# On Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck theorem for punctured curves with hyperbolic singularities

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Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck theorem and curvature theorem

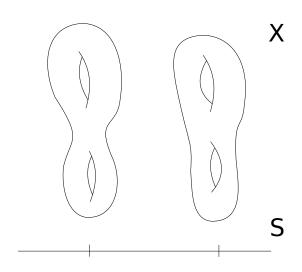
## Family setting

 $\pi: X \to S$  proper holomorphic submersion, relative dimension 1

$$\omega_{X/S} = (\Lambda^{\max} T^{*(1,0)} X) \otimes (\Lambda^{\max} T^{*(1,0)} S)^{-1}$$
  
the relative canonical line bundle of  $\pi$ 

$$t \in \mathcal{S}, X_t = \pi^{-1}(t)$$

# A picture



## Dolbeaut complex

 $\xi$  a holomorphic vector bundle over X

$$\Omega^{i,j}(X_t,\xi) = \mathscr{C}^{\infty}(X_t, T^{*(i,j)}X_t \otimes \xi), \quad i,j = 0, 1$$
 
$$0 \to \Omega^{0,0}(X_t,\xi) \xrightarrow{\overline{\partial}} \Omega^{0,1}(X_t,\xi) \to 0$$
 
$$H^0(X_t,\xi) = \ker(\overline{\partial}), \qquad H^1(X_t,\xi) = \Omega^{0,1}(X_t,\xi) / \operatorname{Im}(\overline{\partial})$$

#### Grothendieck-Knudsen-Mumford construction

#### The determinant of the cohomology

$$\lambda(\xi)_t = (\Lambda^{\max} H^0(X_t, \xi|_{X_t}))^{-1} \otimes \Lambda^{\max} H^1(X_t, \xi|_{X_t}), \quad t \in \mathcal{S}$$
 family of complex lines over  $\mathcal{S}$ 

#### Grothendieck-Knudsen-Mumford:

 $\lambda(\xi)_t,\,t\in\mathcal{S}$  form a holomorphic line bundle  $\lambda(\xi)$  over  $\mathcal{S}$ 

#### Theorem of Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck

## Theorem. (Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck, 1957)

The following identity holds in  $H^{\bullet}(S, \mathbb{Q})$ :

$$c_1(\lambda(\xi)) = -\int_{\pi} \left[ \mathrm{Td}(\omega_{X/S}) \mathrm{ch}(\xi) \right]^{[4]}$$

$$Td(\xi) = 1 + \frac{c_1(\xi)}{2} + \frac{c_1(\xi)^2 + c_2(\xi)}{12} + \dots$$
$$ch(\xi) = rk(\xi) + c_1(\xi) + \frac{c_1(\xi)^2 - 2c_2(\xi)}{2} + \dots$$

## Chern-Weil theory

- Y a complex manifold  $(E, h^E)$  a holomorphic Hermitian vector bundle over Y  $\nabla^E$  the Chern connection on  $(E, h^E)$
- $lacksquare R^E = (
  abla^E)^2 \in \Omega^{1,1}(Y,\operatorname{End}(E))$

$$\mathrm{ch}(E,h^E) = \mathrm{Tr}igg[\expigg(-rac{R^E}{2\pi\sqrt{-1}}igg)igg] \in \oplus_{
ho\in\mathbb{N}}\Omega^{
ho,
ho}(Y)$$
 $\mathrm{Td}(E,h^E) = \detigg[rac{R^E}{\exp(R^E)-1}igg] \in \oplus_{
ho\in\mathbb{N}}\Omega^{
ho,
ho}(Y)$ 

- $Td(E, h^E)$ ,  $ch(E, h^E)$  are closed forms
- Chern-Weil:  $\left[\operatorname{ch}(E, h^E)\right]_{DR} = \operatorname{ch}(E) \in \bigoplus_{p \in \mathbb{N}} H^{2p}(Y, \mathbb{R})$  $\left[\operatorname{Td}(E, h^E)\right]_{DR} = \operatorname{Td}(E) \in \bigoplus_{p \in \mathbb{N}} H^{2p}(Y, \mathbb{R})$

