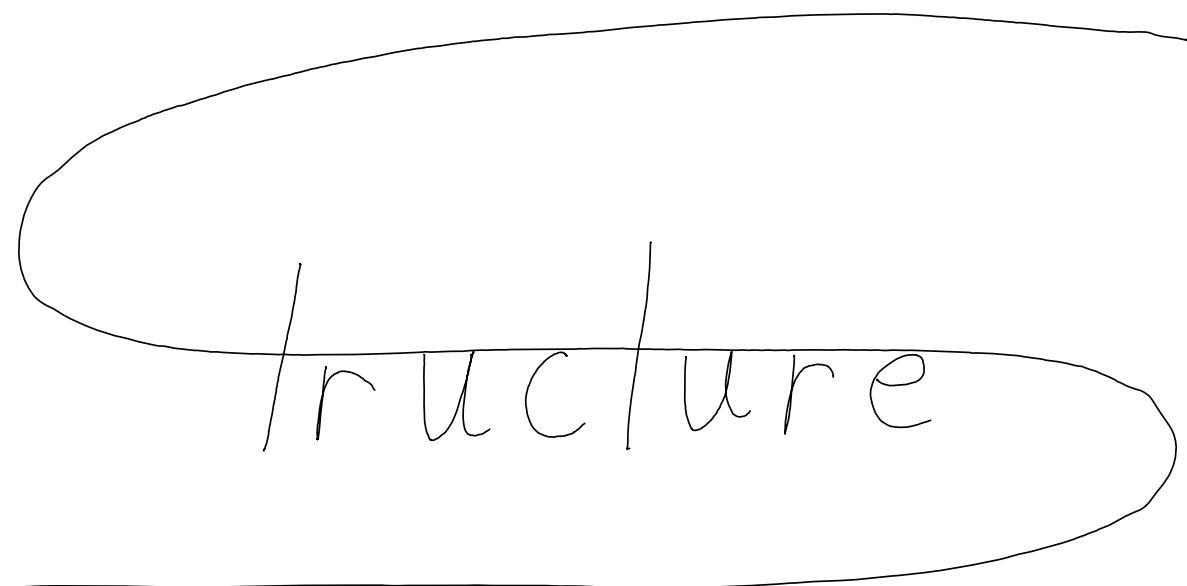
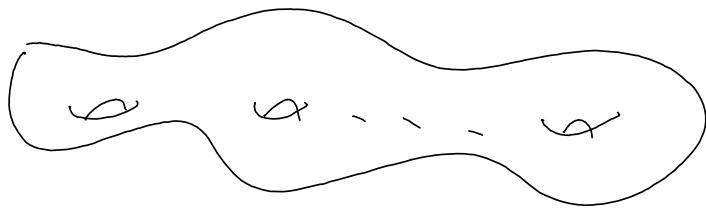


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# § 1. Review of Hodge Theory on Kähler Manifolds



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g holomorphic differentials

Let  $X^n$  be a complex manifold.

In local holomorphic coordinates  $z_1, \dots, z_n$  on  $X$ ,  
complex differential forms are of the form

$$\sum_{I,J} f_{I,J}(z) dz_i \wedge \dots \wedge dz_p \wedge d\bar{z}_j \wedge \dots \wedge d\bar{z}_q$$

Let  $\mathcal{L}^{p,q}(X)$  be the differential forms

with  $p$  many  $d\bar{z}$ 's  
and  $q$  many  $\bar{d}z$ 's

$$\text{Thm. } \mathcal{L}^n(X) = \bigoplus_{p+q=n} \mathcal{L}^{p,q}(X)$$

$$d = \partial + \bar{\partial} \quad \text{where} \quad \begin{aligned} \partial : \mathcal{L}^{p,0} &\longrightarrow \mathcal{L}^{p+1,0} \\ \bar{\partial} : \mathcal{L}^{p,0} &\longrightarrow \mathcal{L}^{p,0+1} \end{aligned}$$

Rmk.  $\ker(\mathcal{L}^{0,0}(X) \xrightarrow{\bar{\partial}} \mathcal{L}^{0,1}(X))$  are the holomorphic functions  $X \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , by the Cauchy-Riemann equations.

Now, let  $X$  be Hermitian, so  $\bar{\partial}$  and  $\partial$  admit adjoints and Laplacians.

