

A NEW EXACT SEQUENCE

A generalization of J.H.C.Whiteheads " Certain exact sequence "

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ABSTRACT

In this work we introduce and study a new notion in algebraic topology , which we call " a new exact sequence " which is a generalization of " a certain exact sequence " of J.H.C.Whitehead .

Consider the following sequence :

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \uparrow_{p+1,q} & & \uparrow_{p,q} & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 \rightarrow f_{p+q+1}(k^{p+1}, k^p) & \rightarrow f_{p+q}(k^p) & \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}} & f_{p+q}(k^p, k^{p-1}) & \xrightarrow{S_{p,q}} & f_{p+q+1}(k^{p-1}) & \rightarrow f_{p+q+1}(k^{p-1}, k^p) \rightarrow
 \end{array} \\
 \\
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 j_{p-1,q} \circ S_{p,q} & \text{by } \uparrow_{p,q} & \\
 \ker \uparrow_{p,q} / \text{Im } \uparrow_{p+1,q} & \text{by } H_{p,q} & \\
 \ker j_{p,q} & \text{by } \Gamma_{p,q} & \text{denote} \\
 f_{p+q}(k^p) / \text{Im } S_{p+1,q} & \text{by } \Sigma_{p,q} &
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

The sequence

$$E_q : \dots \rightarrow H_{p+1,q} \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}} \Gamma_{p,q} \xrightarrow{\{_{p,q}} \Sigma_{p,q} \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}} H_{p,q} \rightarrow \dots$$

Where $\epsilon_{p+1,q}$, $\{_{p,q}$ and $\sim_{p,q}$ defined in a natural manner , we call " a new exact sequence " which is denoted by NES .

We obtain some results from NES , which are ;

The our NES it is really exact , the class of all NES,s and the homomorphisms between these sequences forms a category E , there is a functor from the category of cw-complexes into E .

INTRODUCTION

This work is inspired by the paper of "a certain exact sequence " of J.H.C.Whitehead,[w1]. We introduce in it a generalization of the main concept of that paper which we call " a new exact sequence " and denote by NES .

This work contains two sections ; in first section , we construct a new exact sequence and we intraduce some a new notions . In second section , we establish some results about our NES , some of these results purely algebraic and other depend on the topology of space .

Section 1 "the generalization"

We mean by the term "complex" in the sequel "connected cw-complex".

Let k be a cw-complex .

Denote $f_{p+q}(k^p, k^{p-1})$ by $C_{p,q}$ and $f_{p+q}(k^p)$ by $A_{p,q}$

{In case $q < -p$, then $C_{p,q} = A_{p,q} = 0$, by the convection a mong algebraic topologists to assume $f_n(X, A) = 0$ and $f_n(X) = 0$ if $n \leq 0$ }

Now, consider the following sequence ;

$$T_q : \dots \rightarrow C_{p+1,q} \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}} A_{p,q} \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}} C_{p,q} \xrightarrow{S_{p,q}} A_{p-1,q} \rightarrow \dots$$

where $S_{p,q}$, $j_{p,q}$ are the homotopy boundary and the relativizing operators , respectively .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Denote } & j_{p-1,q} \circ S_{p,q} \text{ by } \dagger_{p,q} , \\ & Z_{p,q} / B_{p,q} \text{ by } H_{p,q} , \\ & \text{Ker.} j_{p,q} \text{ by } \Gamma_{p,q} , \text{ and} \\ & A_{p,q} / D_{p,q} \text{ by } \Sigma_{p,q} . \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{p,q} &= \text{Ker.of } \dagger_{p,q} , \\ B_{p,q} &= \text{Im.of } \dagger_{p+1,q} , \text{ where} \\ D_{p,q} &= \text{Im.of } S_{p+1,q} . \end{aligned}$$

$\dagger_{p,q} \circ \dagger_{p+1,q} = 0$ It is easily to prove that

We will define homomorphisms ;

$$\begin{aligned} \{_{p,q} & : \Gamma_{p,q} \longrightarrow \Sigma_{p,q} , \\ \sim_{p,q} & : \Sigma_{p,q} \longrightarrow H_{p,q} , \\ \epsilon_{p+1,q} & : H_{p+1,q} \longrightarrow \Gamma_{p,q} . \end{aligned} \quad \text{and}$$

as follows ;

$$\begin{aligned} \{_{p,q}(x) &= [x] \text{ for each } x \text{ in } \Gamma_{p,q} , \\ \sim_{p,q}([y]) &= [j_{p,q}(y)] \text{ for each } y \text{ in } A_{p,q} , \quad \text{and} \\ \epsilon_{p+1,q}([z]) &= S_{p+1,q}(z) \text{ for each } z \text{ in } Z_{p+1,q} . \end{aligned}$$

where $[\]$ denote the advise equivalence class of the element inside the bracket .

