

0. Done, or almost done:

Geometric realization of a cyclic set is a space w/ $\mathbb{T}$ action.

From this:

$$|X_{\Delta} \times \wedge_{\Delta} X_{\Delta} \dots \times_{\Delta} \wedge_{\Delta} X_{\Delta}| \simeq |X| \times_{\mathbb{T}} E\mathbb{T}$$

in particular

$$|pt_{\Delta} \times \wedge_{\Delta} pt_{\Delta} \dots \times_{\Delta} \wedge_{\Delta} pt_{\Delta}| \simeq B\mathbb{T}$$

$$\simeq E\mathbb{T}/\mathbb{T}$$

From this, and "contractibility of Δ ":
should be easy that $\text{Nerve}(\wedge)$

$$\simeq B\mathbb{T}$$

Remark Fun detail: $\Delta^{\mathcal{P}} \rightarrow \text{Fin}_{\#}$ that
is used in sym monoidal vs monoidal
 ∞ categories is the standard S^1 .
(significance?..)

1. For more general (than sets) categories $\mathcal{C}$: in what sense does a cyclic object in $\mathcal{C}$ lead to a simplicial object in $\mathcal{C}$ with a T action?

a). Presheaves on $B\mathbb{T}$. Given a cyclic object X of $\mathcal{C}$:

1) Category $\widetilde{N\Lambda^p}$ (what is the standard notation?..)

Objects: $[n] \in \text{Ob } \Delta^p; \lambda \in N_n \Lambda$

$$j_0 \xrightarrow{\lambda_1} j_1 \xrightarrow{\lambda_2} \dots \xrightarrow{\lambda_n} j_n$$

Morphisms: for $[n] \xrightarrow{\delta} [m]$ in Δ^p

a morphism

$$[n], \lambda \longmapsto [m], \delta \lambda$$

composition ...

2. Functor $\widetilde{X}: \widetilde{N\Lambda^p} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$

on obj.: $[n], \lambda \longmapsto X_{j_0}$

on morphisms: $[n], \lambda \rightarrow [m], \delta \lambda$

if $\lambda = j_0 \xrightarrow{\lambda_1} j_1 \xrightarrow{\lambda_2} \dots \xrightarrow{\lambda_n} j_n$

and δ transforms it into

$$\delta\lambda = j_k \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow j_l$$

then $[u, \delta\lambda] \mapsto X_{j_k}$ and the morphism

$$X_{j_0} \rightarrow X_{j_k} \text{ is } \lambda_k \dots \lambda_1.$$

So a cyclic object X of $\mathcal{C}$
produces a functor

$$\tilde{X}: \tilde{N}\Delta^p \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{N}\Delta^p &\xrightarrow{p} \Delta^p \\ [u], \lambda &\longmapsto [u] \end{aligned}$$

$$p^! \tilde{X}, p_* \tilde{X} \text{ are } \Delta^p\text{-objs in } \mathcal{C}$$

(assumption on $\mathcal{C}$: colims exist).

A (good enough?) dfn of a $\mathbb{T}$ -obj
in $\Delta^p \mathcal{C}$: a functor $\tilde{B}\mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$, which is
"same" as $\tilde{N}\Delta^p \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$:

$$\begin{array}{c} \widetilde{B\mathbb{Z}} \\ P \downarrow \\ \Delta^r \end{array}$$

$$P_! = (-)^{h_T}$$

$$P_* = (-)^{h_T}$$

Not sure... maybe just
a remark about this,
and some reference to/
reconciliation with Hoyois' 15...

Also: from those to mixed
complexes (as we go
below from simplicial Ab
groups with $B\mathbb{Z}$ action),
using some explicit generator
of $H_1(N\wedge)...$

2. From a cyclic object of $\mathcal{C}$ to a Δ^n -obj of $\mathcal{C}$ with an action of $B\mathbb{Z}$.

$$B_n \mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z} \times \dots \times \mathbb{Z} \quad (n \text{ times})$$

$$E_n \mathbb{Z} = \underbrace{(\mathbb{Z} \times \dots \times \mathbb{Z})}_{n \text{ times}} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (a_1, \dots, a_n) \times a &\xrightarrow{d_0} (a_2, \dots, a_n) \times a \\ &\longrightarrow (a_1 + a_2, \dots, a_n) \times a \\ &\vdots \\ &\xrightarrow{d_n} (a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}) (a_n + a) \end{aligned}$$

etc.; simplicial abelian groups.

