

A Nakai–Moishezon type criterion for supercritical deformed Hermitian–Yang–Mills equation

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(X, χ, Ω) : Calabi–Yau mfd of $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} X = n$

(χ : Ricci-flat Kähler, Ω : nowhere-vanishing holomorphic n -form)

A submanifold $\Sigma \subset X$ of $\dim_{\mathbb{R}} \Sigma = n$ is **Lagrangian** $:\iff \chi|_{\Sigma} = 0$.

Lagrangian $\Sigma \subset X$ is **special** $:\iff \operatorname{Im}(e^{-\sqrt{-1}\vartheta_0}\Omega)|_{\Sigma} = 0$ ($\vartheta_0 \in \mathbb{R}$)

Theorem (Harvey–Lawson’82)

Any sLag’s are homologically volume minimizing.

Conjecture (Thomas–Yau’02)

A given Lagrangian $\Sigma \subset X$ can be deformed to a sLag by Hamiltonian deformations iff the Hamiltonian isotopy class $[\Sigma]$ is “stable”.

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X : compact cpx mfd with $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} X = n$ (where X does **not** have to be CY)
 $\alpha, \beta \in H^{1,1}(X, \mathbb{R})$ (β is Kähler), $\chi \in \beta$

Definition

$\omega \in \alpha$ is **deformed Hermitian–Yang–Mills (dHYM)**: \iff

$$\operatorname{Im}(e^{-\sqrt{-1}\theta_0}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n) = 0 \iff \sum_{i=1}^n \operatorname{arccot}(\lambda_i) = \theta_0 \pmod{2\pi}$$

where $\theta_0 \in \mathbb{R}$, $\lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$ are eigenvalues of $\omega_{i\bar{j}}\chi^{k\bar{j}}$.

Integrating the dHYM equation over X yields

$$\theta_0 = \arg \left(\int_X (\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n \right) \pmod{2\pi}.$$

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- It is possible that $\int_X (\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n = 0$ when $n > 2$ (e.g. $X = \mathbb{C}P^3 \# \overline{\mathbb{C}P^3}$).
- If $\omega_1 \in \beta$ (resp. $\omega_2 \in \beta$) is dHYM with constant phase θ_1 (resp. θ_2) then $\theta_1 = \theta_2$ (**lifted angle**).
- Is it possible to define the lifted angle **algebraically**? (an open question raised by Collins–Xie–Yau’17)

Theorem (Leung–Yau–Zaslow’01)

When $X \rightarrow B$ is a “SYZ fibration”, the sLag equation for sections of $\widehat{X} \rightarrow B$ is equivalent to the dHYM equation on a line bundle $L \rightarrow X$.

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The goal of this talk is to give a numerical necessary and sufficient condition for the existence a solution to dHYM equation, **which confirms the mirror version of Thomas–Yau conjecture.**

Plan of Talk:

- §2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture
- §3. Main results
- §4. Regularized maximum
- §5. Proof of the main theorem

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Supercritical Phase Condition

We define the **Lagrangian phase operator** $Q_\chi: X \rightarrow (0, n\pi)$ by

$$Q_\chi(\omega) := \sum_{i=1}^n \operatorname{arccot}(\lambda_i), \quad \omega \in \alpha$$

so that the dHYM equation is $Q_\chi(\omega) = \theta_0$. Now we assume that $\theta_0 \in (0, \pi)$ by adding integer multiples of 2π .

Definition

$\omega \in \alpha$ is **supercritical** $:\iff Q_\chi(\omega) < \pi$.

Remark

- ω is supercritical $\implies \lambda_2 \geq 0$.
- $Q_\chi(\omega) < \Theta_0 < \pi \implies \lambda_1 \geq -C(\Theta_0)$.

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

Subsolutions

We define the operator $P_\chi: X \rightarrow (0, (n-1)\pi)$ by

$$P_\chi(\omega) := \max_{k=1, \dots, n} \sum_{i \neq k} \operatorname{arccot}(\lambda_i), \quad \omega \in \alpha.$$

Definition

$\omega \in \alpha$ is a subsolution $:\iff P_\chi(\omega) < \theta_0$.

