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Differential forms and functions on the moduli space of Riemann surfaces

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$$g \geq 2 \quad \Sigma_g \ni p_0 \neq p_1 = \underbrace{\text{---} \underbrace{\quad \quad \quad}_g \quad \quad \quad}_{\text{---}} \begin{matrix} x^{p_0} \\ x^{p_1} \end{matrix} \quad C^\infty \text{ closed oriented surface of genus } g$$

moduli spaces $\leftrightarrow$ mapping class groups

$$\left. \begin{array}{c} [C, p_0] \in \mathcal{C}_g := \{ [C, p_0]; C: \text{compact Riemann surface of genus } g, p_0 \in C \} / \text{biholo} \\ \downarrow \quad \downarrow \pi \\ [C] \in \mathcal{M}_g := \{ C; C: \text{compact Riemann surface of genus } g \} / \text{biholo} \end{array} \right\} \text{moduli spaces}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{c} \pi_1^V(\mathcal{M}_g) = \mathcal{M}_g := \pi_0 \text{Diff}^+(\Sigma_g) \\ \pi \uparrow \\ \pi_1^V(\mathcal{C}_g) = \mathcal{M}_g^1 := \pi_0 \text{Diff}^+(\Sigma_g, p_0) \leftarrow \pi_1^V(\mathcal{C}_g \times_{\mathcal{M}_g} \mathcal{C}_g) = \mathcal{M}_g^1 \times_{\mathcal{M}_g} \mathcal{M}_g^1 \\ \uparrow \\ \pi_1^V(\mathcal{C}_g \times_{\mathcal{M}_g} \mathcal{C}_g \setminus \text{diagonal}) = \mathcal{M}_g^2 := \pi_0 \text{Diff}^+(\Sigma_g, p_0, p_1) \end{array} \right\} \text{mapping class groups}$$

$$H := \coprod_{[C] \in \mathcal{M}_g} H^1(C; \mathbb{C}) \stackrel{\text{Poincaré duality}}{\cong} \coprod_{[C] \in \mathcal{M}_g} H_1(C; \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_g \quad \text{flat vector bundle}$$

$$H^*(\mathcal{M}_g; \Lambda^* H) = H^*(\mathcal{M}_g; \Lambda^* H^1(\Sigma_g; \mathbb{C}))$$

$$H^*(\mathcal{C}_g; \Lambda^* H) = H^*(\mathcal{M}'_g; \Lambda^* H^1(\Sigma_g; \mathbb{C})) \quad \dots (\Leftarrow \text{Teichmüller space} \simeq *)$$

twisted de Rham cohomology group cohomology

$$e := c_1(T\mathcal{C}_g/\mathcal{M}_g) = \text{Euler}(\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \pi_0(\text{Diff}^+(\Sigma_g, v_0)) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}'_g) \in H^1(\mathcal{C}_g; \mathbb{Q}) = H^2(\mathcal{M}'_g; \mathbb{Q})$$

group cohomology $0 \neq v_0 \in T_{p_0} \Sigma_g$

Mumford-Morita-Miller (MMM, tautological) classes $i \geq 0$

$$e_i = (-1)^{i+1} \kappa_i = \int_{\text{fibre}} e^{i+1} \in H^{2i}(\mathcal{M}_g; \mathbb{Q}) = H^{2i}(\mathcal{M}'_g; \mathbb{Q}) \quad (e_0 = 2-2g \in \mathbb{Z})$$

Madsen-Weiss $H^*(\mathcal{M}_g; \mathbb{Q}) = \mathbb{Q}[e_i; i \geq 1]$ for $* \ll g$ (stable range)

Want to have explicit differential forms representing e_i 's

cf) Wolpert uses the hyperbolic metric to obtain them. If $i=1$, $e_1 \hookrightarrow \omega_{WP}$ Weil-Petersson
Kähler form

Our strategy using twisted MMM classes to get them

→ vanishing of e_i 's on the hyperelliptic locus

→ physics (string theory)

twisted MMM classes $(K.)$, $m_{i,j} \in H^{2i+j-2}(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^j H)$, $(i,j \geq 0, 2i+j \geq 2)$

$\nearrow$ extension of m_g^2 -modules (i.e., extension of flat vector bundles / $(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{M_g} \mathbb{C}_g \setminus \text{diagonal})$)

$$H^*(-) = H^*(-; \mathbb{C})$$

$$0 \rightarrow H^1(\Sigma_g) \xrightarrow{\text{ind}^*} H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \xrightarrow{\text{res}} H^2(\Sigma_g, \Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \rightarrow 0 \quad (\text{exact})$$

$$\Rightarrow H^0(m_g^2; \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\delta^*} H^1(m_g^2; H^1(\Sigma_g)) \cong H^1(m_g^2 \times m_g^2; H^1(\Sigma_g)) = H^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{M_g} \mathbb{C}_g; H)$$

$$\downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow$$

$$1 \longmapsto \delta^*(1) \xrightarrow{\text{extension class}} \exists! k_0$$

$$m_{i,j} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_{\text{fiber}} e^i k_0^j \in H^{2i+j-2}(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^j H) \cong H^{2i+j-2}(m_g^2; \Lambda^j H^1(\Sigma_g))$$

the $(i,j)^{\text{th}}$ twisted MMM class $(K.)$

$$m_{i+1,0} = e_i, \quad m_{0,2} = 2 \times (\text{symplectic form}) \in \Lambda^2 H^1(\Sigma_g)$$

$$\left[\text{Morita-K.} \quad \frac{1}{6} m_{0,3} = (\text{the extended 1st Johnson homomorphism}) \right]$$

$$\in H^1(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^3 H) = H^1(m_g^2; \Lambda^3 H^1(\Sigma_g))$$

