

A COHOMOLOGY THEORY FOR (INFINITESIMALLY) MULTIPLICATIVE TENSORS

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Abstract

Multiplicative tensors are sections of certain vector bundles compatible with a multiplication of a Lie group(oid). Similarly, there is a corresponding infinitesimal notion for Lie algebroids. We describe and discuss properties of a general type of cohomology theory in which (infinitesimally) multiplicative tensors appear as cocycles.

Notation

We write

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{VB-groupoid:} & \begin{array}{ccc} V_G & \rightrightarrows & V_M \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ G & \rightrightarrows & M \end{array} & \text{VB-algebroid:} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} V_A & \rightrightarrows & V_M \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ A & \rightrightarrows & M \end{array} \end{array}$$

(C_M for the core) horizontal = Lie groupoid/algebroid, vertical = vector bundle.

Tensor products of VB-groupoids

Tensor product of composable arrows of $V_{G,1}, \dots, V_{G,n}$ form simplicial vector bundle:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \bigotimes_{r=1}^n V_{G,r}^{(2)} & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \\ \xrightarrow{\quad} \end{array} & \bigotimes_{r=1}^n V_{G,r} & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \\ \xrightarrow{\quad} \end{array} & \bigotimes_{r=1}^n V_{M,r} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ G^{(2)} & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \\ \xrightarrow{\quad} \end{array} & G & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \\ \xrightarrow{\quad} \end{array} & M \end{array}$$

(face maps and degeneracy maps defined “componentwise”). Main definition:

Definition The linear (simplicial) complex of the tensor product of $V_{G,1}, \dots, V_{G,n}$ is

$$\begin{aligned} C_{\text{lin}}^{\bullet}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r}) &= C_{\text{lin}}^{\infty}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r}^{(\bullet)}) \\ &= \Gamma(\bigotimes_r (V_{G,r}^{(\bullet)})^*). \end{aligned}$$

Multiplicative tensors appear as 1-cocycles:

- $V_{G,1} = V_{G,2} = TG$: multiplicative symplectic forms.
- $V_{G,1} = V_{G,2} = T^*G$: multiplicative Poisson tensors.
- $V_{G,1} = TG$, $V_{G,2} = T^*G$: multiplicative complex structures.
- $V_{G,1} = TG$, $V_{G,2} = \mathbf{s}^*\mathfrak{k}^*$ with $\mathfrak{k}$ a bundle of ideals: multiplicative Ehresmann connections.

The (sub)complexes are therefore relevant for existence results and deformation theory.

Tensor products of VB-algebroids

Tensor product of $V_{A,1}, \dots, V_{A,n}$ in graded geometry (so as differential graded ΩA -modules):

$$\bigotimes_{r=1}^n V_{A,r}[1] = \bigotimes_{r,\Omega A} \Omega_{\text{lin}}(V_{A,r}).$$

Elements are determined on linear sections. So, consider:

$$\widehat{V}_A = \widehat{V}_{A,1} \times_A \cdots \times_A \widehat{V}_{A,n} \Rightarrow M$$

with $\widehat{V}_{A,r} \Rightarrow M$ the fat algebroids:

$$\Gamma \widehat{V}_{A,r} = \Gamma_{\text{lin}}(V_{M,r}, V_{A,r}).$$

There is a short exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{r=1}^n \text{Hom}(V_{M,r}, C_{M,r}) \longrightarrow \widehat{V}_A \longrightarrow A \longrightarrow 0$$

and $\widehat{V}_A$ is represented on the tensor product of the cochain complexes

$$V_{M,r}^* \xrightarrow{-\rho^*} C_{M,r}^*.$$

We write

$$\Omega^{\bullet}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes) = \Omega^{\bullet}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes_r V_{M,r}^*) \oplus \cdots \oplus \Omega^{\bullet-n}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes_r C_{M,r}^*).$$

The following forms a subcomplex of $\Omega^{\bullet}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes_r V_{M,r}^*)$ isomorphic to $\bigotimes_r \Omega_{\text{lin}}(V_{A,r})$.

