

Basic cohomology of canonical holomorphic foliations on complex manifolds with torus action

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The moment-angle complex

\mathcal{K} an abstract simplicial complex on the set $[m] = \{1, 2, \dots, m\}$
 $I = \{i_1, \dots, i_k\} \in \mathcal{K}$ a **simplex**; always assume $\emptyset \in \mathcal{K}$.

Consider the m -dimensional unit polydisc:

$$\mathbb{D}^m = \{(z_1, \dots, z_m) \in \mathbb{C}^m : |z_i|^2 \leq 1 \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, m\}.$$

The **moment-angle complex** is


$$\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} := \bigcup_{I \in \mathcal{K}} \left(\prod_{i \in I} \mathbb{D} \times \prod_{i \notin I} \mathbb{S} \right) \subset \mathbb{D}^m,$$

where \mathbb{S} is the boundary of the unit disk \mathbb{D} .


$\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ has a natural action of the torus T^m .


When \mathcal{K} is a simplicial subdivision of sphere (e.g., the boundary of a simplicial polytope), $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is a topological manifold, called the **moment-angle manifold**.


Example

1. Let $\mathcal{K} =$  (the boundary of a triangle). Then

$$\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} = (\mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{S}) \cup (\mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{D}) \cup (\mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{D}) = \partial(\mathbb{D}^3) \cong S^5.$$

2. Let $\mathcal{K} =$  (the boundary of a square). Then $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} \cong S^3 \times S^3$.

3. Let $\mathcal{K} =$  Then $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} \cong (S^3 \times S^4) \# \cdots \# (S^3 \times S^4)$ (5 times).

4. Let $\mathcal{K} =$  (three disjoint points). Then

$$\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} = (\mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{S}) \cup (\mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{D} \times \mathbb{S}) \cup (\mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{S} \times \mathbb{D}) \simeq S^3 \vee S^3 \vee S^3 \vee S^4 \vee S^4$$

(not a manifold).

We define an open submanifold $U(\mathcal{K}) \subset \mathbb{C}^m$ in a similar way:

$$U(\mathcal{K}) := \bigcup_{I \in \mathcal{K}} \left(\prod_{i \in I} \mathbb{C} \times \prod_{i \notin I} \mathbb{C}^\times \right), \quad \mathbb{C}^\times = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}.$$

$U(\mathcal{K})$ is a toric variety with the corresponding fan given by

$$\Sigma_{\mathcal{K}} = \{\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} \langle e_i : i \in I \rangle : I \in \mathcal{K}\},$$

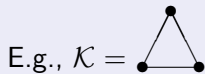
where e_i denotes the i -th standard basis vector of \mathbb{R}^m .

Theorem

$$(a) \quad U(\mathcal{K}) = \mathbb{C}^m \setminus \bigcup_{\{i_1, \dots, i_k\} \notin \mathcal{K}} \{z_{i_1} = \dots = z_{i_k} = 0\}$$

(the complement to an arrangement of coordinate subspaces);

$$(b) \quad \text{There is a } T^m\text{-equivariant deformation retraction } U(\mathcal{K}) \xrightarrow{\simeq} \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}.$$



$$\text{Then } U(\mathcal{K}) = \mathbb{C}^3 \setminus \{z_1 = z_2 = z_3 = 0\} \xrightarrow{\simeq} S^5 = \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}.$$

Simplicial fans, complex-analytic structures

Suppose \mathcal{K} is the underlying complex of a complete simplicial (not necessarily rational) fan Σ in an n -dimensional space V .

Then the deformation retraction $U(\mathcal{K}) \rightarrow \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ can be realised as the projection onto the orbit space of a smooth free and proper action of a non-compact subgroup $R \subset (\mathbb{C}^\times)^m$ isomorphic to \mathbb{R}^{m-n} , as described next.

