

Smooth Morphisms

Recall $f: X \rightarrow Y$ smooth of rel. dim n if ① f flat ② $\bigcup_{x \in X} \Omega_{X/Y} \otimes_{k(x)} k(x)$, then $\dim X' = \dim Y + n$ ③ $\dim \Omega_{X/Y} \otimes_{k(x)} k(x) = n$.

Lemma 1 let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a dominant morphism of nonsingular

irreducible varieties over an alg closed field k of char 0.

then \exists a nonempty open subset $V \subseteq X$ s.t.

$f: \boxed{f^{-1}(V)} \rightarrow Y$ is a smooth morphism.

That is for $\forall y \in Y$, the fiber $f^{-1}(y)$ is geometrically smooth of pure dimension $\dim X - \dim Y$.
(non-empty)

Pf.

- For \forall Variety X , the function field $k(X)$ is finitely generated/ k .
- $f: X \rightarrow Y$ dominant $\Rightarrow \exists$ k -alg homo. $k(Y) \rightarrow k(X)$
- $k = \bar{k}$, any finitely generated field extension/ k is separably generated
 $\Rightarrow k(X)$ is a separably generated field extension of $k(Y)$
- $\Rightarrow \dim_{k(X)} \Omega_{k(X)/k(Y)} = \text{tr.deg. } k(X)/k(Y)$
- $\Rightarrow \Omega_{X/Y}$ is free of rank $= \dim X - \dim Y$ at the generic point of X
- $\Rightarrow \Omega_{X/Y}$ is locally free of rank $(\dim X - \dim Y)$ on some nonempty open subset $V \subseteq X$

X, Y nonsingular $\Rightarrow f: V \rightarrow Y$ smooth

Lemma 2

$f: X \rightarrow Y$ morphism of schemes of finite type/ $k = \bar{k}$
char $= 0$

For each $r \geq 0$, let $T_{f,x}: T_{X,x} \rightarrow T_{Y,f(x)}$ be the tangent map

& $X_r := \{ \text{closed points } x \in X \mid \text{rank } T_{f,x} \leq r \}$,
then $\dim \overline{f(X_r)} \leq r$.

Pf

let V be an irreducible component of $f(X_r)$ &

let U be an irreducible component of X_r s.t. $\begin{cases} f(U) \subseteq V \\ \overline{f(U)} = V \end{cases}$

Consider U and V with reduced induced scheme structures &
morphism $f: U \rightarrow V$

By Lemma 1, \exists nonempty open subset $U' \subset U$ s.t.

$f|_{U'}: U' \rightarrow V$ smooth

Now consider $x \in U' \cap X_r$, and the following commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T_{U',x} & \xrightarrow{\text{Surjective}} & T_{V,f(x)} \\ \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow \\ T_{X,x} & \xrightarrow{T_{f,x}} & T_{Y,f(x)} \end{array}$$

$\Rightarrow \dim T_{V,f(x)} \leq r$

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$\text{rank } T_{f,x} \leq r \text{ since } x \in X_r$

$\dim V \leq r$.

THEOREM (Generic Smoothness)

$f: X \rightarrow Y$ a morphism of $\text{Var.}_{k=\overline{k}, \text{char } k=0}$

assume X is nonsingular.

then \exists non-empty open subset $V \subseteq Y$ st.

$f: f^{-1}(V) \rightarrow V$ is smooth.

Pf. By the proof of lemma 1,

\exists an open dense subset $U \subseteq Y$ which is non-singular.

So WMA Y nonsingular. let $r = \dim Y$

then $\dim \overline{f(X_{r-1})} \leq r-1$

Removing $\overline{f(X_{r-1})}$ from Y , WMA $\text{rank } T_f \geq r$
for \forall closed pts of X

Y nonsingular of dim $r \Rightarrow T_f$ surjective for \forall closed pts of X

\downarrow

f smooth.

$\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Rmk if } f \text{ not dominant, then } V \subseteq Y - \overline{f(X)} \text{ & } f^{-1}(V) \text{ will be} \\ \text{empty.} \end{array} \right]$

Morphisms to a curve

let $f: S \rightarrow B$ a surjective morphism from a surface S to a nonsingular projective curve B .

then • f is projective and hence proper

• f is flat (by "miracle flatness")
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the arithmetic genus of $F_b = f^{-1}(b)$ is independent of $b \in B$

Consider the Stein factorization of f

$$S \xrightarrow{g} C \xrightarrow{h} B$$

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$\text{Spec}_B(f_* \mathcal{O}_S)$

where $g: S \rightarrow C$ with $g_* \mathcal{O}_S = \mathcal{O}_C$ Zariski's connected theorem

$h: C \rightarrow B$ finite morphism g has connected fibres

S normal $\Rightarrow C$ normal, i.e. C also smooth

$\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{if } \phi \text{ rational function on } C \text{ which integral over } \mathcal{O}_C \\ \text{then } g^* \phi = \phi \circ g \text{ integral over } \mathcal{O}_S \Rightarrow \phi \circ g \in \mathcal{O}_S \Rightarrow \phi \in g_* \mathcal{O}_S = \mathcal{O}_C \end{array} \right]$

