

§3 Math supplement.

§3.1 Singularity and its resolution

Consider a geometry given by

$$X = \{ (z_1, \dots, z_n) \mid f(z\text{'s}) = 0 \} \subset \mathbb{C}^n.$$

(def) X is singular at a point $(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in X$.

iff. $f(z_1, \dots, z_n) = 0$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial z_1} = \dots = \frac{\partial f}{\partial z_n} = 0$.

iff $X = \{ (z_1, \dots, z_n) \mid f_a(z\text{'s}) = 0 \text{ for } a=1, 2, \dots, k \} \subset \mathbb{C}^n$

then X is singular at $(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in X$ ($k < n$)

iff. $f_a(z\text{'s}) = 0$ for all $a=1 \dots k$ and

$$\text{rank} \left[\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_a(z\text{'s})}{\partial z_1} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_a(z\text{'s})}{\partial z_n} \end{pmatrix} \right]_{k \times n \text{ matrix}} < k.$$

eg.

$$\{ (x, y) \mid y^2 = x^2 \} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$$

singular @ $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

$$\{ (x, y) \mid y^2 = x^3 \} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$$

= @ $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

$$\{ (x, y) \mid y^2 = x^n \} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$$

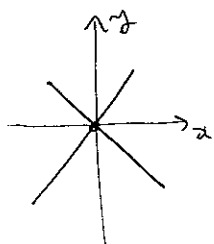
= @ $(x, y) = (0, 0)$.

$n \geq 2$.

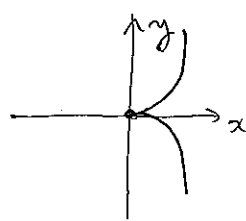
$$\{ (x, y, z) \mid y^2 = x^2 + z^N \} \subset \mathbb{C}^3$$

singular @ $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$

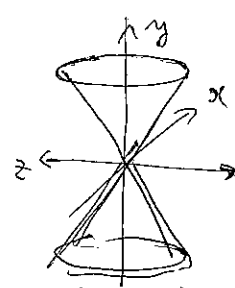
$N \geq 2$.



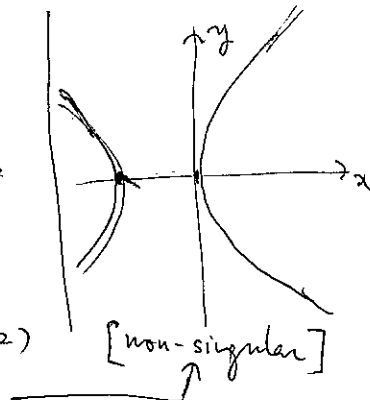
double pt



cusp pt.



$x^2 + z^2 = y^2$
($N=2$)



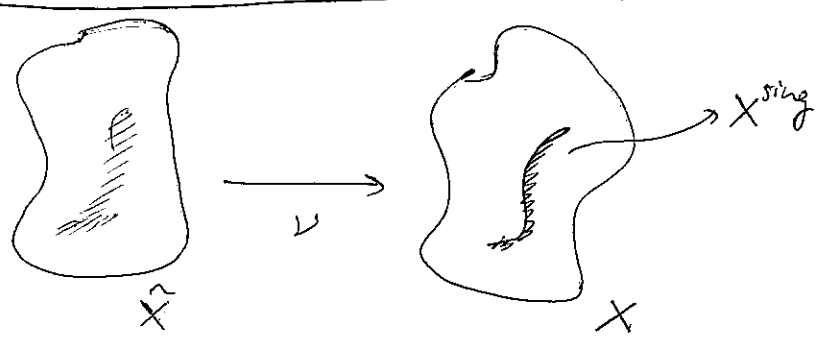
$y^2 = x^2 + \alpha$

[non-singular]

resolution of singularity

(phys) a math procedure to "dig out" vanishingly small cycles buried at singularities.

