

# Super Geometry and Super Moduli

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Lecture 1. Theta-null divisor in the moduli space of SUSY curves.  
(supercurves)

$$X \xrightarrow{1|1} S$$

Superscheme

SUSY structure:  $D \subset T_{X/S}$   
rank 0|1

$$D^2 = D \otimes_{\mathcal{O}_X} D \xrightarrow[\sim]{[\cdot, \cdot]} T_{X/S} / D$$

$\Rightarrow$  exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow D \rightarrow T_{X/S} \rightarrow D^2 \rightarrow 0$$

0|1          1|1          1|0

Dually,  $0 \rightarrow D^{-2} \rightarrow \Omega_{X/S}^1 \rightarrow D^{-1} \rightarrow 0$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}$   
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Ber} \\ \omega_{X/S} \simeq D^{-1} \\ 0|1 \end{array} \right.$

$$\delta: \Omega_{X/S}^1 \rightarrow \omega_{X/S} \quad \mathcal{O}\text{-linear}$$

1|1          0|1

$\hookrightarrow$  derivation  $\delta: \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}$

Locally,  $\exists$  rel. coord. on  $X/S$   $(z, \theta)$  s.t.  $D = \langle \overbrace{\partial_{\theta} + \theta \partial_z}^D \rangle$

$$\delta: f \mapsto D(f) [dz|d\theta]$$

Over even base  $S$

$$C \xrightarrow{\text{smooth curve}} S, \quad \mathcal{O}_X = \mathcal{O}_C \oplus L, \quad L^2 \simeq \omega_{C/S}.$$

$$\delta \downarrow \omega_{X/S} = \omega_C \oplus L$$

generating

$$\delta(f, s) = (df, s)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \mathcal{O}_C & L & \omega_C \oplus L \end{array}$$

Now over  $\mathbb{C}$ , classical topology

$$\pi: X \rightarrow S$$

$$\underline{\mathbb{C}} = \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S} = \pi^{-1} \mathcal{O}_S \quad (\text{functions constant along fibers})$$

Ex. seq in  $X$

$$0 \rightarrow \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \xrightarrow{\delta} \omega_{X/S} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\leadsto \text{LES on } S: \quad 0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow \pi_* \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \pi_* \omega_{X/S} \rightarrow \boxed{R^1 \pi_* \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S}} \rightarrow R^1 \pi_* \mathcal{O}_X$$

$$\rightarrow R^1 \pi_* \omega_{X/S} \rightarrow \boxed{R^2 \pi_* \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S}} \rightarrow 0.$$

$$R^1 \pi_* \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S} \leftarrow \text{local system of } H^1(C_s, \mathbb{C})$$

$$R^2 \pi_* \underline{\mathbb{C}}_{X/S} \simeq \mathcal{O}_S$$

Thm Assume  $\forall s \in S, \quad H^0(C_s, L_s) = 0$ , then have exact seq.

$$0 \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{bundle} \\ \downarrow \\ \pi_* \omega_{X/S} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} R^1 \pi_* \underline{\mathbb{C}} \\ \downarrow \\ \mathfrak{g} \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{bundle} \\ \downarrow \\ R^1 \pi_* \mathcal{O}_X \end{array} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\qquad \qquad \qquad \mathfrak{g} \qquad \qquad \qquad \mathfrak{g}$$

Can trivialize  $R^1\pi_* \mathcal{L}$  over some covering  $\tilde{S} \rightarrow S$

$$\tilde{S} \rightarrow \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Lagrangian grassmannian}}}{\text{LGr}(g, 2g)} \leftarrow \text{superperiod map}$$

Want to study: behavior of periods near  $s: H^0(C_s, L_s) \neq 0$ .

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Classical picture for theta-chen. (Mumford)  
(even)

$C$  smooth proj. curve,  $L^2 \simeq \omega_C$ , how to understand  $H^0(C, L)$ ?

