

- E 6.2.6** Let M and N be R -complexes and let $N \xrightarrow{\cong} I$ be a semi-injective resolution. Show that there is an isomorphism of \mathbb{k} -modules, $\mathcal{K}(R)(M, I) \cong \mathcal{D}(R)(M, N)$.
- E 6.2.7** Show that $\mathcal{K}_{\text{inj}}(R)$ and $\mathcal{D}(R)$ are equivalent as triangulated categories; cf. E 6.1.16.
- E 6.2.8** Let R be left hereditary. Show that there is an isomorphism $M \simeq H(M)$ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$ for every R -complex M . *Hint:* E 5.2.3.
- E 6.2.9** Let \mathcal{S} be a triangulated subcategory of a triangulated category (\mathcal{T}, Σ) . A morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in \mathcal{T} is called \mathcal{S} -trivial if in some, equivalently in every, distinguished triangle,

$$M \xrightarrow{\alpha} N \rightarrow X \rightarrow \Sigma M,$$

the object X belongs to \mathcal{S} . Describe the \mathcal{S} -trivial morphisms in the category $\mathcal{K}(R)$ if \mathcal{S} consists of all acyclic R -complexes; cf. E 6.1.11.

- E 6.2.10** Let (\mathcal{T}, Σ) be a triangulated category. A commutative square in \mathcal{T} ,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & N \\ \varphi \downarrow & & \downarrow \psi \\ M & \xrightarrow{\beta} & V \end{array}$$

is called *homotopy cartesian* if there exists a distinguished triangle of the form

$$U \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} \varphi \\ -\alpha \end{pmatrix}} \begin{matrix} M \\ \oplus \\ N \end{matrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} \beta & \psi \end{pmatrix}} V \xrightarrow{\gamma} \Sigma U.$$

The pair (φ, α) is called a *homotopy pullback* of (β, ψ) , and (β, ψ) is called a *homotopy pushout* of (φ, α) . Show that homotopy pushouts and homotopy pullbacks always exist.

- E 6.2.11** Let \mathcal{S} be a triangulated subcategory of a triangulated category (\mathcal{T}, Σ) , and consider the homotopy cartesian square in \mathcal{T} from E 6.2.10. Show that the morphism α is \mathcal{S} -trivial if and only if β is \mathcal{S} -trivial in the sense of E 6.2.9. *Hint:* See [41, lem. 1.5.8].

6.3 Derived Functors

SYNOPSIS. Induced functors; induced natural transformations; functoriality of resolutions; left and right derived functors.

FUNCTORS INDUCED FROM \mathcal{C} TO \mathcal{K}

6.3.1 Theorem. *Let $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor. If F maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, then there exists a unique functor \tilde{F} that makes the following diagram commutative,*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C}(R) & \xrightarrow{Q_R} & \mathcal{K}(R) \\ \downarrow F & & \downarrow \tilde{F} \\ \mathcal{C}(S) & \xrightarrow{Q_S} & \mathcal{K}(S); \end{array}$$

here Q is the canonical functor from 6.1.6. For an R -complex M there is an equality $\tilde{F}(M) = F(M)$, and for a morphism $[\alpha]$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ one has $\tilde{F}([\alpha]) = [F(\alpha)]$. Furthermore, the following assertions hold.

- (a) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \tilde{F} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If F preserves products/coproducts, then \tilde{F} preserves products/coproducts.
- (c) If F is a Σ -functor, then \tilde{F} is triangulated.

PROOF. As F maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, the composite functor $Q_S F$ maps homotopy equivalences in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ to isomorphisms in $\mathcal{K}(S)$; see 6.1.3. Thus the existence and uniqueness of \tilde{F} follow from 6.1.18.

(a): If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then so is the functor $Q_S F$ by 6.1.8. It follows from 6.1.18(a) that the induced functor \tilde{F} is \mathbb{k} -linear.

(b): If F preserves (co)products, then so does the functor $Q_S F$ by 6.1.8. It follows from 6.1.18(b) that the induced functor \tilde{F} preserves (co)products.

