

# A Skoda-Type Integrability Theorem for Singular Monge–Ampère Measures

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ABSTRACT. Let  $\varphi$  be a plurisubharmonic function defined on an open subset of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ . We give a sufficient condition for the local integrability of  $e^{-\varphi}$  with respect to a Monge–Ampère measure with Hölder-continuous potential  $\mu = (\text{dd}^c u)^n$ . This condition is expressed in terms of the Lelong numbers of  $\varphi$  and the Hölder exponent of  $u$ .

## 1. Introduction and Main Result

Let  $\Omega$  be an open subset of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ . Recall that a function  $\varphi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \cup \{-\infty\}$  is *plurisubharmonic* (p.s.h. for short) if  $\varphi$  is upper semicontinuous, not identically  $-\infty$  in some connected component of  $\Omega$ , and if for every complex line  $L \subset \mathbb{C}^n$ , the function  $\varphi|_{\Omega \cap L}$  is either subharmonic in  $\Omega \cap L$  or identically  $-\infty$ .

The *Lelong number* of  $\varphi$  at  $a \in \Omega$  can be defined as

$$\nu(\varphi; a) := \liminf_{z \rightarrow a, z \neq a} \frac{\varphi(z)}{\log |z - a|},$$

and it somewhat measures the singularity of  $\varphi$  at  $a$ . This number can be characterized as  $\nu(\varphi; a) = \sup\{\gamma : \varphi(z) \leq \gamma \log |z - a| + O(1) \text{ as } z \rightarrow a\}$  and is one of the most basic quantities associated with the pole of  $\varphi$  at  $a$ . The function  $z \mapsto \nu(\varphi; z)$  is upper semicontinuous with respect to the usual topology, and a deep theorem of Siu [Siu74] states that this function is also upper semicontinuous with respect to the Zariski topology, that is, for every  $c > 0$ , the set  $\{a \in \Omega; \nu(\varphi, a) \geq c\}$  is a closed analytic subvariety of  $\Omega$ . For further properties and equivalent definitions of the Lelong number, the reader may consult [Dem] and [Hör07].

Another way of measuring the singularity of a p.s.h. function at a point was introduced by Demailly and Kollár [DK01] (see also [Tia87]) as a tool to study several types of algebraic and analytic objects, such as holomorphic functions, divisors, coherent ideal sheaves, positive closed currents, and so on. They define the *integrability index* of  $\varphi$  at  $a$  by

$$c(\varphi; a) = \sup\{c \geq 0 : e^{-2c\varphi} \text{ is Lebesgue integrable in a neighborhood of } a\}.$$

A classical theorem of Skoda [Sko72] states that if  $\nu(\varphi; a) < 2$ , then  $e^{-\varphi}$  is integrable in a neighborhood of  $a$  with respect to the Lebesgue measure. In terms of the quantities defined, this translates as  $c(\varphi; a) \geq \nu(\varphi; a)^{-1}$ . In the other direction, we also have  $c(\varphi; a) \leq n\nu(\varphi; a)^{-1}$ .