(math) for X with $(X^{sing} \subset X)$, find \tilde{X} and a non-singular holomorphic map $\nu: \tilde{X} \rightarrow X$ s.t.
 $\nu|_{non-sing} = \nu^{-1}(X \setminus X^{sing}) \rightarrow (X \setminus X^{sing})$ is an isomorphism.



How to do that? : blow-up

① Blow-up of \mathbb{C}^n centered at $(z_1, \dots, z_n) = (0, \dots, 0) =: \vec{0}$ $=: \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$

$$\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n := \left\{ (z_1, \dots, z_n), [\xi_1 : \dots : \xi_n] \in \mathbb{C}^n \times \mathbb{P}^{n-1} \mid z_i \xi_j = z_j \xi_i \right\}$$

$\pi: \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$ simply by forgetting $[\xi_1 : \dots : \xi_n]$

- for a point $(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in \mathbb{C}^n$ that is not $(0, \dots, 0)$.
 e.g. $z_1 \neq 0 \rightarrow \xi_j = \xi_1 \left(\frac{z_j}{z_1} \right) \rightarrow$ a specified pt in \mathbb{P}^{n-1} .
 $1-1$ via π in $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \leftrightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$.
- for the point $(z_1, \dots, z_n) = (0, \dots, 0)$
 $\pi^{-1}(\vec{0}) = \mathbb{P}^{n-1}$

Cover $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$ by n -open patches.

$$U_i \subset \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$$

$$\hookrightarrow := \{ \xi_i \neq 0 \text{ subspace of } \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \}$$

$$\longrightarrow \underline{\bigcup_{i=1}^n U_i = \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n}$$

In U_i

$$z_i \xi_j = z_j \xi_i \Rightarrow \text{take } \left\{ \left(z_i, \left(\frac{\xi_j}{\xi_i} \right)_{j \neq i} \right) \right\}$$

$$z_j = z_i \left(\frac{\xi_j}{\xi_i} \right)$$

as a set of local coordinates

each one of $U_i \dots \simeq \mathbb{C}^n$

$\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \xrightarrow{\text{non-singular}}$

$$\pi|_{U_i}: \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$$

$$\left(z_i, \left(\frac{\xi_j}{\xi_i} \right) \right) \mapsto (z_i, z_{j \neq i}) = \left(z_i, z_i \left(\frac{\xi_j}{\xi_i} \right)_{j \neq i} \right)$$

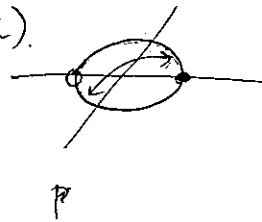
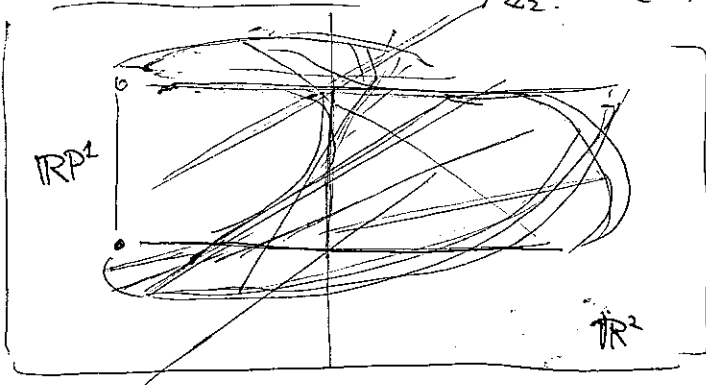
hol fns of local

π being def coordinates of π . holomorphic.

eg. $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^2$

$$\mathbb{R}P^1 = \mathbb{R}S^1 / \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$[0, \pi)$



② proper transform

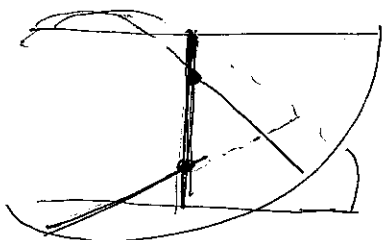
$X \subset \mathbb{C}^n, (z_1, \dots, z_n) \in X.$

- $\pi^{-1}(X) \subset \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$
- closure of $\pi^{-1}(X \setminus \{0\}) \subset \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$ } not the same.

