VI.2 Properties of Simplicial Homology

정의 1 $f: |K| \to |L|$, a simplicial map.

Define $f_{\sharp,p}: C_p(K) \to C_p(L)$ by $f_{\sharp,p}[v_0, \dots, v_p] = [f(v_0), \dots, f(v_p)].$ f_{\sharp} is well-defined, i.e., $f(\overline{\sigma}) = -f(\sigma)$.

 $\{f_{\sharp,p}\}$ is a "chain map" induced by f, i.e., $f_{\sharp} \circ \partial = \partial \circ f_{\sharp}$.

$$\cdots \to C_{p+1} \xrightarrow{\partial} C_p \xrightarrow{\partial} C_{p-1} \xrightarrow{\partial} \cdots$$

$$\downarrow f_{p+1} \curvearrowright \downarrow f_p \curvearrowright \downarrow f_{p-1} \{f_p\} \text{ is called a chain map if } \partial_p \circ f_p = f_{p-1} \circ \partial_p$$

$$\cdots \to D_{p+1} \xrightarrow{\partial} D_p \xrightarrow{\partial} D_{p-1} \xrightarrow{\partial} \cdots$$

1. f_{\sharp} commutes with ∂ and f_{\sharp} induces a homomorphism $f_{*}:H_{p}(K)\to H_{p}(L)$.

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$$\partial \circ f_{\sharp}[v_0, \cdots, v_p] = \partial [f(v_0), \cdots, f(v_p)]$$

$$= \Sigma (-1)^i [f(v_0), \cdots, f(\hat{v}_i), \cdots, f(v_p)]$$

$$= f_{\sharp} \partial [v_0, \cdots, v_p]$$

$$\partial \circ f_{\sharp} = f_{\sharp} \circ \partial \Rightarrow f_{\sharp} : Z_p \to Z_p \text{ and } B_p \to B_p \Rightarrow f_* : H_p \to H_p.$$

2. (i) $f: K \to L$ and $g: L \to M$: simplicial maps $\Rightarrow (g \circ f)_* = g_* \circ f_*$. (ii) $id: K \to K \Rightarrow id_* = id$.

ਣੌਰ clear from definition since $(g \circ f)_{\sharp} = g_{\sharp} \circ f_{\sharp}$ and $\mathrm{id}_{\sharp} = \mathrm{id}$.

Topological invariance of Simplicial Homology (key idea)

- 1. Let K' be a subdivision of K and let $\lambda: C_p(K) \to C_p(K')$ be an obvious subdivision operator. Then it can be shown that $\lambda_*: H_p(K) \to H_p(K')$ is an isomorphism.
- 2. K and L are simplicial complex structure for X. Choose a common subdivision M for K and L. Then from 1, $H_p(K) \cong H_p(M) \cong H_p(L)$.

Ordered Simplicial Homology

Ordered chain complex:

 $\triangle_p(K) :=$ the free abelian group generated by the ordered p-simplices in K and let $\partial(v_0,\dots,v_p)=\Sigma(-1)^i(v_0,\dots,\hat{v_i},\dots,v_p).$

Then $\partial^2 = 0$: same as before.

 \Rightarrow We have a chain complex $\{\Delta_p(K), \partial\}$ called the ordered chain complex.

$$\cdots \xrightarrow{\partial} \triangle_{p+1}(K) \xrightarrow{\partial} \triangle_p(K) \xrightarrow{\partial} \triangle_{p-1}(K) \xrightarrow{\partial} \cdots$$

 $\Rightarrow H^{\triangle}_p(K) = \ker \, \partial_p / \, \operatorname{im} \partial_{p+1} :$ ordered simplicial homology.