

The result we are aiming for is the

Kodaira Embedding Theorem. Let M be a compact complex manifold and $L \rightarrow M$ a positive line bundle. Then there exists k_0 s.t. for $k \geq k_0$, the map

$$\bar{L}_{L^k}: M \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^N$$

is well-defined and is an embedding of M .

Let us consider how one might go about proving this. The first thing to do is to fit the maps (*) and (**) into exact sequences and try to use our vanishing theorems directly. To this end, let $\mathcal{I}_{x,y}(L)$ denote the sheaf of sections of L vanishing at x and y , and $\mathcal{I}_x^2(L)$ the sheaf of sections of L vanishing to order 2 at x , i.e., sections s of $\mathcal{I}_x(L)$ s.t. $d_x(s) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma \quad d s_x &= d s_p \cdot g_{xp} \Rightarrow (d s_x)(x) = d s_p(x) \cdot g_{xp}(x) \\ \Rightarrow d s_x(x) &= 0 \Leftrightarrow d s_p(x) = 0 \text{ since } g_{xp}(x) \neq 0. \\ \Rightarrow d_x s &\text{ is well-defined and } d_x(s) = 0 \text{ is well-defined, too. } \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

We have exact sheaf sequences

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_{x,y}(L) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(L) \xrightarrow{r_{x,y}} L_x \oplus L_y \rightarrow 0$$

and

$$0 \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_x^2(L) \rightarrow \mathcal{I}_x(L) \xrightarrow{d_x} T_x^{*'} \otimes L_x \rightarrow 0$$

so that to show that the maps (*) and (**) are surj-