

## §2 analysis aspect: Wely's lemma, existence of meromorphic functions

inner product between 1-forms [FK, §I.4]

$$(p dx + q dy) \wedge *(\bar{p} dx + \bar{q} dy) = (|p|^2 + |q|^2) dx \wedge dy$$

$$(u dz + v d\bar{z}) \wedge *(\bar{u} d\bar{z} + \bar{v} dz) = (u dz + v d\bar{z}) \wedge (+i \bar{u} d\bar{z} - i \bar{v} dz)$$

$$= (|u|^2 + |v|^2) \underline{i dz \wedge d\bar{z}} = 2 dx \wedge dy$$

rmk  $p = u + v$   $q = i(u - v)$

Fix  $D \subset M =$  open & connected.  $\begin{cases} \partial D : \text{continuous \& piecewise smooth curves} \\ \bar{D} : \text{compact} \end{cases}$

$w = u dz + v d\bar{z}$  define  $\|w\|_D^2 = \iint_D w \wedge * \bar{w}$

enlarge the class

$$(w_1, w_2)_D = \iint_D w_1 \wedge * \bar{w}_2$$

- eventually, care about the smooth ones.
- for some by parts formula, only require  $u, v$  to be  $C^1$  or  $C^2$
- for some technical treatment in analysis.

$$L^2(D) = \{u, v : \text{measurable} \mid \iint_D w \wedge * \bar{w} < \infty\}$$

key point to introduce  $L^2(D) \leftarrow$  complete vector space i.e. Hilbert space

prop i)  $*^2 = -\text{Id}$ ,  $*$  = isometry

ii)  $(d\varphi, * \alpha)_D = \iint_D \varphi d\bar{\alpha} - \int_{\partial D} \varphi \bar{\alpha}$  ( $\varphi = e^{\pm}$  function,  $\alpha = e^{\pm}$  1-form defined on a nbd of  $\bar{D}$ )

iii)  $(d\varphi, d\psi)_D = -\iint_D \varphi \Delta \bar{\psi} + \iint_D \varphi * d\bar{\psi}$  ( $\varphi, \psi = e^{\pm}$  function)

$(d\varphi, * d\psi)_D = -\int_{\partial D} \varphi d\bar{\psi}$

iv)  $f =$  holomorphic function,  $w =$  holomorphic differential (defined on a nbd of  $\bar{D}$ )  
 $\iint_D df \wedge \bar{w} = 2 \int_{\partial D} (\text{Re } f) \bar{w} = 2i \int_{\partial D} (\text{Im } f) \bar{w}$

$\Delta \psi := -2i \bar{\partial} \partial \psi = d * d\psi = (\psi_{xx} + \psi_{yy}) dx \wedge dy$

pf: i) is direct

ii)  $(d\varphi, * \alpha)_D = -\iint_D d\varphi \wedge \bar{\alpha} = \iint_D \varphi d\bar{\alpha} - \iint_D d(\varphi \bar{\alpha}) = \iint_D \varphi d\bar{\alpha} - \int_{\partial D} \varphi \bar{\alpha}$

but  $d(\varphi \bar{\alpha}) = \frac{d\varphi}{1} \wedge \frac{\bar{\alpha}}{1} + \varphi \frac{d\bar{\alpha}}{2} \leftarrow$  [check]

iii)  $(d\varphi, d\psi)_D = (d\varphi, -*(*d\psi))_D = -\iint_D \varphi d * d\bar{\psi} + \int_{\partial D} \varphi * d\bar{\psi}$   
 $\alpha = -*d\psi$

$(d\varphi, * d\psi)_D = +\iint_D \varphi d(d\bar{\psi}) - \int_{\partial D} \varphi d\bar{\psi}$

iv)  $f =$  holomorphic  $\Rightarrow \bar{\partial} f = 0$   $w = \alpha(z) dz$   $\frac{d\bar{z} \wedge dz}{=0}$   
 $d(fw) = (df) \wedge w + f d\bar{w} = 2f \wedge \bar{w} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \iint_D d(f\omega) = 0 = \int_{\partial D} f\omega \Rightarrow \int_{\partial D} (\operatorname{Re} f)\omega = -i \int_{\partial D} (\operatorname{Im} f)\omega$$

$$\iint_D df \wedge \bar{\omega} = (df, * \omega)_D \stackrel{\text{by ii)}}{=} - \iint_D df \wedge \bar{\omega} + \int_{\partial D} f \bar{\omega} \dots \quad \#$$

basic facts about Hilbert spaces [FK, § II. I]

goal construct meromorphic functions on  $M$   
 if there is a holomorphic differential  $\rightarrow$  multiply  $\rightarrow$  a meromorphic differential  
 or, if we have two different meromorphic differential, their "quotient" is a meromorphic function  
 the construction of meromorphic differential can be done by using harmonic 1-forms.  
 $\rightarrow$  construct harmonic 1-forms ( $L^2 = d(\text{functions})$ , also  $*d(\text{functions})$ )  
 orthogonal complement in  $L^2 \rightarrow$  (Smooth) harmonic