How to compute $k_0 \leftarrow \delta^*(1) \in H^1(m_g^2; H^1(\Sigma_g)) = H^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{M_g} \mathbb{C}_g \setminus \text{diagonal}; H)$

$$0 \rightarrow H^1(\Sigma_g) \xrightarrow{\text{ind}^*} H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \xrightarrow{\delta^*} H^2(\Sigma_g, \Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow$$

$$\text{Choose some } u_0 \longmapsto 1 \in \mathbb{C}$$

Then, the cocycle $\delta u_0 : \varphi \in m_g^2 \mapsto \varphi u_0 - u_0 \in H^1(\Sigma_g)$ represents $\delta^*(1) (\mapsto k_0)$

2 kinds of "explicit" choices of $u_0 \in H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\})$

(1) topological choice Choose an embedded disk $D \subset \Sigma_g$ s.t. $p_0, p_1 \in D$



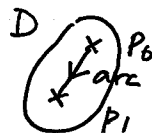
$$0 \rightarrow H^1(\Sigma_g) \xrightarrow{\text{incl}^*} H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \rightarrow 0$$



$$H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) \xrightarrow{\text{incl}_*} H^1(\Sigma_g \setminus D)$$

$\rightarrow$ topological choice

$u_0 =$ (Poincaré dual of an arc from p_0 to p_1 inside D°)



(cf) gluing of a symplectic expansion for $\Sigma_{g,1}$ and a special expansion for $\Sigma_{0,3}$ along the boundary ∂D)

(2) analytic choice

Recall $H_{\text{deRham}}^2(\Sigma_g, \Sigma_g \setminus \{p_0, p_1\}) = \mathbb{C}(\delta_{p_1} - \delta_{p_0}) \cong \mathbb{C}$

where $\delta_P = d\left(\frac{1}{2\pi} d(\arg z)\right)$ for z : complex coordinate with $z(P) = 0$
delta current at $P \in \Sigma_g$.

Choose a complex structure on Σ_g

(review on classical harmonic integrals)

ie., consider C : compact Riemann surface $\approx \Sigma_g$

$\{\psi_i\}_{i=1}^g \subset H^0(C; \Omega_C^1) = \{\text{holomorphic 1-forms}\}$ orthonormal basis

$$\frac{\sqrt{-1}}{2} \int_C \psi_i \wedge \overline{\psi_j} = \delta_{ij} \quad (1 \leq i, j \leq g)$$

$B := \frac{\sqrt{-1}}{2g} \sum_{i=1}^g \psi_i \wedge \overline{\psi_i}$ volume form on C , indep of the choice of $\{\psi_i\}_{i=1}^g$

$$\int_C B = \int_C \delta_P = 1. \quad (\forall P \in C)$$

$A^q(C) := \{ \mathbb{C}\text{-valued } q\text{-currents on } C \} \text{ (forms)}, q=0,1,2. \text{ (ex). } B, \delta_P \in A^2(C) \}$

$*: A^1(C) \rightarrow A^1(C)$, Hodge $*$ -operator $\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{local } z: \text{ complex coordinate} \\ *dz = -\sqrt{-1}d\bar{z}, *d\bar{z} = \sqrt{-1}dz \end{array} \right)$

$\exists! \hat{\Phi}: A^2(C) \rightarrow A^0(C)$ the Green operator associated with B

$$\text{s.t.} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{ii) } d*d\hat{\Phi}(\Omega) = \Omega - (\int_C \Omega) B \\ \text{iii) } \int_C \hat{\Phi}(\Omega) B = 0 \end{array} \right. \quad (\forall \Omega \in A^2(C))$$

- $\overline{\hat{\Phi}} = \hat{\Phi}$: real operator

- $\hat{\Phi}|_{\text{Ker}(\int_C)}: \text{Ker}(\int_C: A^2(C) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow A^0(C)/\mathbb{C}$ ^{const. function} depends only on the complex structure.

$$\begin{aligned} - \forall \Omega, \forall \Omega' \in A^2(C), \quad \int_C \hat{\Phi}(\Omega) \Omega' &= \int_C \Omega \hat{\Phi}(\Omega') \\ &\parallel \quad \parallel \\ &\frac{1}{4\pi} \iint_{(P_0, P_1) \in C \times C} (\Omega)_{P_1} (\log G(P_1, P_2)) (\Omega')_{P_2} \end{aligned} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{where} \\ G(\cdot, \cdot) \\ \text{the Arakelov-Green function} \end{array} \right)$$

analytic choice

$$u_0 = [*d\hat{\Phi}(\delta_{P_1} - \delta_{P_0})] \in H^1(C \setminus \{P_0, P_1\}) \xrightarrow{\delta^*} \delta_{P_1} - \delta_{P_0} \in H^2(C, C \setminus \{P_0, P_1\})$$

