

5. AH Einstein metrics

5.1 AH Einstein equation

$$\text{Einstein} \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} R_{ij} = \lambda g_{ij}, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$$

If g is AH, then

$$R_{ijkl} \rightarrow - \left(g_{ik} g_{jl} - g_{il} g_{jk} \right) \text{ at } \partial X$$

$$\therefore R_{ij} = R_{Ri}{}^k{}_j$$

$$\rightarrow - \left(g_{R}{}^k g_{ij} - g_{Rj} g_i{}^k \right)$$

$$= - \left(\delta_{R}{}^k g_{ij} - g_{Rj} \delta_i{}^k \right)$$

$$= - \left((n+1) g_{ij} - g_{ij} \right)$$

$$= - n g_{ij}.$$

Hence λ is forced to be $\lambda = -n$.

Prob 5.1

Given \bar{X} and a conf class $[h]$
on ∂X ,

$\exists?$ g AH metric on X

s.t.

(i) $R_{ij} = -n g_{ij}$.

(ii) conf infinity = $[h]$.

Features:

(I) Nonlinearity

$Ric(g)$ nonlinear

Even if $g = g_{ref} + u$,

$Ric(g_{ref} + u)$ is nonlinear in u .

$$Ric \leftarrow R_{ij}{}^k{}_l = X_i \Gamma^k{}_{jl} - X_j \Gamma^k{}_{il} \\ + \underbrace{\Gamma^k{}_{ip} \Gamma^p{}_{jl} - \Gamma^k{}_{jp} \Gamma^p{}_{il}}_{\text{Nonlinearity}}$$

Use linearized problem, Banach sp implicit function theorem (, continuity method, ...)

Lem 5.2 (implicit function theorem)

B_1, B_2, B Banach spaces

$U_1 \times U_2 \subset B_1 \times B_2$ open nbhd of $(0,0)$

$F: U_1 \times U_2 \rightarrow B$ continuously
Fréchet differentiable

Suppose

(i) $F(0,0) = 0$.

(ii) $(dF)_{(0,0)}(0, \cdot): B_2 \rightarrow B$ isomorphism

$\Rightarrow (0,0) \in \exists W_1 \times \exists W_2 \subset U_1 \times U_2$
open

$\exists f: W_1 \rightarrow W_2$ cont F differentiable

s.t. $F(x,y) = 0 \iff y = f(x)$

for $x \in W_1, y \in W_2$.

(II) Non-unique nature

$$\text{Ric}(g) = -u g$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Ric}(\varphi^* g) = -u \varphi^* g$$

for $\varphi: X \rightarrow X$ diffeo.

$$\text{(infinitesimally, } (d\text{Ric})_g(\mathcal{L}_\xi g) = -u \mathcal{L}_\xi g$$

$(d\text{Ric})_g \mp u$ has inevitably nontrivial kernel (even in C_0^∞ !). Doesn't proceed as § 2.

DeTurck trick of gauge fixing.

5.2 Gauge-fixing condition

Choices:

- ① Harmonic coordinates;
or, assume $(X, g) \xrightarrow{\text{identity}} (X, g_{\text{ref}})$
is a harmonic map.

(Graham-Lee 1991, Lee 2006)

- ② "Bianchi gauge" (Biquard 2000)

$$g = g_{\text{ref}} + u$$

$$B_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) := \underbrace{\delta_{g_{\text{ref}}} u} + \frac{1}{2} d \pi_{g_{\text{ref}}} u = 0$$

$$\left((\delta_{g_{\text{ref}}} u)_i := -(\nabla^{g_{\text{ref}}} j^i u_{ij}) \right)$$

Cor 1.7 : $B_g(\text{Ric}(g)) = 0$

- ③ Fefferman - Graham gauge (1985)
 Works better for explicit
 computation of approx solution
 (see Graham - Lee 2005)

Consider

$$\begin{cases} \text{Ric}(g_{\text{ref}} + u) = -n(g_{\text{ref}} + u) \\ B_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0 \end{cases} \quad (5.1)$$

(5.1) implies

$$\Phi_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) := \text{Ric}(g_{\text{ref}} + u) + n(g_{\text{ref}} + u)$$

$$(\delta^* \alpha)_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} (\nabla_i \alpha_j + \nabla_j \alpha_i) + \delta_{g_{\text{ref}} + u}^* B_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0.$$

Prop 5.3 g-ref AH

$u \in C_{\delta}^{2,0}(X, \text{Sym}^2 T^*X)$ for some $\delta > 0$,

$$\Phi_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0, \quad \text{Ric}(g_{\text{ref}} + u) < 0$$

(eigenvalues wrt $g_{\text{ref}} + u$ are negative)

$\Rightarrow u$ satisfies (5.1).