- $(H, (\cdot, \cdot))$  : Hilbert space
- $F$  (vector) subspace  $\Rightarrow F^\perp$  is a closed subspace
- if  $F$  is closed  $\Rightarrow H = F \oplus F^\perp$   
 and the projection  $P: H = F \oplus F^\perp \rightarrow F$  is a bounded linear operator
- Riesz representation theorem.  $H^* = H$  (of norm 1)  
 namely, any bounded linear functional is  $\langle x, - \rangle$  for some  $x \in H$

Weyl's lemma [FK, § II. 2]

thm  $D$ : unit disk.  $\varphi$ : square integrable measurable function  
 $\varphi$  is harmonic if and only if  $\iint_D \varphi \Delta \eta = 0$   
 (regularity theorem)  $\forall \eta$ : smooth, with compact support  $\subset D$

Pf:  $\Rightarrow$  say  $\operatorname{supp} \eta \subset D_r$   $r < 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \iint_{D_r} \varphi \Delta \eta &= \iint_{D_r} \varphi d * d \eta = \iint_{D_r} d \varphi \wedge * d \eta - \int_{\partial D_r} \varphi * d \eta \quad \text{support} \\ &= - \iint_{D_r} * d \varphi \wedge d \eta = \iint_{D_r} d \eta \wedge * d \varphi = \iint_{D_r} \eta d * d \varphi \quad \varphi = \text{harmonic} \end{aligned}$$

$\Leftarrow$  { some ideas . try to get information on  $\iint \varphi \mu dx dy$   
 $\Rightarrow \Delta \eta = \mu dx dy \Rightarrow \eta = \iint_D G(z, \bar{z}) \mu(\bar{z}) \frac{d\bar{z} \wedge d\bar{z}}{-2i}$   
 $G$ : green kernel of  $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2}$ ,  $\Delta G = \text{delta distribution}$   
 $G \sim \log |z - \bar{z}|$   
 • if  $\varphi$  is really harmonic  $\Rightarrow$  mean value property }

0° Green's 2nd identity & Green's representation formula  
 $u, v$ : real valued smooth function  
 $\iint_{\Omega} u \Delta v - v \Delta u = \int_{\partial \Omega} u \frac{\partial v}{\partial n} - v \frac{\partial u}{\partial n} ds$  arc length — (Green's 2nd identity)  
 unit outer normal  
 $u$ : compact support on  $\mathbb{R}^2$

Consider  $\eta(z) = \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} u(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$   $\zeta = \zeta - z$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} \frac{\log|\zeta|}{2\pi} u(z+\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

differentiation hits here  $\Rightarrow \eta(z)$  is smooth

(temporarily, set  $\Delta\eta$  to be  $(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2})\eta$ , but not  $(\frac{\partial^2 \eta}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \eta}{\partial y^2}) dx \wedge dy$ )

$$\Delta_z \eta(z) = \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} \frac{\log|\zeta|}{2\pi} \Delta_z u(z+\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2} \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \Delta_\zeta u(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

$$= \lim_{\rho \rightarrow 0} \iint_{\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus D_\rho(z)} \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \Delta_\zeta u(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i} = u(z)$$

$$\begin{cases} s+t=\lambda \\ u(s+t) = u(\lambda) \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial s}(s+t) = u'(s+t) = u'(\lambda) \\ = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} u(\lambda) \end{cases}$$

$$\iint_{\mathbb{R}^2 \setminus D_\rho(z)} \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \Delta_\zeta u(\zeta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\partial D_\rho(z)} (u(\zeta) \frac{\partial \log|z-\zeta|}{\partial n} - \log|z-\zeta| \frac{\partial u}{\partial n}) ds$$

$\downarrow$   $\Delta_\zeta = 0$  check  $\frac{\partial \log|z-\zeta|}{\partial n} = \frac{1}{r}$   $\log|z-\zeta| = \log r$   
 $\log r$   $\downarrow$   $u \in C^\infty$   $r \text{ do}$   
 $\Rightarrow (\frac{\partial u}{\partial n} |_{\text{bdd near } \zeta=z})$

But  $\eta(z)$  is not of compact support.

1° Fix  $\varepsilon > 0$ , let  $\rho(r) =$  

For any  $\mu(z) \in C^\infty$  on  $D$  with  $\text{supp } \mu \subset D_{1-\varepsilon}$

Consider  $\tilde{\eta}(z) = \iint_D \rho(|z-\zeta|) \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{supp } \tilde{\eta} \subset D_{1-\varepsilon/2} \\ \text{replace } D \text{ by } \mathbb{C} \end{array} \right.$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{C}} \rho(|z-\zeta|) \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

$$= \iint_{\mathbb{C}} \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i} + \iint_{\mathbb{C}} (\rho(|z-\zeta|) - 1) \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

$$\Delta_z \tilde{\eta}(z) = \mu(z) + \iint_{\mathbb{C}} \Delta_z \left( (\rho(|z-\zeta|) - 1) \frac{\log|z-\zeta|}{2\pi} \right) \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i}$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{vanishes when } |z-\zeta| > \varepsilon \\ \text{and } |z-\zeta| < \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \\ \text{denote it by } r(z, \zeta) \end{array} \right.$