$g_* \mathcal{O}_S = \mathcal{O}_C \Rightarrow$ all but finitely many fibres of g are integral curves. (irreducible & reduced)

Zariski lemma

$f: S \rightarrow C$ fibration over a smooth projective curve C

F a fibre of f over $x \in C$

Clearly two projections $F \times C \xrightarrow{\text{pr}_2} C$ are fibrations

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \text{pr}_1 \\ F \times C & \xrightarrow{\text{pr}_2} & C \end{array}$$

Called trivial fibrations

Lemma 1 | the normal sheaf of F , $\mathcal{G}_F(F)$ is trivial, that is
 $\mathcal{G}_F(F) \cong \mathcal{G}_F$

Pf. let $x = f(F)$, and D be a divisor on C with $D \sim_{\text{lin}} x$
& $x \notin \text{Supp } D$

$$\text{then } \mathcal{G}_F(F) \cong \mathcal{G}_F(f^*D) \cong \mathcal{G}_F$$

Lemma 2 (Zariski lemma)

let $F = \sum_{i=1}^l n_i F_i$ be a fibre of a fibration $f: S \rightarrow C$

where F_i irreducible components of F , $n_i > 0$. then

(1) $FF_i = 0$ for all i

(2) For any divisor $D = \sum_{i=1}^l m_i F_i$, $m_i \in \mathbb{Z}$, one have

$D^2 \leq 0$, and $D^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow D$ is a rational multiple of F .
 $(\exists r \in \mathbb{Q}, \text{ s.t. } D = rF)$

Pf. (1) let F' be another fibre of f , then $F_i \cap \text{Supp } F' = \emptyset$
and thus $FF_i = F'F_i = 0$

(2) Suppose that $D^2 > 0$. $\xrightarrow{\substack{\text{Hodge index thm} \\ \text{by (1), } FD = 0}} F^2 < 0$

Hence $D^2 \leq 0$

Now assume that $D^2 = 0$.

let $r = \min \{r \in \mathbb{Q} \mid D + rF \geq 0 \text{ as } \mathbb{Q}\text{-divisors}\}$

then clearly there are at least 1 components of F not contained in
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 $(\text{by the choice of } r)$

If D not a multiple of F , then $D + rF \neq 0$. (not trivial divisor)

$\Rightarrow \exists$ an irreducible component P of F , such that

$$\begin{cases} P \notin D + rF \\ P \cap (D + rF) \neq \emptyset \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(D + rF) = PD > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (mD + P)^2 = 2mPD + P^2 > 0 \text{ for } m \gg 0$$

Since $mD + P = \sum k_i F_i$
we must have $(mD + P)^2 \leq 0$

Application of Zariski lemma

Estimation on Picard number $\rho(S)$

F a fibre of a fibration $f: S \rightarrow C$

$$\ell(F) := \#\{ \text{irreducible components of } F \}$$

Theorem (lower bound on $\rho(S)$)

$$\rho(S) \geq 2 + \sum_{F \text{ reducible fibres}} (\ell(F) - 1)$$

Pf. let F_1, \dots, F_m be all irreducible fibres of f .

For each i ,

$F_{i1}, F_{i2}, \dots, F_{i\ell(F_i)}$ all irred. components of F_i

let H be an ample divisor of S & F be a general fibre.

then H, F and all F_{ij} ($j < \ell(F_i)$) are numerically independent.

Indeed, suppose $D = aH + bF + \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^{\ell(F_i)-1} c_{ij} F_{ij} \equiv_{\text{num}} 0$.

for certain integers $a, b, c_{ij} \in \mathbb{Z}$.

then $\begin{array}{l} DF = 0 \\ aHF = 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow a = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} D^2 = \left(bF + \sum_i \sum_j c_{ij} F_{ij} \right)^2 \\ 0 = \sum_{i=1}^m \left(\sum_{j=1}^{\ell(F_i)-1} c_{ij} F_{ij} \right)^2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{By Zariski lemma,} \\ \Rightarrow \left(\sum_{j=1}^{\ell(F_i)-1} c_{ij} F_{ij} \right)^2 \leq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \left(\sum_{j=1}^{\ell(F_i)-1} c_{ij} F_{ij} \right)^2 = 0 \\ \downarrow \\ c_{ij} = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \sum_{j=1}^{\ell(F_i)-1} c_{ij} F_{ij} = r_i F_i \text{ for some } r_i \in \mathbb{Q} \\ D = bF \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} bHF = HD = 0 \quad (\text{since } D \equiv_{\text{num}} 0) \\ HF > 0 \end{array} \quad \} \Rightarrow b = 0$$

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Elliptic fibrations

Def let S be a smooth projective surface. A fibration on S is

a surjective morphism $f: S \rightarrow B$ to a smooth projective curve,

and all fibres of f are connected.

(S also called a pencil of curves)

A general fibre is irreducible & smooth, its genus g called
the genus of the fibration / the genus of pencil.

The singular fibres are said to be degenerate.

B called the base curve, its genus denoted by $b := g(B)$.

the fibration f is relatively minimal if for $\forall b \in B$,

the fibre $F_b = f^{-1}(b)$ does not contain any (-1)-curve
among its components.

