

VI.4. The Cup product.

Let $(R, +, \cdot)$ be a ring

Note that $(R, +)$ is an abelian group, so it plays the role of G , and $(R, \cdot)$ is just a semigroup.

Def 208: (a) In addition we have the two distributivity laws

$$(r + s)t = rt + st \text{ and}$$

$$t(r + s) = tr + ts.$$

(b) If $(R, \cdot)$ is commutative then $(R, +, \cdot)$ is called a commutative ring

(c) If R has an elt. 1 s.t.

$$1r = r1 = r \quad \forall r \in R$$

we call R a unital ring.

Ex 209: $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is a unital commutative ring

Other examples

$$(\mathbb{Q}, t'), (\mathbb{Z}_m, t')$$

$(\mu_2(\mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}, t')$ is a unital ring, but not a commutative ring.

Def 2.10: (cup Product)

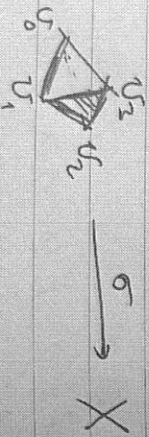
$k, l \geq 0$:

$$C^k(X; \mathbb{R}) \times C^l(X; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{\cup} C^{k+l}(X; \mathbb{R})$$

$$(\varphi, \psi) \longmapsto \varphi \cup \psi$$

$$(\varphi \cup \psi)(\sigma) := \varphi(\sigma|[\sigma_0, \dots, \sigma_k]) \psi(\sigma|[\sigma_{k+1}, \dots, \sigma_{k+l}])$$

Picture:



By the following lemma $\cup$ induces H^*

$$H^k(X; \mathbb{R}) \times H^l(X; \mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow H^{k+l}(X; \mathbb{R})$$

Lemma 2.11: $\delta(\varphi \cup \psi) = (\delta\varphi) \cup \psi + (-1)^k \varphi \cup \delta\psi$

Proof: This is done by direct computation.

Take $\sigma: \Delta^{k+l+1} \rightarrow X$.

$$\delta(\varphi \cup \psi)(\sigma) = (\varphi \cup \psi)(\partial\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{k+l+1} (-1)^i (\varphi \cup \psi)(\sigma|[\sigma_0, \dots, \hat{\sigma}_i, \dots, \sigma_{k+l+1}])$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^i \varphi(\sigma|[\sigma_0, \dots, \hat{\sigma}_i, \dots, \sigma_k]) \psi(\sigma|[\sigma_{k+1}, \dots, \sigma_{k+l+1}])$$

$$+ \sum_{i=k+1}^{k+l+1} (-1)^i \varphi(\sigma|[\sigma_0, \dots, \sigma_k]) \psi(\sigma|[\sigma_{k+1}, \dots, \hat{\sigma}_i, \dots, \sigma_{k+l+1}])$$

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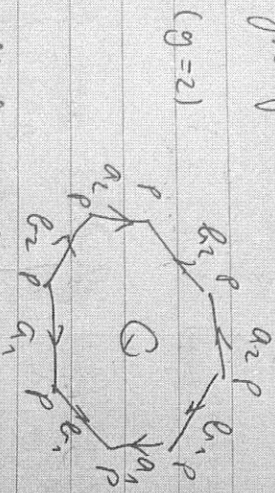
$$+ (-1)^{k+1} \varphi(\sigma|[\sigma_0, \dots, \sigma_k]) \psi(\sigma|[\sigma_{k+1}, \dots, \hat{\sigma}_{k+1}, \dots, \sigma_{k+l+1}])$$

$$= (\delta\varphi \cup \psi) + (-1)^k (\varphi \cup \delta\psi) \quad \square$$

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Example 2.12: M_g , $g \geq 1$, $R = \mathbb{Z}$

Let us first compute the cohomology groups



cellular chain complex

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{Z}^2 \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow H_i(M_g) \simeq \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z}, & i=0, 2 \\ \mathbb{Z}^{2g}, & i=1 \\ 0, & i \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

are all free abelian groups.

$$UCT \Rightarrow H^i(M_g) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(H_i(M_g), \mathbb{Z})$$

$$\simeq \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z}, & i=0, 2 \\ \mathbb{Z}^{2g}, & i=1 \\ 0, & i \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

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$$H_1(M_g) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^g (\mathbb{Z} a_i \oplus \mathbb{Z} b_i)$$

A basis of $H^1(M_g)$ are

Take the basis
 $\{a_1, b_1, a_2, b_2, \dots, a_g, b_g\}$
 dual
 $\{a_1^*, b_1^*, a_2^*, b_2^*, \dots, a_g^*, b_g^*\}$.

