

Minimal Free Resolutions of Fiber Products

Let k be a field.

$$\underline{x} = x_1, \dots, x_m$$

$$\underline{y} = y_1, \dots, y_n$$

$$\pi_S: S = \frac{k[\underline{x}]}{I} \longrightarrow k$$

$$\pi_T: T = \frac{k[\underline{y}]}{J} \longrightarrow k$$

$$S \times_k T = \{ (s, t) \mid \pi_S(s) = \pi_T(t) \}$$

$$\cong \frac{k[\underline{x}, \underline{y}]}{\langle I, \underline{x} - \underline{y}, J \rangle}$$

$$I \subseteq \langle \underline{x} \rangle$$

$$J \subseteq \langle \underline{y} \rangle$$

Want to build a free resolution
of $\frac{k[x, y]}{\langle I, x, y \rangle}$ over $R = k[x, y]$.

$$F = \dots \rightarrow F_2 \xrightarrow{\partial_2^F} F_1 \xrightarrow{\partial_1^F} F_0 \rightarrow 0$$

$$\ker \partial_i^F = \operatorname{Im} \partial_{i+1}^F \quad \text{for } i \geq 1$$

$$F_0 / \operatorname{Im} \partial_1^F \cong M \quad \swarrow \text{the module I want to resolve}$$

$$k \cong \frac{k[x_1, x_2]}{\langle x_1, x_2 \rangle} \quad \text{over } k[x_1, x_2]$$

$$\chi = 0 \rightarrow k[x_1, x_2] \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -x_2 \\ x_1 \end{pmatrix}} k[x_1, x_2]^2 \xrightarrow{(x_1 \ x_2)} k[x_1, x_2] \rightarrow 0$$

$$R \hat{=} \frac{R[y_1, y_2, y_3]}{\langle y_1, y_2, y_3 \rangle} \text{ over } R[y]$$

$$\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} y_3 \\ -y_2 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_2 - y_3 & 0 \\ y_1 & 0 & -y_3 \\ 0 & y_1 & y_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} (y_1 \ y_2 \ y_3) \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$$

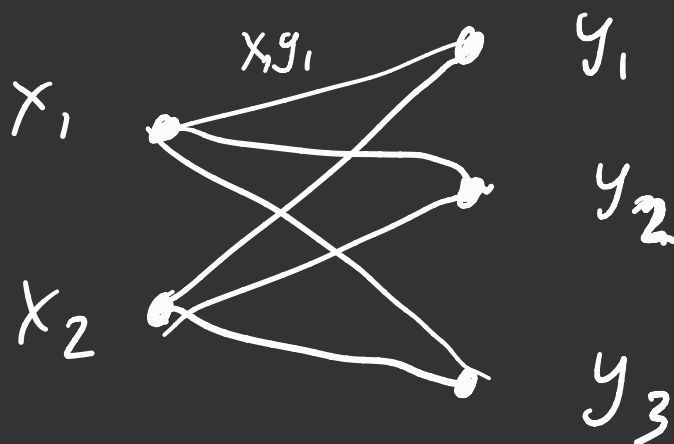
$$0 \rightarrow R[y] \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} y_3 \\ -y_2 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}} R[y] \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} y_2 - y_3 & 0 \\ y_1 & 0 & -y_3 \\ 0 & y_1 & y_2 \end{pmatrix}} R[y] \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} (y_1 \ y_2 \ y_3) \\ 3 \end{matrix}} R[y] \xrightarrow{\downarrow 0} R[y]$$

Case 1: $I = 0 = J$

$$\text{Resolve } \frac{R}{\langle x, y \rangle} = \frac{R}{I(K_{m,n})}$$

This was resolved by Visscher '06

$$I(K_{2,3}) = \langle x_1 y_1, x_1 y_2, x_1 y_3, x_2 y_1, x_2 y_2, x_2 y_3 \rangle$$



$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} y_3 \\ -y_2 \\ y_1 \\ -x_2 \\ x_1 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{R}^5 \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -y_2 & -y_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ y_1 & 0 & -y_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y_1 & y_2 & 0 & 0 \\ -x_2 & 0 & 0 & -y_3 & 0 \\ 0 & -x_2 & 0 & y_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -x_2 & -y_1 & 0 \\ x_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -y_3 \\ 0 & x_1 & 0 & 0 & y_2 \\ 0 & 0 & x_1 & 0 & -y_1 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{R}^9 \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -x_2 & 0 & 0 & y_2 & y_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -x_2 & 0 & -y_1 & 0 & y_3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -x_2 & 0 & -y_1 & -y_2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & y_2 & y_3 & 0 \\ 0 & x_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -y_1 & 0 & y_3 \\ 0 & 0 & x_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -y_1 & -y_2 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{R}^6 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \partial_3^2 \\ \partial_2^x \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \partial_2^2 & 0 & 0 \\ -x_2 I_3 & -\partial_3^2 & 0 \\ x_1 I_3 & 0 & -\partial_3^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle x_1 \ x_2 \rangle \langle y_1 \ y_2 \ y_3 \rangle = I(K_{2,3})$$

$$(X * Y)_i = \begin{cases} (X_{\geq 1} \otimes_{\mathcal{R}} Y_{\geq 1})_{i+1} & i \geq 1 \\ X_0 \otimes_{\mathcal{R}} Y_0 & i = 0 \end{cases}$$

$(\cong \mathcal{R})$

$$\partial_i^{X * Y} = \begin{cases} \partial_{i+1}^{X_{\geq 1} \otimes_{\mathcal{R}} Y_{\geq 1}} & i \geq 2 \\ \partial_i^X \otimes \partial_i^Y & i = 1 \end{cases}$$

Thm: The construction $X * Y$ is a minimal resolution of $\mathcal{R}[X] \otimes_{\mathcal{R}} \mathcal{R}[Y]$.

