

Example Sheet 1

(1) If $f = (f_1, \dots, f_n) : \mathbf{C}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{C}^n$ is holomorphic, where $f_j = u_j + iv_j$ and $z_k = x_k + iy_k$, show that

$$\det \left(\frac{\partial(u_1, v_1, \dots, u_n, v_n)}{\partial(x_1, y_1, \dots, x_n, y_n)} \right) = |\det(\partial f_j / \partial z_k)|^2.$$

Deduce that any complex manifold is orientable.

(2) If X is a smooth manifold, U a connected open subset of X and $P \in U$, show that the natural map $\mathcal{A}_X(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}_{X,P}$ is always surjective, but not in general injective. If M is a complex manifold, $P \in U$ as before, show that the map $\mathcal{O}_M(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{M,P}$ is always injective, but not in general surjective.

(3) For $\phi : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$ a morphism of sheaves on a topological space X , show that

(a) ϕ is injective $\iff \phi_P : \mathcal{F}_P \rightarrow \mathcal{G}_P$ is injective for all $P \in X$.

(b) ϕ is an isomorphism $\iff \phi_P : \mathcal{F}_P \rightarrow \mathcal{G}_P$ is an isomorphism for all $P \in X$.

(4) If two holomorphic vector bundles of rank r on a complex manifold M have the same transition functions for trivialisations with respect to some open cover $\{U_\alpha\}$, show that they are isomorphic as holomorphic vector bundles.

(5) Suppose $\mathcal{U} = \{U_\alpha\}$ is an open cover of a topological space X , and that on each U_α we have a sheaf of abelian groups \mathcal{F}_α . If on each $U_\alpha \cap U_\beta$ we have an isomorphism of sheaves

$$g_{\alpha\beta} : \mathcal{F}_\beta|_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_\alpha|_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta}$$

such that $g_{\alpha\alpha} = \text{id}$ over U_α , and over each non-empty $U_\alpha \cap U_\beta \cap U_\gamma$ the compatibility relation $g_{\alpha\gamma} = g_{\alpha\beta}g_{\beta\gamma}$, show there exists a sheaf \mathcal{F} on X with $\mathcal{F}|_{U_\alpha} \cong \mathcal{F}_\alpha$ for all α .

(6) Let $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}^n, \mathbf{0}}$ denote the \mathbf{C} -algebra of germs of holomorphic functions at $\mathbf{0} \in \mathbf{C}^n$. If w_1, \dots, w_n are the holomorphic coordinate functions on \mathbf{C}^n , let $\partial/\partial w_i$ denote $\partial/\partial w_i|_{\mathbf{0}}$, i.e. the map $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}^n, \mathbf{0}} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ given by $f \mapsto (\partial f / \partial w_i)(\mathbf{0})$. Show that the $\partial/\partial w_i$ are complex derivations of $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{C}^n, \mathbf{0}}$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$, and that they form a basis for $T'_{\mathbf{C}^n, \mathbf{0}}$ over \mathbf{C} .

(7) Let $M = \mathbf{C}^n / \Lambda$ be a complex torus and N a complex submanifold of dimension d . Prove that the space of global holomorphic r -forms on N has dimension at least $\binom{d}{r}$ for all $r \leq d$.

(8) Given a point $x \in \mathbf{P}^n(\mathbf{C})$, let $[x]$ denote the line through the origin in \mathbf{C}^{n+1} representing x . Show that the set $\coprod_{x \in \mathbf{P}^n} [x]$ can be given the natural structure of a line bundle on $\mathbf{P}^n(\mathbf{C})$, the *tautological* line bundle L . Show that L is dual to the hyperplane bundle $[H]$.

(9) Let M be an n -dimensional complex manifold M . Suppose that a holomorphic vector bundle $E = L_1 \oplus \dots \oplus L_{n-r}$ is a sum of holomorphic line bundles on M , and that V is an r -dimensional submanifold of M defined by the vanishing of some global holomorphic section of E ; prove that $N_V \cong E|_V$. Find a formula for the canonical bundle K_V .

