

① Göttsche's formula

quasi (if ok for Macdonald's formula) $p(X, -1) =: e(X)$ Euler char. of X
 Let S be a smooth projective surface over \mathbb{C} and $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$.
 $S^n =: S^{(n)}$ with 2-dim (S) rather than 4) $2 \dim(X)$
 \mathcal{O}_n symmetric group and $p(X, y) = \sum_{i=0}^2 b_i(X) y^i$ Borel polynomial of X
 (C-scheme of finite dim) i th Betti number of X

Macdonald's formula (1962):

one can recover the Betti numbers of $S^{(n)}$ from this

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} p(S^{(n)}, y) t^n = \prod_{i=0}^2 (1 + (-1)^{i+1} y^i t)^{(-1)^{i+1} b_i(S)}$$

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} e(S^{(n)}) t^n = \prod_{i=0}^2 (1-t)^{(-1)^{i+1} b_i(S)} = (1-t)^{-e(S)}$$

In part: $\sum_{n \geq 0} e(S^{(n)}) t^n = \prod_{i=0}^2 (1-t)^{(-1)^{i+1} b_i(S)} = (1-t)^{-e(S)}$
 $(-1)^n \binom{-e(S)}{n} = \binom{n+e(S)-1}{n}$ if $e(S) \leq 0$; $\binom{n+e(S)-1}{n}$ if $e(S) \geq 1$ ("negative binomial formula")
 $S^{[n]} := \text{Hilb}^n(S)$ and Hilbert-Ehler morphism $\omega_n: S^{[n]} \rightarrow S^{(n)}$

On \mathbb{C} -points, $\omega_n(x_1 \parallel \dots \parallel x_n) = (x_1, \dots, x_1, \dots, x_n, \dots, x_n)$
 $\text{length}(x_i) + \dots + \text{length}(x_n) = n$
 (prime power) for \mathbb{F}_q , q prime

In 1990, Göttsche gave formulas to recover the Borel polynomial of $S^{[n]}$ from the Borel polynomial of S (i.e. to recover the Betti numbers of $S^{[n]}$ from the Betti numbers of S) and to recover the Euler characteristic of $S^{[n]}$ from the Euler characteristic of S :
 special case:
 $e(S^{[0]}) = 1, e(S^{[1]}) = e(S), e(S^{[2]}) = e(S) + \binom{e(S)+1}{2}, \dots$

In 2001, Göttsche published another article in which he proved an equality in $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$ (actually $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$ with k alg. closed of char. 0) from which we can deduce:
 $p(S^{[n]}, y) = \sum_{\alpha = (a_1, \dots, a_n)} p(S^{(a_1)}, y) \dots p(S^{(a_n)}, y) y^{2(n-|\alpha|)}$
 $\alpha \in \mathcal{P}(n)$ partition of n ($\alpha \in \mathcal{P}(n)$) $|\alpha| = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$ (= number of integers in the partition)

AB: $e(S^{[n]}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{P}(n)} \binom{e(S^{(a_1)})}{a_1} \dots \binom{e(S^{(a_n)})}{a_n} \binom{n+e(S)-1}{n}$
 (if $e(S) \leq 0$) $\binom{n+e(S)-1}{n}$ if $e(S) \geq 1$ (and in general)
 $\in \mathbb{N}_0$ (nb of occurrences of i in α)

allows us to recover the Betti numbers of $S^{[n]}$ from the Betti nb of S .



Ex: Let's compute the Euler characteristic of \mathbb{P}^2
 $1 = b_0(\mathbb{P}^2) = b_2(\mathbb{P}^2) = b_4(\mathbb{P}^2), 0 = b_1(\mathbb{P}^2) = b_3(\mathbb{P}^2)$ ($e(\mathbb{P}^2) = 3$)
 $= b_0(\mathbb{P}^2) - b_1(\mathbb{P}^2) + b_2(\mathbb{P}^2) - b_3(\mathbb{P}^2) + b_4(\mathbb{P}^2)$

