G-constellations and the maximal resolution of a quotient surface singularity

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ABSTRACT. For a finite subgroup G of $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$, we consider the moduli space \mathcal{M}_{θ} of G-constellations. It depends on the stability parameter θ and if θ is generic it is a resolution of singularities of \mathbb{C}^2/G . In this paper, we show that a resolution Y of \mathbb{C}^2/G is isomorphic to \mathcal{M}_{θ} for some generic θ if and only if Y is dominated by the maximal resolution under the assumption that G is abelian or small.

1. Introduction

The moduli spaces of G-constellations (on an affine space) are introduced in [CI04]. It is a generalization of the Hilbert scheme of G-orbits, which is denoted by G-Hilb. The moduli space depends on some stability parameter θ and the moduli space of θ -stable G-constellations is denoted by \mathcal{M}_{θ} . If G is a subgroup of $\mathrm{SL}(n,\mathbb{C})$ acting on \mathbb{C}^n and $n \leq 3$, then \mathcal{M}_{θ} is a crepant resolution of \mathbb{C}^n/G for a generic stability parameter θ . The main result of [CI04] is that for a finite abelian subgroup $G \subset \mathrm{SL}(3,\mathbb{C})$ and for a projective crepant resolution $Y \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$, there is a generic stability parameter θ such that $Y \cong \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$. See [Ke14], [NdCS17], [Jun16] and [Jun18] for related results.

The purpose of this paper is to consider the case where G is a finite subgroup of $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$. In this case, G-Hilb(\mathbb{C}^2) is the minimal resolution of \mathbb{C}^2/G by [Ish02] but \mathcal{M}_{θ} is a resolution which may not be minimal for generic θ (as we see in this paper). Then what is the condition for a resolution $Y \to \mathbb{C}^2$ to be isomorphic to some \mathcal{M}_{θ} ? One important observation is that there is a fully faithful functor (see Theorem 3)

$$D^b(\operatorname{coh} \mathscr{M}_{\theta}) \hookrightarrow D^b(\operatorname{coh}^G \mathbb{C}^2)$$

between the derived categories. According to the DK hypothesis [Kaw18], the inclusion of derived categories should be related with inequalities of canonical divisors. Then it is natural to ask if the following is true: Y is isomorphic to \mathcal{M}_{θ} for some θ if and only if Y is between the minimal and the maximal

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resolutions (see Conjecture 4), where the maximal resolution means the unique maximal one satisfying the inequality as in [KSB88]. The main result of this paper is the following. Recall that G is said to be small if it contains no pseudo reflection.

THEOREM 1 (= Theorem 7). Let $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ be a finite small subgroup and let $X = \mathbb{C}^2/G$ be the quotient singularity. Then a resolution of singularities $Y \to X$ is isomorphic to \mathcal{M}_{θ} for some θ if and only if Y is dominated by the maximal resolution.

Conjecture 4 is a conjecture for general (not necessarily small) finite subgroups where the maximal resolution is defined for the pair of the quotient variety \mathbb{C}^2/G and the associated boundary divisor. The "only if" part of the conjecture is proved in Proposition 1 by using the embedding of G into $SL(3,\mathbb{C})$ and the fact that the moduli space of G-constellations for $G\subset$ $SL(3,\mathbb{C})$ is a crepant resolution of \mathbb{C}^3/G . We can show that the conjecture is true if G is abelian (Theorem 5) by using the result of [CI04]. The idea in the non-abelian case of Theorem 1 is to use iterated construction of moduli spaces as in [IINdC13] and reduce the problem to the abelian group case. Namely, let N be the cyclic group generated by -I, which is a normal subgroup of every non-abelian finite small subgroup. We consider G/N-constellations on the moduli space of N-constellations in §7. In order to do such iterated constructions, we define G-constellations on a general variety and consider their stability parameters in §6. A key to the proof of Theorem 1 is the description of the space of stability parameters for G/N-constellations on the moduli space of N-constellations, which is done in §8.1. The proof of Theorem 1 is completed in §8.2.

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2. G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^n

2.1. Definitions. Let $V = \mathbb{C}^n$ be an affine space and $G \subset GL(V)$ a finite subgroup.

DEFINITION 1. A *G-constellation* on V is a *G*-equivariant coherent sheaf E on V such that $H^0(E)$ is isomorphic to the regular representation of G as a $\mathbb{C}[G]$ -module.

Let $R(G) = \bigoplus_{\rho \in Irr(G)} \mathbb{Z}\rho$ be the representation ring of G, where Irr(G) denotes the set of irreducible representations of G. The parameter space of stability conditions of G-constellations is the \mathbb{Q} -vector space

$$\Theta = \{\theta \in \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(R(G), \mathbb{Q}) \,|\, \theta(\mathbb{C}[G]) = 0\},\$$

where $\mathbb{C}[G]$ is regarded as the regular representation of G. The definition of the stability is based on the stability of quiver representations [Kin94]:

DEFINITION 2. A *G*-constellation *E* is θ -stable (or θ -semistable) if every proper G-equivariant coherent subsheaf $0 \subseteq F \subseteq E$ satisfies $\theta(H^0(F)) > 0$ (or $\theta(H^0(F)) \ge 0$). Here the representation space $H^0(F)$ of *G* is regarded as an element of R(G).