Def.  $H_\partial^n(X) = \{w \in \mathcal{L}^n(X) \mid \Delta_\partial(w) = 0\}$

similarly for  $\bar{\partial}$

$$H_{\bar{\partial}}^{p,q}(X) = H_\partial^n(X) \cap \mathcal{L}^{p,q}(X)$$

Thm.  $\mathcal{H}_{\bar{\partial}}^k(X) = \bigoplus_{p+q=k} \mathcal{H}_{\bar{\partial}}^{p,q}(X)$  for  $X$  Hermitian.

Thm.  $\mathcal{H}_{\bar{\partial}}^{p,q}(X) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^{p,q}(X)$

for  $X$  compact Hermitian.

Now, let  $X$  be a smooth projective complex variety, so that it admits a polarization

$$\omega = c_1(L) \in H^1(X) \cap H^2(X; \mathbb{Q})$$

where  $L = \mathcal{I}^* \mathcal{O}(1)$  for  $\mathcal{I}: X \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$ .

Thm. For such  $X$ ,  $\delta$  and  $\bar{\delta}$ -harmonicity are equivalent.

- $H^k(X, \mathbb{Q}) = \bigoplus_{p+q=k} H^{p,q}(X)$

- $\overline{H^{p,q}(X)} = H^{q,p}(X)$

This is the "bidegree decomposition".

## §2. Hodge Structures

Let  $R \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  a subring.

Def 1. An  $R$ -Hodge structure consists of the following data.

- A free  $R$ -module  $V = V_R$  of finite rank
- A decomposition
$$V_A = V \otimes \mathbb{C} = \bigoplus_{p,q \in \mathbb{Z}} V^{p,q}$$
for finite dimensional complex vector spaces  $V^{p,q}$ .

such that

$$\overline{V^{p,q}} = V^{q,p}$$

Def. The weight  $k$  part of an  $R$ -Hodge structure is the real vector space  $V^{(k)} = \bigoplus_{p+q=k} V^{p,q}$ .

e.g.,  $H^*(X; \mathbb{Z})$  is an integral Hodge structure for  $X$  a smooth projective variety /  $\mathbb{C}$ .

$\mathbb{Z}(1)$  is the weight -2 integral Hodge structure on  $(2\pi i)^{-1} \mathbb{Z}$   
 $\mathbb{Z}(1) \otimes \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{Z}(1)^{-1, -1} = \mathbb{C}$

$\mathbb{Z}(m)$  is the weight  $-2m$  integral Hodge structure on  $(2\pi i)^m \mathbb{Z}$   
 $\mathbb{Z}(m) \otimes \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{Z}(1)^{-m, -m} = \mathbb{C}$

Hodge structures may also be viewed as  
representations of an algebraic group.

Recall that a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -grading on a complex vector space  $V$  is equivalent to an action of  $G_m(\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}^\times$ , as the character group of  $G_m$  is  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

Let  $f: T \rightarrow S$  be a map of schemes, we may form

$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{Sh}(T_{\mathrm{zar}}) &\xrightarrow{f^*} \mathrm{Sh}(S_{\mathrm{zar}}) \\ F &\longmapsto (Y \mapsto F(Y_T)) \end{aligned}$$

Def. If  $X \rightarrow T$  has,  $f_X: X$  representable,  
we denote it, representing object as  $\mathrm{Rep}_{T/S}(X)$ ,  
the "Weil restriction of scalars".

That is,  $\text{Res}_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}} X(\mathbb{Z}) = X(\mathbb{Z}_T)$ .

Let,  $f: \text{Spec } \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \text{Spec } \mathbb{R}$

$$X = \mathbb{G}_m / \mathbb{C}$$

$$= \text{Spec}(\mathbb{C}[z_1, z_2]/(z_1 z_2 - 1))$$

$$\text{Let } Z_j = x_j + iy_j$$

$$z_1 z_2 - 1 = (x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2 - 1) + i(x_1 y_2 + x_2 y_1)$$

Then  $S = \text{Res}_{\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{G}_m$  is given by

$$\frac{\text{Spec } \mathbb{R}[x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2]}{(x_1 x_2 - y_1 y_2 - 1, x_1 y_2 + x_2 y_1)}$$

$S$  is the "Deligne torus".

$$S(\mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{G}_m(\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}^\times$$

$$S(\mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{G}_m(\mathbb{C} \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{C}) = \mathbb{C}^{\times 2}$$

The inclusion  $\mathbb{H} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}$  induces

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{S}(\mathbb{H}) & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{S}(\mathbb{C}) \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ \mathbb{C} & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{C}^{*2} \\ z \longmapsto & & (z, \bar{z}) \end{array}$$

$\mathbb{S}_{\mathbb{C}} \cong \mathbb{G}_m \times \mathbb{G}_m$  w/  $G(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})$  acting by swapping coordinates.