(c): Assume that F is a Σ -functor. To show that \tilde{F} is triangulated, it suffices by 6.1.18(c) to argue that the functor $Q_S F$ is quasi-triangulated. By assumption there is a natural isomorphism $\varphi: F\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma F$ such that for every morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ there exists an isomorphism $\tilde{\alpha}$ in $\mathcal{C}(S)$ that makes the diagram in 4.1.6 commutative. Applying the functor Q_S to φ and using the identity $Q_S \Sigma = \Sigma Q_S$, see 6.1.12, one gets a natural isomorphism,

$$Q_S(\varphi): (Q_S F)\Sigma \longrightarrow \Sigma(Q_S F).$$

To see that functor $Q_S F$ with the natural isomorphism $Q_S(\varphi)$ is quasi-triangulated in the sense of 6.1.16, it must be argued that for every morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ of R -complexes, the following candidate triangle in $\mathcal{K}(S)$ is distinguished,

$$Q_S F(M) \xrightarrow{Q_S F(\alpha)} Q_S F(N) \xrightarrow{Q_S F\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1^N \\ 0 \end{smallmatrix}\right)} Q_S F(\text{Cone } \alpha) \xrightarrow{Q_S(\varphi^M) \circ Q_S F\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1^{\Sigma M} \end{smallmatrix}\right)} \Sigma Q_S F(M).$$

As already noted, one has $\Sigma Q_S = Q_S \Sigma$, and thus the diagram above is given by application of Q_S to the top row in the following diagram in $\mathcal{C}(S)$,

$$(\star) \quad \begin{array}{ccccccc} F(M) & \xrightarrow{F(\alpha)} & F(N) & \xrightarrow{F\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1^N \\ 0 \end{smallmatrix}\right)} & F(\text{Cone } \alpha) & \xrightarrow{\varphi^M \circ F\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1^{\Sigma M} \end{smallmatrix}\right)} & \Sigma F(M) \\ \parallel & & \parallel & & \cong \downarrow \tilde{\alpha} & & \parallel \\ F(M) & \xrightarrow{F(\alpha)} & F(N) & \xrightarrow{\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1^{F(N)} \\ 0 \end{smallmatrix}\right)} & \text{Cone } F(\alpha) & \xrightarrow{\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 1^{\Sigma F(M)} \end{smallmatrix}\right)} & \Sigma F(M). \end{array}$$

The diagram (\star) is commutative by assumption on φ^M and $\check{\alpha}$. Therefore, application of the functor Q_S to the diagram (\star) yields an isomorphism of candidate triangles in $\mathcal{K}(S)$, where the lower one is strict by 6.1.14. Hence the upper candidate triangle is distinguished, as desired. \square

6.3.2 Theorem. *Let $G: \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor. If G maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, then there exists a unique functor \tilde{G} that makes the following diagram commutative,*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} & \xrightarrow{Q_R^{\text{op}}} & \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \\ G \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{G} \\ \mathcal{C}(S) & \xrightarrow{Q_S} & \mathcal{K}(S) ; \end{array}$$

here Q is the canonical functor from 6.1.6. For an R -complex M there is an equality $\tilde{G}(M) = G(M)$, and for a morphism $[\alpha]$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}}$ one has $\tilde{G}([\alpha]) = [G(\alpha)]$. Furthermore, the following assertions hold.

- (a) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \tilde{G} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If G preserves (co)products, then \tilde{G} preserves (co)products.
- (c) If G is a Σ -functor, then \tilde{G} is triangulated. \square

FUNCTORS INDUCED FROM \mathcal{K} TO \mathcal{D}

6.3.3 Theorem. *Let $F: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. If F maps quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms, then there exists a unique functor \tilde{F} that makes the following diagram commutative,*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R) & \xrightarrow{V_R} & \mathcal{D}(R) \\ F \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{F} \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S) ; \end{array}$$

here V is the canonical functor from 6.2.12. For an R -complex M there is an equality $\tilde{F}(M) = F(M)$, and for a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$ one has $\tilde{F}(\alpha/\varphi) = F(\alpha)/F(\varphi)$. Furthermore, the following assertions hold.

- (a) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \tilde{F} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If F preserves (co)products, then \tilde{F} preserves (co)products.
- (c) If F is triangulated, then \tilde{F} is triangulated.

PROOF. As F maps quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms, the composite functor $V_S F$ maps quasi-isomorphisms in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ to isomorphisms in $\mathcal{D}(S)$; see 6.2.16. Hence, the existence and uniqueness of \tilde{F} follow from 6.2.30. The value of \tilde{F} on an

R -complex M is $\tilde{F}(M) = V_S F(M) = F(M)$ since V_S is the identity on objects. By 6.2.30, 6.2.15, and 6.2.10 the value of \tilde{F} on a morphism α/φ is

$$\tilde{F}(\alpha/\varphi) = (V_S F(\alpha))(V_S F(\varphi))^{-1} = (F(\alpha)/_1)(F(\varphi)/_1)^{-1} = (F(\alpha)/_1)(1/F(\varphi)) = F(\alpha)/_{F(\varphi)}.$$

