

• If  $\mathcal{A}$  has enough injectives and  $F$  is left exact then the  $n$ 'th right derived functor of  $F$  is

$$R^n F = H^n(F \circ i: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B})$$

-  $\mathbb{L}_n F(A)$  is computed as follows:

• Choose proj resolution of  $A$

$$P^\bullet = \dots \rightarrow P^{-2} \xrightarrow{d^{-2}} P^{-1} \xrightarrow{d^{-1}} P^0$$

• apply  $F$  pointwise

$$\dots \rightarrow F(P^{-2}) \xrightarrow{F(d^{-2})} F(P^{-1}) \xrightarrow{F(d^{-1})} F(P^0) = F_{\text{ch}}(P^\bullet)$$

• Take homology in degree  $-n$ :

$$H^{-n} F_{\text{ch}}(P^\bullet)$$

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-  $\mathbb{L}_n(f)$  for a morphism  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is computed as follows:

• Choose proj resolutions  $P^\bullet$  and  $Q^\bullet$  of  $A$  and  $B$ , and a lift  $f^\bullet: P^\bullet \rightarrow Q^\bullet$  of  $f$

• Apply  $F$  pointwise to get

$$g^\bullet = F_{\text{ch}}(f^\bullet): F_{\text{ch}}(P^\bullet) \rightarrow F_{\text{ch}}(Q^\bullet)$$

• Take homology in degree  $-n$ :  $\mathbb{L}_n(f) = H^{-n}(g^\bullet)$

Remark: If  $F$  is a contravariant functor from  $\mathcal{A}$  to  $\mathcal{B}$ , then we define the  $n$ th left or right derived functor of  $F$  to be the  $n$ th left or right derived functor of the covariant functor  $F: \mathcal{A}^{op} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ .

Lemma: Let  $F: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  be a right exact functor, and assume  $\mathcal{A}$  has enough projectives. Then  $\mathbb{L}_0 F$  is naturally isomorphic to  $F$ .

Proof:  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ , ...  $\overset{-2}{P} \xrightarrow{d^2} \overset{-1}{P} \xrightarrow{d^1} P^0$  proj resolution of  $A$ . Then  $A \cong \text{Coker } d^1$ . By definition

$$\mathbb{L}_0 F(A) = H^0 \left( \dots \rightarrow F(P^2) \xrightarrow{F(d^2)} F(P^1) \xrightarrow{F(d^1)} F(P^0) \right)$$

$$= \text{Coker } F(d^1)$$

Since  $F$  is right exact,

$$\text{Coker } F(d^1) \cong F(\text{Coker } d^1) \cong F(A).$$

Lemma Let  $F: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  be an exact functor, and assume  $\mathcal{A}$  has enough projectives. Then

$$\mathbb{L}_n F = 0 \text{ for } n \neq 0,$$

Pf. A proj resolution  $\dots \rightarrow P^{-2} \rightarrow P^{-1} \rightarrow P^0$  of  $A \in \mathcal{A}$  is exact in all  $\neq 0$  degrees. Now since  $F$  is exact,  $F(P^{-2}) \rightarrow F(P^{-1}) \rightarrow F(P^0)$  is also exact in all  $\neq 0$  degrees. Hence

$$\mathbb{L}_n F(A) \cong \tilde{H}^n(F(P^\bullet)) = 0 \quad \forall n \neq 0.$$

We also have the dual results:

Lemma: Let  $F: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  left exact functor and assume  $\mathcal{A}$  has enough injectives. Then

(1)  $R^0 F$  is naturally isomorphic to  $F$

(2) If  $F$  is exact, then  $R^n F = 0 \quad \forall n \neq 0.$

We now answer our motivating question:

Theorem:  $\mathcal{A}$  abelian with enough projectives,  $F: \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  right exact. For any short exact sequence  $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0$  in  $\mathcal{A}$  there is a long exact sequence

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \rightarrow \mathbb{L}_{n+1} F(C) & \rightarrow & \mathbb{L}_n F(A) & \xrightarrow{\mathbb{L}_n F(f)} & \mathbb{L}_n F(B) & \xrightarrow{\mathbb{L}_n F(g)} & \mathbb{L}_n F(C) \rightarrow \dots \\ & & & & & & \\ \dots & & \mathbb{L}_1 F(B) & \xrightarrow{\mathbb{L}_1 F(f)} & \mathbb{L}_1 F(C) & \rightarrow & F(A) \xrightarrow{F(f)} F(B) \xrightarrow{F(g)} F(C) \end{array}$$

Proof By horseshoe lemma can find comm diagram with exact rows

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & & & & & 0 \\
 & & & & & & \downarrow \\
 \cdots & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^{-2} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & A \\
 & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow f \\
 \cdots & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^{-2} \oplus Q^{-2} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^{-1} \oplus Q^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P^0 \oplus Q^0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & B \\
 & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow g \\
 \cdots & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Q^{-2} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Q^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Q^0 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C \\
 & & & & & & & & \downarrow \\
 & & & & & & & & 0
 \end{array}$$

Applying  $F_n$  to the proj resolutions, get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 F_n(P^i) = (\cdots & F_n P^{-2} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & F_n P^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & F_n P^0 & \\
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Will see later:

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Ex: Compute  $\text{Tor}_i^{\mathbb{Z}}\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}, -\right)\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}\right)$

•  $0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\cdot m} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$  proj resolution of  $\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}$

• Apply  $\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} -$  to this, get

$$\dots \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \xrightarrow{\cdot m} \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \rightarrow 0 \dots$$

$$\text{Now } \text{Tor}_i^{\mathbb{Z}}\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}, -\right)\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}\right) = 0 \quad i \geq 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tor}_1^{\mathbb{Z}}\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}, -\right)\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}\right) &= \ker\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \xrightarrow{\cdot m} \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}\right) \\ &\cong \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{\gcd(n, m)} \end{aligned}$$

Check that  $\text{Tor}_i^{\mathbb{Z}}\left(-, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}\right)\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}\right)$  gives the same result!

(2) Compute  $\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^i\left(-, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}\right)\left(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}\right)$

degree 1      degree 0

$\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{\cdot n} \mathbb{Z}$  proj resolution of  $\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}$

Apply  $\text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(-, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}})$ :

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{Z}, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}) \xrightarrow{\cdot n} \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(\mathbb{Z}, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}) \rightarrow 0 \dots$$

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$$\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}} \xrightarrow{\cdot n} \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}$$

$$\text{Ext}_{\mathbb{Z}}^i(-, \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}) \left( \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \right) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \geq 2 \\ \text{Coker}(\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}} \xrightarrow{\cdot n} \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{m\mathbb{Z}}) & i=1 \end{cases} \cong \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{\text{gcd}(n,m)\mathbb{Z}}$$

## Lecture 17

### Syzugies and dimension shift

Def:  $\mathcal{A}$  abelian,  $A \in \mathcal{A}$ .  $h$

- A syzygy of  $A$ , denoted  $\Omega A$ , is the kernel of an epi  $P \rightarrow A$  with  $P$  projective
- A cosyzygy of  $A$ , denoted  $\nu A$  is the cokernel of a mono  $A \rightarrow I$  with  $I$  injective.