Theorem (Collins–Jacob–Yau'15)

supercritical dHYM $\exists \omega \in \alpha \iff$ supercritical subsolution $\exists \underline{\omega} \in \alpha$.

- The subsolution condition is **analytic** and hard to check in practice.
- It is unknown that the existence of a solution **depends only on** α, β .

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

Nakai–Moishezon criterion

Theorem (Nakai'63, Moishezon'64, Demailly-Păun'04)

X : smooth proj. var. with $\dim_{\mathbb{C}} X = n$

$\alpha \in H^{1,1}(X; \mathbb{R})$ is Kähler

$\iff \alpha^m \cdot Y > 0, \forall Y \subset X$: subvar. with $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n$.

If X is not projective...

$X = \mathbb{C}^n / \Lambda$: a flat torus ($\Lambda \subset \mathbb{C}^n$: generic lattice)

$$H^{1,1}(X; \mathbb{R}) = \{H \mid H \text{ is a Hermitian form on } \mathbb{C}^n \text{ with constant coefficients}\}.$$

Let α be the cohomology class corresponding to H . Then

$$\alpha^n \cdot X > 0 \iff \det(H) > 0.$$

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

Proposition (Collins–Jacob–Yau'15)

For supercritical $\omega \in \alpha$, the subsolution condition $P_\chi(\omega) < \theta_0$ is equivalent to

$$\operatorname{Re}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m - \cot(\theta_0)\operatorname{Im}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m > 0 \quad (m = 1, \dots, n-1).$$

Conjecture (Collins–Jacob–Yau'15)

supercritical dHYM $\exists \omega \in \alpha \iff$

$$\left(\operatorname{Re}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta)^m - \cot(\theta_0)\operatorname{Im}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta)^m \right) \cdot Y > 0$$

for $\forall Y \subset X$: subvar. of $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n-1$.

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

Remark

When X is a smooth projective surface, the above CJY conjecture is a direct consequence from the Nakai–Moishezon criterion.

It is known that the CJY conjecture holds in some cases:

- For smooth Kähler surfaces (Collins–Jacob–Yau’15)
- “A version of” CJY conjecture for compact Kähler manifolds (G. Chen’20)
- For 3-dimensional smooth projective varieties (Datar–Pingali’20)
- For smooth projective varieties of arbitrary dimension (**Chu–Lee–T’21**)

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

A version of CJY conjecture

Q. How to choose a correct lift of θ_0 ?

Definition

A family of closed real $(1, 1)$ -forms $\omega_t \in \alpha_t$ ($t \in [0, \infty)$) is a **test family** : \iff

- 1 $\omega_0 = \omega \in \alpha$.
- 2 $s < t \Rightarrow \omega_s < \omega_t$.
- 3 $\exists T \geq 0; \omega_t > \cot(\frac{\theta_0}{n})\chi$ ($t \in [T, \infty)$).

ω_t : a test family, $Y \subset X$: subvar. with $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y$

$$F_{\theta_0}^{\text{Stab}}(Y, \{\omega_t\}, t) := \int_Y (\text{Re}(\omega_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m - \cot(\theta_0)\text{Im}(\omega_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m).$$

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

Definition

(X, α, β) is **uniformly stable** along ω_t
: $\iff \exists \epsilon > 0$ s.t. $\forall Y \subset X$ subvar. with $m = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n$, $\forall t \in [0, \infty)$,

$$F_{\theta_0}^{\text{Stab}}(Y, \{\omega_t\}, t) \geq (n - m)\epsilon \int_Y \chi^m.$$

Theorem (Chen'20)

supercritical dHYM $\exists \omega \in \alpha \iff (X, \alpha, \beta)$ is uniformly stable along $\forall \{\omega_t\}$.

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

(Strategy for proving Chen’s theorem)

Under the uniform stability assumption along ω_t , consider the following continuity path (C_t) for $\tilde{\omega}_t \in \alpha_t$:

$$\operatorname{Re}(\tilde{\omega}_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n - \cot(\theta_0)\operatorname{Im}(\tilde{\omega}_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n - \tilde{c}_t\chi^n = 0, \quad \tilde{c}_t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

We use the **twisted version** of the Collins–Jacob–Yau’s criterion as follows:

Theorem (Chen’20)

If there exists supercritical $\underline{\omega} \in \alpha$ such that $P_\chi(\underline{\omega}) < \theta_0$, then there exists supercritical $\omega \in \alpha$ satisfying

$$\operatorname{Re}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n - \cot(\theta_0)\operatorname{Im}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n - c\chi^n = 0,$$

where the constant $c \geq 0$ is uniquely determined by α, β .

