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Gersten's ^{conjecture} ~~problem~~: If A is a d.v.r. with residue field k , then the transfer ~~is zero~~ map $K_*(k) \rightarrow K_*(A)$ is zero.

Remark first that any $A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} k$ module M which is finite over A induces an exact functor

$$\text{Mod}_f(k) \longrightarrow \text{Mod}_f(A)$$

$$V \longmapsto M \otimes_k V$$

and that the transfer is the one given by $M = k$. Secondly because $K_*(k)$ is the limit of the K -groups of ~~prolonging objects in the category of the k -algebras~~ ~~such that it converges to zero~~ of the subfields k' of k which are fin. gen., it suffices to show that

$$\text{Mod}_f(k') \longrightarrow \text{Mod}_f(A)$$

$$V \longmapsto \cancel{k} \otimes_k V$$

induces zero on K -groups.

The equi-characteristic case: This is where A is a P -algebra, $P =$ prime field of k . Let k' be a subfield of k finite type over P . Because P is perfect, one knows that k'/P has a separating transcendence basis, i.e. a ~~transcendence~~ transcendence

basis S such that $\mathbb{A}^{k'/P(S)}$ is finite and separable.
 (Zariski - Samuel p. 104-105). ~~Then~~ Lift S
 back to A . Then

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R[S] & \longrightarrow & A \\ \wedge & & \downarrow \\ P(S) & \subset & k \end{array}$$

implies that $P(S)$ lifts back to A . ~~Then~~
 Thus we can ~~assume~~ assume A is a k_0 -algebra and
 $k_0 \subset k'$ is finite and separable.

Because the homo

$$K_i(k') \longrightarrow K_i(A)$$

$$\text{induced by } V \longmapsto k \otimes_{k'} V$$

depends only on the class of k in the Grothendieck group of $A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} k'$ modules which are finite over A , it will clearly suffice to show that ~~the~~ the class of k in the Grothendieck group of $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ modules f.t. over A is zero. To show : that

$$0 = [k] \in K'_0(A \otimes_{k_0} k').$$

But $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ is etale and finite over A , hence $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ is regular of dim. 1, hence a product of Dedekind domains. But it ~~also~~ has only finitely many max. ideals, hence $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ is a product of PID's,

hence

$$K'_0(A \otimes_{k_0} k') \xrightarrow{\sim} K'_0(F \otimes_{k_0} k')$$

$F \otimes_k k'$ being the ^{total} quotient ring of $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$. Conclude
that any torsion f.t. $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ -module has █ class
zero in $K'_0(A \otimes_{k_0} k')$. done.

~~That $k'/P(S)$ is finite + separable. (Zariski - Samuel p. 105+105). Put $k_0 = P(S)$ so that k_0 lifts to A . Then we have seen already that k as an $A \otimes_{k_0} k'$ module has trivial image in $k_0(A \otimes_{k_0} k')$, whence the transfer is zero.~~

General case k is of char. p .

$$P = \mathbb{F}_p$$

$P \quad k'$ again separable

$$R = \mathbb{Z}_{(p)} \hookrightarrow P$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R_0 & \longrightarrow & A \\ \downarrow & & \\ k_0 & & \end{array}$$

spectral sequence obtaining by filtering coh. sheaves by supports

$$\mathcal{H}^0 \mathcal{O}(X)$$

$$a_j$$

$$a_i$$

codim ≥ 1

$$a_2$$

codim ≥ 2

$$K a_i \rightarrow K a \rightarrow \dots$$

$$K_i(a/a_1) \xrightarrow{\cong} K_{i-1}(a_1/a_2) \xrightarrow{\cong} K_{i-2}(a_2/a_3) \rightarrow \dots$$

$$A \xrightarrow{\quad} A/tA$$

\uparrow finite
 k

$$A \otimes_k A/tA$$

want to show $[A/tA] \in K'_0(A \otimes_k A/tA)$ is zero
so I should consider

$$A \otimes_k A/tA \rightleftarrows A/tA$$

\uparrow
 A
 \uparrow
 k

~~Res~~

$$\longrightarrow A/tA \otimes_k A/tA \longrightarrow A/tA \rightsquigarrow \rightarrow 0$$

$$\underbrace{I \longrightarrow A \otimes_k A \longrightarrow A}$$

~~Res~~ $\rightarrow A \xrightarrow{t} A \longrightarrow A/tA$

~~flat + non-zero divisor.~~ \uparrow finite \uparrow flat \uparrow typical residue situation

Then one expects that there
One knows in this situation that

$\text{res} \begin{bmatrix} \omega \\ t \end{bmatrix}$ defined.

$$\Omega^1_{A/k} \rightarrow k.$$

$$\text{try } 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{t} A \rightarrow A/tA \rightarrow 0$$

$\uparrow k$ finite & flat

Then A/tA is an $A \otimes_k (A/tA)$ -module
 I want to compute its image in the Grothendieck group.

$$A/tA \otimes_A \Omega_{A/k}^1 \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{Hom}_k(A/tA, k)$$

$\omega \mapsto (a \mapsto \text{res}_{tA}[\omega])$

\checkmark

~~This suppose that A/tA is a local ring~~

$$t = x^n$$

$$k \rightarrow A \rightarrow A/tA$$

$$\rightarrow tA/t^2A \rightarrow \Omega_{A/k}^1 \otimes_A A/tA \rightarrow \Omega_{A/tA, k}^1 \rightarrow 0 !$$

$$A/tA \rightarrow I \otimes_A A/tA \rightarrow A \otimes_k A/tA \rightarrow A/tA \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow I \longrightarrow A \otimes_k A \longrightarrow A \rightarrow 0$$

under good circumstance

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Let M be an exact cat, and P a full exact subcat. (P is closed under extensions in M) such that

- $\forall M, \exists \quad 0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$
- $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow M' \in P$

(Note: granted a), b) is equivalent to

- $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow M \in P$

In effect, assuming a) & b), form

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & \circ & & & & \\
 & \uparrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & M' & \longrightarrow & P & \longrightarrow & M & \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & & \\
 & " & & \text{cart} & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & M' & \longrightarrow & Z & \longrightarrow & P'_1 & \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & \uparrow & & & \uparrow & & & \\
 & P_0 = & p_0 & & & & & \\
 & \uparrow & & & & & &
 \end{array}$$

then $Z \in P$ as it is an extension of P by P_0 ; so $M' \in P$ by c). Clearly b) \Rightarrow c).)

Definition: P a full exact subcat of M will be called ~~left~~ ~~right~~ ~~resolving~~ (left) resolving if

- $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0$ exact in $M \Rightarrow M \in P$.
- $\forall M, \exists \quad 0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$.

To show P resolving $\Rightarrow Q(P) \rightarrow Q(M)$ is a leg.

Let $M_n \subset M$ be the full subcat consisting of M admitting P -resolutions of length $\leq n$. Standard Lemma:

Assume P^M satisfies

- i) closed under extensions in M
- ii) $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0$ exact $\Rightarrow M \in P$
- iii) $\forall M, \exists \text{ exact } 0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0 \text{ with } P \in P$.

Let $M_n \subset M$ be those M' which have Presotion length n

Lemma: Given $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow M'' \rightarrow 0$ exact in M . Then we have

$$a)_n M'' \in M_n, M \in M_{n-1} \Rightarrow M' \in M_{n-1}$$

$$b)_n M' \in M_{n-1}, M \in M_n \Rightarrow M'' \in M_n \quad (n \geq 1)$$

$$c)_n M', M'' \in M_n \Rightarrow M \in M_n$$

Proof. Induction on n , starting from $n=0$, interpreting $M_{-1} = M_0 = P$. $a)_0, c)_0$ are true, but not $b)_0$. Suppose now $n \geq 1$: ~~$M' \in M_{n-1}$~~

$a)_n$: since $M'' \in M_n$ can find \exists

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & M' & \rightarrow & M & \rightarrow & M'' \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ & & M' & \rightarrow & T & \rightarrow & P \in M_n \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ & & & & K & = & K \in M_{n-1} \end{array}$$

Apply $c)_{n-1}$ to $K \rightarrow T \rightarrow M$ to conclude $T \in M_{n-1}$

Apply $a)_{n-1}$ to $M' \rightarrow T \rightarrow P$ to conclude $M' \in M_{n-1}$ as desired.

$b)_n$: since $M \in M_n$ ~~\exists~~ \exists $K \rightarrow P \rightarrow M$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ M_{n-1} & M_n \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & e^{M_{n-1}} & & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & M' & \longrightarrow & M & \longrightarrow & M'' \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow e^{M_0} & & \parallel \\
 & & L & \longrightarrow & P & \longrightarrow & M'' \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 K = & & K & \xrightarrow{e^{M_{n-1}}} & & &
 \end{array}$$

Apply $c)_{n-1}$ to $K \rightarrow L \rightarrow M'$ to conclude $L \in M_{n-1}$, whence $M'' \in M_n$.

~~c)_n~~: We know $\exists P \rightarrow M$ for any $M \in \mathcal{M}$ by ~~(iii)~~
~~hyp.~~ Thus get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & e^{M_n} & & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & M' & \longrightarrow & M & \longrightarrow & M'' \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \uparrow e^{M_n} & \uparrow e^{M_n} & & & \\
 & & M' & \longrightarrow & T & \longrightarrow & P \xrightarrow{e^{M_0}} \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 K = & & K & & & &
 \end{array}$$

$T \cong M' \oplus P$ so $T \in M_{n-1}$.

Apply $a)_{n-1}$ to $K \rightarrow P \rightarrow M''$, get $K \in M_{n-1}$.

Apply $b)_{n-1}$ to $K \rightarrow T \rightarrow M$, get $M \in M_n$ as desired.

QED.

~~(Note that if we take P small (i.e.) \emptyset)~~

Then one has from the resolution thm. heig's

$$Q(M_{n-1}) \subset Q(M_n) \subset \dots$$

A

Problem: suppose we have two cats! $P, Q \subset M$.
Can they be compared?

Suppose to simplify we assume we are in the situation at the beginning:
 a) $\forall M \exists 0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$
 c) $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow M \in P$.

and similarly for Q . I was not able to show $P \cap Q \neq \emptyset$.

Why this is interesting: suppose I have $F: M \rightarrow A$ additive which is exact on P and on Q . Then I would like to have commutativity in

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} QP & \xrightarrow{F|_P} & & & \\ \sim \searrow & & \sim \nearrow & & \\ & QM & \xrightarrow{\quad} & QA & \\ \sim \searrow & & \sim \nearrow & & \\ QZ & \xrightarrow{F|_Q} & & & \end{array}$$

Observe that F has a "relative" derived functor L_F vanishing on P objects. Thus given M choose $0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$ and put

$$L_F(M) = \text{Coker } \{F(P') \rightarrow F(P)\}, \quad L_F(M) = \text{Ker } \{ \cdot \}$$

Note that if we take another choice

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & P' & \rightarrow & P & \rightarrow & M \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \parallel \\ 0 & \rightarrow & P'_1 & \rightarrow & P_1 & \rightarrow & M \rightarrow 0 \\ & & | & & | & & \\ & & K & = & K & & \end{array}$$

we get that $K \in P$, and

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & F(K) & \rightarrow & F(P'_1) & \rightarrow & F(P'_*) \\ & & \parallel & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ 0 & \rightarrow & F(K) & \rightarrow & F(P_1) & \rightarrow & F(P) \end{array} \rightarrow 0$$

so ~~we~~ get the same Ker + Coker. I will assume without checking that $L_i F$ gives ^{usual} long exact sequences.

Now because F is exact on \mathcal{Q} , we ~~will~~ obtain from

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & P'_* & \rightarrow & P_* & \rightarrow & Q_* \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ 0 & \rightarrow & Q_1 & \rightarrow & Q_0 & \rightarrow & Q_* \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ & & Q_2 & = & Q_2 & & \circ \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ & & \circ & & \circ & & \end{array} \rightarrow 0$$

that first of all

$$\begin{array}{c} F(P) \\ \nearrow \\ F(Q_0) \rightarrow F(Q) \end{array}$$

so $P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow F(P) \rightarrow F(Q)$. Dually $Q \rightarrow P \Rightarrow F(Q) \rightarrow F(P)$. Thus get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} F(P') & \rightarrow & F(P)_* & \rightarrow & F(Q) & \rightarrow & 0 \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\ 0 & \rightarrow & F(Q_1) & \rightarrow & F(Q_0) & \rightarrow & F(Q) \end{array} \rightarrow 0$$

which implies $L_0 F(Q) = F(Q)$. ~~Thus~~ Thus
 $L_1 F$ should be an exact functor from \mathcal{Q} to \mathcal{A}
and what clearly ought to be the case is that



$$(F|P)_* = (F|\mathcal{Q})_* \xrightarrow{\sim} (L_1 F|\mathcal{Q})_*$$

Unfortunately, I have no examples yet, of two such P, Q which have an empty intersection. To produce an example, one must avoid situations where there are projectives, e.g. Once

$$0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow Q \rightarrow 0$$

splits then $Q \in P$, as it fits into

$$0 \rightarrow Q \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0.$$

Problem: Given $P \subset M$ such that

- i) $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow P \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0$ exact in $M \Rightarrow M \in P$
- ii) $\forall M \exists P \rightarrow M$.

so that the preceding lemma applies, can one find a \mathcal{D} -functor T_i to an abelian category A such that

$$m_n = \{M \mid T_i M = 0 \text{ for } i > n\}?$$

This arises because, I propose to prove

Corollary to res.thm: Given a \mathcal{D} -functor $T_i \quad i \geq 1$ from M to an abelian category A which is effaceable (if P = full subcat of $M \ni T_i(M) = 0$, then $\forall M \exists P \rightarrow M$) and such that $\forall M \quad T_i(M) = 0 \quad i > \text{some } n$, then $K_i P \cong K_i M$.

Observe first of all that if $T = \{T_i\}$ is given then

$$P = \{M \mid T_i M = 0 \quad \forall i\}$$

satisfies i); it satisfies ii) when T is effaceable.
In any case, it follows that

$$\{M \mid T_i M = 0 \quad i > n\} = \{M \mid M \text{ has a } P \text{ resolution of length } \leq n\}.$$

In effect, choose $0 \rightarrow M_n \rightarrow P_{n-1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$
whence

$$T_i(M_n) = T_{i+n}(M) \quad \forall i \geq 1.$$

so it's clear.

Summary: An effaceable \mathcal{D} -functor $T = \{T_i\}_{i \geq 1}$ from M to A determines a $P = M_0$ and we have

$$K_i P = K_i M_1 = \dots = K_i M_\infty.$$

What I am interested in is the converse - whether any P occurs in this way. ~~This should reduce by induction~~ Consider the case where $\forall M \exists 0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow M \rightarrow 0$ and try to determine an obstruction for M to be in P . The point is that if $M \in P$, then this sequence can be split by pushout in P :

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & P' & \rightarrow & P & \rightarrow & M \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \parallel \\ 0 & \rightarrow & P & \xleftarrow{\sim} & Z & \rightarrow & M \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

and conversely. Thus consider the ~~functorialized~~ bifunctor

~~$(M, P) \mapsto \text{Ext}^1(M, P)$~~

the Ext^1 being computed in M . Now keeping M fixed we can take the 0-th derived functor with resp. to P . This gives a functor $J(M, P) \rightarrow$

$$0 \rightarrow K(P) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(M, P) \rightarrow J(M, P) \rightarrow C(P) \rightarrow 0$$

where K, C are effaceable. ~~Really R^0 is exact~~ ~~and R^1 is left exact~~ ~~The~~ ~~is~~ ~~exact~~

Recall R^0 is exact from $\text{Hom}(P, \text{Ab})$ to $\text{Ext}^0(P, \text{Ab})$
 This if $0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow M'' \rightarrow 0$ is exact

$$J(M'', ?) \rightarrow J(M, ?) \rightarrow J(M', ?)$$

is exact. To show that the last map is onto
 it suffices to ~~show~~ show the cokernel of

$$\text{Ext}^1(M, P) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(M', P)$$

is effaceable; so given

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & & & \circ & & \\
 & & & & \downarrow & & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & P & \rightarrow & E & \rightarrow & M' \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & P_2 & \rightarrow & E \oplus P_0 & \rightarrow & M \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 0 & \rightarrow & P_1 & \rightarrow & P_0 & \rightarrow & M'' \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 & & & & \circ & &
 \end{array}$$

~~Choose~~ Choose $P_0 \rightarrow M$ and fill in as indicated. This shows that the image of $(0 \rightarrow P \rightarrow E \rightarrow M' \rightarrow 0)$ under $\text{Ext}^1(M', P) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(M', P_2)$

lifts back to $\text{Ext}^1(M, P_2)$, as desired. So conclude that

$$J(M'', ?) \rightarrow J(M, ?) \rightarrow J(M', ?) \rightarrow 0$$

is exact, whence I have a left exact functor

$$M \mapsto J(M), \quad m \mapsto \text{Ext}^0(P, \text{Ab}).$$

And I have seen already that $J(M) = 0 \iff M \in P$.