By 6.2.22 and 6.2.29 the functor V_S is \mathbb{k} -linear, triangulated, and preserves (co)products. Thus, if F has any of these properties, then so does the composite functor $V_S F$, and the assertions in parts (a)–(c) follow from the corresponding parts in 6.2.30. \square

6.3.4 Theorem. *Let $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. If G maps quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms, then there exists a unique functor \tilde{G} that makes the following diagram commutative,*

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} & \xrightarrow{V_R^{\text{op}}} & \mathcal{D}(R)^{\text{op}} \\ G \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{G} \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S); \end{array}$$

here V is the canonical functor from 6.2.12. For an R -complex M there is an equality $\tilde{G}(M) = G(M)$, and for a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$ one has $\tilde{G}(\alpha/\varphi) = (1/G(\varphi))(G(\alpha)/_1)$. Furthermore, the following assertions hold.

- (a) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \tilde{G} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If G preserves (co)products, then \tilde{G} preserves (co)products.
- (c) If G is triangulated, then \tilde{G} is triangulated. \square

INDUCED NATURAL TRANSFORMATIONS

6.3.5 Proposition. *Let $F, G: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be functors that map homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, and let $\tilde{F}, \tilde{G}: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be the functors induced by F and G ; see 6.3.1. If $\eta: F \rightarrow G$ is a natural transformation, then there is a natural transformation $[\eta]: \tilde{F} \rightarrow \tilde{G}$ defined by $[\eta]^M = [\eta^M]$ for every R -complex M .*

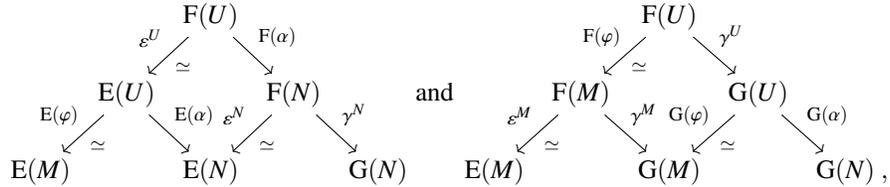
PROOF. Let $[\alpha]$ be a morphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, represented by some morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$. Recall from 6.3.1 that one has $\tilde{F}([\alpha]) = [F(\alpha)]$ and $\tilde{G}([\alpha]) = [G(\alpha)]$. Since η is a natural transformation, there is an equality $\eta^N F(\alpha) = G(\alpha) \eta^M$. It follows that $[\eta^N][F(\alpha)] = [G(\alpha)][\eta^M]$ holds, i.e. one has $[\eta]^N \tilde{F}([\alpha]) = \tilde{G}([\alpha])[\eta]^M$, which shows that $[\eta]$ is a natural transformation. \square

6.3.6 Proposition. *Let $E, F, G: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be functors that map quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms, and let $\tilde{E}, \tilde{F}, \tilde{G}: \mathcal{D}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(S)$ be the functors induced by E, F , and G ; see 6.3.3. If $E \xleftarrow{\varepsilon} F \xrightarrow{\gamma} G$ are natural transformations and ε^M is a quasi-isomorphism for every R -complex M , then there is a natural transformation $\gamma/\varepsilon: \tilde{E} \rightarrow \tilde{G}$ defined by $(\gamma/\varepsilon)^M = \gamma^M/\varepsilon^M$ for every R -complex M .*

PROOF. Let $\alpha/\varphi: M \rightarrow N$ be a morphism in $\mathcal{D}(R)$. Recall from 6.3.3 that one has $\tilde{E}(\alpha/\varphi) = E(\alpha)/E(\varphi)$ and $\tilde{G}(\alpha/\varphi) = G(\alpha)/G(\varphi)$. Thus, to see that γ/ε is a natural transformation, it must be shown that there is an equality,

$$(\star) \quad (\gamma^N/\varepsilon^N)(E(\alpha)/E(\varphi)) = (G(\alpha)/G(\varphi))(\gamma^M/\varepsilon^M).$$

Let U be the common source of α and φ . The diagrams in $\mathcal{K}(R)$,



are commutative as ε and γ are natural transformations. Thus, the left-hand composite in (\star) is $(\gamma^N F(\alpha))/(E(\varphi)\varepsilon^U)$ and the right-hand composite is $(G(\alpha)\gamma^U)/(\varepsilon^M F(\varphi))$. These two left fractions have the same numerators and denominators, indeed, since γ and ε are natural transformations, one has $\gamma^N F(\alpha) = G(\alpha)\gamma^U$ and $E(\varphi)\varepsilon^U = \varepsilon^M F(\varphi)$. This proves the equality (\star) . \square

FUNCTORIALITY OF RESOLUTIONS

6.3.7 Construction. For every R -complex M , choose a semi-projective resolution $\pi^M: P(M) \xrightarrow{\simeq} M$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$. For every morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, denote by $P(\alpha)$ the unique morphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that makes the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P(M) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi^M} & M \\ P(\alpha) \downarrow & & \downarrow \alpha \\ P(N) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi^N} & N \end{array}$$

commutative; cf. 6.1.22.

