

Today: Poincaré-Serre - Groth. Hilbert - Riemann-Roch  
Thm.

"Oriented Cohomology theory"

Use the def. from "Algebraic Cohomism" (Crisp-Morel)

Today: Considering smooth varieties over fields.  $Sm_k$

Def A ring cohomology presheaf is a contravariant functor  $Sm_k \xrightarrow{A} GRings$   $\mathbb{Z}$ -graded rings

s.t.  $A(X \sqcup Y) = A(X) \times A(Y)$

• If  $E \xrightarrow{\pi} X$  is a vector bundle then

$A(X) \rightarrow A(E)$  is an isomorphism

•  $A(\emptyset) = (0)$

[Side comment:  $A = CH$  we get pullbacks via:

$X \xrightarrow{f} Y$

$X \xrightarrow{id_X} X \times Y \xrightarrow{\pi} Y$

flat pullback

Claim: if  $X, Y$  smooth  $\Rightarrow$   $id_X$  is a reg. embedding.  
pullback via normal cone

$\uparrow$  "unoriented" cohom. thy

What's an orientation?

two equivalent formulations:

either

• pushforwards for projective morphisms

• Chern classes for line bundles (no Chern classes for v.b.'s...)

First

Def Oriented coh. thy (on  $S^n/k$ ) is the data of

1)  $A$ : ny coh. pretheory  $A$

2) For each proj. morphism  $f: Y \rightarrow X$  of rel. dim  $d$ ; a hom of  $A(X)$ -modules

$$f_*: A^n(Y) \rightarrow A^{n+d}(X)$$

note:

$$A^*(X) = A(X)$$

$A(Y)$  is an  $A(X)$  module

$$\rightsquigarrow f^*: A(X) \rightarrow A(Y)$$

(i.e. if  $\alpha \in A(Y)$ ,  $\beta \in A(X)$

$$f_*(\beta \cdot \alpha) = \beta \cdot f_*(\alpha)$$

$$f_*(f^*\beta \cdot \alpha)$$

) "projection formula"

[Def:  $f: Y \rightarrow X$  has rel. dim  $d$  if for each  $y \in Y$ ,  $(\dim \text{ of } Y \text{ at } y) = (\dim \text{ of } X \text{ at } x) + d$  ]

$$\mathbb{P}^d \times X \rightarrow X \text{ rel dim } d$$

$$D \hookrightarrow X \text{ dim in } X \text{ rel dim } -1$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{P}^d \times D & \longrightarrow & X \\ & \searrow & \uparrow \\ & & D \end{array} \right] \text{ rel dim } d-1$$

Such that: •  $\text{id}_x = \text{id}_{A(x)}$

• if  $X, Y \hookrightarrow Z$  are transverse manifolds

and we consider

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X \times Y & \xrightarrow{+} & Y \\ g' \downarrow & & \downarrow g \\ X & \xrightarrow{f} & Z \end{array}$$

with  $f$  projective of rel dim  $d$ .

$$\text{then } g^* \tau_z = (f')_* (g')^* \tau_x$$

(transverse means:

$$\tau_{x,y}^{\theta_z} (f_* \theta_x, g_* \theta_y) = 0 \quad \text{if } \theta > 0$$

- Let  $E$  be an  $n$ -bundle on  $X$ ,

$\frac{\mathcal{O}(1)}{P(E)}$  has a canonical section  
 $s: P(E) \rightarrow \frac{\mathcal{O}(1)}{P(E)}$   
 sgn / line bundle  
 acc. to  $\mathcal{O}(1)$

define  $\xi_E = s^* s_+ 1_{A(P(E))}$

" $c_1 \mathcal{O}(-1)$ "

then  $A(P(E)) \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^{n-1} A(X) \cdot \xi^i$

as  $A(X)$  modules  
 (free)

Important fact:

equivalently, can define this as a presheaf  
 with a notion of  $c_1(\mathcal{L})$  & line bundle  
 s.t. various axioms.

How to get pushforwards:

$c_1(\mathcal{L}) \leftrightarrow \mathcal{O}(1)$  divisors

morally reasonable that since  $\text{reg}$  embedded  
 looks like locally cut-out by  $\text{reg}$  divisors,  
 that can iteratively use  $c_1(\mathcal{L})$ 's.

real answer: Fulton. MacPherson  
 + degeneration to normal case.

