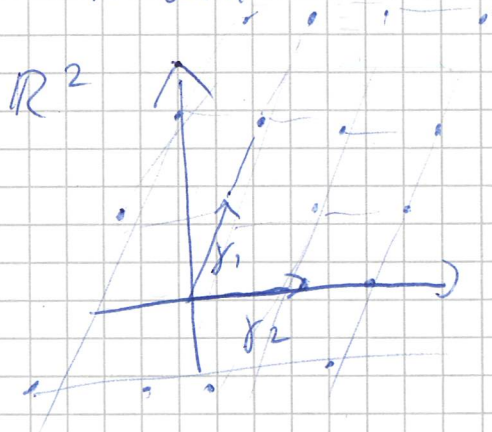


Introduction to lattices these will be needed to define the Jacobi variety. ~~These will be needed to define the Jacobi variety.~~

Def Lattice: Suppose V is a N -dimensional VS over \mathbb{R} . An additive subgroup is called a lattice if there exist N vectors $y_1, \dots, y_N \in V$, which are linearly independent over \mathbb{R} s.t.

$$\Gamma = \mathbb{Z}y_1 + \dots + \mathbb{Z}y_N$$

Picture intuition:



Theorem A subgroup $\Gamma \subset V$ is a lattice precisely if both of the following conditions hold:

- i) Γ is discrete, (There exists a nbh. U of zero s.t. $\Gamma \cap U = \{0\}$)
- ii) Γ is contained in no proper vector subspace of V .

Compare with the picture for this case it obviously holds. Now we want to prove it formally.

Proof: ^{Omit} proof, if enough time I'll show it.

" \Rightarrow " A lattice clearly fulfills (i) (ii).

" \Leftarrow " We will prove this by induction on $N = \dim_{\mathbb{R}} V$

Suppose $\Gamma \subset V$ is a subgroup satisfying (i) and (ii).

For $N=0$ it holds trivially.

Induction step $N-1 \Rightarrow N$.

Since Γ is not contained in any proper vector subspace of

V , there exists N linearly independent vectors $x_1, \dots, x_N \in \Gamma$

Let V_1 be the vector subspace of V spanned by

x_1, \dots, x_{N-1} and let $\Gamma_1 := \Gamma \cap V_1$. Then the

induction hypothesis may be applied to Γ_1 . Thus there

exist linearly independent vectors $y_1, \dots, y_{N-1} \in \Gamma_1 \subset \Gamma$

such that $\Gamma_1 = \mathbb{Z}y_1 + \dots + \mathbb{Z}y_{N-1}$. Write $\Gamma \ni x = a_1(x)y_1 + \dots + a_{N-1}(x)y_{N-1} + c(x)x_N$

Consider the parallelepiped $P = \{ \lambda_1 y_1 + \dots + \lambda_{N-1} y_{N-1} + \lambda x_N : \lambda_j \in [0, 1] \}$

$\lambda \in [0, 1]$ } it is compact. Therefore

$\Gamma \cap P$ is finite. Hence there exists a vector $y_N \in (\Gamma \cap P) \setminus V_1$

such that $c(y_N) = \min \{ c(x) : x \in (\Gamma \cap P) \setminus V_1 \} \in]0, 1]$

Claim $\Gamma = \Gamma_1 \oplus \mathbb{Z}y_N$. Suppose $x \in \Gamma$ arbitrary. Then

there exist $n_j \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $x' := x - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} n_j y_j = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \lambda_j y_j + \lambda x_N$

where we have $0 \leq \lambda_j < 1$ for $j = 1, \dots, N-1$ and

$0 \leq \lambda < c(y_N)$. Since $x' \in \Gamma \cap P$, it follows from definition of the y_N that $\lambda = 0$. Thus $x' \in \Gamma \cap V_1 = \Gamma_1$

Hence all λ_j are integers and thus are zero. $\Rightarrow x' = 0$

i.e. $x = \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} n_j y_j \in \mathbb{Z}y_1 + \dots + \mathbb{Z}y_{N-1}$. \square

Period Lattice

Recall $\Omega(X)$ the vector space of holomorphic 1-forms on X .

Let X be a compact R.S. of genus $g \geq 1$, and w_1, \dots, w_g a basis of the VS $\Omega(X)$.

We define the subgroup $\text{Per}(w_1, \dots, w_g) \subset \mathbb{C}^g$ as follows $\text{Per}(w_1, \dots, w_g) := \left\{ \left(\int_a w_1, \dots, \int_a w_g \right) \mid a \in \pi_1(X) \right\}$

We will go on to show that it is actually a lattice. It is called the period lattice of X relative to w_1, \dots, w_g .

For the proof that it is a lattice we need the following lemma.

