

LAST TIME

Delzant theorem

$$\{\text{toric } 2n\text{-manifolds}\} \xleftrightarrow[-1]{-1} \{\text{Delzant polytopes in } \mathbb{R}^n\}$$

$$(M^{2n}, \omega, \mathbb{T}^n, \mu) \longmapsto \Delta = \mu(M)$$

Construction

$$\Delta \longrightarrow M_\Delta$$

polytope in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  w/  $d$  faces

$$\Delta = \{x \in (\mathbb{R}^n)^+ \mid \langle x, v_i \rangle \geq \lambda_i\}$$

$v_i \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  face vectors

Set  $\pi: \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$

$$e_i \mapsto v_i$$

std basis

Consider LES

$$H \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{T}^d \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathbb{T}^n \rightsquigarrow h \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{R}^d \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathbb{R}^n \longrightarrow (\mathbb{R}^n)^+ \xrightarrow{\pi^*} (\mathbb{R}^d)^+ \xrightarrow{i^*} h^+$$

ker  $\pi$ 
groups
LES of ab. Lie alg

Take

$$\mathbb{T}^d \curvearrowright G(\mathbb{C}^d, \omega_0) \xrightarrow{\varphi} (\mathbb{R}^d)^+$$

std action

std symplect form

$$(z_1, \dots, z_d) \mapsto (|z_1|^2 + \lambda_1, \dots, |z_d|^2 + \lambda_d)$$

For the sub-torus  $H \subset \mathbb{T}^d$ , this induces

$$H \curvearrowright G(\mathbb{C}^d, \omega_0) \xrightarrow{i^* \circ \varphi} h^+$$

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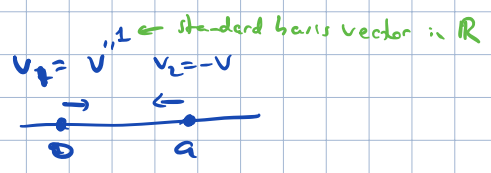
Construct  $M_\Delta := \mathbb{C}^d //_{\mathbb{H}} = \mu^{-1}(0) //_{\mathbb{H}}$

comes with action of  $\mathbb{T}^d //_{\mathbb{H}} = \mathbb{T}^n$ , with moment map  $\mu: M_\Delta \rightarrow \ker \pi^* = (\mathbb{R}^n)^+$

induced from  $\varphi$

claim:  $\mu(M_\Delta) = \Delta$ .

Ex:  $\Delta = [0, a] \subset \mathbb{R}^*$   
 $n=1, d=2$



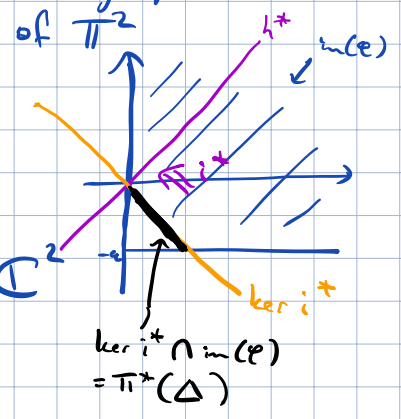
$\Delta = \langle x, v_1 \rangle \geq 0$   $v_1 = v$   
 $\langle x, v_2 \rangle \geq -a$   $v_2 = -v$

$\mathbb{T}^2 \ltimes \mathbb{C}^2 \xrightarrow{\varphi} (\mathbb{R}^2)^*$   
 $(z_1, z_2) \mapsto (|z_1|^2, |z_2|^2 - a)$

projection  $\pi: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
 $e_1 \mapsto -v$   
 $e_2 \mapsto v$

$\ker \pi = \text{span}(e_1, e_2)$  so,  $H =$  diagonal subgroup  $\{(\alpha, \alpha)\}$  of  $\mathbb{T}^2$

LES:  $0 \rightarrow H \xrightarrow{i} \mathbb{T}^2 \xrightarrow{\pi} \mathbb{S}^1 \rightarrow 0$   
 $0 \leftarrow h^* \xleftarrow{i^*} (\mathbb{R}^2)^* \xleftarrow{\pi^*} \mathbb{R}^* \leftarrow 0$   
 $x_1 + x_2 \xleftarrow{i^*} (x_1, x_2) \xleftarrow{\pi^*} y$