## A natural question

 $\pi: X o S$  proper holomorphic submersion, relative dimension 1  $\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega} \text{ a Hermitian norm on } \omega_{X/S}$ 

 $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  a holomorphic Hermitian vector bundle over X

$$c_1(\lambda(\xi), ?) = -\int_{\pi} \left[ \operatorname{Td}(\omega_{X/S}, (\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega})^2) \operatorname{ch}(\xi, h^{\xi}) \right]^{[4]}$$

# L<sup>2</sup> product and Hodge theory

- $L^2$ -Hermitian product. Let  $\alpha, \alpha' \in \Omega^{0, \bullet}(X_t, \xi)$  $\langle \alpha, \alpha' \rangle_{L^2} = \int_{X_t} \langle \alpha(x), \alpha'(x) \rangle_h dv_{X_t}(x),$  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_h$  the pointwise Hermitian product induced by  $h^{\xi}, \|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega}$ .
- $\begin{array}{c} \blacksquare \ 0 \to \Omega^{0,0}(X_t,\xi) \stackrel{\overline{\partial}}{\to} \Omega^{0,1}(X_t,\xi) \to 0, \\ \Box_t^{\xi} = \overline{\partial} \ \overline{\partial}^* + \overline{\partial}^* \overline{\partial} \end{array}$
- induces the  $L^2$ -norm  $\|\cdot\|_{L^2}$   $(g^{TX_t}, h^{\xi})$  over  $\lambda(\xi)_t = (\Lambda^{\max} H^0(X_t, \xi|_{X_t}))^{-1} \otimes \Lambda^{\max} H^1(X_t, \xi|_{X_t})$

## Infinite product

From now on 
$$\square_t^\xi := \square^\xi|_{\Omega^{0,0}(X_t,\xi)}$$

 $\square_t^\xi$  essentially self-adjoint

$$\operatorname{Spec}(\Box_t^{\xi}) = \{\lambda_{1,t}, \lambda_{2,t}, \ldots\}, \ \lambda_{i,t} \ \text{non decreasing}, \ \lambda_{i,t} \to \infty$$

$$\det{}'\Box_t^\xi = \prod_{\lambda_{i,t} 
eq 0}^\infty \lambda_{i,t}.$$

Problem: Need to make sense of the infinite product...

#### Zeta renormalisation

Weyl's law:  $\lambda_{i,t}$  increase asymptotically linearly with i

$$\zeta_{\xi,t}(s) = \sum_{\lambda_{i,t} 
eq 0}^{\infty} rac{1}{(\lambda_{i,t})^s}, ext{ for } \operatorname{Re}(s) > 1$$

Definition of the determinant. (Ray-Singer, 1973)

$$\det{}'\Box_t^\xi = \exp\Big(-\zeta_{\xi,t}'(0)\Big)$$

#### Refinement of Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck theorem

#### Quillen norm

Hermitian norm on  $\lambda(\xi)$ , given by

$$\left\|\cdot\right\|^{Q}\left(g^{TX_{t}},h^{\xi}\right)=\left(\det{}'\Box_{t}^{\xi}\right)^{1/2}\cdot\left\|\cdot\right\|_{L^{2}}\left(g^{TX_{t}},h^{\xi}\right)$$

## Curvature theorem. (Bismut-Gillet-Soulé, 1988)

■ Hermitian norm  $\|\cdot\|^Q (g^{TX_t}, h^{\xi})$  is smooth over S

$$\begin{split} c_{1}\left(\lambda(\xi),\left(\left\|\cdot\right\|^{Q}\left(g^{TX_{t}},h^{\xi}\right)\right)^{2}\right) \\ &=-\int_{\pi}\left[\mathrm{Td}(\omega_{X/S},(\left\|\cdot\right\|_{X/S}^{\omega})^{2})\mathrm{ch}(\xi,h^{\xi})\right]^{[4]} \end{split}$$



#### Motivation

We want to extend the theory of Quillen metrics to surfaces with hyperbolic cusps and degenerating families with singular fibers

# What is a surface with hyperbolic cusps?



 $\overline{M}$  a compact Riemann surface

$$D_M = \{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_m\} \subset \overline{M}, M = \overline{M} \setminus D_M$$

