

Lecture 9

This time we look at props
of derived functors
before turning to the examples
of Tor and Ext, which
are obtained by

- left deriving tensor prod. functors
- right deriving hom functors.

Split short exact sequences

- Recall that given $A, B \in \mathcal{C}$ an abelian cat, we can form the biproduct diagram

$$A \begin{array}{c} \xleftarrow{p} \\ \xrightarrow{i} \end{array} A \oplus B \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{q} \\ \xleftarrow{j} \end{array} B$$

lemma

$0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{i} A \oplus B \xrightarrow{q} B \rightarrow 0$ is short exact.

Proof Recall $i = \langle 1_A, 0 \rangle : A \rightarrow A \oplus B$ (induced map to product)
 $q = \langle 0, 1_B \rangle : A \oplus B \rightarrow B$ (product projⁿ)

As $pi = 1$, i is mono. As $qj = 1$, q is epi.

So exact at A, B .

Given $C \xrightarrow{\langle f, g \rangle} A \oplus B$ st $0 = q \langle f, g \rangle = g$,

so $C \xrightarrow{\langle f, g \rangle} A \oplus B$

$\downarrow \searrow \nearrow \langle 1_A, 0 \rangle \Rightarrow \ker q = A$

Also $\text{im}(i) = A$ as A mono \rightarrow exact @ $A \oplus B$.

(Such a sequence is called split exact.)

Lemma (Horseshoe Lemma)

\mathcal{C} an abelian cat with enough projectives.

Given a ses $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0$,

& projective resolutions $A \xrightarrow{d_A} A[0]$, $C \xrightarrow{d_C} C[0]$,
we can find a comm. diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{i} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C \\
 d_A \downarrow & \cong & \downarrow d & \cong & \downarrow d_C \\
 A[0] & \xrightarrow{f(0)} & B[0] & \xrightarrow{g(0)} & C[0]
 \end{array}$$

whose central column is a proj. resolution of B ,

whose top row is levelwise split exact.

~~Proof~~

Need

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{g} & C_1 \\
 d_{A1} \downarrow & & d_{11} \downarrow ? & & \downarrow d_{C1} \\
 A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{g} & C_0 \\
 d_{A0} \downarrow & & d_{00} \downarrow ? & & \downarrow d_{C0} \\
 A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
& A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_1 & \\
d_{A1} \downarrow & & & & & \downarrow d_c & \\
& A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_0 & \text{as } C_0 \text{ projective} \\
d_A \downarrow & & \checkmark & & \exists h \parallel & \downarrow d_c & \\
0 \longrightarrow A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C & \longrightarrow 0
\end{array}$$

& then take

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & \\
& \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
& A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_1 & \\
d_{A1} \downarrow & & & & & \downarrow d_c & \\
& A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_0 & \text{as } C_0 \text{ proj} \\
d_A \downarrow & & d_0 = (fd, h) \downarrow & & \swarrow h & \downarrow d_c & \\
0 \longrightarrow A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C & \longrightarrow 0
\end{array}$$

• By snake lemma, get

$$\ker d_A \rightarrow \ker d_0 \rightarrow \ker d_C \text{ exact}$$

but of form

$$0 \longrightarrow \ker d_0 \longrightarrow 0 \text{ as } d_A, d_C \text{ epi} \rightarrow \ker d_0 = 0 \text{ so } d_0 \text{ epi.}$$

We need

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 & A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_1 \\
 d_{A1} \downarrow & & \simeq & \downarrow d_1 & \simeq & \downarrow d_c \\
 & A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_0 \\
 d_{A0} \downarrow & & (fd, h) \downarrow & & & \downarrow d_c \\
 0 \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C \longrightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

& the two commutative squares force it to be of the form

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 & A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_1 \\
 d_{A1} \downarrow & & \begin{pmatrix} d_{A1} & x \\ 0 & d_c \end{pmatrix} \downarrow = d_1 & & & \downarrow d_c \\
 & A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_0 \text{ as } C_0 \text{ proj} \\
 d_{A0} \downarrow & & (fd, h) \downarrow = d_0 & & \downarrow d_c & \\
 0 \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C \longrightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

where $x: C_1 \rightarrow A_0$.

