

Quotient Spaces. (Armstrong)

Defn: X, Y are topological spaces. $q: X \rightarrow Y$ is surjective. It is called quotient map if $\forall U \subseteq Y$ $q^{-1}(U)$ open $\Rightarrow U$ is open.

Example. ① Projection map.

② Open map that is surjective is a quotient map.

③ $p: X \rightarrow Y$ Surjective and closed map, then it's a quotient map.

open but not close map

$$\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \pi: (\underset{\text{closed}}{xy=1, x>0}) \rightarrow (\underset{\text{open}}{(0, \infty)})$$

closed map but not open

$$[-3, 2] \rightarrow [0, 1] \rightarrow \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \in [0, 1] \\ 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 1 & \text{if } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

($p: X \rightarrow Y$ is surjective from cpt to Hausdorff)

it's not open

! I think: $[0, 1] \rightarrow S^1$ works too.

Example of quotient map that is not open or closed

$$X \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2, X = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x \leq 0 \text{ or } y = 0\} \rightarrow X\text{-axis}$$

$$U \subseteq \mathbb{R}, \text{ s.t. } \pi^{-1}(U) \text{ is open. } 1) x > 0, \quad \pi^{-1}(x) = \{(x, 0)\} \quad 2) x < 0 \quad \exists \epsilon \text{-ball } \subseteq \pi^{-1}(x) \quad \dots \quad 3) x = 0, \quad \pi^{-1}(0) = \{0\} \times \mathbb{R}$$

So, it's a quotient map.

$$\Rightarrow (x - \epsilon, x + \epsilon) \subseteq U$$

$\Rightarrow U$ is open



Gluing Lemma: $X = A \cup B$, A and B are closed.

$f: X \rightarrow Z$ s.t. $f|_A$ and $f|_B$ are continuous. Then f is continuous.

(Similar statement holds for open A, B)

Lemma: Compact \rightarrow Hausdorff Surjective map is quotient map.

Example: ① $[0, 1] \rightarrow S^1$ ($t \mapsto e^{2\pi i t}$)

$$\begin{aligned} ② D^n &\longrightarrow S^n ; \quad \text{int}(D^n) \xrightarrow{q} \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{st^{-1}} S^1 \setminus N \quad ; \quad \psi: x \mapsto \frac{\|x\|^2}{1-\|x\|^2} \cdot \frac{x}{\|x\|} \\ D^n \setminus \text{int}(D^n) &\longrightarrow N \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \text{Combining these two we get } \psi.$$

Show that ψ is continuous. ① $U \not\ni N$, then $\psi^{-1}(U)$ is open

② $U \ni N$, then $\psi^{-1}(U)^c = \psi^{-1}(U^c)$ is compact.

So, $\psi: D^n \rightarrow S^n$ is a quotient map. □

Quotient Topology



Defn: Call $U \subseteq Y$ open if $q^{-1}(U)$ is open. This defines a topology on Y .

[Here, $q: X \text{(top)} \rightarrow Y \text{(set)}$ Surj map].

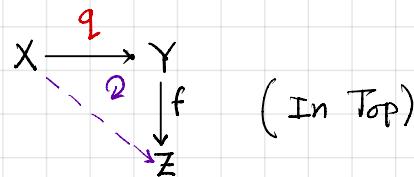
OBSERVATION.

- 1) $q: X \rightarrow Y$ is cont
- 2) $q: X \rightarrow Y$ is quotient map.
- 3) $p: X \rightarrow Y$ is quotient map. Then the topology on Z is same as quot. top.

UNIVERSAL PROPERTY.

① $q: X \rightarrow Y$ surj, Y has quotient topology. $f: X \rightarrow Z$ is continuous $\Leftrightarrow f \circ q: X \rightarrow Z$ is cont.

Proof. (\Rightarrow) Trivial (\Leftarrow) Suppose, $f \circ q$ is cont. $(f \circ q)^{-1} U$ is open $\Rightarrow q^{-1}(f^{-1}(U))$ is open
here, U is open $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(U)$ open



Remark: $\{ \text{Surjective functions} \}_{\text{from } X} \longleftrightarrow \{ \text{equivalence relation} \}_{\text{on } X} \rightarrow$ If X is top. then,
 $q: X \rightarrow X/\sim$ Surj gives a topology on X/\sim .

Example: $[0,1] \rightarrow S^1$. Here 1:0.

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Q: $p: X \rightarrow Y$ be a quotient map. Then the quotient topology is the finest topology that makes p continuous.

Defn: (Weak topology) ... Eg product topology on $\prod X_\alpha$ that makes projection π_α continuous.

• $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be surjective function so that V open if $f^{-1}(V)$ is open. Suppose J is a topology on Y s.t. $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is cont $\Rightarrow (\forall V \in J \Rightarrow f^{-1}(V)$ is open in X) So, $\forall V \in Q_{\text{top}}$

UNIVERSAL Prop.

$$\text{Map}(X/\sim, Z) = \{ \varphi \in \text{Map}(X, Z) : x \sim x_1 \Rightarrow \varphi(x) = \varphi(x_1) \}$$

- Surjective open/closed map are quotient map

(Closed mapping Lemma.) $f: X \rightarrow Y$ ($X = \text{Cpt}, Y = \text{Hausdorff}, f$ is cont.) Surjective then it is a quotient map.

Example. $[0,1] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} \Phi \\ f \end{matrix}} S^1 \xrightarrow{\text{e}^{2\pi i t}} [0,1]/_{\sim_{0,1}} \cong_{\text{homeo}} S^1$

(universal prop.)

$$\textcircled{2} \quad [0,1] \times [0,1] / (x,0) \sim (x,1) \stackrel{\cong}{\longrightarrow} \text{A rectangle} \xrightarrow{q} \text{A cylinder}$$

Define,

$$I \times I \longrightarrow I \times S$$

$$(x,y) \longmapsto (x, e^{2\pi i y})$$

$\downarrow e$ homeo (universal prop)

$$\textcircled{3} \quad [0,1] \times [0,1] / (x,0) \sim (x,1), (0,y) \sim (1,y) \xrightarrow{\text{(similar proof)}} \text{A torus}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad (\text{Möbius Strip}) \quad [0,1] \times [0,1] / (0,y) \sim (1,1-y)$$



$$\textcircled{5} \quad S^2 / (UUU) \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \text{removing one} \\ \text{more open ball} \end{matrix} \cong \text{Annulus} \quad \text{Cylinder} \cong \{x : r \leq |x| \leq R\}$$

Note that $S^2 / U \cong D^2$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \cong S^1 \times S^1 \quad (\text{Handle Attachment}).$$

Attaching handle to $S^2 / (UUU)$ gives us Torus.

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \text{Attaching handle to Torus.} \quad \text{Inductively} \dots \Sigma_g := \text{genus } g \text{-surface}$$

(Polygonaal Presentation)

$$\text{For, } \Sigma_g = \text{a } 4g\text{-sided regular polygon with edges identified like } a_1 b_1 a_1^{-1} b_1^{-1} a_2 b_2 a_2^{-1} b_2^{-1} \dots$$

will give us surface of genus g .

(Classification of Surface)

Σ is a surface contained in \mathbb{R}^3 which is closed, $\partial\Sigma = \emptyset$, then $\exists g \geq 0$ such that,

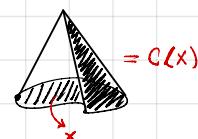
$$\Sigma \cong \Sigma_g$$

X is top space and $A \subseteq X$ closed subspace. $X/A = X / \{aa' : a, a' \in A\}$ (Defn)

Exercise. If X is compact and A is closed. Then $(X/A)^+ \cong_{\text{homeo}} X/A$.
(Hausdorff)

Application. ① $[0,1]/\sim \rightarrow S^1$ Defn: $C(X) = X \times [0,1] / X \times \{0\}$

② $D^n / \partial D^n \cong S^n$



Example. ① $C(S^1) = D^2$, $S^1 \times [0,1] \rightarrow D^2$

$$(z,t) \xrightarrow{\text{homeo}} tz$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$S^1 \times [0,1] / S^1 \times \{0\}$$

..... Induction $C(S^n) = D^{n+1}$

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G be a group acts on a Space X ($G \curvearrowright X$) by continuous function.
 (It means $\varphi_g : X \rightarrow X$, $x \mapsto g \cdot x$ is cont), So φ_g is actually a homeomorph.
 Thus view $G \leq \text{Homeo}(X)$.