Def A fibration $f: S \rightarrow B$ is elliptic if the general fibre of f
is a smooth elliptic curve.

(pencil)

Rmk For a relatively minimal fibration $f: S \rightarrow B$ (with $f^*(G_S) = G_B$)

if $p_a(F_b) = 1$ for some $b \in B$.

over $k = \bar{k}$, $\text{char} k = 0$,

f is generically smooth \Rightarrow almost all fibres of f
are smooth elliptic curves

f is an elliptic fibration.

Set-up: $f: S \rightarrow B$ an elliptic fibration

f relatively minimal

$F_b = \sum_{i=1}^l m_i F_i$ is a fibre of f over $b \in B$

Def let $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ be the largest positive integer such that

$\frac{1}{n} F_b$ is an integral divisor, then F_b is called a multiple fibre

& n is the multiplicity of F_b .

Clearly $n = \gcd(m_1, \dots, m_l)$

Observation. $F_b \cdot F_i = k_S \cdot F_i = 0$ for $\forall 1 \leq i \leq l$.

Pf. If F is a fibre of f , distinct from F_b , then $F \equiv_{num} F_b$

$\cdot F_b \cdot F_i = F \cdot F_i = 0$ for $\forall i$, since $\text{Supp}(F) \cap F_i = \emptyset$.

• By genus formula,

$$2 \frac{p_a(F_b)}{||} - 2 = \frac{F_b^2}{||} + k_s F_b \Rightarrow k_s F_b = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\ell} m_i k_s F_i$$

if $\ell=1, m_1 \geq 1$, then $k_s F_1 = 0$

if $\ell \geq 2$, then by ~~Grover's criterion~~
~~Zariski's lemma~~, $(F_i)^2 < 0$ for $\forall 1 \leq i \leq \ell$.

$$2 \frac{p_a(F_i)}{||} - 2 = F_i^2 + k_s F_i \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} k_s F_i < 0 \text{ for some } i \\ F_i \text{ smooth rational curve} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow p_a(F_i) = 0 \text{ & } F_i^2 = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow k_s F_i \geq 0 \text{ for } \forall 1 \leq i \leq \ell. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} m_i k_s F_i = 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow k_s F_i = 0 \text{ for } \forall 1 \leq i \leq \ell.$$

Observation | If F_b is a reducible fibre of f , then each irreducible component F_i of F_b is a (-2) -curve.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} p_a(F_i) = 0 \\ k_s F_i = 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} 2 \frac{p_a(F_i)}{||} - 2 = F_i^2 + k_s F_i \Rightarrow F_i^2 = -2 \\ p_a(F_i) = 0 \Rightarrow F_i \text{ smooth rational curve} \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} F_i \\ (-2)\text{-curve} \end{array}$$

Def.

S minimal surface

$D = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} n_i E_i \geq 0$ an effective divisor on S

then D is a divisor/curve of canonical type if

$$k_s E_i = D \cdot E_i = 0 \text{ for } \forall 1 \leq i \leq \ell.$$

If moreover D is connected & $\gcd(n_1, \dots, n_\ell) = 1$

then D called an indecomposable curve of canonical type.

Theorem

Let $D = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} n_i E_i \geq 0$ be an indecomposable curve of canonical type on a minimal surface S & let L be an invertible \mathcal{O}_S -module.

If $\deg(L|_{E_i}) = 0$ for $\forall 1 \leq i \leq \ell$, then

$$L \otimes \mathcal{O}_{E_i}$$

$$H^0(D, L) \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} L \cong \mathcal{G}_D \\ H^0(D, \mathcal{G}_D) \cong \mathbb{C} \end{cases}$$

Corollary | If D is an indecomposable curve of canonical type,
then $\omega_D \cong \mathcal{O}_D$, here ω_D is the dualizing sheaf of D .

Pf By Serre duality (for embedded curves),

$$\dim H^1(\omega_D) = \dim H^0(\mathcal{O}_D) = 1$$

D connected.

Consider the exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow k_s \rightarrow k_s + D \rightarrow (k_s + D)|_D \rightarrow 0$$

\mathcal{O}_D dualizing sheaf

$$\Rightarrow \chi(\omega_D) = \chi(k_s + D) - \chi(k_s)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{R.R.}}{=} \frac{1}{2}(k_s + D)D = 0$$

by definition of indecomposable curve of canonical type

$$\Rightarrow \dim H^0(\omega_D) = 1$$

$$\deg(\omega_D|_{E_i}) = (k_s + D) \cdot E_i = 0 \text{ for all } i. \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Thm} \\ \omega_D \cong \mathcal{O}_D \end{array} \right\}$$

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Cor If $D = \sum_{i=1}^l n_i E_i$ is an indecomposable curve of canonical type
& D' is an effective divisor on surface S s.t. $D' \cdot E_i = 0$
for each i ,
then $D' = nD + D''$ where $n \geq 0$
 $D'' \geq 0$ effective divisor with
 $\text{Supp } D'' \cap \text{Supp } D = \emptyset$.

