

280x (5/11)

As we discussed the previous time, we need to define \star using Lurie's quasi-categories throughout

Defn. Let S, S' be two ∞ -categories. Define the join as a simplicial set

$$(S \star S') = S_n \cup S'_n \coprod_{i+j=n-1} S_i \times S'_j$$

can be written more compactly if you use the convention negative simplices are empty.

Example. $S = \Delta^1, S' = \Delta^1$ then $S \star S' = \Delta^3$

Prop. $S \star S'$ ∞ -category.

Proof. $\Delta^i \star \Delta^j = \Delta^{i+j+1}$ so

$$\text{Hom}(\Delta^n, S \star S') = \coprod \text{Hom}(\Delta^i, S) \times \text{Hom}(\Delta^j, S')$$

etc.

Defn. (1) Given $p: K \rightarrow S$ a map between simplicial sets, we define the under category

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{set}_\Delta}(Y, S/p) = \text{Hom}_p(K \star Y, S)$$

with $f|_K = p$ then $\text{Hom}_{f|_K=p}(\Delta^n, S/p) = \text{Hom}_{f|_K=p}(K \star \Delta^n, S)$.

(2) Let $\underline{S} = N(\mathcal{C})$ with \mathcal{C} category, and

$p: K \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$. Then p induces a map of

simplicial sets $p: N(K) \rightarrow N(\mathcal{C})$. Then:

$$\text{Hom}(\Delta^0, S_{\cdot/p}) = \text{Hom}_{f|_{N(K)}=p}(N(K) \star \Delta^0, \underline{S})$$

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(3) The same applies to over category. For

maps of simplicial sets $p: K \rightarrow S$ we define

$S_{\cdot/p}$ to be defined by the equation

$$\text{Hom}_{\text{set}_\Delta}(Y, S_{\cdot/p}) = \text{Hom}_{f|_K=p}(Y \star K, S_{\cdot/p})$$

Prop. If S is an ∞ -category then $S_{pl.}, S_{fp.}$ are ∞ -categories.

Now we define limits and colimits

Defn. Let S be an ∞ -category. We say that X is initial $\Leftrightarrow \text{Hom}^R(X, Y)$ is contractible for $Y \in \text{obj}(S)$. X is terminal $\Leftrightarrow \text{Hom}^R(Y, X)$ is contractible for $Y \in \text{obj}(S)$.

Defn. Let $p: K \rightarrow S$ with $K \in \text{Set}_\Delta$, S ∞ -category.

We can form $S_{pl.}$. Then the colimit of p is the initial object (if exists) in $S_{pl.}$.

Limit of p is the final object in $S_{fp.}$.

Now we'll talk about ~~the~~

Dold-Kan correspondence

We've defined Kan complexes in the previous week. ~~Let~~ Let X simplicial set, with base point x_0 .

∂_i face map

by abuse of notation denote

σ_i degeneracy map

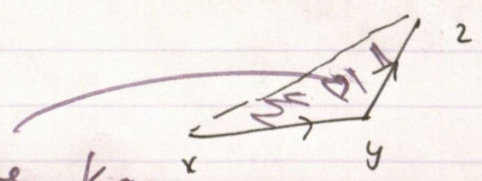
$x = \sigma_0(x) \in X_1$. Given $x, y \in X_n$ we say

$x \sim y$ if $\exists z \in X_{n+1}$ s.t. $\partial_i z = \begin{cases} x & 0 \leq i \leq n-2 \\ y & i = n \end{cases}$

Prop. If X is Kan then \sim is an equivalence relation.

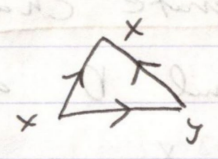
Proof. (1) $x \sim x$ $\partial_n \sigma_0(x) = x = \partial_{n+1} \sigma_0(x)$

(2) If $x \sim y, y \sim z$ we have



use Kan condition

(3) $x \sim y \Rightarrow y \sim x$. Because $\partial(x) = y$



Defn. X Kan, then define $\pi_n(X) =$

$$\{x \in X_n, \partial_i x = x_0\} / \sim$$

• z top. Then $\pi_n(\text{Sing } z) \cong \pi_n(z)$

• X Kan. Then $\pi_n(X) \cong \pi_n(|X|)$

• If X is a simplicial abelian group. Consider 3 chain complex:

$$(1) N_n(X) = \{x \in X_n \mid \partial_i x = 0 \text{ for } 0 \leq i \leq n-1\} = \bigcap_{i=0}^{n-1} \ker \partial_i$$

$$0 \leftarrow N_0(X) \xleftarrow{\partial_1} N_1(X) \xleftarrow{\partial_2} N_2(X) \leftarrow \dots$$

Then $H_n(N(X)) = \pi_n(X)$. It is called normalized chain complex.