If, X is a G -Space, there is a equiv relation on X , $x \sim y \Leftrightarrow y = g \cdot x$ for some $g \in G$.
 Thus, $X/\sim = X/G$ is orbit Space. Put quotient topology on X/G .

$$q : X \rightarrow X/G$$

UNIVERSAL PROP. Map $(X/G, \mathbb{Z}) = \{ f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} : f(x) = f(gx) \}$.

Example. $C_2 \curvearrowright S^n$, $\{\text{id}, \sigma\} = C_2$. $\sigma(x) = -x$. Now consider, ①

$S^n/C_2 := \mathbb{RP}^n$ (Real projective Space).

② $\mathbb{RP}^n := \{ \text{Set of lines in } \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \} = \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} / x \sim -x$

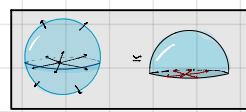
③ $\mathbb{RP}^n := D^n / x \sim -x$ for $x \in S^{n-1}$

All these are equivalent.

① and ②

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} S^n & \xhookrightarrow{i} & \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} & \xrightarrow{x \sim -x} & S^n \\ \tilde{q} \downarrow & \circ & \downarrow q & \circ & \downarrow \tilde{q} \\ S^n/C_2 & \dashrightarrow & \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} & \dashrightarrow & S^n/C_2 \\ & & \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} & & \\ \text{Bijection} & & & \text{Bijection +} & \\ & \text{cts} & & \text{cts} & \end{array}$$

① and ③

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D^n & \xhookrightarrow{i} & S^n \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{cpt} \rightarrow \text{Hausdorff} \\ D^n / x \sim -x & \xrightarrow{\text{univ}} & S^n / C_2 \\ \text{Bijection} & & \text{Bijection + cts} \\ & & \end{array}$$


Example (Complex projective Space)

\mathbb{CP}^n : ① Consider, $S^n_{\mathbb{C}} = \{ (z_0, \dots, z_n) : \sum |z_i|^2 = 1 \} \cong_{\text{homeo}} S^{2n+1}_{\mathbb{R}}$. Note, $S^1_{\mathbb{R}} \subset S^n_{\mathbb{C}}$
 By, $r.(z_0, \dots, z_n) = (rz_0, \dots, rz_n)$. $\mathbb{CP}^n = S^n_{\mathbb{C}} / S^1_{\mathbb{R}}$

② $\mathbb{CP}^n = \mathbb{C}^{n+1} \setminus \{0\} / x \sim \lambda x$

③ ?

\mathbb{CP}^n is Hausdorff. $\mathbb{CP}^n / \mathbb{CP}^{n-1} \cong_{\text{homeo}} \mathbb{C}^n$.
 (here, $\mathbb{CP}^{n-1} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{CP}^n$
 $[z_0, \dots, z_n] \rightarrow [z_0, \dots, z_{n-1}, 0]$)

General Case

$$P_k(V) = V / \{0\} / k^* ; V \text{ is i.p.s and } V \in \text{Vec}_k.$$

$$V \hookrightarrow V \otimes k, P_k(V \otimes k) \xrightarrow{\sim} P_k(V)$$

Now we can do the same for R.C.

If, L_1, L_2 are two lines in V . $W \subseteq V$. $\dim W = \dim V - 1$
So that, L_1, L_2 don't contain in W . So,

$[L_1], [L_2] \in P_k(V) | P_k(W) \cong_{\text{homeo}} V$ (Hausdorff).

It's enough as $P_k(W)$ is closed Subset of $P_k(V)$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 P_k(v) & \xleftarrow{\quad} & P_k(v \oplus k) \\
 \cong \downarrow & & \downarrow \cong \\
 k^{\dim(v)-1} & \longrightarrow & k^{\dim(v)} \\
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 \end{array}$$

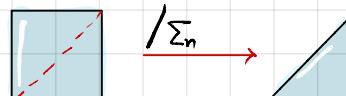
this gives us $P_k(v \oplus k) / P_k(v) \cong V$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S(W) & \xrightarrow{\text{closed}} & S(\mathbb{C}^{n+1}) \\
 \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong \\
 S(W) / S_1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & S(\mathbb{C}^{n+1}) / S_1
 \end{array}$$

Example: n -Simplex; Δ^n .

$$\Delta^n = \left\{ (t_0, \dots, t_n) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} : \sum t_i = 1 \right\}$$

$n=2$,



Defn: An i -dim face of Δ^n = pts in Δ^n obtained by i vertices from the Set, $S \subseteq \{e_0, \dots, e_{n+1}\}$, $|S| = i+1$.

Let, $[0,1]^n$ and Consider the action $\Sigma_n \curvearrowright [0,1]^n$ by permuting Co-ordinate

$$(x,y) \mapsto (-, -, -)$$

Rough!

$$xy, \frac{x+y}{x+y+z}, \frac{xy}{x+y+z}, \frac{1}{x+y+z}$$

Examples of faces of Δ^n : # i -dim faces = $\binom{n+1}{i+1}$.

Defn: A Simplicial Complex K is a Space obtained as a union of Simplices Such that two Simplices may have atmost one face in Common identified linearly.

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$$\Sigma_n \curvearrowright [0,1]^n; [0,1]^n = \bigcup_{\sigma \in \Sigma_n} P_\sigma; P_\sigma = \left\{ (x_0, \dots, x_n) \in [0,1]^n : 0 \leq x_{\sigma(1)} \leq \dots \leq x_{\sigma(n)} \leq 1 \right\}$$

$$\text{Now, } P_\sigma \xrightarrow{\Phi_\sigma} \Delta^n \quad (x_0, \dots, x_n) \mapsto (x_{\sigma(1)}, x_{\sigma(2)} - x_{\sigma(1)}, \dots, 1 - x_{\sigma(n)})$$

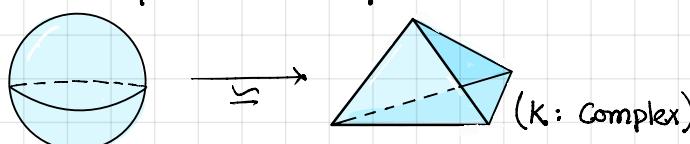
These $\{\Phi_\sigma\}$ → rule to get $\Phi: [0,1]^n \rightarrow \Delta^n$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & \downarrow & \\
 [0,1]^n & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \Delta^n \\
 & \nearrow \text{UNIVERSAL PROPERTY.} &
 \end{array}$$

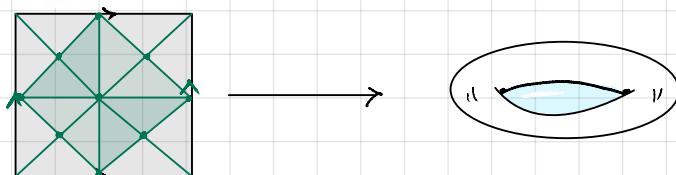
Simplicial Complex.

Defn: A Simplicial Complex K is a Space obtained by identifying a Collection of Simplices along faces via linear Isomorphism such that two different Simplices can have atmost 1-face in Common.

Example: ① S^2 as Simplicial Complex. $D^3 \cong \partial D^3 \cong \partial D^3 \cong S^2$



(2) Torus. \mathbb{T}



(3) Similarly triangulate \mathbb{RP}^2 and Klein \mathbb{KTOR} (Bottle \equiv Arsenal).

Push-out (category)

$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{i} & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \dashrightarrow & P \end{array}$ given this data the P.O of the diagram is defined as,
 $X \cup_A Y := \frac{X \sqcup Y}{\begin{matrix} i(a) \sqcup j(a) \\ \forall a \in A \end{matrix}} = P.$

UNIVERSAL PROPERTY.

$$\text{Map}(X \cup_A Y; Z) = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} A \xrightarrow{i} Y \\ \downarrow \\ X \dashrightarrow Z \end{array} \right\} \quad \text{Also,}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{i} & Y \\ j \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X & \dashrightarrow & P \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \\ & & Z \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ X & \hookrightarrow & C(X) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ * & \dashrightarrow & S(X) \end{array} \quad (\text{suspension})$$

Example.

(1)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \partial \Delta^n & \hookrightarrow & \Delta^n \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \Delta^n & \dashrightarrow & S^n \end{array}$$

(2)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \hookrightarrow & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ * & \dashrightarrow & X/A \end{array}$$

(3)

Based Spaces

Let, $X \in \text{Top}$ and $x_0 \in X$, then (X, x_0) is a based space. Based map, map b/w based space that are basepoint preserving.