Statement of Groth. R-R concerns comparison of pushforwards in two places:

Suppose we have a morphism  $f$  (oriented) coh. thys

$$A \xrightarrow{f} B^*$$

which doesn't necessarily preserve pushforwards.

Goal: describe the relation between pushforwards.

i.e. correct the failed commutativity of

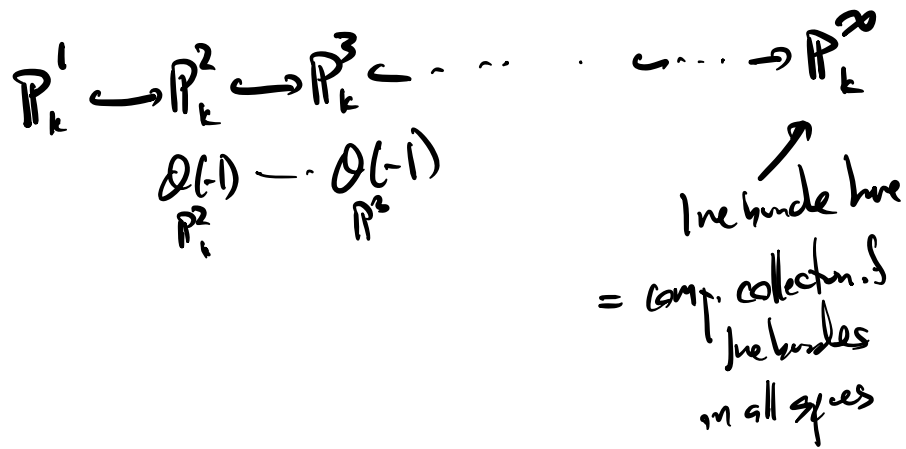
$$X \xrightarrow{f} Y$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A(X) & \xrightarrow{p_X} & B(X) \\ \downarrow \tau_X = f_A & \curvearrowright & \downarrow \tau_X = f_B \\ A(Y) & \xrightarrow{p_Y} & B(Y) \end{array}$$

Illustrate to consider the case where  $A \cong B$   
 as  $\mathcal{O}_S$  but w/ diff pushforwards.

then: Q: how to describe all possible orientators?

Turns out that for the purposes of oriented coh. thms,  
 $\exists$  a "universal line bundle"



$$\text{Pic } \mathbb{P}^\infty \cong \varprojlim_n \text{Pic } \mathbb{P}^n$$

$$\text{VB}(\mathbb{P}^\infty) \cong \varprojlim_n \text{VB}(\mathbb{P}^n)$$

$$A(\mathbb{P}^\infty) = \varprojlim_n A(\mathbb{P}^n)$$

$$\text{Pic } \mathbb{P}^\infty \dashrightarrow \text{Pic } \mathbb{P}^{n+1} \rightarrow \text{Pic } \mathbb{P}^n \rightarrow$$

$$\mathbb{P}^n \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^{n+1}$$

$$A(\mathbb{P}^\infty) \dashrightarrow A(\mathbb{P}^{n+1}) \rightarrow A(\mathbb{P}^n) \rightarrow \dots$$

← uses an orientable!  
 $\bigoplus_{i=0}^{n-1} A(\text{pt}) \cdot \xi^i$   
 $A(\text{pt})[\xi] / (\xi^n \dots)$

same limit as  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} A(t) [\xi] / (t^n)$

$\xi \in A(t) [\xi]$

$c_1^A(0(-1)) = \xi$

Any orientation on  $A$  <sup>unambig</sup>  $\leftarrow$  the underlying path of  $A$   
 is defined by a choice of a pair series generator

$\xi \in A(\mathbb{P}^\infty)$  which we can use to identify  $A(\mathbb{P}^\infty)$  w/  $A(t) [\xi]$

turns out that any choice of a top gen for  $A(t) [\xi]$  corresponds to a uniquely defined other orientation!

$\xi + \xi^2 + 4\xi^5$

$A \leftarrow A' \leftarrow$  they w/ = ngs diff orientations

$A(\mathbb{P}^\infty) \leftarrow A'(\mathbb{P}^\infty)$

$\xi_A \leftarrow \xi_{A'}$

$\psi(S_A) = \xi_A + \xi_A^2 t + \dots$

$\frac{\psi(\xi_A)}{\xi_A} \in A(t) [\xi_A]$   
 $\parallel$   
 $A(t) [t]$