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Spectral Bundles as Fibrations & Opfibrations

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Topos approaches

Given a quantum system

- define a topos
- define $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{an object} \\ \text{an internal locale} \end{array} \right.$ as spectrum

eg. C^* -algebra A

discrete locale
on object X :
internal frame
= Ω_X

What is the topos?

Derives from idea of context = classical point of view

Restrict to commuting observables

commutative subalgebra
 C of A

Get a classical state space Σ_C

state determines values
of all observables in C

Topos = category of sheaves over space of states

Bundles

= map thought of as space (fibre)
indexed by base points

Joyal-Tierney: equivalence between

- internal locales in topos \mathcal{E}
- localic geometric morphisms $\mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}$
- maps $Y \rightarrow X$ (if $\mathcal{E} = \text{sh}(X)$)

X, Y point-free spaces

\therefore known spectral gadgets expressible as
spectral bundles $\begin{array}{c} \Sigma \\ \downarrow \\ \mathcal{B} \end{array}$ - fibre over $C = \text{spectrum } \Sigma_C$
- space of contexts C

$\mathcal{L}(A)$ = poset of commutative subalgebras of A

Isham,
Butterfield,
Döring

Imperial

Topos $[\mathcal{L}(A)^{op}, \text{Set}]$

Nijmegen <sup>Heunen,
Landsman,
Spitzer</sup>

$[\mathcal{L}(A), \text{Set}]$

Context
space

Filt $\mathcal{L}(A)$

Idl $\mathcal{L}(A)$

Scott topology

Contains

$\mathcal{L}(A)$

$\mathcal{L}(A)$

coAlexandrov

Alexandrov

topologies

Finite dimensional $A = M_n(\mathbb{C})$

Caspers, Heunen,
Landsman,
Spitzer

$\mathbb{C} \cong \mathbb{C}^m$, $m = \dim \mathbb{C} = \sum \epsilon$

\mathbb{C} structured by m s.a. indecomposable idempotents,
orthogonal & summing to 1

In A : m s.a. idempotents (projectors) $\{P_i\}$;

$$P_i P_j = 0 \quad (i \neq j), \quad \sum P_i = 1$$

$\therefore \mathcal{L}(A) = \{\text{such projector sequences}\}$

modulo permutations

Projector sequence \approx flag in \mathbb{C}^n - subspaces

$$0 = W_0 \subseteq W_1 \subseteq \dots \subseteq W_m = \mathbb{C}^n$$

$$W_i = W_{i-1} \oplus \text{Im } P_i$$

Closer analysis

Consider trace sequence $t_i = \text{tr } P_i = \text{rank } P_i$

For given trace sequence:

corresponding flags form a compact manifold

$\therefore \mathcal{L}(A) = \coprod_{\text{trace sequences } t} \text{Flag manifold} / \sim$

↑
for trace-preserving
permutations of P_i 's

Point of bundle space

= pair (projector sequence,
choice of projector)

e.g. $n=2$ (a qbit)

Trace sequences

2 one projector sequence (Id) \downarrow
Singleton fibre 1

11 Projector sequences $(P, \text{Id} - P)$
 P a trace 1 projector - points of Bloch sphere S^2
 $S^2 / \sim = \mathbb{R}P^2$ real projective plane

S^2

\downarrow

$\mathbb{R}P^2$

Topology?

Imperial, Nijmegen:

each flag manifold gets discrete topology
(co) Alexandrov topology on $\mathcal{L}(A)$

- context refinement **decompose projector**

Raynaud: manifold topology

- point-free, constructive writing up
- first get regular spaces
- use extended Priestley duality to add context refinement as specialization order
- get stably locally compact space

Sheaf toposes

Imperial, Nijmegen \Rightarrow presheaf toposes

Raynaud \Rightarrow sheaf topos

Need calculational techniques for them

Avoid explicit calculations of sheaves.
Work with bundles in category of locales
use geometric logic to restore points

Geometric mathematics

Space = geometric theory point = model of theory

Map = geometric transformation of points to points

Bundle = geometric transformation of points to spaces
base points fibres

Realization of fibrewise topology

Coarse graining

For contexts $\mathcal{C} \subseteq \mathcal{D}$
coarse fine

have map $\Sigma_{\mathcal{C}} \leftarrow \Sigma_{\mathcal{D}}$

Gelfand-Naimark spectrum is contravariant

Express this more generally?

