

Interoperating between Computer Algebra Systems: Computing Homology of Groups with Kenzo and GAP

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Question: could HAP and Kenzo cooperate in computations where homology of groups is needed?

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For instance, let $G = C_m$ with generator t . The resolution F_*

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produces

$$H_i(G) = \begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} & \text{if } i = 0 \\ \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} & \text{if } i \text{ is odd} \\ 0 & \text{if } i \text{ is even, } i > 0 \end{cases}$$

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The diagram illustrates the relationship between the bar resolution B_* and the free resolution F_* . A horizontal arrow labeled f points from B_* to F_* . A horizontal arrow labeled g points from F_* back to B_* . A curved arrow labeled h points from B_* down to B_* , representing a contracting homotopy. A curved arrow labeled h' points from F_* down to F_* , representing another contracting homotopy.

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Input: a group G and a free resolution F_ of finite type with contracting homotopy.*

Output: the effective homology of $K(G, 1)$, that is, a (strong chain) equivalence $C_(K(G, 1)) \iff E_*$ where E_* is an effective chain complex.*

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 - list of ranks of each $\mathbb{Z}G$ -module
 - boundary map
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```

<OMA>
  <OMS cd="group1" name="Group"/>
  <OMA>
    <OMS cd="permut1" name="Permutation"/>
    <OMI> 3</OMI>
    <OMI> 2</OMI>
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List of ranks:

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<OMA>  
  <OMS cd="list1" name="list"/>  
  <OMI> 1</OMI>  
  <OMI> 3</OMI>  
  <OMI> 6</OMI>  
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```
<OMA><OMS cd="resolutions" name="zgcombination"/>
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    <OMI> 1</OMI>
    <OMA><OMS cd="resolutions" name="zggprt"/>
      <OMI> 2</OMI>
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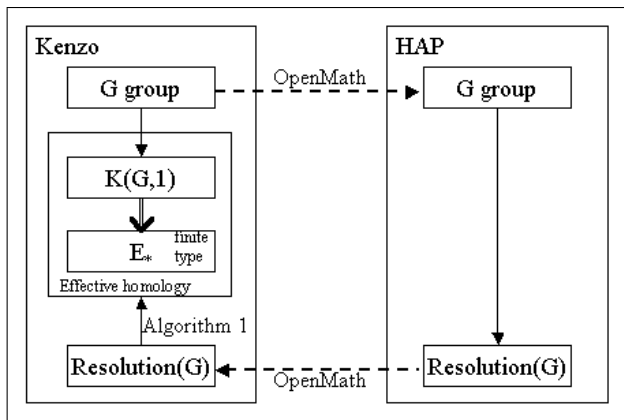


Figure: Communication between Kenzo and HAP

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```
> (setf KC72 (classifying-space KC71))
[K120 Abelian-Simplicial-Group]
> (efhm KC72)
[K259 Homotopy-Equivalence K120 <= K249 => K245]
> (homology KC72 3 6)
Homology in dimension 3 :
---done---
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Component Z/7Z
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Homology in dimension 5 :
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```
> (setf K-C3-1 (K-Cm-n 3 1))
[K261 Abelian-Simplicial-Group]
> (setf chml-class (chml-class K-C3-1 3))
[K308 Cohomology-Class on K288 of degree 3]
> (setf tau (zp-whitehead 3 K-C3-1 chml-class))
[K323 Fibration K261 -> K309]
> (setf x (fibration-total tau))
[K329 Kan-Simplicial-Set]
> (efhm x)
[K541 Homotopy-Equivalence K329 <= K531 => K527]
> (homology x 5)
Homology in dimension 5 :
Component Z/3Z
---done---
```