General cases: Use the functors

$$T_i(M) = R^0\{P \mapsto \text{Ext}_m^i(M, P)\}.$$

The only thing you have to check is that for $i \geq 1$

$$P \mapsto \text{Ext}^i(P', P)$$

is effaceable. But any element of $\text{Ext}_m^i(P', P)$ is represented by

$$0 \rightarrow P \rightarrow M_{i-1} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow M_0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow 0$$

and by the assumption that $\forall M \exists P \rightarrow M$, we can replace this by an equivalent extension such that the $M_{i-1} \in P$. But then the condition that P is stable under kernels of epims. implies we can extend

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & P & \rightarrow & M_{i-1} & \rightarrow & Z_{i-2}^{ep} \\ & & \downarrow & & & & \\ & & M_{i-1} & \xleftarrow{\quad} & & & \end{array}$$

and so efface the given element of $\underline{\text{Ext}}_m^i(P', P)$.

January 10, 1973. transfer.

Let k be a field & consider quasi-proj. n.s. varieties over k . We then have the following operations on K_i :

- f^* f arbitrary
- f_* f proper
- multiplication \otimes by $\xi \in K_0$

I want to understand the universal category generated by these operations.

First suppose we are given a family φ of supports on X , i.e. closed sets closed under subsets & finite union. Then we have a Serre subcategory

$$\text{Mod}_{\varphi}(X) \subset \text{Mod}(X) \quad \text{= coh. } \mathcal{O}_X \text{ modules}$$

consisting of modules with support in φ .
~~Given~~ Given $f: X \rightarrow Y$ such that each Z ~~in~~ in φ is proper over Y , I want to define

$$f_*: K_i(\text{Mod}_{\varphi}(X)) \rightarrow K_i(Y)$$

The point is that I very ample line bundle $\mathcal{O}(1)$ on X and a vector bundle exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(N)^k \rightarrow J \rightarrow 0$$

for each N ; k, J depend on N . Thus given F in $\text{Mod}_{\varphi}(X)$, we have an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow F \rightarrow F(N)^k \rightarrow J \otimes F \rightarrow 0$$

such that $R^+ f_* (F(N)^{le}) = 0$, ~~(apply Serre's thm.)~~
 (apply Serre's thm. to $Z \rightarrow X$ where F is an \mathcal{O}_Z -mod),
 so f_* is effaceable on the category $\text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}}(X)$.

Now given $(X, Y, \xi \in K_0 \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}^{\text{pr}/X}}(X \times Y))$
 we can define a map from $K_i Y$ to $K_i X$ by

$$K_i Y \xrightarrow{pr_2^*} K_i \cancel{(X \times Y)} \xrightarrow{\square \xi \circ} K_i \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}^{\text{pr}/X}}(X \times Y) \xrightarrow{pr_1^*} K_i X$$

This map is induced by the functor

$$E \longmapsto pr_{1*}(C \otimes_Y E) = pr_{1*}(C \otimes_{X \times Y} pr_2^* E)$$

where C represents ξ , and E is restricted to suff. positive vector bundles on Y . (Observe can efface $E \mapsto R^+ pr_{1*}(C \otimes_Y E)$ on the cat $\mathcal{P}(Y)$, since we have that $\cancel{pr_2^* \mathcal{O}(1)}$ is ample for $pr_1: X \times Y \rightarrow X$.) Actually it is necessary that we use the difference of two C 's to represent ξ .

Now for composition.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} X \times Y \times Z & \xrightarrow{pr_{23}} & Y \times Z & \longrightarrow & Z \\ \downarrow pr_{12} & \cancel{\downarrow pr_{13}} & \downarrow & & \\ X \times Z & & & \longrightarrow & \\ X \times Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Y & & \\ \downarrow & & & & \\ X & & & & \end{array}$$

I want to argue as follows: Given $\xi \in K_0 \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}^{\text{pr}/X}}(X \times Y)$
 $\eta \in K_0 \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}^{\text{pr}/Y}}(Y \times Z)$, and $z \in K_i Z$, then

$$\text{pr}_{1*}(\xi \cdot \text{pr}_{2*}^* \text{pr}_{1*}^*(\eta \cdot \text{pr}_1^* z))$$

|| (1)

$$\text{pr}_{1*}(\xi \cdot \text{pr}_{12*} \text{pr}_{23}^* (\eta \cdot \text{pr}_1^* z))$$

|| (2)

$$\text{pr}_{1*} \text{pr}_{12*} (\text{pr}_{12}^* \xi \cdot \text{pr}_{23}^* \eta \cdot \text{pr}_{23}^* \text{pr}_1^* z)$$

||

$$\text{pr}_{1*} \text{pr}_{13*} (\text{pr}_{12}^* \xi \cdot \text{pr}_{23}^* \eta \cdot \text{pr}_{13}^* \text{pr}_2^* z)$$

||

$$\text{pr}_{1*}(\xi \cdot \text{pr}_2^* z)$$

$$\xi = \text{pr}_{13*}(\text{pr}_{12}^* \xi \cdot \text{pr}_{23}^* \eta)$$

For (1) need commutativity

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_{\text{Modf}}_{\text{pr}/X \times Y}(X \times Y \times Z) & \longleftarrow & K_{\text{Modf}}_{\text{pr}/Y}(Y \times Z) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ K_{\text{Modf}}_{\text{pr}/X}(X \times Y) & \longleftarrow & K_{\text{Modf}}(Y) \end{array}$$

which is OKAY because it is a flat base extension.
In general given

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X' & \xrightarrow{g'} & X \\ f' \downarrow & & \downarrow f \\ S' & \xrightarrow{\text{flat}} & S \end{array}$$

we have

$$g^* \circ Rf_* = Rf'_* \circ g'^*$$

(check calculations).

For (2) we need f^* OKAY for products when f is flat, which is ~~OK~~ alright, and the projection formula, and an assoc. result.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \ni x \in K_1 \text{Mod}_{f \times f}(X) \\ f \downarrow & & \\ Y & \ni y \in K_0 \text{Mod}_{f \times f}(Y) & \cancel{\text{Mod}_{f \times f}} \\ & f_* & ? \\ & \hline \end{array}$$

~~Related Problem~~ ~~Let \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} be two families~~
~~of supports~~

Problem: The formula $i^* i_*(\alpha) = e(v_i) \alpha$ for an embedding.

Do first the case of codimension 1: $i: Y \rightarrow X$ where Y is a Cartier divisor, i.e.

$$0 \rightarrow I \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_Y \rightarrow 0$$

and I is a line bundle. Notation: $\mathcal{M} = \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}}(\mathcal{O}_X)$, $P \subset \mathcal{M}$ full subcat. of \mathcal{F} such that $\text{Tor}_1^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_Y, P) = 0$, $N = \text{Mod}_{\mathcal{O}}(\mathcal{O}_Y)$. The problem is ~~to~~ to compute the composite

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} P} & QN \\ QP & \xrightarrow{\quad \quad \quad} & QN \\ \downarrow \text{neg} & & \\ QN & \hookrightarrow & QM \end{array}$$

and show it coincides with ~~mult.~~ mult. by $1 - [I]$.

Method: Start with the full subcat \mathcal{E}' of \mathcal{E} = exact sequences in \mathcal{M} consisting of ~~1~~

$$0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$$

with $N \in \mathcal{M}$. Observe that we have a characteristic filtration

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & M' & \rightarrow & M' & \rightarrow & 0 \\ & & | & & | & & | \\ 0 & \rightarrow & M' & \rightarrow & M & \rightarrow & N \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & | \\ 0 & \rightarrow & 0 & \rightarrow & N & \rightarrow & N \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

whence

$$QE' \xrightarrow{\text{neg}} QM \oplus QN.$$

Next let ~~QE'~~ $\mathcal{E}'' \subset \mathcal{E}'$ consist of exact seq. of the

form

$$0 \rightarrow P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0.$$

The resolution theorem implies $QE'' \xrightarrow{\text{iso}} QE'$.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 K_i E'' & \longrightarrow & K_i P & \longrightarrow & K_i N & & \\
 \downarrow [P' \rightarrow P \rightarrow N] & \nearrow -[P'] + [P] & \downarrow S & & & -[\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes_X P'] + [\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes_X P] & \\
 & & & & & & -[\mathcal{I} \otimes_Y N] + [N]. \\
 K_i N & \longrightarrow & K_i M & & & &
 \end{array}$$

This commutes and as $K_i E'' \rightarrow K_i N$ is onto we win.

General case: Consider the exact category of exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow M_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow M_0 \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$$

in M with $N \in \mathcal{N}$. By the characteristic filtration thm. this has K -groups $(K_i M)^n \oplus K_i N$. On the other hand, it is clear that any sequence is a quotient of one with all $M_i \in \mathcal{P}$, provided $n \geq \text{tor dim of } \mathcal{O}_Y \text{ over } \mathcal{O}_X$. So done.

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Let P be an additive category in which the Krull-Schmidt theorem holds, and let $\{I_\alpha\}$ be representatives for the isom. classes of indecomposables. Then there is a map

$$\bigoplus_{\alpha} K_i(\text{End}(I_\alpha)^{\oplus}) \longrightarrow K_i P$$

(P given the "split" exactness structure). Here is an example to show this map needn't be an isomorphism once $i \geq 0$. Take A to be a d.v.r. and let B be the ring

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} A & A \\ \pi A & A \end{pmatrix} \subset 2 \times 2 \text{ matrices over } A$$

I claim that $K_i B = K_i A \oplus K_i k$. Here's ~~why~~ why.

Start with the cat \mathcal{E} of exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$$

with M', M in $\text{Mod}_f(A)$, $N \in \text{Mod}(k)$. Have a canonical filtration which shows that

$$\begin{aligned} K_i \mathcal{E} &\xrightarrow{\sim} K_i A \oplus K_i k \\ [M' \rightarrow M \rightarrow N] &\mapsto [M'] + [N]. \end{aligned}$$

On the other hand any such sequence is a quotient of one where M is free. Call this subcategory P . Every object is a direct sum of ~~copies~~ copies of the following

$$P: 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{1} A \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0$$

$$Q: 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{\pi} A \rightarrow k \rightarrow 0$$

and it's clear that there can be no non-trivial extensions. Thus every exact sequence in P splits, and so P is equivalent to the category of projective f.g. mods over

$$\boxed{\mathbb{Z}} \text{ End}(P \oplus Q)$$

Now consider the faithful functor $P \rightarrow P(A)$; it gives

$$\text{End}(P \oplus Q) \subset \text{End}(A \oplus A)$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} A & \mathbb{Z}A \\ \pi A & A \end{pmatrix} \underset{\text{Hom}(P, Q)}{\sim} \begin{pmatrix} A & A \\ A & A \end{pmatrix}.$$

There are two homomorphisms

$$B \longrightarrow \text{End}(A^2)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c\pi & d \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c\pi & d \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} a & b\pi \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

which are conjugate by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} \pi & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \pi & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c\pi & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \pi^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \pi & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a\pi^{-1} & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b\pi \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

These two homos. represent the B action on the total module and submodule of an exact sequence in $\boxed{\mathbb{Z}} P$. To prove $K_i k \rightarrow K_i A$ is zero, must show the two maps $K_i B \rightarrow K_i A$ are the same.

Next suppose ~~we have~~ we have .

$$0 \rightarrow L_1 \xrightarrow{d} L_0 \rightarrow V \rightarrow 0$$

with L_i free and V a k -module. Since $pV=0$ one knows $\exists h: L_0 \rightarrow L_1$ such that

$$\blacksquare dh = p \cdot \text{id}_{L_0}$$

$$hd = p \cdot \text{id}_{L_1}$$

$$p = \pi$$

~~I claim that~~

~~$L_0 \xrightarrow{h} L_1$~~

~~has cokernel canonically isomorphic to V . In effect given $v \in V$ lift it to $x \in L_0$, apply h , and look at the image in $\text{Coker}(h)$~~

Now for

$$P: 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{\iota} A \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{we have } \text{Coker}(h) = k$$

$$Q: 0 \rightarrow A \xrightarrow{\pi} A \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0 \quad \underline{\hspace{10em}} = 0.$$

Thus we have an exact functor

$$(0 \rightarrow L_1 \rightarrow L_0 \rightarrow V \rightarrow 0) \longmapsto \text{Coker}(h)$$

from P to k -modules. But

$$\text{Coker}(h) = \text{Im } d$$

and

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Im } d \rightarrow L_0 \rightarrow V \rightarrow 0$$

so we don't get anything interesting

January 13, 1973. transfer

Given rings A, B let $\text{Corr}(A, B)$ denote the additive category of $A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B^{\circ}$ modules which are perfect over A with the usual notion of exact sequence for modules. Any $X \in \text{Corr}(A, B)$ ~~gives rise to an exact functor~~ gives rise to an exact functor

$$P(B) \longrightarrow \text{Modperf}(A) \quad P \mapsto X \otimes_B P$$

hence to a homomorphism of K-groups

$$K_i B \longrightarrow K_i A.$$

Let $\text{Corr}'(A, B)$ denote $A \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} B^{\circ}$ modules which are of finite Tor dim⁺ over B and f.t. over A . ~~(Assume the rings are noetherian).~~ Then $X \in \text{Corr}'(A, B)$ induces

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{B-modules of f.t.} \\ \text{flat wrt } M \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{X \otimes_B ?} \text{Modf}(A).$$

+ hence a homomorphism of K-groups

$$K'_i B \longrightarrow K'_i A.$$

(+ enough to suppose \forall B-mod
M of f.t. that
 $\text{Tor}_i^B(X, M) = 0$
for i large
depending on M.)

~~Generalization~~

If A is regular, $\text{Corr}(A, B)$ is abelian.