Pf let n be the non-negative integer defined by the conditions

$$\begin{cases} D' - nD \geq 0 \\ D' - (n+1)D \text{ not effective} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Put } D'' := D' - nD \quad L := \mathcal{O}_D(D'')$$

Consider the exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(D'' - D) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(D'') \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_D(D'') \rightarrow 0$$

\mathcal{O}_D L

$D'' \geq 0 \Rightarrow \exists$ nonzero section $s \in H^0(S, \mathcal{O}_S(D''))$ s.t. $\text{div}(s) = D''$.

$D'' - D = D' - (n+1)D$ not effective $\Rightarrow s \notin H^0(D'' - D) \Rightarrow \bar{s} \in H^0(D, L)$

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(D'' - D) \rightarrow H^0(D'') \rightarrow H^0(D, L)$$

$\deg(L|_{E_i}) = D'' \cdot E_i = D' \cdot E_i - n D \cdot E_i = 0$ for all i
by Theorem, $L \cong \mathcal{O}_D$ & $H^0(D, L) \cong \mathbb{C} \Rightarrow s(x) \neq 0$ for $\forall x \in D \setminus \text{Supp } D'' \cap \text{Supp } D$.

THEOREM

S minimal surface with $k_S^2 = 0$ & k_S ~~minimal~~
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If S contains an indecomposable curve
(i.e. $k_{SC} \geq 0$ for all curves $C \subset S$)

then \exists an elliptic fibration $f: S \rightarrow B$ of canonical type

More precisely, $\exists n > 0$ s.t. the Stein factorization of the morph.

$\varphi_{1, nD}: S \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^{h^0(nD)-1}$ is a pencil of curves of canonical type. that is an elliptic fibration.

Pf [Case $p_g = 0$]

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(-D) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_D \rightarrow 0$$

Twisted by $\mathcal{O}_S(nk_S + nD)$ ($n \geq 0$)

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nk + (n-1)D) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nk + nD) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nk + nD)|_D \rightarrow 0$$

Claim: $H^2(nk + (n-1)D) = 0$ for all $n \geq 2$

and thus $H^2(nk + nD) = 0$ for $\forall n \geq 2$.

Granting this claim for the moment,

$$\begin{aligned} D \text{ indecomposable curve of canonical type} &\Rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{O}_D) = H^0(\omega_D) = H^0(\mathcal{O}) \neq 0 \\ \Rightarrow H^1(nk + nD) &\rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{O}_D) \rightarrow H^2(nk + (n-1)D) \end{aligned}$$

exact

$$H^2(nk + nD) \neq 0$$

by Riemann-Roch

$$\begin{aligned} D &= \sum_{i=1}^t n_i E_i \\ kE_i &= D \cdot E_i = 0 \text{ for each } i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(nk + nD) &= \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + \frac{1}{2}(nk + nD)((n-1)k + nD) \\ &= \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) \\ &= 1 - g(S) \end{aligned}$$

by Noether formula

$$\begin{aligned} 12\chi(\mathcal{O}_S) &= k_S^2 + e(S) \\ 12(1-g) &\stackrel{k_S=0}{=} 2 - 2b_1 + b_2 \quad \Rightarrow 10 - 8g = b_2 = h^{1,1} \geq 0 \\ &\stackrel{p_g=0}{=} 2 - 4g + b_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \chi(nk + nD) = 0 \text{ or } 1 \quad (\text{for } n \geq 2)$$

$$\frac{h^0(nk + nD) - h^1(nk + nD)}{\#}$$

$$\Rightarrow h^0(nk + nD) \neq 0 \quad \text{for } n \geq 2.$$

\Rightarrow for $n \geq 2$, \exists effective divisor $D_n \in |nk + nD|$

Observation 1 $D_n \neq 0$.

Otherwise, $nk + nD \sim 0$ (i.e. $nk \sim -nD$)

let C be an irreducible curve on S s.t. $D \cdot C > 0$

$$\text{then } k_S \cdot C = \frac{1}{n}(nk \cdot C) = -D \cdot C < 0 \quad \checkmark (k_S \text{ nef})$$

Observation 2 D_n is of canonical type.

Indeed, say $D = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} n_i E_i$, then $kE_i \cdot D \cdot E_i = 0$

$$D_n \cdot E_i = (nk + nD) \cdot E_i = 0 \text{ for all } i$$

by Corollary, $D_n = mD + \sum_{\substack{j \\ F \geq 0}} k_j F_j$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} m \geq 0 \text{ integer} \\ k_j > 0 \\ F_j \text{ irred. curve with } F_j \cap \text{Supp } D = \emptyset \end{array} \right.$

$$kF = \sum k_j kF_j \geq 0, \text{ since } k \text{ nef}$$

$$kF = \cancel{k(F+mD)} = kD_n = k(nk + nD) = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \Rightarrow kF_j = 0 \\ \text{for all } j. \end{array} \right.$$

$$D_n \cdot F_j = (nk + nD)F_j = nkF_j + nD_F_j = 0$$

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 $F_j \cap \text{Supp } D = \emptyset$

By definition, D_n is of canonical type.

Observation 3 Cannot have $D_n = a_n D$ for integers $a_n \geq 0$ & $\forall n \geq 2$.

