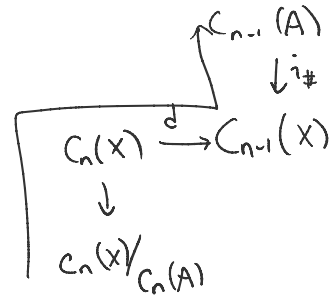


$$0 \rightarrow C_n(A) \xrightarrow{i_{\#}} C_n(X) \xrightarrow{j_{\#}} C_n(X)/C_n(A) \rightarrow 0$$

$$H_n(A) \xrightarrow{i_{\#}} H_n(X) \xrightarrow{j_{\#}} \underline{H_n(X,A)} \xrightarrow{\partial} H_{n-1}(A)$$

zigzag map in chains



If  $A \subset X$  has a nbhd that def retracts to  $A$  then

$$H_n(X,A) \cong H_n(X/A, pt) \cong \tilde{H}_n(X/A)$$

In particular,  $H_n(D^k, S^{k-1}) \cong H_n(D^k/S^{k-1}, pt) \cong H_n(S^k, pt) \cong \tilde{H}_n(S^k)$

$$\mathbb{R}^2 / \mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{S}^1$$

Compute  $H_n(D^k, S^{k-1}) \cong \tilde{H}_n(S^k)$  by induction on  $k$ :

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 H_n(D^k) & \rightarrow & H_n(D^k, S^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_{n-1}(S^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{i_{\#}} & H_{n-1}(D^k) \\
 \underset{0}{\parallel} & & & & \uparrow \text{isomorphism} & & \underset{0}{\parallel} \\
 & & & & & & 
 \end{array}$$

exactness

$D^k$  is contractible

so if  $n > 1$   $H_n(D^k) = H_{n-1}(D^k) = 0$

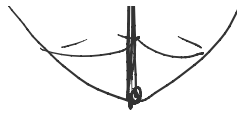
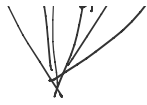
$$H_n(S^k) \cong H_n(D^k, S^{k-1}) \cong H_{n-1}(S^{k-1})$$

Base case:  $S^0 = 2$  points  $H_0(S^0) \cong \mathbb{Z}^2$   $H_n(S^0) = 0$  for  $n \neq 0$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 H_1(D^k) & \rightarrow & H_1(D^k, S^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_0(S^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{i_{\#}} & H_0(D^k) \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow 0 \\
 \parallel & & & & \parallel & & \\
 0 & & & & \mathbb{Z}^2 & & \mathbb{Z} \\
 & & & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 & & & & (a,b) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & a+b \\
 & & & & \bullet & & \bullet \\
 & & & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 & & & & H_1(D^k, S^{k-1}) \cong \text{im}(\partial) & = & \ker(i_{\#}) = \{(a, -a)\} \cong \mathbb{Z}
 \end{array}$$

$k=1$





Next goal: Simplicial homology  $\cong$  Singular homology

Thm: Given  $X$ , +  $\Delta$ -cx structure on  $X$

$$H_n^\Delta(X) \cong H_n(X) \quad \forall n.$$

Proof: Given  $\Delta$ -cx str, let  $X^K$  denote the  $K$ -skeleton:  
 Union of images of all simplex maps in  $\Delta$ -cx of  $\dim \leq K$   
 $\sigma: \Delta^j \rightarrow X$

We will show by induction on  $K$  that

$$H_n^\Delta(X^K) \cong H_n(X^K)$$

If  $\Delta$ -cx str has fin many dims with simplices then this will suffice.

$$X^{k-1} \subset X^k$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \dots & \rightarrow & H_{n+1}^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_n^\Delta(X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{i_*} & H_n^\Delta(X^k) & \xrightarrow{j_*} & H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_{n-1}^\Delta(X^{k-1}) & \rightarrow \dots \\ & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow ? & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong & \\ \dots & \rightarrow & H_{n+1}(X^k, X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_n(X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{i_*} & H_n(X^k) & \xrightarrow{j_*} & H_n(X^k, X^{k-1}) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & H_{n-1}(X^{k-1}) & \rightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

By induction on  $K$  assume  $H_n^\Delta(X^{k-1}) \rightarrow H_n(X^{k-1})$  is an isomorphism

Base case

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H_0^\Delta(X^0) \cong H_0(X^0) & & H_n^\Delta(X^0) \cong H_n(X^0) \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ \mathbb{Z}^{|X^0|} & & 0 \end{array}$$

Claim:  $H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) \rightarrow H_n(X^k, X^{k-1})$  is an isomorphism  $\forall n$

By five lemma:  $H_n^\Delta(X^k) \rightarrow H_n(X^k)$  is an isomorphism.

By five lemma:  $H_n^\Delta(X^k) \rightarrow H_n(X^k)$  is an isomorphism.

Proof:

$H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1})$  is homology of

$$C_n^\Delta(X^k) / C_n^\Delta(X^{k-1}) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n < k \text{ or } n > k \\ \mathbb{Z}^{\#k\text{-simplices}} & n = k \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow 0 \xrightarrow{d} 0 \xrightarrow{d} \mathbb{Z}^{\#k\text{-simplices}} \xrightarrow{d} 0 \xrightarrow{d} 0 \xrightarrow{d} \dots$$

$$d=0$$

$$\Rightarrow H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) \cong \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \neq k \\ \mathbb{Z}^{\#k\text{-simplices}} & \text{if } n = k \end{cases}$$

Next time, understand  $H_n(X^k, X^{k-1})$  using exact

Then extend to  $\infty$  dimensional  $\Delta$ -complexes.