Pick a point  $p \in C$ .  $n \gg 0$ ,

$$V = H^0(C, L(np)/L(-np)) \leftarrow 2n\text{-dim'l}$$

$$V \otimes V \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$s, t \mapsto \text{Res}_p(st) \in \omega_C(2np)/\omega_C$$

symmetric nondeg form on  $V$

$$\text{Two isotropic subspaces: } \begin{cases} L_1 = H^0(C, L(np)) \subset V \\ \text{max.} \\ \text{isotropic} \quad L_2 = H^0(C, L/L(-np)) \subset V \end{cases}$$

$$L_1 \cap L_2 = H^0(C, L)$$

$$[L_1 \rightarrow V/L_2] \text{ computes } H^*(C, L).$$

Next,  $C \xrightarrow{\pi} S$ ,  $\underset{p}{\cup} \nearrow \underset{C}{L}$  family of spin-curves

$$L_1 = \pi_*(L(np)), \dots$$

$$[L_1 \rightarrow V/L_2] \text{ complex of bundles on } S$$

$$\simeq R\pi_* L$$

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Let  $\Lambda \subset V$  max. isotropic, transversal to both  $L_1$  &  $L_2$

$$V \simeq \Lambda \oplus L_2$$

$$L_1 = \text{graph } (\phi: L_2 \xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \\ \downarrow \\ \Lambda}} \Lambda)$$

$$\phi^* = -\phi$$

$$[L_1 \rightarrow V/L_2] \underset{\text{q isom}}{\simeq} [L_2 \xrightarrow{\phi} L_2^\vee]$$

$\text{pt}(\phi) \leftarrow$  local eq'n

for the theta-null division  $H^0(L_5) \neq 0$

(generically  $H^0(L_5) = 0$ )



Super isotropic intersection setup

$V, (\cdot, \cdot)$  sympl. vecta bundle  $rk = (2m/2n)$  over  $S$  superscheme

$L_1 \subset V \supset L_2$  isotropic subbundle of  $\dim (m/n)$

define a cplx on  $S$

$$C(V, L_1, L_2) = [L_1 \xrightarrow[\text{q isom}]{\substack{d_{L_1, L_2} \\ \parallel \\ d}} V/L_2] \simeq [L_1 \oplus L_2 \rightarrow V] \simeq [L_1 \rightarrow L_2^\vee]$$

Assume  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are generically transversal,  $d$  is generic isom.

$$\sim \text{for } (d) \in \text{Ber}(L_1)^{-1} \otimes \text{Ber}(L_2)^{-1}$$

$\parallel$  rat'l  
 $\theta(L_1, L_2)$  section

Thm 1. Assume  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are generically transverse

& at some point  $s \in S$ ,

$$L_{1s}^{+ \text{ even part}} \cap L_{2s}^{+} = 0.$$

Then locally near  $s$ ,  $\exists$  trivialization of  $\text{Ber}(L_1)^{-1} \otimes \text{Ber}(L_2)^{-1}$  s.t.

$$\theta(L_1, L_2)^{-1} = f^2, \quad f \text{ regular function}$$

Furthermore,  $f \cdot d_{L_1, L_2}^{-1}$  is regular.

Proof. reduce to purely odd rank case, use Pfaffian.

Now back to  $X \xrightarrow{\pi} S$  <sup>supercurve</sup>  $\xrightarrow{\quad}$  generically  $H^0(C_s, L_s) = 0$ .

fix  $\Lambda \subset R^1 \pi_* \mathbb{C}_{X/S}$  s.t.  $\Lambda|_{S_{\text{bos}}}$  transversal to  $\pi_* \omega_{C/S_{\text{bos}}}$   
 $\underbrace{\hspace{1cm}}_{\text{Lagrangian Symp.}} \quad \nwarrow \pi_* \omega_{X/S}$

$\Rightarrow$  can consider  $\theta_{\Lambda}^{-1} = \theta(\pi_* \omega_{X/S}, \Lambda)$  rat'l section of  $\text{Det}(\Lambda)^{-1} \otimes \text{Ber}(R^1 \pi_* \omega_X)^{-1}$

Thm 2.1) Locally,  $\theta_{\Lambda}^{-1} = f^2$ ,  $f$  regular

$\uparrow$  equation of theta null divisor

2) If  $R^1 \pi_* \mathbb{C}_{X/S} = \Lambda \oplus \Lambda'$   
 Lagrangian splitting

$\pi_* \omega_{X/S}|_U = \text{graph}(\Omega: \Lambda' \rightarrow \Lambda)$ , then  $f \cdot \Omega$  is regular.

