

A Calculation of Rational Cohomology Classes on Some Complex Tori

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In this paper, we are concerned with complex tori T . For the rational cohomology group $H^{p,p}(T, Q)$ of type (p, p) on T , we have known its dimension, by example, in case of generic abelian varieties [1], n copies E^n of an elliptic curve E [2]. But in general, it is difficult to compute it. Here for the Cartesian product T of n elliptic curves E_1, E_2, \dots, E_n , we shall compute the dimension of $H^{1,1}(T, Q)$. Furthermore we examine the dimension of $H^{2,2}(T, Q)$ for some complex tori T 's.

§ 1. Definitions and notation

Throughout this paper, let C, Q be fields of complex, rational numbers, respectively. Let $T=V/L$ be a complex torus where V is a complex vector space of dim n and L is a lattice in V . We denote by $(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n), (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{2n})$, the complex, real coordinates on V with respect to a fixed complex base of V and a fixed base of L , respectively. Then we have the following matrix A of size $(n, 2n)$, called a period matrix of T ,

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{bmatrix} = A \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_{2n} \end{bmatrix}$$

and for differential 1-forms on T ,

$$\begin{bmatrix} dz_1 \\ dz_2 \\ \vdots \\ dz_n \\ d\bar{z}_1 \\ \vdots \\ d\bar{z}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A \\ \bar{A} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} du_1 \\ du_2 \\ \vdots \\ du_{2n} \end{bmatrix}.$$

It is known that the complex de Rham cohomology group $H^{p,q}(T, C)$ of type (p, q) on T is generated by $dz_{i_1} \wedge \dots \wedge dz_{i_p} \wedge d\bar{z}_{j_1} \wedge \dots \wedge d\bar{z}_{j_q}$ with constant coefficients. We put $H^{p,p}(T, Q) = H^{p,p}(T, C) \cap H^{2p}(T, Q)$. For an element F of $H^{p,p}(T, C)$, we put

$$\begin{aligned} F &= \sum a_{ij} dz_{i1} \wedge \cdots \wedge dz_{ip} \wedge d\bar{z}_{j1} \wedge \cdots \wedge d\bar{z}_{jp} \\ &= \sum b_k du_{k1} \wedge \cdots \wedge du_{k2p}. \end{aligned}$$

F is rational if and only if b_k 's are rational numbers. We denote by $r_p = r_p(T)$ the dimension of $H^{p,p}(T, Q)$ over Q .

§ 2. $r_1(T)$ for $T = E_1 \times E_2 \times \cdots \times E_n$

Let E_i be elliptic curves with period matrices $(1, e_i)$, where $e_i \in C$, $i=1, 2, \dots, n$. The cartesian product $T = E_1 \times \cdots \times E_n$ of E_i 's has a period matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & e_1 & & \\ & 1 & & & e_2 & \\ & & \ddots & & & \ddots \\ & & & 1 & & \\ & & & & & e_n \end{bmatrix}.$$

For an element of $F = \sum a_{ij} dz_i \wedge d\bar{z}_j$ of $H^{1,1}(T, C)$ we put

$$\begin{aligned} F_i &= a_{ii} dz_i \wedge d\bar{z}_i, \quad (i=1, 2, \dots, n) \\ F_{ij} &= a_{ij} dz_i \wedge d\bar{z}_j + a_{ji} dz_j \wedge d\bar{z}_i, \quad (1 \leq i < j \leq n). \end{aligned}$$

Then $F = F_1 + \cdots + F_n + F_{12} + \cdots + F_{n-1,n}$. It is easy that F is rational if and only if F_i 's and F_{ij} 's are rational. For F_i, F_{ij} are linearly independent over Q , we can know $r_1(T)$ by computing the numbers of rational F_i and rational F_{ij} . There exist n rational F_i and for $E_i \sim E_j$ (isogenous with complex multiplications) 2 rational F_{ij} , for $E_i \sim E_j$ (isogenous without complex multiplications) 1 rational F_{ij} , for $E_i \not\sim E_j$ (not isogenous) 0 rational F_{ij} . Therefore, by classifying E_1, E_2, \dots, E_n with respect to isogeny, we have the following theorem.

THEOREM. Let $T = E_1^{i_1} \times \cdots \times E_k^{i_k} \times E_1'^{j_1} \times \cdots \times E_h'^{j_h}$ be the Cartesian product of elliptic curves where E_i 's are of CM type and E_j 's are not of CM type ($E_i \not\sim E_j$, $E_i' \not\sim E_j'$ not isogenous). Then

$$\dim H^{1,1}(T, Q) = n + 2 \binom{i_1}{2} + \cdots + 2 \binom{i_k}{2} + \binom{j_1}{2} + \cdots + \binom{j_h}{2},$$

provided that $\binom{1}{2} = 0$.

COROLLARY. Let $T = E_1 \times \cdots \times E_n$ be the Cartesian product of n elliptic curves E_i ($i=1, 2, \dots, n$). Then

- (1) $n \leq r_1(T) \leq n^2$.
- (2) $r_1(T) = n \Leftrightarrow E_i \not\sim E_j$ not isogenous for any $i \neq j$.
- (3) $r_1(T) = n^2 \Leftrightarrow E_i \sim E_j$ isogenous for any i, j and E_i is of CM type.