Otherwise, $D_n \in (nk + nD) \Rightarrow nk \underset{\text{l.i.}}{\sim} b_n D$ for $b_n \in \mathbb{Z}$ & $n \geq 2$

In particular $k = 3k - 2k \sim (b_3 - b_2)D = bD$ for some $b \in \mathbb{Z}$

if $b < 0$, take an irred. curve C s.t. $DC > 0$, then $kc = bDC < 0$

if $b \geq 0$, $|k_S| = |bD| \neq \emptyset$

End of proof | Construct a pencil from two distinct indecomposable curves of canonical type

We have seen that $\exists \geq 1$ indecomposable curve of canonical type D' on S , which is disjoint from D

$$0 \rightarrow k_S \rightarrow k_S + D \rightarrow \omega_D \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{exact}$$

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 G_D

$$0 \rightarrow k_S \rightarrow k_S + D' \rightarrow \omega_{D'} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{exact}$$

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 $G_{D'}$

Twisted by $G_S(D)$ (resp. $G_S(D')$)

$$0 \rightarrow G_S(k_S + D) \rightarrow G_S(k_S + 2D) \rightarrow G_D \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow G_S(k_S + D') \rightarrow G_S(k_S + 2D') \rightarrow G_{D'} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{exact}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \rightarrow G_S(k_S + D) \otimes G_S(k_S + D') \xrightarrow{\quad \text{twist} \quad} G_S(k_S + 2D) \otimes G_S(k_S + 2D') \xrightarrow{\quad \text{twist} \quad} G_D \oplus G_{D'},$$

$$G_S(2k_S + D + D')$$

$$G_S(2k_S + 2D + 2D') \quad \downarrow \quad \text{Exact}$$

Similar argument as before, we have

$$H^2(2k + D + D') = 0 \text{ and thus } H^2(2k + 2D + 2D') = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow H^1(2k + 2D + 2D') \rightarrow H^1(G_D \oplus G_{D'}) \rightarrow 0 \Rightarrow h^1(2k + 2D + 2D') \geq 2$$

by Riemann-Roch,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \chi(2k+2D+2D') &= \chi(g_s) + \frac{1}{2}(2k+2D+2D')(k+2D+2D') \\
 &= \chi(g_s) \\
 &= 1 - q = 0 \text{ or } 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow h^0(zk+2D+2D') \geq 2$$

Let $\Delta \in |2k+2D+2D'|$, consider the complete linear system $|\Delta|$

Remark that

- ① $\Delta > 0$ (strictly positive divisor)
 - ② $\Delta^2 = (2k + 2D + 2D')^2 = 0$
 - ③ $\dim |\Delta| \geq 1$
 - ④ Δ is of canonical type, since $k^2 = 0$ & D, D' of canonical type
 - ⑤ $|\Delta|$ is composed with a pencil & $\varphi_{|\Delta|}$ is a morphism;

Let C be a fixed part of $|\Delta|$, then $|\Delta - C|$ no fixed components

$$(\Delta - C)^2 = \Delta^2 - 2\Delta C + C^2 = C^2 \leq 0$$

$$\# \{ \text{base points of } |\Delta - C| \} \leq (\Delta - C)^2 \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \text{Zariski lemma} \end{array} \quad \Rightarrow |\Delta - C| \text{ free} \\ (\text{no base points})$$

\Rightarrow the rational map defined by $|\Delta|$

$$\phi_{|\Delta|} : S \longrightarrow \phi_{|\Delta|}(S) := B \subset |\Delta|$$

is a morphism

- $\dim |\Delta| \geq 1 \Rightarrow B$ cannot be a point
 - If B was a surface, then $\Delta - C = \varphi^* H$ for a hyperplane section H of B
 $\Rightarrow (\Delta - C)^2 = [k(S) : k(B)] H^2 >_0 \leq$
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 generic degree of the generically finite morphism
 $\varphi: S \rightarrow B$
 - $|\Delta|$ is composed with a pencil (i.e. B is a curve)
 & $\varphi_{|\Delta|}$ is a morphism.

- ⑥ Consider the Stein factorization of $\varphi_{|\Delta|} : S \xrightarrow{f} B' \rightarrow B$
 then, $f : S \rightarrow B$ is an elliptic fibration.

$D(\Delta - C) \geq 0$, since $D \geq 0$, $\Delta - C \geq 0$ & D each its comp. $E_i = 0$

$$D\Delta = D(2k + 2D + 2D') = 0$$

$$DC \geq 0 \text{ since } D \geq 0, C \geq 0 \text{ & } D \text{ each its comp. } E_i = 0.$$

$$D(\Delta - C) = 0$$

D connected
 $D \cdot (\Delta - c) = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow D \text{ contained in a fibre of } \varphi_{|\Delta|}$
 $\&$
 $D^2 = 0$
 $\Downarrow \text{Zariski lemma}$
 $D = rF_b \text{ for some } r \in \mathbb{Q}$
 $F_{b'} = \frac{1}{r}D \text{ with } \frac{1}{r} \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \Leftarrow D = \sum_{i=1}^{\ell} n_i E_i \quad \text{fibre } F_{b'} \text{ of } f \text{ over } b' \in B'$
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 $\text{positive integral multiple of } D$
 $p_a(F_{b'}) = p_a(D) = h^0(\omega_D) = h^0(\mathcal{O}_D) = 1 \Rightarrow f \text{ is an elliptic fibration}$
 $[\text{Case } p_g > 0]$
 Suffices to show $\dim H^0(\Delta) \geq 2$ for some divisor Δ of canonical type.
 Specifically, we shall prove that $\exists n > 0$ s.t.
 $\dim H^0(nD) \geq 2$.