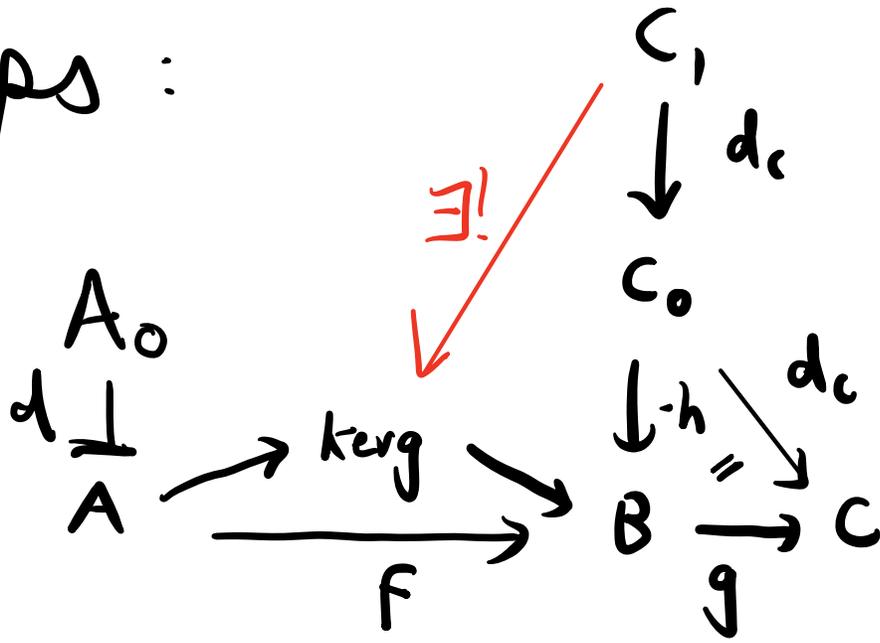
Then $d_0 d_1 = 0$ says

$$(fd, h) \begin{pmatrix} d_{A1} & x \\ 0 & d_c \end{pmatrix} = (0, fdx + hd_c) = (0, 0)$$

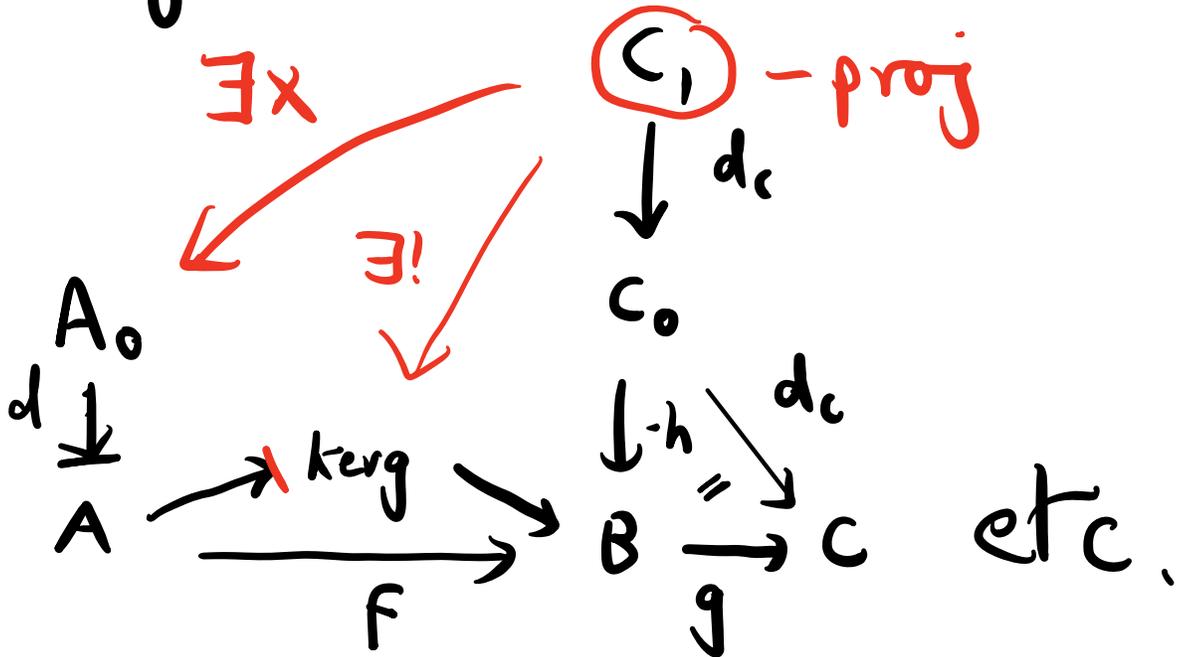
$$\text{or } fdx = -hd_c$$

but we can find such an x in

2 steps :



& then by exactness at B :



Now one continues inductively to get the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
& d_n \downarrow & & \downarrow d_2 & & \downarrow d_1 & \\
0 \rightarrow & A_1 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_1 \oplus C_1 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_1 & \rightarrow 0 \\
& d_n \downarrow & & \downarrow d_1 & & \downarrow d_1 & \\
0 \rightarrow & A_0 & \xrightarrow{i} & A_0 \oplus C_0 & \xrightarrow{q} & C_0 & \rightarrow 0 \\
& d_n \downarrow & & \downarrow d_0 & & \downarrow d_1 & \\
0 \rightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C & \rightarrow 0
\end{array}$$

• This is ses of chain complexes as all rows are ses.