$\nwarrow$ de Rham class on $C \setminus \{P_0, P_1\}$

$$\left(\text{classically } *d\hat{\Phi}(\delta_{P_1} - \delta_{P_0}) = \text{Re} \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{the normalized Abelian differential} \\ \text{of the 3rd kind} \end{array} \right) \right)$$

$$\hat{k}_0 := (\text{the 1st variation of } [*d\hat{\Phi}|_{\delta_{P_1}-\delta_{P_0}}]) \in \Omega^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{\mathbb{M}_g} \mathbb{C}_g \setminus \text{diagonal} : H)$$

$$H^1(\mathbb{M}_g^2 : H^1(\Sigma_g)) = H^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{\mathbb{M}_g} \mathbb{C}_g \setminus \text{diagonal} : H)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{extension} & & \\ \text{class} & \delta^*(1) \longmapsto & [\hat{k}_0] \end{array} \quad \Leftarrow \text{"explicit" computation of } \hat{k}_0 \text{ using } \hat{\Phi}|_{\text{Ker}(f_C)}$$

$$\hat{k}_0 \text{ naturally extends to the diagonal.} \Rightarrow \hat{k}_0 \in \Omega^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{\mathbb{M}_g} \mathbb{C}_g : H)$$

$$k_0 = [\hat{k}_0] \in H^1(\mathbb{C}_g \times_{\mathbb{M}_g} \mathbb{C}_g : H)$$

canonical differential form representing $\frac{1}{6}$ mo.3. the extended 1st Johnson homomorphism

$$\tilde{k} := \frac{1}{6} \int_{\text{fiber}} \hat{k}_0^3 \in \Omega^1(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^3 H)$$

explicit description of $\tilde{k}$ in terms of the Green operator $\hat{\Phi}$

$$\varphi_a = \varphi'_a + \varphi''_a \in H^1(C : \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\text{identify}} \{\text{harmonic 1-forms on } C\}, \quad a=1,2,3$$

$$\varphi'_a, \overline{\varphi''_a} \in H^0(C : \Omega_C) \text{ holomorphic 1-forms}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} -\int \varphi'_1 \partial \hat{\Phi}(\varphi_2 \wedge \varphi_3 - (\int_C \varphi_2 \wedge \varphi_3) \delta_{P_0}) - \int \varphi'_2 \partial \hat{\Phi}(\varphi_3 \wedge \varphi_1 - (\int_C \varphi_3 \wedge \varphi_1) \delta_{P_0}) \\ &\quad - \int \varphi'_3 \partial \hat{\Phi}(\varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2 - (\int_C \varphi_1 \wedge \varphi_2) \delta_{P_0}) \end{aligned}$$

(the same as the 1st var.
of the pointed harmonic
volume (B. Harris, M. Pulte))

$$\in T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathbb{C}_g = \left\{ \text{mero. quadratic differential on } C : \begin{array}{l} \text{holomorphic on } C \setminus \{P_0\} \\ \text{order at } P_0 \geq -1 \end{array} \right\}$$

Theorem (K.)

$$\langle \tilde{k}, [\varphi_1] \otimes [\varphi_2] \otimes [\varphi_3] \rangle \text{ at } [C, P_0] \in \mathbb{C}_g$$

$$= -Q(\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3) - \overline{Q(\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3)} \in T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathbb{C}_g \oplus \overline{T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathbb{C}_g}$$

Corollary $\tilde{k}$ = the 1st variation of the pointed harmonic volume (B. Harris, M. Pulte)

Hyperelliptic locus

$\mathcal{H}_g := \{[C] \in \mathcal{M}_g : \text{hyperelliptic curves, i.e., } C \xrightarrow{2:1} \mathbb{P}^1\} \subset \mathcal{M}_g$

 $\xrightarrow{\quad} \text{covering transformation}$
 $L: C \rightarrow C$
hyperelliptic involution

$$\mathcal{H}_2 = \mathcal{M}_2, \mathcal{H}_g \subsetneq \mathcal{M}_g \text{ if } g \geq 3, \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathcal{H}_g = 2g-1, \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathcal{M}_g = 3g-3$$

$$\mathcal{H}_g^1 := \{[C, P_0] \in \mathcal{C}_g : [C] \in \mathcal{H}_g, P_0 \in C \text{ is a ramification point of } C \xrightarrow{2:1} \mathbb{P}^1\} \subset \mathcal{C}_g$$

- If $[C, P_0] \in \mathcal{H}_g^1$,

$$(Q|_{[C, P_0]})(\Lambda^3 H^1(C; \mathbb{C})) \subset ((-1)\text{-eigenspace of } L_*: T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathcal{C}_g \hookrightarrow)$$

