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Operations in the theory ΩT :

Let h be a generalized cohomology theory with products defined on the category (FCW) of finite CW complexes. By this we mean that ~~FCW~~ h is a contravariant functor from (FCW) to the category of graded anti-commutative rings ~~which~~ ^{satisfies homotopy axioms} which is half-exact and endowed with a suspension isomorphism. (Half-exact means that if Y is a subcomplex of X , then

$$\bar{h}(X, Y) \longrightarrow h(X) \longrightarrow h(Y)$$

is exact where

$$h(X, Y) \del{h(X, Y)} = \text{Ker}(h(X/Y) \rightarrow h(\text{pt})).$$

A suspension isomorphism is an isomorphism

$$\delta: h^0(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} h^0(\Sigma X)$$

which is natural and since we have products is ~~the~~ given by cupping with a canonical element in $h^1(\Sigma)$.

This data is subject to axioms to be found in Dold's tract.

To determine the algebra ^{under composition} of operations ~~of~~ of h , that is, all natural transformations $\theta: h(X) \rightarrow h(X)$ which are stable (commute with δ). A stable operation is additive (Proof: From half exactness axiom (stated correctly) ~~one~~ one has that if X, Y are pointed, then there is a diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & h(Y) & & \\
 & & \downarrow p_2^* & \searrow \text{id} & \\
 h(X) & \xrightarrow{p_1^*} & h(X \vee Y) & \xrightarrow{m_2^*} & h(Y) \\
 \searrow \text{id} & & \downarrow m_1^* & & \\
 & & h(X) & &
 \end{array}$$

with exact row + column and hence a direct sum decomposition

$$h(X \vee Y) \cong h(X) \oplus h(Y)$$

$$p_1^* u + p_2^* v \longleftarrow u \oplus v$$

$$z \longmapsto m_1^* z \oplus m_2^* z.$$

Any natural op

θ clearly preserves this direct sum decomposition. Next

note that the

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{geometric map} & & \\
 \Sigma X & \xrightarrow{\nu} & \Sigma X \vee \Sigma X
 \end{array}}$$

has $p_1 \nu = \text{id}$, $p_2 \nu = \text{id}$ and therefore

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 h(\Sigma X \vee \Sigma X) & \xrightarrow{\nu^*} & h(\Sigma X) \\
 \parallel & & \nearrow \text{sum} \\
 h(\Sigma X) \oplus h(\Sigma X) & &
 \end{array}$$

commutes. Thus if $\theta: h \rightarrow h$ is natural it commutes with ν^* , hence ~~is~~

$$\theta: h(\Sigma X) \rightarrow h(\Sigma X)$$

is always additive. So if θ is stable, θ is additive.)

It is convenient to extend h to a functor on the stable homotopy category of finite complexes whose objects are pairs (X, n) (think of as $\Sigma^{2n} X$) ~~where X is a pointed finite complex and where the morphisms are~~

$$\{\Sigma^n X, \Sigma^m Y\} = \varinjlim_N [\Sigma^{N+n} X, \Sigma^{N+m} Y].$$

~~where~~

$$h^0(\Sigma^n X) = h^{0-n}(X) \quad \text{defn.}$$

Before we had products

$$h^p(X) \otimes h^q(Y) \longrightarrow h^{p+q}(X \wedge Y)$$

which appear the same now for "stable ^{finite} complexes" where \wedge is the reduced join.

$$(\Sigma^n X) \wedge (\Sigma^m Y) = \Sigma^{n+m}(X \wedge Y).$$

From now on let \mathcal{H} be the ~~category~~ category of "stable (finite) complexes" and ~~consider~~ consider h as a functor on this category. ~~where X is a pointed finite complex and where the morphisms are~~

Proposition: Let $X \in \text{Ob } \mathcal{H}$. TFAE

- (i) $h(X)$ is a flat $h(\text{pt})$ -module ($\text{pt} = S^0$ in \mathcal{H})
- (ii) $h(X)$ is a finitely gen. projective $h(\text{pt})$ -module

(ii) $\forall Y$

$$h(X) \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(Y) \xrightarrow{\sim} h(X \wedge Y)$$

(ii)' If DX is the Spanier-Whitehead dual of X , then

$$h(X) \otimes h(DX) \longrightarrow h(X \wedge DX)$$

is surjective.

Proof: (i) \Rightarrow (ii) build Y up from spheres(ii) \Rightarrow (ii)', (ii)' \Rightarrow (i) clear.(ii) \Rightarrow (i)': By S-W duality there are

maps

$$\Phi: X \wedge DX \longrightarrow \text{pt}$$

$$\Psi: \text{pt} \longrightarrow DX \wedge X$$

such that

$$X \cong X \wedge \text{pt} \xrightarrow{\text{id} \wedge \Phi} X \wedge DX \wedge X \xrightarrow{\Phi \wedge \text{id}} \text{pt} \wedge X \cong X$$

is the identity. (In fact one defines a duality to be a map Φ inducing an isomorphism

$$\# : \{Z, DX \wedge Y\} \longrightarrow \{X \wedge Z, Y\}$$

where $\#(u)$ is comp.

$$X \wedge Z \xrightarrow{\text{id} \wedge u} X \wedge DX \wedge Y \xrightarrow{\Phi \wedge \text{id}} \text{pt} \wedge Y \cong Y$$

first when $Z = S^n$ any n & $Y = \text{pt}$ and then $\#$ is an isom in general. Φ is defined to be $\#^{-1}$ (can. isom $X \wedge \text{pt} \cong X$).

Now $\Phi^* 1 \in h(X \cap DX)$ can by assumption be written

$$\Phi^* 1 = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i \otimes v_i \quad \text{where}$$

$$u_i \in h(X) \quad v_i \in h(DX)$$

Then given $x \in h(X)$ we have

$$x \otimes 1 = \sum_i u_i \otimes \Phi^*(v_i \otimes x)$$

or setting $\langle v_i, x \rangle = \Phi^*(v_i \otimes x) \in h(\text{pt})$ we have

$$x = \sum u_i \langle v_i, x \rangle, \quad \text{for all } x \in h(X).$$

This shows that $h(X)$ is a direct summand of $h(\text{pt})^n$ proving (i). QED.

Definition: X is of Künneth type ^(with h) if the equivalent conditions of the preceding proposition hold.

Remark: The pairing \langle, \rangle of $h(DX) \otimes h(X) \rightarrow h(\text{pt})$ is a perfect duality so

$$h(DX) \cong \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(h(X), h(\text{pt})).$$

Indeed the boxed formula above shows that

$$\lambda = \sum \lambda(u_i) \langle v_i, ? \rangle$$

so the map is onto. To get injectivity interchange X and DX to get $y = \sum v_i \langle u_i, y \rangle$, whence if $\langle y, x \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$.

