

Last time: Detecting Rational Surfaces (S birational to \mathbb{P}^2) avoidable

Prp (Cf. of Noether's Lemma): $S =$ projective surface with $h^1(\mathcal{O}_S), h^0(K_S) = 0$.

If Γ irred. curve $C \subset S$ with $a(C) = 0$ and $C^2 \geq 0$, then S is rational.

(If S is minimal, $K_S \cdot C < 0 \Rightarrow C^2 > 0$)

Castelnuovo-Enriques Thm Projective surface S is rational

iff $h^1(\mathcal{O}_S), h^0(K_S^{\otimes 2}) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \chi(S) > 0 \\ \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) > 0 \end{cases}$$

Thm proved for S minimal in 3 cases: $K_S^2 =, >, < 0$

Which can actually occur? Only $K_S^2 > 0$

Last week: $S =$ minimal rational $\Rightarrow S = \mathbb{P}^2$ or $\mathbb{F}_k \equiv \mathbb{P}(\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1} \oplus \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^1}(k))$ with $k=0,2,3,\dots$

On \mathbb{P}^2 : $K = -3H \Rightarrow K^2 = 9 > 0$

On \mathbb{F}_k : $K = -2E_0 + (k-2)F$, $E_0^2 = k$, $E_0 \cdot F = 1$, $F^2 = 0 \Rightarrow K^2 = 4k - 4(k-2) = 8 > 0$

Asides: (1) C-E Thm holds with projective \rightarrow empt complex

Barth-Hulek-Peters-van de Ven, Chapter 6:

$S =$ empt \mathbb{C} -surface, non-algebraic $\Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_S), h^0(K_S) = 0$ not possible

(2) Prp holds in symplectic category w/o $h^1(\mathcal{O}_S), h^0(K_S) = 0$

McDuff '90; application of Gromov '85 pseudoholom. curves

(3) C-E Thm holds with projective \rightarrow empt symplectic

$$h^1(\mathcal{O}_S) = 0 \rightarrow b_1(S) \leq 1$$

$$h^0(K_S^{\otimes 2}) = 0 \rightarrow \underbrace{c_1^2 < 0}_{K_S^2 < 0} \text{ or } \underbrace{c_1 \cdot \omega > 0}_{K_S \cdot \omega < 0}$$

Tian-Jun Li '15: survey

(surface)

Crl (Luroth's Thm) If $f: S_{\text{rational}} \rightarrow S'_{\text{projective holom. and onto}}$, then S' is also rational.

Pf: Show $h^{1,0}(S) = 0 \Rightarrow h^{1,0}(S') = 0$; $P_n(S) = 0 \Rightarrow P_n(S') = 0$
 $\equiv h^0(K_S^{\otimes n})$

$\omega \in H^{1,0}(S)$ holom. 1-form $\Rightarrow f^* \omega' \equiv \omega \circ df \in H^{1,0}(S)$
 $\Rightarrow \omega \circ df = 0$ on S
 $\Rightarrow \text{Jac}(f) = 0$ on $S - f^{-1}(w'^{-1}(0))$
 proper subvariety if f is onto proper subvariety if $w' \neq 0$ and f is onto

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Analogue for Curves: $f: \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \Sigma_g$ holom., non-const.
 Cmpl. conn. Riemann surface
 $\Rightarrow g=0 \Leftrightarrow \Sigma_g = \mathbb{P}^1$

Luroth's Thm does not extend to higher dim (Clemens-Griffiths '72)
 $\exists S, S'$ smooth projective 3-fold, S rational, S' not rational
 and $f: S \rightarrow S'$ holom. surjective
 \therefore unirational $\not\Rightarrow$ rational in $\dim \geq 3$

C-E Thm is sharp: neither $h^1(\mathcal{O}) = 0$ nor $h^0(K_S^{\otimes 2}) = 0$ can be dropped