It is easy to check that $\sim_{p,q}$ & $\epsilon_{p+1,q}$ are well defined .

Therefore we get the following sequence of groups and homomorphisms ;

$$E_q : \dots \rightarrow H_{p+1,q} \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}} \Gamma_{p,q} \xrightarrow{\{_{p,q}} \Sigma_{p,q} \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}} H_{p,q} \rightarrow \dots$$

we call " a new exact sequence " which is denoted by NES .

It is easy to see that by taking q to be 0 we will obtain the exact sequence of J.H.C.Whitehead . Moreover the results which will obtain with generalize many results of Whitehead .

Now , let \mathfrak{S} be the class of all sequences of the form NES and

$$\cdot \quad , \quad ' (q) = (\dagger_q, \hat{\quad}_q, \dots_q) : E_q \longrightarrow E_q^- \quad \text{morphisms}$$

we mean a family of homomorphisms $g(q)$ By a morphism

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccccc} E_q : & \dots \rightarrow & H_{p+1,q} & \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}} & \Gamma_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{\{_{p,q}} & \Sigma_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}} & H_{p,q} & \rightarrow \dots \\ \downarrow g(q) & & \downarrow \dagger_{p+1,q} & & \downarrow \hat{\quad}_{p,q} & & \downarrow \dots_{p,q} & & \downarrow \dagger_{p,q} & \\ E_q^- : & \dots \rightarrow & H_{p+1,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}^-} & \Gamma_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\{_{p,q}^-} & \Sigma_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}^-} & H_{p,q}^- & \rightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

such that

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_{p+1,q}^- \circ \dagger_{p+1,q} &= \hat{\quad}_{p,q} \circ \epsilon_{p+1,q} , \\ \{_{p,q}^- \circ \hat{\quad}_{p,q} &= \dots_{p,q} \circ \{_{p,q} \quad \text{and} \\ \sim_{p,q}^- \circ \dots_{p,q} &= \dagger_{p,q} \circ \sim_{p,q} . \end{aligned}$$

Let Π be the class of all sequences of the form T_q and morphisms

$$f(q) = (h_q, f_q) : T_q \rightarrow T_q^- , \text{ where}$$

$$T_q : \dots \rightarrow C_{p+1,q} \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}} A_{p,q} \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}} C_{p,q} \rightarrow \dots$$

and $f(q)$, we mean a family of homomorphisms ,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccccc} T_q : & \dots \rightarrow & C_{p+1,q} & \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}} & A_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}} & C_{p,q} & \rightarrow \dots \\ \downarrow f(q) & & \downarrow h_{p+1,q} & & \downarrow f_{p,q} & & \downarrow h_{p,q} & & & \\ T_q^- : & \dots \rightarrow & C_{p+1,q}^- & \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}^-} & A_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}^-} & C_{p,q}^- & \rightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

such that ;

$$\begin{aligned} S_{p+1,q}^- \circ h_{p+1,q} &= f_{p,q} \circ S_{p+1,q} \quad \text{and} \\ j_{p,q}^- \circ f_{p,q} &= h_{p,q} \circ j_{p,q} . \end{aligned}$$

Notice that , it is easy to show that

$$\dagger_{p+1,q}^- \circ h_{p+1,q} = h_{p,q} \circ \dagger_{p+1,q} .$$

Also , we note that

$$\begin{aligned} f_{p,q}(\Gamma_{p,q}) &\subset \Gamma_{p,q}^- , \\ f_{p,q}(D_{p,q}) &\subset D_{p,q}^- \quad \text{and} \\ h_{p,q}(B_{p,q}) &\subset B_{p,q}^- . \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\downarrow(q)$ induces morphism $g(q) = (\dagger_q, \hat{}_q, \dots_q) : E_q \rightarrow E_q^-$, where