Suppose X is a compact R.S. of genus g . Then there are g distinct points $a_1, \dots, a_g \in X$ with the following property: Every holomorphic 1-form $w \in \Omega(X)$ which vanishes at all the points a_1, \dots, a_g is identically zero.

Note: it is just existence, it does not hold for all distinct g points.

Proof: For $a \in X$ let $H_a := \{w \in \Omega(X) : w(a) = 0\}$

Every H_a is either equal to $\Omega(X)$ or else has codimension 1 in $\Omega(X)$ (hyperplane)

and $\dim \Omega(X) = g$. There are g points $a_1, \dots, a_g \in X$ s.t. $H_{a_1} \cap \dots \cap H_{a_g} = \{0\}$. These points satisfy the conditions of the Lemma \square

First main theorem of today's talks.

Thm Suppose X is a compact Riemann surface of genus $g \geq 1$ and w_1, \dots, w_g is a basis of $\Omega(X)$. Then $\Gamma := \text{Per}(w_1, \dots, w_g)$ is a lattice in \mathbb{C}^g .

Proof: Choose a_1, \dots, a_g as in the previous lemma, and disjoint simply connected coordinate neighborhoods (U_j, z_j) of a_j with $z(a_j) = 0$
 let $w_i = \varphi_{ij} dz_j$ on U_j

$A := (\varphi_{ij}(a_j))$ has ~~rank~~ rank g (By previous lemma)

(Suppose not $\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \diagdown \\ \circ \circ \circ \circ \circ \end{pmatrix}$ with change of basis $\Rightarrow w_j = 0$)

Now define a mapping $F: U_1 \times \dots \times U_g \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^g$

$$\begin{matrix} (x_1, \dots, x_g) \\ \downarrow \\ x \end{matrix} \mapsto (F_1(x), \dots, F_g(x)) \quad \text{where}$$

$$F_i(x) := \sum_{j=1}^g \int_{a_j}^{x_j} w_j \quad i=1, \dots, g$$

Here the integral $\int_{a_j}^{x_j} w_j$ is along any curve from a_j to x_j which lies in U_j ; since U_j is simply connected, the integral is independent of the curve chosen. The map F is complex differentiable with respect to the coordinates z_1, \dots, z_g and has Jacobian matrix $J_F(x) = \left(\frac{\partial F_i}{\partial z_j}(x) \right) = \varphi_{ij}(x_j)$

Thus at $a = (a_1, \dots, a_g)$ $J_F(a) = A$ is invertible, and

Hence $W := F(U_1 \times \dots \times U_g) \subset \mathbb{C}^g$ is a neighbourhood of $F(a) = 0$. (Version of the implicit function thm).

Next we will show $\Gamma \cap W = \{0\}$.

Suppose $\exists \gamma \in \Gamma \cap (W \setminus \{0\})$. Then there exists $x = (x_1, \dots, x_g) \in (U_1 \times \dots \times U_g)$ with $F(x) = \gamma$. Renumbering we may assume $x_j \neq a_j$ for $1 \leq j \leq k$ $x_j = a_j$ for $j > k$, where $1 \leq k \leq g$

By Abel's theorem. (last week / 4)

There exists a meromorphic function f on X which has a pole of first order at a_j , ~~x_j~~ and a zero of first order at x_j , $1 \leq j \leq g$, and is holomorphic otherwise.

Let $c_j z_j^{-1}$ be the principle part of f at a_j .

Of course $c_j \neq 0$ (~~meromorphic~~ meromorphic).

By the residue theorem

$$0 = \text{Res} \int_{\Gamma} (f w_i) = \sum_{j=1}^g c_j \phi_{ij}(a_j) \quad \text{for } i=1, \dots, g.$$

This is impossible since $\text{rank} \left(\phi_{ij}(a_j) \right) = g$.

We have shown that Γ is a discrete subgroup of \mathbb{C}^g .

iii) Now we will show that Γ is not contained in any proper real vector subspace of \mathbb{C}^g . Otherwise there would exist a non-trivial real linear form on \mathbb{C}^g , which vanished identically on Γ . Since every real linear form is the real part of a complex linear form, one thus gets a vector $(c_1, \dots, c_g) \in \mathbb{C}^g / \{0\}$ such that
$$\text{Re} \left(\sum_{j=1}^g c_j \int_{\alpha} w_j \right) = 0 \quad \forall \alpha \in \Gamma \setminus \{0\}.$$

But by a previous Corollary (19.8)

$$w := c_1 w_1 + \dots + c_g w_g = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \Gamma$ is a lattice.

Cor 19.8 Suppose X is a compact RS and $\omega \in \text{Harm}^1(X)$ we $\Omega(X)$. If for every closed curve γ on X one has

$$\int_{\gamma} \omega = 0 \quad \text{resp.} \quad \text{Re} \left(\int_{\gamma} \omega \right) = 0.$$

then $\omega = 0$ resp $w = 0$.

