

Algebraic Dimension of Complex Nilmanifolds

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Definition and properties

Definition

(M, J) compact complex manifold.

The **algebraic dimension** $a(M)$ is the transcendence degree of its field of meromorphic functions.

- $a(M) = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} M$ if M is **projective algebraic**.
- In general, $a(M) \leq \dim_{\mathbb{C}} M$.
- $a(M)$ is computed for tori and twistor spaces of ASD manifolds.

Main problem

A **nilmanifold** M is a compact quotient $\Gamma \backslash G$ of a real **nilpotent** Lie group G by a discrete subgroup Γ .

By **complex nilmanifold** we will mean a nilmanifold endowed with an **invariant complex** structure I .

Problem

Study the algebraic dimension $a(M)$ of a complex nilmanifold.

We will prove that

$$a(M) \leq \dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M),$$

where $\mathfrak{H}^1(M)$ is the space of holomorphic differentials, i.e. of closed holomorphic 1-forms.

Algebraic Reduction

Let X be a complex manifold, and $\varphi : X \dashrightarrow \mathbb{C}^N$ a meromorphic map defined by generators of the field of meromorphic functions.

An **algebraic reduction** of X is a compactification of $\varphi(X)$ in $\mathbb{C}P^N \supset \mathbb{C}^N$.

It is known to be a **compact algebraic** variety [Ueno; Campana].

Remark

The map φ is defined for more general spaces X .

For smooth manifolds we'll use the following

Definition

M **compact complex manifold** $\Rightarrow \exists$ a smooth projective manifold X , a rational map $\varphi: M \dashrightarrow X$ and a diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & X' & \\
 a \swarrow & & \searrow b \\
 M & \dashrightarrow & X \\
 & \varphi &
 \end{array}$$

where X' is smooth and the top two arrows are proper holomorphic maps with a a **proper bimeromorphic modification**, such that the corresponding fields $\text{Mer}(M) = \text{Mer}(X)$. The map $\varphi: M \dashrightarrow X$ is the **algebraic reduction** of M .

Currents

Definition

A positive closed $(1,1)$ -current T on a complex manifold is said to have **analytic singularities** if locally $T = \theta + dd^c \phi$ for a smooth form θ and a plurisubharmonic function $\phi = c \log(|f_1|^2 + \dots + |f_n|^2)$ where f_1, \dots, f_n are analytic functions and c a constant.

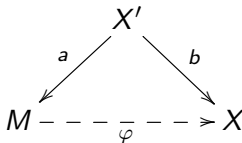
Such currents have a decomposition into **absolutely continuous** and singular part, where the absolutely continuous part is **positive** and **closed**.

Kähler rank

Definition

Let M be a complex manifold. The **Kähler rank** $k(M)$ is the maximal rank of the absolutely continuous part of a positive, closed $(1,1)$ -current on M with analytic singularities.

Given a compact complex manifold, let $\varphi : M \dashrightarrow X$ be the algebraic reduction of M :



Definition

Let η be a positive $(1, 1)$ -form on X . The current T_η induced by η on M is defined as $a_*b^*\eta$.

Remark

- Since pushforward of a form is a current, T_η is a **current**, and not a form.
- Since a is one-to-one everywhere, except on an analytic set $E \subset X'$, the current $T_\eta = a_*b^*\eta$ is **smooth outside of E** .
- The positivity and closedness are preserved, as well as the rank in a general point.

If η is closed and positive, then T_η has **analytic singularities**.

Link between the algebraic dimension and Kähler rank

Proposition

Let M be a complex variety. Then the algebraic dimension is bounded by the Kähler rank:

$$a(M) \leq k(M).$$

Proof.

Let $\varphi : M \dashrightarrow X$ be the algebraic reduction map. Pullback of a Kähler form from X to M is a current of rank $\dim X$ at all points where it is absolutely continuous. □

Averaging of differential forms

Let $M = \Gamma \backslash G$ be a **compact nilmanifold** and ν a volume element on M induced by the Haar measure on the Lie group G [Milnor]. After a rescaling, we can suppose that M has volume 1.

Remark

The Haar measure on G is bi-invariant, because G admits a lattice, and any Lie group admitting a lattice is unimodular.

