# THE LIFTED FUTAKI INVARIANTS AND THE SPINC-DIRAC OPERATORS

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#### 1. Introduction

The Futaki invariant f which is a Lie algebra homomorphism (cf. [6]) is naturally lifted to a Lie group homomorphism F by virtue of the result in [10]. In [11], we obtained a formula to calculate  $2^{n+1}F$  and showed that F can be non-trivial even when no nonzero holomorphic vector field exists. Our purpose in this paper is to refine the formula in [11] so that we can calculate F itself (Theorem 2.10). When M is a Kähler surface with  $c_1(M) > 0$ , the group of holomorphic automorphisms of M (for generic complex structures) are classified (cf. [14]) and, using Theorem 2.10 and the results in [18], [19], we can show that F vanishes if and only if M admits a Kähler-Einstein metric (Theorem 3.6). Moreover we show that F vanishes for some Kähler manifolds which are shown recently to admit a Kähler-Einstein metric (cf. [16]). Futaki conjectured that F as well as f is an obstruction to the existence of Kähler-Einstein metrics on a compact Kähler manifold with  $c_1(M) > 0$ . We might take the results obtained in this paper to encourage the Futaki's conjecture.

Now let M be a compact n-dimensional complex manifold. A Kähler metric h is called a Kähler-Einstein (which is abbreviated to K-E hereafter) metric if there exists a real constant k such that

$$\rho(h) = k\omega(h)$$

where  $\rho(h)$  is the Ricci form of h and  $\omega(h)$  is the fundamental 2-form of h. Note that the first Chern class  $c_1(M)$  has a definite sign (namely,  $c_1(M) > 0$ ,  $c_1(M) = 0$  or  $c_1(M) < 0$  according to k > 0, k = 0 or k < 0) if M admits a K-E metric because  $c_1(M)$  is represented by  $\rho(h)$ . The converse is true when  $c_1(M) = 0$  or  $c_1(M) < 0$ .

**Theorem 1.1.** ([3], [21]) Let M be a Kähler manifold with  $c_1(M) = 0$  or < 0. Then M admits a K-E metric.

So the preblem is whether M admits a K-E metric if  $c_1(M) > 0$ .

Now let A(M) be the Lie group of all holomorphic automorphisms of M and H(M) its Lie algebra consisting of all holomorphic vector fields on M. When  $c_1(M) > 0$  and  $H(M) \neq \{0\}$ , there exists an obstruction to the existence of K-E metrics called the Futaki invariant (cf. see [6]). The Futaki invariant  $f: H(M) \to C$  can be expressed as follows:

(1.2) 
$$f(X) = \frac{(n+1)i}{2\pi} \int_{M} \operatorname{div}_{h}(X) \rho(h)^{n}$$

for any  $X \in H(M)$  where h is any Kähler metric on M and div<sub>h</sub> is the divergence with respect to h. It is shown [6], [10] that f(X) is determined only by the complex structure of M and is independent of the choice of h and that f is a Lie algebra homomorphism. (C is regarded as a trivial Lie algebra.) If h is a K-E metric, the right term of (1.2) is equal to

$$f(X) = \frac{(n+1)i}{2\pi} k^n \int_{M} \operatorname{div}_h(X) \omega(h)^n$$

which equals to 0 by the divergence formula. Since f(X) is independent of the choice of h, the following result can be deduced.

**Theorem 1.3.** [6] If M admits a K-E metric, then f(X)=0 for any  $X \in H(M)$ .

When  $H(M) = \{0\}$ , there is no known obstruction to the existence of K-E metrics, and it is not known whether there exists an example of M such that  $c_1(M) > 0$ ,  $H(M) = \{0\}$  but M does not admit any K-E metric.

On the other hand, by virtue of the result in [10], f can naturally be lifted to a group homomorphism  $F: A(M) \to C/\mathbb{Z}$  as follows.

DEFINITION 1.4. Fix any  $g \in A(M)$ . Let  $M_g$  denote the mapping torus  $M_g = M \times [0,1]/\sim$  where  $(p,0) \sim (g(p),1)$ . Let  $\mathcal{F}_g$  denote the holomorphic foliation defined by the [0,1]-directed vector field. Then, by definition,

(1.5) 
$$F(g) = Sc_1^{n+1}(v(\mathscr{F}_g))[M_g] \in C/\mathbb{Z}$$

where  $[M_g]$  is the fundamental cycle of  $M_g$  and

$$Sc_1^{n+1}(v(\mathcal{F}_g)) \in H^{2n+1}(M_g; \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{Z})$$

is the Simons character of the first Chern class  $c_1$  to the power n+1 for the normal bundle  $v(\mathcal{F}_g)$  with respect to any Bott connection. (For details, see [10], [17].)

Then, it is shown [7] that  $F: A(M) \to C/\mathbb{Z}$  is a Lie group homomorphism where  $C/\mathbb{Z}$  is regarded as an additive group, and the following holds.

**Theorem 1.6.** [10] We have  $F(\exp X) = f(X) \mod \mathbb{Z}$  for any  $X \in H(M)$ . In particular, we have  $F_* = f$ .

Though it immediately follows from Theorem 1.3 and Theorem 1.6 that  $F|_{A_0(M)}$  (where  $A_0(M)$  denotes the identity component of A(M)) is an obstruction to the existence of K-E metrics on M, it is not known whether F itself is an obstruction to the existence of K-E metrics on M or not. If the Futaki's conjecture turns out to be true, F may become the unique obstruction which is valid even when  $H(M) = \{0\}$ .

REMARK 1.7. In [9], f is lifted to a group homomorphism  $\det \circ \phi : A(M) \to \mathbb{C}^*$  ( $\simeq \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{Z}$ ). A multiple of f gives rise to a power of the lifting. Theorem 1.6 implies that f is normalized so as to satisfy the integrability condition that f(X) is an integer for any  $X \in H(M)$  such that  $\exp X = 1$ .

## 2. A calculation formula for F

Let M be a compact n-dimensional complex manifold and  $M_g$  the mapping torus for  $g \in A(M)$  defined as in Definition 1.4. In [11], we showed that  $2^{n+1}F$  is equal to the eta invariant of the signature operator on  $M_g$ . In this section, we shall show a similar formula by using the spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operators.