[Proof] ~~may assume $\delta < \epsilon$.~~

$$\Phi_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{linear in } u \\ \uparrow \\ \text{geom ell LDO} \\ \text{(Lem 5.4)} \end{array} \right) + \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{quadratic} \\ \text{or more} \\ \text{in } u \end{array} \right)$$

\cap
 $C_{\delta}^{1,0}$

By Cor 3.9, $\Phi_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0 \Rightarrow u \in C_{\delta}^{m,\alpha}$.
($\forall m \forall \alpha$)

$$\Phi_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0$$

$$\text{Ric}(g_{\text{ref}} + u) + n(g_{\text{ref}} + u) + \delta_{g_{\text{ref}} + u}^{\dagger} B_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u) = 0.$$

Apply $B_{g_{\text{ref}} + u}$.

$$\left(\delta_{g_{\text{ref}} + u} + \frac{1}{2} d \text{Tr}_{g_{\text{ref}} + u} \right) \delta_{g_{\text{ref}} + u}^{\dagger} \underbrace{B_{g_{\text{ref}}}(u)}_{\substack{= 0 \\ \vdots \\ \delta}}$$

Let $\nabla = \nabla_{g_{\text{ref}}}$ L-C.

$$-\nabla^j \left(\frac{1}{2} (\nabla_i \gamma_j + \nabla_j \gamma_i) \right) + \frac{1}{2} \nabla_i \nabla^j \gamma_j = 0$$

$$\underbrace{-\nabla^j \nabla_i \gamma_j}_{\nearrow} - \nabla^j \nabla_j \gamma_i + \underbrace{\nabla_i \nabla^j \gamma_j}_{\leftarrow} = 0$$

$$R_i{}^j{}_{j^k} \gamma_k = -R_i{}^k \gamma_k$$

$$-\nabla^j \nabla_j \gamma_i - \underbrace{R_i{}^j} \gamma_j = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\Delta |Y|^2 &= -\nabla^* \nabla \langle Y, Y \rangle \\
&= -2 \langle \nabla^* \nabla Y, Y \rangle + \underbrace{2 \langle \nabla Y, \nabla Y \rangle}_0 \\
&\geq -2 \langle \underbrace{\nabla^* \nabla Y}_0, Y \rangle \\
&\quad - \nabla^i \nabla_j Y_i \\
&\geq -2 \langle R_i^j Y_j, Y_i \rangle \geq 0.
\end{aligned}$$

$|Y|^2$ subharmonic. $|Y|^2 \equiv 0$ by

maximum principle. □

5.3 Linearization of Φ , coercivity estimate.

Lem 5.4

Lichnerowicz
Laplacian

$$(d\Phi_g)_0(u) = \frac{1}{2} \Delta_L u + uu$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\begin{array}{c} \nabla^* \nabla u \\ -\nabla^k \nabla_k u_{ij} \end{array} - 2\tilde{R}u + 2\tilde{\text{Ric}}u \right) + uu$$

where $(\tilde{R}u)_{ij} := R_i^k j^l u_{kl}$

$$(\tilde{\text{Ric}}u)_{ij} := \frac{1}{2} (R_i^k u_{jk} + R_j^k u_{ik})$$

$$P := (d\Phi_g)_0 : \Gamma(\text{Sym}^2 T^*X) \rightarrow \Gamma(\text{Sym}^2 T^*X)$$

Cor 5.5

(1) If g satisfies $\text{Ric} = -ug$,
then

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \nabla^* \nabla - \tilde{R}.$$

(2) If g has negative sect curvature,
moreover

$$\text{then } \ker_{L^2} P = \ker(P: H^2 \rightarrow L^2) \\ = 0.$$

Prop 5.6 On \mathbb{H}^{n+1} ,

$$(u, Pu) \geq C \|u\|^2, \quad u \in C_0^\infty.$$

[Proof]