Given any covariant k -tensor field $T : TM \times \dots \times TM \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^\infty(M)$, one can define

$$T_{inv} : \mathfrak{g} \times \dots \times \mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$
$$T_{inv}(x_1, \dots, x_k) = \int_{p \in M} T_p(x_1|_p, \dots, x_k|_p) \nu.$$

- $T_{inv} = T$ if T comes from a **left-invariant** one.
- If $\alpha \in \Omega^k(M)$, then $(d\alpha)_{inv} = d(\alpha_{inv})$ and $(\alpha_{inv} \wedge \beta)_{inv} = \alpha_{inv} \wedge \beta_{inv}$ [Belgun].

Definition

We call the map $A_V : (T^*)^{\otimes k} \rightarrow (\mathfrak{g}^*)^{\otimes k}$, $A_V(T) := T_{inv}$ **averaging** on a nilmanifold.

- The averaging defines a linear map $\tilde{\nu} : \Omega^k(M) \rightarrow \Lambda^k \mathfrak{g}^*$, defined by $\tilde{\nu}(\alpha) = \alpha_{inv}$, which commutes with the differentials.
- By Nomizu theorem $\tilde{\nu}$ induces an isomorphism $H^k(M) \rightarrow H^k(\mathfrak{g})$. In particular, every closed k -form α on M is cohomologous to the invariant k -form α_{inv} obtained by the averaging.

Holomorphic Differentials on nilmanifolds

By using the averaging we can show the following

Proposition

Let $(M = \Gamma \backslash G, I)$ be a complex nilmanifold and h a **holomorphic differential**. Then h is an **invariant** differential form.

Proof.

A holomorphic differential h is cohomologous to the invariant form h_{inv} obtained by the averaging process. Since I is invariant, h_{inv} has to be of type $(1,0)$ and thus $h = h_{inv}$. Indeed, closed $(1,0)$ -forms cannot be exact, because they are holomorphic, hence (if exact) equal to differentials of a global holomorphic function. □

Corollary

Let $M = \Gamma \backslash G$ be a *complex nilmanifold*, and $\mathfrak{H}^1(M)$ the space of holomorphic differentials. Then

$$\mathfrak{H}^1(M) = \left(\frac{\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathbb{C}}{\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1} \right)^*.$$

Proof.

Let h be a holomorphic differential. Since h is invariant, it can be identified with an element of $(\mathfrak{g} \otimes \mathbb{C})^*$. Moreover, $h = \alpha + iI\alpha$, with $\alpha \in \mathfrak{g}^*$, $d\alpha = 0$ and $d(I\alpha) = 0$. By the conditions

$$d\alpha(x, y) = -\alpha([x, y]) = 0, \quad d(I\alpha)(x, y) = \alpha(I[x, y]) = 0,$$

for every $x, y \in \mathfrak{g}$, we get $\alpha(\mathfrak{g}^1) = \alpha(I\mathfrak{g}^1) = 0$. □

Average of positive currents

We can extend the previous averaging to the positive current T_η induced by the algebraic reduction $\varphi : M = \Gamma \backslash G \rightarrow X$ from some Kähler form η on X .

Proposition

Let $M = \Gamma \backslash G$ compact and I invariant. Let T_η be the **positive, closed (1,1)-current induced** by the algebraic reduction $\varphi : M \rightarrow X$ from some Kähler form η on X .

The average $\text{Av}(T_\eta)$ is a **semipositive, closed, G -invariant differential form**, and $\text{rank}(\text{Av}(T_\eta)) \geq \text{rank}$ of the absolutely continuous part of T_η .

Proof.

If X and Y are left-invariant, then $T_\eta(X, Y)$ is a measurable function when we consider T_η as a form with distributional coefficients in local coordinates.

$\Rightarrow \text{Av}(T_\eta)$ is well defined and it is a closed invariant $(1, 1)$ -form.

By definition $\text{Av}(T_\eta)(X, IX) = 0 \iff T_p(X|_p, IX|_p) = 0$ for almost all $p \in M$.

So $X \in \text{Kernel}(\text{Av}(T_\eta))$ only if X is in the kernel of T_p for almost all p . □

Remark

- As a corollary we obtain that if such space admits a **Kähler current**, it is **Kähler**.
- In particular from a result by Demailly and Paun it follows that such spaces are never in Fujiki's class \mathcal{C} .

Note that the proof of this fact by Demailly-Paun uses also the Kähler current arising from the pull-back of a Kähler form.

