

Canonical bundle formula for elliptic fibrations

Over field $k = \bar{k}$, $\text{char } k = 0$ (due to Enriques, Kodaira)

THEOREM (CBF)

$f: S \rightarrow B$ a relatively minimal elliptic fibration

with multiple fibres $m_1 F_1, m_2 F_2, \dots, m_k F_k$

then

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_S &= f^*(\omega_B \otimes (R^1 f_* \mathcal{O}_S)^\vee) \otimes \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum_{i=1}^k (m_i - 1) F_i \right) \\ &= f^*(f_* \omega_S) \otimes \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum_{i=1}^k (m_i - 1) F_i \right) \end{aligned}$$

pf. denote by F_x the fibre of f over $x \in B$

by F the general fibre of f

Suppose x_1, \dots, x_n are general points of B . Consider the standard exact sequence (after twisting)

$$0 \rightarrow \omega_S \rightarrow \omega_S \otimes \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum_{i=1}^n F_{x_i} \right) \rightarrow \bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathcal{O}_{F_{x_i}} \rightarrow 0$$

taking cohomology, we obtain a l.e.s. of cohomology groups

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 \rightarrow H^0(\omega_S) & \rightarrow & H^0(\omega_S \otimes \mathcal{O}_S(\sum_{i=1}^n F_{x_i})) & \rightarrow & H^0(\bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathcal{O}_{F_{x_i}}) & \rightarrow & H^1(\omega_S) \\ \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ \dim = p_g & & \dim = n & & \dim = q & & \end{array}$$

We infer that

$$h^0(\omega_S \otimes \mathcal{O}_S(\sum_{i=1}^n F_{x_i})) \geq n + p_g - q > 0, \text{ for } n \gg 0$$

For $n \gg 0$, let $D \in |k_S + \sum_{i=1}^n F_{x_i}|$, then

$$D \cdot F = k_S F + \sum_i F_{x_i} F = k_S F = 0 \quad (D \text{ vertical})$$

\Rightarrow We can write

$$\mathcal{O}_S(k_S) = f^* L \otimes \mathcal{O}_S(C)$$

With L a line bundle on base curve B ["fibre part"]

C a curve contained in a union of fibres of f but not containing any fibre. ["fibre components part"]

key point!

For \forall connected irreducible component C_0 of C , let F_0 be a fibre of f

containing C_0 .

claim: F_0 is a multiple fibre (say $F_0 = m F'_0$ where m is multiplicity of F_0)
 C_0 is a rational submultiple of F_0 . (i.e. $C_0 = a F'_0$ with $0 < a < m$)
 hence $C_0 = \frac{a}{m} F_0$

Indeed, let C_0, C_1, \dots, C_ℓ be all connected components of C
 then $C = \sum_{i=0}^{\ell} C_i$. By Zariski lemma, $C_i^2 \leq 0$ for each i
 $0 = k_S^2 = C^2 = \sum_{i=0}^{\ell} C_i^2 \Rightarrow C_i^2 = 0$ for each i

Say for C_0 .

$$C_0^2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_0 = r F_0 \text{ for some } r \in \mathbb{Q}_{>0}$$

By the choice of C , C_0 is not the whole fibre F_0 .

$$C_0 \subset F_0$$

C_0 (effective) curve

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 0 < r < 1 \\ F_0 \text{ multiple fibre} \\ \parallel \\ m F_0' \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow$$

$$r = \frac{a}{m} \text{ with } 0 < a < m$$

Therefore,

$$\omega_S = f^* L \otimes \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum_{i=0}^l a_i F_i' \right)$$

with the $m_i F_i'$ multiple fibres of f

$$0 \leq a_i < m_i$$

By adjunction formula,

$$\omega_{F_i'} \cong \mathcal{O}_S(K_S + F_i') \otimes \mathcal{O}_{F_i'} \cong \mathcal{O}_S((a_i+1)F_i') \otimes \mathcal{O}_{F_i'}$$

\parallel

$$\mathcal{O}_{F_i'}$$

Since for any fibre F_i , $\mathcal{O}_{F_i}(F_i)$ is trivial.

