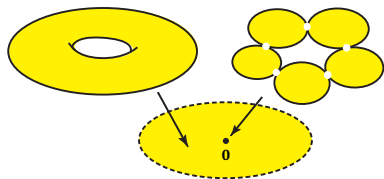


Analytic Neron models as logarithmic manifolds

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1 Classical case.



$J \rightarrow \Delta^*$: Family of elliptic curves,
 (fiber over 0) $\cong \mathbb{G}_m(\mathbb{C}) \times \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$.

Higher weight case

2 Two ways of construction.

Let $(\mathcal{H}_{\mathbb{Z}}, \mathcal{F})$ be a VHS (Variation of polarized Hodge Structure) of weight $2n - 1$ over Δ^* . We assume that the monodromy is **unipotent**. Let $J \rightarrow \Delta^*$ be the family of **intermediate Jacobians**. Our main concern is

What's the boundary of J ?

2.1 Green-Griffiths-Kerr's work.

The Neron model $J^{\text{GGK}} \rightarrow \Delta$ by Green-Griffiths-Kerr is roughly

boundary points
 = values of ANF at 0.

Here 'ANF' means **Admissible Normal Functions**.

NF Since the monodromy is unipotent, we have the canonical extension $(\mathcal{H}_e, \mathcal{F}_e)$ over Δ . Let $\mathcal{H}_{\mathbb{Z},e}$ be the direct image of $\mathcal{H}_{\mathbb{Z}}$ by $\Delta^* \hookrightarrow \Delta$. A **Normal Function** is a section of $\mathcal{F}_e^n \setminus \mathcal{H}_e / \mathcal{H}_{\mathbb{Z},e}$ satisfying transversality condition.

ANF Let $\mathcal{J}_{e,\nabla}$ be the sheaf of NF. The sheaf $\tilde{\mathcal{J}}_{e,\nabla}$ of ANF is characterized by the following exact sequence:

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{J}_{e,\nabla} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{J}}_{e,\nabla} \rightarrow G_0 \rightarrow 0.$$

Here G_0 is a skyscraper sheaf supported at 0 whose stalk is a **nite abelian group** G . For example, in the case of §1, $G = \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$.

Properties of $J^{\text{GGK}} \rightarrow \Delta$ J^{GGK} includes values of ANF at 0. The fiber over 0 is

$$\left(F_{e,0}^{\text{Inv},n} \setminus H_{e,0}^{\text{Inv}} / \mathcal{H}_{e,\mathbb{Z}} \right) \times G,$$

where 'Inv' means the **monodromy invariant part**. Then the dimension of the central fibre may be lower than the dimension of a general fibre. Especially J^{GGK} may **not** be an analytic space.

2.2 Kato-Nakayama-Usui's work.

The Neron model $J^{\text{KNU}} \rightarrow \Delta$ by Kato-Nakayama-Usui is roughly

boundary points
 = **nilpotent orbits**.

Let $\Delta^* \rightarrow \Gamma \setminus D$ be the period map arising from the VHS. Assume also the monodromy is **unipotent**. By using log Hodge theory, this period map can be extended to the log period map $\Delta \rightarrow \Gamma \setminus D_{\Sigma}$. J^{KNU} is the fiber product

$$\begin{array}{ccc} J^{\text{KNU}} & \longrightarrow & \Gamma' \setminus D'_{\Sigma'} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \Delta & \longrightarrow & \Gamma \setminus D_{\Sigma}. \end{array}$$

in the category of **log manifolds**. Here $\Gamma' \setminus D'_{\Sigma'}$ is the extended period domain of the MHS corresponding to the intermediate Jacobian.

3 Our main result.

Theorem. ([H] arXiv. 0912.4334)

J^{KNU} is homeomorphic to J^{GGK} .

It is well known that ANF are corresponding to AVMHs. $L \rightarrow R$ is given by taking the **logarithm of the monodromy** and the **limiting HS** of the AVMHs.