

# HOLOMORPHIC DYNAMICS

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This course is an introduction to the theory of holomorphic automorphisms of the complex space  $\mathbb{C}^n$ , with particular emphasis on Andersén-Lempert theory. It is well-known that for  $n = 1$  every holomorphic automorphism is affine:  $z \mapsto az + b$ ,  $a \neq 0$ . The situation is completely different in several complex variables, indeed  $\text{aut}(\mathbb{C}^n)$  is a huge and complicated group for all  $n \geq 2$ . Here follows a list of topics that will be considered during the course.

- Fatou-Bieberbach domains. If  $n \geq 2$  there exists proper domains of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  biholomorphic to  $\mathbb{C}^n$ . This kind of domains appear in particular as basins of an attractive fixed point for an automorphism of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  which admits at least another fixed point. The proof is based on the Poincaré-Dulac method.
- The Andersén-Lempert theorem. If  $n \geq 2$  and  $f$  is a biholomorphism between a starlike domain and a Runge domain of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ , then  $f$  is the uniform limit on compact subsets of automorphisms of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ .
- Forstneric-Weickert theorem. Let  $P: \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^n$  be a polynomial mapping with  $dP(0)$  invertible. Let  $d$  be the biggest degree of its components. Then there exists an automorphism  $\Psi$  of  $\mathbb{C}^n$  such that the  $d$ -jet of  $\Psi$  at 0 equals  $P$ .
- Construction of a non-Runge Fatou-Bieberbach domain and of a non-Stein long  $\mathbb{C}^2$ .