Drinfeld-like realisation of a cyclic object of $\mathcal{C}$.

Start with the following cyclic object in simplicial sets with an action of $B\mathbb{Z}$.

$$\| \wedge(m) \| = \left\{ \text{Maps } \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{f} E_\bullet \mathbb{Z} \mid f(j+m+1) = f(j)+1 \right\} / (f \mapsto f+1)$$

Simplicial set with an action

$$\text{of } B\mathbb{Z} = E\mathbb{Z}/\mathbb{Z}$$

Recall: $\Lambda^q([n_1], [n_2]) = \{ \text{nondecreasing maps } \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{Z} : f(j+n_1+1) = f(j) + n_2 + 1 \} / (f \mapsto f + n_2 + 1)$

So: $\Lambda^q([m_1, m_2]) \times \|\Lambda(m_2)\| \rightarrow \|\Lambda(m_1)\|$

So: $\|\Lambda(*)\|$ a cocyclic simplicial set with a $B\mathbb{Z}$ action

Compare: Drinfel'd identifies the geometric realisation of $\Lambda([?], [m])$ with the topological space

$$\left\{ \text{Nondecreasing maps } \mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{f} \mathbb{R} \right\} / f \mapsto f + 1$$

s.t. $f(j+m+1) = f(j) + 1$

All homotopy equivalent to $\mathbb{T}$.

Roughly, the way to compare:

i) Drop the nondecreasing condition

in both cases you get (something)

contractible, free action of $\mathbb{T}/\mathbb{T}$;

e) $|EZ| \sim B$ as spaces
with an action of $\mathbb{Z}$.

Next: For a cyclic object X
of $\mathcal{C}$, $X \leadsto \|\wedge(-)\|_X X$.

And for a Δ^P -object of $\mathcal{C}$ $\mathcal{X}$
w/a $B\mathbb{Z}$ action:
 $\mathcal{X} \leadsto \text{Hom}_{B\mathbb{Z}-\Delta^P\text{-sets}} (\|\wedge(-)\|, \mathcal{X})$
Cor...?!

Next:

Cyclic Abelian groups vs
mixed complexes

A mixed complex: (M, b, B)

$$|b| = -1, |B| = 1, \quad \bullet \geq 0$$

$$(b + B)^2 = 0$$

i.e. dg mods over $\mathbb{Z}[\epsilon], \epsilon^2 = 0, |\epsilon| = 1$

Cyclic object $\leadsto$ mixed complex
 $M. \quad (M., b, B)$

An attempt at Dold-Kan:

Recall DK: $m \geq 0$

A cosimplicial complex: $C_{\bullet}^{\text{nor}}(\Delta^m)$

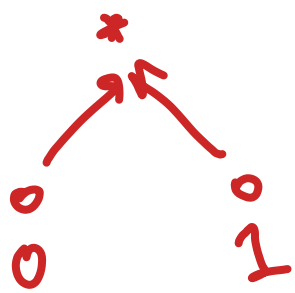
$C_{\bullet}^{\text{nor}}$ = chain complex / $\langle \text{im of } s_j \rangle$

(recall $\Delta^m = \Delta([-1, [m]])$)

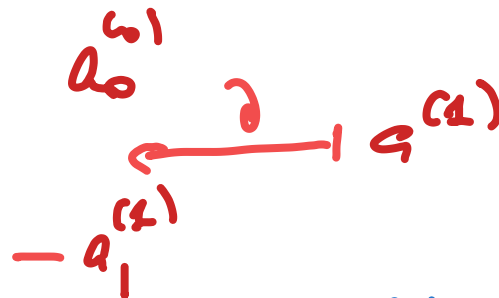
Complex $A_0 \xleftarrow{\partial} A_1 \xleftarrow{\partial} A_2 \xleftarrow{\partial} \dots$

$\leadsto \text{Hom}_{\text{cplxs}}(C_{\bullet}^{\text{nor}}(\Delta^m), A)$

Simplicial Abelian group.



