

**Analytic Continuation**

**Def 7.1:**  $X$  is R.S.,  $u: [0,1] \rightarrow X$  is path in  $X$   
 $a = u(0), b = u(1)$ .  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_b$  is said to result from the analytic continuation along the curve  $u$  of  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_a$ , if  
 $\exists \{\varphi_t \in \mathcal{O}_{u(t)} \mid t \in [0,1]\}$  st.  
 (i)  $\varphi_0 = \varphi, \varphi_1 = \varphi$   
 (ii)  $\forall t \in [0,1], \exists$  neighborhood  $T \subseteq [0,1]$  of  $t$   
 st.  $f_{u(t)} = \varphi_t$  for all  $t \in T$

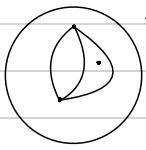
Equivalent condition: by figure 5

**Lemma 7.2** Condition in 7.1.  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_b$  is a.c. along  $u$  of  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_a$   
 $(\Leftrightarrow \exists!$  lifting  $\begin{matrix} \tilde{u} & \xrightarrow{|\circ|} & p \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \\ & & X \end{matrix}$  st.  $\tilde{u}(0) = \varphi, \tilde{u}(1) = \varphi$ .

**Pf:**  $\Rightarrow \tilde{u}(t) = \varphi_{u(t)}$ , direct from the definition  
 $\Leftarrow \varphi_{u(t)} = \tilde{u}(t)$

Uniqueness of lifting is direct from theorem 4.8  
 And it implies that give a path  $u$  and a germ on the beginning point then the analytic continuation along the curve is determined

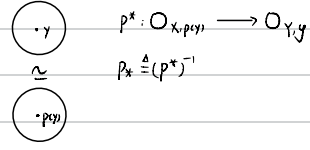
**Corollary 7.3:**  $X$  is R.S.  $u_0, u_1$  are path-homotopic.  $u_0 \stackrel{H}{\sim} u_1$



then  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_a$  along the paths in the homotopic class, yields the same function germ  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_b$   
**Pf:** Lifting of Homotopy, theorem 4.10  
 note that  $|O|$  is Hausdorff

**Corollary 7.4:**  $X$  is a simply connected R.S.  $a \in X, \varphi \in \mathcal{O}_a$  which admits an analytic continuation along every curve. Then  $\exists$  a globally defined holo.  $f \in \mathcal{O}(X)$  st.  $f_a = \varphi$   
**Pf:**  $\psi_x \in \mathcal{O}_x$  is the function germ which results from the analytical continuation along any curve from  $a$  to  $x$   
 $f(x) \triangleq \psi_x(x)$  holo.  $f_a = \varphi$ .  
 $f$  is unique by identity theorem.

$Y$  and  $X$  are R.S. and  $\mathcal{O}_x$  and  $\mathcal{O}_y$   
 $p: Y \rightarrow X$  is unbranched holo.  $\Rightarrow p$  is locally biholo.



**Def: 7.6**  $X$  is R.S.  $a \in X$  and  $\varphi \in \mathcal{O}_a$ .  $(Y, p, f, b)$  is called an analytic continuation of  $\varphi$ .

- (i)  $Y$  is R.S. and  $p: Y \rightarrow X$  unbranched holo
- (ii)  $f \in \mathcal{O}(Y)$
- (iii)  $b \in Y$  st.  $p(b) = a$  and  $p_x(f_b) = \varphi$

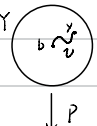
**Def:** maximal analytic continuation of  $\varphi$   $(Y, p, f, b)$  universal property, if  $(Z, q, g, c)$  is any other analytic continuation of  $\varphi$ , then  $\exists$  holo. map  $F: Z \rightarrow Y$

$F(c) = b$  and  $F^*(f) = g$

**Rmk:** maximal analytic continuation is up to isomorphism


Lemma 7.7:  $a \in X, \varphi \in O_a$  and  $(Y, p, f, b)$  is a.c. of  $\varphi$

