

# SPECTRAL SEQUENCES

I DON'T CLAIM ANY ORIGINALITY FOR THESE NOTES, EVERYTHING CAN BE FOUND IN [WEIBEL, AN INTRODUCTION TO HOMOLOGICAL ALGEBRA]. I TRIED JUST TO SIMPLIFY WHERE POSSIBLE.

## QUESTION

LET  $A, B, C$  BE AB. CAT.'S,  $A \xrightarrow{F} B \xrightarrow{G} C$  BE HALF EXACT FUNCTORS, SAY LEFT; WHAT IS THE RELATION BETWEEN THE DERIVED FUNCTORS

$$R^i G \circ R^i F \xrightarrow{?} R^i (G \circ F) \quad ?$$

CAN YOU WHEN  $G$  IS EXACT?  $R^i (G \circ F) = G \circ R^i F$

## Thm. Grothendieck

LET  $A, B, C$  <sup>BE</sup> AB. CAT. ;  $A, B$  WITH ENOUGH INJECT. ;  $A \xrightarrow{F} B \xrightarrow{G} C$  LEFT EXACT FUNCTORS.

IF  $F$  SENDS INJECTIVE OBJECTS IN  $G$ -ACYCLIC OBJECTS, THEN THERE EXIST A (1<sup>st</sup> Q.) SPECTRAL SEQUENCE S.T.

$$E_2^{p,q} = (R^p G)(R^q F)(A) \Rightarrow R^{p+q}(GF)(A)$$

LOOKING AT THE LOW DEGREE TERMS, WE HAVE:

$$0 \rightarrow (R^1 F)(A) \rightarrow R^1(GF)(A) \rightarrow G(R^1 F)(A) \rightarrow (R^2 G)(FA) \rightarrow R^2(FG)(A)$$

## Review of HOMOM. ALG.

$A, B$  AB. CAT,  $A$  HAS ENOUGH INJECTIVES,  $A \xrightarrow{F} B$  L.E. FUNCTOR

WE GET  $\{R^i F\}_{i \geq 0} : A \rightarrow B$  UNIVERSAL  $\mathcal{D}$ -FUNCTOR.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \longrightarrow & Ch(A) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B & & Ch(B) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} A & \longmapsto & (A \rightarrow 0) \xrightarrow{\sim} (I') \\ & & \downarrow \\ & & F(I') \end{array}$$

→ QUASI-ISOMORPHISM

$R^p F(A) := h^p(FI')$

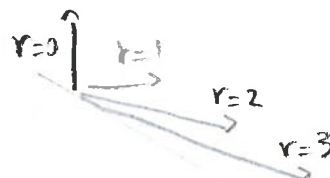
## Def

$A$  AB. CAT, A (1<sup>st</sup> QUADRANT) SPECTRAL SEQUENCE CONSISTS OF

•  $E_r^{p,q} \in Ob(A)$  FOR  $r \geq 0$  AND S.T.  $E_r^{p,q} = 0$  IF  $p < 0$  OR  $q < 0$

• MORPHISMS  $E_r^{p,q} \xrightarrow{d} E_r^{p+r, q-r+1}$  S.T.  $d^2 = 0$

• ISOMORPHISMS  $h(E_r^{p,q}) \cong E_{r+1}^{p,q}$



example

(1<sup>st</sup> Q.)

"COMPUTE" THE HOMOLOGY OF THE TOTAL COMPLEX OF A DOUBLE COMPLEX

Def

IF  $\exists r_0$  s.t.  $\forall r > r_0 \quad E_r^{p,q} = E_{r+1}^{p,q}$ , THEN WE DEFINE  $E_\infty^{p,q}$  AS THE STABLE VALUE

Rmk

IF THE S.S. ARE 1<sup>st</sup> Q. THEN  $E_\infty^{p,q} = E_R^{p,q}$  WHERE  $R > p$  AND  $R > q+1$

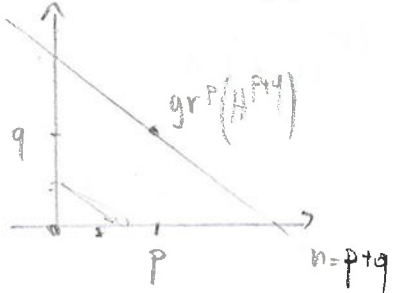
Def

LET  $\{H^n\}_n$  A FAMILY OF OBJECT IN  $\mathcal{A}$ , EACH OF THEM FILTERED

(I.E.  $0 = F^t H^n \subseteq \dots \subseteq F^s H^n = H^n$  WITH  $t > s$ )

WE SAY THAT A S.S.  $E_r^{p,q}$  CONVERGES TO  $H_\infty^n$ , (NOTATION  $E_r^{p,q} \Rightarrow H^n$ ) WHEN

$$gr^p(H^{p+q}) := \frac{F^p H^{p+q}}{F^{p+1} H^{p+q}} \simeq E_\infty^{p,q}$$



Rmk

IN A 1<sup>st</sup> Q. S.S.  $t = n+1 \quad s = 0$ , THAT IS:

$$0 = F^{n+1} H^n \subseteq \dots \subseteq F^0 H^n = H^n$$

CONSTRUCTION Thm:

