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Let B be a polydisk in \mathbb{C}^m

Let $\alpha \in A^{p,q}(B)$ d -closed, $p, q \geq 1$.

Then there exists $\gamma \in A^{p-1, q-1}(B)$, such that $\partial \bar{\partial} \gamma = \alpha$.

Proof: There exists a $(p+q-1)$ -form β , such that $d\beta = \alpha$, by the d -Poincaré Lemma.

Let $\beta' \in A^{p-1, q}(B)$, $\beta'' \in A^{p, q-1}(B)$ be the projections of β . If $(r, s) \notin \{(p-1, q), (p, q-1)\}$, then the projection of β to $A^{r, s}(B)$ is closed, and so $d\beta = d(\beta' + \beta'')$, since α is of type (p, q) . Hence, $\bar{\partial}\beta' = 0$, $\partial\beta'' = 0$, and $\partial\beta' + \bar{\partial}\beta'' = \alpha$.

The $\bar{\partial}$ -Poincaré Lemma and its ∂ -analogue imply that there exist $\gamma', \gamma'' \in A^{p-1, q-1}(B)$, such that $\beta' = \bar{\partial}\gamma'$ and $\beta'' = \partial\gamma''$.
Take $\gamma := \gamma' - \gamma''$.

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \partial \bar{\partial} (\gamma) &= \partial (\bar{\partial} \gamma') - \underbrace{\partial \bar{\partial}}_{-\bar{\partial} \partial} (\gamma'') = \\ &= \partial \beta' + \bar{\partial} \beta'' = \alpha. \end{aligned}$$

Q.E.D.