Choose generators a_1, \dots, a_m of the one-dimensional cones of Σ (a **marked fan**). Consider the linear projection

$$q: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow V, \quad e_i \mapsto a_i.$$

Set

$$\mathfrak{t} = \text{Ker } q,$$

$$R = \exp(\mathfrak{t}) = \{e^r : r \in \mathfrak{t}\} \subset (\mathbb{R}^\times)^m, \quad H' = \exp(i\mathfrak{t}) \subset T^m.$$

The subgroup $H' \subset T^m$ is *not* closed unless $\mathfrak{t} \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ is a rational subspace.

Theorem

The action of R on $U(\mathcal{K})$ is free and proper, and the quotient $U(\mathcal{K})/R$ is T^m -equivariantly homeomorphic to the moment-angle manifold $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$.

The subgroup $H' \subset T^m$ acts on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} = U(\mathcal{K})/R$ by restriction.

The H' -action on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is almost free (finite stabilisers).

We therefore obtain a **smooth foliation** of $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ by the orbits of H' .

Assume that $\dim \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} = m + n$ is even (otherwise add ghost vertices to \mathcal{K}). A T^m -invariant **complex structure** on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is defined by two pieces of data:

- a marked complete simplicial fan $\Sigma = \{\mathcal{K}; a_1, \dots, a_m\}$ in V with underlying simplicial complex \mathcal{K} and generators a_1, \dots, a_m ;
- a choice of a complex structure on the kernel of $q: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow V$, $e_i \mapsto a_i$.

A choice of a complex structure on $\text{Ker } q$ is equivalent to a choice of an $\frac{m-n}{2}$ -dimensional complex subspace $\mathfrak{h} \subset \mathbb{C}^m$ satisfying the two conditions:

- (a) the composite $\mathfrak{h} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^m \xrightarrow{\text{Re}} \mathbb{R}^m$ is injective;
- (b) the composite $\mathfrak{h} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^m \xrightarrow{\text{Re}} \mathbb{R}^m \xrightarrow{q} V$ is zero.

Consider the $\frac{m-n}{2}$ -dimensional complex-analytic subgroup

$$H = \exp(\mathfrak{h}) \subset (\mathbb{C}^\times)^m.$$

It acts on $U(\mathcal{K})$ holomorphically.

Theorem

Let Σ be a marked complete simplicial fan in $V \cong \mathbb{R}^n$ with m one-dimensional cones, and let $\mathcal{K} = \mathcal{K}_\Sigma$ be its underlying simplicial complex. Assume that $m - n = 2\ell$. Then

- (a) the holomorphic action of the group $H \cong \mathbb{C}^\ell$ on $U(\mathcal{K})$ is free and proper, so the quotient $U(\mathcal{K})/H$ is a compact complex manifold;
- (b) there is a T^m -equivariant diffeomorphism $U(\mathcal{K})/H \cong \mathcal{Z}_\mathcal{K}$ defining a complex structure on $\mathcal{Z}_\mathcal{K}$ in which T^m acts by holomorphic transformations.

Example (holomorphic tori)

Let \mathcal{K} be empty on 2 elements (that is, \mathcal{K} has two ghost vertices).

We therefore have $n = 0$, $m = 2$, $\ell = 1$, and $q: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow 0$ is a zero map.

A 1-dim complex subspace $\mathfrak{h} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^2$ is given by $z \mapsto (\gamma_1 z, \gamma_2 z)$ for some $\gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \mathbb{C}$, so that

$$H = \{(e^{\gamma_1 z}, e^{\gamma_2 z})\} \subset (\mathbb{C}^\times)^2.$$

Condition (b) above is void, while (a) is equivalent to that γ_1, γ_2 are linearly independent over \mathbb{R} . This implies that $\exp \mathfrak{h} = H \rightarrow (\mathbb{C}^\times)^2$ is an inclusion of a closed subgroup, and the quotient $(\mathbb{C}^\times)^2/H$ is a complex torus T^2 :

$$(\mathbb{C}^\times)^2/H \cong \mathbb{C}/(\gamma_1 \mathbb{Z} \oplus \gamma_2 \mathbb{Z}) \cong T^2.$$

Similarly, if \mathcal{K} is empty on 2ℓ elements (so that $n = 0$, $m = 2\ell$), we can obtain any complex torus $T^{2\ell}$ as the quotient $(\mathbb{C}^\times)^{2\ell}/H$.