($\because$) (B. Harris) $L(P_0) = P_0$, $L_* = -1$ on $\Lambda^3 H^1(C; \mathbb{C})$. Q is natural w.r. to any biholo. map //

in other words, $\tilde{k}|_{\mathcal{H}_g^1} = 0 \in \Omega^1(\mathcal{H}_g^1; \Lambda^3 H)$

$$(\because T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathcal{H}_g^1 = (+1)\text{-eigenspace of } L_*: T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathcal{C}_g \hookrightarrow //$$

- In general, $U := \text{Ker}(\Lambda^3 H^1(C; \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow[\text{by the intersection number}]{\text{contraction}} H^1(C; \mathbb{C}))$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Lambda^3 H^1(C; \mathbb{C}) & \xrightarrow{Q} & T_{[C, P_0]}^* \mathcal{C}_g \\ \downarrow U & \uparrow \cong & \uparrow \pi^* \\ U & \xrightarrow[\cong]{Q} & T_{[C]}^* \mathcal{M}_g \end{array}$$

This map depends only on $[C] \in \mathcal{M}_g$

Theorem (B. Harris) $\forall g \geq 3$, $\exists [C_0] \in \mathcal{H}_g$, hyperelliptic curve
 $\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{e.g. the set of branched points of } L \\ \text{is stable under the cpx conj on } \mathbb{P}^1 \end{array} \right)$

s.t. $Q: U \rightarrow ((-1)\text{-eigenspace of } L_*: T_{[C_0]}^* \mathcal{M}_g)$ is surjective.

i.e., $\tilde{k}|_{[C_0]}$ is non-degenerate in the normal direction to $\mathcal{H}_g$

Morita's construction

$[\hat{k}] = \frac{1}{6} m_{0,3} \in H^1(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^3 H)$, the extended 1st Johnson homomorphism

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} N \geq 0, f \in \text{Hom}(\Lambda^N(\Lambda^3 H_1(\Sigma_g; \mathbb{C})), \mathbb{C})^{Sp_{2g}(\mathbb{C})} \text{ invariant linear form} \leftrightarrow \text{trivalent graph} \\ \Rightarrow f_* : H^N(\mathbb{C}_g : \Lambda^N(\Lambda^3 H)) \rightarrow H^N(\mathbb{C}_g : \mathbb{C}) \\ \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \\ \quad [\hat{k}]^N \mapsto f_*([\hat{k}]^N) \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha : \text{Hom}(\Lambda^*(\Lambda^3 H_1(\Sigma_g; \mathbb{C})), \mathbb{C})^{Sp_{2g}(\mathbb{C})} \rightarrow H^*(\mathbb{C}_g : \mathbb{C}) \text{ algebra homomorphism}$$

$$f \mapsto f_*([\hat{k}]^{\otimes \bullet}) \quad (\hat{k}|_{\mathcal{H}_g} = 0)$$

$$\text{Im } \alpha = \mathbb{C}[e, e_i : i \geq 1], \quad e = c_1(T\mathbb{C}_g/\mathcal{M}_g), \quad (\text{Morita}) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Alternative proof of} \\ \forall n \geq 1 \quad e_n = 0 \in H^*(\mathcal{H}_g : \mathbb{C}) \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{Im } \alpha = \mathbb{C}[e, e_i : i \geq 1] / \sim \text{ (even in the unstable range) (Morita-K.)}$$

in degree 2

$$\alpha : \text{Hom}(\Lambda^2(\Lambda^3 H_1(\Sigma_g; \mathbb{C})), \mathbb{C})^{Sp_{2g}(\mathbb{C})} \xrightarrow{\cong} H^2(\mathbb{C}_g : \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\text{Harer}} \mathbb{C}e \oplus \mathbb{C}e_i \text{ (if } g \geq 3)$$

$$\exists! f_0, \exists! f_1, \quad f_{0*}[\hat{k}]^2 = e, \quad f_{1*}[\hat{k}]^2 = e_1 \quad (\text{Ker } \alpha \neq 0 \text{ for even degree } \geq 4)$$

differential forms

$$e^J := f_{0*} \hat{k}^2 \in \Omega^2(\mathbb{C}_g), \quad e_i^J := f_{1*} \hat{k}^2 \in \text{Im}(\Omega^2(\mathcal{M}_g) \xrightarrow{\pi^*} \Omega^2(\mathbb{C}_g)) \xrightarrow{(\hat{k}|_{\mathcal{H}_g} = 0)} e_i^J|_{\mathcal{H}_g} = 0 \in \Omega^2(\mathcal{H}_g)$$

$$e_i^F := \int_{\text{fiber}} (e^J)^2 \in \Omega^2(\mathcal{M}_g)$$

$$e_i = [e_i^F] = [e_i^J] \in H^2(\mathcal{M}_g : \mathbb{C}) \quad \text{but} \quad e_i^F \neq e_i^J \in \Omega^2(\mathcal{M}_g)$$

$$\exists \quad \mathcal{H} \partial \bar{\partial} \left(\begin{array}{l} \mathbb{R}\text{-valued} \\ \text{function} \end{array} \right) = e_i^F - e_i^J$$

