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**Supersymmetric partition functions and Twisted Holomorphic Theories**

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**Abstract**

I will consider supersymmetric field theories on compact manifolds  $M$  and obtain constraints on the dependence of their partition functions  $Z_M$  on the geometry of  $M$ . For  $N=1$  theories with a  $U(1)$  R symmetry in four dimensions,  $M$  must be a complex manifold with a Hermitian metric. I will show how describe the theory in terms of twisted variables that make easy to analyze the dependence of  $Z_M$  on the parameters entering the Lagrangian. I will also show that  $Z_M$  is "almost" topological:  $Z_M$  is independent of the Hermitian metric and depends holomorphically on the complex structure moduli.

