

# Exotic Tori from ATFs oder so

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## 1 Introduction

**Definition 1.1.** Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $0 < k \leq d$  and  $a \in (0, \infty)$ . Through nodal slides we can arrange the ATF on  $B_{dpq}$  such that the line  $x_2 = a$  intersects the branch cut line between the  $(k-1)$ -th and  $k$ -th degenerated fibre.  $T_k(a)$  is defined to be the fibre over the intersection point of these two lines.

**Theorem 1.2.** Let  $U \subset H^1(T_k(a), \mathbb{R}) \setminus \{\text{branch cut line}\}$ . The restriction of the displacement energy germ to  $U$  is given by

$$S_{T_k(a)}^e \Big|_U (x, y) = a + \max\{x, x(1 - kpq) - kp^2 y\}$$

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Let  $d, p, q \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $d \geq$  and  $p, q$  coprime with  $1 \leq q < p$  or  $q = 0, p = 1$ , and  $0 < a_1 < \dots < a_d$  real integers. Let  $P$  be the polynomial  $P(z) = \prod_{i=1}^d (z^p - a_i)$ . Define the manifold  $M_p$  by

$$M_p = \{(z_1, z_2, z_3) \in \mathbb{C}^3 \mid z_1 z_2 + P(z_3) = 0\}.$$

We define the Hamiltonian system

$$H(z_1, z_2, z_3) = \left( |z_3|^2, \frac{1}{2}(|z_1|^2 - |z_2|^2) \right)$$

Let  $\mu_p$  be the group of  $p$ -Th roots of unity acting on  $M_p$  by

$$\mu \cdot (z_1, z_2, z_3) = (\mu z_1, \mu^{-1} z_2, \mu^q z_3), \quad \mu \in \mu_p.$$

This is a free action, so we can define the quotient  $B_{dpq} = M_p / \mu_p$ . The Hamiltonian system  $H$  is invariant under the action, so it descends to a Hamiltonian system on  $B_{dpq}$ .

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The position of the nodes can be varied along this ray by nodal slides.

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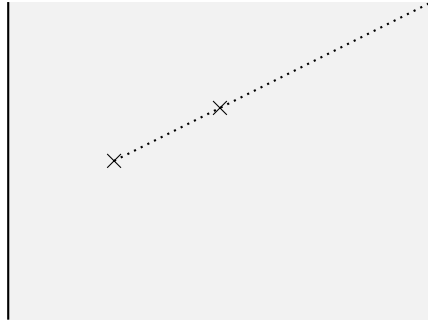
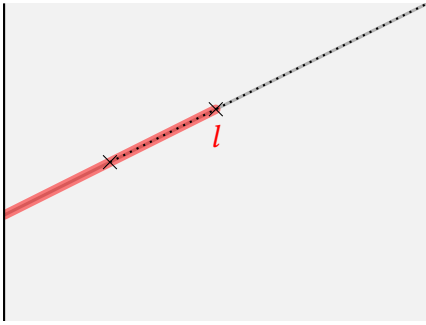
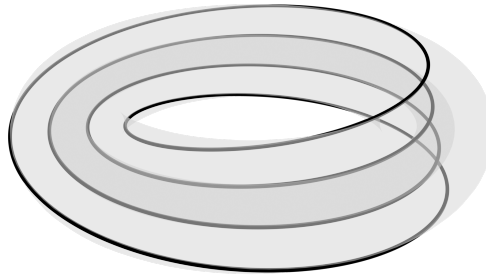


Figure 1: Moment image of  $B_{dpq}$  under  $\mu$



(a) Retraction to branch cut line



(b) The cycles marked in black (here  $p=2, q=1$ ) are collapsed to a point.

Figure 2: Calculation of the homology of  $B_{dpq}$

## 2 Upper bound on displacement energy: Probes

### 3 Short interlude: Homology of $B_{dpq}$

In order to calculate the lower bound for the displacement energy of a torus  $L(x, y)$ , we will need to calculate a basis for  $H_2(B_{dpq}, L(x, y))$ .

$B_{dpq}$  deformation retracts to the preimage of the branch cut line segment  $l$  shown in red in figure 2a, by first vertically shrinking the space onto the ray in direction  $(p, q)$ , and then compressing the part of the ray that is to the right of all the critical points.