2°  $\iint_D \varphi(z) \Delta_z \tilde{\eta}(z) = 0$

$$= \iint_D \varphi(z) \mu(z) \frac{dz \wedge d\bar{z}}{-2i} + \iint_D \varphi(z) \left( \iint_D r(z, \zeta) \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i} \right) \frac{dz \wedge d\bar{z}}{-2i}$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{unit disk in the } z\text{-plane} \\ \text{unit disk in the } \zeta\text{-plane} \end{array} \right.$

$$\Rightarrow \iint_D \varphi(\zeta) \mu(\zeta) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i} + \iint_D \mu(\zeta) \left( \iint_D \varphi(z) r(z, \zeta) \frac{dz \wedge d\bar{z}}{-2i} \right) \frac{d\zeta \wedge d\bar{\zeta}}{-2i} = 0$$

this is true for all  $\mu \Rightarrow \varphi(\zeta) = - \iint_D \varphi(z) r(z, \zeta) \frac{dz \wedge d\bar{z}}{-2i}$  by Fubini

$\Rightarrow \varphi(z)$  is smooth on  $D_{1-2\varepsilon}$   $\leftarrow$  smooth in  $\zeta$   $\forall |\zeta| < 1-2\varepsilon$

similar proof as the Green's representation formula

# harmonic differential [FK, § II.3]

recall a differential  $\omega$  is said to be harmonic if  $d\omega = 0 = d*\omega$   
 if and only if  $\omega$  is locally  $d$ (harmonic function)

observation  $f$ : smooth function on  $M$  with compact support

$\omega$ : harmonic

$$(\omega, df)_M = (*\omega, *df)_M = - \int_M *\omega \wedge df = - \int_M (d*\omega) \bar{f} = 0$$

$$(\omega, *df)_M = - \int_M \omega \wedge df = - \int_M (d\omega) \bar{f} = 0$$

$\Rightarrow$  harmonic differential  $\perp_{L^2(M)}$   $df$  &  $*df$

$\rightarrow$  do not require compactness at this moment

defn

$$E = L^2(M) \text{ -closure of } \{ df \mid f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{ compact supp} \}$$

$$E^* = *E \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} * : \text{ also defined on } L^2(M) \\ E^* = L^2(M) \text{ -closure of } \{ *df \mid f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{ compact supp} \} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow L^2(M) = E \oplus E^\perp = E^* \oplus E^{*\perp}$$

By the basic properties of Hilbert spaces

$$E^\perp = \{ \omega \in L^2(M) \mid (\omega, df) = 0 \ \forall f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp} \}$$

$$(E^*)^\perp = \{ \omega \in L^2(M) \mid (\omega, *df) = 0 \ \forall f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp} \}$$

relation between these two decomposition?

characterization of  $E^\perp$  &  $E^{*\perp}$ :

prop  $\alpha \in L^2(M)$  of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$  Then,  $\alpha \in E^\perp$  if and only if  $d*\alpha = 0$

pf:  $\Leftarrow$  easy

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \in E^\perp : (\alpha, df) = 0 \ \forall f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp} \\ = - \int_M (d*\alpha) \bar{f} \quad (\text{as the observation}) \quad *$$

It follows that  $E^* \subset E^\perp$  Similarly,  $E \subset E^{*\perp}$   
 $*df \Rightarrow d*(df) = d^2f = 0$

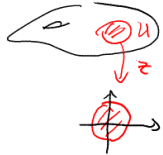
Hence, if we let  $H = E^\perp \cap (E^*)^\perp$

$$\text{then, } L^2(M) = H \oplus E \oplus E^*$$

(compare with the observation)

What is  $H$ ?

$$\omega \in H \Rightarrow (\omega, df) = 0 = (\omega, d*f) \ \forall f: \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp}$$



examine it locally. (on some nbd of any point)

$$\omega = p dx + q dy \quad df = f_x dx + f_y dy$$

$$d*f = -f_y dx + f_x dy$$

$$\int \int (p \bar{f}_y - q \bar{f}_x) dx dy = 0 = \int \int (p \bar{f}_x + q \bar{f}_y) dx dy$$

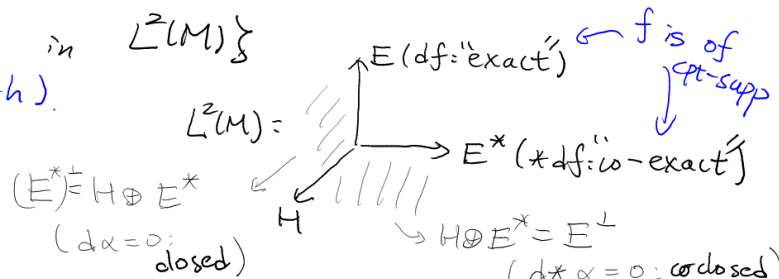
$g = \mathcal{C}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp}$ , consider  $f = \bar{g}_x, \bar{g}_y$

$$\Rightarrow \int \int p (g_{xx} + g_{yy}) dx dy = 0 = \int \int g (g_{xx} + g_{yy})$$

By Weyl's lemma,  $\omega$  is smooth & harmonic on this nbd

thm  $H = \{ \text{harmonic differential in } L^2(M) \}$

(Weyl  $\Rightarrow$  smooth)