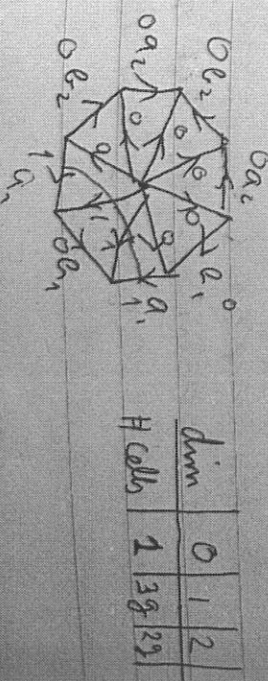
Goal: Compute $d_i \cup b_j$ and $d_i \cup b_j^*$.

We need to find representations
 a_i, b_j of α_i, β_j , i.e.

$$\alpha_i = [a_i] \in H^1(M_g)$$

$$\beta_j = [b_j] \in H^1(M_g)$$

We choose a Δ -structure and use the geometry of $H^1(M_g)$.

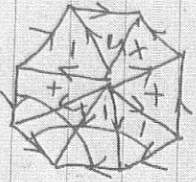


dim	0	1	2
H_{cell}	1	$2g$	$2g$

We need to find $q_1, 0, 1$.
 $q_1(q_1) = 1$ and $q_1(q_0) = 0$ $q_1(e_1)$
 for $j \geq 2$ and $l \geq 1$.
 To get a cocycle we draw
 a closed curve crossing q_1 ,
 see Example 186.

See the blue curve. The
 blue numbers are the values
 of q_1 .

For ψ_1 we draw a red curve.



$[c] = c \in H_2(M_g)$ is indicated
 by the even, i.e.
 c is represented by the signed
 sum of 28 singular triangles.

$$\alpha_1 \cup \beta_1 \in H^2(M_g) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(H_2(M_g), \mathbb{Z}).$$

$$[q_1 \cup \psi_1] \mapsto ([\alpha]) \mapsto (q_1 \cup \psi_1)(\alpha)$$

$$(q_1 \cup \psi_1)(\tilde{c}) = (q_1 \cup \psi_1) \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{diagram of a hexagon with arrows} \end{array} \right)$$

other terms
 give 0

$$= q_1(\alpha) \cdot \psi_1(\beta) = 1 \cdot 1 = 1$$

Thus c must be a generator of
 $H_2(M_g) \simeq \mathbb{Z}$, because otherwise

c would generate a subgroup $m\mathbb{Z}$
 with $m > 1$ and then
 $m \mid (q_1 \cup \psi_1)(\tilde{c})$.

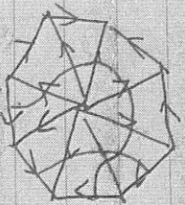
Further

$$H^2(M_g) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(H_2(M_g), \mathbb{Z}) \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{Z}$$

$$[q_1 \cup \psi_1] \xrightarrow{1} 1$$

So $[q_1 \cup \psi_1] = \alpha_1 \cup \beta_1$ is a generator of
 $H^2(M_g)$.

Exercise Compute $Q \cup \psi$ for



i.e. we take another representative of α_1 and use it to act for perform the direct computation of $(Q \cup \psi)(\alpha_1)$.

A similar argument gives

$$\alpha_i \cup \beta_j = \begin{cases} \gamma, & i=j \\ 0, & i \neq j \end{cases} = -(\beta_j \cup \alpha_i)$$

where γ is the generator of $H^2(\mathbb{A}_g)$ satisfying $\gamma(\alpha) = 1$.