Conversely, suppose $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ admits a T^m -invariant complex structure. Then the T^m -action extends to a holomorphic action of $(\mathbb{C}^\times)^m$ on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$. Have a complex-analytic subgroup of global stabilisers

$$H = \{g \in (\mathbb{C}^\times)^m : g \cdot x = x \text{ for all } x \in \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}\}.$$

$\mathfrak{h} = \text{Lie}(H)$ is a complex subalgebra of $\text{Lie}(\mathbb{C}^\times)^m = \mathbb{C}^m$ and satisfies

- (a) the composite $\mathfrak{h} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{C}^m \xrightarrow{\text{Re}} \mathbb{R}^m$ is injective;
- (b) the quotient map $q: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m / \text{Re}(\mathfrak{h})$ sends the fan $\Sigma_{\mathcal{K}}$ to a complete fan $q(\Sigma_{\mathcal{K}})$ in $\mathbb{R}^m / \text{Re}(\mathfrak{h})$.

Theorem (Ishida)

Every complex moment-angle manifold $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is T^m -equivariantly biholomorphic to the quotient manifold $U(\mathcal{K})/H$.

Thus, $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ admits a complex structure if and only if \mathcal{K} is the underlying complex of a complete simplicial fan (i. e., a star-shaped sphere).

Canonical holomorphic foliation on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$

Recall $q: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow V$, $e_i \mapsto a_i$, $\mathfrak{r} = \text{Ker } q$,

$$R = \exp(\mathfrak{r}) = \{e^r : r \in \mathfrak{r}\} \subset (\mathbb{R}^\times)^m, \quad H' = \exp(i\mathfrak{r}) \subset T^m.$$

Consider the complexification $\mathfrak{r}_{\mathbb{C}} = \text{Ker}(q_{\mathbb{C}}: \mathbb{C}^m \rightarrow V_{\mathbb{C}})$ and

$$R_{\mathbb{C}} = \exp(\mathfrak{r}_{\mathbb{C}}) \subset (\mathbb{C}^\times)^m, \quad R_{\mathbb{C}}/H \cong H'.$$

Holomorphic foliation \mathcal{F} on $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} = U(\mathcal{K})/H$ by the orbits of $R_{\mathbb{C}}/H \cong H'$.

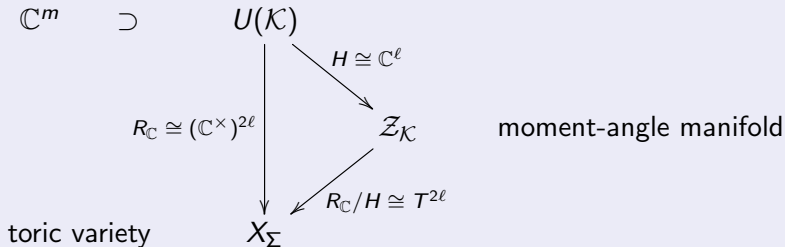
If the subspace $\mathfrak{r} \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ is rational, then $R_{\mathbb{C}} \subset (\mathbb{C}^\times)^m$ is closed (and algebraic), and the complete simplicial fan $\Sigma := q(\Sigma_{\mathcal{K}})$ is rational.

The rational fan Σ defines a toric variety

$$X_{\Sigma} = \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}/H' = U(\mathcal{K})/R_{\mathbb{C}}.$$

The canonical holomorphic foliation becomes a holomorphic **Seifert fibration** over the toric orbifold X_{Σ} with fibres complex tori $R_{\mathbb{C}}/H \cong T^{m-n}$.

The rational case:



The non-rational case:

Have $U(\mathcal{K}) \xrightarrow{H} \mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$,

and a holomorphic foliation \mathcal{F} of $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ by the orbits of $R_{\mathbb{C}}/H = H' \subset T^m$.

The holomorphic foliated manifold $(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}, \mathcal{F})$ is a model for an 'irrational toric variety'.