Relate context refinement to specialization order

x, y points of space X
 $x \sqsubseteq y \iff$ for all opens U ,
 $x \in U \rightarrow y \in U$

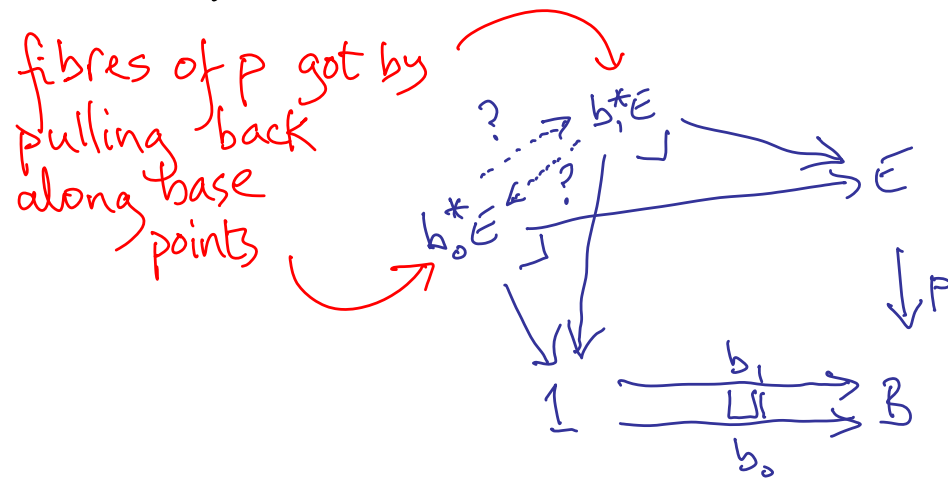


$$u x = \tau \rightarrow u y = \tau$$

More generally: $\tau \xrightarrow{g} X$
 $f \sqsubseteq g \iff \forall U \ f^* U = g^* U$

Loc is order enriched hence a 2-category

Specialization and bundles



Intuition

P is a fibration

opfibration

if whenever $b_0 \sqsubseteq b_1$, get restriction map $b_0^*E \leftarrow b_1^*E$

$$b_0^*E \xleftarrow{b_0 b_1} b_1^*E$$

$$b_0^*E \xrightarrow{c_{b_0 b_1}} b_1^*E$$

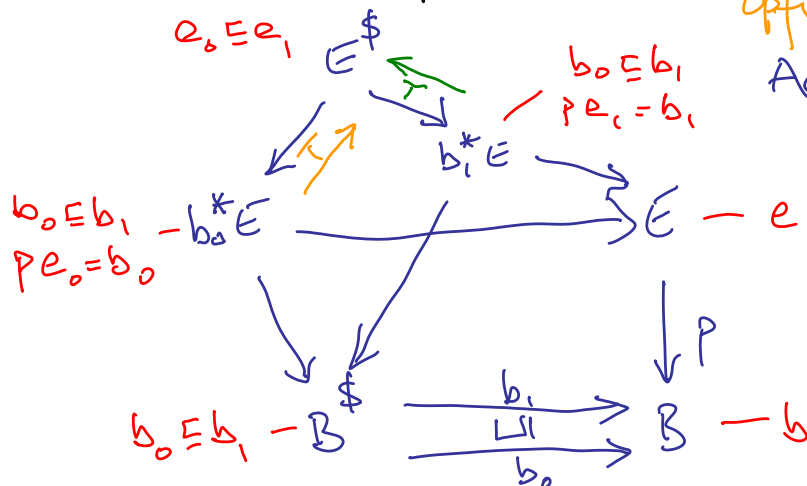
Problems

- Suppose B lacks points?
- Will any maps do here?

Use generalized points

P fibration
 opfibration

Adjunction is over



- Generic diagram covers all generalized points
- Maps between fibres are canonical

Fundamental results

See Johnstone
"Fibrations & partial products
in a 2-category"

If a bundle $\begin{array}{c} E \\ \downarrow p \\ B \end{array}$ corresponds to $-$

- a discrete internal locale p is an opfibration *p is a local homeomorphism*
- a compact regular internal locale p is a fibration

Consequence: Imperial

Seek spectral object in topos
 \Rightarrow discrete locale
 \Rightarrow bundle an opfibration

$C \sqsubseteq D \Rightarrow$ get $\Sigma_C \rightarrow \Sigma_D$

$\therefore E = \supseteq$

- use filter completion

topos is $[G(A)^{op}, \text{Set}]$

Consequence: Nijmegen

Seek compact regular locale in topos

- Gelfand-Naimark spectrum *Banaschewski Mulvey*

\Rightarrow bundle a fibration

$C \sqsubseteq D \Rightarrow$ get $\Sigma_C \leftarrow \Sigma_D$

$\therefore E = \subseteq$

- use ideal completion

topos is $[G(A), \text{Set}]$

Variance is consequence of the kind of spectrum being sought

Specialization on E

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ p \downarrow \\ B \end{array}$$

Typical situation:

- know B

- know fibres of p *fibrewise topology*

Write e in E as (b, x) b in B x in E_b

What is specialization order on E ?