6.3.8 Theorem. *The assignments $M \mapsto P(M)$ and $\alpha \mapsto P(\alpha)$ in 6.3.7 define an endofunctor on $\mathcal{K}(R)$. This functor P is \mathbb{k} -linear, triangulated, it preserves coproducts, and it maps quasi-isomorphisms to isomorphisms. Moreover, π is a natural transformation from P to $\text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)}$.*

PROOF. The fact that $P(\alpha)$ is the unique morphism that makes the diagram in 6.3.7 commutative implies that P is a \mathbb{k} -linear functor. Indeed, for morphisms $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ and $\beta: L \rightarrow M$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ both morphisms $P(\alpha\beta)$ and $P(\alpha)P(\beta)$ make the following diagram commutative,

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 P(L) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi^L} & L \\
 \downarrow P(\alpha\beta) & & \downarrow \alpha\beta \\
 P(N) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi^N} & N
 \end{array}$$

and hence they are identical: $P(\alpha\beta) = P(\alpha)P(\beta)$. Similarly one finds that the equality $P(1^M) = 1^{P(M)}$ holds for every R -complex M and $P(x\alpha + \beta) = xP(\alpha) + P(\beta)$ for every pair α, β of parallel morphisms in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ and every x in \mathbb{k} .

Commutativity of the diagram in 6.3.7 shows that if α is a quasi-isomorphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, then so is $P(\alpha)$. It now follows from 6.1.24 that $P(\alpha)$ is an isomorphism; thus P maps quasi-isomorphisms to isomorphisms. Commutativity of the diagram in 6.3.7 also shows that π is a natural transformation from P to $\text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)}$.

To see that P preserves coproducts, let $\{M^u\}_{u \in U}$ be a family of R -complexes and notice that there is a commutative diagram in $\mathcal{K}(R)$,

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \coprod_{u \in U} P(M^u) & \xrightarrow{\varphi} & P(\coprod_{u \in U} M^u) \\
 \searrow \simeq & & \swarrow \simeq \\
 \coprod \pi^{M^u} & & \pi \coprod M^u
 \end{array}$$

where φ is the canonical map; cf. 3.1.10. The morphism $\pi \coprod M^u$ is a quasi-isomorphism by construction and $\coprod \pi^{M^u}$ is a quasi-isomorphism by 6.1.11. Therefore φ is a quasi-isomorphism, and since the complex $\coprod_{u \in U} P(M^u)$ is semi-projective by 5.2.15, it follows from 6.1.24 that φ is an isomorphism.

It remains to show that the functor P is triangulated; see A.6. For each R -complex M , let ϕ^M be the unique morphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that makes the diagram

$$(\star) \quad \begin{array}{ccc}
 & P(\Sigma M) & \\
 & \swarrow \phi^M & \downarrow \simeq \pi^{\Sigma M} \\
 \Sigma P(M) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\Sigma \pi^M} & \Sigma M
 \end{array}$$

commutative; see 6.1.22. It follows that ϕ^M is a quasi-isomorphism, and since its source and target are semi-projective R -complexes, 6.1.24 implies that ϕ^M is an isomorphism. In fact, $\phi: P\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma P$ is a natural isomorphism; that is, for every morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ one has $\phi^N P(\Sigma \alpha) = (\Sigma P(\alpha))\phi^M$. Indeed, as the source $P(\Sigma M)$ is semi-projective and $\Sigma \pi^N$ is a quasi-isomorphism, it suffices by 6.1.25 to argue that $(\Sigma \pi^N)\phi^N P(\Sigma \alpha) = (\Sigma \pi^N)(\Sigma P(\alpha))\phi^M$ holds. And that is a straightforward computation using the commutativity of the diagram in 6.3.7 and of (\star) ,

$$(\Sigma \pi^N)\phi^N P(\Sigma \alpha) = \pi^{\Sigma N} P(\Sigma \alpha) = (\Sigma \alpha)\pi^{\Sigma M} = (\Sigma \alpha)(\Sigma \pi^M)\phi^M = (\Sigma \pi^N)(\Sigma P(\alpha))\phi^M.$$

