

3. A Relative Cohomology in the Frame of the Derived Category

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The purpose of this paper is to prove an existence theorem and, a uniqueness theorem in a sense, for the cohomology theory satisfying the following "Axioms". It is an axiomatic formulation of the cohomology theory used in [1].

Let X and Y be topological spaces and let $f: Y \rightarrow X$ be a continuous map. For brevity we call this map a fibration from now on. Let $f: Y \rightarrow X$ and $f': Y' \rightarrow X'$ be two fibrations. Then $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ is said to be a morphism if and only if $u: X' \rightarrow X$ and $v: Y' \rightarrow Y$ are both continuous maps such that $f'v = uf'$. As for the definition of composition morphisms we follow the usual one.

Let $S(X)$ be the category of sheaves on X and let $D^+S(X)$ be its derived category. In the below we use the same notation as [2]. Our "Axioms" comprises the following (1), (2) and (3).

Axioms. Let $H(f): D^+S(X) \rightarrow D^+S(X)$ be a ∂ -functor determined by a fibration $f: Y \rightarrow X$, and let $\alpha(u, v): H(f) \rightarrow Ru_*H(f')u^{-1}$ be a functorial morphism determined by a morphism of fibrations $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$, and further let $\delta(f, g): Rf_*H(g)f^{-1} \rightarrow TH(f)$ be a functorial morphism determined by two fibrations $f: Y \rightarrow X$, $g: Z \rightarrow Y$.

We set the following axioms for the system $\{H(f), \alpha(u, v), \delta(f, g)\}$:

(1) if $f: Y \rightarrow X$ and $g: Z \rightarrow Y$ are fibrations, then the diagram

$$H(f)F \xrightarrow{i} H(fg)F \xrightarrow{j} Rf_*H(g)f^{-1}F \xrightarrow{k} TH(f)F$$

is a triangle in $D^+S(X)$, where F is an object of $D^+S(X)$ and i, j and k are the morphisms given by

$$i = \alpha(1_X, g)F, \quad j = \alpha(f, 1_Z)F, \quad k = \delta(f, g)F$$

respectively.

(2) (a) $\alpha((u, v)(u', v')) = (Ru_*\alpha(u', v')u^{-1})\alpha(u, v)$

where $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ and $(u', v'): f'' \rightarrow f'$ are morphisms of fibrations.

(b) $\alpha(1_Y, 1_X) = 1_{H(f)}$

where $f: Y \rightarrow X$ is a fibration.

(c) if $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ and $(v, w): g' \rightarrow g$ are given fibrations, the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
Rf_*H(g)f^{-1} & \xrightarrow{Rf_*\alpha(v,w)f^{-1}} & Rf_*Rv_*H(g')v^{-1}f^{-1} \\
\downarrow \delta(f,g) & & \parallel \\
& & Ru_*Rf'_*H(g')f'^{-1}u^{-1} \\
& & \downarrow Ru_*\delta(f',g')u^{-1} \\
TH(f) & \xrightarrow{T\alpha(u,v)} & TRu_*TH(f')u^{-1} \\
& & \parallel \\
& & TRu_*H(f')u^{-1}
\end{array}$$

is commutative.

(3) (a) if f is an open injective fibration, then

$$H(f) = RK(f).$$

(b) if $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ is a morphism of open injective fibrations, then

$$\alpha(u, v) = \zeta(u_*, K(f'), u^{-1})R\rho(u, v).$$

In (3), first, a sheaf $K(f)F$ on X is defined by

$$K(f)F(U) = \{s \in F(U); s|_{U \cap fY} = 0\}$$

for f an open injective fibration and F a sheaf on X . Then $K(f)$ is a functor from $S(X)$ to $S(X)$.

Next, we define $\rho(u, v): K(f) \rightarrow u_*K(f')u^{-1}$ so that the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
K(f) & \xrightarrow{\rho(u,v)} & u_*K(f')u^{-1} \\
\downarrow & & \downarrow \\
1_{S(X)} & \xrightarrow{\rho(u)} & u_*u^{-1}
\end{array}$$

is commutative, where $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ is a morphism of open injective fibrations and

$$\rho(u): 1_{S(X)} \rightarrow u_*u^{-1}$$

is the canonical functorial morphism.

Finally

$$\zeta(u_*, K(f'), u^{-1}): R(u_*K(f')u^{-1}) \rightarrow Ru_*RK(f')u^{-1}$$

is the canonical functorial morphism in the derived category $D^+S(X)$.

The statement of our Axioms is, so far, finished. Then we have the following theorems.

Theorem 1. *There exists a system $\{H(f), \alpha(u, v), \delta(f, g)\}$ satisfying the axioms stated above.*

Theorem 2. *Let $\{H(f), \alpha(u, v), \delta(f, g)\}$ and $\{\bar{H}(f), \bar{\alpha}(u, v), \bar{\delta}(f, g)\}$ be two systems satisfying the axioms. Then there exists a unique isomorphism*

$$\omega(f): H(f) \rightarrow \bar{H}(f)$$

with the properties

(i) if $(u, v): f' \rightarrow f$ is a morphism of fibrations, then

$$\bar{\alpha}(u, v)\omega(f) = (Ru_*\omega(f')u^{-1})\alpha(u, v)$$

(ii) if f is an open injective fibration, then

$$\omega(f) = \mathbf{1}_{R\mathcal{K}(f)}.$$

Furthermore, assume that

$$\delta(f, \phi \rightarrow Y) = \bar{\delta}(f, \phi \rightarrow Y)$$

holds for any open injective fibration $f: Y \rightarrow X$. Then for fibrations $f: Y \rightarrow X$ and $g: Z \rightarrow Y$ the following diagram is commutative:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Rf_* H(g)f^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\delta(f, g)} & TH(f) \\ Rf_* \omega(g)f^{-1} \downarrow & & \downarrow T\omega(f) \\ Rf_* \bar{H}(g)f^{-1} & \xrightarrow{\bar{\delta}(f, g)} & T\bar{H}(f) \end{array}$$

Outline of Proof. Let $f: Y \rightarrow X$ be an open injective fibration. Then we define a ∂ -functor $L(f): C^+S(X) \rightarrow C^+S(X)$, by

$$(L(f)F)^n = F^w \oplus f_* f^{-1} F^{n-1},$$

$$d_{L(f)F}^n = \begin{pmatrix} d_F^n & 0 \\ (-1)^n \rho(f) F^n & f_* f^{-1} d_F^{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

for an object $F = (F^n)$ of $C^+S(X)$. Let $\tilde{H}(f) = RL(f): D^+S(X) \rightarrow D^+S(X)$ be the derived functor of $L(f)$. For $f: Y \rightarrow X$ fibration, let M be the mapping cylinder of f , and let $j: Y \rightarrow M$, $p: M \rightarrow X$ be the canonical maps, as defined in [3]. Then we put

$$H(f) = p_* \tilde{H}(j) p^{-1}$$

where we note that the functor $p_*: S(M) \rightarrow S(X)$ is exact. Theorem 2 follows from the exactness of the functor p_* .

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