Note that the above construction provides products

$$K_0(\text{Corr}(A, B)) \otimes K_i B \longrightarrow K_i A$$

in virtue of the ~~exact~~ exact sequence theorem. Now I want to show that composition does not produce

new operations when things are regular. Thus suppose we have three rings A, B, C . ~~are~~ Then we have

$$(*) \quad K_0(\text{Cor}(A, B)) \otimes K_0(\text{Cor}(B, C)) \rightarrow K_0(\text{Cor}(A, C)).$$

In effect given $X \in \text{Cor}(A, B)$ and $Y \in \text{Cor}(B, C)$, then

$$\text{Tor}_i^B(X, Y) \in \text{Cor}(A, C)$$

assuming A regular. Because if

$$(**) \quad 0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow Y \rightarrow 0$$

is a B -resolution, then

$$\text{Tor}_i^B(X, Y) = H_i(X \otimes_B P_0)$$

and the complex $X \otimes_B P_0$ is ~~regular~~ f.g. over A . Thus we can define $(*)$ by

$$[X] \otimes [Y] \mapsto \sum_{i \geq 0} (-1)^i \text{Tor}_i^B(X, Y).$$

Now you want to prove the commutativity of

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_0\text{Cor}(A, B) \otimes K_0\text{Cor}(B, C) \otimes K_i C & \longrightarrow & K_0\text{Cor}(A, B) \otimes K_i B \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ K_0\text{Cor}(A, C) \otimes K_i C & \longrightarrow & K_i A \end{array}$$

To do this, would be easy if we could get C to act on the resolution $(**)$. For then

$$P(C) \ni P \mapsto Y \otimes_C P$$

would be the alternating sum of

$$P \mapsto P_i \otimes_C P \in \mathcal{P}(B)$$

so the composition with $Q \in \mathcal{P}(B)$, $Q \mapsto X \otimes_B Q$
would be the alternating sum of

$$P \mapsto (X \otimes_B P_i) \otimes_C P$$

which would be the same as the alternating sum
of

$$P \mapsto \text{Tor}_i^B(X, Y) \otimes_C P.$$

~~But we have to proceed as follows. Suppose we can find a differential graded ring resolution of C :~~

~~$0 \rightarrow I_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow I_1 \rightarrow I_0 \rightarrow C \rightarrow 0$~~

~~such that~~

~~$0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$~~

~~is a d.g.r. module resolving the $B \otimes C^\text{op}$ module N .~~

~~Then for any $P \in \mathcal{P}(B)$~~

~~Consider the exact category of \mathcal{E} d.g. A -module~~

~~$0 \rightarrow M_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow M_0$~~

~~acyclic in degrees > 0 . By the char. filt. thm. one has~~

~~REMARK~~

Let We can clearly suppose that $C = \text{End}_B(Y)^\circ$.

$$0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow Y \rightarrow 0$$

be a fixed $P(B)$ -resolution of Y and put $A =$
the d.g. ring

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Hom}_n(P_i, P_i) \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \text{Hom}_1(P_i, P_i) \rightarrow \text{Hom}_0(P_i, P_i)$$

which is a resolution of C . Now if Q_\bullet is a proj
f.g. A -module

$$P_\bullet \otimes_A Q_\bullet$$

is a ~~perfect~~ perfect complex of B -modules and

$$H_i(X \otimes_B P_\bullet \otimes_A Q_\bullet) = \text{Tor}_i^B(X, Y) \otimes_C H_0(Q_\bullet)$$

so what I want to do is show that the
 K -theory of d.g. A -modules Q_\bullet ~~with~~ flat f.t.
over A , with $H_0(Q_\bullet)$ only non-zero group maps onto
the K -theory of C .

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January 19, 1973.

Let \mathcal{C} be a category. I recall the basic cohomological object ~~is~~ attached to \mathcal{C} which is a homotopy-invariant is the full subcat $D_{\text{lc}}(\mathcal{C})$ of $D(\mathcal{C})$ (sheaves = functors $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow$ sets). The way to think about it is to imagine there is a gadget \mathcal{C}_h with a map $i: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}_h$ such that

$$i^*: D(\mathcal{C}_h) \rightarrow D(\mathcal{C})$$

is fully faithful with image $D_{\text{lc}}(\mathcal{C})$. If this were the case, then we have adjoint functors

$$D(\mathcal{C}_h) \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{i_!} \\ \xleftarrow{i^*} \end{array} D(\mathcal{C})$$

(with suitable amplitude conditions perhaps). Thus we have for any F in $D(\mathcal{C})$ universal maps

$$i_! i^* F \longrightarrow F \longrightarrow i^* i_! F.$$

from and to an object of D_{lc} .

Here is another possibility. Recall we have the "subdivision" category $S(\mathcal{C})$ (= cof cat over $\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C}^\circ$) belonging to functor $(Y, X) \mapsto \text{Ham}(X, Y)$. Then have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & D(s(e)) & \\ s^* \nearrow & & \downarrow \\ D(\mathcal{C}) & & D(\mathcal{C}^\circ) \\ & D_{\text{lc}}(\mathcal{C}) = D_{\text{lc}}(\infty) & \end{array}$$

which is an intersection diagram. I review this.

t^* is fully-faithful because

$$\text{Hom}(t^*K, t^*L) = \text{Hom}(t_!t^*K, L) = \text{Hom}(K, L);$$

indeed because t is cofibred

$$\text{L}_p t_!(F)(Y) = H_p(t/Y, F)$$

$$= H_p(t^{-1}(Y), F)$$

$$\text{so } L_p t_!(t^*F)(Y) = H_p(t^{-1}(Y), t^*F) = \begin{cases} 0 & p > 0 \\ F(Y) & p = 0 \end{cases}$$

because $t^{-1}(Y)$ is contractible.

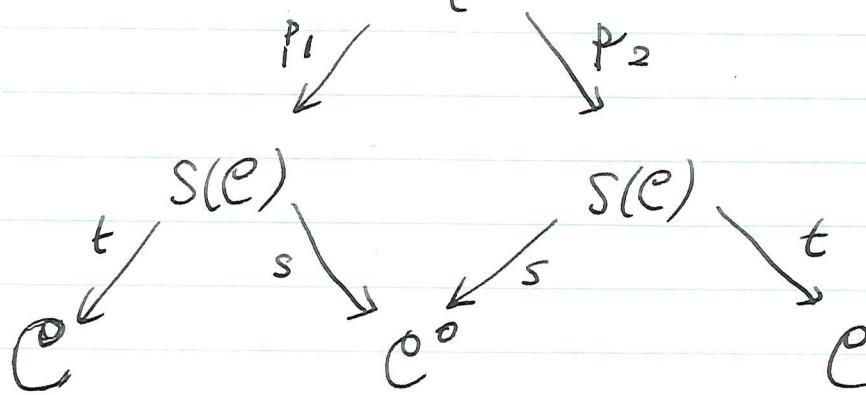
Once this known, it is formal that (at least for bounded complexes) the essential image of t^* is complexes whose homology sheaves come from \mathcal{C} . Observe that $F : S(\mathcal{C}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}'$ is of the form t^*G iff for every arrow $(X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow (X' \rightarrow Y')$ such that $Y \xrightarrow{\sim} Y'$ we have $F(X \rightarrow Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} F(X' \rightarrow Y')$. Similarly it is of the form s^*G when $X' \xrightarrow{\sim} X \Rightarrow F(X \rightarrow Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} F(X' \rightarrow Y')$. Thus if a sheaf on $S(\mathcal{C})$ comes from \mathcal{C} and from \mathcal{C}^0 it must be locally constant as the general map factors

$$(X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow (X \rightarrow Y') \rightarrow (X' \rightarrow Y')$$

Now the idea was to try the following process

$$F \mapsto s_!t^*F \mapsto t_!s^*s_!t^*F$$

and to iterate. $S(C) \times_{C^0} S(C)$



Since S cofibred, $s_!$ commutes with basechange
so we have $s^* s_! = p_1^* p_2^*$. Thus we are using
the correspondence

$$S(C) \times_{C^0} S(C) \xrightarrow{tp_2} C$$

~~$\xrightarrow{tp_1}$~~

~~C~~

Observe that $SC \times_{C^0} SC$ consists $X \leftarrow Z \rightarrow Y$
with maps

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \leftarrow & Z \\ \downarrow & \uparrow & \downarrow \\ X' & \leftarrow & Z' \rightarrow Y' \end{array}$$

Thus we have the cat of triples $(Z, (X, Y), (Z, Z) \rightarrow (X, Y))$
in which the maps are

It is therefore cofibred over $(C \times C) \times C^0$ assoc. to $(X, Y, Z) \mapsto \text{Hom}(Z, X \times Y)$

Unfortunately there does not seem to be a functor from F to $t_! s^* s_! t^* F$ or the other way. Thus we have

$$t_! s^* s_! t^* F \leftarrow t_! t^* F \rightarrow F.$$

Other possibility. Take standard factorization

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \\ & \searrow m_{\Delta} & \uparrow p \\ & & (z, (x, y), (z, z) \rightarrow (x, y)) \\ & & \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ & & (z', (x', y'), (z', z') \rightarrow (x', y')) \end{array}$$

Anyway use m_{Δ} as your correspondence

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{id} & \mathcal{C} \\ & \downarrow i & \downarrow p_2 \\ \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{m_{\Delta}} & \mathcal{C} \\ & \downarrow p_1 & \downarrow \\ & \mathcal{C} & \end{array}$$

and you have that there is a map

$$p_1_! p_2^* \leftarrow p_1_! i_! i^* p_2^* = id$$

and

$$(p_1_! p_2^* F)(Y) = \varinjlim_{Y \leftarrow Z \rightarrow X} F(X)$$

Conjecture: $\boxed{\lim_n} (p_1! p_2^*)^n F \in D_{lc}(C)$

~~use the diagram~~

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 C & \xrightarrow{i} & M & & \\
 & & \Delta \downarrow & & \\
 & & p \searrow & & \\
 & & C \times C & \xrightarrow{pr_2} & C \\
 p_1 \swarrow & & pr_1 \downarrow & & \\
 C & & & &
 \end{array}$$

But it is much simpler, i.e.

$$p_1! p_2^* = pr_1! p_1^* p^* pr_2^*$$

and because p is cofibred

$$\begin{aligned}
 (p_1! p^* F)(X, Y) &= \varinjlim_{p^{-1}(X, Y)} F = \varinjlim_{\Delta Z \rightarrow (X, Y)} F(X, Y) \\
 &= \left(\varinjlim_{\Delta Z \rightarrow (X, Y)} \mathbb{Z} \right) \otimes F(X, Y) \\
 &= \boxed{(p_1! \mathbb{Z} \otimes F)(X, Y)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } p_1! \mathbb{Z} = \boxed{\varinjlim_{\Delta Z \rightarrow (X, Y)} \mathbb{Z}} = \Delta_1! \mathbb{Z}^{(X, Y)}.$$

Thus what we are doing is considering the operator

$$F \longmapsto \text{pr}_{1!}(\Delta_! Z \otimes \text{pr}_2^* F)$$

~~and all that~~

$$(X \longmapsto \varinjlim_Y (\varinjlim_{\Delta Z \rightarrow (X,Y)} Z) \otimes F(Y))$$

The conjecture on page 5 amounts to this:

If $F \xrightarrow{\sim} \text{pr}_{1!}(\Delta_! Z \otimes \text{pr}_2^* F)$, then
 $F \in \boxed{D_{lc}(C)}$.

Example: Let C be the ordered set of simplices in a simplicial complex K . Then the category of ~~Z~~ included both in X and Y is either empty or it has a final object. Thus

$$L_p \varinjlim_{\Delta Z \rightarrow (X,Y)} Z = \begin{cases} 0 & p > 0 \\ Z & p = 0 \quad X \cap Y \neq \emptyset \\ 0 & p = 0 \quad X \cap Y = \emptyset. \end{cases}$$

Therefore it would seem that the operation takes F into

$$X \longrightarrow L \varinjlim_{Y \cap X \neq \emptyset} F(Y)$$

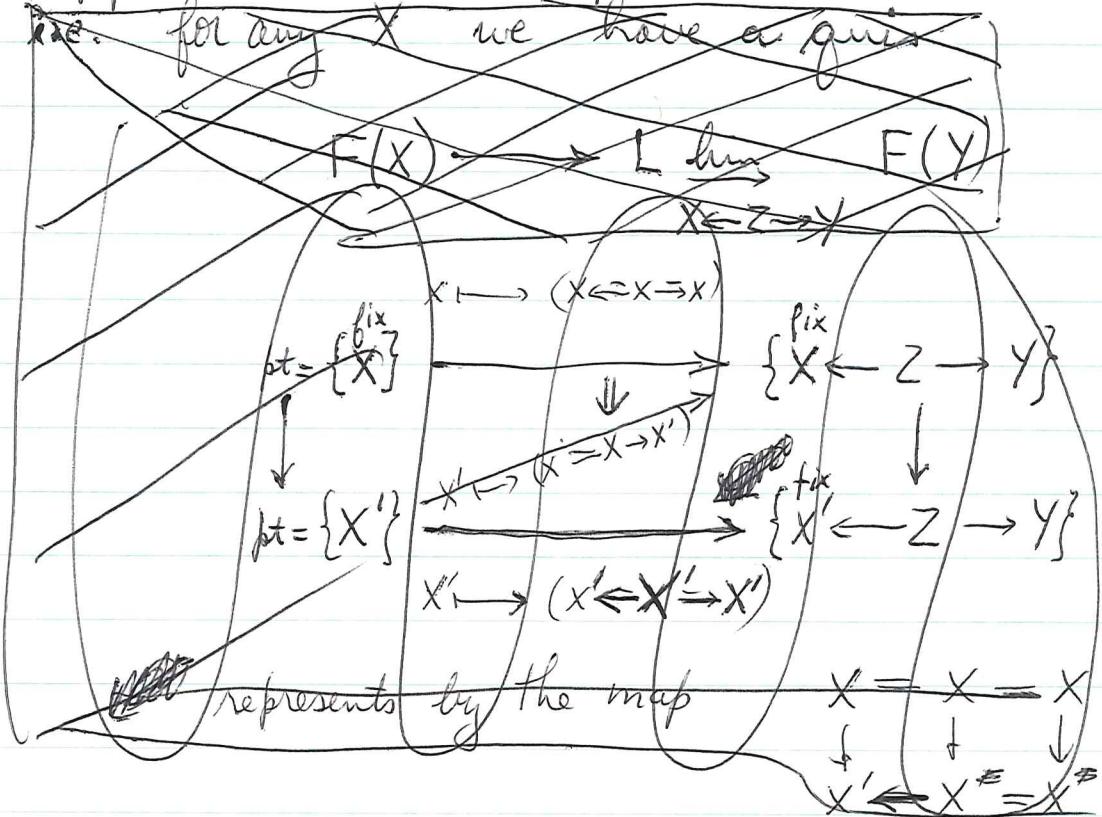
But observe: If $X \subset X'$ then we have commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} F(X) & \xrightarrow{f_X} & \varinjlim_{Y \ni X \neq \emptyset} F(Y) \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ F(X') & \xrightarrow{f_{X'}} & \varinjlim_{Y \ni X' \neq \emptyset} F(Y) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{X\} & \subset & \{Y \mid Y \ni X \neq \emptyset\} \\ \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ \{X'\} & \subset & \{Y \mid Y \ni X' \neq \emptyset\} \end{array}$$

Thus if $f_X, f_{X'}$ are isomorphisms we conclude $F(X) \cong F(X')$.

But this argument ought to work in general.
Suppose F is a complex such that $F \hookrightarrow p_1^! p_2^* F$.



January 29, 1973 (David is 9 today)

Suppose S is a groupoid with a $+$ and assume for each X that $S \mapsto S+X$ is a faithful functor from S to itself. This means I can form the translation category S/S : a map $X \rightarrow X'$ is an isom. class of (S, α) $\alpha: S+X \xrightarrow{\sim} X'$. The point is that two isom. $(S, \alpha) \Rightarrow (S', \alpha')$ θ_1, θ_2

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S+X & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & \\ \Downarrow & \nearrow \sim & \\ S'+X & \xrightarrow{\alpha'} & X' \end{array}$$

faithfulness of $S \mapsto S+X$ implies $\theta_1 = \theta_2$. In fact we can generalize this:

suffices to have S acting on a cat X , such that $S \mapsto S+X$ from S to X is faithful and such that every map in X is a monomorphism. Then I can consider the cat whose objects ~~are pairs~~ are the same as those of X but in which a map $X \rightarrow X'$ is an isom. class of pairs (S, α) , where $\alpha: S+X \rightarrow X'$

~~Example of interests. Take M a manifold. Define S to be the mathematical groupoid of M .~~

To form $Q(S)$ one wants to let $S \times S$ act on S . Thus one needs to know that for any $T \in S$ $(S_1, S_2) \longmapsto S_1 + S_2 + T$

is faithful.