§2. Collins–Jacob–Yau conjecture

We can easily observe that:

- $\tilde{c}_t \geq 0$ by uniform stability assumption, and $\tilde{c}_0 = 0$ since $\alpha_0 = \alpha$.
- (C_t) admits a solution for all $t \geq T$.

Set

$$\mathcal{T} := \{t \in [0, \infty) \mid (C_t) \text{ admits a solution}\}.$$

Then what we have to show is

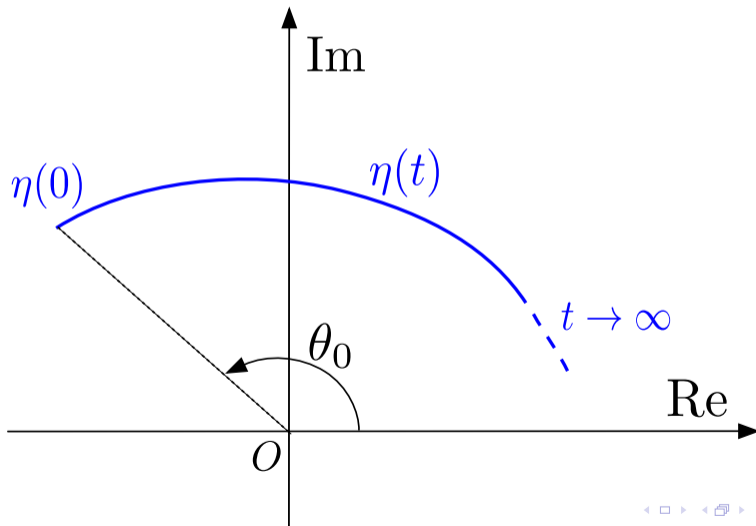
$$\mathcal{T} = [0, \infty).$$

Indeed, this is true, and the lifted angle is determined by

$$\theta_0 = (\text{Winding angle of } \eta(t) \text{ } (t \in [0, \infty)),$$

where the path $\eta(t) := \int_X (\omega_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^n \subset \mathbb{C}$ does not pass through the origin $0 \in \mathbb{C}$ by the uniform stability assumption.

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Corollary (Chen'20)

The solvability of the dHYM equation does not depend on the choice of $\chi \in \beta$.

The remaining problems are summed up as follows:

Q. How to remove uniform constant ϵ ?

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Removing the uniform constants

Definition

(X, α, β) is **stable** along a test family ω_t

$:\iff$

$$F_{\theta_0}^{\text{Stab}}(Y, \{\omega_t\}, t) \geq 0$$

for $\forall Y \subset X$: subvar. with $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n$ and $\forall t \in [0, \infty)$, with strict inequality holding if $m < n$.

Theorem (Chu–Lee–T'21)

supercritical dHYM $\exists \omega \in \alpha \iff (X, \alpha, \beta)$ is stable along $\forall \{\omega_t\}$.

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Removing test families

Corollary (Chu–Lee–T'21)

supercritical dHYM $\exists \omega \in \alpha \iff$

$\forall \gamma \in H^{1,1}(X; \mathbb{R})$: Kähler class, $\forall Y \subset X$: subvar. with $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n$,

$\forall k = 1, \dots, m$

$$\left((\operatorname{Re}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta))^k - \cot(\theta_0) \operatorname{Im}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta)^k \right) \cdot \gamma^{m-k} \geq 0$$

with strict inequality holding if $m < n$.