Positive (1,1) forms on a nilpotent Lie algebra

Definition

A **semipositive Hermitian form** on (\mathfrak{g}, I) is a real form $\eta \in \Lambda^2(\mathfrak{g}^*)$ which is **I -invariant** (that is, of Hodge type (1,1)) and satisfies **$\eta(x, Ix) \geq 0$** for each $x \in \mathfrak{g}$. It is called **positive definite Hermitian** if this inequality is strict for all $x \neq 0$.

Definition

A subalgebra $\mathfrak{a} \subset \mathfrak{g}$ is called **holomorphic** if $I(\mathfrak{a}) = \mathfrak{a}$ and $[\mathfrak{g}^{0,1}, \mathfrak{a}^{1,0}]^{1,0} \subset \mathfrak{a}^{1,0}$.

Relation with foliations

Proposition

Let $\mathfrak{a} \subset \mathfrak{g}$ be a vector subspace, and $B := \mathfrak{a} \cdot G$ the corresponding left-invariant sub-bundle in TG . Then

- B is **involutive** (that is, Frobenius integrable) iff \mathfrak{a} is a **Lie subalgebra** of \mathfrak{g} .
- B is a **holomorphic sub-bundle** iff \mathfrak{a} is a **holomorphic subalgebra**.

Proof.

Let $x, y \in \mathfrak{a}$ and denote by the same letters the corresponding left-invariant vector fields. Clearly, B is involutive if and only if \mathfrak{a} is a Lie subalgebra of \mathfrak{g} . Similarly we have that B is holomorphic if $[x + ilx, y - ily] \in \mathfrak{a}^{1,0}$, for every $x \in \mathfrak{g}$ and $y \in \mathfrak{a}$. □

Remark

- $V = \mathfrak{g}^{(1,0)} + \mathfrak{a}^{(0,1)}$ is involutive iff \mathfrak{a} is holomorphic and $V + \overline{V} = \mathfrak{g}^c$. So V is an **elliptic structure** in the terminology of Jacobowitz, and it defines a **holomorphic foliation**.
- If V_1 and V_2 are two elliptic structures complex manifold, containing the $(1,0)$ tangent bundle, then $V_1 \cap V_2$ is also an elliptic structure.

Definition

Let η be a semipositive Hermitian form on (\mathfrak{g}, I) . The subspace

$$N(\eta) = \{x \in \mathfrak{g} \mid \eta(x, Ix) = 0\}$$

is called **the null-space** of η .

Proposition

The **nullspace**

$$N = \{x \in \mathfrak{g} \mid \iota_x \eta = 0\}$$

of a closed form $\eta \in \Lambda^r \mathfrak{g}^*$ is a **Lie subalgebra** of \mathfrak{g} .

Proof.

Take $x, y \in N$ and arbitrary vectors $z_1, \dots, z_{r-1} \in \mathfrak{g}$. Then, by Cartan's formula,

$d\eta(x, y, z_1, \dots, z_{r-1}) = \eta([x, y], z_1, \dots, z_{r-1}) = 0$, since the rest of the terms vanish, because $x, y \in N$. Therefore

$\eta([x, y], z_1, \dots, z_{r-1}) = 0$ for any $z_1, \dots, z_{r-1} \in \mathfrak{g}$, this means that $\iota_{[x, y]} \eta = 0$, i.e. $[x, y] \in N$. □

Theorem

Let η be a *semipositive Hermitian form* on a nilpotent Lie algebra (\mathfrak{g}, I) . If its *nullspace* $N(\eta)$ is a *holomorphic subalgebra*, then $N(\eta) \supseteq \mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$, where $\mathfrak{g}^1 = [\mathfrak{g}, \mathfrak{g}]$.

Proof Since $N(\eta) = \mathfrak{a}$ is holomorphic, we have

$$[y + iy, x - ix]^{1,0} \in \mathfrak{a}^{1,0}, \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{a}, \forall y \in \mathfrak{g}.$$

By using the integrability of I , the previous condition becomes

$$\eta([y, x], z) = -\eta(I[y, x], z), \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{a}, \forall y, z \in \mathfrak{g}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \eta([y, x], I[y, x]) = -\eta([x, Iy], [x, y]), \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{a}, \forall y \in \mathfrak{g}.$$

By $d\eta = 0$, one gets

$$\eta([y, x], l[y, x]) = -\eta(ad_x^2(y), ly), \quad \forall x \in \mathfrak{a}, \forall y \in \mathfrak{g}. \quad (*)$$

By using (*) it is possible to show that \mathfrak{a} is an ideal of \mathfrak{g} .

