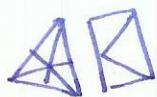


solution :



define :  $p(\sigma) = s^{m(\sigma)} - D_{m(\sigma)} \partial\sigma + \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i D_{m(\sigma_i)} \sigma_i$

[recall :  $D_m = \sum_{i=0}^m TS^i$  and  $\partial D_m + \frac{\partial D_m}{\partial S^m} = 1 - s^m$ ]

note : ~~the  $\sigma_i$  are not necessarily disjoint~~.  $p_i = 1$  (don't need to subdivide)  
 $m(\sigma_i) = 0$  for all  $i$ .

define :  $D : C_n(X) \rightarrow C_{n+1}(X)$  by  $D\sigma = D_{m(\sigma)} \sigma$

claim :  $D$  is a chain homotopy between  $1$  and  $i_p$

proof :  $\partial D\sigma + D\partial\sigma = \partial D_{m(\sigma)} \sigma + D \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i \sigma_i$   
 $= (1 - s^{m(\sigma)} D_{m(\sigma)} \partial) \sigma + \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i D_{m(\sigma_i)} \sigma_i$   
 $= \sigma - \underbrace{s^{m(\sigma)} \sigma - D_{m(\sigma)} \partial\sigma + \sum_{i=0}^n (-1)^i D_{m(\sigma_i)} \sigma_i}_{p(\sigma)}$  □.

Theorem (excision)  $A, B$ , s.t.  $X \subset \text{int}(A) \cup \text{int}(B)$

$(B, A \cap B) \hookrightarrow (X, A)$  induces isomorphisms  $H_n(B, A \cap B) \rightarrow H_n(X, A)$  for all  $n$

Proof let  $\ell = \{A, B\}$  write  $C_n(A+B)$  for  $C_n^{\text{rel}}(X)$  "chains in  $A$  + chains in  $B"$   
recall  $\partial D + D\partial = 1 - i_p$   $p_i = 1$  (all maps take chains in  $A$  to chains in  $A$ )  
 $\underset{B}{\text{B}}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \cdots \rightarrow C_{n+1}(A+B) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_n(A+B) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_{n-1}(A+B) & \xrightarrow{\quad} \cdots & H_n(A \cup B, A) \\ \uparrow \downarrow i & \uparrow \downarrow i \\ \cdots \rightarrow C_{n+1}(X) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_n(X) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_{n-1}(X) & \xrightarrow{\quad} \cdots & H_n(X, A) \\ \uparrow \downarrow i & & \uparrow \downarrow i & & \uparrow \downarrow i & & \uparrow \downarrow i \\ C_{n+1}(A) & & C_n(A) & & C_{n-1}(A) & & \end{array}$$

all maps preserve  $C_n(A)$  subchain of  $C_n(A+B)$ , so can quotient out

Note:  $\frac{C_n(B)}{C_n(A \cap B)} = \frac{C_n(A+B)}{C_n(A)}$  (same basis of chains contained in  $B \setminus A$ ) (42)

so  $H_n(B, A \cap B) \cong H_n(X, A)$ , as required  $\square$ .

recall:  $(X, A)$  is a good pair if there is an open sub  $V \subset X$  s.t.  $V$  deformation retracts to  $A$ .

Theorem: If  $(X, A)$  is a good pair, then  $q: (X, A) \rightarrow (X/A, A/A)$  induces isomorphisms  $q_*: H_n(X, A) \rightarrow H_n(X/A, A/A) \cong \tilde{H}_n(X/A)$  for all  $n$ .

