

Note: this works when $X = \text{point}$ as then $\mu: h^n(X) \rightarrow k^n(X)$

is just $R \otimes_R H^*(Y; R) \rightarrow H^*(Y; R)$
scalar mult.

Propⁿ: If a natural transformation between unreduced cohomology theories on the category of CW-complexes is an isomorphism for the pair (point, \emptyset) then it is an isomorphism for all pairs.

Proof (propⁿ, sketch): 5 lemma, long exact sequence of the pair, suffices to show μ is iso when $A = \emptyset$.

- X finite dim, do induction on dimension.
- 0-dimensional, holds by hypothesis and axiom for disjoint unions.
- induction step: long exact sequence of pair (X^n, X^{n-1}) , 5 lemma \Rightarrow suffices to show that μ is iso for $(X, A) = (X^n, X^{n-1})$.

consider characteristic maps $\Phi: \bigsqcup_{\alpha} (D_{\alpha}^n, \partial D_{\alpha}^n) \rightarrow (X^n, X^{n-1})$
excision $\Rightarrow \Phi^*$ is an isomorphism for h^*, k^* , naturality implies
suffices to show that μ is iso for $(X, A) = \bigsqcup_{\alpha} (D_{\alpha}^n, \partial D_{\alpha}^n)$
disjoint unions \Rightarrow suffices to show for $(D_{\alpha}^n, \partial D_{\alpha}^n)$

5 lemma \Rightarrow result in D^n contractible (0-dimensional case)

∂D^n has dim $(n-1)$

□.

Proof (simple Künneth): need to check h^*, k^* ^{unreduced} (cohomology theories)
and μ is a natural transformation.

1) homotopy invariance: $f \simeq g \Rightarrow f^* = g^* \checkmark$.

2) excision: $h^*(X, A) \cong h^*(B, A \cap B)$ for $X = A \cup B$, CW-subcomplexes

3) long exact sequence of a pair: k^* ✓.

h^* : take long exact sequence of ordinary cohomology groups for the pair (X, A) and tensor it with the free R -module $H^n(Y; R)$ for fixed n . This gives another long exact sequence as $H^n(Y; R) \cong \bigoplus_{\alpha} R$. Then let n vary, taking direct sum of these exact sequences, letting n vary to get right dimensions.

4) disjoint unions: k^* ✓

h^* : fact: $(\prod_{\alpha} M_{\alpha}) \otimes_R N \cong \prod_{\alpha} (M_{\alpha} \otimes_R N)$ { M_{α} any R -modules canonical isomorphism if } N free R -module.

$N \cong \bigoplus_{\beta} R_{\beta}$ so $M_{\alpha} \otimes_R N = \bigoplus_{\beta} M_{\alpha \beta} = (\bigoplus_{\alpha} (M_{\alpha} \otimes_R N_{\beta})) \cong$ follows from
 $\prod_{\beta} \prod_{\alpha} M_{\alpha \beta} \cong \prod_{\alpha} \prod_{\beta} M_{\alpha \beta}$ ✓.

μ_{natural} ← cup product natural, so natural wrt maps between spaces.
 ← need to check natural wrt coboundary map, follows from:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^k(A; R) \times H^l(Y; R) & \xrightarrow{\delta \times 1} & H^{k+l}(X, A; R) \times H^l(Y; R) \\ \downarrow \times & & \downarrow \times \\ H^{k+l}(A \times Y; R) & \xrightarrow{\delta} & H^{k+l+1}(X \times Y, A \times Y; R) \end{array}$$

{ Need to check this at coycle level. □.

Thm (Relative Künneth) $(X, A), (Y, B)$ cw-pairs.

$$H^*(X, A; R) \otimes_R H^*(Y, B; R) \longrightarrow H^*(X \times Y, A \times Y \cup X \times B; R)$$

ring isomorphism if $H^k(Y, B; R)$ finitely generated free R -module for all k . □.

Example • $\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^n$: $H^*(\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^n; \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[\alpha]/\alpha^{n+1}$ $|\alpha|=2$

• $H^*(\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^\infty; \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[\alpha]$, $|\alpha|=2$

• complex Grassmannian $G_n(\mathbb{C}^\infty) \leftarrow n\text{-dim } \mathbb{C}\text{-vector subspaces of } \mathbb{C}^\infty$

$H^*(G_n(\mathbb{C}^\infty); \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n]$, $|\alpha_i|=2i$.

↑ aka $B\mathrm{U}(n)$, classifying space of $\mathrm{U}(n)$.

• quaternionic Grassmannian $G_n(\mathbb{H}^\infty) = B\mathrm{Sp}(n)$

$H^*(G_n(\mathbb{H}^\infty); \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n]$ $|\alpha_i|=4i$

• $H^*(B\mathrm{SU}(n); \mathbb{Z}) \cong \mathbb{Z}[\alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n]$ $|\alpha_i|=2i$.

§ 3.B General Künneth

Theorem (general Künneth) X, Y CW-complexes, R principal ideal domain,

$$0 \rightarrow \bigoplus_i (H_i(X; R) \otimes_R H_{n-i}(Y; R)) \rightarrow H_n(X \times Y; R) \rightarrow \bigoplus_i \mathrm{Tor}(H_i(X; R), H_{n-i}(Y; R)) \rightarrow 0$$

↑ natural short split exact sequence. D.

ingredients: • homology cross product: $H_i(X; R) \times H_j(Y; R) \rightarrow H_{i+j}(X \times Y; R)$

define this in terms of cellular boundary map. note: $I^i X I^j = I^{i+j}$

Propn- boundary map in $C_*(X \times Y)$ determined by boundary maps in $C_*(X)$, $C_*(Y)$ by $d(e^i \times e^j) = de^i \times e^j + (-1)^i e^i \times de^j$. D.

Recall: Tor defined in terms of free resolution of modules, can be computed:

1) $\mathrm{Tor}(A, B) \cong \mathrm{Tor}(B, A)$

5) $\mathrm{Tor}(I_n, A) = \mathrm{ker}(A \xrightarrow{\times n} A)$

2) $\mathrm{Tor}(\bigoplus_i A_i, B) = \bigoplus_i \mathrm{Tor}(A_i, B)$

6) $0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow D \rightarrow 0$ exact,

3) $\mathrm{Tor}(A, B) = 0$ if A, B torsion free.

then $0 \rightarrow \mathrm{Tor}(A, B) \rightarrow \mathrm{Tor}(A, C) \rightarrow \mathrm{Tor}(A, D)$

4) $\mathrm{Tor}(A, B) = \mathrm{Tor}(T(A), B)$ $T(A) = \underset{\text{subgroups}}{\mathrm{tann}}$

5) $A \otimes B \rightarrow A \otimes C \rightarrow A \otimes D \rightarrow 0$ exact.