Suppose $V \subset \mathbf{P}^n(\mathbf{C})$ is a projective variety defined by the vanishing of homogeneous polynomials $F_1 = \dots = F_{n-r} = 0$, with $\text{rank}(\partial F_i / \partial X_j) = n - r$ at all points of V , where $r > 0$. Prove that V is an r -dimensional complex submanifold of $\mathbf{P}^n(\mathbf{C})$ (you may assume the fact that V is connected). If $\deg F_i = d_i$ for $i = 1, \dots, n - r$, such a V is called a *complete intersection* of type (d_1, \dots, d_{n-r}) in $\mathbf{P}^n(\mathbf{C})$ — we can clearly assume here that $1 < d_1 \leq d_2 \leq \dots \leq d_{n-r}$. Prove that the canonical bundle

$$K_V \cong [(d_1 + \dots + d_{n-r} - n - 1)H]|_V.$$

Hence find all the types of 3-dimensional complete intersections with K_V trivial.

(10) Let M be a complex manifold, $V \subset M$ a codimension one complex submanifold and \mathcal{E} a torsion-free \mathcal{O}_M -module. Let $\{U_\alpha\}$ be an open cover of M such that the ideal sheaf $\mathcal{I}(V)|_{U_\alpha} = f_\alpha \mathcal{O}_{U_\alpha} \subset \mathcal{O}_{U_\alpha}$ for all α . Considering the \mathcal{O}_{U_α} -module $\mathcal{F}_\alpha = \mathcal{E}|_{U_\alpha}$ for each α , and defining isomorphisms of $\mathcal{O}_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta}$ -modules

$$g_{\alpha\beta} : \mathcal{F}_\beta|_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta} \rightarrow \mathcal{F}_\alpha|_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta}$$

by $g_{\alpha\beta}(\sigma) = \frac{f_\alpha}{f_\beta} \sigma$ for all sections of $\mathcal{F}_\beta|_{U_\alpha \cap U_\beta}$, deduce the existence of a corresponding \mathcal{O}_M -module, called the sheaf of *meromorphic sections of \mathcal{E} with at most a simple pole along V* and denoted $\mathcal{E}(V)$ — locally its sections may be considered of the form m/f for m a local section of \mathcal{E} and f a local generator for the ideal of V . If \mathcal{E} is the sheaf of holomorphic sections of a holomorphic vector bundle E , show that $\mathcal{E}(V)$ is isomorphic to the sheaf of holomorphic sections of $E \otimes [V]$.

(11) With the notation as in the previous question, consider the subsheaf $\Omega_M^r(\log V)$ of $\Omega_M^r(V)$ consisting of meromorphic r -forms ω with locally both $f\omega$ and $fd\omega$ holomorphic. Show that $\Omega_M^r(\log V)$ is a well-defined locally free \mathcal{O}_M -module, and when $r = n$ that $\Omega_M^n(\log V) = \Omega_M^n(V)$.

Given $\omega \in \Gamma(U, \Omega_M^r(\log V))$, write $\omega = df/f \wedge \omega' + \omega''$, with $\omega' \in \Gamma(U, \Omega_M^{r-1})$ and $\omega'' \in \Gamma(U, \Omega_M^r)$, and then take the restriction $\omega'|_V$;

defines a morphism of sheaves $\Omega_M^r(\log V) \rightarrow \Omega_V^{r-1}$ on M , where Ω_V^{r-1} here denotes the \mathcal{O}_M -module $\iota_* \Omega_V^{r-1}$, with ι denoting the inclusion map $V \subset M$. Deduce that there is an exact sequence of \mathcal{O}_M -modules

$$0 \rightarrow \Omega_M^r \rightarrow \Omega_M^r(\log V) \rightarrow \Omega_V^{r-1} \rightarrow 0.$$

[The map defined above is called the *Poincaré Residue map*, and generalizes the concept of residues from the case $n = 1$.]

(12) In the case when V is a hypersurface in M , by taking $r = n$ in the previous question, deduce the adjunction formula.