Now fix an element  $g \in A(M)$  which we assume has a finite order  $p \ge 2$ . (Note that A(M) itself is a finite group if  $c_1(M) > 0$  and  $H(M) = \{0\}$ .) We may assume that g preserves the Hermitian metric h on M. Then the Hermitian connection  $\nabla^M$  of the holomorphic tangent bundle TM, which is uniquely determined under the conditions that the connection form of  $\nabla^M$  is of type (1,0) and that  $\nabla^M$  preserves h, is necessarily g-invariant.

Let  $X = M \times D^2$ ,  $Y = \partial X = M \times S^1$  be spin<sup>c</sup>-manifolds with the spin<sup>c</sup>-structures defined by the U(n)-structure of M and the trivial spin<sup>c</sup>-structures of  $D^2$ ,  $S^1$ , respective-ly. Then the cyclic group  $K = \mathbb{Z}_p = \langle g \rangle$  acts on (X, Y) as follows:

$$g(m,re^{i\theta}) = (g(m), re^{i(\theta + 2\pi/p)})$$

for  $(m,re^{i\theta}) \in X = M \times D^2$ ;  $0 \le r \le 1$ ,  $0 \le \theta \le 2\pi$ . Note that  $Y/K = M_g$ ,  $(TM \times S^1)/K = v(\mathscr{F}_g)$  and that  $\nabla^M$  naturally defines a Bott connection  $\nabla^{\mathscr{F}}$  of  $v(\mathscr{F}_g)$ . On the other hand, we give a rotationally symmetric Hermitian metric on the complex manifold  $D^2$  such that it is a product metric of  $S^1 \times [0,\delta)$  near the boundary  $\partial D^2 = S^1$ . Then the complex structures and the Hermitian metrics on M,  $D^2$  define a K-invariant complex structure and a K-invariant Hermitian metric on K. Let  $\nabla^K$  be the K-invariant Hermitian connection of K. Then K descends to

a Hermitian connection  $\nabla^{X/K}$  of  $T(X/K)|_{M_{\sigma}}$  and it can be shown

$$T(X/K)|_{M_g} = (TX|_Y)/K = v(\mathscr{F}_g) \oplus \varepsilon$$

where  $\varepsilon$  denotes the trivial complex line bundle of all  $\mathscr{F}_g$ -directed vectors and  $\nabla^{X/K}$  splits as

$$\nabla^{X/K} = \nabla^{\mathscr{F}} \oplus \nabla^{0}$$

where  $\nabla^0$  denotes the globally flat connection of  $\epsilon$ .

Now, since  $M_g$  is a stably almost complex manifold, it follows from the result of Morita[15] that there exists a compact (2n+2)-dimensional almost complex manifold W such that  $\partial W = M_g$  and W = X/K near  $M_g$  as an almost complex manifold with a Hermitian metric. Then we have the following lemma by the same arguments as in the proof of Theorem 3.7 in [11].

**Lemma 2.1.** We have  $F(g) = \int_W c_1(TW)^{n+1}$  where  $c_1(TW)$  is the first Chern form of TW with repect to a unitary connection  $\nabla^W$  of TW (namely,  $\nabla^W$  preserves the metric and the almost complex structure on TW) which coincides with  $\nabla^{X/K}$  near  $M_g$ .

Now, let  $\xi$  be the virtual complex vector bundle over M defined by

$$\xi = \bigotimes^{n+1} (K_M^{-1} - \varepsilon)$$

where  $K_M^{-1}$  is the anticanonical bundle of M and  $\varepsilon$  is the trivial complex line bundle over M. Set  $\xi_X = q_X^* \xi$  and  $\xi_Y = q_Y^* \xi$  where  $q_X \colon X = M \times D^2 \to M$  and  $q_Y \colon Y = M \times S^1 \to M$  are the canonical projections.  $\xi_X$  and  $\xi_Y$  are virtual vector bundles with unitary connections with respect to the metrics and the connections naturally defined by the Hermitian metric and the Hermitian connection of TM. Using the spin<sup>c</sup>-structures, the metrics and the connections of TX and TY, we can define the spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operators (or Dolbeault operators)

(2.2) 
$$D_X : \Gamma(E_X^+ \otimes \xi_X) \to \Gamma(E_X^- \otimes \xi_X) \\ D_Y : \Gamma(E_Y \otimes \xi_Y) \to \Gamma(E_Y \otimes \xi_Y)$$

where  $E_X^{\pm}$  denote the half spinor bundles over X and  $E_Y = E_X^+|_Y = E_X^-|_Y$  is the spinor bundle over Y. (For details of spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operators and Dolbeault operators on almost complex manifolds, see [12],[13].) Since the metric and the connection of TX is K-invariant and is product near  $\partial X = Y$ ,  $D_X$  and  $D_Y$  are K-invariant and  $D_X$  can be expressed as

$$(2.3) D_X = \sigma \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial u} + D_Y \right)$$

on the collar  $Y \times [0, \delta) \subset X$  where u is the coordinate of  $[0, \delta)$  and  $\sigma$  is a bundle

isomorphism.

**Theorem 2.4.** [1] We have

$$Index(D_X) = \int_X Ch(\xi_X) Td(X) - \frac{1}{2} (\eta_Y + h_Y)$$

where  $\operatorname{Index}(D_X)$  is the index of  $D_X$  with a certain global boundary condition,  $\operatorname{Ch}(\xi_X)$  is the Chern character form of  $\xi_X$  with the unitary connection,  $\operatorname{Td}(X)$  is the Todd form of  $(TX, \nabla^X)$ ,  $\eta_Y$  is the eta invariant of  $D_Y$  and  $h_Y = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_Y)$ .

Now, let  $\xi_g = \xi_Y/K$  be a virtual vector bundle over  $M_g$  with a unitary connection. Then, since  $D_Y$  is K-invariant,  $D_Y$  naturally defines a differential operator  $D_g$ , which is the  $\xi_g$ -valued spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operator on  $M_g = Y/K$ . Our first result is the following.