• Hence as left & right ch. comps are exact, so is central one (ex last wk) so it is projective resolution.

□

Theorem

① Let $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ be an additive functor between abelian cats & suppose \mathcal{C} has enough projs so that $L_n F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ exists $\forall n$.

Then if $0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0$ is an ses in \mathcal{C} , we obtain a les

$$\dots L_1 A \rightarrow L_1 B \rightarrow L_1 C \xrightarrow{\delta} L_0 A \xrightarrow{L_0 f} L_0 B \xrightarrow{L_0 g} L_0 C$$

② If F is rex, then $L_0 F(A) \cong FA$ (naturally in A)

③ If F is rex,
then $L_n F(A) = 0$ all $A, n \iff$
 $L_1 F(A) = 0$ all $A \iff$
 F is exact.

Remark

③ shows that the higher left derived functors measure the failure of F to be exact.

~~Proof~~ (1) We have

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \longrightarrow & A & \xrightarrow{f} & B & \xrightarrow{g} & C \longrightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ & & A[0] & \xrightarrow{f[0]} & B[0] & \xrightarrow{g[0]} & C[0] \end{array}$$

levelwise split exact.

Then applying F levelwise, obtain

$$0 \longrightarrow FA \xrightarrow{Ff} FB \xrightarrow{Fg} FC \longrightarrow 0$$

which is still levelwise split exact & so by the les of homology obtain a les

$$\dots \rightarrow LFC \xrightarrow{\delta} LFA \rightarrow LFB \rightarrow LFC \rightarrow 0$$

(2) At $A \xrightarrow{d} A[0]$, we get

$$LFA = H_0FA \xrightarrow{H_0Fd} H_0FA[0] = A,$$

which give the components of a natural transformation $L_0F \rightarrow F$.

As F is Mex,

$$FA_1 \xrightarrow{F d_0} FA_0 \xrightarrow{F d} FA \longrightarrow 0 \text{ is exact}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } H_0FA_0 &= FA_0 / \text{im } F d_0 && \text{by exactness} \\ &\cong FA_0 / \text{ker } F d \\ &\cong FA \quad \text{as } F d \text{ epi.} \end{aligned}$$

③ If F is exact, then

$$\dots \rightarrow FA \xrightarrow{F_d} FA_0 \xrightarrow{F_d} FA \rightarrow 0$$

is exact so $L_n F(A) = H_n(FA_\bullet) = 0$ all $n > 0$

$$\Rightarrow L_1 F(A) = 0.$$

Now if $L_1 F(A) = 0$ all A ,

$$\Delta 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C \rightarrow 0 \text{ a ses,}$$

then by ①, ②, get les

$$\dots L_1 FC \rightarrow L_0 FA \cong FA \xrightarrow{F_f} FB \xrightarrow{F_g} FC \rightarrow 0$$

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$$\text{so that } 0 \rightarrow FA \xrightarrow{F_f} FB \xrightarrow{F_g} FC \rightarrow 0$$

a ses.

Therefore F is exact.



Tensor product of bimodules

Defⁿ An (R, S) -bimodule M is an abelian group M with

- a left R -module structure
- a right S -module structure

such that $(rm)s = r(ms)$
all $r \in R, m \in M, s \in S$.

Notation: can write $R \xrightarrow{M} S$.

Example

- Abelian groups $\equiv \mathbb{Z}$ -modules, left or right.
 $\mathbb{Z} \cdot a = a + a = a \cdot \mathbb{Z}$, etc.

Then (R, \mathbb{Z}) -bimods \equiv left R -mods

(\mathbb{Z}, R) -bimods \equiv right R -mods

- If R is commutative, each R -module (left or right) has canonical (R, R) -bimodule structure.
- (R, S) -bimodules form a cat $R \text{ Mod } S$.

• The notation suggests that given

$$R \xrightarrow{M} S \xrightarrow{N} T, \text{ we can compose}$$

them to get $R \xrightarrow{M \otimes_S N} T$ &

we can.

S
Tensor product of
bimodules.

• $M \otimes_S N$ classifies (R, S, T) -linear maps:
given a (R, T) -bimodule A , a function

$f: M \times N \rightarrow A$ is (R, S, T) -linear if

- $f(-, n): M \rightarrow A$ a hom. of left R -mods.
- $f(m, -): N \rightarrow A$ - - - - - right T -mods
- $f(m, sn) = f(ms, n)$ all m, s, n .

