinder object always exists by axiom 3 in Definition 19.2.1

Denote  $i_0, i_1 : A \rightarrow A \amalg A \rightarrow A \times I$  by going through the first and second factor

$A^I$  is a **path object** for  $A$  if the following diagram commutes for some  $h \in \mathbf{W}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A & \xrightarrow{h} & A^I \\
& \searrow (1_A, 1_A) & \downarrow p \\
& & A \times A
\end{array}$$

$A^I$  is **good** if  $p \in \mathbf{F}$ .  $A^I$  is **very good** if  $p \in \mathbf{F}$ ,  $h \in \mathbf{C} (\Rightarrow h \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W})$ . Very good path object always exists by axiom 3 in Definition 19.2.1

Denote  $p_0, p_1 : A^I \rightarrow A \times A \rightarrow A$  by going to the first and second factor

**Lemma 19.2.6.** If  $A$  is cofibrant and  $A \times I$  is good, then  $i_0, i_1 \in \mathbf{F} \cap \mathbf{W}$ . If  $A$  is fibrant and  $A^I$  is good, then  $p_0, p_1 \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$

**Definition 19.2.7.**  $f, g : A \rightarrow X$  is **left homotopic**, denoted  $f \stackrel{l}{\sim} g$  if there exists a cylinder object  $A \times I$  and a left homotopy  $A \times I \xrightarrow{H} X$  such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A \amalg A & \xrightarrow{i} & A \times I \\
& \searrow f+g & \downarrow H \\
& & X
\end{array}$$

$f, g : A \rightarrow X$  is **right homotopic**, denoted  $f \stackrel{r}{\sim} g$  if there exists a path object  $A^I$  and a right homotopy  $A \xrightarrow{H} X^I$  such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
A & \xrightarrow{H} & X^I \\
& \searrow (f, g) & \downarrow p \\
& & X \times X
\end{array}$$

**Example 19.2.8.**  $\mathcal{C} = Ch_{>-\infty} \mathcal{A}$  is the category of chain complexes bounded below.  $\mathbf{W}$  are maps inducing isomorphisms on homologies.  $\mathbf{F}$  are epimorphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$ .  $\mathbf{C}$  are maps that are injective entrywise, and the cokernel is a chain complex of projectives of  $\mathcal{A}$ .  $(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  is a closed model structure on  $\mathcal{C}$

The cofibrant objects are those with entries projective, then homotopy category is equivalent to the category with cofibrant objects with chain homotopy classes of maps

**Example 19.2.9.**  $\mathcal{C}$  is the category of semisimplicial sets.  $\mathbf{W}$  are morphisms that become homotopies after geometric realization.  $\mathbf{F}$  are Kan fibrations.  $\mathbf{C}$  are injective morphisms.  $(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{F}, \mathbf{C})$  is a closed model structure on  $\mathcal{C}$

### 19.3 Hurewicz fibration

**Definition 19.3.1.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a **Hurewicz fibration** if it has homotopy lifting property for any space  $X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow \text{dashed} & \downarrow p \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{\quad} & B \end{array}$$

$p^{-1}(A) \xrightarrow{p} A$  is also a fibration for any  $A \subseteq B$

**Definition 19.3.2.**  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is a **Hurewicz cofibration** if for any  $X \xrightarrow{f_0} Y$ ,  $A \times I \xrightarrow{g} Y$  such that  $g_0 = f_0 i$ , there there exists  $X \times I \xrightarrow{f} Y$  extends  $f_0$  such that  $g = f i$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y & \xleftarrow{f_0} & X \\ \uparrow & \nwarrow \text{dashed} & \uparrow i \\ Y^I & \xleftarrow{g} & A \end{array}$$

By Lemma 19.3.4,  $A \hookrightarrow X$  is an embedding,  $(X, A)$  is a **cofibered pair** satisfying the **homotopy extension property**

**Remark 19.3.3.** The fiber of a fibration is the kernel in  $Top$ . The cofiber  $X/A$  of a cofibration is the cokernel in  $Top$

$A \times I$  can be thought of as the "continuous" coproduct  $\coprod_i A$ , and  $A^I$  can be thought of as the

"continuous" product  $\prod_i A$

Cofibration is an embedding

**Lemma 19.3.4.** Cofibration  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is a topological embedding

*Proof.*  $M$  is the mapping cylinder of  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$ ,  $X \times \{0\} \sqcup A \times I \xrightarrow{[]} M$  denote the quotient map,  $f_0(x) = [(x, 0)]$ ,  $g_t(a) = [(a, t)]$ , then  $g_0(a) = [(a, 0)] = [(i(a), 0)] = f_0 i(a)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & \xleftarrow{f_0} & X \\ \uparrow & \nwarrow \text{dashed} & \uparrow i \\ M^I & \xleftarrow{g} & A \end{array}$$

$M|_{A \times \{1\}} \xrightarrow{k} A$ ,  $[(a, 1)] \mapsto a$  is a homeomorphism,  $k f_1|_{i(A)}$  is the inverse of  $i$  because  $k f_1 i(a) = k g_1(a) = k([(a, 1)]) = a$ ,  $i k f_1(i(a)) = i(a)$   $\square$

**Lemma 19.3.5.** A surjective fibration  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  with  $B$  locally path connected is a quotient map  
Mapping cylinder of inclusion has subspace topology if it is a retraction

**Lemma 19.3.6.** If  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  is a retract of  $X \times I$ , then the topology of the mapping cylinder of the inclusion  $A \hookrightarrow X$  is the same as the subspace topology on  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  induced from  $X \times I$ . In particular,  $f$  is continuous on  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  iff  $f$  is continuous on both  $X \times \{0\}$  and  $A \times I$

*Proof.* This is trivial if  $A$  is closed due to Lemma 15.1.26

Write  $Y = X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$ . If  $O \subseteq Y$  is open in  $Y$ , then obviously  $O \cap A \times I$  is open in  $A \times I$ ,  $O \cap X$  is open in  $X$

Suppose  $O \subseteq Y$  is such that  $O \cap A \times I$  is open in  $A \times I$ ,  $O \cap X$  is open in  $X$ . Define  $U_n = \bigcup_V \left\{ V \overset{\text{open}}{\subseteq} X \mid (V \cap A) \times [0, \frac{1}{n}] \subseteq O \right\}$ , i.e.  $U_n$  is the largest such open subset of  $X$ ,  $U = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n$ , then  $O \cap A \subseteq U$  since for any  $(x, 0) \in O \cap A \subseteq O \cap A \times I$ , because  $O \cap A \times I$  is open in  $A \times I$ ,

there exists open subset  $V \subseteq X$  containing  $x$  such that  $(V \cap A) \times [0, \frac{1}{n}] \subseteq O \cap A \times I$  for some  $n$ , hence  $x \in V \subseteq U_n \subseteq U$

$O \cap A \times (0, 1]$  is open in  $Y$ ,  $O \cap (X \setminus \bar{A})$  is open in  $Y$ , we only need to show that for any  $x \in \bar{A}$ , there exists an open neighborhood of  $(x, 0)$  contained in  $O$ , and it suffices to show that  $x \in U$ , then  $x \in U_n$  for some  $n$ ,  $(U_n \cap O) \times [0, \frac{1}{n}] \cap Y$  is open in  $Y$ . Now fix  $x \in \bar{A}$

Write the retraction  $r$  as  $(r_1, r_2)$ , for  $t > 0$ ,  $r(x, t) = (r_1(x, t), r_2(x, t))$ , since  $x \in \bar{A}$ ,  $r(a, t) = (a, t)$ , we know  $r_1(x, t) \in A$ ,  $r_2(x, t) = t$ . We claim: if  $r_1(x, t) \in U_n$ , then  $x \in U_n$ . Since  $U_n$  is open, there exists open neighborhood  $V$  of  $x$  such that  $r_1(V \times (t - \varepsilon, t + \varepsilon)) \subseteq U_n$  for some  $\varepsilon > 0$ , in particular  $r_1((V \cap A) \times \{t\}) \subseteq U_n$ , thus  $V \cap A \subseteq U_n \cap A$ , by maximality of  $U_n$ ,  $V \subseteq U_n$ . Suppose  $x \notin U$ , then by the claim,  $r_1(x, t) \in A \setminus U$  for  $t > 0$ , then  $r_1(x, t) \in A \setminus O$  since  $A \cap O \subseteq U$ , thus  $x = r_1(x, 0) \in \bar{A} \setminus O$  which contradicts the fact  $(x, 0) \in A$   $\square$

$A \rightarrow X$  is a cofibration iff retraction exists

**Proposition 19.3.7.**  $(X, A)$  is cofibered iff  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  is a retract of  $X \times I$  iff  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  is a strong deformation retract of  $X \times I$

*Proof.* If  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is a cofibration, then  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I \xrightarrow{1} X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  induces a retraction. Conversely, by Lemma 19.3.6,  $A \times I \xrightarrow{g_0} Y$ ,  $X \xrightarrow{f_0} Y$  with  $g_0 = f_0|_A$  gives a map  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I \rightarrow Y$ , composing with retraction gives  $X \times I \rightarrow Y$

A strong deformation retraction is given by  $H((x, t), s) = (\text{Pr}_X r(x, st), s \text{Pr}_I r(x, t) + (1-s)t)$   $\square$

**Lemma 19.3.8.** If  $(X, A)$  is cofibered, so is  $(X, \bar{A})$

*Proof.* Define  $\phi(x) = \inf_{t \in I} \{\text{Pr}_I r(x, t) \neq 0\}$ , then there is a retraction  $X \times I \xrightarrow{r'} X \times \{0\} \cup \bar{A} \times I$

$$r'(x, t) = \begin{cases} (\text{Pr}_X r(x, t), 0) & t \leq \phi(x) \\ (\text{Pr}_X r(x, \phi(x)), t - \phi(x)) & t \geq \phi(x) \end{cases}$$

$\square$

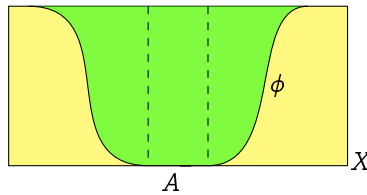
$p: E \rightarrow B$  fibration,  $i: A \rightarrow X$  strong deformation retract,  $A$  can be perfectly separated  $\Rightarrow i$  has LLP

**Lemma 19.3.9.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fibration,  $A$  is a strong deformation retract of  $X$  and  $A$  can be perfectly separated, then

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f''} & E \\ i \downarrow & \nearrow f & \downarrow p \\ X & \xrightarrow{f'} & B \end{array}$$

$f$  is unique up to homotopy rel  $A$

*Proof.*  $X \xrightarrow{\phi} \mathbb{R}$  is a function such that  $\phi^{-1}(0) = A$ .  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  is the retract.  $X \times I \xrightarrow{D} X$  is a homotopy from  $ir$  to  $1_X$ . Define  $H(x, t) = \begin{cases} D(x, t/\phi(x)) & t \leq \phi(x) \\ D(x, 1) & t \geq \phi(x) \end{cases}$



Since  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fibration, we have a lift  $X \times I \xrightarrow{F} E$  such that  $pF = f'H$  and  $F_0 = f''r$  because  $pF_0 = pf''r = f'ir = f'H_0$ . Define  $f$  to be the composition  $X \xrightarrow{1 \times \phi} X \times I \xrightarrow{F} E$ , then we have  $fi = F(1 \times \phi) = F_0i = f''$  and  $pf = pF(1 \times \phi) = f'H(1 \times \phi) = f'D_1 = f'$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
X & \xrightleftharpoons[r]{i} & A & \xrightarrow{f''} & E \\
\downarrow & & \searrow F & & \downarrow p \\
X \times I & \xrightarrow{H} & X & \xrightarrow{f'} & B \\
& \nwarrow 1 \times \phi & & & 
\end{array}$$

□

Fibrations have homotopy lifting property for closed cofibrations

**Proposition 19.3.10.** Fibrations have homotopy lifting property for closed cofibrations

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I & \longrightarrow & E \\
\downarrow i & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\
X \times I & \longrightarrow & B
\end{array}$$

**Proposition 19.3.11.** If  $(X, A)$ ,  $(Y, B)$  are cofibered,  $A \subseteq X$  is closed, then  $(X \times Y, X \times B \cup A \times Y)$  is also cofibered. If in addition  $A$  or  $B$  is a strong deformation retract of  $X$  or  $Y$ , then  $X \times B \cup A \times Y$  is a strong deformation retract of  $X \times Y$

Fibers of fibration are homotopy equivalent

**Proposition 19.3.12.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fibration, then the fibers over connected components of  $B$  are homotopic. More over, for any path  $\gamma : I \rightarrow B$ , we can get a lifting  $g_t : F_{\gamma(0)} \rightarrow F_{\gamma(t)}$  of  $F_{\gamma(0)} \hookrightarrow E$ , define  $L_\gamma : F_{\gamma(0)} \rightarrow F_{\gamma(1)}$  to be  $g_1$ , if  $\gamma \simeq \eta \text{ rel } \partial I : I \rightarrow B$ , then  $L_\gamma \simeq L_\eta$ , and for any  $\gamma, \eta : I \rightarrow B$ ,  $\eta(0) = \gamma(1)$ ,  $L_{\gamma\eta} \simeq L_\gamma L_\eta$

*Proof.* According to homotopy lifting property, lifting up  $A \times F_{\gamma(0)} \rightarrow E$  is homeomorphic to  $B \times F_{\gamma(0)} \rightarrow E$  □

**Remark 19.3.13.** We can think of this as an action of  $\pi_1(B)$  on  $H_*(F)$ 

**Definition 19.3.14.**  $E_1 \xrightarrow{p_1} B_1$ ,  $E_2 \xrightarrow{p_2} B_2$  are fibrations,  $p_1 \xrightarrow{f_0, f_1} p_2$  are **fiber homotopic** if there exists  $p_1 \xrightarrow{f_t} p_2$  varying from  $f_0$  to  $f_1$ .  $p_1, p_2$  are **fiber homotopy equivalent** if there are fiber homotopies  $p_0 \xrightarrow{f} p_1$  and  $p_1 \xrightarrow{g} p_0$  such that  $fg, gf$  fiber homotopic to 1

i:A-&gt;B cofibration is homotopy equivalence iff A strong deformation retract

**Lemma 19.3.15.** Cofibration  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is a homotopy equivalence iff  $A$  is a strong deformation retract of  $X$ . Fibration  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a homotopy equivalence iff there exists a section  $B \xrightarrow{s} E$  such that  $sp$  is fiber homotopic to 1

*Proof.* If  $i$  is a homotopy equivalence, then there exists  $X \xrightarrow{r'} A$  such that  $ir' \simeq 1_X$ ,  $r'i \simeq 1_A$ , by Lemma 15.2.2, since  $(X, A)$  is cofibered,  $r' \simeq r$  is a retract and then  $A$  is a deformation retract of  $X$ . Suppose  $X \times I \xrightarrow{F} X$  is a homotopy from  $1_X$  to  $ir$

$\Gamma = X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I \cup X \times \{1\} = X \times \{0\} \cup A \times [0, \frac{1}{2}] \cup A \times [\frac{1}{2}, 1] \cup X \times \{1\}$  is a retract of  $X \times I$ .

Construct  $\Gamma \times I \xrightarrow{G} X$ 

$$G((x, t), s) = \begin{cases} F(x, (1-s)t) & (x, t) \in X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I \\ F(r(x), 1-s) & (x, t) \in X \times \{1\} \end{cases}$$

$G_1$  can be extends to  $X \times I \xrightarrow{H} X$ , then  $H_0(x) = G_1(x, 0) = F(x, 0) = x$ ,  $H_1(x) = G_1(x, 1) = F(r(x), 0) = r(x)$ ,  $H_t(a) = G_1(a, t) = F(a, 0) = a$ , i.e.  $H$  is a strong deformation retraction □

fibration map is a homotopy equivalence iff it is a fiber homotopy equivalence

**Lemma 19.3.16.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fibration,  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$  is a map,  $A \times_B E = f^*(E)$  is the **pullback fibration**, suppose  $f_t : A \rightarrow B$  is a homotopy, then pullback fibrations  $f_0^*(E) \rightarrow A$ ,  $f_1^*(E) \rightarrow A$  are fiber homotopy equivalent. In particular, a morphism  $p \xrightarrow{f} q$  between two fibrations is a homotopy equivalence iff  $f$  is a fiber homotopy equivalence



*Proof.*  $A \times I \xrightarrow{F} B$  is a homotopy, we have the pullback fibration  $F^*(E)$ , it suffices to show that for any fibration  $E \xrightarrow{p} B \times I$ ,  $E_0 := p^{-1}(B \times \{0\}) \simeq p^{-1}(B \times \{1\}) =: E_1$  are fiber homotopy equivalent

Consider the following diagrams

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E_0 & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\ E_0 \times I & \xrightarrow{(p,t)} & B \times I \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E_1 & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\ E_1 \times I & \xrightarrow{(p,1-t)} & B \times I \end{array}$$

Then we get fiber preserving maps  $f : E_0 \rightarrow E_1$  and  $g : E_1 \rightarrow E_0$ , and restricts them to each fiber

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p^{-1}(b, 0) & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\ p^{-1}(b, 0) \times I & \xrightarrow{(p,t)} & \{b\} \times I \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p^{-1}(b, 1) & \hookrightarrow & E \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow p \\ p^{-1}(b, 1) \times I & \xrightarrow{(p,1-t)} & \{b\} \times I \end{array}$$

We get maps  $f|_{p^{-1}(b,0)} : p^{-1}(b,0) \rightarrow p^{-1}(b,1)$ ,  $g|_{p^{-1}(b,1)} : p^{-1}(b,1) \rightarrow p^{-1}(b,0)$ , according to Proposition 19.3.12 they are homotopy equivalence and inverses to each other, hence  $f, g$  are fiber homotopy equivalences and inverses to each other  $\square$

**Corollary 19.3.17.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fibration,  $B$  contractible, then  $p$  is fiber homotopy equivalent to  $B \times F \rightarrow B$ . If  $B$  is locally contractible, the fibration is locally homotopy equivalent to a product

*Proof.* Since  $B$  is contractible, identity map is homotopic to a constant map, and the pullback of  $E$  under the identity map is  $E$  itself, the pullback of  $E$  under a constant map is fiber bundle  $B \times F$   $\square$

**Definition 19.3.18.**  $(X, x_0)$  is a pointed space. The **loop space**  $\Omega X$  consists of all the loops on  $X$  starting and ending at  $x_0$ , the constant loop being the basepoint. The **path space**  $PX$  consists of all the paths starting at  $x_0$ .  $\Omega X \subseteq PX \subseteq X^I$  endowed with the subspace topology

**Proposition 19.3.19.**  $\langle \Sigma X, Y \rangle = \langle X, \Omega Y \rangle$  is an adjunction

**Definition 19.3.20.** The **mapping path space**  $P_f$  is the pullback

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P_f & \longrightarrow & Y^I \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \end{array}$$

$P_f$  deformation retracts onto  $X$  by shrinking paths. The **homotopy fiber**  $F_f$  of  $f$  over  $y$  is the pullback

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F_f & \longrightarrow & Y^I \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \times Y \end{array}$$

The **mapping cylinder**  $M_f$  is the pushout

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \longrightarrow & M_f \end{array}$$

$M_f$  deformation retracts onto  $Y$  by sliding the cylinder. The mapping cone  $M_f/A \times \{0\} \cong C_f$  is the **homotopy cofiber** of  $f$ .

**Proposition 19.3.21.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  can be factorized as  $X \hookrightarrow P_f \rightarrow Y$  or  $X \hookrightarrow M_f \rightarrow Y$ .  $P_f \rightarrow Y$ ,  $(x, \gamma) \mapsto \gamma(1)$ ,  $M_f \rightarrow Y$  are Hurewicz fibrations.  $X \hookrightarrow P_f$ ,  $X \hookrightarrow M_f$  are closed Hurewicz cofibrations.

*Proof.*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \longrightarrow & M_f \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \longrightarrow & Y \end{array}$$

□

**Example 19.3.22.**  $PX$  is the mapping path space of  $\ast \rightarrow X$ ,  $\Omega X \rightarrow PX \rightarrow X$  is a Hurewicz fibration.

**Proposition 19.3.23.** Suppose  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a fibration, then  $E \hookrightarrow E_p$  is a fiber homotopy equivalence, and the restriction on each fiber to the homotopy fiber of  $p$  is a homotopy equivalence.

**Proposition 19.3.24.** If  $F \rightarrow E \rightarrow B$  is a fibration, and  $E$  is contractible, then  $F$  is weakly homotopic to  $\Omega B$ .

**Theorem 19.3.25.**  $F \rightarrow E \rightarrow B$  is a fibration, the **fibration sequence** is

$$\rightarrow \Omega^2 B \rightarrow \Omega F \rightarrow \Omega E \rightarrow \Omega B \rightarrow F \rightarrow E \rightarrow B$$

$A \rightarrow X \rightarrow X/A$  is a cofibration, the **cofibration(Puppe) sequence** is

$$A \rightarrow X \rightarrow X/A \rightarrow \Sigma A \rightarrow \Sigma X \rightarrow \Sigma(X/A) \rightarrow \Sigma^2 A \rightarrow \dots$$

**Theorem 19.3.26.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is Serre fibration, fix  $x_0 \in p^{-1}(b_0) = F$ ,  $\pi_n(E, F, x_0) \xrightarrow{p^*} \pi_n(B, b_0)$  is an isomorphism, and we have long exact sequence

$$\dots \rightarrow \pi_n(F, x_0) \rightarrow \pi_n(E, x_0) \xrightarrow{p^*} \pi_n(B, b_0) \rightarrow \pi_{n-1}(F, x_0) \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \pi_0(E, x_0) \rightarrow 0$$

**Theorem 19.3.27.** **W** consists of all homotopy equivalences, **F** consists of all Hurewicz fibrations, **C** consists of all closed Hurewicz cofibrations, **(W, F, C)** defines a closed model structure on *Top*.

*Proof.* 2 out of 3 is obvious.

By Lemma 19.3.9 and Lemma 19.3.15,  $i \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W} \Rightarrow i$  has LLP for any  $p \in \mathbf{F}$ . Suppose  $i$  has LLP for any  $p \in \mathbf{F}$ , since  $Y^I \rightarrow Y \in \mathbf{F}$ ,  $i \in \mathbf{C}$ ,  $A \rightarrow \ast \in \mathbf{F}$ , we get a retraction  $X \xrightarrow{r} A$  by

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xlongequal{\quad} & A \\ \downarrow i & \nearrow r & \downarrow \\ X & \longrightarrow & \ast \end{array}$$

$X^I \rightarrow X \times X \in F, \gamma \mapsto (\gamma(0), \gamma(1))$ , then we get a strong deformation retraction

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X^I \\ i \downarrow & \nearrow F & \downarrow \\ X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X \times X \end{array}$$

Hence  $i \in \mathbf{C} \cap \mathbf{W}$  □

## 19.4 Serre fibration

**Definition 19.4.1.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a **Serre fibration** if it has homotopy lifting property for all  $(D^n, \partial D^n)$

## Chapter 20

# Isotopy

**Definition 20.0.1.**  $f, g : X \rightarrow Y$  are topological embeddings, an **isotopy** from  $f$  to  $g$  is a homotopy  $H$  such that  $H_t$  are embeddings

**Definition 20.0.2.**  $g, h$  are embeddings of  $N$  in  $M$ , an **ambient isotopy** from  $g$  to  $h$  is  $M \times I \xrightarrow{F} M$  such that  $F_t$  are homeomorphisms, and  $F_0 = 1_M$ ,  $F_1 \circ g = h$

**Theorem 20.0.3** (Alexander's trick).  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is the unit ball, homeomorphisms of  $D$  that are isotopic on  $\partial D$  are also isotopic on  $D$

*Proof.* Suppose  $f, g : D \rightarrow D$  are homeomorphisms with  $f|_{\partial D}, g|_{\partial D}$  isotopic □



# Chapter 21

## Bundle

### 21.1 Bundles

**Definition 21.1.1.** A bundle is  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$ , where  $E$  is the **total space**,  $B$  is the **base space**, and  $p$  is the projection,  $p^{-1}(b)$  is the **fiber** over  $b$ . A **cross section** is  $s : B \rightarrow E$ , such that  $ps = 1_B$ . The restriction  $p^{-1}(A) \xrightarrow{\pi} A$ ,  $A \subseteq B$  is also a bundle

**Definition 21.1.2.** Suppose  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a bundle,  $f : A \rightarrow B$  is a map, then the pullback  $f^*(E) = A \times_p E \rightarrow A$  is the **pullback bundle**, the pullback of a section  $s : B \rightarrow E$  is defined as  $f^*s := s \circ f$ , notice  $p(f^*s(y)) = p(s(f(y))) = f(y)$

**Definition 21.1.3.** A **fiber bundle** is a bundle  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  such that there exists an open neighborhood  $U$  of  $b$  and a homeomorphism  $\phi$  making the following diagram commute

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p^{-1}(U) & \xrightarrow{\phi} & U \times F \\ p \downarrow & \swarrow pr_1 & \\ U & & \end{array}$$

**Definition 21.1.4.**  $G$  is a topological group, a  $G$  **fiber bundle**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a fiber bundle and also a morphism of  $G$  spaces

**Lemma 21.1.5.** A fiber bundle is a Serre fibration

**Definition 21.1.6.**  $\mathbb{F}$  is a topological field, a **vector bundle** is a fiber bundle  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  with fiber being  $\mathbb{F}^n$  and  $\phi$  restricts on each fiber is an  $\mathbb{F}$  isomorphism

**Definition 21.1.7.**  $G$  is a topological group, a **principal  $G$  bundle**  $p : P \rightarrow B$  is a morphism of  $G$  spaces,  $B$  with the trivial  $G$  action, and for each  $b \in B$ , there is a local trivialization

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p^{-1}(U) & \xrightarrow{\phi} & U \times G \\ p \downarrow & \swarrow pr_1 & \\ U & & \end{array}$$

$\phi$  is an isomorphism

**Remark 21.1.8.**  $G$  action on  $P$  preserves fibers, and the action on fiber is free and transitive, each fiber is a  $G$  torsor. A morphism of principal  $G$  bundles is always an isomorphism. A principal  $G$  bundle is trivial iff it has a global section

**Proposition 21.1.9.** Suppose  $P \rightarrow B$  is a principal  $G$  bundle,  $G \rightarrow G/H$  is a principal  $H$  bundle, then  $P \rightarrow P/H$  is a principal  $H$  bundle

*Proof.*  $P \cong P \times_G G \rightarrow P \times_G (G/H) \cong P/H$  □

**Proposition 21.1.10.** Suppose  $P \rightarrow B$  is a principal  $G$  bundle,  $F$  is a left  $G$  space,  $P \times_G F \rightarrow P \times_G * \cong B$  is a  $G$  fiber bundle.  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a map,  $f^*(P \times_G F) \rightarrow f^*(P) \times_G F$  is a natural homeomorphism

**Proposition 21.1.11.**  $P \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a principal  $G$  bundle,  $X$  is a right  $G$  space, a morphism

$P \xrightarrow{f} X$  induce  $P \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ f \end{pmatrix}} P \times X$ ,  $B \cong P/G \rightarrow P \times X/G \cong P \times_G X$  which is a section  $s_f$  of  $P \times_G X \rightarrow B$ , this is a natural bijection

**Proposition 21.1.12.**  $P \rightarrow B \times I$  is principal  $G$  bundle, then  $P$  and  $P_0 \times I$  is an isomorphism, here  $P_0$  is the restriction of  $P$  over  $B \times \{0\}$

*Proof.*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B & \longrightarrow & P \times_G (P_0 \times I) \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ B \times I & \longrightarrow & B \times I \end{array}$$

□



## 21.2 Vector bundles

**Proposition 21.2.1.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is trivial iff there exist global sections  $s_1, \dots, s_n$  that they are linearly independent on each fiber

**Definition 21.2.2.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  be a vector bundle, consider two trivializations  $\varphi_U : E_U \rightarrow U \times \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\varphi_V : E_V \rightarrow V \times \mathbb{R}^n$  around  $x \in X$ , then  $\varphi_V \circ \varphi_U^{-1}$  restricted on  $U \cap V \times \mathbb{R}^n$  is a local isomorphism with inverse  $\varphi_U \circ \varphi_V^{-1}$  restricted on  $U \cap V \times \mathbb{R}^n$ , it is also called a transition function and it can also be regarded as a continuous map  $g_{VU} : U \cap V \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{R})$  or  $g_{VU} \in GL(n, C(U \cap V))$ , such that  $\varphi_V \circ \varphi_U^{-1}(x, v) = (x, g_{VU}(x)v)$ , notice then  $g_{UV} = g_{VU}^{-1}$ , and  $g_{VU}$ 's satisfy the cocycle relation  $g_{WV}g_{VU} = g_{WU}$  on  $U \cap V \cap W$

Conversely, given  $\bigsqcup_{\alpha \in A} U_\alpha \times \mathbb{R}^n \times A$  transition functions  $g_{\alpha\beta} : U_\alpha \cap U_\beta \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{R})$  that satisfying cocycle relation  $g_{\gamma\beta}g_{\beta\alpha} = g_{\gamma\alpha}$  on  $U_\alpha \cap U_\beta \cap U_\gamma$ , mod equivalence relation  $(x, v, \alpha) \sim (x, g_{\beta\alpha}(v), \beta)$ ,  $x \in U_\alpha \cap U_\beta$ , you will get back the vector bundle

Suppose  $s : X \rightarrow E$ , is a section, denote  $\varphi_i \circ s|_{U_i}(x) = (x, f_i(x))$  over  $U_i$ , then  $(x, f_j(x)) = \varphi_j \circ s|_{U_j}(x) = \varphi_j \circ s|_{U_i}(x) = \varphi_j \circ \varphi_i^{-1} \circ \varphi_i \circ s|_{U_i}(x) = \varphi_j \circ \varphi_i^{-1}(x, f_i(x)) = (x, g_{ji}(x)f_i(x))$ ,  $\forall x \in U_i \cap U_j$ , thus  $f_j = g_{ji}f_i$ , conversely, this relation also defines a section

**Definition 21.2.3.** The pullback of a transition function is defined to be  $f^*g_{ij} := g_{ij} \circ f$

**Definition 21.2.4.** A morphism between vector bundles  $\varphi : E \rightarrow F$  is map such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & F \\ \downarrow p & & \downarrow q \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \end{array}$$

and  $\varphi_x : E_x \rightarrow F_{f(x)}$  is a homomorphism between vector spaces

**Definition 21.2.5.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  and  $F \xrightarrow{q} Y$  be vector bundles, then direct sum  $E \times F \xrightarrow{p \times q} X \times Y$  is also a vector bundle, suppose  $\varphi_U : U \rightarrow U \times \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $\psi_V : V \rightarrow V \times \mathbb{R}^m$  are trivializations, then  $\varphi_U \times \psi_V : U \times V \rightarrow U \times \mathbb{R}^n \times V \times \mathbb{R}^m \cong U \times V \times \mathbb{R}^{n+m}$  is also a trivialization

**Proposition 21.2.6.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle, and  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is a homeomorphism, then  $E \xrightarrow{f \circ p} Y$  is a vector bundle, suppose  $\varphi_U : E_U \rightarrow U \times \mathbb{R}^n$  is a trivialization, then  $(f \times 1) \circ \varphi_U =: \psi_{f(U)} : E_U \rightarrow U \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow f(U) \times \mathbb{R}^n$  is a trivialization

Domain is homeomorphic to its graph

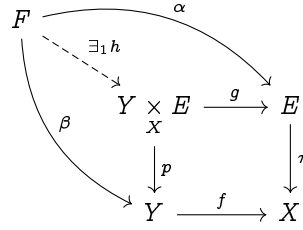
**Proposition 21.2.7.**  $p : \Gamma_f \rightarrow X, (x, f(x)) \mapsto x$  is homeomorphism

*Proof.*  $p$  as a restriction on  $\Gamma_f$  of  $X \times Y$  projecting to  $X$  is continuous, and define  $q : X \rightarrow \Gamma_f, x \mapsto (x, f(x))$ , since the composition  $X \xrightarrow{q} \Gamma_f \hookrightarrow X \times Y$  which is continuous because  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$ ,  $X \xrightarrow{id} X$  are continuous,  $q$  is continuous, and  $p, q$  are inverses to each other  $\square$

**Definition 21.2.8.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle,  $f : Y \rightarrow X$  is a continuous map, then we can construct the pullback bundle  $f^*E \xrightarrow{p} Y$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^*E & \xrightarrow{g} & E \\ \downarrow p & & \downarrow \pi \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array}$$

satisfying universal property



Concrete construction: let  $f^*E = Y \times_X E \subseteq Y \times X$  with subspace topology, where  $Y \times_X E = \{(y, v) \in Y \times E \mid f(y) = \pi(v)\}$ , let's check it is a vector bundle over  $Y$ , notice that  $Y \times_X E \rightarrow Y$  factor through  $Y \times_X E \rightarrow \Gamma_f \rightarrow Y$ ,  $(y, v) \mapsto (y, \pi(v)) = (y, f(y)) \mapsto y$ , where  $\Gamma_f$  is the graph of  $f$  which is homeomorphic to  $Y$  due to Proposition 21.2.7, notice that  $Y \times_X E \rightarrow \Gamma_f$  is the restriction of vector bundle  $Y \times E \xrightarrow{1 \times \pi} Y \times X$  over  $\Gamma_f$ , thus  $Y \times_X E \rightarrow Y$  is a vector bundle, suppose  $F$  as in the commutative diagram, then  $h$  is simply defined as  $h(w) := (\beta(w), \alpha(w))$

**Remark 21.2.9.** In general, this is a pullback, but it has a vector bundle structure such that it induces an isomorphism on each fiber, now suppose  $F \xrightarrow{q} Y$  is another vector bundle such that not only the diagram commutes but also induce isomorphism on each fiber, then  $F \cong f^*E$  Use this we have  $(fg)^*E \cong g^*(f^*E)$ ,  $f^*(E \oplus F) \cong f^*E \oplus f^*F$ ,  $f^*(E \otimes F) \cong f^*E \otimes f^*F$ ,  $1^*E \cong E$

**Definition 21.2.10.** Suppose  $E, F$  are vector bundles both trivialized over  $\{U_\alpha\}$  (this can easily be achieved, just take intersections), suppose the transition functions are  $g_{\alpha\beta}, h_{\alpha\beta}$ , then define the tensor product of vector bundles  $E \otimes F$  by letting its transition functions be  $g_{\alpha\beta} \otimes h_{\alpha\beta}$  Similarly, we can define symmetric power and exterior power of vector bundles by specifying its transition function

Does it have universal property also?