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccccc} E_q : & \dots \rightarrow & H_{p+1,q} & \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}} & \Gamma_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{\{\}_{p,q}} & \Sigma_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}} & H_{p,q} & \rightarrow \dots \\ \downarrow g(q) & & \downarrow \dagger_{p+1,q} & & \downarrow \hat{}_{p,q} & & \downarrow \dots_{p,q} & & \downarrow \dagger_{p,q} & \\ E_q^- : & \dots \rightarrow & H_{p+1,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\epsilon_{p+1,q}^-} & \Gamma_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\{\}^-_{p,q}} & \Sigma_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{\sim_{p,q}^-} & H_{p,q}^- & \rightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

according to the rules ,

$$\begin{aligned} \dagger_{p+1,q}([z]) &= [h_{p,q}(z)] \quad \forall z \in Z_{p+1,q} , \\ \hat{}_{p,q}(x) &= f_{p,q}(x) \quad \forall x \in \Gamma_{p,q} \quad \text{and} \\ \dots_{p,q}([x]) &= [f_{p,q}(x)] \quad \forall x \in A_{p,q} . \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to show that $\downarrow(q)$ is a morphism in \mathfrak{S} , which is called the morphism induced by $\downarrow(q)$.

Moreover, we will construct $\downarrow(q)$ from the map "which is cellular",

Let $h : (K^{p+1}, K^p, e^0) \rightarrow (K_1^{p+1}, K_1^p, e_1^0)$, be a cellular map , and

$f = h|_{K^p} : (K^p, e^0) \rightarrow (K_1^p, e_1^0)$ be a cellular map , which is restriction of h .

Then h and f induce a homomorphisms h_q and f_q , which is defined as following ;

which is represented by a map $x \in C_{p+1,q}$ Let

$$\Gamma : (E^{p+q+1}, S^{p+q}, s_0) \rightarrow (K^{p+1}, K^p, e^0) \quad \text{we define } h_{p+1,q}(x) = [h \circ \Gamma]$$

Let $y \in A_{p,q}$ Which is represented by a map

$$\nu : (S^{p+q}, s_0) \rightarrow (K^p, e^0) \quad \text{we define } f_{p,q}(y) = [f \circ \nu]$$

It is easy to show that our maps are well defined ,

Moreover , it is easy to show that $\downarrow(q) = (h_q, f_q)$ is a morphism in Π , which is called the morphism induced by h .

Remarks

(i) Let $\downarrow(q) = (h_q, f_q) : T_q \rightarrow T_q^-$ and $\downarrow^-(q) = (h_q^-, f_q^-) : T_q^- \rightarrow T_q^-$, be two morphisms in Π , we define the composition of morphisms as following ; $\downarrow^-(q) \circ \downarrow(q) = (h_q^- \circ h_q, f_q^- \circ f_q)$.

It is easy to show that $\downarrow^-(q) \circ \downarrow(q) \in \Pi$.

(ii) Let $g(q) : E_q \rightarrow E_q^-$ and $g^-(q) : E_q^- \rightarrow E_q^-$, be two morphisms in \mathfrak{S} , we define the composition of morphisms as following ;

$$g^-(q) \circ g(q) = (\dagger_q^- \circ \dagger_q, \hat{}_q^- \circ \hat{}_q, \dots_q^- \circ \dots_q) : E_q \rightarrow E_q^- .$$

$g^-(q) \circ g(q)$ it is easy to show that \downarrow is a homomorphism in $\mathfrak{S} \cdot *$

Now, we will define some a new notion which is needs in this work,

By a deformation operator, $u(q): C_q(K) \rightarrow C_q(K^-)$ we mean a family of homomorphisms; $u_{p+1,q}: C_{p+1,q} \rightarrow C_{p+1,q}^-$.