Then  $v$  is curve in  $Y$  s.t.  $v(0)=b, v(1) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} y$ , then  $\psi \stackrel{\Delta}{=} p_* (f_y) \in O_{p(y)}$

$Y$   is an a.c. of  $\varphi$  along  $u = p \circ v$

pf:  $\varphi_t \stackrel{\Delta}{=} p_* (f_{v(t)}) \in O_{p(v(t))} = O_{u(t)}$ .

check a.c.:

$X$   then  $\varphi_0 = \varphi$  and  $\varphi_1 = \psi$

Suppose  $t_0 \in [0, 1]$ .

since  $p$  is local homeomorphism, pick open neighborhoods  $V$  of  $v(t_0)$

and  $U(t_0)$  s.t.  $p|_V \rightarrow U$  biholomorphic.

then for any  $\eta \in U$

$p_* (f_\eta) = [f^0 \circ (p|_V)^{-1}]_{p(\eta)}$ , by definition

so  $\exists$  open neighborhood  $T$  of  $t_0$  s.t.  $v(T) \subseteq V \Rightarrow u(T) \subseteq U$

$p_* (f_{v(t)}) = [f^0 \circ (p|_V)^{-1}]_{u(t)}$ ,  $f^0 \circ (p|_V)^{-1} \in O(U)$

Theorem 7.8:  $X$  is R.S.  $a \in X, \varphi \in O_a$ . Then  $\exists$  maximal analytic continuation  $(Y, p, f, b)$  of  $\varphi$ .

pf:  $Y$  is connected component of  $\{O\}$  containing  $\varphi$

$p$  is the restriction of projection on  $Y$ ,  $p: Y \rightarrow X$

local homeomorphism.

Theorem 4.6 tells us  $Y$  can have complex structure, hence a Riemann surface and  $p$  is holo.

define  $f: Y \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  as follows

$f(\eta) = \eta(p(\eta))$  (evaluation)

$f$  is holo. and  $p_* (f_\eta) = (f^0 \circ (p|_V)^{-1})_{p(\eta)} = \eta$

set  $b \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \varphi$ , then  $(Y, p, f, b)$  is analytical continuation of  $\varphi$

check it is maximal:

suppose  $(Z, q, g, c)$  is another analytic continuation of  $\varphi$ .

define  $F: Z \rightarrow Y, \xi \in Z, \chi = q(\xi)$

by the lemma 7.7  $q_* (g_\xi) \in O_\chi$  arises from

a.c. along a curve from  $a$  to  $\chi$  of germ  $\varphi$

By lemma 7.2,  $\exists! \eta \in Y$  s.t.  $q_* (g_\xi) = \eta$

Let  $F(\xi) = \eta$ , trivially  $F: Z \rightarrow Y$  is fiber-preserving

holo. map s.t.  $F \circ q = b, F^*(f) = g$

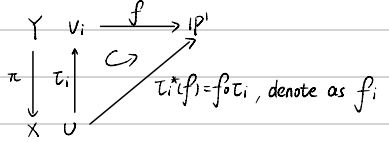
**Algebraic Functions**

The elementary symmetric functions

Case 1:  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$  is an  $n$ -sheeted unbranch holomorphic covering map and  $f$  is meromorphic function on  $Y$ .

