

A Computational Tool for Line Bundle Cohomology

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Motivation: Why line bundle cohomology?

In the context of toric geometry line bundles are appearing all over:

- Description of the **tangent bundle**:

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X^{\oplus r} \xrightarrow{\alpha} \bigoplus_{i=1}^n \mathcal{O}_X(D_i) \xrightarrow{\beta} T_X \longrightarrow 0$$

- **Monad** and **extension bundle** constructions:

$$0 \longrightarrow V \xrightarrow{f} \bigoplus_{i=1}^{r_B} \mathcal{O}_X(b_i) \xrightarrow{g} \bigoplus_{i=1}^{r_C} \mathcal{O}_X(c_i) \longrightarrow 0$$

$$0 \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{i=1}^{r_A} \mathcal{O}_X(a_i) \xrightarrow{f} W \xrightarrow{g} \bigoplus_{i=1}^{r_C} \mathcal{O}_X(c_i) \longrightarrow 0$$

- **Koszul sequence** for subspaces:

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D) \hookrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \twoheadrightarrow \mathcal{O}_D \longrightarrow 0$$

Motivation: Why line bundle cohomology?

From those short exact sequences one considers the **induced long exact sequences** of the sheaf cohomology:

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X^{\oplus r} \hookrightarrow \bigoplus_{k=1}^n \mathcal{O}_X(D_k) \twoheadrightarrow \mathcal{T}_X \longrightarrow 0$$

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$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 \longrightarrow & H^0(X; \mathcal{O}_X)^{\oplus r} & \longrightarrow & \bigoplus_{k=1}^n H^0(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D_k)) & \longrightarrow & H^0(X; \mathcal{T}_X) & \longrightarrow \dots \\ & & & & & & \searrow \\ & & & & & & H^1(X; \mathcal{O}_X)^{\oplus r} & \longrightarrow & \bigoplus_{k=1}^n H^1(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D_k)) & \longrightarrow & H^1(X; \mathcal{T}_X) & \longrightarrow \dots \\ & & & & & & & & & & & \searrow \\ & & & & & & & & & & & H^2(X; \mathcal{O}_X)^{\oplus r} & \longrightarrow & \bigoplus_{k=1}^n H^2(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D_k)) & \longrightarrow & H^2(X; \mathcal{T}_X) & \longrightarrow \dots \end{array}$$

Description of the algorithm

Ultimately, we are interested in **computing** $\dim H^i(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D))$.

Setting:

- X toric variety
- homogeneous coordinates
 $H = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$
- Stanley-Reisner ideal
 $\text{SR} = \langle \mathcal{S}_1, \dots, \mathcal{S}_N \rangle$

| | coords | GLSM charges | | divisor class |
|--|--------|--------------|-------|---------------|
| | | Q^1 | Q^2 | |
| | x_1 | 1 | 0 | H |
| | x_2 | 1 | 0 | H |
| | x_3 | 1 | 1 | $H + X$ |
| | x_4 | 0 | 1 | X |

Take a **squarefree monomial** $Q = x_{i_1} \cdots x_{i_k}$ of the coordinates H .

Basic idea: Count rational functions of the form

$$R^Q(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \frac{\overbrace{T(x_{j_1}, \dots, x_{j_{n-k}})}^{\text{complement coordinates } H \setminus Q}}{\underbrace{x_{i_1} \cdots x_{i_k}}_Q \cdot \underbrace{W(x_{i_1}, \dots, x_{i_k})}_{\text{coordinates in } Q}}$$

T, W monomials

Description of the algorithm

Due to a surprising **vanishing result** it actually suffices to consider a restricted number of rational function:

$$\rightsquigarrow \boxed{\mathcal{N}_D(Q) := \dim \{R^Q : \deg R^Q = D\}} \quad Q = \text{union of squarefree SR ideal generators}$$

Q: To which cohomology group H^i does this number contribute?