Theorem 2.5. We have

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{2} \eta_g \pmod{Z}$$

where  $\eta_g$  is the eta invariant of  $D_g$ .

Proof. Set

$$\xi_W = \bigotimes^{n+1} (\wedge^{n+1} TW - \varepsilon)$$

where  $\varepsilon$  denotes the trivial complex line bundle over W. Note that  $\wedge^{n+1} TW$  is also a complex line bundle over W. The unitary connection  $\nabla^W$  of TW naturally defines a unitary connection of  $\xi_W$ . Then the spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operator

$$D_W:\Gamma(E_W^+\!\otimes\!\xi_W)\to\Gamma(E_W^-\!\otimes\!\xi_W)$$

is defined similarly as in (2.2). It can be seen that  $\xi_{W|_{M_g}} = \xi_g$  and, similarly as in (2.3),  $D_W$  can be expressed as

$$D_{\mathbf{W}} = \sigma \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial u} + D_{\mathbf{g}} \right)$$

on the collar  $M_g \times [0, \delta) \subset W$ . Hence it follows from the Atiyah-Patodi-Singer's theorem (cf. Theorem 2.4) that

$$\int_{W} Ch(\xi_{W}) Td(W) = \frac{1}{2} (\eta_{g} + h_{g}) \pmod{Z}$$

where  $Ch(\xi_w)$  is the Chern character form of  $\xi_w$ , Td(W) is the Todd form of TW

and  $h_g = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g)$ . Since

$$Ch(\xi_W) = \{Ch(\wedge^{n+1}TW) - 1\}^{n+1} = \{c_1(TW)\}^{n+1}$$

and the leading term of Td(W) is equal to 1, it follows from Lemma 2.1 that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{2} (\eta_g + h_g).$$

Therefore the theorem follows from Lemma 2.6 below.

**Lemma 2.6.** We have  $\frac{1}{2}h_g = 0 \mod \mathbb{Z}$ .

Proof. Since the spin<sup>c</sup>(2n+1)-structure of  $M_g$  comes from the natural U(n)-structure of  $M_g$ , the spinor bundle  $E_g = E_\gamma/K$  on  $M_g$  splits into  $E_g = E_g^+ \oplus E_g^-$  and  $D_g$  splits into  $D_g = D_g^+ \oplus D_g^-$  where

$$\begin{split} D_g^+ : & \Gamma(E_g^+ \otimes \xi_g) \to \Gamma(E_g^- \otimes \xi_g) \\ D_g^- & = & (D_g^+)^* : \Gamma(E_g^- \otimes \xi_g) \to \Gamma(E_g^+ \otimes \xi_g) \end{split}$$

Hence we have

$$h_g = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g) = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g^+) + \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g^-).$$

On the other hand, since the dimension of  $M_g$  is odd, it follows that

Index
$$(D_g^+)$$
 = dim $(\text{Ker } D_g^+)$  - dim $(\text{Ker}(D_g^+)^*)$  = 0.

Therefore we have

$$\dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g^-) = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} (D_g^+)^*) = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g^+)$$

and hence we have

$$\frac{1}{2}h_g = \dim(\operatorname{Ker} D_g^+) \in \mathbf{Z}.$$

This completes the proof.

Now, let  $\Omega(k) \subset X$  be the fixed point set of  $g^k \in K$   $(1 \le k \le p-1)$  which is the disjoint union of compact connected complex submanifolds N. Note that the fixed point set  $\Omega(k) \subset X$  of the  $g^k$ -action on X coincides with the fixed point set  $\Omega(k) \subset M = M \times \{0\} \subset X$  of the  $g^k$ -action on M. Let v(N,X), v(N,M) be the normal bundle of N in X, M, respectively. Then v(N,M) is decomposed into the direct sum of subbundles

$$(2.7) v(N,M) = \bigoplus_{i} v(N,\theta_i)$$

where  $g^k$  acts on  $v(N, \theta_i)$  via multiplication by  $e^{i\theta_i}$ .

DEFINITION 2.8. We define the characteristic class  $\mathcal{V}(v(N,\theta_i))$  by

$$\mathscr{V}(v(N,\theta_j)) = \prod_{k=1}^r \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x_k - i\theta_j}} \in H^{**}(N; C) \quad (r = \operatorname{rank}(v(N,\theta_j)))$$

where  $\Pi_k(1+x_k)$  equals to the total Chern class of  $\nu(N,\theta_i)$ .

Since v(N,X) is decomposed into the direct sum

$$v(N,X) = v(N,M) \oplus \varepsilon$$

and  $g^k$  acts on the trivial complex line bundle  $\varepsilon$  over N via multiplication by  $e^{2\pi ik/p}$ , the following lemma can be deduced from Theorem 1.2 in [5]. (See also Lemma 3.5.4 in [12] and (4.6) in [2].)

**Lemma 2.9.** Fix any  $g^k$   $(1 \le k \le p-1)$ . Suppose that  $g^k$  acts on  $K_M^{-1}|_N$  via multiplication by  $e^{i\varphi(k)}$ . Then we have

$$\begin{split} \text{Index}\,(D_X, g^k) &= \sum_{N \subset \Omega(k)} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-2\pi i k/p}} (e^{i\varphi(k)} Ch(K_M^{-1}|_N) - 1)^{n+1} Td(N) \prod_j \mathscr{V}(\nu(N, \theta_j)) [N] \\ &\qquad \qquad - \frac{1}{2} \left( \eta_Y(g^k) + \text{Tr}(g^k|_{\text{Ker}\,D_Y}) \right) \end{split}$$

where  $Index(D_X, g^k)$  is the index of  $D_X$  with the global boundary condition in Theorem 2.4 evaluated at  $g^k$ , namely,

$$\operatorname{Index}(D_X, g^k) = \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_X}) - \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Coker}D_X})$$

(Note that Index  $(D_X, 1) = \text{Index}(D_X)$ ),  $Ch(K_M^{-1}|_N)$  is the Chern character of  $K_M^{-1}|_N$ , Td(N) is the Todd class of TN, [N] is the fundamental cycle of N and  $\eta_Y(g^k)$  is the eta invariant of  $D_Y$  evaluated at  $g^k$  (cf. [5]). (Note that  $\eta_Y(1)$  is equal to  $\eta_Y$  in Theorem 2.4.)