**Definition 21.2.11.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X, F \xrightarrow{p} X$  be vector bundles, then the direct sum  $E \oplus F \xrightarrow{p} X$  is defined by transition functions  $g_{\alpha\beta} \oplus h_{\alpha\beta}$ , where  $g_{\alpha\beta}, h_{\alpha\beta}$  are transition functions of  $E, F$

**Definition 21.2.12.** Let  $E \rightarrow X$  be a vector bundle, define its dual bundle as follows, if  $g_{\alpha\beta}$  is a transition function, the transition function for  $E^*$  would be  $(g_{\alpha\beta}^{-1})^T$

**Definition 21.2.13.** quotient bundle, exterior and symmetric power of vector bundle

**Proposition 21.2.14.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle with  $X$  being a paracompact space, then there exists a continuous map  $\langle, \rangle : E \oplus E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  with  $\langle, \rangle|_{E_x}$  defines an inner product

**Definition 21.2.15.**  $F \subseteq E$  is called a vector subbundle if  $F$  is a subspace of  $E$  and  $F \xrightarrow{p} X$  is also a vector space

**Proposition 21.2.16.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle with  $X$  being a paracompact space and  $F \subseteq E$  is a vector subbundle, then there exists a vector subbundle  $F^\perp \subseteq E$  such that  $F_x \oplus F^\perp|_x = E|_x$  and  $(F|_x)^\perp = F^\perp|_x$

*Proof.*

□

$X$  compact Hausdorff  $\Rightarrow E$  has complement

**Theorem 21.2.17.** If  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is vector bundle over a compact Hausdorff space  $X$ , then there exists a vector bundle  $E' \xrightarrow{p'} X$  such  $E \oplus E'$  is a trivial bundle

**Proposition 21.2.18.** Every Lie group  $G$  is parallelizable

*Proof.* Pick an arbitrary basis  $e_1, \dots, e_n$  of  $T_1G$ , then  $L_g^*(e_i)$  will be a basis of  $T_{g^{-1}}G$  since  $L_g^*$  is an isomorphism, they form independent global sections of the tangent bundle □

**Definition 21.2.19.** Tautological bundle

**Definition 21.2.20.** Let  $X$  be a smooth manifold of dimension  $n$  (depending on the field),  $\Omega$  denote the cotangent bundle, then  $\omega := \bigwedge^n \Omega$  is called the canonical bundle

**Definition 21.2.21.** Universal bundle

**Theorem 21.2.22.** Let  $X$  be a paracompact Hausdorff space, there is a bijection  $[X, \varinjlim Gr_{\mathbb{C}}(n, N)] \rightarrow \text{Vect}_{\mathbb{C}}^n(X), [f] \mapsto [f^*(E)]$

**Definition 21.2.23.** If  $G$  is a topological group, then a principal  $G$ -bundle  $P$  is a fiber bundle with a continuous right  $G$  action  $P \times G \rightarrow P$ , and the action is free and transitive (thus regular), which imply each fiber is a  $G$ -torsor, also,  $g \mapsto yg$  is a homeomorphism

**Definition 21.2.24.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle, an inner product is a continuous map  $\langle, \rangle : E \oplus E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  with  $\langle, \rangle|_{E_x}$  defines an inner product on  $E_x$

**Proposition 21.2.25.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle with an inner product  $\langle, \rangle$ , then we can local trivialization to be isometry on each fiber, i.e.  $\langle v, w \rangle = (\varphi_U(v), \varphi_U(w)), v, w \in E_x$ , where  $\langle, \rangle$  is the standard inner product on  $U \times \mathbb{R}^n$

**Proposition 21.2.26.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a vector bundle with  $X$  being a paracompact space, then there exists a continuous map  $\langle, \rangle : E \oplus E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  with  $\langle, \rangle|_{E_x}$  defines an inner product

**Definition 21.2.27.** let  $G$  be a topological group,  $E, X$  be  $G$ -spaces, then  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a  $G$ -vector bundle if it is a vector bundle,  $p$  is a  $G$  map, and for any  $x \in X$ ,  $g : E_x \rightarrow E_{gx}$  is a linear map

**Definition 21.2.28.** Let  $G$  be a topological group,  $H$  be a closed subgroup, a  $G$  vector bundle  $\pi : E \rightarrow G/H$  is called a homogeneous vector bundle

**Lemma 21.2.29.** Let  $Y \xrightarrow{f} X, Z \xrightarrow{g} X$  be open surjective continuous maps, then the projection  $p_Y : Y \times_X Z \rightarrow Y$  is open surjective

*Proof.* For surjectivity, if  $y \in Y$ , since  $g$  is surjective,  $\exists z \in Z$  such that  $g(z) = f(y)$ , then  $(z, y) \in Y \times_X Z$

To prove  $p_Y$  is open, suppose  $(z_0, y_0) \in Y \times_X Z$  is in some open set, then  $(z_0, y_0) \in U \times V \cap Y \times_X Z$  for some  $y_0 \in U, z_0 \in V$  open, since  $f, g$  are open,  $U' := f(U) \cap g(V)$  is open, let  $V' := V \cap f^{-1}(U')$ , then we can show  $V'$  is in the image of  $U \times V \cap Y \times_X Z$ , since  $\forall y \in V', f(y) \in U' \subseteq g(V)$ , thus  $f(y) = g(z)$  for some  $z \in V$ , hence  $(y, z) \in U \times V \cap Y \times_X Z$   $\square$

**Proposition 21.2.30.** Let  $\pi : E \rightarrow G/H$  be a homogeneous vector bundle,  $E_H$  be the fiber over the coset  $H$ , action  $G \times E_H \rightarrow E$  can be regard as  $\alpha : G \times_H E_H \rightarrow E$  which is an isomorphism of  $G$  vector bundles. Moreover, if  $H$  is locally compact, then for a given  $\mathbb{R}H$  module  $E_H$ ,  $G \times_H E_H \rightarrow G/H$  is indeed a  $G$  vector bundle, hence  $G$  vector bundle  $E$  is in one to one correspondence with representations of  $H$  on  $E_H$ , so  $K_G(G/H) \cong R(H)$

*Proof.*  $E_H$  is an  $\mathbb{R}H$  module, let  $G \times_H E_H$  denote the space of orbits of  $G \times E_H$  under  $H$  by  $h \cdot (g, \xi) = (gh^{-1}, h\xi)$ ,  $G \times_H E_H$  is a  $G$  space with  $G$  action  $g \cdot (g', \xi) \mapsto (gg', \xi)$ , then the group action can be regarded as  $\alpha : G \times_H E_H \rightarrow E, (g, \xi) \mapsto g\xi$ , we can find its inverse  $\beta : E \rightarrow G \times_H E_H, E_{gH} \ni \xi \mapsto (g, g^{-1}\xi)$ , to show that this is continuous, consider  $\gamma : G \times E \rightarrow G \times E, (g, \xi) \mapsto (g, g^{-1}\xi)$ , then the preimage of  $G \times E_H$  will be the pullback  $G \times_{G/H} E := \{(g, \xi) \in G \times E | gH = \pi\xi\}$ , then  $G \times_{G/H} E \rightarrow G \times E_H \rightarrow G \times_H E_H, (g, \xi) \mapsto (g, g^{-1}\xi)$  factors as  $G \times_{G/H} E \rightarrow E \xrightarrow{\beta} G \times_H E, (g, \xi) \mapsto \xi \mapsto (g, g^{-1}\xi)$  which open surjective, therefore  $\beta$  is continuous due to the previous Lemma  $\square$

**Definition 21.2.31.** A clutching function for  $S^k$  is  $f : S^{k-1} \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{C})$ , then we can define vector bundle  $E_f$  with  $f$  being the transition function, conversely, if  $E$  is a vector bundle over  $S^k$ , since its upper and lower hemispheres are both contractible,  $E = E_f$ , where  $f$  is the transition function, denoting the corresponding matrix  $T_f$

**Theorem 21.2.32.**  $[S^{k-1}, GL(n, \mathbb{C})] \rightarrow \text{Vect}_{\mathbb{C}}^n(S^k), f \mapsto E_f$  is a bijection

**Lemma 21.2.33.** Suppose  $f, g : S^{k-1} \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{C})$ , then  $(E_f \otimes E_g) \oplus \varepsilon^n \cong E_{fg} \oplus \varepsilon^n \cong E_f \oplus E_g$

*Proof.* Since  $GL(n, \mathbb{C})$  is path connected, there is a path  $A_t \in GL(2n, \mathbb{C})$  that  $A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix}, A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} & 1 \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}$ , then  $\begin{pmatrix} T_f & \\ & I \end{pmatrix} A_t \begin{pmatrix} I & \\ & T_g \end{pmatrix} A_t$  is  $\begin{pmatrix} T_f & \\ & T_g \end{pmatrix}$  when  $t = 0$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} T_f T_g & \\ & I \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} T_{fg} & \\ & I \end{pmatrix}$  when  $t = 1$   $\square$

**Definition 21.2.34.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  be vector bundle of rank  $n$ , and there is a inner product over  $E$ , we can define the sphere bundle  $S(E)$  associated to  $E$  to be  $S(E) = \bigcup_{x \in X} S(E_x)$  with the subspace topology, this is a fiber bundle, suppose  $\varphi_U$  is a local trivialization, since we can choose  $\varphi_U$  to be isometry over each fiber, thus the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S(E)_U & \xrightarrow{\varphi_U} & U \times S(\mathbb{R}^n) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ E_U & \xrightarrow{\varphi_U} & U \times \mathbb{R}^n \\ & \searrow p & \downarrow \\ & & U \end{array}$$

**Definition 21.2.35.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  be vector bundle of rank  $n$ , and there is a inner product over  $E$ , we can define the projective bundle  $P(E)$  associated to  $E$  to be  $P(E) = \bigcup_{x \in X} P(E_x)$  with the quotient topology, this is a fiber bundle, suppose  $\varphi_U$  is a local trivialization, since we can choose  $\varphi_U$  to be isometry over each fiber, thus the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S(E)_U & \xrightarrow{\varphi_U} & U \times S(\mathbb{R}^n) \\ \downarrow q & \searrow & \swarrow \\ & U & \\ \uparrow & \swarrow & \searrow \\ P(E)_U & \xrightarrow{\varphi_U} & U \times P(\mathbb{R}^n) \\ \downarrow q & & \downarrow q \end{array}$$

**Definition 21.2.36.** Let  $E \xrightarrow{p} X$  be vector bundle of rank  $n$ , and there is a inner product over  $E$ , we can define the flag bundle  $F(E)$  associated to  $E$  to be  $F(E) = \bigcup_{x \in X} F(E_x)$  with the subspace topology in  $P(E) \times \cdots \times P(E)$

**Remark 21.2.37.** Consider the pullback of  $\pi : F(E) \rightarrow X, \pi^*(E) \subseteq F(E) \times E$ , consider its subbundles  $L_1, \dots, L_n$ , where  $L_i$  is the subbundle that over a point in  $F(E)$ , it is the  $i$ -th factor, then  $\pi^*(E) \cong L_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus L_n$

**Definition 21.2.38.** Let  $X$  be a paracompact and Hausdorff space, there exist unique functions  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_i : \text{Vect}_{\mathbb{R}}(X) \rightarrow H^i(X, \mathbb{Z}_2), E \mapsto w_i(E)$ , and they only depend on the isomorphism classes of  $E$ , satisfying

1.  $w_i(f^*(E)) = f^*(w_i(E))$ , for pullback bundle  $f^*(E)$
2.  $w(E_1 \oplus E_2) = w(E_1) \smile w(E_2)$  where  $w = 1 + w_1 + w_2 + \cdots \in H^*(X, \mathbb{Z}_2)$
3.  $w_i(E) = 0, \forall i > \dim E$
4. If  $E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}P^\infty$  is the canonical line bundle, then  $w_1(E)$  is the generator of  $H^*(\mathbb{R}P^\infty, \mathbb{Z}_2) \cong \mathbb{Z}_2[x]$   $w_i(E)$  are called the Stiefel-Whitney classes of  $E$

**Definition 21.2.39.** Let  $X$  be a paracompact and Hausdorff space, there exist unique functions  $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_i : \text{Vect}_{\mathbb{C}}(X) \rightarrow H^{2i}(X; \mathbb{Z})$ ,  $E \rightarrow c_i(E)$ , and they only depend on the isomorphism classes of  $E$ , satisfying

1.  $c_i(f^*(E)) = f^*(c_i(E))$ , for pullback bundle  $f^*(E)$
  2.  $c(E_1 \oplus E_2) = c(E_1) \smile c(E_2)$  where  $c = 1 + c_1 + c_2 + \dots \in H^*(X; \mathbb{Z})$
  3.  $c_i(E) = 0, \forall i > \dim E$
  4. If  $E \rightarrow \mathbb{C}P^\infty$  is the canonical line bundle, then  $c_1(E)$  is a generator of  $H^*(\mathbb{C}P^\infty; \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[x]$ , specify a generator in advance
- $c_i(E)$  are called the Chern classes of  $E$ , also we define the Chern polynomial to be  $c_t = 1 + c_1 t + c_2 t^2 + \dots$  where  $t$  is just a formal variable used to keep tracking of the degree

**Lemma 21.2.40.** Let  $L_1, L_2$  be line bundles, then  $c_1(L_1 \otimes L_2) = c_1(L_1) + c_1(L_2)$

**Definition 21.2.41.** Suppose  $L$  is a line bundle, define the Chern character  $ch(L) = e^{c_1(L)} = 1 + c_1(L) + \frac{c_1(L)^2}{2!} + \dots \in H^*(X; \mathbb{Q})$ , then we have  $ch(L_1 \otimes L_2) = e^{c_1(L_1 \otimes L_2)} = e^{c_1(L_1) + c_1(L_2)} = e^{c_1(L_1)} e^{c_1(L_2)} = ch(L_1) ch(L_2)$ , If we assume  $ch(L_1 \oplus L_2) = ch(L_1) + ch(L_2)$ , then for  $E = L_1 \oplus \dots \oplus L_n$ ,  $ch(E) = ch(L_1) + \dots + ch(L_n) = n + (c_1(L_1) + \dots + c_1(L_n)) + (c_1(L_1)^2 + \dots + c_1(L_n)^2)/2! + \dots$ , on the other hand, we have  $c(E) = c(L_1) \smile \dots \smile c(L_n) = (1 + c_1(L_1)) \smile \dots \smile (1 + c_1(L_n)) = 1 + c_1(E) + \dots + c_n(E)$ , where  $c_i(E)$  would just be the  $i$ -th elementary symmetric polynomial of  $c_1(L_1), \dots, c_1(L_n)$ , i.e.  $c_i(E) = \sigma_i(c_1(L_1), \dots, c_1(L_n))$ , so we can express  $c_1(L_1)^k + \dots + c_1(L_n)^k$  in terms of  $c_i(E)$ , i.e.  $c_1(L_1)^k + \dots + c_1(L_n)^k = s_k(c_1(E), \dots, c_n(E))$ , thus we have an abstract definition of Chern character,  $ch(E) = \dim E + s_1(c_1(E), \dots, c_n(E)) + s_2(c_1(E), \dots, c_n(E))/2! + \dots$

**Proposition 21.2.42.**  $ch(E_1 \oplus E_2) = ch(E_1) + ch(E_2)$ ,  $ch(E_1 \otimes E_2) = ch(E_1) ch(E_2)$

### 21.3 Principal bundle

## 21.4 Topological K-theory

**Definition 21.4.1.** Two vector bundles  $E \rightarrow X$ ,  $F \rightarrow X$  are stably isomorphic if  $E \oplus \varepsilon^n \cong F \oplus \varepsilon^n$ , denoted as  $E \approx F$ , we also denote  $E \sim F$  if  $E \oplus \varepsilon^n \cong F \oplus \varepsilon^m$  for some  $n, m$

**Remark 21.4.2.** Here stably isomorphic does not imply isomorphic, for example,  $TS^2 \approx_s \varepsilon^2$ , since  $\varepsilon^3 \approx T^2 \oplus NS^2 \approx T^2 \oplus \varepsilon^1$  whereas  $TS^2$  is not trivial by the hairy ball theorem, and  $NS^2 \approx \varepsilon^1$  is trivial because it is very easy to find a nonvanishing global section

**Definition 21.4.3.** Define the reduced K group to be  $\tilde{K}(X)$  which consists of  $\sim$ -equivalent classes, and define K group to be the formal difference of isomorphic classes  $E - F$ , and  $E - F = E' - F'$  if  $E \oplus F' \oplus G \cong E' \oplus F \oplus G$  for some vector bundle  $G$

**Remark 21.4.4.** When  $X$  is compact Hausdorff,  $E \oplus F' \oplus G \cong E' \oplus F \oplus G$  is equivalent to  $E \oplus F' \oplus \varepsilon^m \cong E' \oplus F \oplus \varepsilon^m$ , since we can find  $G'$  such that  $G \oplus G' \cong \varepsilon^m$  due to Theorem 21.2.17  $K(*) = \{\varepsilon^m - \varepsilon^n\} \cong \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\tilde{K}(*) = 0$ , and when  $X$  compact Hausdorff we have an exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow K(*) \rightarrow K(X) \rightarrow \tilde{K}(X) \rightarrow 0$ , where  $K(*) \rightarrow K(X)$  is simply given by  $\varepsilon^m - \varepsilon^n \mapsto \varepsilon^m - \varepsilon^n$ ,  $K(X) \rightarrow \tilde{K}(X)$  is defined as follows, given  $E - F \in K(X)$ ,  $E - F = E \oplus F' - F \oplus F' = E' - \varepsilon^m$  is mapped to  $E'$ , this exact sequence splits since we have map  $K(X) \rightarrow K(*)$  given by restriction

**Conjecture 21.4.5.** Let  $M$  be the Möbius line bundle over  $S^1$ , since  $M \oplus M \cong \varepsilon^2$ , and  $M \otimes M \cong \varepsilon^1$ , thus real K-theory of  $S^1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Z}[M]/(M^2 - 1, 2M - 2)$

**Example 21.4.6.** Let  $S^n \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  be the unit sphere,  $TS^n, NS^n$  be the tangent bundle and normal bundle, then  $TS^n \oplus NS^n$  can be seen as the restriction of the trivial bundle  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1} \times \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  on  $S^n$ , thus  $TS^n \oplus NS^n$  is trivial

**Definition 21.4.7.** Define external product  $K(X) \otimes K(Y) \rightarrow K(X \times Y)$ ,  $a \otimes b \mapsto p_1^*(a)p_2^*(b) =: a \times b$ , this is a ring homomorphism

## 21.5 Classifying space

**Definition 21.5.1.** Suppose  $G$  is a topological group,  $P_G$  is the contravariant functor from the category of CW complexes to the category of sets, mapping  $X$  to all the principal  $G$  bundles over  $X$ , a **classifying space**  $BG$  is a topological space such that  $[-, BG] \rightarrow P_G(-)$  is a natural isomorphism

**Lemma 21.5.2.**  $BG$  is unique up to weak homotopy equivalence

*Proof.* Suppose  $B'G$  is also a classifying space, then  $[-, BG] \cong P_G(-) \cong [-, B'G]$  are natural isomorphic, by Theorem 16.5.1, we may assume  $BG, B'G$  are both CW complexes, and by Lemma 3.2.1,  $X \rightarrow \text{Hom}(-, X)$  is fully faithful functor, thus  $BG, B'G$  are homotopic  $\square$

**Theorem 21.5.3** (Milnor's construction for classifying space). Define  $E^n G$  to be  $\overbrace{G * \cdots * G}^{n+1}$  are formal sums  $t_0 g_0 + t_1 g_1 + \cdots + t_n g_n$ , with  $\sum t_i = 1$ .  $EG := \varinjlim E^n G$  are finite formal sums  $\sum t_i g_i$  with  $\sum t_i = 1$ .  $E^n G \rightarrow E^n G/G$ ,  $EG \rightarrow EG/G =: BG$  are principal  $G$  bundles, any principal  $G$  bundle over  $X$  is a pullback bundle of  $EG \xrightarrow{p} BG$

*Proof.* Define  $G$  right action on  $E^n G, EG$

$$\begin{aligned} E^n G \times G &\rightarrow E^n G, \left( \sum t_i g_i, g \right) \mapsto \sum t_i g_i g \\ EG \times G &\rightarrow EG, \left( \sum t_i g_i, g \right) \mapsto \sum t_i g_i g \end{aligned}$$

Let  $U_i = \{p(\sum t_i g_i) | t_i \neq 0\}$ , then we would have a equivariant homeomorphism  $p^{-1}(U_i) \rightarrow U_i \times G$ ,  $\sum t_i g_i \mapsto (p(\sum t_i g_i), g_i)$  with inverse  $U_i \times G \rightarrow p^{-1}(U_i)$ ,  $(p(\sum t_i g_i), g) \mapsto \sum t_j g_j g_i^{-1} g$ , this is well defined since  $(p(\sum t_i g_i h), g) \mapsto \sum t_j g_j h h^{-1} g_i^{-1} g = \sum t_j g_j g_i^{-1} g$   $\square$

**Definition 21.5.4.** A **topological category**  $\mathcal{C}$  is a small category where  $ob\mathcal{C}, mor\mathcal{C}$  are topological spaces and  $i : ob\mathcal{C} \rightarrow mor\mathcal{C}, c \mapsto 1_c, s : mor\mathcal{C} \rightarrow ob\mathcal{C}, c \xrightarrow{f} d \mapsto c, t : mor\mathcal{C} \rightarrow ob\mathcal{C}, c \xrightarrow{f} d \mapsto d, \circ : mor\mathcal{C} \times mor\mathcal{C} \rightarrow mor\mathcal{C}$  are continuous. A **continuous functor** between topological categories is a functor that are continuous on both objects and morphisms

Nerve of a category

**Definition 21.5.5.** Define **nerve**  $N\mathcal{C}$  on category  $\mathcal{C}$  which is also a simplicial set,  $N\mathcal{C}([n]) := \text{Hom}([n], \mathcal{C})$ , the set of all functors from  $[n]$  to  $\mathcal{C}$ , viewing  $[n] = 0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow n$  as a category

**Definition 21.5.6** (Segal's construction for classifying space). Define the classifying space of  $\mathcal{C}$  to be  $B\mathcal{C} := |N\mathcal{C}|$  as in Definition 21.5.5



**Part VII**

**Differential topology**



# Chapter 22

## Smooth manifold

**Definition 22.0.1.** An  $n$  dimensional **manifold**  $M$  is a topological space such that for any  $p \in M$ , there is a neighborhood  $U \ni p$  such that  $U$  is homeomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}^n$

**Definition 22.0.2.** A **chart** of  $U \subseteq M$  is a homeomorphism  $\varphi_U : U \rightarrow \varphi_U(U) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ , by abuse of notation, let  $x_i : U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the composition  $U \xrightarrow{\varphi_U} \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{x_i} \mathbb{R}$ , called **local coordinates**, suppose  $\varphi_V : V \rightarrow \varphi_V(V) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is another chart, and  $U \cap V \neq \emptyset$ , the **transition map** is  $\tau_{VU} = \varphi_V \circ \varphi_U^{-1} : \varphi_U(U \cap V) \rightarrow \varphi_V(U \cap V)$

$M$  is a  **$C^k$  manifold** if transition maps  $\{\tau_{VU}\} \subseteq C^k$ , if  $k = 0$ ,  $M$  is just a topological manifold, if  $k = \infty$ ,  $M$  is a **smooth manifold**, if  $k = \omega$ ,  $M$  is an **analytic manifold**

If  $n$  is even and transition maps are holomorphic,  $M$  is a **complex manifold**

**Remark 22.0.3.** A smooth manifold is locally ringed space locally ringed space with structure sheaf the sheaf of differentiable functions. An analytic manifold is locally ringed space locally ringed space with structure sheaf the sheaf of analytic functions. A complex manifold is locally ringed space with structure sheaf the sheaf of holomorphic functions

**Definition 22.0.4.** A **smooth map**  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is map such that  $\psi_V \circ f \circ \varphi_U^{-1}$  is smooth.  $C^\infty(M)$  are smooth functions on  $M$ .  $C_p^\infty(M)$  is the germ at  $p$

**Definition 22.0.5.** A **submanifold**  $N$  is a inclusion and an immersion  $i : N \hookrightarrow M$

**Definition 22.0.6.** The kernel of  $C_p^\infty(M) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f \mapsto f(p)$  is a maximal ideal  $m_p$ , define the **cotangent space**  $T_p^*M := \frac{m_p}{m_p^2}$ , for  $f \in C^\infty(M)$ , define  $(df)_p = f - f(p) \bmod m_p$ ,

$(dx_1)_p, \dots, (dx_n)_p$  form a basis of  $T_p^*M$  locally,  $(df)_p = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}(p)(dx_1)_p + \dots + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}(p)(dx_n)_p$

**Definition 22.0.7.** The **tangent space**  $T_pM$  at  $p$  are the derivations  $Der(C_p^\infty(M))$

$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}\right)_p, \dots, \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x_n}\right)_p$  form a basis of  $T_pM$  locally

**Definition 22.0.8.** The **pushforward(differential)** of smooth map  $\phi : M \rightarrow N$  is  $\phi_p : T_pM \rightarrow T_pN$ ,  $\phi_p(X_p)(f) = X_p(f \circ \phi)$

**Definition 22.0.9.** The **pullback** of smooth map  $\phi : M \rightarrow N$  is  $\phi^* : C^\infty(N) \rightarrow C^\infty(M)$ ,  $\phi^*(f) = f \circ \phi$

**Definition 22.0.10.**  $(\varphi^*\alpha)_x(X) = \alpha_{\varphi(x)}(d\varphi_x(X)) = \alpha_{\varphi(x)}((\varphi_*)_x(X))$ , or in short  $\varphi^*\alpha(X) = \alpha(\varphi_*X)$ , similarly, for  $k$  forms,  $\varphi^*\alpha(X_1, \dots, X_k) = \alpha(\varphi_*X_1, \dots, \varphi_*X_k)$

In particular,  $\varphi^*(dx) = d(x \circ \varphi)$ , pullback is compatible with wedge product,  $\varphi^*(\alpha \wedge \beta) = \varphi^*\alpha \wedge \varphi^*\beta$ , and pullback is compatible with exterior derivative,  $\varphi^*(d\alpha) = d(\varphi^*\alpha)$  The exterior multiplication by  $\alpha$  is  $\beta \mapsto \alpha \wedge \beta$  The interior multiplication by  $v \in TM$  is  $v \lrcorner : \omega(-) \mapsto \omega(v, -)$

**Definition 22.0.11.**  $\pi : T^*M \rightarrow M$  is the cotangent bundle,  $\omega$  is a one form, the **tautological one form** is  $\pi^*\omega$

**Definition 22.0.12.** Let  $M$  be a smooth manifold,  $X, Y \in C^\infty(M, TM)$  are vector fields, define Lie bracket  $[X, Y] \in C^\infty(M, TM)$ ,  $[X, Y](f) := (XY - YX)(f) = X(Y(f)) - Y(X(f))$

**Remark 22.0.13.** Check from local coordinates,  $X(Y(f))$  is not well defined

**Definition 22.0.14.** Let  $M, N$  be smooth manifolds,  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is a smooth map, it is called an immersion if  $df$  is injective at any point, it is called submersion if  $df$  is surjective at any point

Constant rank mapping theorem

**Theorem 22.0.15.** Suppose  $M, N$  are smooth manifolds with dimension  $m, n$ ,  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is a smooth map with constant rank  $r$ , then for any  $p \in M$ , denote  $f(p) = q$ , there are local charts  $(p, U), (q, V)$  such that  $\chi_V \circ f \circ \chi_U(x_1, \dots, x_m) = (x_1, \dots, x_r, 0, \dots, 0)$ . Moreover, suppose  $M$  is second countable, if  $f$  is injective, then  $f$  is a immersion, if  $f$  is surjective, then  $f$  is a submersion, if  $f$  is bijective, then  $f$  is a diffeomorphism

*Proof.* If  $f$  is surjective but not a submersion, then  $r < n$ , but then by Theorem 34.3.2,  $f$  can't be surjective which is a contradiction □

Constant rank level set theorem

**Theorem 22.0.16.** Suppose  $M, N$  are smooth manifolds with dimension  $m, n$ ,  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is a smooth map with constant rank  $r$ , then a level set  $S = f^{-1}(c)$  is an embedded submanifold in  $M$  of codimension  $r$  with  $f|_S$  being a proper map

**Proposition 22.0.17.** Let  $G$  be a Lie group,  $M, N$  be smooth manifolds with a  $G$  action, and  $G$  acts transitively on  $M$ , for any equivariant map  $f : M \rightarrow N$ ,  $f$  has constant rank

*Proof.* For any  $x \in M$ , denote  $y = f(x)$ , it suffices to show  $\text{rank}(df)_x = \text{rank}(df)_{gx}$  since  $G$  acts transitively on  $M$ , note that  $f(gx) = gf(x)$ , thus  $fL_g = L_gf$ ,  $(df)_{gx}(dL_g)_x = d(L_g)_y(df)_x$ , and group actions are isomorphisms, we have  $\text{rank}(df)_x = \text{rank}(df)_{gx}$  □

**Part VIII**

**Differential geometry**



## Chapter 23

# Riemannian manifold

### 23.1 Differential geometry of surfaces

**Definition 23.1.1.** A **differentiable surface** is an embedding  $S \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$

**Lemma 23.1.2.**  $\gamma(t)$  is a geodesic iff  $\ddot{\gamma}$  is parallel to the normal  $\vec{n}$ , meaning no acceleration in  $S$

A geodesic  $\gamma$  on  $S$  has constant speed

The geodesic curvature of a curve  $\gamma$  is the curvature of the projection onto tangent plane,  $\gamma$  is a geodesic iff the geodesic curvature of  $\gamma$  is zero

*Proof.*  $\frac{d}{dt}|\dot{\gamma}|^2 = 2\ddot{\gamma} \cdot \dot{\gamma} = 0$

□

## 23.2 Curvature

**Definition 23.2.1.** A **Riemannian manifold** is  $(M, g)$  where  $M$  is a smooth manifold and **Riemannian metric**  $g_p : S^2(T_p M) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a positive definite

**Definition 23.2.2.** An **affine connection** is

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla : \Gamma(TM) \otimes \Gamma(TM) &\rightarrow \Gamma(TM) \\ (X, Y) &\mapsto \nabla_X Y \end{aligned}$$

satisfying

- $\nabla_f X Y = f \nabla_X Y$ , i.e.  $\nabla$  is  $C^\infty(M, \mathbb{R})$  linear in the first variable
- $\nabla_X(fY) = XfY + f\nabla_X Y$ , i.e.  $\nabla$  satisfies Leibniz rule in the second variable

From this we can define covariant derivative  $\nabla$ ,  $\nabla_X f = Xf$ ,  $\nabla_X(\alpha)(Y) = \nabla_X(\alpha(Y)) - \alpha(\nabla_X Y)$ , here  $\alpha$  is a covector, similarly for any tensor, Write contraction  $(\nabla T)(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m, X_1, \dots, X_n, X) = (\nabla_X T)(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m, X_1, \dots, X_n)$ ,  $T$  is a tensor

*Note.*  $\nabla_X(\alpha(Y)) = \nabla_X(\alpha)(Y) + \alpha(\nabla_X Y)$

**Definition 23.2.3.**  $\nabla$  is an affine connection, the **torsion tensor** is

$$T(X, Y) = \nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X - [X, Y]$$

**Definition 23.2.4.** The Levi-Civita connection  $\nabla$  is the one satisfying

- $\nabla_Z g(X, Y) = g(\nabla_Z X, Y) + g(X, \nabla_Z Y)$ , i.e.  $\nabla g = 0$
- $\nabla_X Y - \nabla_Y X = [X, Y]$ , i.e.  $\nabla$  is torsion free

**Definition 23.2.5.**  $\nabla$  is the Levi-Civita connection, the Riemannian curvature tensor is  $R_{XY} = [\nabla_X, \nabla_Y] - \nabla_{[X, Y]}$

**Remark 23.2.6.**  $X, Y$  are commuting vector fields around  $x_0$ , then  $\frac{d}{ds} \frac{d}{dt} \tau_{sX}^{-1} \tau_{tY}^{-1} \tau_{sX} \tau_{tY} Z = R_{XY} Z$ ,  $\tau$  is the parallel transport

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \xrightarrow{\tau_{sX}} & \\ \tau_{sY} \uparrow & \square & \downarrow \tau_{sY}^{-1} \\ & \xleftarrow{\tau_{sX}^{-1}} & \end{array}$$

**Proposition 23.2.7.**

1.  $R_{YX} = -R_{XY}$
2.  $(R_{XY} Z, W) = -(R_{XY} W, Z)$
3.  $R_{XY} Z + R_{YZ} X + R_{ZX} Y = 0$
- 4.