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(Proof) For $\omega \in \alpha$ and a Kähler form $\sigma \in \gamma$, consider

$$\omega_t := \omega + t\sigma \quad (t \in [0, \infty)).$$

Then for $\forall Y \subset X$ ($m = \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y = 1, \dots, n$) we have

$$\begin{aligned} & F_{\theta_0}^{\text{Stab}}(Y, \{\omega_t\}, t) \\ &= \int_Y (\text{Re}(\omega_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m - \cot(\theta_0)\text{Im}(\omega_t + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^m) \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^m t^{m-k} \binom{m}{k} \int_Y (\text{Re}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^k - \cot(\theta_0)\text{Im}(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\chi)^k) \wedge \sigma^{m-k}. \end{aligned}$$

This is a polynomial of t with non-negative coefficients, and positive if $m < n$. \square

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The projective case

Corollary (Chu–Lee–T'21)

The CJY conjecture is true for all smooth projective varieties X .

(Proof) In the previous corollary we set $\gamma := c_1(L)$ (L : a very ample line bundle). Then for $\forall Y \subset X$: subvar. with $m := \dim_{\mathbb{C}} Y$, $\forall k = 1, \dots, m$, generic members $H_1, \dots, H_{m-k} \in |L|$, $Y \cap H_1 \cap \dots \cap H_{m-k}$ is a subvar. of dimension k in X .

$$\begin{aligned} & \left((\operatorname{Re}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta))^k - \cot(\theta_0) \operatorname{Im}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta)^k \right) \cdot \gamma^{m-k} \\ &= (\operatorname{Re}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta))^k - \cot(\theta_0) \operatorname{Im}(\alpha + \sqrt{-1}\beta)^k \cdot (Y \cap H_1 \cap \dots \cap H_{m-k}) \end{aligned}$$

This is non-negative, and positive if $m < n$. \square

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For $\eta = (\eta_1, \dots, \eta_N) \in (0, \infty)^N$ we define the function $M_\eta: \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

$$M_\eta(t_1, \dots, t_N) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} \max\{t_1 + h_1, \dots, t_N + h_N\} \prod_{j=1, \dots, N} \theta\left(\frac{h_j}{\eta_j}\right) dh_1 \dots dh_N.$$

where θ denotes a non-negative smooth function on \mathbb{R} with support in $[-1, 1]$.

Then M_η satisfies

- 1 $M_\eta(t_1, \dots, t_N)$ is non-decreasing in all variables and convex on \mathbb{R}^N .
- 2 $M_\eta(t_1 + a, \dots, t_N + a) = M_\eta(t_1, \dots, t_N) + a$ for all $a \in \mathbb{R}$.

In particular, we have

$$\frac{\partial M_\eta}{\partial t_j} \geq 0, \quad \sum_{j=1}^N \frac{\partial M_\eta}{\partial t_j} = 1.$$

§4. Regularized maximum

$\{\Omega_j\}_{j=1,\dots,N}$: a family of domains in X

φ_j : a smooth function on Ω_j satisfying:

- 1 $\varphi_j(x) < \max_{k=1,\dots,N}\{\varphi_k(x)\}$ on each $x \in \partial\Omega_j$ (**gluing condition**)
- 2 $Q_\chi(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_j) < \theta_0$ on Ω_j

We choose a sufficiently small vector η so that $\varphi_j + \eta_j \leq \max_{k=1,\dots,N}\{\varphi_k(x) - \eta_k\}$, and set $\varphi := M_\eta(\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_N)$. Then φ is smooth and

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial z^k \partial \bar{z}^\ell} &= \sum_{a,b} \frac{\partial^2 M_\eta}{\partial t_a \partial t_b} \cdot \frac{\partial \varphi_a}{\partial z^k} \cdot \frac{\partial \varphi_b}{\partial \bar{z}^\ell} + \sum_a \frac{\partial M_\eta}{\partial t_a} \cdot \frac{\partial^2 \varphi_a}{\partial z^k \partial \bar{z}^\ell} \\ &\implies \omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi \geq \sum_j \frac{\partial M_\eta}{\partial t_j} \cdot (\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_j) \\ &\implies Q_\chi(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi) \leq Q_\chi\left(\sum_j \frac{\partial M_\eta}{\partial t_j} \cdot (\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_j)\right) < \theta_0.\end{aligned}$$

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- The proof of Chen's theorem is based on induction of the dimension of a compact Kähler **manifold** X .
- The proof of our theorem is based on induction of the dimension of (possibly singular) **subvarieties** $Y \subset X$.