We will argue that \mathcal{P} with the natural isomorphism $\phi: \mathcal{P}\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma\mathcal{P}$ is triangulated. By the definition 6.1.14 of distinguished triangles in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, it is enough to argue that \mathcal{P} maps every strict triangle in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ to a distinguished one. Consider a morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ and the associated strict triangle in $\mathcal{K}(R)$,

$$M \xrightarrow{[\alpha]} N \xrightarrow{\iota} \text{Cone } \alpha \xrightarrow{\tau} \Sigma M,$$

where ι and τ are the homotopy classes of the morphisms $(1^N \ 0)^T$ and $(0 \ 1^{\Sigma M})$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$. It must be shown that the upper candidate triangle in the following diagram is distinguished,

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \mathcal{P}(M) & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}([\alpha])} & \mathcal{P}(N) & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}(\iota)} & \mathcal{P}(\text{Cone } \alpha) & \xrightarrow{\phi^M \circ \mathcal{P}(\tau)} & \Sigma \mathcal{P}(M) \\
 \downarrow \rho' & \searrow \pi^M & \downarrow & \searrow \pi^N & \downarrow & \searrow \pi^{\text{Cone } \alpha} & \downarrow \Sigma \pi^M \\
 & \simeq & M & \xrightarrow{[\alpha]} & N & \xrightarrow{\iota} & \text{Cone } \alpha & \xrightarrow{\tau} & \Sigma M \\
 & \nearrow \rho & \downarrow \lambda' & \nearrow \lambda & \downarrow \chi' & \nearrow \chi & \downarrow \Sigma \rho' & \nearrow \Sigma \rho & \\
 P & \xrightarrow{[\tilde{\alpha}]} & L & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\iota}} & \text{Cone } \tilde{\alpha} & \xrightarrow{\tilde{\tau}} & \Sigma P.
 \end{array}$$

Commutativity of the diagram in 6.3.7 and of (\star) show that the “upper face” in (\ddagger) , i.e. the three squares that involve π , is commutative. Choose semi-projective resolutions $\rho: P \xrightarrow{\simeq} M$ and $\lambda: L \xrightarrow{\simeq} N$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, for example, $P = \mathcal{P}(M)$ and $L = \mathcal{P}(N)$, and let $[\tilde{\alpha}]$ be the unique morphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that makes the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 P & \xrightarrow{\rho} & M \\
 \downarrow [\tilde{\alpha}] & & \downarrow [\alpha] \\
 L & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & N
 \end{array}$$

commutative; cf. 6.1.22. The lower row in (\ddagger) is the strict triangle in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ associated to some choice of morphism $\tilde{\alpha}$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ that represents the homotopy class $[\tilde{\alpha}]$. By axiom (TR4') for a triangulated category there exists a morphism χ that makes the “lower face” in (\ddagger) commutative; see A.2. Since ρ and λ are quasi-isomorphisms, so is χ by 6.1.21. By 6.1.22 there exist morphisms ρ' , λ' , and χ' in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that make the three leftmost “walls” in (\ddagger) commutative; that is, one has $\rho\rho' = \pi^M$, $\lambda\lambda' = \pi^N$, and $\chi\chi' = \pi^{\text{Cone } \alpha}$. It follows that also the rightmost “wall” in (\ddagger) is commutative, and that ρ' , λ' , and χ' are quasi-isomorphisms. We now argue that the “back face” in (\ddagger) is commutative, i.e. that the equalities

$$(\diamond) \quad [\tilde{\alpha}]\rho' = \lambda'\mathcal{P}([\alpha]), \quad \tilde{\iota}\lambda' = \chi'\mathcal{P}(\iota), \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\tau}\chi' = (\Sigma\rho')\phi^M\mathcal{P}(\tau)$$

hold. To prove the first equality in (\diamond) it suffices by 6.1.25 to argue that one has $\lambda[\tilde{\alpha}]\rho' = \lambda\lambda'\mathcal{P}([\alpha])$. This follows from the parts of the diagram (\ddagger) that are already

known to be commutative:

$$\lambda[\tilde{\alpha}]\rho' = [\alpha]\rho\rho' = [\alpha]\pi^M = \pi^N P([\alpha]) = \lambda\lambda'P([\alpha]) .$$

The second and third equalities in (\diamond) are proved similarly. Application of 5.2.14 to the short exact sequence $0 \rightarrow L \rightarrow \text{Cone } \tilde{\alpha} \rightarrow \Sigma P \rightarrow 0$ in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ from 4.1.3 shows that the complex $\text{Cone } \tilde{\alpha}$ is semi-projective. Therefore ρ' , λ' , and χ' are quasi-isomorphisms whose sources and targets are semi-projective complexes. It follows from 6.1.24 that ρ' , λ' , and χ' are isomorphisms in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, and hence the “back face” in (\ddagger) is an isomorphism of candidate triangles in $\mathcal{K}(R)$. Since the lower candidate triangle is strict, the upper candidate triangle is distinguished, as desired. \square