Need to trace back how often the same union of SR ideal generators arises.

$$S_\alpha^k := \{\mathcal{S}_{\alpha_1}, \dots, \mathcal{S}_{\alpha_k}\} \subset \text{SR} \quad \text{set of } k \text{ SR generators}$$

Let $Q(S_\alpha^k)$ be the squarefree monomial from the union of those generators.

$$\begin{array}{c} \#(\text{unified SR generators}) \\ N(S_\alpha^k) := \underbrace{|Q(S_\alpha^k)|}_{\#(\text{individual coordinates in the union})} - \underbrace{k} \end{array}$$

\rightsquigarrow Gives a measure for the **multiplicity of coordinates in different SR generators**, from which the union $Q(S_\alpha^k)$ arises

(working through the powerset of SR generators)

Description of the algorithm

Note that $N(S_\alpha^k) \in \{-N, \dots, n\}$, where $\begin{cases} N & \text{number of SR gens} \\ n & \text{number of coords.} \end{cases}$

Count the number of combinations of SR generators yielding the same monomial and multiplicity measure:

$$\dim \mathfrak{C}^i(\mathcal{Q}) := \# \left\{ S_\alpha^k \subset \text{SR} : \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{Q}(S_\alpha^k) = \mathcal{Q} \\ N(S_\alpha^k) = i \end{array} \right\}$$

Consider then the **cohomology** $\mathfrak{h}^i(\mathcal{Q})$ of the sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathfrak{C}^{-N} \longrightarrow \mathfrak{C}^{-N+1} \longrightarrow \dots \longrightarrow \mathfrak{C}^n \longrightarrow 0$$

In most cases those multiplicity factors will either be 0 or 1.

(In precise mathematical terms this sequence corresponds to a subcomplex of the full Taylor resolution of the Stanley-Reisner ring $\mathbb{C}[H]/\text{SR}$, which defines the mappings $\mathfrak{C}^i \longrightarrow \mathfrak{C}^{i+1}$.)

Dimension of line bundle sheaf cohomology

$$\dim H^i(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D)) = \sum_{\mathcal{Q}} \underbrace{\mathfrak{h}^i(\mathcal{Q})}_{\text{multiplicity factor}} \cdot \overbrace{\mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q})}^{\#(\text{rational functions})}$$

where the sum ranges over unions of SR generators

- 1 Determine all monomials \mathcal{Q} from unions of SR gens.
 - 2 For each such \mathcal{Q} compute the corresponding numbers of SR gen. combinations $\dim \mathfrak{E}^i(\mathcal{Q})$
 - 3 From those determine the multiplicity factors $\mathfrak{h}^i(\mathcal{Q})$
 - 4 For each \mathcal{Q} where $\mathfrak{h}^i(\mathcal{Q}) \neq 0$ count the number of rational functions $\mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q})$.
 - 5 Sum over all relevant contributions $\mathfrak{h}^i(\mathcal{Q}) \cdot \mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q})$.
- $\rightsquigarrow \dim H^i(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D))$

Example: del-Pezzo-3 surface

| | GLSM charges | | | | divisor class |
|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|------------------|
| | Q^1 | Q^2 | Q^3 | Q^4 | |
| x_1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | $H + Z$ |
| x_2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | $H + Y$ |
| x_3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | $H + X$ |
| x_4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | X |
| x_5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Y |
| x_6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Z |

$$\text{SR}(dP_3) = \langle x_1x_2, x_1x_3, x_1x_6, x_2x_3, \\ x_2x_5, x_3x_4, x_4x_5, x_4x_6, x_5x_6 \rangle$$

Consider the monomial $Q = x_1x_2x_3$:

$$\{x_1x_2, x_1x_3\} \quad N = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$\{x_1x_2, x_2x_3\} \quad N = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$\{x_1x_3, x_2x_3\} \quad N = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$\{x_1x_2, x_1x_3, x_2x_3\} \quad N = 3 - 3 = 0$$

Yields the sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathfrak{e}^0 = \mathbb{C} \longrightarrow \mathfrak{e}^1 = \mathbb{C}^3 \longrightarrow 0$$

which leads to

$$\mathfrak{h}^1(Q) = \mathfrak{h}^1(x_1x_2x_3) = 2.$$

In total one finds:

- 46 monomials $Q(S_\alpha^k)$ arise from unions of SR gens
- 34 monomials thereof have $\mathfrak{h}^i(Q(S_\alpha^k)) \neq 0$ for some i

Example: del-Pezzo-3 surface

For the monomial $\mathcal{Q} = x_1x_2x_3$ we now have to count rational functions of the form:

$$R^{\mathcal{Q}}(x_1, \dots, x_6) = \frac{T(x_4, x_5, x_6)}{x_1x_2x_3 \cdot W(x_1, x_2, x_3)}, \quad T, W \text{ monomials}$$