The **second Bianchi identity** follows

$$\nabla_X R_{YZ} + \nabla_Y R_{ZX} + \nabla_Z R_{XY} = 0$$

**Remark 23.2.8.** If write  $(R_{XY} Z, W) = R(X, Y, Z, W)$ , then  $R$  is antisymmetric about the first two variables and the last two variables,  $R$  satisfies Jacobi identity, the first two and the last two variables can switch place



*Proof.*

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
4. Follow from above

□

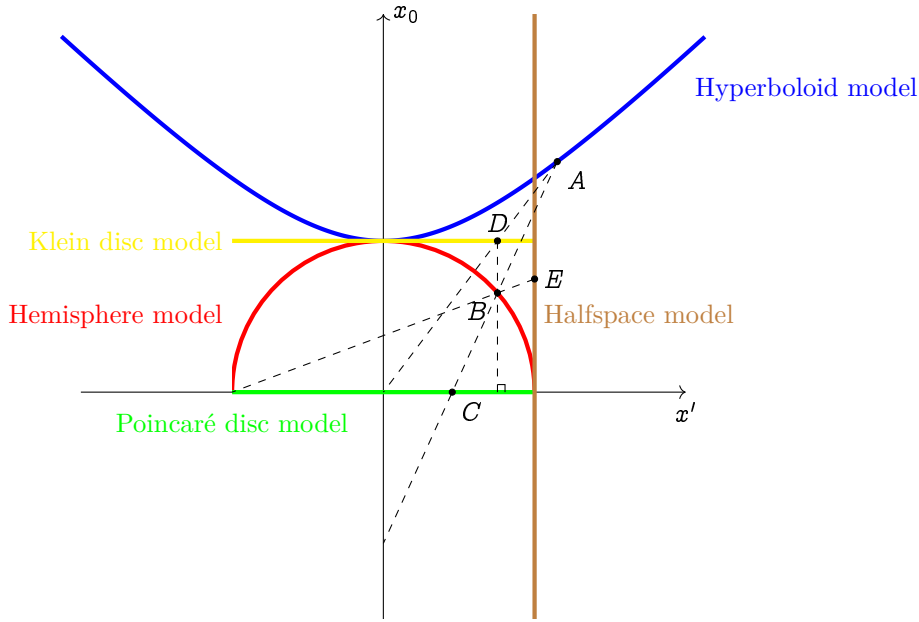
**Definition 23.2.9.**  $\{e_i\}$  is an orthonormal basis, the **Ricci curvature** is  $\text{Ric}(X) = \sum R_{X, e_i} e_i$ . The **scalar curvature** is  $S = \text{Tr Ric} = \sum (\text{Ric}(e_j), e_j) = \sum (R_{e_j, e_i} e_i, e_j)$ . The **Einstein curvature** is  $G = R - \frac{1}{2}gS$

### 23.3 Hyperbolic geometry

**Definition 23.3.1.**  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  with metric  $ds^2 = dx_1^2 + \cdots + dx_n^2 - dx_0^2$  is the **Minkowski space**

The **hyperboloid model** is  $\mathbb{H} = \{x_1^2 + \cdots + x_n^2 - x_0^2 = -1, x_0 > 0\}$ . The Riemannian metric is the pullback metric  $ds^2 = dx_1^2 + \cdots + dx_n^2 - dx_0^2$

The geodesics are intersections of  $\mathbb{H}$  and two dimensional subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1}$   $(d \sinh s)^2 + (d \cosh s)^2 = \cosh^2 s ds^2 - \sinh^2 s ds^2 = ds^2$ , thus  $\mathbb{H}^1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{E}^1$



$(x', x_n) \mapsto \left( \frac{2x'}{1+x_n}, 1 \right)$ ,  $x' = (x_0, \dots, x_{n-1})$  is the isometry from the hemisphere to the halfspace

$(x', 1) \mapsto \left( \frac{4x'}{4+|x'|^2}, \frac{4-|x'|^2}{4+|x'|^2} \right)$ ,  $x' = (x_0, \dots, x_{n-1})$  is the isometry from the halfspace to the hemisphere

$x \mapsto \left( \frac{x'}{1+x_0} \right)$ ,  $x' = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  is the isometry from the hemisphere to Poincaré disc

$x \mapsto \left( \frac{2x}{1-|x|^2}, \frac{1+|x|^2}{1-|x|^2} \right)$  is the isometry from Poincaré disc to the hyperboloid

$x \mapsto (1, x')$ ,  $x' = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  is the isometry from the hemisphere to Klein disc

$x \mapsto \left( \frac{x'}{x_0}, \frac{1}{x_0} \right)$ ,  $x' = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  is the isometry from the hyperboloid to the hemisphere

$x \mapsto \left( \frac{x'}{x_0}, \frac{1}{x_0} \right)$ ,  $x' = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  is the isometry from the hemisphere to the hyperboloid

The **hemisphere model** is  $\mathbb{H} = \{x_0 > 0\} \cap S^n$ . The Riemannian metric is pullback metric

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left[ d \left( \frac{x_i}{x_n} \right) \right]^2 - \left[ d \left( \frac{1}{x_n} \right) \right]^2 &= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left( \frac{x_0 dx_i - x_i dx_0}{x_0^2} \right)^2 - \left( -\frac{dx_0}{x_0^2} \right)^2 \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{x_0^2 dx_i^2 - 2x_i x_0 dx_i dx_0 + x_i^2 dx_0^2}{x_0^4} - \frac{dx_0^2}{x_0^4} \\
&= \frac{dx'^2}{x_0^2} - \frac{d(|x'|^2)d(x_0^2)}{2x_0^4} + \frac{|x'|^2 dx_0^2 - dx_0^2}{x_0^4} \\
&= \frac{dx'^2}{x_0^2} - \frac{d(1 - x_0^2)d(x_0^2)}{2x_0^4} - \frac{dx_0^2}{x_0^2} \\
&= \frac{dx'^2}{x_0^2} + \frac{2dx_0^2}{x_0^2} - \frac{dx_0^2}{x_0^2} \\
&= \frac{dx'^2 + dx_0^2}{x_0^2}
\end{aligned}$$

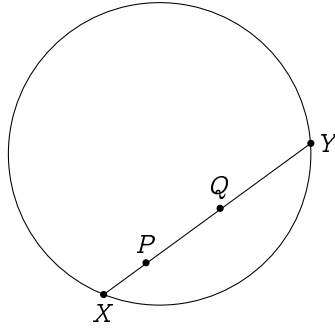
The **half space model** is  $\mathbb{H} = \{x_0 > 0\} \cap \{x_n = 1\}$ . The Riemannian metric is pullback metric

$$\begin{aligned}
&\frac{\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d \left( \frac{4x_i}{4 + |x'|^2} \right)^2 + d \left( \frac{4 - |x'|^2}{4 + |x'|^2} \right)^2}{\left( \frac{4x_0}{4 + |x'|^2} \right)^2} \stackrel{X=4+|x'|^2}{=} \frac{\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d \left( \frac{4x_i}{X} \right)^2 + d \left( \frac{8}{X} - 1 \right)^2}{\left( \frac{4x_0}{X} \right)^2} \\
&= \frac{X^2}{x_0^2} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} d \left( \frac{x_i}{X} \right)^2 + 4d \left( \frac{1}{X} \right)^2 \right) \\
&= \frac{X^2}{x_0^2} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \left( \frac{X dx_i - x_i dX}{X^2} \right)^2 + 4 \frac{dX^2}{X^4} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{x_0^2} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{X^2 dx_i^2 + x_i^2 dX^2 - 2X x_i dX dx_i}{X^2} + 4 \frac{dX^2}{X^2} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{x_0^2} \left( dx'^2 + \frac{|x'|^2 dX^2}{X^2} + \frac{4dX^2}{X^2} - \frac{dX d(|x'|^2)}{X} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{x_0^2} \left( dx'^2 + \frac{X dX^2}{X^2} - \frac{dX d(X-4)}{X} \right) \\
&= \frac{dx'^2}{x_0^2}
\end{aligned}$$

The **Poincaré disc model** is  $\mathbb{H} = D^n$ . The Riemannian metric is pullback metric

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i=1}^n d\left(\frac{2x_i}{1-|x|^2}\right)^2 - d\left(\frac{1+|x|^2}{1-|x|^2}\right)^2 &\stackrel{X=1-|x|^2}{=} \sum_{i=1}^n d\left(\frac{2x_i}{X}\right)^2 - d\left(\frac{2}{X} - 1\right)^2 \\
 &= 4 \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{Xdx_i + x_i dX}{X^2}\right)^2 - 4 \left(-\frac{dX}{X^2}\right)^2 \\
 &= 4 \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{X^2 dx_i^2 + x_i^2 dX^2 - 2Xx_i dx_i dX}{X^4} - 4 \frac{dX^2}{X^4} \\
 &= 4 \left( \frac{dx^2}{X^2} + \frac{|x|^2 dX^2}{X^4} - \frac{dX^2}{X^4} - \frac{d(|x|^2)dX}{X^3} \right) \\
 &= 4 \left( \frac{dx^2}{X^2} - \frac{X dX^2}{X^4} - \frac{d(1-X)dX}{X^3} \right) \\
 &= \frac{4dx^2}{X^2} = \frac{4dx^2}{(1-|x|^2)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

The **Klein disc model** is  $\mathbb{H} = D^n$ . The distance between  $P, Q$  is  $\frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \frac{|XQ||PY|}{|XY||PQ|} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \ln(X, P; Q, Y)$ ,  $(X, P; Q, Y)$  is the cross ratio



**Theorem 23.3.2.**  $\text{Isom}(\mathbb{H}^2) = PSL(2, \mathbb{R})$

*Proof.* An isometry sends half circles and orthogonal lines to half circles or orthogonal lines, by Schwarz reflection principle 33.2.3, it can be regarded as an isometry on  $\mathbb{CP}^1$  sending  $\mathbb{RP}^1$  to  $\mathbb{RP}^1$ , then it necessarily has to be in  $PSL(2, \mathbb{R})$   $\square$

**Theorem 23.3.3.**  $\text{Isom}(\mathbb{H}^3) = PSL(2, \mathbb{C}) \ltimes \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \cong SL(2, \mathbb{C})$

*Proof.* Since  $\partial\mathbb{H}^3$  is the Riemann sphere, every isometry on  $\mathbb{H}^3$  restricts to a conformal map on  $\partial\mathbb{H}^3$  because it sends hemispheres and orthogonal planes to hemispheres or orthogonal planes, hence it is a Möbius transformation. On the other hand, Möbius transformations which can all be extended to an isometry on  $\mathbb{H}^3$ , translations  $z \mapsto z + \lambda$  can be extended to  $(z, x_3) \mapsto (z + \lambda, x_3)$ , dilations  $z \mapsto \lambda z$  can be extended to  $(z, x_3) \mapsto (\lambda z, |\lambda|x_3)$ , inversions  $z \mapsto -\frac{1}{\bar{z}}$  can be extended to  $(z, x_3) \mapsto \left( \frac{-\bar{z}}{|z|^2 + x_3^2}, \frac{x_3}{|z|^2 + x_3^2} \right)$ . Therefore the isometry group for  $\mathbb{H}^3$  is  $PSL(2, \mathbb{C}) \ltimes \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \cong SL(2, \mathbb{C})$   $\square$

## Part IX

# Complex geometry



# Chapter 24

## Riemann surface

**Definition 24.0.1.** A **Riemann surface** is a one dimensional complex manifold

**Theorem 24.0.2** (Riemann's removable singularity theorem).  $f$  is holomorphic on  $X \setminus \{a\}$  and bounded near  $a$ , then  $f$  is holomorphic on  $X$

**Theorem 24.0.3** (Principle of analytic continuation).  $X$  is connected,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is holomorphic and  $f \equiv c$  on some nondiscrete subset of  $X$ , then  $f \equiv c$  on  $X$

**Remark 24.0.4.** This does not apply to higher dimensions, for example,  $f(z, w) = z$ , but in higher dimensions, we have Theorem 25.0.1

**Theorem 24.0.5** (Local behaviour of holomorphic maps).  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a nonconstant holomorphic map,  $a \in X$ ,  $f(a) = b \in Y$ . There are local charts  $U \xrightarrow{\phi} \mathbb{C}$ ,  $V \xrightarrow{\psi} \mathbb{C}$  of  $a, b$  such that  $\psi f \phi^{-1} = z^k$  for some  $k \geq 1$

**Remark 24.0.6.** If the **multiplicity**  $k > 1$ ,  $a$  is a **branch point**

**Theorem 24.0.7.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a proper nonconstant holomorphic map between Riemann surfaces, there exists some  $n$  such that  $f$  take every value  $c \in Y$ , counting multiplicities,  $n$  times

**Theorem 24.0.8** (Radó's theorem). A connected Riemann surface is second countable  
Uniformization theorem

**Theorem 24.0.9** (Uniformization theorem). A simply connected Riemann surface is either  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mathbb{P}$  or  $\mathbb{H}^2$





# Chapter 25

## Complex manifold

Identity principle

**Theorem 25.0.1** (Identity principle).  $X$  is connected,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is holomorphic and  $f \equiv c$  on some nonempty open subset of  $X$ , then  $f \equiv c$  on  $X$

**Definition 25.0.2.**  $M$  is a smooth manifold, an **almost complex structure** is  $J : TM \rightarrow TM$  such that  $J^2 = -1_{TM}$

**Example 25.0.3.**  $S^4$  cannot be given an almost complex structure.  $S^6$  can be given an almost complex structure but not a complex structure

A complex manifold always give an almost complex structure by  $J \frac{\partial}{\partial z_i} = i \frac{\partial}{\partial z_i}$ ,  $J \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_i} = -i \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_i}$

**Definition 25.0.4.**  $A$  is a  $(1, 1)$  form, the Nijenhuis tensor is

$$N_A(X, Y) = -A^2[X, Y] + A([AX, Y] + [X, AY]) - [AX, AY]$$

**Theorem 25.0.5** (Newlander-Nirenberg theorem).  $J$  is **integrable** iff  $N_J = 0$ . Meaning there is a unique complex structure which will give  $J$

**Proposition 25.0.6.** Given an almost complex structure, we can find coordinate charts  $(z_1, \dots, z_n, \bar{z}_1, \dots, \bar{z}_n)$  such that  $\text{Span} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial z_i} \right\}$ ,  $\text{Span} \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_i} \right\}$  to be the  $i$  and  $-i$  eigenspaces of  $J$

**Definition 25.0.7.** A **Hermitian manifold**  $M$  is a complex manifold with a **Hermitian metric**  $h = \sum h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz_\alpha \otimes d\bar{z}_\beta$ , where  $h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}}$  is a positive definite Hermitian matrix. This gives a Riemannian metric

$$g = \frac{1}{2}(h + \bar{h}) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \sum h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz_\alpha \otimes d\bar{z}_\beta + \sum h_{\beta\bar{\alpha}} d\bar{z}_\alpha \otimes dz_\beta \right) = \sum h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} (dz_\alpha \otimes d\bar{z}_\beta + d\bar{z}_\beta \otimes dz_\alpha)$$

Also gives **associate  $(1, 1)$  form**

$$\omega = -\frac{h - \bar{h}}{2i} = \frac{i}{2}(h - \bar{h}) = \frac{i}{2} \sum h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} (dz_\alpha \otimes d\bar{z}_\beta - d\bar{z}_\beta \otimes dz_\alpha) = \frac{i}{2} \sum h_{\alpha\bar{\beta}} dz_\alpha \wedge d\bar{z}_\beta$$

**Definition 25.0.8.** A **Kähler manifold**  $M$  is a complex and symplectic manifold with an integrable almost complex structure  $J$  with a Riemannian metric  $g(u, v) = \omega(u, Jv)$



## Chapter 26

# Symplectic manifold

**Definition 26.0.1.**  $M$  is a smooth manifold, a **symplectic structure** on  $M$  is a 2 form  $\omega$  that is nondegenerate and anti-symmetric on  $T_p M$



**Part X**

**Lie group**



# Chapter 27

## Topological group

**Definition 27.0.1.**  $G$  is a **topological group** if it is a group and a topological space so that the group multiplication  $G \times G \rightarrow G$  and the inverse map  $G \rightarrow G$  are continuous maps

**Definition 27.0.2.**  $f : G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}$  is a continuous function,  $L_y f(x) = f(y^{-1}x)$ ,  $R_y f(x) = f(xy)$ ,  $L_{yz} = L_y L_z$ ,  $R_{yz} = R_y R_z$ ,  $f$  is called left/right uniformly continuous if  $\forall \varepsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists V \ni e$  such that  $\|L_y f - f\| < \varepsilon / \|R_y f - f\| < \varepsilon$ ,  $\forall y \in V$ ,  $\|\cdot\|$  is the supremum norm

**Proposition 27.0.3.** If  $f \in C_c(G)$ , then  $f$  is both left and right uniformly continuous

*Proof.* Easy proof by a very standard analysis argument □

**Definition 27.0.4.** If  $f$  is a Borel measurable function on  $G$ , then  $f$  factor through  $G/H$ , otherwise suppose  $f(y) \neq f(z)$ ,  $y, z \in xH$ ,  $f^{-1}(f(y)) \cap xH \subsetneq xH$  is a Borel set which is impossible, because then  $x^{-1}f^{-1}(f(y)) \cap H \subsetneq H$  will also be a Borel set, consider  $\Gamma = \{S \in \mathcal{P}|H \subseteq H \text{ or } H \cap S = \emptyset\}$ , then  $\Gamma$  is a sigma algebra containing all open sets hence Borel algebra, we reached a contradiction

Thus for most purposes one may as well work with  $G/H$  which is Hausdorff ( $L^p$  spaces for instance, mod almost everywhere vanishing function)

For a locally compact Hausdorff group, A Borel measure  $\mu$  on  $G$  is called left/right invariant if  $\mu(xE) = \mu(E)/\mu(Ex) = \mu(E)$ ,  $x \in G, E \in \mathcal{B}(G)$

A linear functional  $I$  is left/right invariant if  $I(L_x f) = I(f)/I(R_x f) = I(f)$

A left/right Haar measure on  $G$  is a left/right invariant Radon measure  $\mu$  on  $G$ , for example, Lebesgue measure on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , counting measure on  $G$  with discrete topology

**Example 27.0.5.** Continuous bijective group homomorphism doesn't imply homeomorphism, which is really obvious, by taking the identity map and a discrete topology on the topological group  $G$

**Definition 27.0.6.** Let  $G$  be a topological group, then a 1-parameter subgroup means a continuous group homomorphism  $\varphi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$ ,  $\varphi(s+t) = \varphi(s)\varphi(t)$ , in the case of a Lie group,  $\varphi$  is required to be smooth

**Definition 27.0.7.** Suppose  $G$  is a connected, locally pathconnected and (semi-)locally simply connected topological space, then it has a universal cover  $\tilde{G}$  which is unique up to an isomorphism, a connected Lie group certain satisfies this

**Proposition 27.0.8.** Denote  $\pi : \tilde{G} \rightarrow G$  as the covering map, let  $\bar{G}$  be the set of maps  $T : \tilde{G} \rightarrow \tilde{G}$ , such that  $\pi(Tx) = g(\pi x)$  for some  $g \in G$ , i.e. the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tilde{G} & \xrightarrow{T} & \tilde{G} \\ \downarrow \pi & & \downarrow \pi \\ G & \xrightarrow{g} & G \end{array}$$

Then  $\tilde{G}$  which is a group acts transitively and freely on  $\tilde{G}$ , thus we can think of the universal cover  $\tilde{G}$  also as a topological group

*Proof.* Given  $x, y \in \tilde{G}$ , there is a unique  $g \in G$  such that  $g(\pi x) = \pi y$ , since  $\tilde{G}$  is the universal cover, there is a unique lift such that  $T(x) = y$ , thus the action is free and transitive  $\square$



## Chapter 28

# Algebraic group

**Definition 28.0.1.** An **algebraic group**  $G$  is a group and an algebraic variety such that multiplication and inverse are morphisms, if  $G$  is an affine algebraic variety, then it is called a **linear algebraic group** or **affine algebraic group**.  $\mathbb{F}$  group means linear algebraic group over  $\mathbb{F}$



# Chapter 29

## Lie group

### 29.1 Lie groups

**Definition 29.1.1.** A **real Lie group**  $G$  is a group and a smooth manifold such that multiplication  $G \times G \rightarrow G$  and inverse  $G \rightarrow G$  are smooth

A **complex Lie group** is a group and complex manifold such that multiplication and inverse are holomorphic

a Lie subgroup  $H$  is a subgroup and an immersed submanifold

**Definition 29.1.2.** Left multiplication  $L_g$  by  $g$  is an isomorphism, a vector field  $X$  on  $G$  is called **left invariant** if  $(L_g)_*X = X$ , by Exercise 50.0.5,  $[X, Y]$  is also left invariant since  $(L_g)_*[X, Y] = [(L_g)_*X, (L_g)_*Y] = [X, Y]$

Define **Lie algebra of  $G$**  to be left invariant vector fields. Equivalently,  $T_1G$

If  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  is a homomorphism of Lie groups, then  $d\phi : \text{Lie}(G) \rightarrow \text{Lie}(H)$  or  $(d\phi)_1 : T_1G \rightarrow T_1H$  is an homomorphism of Lie algebras

Suppose  $H \leq G$  is a Lie subgroup, then  $\text{Lie}(H) = T_1H \leq T_1G$

**Proposition 29.1.3.** Lie groups are parallelizable

*Proof.* For any  $0 \neq X_1 \in T_1G$ , we can define a vector field  $X_g = (L_g)_1X_1$ , this is a nonvanishing global section of the tangent bundle,  $G$  is parallelizable  $\square$

**Definition 29.1.4.** A Lie group representation  $(\rho, V)$  is a Lie group homomorphism  $\rho : G \rightarrow GL(V)$

**Proposition 29.1.5.** Let  $V$  be a complex vector space,  $(\pi, V)$  be a Lie group representation of a compact Lie group  $G$ , then there exists a positive definite Hermitian form such that  $(\pi, V)$  is unitary

*Proof.* Choose any positive definite Hermitian form  $\langle, \rangle$ , define Hermitian form

$$(v, w) := \int_G \langle \pi(g)v, \pi(g)w \rangle d\mu$$

Where  $\mu$  is the Haar measure with  $\int_G d\mu = 1$ , integrals make sense since  $G$  is compact, then  $(,)$  is  $G$  left invariant  $\square$

**Definition 29.1.6.** Lie group  $G$  acts on smooth manifold  $M$ ,  $G_p$  is the stablizer of  $p$ . The **isotropy representation** is  $G_p \rightarrow GL(T_pM)$ ,  $g \mapsto d_pg$

## 29.2 Exponential map

**Lemma 29.2.1.** The exponential map  $e^A = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{A^k}{k!}$  is defined on  $M_n(\mathbb{C})$  and logarithmic map

$\log A = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k+1}(A-I)^k}{k}$  are defined on  $|A-I| < 1$  and there inverses to each other locally, moreover, the exponential map is surjective onto  $GL(n, \mathbb{C})$

**Remark 29.2.2.** Note that this also holds for a Banach algebra  $A$

*Proof.* Just compare the coefficients of multiplication of series □

$$AV \leq V \iff e^t AV \leq V$$

**Lemma 29.2.3.** Let  $e^{tA}$  be a one parameter subgroup, then  $V \leq \mathbb{R}^n$  is invariant under  $A$  iff invariant under  $e^{tA}$ ,  $\forall t$ , in particular,  $Av = 0$  iff  $e^{tA}v = 0, \forall t$

*Proof.* If  $AV \subseteq V$ , then  $e^{tA}V = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} t^k \frac{A^k}{k!} V \subseteq V$

If  $e^{tA}V \subseteq V, \forall t$ , since  $V$  is closed,  $\left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} e^{tA}V = AV \subseteq V$  □

**Proposition 29.2.4.** Observe that  $v'(t) = Av(t)$  with  $v(0) = v_0$  has the solution  $v(t) = e^{tA}v_0$ . Consider  $V_m$  to be the vector space of homogeneous polynomials in  $n$  variables of degree  $m$ , define group action of  $GL(n, \mathbb{C})$  on  $V_m$ ,  $g \cdot f(x) := f(g^{-1}x)$ , consider  $v(t) = e^{tA} \cdot f := f(e^{-tA}x)$ , then  $v'(t) = \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(e^{-tA}x) =: D_A f$ , where  $D_A$  is a linear differential operator  $V_m \rightarrow V_m$  by Lemma 29.2.3, then we should have  $f(e^{-tA}x) = v(t) = e^{tD_A}f$ , therefore we would get  $D_A = -A^T$ , and it will be easy to check that  $D_{[A,B]} = [D_A, D_B]$

*Proof.* If we denote  $g = (g_{ij}) \in GL(n, \mathbb{C})$ ,  $f(x) = \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_n} C_{i_1, \dots, i_n} x_1^{i_1} \cdots x_n^{i_n}$ , then  $f(g^{-1}x) =$

$\sum_{i_1, \dots, i_n} C_{i_1, \dots, i_n} (g_{11}x_1 + \cdots + g_{1n}x_n)^{i_1} \cdots (g_{n1}x_1 + \cdots + g_{nn}x_n)^{i_n}$  is still a homogeneous polynomial in  $n$  variables of degree  $m$

Denote  $A = (a_{ij})$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} f(e^{-tA}x) &= \nabla f(x) \cdot \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} e^{-tA}x \\ &= -\nabla f(x) \cdot Ax \\ &= -\sum_{i,j} a_{ij} x_j \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} \\ &= \left( -\sum_{i,j} a_{ij} x_j \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \right) f \\ &= (-\nabla^T Ax) f \\ &= D_A f \end{aligned}$$

In particular,  $D_A x_i = -\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j$ , thus  $D_A$  has matrix  $-A^T$  with respect to  $x_1, \dots, x_n$ , basis of  $V_1$  □

**Example 29.2.5.** Consider Lie group  $SL(2, \mathbb{C})$  whose Lie algebra is  $\mathfrak{sl}(2, \mathbb{C})$ , which is generated by  $H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $Y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , thus  $D_H = -x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} + x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}$ ,  $D_X = -x_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}$ ,  $D_Y = -x_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}$

**Definition 29.2.6.** Let  $G$  be a (Lie) group, then a 1-parameter subgroup means a (smooth) group homomorphism  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$ ,  $\phi(s+t) = \phi(s)\phi(t)$

Lie group homomorphism induce Lie algebra homomorphism

**Proposition 29.2.7.** Let  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  be a homomorphism of Lie groups, then  $d\phi : \text{Lie}(G) \rightarrow \text{Lie}(H)$  or  $(d\phi)_1 : T_1G \rightarrow T_1H$  is an homomorphism of Lie algebras

*Proof.* Suppose  $X$  is a left invariant vector field on  $G$ , then  $(d\phi)_g X_g = (d\phi)_g(dL_g)_1 X_1(f) = X_1(f \circ \phi \circ L_g) = X_1(f \circ \phi \circ L_g) = (dL_{\phi(g)})_1(d\phi)_1 X_1(f)$  which gives a left invariant vector field, thus using Lemma 50.0.4

$$\begin{aligned} (d\phi)[X, Y](f) &= [X, Y](f \circ \phi) \\ &= X(Y(f \circ \phi)) - Y(X(f \circ \phi)) \\ &= X(((d\phi Y)f) \circ \phi) - Y(((d\phi X)f) \circ \phi) \\ &= ((d\phi X)(d\phi Y)f) \circ \phi - ((d\phi Y)(d\phi X)f) \circ \phi \\ &= ([d\phi X, d\phi Y]f) \circ \phi \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $(d\phi)[X, Y] = [(d\phi X), (d\phi Y)]$ ,  $d\phi$  is a Lie algebra homomorphism  $\square$

**Proposition 29.2.8.** One parameter subgroups are precisely the maximal integral curves of the left invariant vector fields starting at 1

**Remark 29.2.9.** There is a one to one correspondence,  $\{\text{One parameter subgroups of } G\} \leftrightarrow \text{Lie}(G) \leftrightarrow T_1G$

*Proof.* Suppose  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is a one parameter subgroup, let  $X_1 = \phi'(0)$ , then we have a left invariant vector field  $X$  on  $G$ , think of  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$  as a left invariant vector field on  $\mathbb{R}$ , thus  $\phi$  as Lie group homomorphism induces  $(d\phi)\frac{\partial}{\partial t}$  which is also a left invariant vector field and  $\phi'(s) = (d\phi)_s \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_s = X_{\phi(s)}$  as in Proposition 29.2.7

Conversely, if  $\phi : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is the maximal integral curve of some left invariant vector field  $X$ , suppose the global flow generated by  $X$  is  $\varphi : G \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$ , then  $\varphi(1, t) = \phi(t)$ ,  $\phi(t+s) = \varphi(1, t+s) = \varphi(\varphi(1, t), s) = \varphi(\phi(t), s)$ , since  $L_{\phi(t)}$  is an isomorphism, thus  $L_{\phi(t)} \circ \phi$  is the maximal integral curve starting at  $\phi(t)$ , thus  $\varphi(\phi(t), s) = \phi(t)\phi(s)$   $\square$

**Definition 29.2.10.** For any  $A \in T_1G$ , define the exponential map  $\exp A := \phi_A(1)$  where  $\phi_A : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G$  is the one parameter subgroup corresponding to  $A$ , also it is easy to see that  $\exp tA := \phi_{tA}(1) = \phi_A(t)$  which is a scaling of the integral curve, and  $\exp(t+s)A = \exp tA \exp sA$  since  $\exp tA$  is a one parameter subgroup, and thus  $(\exp A)^{-1} = \exp(-A)$

**Proposition 29.2.11. (Properties of exponential map)** <sup>Properties of exponential map</sup>

Let  $G, H$  be Lie groups with Lie algebras  $\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{h}$

- (a) The exponential map is a smooth map
- (b)  $(d\exp)_0 : \mathfrak{g} \cong T_0\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow T_1G \cong \mathfrak{g}$  is the identity map, which implies that the exponential map is a local diffeomorphism around 0
- (c) Suppose  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  is a Lie group homomorphism, then the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathfrak{g} & \xrightarrow{(d\phi)_1} & \mathfrak{h} \\ \downarrow \exp & & \downarrow \exp \\ G & \xrightarrow{\phi} & H \end{array}$$

*Proof.*

(a)

(b) For any  $A \in \mathfrak{g}$ , consider  $\gamma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow G, t \mapsto tA$  which is a one parameter subgroup of  $G$ , thus  $A = \gamma'(0) \in T_0G$ , and  $\exp A = \gamma(1) = A$

(c) Define  $\gamma(t) = \phi(\exp tA)$  which is a one parameter subgroup of  $H$  since  $\gamma(t+s) = \phi(\exp(t+s)A) = \phi(\exp tA \exp sA) = \phi(\exp tA)\phi(\exp sA) = \gamma(t)\gamma(s)$ , then  $\gamma'(0) = \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} \phi(\exp tA) = (d\phi)_1 \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} \exp tA = (d\phi)_1 A$ , on the other hand,  $\exp(t(d\phi)_1 A)$  is one parameter subgroup of  $H$  corresponds to  $(d\phi)_1 A = \gamma'(0)$ , thus  $\exp(t(d\phi)_1 A) = \gamma(t) = \phi(\exp tA)$   $\square$