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{O}_S(F_i') \otimes \mathcal{O}_{F_i'}$ is torsion of order m_i , since $m_i F_i'$ is a fibre.

$$\Rightarrow a_i + 1 = m_i \text{ for each } i$$

i.e. $a_i = (m_i - 1)$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_S = f^* L \otimes \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum (m_i - 1) F_i \right)$$

where $m_i F_i$ multiple fibres of f .

Remark that

$$L = L \otimes f_* \mathcal{O}_S \left(\sum (m_i - 1) F_i \right) \stackrel{\text{P.F.}}{\cong} f_* \omega_S$$

$$(R^1 f_* \mathcal{O}_S)^\vee \cong f_* \omega_{S/B}^{\text{Hodge bundle}} \xrightarrow{\text{relative duality}} (R^1 f_* \mathcal{O}_S)^\vee \otimes \omega_B$$

$$\left[\text{For } \forall \text{ fibration } f: S \rightarrow B, \forall \text{ locally free } \mathcal{O}_S\text{-sheaf } \mathcal{F}, \text{ one has} \right]$$

$$f_* (\mathcal{F}^\vee \otimes \omega_{S/B}) \cong (R^1 f_* \mathcal{F})^\vee$$

By the well-known formula (obtained via Leray spectral sequence)

$$\chi(\mathcal{O}_S) = \deg f_* \omega_{S/B} + (g-1)(b-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \deg (R^1 f_* \mathcal{O}_S)^\vee = \deg f_* \omega_{S/B} = \chi(\mathcal{O}_S)$$

$$\deg L = \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + 2b - 2$$

$$= \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) - 2\chi(\mathcal{O}_B)$$

Remark. By canonical bundle formula,

$$K_S \equiv_{\text{num}} \left(\chi(\mathcal{O}_S) - 2\chi(\mathcal{O}_B) + \sum_i \frac{m_i - 1}{m_i} F_i \right) F$$

□

Kodaira's table of singular fibres

Setting: $f: S \rightarrow B$ an elliptic fibration & f relatively minimal
assume $F_0 = f^{-1}(b_0)$ is a singular fibre of f over $b_0 \in B$

Case 1 (F_0 is irreducible)

By adjunction formula, $2p_a(F_0) - 2 = k_S F_0 + F_0^2 \Rightarrow k_S F_0 = 0$

Consider the normalization sequence of F_0 ($v: \tilde{F}_0 \rightarrow F_0$)
normalization

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{F_0} \rightarrow v_* \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{F}_0} \rightarrow \mathcal{S} \rightarrow 0$$

↑
skyscraper sheaf

Taking cohomology

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(\mathcal{S}) \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{O}_{F_0}) \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{F}_0}) \rightarrow 0$$

$$p_a(F_0) = 1 \Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_{F_0}) = 1 \Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{F}_0}) = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

If $h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{F}_0}) = 1$, then $h^0(\mathcal{S}) = 0 \Rightarrow F_0$ smooth

If $h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{F}_0}) = 0$, then $h^0(\mathcal{S}) = 1 \Rightarrow \tilde{F}_0 \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ smooth rational curve
& $\text{mult}_P(F_0) = 2$

↙ P the only singular point of F_0

F_0 is a rational curve with a node [Type I, ∞]

or a rational curve with a cusp [Type II, $\}$]

Case 2 (F_0 reducible, but not multiple)

Claim: \forall irreducible component C_i of $F_0 = \sum n_i C_i$
is a (-2) -curve.