For example, in case of $n=3, 4$, we have the following tables of $r_1 = \dim H^{1,1}(T, Q)$.

$n=3$			$n=4$		
CM type i_1, \dots, i_k	not CM type j_1, \dots, j_h	r_1	CM type i_1, \dots, i_k	not CM type j_1, \dots, j_h	r_1
3	0	9	4	0	16
0	3	6	0	4	8
2, 1	0	5	3, 1	0	10
2	1	5	3	1	10
1	2	4	1	3	7
0	2, 1	4	0	3, 1	7
1, 1, 1		3	2, 2	0	8
			2	2	7
			0	2, 2	6
			2, 1, 1	0	6
			2, 1	1	6
			2	1, 1	6
			1, 1	2	5
			1	2, 1	5
			0	2, 1, 1	5
			1, 1, 1, 1		4

§ 3. $H^{2,2}(E_1 \times E_2 \times E_3 \times E_4)$

If a complex torus T of dim n is an abelian variety, we have $r_p(T) = r_{n-p}(T)$ [3]. Hence we may compute $r_p(T)$ for $p=1, 2, \dots, [n/2]$. Especially in case of $n=3$, we have $r_2(T) = r_1(T)$. In case of $n=4$, we have $r_3(T) = r_1(T)$, therefore we may examine $r_2(T)$.

Now we shall examine $r_2(T)$ in case of $T = E_1 \times E_2 \times E_3 \times E_4$. We put $T' = E_1 \times E_2 \times E_3$. By Kunneth decomposition,

$$H^{2,2}(T) = [H^{0,0}(T') \wedge H^{2,2}(E_4)]_Q \quad \dots (*1)$$

$$+ [H^{1,0}(T') \wedge H^{1,2}(E_4) + H^{0,1}(T') \wedge H^{2,1}(E_4)]_Q \quad \dots (*2)$$

$$+ [H^{2,0}(T') \wedge H^{0,2}(E_4) + H^{1,1}(T') \wedge H^{1,1}(E_4) + H^{0,2}(T') \wedge H^{2,0}(E_4)]_Q \quad \dots (*3)$$

$$+ [H^{2,1}(T') \wedge H^{0,1}(E_4) + H^{1,2}(T') \wedge H^{1,0}(E_4)]_Q \quad \dots (*4)$$

$$+ [H^{2,2}(T') \wedge H^{0,0}(E_4)]_Q \quad \dots (*5)$$

For the terms (*1), ..., (*4) are linearly independent, we may compute the dimensions of each term. The terms (*1) and (*2) are equal to 0. The term (*3) is equal to $[H^{1,1}(T') \wedge H^{1,1}(E_4)]_Q$, hence isomorphic to $H^{1,1}(T', Q)$ and its dimension is known from the table of $n=3$. The term (*5) is isomorphic to $H^{2,2}(T', Q)$ and known as above. The term (*4) is decomposed to the following 7 independent parts.

$$(*4.1) \quad dz_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge dz_4 \text{ and its conjugate}$$

$$(*4.2) \quad dz_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge dz_4 \text{ and its conjugate}$$

$$(*4.3) \quad dz_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_1 \wedge dz_4 \text{ and its conjugate}$$

(*4.4) $dz_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge dz_4$ and its conjugate

(*4.5) $dz_3 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge d\bar{z}_1 \wedge dz_4$ and its conjugate

(*4.6) $dz_3 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge dz_4$ and its conjugate

(*4.7) $dz_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge dz_4$, $d\bar{z}_1 \wedge dz_2 \wedge d\bar{z}_3 \wedge dz_4$, $d\bar{z}_1 \wedge d\bar{z}_2 \wedge dz_3 \wedge dz_4$, and their conjugates.

The dimension of (*4.1) is equal to $r_1(E_2 \times E_4) - 2$. For (*4.2), \dots , (*4.6), we can compute their dimensions as above. But the term (*4.7) has various situations. So we shall examine some examples.

EXAMPLES. Let E, E' be elliptic curves with period matrices $(1, i), (1, pi)$, respectively. Let p be an irrational real number, then E is not isogenous to E' .

(1) In case of $T = E^3 \times E'$, we shall compute $r_2(T)$. The dimensions of (*3) and (*5) are equal to 9 from the table of $n=3$. The dimensions of (*4.1), \dots , (*4.6) are equal to 0 [2]. The dimension of (*4.7) is computed directly and equal to 0. Hence we have $r_2(T) = 18$.

(2) In case of $T = E^2 \times E'^2$, we have

$$\dim (*3) = \dim (*5) = 5$$

$$\dim (*4.1) = \dim (*4.3) = \dim (*4.5) = \dim (*4.6) = 0$$

$$\dim (*4.2) = \dim (*4.4) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is irrational} \\ 2 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is rational} \end{cases}$$

$$\dim (*4.7) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is irrational} \\ 4 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is rational.} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Hence } r_2(T) = \begin{cases} 14 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is irrational} \\ 18 & \text{if } p^2 \text{ is rational.} \end{cases}$$

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