

Conclusion: hocolims of top. spaces
 preserve weak equivalences, i.e.

$$C, D: I \rightarrow \text{Top}$$

$$T: C \rightarrow D \text{ object-wise w.e.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{hocolim}_{I} C \xrightarrow[\text{w.e.}]{\sim} \text{hocolim}_{I} D$$

$$T(i): C(i) \xrightarrow[\text{w.e.}]{\sim} D(i)$$

recall: $X_{\bullet}: \Delta^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Top}$

simplicial top. space

geometric realization

$$|X_{\bullet}| = \text{coeq} \left(\coprod_n X_n \times \Delta^n \leftarrow \coprod_m X_n \times \Delta^m \right)$$

$$(x, f_x t)$$

$$(f_x^* t)$$

$$\left(\begin{matrix} p \\ f \\ x \\ n \\ \Delta^m \end{matrix}, \begin{matrix} x \\ n \\ \Delta^m \end{matrix}, \begin{matrix} t \\ n \\ \Delta^m \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$[m] \xrightarrow{f} [n]$$

morphisms in Δ

$$f^*: X_n \rightarrow X_m$$

$$f_x: \Delta^m \rightarrow \Delta^n$$

fat geometric realization:

$$\|X_0\| \approx \text{coeq}(\quad \parallel \quad \parallel)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\|X_0\|$$

$$\coprod X_n \times \Delta^m$$

$$[n] \xrightarrow{f} [n]$$

monomorphisms

pros/cons : pro for $\|X_0\|$: it is smaller

pro for $\|X_0\|$: if $X_0 \xrightarrow{f} Y_0$

object wise w.e.

$$\Rightarrow \|X_0\| \xrightarrow[\text{w.e.}]{\sim} \|Y_0\|$$

Thm: (Wang) : $\text{hocotim}_{\Delta^{op}} X_0 \sim_{\text{w.e.}} \|X_0\|$

X_0 simplicial top space

Ex: X top. space

$$\{ \Delta^n \xrightarrow[\text{continuous}]{\sigma} X \} =: \text{Sing}_n(X) \in \text{Top}$$

$$\text{Sing}_*(X): \Delta^{op} \longrightarrow \text{Top}$$

$$[n] \longmapsto \text{Sing}_n(X)$$

$$[n] \longmapsto \text{Sing}_n(X) \ni \sigma \circ \beta$$

$$\downarrow \quad \uparrow$$

$$[m] \longmapsto \text{Sing}_m(X) \ni \sigma$$

$$|\text{Sing}_*(X)| \xrightarrow[\text{w.e.}]{\sim} X$$

\nearrow
 CW-complex
 with one
 n -cell for
 $\left(\coprod_n \text{Sing}_n(X) \times \Delta^n \right) / \sim$
 \nwarrow
 every non-degenerate $(\Delta^n \xrightarrow{\sigma} X, t)$
 n -simplex in X

$\sigma(t)$

Category of Chain complexes Ch

R commutative ring
of interest to us: $R = \text{field}$ or $R = \mathbb{Z}$

$\text{Mod}_R = \text{category of modules over } R$

Ex: $\text{Mod}_{\mathbb{Z}} = \text{cat. of abelian groups} = \text{Ab}$
 $\text{Mod}_{k \in \text{field}} = \text{cat. of } k\text{-vector spaces} = \text{Vect}_k$

$\text{Mod}_R \times \text{Mod}_R \longrightarrow \text{Mod}_R$

$(M, N) \longmapsto M \otimes_R N =: M \otimes N$

Mod_R is a symmetric monoidal category
with \otimes

Q: common generalization of a ring
and an algebra?