For each point  $x \in X$ ,  $U$  is its elementary neighborhood

$\pi^{-1}(U) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n V_i$  and  $\pi|_{V_i}: V_i \rightarrow U$  is biholomorphic,  $\tau_i \triangleq (\pi|_{V_i})^{-1}$



consider  $\prod_{i=1}^n (T - f_i) = T^n + C_1 T^{n-1} + \dots +$

$C_i = (-1)^i S_i(f_1, \dots, f_n)$

Give global meromorphic functions by gluing each open piece

so  $C_1, \dots, C_n \in M(X)$

$f \in O(V^*), f_1, \dots, f_n \in O(U^*), C_1, \dots, C_n \in O(U^*)$

and  $\prod_{i=1}^n (f - f_i \circ \pi) = f^n + (C_1 \circ \pi) \cdot f^{n-1} + \dots + C_n \circ \pi = 0$

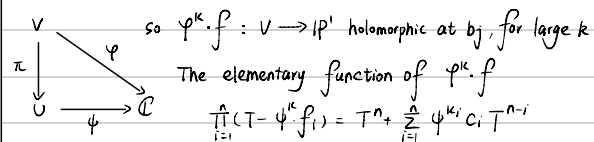
for  $x = \pi(y), f^n(y) + C_1(x) \cdot f^{n-1}(y) + \dots + C_n(x) = 0$

so  $f(y)$  is bounded around each point  $\pi^{-1}(a)$

$\Leftrightarrow C_i(x)$  is bounded around  $a$ .

$\Rightarrow f \in M(V^*)$

$\psi \triangleq \pi^*(\psi) = \psi \circ \pi \in O(U)$ , vanishes at  $\pi^{-1}(a)$



$\prod_{i=1}^n (T - \psi^k \cdot f_i) = T^n + \sum_{i=1}^n \psi^{k_i} C_i T^{n-i}$

by holo. case,  $\psi^{k_i} C_i$  is continued holo.

$\Rightarrow C_i$  is continued mero.

Rmk: we don't use that  $Y$  is connected

Case 2 (Thm 8.2):  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$  is  $n$ -sheeted branched holomorphic map.

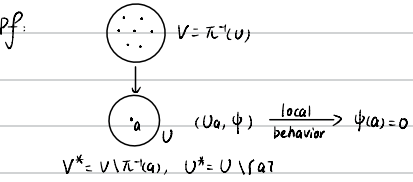
needs proper

$A \subseteq X$ , set of critical value  $B = \pi^{-1}(A)$

$f \in O(Y \setminus B) \subset M(Y \setminus B)$  and  $C_1, \dots, C_n \in O(X \setminus A) \subset M(X \setminus A)$

Then  $f$  may be continued holomorphically (mero) to  $Y$

$\Leftrightarrow$  All  $C_i$  can be continued holomorphically (mero) to  $X$



$\prod (f - f_i \circ \pi) \equiv 0$  on  $V^*(x)$

(proof of  $(x)$ ): if  $y \in V^*$ , for  $\pi(y)$ ,

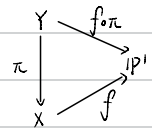
pick elementary neighborhood  $w$ ,  $\pi^{-1}(w) = \bigcup_{i=1}^n V_i$ , pick  $V_j$  st.  $y \in V_j$ ,

then  $(f - f_j \circ \pi) = (f - f_j \circ (\tau_j \circ \pi)) = (f - f_j) \equiv 0$  on  $V^*(x)$

Note:  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$  is non-constant holomorphic map

the pushback  $\pi^*(f_i) = f_i \circ \pi$  induces monomorphism of fields

$\pi^*: M(X) \rightarrow M(Y)$



Theorem:  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$  is a  $n$ -sheeted branched holomorphic

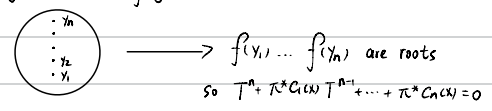
For  $f \in M(Y)$ , it induces  $C_1(x), \dots, C_n(x) \in M(X)$

then  $f^n + (\pi^* C_1) f^{n-1} + \dots + (\pi^* C_{n-1}) f + \pi^* C_n = 0 (x)$

and  $\pi^*: M(X) \rightarrow M(Y)$  is algebraic extension of degree  $\leq n$

The equality holds if  $\exists f \in M(Y)$  and  $\exists x \in X$  with

$\pi^{-1}(x) = \{y_1, \dots, y_n\}$  st.  $f(y_i)$  are all distinct



pf: Let  $L \stackrel{\Delta}{=} M(Y)$ ,  $K \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \pi^* M(X) \subseteq L$

