

# MMP Learning Seminar.

Week 54 :

Shokurov's boundary property.

**K-trivial fibrations:**  $f: (X, B) \rightarrow Y$ , where  $f$  is surjective between proper normal varieties where  $(X, B)$  is a log pair.

(1)  $(X, B)$  is klt over the generic point of  $Y$ .

(2)  $\text{rank } f_* \mathcal{O}_X(\lceil A(X, B) \rceil) = 1$ .  $\varphi^*(K_X + B) = K_Y + B_Y$

(3) There exists a positive integer  $r$ , a rational function  $\varphi \in K(X)^*$  and a Q-Cartier divisor  $D$  on  $Y$  such that:

$$K_X + B + \frac{1}{r}(\varphi) = f^* D.$$

**Discrepancy b-divisor:** Let  $(X, B)$  be a log pair

$Y \xrightarrow{\varphi} X$  a projective birational morphism,

we can define:

$$A(X, B)_Y := K_Y - \varphi^*(K_X + B).$$

Then  $A(X, B)$  is a b-divisor, defined by the formula:

$$A(X, B) = K - \overline{(K_X + B)}$$

" the canonical of the model  $Y$  " " pull-back of  $K_X + B$  to the model  $Y$  "

Log discrepancy:  $E \subseteq Y$  prime divisor.

$$\alpha(E; X, B) := 1 + \text{mult}_E(A(X, B)).$$

trace of the  
b-divisor on Y

The minimal log discrepancy of  $(X, B)$  in a proper closed subset  $W \subseteq X$  is

$$\alpha(W; X, B) := \inf_{C \times E \subseteq W} \alpha(E; X, B).$$

$$\alpha(S; X, B) := 1 - \text{mult}_S B.$$

$$\alpha(x; X, B) = \dim \bar{x}.$$

**Theorem 1:** Let  $f: (X, B) \rightarrow Y$  klt fiber space &  $\dim Y = 1$ . Then the moduli  $\mathbb{Q}$ -divisor  $M_Y$  is semiample.

**Theorem 2:** Let  $f: (X, B) \rightarrow Y$  be a klt fiber space. Then there exists a proper birational morphism  $Y' \rightarrow Y$  with the following conditions:

(1)  $K_{Y'} + B_{Y'}$  is  $\mathbb{Q}$ -Cartier &  $\nu^*(K_Y + B_Y) = K_{Y'} + B_{Y'}$  for

every proper birational morphism  $\nu: Y'' \rightarrow Y'$ . descends on  $Y'$

(2)  $M_{Y'}$  is a nef  $\mathbb{Q}$ -divisor &  $\nu^*(M_Y) = M_{Y'}$ .

**Remark:** The b-divisors  $K + B$  &  $M$  are Cartier b-divisor

**Lemma:**  $X \dashrightarrow X'$  birational map over  $Y$  &

$(X, B) \rightarrow Y$  is a klt fiber space. Then there exists a

$\mathbb{Q}$ -divisor  $B'$  on  $X'$  s.t.  $(X, B)$  &  $(X', B')$  are log crepant

and they induce the same discriminant divisor on  $Y$ .

$$K_X + B = f^*(K_Y + B_Y + M_Y)$$

$$K_{X'} + B' = f'^*(K_Y + B_Y + M_Y).$$

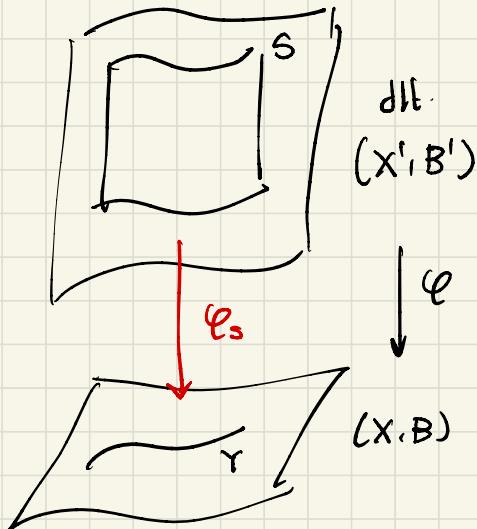
**Theorem (Inversion of adjunction):** Let  $f: (X, B) \rightarrow Y$  be a K-trivial fibration. There exists  $N \geq 0$  a positive integer:

$$\frac{1}{N} \alpha(f^{-1}(Z); X, B) \leq \alpha(Z; Y, B_Y) \leq \alpha(f^{-1}(Z); X, B)$$

for every closed subset  $Z \subseteq Y$ .