Recall:

$$\mathcal{R}[X] \otimes_{\mathcal{R}} \mathcal{R}[Y] \cong \frac{\mathcal{R}}{\langle X, Y \rangle}$$

Case 2: $\frac{\mathbb{R}[x]}{I} \times_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{R}[y]$, $I = \langle x \rangle^2$

$$\frac{\mathbb{R}[x]}{\langle x^3 \rangle} \times_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{R}[y_1, y_2] \cong \frac{\mathbb{R}[x, y_1, y_2]}{\langle x^3, xy_1, xy_2 \rangle}$$

$$\chi^* \gamma = 0 \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -y_2 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}} \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{(xy_1, xy_2)} \mathbb{R} \rightarrow 0$$

Minimal resolution of $\frac{\mathbb{R}[x]}{\langle x^3 \rangle}$ over $\mathbb{R}[x]$.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \mathcal{J} = & 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}[x] & \xrightarrow{x^3} & \mathbb{R}[x] & \longrightarrow 0 \\ & \phi \downarrow & & \downarrow x^2 & \circlearrowleft & \downarrow 1 & \\ \chi = & 0 & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{R}[x] & \xrightarrow{x} & \mathbb{R}[x] & \longrightarrow 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \Sigma^{-1}(\mathcal{S}_Z \oplus \mathcal{Y}) = 0 & \rightarrow & \mathbb{R} & \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -y_2 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}} & \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} y_1 & y_2 \end{pmatrix}} & \mathbb{R} \rightarrow 0 \\
 \bar{\Phi} \downarrow & & \downarrow x^2 & & \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} x^2 & 0 \\ 0 & x^2 \end{pmatrix} & & \downarrow x^3 \\
 \mathcal{X} * \mathcal{Y} = 0 & \rightarrow & \mathbb{R} & \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -y_2 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}} & \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} xy_1 & xy_2 \end{pmatrix}} & \mathbb{R} \rightarrow 0
 \end{array}$$

$\text{Cone}(\bar{\Phi}) =$

$$0 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} \mathbb{O} \\ \oplus \\ \mathbb{R} \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} x^2 \\ y_2 \\ -y_1 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R} \\ \oplus \\ \mathbb{R}^2 \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} -y_2 & x^2 & 0 \\ y_1 & 0 & x^2 \\ 0 & -y_1 & -y_2 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \oplus \\ \mathbb{R} \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} xy_1 & xy_2 & x^3 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R} \\ \oplus \\ \mathbb{O} \end{matrix} \rightarrow 0$$

Minimal resolution of $\frac{\mathbb{R}[x, y_1, y_2]}{\langle x^3, xy_1, xy_2 \rangle}$

In general, given $\phi: \mathcal{S} \rightarrow \mathcal{X}$
 we define $\bar{\Phi}$ as

$$\Phi(\alpha \otimes \beta) = \begin{cases} (-1)^{|\alpha|+|\beta|} \phi(\alpha) * \beta & |\beta| > 0 \\ \partial_{\alpha}^{\beta}(\alpha) * \beta & |\beta| = 0, |\alpha| = 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Thm: If \mathcal{L} is a minimal res'l of $\frac{\mathcal{R}[x]}{I}$ with $I \subseteq \langle x \rangle^2$, then $\text{Cone}(\Phi)$ minimally resolves $\frac{\mathcal{R}[x]}{I} \times_{\mathcal{R}} \mathcal{R}[y]$.

What if $I = 0$ and $J \subseteq \langle y \rangle^2$?

Suppose \mathcal{L} is a min res'l of $\frac{\mathcal{R}[y]}{J}$

$\psi: \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ we build Ψ

$$\Psi: \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i \otimes \mathcal{L}_i) \longrightarrow x * \mathcal{Y}$$

where

$$\Psi(\alpha \otimes \beta) = \begin{cases} (-1)^{|\alpha|+|\beta|-1} \alpha * \Psi(\beta) & |\alpha| \geq 0 \\ \alpha * \partial_1(\beta) & |\alpha|=0, |\beta|=1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Thm:

If \mathcal{L} is a min res'l of $\frac{\mathcal{R}[y-]}{\mathcal{J}}$ with $\mathcal{J} \subseteq \langle y \rangle^2$, then

$\text{Cone}(\Psi)$ is a min res'l of $\frac{\mathcal{R}[x] * \mathcal{R}[y-]}{\mathcal{J}}$.

Thm: Under the same conditions, we have $\text{Cone}(\Phi \Psi)$ is the min resolution of $\frac{\mathcal{R}[x]}{\mathcal{I}} * \frac{\mathcal{R}[y-]}{\mathcal{J}}$.

(R, \mathfrak{M}, k)

Minimal free resolution F

satisfies

$$\text{Im } \partial_{i+1}^F \subseteq \mathfrak{M} F_i$$

$$\text{Im } \partial^F \subseteq \mathfrak{M} F$$