(2) Can also define alternating sum of face map complex C

$$C: \dots \leftarrow X_{n-1} \xleftarrow{\partial_n} X_n \xleftarrow{\partial_{n-1}} X_{n+1}$$

this is the normal complex of singular chains.

A trivial complex is D with $D_n = \{ \sigma_i(X_{n-1}) \}$.

D is called the degenerate chain complex.

Prop. $C = D \oplus N$ and D acyclic. So

$$H_n(C) = H_n(N) = H_n(N)$$

More generally, in any abelian category \mathcal{X}

Thm (Dold-Kan) A abelian category \mathcal{X}

$$\text{Fun}(\Delta^{\text{op}}, \mathcal{X}) \xrightleftharpoons[\text{DK}]{\mathcal{N}} \text{Ch}_{\geq 0}(\mathcal{X})$$

is an equivalence of categories. Moreover

$$\tau_n(X) = H_n(N(X))$$

\mathcal{N} preserve homotopies (we didn't really properly

define homotopies to discuss that rigorously).

~~Example~~

Defn. The inverse functor

$$\text{DK}: \text{Ch}_{\geq 0}(\mathcal{X}) \rightarrow \text{Fun}(\Delta^{\text{op}}, \mathcal{X})$$

is defined in the following way:

let $\dots \leftarrow c_0 \leftarrow c_1 \leftarrow c_2 \leftarrow \dots$

$X_n = \bigoplus_{p \leq n} C_p[Y]$ with $C_p[0]$ a copy of C_p .
 $\gamma: [n] \rightarrow [p]$

Define map $\alpha^*_{\gamma}: [m] \rightarrow [n]$: take

$$\alpha^*: X_n \rightarrow X_m$$

by defining $\alpha^*: C_p[0] \rightarrow X_m$ as

$$C_p[0] \rightarrow C_p[0] \subseteq X_m$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 [m] & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & [m] \\
 \downarrow \gamma & & \downarrow \gamma \\
 [q] & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & [q]
 \end{array}$$

① If $q=p$ then $\alpha^*: C_p[0] \rightarrow C_p[0]$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 C_p & \xrightarrow{id} & C_p
 \end{array}$$

② If $p = q+1$ then $C_p[0] = C_p$, $C_q[0] = C_q$

$$[q] \quad 0, \dots, q$$

$$[p] \quad 0, \dots, q, q+1$$

③ α^* for all other cases.

To get a feel for this construction, we study a simple example.

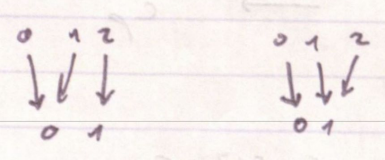
Example. Take $\mathcal{A} = (K(a, 1))$. Then

$$X_0 = \{0\}$$

$$X_1 = G$$

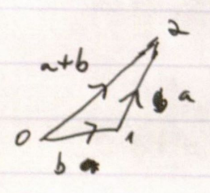
$$X_2 = G \oplus G$$

study $[2] \rightarrow [1]$.



The face maps

$$X_2 \rightarrow X_1 \text{ by } \begin{cases} d_0(a, b) \mapsto a \\ d_1(a, b) \mapsto a \times b \\ d_2(a, b) \mapsto b \end{cases}$$



have $N(DK(C)) \cong C \Rightarrow N$ fully faithful

and essentially surjective. This is nice!

$$DK(C)_n = \bigoplus_{C_n \rightarrow C_p} C_p[Y]$$

If $p < n$ then

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C_n & \xrightarrow{\quad} & C_{n-1} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \beta \text{ gives} \\ C_p & \longrightarrow & C_p \end{array}$$

$$\alpha^*: C_p[\beta] \xrightarrow{id} C_p[Y]. \quad \text{In fact } \alpha^* = \partial_i.$$

$$C_p[Y] \subseteq \sum \sigma_i(X_{n-1})$$

$$X_n = N(X)_n \oplus D(X)_n$$

$$N(DK(C)) = C$$

also N faithful (i.e. $N(f) = 0 \Rightarrow f = 0$).

$$X_n = N(X)_n \oplus D(X)_n \xrightarrow{f} Y_n = N(X)_n \oplus D(X)_n$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \nearrow \sigma_i & \\ X_{n-1} & \xrightarrow{f=0} & Y_{n-1} \\ & \nearrow \sigma_i & \end{array}$$

s. we get equiv of categories.

Preview for Thursday: we'll talk about DG-cat

and nerves. We'll work over fixed commutative

ring k . The main theorem of the talk is going to be

~~DG-nerve~~

Thm. There is a canonical equiv of ∞ -category

$$\mathcal{N}_{DG} : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{pretriangulated} \\ \text{DG-cat over } k \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{\sim} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} k\text{-linear stable} \\ \infty\text{-categories} \end{array} \right\}$$

Goal. understand \mathcal{N}_{DG} on object level.

(first define the object). Bonus: functorial

behavior. We won't prove \mathcal{N}_{DG} is an equiv.