**Proposition 29.2.12.** Let  $G$  be a Lie group and  $H \leq G$  a Lie subgroup, then  $\text{Lie}(H) = \{A \in \text{Lie}(G) | \exp tA \in H, \forall t \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Part XI

Algebraic geometry





# Chapter 30

## Variety

### 30.1 Affine Varieties

**Definition 30.1.1.**  $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n$  is an algebraic set,  $f \in k[V]$

$$D(f) = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in V \mid f(x_1, \dots, x_n) \neq 0\} = V(f)^c$$

form a basis for the Zariski topology on  $V$

$D(f)$  can also be thought of as an algebraic set

$$\{(x_1, \dots, x_n, z) \mid zf(x_1, \dots, x_n) = 0\}$$

The coordinate ring can be written as  $k[V][\frac{1}{f}] = k[V]_f$ , where  $z$  is just replaced by  $\frac{1}{f}$

**Theorem 30.1.2.**  $\sqrt{I} = \bigcap_{P \supseteq I \text{ prime}} P$

Hilbert Nullstellensatz weak form

**Theorem 30.1.3** (Hilbert Nullstellensatz weak form).  $k$  is algebraically closed,  $\mathfrak{m} < k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$  is a maximal ideal, then  $k[x]/\mathfrak{m} \cong k$

**Theorem 30.1.4** (Hilbert Nullstellensatz strong form).  $k$  is algebraically closed,  $I(V(J)) = \sqrt{J}$

*Proof.* Since  $\sqrt{J} = \bigcap_{P \supseteq J \text{ prime}} P$ , suppose  $f \notin P$  for some  $P \supseteq J$ , consider  $\varphi : k[x] \rightarrow k[x]/P \rightarrow A_{\bar{f}} \rightarrow A_{\bar{f}}/\mathfrak{m}$  which is a field, hence  $\ker \varphi$  is a maximal ideal, by Theorem 30.1.3,  $B/\mathfrak{m} \cong k[x]/\ker \varphi \cong k$ , then  $(\varphi(x_1), \dots, \varphi(x_n)) \in V(P) \subseteq V(J)$  but  $f(\varphi(x_1), \dots, \varphi(x_n)) = \varphi(f) \neq 0 \Rightarrow f \notin I(V(J))$   $\square$

**Proposition 30.1.5.** Morphism  $V \xrightarrow{\varphi} W$  induce a ring homomorphism  $k[W] \xrightarrow{\varphi^*} k[V]$ ,  $f \mapsto f \circ \varphi$ , and if  $f(p) = q$ , then  $(\varphi^*)^{-1}(\mathfrak{m}_q) = \mathfrak{m}_p$ , thus conversely, if  $\alpha : k[W] \rightarrow k[V]$  is a ring homomorphism, then  $\alpha^{-1} : \text{Spm} k[V] \rightarrow \text{Spm} k[W]$  is a morphism which can be identified with  $\varphi : V \rightarrow W$ , and  $\varphi^* = \alpha$

**Proposition 30.1.6.** A finite morphism  $V \xrightarrow{\varphi} W$  between affine varieties is quasifinite

*Proof.*  $\varphi(p) = q \Leftrightarrow (\varphi^*)^{-1}(\mathfrak{m}_p) = \mathfrak{m}_q$ ,  $\mathfrak{m}_p \supseteq \varphi^*(\varphi^*)^{-1}(\mathfrak{m}_p) = \varphi^*(\mathfrak{m}_q)$

$$\varphi^{-1}(q) \leftrightarrow \left\{ \text{maximal ideals of } B = \frac{k[W]}{\langle \varphi^*(\mathfrak{m}_q) \rangle} \right\}$$

Since  $k[W]$  is a finite  $k[V]$  algebra, so  $B$  is finite dimensional over  $\frac{k[V]}{\mathfrak{m}_p} \cong k$  By Chinese Remainder theorem 5.2.11,  $B \rightarrow B/\mathfrak{m}_1 \times \dots \times B/\mathfrak{m}_s$  is surjective,  $\dim B \geq s$ , since  $\dim B < \infty$ , hence  $s < \infty$ , thus  $B$  has only finitely many maximal ideals  $\square$

$W \rightarrow V$  dominant  $\Rightarrow k[V] \rightarrow k[W]$  injective

**Proposition 30.1.7.**  $W \xrightarrow{\varphi} V$  is dominant iff  $k[V] \xrightarrow{\varphi} k[W]$  is injective

*Proof.*  $f \in \ker \varphi^* \Leftrightarrow f \circ \varphi = 0$ ,  $\text{im} \varphi$  dense  $\Rightarrow f = 0$ . Conversely,  $\overline{\text{im} \varphi} \subsetneq V \Rightarrow 0 \neq f \in I(\overline{\text{im} \varphi})$   $\square$

**Proposition 30.1.8.** If  $W \xrightarrow{\varphi} V$  is dominant and finite, then  $\varphi$  is surjective

*Proof.* By Proposition 30.1.7,  $k[W]$  is integral over  $k[V]$ , by Theorem 5.2.21, for any  $m_q < k[W]$ , there exists maximal ideal  $n < k[W]$  such that  $n \cap k[V] = m_q$   $\square$

**Corollary 30.1.9.**  $V$  is an algebraic set,  $\dim V = \dim k[V]$ . If  $V$  is irreducible, then  $\dim V = \text{trdeg } k(V)$

**Example 30.1.10.**  $\dim \mathbb{A}^n = \dim k[x_1, \dots, x_n] = \text{trdeg}(k(x_1, \dots, x_n)/k) = n$

**Definition 30.1.11.**  $V$  is an algebraic set, a **regular function** on  $U \subseteq V$  is  $\frac{f}{g}$ ,  $f, g \in k[V]$  such that  $g$  doesn't vanish on  $U$ , i.e. a rational function that is regular on  $U$

## 30.2 Varieties

**Definition 30.2.1.** A **prevariety** is a locally ringed space  $(X, \mathcal{O})$  such that for each  $p \in X$ , there is a open neighborhood  $U \ni p$  such that  $(U, \mathcal{O}|_U)$  is isomorphic to some affine variety  $(V, \mathcal{O}_{\text{spm}V})$

**Definition 30.2.2.** A morphism  $W \xrightarrow{\varphi} V$  is **dominant** if  $\varphi(W)$  is dense

**Definition 30.2.3.** A morphism  $W \xrightarrow{\varphi} V$  is **quasifinite** if  $\varphi^{-1}(p)$  is finite for any  $p \in V$

**Definition 30.2.4.** A morphism  $W \xrightarrow{\varphi} V$  is **finite** if  $k[W]$  is finite  $k[V]$  algebra

**Proposition 30.2.5.** A finite morphism is quasifinite

**Proposition 30.2.6.** A variety is an integral scheme  $X$  over  $k$  such that  $X \rightarrow \text{Spec } k$  is separated and of finite type



# Chapter 31

## Scheme

### 31.1 Affine schemes

**Definition 31.1.1.** An **affine scheme** is a ringed space  $(\operatorname{Spec} R, \mathcal{O}_{\operatorname{Spec} R})$

**Lemma 31.1.2.** The inclusion of  $\operatorname{Spec} k(p) \rightarrow \operatorname{Spec} A$  is given by  $A \rightarrow A_p \rightarrow k(p)$

## 31.2 Schemes

**Definition 31.2.1.** A **scheme** is a ringed space  $(X, \mathcal{O})$  such that for each  $p \in X$ , there is a open neighborhood  $U \ni p$  such that  $(U, \mathcal{O}|_U)$  is isomorphic to some affine scheme  $(\text{Spec } R, \mathcal{O}_{\text{Spec } R})$

**Definition 31.2.2.** We say  $X$  is a scheme over  $Y$  if there is a morphism  $X \rightarrow Y$ ,  $X$  is a scheme over  $R$  if there is a morphism  $X \rightarrow \text{Spec } R$

An  $R$  point is a morphism  $\text{Spec } R \rightarrow X$ , we also write the set of  $R$  points as  $X(R)$ . If  $S$  is a commutative  $R$  algebra, then the set of  $S$  points  $X(S)$  consists of morphisms  $\text{Spec } S \rightarrow X$  over  $\text{Spec } R$

$X(S)$  can also be constructed as the base change  $X_S$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X_S & \longrightarrow & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{Spec } S & \longrightarrow & \text{Spec } R \end{array}$$

**Definition 31.2.3.** A scheme  $X$  is **reduced/integral** if  $\mathcal{O}(U)$  is reduced/integral for any open subset  $U$

**Definition 31.2.4.** A morphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is **separated** if  $\Delta(X)$  is closed,  $\Delta : X \rightarrow X \times_Y X$  is the diagonal

**Definition 31.2.5.** A morphism  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is of **finite type** if  $Y$  has an affine open cover  $Y_i$  such that there is an affine open cover  $X_{ij}$  of  $f^{-1}(Y_i)$  such that  $f|_{X_{ij}} : X_{ij} \rightarrow Y_i$  are of finite type

# Part XII

## Analysis





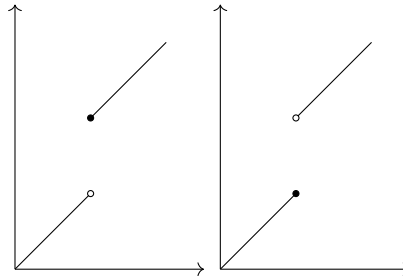
# Chapter 32

## Real analysis

**Definition 32.0.1** (Hyperbolic functions).  $\sin z = \frac{e^{iz} - e^{-iz}}{2i}$ ,  $\cos z = \frac{e^{iz} + e^{-iz}}{2}$   $\sinh z = -i \sin(iz) = \frac{e^z - e^{-z}}{2}$ ,  $\cosh z = \cos(iz) = \frac{e^z + e^{-z}}{2}$

**Definition 32.0.2.**  $X$  is a convex set,  $X \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}$  is **convex** if  $f(tx + (1-t)y) \leq tf(x) + (1-t)f(y)$  for  $0 \leq t \leq 1$  and  $x, y \in X$ ,  $f$  is **strictly convex** if  $f(tx + (1-t)y) < tf(x) + (1-t)f(y)$  for  $0 < t < 1$  and  $x \neq y \in X$ .  $f$  is **concave** if  $-f$  is convex

**Definition 32.0.3.**  $X \xrightarrow{f} [-\infty, \infty]$  is **upper semicontinuous** at  $x$  if for any  $y > f(x)$ , there exists a neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$  such that  $f(U) < y$ , i.e.  $f$  can only jump down at  $x$ . Thus  $X \xrightarrow{f} [-\infty, \infty]$  is upper semicontinuous if  $\{f < a\}$  are open.  $X \xrightarrow{f} [-\infty, \infty]$  is **lower semicontinuous** if  $-f$  is upper semicontinuous, i.e.  $f$  can only jump up



**Lemma 32.0.4.**  $\{f_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in A}$  is a family of upper semicontinuous functions,  $f = \inf_{\alpha \in A} f_\alpha$  is also upper semicontinuous

*Proof.*

$$\{f < a\} = \bigcup_{\alpha \in A} \{f_\alpha < a\}$$

□

**Lemma 32.0.5.**  $f$  is upper semicontinuous,  $K$  is compact, then  $f$  attains maximum over  $K$

**Definition 32.0.6.**  $\Omega \xrightarrow{u} [-\infty, \infty)$  is **harmonic** at  $x \in \Omega$  if  $u$  is continuous at  $x$  and for any ball  $B(x, r)$ ,  $u(x) = \frac{1}{|B(x, r)|} \int_{B(x, r)} u(y) dy$ .  $\Omega \xrightarrow{u} [-\infty, \infty)$  is **subharmonic** at  $x \in \Omega$  if  $u$  is upper semicontinuous at  $x$  and for any ball  $B(x, r)$ , any continuous  $v$  harmonic on  $B(x, r)$ ,  $u \leq v$  on  $\partial B(x, r) \Rightarrow u \leq v$  on  $\overline{B(x, r)}$ .  $\Omega \xrightarrow{u} [-\infty, \infty)$  is **superharmonic** if  $-u$  is subharmonic. Harmonic  $\Leftrightarrow$  subharmonic and superharmonic

**Lemma 32.0.7.**  $\Omega \xrightarrow{u} \mathbb{R}$  is subharmonic,  $\mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R}$  is convex, then  $f \circ u$  is also subharmonic  
 $f$  holomorphic  $\Rightarrow \log|f|$  subharmonic

**Example 32.0.8.** If  $f$  is holomorphic, then  $\log|f|$  is subharmonic



# Chapter 33

## Complex analysis

### 33.1 Complex analysis

**Definition 33.1.1.** A polydisc  $D(z, r) \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$  is  $D(z_1, r_1) \times \cdots \times D(z_n, r_n)$

**Definition 33.1.2** (Wirtinger derivatives).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right), \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)$$

*Note.*

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial z}, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial x}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{\partial y}{\partial \bar{z}} \\ dz \wedge d\bar{z} &= -2i dx \wedge dy \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 33.1.3.**  $f : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is **holomorphic** at  $z_0 \in \Omega$  if  $f'(z)$  exists around  $z_0$ .  $f$  is **univalent** if  $f$  is injective

**Theorem 33.1.4** (Cauchy-Riemann equations). If we write  $z = x + iy$ ,  $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ , then the existence of  $f'(z)$  implies that  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  which give the **Cauchy-Riemann equations**

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} = -\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \end{cases}$$

If  $f$  satisfies Cauchy-Riemann equations around  $z_0$ , then  $f$  is holomorphic at  $z_0$

**Lemma 33.1.5.** A univalent map is a biholomorphism to its image

**Theorem 33.1.6** (Goursat). If  $f$  is holomorphic on  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\bar{T} \subseteq \Omega$  is a triangle, then  $\oint_T f(z) dz = 0$

**Theorem 33.1.7** (Cauchy's integral theorem). If  $f$  is holomorphic on  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\gamma \subseteq \Omega$  is a piecewise  $C^1$  curve, then  $\oint_\gamma f(z) dz = 0$

**Theorem 33.1.8** (Morera's theorem).  $U \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is open, if  $\oint_T f(z) dz = 0$  for any triangle  $T \subseteq U$ , then  $f$  is holomorphic on  $D$

Cauchy-Pompeiu formula

**Theorem 33.1.9** (Cauchy-Pompeiu formula).  $f$  is a complex valued  $C^1$  function on a disc  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ , then

$$f(\zeta) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(z) dz}{z - \zeta} - \frac{1}{\pi} \iint_D \frac{\partial f(z)}{\partial \bar{z}} \frac{dx \wedge dy}{z - \zeta}$$

In particular, if  $f$  is holomorphic, then

$$f(\zeta) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(z)}{z - \zeta} dz$$

*Proof.* Denote  $D_\epsilon = D - B(0, \epsilon)$ , consider

$$\eta = \frac{f(w)dw}{w - z}, d\eta = \frac{\partial f(w)}{\partial \bar{w}} \frac{d\bar{w} \wedge dw}{w - z}$$

By Stokes' theorem

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D_\epsilon} \eta = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{D_\epsilon} d\eta$$

As  $\epsilon \searrow 0$

$$f(\zeta) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \frac{f(w)dw}{w - z} + \frac{1}{2\pi i} \iint_D \frac{\partial f(w)}{\partial \bar{w}} \frac{d\bar{w} \wedge dw}{w - z}$$

□

Osgood's lemma

**Lemma 33.1.10** (Osgood's lemma).  $f$  is continuous on an open subset  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$  and holomorphic on each variable, then  $f$  is holomorphic

*Proof.* For each  $a \in \Omega$ , pick  $P = D(a, r) \subseteq \Omega$ , since  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}_j} \equiv 0$  on  $\Omega$ , fix  $z_2, \dots, z_n$ , then

$$f(w_1, z_2, \dots, z_n) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{|z_1 - a_1| = r_1} \frac{f(z_1, \dots, z_n)}{z_1 - w_1} dz_1$$

For  $w_1 \in D(a_1, r_1)$ , iterate and we get

$$f(w_1, \dots, w_n) = \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^n} \int_{|z_1 - a_1| = r_1} \cdots \int_{|z_n - a_n| = r_n} \frac{f(z_1, \dots, z_n)}{\prod (z_j - w_j)} dz_1 \cdots dz_n$$

For  $w \in P$ . Since  $f$  is continuous, it is bounded on  $\bar{P}$ ,  $\frac{1}{z_j - w_j} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(w_j - a_j)^m}{(z_j - a_j)^{m+1}}$  converges uniformly on compact subsets of  $D(a_j, r_j)$ . Hence  $f(w) = \sum c_\alpha (w - a)^\alpha$ , where

$$c_\alpha = \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^n} \int_{|z_1 - a_1| = r_1} \cdots \int_{|z_n - a_n| = r_n} \frac{f(z)}{\prod (z_j - a_j)^{\alpha_j + 1}} dz_1 \cdots dz_n$$

□

**Corollary 33.1.11** (Cauchy inequality).

Maximum principle

**Theorem 33.1.12** (Maximum principle).

**Theorem 33.1.13.**  $\{f_n\}$  are holomorphic on  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$ ,  $f_n$  are uniformly convergent on each compact subset, then  $f_n$  converges to a holomorphic function  $f$ , and  $D^\alpha f_n \rightarrow D^\alpha f$  on each compact subset

Montel's theorem

**Theorem 33.1.14** (Montel's theorem).  $\mathcal{F} = \{f_n\}$  are holomorphic on  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$  and locally uniformly bounded, i.e. for any  $z_0 \in \Omega$ , there exists a neighborhood  $U$  and  $M$  such that  $\sup_{z \in K} |f_n| \leq M$ , then  $\mathcal{F}$  is normal

Schwarz lemma

**Lemma 33.1.15** (Schwarz lemma).  $f$  is holomorphic on the unit disc  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ,  $f(0) = 0$  and  $|f| \leq 1$  on  $D$ , then  $|f(z)| \leq |z|$  and  $|f'(0)| \leq 1$ , if  $|f(z)| = |z|$  for some nonzero  $z$  or  $|f'(0)| = 1$ , then  $f(z) = az$ ,  $a = f'(0)$

*Proof.* Define  $g(z) = \frac{f(z)}{z}$ , since  $f(0) = 0$ , 0 is a removable singularity, since  $|f(z)| \leq 1$ ,  $|g(z)| \leq 1$  on  $\partial D$ , by maximum principle 33.1.12,  $|g(z)| \leq 1$  on  $D$ , thus  $|f(z)| \leq |z|$  on  $D$  and  $|f'(0)| = |g(0)| \leq 1$ , if  $|f(z)| = |z|$  for some nonzero  $z$  or  $|f'(0)| = 1$ , then  $g$  attains maximum within  $D$ , then  $g \equiv a$  for some  $|a| = 1$ , thus  $f(z) = az$   $\square$

**Corollary 33.1.16.**  $D \xrightarrow{f} D$  is a biholomorphic, then  $f = e^{i\phi} \frac{z-a}{1-\bar{a}z}$  for some  $\phi$  and  $a \in D$

*Proof.* Denote  $\psi_a(z) = \frac{z-a}{1-\bar{a}z}$ ,  $\psi_{-a}$  is the inverse of  $\psi_a$

Assume  $f(a) = 0$ , consider  $g(z) = f \circ \psi_{-a}$ , then  $g(0) = 0$ , by Schwarz lemma 33.1.15,  $g = e^{i\phi}$ ,  $f = g \circ \phi_a = e^{i\psi} \frac{z-a}{1-\bar{a}z}$   $\square$

Lemma for Riemann mapping theorem

**Lemma 33.1.17.** Suppose  $0 \in U \subsetneq D$  is a simply connected open set, there exists  $U \xrightarrow{f} D$  univalent such that  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $|f'(0)| > 1$ . Note that this is impossible if  $U = D$  due to Schwarz lemma 33.1.15

*Proof.* Denote  $\psi_a(z) = \frac{z-a}{1-\bar{a}z}$ ,  $\psi'_a(z) = \frac{1-|a|^2}{(1-\bar{a}z)^2}$ . Consider  $f = \psi_{g(a)} \circ g \circ \psi_{-a}$  with some  $\psi_{-a}(U) \xrightarrow{g} D$  univalent, then  $f(0) = 0$

$$f'(0) = \frac{1-|g(a)|^2}{(1-|g(a)|^2)^2} g'(a)(1-|a|^2) = \frac{1-|a|^2}{1-|g(a)|^2} g'(a)$$

Since  $U$  is simply connected, so is  $\psi_{-a}(U)$  given  $-a \in D \setminus U$ , we can take  $g(z) = \sqrt{z}$  to be one branch, since  $|a| < 1$ , we get

$$|f'(0)| = \frac{1-|a|^2}{1-|a|} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{|a|}} = \frac{1+|a|}{2\sqrt{|a|}} > 1$$

$\square$

Lemma for finding zeros

**Lemma 33.1.18.**  $\varphi$  is holomorphic on  $D$ ,  $f$  is meromorphic on  $D$  and  $f \neq 0$  on  $\partial D$ ,  $a_1, \dots, a_m$  and  $b_1, \dots, b_n$  are the zeros and poles of order  $k_1, \dots, k_m$  and  $l_1, \dots, l_n$  of  $f$  in  $D$ , then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \varphi(z) \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz = \sum_{i=1}^m k_i \varphi(a_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n l_i \varphi(b_i)$$

*Proof.*  $f(z) = g(z) \prod_{i=1}^m (z-z_i)^{q_i}$  with  $g \neq 0$  on  $\bar{D}$ ,  $z_i, q_i$  could be  $a_i, k_i$  or  $b_i, -l_i$  depending on whether it is a zero or a pole, hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \varphi(z) \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \varphi(z) \frac{g'(z) \prod_{i=1}^m (z-z_i) + g(z) \sum_{i=1}^m \prod_{j \neq i} (z-z_j)}{g(z) \prod_{i=1}^m (z-z_i)} dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D} \left[ \frac{\varphi(z)g'(z)}{g(z)} + \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\varphi(z)}{z-z_i} \right] dz \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^m k_i \varphi(a_i) - \sum_{i=1}^n l_i \varphi(b_i) \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

Rouché's theorem

**Theorem 33.1.19** (Rouché's theorem).

Hurwitz's theorem

**Theorem 33.1.20** (Hurwitz's theorem).  $U \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is open connected, holomorphic functions  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly to  $f$  on compact subsets of  $U$  and  $f \not\equiv 0$ ,  $f$  has order  $m$  at  $z_0$ , for  $r$  small enough, there exists  $K$  such that for any  $k \geq K$ ,  $f_k$  has precisely  $m$  zeros in  $B(z_0, r)$ , counting multiplicities, and these zeros converge to  $z_0$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$

**Remark 33.1.21.**  $B(z_0, r)$  can't be arbitrarily large. For example,  $f_n(z) = z - 1 + \frac{1}{n}$  converges uniformly to  $f(z) = z - 1$  on compact subsets,  $f$  has no zeros in the unit disc  $D$ , but  $f_n$  all have zeros in  $D$

*Proof.* For  $r$  small enough,  $f$  doesn't vanish on  $\partial B(z_0, r)$  on which  $|f|$  attains minimum, then apply Rouché's theorem 33.1.19  $\square$

**Corollary 33.1.22.**  $U$  is open connected, univalent maps  $\{f_n\}$  converges to  $f$  on compact subsets, then  $f$  is either univalent or constant

*Proof.* If  $f$  is not a constant and  $f(z_0) = f(w_0) = \zeta$ , then  $f(z) - \xi$  has  $z_0, w_0$  as zeros, by Hurwitz's theorem 33.1.20, there exist  $\{z_k\}, \{w_k\}$  converging to  $z_0, w_0$  such that  $f_{n_k}(z_k) = f_{n_k}(w_k) = \xi$ , but  $f_n$ 's are univalent, hence  $z_k = w_k \Rightarrow z_0 = w_0$ , i.e.  $f$  is univalent  $\square$

Riemann mapping theorem

**Theorem 33.1.23** (Riemann mapping theorem).  $U \subsetneq \mathbb{C}$  is a nonempty simply connected open subset,  $z_0 \in U$ , then there is a unique biholomorphism  $f$  from  $U$  to the unit disc such that  $f(z_0) = 0, f'(z_0) > 0$

*Proof of uniqueness.* Suppose  $U \xrightarrow{f_1, f_2} D$  are biholomorphisms such that  $f_i(z_0) = 0, f'_i(z_0) > 0$ , consider  $g = f_2 f_1^{-1}, g(0) = 0, |g| \leq 1$  on  $D$  and  $g'(0) = \frac{f'_2(z_0)}{f'_1(z_0)} > 0$ , by Schwarz lemma 33.1.15,  $g(z) = z$ , i.e.  $f_1 = f_2$   $\square$

*Proof of existence.* Fix  $a \notin U, z_0 \in U$ . Define

$$\mathcal{F} = \{f \text{ univalent on } U \mid |f| \leq 1, f(z_0) = 0\}$$

Since  $U$  is simply connected, we can pick one branch  $h(z) = \sqrt{z - a}$ , then  $h(U) \cap -h(U) = \emptyset$ ,  $\frac{h(z) - h(z_0)}{h(z) + h(z_0)}$  is univalent and bounded, scale to get some  $f_0 \in \mathcal{F} \Rightarrow \mathcal{F}$  is nonempty

Let  $A = \sup_{f \in \mathcal{F}} |f'(z_0)| > 0, f'_n(z_0) \rightarrow A$  for some  $\{f_n\} \subseteq \mathcal{F}$ , by Montel's theorem 33.1.14,  $f_{n_k}$  converges to  $g$  uniformly on compact subsets, then  $|g| \leq 1, g(z_0) = 0$  and  $0 < A = |g'(z_0)| < \infty$ , according to Hurwitz's theorem 33.1.20,  $g$  is also univalent, i.e.  $g \in \mathcal{F}$  attains maximal derivative at  $z_0$

Suppose  $0 \in g(U) \subsetneq D$ , if not, by Lemma 33.1.17, there exists univalent map  $g(U) \xrightarrow{f} D$  such that  $f(0) = 0, |f'(0)| > 1$ , then  $f \circ g \in \mathcal{F}$ , but  $|(f \circ g)'(z_0)| = |f'(0)g'(z_0)| > |g'(z_0)|$  which is a contradiction  $\square$

**Remark 33.1.24.** Suppose  $f_1, f_2 \in \mathcal{F}$  and  $f_1$  is biholomorphic, then  $g = f_2 f_1^{-1}$  is a map  $D \rightarrow D$ , with  $g(0) = 0$ , according to Schwarz lemma 33.1.15,  $\frac{|f'_2(z_0)|}{|f'_1(z_0)|} = |g'(0)| \leq 1$ , and if  $|f'_2(z)| = |f'_1(z)|, g = e^{i\phi}, f_2$  is also biholomorphic

**Example 33.1.25.**  $U = \mathbb{C} - \{z \geq 0\}$ , then  $h(z) = \sqrt{z}$  maps  $U$  to the upper half plane

**Theorem 33.1.26** (Runge's theorem).  $K \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is compact, then  $\mathbb{C} \setminus K$  is the union of its connected components whereas the components are either bounded or not, denote

Hartogs's extension theorem

**Theorem 33.1.27** (Hartogs's extension theorem). An isolated singularity is always a removable singularity when  $n \geq 2$

*Proof.* It suffices to consider the case  $P = \{|z_1| \leq 1, |z_2| \leq 1\}$  is a polydisc,  $f$  is holomorphic on  $\partial P$ , then  $f$  is holomorphic on  $P$   $\square$

Lemma for Remmert-Stein theorem

**Lemma 33.1.28.**  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$  is connected,  $\Omega \xrightarrow{f} \partial B^n$  is holomorphic, then  $f \equiv \text{const}$

*Proof.* If  $h$  is holomorphic, then  $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}}|h|^2 = |h'|^2$ , hence

$$0 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}}|f|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z \partial \bar{z}}|f_i|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n |f'_i(z)|^2 \Rightarrow f'_i(z) = 0 \Rightarrow f \equiv \text{const}$$

□

**Theorem 33.1.29** (Riemann-Stein).  $U_1 \subseteq \mathbb{C}^{n_1}, U_2 \subseteq \mathbb{C}^{n_2}$  are nonempty connected open subsets,  $B = \{|z| < 1\} \subseteq \mathbb{C}^n$ , then there is no proper holomorphic map  $U_1 \times U_2 \rightarrow B$

*Proof.* Suppose  $f : U_1 \times U_2 \rightarrow B$  is a proper holomorphic map. For any  $(x, y) \in U_1 \times \partial U_2$ , there is a discrete sequence  $\{y_\nu\} \subseteq U_2$  converging to  $y$  as in Exercise 46.2.1, apply Lemma 15.1.31 to  $f(x, y) : \{x\} \times U_2 \rightarrow B$ ,  $\{f(x, y_\nu)\}$  is discrete, thus there exists a subsequence  $\{y_\mu\} \subseteq \{y_\nu\}$  such that  $f(x, y_\mu) \rightarrow f(x, y)$  such that  $f(x, y) = \lim f(x, y_\mu) \in \partial B$ . Then  $f(x, y) : U_1 \times \{y\} \rightarrow \partial B$  is a holomorphic, by Lemma 33.1.28,  $f(x, y)$  is constant on  $U_1 \times \{y\}$ , hence  $U_1 \times \{y\} \subseteq f^{-1}(f(x, y))$  which is noncompact since it has noncompact image under projection to  $U_1$ . This contradicts the fact that  $f$  is proper. □

**Corollary 33.1.30** (Poincaré). The 2 polydisc  $P = \{|z_1| < 1, |z_2| < 1\}$  and the 2 ball  $B = \{|z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 < 1\}$  are not biholomorphic

**Theorem 33.1.31** (Weierstrass preparation theorem).  $f$  is analytic near 0,  $f(0) = 0$ ,  $f(z)$  written as power series around 0 has terms only involve  $z_1$  which can always be achieved by a change of variables as in Exercise 46.2.2, then  $f = wh$ , where  $w(z) = z_1^k + g_{k-1}z^{k-1} + \cdots + g_0$  is a **Weierstrass polynomial**, i.e.  $g_i(z)$  are analytic around 0 and  $g_i(0) = 0$ ,  $h(z)$  is analytic around 0 and  $h(0) \neq 0$

**Theorem 33.1.32** (Weierstrass division theorem). Suppose  $f, g$  are analytic near 0,  $g$  is a Weierstrass polynomial of degree  $k$ , then there exist unique  $h, r$  such that  $f = gh + r$ , where  $r$  is a polynomial of degree less than  $k$

## 33.2 Conformal mapping

**Definition 33.2.1.** A conformal mapping is a map preserves angles and orientation

*Note.* Antiholomorphic map preserves angles but changes orientation

**Definition 33.2.2.** Möbius transformations are  $f(z) = \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$ ,  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$ , Möbius group

acts regularly on  $\mathbb{CP}^1$  and preserves cross ratio  $(z_0, z_1; z_2, z_3) = \frac{(z_2 - z_0)(z_3 - z_1)}{(z_3 - z_0)(z_2 - z_1)}$   
Schwarz reflection principle

**Lemma 33.2.3** (Schwarz reflection principle). If  $f$  is holomorphic on  $\{\operatorname{Im} z > 0\}$  and continuous on  $\{\operatorname{Im} z \geq 0\}$  with real values on  $\operatorname{Im} z = 0$ , then it can be extended to  $\mathbb{C}$  with  $f(\bar{z}) = \overline{f(z)}$  for  $\operatorname{Im} z < 0$



### 33.3 Weierstrass functions

**Definition 33.3.1.**  $\Lambda \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is a lattice

The **Weierstrass  $\sigma$ -function** associated to lattice  $\Lambda$  is

$$\sigma(z) = z \prod_{\omega \in \Lambda^*} \left(1 - \frac{z}{\omega}\right) e^{\frac{z}{\omega} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{z}{\omega}\right)^2}$$

The **Weierstrass  $\wp$ -function** associated to lattice  $\Lambda$  is

$$\wp(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{\omega \in \Lambda^*} \left( \frac{1}{(z + \omega)^2} - \frac{1}{\omega^2} \right)$$

Hence

$$\wp'(z) = - \sum_{\omega \in \Lambda} \frac{2}{(z + \omega)^3}$$

## 33.4 Zeta function

**Theorem 33.4.1** (Euler's reflection formula).  $\Gamma(z)\Gamma(1-z) = \frac{\pi}{\sin(\pi z)}$ ,  $z \notin \mathbb{Z}$

## Chapter 34

# Functional analysis

### 34.1 Topological vector space

**Definition 34.1.1.** A **topological vector space**  $V$  over a topological field  $\mathbb{F}$  is a topological abelian group such that scalar multiplication  $\mathbb{F} \times V \rightarrow V$  is continuous