Macdonald's formula: $\sum_{n \geq 0} e(\mathbb{P}^2(n)) t^n = \frac{1}{(1-t)^3}$
 hence $= \binom{n+2}{n} = \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}$

(\mathbb{P}^2 here is: $\mathbb{A}^0 \cup \mathbb{A}^1 \cup \mathbb{A}^2$)
 $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} = 0 \quad \dim_{\mathbb{R}} = 2 \quad \dim_{\mathbb{R}} = 4$

Göttsche's formula: $e(\mathbb{P}^2[n]) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathcal{P}(n)} \frac{1}{2} (a_1+1) \dots (a_n+1) (a_1+2) \dots (a_n+2)$

$e(p^2[0]) = 1$
 In part, $(e(p^2[1]) = 3)$, $e(p^2[2]) = 6 + 3 = 9$, $e(p^2[3]) = 10 + 3 \times 3 + 3 = 22$
 $1=1$ $1+1=2, 2=2$ $1+1+1=3, 1+2=3, 3=3$
 Let us discuss the proof of Göttsche's formula (the one which follows from his 2001 article).

III The proof of Göttsche's formula

1) Göttsche's theorem in $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$

Thm (Göttsche, 2001): $\forall S$ is a smooth quadrig. variety over an alg. closed field k of char. 0, and if $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$, then in $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$, $[S^{[n]}] = \sum_{\alpha \in P(n)} [S^{(\alpha)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}]$
 where $S^{(\alpha)} := S^{(a_1)} \times \dots \times S^{(a_r)}$ if $\alpha = (1^{a_1}, \dots, n^{a_r})$ (and $|\alpha| = \sum_{i=1}^r a_i$).
 Equiv., $[S^{[n]}] = [\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} S^{(\alpha)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}]$ (with the scissor relations).
(\uparrow disjoint union in the easy special case as a scheme, topological well)

Recall that the class in $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$ is the universal motivic invariant and that the Poincaré polynomial is a motivic invariant.
 $e_0(\mathbb{A}^1) = 0, e_1(\mathbb{A}^1) = 0$
 $e_2(\mathbb{A}^1) = 1$

Cor. $p(S^{[n]}, y) = p(\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} S^{(\alpha)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}, y)$
 Equiv., $p(S^{[n]}, y) = \sum_{\alpha \in P(n)} p(S^{(a_1)}, y) \dots p(S^{(a_r)}, y) p(\mathbb{A}^1, y) \dots p(\mathbb{A}^1, y)$
 $\alpha = (1^{a_1}, \dots, n^{a_r})$ $n-|\alpha|$ terms

2) Why are there partitions? ! Do @ Stratification first! a cellular

Cellular decomposition

In their 1987 and 1988 articles, Ellingsrud and Strømme gave a cell decomposition

in order to understand its homology

\mathbb{A}^1 Hilbⁿ(\mathbb{P}^2) (= \mathbb{P}^2 [n]) for each $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$, and by the way gave a cell decomp. of Hilbⁿ(\mathbb{A}^2) (= \mathbb{A}^2 [n]), one of Hilbⁿ($\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^1$) (the closed subscheme of Hilbⁿ(\mathbb{A}^2) whose points have their support in a given line) and one of Hilbⁿ($\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0$) (the closed subscheme \Leftarrow in a given point).
which are closed subschemes of \mathbb{A}^2

we are interested in this Ell. decomposition of $X: X = X_0 \supset X_1 \supset \dots \supset X_{n-1} \supset X_n = \emptyset$
 closed subschemes s.t. $X_i \setminus X_{i+1} = \coprod$ subschemes \mathbb{A}^{q_i}

$T := \mathbb{G}_m^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[x, y]$ via $t \cdot x = \lambda(t)x$ and $t \cdot y = \mu(t)y$
(2-dim. torus) (this is tech.) these of length n induce a cell decomposition of Hilbⁿ($\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^1$) character of $\mathbb{G}_m^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_m^2$

T -invariant ideals of $\mathbb{C}[x, y] \Leftrightarrow$ partitions of an $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$

better than U: cellular decomp.