In particular,  $(Y, B_Y)$  is klt (lc) in a neighborhood of a point  $y$ .  
 $\iff (X, B)$  is klt (lc) in a neighborhood of  $f^{-1}(y)$ .

**Remark:**  $(X, B)$  lc pair  $Y \subseteq X$  normal loc.



$$K_S + B_S = \varphi_S^*(K_Y + B_Y + M_Y)$$

$$\implies K_X + B|_Y \sim_{\mathbb{Q}} K_Y + B_Y + M_Y$$

$S \subseteq LB'|_Y$  s.t.  $S$  maps onto  $Y$

$$K_{X'} + B' = \varphi^*(K_S + B_S)$$

$$K_{X'} + B' \sim_{\mathbb{Q}, \tau} 0.$$

$$(K_{X'} + B')|_S = K_S + B_S \sim_{\mathbb{Q}, \tau} 0$$

$(S, B_S)$  is a K-trivial fibration

$$\downarrow \tau$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & \xhookrightarrow{\quad} & X' \\ \varphi_S \downarrow & & \downarrow \varphi \\ Y & \xhookrightarrow{\quad} & X \end{array}$$

# Covering tricks & base change:

Theorem 4.1:  $X$  smooth q.p.  $D \subseteq X$  snc divisor.

$N$  a positive integer. There exists a finite Galois cover.

$\tau: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$  satisfying:

(1)  $\tilde{X}$  smooth q.p.,  $\sum_{\tilde{x}} \text{snc. st } \tau \text{ \'etale outside } \sum_x$   
and  $\tau^{-1}(\sum_x)$  snc

(2) the ramification index at every prime component of  $D$   
is divisible by  $N$ .

Sketch:  $H_1^{(u)}, \dots, H_n^{(u)} \in |N\mathcal{A} - D|$ ,  $D_i$  is a comp of  $D$ .

A very ample divisor  $\sum_{\tilde{x}} := D + \sum_{i,j} H_j^{(u)}$  is snc on  $\tilde{X}$ .

$$X = \bigcup U_\alpha, \quad D_i + H_j^{(u)} = (\varphi_{j\alpha}^{(u)}) \text{ on } U_\alpha$$

$L = K(X)[(\varrho_{j\alpha}^{(u)})^{\frac{1}{n}} : i, j]$ ,  $\tilde{X}$  is the normalization of  
 $X$  in the field  $L$ .  $\square$

**Remark 4.2:**  $p: Y \rightarrow X$  surjective morphism.

from  $Y$  smooth  $p^{-1}(D)$  snc.

Then  $\tau: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$  a finite cover as in 4.1. s.t.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \tilde{X} & \xleftarrow{g} & \tilde{Y} \\
 \tau \downarrow & & \downarrow \nu \\
 X & \xleftarrow[p]{} & Y
 \end{array}$$

i)  $\nu$  is finite and  $g$  projective  
 ii)  $\tilde{Y}$  is smooth q.p.  
 iii)  $\sum_i \gamma$  snc on  $Y$ , s.t.  $\nu$  is \'etale  
 over  $Y \setminus \sum_i \gamma$ ,  $\nu^{-1}(\sum_i \gamma)$  has snc  
 $\cdot p^{-1}(\sum_i \gamma) \subseteq \sum_i \gamma$

Idea:  $H_j^{(i)}$  general enough such that  $p^{-1}(D + \sum_i H_j^{(i)})$  snc

**Thm 4.3** (semistable reduction in codim 1):

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 X & \longleftarrow & X \times_Y Y' & \longleftarrow & X' \\
 f \downarrow & & \downarrow & & f' \\
 Y & \longleftarrow & Y' & \xleftarrow[\text{finite surj.}]{} &
 \end{array}$$

$f'$  is semistable  
 over codimension one  
 points.

surj  
 morphism  
 of smooth  
 varieties

# Hodge theoretic input on the cbs:

**Theorem 4.4:**  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  projective morphism of smooth varieties semistable in codimension one

$\sum_i f^{-1} \Sigma_i$  snc so that  $f$  smooth over  $Y \setminus \sum_i \Sigma_i$ . Then:

(1)  $f^* \omega_{X/Y}$  is locally free on  $Y$ .

(2)  $f^* \omega_{X/Y}$  is semipositive.

(3)  $f^* \omega_{X/Y}$  commutes with base change

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xleftarrow{\quad} & X' \\ f \downarrow & & \downarrow f' \\ Y & \xleftarrow{\quad} & Y' \end{array}$$

$$f'^* f^* \omega_{X/Y} \simeq \omega_{X'/Y'}$$

**Idea of the proof:**  $H_0 := R^d f_* \mathbb{Q}_{X_0} \otimes_{\mathbb{Q}_{Y_0}} \mathcal{O}_{Y_0}$  locally free

and supports a VHS of weight  $d$  on  $Y_0$ .  $F^d H_0 = f_* \omega_{X_0/Y_0}$ .