so for all  $f \in L \Rightarrow f$  is algebraic over  $K$  of degree  $\leq n$   
 pick  $f_0 \in L$  st. its degree  $n_0$  of minimal poly is maximal in  $L$   
 consider  $\forall f \in L, \exists g \in L, K(f_0, f) = K(g)$  by primitive element theorem ( $\text{char } M(X) = 0 \Rightarrow \text{perfect} \Rightarrow \text{separable}$ )  
 $n_0 \geq \dim K(g) = \dim K(f_0, f) \geq \dim K(f_0) \geq n_0$   
 so  $K(f_0, f) = K(f_0) \Rightarrow L = K(f_0)$

Equality:  $f$  satisfies the condition

suppose  $q(\tau)$  is the minimal poly of  $f$  over  $K$ , degree  $m < n$   
 $f^m + d_{m-1}f^{m-1} + \dots + d_0 = 0$ , over  $K = \pi^* M(Y)$   
 $f_1, \dots, f_m$  are distinct roots

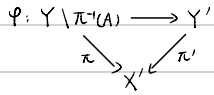
Theorem 8.4:  $A \subseteq X$  closed discrete subset and  $X' = X \setminus A$ .

$\pi': Y' \rightarrow X'$  is a proper unbranched holomorphic covering map.

Then  $\pi'$  extends to a branched covering of  $X$  i.e.

$\exists$  R.S.  $Y$ , a proper holomorphic  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$

and fiber-preserving biholomorphic mapping



1<sup>st</sup> conclusion:

How elementary symmetric function comes from:

covering map: push forward locally to get  $f_i$

proper ( $n$ -sheeted): finite product of  $(\tau - f_i)$  to get elementary symmetric function

local homeomorphism again: we can glue  $C_i$  together

Goal:

} if  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$   
 then  $\pi(X) \rightarrow \pi(Y)$  is finite separable extension

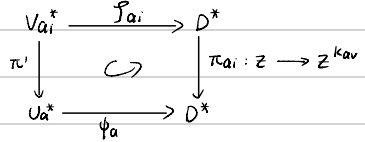
2<sup>nd</sup> conclusion:

Extension based on closed discrete subset  $A$ , along proper unbranched holo. map (sacrifice unbranched)

Extension doesn't enlarge deck group. (isomorphic under extension and restriction)

pf:  $\forall a \in A$ , choose  $(U_a, \psi_a)$  on  $X$  st.  $\psi_a(a) = 0, \psi_a'(U_a) = \mathbb{D}$   
 and  $U_a \cap U_{a'} = \emptyset$  if  $a \neq a' \in A$ .  $U_a^* = U_a \setminus \{a\}$   
 by properness of  $\pi'$ ,  $\pi'^{-1}(U_a^*)$  contains finite connected component  $\{V_{a_i}\}$   
 by Massey lemma 2.1,  $\pi'|_{V_{a_i}} \rightarrow U_a^*$  is covering map, unbranched  
 suppose its covering number is  $k_{a_i}$

by Thm 5.10, we have  $\{a_i\}$  biholo.



ideal point  $\{a_i\}, a \in A, i = 1, \dots, n(a)$  pairwise distinct

$$Y \stackrel{\Delta}{=} Y' \cup \{a_i \mid a \in A, i = 1, \dots, n(a)\}$$

Give topology: use neighbor basis  $W$  of  $a$  to define neighbor basis

$$\{a_i\}, \{V_{a_i}\} \cup \{\pi'^{-1}(W^*) \cap V_{a_i}^*\}$$

$Y$  is Hausdorff

$\pi(y) = \begin{cases} \pi'(y) & y \in Y' \\ a & y = a_i \end{cases}$   $\pi$  is proper, since the compact subset of  $Y'$  just compact subset of  $X' \cup$  finite points