Action of diagonal subgroup  $H = \{(e^{2\pi i \theta}, e^{2\pi i \theta}) \in \mathbb{S}^1 \times \mathbb{S}^1\}$  on  $\mathbb{C}^2$

$(e^{2\pi i \theta}, e^{2\pi i \theta}) \cdot (z_1, z_2) = (e^{2\pi i \theta} z_1, e^{2\pi i \theta} z_2)$

has moment map  $(i^* \circ \varphi)(z_1, z_2) = |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 - a$

with zero-level set  $\mu_H^{-1}(0) = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 = a\}$

Thus,  $M_\Delta = \mu_H^{-1}(0) / H = \mathbb{C}P^1$  !

$\mu: M_\Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^*$  ?

$\mathbb{C}^2 \xrightarrow{\varphi} (\mathbb{R}^2)^*$   
 $(z_1, z_2) \mapsto (|z_1|^2, |z_2|^2 - a)$

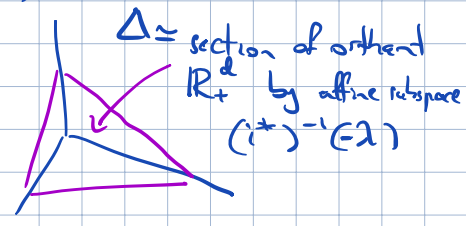
$\mathbb{C}P^1 = \{(z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 = a\} / H$   
 $\downarrow \mu = i^* \circ \varphi$   
 $\mathbb{R}^* \quad |z_1|^2$

so,  $\mu(\mathbb{C}P^1) = [0, a] = \Delta$ .

Rem Another description: use the moment map without  $\lambda$ -shifts

$\mathbb{C}^d \xrightarrow{\tilde{\varphi}} (\mathbb{R}^d)^* \xrightarrow{i^*} h^*$   
 $(z_1, \dots, z_d) \mapsto (|z_1|^2, \dots, |z_d|^2)$

Then:  $M_\Delta = \tilde{\mu}^{-1}(-\lambda) / H$   
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 symp. reduction at nonzero level



ASIDE

Q: Can one always do symp. reduction at nonzero level of moment map?

A: not generally, but:

Lemma

If  $G \curvearrowright (M, \omega) \xrightarrow{\mu} \mathfrak{g}^*$  Hamiltonian  $G$ -space,  $\mathcal{O} \subset \mathfrak{g}^*$  a coadjoint orbit

then, assuming  $G$  acts freely on  $\mu^{-1}(\mathcal{O})$ ,  $\mu^{-1}(\mathcal{O})/G$  is a smooth mfd with a natural symp. str. inherited from  $\omega$ .

Proof We have  $G \curvearrowright (M \times \mathcal{O}, \omega \times \omega_{\mathcal{O}}) \xrightarrow{(x, \xi) \mapsto \mu(x) + \xi} \mathfrak{g}^*$  - Ham. torus action on  $M \times \mathcal{O}$   
 Kirillov-Kostant symp. str. on  $\mathcal{O}$   
 $g \cdot (x, \xi) = (g \cdot x, \text{Ad}_g^*(\xi))$

Then:  $M \times \mathcal{O} //_G = \frac{\{(x, \xi) \in M \times \mathcal{O} \mid \mu(x) + \xi = 0, \xi \in \mathcal{O}\}}{G} \simeq \frac{\{x \in M \mid \mu(x) \in \mathcal{O}\}}{G}$   
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 symp. mfd by MWM thm. □

Corollary: Given  $\mathbb{T}^m \curvearrowright (M, \omega) \xrightarrow{\mu} (\mathbb{R}^m)^*$  a Ham.  $\mathbb{T}^m$ -space,  $\lambda \in (\mathbb{R}^m)^*$  any vector,