From now on we make the following assumption.

Hypothesis: h is generated by stable complexes of Künneth types, i.e. for any ~~complex~~ $x \in h(X) \exists$ map $u: X \rightarrow Y$ in \mathcal{H} and $y \in h(Y)$ such that $u^*(y) = x$ and Y is of Künneth type.

Proposition: Let M be an $h(\text{pt})$ module. Then the stable operations $h(X) \rightarrow M \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(X) (= h_m(X))$ $X \in \mathcal{H}$ coincide with the stable operations $h \rightarrow h_m$ as \mathcal{X} runs over the full subcategory of stable complexes of Künneth types.

Proof: To prove $\text{Homst}_{\mathcal{H}}(h, h_m) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Homst}_{\mathcal{H}/K}(h, h_m)$ is bijective. Clearly injective, so suppose given $\theta: h \rightarrow h_m$ defined for X of Künneth type. Given Y and $y \in h(Y)$ choose $u: Y \rightarrow X$ $x \in h(X)$ where X is of Künneth type such that $u^*(y) = x$ and set $\theta y = u^* \theta x$. To show independent suppose $y_i \in h(Y_i)$, $u_i: X \rightarrow Y_i$ $i=1,2$ are two choices and let Z be the cone of $u_1 - u_2$

$$X \xrightarrow{u_1 - u_2} Y_1 + Y_2 \xrightarrow{j} Z.$$

$$h(X) \ni 0 \longleftarrow y_1 \oplus y_2 \in h(Y_1 + Y_2)$$

so by half-exactness $\exists z \in h(Z)$ with $j^* z = y_1 \oplus y_2$. By hypothesis may assume Z of Künneth type. Then

$$u_1^* \theta y_1 - u_2^* \theta y_2 = (u_1 - u_2)^* \theta (y_1 \oplus y_2) = (u_1 - u_2)^* \theta j^* z$$

$= (u_1 - u_2)^* f^* \theta z = 0$. Thus θx is well-defined. It's now easy to show θ is natural + stable. QED

Remark: We have really shown that the category \mathcal{I} of pairs (X, θ) X of Künneth type, $\theta \in h(X)$ is filtering and that for any $X \in \text{Ob } \mathcal{I}$

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$$h(X) = \varinjlim_{(Y, \theta) \in \mathcal{I}} \{X, Y\}$$

~~Let $\text{End } h$ be the ring of stable operations of h . $h(\text{pt})$ is a subring of $\text{End } h$ and we get left and right $h(\text{pt})$ module structures on $\text{End } h$. For a stable complex X of Künneth type and elements $x \in h(X)$, $\lambda \in \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(h(X), h(\text{pt})) = h(DX)$ we obtain a linear functional $[\lambda, x]: \theta \mapsto \lambda(\theta x)$ for the left $h(\text{pt})$ -module structure on $\text{End } h$, i.e. $a\theta \mapsto \lambda(a\theta x) = \lambda(a\theta x) = a\lambda(\theta x)$ Let $A \subset \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(\text{End } h, h(\text{pt}))$ be the set of \mathbb{Z} -linear combinations of linear functionals of the form $[\lambda, x]$. Note that A is a sub- $h(\text{pt})$ -module since $(a[\lambda, x])\theta = a\lambda(\theta x) = (a\lambda)(\theta x) = [a\lambda, x]$.~~

Let M be an $h(\text{pt})$ -module. Then by \star and Yoneda's lemma we have

$$\text{Homst}(h, h_M) \cong \varprojlim_{(Y, y) \in \mathcal{I}} h_M(Y) \cong \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(h(Y)', h(\text{pt}))$$

where $h(Y)' = \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(h(Y), h(\text{pt}))$. Thus

$$\boxed{\text{Homst}(h, h_M) \cong \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})}(A, M)}$$

where

$$A = \varinjlim_{(Y, y) \in \mathcal{I}} h(Y)'$$

If $(Y, y) \in \mathcal{I}$ and $\lambda \in h(Y)'$ let $\{\lambda, y\}$ be the element of A represented by the inductive limits. Then the isomorphism in the box is given by

$$\theta \longmapsto (\{\lambda, y\} \longmapsto \lambda(\theta y)).$$

Define a ring structure on A by the formula

$$\{\lambda_1, y_1\} \cdot \{\lambda_2, y_2\} = \{\lambda_1 \boxtimes \lambda_2, y_1 \boxtimes y_2\}$$

where the external products are defined by means of the isom

$$h(Y_1 \wedge Y_2) \cong h(Y_1) \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(Y_2)$$

$$y_1 \boxtimes y_2 \longleftarrow y_1 \otimes y_2$$

Proposition: Let R be an ^(anti-commutative) $\hbar(\text{pt})$ -algebra. Then an operation $\Theta: \hbar \rightarrow \hbar_R$ preserves products iff the corresponding map of $\hbar(\text{pt})$ -modules $A \rightarrow R$ is a ring homomorphism. In other words

$$\text{Homst}^\otimes(\hbar, \hbar_R) \cong \text{Hom}_{\hbar(\text{pt})\text{-alg}}(A, R)$$

~~Proof: ~~Observe that these are ring homomorphisms~~~~

~~means that for all λ_1, λ_2~~ To say that $A \rightarrow R$ is a hom. ~~means that~~

~~$$(\lambda_1 \boxtimes \lambda_2)(\Theta(y_1 \boxtimes y_2)) = \lambda_1(\Theta y_1) \lambda_2(\Theta y_2)$$

$$= (\lambda_1 \boxtimes \lambda_2)(\Theta y_1 \boxtimes \Theta y_2)$$~~

~~or equivalently that $\Theta(y_1 \boxtimes y_2) = \Theta y_1 \boxtimes \Theta y_2$, that is, that Θ preserves products. QED.~~

Proof: Let $\Theta: \hbar \rightarrow \hbar_R$ be a stable operation and let $\varphi: A \rightarrow R$ be the corresponding $\hbar(\text{pt})$ -module map so that

$$\varphi\{\lambda, y\} = \lambda(\Theta(y)).$$

To say that φ is a ring homomorphism is to have

$$\varphi \{ \lambda_1, y_1 \} \{ \lambda_2, y_2 \} \stackrel{?}{=} \varphi \{ \lambda_1, y_1 \} \cdot \varphi \{ \lambda_2, y_2 \}$$

$$\parallel \qquad \parallel$$

$$\lambda_1 \boxtimes \lambda_2 (\Theta(y_1 \boxtimes y_2)) \qquad \lambda_1(\Theta y_1) \cdot \lambda_2(\Theta y_2)$$

$$\qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \parallel$$

$$\qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \lambda_1 \boxtimes \lambda_2 (\Theta y_1 \boxtimes \Theta y_2)$$

This is so for all $\lambda_i \in h(Y_i)$ iff

$$\Theta(y_1 \boxtimes y_2) = \Theta y_1 \boxtimes \Theta y_2$$

ie. iff Θ preserves products. QED.