Make  $Y$  into Riemann surface

Let  $\{\mathcal{F}_{a_i}'\}: V_{a_i} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$  be the continuation of  $\mathcal{F}_{a_i}$

by commutative diagram,  $\mathcal{F}_{a_i}'(a_i) = 0$

holomorphically compatible is trivial

by construction  $\varphi: Y \setminus \pi^{-1}(A) \rightarrow Y'$  identity

Theorem 8.5:  $X, Y, Z$  are R.S. and  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X, \tau: Z \rightarrow X$  proper holomorphic map.  $A$  is closed discrete subset.  $X' = X \setminus A$ .  $Y' = \pi^{-1}(X'), Z' = \tau^{-1}(X')$ . Then every FPBM  $\sigma': Y' \rightarrow Z'$  can extend to FPBM  $\sigma: Y \rightarrow Z$

pf:  $a \in A. (U, \psi)$  s.t.  $\psi(a) = 0, \psi(U) = D$ ,  $U$  is small enough that  $\pi$  and  $\tau$  are unbranched over  $U^*$ .  $V_1 \dots V_n$  connected component of  $\pi^{-1}(U)$ ,  $W_1 \dots W_m$  connected comp. of  $\tau^{-1}(U)$ .  $V_i^* = V_i \setminus \pi^{-1}(a)$ , similar construction for  $\tau^{-1}(U)$ .  $\sigma'|_{\pi^{-1}(U^*)} \rightarrow \tau^{-1}(U^*)$  is biholo.  $\Rightarrow n=m$

Since  $\pi|_{V_i^*}: V_i^* \rightarrow U^*$  is finite sheeted unbranched covering by 5.11  $V_i \xrightarrow{\text{biholo}} D \Rightarrow V_i^* \cap \pi^{-1}(a)$  contains only one element.  $\begin{matrix} \pi \downarrow & \hookrightarrow & \downarrow \pi|_{V_i^*} \\ U & \xrightarrow{\psi \text{ chart}} & D \end{matrix}$  (chase by yourself)

Similar,  $W_i \cap \tau^{-1}(a)$  contains only one element. So extends  $\sigma'|_{\pi^{-1}(U^*)} \rightarrow \tau^{-1}(U^*)$  to  $\sigma|_{\pi^{-1}(U)} \rightarrow \tau^{-1}(U)$  biholo. by Riemann Removable theorem

Def 8.6 Case above,  $Y \rightarrow X$  is called Galois if  $Y' \rightarrow X'$  is Galois

Lemma 8.7: suppose  $C_1 \dots C_n \in \mathcal{O}(D(r))$ ,  $D(r)$  radius  $< R$ .  $w_0 \in \mathbb{C}$  is simple zero of  $T^n + C_1(0)T^{n-1} + \dots + C_n(0) = 0$ . then  $\exists r \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\psi \in \mathcal{O}(D(r))$  s.t.  $\psi(0) = w_0$ .  $\psi^n + C_1\psi^{n-1} + \dots + C_n = 0$  on  $D(r)$ . pf: residue theorem

Corollary: 8.8  $X$  is R.S. and  $x \in X$ .  $P(T) = T^n + C_1(x)T^{n-1} + \dots + C_n(x) \in \mathcal{O}_x[T]$

And composite evaluation map:  $p(T) = T^n + C_1(x)T^{n-1} + \dots + C_n(x) \in \mathbb{C}[T]$  has  $n$  distinct zeros  $w_1 \dots w_n$ . Then  $\exists \varphi_1 \dots \varphi_n \in \mathcal{O}_x$  s.t.  $\varphi_i(x) = w_i$  and  $P(T) = \prod_{i=1}^n (T - \varphi_i)$

Theorem 8.9:  $P(T) = T^n + C_1T^{n-1} + \dots + C_n \in M(X)[T]$  is irreducible polynomial of degree  $n$ . Then  $\exists (Y, \pi, F)$  s.t. (i)  $Y$  is R.S.