(unique up to const. if $g \geq 3$)

Kawazumi - Zhang (KZ) invariant (K, 0801.4218, Zhang 0812.0371) $[C] \in \mathbb{M}_g$

$$a_g(C) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \sum_{i,j=1}^g \int_C \psi_i \wedge \bar{\psi}_j \hat{\Phi}(\psi_j \wedge \bar{\psi}_i) \in \mathbb{R} \quad (\because \overline{\hat{\Phi}} = \hat{\Phi})$$

(Fact. $\forall g \geq 2, \forall [C] \in \mathbb{M}_g, a_g(C) > 0$)

- Zhang: Arakelov geometry ... a decomposition of the Faltings delta invariant δ

- (Theorem (K) $\frac{-2\sqrt{-1}(2g-2)^2}{2g(2g+1)} \partial \bar{\partial} a_g = e_1^F - e_1^J \in \Omega^2(\mathbb{M}_g; \mathbb{C})$)

- de Jong ^{explicit} - relation with the invariant δ and the Hain-Reed function β

- asymptotic behavior of a_g

- d'Hoker - Green (1308.4597) - application of a_2 ($g=2$) to physics

- Pioline - application of a_2 to physics

- explicit formula of a_2 in terms of the theta function

(1405.6226)
(Theorem (d'Hoker - Green - Pioline - Russo)
 $\Delta a_2 = 5a_2$ on $\mathbb{M}_2$)

twisted version of the KZ invariant (K,)

$$A_{ij\bar{k}\bar{l}} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_C \psi_i \wedge \bar{\psi}_j \hat{\Phi}(\psi_{\bar{k}} \wedge \bar{\psi}_{\bar{l}}) \in \mathbb{C}, \quad 1 \leq i, j, k, l \leq g$$

Question (Torelli type) Is the map induced by $(A_{ij\bar{k}\bar{l}})$

(the Torelli space) $\rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{g^4}$

injective ?

where (the Torelli space) = $\{ (C, \{A_i, B_i\}_{i=1}^g) : \{A_i, B_i, \gamma_i\}_{i=1}^g \subset H_1(C; \mathbb{Z}) \text{ sympl. basis} \}$
 C : compact Riemann surface of genus g
 biholo

elementary properties

$$(0) \sum_{i,j=1}^g A_{ij} \bar{j} \bar{i} = a_g(C)$$

$$(1) A_{ij} \bar{k} \bar{l} = \int_C \bar{\psi}_i \wedge \psi_j \hat{\Phi}(\bar{\psi}_k \wedge \psi_l) = \int_C \psi_j \wedge \bar{\psi}_i \hat{\Phi}(\psi_k \wedge \bar{\psi}_l) = A_{j\bar{l} \bar{k} \bar{i}}$$

$$(2) A_{ij} \bar{k} \bar{l} = \int_C \psi_i \wedge \bar{\psi}_j \hat{\Phi}(\psi_k \wedge \bar{\psi}_l) = \int_C \hat{\Phi}(\psi_i \wedge \bar{\psi}_j) \psi_k \wedge \bar{\psi}_l = A_{k\bar{l} i \bar{j}}$$

$$(3) \sum_{i=1}^g A_{i\bar{i}} \bar{k} \bar{l} = 0 \quad (\because \hat{\Phi}(B) = 0)$$

$$(A_{ij} \bar{k} \bar{l}) \in C^\infty(M_g; \text{Sym}^2(\Lambda^2 H)) \text{ global section}$$

————→ differential forms representing $e_i = \tau_i$

holomorphic cotangent space of M_g at $[C] \in M_g$

$$T_{[C]}^* M_g = H^0(C; (\Omega_C^1)^{\otimes 2}) = \{ \text{holomorphic quadratic differentials on } C \}$$

$$(\text{ex) } \psi_e \psi_j = \psi_j \psi_e \in T_{[C]}^* M_g, \quad \bar{\psi}_i \bar{\psi}_k = \bar{\psi}_k \bar{\psi}_i \in T_{[C]}^* M_g)$$

Theorem (K.; discovered around 20 years ago, and written in arXiv 0801.4218, eq (5.5))

$$e_i^D[C] := 48\sqrt{g} \sum_{i,j,k,l} (\psi_e \psi_j A_{ij} \bar{k} \bar{l} \bar{\psi}_i \bar{\psi}_k - \psi_e \psi_j A_{ij} \bar{k} \bar{l} \bar{\psi}_k \bar{\psi}_i) \in T_{[C]}^* M_g \otimes \overline{T_{[C]}^* M_g}$$

$$\implies \frac{g^2}{(2g-2)^2} e_i^F - \frac{2g^2+2g-1}{3(2g-2)^2} e_i^J = \frac{1}{12} e_i^D \in \Omega^2(M_g) \quad ([C] \in M_g)$$

$$\frac{1}{12} e_i^D = \frac{g^2}{(2g-2)^2} e_i^F - \frac{2g^2+2g-1}{3(2g-2)^2} e_i^J = \frac{g^2}{(2g-2)^2} (e_i^F - e_i^J) + \frac{1}{12} e_i^J = \frac{-2\sqrt{g}}{2(2g+1)} (\partial \bar{\partial} a_g) + \frac{1}{12} e_i^J$$

$$[e_i^D] = e_i \in H^2(M_g; \mathbb{C})$$

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{12} e_i^D = \frac{-2\sqrt{g}}{2(2g+1)} (\partial \bar{\partial} a_g) + \frac{1}{12} e_i^J} \quad \dots (*)$$

