

Topics in Calculus and Algebra

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Lecture 1

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E_d -algebras, (∞, d) -cats, applications...

Background reading for simplicial sets: Goerss & Jardine, arxiv/0609537

Next lecture: (∞, d) -categories

Next 3(?) lectures: explaining Lurie's ^{statement of} theorem about TFT and (∞, d) -cats

Classical d -TFT, Atiyah, after Segal

Def d -Cob (for Cobordism) category: objects: closed, oriented manifolds of dim $d-1$

mor: $\{\text{bordisms from } M \text{ to } N\} / \text{diffeo, rel } \partial$

i.e. B is a oriented d -dim mfd equipped w/ an orientation

preserving diffeo $\partial B = \bar{M} \sqcup N$

$\bar{M} = M$ with opp. orientation

Consider B & B' since \exists diffeo $B \xrightarrow{\varphi} B'$ extending given diffeos

$$\partial B' \cong \bar{M} \sqcup N \cong \partial B$$

E.g. $d=2$ 2-Cob

Objects: closed 1-mflds



as any connected closed orient. mfd is diffeo & cobordant to $S^1 = \bigcirc$

so $2\text{-Cob} \cong \mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, \dots\}$ disjoint union of circles

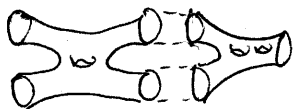


← example of cobordism between $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ and $\bigcirc \bigcirc$

Identity cobord is $M \times I$

thm/observation/fudge:

d -Cob is a category, i.e. you can compose cobordisms



Need to prove glued space has str. of a smooth manifold, indep of classes, depending only on diffeo type at ∂

// the details of this will be filled in via course

Moreover, d -Cob is a symmetric monoidal, wrt. ~~disjoint~~ disjoint union

i.e. M, N manifolds, so is $M \sqcup N$

$$M \sqcup N \cong N \sqcup M$$

\emptyset = empty mfd,

$$\emptyset \sqcup M = M \sqcup \emptyset = M, \text{ associativity in}$$

Def Atiyah, after Segal

a d-TFT is a sym-monoidal functor $Z : (d\text{-Cob}, \cup) \rightarrow (\text{Vec}, \otimes)$

$\text{Vec} = \text{v.s}/k$, k a field

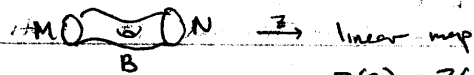
ie. Z functor $d\text{-Cob} \rightarrow \text{Vec}$

+ isos $\varphi_{M,N} : Z(M \cup N) \xrightarrow{\sim} Z(M) \otimes Z(N)$ compatible w/ symmetry, assoc, etc

E.g. $Z(\emptyset \cup M) = Z(\emptyset) \otimes Z(M)$

\downarrow
 $Z(M) \rightarrow Z(\emptyset) = k$

If $\dim M = d-1$, $Z(M)$ a v.s/k



$Z(B) : Z(M) \rightarrow Z(N)$

If $\partial B = \emptyset$, then $Z(B) : Z(\emptyset) \rightarrow Z(\emptyset)$ linear map, so $Z(B) \in k$

d=2 (1) Any 1-mfld is cobord to disjoint union of circles.

$Z(S^1 \cup \dots \cup S^1) = Z(S^1) \otimes \dots \otimes Z(S^1)$

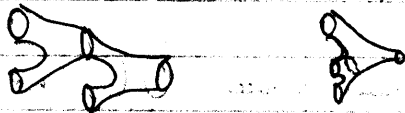
so $Z(1\text{-mfld}) = Z(S^1)^{\otimes \frac{\# \text{ of comp.}}{\# \text{ of comp.}}} \quad Z(S^1) = A \in \text{Vec}$

Consider $B =$ $Z(B) = m : A \otimes A \rightarrow A$ linear, call it "multiplication"

Now B is diffe to same thing w/ 1, 2 swapped.

so I can swap 1 & 2 $\rightarrow m$ is commutative
 $m(a_1 \otimes a_2) = m(a_2 \otimes a_1)$

$A \otimes A \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} A \otimes A \xrightarrow{m} A$



gives associativity $(A \otimes A) \otimes A \cong A \otimes (A \otimes A)$
 $\downarrow \cong$ $\downarrow \cong$
 $A \otimes A \xrightarrow{m} A \leftarrow A \otimes A$

All subtleties will be dealt w/ next week. Best way to deal w/ it is thru st. Lurie

Unit: $\emptyset \cup \bigcirc \cup \bigcirc \quad Z(\bigcirc) : Z(\emptyset) = k \rightarrow Z(S^1) = A$
 $k \rightarrow A \leftrightarrow "1" \in A$

$\text{ie. } A \otimes k \xrightarrow{\text{cov } \otimes 1} A \otimes A \xrightarrow{m} A$
is the identity.

ie. "1" is unit for mult.

Same disk w/ opp orientation

$\bigcirc \cup \emptyset \quad Z(\emptyset) : Z(S^1) \rightarrow Z(\emptyset)$
 $\text{tr} : A \rightarrow k$



Exercise Show $\text{tr}(ab) = \text{tr}(ba)$, so get sym, bilinear form $A \otimes A \rightarrow k$
 $a \otimes b \mapsto \text{tr}(ab)$

$\sqrt{2/A}$

subtle point: bilinear form is NON-DEGENERATE

In particular, A is f.d.

Prop $Z: d\text{-Cob} \rightarrow \text{Vec}$ a $d\text{-TFT}$

then $Z(M)$ is f.d. and $Z(M) = Z(M)^*$ is dual v.s.

\forall closed $(d-1)$ manifolds M

PS/explanation) if V v.s. k , $V^* = \text{Hom}_k(V, k)$ dual v.s.

have $\text{ev}: V \otimes V^* \rightarrow k$ $v \otimes \varphi \mapsto \varphi(v)$

If V is f.d., also have $\text{coev}: k \rightarrow V^* \otimes V$ $1 \mapsto \sum e_i^* \otimes e_i$

(note: always have $k \rightarrow \text{Hom}(V, V)$, but
 $1 \mapsto \text{Id}$

$\text{Hom}(V, W) = V^* \otimes W$ only if V is f.d. where e_i, e_i^* dual bases of V, V^*

(So for example $k \xrightarrow{\text{coev}} V^* \otimes V \xrightarrow{\text{swap}} V \otimes V^* \rightarrow k$
 $1 \mapsto \sum e_i^* \otimes e_i \mapsto \text{dim } V$)

i.e. for $d=2$, $Z(\text{Cob}) = Z(\text{Cob}) = \text{dim } A$

these satisfy compat. $V = V \otimes k \xrightarrow{\text{Id} \otimes \text{ev}} V \otimes V^* \otimes V \xrightarrow{\text{eval}} k \otimes V = V$
 $v = v \otimes 1 \mapsto \sum v \otimes e_i^* \otimes e_i \mapsto \sum e_i^*(v) e_i = v$

} are identity

Δ similarly,

$V^* = k \otimes V^* \xrightarrow{\text{coev} \otimes \text{Id}} V^* \otimes V \otimes V^* \xrightarrow{\text{Id} \otimes \text{ev}} V^*$

Put $V = Z(M)$, $\bar{V} = Z(\bar{M})$

$Z(\text{Cob}) : V \otimes \bar{V} \rightarrow k$, $Z(\text{Cob}) : k \rightarrow V \otimes \bar{V}$

$Z(\text{Cob}) \Rightarrow V \rightarrow V \otimes \bar{V} \otimes V \rightarrow V$ is identity
 Δ similarly $\bar{V} \rightarrow \bar{V} \otimes V \otimes \bar{V} \rightarrow \bar{V}$ identity

V, \bar{V} both inverses, but inverses unique

pairing $\bar{V} \otimes V \rightarrow k$ gives rise to map $\bar{V} \rightarrow V^*$
 $\bar{v} \mapsto (x \in V \mapsto \text{ev}(\bar{v} \otimes x))$

but $V^* = V^* \otimes k \rightarrow V^* \otimes V \otimes \bar{V} \xrightarrow{\text{eval}} k \otimes \bar{V} \cong \bar{V}$
 $\text{Id} \otimes Z(\text{Cob})$

Exercise The resulting map $V^* \rightarrow \bar{V}$ is inverse of $\bar{V} \rightarrow V^*$. \square

i.e. $Z \in 2\text{-TFT} \mapsto A$ a f.d. comm. alg/k w

$\cdot, \text{tr}: A \rightarrow k$ st. $\text{tr}(ab)$ non-degen. symm bilinear form

"Frobenius algebra"

Thm (folk) Conversely, given A a Frob alg, get $Z \in 2\text{-TFT}$, uniquely.

Remark Any 2-manifold can be cut up into pieces that are diffeo



add to generator either Cob or Cob^*

So Z of these determine Z
 But you can cut these up in multiple ways, so point is that ^{all} these relations are consequences of the ones we wrote

[Try getting $Z(\text{point})$]

E.g. $A = \mathbb{C}[X]/X^n$, $\text{tr}(f) = \text{coeff of } X^{n-1}$: $A \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$
 determines a 2-TFT

E.g. $\mathbb{C}[G]$, G a finite gp

Exercise $Z(\text{point}) = ?$ $|G|^2$

Exercise Show 1-TFT \leftrightarrow fd. vs. V

$$Z(\bullet) = V \quad Z(S^1) = \dim V$$

dimensional reduction:

if $Z: (d+1)\text{-Cob} \rightarrow \text{Vect}$ is $(d+1)\text{-TFT}$

then $Z(\bullet \times S^1): d\text{-Cob} \rightarrow \text{Vect}$ is a $d\text{-TFT}$.

E.g. Z a 2-TFT $Z(S^1) = A$, a Frob alg is a fd. v.s.

hence if Z is a 3-TFT, then $Z(S^1 \times S^1) = A$ is a Frob alg

but $S^1 \times S^1 = \mathbb{R}^2/\mathbb{Z}^2$, so $SU_2 \mathbb{Z}$ acts on $S^1 \times S^1$ & on A

Baez-Dolan cobord hyp: extend a $d\text{-TFT}$ down to a point

$d\text{-manifold} \rightsquigarrow \text{set, is a vs.}$

$(d-1) \rightsquigarrow V$, a vs. $\in \text{Vect}$, a \mathbb{C} -linear

$(d-2) \rightsquigarrow \text{Vect}$, an object in a 2-cat

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pt 0-dim $\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{C}$ a $d\text{-Cat}$

extended $d\text{-TFT}$ is a sym monoidal functor $F: \text{"d-cat of d-cobord"} \rightarrow \text{some d-Cat}$

they conjectured you can make sense of this

\bullet F is completely determined by $F(\bullet)$

for $d=2$, already not obv. \rightsquigarrow you want chain complexes, not vect.
 thm of Kontsevich, Costello

[What is $(\infty, d)\text{-cat}$?]

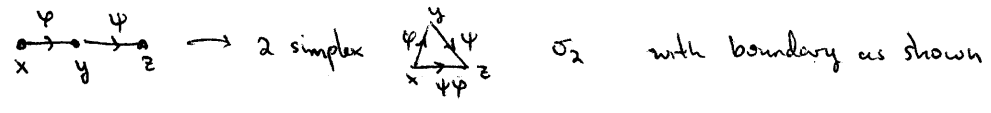
for general d , Lurie

Lecture 2

Ref. 0901.3602 Article we will follow for next few lectures

\mathcal{C} cat \rightsquigarrow top space $|NE|$
 ob \mathcal{C} \rightsquigarrow points

$\forall e \in \mathcal{C}(x, y) \rightarrow$ interval with endpoints x, y



$$\sigma_n = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid \sum_0^n x_i = 1\}$$

this factors into a combinatorial part $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow NE$ simplicial set
 & a "realisation part" $1.1: \Delta^{op} \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Top}$

def of $\Delta^{op} \text{Set}$, ~~nerve~~ Nerve N, \dots

Δ = cat of finite ordered sets
 equiv to cat with ob $\Delta = \{[0], [1], \dots\}$, $[n] = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n\}$

\mathcal{C} any cat, $\Delta^{op} \mathcal{C} = \text{Sh}(\Delta^{op}, \mathcal{C}) = \text{functors } \Delta^{op} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$
 "simplicial \mathcal{C} objects"

$X \in \Delta^{op} \mathcal{C}$, write $X_n = X([n])$

$d_i: X_n \rightarrow X_{n-1}$ for $X(d^i)$ "face maps" $d^i: [n-1] \rightarrow [n]$ skip i

$s_i: X_{n-1} \rightarrow X_n$ for $X(s^i)$ "degeneracies" $s^i: [n] \rightarrow [n-1]$ double up i

$$\vdots \quad X_2 \rightrightarrows X_1 \rightrightarrows X_0$$

any morphism in Δ is a composite of d^i, s^i .
 degen simplices $\bigcup_0^n s_i X_{n-1} = \bigcup_{\phi: [n] \rightarrow [k]} \phi^* X_k$
 $k \leq n, \phi$ surj

Example: define $\Delta^n = h_{[n]} = \Delta(_, [n]) : \Delta^{op} \rightarrow \text{Set}$

ie $\Delta^n \in \Delta^{op} \text{Set}$ "n simplex"

Yoneda lemma $\Rightarrow \Delta^{op} \text{Set}(\Delta^n, X) = X_n$

explicitly, $(\Delta^n)_m = \Delta([m], [n])$

so $(\Delta^n)_0 = [n]$ $(\Delta^n)_n$ has a unique nondegenerate simplex, etc

write $\alpha: [m] \rightarrow [n]$ as $\alpha_0 \alpha_1 \dots \alpha_m$ where $\alpha_i = \alpha(i)$

	m=2	m=1	m=0
Δ^1	000 001 011 111	00 01 11	0 1

This is just the interval
 \downarrow

\mathcal{C} small cat ("objects are a set")

$N(\mathcal{C}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set}$ "nerve" of \mathcal{C}

$(N\mathcal{C})_n = \text{Func}([n], \mathcal{C}) = \{ x_0 \xrightarrow{f_1} x_1 \rightarrow \dots \xrightarrow{f_n} x_n \}$ composable n arrows

degeneracies: insert identity map
face maps: composition

eg. $\mathcal{C} = [n] = \{ 0 \xrightarrow{1} 1 \xrightarrow{2} \dots \xrightarrow{n} n \}$ exercise $N\mathcal{C} = \Delta^n$

geometric realization

functor $\sigma_n : \Delta \rightarrow \text{Top}$ $[n] \rightarrow \sigma_n = \text{convex hull of } e_0, \dots, e_n \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^{n+1}$

$\alpha : [n] \rightarrow [m]$ $\alpha_i : \sigma_n \rightarrow \sigma_m$ extend linearly

Gives functor $\text{Sing} : \text{Top} \rightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set}$ $\text{Sing}(X)_n = \text{Top}(\sigma_n, X)$

an adjoint functor. $\text{Id} : \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Top}$ left adj to Sing

$\prod X_n \times \sigma_n \cong \prod X_n \times \sigma_n \rightarrow |X|$
 $\phi : [n] \rightarrow [n]$

i.e., take a geometric n -simplex for each $x \in X_n$ & glue by boundary maps.

If we take Top to mean compactly generated weak Hausdorff spaces, then Top is Cartesian closed (has products and mapping spaces)

Thm: (i) $|\Delta^n| \cong \sigma_n$

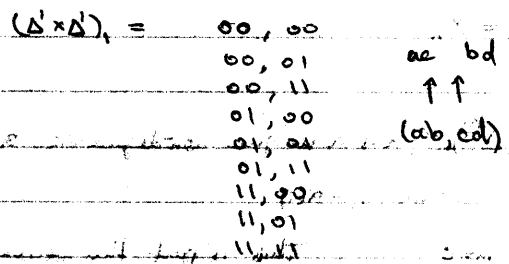
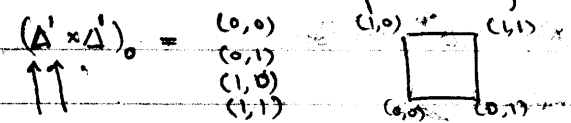
(ii) $|X \times Y| \cong |X| \times |Y|$ is a homeo [Eilenberg-Zilber Thm?]

(iii) $\text{Id} : \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set} \rightleftarrows \text{Top} : \text{Sing}$ are adjoint

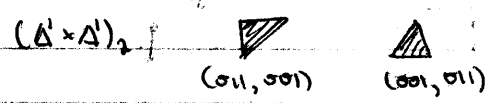
$\text{Top}(|X|, |Y|) \cong \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set}(X, \text{Sing} Y)$

Defn $(X \times Y)_n := X_n \times Y_n$, $\alpha_{X \times Y}^* = \alpha_X^* \times \alpha_Y^*$ $\alpha : [n] \rightarrow [m]$

Product structure of simplicial objects



So we have 5 nondeg 1-simplices 4 deg.



Exercise K a simplicial complex, order set of simplices, call it J .

regard it as a cat \mathcal{C} . Then $|N\mathcal{C}|$ is the Barycentric subdiv of K . In particular, homeo to K . I.e. any simplicial complex (CW complex) is homotopic to $|N\mathcal{C}|$, since

§ $(\infty, 1)$ -categories, after Rezk.

recap: $N: \underline{\text{Cat}} \rightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$, $\mathcal{C} \rightsquigarrow N\mathcal{C}$

Δ if we want, we can pretend $N\mathcal{C}$ is a top space $|N\mathcal{C}|$, well-defined up to homotopy.

