

## Afterthoughts from last week

- Notation A map of complexes

$f: A^\bullet \rightarrow B^\bullet$  is a homotopy equivalence

if  $\exists g: B^\bullet \rightarrow A^\bullet$  st  $g \circ f$  homotopic to  $\text{id}_A^\bullet$   
 $f \circ g$  h'topic to  $\text{id}_B^\bullet$

So injective resolutions are unique up to homotopy equiv.

If  $f$  is a homotopy equiv, it is also a quasi-iso,

but if  $F$  is any additive functor,  
 $f$  h.equiv  $\Rightarrow F(f)$  h.equiv

(not true for quasi-isos!)

- In proof of Horseshoe Lemma:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \circ & & & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & & & & \\
 0 \rightarrow X \rightarrow I_x^\circ \rightarrow \dots & & & & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & & & & \\
 & Y \xrightarrow{\quad} I_x^\circ \oplus I_z^\circ & & & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & & & & \\
 0 \rightarrow Z \rightarrow I_z^\circ \rightarrow \dots & & & & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & & & & \\
 & 0 & & & & & 
 \end{array}$$

Dotted arrow:  
 choose  $Y \rightarrow I_x^\circ$   
 extending  $X \rightarrow I_x^\circ$   
 also have a map  
 $Y \rightarrow I_z^\circ$  by composing  
 $Y \rightarrow Z \rightarrow I_z^\circ$   
 dotted arrow: sum of these.

# Chapter 4 : Derived Functors

## §4.1 Setup

$\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}$  ab cats,  $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  left-exact

SES  $0 \rightarrow X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z \rightarrow 0$  in  $\mathcal{C}$

$\rightsquigarrow 0 \rightarrow FX \rightarrow FY \rightarrow FZ \dots \rightarrow \dots$  ??

Can we extend this to a LES?

Is there a "best way" to extend to the right?  
(universal S-functor.)

Assume  $\mathcal{C}$  has enough injectives.

Def For  $i \geq 0$ ,  $X \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ ,

let  $R^i(F)(X) = H^i(F(I_x^\cdot)) \in \text{Obj } \mathcal{D}$

where  $I_x^\cdot$  is an inj res<sup>n</sup> of  $X$ . (well-def.)

For  $f: X \rightarrow Y$ ,  $R^i(F)(f) = \text{map on } H^i$   
induced by a lifting  $\tilde{f}: I_x^\cdot \rightarrow I_y^\cdot$   
of  $f$ . ( $\tilde{f}$  well-def up to homotopy,  
so well-def. on  $H^i$ ).)

This makes  $R^i(F)$  into functors. (strictly speaking, need to choose an inj res<sup>n</sup> for each  $X$ , but changing these changes the functor by a nat<sup>1</sup> isomorphism).

## Prop

- ①  $R^i F$  are additive functors
- ②  $R^0 F = F$
- ③ if  $F$  exact,  $R^i F = 0 \quad \forall i > 1$
- ④ Nat<sup>i</sup> transforms  $F \Rightarrow G$   
induce  $R^i F \Rightarrow R^i G$  all  $i$
- ⑤ if  $X$  injective,  $R^i F(X) = 0 \quad \forall i > 1$ .

Pf: Straightforward. For #2 note

$$0 \rightarrow X \rightarrow I_x^0 \rightarrow I_x^1 \text{ exact}$$

$$\text{so } 0 \rightarrow FX \rightarrow FI_x^0 \rightarrow FI_x^1 \text{ exact}$$

$$\text{i.e. } FX = \ker(FI_x^0 \rightarrow FI_x^1) = R^0(F)(X).$$

Prop If  $0 \rightarrow X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z \rightarrow 0$  SES,  $\square$

have LES  $0 \rightarrow FX \rightarrow FY \rightarrow FZ \rightarrow \dots$

$$\hookrightarrow R^1 FX \rightarrow R^1 FY \rightarrow R^1 FZ \rightarrow \dots$$

$$\hookrightarrow R^2 FX \rightarrow \dots$$

Pf By Horseshoe Lemma, may assume  $I_y = I_x \oplus I_z$

$$\text{Thus } 0 \rightarrow FI_x \rightarrow FI_y \rightarrow FI_z \rightarrow 0$$

exact in  $\text{Ch}(D)$

+ now take LES of cohomology.  $\square$

Similarly if  $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$  right-exact,

$\mathcal{C}$  having enough projectives, define

$$L_i(F)(X) = H_i(F(P_i)) \quad P_i \xrightarrow{\text{proj}} X$$

& can continue exact seqs to left

$$\dots \rightarrow L_1 F Y \rightarrow L_1 F Z \rightarrow F X \rightarrow F Y \rightarrow F Z \rightarrow 0.$$

(& can also extend this to contravariant

functors.)

