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#### 1 INTRODUCTION

This document has been prepared to serve as a template for preparation of a master's or Ph.D. thesis in mathematics at New Mexico State University. The template uses the LaTeX  $2_{\varepsilon}$  document preparation system as the basic tool. Before you attempt to use the template, you should become familiar with the LaTeX  $2_{\varepsilon}$  system. For example, you may browse the directory usr/local/teTeX/texmf/doc/latex on the Department of Mathematical Sciences UNIX server for essential information about LaTeX  $2_{\varepsilon}$ . You may also wish to invest in a copy of Leslie Lamport's user guide and reference manual [3].

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This files for this template were prepared by Pat Morandi and Ross Staffeldt. All the .tex files for the template were prepared using the emacs editor.

Before you start creating files and problems for yourself, you should acquire some basic background information about writing in the mathematical sciences. A basic reference is Nicholas J. Higham's book [2], which includes discussion of what differentiates good writing from poor writing, preparation of talks and posters, as well as preparation of theses and papers. He also has material on TeX systems and a brief introduction to the emacs editor. The American Mathematical Society publication [7] has general information about mathematical typesetting which is still useful, although the book predates the TeX-age. We conclude with a brief description of the contents of this template.

Chapter 2 is an extract from the 1997 Ph.D. thesis of Eduardo Quiñones-Rico. It is included to illustrate the some of the features made available in the packages amsmath and amsthm which are in the macro package AMS-ETEX distributed free of charge by the American Mathematical Society. Among the features illustrated in this section are the environments for theorems, proofs, lemmas, remarks, and examples of "cases" constructions. This section also illustrates some commutative diagrams illustrating the package xypic. In later versions of the template we hope to include examples from other NMSU theses illustrating problems and solutions associated to communicating other types of mathematics.

Chapter 3 provides a sample table containing mathematical entries. The table is also extracted from Eduardo's thesis. There are no special packages called for in this section. The main purpose of the section is to give a reason for creating a list of tables following the table of contents page.

Chapter 4 provides two figures which are the realizations of two encapsulated PostScript files. Creating and incorporating graphics is rather sophisticated business. For detailed information on the incorporation of graphics into a LaTeX  $2_{\varepsilon}$  document go to some directory under your UNIX account and use the command

cp /usr/local/teTeX/texmf/doc/latex/graphics/epslatex.ps epslatex.ps to transfer a copy of the document "Using EPS Graphics in LATEX  $2_{\varepsilon}$  Documents" to your account, where you can view it or print it for later reference.

#### **HOMOLOGY** $\mathbf{2}$

We now introduce the concepts of simplicial module and of the homology associated to a simplicial module. As a variation of this, we recall the definition of cyclic module and its cyclic homology first given by Loday [4].

The letter k will always denote a commutative ring with identity.

#### 2.1 Simplicial Homology of a Simplicial Module

We define simplicial modules and their homology. Also, two examples are given. The first example is the free simplicial module associated to a simplicial set. Our second example is the Hochschild complex of a unitary algebra A over a ring k.

**Definition 2.1.** A simplicial k-module  $M_*$  is a family of k-modules  $\{M_n\}_{n\geq 0}$  together with k-module homomophisms  $d_i: M_n \to M_{n-1}$  and  $s_i: M_n \to M_{n+1}$  for  $0 \le i \le n$  satisfying the following identities:

$$d_i d_j = d_{j-1} d_i \quad \text{for} \quad i < j. \tag{1}$$

$$s_i s_j = s_{j+1} s_i \quad \text{for} \quad i \le j \tag{2}$$

$$s_{i}s_{j} = s_{j+1}s_{i} \quad \text{for} \quad i \leq j$$

$$d_{i}s_{j} = \begin{cases} s_{j-1}d_{i} & \text{if } i < j, \\ id & \text{if } i = j \text{ or } i = j+1, \\ s_{j}d_{i-1} & \text{if } i > j+1. \end{cases}$$

$$(3)$$

$$s_{j}d_{i-1} \quad \text{if } i > j+1.$$

In order to define the homology of a simplicial module define  $b: M_n \to M_{n-1}$  to be the boundary map such that

$$b = \sum_{i=0}^{n} (-1)^{i} d_{i}$$

Relations (1) imply  $b^2 = 0$ , so we obtain a chain complex  $(M_*, b)$  and we have the following definition:

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $M_*$  be a simplicial k-module. The homology of the simplicial module  $M_*$  is given by

$$H_n(M_*) = H_n(M_*, b)$$

where  $H_n(M_*, b)$  is the *n*-th homology of the complex  $(M_*, b)$ .