By virtue of King [Kin94], there is a fine moduli scheme $\mathcal{M}_{\theta} = \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(V)$ of θ -stable G-constellations on V.

DEFINITION 3. We say that a parameter $\theta \in \Theta$ is *generic* if a θ -semistable *G*-constellation is always θ -stable.

There is a morphism $\tau: \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(V) \to V/G$ which sends a G-constellation to its support. It is a projective morphism if θ is generic (see [CI04, Proposition 2.2]).

2.2. Results of [CI04]. In this subsection, we recall results from [CI04]. Suppose $V = \mathbb{C}^3$ and let $G \subset SL(V)$ be a finite abelian subgroup. For a generic parameter $\theta \in \Theta$, the morphism

$$\tau: \mathcal{M}_{\theta} \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$$

is a projective crepant resolution and we have a Fourier-Mukai transform

$$\Phi_{\theta}: D^b(\operatorname{coh} \mathscr{M}_{\theta}) \xrightarrow{\sim} D^b(\operatorname{coh}^G(\mathbb{C}^3)).$$

Here for a variety Y, coh Y denotes the category of coherent sheaves on Y and if Y is acted on by a finite group G, $\operatorname{coh}^G(Y)$ denotes the category of G-equivariant coherent sheaves on Y. The subset of Θ consisting of generic parameters is divided into chambers; the moduli space \mathscr{M}_{θ} and the equivalence Φ_{θ} depend only on the chamber to which θ belongs. Thus we write \mathscr{M}_C and Φ_C instead of \mathscr{M}_{θ} and Φ_{θ} where C is the chamber that contains θ . We write

$$\varphi_C: K(\operatorname{coh}_0 \mathscr{M}_C) \to K(\operatorname{coh}_0^G(\mathbb{C}^3))$$

for the induced isomorphism of the Grothendieck groups of the full sub-categories $\cosh_0 \mathcal{M}_\theta$ and $\cosh_0^G(\mathbb{C}^3)$ consisting of sheaves supported on the sub-

sets $\tau^{-1}(0)$ and on $\{0\}$ respectively. Since $K(\operatorname{coh}_0^G(\mathbb{C}^3))$ has a basis consisting of skyscraper sheaves $\mathcal{C}_0 \otimes \rho$ with $\rho \in \operatorname{Irr}(G)$, it is naturally identified with R(G).

The dual of φ_C is regarded as the map

$$\varphi_C^*: K(\operatorname{coh}^G(\mathbb{C}^3)) \to K(\operatorname{coh} \mathcal{M}_\theta)$$

between the Grothendieck groups of the categories of sheaves without restrictions on the supports. Then $K(\cosh^G(\mathbb{C}^3))$ is identified with $\operatorname{Hom}(R(G),\mathbb{Z})$ and φ_C^* induces an isomorphism

$$\Theta \xrightarrow{\sim} F^1 K(\operatorname{coh} \mathcal{M}_{\theta})_{\mathbf{0}}$$

where $F^iK(\cosh \mathcal{M}_{\theta})$ is the subgroup consisting of the classes of objects whose supports are at least of codimension i.

On \mathcal{M}_C there are tautological bundles \mathcal{R}_ρ for irreducible representations ρ such that $\bigoplus_{\rho} \mathcal{R}_\rho \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \rho$ has a structure of the universal G-constellation. For $\theta \in C$,

$$\mathscr{L}_C(\theta) := \bigotimes_{\rho} (\det \mathscr{R}_{\rho})^{\otimes \theta(\rho)}$$

is the (fractional) ample line bundle on \mathcal{M}_{θ} obtained by the GIT construction. It coincides with the class

$$[\varphi_C^*(\theta)] \in F^1 K(\operatorname{coh} \mathcal{M}_C)_{\mathbf{0}} / F^2 K(\operatorname{coh} \mathcal{M}_C)_{\mathbf{0}} \cong \operatorname{Pic}(\mathcal{M}_C)_{\mathbf{0}}$$
 (2.1)

as in [CI04, §5.1]. Hence $[\varphi_C^*(\theta)] \in \text{Amp}(\mathcal{M}_C)$ where $\text{Amp}(\mathcal{M}_C)$ is the ample cone considered in $\text{Pic}(\mathcal{M}_C)_{\mathbb{Q}}$. The main theorem of [CI04] and the argument in [CI04, §8] show the following:

THEOREM 2 ([CI04]). For any projective crepant resolution $Y \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ and a class $l \in \text{Amp}(Y)$, there exist a chamber C with $Y \cong \mathcal{M}_C$ and a parameter $\theta \in C$ satisfying $l = [\varphi_C^*(\theta)]$.