We get a non-zero $\cup$ -product exactly when the curves intersect.

So $\alpha_1 \cup \alpha_1 = 0$ and we can consider



Theorem 2.13: Suppose R is commutative, $d \in H^k(X, R)$ and $\beta \in H^l(X, R)$.

Then $d \cup \beta = (-1)^{kl} \beta \cup d$.

Proof: Consider $\text{res}_* C_*(X) \rightarrow C_*(X)$ $\text{res}(\sigma) = \sum_k \bar{\sigma}$ (being $k = \dim(\text{res})$)

$$\text{with } \bar{\sigma} = \sigma \Big|_{\left[\sum_{k=1}^r \alpha_k \right]} \text{ and } \sum_k = (-1)^{n(k+1)/2}$$

Claim: res is a chain map homotopic to id.

We prove the claim later.

Suppose the claim is true.

Take $\alpha \in C^k(X; \mathbb{R})$, $\psi \in C^l(X; \mathbb{R})$

Then, for a reg. $k+l$ simplex $\sigma: \Delta^{k+l} \rightarrow X$, we get.

$$\text{rev}^*(\alpha \cup \psi)(\sigma) = \sum_{k+l} \alpha \left(\sigma \Big|_{[v_{k+l}, \dots, v_l]} \right)$$

$$\cdot \psi \left(\sigma \Big|_{[v_k, \dots, v_0]} \right)$$

and

$$((\text{rev}^* \psi) \cup (\text{rev}^* \alpha))(\sigma)$$

$$= \sum_k \sum_l \psi \left(\sigma \Big|_{[v_k, \dots, v_0]} \right) \alpha \left(\sigma \Big|_{[v_{k+l}, \dots, v_l]} \right)$$

$$\text{and } \sum_{k+l} = (-1)^{kl} \sum_k \sum_l$$

$$(k+l)(k+l+1) = k^2 + l^2 + 2kl + k+l \\ = k(k+1) + l(l+1) + 2kl$$

Inducting the cohomology we get for classes $\alpha \in H^k(X; \mathbb{R})$, $\beta \in H^l(X; \mathbb{R})$:

$$\text{rev}^*(\alpha \cup \beta) = (-1)^{kl} (\text{rev}^* \alpha) \cup (\text{rev}^* \beta)$$

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$$\alpha \cup \beta$$

$$(-1)^{kl} (\beta \cup \alpha)$$

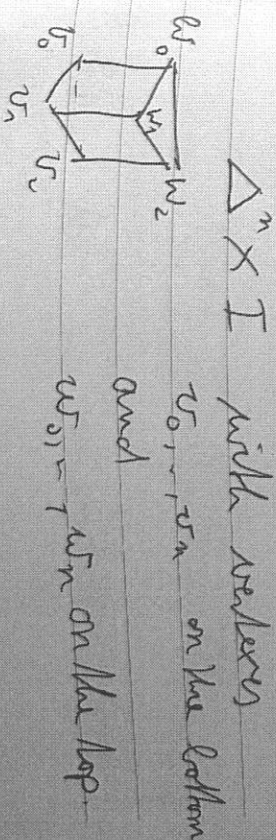
Proof of the claim:

The chain map property

$$\partial \circ \text{rev} = \text{rev} \circ \partial$$

is an extension

As for the homotopy theorem we use the prism operator.



We define

$$P: C_n(X) \rightarrow C_{n+1}(X) \text{ via}$$

$$P(\sigma) := \sum_{i=1}^n (-1)^i (\sigma \circ \pi_i) \Big|_{[v_0, \dots, \hat{v}_i, \dots, v_n]}$$

$\pi: \Delta \times I \rightarrow \Delta$
projection along I

$$\text{Then } (\partial P + P\partial)(\sigma) = \text{Hur}(\sigma) - \sigma.$$

(The computations are similar to the $-11-$ for the usual prism operator, but we get $\text{rev}(\sigma)$ as we have reversed the order of the vertices v_i .)

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VII Poincaré Duality

R is a commutative unitary ring.