6.3.9. Let P and \tilde{P} be endofunctors on $\mathcal{K}(R)$ defined by making possibly different choices of semi-projective resolutions $\pi^M: P(M) \xrightarrow{\simeq} M$ and $\tilde{\pi}^M: \tilde{P}(M) \xrightarrow{\simeq} M$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ for every R -complex M ; cf. 6.3.8. By 6.1.22 there exists for every M a unique morphism φ^M in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that makes the following diagram commutative,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & P(M) & \\ \varphi^M \swarrow & & \downarrow \simeq \pi^M \\ \tilde{P}(M) & \xrightarrow{\simeq \tilde{\pi}^M} & M \end{array}$$

Since π^M and $\tilde{\pi}^M$ are quasi-isomorphisms, so is φ^M , and hence 6.1.24 yields that φ^M is an isomorphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$. In fact, $\varphi: P \rightarrow \tilde{P}$ is a natural isomorphism. Indeed, for a morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, both $\varphi^N P(\alpha)$ and $\tilde{P}(\alpha)\varphi^M$ make the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} P(M) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi^M} & M \\ \varphi^N P(\alpha) \downarrow \vdots & \tilde{P}(\alpha)\varphi^M & \downarrow \alpha \\ \tilde{P}(N) & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\tilde{\pi}^N} & N \end{array}$$

commutative, whence one has $\varphi^N P(\alpha) = \tilde{P}(\alpha)\varphi^M$ by 6.1.25.

6.3.10 Construction. For every R -complex M , choose a semi-injective resolution $\iota^M: M \xrightarrow{\simeq} I(M)$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$. For every morphism $\alpha: M \rightarrow N$ in $\mathcal{K}(R)$, denote by $I(\alpha)$ the unique morphism in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ that makes the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} M & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\iota^M} & I(M) \\ \alpha \downarrow & & \downarrow I(\alpha) \\ N & \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\iota^N} & I(N) \end{array}$$

commutative; cf. 6.1.26.

6.3.11 Theorem. *The assignments $M \mapsto I(M)$ and $\alpha \mapsto I(\alpha)$ in 6.3.10 define an endofunctor on $\mathcal{K}(R)$. This functor I is \mathbb{k} -linear, triangulated, it preserves products, and it maps quasi-isomorphisms to isomorphisms. Moreover, ι is a natural transformation from $\text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)}$ to I . \square*

6.3.12. Let I and \tilde{I} be endofunctors on $\mathcal{K}(R)$ defined by making possibly different choices of semi-injective resolutions in $\mathcal{K}(R)$ for every R -complex M ; cf. 6.3.11. There exists then a natural isomorphism $\varphi: I \rightarrow \tilde{I}$.

LEFT AND RIGHT DERIVED FUNCTORS

6.3.13. Let $F: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor and let $P, I: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(R)$ be the resolution functors from 6.3.8 and 6.3.11. Since the composite functors FP and FI map quasi-isomorphisms to isomorphisms, it follows from 6.3.3 that there are unique functors $\mathbf{L}F$ and $\mathbf{R}F$ that make the following diagrams commutative,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R) & \xrightarrow{V_R} & \mathcal{D}(R) \\ \text{FP} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathbf{L}F \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S) \end{array} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R) & \xrightarrow{V_R} & \mathcal{D}(R) \\ \text{FI} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathbf{R}F \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S) . \end{array}$$

6.3.14 Definition. Let $F: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. The functor $\mathbf{L}F$ from 6.3.13 is called the *left derived functor* of F , and $\mathbf{R}F$ is called the *right derived functor* of F .

6.3.15. Let $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. By 6.3.1 it induces a functor $\tilde{F}: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$; the derived functors $\mathbf{L}\tilde{F}$ and $\mathbf{R}\tilde{F}$ defined in 6.3.14 are for simplicity denoted $\mathbf{L}F$ and $\mathbf{R}F$.

6.3.16 Definition. Let $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. The functor $\mathbf{L}F$ from 6.3.15 is called the *left derived functor* of F , and $\mathbf{R}F$ is called the *right derived functor* of F .

6.3.17. For an arbitrary functor $F: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$, and for a functor $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, it follows from 6.3.1, 6.3.3, 6.3.13, and 6.3.15 that the derived functors $\mathbf{L}F$ and $\mathbf{R}F$ act as follows on objects and morphisms in the derived category.

- For an R -complex M one has $\mathbf{L}F(M) = \text{FP}(M)$.
- For a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$ one has $\mathbf{L}F(\alpha/\varphi) = \text{FP}(\alpha)/\text{FP}(\varphi)$.