 $g^{TM}$  is a Kähler metric on M  $z_1, \ldots, z_m$  local holomorphic coordinates,  $z_i(0) = \{P_i\}$  Suppose  $g^{TM}$  over  $\{|z_i| < \epsilon\}$  is induced by

$$\frac{\sqrt{-1}\,dz_id\overline{z}_i}{\left|z_i\log|z_i|\right|^2}.$$

We call  $(\overline{M}, D_M, g^{TM})$  a surface with cusps

# An important example

Suppose 
$$2g(\overline{M}) - 2 + \#D_M > 0$$
, i.e.  $(\overline{M}, D_M)$  is stable

By uniformization theorem, there is exactly one csc -1 complete metric  $g_{\rm hyp}^{TM}$  of finite volume on  $M=\overline{M}\setminus D_M$ 

The triple  $(\overline{M}, D_M, g_{\mathrm{hyp}}^{TM})$  is a surface with cusps

#### Motivation

We want to extend the theory of Quillen metrics to surfaces with hyperbolic cusps and degenerating families with singular fibers

## Why?

- Problem on its own.
- Universal curve  $\pi:\mathscr{C}_{g,m}\to\mathscr{M}_{g,m}$  with csc -1 metric  $\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega,\mathrm{hyp}}$

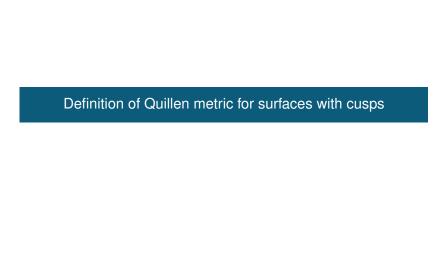
On 
$$\mathcal{M}_{g,m}$$
, we have  $\int_{\pi} \left[ \operatorname{Td}(\omega_{X/S}, (\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega, \text{hyp}})^2) \right]^{[4]} =^* \omega_{WP}$ .

As we expect 
$$c_1(\lambda, (\|\cdot\|^Q)^2) = -\int_\pi \left[ \operatorname{Td}(\omega_{X/S}, (\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega, \operatorname{hyp}})^2) \right]^{[4]}$$

Regularity of 
$$\left\|\cdot\right\|^Q$$
 near  $\partial \mathcal{M}_{g,m}$   $\downarrow$ 

Regularity of  $\omega_{WP}$  near  $\partial \mathcal{M}_{g,m}$ .

- Curvature theorem of Takhtajan-Zograf (csc -1).
- Arithmetic Riemann-Roch theorem for pointed stable curves relation to Freixas, Freixas-von Pippich, Dutour.



#### The $L^2$ -norm

$$\left\|\cdot\right\|^Q = \left(\det'\Box\right)^{1/2} \cdot \left\|\cdot\right\|_{L^2}$$

## The $L^2$ -norm

- Let  $(\overline{M}, D_M, g^{TM})$  be a surface with cusps  $\|\cdot\|_M^{\omega}$  the induced Hermitian norm on  $\omega_{\overline{M}}$  over M
- $\omega_M(D) = \omega_{\overline{M}} \otimes \mathscr{O}_{\overline{M}}(D_M)$  the twisted canonical line bundle  $\omega_M(D) \simeq \omega_{\overline{M}},$  over M induces the Hermitian norm  $\|\cdot\|_M$  on  $\omega_M(D)$  over M.

  This norm has log singularity  $\|dz_i \otimes s_{D_M}/z_i\|_M = |\log |z_i|$

 $\blacksquare$   $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  a holomorphic Hermitian vector bundle over  $\overline{M}$ 

$$E_n^{\xi} = \xi \otimes \omega_M(D)^n, \qquad h^{E_n^{\xi}} = h^{\xi} \otimes (\|\cdot\|_M)^{2n}$$

■ For  $n \le 0$ , by Hodge theory\*  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{L^2}$  induces the  $L^2$ -norm  $\| \cdot \|_{L^2}$  on  $\lambda(E_n^{\xi}) = (\Lambda^{\max} H^0(\overline{M}, E_n^{\xi}))^{-1} \otimes \Lambda^{\max} H^1(\overline{M}, E_n^{\xi})$ 