Now suppose that we have a map of groupoids with $+$, $f: \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}'$ which is ~~faithful~~ such that for any $X \in \mathcal{S}'$, $S \mapsto fS + X$ from \mathcal{S} to \mathcal{S}' is faithful. Then I can form \mathcal{S}'/\mathcal{S} with same objects as \mathcal{S}' but in which the maps ~~$X \rightarrow X'$~~ are iso classes of pairs $(S, \alpha) \quad \alpha: fS + X \xrightarrow{\sim} X'$. I want to show that when f is cofinal then we ~~have~~ have a fibration

$$\mathcal{S}'/\mathcal{S} \rightarrow Q\mathcal{S} \rightarrow Q\mathcal{S}'.$$

So the idea will be to follow your proof of the localizations theorem for $S^{-1}A$.

Over $Q\mathcal{S}'$ I have \mathcal{E} the fibred cat which consists of $P \oplus V \rightarrow V$, i.e. pairs of objects of \mathcal{S}' . If I give a map in $Q\mathcal{S}'$:

$$V' \leftarrow \cancel{P \oplus R \oplus S \rightarrow P \oplus V}$$

$$R \oplus V' \hookrightarrow R \oplus V \oplus S = V.$$

i.e. $R \oplus V' \oplus S \xrightarrow{\sim} V$, then the base change sends $P \oplus V \rightarrow V$ to

$$P \oplus R \oplus V' \rightarrow V'.$$

Thus we are adding the kernel R to P .

The pull-back over $Q\mathcal{S}$ of \mathcal{E} consists of pairs (X, S) , $X \in \mathcal{S}'$, $S \in \mathcal{S}$ with morphisms

$$X + S_0 + S' \quad X + S$$

↓

$$S_0 + S' \quad S$$

↓

$$S'$$

consisting of a map $S_0 + S' + S \xrightarrow{\cong} S$ in $Q\mathcal{S}$ from S' to S , and a map $X + S \xrightarrow{\cong} X$. It is thus what I might think of as

$$\mathcal{S}' \times \mathcal{S} / \mathcal{S} \times \mathcal{S}$$

~~($\mathcal{S}, \mathcal{S}'$)~~

$$(S_0, S_1)(X, S) = (S_0 + X, S_0 + S + S_1)$$

Now we can project this gadget onto the first factor $(X, S) \mapsto X \in \mathcal{S}' / \mathcal{S}$. Probably cofibred. The fibre is clearly the translation cat. So we get a deg.

So it remains to show the square

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{S}' / \mathcal{S} & \xleftarrow{\text{heg}} & \mathcal{F} \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \\ & f & \text{cart} & f \\ Q\mathcal{S} & \longrightarrow & Q\mathcal{S}' \end{array}$$

is homotopy cartesian. One considers translation by elements of \mathcal{S}' on the fibres; suffices to show such a translation gives a heg of \mathcal{F} . The point is the action by an element of \mathcal{S} is homotopic to identity on $\mathcal{S}' / \mathcal{S}$, so that

because δ is cofinal in δ' , at least the action of δ' on δ/δ is invertible, so we are done.

Can you directly show that

$$\delta^{-1}\delta \rightarrow \delta^{-1}\delta' \rightarrow \delta'/\delta$$

is a fibration, where $\delta^1\delta' = \delta * \delta'/\delta$? Do this as follows. Over δ/δ we consider the previous category \mathcal{F} which consists of pairs (X, S) and the maps $(X, S) \rightarrow (X', S')$ are

$$\begin{aligned} & \cancel{\textcircled{1}} \quad S_0 + X \xrightarrow{\sim} X' \\ & S_0 + S + S_1 \xrightarrow{\sim} \delta' \end{aligned}$$

In fact this is the arrow category of δ'/δ , i.e. an arrow in δ'/δ can be viewed as a pair (X, S) with source X , target $X * S$

$$\begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad X' \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad S' \quad} \\ \xrightarrow{\quad X \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad S_0 \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad S \quad} \xrightarrow{\quad S_1 \quad} \end{array} \quad ??$$

(Probably the old sign problem).

In any case consider the arrow cat \mathcal{A} of δ'/δ : $X + S \xrightarrow{\sim} X'$. It is fibred over $\mathcal{Q}\delta$, the fibre being δ' so localise wrt δ ; form $\delta^{-1}\mathcal{A}$.

January 27, 1973

Lemma: Let $A \rightarrow B$ be a flat local homomorphism of local noetherian rings. Then $\dim(A) \leq \dim(B)$.

Better: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is a flat morphism, then $\dim(X) \geq \dim(f(X))$.

~~Have to prove this. If $y \in f(x)$, that is $y \in \{f(x)\}$, then there exists $x' \supset x$ such that $y \in f(x')$. Can assume by base extension that X is a local ring.~~

What we have to show is that given a chain

$$y_p > \dots > y_2 > y_1 = f(x)$$

that there exists $x_p > \dots > x_1 = x$ such that $y_i \geq f(x_i)$. Can thus reduce to showing that given $y' > f(x)$, $\exists x' > x$ with $y' \geq f(x')$. Can assume $X = \text{Spec}(O_x)$, $Y = \text{Spec}(O_{f(x)})$. Thus I have a local homo $A \rightarrow B$ and a prime $p < m_A$ and I want to find $q < m_B$ such that $p \subset f^{-1}(q)$. Can replace A by A/p and B by B/pB . Then A is integral, and what must be shown is that m_B is not a minimal prime ideal in B , for then we can take q to be a minimal prime ideal. But $0 < m_A \Rightarrow m_A$ contains a non-zero divisor t , hence by flatness t is a non-zero-divisor in B , so m_B contains a non-zero divisor, so it isn't minimal.

Example of a local domain A of dim 1 such that $F^* \not\rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$
is not onto.

~~Example of a local domain A of dim 1 such that $F^* \not\rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$~~
~~is not onto.~~

$\mathbb{R}[x,y]/(x^2+y^2)$ is a domain. It may be viewed as the subring of $\mathbb{C}[x]$ generated over \mathbb{R} by x and $y = ix$. Thus $\mathbb{C}[x]$ is the integral closure of $\mathbb{R}[x,y]/(x^2+y^2)$ in its quotient field.

Let $A = \mathbb{R}[x,y]/(x^2+y^2)$ localized at the max ideal (x,y) ; ~~then~~ then \bar{A} is $\mathbb{C}[x]$ localized at the max. ideal x . Thus we have a map of exact sequences

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \longrightarrow & K'_1 A & \longrightarrow & K_1 F & \longrightarrow & K_0 \mathbb{R} & \longrightarrow K'_0 A \longrightarrow K_0 F \longrightarrow 0 \\ & \uparrow & & \parallel & \uparrow & \uparrow & \parallel \\ \longrightarrow & K'_1 \bar{A} & \longrightarrow & K_1 F & \longrightarrow & K_0 \mathbb{C} & \longrightarrow K'_0 \bar{A} \longrightarrow K_0 F \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

Since $K_0 \mathbb{C} \rightarrow K_0 \mathbb{R}$ is iso to $\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{2} \mathbb{Z}$ it follows that the transfer $K_0 \mathbb{R} \rightarrow K'_0 A$ is not zero. Similarly $K_1 \mathbb{C} \rightarrow K_1 \mathbb{R}$ is $\mathbb{C}^* \xrightarrow{\text{non}} \mathbb{R}^*$ so also the transfer $K_1 \mathbb{R} \rightarrow K'_1 A$ is not zero.

January 28, 1973

Examples connected with
Hensel's conjecture

Example 1: Let A be the local ring on a curve over k alg. closed, F its quotient field, \bar{A} the integral closure of A in F . Then we have (irred. reduced)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\text{finite}} & \bar{A} \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \exists \\ & & k \end{array}$$

and \bar{A} is a semi-local P.I.D. ~~because~~ since we know the transfer $K_i(k) \rightarrow K_i(\bar{A})$ is zero it follows that the transfer $K_i(k) \rightarrow K'_i(A)$ is zero, so we have ~~an~~ exact sequences

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & K'_i A & \rightarrow & K_i F & \rightarrow & K_{i-1} k \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \uparrow & & \parallel & & \uparrow \\ 0 & \rightarrow & K_i \bar{A} & \rightarrow & K_i F & \rightarrow & \coprod_m K_{i-1} k \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

2) Let A be the local ring of an isolated singular point on a surface. Then we get an exact sequence

$$K'_1(A) \rightarrow K_1(F) \rightarrow K_0(\text{torsion } A\text{-mod}) \xrightarrow{\quad} K'_0(A) \rightarrow K'_0(F) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

and

$$\xrightarrow{\quad} K_0(A/\mathfrak{m}) \rightarrow K_0(\text{torsion } A\text{-mod}) \rightarrow \frac{K_0(\text{torsion } k(p))}{ht(p)=1} \rightarrow 0$$

This is zero as it factors through

$$K'_i(k) \rightarrow K'_i(A/p) \quad \text{which is zero by example 1).}$$

Thus we get

$$K'_1 A \rightarrow F^* \xrightarrow{\partial} \coprod_{ht(p)=1} \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow K'_0(A) \rightarrow K'_0(F) \rightarrow 0.$$

~~Since~~ since ∂ ~~should~~ should assign to a rational function its divisor, it follows that when ∂ is not onto, i.e. A not a UFD that $K'_0(A) \rightarrow K'_0(F) = \mathbb{Z}$ is not injective. Thus the Gersten conjecture doesn't hold ~~in this case~~ in this case.

Example of $R[[x,y]]/(x^2+y^2) \subset \mathbb{C}[x]$

more generally of $B \subset A$ d.v.r

$$m(B) = m(A)$$

$$k(B) \subset k(A) \text{ finite ext.}$$

shows that \exists local domains of dim 1 \ni
transfer $K_0(k) \rightarrow K_0(B)$

not zero.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & \mathbb{Z} & & \mathbb{Z} \\ & \xrightarrow{\partial} & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ K_1(F) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & K_0(k(A)) & \xrightarrow{\circ} & K_0(A) \hookrightarrow K_0(F) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{mult by } [k(A):k(\mathbb{Q})] & & \downarrow \\ K_1(F) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & K_0(k(B)) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & K'_0(B) \rightarrow K_0(F) \end{array}$$

Example: K function field of a smooth variety X over $k = \bar{k}$, x a rational point, $\text{Spec } k[[t]] \rightarrow X$ a formal curve starting at x such that $K \hookrightarrow k((t))$. Let A be the induced valn. ring av K . Then A is a d.v.r. with quotient field $\bullet K$ and residue field k , which is not essentially of finite type over a field. In effect if A is a \bullet local ring \mathcal{O}_x ~~essentially of~~ of a variety with function field K one knows that

$$\text{tr. d.}(K) = \dim(\mathcal{O}_x) + \text{tr. d.}(\mathcal{O}_x/\mathfrak{m}_x)$$

This example shows that it ~~is~~ not always possible to write a d.v.r. as a limit of things c.f.t. over a field.

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k_0 not perfect, A d.v.r. over k_0 with residue field $k = \frac{k_0[\alpha]}{m}$ $\alpha = \alpha'^p$ $a \in k_0 - k_0^p$. Let $m = Ax$. Then $y^p - a \in m$ so

$$y^p - a = f \cdot x \quad f \in A.$$

so if $f \in m$, then if we make the base extension

$$k \otimes_{k_0} A = A'$$

we have the relation $(y - \alpha)^p = f \cdot x$. Thus A' has to be a d.v.r. with maximal ideal generated by $y - \alpha$.

Example: $y^p - a - X^2$ is irreducible in $k_0[x, y]$. because $a + X^2$ is not a p-th power in $k_0[X]$.

$p \neq 2$.

$$(y^p - a, X) = \text{Ker}(k_0[x, y] \rightarrow k_0[\alpha])$$

is a maximal ideal. Thus I will take the curve in the affine plane over k_0 defined by the equation

$$f(x, y) = y^p - a - X^2 = 0$$

since $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = -2X$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 0$ the curve is smooth for

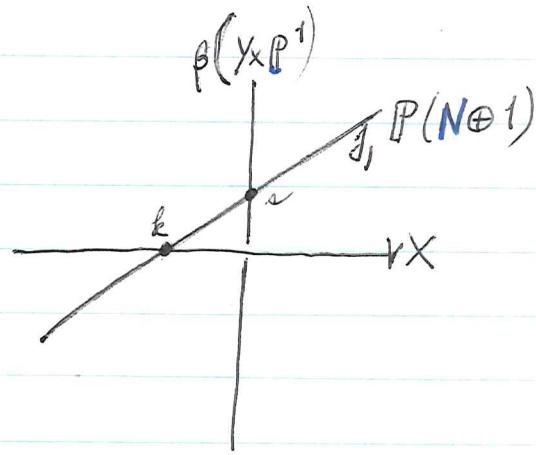
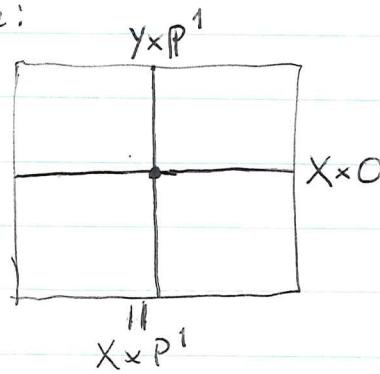
$X \neq 0$. Let A be the local ring of the curve at the point $(0, \alpha)$, i.e. at the max. ideal m whose image in $k_0[x, y]$ is $(y^p - a, X)$. Then m is principal since $y^p - a = x^2$ in A. Thus A is a d.v.r.

February 1, 1973. Mumford's proof of $\iota^* \iota_*(y) = e(\nu) y$.

Suppose $i: Y \rightarrow X$ is of codimension 1 and embed $X \rightarrow X \times \mathbb{P}^1$ (\times over \mathbb{Z}) and blow up $X \times \mathbb{P}^1$ along Y so that we have the following situation.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1) & \xrightarrow{j_1} & Z' \\ g_1 \downarrow k & \nearrow \nu & \downarrow f_1 \\ Y & \xrightarrow{i} & X \rightarrow X \times \mathbb{P}_1 \end{array} \quad k: Y = \mathbb{P}(N) \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1)$$

Picture:



inside of Z'

Because ν and j_1 are transversal ~~intersecting~~ with intersection Y , we have

$$\begin{aligned} i^*(y) &= \cancel{\iota^*} \iota^* k^* g_1^* y \\ &= \nu^* j_1^* g_1^* y \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$\iota^* \iota_*(y) = \iota^* \nu^* j_1^* g_1^* y = k^* j_1^* j_1^* g_1^* y$$

Now consider $j_1^* j_1^* g_1^* y \in K_i(\mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1))$

~~Supplement~~ $\in K_i(P(N \oplus 1))$ can be uniquely
~~selected~~ Have exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow K_i(PN) \xrightarrow{k^*} K_i(P(N+1)) \xrightarrow{s^*} K_i(P1) \rightarrow 0$$

and $s^*(j_1^* f_1^* g_1^* y) = 0$

because s can be moved down $Y \times P^1$ off $P(N \oplus 1)$. Thus we have a unique $\alpha(y) \in K_i(Y)$ such that

$$j_1^* f_1^* g_1^* y = k^* \alpha(y)$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} l^*_{\times y} &= k^* j_1^* f_1^* g_1^* y = k^* k^* \alpha(y) \\ &= k^* k^* k^* g_1^* \alpha(y) \\ &= k^* k^* 1 \cdot g_1^* \alpha(y) \\ &= k^* k^* 1 \cdot \alpha(y). \end{aligned}$$

which shows at least that this is zero if N is trivial.