**Example 2.3.** A simplicial set X is a family of sets  $\{X_n\}_{n\geq 0}$  together with functions  $d_i$  and  $s_i$  satisfying relations (1)-(3). A simplicial set gives rise to a free simplicial k-module denoted k[X] by taking  $k[X]_n = k[X_n]$ , the free k-module with basis  $X_n$ . In this case we usually write  $H_*(k[X]) = H_*(X;k)$ . Let Y be a topological space and let X = Sin(Y) be the singular complex of Y. This has

$$X_n = \{ \sigma \colon \Delta^n \to Y \colon \sigma \text{ is continuous} \}$$

with faces and degeneracies induced by the cofaces and codegeneracies of  $\Delta^n$ , where  $\Delta^n$  is the geometric simplex of dimension n. Then  $H_*(X;k)$  is singular homology of the space Y with coefficients in k.

**Example 2.4.** Let A be an associative k-algebra and let  $A_*$  be the simplicial k-module defined by

$$A_n = A^{\otimes (n+1)} = A \otimes_k A \otimes_k \cdots \otimes_k A$$
  $(n+1)$  factors

A generator of  $A^{\otimes (n+1)}$  is denoted by  $(a_0, \ldots a_n)$ . Let

$$d_i \colon A_n \to A_{n-1}$$
 and  $s_i \colon A_n \to A_{n+1}$ 

be such that

$$d_i(a_0, \dots, a_n) = \begin{cases} (a_0, \dots, a_i a_{i+1}, \dots a_n) & \text{if } 0 \le i < n, \\ (a_n a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}) & \text{if } i = n. \end{cases}$$

$$s_i(a_0, \dots, a_n) = (a_0, \dots, a_i, 1, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_n) \quad \text{for } 0 \le i \le n$$

It can be verified that these functions satisfy the simplicial identities and, therefore, the family of modules  $A_n = A^{\otimes (n+1)}$  together with these maps  $d_i$  and  $s_i$  is a simplicial module. Its homology is known as the Hochschild homology of the algebra A and is denoted  $HH_*(A)$ .

## 2.2 Cyclic Homology of a Cyclic Module

In this section we describe the definition of cyclic homology given by Loday and Quillen [4].

**Definition 2.5.** A cyclic module M is a simplicial module together with an action of the cyclic group  $C_{n+1} = \langle t_{n+1} : (t_{n+1})^{n+1} = 1 \rangle$  on  $M_n$ , for each n, such that the following additional relations hold

$$d_i t_{n+1} = t_n d_{i-1}$$
 and  $s_i t_{n+1} = t_{n+2} s_{i-1}$  for  $1 \le i \le n$ ,  
 $d_0 t_{n+1} = d_n$  and  $s_0 t_{n+1} = t_{n+2}^2 s_n$  (4)

where  $d_i: M_n \to M_{n-1}$  and  $s_i: M_n \to M_{n+1}$  for i = 0, 1, ..., n are the simplicial structure maps.

Next we will define the cyclic homology of a cyclic module. The bicomplex we describe now will reappear in a more conceptual way, after we develop Tor functors associated to cyclic and cocyclic modules. If we define two operators  $T_{n+1}$  and  $N_{n+1}$  by

$$T_{n+1} = (-1)^n t_{n+1}$$
 and  $N_{n+1} = 1 + T_{n+1} + \dots + T_{n+1}^n$ 

then we have the following lemma:

## **Lemma 2.6.** Let C(M) be the diagram of modules and homomorphisms

where  $b, b' \colon M_n \to M_{n-1}$  are defined by

$$b = \sum_{i=0}^{n} (-1)^{i} d_{i}$$
 and  $b' = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{i} d_{i}$ 

Then the squares anticommute, the rows and columns are complexes, so C(M) is a bicomplex.

Proof. See 
$$[4, page 52]$$

**Definition 2.7.** Let  $M_*$  be a cyclic module. The cyclic homology of  $M_*$  is denoted  $HC_*(M_*)$  and is defined as

$$HC_*(M_*) = H_*(\operatorname{Tot}(\mathcal{C}(M)))$$

where  $\mathcal{C}(M)$  is the the bicomplex of lemma 2.6.