#### The determinant

$$\|\cdot\|^Q = \left(\det'\Box\right)^{1/2} \cdot \|\cdot\|_{L^2}$$

#### Problem with the determinant

$$\square^{E_n^\xi}:\!\!\Omega^{0,0}(M,E_n^\xi)\to\Omega^{0,0}(M,E_n^\xi)$$

It is again essentially self-adjoint by the same reason

As M is non-compact, in general  $\operatorname{Spec}(\Box^{E_n^\xi})$  is not discrete

$$\det'\Box^{E_n^\xi} \neq \prod_{\lambda_i \neq 0}^\infty \lambda_i.$$

# Takhtajan-Zograf approach

{ Length of closed geodesics }  $\leftrightarrow$  Spec( $\Box^{E_n^{\xi}}$ )

Suppose  $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  trivial,  $(M, D_M, g_{\text{hyp}}^{TM})$  has csc -1 then the set of simple closed geodesics is discrete

$$Z_{(\overline{M},D_M)}(s) = \prod_{\gamma} \prod_{k=0}^{\infty} (1 - e^{-(s+k)/(\gamma)})$$

 $\gamma$  simple closed geodesics on M;  $I(\gamma)$  is the length of  $\gamma$ .

## Takhtajan-Zograf definition using Selberg zeta-function, 1991

$$\det{}'_{\mathcal{T}Z}\Box^{\mathcal{E}_n^{\xi}} = \begin{cases} Z'_{(\overline{M},D_M)}(1), & \text{for } n=0, \\ Z_{(\overline{M},D_M)}(-n+1), & \text{for } n<0. \end{cases}$$

Motivated by a theorem of D'Hoker-Phong, 1986, which says that when m = 0, two sides of the previous equation coincide\*

## Limitations of this approach

- Restriction on the topology  $2g(\overline{M}) 2 + \#D_M > 0$ .
- Complex structure predefines the Kähler metric.
- No liberty in choosing  $(\xi, h^{\xi})$ .

# Analytic approach to the determinant

$$\lambda^{-s} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(s)} \int_0^{+\infty} \exp(-\lambda t) t^{s-1} dt$$

If M is compact, i.e. m = 0

$$\zeta_{\mathcal{E}_n^{\xi}}(\mathbf{s}) = \sum_{\lambda \in \text{Spec}(\square^{\mathcal{E}_n^{\xi}}) \setminus \{0\}} \lambda^{-\mathbf{s}} \tag{*}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\mathbf{s})} \int_0^{+\infty} \text{Tr}\Big[\exp^{\perp}(-t\square^{\mathcal{E}_n^{\xi}})\Big] t^{\mathbf{s}-1} dt \tag{**}$$

- For m > 0? Idea: define  $\zeta_{E_n^{\xi}}(s)$  for m > 0 using  $(\star\star)$  and not  $(\star)$
- Problem :  $\exp^{\perp}(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})$  is not of trace class for m>0

# Regularizing trace, I

The operator  $\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})$  has a smooth Schwartz kernel  $\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})(x,y) \in (E_n^{\xi})_x \otimes (E_n^{\xi})_y^*, \qquad x,y \in M$   $\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})s = \int_M \Big\langle \exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})(x,y), s(y) \Big\rangle dv_M(y).$ 

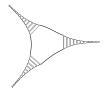
- If m = 0,  $\operatorname{Tr}\left[\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})\right] = \int_{\overline{M}} \operatorname{Tr}\left[\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^{\xi}})(x,x)\right] dv_M(x)$ .
- Idea: define  $\operatorname{Tr}^{r}\left[\exp(-t\Box^{E_{n}^{\xi}})\right]$  by taking the finite part of

$$\int_{M_r} \operatorname{Tr} \Big[ \exp(-t \Box^{E_n^{\xi}})(x,x) \Big] dv_M(x)$$

as  $r \to 0$ , where  $M_r$  is the non-striped region



# Regularizing trace, II



# Regularizing trace, III

#### Theorem. (-, 2018)

For any  $(\overline{M}, D_M, g^{TM})$ ,  $(\xi, h^{\xi})$ , t > 0, the function

$$\mathbb{R}_{>0}\ni r\mapsto \int_{M_r}\mathrm{Tr}\Big[\exp(-t\Box^{E_n^\xi})(x,x)\Big]dv_M(x)-\mathrm{rk}(\xi)\cdot m\cdot g_n(r,t)$$

extends continuously over r = 0.