Now however we have the diagram

$$(*) \quad \begin{array}{ccc} Y \times P^1 & \xrightarrow{\beta + j_1} & Z' \\ pr_1 + \downarrow g_1 & & \downarrow pr_1 f_1 \\ Y & \xrightarrow{i} & X \end{array}$$

which is a proper intersection, so in the Chow ring gives rise to

$$pr_1^* \beta^* + g_1^* j_1^* = (pr_1 + g_1)_* (\beta + j_1)^* = i^* (pr_1 f_1)_*$$

Apply this to the element $j_{1*} g_1^* y$.

$$p_{1*} \beta^* j_{1*} g_1^* y = y \quad \text{as } \beta, j_1 \text{ transversal with intersection}$$

$$(p_{1*} f_1)_* j_{1*} g_1^* y = i_* g_1^* g_1^* y \quad \cancel{\text{---}}$$

$$= i_* (g_1^* 1 \cdot y)$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{as } g_1^* 1 = 0 \text{ in the Chow theory.}$$

Thus we get

$$y \cancel{+} g_1^* j_1^* j_{1*} g_1^* (y) = 0$$

showing that $\alpha(y) = -y$. (~~Check:~~

$$k: P_N \xrightarrow{\sim} P(N+1)$$

$N = \underline{\text{normal bundle}}$

~~check~~

$k(y)$ is where $\theta(-1) \subset g_1^*(N+1) \rightarrow g_1^* 1$ is zero

$$\text{so } k_* 1 = e(\theta(+1))$$

and $k^* k_* 1 = e(k^* \theta(+1)) = e(N) = -e(N)$ in Chow theory.
So it works.)

~~This is Chow theory and projective X(D) varieties~~

~~for K theory~~

In K-theory

$$\begin{aligned} e(N) \alpha(y) &= e(N)y \\ \therefore \alpha(y) &= \frac{e(N)}{e(N^\vee)} y = \frac{1-N^\vee}{1-N} y \\ &= -N^\vee y \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$y + \alpha(y) = (1-N^\vee)y = i^* i_* y$$

which says amazingly that the square () seems to be OKAY in K-theory too.

Here is how to prove () commutes in K-theory:

$$0 \rightarrow N^{-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_Y \rightarrow 0$$

We have diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} D_1 \sqcup D_2 & \xrightarrow{j_1 + j_2} & Z' \\ h_1 + h_2 \downarrow & & \downarrow h \\ Y & \xrightarrow{i} & X \end{array}$$

where Y is a divisor and $h^{-1}(Y) = D_1 \cup D_2$ is the sum of two effective divisors. Thus I have

$$h^*(N) = \mathcal{O}(D_1) \otimes \mathcal{O}(D_2)$$

~~so that~~
~~with~~ ~~$\mathcal{O}(D_2)$~~

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1} \otimes \mathcal{O}_{D_2} & \longrightarrow & h^* \mathcal{O}_Y & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{O}_{D_1} \rightarrow 0 \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 0 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{O}(h^* D_1)^{-1} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{O}_{Z'} & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{O}_{D_1} \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 & & \mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1} \otimes \mathcal{O}(D_2)^{-1} & = & \mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1} \otimes \mathcal{O}(D_2)^{-1} & & \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 & & 0 & & 0 & &
 \end{array}$$

Let E be a vector bundle on Z' acyclic wrt h . Then we should have for E sufficiently untwisted that

$$\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes h_*(E) = h_*(h^* \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes E)$$

$$0 \rightarrow h_{2*}(\underline{\mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1}} \otimes j_2^* E) \rightarrow h_*(h^* \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes E) \rightarrow h_{1*} j_1^* E \rightarrow 0$$

and so in K-groups we should have

$$h_{1*} j_1^* + h_{2*}([\mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1}] \cdot j_2^*) = i^* h_*$$

But since D_1, D_2 are transversal

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(D_1)^{-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\text{?}} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{D_1} \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{D_2}(D_1)^{-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{D_2} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{D_1 \cap D_2} \rightarrow 0$$

so we should have the formula

$$\iota^* h_* = h_{1*} f_1^* + h_{2*} f_2^* - h_{12*} f_{12}^*$$

so now return to the square

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (*) \quad Y \times \mathbb{P}^1 & \xrightarrow{\text{pr}_1} & \mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1) \xrightarrow{\beta + \delta'_1} Z' \\
 & \downarrow & \downarrow \text{pr}_1, f_1 \\
 & Y & \xrightarrow{i} X
 \end{array}$$

and the intersection of $Y \times \mathbb{P}^1$ with $\mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1)$ is $\iota: Y \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(N \oplus 1)$, and we know $\iota^*(f_{1*} g_1^*(y)) = 0$. Thus from the above formula we get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc}
 \iota^*(\text{pr}_1)_* f_{1*} g_1^* y & = & g_{1*} f_1^* f_{1*} g_1^*(y) & + & \text{pr}_{1*} \beta f_{1*} g_1^*(y) \\
 \parallel & & \parallel & & \parallel \\
 \iota^* \iota_* y & & \alpha(y) & & y
 \end{array}$$

So from before we have

$$\iota^* \iota_* y = k^* k_* 1 \cdot \alpha(y) = k^* k_* 1 \cdot (\iota^* \iota_* y - y)$$

$$\text{or } (\iota^* \iota_* y) (1 - k^* k_* 1) = -k^* k_* 1 \cdot y$$

$$(\iota^* \iota_* y) (1 - (1 - N)) = - (1 - N) y$$

$$\iota^* \iota_* y = (1 - N) y$$

as was to be shown.

Useful operation: Suppose $i: Y \rightarrow X$ is a Cartier divisor such that $e(N) = 0$. Then for K' -groups we have $i^* i_* = \emptyset$. Try to prove this directly. Start with a vector bundle

K_0 -problem. Suppose $i: Y \rightarrow X$ is a regular closed embedding with X regular, but not Y . Then we have the composition

$$() \quad \begin{array}{ccc} K'_0(Y) & \xrightarrow{i^*} & K'_0(X) \\ & \parallel & \\ & & K_0(X) \xrightarrow{i^*} K_0(Y) \end{array}$$

To understand, suppose to simplify that $i: Y \rightarrow X$ is a Cartier divisor. Then ~~we have the following~~ given F over X , resolve it

$$0 \rightarrow P_d \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow F \rightarrow 0$$

where the P_i are vector bundles over \mathcal{O}_X and tensor

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_d \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0 \rightarrow 0$$

getting a complex whose homology groups are

$$\text{Tor}_g^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_Y, F) = \begin{cases} F & g=0 \\ \mathcal{I}/\mathcal{I}^2 \otimes F & g=1 \\ 0 & g>1 \end{cases}$$

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{I} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_Y \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow \text{Tor}_1^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_Y, F) \rightarrow \mathcal{I} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} F \rightarrow F \xrightarrow{\sim} F \rightarrow 0$$

$$\mathcal{I}/\mathcal{I}^2 \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_Y} F$$

Assume now that I is generated by a function f . Then one expects that the complex $\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0$ should represent the zero element of $K_0(Y)$ because its two homology groups are isomorphic. Actually we can suppose the resolution is of length one with P_1, P_0 flat with respect to \mathcal{O}_Y , i.e. such that mult by f is injective.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \circ & & \circ & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & P_1 & \longrightarrow & P_0 & \longrightarrow & F \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & f\downarrow & \text{h} & \downarrow f & & \downarrow f=0 & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & P_1 & \xrightarrow{\quad h \quad} & \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0 & \longrightarrow & F \longrightarrow 0 \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 & \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_1 & \longrightarrow & \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0 & & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & & & \\
 & 0 & & 0 & & &
 \end{array}$$

I feel it should be possible to prove that

$$0 = [\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_1] - [\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0] \in K_0(Y).$$

But it certainly seems to be non-trivial.

Observe that one has ! $h: P_0 \rightarrow P_1$ with $f=hd, f=dh$ and that h induces on the complex $\mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0$ an isom. of H_0 with H_1 . Thus

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_1 & \xleftarrow{h} & \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0 \\
 \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_0 & \xrightarrow{d} & \mathcal{O}_Y \otimes P_1
 \end{array}
 \quad \text{is exact}$$

Problem: Given $E, F \in \mathcal{P}(X)$ and maps $\psi: E \rightarrow F$,
 $\varphi: F \rightarrow E$ such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \psi & \\ F & \xleftarrow{\quad} & E \\ & \varphi & \end{array}$$

is exact, show that $[E] = [F]$ in $K_0 A$.

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below p.10

If A is regular, there is no problem because then one has an exact sequence

$$\cdots \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow \text{Im}(\varphi) \rightarrow E \rightarrow F \rightarrow E \rightarrow F \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow \text{Im}(\psi) \rightarrow 0$$

which shows that $\text{Im}(\varphi)$ has projective dimension zero, which forces $\text{Im}(\varphi)$ to be projective.

One should observe that $E \oplus F$, then has a nilpotent automorphism $\psi: (e, f) \mapsto (\psi f, \varphi e)$

It seems that Mumford's argument sheds light on the original problem. NO

Suppose then $i: Y \rightarrow X$ is a Cartier divisor and form again the blow-up situation

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} & & j_1 & & \\ & \nearrow & \searrow & & \\ P(N_s+1) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & P(N+1) & \xrightarrow{j_1} & Z \\ k_0 \downarrow g_0 & & k_1 \uparrow f_1 & & \downarrow f_1 \\ S & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Y & \xrightarrow{i} & X \xrightarrow{a} X \times P \\ & & i_0 & & \end{array}$$

Assume i_0 is of finite Tor dimension.

~~Notation~~

I will need j_0 of finite Tor dimension. Doesn't appear too likely.

Example

Let X be a scheme, and $X[\epsilon]$ the dual nos. scheme over X . A vector bundle $E^\#$ over $X[\epsilon]$ is the same thing as a vector bundle extension of a vector bundle \bar{E} on X by itself.

$$0 \rightarrow \bar{E} \rightarrow E^\# \rightarrow \bar{E} \rightarrow 0$$

so take \bar{E} to be the trivial line bundle, whence the iso classes of line bundles over $X[\epsilon]$ extending E ~~are~~ are elements of $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X)$. The point is that because of the first Chern class, distinct line bundles represent different elements of K_0 . Thus if $E^\#$ and F are two such extensions, we get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & \rightarrow & \mathcal{O}_X & \rightarrow & E^\# & \rightarrow & \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow 0 \\ & & \parallel & & \varphi & \circ & \parallel \\ 0 & \leftarrow & \mathcal{O}_X & \leftarrow & F^\# & \leftarrow & \mathcal{O}_X \leftarrow 0 \end{array}$$

as required on page 9, yet $[E] - [F] \neq$ in $K_0(X[\epsilon])$.

February 8, 1973: Chow ring

To fix the ideas, suppose X is an irreducible non-sing variety over k of dimension r . I want to understand the subgroup $C_e^p(X) \subset C^p(X)$ of cycles of codim p lin. equivalent to zero. Generators for $C_e^p(X)$ are obtained as follows. Let W be a irred subvar of $X \times \mathbb{P}^1$ of codim p such that $W_0 = W \cap (X \times 0)$ and $W_\infty = W \cap (X \times \infty)$ are defined. Then $W_0 - W_\infty \in C_e^p(X)$ and these elements generate.

To say $W \cap (X \times a)$ is not ~~a proper~~ intersection means (since $X \times a$ is of codim 1) that $\dim(W \cap (X \times a)) = \dim W$, hence $W \cap (X \times a) = W$ as W is irred, $\Rightarrow X \times a \supset W$, $\Rightarrow t$ is constant on W . (t = basic rational fn. on \mathbb{P}^1). Thus we can assume t non-constant on $W \Leftrightarrow$ ~~the generic point of~~ the generic point of W maps to the generic point of $\mathbb{P}^1 \Leftrightarrow k(t) \subset k(W)$.

Let Z be the image of the proper map $W \subset X \times \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow X$, whence $W \subset Z \times \mathbb{P}^1$. If $W = Z \times \mathbb{P}^1$, then $W_0 - W_\infty = Z - Z = 0$, so we can forget this case. Thus $W \subset Z \times \mathbb{P}^1$, and $\dim(W) = \dim(Z)$, so $k(Z) \subset k(W)$ have the same transcendence degree, so $k(W)/k(Z)$ is finite, in fact $k(W) = k(Z)[t]$. Note Z has codim $p-1$ in X .

(Now conversely if I give an irred. subvar. Z in X of codim $p-1$ and an algebraic function t over $k(Z)$, then I get a W by taking the closure of the point of $Z \times \mathbb{P}^1$ lying over the generic point of Z determined by t . Thus the situation is satisfying.)

What I need to know now is how to compute $W_0 - W_\infty$

as an element of $C^P(X)$. Clearly it is the divisor of the rational function t on W , but this doesn't help very much.

Let V be a subvariety of Z of codim 1. I want to determine the multiplicity of V in $W_0 - W_\infty$. Let A be the local ring of Z at V . It is a local domain of dimension one with quotient field $k(Z)$, and residue field $k(V)$. Associated to V I define a homomorphism

$$\varphi_{V,Z} : k(Z)^* \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

by putting $\varphi_V(a) = \text{length}_A A/aA$ and extending linearly. The formula to prove is

$$(*) \quad \boxed{\text{multiplicity of } V \text{ in } W_0 - W_\infty = \varphi_{V,Z}(\text{Norm}_{k(W) \rightarrow k(Z)} t)}$$

Assuming this ~~is true~~ we see that

$$C_e^P(X) = \text{Im} \left(\prod_{\text{cod}(Z)=p-1} k(Z)^* \xrightarrow{\varphi} \prod_{\text{cod}(V)=p} \mathbb{Z} \right) \subset C^P(X)$$

where φ restricted to $k(Z)^*$ is the map with



components $t \mapsto \varphi_{V,Z}(t)$ V codim 1 in Z .

Kleiman tells me that $(*)$ is in Chevalley's Chow ring seminar (?).

Here's how we might prove (*).

Let A be a local domain with fraction field F , \bar{F} an algebraic closure of F , $t \in \bar{F}$. Then I consider in $A[T_0, T_1]$ the ideal of f such that $f(1, t) = 0$, (f should be homogeneous). This defines an irreducible subscheme W in P_A^1 of codimension 1, and

$$\begin{aligned} W - W_\infty &= \text{Spec}(A[T]/\{f(T) \mid f(t)=0\}) \\ &= \text{Spec } A[t] \end{aligned}$$

$A[t] \subset \bar{F}$. Similarly

$$W - W_0 = \text{Spec } A[\frac{1}{t}].$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} W_0 &= \text{Spec } A[t]/tA[t] = \text{Spec } A/A \cap tA[t] \\ W_\infty &= \text{Spec } A[t^{-1}]/t^{-1}A[t^{-1}] = \text{Spec } A/A \cap t^{-1}A[t^{-1}]. \end{aligned}$$

Consider the special case where A is a d.v.r. Then $A[T]$ is a U.F.D., so one knows that the ideal $\{f(T) \mid f(t)=0\}$ is principal. In fact W is the subscheme defined by a single homogeneous polynomial

$$a_0 T_0^n + \dots + a_n T_1^n \quad \text{some } a_i \text{ unit}$$

where

$$t^n + \frac{a_1}{a_0} t^{n-1} + \dots + \frac{a_n}{a_0} = 0$$

is a minimal equation for t over F . Thus

$$A[\frac{1}{t}]/tA[t] = \frac{A[T]}{(T, a_0 T_0^n + \dots + a_n)} = A/a_n$$

$$A[t^{-1}]/t^{-1}A[t^{-1}] = A/a_0$$

so we do have

$$\begin{aligned}\text{mult}(W_0 - W_\infty) &= \text{length } A/\alpha_n - \text{length } A/\alpha_0 \\ &= \varphi\left(\frac{\alpha_n}{\alpha_0}\right) = \varphi(\text{Norm}(t)).\end{aligned}$$

so ~~in~~ the general case I have to show

$$\varphi(\text{Norm}(t)) = \text{length } A/AntA[t] - \text{length } A/Ant^rA[t^{-r}].$$

Fact: W is finite over A . For W also has dimension 1 and ~~so~~ each fibre over A is finite, otherwise W would contain the fibre and coincide with it by irreducibility. Thus W is quasi-finite and proper over A , hence it is finite.