Since η is a semipositive (1,1)-form and \mathfrak{a} is its null-space, the relation $\eta([y, x], l[y, x]) = 0$ implies that $[x, y] \in \mathfrak{a}$.

Therefore, it is sufficient to show that $[x, [x, y]] \in \mathfrak{a}$ for any $x \in \mathfrak{a}$, i.e. that $[\mathfrak{a}, \mathfrak{g}^1] \subset \mathfrak{a}$.

Since \mathfrak{g} is nilpotent there exists s such that $\mathfrak{g}^s = \{0\}$ and $\mathfrak{g}^{s-1} \neq \{0\}$ and we have the descending series of ideals

$$\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}^0 \supset \mathfrak{g}^1 \supset \dots \supset \mathfrak{g}^i \supset \mathfrak{g}^{i+1} \supset \dots \supset \mathfrak{g}^{s-1} \supset \mathfrak{g}^s = \{0\}.$$

One can prove that $[\mathfrak{a}, \mathfrak{g}^1] \subset \mathfrak{a}$ by induction on i .

Consequently, $\mathfrak{a} = N(\eta)$ is an ideal of \mathfrak{g} and η induces a Kähler form on the nilpotent Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{a}$.

By Benson-Gordon result, the Kähler nilpotent Lie algebra $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{a}$ has to be abelian. Therefore $\mathfrak{g}^1 \subset \mathfrak{a}$.

Since η is $(1,1)$ -form, its null-space \mathfrak{a} is l -invariant, hence \mathfrak{a} contains $\mathfrak{g}^1 + l\mathfrak{g}^1$. \square

Null-space foliation

Proposition

Let T be a **positive closed (1,1)-current** on a nilmanifold $M = G/\Gamma$, and \mathcal{F} the **null-space foliation** of its **absolutely continuous part**. Then the sub-bundle associated with \mathcal{F} contains a homogeneous sub-bundle Σ obtained by left translates of $\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$.

Proof.

Let A_V be the averaging map. The nullspace of the form $A_V(T)$ is contained in the intersection of all left translates of \mathcal{F} , hence the nullspace of $A_V(T)$ is also holomorphic. Then, since by previous theorem the null space of a semipositive Hermitian form on (\mathfrak{g}, I) contains $\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$, $N(A_V(T))$ contains $\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$. \square

Main results and consequences

Theorem

Let $(M = G/\Gamma, I)$ be a *complex nilmanifold*, and Σ be a *foliation obtained by left translates of $\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$* . Then all *meromorphic functions* on M are *constant* on the *leaves* of Σ .

Proof.

Let $M \rightarrow X$ be the algebraic reduction map and η the pullback of the Kähler form on X . Averaging transforms η into an invariant, closed, semipositive form. Then η vanishes on Σ by previous Proposition. □

Relation with holomorphic differentials

Theorem

Let M be a **complex nilmanifold**, $\mathfrak{H}^1(M)$ the space of holomorphic differentials on M , and $a(M)$ its algebraic dimension. Then

$$a(M) \leq \dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M).$$

Proof.

Let $M = \Gamma \backslash G$ be a nilmanifold, and $\varphi : M \dashrightarrow X$ the algebraic reduction map. The pullback $\varphi^* \omega_X$ of a Kähler form ω_X is a current T on M . By previous results the rank of the absolutely continuous part of T is no greater than

$$\dim \frac{\mathfrak{g}}{\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1} = \dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M).$$

Relation with Kähler rank

Theorem

Let (M, I) be a *complex nilmanifold*. Then $k(M) = \dim \mathfrak{h}^1(M)$.

Proof.

Consider the projection $\mathfrak{g} \rightarrow \mathfrak{a}$, where $\mathfrak{a} = \frac{\mathfrak{g}}{\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1}$. Since $\mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$ is I -invariant, \mathfrak{a} has a complex structure and this map is compatible with it. Since \mathfrak{a} is abelian, any 2-form on \mathfrak{a} is closed (and gives a closed 2-form on the corresponding Lie group). Taking a positive definite Hermitian form, we obtain a positive current of rank $\dim \mathfrak{a} = \mathfrak{h}^1(M)$ on M . There are no currents with greater rank by the previous proposition. \square

Corollary

Let $(M = \Gamma \backslash G, I)$ be a **complex nilmanifold**. Denote by \mathfrak{h}_1 a **smallest I -invariant rational subspace** of \mathfrak{g} containing $\mathfrak{h} := \mathfrak{g}^1 + I\mathfrak{g}^1$. Let T be a complex torus obtained as quotient of $\mathfrak{g}/\mathfrak{h}_1$ by its integer lattice. Then any **meromorphic map** to a Kähler manifold is **factorized** through the holomorphic projection $\Psi : M \rightarrow T$.