Prop. Let  $V$  be a real vector space,  
 (Def. 2) defining a Hodge structure on  $V$  is the same as defining a representation  $\mathbb{S} \rightarrow \mathrm{GL}(V)$  over  $\mathbb{R}$

Pf. Let  $\mathbb{S} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathrm{GL}(V)$ .

Then let  $V^{\rho, q} = \{v \in V \mid \rho(z)v = z^q \bar{z}^{-q} v\}$   $\square$

(See Jacob's notes for details)

Def. w:  $G_m \longrightarrow \mathcal{S}/\mathbb{R}$  is defined  
 in  $\mathbb{R}$  points as  $\mathbb{R}^x \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^x$  inclusion  
 on  $\mathbb{C}$  points as  $\mathbb{C}^x \xrightarrow{\Delta} \mathbb{C}^{x^2}$   
 (Rmk: Milne has the opposite sign convention to Peters-Steenbrink.)

Then we have

$$V^{(k)} = \left\{ v \in V \mid h(w(a)) v = a^{-n} v \mid a \in \mathcal{S}/\mathbb{R} \right\}$$

Rmk. An  $\mathbb{R}$ -Hodge structure on  $V \in \mathcal{V}_R$  arises from a real representation  $\mathbb{S} \xrightarrow{\rho} \mathcal{S}(V_R)$  so that  $\rho$  is defined/ $\mathbb{R}$ .

e.g.,  $\mathbb{Z}(m)$  is the integral representation

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{S} &\longrightarrow G_m \\ z &\longmapsto (z\bar{z})^m \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we may define morphism,  $\otimes$ , etc. of Hodge structures via their representations,

$$\text{e.g., } \mathbb{Z}(m) = \mathbb{Z}(1)^{\otimes m}$$

$$\text{Def., } V(m) = V \otimes \mathbb{Z}(m)$$

# § 3, Polarizations

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Let  $(V, \rho)$  be a weight  $k$  Hodge structure

Def.,  $C = \rho^{(i)}$  is the Weil operator,  
 $\text{so } C|_{V^{\mathbb{R}}, v} = i^{p-q}$

Def. A polarization of an  $\mathbb{R}$ -Hodge structure  $V$  of weight  $k$  is a map of Hodge structures  
 $V \otimes V \xrightarrow{\psi} \mathbb{R}(-k)$

s.t.  
 $\psi(v, w) = (-1)^k \psi(w, v)$

$$\psi_C(y, v) := Q(y, v) = (2\pi i)^k \psi(Cy, v)$$

is symmetric and positive definite on  $V_{\mathbb{R}}$

Rmk. As  $\mathbb{R}(-k)_k$  is supported in only one bidegree, this

say,  $V^{p,q} \perp V^{p',q'}$  if  $(p, q) \neq (p', q') \neq (k, k)$

Rmk. Orthogonal complements show the category of polarized  $\mathbb{R}$ -Hodge structures is semi-simple.

e.g.,  $(\bigcup p)$  and Hopf structure of weight 1

$$w/ V_C = V^{(1,0)} \oplus V^{(0,1)}$$

Let  $T = p^{(i)}$ .

A polarization is thus an alternating form

$$V_{12} \otimes V_{12} \xrightarrow{\psi_{12}} R(1)$$

$$\text{e.g., } \psi_{12}(Tu, Tv) = \psi_{12}(u, v)$$

$$- \frac{1}{2\pi i} \psi_{12}(u, Tu) \geq 0 \text{ for } u \neq 0$$

Such  $V$  arises naturally as  $H_1(A^*, \mathbb{Z})$  for an abelian variety  $A/\mathbb{C}$ .

e.g., The Hopf-fibration bilinear relations yield a polarization on the primitive cohomology of a smooth complex projective variety.