Hilbⁿ($\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0$) \rightarrow \mathbb{A}^1 such an ideal is generated by monomials \mathbb{I}^{\uparrow} of colength n
change the role of x and y

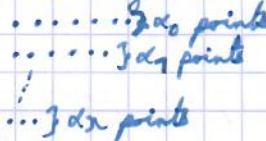
\mathbb{I}^{\uparrow} of colength n $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}_0 \Pi_i := \min\{j \in \mathbb{N}_0, x^i y^j \in \mathbb{I}\}$ (one can reconstruct \mathbb{I} from the Π_i)
 $\alpha \in P(n) = (\pi_0, \pi_1, \dots, \pi_{k-1})$ $k=1$

$\pi_k = 0 \rightarrow$ earliest one
 $1, y, \dots, y^{\pi_0-1}$
 $x, xy, \dots, xy^{\pi_1-1}$
 \dots
 $x^{k-1}, x^{k-1}y, \dots, x^{k-1}y^{\pi_{k-1}-1}$
only finitely many are nonzero, they sum up to n (ie are a partition of n) and they form a non-increasing sequence (one can construct \mathbb{I} from a partition: the biggest is π_0 , etc.)

CCL of E-S '87: $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0) = \bigcup_{\alpha \in P(n)} \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}$

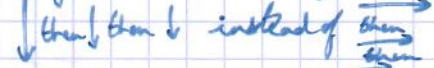
$\alpha_0 \geq \alpha_1 \geq \dots \geq \alpha_n$

Ferrers diagram:



(or Young diagram with squares)

If you read the diagram:



called conjugation
 (\leftrightarrow bijection on partitions)

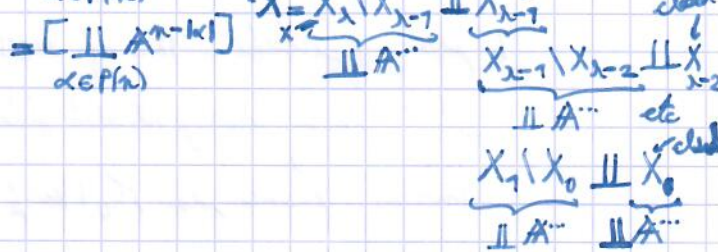
then the biggest number of the new partition is the number of integers of the old partition
 = number of integers of α (nb of parts in the partition)

beta: cellular decomp

Thus, $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0) = \bigcup_{\alpha \in P(n)} \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}$

In $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$: $[\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0)] = \sum_{\alpha \in P(n)} [\mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}]$ (scissors relations)

$\alpha \in k$, since E-mail said it should also work for any field k (can prob. fix our k)



@ Stratification (Here, there are partitions but they will actually disappear)

Let P be a partially ordered set (poset). A stratification of a scheme X is:

$(Z_i)_{i \in P}$ a family of closed subschemes of X such that:

- $X = \bigcup_{i \in P} Z_i$ (set-theoretically) in our case, P will be finite \checkmark
- $\forall x \in X \exists U$ open in $X, x \in U$ and $U \cap Z_i = \emptyset$ for all but a finite number of Z_i
- $Z_i \cap Z_j = \bigcup_{k < i, j} Z_k$ (scheme-theoretically)

$X_i := Z_i \setminus \bigcup_{i < j} Z_j$ verify $X = \bigsqcup_{i \in P} X_i$ set-theoretically (not necessarily topologically, the X_i don't have to be open in X and they don't have to be closed in X)
 the "strata" of the stratification of X
 \uparrow
 not a \bigsqcup scheme-theoretically

In $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$, $[X] = \sum_{i \in P} [Z_i] + [X \setminus \bigsqcup_{i \in P} Z_i]$
 $\sum_{i \in P} [Z_i] = \sum_{i \in P} [X_i]$ (do the same with the biggest in P / biggest $f_i \leq f_j$ and so on...
 $\alpha_1 + \dots + \alpha_n = n = \beta_1 + \dots + \beta_n$

