

Lecture I : The Shafarevich hyperbolicity conjecture

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"Using MMP to extend range of applicability of
Hodge theory"

- See arXiv: 1103.5630

§ 1 Shafarevich hyperbolicity

Thm (Arakelov / Parshin, Shafarevich, hyperbolicity conj. ICM '62)

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a proper, smooth family of curves, $g \geq 2$. If $Y \cong \mathbb{P}^1$, elliptic curve, \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{C}^* \Rightarrow all fibres are isomorphic.

Equiv. any morphism $Y \rightarrow (\text{Moduli stack of curves of genus } g)$ is constant if Y is ...

Recall: A complex manifold X is Brody-hyperbolic if any hol. map $\mathbb{C} \rightarrow X$ is constant.

Goal Understand idea of proof, extend results to higher dim.
fibres and higher-dimensional base manifolds.

§ 2 Idea of proof: overview

Assume $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is any family as in thm, not all fibres isomorphic.

Assume Y compact.

$p: Y \rightarrow M$ = moduli space the moduli map
 $y \mapsto [x_y]$

Two main steps

- ① Show that $f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes r}$ is ample, whenever non-zero.

Recall: E vector bundle on a curve C

not \Leftrightarrow any line bundle quotient has degree ≥ 0

ample \Leftrightarrow $\deg(E) > 0$

- ③ Show that $f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes 2}$ maps non-trivially into Ω_Y^1 .

§ 3 Part B

Recap: Kodaira - Spencer map

Given $y \in Y$, $F := f^{-1}(y)$

$$T_{\mathcal{M}}|_{[F]} \cong H^1(F, T_F)$$

Derivative of moduli map is $T_Y|_Y \rightarrow H^1(F, T_F)$

is constructed as follows ...

... doing this for all $y \in Y$ simultaneously, get

$$\exists: T_Y \rightarrow R^1 f_* (T_{X/Y})$$

$$\text{dual to } R^0 f_* (T_{X/Y}^* \otimes \omega_{X/Y}) = f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes 2}$$

... so get dual map

$$\exists^*: f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes 2} \longrightarrow \Omega_Y^1 \quad \text{if } Y \cong \mathbb{P}^1, \text{ this is } \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(-2), \text{ so negative}$$

§ 4 Part A

I will only show:

Proposition $f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes n}$ is locally free and nef for any $n > 0$

[That shows: any family over \mathbb{P}^1 is nontrivial]

Remark Positivity results for (higher) direct images have a long history

- Griffiths 1970: explicit curvature computation period domain
- Hodge metric computations [Fujita '77, Kawamata '81, Moriwaki, Fujino, Birndorfer, Mourougane, Takegoma ...]
- Vanishing theorems [Viehweg, Kollar, ...]

I sketch a proof of the Prop. following Viehweg

— see Viehweg's ICTP Lecture Notes.

Step 1 / central observation

Observation $\phi: W \rightarrow Z$ any smooth map of proj. manifolds, where
 Z a curve, \mathcal{X} any ample bundle on X , $z \in Z$ any point

$\Rightarrow f_*(\omega_{W/Z} \otimes \mathcal{X}) \otimes \omega_z \otimes \mathcal{O}_z(2z)$ is locally free, nf.

Idea of application: if $\mathcal{X} = \omega_{W/Z}$ were ample, then we'd be in business...

Proof Look at ideal sheaf sequence on W , write $F := \phi^{-1}(z)$

$$0 \rightarrow \underbrace{\omega_{W/Z} \otimes \mathcal{X}}_A \otimes \underbrace{\phi^*(\omega_z \otimes \mathcal{O}_z(2z))}_B \rightarrow \underbrace{\omega_{W/Z} \otimes \mathcal{X} \otimes \phi^*(\omega_z \otimes \mathcal{O}_z(2z))}_B \rightarrow \mathcal{B}|_F \rightarrow 0$$

Note $H^1(X, A) = H^1(X, \omega_W \otimes \text{ample} \otimes \text{nf}) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow H^0(X, B) \rightarrow H^0(F, \mathcal{B}|_F) \text{ surjective}$$

Note: $h^0(F, \mathcal{B}|_F)$ is independent of F

$\Rightarrow f_*(\mathcal{B})$ is locally free, glob. generated and in part. nf.