Caveat: when  $M$  is not compact,  $E$  may not consist of all exact forms ( $f$ : compact support)

for instance,  $M = \mathbb{D}$ ,  $\exists f$ : harmonic on  $\mathbb{D}$   
 $\Rightarrow df \in H \perp E$

a criterion for exactness

prop  $\alpha \in L^2(M)$  of  $E^\perp$  and closed. Then,  $\alpha$  is exact if and only if  $(\alpha, \beta) = 0 \quad \forall \beta: C^\infty$  differential (cpt-supp)  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} d^* \beta = 0 \\ \alpha = df \text{ for some } f \in E^\perp \end{array} \right.$

pf:  $\Rightarrow (\alpha, \beta) = \iint_M df \wedge * \bar{\beta} = - \iint_M f d * \bar{\beta} = 0$

$\Leftarrow$  If  $\int_C \alpha = 0 \quad \forall$  closed (directed) curve  $C \subset M$ , we can define  $f(z) = \int_\gamma \alpha$   $\gamma$ : any curve from  $p$  to  $z$ . for the well-definedness



It is straightforward to check that  $df = \alpha$

goal  $(\alpha, \beta) = 0 \Rightarrow \int_C \alpha = 0$



$C: C^0$  piecewise  $C^\infty \xrightarrow[\text{top}]{(\text{diff})} \exists$  nbd of  $C$  in  $M$  is annulus

$\left( \begin{array}{l} \alpha = g dx + h dy \\ \gamma = \text{rectangular path near } z \end{array} \right)$

choose  $f$  on the annulus  $\setminus C$

so that  $\begin{cases} f=0 & \Omega_2^- \text{ and } \Omega^+ \\ f=1 & \Omega_0^- \end{cases}$

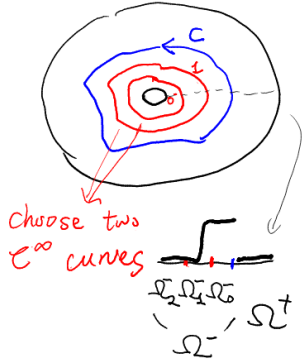
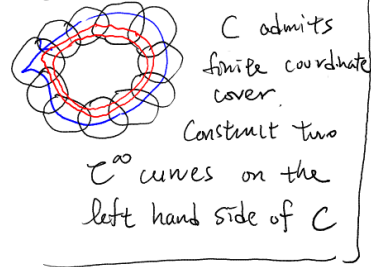
$\Rightarrow df$  is a smooth form on  $M$ , of cpt-supp. Denote it by  $\eta_C \leftarrow \text{NOT } d(\text{smooth function on } M)$ . Easy to check  $d\eta_C = 0$  [think]

Consider  $(\alpha, *\eta_C) = - \iint_M \alpha \wedge \eta_C = - \iint_{\Omega^-} \alpha \wedge df$

$0 = d(*\eta_C) = \iint_{\Omega^-} d(f\alpha) - \iint_{\Omega^-} f d\alpha = \int_{\partial\Omega^-} f\alpha = \int_C \alpha$   $\alpha = \text{closed}$

rmk  $\eta_C$  is usually referred as the Poincaré dual of  $C$

slightly more detail:



On a compact Riemann surface  $M$ , exact harmonic differential  $\in H \cap E = \{0\}$   
 $\Rightarrow$  harmonic functions must be constant

$\hookrightarrow$  harmonic differential = 0

To construct a meromorphic function, consider "harmonic functions and differentials with singularity"

# summary: Hodge decomposition

$$\text{function} \xrightarrow{d} \text{differential} \xrightarrow{d} \text{2-form}$$

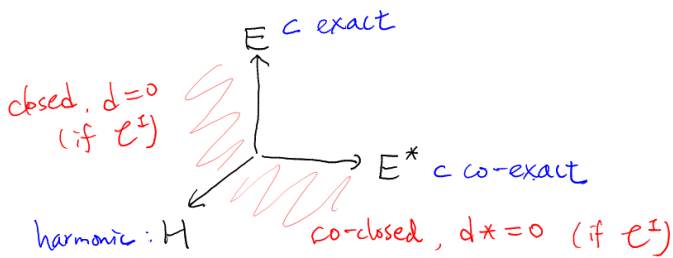
$$E = \overline{\{df\}} \quad E^* = \overline{\{*\!df\}}$$

f.  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ , cpt-supp

( $\leftarrow$ : see the HW)

$$E \perp E^* \Rightarrow L^2(M) = H \oplus E \oplus E^*$$

$H$  = harmonic differentials,  $d\omega=0 = d*\omega$   
 $\omega \stackrel{\text{locally}}{=} d(\text{harmonic function})$



prop  $\omega: \mathcal{C}^1, d\omega=0$  Then,  $\omega = df$  if and only if  $(\omega, \beta) = 0$

- works for non-compact  $M$  as well  $\forall \beta: \mathcal{C}^\infty$ -cpt-supp,  $d*\beta=0$
- relies on the construction of the Poincaré dual

$$C: \text{closed (directed) curve} \subset M \rightsquigarrow \gamma_c \quad d\gamma_c=0 \quad \int_M \omega \wedge \gamma_c = \int_C \omega$$

( $\rightsquigarrow$   $H$  is closely related to closed curves on  $M$ )

e.g. (detail = Fourier transform ...)

$$\text{on } T^2 = \mathbb{C}/(2\pi\mathbb{Z})^2 \quad \text{functions} = \sum_{n,m} a_{n,m} e^{i(nx+my)} \longleftrightarrow \{a_{n,m}\} \quad \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$1\text{-form} \stackrel{\text{HW}}{=} (\text{function}, \text{function}) \longleftrightarrow \text{two Fourier coefficients}$$