• l.e. $\exists M \times N \xrightarrow{\theta} M \otimes_S N$ (R, S, T) -linear

st given $M \times N \xrightarrow{f} A$ (R, S, T) -linear

$\exists!$ $M \otimes_S N \xrightarrow{\bar{f}} A \in R \text{Mod}_T$ such

that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M \times N & \xrightarrow{\theta} & M \otimes_S N \\ \downarrow \searrow & \text{"} & \downarrow \searrow \\ & A & \bar{f} \end{array}$$

- As for tensor product of modules over commutative ring in Alg 3, it can be constructed as quotient of free abelian grp $F(M \times N)$ subject to necessary equations (Ex)

Aside

- One might wonder whether

$$R \xrightarrow{M} S \xrightarrow{N} T \text{ gives a category structure}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{M \otimes_S N}$

but it is only associative up to iso - it is a so-called bicategory, Mod .

Like in any bicat, each hom category $\text{Mod}(R, R) := (R, R)\text{-Bimod}$ is a monoidal category.

Tor functors

- In particular, we obtain a tensor product of right & left R -modules:

$$\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{A} R \xrightarrow{B} \mathbb{Z}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{A \otimes_R B}$

which is a (\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}) -bimodule, is an abelian group.

For $A \in \text{Mod}_R$ (a right R -mod) obtain

$$\text{left } R\text{-mods } R\text{-Mod} \xrightarrow{A \otimes_R -} \text{Ab}$$

& if $B \in R\text{-Mod}$, obtain

$$\text{Mod-}R \xrightarrow{- \otimes_R B} \text{Ab}$$

- Both functors are rex.

Defⁿ) Tor_n^A(A, B) := $L_n(- \otimes_R B)(A)$.

Explicitly, this is given by n 'th homology of

$$\dots \rightarrow A_2 \otimes_R B \rightarrow A_1 \otimes_R B \rightarrow A_0 \otimes_R B$$

where A_0 is proj. resolution of $A \in R\text{-Mod}$,
so $H_n(A_0 \otimes_R B)$.

no proof given

Equivalently, it can be calculated as $L_n(A \otimes_R -)(B)$, so take instead proj. resolution of B , tensor by A :

$$\dots \rightarrow A \otimes_R B_2 \rightarrow A \otimes_R B_1 \rightarrow A \otimes_R B_0$$

& calculate homology:

$$\text{so } \underline{H_n(A \otimes_R B)} \cong \underline{H_n(A \otimes_R B_0)}.$$

Ext functors (again, no proofs)

• Given $A \in R\text{-Mod}$, consider the Hom Functor

$$\text{Hom}(A, -) = R\text{-Mod}(A, -) : R\text{-Mod} \longrightarrow \text{Ab}$$

$$B \longmapsto R\text{-Mod}(A, B)$$

• It is lex & $R\text{-Mod}$ has enough inj's, so can form right derived functor

$$\underline{\text{Ext}}_n(A, -) := R^n \text{Hom}(A, -) : R\text{-Mod} \longrightarrow \text{Ab}.$$

Thus $\text{Ext}_n(A, B) = H^n \text{Hom}(A, B^\bullet)$ where B^\bullet is an injective resolution

$$B^1 \rightarrow B^2 \rightarrow B^3 \rightarrow \dots \quad \text{of } B.$$

• Also have $\text{Hom}(-, B) : R\text{-Mod}^{\text{op}} \longrightarrow \text{Ab}$ which is lex, so can calculate its right derived functor, $R^n \text{Hom}(-, B)$, & since injectives in $R\text{-Mod}^{\text{op}} \cong$ projectives in $R\text{-Mod}$, this is calculated as $H^n(\text{Hom}(A_\bullet, B))$ where A_\bullet is a projective resolution of A .

In fact, both coincide:

$$\underline{\text{Ext}}_n(A, B) = H^n(\text{Hom}(A_\bullet, B)) = H^n(\text{Hom}(A, B^\bullet)).$$

- Ext_n can be understood using extensions:
an extension of A by B is a seq

$$0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow X \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0.$$

- Two extensions of A by B are equiv (\cong) if \exists iso of seq of form

$$0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow X \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\ & & \perp & & \perp & & \end{array}$$

$$0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow Y \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$$

- Then $\text{Ext}^1(A, B) \cong \{ \text{extensions of } A \text{ by } B \} / \cong$

- In particular, the rhs is an abelian group too - its unit is $0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow B \oplus A \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$,
the split exact sequence.

- Will explore addition (Baer sum) in ex. class.

- Recall A proj. $\Leftrightarrow \text{hom}(A, -)$ exact
 $\Leftrightarrow \text{Ext}_1(A, B) = 0$ all B -

this says that each seq with A proj is split (prove directly).

- For higher n , elements of $\text{Ext}_n(A, B)$ are es $0 \rightarrow B \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow A \rightarrow 0$ of length n .

- Special examples of Ext are group cohomology & cohomology of Lie groups - we'll look at these (at least the first) next time, maybe also Hochschild cohomology.