

Day 11

Given G acting on F , and $P \xrightarrow{p} B$ a principal G -bundle \rightsquigarrow fiber bundle with fiber F .

$$P \times_G F = (P \times F) / \sim \quad (x, f) \sim (xg, g^{-1}f) \quad \forall g \in G$$

$[x, f]$ = equiv. class of (x, f)

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P \times_G F & & [x, f] \\ \downarrow q & & \downarrow \\ B & & p(x) \end{array}$$

well-defined since $p(xg) = p(x)$. $(P/G = B)$

Fix $b \in B$, then \exists charts

$$\varphi: U \times G \longrightarrow p^{-1}(U)$$

- $U \times F \xrightarrow{\alpha} (U \times G) \times_G F$ is a homeo with
 $(u, f) \longmapsto [(u, 1), f]$

inverse: $[(u, g), f] \longmapsto (u, gf)$

well-defined?

$$[(u, g)h, h^{-1}f] = [(u, gh), h^{-1}f] \longrightarrow (u, gh \cdot h^{-1}f) = (u, gf)$$

Get charts for fiber bundle

$$U \times F \xrightarrow{\alpha} (U \times G) \times_G F \xrightarrow{\varphi \times_G \text{id}} p^{-1}(u) \times_G F = q^{-1}(u)$$

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$$(u, f) \longmapsto [(u, 1), f] \longrightarrow [\varphi(u, 1), f]$$

Note: $\varphi \times_G \text{id}$ is well-defined since

$$[(u, g), f] \longmapsto [\varphi(u, g), f]$$

$$\begin{aligned} [(u, g)h, h^{-1}f] &\longmapsto [\varphi(u, gh), h^{-1}f] \\ &= [\varphi(u, g)h, h^{-1}f] \\ &= [\varphi(u, g), f] \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

since G act
on right on
 $P \xrightarrow{p} B$

Transition functions

$$U = U_1 \cap U_2$$

$$U \times F \xrightarrow{\varphi_1} q^{-1}(u) \xrightarrow{\varphi_2^{-1}} U \times F$$

$$(u, f) \longmapsto (\varphi_1(u, 1), f) \longmapsto (u, \bar{\theta}_{12}(u)f)$$

Hence

$$\varphi_2(u, \bar{\theta}_{12}(u)f) = (\varphi_2(u, 1), \bar{\theta}_{12}(u)f) = (\varphi_2(u, \bar{\theta}_{12}(u)), f)$$

$$\text{but also } \varphi_2(u, \bar{\theta}_{12}(u)f) = (\varphi_1(u, 1), f)$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_1(u, 1) = \varphi_2(u, \bar{\theta}_{12}(u))$$

There are exactly the transition functions for
 $P \xrightarrow{p} B$!

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U \times G & \xrightarrow{\varphi_1} & p^{-1}(U) & \xrightarrow{\varphi_2^{-1}} & U \times G \\ (u, 1) & \xrightarrow{\quad\quad\quad} & & & (u, \theta_{12}(u)) \end{array}$$

so $\varphi_2(u, \theta_{12}(u)) = \varphi_1(u, 1)$

Thus $\boxed{\bar{\theta}_{ij} = \theta_{ij}} \quad \forall i, j.$

The transition functions are the same!

The transition functions θ_{ij} satisfy the cocycle conditions so can build a fiber bundle using with fiber F with

$$\theta_{ij}: U_i \cap U_j \rightarrow G \hookrightarrow \text{Homeo}(F). \\ \text{(or } \text{Diff}_0(F)\text{)}$$

We say that $q: P \times_G F \rightarrow B$ is the fiber bundle associated to the principal bundle $p: P \rightarrow B$ via the action of G on F .

Suppose $F \rightarrow E$ is a fiber bundle with structure

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow ? \\ B \end{array}$$

group G . Then can use transition functions $\theta_{ij}: U_i \cap U_j \rightarrow G \hookrightarrow \text{Homeo}(F)$ to build principal G -bundle.

(Use $U \times G$ as building blocks instead of $U \times F$)

These are inverses up to fiber bundle isomorphisms.

Def: We say that two fiber bundles with structure group G and fiber F are isomorphic if \exists morphism of fiber bundles that has an inverse.

i.e. have

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} E_1 & \xrightarrow{\tilde{f}} & E'_1 & \xrightarrow{\tilde{g}} & E_1 & \text{commute} \\ P_1 \downarrow & & \downarrow P_2 & & \downarrow P_1 & \\ B_1 & \xrightarrow{f} & B_2 & \xrightarrow{g} & B_1 & \end{array}$$

- \tilde{f}, \tilde{g} are inverses (both directions)
 f, g " " "

For every chart $\varphi_i: U_i \times F \rightarrow p_i^{-1}(U_i)$ and $b \in B_1$,

$$\{b\} \times F \xrightarrow{\phi_1} p_1^{-1}(b) \xrightarrow{\tilde{f}} p_2^{-1}(f(b)) \xrightarrow{\phi_2^{-1}} \{f(b)\} \times F$$

is not just a homeo but an element of G !
diff

Sometimes may require base spaces to be same and $f = g = id_B$.