Proof: ① long exact sequence of a triple  $(X, V, A)$

$$\dots \rightarrow H_n(V, A) \rightarrow H_n(X, A) \rightarrow H_n(X/V) \rightarrow \dots$$

↑  
these are all zero, as  $(V, A) \cong (A, A)$  and  $H_n(A, A) = 0$

② excision:  $H_n(X, V) \cong H_n(X/A, V/A)$

and  $H_n(X/A, V/A) \cong H_n(X/A \setminus A/A, V/A \setminus A/A)$

so we get:

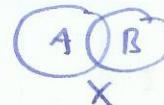
$$H_n(X, A) \stackrel{\text{①}}{\cong} H_n(X, V) \stackrel{\text{②}}{\cong} H_n(X/A, V/A) \stackrel{\text{③}}{\cong} H_n(X/A \setminus A/A, V/A \setminus A/A)$$

$$H_n(X/A, A/A) \stackrel{\text{①}}{\cong} H_n(X/A, V/A) \stackrel{\text{②}}{\cong} H_n(X/A \setminus A/A, V/A \setminus A/A) \quad \square.$$

Corollary: If  $X$  is a CW-complex, a union of subcomplexes  $A$  and  $B$ , then  $(B, A \cap B) \hookrightarrow (X, A)$  induces isomorphisms  $H_n(B, A \cap B) \rightarrow H_n(X, A)$  for all  $n$ .  $\square$ .

Corollary: For a wedge sum  $\bigvee_{\alpha} X_{\alpha}$ , the inclusions  $X_{\alpha} \hookrightarrow \bigvee_{\alpha} X_{\alpha}$  induce isomorphisms  $\bigoplus_{\alpha} i_{\alpha}: H_n(X_{\alpha}) \rightarrow \tilde{H}_n(\bigvee_{\alpha} X_{\alpha})$  as long as the pairs  $(X_{\alpha}, x_{\alpha})$  are good.  $\square$

## Mayer-Vietoris sequence (§2.2)



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Thm  $X = \text{int}(A) \cup \text{int}(B)$ , get long exact sequence

$$\dots \rightarrow H_n(A \cap B) \rightarrow H_n(A) \oplus H_n(B) \rightarrow H_n(X) \xrightarrow{\delta} H_{n-1}(A \cap B) \rightarrow \dots$$

recall: subdivision, set  $\mathcal{U} = \{\text{int } A, \text{int } B\}$

$C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X) = \text{chains that are sums of chains in } A \text{ and chains in } B.$

$\delta$  preserves this, so  $(C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X), \delta)$  chain complex.

claim:

$$0 \rightarrow C_n(A \cap B) \xrightarrow{\phi = "i-j"} C_n(A) \oplus C_n(B) \xrightarrow{\psi = "i_A + i_B"} C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} x \\ \longmapsto \\ (x, -x) \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} (x, y) \\ \longmapsto \\ x+y \end{matrix}$$

is exact.

proof (of claim).

$$A \cap B \xrightarrow{i} A \leftarrow \begin{matrix} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{matrix} X \\ \downarrow j \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow \\ \searrow \end{matrix} \\ B \cup B$$

- $\ker \phi = 0 \checkmark (C_n(A \cap B) \subset C_n(A))$
- $\psi \phi(x) = \psi(x, -x) = x - x = 0 \quad \text{so } \text{im } \phi \subset \ker \psi$
- $\ker \psi \subset \text{im } \phi$ : suppose  $(x, y) \in C_n(A) \oplus C_n(B)$   
and  $x - y = 0$  in  $C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X)$   
 $\Rightarrow x = y$  in  $C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X)$   
 $\Rightarrow x, y$  are chains in  $C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(A \cap B)$   
so lie in image of  $\phi$ .

- $\phi$  surjective by defn of  $C_n^{\mathcal{U}}(X)$   $\square$ .

Proof (of MV Thm) short exact sequence of chain complexes gives  
long exact sequence of homology groups. D.

boundary map :  $H_n(X) \xrightarrow{\partial} H_{n-1}(A \cap B)$

pick  $\alpha \in H_n(X)$  represented by a cycle  $z$ , subdivides so  $z = x + y$

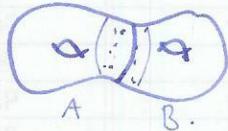
where  $z, x \in C_n(A)$ ,  $y \in C_n(B)$  (not nec. cycles!)

but  $\partial z = \partial x + \partial y = 0$  i.e.  $\partial x = -\partial y$ , but this implies

$$\partial x = -\partial y \in C_{n-1}(A \cap B)$$

so map  $\alpha \mapsto \partial \alpha = [\partial x] = [-\partial y]$ .