Theorem 214: Let M be a closed R -orientable n -manifold. Then there is a canonical isomorphism

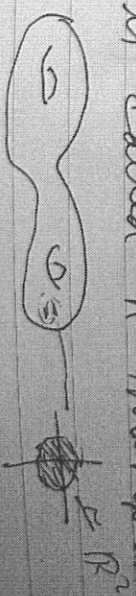
$$H^k(M; R) \xrightarrow{D} H_{n-k}(M; R)$$

for all $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

(Poincaré Duality)

Def 215: (m -manifold) ($n \geq 0$)

(a) A Hausdorff space M of n around each point there is a nbhd $\simeq \mathbb{R}^n$ in called n -manifold.



(b) An n -manifold is called

closed if it is compact.

Ex. ∞ and

$$\bigvee X = X^2 \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^2$$

are not closed.

S^1 is a closed 1-mf.

as well as S^n and $\mathbb{R}P^n$ are closed n -mf.

M_g and N_g are closed 2-mfs.

If you remove a closed disc then you get some non-closed mf.

VIII.1. First idea of Poincaré duality

$$X = S^2 \text{ or } M_g \quad (g \geq 1)$$

Give S^2 a cell-structure given by a Platonic body. There is a dual cell-structure.

$$C_n \xrightarrow{\text{long.}} C_{n-1} \xrightarrow{\text{long.}} \dots \xrightarrow{\text{long.}} C_0$$

$$1\text{-cell} \xrightarrow{\text{edge between}} 1\text{-cells}$$

largest of
adj. 2-cells

$$0\text{-cell} \xrightarrow{\text{connected}} 2\text{-cells}$$

Comp. after
removing
the dual 1-
skeleton

For S^2

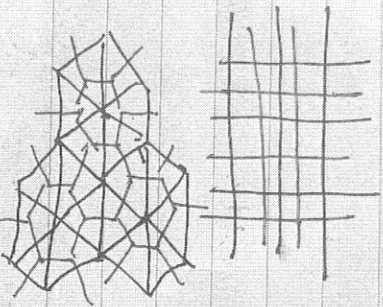


cube



octahedron

general



for T^2

This gives a bijection

$$C_{\lambda}^{CW}(X) \cong C_{2-\lambda}^{CW'}(X) \cong C_{CW}^{2-\lambda}(X)$$

dual basis
in case of
finitely many
cells

$$0 \rightarrow C_2^{CW}(X) \xrightarrow{\partial_2} C_1^{CW}(X) \xrightarrow{\partial_1} C_0^{CW}(X) \rightarrow 0$$

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$$0 \rightarrow C_2^0(CW_1(X)) \xrightarrow{\partial_2^{10}} C_1^1(CW_1(X)) \xrightarrow{\partial_1^{11}} C_0^2(CW_1(X)) \rightarrow 0$$

Note: For getting a cell-structure

we need to choose orientations on the cells.

This is needed to get the differentials.

We do this as follows:

• 2-cells Take the

outside normal vector field to orientate the

2-cells

$$\boxed{G_1} \xrightarrow{\partial_1} (RHR)$$

• For each 1-cell choose

an orientation

on the dual cells by

rotation by 90°

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Ex 216: Then $\delta^i \cong \pm \delta_{2-i}$.

Thus $H^i(X) \cong H_{2-i}(X)$.

To get a first glimpse,
try to understand the
case of $\mathbb{Z}_2$ coefficients.

So we have to go through
the following steps.

- orientation and fundamental class
- cap product
- Cohomology with compact supports and $U-V$ -sequence
- Proof of Poincaré Duality Theorem
(the version for non-closed and closed manifolds).

$$H_c^i(M; \mathbb{R}) \cong H_{n-i}(M; \mathbb{R}).$$

VIII 2. Orientation and fundamental class.