# Lecture 2

plx analytic

$\pi: X \rightarrow S$  smooth supercurve

for generic  $s \in S$ ,  $H^0(C_s, L_s) = 0$

$\Lambda \subset R^1 \pi_* \subseteq \omega_{X/S}$  Lagrangian subbundle

$$\omega_\Lambda := \theta(\pi_* \omega_{X/S}|_\Lambda)$$

horom. section of  $\text{Det}(\Lambda)^{-1} \otimes \text{Ber}_1^{-1}$

$$\text{Ber}_1 := \text{Ber}(R\pi_* \omega_{X/S})$$

$$\text{Ber}(A \rightarrow B) = \text{Ber}(A) \otimes \text{Ber}(B)^{-1}$$

Locally

Theorem 1)  $\omega_\Lambda^{-1} = t^2 \cdot \text{trivializing section}$ , where  $t$  is regular

$$Z(t) = \{s : H^0(C_s, L_s) \neq 0\}$$

$$2) R^1 \pi_* \subseteq \omega_{X/S} = \Lambda \oplus \Lambda'$$

$$\pi_* \omega|_\Lambda = \text{graph}(\Omega: \Lambda' \rightarrow \Lambda)$$

$t\Omega$  regular

Setup for  
Proof

Can pick relative divisor  $p \subset X$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \downarrow \\ \circ(1) & \searrow & S \end{array}$$

locally,  $p: (z=0)$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{V}} = \pi_* \left( \underbrace{\mathcal{O}_X(np)}_{\text{functions w/ pole of order } \leq n} / \mathcal{O}_X(-(n+1)p) \right)$$

functions w/ pole  
of order  $\leq n$

skew-sym. form on  $\tilde{\mathcal{V}}$

$$B(f, g) = \text{Res}_p (f \cdot \delta(g)) \quad , \quad \delta: \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}$$

$$\delta: \mathcal{O}_X(np) \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}((n+1)p)$$

Grothendieck duality for  $X \rightarrow S$

$$R^1 \pi_* (\omega_{X/S}) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S$$

$$0 \rightarrow \omega_{X/S} \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}(Np) \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}(Np)/\omega_{X/S} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\pi_* (\omega_{X/S}(Np)/\omega_{X/S}) \rightarrow R^1 \pi_* (\omega_{X/S}) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{Res}_p}$

$$(z, \theta) \text{ s.t. } p: z=0$$

$$\text{Res}_{z=0} (f_0(z) + f_1(z)\theta) [dz/d\theta] = \text{Res}_{z=0} (f_1(z) dz)$$

Exer check that  $B$  is skew-symmetric

$$V := \tilde{V} / \ker(B)$$

$$\text{local basis of } \tilde{V}: \quad z^{-n}, \dots, z^{-1}, 1, z, \dots, z^n$$

$$z^{-n}\theta, \dots, \dots, z^n\theta$$

Exer  $\ker B = \langle 1, z^n\theta \rangle$

Want to construct: two max'l isotropic subbundles.

$$L_{\text{can}} \subset V, \text{ no pole at } p$$

$$\left\langle \begin{matrix} z, \dots, z^n \\ \theta, z\theta, \dots, z^{n-1}\theta \end{matrix} \right\rangle$$

2nd isotropic subbundle will depend on  $\Lambda \in R^1 \pi_* \mathbb{C}_{X/S}$ .

Use exact seq. of sheaves on  $X$ :

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}_{X/S} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(np) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(np)/\mathbb{C}_{X/S} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\sim \pi_* \left( \mathcal{O}_X(np)/\mathbb{C}_{X/S} \right) \xrightarrow{\gamma} R^1 \pi_* \mathbb{C}_{X/S}$$

$$\downarrow$$

symplectic reduction  
 $L_\Lambda = \gamma^{-1}(\Lambda)$

$$0 \rightarrow \langle 1, \gamma^* \theta \rangle \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(np)/\mathcal{O}_X(-(n+1)p) \xrightarrow{\delta} \omega_{X/S}((n+1)p)^{\text{ex}}/\omega_{X/S}(-np) \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow V \simeq \pi_* \left( \omega_{X/S}((n+1)p)^{\text{ex}}/\omega_{X/S}(-np) \right)$$

$$\left( \pi_* \left( \mathcal{O}_X(np)/\mathbb{C}_{X/S} \right) \xrightarrow{\delta} \pi_* \left( \omega_{X/S}((n+1)p)^{\text{ex}} \right) \right)$$

this is injective for  $n > 0$ .