# Variations of Hodge Structures

Consider  $\pi: X \rightarrow S$  smooth fibered by complex manifolds, where  $X, S$  quasi-projective with  $X \cong \pi^{-1}(S)$ . We view this as a holomorphic family  $X \cong \pi^{-1}(S)$  parameterized by  $s \in S$ . As discussed,  $H^i(X_s; \mathbb{Z})$  admit an integral Hodge structure, so we ask what it means for (polarized) Hodge structures to vary in a family?

First, Def. P. An  $R$ -Hodge structure of weight  $k$  on  $V_R$  is given by a finite decreasing filtration  $F^\bullet V_c$  s.t.  $p+q = k+1$ ,  $F^p V_c \cap \overline{F^q V_c} = 0$  and  $F^p V_c \oplus \overline{F^q V_c} = V_c$ .

$$\text{Rmk. } V^{p,q} = F^p V \cap \overline{F^q V}$$

$$F^p V = \bigoplus_{i \geq p} V^{i, n-i}$$

Rmk.  $X$  a complex manifold,

$$\mathcal{R}^{\bullet} = [\mathcal{R}^0 \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^1 \rightarrow \dots]$$

$$\text{Let } F^p \mathcal{R}^{\bullet} = [\dots \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^0 \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^1 \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^{p+1} \rightarrow \dots]$$

$\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{R}^{\bullet}$  is an acyclic resolution, hence a  
quasi-isomorphism.

$$\rightsquigarrow H^q(X, \mathcal{R}^p) \Rightarrow H^{p+q}(X; \mathcal{C})$$

Hodge theory says that for  $X$  compact Kähler,  
this degenerates.

- Def. A variation of Hodge structures of weight  $k$  over a complex manifold  $S$  is
- a local system  $\mathbb{V}_{\mathbb{Z}}$  of abelian groups on  $S$
  - a filtration  $\mathcal{F}^p$  of  $\mathbb{V} = \bigoplus_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{V}_{\mathbb{Z}}$
  - by holomorphic subbundles
  - $\mathcal{F}_k^p$ , a filtration on  $\mathbb{V}_{\mathbb{Z}, S} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C}$ , yields a weight  $k$  Hodge structure
  - $\mathbb{V} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{V}_{\mathcal{O}_S}$ ,  $\mathcal{R}^{\bullet}$  have  $\text{R}(\mathcal{V}) = \mathbb{V}_{\mathbb{C}}$ .
  - $\mathbb{V} \xrightarrow{\cong} \mathcal{V}_{\mathcal{O}_S} \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_S} \mathcal{R}^{\bullet}$  have  $\text{R}(\mathcal{V}) = \mathbb{V}_{\mathbb{C}}$ .

The latter condition is "if  $f$  is transversal"

Pr. If  $f \rightarrow S$  is a fibration with varieties fibers, then  $R^q f_* \mathbb{Z}$  is a (polarized) variation of Hodge structures of type  $\{(-1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ .

Thm (Hirzebruch, 1966).  $X \xrightarrow{f} S$  Mod  $f^{-1}$  proper morphism between smooth quasi-projective varieties. Then  $R^q f_* \mathbb{Z}$  has the natural structure of a variation of Hodge structures on  $S$  via the relative de Rham complex.

$$\left( F^p R^q f_* \mathcal{R}_{X/S}^* = \text{im} \left( R^q f_* \mathcal{L}^{2p} \mathcal{R}_{X/S}^* \rightarrow R^q f_* \mathcal{R}_{X/S}^* \right) \right)$$

Note. In such a context,  $f$  is a topological fibration so all fibers have the same cohomology, but not canonically. If  $S$  is simply connected, any local system is constant. We can consider variations of Hodge structures on a single  $V$ .

Def. Let  $V$  be a finite free  $R$ -module. A variation of Hodge structures of weight  $k$  on  $V$  over  $S$  is a choice of Hodge structures  $V_s^{p,q}$  for  $s \in S$ .