Top_*

In Top_* we can define Wedge Product.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} * & \longrightarrow & (X, x_0) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ (*, y_0) & \xrightarrow{\Gamma} & X \vee Y \end{array}$$

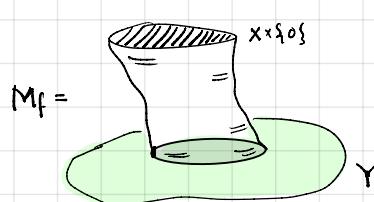
$\text{Map}_*(X, Y) =$ Base point preserving $\text{Map}(X, Y)$. Now,

$$\text{Map}_*(X \vee Y; Z) = \text{Map}_*(X; Z) \times \text{Map}_*(Y; Z)$$

So, Wedge is Co-product in Top_* .

Defⁿ: (Mapping cylinder). If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ a map, then M_f is the pushout,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{x \mapsto (x, 1)} & X \times I \\ f \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \dashrightarrow & M_f \end{array}$$



Mapping cone.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \longrightarrow & C(X) \\ f \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \dashrightarrow & C_f \end{array}$$

Smash Product.

$$X \wedge Y = X \times Y / X \vee Y.$$

$$\text{Prop. } S^n \wedge S^m \cong S^{n+m}$$

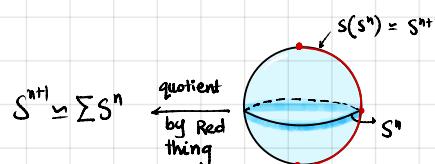
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proof. } S^n \wedge S^m &\cong \frac{S^n \times S^m}{S^n \vee S^m} \cong \frac{S^n \times S^m}{S^n \times \{*\} \cup \{*\} \times S^m} \\ &\cong \frac{D^n / \partial D^n \times D^m / \partial D^m}{D^n / \partial D^n \times \{\partial D^m\} \cup \{\partial D^n\} \times D^m / \partial D^m} \\ &\cong \frac{D^n \times D^m}{(D^n \times \partial D^m) \cup (\partial D^n \times D^m)} \cong \frac{D^n \times D^m}{\partial(D^n \times D^m)} \cong S^{n+m} \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\partial(D^{n+m}) \cong \partial D^n \times D^m \cup D^n \times \partial D^m$ and for $n=m=2$, we get,

$$S^3 \cong D^2 \times S^1 \cup S^1 \times D^2 \quad (\text{two solid torus})$$

Reduced Cone: (over Based Space) $\tilde{C}(X) := C(X) / \{x \in [0, 1] \mid x \neq 0\}$

Reduced Suspension: $\Sigma X = \tilde{C}(X) \cup_X \tilde{C}(X) = S(X) / \{x \in [0, 1] \mid x \neq 0, 1\} \cong \tilde{C}(X) / X$



Cone of X and reduced cone of X are homeo if the based point has good nbhd.

Proposition: $\Sigma X \cong X \wedge S^1$

Proof.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times I & \xrightarrow{\text{quotient}} & \Sigma X \\ \downarrow \text{quotient} & & \downarrow \\ X \times S^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{quo.}} & X \wedge S^1 \end{array}$$

Identification:
 $(x, 0) \sim (x, 1)$
 $(x, t) \sim x \quad (\text{class of } 0, 1)$

Associativity of Smash product.

$$(X \wedge Y) \wedge Z \cong X \wedge (Y \wedge Z)$$

$$\hookrightarrow S^n \cong S^1 \wedge S^1 \wedge \dots \wedge S^1$$

Corollary. $S^{n+m} \cong S^n \wedge S^m$.

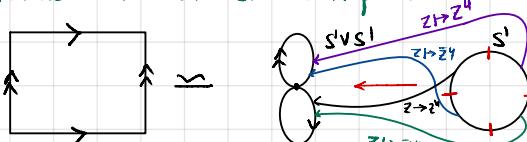
Cell Attachment.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{f} & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ D^n & \dashrightarrow & P \end{array}$$

The pushout of the diagram (P) is obtained by attaching cell to X along f .

Ex. Show that P is actually $\text{Cone}(f)$

Torus as a CW complex.



Now call this map φ . Then Torus is given by P.O.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^1 & \longrightarrow & S^1 \wedge S^1 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ D^2 & \dashrightarrow & T^2 \end{array}$$

CW Complex.

Defn: A CW Complex X has chain of subspaces,

$$\emptyset = X^{(-1)} \subset X^{(0)} \subset X^{(1)} \subset X^{(2)} \subset \dots \subset X^{(n)} \dots$$

Such that $X = \bigcup_{n \geq 0} X^{(n)}$ With the properties —

① $X^{(0)}$ is discrete space

② $X^{(n)}$ is obtained from $X^{(n-1)}$ by attaching cells $\varphi_a : S^{n-1} \rightarrow X^{(n-1)}$ i.e. we have the following po diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \coprod S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{\varphi_a} & X^{(n-1)} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \coprod D^n & \longrightarrow & X^{(n)} \end{array}$$

③ A is open in $X \Leftrightarrow A \cap X^{(n)}$ is open $\forall n \geq 0$.

Back to the Torus Example. $X = \mathbb{T}^2$; $X^{(0)} = \{\text{pt}\}$, $X^1 = (S^1 \vee S^1)$, $X^2 = \mathbb{T}^2$

Another examples: \mathbb{RP}^2 , K (klein bottle)

The example of \mathbb{RP}^n

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow[\text{identification}]{\text{antipodal}} & \mathbb{RP}^{n-1} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ D^n & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{RP}^n \end{array}$$

So, $X^{(i)} = \mathbb{RP}^i$ for $i \leq n$
is the CW Complex
Structure of $X = \mathbb{RP}^n$

The example of \mathbb{CP}^n

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{2n-1} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{CP}^{n-1} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ D^{2n} & \xrightarrow{\text{quot.}} & \mathbb{CP}^n \\ \coprod S^{2n+1} & \xrightarrow{\text{quot.}} & \end{array}$$

So, $X^{(2i)} = \mathbb{CP}^i$
is the CW Complex
Structure of \mathbb{CP}^n

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TOPOLOGICAL GROUPS

Let G be a group with $m: G \times G \rightarrow G$ and $i: G \rightarrow G$ be the multiplication and inverse maps respectively.

(Associativity).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G \times G \times G & \xrightarrow{m \times id} & G \times G \\ id \times m \downarrow & \circlearrowleft & \downarrow m \\ G \times G & \xrightarrow{m} & G \end{array}$$

(Identity).

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & * \times id & \nearrow & G \times G & \searrow m \\ G & \xrightarrow{id} & G & \xrightarrow{id} & G \\ & id \times * & \searrow & G \times G & \nearrow m \end{array}$$

(Inverse).

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & id \times id & \nearrow & G \times G & \searrow m \\ G & \xrightarrow{id} & G & \xrightarrow{id} & G \\ & id \times i & \searrow & G \times G & \nearrow m \end{array}$$

Definition. A **topological group** G is a topological space which is also a group such that the functions $m: G \times G \rightarrow G$ and $i: G \rightarrow G$ are continuous.

Examples. 1. Any group under discrete topology is a topological group.

2. $(\mathbb{R}^n, +)$ under standard topology is a topological group

3. $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +)$, $(M_n(\mathbb{C}), +)$ are topological groups under subspace topology of \mathbb{R}^{n^2} , \mathbb{C}^{n^2}

4. $(GL_n(\mathbb{R}), \times)$ is a topological group under subspace topology of \mathbb{R}^{n^2} , same is true for $(GL_n(\mathbb{C}), \times)$

5. $S^1 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| = 1\}$ under complex multiplication is a topological group.

6. $O(n) := \{A \in M_n(\mathbb{R}) : AA^t = I_n\}$ is a topological group under matrix multiplications, further

$SO(n) := \{A \in O(n) : \det A = 1\}$ is also a topological group, analogously we can consider

$U(n) := \{A \in V(n) : AA^* = I\}$ is also a topological group and so is $SU(n) = \{A \in U(n) : \det A = 1\}$.

Remark. S^1 , $O(n)$, $SO(n)$, $U(n)$ and $SU(n)$ are compact, this follows from Heine-Borel Theorem,

as all of them are closed and bounded, further S^1 , $SO(n)$, $SU(n)$, $U(n)$, $GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ are connected

but $GL_n(\mathbb{R})$ and $O(n)$ are not connected.