key computation: two skew-symmetric forms on  $\pi_* \left( \mathcal{O}_X(np)/\mathbb{C}_{X/S} \right)$  agree  $\begin{pmatrix} \gamma^*(, ) \\ B \end{pmatrix}$ .

$\rightarrow$  get isotropic intersection setup

$$L_{\text{can}} \subset V \subset L_\Lambda$$

$$C^*(L_\Lambda, L_{\text{can}}) \sim [L_\Lambda \rightarrow V/L_{\text{can}}]$$



Over  $U \subset S$ ,

$$C^*(L_\Delta, L_{can}) \xrightarrow[\text{q ism.}]{} C^*(\Delta, \pi_* \omega_{X/S}|_U)$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$R^1 \pi_* \mathbb{C}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta(\Delta, \pi_* \omega_{X/S}|_U) = \theta(L_\Delta, L_{can})|_U$$

Apply Theorem 1.

## Def of Supermeasure

Two ingredients

1. Mumford ism.

$$\Psi: \text{Ber}_1^S \xrightarrow{\sim} \omega_{S_g}$$

$$(S_g = \text{moduli of supercurves of genus } g)$$

conn. spk-str. even

2. Herm. pairing on  $\text{Ber}_1$  over  $U \subset S_g \supset D = S_g - U$ .

$$\{s: H^0(C_s, L_s) = 0\}$$

$$\text{Over } U, \quad F = \pi_* \omega_{X/S} \subset R^1 \pi_* (\mathbb{C}_{X/S})$$

↑

has real str.

$$h(s, t) = (s, \bar{t})$$

Consider  $S_g \times S_g^{op} \leftarrow \text{cplx conj.}$

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$U \times U^{op}$

$$F \otimes \bar{F} \xrightarrow{h} \mathcal{O}$$

non degenerate near quasi-diagonal

$$(C_1, L_1), (C_2, L_2), C_1 = C_2$$

$$h: p_1^* F \xrightarrow{\sim} p_2^* \bar{F}^\vee$$

$$\det(h)^{-1} \in p_1^* \text{Ber}(F) \otimes p_2^* \text{Ber}(\bar{F}) \\ \simeq \text{Ber}_1 \boxtimes \overline{\text{Ber}_1}$$

Def.  $\mu$  meromorphic section of  $\omega_{S_g \times S_g^{\text{op}}} = \omega_{S_g} \boxtimes \overline{\omega_{S_g}}$

$$\psi \boxtimes \bar{\psi}: \text{Ber}_1^S \boxtimes \overline{\text{Ber}_1^S} \xrightarrow{\sim} \omega_{S_g} \boxtimes \overline{\omega_{S_g}}$$

$$\mu := (\psi \boxtimes \bar{\psi}) (\det(h)^{-S})$$

Thm Assume  $g \leq 11$ , then  $\mu$  is regular near quasi-diagonal in  $S_g \times S_g^{\text{op}}$ .

Proof.  $\det(h)^{-S} \Leftrightarrow$  as a section of  $\text{Ber}_1^S \boxtimes \overline{\text{Ber}_1^S}$  is regular near q-diag.