The preimage  $\mu^{-1}(l)$  can be understood as follows: If there were no critical points on the line, this would be a solid torus  $T = S^1 \times D^2$ . We pick  $(1, 0), (0, 1) \in H_1(\partial T)$  to be the classes generated by  $S^1 \times \text{pt}, \text{pt} \times \partial D^2$  respectively. For each critical fibre  $k \in \{1, \dots, d\}$  we collapse a loop along the homology class  $(-q, p)$ , as in figure 2b. Up to homotopy this is the same as attaching a disk  $D_k$  along  $(-q, p)$ . Again up to homotopy we can also require that the  $d$  discs  $D_1, \dots, D_d$  are attached along  $\partial T$ . Let us call this space  $S$ .

Let us look at the long exact sequence of homology for the pair  $(B_{dpq}, L(x, y))$ .

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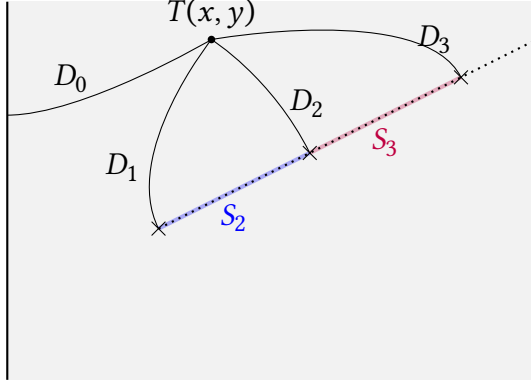


Figure 3: The disks  $D_0, \dots, D_d$  generating the homology  $H_2(B_{dpq}, L(x, y))$

This pair is homotopy equivalent to  $(S, \partial T)$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 H_2(\partial T) & \xrightarrow{0} & H_2(S) & \hookrightarrow & H_2(S, \partial T) & \longrightarrow & H_1(\partial T) \longrightarrow H_1(S) \\
 & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong & & \downarrow \cong \\
 & & \mathbb{Z}^{d-1} & & \mathbb{Z}^{d+1} & & \mathbb{Z}^2 \\
 & & & & & & \downarrow \cong \\
 & & & & & & \mathbb{Z}_p
 \end{array}$$

The first horizontal map is zero since  $\partial T$  retracts to a circle in  $S$ . The homology  $H_2(S)$  can be seen as follows: By contracting the solid torus  $T$  in  $S$  to a circle, we see that  $S$  is homotopic to a circle with  $d$  discs glued to its boundary by a degree  $p$  map. So  $H_2(S)$  is generated by spheres  $\{S_2, \dots, S_d\}$ ,  $S_k = D_{k-1} - D_k$ .  $H_2(S, \partial T)$  is generated by the discs  $D_0 = \text{pt} \times D^2, D_1, \dots, D_d$ . In  $B_{dpq}$ , these discs can be seen, where the disc intersecting the toric boundary collapses the  $(0, 1)$  cycle in the toric fibre  $L(x, y)$  and the discs intersecting the critical points collapse the  $(-q, p)$  cycle (see figure 3). The elements  $S_2, \dots, S_d \in H_2(B_{dpq})$  can be realized by embedded Lagrangian spheres fibering over the segments between the nodes in the ATF – these are so-called *visible Lagrangians*, see [3, section 7.4]. The boundary map  $\partial: H_2(S, \partial T) \rightarrow H_1(\partial T)$  is given by  $\partial D_0 = (0, 1)$ ,  $\partial D_i = (-q, p)$ , meaning that the last horizontal map  $H_1(\partial T) \rightarrow H_1(S)$  maps  $(0, 1)$  to the generator of  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ .

## 4 Lower Bound on Displacement Energy: Minimal J-holomorphic Curves

Let  $L(x, y)$  a fibre torus, where  $(x, y)$  is not over the branch cut line. In [1] the following is proven:

**Theorem 4.1.** *Let  $L \subset X$  be a Lagrangian submanifold. Then the displacement energy satisfies*

$$e(L) \geq \min\{\sigma_D(X, L, J), \sigma_S(X, J)\}$$

Compact Lagrangian in a tame symplectic manifold. Let  $J$  be...