Properties of N : (i) natural iso's $N(\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D}) \xrightarrow{\sim} N\mathcal{C} \times N\mathcal{D}$

[(ii) ~~$N(\mathcal{D}^{\mathcal{C}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} N(\mathcal{D})^{N\mathcal{C}}$~~ $N(\mathcal{D}^{\mathcal{C}}) \xrightarrow{\sim} N(\mathcal{D})^{N\mathcal{C}}$]

clear N embeds $\underline{\text{Cat}} \hookrightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$

i.e. $N\mathcal{C} = N\mathcal{C}' \Rightarrow \mathcal{C} = \mathcal{C}'$
equal, not isom

image of N also clear: $\{X \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set} \mid X_n = X_1 \times_{X_0} X_1 \times_{X_0} \dots \times_{X_0} X_1\}$

but if we want to recover Cat/equiv , not $\text{Cat}/\text{equality}$ [equality = naturally iso]

Consider $\mathcal{C} \rightsquigarrow |N\mathcal{C}|$

[Think Vect vs. Δ]

Claim (i) $\mathcal{C} \sim_{\text{equiv}} \mathcal{C}' \Rightarrow |N\mathcal{C}| \xrightarrow{\text{homotopic}} |N\mathcal{C}'|$

so homotopy type of $|N\mathcal{C}|$ is an invariant of \mathcal{C}/equiv

(ii) loses lots of information

e.g. (ii) $\mathcal{C} \not\sim \mathcal{C}'$ in general, but $|N\mathcal{C}| = |N\mathcal{C}'|$ // you forgot the arrows when 1:1

to prove (i), a fun more example;

Lemma A natural transform. $\Theta: F \rightarrow G: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$

induces a homotopy $|N\mathcal{C}| \times [0, 1] \rightarrow |N\mathcal{D}|$ between $|F|$ & $|G|$

pf $[1] = \{0 \rightarrow 1\}$ cat

Natural transform defines a functor $\Theta: \mathcal{C} \times [1] \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$

hence as N , 1:1 preserve products

$$|N\mathcal{D}| \leftarrow |N(\mathcal{C} \times [1])| \xrightarrow{\sim} |N\mathcal{C} \times N[1]| \xrightarrow{\sim} |N\mathcal{C}| \times |N[1]| \xrightarrow{\sim} |N\mathcal{C}| \times [0, 1]$$

get homotopy. □

Cor $F: \mathcal{C} \rightleftarrows \mathcal{D}: G$ adjoint $\Rightarrow |N\mathcal{C}| \sim |N\mathcal{D}|$

pf adjoint $\Rightarrow 1 \rightarrow GF, FG \rightarrow 1$ nat. transf. □

fact that these unit/counit work familiar to 2-TFT is no coincidence!

Sub-e.g. If $\mathcal{C} \sim \mathcal{C}'$, then $|N\mathcal{C}| \sim |N\mathcal{C}'|$

Cor: If \mathcal{C} has an initial or a final obj, then $|N\mathcal{C}|$ is contractible

pf Functor to the one object, one morphism cat $[0]$ has an adjoint.

E.g. If \mathcal{C} additive cat, e.g. vect spaces, or chain complexes, ... $|N\mathcal{C}| \sim *$

Issue: If $X \in \text{Top} \rightsquigarrow \text{cat } \prod_{i \in I} X$ in which all morphisms are invertible (groupoid)

obj: pts of X

mor: $x \rightarrow y = \{ \text{cts map } f: [0, 1] \rightarrow X, f(0) = x, f(1) = y \} / \text{homotopy}$

so $|N-| : \text{Cat} \rightarrow \text{Top}$ takes us to a place where all morphisms are invertible.

Notation: If G discrete gp, $BG = \text{cat}$ with $\text{ob} BG = *$, $BG(*, *) = G$

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$$\mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} : \text{ob } \mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} = \text{ob } \mathcal{C}$$

$$\mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}}(x, y) = \{ \varphi \in \mathcal{C}(x, y) \mid \varphi \text{ invertible} \}$$

this is a groupoid

"throw away all non-invertible" morphisms

$|N\mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}}|$

$\text{Fin Sets}^{\text{inv}} \sim \coprod_{n \geq 0} BS_n$ not contractible \leadsto you get nice top. space.

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combinatorics of higher cat: $\mathbb{Z} \rtimes \Delta$ iterated wreath product of Δ

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$$\mathcal{C} \in \text{Cat} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} \quad \text{subset: } \{ \varphi \in \mathcal{C}(x, y) \mid \varphi^{-1} \text{ exists} \}$$

$$\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} \text{ functor, } \mathcal{C} \sim \mathcal{C}' \Rightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} \sim \mathcal{C}'^{\text{inv}} \sim \text{means equivalent}$$

eg: $\text{FinVect}_k \sim \text{StrVect}_k : \text{ob} = \mathbb{N} \quad \text{Mor}(m, n) = n \times m \text{ matrices } (\cong \text{Hom}(k^m, k^n))$

$$\text{FinVect}_k^{\text{inv}} \sim \text{StrVect}_k^{\text{inv}} = \coprod_{n \geq 0} B[GL_n(k)^{\text{disc}}] \quad // \text{disc} = \text{discrete}$$

(cat with objects $n \in \mathbb{N}$ $\text{Mor}(n, n) = GL_n(k)$)

so $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow N(\mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}})$ loses less info

Observation: if \mathcal{C} is a connected groupoid

$$\& x \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}, \quad B(\text{Aut } x) = B\mathcal{C}(x, x) \hookrightarrow \mathcal{C} \quad \text{is an equiv of cat.}$$

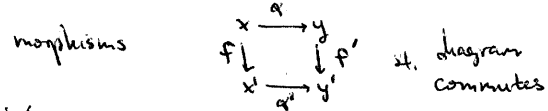
$$\text{so } \mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} \sim B\text{Aut}(x)$$

hence in general

$$\mathcal{C}^{\text{inv}} \sim \coprod_{x \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C} / \text{iso}} B\text{Aut}(x) \quad : \text{choose a section } \text{ob } \mathcal{C} / \text{iso} \hookrightarrow \text{ob } \mathcal{C}.$$

non-invertible morphisms?

$$\text{Consider } \text{Func}(\mathbb{I}, \mathcal{C}) = \mathcal{C}^{[\mathbb{I}]} : \text{Objects} = \coprod_{x, y \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}} \mathcal{C}(x, y)$$



Apply $()^{\text{inv}}$, i.e. require f, f' to be isos,

Examples: (i) $\mathcal{C} = \text{StrVect}_k$,

$$\text{ob } \mathcal{C}^{[\mathbb{I}]} = \coprod_{n, m} \text{Hom}(k^n, k^m)^{\text{disc}}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} k^n & \xrightarrow{A} & k^m \\ x \downarrow & & \downarrow y \\ k^n & \xrightarrow{B} & k^m \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} YA = BX \\ \text{If invertible, } (x, y) \in GL_n \times GL_m. \end{array}$$

$$\text{so } (\mathcal{C}^{[\mathbb{I}]})^{\text{inv}} = \coprod_{n, m} \text{Hom}(k^n, k^m)^{\text{disc}} / (GL_n \times GL_m)^{\text{disc}}$$

$$(x, y) \cdot A = YAX^{-1}$$

so iso classes of objects are orbits of $G = GL_n \times GL_m$ on $E = \text{Hom}(k^n, k^m)$

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Exercise:

If $\mathcal{C} = BG$, G discrete gp

$\mathcal{W}BG = (\dots \rightrightarrows N(BG) \rightrightarrows N(BG))$ is the constant simplicial group.

(if \mathcal{C} is a cat, $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\mathcal{C}$ "constant simplicial object"

$X \mapsto ([n] \rightarrow X, \alpha: [n] \rightarrow [n], \alpha^* = \text{Id} = X \rightarrow X)$

Exercise

(iv) if \mathcal{C} is a cat s.t. only iso's are identity morphism.

(example \mathcal{C} cat attached to poset)

eg. $\mathcal{C} = [n]$ get nerve of \mathcal{C} , embedded "horizontally" in $\Delta^{\text{op}}\Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$

$(\Delta \rightarrow \mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{C} = \text{Set})$ not "vertically" (think bi-simplicial set)

show $\mathcal{W}[k]_n = \text{set } \Delta([n], [k]) \hookrightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$

thought of as a const simplicial set

which is the element of $\Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$ which "represents"

$X \mapsto X_k : \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp} \rightarrow \text{Sp}$

call that $F(k) : (\mathbb{N}) \rightarrow \Delta(n, k)$, so $F(k) \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$
 $\Delta^k \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$



Exercise (i), (ii) FinVect, FinSet

For FinVect:

$$k^n \rightarrow k^{n+1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow k^d$$

$E = \prod \text{Hom}(k^{n_i}, k^{n_{i+1}}) \quad G = \prod \text{GL}_{n_i}$

$$e^{n_i} \rightarrow e^{n_{i+1}} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow e^{n_d}$$

// Out pops $U(n)$ n for $\mathfrak{sl}_{\text{det}}$ [??]

$\alpha_i = \alpha_{i, i+1}$

// Quiver
Gabriel's thm
Positive roots in $\mathfrak{sl}_{\text{det}}$
 $\sum_{\alpha \in \Phi^+} n_\alpha \alpha \quad n_\alpha \geq 0$

\mathcal{C} cat, $\mathcal{W}\mathcal{C} \in \Delta^{\text{op}}(\text{Sp})$

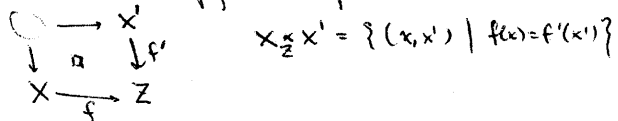
note $\mathcal{W}e_n \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{W}e_1 \times_{\mathcal{W}e_0} \mathcal{W}e_1 \times_{\mathcal{W}e_0} \dots \times_{\mathcal{W}e_0} \mathcal{W}e_1$ canonically

Even better: $\mathcal{W}e_1 \rightarrow \mathcal{W}e_0 \times \mathcal{W}e_0$ is a fibration

[fiber over (x, y) is $\mathcal{C}(x, y)$
 & so depends only on class of x, y in $\pi_0(\mathcal{W}e_0) \times \pi_0(\mathcal{W}e_0)$
 up to iso]

because of this, the fibre product is a homotopy fibre product

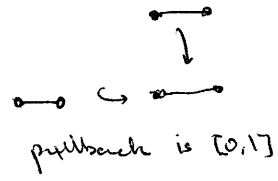
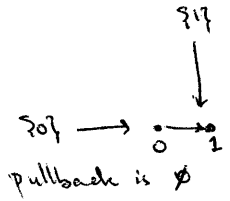
EXPLANATION:



pullback of top spaces

has the property that it depends on more than the homotopy type of X, X', Z .

e.g.

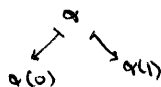
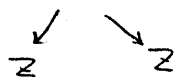


but everything is homotopic to pt.

To fix this, the "homotopy pullback"

$$X \times_Z^h X' = X \times_Z \mathcal{P}Z \times_Z X'$$

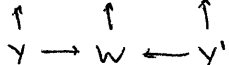
where $\mathcal{P}Z = \{\alpha: [0,1] \rightarrow Z\}$



notice $X \times_Z X' \xrightarrow{\quad} X \times_Z^h X'$ inclusion
Not always a homotopy equiv.

has following properties:

(i) if $X \rightarrow Z \leftarrow X'$ st. vertical maps are weak homotopy equiv.



then $Y \times_W^h Y' \rightarrow X \times_Z^h X'$

is a weak homotopy equiv.

(ii) if $X \rightarrow Z$ is a fibration, then $X \times_Z X' \rightarrow X \times_Z^h X'$ is a homotopy equiv.

look in Goerss paper for model cat struct. on Sp.

Dwyer-Spalinskiy - another expository paper on model cats (w/ proofs)

W.C. enable us to do computation on cats in homotopy invariant way.

def $X \in \Delta^* Sp$ satisfies the Segal condition if the map

$$X_n \rightarrow X_1 \times_{X_0}^h X_1 \times_{X_0}^h \dots \times_{X_0}^h X_1$$

is a weak equiv in Sp, $\forall n$.

(e.g. W.C.)

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Lecture 4

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def $X \in \Delta^* Sp$ satisfies the Segal condition if $X_n \rightarrow X_1 \times_{X_0}^h X_1 \times_{X_0}^h \dots \times_{X_0}^h X_1$
is a weak equiv in Sp, $\forall n$

call such a "Segal space"

Such a space has a weak notion of composition:

get a "category" whose objects are pts in X_0

if $x, y \in X_0$, put $\text{map}_X(x, y) = \text{homotopy fibers} \left(\begin{array}{c} X_1 \\ \downarrow \\ X_0 \times X_0 \end{array} \right)$

homotopy fiber: not defined for Sp.
but just think of Top.
after geom realization

i.e. if $X_1 \rightarrow X_0 \times X_0$ is a fibration, then $\text{map}_X(x, y) = (d_1, d_0)^{-1}(x, y)$

Whether or not its a fibration, homotopy ~~fibers~~^{type} of $\text{map}_X(x, y)$ depends only on the component of $\pi_0(X_0 \times X_0)$ containing (x, y) .

def If X is a Segal space, $f, g \in \text{map}_X(x, y)$

say $f \sim g$ "if homotopic to g " if f, g lie in the same component of $\text{map}_X(x, y)$.

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? Homotopy fibred mod in Sp?

"composition"
 If $\alpha: [n] \rightarrow [m]$,
 $\alpha(i) = \alpha_i$
 Write $g^{\alpha_0} \dots g^{\alpha_n}$
 for α

$$X_2 \xrightarrow{X(S^{\alpha_2})} X_1$$

$$S \downarrow X(S^{\alpha_1}, S^{\alpha_2})$$

$$X_1 \times_{X_0} X_1$$

If $f \in \text{map}_X(x, y)$, $g \in \text{map}_X(y, z)$
 choose a point $\gamma \in X(S^{\alpha_1}, S^{\alpha_2})^{-1}(f, g)$
 and take $X(S^{\alpha_2})(\gamma)$ to be $g \circ f$, the composition.

As fibers of $X(S^{\alpha_1}, S^{\alpha_2})$ are contractible, any other choice of γ
 gives a map in the same component of $\text{map}_X(x, z)$, i.e. a homotopic map.

exercise

- (i) If $g \circ f$ denotes any such choice, show $(g \circ f) \circ h \sim g \circ (f \circ h)$
 by showing you can actually make these equal. by choosing a lift
 of $g \circ (f \circ h)$ to X_3 .
- (ii) Show $f \circ \text{id}_X \sim f$, $\text{id}_Y \circ f \sim f$ by using degeneracy map to lift to an equality.

cor

define $\text{ho}(X)$, X a Segal space, to be the homotopy category

$$\text{ob } \text{ho}(X) = X_0, \quad \text{ho}(X)(a, b) = \pi_0 \text{map}_X(a, b)$$

Then exercise shows you $\text{ho}(X)$ is a category.

Moreover, $\text{ho}(\mathcal{W}\mathcal{C}) \cong \mathcal{C}$ canonically

so $\mathcal{W}: \text{Cat} \rightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$ is a full embedding. (i.e. fully faithful)

def

$f: X \rightarrow Y \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$ is a "level-wise weak equiv" if

$$\forall n, f_n: X_n \rightarrow Y_n \text{ is a weak equiv in } \text{Sp}.$$

Prop

Let \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D} be categories. Then

- (i) $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D}) \cong \mathcal{W}\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}$, $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{C}^{\mathcal{D}}) \cong (\mathcal{W}\mathcal{C})^{\mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}}$ look up def of mapping obj in Sp
- (ii) $\mathcal{W}\mathcal{C}$ is a Reedy fibrant simplicial space
- (iii) $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ is an equiv of cats $\Leftrightarrow \mathcal{W}F: \mathcal{W}\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}$ is a level wise weak equiv.

pf:

(i) Products:
 Clear.

$$\text{Recall } \overset{\text{observe}}{\mathcal{W}}_n \text{ m-simplices of } \left((\mathcal{W}\mathcal{C})_n = N(\mathcal{C}^{[n]} \text{inv}) \right)$$

$$= \text{Funct}([n] \times I(m), \mathcal{C})$$

where $I(m) = \text{cat}$ with $m+1$ distinct objects, & a unique iso between any two objects.

We must show that following are iso

$$m\text{-simplices of } \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{C}^{\mathcal{D}})_n = \text{Funct}([n] \times I(m), \mathcal{C}^{\mathcal{D}}) = (**)$$

$$\dots \dots \dots \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{C})_n^{\mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}} = \text{Maps}([n] \times \Delta^m, \mathcal{W}\mathcal{C}^{\mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}}) = (*)$$

Recall that $F(n)$ represents $X \rightarrow X_n = \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp} \rightarrow \text{Sp}$ (and was Δ^n horizontally)

(better notation: if $X \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Set}$, write $X^* \in \Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$ $\mathcal{W}[n]$
 for $(X^*)_n = \text{const simplicial set } X_n$)

But $\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{I}^n \times \mathcal{E}) = \mathcal{W}(\mathbb{I}^n) \times \mathcal{W}\mathcal{E}$, by product
 (1) $= F(n) \times \mathcal{W}\mathcal{E}$

Check! (2) $\mathcal{W}(e^{\mathbb{I}^n}) = (\mathcal{W}e)^{\Delta^n}$, as $\text{isos}(\mathcal{D}^{\mathbb{I}^n}) = \text{isos}(\mathcal{D})^{\mathbb{I}^n} = \text{iso}(\mathcal{D})^{\mathbb{I}^n}$

and use \mathcal{W} fully faithful in the right order.

