

A formula for the height of hypersurfaces in toric varieties with respect to toric line bundles equipped with semipositive toric metrics

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In [BPS], the Arakelov geometry of toric varieties has been written in terms of convex geometry. We deduce from the results therein a formula for the height of a hypersurface Y in a toric variety with respect to the choice of toric line bundles equipped with semipositive toric metrics $\bar{L}_0, \dots, \bar{L}_{n-1}$.

More precisely, on a base adelic field $(K, (|\cdot|_v, n_v)_{v \in \mathfrak{m}_K})$, such height can be written as

$$h_{\bar{L}_0, \dots, \bar{L}_{n-1}}(Y) = \sum_{v \in \mathfrak{m}_K} n_v \text{MI}_M(\vartheta_{0,v}, \dots, \vartheta_{n-1,v}, \rho_v^\vee),$$

where $\{\vartheta_{i,v}\}$ are concave functions associated to the choice of the metrized line bundles, ρ_v^\vee is the Legendre-Fenchel dual of a suitable v -adic Ronkin function of Y and MI_M denotes the mixed integral of concave functions on a real vector space.

A well-known result by V. Maillot for the canonical height of hypersurfaces in smooth projective toric varieties follows easily from our general approach.

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