De Rham and Dolbeault cohomology

The **face ring** (the **Stanley–Reisner ring**) of \mathcal{K} is

$$\mathbb{C}[\mathcal{K}] := \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m] / I_{\mathcal{K}} = \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m] / (v_{i_1} \cdots v_{i_k} : \{i_1, \dots, i_k\} \notin \mathcal{K}),$$

where $\mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m]$ is the polynomial algebra, $\deg v_i = 2$, and $I_{\mathcal{K}}$ is the **Stanley–Reisner ideal**.

Proposition

The T^m -equivariant cohomology is given by

$$H_{T^m}^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) = H_{T^m}^*(U(\mathcal{K})) \cong \mathbb{C}[\mathcal{K}].$$

The toric variety X_Σ is Kähler (equivalently, projective) if and only if Σ is the normal fan of a nonsingular (Delzant) polytope P .

Theorem (Danilov)

The Dolbeault cohomology of complete nonsingular X_Σ is given by

$$H_{\bar{\partial}}^{*,*}(X_\Sigma) \cong \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m]/(I_\Sigma + J_\Sigma),$$

where $v_i \in H_{\bar{\partial}}^{1,1}(X_\Sigma)$, I_Σ is the Stanley–Reisner ideal, J_Σ is the ideal generated by the linear forms $\sum_{k=1}^m \langle a_k, u \rangle v_k$, $a_k = q(e_k)$ are the generators of 1-dim cones of Σ , $u \in V^*$.

The nonzero Hodge numbers are given by $h^{p,p}(X_\Sigma) = h_p$, where $h(\Sigma) = (h_0, h_1, \dots, h_n)$ is the ***h*-vector** of Σ .

Theorem (Buchstaber-P.)

The de Rham cohomology ring of $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is given by

$$\begin{aligned} H^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) &\cong \operatorname{Tor}_{\mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m]}(\mathbb{C}[\mathcal{K}], \mathbb{C}) \\ &\cong H(\Lambda[u_1, \dots, u_m] \otimes \mathbb{C}[\mathcal{K}], d) \quad du_i = v_i, \quad dv_i = 0 \\ &\cong H(\Lambda[t_1, \dots, t_{m-n}] \otimes H^*(X_{\Sigma}), d) \quad \Lambda[t_1, \dots, t_{m-n}] = H^*(H') \\ &\cong \bigoplus_{I \subset [m]} \tilde{H}^{*-|I|-1}(\mathcal{K}_I). \end{aligned}$$

Theorem (P.-Ustinovsky)

Let Σ be a rational fan, $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} \xrightarrow{T^{2\ell}} X_{\Sigma}$ a holomorphic torus fibration. Then the Dolbeault cohomology ring of $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is given by

$$H_{\bar{\partial}}^{*,*}(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) \cong H(\Lambda[\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{\ell}, \eta_1, \dots, \eta_{\ell}] \otimes H_{\bar{\partial}}^{*,*}(X_{\Sigma}), d),$$

where $\Lambda[\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{\ell}, \eta_1, \dots, \eta_{\ell}] = H_{\bar{\partial}}^{*,*}(T^{2\ell})$, $\xi_j \in H_{\bar{\partial}}^{1,0}(T^{2\ell})$, $\eta_j \in H_{\bar{\partial}}^{0,1}(T^{2\ell})$,
 $dv_j = d\eta_j = 0$, $d\xi_j = c(\xi_j)$,

$c: H_{\bar{\partial}}^{1,0}(T^{2\ell}) \rightarrow H_{\bar{\partial}}^{1,1}(X_{\Sigma})$ is the first Chern class map.

Corollary

- (a) The Borel spectral sequence of the holomorphic fibration $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}} \xrightarrow{T^{2\ell}} X_{\Sigma}$ (converging to Dolbeault cohomology of $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$) collapses at the E_3 page;
- (b) The Frölicher spectral sequence (with $E_1 = H_{\bar{\partial}}^{*,*}(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}})$, converging to $H^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}})$) collapses at E_2 .