Theorem ([DGPR] D'Hoker - Green - Pioline - Russo, arXiv:1405.6226 v2)

$$\Delta a_2 = 5a_2$$

where Δ = the Laplacian for the canonical Kähler metric on the Siegel upper half space $\mathcal{L}_g$

($\Rightarrow$ Pioline (arXiv:1504.04182 v2) explicit formula for a_2 using theta function

Higher genus case ?

[DGPR] obtained the followings for $\forall g \geq 2$:

- (B.4) + (C.1) $\delta_{\bar{u}\bar{u}} \delta_{wv} \varphi = \psi_A^1 + \psi_B + \psi_A^2 + \psi_C$ (Rmk: $\varphi = a_g$, $\delta_{\bar{u}\bar{u}} = \bar{\partial}$, $\delta_{wv} = \partial$)
- (C.3) $\psi_A^1 + \psi_B = (\text{explicit formula using } \hat{\Phi})$ (Rmk: (RHS) = (const) $|e_i^D$ in my notation)
- (C.5) $\psi_A^2 + \psi_C = (\text{explicit formula using } \hat{\Phi})$ (Rmk: (RHS) = (const) $|e_i^J$ in my notation)

$$\Leftrightarrow (*bis) \frac{1}{12} e_i^D = \frac{-2\sqrt{g}}{2(2g+1)} (\partial \bar{\partial} a_g) + \frac{1}{12} e_i^J$$

- (C.9) $\psi_A^2 + \psi_C = 0$ if $g=2$ (Rmk: $e_i^J|_{\mathcal{H}_g} = 0 \in \Omega^2(\mathcal{H}_g) \forall g \geq 2$)
- (C.4) $\Delta \varphi|_{\psi_A + \psi_B} = (2g+1) \varphi$

"the part of the Laplacian due to $\psi_A + \psi_B$ "

$$\text{Rmk} : \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathcal{M}_g = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathcal{L}_g \Leftrightarrow g \leq 3$$

If $g \geq 4$, then $\Delta \varphi = \Delta a_g$ is meaningless !!

To understand the meaning of (C.4)

$$\Delta \varphi|_{\psi_A + \psi_B} = (2g+1) \varphi,$$

recall the Siegel upper half space $\mathcal{L}_g$

$\mathcal{L}_g := \{ \text{complex structure } J \text{ on the standard symplectic vector space } \mathbb{R}^{2g}; \text{ some positivity condition} \}$

$$\uparrow \cong \mathrm{Sp}_{2g}(\mathbb{R}) / \mathrm{U}_g$$

$E_g := \bigsqcup_{J \in \mathcal{L}_g} (\mathbb{R}^{2g}, J)$. $\mathrm{Sp}_{2g}(\mathbb{R})$ -equivariant holomorphic vector bundle $\downarrow$ canonical Hermitian metric on E_g

$\mathcal{A}_g := \mathcal{L}_g / \mathrm{Sp}_{2g}(\mathbb{Z})$ the moduli space of principally polarized Abelian varieties

$\uparrow$

E_g (descends to $\mathcal{A}_g$)

$T\mathcal{A}_g \xrightarrow{\text{canonical isomorphism}} \mathrm{Sym}^2(E_g) \subset E_g^{\otimes 2}$, canonical Kähler metric on $\mathcal{A}_g$

$$T^*\mathcal{A}_g = \mathrm{Sym}^2(E_g^*) \leftarrow (E_g^*)^{\otimes 2}$$

$\mathrm{Jac} : \mathcal{M}_g \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_g, C \mapsto \mathrm{Jac}(C)$ (period matrix), period map, injective (Torelli theorem)

$(\mathcal{M}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{open}} \mathcal{A}_2, \mathcal{M}_3 \xrightarrow{\text{open}} \mathcal{A}_3 \Rightarrow \Delta \text{ makes sense for functions on } \mathcal{M}_2 \text{ and } \mathcal{M}_3)$

$$(\mathrm{Jac}^* E_g)|_{[C]} = H^0(C; \Omega_C^1) = \{ \text{holomorphic 1-forms on } C \}$$

$$\mathrm{Jac}^*(T^*\mathcal{A}_g)|_{[C]} \leftarrow \mathrm{Jac}^*(E_g^*)^{\otimes 2}|_{[C]} = H^0(C; \Omega_C^1)^{\otimes 2}$$

$\Rightarrow$ Laplacian on $\mathcal{A}_g$
 Δ

(In general, X : Kähler manifold, $\Lambda: T^*X \otimes \overline{T^*X} \rightarrow X \times \mathbb{C}$, Kähler contraction)
 $\Rightarrow \Delta f = 2\sqrt{-1} \Lambda \partial \bar{\partial} f \quad \forall f \in C^\infty(X; \mathbb{C})$