Method. Choose $k_0 \subset A$ so the residue field R of A is finite over k_0 . Then ~~so~~ because I have assumed t to be non-constant on W , $k_0(t) \subset k(W)$. If $t \in k(W)$ is alg. over k_0 , then $k(W) = k$

Method. Choose $k_0 \subset A$ so the residue field A/m of A is finite over k_0 . If t is algebraic over k_0 , then take a minimal equation for t over k_0 , say

$$t^m + \lambda_1 t^{m-1} + \dots + \lambda_m = 0,$$

so $\lambda_m \neq 0$ ^{in k_0} , so t is a unit in $A[t]$, so $tA[t] = A[t]$ and $A \cap tA[t] = A \cap A[t] = A$. Ditto for t^{-1} . Thus the equation

~~the condition~~ we wish to prove is true. ($\text{Norm}(t)$ will be a unit in A as it is alg. over k_0).

On the other hand if t is not algebraic over k_0 , then $A[t]$ is torsion-free over $k_0[T]$, hence flat. Let $a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n$ be an equation $\neq 0$ satisfied by t with n least. Claim

$$A[T]/(a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n)$$

is flat over $k_0[T]$. In effect if $f(T) \in k_0[T]$ and $g(T), h(T) \in A[T]$ are such that

$$f(T) \cdot g(T) = h(T)(a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n),$$

then in $F[T]$ we have

$$f(T) \frac{g(T)}{a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n} = h(T)$$

because $a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n$ is irreducible in $F[T]$, and we have assumed t is not alg. over k_0 , so $a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n$ cannot divide $f(T)$ in $F[T]$. Thus $f(T)$ divides $h(T)$ in $F[T]$, and since $f(T)$ can be assumed monic, $f(T)$ divides $h(T)$ in $A[T]$. (Point: $h(T) = g(T)f(T) + r(T)$ in $A[T]$ and $r(T) = 0$ in $F[T]$). Thus $g(T)$ is divisible by $(a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n)$ in $A[T]$, proving the claim.

But now define J by the exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow J \rightarrow A[T]/(a_0 T^n + \dots + a_n) \rightarrow A[t] \rightarrow 0$$

Then J is flat over $k_0[T]$. Also J is a $A/m^N[T]$ -module. Therefore J is a free $k_0[T]$ -modules for

we get

$$\dim_{k_0} J/TJ + \dim_{k_0}(A[t]/tA[t]) = \dim_{k_0} A/a_n$$

similarly define J' by

$$0 \longrightarrow J' \longrightarrow A[T^{-1}]/a_0 + a_1 T^{-1} + \dots + a_n T^{-n} \longrightarrow A[t^{-1}] \rightarrow 0$$

and we have J' is flat over $k_0[T^{-1}]$ finite type.

$$\dim_{k_0}(J'/T^{-1}J') + \dim_{k_0}(A[t^{-1}]/t^{-1}A[t^{-1}]) = \dim_{k_0} A/a_0$$

But by flatness

$$\dim_{k_0} J/TJ = \text{rank}_{k_0[T, T^{-1}]} J \otimes_{k_0[T]} k_0[T, T^{-1}]$$

$$\dim_{k_0} J'/T^{-1}J' = \text{rank}_{k_0[T, T^{-1}]} J' \otimes_{k_0[T^{-1}]} k_0[T, T^{-1}]$$

and now we are done because the \dim_{k_0} is a multiple of the length over A .

Preceding proof is a bit artificial as this ought to make sense for a general local domain A of dim. 1 (noetherian, of course).

Recall that the solution of Gersten's conjecture means that $H^p(X, \mathbb{K}_n)$ (X reg. var. fun. type over k) can be calculated as the homology of the complex

$$0 \longrightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_0} K_n(k(x)) \xrightarrow{d_1} \coprod_{x \in X_1} K_{n-1}(k(x)) \longrightarrow \dots$$

where d_1 is the boundary map in a suitable localization exact sequence, precisely for

$$\boxed{\frac{m_{p+1}(x)/m_{p+2}(x)}{\coprod_{x \in X_{p+1}} m(k(x))} \rightarrow \frac{m_p(x)/m_{p+2}(x)}{\coprod_{x \in X_p} m(k(x))} \longrightarrow \frac{m_p(x)/m_{p+1}(x)}{\coprod_{x \in X_p} m(k(x))}}$$

and that hence d_1 will be known once one knows it for a local domain of dimension 1.

Now I want to check carefully that

$$\coprod_{x \in X_{p+1}} K_1(k(x)) \xrightarrow{d_1} \coprod_{x \in X_p} \mathbb{Z}$$

is what I think it is, namely the map which when restricted to $K_1(k(y)) = k(y)^*$ has the components $\varphi_{xy} : k(y)^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$

~~Use naturality:~~ Given $f \in k(y)^*$. Clearly $d_1 f = 0$ if f is algebraic over the ground field k . In the other case f defines a rational map to P_k^1 which is dominant and $p(f)$

Restrict attention to a local domain A of dim 1, with generic point y and special point x , and let t be a non-zero element of $k(y) = F$. Then form W as above whence W is finite over A and ~~t~~ defines a map $W \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_k^1$. If A were normal we would have $W = \text{Sp} A$. In any case we have that ~~t~~

• $\text{Sp } \bar{A} \rightarrow W \rightarrow \text{Sp } A$. So we get

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & K_1(\mathbb{P}_k^1) & \longrightarrow & K_1(k(T)) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & \coprod_{z \in \mathbb{P}_k^1, z \neq t} K_0(k(z)) & \longrightarrow K_0(\mathbb{P}_k^1) \rightarrow \dots \\
 B = \Gamma(W, \mathcal{O}_W) & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 & K_1(B) & \longrightarrow & K_1(k(y)) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & \coprod_{x \in W, x \neq t} K_0(k(x)) & \longrightarrow K_0(B) \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & \\
 K_1(A) & \longrightarrow & K_1(k(y)) & \xrightarrow{\partial} & K_0(k(x)) & \longrightarrow & K_0(A)
 \end{array}$$

Top map is OKAY because since t is not alg over k , W is flat over ~~\mathbb{P}_k^1~~ . Bottom map also OKAY. It should be clear that ∂ is OKAY for going between A and B . But now we can compute $K_1(k(T))$ and ∂ on it, by reduction to a local situation, where there is no choice for ∂ except for sign. So everything really is clear and we have \therefore proved.

Theorem: X reg. scheme fin. type over a field. Then
 \exists canonical isomorphism
 • $A^P(X) \cong H^P(X, \mathcal{K}_P)$

Consequence: We have a formula for the Chow ring which shows it is a contravariant functor of X without the "moving lemma". Thus we should have a Chow theory for non-quasi-projective non-singular varieties.

Moreover we have generalizations of the Chow ring

$$\underline{H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_g)} \quad p \leq g \quad (\text{zero for } p > g).$$

Using the ~~resolution~~ resolution

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{K}_g \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_0} \mathcal{K}_g(k(x)) \rightarrow \dots$$

or better the formula

$$H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_g) = H^p\left(\nu \mapsto \coprod_{x \in X_\nu} \mathcal{K}_{g-\nu}(k(x))\right)$$

try to derive basic formulas for the Chow ring.

First suppose $\overset{i}{\longrightarrow} X$ is a ^{regular} ~~closed~~ subscheme with complement U , ~~and~~ and suppose Y has codim d so that $X_Y = U_Y \amalg Y_{d-d}$, whence we have an exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in Y_{d-d}} \mathcal{K}_{g-\nu}(k(x)) \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_\nu} \mathcal{K}_{g-\nu}(k(x)) \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in U_\nu} \mathcal{K}_{g-\nu}(k(x)) \rightarrow 0$$

Certainly should be compatible with the differentials.

This is clear for the restriction to U and also for Y , since if $y \in Y$ then also does any $x \in \bar{y}$. Thus we ~~will~~ get ~~a~~ a long exact sequence

$$\rightarrow H^{p-d}(Y, \mathcal{K}_{g-d}) \longrightarrow H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_g) \longrightarrow H^p(U, \mathcal{K}_g) \rightarrow \dots$$

~~the~~

~~so this is available~~

Much more elementary is the Mayer-Vietoris sequence

$$\rightarrow H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_g) \longrightarrow H^p(U, \mathcal{K}_g) \oplus H^p(V, \mathcal{K}_g) \rightarrow H^p(U \cap V, \mathcal{K}_g) \rightarrow$$

if $X = U \cup V$, this being a general fact about sheaves.
In fact this works for more complicated coverings

Now if I want to establish the homotopy axiom:

$$H^p(X \times A^1, \mathcal{K}_g) = H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_g)$$

(by Mayer-Vietoris, I can restrict to the case where X is affine. In fact I have proved the Gersten conjecture for local rings essentially of finite type over a field. Thus ~~it suffices to establish the homotopy axiom~~ we can restrict to X local whence the ~~it suffices~~ goes fast)

it suffices to prove this when X is local. Then I can remove the closed point and argue by induction on the dimension. Recall that Gersten's conjecture has been proved for semi-local regular rings

ess. of finite type over a field. Thus I reduce to the case of a field, in which case one can compute everything as follows.

On A^1 we have just closed points and one gen. point, and we have the localization exact sequence which splits up into short exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow K_g(k[T]) \rightarrow K_g(k(T)) \rightarrow \coprod_m K_{g+1}(k[T]/m) \rightarrow 0$$

and since these are exact it's all clear.

Now with the homotopy axiom, and the exact sequence for a regular subscheme, the projective bundle theorem works. Wait you need c_1 . OKAY.

Next point is that with the projective bundle theorem, we can, at least in the affine case, define Chern classes for representations with coefficients in the $H^*(X, K_i)$ cohomology. So therefore I find Chern class maps

$$c_i : K_g(X) \rightarrow H^{i-a}(X, K_i)$$

and a Chern character map provided I tensor with \mathbb{Q} . (For X affine.) The fact that this should be a section of the spectral sequence should be clear on the representation level, so things really ought to work.

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In the following I work with regular schemes whose local rings are essentially of finite type over a field, so that we have a resolution

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{K}_n \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_0} \overset{i_x^*}{\mathcal{K}_n(k(x))} \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_1} i_{x*}(\mathcal{K}_{n-1}(k(x))) \rightarrow \dots$$

and so we can identify

$$H^{p,q}(\mathcal{K}_n) = E_2^{p,-n}$$

Set $H^{p,q} = H^q(X, \mathcal{K}_p)$; the Bloch cohomology of X . I want to develop its properties.

Ring structure - anti-commutative with respect to the degree $p+q$.

~~Exact sequence~~: $Y \xrightarrow{i} X$ closed immersion with X, Y regular. Then one gets

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} H^{p,q}(X, u) & \longrightarrow & H^{p,q}(X) & \longrightarrow & H^{p,q}(u) & \longrightarrow & H^{p,q+d+1}(X, u) \\ \uparrow s & & & & & & \uparrow s \\ H^{p-d, q-d}(Y) & & & & & & H^{p-d, q-d+1}(Y) \end{array}$$

where $d = \text{codim } (Y \text{ in } X)$.

Question: If $x \in X$, is $\varinjlim_{u \ni x} H^{p,q}(u) = H^{p,q}(\text{Spec } \mathcal{O}_x)$? YES.

Consider now the map $X \times \mathbb{A}^1 \xrightarrow{f} X$. I want to show $f^*: H^q(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^q(X \times \mathbb{A}^1)$ is an isom.

$$H^q(X, \mathcal{K}_p) \quad H^q(X \times \mathbb{A}^1, \mathcal{K}_p) \Leftarrow E_2^{st} = H^0(X, Rf_*^t(\mathcal{K}_p))$$

It is enough to show $\mathcal{K}_p \xrightarrow{\sim} f_* \mathcal{K}_p$, $R^+ f_*(\mathcal{K}_p) = 0$.

Fix $x \in X$. Then

$$R^0 f_*(\mathcal{K}_p)_x = \varinjlim_{U \ni x} H^0(U \times \mathbb{A}^1, \mathcal{K}_p).$$

~~proper map $f: X \times \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow X$. Then~~

~~$\varinjlim_{U \ni x} H^0(U \times \mathbb{P}^1, \mathcal{K}_p) = \varinjlim_{U \ni x} H^0(\dots \rightarrow \coprod_{y \in (U \times \mathbb{P}^1)_g} K_{p-y}(k(y)) \rightarrow \dots)$~~

~~But ~~for all $U \ni x$~~ $f(y) \in \{x\}$~~

$$= \varinjlim_{U \ni x} H^0\left(\rightarrow \coprod_{y \in (U \times \mathbb{A}^1)_g} K_{p-y}(k(y)) \rightarrow \dots\right)$$

$$= H^0\left(\rightarrow \varinjlim_{U \ni x} \coprod_{y \in (U \times \mathbb{A}^1)_g} K_{p-y}(k(y)) \rightarrow \dots\right)$$

But $y \in U \times \mathbb{A}^1 = f^{-1}(U)$ for all $U \ni x \Leftrightarrow f(y) \in \overline{\{x\}} = \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_x)$.
 And the codimension of y , being the dim of \mathcal{O}_y , doesn't change in restricting from X to \mathcal{O}_x . Thus it is clear

that

$$\boxed{R^g f_* (\mathcal{K}_p)_x = H^g(f^{-1}(S^p \mathcal{O}_x), \mathcal{K}_p)}$$

for any map $f: Y \rightarrow X$.

So to prove the homotopy axiom I can now argue by induction on the dimension of X . First $\dim(X)=0$ whence $X = \text{field } k$, and here one computes, using the fact that the localization theorem ^{sequence} breaks up into short exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow K_p(k[T]) \rightarrow K_p(k(T)) \longrightarrow \coprod_m K_{p-1}(k[T]/m) \rightarrow 0$$

~~$H^1(k[T], \mathcal{K}_p) = 0$~~ so $H^1(k[T], \mathcal{K}_p) = 0$, $H^0(k[T], \mathcal{K}_p) = K_p(k[T]) = K_p(k)$.

Then one argues that for a general X we have only to prove it for $X = \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_X)$, in which case we have $Y = \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_X/m_X) \rightarrow X$ and a map of exact sequences

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & \longrightarrow & H^{g-d}(Y, \mathcal{K}_{p-d}) & \longrightarrow & H^g(X, \mathcal{K}_p) & \longrightarrow & H^g(U, \mathcal{K}_p) \\ & & \downarrow (?) & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ & \longrightarrow & H^{g-d}(Y \times \mathbb{A}^1, \mathcal{K}_{p-d}) & \longrightarrow & H^g(X \times \mathbb{A}^1, \mathcal{K}_p) & \longrightarrow & H^g(U \times \mathbb{A}^1, \mathcal{K}_p) \end{array}$$

It is necessary to check that (?) is what you think it is, i.e. that the Thom isom.

$$H^g(Y, \mathcal{K}_p) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{g+d}(X, U; \mathcal{K}_{p+d})$$

is compatible with transversal base change. ~~Well enough~~

~~so this is a simplifying fact~~ In the case of a flat map it is pretty simple because in general if $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is flat then f induces a map of E_1 terms for the support filtration spectral sequence. Thus I can compute $f^*: H^g(X, \mathbb{K}_p) \rightarrow H^g(Y, \mathbb{K}_p)$ using the standard complexes.

$$\cdots \rightarrow \coprod_{y \in Y} K_p(k(y)) \xrightarrow{\quad} \cdots$$

↓

$$\cdots \rightarrow \coprod_{x \in X_g} K_{p-g}(k(x)) \rightarrow \cdots$$

e.g. if y has codim g , then any x over y has $\text{codim}(x) \geq g$. and the map does what it should for just those x of codim g .

Ultimately you will want to deal with transversal intersections, but not for now.

Anyway it is now clear that we can prove the homotopy property:

$$H^{p,g}(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{p,g}(X \times \mathbb{A}^1).$$

Next we want the projective bundle theorem. First note $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X) = H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X^*) = \text{Pic}(X)$, so for any line bundle L on X we have $c_1(L) \in H^{1,1}(X)$. Now to prove the projective bundle theorem, the argument used above for the homotopy property reduces one to the case of a field.