(Observe that A is an $h(\text{pt})$ -module by

$$\alpha \{ \lambda, y \} = \{ \alpha \lambda, y \} \qquad \alpha \in h(\text{pt})$$

which is of course the structure coming from the fact that A is an inductive limit of $h(\text{pt})$ -modules. This makes A into an $h(\text{pt})$ -algebra.)

Having now described ring operations $h \rightarrow h_R$ in terms of A , we can carry over the category structure to A as follows:

Define a functor \mathcal{C} (anti-commutative) from rings to categories. Given

R set

$$\mathcal{C}(R) = \text{Hom}_{\text{rings}}(h(\text{pt}), R)$$

Ob $\mathcal{C}(R)$

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}(R)}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) = \text{Homst}_{\mathbb{R}}^{\otimes}(h_{\varphi_1}, h_{\varphi_2})$$

Claim this functor is representable with

- object ring - $h(\text{pt})$
- morph. ring - A

and with ~~maps to be~~ maps to be determined.
By prop. above

$$\text{Homst}_{\mathbb{R}}^{\otimes}(h_{\varphi_1}, h_{\varphi_2}) \cong \text{Hom}_{h(\text{pt})\text{-alg}}(A, R_{\varphi_2})$$

which proves representability. ~~and shows that the natural~~

~~$h(\text{pt})$ alg structure~~

$$h(\text{pt}) \longrightarrow A$$

$$\alpha \longmapsto \{\alpha, 1\} \in h(\text{pt})$$

~~is in fact the "target" map. To determine the "source"~~

~~map: Given~~

$$\Theta: R_{\varphi_1} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h \longrightarrow R_{\varphi_2} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h$$

~~Set~~

$$\hat{\Theta}: A \longrightarrow R_{\varphi_2}$$

~~be the corresponding map so that~~

$$\hat{\Theta}(\lambda y) = \lambda \Theta(y)$$

$$\Theta(y) \in R_{\varphi_2} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(y)$$

$$\lambda \in h(y)$$

~~(Check $\hat{\Theta}(\alpha, 1) = \alpha \Theta(1) = \varphi_2(\alpha) \otimes 1$ in $R_{\varphi_2} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(\text{pt})$)~~

We must be more explicit: Given

$$\theta: R_{\varphi_1} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h \longrightarrow R_{\varphi_2} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h$$

R-alg. homomorphism define

$$\hat{\theta}: A \longrightarrow R$$

$$\hat{\theta} \{ \lambda, y \} = m \langle 1 \otimes \lambda, \theta(1 \otimes y) \rangle$$

where

$$m: R_{\varphi_2} \otimes_{h(\text{pt})} h(\text{pt}) \longrightarrow R$$

is given by

$$r \otimes u \longmapsto r \varphi_2(u).$$

How to recover φ_2 from $\hat{\theta}$: Take $Y = \text{pt}$, $y = 1 \in h(\text{pt})$.

$$\hat{\theta} \{ u \hat{1}, 1 \} = m \langle 1 \otimes u \hat{1}, 1 \otimes 1 \rangle$$

$$= m(1 \otimes u) = \varphi_2(u)$$

Here ~~we~~ we let $\hat{1} \in h(\text{pt})'$ be the dual base to $1 \in h(\text{pt})$. How to recover φ_1 from $\hat{\theta}$:

$$\hat{\theta} \{ \hat{1}, u \} = m \langle 1 \otimes \hat{1}, \theta(1 \otimes u) \rangle = m \theta(1 \otimes u)$$

$$= m \theta(\varphi_1(u) \otimes 1)$$

$$= m(\varphi_1(u) \otimes 1) = \varphi_1(u)$$

~~Here we~~

Conclusion:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 u & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \{u\hat{1}, 1\} \\
 & \xrightarrow{\text{target}} & \\
 h(\text{pt}) & \xrightarrow{\text{source}} & A \\
 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \\
 u & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \{\hat{1}, u\}
 \end{array}$$

Suppose now that $\varphi_1 = \varphi_2 = \varphi$ and $\Theta : h_\varphi \rightarrow h_\varphi$ is the identity. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \widehat{\Theta} \{ \lambda, y \} &= m \{ 1 \otimes \lambda, \Theta(1 \otimes y) \} \\
 &= m(1 \otimes \langle \lambda, y \rangle) \\
 &= \varphi(\langle \lambda, y \rangle).
 \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{\text{identity section}} & h(\text{pt}) \\
 \{ \lambda, y \} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \langle \lambda, y \rangle
 \end{array}$$

Suppose given

$$h_{\varphi_0} \xrightarrow{\Theta_0} h_{\varphi_1} \xrightarrow{\Theta_1} h_{\varphi_2}$$

$$\widehat{\Theta_1, \Theta_0} \{ \lambda, y \} = m_2 \langle 1 \otimes \lambda, \Theta_1, \Theta_0(1 \otimes y) \rangle$$

Now

$$\theta_0(1 \otimes y) \in R_{\varphi_1} \otimes_{h(\mathfrak{pt})} h(Y)$$

write

$$\theta_0(1 \otimes y) = \sum r_i \otimes y_i = \sum m_i \langle \lambda_i, \theta_0(1 \otimes y) \rangle \otimes y_i$$

$$\theta_1 \theta_0(1 \otimes y) = \sum (r_i \otimes 1) \theta_1(1 \otimes y_i)$$

$$m_2 \langle 1 \otimes \lambda, \theta_1 \theta_0(1 \otimes y) \rangle = m_2 \sum (r_i \otimes 1) \langle 1 \otimes \lambda, \theta_1(1 \otimes y_i) \rangle$$

$$= \sum r_i \hat{\theta}_1 \{ \lambda, y_i \}$$

$$= \sum_i \hat{\theta}_0 \{ \lambda_i, y \} \cdot \hat{\theta}_1 \{ \lambda, y_i \}$$