We have proved this before.

$$0 = k_S \cdot F_0 = \sum n_i \underbrace{k_S C_i}_0 = \sum n_i (-C_i^2 + 2g(C_i) - 2)$$


$$\left. \begin{array}{l} C_i^2 \leq -1 \text{ (Zariski lemma)} \\ C_i^2 = -1, p_a(C_i) = 0 \text{ impossible} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} C_i^2 = -2 \\ p_a(C_i) = 0 \end{array}$$

For two different components C_i, C_j

$$\text{Zariski lemma} \Rightarrow (C_i + C_j)^2 = C_i^2 + 2C_i C_j + C_j^2 \leq 0$$

i.e. $0 \leq C_i C_j \leq 2$

If $C_i C_j = 2$, Zariski lemma $\Rightarrow F_0 = C_i + C_j$

type III 

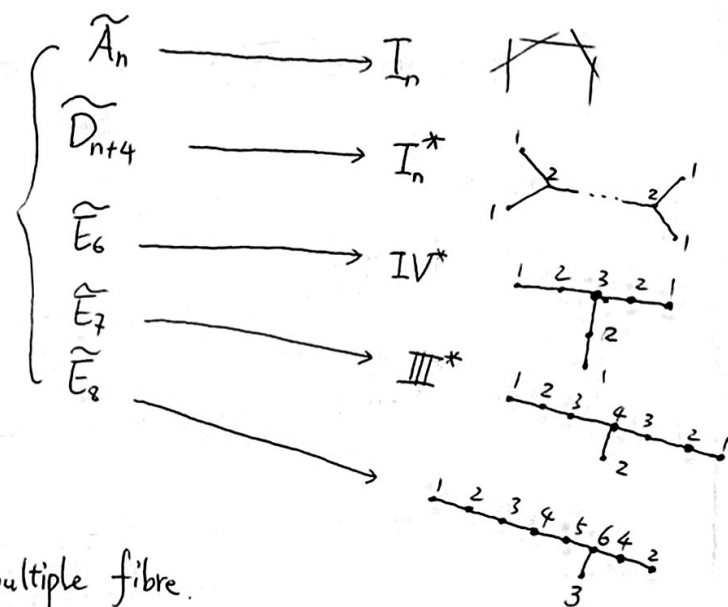
If $C_i C_j < 2$, then any two vertices are joined by at most one edge.

We can consider the associated quadratic form Q_F

Zariski lemma $\Rightarrow Q_F \geq 0$ positive ~~semi~~ definite

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only possibilities graphs are



Case 3) F_0 is a multiple fibre.

$$F_0 = m F_0'$$

Zariski lemma $\Rightarrow F_0'$ is one of the types described before
as before

$\mathcal{O}_S(F_0)$, $\mathcal{O}_{F_0}(F_0)$ both torsion m
line bundles

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F_0 is of the one of types
 mI_0 , mI_1 & mI_2

$\Leftarrow F_0'$ not simply connected.



Surfaces with Kodaira dimension 1

Lemma 1

Let S non-ruled minimal surface, then

(1) if $k_S^2 > 0$, then $\exists n_0 \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ s.t. $\phi_{|nk|}$ maps S birationally onto its image for all $n \geq n_0$.

(2) if $k_S^2 = 0$ and $P_r = h^0(rk_S) \geq 2$, write $rk \sim \overset{\text{fixed part of } |rk|}{Z} + \overset{\text{moving part}}{M}$
then $kZ = kM = Z^2 = ZM = M^2 = 0$.

Pf. (1) let H be a hyperplane section of S , by Riemann-Roch

$$h^0(nk-H) + h^0(H+(1-n)k) \geq \chi(nk-H) = \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + \frac{1}{2}(nk-H)(n-1)k-H$$

\downarrow
 $+\infty$ (as $n \rightarrow +\infty$)

$$S \text{ non-ruled} \Rightarrow Hk_S > 0 \Rightarrow (H+(1-n)k)H < 0 \text{ for } n \gg 0$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$\exists n_0 \text{ s.t. } h^0(nk-H) \geq 1 \iff h^0(H+(1-n)k) = 0 \text{ for } n \gg 0$$

for all $n \geq n_0$

let $D \in |nk-H|$, then $|nk| = |H+D|$ separates points of $S-D$ (i.e. $\exists E \in |H+D|$ s.t. $P \in \text{Supp } E$ & $Q \notin \text{Supp } E$)
for two distinct closed pts $P, Q \in S-D$

& $|H+D|$ also separates tangents to points of $S-D$.