(ii)  $\pi$  is  $n$ -sheeted branched holo. (iii)  $F \in M(Y), (\pi^*P)(F) = 0$

(iv) for any  $(z, \tau, G)$  satisfies (i), (ii), (iii) 
$$\begin{matrix} z & \xrightarrow{\exists! \sigma} & Y \\ & \searrow \tau & \swarrow \pi \\ & X & \end{matrix} \quad \text{s.t. } \sigma^*(F) = G$$

$(Y, \pi, F)$  is called algebraic function defined by  $P(T)$

Step 1: Theorem 8.4 allows us to delete some bad points: throw them into  $A$ .

- (i) collect the point if some  $C_1 \dots C_n$  are not holomorphic on it
  - (ii) collect the point if  $\Delta(X) = 0$  on it,  $\Delta \in M(X)$  is the discriminant of  $P(T)$  ( $\Delta \in \mathbb{C}[C_1(x), \dots, C_n(x)]$ , by the Fundamental theorem on symmetric function)
- in other words,  $X' \triangleq X \setminus A, C_1 \dots C_n$  are holomorphic and  $\Delta(X) \neq 0$

Goal:  $P_x(T) = T^n + C_1(x)T^{n-1} + \dots + C_n(x) \in \mathbb{C}[T]$  is separable for any  $x \in X'$  and apply corollary 8.8

Step 2: Construct  $Y' \rightarrow X'$  unbranched and apply Thm 8.4

Def: (Topological space associated to a presheaf).  $X$  is topo. space.  $\mathcal{F}$  is its presheaf.  $|\mathcal{F}| = \bigcup_{x \in X} \mathcal{F}_x$

$U$  is open in  $X, [U, \mathcal{F}] \triangleq \{f_x \mid x \in U\} \subseteq |\mathcal{F}|, (f_x)$  notation

Facts without proof (Page 43, GTM 8.1)

1.  $[U, \mathcal{F}]$  form topo. basis of  $|\mathcal{F}|$
2.  $p: |\mathcal{F}| \rightarrow X$  local homeomorphism
3. If  $X$  is R.S. with sheaf  $\mathcal{O}$  or  $\mathcal{M}$ ,  $|\mathcal{O}|$  or  $|\mathcal{M}|$  is Hausdorff

$Y' \triangleq \{ \varphi \in O_X \mid P(\varphi) = 0, \text{ for some } x \}$ ,

consider  $\pi': Y' \rightarrow X'$  canonical projection

by the corollary, for  $\forall x \in X'$ , then  $\exists$  open neighborhood

$U \subseteq X'$  and  $f_1, \dots, f_n \in O(U)$  s.t.  $P(T) = \prod_{i=1}^n (T - f_i)$

then  $\pi'^{-1}(U) = \{ \varphi \in O_X \mid \exists W \text{ open s.t. } x \in W \text{ and}$

$$\prod_{i=1}^n (\varphi - f_i) = 0 \text{ on } U \cap W \} = \bigcup_{i=1}^n [U, f_i]$$

$[U, f_i]$  are disjoint since  $\Delta \omega \neq 0$

$\pi'|_{[U, f_i]} \rightarrow U$  is homeomorphism

so  $\pi'$  is a covering map

The connected components of  $Y'$  are Riemann surface

so  $\pi'$  is covering map on each component

and  $\pi'$  is proper

(the key is that  $\pi'$  finite-sheet covering:

$K$  is compact,  $\forall x \in K$ , find elementary open neighborhood  $U_x$

$U_x$  covers  $K \Rightarrow$  finite cover  $K \subseteq \bigcup_{\text{finite}} U_x$

$\pi'^{-1}(K) \subseteq \bigcup_{\text{finite}} \pi'^{-1}(U_x)$

so  $\pi'^{-1}(K)$  is compact)

Step 3: Construct  $F$  by continued meromorphically

Let  $f: Y' \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be the evaluation map

use  $\pi'$  pullback the polynomial  $\Rightarrow f(y) + c_1(\pi'^{-1}(y))f(y)^{n_1} + \dots + c_n(\pi'^{-1}(y))f(y)^{n_n} = 0$

for any  $y \in Y'$ .