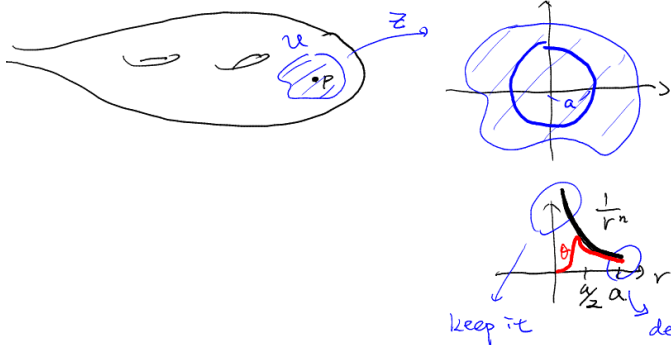
$$d: \{a_{n,m}\} \mapsto (\{n a_{n,m}\}, \{m a_{n,m}\})$$

$$*: (\{b_{n,m}\}, \{c_{n,m}\}) \mapsto (\{-c_{n,m}\}, \{b_{n,m}\}) \quad (\{b_{n,m}\}, \{c_{n,m}\})$$

$$d: (\{b_{n,m}\}, \{c_{n,m}\}) \mapsto (\{n c_{n,m} - m b_{n,m}\}) \quad \mathbb{R}^2 \otimes \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\text{check} \Rightarrow (\{b_{n,m}\}, \{c_{n,m}\}) = (\{b_{0,0}\}, \{c_{0,0}\}) + d \underbrace{\left\{ \frac{n b_{n,m} + m c_{n,m}}{n^2 + m^2} \right\}_{(n,m) \neq (0,0)}}_E + * d \underbrace{\left\{ \frac{-m b_{n,m} + n c_{n,m}}{n^2 + m^2} \right\}_{(n,m) \neq (0,0)}}_{E^*}$$

## constructing harmonic function with singularity



Assume  $z(p) = 0 \quad D_a \subset z(U)$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{z^n}$  is a locally defined function on  $M$  (only on  $U$ )

Try to extend it over  $M$ .

$$f = \frac{1}{z^n} + ? \quad (\text{tool: Hodge decomposition})$$

$\vartheta: \mathcal{C}^\infty$  on  $D_a$

$$\vartheta = \frac{1}{z^n} + (\dots) \quad \text{in } \{z \mid \frac{a}{2} \leq z < a\}$$

some modification, explain later

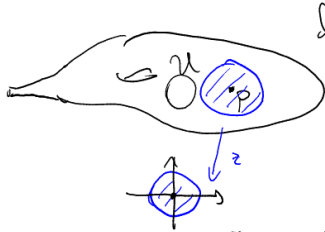
$$\Rightarrow d\vartheta \in L^2(D_a) \subset L^2(M)$$

extend by 0

Hodge decomposition of  $d\vartheta$ ?

not  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ , cpt-supp  $\Rightarrow d\vartheta$  may not be in  $E$

try to analyze its  $E$ -component



Lemma  $\theta$ : smooth on  $\{ |z| < a \}$  . harmonic on  $\{ \frac{a}{2} < |z| < a \}$   
 (extension lemma)  $*d\theta = 0$  on  $\{ |z| = a \}$

(in the sense of  $\lim_{\rho \rightarrow a^-} *d\theta|_{|z|=\rho} = 0$ )

$$d\theta \in L^2(\{ |z| < a \})$$

Regard  $d\theta$  as an element in  $L^2(M)$  ,  $d\theta = \alpha + \omega \in E \oplus (E^* \oplus H)$

Then,  $\alpha = df$  ,  $f$ : smooth , harmonic on  $M \setminus \{ |z| \leq \frac{a}{2} \}$   
 and  $f - \theta$  is harmonic on  $\{ |z| < a \}$

pf:  $0^\circ$   $U$ : a coordinate disk  
 with  $w = u + iv$

$$\alpha|_U = p du + q dv$$

$\rho = C^\infty$ -real-valued,  $\text{supp } \rho \subset U$

$\Rightarrow \iint \rho \Delta \rho = ?$  relate it to  $\theta$

$E \xrightarrow{\text{orthogonal}} E^*$

$$\iint \rho (\rho_{uu} + \rho_{vv}) du dv = (\alpha, (\rho_{uu} + \rho_{vv}) du) = (\alpha, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u}) - *d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial v}))$$

By the similar trick for proving  $H = \{ \text{harmonic differentials} \}$ ,  
 write  $\rho_{uu} du + \rho_{vv} du = d(\rho_u) - \rho_{uv} dv + \rho_{vv} du = d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u}) - *d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial v})$

$$= (\alpha, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u})) = (\alpha + \omega, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u})) = (d\theta, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u}))$$

$\underbrace{\alpha}_{\in E}$   
 $\underbrace{\omega}_{\in E}$

Similarly,  $\iint \rho \Delta \rho = (d\theta, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial v}))$