∴

$$\hat{\theta}_1 \theta_0 \{ \lambda, y \} = \sum_i \hat{\theta}_1 \{ \lambda, y_i \} \cdot \hat{\theta}_0 \{ \lambda_i, y \}$$

where $y_i \in h(Y)$ $\lambda_i \in h(Y^*)'$ are such that for all $z \in h(Y)$

$$z = \sum y_i \langle \lambda_i, z \rangle$$

Conclusion:

$$A \xrightarrow{\text{comp.}} A \otimes_{s, h(\mathfrak{pt})} A$$

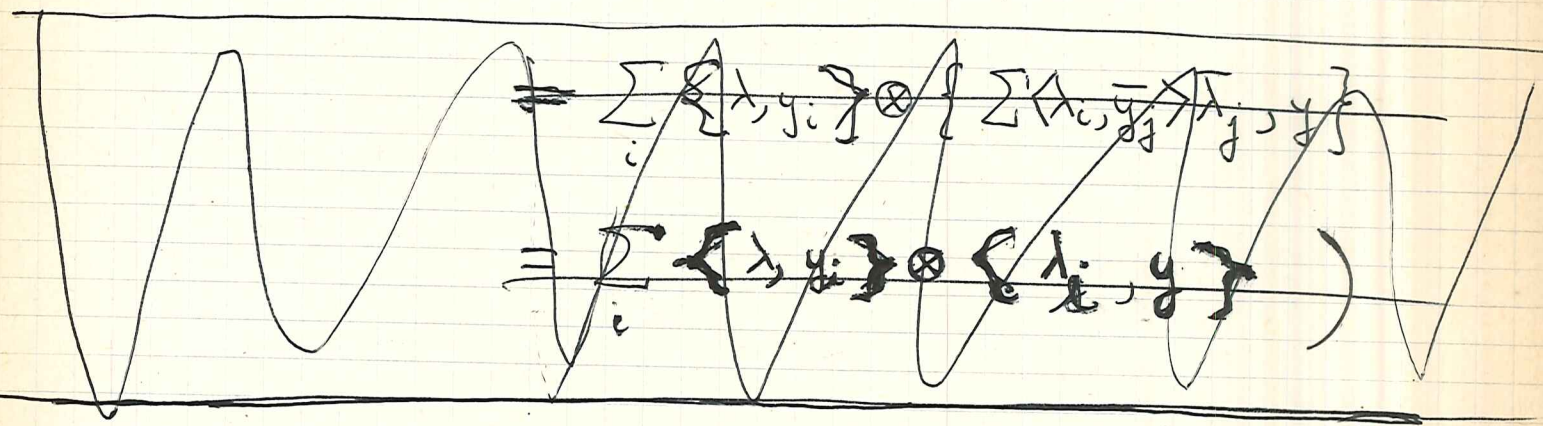
$$\{ \lambda, y \} \longmapsto \sum_i \langle \lambda, y_i \rangle \otimes \{ \lambda_i, y \}$$

where $y_i \in h(Y)$ $\lambda_i \in h(Y)'$ are \exists

$$z = \sum y_i \langle \lambda_i, z \rangle \text{ all } z \in h(Y).$$

(Check: suppose that $z = \sum \bar{y}_j \langle \bar{\lambda}_j, z \rangle$ all $z \in h(Y)$.
Then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_i \{\lambda, \bar{y}_j\} \otimes \{\bar{\lambda}_j, y\} &= \sum_{i,j} \{\lambda, y_i \langle \lambda_i, \bar{y}_j \rangle\} \otimes \{\bar{\lambda}_j, y\} \\ &= \sum_{i,j} \{\lambda, y_i\} \{\hat{1}, \langle \lambda_i, \bar{y}_j \rangle\} \otimes \{\bar{\lambda}_j, y\} \\ &= \sum_{i,j} \{\lambda, y_i\} \otimes \{\langle \lambda_i, \bar{y}_j \rangle, \hat{1}\} \{\bar{\lambda}_j, y\} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{i,j} \{\lambda, y_i\} \otimes \{\sum_j \langle \lambda_i, \bar{y}_j \rangle \bar{\lambda}_j, y\} \\ &= \sum_i \{\lambda, y_i\} \otimes \{\lambda_i, y\}. \end{aligned}$$

This shows that the formula for Δ is ~~independent~~ independent of the ~~decomposition~~ choice of the y_i and λ_i .

Example: $h = \Omega$. If $\varphi_i: \Omega(\text{pt}) \rightarrow R$ ^{$i=1,2$} ~~are~~ homomorphisms, then a ring homomorphism

$$\theta: h_{\varphi_1} \rightarrow h_{\varphi_2}$$

is given by a power series $\varphi(x) = \sum a_i x^{i+1}$ $a_0 = 1$ with coefficients in $h_{\varphi_2}(\text{pt}) = R_{\varphi_2, h(\text{pt})} \otimes h(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{\cong} R$ by the rules

$$\begin{cases} \theta(h \otimes z) = (h \otimes) \hat{\varphi}(z) \\ \hat{\varphi}(c_i^{\Omega}(L)) = \varphi(1 \otimes c_i^{\Omega}(L)) \end{cases}$$

~~Then~~ Then φ_1 is the composition

$$h(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{in_2} R_{\varphi_1, h(\text{pt})} \otimes h(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{\theta} R_{\varphi_2, h(\text{pt})} \otimes h(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{m_2} R$$

which is given by what the group law goes to. But

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$$\theta(1 \otimes c_i^{\Omega}(L)) = \varphi(1 \otimes c_i^{\Omega}(L))$$

$h(\text{pt}) \rightarrow R_{\varphi_2, h(\text{pt})}$
 $in_2' c_i^{\Omega}(L)$, where $in_2': R_{\varphi_2, h(\text{pt})} \rightarrow R$

so

$$\theta(in_2 F^{\Omega})(\theta in_2 c_1^{\Omega} L_1, \theta in_2 c_1^{\Omega} L_2) = \varphi((in_2 F^{\Omega})(in_2 c_1^{\Omega} L_1, in_2 c_1^{\Omega} L_2))$$

$$= \varphi(in_2'' c_1^{\Omega} L_1, in_2'' c_1^{\Omega} L_2)$$

~~Then~~

$$\theta(in_2 F^{\Omega})(\varphi X, \varphi Y) = \varphi((in_2 F^{\Omega})(X, Y))$$

$$\theta(in_2 F^{\Omega})(\varphi X, \varphi Y) = \varphi((in_2 F^{\Omega})(X, Y))$$

$$\therefore m_2 \theta \text{in}_2 F^\Omega = (m_2 \varphi) * \varphi_2 F^\Omega. \quad \text{since } m_2 \circ \text{in}_2' = \varphi_2$$