Now take $\mathcal{D} = e^{\mathbb{I}^m}$
 So (*) = $\text{Maps}(\mathcal{W}(\mathbb{I}^n \times \mathbb{I}^m), \mathcal{W}(e^{\mathcal{D}}))$ by A LOT of adjunctions in the right order.

but we just showed $e \sim \mathcal{W}e$ is a full embedding of cats, so

(*) \simeq (**) canonically iso

(ii) is a technical statement, that certain maps $(\mathcal{W}e)_n \rightarrow M_n(\mathcal{W}e)$ are fibrations

$$\text{here } M_n X = \lim_{\substack{\psi: [k] \rightarrow [n] \\ k < n, \psi \text{ injection}}} X_k$$

means

$n=0$: $(\mathcal{W}e)_0 = N(e^{\text{iso}})$ is a groupoid, hence a Kan complex.

$n=1$: $\mathcal{W}e_1 \rightarrow \mathcal{W}e_0 \times \mathcal{W}e_0$ is a fibration.

$n=2$: M_2 is an inclusion of path components, so a fibration

$n \geq 3$: M_n is an iso, so a fibration.

(iii) as $\mathcal{W}(e^{\mathbb{I}^n}) = (\mathcal{W}e)^{\Delta^n}$

then (just as with N) an equivalence of cats induces a simplicial homotopy of simplicial spaces, & so a levelwise weak equiv.

Conversely, if $\mathcal{W}F: \mathcal{W}e \rightarrow \mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}$ is a levelwise weak equiv,

then because $\mathcal{W}e, \mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}$ are Reedy fibrant, $\mathcal{W}F$ is actually a simplicial

homotopy equiv. (this is the homotopical version of: quasi-isom between

injective chain complexes is a map chain homotopic to 1

Moreover, the homotopy inverse is a 0-simplex of $\mathcal{W}(e^{\mathcal{D}})_0 = \text{Maps}(\mathcal{W}\mathcal{D}, \mathcal{W}e) = \text{Funct}(\mathcal{D}, e)$

& the simplicial homotopies are 1-simplices of $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{D}^e)_0, \mathcal{W}(e^{\mathcal{D}})_0$

& hence by what we've done correspond precisely to $G: \mathcal{D} \rightarrow e$ functor,

& natural iso's $FG \rightarrow 1, GF \rightarrow 1$ as needed.

Example

a discrete simplicial space $X \in \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Sp}$ is one with $X_n \in \text{Set} \leftrightarrow \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set} = \text{Sp} \forall n$

(i.e. one of the form Y^+ , $Y \in \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set}$)

Exercises

(i) Show a discrete simplicial space is always Reedy fibrant.

(ii) if X is a discrete $\Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Sp}$, then X satisfies the Segal condition

iff $X_n \rightarrow X_1 \times_{X_0} \dots \times_{X_0} X_1$ is an iso.

Hence a discrete simplicial space X satisfies Segal condition

$$\Leftrightarrow X = (Ne)^+$$

(Incidentally, this shows $F(n) = (\Delta^n)^+$ satisfies Segal condition.

So both $(Ne)^+$ & $\mathcal{W}e$ Reedy fibrant Segal Spaces, so we're missing one more condition

"completeness condition"

X a Segal space, Reedy fibrant

- if $\alpha \in X_1$ is a homotopy equiv from $d^0 \alpha \rightarrow d^1 \alpha$
(i.e. image of α in $ho(X)(d^0 \alpha, d^1 \alpha)$ invertible)

& β is in the same component as α , then β also does.

Let $(X_1)_{hoequiv} =$ components of X_1 st. $[\alpha]$ invertible $\forall \alpha$ in the component.

Notice that degeneracy map $X_0 \xrightarrow{s_0} X_1$ factors through $(X_1)_{hoequiv}$
as $(s_0 \cdot x) = Id_x \in ho(X)(x, x)$

def A Segal space is "complete" if $X_0 \rightarrow (X_1)_{hoequiv}$ is a weak equiv in Sp .

i.e. if X_0 is already the maximal space of all invertible maps in $ho(X)$,

- call X st.
- Reedy fibrant
 - Segal
 - complete
- "complete Segal spaces" CSS
Rezk's Thesis

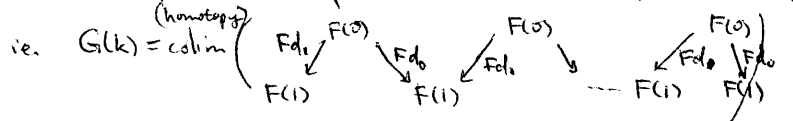
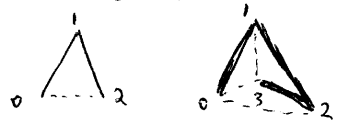
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Lecture 5 $e \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{W}e \in \Delta^op Sp$ is CSS.

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Segal condition, rephrased:

let $G(k) \subseteq F(k) = (\Delta^k)^+ \in \Delta^op Sp$ be the parts "from 0 to k" in the k-simplex



(as a simplicial space, its $\bigcup_0^{k-1} \delta^{i, i+1} F(1) \subseteq F(k)$)
and $G(k) \rightarrow F(k)$ via $(F(\delta^{0,1}), F(\delta^{1,2}), \dots, F(\delta^{k-1,k}))$

Then $Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(G(k), X) = \lim (X_1 \rightarrow X_0 \leftarrow X_1 \rightarrow X_0 \leftarrow \dots \rightarrow X_0 \leftarrow X_1)$

as $Maps(\cdot, X)$ takes homotopy colimit \rightarrow limit

$\& Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(F(k), X) = X_k$

So Segal condition is precisely map $G(k) \rightarrow F(k)$

induces a weak equiv $Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(F(k), X) \rightarrow Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(G(k), X)$.

Similarly $\exists Z \in \Delta^op Sp$, and maps

$Z \rightarrow F(0), F(1) \rightarrow Z$ st.

Prop If X satisfies the Segal condition, then $Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(Z, X) \rightarrow Maps_{\Delta^op Sp}(F(1), X) = X_1$

factors through $(X_1)_{hoequiv}$ & is in fact a weak equiv.

with $(X_1)_{hoequiv}$

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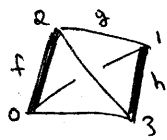
hence, if X is Segal: the map $Z \rightarrow F(0)$ induces a weak equiv

$Maps(F(0), X) \rightarrow Maps(Z, X)$

$\Leftrightarrow X$ is complete.

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What is Z ?
(since you asked...)



$$Z = 3\text{-simplex}/\sim$$

$$= \text{colimit} \left(\begin{array}{ccc} & F(1) \amalg F(1) & \\ \swarrow \scriptstyle \delta^{02}, \delta^{13} & & \searrow \scriptstyle \delta^{00} \amalg \delta^{11} \\ F(3) & & F(0) \amalg F(0) \end{array} \right)$$

(Show g is invertible up to homotopy iff $\exists \alpha: gf \sim 1_x$
 $\beta: hg \sim 1_y$
 and set of (α, β, g, h) weakly contractible.)

- // All 3-conditions of CSS can be replaced as saying
- // finite # of maps when you apply $\text{Maps}(-, X)$ become weak equiv

Localization of Model Cats

Let M be a model cat, eg $\Delta^{\text{op}}\text{Sp}$, Top , $\text{Ch}(R)$, ...

S be a set of morphisms in M . [want to "invert morphisms in S "]

def $X \in M$ is " S -local" if $\forall \alpha: s \rightarrow s'$ in S ,
 $\alpha^*: \text{map}(s', X) \rightarrow \text{map}(s, X)$ is a weak equiv. in M .

- // M model cat enriched over another model cat (so weak equiv of maps makes sense)
- // or M cartesian closed

example

$M = \mathbb{C}[x]\text{-mod}$.

$S = \{\text{mult by } x, x: \mathbb{C}[x] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[x]\}$

So $N \in \mathbb{C}[x]\text{-mod}$ is S -local if $x: N \rightarrow N$ is a "weak equiv." (isom in Mod, $q=1$ in Ch)

$\Leftrightarrow N$ is a $\mathbb{C}[x, x^{-1}]\text{-mod}$

so ~~all~~ morphisms of S are invertible on S -local objects

and if $M_S =$ full subcat of M consisting of S -local objects

is a good model for " $M[S^{-1}]$ "

Put $\bar{S} = \{\alpha: s \rightarrow s' \text{ in } M \mid \alpha^*: \text{map}(s', X) \rightarrow \text{map}(s, X) \text{ is a w.e. if } X \text{ is } S\text{-local}\}$

so S -local objects $X \leftrightarrow \bar{S}$ -local objects X

so " $M[S^{-1}] = M[\bar{S}^{-1}]$ "

Thm:

Given (M, S) satisfying some conditions. [left proper, tractable]

there is a new model cat structure on M st.

- weak eqivs are the S -local maps
- cofibs are as before

Moreover, fibrant objects are S -local objects which are already fibrant in M .

Furthermore, if M is Cartesian, then this new model cat is iff

$$\alpha: s \rightarrow s' \in \bar{S} \Rightarrow \alpha \times 1_x \in \bar{S}, \forall x \in \text{ob } M.$$

$$x \xrightarrow{\sim} x^f \rightarrow *$$

so in particular, the thm is saying

if $N \in M$, $\exists N \rightarrow N^f$ a weak equiv, with N^f S -local.
 (ie. that M_S is big enough!)

example: $\mathbb{C}[x]\text{-mod}, N \rightarrow N \otimes_{\mathbb{C}[x]} \mathbb{C}[x, x^{-1}] = \varinjlim_x N = \varinjlim (N \xrightarrow{x} N \xrightarrow{x} \dots)$

// So idea is to take limits over and over, careful: must avoid set-theoretic difficulties!

// One way to avoid: Groth. universes

// Curr. best way: Lurie's HTT

After construction, you have to show indep of choice of resolution, etc.

We won't go into proof...

Cor let $M = \Delta^{op} Sp$, $S = \{G(k) \rightarrow F(k), F(n) \rightarrow Z\}$

we get there is a simplicial closed model cat str on $\Delta^{op} Sp$ s.t.

• fibrant objects are the CSS,

• cofibs are the mono's,

• the w.e. are the maps $f: X \rightarrow Y$ s.t. $Map_{\Delta^{op} Sp}(f, W): Map(Y, W) \rightarrow Map(X, W)$ is a w.e. for every CSS W .

Moreover, a levelwise weak equiv between any X, Y is a CSS-weak equiv.

& conversely, if X & Y are CSS,

then a CSS weak equiv is just a levelwise weak equiv.

thm (Rezk) Moreover, CSS is Cartesian closed.

$f: X \rightarrow Y$ Dwyer-Kan equiv if $ho X \rightarrow ho Y$ equiv cat
Segal spaces $Map(x, x') \rightarrow Map(f(x), f(x'))$ w.e.

thm Dwyer-Kan equiv of CSS is levelwise w.e.

// inverting Dwyer-Kan equiv in Segal spaces gets CSS.

Thm basically says you can cut $G(n) \times F(m) \hookrightarrow F(n) \times F(m)$

into $G(k) \hookrightarrow F(k)$ pieces

eg. $G(2) \times F(1)$



throw away bolded pieces

How to get CSS?

$(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{W})$

↑ some arrows wide subcat.

$(\mathcal{W}_r \mathcal{C})_n$

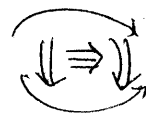
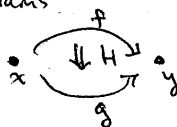
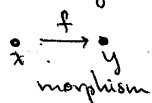
arrows have to be in \mathcal{W}

?? [such pairs have model cat struct?]

n-Categories

"globular diagrams"

obj

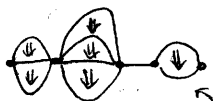


Compose: $\rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$



two ways

Strictness vs. non-strictness:

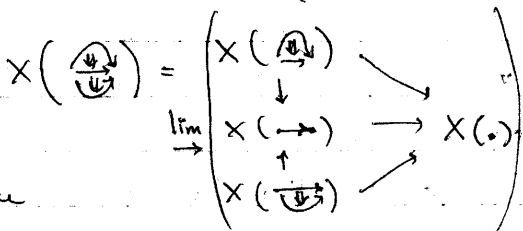


different ways to cut up."

roughly $\Theta_n =$ strict cut of such "pasting diagrams"
(play role of Δ)

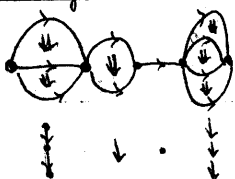
Vague defn: Θ_n -space is a functor $X: \Theta_n^{op} \rightarrow Sp$

st.: Segal condition $X(\text{diag}) = \lim X(\text{sub-diags}) \rightarrow X(\text{point})$



Next time: what Θ_n looks like combinatorially.

Lecture 6



$e \in \Theta \Delta = \Theta_2$

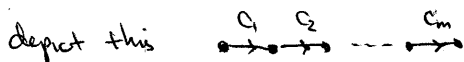
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$[4]([2], [1], [0], [3])$

\mathcal{C} small cat, "wreath product" $\Delta \wr \mathcal{C}$ denote $\Theta \mathcal{C}$
(Clemens Berger)

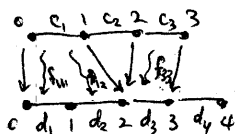
Cat: $ob: \Theta \mathcal{C}$ tuples $[m](c_1, \dots, c_m)$ $[m] \in ob \Delta$, i.e. $m \geq 0$
 $c_1, \dots, c_m \in ob \mathcal{C}$



(write $[0] \in \Theta \mathcal{C}$)

morphisms $[m](c_1, \dots, c_m) \rightarrow [n](d_1, \dots, d_n)$

e.g. $[3](c_1, c_2, c_3) \rightarrow [4](d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4)$



i.e. a tuple $(\delta, (f_{ij}))$

where $\delta: [m] \rightarrow [n]$ morph in Δ

$\forall i, j \quad 1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n$

s.t. $\delta(i-1) < j \leq \delta(i)$, a morphism

$f_{ij}: c_i \rightarrow d_j$ in \mathcal{C}

i.e. $Mor(,) = \coprod_{\delta: [m] \rightarrow [n]} \prod_{j=\delta(i-1)+1}^{\delta(i)} \mathcal{C}(c_i, d_j)$

• Composition is obvious [built out of comp in Δ & \mathcal{C}].

• This is literally the wreath product.

E.g. If $\mathcal{C} = * = [0]$ the terminal cat (one obj, one morph)

$\Theta(*) = \Delta$

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def $\Theta_n = \Theta(\Theta_{n-1})$ and $\Theta_0 = *$

(so $\Theta_1 = \Delta$) (Θ_n are globular diagrams)

[Wreath products of categories over Segal category Γ : associativity, etc]

Think of $\Theta \mathcal{C}$ as full subcat of \mathcal{C} -Cat (cats enriched in \mathcal{C})
almost

If \mathcal{C} is Cartesian closed, with an initial object ϕ ,

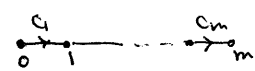
exercise

(i) $\forall v \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}$, $v \times \phi$ is initial

(ii) $\forall v \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}$, $\mathcal{C}(v, \phi)$ is empty if v is not initial.

define

$\tau: \Theta \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}\text{-Cat}$

$[m](c_1, \dots, c_m) \mapsto$ free \mathcal{C} -cat on graph 

• objects of this cat: $0, 1, \dots, m$

$$\text{mor}(a, b) = \begin{cases} \emptyset & \text{if } b < a \\ \{1\} & \text{if } a = b \\ c_{a+1} \times \dots \times c_b & \text{if } a < b \end{cases}$$

with obvious composition.

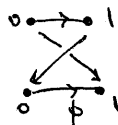
exercise

If $\mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{C}$ is a full subcat which does not contain any initial object, then $\tau: \Theta \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}\text{-Cat}$ is fully faithful

example

consider $\tau([1]\phi) = \tau(0 \xrightarrow{\phi} 1)$

objects $0, 1$



perfectly sensible morph in $\mathcal{C}\text{-Cat}$
which sends $\phi: 0 \rightarrow 1$ to
 $\phi: 1 \rightarrow 0$

$\tau([1]A) = \tau(0 \xrightarrow{A} 1)$ if A is not initial

$\text{mor}(1, 0) = \emptyset$, so no morphism $1 \rightarrow 0$, $0 \rightarrow 1$

as $\text{mor}(0, 1) = A$, & $\mathcal{C}(A, \phi)$ empty if A initial.

ie. δ order preserving automatically, & then exercise obvious

hence can regard

Θ_n as a full subcat of Strict n -Cat

by $\tau_n: \Theta_n = \Theta(\Theta_{n-1}) \rightarrow \text{Cat}(\text{Strict } (n-1)\text{-Cat})\text{-Cat}$
 $\tau_n \cong \Theta(\tau_{n-1})$ Strict n -Cat

$\text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C}) = \text{Funct}(\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}, \text{Sp}) = \text{Funct}(\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}, \Delta^{\text{op}} \text{Set})$


"simplicial presheaves on \mathcal{C} "


Idea:

\mathcal{C} cat, $\text{sPsh}(\Theta \mathcal{C})$ is a kind of weak "higher category"

if $X \in \text{sPsh}(\Theta \mathcal{C})$, "objects of X " are $X(\text{co})$

"morphisms of X " to every $c \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}$, a morphism space $X(\text{co})$ labelled by c .

e.g. if $\mathcal{C} = \Delta$
 "morphisms labelled by $n \in \mathbb{N}$ "


if $\mathcal{C} = \textcircled{\Delta}$, morphisms labelled by 2-dim pasting diagram


and then to $\xrightarrow{c_1} \xrightarrow{c_2} \rightsquigarrow X(\xrightarrow{c_1} \xrightarrow{c_2}) = X(\textcircled{[2]}(c_1, c_2))$
 space of composed morphisms, & so on...
 i.e. $X \in \text{sPsh}(\textcircled{\Delta})$ is a (weak) sPsh(\mathcal{C})-enriched cat

• define a localization of this (Segal + completeness conditions).

expect a map
 $\text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C})\text{-Cat} \longrightarrow \text{sPsh}(\textcircled{\Delta})_{\text{loc}}$
 a model cat: struct on which is a Quillen equiv.

e.g. if $\mathcal{C} = *$, $\text{sPsh}(\ast) = \text{Sp}$, $\textcircled{\Delta} = \Delta$.

so expect a map $\text{Sp-Cat} \longrightarrow \text{sPsh}(\Delta)_{\text{loc}} = \text{CSS}$
 "simplicial cats" (thm: Rezk, J. Bergner)

when $\mathcal{C} = \Delta$, expect: $\text{CSS-Cat} \xrightarrow{??} \text{sPsh}(\textcircled{\Delta}_2)_{\text{loc}}$

$[\text{sPsh}(\textcircled{\Delta}_n)_{\text{loc}}$ will be our (∞, n) -cat.]
 = fibrant objects in

If \mathcal{C} cat, S set of morphisms in $\text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C})$

Give $\text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C})$ injective model cat str (weak equiv, cofibrations are defined level wise)

Properties: • cartesian closed, • every object is cofibrant
 • discrete objects are fibrant

$$(\mathcal{C} \hookrightarrow \text{Funct}(\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}, \text{Set}) \hookrightarrow \text{Funct}(\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}, \text{Sp}))$$

$$c \mapsto (F_{\text{sPsh}} \circledast : d \mapsto \mathcal{C}(d, c))$$

in cases we care about, fibrations are Reedy.