$1^\circ$  if  $U \subset M \setminus \{ |z| \leq \frac{a}{2} \}$

$$\iint_U \rho \Delta \rho = (d\theta, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial u}))|_U = (d\theta, d\varphi)|_{D_{\frac{a}{2}}} + (d\theta, d\varphi)|_{D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}}} + (d\theta, d\varphi)|_{M \setminus D_a}$$

$$(d\theta, d\varphi)|_{D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}}} = \iint_{D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}}} d\theta \wedge *d\varphi = -\iint_{D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}}} *d\theta \wedge d\varphi$$

$\downarrow$   
 $D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}} \rightarrow a^-$

$\downarrow$   
 $M \setminus D_a \rightarrow a^+$

$$= \iint_{D_a \setminus D_{\frac{a}{2}}} d(*d\theta)\varphi - (d*d\theta)\varphi$$

$\theta$ : harmonic

$$= \int_{\partial D_a} (*d\theta)\varphi - \int_{\partial D_{\frac{a}{2}}} (*d\theta)\varphi$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow a^-} *d\theta|_{\partial D_r} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \iint_U \rho \Delta \rho = 0$$
 , Similarly  $\iint_U \rho \Delta \rho = 0$

$\forall \rho = C^\infty$ ,  $\text{supp } \rho \subset U$

By Weyl's lemma,  $p, q = C^\infty$  & harmonic on  $U$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = C^\infty \Rightarrow \text{closed on } U \subset M \setminus \{ |z| < \frac{a}{2} \}$$

Hodge on  $U$

$2^\circ$  Study  $\alpha$  on  $D_a = \{ |z| < a \}$

Take any  $\rho = C^\infty$ ,  $\text{supp } \rho \subset D_a = \{ |z| < a \}$

$$\iint_{D_a} \rho \Delta \rho = (d\theta, d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial x})) = \iint_{D_a} (\partial_x \rho_{xx} + \partial_y \rho_{xy}) dx dy$$

$$0 = (d\theta, -*d(\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial y})) = \iint_{D_a} (\partial_x \rho_{yy} - \partial_y \rho_{xy}) dx dy$$

$$\Rightarrow \iint_{D_a} (\rho - \partial_x) \Delta \rho = 0 \Rightarrow \rho - \partial_x \text{ is harmonic on } D_a$$

Similarly,  $\rho - \partial_y$  is harmonic on  $D_a$

$d\theta = \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} dy$   
 $*d\theta = -\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y} dx + \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} dy$   
 on  $\partial D_r$   $x = r \cos t$ ,  $y = r \sin t$   
 $dx = -r \sin t dt$ ,  $dy = r \cos t dt$   
 $*d\theta|_{\partial D_r} = (x \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial y})|_{\partial D_r} dt$   
 chain rule  $(r \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial r})|_{\partial D_r} dt$   
 $= (\frac{\partial \theta}{\partial n}) r dt = \frac{\partial \theta}{\partial n} ds$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \text{ is } \mathcal{E}^\infty \text{ on } D_a \Rightarrow \text{closed on } D_a$$

3° It follows that  $\alpha$  is  $\mathcal{E}^\infty$  on  $M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2} \cup D_a = M$

Since  $\alpha \perp_L = \{ \mathcal{E}^\infty \text{ 1-form, co-closed } (*d=0), \text{cpt-supp} \}$ ,  $\alpha = df$   
 $f: \mathcal{E}^\infty$

harmonicity of  $f$ ?  $\Leftrightarrow$  harmonicity of  $\alpha$

• on  $M \setminus D_{a/2}$ ,  $\alpha|_{M \setminus D_{a/2}} \perp E^*$  (over  $M \setminus D_{a/2}$ )

$$\rho: \mathcal{E}^\infty, \text{supp} \subset M \setminus D_{a/2}, (\alpha, d\rho)_{M \setminus D_{a/2}} = (\alpha, d\rho)_M = (\alpha + \omega, d\rho)_M = (d\theta, d\rho)_M = (d\theta, d\rho)_{D_a \setminus D_{a/2}} = 0$$

• on  $D_a$ ,  $d(\theta - f) = d\theta - \alpha = \omega \in E^*$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \mathcal{E}^\infty \text{ on } D_a$$

Similarly,  $(d\rho, \omega) = 0 \quad \forall \rho = \mathcal{E}^\infty, \text{supp} \rho \subset D_a$

$$= \int d\rho \wedge * \bar{\omega} \Rightarrow d * \omega = 0 \Rightarrow d * d(\theta - f) = 0 \quad *$$

same argument as in  $\mathbb{I}^0$

Now, consider  $h = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{z^n} + \frac{\bar{z}^n}{a^{2n}} & \text{if } |z| < a \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases} \rightsquigarrow \theta = \begin{cases} h(z) & |z| \geq \frac{a}{2} \\ \mathcal{E}^\infty & |z| < a \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow$  By applying the extension lemma to  $\theta$ ,

we get  $f: \mathcal{E}^\infty$  on  $M$ . harmonic on  $M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$

also harmonic, makes

$$*dh|_{\partial D_a} = 0 = *d\theta|_{\partial D_a}$$

Consider  $u = h - \theta + f$

on  $M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$ ,  $u = \cancel{h} - \theta + f$  : harmonic

on  $D_a$ ,  $u = h + (f - \theta)$  : harmonic



# summary: criteria for closedness, coclosedness, exactness

i)  $\alpha \in \mathcal{E}^\perp \iff d\alpha|_U = 0 \iff \iint (d\alpha) f = 0 \quad \forall f: \mathcal{E}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp}, \text{supp } f \subset U$