① If u is trace-free,

$$2Pu = \underset{\uparrow}{D^* D} u - \tilde{R}u + uu$$

cov exterior derivative for
 $T\mathbb{H}^{n+1}$ -valued diff forms

$$\begin{aligned}
- (\tilde{R}u, u) &= - \int R_{ikjl} u^{ij} u^{kl} dV \\
&= \int (g_{ij} g_{kl} - g_{il} g_{jk}) u^{ij} u^{kl} dV \\
&= \int (0 - |u|^2) dV \\
&= - \|u\|^2.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (u, Pu) \geq \frac{n-1}{2} \|u\|^2.$$

② If $u_{ij} = f g_{ij}$, then

$$Pu = \frac{1}{2} (-\Delta + 2n) f \cdot g_{ij}$$

$$\therefore (u, Pu) \geq n \|u\|^2. \quad \square$$

5.4 Characteristic roots & approx solution

On the upper-half sp model of \mathbb{H}^{n+1} ,

$$(Pu)_{00} = - (x\partial_x)^2 u_{00} + n x\partial_x u_{00} + 2u_{00} + O(x)$$

$$(Pu)_{0a} = - (x\partial_x)^2 u_{0a} + n x\partial_x u_{0a} + (n+1)u_{0a} + O(x)$$

$$(Pu)_{ab} = - (x\partial_x)^2 u_{ab} + n x\partial_x u_{ab} + 2(\text{tr } u_{ab})\delta_{ab} + O(x)$$

The last component decomposes:

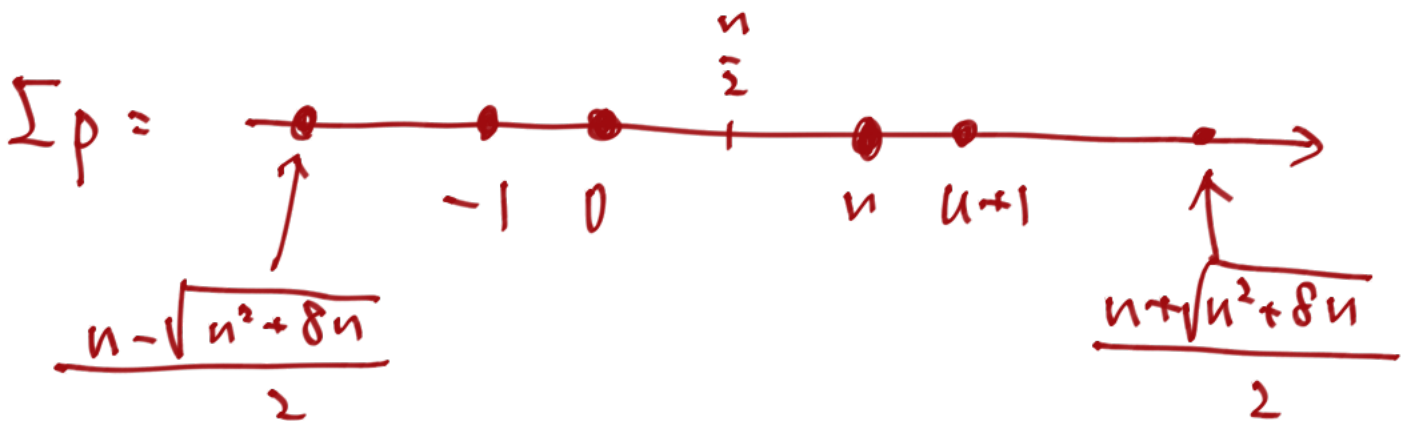
$$(\text{tf } Pu)_{ab} = - (x\partial_x)^2 (\text{tf } u_{ab}) + n x\partial_x (\text{tf } u_{ab}) + O(x),$$

$$\text{tr } (Pu)_{ab} = - (x\partial_x)^2 (\text{tr } u_{ab}) + n x\partial_x (\text{tr } u_{ab}) + 2n (\text{tr } u_{ab}) + O(x).$$

So

Prop 5.7

$$\Gamma_p(s) = \text{diag} \left(-s^2 + ns + 2n, -s^2 + ns + (n+1), \right. \\ \left. -s^2 + ns, -s^2 + ns + 2n \right).$$



This computation also shows:

If $u, v \in \Gamma(\text{Sym}^2 T^*\mathbb{H}^{n+1})$ are smooth
on $[0, \infty) \times \mathbb{R}^n$, $u = O(x)$, $v = O(x^k)$,
 $k \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_{g_{\mathbb{H}^{n+1}}}(u+v)_{00} &= \Phi_{g_{\mathbb{H}^{n+1}}}(u)_{00} \\ &\quad + (-k^2 + nk + 2n)v_{00} \\ &\quad + O(x^{k+1}) \end{aligned}$$

This remains true for any sec AH space (X, g) , with $x \rightarrow \rho$ baf.