$(A_0 \leftarrow A_1 \leftarrow \dots)$



$[0] \mapsto A_0$

$[1] \mapsto A_0 \oplus A_1$

namely:

$a^{(1)}$ and $a_0^{(1)}$.

$[2] \mapsto A_2 \oplus A_1^{\oplus 2} + A_0^{\oplus 2}$ etc.

In fact to define morphism
of complexes $C_{\bullet}^{\text{hor}}(\Delta^n) \rightarrow A$ is
the same as define its values
on all faces not on a flag e.g.
 $(0) \subset (01) \subset (02) \subset \dots \subset (01\dots n-1)$.

So it is natural to try:

A cyclic object in mixed complexes.

$$[n] \mapsto C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge([-], [n])), b, B$$

$$\parallel$$

$$C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^n)$$

Might be a problem.

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{mixed cplx}}(C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^0), A)$$

mixed complex:

$$C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^0): \underset{0}{(a_0)} \xrightarrow{B} \underset{1}{(1 \otimes a_0)}$$

(notation: $\wedge([m], [n]) = \wedge^p([n], [m])$)

viewed as natural operations

$$A^{\otimes n+1} \rightarrow A^{\otimes n+1}; \text{ e.g.}$$

$\wedge([m], [0])$ consists of operations

$$a_0 \mapsto 1 \otimes \dots \otimes a_0 \otimes \dots \otimes 1;$$

degenerate when we have 1 in position $\neq i > 0$.

So: mod degeneracies, have

$$a_0 \xrightarrow{B} 1 \otimes a_0$$

$\downarrow b$

$$0 \leftarrow$$

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{m.c.}}(C_{\bullet}^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^0), A_{\bullet}) = A_0$$

But next:

$$C_{\bullet}^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^1):$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & \beta & \\
 a_0 a_1 & \xrightarrow{\beta} & 1 \otimes a_0 a_1 \\
 a_1 a_0 & \xrightarrow{\beta} & 1 \otimes a_1 a_0 \\
 & & \downarrow \beta \\
 a_0 \otimes a_1 & & 1 \otimes a_0 \otimes a_1 \\
 a_1 \otimes a_0 & & 1 \otimes a_1 \otimes a_0 \\
 & & \downarrow \beta \\
 & & 1 \otimes a_0 \otimes a_1 \\
 & & 1 \otimes a_1 \otimes a_0
 \end{array}$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_0 \quad \underbrace{\quad}_1 \quad \underbrace{\quad}_2$

The structure of
module on this:

Generators: $x_0 = \boxed{a_0 a_1}$

$\downarrow$

$1 \otimes a_0 a_1$

$a_0 \otimes a_1 +$
 $a_1 \otimes a_0 - 1 \otimes a_0 a_1$

$\uparrow$

$\boxed{1 \otimes a_0 \otimes a_1} = x_2$

a (b, B) -

$a_0 a_1 - b_1 b_0$

$\uparrow \quad \downarrow$
 $\quad \quad \quad b \quad \quad B$

$x_1 = \boxed{a_0 \otimes a_1}; 1 \otimes a_0 a_1 -$
 $= 1 \otimes a_1 a_0$

$\downarrow$

$1 \otimes a_0 \otimes a_1 -$
 $= 1 \otimes a_1 \otimes a_0$

So: $C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^1) \simeq \mathbb{Z}[b, B]/(b) \cdot x_0$
 $\oplus \mathbb{Z}[b, B] \cdot x_1$
 $\oplus \mathbb{Z}[b, B]/(B) \cdot x_2$

Therefore

$\text{Hom}_{\text{u.c.}}(C^{\text{hor}}(\wedge^1), A) \simeq$

$\simeq A_0 \oplus A_1 \oplus (\ker B)_2$

But this does not seem
to behave well under colims,
etc.