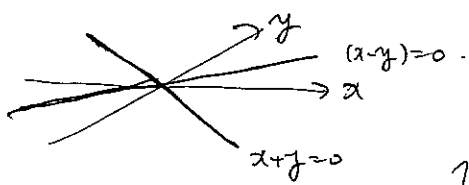
$\xrightarrow{\text{(def)}}$ proper transform of X .
 in the blow up of the ambient space \mathbb{C}^n
 centered @ $(0, \dots, 0) \in \mathbb{C}^n$.

$\bar{X} \subset \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n.$

~~(def) except. locus: inv. image of $\pi : \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$ at $(0, \dots, 0)$ in $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^n$ or \bar{X}~~
 $\pi|_{\bar{X}} : \bar{X} \rightarrow X.$
 e.g. proper transform of $\{(x, y) \mid y^2 = x^2\} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$.



$\pi^{-1}(X) = 3$ components
 $\underbrace{\quad}_{\text{irr.}}$
 $\bar{X} = 2$ irr. components.



$\bar{X} : \text{non-singular}$

$U_1 : \{(x, y), [\xi, \eta] \mid \xi \neq 0\}$
 $\Rightarrow (x, \frac{\eta}{\xi}) = (x_1, y_1)$
 $U_2 : \{(x, y), [\xi, \eta] \mid \eta \neq 0\}$
 $\Rightarrow (\frac{\xi}{\eta}, y) = (x_2, y_2)$

$\pi : U_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$
 $(x_1, y_1) \mapsto (x, y) = (x_1, x_1 y_1)$
 $\pi : U_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$
 $(x_2, y_2) \mapsto (x, y) = (x_2 y_2, y_2)$

In $U_1 : \pi^{-1}(X) : \text{given by } 0 = \pi^*(y^2 - x^2) = (x_1)^2 (y_1^2 - 1).$

~~the~~ except. locus in U_1 : $(x_1=0, \forall y_1) \rightarrow \simeq \mathbb{P}^1$.

$$\bar{X}: (y_1)^2 - 1 = 0, \forall x_1$$

similarly in U_2

$$\bar{X}: 1 - (x_2)^2 = 0, \forall y_2.$$

$$\pi^{-1}(\bar{X}): (y_2)^2 (1 - (x_2)^2) = 0.$$

③ repeat processes like this multiple times, if necessary.

Exercise: $X = \{(x, y) \mid y^2 = x^3\} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$.

This singular X becomes non-singular \bar{X} in $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^2$:

Exercise: $X = \{(x, y) \mid y^2 = x^n\} \subset \mathbb{C}^2$ w/ $n \geq 4$

\rightarrow still \bar{X} singular in $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^2$ w/ $n \rightarrow (n-2)$

$X = \{(x, y, z) \mid y^2 = x^2 + z^N\} \subset \mathbb{C}^3$ (A_{N-1} singularity)

$\bar{X} \cap U_3 = \{(x_3, y_3, z_3) \mid y_3^2 = x_3^2 + z_3^{N-2}\} \subset U_3 \subset \tilde{\mathbb{C}}^3$

$\bar{X} \cap U_{33} = \{(x_{33}, y_{33}, z_{33}) \mid y_{33}^2 = x_{33}^2 + z_{33}^{N-4}\}$

In U_3

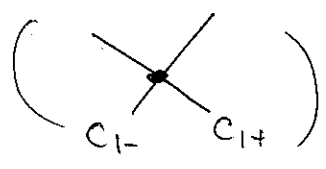
$$\pi^{-1}(X): z_3^2 (y_3^2 + x_3^2 + z_3^{N-2}) = 0.$$

except. locus in $\tilde{\mathbb{C}}^3 = \mathbb{P}^2$.