□

Crucial: Number 2 in Observation does not depend on anything.

Step 2 Given v , set

$$\mu := \min \{ \eta > 0 \mid f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes \eta} \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y((\eta \cdot v - 1) \cdot y) \text{ nef}\}$$

Then

$$f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes \nu} \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y((\mu \cdot v - 1) \cdot y) \text{ nef}$$

$$f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes \nu} \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y(\mu v \cdot y) \text{ ample}$$

Claim $\mathcal{L} := \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes \nu} \otimes f^* \mathcal{O}_Y(\mu(v-1) \cdot y)$ is ample

Proof of semi-ampness $\mathcal{L}^\nu = \underbrace{[\omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes \nu} \otimes f^* \mathcal{O}_Y(\mu(v-1) \cdot y)]}_{\mathcal{F}}^{\nu-1}$

Know: $f_* \mathcal{F}$ is ample, $Sym^m f_* \mathcal{F}$ is glob. gen. for $m > 0$

Look at map

$$f^* S_{\mathcal{F}}^m f_* \mathcal{F} = S_{\mathcal{F}}^m f_* f^* \mathcal{F} \longrightarrow S_{\mathcal{F}}^m \mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}^{\otimes m}$$

and use that $\mathcal{F}^{\otimes m}$ is basepoint-free on fibres. \square

Step 3

We know by Step 1 that

$$f_*(\omega_{X/Y} \otimes L) \otimes \omega_Y \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y(2_Y) \text{ is nef.}$$

We know more, set $X^{(n)} := \underbrace{X \times_Y \cdots \times_Y X}_{n \times Y} \xrightarrow{\pi_i} X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} f^{(n)} & \downarrow & \\ & & Y \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(n)} := \bigotimes \pi_i^*(L) \text{ is ample on } X^{(n)}$$

$$\text{Observe: } \omega_{X^{(n)}/Y} = \bigotimes \pi_i^*(\omega_{X/Y})$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} f_*^{(n)}(\omega_{X^{(n)}/Y} \otimes \mathcal{L}^{(n)}) \otimes \omega_Y \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y(2_Y) &\text{ is nef} \\ &\vdots \\ \left[f_*(\omega_{X/Y} \otimes L) \right]^n \otimes \omega_Y \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y(2_Y) \end{aligned}$$

Consequence

$$f_*(\omega_{X/Y} \otimes L) = f_*(\omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes p}) \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y(p(v-1)_Y) \text{ nef.}$$

In particular:

$$p \cdot (v-1) > (p-1) \cdot v - 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow p \cdot v - p > p \cdot v - v - 1$$

$v \geq p \iff$ universal bound on p that does not depend on anything!

Step 4 Now, assume $f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes v}$ was not nef, i.e. has negative quotient Q . Do a $10,000:1$ cover

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tilde{X} := X \times_Y \tilde{Y} & \longrightarrow & X \\ \tilde{f} \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \tilde{Y} & \xrightarrow[\text{10,000:1}]{} & Y \end{array}$$

Then

$\tilde{f}_* \omega_{\tilde{X}/\tilde{Y}}^{\otimes v} = g^* f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes v}$ has quotient $g^* Q$ of neg. degree $10,000 \cdot \deg Q$

But $\tilde{f}_* (\omega_{\tilde{X}/\tilde{Y}}^{\otimes v}) \otimes \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{Y}}(v(v-1) \cdot \tilde{Y})$ is nef \checkmark

□

§ 5 What needs to be done in general?

- In case Y compact, need to show $f_* \omega_{X/Y}^{\otimes n}$ is ample, not just nef.
 - better vanishing results: Kollar injectivity instead of Kodaira vanishing.
- In case Y non-compact: logarithmic differentials.

Covering tricks

- lead to singular spaces \rightarrow multiplier ideals
- lead to fractional divisors \rightarrow Kawamata-Viehweg vanishing.