#### 4.1 Displacement energy and exotic tori in $B_{dpq}$

In this subsection we denote by  $L(x_0, y_0)$  the almost toric fibre over the point  $(x_0, y_0)$  with  $x_0 > 0$ . Fibres  $L(\lambda p, \lambda q)$  for  $\lambda > 0$  are monotone whenever they are not on a node. We compute displacement energy of the non-monotone fibres. Note that  $L(x_0, y_0)$  yields a well-defined torus up to Hamiltonian isotopy, i.e. it is independent of the nodal slides, see .

das müsste man auch noch zeigen...

**Proposition 4.2.** *Let  $L(x_0, y_0)$  be a non-monotone ATF-fibre of  $B_{dpq}$ . Then it has displacement energy*

$$e(B_{dpq}, L(x_0, y_0)) = x_0.$$

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*Proof.* The upper bound follows from probes. For the lower bound, we use theorem 4.1 together with lemma 4.3.  $\square$

##### 4.1.1 Almost complex structure on $B_{dpq}$

Let  $(n, a)$  be two coprime integers,  $\mu_n$  the group of  $n$ -th roots of unity. Let  $\mu_n$  act on  $\mathbb{C}^2$  by  $\mu(z_1, z_2) = (\mu z_1, \mu^a z_2)$ . Let  $A(n, a) = \mathbb{C}^2 / \mu_n$  be the quotient space. This space is an orbifold, with one orbifold point at  $[(0, 0)]$ . The space  $S^3 / \mu_n$  is the lens space  $L(n, a)$ , so  $A(n, a)$  is the cone over  $L(n, a)$ .

We define the Hamiltonian system on  $A(n, a)$  by

$$G(z_1, z_2) = \frac{1}{2}(|z_2|^2, \frac{1}{n}(|z_1|^2 + a|z_2|^2)) . \quad (1)$$

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With this Hamiltonian system the moment polytope is a wedge with edges pointing along vectors  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(n, a)$ , as seen in figure 4.  $A(n, a)$  has a almost complex structure  $J$  coming from the canonical complex structure on  $\mathbb{C}^2$ .

We have the commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{C}^2 & \longrightarrow & A(n, a) \\ \downarrow \mathbf{H} & & \downarrow \mathbf{G} \\ \Delta_{\mathbb{C}^2} & \longrightarrow & \Delta_{A(n, a)} \end{array}$$

After mutation the moment image of  $B_{dpq}$  looks as in figure 5. Removing the preimage of the branch cut line  $\mu^{-1}(l)$  marked in red in figure 5, the moment image is the same as that of  $A(dp^2, dpq - 1)$  with the corresponding line removed. Since the moment images are the same, by Delzant we get a symplectic embedding

$$B_{dpq} \setminus \mu^{-1}(l) \rightarrow A(dp^2, dpq - 1) ,$$

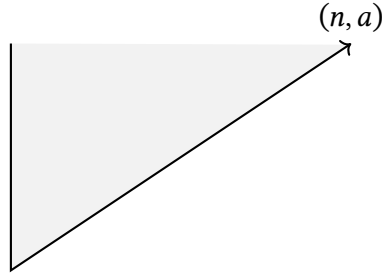


Figure 4: Moment image of  $A(n, a)$  with given by Hamiltonian system  $G$

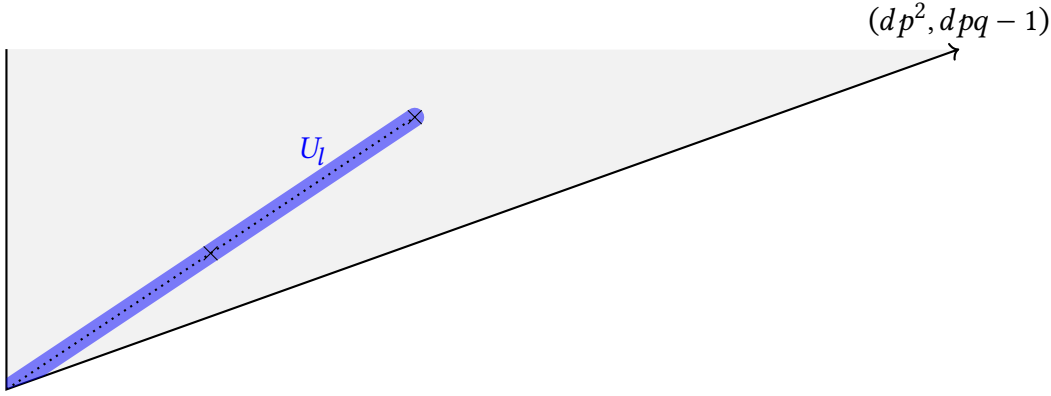


Figure 5: Moment image of  $B_{dpq}$  after mutation

and we can equip  $B_{dpq}$  with a almost complex structure  $J$  obtained by extending the almost complex structure of  $A(dp^2, dpq - 1)$  to  $\mu^{-1}(l)$ .