If p is a fibration,

$(b_0, x_0) \sqsubseteq (b_1, x_1) \iff$

$b_0 \sqsubseteq b_1$ and $x_0 \sqsubseteq \check{r}_{b_0 b_1}(x_1)$

Similarly for opfibrations

Geometric transformer on \mathcal{C}

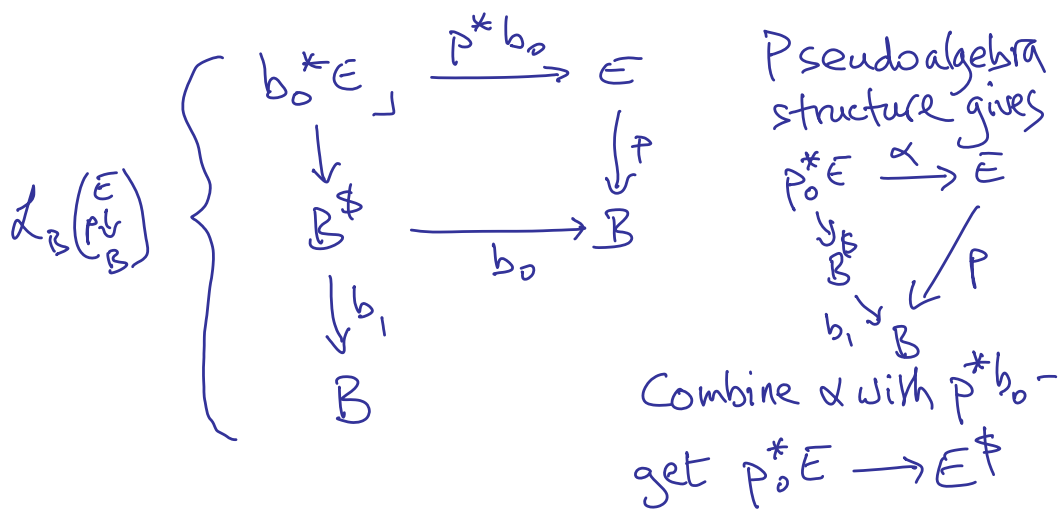
Define as

- 2-endofunctor T_\bullet on \mathcal{C}^\downarrow
 - Acts as identity on base
 - "Preserves horizontality" -
if $E_1 \rightarrow E_2$ is pb, so is result of applying T_\bullet .
- $$\begin{array}{ccc} \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ B_1 & \rightarrow & B_2 \end{array}$$

Street

- Gave analogous definition for arbitrary 2-category \mathcal{C}
- Showed p an opfibration if
 - as object of \mathcal{C}/B
 - carries pseudo algebra structure for a certain 2-monad L_B
- Similar result by duality for fibrations

$L_B : \mathcal{C}/B \rightarrow \mathcal{C}/B$ - idea



Extend Street's L_B to L_\bullet on \mathcal{C}^\downarrow

- same on objects
- on morphisms must deal with change of base $B_1 \rightarrow B_2$
- monad unit, multiplication
 - same definition
 - show 2-naturality w.r.t. new morphisms
- monad equations - same proof
- Opfibration = pseudoalgebra for L_\bullet for which structure is identity on base - clear

T. lifts to pseudocalgebras for \mathcal{L} .

Define 2-natural transformation

$$\psi: \mathcal{L}.T. \rightarrow T.\mathcal{L}.$$

satisfying certain properties

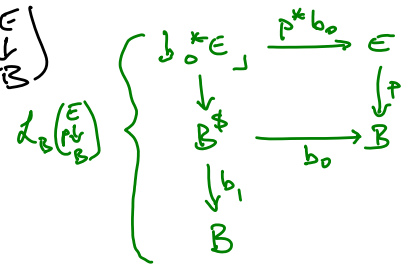
1-cat case (Applegate): T. lifts to algebras



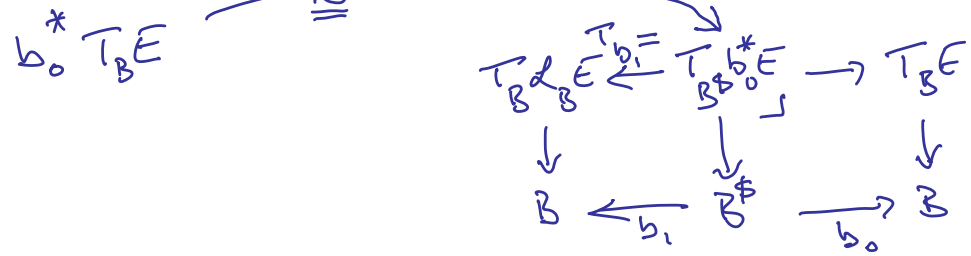
Marmolejo - generalizes to 2-categories & pseudocalgebras
other generalizations also known

Defining $\psi: \mathcal{L}.T.(\mathcal{L} \downarrow_B E) \rightarrow T.\mathcal{L}(\mathcal{L} \downarrow_B E)$

$$\mathcal{L}. \left(\begin{array}{c} T_B E \\ \downarrow \\ B \end{array} \right) = \begin{array}{c} b_0^* T_B E \\ \downarrow \\ B \end{array}$$



For T.L.: apply T. to $\mathcal{L}_B E = b_0^* E \rightarrow E$
 $\downarrow B \leftarrow b_1 \quad \downarrow B \xrightarrow{b_0} B$



Summary

- (op) fibrational describes how specialization order between base points gives maps between fibres
- Different quantum topos approaches have implicitly chosen to be either opfibrational (Imperial) or fibrational (Nijmegen, Birmingham)
- You can stick to your choice if you use geometric constructions