In other words a map

$$\theta: h_{\varphi_1} \longrightarrow h_{\varphi_2}$$

is given by a power series $\varphi(x) = \sum a_i X^{i+1} \in R[[X]]$, $a_0 = 1$ with

$$\varphi_1(F^\Omega) = \varphi * (\varphi_2 F^\Omega).$$

Therefore

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{target} & & \\ \hline h(\text{pt}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & A \\ \parallel & & \\ h(\text{pt}) [a_1, a_2, \dots] & & \end{array}$$

and

$$h(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{\text{source}} A$$

is given by the group law

$$\varphi_a * F^\Omega$$

$$\varphi_a = \sum a_i X^{i+1}$$

~~The~~ The ~~identity~~ identity map is given by

$$A \xrightarrow{\text{ident.}} h(\text{pt})$$

$$a_i \longmapsto 0 \quad i \geq 1.$$

Finally we compute the composition:

$$h_{\varphi_0} \xrightarrow{\theta_\varphi} h_{\varphi_1} \xrightarrow{\theta_1} h_{\varphi_2}$$

suppose

$$\theta_\varphi \left(\overset{\text{in}_2^0}{\downarrow} c_1^\Omega(L) \right) = \psi_\varphi \left(\overset{\text{in}_2^1}{\downarrow} c_1^\Omega(L) \right)$$

$$\theta_1 \left(\overset{\text{in}_2^1}{\downarrow} c_1^\Omega(L) \right) = \psi_2 \left(\overset{\text{in}_2^2}{\downarrow} c_1^\Omega(L) \right)$$

$$m_1 \psi_\varphi(x) \in R[[X]]$$

$$m_2 \psi_2(x) \in R[[X]]$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}\theta_2 \theta_1 (in_2^0 c_1^{\Omega} L) &= \theta_2 (\psi_1 (in_2^1 c_1^{\Omega} L)) \\ &= (\theta_2 \psi_1) (\psi_2 in_2^2 c_1^{\Omega} L).\end{aligned}$$

so $\theta_2 \theta_1$ is given by the power series
 $(\theta_2 \psi_1) \cdot \psi_2$.

To calculate $\theta_2 \psi_1$: Recall $\psi_1(x)$ ~~has~~ has coefficients in $R_{\varphi_1} \otimes_{h(pt)} h(pt) \xrightarrow{m_1} R$ and that θ_2 is R -linear. Thus $\theta_2 \theta_1$ is given by the power series

$$\psi_1 \cdot \psi_2$$

and the ~~source~~ source group law is

$$\varphi_0 F^{\Omega} = (\psi_1 \circ \psi_2) * \varphi_2 F^{\Omega} = \psi_1 * (\psi_2 * \varphi_2 F^{\Omega})$$

$\varphi_1'' F^{\Omega}$

Conclusion: If $\theta_1: h\varphi_0 \rightarrow h\varphi_1$ is given by ψ_1 and $\theta_2: h\varphi_1 \rightarrow h\varphi_2$ is given by ψ_2 , then $\theta_2 \theta_1: h\varphi_0 \rightarrow h\varphi_2$ is given by $\psi_1 \circ \psi_2$. Thus

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & A \otimes_{\substack{h(pt) \\ s}} A \\ \downarrow \eta & & \downarrow \eta \\ h(pt)[a] & \longrightarrow & h(pt)[a', a''] \end{array}$$

$$\Delta(\sum a_i X^{i+1}) = (\sum a'_i X^{i+1}) \circ (\sum a''_i X^{i+1})$$

The ring structure of End h:

Given $h \xrightarrow{\theta_1} h \xrightarrow{\theta_2} h$ stable ~~fib~~ operations

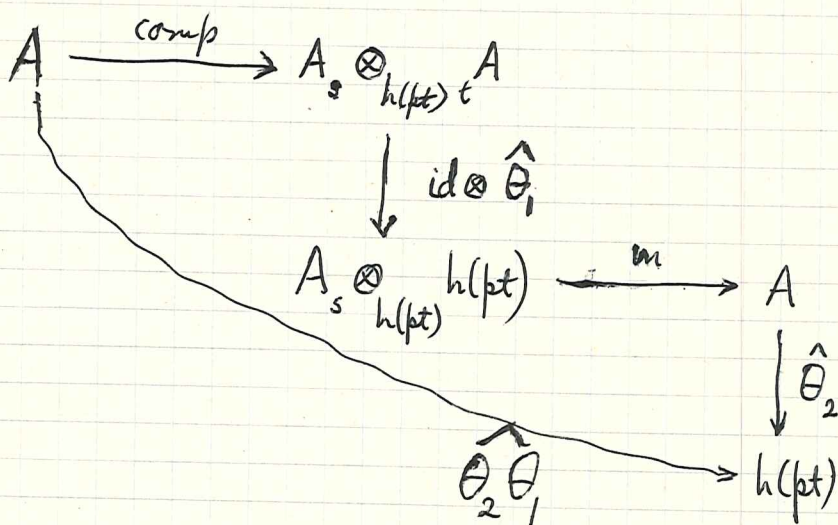
let

$$\hat{\theta}_i : A \longrightarrow h(pt)$$

be the corresponding $h(pt)$ -~~algebra~~ ^{module} maps, where A is regarded as an $h(pt)$ -~~algebra~~ ^{module} by means of the target map. Thus

$$\hat{\theta}_i \{ \lambda, y \} = \lambda(\theta_i y).$$

I claim that $\hat{\theta}_2 \hat{\theta}_1$ may be calculated in terms of the composition map as follows



Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} (\hat{\theta}_2 \circ m \circ id \otimes \hat{\theta}_1 \circ \Delta) \{ \lambda, y \} &= \hat{\theta}_2 m \sum_i \{ \lambda, y_i \} \otimes \lambda_i(\theta_1 y) \\ &= \hat{\theta}_2 \sum_i m(\{ \lambda, y_i \} \{ \lambda_i(\theta_1 y) \} \otimes 1) = \hat{\theta}_2 \sum_i \{ \lambda, y_i \lambda_i(\theta_1 y) \} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \hat{\theta}_2 \{ \lambda, \theta_1 y \} = \{ \lambda, \theta_2 \theta_1 y \} = \hat{\theta}_2 \theta_1 \{ \lambda, y \},$$

where we have used that $z = \sum y_i \lambda_i(z)$ for all $z \in h(Y)$.

Note that the ~~category~~ ^{monoid} ^{stable} of ring homs. $h \rightarrow h$ is not directly related to the category associated to $h(\text{pt})$ since the latter is a groupoid and the former has idempotent elts. Thus $\text{End}^{\circ} \mathcal{Q} =$ the set of ways of associating to a formal group law a power series, ~~with the composition~~, i.e. sections of the target map $\text{Fl} \xrightarrow{F} \text{Ob}$. Given sections s_1 and s_2 their composition is roughly the rule which associates to a group law F the ~~power series~~ power series which is the composite of $s_1(F)$ and $s_2(s_1(F) * F)$. This is not the same as the composition of $s_1(F)$ and $s_2(F)$.