In this case we can proceed by induction on the dimension of the projective spaces, using the exact sequence

$$\mathbb{P}^1 \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{P}^*(E \oplus 1) \xleftarrow{j} \mathcal{O}(1) \sim \mathbb{P}E$$

which thanks to the induction hypothesis will give rise to short exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow h(\mathbb{P}^X) \xrightarrow{i_*} h(\mathbb{P}(E \oplus 1)) \xrightarrow{j^*} h(\mathbb{P}E) \rightarrow 0$$

~~Moreover~~ $h(X) = \bigoplus H^p(X)$. (In general, one has to prove the projection formula, i.e. that i_* is a module homomorphism for i^* , ~~as this present section does~~)

~~Assume this for now.~~ I know that $h(\mathbb{P}E)$ is a free module over $h(X)$ with basis $1, \xi, \dots, \xi^{n-1}$, $\xi = c_1(\mathcal{O}(1))_{\mathbb{P}E}$, ~~as well as like this~~ and that $\xi^n = 0$ by induction. To prove

$$i_* 1 = \xi^n \text{ in } h(\mathbb{P}E \oplus 1)$$

But if $E = L_1 + \dots + L_n$, then have $H_i = L_1 + \dots + \hat{L}_i + \dots + L_n$ and

$$\mathbb{P}^1 = \bigcap_{i=1}^n H_i$$

This is a transversal intersection. Thus I have several things to establish about the Thom isomorphism:

A) projection formula:

$$i_* : H^{p,q}(Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{p+d, q+d}(X, u)$$

module homo
for i^* .

B) transversal intersection formula:

Given $\begin{array}{ccc} Y' & \xrightarrow{f'} & Y \\ i' \downarrow & & \downarrow i \\ X' & \xrightarrow{f} & X \end{array}$

transversal, then $f^*i_* = i'_*f'^*: h(Y) \rightarrow h(X'X-Y)$.

To solve these it seems we must come to grips with the following problem

c). Given $f: X' \rightarrow X$, X' and X regular, show that f induces a map f^* from the spectral sequence of X to that of X' :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E_2^{p,q}(X) = H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_{-q}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & K_{-p-q}(X) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ H^p(X', \mathcal{K}_{-q}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & K_{-p-q}(X') \end{array}$$

This would follow if I were sure that Brown-Gersten spectral sequence was the same as mine from E_2 on.

Special case: Suppose X' is a divisor in X .
Then

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Summary: Using support filtration I can construct a spectral sequence

$$E_2^{pq} = H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_{-q}) \implies K_{-p-q}(X)$$

covariant for proper morphisms. (This uses the Gersten conjecture, so one assumes X regular and its local rings should be essentially of finite type over a field). On the other hand Brown-Gersten construct a similar spectral sequence which is evidently contravariant. Perhaps Gersten can prove these are the same spectral sequence. Assume this to be true.

Now we would like to show the differentials in the above spectral sequence are torsion. To do this we construct Chern classes with values in the Block cohomology $\oplus H^p(X, \mathcal{K}_q)$.

Let E be a vector bundle over X on which a group operates. Then ~~G~~ G operates on the space PE , ~~sheaf~~ and \mathcal{K}_* is a G -sheaf over PE , so we can speak of the equivariant cohomology

$$H^*(PE, G; \mathcal{K}_*)$$

$\mathcal{O}(1)$ is a G -sheaf on PE , so it has a class in $H^1(PE, G; \mathcal{O}_{PE}^*) = H^1(PE, G; \mathcal{K}_1)$. Since there are spectral sequences

$$H^p(G, H^q(PE, \mathcal{K}_*)) \implies H^{p+q}(PE, G; \mathcal{K}_*)$$

$$H^p(G, H^q(X, \mathcal{K}_*)) \implies H^{p+q}(X, G; \mathcal{K}_*)$$

and since we have (more or less) seen the projective bundle theorem is true, we have that the projective bundle theorem holds in the equivariant situation. Thus I get Chern classes

$$c_i(E) \in H^i(X, \mathcal{K}_i)$$

for any vector bundle ~~E~~ E on X. This I knew. But more, ~~I~~ I get

$$c_i : \cancel{K(X, G)} \longrightarrow H^i(X, G; \mathcal{K}_i)$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \parallel$$

$$\bigoplus_a H^a(G, H^{i-a}(X, \mathcal{K}_i))$$

and so therefore, when X is affine, I should get maps

$$c_i : K_a(X) \longrightarrow H^{i-a}(X, \mathcal{K}_i).$$

For X local we get ~~only~~^{only} maps

$$c_a : K_a(X) \longrightarrow K_a(X)$$

What is surprising about this is that in general we expect the Chern character to be an isomorphism

~~ch : K_a(X) ⊗ Q → H^i(X, K_i)~~

$$ch : K_a \otimes \mathbb{Q} \xrightarrow{\sim} \bigoplus_{i \geq 0} H^{i-a}(X, \mathcal{K}_i)$$

We know this is true for $a=0$.

Paradox: We have operations \mathbb{E}^k on $K(X, G)$ which induce \mathbb{E}^k on $K_a(X)$. One knows for any Chern class theory that

$$c_i(\mathbb{E}^k E) = k^i c_i(E).$$

(This follows from the splitting principle and $c_i(\mathbb{E}^k L) = c_i(L^{\otimes k}) = k^i c_i(L)$.) Thus we have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K(X, G) & \xrightarrow{c_i} & H^i(X, G; K_i) \quad (= H^i(G, \mathbb{E}^{K_i(X)})) \\ \downarrow \mathbb{E}^k & & \downarrow k^i \quad (\text{in local case}) \\ K(X, G) & \xrightarrow{c_i} & H^i(X, G; K_i) \quad (= H^i(G, \mathbb{E}^{K_i(X)})) \end{array}$$

so it follows that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_i X & \xrightarrow{c_i} & K_i X \\ \downarrow \mathbb{E}^k & & \downarrow k^i \\ K_i X & \xrightarrow{c_i} & K_i X \end{array}$$

should commute in the local case. But for $X =$ algebraic closure of \mathbb{F}_p this seems to be nonsense for $i=3$, since I know \mathbb{E}^p acts on K_3 by multiplying by p^2 .

History of paper - In the cohomology and K-theory of the general linear groups over a finite field.

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the final writing spree started not too long after Jan. 4, 1972, except we started with the paper on K-theory then decided to switch.

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~~Upper~~ upper bound for $H^*(\mathrm{GL}_n \mathbb{F}_q, \mathbb{F}_q)$ understood from cohomology of the symmetric groups, Dec. 1969

Sullivan showed me $\mathbb{F}\mathbb{P}^8$ in Jan. 1970

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at that time did not know about duality of mod p cohomology. That was discovered sometime in the summer in July, along with the stable splitting theorem.

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Topics omitted in the paper

1. Wu formulae

2. symmetric functions in de Rham cx.

3. dependence on the choice of the embedding
 $p: \mathbb{K}^* \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^*$

4. The Hurewicz map $K_{2i-1}(\mathbb{F}_q) \rightarrow \mu_{q^{2i-1}}^{\otimes i}$
defined by c_i

5. $(\mathbb{F}\bar{\mathbb{F}}^8)_e$ depends only on \mathfrak{g} the subgroup of \mathbb{Z}_e^* generated by \mathfrak{g} .
6. Identification of 1-ring ~~structure~~ with that on $[X, \mathbb{F}\bar{\mathbb{F}}^8]$.
7. Identification of Groth. classes with ones constructed by the Brauer lifting
8. Sullivan's fast argument for getting $K_*(\bar{\mathbb{F}}_p)$ from A.C. paper.
- $BGL(\bar{\mathbb{F}}_p)$ is $\bigoplus_{l \neq p} \mathbb{Q}_e/\mathbb{Z}_e$ version of BU

problems avoided for lack of understanding

5. above
7. why Groth's classes ~~are~~ $H^{2i-1}(GL_n \mathbb{F}_q, \mu_{q^{i-1}}^{\otimes i})$ coincide with mine
Also why $SL_2(k)$ 1-connected (Steinberg, Moore, Matsumoto theory)?
- stability of mod p coh. in n . GL_n
Bockstein spec. seq for $H^*(GL_n k, \mathbb{Z}_e)$

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Exact sequences of a closed subscheme.

1.) Z closed in X , $U = Z - X$, $i: Z \rightarrow X$, $j: U \rightarrow X$

~~closed~~ canonical immersions. $j^*: M(X) \rightarrow M(U)$ = localization wrt Serre subcat \mathcal{B} of sheaves on X with support on Z ; devisor $\Rightarrow K_g^* m(Z) \cong K_g^* \mathcal{B}$, so get from loc. thm. an exact seq.

$$\dots \rightarrow K_{g+1}^* U \xrightarrow{\partial} K_g^* Z \xrightarrow{i^*} K_g^* X \xrightarrow{j^*} K_g^* U \xrightarrow{\partial} \dots$$

Mention the fibration $QM(Z) \xrightarrow{\cong} QM(X) \xrightarrow{\cong} QM(U)$.

2.) Natural with respect to inclusion $Z_1 \subset Z_2$.

3.) Mayer-Vietoris. If $X = U_1 \cup U_2$, then

$$\rightarrow K_g^*(X) \rightarrow K_g^* U_1 \oplus K_g^* U_2 \rightarrow K_g^*(U_1 \cap U_2) \xrightarrow{\partial} \dots$$

~~closed~~ Mention Gersten and ~~Brown-Gersten~~ Brown-Gersten.

4.) Covariant character. Suppose X, Z, U, i, j as above; $f: X' \rightarrow X$, $Z' = f^{-1}(Z)$ etc. If f proper, then ~~closed~~ claim have a map of long exact sequences

$$\rightarrow K_{g+1}^* U' \xrightarrow{\cong} K_g^* Z' \rightarrow K_g^* X' \rightarrow K_g^* U' \rightarrow \dots$$

$\downarrow (f_{\#})^*$ $\downarrow (f_{\#})^*$ $\downarrow f_*$ $\downarrow (f_{\#})_*$

$$\rightarrow K_{g+1}^* U \rightarrow K_g^* Z \rightarrow K_g^* X \rightarrow K_g^* U \rightarrow \dots$$

Proof.

hegs →

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} & & m(Z') & \rightarrow & m(X') & \rightarrow & m(U') \\ & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ & & \mathcal{G}(Z', f) & \rightarrow & \mathcal{G}(X', f) & \rightarrow & \mathcal{G}(U', f) \\ & & \downarrow (f_{\#})^* & & \downarrow f_* & & \downarrow (f_{\#})_* \\ m(Z) & \rightarrow & \mathcal{G}m(X) & \rightarrow & m(U) & & \end{array}$$

5.) Contravariant character. $x, z, u, \epsilon, j, x', z', u', i, j'$, etc. as above. Suppose now that f is of fin. Tor dim. Then have

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \cancel{m(x)} & \longrightarrow & m(u) \\ \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f_u^* \\ P(x, f) & \longrightarrow & P(u, f_u) \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ m(x) & \longrightarrow & m(u) \end{array}$$

where inclusion bottom vertical arrows give iso. on K -theory. Thus get a map of long exact seq.

$$(*) \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} \longrightarrow & K_g' Z' & \longrightarrow & & \longrightarrow \\ & \uparrow (?) & \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f_u^* \\ \longrightarrow & K_g' Z & \longrightarrow & & \end{array}$$

where (?) is the composition

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_g' Z' & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K_g(m(x) \rightarrow m(u)) \\ & & \uparrow \\ & & K_g(P(x, f) \rightarrow P(u, f_u)) \\ & & \downarrow s \\ K_g Z & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K_g(m(x) \rightarrow m(u)) \end{array}$$

Following prop. $\#$, identifies $(*)$ is same special cases.

Prop. a) ~~Ω_X^1, Ω_Z~~ tor ind. $\Rightarrow (?) = f_2^*$.

b) If $T_p = \text{Tor}_p^{\Omega_X^1}(\Omega_X^1, \Omega_Z)$ fin. Tor dim over Ω_Z $\nexists P$,
~~This is the case~~ let $s_p: K_g^1 Z \rightarrow K_g^1 Z'$ be
the map induced by the exact functor

$$F \mapsto \del{\Omega_X^1(F)} T_p \otimes_{\Omega_Z} F$$

on the subcat of $M(2)$ s.t. of $F \Rightarrow \text{Tor}_{\Omega_Z}^{\Omega_Z}(T_p, F) = 0$.

Then $(?) = \sum (-1)^p s_p \cdot \del{K_g^1 Z \rightarrow K_g^1 Z'}$

c) If Ω_Z is of finite Tor dim / Ω_Z
and T_p is of finite Tor dimension over $\Omega_Z = T_0$
for all p , ~~this is the case~~ whence have

$$c = \sum (-1)^p T_p \in K_0 Z'$$

then $(?)$ ~~=~~ composition

$$K_g^1 Z \xrightarrow{f_2^*} K_g^1 Z' \xrightarrow{c} K_g^1 Z.$$

a) easy because ~~the class for $M(2)$~~

$$\text{Tor}_p^{\Omega_X^1}(\Omega_Z, M) \cong i'_* \text{Tor}_p^{\Omega_Z}(\Omega_Z, M) = \text{Tor}_p^{\Omega_X^1}(\Omega_X^1, M)$$

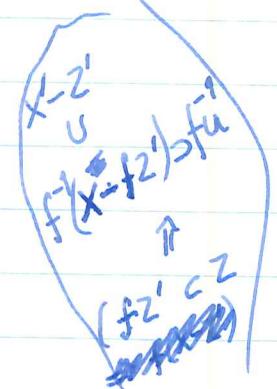
so f_2 is of finite Tor dimension and have $i'_* P(Z, f_2)$
 $\subset P(X, f)$, $f^* i_* = i'_*(f^*)$. so clear.

~~We will outline proof of b) below.~~

exact sequence of a closed subscheme.
 X noeth, Z closed subscheme, $U = X - Z$
 $i: Z \rightarrow X$ inclusion
 $j: U \rightarrow X$

Then have an exact sequence

$$\xrightarrow{\partial} K_g^1(Z) \xrightarrow{i^*} K_g^1(X) \xrightarrow{j^*} K_g^1(U) \rightarrow \dots$$



Covariant character. $f: X' \rightarrow X$, $f(Z') \subset Z$. Claim then that we get a ~~long exact~~ map of long exact sequences

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \dots & \xrightarrow{\partial} & K_g^1(Z') & \xrightarrow{i'^*} & K_g^1(X') & \xrightarrow{j'^*} & K_g^1(U') \xrightarrow{\partial} \dots \\ & & f(t_Z)^* & & f_* & & (f_{U'})^* \text{ res } u' \\ \dots & \xrightarrow{\partial} & K_g^1(Z) & \xrightarrow{i^*} & K_g^1(X) & \xrightarrow{j^*} & K_g^1(U) \xrightarrow{\partial} \dots \end{array}$$

Proof: first reduce to case $Z' = f^{-1}Z$, $U' = f^{-1}U$.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} m(Z') & \xrightarrow{i'^*} & m(X') & \xrightarrow{j'^*} & m(U') \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \mathcal{F}\ell(Z', f) & \xrightarrow{i'^*} & \mathcal{F}\ell(X', f) & \xrightarrow{j'^*} & \mathcal{F}\ell(U', f) \\ \downarrow f_{Z'}^* & & \downarrow f_* & & \downarrow f_{U'}^* \\ m(Z) & \xrightarrow{i^*} & m(X) & \xrightarrow{j^*} & m(U) \end{array}$$

so its clear.

Contravariant character: $f: X' \rightarrow X$, $f^{-1}Z \subset Z'$

again reduce easily to case of $f^{-1}Z = Z'$.

Assume \otimes f finite Tor dimension. ~~and that~~

Then have diagram of exact functors

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} m(Z') & \longrightarrow & m(X') & \longrightarrow & m(U') \\ \uparrow f & & \uparrow f_u^* & & \\ P(X, f) & \longrightarrow & P(U, f) & & \\ \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \\ m(Z) & \longrightarrow & m(X) & \longrightarrow & m(U) \end{array}$$

and so one gets a map of exact sequences

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \exists & K_g^f(Z') & \xrightarrow{i'_*} & K_g^f(X') & \xrightarrow{j'^*} & K_g^f(U') & \longrightarrow \\ \uparrow & \uparrow f & & \uparrow f^* & & \uparrow f_u^* & \\ \exists & K_g^f(Z) & \xrightarrow{i_*} & K_g^f(X) & \xrightarrow{j^*} & K_g^f(U) & \longrightarrow \end{array}$$

and the problem is to identify the map \circledast on the fibre.

