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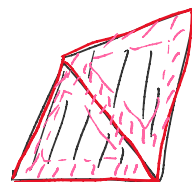
By inductive hypothesis blue isomorphisms

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

$$H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z}\langle k\text{-simplices} \rangle & n=k \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$H_n(X^k, X^{k-1})$

$X^{k-1}$  has a nbhd  $U$  in  $X^k$  which def retracts to  $X^{k-1}$



$$\textcircled{*} \quad H_n(X^k, X^{k-1}) \cong H_n(X^k, U) \xrightarrow{\text{excision}} H_n(X^k - X^{k-1}, U - X^{k-1}) \xrightarrow{\text{homotopy equiv}} H_n(UD^k, U\partial D^k) \cong \mathbb{Z}\langle k\text{-simplices} \rangle$$

$X^k - X^{k-1} \cong \sqcup \Delta^k_{\text{int}}$

$U - X^{k-1} \leftarrow$  a nbhd of boundary in each



$$H_n^\Delta(X^k, X^{k-1}) \xrightarrow{\text{generators}} H_n(X^k, X^{k-1}) \xleftarrow{\text{generators}} \text{is an isomorphism.}$$



Alternate iso to  $\textcircled{*}$

$$H_n(X^k, X^{k-1}) \cong \tilde{H}_n(X^k/X^{k-1})$$

$$X^k/X^{k-1} \cong VS^k$$

Five lemma  $\Rightarrow H_n^\Delta(X^k) \rightarrow H_n(X^k)$  is an isomorphism.

$H_n(D^k, \partial D^k) \cong \mathbb{Z}$  generator  $[D^k]$

$$H_n(D^r, \partial D^r) \cong \mathbb{Z} \text{ generator } [D^r]$$

Idea for infinite dim case:

$$i_x^K: H_n(X^K) \rightarrow H_n(X)$$

For any  $\alpha \in H_n(X)$ , it will be in image of  $i_x^K$  for suff large  $K$ .

Proof:

Observation 1: Any compact subset of  $X$  will intersect only finitely many interiors of simplices in a fixed  $\Delta$ -complex.



↑ coming from topology property of  $\Delta$  complexes (3)



Observation 2: Any singular chain is represented by a finite integer combination of maps  $\sigma_i: \Delta^r \rightarrow X$  with compact image.

$\Rightarrow$  Any Sing chain has image in  $X^K$  for some large enough  $K$ .

$$\beta = [\sum_i m_i \sigma_i] \in H_e(X^K) \xrightarrow{i_x} H_e(X) \xleftarrow{\alpha}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \gamma & \xrightarrow{\quad} & i_x(\gamma) \\ \downarrow & \begin{array}{ccc} H_e^\Delta(X^K) & \xrightarrow{i_x} & H_e^\Delta(X) \\ \cong \downarrow & & \downarrow f \end{array} & \downarrow \\ \downarrow & \begin{array}{ccc} H_e(X^K) & \xrightarrow{i_x} & H_e(X) \end{array} & \downarrow \\ \beta & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \alpha \end{array} \quad \text{f is surjective}$$

Injectivity:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0 = [\sum m_j \sigma_j] \in H_e^\Delta(X^K) & \xrightarrow{i_x} & H_e^\Delta(X) \Rightarrow \gamma = [\sum m_j \sigma_j] = 0 \\ \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \\ H_e(X^K) & \longrightarrow & H_e(X) \\ \uparrow [\sum m_j \sigma_j] = 0 & & f(\gamma) = 0 \leftarrow \text{assume} \\ & & \uparrow \text{"m.s.t."} \end{array}$$

$\downarrow \pi_2 \left( \sum m_j \sigma_j \right) \longrightarrow \pi_2 \left( \sum m_j \sigma_j \right)$   $f(\delta) = 0 \leftarrow \text{assumption}$   
 $[\sum m_j \sigma_j] = 0 \longleftarrow [\sum m_j \sigma_j]$   
 $\sum m_j \sigma_j = \det_{\mathbb{Z}} \left( \sum n_i \tau_i \right)$   $\tau_i: \Delta^{e_{i+1}} \rightarrow X$   
 $\uparrow$   
 has image in some  $X^k$

□

Singular homology: good b/c we could show it was homology (but + excision, ...)

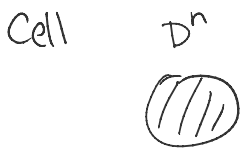
Simplicial homology: good b/c computable  
 $\uparrow$   
 Still hard to calculate b/c need lots of  $k$ -simplices in  $\Delta$ -complex

Next goal: Define another homology theory, easier to calculate in terms of # of generators

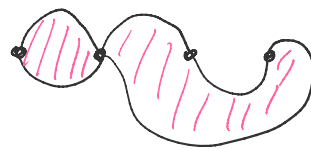
Cellular homology  $\leftarrow$  defined for any cell complex

We will show it is isomorphic to singular homology.

Harder thing about cellular homology  $--$  harder to calculate  $d_n$  maps



Cell complex: Start with 0-cells  $D^0$  glue on 1-cells along boundary



Glue  $k$ -cell to  $(k-1)$ -skeleton by any continuous map

$$f: \begin{matrix} \partial D^k \\ \cong \\ S^{k-1} \end{matrix} \longrightarrow X^{k-1}$$

Degree :

Recall

$$H_k(S^n) \cong \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & k=0, n \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Given a continuous map  $f: S^n \rightarrow S^n$

get

$$f_*: H_n(S^n) \rightarrow H_n(S^n)$$

$\mathbb{Z} \quad \mathbb{Z}$

choose generator 1 of  
 $H_n(S^n)$

$f_*$  is determined by  $f_*(1) = d \cdot 1$  for some  $d \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$f_*(m \cdot 1) = d \cdot m \cdot 1$$

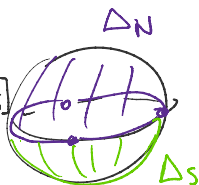
Call  $d$  the degree of  $f$ .

Example:

$$H_n(S^n) = \mathbb{Z}[\Delta_N - \Delta_S]$$

$$[\Delta_N - \Delta_S] = 1$$

$$(-1)1 = [\Delta_S - \Delta_N]$$



•  $\text{id}: S^n \rightarrow S^n \quad \text{deg}(\text{id}) = 1$

• reflection of last coordinate:  $S^n \rightarrow S^n \quad \text{deg}(\text{reflection}) = -1$

•  $\text{deg}(f \circ g) = \text{deg}(f) \cdot \text{deg}(g)$

$$(f \circ g)_* = f_* \circ g_*$$

• constant map  $c: S^n \rightarrow S^n$

More generally:

$$f: X^n \rightarrow Y^n$$

$\swarrow \quad \searrow$   
n-dim manifolds

$$H_n(X^n) \rightarrow H_n(Y^n)$$

$\mathbb{Z} \quad \mathbb{Z}$

$\text{deg}(f)$  defined similarly