**Definition 34.1.2.** A **norm** on a group  $G$  is  $G \xrightarrow{\|\cdot\|} \mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$  such that  $\|g\| = 0 \Leftrightarrow g = \text{id}$ ,  $\|g^{-1}\| = \|g\|$ ,  $\|gh\| \leq \|g\| \|h\|$

A **norm** on a rng  $R$  is a normed abelian group such that  $\|rs\| \leq \|r\| \|s\|$

A **norm** on a vector space  $V$  over a normed field is a normed abelian group such that  $\|kv\| \leq \|k\| \|v\|$

**Definition 34.1.3.** A **Banach space** is a complete normed vector space

**Definition 34.1.4.**  $Y$  is a topological vector space,  $T$  is a set,  $\mathcal{G} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(T)$  is a directed set by inclusion,  $\mathcal{N}$  is a local base around  $0 \in Y$ . The **topology of uniform convergence** on sets in  $\mathcal{G}$  or  $\mathcal{G}$  **topology** is the unique translation invariant topology given by basis

$$U(G, N) = \{f \in Y^T \mid G \in \mathcal{G}, N \in \mathcal{N}, f(G) \subseteq N\}$$

**Example 34.1.5.**  $\mathcal{G}$  is the set of compact subspaces,  $Y$  is a metric space

## 34.2 Arzela-Ascoli theorem

**Definition 34.2.1.** Let  $X, Y$  be a topological spaces, a family of continuous functions  $A \subseteq Y^X$  is equicontinuous at  $x \in X$ , if for any open neighborhood  $V$  of  $y = f(x)$ , there is an open neighborhood  $U$  of  $x$  such that  $f(U) \subseteq V, \forall f \in A$

**Definition 34.2.2.** A topological space  $X$  is called separable if  $X$  has a countable dense subset

Arzela-Ascoli theorem

**Theorem 34.2.3.** Let  $X$  be a topological space and  $Y$  be a complete metric space,  $A \subseteq Y^X$  be a family of equicontinuous functions (meaning pointwise equicontinuous). If  $X$  is compact, and  $A_x := \{f(x) | f \in A\} \subseteq Y$  is relatively compact for any  $x \in X$ , then  $A$  is relatively compact in  $Y^X$ . If  $X$  is separable with  $S$  being a countable dense subset, and  $A_x$  is relatively compact for any  $x \in S$ , then any sequence  $\{f_n\}$  has a subsequence  $\{f_{n_k}\}$  converges uniformly on any compact subset of  $X$

### 34.3 Baire category theorem

**Definition 34.3.1.** A topological space  $X$  is a **Baire space** if for any countable open dense subsets  $\{U_i\}$ ,  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i$  is also dense

Baire category theorem

**Theorem 34.3.2** (Baire category theorem). Every complete metric space  $X$  is a Baire space

*Proof.* Let  $\{U_i\}$  be a countable open dense subsets, suppose  $\bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i$  is not dense, then the complement of its closure is open nonempty, suppose  $B(x, r)$  is in the complement of the closure, since  $U_1$  is dense,  $U_1 \cap B(x, r) \neq \emptyset$ , then there exists  $\overline{B(x_1, r_1)} \subseteq U_1 \cap B(x, r)$ , similarly, we can find  $\overline{B(x_n, r_n)} \subseteq U_n \cap B(x_{n-1}, r_{n-1})$ , and we can also assume  $r_i \rightarrow 0$ , thus  $x_i \rightarrow y \in X$  since  $X$  is complete, but  $y \in B(x, r) \bigcap \bigcap_{i=1}^{\infty} U_i = \emptyset$  which is a contradiction □

## 34.4 Distribution

**Definition 34.4.1.**  $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  open,  $\mathcal{D}(U) = C_c^\infty(U)$  is the **test function space**,  $\{\phi_i\} \subseteq \mathcal{D}(U)$  converges if there exists  $K \subseteq U$  compact such that  $\text{supp}\phi_i \subseteq K$  and  $\partial^\alpha \phi_i$  converges uniformly

## 34.5 Banach algebra

**Definition 34.5.1.** A **Banach algebra** is an associative algebra  $A$  which is a complete normed ring such that  $\|rs\| \leq \|r\|\|s\|$ .  $A$  is **unital** if  $A$  is a ring with identity element having norm 1

**Definition 34.5.2.** A **\*-algebra** is a Banach algebra over  $\mathbb{C}$  such that there is an antilinear involution  $*$  :  $A \rightarrow A$ , such that  $(xy)^* = y^*x^*$ .  $A$  is a  **$C^*$ -algebra** if  $\|x^*x\| = \|x\|^2$

**Example 34.5.3.**  $X$  is locally compact,  $C_0(X)$  are the continuous functions vanishes at infinity, then  $C_0(X)$  is a Banach algebra with the supremum norm,  $C_0(X)$  is unital if  $X$  is compact with 1 being the identity.  $C_0(X)$  is a  $C^*$ -algebra with complex conjugation as the involution

**Definition 34.5.4.**  $A$  is a unital Banach algebra over  $\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$ ,  $e^x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$  defines the **exponential**

$$\|e^x\| = \left\| \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} \right\| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left\| \frac{x^k}{k!} \right\| \leq \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\|x\|^k}{k!} = e^{\|x\|}$$

The **logarithm**  $\log x = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k+1}(x-1)^k}{k}$  is defined on  $\|x-1\| < 1$

**Lemma 34.5.5.**  $e^x$  and  $\log x$  are inverses to each other locally

**Proposition 34.5.6.**  $A$  is a Banach algebra, linear map  $D : A \rightarrow A$  is a derivation iff  $e^{tD}$  is a group of automorphisms

Lie product formula

**Theorem 34.5.7** (Lie product formula).  $e^{A+B} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( e^{\frac{A}{n}} e^{\frac{B}{n}} \right)^n$

Lie commutator formula

**Theorem 34.5.8** (Lie commutator formula).  $e^{[A,B]} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ e^{\frac{A}{n}}, e^{\frac{B}{n}} \right]^{n^2}$ , the left and right  $[\cdot, \cdot]$  are Lie bracket and commutator

**Lemma 34.5.9.** If  $[X, [X, Y]] = 0$ , then  $e^X e^Y = e^{X+Y+\frac{1}{2}[X,Y]}$

*Proof.* Let  $A(t) = e^{tX} e^{tY} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]}$ ,  $B(t) = e^{t(X+Y)}$ , then  $A(0) = B(0)$ ,  $B'(t) = B(t)(X+Y)$  and

$$A'(t) = e^{tX} X e^{tY} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]} + e^{tX} e^{tY} Y e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]} - e^{tX} e^{tY} t[X, Y] e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]}$$

Since  $[X, [X, Y]] = 0$ ,  $[Y, [X, Y]] = -[Y, [Y, X]] = 0$

$$e^{-tY} X e^{tY} = \text{Ad}_{e^{-tY}}(X) = e^{ad_{-tY}}(X) = X + t[X, Y]$$

$$A'(t) = e^{tX} e^{tY} (X + Y) e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]} = e^{tX} e^{tY} e^{-\frac{t^2}{2}[X,Y]} (X + Y) = A(t)(X + Y)$$

Thus  $A(t), B(t)$  satisfies the same ODE and initial condition,  $A(t) = B(t) \Rightarrow e^X e^Y = A(1) = B(1) = e^{X+Y+\frac{1}{2}[X,Y]}$  □

**Theorem 34.5.10** (Baker-Campbell-Hausdorff formula).  $e^X e^Y = e^Z$  around 0, where  $Z =$

$X + \int_0^1 \psi(e^{ad_X} e^{tad_Y}) dt(Y)$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \psi(x) &= \frac{x \log x}{x-1} \\ &= \frac{\frac{y=1-x}{-y} (1-y) \log(1-y)}{-y} \\ &= (1-y) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{y^{n-1}}{n} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{y^{n-1}}{n} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{y^n}{n} \\ &= 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{y^n}{n+1} - \frac{y^n}{n} \right) \\ &= 1 - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(1-x)^n}{n(n+1)} \end{aligned}$$

The first few terms are

$$e^X e^Y = e^{X+Y + \frac{1}{2}[X,Y] + \frac{1}{12}[X,[X,Y]] + \frac{1}{12}[Y,[Y,X]] + \dots}$$

*Proof.* The Riemann sum  $\sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \frac{1}{m} e^{-\frac{kx}{m}}$  converges to  $\int_0^1 e^{-tx} dt = \frac{1-e^{-x}}{x}$ , thus

$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} e^{-\frac{kx}{m}} = \frac{1-e^{-x}}{x}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} e^{X+tY} &= \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} \left( e^{\frac{X}{m}} e^{\frac{tY}{m}} \right)^m \\ &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{d}{dt} \right|_{t=0} \left( e^{\frac{X}{m}} e^{\frac{tY}{m}} \right)^m \\ &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} e^{\frac{kX}{m}} \frac{Y}{m} e^{\frac{(m-k)X}{m}} \\ &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \frac{1}{m} e^{\frac{kX}{m}} Y e^{-\frac{kX}{m}} e^X \\ &= \left( \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=0}^{m-1} \frac{1}{m} e^{\frac{kad_X}{m}} \right) (Y) e^X \\ &= \frac{e^{ad_X} - 1}{ad_X} (Y) e^X \end{aligned}$$

Let  $e^{Z(t)} = e^X e^{tY}$ ,  $\frac{d}{dt} e^{Z(t)} = \frac{d}{dt} (e^X e^{tY}) = e^X e^{tY} Y = e^{Z(t)} Y$ , but  $\frac{d}{dt} e^{Z(t)} = \left. \frac{d}{ds} \right|_{s=t} e^{Z(s)} =$

$\left. \frac{d}{ds} \right|_{s=t} e^{Z(t)+Z'(t)(s-t)} = \frac{e^{ad_{Z(t)}} - 1}{ad_{Z(t)}} (Z'(t)) e^{Z(t)}$ , hence  $\frac{e^{ad_{Z(t)}} - 1}{ad_{Z(t)}} (Z'(t)) = e^{Z(t)} Y e^{-Z(t)} =$

$Ad_{e^{Z(t)}}(Y) = e^{ad_{Z(t)}}(Y)$ ,  $Z'(t) = \frac{ad_{Z(t)} e^{ad_{Z(t)}}}{e^{ad_{Z(t)}} - 1} (Y)$ , since  $e^{ad_{Z(t)}} = Ad_{e^{Z(t)}} = Ad_{e^X e^{tY}} = e^{ad_X} e^{tad_Y}$

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= Z(1) \\ &= Z(0) + \int_0^1 \frac{ad_{Z(t)} e^{ad_{Z(t)}}}{1 - e^{-ad_{Z(t)}}} (Y) dt \\ &= X + \int_0^1 \frac{e^{ad_X} e^{tad_Y} \log(e^{ad_X} e^{tad_Y})}{e^{ad_X} e^{tad_Y} - 1} dt(Y) \end{aligned}$$



□

## 34.6 Stone-Weierstrass theorem

**Definition 34.6.1.**  $\mathcal{F} = \{f_i\}$  is a family of functions on  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{F}$  **separates points** in  $X$  if for any  $x \neq y \in X$ , some  $f_i$  separates  $x, y$

**Theorem 34.6.2.**  $X$  is compact Hausdorff,  $A \subseteq C(X, \mathbb{R})$  is a unital subalgebra.  $A$  is dense in  $C(X, \mathbb{R})$  with the topology of uniform convergence iff  $A$  separates points

$S \subseteq C(X, \mathbb{C})$  is a unital  $*$ -algebra that separating points, then  $S$  is dense in  $C(X, \mathbb{C})$

Part XIII

Differential equations



## Chapter 35

# Ordinary differential equations

**Theorem 35.0.1.** Linear differential equations  $y'(t) = A(t)y(t) + b(t)$  with initial condition  $y(0) = y_0$ , where  $A, b, y$  are smooth, then there exists unique local solution

*Proof.* Define  $Ty(t) = \int_0^t A(s)y(s) + b(s)ds + y_0$ , note that  $\|Ty(t) - Tz(t)\| = \left\| \int_0^t A(s)(y(s) - z(s))ds \right\| \leq |t| \|A\| \|y - z\|$ , then there exists  $\delta > 0$  such that  $|t| \|A\| < 1, \forall |t| \leq \delta$ , here we use  $\|\cdot\|$  to denote the supremum norm in  $|t| \leq \delta$ , by Banach fixed point theorem, we have a unique local solution  $\square$

**Example 35.0.2.**  $v'(t) = Av(t), v(0) = v_0, A \in M_n(\mathbb{C})$ , the solution is  $v(t) = e^{tA}v_0$  since  $\frac{d}{dt}A^{tA} = Ae^{tA}$

**Theorem 35.0.3. (Picard-Lindelöf theorem)** Suppose  $f(y, t)$  is uniformly Lipschitz continuous in  $y$  and continuous in  $t$ , then the ODE

$$\begin{cases} y'(t) = f(y(t), t) \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$

Has a unique solution  $y(t)$  on  $[-\varepsilon, \varepsilon]$

**Remark 35.0.4.**  $f(y, t)$  is Lipschitz continuous in  $y$  and continuous in  $t$  would imply local uniformly Lipschitz in  $y$  and  $f$  uniformly continuous

When you have a local solution, you can try to extend it to a maximal length, i.e.  $y(t)$  is defined on  $(a, b) \supset [-\varepsilon, \varepsilon]$ , it is open precisely because of the theorem

*Proof.* Define  $Ty(t) = \int_0^t f(y(s), s)ds$ , then  $\|Ty - Tz\| = \left\| \int_0^t f(y(s), s) - f(z(s), s)ds \right\| \leq \left\| C \int_0^t |y(s) - z(s)|ds \right\| \leq C|t| \|y - z\|$ , then there exists  $\varepsilon > 0$  such that  $C|t| < 1, \forall t \in [-\varepsilon, \varepsilon]$ , then by Banach fixed point theorem, we have a unique local solution  $\square$

**Theorem 35.0.5. (Peano existence theorem)** Let  $f(y, t)$  be a continuous function around  $(y_0, 0)$ , then the ODE

$$\begin{cases} y'(t) = f(y(t), t) \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$

Has a local solution  $y(t)$  on  $[-\varepsilon, \varepsilon]$

*Proof.* Say  $|f| \leq M$  around  $(y_0, 0)$ , Define  $\phi_n(t) = \begin{cases} y_0 & , x \leq 0 \\ y_0 + \int_0^t \phi_n \left( s - \frac{\varepsilon}{n} \right) ds & , 0 \leq x \leq \varepsilon \end{cases}$  for  $n \geq 1$

By Arzelà-Ascoli theorem, we know that there is a subsequence  $\phi_{n_k}$  converges on  $[-\varepsilon, \varepsilon]$ , and the limit  $\phi(t)$  satisfies  $\phi(t) = y_0 + \int_0^t \phi_n(s) ds$  which is a local solution to the problem  $\square$

**Remark 35.0.6.** The uniqueness may fail without the Lipschitz condition in  $y$ , for example, consider  $\frac{dy}{dt} = y^{\frac{1}{3}}$ ,  $y(0) = 0$  has solutions  $y(t) = 0$  or  $y(t) = \pm \left(\frac{2}{3}t\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$

## Chapter 36

# Classical partial differential equations

### 36.1 Laplace's equation

## 36.2 Heat equation

**Definition 36.2.1.** The fundamental solution to solution to **heat equation**  $u_t - \Delta u = 0$  is

$$E(x, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{(4\pi t)^{\frac{n}{2}}} e^{-\frac{|x|^2}{4t}} & t > 0 \\ 0 & t \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 36.2.2.**  $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  is open and bounded,  $f \in C_c^1(U \times (0, T])$ , then

$$u(x, t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} E(x - y, t - s) f(s, y) ds dy$$

Satisfies

$$\left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) u(x, t) = f(x, t)$$

Where  $u$  is  $C^1$  in  $t$  and  $C^2$  in  $x$

*Proof.*  $E(x, t)$  is supported in  $t \geq 0$  and  $\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |\nabla_x E(x, t)| dx \leq \frac{C}{\sqrt{t}}$  if  $t > 0$ , so  $\nabla_x E(x, t)$  is integrable near  $(0, 0)$

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_x \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} E(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} E(y, s) \nabla_x f(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} E(y, s) \nabla_x f(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (\nabla E)(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} (\nabla E)(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} E(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} (\nabla E)(y, s) \cdot (\nabla f)(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} (\nabla E)(y, s) \cdot (\nabla f)(x - y, t - s) ds dy \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n+1}} E(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy &= - \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (\nabla E)(y, s) \cdot (\nabla f)(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &\quad + \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} E(y, s) \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &= \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\varepsilon}^{\infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial s} - \Delta_y \right) E(y, s) f(x - y, t - s) ds dy \\ &\quad + \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} E(y, \varepsilon) f(x - y, t - \varepsilon) ds dy \\ &= f(x, t) \end{aligned}$$

Next, let  $u \in C^2(U \times (0, T])$  and  $u_t - \Delta u = 0$ ,  $\chi \in C^\infty$ ,  $\chi(x, t) = 1$  if  $d((x, t), \Gamma_U) \geq 2$ ,  $\chi(x, t) = 0$  if  $d((x, t), \Gamma_U) \leq \varepsilon$  and  $(x, t) \in U \times (0, T]$ , apply the previous argument to  $f(x, t) = \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) (\chi(x, t) u(x, t)) = \left( \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) \chi(x, t) \right) u - 2 \nabla \chi \cdot \nabla u \in C_c^1(U \times (0, T])$ , we get

$$\left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) \left( \chi(x, t) u(x, t) - \int_{-\infty}^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} E(x - y, t - s) f(y, s) \right) = 0$$



And

$$u(x, t)\chi(x, t) - \int_{-\infty}^t E(x - y, t - s)f(y, s)dsdy = 0$$

if  $t = 0$ , so if  $0 \leq t \leq T$

$$\chi(x, t)u(x, t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} E(x - y, t - s) \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \Delta \right) (\chi(y, s)u(y, s))dsdy$$

□

### 36.3 Wave equation

**Definition 36.3.1.** The fundamental solution to **wave equation**  $\square u = \left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \Delta \right) u = 0$  is

$$E(x, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2\pi^{\frac{n-1}{2}}} \chi_+^{\frac{1-n}{2}}(t^2 - |x|^2) & t > 0 \\ 0 & t < 0 \end{cases}$$

**Theorem 36.3.2.**  $f \in C^2(\mathbb{R}^3)$ ,  $u(x, t) = \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\partial B(x, t)} f(y) dS_y = \frac{t}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(x + tw) dS_w$ , then  $u \in C^2(\mathbb{R}^3 \times [0, \infty))$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_{t=0} u(x, t) = f(x)$  and  $\square u = 0$  for  $t > 0$

*Proof.*

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(x + tw) dS_w + \frac{t}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} (w \cdot \nabla) f(x + tw) dS_w \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(x + tw) dS_w + \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\partial B(x, t)} n \cdot \nabla f(y) dS_y \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(x + tw) dS_w + \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{B(x, t)} \Delta f(y) dy \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} (w \cdot \nabla) f(x + tw) dS_w - \frac{1}{4\pi t^2} \int_{B(x, t)} \Delta f(y) dy \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4\pi t} \frac{d}{dt} \int_0^t \int_{S^2} \lambda^2 \Delta f(x + \lambda w) dS_w d\lambda \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi t^2} \int_{B(x, t)} \Delta f(y) dy - \frac{1}{4\pi t^2} \int_{B(x, t)} \Delta f(y) dy \\ &\quad + \frac{t}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} \Delta f(x + \lambda w) dS_w \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\partial B(x, t)} \Delta f(y) dS_y \\ &= \Delta u(x, t) \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 36.3.3.**  $f \in C^2(\mathbb{R}^2)$ , then  $u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{|y| < t} \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2 - |y|^2}} f(x - y) dy$  solves  $\square u = 0$  for  $t > 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $u_t(x, 0) = f$

*Proof.* Consider  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = f(x_1, x_2)$  is independent of  $x_3$ , then  $u(x, t) = \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\partial B(x, t)} f(y) dy = \frac{1}{4\pi t} \int_{\partial B(0, t)} f(x - y) dS_y$

$$\begin{aligned} y_3 &= \pm \sqrt{t^2 - y_1^2 - y_2^2} = \gamma(y), ds = \sqrt{1 + |\nabla \gamma(y)|^2} dy_1 dy_2 = \frac{t}{t^2 - y_1^2 - y_2^2}, \text{ upper + lower hemisphere} \\ &= \frac{2}{4\pi t} \int_{|(y_1, y_2)| < t} f(x - y) \frac{t dy_1 dy_2}{\sqrt{t^2 - |(y_1, y_2)|^2}} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{|y| < t} \frac{1}{\sqrt{t^2 - |y|^2}} f(x - y) dy \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 36.3.4.**  $f \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n \times [0, \infty))$ ,  $u(x, t) = \int_0^t E(\cdot, t - s) * f(\cdot, s) ds$ , then  $\square u = f$ ,  $u(x, 0) = u_t(x, 0) = 0$

*Proof.* Define  $u(x, t, s) = E(\cdot, t - s) * f(\cdot, s) \in C^\infty$  for  $t > s$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(x, t) &= u(x, t, t) + \int_0^t \frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(x, t, s) ds \\ &= \int_0^t \frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(x, t, s) ds\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} u(x, t) &= \int_0^t \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} u(x, t, s) dx + \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_{t=s} u(x, t, s) \\ &= f(x, t) + \int_0^t \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} u(x, t, s) dx\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \Delta\right) u(x, t) = f(x, t) + \int_0^t \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \Delta\right) u(x, t, s) dx$ , the second term is zero for  $s < t$

By the same argument,  $\square \int_{-\infty}^t E(\cdot, t - s) * f(\cdot, s) ds = f(\cdot, t)$ , thus  $\Delta E = \delta_{(x, t)}$  is the fundamental solution  $\square$

1 dim wave equation reflection

**Lemma 36.3.5.** The solution to  $\square u = 0$  in  $t > 0, x > 0$  with  $u(0, t)$  for all  $t > 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $u_t(x, 0) = f(x)$ ,  $f \in C^1([0, \infty))$ ,  $f(0) = 0$  is

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{|t-x|}^{t+x} f(\lambda) d\lambda$$

*Proof.* Define  $\tilde{f} : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\tilde{f}(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & x \geq 0 \\ -f(-x) & x < 0 \end{cases}$  which solves  $\square \tilde{u} = 0$  for  $t > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\tilde{u}(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $\tilde{u}_t(x, 0) = \tilde{f}$ , hence

$$\tilde{u}(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-t}^{x+t} \tilde{f}(\lambda) d\lambda = \frac{1}{2} \int_{|x-t|}^{x+t} f(\lambda) d\lambda$$

$\square$

Laplacian of a spherical symmetric function

**Lemma 36.3.6.**  $f(x) = f(|x|)$  is spherical symmetric in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $(\Delta f)(x) = \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{n-1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r}\right) f$

*Proof.*  $\Delta u$  is characterized by

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \nabla u \cdot \nabla v dx = - \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} v \Delta u, \forall v \in C_c^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

If  $u(x) = u(|x|)$ ,  $v(x) = v(|x|)$

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \nabla u \cdot \nabla v dx &= \int_{S^{n-1}} \int_0^\infty \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \frac{\partial v}{\partial r} dr dS_w \\ &= - \int_{S^{n-1}} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{r^{n-1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^{n-1} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \right) v(r) r^{n-1} dr dS_w \\ &= - \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{1}{r^{n-1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^{n-1} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \right) v(r) dx \\ &= - \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \left( \frac{n-1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} \right) u v(r) dx\end{aligned}$$

Note that  $\frac{1}{r^{n-1}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left( r^{n-1} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} \right) = \frac{n-1}{r} \frac{\partial u}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial r^2}$   $\square$

**Theorem 36.3.7.** The solution to  $\square u = 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}^{3+1}$  with  $u(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $u_t(x, 0) = f(x) = f(|x|)$ ,  $f \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^3)$  is

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2|x|} \int_{t-|x|}^{t+|x|} \lambda f(\lambda) d\lambda$$

*Proof.* By Lemma 36.3.6, when  $n = 3$ ,  $\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r}\right) u = \frac{1}{\partial r} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} (ru)$ , thus if  $\square u = 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}^{3+1}$ ,  $u(x, t) = u(|x|, t)$ , then  $\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} - \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2}\right) (ru(r, t)) = 0$  and  $ru(r, t) = 0$  if  $r = 0$ ,  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \Big|_{t=0} (ru(r, t)) = rf(r)$ , by Lemma 36.3.5,  $ru(r, t) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{|t-r|}^{t+r} \lambda f(\lambda) d\lambda$ . We can check  $u \in C^1$   $\square$

**Theorem 36.3.8** (Energy estimate version 1).  $\square u = 0$  for  $t > 0$ , then the energy  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |u_t|^2 + |\nabla u|^2 dx$  is a constant

**Theorem 36.3.9** (Energy estimate version 2).  $\square u = 0$  in  $U_T = U \times (0, T]$ ,  $u = 0$  on  $\Gamma_U$ ,  $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ , implicitly,  $u_t = 0$  on  $\partial U \times [0, T]$ , then  $\frac{1}{2} \int_U |u_t|^2 + |\nabla u|^2 dx$  is a constant

**Theorem 36.3.10** (Energy estimate version 3).  $C = \{(x, t) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid |x - x_0| \leq |t - t_0|\}$  is the cone,  $D_t = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid |x - x_0| \leq |t - t_0|\}$  is the section at time  $t$ , consider the case  $t < t_0$ , then  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{D_t} |u_t|^2 + |\nabla u|^2 dx$  is decreasing on  $0 \leq t \leq t_0$

## 36.4 Euler-Lagrange equation

### 36.5 Energy momentum tensor

**Definition 36.5.1.**  $\nabla$  is the gradient, write  $\nabla^T \nabla = \nabla \cdot \nabla = \Delta$  is the laplacian,  $\nabla \cdot 1 = \text{div}$  is the divergence,  $\nabla \nabla^T = D^2$  is the Hessian

**Definition 36.5.2.**  $L(z, q) : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is  $C^\infty$ ,  $u$  satisfies Euler-Langrange equation, then

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_x L(u, \nabla u) &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial z} \nabla u + (\nabla \nabla^T u)(\nabla_q L) \\ &= (\nabla_x \cdot \nabla_q L)(\nabla u) + (\nabla \nabla^T u)(\nabla_q L) \\ &= (\nabla^T u \nabla_q L) \nabla_x \end{aligned}$$

**Energy-momentum tensor**  $T_{\alpha\beta} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x^\alpha} \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_\beta} - \delta_{\alpha\beta} L$ ,  $T = \nabla^T u \nabla_q L - L1$ , then  $T \nabla_x = (\nabla^T \nabla_q L) \nabla_x - \nabla_x L = 0$

**Example 36.5.3.**  $u_{tt} - \Delta u + u^3 = 0$ ,  $L(u, \nabla_{x,t} u) = \frac{1}{2}(u_t^2 - |\nabla_x u|^2) - \frac{1}{4}u^4$ ,  $T_{00} = u_t^2 - \left[ \frac{1}{2}(u_t^2 - |\nabla u|^2) - \frac{1}{4}u^4 \right] = \frac{1}{2}(u_t^2 + |\nabla u|^2) + \frac{1}{4}u^4$ ,  $T_{0i} = -u_t \frac{\partial u}{\partial x^i}$ , thus  $0 = (T_{00}, \dots, T_{0n}) \nabla_x = \text{div}(T_{00}, \dots, T_{0n})$

## Part XIV

# Mathematical physics





# Chapter 37

## Special relativity

**Definition 37.0.1** (Galilean group). The **Galilean group** is the group of **Galilean transformations** generated by rotations in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , translations in  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1}$  and **Galilean boosts**  $(x, t) \mapsto (x + tv, t)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} R & v & w \\ 0 & 1 & s \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ t \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Rx + tv + w \\ t + s \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Definition 37.0.2** (Lorentz group). The **Lorentz group** is the group of **Lorentz transformations** generated by rotations in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and **Lorentz boosts**  $(x, t) \mapsto (\sinh sx - \cosh st, \sinh st - \cosh sx)$

**Definition 37.0.3** (Poincaré group). The **Galilean group** is the isometry group of the Minkowski space  $\mathbb{R}^{n+1}$

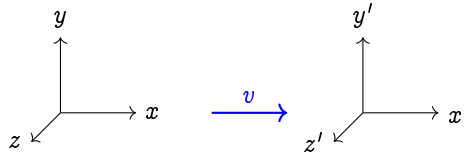
**Definition 37.0.4.**  $(x, ct) \mapsto \left( \gamma(x - vt), \gamma\left(t - \frac{vx}{c^2}\right) \right)$   $\beta = \frac{v}{c}$ ,  $\alpha = \sqrt{1 - \beta^2}$ .  $\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$

is the **Lorentz factor**  $\begin{cases} t' = \gamma\left(t - \frac{vx}{c^2}\right) \\ x' = \gamma(x - vt) \end{cases}$ , where  $(x, t)$  and  $(x', t')$  are the coordinates of two

frames, and frame  $(x', t')$  is moving towards the positive direction of the  $x$  axis with velocity

$v$ , and  $c$  is the speed of light, we can find the inverse transformation  $\begin{cases} t = \gamma\left(t' + \frac{vx'}{c^2}\right) \\ x = \gamma(x' + vt') \end{cases}$

which makes perfect sense since relatively speaking, frame  $(x, t)$  is moving towards the negative direction of the  $x'$  axis with velocity  $v$  or rather moving towards the positive direction of the  $x'$  axis with velocity  $-v$



More generally, if we consider  $(\vec{x}, t), (\vec{x}', t')$  are the coordinates of two frames, with frame  $(\vec{x}', t')$  moving with velocity  $\vec{v}$ , then the Lorentz transformation will be

**Deduction 37.0.5** (Time dilation). A frame moving  $(x', t')$  is at a constant speed  $v$ , then  $\Delta t = \gamma \Delta t'$ . Suppose you are on the train with constant speed  $v$  and height  $h$ , and let light bouncing up and down perpendicularly, then we have

$$2\sqrt{h^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta t}{2}v\right)^2} = c\Delta t, v\Delta t' = h$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta t = \gamma \Delta t'$$

Things happen simultaneously in one frame may not be simultaneous in another frame

**Deduction 37.0.6** (Length contraction). Suppose a train is moving with speed  $v$ , shed a beam light from one end to get to the other end

$A$  in frame  $(x, t)$  send a signal when the left end of train passes,  $B$  in frame  $(x', t')$  on the right end of the train receives and return the signal, suppose the length of the train is  $l'$ , and the length appears to be  $l$  in frame  $(x, t)$ , then it takes time  $\frac{l'}{c}$  for  $B$  to receive the signal in  $(x', t')$ , which takes time  $\frac{l'\gamma}{c}$  in  $(x, t)$ , when  $B$  should be in distance  $l + \frac{vl'\gamma}{c}$  from  $A$  in  $(x, t)$  but distance

$l' + \frac{vl'}{c}$  in  $(x', t')$  which take time  $\frac{l + \frac{vl'\gamma}{c}}{c}$  and  $\frac{l' + \frac{vl'}{c}}{c}$  to get back to  $A$  in  $(x, t)$  and  $(x', t')$ ,

hence we should have  $\frac{l + \frac{vl'\gamma}{c}}{c} = \frac{l' + \frac{vl'}{c}}{c}\gamma \Rightarrow l = \gamma l'$

## Chapter 38

# Maxwell's equations

**Theorem 38.0.1** (Maxwell's equations).



# Part XV

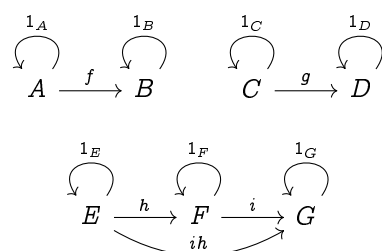
## Examples



## Chapter 39

# Examples in categories

**Example 39.0.1.** The image of a functor is not necessarily a category  
Consider the following categories  $\mathcal{C}$  and  $\mathcal{D}$



Consider functor  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ ,  $F(A) = E$ ,  $F(B) = F$ ,  $F(C) = F$ ,  $F(D) = G$ ,  $F(f) = h$ ,  $F(g) = i$





# Chapter 40

## Examples in algebra

**Example 40.0.1.** Suppose  $1 \mapsto k$  is an element in  $\text{Hom}(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})$ , then  $m \mid kn \Rightarrow \frac{m}{(n, m)}$  divides  $k \frac{n}{(n, m)}$ , thus  $\frac{m}{(n, m)}$  divides  $k$ , thus  $k = \frac{im}{(n, m)}, i = 0, \dots, (n, m) - 1$ , thus  $\text{Hom}(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}/(n, m)\mathbb{Z}$

Consider  $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \otimes \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$ , then  $n(1 \otimes 1) = n \otimes 1 = 0, m(1 \otimes 1) = 1 \otimes m = 0$ , thus  $(n, m)(1 \otimes 1) = (rn + sm)(1 \otimes 1) = 0$