**Lemma 4.3.** *Equipped with this almost complex structure we have*

$$\min\{\sigma_D(B_{dpq}, L(x_0, y_0), J), \sigma_S(B_{dpq}, J)\} = x_0.$$

*Proof.* Independently of the choice of  $J$ , there are no  $J$ -holomorphic spheres in  $B_{dpq}$ , since  $H_2(B_{dpq})$  admits a basis the elements of which can be realized by Lagrangian spheres as discussed in section 3.

In order to deal with disks we choose a particular  $J$  as follows. Perform nodal slides such that all nodes lie in  $\{x > x_0 + \varepsilon\}$ . The subset  $U = \pi^{-1}(\{x < x_0 + \varepsilon\})$  is symplectomorphic to  $D(x_0 + \varepsilon) \times T^*S^1$ . Take the standard complex structure coming from this symplectomorphism on  $U$  and extend it to an arbitrary almost complex structure  $J$  taming  $\omega$ . Since the projection

$$p: (U, J|_U) \rightarrow (D(x_0 + \varepsilon), i)$$

is holomorphic, the maximum principle implies that the image of any  $J$ -disk with boundary on  $T(x_0, y_0)$  is contained in  $U$ . Since  $H_2(U, T(x_0, y_0))$  is generated by the disk  $D_0$  (see section 3), and since there is an obvious  $J$ -disk  $u$  with  $[u] = D_0$ , the claim follows.  $\square$

gibts hierfür noch eine referenz? Weil als armen Studenten würde mich sowas aufregen. Ich bin vom Wort allein noch nicht ganz überzeugt...

## 4.2 $D_0$ stays a Minimal J-Disks for Suitable Embeddings

Let  $B(a) \in \mathbb{C}^n$  be the open ball in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  of radius  $\sqrt{\frac{a}{\pi}}$ . In [2, appendix A] the following lemma is proven:

**Lemma 4.4.** *Let  $a_+ > a_- \geq 0$ . Let  $u: \Sigma \rightarrow B(a_+) \setminus \overline{B(a_-)}$  be a  $\mathcal{J}$ -holomorphic curve such that the closure of  $u(\Sigma)$  in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  intersects  $\partial B(a_-)$ . Then  $\int_u \omega \geq a_+ - a_-$ .*

We give the slight generalization:

**Lemma 4.5.** *Let  $a_+ > a_- > 0$ , and*

$$X = \mathbf{G}^{-1}(\{c_1(0, 1) + c_2(n, a) \mid a_- < c_1 + c_2 < a_+\}) \subset A(n, a),$$

*equipped with the almost complex structure of  $A(n, a)$ .*

*Let  $u: \Sigma \rightarrow X$  be a  $\mathcal{J}$ -holomorphic curve whose closure intersects*

$$\mathbf{H}^{-1}(\{c_1(0, 1) + c_2(n, a) \mid a_- = c_1 + c_2\}).$$

*Then  $\int_u \omega \geq a_+ - a_-$ .*

**Remark 4.6.** Suppose we have a moment polytope  $\Delta$  of a (almost) toric symplectic manifold or orbifold  $\mathbf{H}: M \rightarrow \Delta$  with two non-parallel edges given by the two primitive vectors  $u_1, u_2$ , as in figure 6. Suppose without loss of generality that the edges intersect in the origin. Then the subset

$$X = \mathbf{H}^{-1}(\{c_1 u_1 + c_2 u_2 \mid a_- < c_1 + c_2 < a_+\})$$

with  $a_{\pm}$  such that  $a_{\pm} u_1, a_{\pm} u_2 \in \Delta$ , can be transformed by a  $T \in \text{GL}(\mathbb{Z}^2)$ , such that  $Tu_1 = (0, 1), Tu_2 = (n, a)$ , for some coprime integers  $n, a$ .