Using Lemma 2.9 and the fact that

$$Ch(K_M^{-1}|_N) = e^{c_1(K_M^{-1}|_N)} = e^{c_1(TM|_N)} = e^{c_1(N) + c_1(\nu(N,M))}$$

where  $c_1(N)$  is the first Chern class of TN, we can obtain the following theorem.

**Theorem 2.10.** In the notation of the above lemma, we have

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \sum_{N \subset \Omega(k)} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-2\pi i k/p}} \left(e^{c_1(N) + c_1(\nu(N,M)) + i\varphi(k)} - 1\right)^{n+1} Td(N) \prod_j \mathcal{V}(\nu(N,\theta_j))[N].$$

Proof. Similarly as in (3.6) in [5], we have

$$\frac{1}{2} \eta_g = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^p \frac{1}{2} \eta_Y(g^k).$$

Hence it follows from Theorem 2.4, Theorem 2.5 and Lemma 2.9 that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \sum_{N \in \Omega(k)} \frac{1}{1 - e^{-2\pi i k/p}} (e^{c_1(N) + c_1(\nu(N,M)) + i\varphi(k)} - 1)^{n+1} T d(N) \prod_j \mathscr{V}(\nu(N,\theta_j)) [N]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{p} \int_X Ch(\xi_X) T d(X) - \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^p \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Ker} D_Y}) - \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^p \operatorname{Index}(D_X, g^k)$$

mod.Z. Here it follows from the same arguments as in Lemma 3.11 in [11] that

$$\int_{Y} Ch(\xi_X) T d(X) = 0$$

and from Lemma 2.11 below that

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p} \operatorname{Index}(D_{X}, g^{k}) = 0 \quad \operatorname{mod.} p.$$

Therefore it suffices to show that

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Ker} D_Y}) = 0 \quad \operatorname{mod} p.$$

Now, since the spin<sup>c</sup>(2n+1)-structure of  $Y = M \times S^1$  comes from the U(n)-structure of M, the spinor bundle  $E_Y$  splits into  $E_Y = E_Y^+ \oplus E_Y^-$  and  $D_Y$  splits into  $D_Y = D_Y^+ \oplus D_Y^-$  where

$$D_Y^+: \Gamma(E_Y^+ \otimes \xi_Y) \to \Gamma(E_Y^- \otimes \xi_Y)$$
  
$$D_Y^- = (D_Y^+)^*: \Gamma(E_Y^- \otimes \xi_Y) \to \Gamma(E_Y^+ \otimes \xi_Y)$$

as in Lemma 2.6. Since  $g^k$   $(1 \le k \le p-1)$  acts freely on Y, it follows from the fixed point formula that

$$\operatorname{Index}(D_Y^+, g^k) = \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_Y^+}) - \operatorname{Tr}(g^k|_{\operatorname{Ker}(D_Y^+)^*}) = 0$$

for any  $1 \le k \le p-1$ . Moreover, since the dimension of Y is odd, it follows as in Lemma 2.6 that

Index 
$$(D_Y^+) = \text{Tr}(g^p|_{\text{Ker }D_Y^+}) - \text{Tr}(g^p|_{\text{Ker }(D_Y^+)^*}) = 0.$$

Hence it follows from Lemma 2.11 below that

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{k=1}^{p} \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_{Y}}) = \sum_{k=1}^{p} \frac{1}{2} \{ \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_{Y}^{+}}) + \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_{Y}^{-}}) \} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{p} \frac{1}{2} \{ \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_{Y}^{+}}) + \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}(D_{Y}^{+})^{*}}) \} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^{p} \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{\operatorname{Ker}D_{Y}^{+}}) = 0 \quad \operatorname{mod}.p. \end{split}$$

This completes the proof.

**Lemma 2.11.** For any finite dimensional  $Z_p$ -module V where  $Z_p = \langle g \rangle$ , we have

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p} \operatorname{Tr}(g^{k}|_{V}) = 0 \quad \operatorname{mod.} p.$$

Proof. Apply the next (2.12) to the eigenvalues  $\lambda_i (1 \le j \le \dim V)$  of  $g|_{V}$ .

(2.12) 
$$\lambda^p = 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^p \lambda^k = 0 \mod p.$$

# 3. F of Kähler surfaces with positive first Chern class

It is an immediate consequence of Theorem 1.6 and a known fact for f (cf. [8, p100]) that F does not vanish for the blowing-up of  $\mathbb{CP}^2$  at one or two points. Here, however, we compute F of those complex manifolds as examples of Theorem 2.10. First, let M be the surface obtained from  $\mathbb{CP}^2$  by blowing up one point [1:0:0] where  $[z_0:z_1:z_2]$  is the homogeneous coordinate on  $\mathbb{CP}^2$ . Let g be an element of A(M) which is naturally induced by the element of  $A(\mathbb{CP}^2) = PGL(3; \mathbb{C})$  represented by

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \alpha & \\ & & \alpha \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\alpha = e^{2\pi i/p}$  for an integer  $p \ge 2$ . Then the fixed point set  $\Omega(k) \subset M$  of  $g^k$ -action  $(1 \le k \le p-1)$  is independent of k and is equal to the disjoint union of the exceptional divisor E over [1:0:0] and the hyperplane H defined by  $z_0 = 0$ . Here the normal bundle  $\nu(E,M)$  is equal to the tautological line bundle J and the normal bundle  $\nu(H,M)$  is equal to its dual  $J^*$ .  $g^k$  acts on J via multiplication by  $\alpha^k$  and on  $J^*$  via multiplication by  $\alpha^{-k}$ . Let

$$u \in H^2(E) = H^2(\mathbb{CP}^1) = \mathbb{Z}, \quad v \in H^2(H) = H^2(\mathbb{CP}^1) = \mathbb{Z}$$

be positive generators such that u[E] = 1 and v[H] = 1 where [E], [H] denote the

fundamental cycles. Then we have  $c_1(E) = 2u$  and  $c_1(H) = 2v$  and hence we have

$$Td(E) = 1 + u$$
,  $Td(H) = 1 + v$ . Furthermore, since

$$c_1(v(E,M)) = c_1(J) = -u, \quad c_1(v(H,M)) = c_1(J^*) = v,$$

we have, by setting  $\theta = 2\pi k/p$ ,

$$\mathscr{V}(v(E,\theta)) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{-k}} + \frac{\alpha^{-k}}{(1 - \alpha^{-k})^2} u,$$

$$\mathscr{V}(v(H, -\theta)) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^k} - \frac{\alpha^k}{(1 - \alpha^k)^2} v.$$