~~Recall that we have~~

Inverse and antipode: Recall that we have identified $h(DY)$ and $h(Y)'$ by means of the pairing

$$\langle \lambda, y \rangle = \Phi^*(\lambda \boxtimes y) \quad \lambda \in h(DY), y \in h(Y)$$

where ~~the trivial duality maps~~ $\Phi: \text{pt} \rightarrow DY \times Y$ is the trivial duality maps. Define

$$I: A \longrightarrow A$$

by
$$I\{\lambda, y\} = (-1)^{d^y \cdot d^\lambda} \{y, \lambda\}$$

where $y \in h(Y) = h(\mathbb{D}D Y)$, and given $\theta: h_{\varphi_1} \rightarrow h_{\varphi_2}$
 define $\bar{\theta}: h_{\varphi_2} \rightarrow h_{\varphi_1}$

$$\hat{\bar{\theta}}\{\lambda, y\} = \hat{\theta}I\{\lambda, y\}$$

Calculate:

$$\hat{\bar{\theta}}\theta\{\lambda, y\} = \sum_i \hat{\bar{\theta}}\{\lambda, y_i\} \hat{\theta}\{y_i, y\}$$

~~$$= \sum_i (-1)^{d^\lambda \cdot d^y} \langle \lambda, y_i \rangle \langle y_i, y \rangle$$~~

~~$$= \sum_i (-1)^{d^\lambda \cdot d^y} \langle y_i, \theta \lambda \rangle \langle \lambda_i, \theta y \rangle$$~~

$$= \sum_i (-1)^{d^\lambda \cdot d^y} \langle y_i, \theta \lambda \rangle \langle \lambda_i, \theta y \rangle$$

(? signs
 not homog.)

$$= \sum_i \langle \theta \lambda, y_i \rangle \langle \lambda_i, \theta y \rangle$$

$$= \langle \theta \lambda, \theta y \rangle = \Phi^*(\theta \lambda \otimes \theta y) = \theta \langle \lambda, y \rangle = \langle \lambda, y \rangle$$

since θ acts as identity on R . Thus

$$\bar{\theta}\theta = id$$

and similarly $\theta\bar{\theta} = id$ as $\bar{\bar{\theta}} = \theta$. Thus $\bar{\theta} = \theta^{-1}$

and we find that (putting back in \otimes)

$$\hat{\bar{\theta}}^{-1}\{\lambda, y\} = m \langle \theta(1 \otimes \lambda), 1 \otimes y \rangle$$

Conclude the inverse is given by

$$A \xrightarrow{\text{inverse}} A$$

$$\{\lambda, y\} \mapsto (-1)^{d^\lambda \cdot d^y} \{y, \lambda\}$$

~~The above inverse map gives rise to a map~~
~~End h \rightarrow End h as follows. Given $\theta: h \rightarrow h$~~
~~define $\hat{\theta}$ by~~

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Remarks: In rewriting the above you should ~~identify~~
~~with R and define $\hat{\theta}: A \rightarrow R$ by~~

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have maps

$$j_\varphi: h(Y) \longrightarrow h_\varphi(Y)$$

$$m_\varphi: h_\varphi(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{\cong} R$$

Also use a different letter than φ for the maps $h(\text{pt}) \rightarrow R$

such that

$$m_\varphi j_\varphi = \varphi$$

and define $\hat{\theta}: A \rightarrow R$ by

$$\hat{\theta} \{\lambda, y\} = m_{\varphi_2} \{ \overset{\varphi_2}{\lambda}, \theta_{j_{\varphi_1}} y \}$$

(Notation?)

Question: Given an operation $\theta: h \rightarrow h$ can one always define a transpose operation ${}^t\theta: h \rightarrow h$?

The operations in ΩT :

Let $\Omega(p) = \Omega \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{Z}(p)$ and let

$$\psi(X) = c(F^{\Omega}) \in \Omega(p)(\text{pt})[[X]]$$

be the power series of Cartier \Rightarrow

$$c(F^{\Omega}) * F^{\Omega}$$

is a typical group law. Define ΩT as the base extension

$$\Omega T(X) = LT \otimes_L \Omega(X)$$

where $L \rightarrow LT$ sends the universal law F_u into the universal typical law F_t and $L \rightarrow \Omega$ sends F_u to F^{Ω} . It is clear that an multiplicative operation $\theta: \Omega T \rightarrow (\Omega T)_R$ where R is an LT -algebra is the same as an operation $\Omega \rightarrow (\Omega T)_R$ carrying F^{Ω} to a typical law. Therefore we have

$$\text{Homst}^{\bullet}(\Omega T, (\Omega T)_{\varphi}) \cong \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{power series } \psi(X) = \sum a_i X^{i+1} \in R[[X]] \\ a_0 = 1 \text{ such that } \psi * \varphi(F^{\Omega T}) \text{ is} \\ \text{typical.} \end{array} \right.$$

"step"
 $F^{\Omega T \varphi}$

~~...~~
(Here we use for the 1000th time, the

Lemma: If $\psi(X) \in Q(\rho t)[[X]]$ has leading ~~term~~ term aX with $a \in Q(\rho t)^*$ and if $\hat{\psi}: \Omega \rightarrow Q$ is the ~~map~~ multiplicative operation with

$$\hat{\psi}(c_1^{\Omega}(L)) = \psi(c_1^Q(L))$$

then $\hat{\psi}: \Omega(\rho t) \rightarrow Q(\rho t)$ ~~is~~ is given by

$$\boxed{\hat{\psi} F^{\Omega} = \psi * F^Q}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\psi} F^{\Omega}(c_1^{\Omega}L_1, c_1^{\Omega}L_2) &= \hat{\psi} c_1^{\Omega}(L_1 \otimes L_2) = \psi(c_1^Q(L_1 \otimes L_2)) \\ &\parallel \\ (\hat{\psi} F^{\Omega})(\hat{\psi} c_1^{\Omega}L_1, \hat{\psi} c_1^{\Omega}L_2) &\parallel \\ &\parallel \\ \hat{\psi} F^{\Omega}(\psi(c_1^Q L_1), \psi(c_1^Q L_2)) &\parallel \\ &\parallel \\ &= \psi F^Q(c_1^Q L_1, c_1^Q L_2) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\hat{\psi} F^{\Omega}(\psi X, \psi Y) = \psi F^Q(X, Y)$

$$\text{or } (\hat{\psi} F^{\Omega})(X, Y) = \psi F^Q(\psi^{-1}X, \psi^{-1}Y) = (\psi * F^Q)(X, Y).$$

So to use this we need to know the ψ and $\psi * (\psi F^{\Omega})$ are typical. But given a typical law F over R , to say that $\psi * F$ is typical is the same as saying that ψ^{-1} is a typical curve for F . Indeed if g is a prime $\neq p$

$$\left(F_g \psi^{-1}\right)(X^g) = \sum_{j^g=1}^F \psi^{-1}(jX) = \psi^{-1}\left(\sum_{j^g=1}^{\psi * F} jX\right).$$

But any typical curve is uniquely expressible in the form

$$\psi^{-1} = \sum_{n \geq 0}^F \cancel{V^n} [r_n] \gamma_0$$

ie $\psi^{-1}(X) = \sum_{n \geq 0}^F r_n X P^n$.

