

# Eine Woche, ein Beispiel

## 5.25 cyclic coverings

Main Ref: [Barth04, I.17]

[https://archive.ymsc.tsinghua.edu.cn/pacm\\_download/27/8789-Introduction-cyclic-cover.pdf](https://archive.ymsc.tsinghua.edu.cn/pacm_download/27/8789-Introduction-cyclic-cover.pdf)

[Barth04]: Barth, Wolf P., Klaus Hulek, Chris A. M. Peters and Antonius Van De Ven. Compact Complex Surfaces.

Setting  $Y/\mathbb{C}$  conn cplx mfld (or sm integral variety)  
 $B \in \text{Div}(Y)$  effective  
 $\mathcal{L} \in \text{Pic}(Y)$  with  $\mathcal{L}^{\otimes m} \cong \mathcal{O}_Y(B)$   $m \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 1}$   
 $s \leftrightarrow 1$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_Y \oplus \mathcal{L}^{-1} \oplus \dots \oplus \mathcal{L}^{-m+1}) \\ \parallel \\ \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{L} \triangleq \text{Spec}(\text{Sym} \mathcal{L}^{-1}) \supset \text{Spec}(\text{Sym} \mathcal{L}^{-1} / \langle s \rangle) \triangleq X \\ \downarrow p \quad \swarrow f \\ Y = \text{Spec}(\mathcal{O}_Y) \end{array}$$

Define  $(X, Y, f)$  as the  $n$ -cyclic covering of  $Y$  branched along  $B$ ,  
determined by  $\mathcal{L}$ .  
Rmk.  $X$  has at most singularities over singular pts of  $B$ .

Denote  $B_i := f^{-1}(B) \in \text{Div}(X)$ , then  $f^*B = mB_i$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} X & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{O}_X(B_i)} & \mathcal{O}_X(mB_i) & \xrightarrow{\Omega_X \otimes \pi^* \mathcal{L}^{n-1}} & \mathcal{O}_X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{O}_X(B_i) \\ f \downarrow & & & & & & \\ Y & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} & \mathcal{O}_Y(B) & \xrightarrow{\Omega_Y} & \bigoplus_{j=0}^{n-1} \mathcal{L}^{-j} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \bigoplus_{j=-1}^{n-2} \mathcal{L}^{-j} \end{array}$$

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E.g. For a hyperelliptic curve  $C$  with  $f: C \xrightarrow{2:1} \mathbb{P}^1$ ,  $g(C)=g$ .

$$B_1 := \{\text{Weierstrass pts of } C\} = \{p_1, \dots, p_{2g+2}\}$$

$$B := f(B_1)$$

We define

$$\mathcal{L}_0 := f^* \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(1) \in g_2,$$

then

$$\omega_C = f^* \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(g-1) = \mathcal{L}_0^{g-1},$$

and

	$\omega_C$	$\mathcal{O}_C(B_1)$	$\mathcal{O}_C(2B_1)$	$\omega_C \otimes \pi^* \mathcal{L}$		
	$\parallel$	$\parallel$	$\parallel$	$\parallel$		
$C$	$\mathcal{L}_0^{g-1}$	$\mathcal{L}_0^{g+1}$	$\mathcal{L}_0^{2g+2}$	$\mathcal{L}_0^{-2}$	$\mathcal{O}_C$	$\mathcal{O}_C(B_1)$
$f \downarrow$	$\mathcal{O}(1)$	$\mathcal{O}(g+1)$	$\mathcal{O}(2g+2)$	$\mathcal{O}(-2)$	$\mathcal{O} \oplus \mathcal{O}(-g-1)$	$\mathcal{O}(g+1) \oplus \mathcal{O}$
$\mathbb{P}^1$	$\mathcal{L}$	$\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(B)$	$\omega_{\mathbb{P}^1}$		$\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1} \oplus \mathcal{L}^{-1}$	$\mathcal{L} \oplus \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}$
		pullback				pushforward

$$\text{div } \frac{y}{\prod_{i=g+2}^{2g+2} (x-p_i)} = \sum_{i=1}^{g+1} p_i - \sum_{i=g+2}^{2g+2} p_i$$