(i.e. given a closed point $p \in S-D$ & a tangent vector at p
 $v \in T_p(S-D) = (\mathfrak{m}_p/\mathfrak{m}_p^2)^\vee \Rightarrow \exists E \in |H+D|$ s.t. $\begin{cases} p \in \text{Supp } E \\ v \notin T_p E \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow \phi_{|nk|}|_{S-D}$ is an embedding

$$(2) \quad \left. \begin{aligned} 0 = rk^2 &= kZ + kM \\ kZ &\geq 0 \\ kM &\geq 0 \quad (k_S \text{ nef}) \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow kZ = kM = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} M \text{ movable} &\Rightarrow ZM \geq 0, M^2 \geq 0 \\ 0 = rkM &= MZ + M^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow MZ = M^2 = 0$$

$$Z^2 = (rk - M)^2 = 0$$

Prop. If S minimal surface with $\chi = 1$, then

(1) $k_S^2 = 0$

(2) \exists a smooth curve B and a surjective morphism $f: S \rightarrow B$ whose generic fibre is an elliptic curve.

S called an elliptic surface

Pf. By lemma 1 (1), $k_S^2 \leq 0$.

Fact: S minimal & $k_S^2 < 0 \Rightarrow S$ ruled

(will be proved later)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} &\text{By lemma 1 (1), } k_S^2 \leq 0 \\ &\text{Fact: } S \text{ minimal \& } k_S^2 < 0 \Rightarrow S \text{ ruled} \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow k_S^2 = 0.$$

$$\chi(S)=1 \Rightarrow \exists r \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \text{ s.t. } P_r = h^0(rk_S) \geq 2$$

write $rk_S \sim_{\text{lin}} Z + M$ where Z fixed part of $|rk_S|$

M movable part of $|rk_S|$

by above lemma, $M^2 = KM = 0 \Rightarrow |M|$ bpf & the image of

$$\varphi_{|M|}: S \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^{P_r-1}$$

Consider the Stein factorization of $\varphi_{|M|}$ has dimension one, say
 $C = \text{Im } \varphi_{|M|}$

$$\varphi_{|M|}: S \xrightarrow{f} B \rightarrow C \subset \mathbb{P}^{P_r-1}$$

then $f: S \rightarrow B$ is a fibration. Let F be a fibre of f

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} M \text{ is a sum of fibres of } f \\ KM=0 \\ K \text{ nef} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow KF=0$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} F \text{ a fibre of } f \Rightarrow F^2=0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \rho_*(F)=1$$

By generic smoothness, the generic fibre of f is a smooth elliptic curve.

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By previous prop. all surfaces with $\chi=1$ are elliptic.

The converse is not true, but we have

Prop let S minimal elliptic surface with an elliptic fibration
 $f: S \rightarrow B$
 $F_b \hookrightarrow b$
 fibre

then (1) $k_S^2 = 0$

(2) S is either ruled over an elliptic base
 or surface with $\chi=0$

or surface with $\chi=1$

(3) If $\chi(S)=1$, then \exists integer $d > 1$ s.t.

$$dK \sim \sum_i n_i F_{b_i} \text{ where } n_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \text{ \& } b_i \in B$$

For $r \gg 0$, $|rdK|$ bpf and thus defines a morphism $\varphi: S \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$ which factors through f :

$$\varphi: S \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{j} \mathbb{P}^N$$

Pf If S ruled over a curve C , then the elliptic fibres F_b
 $(S \simeq C \times \mathbb{P}^1)$

must be mapped surjectively onto C

$\Rightarrow C$ is either rational or elliptic

$$\Rightarrow k_S^2 = 8(1-g(C)) \geq 0$$

By lemma 1, for non-ruled minimal surface S

$$K_S^2 > 0 \Leftrightarrow \chi(S) = 2 \quad (\text{eq. } 0 \leq \chi(S) \leq 1 \Leftrightarrow K_S^2 = 0)$$

\Rightarrow for all minimal elliptic surfaces, $K^2 \geq 0$

Suppose that \exists some integer n s.t. $|nk| \neq \emptyset$ (eq. $h^0(nk) \geq 1$)

let $D \in |nk|$

f_* elliptic $\Rightarrow kF_b = 0 \Rightarrow DF_b = 0$ for $\forall b$

($\phi_a(F_b) = 1$)

for each $b \in B$

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D f -vertical, that is

Components of $D \subseteq$ fibres of f .