$\circ$   $S \xrightarrow{\quad} h_V(V_C)$  is continuous  $\forall p, q$

$$s \mapsto V_s^{p,q}$$

$\circ$   $S \xrightarrow{\alpha} \text{Flag}(d, V_C)$  is holomorphic

$$s \mapsto F_s^* V_C$$

$$\text{where } d(W) = \dim F_s^* V$$

$$\text{and } \text{Flag}(d, V_C) = \left\{ \{ \dots \subseteq w_p \subseteq \dots \subseteq v_a \mid \dim w_p = d(p) \} \right\}$$

$$\circ \text{ def: } T_S S \xrightarrow{\quad} T_{F_s} \left( \text{Flag}(d, V_C) \right) \subseteq \bigoplus_P \text{Hom}\left(F_s^P, \frac{V_C}{F_s^{-P}}\right)$$

$$\text{has image in } \bigoplus_P \text{Hom}\left(F_s^P, F_s^{P+1}/F_s^{-P}\right)$$

"Griffiths transversality"

e.g. -  $V_{\mathbb{Z}} = \mathbb{Z}^2$ ,  $k=1$  (Do Tang Ansatz)

$$\text{Then } V_{\mathbb{C},s} = V_s^{1,0} \oplus V_s^{0,1}$$

$$\text{Let } V_s^{1,0} = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ f(s) \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$$

$$\text{so } V_s^{0,1} = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ f(s) \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$$

for  $f: S \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$  holomorphic

- Now suppose we wanted this to be periodic.

$$\psi: V_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} V_{\mathbb{Z}} \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}^{(-)}$$

$$\left( \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} c \\ d \end{pmatrix} \right) \longmapsto \frac{1}{2\pi i} (ad - bc)$$

$$\text{Need } \partial < \frac{1}{2\pi i} 4 \left( i \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ f(s) \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ f(s) \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

$$= i \vec{f}(s) - i \vec{f}(s)$$

$$= 2 \operatorname{Im}(f(s))$$

$$\text{So } f: S \longrightarrow \mathbb{H}^*$$

Rmk,  $\mathbb{H}^*, \mathbb{P}^1$  carry (periodic) variations of Hodge structures we show which will talk to these.

Def. A Hermitian symmetric space is  
a Hermitian manifold  $S$  s.t.

- $\text{Aut}(S) \ni S$  transitively
- $\forall p \in S \exists \text{Sp}^G \text{Aut}(S)$  an involution  
s.t. in a neighborhood  $P$ ,  $p$  is the only  
fixed point of  $\text{Sp}$ .

e.g.  $\mathbb{H}^2$  w/  $\gamma_i = \frac{-1}{\bar{z}} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^1$  w/ reflection

affine variety w/  $z \mapsto -z$

(Ref. Hirsch Varieties + Moduli)

Fix  $V_{\mathbb{Z}}$ ,  $F_0$  a Hodge filtration of  $V_{\mathbb{C}}$

by  $V$ ,  $\psi_0: V \otimes v \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}(m)$  a polarization,

Let  $D = D(V, F_0, \psi_0) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Hodge filtration,} \\ \text{Ran } V \text{ at} \\ \text{weight } n \end{array} \right\} \left| \begin{array}{l} \dim F^p = \dim F_0^p \text{ by} \\ \psi_0 \text{ polarizes } F^p. \end{array} \right. \right\}$

Thm. Let  $d(\mathbb{P}) = \dim F_0^p$ , The natural inclusion

$D \hookrightarrow \operatorname{Flag}(d, V_{\mathbb{C}})$

realizes  $D$  as a locally closed submanifold

This is the period domain (due to Griffiths) of  $(V, F_0, \psi_0)$ .

Thm.  $(V, F, \psi)$  a polarized variation of Hodge structures  
on  $S$  w/ complex local system  $V = V$ . Fix  $\mathcal{O} \in S$ .

$\eta: S \longrightarrow D(V, F_0, \psi_0)$

is holomorphic,  $s \longmapsto \bar{F}_s$

In this case,  $(V, F, \psi)$  is pulled back from a universal polarized variation of Hodge structures on  $D = D(V, F_0, \psi_0)$ .

Thm. If the universal polarized variation of Hodge structures on  $D$  satisfies Griffiths transversality, then  $D$  is a Hermitian symplectic domain.

Def. In the above setting of  $(V, F_0)$ , suppose we also have  $\{\psi_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$  a family of tensors on  $(V, F_0)_W$  where  $\psi_0$  is polarization. We let  $D(V, F_0, \psi)$  be a component of  $D(V, F_0, \psi_0)$  where all  $\psi_i$  are Hodge tensors,  
 $\left( \text{i.e. } V^{\otimes 2r} \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathbb{Z}^{(-mr)} \text{ is a map} \right)$   
 $\text{of Hodge structures}$   
 This is called period subdomain, and  $D(V, F_0, \psi) \subseteq D(V, F_0, \psi_0)$

Thm, Every Hermitian Symmetric  
domain is a period subdomain.