~~*~~ Is there a better way? ~~*~~

Another way from cyclic
abelian groups to mixed
complexes:

Cyclic ab group X .

$\{ \textcircled{1} \}$

Simplicial group with a $B\mathbb{Z}$
action $\mathcal{X}$

$\{ \textcircled{2} \}$

Mixed complex.

② is as follows:

$$B_1 \mathbb{Z} \times \mathcal{E}_n \xrightarrow{EZ} \mathcal{E}_{n+1} \quad (\text{Eil. Zilber})$$

The generator of

$$H_1(B\mathbb{Z}):$$

$$(1) \in B_1 \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{Claim: } (1) \underset{EZ}{\times} (1) = 0 \text{ in } B_2 \mathbb{Z}$$

Indeed:

general rule is:

$$\begin{aligned} (g) \underset{EZ}{\times} (h) &= ((g|0) + (0|h)) - \\ &\quad - ((0|g) + (h|0)) = \\ &= (g|h) - (h|g) \end{aligned}$$

$\hat{=}$

Claim The two mixed

complexes obtained from
a cyclic abelian group X .
are equivalent.

Proof . . . ?

Next level: Filtered circle.

1. Cyclic object



Simplicial object with $B\mathbb{Z}$ -action

$\cong$ (if k -modules)

Simplicial module over $k[B\mathbb{Z}]$

$= C_*(\mathbb{Z}, k)$



Simplicial comodule over cosimplicial coalgebra

$O(B\mathbb{Z}) = \text{Fun}(B\mathbb{Z}, k) = C^*(\mathbb{Z}, k)$

Now: replace $\mathcal{O}(B.\mathbb{Z})$ by
 something quasi-isomorphic;
 Simplicial comodules should
 be equivalent (how?)

① $\text{char}(k) = 0$:

$$\mathcal{O}(B.\mathbb{Z}) \leftarrow \mathcal{O}(B.G_a) \\
\begin{array}{c} \parallel \\ \mathcal{O}(G_a^{x_0}) \\ \parallel \end{array}$$

$$\text{Fun}(\mathbb{Z}^{x_0}, k) \leftarrow k[x_1, \dots, x_n]$$

(just evaluate a polynomial
 in n variables on n
 integers $k_1, \dots, k_n \in \mathbb{Z}$)

Claim This induces quasi-iso
 (of differentials $d_0 - d_1 + \dots \pm d_n$)

(again, $\mathbb{Q} \subset k$).

Proof The right hand side is the Cobar construction of the coalgebra $k[x]$, $x \mapsto x \otimes 1 + 1 \otimes x$. Cohomologies on left and right both generated by a class in H^1 : x , on the right, its image on the left.

② Moulins-Robalo-Toën [MRT]

Would be still quasi if we could replace $k[x]$ by $k\langle x \rangle$ (divided powers)

But; evaluating at 1 or at integers makes no sense unless $\mathbb{Q} \subset k$. $\left(\frac{x^n}{n!} = \frac{1}{n!} \text{ for } x=1\right)$?

Instead: replace $k[x]$ with $\mathbb{Z}\{x\} = \{p(x) \in \mathbb{Q}[x] \mid p(\mathbb{Z}) \subset \mathbb{Z}\}$

The basis over $\mathbb{Z}$ is
$$\frac{x(x-1)\dots(x-n+1)}{n!} \quad (\text{BI})$$

This is a filtered $\mathbb{Z}$ -algebra whose gr is $\mathbb{Z}\langle x \rangle$.

Because of that:

$$\text{Fun}(\mathbb{Z}^{x\bullet}) \xleftarrow{\text{ev}} \mathbb{Z}\{x\}^{\otimes \bullet}$$

morphism of cosimplicial bialgebras and quis for $d = d_0 - d_1 + \dots \pm d_n$.

