

A K-theoretic Proof of Boutet de Monvel's Index Theorem for Boundary Value Problems

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Central Facts

- Ellipticity implies that P is Fredholm.
- Index depends only on principal symbol
(lower order terms = compact perturbations)
- Index depends only on stable homotopy classes of σ_P .

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Atiyah und Singer 1963

- Solved the problem.
- Key tools: K -theory and pseudodifferential calculus.

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Principal Symbol

σ_P 'lives' on $T^*M \setminus 0$. Defines homomorphism $\pi^*E \rightarrow \pi^*F$.
Moreover: Isomorphism outside zero section due to ellipticity.
Hence: Defines an element

$$[\sigma_P] \in K_c(T^*M).$$

Index Theorem

Topological Index Map

There exists a homomorphism ('topological index map')

$$\chi_t : K_c(T^*M) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

Corollary

Have two ways of associating an integer to an elliptic operator:

- Take the Fredholm index of P
- Take the topological index of $[\sigma_P]$

Index Theorem: Same result

$$\text{Index } P = \chi_t([\sigma_P]).$$

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Cohomological Form

$$\text{Index } P = \int \text{ch} [\sigma_P] \wedge \text{Td}(M)$$

with Chern character of the K-class and the Todd genus of M .

Classical Boundary Value Problems

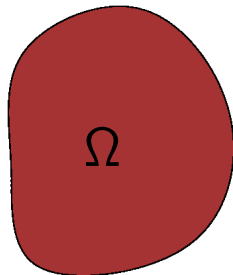
$\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ smoothly bounded domain.

P differential operator on Ω , f function on Ω ,

T trace operator, g function on $\partial\Omega$.

Find u on $\bar{\Omega}$ with

$$Pu = f \text{ in } \Omega \quad \text{and} \quad Tu = g \text{ on } \partial\Omega.$$



Example: Dirichlet Problem

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta u &= f \text{ in } \Omega \\ \gamma_0 u = u|_{\partial\Omega} &= g \text{ auf } \partial\Omega. \end{aligned}$$

Ellipticity

Lopatinskij-Shapiro Condition

The boundary problem $\begin{pmatrix} P \\ T \end{pmatrix}$ is elliptic, if

- P is elliptic and
- for each $(x', \xi') \in T^*(\partial X) \setminus 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sigma_P(x', 0, \xi', D_n) \\ \sigma_T(x', \xi', D_n) \end{pmatrix} : \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+) \xrightarrow{\cong} \begin{matrix} \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_+) \\ \oplus \\ \mathbb{C} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{boundary symbol} \\ \text{must be} \\ \text{invertible} \end{matrix}$$

Here, locally $X = \{x_n \geq 0\}$.

Detour: Solving the Dirichlet Problem

Solving the Dirichlet Problem

Solution is a sum $u = u_1 + u_2$, where u_1 and u_2 solve

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta u_1 &= f & \text{and} & & \Delta u_2 &= 0 \\ \gamma_0 u_1 &= 0 & & & \gamma_0 u_2 &= g. \end{aligned}$$

Obtain

u_1 using

Green's function Γ

$$u_1 = \Gamma f = \int_{\Omega} \Gamma(x, y) f(y) dy$$

u_2 using

Poisson operator K

$$u_2 = Kg = \int_{\partial\Omega} K(x, y) g(y) dy$$

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- correction term G (= smooth in the interior).

As an operator:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta \\ \gamma_0 \end{pmatrix} : C^\infty(\bar{\Omega}) \rightarrow \begin{matrix} C^\infty(\bar{\Omega}) \\ \oplus \\ C^\infty(\partial\Omega) \end{matrix}$$

Inverse:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Delta \\ \gamma_0 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} P+G \\ \Gamma \end{pmatrix}}_K : \begin{matrix} C^\infty(\bar{\Omega}) \\ \oplus \\ C^\infty(\partial\Omega) \end{matrix} \rightarrow C^\infty(\bar{\Omega})$$

Boutet de Monvel's Algebra

Goal (Boutet de Monvel 1971)

Construction of an algebra containing

- the classical boundary value problems and
- their (pseudo-)inverses, whenever those exist.

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X smooth compact manifold with boundary.

An operator in Boutet de Monvel's algebra is a matrix

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- Using the Atiyah-Singer Index Theorem, he obtains

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Cohomological form (Fedosov 1996)

$$\text{Index } A = \int_{T^*X} \text{ch}(\sigma(A)) \text{Td}(X) + \int_{T^*\partial X} \text{ch}'(\gamma(A)) \text{Td}(\partial X).$$

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Find natural short exact sequences

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$i = 0, 1$. The sequences split (though not naturally), and

$$K_i(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) = K_i(C(X)) \oplus K_{1-i}(C_0(T^*X^\circ)).$$

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is Boutet de Monvel's map. With the topological index map χ_t

$$\text{Index } A = \chi_t(p(A)).$$

Also Fedosov's cohomological formula follows.