$S^{(n)}$ has a stratification: $P = P(n)$ the set of partitions of n with $(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n) \leq (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_n)$
 iff $\exists J_1, \dots, J_s \subset \{1, \dots, n\}, \{1, \dots, n\} = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^s J_i$ and $\forall i \beta_i = \sum_{j \in J_i} \alpha_j$ and $Z_{\alpha} = \prod_{i=1}^n \Delta_{\alpha_i} \times \dots \times \Delta_{\alpha_i}$

$Z_{(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n) \in P(n)} = \Phi(\Delta_{\alpha_1} \times \dots \times \Delta_{\alpha_n})$ with $\Phi: S^n \rightarrow S^{(n)}$ the quotient morphism and Δ_i the diagonal of $S^i (= \{(\Delta, \dots, \Delta), \text{scf}\})$
 ↑ denoted $S^{(n)}$ in the article
 (and $X_{(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)}$ is denoted $S_\alpha^{(n)}$ in the article)

Z_α closed subscheme in $S^{(n)}$, $Z_{(1, \dots, 1)} = \Phi(\Delta_1 \times \dots \times \Delta_1) = \Phi(S^n) = S^{(n)}$

$$Z_\alpha \cap Z_\beta = \bigcup_{\alpha \vee \beta \in \gamma} Z_\gamma$$

$$\text{In } K_0(\text{Var}_k), [S^{(n)}] = \sum_{\beta \in P(n)} [S_\beta^{(n)}]$$

This stratification gives a stratification $S_\beta^{[n]} := \omega_n^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})$ (with ω_n the Hilbert-Ehler morphism)

$$[S^{[n]}] = \sum_{\beta \in P(n)} [S_\beta^{[n]}]$$

and a stratification $g^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})$ of $\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} S^{(n)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}$ (with $g = \coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} g_\alpha: S^{(n)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|} \rightarrow S^{(n)}$)

and $g_\alpha = k_\alpha \circ \text{proj}_{S^{(n)}}$ with $k_\alpha: S^{(n)} \rightarrow S^{(n)}$ the morphism $(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n) \mapsto (n \cdot \xi_1, \dots, n \cdot \xi_n)$
 (with ξ_i the points ξ_i with multiplicity 1, ..., the points ξ_i with mult. n)

$$[\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} S^{(n)} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}] = \sum_{\beta \in P(n)} g^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})$$

To prove Göttsche's Thm of 2001, it suffices to prove: $\forall \beta \in P(n) [S_\beta^{[n]}] = [g^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})]$

$S_\beta^{[n]}$ is a locally trivial fibre bundle over S with fibre $\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0)$ (def.)

($n=n$) hence, in $K_0(\text{Var}_k)$, $[S_\beta^{[n]}] = [S] [\text{Hilb}^n(\mathbb{A}^2, \mathbb{A}^0)]$.

ⓐ Cellular decomposition Δ Go to the preceding sheet.

ⓑ Proving Göttsche's theorem

From what we did, $[S_\beta^{[n]}] = [S] [\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}]$. Note: $Y \xrightarrow{f} X^{(m)}$ distinct

Also: $\forall \beta \in P(n)$ $(\prod_{i=1}^n (S_{(i)}^{[i]})^{(b_i)}) \xrightarrow{*} S_\beta^{[n]}$ is a bijection on k -points
 (with (i_1, \dots, i_n) length 1, length n)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{hence } [S_\beta^{[n]}] &= [(\prod_{i=1}^n (S_{(i)}^{[i]})^{(b_i)})_*] = [(\prod_{i=1}^n (S \times \coprod_{\alpha \in P(i)} \mathbb{A}^{i-|\alpha|})^{(b_i)})_*] \\ &= [(\prod_{i=1}^n \coprod_{\alpha \in P(i)} S \times \mathbb{A}^{i-|\alpha|})_*] \\ &= [(\prod_{i=1}^n \coprod_{\substack{\alpha \in P(i) \\ f: P(i) \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0 \\ \sum_{\gamma \in P(i)} f(\gamma) = b_i}} (S \times \mathbb{A}^{i-|\alpha|})^{(f(\alpha))})_*] \end{aligned}$$

$$= [\coprod_{\substack{f: \coprod_{m \in \mathbb{N}} P(m) \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0 \\ \sum_{\gamma \in P(n)} f(\gamma) = b_i \forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}}} (\prod_{\alpha \in \coprod_{m \in \mathbb{N}} P(m)} S^{(f(\alpha))})_* \times \mathbb{A}^{n - \sum_{\alpha \in \coprod_{m \in \mathbb{N}} P(m)} m}]$$