(1) $S = \Sigma_g \times \mathbb{P}^1$ $g \geq 1 \Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_S) = h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\Sigma_g}) = g \Rightarrow S$ not rational
 $K_S = \pi_1^* K_{\Sigma} + \pi_2^* K_{\mathbb{P}^1} \Rightarrow (pt \times \mathbb{P}^1) \cdot K_S = -2 < 0 \forall pt \in \Sigma_g$
 $\Rightarrow H^0(K_S^n) = 0 \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \Rightarrow P_2(S) = 0, \chi(S) = -1$

$K_S^2 = 2 \langle K_{\Sigma}, \Sigma \rangle \langle K_{\mathbb{P}^1}, \mathbb{P}^1 \rangle = -8(g-1) \leq 0$

Kodaira dimension

$\chi(S) = \chi(\Sigma) \chi(\mathbb{P}^1) = -4(g-1) \Rightarrow \chi(S), K_S^2 \leq 0$

(2) $S = \text{Enriques surface}$: $\pi_1(S) = \mathbb{Z}_2 \Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_S) = 0$

$K_S \neq 0, 2K_S = 0 \Rightarrow p_g(S) \equiv P_2(S) \equiv h^0(K_S) = 0$

$P_2(S) \equiv h^0(K_S^{\otimes 2}) = 1 \Rightarrow S \text{ not rational}$

These exist (G&H, later?) $\chi(S) = 0$

(3) $S = \text{Godeaux surface (HW6 \#2)}$: $\pi_1(S) = \mathbb{Z}_5 \Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_S) = 0$

$P_2(S) \equiv h^0(K_S) = 0$; $K_S \rightarrow S$ positive $\Rightarrow P_n(S) \sim n^2$

$\Rightarrow S$ is of general type, $\chi(S) = 2$

Generalization of (1): Irrational Ruled Surfaces

$S = \mathbb{P}E \xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma_g, E \rightarrow \Sigma_g$ rank 2 holom. v.b.; $g=1$

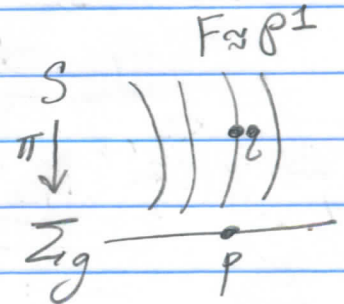
$\Leftrightarrow \pi: S \rightarrow \Sigma_g$ holom. s.t. $\pi^{-1}(p) \cong \mathbb{P}^1 \forall p \in \Sigma_g$

$\pi^*: H^{1,0}(\Sigma_g) \rightarrow H^{1,0}(S), \omega \rightarrow \pi^*\omega = \omega \circ d\pi$, isom.

• injective b/c $d\pi$ onto $\forall p \in S$

• onto b/c $\tilde{\omega}|_{\mathbb{P}^1} \equiv 0 \forall \tilde{\omega} \in H^{1,0}(S), p \in S$

$\Rightarrow h^1(\mathcal{O}_S) = h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\Sigma_g}) = g \Rightarrow S$ is not rational



But $P_n(S) \equiv h^0(K_S^{\otimes n}) = 0 \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ b/c $K_S \cdot F = -n(\deg TF + \deg N_S F) = -2n < 0$
 $\Rightarrow \forall \omega \in H^0(K_S^{\otimes n}), \omega|_F \equiv 0 \forall \text{ fibers } F$

$$\chi(S) = -4(g-1) \leq 0, K_S^2 = -8(g-1) \leq 0$$

$S = \text{minimal projective surface}$

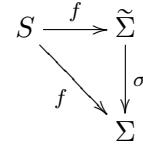
Thm: If either $\chi(S) < 0$ or $K_S^2 < 0$, then S is irrational ruled.

Cor: If $\chi(\mathcal{O}_S) \leq 0$, then --- II ---

Pf: Noether's Formula $\chi(\mathcal{O}_S) = \frac{1}{2}(\chi(S) + K_S^2)$

$\therefore \chi(\mathcal{O}_S) < 0 \Rightarrow \chi(S) < 0$ or $K_S^2 < 0$

Lemma 0: $S =$ cmpt conn. \mathbb{C} -surface, $\Sigma =$ cmpt conn. \mathbb{C} -curve, $f: S \rightarrow \Sigma$ holomor. onto
 \exists branch cover $\sigma: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \Sigma$ and holomor. $\tilde{f}: S \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$
s.t. $f = \tilde{f} \circ \sigma$ and $\tilde{f}^{-1}(\tilde{z})$ is conn. $\forall \tilde{z} \in \tilde{\Sigma}$.