Apply functor  $\text{Hom}(-, \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})$  to short exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times m} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$ , we get a left exact sequence  $\text{Hom}(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times n} \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$

Apply functor  $- \otimes \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$  to short exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times m} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$ , we get a left exact sequence  $\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times n} \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \otimes \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$

And the kernel and cokernel of  $\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\times n} \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$  are both  $\mathbb{Z}/(n, m)\mathbb{Z}$

**Example 40.0.2.**  $\mathbb{Q}/\mathbb{Z} \cong \bigoplus_p \mathbb{Z} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ p \end{bmatrix}$

**Example 40.0.3.**  $O(1, 1) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} \cosh t & \sinh t \\ \sinh t & \cosh t \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

**Example 40.0.4.**  $F$  is a field,  $R = \text{End}(F^\infty) = \{\text{infinite dimensional matrices}\}$ , Consider  $R \hookrightarrow R$  by embedding into odd rows and even rows, we have  $R^2 \cong R$  as right  $R$  modules

**Example 40.0.5.**  $GL(2, \mathbb{F}_2) = SL(2, \mathbb{F}_2) \cong S_3$



# Chapter 41

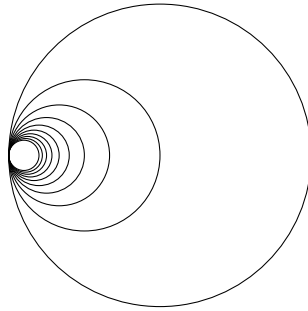
## Examples in algebraic topology

**Example 41.0.1** (A surjective local homeomorphism may not be a covering).  $p : \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow S^1$ , or  $n$  sheeted cover with a point missing,  $p$  is discrete but not proper

**Example 41.0.2** (Bundle with fiber isomorphic to vector space but not a vector bundle).  
 $E := \bigsqcup_{x \in X} \mathbb{R}^n$

**Example 41.0.3.**  $H'_n = H_{k+n}$  also defines a homology theory where the dimension axiom fails Hawaiian earring

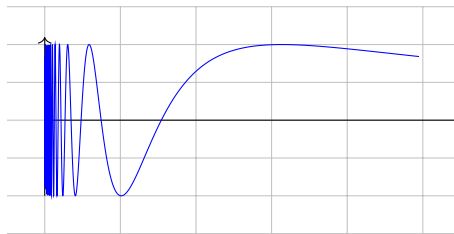
**Example 41.0.4** (Hawaiian earring). The **Hawaiian earring**  $H$  is the union of circles with radius  $\frac{1}{n}$  and centered at  $(\frac{1}{n}, 0)$  with subspace topology in  $\mathbb{R}^2$



**Proposition 41.0.5.** Hawaiian earring is not a CW complex since it is not locally contractible

**Example 41.0.6** (Topologist's sine curve). The **topologist's sine curve** is

$$T = \left\{ \left( x, \sin \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) \right) \mid x \in (0, 1] \right\} \cup \{(0, 0)\}$$



**Proposition 41.0.7.** The topologist's sine curve  $T$  is connected but not path connected

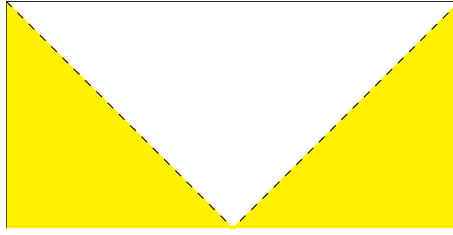
**Example 41.0.8** (Warsaw circle). The **Warsaw circle**  $W$  is the topologist's sine curve enclosed. Bijective map  $W \rightarrow [0, 1)$  is not a homeomorphism, thus not a quotient map.  $W$  is weakly homotopic to a point but not homotopic

**Example 41.0.9.**  $X = \mathbb{N}$  with discrete topology,  $Y = \{0, 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots\}$  with subspace topology of  $\mathbb{R}$ , then  $f : X \rightarrow Y, n \mapsto \frac{1}{n}$  is a weak homotopy equivalence, however,  $X, Y$  are not homotopy equivalent, otherwise suppose  $g : X \rightarrow Y, h : Y \rightarrow X$  such that  $hg \simeq 1_X, gh \simeq 1_Y$ , suppose  $F : Y \times I \rightarrow Y$  is a homotopy, then the restriction of  $F$  on  $\{y\} \times I$  must be a constant map since the connected components of  $Y$  are just points, thus  $F(y, 0) = F(y, 1)$ , i.e. homotopic maps are in fact the same, for a similar argument on  $X$ , we have  $hg = 1_X, gh = 1_Y$ , thus  $h$  is injective which is impossible since  $h^{-1}(h(0))$  consists of more than one point

Cofibration counterexample

**Example 41.0.10.**  $D^2 = S^2 \setminus \{N\} \subseteq S^2$  is not a cofibration.  $D^2 \setminus \{0\} \subseteq D^2$  is not a cofibration  
Mapping cylinder of inclusion may have different topology than induced subspace topology

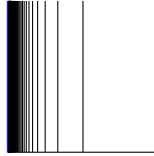
**Example 41.0.11.**  $A = [-1, 0) \cup (0, 1], X = [-1, 1]$ , then the mapping cylinder of the inclusion  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  has different topology from the subspace topology  $X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  induced from  $X \times I$



Nonclosed cofibration

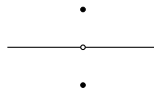
**Example 41.0.12.**  $\{a, b\}$  with trivial topology,  $\{a\} \subseteq \{a, b\}$  is a nonclosed cofibration since there is a retraction  $I \sqcup I \rightarrow I \sqcup \{0\}, (s, t) \mapsto (s, 0)$

**Example 41.0.13.** The comb space is  $[(0, 0), (1, 0)] \cup \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} [(\frac{1}{n}, 0), (\frac{1}{n}, 1)]$



A line with two origins

**Example 41.0.14.** A topological space with a cell decomposition may not be Hausdorff, consider  $(-1, 1)$  with two origins, which has  $(-1, 0), (0, 1)$  as 1 cells and two origins as 0 cells



## Chapter 42

# Examples in geometry

**Definition 42.0.1** ( $\mathcal{O}(n)$  bundle over Riemann sphere  $S^2 \cong \mathbb{CP}^1$ ). Suppose  $(\mathbb{C}, z \mapsto z)$ ,  $(S^2 \setminus 0, z \mapsto \frac{1}{z})$  are the charts coordinate of  $S^2$  with transition map  $z \mapsto \frac{1}{z}$  both ways on  $\mathbb{C} \setminus 0$ , or equivalently

$(U_0, [1, z] \mapsto z)$ ,  $(U_1, [z, 1] \mapsto z)$  are the corresponding charts of  $\mathbb{CP}^1$  with transition map  $z \mapsto \frac{1}{z}$  both ways on  $U_0 \cap U_1$ , namely,  $S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{CP}^1$ ,  $z \mapsto [1, z]$ ,  $\infty \mapsto [0, 1]$  is an isomorphism because of isomorphisms on charts

Now define  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  line bundle on  $S^2$  by specifying transition functions  $g_{10}(z) = z^{-n}$ ,  $g_{01}(z) = z^n$ ,  $\forall z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus 0 \cong U_0 \cap U_1$

**Definition 42.0.2** (Tautological line bundle over Riemann sphere). The tautological bundle is  $\mathcal{O}(-1)$ , tautological bundle is defined as a subspace  $E$  of  $\mathbb{CP}^1 \times \mathbb{C}^2$  consists of  $(l, v)$  with  $v \in l$  projects to the first factor, let's figure out the trivializations!

$\varphi_0 : U_0 \times \mathbb{C}^2 \cap E \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}$ ,  $([1, z], t(1, z)) \mapsto (z, t)$ , and  $\varphi_1 : U_1 \times \mathbb{C}^2 \cap E \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}$ ,  $([z, 1], t(z, 1)) \mapsto (z, t)$ , since  $\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_0^{-1} : (U_0 \cap U_1) \times \mathbb{C}^2 \cap E \rightarrow (U_0 \cap U_1) \times \mathbb{C}^2 \cap E$ ,  $(z, t) \mapsto \left(\frac{1}{z}, zt\right)$ , the transition function  $g_{10}(z) = z$

**Remark 42.0.3.**  $\mathcal{O}(-1)$  doesn't have nonzero global section, suppose  $s$  is a global section of  $\mathcal{O}(-1)$ , then  $s(x) = (x, f(x)) \in E \hookrightarrow \mathbb{CP}^1 \times \mathbb{C}^2$  is holomorphic, but then image of  $s$  has to be a point, and this point must be zero

**Example 42.0.4.** We still use  $U_0, U_1$  to denote coordinate charts,  $\varphi_0, \varphi_1$  to denote corresponding trivializations

Global sections of  $\mathcal{O} = \mathcal{O}(0)$  are exactly holomorphic functions which are just constants, suppose  $s : S^2 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}$  is a section, and  $\varphi_0 \circ s|_{U_0}(z) = (z, f_0(z))$ ,  $\varphi_1 \circ s|_{U_1}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{z}, f_1\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)\right)$ , then we have  $(z, f_1(z)) = \varphi_1 \circ s|_{U_1}(z) = \varphi_1 \circ s|_{U_0}(z) = \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_0^{-1} \circ \varphi_0 \circ s|_{U_0}(z) = \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_0^{-1}(z, f_0(z)) = (z, g_{10}(z)f_0(z))$ ,  $\forall z \in U_0 \cap U_1$ , thus  $f_1(z) = g_{10}(z)f_0(z) = f_0(z)$  which precisely means  $s$  corresponds to holomorphic function  $f$  over  $X$ ,  $f|_{U_0} = f_0$ ,  $f|_{U_1} = f_1$

Let's show that the canonical bundle (which in the case of a Riemann surface is the same as the cotangent bundle) is  $\mathcal{O}(-2)$ , since  $d\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) = -\frac{1}{z^2}dz$ , the transition function would be  $g_{10}(z) = -z^2$ , but using  $dz$  or  $-dz$  as the basis element would be isomorphic

**Proposition 42.0.5.**  $H^0(\mathbb{CP}^1, \mathcal{O}(n))$ , the vector space of global sections of  $\mathcal{O}(n) \rightarrow \mathbb{CP}^1$ ,  $n \geq 0$  generated by homogeneous polynomials  $z_0^n, z_0^{n-1}z_1, \dots, z_0z_1^{n-1}, z_1^n$

*Proof.*  $z_0^k z_1^{n-k}$  have the forms  $z_1^{n-k}$  and  $z_0^k$  in  $U_0$  and  $U_1$  □

**Example 42.0.6** (Line bundles on the projective space  $\mathbb{CP}^n$ ). Suppose  $(U_0, [1, z_1, \dots, z_n] \mapsto (z_1, \dots, z_n))$ ,  $(U_n, [z_0, z_1, \dots, z_{n-1}, 1] \mapsto (z_0, \dots, z_{n-1}))$  be coordi-

nate charts of  $\mathbb{C}P^n$ , with transition map  $U_i \cap U_j \rightarrow U_i \cap U_j, \left( \frac{z_0}{z_i}, \dots, \widehat{\frac{z_i}{z_i}}, \dots, \frac{z_n}{z_i} \right) \mapsto \left( \frac{z_0}{z_j}, \dots, \widehat{\frac{z_j}{z_j}}, \dots, \frac{z_n}{z_j} \right)$ , which is kind of like multiply by  $\frac{z_i}{z_j}$ , then the line bundle  $\mathcal{O}(m)$  is defined by transition function  $g_{ji} = \frac{z_j}{z_i}$  which satisfies the cocycle condition

Similarly, we can check that the tautological bundle  $E = \{(l, v) | v \in l\} \subset \mathbb{C}P^n \times \mathbb{C}^{n+1}$  projects to  $\mathbb{C}P^n$  is  $\mathcal{O}(1)$

It is obvious that any degree  $n$  polynomial are global section of  $\mathcal{O}(n)$

## Chapter 43

# Examples in Lie groups and Lie algebras

**Example 43.0.1.**  $X$  is topological space,  $End(X)$  is a unital nonassociative  $\mathbb{R}$  algebra which is not symmetric, antisymmetric, nor does it satisfy Jacobi identity

**Example 43.0.2.** Consider  $C^\infty(M)$  where  $M$  is a smooth manifold, then  $\mathcal{L}(M) = Der(C^\infty(M))$  consists of vector fields, it is a Lie algebra, hence we can think of derivations as linear differential operator of order 1, then we know that the commutator of two such operators is again a linear differential operator of order 1

**Example 43.0.3.** Let  $\mathfrak{g}$  be a Lie algebra, then ideals of  $\mathfrak{g}$  precisely the Lie algebra subrepresentations of the adjoint representation  $(ad, \mathfrak{g})$

**Example 43.0.4** (Lie algebra of  $M_n(\mathbb{R})$ ). Suppose  $X = \sum_{i,j} X_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}$  is a left invariant

$$\begin{aligned} X_{kl}(A) &= \sum_{i,j} X_{ij}(A) \frac{\partial x_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}}(A) \\ &= X_A(x_{kl}) = (L_A)_0 X_0(x_{kl}) \\ &= X_0(x_{kl} \circ L_A) \\ &= \sum_{i,j} X_{ij}(0) \frac{\partial (x_{kl} \circ L_A)}{\partial x_{ij}}(0) \\ &= X_{kl}(0) \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $X_{ij}$  are constants

$$\begin{aligned} [X, Y] &= \left[ \sum_{i,j} X_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}, \sum_{k,l} Y_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right] \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} X_{ij} Y_{kl} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right] \\ &= \sum_{i,j} X_{ij} Y_{ij} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right] \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $Lie(M_n(\mathbb{R})) = 0$

**Example 43.0.5** (Lie algebra of  $GL(n, \mathbb{R})$ ). Suppose  $X = \sum_{i,j} c_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}$  is a left invariant field

$$\begin{aligned} c_{kl}(A) &= \sum_{i,j} c_{ij}(A) \frac{\partial x_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}}(A) \\ &= X_A(x_{kl}) = (L_A)_I X_I(x_{kl}) \\ &= X_I(x_{kl} \circ L_A) \\ &= \sum_{i,j} c_{ij}(I) \frac{\partial (x_{kl} \circ L_A)}{\partial x_{ij}}(I) \\ &= \sum_i a_{ki} c_{il}(I) \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $C(A) = AC(I)$ ,  $\frac{\partial c_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} = \delta_{ki} c_{jl}(I)$

$$\begin{aligned} [X, Y] &= \left[ \sum_{i,j} c_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}, \sum_{k,l} d_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right] \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} \left[ c_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}}, d_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right] \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} c_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}} \left( d_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \right) - d_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \left( c_{ij} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} c_{ij} \left( \frac{\partial d_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} + d_{kl} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_{ij} \partial x_{kl}} \right) - d_{kl} \left( \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_{kl}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}} + c_{ij} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_{ij} \partial x_{kl}} \right) \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} c_{ij} \frac{\partial d_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} - d_{kl} \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_{kl}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}} \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} c_{ij} \frac{\partial d_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} - \sum_{i,j,k,l} d_{kl} \frac{\partial c_{ij}}{\partial x_{kl}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{ij}} \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} c_{ij} \frac{\partial d_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} - \sum_{i,j,k,l} d_{ij} \frac{\partial c_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \\ &= \sum_{i,j,k,l} \left( c_{ij} \frac{\partial d_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} - d_{ij} \frac{\partial c_{kl}}{\partial x_{ij}} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \\ &= \sum_{j,k,l} (c_{kj} d_{jl} - d_{kj} c_{jl}) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \\ &= \sum_{k,l} \left( \sum_j c_{kj} d_{jl} - d_{kj} c_{jl} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \\ &= \sum_{k,l} b_{kl} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{kl}} \end{aligned}$$

Here  $B = [C, D]$ . Therefore  $\text{Lie}(GL(n, \mathbb{R})) = \mathfrak{gl}(n, \mathbb{R})$

**Example 43.0.6.** Consider the  $\Phi : GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_n(\mathbb{R})$ ,  $A \mapsto A^T A$  which is a smooth map, and level set  $\Phi^{-1}(I) = O(n, \mathbb{R})$  is the orthogonal group, to show this is a Lie subgroup, thanks to Theorem 22.0.16, it suffices to show  $\Phi$  is of constant rank, but  $\Phi$  is equivariant assuming  $GL(n, \mathbb{R})$  acts on itself by right multiplication and acts on  $M_n(\mathbb{R})$  by  $X \cdot A = A^T X A$ ,  $X \in M_n(\mathbb{R})$ ,  $A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R})$ , since  $\Phi(A) \cdot B = B^T A^T A B = \Phi(AB)$   
 $(d\Phi)_I(B) = B^T + B$ , and  $T_I(O(n, \mathbb{R})) = \ker(d\Phi)_I = \{B \in M(n, \mathbb{R}) | B^T + B = 0\}$



## Chapter 44

# Examples in algebraic geometry

**Example 44.0.1.** Suppose  $V \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n$  is an affine variety,  $m_P \in \text{Spm} k[V]$ ,  $k[V]_{m_P}$  is the stalk of the sheaf of regular functions. Two representatives  $\frac{f}{u}, \frac{g}{v}$  are of the same germ  $\Leftrightarrow \frac{f}{u} = \frac{g}{v}$  on  $D(wuv)$  for some  $w(P) \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow w(fv - gu) = 0$

**Example 44.0.2.**

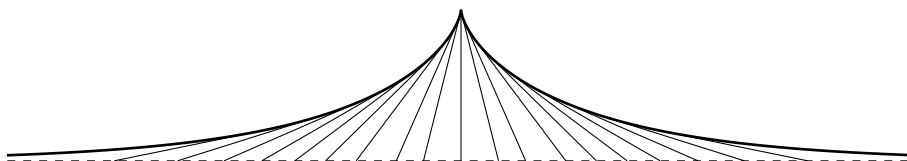


## Chapter 45

# Examples in analysis

**Example 45.0.1.**  $D \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is the unit disc,  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^{2^n}}{n^2}$  is continuous on  $\overline{D}$  and holomorphic on  $D$  but not on any point on  $\partial D$

**Example 45.0.2** (Tractrix). An interval  $I$  with one end point pushed or dragged along the  $x$  axis gives a **Tractrix**. The velocity has the same direction as  $I$ , i.e.  $\frac{dx}{dy} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}{y}$ , which gives solution  $x = \pm \left( \ln \frac{a + \sqrt{a^2 - y^2}}{y} - \sqrt{a^2 - y^2} \right)$





# Part XVI

## Exercises



## Chapter 46

# Exercises in combinatorics

**Exercise 46.0.1.**  $[n] = \{1, \dots, n\}$ , what is the cardinality of  $\{f \in \text{Aut}([n]) \mid f(i) \neq i, \forall i \in [n]\}$

*Solution.* Consider  $A_k = \{f \in \text{Aut}([n]) \mid f(k) = k\}$ , by Inclusion-exclusion principle 1.0.4, we have

$$\begin{aligned} n! &= \left| \bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i \right| = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k \sum_{i_1 < \dots < i_k} |A_{i_1} \cap \dots \cap A_{i_k}| \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} (n-k)! \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k \frac{n!}{k!} \end{aligned}$$

Thus the probability of picking such an auto morphism is  $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(-1)^i}{i!}$  which approaches  $e^{-1}$  as  $n$  approaches infinity □

## 46.1 Exercises in abstract algebra

**Exercise 46.1.1.** If  $R$  is a domain, so is  $R[x]$

*Solution.* Suppose  $f = ax^n + \dots$ ,  $g = bx^m + \dots$  for some  $a, b \neq 0$ , then  $fg = abx^{n+m} + \dots \neq 0$   $\square$

**Exercise 46.1.2.** If  $E/F$  is a Galois extension, then  $Tr_{E/F}(\alpha)$  is the sum of all conjugates of  $\alpha$ ,  $N_{E/F}(\alpha)$  is the product of all conjugates of  $\alpha$

*Solution.* Suppose the minimal polynomial of  $\alpha$  is  $m(x) = x^n + a_1x^{n-1} + \dots + a_n$   $\square$

**Exercise 46.1.3.** If  $F \subseteq E \subseteq L$  are field extensions, then  $Tr_{L/F} = Tr_{E/F} \circ Tr_{L/E}$

*Solution.* Suppose  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  is a basis for  $L/E$ ,  $y_1, \dots, y_m$  is a basis for  $E/F$   $\square$   
 $T: V \rightarrow W \leq W \Rightarrow Tr(T) = Tr(T|_W)$

**Exercise 46.1.4.** Suppose  $T \in \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{F}}(V, V)$  is a linear operator with  $T(V) \leq W$ , then  $Tr(T) = Tr(T|_W)$

Mundane properties of rings

**Exercise 46.1.5.**  $R$  is a ring

1.  $0x = 0$ ,  $(-1)x = -x$

*Solution.*

- 1.

$$0x = (0 + 0)x = 0x + 0x \Rightarrow 0x = 0$$

$$0x = (1 + (-1))x = 1x + (-1)x = x + (-1)x \Rightarrow (-1)x = -x$$

$\square$

**Exercise 46.1.6.** Let  $R$  be a commutative ring, and  $I_1, \dots, I_n \leq R$  be pairwise coprime ideals, then  $I_1 \cdots I_n = I_1 \cap \dots \cap I_n$

*Solution.* By induction  $\square$

**Exercise 46.1.7.** Every group  $G$  is naturally isomorphic to its opposite  $G^{op}$

*Solution.* Consider  $\phi: G \rightarrow G^{op}$ ,  $g \mapsto g^{-1}$   $\square$

**Exercise 46.1.8.** A morphism of  $G$  torsors is always an isomorphism

**Exercise 46.1.9.**  $X$  has a left  $G$  action and a right  $H$  action such that  $(gx)h = g(xh)$

1.  $X \times_G * \cong X/G$
2.  $X \times_G G \cong X$
3.  $(X \times_G Y) \times_H Z \cong X \times_G (Y \times_H Z)$
4. If  $H \leq G$ , then  $X \times_G G \times_Y \cong X \times_H Y$
5. If  $H \trianglelefteq G$ ,  $X \times_G (G/H) \cong X/H$

**Exercise 46.1.10.**  $SL(n, F)$  is a perfect group for  $n \geq 3$ .  $SL(2, F)$  is a perfect group if  $|k| \geq 4$

*Solution.* Denote  $G_n = SL(n, F)$ . Elementary matrices generate  $G_n$  and are in  $[G_n, G_n]$   $\square$



## 46.2 Exercises in analysis

$U \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  open, boundary point is the limit of some discrete sequence

**Exercise 46.2.1.**  $U \subsetneq \mathbb{R}^n$  is a nonempty open set,  $x \in \partial U$ , then there exists a discrete sequence  $\{x_i\} \subseteq U$  converges to  $x$

*Solution.*  $x$  is necessarily an accumulation point since  $\partial U \cap U = \emptyset$ . Pick  $x_0 \in U$ , then we can find  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  $x_0 \notin B(x, \epsilon)$ , then pick  $x_1 \in B(x, \epsilon/2) \cap U$ , and so on  $\square$

$f$  analytic near 0, after change of variables,  $f$  has terms only involve one variable

**Exercise 46.2.2.**  $f$  is analytic near 0, by rotation of coordinates, we can always make  $f$  has terms only involve one variable

**Exercise 46.2.3.** Evaluate  $\int_0^\infty e^{-s^2 - \frac{1}{s^2}} ds$

*Solution.*  $\left(s - \frac{1}{s}\right)^2 = s^2 + \frac{1}{s^2} - 2$ , let  $x = s - \frac{1}{s}$  which is increasing on  $(0, \infty)$  since  $0 < s < \infty$ ,  $-\infty < x < \infty$ , then  $s = \frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 4}}{2}$  and

$$\int_0^\infty e^{-s^2 - \frac{1}{s^2}} ds = e^{-2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-x^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{2\sqrt{x^2 + 4}}\right) dx = e^{-2} \int_0^\infty e^{-x^2} dx = \frac{e^{-2}\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$$

$\square$

**Exercise 46.2.4.**  $f$  is holomorphic on the punctured unit disc,  $p > 0$ ,  $\int_D |f(z)|^p dz < \infty$ . What can we say about the singularity?

*Solution.*  $|f(z)|^p = e^{p \log |f(z)|}$  is subharmonic by Example 32.0.8, thus essential singularity is impossible

$$|f(z)|^p \leq \frac{4}{\pi |z|^2} \int_{|w-z| < |z|/2} |f(w)|^p dw \leq \frac{C}{|z|^2}$$

Thus  $|z|^{\frac{2}{p}} |f(z)| < \infty$

$\square$

**Exercise 46.2.5.**  $U \subseteq \Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  are open,  $f$  is holomorphic on  $U$ ,  $\widehat{U}_\Omega$  be the union of  $U$  and compact connected components of  $\Omega \setminus U$ . There exist  $\{f_n\}$  holomorphic on  $\Omega$  converging uniformly to  $f$  on compact subsets of  $U$  iff there exists  $g$  holomorphic on  $H(\widehat{U}_\Omega)$  such that  $g|_U = f$

*Solution.* Assume  $\widehat{U}_\Omega = U \cup K_1 \cup \dots$ , where  $K_i$ 's are compact

Suppose  $\{f_n\}$  holomorphic on  $\Omega$  converging uniformly to  $f$  on compact subsets of  $U$ , by maximum principle,  $\{f_n\}$  would be uniformly bounded around  $K_i$ , by Montel's theorem 33.1.14, there exists a subsequence of  $\{f_n\}$  converges uniformly on  $K_i$ , thus converging to  $g$  holomorphic on  $H(\widehat{U}_\Omega)$ , hence  $g|_U = f$

Conversely, suppose  $g$  holomorphic on  $H(\widehat{U}_\Omega)$  such that  $g|_U = f$ ,  $\widehat{U}_\Omega$  is simply connected, by Riemann mapping theorem 33.1.23, we can think of  $\widehat{U}_\Omega$  as the unit disc or  $\mathbb{C}$ , by Runge's theorem, there exist  $\{f_n\}$  holomorphic on  $\Omega$  uniformly converging to  $g$  on each disc. Thus there exist a subsequence of  $\{f_n\}$  converging uniformly to  $g$  on compact subsets of  $\widehat{U}_\Omega$   $\square$

**Exercise 46.2.6.** Let  $\Omega$  be an open subset of  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $\mathcal{D} = \{D_i\}$  be an open cover of  $\Omega$  with disks. Given meromorphic functions  $h_i$  on  $D_i$ , not identically zero. Assume  $g_{ij} = \frac{h_i}{h_j}$  are holomorphic on  $D_i \cap D_j$ , then there exist holomorphic function  $f_i$  with no zeros on  $D_i$  such that  $f_i = g_{ij} f_j$

*Solution.* It suffices to prove  $H^1(\Omega, \mathcal{O}^*) = 0$ , since then  $H^1(\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{O}^*) = 0$ ,  $(g_{ij}) \in Z^1(\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{O}^*) = B^1(\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{O}^*)$ , i.e. there exists  $(f_i) \in C^0(\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{O}^*)$  such that  $f_i = g_{ij} f_j$

Consider exact sequence of sheaves  $0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{O} \xrightarrow{\exp} \mathcal{O}^* \rightarrow 0$ , then we get a long exact sequence  $\dots \rightarrow H^1(\Omega, \mathcal{O}) \rightarrow H^1(\Omega, \mathcal{O}^*) \rightarrow H^2(\Omega, \mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow \dots$ ,  $H^1(\Omega, \mathcal{O}) = 0$  by Mittag-Leffler theorem  $\square$

**Exercise 46.2.7.** For each real  $r$  such that  $0 < |r| < 1$ , prove that there exists at most one real  $s$  with  $0 < s < 1$  for which  $\Omega := D \setminus \{0, r, s\}$  admits an analytic automorphism different from the identity

*Solution.* Suppose  $\Omega \xrightarrow{\phi} \Omega$  is an analytic automorphism, then  $0, r, s$  are all removable singularities, by continuity,  $\phi$  can be extended to  $D \xrightarrow{\phi} D$ , so is  $\phi^{-1}$ , by continuity, we know  $\phi$  is an automorphism of  $D$ , sending  $\{0, r, s\}$  to itself bijectively

By Schwarz lemma, we know that an automorphism  $\phi$  of  $D$  with  $\phi(\alpha) = 0$  iff  $\phi = e^{i\theta} \frac{z - \alpha}{1 - \bar{\alpha}z}$ . Now suppose  $\phi$  is an automorphism different from the identity, if  $0 < r = s < 1$ , then  $\phi = -\frac{z - r}{1 - rz}$  is a choice, now we assume  $r \neq s$

**Case I:**  $\phi(0) = 0$

$$\phi = e^{i\theta} z, \phi(r) = s, \text{ but } 0 < s < 1, \text{ thus } s = |r|$$

**Case II:**  $\phi(r) = 0$

$$\phi = e^{i\theta} \frac{z - r}{1 - \bar{r}z}, \phi(0) = -re^{i\theta}$$

**Case i:**  $\theta = \pi, \phi(0) = r$ , then  $s = \phi(s) \Rightarrow \bar{r}s^2 - 2s + r = 0 \Rightarrow s = \frac{1 + \sqrt{1 - |r|^2}}{\bar{r}}$  or  $\frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - |r|^2}}{\bar{r}}$ ,  $r$  has to be a positive real number and  $s = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - r^2}}{r}$

**Case ii:**  $s = \phi(0) = |r|$

**Case III:**  $\phi(s) = 0$

$$\phi = e^{i\theta} \frac{z - s}{1 - sz}, \phi(0) = -se^{i\theta}$$

**Case i:**  $\theta = \pi, \phi(0) = s$ , then  $r = \phi(r) \Rightarrow sr^2 - 2r + s = 0 \Rightarrow s = \frac{2r}{1 + r^2}$ .