$\mu^{-1}(\lambda) //_{\mathbb{T}^m}$  is a symp. mfd (provided that action  $\mathbb{T}^m \curvearrowright \mu^{-1}(\lambda)$  is free).  
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 reduction at nonzero level.

symplectic

Homology of toric manifolds

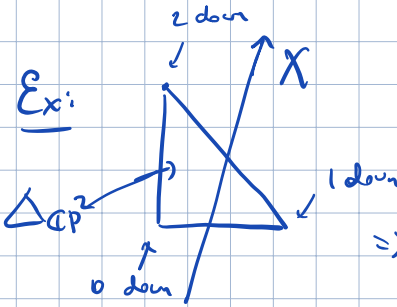
Thm: Let  $(M, \omega, T^n, \mu)$  be a symplectic toric mfd and let  $X \in \mathbb{R}^n$  a vector with components independent over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

Then:  $H_{2k+1}(M, \mathbb{Z}) = 0$ ,

$H_{2k}(M, \mathbb{Z}) = \mathbb{Z}^{r_k}$ ,  $r_k = \# \{ \text{vertices of } \Delta \text{ which have } k \text{ adjacent edges pointing down w.r.t. } X \}$

[proof - from - Morse theory: we have a Morse function  $\langle X, \mu \rangle$  with crit. points of even index only]

crit. pts. of  $\langle X, \mu \rangle$   
=  $T^n$ -fixed pts of  $M$ .



$\Rightarrow H_0 = \mathbb{Z}$   $H_1 = 0$   $H_2 = \mathbb{Z}$   $H_3 = 0$  - correct for  $\mathbb{C}P^2$

Corollary: Euler characteristic of  $M$   $\leftarrow$  symplectic form =  $\# \{ \text{vertices of } \Delta \}$

Symplectic blow-up

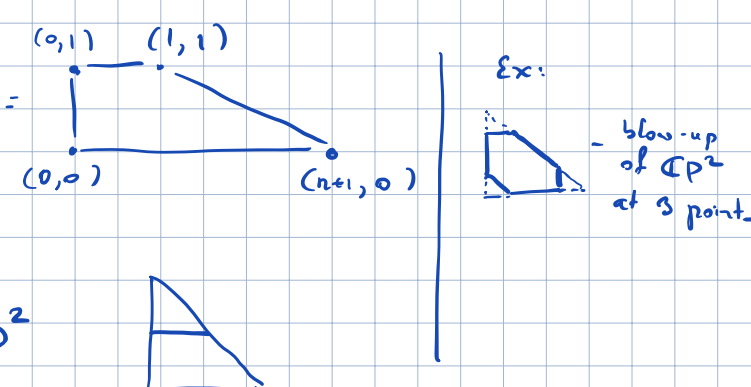
Let  $\Delta$  a Delzant polytope,  $p$ - vertex,  $u_1, \dots, u_n$  - edge vectors at  $p$ . (primitive)

$\Delta_{p, \epsilon} := \Delta$  with corner at  $p$  chopped off; vertex  $p$  is replaced by  $n$  new vertices  $p + \epsilon u_j$ ,  $j = 1 \dots n$ ,  $\epsilon > 0$



$\Delta_{p, \epsilon}$  is a new Delzant polytope  
corresp. toric manifold is the " $\epsilon$ -symplectic blow-up" of  $M_\Delta$ .

Ex for  $n=2$   
Hirzebruch surface = toric mfd with  $\mathcal{H}_n$



$\mathcal{H}_0 = M(\square) = \mathbb{C}P^1 \times \mathbb{C}P^1$

$\mathcal{H}_1 = M(\square_{\text{cut}}) = \text{symplectic blow-up of } \mathbb{C}P^2$

$$H_n = (\mathbb{C}^2 - \{0\}) \times (\mathbb{C}^2 - \{0\}) / \mathbb{C}^* \times \mathbb{C}^*$$

$$(\mathbb{C}^*)^2 \text{-action: } (\lambda, \mu) \cdot (z_0, z_1, w_0, w_1) = (\lambda z_0, \lambda z_1, \mu w_0, \lambda^{-n} \mu w_1)$$