FOR EVERY FILTERED COMPLEX:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 F^0 K^0 = K^0 & K^0 \rightarrow & K^1 \rightarrow & K^2 \rightarrow & K^3 \rightarrow & \dots & \text{IF THE FILTRATION} \\
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 F^1 K^0 & F^1 K^0 \rightarrow & F^1 K^1 \rightarrow & F^1 K^2 \rightarrow & \dots & & \\
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 F^2 K^0 & F^2 K^0 \rightarrow & F^2 K^1 \rightarrow & \dots & & & 
 \end{array}$$

IF THE FILTRATION IS CANONICALLY BOUNDED, I.E.:

- $F^0(K^n) = K^n$
- $F^{n+1}(K^n) = 0$

WE CAN CONSTRUCT A SPECTRAL SEQUENCE:

$$E_1^{p,q} = H^{p+q}(gr^p K^0) \Rightarrow H^{p+q}(K^0)$$



# NOTE ABOUT LEFT EXACT FUNCTORS

USUALLY, LEFT EXACT FUNCTORS ARE DEFINED AS FOLLOWS:

Def LET  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}$  TWO ABELIAN CATEGORIES AND  $\mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{F} \mathcal{B}$  AN ADDITIVE FUNCTOR.  $F$  IS SAID LEFT EXACT WHEN FOR EVERY EXACT SEQUENCE

$$0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow 0$$

EXACT SEQUENCE IN  $\mathcal{A}$ ,

$$0 \rightarrow F(A) \rightarrow F(B) \rightarrow F(C)$$

IS EXACT IN  $\mathcal{B}$ .

NEVERTHELESS, SOMETIMES IT IS USEFUL TO GIVE A DEFINITION FOR GENERAL CATEGORIES. :

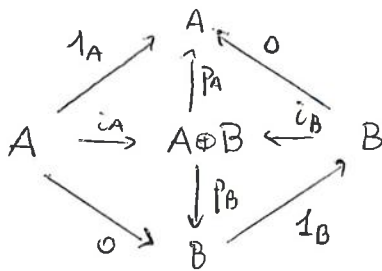
Def - II

LET  $\mathcal{C}$  A CATEGORY WITH FINITE PROJECTIVE LIMITS. THEN A FUNCTOR  $\mathcal{C} \xrightarrow{F} \mathcal{C}'$  IS LEFT EXACT IF IT COMMUTES WITH FINITE PROJECTIVE LIMITS.

(-cf. SGA 4, I, Def 2.4.1)

IN THE FOLLOWING I WOULD LIKE TO SKETCH WHY A LEFT EXACT FUNCTOR (IN THE SENSE OF II) BETWEEN AB. CAT. IS ADDITIVE

NOW, IN AN ABELIAN CATEGORY  $\mathcal{A}$ , FOR EVERY TWO OBJECTS  $A, B$  PRODUCTS AND COPRODUCTS COINCIDE AND WE HAVE THE DIAGRAM



WHERE  $i_A$  AND  $i_B$  ARE THE STRUCTURE MAPS FOR THE COPRODUCT; WHILE  $p_A$  AND  $p_B$  FOR THE PRODUCT.

MOREOVER WE CAN DEFINE A GROUP LAW ON THE SET  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{A}}(A, B)$  BY THE COMPOSITION :

$$f + g := A \xrightarrow{(f, g)} B \oplus B \xrightarrow{V = \begin{pmatrix} 1_B \\ 1_B \end{pmatrix}} B$$

WHERE  $f, g \in \text{Hom}(A, B)$ .

OR RECOVERS (DEPENDS ON YOUR DEF. OF ABELIAN CATEGORY).

ONE CAN CHECK THAT THIS DEFINES AN ADDITIVE STRUCTURE ON THE CATEGORY  $\mathcal{A}$ .

IF WE CONSIDER A LEFT EXACT FUNCTOR (IN THE SENSE OF II-DEFINITION)  $\mathcal{A} \xrightarrow{F} \mathcal{B}$  BETWEEN

TWO ABELIAN CATEGORIES, THEN WE HAVE THE ~~EQUALITY~~ OF BIPRODUCT  $(F(A) \oplus F(B), i_{F(A)}, i_{F(B)}, p_{F(A)}, p_{F(B)})$

COINCIDES WITH:

$$(F(A \oplus B), F(i_A), F(i_B), F(p_A), F(p_B)).$$

USING THE UNIVERSAL PROPERTY OF ~~CO~~ (CO)PRODUCTS ONE CAN SHOW THAT

$$F((f, g)) \equiv (F(f), F(g)) : F(A) \rightarrow F(B) \oplus F(B)$$

$$F \begin{pmatrix} 1_B \\ 1_B \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} F(1_B) \\ F(1_B) \end{pmatrix} : F(B) \oplus F(B) \rightarrow F(B)$$

COMBINING THE TWO FACTS, ONE GETS :

$$F(f + g) = F(f) + F(g)$$

THEREFORE THAT EVERY LEFT EXACT FUNCTOR IS ADDITIVE..