Détour: logarithmic differentials

Setting: X complex manifold, $\mathcal{D} \subset X$ a simple-normal-crossing divisor

Then $T_X(-\log \mathcal{D})$... vector fields stab. \mathcal{D}

$\Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D})$... dual to that, log differentials

Alternate description:

- $\Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D}) =$ diff' forms σ with at most single pole at \mathcal{D}
s.t. $d\sigma \in \Omega_X^2 \otimes \mathcal{O}_X(\mathcal{D})$

- If $x_0 \dots x_n$, local coord. where $\mathcal{D} = \{x_0 \cdots x_k = 0\}$, then

$$\Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D}) = \left\langle \frac{1}{x_0} dx_0, \dots, \frac{1}{x_k} dx_k, dx_{k+1}, \dots, dx_{n+1} \right\rangle$$

Main properties:

- $\Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D})$ is locally free, $\det \Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D}) = K_X + \mathcal{D}$

- $X \rightarrow Y$ cover, \mathcal{D}_Y snc divisor on X s.t. $y^* \mathcal{D}_Y \subset \mathcal{D}_X$
 \mathcal{D}_Y snc divisor on Y
have pull-back $y^* \Omega_Y^1(\log \mathcal{D}_Y) \rightarrow \Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D}_X)$

- $\check{W} T$ a tensor operation $\Rightarrow h^*(X, T \Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D}))$
is an invariant of $X \setminus \mathcal{D}$.

In particular, can define Kodaira dimension for quasi-proj. manifolds.

- Hodge theory works with $\Omega_X^1(\log \mathcal{D})$. Have Hodge-deRham spectral sequences, decomposition etc.

- Any global form $\sigma \in H^0(X, \Omega_X^p(\log \mathcal{D}))$ is closed.
 \hookrightarrow Bogomolov-Sommese vanishing:

$$A \subset \Omega_X^p(\log \mathcal{D}) \text{ invertible} \Rightarrow \text{rk}(A) \leq p$$

- Restriction: If $E \subset X$ is smooth and intersects \mathcal{D} transversely ($\mathcal{D}|_E$ is SNC in E), then can restrict

$$\Omega_X^p(\log \mathcal{D}) \rightarrow \Omega_E^p(\log \mathcal{D}|_E)$$

- Residue

$$0 \rightarrow \Omega_X^p(\log \mathcal{D}-\mathcal{D}_i) \rightarrow \Omega_X^p(\log \mathcal{D}) \rightarrow \Omega_{\mathcal{D}_i}^{p-1}(\log (\mathcal{D}-\mathcal{D}_i)|_{\mathcal{D}_i}) \rightarrow 0$$

Lecture III: Hyperbolicity in higher dimensions

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The Shafarevich Hyperbolicity has been generalized by many people, including Migliorini, Kovács, Viehweg-Zuo

Thm: ~~If $f: X \rightarrow Y$~~ is if $f: X^\circ \rightarrow Y^\circ$ is a smooth, proper family of canonically polarized manifolds, if $Y \in \mathbb{P}^1, \text{ellipt.}, \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{C}^*$, then all fibres are isomorphic

Aim: Generalise this to families over higher dimensional base

Setup: $f^\circ: X^\circ \rightarrow Y^\circ$ a proj. family of canon. polarized manifolds over smooth base manifold.

Two main invariants:

- Variation of the family $\text{Var}(f)$
- (logarithmic) Kodaira dimension $\mathcal{K}(Y^\circ)$

\leadsto explain $\mathcal{K}(Y^\circ)$,

Shafarevich: $\dim Y = 1$, then $\begin{cases} \mathcal{K}(Y^\circ) = -\infty, 0 & \text{implies } \text{Var}(f) = 0 \\ \text{Var}(f) > 1 & \text{implies } \mathcal{K}(Y^\circ) = 1 \end{cases}$

Aim Relate JC and Variation

Theorem (K, Kovács) If $\dim Y^0 \leq 3$, then either

$$\cdot \text{JC}(Y^0) = -\infty \quad \text{and} \quad \text{Var}(f) < \dim Y^0$$

$$\cdot \text{JC}(Y^0) \geq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \text{Var}(f) \leq \text{JC}(Y^0) \quad \square$$

"Any surface or threefold in the moduli stack is of good type"

Aim Give an idea of proof

Note: There are other, stronger results, (sometimes with problematic proofs)

Main Ingredients:

A. Results of Viehweg-Zuo

B. Miyaoka semipositivity and generalisations

C. Minimal model program & Analysis of singularities.

§ 2 Results of Viehweg-Zuo

Thm (Viehweg-Zuo, 2000) Setting as above, choose a compactification

$Y \supseteq Y^0$ s.t. $\mathfrak{D} := Y \setminus Y^0$ is a divisor with simple normal crossings.

