

# Mayer-Vietoris Sequence.

$$A, B \subset X, \quad A \cup B = X.$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_n(A+B) := C_n(A) + C_n(B) & \subseteq & C_n(X) \\ \downarrow \partial & & \downarrow \partial \\ C_{n-1}(A) + C_{n-1}(B) & \subseteq & C_{n-1}(X) \end{array}$$

$C_n(A+B) \hookrightarrow C_n(X)$  quasi-isomorphism (induces iso in homology).

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 \rightarrow C_n(A \cap B) & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & C_n(A) \oplus C_n(B) & \xrightarrow{\psi} & C_n(A+B) & \rightarrow & 0 \\ x & \mapsto & (x, -x) & & (x, y) \mapsto x+y & \text{exact} & \\ & & & & & \uparrow & \\ & & & & & \text{must be checked} & \end{array}$$

Connecting homomorphism  $H_n(X) \xrightarrow{\delta} H_{n-1}(A \cap B)$

$x$  repr. by cycle  $z$ ,  $\alpha = [z]$ .

can assume (by barycentric subdiv.)  $z = x + y$ .

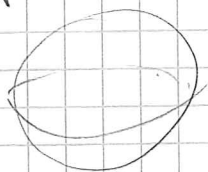
$$\partial(x+y) = 0 \Rightarrow \partial x = -\partial y$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta(\alpha) = [\partial x].$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \rightarrow H_n(A \cap B) & \xrightarrow{(1, -1)} & H_n(A) \oplus H_n(B) & \xrightarrow{+} & H_n(X) \\ & & & & \downarrow \delta \\ & & & & H_{n-1}(A \cap B) \end{array}$$

Reduced: OK.

Example.



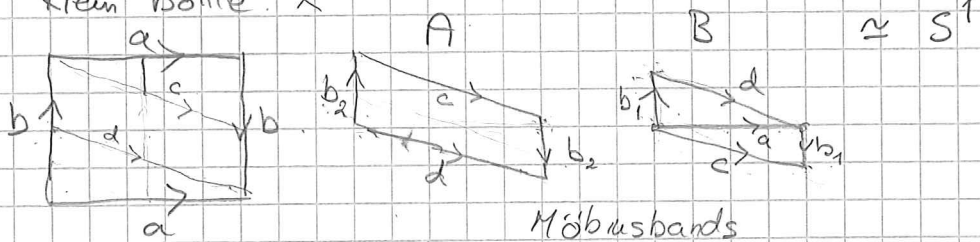
$$A \cong B \cong D^n$$

$$A \cap B \cong S^{n-1} \times I$$

$$\rightarrow \tilde{H}_k(S^{n-1}) \rightarrow \tilde{H}_k(D^n) \oplus \tilde{H}_k(D^n) \rightarrow \tilde{H}_k(S^n) \rightarrow \tilde{H}_{k-1}(S^{n-1}) \rightarrow \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{H}_k(S^n) \cong \tilde{H}_{k-1}(S^{n-1}).$$

Ex. Klein bottle X



Möbiusbands

$$A \cap B = \begin{array}{|c|} \hline c \\ \hline d \\ \hline \end{array} \simeq \begin{array}{|c|} \hline Y \\ \hline Y \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \dim A \cap B = 1$$

$$-b^{-1} = cd$$

$$0 \rightarrow H_2(A) \oplus H_2(B) \rightarrow H_2(X) \rightarrow H_1(A \cap B) \rightarrow H_1(A) \oplus H_1(B) \rightarrow H_1(X) \rightarrow 0$$

$\begin{array}{c} \parallel \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \parallel \\ 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{SS} \\ \mathbb{Z}(b^{-1}) \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{SS} \\ \mathbb{Z}(b_2c) \oplus \mathbb{Z}(a) \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{SS} \\ \mathbb{Z} \end{array}$

$$1 \mapsto (2, -2)$$

$$b_2c = d b_2^{-1} \Rightarrow b^{-1} = cd \mapsto (cd, cd^{-1})$$

$$= (b_2^{-1}(b_2c) d b_2^{-1}, a^{-1} b_1 b a^{-1})$$

$$= ((b_2c)^2, a^{-2})$$

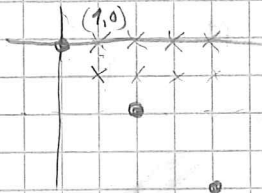
$$b_2 \simeq e \cup A$$

$$b_1 \simeq e \cup B$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \mapsto (2, -2)$$

$$\Rightarrow H_2(X) = 0, \quad H_1(X) \simeq \mathbb{Z}^2 / \langle (2, -2) \rangle \simeq \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$\begin{array}{cc} (1,0) & (1,-1) \\ \text{---} & \text{---} \end{array}$

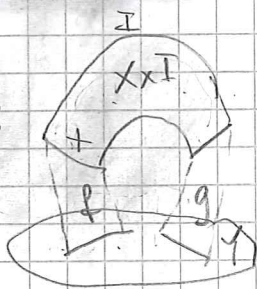


because  $2(1, -1) = 0$

Ex.  $f, g: X \rightarrow Y \hookrightarrow Z$

$$(X \times I) \sqcup Y = Z:$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (x, 0) \sim f(x) \\ (x, 1) \sim g(x) \end{array}$$



$$q: (X \times I, X \times \partial I) \rightarrow (Z, Y)$$

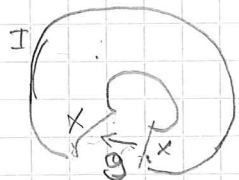
$\downarrow$  restriction  $\quad \nearrow$  quotient  
 $((X \times I) \sqcup Y, Y)$

$$0 \rightarrow H_{n+1}(X \times I, X \times \partial I) \xrightarrow{\delta} H_n(X \times \partial I) \xrightarrow{L_*} H_n(X \times I) \rightarrow 0$$

$\text{ker } L_* = (a_1 - a_2) H_n(X) \oplus H_n(X)$   
 $\text{isomorphic to } H_n(X)$  (surjective)

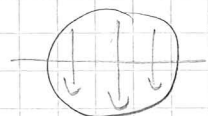
$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \downarrow q_* & & \downarrow q_* & & \downarrow q_* \\ H_{n+1}(Z, Y) & \xrightarrow{\delta} & H_n(Y) & \xrightarrow{L_*} & H_n(Z) \rightarrow 0 \\ \text{SS } H_n(X) & & \cup & & \\ f_*(a) - g_*(a) & \mapsto & 0 & & \end{array}$$

Suppose  $Y = X$ ,  $g = 1$ .



$$(X, 0) \sim (g(X), 1)$$

Ex.  $X = S^1$  and  $g: S^1 \rightarrow S^1$  reflection



$Z$  Klein bottle

$$X = S^1 = Y$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \rightarrow & H_2(Z) & \rightarrow & H_1(X) & \rightarrow & H_1(Y) & \rightarrow & H_1(Z) & \rightarrow & H_0(X) & \rightarrow & H_0(Y) \\
 & & \parallel & & \cong & \xrightarrow{2} & \cong & & \cong & \xrightarrow{0} & \cong & & \cong \\
 & & 0 & & \mathbb{Z} & & \mathbb{Z} & & \mathbb{Z} & & 0 & & \mathbb{Z} \\
 & & & & \alpha \mapsto \alpha - g_*(\alpha) = 2\alpha & & & & \alpha \mapsto \alpha - g_*(\alpha) = 0 & & & & \\
 & & & & \text{injective } g \text{ reflection} & & & & & & & & 
 \end{array}$$

$$\leadsto 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow H_1(Z) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow H_1(Z) \cong \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}/(2)$$