$\iff \iint \alpha \wedge df = 0 \iff (\alpha, *df) = 0$

ii)  $d*\alpha|_U = 0 \iff (*\alpha, *df) = 0 \iff (\alpha, df) = 0$

easy to check part.  $\alpha \in \mathcal{E}^\perp$  (regularity)

iii)  $\alpha = df$  then  $(\alpha, \beta) = (df, \beta) = \iint df \wedge *\beta = -\iint f d*\beta = 0$  if  $d*\beta = 0$

also true by Poincaré dual construction

In particular, if  $\alpha \in E$  and  $\mathcal{E}^\infty \ni \alpha = df$   
 (Since  $E = \{dg\} \quad g: \mathcal{E}^\infty, \text{cpt-supp} \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \Rightarrow E \perp \beta \quad \forall \beta \text{ as above}$ )

## extension lemma



$\theta: \mathcal{E}^\infty$  on  $D_a$ ,  $0$  on  $M \setminus \bar{D}_a$ , harmonic in  $D_a \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$   
 $*d\theta|_{\partial D_a} = 0, \quad d\theta \in L^2(M)$

Write  $d\theta = \alpha + \omega$  Then  $\begin{cases} \alpha = df & f: \mathcal{E}^\infty \iff \alpha \in \mathcal{E}^\infty \\ \omega \in H \oplus E^* \end{cases}$   
 $\rightarrow f: \text{harmonic in } M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$   
 $\rightarrow f - \theta: \text{harmonic in } D_a$

key:  $\alpha \in \mathcal{E}^\infty \iff$  by Weyl's lemma  $d\rho \in E$  similar as last time

$d*\alpha|_{M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}} \neq 0 \iff (\alpha, d\rho) = (d\theta, d\rho) = \int_{\partial D_a} \rho *d\theta = 0$   
 $\text{supp } \rho \subset M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$

$d*(d\theta - \alpha)|_{D_a} \neq 0 \iff (d\theta - \alpha, d\rho) = (\omega, d\rho) = 0$   
 $\text{supp } \rho \subset D_a$

think more about the domain

## the condition $*dh = 0$ on $\partial D_a$



$*dh|_{\partial D_a} = \frac{\partial h}{\partial n}|_{\partial D_a} ds (= \frac{\partial h}{\partial r}|_{r=a} \cdot r d\theta) \quad z = re^{i\theta}$

How to make it zero? Consider the reflection  $z \mapsto \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}}$

Given  $f(z)$ , consider  $f(z) + f(\frac{a^2}{\bar{z}})$

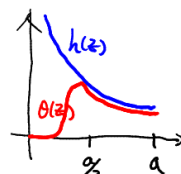
at  $r=a$   $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z} e^{i\theta} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}} e^{-i\theta} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \frac{a^2}{a^2} e^{i\theta} - \frac{\partial f}{\partial \bar{z}} \frac{a^2}{a^2} e^{-i\theta} = 0$  identity on  $\partial D_a$



Consider  $h(z) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{z^n} + \frac{\bar{z}^n}{a^{2n}} & z \in D_a \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$\theta(z) = \begin{cases} h(z) & z \in M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2} \\ \mathcal{E}^\infty & z \in D_a \end{cases}$

rough picture



$\leadsto f$ : the function given by the extension lemma

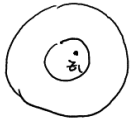
$\Rightarrow u = h - \theta + f: \mathcal{E}^\infty$  and harmonic on  $M \setminus P$

examine it on  $M \setminus \bar{D}_{a/2}$  and  $D_a$

near  $p$ ,  $u = \frac{1}{z^n} + (\text{smooth})$

What about  $\log |z|$ ? ( $\log |z|$  = harmonic on  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$ )

$$\log |z| + \log \left| \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}} \right| = \log a^2 = \text{constant} : \text{not useful}$$

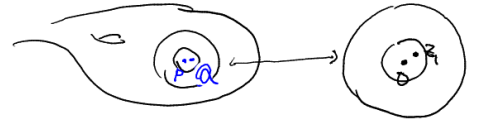


choose any  $z_1 \in D_{a/2} \setminus \{0\}$

$$\log |z - z_1| + \log \left| \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}} - z_1 \right| = \log \left| \frac{1}{z} (z - z_1) \left( z - \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}_1} \right) \right| + \log |z|$$

$$\left( \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}} - z_1 \right) = \frac{a^2 - \bar{z}_1 z}{\bar{z}} = -\bar{z}_1 \frac{1}{z} \left( z - \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}_1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow h(z) = \begin{cases} \log \left| \frac{1}{z} (z - z_1) \left( z - \frac{a^2}{\bar{z}_1} \right) \right| & z \in D_a \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



**[HW]** if  $f$ : holomorphic (or anti-holomorphic)  $\Rightarrow \log |f|$  is harmonic on where  $f \neq 0$

By the same construction as above,  $u = h - \theta + f$  is harmonic on  $M \setminus \{P, Q\}$

$$\text{and } \begin{cases} u = -\log |z| + (\mathcal{O}^\infty) \text{ near } P \\ u = \log |w| + (\mathcal{O}^\infty) \text{ near } Q \end{cases}$$

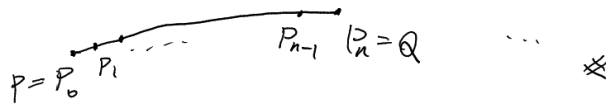
we will see why it is the case momentarily  $\rightarrow$  coordinate on a neighborhood of  $Q$ , such that  $w(Q) = 0$   
in fact,  $w = z - z_1$  would do the job

prop Given any  $P, Q \in M$ .