**Case ii:**  $r = \phi(0) = -se^{i\theta}, s = \phi(r) \Rightarrow s^2 = 1$  which is impossible

□

**Exercise 46.2.8.**  $F \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  is closed, connected and noncompact,  $\Omega = \mathbb{C} \setminus F$ , then every  $f \in \mathcal{O}(\Omega)$  has a primitive

*Solution.* It suffices to show that every connected component  $U$  of  $\Omega$  is simply connected. Suppose  $U$  is not simply connected, then  $\pi_1(U, z_0) \neq 0$ , i.e. there is a simple (self non-intersecting) loop  $\gamma \subseteq U$  with  $\gamma(0) = \gamma(1)$  cannot be deformed to  $z_0$ , by Jordan curve theorem 15.1.44,  $\gamma$  divides  $\mathbb{C}$  into the exterior and the interior which is homeomorphic to the unit disc  $D$ , suppose  $F \cap D$  is empty, then  $\bar{D} \subseteq U$ ,  $\gamma$  can be deformed to  $z_0$ , giving a contradiction, hence  $F \cap \bar{D}$  is a compact connected component of  $F$  which is also a contradiction. □

**Exercise 46.2.9.** Consider an open set  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}^2$  such that

$$\{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z| \leq R_1, |w| \leq R_2\} \subseteq \Omega$$

for some positive reals  $R_1$  and  $R_2$ . Let  $f \in \mathcal{H}(\Omega)$  be such that  $f(z, w) \neq 0$  for every  $z$  and  $w$  for which  $|z| \leq R_1, |w| = R_2$

1. Prove that the number (counted with multiplicities) of zeros of  $w \mapsto f(z, w)$  in  $D(0, R_2)$  is the same for every  $|z| \leq R_1$

2. Let  $w_1(z), \dots, w_m(z)$  denote the zeros of  $w \mapsto f(z, w)$  (counted with multiplicities). Prove that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  the function

$$z \mapsto w_1(z)^n + \dots + w_m(z)^n$$

is holomorphic for  $z \in D(0, R_1)$

3. Deduce that  $n$ th elementary symmetric function  $\sigma_n$  of  $w_1(z), \dots, w_m(z)$  is holomorphic.
4. Prove that there exists a function  $h$  that is holomorphic and without any zeros on  $\{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z| < R_1, |w| < R_2\}$  such that

$$f(z, w) = h(z, w)[w^m + \sigma_1(z)w^{m-1} + \dots + \sigma_{m-1}(z)w + \sigma_m(z)]$$

for every  $z$  and  $w$  such that  $|z| < R_1$  and  $|w| < R_2$

*Solution.*

1. By Lemma 33.1.18,  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D(0, R_2)} \frac{f_w(z, w)}{f(z, w)} dw$  is the number of zeros in  $D(0, R_2)$  which is continuous, hence the same for every  $|z| \leq R_1$
2. By Lemma 33.1.18,  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial D(0, R_2)} w^n \frac{f_w(z, w)}{f(z, w)} dw = w_1(z)^n + \dots + w_m(z)^n$  is holomorphic
3. Directly follows from (2) thanks to Newton's identities
4. Since  $\prod_{i=1}^m (w - w_i(z)) = w^m + \sigma_1(z)w^{m-1} + \dots + \sigma_{m-1}(z)w + \sigma_m(z)$  is holomorphic

$$\frac{f(z, w)}{w^m + \sigma_1(z)w^{m-1} + \dots + \sigma_{m-1}(z)w + \sigma_m(z)}$$

has no zeros on  $D$  and holomorphic on  $\{R_2 - \varepsilon < |w| < R_2\}$ , hence by Hartogs's extension theorem 33.1.27, can be extended to a holomorphic function  $h(z, w)$ , then  $f(z, w) = h(z, w)[w^m + \sigma_1(z)w^{m-1} + \dots + \sigma_{m-1}(z)w + \sigma_m(z)]$  on  $\{R_2 - \varepsilon < |w| < R_2\}$ , by identity theorem, this holds for all  $|z| < R_1$  and  $|w| < R_2$

□

**Exercise 46.2.10.** Suppose  $p_1, \dots, p_n$  are points on the compact Riemann surface  $X$  and  $X' = X \setminus \{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$ . Suppose  $f : X' \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is a non-constant holomorphic function. Show that the image of  $f$  comes arbitrarily close to every  $c \in \mathbb{C}$

*Solution.* Suppose there exists  $c \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $|f - c| \geq \varepsilon$  for some  $\varepsilon > 0$ , then  $\frac{1}{f - c}$  would be a bounded holomorphic function on  $X'$ , by Riemann's Removable singularity theorem,  $\frac{1}{f - c}$  can be extended to a holomorphic function on  $X$ , but since  $X$  is compact,  $\frac{1}{f - c}$  is a constant which is impossible

□

**Exercise 46.2.11.** Let  $X$  be a compact Riemann surface and let  $X \xrightarrow{\sigma} X$  be a biholomorphic map of  $X$  onto itself, different from the identity. Let  $a \in X$  be a point with  $\sigma(a) \neq a$ , and suppose that there is a non-constant meromorphic function  $f$  on  $X$ , holomorphic on  $X \setminus \{a\}$ , with a pole of order  $k$  at  $a$ . Prove that  $\sigma$  can have at most  $2k$  fixed points on  $X$

*Solution.* Suppose there are more than  $2k$  fixed points of  $\sigma$ , then consider  $f - f \circ \sigma^{-1} : X \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$  is holomorphic on  $X \setminus \{a, \sigma^{-1}(a)\}$  with at least  $2k + 1$  zeros and with poles of order  $k$  at  $a, \sigma^{-1}(a)$ , but it should have as many poles as zeros which is a contradiction

□

**Exercise 46.2.12.**  $\Lambda = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$  and  $\Lambda' = \mathbb{Z}\omega'_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega'_2$  are lattices in  $\mathbb{C}$ . Show that  $\Lambda = \Lambda'$  iff there exists a matrix  $A \in GL(2, \mathbb{Z})$  such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

*Solution.* First note that

$$\Lambda \subseteq \Lambda' \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some } A \in M(2, \mathbb{Z})$$

Hence we have

$$\Lambda = \Lambda' \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \omega'_1 \\ \omega'_2 \end{pmatrix} = B \begin{pmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some } A, B \in M(2, \mathbb{Z})$$

Which is equivalent to  $A \in GL(2, \mathbb{Z})$  □

**Exercise 46.2.13.**  $\Lambda = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$ ,  $\Lambda' = \mathbb{Z}\omega'_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega'_2$  are lattices in  $\mathbb{C}$  and  $X = \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$ ,  $X' = \mathbb{C}/\Lambda'$  are the corresponding complex tori

1. Prove that any holomorphic map  $X \xrightarrow{f} X'$  is induced by a linear map  $\mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{g} \mathbb{C}$  of the form  $g(z) = \alpha z + \beta$ , where  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C}$  is such that  $\alpha\Lambda \subseteq \Lambda'$ .  $f$  is biholomorphic if and only if  $\alpha\Lambda = \Lambda'$
2. Show that every torus  $X = \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$  is isomorphic to a torus of the form  $X(\tau) = \mathbb{C}/(\mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\tau)$ , where  $\tau \in \mathbb{C}$  satisfies  $\text{Im}(\tau) > 0$
3. Assume that  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in SL(2, \mathbb{Z})$  and  $\text{Im}(\tau) > 0$ . Let  $\tau' := \frac{a\tau + b}{c\tau + d}$ . Show that the tori  $X(\tau)$  and  $X(\tau')$  are biholomorphic

*Solution.*

1. Since  $\mathbb{C}$  is the universal cover of  $\mathbb{C}/\Lambda'$ ,  $f \circ \pi : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}/\Lambda'$  has a lift  $F : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , and locally we have  $F = \pi'|_V^{-1} \circ f \circ \pi|_U$ , thus  $F$  is holomorphic

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \xrightarrow{F} & \mathbb{C} \\ \downarrow \pi & & \downarrow \pi' \\ \mathbb{C}/\Lambda & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbb{C}/\Lambda' \end{array}$$

Fix  $\omega \in \Lambda$ , since  $\pi(z + \omega) = \pi(z)$  for any  $z \in \mathbb{C}$ , we have  $F(z + \omega) - F(z) \in \Lambda'$ , hence  $F(z + \omega) - F(z)$  is a continuous function of  $z$  but  $\Lambda'$  is discrete, thus  $F(z + \omega) - F(z) \equiv C_\omega$ , where  $C_\omega \in \Lambda'$  is a constant. Then  $F'(z + \omega) = F'(z)$  which shows  $F' : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  is doubly periodic function, thus induces  $G : \mathbb{C}/\Lambda \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  with  $F = G \circ \pi$ . Thus  $G$  must be a constant, so is  $F'$ , therefore  $F$  has the form  $F(z) = \alpha z + \beta$ . Then for any  $\omega \in \Lambda$ , we have  $F(\omega) - F(0) = \alpha\omega \in \Lambda'$ , thus  $\alpha\Lambda \subseteq \Lambda'$ . If  $f$  is biholomorphic, then  $\pi' \circ F = f \circ \pi \Rightarrow \pi \circ F^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ \pi'$ , which implies  $\begin{cases} \alpha\Lambda \subseteq \Lambda' \\ \alpha^{-1}\Lambda' \subseteq \Lambda \end{cases} \Rightarrow \alpha\Lambda = \Lambda'$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \xleftarrow{F^{-1}} & \mathbb{C} \\ \downarrow \pi & & \downarrow \pi' \\ \mathbb{C}/\Lambda & \xleftarrow{f^{-1}} & \mathbb{C}/\Lambda' \end{array}$$

Conversely, if  $\alpha\Lambda = \Lambda'$ ,  $\pi \circ F^{-1}$  is doubly periodic and induce  $f^{-1}$ , hence  $f$  is biholomorphic

2. Suppose  $\Lambda = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$ ,  $\text{Im}\left(\frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}\right) > 0$ , define  $\Lambda' = \mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\tau$ , where  $\tau = \frac{\omega_2}{\omega_1}$ , we have  $\omega_1\Lambda' = \Lambda$ , thus  $X$  and  $X(\tau)$  are biholomorphic
3.  $X(\tau)$  and  $X(\tau')$  are biholomorphic iff  $\begin{pmatrix} \tau' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \alpha A \begin{pmatrix} \tau \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ ,  $A \in \text{SL}(2, \mathbb{Z})$ . If  $X(\tau)$  and  $X(\tau')$  are biholomorphic, then  $\mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\tau' = \Lambda' = \alpha\Lambda = \mathbb{Z}\alpha + \mathbb{Z}\alpha\tau$  for some  $\alpha \in \mathbb{C} - \{0\}$ , thus  $\begin{pmatrix} \tau' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} \alpha\tau \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} = \alpha A \begin{pmatrix} \tau \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , for some  $A \in \text{SL}(2, \mathbb{Z})$ , the other direction is easy

□

**Exercise 46.2.14.** Determine the branch points (or ramification points) of the map  $f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$  with

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right)$$

*Solution.*  $f'(z) = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{z^2} \right)$  when  $z \neq 0$ , thus  $1, -1$  are branch points.

Consider the chart  $(\mathbb{P}^1 - \{0\}, \varphi)$  with  $\varphi(z) = \frac{1}{z}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C} & \xrightarrow{f} & \mathbb{P}^1 - \{0\} \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \varphi \\ & & \mathbb{C} \end{array}$$

Thus  $g(z) = \varphi \circ f(z) = \frac{z}{2(z^2 + 1)}$ ,  $g'(z) = \frac{1 - z^2}{2(z^2 + 1)}$ , hence 0 is not a branch point

□

**Exercise 46.2.15.** If  $f$  and  $g$  are two elliptic functions with respect to the same lattice  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ , prove that there exists an irreducible polynomial  $P(x, y) \in \mathbb{C}[x, y]$  such that  $P(f, g) = 0$

*Solution.* If  $f \equiv c$  is a constant, then  $P(x, y) = x - c$  is an irreducible polynomial such that  $P(f, g) = 0$ , so we can assume  $f, g$  are not constants. Since  $\mathcal{M}(X)$  is a finite algebraic extension of  $\mathbb{C}(f)$ , there exists rational functions  $R_0, \dots, R_n$  such that  $R_0(f) + R_1(f)g + \dots + R_n(f)g^n = 0$ , then after multiplying denominators, we get a polynomial  $P(x, y) \in \mathbb{C}[x, y]$  such that  $P(f, g) = 0$ , since  $\mathbb{C}[x, y]$  is a UFD,  $P = P_1 \cdots P_k$ , where  $P_i$  are prime hence irreducible, then  $0 = P_1(f, g) \cdots P_k(f, g) \in \mathcal{M}(X)$  which is a field, thus  $P_j(f, g) = 0$  for some irreducible polynomial  $P_j \in \mathbb{C}[x, y]$

□

**Exercise 46.2.16.**  $f$  is an elliptic function of order  $n > 0$ , then  $f'$  is an elliptic function of order  $m$  such that  $n + 1 \leq m \leq 2n$ . Both bounds can be attained

*Solution.*  $f'$  is elliptic since  $f(z + \omega) = f(z) \Rightarrow f'(z + \omega) = f'(z)$  for all  $\omega \in \Omega$ . Suppose  $f$  has poles  $[P_1], \dots, [P_k]$  with multiplicities  $r_1, \dots, r_k$ ,  $\sum r_i = n$ , then  $f'$  also has poles  $[P_1], \dots, [P_k]$  with multiplicities  $r_1 + 1, \dots, r_k + 1$ ,  $\sum r_i = n + k = m$ , since  $1 \leq k \leq n$ ,  $n + 1 \leq m \leq 2n$

We can find an elliptic function  $f$  of order  $n$  which has  $[P_1], \dots, [P_{n-m}]$  as its poles with multiplicities  $1, \dots, 1, 2n+1-m$ , then we get  $f'$  is another elliptic function which also has  $[P_1], \dots, [P_{n-m}]$  as its poles with multiplicities  $2, \dots, 2, 2n+2-m$ , thus  $f'$  is of order  $m$

□

**Exercise 46.2.17.** Prove that

$$\wp'(z) = \frac{2\sigma(z - \frac{\omega_1}{2})\sigma(z - \frac{\omega_2}{2})\sigma(z - \frac{\omega_3}{2})}{\sigma(\frac{\omega_1}{2})\sigma(\frac{\omega_2}{2})\sigma(\frac{\omega_3}{2})\sigma(z)^3}.$$

*Solution.*  $\wp'(z)$  has a pole at  $z = 0$  of order 3 and  $\frac{\omega_1}{2}, \frac{\omega_2}{2}, \frac{\omega_3}{2}$  as simple roots, thus

$$\wp'(z) = \lambda \frac{\sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_2}{2}\right) \sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_3}{2}\right)}{\sigma(z)^3}$$

for some  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ , multiply by  $z^3$  on both sides, and let  $z \rightarrow 0$ , since  $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} \frac{z}{\sigma(z)} = 1$ ,  $\lim_{z \rightarrow 0} z^3 \wp'(z) = -2$ , we have

$$-2 = -\lambda \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_3}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2}{\sigma\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_3}{2}\right)}$$

Hence

$$\wp'(z) = \frac{2\sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_2}{2}\right) \sigma\left(z - \frac{\omega_3}{2}\right)}{\sigma\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right) \sigma\left(\frac{\omega_3}{2}\right) \sigma(z)^3}$$

□

Let  $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  be a lattice and  $\wp(z)$  the associated Weierstrass  $\wp$ -function. We have seen that  $\wp(z)$  satisfies the differential equation  $(\wp'(z))^2 = p(\wp(z))$ , where  $p(x) = 4x^3 - g_2x - g_3$ . The following three problems examine the conditions under which the coefficients  $g_2$  and  $g_3$  of  $p(x)$  are real numbers

**Exercise 46.2.18.** Prove that the following conditions are equivalent

- (i)  $g_2, g_3 \in \mathbb{R}$
- (ii)  $G_k \in \mathbb{R}$  for all  $k \geq 3$
- (iii)  $\wp(\bar{z}) = \overline{\wp(z)}$  for all  $z \in \mathbb{C}$
- (iv)  $\bar{\Omega} = \Omega$  (the last condition says that  $\Omega$  is a *real lattice*)

*Solution.* (i)  $\Rightarrow$  (ii)

$$g_2 = 60G_4, g_3 = 140G_6 \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow G_4, G_6 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \wp(z) &= \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2n-1)G_{2n}z^{2n-2} \\ &= \frac{1}{z^2} + 3G_4z^2 + 5G_6z^4 + 7G_8z^6 + 9G_{10}z^8 + \cdots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \wp'(z) &= -\frac{2}{z^3} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2n-1)(2n-2)G_{2n}z^{2n-3} \\ &= -\frac{2}{z^3} + 6G_4z + 20G_6z^3 + 42G_8z^5 + 72G_{10}z^7 + \cdots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \wp''(z) &= \frac{6}{z^4} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2n-1)(2n-2)(2n-3)G_{2n}z^{2n-4} \\ &= \frac{6}{z^4} + 6G_4 + 60G_6z^2 + 210G_8z^4 + 504G_{10}z^6 + \cdots \end{aligned}$$

So we can conclude  $\wp''(z) - 6\wp(z)^2 + 30G_4 = z\varphi(z)$ , where  $\varphi(z)$  is a holomorphic elliptic function, hence  $\wp''(z) - 6\wp(z)^2 + 30G_4 = 0$ , then the coefficients of  $z^{2n}$  ( $n \geq 1$ ) would be  $(2n+1)(2n+2)(2n+3)(2n+4)G_{2n+4} - 6(2n+3)G_{2n+4}$  minus terms only involving  $G_4, G_6, \dots, G_{2n+2}$  and real numbers, thus by induction, we know  $G_{2n+4} \in \mathbb{R}$  ( $n \geq 1$ )

(ii)  $\Rightarrow$  (iii)

Since  $\wp(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2n-1)G_{2n}z^{2n-2}$ , if  $G_k \in \mathbb{R}$  ( $k \geq 3$ ), then  $\wp(\bar{z}) = \overline{\wp(z)}$

(iii)  $\Rightarrow$  (iv)

The poles of  $\overline{\wp(\bar{z})} = \wp(z)$  are exactly  $\bar{\Omega}$ , thus  $\bar{\Omega} = \Omega$

(iv)  $\Rightarrow$  (i)

$$g_2 = 60G_4 = 60 \sum_{\omega \in \Omega^*} \frac{1}{\omega^4} = 60 \sum_{\omega \in \bar{\Omega}^*} \frac{1}{\omega^4} = \bar{g}_2 \Rightarrow g_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ similarly, } g_6 \in \mathbb{R} \quad \square$$

**Exercise 46.2.19.** We say that  $\Omega$  is *real rectangular* if  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$  where  $\omega_1 \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\omega_2 \in i\mathbb{R}$ , and that  $\Omega$  is *real rhombic* if  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$  where  $\omega_2 = \bar{\omega}_1$ . Prove that a lattice  $\Omega$  is real if and only if it is real rectangular or real rhombic

*Solution.* If  $\Omega$  is real rectangular or real rhombic,  $\Omega$  is obviously a real lattice

Conversely, if  $\Omega$  is a real lattice, suppose  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}\omega_1 + \mathbb{Z}\omega_2$ , then there exists  $\omega \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})$ , otherwise,  $\omega_1 \in \mathbb{R}^*, \omega_2 \in i\mathbb{R}^*$  or  $\omega_2 \in \mathbb{R}^*, \omega_1 \in i\mathbb{R}^*$ , since  $\omega_1, \omega_2$  are linear independent, but then  $\omega = \omega_1 + \omega_2 \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})$  which is a contradiction

Since  $\omega \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})$ ,  $\omega + \bar{\omega} \in \mathbb{R}^*, \omega - \bar{\omega} \in i\mathbb{R}^*$ , thus  $\Omega \cap \mathbb{R}^* \neq \emptyset, \Omega \cap i\mathbb{R}^* \neq \emptyset$ , let  $\eta_1 = \min_{\eta \in \Omega \cap (0, \infty)} \eta$ ,

then  $\Omega \cap \mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}\eta_1$ , otherwise  $\exists \eta \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Z}\eta_1$ , then  $\eta - \left\lfloor \frac{\eta}{\eta_1} \right\rfloor \eta_1 \in \Omega \cap (0, \infty)$  which is a contradiction

Similarly,  $\Omega \cap i\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}\eta_2$  for some  $\eta_2 \in i(0, \infty)$ . If  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}\eta_1 + \mathbb{Z}\eta_2$ , then  $\Omega$  is real rectangular, if not,  $\exists \gamma \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})$ , such that  $|\gamma| = \min_{\omega \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})} |\omega|$ , then  $\gamma + \bar{\gamma} = \eta_1$  or  $-\eta_1$ , otherwise

$\gamma + \bar{\gamma} = k\eta_1$  for some  $|k| \geq 2$

If  $k = 2$ , then  $\gamma - \eta_1 = \eta_1 - \bar{\gamma} = -(\gamma - \eta_1) \Rightarrow \gamma - \eta_1 \in i\mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}\eta_1 + \mathbb{Z}(\gamma - \eta_1) \subseteq \mathbb{Z}\eta_1 + \mathbb{Z}\eta_2$

If  $k > 2$ , then  $\gamma - \eta_1 \notin \mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R}$  and  $|\gamma - \eta_1| < |\gamma|$ , similarly for  $k \leq -2$ , these are all contradictions

Similarly, we know that  $\gamma - \bar{\gamma} = \eta_2$  or  $-\eta_2$

Now, for any  $\omega \in \Omega \setminus (\mathbb{R} \cup i\mathbb{R})$ ,  $\omega + \bar{\omega} = k\eta_1 = k(\gamma + \bar{\gamma})$  for some  $k \neq 0$ , then  $\omega - k\gamma = k\bar{\gamma} - \bar{\omega} = -(\bar{\omega} - k\bar{\gamma}) \Rightarrow \omega - k\gamma \in i\mathbb{R}$ , if  $\omega \neq k\gamma$ , then  $\omega - k\gamma = l\eta_2 = l(\gamma - \bar{\gamma}) \Rightarrow \omega \in \mathbb{Z}\gamma + \mathbb{Z}\bar{\gamma}$ , therefore, we have  $\Omega = \mathbb{Z}\gamma + \mathbb{Z}\bar{\gamma}$ ,  $\Omega$  is real rhombic  $\square$

**Exercise 46.2.20.** Let  $\Omega$  be a real lattice. Define the real elliptic curve  $E_{\mathbb{R}}$  to be the set  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y^2 = p(x)\}$ . Prove that  $E_{\mathbb{R}}$  has one or two connected components as  $\Omega$  is real rhombic or real rectangular, respectively

*Solution.* The number of connected components of  $E_{\mathbb{R}}$  is one or two if  $p(x) = 0$  has one real root and two nonreal conjugate complex roots or three distinct real roots correspondingly

Since  $\frac{\omega_1}{2}, \frac{\omega_2}{2}, \frac{\omega_3}{2}$  are simple roots of  $\wp'(z)$ , the three simple roots of  $p(x)$  are  $\wp\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right), \wp\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right), \wp\left(\frac{\omega_3}{2}\right)$ , since  $\Omega$  is a real lattice,  $G_k \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\wp(z) = \frac{1}{z^2} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (2n-1)G_{2n}z^{2n-2}$

If  $\Omega$  is real rectangular, then  $\wp\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right), \wp\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right)$  are both real, thus  $E_{\mathbb{R}}$  has two connected components

If  $\Omega$  is real rhombic, then  $\wp\left(\frac{\omega_3}{2}\right)$  is real  $\wp\left(\frac{\omega_1}{2}\right) \neq \wp\left(\frac{\omega_2}{2}\right)$  are nonreal conjugate, thus  $E_{\mathbb{R}}$  has only one connected component  $\square$

Complex structures on an open annulus

**Exercise 46.2.21.**  $A(r, R) = \{r < |z| < R\}$  is biholomorphic to  $\{s < |z| < S\}$  iff  $R/r = S/s$ ,  $r$  can be 0,  $R$  can be  $\infty$ , but not at the same time

*Solution.* By scaling or inversion we can assume  $r = s = 1$  and  $|f(z)| \rightarrow 1$  as  $|z| \rightarrow 1$ . Suppose

$f : A(r, R) \rightarrow A(s, S)$  is a biholomorphism, then consider the Laurent series  $f = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k z^k$ , for

$1 < t < R$ , by Stokes theorem we have

$$A(t) = \frac{1}{2i} \int_{f(\{|z|=t\})} \bar{z} dz = \frac{1}{2i} \int_{|z|=t} \overline{f(z)} df(z) = \frac{1}{2i} \int_{|z|=t} \overline{f(z)} f'(z) dz = \pi \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} k |c_k|^2 t^{2k}$$

As  $t \rightarrow 1$ , we have  $A(t) \rightarrow \pi \Rightarrow \sum k|c_k|^2 = 1$ , thus

$$A(t) - \pi t^2 = \pi t^2 \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} k|c_k|^2 (t^{2k-2} - 1) \geq 0$$

Thus  $A(t) \geq \pi t^2$ , as  $t \rightarrow R$ ,  $A(t) \rightarrow \pi S^2 \geq \pi R^2 \Rightarrow S \geq R$ . Therefore we have  $S = R$  □



# Chapter 47

## Exercises in category

$X_1, X_2$  iso and  $Y_1, Y_2$  iso implies  $\text{Hom}(X_1, Y_1), \text{Hom}(X_2, Y_2)$  iso

**Exercise 47.0.1.** In category  $\mathcal{C}$ , if  $X \xrightarrow{\phi_X} X'$ ,  $Y \xrightarrow{\phi_Y} Y'$  are isomorphisms, then  $\text{Hom}(X, Y)$ ,  $\text{Hom}(X', Y')$  are in bijective correspondence

*Solution.* Consider  $\text{Hom}(X, Y) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(X', Y')$ ,  $f \mapsto \phi_Y f \phi_X^{-1}$  and  $\text{Hom}(X', Y') \rightarrow \text{Hom}(X, Y)$ ,  $f' \mapsto \phi_Y^{-1} f' \phi_X$  which are inverses to each other

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ \phi_X \downarrow & & \downarrow \phi_Y \\ X' & \xrightarrow{f'} & Y' \end{array}$$

□

**Exercise 47.0.2.** Suppose the bottom row of the following commutative diagram is exact,  $gf = 0$ , then there exists  $a$  such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C \\ \downarrow \exists a & & \downarrow b & & \downarrow c \\ A' & \xrightarrow{f'} & B' & \xrightarrow{g'} & C' \end{array}$$

*Solution.* Since  $0 = cgf = g'b f$  and bottom row is exact, we have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & A & \\ \swarrow \exists a & \downarrow bf & \\ A' & \xrightarrow{f'} & \ker g' \end{array}$$

□

**Exercise 47.0.3.**  $F, G : \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$  are functors,  $F \xrightarrow{\eta} G$  is a natural transformation iff  $\eta$  is natural on each factor

*Solution.* We have commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} F(A, B) & \xrightarrow{F(f, 1)} & F(A', B) & \xrightarrow{F(1, g)} & F(A', B') \\ \downarrow \eta_{A, B} & & \downarrow \eta_{A', B} & & \downarrow \eta_{A', B'} \\ G(A, B) & \xrightarrow{G(f, 1)} & G(A', B) & \xrightarrow{G(1, g)} & G(A', B') \end{array}$$

□

Fully faithful functor is injective on objects up to isomorphism

**Exercise 47.0.4.** A fully faithful functor  $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  is injective on objects up to isomorphism

*Solution.* Suppose  $F(X) = F(Y) = T$ , let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  be the map corresponds to  $1_T$  in  $\text{Hom}(F(X), F(Y))$ , then  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is an isomorphism because we can also let  $g : Y \rightarrow X$  be the map corresponds to  $1_T$  as in  $\text{Hom}(F(Y), F(X))$ , then  $F(g \circ f) = F(g) \circ F(f) = 1_T \circ 1_T = 1_T$ , thus  $g \circ f$  corresponds to  $1_T$  in  $\text{Hom}(F(X), F(X))$ , but  $F(1_X) = 1_{F(X)} = 1_T$ , thus  $g \circ f = 1_X$ , similarly,  $f \circ g = 1_Y$   $\square$

**Exercise 47.0.5.** Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  is an abelian category, show  $\mathcal{A}$  is balanced. For any  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$ ,  $\ker f \xrightarrow{i} A$  is a monomorphism,  $B \xrightarrow{\pi} \text{coker } f$  is an epimorphism, and  $\text{im } f := \ker \text{coker } f$ ,  $\text{coim } f := \text{coker } \ker f$  are isomorphic

*Solution.* Suppose  $A \xrightarrow{f} B$  is a bimorphism, it is the equaliser of  $B \xrightarrow[\pi]{\pi} \text{coker } f$ , then  $\pi = 0$ ,  $\text{coker } f = 0$ , but  $A \xrightarrow{1_A} A$  is the kernel of  $A \rightarrow 0$ , hence  $A, B$  are isomorphic  $\ker f \xrightarrow{i} A$  is a monomorphism due to the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & C & & & \\ & \downarrow g=0 & \searrow 0 & & \\ \ker f & \xrightarrow{i} & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \end{array}$$

$B \xrightarrow{\pi} \text{coker } f$  is a monomorphism due to the following diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \text{coker } f \\ & \searrow 0 & \downarrow g=0 & & \\ & & C & & \end{array}$$

Now let's show coimage and image are isomorphic.  $fi = 0$  induces  $\text{coker } i \xrightarrow{g} B$ , claim that  $g$  is monic

Suppose  $X \xrightarrow{x} \text{coker } i$  is morphism such that  $gx = 0$ , it induces  $\text{coker } x \xrightarrow{j} B$ , since  $qpk = 0$ ,  $fk = jqp k = 0$  induces  $\ker qp \xrightarrow{l} \ker f$ , since  $qp$  is epi,  $pk = pil = 0$  induces  $\text{coker } x \xrightarrow{r} \text{coker } i$ , since  $p$  is epi,  $p = rqp \Rightarrow rq = 1_{\text{coker } i}$ , hence  $q$  is monic,  $qx = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \ker qp & & & & \\ & \swarrow l & \downarrow k & & & & \\ \ker f & \xrightarrow{i} & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \text{coker } f \\ & & \downarrow p & \nearrow g & \uparrow j & & \\ X & \xrightarrow{x} & \text{coker } i & \xrightarrow[\leftarrow]{\text{---} r} & \text{coker } x & & \end{array}$$

$\pi f = 0$  induces  $A \xrightarrow{h} \ker \pi$ , claim that  $h$  is epi

Suppose  $\ker \pi \xrightarrow{y} Y$  is morphism such that  $yh = 0$ , it induces  $A \xrightarrow{p} \ker y$ , since  $qjk = 0$ ,  $qf = qj k p = 0$  induces  $\text{coker } f \xrightarrow{m} \text{coker } j k$ , since  $jk$  is monic,  $qj = m\pi j = 0$  induces  $\ker \pi \xrightarrow{s} \ker y$ , since  $j$  is monic,  $j = jks \Rightarrow ks = 1_{\ker \pi}$ , hence  $k$  is epi,  $yk = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & & & \text{coker } j k & & \\ & & & & \uparrow q & \nwarrow m & \\ \ker f & \xrightarrow{i} & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \text{coker } f \\ & & \downarrow p & \searrow h & \uparrow j & & \\ & & \ker y & \xrightarrow[\leftarrow]{\text{---} s} & \ker \pi & \xrightarrow{y} & Y \end{array}$$

Since  $\text{im } f \rightarrow B$  is monic,  $A \rightarrow \text{coim } f$  is epi,  $g, h$  both induce  $\text{coim } f \xrightarrow{\phi} \text{im } f$ , then  $\phi$  is monic and epi hence iso

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \ker f & \xrightarrow{\quad} & A & \xrightarrow{\quad f \quad} & B & \twoheadrightarrow & \operatorname{coker} f \\
 & & \downarrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 & & \operatorname{coim} f & \xrightarrow{\quad \phi \quad} & \operatorname{im} f & & 
 \end{array}$$

□

bounded double complex with exact rows or exact columns has exact total complex

**Exercise 47.0.6.**  $C$  is a bounded double complex with exact rows or exact columns, then  $\operatorname{Tot}(C)$  is exact

*Solution.* Without loss of generality, we may assume  $C$  is bounded in the first quadrant and has exact rows, use  $d', d'', d$  to denote row, column and total differentials

$\operatorname{Tot}(C)$  is exact for all  $n < 0$  since  $\operatorname{Tot}(C)_n = 0$  for all  $n < 0$ . now suppose  $n \geq 0$ ,

$d\left(\sum_{k=0}^n x_{k,n-k}\right) = 0$ , i.e.  $d'x_{k+1,n-k-1} + d''x_{k,n-k} = 0$  for  $0 \leq k < n$ . Let  $x_{0,n+1} = 0$ , we can construct  $x_{k,n+1-k}$  for  $k > 0$  inductively such that  $d''x_{k,n-k+1} + d'x_{k+1,n-k} = x_{k,n-k}$  for  $0 \leq k \leq n$  as follow:

For  $k \geq -1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d'(x_{k+1,n-k-1} - d''x_{k+1,n-k}) &= d'x_{k+1,n-k-1} - d'd''x_{k+1,n-k} \\
 &= d'x_{k+1,n-k-1} + d''d'x_{k+1,n-k} \\
 &= d'x_{k+1,n-k-1} + d''(d''x_{k,n-k+1} + d'x_{k+1,n-k}) \\
 &= d'x_{k+1,n-k-1} + d''x_{k,n-k} \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

By exactness of rows, there exists  $x_{k+2,n-k-1}$  such that

$$d'x_{k+2,n-k-1} = x_{k+1,n-k-1} - d''x_{k+1,n-k} \Leftrightarrow d''x_{k+1,n-k} + d'x_{k+2,n-k-1} = x_{k+1,n-k-1}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\left(\sum_{k=0}^{n+1} x_{k,n+1-k}\right) &= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} (d'x_{k,n+1-k} + d''x_{k,n+1-k}) \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} (x_{k-1,n-k+1} - d''x_{k-1,n-k+2} + d''x_{k,n+1-k}) \\
 &= \sum_{k=0}^n (x_{k,n-k} - d''x_{k,n-k+1}) + \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} d''x_{k,n+1-k} \\
 &= \sum_{k=0}^n x_{k,n-k}
 \end{aligned}$$

□

$C, D$  acyclic  $\Rightarrow C \otimes D$  acyclic

**Exercise 47.0.7.**  $C, D$  are chain complexes with negative degree terms zeros,  $H_n(C) = H_n(D) = 0$  for  $n \neq 0$ , then so is  $C \otimes D$

*Solution.* Apply Exercise 47.0.6

**Exercise 47.0.8.**  $f$  is a retract of  $g$  in the arrow category, if  $g$  is an isomorphism, so is  $f$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{i} & Y & \xrightarrow{r} & X \\
 \downarrow f & & \downarrow g & & \downarrow f \\
 X' & \xrightarrow{i'} & Y' & \xrightarrow{r'} & X'
 \end{array}$$

*Proof.*  $i'g^{-1}r$  is the inverse to  $f$

□



## Chapter 48

# Exercises in partial differential equations

**Exercise 48.0.1.** Consider the heat equation with Neumann's boundary condition:

$$\begin{cases} u_t - \Delta u = 0, & \text{in } \Omega \times \mathbb{R}^+ \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial n} = 0, & \text{on } \Gamma \times \mathbb{R}^+ \\ u(x, 0) = v(x), & \text{in } \Omega \end{cases}$$

(a) Show that  $\overline{u(t)} = \bar{v}$  for  $t \geq 0$ , where  $\bar{v} = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} v(x) dx$  denotes the average of  $v$

(b) Show that  $\|u(t) - \bar{v}\| \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

*Solution.* (a) By divergence theorem, we have

$$0 = \int_{\Omega} u_t - \Delta u = \int_{\Omega} u_t + \nabla 1 \cdot \nabla u - \int_{\partial\Omega} \frac{\partial u}{\partial n} = \int_{\Omega} u_t = \left( \int_{\Omega} u \right)_t$$