We call two homomorphisms $\downarrow(q), \downarrow^*(q): T_q(K) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$, are homotopic, and write $\downarrow(q) \approx \downarrow^*(q)$, if and only if, there is a deformation operator, $u(q): C_q(K) \rightarrow C_q(K^-)$, as shown in the following diagram;

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccccc}
 & & & & \downarrow & & \dagger_{p+1,q} & & \downarrow\downarrow & & \dagger_{p,q} & & \downarrow \\
 \downarrow T_q(K): & \dots \rightarrow & C_{p+1,q} & \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}} & A_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}} & C_{p,q} & \xrightarrow{S_{p,q}} & A_{p-1,q} & \xrightarrow{j_{p-1,q}} & C_{p-1,q} & \rightarrow \dots \\
 \downarrow(q) \downarrow \downarrow^*(q) & & \downarrow\downarrow & & f_{p,q} \downarrow\downarrow f_{p,q}^* & & h_{p,q} \downarrow\downarrow h_{p,q}^* & & \downarrow\downarrow & & \downarrow\downarrow & & \\
 T_q(K^-): & \dots \rightarrow & C_{p+1,q}^- & \xrightarrow{S_{p+1,q}^-} & A_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{j_{p,q}^-} & C_{p,q}^- & \xrightarrow{S_{p,q}^-} & A_{p-1,q}^- & \xrightarrow{j_{p-1,q}^-} & C_{p-1,q}^- & \rightarrow \dots
 \end{array}$$

such that

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_{p,q}^* - f_{p,q} &= S_{p+1,q}^- \circ u_{p+1,q} \circ j_{p,q} & \text{and} \\
 h_{p,q}^* - h_{p,q} &= \dagger_{p+1,q}^- \circ u_{p+1,q} + u_{p,q} \circ \dagger_{p,q}
 \end{aligned}$$

We shall describe a homomorphism $\downarrow(q): T_q \rightarrow T_q^-$ as an (algebraic) equivalence, iff, there is a homomorphism $\downarrow^-(q): T_q^- \rightarrow T_q$ $\downarrow^-(q) \circ \downarrow(q) \approx I$ such that $\downarrow(q) \circ \downarrow^-(q) \approx I$, where I denotes the identical isomorphism both in T_q and in T_q^- .

We shall describe T_q as equivalent to T_q^- And shall write $T_q \cong T_q^-$, iff, there is an equivalence $T_q \cong T_q^-$ $\downarrow(q): T_q \rightarrow T_q^-$.

We shall describe $g(q)$ as an isomorphism, iff,

$\dagger_{p,q}$, $\hat{}_{p,q}$ and $\dots_{p,q}$ are an isomorphisms for each p. We shall describe E_q as isomorphic to E_q^- , and shall write $E_q \cong E_q^-$, iff, there is an isomorphism $g(q): E_q \rightarrow E_q^-$.

Section 2 "Results and Conclusion"

We obtain some results about our "NES". Some of these results purely algebraic and others depend on the topology of space. We will write some of these results without proof.

Theorem 1

The new exact sequence E_q is an exact sequence

Proof

We will prove this theorem in three stages;

- (i) $\text{Im.}\sim_{p,q} = \text{Ker}\epsilon_{p,q}$,
- (ii) $\text{Im.}\{\}_{p,q} = \text{Ker.}\sim_{p,q}$,
- (iii) $\text{Im}\epsilon_{p+1,q} = \text{Ker.}\{\}_{p,q}$.

Stage (i) ;

(i1) Let $a \in \Sigma_{p,q}$ and $a = [x]$, where $x \in A_{p,q}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_{p,q}(\sim_{p,q}(a)) &= \epsilon_{p,q}([j_{p,q}(x)]) \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= S_{p,q}(j_{p,q}(x)) \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= (S_{p,q} \circ j_{p,q})(x) \\ &= 0 \quad \bullet \end{aligned}$$

(i2) Let $b \in H_{p,q}$ and $b = [z]$, where $z \in Z_{p,q}$.

Assume that $\epsilon_{p,q}(b) = 0 \Rightarrow S_{p,q}(z) = 0 \Rightarrow z \in \text{Ker.}S_{p,q} = \text{Im.}j_{p,q}$

so that $z = j_{p,q}(y)$ for some $y \in A_{p,q}$,

so we let $\sim_{p,q}([y]) = [j_{p,q}(y)] = [z] = b$ •

Thus from (i1) & (i2) we get (i) *

Stage (ii) ;

(ii1) Let $a \in \Sigma_{p,q}$ and $a = [x]$, where $x \in A_{p,q}$.