Proof.

Let $\psi : M \dashrightarrow X$ be a meromorphic map to a Kähler (X, ω) . For general $x \in X$, the zero space of the positive closed current $\psi^* \omega$ contains \mathfrak{h} , hence the fibers $F_x := \psi^{-1}(x)$ are tangent to \mathfrak{h} . The smallest compact complex subvariety of M containing a leaf of the foliation associated with \mathfrak{h} is the corresponding leaf of \mathfrak{h}_1 . Passing to the closures of the leaves of \mathfrak{h} , we obtain that F_x contain leaves of \mathfrak{h}_1 . However, T is the leaf space of \mathfrak{h}_1 . □

Relation with Albanese map

For a general compact complex manifold X , the **Albanese variety** $\text{Alb}(X)$ is defined as the quotient of the dual space of the space of holomorphic differentials $H^0(X, d\mathcal{O})^*$ by the minimal closed complex subgroup containing the image of $H_1(X, \mathbb{Z})$ under the map

$$H_1(X, \mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow H_1(X, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow H^0(X, d\mathcal{O})^*.$$

\Rightarrow For a complex nilmanifold (M, I)

$$\text{Alb}(M) = \frac{H^0(M, d\mathcal{O})^*/p(\mathfrak{h}_1)}{\text{im}(H_1(M, \mathbb{Z}) \rightarrow H^0(M, d\mathcal{O})^*)/p(\mathfrak{h}_1)} = T,$$

[Rollenske]

$\Rightarrow T = \text{Alb}(M)$ and $a(M) = a(\text{Alb}(M))$.

Examples

2-dimensional complex nilmanifolds are either tori or primary Kodaira surfaces \Rightarrow their algebraic dimension is known.

Problem

Study the algebraic dimension of *3-dimensional complex nilmanifolds*.

Many complex nilmanifolds admit holomorphic fibrations.
We will use

Remark

In general if a complex manifold M is the total space of a holomorphic fibration $\pi : M \rightarrow B$ we always have the inequality

$$a(M) \geq a(B).$$

Complex 2-tori

Following Birkenhake and Lange's description:

Let $T^4 = \mathbb{R}^4/\mathbb{Z}^4$ and $J = \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix}$ with B nondegenerate.

If $X = \mathbb{C}^2/(\tau, Id_2)\mathbb{Z}^4$ is a complex tori defined by a complex 2×2 matrix τ , then the complex structure J_τ on T^4 such that $X \cong (T^4, J_\tau)$ as complex manifold is given by

$$J_\tau = \begin{pmatrix} y^{-1}x & y^{-1} \\ -y - xy^{-1}x & -xy^{-1} \end{pmatrix},$$

where $x = \operatorname{Re}(\tau)$ and $y = \operatorname{Im}(\tau)$. Reversing the construction

$$J \longrightarrow \tau_J = B^{-1}A + iB^{-1}.$$

In terms of a **basis of $(1, 0)$ -forms**:

if J_0 is a fixed complex structure and $\omega_j = e_j + iJ_0 e_j$, $j = 1, 2$ is a basis of $(1, 0)$ -forms for J_0 , we define another complex structure J

$$\alpha_1 = \omega_1 + a\bar{\omega}_1 + b\bar{\omega}_2, \quad \alpha_2 = \omega_2 + c\bar{\omega}_1 + d\bar{\omega}_2$$

If $X = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = X_1 + iX_2$, then

$$J = \begin{pmatrix} Id + X_1 & X_2 \\ X_2 & Id - X_1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & Id \\ -Id & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Id + X_1 & X_2 \\ X_2 & Id - X_1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let τ_{ij} be the components of τ_J and

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a & b & c \\ -a & 0 & d & e \\ -b & -d & 0 & f \\ -c & -e & -f & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in M_4(\mathbb{Z}).$$

Then the Neron-Severi group $NS(J)$ of J is given by

$$NS(J) = \{E \in M_4(\mathbb{Z}) \mid a + d\tau_{11} - b\tau_{12} + f\tau_{21} - c\tau_{22} + e \det(\tau) = 0\}.$$