# Regularizing trace, IV

#### Regularized heat trace

$$\operatorname{Tr}^{\mathbf{r}} \left[ \exp(-t \Box^{E_n^{\xi}}) \right]$$

$$= \lim_{r \to 0} \left( \int_{M_r} \operatorname{Tr} \left[ \exp(-t \Box^{E_n^{\xi}})(x, x) \right] dv_M(x) - \operatorname{rk}(\xi) \cdot m \cdot g_n(r, t) \right).$$

# Regularized zeta function

$$\zeta_{E_n^{\xi}}(s) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(s)} \int_0^{+\infty} \mathrm{Tr}^{r} \Big[ \exp^{\perp} (-t \Box^{E_n^{\xi}}) \Big] t^{s-1} dt.$$

## Theorem. (-, 2018)

- lacksquare  $\zeta_{E_n^{\xi}}(s)$  is well-defined and extends meromorphically to  $\mathbb C$
- lacksquare 0  $\in$   $\mathbb{C}$  is a holomorphic point of  $\zeta_{E_n^{\xi}}(s)$

## Finally, the determinant

#### Definition of the determinant

$$\det'\Box^{E_n^\xi} = \exp\Big(-\zeta'_{E_n^\xi}(\mathbf{0})\Big).$$

# Compatibility theorem

## Theorem. (-, 2019)

Suppose  $(M, D_M, g_{\rm hyp}^{TM})$  has csc -1,  $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  trivial. Then for any  $m \ge 0$ ,  $n \le 0$ , we have

$$\det{}'\Box^{E_n^{\xi}}=^*\det{}'_{TZ}\Box^{E_n^{\xi}}.$$

=\* means up to some computed universal constant

m = 0, D'Hoker-Phong, 1986

## Finally, the Quillen norm

#### Quillen norm

Hermitian norm on  $\lambda(E_n^{\xi})$ , given by

$$\left\| \cdot \right\|^Q \left( g^{TM}, h^{E_n^\xi} \right) = \left( \, \det{}' \Box^{E_n^\xi} \right)^{1/2} \cdot \left\| \cdot \right\|_{L^2} \left( g^{TM}, h^{E_n^\xi} \right)$$

# A question

How to compute the Quillen norm?

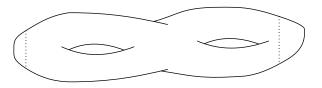


# A notion of flattening

Flattening of a metric with cusps  $g^{TM}$ 



is a Kähler metric  $g_{
m f}^{\it TM}$  on  $\overline{\it M}$  such that



The same for  $\|\cdot\|_{M}$ 

# Relative compact perturbation theorem

Let  $(\overline{M}, D_M, g^{TM})$  be a surface with cusps,  $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  Hermitian vector bundle over  $\overline{M}$   $g_{\mathrm{f}}^{TM}, \|\cdot\|_{M}^{\mathrm{f}}$  the flattenings of  $g^{TM}, \|\cdot\|_{M}$ 

Relative compact perturbation theorem calculates

$$\frac{\left\|\cdot\right\|_{Q}\left(g^{TM},h^{\xi}\otimes\left\|\cdot\right\|_{M}^{2n}\right)}{\left\|\cdot\right\|_{Q}\left(g_{\mathrm{f}}^{TM},h^{\xi}\otimes\left(\left\|\cdot\right\|_{M}^{\mathrm{f}}\right)^{2n}\right)}$$

In other words: it answers

How Quillen metric changes under compact perturbation.