Take a non-zero section $s \in H^0(nD)$, consider the s.e.s.

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \xrightarrow{s} \mathcal{O}_S(nD) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nD)/\mathcal{O}_S \xrightarrow{\text{if}} F_n \rightarrow 0$$

taking cohomology

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(\mathcal{O}_S) \rightarrow H^0(nD) \rightarrow H^0(F_n) \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{O}_S)$$

Suffices to show that $h^0(F_n) \rightarrow +\infty$ as $n \rightarrow +\infty$.

Put $L = F_1 = \mathcal{O}_S(D)/\mathcal{O}_S$ it is an invertible sheaf on D

$$0 \rightarrow F_{n-1} \rightarrow F_n \rightarrow L^{\otimes n} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{exact}$$

$\Rightarrow h^0(F_n) \geq h^0(F_{n-1})$ i.e. $h^0(F_n)$ nondecreasing function in n .

By Riemann-Roch,

$$\chi(nD) = \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + \frac{1}{2} nD \cdot (nD - k_S) \stackrel{D \text{ canonical type}}{=} \chi(\mathcal{O}_S)$$

$\Downarrow \leftarrow$ additivity of Euler-Poincaré characteristic

$$\chi(F_n) = 0 \quad \text{for all } n \geq 1$$

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nD) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nD)/\mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow 0$$

\Downarrow

$$\rightarrow H^1(F_n) \rightarrow H^2(\mathcal{O}_S) \rightarrow H^2(nD) \rightarrow 0$$

$$H^2(S, \mathcal{O}_S(nD)) \xrightarrow{\text{Serre}} H^0(k_S - nD)^{\vee} = 0 \quad \text{for } n \gg 0$$

\uparrow

E any divisor on surface S , $D > 0$
then $|E - nD| = \emptyset$ for $n \gg 0$ (strictly positive div)
Indeed, let H be an ample divisor, then $HD > 0$
& $(E - nD)H < 0$ for $n \gg 0$
if $|E - nD| \neq \emptyset$, then $H(E - nD) \geq 0$

$$\begin{aligned} p_g = h^2(\mathcal{O}_S) &> 0 \\ h^2(nD) &= 0 \text{ for } n \gg 0 \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad h^1(F_n) \neq 0 \text{ for } n \gg 0.$$

$$\chi(F_n) = 0 \text{ for } n > 0 \Rightarrow h^0(F_n) = h^1(F_n) \text{ for } n > 0.$$

$$h^0(F_n) = h^1(F_n) \neq 0 \text{ for } n \gg 0.$$

Assume that the sequence of integers $\{h^0(F_n)\}$ is bounded above,
and let n be the largest index s.t. $h^0(F_{n-1}) < h^0(F_n)$.

$$0 \rightarrow F_{n-1} \rightarrow F_n \rightarrow L^{\otimes n} \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(F_m) \rightarrow H^0(F_n) \rightarrow H^0(L^{\otimes n}) \rightarrow H^1(F_{n-1})$$

$s \longmapsto t \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow H^0(L^{\otimes n}) \neq 0 \quad \& \quad \exists \text{ nonzero section } t \in H^0(L^{\otimes n}) \text{ s.t.}$$

it is the image of a section $s \in H^0(F_n)$

$$D = \sum n_i E_i$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} D &\text{ indecomposable curve of canonical type} \\ \deg(L^{\otimes n}|_{E_i}) &= n D E_i = 0 \text{ for } i \\ H^0(L^{\otimes n}) &\neq 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow L^{\otimes n} \cong \mathcal{O}_D \text{ & } H^0(\mathcal{O}_D) \cong C$$

\downarrow
 $s|_D$ does not vanish at any point of D

$\text{Supp}(F_n) = D \Rightarrow s$ generates F_n as \mathcal{O}_S -module at \forall points of S
 \downarrow
 s defines a surjection of \mathcal{O}_S -modules

$$\mathcal{O}_S \xrightarrow{s} F_n$$

with kernel $\mathcal{O}_S(-nD)$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S / \mathcal{O}_S(-nD) \cong F_n \cong \mathcal{O}_S(nD) / \mathcal{O}_S$$

$$\text{Tensoring with } F_n \quad \text{For } m \geq 1, \quad F_{nm} \cong \mathcal{O}_S(nmD) / \mathcal{O}_S$$