Definition. Let G be a topological group and X a topological space. G is said to act continuously on a space X if the action map $G \times X \rightarrow X$ is continuous. (Note, when G is discrete, this is equivalent to $X \xrightarrow{\ell_2} X$, $n \mapsto g_x$ is continuous).

Proposition 20.1. Let $Y \xrightarrow{f} Z$ be a quotient map and let X be locally compact, then $id \times f: X \times Y \rightarrow X \times Z$

is also a quotient map.

Proof. \square) Exercise.

Now let G be a locally compact topological group and $H \subseteq G$ be a closed subgroup of G , then G acts continuously on G/H by the action $G \times G/H \rightarrow G/H$, $(g, uH) \mapsto guH$ (as $q \circ m: G \times G \rightarrow G/H$ is continuous and $G \times G \xrightarrow{\text{id} \times q} G \times G/H$ is a quotient map, we get that the action map is continuous).

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G \times G & \xrightarrow{m} & G \\ \downarrow \text{id} \times q & \lrcorner & \downarrow q \\ G \times G/H & \xrightarrow{\text{action}} & G/H \end{array}$$

Proposition 20.2. Let G be a topological group and let $H \subseteq G$ be a closed subgroup, then the quotient map $q: G \rightarrow G/H$ is an open map.

Proof. Let $U \subseteq G$ be open, then $q^{-1}(q(U)) = \{g \in G : gH \in q(U)\}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \{g \in G : g \in HU\} \\ &= \bigcup_{h \in H} hU \text{ which is open, as each term is open} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, as q is a quotient map we get that $q(U)$ is open in G . \blacksquare

In particular Proposition 20.2 implies that $G \times G \xrightarrow{\text{id} \times q} G \times G/H$ is an open map, hence a quotient map, thus we actually don't need locally compactness of G , and we always have G acts continuously on G/H .

ORBIT SPACES

Example 1. $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z} \cong S^1$. We have $\mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{t \mapsto S^1}, t \mapsto e^{2\pi i t}$ by universal property of quotient spaces we get $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z} \cong S^1$.

$$\begin{array}{c} \cong \\ \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z} \end{array}$$

Similarly we have $\mathbb{R}^2/\mathbb{Z}^2 \cong \mathbb{T}$.

2. We have earlier seen that $S^n/\{\pm 1\} \cong RP^n$ and $S^{2n+1}/S^1 \cong CP^n$.

3. $O(n)/SO(n) \cong \{\pm 1\}$, and analogously $U(n)/SU(n) \cong S^1$.

4. $SO(n+1)/SO(n) \cong S^n$, $U(n+1)/U(n) \cong S^{2n+1}$ and $SU(n+1)/SU(n) \cong S^{2n+1}$, $n \geq 1$.

\hookrightarrow Note that $SO(n+1) \curvearrowright S^n$ acts transitively and then by Orbit Stabilizer Theorem we get

$SO(n+1)/SO(n) \cong \text{Stab}_{SO(n+1)}(e_n) \cong \text{Orb}_{SO(n+1)}(e_n) \cong S^n$, and this is a homeomorphism as S^n is

Hausdorff and $SO(n+1)/SO(n)$ is compact. The other results are analogous.

Proposition 20.3. Let $X \xrightarrow{f} Y$ be an open quotient map such that Y is connected and $\forall y \in Y$, we have $f^{-1}(y)$ is connected, then X is connected.

Proof. Let $X = U \cup V$ be a separation of X . Then $Y = f(U) \cup f(V)$, but then as Y is connected, we must have $f(U) \cap f(V) \neq \emptyset$, thus $\exists y \in Y$ such that $f^{-1}(y) \in (f^{-1}(y) \cap U) \cup (f^{-1}(y) \cap V)$ and both terms are non-empty, but $f^{-1}(y)$ is connected thus we get a contradiction! ■

Theorem 20.4. $SO(n)$ is connected.

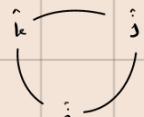
Proof. We proceed by induction, $SO(1) = \{1\}$ is obviously connected. Let $SO(n)$ is connected, then as $SO(n+1)/SO(n) \cong S^n$ it is connected and $SO(n+1) \rightarrow SO(n+1)/SO(n)$ is an open surjective map, hence by previous proposition we get $SO(n+1)$ is connected. ■

Analogously we can show that $U(n)$ and $SU(n)$ are also connected. We can also prove that $GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ is connected but this requires a little more work!

QUATERNION ALGEBRA

We will denote by \mathbb{H} the quaternion algebra, which is a division ring. We can view

$$\mathbb{H} = \mathbb{R} \oplus \mathbb{R}i \oplus \mathbb{R}j \oplus \mathbb{R}k,$$



and multiplication is generated by the distributive law and the formula

$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = -1$, and $ij = k$, $jk = i$ and $ki = j$ and i, j, k are anti-commutative. Note that if $w = a + bi + cj + dk$, then $\bar{w} = a - bi - cj - dk$, check that $w \cdot \bar{w} = \|w\|^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2$, and in general verify that $\|w_1 \cdot w_2\| = \|w_1\| \cdot \|w_2\|$. In particular we have \mathbb{H} is a division ring.

We can consider $S^3 = S(\mathbb{H}) := \{w \in \mathbb{H} : |w|=1\}$ unit quaternions, is a group under multiplication

Theorem 20.5. We have $SU(2) \cong S^3$ and $SO(3) \cong RP^3$.

Proof. Idea! Write \mathbb{H} as $\mathbb{C} \oplus \mathbb{C}j$. Then $w \in S^3$, $w = \underbrace{(a+bi)}_u + vj$, with $|u|^2 + |v|^2 = 1$. Check that $\mathbb{H} \xrightarrow{\psi_w} \mathbb{H}$, $x \mapsto xw$ is \mathbb{C} -linear, then the matrix of ψ_w is $\begin{bmatrix} u & -\bar{v} \\ v & \bar{u} \end{bmatrix} \in SU(2)$. Thus we get a group homomorphism $\varphi : S^3 \rightarrow SU(2)$, $w \mapsto \psi_w$ is a group isomorphism.

For the second statement we show that $S^3/\{\pm 1\} \cong SO(3)$, which will complete the proof of the theorem. Let $w \in S^3$, $\mathbb{H} \xrightarrow{Clw} \mathbb{H}$, $x \mapsto w \times w^{-1}$ is \mathbb{R} -linear and takes $1 \mapsto 1$, and it preserves the norm. Thus $Cl(w)$ is an orthogonal transformation. Then as $\mathbb{R}^4 \subseteq \mathbb{H}$ is $\mathbb{R}_i^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_j^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_k^2$, we have $Cl(w) : \mathbb{R}_i^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_j^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_k^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_i^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_j^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_k^2$. Then we get a map $S^3 \xrightarrow{\cong} SO(3)$, $w \mapsto Cl(w)|_{\mathbb{R}_i^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_j^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_k^2}$ (to check that $\det(Cl(w)) = 1$, just note that $S^3 \xrightarrow{Clw} O(3) \xrightarrow{\det} \{\pm 1\}$, has to be the constant map at 1).

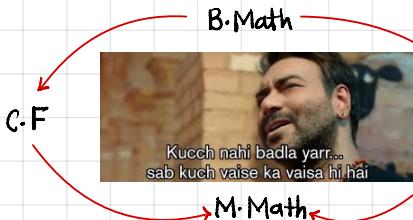
Now $\ker C = \{\pm 1\}$, thus we have a group homomorphism $S^3/\{\pm 1\} \cong \text{im } C$.