Conclude that

$$\text{Homst}^\otimes(\Omega T, (\Omega T)_\varphi) \cong \{ \text{sequences } (r_1, r_2, \dots) \in R \}$$

$$\hat{\varphi}_r \longleftarrow \underline{r}$$

where

$$\varphi_r^{-1}(X) = \sum_{n \geq 0}^F F_\varphi r_n X P^n \quad r_0 = 1$$

and $F_\varphi = \varphi F^{\Omega T}$. ~~Thus~~ Thus

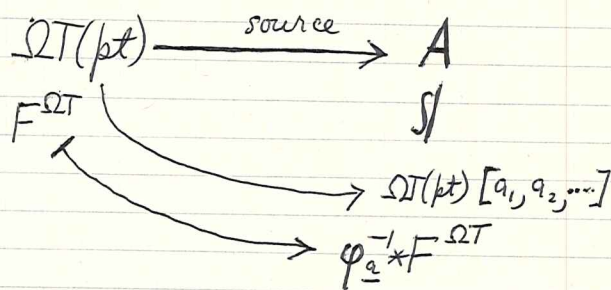
$$\text{Hom}_{\Omega T(\text{pt})}^\otimes(A, R_\varphi) \cong \{ \text{sequences } \underline{r} \}$$

$\Rightarrow A \cong \Omega T(\text{pt}) [a_1, a_2, \dots]$, where the target $\Omega T(\text{pt})$ -algebra structure is indicated. To calculate the source map: Given \underline{r} and $\varphi: \Omega T(\text{pt}) \rightarrow R$, we then have

$$\Omega T \xrightarrow{\hat{\varphi}_r} (\Omega T)_\varphi$$

and the source ^{map} is the map ~~map~~ $\Omega T(\text{pt}) \xrightarrow{\hat{\varphi}_r} (\Omega T)_\varphi$, or equivalently

the ~~group~~ group law $\hat{\varphi}_a(F^{\Omega T}) = \varphi_a^{-1} * F_\varphi$. Therefore



Proposition: Let $R = \Omega T(pt) [a_1, a_2, \dots]$ and let

$$\tau_a : \Omega T \longrightarrow (\Omega T)_R = \Omega T [a_1, a_2, \dots]$$

be the ~~isomorphism~~ ring homomorphism given by the power series φ_a where

$$\varphi_a^{-1}(x) = \sum_{n \geq 0} F^{\Omega T} a_n x^{p^n} \quad a_0 = 1.$$

Write

$$\tau_a(x) = \sum_{\alpha} \tau_{\alpha}(x) a^{\alpha}$$

where α runs over multi-indices. Then every ^{stable} operation ~~isomorphism~~ $\theta : \Omega T \rightarrow \Omega T$ is uniquely expressible as an infinite sum

$$\theta x = \sum u_{\alpha} \tau_{\alpha}(x)$$

where $u_{\alpha} \in \Omega T(pt)$.

Proof: We know that ΩT is a direct summand of $\Omega(p)$ and that the latter is generated by complexes of Künneth type, namely the skeletons of MU . Hence ΩT is also generated by Künneth complexes ^(so by preceding work) and we know that any ^(stable) operation $\theta: \frac{\Omega T}{k} \rightarrow \frac{\Omega T}{k}$ is the composition

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \Omega T(x) & \xrightarrow{\Delta} & \sum r_\alpha(x) \otimes a^\alpha \\
 & \searrow \theta & \downarrow \text{id} \otimes \hat{\theta} \\
 & & \Omega T(x) \otimes_{\Omega T(pt)} A \\
 & & \Omega T(x)
 \end{array}$$

where $\hat{\theta} \in \text{Hom}_{\Omega T(pt)}(A, \Omega T(pt))$. Now $A = \Omega T(pt)[a_1, a_2, \dots]$ so $\hat{\theta}$ is given by its values on a^α . If $\hat{\theta}(a^\alpha) = u_\alpha \in \Omega T(pt)$, then clearly $\bar{\theta}(x) = \sum u_\alpha r_\alpha(x)$.

Problem: After prolonged absence due to illness take up the old stuff. 11

Operations in ΩT

$$\Omega T = LT \otimes_L \Omega$$

universal for standard theories with typical law

$$c(F^\Omega) = \{ \in \Omega(\mathbb{k}t) \}$$

$$\hat{\xi} c_1^\Omega(L) = \xi (c_1^\Omega(L))$$

$$\therefore \hat{\xi} \cdot F^\Omega = \xi * F^\Omega$$

$$\therefore \hat{\xi} F^{\Omega T} = \xi * F^\Omega = c(F^\Omega) * F^\Omega \text{ is typical}$$

Now ~~is~~ an operation $\Omega \longrightarrow \Omega T$ same as

$$\varphi(X) = X + \dots \in \Omega T(\mathbb{k}t)[[X]]$$

$$\hat{\varphi} c_1^\Omega(L) = \varphi(c_1^{\Omega T}(L))$$

$$\hat{\varphi} F^\Omega = \varphi * F^{\Omega T}$$

and therefore $\hat{\varphi}$ induces an operation from $\Omega T \longrightarrow \Omega T \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}\langle \varphi \rangle} R$
iff $\varphi * F^{\Omega T}$ is typical.

~~is a~~
 $\varphi^* F^{\Omega T}$ typical $\Leftrightarrow \varphi^{-1}(X)$ ^{is a} typical curve
 for $F^{\Omega T}$

γ typ. for F

$\Rightarrow \varphi \circ \gamma$ typical for $\varphi^* F$

so write

$$\varphi_a^{-1}(X) = \sum_{n \geq 0} F^{\Omega T} a_n X P^n \quad a_0 = 1$$

let $\hat{\varphi}_a = \pi_a: \Omega T \rightarrow \Omega T[a_1, a_2, \dots]$

Then

$$\pi_a F^{\Omega T} = \varphi_a^* F^{\Omega T} \quad \text{typical?}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{over } \mathbb{Q}}{=} \varphi_a \circ l \circ F \circ l \circ \varphi_a^{-1}$$

$$\text{new log} = l \circ \varphi_a^{-1} = \sum_{n \geq 0} F^{\Omega T} a_n X P^n$$

$$= \sum_{n \geq 0} l(a_n X P^n) = \sum_{n \geq 0} \sum_{m \geq 0} \frac{P_{p^m-1}}{P_{p^m}} \frac{(a_n X P^n)^{p^m}}{P_{p^m}} \quad \therefore \text{typical}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{h_a(p_{v-1}) = \sum_{m+n=v} p^n p_{p^m-1} a_n p^m}$$

