

CONDENSED MATHEMATICS SEMINAR

Time: Fridays 2:30-4:30

Location: Fine Hall 314 (except 10/13, when it will be at Fine Hall 401)

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The goal of the seminar is to understand the notion of solid A -module. The main application that we plan to discuss is to the formalism of 6-functors in the coherent setting. We will follow lecture notes by Peter Scholze available electronically at <https://www.math.uni-bonn.de/people/scholze/Condensed.pdf>

Plan

1. [September 29] Introductory talk by Bogdan Zavyalov.

2. [October 6] Recall profinite sets (both as the pro-category and as totally disconnected compact spaces), Stone-Cech compactification, and extremally disconnected profinite sets. Give the definition of condensed sets and condensed groups [using either the site of compact Hausdorff spaces, profinite sets, or extremally disconnected profinite sets]. Discuss the example of $\mathbf{R}^{\text{disc}} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ in $\text{Cond}(\text{Ab})$. Show that condensed sets have enough projectives. Prove that condensed abelian groups satisfy the AB6 axioms.

References: [Sta23, Tag 08ZW], [Sta23, Tag 08YH], [Sch19, Lectures 1 and 2]

3. [October 13] Discuss the “Yoneda” embedding from compactly generated (weakly) Hausdorff spaces into condensed sets. Briefly mention coherent topoi, quasi-compact and quasi-separated objects in coherent topoi. Then classify qcqs and qs condensed sets. Give an example when the “Yoneda” embedding does not commute with filtered colimits.

References: [Sch19, Lecture 1, Appendix to Lecture 2], [CS22, §1], [Cas23, §3.1], [Lur, Appendix C]

4. [October 20] Discuss cohomology of (extremally disconnected) profinite sets. Show that sheaf cohomology with \mathbf{Z} -coefficients coincide with the condensed cohomology with \mathbf{Z} -coefficients. Then prove that higher condensed cohomology with \mathbf{R} -coefficients vanish (also, adapt the proof to work for any Banach space).

[If time permits, discuss [Hai22] which significantly generalizes the isomorphism $R\Gamma_{\text{cond}}(X, \mathbf{Z}) = R\Gamma_{\text{sheaf}}(X, \mathbf{Z})$]

References: [Sch19, Lecture 3], [Hai22]. Also see [CC23, Ch.2, Condensed abelian groups] for the proof that $H^i(S, V) = 0$ for a Banach space V and an integer $i > 0$.

5. [October 27] Recall the classification of locally compact abelian topological groups and prove that $D^b(\text{LCA})$ embeds fully faithfully into $D(\text{Cond}(\text{Ab}))$.

[If time permits, discuss the Deligne-Breen resolution]

References: [Sch19, Lecture 4, Appendix to §4], [Deg, §3, §4]

6. [November 3] Define the notion of analytic rings, maps of analytic rings, and the (derived) category of modules over analytic rings. Then show that a map of analytic maps induces a pullback functor on the category of modules (In particular, explain [Sch19, Lemma 5.10]). Then explain the forthcoming examples of \mathbf{Z}_\square , \mathbf{Z}_p, \square , $(A, A)_\square$, and $(A, \mathbf{Z})_\square$ for a finitely generated \mathbf{Z} -algebra A (and mention that the base change functor $M \mapsto M \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_\square} \mathbf{Z}[1/p]_\square$ is different from the tensor product $M \mapsto M \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_\square} \mathbf{Z}[1/p]$).

References: [Sch19, Lectures 5, 7, and Appendix to Lecture 7], [CS22, Proposition 12.20]

7. [November 10] Define and describe $\mathbf{Z}[S]$ and $\mathbf{Z}[S]_\square$ for a profinite set S . Then define solid abelian groups. Explain the computation of $R\text{Hom}(\prod_I \mathbf{Z}, \mathbf{Z})$ in condensed abelian groups. Sketch the proof that \mathbf{Z}_\square is an analytic ring. Then explain [Sch19, Corollary 6.1, Proposition 6.3, and Example 6.4].

References: [Sch19, Lectures 5 and 6], [CS22, Lecture 2].

8. [December 1] Construct analytic rings $(\mathbf{Z}[T], \mathbf{Z}[T])_\square$ and $(\mathbf{Z}[T], \mathbf{Z})_\square$. Also, construct the lower shriek functor $f_! : D_\square(\mathbf{Z}[T]) \rightarrow D_\square(\mathbf{Z})$. Then sketch the construction of $(A, R)_\square$ for finitely generated A and R .

References: [Sch19, Lecture 8 and Appendix to Lecture 8]

9. [December 8] Very briefly mention discrete adic spaces. Globalize the definition of solid modules on arbitrary discrete adic space. In particular, prove analytic descent. Mention that open immersions are not t -exact in the solid world (with a particular example).

[If time permits: Deduce faithfully flat descent from the 6-functor formalism that is going to be constructed in the next lecture]

References: [Sch19, Lectures 9 and 10]. See [Mik22] for the descent statement (it can be simplified in our situation)

10. [December 15] Construct 6-functors. Finally, explain the claim from Talk 6 that the functors $M \mapsto M \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_\square} \mathbf{Z}[1/p]_\square$ and $M \mapsto M \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}_\square} \mathbf{Z}[1/p]$ are different. In particular, prove Serre-Grothendieck duality and discuss a new local proof that Rf_* preserves coherent sheaves for a proper morphism of finite type \mathbf{Z} -schemes.

References: [Sch19, Lecture 11].

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