

## 61. On the Numerically Fixed Parts of Line Bundles

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The purpose of this paper is to study the base loci of line bundles. Details will appear elsewhere.

By  $V$  we denote a non-singular projective variety defined over an algebraically closed field  $k$ . For a line bundle  $L$  on  $V$ , we have the base locus  $\text{Bs}|L|$  of the complete linear system and the stable base locus  $\text{SBs}(L) = \bigcap_{m=1}^{\infty} \text{Bs}|mL|$  (Fujita [1]). In this paper, by  $\kappa_{\text{num}}(L, V) \geq 0$ , we mean that there exist a birational morphism  $f: W \rightarrow V$ , a positive integer  $m$  and a nef line bundle  $S$  on  $W$  such that  $H^0(W, mf^*L - S) \neq 0$ .

**§0. Pseudo-effectivity.** Let  $K$  stand for a field  $\mathbf{Q}$  or  $\mathbf{R}$ . A  $K$ -1-cycle on  $V$  is an element of  $Z_1(V) \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}} K$ , where  $Z_1(V)$  is a free abelian group generated by irreducible curves on  $V$ . A  $K$ -1-cycle  $C$  is said to be *nef* if  $(D, C) \geq 0$  for any irreducible divisor  $D$  on  $V$ . A  $K$ -line bundle  $L$  is said to be *pseudo-effective* if  $(L, C) \geq 0$  for any  $K$ -1-cycle  $C$  on  $V$ .

**Proposition 0.** *For any  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle  $L$  on  $V$ , the following conditions are equivalent to each other:*

- (1)  $L$  is pseudo-effective.
- (2) For any ample line bundle  $A$  on  $V$ , and for any integer  $n \geq 1$ , we have  $\kappa(A + nL, V) \geq 0$ .

**§1. The numerical base locus of  $L$ .** We shall introduce the set  $\text{NBs}(L)$ , which may be a numerical analog of  $\text{SBs}(L)$ .

**Proposition 1.** *Let  $L$  be a  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle and let  $A$  an ample  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle. Then*

- (1)  $\text{SBs}(A + nL) \subset \text{SBs}(A + (n+1)L)$ .
- (2)  $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{SBs}(A + nL)$  does not depend on the choice of  $A$ , depending only on  $L$ .

*Proof.* (1) We take a sufficiently large  $m$ . Then  $mA$  is very ample and

$$\begin{aligned} \text{SBs}(A + nL) &= \text{Bs}|m(n-1)(A + nL)| \supset \text{Bs}|mA + m(n-1)(A + nL)| \\ &= \text{Bs}|nm(A + (n-1)L)| = \text{SBs}(A + (n-1)L). \end{aligned}$$

(2) Given two ample  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundles  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ , we choose  $p \gg 0$  such that  $pA_2 - A_1$  is very ample. For any  $n \geq 1$  and a sufficiently large  $m \geq 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{SBs}(A_1 + pnL) &= \text{Bs}|m(A_1 + pnL)| \supset \text{Bs}|m(pA_2 - A_1) + m(A_1 + pnL)| \\ &= \text{Bs}|mp(A_2 + nL)| = \text{SBs}(A_2 + nL). \end{aligned}$$

By this,

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{SBs}(A_1+nL) \supset \text{SBs}(A_2+nL).$$

Exchanging  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ , we complete the proof.

**Definition.** Noting the last proposition, we set

$$\text{NBs}(L) = \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} \text{SBs}(A+nL)$$

for an ample line bundle  $A$ , which is called a *numerical base locus*.

**Proposition 2.** (1)  $\text{NBs}(L)$  is determined only by the numerical equivalence class of  $L$ .

(2)  $\text{NBs}(L) = \emptyset$  if and only if  $L$  is nef.

(3)  $\text{NBs}(L) = V$  if and only if  $L$  is not pseudo-effective.

(4)  $\text{NBs}(L) \subset \text{SBs}(L)$ .

*Proof.* (1) Let  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  be  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundles such that  $L_1$  is numerically equivalent to  $L_2$ . For an ample line bundle  $A$ ,  $A_1 = A + n(L_1 - L_2)$  is an ample  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle,  $n$  being an arbitrary integer. Thus

$$\text{SBs}(A+nL_1) = \text{SBs}(A_1+nL_2) \subset \text{NBs}(L_2)$$

by the last proposition.

Proofs of (2), (3), and (4) are easy.