So, in some (simple?) sense:

Cyclic ab grps $\rightarrow$ simplicial $\mathbb{Z}\{x\}^{\otimes \bullet}$ -comod

Over $\mathbb{Z}_p$ another (earlier?)
version of [MRT]:

Divided powers, Frobenius, and
the filtered circle. $\overline{k = \mathbb{Z}_p}$

a) What are divided powers?

Over $\mathbb{Z}_p$: $\ker(\text{Frob})$.

In fact:

p -typical Witt vectors

$$W(A) = \{(a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) \mid a_j \in A\}$$

Ghost variables:

$$\begin{aligned} x_n &= w_n(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n) = \\ &= a_0^{p^n} + p a_1^{p^{n-1}} + p^2 a_2^{p^{n-2}} + \dots + p^n a_n \end{aligned}$$

Universal $+$, $\times$ laws such

that

$$(a_0, a_1, \dots) \mapsto (x_0, x_1, \dots)$$

is a ring morphism

$$W(A) \rightarrow \prod A$$

$$F: W(A) \rightarrow$$

On ghost variables:

$$(x_0, x_1, \dots) \mapsto (x_1, x_2, \dots)$$

Formal scheme $\ker(F)$:

A -valued points are

$$\ker(F: W(A) \rightarrow), \text{ or:}$$

$$w_n(a_0, \dots, a_n) = 0, \quad n \geq 1$$

$$a_0^p + p a_1 = 0$$

$$a_0^{p^2} + p a_1^p + p^2 a_2 = 0$$

...

By induction, we re-write

the above as

$$c_n \cdot a_n = a_0^{p^n} \quad (c_n \in \mathbb{Z})$$

and check that $v_p(c_n) = v_p(p^n!)$

Therefore:

$$\mathbb{Z}_p[\ker F] \cong \mathbb{Z}_p\langle x \rangle$$

$(x = a_0).$

Now, evaluation at int. does not make sense. Instead, consider

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Fix}(A) &= \{a \in W(A) \mid Fa = a\} \\ &= \{(a_0, a_1, \dots) \mid a_0^p + pa_1 = a_0; a_0^{p^2} + pa_1^p + p^2a_2 = a_0, \dots\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_p[\text{Fix}] = \mathbb{Z}_p[a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots] \bigg/ \langle \omega_n(a_0, \dots, a_n) - a_0 \mid n > 0 \rangle$$

Now we have

$$ev: \text{Fun}(\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}) \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[K^*]$$

(evaluation on $n \in \mathbb{Z} \subset W(\mathbb{Z})$).

As above, we get:

Cyclic $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}$ -mods



Simplicial comods over the
cosimplicial coalgebra $\mathbb{Z}_{(p)}[K^*]^{\otimes}$.
(bi)



What next?

[MRT] relate this to HCR-
how exactly, in the above
language?

Clearly, it is about the monoidal
(vs symmetric monoidal?) structure
on cyclic abelian groups.

Somehow, mixed complexes (as
(sym?) monoidal category) are equiv.
to Δ^T -comods / $k[\ker F]^{x\circ}$ rather
than $k[\text{Fix}]^{x\circ}$...

More precisely:

In [MRT], it seems:

Can replace $k[\ker F]^{x\circ}$ by

the cosimplicial Hopf algebra
which is the free cosimplicial
coalgebra generated by an element
of degree 1.

From this, they make a conclusion
that $\Delta^p k[\ker F]^{\otimes \bullet}$ - comodules $\sim$
 $\sim$ Mixed complexes as sym. mon.
cats.

And, apparently, this is not true
for $\Delta^p k[\text{Fix}]^{\otimes \bullet}$ - comodules.

I would think, the cyclic EZ/AW
in the book (Getzler-Johnson-Petrack)
tells that there is a $(A_\infty \dots)$
functor from cyclic Ab groups to
mixed complexes preserving monoidal
(not symmetric monoidal) structure?

Also: we should clarify what
[MRT] say about HKR, and note:
HKR happens also for Hochschild
cochains, while there is no circle
there. Does the filtered circle
enter?

Can this be looked at in
terms of Adams operations
and the related filtration?

