

## 64. Logarithmic Deformations of Holomorphic Maps and Equisingular Displacements of Surfaces with Ordinary Singularities<sup>\*)</sup>

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**Introduction.** In this paper we shall give a definition of logarithmic deformations of holomorphic maps and prove the existence of the semi-universal family. If the map we consider is non-degenerate, this family turns out to be universal. The concept of logarithmic deformations of holomorphic maps is stimulated by Y. Kawamata's paper [3].

As a by-product we shall obtain another proof of the existence of the universal family of equisingular displacements of surfaces with ordinary singularities, which has been already proved by M. Namba [6]. Following Y. Kawamata, we use the terminology "equisingular" in the sense that they admit a simultaneous *embedded* resolution. Our result cannot cover K. Kodaira's existence theorem [4]. However, in case that the ambient threefold  $W$  satisfies the condition  $H^2(W, \mathcal{O}_W) = 0$ , our theorem includes it.

Our method is expected to be useful for the proof of the higher dimensional analogue of the equisingular displacements of complex spaces with "ordinary singularities".

**§ 1. Logarithmic deformations of holomorphic maps.** Let  $X$  be a compact complex manifold,  $C$  an analytic subset of  $X$  of simple normal crossing, and  $f$  a holomorphic map of  $X$  into a complex manifold  $Y$ .

**Definition 1.** By a family of logarithmic deformations of  $(X, C, f)$ , we mean a 6-tuple  $(\mathcal{X}, \mathcal{C}, \Phi, \pi, o, T)$  satisfying the following:

- (1)  $(\mathcal{X}_o, \mathcal{C}_o, \Phi_o) = (X, C, f)$  and  $o \in T$ ,
- (2)  $(\mathcal{X} - \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{X}, \mathcal{C}, \pi, o, T)$  is a family of logarithmic deformations of  $(X - C, X, C)$  (cf. [3]),
- (3)  $(\mathcal{X}, \Phi, \pi, T)$  is a family of holomorphic maps into  $Y$  (cf. [5]).

We define the concepts of equivalence and completeness of families of logarithmic deformations of holomorphic maps into  $Y$  as in [3] and [5].

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