Proof. For generic $z \in \Sigma$, the fiber $F_z \equiv f^{-1}(z)$ is smooth

$$\implies F_z = \sum_i F_{z,i} \text{ with } F_{z,i} \subset S \text{ smooth conn. curve.}$$

index i defined locally, but not globally

$F_{z,i}$ with $z \in \Sigma$ generic limit to curves $F_{z',i} \subset f^{-1}(z')$ with $z' \in \Sigma$ non-generic
 $F_{z,i} \cap F_{z,j} = \emptyset$ if $i \neq j \implies$ either $F_{z',i} \cap F_{z',j} = \emptyset$ or $F_{z',i} = F_{z',j}$

Take $\tilde{\Sigma} \equiv \{(z, i) : z \in \Sigma, F_{z,i} \in \pi_0(f^{-1}(z))\}$, $\sigma: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \Sigma$, $\sigma(z, i) = z$
 $\tilde{f}: S \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$, $F_{z,i} \ni x \rightarrow (z, i) \in \tilde{\Sigma}$

$\sigma: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \Sigma$ is a covering projection over $\Sigma - B$, $B \subset \Sigma$ finite

$\implies \exists!$ holomor. str on $\tilde{\Sigma}$ s.t. $\sigma: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \Sigma$ holomor $\implies \tilde{f}: S \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$ holomor.

Cr1 1: $S =$ cmpt conn. \mathbb{C} -surface. If $h^{1,0}(S) = 1$, then $\chi(S) \geq 0$.

Proof. Fix $p \in S$. Define $\mu_p: S \rightarrow \text{Alb}(S) \equiv H^{1,0}(S)^*/\Lambda_S \approx \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$

$$\mu_p(p') = \int_p^{p'} \cdot : H^{1,0}(S) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad \Lambda_S \equiv \left\{ \int_\gamma \cdot : \gamma \in H_1(S; \mathbb{Z}) \right\} \subset H^{1,0}(S)^* \text{ lattice}$$

integration along a path from $p \in S$ fixed to $p' \in S$

Lemma 0 $\implies \exists$ branch cover $\sigma: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}/\Lambda$ and holomor. $\tilde{\mu}_p: S \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$

s.t. $\mu_p = \tilde{\mu}_p \circ \sigma$ and $\tilde{\mu}_p^{-1}(\tilde{z})$ is conn. $\forall \tilde{z} \in \tilde{\Sigma}$

$\tilde{f}^*: H^{1,0}(\tilde{\Sigma}) \rightarrow H^{1,0}(S)$ injective, $g(\tilde{\Sigma}) \geq g(\mathbb{C}/\Lambda) = 1$, $h^{1,0}(S) = 1 \implies \chi(\tilde{\Sigma}) = 0$

$\chi(S) = \chi(\tilde{\Sigma})\chi(\tilde{F}) +$ corrections from singular fibers

$\tilde{F} \equiv$ generic fiber of \tilde{f}

\tilde{F} conn. \implies corrections ≥ 0 (χ of singular fiber $\geq \chi(\tilde{F})$)

partial pf on pp508-10

Cr1 2: $S =$ cmpt conn. Kähler surface. If $\chi(S) < 0$, then $h^{1,0}(S) \geq 2$.

Proof. $\chi(S) = 2 + b_2(S) - 4h^{1,0}(S) < 0 \implies h^{1,0}(S) \geq 1$

Cr1 1 $\implies h^{1,0}(S) \neq 1$

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Note: The first statement in the above proof uses $h^{0,1}(S) = h^{1,0}(S)$. If S is a cmpt conn. \mathbb{C} -surface and $h^{0,1}(S) \neq h^{1,0}(S)$, then $h^{0,1}(S) = h^{1,0}(S) + 1$ (see HW4 #3). Thus, the conclusions of the first line of the proof and of Cr1 2 hold for cmpt conn. \mathbb{C} -surfaces.