Similarly,

- For an R -complex M one has $\mathbf{R}F(M) = \text{FI}(M)$.
- For a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$ one has $\mathbf{R}F(\alpha/\varphi) = \text{FI}(\alpha)/\text{FI}(\varphi)$.

6.3.18 Example. Consider the semi-projective resolution functor $P: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(R)$. The derived functors \mathbf{LP} and \mathbf{RP} are both naturally isomorphic to $\text{Id}^{\mathcal{D}(R)}$. Indeed, applying P to the natural transformations $\pi: P \xrightarrow{\simeq} \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)}$ and $\iota: \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)} \xrightarrow{\simeq} P$ from 6.3.8 and 6.3.11 yields natural isomorphisms $P(\pi)$ and $P(\iota)$. Thus one has two pairs of natural transformations of endofunctors on $\mathcal{K}(R)$,

$$PP \xleftarrow{=} PP \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi P(\pi)} \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)} \quad \text{and} \quad PI \xleftarrow[\cong]{P(\iota)} P \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\pi} \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)},$$

which by 6.3.6 yield natural isomorphisms $\mathbf{LP} \rightarrow \text{Id}^{\mathcal{D}(R)}$ and $\mathbf{RP} \rightarrow \text{Id}^{\mathcal{D}(R)}$.

Similarly, the derived functors \mathbf{LI} and \mathbf{RI} of the semi-injective resolution functor $I: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(R)$ are both naturally isomorphic to $\text{Id}^{\mathcal{D}(R)}$.

6.3.19 Example. Let $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences and quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms. As the induced functor $\tilde{F}: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ from 6.3.1 also maps quasi-isomorphisms to quasi-isomorphisms, it induces by 6.3.3 a functor $\hat{F}: \mathcal{D}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(S)$. In a sense, \hat{F} is nothing but the functor F . Indeed, for an R -complex M one has $\hat{F}(M) = F(M)$, and for a morphism $[\alpha]/[\varphi]$ in $\mathcal{D}(R)$, where α and φ are morphisms in $\mathcal{C}(R)$ with the same source, there is an equality $\hat{F}([\alpha]/[\varphi]) = [F(\alpha)]/[F(\varphi)]$.

The derived functors \mathbf{LF} and \mathbf{RF} are naturally isomorphic to \hat{F} . Indeed, applying $\tilde{F}: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ to the natural transformations $\pi: P \xrightarrow{\simeq} \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)}$ and $\iota: \text{Id}^{\mathcal{K}(R)} \xrightarrow{\simeq} P$ from 6.3.8 and 6.3.11 yields natural transformations $\tilde{F}(\pi)$ and $\tilde{F}(\iota)$. Thus one has two pairs of natural transformations of endofunctors on $\mathcal{K}(R)$,

$$\tilde{F}P \xleftarrow{=} \tilde{F}P \xrightarrow[\simeq]{\tilde{F}(\pi)} \tilde{F} \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{F}I \xleftarrow[\simeq]{\tilde{F}(\iota)} \tilde{F} \xrightarrow{=} \tilde{F},$$

which by 6.3.6 yield natural isomorphisms $\mathbf{LF} \rightarrow \hat{F}$ and $\mathbf{RF} \rightarrow \hat{F}$.

6.3.20 Theorem. Let $F: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. The following assertions about its left derived functor hold.

- (a) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \mathbf{LF} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If F preserves coproducts, then \mathbf{LF} preserves coproducts.
- (c) If F is triangulated, then \mathbf{LF} is triangulated.

Furthermore, the following assertions about its right derived functor hold.

- (d) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \mathbf{RF} is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (e) If F preserves products, then \mathbf{RF} preserves products.
- (f) If F is triangulated, then \mathbf{RF} is triangulated.

PROOF. By 6.3.8 and 6.3.11 the resolution functors P and I are \mathbb{k} -linear and triangulated. Furthermore, P preserves coproducts and I preserves products. The assertions now follow from 6.3.3. \square

6.3.21 Theorem. Let $F: \mathcal{C}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. The next claims about its left derived functor hold.

- (a) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then \mathbf{LF} is \mathbb{k} -linear.

- (b) If F preserves coproducts, then $\mathbf{L}F$ preserves coproducts.
- (c) If F is a \mathcal{E} -functor, then $\mathbf{L}F$ is triangulated.

Furthermore, the following claims about its right derived functor hold.

- (d) If F is \mathbb{k} -linear, then $\mathbf{R}F$ is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (e) If F preserves products, then $\mathbf{R}F$ preserves products.
- (f) If F is a \mathcal{E} -functor, then $\mathbf{R}F$ is triangulated.