So its enough to show that $C : S^3 \rightarrow SO(3)$ is surjective. Let $A \in SO(3)$, then $\exists v \in \mathbb{R}_i^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_j^2 \oplus \mathbb{R}_k^2$

such that $Av = \pm v$. Now extend v to an orthonormal basis say v, u, w now with respect to v, u, w the matrix of A is of the form $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \text{so}(2) \end{bmatrix}$ or $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & \text{so}(2) \end{bmatrix}$. Enough to show that

the matrices of the form $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ 0 & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$ are in the image of C . (Verify this part!) ■

§ Category and Functors



$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Cone: } \text{Top} & \rightarrow \text{Top} \\ \text{Susp: } \text{Top} & \rightarrow \text{Top} \\ \text{Cyl: } \text{Top} & \rightarrow \text{Top} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \Sigma: \text{Top}_x & \rightarrow \text{Top}_x \\ \Delta: \text{Top}_x & \rightarrow \text{Top}_x \\ \wedge: \text{Top}_x \wedge \text{Top}_y & \rightarrow \text{Top}_z \end{array}$$

Pushout as functor: $\text{Top} \leftrightarrow \rightarrow \text{Top}$

Main Focus
from Top_x and functors to \square
Changes Suitably

$$\text{obj}(\text{Top}) = \{ \begin{matrix} \text{A} \rightarrow \text{x} \\ \text{B} \end{matrix} \}$$

§ Natural Transformation

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{C} \xrightarrow{F} D \\ \downarrow N \\ \mathcal{C} \xrightarrow{G} D \end{array}$$

$N: F \Rightarrow G$ is a natural transformation if, for any object $c \in \mathcal{C}$ and morph $N(c): F(c) \rightarrow G(c)$ So that the following diagram commutes (for $C_1, C_2 \in \mathcal{C}$)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f: C_1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_2 \\ F(C_1) & \xrightarrow{F(f)} & F(C_2) \\ N(C_1) \downarrow & & \downarrow N(C_2) \\ G(C_1) & \xrightarrow{G(f)} & G(C_2) \end{array}$$

For a group G , we can define a category \mathcal{G} . $\text{Obj} = \{*\}$. Mor $(*, *) = G$. (comp. by mult)

Sets G ; $\text{obj}(\text{Sets}^G) = \text{functors } g: \text{Sets} \rightarrow \text{Sets}$

$f(*): \text{Sets}$ and $f(g): \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Set}$
with $f(gh) = f(g) \circ f(h)$

Morphism: G -equivariant maps

$$\text{Vect}_k^G = \text{Rep}(G) = k[G]-\text{modules}$$

§ Isomorphism in category.

Homotopy.

Let, f and g are two maps $: X \rightarrow Y$ and let, $H: X \times I \rightarrow Y$ such that

$H(x, 0) = f$, $H(x, 1) = g$. Then $f \cong g$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times \{0\} & \xrightarrow{f} & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X \times I & \xrightarrow{H} & Y \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ X \times \{1\} & \xrightarrow{g} & Y \end{array}$$

- Homotopy is equivalence relation.

$$[X, Y] := \frac{\text{Map}_{\text{Top}}(X, Y)}{\text{hTop}} \quad \text{e.g. } [*, Y] = \{\text{Path Component of } Y\}$$

- Contractible, Some examples

$$[X, Y] \xrightarrow{Y \text{ Contractible}} \{*\}$$

New Category: hTop
 $\text{obj} = \text{obj}(\text{Top})$ $\text{Map} = \text{hTop}_x$ class of maps.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Top} & \xrightarrow{\quad f \quad} & \text{Top} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{hTop} & \xrightarrow{\quad f \quad} & \text{hTop} \end{array}$$

Isomorphism in hTop is homotopy equivalent.

Based Homotopy

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \begin{matrix} X \times \{\infty\}_+ \\ \downarrow f \\ Y \end{matrix} & \\ \textcircled{2} \quad \begin{matrix} X \times I_+ \\ \xrightarrow{H} \\ X \times \{1\}_+ \end{matrix} & \xrightarrow{g} & [x, Y]_* \hookrightarrow \text{homotopy class of based maps} \end{array}$$

Natural map $\text{Top}_* \rightarrow h\text{Top}_*$.

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Contractible Spaces

- Convex Sets are contractible.

Deformation Retraction.

Retraction: If $Z \subset X$; then $p: X \rightarrow Z$ is retraction if the composition $Z \xrightarrow{i} X \xrightarrow{p} Z$

E.g. $X \hookrightarrow X \times Y \xrightarrow{\pi_1} X$
 $X \hookrightarrow X \vee Y \xrightarrow{\pi_1} X$

A deformation retract is a homotopy from identity to a retraction.

Example: $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{\infty\} \xrightarrow{\text{d.r.}} S^{n-1}$, $X \hookrightarrow X \times [0,1] \xrightarrow{p} X$ is d.r.

- A deformation retract is homotopy equivalence.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \xhookrightarrow{i} & X & \xrightarrow{p} & A \\ & \text{red arc} & & \text{red arrow} & \\ & & p & = \text{id} & \\ & \text{green arc} & & & \\ & & p & & i \end{array}$$

$\simeq_{\text{Top}} \text{id}$ (Definition)

$f: X \rightarrow Y$, $M_f = \text{Cyl}(f) \cdot M_f$ d.r onto Y .

The H in the picture gives us the required homotopy.

$$X \xhookrightarrow{i} M_f \xrightarrow{p} Y$$

$y \mapsto y$
 $(x, t) \mapsto f(x)$

f

Any map can be written as inclusion and deformation retraction.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times I & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \text{Cyl}(X) \times I \\ \text{(using the quot.)} \swarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y \times I & \xrightarrow{\quad} & M_f \times I \\ \text{(this is } p \circ \text{)} & & \text{natural} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & M_f \end{array}$$

natural

- Another example: (cell attachment)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^{n-1} & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & Y \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ D^n & \dashrightarrow & Y \cup_D D^n \end{array}$$

$\text{Y} \cup_D (D^n \setminus \{\infty\})$
 $\downarrow \text{d.r.}$ (Homework)
 Y

- $GL_n(\mathbb{R})$ deformation retracts to $O(n)$.

$$\{v_1, \dots, v_n\} \xrightarrow{\text{Gram-Schmidt}} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} v_1 / \|v_1\|, \\ v_2 - \frac{v_1 \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2}, \\ \vdots \end{array} \right\}$$

prove that this is a dr.

- Similarly, $GL_n(\mathbb{C}) \rightarrow U(n)$ deformation retract.

$U(n)$ is connected as $GL_n(\mathbb{C})$ is. $\rightarrow \{ \text{My proof: for any } A \in GL_n(\mathbb{C}) \text{ construct a path from I to } A \}$

- Recall, Mapping Cone

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C(X) \\ f \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C(f) \xrightarrow{\quad} Z \\ & \searrow g & \end{array}$$

Universal property of pushout \Downarrow

Map(Cone(f); Z)

$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} g: Y \rightarrow Z \\ \text{homotopy b/w} \\ \text{gof and a} \\ \text{constant map} \end{array} \right\}$$

• Based Situation.

A null homotopy: $X \times [0,1] \xrightarrow{H} Y$; Such that $H|_{S^1 \times \{1\}} = 0$

\downarrow gives a map

$$H|_{X \times \{0\}} = f \text{ and } H|_{S^1 \times \{0\}} = 0$$

$$\frac{C(X)}{S^1 \times \{1\}} = \tilde{C}(X) \xrightarrow{\quad} Y$$

(reduced cone)

$$\text{So, Map}_*(\tilde{C}(f); Z) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} g: Y \rightarrow Z \\ \text{null homotopy} \\ \text{gof: } X \rightarrow Z \end{array} \right\}$$

Now we get back to the category hTop_* .

$$[S^0, X]_* = \text{Set of path components of } X \equiv \pi_0(X)$$

$$[S^1, X]_* = \pi_1(X, *) \quad [\text{It has a group structure}]$$

$\pi_1(X, *)$ is a group

- Multiplication.

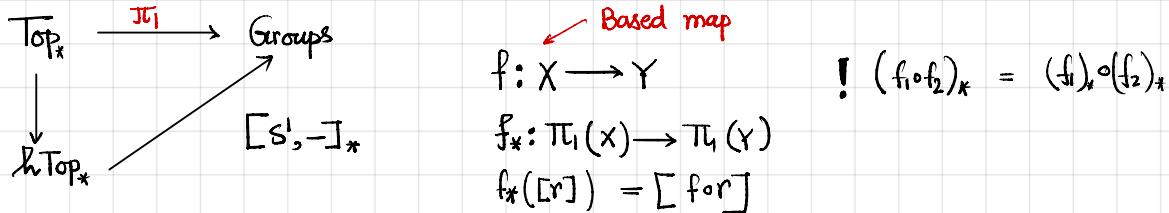
$$\begin{array}{ccc} [S^1, X]_* \times [S^1, X]_* & \longrightarrow & [S^1, X]_* \\ \downarrow & & \nearrow - \circ \text{pinch} \\ [S^1 \vee S^1, X]_* & & \end{array}$$



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Group Structure of $\pi_1(X, *)$

- $r_1, r_2 \in [S^1, X]_*$ then, $r_1 * r_2 \in [S^1, X]$ Concatenation
- $[r]^{-1} = [\bar{r}]$ where, $\bar{r}(t) = r(1-t)$
- Identity = [Constant loop]



Example.

$$\pi_1(\mathbb{R}^n, 0) \cong \{0\}$$

Eckman-Hilton argument

S be a group with \bullet and $*$

$S \times S \rightarrow S$ Now, $s_1 \cdot (-): S \rightarrow S$ is a group homomorphism w.r.t $*$.

$$\Rightarrow (a * b) \cdot (c * d) = (a \cdot c) * (b \cdot d)$$

Similarly, $(a \cdot b) * (c \cdot d) = (a \cdot c) \cdot (b \cdot d)$

- Identity for e_* , $a = b = c = d = e_*$; $(e_*) \cdot (e_*) = (e_* \cdot e_*) \times (e_* \cdot e_*) \Rightarrow e_* \cdot e_* = e_*$
- $a \cdot d = a \cdot d$
- S is abelian

If, G is a topological group. There are two multiplication.

