

Period map for K3 surfaces.

S : complex K3 surface.

$H^2(S, \mathbb{Z})$ is even unimodular lattice of signature $(3, 19)$.

By Milnor's classification:

$$H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \cong U^3 \oplus E_8(-1)^2.$$

We have Hodge decomposition:

$$H^2(S, \mathbb{C}) = H^{2,0} \oplus H^{1,1} \oplus H^{0,2}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 20 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\gamma: H^2(S, \mathbb{C}) \times H^2(S, \mathbb{C}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad (x, y) \mapsto \int_S x \wedge y.$$

$$\gamma: H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \times H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}.$$

If $w \in H^{2,0} - 0$ a nowhere vanishing holomorphic 2-form on S

$$\Rightarrow \int_S w \wedge \bar{w} > 0, \quad \int_S w \wedge w = 0.$$

Now denote by $\Lambda_{K3} = U^3 \oplus E_8(-1)^2$.

Call it K3 lattice.

For any complex K3 surface S , there exist isomorphisms

$$f: H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \Lambda_{K3}.$$

Call (S, f) a marked K3 surface,

f called a marking of S .

Given a marked K3 surface, (S, f) .

can look at $f(H^{2,0}(S)) \subset \Lambda_{K3} \otimes \mathbb{C}$

It satisfies $\varphi(w, \bar{w}) > 0$, $\varphi(w, w) = 0$. $\varphi: \Lambda_{K3} \times \Lambda_{K3} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$
for $w \in f(H^{2,0}(S) - 0)$

Define $D_{K3} = \left\{ \ell \subset \Lambda_{K3} \otimes \mathbb{C} \mid \dim_{\mathbb{C}} \ell = 1, \varphi(w, \bar{w}) > 0 \text{ for } w \in \ell - 0 \right\}$, $\varphi(w, w) = 0$

$$= \mathbb{P} \left\{ w \in \Lambda_{K3} \otimes \mathbb{C} - 0 \mid \varphi(w, \bar{w}) > 0, \varphi(w, w) = 0 \right\}.$$

$$\subset \mathbb{P}(\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}}$$

$(\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} = \Lambda_{K3} \otimes \mathbb{C}$ has dimension 22.

$$\mathbb{P}(\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} \cong \mathbb{P}^{21}.$$

$\mathbb{P} \{ w \in (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} - 0 \mid \varphi(w, w) = 0 \}$ is a quadric hypersurface
 $\dim = 20$.

$$D_{K3} = \mathbb{P} \{ w \in (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} - 0 \mid \varphi(w, \bar{w}) > 0, \varphi(w, w) = 0 \}$$

is an open subset of the quadric hypersurface

D_{K3} is called the local period domain for complex K3 surfaces.

It is a non-compact complex manifold of dimension 20.

Fact: D_{K3} is connected.

D_{K3} can be regarded as the set of oriented positive

planes in $(\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}}$.

$$[w] \in D_{k3}, \quad \varphi(w, w) = 0 \quad \varphi(w, \bar{w}) > 0$$

$$w \in (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{C}} = (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}} + i (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}}.$$

$$w = a + bi, \quad a, b \in (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}}.$$

$$0 = \varphi(w, w) = \varphi(a+bi, a+bi) = \varphi(a, a) + 2i \varphi(a, b) - \varphi(b, b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \varphi(a, b) = 0 \\ \varphi(a, a) = \varphi(b, b). \end{cases}$$

$$0 < \varphi(w, \bar{w}) = \varphi(a+bi, a-bi) = \varphi(a, a) + \varphi(b, b).$$

$$\text{So condition on } w \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \varphi(a, b) = 0 \\ \varphi(a, a) = \varphi(b, b) > 0. \end{cases}$$

$$\langle a, b \rangle \subset (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}}.$$

fix order oriented plane

$$\varphi(\lambda a + \mu b, \lambda a + \mu b) = \lambda^2 \varphi(a, a) + \mu^2 \varphi(b, b) \geq 0$$

$$\text{equality holds} \Leftrightarrow \lambda = \mu = 0.$$

$\langle a, b \rangle$ is an oriented positive plane in $(\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{R}}$.