Example ①

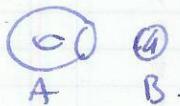


assume  $H_k(A \cap B) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & k=0 \\ \mathbb{Z}^2 & k=1 \\ \end{cases}$

$$A \cap B \cong S^1.$$

$$\begin{aligned} H_2(A \cap B) &\xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_2(A) \oplus H_2(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^2} H_2(X) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} 0 \\ \hookrightarrow H_1(A \cap B) &\xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^2} H_1(A) \oplus H_1(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^4} H_1(X) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} 0 \\ \hookrightarrow H_0(A \cap B) &\xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_0(A) \oplus H_0(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_0(X) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} 0 \\ &\quad \xrightarrow{x_1} (x_1, -x_1) \end{aligned}$$

Example ②



$$H_2(A \cap B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_2(A) \oplus H_2(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^2} H_2(X),$$

$$\hookrightarrow H_1(A \cap B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^2} H_1(A) \oplus H_1(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}^2} H_1(X) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} 0.$$

$$\hookrightarrow H_0(A \cap B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_0(A) \oplus H_0(B) \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}} H_0(X).$$

Thm (Brouwer) Invariance of domain. ( $\mathbb{R}^n \not\cong \mathbb{R}^m$  unless  $n=m$ ) (43)

If non-empty open sets  $U \subset \mathbb{R}^m$  and  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^m$  are homeomorphic,  
then  $n=m$ .

Proof pick  $x \in U$ , and consider  $H_k(U, U \setminus \{x\})$   
 $\cong H_k(\mathbb{R}^m, \mathbb{R}^m \setminus \{x\})$  by excision

long exact sequence of a pair:

$$\dots \rightarrow H_n(\mathbb{R}^m \setminus \{x\}) \rightarrow H_n(\mathbb{R}^m) \rightarrow H_n(\mathbb{R}^m, \mathbb{R}^m \setminus \{x\}) \rightarrow \dots$$

0

$$\Rightarrow H_n(\mathbb{R}^m, \mathbb{R}^m \setminus \{x\}) \cong H_{n-1}(\mathbb{R}^m \setminus \{x\})$$

$\uparrow$  deformation retracts to  $S^{m-1}$

$$\Rightarrow H_n(U, U \setminus \{x\}) = \mathbb{Z} \text{ for } k=n$$

0 otherwise.

a homeo  $h: U \rightarrow V$  induces iso's on  $H_k(U, U \setminus \{x\}) \rightarrow H_k(V, V \setminus \{h(x)\})$

$$\Rightarrow n=m \quad \square.$$

Defn The homology groups  $H_n(X, X \setminus \{x\})$  are called the local homology groups of  $X$  at  $x$ .

useful facts from homological algebra

① Naturality the long exact sequence of a pair is natural as a map  $f: (X, A) \rightarrow (Y, B)$  gives a commutative diagram

$$\dots \rightarrow H_n(A) \rightarrow H_n(X) \rightarrow H_n(X, A) \rightarrow \dots$$

$$\downarrow f_A \qquad \downarrow f_X \qquad \downarrow f_{X,A}$$

$$\dots \rightarrow H_n(B) \rightarrow H_n(Y) \rightarrow H_n(Y, B) \rightarrow \dots$$

② Five Lemma:  $A_1 \rightarrow B_1 \rightarrow C_1 \rightarrow D_1 \rightarrow E_1$  exact  
 $\downarrow \alpha \qquad \downarrow \beta \qquad \downarrow \gamma \qquad \downarrow \delta \qquad \downarrow \epsilon$   
 $A_2 \rightarrow B_2 \rightarrow C_2 \rightarrow D_2 \rightarrow E_2$  exact

$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \epsilon$  iso's  $\Rightarrow \gamma$  iso.