$$F_{nm} / F_{n(m-1)} \cong \mathcal{O}_S(nmD) / \mathcal{O}_S(n(m-1)D) \cong \mathcal{O}_S / \mathcal{O}_S(-nD) \cong F_n$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \circ & & \circ & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(n(m-1)D) & \longrightarrow & F_{n(m-1)} & \rightarrow 0 & & & \\
 \parallel & & & & & & \\
 0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(nmD) & \longrightarrow & F_{nm} & \rightarrow 0 & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 & F_n & \equiv & F_n & & & \\
 & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & \\
 & 0 & & 0 & & &
 \end{array}$$

taking cohomology

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 H^1(F_{n(m-1)}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & H^1(F_{nm}) & \xrightarrow{\beta} & H^1(F_n) & \rightarrow 0 & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & & \\
 H^2(\mathcal{O}_S) & = & H^2(\mathcal{O}_S) & & & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & & & \\
 H^2(n(m-1)D) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & H^2(nmD) & = 0 & \text{for } m \gg 0 & &
 \end{array}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} p_g > 0 \\ H^1(F_{n(m-1)}) \rightarrow H^2(\mathcal{O}_S) \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \alpha : H^1(F_{n(m-1)}) \rightarrow H^1(F_{nm}) \quad \text{nonzero map}$$

\Downarrow \Downarrow
 $\dim H^1(F_{nm}) = \dim H^1(F_n) + \dim(\text{Im } \alpha) > h^1(F_n)$
 (a contradiction to the choice of n .)

proof of claim: $H^2(nk + (n-1)D) = 0$ for all $n \geq 2$.

$$H^2(nk + (n-1)D) \stackrel{\text{Serre}}{\cong} H^0((1-n)k + (1-n)D)^*$$

Suffices to show $H^0(-m(k+D)) = 0$ for all $m \geq 1$.
 (e.g. $| -m(k+D) | = \emptyset$)

By way of Contradiction, assume \exists effective div. $\Delta \in |-m(k+D)|$
 then

Case 1) $\Delta = 0$.

$$m(k+D) \sim 0 \Rightarrow mk \sim -mD.$$

let C be an irreducible curve s.t. $DC > 0$

$$\text{then } k_S C = \frac{1}{m}(mk.C) = -\frac{1}{m}(mD.C) = -D.C < 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Case 2) $\Delta > 0$ (strictly positive divisor)

let C be an irreducible curve such that $\Delta C > 0$.
 $\Delta \cdot C = -m(k_S + D)C \leq 0$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ k_S \text{ nef} \Rightarrow k_S C \geq 0 \end{array} \right\} \quad \checkmark$$

$DC \geq 0$ since D is of canonical type.

□

THEOREM

let S be a minimal surface with $k_S^2 = 0$ & k_S nef.

then either $2k_S \sim 0$

or S contains at least one indecomposable curve of canonical type.

Pf. Case $|2k_S| \neq \emptyset$.

let $D \in |2k_S|$, then either $D \sim 0$ (i.e. $2k_S \sim 0$)

$$\text{or } D = \sum_{i=1}^l n_i E_i > 0$$

if $D = \sum_{i=1}^l n_i E_i > 0$, then

$$\begin{aligned} kD = 2k^2 &= 0 \\ \sum_{i=1}^l n_i kE_i & \\ k \text{ nef} & \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left. \begin{aligned} kE_i &= 0 \text{ for each } i. \\ DE_i &= 2kE_i = 0 \text{ for each } i. \end{aligned} \right\} \quad D \text{ is of canonical type}$$

In particular, S contains at least 1 indecomposable curve of canonical type.

Case $|2k_S| = \emptyset$. $h^0(2k) = 0$

by Riemann-Roch,

$$h^0(2k) + h^0(-k) \geq \chi(2k) = \chi(k_S) + k^2 = \chi(k_S) = 1 - g$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{2k} + \dim |-k| \geq -g$$

If $g = 0$, then $|-k| \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow \exists D \in |-k|$

if $D = 0$, then $2k \sim 0 \quad \checkmark \quad (|2k| = \emptyset)$

if $D > 0$ (strictly positive eff. div.). let H be a hyperplane section,
then $HD > 0 \Rightarrow HK = -HD < 0 \quad \checkmark \quad (k \text{ nef})$

Hence $g \geq 1$.

By Noether formula,

$$\begin{aligned} 12\chi &= k^2 + e(S) = 2 - 4g + b_2 \Rightarrow b_2 = 10 - 8g \geq 0 \\ 12(1-g) & \end{aligned}$$

\downarrow

$g \leq 1$

Consider the Albanese morphism of S

$$a_S : S \longrightarrow E = \text{Alb } S$$

\uparrow
elliptic curve

$g=1$

which is a fibration over a smooth elliptic curve E .

Let $F_b = \alpha_s^{-1}(b)$ be a fibre over $b \in E$.

If $p_a(F_b) = 0$, then $F_b^2 = 0$

$$2p_a(F_b) - 2 = F_b^2 + kF_b \Rightarrow kF_b = -2$$

If $p_a(F_b) = 1$, then $F_b^2 = 0$ & $kF_b = 0 \Rightarrow F_b$ is a curve of canonical type
 ⇔
 S contains an indecomposable curve of canonical type

If $p_a(F_b) \geq 2$.

$$2p_a(F_b) - 2 = F_b^2 + kF_b = (kF_b \geq 2)$$

For each closed point $b' \in E \setminus \{b\}$, consider the s.e.s.

