

~~Title of this talk is (co) fiber sep. they are important tools in hty theory, a kind of mathematics used to study shapes of spaces.~~

Goal of this talk is to ~~use some tools called "fiber sep" to show the surprising~~ demonstrate how these tools can be used to ~~obtain the classical~~ fact that there is a 3-dim "hole" in the 2 sphere.

time constrain. no ~~more~~ proofs

We want to say that we work in a ^{category} ~~kind~~ class of spaces called based spaces. there are just your everyday nice topological spaces V with a distinguished pt. we write usually as $*$. X like circles.

~~$X, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$~~

In this category, the natural maps ~~between~~ ~~spaces~~ are the based maps where we require our special pt always go to the ~~the~~ special point.

Def: $f: X \rightarrow Y$ based if $f(x_*) = y_*$.

We denote the maps from X to Y based spaces as $F(X, Y)$ & luckily, there we have an interesting adjunction. (prev. talk)

write this back up.

$$F(X \wedge -, Y) \cong F(X, F(\square, Y))$$

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homeom.

this is also a based space with its base point map as its base pt

~~and the~~ ~~operator~~

we know what RHS is. maps from space X to space of maps \square, Y .

the LHS is called a smash product.

$$Def: X \wedge Y := X \times Y / X \vee Y$$

Cartesian product. Contracting the Right spaces. quotient

we use this to denote two spaces joined at their basepoint.



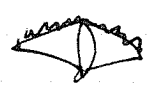
given this def. the adjunction can be checked "easily".

(took me a while to "initially")

Next a few more definitions:

$$\Sigma X = X \wedge S^1$$

circle.



$$\Omega X = F(S^1, X)$$

interval

space of loops in X .

~~the~~ ~~adjunction~~


$$CX = X \wedge I / X \times \{0\}$$



$$PX = F(I, X)$$

space of paths in X

You will notice that the interval & circle shows up repeated b/c turns out these are really the 2 kind of spaces that we

(a) Finally Def: $[X, Y] := F(X, Y) / \text{cts deformations}$. 
 (for advanced, same as path thru Π_0 functor)
 Ask. Eamie.

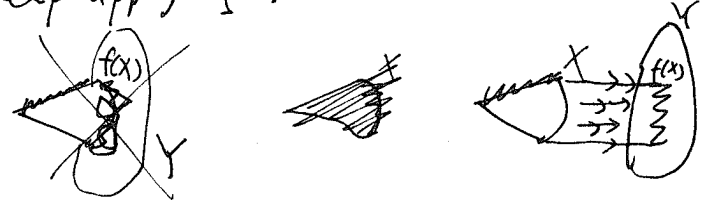
(b) With these definitions settled, we want to talk about the main ~~subject~~
 subject of this talk: cofiber & fiber sequences.

given $f: X \rightarrow Y$ in our world/category. we have
 two sequences.

$$\left(\dots \rightarrow \Omega X \rightarrow \Omega Y \rightarrow Ff \xrightarrow{\pi} X \xrightarrow{f} Y \xrightarrow{i} Cf \rightarrow \Sigma X \rightarrow \Sigma Y \rightarrow \dots \right)$$

~~self~~ = say its 2 seq. & left keep apply \rightarrow .
 noteself.

Here Cf - cofiber
 $CX \cup_f Y$



Ff - fiber unfortunately no good way to draw pictures so

$$X \times_f PY = \{ (x, \gamma) \in X \times PY \mid f(x) = \gamma(1) \}$$

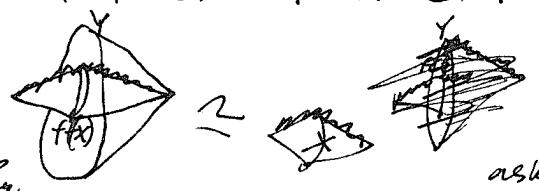
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 cartesian prod

the reason we think these sequences are special b/c we can see it
 as ~~being~~ the same operation over & over again.