Since $\psi_A' + \psi_B = (\text{const}) e_I^D$, we interpret $\Delta g|_{\psi_A' + \psi_B}$ as $(\text{const}) \Lambda \hat{e}_I^D$, where

$\hat{e}_I^D \in C^\infty(M_g; \text{Jac}^*(T^*A_g \otimes \overline{T^*A_g}))$ lift of e_I^D defined by

$$\hat{e}_I^D|_{[C]} := 48\sqrt{-1} \sum_{i,j,k,l} (|\psi_l \otimes \psi_j| A_{ij\bar{k}\bar{l}} (\bar{\psi}_i \otimes \bar{\psi}_k) - |\psi_l \otimes \psi_j| A_{ij\bar{k}\bar{l}} (\bar{\psi}_k \otimes \bar{\psi}_l))$$

Then we have

$$\frac{1}{48} \Lambda \hat{e}_I^D = \sum_{s,t} (A_{s\bar{t}t\bar{s}} + A_{s\bar{s}t\bar{t}}) - \sum_{s,t} A_{s\bar{t}t\bar{s}} - g \sum_{s,t} A_{s\bar{t}t\bar{s}} = -ga_g$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\frac{1}{48} \Lambda \hat{e}_I^D = -ga_g} \quad \dots \quad (**)$$

Recall: Rauch's formula for $d\text{Jac}$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Theorem (Rauch)} & \forall [C] \in M_g & \\ T_{[C]}^* M_g & \xleftarrow{(d\text{Jac})^*} & T_{[\text{Jac}(C)]}^* A_g \\ \parallel & \uparrow & \parallel \\ H^0(C; (\Omega_C^1)^{\otimes 2}) & \xleftarrow{\text{multiplication}} & \text{Sym}^2 H^0(C; \Omega_C^1) \end{array} \right]$$

$\Downarrow \Leftarrow$ M. Noether's Theorem

Corollary $(d\text{Jac})|_{[C]}$ is injective if and only if $\begin{cases} g=2 \text{ or} \\ g \geq 3 \text{ and } C: \text{non-hyperelliptic} \end{cases}$

Today: Consider the case $g=3$, $M_3 \xrightarrow[\text{Jac}]{\text{open}} A_3 \rightarrow \begin{cases} Sp_6(\mathbb{R})\text{-inv Laplacian } \Delta \\ \text{Kähler contraction } \Lambda \end{cases}$

Theorem (K.; conjectured by physicists)

a_3 is not an eigenfunction of Δ

- $\text{Jac}|_{M_3 \setminus \mathcal{H}_3} : M_3 \setminus \mathcal{H}_3 \rightarrow A_3$ locally isomorphism

- $(\text{*bis})|_{g=3} : \frac{1}{12} e_1^P = -\frac{3}{7} \sqrt{-1} \partial \bar{\partial} a_3 + \frac{1}{12} e_1^J$

$\Downarrow \Lambda \text{ on } M_3 \setminus \mathcal{H}_3$

$-12 a_3 = -\frac{12}{7} \Delta a_3 + \frac{1}{12} \Lambda e_1^J$

$\Delta a_3 = 7 a_3 + \frac{7}{144} \Lambda e_1^J, \quad \Lambda e_1^J \in C^\infty(M_3 \setminus \mathcal{H}_3; \mathbb{R})$

Claim $[C_0] \in \mathcal{H}_3$ as in Theorem (Harr's)

$\Rightarrow |\Lambda e_1^J| \rightarrow +\infty$ as $[C] \rightarrow [C_0]$

$\Rightarrow \Lambda e_1^J$ is not proportional to a_3 ($\because a_3$ is locally bounded near $[C_0]$)

$\Rightarrow$ Theorem //

proof of Claim $H = H^1(C; \mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow[\text{Poincaré duality}]{\text{contraction}} H_1(C; \mathbb{C})$

$U := \text{Ker} |\Lambda^3 H \xrightarrow{\text{contraction}} H| \subset \Lambda^3 H \subset H^{\otimes 3}$

$\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : H^{\otimes 3} \times H^{\otimes 3} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad \langle u_1^{(1)} \otimes u_2^{(1)} \otimes u_3^{(1)}, u_1^{(2)} \otimes u_2^{(2)} \otimes u_3^{(2)} \rangle := \prod_{i=1}^3 \langle u_i^{(1)}, u_i^{(2)} \rangle$

$e_1^J = (\text{const}) \langle \tilde{k}, \tilde{k} \rangle$ on $T[C]M_g \otimes \overline{T[C]M_g}$
 $\nwarrow$ intersection number

$\Lambda^3 H \xrightarrow{Q} T_{[C, P_0]}^* C_g \quad (Q \overset{\text{dual}}{\sim} k)$

