

Thus if we let $A^\alpha = (a_{ij}^\alpha)$

$$\begin{aligned} \left\langle A \wedge {}^t \bar{A} ; \frac{\partial}{\partial z_\alpha}, \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_\alpha} \right\rangle &= \sum a_{ik}^\alpha \bar{a}_{jk}^\alpha e_i \otimes e_j^* \\ &= A^\alpha {}^t \bar{A}^\alpha \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.e. } \left\langle \sum a_{ik}^\alpha \bar{a}_{jk}^\alpha e_i \otimes e_j^* (e_j), e_j \right\rangle \\ = \sum a_{jk}^\alpha \bar{a}_{jk}^\alpha \geq 0. \quad \Leftarrow \text{positive definite.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left\langle {}^t \bar{A} \wedge A ; \frac{\partial}{\partial z_\alpha}, \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_\alpha} \right\rangle &= \left\langle \sum \bar{a}_{ik}^\alpha a_{jk}^\beta d\bar{z}_\alpha \wedge dz_\beta \otimes e_i \otimes e_j^*, \frac{\partial}{\partial z_\alpha}, \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}_\alpha} \right\rangle \\ &= - \sum \bar{a}_{ik}^\alpha a_{jk}^\alpha e_i \otimes e_j^* \leq 0. \end{aligned}$$

which implies

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{H}_S &\leq \mathbb{H}_E|_S, \\ \mathbb{H}_Q &\geq \mathbb{H}_E|_Q. \end{aligned}$$

with equality holding $\Leftrightarrow A \equiv 0$. The principle that curvature decreases in holomorphic subbundles and increases in holomorphic quotient bundles is in marked contrast to the real case.

For example, if $M \subset \mathbb{C}^n$ complex submanifold with metric induced from the Euclidean metric on \mathbb{C}^n , we see that

$$T(M) \subset T(\mathbb{C}^n)|_M = \mathbb{H}_M \leq \mathbb{H}_{\mathbb{C}^n}|_M = 0$$

If M is Riemann surface, by the calculations on p 77, this just means that its Gauss curvature $K \leq 0$.

$$\mathbb{H}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial z}, \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}}\right) = -\frac{1}{2} \Delta \log h \leq 0$$