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998-13-245 **Oana Veliche*** (oveliche@math.purdue.edu), Department of Mathematics, Purdue University, 150 N. University Street, West Lafayette, IN 47906, and **Luchezar L. Avramov** (avramov@math.unl.edu). *Products in Tate-Vogel cohomology over Gorenstein local rings.*

When R is a commutative noetherian local ring with residue field k the graded k -algebra $\text{Ext}_R(k, k)$ has been the subject of many investigations. On the other hand, little is known about products in the Tate-Vogel cohomology algebra k -algebra $\widehat{\text{Ext}}_R(k, k)$, outside of Martsinkovsky's result that the canonical homomorphism of graded algebra from $\text{Ext}_R(k, k)$ is injective. We shall discuss conjectures and results on the structure of the k -algebra $\widehat{\text{Ext}}_R(k, k)$, assuming that the ring R is Gorenstein. This is joint work with Luchezar Avramov. (Received February , 2004)