

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } \bar{c} \langle [\Lambda, \Theta] \eta, \eta \rangle &= \bar{c} \langle \Lambda \Theta \eta, \eta \rangle - \bar{c} \langle \Theta \Lambda \eta, \eta \rangle \\ &= \langle D' \eta, D' \eta \rangle + \langle D'' \eta, D'' \eta \rangle \geq 0. \quad \Downarrow \end{aligned}$$

But  $\Theta = (2\pi/i) L$ , and so

$$\begin{aligned} 2\bar{c} \langle [\Lambda, \Theta] \eta, \eta \rangle &= 4\pi \langle [\Lambda, L] \eta, \eta \rangle \\ &= 4\pi (n-p-q) \|\eta\|^2 \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $p+q > n \Rightarrow \eta = 0$ .

Q.E.D.

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since  $[\Lambda, L] = (n-p-q)$  by p121.

$\Lambda, L$  are algebraic operators, and we have only to show that  $[\Lambda, L] = n-p-q$  at some  $\underset{\text{arbitrary}}{z_0}$ .

Don't forget that  $\Lambda, L$  act only on forms, not on sections of  $L$ .  $\Downarrow$

As was suggested when we first introduced cohomology, the groups  $H^q(M, \Omega^p(E))$  ( $q \geq 1$ ) most frequently arise as obstructions to globally solving analytic problems — this is specially true for  $q=1$  as in the Mittag-Leffler problem, but once one admits  $H^1$ 's, then all the rest become involved. The Kodaira vanishing theorem — together with its variants to be discussed later — is the best general method for eliminating cohomology.

Dualizing the Kodaira vanishing theorem, we obtain:

$H^q(M, \Omega^p(L)) = 0$  for  $p+q < n$  in case  $L \rightarrow M$  is a negative line bundle.