$\begin{array}{ccc} U & \hookrightarrow & T_{[C, P_0]}^* C_g \\ \downarrow & \uparrow \pi^* & \\ U & \xrightarrow{\exists! Q} & T_{[C]}^* M_g \end{array}$ indep. of the choice of P_0

$$H = H^1(C; \mathbb{C}) = \underbrace{H^0(C; \Omega_C^1)}_{\text{holo.}} \oplus \overline{\underbrace{H^0(C; \Omega_C^1)}_{\text{anti-holo.}}}$$

$$U = U^{3,0} \oplus U^{2,1} \oplus U^{1,2} \oplus U^{0,3}, \text{ where } U^{p,q} := U \cap \left(\begin{matrix} \text{contribution} \\ \text{of } \{ \text{holo} \}^{\otimes p} \otimes \{ \text{anti} \}^{\otimes q} \end{matrix} \right)$$

$$\tilde{k}(T[C] M_g) \subset (U^{2,1})^* \quad (\text{v) definition of } Q \text{ (dual of } \tilde{k} \text{)})$$

$$0 \neq \forall v \in U^{2,1}, \sqrt{1} \langle v, \bar{v} \rangle > 0$$

• J_g : the Teichmüller space of genus g

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \omega \downarrow & \swarrow [C, m] & \\ M_g \ni [C] & \nwarrow \text{marking of } C & \end{array}$$

$$J_g \xrightarrow{\cong \text{Jac}} \mathcal{L}_g$$

$$\omega \downarrow \quad \cup \quad \downarrow \text{quotient}$$

$$M_g \xrightarrow{\text{Jac}} \mathcal{A}_g = \mathcal{L}_g / \text{Sp}_{2g}(\mathbb{Z})$$

— $g=3$ Choose a marking m_0 of C_0 . Then

$$\exists (z_1, z_2, z_3) : \text{complex coordinate centered at } [C_0, m_0] \in J_3$$

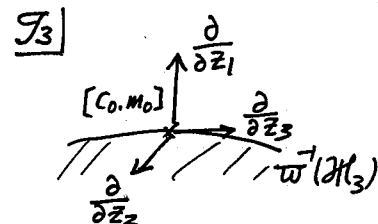
$$\ni (w_1, w_2, w_3)$$

$$\text{at } \text{Jac}([C, m_0]) \in \mathcal{L}_3$$

$$\text{s.t. } \{z_i = 0\} \stackrel{\text{loc.}}{=} \omega^{-1}(\mathcal{H}_3)$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Jac}(z_1, z_2, z_3) = (z_1^2, z_2, z_3) = (w_1, w_2, w_3) \end{array} \right] \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{a 2 to 1 map} \\ \text{in the normal direction of } \mathcal{H}_3 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial w_1} = \frac{1}{2z_1} \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1}$$



$\exists v_1, v_2, v_3 : \mathbb{C}^{2,1}$ -valued function defined around $[C_0, m_0] \in J_3$

s.t. $\tilde{k} = v_1 dz_1 + v_2 dz_2 + v_3 dz_3$ on $T J_g$

Then. $v_1(0, *, *) \neq 0$ ($\Leftarrow$ Thm (Harris))

$v_2(0, *, *) = v_3(0, *, *) = 0$ ($\Leftarrow \tilde{k} = 0$ along $\mathcal{H}_3$)

$$e_i^J = (\text{const}) \sum_{i,j=1}^3 \langle v_i, \bar{v}_j \rangle dz_i d\bar{z}_j$$

Since $\frac{\partial}{\partial w_i} = \frac{1}{2z_i} \frac{\partial}{\partial z_i}$, $|z_i| \cdot |\Delta e_i^J|$ is bounded (from below) by a combination of

$$\frac{1}{|z_i|} |\langle v_i, \bar{v}_i \rangle| \quad \text{and}$$

$$|\langle v_i, \bar{v}_j \rangle|, |\langle v_j, \bar{v}_i \rangle|, |z_i| |\langle v_i, \bar{v}_j \rangle|, (i, j = 2, 3) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } z_i \rightarrow 0$$

with coefficients in locally bounded functions near $[C_0]$ ($\because v_2, v_3 \rightarrow 0$)

the coefficient of $\frac{1}{|z_i|} |\langle v_i, \bar{v}_i \rangle|$ is positive ($\because$ definition of Δ)
 $\sqrt{-1} \langle v_i, \bar{v}_i \rangle > 0$ ($\because v_i \neq 0$)

$$\Rightarrow |z_i| |\Delta e_i^J| \geq \frac{(\text{positive const})}{|z_i|} |\langle v_i, \bar{v}_i \rangle| \rightarrow +\infty \text{ as } z_i \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow \text{Claim} \Rightarrow \text{Theorem} //$$

Next problem: $\forall g \geq 3$. $\mathcal{H}_g \xrightarrow{\text{Jac}} \mathcal{A}_g$ embedding,

canon. Kähler metric on $\mathcal{A}_g \xrightarrow[\text{induces}]{\text{Jac}}$ Kähler metric on $\mathcal{H}_g \Rightarrow$ Laplacian $\Delta_{\mathcal{H}_g}$.

$$\Delta_{\mathcal{H}_g} (a_g|_{\mathcal{H}_g}) = ?$$