

Lecture 7

Mixed Hodge structures

goal today:

(mixed) Hodge structures are additional structures on cohomology of algebraic varieties

discuss definitions, examples & links/applications to geometry

(axiomatizes & generalizes

Hodge decomposition)

Def pure Hodge structure of weight n

abelian gp $H_{\mathbb{Z}}$ & decomposition $H_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} \cong \bigoplus_{p+q=n} H^{p,q}$
s.t. $H^{p,q} = \overline{H^{q,p}}$

Rem: alternative def: finite decreasing filtration $F^p H$ on $H = H_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C}$

s.t. $\forall p+q=n+1 \quad F^p \cap \overline{F^q H} = 0$ & $F^p H \oplus \overline{F^q H} = H$

translation: $H^{p,q} = F^p H \cap \overline{F^q H}$ / $F^p H = \bigoplus_{i \geq p} H^{i, n-i}$

Rem: $H^{p,q}$ are \mathbb{C}^l subspaces, easiest example $H_{\mathbb{Z}} = \mathbb{Z}^2$
w/ decomp. $\mathbb{Z}^2 \otimes \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{C}^2 \cong H^{1,0} \oplus H^{0,1}$

in particular, decomposition is not defined over \mathbb{Z} or even \mathbb{R} .

$$H^{1,0} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \quad H^{0,1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix}$$

examples/geometric origin: M cpt. Kähler

\rightarrow pure Hodge structure of wt n $H_{\mathbb{Z}} = H^n(M, \mathbb{Z})$
wt $H^{p,q} = H^q(M, \Omega^p)$ from Hodge decomposition
Hodge filtration from Frölicher spectral seq

Tate Hodge structure

$\mathbb{Z}(1)$: $H_{\mathbb{Z}} = 2\pi i \mathbb{Z} \subseteq H_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes_{\mathbb{Z}} \mathbb{C} = \mathbb{C} = H^{-1,1}$ pure of wt -2

$\mathbb{Z}(n) = \mathbb{Z}(1)^{\otimes n}$ wt $-2n$. $H^*(\mathbb{P}^n) = \bigoplus_{i=0}^n \mathbb{Z}(n)$

Def: polarization / polarized Hodge structure (of wt n)

pure Hodge structure $H_{\mathbb{Z}}, H^{p,q}$ of wt n

+ non-deg. bilinear form $Q: H_{\mathbb{Z}} \times H_{\mathbb{Z}} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$

s.t. ① $Q(\varphi, \varphi) = (-1)^n Q(\varphi, \varphi)$

② $Q(\varphi, \varphi) = 0$ for $\varphi \in H^{p,q}, \varphi \in H^{p',q'}, p \neq q'$

③ $i^{p-q} Q(\varphi, \bar{\varphi}) > 0$ for $0 \neq \varphi \in H^{p,q}$

Hodge-Riemann bilinear relations

$2\pi i$ factors make $\frac{1}{(2\pi i)^n} \int_M \dots$ independent of choice of orientation

examples / geometric origin:

M gpt Kähler w / Kähler form ω

e.g. $X(\mathbb{C})$ for $X \subseteq \mathbb{P}^n$ smooth proj. var. / \mathbb{C}
 ω dual to class of hyperplane section.

$$Q(\varphi, \psi) = \int_M \varphi \wedge \psi \wedge \omega^k \quad \text{on } H^{n,2k}$$

written for forms,
but works for integer
class: $\omega \in H^2(M, \mathbb{Z})!$

idea: polarization $\hat{=}$ projective embedding of gpt's upl.

Periods & moduli spaces (side note)

period domains = parameter spaces for polarized Hodge structures

e.g. $H^1 = SL_2 \mathbb{R} / SO(2)$ as parameter space for polarized Hodge structure on H^1 of elliptic curve.

in this case, get analytic model of moduli space as quotient

by autom. gp $SL_2 \mathbb{C}$ changing polarization

Similar picture for
K3 surfaces

(related stuff on (intermediate) problems in
a later lecture)

Def mixed Hodge structures

tuple $(H_{\mathbb{Z}}, W_{\mathbb{Z}}, F^*)$

- $H_{\mathbb{Z}}$ f.g. ab. gp
- $W_{\mathbb{Z}}$ increasing \mathbb{Z} -filtration on $H_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes \mathbb{Q}$ (weight filtration)
- F^* decreasing \mathbb{N} -filtration on $H_{\mathbb{Z}} \otimes \mathbb{C}$ (Hodge filtration)

s.t.

$$gr_{\mathbb{Z}}^W H_{\mathbb{Q}} = \frac{W_k H_{\mathbb{Q}}}{W_{k-1} H_{\mathbb{Q}}} \quad \text{w/ induced } F^* \text{ filtration}$$

\cong pure Hodge structure of wt k .

Idea: mix together pure H-S of different weights,
e.g. arising from extensions in long exact sequences.

Rem: morphisms of MHS preserve filtrations $f(W_k) \subseteq W_k'$
& $f(F^p) \subseteq F^p'$
 \leadsto abelian category of homological dim ≥ 1 .

Example: how to get mixed Hodge structures (following Deligne, Hodge II & III)

M cplx mfd, $D \subseteq M$ normal crossing div.

Logarithmic p -form ω on $X \setminus D$:

ω & $d\omega$ have pole order ≤ 1 along D

Expl:

$$d(\log z) = \frac{dz}{z}$$

on $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$.

\leadsto sheaf $\Omega_M^p(\log D)$ of p -forms w/ log poles along D .

\leadsto logarithmic de Rham cplx $\Omega_M^*(\log D)$

Locally: Choose coord $x \in M$, (M, D) looks like $(\mathbb{C}^n, V(z_1 \cdots z_r))$

$$\Omega_M^1(\log D) = \mathcal{O}_M \cdot \frac{dz_1}{z_1} \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathcal{O}_M \cdot \frac{dz_r}{z_r} \oplus \mathcal{O}_M \cdot dz_{r+1} \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathcal{O}_M \cdot dz_n$$

$$\Omega_M^p(\log D) = \wedge^p \Omega_M^1(\log D)$$

Logarithmic de Rham thm (Deligne) M cplx mfd, $D \subseteq M$ normal crossing div.

see Kay's $\Omega_M^p(\log D) \xrightarrow{\cong} j_* \Omega_{M \setminus D}^p$ quasi-is.

upcoming lectures $\leadsto H^k(M, \Omega_M^*(\log D)) \cong H_{\text{sing}}^k(M \setminus D, \mathbb{C})$

mixed Hodge structure on coh. $H^k(U, \mathbb{C})$:

choose compactification $U \subseteq M$ w/ D normal crossing s.t. $U = M \setminus D$.

induced by filtrations on $\Omega_M^*(\log D)$:

Hodge filtration: $F^z \Omega_M^p(\log D) = \begin{cases} \Omega_M^p(\log D) & z \leq p \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Weight filtration: $W_n \Omega_M^p(\log D) = \begin{cases} \Omega_M^p(\log D) & p \leq n \\ \Omega_M^{p-n} \wedge \Omega_M^n(\log D) & 0 \leq n < p \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Rem: works more generally for arbitrary cplx varieties

Deligne Hodge III

for singular: use resol. of sing. to replace

proj. sing. var. X by simplicial variety X_\bullet w/ X_n smooth, proj.

get MHS from filtrations of X_\bullet .