**Example 2.8.** Let  $A_*$  be the simplicial module defined in example 2.4. The action of the cyclic group  $C_{n+1} = \langle t_n : (t_{n+1})^{n+1} = 1 \rangle$  on  $A_n$  is given by:

$$t_{n+1}(a_0,\ldots,a_n)=(a_n,a_1,\ldots,a_{n-1})$$

It can be verified that under these definitions  $A_*$  becomes a cyclic module. In this case we write  $HC_*(A)$  instead of  $HC_*(A_*)$  for the cyclic homology of A.

The vertical complexes  $(M_*, b')$  in the bicomplex (5) are contractible, with contracting homotopy  $h = T_{n+1}s_n \colon M_n \to M_{n+1}$ . Loday's Killing Contractible Complexes Lemma [4, page 55] allows us to delete all of these columns of the bicomplex (5) obtaining the following double complex:

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
b & b & b \\
M_2 & b & b \\
M_1 & M_0
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
M_1 & M_0 & M_0 \\
b & M_0 & M_0
\end{array}$$

Here  $B = (-1)^{n+1}(1 - t_{n+1})hN \colon M_n \to M_{n+1}$  and b is the Hochschild boundary map. This bicomplex is called the  $\mathcal{B}M$  complex or (B-b)-complex. For the particular case of the cyclic module associated to the algebra A = T(V) as described in 2.4, the (B-b)-complex is used to give an explicit computation [5]. The result is given in the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.9.** Let V be a module over k, and let T(V) be its tensor algebra. Then the cyclic homology  $HC_*(T(V))$  is given by:

$$HC_*(T(V)) = HC_*(BS^1, k) \oplus \sum_{m \ge 1} H_*(C_m, V^{\otimes m})$$

where the generator  $t_m$  of  $C_m$  acts on  $V^{\otimes m}$  as

$$t_m(v_1v_2\cdots v_m)=v_mv_1\cdots v_{m-1}$$

*Proof.* See [5, page 581].

## 3 A SAMPLE OF TEXT WITH TABLE

Now we want to describe a tricomplex  $B\mathcal{D}^3$  so that its total differential corresponds to the total differential d'' in the version of  $\text{Tot}(\mathcal{D}^3)$  modified by deleting all the vertical b'-complexes from the tricomplex  $\mathcal{D}^3$ . Let us consider the tricomplex  $B\mathcal{D}^3$  as a tridimensional array that results after replacing all the vertical b'-complexes by zero complexes. The rules determining the maps connecting these modules are described in the following table.

Table 1: Table of Maps

| Case | To determine  | Look at            | In           |
|------|---|--------------------|--------------|
| (1)  | $(B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p,q,0} \to (B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p+q-j-1,j,0}$ | (j+1,q+1)-entry of | $d'_{p+q}$   |
|      | $0 \le j \le p + q - 1$                                       | $B_{p+q,p+q+1}$    |              |
| (2)  | $(B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p,q,0} \to (B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p+q-j-2,j,1}$ | (j+1,q+1)-entry of | $d'_{p+q}$   |
|      |   | $B_{p+q-1,p+q+1}$  |              |
| (3)  | $(B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p,q,1} \to (B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p+q-j,j,0}$   | (j+1,q+1)-entry of | $d'_{p+q+1}$ |
|      |   | $B_{p+q+1,p+q+1}$  |              |
| (4)  | $(B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p,q,1} \to (B\mathcal{D}^3)_{p+q-j-1,j,1}$ | (j+2,q+1)-entry of | $d'_{p+q+1}$ |
|      |   | $B_{p+q,p+q+1}$    |              |

Let us start with case (1) in Table 1.

#### 4 SAMPLE TEXT WITH GRAPHICS

Sometimes you may want to include in your LaTeX document graphical output generated by a program like Maple, Mathematica, or Matlab. There is a LaTeX2 $_{\varepsilon}$  graphics bundle which can be loaded by specifying \usepackage{graphicx} in the preamble of the document. Documentation of the package is supplied by the preprint [6]. Instructions for obtaining a copy of this document are found in section 1. The graph in Figure 1 is from a PostScript file

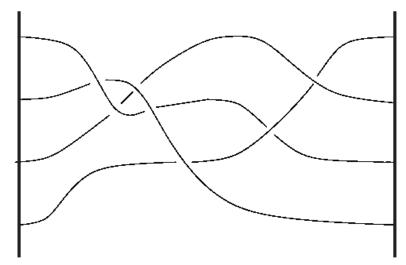


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