Cor 5.8

$\forall (X, g_0)$ sec AH

$\exists u$ smooth on \bar{X} , $u = O(\rho)$,

$$\bar{\Phi}_{g_0}(u) = O(\rho^n).$$

5.5 Einstein deformation

Thm 5.9 (Graham-Lee 1991,
Biquard 2000, Lee 2006)

(X, g_0) AH Einstein, $[h_0]$ conf inf

Suppose $\ker_{L^2} P = 0$ on (X, g_0) .

$\Rightarrow \forall m \geq 2, 0 < \forall \alpha < 1$

$\forall h$ (smooth) metric on ∂X
sufficiently close to h_0
in $C^{m, \alpha}$ topology

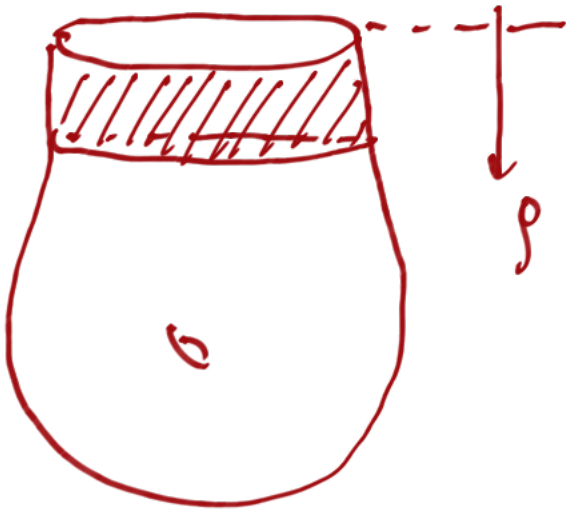
$\exists g$ AH Einstein
with conf infinity $[h]$

[Proof] Let $g_0 \in g_0^{\text{see}} + C_{\delta}^{m', \alpha'}(\forall_{m', \alpha'})$
 $\delta > 0$

Consider

$h_0 \in U_1 \subset \{ C^{m,\alpha} \text{ metrics on } \partial X \}$

$0 \in U_2 \subset C_{\delta_1}^{m,\alpha} (X, \text{Sym}^2 T^*X)$
 $\delta_1 = \min(\delta, 1)$



Take a ball ρ
 s.t. $(\rho^2 g)|_{T\partial X} = h_0$.

Take a collar nbhd of ∂X s.t.

$$g_0^{scc} = \frac{d\rho^2 + h_0}{\rho^2} + O(\rho)$$

Let $g_h = g_0 + \frac{h - h_0}{\rho^2}$ for $h \in U_1$.
 (extend to X)

Then $\Phi_{g_h}(0) \in C_{\delta_1}^{m-2,\alpha}$. $(\rho^2 g_h)|_{\partial X} = h$.
 $\delta_1 = \min(\delta, 1)$

$$Q: U_1 \times U_2 \longrightarrow C_{\delta_1}^{m-2, \alpha}$$

$$Q(h, u) := \Phi_{g_h}(u).$$

Then

$$Q(h_0, 0) = \underbrace{\Phi_{g_{h_0}}(0)}_{g_0} = 0$$

$$(dQ)_{(h_0, 0)}(0, \cdot) : C_{\delta_1}^{m, \alpha} \longrightarrow C_{\delta_1}^{m-2, \alpha}$$

$$\stackrel{''}{=} (d\bar{\Phi}_{g_0})_0 = P_{g_0}$$

By Thm 3.2, Prop 5.6, Prop 5.7,
and $\ker_{C^2} P_{g_0} = 0$, this is an isomorphism.

By Lem 5.2, after shrinking U_1, U_2
if necessary,

$$\exists f: U_1 \longrightarrow U_2 \text{ s.t.}$$

$$Q(h, f(h)) = \Phi_{g_h}(f(h)) = 0.$$

By Prop. 5.3, $g_h + f(h)$ is Einstein (construction of g_h should be carefully done so that $\text{Ric}(g_h) < 0$ and hence $\text{Ric}(g_h + f(h)) \neq 0$).

When h is smooth, the added term $f(h)$ is $\in C_{\delta_1}^{m', \alpha'} (\forall m', \forall \alpha')$ (cf. proof of Prop 5.3). \square