for cofiber side: claim is

~~using~~ sat notation

$$X: Y: Cf :: Y: Cf: \Sigma X.$$



one can prove this relation propagates indefinitely
 for fiber side: we have

$$Ff: X: Y :: \Omega Y: Ff: X.$$

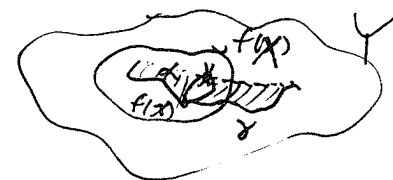
ask ermie
 so is homotopy
 eq. only.

b/c, ~~self~~ $x \in \Omega Y, x(0) = x(1) = *Y$.

$$(Ff) \times_{\pi} PX = \{ (x, \gamma, \alpha) \mid f(x) = \gamma(1), \pi(x, \gamma) = \alpha(1) \}$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$x = \alpha(1).$$



again homotopy eq. (ask ermie)

again one can prove this relation propagates this time
 to the left indefinitely.

Next the amazing fact is that these (co)finite seq. give rise to the following long exact sequence. (in case cat person did not use)

For those who don't know what exact sequences means, it is @ a ~~sequence~~ ^{chain} of objects with maps from one to next. (b) the maps are "memoryless" ~~(roughly speaking)~~ as in $\dots \rightarrow X' \xrightarrow{f} X \xrightarrow{g} X'' \rightarrow \dots$

$g \circ f(x') \leftrightarrow x''$ ~~exactly~~ ^{exactly} things 2 step ago are ~~related~~ ^{related}.

insert (a) after.

$$[\dots, X, Z] \xrightarrow{f} [Y, Z] \xrightarrow{g} [Cf, Z] \xrightarrow{h} [X, Z] \rightarrow \dots$$

~~[X, Z] \rightarrow [Y, Z] \rightarrow [Cf, Z] \rightarrow [X, Z] \rightarrow \dots~~

$$\rightarrow [Z, X] \rightarrow [Z, Y] \rightarrow [Z, Cf] \rightarrow [Z, X] \rightarrow [Z, Y]$$

now we shift gears to explain briefly what is a fiber bundle.

$F \rightarrow E$ $E|_U = U \times F$. E are ~~top~~ spaces that locally (open set) looks like simple V products. $S^1 \rightarrow S^3 \rightarrow S^2$ the Hopf Bundle. $F \rightarrow E \rightarrow B$ ^{Cartesian} ~~may~~ ^{may} be hard to prove it is exact.

this construct is

the example B relevant to us ^{is} $S^1 \rightarrow S^3 \rightarrow S^2$ ^{exactly} turns out conveniently for us.

is ~~one realization~~ ^{typically} same as $F \rightarrow E \rightarrow B$.

with other lemmas omitted.

which means \wedge that apply by the LES above:

$$\rightarrow [Z, \Omega E] \rightarrow [Z, \Omega B] \rightarrow [Z, F] \rightarrow [Z, E] \rightarrow [Z, B]$$

\cong \cong use adjunction.

$$[[Z, E] \rightarrow [Z, B] \rightarrow \dots$$

substitute $Z=S^1$ ~~gives~~ $F=S^1$, $E=S^3$, $B=S^2$ yields

$$\rightarrow [S^3, S^1] \rightarrow [S^3, S^3] \rightarrow [S^3, S^2] \rightarrow [S^2, S^1] \rightarrow [S^2, S^3] \rightarrow \dots$$

(now we know from $p: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow S^1 \subset \mathbb{C}$ $\&$ $\mathbb{R} \cong I$ contractible. $\cong *$ $\uparrow \exp(2\pi i t)$. That $[S^n, S^1] \cong \mathbb{Z}$ if $n \neq 1$.)

written. $\&$ heuristically it is pretty easy to believe $[S^n, S^1] \cong \mathbb{Z}$