Proof of Thm

Lemma 1: If S minimal $\xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma$ holom. and $\pi^{-1}(p) \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ for a generic $p \in \Sigma$, then $S \xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma$ is a \mathbb{P}^1 -bundle.

Lemma 2: If S is minimal, $\chi(S) < 0$, and $\exists \omega_1, \omega_2 \in H^{1,0}(S)$ lin. indep. s.t. $\omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 \equiv 0 \in H^0(K_S)$, then S is irrational ruled ($g \geq 2$) linearly dependent pointwise

Lemma 3: If $S = \text{cpt. Kähler}$, and $\chi(S) < 0$, then $\exists \omega_1, \omega_2 \in H^{1,0}(S)$ linearly indep. s.t. $\omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 \equiv 0 \in H^0(K_S)$.

pf: Crl on p4 $\Rightarrow \dim H^{1,0}(S) \geq 2$

\therefore (i) $\exists \omega_1, \omega_2 \in H^{1,0}(S)$ lin. indep.

(ii) \exists subgroup of $G = \pi_1(S)$ of index 5 (bc Abel $(\pi_1(S))$ contains a \mathbb{Z} -factor)

$$\Rightarrow \exists 5:1 \text{ covering } \tilde{S} \xrightarrow{p} S \Rightarrow \chi(\tilde{S}) = 5\chi(S) \leq -5 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} h^0(K_{\tilde{S}}) \leq 2h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{S}}) - 4 \\ 2 + 2h^0(K_{\tilde{S}}) + h^{1,1}(\tilde{S}) - 4h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{S}}) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{codim}(\text{Ker } \Lambda^2 H^{1,0}(\tilde{S}) \rightarrow H^{2,0}(\tilde{S})) \leq 2h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{S}}) - 4$$

$$\dim(\text{decomposables in } \Lambda^2 H^{1,0}(\tilde{S})) = \dim G(2, h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{S}})) + 1 = 2h^1(\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{S}}) - 3$$

\Rightarrow decomposables \cap Ker $\neq \{0\} \Rightarrow \exists \tilde{\omega}_1, \tilde{\omega}_2 \in H^{1,0}(\tilde{S})$ lin. indep. s.t. $\tilde{\omega}_1 \wedge \tilde{\omega}_2 \equiv 0$

Lemma 2 $\Rightarrow \tilde{\pi}: \tilde{S} \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$ is (irrational) ruled $\Rightarrow H^{1,0}(\tilde{S}) = \tilde{\pi}^* H^0(K_{\tilde{\Sigma}})$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{\omega}'_1 \wedge \tilde{\omega}'_2 \equiv 0 \forall \tilde{\omega}'_1, \tilde{\omega}'_2 \in H^{1,0}(\tilde{S})$, e.g. $(p^* \omega_1) \wedge (p^* \omega_2) \equiv 0 \Rightarrow \omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 \equiv 0 \in H^0(K_S) \square$

Lemma 1: If S minimal $\pi \rightarrow \Sigma$ holom. and $\pi^{-1}(p) \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ for a generic $p \in \Sigma$, then $S \xrightarrow{\pi} \Sigma$ is a \mathbb{P}^1 -bundle (all fibers are \mathbb{P}^1).

Pf: $F \in H_2(S)$ fiber class $\Rightarrow F^2 = 0, F \cdot K_S = -\chi(\mathbb{P}^1) = -2$

Suppose $\pi^{-1}(p) = \sum_{i=1}^k m_i C_i, \quad k \geq 2, m_i \in \mathbb{Z}^+, C_i \subset S$ irred.

$\Rightarrow C_i \cdot K_S < 0$ for some i

$0 = F \cdot C_i = \sum_{j \neq i} m_j C_j \cdot C_i + C_i^2 \Rightarrow C_i^2 < 0 \Rightarrow C_i \subset S$ exceptional
 b/c $\pi^{-1}(p)$ is conn.