Over  $U \times U^{\text{op}}$ , near q-diag, have two isotropic subbundles of  $p_1^* R^1 \pi_* (\mathbb{C}_{X/S})$   
 $\begin{array}{ccc} & & p_1^* F \\ & \nearrow & \\ p_1^* \swarrow & & \\ U & & U^{\text{op}} \end{array}$   
 $\simeq p_2^* R^1 \pi_* (\mathbb{C}_{X/S})$   
 $\cup$   
 $p_2^* \bar{F}$

$$\det(h)^{-1} = \theta(p_1^* F, p_2^* \bar{F})^{-1}$$

Fix Lagr. splitting  $R^1 \pi_* (\mathbb{C}_{X/S}) = W \oplus W'$

Abstract statement

$$L_1, L_2 \subset V \stackrel{\text{symplectic}}{=} W \oplus W'$$

max. isotropic isotropic splitting

$L_1$  &  $L_2$  transversal to  $W$

$$\Rightarrow L_i = \text{graph}(\tau_i: W' \rightarrow W)$$

Identity  
(exer.)  $\theta(L_1, L_2) = \theta(L_1, W) \cdot \theta(L_2, W) \cdot \text{ber}(\tau_1 - \tau_2)$

$$\tau_1 - \tau_2: W' \rightarrow W$$

In our case,  $L_1 = p_1^* F$ ,  $L_2 = p_2^* \bar{F}$

$$\theta(F, \bar{F})^{-1} = p_1^* \theta(F, W)^{-1} p_2^* \theta(\bar{F}, \bar{W})^{-1} \cdot \text{ber}(\tau - \bar{\tau})^{-1}$$

Recall  $\theta(F, W)^{-1} = b^2$ ,  $f$  loc. eq'n of  $D$ .

$\tau$ , know:  $b\tau$  is regular.

$\uparrow$   
Superperiod matrix

$$\tau = A + \Omega, \quad \Omega \in N^2 \text{ over } U$$

$\uparrow$   
classical period

$N = (\text{odd cond.})$

$$\det(A - \bar{A}) \neq 0$$

$\Omega \in \frac{N^2}{b}$  Consider  $\left( \mathcal{O}_{S \times S} \text{-alg. gen. by } p_1^* \frac{N^2}{b}, p_2^* \frac{\bar{N}^2}{\bar{b}} \right) = \mathcal{A}$

$$\text{ber}(\tau - \bar{\tau})^{-1} \in \mathcal{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta(F, \bar{F})^{-1} \in f^{l_0} \cdot \bar{b}^{l_0} \cdot \mathcal{A}$$

Enough:  $\frac{N^{22}}{b^{11}} = 0$

Enough:  $N^{22} = 0$

$$22 > 2g - 2$$

$$g \geq 1$$

# Lecture 3     Stable Supercurves

Over a pt.  $X$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_X = \mathcal{O}_C \oplus L$

$C$  stable curve

$rk=1$  on smooth locus

$L$  generalized spin structure: (torsion-free) coherent sheaf on  $C$ ,

by isom.  $L \simeq \text{Hom}(L, \omega_C)$

$\uparrow$   
dualizing sheaf

on smooth locus,  $L$  is a line bundle,  $L^2 \simeq \omega_C$ .

Torsion free modules on the node  $xy=0$

$$R = \mathbb{C}[[x,y]] / (xy)$$

indecomposable ones:  $R, R/(x), R/(y)$ .

$rk=1$  on smooth locus  $\rightsquigarrow R$  or  $R/(x) \oplus R/(y) \simeq (x,y)$ .

$\{x\} \quad C$  has 1 node

$L$  locally free at the node

not loc. free

$\tilde{C} \xrightarrow{\nu} C$  normalization

Ramond node

NS node

$$\text{node} \rightarrow \alpha$$

$\tilde{C} \ni p_1, p_2 \mapsto \text{node}$

1) NS node for  $L$

$$\Leftrightarrow L \simeq \nu_* \tilde{L}$$

$$\tilde{L}^2 \simeq \omega_{\tilde{C}}$$

2) Ramond node:  $L$  line bundle on  $C$

$$\tilde{L} := \nu^* L, \quad \tilde{L}^2 \simeq \omega_{\tilde{C}}(p_1 + p_2)$$

$X/\text{pt}$  stable supercurve,  $\mathcal{O}^+ = \mathcal{O}_C$ ,  $\mathcal{O}^- = L$