\rightsquigarrow new model cat $\text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C})_S^{\text{inj}}$ localized one
 (\mathcal{C}, S) "presentation of this model cat"

If (\mathcal{C}, S) presentation,
 $\rightsquigarrow (\textcircled{\Delta}\mathcal{C}, S_{\textcircled{\Delta}})$ new presentation

where $S_{\textcircled{\Delta}} = \underline{\text{Se}}^{\mathcal{C}} \amalg \underline{V}(\textcircled{[1]})(S) \amalg \underline{\text{Cpt}}_{\mathcal{C}}$

(1) $\underline{\text{Se}}^{\mathcal{C}}$ "Segal condition"

$$\text{se}_{\text{se}}(c_1, \dots, c_m) = (F\delta^a, \dots, F\delta^{m+1, m}) : G[m](c_1, \dots, c_m) \longrightarrow F(m)(c_1, \dots, c_m)$$

$$\text{colim} \left(\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & F(0) & & F(0) & & \\ & & \swarrow F\delta^1 & \searrow F\delta^0 & \swarrow F\delta^1 & \searrow F\delta^0 & \\ & & F(1)(c_1) & & & & F(1)(c_m) \end{array} \right)$$

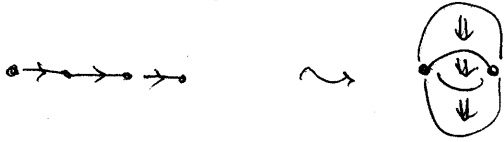
ie. just as before,

$X \in \text{sPsh}(\oplus \mathcal{C})$ which is inj fibrant is $\text{Set}^{\mathcal{C}}$ fibrant if

$$X([m](c_1, \dots, c_m)) \xrightarrow[\text{w.e.}]{\sim} \text{lin} \left(\begin{array}{ccc} X[1](c_1) & & X[1](c_2) & & X[1](c_m) \\ & \searrow & & \searrow & \\ & X[0] & & & \end{array} \right)$$

(i) Suspension morphism:

$$V[1]: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \oplus \mathcal{C}$$



// by induction we have completeness for vertical, just need horizontal

(iii) completeness condition "at bottom level"

define an underlying simplicial space of $X: \oplus \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Sp}$

which by (i) will be a Segal space & we require it to be a complete " "

thm (Rezk) (i) $(\oplus \mathcal{C}, \text{Set}_{\mathcal{C}})$ Cartesian

(ii) $(\oplus \mathcal{C}, \text{Set}_{\mathcal{C}} \cup \text{Cpt}_{\mathcal{C}})$ & $(\oplus \mathcal{C}, S_{\oplus})$ are Cartesian (if (\mathcal{C}, S) is)

def $(\oplus_n, S_n) = (\oplus \oplus_{n+1}, (S_{n+1})_{\oplus})$ // start with *, localize nothing



Eckmann-Hilton argument: in strict cat, composition same
in weak cat, not same, but homotopic: gives you a Sphere's (S^n) -worth of morphisms.

(∞, n) -cats are the $\text{sPsh}(\oplus_n)$ localised

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Lecture 7

(∞, n) -cat to be a fibrant object in $\text{sPsh}(\oplus_n)_{S_n}^{\text{inj}}$

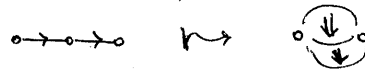
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" \oplus_n -spaces" cartesian presentation

Regard \oplus_n as a strict n -cat, & via Yoneda, as $\oplus_n \subseteq \text{sPsh}(\oplus_n)$

inclusion functor $\tau: \oplus_n \hookrightarrow \oplus_{n+1}$ ("no non-identity $n+1$ -morphisms")

suspension functor $\sigma: \oplus_n \rightarrow \oplus_{n+1}$ $\sigma(\odot) = [1](\odot)$



$$\sigma^k, \tau^k: \oplus_{n-k} \rightarrow \oplus_n$$

put $\mathcal{O}_k = \sigma^k[\odot]$ "free k -morphism"



& using τ^i can consider this object in $\oplus_n, n \geq k$.

We have $\delta^0, \delta^1: [\odot] \rightarrow [1]$ in Δ

$$\text{iterating } \delta_k := \sigma^{k-1} \delta_0, t_k = \sigma^{k-1} \delta_1: \mathcal{O}_{k-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_k$$

"source & target" of $k-1$ cells

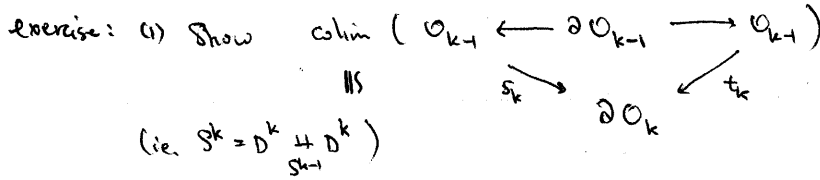
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put $\partial \mathcal{O}_k = \text{subcat of } \mathcal{O}_k \text{ not containing } k\text{-morphism } \sigma^{k+1}(\#)$



$$e_k : \partial \mathcal{O}_k \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_k$$

"pair of // k -morphisms"



$X \in \text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_n)$ is Segal fibrant \checkmark "space of k cells" in X

write $\bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_k) = \text{Maps}_{\text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_n)}(\mathcal{O}_k, X) \in \text{Sp}$

$\Gamma(X^{\mathbb{O}_k})$
"global sections"

$\bar{X}(\partial \mathcal{O}_k) = \text{Maps}_{\text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_n)}(\partial \mathcal{O}_k, X) \in \text{Sp}$ "space of pairs of // k -cells in X "

Segal condition $\Rightarrow \bar{X}(\partial \mathcal{O}_k) \cong \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_{k+1}) \times_{\bar{X}(\partial \mathcal{O}_{k+1})} \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_{k+1})$

given $(f_0, f_1) \in \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_{k+1}) \times \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_{k+1})$

write $\text{Map}_X(f_0, f_1)$ for the $\text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_{n+1})$

" $\varinjlim (\{f_0, f_1\} \rightarrow \bar{X}(\partial \mathcal{O}_k))$ "

\mathbb{O} corresponds to $k+1, \dots, n$ -morphisms

$\left[\mathbb{O} \in \mathbb{O}_{n+1} \mapsto \varinjlim (\bar{X}(V(U)^k F \mathbb{O}) \rightarrow \bar{X}(V(U)^k \phi)) \right]$
 $\text{Map}_X(f_0, f_1)(\mathbb{O}) = \text{hofiber}_{(f_0, f_1)} (X(\sigma^k(\mathbb{O})) \rightarrow X(\mathcal{O}_{k+1}))$

(F is Yoneda embed)

Immediate that (i) X Segal fibrant $\Rightarrow \text{Map}_X(f_0, f_1)$ Segal fibrant in $\text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_{n+1})$

(ii) X Segal + complete fibrant \Rightarrow Segal + complete fibrant

requires small proof identifying what complete at level $k, \forall k$ is.

ie., if X is a \mathbb{O}_n -space, $\text{Map}_X(f_0, f_1)$ is \mathbb{O}_{n+1} space.

def An (∞, n) -cat $\bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_k)$ is contractible for $k < d$

(= fibrant $X \in \text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_n)_{S^n}^{\text{inj}}$) is called a " E_d -monoidal (∞, nd) -cat"

Write $\bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_k) \sim *$ $d \leq n$

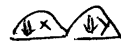
So take $* \in \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_d)$, $\text{Map}_X(*, *)$ is an $(\infty, n-d)$ -cat.

But it still has d extra multiplication maps, which satisfy various relations we'll investigate.

e.g. $d=2=n$, E_2 -monoidal $(\infty, 0)$ -cat



$x \in \bar{X}(\mathcal{O}_2)$



We'll $\Omega: E_d$ -monoidal $(\infty, n-d)$ -cat \longrightarrow algebras for E_d operad: B^d
 describe E_d -operad in $(\infty, n-d)$ -spaces

example/defn: a "monoidal (∞, n) -cat" is an E_1 -monoidal $(\infty, n+1)$ -cat
 i.e. an $(\infty, n+1)$ -cat X st. $\bar{X}(0_*) \sim *$

exercise put $\mathcal{C} = \Omega X = \underline{\text{Map}}_X(*, *)$ $\Omega X \otimes \Omega X \rightarrow \Omega X$

the additional multiplication $\xrightarrow{A} \downarrow A \times \downarrow B \rightsquigarrow \downarrow (A \otimes B)$

can be interpreted as $\otimes: \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$

& conversely, given such $\otimes: \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ satisfying some extra conditions we can recover $X = B\mathcal{C}$.

exercise Write out precisely what structure \otimes has ("homotopy assoc") + def of B .

§ Fully dualizable objects, after Lurie

def \mathcal{E} is a 2-cat, $X, Y \in \text{ob } \mathcal{E}$, $f: X \rightarrow Y, g: Y \rightarrow X$

a 2-morphism $u: 1_X \rightarrow gf$ is "the unit of an adjunction"

if \exists 2-morphism $v: fg \rightarrow 1_Y$ "counit of adjunction"

s.t. (i) $f = f \circ 1_X \xrightarrow{1 \times u} f \cdot (g \cdot f) = (f \cdot g) \cdot f \xrightarrow{v \times 1} 1_Y \cdot f = f$
 is the identity

(ii) $g = 1_X \circ g \xrightarrow{u \times 1} (g \cdot f) \cdot g = g \cdot (f \cdot g) \xrightarrow{1 \times v} g \cdot 1_Y = g$
 is the identity.

We say f is left adjoint to g .

Lem If $v: fg \rightarrow 1_Y, v': fg \rightarrow 1_Y$

has v satisfies (i), v' satisfies (ii)

then $v = v'$. In particular, either of (i) or (ii) uniquely determines v .

pf easy (see first lecture)

e.g. (i) $\mathcal{E} = \text{Cat}$, usual notion of adjoint functor

(ii) if (\mathcal{C}, \otimes) a monoidal cat,

let $B\mathcal{C}$ 2-cat, with one object $*$, $\text{Mor}(*, *) = \mathcal{C}$
 composition of morphisms is \otimes .

then $X \in \mathcal{C}$, thought of as 1-morphism in $B\mathcal{C}$ has a right adjoint $Y \in \mathcal{C} \iff Y$ right dual to X in (\mathcal{C}, \otimes) .

e.g. $\mathcal{C} = (\text{Vect}_k, \otimes)$ V has right adjoint $\iff V$ is f.d.

having an adjoint is a generalization of f.d.

(iii) If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is invertible, with inverse $g: Y \rightarrow X$

$1_X \xrightarrow{\sim} gf, fg \xrightarrow{\sim} 1_Y$ so g adjoint to f .

Conversely, if u, v are isos, then f, g invertible.

So in particular, if every 2-morphism is invertible, then having an adjoint \Leftrightarrow invertible. (*)

def (i) a 2-Cat \mathcal{E} has "adjoints for 1-morphisms" if every $f: X \rightarrow Y$ in \mathcal{E} has both a left and right adjoint.

(ii) an (∞, n) -cat \mathcal{E} has adjoints for 1-morphisms if its associated homotopy 2-cat $ho_2(\mathcal{E})$ does. // ho_2 takes $Ho \underline{Maps}(f_0, f_1)$?

e.g. If every 2-morphism in $ho_2(\mathcal{E})$ is invertible, then it admits adjoints for 1-morphisms \Leftrightarrow every 1-morphism invertible $\Leftrightarrow ho_2(\mathcal{E})$ is a groupoid.

def \mathcal{E} is an (∞, n) -cat

(i) If $1 < k < n$, \mathcal{E} admits "adjoints for k -morphisms" if

$\forall X, Y \in ob \mathcal{E}$, the $(\infty, n+1)$ -cat $\underline{Maps}(X, Y)$ admits adjoints for $k-1$ morphisms.

(ii) \mathcal{E} "admits adjoints" if it admits adjoints for k -morphisms $\forall 0 < k < n$.

If every $k+1$ -morph is invertible, adjoints for k -morphisms \Leftrightarrow every k -morphism invertible also.

In particular, if \mathcal{E} admits adjoints for n -morphisms also, then every k -morphism is invertible $\forall k \geq 0$.

i.e., \mathcal{E} is an $(\infty, 0)$ -cat, i.e. a space (∞ -groupoid)

e.g. If (\mathcal{E}, \otimes) is a monoidal (∞, n) -cat

say " \mathcal{E} admits duals" if $\mathcal{B}\mathcal{E}$ admits adjoints.

(i.e. (i) \mathcal{E} admits adjoints & (ii) In $(ho(\mathcal{E}), \otimes)$ every object has dual.)

prop: \mathcal{E} [sym] monoidal (∞, n) -cat

\exists a symmetric monoidal (∞, n) -cat, \mathcal{E}^{fd} which admits duals, & sym monoidal functor $\mathcal{E}^{fd} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$ st.

any sym monoidal functor $\mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$, where \mathcal{D} admits duals, factors through \mathcal{E}^{fd}

(throw away ~~objects~~ ^{k -morphisms} w/o adjoints, starting at $k=1$)

def $X \in \mathcal{E}$ is "fully dualizable" if its in the essential image of \mathcal{E}^{fd} .

exercise: If \mathcal{C} is a \mathbb{H}_n -space, what is the def of $\tilde{\mathcal{C}}$?

just restrict sPsh to \mathbb{H}_0
to get a space = sSet
= $(\infty, 0)$ -cat

"extended d-TFTs are determined by their value on a pt"
(e.g. $d=2, \mathcal{C} = \text{Vect}_k$ 2-TFT: Frobenius alg
 $\mathcal{C} = \text{Ch}(k)$ Kontsevich, Costello)

Generalization, after Baez-Dolan, "Tangle hypothesis"

Lurie: $0 \leq k \leq n, m \leq n, V$ an m -framed n -manifold

$$\varphi: T_V \times \mathbb{R}^{n-m} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{R}^n \quad // \text{ of tangent bundles}$$

def: a " k -framed submanifold of V " is a pair (M, g)

where (i) M is a submanifold of V , $\text{codim } M = n-k$ ($\Rightarrow \dim M = m - n + k$)

$$\text{so } T_M \times \mathbb{R}^{n-m} \subseteq T_V|_M \times \mathbb{R}^{n-m} \xrightarrow{\varphi} \mathbb{R}^n \text{ subbundle}$$

gives a section of the trivial $\text{Grass}_{n-k}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ -bundle on M , i.e.

$$\text{a map } \sigma: M \rightarrow \text{Gr}_{n-k}(\mathbb{R}^n) = \text{O}n\mathbb{R} / \text{O}_{k}\mathbb{R} \times \text{O}_{n-k}\mathbb{R}$$

(ii) g is a homotopy from σ to a constant map $M \rightarrow * \in \text{Grass}_{n-k}(\mathbb{R}^n)$

(if V has boundary/corners, requires that ∂V /corners intersect M transversely.)

Lurie, thm \exists an (∞, k) -cat, $\text{Tang}_{(k,n)}^V$ with objects k -framed ^{compact} submanifolds of V

morphisms $M_0 \rightarrow M_1$ are k -framed submanifolds \tilde{M} of $V \times [0,1]$

$$\text{st. } \tilde{M} \cap V \times \{i\} = M_i, \quad i=0,1 \quad \text{"and so on..."}$$

let $D_r = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^r \mid |x| \leq r\}$ open disc in \mathbb{R}^r centered at 0.

$$\text{define } \text{Tang}_{k,n} = \text{Tang}_{k,n}^{D_{n-k}}$$

$$\text{embeddings } \mathbb{R}^{n-k} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{n-k+1} \hookrightarrow \dots$$

$$\text{induce } \text{Tang}_{k,n} \hookrightarrow \text{Tang}_{k,n+1} \hookrightarrow \dots \text{ of } (\infty, k)\text{-cats,}$$

$$\& \lim_{\leftarrow n} \text{Tang}_{k,n} = \text{Bord}_k^{\text{fr}}, \text{ as data of } (k\text{-framed submanifold of } \mathbb{R}^{\infty})$$

has contractible fiber

k -framed manifolds

$\text{Tang}_{k,n}$ not symmetric monoidal, but does naturally carry an action of E_{n-k} -operad ("operad of little discs") \Leftarrow so is naturally an E_{n-k} -monoidal (∞, k) -cat



... given an embedding of α -disjoint discs, $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$

$$D \amalg D \amalg \dots \amalg D \hookrightarrow D$$

$$\text{get an } (\infty, k)\text{-functor } \text{Tang}_{m,k} \times \dots \times \text{Tang}_{m,k} \rightarrow \text{Tang}_{n,k}$$

Lurie's thm " $\text{Tang}_{k,n}$ is the E_{n-k} -monoidal (∞, k) -cat with duals

freely generated on one object"

ie, if \mathcal{C} is an E_{n-k} -monoidal (∞, k) -cat w/ duals,

let $* \in \text{ob } \text{Tang}_{k,n}$ be $\{0\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n-k}$ as a std framed manifold,

then evaluation at $(*)$ gives an equiv of $(\infty, 0)$ -spaces $\text{Funct}^{\otimes}(\text{Tang}_{k,n}, \mathcal{C}) \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{C}}$

(warning: if $k=n$, slightly finicky bits in the def. S^0 is not connected)

Cor: as $\text{Bord}_n^{\text{th}} = \lim_{d \rightarrow \infty} \text{Tang}_{k, k+d}$

put $E_{\infty} = \lim_{d \rightarrow \infty} E_d$,

Δ "sym. monoidal" now means " E_{∞} -monoidal"

& this thm implies previous cobord hyp.