By theorem 8.4 extend  $\pi': Y' \rightarrow X'$  to  $\pi: Y \rightarrow X$ .

it means  $c_i \circ \pi'$  can be continued meromorphically, by 8.2

$f$  is continued mero. called  $F \in M(X)$

$$(\pi^*P)(F) = 0$$

Step 4:  $Y'$  is connected

(Note  $Y'$  is not connected, then  $Y$  may not be connected)

suppose  $Y$  has finitely many connected components  $Y_1, \dots, Y_k$

$n_i$  its covering number, then  $n_1 + \dots + n_k = n$

Use the elementary symmetric on  $F|_{Y_i}$ ,  $P_i(T)$  coefficients in  $M(X)$

$P_i(T) \mid P(T)$  since  $(\pi^*P)(F_i) = 0$

so  $P(T) = P_1(T) \dots P_k(T)$  but it is irreducible

• Group homomorphism  $\text{Deck}(Y/X) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(M(Y))$

$$\sigma \mapsto \sigma: f \mapsto f \circ \sigma^{-1}$$

$\text{Deck}(Y/X)$  fixes  $\pi^*M(X)$

if  $f \in \pi^*M(X)$ ,  $f = g \circ \pi$ ,  $\sigma f = g \circ \underbrace{\pi \circ \sigma^{-1}}_{\pi}$  by fiber preserving

so the image of  $\sigma$  is in  $\text{Aut}(M(Y)/\pi^*M(X))$

Theorem:  $X$  is R.S.  $K \triangleq M(X)$  and  $P(T) \in K[T]$  is monic and

irreducible of degree  $n$ . Let  $(Y, \pi, F)$  be the algebraic function

by  $P(T)$  and  $L = M(Y)$ . Then  $L|K$  is field extension of degree  $n$

and  $L \cong K[T]/(P(T))$ . And  $\text{Deck}(Y/X) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(L|K)$  isomorphism

The covering is Galois  $\Leftrightarrow L|K$  is Galois

pf:  $P(F) = 0$  so we have eval homo  $K[T]/(P(T)) \rightarrow L$

by 8.3  $\Rightarrow$  both field are of degree  $n$  over  $K \Rightarrow$  isomorphism

injective: if  $\sigma F = F$  for any  $F \in M(Y)$

if  $F \circ \sigma^{-1} = F \Rightarrow \sigma = \text{id}$  by Rigidity

surjective:  $\forall \alpha \in \text{Aut}(L|K)$ , then  $(Y, \pi, \alpha F)$  is still

algebraic function by  $P(T)$ , since  $\alpha F$  is also the root  $\pi^*P$

by the uniqueness,  $\exists \tau \in \text{Deck}(Y/X)$  s.t.  $\alpha F = F \circ \tau^{-1} = \tau \cdot F$

$L \cong K[T]/(P(T))$  is generated by  $F$

Last statement:  $|\text{Aut}(L|K)| = [L:K]$

since Galois covering  $\Rightarrow$  acts transitively on  $\pi^{-1}(x)$

$$|\text{Deck}(Y/X)| = n \Rightarrow |\text{Aut}(L|K)| = n = [L:K]$$

the converse is similar

Example 8.10:  $f(z) = (z-a_1) \dots (z-a_n)$  distinct roots,  $a_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$

$$p(z) = z^n - f$$

$$A = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\} \cup \{\infty\}$$

$$X = \mathbb{P}^1 \setminus A, Y = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$$

$\pi: Y \rightarrow X$  is 2-sheeted unbranched holo.