Then there exists $m > 0$, a line bundle $A \in \text{Pic}(Y)$ with

$\chi(A) \geq \text{Vol}(f)$ and an embedding $A \hookrightarrow \text{Sym}^m \Omega_Y^1(\log \mathfrak{D})$

Recap: differential form w/ log poles.

Addendum: at the general point of Y , A is contained in $\text{Sym}^m \mu^* \Omega_m^1$

Synopsis of VZ's proof Look only at case where $Y = Y^0$ is compact,

$\mathfrak{D} = 0$. Have pull-back-sequence

$$0 \rightarrow f^* \Omega_Y^1 \rightarrow \Omega_X^1 \rightarrow \Omega_{X/Y}^1 \rightarrow 0$$

This induces a filtration

$$\Omega_X^p = F^0 \supset F^1 \supset \dots \supset F^p \supset F^{p+1} = 0$$

$$\text{s.t. } F^r /_{F^{r+1}} = f^* \Omega_Y^r \otimes \Omega_{X/Y}^{p-r}$$

look at sequence

$$0 \rightarrow F^1 \rightarrow F^0 \rightarrow F^0 /_{F^1} \rightarrow 0$$

modulo F^2 :

$$0 \rightarrow F/F^2 \rightarrow F^e/F^2 \rightarrow F^e/F^1 \rightarrow 0$$

$$= 0 \rightarrow f^*\Omega_Y^1 \otimes \Omega_{X/Y}^{p-1} \rightarrow F^e/F^2 \rightarrow \Omega_{X/Y}^p \rightarrow 0 \quad | \otimes \omega_{X/Y}^{-1}$$

Twist with $\omega_{X/Y}^{-1}$, ~~and~~ take push-forward and look at con. morphisms

$$\tau_{p,q}^e : \underbrace{R^q f_* (\Omega_{X/Y}^p \otimes \omega_{X/Y}^{-1})}_{F_{p,q}^e} \longrightarrow \underbrace{R^{q+1} f_* (\Omega_{X/Y}^{p-1} \otimes \omega_{X/Y}^{-1}) \otimes \Omega_Y^1}_{F_{p+1,q+1}^e}$$

Fundamental fact: $N_{p,q} := \ker(\tau_{p,q}^e)$ has the following property

$\exists A \in \text{Pic}(Y)$ with $J(A) \geq V_{\text{or}}(f)$ and $m \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

$(A \otimes \text{Sym}^m N_{p,q})^*$ is globally generated.

Write $F_{p,q} := F_{p,q}^e \otimes (\Omega_Y^1)^{\otimes q}$ get morphisms

$$\tau_{p,q} = \tau_{p,q}^e \otimes \text{Id}_{(\Omega_Y^1)^{\otimes q}}$$

$$F_{n,0} \xrightarrow{\tau_{n,0}} F_{n-1,1} \xrightarrow{\tau_{n-1,1}} \cdots F_{0,n} \longrightarrow 0$$

$$\text{Note: } F_{n,0} = R^0 f_* (\mathcal{O}_{X/Y}^\times \otimes \omega_{X/Y}^{-1}) = f_* \mathcal{O}_Y = \mathcal{O}_Y$$

is not contained in $\ker(\varphi_{n,0})$!

However, there is a s.t. we get a map

$$\mathcal{O}_Y \longrightarrow \ker(\varphi_{n-q,q}) = \mathcal{N}_{n-q,q} \otimes (\mathcal{O}_Y^\times)^{\otimes q} =$$

$$= \mathrm{Hom}(\mathcal{N}_{n-q,q}^*, (\mathcal{O}_Y^\times)^{\otimes q})$$

$$= \mathrm{Hom}(\underbrace{\mathcal{N}_{n-q,q}^* \otimes A^*}_{\text{glob. gen.}}, \underbrace{A^* \otimes (\mathcal{O}_Y^\times)^{\otimes q}}_{\text{has a section}})$$

Questions

- is this the right construction?
- What are universal properties? Does failure of universal property give rise to structures on moduli space?