$f$  semistable in codim  $\Rightarrow H_0$  has unipotent monodromy around comp of  $\Sigma_i$ .

$H$  canonical extension of  $H_0$ . The injection

$$f^* \omega_{X/Y} \hookrightarrow j^* (F^d H_0) \cap H \quad \text{is an isom}$$

so  $f^* \omega_{X/Y}$  is a locally free sheaf. (1).

(2) Griffith's semipositivity theorem of  $j^* (F^d H_0)$ .

(3) canonical extension commutes with base change.  $\square$

**Theorem 1.5:** Let  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  be a contraction from

a smooth projective variety  $X$  to a projective curve  $Y$ .

$E$  a locally free quotient of  $f^* \omega_{X/Y}$ .

If  $\deg(\det(E)) = 0$ , then  $\det(E)^{\otimes m} \cong \mathcal{O}_Y$  for some  $m$ .

# Shokurov's boundary property:

**Lemma 5.1:** The discriminant/boundary part commutes with finite base change of  $\Upsilon$ .

$$(X, B) \xleftarrow{\pi} \tilde{X} \xleftarrow{\text{norm}} (V, B_V)$$

$$K_X + B + \frac{1}{b}(e) = f^*(K_Y + B_Y + M_Y)$$

$\tilde{X}$  norm of  $X$   
in  $K(X)(e^{\frac{1}{b}})$ .

$(V, B_V) \dashrightarrow (X, B)$  crepant.,  $\Sigma_X \subseteq X$ ,  $\Sigma_V \subseteq V$ ,  $\Sigma_Y \subseteq Y$

$f, h$  are smooth over  $Y \setminus \Sigma_Y$ .  $\Sigma_X^h, \Sigma_V^h$  are smooth over  $Y \setminus \Sigma_Y$ .

$B, B_V, B_Y, M_Y$  supported  $\Sigma_X, \Sigma_V, \Sigma_Y$

$(1) + (2) \iff \tilde{f} - B_{\tilde{F}}$  effective and  $\dim_k H^0(F, F_{B_{\tilde{F}}}) = 1$

**Lemma 5.2:** In the previous context

$$(X, B) \xleftarrow{f} V \xrightarrow{h} Y$$

The following conditions are satisfied:

1)  $K(V)/K(X)$  is Galois with Galois group  $G$  cyclic of order  $b$ .

there exists  $\psi \in K(V)^\times$  s.t.  $\psi^b = \varphi$  and the generator of  $G$  acts by  $\psi \mapsto \varsigma \psi$ ,  $\varsigma \in K$  is a fixed primitive  $b$ -th root of unity.

2)  $h: (V, B_V) \longrightarrow Y$   $K$ -birational except for the rank condition.

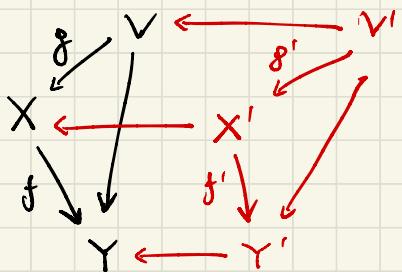
3)  $f$  &  $h$  induce the same discriminant divisor.

4) eigen sheaf of  $h \circ (O_X(K_{V/X}))$  corresponding to  $\lambda$  is

$$\mathcal{L} := f_* O_X(\Gamma - B + f^* B_Y + f^* M_Y) \cdot \psi.$$

5) If  $h: V \longrightarrow Y$  is semistable in codim 1,

then  $M_Y$  is integral,  $\mathcal{L}$  is semipositive, and  $\mathcal{L} = (O_Y(M_Y)) \cdot \psi$ .



Fact: the diagram

$$V' \xrightarrow{\quad} X' \xrightarrow{\quad} Y'$$

also satisfies condition (i)-(iv)

$\tau \leftarrow \tau'$  is a finite base change outside  $\Sigma_{\tau}$ .

**Proposition 5.1:** There exists  $\tau' \rightarrow \tau$  Galois base change s.t  $V' \rightarrow \tau'$

is semistable in codimension.