Notation 217: We will use the following notation for relative homology and cohomology groups.

$$H_i(X|A; G) := H_i(X, X \setminus A; G)$$

(classes represented by "relative cycles which intersect A ")

$$H^i(X|A; G) := H^i(X, X \setminus A; G)$$

(— " — by "cocycles which vanish outside A ")

If A is closed we would say "cocycles with support in A ")

Example 218: M -manif. and $x \in M$

$$H_i(M|x; G) \xrightarrow{\sim} H_i(\mathbb{R}^n|x; G)$$

excision

$$\xrightarrow{\sim} H_i(\mathbb{R}^n|B; G)$$

B bounded open $(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus B)$ is a d.f.

local around x (retract of $\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}$)

$$\simeq H_i(\mathbb{R}^n / \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B|G)$$

$$\simeq H_i(S^1|G)$$

$$\simeq \begin{cases} 0, & i \neq n \\ G, & i = n \end{cases}$$

Remark 219: To see $\xrightarrow{\sim}$ need

several steps
1st l.o.o. for $(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B)$

$$\hookrightarrow H_i(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus B, G) \xrightarrow{\sim} H_i(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}, G) \xrightarrow{\sim} H_i(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus B, G)$$

def. retract

So each $H_i(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B; G) = 0$

2nd l.o.o. for $(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B)$

$$\hookrightarrow H_i(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B; G) \rightarrow H_i(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus B; G) \xrightarrow{\sim} H_i(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{x\}; G) \rightarrow 0$$

So we get the isomorphism $(*)$.

Def. 220: let M be an n -mf.

A local orientation at $x \in M$ is a generator μ_x of $H_n(M|x)$.

(a) A local R -orientation at x is a generator (as an R -module) of $H_n(M|x; R)$.

(c) An orientation of M is a

map $\mu = (\mu_x)_{x \in M}$ with

$\mu_x \in H_n(M|x)$ a local orientation,

s.t. $\forall x_0 \in M \exists$ open ball $U \ni x_0 \in H_n(M|U)$ around x_0 (bounded)

ρ_1 .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H_n(M|U) & \xrightarrow{\sim} & H_n(M|x) \\ \mu_U \mapsto & & \mu_x \end{array}$$

for all $x \in U$.

(d) Similarly we define an R -orientation.

Def 221: (orientation manifold)

(a) $\tilde{M} := \{(v, x) | x \in M, v \text{ is a local orientation of } M \text{ at } x\}$

check: Take U a bounded open ball of M and $\mu_U \in H_n(M|U)$.

$U(\mu_U) := \{(v, x) | x \in U, v \text{ a local orientation of } M \text{ at } x \text{ s.t. } v \text{ is in the image of } \mu_U \text{ under } H_n(M|U) \rightarrow H_n(\mu_x)\}$

Exercise: $\tilde{M}$ is an n -manifold and $\tilde{M} \xrightarrow{P} M$ is

a two sheeted covering space of M .

(a) Then $\mu = (\mu_x)_{x \in M}$ is an orientation of M iff μ is a continuous section of P , i.e.

$\mu: M \rightarrow \tilde{M}$ satisfies μ is continuous and $P \circ \mu = \text{id}_M$.

Example 22: $S^n \subset \partial \Delta^n = [v_0, v_1, \dots, v_n]$

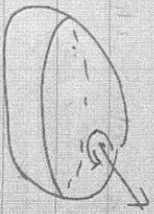
$\subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$. (top boundary)

Here consider $v_0 = 0, v_1 = e_1, \dots, v_n = e_n$.

Take $x \in \partial \Delta^n$. Then the class of $\partial \Delta^n$

in $H_n(\partial \Delta^n | x)$

is the orientation given by the outside pointing normal vector field.



Thm 223 Let M be a closed connected n -mf.

(a) Then are equivalent
 1° M is R -orientable
 2° $\forall x \in M, R \cong H_n(M, x; R) \hookrightarrow H_n(M, R)$
 in an isomorphism.

(b) $\forall i > n: H_i(M; R) = 0$.

(c) Suppose M is not R -orientable
 then $\forall x \in M$
 $H_n(M; R) \hookrightarrow H(M, x; R) \cong R$
 with image $\{r \in R \mid 2r = 0\}$.