This is all so we can avoid defining symmetric...

thm (i) Let X be an E_d -monoidal (∞, k) -cat with duals, freely generated by an object $*$. Then X admits an $O_d \mathbb{R} \times O_k \mathbb{R}$ -action.

(ii) [Lurie] $X \rightarrow \text{Tang}_{k, d+k}$ equiv as E_d -monoidal (∞, k) -cats

this is all vague, details in next lecture

Recall: $X \in \mathcal{C}_{k+d}$ -spaces st. $X(O_r) \sim *$ if $r < d$ is an " E_d -monoidal (∞, k) -cat"

Two special cases: (i) $d=0$. We have E_0 -monoidal (∞, k) -cat, ie. \mathcal{C}_k -space generated by one obj, $*$, with adjoints for $*$ -morphisms for all $t < k$.

(ii) $k=0$, E_d -monoidal $(\infty, 0)$ -cat, & no condition on duals at all.

classically, such a thing is exactly $\Omega^d Y$, $Y \in \text{Sp}$, $\Omega^d = \text{Maps}(S^d, \cdot)$

Thm of May [Segal, Thomason].

$$A \text{ a dga, } Z(S^1) = A \bigotimes_{A \otimes A^{\text{op}}} A = \bigwedge_{\text{HKR}}^1 \Omega_A^1 \quad A = k[X], X \text{ affine, smooth}$$

\swarrow 0-differential
 \uparrow Hochschild, ..., Rosenberg

// Lurie's thm \rightarrow circle action gives de Rham differential --- conceptual reason ($\cong O_d$)

$\varphi: X \rightarrow Y$ G acts on X, Y , φ is a G -map

(i) declare φ a weak equiv if $\varphi: X \rightarrow Y$ is a weak homotopy equiv forgetting G -action

(ii) declare φ a strong G -equiv if $\varphi: X^H \rightarrow Y^H$ is weak equiv for all $H \subseteq G$

"strong G -equiv"

(iii) $\mathcal{F} \subseteq \{\text{subgps of } G\}$ be closed under conjugation & inclusion.

\mathcal{F} -equiv if $\varphi: X^H \rightarrow Y^H$ w.e. $\forall H \in \mathcal{F}$

Slogan: "equivariant homotopy type is a sheaf on cat of discrete subgps of G "

We can consider restriction to subcat \rightarrow how small can we get?

Hochschild ~~cat~~ ^{homology} $\rightarrow k[x]$ gives $k[x, dx]$ de Rham coh over \mathbb{Q}

(tangent sp to K-theory) over \mathbb{F}_p --- $\mathbb{F}_p[x, dx]$ doesn't work so well (need p-adic Hodge theory)

When not over \mathbb{Q} :

Topological Hochschild / cyclic homology \rightarrow don't use all of circle action

\hookrightarrow finite subgps

• J.F. Adams, Stable Homotopy Theory — Ref for Spectra

Colon4 read defn of products on homotopy cat; 20 yrs ago, Hopkins discovered better way to define "upstairs" — S-modules.

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Spectra = "spaces w/ suspension inverted."

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Lecture 9

define, for $m \geq 0$, sym. monoidal $(\infty, 1)$ -cat $m\text{-Alg}$
 $\dots \dots \dots (\infty, m+1)$ -cat $m\text{-Alg}^{\text{Morita}}$
 $\dots \dots \dots (\infty, m)$ -cat $m\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}$

this last will be: take $m\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}$, & throw away non-invertible $m+1$ -morphisms.

$m=0$: $0\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}} := (\text{Ch}(k), \otimes)$ sym, monoidal

regard this as a CSS (= $(\infty, 1)$ -cat) via $(\text{Ch}(k), q_i) \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{D}_{q_i} \text{Ch}(k)$

Its very computable, as lots of Quillen equiv model cat structures on it & you can compute this CSS easily.

If $X \in \text{Ch}(k)$, set $X^* = \text{Hom}_{\text{Ch}(k)}(X, k)$

X dualizable if \exists morphism $\mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{k} X^* \otimes X$ (as always have $X \otimes X^* \rightarrow \mathbb{1}$)
 $\iff \sum \dim H^i(X) < \infty$

Set $0\text{-Alg} = \{ (X, x) \mid X \in \text{Ch}(k), x: \mathbb{1} \rightarrow X \text{ a chain map} \}$
 $x \in Z^0(X)$

$m=1$: $1\text{-Alg} (= \text{dgCat})$

objects of $1\text{-Alg} = \text{ob}(1\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}) = \text{dga's } A/k$

$1\text{-Alg}(A, B) = \{ F: A \rightarrow B \mid F \text{ homo of dga's} \}$

compose by \otimes

$1\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}(A, B) = \{ M \in {}_A \text{Mod}_B \mid \text{this is a dgCat, \& so an } (\infty, 1)\text{-cat} \}$
 \uparrow
 chain complexes of bimodules

$A \text{Mod}_B(M, N) = \{ \varphi: M \rightarrow N \text{ chain complex morphism of bimodules} \}$

"intertwines"

$1\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}$ $(\infty, 1)$ -cat where throw away non-invertible intertwiners

Every $A \in 1\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}$ is dualisable, with dual A^{op}

$\text{ev}: A \otimes A^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{A} \mathbb{1}$, $\text{coev}: \mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{A} A^{\text{op}} \otimes A$

compose: $A \xrightarrow{A} A \otimes \mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{A \otimes A} A \otimes A^{\text{op}} \otimes \mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{A \otimes A} \mathbb{1} \otimes A \xrightarrow{A} A$

check that $A \otimes (A \otimes A) \xrightarrow{A \otimes A^{\text{op}} \otimes A} (A \otimes A) \otimes A \xrightarrow{A} A$

& similarly for other direction: $A^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{A} A^{\text{op}} \otimes A \otimes A^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{A} A$

$1\text{-Alg}_0^{\text{Mor}}$ is an $(\infty, 2)$ -cat, so as well as above, we now impose the condition there are adjoints for $\mathbb{1}$ -morphisms

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For example, $ev: A \otimes A^{op} \rightarrow \mathbb{1}$ must admit left & right adjoints.

prop: A is fully dualizable \Leftrightarrow this morphism $A \in {}_{A \otimes A^{op}} \mathcal{B}imod_{\mathbb{1}}$ has both left & right adjoints

\Leftrightarrow (i) $\sum \dim H^i(A) < \infty$ & (ii) $A \in Perf(A \otimes A^{op})$ \leftarrow finite resolutions by projections
 A is "proper" & A is "smooth"

\Leftrightarrow (i) A is dualizable in $Ch(k)$ (ii) A is dualizable in $A \otimes A^{op}$ -mod.

Jacobian crit for smoothness via cotangent bundle being v.b. (diagonal)

example: $A \in Vect_k$ (ie. $H^i(A) = 0, i \neq 0$)

A fully dualizable $\Leftrightarrow A$ is fid. & semisimple "separable"

Let \mathcal{B} be a sym. monoidal $(\infty, 1)$ -cat

& for $m \geq 1$ define $m\text{-Alg}(\mathcal{B}) = Alg((m-1)\text{-Alg}(\mathcal{B}))$

the $(\infty, 1)$ -cat of Alg objects on the $(\infty, 1)$ -cat $(m-1)\text{-Alg}(\mathcal{B})$
 sym monoidal

$m\text{-Alg}^{Mor}(\mathcal{B})$: objects = ob of $m\text{-Alg}(\mathcal{B})$

Maps ${}_{m\text{-Alg}^{Mor}}(A, B) = (m-1)\text{-Alg}^{Mor}(A \text{ Mod } B)$

where $A \text{ Mod } B$ is naturally in $(m-1)\text{-Alg}(\mathcal{B})$

So $m\text{-Alg}^{Mor}(Ch(k))$ is a "higher version" of dgCat.

(\mathcal{C}, \otimes) Sym monoidal $(\infty, 1)$ cat, $X \in \mathcal{C}$ dualizable, $\mathbb{1}$

$\mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{coev} X \otimes X^* \xrightarrow{ev} \mathbb{1}$ call composite "dim X" $\in \text{Maps}_{\mathcal{C}}(\mathbb{1}, \mathbb{1})$

If $\mathcal{C} = 1\text{-Alg}_0^{Mor}$, $A \in \mathcal{C}$ is a dga

$\mathbb{1} \xrightarrow{A} A \otimes A^{op} \xrightarrow{A} \mathbb{1}$ "dim A" = $A \underset{A \otimes A^{op}}{\overset{L}{\otimes}} A$ Hochschild drains.

Cobord hyp gives $Z: \text{Bord}_1^{Fr} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$

$\phi \left(\begin{matrix} X \\ \cdot \\ X^* \end{matrix} \right) \phi$

so "dim X" = $Z(S^1)$

But $\text{Maps}_{\text{Bord}}(\phi, \phi) \in (\infty, 0)\text{-Cat} = \text{Sp}$ "is the classifying space for 1-dim oriented closed manifolds $\coprod_{k \geq 0} (S^1)^{\times k}$ "

Point is that "dim X" has an S^1 -action.

In our example, that $A \underset{A \otimes A^{op}}{\overset{L}{\otimes}} A$ is a module for $C_*(S^1)$

= Kähler differentials

§ Geometric realization

Classically, have $| \cdot | : \Delta^{op} \text{Set} \rightleftarrows \text{Top} : \text{Sing}$

comes from a cosimplicial space $\Delta \in \text{Func}(\Delta, \text{Top})$

$$n \mapsto \{(x_i) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid \sum_{i=0}^n x_i = 1\} = \Delta_n$$

Idea is: every $X \in \Delta^{op} \text{Set}$ is built out of Δ_n 's by gluing, i.e. as a colim

& $| \cdot |$ left adjoint, so idea is set $|\Delta_n| = \Delta_n$

& build $|X|$ out of Δ_n 's the way you build X out of Δ_n .

explicitly, formally

$$\text{coeq} \left(\coprod_{\alpha: [n] \rightarrow [m]} X_m \times \Delta_n \xrightarrow[\Delta(\alpha)]{X(\alpha)} \coprod_n X_n \times \Delta_n \right) \longrightarrow |X|$$

note $|X \times Y| \longrightarrow |X| \times |Y|$ homotopy equiv

this extends to $| \cdot | : \Delta^{op} \text{Top} \rightleftarrows \text{Top}$ by exactly the same formula.

now $X_n \times \Delta_m$ is a product of Top. spaces,

before X_n was a discrete top space.

Let's replace Top by Sp.

the classical context for this "Reedy Cat"

thm: Let \mathcal{C} be a simplicial model category, for example Sp.

Then there exists a model cat str on $\Delta^{op} \mathcal{C}$ "Reedy str"

$$\text{st. } | \cdot | : \Delta^{op} \mathcal{C} \rightleftarrows \mathcal{C} : ()^\Delta \quad \begin{array}{l} X \in \mathcal{C}, X^\Delta \in \Delta^{op} \mathcal{C} \\ n \mapsto X_n^\Delta \end{array}$$

are Quillen adjoint functors

$| \cdot |$ is given by exactly same formula (replace \times by \otimes).

• weak equivs are level wise, $f: X \rightarrow Y$

• cofib if $L_n^X Y = X_n \cup_{L_n X} L_n Y \rightarrow Y_n$ cofib in \mathcal{C} , $n \geq 0$

• fib if $X_n \rightarrow Y_n \cup_{M_n Y} M_n X$ fib in \mathcal{C} , $n \geq 0$.

$$L_n X = \text{colim}_{\phi: [n] \rightarrow [k], \text{surj}} X_k \\ \phi \text{ not identity}$$

$$M_n X = \text{lim}_{\phi: [k] \rightarrow [n]} X_k \\ \phi \text{ inj, not id}$$

essential ingredient is: Δ is a "Reedy Cat"

def: a Reedy cat \mathcal{R} is a small cat with two wide subcats $\mathcal{R}^+, \mathcal{R}^-$ contains all objects "direct" "inverse"

a fn $\text{deg}: \text{ob } \mathcal{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ st.

(i) every morphism in \mathcal{R} factors uniquely, $\alpha = \alpha^+ \alpha^-$

(ii) if $\alpha: c \rightarrow d$ is in \mathcal{R}^+ , $\text{deg}(c) \leq \text{deg}(d)$, equality $\Leftrightarrow \alpha$ is identity map

$\alpha: c \rightarrow d$ in \mathcal{R}^- , then $\text{deg}(c) \geq \text{deg}(d)$, equality $\Leftrightarrow \alpha$ identity

so $\mathcal{R}^+ \cap \mathcal{R}^- = \{\text{identity maps}\}$, & these are only isos in \mathcal{C} .

example: Δ ; $\deg[n] = n$, $\Delta^- =$ surjective maps
 $\Delta^+ =$ inj maps.

Now generalize to $sPSh(\Theta_n)$.

Want to define $|\cdot| : \Theta_n \rightarrow Sp$

st. $\Theta_n \mapsto B_n = \{(t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \sum t_i^2 \leq 1\}$

$\partial \Theta_n \mapsto \partial B_n$

& get everything else by gluing, generalizing the cosimplicial simplex $\Delta \in \Delta(\text{Top})$

then define $|\cdot|_{\Theta_n} : PSh(\Theta_n) \rightarrow Sp$

by sending • Yoneda $F\Theta \mapsto |F\Theta|$

• everything else by gluing (colimits)

[need functor on Θ_n
not just Θ_n]

Then extend to $sPSh(\Theta_n) \rightarrow Sp$ by gluing.

A want this is sensible, e.g. $|\cdot|_{\Theta_n}$ preserves products.

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Lecture 10 | Everything ^{today} in two papers of Clemens Berger. (2002, 2006) 02/23/12

thm: (i) There exists a co- Θ_n -space, i.e. a functor $\text{Disk} : \Theta_n \rightarrow Sp$
and hence adjoint functors

$$|\cdot|_{\Theta_n} : sPSh(\Theta_n) \rightleftarrows Sp : (\)^{\text{Disk}}$$

where

$$|X|_{\Theta_n} = X \otimes_{\Theta_n} \text{Disk}$$

$$= \text{coeq} \left(\coprod_{\substack{a: \Theta' \rightarrow \Theta \\ \text{in } \Theta_n}} X(\Theta') \times \text{Disk}(\Theta) \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{X(a)} \\ \xrightarrow{\text{Disk}(a)} \end{array} \coprod_{\Theta \in \text{ob } \Theta_n} X(\Theta) \times \text{Disk}(\Theta) \right)$$

If yes, $y^{\text{Disk}} : \Theta \mapsto y^{\text{Disk}}(\Theta) \in Sp$

so $y^{\text{Disk}} \in sPSh(\Theta_n)$

st. (i) $|y_k|_{\Theta_n}$ "is" a k-Disk D_k

$$|y_m|_{\Theta_n} = y_m$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{cmj} \\ \longrightarrow \longrightarrow \longrightarrow \longrightarrow \longrightarrow \end{array} \quad \Delta_n = F_{\text{cmj}} = \Delta(\cdot, \text{cmj})$$

(ii) $|\cdot|_{\Theta_n}$ preserves finite limits, in particular,

the natural map $|X \times Y| \rightarrow |X| \times |Y|$

is a weak equiv

(iii) Θ_n is a Reedy cart.

Variant: $\text{Disk}^{\text{top}} : \Theta_n \rightarrow \text{Top}$ sends $|y_n| = D_n$

& $|X \times Y|^{\text{top}} \rightarrow |X|^{\text{top}} \times |Y|^{\text{top}}$ is a homeo

& there is a non-degen cell of dim $\deg \Theta$ for every non-degen

cell in X of type Θ .

(Reedy str)

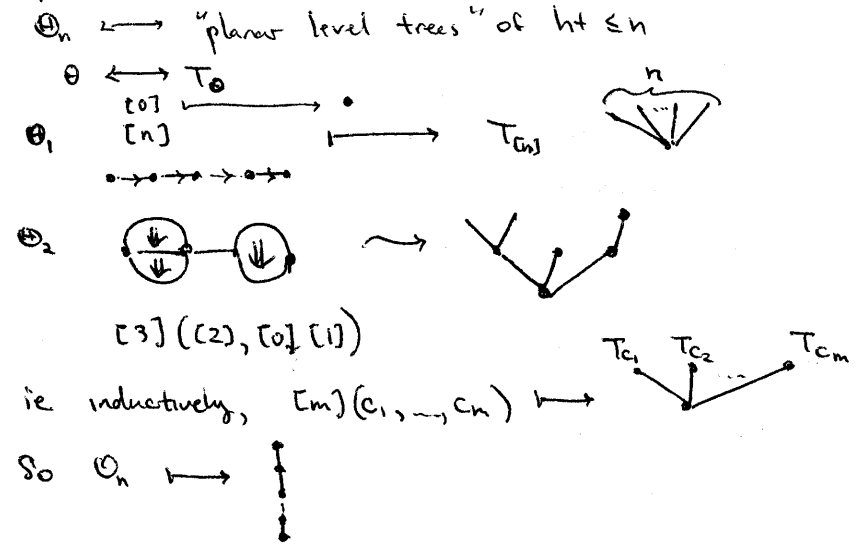
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pf sketch #1: Define $\text{Disk}(\Theta)$ explicitly.