Thus it follows from Theorem 2.10 that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{-k}} (\alpha^{k} e^{u} - 1)^{3} (1 + u) \left( \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{-k}} + \frac{\alpha^{-k}}{(1 - \alpha^{-k})^{2}} u \right) [E]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{-k}} (\alpha^{-k} e^{3v} - 1)^{3} (1 + v) \left( \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{k}} - \frac{\alpha^{k}}{(1 - \alpha^{k})^{2}} v \right) [H]$$

$$= \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \left\{ \alpha^{2k} (\alpha^{k} - 1) + 4\alpha^{3k} u \right\} [E]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \left\{ \alpha^{-k} (1 - \alpha^{-k}) + (2\alpha^{-k} - 10\alpha^{-2k}) v \right\} [H]$$

$$= \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} (4\alpha^{3k} + 2\alpha^{-k} - 10\alpha^{-2k})$$

Now it follows from (2.12) that

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \alpha^{jk} = -1 \mod p \quad \text{for any integer } j.$$

Hence it follows that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p}(-4-2+10) = \frac{4}{p}$$
 mod.**Z**.

In particular,  $F(g) \neq 0$  if  $p \neq 2,4$ .

Secondly, let M be the surface obtained from  $\mathbb{CP}^2$  by blowing up two points [1:0:0], [0:1:0] and  $\pi: M \to \mathbb{CP}^2$  the canonical projection. Let g be an element of A(M) which is naturally induced by the element of  $A(\mathbb{CP}^2)$  represented by

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc}
1 & & \\
& \alpha & \\
& & \alpha^2
\end{array}\right)$$

where  $\alpha=e^{2\pi i/p}$  for an odd integer  $p\geq 3$ . Then the fixed point set  $\Omega(k)\subset M$  of  $g^k$ -action  $(1\leq k\leq p-1)$  is independent of k and is equal to the disjoint union of five points  $p_1,p_2,p_3,p_4,p_5$  where  $p_1=\pi^{-1}([0:0:1]),p_2\in\pi^{-1}([1:0:0])$  is the point in M defined by the line:  $z_1=0$  through the point [1:0:0] in  $\mathbb{CP}^2,p_3\in\pi^{-1}([1:0:0])$  is the point in M defined by the line:  $z_2=0$  through the point [1:0:0] in  $\mathbb{CP}^2,p_4\in\pi^{-1}([0:1:0])$  is the point in M defined by the line:  $z_0=0$  through the point [0:1:0] in  $\mathbb{CP}^2$  and  $p_5\in\pi^{-1}([0:1:0])$  is the point in M defined by the line:  $z_2=0$  through the point [0:1:0] in  $\mathbb{CP}^2$ . Let  $T_j=g|_{T_{p_jM}}$  denote the transformation of the tangent space  $T_{p_jM}$  induced by g. Then we can see that

$$T_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-2} \\ \alpha^{-1} \end{pmatrix}, \quad T_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1} \\ \alpha^{2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad T_{3} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix},$$
$$T_{4} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-2} \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix}, \quad T_{5} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^{-1} \\ \alpha^{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Now it follows from Theorem 2.10 that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \sum_{j=1}^{5} \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}} (\alpha^{r(j)k} \alpha^{s(j)k} - 1)^{3} \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-r(j)k}} \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-s(j)k}}$$

where  $\alpha^{r(j)}$ ,  $\alpha^{s(j)}$  are the eigenvalues of  $T_i$ . Hence, by setting  $\alpha^k = \beta$ , we have

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} P(\beta)$$

where

$$P(\beta) = \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} (\beta^{-3} - 1)^3 \frac{1}{1 - \beta^2} \frac{1}{1 - \beta}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} (\beta - 1)^3 \frac{1}{1 - \beta} \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-2}}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} (\beta^2 - 1)^3 \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} (\beta^{-1} - 1)^3 \frac{1}{1 - \beta^2} \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}}$$

$$+ \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-1}} (\beta - 1)^3 \frac{1}{1 - \beta} \frac{1}{1 - \beta^{-2}}$$

$$= \frac{-\beta^{p-8}(\beta^2 + \beta + 1)^3 - \beta^3 + \beta^3(\beta + 1)^4 + \beta^{p-1} - \beta^3}{\beta + 1}$$
$$= Q(\beta) + \frac{R}{\beta + 1}$$

where  $Q(\beta)$  is a polynomial of  $\beta$  and  $R \in \mathbb{C}$ . Here we can see that Q(1) = -8 and R = 4. Hence it follows from (2.12) that

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p-1} Q(\beta) = 8 \quad \text{mod.} p.$$

Therefore it follows that

(3.1) 
$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \left( 8 + \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{4}{\beta + 1} \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{p} \left( 8 + \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} (2 - 2i \tan \frac{\pi k}{p}) \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{p} (2p + 6) = \frac{6}{p} \mod \mathbb{Z}.$$

Thus  $F(g) \neq 0$  if  $p \neq 3$ .