§2. The numerical fixed part of  $L$ . We shall introduce the notion of the numerical fixed part of a  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle  $L$ .

For a line bundle  $L$  and for an integer  $m \geq 1$ , we denote by  $F(m, L)$  the fixed part of  $|mL|$  and a general member of  $|mL| - F(m, L)$  is indicated by  $M(m, L)$ . Then

$$|mL| = |M(m, L)| + F(m, L).$$

For any integer  $m$  and  $p \geq 1$ , we have the inequality  $pF(m, L) \geq F(mp, L)$ . So in  $\text{Div}(V) \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}} \mathbf{R}$  we can consider the lower bound of the sequence  $(F(m, L)/m)_{m \in \mathbf{N}}$ . Actually, this lower bound is given by

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} F(m!, L)/m!,$$

which is denoted by  $F(L)$ .

**Proposition 3.** Let  $L$  be a pseudo-effective line bundle and let  $A$  be an ample line bundle.

(1)  $F(A+nL)/n \leq F(A+(n+1)L)/(n+1)$ .

(2) Let  $F(A+nL) = \sum_r a_r(n; A, L)\Gamma$  be an irreducible decomposition, where  $a(n; A, L) \in \mathbf{R}$  and  $\Gamma$  is a prime divisor. Then

$$a_r(A, L) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_r(n; A, L)/n < \infty$$

and  $\sum_r a_r(A, L) < \infty$ .

*Proof.* (1) Similar to the Proposition 1 (1).

(2) Since  $(A+nL, H^{d-1}) \geq \sum_r a_r(n; A, L)(\Gamma, H^{d-1})$  where  $d = \dim V$  and  $H$  is an ample line bundle, we have the required results. Q.E.D.

We consider a divisor with countably many components

$$\sum_r a_r(A, L)\Gamma \in \prod_r \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}\Gamma.$$

**Proposition 4.**  $\sum_r a_r(A, L)\Gamma$  depends only on the numerical equivalence class of  $L$ .

Proof is similar to Proposition 1 (2).

**Definition.** Using the above notation, we set  $NF(L) = \sum_r a_r(A, L)\Gamma$  for an ample line bundle  $A$ , which is called a *numerical fixed part* of  $L$ .

**Remark.** 1) Symbolically, we may write

$$NF(L) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} F(A + nL)/n.$$

2)  $NF(L)$  can be defined for any  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle  $L$ .

**Proposition 5.**  $NF(L)$  is numerically fixed by  $L$  in Fujita's sense (cf. [2]), i.e. for any birational morphism  $f: W \rightarrow V$  from a non-singular projective variety  $W$  over  $k$  and any effective  $\mathbf{Q}$ -divisor  $E$  on  $W$  such that  $f^*L - E$  is nef, we have  $E - f^*NF(L)$  is an effective  $\mathbf{R}$ -divisor. In particular, if  $\kappa_{num}(L) \geq 0$ , then  $NF(L) \in \text{Div}(v) \otimes_{\mathbf{Z}} \mathbf{R}$ .

*Proof.* Since  $m!(A + nf^*L) = m!(A + n(f^*L - E)) + m!nE$ , we have  $m!nE \geq F(m!, A + nf^*L)$ . Thus  $E \geq NF(f^*L)$ . Since  $NF(f^*L) \geq f^*NF(L)$  is easily checked, we obtain the required result. Q.E.D.

**Proposition 6.** If  $L$  is a pseudo-effective  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle on a non-singular algebraic surface, then  $NF(L)$  coincides with the negative part of the Zariski decomposition of  $L$  (cf. [4]).

**Proposition 7.** Let  $L$  be a  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle with  $\kappa_{num}(L) \geq 0$  on a projective variety  $V$ . Then for any irreducible curve  $C$ , if  $(L - NF(L), C) < 0$ , then  $C \subset \text{NBS}(L)$ .

**Theorem 8.** Assume that the characteristic of  $k$  is 0. If  $L$  is a pseudo-effective  $\mathbf{Q}$ -line bundle with  $\kappa_{num}(L) \geq 0$  on a non-singular projective 3-fold  $V$ , then there exists a birational morphism  $f: W \rightarrow V$  from a non-singular projective variety  $W$ , such that  $f^*L - NF(f^*L)$  is a pseudo-effective  $\mathbf{R}$ -divisor and nef in codimension 1, i.e.  $\{C \text{ an irreducible curve}; (f^*L - NF(f^*L), C) < 0\}$  is a finite set.

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