Case 1: Z, X' are Tor independent over X , i.e.

$$\text{Tor}_g^{\Omega_X}(\Omega_{X'}, \Omega_Z) = 0. \quad \text{Then } (f_{2*})^{(1)}$$

Then ~~we have~~ we have for any $M \in m(Z)$

$$\text{Tor}_g^{\Omega_X}(\Omega_{X'}, i_* M) = i'_* \text{Tor}_g^{\Omega_X}(\Omega_{Z'}, M)$$

so that $M \in P(Z, f_2) \iff i_* M \in P(X, f)$. Thus ~~we can add to~~ we can add to \otimes the row

$$P(Z, f_2)$$

and so the assertion is clear.

Case 2: for each g . $\text{Tor}_g^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_{X'}, \mathcal{O}_Z)$ is of fin. Tor dim over \mathcal{O}_Z . Then have maps

$$K_g'(Z) \longrightarrow K_g'(Z')$$

$$F \longmapsto \left(\text{Tor}_g^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_{X'}, \mathcal{O}_{Z'}), \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_{Z'}}, \mathbb{P} \right)_*$$

and the claim is that ~~\dots~~

$$(*) = \sum_i (-1)^i \left[\text{Tor}_g^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_{X'}, \mathcal{O}_Z) \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_Z} \mathbb{P} \right].$$

Proof. R cat cons. of ~~$\mathbb{P}(X, f)$~~ -resol. of an \mathcal{O}_Z module $\mathbb{P} \in \mathbb{P}(Z, \text{Tor}_*(X', Z))$.

$$0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{P} \rightarrow 0$$

I first want to show that

$$(1) \quad K_g(R) \cong K_g(X)^{n-1} \oplus K_g(Z).$$

$$(P_i) \longmapsto ((Z_i(P_i)))_{i=0}^{n-1}, H_0(P_0)$$

but assume this.

Then I have ~~approximate~~ maps of K-theories

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R & \xrightarrow{\text{alt. sum of } \text{Tor}_i^{\mathcal{O}_Z}(X', Z)} & M(Z') \\ & \xrightarrow{H_0 P} & m(Z') \\ & \downarrow f^* & \\ P_i & \xrightarrow{\text{alt. sum of } P_i} & P(X, f) \\ & \downarrow \text{alg} & \\ H_0 P_i & \xrightarrow{\text{alg}} & m(X) \end{array}$$

which because of the exact sequence thm. is commutative.

Blowing-up. Suppose $i: Z \rightarrow X$ is a reg. imm.
 i.e. a closed immersion whose defining ideal is gen. loc.
 by a reg. sequence, $f: X' \rightarrow X$ the blowing-up of Z ,
 N the normal bundle, $Z' = PN$, and F the
 canonical bundle on Z' defined by

$$0 \rightarrow F \rightarrow f_2^* N \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{Z'}(1) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} Z' & \xrightarrow{i'} & X' & \leftarrow u' \\ \downarrow f_2 & \quad \downarrow f & \parallel + u \\ Z & \xrightarrow{i} & X & \leftarrow u \end{array}$$

Then ~~get~~ in $(*)$ get ~~good~~ f_*

so get bicart. squares

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_g'(X') & \xrightarrow{i'^*} & K_g'(X') \\ \uparrow \lambda_{-1}(F)g^* & & \uparrow f^* \\ K_g'(Y) & \xrightarrow{\lambda^*} & K_g'(X) \end{array}$$

~~Using~~ Using projective bundle thm. ~~get~~ therefore the gen. of ~~hol~~ blown-up scheme
 to K' situation.

Prop: $i: Y \rightarrow X$ regular immersion
 then $\lambda^* \lambda_* y = \lambda_{-1}(N^\vee).y \quad y \in K_g(Y)$.

Difference construction: Let $f: M \rightarrow M'$ be an exact functor between exact categories. Denote by $\mathcal{C}^b(M)$ the exact cat. of bdd complexes and by $\mathcal{C}^{b,\phi}(M)$ the ^(sub)cat. of bdd. acyclic complexes.

$$QM \xrightarrow{Qf} QM'$$

fibre of induced map of classifying spaces $\text{Fib}(Qf)$

$$K_g(M \xrightarrow{f} M') = \pi_{g+1}(\text{Fib}(Qf)).$$

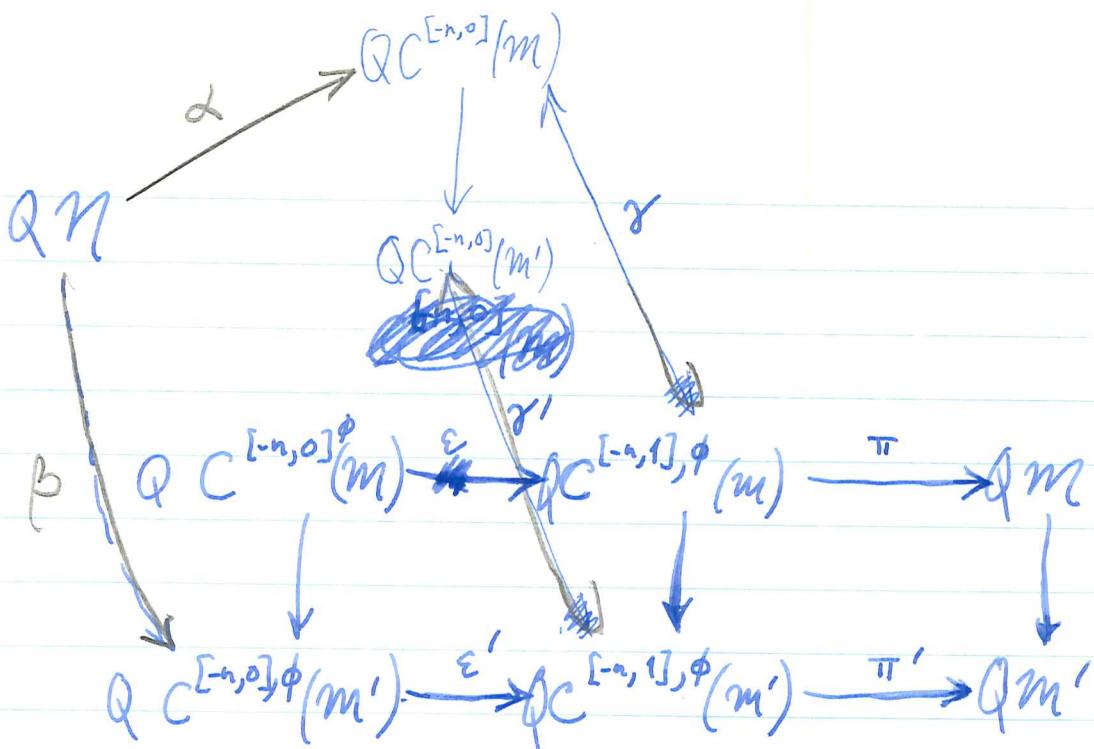
Now let $\mathcal{C}^b(M)$ be bdd complexes in M , and $\mathcal{C}^{b,\phi}(M)$ the subcat. of acyclic complexes. I propose to define a homo.

$$K_g \left[\mathcal{C}^b(M) \times_{\mathcal{C}^b(M')} \mathcal{C}^{b,\phi}(M') \right] \longrightarrow K_g(M \xrightarrow{f} M').$$

In other words to give an exact functor from N to ^{bdd} complexes in M which ~~became~~ acyclic in M' defines a map from $K_g N$ to $K_g(M \xrightarrow{f} M')$.

$\mathcal{C}^{[n,0]}(M)$ The construction: Will limit myself to complexes with amplitude in $[n, 0]$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & C^{[n,0]}(M) & \\ \nearrow & \downarrow & \\ C^{[n,0],\phi}(M) & \hookrightarrow & C^{[n,1],\phi}(M) \longrightarrow M \end{array}$$



The idea we have the maps α, β with the same image in $C^{[-n,0]}(m')$. Now γ is a homotopy, so we have a map $\pi\gamma^{-1}\alpha$ which represents the alternating sum $\sum (-1)^k F_k$. Now $f\pi\gamma^{-1}\alpha = \pi'f\gamma^{-1}\alpha$. But γ^{-1} is a homotopy inverse for γ

$$\gamma'f\gamma^{-1} = f\gamma\gamma^{-1} \sim f$$

$$\gamma'f\gamma^{-1}\alpha \sim f\alpha = \gamma'\beta$$

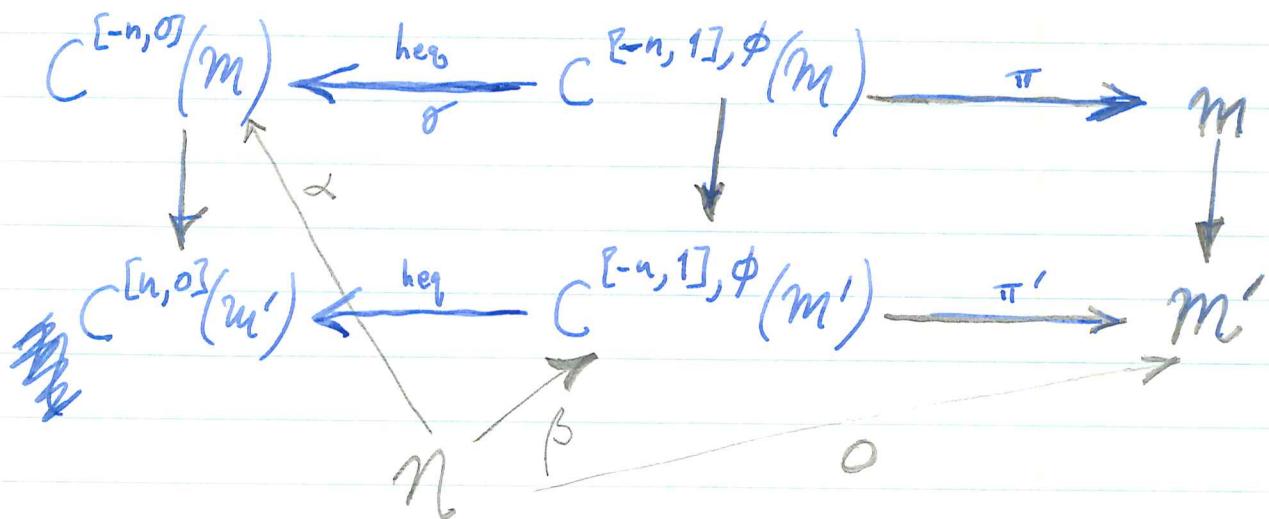
$$\text{so } f\gamma^{-1}\alpha \sim \varepsilon'\beta$$

$$\text{so } f\pi\gamma^{-1}\alpha = \pi'f\gamma^{-1}\alpha \sim \pi'\varepsilon'\beta = 0.$$

Thus the map $\pi\gamma^{-1}\alpha$, with this contracting homotopy, defines a map $Q\eta \rightarrow \text{Fib}(Qm - Qm')$.

Not clear!

diagram is this maybe



Because the indicated arrows are hegs, there is ~~any lifting~~ a unique triple $\alpha': BQ\eta \rightarrow BQC^{[-n, 1], \phi}(m)$ with homotopies joining the images $f\alpha' \sim \beta$, $\gamma\alpha' \sim \alpha$. Then one projects into m getting $f\pi\alpha' = \pi'f\alpha' \sim \pi'\beta = 0$, hence one gets a well-defined map $Q\eta \rightarrow \text{Fibre}$.

Additivity. Notation: If $F: \eta \rightarrow C^b(m)$ is basic functor how about for the induced map. Then $\Delta_F: K_\delta \eta \rightarrow K_\delta(m \rightarrow m')$

$$\boxed{\Delta_F = \Delta_{F'} + \Delta_{F''}}$$

for $0 \rightarrow F' \rightarrow F \rightarrow F'' \rightarrow 0$.

Proof. $Ex(m) \rightarrow Ex(m')$.

Proof of ~~obviously~~ variance formula:

$R \subset C_{\geq 0}^b(m(X))$ ch. complexes ~~as~~ of modules in $P(X, f)$ ~~sets~~ which resolve an $F \in P(\text{Tor.}(X, Z))$

Now you have a commutative ~~diag~~ diag

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 K_0(m(z')) & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K_0(m(x') \rightarrow m(u')) \\
 \uparrow & & \uparrow \\
 K_0(R) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_0(P(X, f) \rightarrow P(u, f_u)) \\
 \downarrow \beta & & \downarrow s \\
 K_0(m(z)) & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K_0(m(x) \rightarrow m(u))
 \end{array}$$

α defined by assoc. to $P \rightarrow M$ in R , the complex $P.$ in $P(X, f)$ which becomes acyclic in $U.$

$$F(P \rightarrow M) = F. \quad \alpha = \Delta_F$$

β defined by $(P \rightarrow M) \mapsto M.$ ~~as~~

γ by alt. sum of $(P \rightarrow M) \mapsto \text{Tor}_P(\partial_1, \partial_2) \otimes_{\partial_2} M)$

Proof. Let n be the Tor dimension of \mathcal{O}_X' over \mathcal{O}_X . Let R be the exact category consisting of exact sequences in $M(X)$ of the form

$$(*) \quad 0 \rightarrow M_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow M_0 \rightarrow M_{-1} \rightarrow 0$$

with M_i in $M(Z)$. Let R' be the full subcat of R consisting of those exact sequences such that $M_i \in P(X, t)$ for $i \geq 0$ and such that ~~$\text{Tor}_g^{\mathcal{O}_X}(T_p, M) = 0$~~ for $g > 0$, ~~and all p~~ where

$$T_p = \text{Tor}_p^{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{O}_X', \mathcal{O}_Z) \in M(Z').$$

~~Another~~ Using the resolution thm one can show that ~~it follows from~~ $K_g R' \xrightarrow{\sim} K_g R$. However ~~(*)~~ any object $(*)$ in R has an ~~exact~~ elementary exact char. filtration whose quotients are complexes. ~~with~~

$$0 \rightarrow M_i \xrightarrow{\sim} M_{i-1} \rightarrow 0 \dots$$

Thus by the exact sequence thm. get isom.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K_g R & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K_g M(Z) \times K_g^{n+1} M(X) \\ (M_i) & \mapsto & \left(M_{i-1}, \frac{M_i}{\ker(M_{i-1} \rightarrow M_i)}, \text{osicn} \right) \end{array}$$

~~No 2. A homological interpretation~~

$$0 \rightarrow P_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow P_1 \rightarrow P_0 \rightarrow P_{-1} \rightarrow 0$$

exact in $m(X)$, i.e. $P_i \in C^{[E_n, f]} \phi(m(X))$.

want $P_i \in P(X, f)$, $i \geq 0$, and $P_{-1} \in P(\text{Tor}(X', 2))$

Start off with $C^{[E_n, f]} \phi(m(X))$ - with M_{-1} and \mathcal{O}_2 -mod.
R be this subcat. Claim

$$\begin{aligned} K_0(R) &\xrightarrow{\sim} K_0(m(X))^{n-1} \times K_0(m(Z)) \\ (P_i) &\longmapsto (\cancel{dP_{i+1}} \quad P_{-1}). \end{aligned}$$

You have to apply the resolution theorem, so you
have to be able to resolve. Classical.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 \rightarrow P_n & \rightarrow & \dots & \rightarrow & P_0 & \rightarrow & P_{-1} \rightarrow 0 \\ \downarrow & & & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ 0 \rightarrow M_n & \rightarrow & \dots & \rightarrow & M_0 & \rightarrow & M_{-1} \rightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

and $P_n \in P(X, f)$ provided $n \geq \text{Tor dim } \mathcal{O}_{X'}$ over \mathcal{O}_X .