\Downarrow Zariski lemma

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} D^2 \leq 0 \\ \parallel \\ 0 \leq n^2 K^2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} D^2 = 0 \\ \parallel \\ K^2 \end{array}$$

&

$$D = \sum r_i F_{b_i}$$

for some $r_i \in \mathbb{Q}_{\geq 0}$

Now let X be a minimal elliptic surface with $K_X^2 > 0$

Claim: such a surface X does not exist.

Indeed, since suppose $\exists n$ s.t. $|nk| \neq \emptyset$, we would have $K^2 = 0$.

Thus $|nk| = \emptyset$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$h^0(nk) + h^0((1-n)k) \geq \chi(nk) = \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) + \frac{1}{2} n(n-1) K^2$$

\downarrow
 $+\infty$ (as $n \rightarrow +\infty$)

let S be a minimal elliptic surface, then $K_S^2 = 0$. [(1) holds]

$\phi_a(F_b) = 1 \Rightarrow kF_b = 0 \Rightarrow k$ is f -vertical

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the maps $\phi_{|nk|}$ contract the fibres F_b

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$$\dim \text{Im } \phi_{|nk|} \leq 1 \Rightarrow \chi = -\infty, 0 \text{ or } 1.$$

[(2) holds]

Case $\chi = 1$.

Choose an integer n s.t. $P_n \geq 1$. let $D \in |nk|$, then

$D = \sum r_i F_{b_i}$ with $r_i \in \mathbb{Q}_{\geq 0}$, write $r_i = \frac{n_i}{m}$ & put $d = mn$
then $n, n_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$

$$dK \sim mD \sim \sum n_i F_{b_i} = f^*A \quad \text{where } A = \sum n_i [b_i]$$

For $r \gg 0$,

$|rA|$ bpf & very ample \Rightarrow defines an embedding
 $j: B \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$

$|rdk| = f^*|rA|$ bpf & defines a morphism

$$\varphi = \varphi_{|rdk|}: S \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{j} \mathbb{P}^N$$

[(3) holds]

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Example (surfaces with $\chi=1$)

B : smooth curves

$|D|$: bpf linear system on B

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & \hookrightarrow & B \times \mathbb{P}^2 \\ \downarrow p & \nearrow q & \downarrow q \\ |D| & B & \mathbb{P}^2 \end{array}$$

by Bertini's theorem,

a general member $S \in |G_B(D) \boxtimes G_{\mathbb{P}^2}(3)|$
 is smooth

the restriction $p: S \rightarrow B$ is a fibration by plane cubics (i.e. elliptic curves)

By adjunction formula

$$g = \frac{(d-1)(d-2)}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_S &\cong \omega_X \otimes G_X(S)|_S = p^* \omega_B \otimes q^* G_{\mathbb{P}^2}(3) \otimes p^* G_B(D) \otimes q^* G_{\mathbb{P}^2}(3)|_S \\ &= p^* G_B(k_B + D)|_S \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow k_S \sim p^*(k_B + D)$$

When $\deg D > 2g(B)$, $|n(k_B + D)|$ defines an embedding
 $j: B \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$
 $|k_B + D|$ very ample $\Rightarrow |k_S|$ bpf

$\Rightarrow |k_S|$ defines a morphism factoring through \mathcal{P}

$$\varphi_{|k_S|}: S \xrightarrow{p} B \xrightarrow{j} \mathbb{P}^N$$

In particular, $\chi(S) = 1$.