REMARK 3.2. Let  $g_1$ ,  $g_2$ ,  $g_3$ ,  $\tau$  be the elements of A(M) which are naturally induced by

$$\begin{pmatrix}
\alpha & & & \\
& 1 & \\
& & 1
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
1 & & & \\
& \alpha & \\
& & 1
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
1 & & & \\
& 1 & \\
& & \alpha
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
0 & 1 & 0 \\
1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1
\end{pmatrix},$$

respectively. Then it follows immediately from (3.1) that

(3.3) 
$$F(g_2) + 2F(g_3) = \frac{6}{p} \pmod{\mathbb{Z}}.$$

Moreover it is clear that

(3.4) 
$$F(g_1) = F(\tau^{-1}g_1\tau) = F(g_2),$$
$$F(g_1) + F(g_2) + F(g_3) = F(1) = 0.$$

Using (3.3) and (3.4), we can obtain that

(3.5) 
$$F(g_1) = F(g_2) = -\frac{2}{p}, \quad F(g_3) = \frac{4}{p} \quad \text{if } p \neq 0 \mod 3.$$

Now, let M be a 2-dimensional Kähler manifold with  $c_1(M) > 0$ , which is classified as one of  $M = \mathbb{C}P^1 \times \mathbb{C}P^1$ ,  $\mathbb{C}P^2$  or  $\mathbb{C}P^2(m)$  where  $\mathbb{C}P^2(m)$  denotes the surface obtained from  $\mathbb{C}P^2$  by blowing up m-points  $(1 \le m \le 8)$  in general position. (cf. [4, p.321]) Note that the complex structure of  $\mathbb{C}P^2(m)$  ( $5 \le m \le 8$ ) depends on the position of the m-points. When  $M = \mathbb{C}P^1 \times \mathbb{C}P^1$  or  $\mathbb{C}P^2$ , M clearly admits a K-E metric. When  $M = \mathbb{C}P^2(1)$  or  $\mathbb{C}P^2(2)$ , as was seen in this section, there exists  $g \in A_0(M)$  such that  $F(g) \ne 0$  and hence M does not admit any K-E metric. (cf. Theorem 1.3 and Theorem 1.6.) When  $M = \mathbb{C}P^2(m)$  ( $3 \le m \le 8$ ), Tian-Yau [18],[19] proved recently that M admits a K-E metric. Here we have the following.

**Theorem 3.6.** Let M be a Kähler surface with  $c_1(M) > 0$ . Assume that the complex structure is generic in the sense of [14] when  $M = \mathbb{CP}^2(m)$   $(5 \le m \le 8)$ . Then F does not vanish if and only if  $M = \mathbb{CP}^2(1)$  or  $\mathbb{CP}^2(2)$ .

Proof. When  $M = \mathbb{CP}^2$ , F(g) = 0 for any  $g \in A(M)$  because A(M) is connected and f(X) = 0 for any  $X \in H(M)$ . (cf. Theorem 1.3 and Theorem 1.6) When  $M = \mathbb{CP}^2(1)$  or  $\mathbb{CP}^2(2)$ , as was seen in this section, there exists  $g \in A_0(M)$  such that  $F(g) \neq 0$ . When  $M = \mathbb{CP}^1 \times \mathbb{CP}^1$  or  $\mathbb{CP}^2(3)$ , F(g) = 0 for any  $g \in A_0(M)$  because f(X) = 0 for any  $X \in H(M)$  (cf. [8, p100]). Now we can see that  $A(\mathbb{CP}^1 \times \mathbb{CP}^1)/A_0(\mathbb{CP}^1 \times \mathbb{CP}^1)$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Z}_2$  and it follows from the Theorem in [14] that

$$A(CP^{2}(3)) = A_{0}(CP^{2}(3)) \cdot D(12),$$
  
 $(D(12)$  denotes the dihedral group of order 12.)  
 $A(CP^{2}(4)) = \text{symmetric group } S(5), \quad A(CP^{2}(5)) = \bigoplus^{4} \mathbb{Z}_{2},$   
 $A(CP^{2}(6)) = \{1\}, \quad A(CP^{2}(7)) = \mathbb{Z}_{2}, \quad A(CP^{2}(8)) = \mathbb{Z}_{2}.$ 

Hence it suffices to show that

(3.7) F(g) = 0 if the dimension of M is 2 and the order of  $g \in A(M)$  is 2.

Now fix any  $g \in A(M)$  of order 2. Let  $\Omega \subset M$  be the fixed point set of g, which consists of q-points  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_q$  and r-curves  $D_1, D_2, \dots, D_r$ . Then it follows from Theorem 2.10 that

(3.8) 
$$F(g) = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \sum_{s=1}^{q} \Phi(p_s) + \sum_{t=1}^{r} \Psi(D_t) \right\}$$

where

$$\Phi(p_s) = (e^{c_1(p_s) + c_1(v(p_s, M)) + i\varphi} - 1)^{n+1} T d(p_s) \mathcal{V}(v(p_s, \pi))[p_s]$$

and

$$\Psi(D_t) = (e^{c_1(D_t) + c_1(v(D_t, M)) + i\psi} - 1)^{n+1} Td(D_t) \mathscr{V}(v(D_t, \pi))[D_t].$$

Now it is clear that  $c_1(p_s) = c_1(v(p_s, M)) = 0$  and we have  $e^{i\varphi} = 1$  because g acts on  $K_M^{-1}|_{p_s}$  via multiplication by 1. Hence it follows that  $\Phi(p_s) = 0$  for any  $1 \le s \le q$ . On the other hand, let a, b denote  $c_1(D_t)$ ,  $c_1(v(D_t, M))$ , respectively. Then, we have  $e^{i\psi} = -1$  because g acts on  $K_M^{-1}|_{D_t}$  via multiplication by -1 and moreover we have

$$e^{c_1(D_t) + c_1(v(D_t, M))} = 1 + (a+b)$$

$$Td(D_t) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}a$$

$$\mathscr{V}(v(D_t, \pi)) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-b}} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}b.$$

Hence it follows that

$$\Psi(D_t) = (-1 + (-1)(a+b) - 1)^3 (1 + \frac{1}{2}a)(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}b)[D_t]$$

$$= -8(a+b)[D_t] = 0 \mod 4 \quad (1 \le t \le r).$$

Thus it follows from (3.8) that F(g) = 0. This completes the proof.