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 $* = \text{Join of loop}$
 $\bullet = \text{Comes from group mult.}$

$\pi_1(G)$ is Abelian

Theorem:

Let, $x \in A \subseteq X$ is a deformation retract. $i: A \hookrightarrow X \xrightarrow{r} x$; $i_*: \pi_1(A) \rightarrow \pi_1(X)$ is isomorphism. ■

- For a contractible space $\pi_1(X, *) \cong \{0\}$

$$[r] \in \pi_1(X, *) \quad S^1 \xrightarrow{r} X \quad \pi_1(S^1) \xrightarrow{r_*} \pi_1(X); \quad [r] = 0.$$

Result: If, σ is a path from x_0 to x_1 , then $\pi_1(x, x_0) \rightarrow \pi_1(x, x_1)$
 $[r] \rightarrow [\sigma * r * \bar{\sigma}]$

$$\text{Now, } \pi_1(x, x_0) \xrightarrow[C(\sigma)]{=} \pi_1(x, x_1).$$

$$\text{If } \sigma_1 \vee \sigma_2, C(\sigma_1) = C(\sigma_2)$$

$$C(\sigma_1 * \sigma_2) = C(\sigma_1) \circ C(\sigma_2)$$

$$C(\sigma_1 * \sigma_2)[r] = [\overline{\sigma_1 * \sigma_2} * r * \overline{\sigma_1 * \sigma_2}]$$

$$= [\overline{\sigma_2} * (\overline{\sigma_1} * r * \sigma_1) * \overline{\sigma_2}]$$

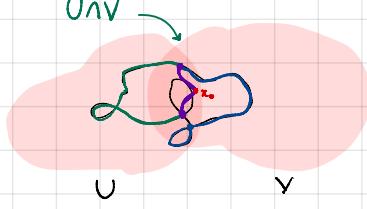
$$= C(\sigma_2) \circ C(\sigma_1).$$

Defn: (Simply Connected) Path Connected + $\pi_1(x, x_0) \neq \text{Choice of } x_0$.

Theorem. (SVK)

$X = U \cup V$ and U and V are Simply Connected and $U \cap V$ is path connected. Then X is Simply Connected.

Proof.



- Part of loop in V
- Part of loop in U
- Path in $U \cap V$

Claim: If, X is Simply Connected then Any two paths b/w two fixed point are homotopic.

Now back to the proof. Make a partition of $[0, 1]$ such that $r([a_i, a_j]) \in U$ or V . We have, $r(a_i) \in U \cap V$. Now,

$$r = r|_{[a_1, a_2]} * \dots * r|_{[a_{r-1}, a_r]}$$

Choose path σ_j from $f(a_{j-1})$ to $f(a_j)$. \forall Simply connected $r|_{[a_{j-1}, a_j]} = \sigma_j \Rightarrow r \simeq$ loop in U .

LECTURE 25

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COVERING SPACES

Definition. Let $p: E \rightarrow B$ surjective map. We say that an open set $U \subseteq B$ is **evenly covered** if $p^{-1}(U) = \coprod_{x \in U} U_x$ and $p|_{U_x}: U_x \rightarrow U$ is a homeomorphism, and we say p is a **covering space** if every $x \in B$ has an evenly covered neighborhood.

Example. 1 (Trivial covering). Let F be any discrete space and $p: B \times F \rightarrow B$ be the projection, then p is a covering space, and we call it the **trivial covering**.

2. The $q: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow S^1$, $x \mapsto \exp(2\pi i x)$ is a covering map. Note that

$q|_{(x-\frac{1}{3}, x+\frac{1}{3})}: (x-\frac{1}{3}, x+\frac{1}{3}) \rightarrow q(x-\frac{1}{3}, x+\frac{1}{3})$ is a homeomorphism, and this is an open set in S^1 , as $q^{-1}(q(x-\frac{1}{3}, x+\frac{1}{3})) = \coprod_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} (x-\frac{1}{3}+n, x+\frac{1}{3}+n)$.

and as each restriction is an open map, we get q is a covering space.

3. The map $p_n: S^1 \rightarrow S^1$, $z \mapsto z^n$ is a covering map, $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$. We have

the following diagram

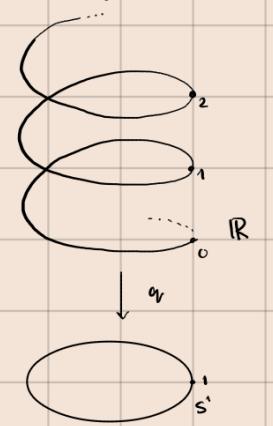
$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{R} & \xrightarrow{\nu} & S^1 \\ \downarrow & \searrow q^n & \downarrow p_n \\ n \times \mathbb{R} & \longrightarrow & S^1 \end{array} \quad \text{Then } p_n^{-1}(q^n(a, b)) = \coprod_{k=0}^{n-1} (a + \frac{k}{n}, b + \frac{k}{n}), \text{ for } b < a + \frac{1}{n} \text{ and hence } p_n \text{ is a covering map.}$$

4. (2-fold cover of \mathbb{RP}^n). $S^n \xrightarrow{q} \mathbb{RP}^n$ the standard quotient map is a covering space.

Pick open set U of S^n such that $U \cap (-U) = \emptyset$, then $q^{-1}(q(U)) = U \sqcup (-U)$, and each restriction is a homeomorphism if we choose $U \subseteq D^n_+$. Thus q is a covering space.



"Medieval picture of covering map."



"another medieval picture of covering map"

Proposition 25.1. Let G be a group acting on a space X such that every point $x \in X$ has an open neighborhood U such that $U \cap gU = \emptyset \forall g \in G$. Then $X \rightarrow X/G$ is a covering space.

Proof. Let $[x] \in X/G$ and $x \in U$ satisfying the hypothesis, then $q^{-1}(q(U)) = \coprod_{g \in G} gU$ is open hence $[x] \in q(U)$ is evenly covered and hence $X \rightarrow X/G$ is a covering space. ■

Example. (Lens space). We can view C_m as a subgroup of S^1 as the m th roots of unity. Then $S^1 \cap S^{2n+1}$, whose restriction gives an action of $C_m \wr S^{2n-1}$, we define the Len's space to be

$\mathbb{Z}_m(2n-1) = S^{2n-1}/C_m$, then $S^{2n-1} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_m(2n-1)$ is a covering space. Note that the action of C_m on S^{2n-1} is free, and then by Hausdorffness of S^{2n-1} as there only finitely many pre-images. Let then $x \in V_g$, for $g \in C_m$, then let $V = \bigcap_{g \in C_m} g^{-1}V_g$. Then $x \in V$ satisfies the hypothesis of the Proposition 25.1.

In particular, the above example shows that if G is a finite group acting freely on a Hausdorff space X , then $X \rightarrow X/G$ is a covering space.