$$\text{in } \bar{X}|_{U_3} = \{-y_3^2 + x_3^2 + z_3^{N-2} = 0\} \cap \{z_3 = 0\}$$

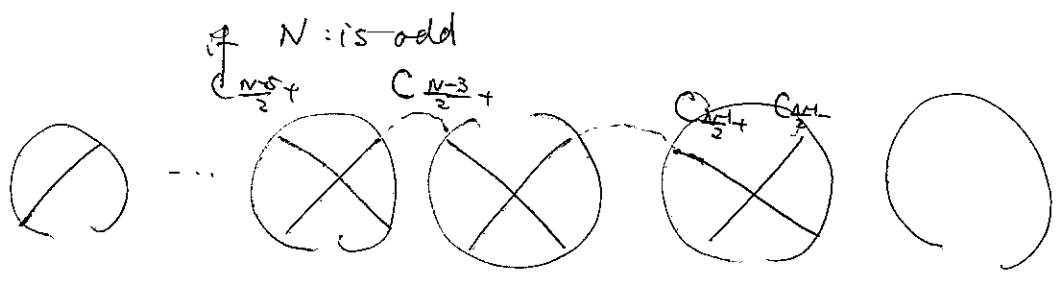
$$\Rightarrow (y_3 \pm x_3) = 0 \text{ in } \mathbb{P}^2$$

$$(y \neq x = 0) \mathbb{P}^1 * \mathbb{P}^1$$

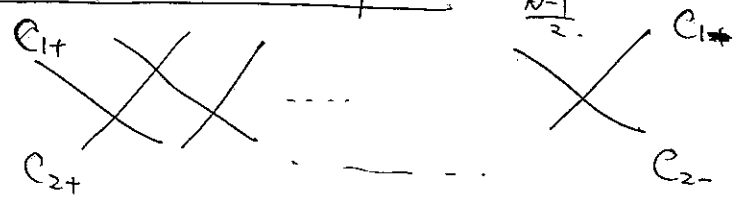


vanishing cycle $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} C_{1\pm} \\ \text{except. locus in } \bar{X} \end{array} \right.$

repeating this process

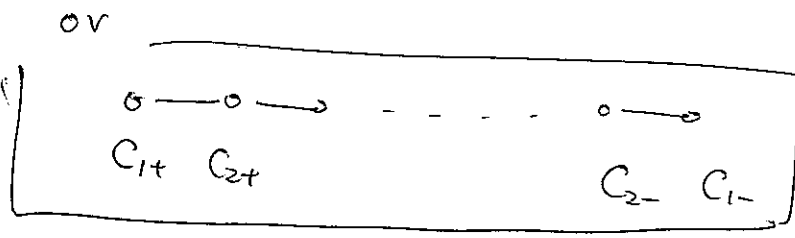


curve w/ intersection pts



$u_{33 \dots 3}$

$\frac{N-1}{2}$



Dynkin diagram of A_{N-1} .

$(N-1)$ 2-cycles as except. locus

by resolving A_{N-1} singularity.
Intersection form $(-C_{A_{N-1}})$

★ multiplicity in algebraic geometry.

motivation: $ax^2+bx+c=0$ when $b^2-4ac=0$.

double root.
 $\hookrightarrow (x-x_*)^2=0$

not set theoretically but in terms of algebra.

generalization

$\{-y+ax^2+bx+c=0\} \cap \{y=0\}$ in \mathbb{C}^2 intersection.

set a local coord. in $\{y=0\}$ (\rightarrow i.e. x)

and $(-y+ax^2+bx+c)|_{y=0} \rightarrow$ multiplicity as above.