$\exists$  dualizing sheaf on  $X$

$$\omega_X = \omega_C \oplus \begin{matrix} \text{even} & \text{odd} \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \text{Hom}(L, \omega_C) \\ \approx L \end{matrix}$$

on smooth locus:  $\omega_X$  is a line bundle of rk (0|1)

loc. free near Ramond node, not loc. free near NS node



### Deformations of nodes:

Base of deformation: even affine line  $A^1$ , coord.  $t$

def. of Ramond node:  $z_1, z_2, \theta$   
 $z_1 z_2 = t$  + formulas for  $\delta: \mathcal{O} \rightarrow \omega$

def of NS node:  $z_1, z_2, \theta_1, \theta_2$   
 $z_1 z_2 = t^2, z_1 \theta_2 = t \theta_1, z_2 \theta_1 = t \theta_2, \theta_1 \theta_2 = 0$

### Def. (Deligne)

$X/S$  stable supercurve over  $S$ . +  $\delta: \mathcal{O}_X \rightarrow \omega_{X/S}$   
 flat family rel derivation ( $\partial_S \rightarrow 0$ )

Require:  $\forall s \in S(\mathbb{C})$ ,

$$\mathcal{O}_{X_s} = \mathcal{O}_{C_s} \oplus L$$

$\delta \downarrow$  induced by  $\delta$

$$\omega_{X_s} = \omega_{C_s} \oplus \text{Hom}(L, \omega_{C_s})$$

## Def of stable supercurves

1. Smooth case  $X/S$  smooth supercurve

$$D = \partial_\theta + \theta \partial_{\bar{\theta}}$$

$$D \subset \mathcal{T}_{X/S}$$

o/l

not  $\rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{sc} \subset \mathcal{T}_{X/S}$   
 $\mathcal{O}$ -subm.d  $\parallel$

$$\{v: [v, D] \subset D\}$$

Lemma. composition  $\mathcal{T}_{sc} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{X/S} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{X/S}/D$

Proof.  $v = a \partial_{\bar{\theta}} + b \cdot D$

$$v \in \mathcal{T}_{sc} \Leftrightarrow b = \pm D(a)$$

$$v \bmod D \Leftrightarrow a$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{T}_{sc} \simeq \mathcal{T}/D \simeq \omega_{X/S}^{-2}$$

2.  $X/\text{point}$  sheaf of inf. symmetries

$$\mathcal{A}_X \subset \mathcal{T}_X = \text{Der}(\mathcal{O}_X)$$

$\parallel$

$$\{v: v \text{ preserves } D \text{ on smooth locus}\}$$

Lemma.  $X \text{ stable} \Rightarrow H^0(X, \mathcal{A}_X) = 0$

$\rightarrow$

$X/S$  good supercurve  $\forall \text{ node } \in X_S, S \xrightarrow{\text{smooth}} \text{Def}(\text{node})$

$U \xrightarrow{j} X$  complement to nodes.

smooth  $\swarrow$   
 $S$

Thm  $X/S$  good, The sheaf  $j_*(\omega_{U/S}^2)$  is locally free. (same for  $\omega_{X/S}^{2n}$ )

It is relative ample.

$$\omega_X = \omega_C \oplus \underbrace{L}_{\otimes L}, \quad \omega_X^2 = \underbrace{\omega_C \oplus \omega_C \otimes L}_{\otimes L} = p^* \omega_C$$

$p: X \rightarrow C$

Thm  $\overline{S}_g$  moduli stack of stable supercurves of genus  $g$  is a DM stack, smooth proper/ $\mathbb{C}$ .

1)  $X \quad Y$   
 $\swarrow \quad \searrow$   
 $S$

$\text{Isom}(X, Y)$  is representable by superscheme  
 uses theory of Hilbert schemes.

2)  $\exists$  étale atlas

3) smoothness follows from def. theory

4) properness from  $\overline{S}_{g, \text{bas}}$   
 $\uparrow$

classify generalized spin-curves

(Cornalba, Jarvis)



Mumford isomorphisms

1. Kodaira - Spencer map.

a. classical case  
 (even)

$$C \xrightarrow[\pi]{\text{stable curve}} S$$

$$U \quad \quad \quad V$$

$$C_0 \longrightarrow S_0 \quad \text{nodal curves divisor} \quad (t=0)$$

$$t \partial_t, \partial_x, \dots \quad t, x, \dots$$

$$\mathcal{T}_{S, S_0} \subset \mathcal{T}_S$$

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$$\{v: v(t) \in (t)\}$$

$$KS: \mathcal{T}_{S, S_0} \longrightarrow R^1 \pi_* (\overset{\omega_{C/S}^{-1}}{\mathcal{T}_{C/S}})$$