Hence  $\int_{\Omega} u = \int_{\Omega} v \Rightarrow \bar{u} = \bar{v}$

(b) By divergence theorem, we have

$$0 = \int_{\Omega} u u_t - u \Delta u = \frac{1}{2} \left( \int_{\Omega} u^2 \right)_t + \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \left( \int_{\Omega} u^2 \right)_t = - \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \leq 0$$

Hence  $\int_{\Omega} u^2 \leq \int_{\Omega} v^2$ . On the other hand, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \int_{\Omega} (u_t - \Delta u)^2 \\ &= \int_{\Omega} u_t^2 - 2u_t \Delta u + (\Delta u)^2 \\ &= \int_{\Omega} u_t^2 - 2\nabla u_t \cdot \nabla u + (\Delta u)^2 \\ &= \int_{\Omega} 2(\Delta u)^2 + \left( \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \right)_t \end{aligned}$$

Which implies  $\int_{\Omega} (\Delta u)^2 = -\frac{1}{2} \left( \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \right)_t$ , thus

$$\left( \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \right)^2 = \left( \int_{\Omega} u \Delta u \right)^2 \leq \int_{\Omega} u^2 \cdot \int_{\Omega} (\Delta u)^2 \leq \int_{\Omega} v^2 \cdot \int_{\Omega} (\Delta u)^2 = -\frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} v^2 \cdot \left( \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2 \right)_t$$

Denote  $\phi := \int_{\Omega} |\nabla u|^2$  which is a function of  $t$ ,  $C := \frac{1}{2} \int_{\Omega} v^2$ , then the above equation becomes

$$\phi^2 \leq -C\phi' \Rightarrow 0 \geq \phi^2 + C\phi' \Rightarrow 0 \geq 1 + C \frac{\phi'}{\phi^2} = \left(t - \frac{C}{\phi}\right)'$$

Which implies

$$t - \frac{C}{\phi(t)} \leq -\frac{C}{\phi(0)} \Rightarrow \frac{C}{\phi(t)} \geq t + \frac{C}{\phi(0)} \geq t \Rightarrow \phi(t) \leq \frac{C}{t}$$

Thus  $\phi(t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$

Now apply Poincaré's lemma, we get

$$\|u - \bar{v}\|_{L^2} = \|u - \bar{u}\|_{L^2} \leq C \|\nabla u\|_{L^2} \rightarrow 0, t \rightarrow \infty$$

□

**Exercise 48.0.2.**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dr} \left( \frac{1}{|\partial B(x, r)|} \int_{\partial B(x, r)} u(y) dS \right) &= \frac{d}{dr} \left( \frac{1}{|\partial B(0, 1)|} \int_{\partial B(0, 1)} u(x + rz) dS \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{|\partial B(0, 1)|} \int_{\partial B(0, 1)} \frac{d}{dr} u(x + rz) dS \\ &= \frac{1}{|\partial B(0, 1)|} \int_{\partial B(0, 1)} z \cdot \nabla u(x + rz) dS \\ &= \frac{1}{|\partial B(x, r)|} \int_{\partial B(x, r)} \nu \cdot \nabla u(y) dS \\ &= \frac{1}{|\partial B(x, r)|} \int_{B(x, r)} \Delta u(y) dy \\ &= \frac{r}{n} \frac{1}{|B(x, r)|} \int_{B(x, r)} \Delta u(y) dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dr} \left( \int_{B(x, r)} u(y) dy \right) &= \frac{d}{dr} \int_0^r \left( \int_{\partial B(x, s)} u(y) dS \right) ds \\ &= \int_{\partial B(x, r)} u(y) dS \end{aligned}$$

**Exercise 48.0.3.**  $\square u = 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}^{3+1}$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $u_t(x, 0) = f(x) \in C^2(\mathbb{R}^3)$ , show that

$$\int_0^\infty |u(0, t)|^2 dt \leq C \|f\|_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^3)}$$

*Proof.* Hint:  $u(x, t) = \frac{t}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(x + tw) dS_w = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} \int_t^\infty \frac{d}{d\lambda} f(x + \lambda t) d\lambda$

$$u(0, t) = \frac{t}{4\pi} \int_{S^2} f(tw) dS_w, |u(x, t)| \leq \frac{C}{t} \int_{\mathbb{R}^3} |\nabla f| dx$$

□

## Chapter 49

# Exercises in algebraic topology

**Exercise 49.0.1.**  $M$  is a locally Euclidean, Hausdorff and connected manifold, then paracompactness implies second countable

*Proof.* An open cover by precompact coordinate charts has a locally finite open refinement  $\{U_i\}$ , each  $U_i$  is precompact and second countable

Define  $S_0 = \{U_0\}$  for some  $U_0$ , since  $\{U_i\}$  is locally finite, define  $S_1$  to be the union of  $S_0$  and those intersects  $U_0$ , repeating this process, we get  $S_2, \dots, S_n, \dots$ , define  $S = \bigcup_{n=0}^{\infty} S_n$

$M$  is connected thus path connected, pick any  $x_0 \in U_0$ , for any  $x \in M$ , there is a path  $\gamma$  connecting  $x_0$  and  $x$ , since  $\gamma$  is compact, it can be covered by  $S$ . Hence  $S$  is an open cover of  $M$ , thus  $M$  is second countable  $\square$

**Exercise 49.0.2.** If  $G$  is a discrete group,  $P$  is connected,  $P \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a principal  $G$  bundle iff it is a regular cover with  $\text{Aut}(p) = G$

*Solution.*  $P \xrightarrow{p} X$  is a fiber bundle thus a cover,  $G$  acts regularly on fibers and  $G \leq \text{Aut}(p)$   $\square$

**Exercise 49.0.3.** Use Theorem 13.0.18 to prove homotopy invariance of maps on homology

*Solution.* Suppose  $F : X \times I \rightarrow Y$  is a homotopy between  $f$  and  $g$ , we only need to prove  $i_0, i_1$  are naturally chain homotopic since  $F i_0 = f, F i_1 = g$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} C_{n+1}(X) & \longrightarrow & C_n(X) & \longrightarrow & C_{n-1}(X) \\ i_0 \downarrow \downarrow i_1 & & i_0 \downarrow \downarrow i_1 & & i_0 \downarrow \downarrow i_1 \\ C_{n+1}(X \times I) & \longrightarrow & C_n(X \times I) & \longrightarrow & C_{n-1}(X \times I) \\ \downarrow F & & \downarrow F & & \downarrow F \\ C_{n+1}(Y) & \longrightarrow & C_n(Y) & \longrightarrow & C_{n-1}(Y) \end{array}$$

Consider  $\mathcal{Top}$  with model  $\mathcal{M} = \{\Delta^n\}$ ,  $F, G : \mathcal{Top} \rightarrow \mathcal{Ch}_{\geq 0}$ ,  $F(X) = C_*(X)$ ,  $G(X) = C_*(X \times I)$ ,  $H_i(\Delta^n \times I) = 0$  for  $i \neq 0$ ,  $F_k(X) = \left\{ \Delta^k \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \Delta^k \xrightarrow{\sigma} X \right\}$ , there is an obvious natural equivalence  $\phi_0 : H_0 F \rightarrow H_0 G$ , then lifts  $i_0, i_1$  are naturally chain homotopic  $\square$

**Exercise 49.0.4.**  $K$  is a CW complex,  $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$  is a weak equivalence, then  $[K, X] \rightarrow [K, Y]$  is a bijection

**Exercise 49.0.5.** Quotient map  $X \xrightarrow{q} Y$  is a homeomorphism iff  $q$  is bijective

*Solution.* If  $q$  is bijective, then for any open subset  $U \subseteq X$ ,  $U = q^{-1}(q(U))$ , by definition,  $q(U)$  is open, i.e.  $q^{-1}$  is continuous  $\square$

Cofibration in a Hausdorff space is closed

**Exercise 49.0.6.** If  $X$  is Hausdorff, then cofibration  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is closed. This is not true if  $X$  is not Hausdorff as showed in Example 41.0.12

*Solution.* Suppose  $A \xrightarrow{i} X$  is a not closed,  $X \times I \xrightarrow{r} X \times \{0\} \cup A \times I$  is the retraction, pick any  $x \in \overline{A} \setminus A$  with  $x_n$  converging to  $x$ , then  $A \times \{1\} \ni r(x, 1) = r(\lim x_n, 1) = \lim r(x_n, 1) = \lim(x_n, 1) = (x, 1)$  which is a contradiction  $\square$

**Exercise 49.0.7.**  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\wedge} \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\vee} \mathbb{R}$  are continuous

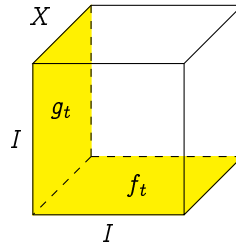
*Solution.*  $x \wedge y = \frac{x + y - |x - y|}{2}$ ,  $x \vee y = \frac{x + y + |x - y|}{2}$   $\square$

**Exercise 49.0.8.**  $Y^I \rightarrow Y$ ,  $\gamma \mapsto \gamma(0)$  and  $Y^I \rightarrow Y \times Y$ ,  $\gamma \mapsto (\gamma(0), \gamma(1))$  are Hurewicz fibrations

*Solution.* Need  $g(x, s) = H(x, 0, s)$ ,  $f(x, t) = H(x, t, 0)$  so that  $g(x, 0) = f(x, 0)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{g} & Y^I \\ \downarrow & \nearrow H & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{f_t} & Y \end{array}$$

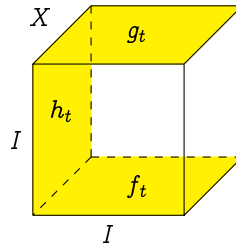
$X \times I^2$  can be deformed onto  $X \times I \cup X \times I = X \times (I \cup I)$



Need  $h(x, s) = H(x, 0, s)$ ,  $f(x, t) = H(x, t, 0)$ ,  $g(x, t) = H(x, t, 1)$  so that  $h(x, 0) = f(x, 0)$ ,  $h(x, 1) = g(x, 0)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{h} & Y^I \\ \downarrow & \nearrow H & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{(f_t, g_t)} & Y \times Y \end{array}$$

$X \times I^2$  can be deformed onto  $X \times I \cup X \times I \cup X \times I = X \times (I \cup I \cup I)$



$\square$



## Chapter 50

# Exercises in differential topology

$\text{Hom}(V, W) = V^* \otimes W$

**Exercise 50.0.1.**  $\text{Hom}(V, W) \rightarrow V^* \otimes W$ ,  $A \mapsto \sum_{i,j} a_{ji} v_i^* \otimes w_j$  is an isomorphism where  $A = (a_{ij})$  is the matrix with respect to basis  $\{v_1^*, \dots, v_m^*\}, \{w_1, \dots, w_n\}$

*Solution.*  $A(v_i) = \sum_j a_{ji} w_j$  □

**Exercise 50.0.2.** Suppose  $M, N$  are smooth manifolds of dimension  $m, n$ ,  $f : M \rightarrow N$  is a smooth map,  $(x^1, \dots, x^m), (y^1, \dots, y^n)$  are local coordinates around  $p \in M, q = f(p) \in N$ , then the corresponding matrix of  $df$  with respect to basis  $(\frac{\partial}{\partial x^1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x^m}), (\frac{\partial}{\partial y^1}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial y^n})$  is  $(\frac{\partial y^i}{\partial x^j})$ . In particular, this gives the change of coordinates formula

*Solution.*

$$df \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \right) (g) = \frac{\partial (g \circ f)}{\partial x^i} = \sum_j \frac{\partial g}{\partial y^j} \frac{\partial y^j}{\partial x^i} = \sum_j \frac{\partial y^j}{\partial x^i} \frac{\partial}{\partial y^j} (g)$$

According to Exercise 50.0.1,  $df = \sum_{i,j} \frac{\partial y^j}{\partial x^i} dx^i \otimes \frac{\partial}{\partial y^j}$ , we can define higher differential  $d^k f = \sum_{i_1, \dots, i_k, j} \frac{\partial y^j}{\partial x^{i_1} \dots \partial x^{i_k}} dx^{i_1} \dots dx^{i_k} \otimes \frac{\partial}{\partial y^j}$  □

Exterior derivative of one form

**Exercise 50.0.3.** Suppose  $\omega \in \Omega^1(M)$ ,  $X, Y \in TM$ , then  $d\omega(X, Y) = X(\omega(Y)) - Y(\omega(X)) - \omega([X, Y])$

*Solution.* By linearity, we can assume  $\omega = u dv$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} d\omega(X, Y) &= d(u dv)(X, Y) \\ &= du \wedge dv(X, Y) \\ &= du(X) dv(Y) - du(Y) dv(X) \\ &= XuYv - YuXv \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned} &X(\omega(Y)) - Y(\omega(X)) - \omega([X, Y]) \\ &= X(u dv(Y)) - Y(u dv(X)) - u dv([X, Y]) \\ &= Xu dv(Y) + uX(dv(Y)) - Yu dv(X) - uY(dv(X)) - u[X, Y]v \\ &= XuYv + uXYv - YuXv - uYXv - uXYv + uYXv \\ &= XuYv - YuXv \end{aligned}$$

□  
Pushforward of vector field

**Exercise 50.0.4.** Suppose  $\phi : M \rightarrow N$  is a map of smooth manifolds, then  $X(f \circ \phi) = ((\phi_* X)f) \circ \phi$

*Solution.*  $X(f \circ \phi)(p) = X_p(f \circ \phi) = \phi_p X_p(f) = (\phi_* X)_{\phi(p)}(f) = ((\phi_* X)f)(\phi(p))$   $\square$

Naturality of Lie bracket

**Exercise 50.0.5.** Suppose  $X, Y$  are vector fields on  $M$ ,  $\phi : M \rightarrow N$  is a smooth map, then  $\phi_*[X, Y] = [\phi_* X, \phi_* Y]$

*Solution.* Apply Exercise 50.0.4

$$\begin{aligned}
 \phi_*[X, Y](f) &= [X, Y](f \circ \phi) \\
 &= X(Y(f \circ \phi)) - Y(X(f \circ \phi)) \\
 &= X(((\phi_* Y)f) \circ \phi) - Y(((\phi_* X)f) \circ \phi) \\
 &= ((\phi_* X)((\phi_* Y)f) \circ \phi - ((\phi_* Y)((\phi_* X)f) \circ \phi) \\
 &= ([\phi_* X, \phi_* Y]f) \circ \phi \\
 &= [\phi_* X, \phi_* Y]f
 \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

# Chapter 51

## Exercises in bundles

**Exercise 51.0.1.**  $E \xrightarrow{p} B$  is a Serre fibration,  $A \xhookrightarrow{i} X$  is a subcomplex, if either  $p$  or  $i$  is a weak equivalence, then we have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & E \\ i \downarrow & \nearrow \exists h & \downarrow p \\ X & \xrightarrow{g} & B \end{array}$$

*Solution.* If  $p$  is a weak equivalence, then fibers are weak contractible  
If  $i$  is a weak equivalence, then  $X$  deformation retracts onto  $A$

□



## Chapter 52

# Exercises in complex geometry



## Chapter 53

# Exercises in Lie groups and Lie algebras

**Exercise 53.0.1.** Suppose  $\mathfrak{g}$  is a real semisimple Lie algebra with a negative definite Killing form, then  $\mathfrak{g}$  is the Lie algebra of some compact Lie group  $G$

*A is the direct sum of ideals  $\Rightarrow$  A is the product of these ideals*

**Exercise 53.0.2.** Suppose  $A$  is a nonassociative algebra,  $A = I_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus I_n$  is a direct sum of ideals, then  $I_i I_j \subseteq I_i \cap I_j = 0$ , hence  $A = I_1 \times \cdots \times I_n$  can be viewed as product of ideals

**Remark 53.0.3.** If  $A = I_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus I_n$  is just a direct sum of subalgebras, Exercise 53.0.2 may not hold true

*Pairwise commuting matrices can be diagonalized simultaneously*

**Exercise 53.0.4.** Let  $S \subseteq M(n, \mathbb{F})$ , ( $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ ) be a set such that  $[X, Y] = 0, \forall X, Y \in S$ , then elements in  $S$  can be diagonalized simultaneously

*Solution.* Suppose  $0 \neq V_\lambda$  is the  $\lambda$ -eigenspace of  $X \in S$ , then for any  $Y \in S$ ,  $XYv = YXv = \lambda Yv$  for  $v \in V_\lambda$ , thus  $YV_\lambda \subseteq V_\lambda$ , thus  $V_\lambda$  is an invariant subspace for all  $Y \in \mathfrak{g}$ , since  $Y$  are all semisimple, by induction we can write  $V$  as a direct sum of  $V_\lambda$ 's, and they are all invariant under any  $Y \in \mathfrak{g}$ , we only need to show that all elements of  $\mathfrak{g}$  can be diagonalized simultaneously on each  $V_\lambda$ , if  $X|_{V_\lambda} = 1_{V_\lambda}$ , then we are done, otherwise we can decompose it into smaller eigenspaces  $\square$

*Finite dimensional toral Lie algebra is abelian and its elements can be diagonalized simultaneously*

**Exercise 53.0.5.** Let  $V$  be a finite dimensional  $\mathbb{F}$  vector space with  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ , and  $\mathfrak{g} \leq \mathfrak{gl}(V)$  be a toral Lie algebra, then  $\mathfrak{g}$  is abelian. Moreover,  $X \in \mathfrak{g}$  can be diagonalized simultaneously

*Solution.* Suppose  $ad(X)|_{\mathfrak{g}} \neq 0$  for some  $X \in \mathfrak{g}$ , since  $\overline{\mathbb{F}} = \mathbb{F}$ , there exists  $0 \neq Y \in \mathfrak{g}$  and  $\lambda \neq 0$  such that  $ad(X)(Y) = \lambda Y$ , by Proposition 9.6.3,  $ad(Y)$  is semisimple, suppose  $\lambda_j, X_j$  are the eigenvalues and linearly independent eigenvectors, then we have  $X = \sum c_j X_j$  with  $c_j \neq 0$ , and  $0 = ad(Y)(\lambda Y) = ad(Y)ad(X)(Y) = -ad(Y)^2(X) = -ad(Y)^2(\sum c_j X_j) = -\sum c_j \lambda_j^2 X_j$ , thus  $c_j \lambda_j^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_j = 0$ , but  $0 \neq \lambda Y = ad(X)(Y) = -ad(Y)(X) = -ad(Y)(\sum c_j X_j) = -\sum c_j \lambda_j X_j = 0$  which is a contradiction

Now that we know  $[\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}] = 0$ , use Lemma 53.0.4, we know all elements of  $\mathfrak{g}$  are diagonalizable simultaneously  $\square$

*Lie group homomorphism has constant rank*

**Exercise 53.0.6.** Lie group homomorphism has constant rank

*Solution.* Let  $\phi : G \rightarrow G'$  be a Lie group homomorphism, for any  $g \in G$ , it suffices to show  $\text{rank}(d\phi)_g = \text{rank}(d\phi)_1$ , since  $\phi(gh) = \phi(g)\phi(h)$ , thus  $\phi \circ L_g = L_{\phi(g)} \circ \phi$ ,  $(d\phi)_g(dL_g)_1 = d(L_{\phi(g)})_1(d\phi)_1$ , and left multiplications are isomorphisms, we have  $\text{rank}(d\phi)_g = \text{rank}(d\phi)_1$   $\square$

**Exercise 53.0.7.** Let  $G$  be a Lie group,  $M, N$  be smooth manifolds with a  $G$  action, and  $G$  acts transitively on  $M$ , for any equivariant map  $f : M \rightarrow N$ ,  $f$  has constant rank

*Solution.* For any  $x \in M$ , denote  $y = f(x)$ , it suffices to show  $\text{rank}(df)_x = \text{rank}(df)_{gx}$  since  $G$  acts transitively on  $M$ , note that  $f(gx) = gf(x)$ , thus  $f \circ L_g = L_g \circ f$ ,  $(df)_{gx}(dL_g)_x = d(L_g)_y(df)_x$ , and group actions are isomorphisms, we have  $\text{rank}(df)_x = \text{rank}(df)_{gx}$   $\square$

**Exercise 53.0.8.** If  $\phi : G \rightarrow H$  be a bijective Lie group homomorphism, then it is an isomorphism

*Solution.* Apply Exercise 53.0.6 and Theorem 22.0.15  $\square$

**Exercise 53.0.9.** Compact semisimple Lie group  $G$  has finite center

*Solution.* Since  $\mathfrak{g} = \text{Lie}(G)$  is semisimple,  $\text{Lie}(Z(G)) \leq Z(\mathfrak{g}) = 0$ , thus  $Z(G)$  is discrete, but  $G$  is compact, so  $Z(G)$  is finite  $\square$

rudimentary facts about topological groups

**Exercise 53.0.10.**  $G$  is a topological group,  $A$  is called **symmetric** if  $A = A^{-1}$

1. Topology of  $G$  is translation invariant,  $U$  is open  $\Rightarrow xU, Ux$  are open
2.  $e \in U$  is a neighborhood, then  $e \in V \subseteq U$  a symmetric neighborhood
3.  $e \in U$  is a neighborhood, then  $e \in V \subseteq VV \subseteq U$  with  $V$  being a symmetric neighborhood
4.  $H \leq G$  is a subgroup, then so is  $\bar{H}$
5. Open subgroups of  $G$  are also closed (closed groups are not necessarily open, consider  $\{e\}$ )
6.  $K_1, K_2 \subseteq G$  are compact sets, so is  $K_1 K_2$
7. Suppose  $G$  is a connected,  $U$  is a neighborhood of 1, then  $G = \langle U \rangle$

*Solution.*

1. Multiplication by  $x$  is an isomorphism with  $x^{-1}$  being its inverse
2. Take  $U \cap U^{-1}$
3. Since the multiplication  $G \times G \rightarrow G$  is continuous, consider the preimage of  $U$  which contains  $V_1 \times V_2$ , take  $V \subseteq V_1 \cap V_2$  symmetric
4. If  $x_\alpha \rightarrow x$ ,  $y_\beta \rightarrow y$ , then  $x_\alpha^{-1} \rightarrow x^{-1}$ ,  $x_\alpha y_\beta \rightarrow xy$ , since these maps are continuous. From this we know that  $\bar{H} = \bigcap F$  where  $F$  runs over all closed subgroup containing  $H$
5. Suppose  $H \leq G$  is open, then  $H = G \setminus \bigcup_{x \neq e} xH$  is closed, thus if  $G$  is connected, then  $H = G$
6.  $K_1 K_2$  is the image of  $K_1 \times K_2$  under multiplication
7. By b, we there is a symmetric neighborhood  $1 \in V \subseteq U$ , let  $V_k$  be the subset of elements can be written in the product of no more the  $k$  elements in  $V$ , then  $V_1 = V$ ,  $V_k = V_1 V_{k-1}$  is open by induction,  $\langle V \rangle = \bigcup_{k=1}^{\infty} V_k$  is also open, by e,  $G$  is generated by  $V$  hence by  $U$ , and if  $G$  is not connected,  $G_0 = \langle V \rangle$  is called the identity component of  $G$

$\square$

**Exercise 53.0.11.**  $G$  is a topological group, if  $G$  is  $T_1$ , then  $G$  is Hausdorff, if  $G$  is not  $T_1$ , then  $H := \overline{\{e\}}$  is normal subgroup,  $G/H$  is a Hausdorff topological group



*Solution.* If  $G$  is  $T_1$ , according to Exercise 53.0.10, for  $x \neq y$ ,  $\exists e \in VV \subseteq U$  with  $V$  a symmetric neighborhood of  $e$  disjoint from  $y^{-1}x$ , then  $xV \cap yV = \emptyset$ , suppose  $z = xv_1 = yv_2$ , then  $y^{-1}x = v_2^{-1}v_1 \in VV$  thus reaches a contradiction

According to Proposition 53.0.10,  $H = \bigcap H_i$ ,  $H_i$  runs over closed subgroups of  $G$ , thus  $H$  is the smallest closed subgroup, if  $H$  is normal, otherwise  $xHx^{-1} \cap H$  is a smaller closed subgroup for some  $x$

In  $G/H$ , identity is closed, by invariance of topology under translation, every point is closed, meaning  $G/H$  is  $T_1$  thus Hausdorff

Checking  $G/H$  is still a topological group:  $g \in \bigcup_x xH$  open in  $G$ , then  $g^{-1} \in (\bigcup_x xH)^{-1} = \bigcup_x H^{-1}x^{-1} = \bigcup_x Hx^{-1} = \bigcup_x x^{-1}H$

If  $V \times W \rightarrow VW \subseteq \bigcup_x xH$ , then  $vw \in \bigcup_x xH$ ,  $\forall v \in V, w \in W$ , then  $\forall h \in H$ ,  $vhw = vww^{-1}hw \in \bigcup_x xH$ , therefore,  $VH \times WH \rightarrow VHW H \subseteq \bigcup_x xH$ , notice that  $VH$  is open as long as  $V$  is open since  $VH = \bigcup_{h \in H} Vh$   $\square$

**Exercise 53.0.12.**  $(,)_B$  is the bilinear form given by matrix  $B$ ,  $O(B) = \{X \in GL_n(\mathbb{C}) | X^T B X = 1\}$ , the Lie algebra is  $\mathfrak{o}(B) = \{X \in M_n(\mathbb{C}) | X^T B + B X = 0\}$

*Solution.*  $\left. \frac{d}{dX} \right|_{X=0} (e^{X^T} B e^X) = X^T B + B X = 0$   $\square$

**Exercise 53.0.13.**  $T = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & \\ & a^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \middle| a \in \mathbb{C}^\times \right\} \subseteq SL(2, \mathbb{C}) = G$  is the torus, the Weyl group

$W(T) = N_G(T)/Z(T) = N/T \cong \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$  is generated by  $\begin{pmatrix} & -1 \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}$

*Solution.* Consider  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in G, ad - bc = 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x & \\ & x^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} adx - bcx^{-1} & ab(x^{-1} - x) \\ cd(x - x^{-1}) & adx^{-1} - bcx \end{pmatrix} \in T$$

For any  $x \in \mathbb{C}^\times$ , which implies that  $ab = cd = 0 \Rightarrow a = d = 0$  or  $b = c = 0$  and

$$\begin{pmatrix} b & \\ & b^{-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} & -b^{-1} \\ b & \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} & -1 \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}$$

$\square$



## Chapter 54

# Exercises in algebraic geometry

**Exercise 54.0.1.**  $H = V(f)$  is a hypersurface,  $f(t_1, \dots, t_n, x) = a_0(t_1, \dots, t_n)x^m + \dots + a_m(t_1, \dots, t_n)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H & \hookrightarrow & \mathbb{A}^{n+1} \\ & \searrow \varphi & \downarrow \\ & & \mathbb{A}^n \end{array}$$

$\varphi$  is finite iff  $a_0 \neq 0$  is a constant.  $\varphi$  is quasifinite  $\Rightarrow a_0, \dots, a_m$  don't have common zeros



## Chapter 55

### Exercise in functional analysis



**Part XVII**

**Miscellaneous**





## Chapter 56

# Hodge structure

**Theorem 56.0.1** (Stokes theorem).  $\langle \partial\Omega, \omega \rangle = \langle \Omega, d\omega \rangle$ , here  $\langle \Omega, \omega \rangle = \int_{\Omega} \omega$

**Theorem 56.0.2** (de Rham's theorem).  $M$  is a smooth manifold.  $H_{\text{dR}}^p(X; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{\cong} H^p(X; \mathbb{R})$  is an isomorphism

*Proof.* Since  $\mathbb{R}$  is a divisible abelian group, thus an injective  $\mathbb{Z}$  module, hence  $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(A, \mathbb{R})$ , thus universal coefficient theorem gives exact sequence

$$0 = \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^1(H_{p-1}(X; \mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow H^p(M; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_p(X; \mathbb{Z}), \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow 0$$

The isomorphism is given by  $H_{\text{dR}}^p(X; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(H_p(X), \mathbb{R})$ ,  $\omega \mapsto \int_{-} \omega$

□



## Chapter 57

# Plucker embedding

**Definition 57.0.1.** Consider the Grassmannian  $\text{Span}\{v_1, \dots, v_k\} \in \text{Gr}_k(n)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} - & v_1 & - \\ & \vdots & \\ - & v_k & - \end{bmatrix}$$

Denote  $W_{i_1, \dots, i_k}$  as the minor of  $i_1, \dots, i_k$ -th columns

Suppose  $i_1 < \dots < i_{k-1}, j_1 < \dots < j_{k+1}$ , the **Plücker relations** are

$$\sum_{l=0}^{k+1} W_{i_1, \dots, i_{k-1}, j_l} W_{j_1, \dots, \widehat{j_l}, \dots, j_{k+1}}$$

**Example 57.0.2.** Consider  $\text{Gr}_2(4)$ , the only Plücker relation is

$$W_{12}W_{34} - W_{13}W_{24} + W_{14}W_{23} = 0$$



## Chapter 58

# Graph theory

**Definition 58.0.1.** A graph is



## Chapter 59

# Moduli space

Consider a parametrized curve  $C = \{(t, \mathbf{x}(t))\}_{t \in I}$ ,  $\mathbf{x}(t) \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , now we change  $I$  to some space  $X$ ,  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  to some algebro-geometric objects, then we have a parametrization of these objects by  $X$

**Definition 59.0.1.**  $U$  is a family of some algebro-geometric objects. A parametrization of  $U$  by space  $X$  is a map  $X \rightarrow U$ , attaching some object  $U_x$  for each  $x \in X$ , we can also think of this map as a section of  $X \times U \rightarrow X$

We say  $X$  is the parametrization space,  $U$  is parametrized over  $X$

A moduli functor  $F$  is a contravariant functor  $Space \rightarrow Set$  that takes a space  $X$  to the set of families of objects over  $X$ , and take a morphism  $f$  to the pullback  $f^*$  that taking section  $s$  to pullback section  $f^*s(y) = (y, \text{Pr}_U s f(y))$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y \times U & \longrightarrow & X \times U \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array}$$

The category of spaces can be the category of schemes, manifolds, topological spaces, etc.

$M$  is a fine moduli space if  $F$  is corepresentable by  $M$ , i.e. there is a natural isomorphism  $\tau : F \rightarrow \text{Hom}(-, M)$ . There is a universal family over  $M$  corresponds to  $1_M \in \text{Hom}(M, M)$ .

Then any family over  $X$  is the pullback along some  $X \xrightarrow{f} M$  of the universal family. The universal family is essentially unique and "tautological"

$M$  is a coarse moduli space if there is exists a natural transformation  $\tau : F \rightarrow \text{Hom}(-, M)$  and universal among these natural transformations, i.e. for any natural transformation  $\tau' : F \rightarrow \text{Hom}(-, M')$ , there is a morphism  $M' \xrightarrow{\phi} M$  such that the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & F & \\ \tau' \swarrow & \downarrow \tau & \\ \text{Hom}(-, M') & \xrightarrow{\exists 1 \phi} & \text{Hom}(-, M) \end{array}$$





## Chapter 60

# Teichmüller space

**Definition 60.0.1.**  $S$  is a orientable surface. A marked Riemann surface is a pair  $(X, f)$  where  $X$  is a Riemann surface and  $S \xrightarrow{f} X$  is a isomorphism, i.e. giving  $X$  a complex structure.  $(X, f)$ ,  $(Y, g)$  are equivalent if  $gf^{-1} : X \rightarrow Y$  is isotopic to an isomorphism, i.e.  $X, Y$  has isotopic complex structures. The Teichmüller space  $T(S)$  of  $S$  is the the equivalence classes of marked Riemann surfaces. The mapping class group acts on  $T(S)$  by  $h \cdot (X, f) = (X, fh^{-1})$ , then  $T(S)$  mod the action is just  $S$

**Example 60.0.2.** By Uniformization theorem 24.0.9,  $T(\mathbb{S}^2)$  is a point corresponds to the Riemann sphere,  $T(\mathbb{R}^2)$  is two points corresponds the complex plane and the unit disc.  $T(A) = [0, 1)$ , where  $A$  is the open annulus, and  $\lambda \in [0, 1)$  corresponds to  $\{\lambda < |z| < \lambda^{-1}\}$  according to Exercise 46.2.21



## Chapter 61

# Mapping class group

**Definition 61.0.1.** Suppose  $\text{Aut}(X)$  has a natural topology, the mapping class group is  $\text{Aut}(X)/\text{Aut}_0(X)$ , where  $\text{Aut}_0(X)$  is the path connected component of the identity, hence we have exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Aut}_0(X) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(X) \rightarrow \text{MCG}(X) \rightarrow 0$$

If  $X$  is a space, then a path connecting  $f, g \in \text{Aut}(X)$  is an isotopy

**Example 61.0.2.**  $\text{MCG}(S^2) = \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$



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