

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\|u\|=\epsilon} \frac{\sum \overline{\Phi_i(u)} \wedge \Phi(u+z)}{\|u\|^{2n}} \wedge \varphi(u+z) \xrightarrow{u+z}$$

$$= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\|u\|=\epsilon} \frac{\sum \overline{\Phi_i(u)} \wedge \Phi(u)}{\|u\|^{2n}} \wedge \varphi(u+z)$$

Since $\Phi(u+z) = d(u, z_1) \wedge \dots \wedge d(u, z_n)$ and we only need $du_1 \wedge \dots \wedge du_n$.

$$\Rightarrow \text{By P371} \sim \text{P372, } \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\|u\|=\epsilon} \frac{\sum \overline{\Phi_i(u)} \wedge \Phi(u)}{\|u\|^{2n}} \wedge \varphi(u+z) = \varphi(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{\mathbb{C}^n} \psi(z) \wedge \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \int_{\|u-z\|=\epsilon} k(z, u) \wedge \varphi(u) = \int_{\mathbb{C}^n} \psi(z) \wedge \varphi(z) = T_\varphi(\psi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{\partial} K_\varphi + (-1)^q K_\varphi \bar{\partial} = T_\varphi \quad \text{i.e.}$$

$$(\bar{\partial} K_\varphi)(\psi) + (-1)^q K_\varphi \bar{\partial}(\psi) = T_\varphi(\psi) \quad \text{for all } \psi \in A_c^{n, n-q}(\mathbb{C}^n)$$

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A first application of the homotopy formula is another proof of the $\bar{\partial}$ -Poincaré lemma for smooth forms. Given a $\bar{\partial}$ -closed form $\varphi \in A^{0, q}(U)$, where $U \subset \mathbb{C}^n$ is an open set, we may find a relatively compact open set $V \subset U$ and bump function $\rho \in C_c^\infty(U)$ with $\rho \equiv 1$ on V . Then $\rho\varphi \in A_c^{0, q}(\mathbb{C}^n)$, and

$$(\rho\varphi)(z) = \bar{\partial}(K_{\rho\varphi})(z) + K(\bar{\partial}(\rho\varphi))(z).$$

$$\Gamma \quad \rho\varphi \in A_c^{0, q}(\mathbb{C}^n).$$

$$\text{By the above, } (\bar{\partial} K_{\rho\varphi})(\psi) + (-1)^q K_{\rho\varphi}(\bar{\partial}(\psi)) = T_{\rho\varphi}(\psi),$$