## 4. Other examples and some remarks

Now let  $M \subset \mathbb{CP}^{n+r}$  be a complete intersection of degree  $(d_1, d_2, \dots, d_r)$  defined by the simultaneous equations

$$a_{10}z_0^{d_1} + a_{11}z_1^{d_1} + \dots + a_{1n+r}z_{n+r}^{d_1} = 0$$

$$a_{20}z_0^{d_2} + a_{21}z_1^{d_2} + \dots + a_{2n+r}z_{n+r}^{d_2} = 0$$

$$\dots$$

$$a_{r0}z_0^{d_r} + a_{r1}z_1^{d_r} + \dots + a_{rn+r}z_{n+r}^{d_r} = 0$$

Assume that  $\{d_1,d_2,\cdots,d_r\}$  has the greatest common divisor  $p \ge 2$ . Assume moreover that  $a_{j0} \ne 0$  for some j and that  $N = M \cap \{z_0 = 0\} \subset CP^{n+r-1}$  defined by

$$a_{11}z_1^{d_1} + \dots + a_{1n+r}z_{n+r}^{d_1} = 0$$

$$a_{21}z_1^{d_2} + \dots + a_{2n+r}z_{n+r}^{d_2} = 0$$

$$\dots$$

$$a_{r1}z_1^{d_r} + \dots + a_{rn+r}z_{n+r}^{d_r} = 0$$

is also a complete intersection in  $\mathbb{CP}^{n+r-1}$ . Then  $\mathbb{Z}_p = \langle g \rangle$  acts on M by

$$g \cdot [z_0 : z_1 : \dots : z_{n+r}] = [\alpha z_0 : z_1 : \dots : z_{n+r}]$$
 where  $\alpha = e^{2\pi i/p}$ .

**Theorem 4.1.** F(g) = 0 for any n, r and any  $(d_1, d_2, \dots, d_r)$ .

Proof. The fixed point set  $\Omega \subset M$  of  $g^k$ -action  $(1 \le k \le p-1)$  is the hypersurface  $N = M \cap \{z_0 = 0\}$  in M. Let L be the hyperplane bundle of  $\mathbb{C}P^{n+r-1}$ , which is the dual bundle of the tautological bundle of  $\mathbb{C}P^{n+r-1}$ . Set

$$x = c_1(L|_N) \in H^2(N)$$
.

Then  $x^{n-1}[N] = D$  and  $c_1(N) = (n+r-d)x$  where  $D = d_1d_2 \cdots d_r$  and  $d = d_1 + d_2 + \cdots + d_r$ . Now, since

$$TCP^{n+r-1}|_{N} = TN \oplus \bigoplus_{j=1}^{r} \otimes^{d_{j}} (L|_{N}),$$

it follows that

$$Td(N) = \left(\frac{x}{1 - e^{-x}}\right)^{n+r} \prod_{j=1}^{r} \frac{1 - e^{-d_j x}}{d_j x}.$$

Moreover, since  $TM|_N = TN \oplus (L|_N)$  and  $g^k$  acts on  $L|_N$  via multiplication by  $\alpha^k$ , it follows that

$$e^{c_1(N) + c_1(v(N,M)) + i\varphi(k)} = \alpha^k e^{(n+r+1-d)x},$$

$$\mathscr{V}(v(N,\theta_j)) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^{-k} e^{-x}}.$$

Hence it follows from Theorem 2.10 that

$$F(g) = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}} \left\{ \alpha^k e^{(n+r+1-d)x} - 1 \right\}^{n+1} \left( \frac{x}{1-e^{-x}} \right)^{n+r} \left( \prod_{j=1}^r \frac{1-e^{-d_j x}}{d_j x} \right) \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}e^{-x}} [N].$$

Thus we have

$$F(g) = \frac{D}{p} \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} C(k)$$

where C(k) denotes the  $x^{n-1}$ -coefficient of

$$\frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}} \left\{ \alpha^k e^{(n+r+1-d)x} - 1 \right\}^{n+1} \left( \frac{x}{1-e^{-x}} \right)^{n+r} \left( \prod_{j=1}^r \frac{1-e^{-d_j x}}{d_j x} \right) \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k} e^{-x}} \in C[[x]].$$

Now,

$$x^{n-1}$$
-coefficient of

$$D\{\alpha^k e^{(n+r+1-d)x} - 1\}^{n+1} \left(\frac{x}{1-e^{-x}}\right)^{n+r} \left(\prod_{j=1}^r \frac{1-e^{-d_j x}}{d_j x}\right) \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}e^{-x}}$$

$$= x^{-1} \text{-coefficient of}$$

$$\frac{\alpha^k e^x \{ \alpha^k e^{(n+r+1-d)x} - 1 \}^{n+1}}{\alpha^k e^x - 1} \left( \frac{1}{1 - e^{-x}} \right)^{n+r} \prod_{j=1}^r (1 - e^{-d_j x})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_{C(z)} \frac{\alpha^k \{ \alpha^k (e^z)^{n+r+1-d} - 1 \}^{n+1}}{\alpha^k e^z - 1} \left( \frac{e^z}{e^z - 1} \right)^{n+r} \left( \prod_{j=1}^r \frac{(e^z)^{d_j} - 1}{(e^z)^{d_j}} \right) e^z dz$$

(where C(z) is a sufficiently small counterclockwise loop around the origin)

$$=\frac{1}{2\pi i}\oint_{C(u)}\frac{\alpha^k\{\alpha^k(u+1)^{n+r+1-d}-1\}^{n+1}}{\alpha^k(u+1)-1}\frac{(u+1)^{n+r}}{u^{n+r}}\prod_{j=1}^r\frac{(u+1)^{d_j}-1}{(u+1)^{d_j}}du$$

(via the substitution  $u=e^z-1$ , where C(u) is a counterclockwise loop around the origin)

$$= u^{-1} - \text{coefficient of}$$

$$\frac{\alpha^{k} \{\alpha^{k} (u+1)^{n+r+1-d} - 1\}^{n+1}}{\alpha^{k} (u+1) - 1} \frac{(u+1)^{n+r-d}}{u^{n+r}} \prod_{j=1}^{r} u(d_{j} + h_{j}(u))$$