• Show $|\cdot|_{\Theta_n}$ preserves finite limits
 can do this explicitly, by writing $F_{\Theta} \times F_{\Theta'}$ explicitly as a colimit of cells $F_{\Theta''}$ & check by hand. This explicit def also shows what non-degen cells look like.

[Joyal, Berger]

explicit combinatorics:



Put $\text{deg}[m](c_1, \dots, c_m) = m + \sum \text{deg}(c_i) = \# \text{ edges in the tree.}$

Explicit Disk:

(variant) in Top



$\{ (t_1, \dots, t_6) \in [-1, 1]^6 \mid \begin{matrix} t_1 \leq t_2, \\ t_3 \leq t_4 \leq t_5, \\ t_2^2 + t_3^2 \leq 1, \quad t_2^2 + t_4^2 + t_6^2 \leq 1 \\ t_2^2 + t_5^2 \leq 1 \end{matrix} \right\}$

linear order at each level crucial

paths from root

So $[m] \longrightarrow \Delta_m$ $\sim -1 \leq t_1 \leq t_2 \leq \dots \leq t_m \leq 1 = \Delta_m$

$\Theta_n \longrightarrow \{ t \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \sum t_i^2 \leq 1 \} = D_n$

$F_{\Theta} \times F_{\Theta'}$ is a union of cells F_{Ψ} , $\bigcup_{\Psi} F_{\Psi}$ (Yoneda)

union over all Ψ st. $T_{\Psi} \in \text{Sh}(T_{\Theta}, T_{\Theta'})$

where $U \in \text{Sh}(T, T')$ if $T \cap T' = \{\text{root}\}$, $T \cup T' = U$
 $(T, T' \subseteq U)$ "all ways to put trees together, keeping internal order, but allow permute between"

(So $\Delta_n \times \Delta_m$ is union of $\binom{m+n}{m}$ copies of Δ_{m+n})



critique: (1) to actually prove this works, must do some combinatorics in Θ_n .

What is its invariant meaning?

(2) Where does $\text{Disk}(\Theta)$ come from, why is $\text{Disk}(\Theta_n)$ a ball???

pf sketch #2: [Berger, 2006]

use the suspension map $\Theta_n \rightarrow \Theta_{n+1}$ to construct $l.l.\Theta_n$

$$\begin{aligned} \Theta &\mapsto [1](\Theta) \\ \text{define } \delta_e: \Delta \times \mathcal{C} &\longrightarrow \Delta \{ \mathcal{C} = \Theta \mathcal{C} \\ (n], A) &\longmapsto [n](A, A, \dots, A) \end{aligned}$$

$$(\alpha: [m] \rightarrow [n], f: A \rightarrow B) \mapsto (\alpha, \text{"f on each factor"})$$

$$\text{Suppose } l.l.\delta_e: \text{sPsh}(\mathcal{C}) \longrightarrow \begin{cases} \text{Top} \\ \text{Sp} \end{cases}$$

st. it is \ast colimit preserving [\Leftrightarrow is a left adjoint]
 \ast finite limit preserving
 call such a thing a "realization functor"

example $l.l.: \text{Psh}(\Delta) \rightarrow \text{Sp}$ identity functor.

$$\text{Then } l.l.\delta_e =: l.l. |_{\Delta \times \mathcal{C}} \circ \delta_e^* : \text{sPsh}(\Theta \mathcal{C}) \rightarrow \text{Sp}$$

is also a realization functor.

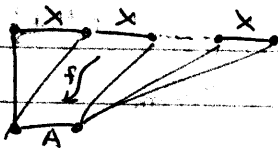
pf: $|X \times Y|_{\Delta \times \mathcal{C}} =: |X|_{\Delta} \times |Y|_{\mathcal{C}}$ is obviously a realization functor $\&$

\ast limit & colimit preserving (has left adjoint, denoted $(\delta_e)_!$)
 $\delta_e^*: \text{sPsh}(\Theta \mathcal{C}) \rightarrow \text{sPsh}(\Delta \times \mathcal{C})$ right adj. $(\delta_e)_*$

left Kan extension

right Kan extension

$$(\delta_e^* F_{[1](A)})([n], X) = \Theta \mathcal{C}([n](X, \dots, X), [1](A))$$

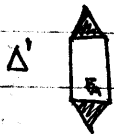


$$= \coprod_{\substack{\alpha: [n] \rightarrow [1] \\ \alpha \text{ surj}}} \mathcal{C}(X, A) \quad \coprod_{\substack{\alpha: [n] \rightarrow [1] \\ \alpha \text{ not surjective}}} \mathcal{C}(X, A)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta^{0 \dots 0} \\ \delta^{1 \dots 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\delta_e^* F_{[1](A)} \in \text{Psh}(\Delta \times \mathcal{C}) \text{ is } (\Delta^1 \times F_A = F_{[1] \times A}) / \sim$$

where $\delta^0(\ast) \times F_A \sim \ast_0$, $\delta^1(\ast) \times F_A \sim \ast_1$



$$\text{so } |\delta_e^* F_{[1](A)}| = \Delta^1 \times |F_A| / \sim \text{ as shown.}$$

eg $\mathcal{C} = \Delta$, $A = [1]$, so $F_{[1]([1])} = \mathbb{O}_2$

$$\Delta^1 \times \Delta^1 \quad \text{so } |\mathbb{O}_2| = \mathbb{O}_1$$

$$\text{put } \delta_n: \Delta^n \xrightarrow{\delta_{\Delta^{n+1}}} \Delta \{ \Delta^{n+1} = \bigoplus \Delta^{n+1} \}$$

$$\downarrow \bigoplus \delta_{n+1}$$

$$\bigoplus \bigoplus_{n+1} = \bigoplus_n$$

composite, $n \geq 2$

$$\text{put } \delta_1 = \text{Id}: \Delta \rightarrow \Delta = \bigoplus_1$$

defines $1: |\bigoplus_n|$. It is colimit & finite limit preserving, for free

Define $\text{Disk}(\bigoplus) = |F_0|_{\bigoplus_n}$ & adjointness clear

to identify non-degen cells in $|\mathcal{X}|_{\bigoplus_n}$, must still show Reedy

critique

still not clear why this works.

- what disks are?

- suspension def. is not intrinsic, it's extra structure

$\text{Im } \delta_n =$ trees in which all nodes at ht k have fixed valence a_k

$$\delta_n([a_0], [a_1], \dots, [a_k])$$



morally, this comes from n -cat = iterated multisimplicial set

they suffice as test objects (right \perp to them on \bigoplus_n is the terminal obj)

exercises

(i) compute $|\bigoplus_n|_{\bigoplus_n}$ & show it is disk + hemisphere decomp

(ii) compute $|F_{(n)}(A_1, \dots, A_n)|$ in terms of $|F_{A_1}|, \dots, |F_{A_n}|$

(iii) hence show this is homeo to previous sketch #1 geom realiz.

$$(\Delta^1)^m \rightarrow \Delta^m$$

Is it enough to build things in \bigoplus_n from \bigoplus_a for $a \leq n$?

NO. Eilenberg-Zilber / tree shuffling



height not necessarily by shuffling.

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Lecture 11

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pf sketch #3: If $\Theta \in \bigoplus_n$, look at the poset P_Θ of non-degen subobjects of Yoneda $F\Theta \in \text{PSh}(\bigoplus_n)$

example $\Delta_n = F_{(n)}$ faces of the n -simplex

$$\Delta_2 \quad \Delta$$



$$\Delta_3$$



$$\bigoplus_2 \quad \text{circle with arrow}$$



In each of these cases, this is always the face complex of a CW complex D . Moreover, D is the cone over a CW complex S & S is homeo to a sphere of dim $\text{deg } \Theta$.

This is true in general!

// we don't know what non-deg means yet
// or how subobj of \bigoplus relate to $F\Theta$

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hence, as $N(P_\Theta)$ is the barycentric subdivision of D , hence homeo to D ,

$\Theta \mapsto N(P_\Theta)$ makes a good disk functor

homeo (but not equal) to the disk functors before

critique: none, ie once we show Θ_n is a Reedy cat + extra properties (so, eg. can compute subobjects of $F\Theta$ in terms of Θ_n)

we have a purely internal def of $|\cdot|_{\Theta_n}$

Θ_n is a good Reedy cat

let \mathcal{C} be a cat, $c; d_1, \dots, d_n \in \text{ob } \mathcal{C}$

Write $\mathcal{C}(c; d_1, \dots, d_n) = \mathcal{C}(c, d_1) \times \dots \times \mathcal{C}(c, d_n)$ $n \geq 1$

$\mathcal{C}(c;) = *$ one point set if $n=0$

this forms a "symmetric comulti-cat" \mathcal{C}^*

"single input, multiple outputs"

is convenient notation for morphisms in $\Theta \mathcal{C} = A \{ \mathcal{C}$

$$\Theta \mathcal{C}([m](c_1, \dots, c_m), [n](d_1, \dots, d_n)) = \{ (\alpha: [m] \rightarrow [n], f_i) \}$$

where $f_i = (f_{ij}) \in \mathcal{C}(c_i; d_{\alpha(j)+1}, \dots, d_{\alpha(j)})$

def: [Rozik-Bergner, after Berger] a comulti Reedy cat, \mathcal{C} a cat

\mathcal{C} , wide subcat $\mathcal{C}^- \subseteq \mathcal{C}$, $\mathcal{C}^+(\ast) \subseteq \mathcal{C}(\ast)$

"degeneracies" faces

$\text{deg}: \text{ob } \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ st.

(i) every multi-morph $\alpha = (\alpha_s: c \rightarrow d_s)_{s=1, \dots, m}$ factors uniquely $\alpha = \alpha^+ \alpha^-$ with $\alpha^-: c \rightarrow x$ in \mathcal{C}^- $\alpha^+: x \rightarrow d_1, \dots, d_m$ in $\mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$

(ii) for every $\alpha: c \rightarrow d_1, \dots, d_n$ in $\mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$, $\text{deg}(c) \leq \sum \text{deg}(d_i)$

moreover if $\alpha: c \rightarrow d$ is in $\mathcal{C}^+ \implies \mathcal{C}^+(\ast) \cap \mathcal{C}$, $\text{deg}(c) = \text{deg}(d) \iff \alpha$ is an identity map

(iii) if $\alpha: c \rightarrow d$ is in \mathcal{C}^- , $\text{deg}(c) \geq \text{deg}(d)$
 equivalently $\iff \alpha$ is an identity map

Example: Δ , put $\text{deg}([n]) = n$, $\Delta^- = \{ \alpha: [n] \rightarrow [m] \text{ surj maps} \}$

$\Delta^+(\ast) = \{ \alpha: [m] \rightarrow [n_1], \dots, [n_m] \text{ st. } [m] \rightarrow [n_1] \times \dots \times [n_m] \text{ is surjective, } \alpha \mapsto (\alpha_i(\tau), \dots, \alpha_n(\tau)) \}$

$\iff \forall \beta, \beta': [k] \rightarrow [m]$, if $\alpha_i \beta = \alpha_i \beta' \forall i$, then $\beta = \beta'$

observe: $\Delta^+([m]; [n_1], \dots, [n_m])$ index the non-degen simplices in $\Delta^m \times \dots \times \Delta^m$

Note $\mathcal{C}^+ \implies \mathcal{C}(\ast) \cap \mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$, then $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{C}^+, \mathcal{C}^-$, deg is a usual Reedy cat.

Lemma: \mathcal{C} a multi-Ready cat $\Leftrightarrow \oplus \mathcal{C}$ is, where

(i) $(\oplus \mathcal{C})^- = \{(\alpha, f) : [m](c_1, \dots, c_m) \rightarrow [n](d_1, \dots, d_n)\}$

st. $\alpha \in \Delta^-(C_m, [n])$ is surjective

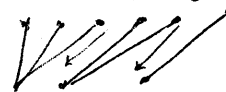
and if $\alpha(i_i) < \alpha(i)$, then $f_i : c_i \rightarrow d_{\alpha(i)}$ is in \mathcal{C}^-

(ii) $(\oplus \mathcal{C})^+(\ast) = f = (f_1, \dots, f_N)$

$f_s = (\alpha_s, (f_{s,i})) : [m](c_1, \dots, c_m) \rightarrow [n_s](d_{s,1}, \dots, d_{s,n_s})$

st. (a) multimorph

$\alpha_s : [m] \rightarrow [n_s], \dots, [n_N]$ is in $\Delta^+(\ast)$



(b) for each i , multimorph $f_{s,i} : c_i \rightarrow d_{s,j} \mid_{j=\alpha_s(i)+1, \dots, \alpha_s(i)}$ is in $\mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$

(iii) $\deg [m](c_1, \dots, c_m) = m + \sum \deg c_i$

$j = \alpha_s(i-1)+1, \dots, \alpha_s(i)$

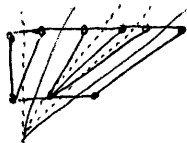
pf: Straightforward. Must check:

- all identity morphisms in $\oplus \mathcal{C}^-$, $\oplus \mathcal{C}^-$ closed under comp
- all identity morphisms in $\oplus \mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$, & $\oplus \mathcal{C}^+(\ast)$ closed under multi-comp.
- every $f \in \oplus \mathcal{C}(\ast)$ factors uniquely
- deg condition on multi-morphs

Con In particular, $\oplus \mathcal{C}$ is a Ready cat.

-----, \oplus_n ----- \square

$\oplus_n^- \ni \alpha : \theta \rightarrow \theta'$ $\Leftrightarrow T_{\theta'}$ is a subtree of T_{θ} .



// potential paper topic ... quasi-categories??

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Lecture 12

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def $E_n\text{-Sp} :=$ full subcat of $\text{sPSh}(\oplus_n)$ st. $\bar{X}(O_k) \simeq k < n$

thm: [Boardman-Vogt, May, Segal] vague form

Every n -fold loop space $\Omega^n Y$ is canonically an E_n -space,

& conversely every E_n -space X is weakly equiv to $\Omega^n Y$ for some well-defined Y .

mk: traditional formulation of this involves operad E_n^{top} of little discs in $D_2 \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$

We will relate $E_n\text{-Sp}$ to E_n^{top} & "factorization algebras" shortly

def functors

$| \cdot | : E_n\text{-Sp} \rightleftarrows \text{Sp}_* : \Omega_E^n$

Sp_* = pointed spaces (= pointed simplicial sets)

by $|X| = (|X|_{\oplus_n}, |i_{n-1}^* X|_{\oplus_{n-1}})$

$i_{n-1} : \oplus_{n-1} \hookrightarrow \oplus_n$

contractible by def of $E_n\text{-Sp}$

$\Omega_E^n(X, \ast) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \left[\theta \mapsto \frac{\text{Map}}{\text{Sp}_*}(|F_{\theta}|, |F_{\ast}|), (X, \ast) \right]$

where $\text{Sp}((X, A), (Y, B)) = \{ \varphi \in \text{Sp}(X, Y) \mid \varphi A \subseteq B \}$

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$2\Theta = (i_{n-1})_! (i_{n-1})^* \Theta$ // can be defined by ready structure Maps $Sp_n (S^n, *)$, $(Y, *)$
 // \rightarrow representable $\Omega^n Y$

example $2\Omega_n$ as before.

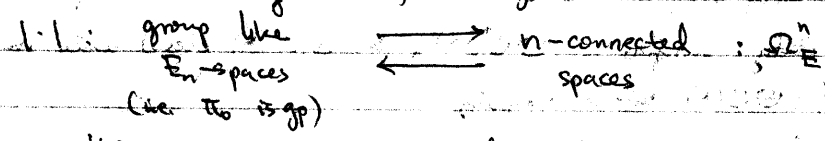
$$\Omega^n_E Y(\Omega_n) = \text{Map}_{Sp} \left((|F_{\Omega_n}|, |F_{2\Omega_n}|), (Y, *) \right)$$

$D_n, 2D_n$

lemma (i) These are adjoint functors

- (ii) Image of $l.l$ has: $\pi_i(|X|) = 0, i < n$
- (iii) if $Y \rightarrow Y'$ in Sp_n st. $\Omega^n_E Y \rightarrow \Omega^n_E Y'$ is a weak equiv, & if Y & Y' fibranst, then $\pi_k(Y) \rightarrow \pi_k(Y')$ iso, $\forall k > n$
- (iv) image of Ω^n_E has $\pi_0((\Omega^n_E Y)(\Omega_n)) = \pi_n Y$ is a group.

So refine the (very lemma) to adjoint functors



Want this to be an equiv of model cats.

How do we make things into model cats?