For a subvariety $Y \subsetneq X$ (resp. $Y = X$), let $\Gamma(Y)$ be the set of germs of smooth functions φ satisfying $Q_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi) < \theta_0$ (resp. $P_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi) < \theta_0$ and $Q_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi) < \pi$) near Y . Note that $\Gamma(Y)$ is **well-defined even if Y has singularities**.

By Collins–Jacob–Yau's criterion, it is enough to show that:

Theorem (Chu–Lee–T'21)

(X, α, β) is stable along $\{\omega_t\} \implies \Gamma(Y) \neq \emptyset$ ($\forall Y \subset X$: subvar.)

In what follows, we only consider the case $Y \subsetneq X$ for simplicity.

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Step 1. (Constructing subsolution on Y_{reg})

Theorem (Chu–Lee–T’21)

There exists a smooth function φ_Y on Y_{reg} such that

- 1 $Q_\chi(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi_Y) < \theta_0$ on Y_{reg} .
- 2 $\varphi_Y \rightarrow -\infty$ along Y_{sing} .

(Proof) $\Phi: \widehat{X} \rightarrow X$: the resolution of singularities of an m -dimensional subvariety Y (a composition of blowups along smooth centers)

$\widehat{Y} := \Phi^{-1}(Y)$, E_0 : exceptional divisor

Take a fiber metric h_{E_0} on $[E_0]$ and $\kappa_0 > 0$ such that $\xi := \Phi^*\chi - \kappa_0 F_{h_{E_0}} > 0$ on \widehat{X} .

For $0 < \varrho \ll 1$, we define

$$\widehat{\alpha}_{t,\varrho} := \Phi^*\alpha_t + \varrho t[\xi], \quad \widehat{\chi}_{t,\varrho} := \Phi^*\chi + (\varrho t)^n \xi.$$

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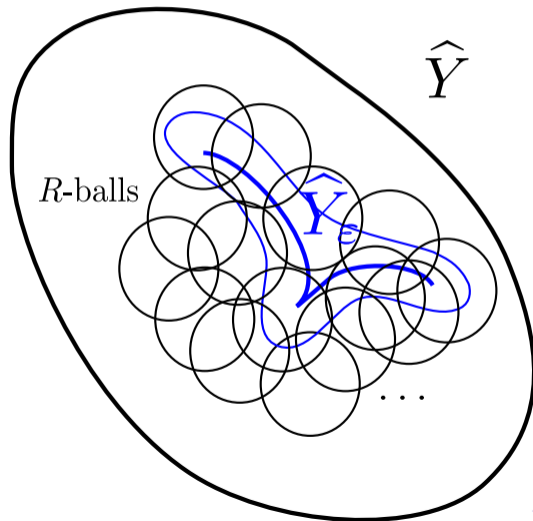
Consider the continuity path (\widehat{C}_t) for $\widehat{\omega}_{t,\rho} \in \widehat{\alpha}_{t,\rho}$:

$$\operatorname{Re}(\widehat{\omega}_{t,\rho} + \sqrt{-1}\widehat{\chi}_{t,\rho})^m - \cot(\theta_0)\operatorname{Im}(\widehat{\omega}_{t,\rho} + \sqrt{-1}\widehat{\chi}_{t,\rho})^m - \widehat{c}_{t,\rho}\widehat{\chi}_{t,\rho}^m = 0, \quad \widehat{c}_{t,\rho} \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Then we can show that

- $\widehat{c}_{t,\rho} \geq 0$ and (\widehat{C}_t) is solvable for all $t \in (0, 1]$ and $0 < \rho \ll 1$.
- The regularization (local smoothing & regularized maximum) of the weak limit $\widehat{\omega}_{0,0} := \lim_{t,\rho \rightarrow 0} \widehat{\omega}_{t,\rho}$ satisfies the desired conditions on $Y_{\text{reg}} = \Phi(\widehat{Y} \setminus E_0)$ **if $\widehat{\omega}_{0,0}$ has zero Lelong numbers.**
- If not, we consider the ε -Lelong number sublevel set \widehat{Y}_ε (for a suitable choice of $\varepsilon > 0$). Then $\Gamma(\Phi(\widehat{Y}_\varepsilon)) \neq \emptyset$ **by induction hypothesis.** Thus we may add the pullback of an element in $\Gamma(\Phi(\widehat{Y}_\varepsilon))$ when taking the regularized maximum. \square