Basic cohomology

M a manifold with an action of a connected Lie group G , $\mathfrak{g} = \text{Lie } G$.

$$\Omega(M)_{\text{bas}, G} = \{\omega \in \Omega(M) : \iota_{\xi}\omega = L_{\xi}\omega = 0 \text{ for any } \xi \in \mathfrak{g}\},$$

$H_{\text{bas}, G}^*(M) = H(\Omega(M)_{\text{bas}, G}, d)$ the **basic cohomology** of M .

$S(\mathfrak{g}^*)$ the symmetric algebra on \mathfrak{g}^* with generators of degree 2.

The **Cartan model** is

$$\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{g}}(\Omega(M)) = ((S(\mathfrak{g}^*) \otimes \Omega(M))^{\mathfrak{g}}, d_{\mathfrak{g}}),$$

where $(S(\mathfrak{g}^*) \otimes \Omega(M))^{\mathfrak{g}}$ denotes the \mathfrak{g} -invariant subalgebra.

An element $\omega \in \mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{g}}(\Omega(M))$ is a “ \mathfrak{g} -equivariant polynomial map from \mathfrak{g} to $\Omega(M)$ ”. The differential $d_{\mathfrak{g}}$ is given by

$$d_{\mathfrak{g}}(\omega)(\xi) = d(\omega(\xi)) - \iota_{\xi}(\omega(\xi)).$$

Theorem

$$H_{\text{bas}, G}^*(M) \cong H(\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{g}}(\Omega(M)), d_{\mathfrak{g}}).$$

If in addition G is a compact, then

$$H_{\text{bas}, G}^*(M) \cong H_G^*(M) = H^*(EG \times_G M) \quad \text{the equivariant cohomology.}$$

Now consider $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$ with the action of H' (a holomorphic foliation \mathcal{F}).

Theorem (Ishida–Krutowski–P.)

There is an isomorphism of algebras:

$$H_{\text{bas}, H'}^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) \cong \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m]/(I_{\mathcal{K}} + J_{\Sigma}),$$

where $I_{\mathcal{K}}$ is the Stanley–Reisner ideal of \mathcal{K} , generated by the monomials

$$v_{i_1} \cdots v_{i_k} \quad \text{with } \{i_1, \dots, i_k\} \notin \mathcal{K},$$

and J_{Σ} is the ideal generated by the linear forms

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \langle a_i, u \rangle v_i \quad \text{with } u \in V^*.$$

This settles a conjecture by [\[Battaglia and Zaffran\]](#) (arXiv:1108.1637).

If H' is a compact torus (the fan Σ is rational), then we get

$$H_{\text{bas}, H'}^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) = H^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}/H') = H^*(X_{\Sigma})$$

and we recover well-known description of the cohomology of toric manifolds, due to [\[Danilov and Jurkiewicz\]](#).

The proof of the theorem is based on the following formality result. Let $\mathfrak{t} = \text{Lie}(T^m) \cong \mathbb{R}^m$ and consider the Cartan model

$$\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{t}}(\Omega(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}})) = ((S(\mathfrak{t}^*) \otimes \Omega(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}))^{T^m}, d_{\mathfrak{t}}).$$

Since T^m is compact, we get

$$H(\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{t}}(\Omega(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}))) = H_{T^m}^*(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}) = \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m]/I_{\mathcal{K}}.$$

Lemma

The DGA $\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{t}}(\Omega(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}))$ is formal. Furthermore, there is a zigzag of quasi-isomorphisms of DGAs between $\mathcal{C}_{\mathfrak{t}}(\Omega(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}))$ and $H_{T^m}(\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}})$ which respect the $S(\mathfrak{t}^)$ -module structure.*

Generalisation: maximal torus actions

M a connected complex manifold with an effective action of a compact torus T by holomorphic transformations.

The T -action on M is **maximal** if there is $x \in M$ such that

$$\dim T + \dim T_x = \dim M.$$

If the T -action is maximal, then T is a maximal compact torus in the group of diffeomorphisms on M .

Examples of maximal torus actions include the half-dimensional torus action on a smooth toric variety and the T^m -action on a complex moment-angle manifold $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$.

Let $\mathfrak{t} = \text{Lie } T$ and $\exp_T: \mathfrak{t} \rightarrow T$ the exponential map.