Def: A (unital) R -algebra is an A -module A together with $\mu: A \otimes A \rightarrow A$
 unit $u: R \rightarrow A$
 required to satisfy: associativity:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \otimes A \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\mu \otimes 1} & A \otimes A \\
 \downarrow 1 \otimes \mu & & \downarrow \mu \\
 & A \otimes A & \xrightarrow{\mu} & A
 \end{array}$$

unit property: $R \otimes A \xrightarrow{u \otimes 1} A \otimes A \xleftarrow{1 \otimes u} A \otimes R$

$\xrightarrow{\cong} \downarrow \mu \cong$
given by R -module structure of A

Def: A R -algebra, a right A -module $M \in \text{Mod}_R$
 together with $M \otimes A \xrightarrow{\mu^M} M$ (satisfying associativity + unit prop.)
left A -module M : $A \otimes M \xrightarrow{\mu^M} M$ (")

$\text{Mod}_A =$ category of right A -modules

${}_A \text{Mod} =$ " " left " "

M right A -module

define left-multip. by $a \cdot m := ma$

problem: $a \cdot (b \cdot m) = a \cdot (mb) = (mb)a$
 $(ab) \cdot m \neq (ba) \cdot m = m(ba)$
for non-comm. A .

$M \in \text{Mod}_A$
 $N \in {}_A \text{Mod}$

$M \otimes_A N$

with relation: $m \in M$
 $n \in N$
 $a \in A$

$ma \otimes n = m \otimes an$

R -module

$$\text{Mod}_A \times_A \text{Mod} \xrightarrow{\otimes_A} \text{Mod}_R$$

Def: A chain complex of R -modules is:

$$C_\bullet : \quad \leftarrow C_{n-1} \xleftarrow{d} C_n \xleftarrow{d} C_{n+1} \leftarrow \quad C_i \in \text{Mod}_R$$

$d \circ d = 0$

d R -module maps

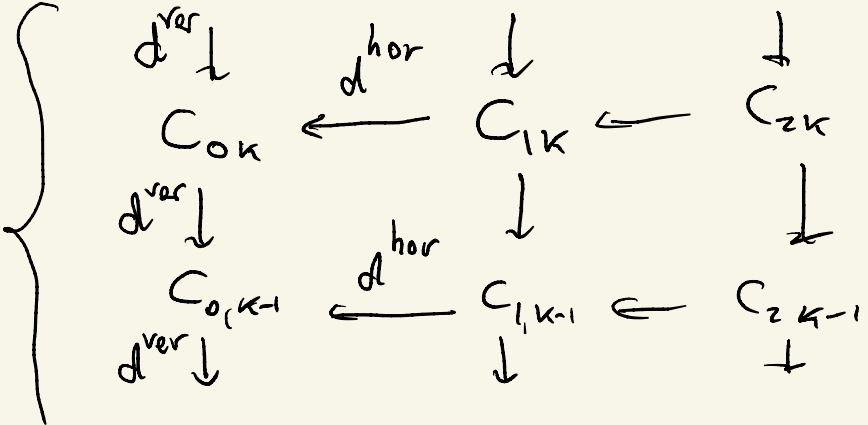
a chain map $f : C_\bullet \rightarrow D_\bullet$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \leftarrow C_{n-1} & \xleftarrow{d} & C_n \leftarrow \\ \downarrow f_{n-1} & \searrow d & \downarrow f_n \\ \leftarrow D_{n-1} & \xleftarrow{d} & D_n \leftarrow \end{array}$$

Similarly can define chain cx. of A -modules

$\text{Ch}_R = \text{cat. of chain cx. of } R\text{-modules}$ (left/right)
 $\text{Ch}_A = \text{cat. of chain cx. of } A\text{-modules}$ (right)

This is a double complex $C_{\bullet\bullet}^{\text{alt}}$



d^{hor} = "horizontal differential" $\doteq d^{\text{alt}}$

d^{ver} = "vertical" (comes from the differential in each C_i)

Def: Let $C_{\bullet\bullet}$ be a double complex, i.e.

$$\begin{aligned}
 d^{\text{ver}} : C_{m,n} &\rightarrow C_{m,n-1} & \text{and } (d^{\text{ver}})^2 &= 0 \\
 d^{\text{hor}} : C_{m,n} &\rightarrow C_{m-1,n} & (d^{\text{hor}})^2 &= 0 \\
 d^{\text{ver}} \circ d^{\text{hor}} &= d^{\text{hor}} \circ d^{\text{ver}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Then the totalization $\text{Tot}(C_{\bullet\bullet})$ is given by

$$\text{Tot}(C_{\bullet\bullet})_k$$

"||"

$$\bigoplus$$

$$m+n=k$$

$$C_{m,n}$$

a chain complex

vertical
degree

with differential: $d = d^{\text{ver}} + (-1) d^{\text{hor}}$