PROOF. By 6.3.15, the functors $\mathbf{L}F$ and $\mathbf{R}F$ are the left derived and right functors, in the sense of 6.3.13, of the functor $\tilde{F}: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ induced by F . The assertions now follow from 6.3.1 and 6.3.20. \square

6.3.22. Let $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor and let $P, I: \mathcal{K}(R) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(R)$ be the resolution functors from 6.3.8 and 6.3.11. As the composite functors GP^{op} and GI^{op} map quasi-isomorphisms to isomorphisms, it follows from 6.3.4 that there are unique functors $\mathbf{L}G$ and $\mathbf{R}G$ that make the following diagrams commutative,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} & \xrightarrow{V_R^{\text{op}}} & \mathcal{D}(R)^{\text{op}} \\ \text{GI}^{\text{op}} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathbf{L}G \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S) \end{array} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} & \xrightarrow{V_R^{\text{op}}} & \mathcal{D}(R)^{\text{op}} \\ \text{GP}^{\text{op}} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mathbf{R}G \\ \mathcal{K}(S) & \xrightarrow{V_S} & \mathcal{D}(S) . \end{array}$$

6.3.23 Definition. Let $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. Then $\mathbf{L}G$ from 6.3.22 is called the *left derived functor* of G , and $\mathbf{R}G$ is called the *right derived functor* of G .

6.3.24. Let $G: \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. By 6.3.2 it induces a functor $\tilde{G}: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$; the derived functors $\mathbf{L}\tilde{G}$ and $\mathbf{R}\tilde{G}$ defined in 6.3.23 are for simplicity denoted $\mathbf{L}G$ and $\mathbf{R}G$.

6.3.25 Definition. Let $G: \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. The functor $\mathbf{L}G$ from 6.3.24 is called the *left derived functor* of G , and $\mathbf{R}G$ is called the *right derived functor* of G .

6.3.26. For any functor $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$, and for a functor $G: \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences, it follows from 6.3.2, 6.3.4, 6.3.22, and 6.3.24 that the derived functors $\mathbf{L}G$ and $\mathbf{R}G$ act as follows on objects and morphisms in the derived category.

- For an R -complex M one has $\mathbf{L}G(M) = \text{GI}(M)$.
- For a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)^{\text{op}}$ one has $\mathbf{L}G(\alpha/\varphi) = (1/\text{GI}(\varphi))(\text{GI}(\alpha)/1)$.

Similarly,

- For an R -complex M one has $\mathbf{R}G(M) = \text{GP}(M)$.
- For a morphism α/φ in $\mathcal{D}(R)^{\text{op}}$ one has $\mathbf{R}G(\alpha/\varphi) = (1/\text{GP}(\varphi))(\text{GP}(\alpha)/1)$.

6.3.27 Theorem. Let $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ be a functor. The following assertions about its left derived functor hold.

- (a) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then $\mathbf{L}G$ is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If G preserves coproducts, then $\mathbf{L}G$ preserves coproducts.
- (c) If G is triangulated, then $\mathbf{L}G$ is triangulated.

Furthermore, the following assertions about its right derived functor hold.

- (d) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then $\mathbf{R}G$ is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (e) If G preserves products, then $\mathbf{R}G$ preserves products.
- (f) If G is triangulated, then $\mathbf{R}G$ is triangulated.

PROOF. By 6.3.11 and 6.3.8 the opposite resolution functors I^{op} and P^{op} are \mathbb{k} -linear and triangulated. Furthermore, I^{op} preserves coproducts and P^{op} preserves products. The assertions now follow from 6.3.4. \square

6.3.28 Theorem. Let $G: \mathcal{C}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}(S)$ be a functor that maps homotopy equivalences to homotopy equivalences. The next claims about its left derived functor hold.

- (a) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then $\mathbf{L}G$ is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (b) If G preserves coproducts, then $\mathbf{L}G$ preserves coproducts.
- (c) If G is a ε -functor, then $\mathbf{L}G$ is triangulated.

Furthermore, the following claims about its right derived functor hold.

- (d) If G is \mathbb{k} -linear, then $\mathbf{R}G$ is \mathbb{k} -linear.
- (e) If G preserves products, then $\mathbf{R}G$ preserves products.
- (f) If G is a ε -functor, then $\mathbf{R}G$ is triangulated.

PROOF. By 6.3.24, the functors $\mathbf{L}G$ and $\mathbf{R}G$ are the left derived and right functors, in the sense of 6.3.22, of the functor $G: \mathcal{K}(R)^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}(S)$ induced by G . The assertions now follow from 6.3.2 and 6.3.27. \square