↑ this is $[g^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})]$
 Since this scheme is in bijection (as a set) with $g^{-1}(S_\beta^{(n)})$

Let us draw this!

$$g^{-1}(S_p^{(n)}) = \coprod_{\gamma \in P(n)} g_\gamma^{-1}(S_p^{(n)})$$

$$= \coprod_{\gamma \in P(n)} \kappa_\gamma^{-1}(S_p^{(n)}) \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\gamma|}$$

It suffices to show that $\kappa_\gamma^{-1}(S_p^{(n)})$ is in bijection with $\coprod_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \\ \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \alpha_m = n}} S^{(f(\alpha))} *$.

since $= \gamma$,
 f must verify
 $f(\delta) = 0$ for
 all but finitely
 many δ

$\sum_{\delta \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)}} f(\delta) \delta = \gamma$ (Δ)

$\sum_{\delta \in P(i)} f(\delta) = b_2 + i$ (\square)

$(\gamma_1 d_1, \dots) \in i d_i$ \uparrow $i f(\delta) d_i$

$\exists m \in \mathbb{N} + M \triangleright m d_i = 0$
 (and $\delta \in P(\sum_i d_i)$)

$\delta + \varepsilon = (\gamma_1 d_1 + \varepsilon_1, \dots)$
 $\uparrow (\gamma_1, \dots)$ $\uparrow i d_i + \varepsilon_i$

Let $\xi = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_n) \in \kappa_\gamma^{-1}(S_p^{(n)})$.

$\xi_i \in S^{(n)}$ \uparrow $(\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n)$

$\forall \alpha \in S \ \forall i \ m_\alpha(\xi_i) :=$ multiplicity of α in ξ_i (0 if α is not in ξ_i)

$\forall \alpha \in S \ \delta_\alpha(\xi) := (\gamma_1^{m_\alpha(\xi_1)}, \dots, \gamma_n^{m_\alpha(\xi_n)})$

$f_\xi: \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0 \\ \delta \mapsto \{ \alpha \in S, \delta_\alpha(\xi) = \delta \} \end{array} \right.$ verified: $\sum_{\delta \in P(i)} f_\xi(\delta) = b_2 + i$ and $\sum_{\delta \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)}} f_\xi(\delta) \delta = \gamma$.

finite since there are a finite number of points in each ξ_i , $i=1, \dots, n$

$\Phi(\xi) := (\sum_{\substack{\alpha \in S \\ \delta_\alpha(\xi) = \alpha}} \alpha)_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \\ \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \alpha_m = n}} \in (\prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)}} S^{(f(\alpha))}) *$

Now let us construct the inverse Ψ of Φ .

Let $f: \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_0$ be such that (\square) and (Δ).

Let $\theta = (\theta_\alpha)_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \\ \sum_{m \in \mathbb{N}} \alpha_m = n}}$ with $\theta_\alpha \in S^{(f(\alpha))}$, such that $\theta \in (\prod_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)}} S^{(f(\alpha))}) *$.

$\Psi(\theta) := (\sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \\ (\gamma_1, \dots) \in S^{(n)}}} a_\alpha \theta_\alpha, \dots, \sum_{\substack{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^{P(n)} \\ (\gamma_1, \dots) \in S^{(n)}}} a_\alpha \theta_\alpha) \in \kappa_\gamma^{-1}(S_p^{(n)})$

We have our bijection, hence $[S_p^{(n)}] = [g^{-1}(S_p^{(n)})]$, hence $[S^{(n)}] = [\coprod_{\alpha \in P(n)} S^{(f(\alpha))} \times \mathbb{A}^{n-|\alpha|}]$