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(2k + F_{b'}) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{F_b}(2k + F_{b'}|_{F_b}) \rightarrow 0$$

Claim: $|F_b - F_{b'} - k| = \emptyset$ (e.g. $h^0(F_b - F_{b'} - k) = h^2(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) = 0$)

Indeed, otherwise suppose $0 \leq D \in |F_b - F_{b'} - k|$, then

$$k \sim F_b - F_{b'} - D$$

$$kF_b = (F_b - F_{b'} - D)F_b = -DF_b \leq 0 \quad \not\leq (kF_b \geq 2)$$

Again by Riemann-Roch

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) &= \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + \frac{1}{2}(2k + F_{b'} - F_b)(k + F_{b'} - F_b) \\ &\stackrel{h^0 - h^1}{=} \\ &= \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) \\ &= 0 \\ &\uparrow P_2(S) = 0 \Rightarrow p_g = 0 \\ &\qquad q(S) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow for $\forall b' \in E \setminus \{b\}$, we have one of the following two possibilities

Case (1) $h^0(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) \geq 1$ (i.e. $|2k + F_{b'} - F_b| \neq \emptyset$)

Case (2) $h^0(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) = 0$ (hence $h^i(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) = 0$ for all i)
 (i.e. $|2k + F_{b'} - F_b| = \emptyset$)

Claim: the Case (2) cannot occur for all $b' \in E \setminus \{b\}$.

Assume that $|2k + F_{b'} - F_b| = \emptyset$ for all $b' \in E$. Then

$$\mathcal{O}_{F_b}(2k + F_{b'}|_{F_b}) \cong \mathcal{O}_{F_b}(2k|_{F_b})$$

$$2p_a(F_b) - 2 = kF_b + F_b^2 = kF_b$$

$$h^0(2k|_{F_b}) \geq \chi(2k|_{F_b}) \stackrel{\text{R.R.}}{=} \deg(2k|_{F_b}) + 1 - p_a(F_b)$$

$$= 2kF_b + 1 - p_a(F_b)$$

$$= 3(p_a(F_b) - 1) \geq 3 \quad (\text{since } p_a(F_b) \geq 2)$$

Fix a nonzero section $t \in H^0(\mathcal{O}_{F_b}(2k|_{F_b}))$ & Put $\Delta = \text{div}_{F_b}(t)$

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) \rightarrow H^0(2k + F_{b'}) \xrightarrow{\sim} H^0(F_b, 2k|_{F_b}) \rightarrow H^1(2k + F_{b'} - F_b)$$

$\begin{matrix} \parallel \\ 0 \end{matrix} \qquad \qquad t_{b'} \longmapsto t \qquad \qquad \begin{matrix} \parallel \\ 0 \end{matrix}$

for $\forall b' \in E \setminus \{b\}$, $\Rightarrow \exists! t_{b'} \in H^0(2k + F_{b'})$ s.t. it is
a lifting of t

$$\text{let } D_{b'} := \text{div}_S(t_{b'})$$

\leadsto we get an algebraic family of effective divisors $\{D_{b'}\}_{b' \in E \setminus \{b\}}$

$$D_{b'} \mid D_{b'} \mid \text{such that } D_{b'} \mid_{F_b} = \Delta \text{ for all } b'$$

$\downarrow \qquad \downarrow$

$$b' \in E \setminus \{b\}$$

Moreover, if $b', b'' \in E \setminus \{b\}$ & $b' \neq b''$, then $D_{b'} \not\sim_{lin} D_{b''}$.

Otherwise, $D_{b'} \sim_{lin} D_{b''} \Rightarrow 2k + F_{b'} \sim_{lin} 2k + F_{b''} \Rightarrow F_{b'} \sim F_{b''}$

$$\downarrow$$

$b' \sim b'' \text{ on elliptic curve } E$

In particular, $D_{b'} \neq D_{b''}$, then $S = \overline{\bigcup_{b' \neq b} D_{b'}}$.

as $b' \sim b$, (D_b) must contain F_b among its components.
 $\Rightarrow D_b = F_b + \tilde{D}_b$ for some $\tilde{D}_b \geq 0$.

Since $D_b \in |2k + F_b| \Rightarrow \tilde{D}_b \in |2k| \quad \begin{cases} \hookleftarrow \\ (|2k| = \emptyset) \end{cases}$

Summary $|2k + F_{b'} - F_b| \neq \emptyset$ for at least one $b' \in E$

If $D \in |2k + F_{b'} - F_b|$, say $D = \sum_{i=1}^l n_i E_i$

$$KD = K(2k + F_{b'} - F_b) = 2k^2 = 0$$

$\sum_{i=1}^l n_i k E_i$

$$\Rightarrow k E_i = 0 \text{ for each } i$$

$$DE_i = (2k + F_{b'} - F_b) E_i = 2k E_i = 0 \Rightarrow DE_i = 0 \text{ for each } i$$

then D is of canonical type

Cot | S minimal surface with $k_S^2 = 0$ & k_S nef

then either $2k_S \sim 0$

or \exists an elliptic fibration $f: S \rightarrow B$ on S .