

TOPOLOGY SEMINAR

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Recent developments in homotopy theory

Abstract

Having recently attended a couple of workshops where I learned of some amazing new results of some folks in my field, I would like to spread the good news. I will explain, in basic and overview terms, some recent breakthrough results in homotopy theory: Hahn-Raksit-Wilson: give a new construction of prismatic cohomology which doesn't use prisms or perfectoid rings, just complex cobordism. This results in a new awesome way to compute algebraic K-theory, THH, and TC. Burkland-Schlank-Yuan: prove a version of the Nullstellensatz for E_∞ ring spectra. This has many corollaries, including the complete solution of Rognes' red-shift conjecture in the case of E_∞ -rings. Barthel-Carmeli-Schlank-Yanovski: generalize the fourier transform and ambidexterity to π -finite spectra, and establish local class field theory for E_∞ ring spectra