\Rightarrow The algebraic dimension of (T^4, J) is determined by

$$a(T^4, J) = \frac{1}{2} \max\{\text{rank}(J^t E) \mid E \in NS(J), J^t E \geq 0\}.$$

Remark

- Not all complex structures are described in this way - we have the non-degeneracy condition on B which is required for (τ, Id_2) to be a period matrix. It is well known that $a(T^4, J)$ could be any of 0, 1 or 2.
- **Generically $a(T^4, J) = 0$.** One has $a(T^4, J) = 1$ exactly when the torus admits a period matrix (τ, Id_2) with

$$\tau = \begin{pmatrix} \tau_1 & \alpha \\ 0 & \tau_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha \notin (\tau_1, 1)M_2(\mathbb{Q}) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \tau_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

In particular, if $X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sqrt{2} - i\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, then $a(T^4, J) = 1$.

3-dimensional complex nilmanifolds

Let J be a complex structure on a real 6-dimensional nilpotent \mathfrak{g}

(a) If J is **non nilpotent**, then \exists a basis of $(1,0)$ -forms (ω^j) s.t.

$$\begin{cases} d\omega^1 = 0, \\ d\omega^2 = E\omega^1 \wedge \omega^3 + \omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^3, \\ d\omega^3 = A\omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^1 + ib\omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^2 - ib\bar{E}\omega^2 \wedge \bar{\omega}^1, \end{cases}$$

where $A, E \in \mathbb{C}$ with $|E| = 1$ and $b \in \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$.

(b) If J is **nilpotent**, then \exists a basis of $(1,0)$ -forms (ω^j) s. t.

$$\begin{cases} d\omega^1 = 0, \\ d\omega^2 = \epsilon\omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^1, \\ d\omega^3 = \rho\omega^1 \wedge \omega^2 + (1 - \epsilon)A\omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^1 + B\omega^1 \wedge \bar{\omega}^2 \\ \quad + C\omega^2 \wedge \bar{\omega}^1 + (1 - \epsilon)D\omega^2 \wedge \bar{\omega}^2, \end{cases}$$

where $A, B, C, D \in \mathbb{C}$ and $\epsilon, \rho \in \{0, 1\}$.

If the real and imaginary parts of the cpx structure equations constants are rational, then G admits a lattice Γ and J is rational on $M = \Gamma \backslash G$.

If J is **non nilpotent**, we have that $\dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M) = 1 = a(M)$.

If J is **nilpotent**, we have the following cases:

(b1) $\dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M) = 1 = a(M)$ if $\epsilon = 1$ and $\rho^2 + |B|^2 + |C|^2 \neq 0$.

(b2) $G = Nil_3 \times \mathbb{R}^3$, $\dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M) = 2$ if $\epsilon = 1$ and $\rho = B = C = 0$.

(b3) $\dim \mathfrak{H}^1(M) = 2$ if $\epsilon = 0$.

In the case (b3): If $\rho^2 + |B|^2 + |C|^2 + |D|^2 \neq 0$, then $J\mathfrak{g}^1 = \mathfrak{g}^1$ is a **rational subalgebra** and $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} \mathfrak{g}^1 = 1$

$\Rightarrow M$ is the total space of a holomorphic fibre bundle over a complex torus \mathbb{T} of complex dimension 2.

Therefore, if \mathbb{T} is algebraic, then $a(M) = \dim \mathfrak{h}^1(M) = 2$.

An example of the case (b3) is the Iwasawa manifold $M = \Gamma \backslash G$, where

$$G = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & z_1 & z_3 \\ 0 & 1 & z_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mid z_i \in \mathbb{C} \right\}$$

and Γ is the lattice defined by taking z_i to be Gaussian integers.

- $\omega^1 = dz_1$, $\omega^2 = dz_2$, $\omega^3 = -dz_3 + z_1 dz_2$ are left-invariant on G .
- The projection $(z_1, z_2, z_3) \mapsto (z_1, z_2)$ induces a holomorphic $p : (M, J) \rightarrow (T^4, \hat{J})$

Proposition

For the invariant complex structures J on the **Iwasawa manifold** M we have $a(M) = a(T^4, \hat{J})$.

Proof.

From previous theorem any meromorphic function is constant on the fibers of the projection $M \rightarrow (T^4, \hat{J})$. This implies that $a(M) = a(T^4, \hat{J})$. □

\Rightarrow We can have algebraic dimension equal to 0, 1 or 2.

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