Therefore every function germ s.t.  $\varphi^2 = f$  can be analytically continued along every curve lying in  $X$ .

Consider exceptional points

(i) choose  $r_j > 0$  small enough s.t. no other points of  $A$

lies in the disc

$$U_j \triangleq \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z - a_j| < r_j\}$$

$$g_j(z) = \prod_{k \neq j} (z - a_k) \text{ non-vanishing on } U_j$$

so  $\exists$  holomorphic  $h: U_j \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  s.t.  $h^2 = g_j$

$$f(z) = (z - a_j) \cdot h^2$$

consider  $0 < \rho < r_j$ ,  $\gamma = a_j + \rho e^{i\theta}$

$\exists$  a germ  $\varphi_\gamma \in \mathcal{O}_\gamma$  s.t.  $\varphi_\gamma^2 = f$

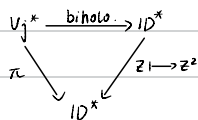
$$\varphi_\gamma(\xi) = \sqrt{f(\xi)} = \sqrt{\rho} e^{i\frac{\theta}{2}} h(\xi)$$

this function germ along the curve  $\gamma = a_j + \rho e^{i\theta}$

$0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ , then we obtain negative germ

$$U_j^* = U_j \setminus \{a_j\}, V_j^* = \pi^{-1}(U_j^*)$$

(I)  $V_j^*$  is connected  $\Rightarrow$  2-sheeted covering map



(II)  $V_j^*$  is not connected, split into two single-sheeted covering  
contradiction

$V_j^*$  is always connected  $\Rightarrow \pi^{-1}(a_j)$  contains only one point

(ii) suppose  $r > \max\{|a_1|, \dots, |a_n|\}$

$$U^* \triangleq \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| > r\}, U = U^* \cup \{\infty\} \cong \mathbb{D}$$

write  $f = z^n F$ ,  $F$  is holo and non-vanishing

(I)  $n$  is odd,  $f(z) = z \cdot h^2(z)$

(II)  $n$  is even,  $f(z) = h^2(z)$

for case (I), one point in  $Y$  over  $\infty$

case (II), two points in  $Y$  over  $\infty$

• Puiseux Expansion:

$\mathbb{C}\{\{z\}\}$  is field of all Laurent series with finite principal

part,  $\varphi(z) = \sum_{i=k}^{\infty} C_i z^i$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $C_i \in \mathbb{C}$

converging in  $\{0 < |z| < r\}$ ,  $r$  depend on  $\varphi$ .

$$\mathbb{C}\{\{z\}\} \cong M_0$$

Theorem:  $F(z, w) = w^n + a_1(z)w^{n-1} + \dots + a_n(z) \in \mathbb{C}\{\{z\}\}[w]$

irreducible. Then  $\exists$  Laurent series  $\varphi(\xi) = \sum_{i=k}^{\infty} C_i \xi^i$

s.t.  $F(\xi^n, \varphi(\xi)) = 0$

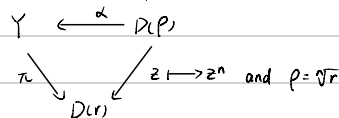
Pf: choose  $r$  small enough,  $a_i(z) \in M(\mathbb{D}(r))$

$F(z, w) \in M(\mathbb{D}(r))[w]$ , choose  $r$  small enough s.t.

$F(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}[w]$  has no multiple roots for each  $z$  in  $\mathbb{D}(r) \setminus \{0\}$

$(Y, \pi, f)$  is algebraic function defined by  $F(z, w)$

$\pi$  is  $n$ -sheeted proper holo.



So  $\pi_{0*}(\varphi) = \varphi^n$

and  $F(\pi_0, f) = 0$

$\Rightarrow F(\pi_{0*}, f_{0*}) = 0 \Rightarrow F(\varphi^n, \varphi(\varphi^n)) = 0$  for  $\varphi = f_{0*}$