Pf: The following Lemma for $A \subseteq M, \emptyset$

Def 224: A class $\mu \in H_n(M; R)$ at $\mu|_x \in H_n(M, x; R)$ is a generator for all $x \in M$ is called a fundamental class for M with coefficients in R .

lem 225: Let $M_\varphi = \{(x, y) \mid x \in M, y \in H_n(M, x; R)\}$ with the usual mf structure and $A \subseteq M$ be compact. Then

(a) let $x \mapsto \alpha_x$ be a section of $M_\varphi \rightarrow M$ on A . Then $\exists \alpha \in H_n(M, A; R)$ such that $\alpha_x|_x = \alpha_x \forall x \in A$.

(b) $H_i(M, A; R) = 0 \forall i > n$.

Pf: Step 1: If (a), (b) hold for compactly A, B and $A \cap B$, then also for $A \cup B$.

Pf: Use the M - V -sequence.

$$\hookrightarrow H_{n+1}(M, A \cup B) \rightarrow H_{n+1}(M, A) \oplus H_{n+1}(M, B) \rightarrow H_n(M, A \cap B) \rightarrow H_n(M, A \cup B) \rightarrow H_n(M, A) \oplus H_n(M, B) \rightarrow H_n(M, \emptyset) \rightarrow H_n(M, A \cap B)$$

$$\hookrightarrow H_n(M, A \cup B) \rightarrow H_n(M, A) \oplus H_n(M, B) \rightarrow H_n(M, A \cap B)$$

So $H_n(M \cup B) = 0 \quad \forall n > n$.

Note $d_A|_{A \cap B} = d_B|_{A \cap B} = d_{A \cap B}$

So $\exists d_{A \cup B} \in H_n(M \cup B) : d_{A \cup B}|_A \mapsto (d_A, d_B)$,
i.e. $d_{A \cup B}|_A = d_A$ and $d_{A \cup B}|_B = d_B$.

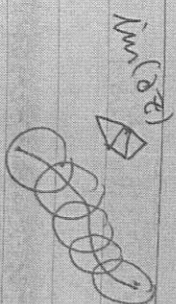
Uniqueness is obvious.

Step 2: By Step 1 we can reduce to the case $M = \mathbb{R}^n$.

Step 3: If $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ is convex and compact. Then $\forall x \in A, \forall i \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $H_i(M|A) \Rightarrow H_i(M|x)$
as $M \setminus A$ and $M \setminus \{x\}$ deformation retract to an $(n-1)$ -sphere.

Step 4: Now A is an arbitrary non-empty compact set in $\mathbb{R}^n$.

For (a): Take $B \in H_n(M|A), i \geq n$
 $\subset \mathbb{Z}^n|_A$
and K a finite union of compact balls or $K \cap (\text{int}(\partial \mathbb{Z}^n)) = \emptyset$ and $A \subset K$.



$B_K := \mathbb{Z}^n|_K \in H_n(M|K) = 0$.

$\Rightarrow B = B_K|_A = 0$.

For (a): Existence. Take a compact ball $B \supseteq A$ and put

$$d_A := d_B|_A$$

Uniqueness: Suppose $B \in H_n(M|A)$ satisfies $B|_K = 0 \quad \forall K \in \mathcal{K}$.

Choose $\mathbb{Z}^n|_A = B$ and K as above. For all closed balls in K we have $H_n(M|B) \cong H_n(M|K) \times H_n(K|B)$.

K finite union of compact balls with center in A .

So for each ball we have for $B_K := \mathbb{Z}^n|_K$

$$B_K|_B = 0$$

$\Rightarrow B_K|_K = 0 \quad \forall K \in \mathcal{K} \xRightarrow{\text{supp}} B_K = 0. \quad \square$

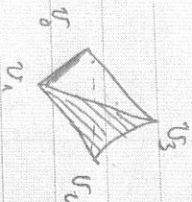
III.3. Cap product

Def 226: (cap product)

X a space and $k \geq 0$

$$\cap: C_k(X; R) \times C^l(X; R) \rightarrow C_{k-l}(X; R)$$

$$\sigma \cap \varrho := \varrho(\sigma|_{[v_0, \dots, v_l]}) \sigma|_{[v_l, \dots, v_k]}$$



$$l=1 \quad \varrho(\sigma|_{[v_0, v_1]}) \sigma|_{[v_1, v_2, v_3]}$$

Exercise 227: For $\alpha \in C_k(X; R)$

and $\varrho \in C^l(X; R)$ we have

$$\partial(\alpha \cap \varrho) = (-1)^k (\partial\alpha \cap \varrho - \alpha \cap \partial\varrho)$$

for $k \geq l \geq 0$.

