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For a domain  $\Omega$ , people have been interested in the relationship between the harmonic measure  $\omega$  and the surface measure  $\sigma$  of the boundary. In particular, if  $\omega \ll \sigma$ , what can we say about the geometry of the domain and the solutions to elliptic equations in  $\Omega$ ; and vice versa? This talk will focus on the analytic side of the story. We consider a quantitative version of absolute continuity  $\omega \in A_\infty(\sigma)$ , and we show it is equivalent to the BMO-solvability of elliptic equations: for any continuous function  $f \in BMO(\sigma)$ , let  $u$  be the solution to  $-div(A(x)\nabla u) = 0$  with boundary data  $f$ , then  $|\nabla u|^2 \delta(x) dx$  is a Carleson measure, with constant bounded by  $\|f\|_{BMO}^2$ . BMO-solvability is in fact the limit case of standard  $L^p$ -solvability. (Received July 15, 2016)