Assume that $\sim_{p,q}(a) = 0$ thus $[j_{p,q}(x)] = 0$ (from def.)

but $H_{p,q} = Z_{p,q}/B_{p,q}$ then $j_{p,q}(x) \in S_{p,q}$

so that $\dagger_{p+1,q}(y) = j_{p,q}(x)$ for some $y \in C_{p+1,q}$,

thus $j_{p,q}(S_{p+1,q}(y)) = j_{p,q}(x) \Rightarrow x - S_{p+1,q}(y) \in \text{Ker.}j_{p,q} = \Gamma_{p,q}$

so we let $\{\}_{p,q}(x - S_{p+1,q}(y)) = [x] = a$ •

(ii2) Let $x \in \Gamma_{p,q}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \sim_{p,q}(\{\}_{p,q}(x)) &= \sim_{p,q}([x]) \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= [j_{p,q}(x)] \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= 0 \quad \bullet \end{aligned}$$

Thus from (ii1) & (ii2) we get (ii) *

Stage (iii)

(iii1) Let $b \in H_{p+1,q}$ and $b = [z]$, where $z \in Z_{p+1,q}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \{\}_{p,q}(\epsilon_{p+1,q}(b)) &= \{\}_{p,q}(S_{p+1,q}(z)) \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= [S_{p+1,q}(z)] \quad (\text{by def.}) \\ &= 0 \quad (\text{since in } \Sigma_{p,q}) \quad \bullet \end{aligned}$$

(iii2) Let $x \in \Gamma_{p,q}$ and $\{\}_{p,q}(x) = 0$, then $[x] = 0 \Rightarrow x \in \text{Im.}S_{p+1,q}$

so that $S_{p+1,q}(y) = x$ for some $y \in C_{p+1,q}$,

so we let $\epsilon_{p+1,q}([y]) = S_{p+1,q}(y) = x$ •

Thus from (iii1) & (iii2) we get (iii) * We are done *

Theorem 2

The class Π mention in section 1, is a category .

Theorem 3

The class \mathfrak{S} mention in section 1, is a category .

Theorem 4

. Π There is a functor from the category of cw-complexs into

Proof

The prove directly from our remark (i) "section 1" and theorem 2 .

Denote this functor by \mathcal{J} , thus $\mathcal{J}: CW \rightarrow \Pi$. where CW denote the category of cw-complexs .

Theorem 5

There is a functor from the category into the category $\Pi \mathfrak{S}$.

Proof

The prove directly from our remark (ii) "section 1" and theorem 3 .

Denote this functor by g , thus $g: \Pi \rightarrow \mathfrak{S}$.

Theorem 6

There is a functor from the category CW into the category \mathfrak{S} .

Proof

The composition of two functors is again a functor ,(see [SW]) .

Hence from (theorem 4) and (theorem 5) , it follows that $g \circ \mathcal{J}$ as a functor .

. E where $E(K) = E_q(K)$ and $E(h) = F(q)$ Denote this functor by

Lemma 1

The relation (i) \equiv mention in section 1, is an equivalence relation .

The relation (ii) \equiv Mention in section 1, is an equivalence relation .

Lemma 2 If

$\mathcal{J}(h) \approx \mathcal{J}(h^-): T_q(K) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$ are homotopic, and $\mathcal{J}(h^-): T_q(K^-) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$ be a homomorphism , then $\mathcal{J}(h^-) \circ \mathcal{J}(h) \approx \mathcal{J}(h^-) \circ \mathcal{J}(h^-): T_q(K) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$.

Lemma 3

Let $h, h^-: K \rightarrow K^-$ ($h \approx h^-$) , then

$\mathcal{J}(h) \approx \mathcal{J}(h^-): T_q(K) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$.

Lemma 4

Let $\mathcal{J}(q) \approx \mathcal{J}^-(q): T_q(K) \rightarrow T_q(K^-)$, then

$F(q) = F^-(q): E_q(K) \rightarrow E_q(K^-)$.

Theorem 7

Let $h, h^-: K \rightarrow K^-$ ($h \approx h^-$) , then

$F(q) = F^-(q): E_q(K) \rightarrow E_q(K^-)$.

Proof

The prove direct from (lemma 3) and (lemma 4) .

Theorem 8

If $K \cong K^{-}$, then $E_q(K) \cong E_q(K^{-})$.

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