So we get an R -bilinear map

$$H_k(X; R) \times H^l(X; R) \rightarrow H_{k-l}(X; R)$$

Re 228: (PD map for Thm 214).

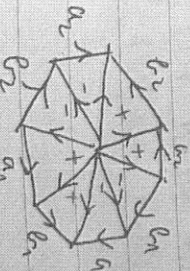
Let M be a closed n -mt with R -orientation. Let $[M]$ be the corresponding fundamental class $\in H_n(M; R)$.

We obtain a map

$$H^k(M; R) \xrightarrow{D} H_{n-k}(M; R)$$

$$D(\alpha) := [M] \cap \alpha.$$

Example 229: M_g $g=2$



A generator of $H_2(M)$ is indicated

by the sign for the triangles

this is the fundamental class



by $[M]$ for the orientation given

$$H^1(M) \cong \text{Hom}(H_1(M), \mathbb{Z})$$

Let $\{a_1, b_1, a_2, b_2\}$ be the dual basis of $\{a_1, b_1, a_2, b_2\}$.

$$H^1(M) \xrightarrow{D} H_1(M)$$

$$D(x) = [M] \cap x$$

$$D(a_1) = a_1, \quad D(b_1) = -a_1.$$

We will prove the PD (Thm 2.14) by induction starting from open sets in $\mathbb{R}^n$. So we need PD for non-compact oriented mfd.

VII 4. Cohomology with compact support.

Def 2.30: X Hausdorff.

$$C_c^i(X; \mathbb{R}) := \{ \varphi \in C^i(X; \mathbb{R}) \mid \exists K \subseteq X \text{ compact such that } \varphi|_{X \setminus K} = 0 \}$$

We obtain a complex

$$0 \rightarrow C_c^0(X; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{d^0} C_c^1(X; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{d^1} C_c^2(X; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{d^2} \dots$$

$H_c^i(X; \mathbb{R})$ "the cohomology groups with compact support".

Prop 2.31: (a) $C_c^i(X; \mathbb{R}) = \bigcup_K C^i(X|K; \mathbb{R})$

(b) For $K \subseteq L$ both compact in X we have

$$C^i(X|K; \mathbb{R}) \subseteq C^i(X|L; \mathbb{R})$$

and

$$H_c^i(X|K; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{i_K^*} H_c^i(X|L; \mathbb{R})$$

Thus

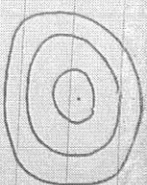
$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} H^*(X|k; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow H_c^*(X; \mathbb{R}).$$

Exercise: This map is an $\mathbb{R}$ -module isomorphism.

Example 232: $X = \mathbb{R}^n$ ($n \geq 1$)

$B_m = \overline{B}_m(0)$ closed ball around 0 with radius m .

$$B_1 \subseteq B_2 \subseteq B_3 \subseteq B_4 \dots$$



$\mathcal{U}$ is a cofinal system for $\{K \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n \mid K \text{ compact}\}, \subseteq$

$$\Rightarrow H_c^*(\mathbb{R}^n) = \lim_{B_m} H^*(\mathbb{R}^n|_{B_m}) = \begin{cases} 0, & i \neq n \\ \mathbb{Z}, & i = n \end{cases}$$

Exercise 233: Compute $H_c^*(\mathbb{R}^n)$ using the direct definition of $H_c^*(\mathbb{R}^n)$ using the complex $C_c^\bullet(\mathbb{R}^n)$.

Def 234: (PD map for the non-compact case.

Let M be an $\mathbb{R}$ -oriented n -mf and $M_k \in \mathcal{H}_n(M; \mathbb{R})$

The relative fundamental class for the orientation, see lem 225, for $k \in \mathcal{M}$ compact.