SOME LIFTING THEOREMS

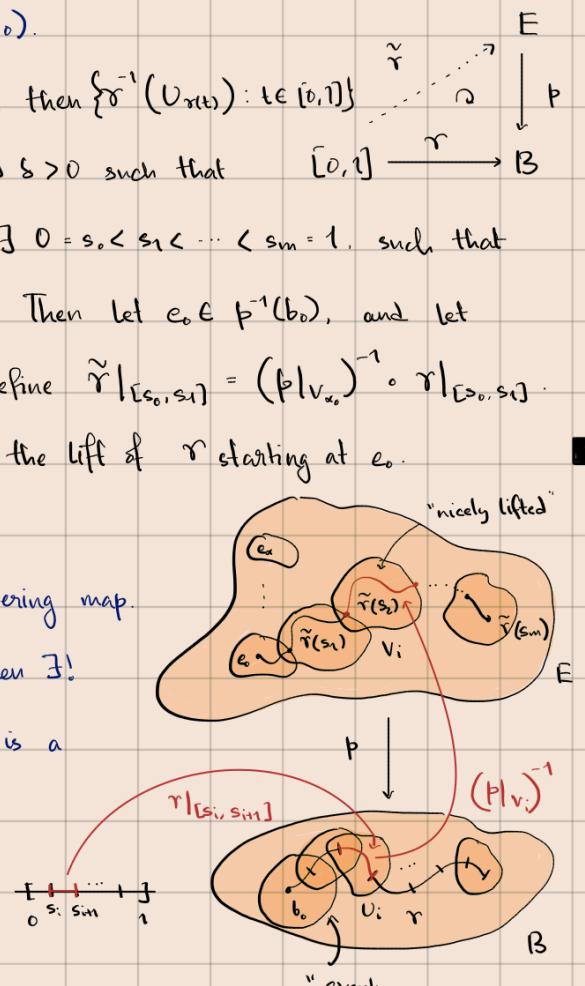
Lemma 25.2. (Path Lifting). Let $p: E \rightarrow B$ be a covering map, and let $r: [0, 1] \rightarrow B$ be a path starting at b_0 , then $\exists!$ lift \tilde{r} of r starting at $e_0 \in p^{-1}(b_0)$.

Proof. Let $\{V_{rt(t)} : t \in [0, 1]\}$ be evenly covered neighborhoods, then $\{\tilde{r}^{-1}(V_{rt(t)}) : t \in [0, 1]\}$ is an open cover of $[0, 1]$, then by Lebesgue number lemma, $\exists \delta > 0$ such that $V \subseteq \tilde{r}^{-1}(V_{rt(t)})$ for some t , whenever $\text{diam } V < \delta$. Then $\exists 0 = s_0 < s_1 < \dots < s_m = 1$, such that $r([s_i, s_{i+1}])$ is contained in an evenly covered neighborhood. Then let $e_0 \in p^{-1}(b_0)$, and let $\tilde{r}(s_0) = e_0$. Now as $e_0 \in V_{s_0}$ where $p^{-1}(V_{s_0}) = \sqcup_{\alpha} V_{\alpha}$, then define $\tilde{r}|_{[s_0, s_1]} = (p|_{V_{s_0}})^{-1} \circ r|_{[s_0, s_1]}$. Continuing this way we get an unique path \tilde{r} which is the lift of r starting at e_0 . ■

Lemma 25.3. (Homotopy Lifting). Let $p: E \rightarrow B$ be a covering map.

Let $H: I \times I \rightarrow B$ is a homotopy such that $H(0, 0) = b_0$. Then $\exists!$ lift $\tilde{H}: I \times I \rightarrow E$ such that $\tilde{H}(0, 0) = e_0$. Further if H is a homotopy of paths r_1 and r_2 , then \tilde{H} is a homotopy between \tilde{r}_1 and \tilde{r}_2 .

Proof. Note that if we can show $\exists! \tilde{H}$ such that $\tilde{H}(0, 0) = e_0$, then the last hypothesis is immediate from uniqueness of path lifting. So it remains to show that $\exists!$ lift \tilde{H} satisfying $\tilde{H}(0, 0) = e_0$. Uniqueness of the homotopy lift follows from uniqueness of path lifting, so we only need to show the existence. Once again using Lebesgue number lemma, $\exists 0 = s_0 < s_1 < \dots < s_m = 1$ and $0 < t_0 < \dots < t_n = 1$ such that $I_s \times J_k := [s_k, s_{k+1}] \times [t_k, t_{k+1}]$ are such that $H(I_s \times J_k)$ is evenly covered. Initially we can simply lift H by defining $\tilde{H}|_{I_s \times J_k} := (p|_{V_{s_0}})^{-1} \circ H|_{I_s \times J_k}$, where V_{s_0} is the unique open set in $p^{-1}(V_{s_0})$ containing e_0 , and then extend it inductively! ■



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Example. (1) $S_E^1 \xrightarrow{p} S_B^1; z \mapsto z^5$ is a covering space. Now, $r: [0,1] \rightarrow S_B^1; t \mapsto e^{2\pi i t}$. The lifted path \tilde{r} with $\tilde{r}(0) = 1_E$ is $\tilde{r}(t) = e^{2\pi i t/5}$.

(Here p is a covering space which winds around s' five times, so the path lifting makes sense)

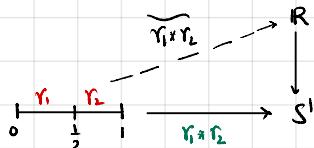
THEOREM. $\pi_1(S^1, 1) \cong \mathbb{Z}$.

Proof. Consider the covering space, $q: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow S^1$ ($x \mapsto e^{2\pi i x}$). Let, $[r] \in \pi_1(S^1, 1)$ then, $r: [0,1] \rightarrow S^1$, with $r(0) = r(1) = 1$ ~~not~~ homotopic. Thus we have $q_r(\tilde{r}(1)) = 1 \Rightarrow \tilde{r}(1) \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Let, r_1, r_2 such that, $r_1 \simeq r_2$ via homotopy H . Lifting this homotopy to \mathbb{R} b/w \tilde{r}_1, \tilde{r}_2 . So, $\tilde{r}_1(1) = \tilde{r}_2(1)$. Thus the map $\Phi: \pi_1(S^1, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ given by $[r] \mapsto \tilde{r}(1)$ is well defined.

Group homomorphism.

Let, r_1 and r_2 are two paths. We need to look at $\Phi([r_1 * r_2])$. We need to look at $\tilde{r}_1 * \tilde{r}_2$.



Note that $(\tilde{r}_1 * \tilde{r}_2)$ is $\begin{cases} \tilde{r}_1(2t) & \text{for } t \in [0, \frac{1}{2}] \\ \tilde{r}_2(2t-1) & \text{for } t \in [\frac{1}{2}, 1] \end{cases}$
 $= \tilde{r}_2(2t) + \tilde{r}_1(1)$

So, $\Phi([r_1 * r_2]) = \tilde{r}_1 * \tilde{r}_2(1) = \tilde{r}_1(1) + \tilde{r}_2(1)$
and thus Φ is a group homomorphism.

Surjectivity.

Let, $w_1: [0,1] \rightarrow S^1$ and $w_1(t) = e^{2\pi i t}$. Note that $\Phi(w_1) = \tilde{w}_1(1) = 1$. And \mathbb{Z} is generated by 1. So, Φ is surjective.

Injective

Let, $\Phi([r]) = 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{r}(1) = 0 \Rightarrow \tilde{r}$ is a loop in \mathbb{R} . \mathbb{R} is contractible. So, \tilde{r} is homotopic to constant map at 0 via homotopy K . ($q \circ K$) is homotopy of path from r to const_{1_S} . So, $[r] = [\text{const}_1] = \text{Id}_{\pi_1(S^1)}$. So, Φ is injective. ■

Computation of $\pi_1(\mathbb{RP}^n) \setminus \{2\} \cong \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$

Covering Space $p: S^n \rightarrow \mathbb{RP}^n$. Let, $[r] \in \pi_1(\mathbb{RP}^n)$.
 $N \mapsto p(N) \Rightarrow r: [0,1] \rightarrow \mathbb{RP}^n; r(0) = r(1) = p(N)$

lift the path $\tilde{r}(1) = +N$ or $-N$.

Define, $\Phi: \pi_1(\mathbb{RP}^n, p(N)) \rightarrow \{\pm 1\}$. [Note it's well defined by the same argument]

For injectivity we use same argument. For Surjectivity just construct a path in S^n from N to $-N$ take the composition of it with p to get the required pre-image. ■

PROPOSITION. G is a group $\hookrightarrow X$ such that $x \in X$ and \exists open $U \ni x$ with $U \cap g(U) = \emptyset$ for all $g \neq 1$. Then $X \rightarrow X/G$ is a covering space.

PROPOSITION. X is Hausdorff, G is finite group freely acting on X . Then $X \rightarrow X/G$ is covering space. [X is Simply Connected]

Theorem. For the type of group action $G \times X$ defined on the propositions, $\pi_1(X/G) \cong G$.

Proof. We have a covering space $q: X \rightarrow X/G$ ($x \mapsto q(x)$). $\Phi: \pi_1(X/G) \rightarrow G$ by, $[r] \mapsto \tilde{r}(1) = g(r)$. (for some g) Again by homotopy lifting Φ is well defined.