#### The Wolpert norm

$$(\overline{M}, D_M, g^{TM}), D_M = \{P_1, \dots, P_m\}$$
 surface with cusps  $z_1, \dots, z_m$  local holomorphic coordinates,  $z_i(0) = \{P_i\}$   $g^{TM}$  over  $\{|z_i| < \epsilon\}$  is induced by

$$\frac{\sqrt{-1} dz_i d\overline{z}_i}{\left|z_i \log |z_i|\right|^2}$$

#### Wolpert norm

 $\|\cdot\|^W$  on  $\otimes_{i=1}^m \omega_{\overline{M}}|_{P_i}$  is defined by

$$\|\otimes_i dz_i|_{P_i}\|^W=1.$$

$$on \quad D^* \qquad \frac{\sqrt{-1} \, dz d\overline{z}}{\big|z \log |z|\big|^2} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad \big\| \, dz \big|_0 \big\|^W = 1 \, on \quad D^* \qquad \frac{\sqrt{-1} \, dz d\overline{z}}{\big|z \log \big|2z\big|\big|^2}$$

Wolpert norm is related to the "constant term" of the conformal transformation at cusp

# Anomaly formula, setting

$$(\overline{M}, D_M)$$
 a pointed Riemann surface  $g^{TM}, g_0^{TM}$  metrics with cusps at  $D_M$ 

$$\|\cdot\|_M, \|\cdot\|_M^0$$
 the norms induced by  $g^{TM}, g_0^{TM}$  on  $\omega_M(D)$ 

$$\|\cdot\|^W, \|\cdot\|^W_0$$
 the associated Wolpert norms on  $\otimes_{P\in D_M}\omega_{\overline{M}}|_P$ 

 $\xi$  holomorphic vector bundle on  $\overline{M}$   $h^{\xi}$ ,  $h_0^{\xi}$  Hermitian metrics on  $\xi$  over  $\overline{M}$ 

#### Theorem. (-, 2018)

$$\begin{split} 2\log\Bigl(\lVert \cdot\rVert_Q \left(g_0^{TM},h_0^\xi\otimes (\lVert \cdot\rVert_M^0)^{2n}\right)\Big/\lVert \cdot\rVert_Q \left(g^{TM},h^\xi\otimes \lVert \cdot\rVert_M^{2n}\right)\Bigr) \\ &= \int_M \Bigl[ \text{Bott-Chern terms, analogic to the anomaly} \\ &\quad \text{for compact manifolds of Bismut-Gillet-Soul\'e} \Bigr] \\ &\quad -\frac{\operatorname{rk}(\xi)}{6}\log\Bigl(\lVert \cdot\rVert^W/\lVert \cdot\rVert_0^W\Bigr) + \sum\log\Bigl(\det(h^\xi/h_0^\xi)|_{P_i}\Bigr). \end{split}$$

What is a family of curves with cusps?

#### Family of curves with cusps

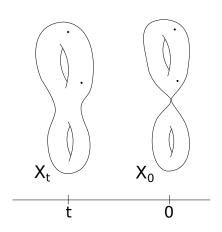
■  $\pi: X \to S$  proper holomorphic of relative dimension 1,  $t \in S$ ,  $X_t = \pi^{-1}(t)$  has at most double-point singularities (i.e. those of the form  $\{z_0z_1 = 0\}$ )

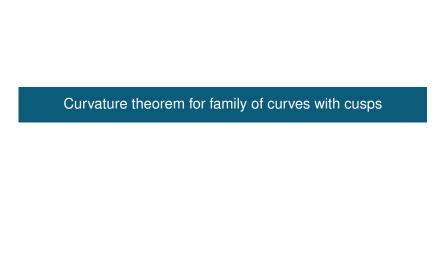
 $\Sigma_{X/S}$  singular points of the fibers,  $\Delta = \pi_*(\Sigma_{X/S})$ 

- $\sigma_1, \ldots, \sigma_m : S \to X \setminus \Sigma_{X/S}$  hol. non intersect. sections  $D_{X/S} = \operatorname{Im}(\sigma_1) + \cdots + \operatorname{Im}(\sigma_m)$
- $\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega}$  Herm. norm on  $\omega_{X/S}$  over  $X \setminus (|D_{X/S}| \cup \pi^{-1}(|\Delta|))$  $\|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega}|_{X_t}$  induces metric  $g^{TX_t}$  on  $X_t \setminus |D_{X/S}|$ ,  $t \in S \setminus |\Delta|$ So that  $(X_t, \{\sigma_1(t), \dots, \sigma_m(t)\}, g^{TX_t})$  is a surface with cusps

 $(\pi: X \to S, D_{X/S}, \|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega})$  a family of curves with cusps