Let $\|x_i\| \in \mathbb{N}$ denote the exponent of the corresponding coordinate.

$$\begin{aligned} \deg R^{\mathcal{Q}} = & \left(-\|x_1\| - \|x_2\| - \|x_3\| - 3, \right. \\ & \|x_4\| - \|x_3\| - 1, \\ & \|x_5\| - \|x_2\| - 1, \\ & \left. \|x_6\| - \|x_1\| - 1 \right) \end{aligned}$$

For $D = -4H = (-4, 0, 0, 0)$ we find the following solutions:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q}) &= \dim\{R^{\mathcal{Q}} : \deg R^{\mathcal{Q}} = -4H\} \\ &= \# \left\{ \frac{x_4x_5x_6^2}{x_1x_2x_3 \cdot x_1}, \frac{x_4x_5^2x_6}{x_1x_2x_3 \cdot x_2}, \frac{x_4^2x_5x_6}{x_1x_2x_3 \cdot x_4} \right\} = 3 \end{aligned}$$

Example: del-Pezzo-3 surface

Then due to $\overbrace{h^1(\mathcal{Q}) = 2}^{\text{multiplicity}}$ and $\overbrace{\mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q}) = 3}^{\text{rational functions}}$ the contribution of the squarefree monomial $\mathcal{Q} = x_1x_2x_3$ to the cohomology $H^i(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D))$ is:

$$h^i(\mathcal{Q}) \cdot \mathcal{N}_D(\mathcal{Q}) \rightsquigarrow \begin{cases} 0 \cdot 3 = 0 \text{ to } \dim H^0(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D)) \\ 2 \cdot 3 = 6 \text{ to } \dim H^1(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D)) \\ 0 \cdot 3 = 0 \text{ to } \dim H^2(X; \mathcal{O}_X(D)) \end{cases}$$

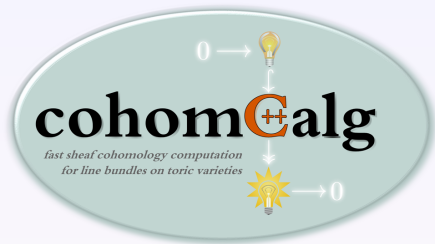
If one computes all other squarefree monomials $\mathcal{Q}(S_\alpha^k)$ arising from unions of SR generators in this fashion, one arrives at the result

$$\dim H^\bullet(X; \mathcal{O}_X(-4H)) = (0, 15, 0).$$

Note: This procedure is **completely algorithmic**, no specific “tricks” particular to the geometry are required!

Implementation: cohomCalg

You do not have to do this by hand!



↪ high-speed, cross-platform
C++ implementation **cohomCalg**

- Windows / Mac / Linux
- open source, GPLv3

Input file for dP_3 example

```
% The vertices and GLSM charges:  
vertex x1 | GLSM: ( 1, 0, 0, 1 );  
vertex x2 | GLSM: ( 1, 0, 1, 0 );  
vertex x3 | GLSM: ( 1, 1, 0, 0 );  
vertex x4 | GLSM: ( 0, 1, 0, 0 );  
vertex x5 | GLSM: ( 0, 0, 1, 0 );  
vertex x6 | GLSM: ( 0, 0, 0, 1 );  
  
% The Stanley-Reisner ideal:  
srideal [u1*u2, u1*u3, u1*u6,  
u2*u3, u2*u5, u3*u4,  
u4*u5, u4*u6, u5*u6];  
  
% And finally the requested  
% line bundle cohomologies:  
ambientcohom 0(-4, 0, 0,0);
```


Implementation: cohomCalc

Command line: `cohomcalc dP3.in > dP3.out`

Output file for dP_3 example

```
(...preamble...)  
  
Cohomology dimensions:  
=====  
dim  $H^i(A; \mathbb{Q}(-4, 0, 0, 0)) = (0, 15, 0)$ 
```

The package including a full documentation, source, etc. is available at

<http://wwwth.mppmu.mpg.de...> or just  for **cohomCalc**
[.../members/blumenha/cohomcalc/](http://www.wwwth.mppmu.mpg.de/~blumenha/cohomcalc/)

Outlook: Consider equivariant cohomology.

↪ “Cohomology of Line Bundles - Applications” ...*work in progress*...