## §6.2 The Ext functor

= derived functors of Hom.

$\mathcal{C}$  ab cat,  $A, B \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ .

Def If  $\mathcal{C}$  has enough inj's, let

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathcal{C}}^i(A, B) = R^i(\text{Hom}(A, -))(B) \in \text{Ob}(\underline{\text{Ab}})$$

Clearly functorial in  $B$ , but also in  $A$ , because  
hom's  $A \rightarrow A'$  give nat' transfr's of Hom functors.

So  $\text{Ext}^i$  is a functor  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \underline{\text{Ab}}$ .

E.g.  $\text{Ext}_{\underline{\text{Ab}}}^i(\mathbb{Z}_n, \mathbb{Z})$   $n \geq 1$ :

$[\mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}/\mathbb{Z}]$  is our resolution of  $\mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{Hom}(\mathbb{Z}_n, \text{this}) = [0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_n]$$

$$\text{so } \text{Ext}^i = \begin{cases} 0 & i \neq 1 \\ \mathbb{Z}_n & i = 1. \end{cases}$$

If  $\mathcal{C}$  has enough projectives can also consider

$$R^i \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(-, B) : \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \underline{\text{Ab}}$$

(compute using inj res's in  $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}$ , ie proj res's in  $\mathcal{C}$ )

Prop ("Balancing Ext") If  $\mathcal{C}$  has enough inj's & proj's,  
these constructions agree.

Sketch Pf  $B \rightarrow I^i, P_i \rightarrow A$  inj/proj res's.

Want isos  $H^i(\text{Hom}(P_i, B)) \approx H^i(\text{Hom}(A, I^i))$

Let  $X^{pq} = \text{Hom}(P_p, I^q)$ ,

$I^q = \varinjlim I^{q+1}$

$$T^n = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} X^{pq}$$



Can make  $T^\cdot$  into a cplx & there are quasi-isos

$$\text{Hom}(A, I^\cdot) \rightarrow T^\cdot \leftarrow \text{Hom}(P, B)$$

Upshot Can compute  $\text{Ext}$  using proj res's when they exist — usually easier.

Eg  $[Z \xrightarrow{\sim} Z]$  proj res of  $Z/n$

so recover previous computation of  $\text{Ext}^1(Z/n, Z)$

Why the name "Ext"?

Def An extension of  $A$  by  $B$  is a SES

$$0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow E \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{some } E.$$

Say 2 ext's are equiv if  $\exists$  diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & B & \rightarrow & E & \rightarrow & A & \rightarrow & 0 \\ & & \parallel & & \downarrow & & \parallel & id \\ 0 & \rightarrow & B & \rightarrow & E' & \rightarrow & A & \rightarrow & 0 \end{array}$$

Fact  $\exists$  bijection  $\text{Ext}'(A, B) \cong \{ \text{equiv classes} \}$  of ext's

Given as follows: assume enough inj's

apply  $\text{Hom}(A, -)$  to ext seq:

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, B) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, E) \rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, A) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{Ext}'(A, B)$$

Send our ext to  $\delta(\text{id}_A)$ .

### §4.3 Group Cohomology

$G$  group,  $\underline{G\text{-Mod}}$  cat. of ab. gps. with  
 $\mathbb{Z}$ -linear left  $G$ -action  
 $= \underline{\mathbb{Z}[G]\text{-Mod}}$     $\mathbb{Z}[G]$  group ring.

$F: \underline{G\text{-Mod}} \rightarrow \underline{\text{Ab}}$     $M \mapsto M^G$ : invariants functor.

Def  $H^i(G, M) = R^i(F)(M)$ .

Have  $F = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}[G]}(\mathbb{Z}, -)$

so  $H^i(G, M) = \text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}[G]}^i(\mathbb{Z}, M)$ .

