

# Integrability

Prop Suppose  $X$  is an almost  $\mathbb{C}$  manifold.

TFAE: a) almost  $\mathbb{C}$  str on  $X$  is induced by a  $\mathbb{C}$  str

b)  $d = \partial + \bar{\partial}$

c)  $\bar{\partial}^2 = 0, \partial^2 = 0, \partial\bar{\partial} = -\bar{\partial}\partial$

d)  $\bar{\partial}^2 = 0$

e)  $[T^{0,1}X, T^{0,1}X] \subset T^{0,1}X$

Pf a)  $\Rightarrow$  b) use local coords + compute  $d(f dz_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dz_{i_n} \wedge d\bar{z}_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge d\bar{z}_{i_n})$

b)  $\Rightarrow$  a) Newlander-Nirenberg thm (hard, we won't prove it now)

b)  $\Rightarrow$  c)  $d^2 = \partial^2 + (\partial\bar{\partial} + \bar{\partial}\partial) + \bar{\partial}^2 = 0$  means all 3 pieces vanish

c)  $\Rightarrow$  d) trivial

e)  $\Rightarrow$  b)  $\alpha \in \Omega^1 \Rightarrow d\alpha(v, w) = v(\alpha(w)) - w(\alpha(v)) - \alpha([v, w])$ . If  $v, w \in T^{0,1}$  and  $\alpha \in \Omega^{1,0}$  this gives  $d\alpha(v, w) = 0$ , so  $d\alpha$  has no  $(0,2)$  part. Similarly, if  $\alpha \in \Omega^{0,1}$ ,  $d\alpha$  has no  $(2,0)$  part. Thus  $d = \partial + \bar{\partial}$  when acting on  $\Omega^1$ . Finally, Leibniz rule  $\Rightarrow d = \partial + \bar{\partial}$  on  $\Omega^k$ .

d)  $\Rightarrow$  e) exercise ▀

Cor An almost  $\mathbb{C}$  str on a real surface is always integrable.

Analogous situation for vector bundles:

Notation Given  $C^\infty$  cplx v.b.  $E$  over almost  $\mathbb{C}$  mfd  $X$ ,  
 $\Omega^{p,q}(E) = C^\infty$  sections of  $\Lambda^{p,q} T^*X \otimes E$

Def Given hol. v.b.  $E$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  mfd  $X$ , define  $\bar{\partial}_E: \Omega^{p,q}(E) \rightarrow \Omega^{p,q+1}(E)$  by  $\bar{\partial}_E(\alpha \otimes s) = \bar{\partial}\alpha \otimes s$  for  $s$  a local hol. section of  $E$ ,  $\alpha \in \Omega^{p,q}(M)$

Prop Given hol. v.b.  $E$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  mfd  $X$ , 1)  $\bar{\partial}_E^2 = 0$ .  
2)  $\bar{\partial}_E(fs) = \bar{\partial}f \wedge s + f \bar{\partial}_E s$

Pf Directly from the corresponding properties of  $\bar{\partial}$ .

Prop If  $E$  is any  $C^\infty$  complex v.b. over  $\mathbb{C}$  mfd  $X$ , and we have an operator  $\bar{\partial}_E: \Omega^{p,q}(E) \rightarrow \Omega^{p,q+1}(E)$  obeying

- Leibniz:  $\bar{\partial}_E(\alpha \otimes s) = \bar{\partial}\alpha \otimes s + \alpha \otimes \bar{\partial}_E s$
- Integrability:  $\bar{\partial}_E^2 = 0$

then  $\bar{\partial}_E$  is induced from a hol. structure on  $E$ .

Pf Analog of Newlander-Nirenberg

Rk  $\bar{\partial}_E: \Omega^{p,q}(E) \rightarrow \Omega^{p,q+1}(E)$  obeying Leibniz is determined by  $\bar{\partial}_E: \Omega^{0,0}(E) \rightarrow \Omega^{0,1}(E)$ .

Prop Two  $\bar{\partial}_E, \bar{\partial}'_E$  both obeying Leibniz have  $(\bar{\partial}'_E - \bar{\partial}_E)s = \beta(s)$  for  $\beta \in \Omega^{0,1}(\text{End } E)$

The action of  $\Omega^{0,1}(\text{End } E)$  on  $\Omega^{p,q}(E)$  is defined "componentwise" as follows:  
If  $\beta = \alpha \otimes \varphi$   $\begin{matrix} \alpha \in \Omega^{0,1} \\ \varphi \in C^\infty(\text{End } E) \end{matrix}$  and  $s = \gamma \otimes \psi$   $\begin{matrix} \gamma \in \Omega^{p,q} \\ \psi \in C^\infty(E) \end{matrix}$   
then  $\beta(s) = \underbrace{(\alpha \wedge \gamma)}_{\in \Omega^{p,q+1}} \otimes \underbrace{\varphi(\psi)}_{\in C^\infty(E)} \in \Omega^{p,q+1}(\text{End } E)$

Pf First look at the action on  $\Omega^{0,0}(\text{End } E)$ .

Define  $\beta = \bar{\partial}'_E - \bar{\partial}_E$ , then it obeys  $\beta(fs) = f\beta(s)$

so it's a linear map  $E \rightarrow \Lambda^{0,1} \otimes E$

ie a section of  $\Lambda^{0,1} \otimes \text{End } E$  — this is the desired start for the action on  $\Omega^{p,q}(\text{End } E)$ .

Then extend to  $\Omega^{p,q}(\text{End } E)$  by Leibniz rule