$H_n$  is a  $\mathbb{C}P^1$ -bundle over  $\mathbb{C}P^2$

Symplectic blow-up (of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ , at origin)

Let  $\tau = \{([p], z) \mid p \in \mathbb{C}^n - \{0\}, z = \lambda p \text{ for some } \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^*\}$  - total bundle over  $\mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \downarrow \\ & & \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} & \rightarrow & [p] \end{array}$$

Total space  $\tau =$  "blow-up of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  at origin"

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \tau & & ([p], z) \\ \beta \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbb{C}^n & & z \end{array} \quad \text{"blow-down map"}$$

$$\tau = \underbrace{\{([p], 0) \mid p \in \mathbb{C}^n - \{0\}\}}_{E \cong \mathbb{C}P^{n-1} \text{ "exceptional divisor"}} \cup \underbrace{\{([p], z) \mid p \in \mathbb{C}^n - \{0\}, z = \lambda p \text{ for some } \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^*\}}_{S \cong \mathbb{C}^n - \{0\}}$$

$\tau =$  "smooth replacement of 0 in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  by  $\mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$ "

• a "blow-up symplectic form" on  $\tau$  is a  $U(n)$ -invariant symp. form  $\omega$  on  $\tau$  s.t.  $\omega - \beta^* \omega_0$  is compactly supported.   
std. sym. form on  $\mathbb{C}^n$

• two blow-up symp. forms  $\omega_1, \omega_2$  on  $\tau$  are "equivalent" iff  $\omega_1 = \Phi^* \omega_2$  for  $\Phi: \tau \rightarrow \tau$  some  $U(n)$ -equivan. diffeo.

Lemma (Guillemin-Sternberg) two blow-up symp. forms  $\omega_1, \omega_2$  are equivalent iff

$$\omega_1|_E = \omega_2|_E$$

$\epsilon$ -Symplectic blow-up of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  at 0 =  $(\tau, \omega)$

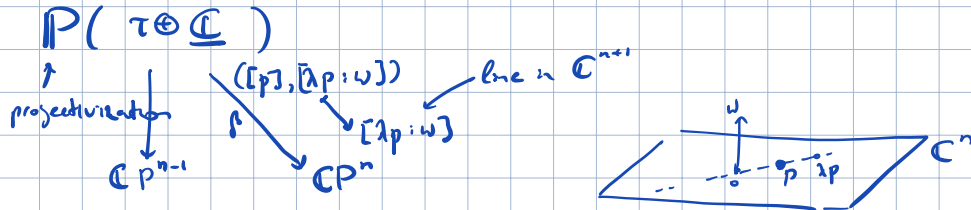
any blow-up symp. form s.t.  $\omega|_E = \epsilon \cdot \omega_{FS}$    
Fubini-Study 2-form on  $\mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$

For  $(M, \omega)$  a symplectic manifold,  $q \in M$  a point,

one has a chart (by Darboux thm)  $(U, z_1, \dots, z_n)$  s.t.  $\omega|_U = \frac{i}{2} \sum_k dz_k \wedge d\bar{z}_k$

- can perform  $\varepsilon$ -blow-up of  $M$  at  $q$  modeled on  $\mathbb{C}^n$  at 0, without changing  $\omega$  outside of a small nbhd of  $q$ .

Example



$$\bullet \beta^{-1}([0: \dots : 0: 1]) = \underbrace{\{[p], [0: \dots : 0: 1]\}}_{E \text{ - exceptional divisor}} \simeq \mathbb{C}P^{n-1}$$

$\bullet \beta$  is a diffeo on the complement  $S = \{([p], [\lambda p: w]) \mid [p] \in \mathbb{C}P^{n-1}, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}^*, w \in \mathbb{C}\} \simeq \mathbb{C}P^n \setminus \{[0: \dots : 0: 1]\}$

Thus:  $P(T^*\mathbb{C}P^n)$  is the blow-up of  $\mathbb{C}P^n$  at a point  $[0: \dots : 0: 1]$ ;  $\beta$ -blow-down map.

For  $n=2$ , this is first Hirzebruch surface  $H_2$ .