$\exists u$ : harmonic on  $M \setminus \{P, Q\}$ ,

$$\text{and } u = \begin{cases} -\log |z| + (\mathcal{O}^\infty) & \text{on a neighborhood of } P \\ \log |w| + (\mathcal{O}^\infty) & \text{on a neighborhood of } Q \end{cases}$$

pf: as above



## meromorphic differential & meromorphic function [FK, § II.5]

defn a meromorphic differential (abelian differential) is

$f(z) dz$  on each coordinate chart (of course, must obey the transition rule)  
 $\rightarrow$  meromorphic function

$u$ : harmonic function  $v$ : conjugate harmonic

$$\Rightarrow u + iv = \text{holomorphic} \Rightarrow du + i dv = du + i * du : \text{holomorphic differential}$$

In general, given a harmonic differential  $\alpha$ ,

$$\alpha + i * \alpha \text{ is a holomorphic differential}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \alpha = g dz + h d\bar{z} \quad \text{harmonic} \Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial g}{\partial \bar{z}} = 0 = \frac{\partial h}{\partial z} \\ * \alpha = -i g dz + i h d\bar{z} \quad \Rightarrow \alpha + i * \alpha = 2g dz \end{array} \right)$$

By taking  $\alpha = du$  with  $u$  given by the previous discussions:

prop i)  $\forall P \in M$ ,  $\exists$  meromorphic differential which is holomorphic on  $M \setminus \{P\}$  and has singularity  $\frac{1}{z^{n+1}}$  at  $P$

ii)  $\forall P, Q \in M$ ,  $P \neq Q$ ,  $\exists$  meromorphic differential which is holomorphic on  $M \setminus \{P, Q\}$ , has singularity  $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{z} & \text{at } P \\ \frac{1}{w} & \text{at } Q \end{cases}$

e.g. on  $\hat{\mathbb{C}} = \mathbb{C} \cup \{\infty\}$   $\frac{1}{z} dz = w d(\frac{1}{w}) = -\frac{1}{w} dw$ ,  $P = \infty$ ,  $Q = 0$

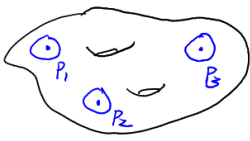
For a meromorphic differential  $\omega$ , we can also consider its order and residue.

$\omega = f(z) dz$   $\text{ord}_p \omega := \text{ord}_0 f$   
 $z(p)=0$   $\text{Res}_p \omega = \text{res}_0 f$  : the  $z^{-1}$ -coefficient in the Laurent expansion  
 $= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_\gamma \omega$   $\gamma$ : any small circle around  $p$   
 [easy to check they are well-defined: independent of the choice of holomorphic coordinate]

Prop  $M$ : compact,  $\omega$ : meromorphic differential

Then,  $\sum_{p \in M} \text{Res}_p \omega = 0$

pf:



For each singularity  $P_j$ , choose a small open disk  $U_j$   $\omega$  is holomorphic here  
 $\sum_j \text{Res}_{P_j} \omega = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \sum_j \int_{\partial U_j} \omega = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial(M \setminus \cup_j U_j)} \omega = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \iint_{M \setminus \cup_j U_j} d\omega = 0$   
 (orientation)

existence

← not required to be compact

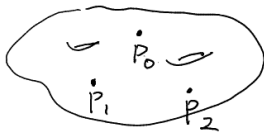
thm  $P_1, \dots, P_k$ : distinct points on  $M$ .

Given any  $c_j \in \mathbb{C}$  with  $\sum_{j=1}^k c_j = 0$ .  $\exists$  meromorphic differential  $\omega$  on  $M$  with only singularities are  $P_j$ , each of order 1, and  $\text{res}_{P_j} \omega = c_j$

pf: Fix  $P_0 \in M$ , other than  $P_j$ 's  
 $\exists \omega_j = \begin{cases} (-\frac{1}{z} + \dots) dz & \text{near } P_0 \\ (\frac{1}{w} + \dots) dw & \text{near } P_j \end{cases} \Rightarrow \sum_{j=1}^k c_j \omega_j$  satisfies the desired property.

thm any Riemann surface  $M$  admits a nontrivial meromorphic function

pf:



$\exists \omega_1 = \begin{cases} (-\frac{1}{z} + \dots) dz & \text{near } P_0 \\ (\frac{1}{w} + \dots) dw & \text{near } P_1 \end{cases}$   
 $\omega_2 = \begin{cases} (-\frac{1}{z} + \dots) dz & \text{near } P_0 \\ (\frac{1}{z} + \dots) dz & \text{near } P_2 \end{cases}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}$  is a well-defined meromorphic function on  $M$   
 $(P_1: \text{pole}, P_2: \text{zero})$

\* might have other poles and zeros