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isom. for universal family

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{T}_{C/S} \longrightarrow \mathcal{T}_{C, C_0} \longrightarrow \pi^* \mathcal{T}_{S, S_0} \longrightarrow 0$$

KS is obtained as coboundary map.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{\pi} & S \\ \cup & & \cup \quad (t=0) \\ X_0 & \longrightarrow & S_0 \end{array}$$

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{A}_{X/S} \longrightarrow \mathcal{A}_{X, X_0} \longrightarrow \pi^* \mathcal{T}_{S, S_0} \longrightarrow 0$$

is  
 $\omega_{X/S}^{-2}$

$$\sim KS: \mathcal{T}_{S, S_0} \longrightarrow R^1 \pi_* (\omega_{X/S}^{-2})$$

isom. for univ. family

Thm.  $\exists$  nat. Cartier divisor  $\Delta \subset \bar{S}_g$

$$KS \text{ induces } \omega_{\bar{S}_g} \simeq \text{Ber} \left( R \pi_* (\omega_{X/\bar{S}_g}^{-2}) \right) (-\Delta)$$

Mumford isom.: need to rewrite  $\uparrow$  in terms of  $\text{Ber}_1 = \text{Ber} (R \pi_* \omega_{X/S})$   
 $\simeq \text{Ber} (R \pi_* \mathcal{O}_{X/S})$



Thm  $\omega_{\bar{S}_g} \simeq \text{Ber}_1^S(-2\Delta_{NS} - \Delta_R)$

$$(\Delta = \Delta_{NS} + \Delta_R)$$

How to find relations between det. bundles?

Deligne "Le det. de la cohomologie".

$$\begin{array}{c} C \\ \downarrow \pi \\ S \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} L \text{ line bundle on } C \\ \\ d(L) = \text{Det}(R\pi_* L) \\ \\ \parallel \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{ } \\ \text{ } \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} A \rightarrow B \\ \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ \text{Det}(A) \otimes \text{Det}(B)^{-1} \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$d(L_1 \otimes L_2) \simeq d(L_1) \otimes d(L_2) \otimes d(\mathcal{O})^{-1} \otimes \langle L_1, L_2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{array}{c} D \subset C \\ \text{finite} \downarrow \\ S \end{array} \quad \langle \mathcal{O}_C(D), L \rangle = \text{Det}(\pi_*(L|_D)) \otimes \text{Det}(\pi_* \mathcal{O}_D)^{-1} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \text{bilinear in } L_1, L_2$$

In supercase,  $\begin{array}{c} X \\ \downarrow \\ S \end{array}$

$$B(L) = \text{Ber}(R\pi_* L)$$

$$\langle L_1, L_2 \rangle \simeq \mathcal{O}_S \text{ canonical}$$

$$\text{Ber } \pi_*(L_1|_D) \longrightarrow \text{Ber}(\pi_* L_2|_D)$$

$\uparrow$   
locally choose

$$L_1 \xrightarrow{t} L_2,$$

$$\text{Ber} \begin{pmatrix} t & f \end{pmatrix} = 1.$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 1|_D \quad 1|_D \\ B(L_1 \otimes L_2) = B(L_1) \otimes B(L_2) \\ \otimes B(\mathcal{O})^{-1} \end{array}$$

$$B(\omega^{-2}) \quad \text{in terms of } B(\omega) \stackrel{SD}{=} B(0)$$

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$$B(\omega^3) \simeq B(\pi \omega \otimes \omega^2)^{-1}$$

$$\simeq \underbrace{B(\pi \omega)^{-1}}_{\text{Ber}_1} \otimes B(\omega^2)^{-1} \otimes \underbrace{B(0)}_{\text{Ber}_1}$$

$$\simeq B(\omega^2)^{-1} \otimes \text{Ber}_1^2$$

$$B(\omega^2)^{-1} = B(\pi \omega \otimes \pi \omega)^{-1} \simeq B(\pi \omega)^{-2} \cdot B(0) \simeq \text{Ber}_1^3$$

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