$\tilde{r}_1 * r_2 = \text{lift of } r_1 \text{ starting at } *$ \oplus lift of r_2 starting at $g(*)$ $\Rightarrow \tilde{r}_1 * r_2(1) = g \cdot \tilde{r}_1(1) \Rightarrow \Phi$ is grp hom. Injectivity + Surjective of Φ is similar to the proof of $\pi_1(S^1, e) \cong \mathbb{Z}$. \blacksquare

Consequences: $\pi_1(L_m(2n+1)) \cong \mathbb{Z}_m$ Lens Space.

• $\pi_1(\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}) \cong \mathbb{Z}$ • $\pi_1(\text{Cylinder}) \cong \mathbb{Z}_m$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S^1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & S^1 / \mathbb{Z}_m \cong S^1 \\ \downarrow [w_1] & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \downarrow m \cdot [w_1] \\ S^{2n+1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & L_m(2n+1) \\ \circ & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \circ \end{array}$$

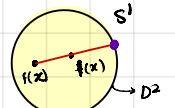
→ Special Case $m=2, L_2(k) \cong \mathbb{RP}^k$

• $\mathbb{R}^2 \not\cong (\text{Homeo}) \mathbb{R}^n$ (for $n \neq 2$). (Remove a point from both side, use π_1 , draw the contradiction)

Theorem. There is no retraction from $D^2 \rightarrow S^1$.

Brouwer fixed point theorem. $f: D^2 \rightarrow D^2$ has a fixed point.

We can construct a retraction $\rho: D^2 \rightarrow S^1$ $\|tx + (1-t)f(x)\| = 1, t > 1; \|t(x-f(x)+f(x))\|^2 = 1 \Rightarrow t^2 \|x-f(x)\|^2 + \|f(x)\|^2 + 2t \langle x-f(x), f(x) \rangle = 1$ $\rho: x \mapsto \bullet$
 $\Rightarrow t^2 \|x-f(x)\|^2 + 2t \langle x-f(x), f(x) \rangle + \|f(x)\|^2 - 1 = 0$
 $\text{So, } \rho(x) = \frac{-\langle x-f(x), f(x) \rangle + \sqrt{\langle x-f(x), f(x) \rangle^2 - \|x-f(x)\|^2 (\|f(x)\|^2 - 1)}}{\|x-f(x)\|^2}$ is a retraction from $D^2 \rightarrow S^1$. It's not possible. \blacksquare



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Recap

- Quotient topology.
- Topological group
- Homotopy
- Fundamental groups.

$$\pi_1: \text{Top}_* \longrightarrow \text{Groups}$$

$$\downarrow \text{hTop}_*$$

$$\pi_1(S^1) \cong \mathbb{Z}$$

{ Computation for spheres,
Projective Space, Lens Space,
orbit Spaces X/G .

Computation of π_1 for Σ_g (Surface of genus g)

- For $g=0; \Sigma_0 = S^2 \rightarrow \pi_1(S^2) = 0$

- For $g=1, \Sigma_1 = T^2 = S^1 \times S^1 \rightarrow \pi_1(S^1 \times S^1) \cong \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}$ using $\pi_1(x \times y, (x_0, y_0)) = \pi_1(x, x_0) \times \pi_1(y, y_0)$

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$\pi_1(\text{Cone}(x)) \cong 0$

$\pi_1(S(x)) \cong 0 \rightarrow$ use VKT of our version
→ Path connected

Cell attachment.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 S^n & \xrightarrow{\quad} & D^{n+1} \\
 \downarrow \varphi & & \downarrow \\
 X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X \cup_{\varphi} D^{n+1}
 \end{array}
 \quad A = (X \cup_{\varphi} (D^{n+1} \setminus \{0\})) \\
 B = (D^{n+1} \setminus \partial D^{n+1}) \\
 A \cap B = \text{Int}(D^{n+1}) \setminus \{0\} \xrightarrow{d.r.} S^n \Rightarrow \text{If } n \geq 1 \text{ and } X \text{ is simply connected} \Rightarrow X \cup_{\varphi} D^{n+1} \text{ is simply connected.}$$

! General Van Kampen theorem will tell us $\pi_1(X \cup_{\varphi} D^{n+1}) \cong \pi_1(X)$ for $n \geq 2$.

Winding Number.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{A Closed Curve } r: S^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2. \text{ Let, } z \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \text{Im}(r). \text{ So, } \hat{r}: S^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{z\} \xrightarrow[d.r.]{\rho} C_{\hat{r}(1), z} \\
 \text{! If, } \hat{r}: S^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ extends to a map } \tilde{r}: D^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \text{ Then winding number is zero.} \\
 \hat{r}_*: \pi_1(S^1) \longrightarrow \pi_1(\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{z\}, \hat{r}(1)) \xrightarrow{x \mapsto \frac{z-x}{|z-x|} (\hat{r}(1)-z)} \text{ (circle passing through } \hat{r}(1) \text{ centered at } z)
 \end{array}$$

This n is called Winding number of \hat{r} at z .

! Ex. If $z \in$ unbounded component of $\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \hat{r}(S^1)$ then winding number $w(\hat{r}, z) = 0$

Fundamental Theorem of Algebra.

Every Complex polynomial have a root.

If not, Let, $p(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + \dots + a_{n-1} z^{n-1} + z^n$. Then $p: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$. Let, $S'_R =$ circle of radius R centered at zero.

$$p|_{S'_R}: S'_R \longrightarrow \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$$

It extends to a map $p|_{D'_R}$, so, $w(p|_{S'_R}; 0) = 0$. Now look at,

$$H(z, t) = (1-t)p(z) + t z^n$$

Note that, $\text{Image}(H) \subseteq \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ for large R . H is homotopy b/w $p|_{S'_R}$ and z^n but,

$$w(z, 0) = n \neq 0 = w(p|_{S'_R}; 0) = 0$$

Contradicts the fact Winding number is homotopy invariant

Winding number is odd, if $r(x) = -r(-x)$. $r: S^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$; $w(r, 0) = \text{odd}$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \hat{r}: S^1 \xrightarrow{r} \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\} & \longrightarrow & S^1 \\
 x \mapsto & & \frac{x}{|x|}
 \end{array}
 ; \quad \hat{r}_*: \pi_1(S^1, 1) \longrightarrow \pi_1(S^1, \hat{r}(1)).$$

Now,

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \widetilde{\gamma} & \longrightarrow & (\mathbb{R}, \varepsilon) \\
 \downarrow q & & \downarrow \\
 (S^1, 1) & \xrightarrow{\text{Id}_{S^1}} & (S^1, 1) \xrightarrow{\widetilde{\gamma}} (S^1, \widetilde{\gamma}(1))
 \end{array}$$

Note that $\widetilde{\mathbb{1}}_{S^1}(t) := t$
 $\widetilde{\mathbb{1}}_{S^1, \widetilde{\gamma}(1)}(t) := \varepsilon + t$

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$$q\left(\widetilde{\gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\right) = -\widetilde{\gamma}(1), \quad \widetilde{\gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \varepsilon + m + \frac{1}{2} \quad [\text{as } q\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -1]$$

$$\widetilde{\gamma}\left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right) = \widetilde{\gamma}(t) + m + \frac{1}{2}$$

at bzz, $q\left(\widetilde{\gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2} + t\right)\right) = q\left(m + \frac{1}{2} + \widetilde{\gamma}(t)\right) = -\widetilde{\gamma}(t) = \widetilde{\gamma}\left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \widetilde{\gamma}(1) = \varepsilon + 2m + 1$
So the winding number is odd.

Borsuk Ulam Theorem.

If, $g: S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ s.t $g(-x) = -g(x)$ then $\exists x$ such that $g(x) = 0$.

If. not, $g: S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$. $r = g|_{\text{equator}}: S^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{0\}$ So by prev lemma $w(r; N)$ is odd but r extends to a disk to winding number is zero.

Ham Sandwich Theorem.

Let, S_1, S_2, S_3 be three convex subsets of \mathbb{R}^3 . There is a plane P such that, P divides each of S_1, S_2, S_3 into equal volume pieces.

For single object S_i , If, $v \in S^2$ then, P_i^t be the planes $\perp v$, then $\exists x_i \in \mathbb{R}$ so that, $P_i^{x_i}$ cut S_i equally (By IVT).

$$\hookrightarrow = (H_v + x_i \cdot v)$$

Then $g: S^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$; $g(v) = (x_i \cdot x_1, x_3 \cdot x_3)$ \longrightarrow Apply borsuk ulam.
 $g(-v) = -g(v)$