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- $K_i(\mathfrak{W}_0) = 0 \Rightarrow K_i(C(S^*\partial X, \mathfrak{W}_0)) = 0$.

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- Isomorphism implemented by

$$C(\partial X) \ni g \xrightarrow{b} \begin{pmatrix} f & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathfrak{A} / \mathfrak{K},$$

where f is a function in $C(X)$ with $f = g$ on ∂X , considered as multiplication operator.

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The commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \longrightarrow & \ker \gamma / \mathfrak{K} & \longrightarrow & \mathfrak{A} / \mathfrak{K} & \xrightarrow{\pi} & \operatorname{ran} \gamma & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
 & & \uparrow m_0 & & \uparrow m & & \uparrow b & & \\
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 \end{array}$$

induces canonically a grid:

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 0 & \longrightarrow & Cm_0 & \longrightarrow & Cm & \longrightarrow & Cb & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & S(\ker \gamma / \mathfrak{K}) & \longrightarrow & S(\mathfrak{A} / \mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{S\pi} & S(\text{ran } \gamma) & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
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 \end{array}$$

- b isomorphism \Rightarrow (right vertical) $K_i(Cb) = 0$

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 \end{array}$$

- b isomorphism \Rightarrow (right vertical) $K_i(Cb) = 0$
- \Rightarrow (middle horizontal) $K_i(Cm) \cong K_i(Cm_0)$.
- Study long exact sequence for left verticals.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \longrightarrow & K_j(\mathbb{C}(X)) & \xrightarrow{m_*} & K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\beta} & K_{1-j}(\mathbb{C}m) & \longrightarrow \\
 & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \cong & \\
 \longrightarrow & K_j(\mathbb{C}_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\ker \gamma / \mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_{1-j}(\mathbb{C}m_0) & \longrightarrow
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 \longrightarrow & K_j(C(X)) & \xrightarrow{m_*} & K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\beta} & K_{1-j}(Cm) & \longrightarrow \\
 & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \cong & \\
 \longrightarrow & K_j(C_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_{1-j}(Cm_0) & \longrightarrow
 \end{array}$$

- Principal symbol furnishes $\text{Iso } \ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K} \cong C_0(S^*X^\circ)$.

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 & \uparrow & & \uparrow i & & \uparrow \phi \cong & \\
 \longrightarrow & K_j(C_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_{1-j}(Cm_0) & \longrightarrow
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- Principal symbol furnishes $\text{Iso } \ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K} \cong C_0(S^*X^\circ)$.
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 \longrightarrow & K_j(C(X)) & \xrightarrow{m_*} & K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\beta} & K_{1-i}(Cm) & \longrightarrow \\
 & \uparrow & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \cong & \\
 \longrightarrow & K_j(C_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_{1-i}(Cm_0) & \longrightarrow
 \end{array}$$

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- X connected, $\partial X \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow S^*X^\circ$ has a section.
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- \Rightarrow long exact sequence furnishes short exact sequences

$$0 \rightarrow K_j(C(X)) \xrightarrow{m_*} K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) \xrightarrow{\beta} K_{1-i}(Cm) \rightarrow 0,$$

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 & \uparrow & & \uparrow i & & \uparrow \phi \cong & \\
 \longrightarrow & K_j(C_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\ker \gamma/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & K_{1-i}(Cm_0) & \longrightarrow
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$$0 \rightarrow K_j(C(X)) \xrightarrow{m_*} K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) \xrightarrow{\beta} K_{1-i}(Cm) \rightarrow 0,$$

- Now identify $K_{1-i}(Cm) \cong K_{1-i}(C_0(T^*X^\circ))$.

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$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 0 & \longrightarrow & K_j(\mathcal{C}(X)) & \xrightarrow{m_*} & K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K}) & \xrightarrow{p} & K_{1-i}(\mathcal{C}_0(T^*X^\circ)) & \longrightarrow & 0 \\
 & & \uparrow & & \uparrow \iota & & \uparrow \phi \cong & & \\
 0 & \longrightarrow & K_j(\mathcal{C}_0(X^\circ)) & \xrightarrow{m_{0*}} & K_j(\mathfrak{J}/\mathfrak{K}) & \longrightarrow & K_{1-i}(\mathcal{C}m_0) & \longrightarrow & 0
 \end{array}$$

Show $\text{Index} A = \chi \circ p(A)$ on the ranges of $\iota_* : K_j(\ker \gamma / \mathfrak{K}) \rightarrow K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K})$ and $m_* : K_j(\mathcal{C}(X)) \rightarrow K_j(\mathfrak{A}/\mathfrak{K})$.

- On $\text{ran } m_*$, both are zero:
 $\text{ran } m_*$: Equivalence classes of invertible multiplication operators. (Index = 0).
 On the other hand, exactness of the sequence implies that $\text{ran } m_* \rightarrow 0$.
- On $\text{ran } \iota_*$ use Atiyah-Singer Theorem.