Let $\mathfrak{t}^{\mathbb{C}} = \mathfrak{t} \otimes_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbb{C} = \mathfrak{t} \oplus i\mathfrak{t}$ and $p: \mathfrak{t}^{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \mathfrak{t}$ the first projection.

To a maximal torus action (M, T) one assigns the **fan data** (Σ, \mathfrak{h}) , where

- Σ is a nonsingular fan in \mathfrak{t} with respect to the lattice $\text{Ker } \exp_T$;
- $\mathfrak{h} \subset \mathfrak{t}^{\mathbb{C}}$ is a complex subspace such that $p|_{\mathfrak{h}}: \mathfrak{h} \rightarrow \mathfrak{t}$ is injective; we denote by $q: \mathfrak{t} \rightarrow \mathfrak{t}/p(\mathfrak{h})$ the quotient projection;
- $\tilde{\Sigma} := q(\Sigma) = \{q(\sigma) \subset \mathfrak{t}/p(\mathfrak{h}) : \sigma \in \Sigma\}$ is a complete fan.

The category of holomorphic maximal torus actions (M, T) is equivalent to the category of pairs (Σ, \mathfrak{h}) with appropriate morphisms [Ishida].

To recover the maximal torus action from (Σ, \mathfrak{h}) one takes $M := X_{\Sigma}/H$, where X_{Σ} is the toric variety associated with Σ and H is the subgroup of the algebraic torus $T^{\mathbb{C}}$ corresponding to $\mathfrak{h} \subset \mathfrak{t}^{\mathbb{C}}$.

In particular, if Σ is a subfan of the standard fan in $\mathfrak{t} = \mathbb{R}^m$ defining \mathbb{C}^m , then X_{Σ}/H is T -equivariantly homeomorphic to the moment-angle manifold $\mathcal{Z}_{\mathcal{K}}$, where \mathcal{K} is the underlying simplicial complex of Σ .

Transverse equivalence

Given a maximal torus action (M, T) with the fan data (Σ, \mathfrak{h}) and $p: \mathfrak{t}^{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \mathfrak{t}$, let $\mathfrak{h}' := p(\mathfrak{h}) \subset \mathfrak{t}$ and consider the corresponding Lie subgroup $H' \subset T$. The action of H' on M is almost free.

Get the **canonical foliation** \mathcal{F}_M of M by H' -orbits.

Two smooth (or complex) foliated manifolds (M_1, \mathcal{F}_1) and (M_2, \mathcal{F}_2) are **transversely equivalent** if there exist a foliated manifold (M_0, \mathcal{F}_0) and surjective submersions $f_i: M_0 \rightarrow M_i$ for $i = 1, 2$ such that

- $f_i^{-1}(x_i)$ is connected for all $x_i \in M_i$, and
- the preimage under f_i of every leaf of \mathcal{F}_i is a leaf of \mathcal{F}_0

Proposition

If foliated manifolds (M_1, \mathcal{F}_1) , (M_2, \mathcal{F}_2) are transversely equivalent, then there is a DGA isomorphism $\Omega_{\text{bas}}^(M_1) \cong \Omega_{\text{bas}}^*(M_2)$.*

Lemma

Every complex manifold M with a maximal torus action and canonical holomorphic foliation \mathcal{F}_M is transversely equivalent to a complex moment-angle manifold \mathcal{Z}_K .

Theorem (Ishida–Krutowski–P.)

The basic cohomology of a maximal torus action (M, T) with the fan data (Σ, \mathfrak{h}) and the canonical foliation \mathcal{F}_M is given by

$$H_{\text{bas}}^*(M) \cong \mathbb{C}[v_1, \dots, v_m] / (I_K + J_\Sigma),$$

where I_K is the Stanley–Reisner ideal of the complete fan $\tilde{\Sigma} = q(\Sigma)$, and J_Σ is the ideal generated by the linear forms

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \langle a_i, u \rangle v_i \quad \text{with } u \in V^*.$$

Here $V = \mathfrak{t}/\mathfrak{h}'$ and $a_i = q(e_i)$, where e_i is the primitive generator of the i th cone of Σ .

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