- add a disjoint base pt: $Sp \xrightleftharpoons{X \mapsto X \cup \{*\}} Sp_*$ forget
- use this to put a model cat on \nearrow from strict on Sp
- make n -connected spaces into a model cat via

$$\Sigma^n = S^n \wedge (\cdot) : Sp_* \longleftrightarrow n\text{-Connected } Sp : \Omega^n$$

adjoint functors, \nearrow a cofib generated model cat, with ~~gen~~ generating cofibs

$$\partial \Delta^n \hookrightarrow \Delta^n, n \geq 0$$

gen acyclic fib $\Delta^n \hookrightarrow \Delta^n$

and Ω^n preserves sequential colimits (as $(S^n, *) = (\Delta^n, \partial \Delta^n)$ is small ("compact" "perfect"))

or, much the same, you can Bousfield colocalize at objects

$$S^n, S^{n+1}$$

Bookie (Frank Adams)

Similarly, can consider gp like E_n -spaces as a subcat, \rightarrow to add new weak equivs

thm

(i) We have Quillen equiv

$$l.l : (E_n\text{-sp}, \begin{matrix} \text{gp like} \\ S_n \end{matrix}) \longleftrightarrow n\text{-connected spaces} : \Omega^n_E$$

$S_n \nwarrow \text{segt}$

(ii) the map $(E_n\text{-sp}, \begin{matrix} \text{gp like} \\ S_n \end{matrix}) \rightarrow Sp \quad X \mapsto \bar{X}(\Omega_n)$ is homotopy conservative

ie, if $Y: X \rightarrow X'$ has $\bar{X}(\Omega_n) \rightarrow \bar{X}'(\Omega_n)$ is a weak equiv, then Y is a weak equiv.

(this is a precise form of the "inject" thm)

Observe (i) says, in particular, $X \rightarrow \Omega^n_E |X|$ is a weak equiv (in $(E_n\text{-sp}, \begin{matrix} \text{gp like} \\ S_n \end{matrix})$)

so every E_n -space is a loop space.

(ii) though it requires extra data to recover Y from $\Omega^n Y$ (ie the data of being an E_n -space, ie. roughly n commuting (up to homotopy) multiplications, which are assoc up to homotopy)



a map $\psi: X \rightarrow X'$ which induces a weak equiv $X(\mathbb{O}_n) \rightarrow X'(\mathbb{O}_n)$ is already a weak equiv $Y \rightarrow Y'$ $Y=|X|, Y'=|X'|$

PF of lemma: (i) clear adjoint, as both defined by the

$$\text{cof } \mathbb{O}_n \text{ } n\text{-sphere } \theta \mapsto (|F_{\theta}|, |F_{\partial\theta}|) \in \text{Sp}_n$$

note if $X(\mathbb{O}_n) \sim *$, $a \leq n$, then $\text{li}_n^* X \sim *$ also,

so $\theta \mapsto$ wedge of spheres, # of spheres = # of leaves of ht n in T_θ

(ii) $|X|$ is a colimit of S^k , $k \geq n$, & S^i is small/compact, so commutes with countable colimit, & $\pi_i(S^k) = 0$ if $i < n \leq k$.

(iii) $Y \rightarrow Y'$ a map has $\Omega^n Y \rightarrow \Omega^n Y'$ i.e. if

$$\pi_i(\Omega^n Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} \pi_i(\Omega^n Y') \text{ iso, } \forall i \geq 0$$

$$\pi_{i+n}(Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} \pi_{i+n}(Y')$$

But then (iii) Y fibrant $\Rightarrow \Omega_E Y$ Segal fibrant, (pt: exercise, $\text{Map}_{\text{Sp}}(\cdot)$)

$$\text{i.e. } \Omega_E^n(Y)(\theta) \sim (\Omega^n Y)^{\wedge k}, \quad k = \# \text{ of leaves of top ht in } T_\theta$$

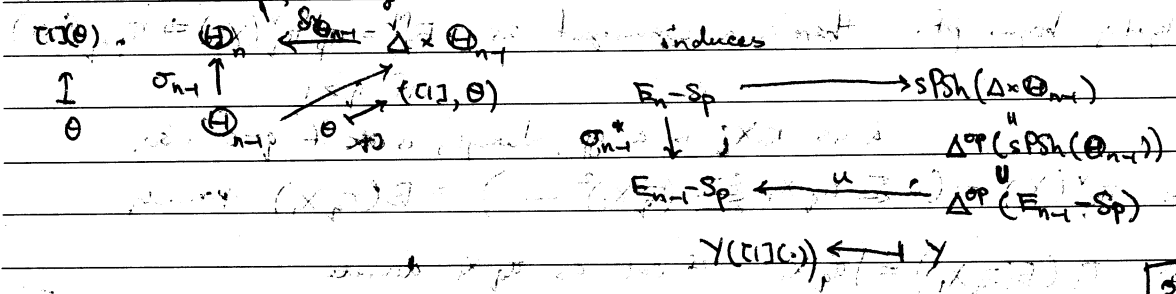
so a weak equiv $\Omega^n Y \rightarrow \Omega^n Y'$ induces a weak equiv

~~maps~~ for all pasting diagrams $\theta \in \mathbb{O}_n$, i.e. a levelwise w.e. of $\text{sPSh}(\mathbb{O}_n)$

(iv) "obvious" \square

PF of thm: non-formal issue is to prove $X \rightarrow X(\mathbb{O}_n) \rightarrow \Omega^n |X|$ is a w.e., if X is fib & cofib.

Factor this map, using



$$X(\mathbb{O}_n) = (\sigma_{n+1}^* X)(\mathbb{O}_{n+1}) \xrightarrow{\sim} \Omega^{n+1} | \sigma_{n+1}^* X |$$

$$= \Omega^{n+1} u | \sigma_{\mathbb{O}_{n+1}}^* X |_{\mathbb{O}_{n+1}} \quad \left[\text{Consider } u: \Delta^{op} Sp \rightarrow Sp \right]$$

is a w.e., by induction, as we've already seen X Segal fibrant

$\Rightarrow \sigma_{n+1}^* X$ Segal fibrant, & similarly for gp like condition

$$\xrightarrow{\sim} \Omega^{n+1} \Omega | X |_{\mathbb{O}_n} = \Omega^n | X |$$

X Segal fibrant $\Rightarrow \sigma_{\mathbb{O}_{n+1}}^* X$ is gp like

So it remains to prove $n=1$: (in paper of Segal)

$X_0 \in \Delta^{op} Sp$ s.t. $X_0 \sim *$ contractible

$X_n \rightarrow X_{n+1}$ is a weak equiv, & fibration

& X_1 fibrant, $\pi_0 X_1$ is a gp

WANT: $X_1 \rightarrow \Omega | X |$ is a weak equiv, i.e.

$\pi_i(X_1) \rightarrow \pi_{i+1}(|X|)$ is a w.e.

$$Y = |X| \iff \left(0 \leftarrow X_1 \leftarrow X_2 \leftarrow \dots \right) \left(\begin{array}{c} \Downarrow \Omega^2 Y \\ (\Omega Y)^2 \end{array} \right)$$

"is" the Bar complex for the "gp" ΩY , i.e. "is $B(\Omega Y)$ "

if G a gp $(1 \leftarrow G \leftarrow G^2 \leftarrow \dots) = N(G)$

note $\Omega | X |$ is homotopy fiber product $\Omega | X | \rightarrow *$ so

$$\text{ets: } \begin{array}{ccc} X_1 & \rightarrow & |PX| \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X_0 & \rightarrow & |X| \end{array} \quad \text{cartesian}$$

& PX path space of X , $(PX)_n = X_{n+1}$, $(PX)(\alpha) = X(\alpha')$

$$\alpha'[0] = [0]$$

$$\alpha'(i) = \alpha((i-1)) + 1, i > 0.$$

Contractible via std homotopy

$$PX \times \Delta^1 \rightarrow PX.$$

Can show directly that this cartesian $\iff \pi_0 X_1$ is a gp. (note $X_n \sim X_{n+1}$)

Slightly bogus pf: there is a convergent s.s. $E_2^{pq} = \pi_p^h \pi_q^v(X_0) \Rightarrow \pi_{p+q}(|X|)$ if $q \geq 1$

& as $\pi_0 X_1$ is a gp, always, is ~~ok~~ if $q=0$ also.

$$\text{So } \pi_q^v(X_0) = (0 \leftarrow \pi_q X_1 \leftarrow (\pi_q X_1)^2 \leftarrow \dots) = B(\pi_q X_1) \text{ precisely}$$

$$\text{So } \pi_i(B(\pi_q X_1)) = \begin{cases} \pi_q X_1 & \text{if } i=1 \text{ as } \pi_q X_1 \text{ discrete} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

so s.s. collapses to give $\Pi_{q+1}|X| \leftarrow \Pi_q X$ iso, $\forall q \geq 0$

as desired, directly.

Lecture 13

03/06/12

$$\mathbb{1} : (E_n \text{-Sp, gp like}) \rightleftarrows n\text{-connected } Sp_n : \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^n$$

↑
maybe better name
is B^n

$X(\mathbb{O}_n)$

write $\oplus_n \text{-Sp}^{\text{Rezk}} := (s\text{PSh}(\mathbb{O}_n), \text{Segala Completeness}_a, \forall a \leq n)$

$$E_d\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n \text{-Sp}^{\text{Rezk}} := (s\text{PSh}(\mathbb{O}_{n+d}), \text{Segala Completeness}_a, \forall a \leq n+d, n+d \geq a \geq d)$$

~~XXXXXXXX~~

$X(\mathbb{O}_a) \rightsquigarrow a < d$

so $n=0$ is $E_d\text{-Sp}$

expect: Quillen adjoint functors

$$B^d : E_d\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n \text{-Sp}^{\text{Rezk}} \rightleftarrows \oplus_n \text{-Sp}_*^{\text{Rezk}} : \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d$$

$$\downarrow U = (\sigma^d)^*$$

$$\oplus_n \text{-Sp}^{\text{Rezk}} \quad U(X)(\Theta) = X(\sigma^d(\Theta)), \quad \sigma \Theta \in [1](\Theta) \text{ suspension}$$

st. (essential) • image of $B^d = "d\text{-connected } \oplus_n\text{-spaces}"$

• image of $\Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d = "gp\text{ like } E_d\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n\text{-spaces}"$

• U is homotopy conservative $\swarrow U: \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d = \Omega^d$

Moreover, when restricted to these image subcats, $B^d, \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d$ gives Quillen equiv

The case $n=0$ is the theorem above.

Moreover, there are Quillen adjoint functors:

$$\Sigma^d : \oplus_n \text{-Sp}_*^{\text{Rezk}} \rightleftarrows \oplus_n \text{Sp}_*^{\text{Rezk}} : \Omega^d$$

with images: $\text{Im } \Omega^d \text{ gp like } \oplus_n\text{-spaces}$

$$\text{Im } \Sigma^d = d\text{-connected } \oplus_n \text{-Sp}_*$$

In fact $B^d : E_{d+d}\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n \text{-Sp}_*^{\text{Rezk}} \rightleftarrows E_d\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n \text{Sp}_*^{\text{Rezk}} : \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d$

$$\downarrow U_d = (\sigma^d)^*$$

$$E_d\text{-monoidal } \oplus_n \text{-Sp}_*$$

Moreover, $U: \Omega_{\mathbb{F}}^d X = \Omega^d X$ as before

Rank: all of these model cats $(s\text{PSh}(\mathbb{O}_n), W)$

are supposed to model kinds of "weak n cats". More precisely, can regard

$$(s\text{PSh}(\mathbb{O}_n), W) \in (s\text{PSh}(\mathbb{O}_n), \text{Rezk}). \text{ Using simplicial nerve}$$

Want to say (& should say!) these Quillen functors $F: () \rightleftarrows () : G$

give rise to honest morphisms in $\oplus_n \text{Sp} [F]: () \rightleftarrows () : [G]$

which are w.e. if Quillen equiv (should check this!)

Spectra, vaguely

$$\text{let Spectra} = \varinjlim_{\Omega} Sp_* = (\dots \xrightarrow{\Omega} Sp_* \xrightarrow{\Omega} Sp_*) \quad (*)$$

explicitly, an object is a sequence $X_d \in Sp_*$ with morphisms

(or equiv, by adjointness, $\Sigma X_d \rightarrow X_{d+1}$)

$$\alpha_d : X_d \rightarrow \Omega X_{d+1}$$

Ω means maps from S^1

We have enough technology to interpret (*) scientifically

(It's in a diagram cat / cofibred over \mathbb{N})

& can take limits as CSS ---

or as some model cat. Here it is, by hand:

Model cat str on Spectra: [Bousfield-Friedlander]

$$f: X \rightarrow Y \text{ fibrant if } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} f_d: X_d \rightarrow Y_d \text{ fibrant in } Sp, \text{ \& } \\ X_d \rightarrow \Omega X_{d+1} \xrightarrow{\alpha_d} \Omega Y_{d+1} \text{ is a w.e. in } Sp \end{array} \right.$$

In particular, X fibrant \Leftrightarrow

each X_d is fibrant, and $X_d \rightarrow \Omega X_{d+1}$ is w.e.

$$\text{so } X_0 \xrightarrow{\alpha_0} \Omega X_1 \xrightarrow{\alpha_1} \Omega^2 X_2 \xrightarrow{\alpha_2} \dots$$

each X_d admits an ∞ # of deloopings "is an ∞ -loop space"

If $X \in \text{Spectra}$, define $X^f \in \text{Spectra}$ by $(X^f)_d = \varinjlim_{\Omega} \Omega^k X_{d+k} = \text{lim}(X_d \rightarrow \Omega X_{d+1} \rightarrow \Omega^2 X_{d+2} \rightarrow \dots)$

Obvious that $(X^f)_d \rightarrow \Omega(X^f)_{d+1}$ is a weak equiv;

so X^f is fibrant, & $X \rightarrow X^f$

Now declare $X \rightarrow X^f$ to be a w.e., & so a fibrant replacement.

more generally, $X \rightarrow Y$ is a w.e. if $X^f \rightarrow Y^f$ is a levelwise w.e. in Sp .

What have we done?

$$\text{Note } \pi_i(X^f)_d = \varinjlim_{\Omega} \pi_{i+k}(X_{d+k})$$

$$\text{Now, if } X_d = \Sigma^d \bar{X}, \bar{X} \in Sp, \text{ then } \varinjlim_{\Omega} \pi_{i+k}(X_{d+k}) = \varinjlim_{\Omega} \pi_{i+k}(\Sigma^k \Sigma^d \bar{X})$$

Recall if $|X|$ is a finite CW complex; (ie $X \in Sp$ has only finitely many)

$$\text{then } \pi_{i+k}(\Sigma^k X) = \pi_{i+k+1}(\Sigma^{k+1} X) =: \pi_i^s(X) \text{ for } k \gg 0$$

are called the stable homotopy gps of X .

"Whitehead's thm"

Thm (BF) With these fibrations & w.e., Spectra is a cofib to generated model cat,

$$\text{Quillen adjoint: } \Sigma^\infty : Sp_* \rightleftarrows \text{Spectra} : \Omega^\infty \quad (\Omega^\infty Y) = Y_0$$

$$\Sigma^\infty X = (X, \Sigma X, \Sigma^2 X, \dots), \text{ map } \Sigma(\Sigma^\infty X)_n \rightarrow (\Sigma^\infty X)_{n+1} \text{ is } \Sigma \Sigma^n X \xrightarrow{\alpha} \Sigma^{n+1} X.$$

s.t. if $X \in \text{Spectra}$, define ΣX by $(\Sigma X)_i := \Sigma(X_i)$
 and ΩX by $(\Omega X)_i := \Omega(X_i)$
 and $\Sigma: \text{Spectra} \rightleftarrows \text{Spectra}$; Ω are adjoint

note that $\Sigma \Sigma^\infty X = \Sigma^\infty \Sigma X$, but $\Sigma^\infty(\Omega X) \neq \Omega(\Sigma^\infty X)$. Instead, $\Sigma^\infty \Omega X \cong \Omega \Sigma^\infty X$

Lemma $X \in \text{Spectra} \Rightarrow X \xrightarrow{\cong} \Omega \Sigma X, \Sigma \Omega X \rightarrow X$ weak equivs

Ω is a universal functor for any presentable pointed cat \mathcal{C}
 $\text{Spectra} \rightleftarrows \text{Spectra}(\mathcal{C})$

s.t. $\text{Spectra}(\mathcal{C})$ satisfies universal property "stable"

$X \in \text{Sp}$, $X \rightarrow \Omega^\infty \Sigma^\infty X = \varinjlim \Omega^i \Sigma^i X$

replaces X with $\Sigma^k X$, an ∞ -loop space, $\pi_i(\Omega^\infty \Sigma^\infty X) = \varinjlim_k \pi_{i+k}(\Sigma^k X) = \pi_i(X)$

// Aside: Goodwillie Calculus

exercise

note $\pi_{i+k}(\Sigma^k X) = 0$ if $i < 0$, as $\Sigma^k X$ built out of spheres $S^{k'}$, $k' \geq k$

and, if $Y \in \text{Spectra}$, $\Sigma^\infty \Omega^\infty Y \rightarrow Y$ induces isos of π_i 's $i \geq 0$,

& $\pi_i(\Sigma^\infty \Omega^\infty Y) = 0$, $i < 0$, unlike $\pi_i(Y)$.

So $\text{image of } \Sigma^\infty$ is 0-connected Spectra, image of Ω^∞

is infinite loop spaces in Sp.