Then for $k \in \mathcal{L}$ compact: $M_k|_k = M_k$.

and we get, for $0 \leq k \leq n$,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^k(M|k; \mathbb{R}) & \xrightarrow{D|_k} & H^k(M; \mathbb{R}) \\ \uparrow \alpha & \searrow & \uparrow \\ H^k(M|L; \mathbb{R}) & \xrightarrow{D|_L} & H^k(M; \mathbb{R}) \\ D|_k(\alpha) := M_k \cap \alpha & & \end{array}$$

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This defines

$$D_n: H_c^k(M; R) \longrightarrow H_{n-k}(M; R) \\ \parallel \\ \varinjlim_k H_c^k(M|K; R).$$

Thm 235: D is an R -isomorphism.

Re 236: (M - V -sequence for H_c)
Let X be locally compact,

$$U, V \subseteq X \text{ open.} \\ \text{Then } H_c^i(U; R) = \varinjlim_{U \subseteq U' \text{ compact}} H_c^i(U'; R)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{excision}}{\cong} \varinjlim_{U \subseteq U'} H_c^i(M|U'; R)$$

So we obtain a long exact sequence

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$$\hookrightarrow H_c^{i+1}(U \cap V; R) \rightarrow H_c^i(U; R) \oplus H_c^i(V; R) \rightarrow H_c^i(U \cup V) \\ \hookrightarrow H_c^{i+1}(U \cap V; R) \rightarrow \dots$$

(exterior.)

Mayer-Vietoris sequence for cohom. with comp. supports.

Lemma 237: The following diagram commutes up to a sign depending on k : (M orientable, U, V S -open)

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \rightarrow H_c^k(U \cap V) & \rightarrow & H_c^k(U) \oplus H_c^k(V) & \rightarrow & H_c^k(U \cup V) \rightarrow \dots \\ D_{U \cap V} \downarrow & & D_U \downarrow & & D_V \downarrow \\ \rightarrow H_{n-k}(U \cap V) & \rightarrow & H_{n-k}(U) \oplus H_{n-k}(V) & \rightarrow & H_{n-k}(U \cup V) \rightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

Idea of the proof of Thm 235:

Case 1: $M = \mathbb{R}^n$ Take $\varepsilon \gg n$

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$$\begin{array}{ccc} \beta & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \text{u.e.r.} \\ H^n(\beta_e, \partial\beta_e; \mathbb{R}) & \xrightarrow{\sim} & H_0(\beta_e; \mathbb{R}) \simeq \mathbb{R} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{R} & & \mathbb{R} \end{array}$$

$$H^n(\mathbb{R}^n | \beta_m; \mathbb{R}) \xrightarrow{\partial_m} H_0(\mathbb{R}^n; \mathbb{R})$$

$$\alpha \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathcal{M}_m \cap \alpha$$

[M.A.:

$$H_n(\mathbb{R}^n | \beta_m; \mathbb{R}) \simeq H_n(\beta_e, \partial\beta_e; \mathbb{R})$$

$$\sigma: \Delta^n \xrightarrow{\sim} \beta_e$$

The top arrow is an isom.

$$H^n(\beta_e, \partial\beta_e; \mathbb{R}) \simeq H^n(H_n(\beta_e, \partial\beta_e; \mathbb{R}))$$

$$\simeq H^n(H_n(\mathbb{R}^n; \mathbb{R}))$$

$$\simeq \mathbb{R}$$

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So all D_m are isom.
Thus $D_{\mathbb{R}^n}$ is an isom.

Case 2: $\mathcal{M} := \{U \subseteq M \mid U \text{ open and } D_U \text{ is an isom.}\}$

Case 1 $\Rightarrow \mathcal{M} \neq \emptyset$.
 $\mathcal{M}$ is inductively ordered.

Zorn's Lemma $\Rightarrow \mathcal{M}$ has a maximal element $\hat{U}$.

Claim $\hat{U} = M$.

Prf: Assume $\hat{U} \neq M$. Take $x \in M \setminus \hat{U}$ and V around x open
s.t. $V \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$.
Case 1 and Lemma 237
and 5-Lemma
 $\Rightarrow \hat{U} \cup V \in \mathcal{M} \not\subseteq \hat{U}$