(where  $h_i(u)$  is an integral polynomial of order  $\geq 1$  in u)

$$= u^{n-1} - \text{coefficient of}$$

$$\frac{\alpha^k \{\alpha^k (u+1)^{n+r+1-d} - 1\}^{n+1}}{\alpha^k (u+1) - 1} (u+1)^{n+r-d} \prod_{j=1}^r (d_j + h_j(u)).$$

Set

$$P(u) = (u+1)^{n+r-d} \prod_{j=1}^{r} (d_j + h_j(u))$$

$$Q(u) = \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{1}{1-\alpha^{-k}} \frac{\alpha^k \{\alpha^k (u+1)^{n+r+1-d} - 1\}^{n+1}}{\alpha^k (u+1) - 1}.$$

Then it follows from the calculation above that it suffices to show that the  $u^{n-1}$ -coefficient of P(u)Q(u) is  $0 \mod p$ . Note that P(u), Q(u) can be expanded to convergent power series around u=0. Note moreover that  $P^{(s)}(0)$  is an integral multiple of s! because P(u) can be expanded to a convergent power series with integral coefficients.

Now set

$$\Phi(x,u) = \{x(u+1)^{n+r+1-d} - 1\}^{n+1}.$$

Then we can see that, for any integer s with  $0 \le s \le n+1$ ,

(4.2) 
$$\frac{\partial^s}{\partial u^s} \Phi|_{u=0} = s! \phi_s(x) (x-1)^{n+1-s} \text{ for some integral polynomial } \phi_s.$$

Actually it is clear that

$$\frac{\partial^s}{\partial u^s} \Phi|_{u=0} = \mu_s(x)(x-1)^{n+1-s}$$

for some integral polynomial  $\mu_s$ . On the other hand, since  $\Phi$  can be expanded to a convergent power series of u around u=0 whose coefficients are integral polynomials of x, it follows that

$$\frac{\partial^s}{\partial u^s} \Phi|_{u=0} = s! v_s(x)$$

for some integral polynomial  $v_s$ . Hence it follows that

(4.3) 
$$\mu_s(x)(x-1)^{n+1-s} = s! \nu_s(x).$$

Since the top order term of  $(x-1)^{n+1-s}$  is equal to 1, it follows from (4.3) that

$$\mu_s(x) = s! \phi_s(x)$$
 for some integral polynomial  $\phi_s$ ,

which implies (4.2).

Now, for  $m \le n-1$ , we have

$$Q^{(m)}(0) = \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{(\alpha^{k})^{2}}{\alpha^{k} - 1} \sum_{s=0}^{m} {m \choose s} (\{\alpha^{k}(u+1) - 1\}^{-1})^{(m-s)}(0) (\{\alpha^{k}(u+1)^{n+r+1-d} - 1\}^{n+1})^{(s)}(0)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \frac{(\alpha^{k})^{2}}{\alpha^{k} - 1} \sum_{s=0}^{m} {m \choose s} (-1)^{m-s} (m-s)! (\alpha^{k})^{m-s} (\alpha^{k} - 1)^{-m+s-1} s! \phi_{s}(\alpha^{k}) (\alpha^{k} - 1)^{n+1-s}$$

$$= m! \sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \sum_{s=0}^{m} (-1)^{m-s} (\alpha^{k})^{2+m-s} \phi_{s}(\alpha^{k}) (\alpha^{k} - 1)^{n-1-m}.$$

Hence it follows from the fact (See (2.12).)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{p-1} \Psi(\alpha^k) = -\Psi(1) \mod p \text{ for any integral polynomial } \Psi$$

that  $Q^{(m)}(0)$  is an integral multiple of  $p \cdot m!$  if  $m \le n-2$  and is equal to an integral multiple of (n-1)! if m=n-1. Therefore it follows that

$$\frac{1}{(n-1)!}(PQ)^{(n-1)}(0)$$

$$= \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \{ P(0)Q^{(n-1)}(0) + \sum_{m=0}^{n-2} {n-1 \choose m} P^{(n-1-m)}(0)Q^{(m)}(0) \}$$

$$= P(0) \frac{Q^{(n-1)}(0)}{(n-1)!} + \sum_{m=0}^{n-2} \frac{P^{(n-1-m)}(0)}{(n-1-m)!} \frac{Q^{(m)}(0)}{m!}$$

is equal to 0 mod p because P(0) is equal to  $d_1d_2\cdots d_r$  which is an integral multiple of p. Thus it follows that

$$u^{n-1}$$
-coefficient of  $P(u)Q(u) = 0$  mod.p.

This completes the proof.

REMARK 4.4. Let M be the Fermat cubic surface

$$M: z_0^3 + z_1^3 + z_2^3 + z_3^3 = 0$$
 in  $\mathbb{CP}^3$ 

and

$$g \cdot [z_0 : z_1 : z_2 : z_3] = [e^{2\pi i/3} z_0 : z_1 : z_2 : z_3].$$

Then A(M) is a finite group generated by g and the transposition of coordinates whose order is 2. Hence it follows from Theorem 4.1 and (3.7) that

$$F(g) = 0$$
 for any  $g \in A(M)$ .

Note that the Fermat cubic surface is isomorphic to the six points blowing-up of  $\mathbb{CP}^2$  with non-generic complex structure in the sense in section 3.

REMARK 4.5. In [16] certain kinds of complete intersections including the case that  $r=1, \frac{n+1}{2} \le d_1 \le n+1$  are shown to admit K-E metrics, and no example of a complete intersection which does not admit any K-E metric is known.

REMARK 4.6. Using the  $\otimes^{n+1}(TM-\varepsilon^n)$ -valued spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operators (where  $\varepsilon^n$  denotes the trivial bundle  $M \times C^n$ ) instead of the  $\otimes^{n+1}(K_M^{-1}-\varepsilon)$ -valued spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operators, we can obtain a formula similar to Theorem 2.10.

REMARK 4.7. We can see that the lifted Futaki invariant F is interpreted as a "holonomy" of a  $\otimes^{n+1}(TM-\varepsilon^n)$ -valued spin<sup>c</sup>-Dirac operator (cf. [20]).

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