

### PROBLEM SET 3

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- (1) (a) Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}^n$  be a smoothly bounded domain, and  $\rho, r$  be two defining functions for  $\Omega$ . Show that there is a smooth positive function  $h$  near  $\partial\Omega$  such that  $\rho = hr$ .  
(b) Show that if the Levi form is positive definite with respect to  $\rho$  then it is positive definite with respect to  $r$  also.
- (2) Show that the unit ball  $\{|z_1|^2 + \cdots + |z_n|^2 < 1\}$  in  $\mathbb{C}^n$  is strongly pseudoconvex by computing its Levi-form.
- (3) Let  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{C}^n$  be a domain. Show that  $\Omega$  is pseudoconvex if and only if for all  $p \in \mathbb{C}^n$ , there exists a neighbourhood  $U$  of  $p$  such that  $U \cap \Omega$  is pseudoconvex.
- (4) Show that  $H_p(\partial\Omega) = T_{\partial\Omega, p} \cap J(T_{\partial\Omega, p})$
- (5) Let  $X$  be a complex manifold,  $L \rightarrow X$  holomorphic line bundle, with metric  $h$ . The dual bundle  $L^* \rightarrow X$  has dual metric  $h^*$ .

$$D(h^*) = \{\alpha \in L^* : h^*(\alpha, \alpha) < 1\} \subset L^*.$$

Show the  $D(h^*)$  is pseudoconvex if and only if  $\Theta(h)$  is positive  $(1, 1)$ -form.

- (6) The line bundle  $\mathbb{U} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_n$  has the following metric : If  $v \in \mathbb{U}_l = l$  then  $h(v, v) = |v|^2$ , where  $\|\cdot\|^2$  is the Euclidean square-norm.
  - (a) Show that a neighbourhood of the boundary of  $D(h^*)$  in  $\mathbb{U}$  is biholomorphic to a neighbourhood of the unit sphere in  $\mathbb{C}^{n+1}$ .
  - (b) What is the curvature of the dual metric  $h$  for  $\mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_n$ ?