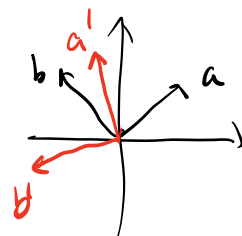
Conversely, given such a plane, we can choose a basis

$$a, b, \text{ such that } \varphi(a, a) = \varphi(b, b) > 0, \quad \varphi(a, b) = 0.$$

(a, b) compatible with orientation.

$$\text{however } a+bi \in (\Lambda_{k3})_{\mathbb{C}} - 0.$$

(a', b') another choice, then



$$\begin{pmatrix} a' \\ b' \end{pmatrix} = e^{\lambda} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}, \quad \lambda, \theta \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$a' + b' i = (a + bi) \cdot e^{\lambda + i\theta}$$

$$\mathcal{D}_{K3} = \{ \omega \in (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} - 0 \mid \varphi(\omega, \omega) = 0, \varphi(\omega, \bar{\omega}) > 0 \}$$

= set of oriented positive planes in $(\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{R}}$.

$$\varphi: (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{R}} \times (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{R}} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \quad \text{has signature } (3, 19)$$

$(S, f) \rightsquigarrow$ a point in \mathcal{D}_{K3} .

$$f(H^{2,0}(S)) \neq \emptyset$$

Call two marked $K3$ surfaces (S_1, f_1) , (S_2, f_2) equivalent

if \exists biholomorphic map $S_1 \xrightarrow[\cong]{g} S_2$, such that:

$$\left(H^2(S_1, \mathbb{Z}) \xleftarrow[\cong]{g^*} H^2(S_2, \mathbb{Z}) \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^2(S_1, \mathbb{Z}) & \xrightarrow{f_1} & \Lambda_{K3} \\ \uparrow g^* & \nearrow f_2 & \\ H^2(S_2, \mathbb{Z}) & & \end{array} \quad \text{is commutative.}$$

$$[\text{i.e. } f_2 = f_1 \circ g^*]$$

Denote by \mathcal{M} the set of equivalence classes of marked $K3$ surfaces, then we have a map:

$$\phi: M \longrightarrow \mathcal{D}_{K3}.$$

called local period map for complex K3 surfaces.

Fact: M is naturally a non-Hausdorff analytic manifold of dimension 20.

Thm (to be proved later):

$\phi: M \longrightarrow \mathcal{D}_{K3}$ is surjective,

$d\phi$ is bijective at every point in M .

Add polarizations

d : positive even number.

A polarization of a complex K3 surface of degree d is an ample line bundle L on S , such that $L \cdot L = d$,

and $[L] \in H^2(S, \mathbb{Z})$ is primitive.

(S, L) called a polarized K3 surface of degree d .

Λ_{K3} contains elements with norm d ,

such elements form one $\text{Aut}(\Lambda_{K3})$ -orbit.

take $ld \in \Lambda_{K3}$, $\ell(ld, ld) = d$.

A marking of a polarized K3 surface (S, L) is an isomorphism $f: H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \xrightarrow{\cong} \Lambda_{K3}$

$$[L] \longmapsto \text{cl}$$

(S, L, f) : marked polarized K3 surface.

$$f(H^{2,0}(S)) \in \mathcal{D}_{K3} = \mathbb{P} \left\{ \omega \in (\Lambda_{K3})_{\mathbb{C}} - 0 \mid \begin{array}{l} \varphi(\omega, \omega) = 0 \\ \varphi(\omega, \bar{\omega}) > 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$H^{2,0}(S) \perp [L] \quad \text{since } [L] \in H^2(S, \mathbb{Z}) \cap H^{1,1}.$$

$$\Rightarrow f(H^{2,0}(S)) \perp f[L] = \text{cl}.$$

Denote $\Lambda_{\text{cl}} = \text{cl}^{\perp}$: orthogonal complement of cl in Λ_{K3} .

