

① Introduction

② Category theory:

Basic definitions, initial/final object,

week 1  
 mono/epi, functors, natural transformations,  
 adjoint functors, limits / colimits,  
 adjoint functors and limits / colimits

③ Abelian categories: definitions, exactness,

weeks 1/2  
 adjoint functors and exactness,

tensor products, tensor / hom adjunction.

Freyd-Mitchell embedding theorem.

④ Chain complexes: definition, quasi-isomorphisms,

weeks 2/3  
 double complexes, total complex of  
 a double complex, truncations,

shifts, long exact sequence from  
 a s.e.s of complexes, homotopies,  
 mapping cone

⑤ Derived functors:  $\delta$ -functors,

universal  $\delta$ -functors, projectives,

weeks 4/5  
 projective resolutions, comparison

theorem, horseshoe lemma, injectives,

injective resolutions, adjoints preserving

injectives / projectives, derived functors,

derived functors are universal  $\delta$ -functors,

⑥ Extra topics:

balancing Tor and Ext,

Weeks 6/7  
 Ext and extensions, Künneth formula,

Universal coefficient theorem,

Koszul complexes

⑦ Group Cohomology: definitions,

week 8  
 cyclic and free groups,

extensions and  $H^2$ ,

crossed product algebras and

the Brauer group.

⑧ Remarks on the derived category.

(non-examiable) week 8