$\Rightarrow \{f_m(x,y)=0\} \cap \{f_n(x,y)=0\} \Rightarrow m \times n$ points in \mathbb{P}^2 .

of multiplicity info. included.

$$\pi^{-1}(X \cong \{y^2 - x^2 = 0\} \subset \mathbb{C}^2) \Rightarrow (\alpha_i)^2 \{1 - (y_i)^2\} = 0$$

multiplicity

$$2 \{ \alpha_i = 0 \} + \{ \alpha_{i-1} = 0 \} + \{ \alpha_{i+1} = 0 \}$$

except locus of the resolution of A_{N-1} singularity

$$(C_{1+} + C_{2+} + \dots + C_{1-} + C_{2-} + \dots)$$

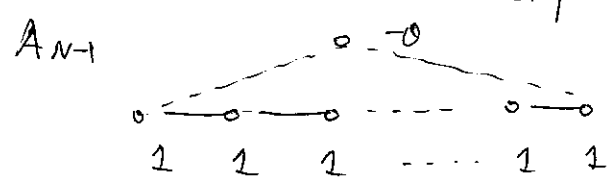
all coeff. = 1.

$$\mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{+0} \xrightarrow{\sum_{i=1}^r \alpha_i} \mathbb{A}^1$$

$$\mathcal{O} = \sum_{i=1}^r n_i \alpha_i$$

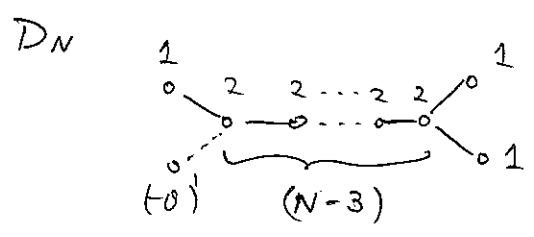
max root

simple roots $n_i \in \mathbb{N}$



$$\mathcal{O} = L_1 - L_N$$

$$L_i - L_{i+1} \quad i=1 \sim N-1$$

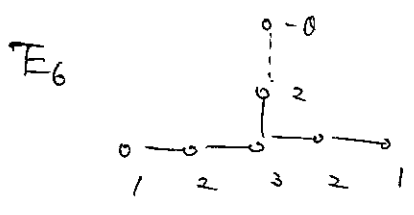


$$L_+ = \frac{1}{2}(L_1 + \dots + L_N)$$

$$L_- = \frac{1}{2}(L_1 - L_2)$$

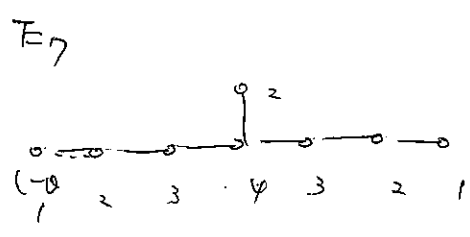
$$L_+ = (L_1 + L_N)$$

$$L_- = (L_1 - L_2)$$



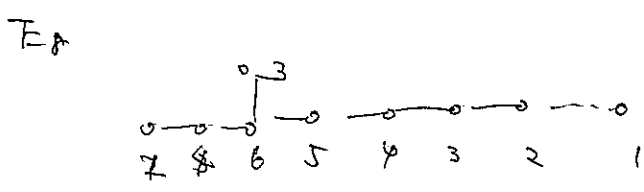
simple roots

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} L_{N-1} - L_N, \quad i=2 \sim N-1 \\ L_{N-1} + L_N, \quad L_i - L_{i+1}, \quad i=2 \sim N-2 \end{array} \right)$$



$$\mathcal{O} = (L_1 + L_2)$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^r n_i = T_G \quad \text{dual Coxeter \#}$$



A_{N-1}	N
D_N	$(2N) - 2$
E_6	12
E_7	18
E_8	30

exceptional locus of A-D-E singularity resolution.

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sum_{i=1}^r n_i C_i}$$

$$A_{n-1} \text{ singularity : } y^2 = x^2 + z^n$$

$$D_n \text{ singularity : } y^2 = x^2 z + z^{n-1}$$

$$E_6 \text{ singularity : } y^2 = x^3 + z^4$$

$$E_7 \text{ singularity : } y^2 = x^3 + x z^3$$

$$E_8 \text{ singularity : } y^2 = x^3 + z^5$$