Lemma 2: If S is minimal, $\chi(S) < 0$, and $\exists \omega_1, \omega_2 \in H^{1,0}(S)$ lin. indep. s.t. $\omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 \equiv 0 \in H^0(K_S)$, then S is irrational ruled ($g \geq 2$).

Pf: $\omega_1, \omega_2 \equiv 0 \in H^{2,0}(S) \Rightarrow \exists f: S \dashrightarrow \mathbb{C}$ merom. s.t. $\omega_1 = f \omega_2$
 $f \neq \text{const}$ b/c ω_1, ω_2 lin. indep.

Claim: $\pi: S \dashrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1, p \rightarrow [1, f(p)]$, extends to $S \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ holom.

Pf of claim: $\mathcal{U}_p \subset S$ small neighb. of p ; define $\Psi: \mathcal{U}_p \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2, \Psi(z) = \left(\int_p^z \omega_1, \int_p^z \omega_2 \right)$
 $\Psi^*(dx_1 \wedge dx_2) = d\Psi_1 \wedge d\Psi_2 = \omega_1 \wedge \omega_2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow \text{Im } \Psi \subset \mathbb{C}^2$ is a curve, $= (g)$ for some $g: \mathbb{C}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ holom.

$$g \circ \Psi = 0 \Rightarrow f = \frac{d\Psi_1}{d\Psi_2} = - \frac{\partial g / \partial z_2 \circ \Psi}{\partial g / \partial z_1 \circ \Psi}$$

$\mathcal{U} \xrightarrow{\Psi} \text{Im } \Psi \rightarrow [1, -\frac{\partial g / \partial z_2}{\partial g / \partial z_1}] \in \mathbb{P}^1$ merom. function on $\text{Im } \Psi$

$\text{Im } \Psi \subset \mathbb{C}^2$ is a curve $\Rightarrow \text{Im } \Psi \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ extends to holom.

Also: $\omega_1, \omega_2|_{\pi(\text{fiber of } \Psi)} \equiv 0 \Rightarrow \omega_1, \omega_2|_{\pi(\text{fiber of } \pi)} = 0$

\therefore got $\pi: S \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ holom.

\uparrow Lemma 0 \Rightarrow \exists branch cover $g: \tilde{\Sigma} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$ and holom. $\tilde{\pi}: S \rightarrow \tilde{\Sigma}$

s.t. $\pi = \tilde{\pi} \circ g$ and $\tilde{\pi}^{-1}(z)$ is conn. $\forall z \in \tilde{\Sigma}$

$$\omega_1, \omega_2|_{T_{\pi^{-1}(x)}} \equiv 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{P}^1 \Rightarrow \omega_1, \omega_2|_{T_{\tilde{\pi}^{-1}(z)}} \equiv 0 \quad \forall z \in \tilde{\Sigma}$$

$\tilde{\pi}^{-1}(z)$ conn. $\forall z \in \tilde{\Sigma}$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i = \tilde{\pi}_i^* z_i \text{ for some } z_i \in H^{1,0}(\tilde{\Sigma})$$

$$\omega_1, \omega_2 \text{ lin. indep.} \Rightarrow z_1, z_2 \text{ lin. indep.} \Rightarrow g(\tilde{\Sigma}) \geq 0 \Rightarrow \chi(\tilde{\Sigma}) < 0$$

Fiber $F \equiv \tilde{\pi}^{-1}(z)$

$$\therefore 0 > \chi(S) = \chi(\tilde{\Sigma}) \chi(F) + (\text{Corrections from singular fibers})$$

\tilde{F} = generic fiber of $\tilde{\pi}$ - \tilde{F} conn. \Rightarrow Corrections ≥ 0

$$\Rightarrow \chi(\tilde{F}) > 0 \Rightarrow \text{generic fiber of } \tilde{\pi} \text{ is } \mathbb{P}^1$$

$$\Rightarrow \chi(\tilde{\Sigma}) < 0 \Rightarrow \text{Lemma 2}$$

\uparrow Lemma 1