Next want to calculate the power series assoct

$$\underline{h}_a \circ \underline{h}_b$$

$$\underline{h}_a(\underline{h}_b c_i^{\Omega T}(L)) = \underline{h}_a(\varphi_b^{\#}(c_i^{\Omega T}(L)))$$

$$= \underline{h}_a(\varphi_b^{\#})(\varphi_a^{\#}(c_i^{\Omega T}(L)))$$

~~$$\underline{h}_a(\varphi_b \circ \varphi_a)(c_i^{\Omega T}(L))$$~~

$$= [\underline{h}_a(\varphi_b) \circ \varphi_a](c_i^{\Omega T}(L))$$

$$\underline{h}_a F^{\Omega T} = \underline{h}_a \circ \varphi_a^{-1} F^{\Omega T}$$

~~$$\varphi_a^{-1} \underline{h}_a(\varphi_b^{-1}) = \varphi_a^{-1} \underline{h}_a \sum F^{\Omega T} (b_n X P^n)$$~~

~~$$= \varphi_a^{-1} \sum \underline{h}_a F^{\Omega T} (b_n X P^n)$$~~

~~$$= \varphi_a^{-1} \sum \underline{h}_a F^{\Omega T} \varphi_a^{-1} (b_n X P^n)$$~~

$$\mathcal{R}_a(\varphi_b) \circ \varphi_a = \varphi_c$$

where

$$\varphi_c^{-1} = \frac{\sum_{F^{\Omega T}} c_n X^{p^n}}{\sum_{F^{\Omega T}} c_n X^{p^n}} \varphi_a^{-1}(b_n X^{p^n}) = \sum_{F^{\Omega T}} \sum_{F^{\Omega T}} a_k b_n^k X^{p^{n+k}}$$

or

$$\mathcal{R}_a \circ \mathcal{R}_b = \mathcal{R}_c \quad \text{where}$$

$$\sum_{p^{m-1}} c_n^m \frac{X^{p^{m+n}}}{p^m}$$

$$= \sum \frac{p_{p^{m-1}}}{p^m} (a_k b_n^k X^{p^{n+k}})^{p^m}$$

$$\sum_{h=0}^N p_{p^{h-1}} p^{N-h} c_{N-h}^{p^h} = \sum_{k+m+n=N} p_{p^{m-1}} p^{k+n} a_k^m b_n^{k+m}$$

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Notes on category schemes from late fall of 68.

Unsolved problems:

1. Milnor-Moore thm in char p where p is odd
2. Fiber functors + the reduction of a groupoid to a group.
3. Formal groupoids of dimension 1.

~~The Milnor-Moore thm in char 2:
 Suppose given a ^(formal) category scheme in characteristic 2 such that the augmentation ideal is killed by Frobenius.~~

The situation in characteristic 2:

Given a category scheme in characteristic 2

$$R \begin{matrix} \xleftarrow{\varepsilon} \\ \xrightarrow{s} \\ \xrightarrow{t} \end{matrix} A \xrightarrow{\Delta} A \otimes_R A$$

consider

$$\delta: A \rightarrow A \otimes_R A$$

$$\delta(x) = \delta_0 x - \delta_1 x + \delta_2 x$$

$$= 1 \otimes x - \Delta x + x \otimes 1$$

remember
 $s = \delta_1$
 $t = \delta_0$

Then

$$\delta(xy) = (\delta x)(\Delta y) + (1 \otimes x + x \otimes 1) \delta y = x \otimes y + y \otimes x$$

so if we consider the map

$$I \xrightarrow{\delta} I \otimes_R I \rightarrow \Omega \otimes \Omega \rightarrow S_2 \Omega$$

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we see that I^2 goes to 0 and hence δ induces a map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \psi: \Omega & \xrightarrow{\quad} & S^2\Omega \\ & \searrow d & \downarrow \\ & & \Lambda^2\Omega \end{array}$$

ψ is something like the Cartier operator on forms. In effect I believe that in the case where $A = R \otimes_k R$ R smooth / k

ψ is given by

$$\boxed{\psi(\omega)(X) = \omega(X^2) - X\omega(X)}$$

If $\psi(\omega)$ is defined this way then one checks easily that

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \psi_\omega(X+Y) - \psi_\omega(X) - \psi_\omega(Y) = d\omega(X, Y) \\ \psi_\omega(fX) = f^2\psi_\omega(X) \\ \psi_{f\omega}(X) - f\psi_\omega(X) = Xf \cdot \omega(X). \end{array} \right.$$

Thus

$$\psi(f\omega) = f\psi(\omega) + df \cdot \omega$$

and so we can extend ψ to a derivation of $S^i\Omega$ which we shall denote d . Thus there is a de Rham complex

$$R \xrightarrow{d} \Omega \xrightarrow{d} S^2\Omega \xrightarrow{d} S^3\Omega \longrightarrow \dots$$

which I conjecture can be used to prove the same theorems in char. 0 but for formal cat. scheme with I killed by Frobenius.

(conjectured corollary \Rightarrow Steenrod operations are trivial $Sq^i u = 0, \forall i \leq n = \dim u$) 3

In characteristic p , p odd, I lack the analogue of ψ .

The Cartier operator ~~is~~

$$\psi_\omega(X) = \omega(X^p) - X^{p-1}\omega(X)$$

is not an R -polynomial function of X .

~~is not differentiable from algebraic point of view~~

thus $\psi_\omega(X+\varepsilon Y) - \psi_\omega(X)$
not R -linear in $Y, \varepsilon^2=0$.

Thus I calculated the deviation from linearity in char 3

$$\begin{aligned} \omega((X+Y)^3) - (X+Y)^2 \omega(X+Y) &= [\omega(X^3) - X^2 \omega(X)] + [\omega(Y^3) - Y^2 \omega(Y)] \\ &\quad + (-Y d\omega(Y \wedge X) - d\omega(Y \wedge [Y, X])) \\ &\quad + (-X d\omega(X \wedge Y) - d\omega(X \wedge [X, Y])) \end{aligned}$$

which is not ~~linear~~^{an} R -polynomial function of X . However

$$\omega(fX)^3 - (fX)^2 \omega(fX) = f^3 (\omega(X^3) - X^2 \omega(X)).$$

We used the following

$$\star \begin{cases} (X+Y)^3 = X^3 + [X, Y] + [Y, [X, Y]] + Y^3 \\ (fX)^3 = f^3 X^3 + (f(Xf)^2 + f^2(X^2f))X \end{cases}$$

My feeling was that if I assumed Ω proj. finite type over R , then I could ~~describe~~ effectively describe ~~it~~ in terms of R and $L = \text{Hom}(\Omega, R)$ Lie ring acting on R ^{(endowed with} p th power $X^{(p)}$ with the identities \star .