

## Exercise Sheet 5

1. Consider the complex torus  $X = \mathbb{C}^g / \Omega\mathbb{Z}^g \oplus \mathbb{Z}^g$ . The Néron-Severi group  $\text{NS}(X)$  can be considered as the group of alternating forms on  $\mathbb{R}^{2g}$ , integer-valued on  $\mathbb{Z}^{2g}$ , which induce a Hermitian form via the  $\mathbb{R}$ -linear isomorphism  $\mathbb{R}^{2g} \xrightarrow{\sim} \mathbb{C}^g$  sending  $x \mapsto (\Omega|\mathbb{I}_g)x$ . Let  $E$  be an alternating form on  $\mathbb{R}^{2g}$  with matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ -{}^tB & C \end{pmatrix} \in M_{2g}(\mathbb{R}).$$

Show that the following conditions are equivalent:

- (i)  $E \in \text{NS}(X)$
- (ii)  $A, B, C \in M_g(\mathbb{Z})$  and  $A - BZ + {}^tZ^tB + {}^tZCZ = 0$ .

Use this to find the rank of  $\text{NS}(X)$  when  $X$  is a very general torus of dimension  $g \geq 2$ .

2. Let  $X$  be a complex torus of dimension  $g$ . The *Picard number*  $\rho(X)$  of  $X$  is by definition the rank of  $\text{NS}(X)$ . Show that  $\rho(X) \leq h^{1,1}(X) = g^2$ .

3. (*Theorem of the Cube*)

- a) Let  $X_1, X_2$  and  $X_3$  be complex tori and  $L$  a line bundle on  $X_1 \times X_2 \times X_3$  such that the restrictions of  $L$  to  $X_1 \times X_2 \times \{0\}$ ,  $X_1 \times \{0\} \times X_3$  and  $\{0\} \times X_2 \times X_3$  are trivial. Show that  $L$  is trivial. (*Hint*: use canonical factors.)
- b) Generalise this to products of  $n > 3$  tori.

4. Let  $X$  be a complex torus and  $n \neq 0$  an integer. Denote by  $n_X : X \rightarrow X$  the map  $x \mapsto n \cdot x$ . Prove that the endomorphism  $L \mapsto n_X^*L$  of  $\text{Pic}(X)$  induces the  $n$ -th power map on  $X^\vee$  and the  $n^2$ -th power map on  $\text{NS}(X)$ .