With this transformation we can view  $X$  as a subset of  $A(n, a)$ . Equipping  $M$  with an extension of the almost complex structure coming from  $A(n, a)$ , we get that  $\mathcal{J}$ -curves in  $M$  intersecting

$$\mathbf{H}^{-1}(\{c_1 u_1 + c_2 u_2 \mid a_- = c_1 + c_2\})$$

must have at least area  $a_+ - a_-$ .

*Proof.* Since the action of  $\mu_n$  is free in  $(\mathbb{C}^*)^2$ , the projection map  $\pi: (\mathbb{C}^*)^2 \rightarrow A(n, a) \setminus \{(0, 0)\}$  is an  $n$ -fold covering map.

As shown below, the preimage  $\pi^{-1}(X)$  is  $B(na_+) \setminus \overline{B(na_-)}$ , and  $u$  lifts to a  $\mathcal{J}$ -curve  $\tilde{u}$ , i.e. a curve making the diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Sigma' & \xrightarrow{\tilde{u}} & \mathbb{C}^2 \\ \downarrow \tilde{\pi} & & \downarrow \pi \\ \Sigma & \xrightarrow{u} & A(n, a) \end{array}$$

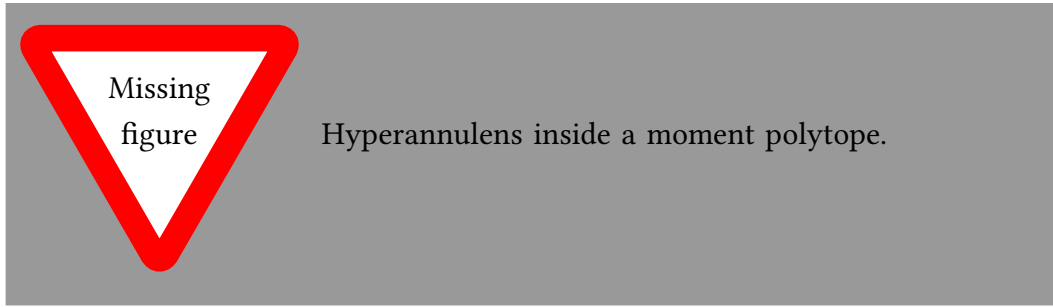


Figure 6: Hyperannulens inside a moment polytope.

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commute, where  $\tilde{\pi} : \Sigma' \rightarrow \Sigma$  is some  $n$ -fold covering of  $\Sigma$ .

Using lemma 4.4, we get that the symplectic area of  $\tilde{u}$  is at least  $n(a_+ - a_-)$ , and since  $\tilde{u}$  is an  $n$ -fold covering of  $u$ ,  $u$  has at least symplectic area  $a_+ - a_-$ , as desired.

To show that  $\pi^{-1}(X) = B(na_+) \setminus \overline{B(na_-)}$ , note that the Hamiltonian system  $G$  from equation (1), is given by a linear transformation of the standard system on  $\mathbb{C}^2$

$$H(z_1, z_2) = \frac{1}{2}(|z_1|^2, |z_2|^2),$$

given by the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{n} & \frac{a}{n} \end{pmatrix},$$

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whose inverse maps  $G(X)$  to  $H(B(na_+) \setminus \overline{B(na_-)})$ , and since  $\pi$  maps fibres to fibres, the claim follows.  $\square$

Define  $B_{dpq}(a) := G^{-1}\{c_1(0, 1) + c_2(dp^2, dpq - 1) \mid c_1 + c_2 < a\}$ , and let  $(X, \omega, J)$  be a symplectic manifold with tame almost complex structure.

was ist  $G$  genau?

gibts davon noch eine schönere definition?

Suppose we have an embedding  $B_{dpq}(2a) \rightarrow X$ , and that all  $J$ -spheres in  $X$  have at least area  $a$ . Using remark 4.6 and lemma 4.5, we get that the minimal  $J$ -curve with boundary on the torus  $T_k(a)$  has area  $a$ , and since there are no smaller  $J$ -spheres by assumption, using theorem 4.1, we get that the displacement energy of  $T_k(a)$  is at least  $a$ .

Brauchen wir hier noch ein  $\varepsilon$  platz?

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