sublattice of signature $(2, 19)$.

$$\text{then: } f(H^{2,0}(S)) \in \mathbb{P} \left\{ \omega \in (\Lambda_{\text{cl}})_{\mathbb{C}} \mid \begin{array}{l} \varphi(\omega, \omega) = 0 \\ \varphi(\omega, \bar{\omega}) > 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\cong: \mathcal{D}_{\text{cl}}$$

local period domain for K3 surface of degree d .

$\mathcal{D}_{\text{cl}} \subset \mathcal{D}_{K3}$ hyperplane in \mathcal{D}_{K3} .

$$\dim \mathcal{D}_{\text{cl}} = 19, \quad \dim \mathcal{D}_{K3} = 20.$$

\mathcal{D}_{cl} has two connected components. (reason: Λ_{cl} has signature $(2, 19)$.)

\mathcal{D}_{cl} = set of oriented positive planes in $(\Lambda_{\text{cl}})_{\mathbb{R}}$.

two component \Leftrightarrow two orientations,

(S_1, L_1, f_1) and (S_2, L_2, f_2) are called equivalent, if

$$\exists g: S_1 \xrightarrow{\cong} S_2, \quad g^* L_2 = L_1, \quad f_2 = f_1 \circ g^*.$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H^2(S_1, \mathbb{Z}) & \xrightarrow{f_1} & \Lambda_{K3} \\ \uparrow g^* & \searrow & \\ H^2(S_2, \mathbb{Z}) & \xrightarrow{f_2} & \end{array}$$

M_d : set of marked polarized $K3$ of degree d ,

then we have:

$$j: M_d \longrightarrow D_d.$$

Thm (global Torelli for algebraic $K3$):

$j: M_d \rightarrow D_d$ is an open embedding.

Deformation theory.

Suppose $\begin{array}{ccc} X_S & \xrightarrow{\pi} & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ S & \in & S \end{array}$ is a proper map, X, S complex manifold,

submersion (differential is always surjective)

call this a smooth proper family of complex manifolds X_s

(Ehresmann Thm): If S is connected, then all fibers

X_s are diffeomorphic.

Actually, $s \in S$. $\exists s \in U \subset S$ open nbhd,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X_U & \xrightarrow{\cong} & X_s \times U \\ \downarrow & \swarrow & \uparrow \\ U & & \end{array} \quad \text{diffeomorphism,}$$

For $\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$ a smooth proper family,

$\forall s_1, s_2 \in S$, call X_{s_1}, X_{s_2} are deformation equivalent.

call $\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$ is a deformation of X_s for $\forall s \in S$.

S can be shrinked, and the shrinked family is still deformation of X_s .

$\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$ is sometimes understood as a family over a germ around s .

Defn: [S is allowed to be singular, non-reduced].

For X_0 , a deformation $\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$ is called complete,

if any other deformation $\begin{array}{c} X' \\ \downarrow \\ S' \end{array}$ of X_0 is a

pullback of $\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$.

i.e.,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X' = f^* X & & X \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ S' & \longrightarrow & S \end{array}$$

$$S' \xleftarrow{f} S$$

A complete deformation is called universal, if the pullback f is always unique.

called versal, if $df: T_{S'} S' \rightarrow T_S S$, is always unique.

Fact: universal deformation may not exist.

Thm (Kuranishi):

Every compact complex manifold X_0 admits a versal deformation $\begin{matrix} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{matrix}$, $T_S S \xrightarrow{\cong} H^1(X_0, T_{X_0})$.
Kodaira - Spencer map

S may not be smooth.

If X_0 admits a versal deformation $\begin{matrix} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{matrix}$ with S smooth,

we call the deformation of X_0 is unobstructed.

(Fujita-Todorov), Calabi-Yau \Rightarrow unobstructed.