# A picture





#### Grothendieck-Knudsen-Mumford determinant

$$(\pi: X \to S, D_{X/S}, \|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{\omega})$$
 a family of curves with cusps  $\omega_{X/S}(D) = \omega_{X/S} \otimes \mathscr{O}_X(D_{X/S}), \qquad \|\cdot\|_{X/S}$  twisted relative canonical line bundle on  $X$   $(\xi, h^{\xi})$  a holomorphic Hermitian vector bundle over  $X$ 

$$egin{aligned} E_n^\xi &= \xi \otimes \omega_{X/S}(D)^n \ \lambda(E_n^\xi)_t &= (\Lambda^{\mathsf{max}} H^0(X_t, E_n^\xi|_{X_t}))^{-1} \otimes \Lambda^{\mathsf{max}} H^1(X_t, E_n^\xi|_{X_t}) \end{aligned}$$

# Quillen norm for families of surfaces with cusps

#### Quillen norm

We define the Quillen norm on  $\lambda(\xi \otimes \omega_{X/S}(D)^n)$  by

$$\begin{split} \left\| \cdot \right\|^Q \left( g^{TX_t}, h^{\xi} \otimes \left\| \cdot \right\|_{X/S}^{2n} \right) \\ &= \left( \, \det' \Box_t^{E_n^{\xi}} \right)^{1/2} \cdot \left\| \cdot \right\|_{L^2} \left( g^{TX_t}, h^{\xi} \otimes \left\| \cdot \right\|_{X/S}^{2n} \right). \end{split}$$

# Wolpert norm for families

#### Wolpert norm

We define the Wolpert norm  $\|\cdot\|^W$  on  $\otimes_i \sigma_i^*(\omega_{X/S})$  over S by gluing the Wolpert norms  $\|\cdot\|_t^W$  on  $\otimes_i \omega_{X/S}|_{\sigma_i(t)}$  induced by  $g^{TX_t}$ .

#### Riemann-Roch-Grothendieck theorem in the presence of cusps

$$\mathscr{L}_n = \lambda(\mathcal{E}_n^{\xi})^{12} \otimes (\otimes_i \sigma_i^* \omega_{X/S})^{-\mathrm{rk}(\xi)} \otimes \mathscr{O}_S(\Delta)^{\mathrm{rk}(\xi)} \otimes (\otimes_i \sigma_i^* \det \xi)^6$$

#### Canonical singular norm

 $s_{\Delta}$  the canonical holomorphic section of  $\mathscr{O}_{S}(\Delta)$   $\|\cdot\|_{\Delta}^{\operatorname{div}}$  on  $\mathscr{O}_{S}(\Delta)$  is defined by  $\|s_{\Delta}\|_{\Delta}^{\operatorname{div}}(x) = 1$ ,  $x \in S \setminus |\Delta|$ 

$$\begin{split} \|\cdot\|^{\mathscr{L}_n} &= \left(\|\cdot\|^Q \left(g^{\mathsf{TX}_l}, h^{\xi} \otimes \|\cdot\|_{X/\mathcal{S}}^{2n}\right)\right)^{12} \otimes \left(\|\cdot\|^W\right)^{-\mathrm{rk}(\xi)} \\ &\otimes (\|\cdot\|_{\Delta}^{\mathrm{div}})^{\mathrm{rk}(\xi)} \otimes (\otimes_i \sigma_i^* h^{\det \xi})^3 \end{split}$$

#### Theorem. (-, 2018)

Under mild degenerating assumptions on  $\|\cdot\|_{X/S}$ , the norm  $\|\cdot\|^{\mathscr{L}_n}$  extends continuously\* over  $|\Delta|$ , smooth\* over  $S\setminus |\Delta|$ , and on the level of currents over S:

$$c_1\Big(\mathscr{L}_n, (\|\cdot\|^{\mathscr{L}_n})^2\Big) = -12 \int_\pi \left[ \mathrm{Td}(\omega_{X/S}(D), \|\cdot\|_{X/S}^2) \mathrm{ch}(\xi, h^\xi) \mathrm{ch}(\omega_{X/S}(D), \|\cdot\|_{X/S}^{2n}) \right]^{[4]}$$

# Thank you!