Can compute using either inj res's of  $M$   
or proj res's of  $\mathbb{Z}$

E.g.  $G = \langle g \rangle$  infinite cyclic

$\left[ \mathbb{Z}[G] \xrightarrow{g-1} \mathbb{Z}[G] \right]$  proj res of  $\mathbb{Z}$

so  $H^i(G, M) = \text{coh. of cplx}$

$\left[ M \xrightarrow{g-1} M \right]$

i.e.  $H^0(G, M) = M^G$

$H^i(G, M) = M / (g-1)^i M$

$$H^i(G, M) = M /_{(g-1)M}.$$

$$H^i = 0 : \notin \{0, 1\}$$

In fact  $\exists$  canonical free res<sup>?</sup> of  $\mathbb{Z}$   
("bar resolution")

Def let  $X_i = \text{free } \mathbb{Z}\text{-mod on}$   
symbols  $(g_0, \dots, g_i)$

$$g \in G.$$

$$G\text{-action: } g \cdot (g_0, \dots, g_i) = (gg_0, \dots, gg_i)$$

$d: X_i \rightarrow X_{i+1}$  sends  $(g_0 \dots g_i)$  to

$$\sum_{j=0}^i (-1)^j (g_0, \dots, g_{j-1}, g_{j+1}, \dots, g_i) \in X_{i+1}.$$

Check: this is a chain cplx,

$X_i$  is  $\mathbb{Z}G$ -free (symbols with  $g_0 = \text{id}$   
are basis)  
and  $X_i \rightarrow [\mathbb{Z}]$  is a free, hence  
proj, res<sup>?</sup>

$$\text{Hence } H^i(G, M) = H^i(\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}G}(X, M))$$

$\Downarrow$

$C^*(G, M)$  cochain complex.  
( $\approx$  fns on  $G \times \dots \times G$  with  
funny differential)

## § 4.4 Tor and Group Homology

$R$  ring,  $\underline{R\text{-Mod}}$  left modules  
 $\underline{\text{Mod-}R}$  right modules

$\otimes : \underline{\text{Mod-}R} \times \underline{R\text{-Mod}} \rightarrow \underline{\text{Ab}}$ .

right exact in both factors.

Def  $\text{Tor}_i^R(A, B) = L_i(A \otimes -)(B)$

Prop This is isomorphic to  $L_i(- \otimes B)(A)$   
 (balancing Tor).

Eg  $\text{Tor}_i(\mathbb{Z}/n, A)$

$[\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{Z}]$  proj res<sup>n</sup> of  $\mathbb{Z}/n$

so  $\text{Tor}_0(\mathbb{Z}/n, A) = A/\text{n}A$

$\text{Tor}_1(\mathbb{Z}/n, A) = A[n]$  n-torsion.

Special case:  $R = \mathbb{Z}[G]$

$H_i(G, M) = \text{Tor}_i^{\mathbb{Z}[G]}(\mathbb{Z}, M)$

left derived functors of  $\mathbb{Z} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}[G]} M$

$$= M / \langle (g-1)M : g \in G \rangle$$

(largest quotient on which  $G$  acts trivially, called coinvariants)

## §4.5 Cohomology of Sheaves

$X$  top. space

Def' A presheaf on  $X$  with values in an ab.cat.  $\mathcal{C}$  is the data of:

- for each open  $U$  an obj  $\mathcal{F}(U)$
- for each inclusion  $V \subseteq U$  a map  $\mathcal{F}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(V)$ . (<sup>compat.</sup>  
<sub>w composition</sub>)

Say  $\mathcal{F}$  is a sheaf if for all coverings

$$U = \bigcup_{i \in I} U_i,$$

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(U) \rightarrow \prod_{i \in I} \mathcal{F}(U_i) \rightarrow \prod_{\substack{i,j \in I \\ i \neq j}} \mathcal{F}(U_i \cap U_j)$$

is exact. (need to assume  $\mathcal{C}$  has products!)

Key case  $\mathcal{C} = \underline{\text{Ab}}$  (abelian sheaves)

Fact inclusion  $\underline{\text{AbSh}}(X) \hookrightarrow \underline{\text{AbPSh}}(X)$

has a left adjoint, "sheafification"

Lemma  $\underline{\text{AbSh}}(X)$  is an abelian category.  
 (note: cokernel in  $\underline{\text{AbSh}}$  = sheafification  
 of presheaf cokernel)  
 and has enough injectives.

Have a functor  $\Gamma : \underline{\text{AbSh}}(X) \rightarrow \underline{\text{Ab}}$   
 $F \mapsto F(X)$ , "global sections."

This turns out to be left exact  
 but not right exact in gen!

Def  $H^i(X, F) = R^i(\Gamma)(F)$

Useful to be aware of: if  $X$  is  
 a manifold,  $H^i(X, \underset{\text{Sheaf } A}{\text{constant}}) \cong H^i(X, A)$   
 for  $A$  abelian gp.

However sheaf coh. works well for  
 nasty spaces, e.g. Zariski top. of  
 an alg variety.