& we can write $d = \infty$ version of Segal-May-BV theorem

this is due to Segal, 1974

thm: Quillen-equiv:

$(\varinjlim E_d\text{-Sp}, \text{Segal gp like}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{0-connected Spectra: } \Omega^\infty \text{Sp}$

\uparrow
 $(\text{sPSh}(\varinjlim \mathbb{O}_d), \text{Segal gp like}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Sp}$

Prop: $\varinjlim \mathbb{O}_d = (\mathbb{O}_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{O}_1 \rightarrow \dots) \cong (\text{FinSet})^{\text{op}} =: \Gamma$ "Segal's cat"
 & a Γ -space is a space with a homotopy assoc & commutative operation
 $+: X \times X \rightarrow X$

$\varinjlim E_d\text{-Sp} = "E_\infty\text{-Sp}"$ which is also called a Γ -space. 3/3

Lecture 14 Little disks Operad 03/08/12

$E_d(n)$ = space of n disjoint open d -dim cubes in \mathbb{R}^d open cube: $(0, 1)^d \subset \mathbb{R}^d$

cube = $(a_1, b_1) \times \dots \times (a_d, b_d)$ $a_i < b_i$

homeo to space of n disjoint cubes in \mathbb{R}^d

& $\mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d$ acts on \rightarrow by rescaling and translation

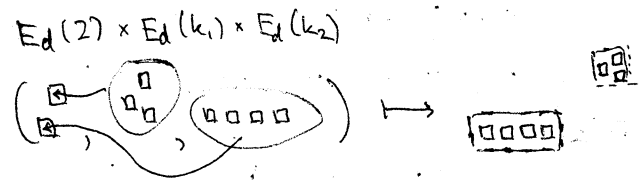
$E_d(n) \rightarrow \text{Conf}_n(\mathbb{C}^d, 1)^d$
 $\text{cube}_1, \dots, \text{cube}_n \mapsto \text{center of cube}_1, \dots, \text{cube}_n$

$\text{Conf}_n X = \{ (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in X \mid x_i \neq x_j \}$

this map is homotopy equiv

map $E_d(n) \times E_d(k_1) \times \dots \times E_d(k_n) \rightarrow E_d(k_1 + \dots + k_n)$

use translation & rescale, take each k_i -tuple of cubes & place it in i th cube in $E_d(n)$



Structure makes E_d into an operad on Top spaces

If \mathcal{C} is a closed sym. monoidal cat (eg. Top, ...)

$\forall Y \in \mathcal{C}$, then operad: $\text{CoEnd}(Y)$ (co-mult category)

$n \mapsto \mathcal{C}(Y, Y \otimes \dots \otimes Y) = \mathcal{C}(Y, Y^{\otimes n})$

& operad structure is defined by composition

this acts, for any $X \in \mathcal{C}$, on $\mathcal{C}(Y, X)$

i.e. $\mathcal{C}(Y, Y^{\otimes n}) \otimes \mathcal{C}(Y, X)^{\otimes n} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(Y, X)$



example: Take $\mathcal{C} = \text{Top}_*$, $\otimes = \wedge$, $Y = (S^n, *)$

$\text{Top}_*(S^n, X) =: \Omega^n X$

this is an algebra for the operad $\text{CoEnd}(S^n)$,

hence an algebra for the suboperad E_d

i.e. $\Omega^n X$ is an algebra for the operad E_d

thm [BV, May, Segal]

$B^d : \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{gp like } E_d \text{ algebras} \\ \text{in } \text{Top}_* \end{array} \right) \iff \begin{array}{l} d\text{-connected } \Omega^d \\ \text{spaces} \end{array}$

$U = \downarrow$ underlying set

gp like Top_*

B^d, Ω^d are equiv of Quillen model cats, U homotopy conservative

This screams the following:

thm: equiv of model categories E_d -monoidal $\mathbb{Q}_n\text{-Sp} \iff E_d\text{-Alg}(\mathbb{Q}_n\text{-Sp})$

examples

$d=0$: $E_d(0) = *$, $E_d(n) = \emptyset$, $n > 0$

$d=1$: $E_1(n) = n$ disjoint intervals I_1, \dots, I_n in \mathbb{R}

homotopic $\rightsquigarrow S_n$

$\exists ! \sigma \in S_n$ s.t. $I_{\sigma_1} < I_{\sigma_2} < \dots < I_{\sigma_n}$.
 $I_\bullet \rightsquigarrow \sigma_\bullet$

thm is more or less a tautology (\Leftarrow def. of RHS) for $d=1$

Issue is $d > 1$

for $d > 1$, have

thm: "Dunn's thm" $E_d \cong E_d \otimes E_d$, equivalently $E_d \text{-Alg}(E) \cong E_d \text{-Alg}(E)$

for the LHS, we essentially know this already; & so Dunn's thm for $d=1 \Rightarrow$ thm

So from this optic, point of thm is $(*)$, is an analysis of the homotopy type of little disks operad.

We're going to sketch a direct pf, or rather some ingredients of a direct pf.

(the explicit combinatorics we use also appear in Dunn's thm)

WANT to explicitly study homotopy type of $E_d(n)$ vs.

& in particular, find a poset A , st. $|A| \sim E_d(n)$

We will do this "classify"

Let (A, \leq) poset, $X \in \text{Top}$, $\forall \alpha \in A$, $C_\alpha \in X$ contractible subspace of X

st. (i) $C_\alpha \subseteq C_\beta \iff \alpha \leq \beta$ (ii) $C_\alpha \hookrightarrow X$ closed embedding, i.e. a cofibration

(iii) " $\bigcup C_\alpha = X$ ", $\lim_{\substack{\longrightarrow \\ A}} C_\alpha = X$ "cellular decomp of X "

then $|A| \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{holim}_A C_\alpha \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{colim}_A C_\alpha = X$ $(*)$

each cell is contractible as each inclusion is a cofibration

For $d=2$, Fox-Neuwirth for $E_2(n)$ found a cell decomposition

$$\begin{bmatrix} E_2(1) \sim * \\ E_2(2) \sim S^1 \end{bmatrix}$$

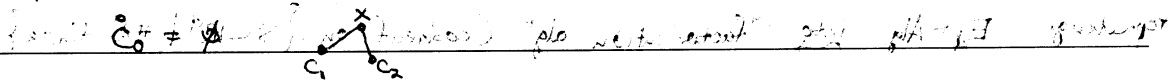
& now for $d > 2$, exists an analog of Fox-Neuwirth decomp,

first written by Gervais-Jones, 1994

but it isn't a cell decomp... (wrong; fixed)

Instead: define $\hat{C}_\alpha = C_\alpha \cup \bigcup_{\beta < \alpha} C_\beta$

example: $X = \triangle$, $C_1 = \triangle$, $C_2 = \triangle$, $C_0 = X$



def: C_α is "redundant" if $\hat{C}_\alpha = \emptyset$, non-redundant otherwise

lemma: if (i) $\alpha \leq \beta \implies C_\alpha \subseteq C_\beta$ & if $\hat{C}_\alpha \neq \emptyset$, then $C_\alpha \subseteq C_\beta \implies \alpha \leq \beta$

and (ii), (iii), then $|A| = X$

pf Let A' be subset of non-redundant cells, then still case that

$$\lim_{\substack{\longrightarrow \\ A'}} C = X, \text{ so } X = |NA'|$$

by (**). Now inclusion $|NA'| \rightarrow |NA|$: homotopy fibers of this map are $|NF_\alpha|$, where $\alpha \in A$, $F_\alpha = \{\beta \in A' \mid \beta \leq \alpha\}$

by (***) $|NF_\alpha| \cong \lim_{\substack{\longrightarrow \\ \beta \in F_\alpha}} C_\beta = C_\alpha$ (as either $\alpha \in A'$, in which case it's clear or $\alpha \notin A'$, in which case it's the def of redundant)

Now "Quillen thm A" $\Rightarrow |NA'| \rightarrow |NA|$ w.e.

Prop: (Fiedonowicz, Berger) $E_d(n)$ admits such a generalized cell structure

Following variant of the lemma is more useful

lemma: Let A be a Reedy cat, $C: A \rightarrow \{ \text{subspaces of } a \}$
 st. (i) natural map Latching object. $\} \text{top space } X$

(ii) $\lim_{\substack{\longrightarrow \\ A}} C \rightarrow X$ is a w.e.

(iii) $C(a)$ contractible, $\forall a$

Then $|NA| \xrightarrow{\sim} X$.

$L_a(C) \rightarrow C(a)$ is a cofib

$$\lim_{\substack{\longrightarrow \\ b \rightarrow a, \text{deg}(b) < \text{deg}(a)}} C(b)$$

the issue is redundant cells: you can't just throw them away b/c higher dim ones need redundant lower dim guys to glue properly desired: e.g.?

$$x, y \in \mathbb{R}^d \quad x = (x_1, \dots, x_d)$$

$$x \leq_i^{\text{lex}} y \text{ if } x_a = y_a, a < i, x_i < y_i$$

$$\text{ob } \oplus_{d,A}^{\text{fr}} = \{ (\theta, \alpha) \mid \theta \in \oplus_d, \alpha \text{ bijection between leaves of } T_\theta \text{ \& } A \}$$

A finite set



$$\text{thm: } |N \oplus_{d, \{1, \dots, n\}}^{\text{fr}}| \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Config}_n(\mathbb{R}^d)$$

$$E_d(n) \times E_d(k_1) \times \dots \times E_d(k_n) \longrightarrow E_d(k_1 + \dots + k_n)$$

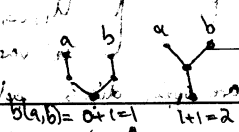
$$\oplus_{d, [n]}^{\text{fr}} \times \oplus_{d, [k_1]}^{\text{fr}} \times \dots \times \dots \longrightarrow \dots$$

"Ran space"

repackage E_d -Alg into "factorization alg" (cosheaf on $\{S \subset \mathbb{R}^d \mid \#S \text{ finite}\}$)

$$\bigcup_{k \geq 0} \mathbb{R}^d$$

$\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{Fr}}$ $E_d(n) \simeq \text{Conf}_n(\mathbb{R}^d)$



If $(\Theta, \alpha) \in \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}$ this defines a partial order on A .

by $a < b$ iff the leaf labelled by a is to the left of the leaf labelled by b .

define $C(\Theta, \alpha) = \{ (z_1, \dots, z_n) \in \text{Conf}_n(\mathbb{R}^d) \mid \text{if } a < b, \text{ then } z_a \leq z_b \}$

where $b(a, b) = (\text{level of the tree } T_\Theta \text{ at which point leaves labelled by } a \text{ \& } b \text{ meet})$

(i) $C(\Theta, \alpha)$ is the interior of a convex set in \mathbb{R}^{dn} .

(ii) If restrict to $\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n} = \{ (\Theta, \alpha) \mid T_\Theta \text{ only has leaves at level } n \}$

then $\lim_{\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}}$ $C(\Theta, \alpha) = \text{Conf}_n(\mathbb{R}^d)$.

Given (z_1, \dots, z_n) , i, j , set $b(i, j) = \max \{ k \mid (z_i, \dots, z_k) \text{ is a face} \}$

[just "lexicographically" order z_i 's]

$\exists!$ tree T with all leaves at top level & branching points $b(i, j) \rightarrow T_\Theta = T_\Theta$

If $(\Theta', \alpha') \in \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}$ & $z \in C(\Theta', \alpha')$ also $z \in C(\Theta, \alpha)$

$\Leftrightarrow \exists$ map $\text{inclusion } (\Theta', \alpha') \rightarrow (\Theta, \alpha)$

(iii) $L_d(C) \rightarrow C$ is the inclusion of a face of a convex polyd into the

convex polyd, & give a closed embed $C \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{dn}$

so $\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n} \rightarrow \text{Conf}_n(\mathbb{R}^d)$ is a homeo.

$\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n} \xrightarrow{\text{w.c.}} \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}$

don't even need to check condition (ii) for all of $\mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k, n}$, etc

$i: \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k}$ has a right adjoint $r: \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}^{\text{fr}}_{d, 2k}$

$r(\Theta) = \Theta'$, if $T_{\Theta'}$ is T_Θ with leaves not at top-level T pruned.

think this is thru Ran Ready set etc

$$E_d(n) \times E_d(k) \times \dots \times E_d(k_n) \rightarrow E_d(k_1 + \dots + k_n)$$

poset $X_d(n)$ $\xrightarrow{\text{small } n}$ posets etc

so $|X_d(n)| \sim E_d(n) \rightarrow$ construct an operad in posets out of this

VARIETY etc $\text{be a syn. monoidal (co-)cat}$

X manifold, $\dim X = d$, $E_d(n) = n$ disjoint open discs in X

$E_d(n) \times E_d(k) \times \dots \times E_d(k_1 + \dots + k_n)$ "operad" (sort of)

so $E_d(\cdot)$ = little disc operad, $E_d(U) \rightarrow X$ w.c. $E_d(\emptyset) = \ast$

prop: $Ex-Alg(\mathcal{C}) \simeq \left\{ A: \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{cat of disjoint open discs} \\ U_1, \dots, U_n \text{ in } X \\ n \text{ varies} \end{array} \right\} \longrightarrow \mathcal{C} \right.$
 at data of

(i) if V_1, \dots, V_n are open discs, all contained in U , an open disc

$$A(V_1) \otimes \dots \otimes A(V_n) \longrightarrow A(U)$$



(ii) If $V \subseteq U$ inclusion of open disc \subseteq open disc, thus map $A(V) \rightarrow A(U)$ equiv in \mathcal{C} .

def: $Ran(X) = \left\{ S \subseteq X \mid \begin{array}{l} \#S < \infty \\ S \neq \emptyset \end{array} \right\}$ nonempty finite subset of X

topologized $Ran X = \varinjlim Ran^{sn}(X)$

closed subsets $Ran^{sn}(X) = \{ S \subseteq X \mid 0 < \#S \leq n \} \leftarrow S^{n \times} X$

$Ran^n(X) = \{ S \subseteq X \mid \#S = n \} = \text{Config}_n(X) \hookrightarrow Ran^{sn}$ open set

thm: $Ran X$ weakly contractible

Say a sheaf \mathcal{F} on $Ran(X)$ is constructible if it is const wrt the stratification, i.e.

(i) $\mathcal{F} = \varprojlim i_n^* \mathcal{F}$, $i_n: Ran^{sn} \hookrightarrow Ran X$

(ii) $j_n^* i_n^* \mathcal{F}$ is a locally const. sheaf on $\text{Config}_n(X)$, $j_n: \text{Config}_n(X) \hookrightarrow Ran^{sn} X$.

prop:

\mathcal{F} const $\Leftrightarrow \forall U_1, \dots, U_n$ disjoint open disc

V_1, \dots, V_n discs st. $V_i \subseteq U_i$

$\mathcal{F}(Ran(\coprod U_i)) \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}(Ran(\coprod V_i))$ is a w.e.

+ condition equiv to (i) "hypercompleteness" \leftarrow due to Lurie

def: a cosheaf on $Ran X$ is a functor $\mathcal{F}: (\text{cat of open sets of } X) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ st. $\forall c \in \mathcal{C}$

$\mathcal{F}_c: U \mapsto \mathcal{C}(\mathcal{F}U, c)$ is a sheaf on $Ran X$

it is constructible if \mathcal{F}_c is.

def [BD]: a "factorizable cosheaf" is a const. cosheaf \mathcal{F} on $Ran X$ st. $\forall U, V \in Ran X$

independent, the map $\mathcal{F}U \otimes \mathcal{F}V \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathcal{F}(U * V)$ is an equiv in \mathcal{C} .

$U * V = \{ S \cup T \mid S \subseteq U, T \subseteq V \}$

Put $\text{Supp}(U) = \bigcup_{S \subseteq U} S \subseteq X$. Say U, V independent if $\text{supp } U \cap \text{supp } V = \emptyset$

If U, V independent, $U \times V \longrightarrow U * V \in Ran X$ is a homeo.

$(S, T) \longmapsto S \cup T$

prop $Ex-Alg(\mathcal{C}) \longrightarrow \text{Factorizable Cosheaves on } Ran X$ is an equiv of (co-)cats

X alg variety, $Ran X$ ind-alg variety as well as top space

X alg curve



G alg. gp. ^{semisimple} ~~reductive~~

Weil uniformization: if \mathcal{G} is a princ G -bundle on X (étale locally)

X curve, $x \in X$, $\mathcal{G}|_{X-\{x\}} \cong G \times (X-\{x\})$

\hat{S} formal disc around x . $\mathcal{G}|_{\hat{S}} \cong G \times \hat{S}$ $\hat{S} = \text{Spf } \mathbb{C}[[x]]$

so data of \mathcal{G} is really $\varphi: \hat{S} - \{x\} \rightarrow G$ $\varphi \in G((x))$
"Spec $\mathbb{C}((x))$ " "maps (S', G) "

$\text{Bun}_G = G_{\text{out}} \backslash G((x)) / G[[x]]$ $G[[x]] = \text{maps}(\hat{S}, G)$

You can make sense of this in alg. geom. $G_{\text{out}} = \text{maps}(X-x, G)$

Set $\text{Gr}_x = G((x)) / G[[x]]$ this is an honest ind alg variety, a direct

"loop Grassmannian" limit of fid. proper varieties

$G((x)) \sim \text{maps}(S', G)$

$G[[x]] \sim \text{maps}(\text{Disk}, G) \sim G$

So $\text{Gr}_x \sim \Omega G = \text{maps}(S', *), (G, 1)$

So Weil uniformization gives $G_{\text{out}} \backslash \Omega G \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Bun}_G$

ΩG is $\Omega^2 BG$, i.e. Gr is a double loop space,

so E_2 -Algebra, so gives factorizable cosheaf on \mathbb{R}^2

BD-Grassmannian is:

$S \subseteq X \rightarrow \text{Gr}(S) = \prod_{x \in S} \text{Gr}_x$ gives a factorizable ind-Alg variety Gr

$\text{Gr} \Big|_{\text{Ran}^{\text{fin}} X} \leftarrow \text{ind alg. variety}$
reasonable map of alg variety
 \downarrow
 $\text{Ran}_X^{\text{fin}} = \text{alg variety}$

Thm: this map is flat! // ∞ -dim'd needed, otherwise fid. fibers have dim go down!

// Any kind of objects on Gr give us factorizable cosheaf in those objects

// This is what Vertex alg is; BD \rightarrow Chiral algebras.

// \mathcal{Q} -sheaves on Gr are "Hecke operators" for Langlands.

The homotopy theory of curves for ∞ -dim'd \leftarrow input is what we've been doing.