Definition Cochains of “Weil-type”: $\omega \in \Omega^{\bullet}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes_r V_{M,r}^*)$ such that $\exists(\omega_{n'}) \in \Omega^{\bullet}(\widehat{V}_A; \bigotimes)$ with $\omega = \omega_0$ and

$$\iota_{\varphi} \omega_{n'} = \omega_{n'+1} \circ \varphi \quad \forall \varphi \in \text{Hom}(V_{M,r}, C_{M,r}).$$

Similar to before, infinitesimally multiplicative tensors appear as 1-cocycles.

Relation to other models

We clarify the relation to other models, in particular, those given in the references.

Van Est map

VB-groupoids $V_{G,1}, \dots, V_{G,n} \xrightarrow{\text{Lie}} \text{VB-algebroids } V_{A,1}, \dots, V_{A,n}$: Van Est map

$$\text{VE} : C_{\text{lin}}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r}) \rightarrow \bigotimes_r \Omega_{\text{lin}}(V_{A,r}).$$

Theorem If G is $\leq n$ -connected, VE is an isomorphism in cohomology in degrees $\leq n$.

Morita Invariance

Bibundle approach to VB-Morita equivalences: a Morita bibundle

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} V_G & \hookrightarrow & V_P & \circlearrowright & V_H \\ \Downarrow & \swarrow \tau & & \searrow \sigma & \Downarrow \\ V_M & & & & V_N \end{array}$$

with $V_P \rightarrow P$ a vector bundle, basemaps form Morita bibundle $G \hookrightarrow P \circlearrowright H$ and actions

$$V_G \times_{V_M} V_P \rightarrow V_P \text{ and } V_P \times_{V_N} V_H \rightarrow V_P$$

are linear. We prove:

Theorem Given $V_{G,r} \hookrightarrow V_{P,r} \circlearrowright V_{H,r}$ over $G \hookrightarrow P \circlearrowright H$, there is a quasi-isomorphism

$$C_{\text{lin}}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r}) \rightarrow C_{\text{lin}}(\bigotimes_r V_{H,r}).$$

Relation to representation up to homotopy (ruth)

VB-groupoids $V_{G,1}, \dots, V_{G,n} \rightsquigarrow$ 2-term ruths $\mathcal{E}_{G,1}, \dots, \mathcal{E}_{G,n}$ over

$$V_{M,r}^* \xrightarrow{-\mathbf{t}^*} C_{M,r}^*.$$

Tensor product $\bigotimes_r \mathcal{E}_{G,r}$ of ruths is ruth over tensor product of $V_{M,r}^* \rightarrow C_{M,r}^*$. We prove:

Theorem There is a quasi-isomorphism

$$C_{\text{lin}}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r}) \rightarrow \bigotimes_r \mathcal{E}_{G,r}.$$

In particular:

Theorem If G is proper, the cohomology of $C_{\text{lin}}^{\bullet}(\bigotimes_r V_{G,r})$ vanishes in degrees $\bullet > n$.

Remarks and recent work in progress

Remarks

- All quasi-isomorphisms proved using the perturbation lemma of a double complex.
- In particular: explicit expressions for quasi-isomorphisms and homotopy data.
- We discuss cup products. The Van Est map respects the products.
- In Morita invariance: new proof that $C_{\text{VB}}V_G \hookrightarrow C_{\text{lin}}V_G$ is a quasi-isomorphism.
- Also: new definition of Morita equivalence between ruths.

Recent work in progress

- Global analogue of the fat algebroid is the fat groupoid:

$$\widehat{V}_G = \widehat{V}_{G,1} \times_G \cdots \times_G \widehat{V}_{G,n}$$

$$\widehat{V}_{G,r} = \{H_g : (V_{M,r})_{sg} \rightarrow (V_{G,r})_g \mid \mathbf{s}H_g = 1 \text{ and } \mathbf{t}H_g \text{ a linear isomorphism}\}.$$

There is a natural global candidate for “Weil-type” cochain subcomplex; we investigate the relation to the linear complex and ruths.

- In particular, we proved: $C_{\text{VB}}V_G$ is isomorphic to this subcomplex of $C(\widehat{V}_G; V_M^*)$. If $V_G = T^*G$, then $\widehat{V}_G \cong J^1G$: reinterpretation of the deformation complex. Relevant for the deformation theory of groupoids; this will be the content of a separate work.
- Existence of (infinitesimally) multiplicative connections on VB-groupoids (VB-algebroids) governed by the Atiyah class. We expect: classes are related by the Van Est map.

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