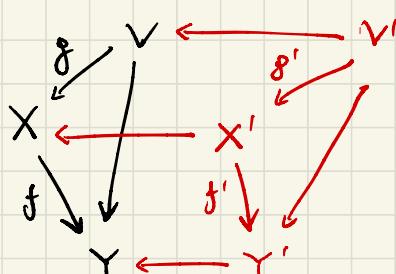
**Proposition 5.5:**  $\gamma: Y' \xrightarrow{\gamma} Y$  generically finite proj morphism.

from  $Y'$  smooth. Assume there exists  $\Sigma_{Y'}$  snc on  $Y'$

which contains  $\gamma^{-1}(\Sigma_Y)$  and the locus where  $\gamma$  is not étale.

Let  $M_{Y'}$  be the moduli part of  $(V', B_{Y'}) \rightarrow (X', B') \rightarrow Y'$ .

Then  $\gamma^*(M_Y) = M_{Y'}$ .



**Proof:** Step 1:  $V/Y$  &  $V'/Y'$

are semistable in codimension one.

Thm 4.4:  $h^*(\mathcal{O}_{V'}(K_{V'/Y'})) \cong \gamma^*(h^*(\mathcal{O}_V(K_{V/Y})))$

5.2 implies  $\gamma^*(\mathcal{O}_V(M_Y)) = \mathcal{O}_{V'}(M_{Y'})$

$\gamma^*M_Y - M_{Y'}$  is  $\sim 0$  and exceptional over  $Y$ . Then  $\gamma^*M_Y = M_{Y'}$ .

Step 2:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bar{Y} & \xleftarrow{\gamma'} & \bar{Y}' \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ Y & & Y' \end{array}$$

$\begin{cases} \bar{V}/\bar{Y} \\ \bar{V}'/\bar{Y}' \end{cases}$  semistable in cod 1.

$M_{\bar{Y}'} = \gamma'^*(M_{\bar{Y}})$  by step 1.

$T$  &  $T'$  are finite morphisms, so 5.1  $\Rightarrow T^*(M_Y) = M_{\bar{Y}}$

&  $T'^*(M_{Y'}) = M_{\bar{Y}'}$

Therefore  $T'^*(M_{Y'} - \gamma^*(M_Y)) = 0$  this implies

$$M_{Y'} = \gamma^*M_Y$$

□

## Proof of Theorem 2:

$$K_X + B + \frac{1}{6}(\varrho) = f^*(K_Y + B_Y + M_Y).$$

Assume  $X$  smooth,  $V = \text{resol of norm of } X \text{ in } K(X)(\varrho^{\frac{1}{6}})$ .

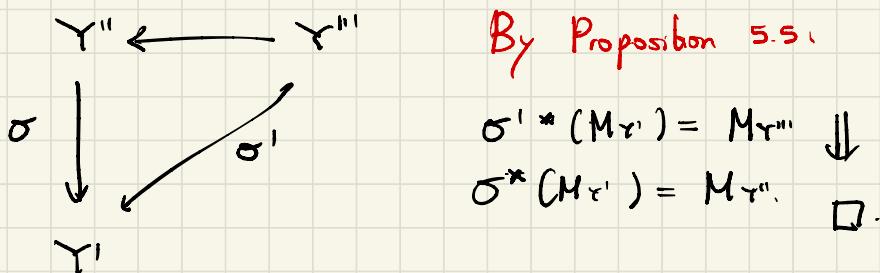
$\sum_f$  on  $Y$  s.t.  $(V, B_V) \rightarrow (X, B) \rightarrow Y$  satisfies (i)-(v)  
except at  $\sum_f$ .

$Y' \rightarrow Y$ ,  $\sum_{Y'} := \sigma^{-1}(\sum_f)$  is a snc divisor

We have an induced set-up  $(V', B_{V'}) \rightarrow (X', B') \rightarrow Y'$ .

Claim:  $\sigma^*(M_{Y'}) = M_{Y''}$  for every  $Y'' \xrightarrow{\sigma} Y'$ .

Hence  $\sigma^*(K_{Y'} + B_{Y'}) = K_{Y''} + B_{Y''}$ .



$T: \bar{Y}' \rightarrow Y'$  be a covering given by 5.4 & 5.2.

$M_{\bar{Y}'}$  is Cartier and  $\mathcal{O}_{\bar{Y}'}(M_{\bar{Y}'})$  is an invertible semipositive shf.  
 $\Rightarrow M_{\bar{Y}'} \text{ is nef. } T^*(M_{Y'}) = M_{\bar{Y}'}$  according to Lemma 5.1.  $\Rightarrow M_{Y'} \text{ is nef. } \square$

$(X, B)$  $\log \text{ pair}$  $(X, B + M)$ 

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of net $K_r + B_r + M_r$ 

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generalized log pair

 $(X, B + M)$  $(Y, B_r + M_r)$ 

Inversion

$$K_r + B_r + M_r = \mathcal{E}^*(K_{r'} + B_{r'} + M_{r'})$$