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Approximation of PSH functions

For a PSH function u on $B_{4R}(0) \subset \mathbb{C}^m$, $z \in B_{3R}(0)$ and $r \in (0, R/2)$ we define

$$u^{(r)}(z) := \int_{\mathbb{C}^n} r^{-2m} \rho\left(\frac{|y|}{r}\right) u(z-y) dy, \quad u_r(z) := \sup_{B_r(z)} u,$$

where $\rho(t)$ is a smooth non-negative function with support in $[0, 1]$.

$$\nu_u(z, r) := \frac{u_{\frac{3}{4}R}(z) - u_r(z)}{\log\left(\frac{3}{4}R\right) - \log r} \xrightarrow{r \rightarrow 0} \nu_u(z) \quad (\text{Lelong number of } u \text{ at } z)$$

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In order to check the gluing condition, we use the following:

Lemma (Błocki–Kołodziej'07, Chen'19)

For any $r \in (0, R/2)$ and $z \in B_{3R}(0)$, the following estimates hold:

$$\mathbf{1} \quad 0 \leq u_r(z) - u_{\frac{r}{2}}(z) \leq (\log 2)\nu_u(z, r)$$

$$\mathbf{2} \quad 0 \leq u_r(z) - u^{(r)}(z) \leq \eta\nu_u(z, r)$$

where a constant $\eta > 0$ is defined by

$$\eta := \frac{3^{2m-1}}{2^{2m-3}} \log 2 + \text{Vol}(\partial B_1(0)) \int_0^1 \log\left(\frac{1}{t}\right) t^{2m-1} \rho(t) dt.$$

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Step 2. (Gluing argument) By induction hypothesis,

U_1 : neighborhood of Y_{sing} , $\psi \in C^\infty(U_1, \mathbb{R})$ s.t. $Q_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\psi) < \theta_0$.

Take open neighborhoods $U_3 \Subset U_2 \Subset U_1$ of Y_{sing} in X such that

1 $\varphi_Y > \psi + 2$ in $Y \cap (U_1 \setminus U_2)$

2 $\varphi_Y < \psi - 2$ in $Y \cap U_3$

We consider an extension

$$\tilde{\varphi}_Y := \varphi_Y + Ad_Y^2, \quad A \gg 0$$

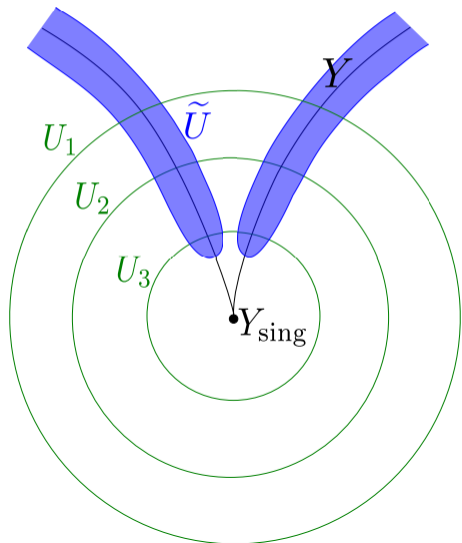
Then we observe that $Q_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\tilde{\varphi}_Y) < \theta_0$ in an open neighborhood \tilde{U} of $Y \setminus W$ in X , and

1 $\tilde{\varphi}_Y > \psi + 1$ in $\tilde{U} \cap (U_1 \setminus U_2)$

2 $\tilde{\varphi}_Y < \psi - 1$ in $\tilde{U} \cap U_3$

Let φ be the regularized maximum of $(\tilde{U}, \tilde{\varphi}_Y)$ and (U_2, ψ) . Then we conclude that $Q_X(\omega + \sqrt{-1}\partial\bar{\partial}\varphi) < \theta_0$ on a small neighborhood of Y in X .

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Thank you!