PROOF. The existence of a chamber C such that $Y \cong \mathcal{M}_C$ is [CI04, Theorem 1.1]. Moreover, [CI04, Proposition 8.2] ensures that we can find a chamber C and a parameter $\theta \in \overline{C}$ with $l = [\varphi_C^*(\theta)]$. Suppose $\theta \in \overline{C} \setminus C$. We have to see we can perturb θ in the fiber of $p \circ \varphi_C^*$ so that θ is in some chamber, where

$$p: F^1K(\operatorname{coh} \mathscr{M}_C)_{\mathbb{Q}} \to \operatorname{Pic}(\mathscr{M}_C)_{\mathbb{Q}}$$

is the projection. Here recall that a wall of the chamber C is either the preimage of a wall of the ample cone by $p \circ \varphi_C^*$ (type I or III) or does not contain a fiber of $p \circ \varphi_C^*$ (type 0); see [CI04, Theorem 5.9]. In our case, $p \circ \varphi_C^*(\theta) = l$ is ample and therefore θ is on walls of type 0. Since the images of adjacent chambers in $F^1K(\cosh \mathcal{M}_C)_{\mathbb{Q}}$ are related as in [CI04, (8.2) or (8.3)], we can perturb θ in the fiber of $p \circ \varphi_C^*$ and go out of walls.

2.3. G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^2 . Let G be a finite subgroup of $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$.

THEOREM 3. If θ is generic, then the moduli space \mathcal{M}_{θ} is a resolution of singularities of \mathbb{C}^2/G . Moreover, the universal family of G-constellations defines a fully faithful functor

$$\Phi_{\theta}: D^b(\operatorname{coh} \mathscr{M}_{\theta}) \to D^b(\operatorname{coh}^G \mathbb{C}^2).$$

PROOF. This is essentially Theorem 1.3 in the first arXiv version of [BKR01]. We have the inequality

$$\dim \, \mathcal{M}_{\theta} \times_{(\mathbb{C}^2/G)} \mathcal{M}_{\theta} \leq \dim \, \mathbb{C}^2$$

which is sharper than the assumption in [BKR01]. This allows us to apply the argument of [BKR01] (without using the triviality of the Serre functors) to show that Φ_{θ} is fully faithful and that \mathcal{M}_{θ} is smooth and connected (see [Ish02, Theorem 6.2]).

The problem we consider is to characterize the resolutions Y such that $Y \cong \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$ for some generic θ .

3. The maximal resolution

Let G be a finite subgroup of $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$, which is not necessarily small, i.e., the action may not be free on $\mathbb{C}^2\setminus\{0\}$. Then the quotient variety $X=\mathbb{C}^2/G$ is equipped with a boundary divisor B determined by the equality $\pi^*(K_X+B)=K_{\mathbb{C}^2}$. More precisely, B is expressed as

$$B = \sum_{j} \frac{m_j - 1}{m_j} B_j,$$

where $B_j \subset X$ is the image of a one-dimensional linear subspace whose pointwise stabilizer subgroup $G_j \subset G$ is cyclic of order m_j . Note that G is small if and only if B = 0. Let $\tau: Y \to X$ be a resolution of singularities and write

$$K_Y + \tau_*^{-1} B \equiv \tau^* (K_X + B) + \sum_i a_i E_i,$$
 (3.1)

where E_i are the exceptional divisors and $a_i \in \mathbb{Q}$. Recall that (X, B) is a KLT pair ([KM98, Proposition 5.20]), which implies $a_i > -1$ for all i. Then among

the resolutions Y which satisfy $a_i \le 0$ for all i, there is a unique maximal one, as in [KSB88] (see also [Kaw18, Theorem 17]). It is called the maximal resolution of (X, B) and we denote it by Y_{max} .

Notice that the system of inequalities $a_i \le 0$ is an inequality between canonical divisors. According to the DK-hypothesis [Kaw18], the inequality should correspond to the embedding of derived categories in Theorem 3 with $Y = \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$. Thus we make the following conjecture:

Conjecture 4. Let $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ be a finite subgroup and consider the quotient $X = \mathbb{C}^2/G$ with the boundary divisor B. For any resolution of singularities $Y \to X$, there is a generic $\theta \in \Theta$ with $Y \cong \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$ if and only if there is a morphism $Y_{\max} \to Y$ over X. Here Y_{\max} is the maximal resolution of (X, B).

4. "Only if" part

In this section, we show the "only if" part of Conjecture 4. Embed $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ into $SL(3,\mathbb{C})$ by sending a matrix $A \in GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ to $\begin{pmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & \det(A)^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$. Then for $\theta \in \Theta$, we can consider the moduli space $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3)$ of θ -stable G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 with respect to the action of G on \mathbb{C}^3 .

LEMMA 1. For any $\theta \in \Theta$, there is a closed embedding $\mathcal{M}_{\theta} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3)$ which fits into the commutative diagram

$$\mathcal{M}_{\theta} \subseteq \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^{3})$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\mathbb{C}^{2}/G \subseteq \mathcal{C}^{3}/G.$$

Moreover, if θ is generic for G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 , then the vertical arrows are projective and hence are resolutions of singularities.

PROOF. Recall that the universal family of *G*-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 is given by the tautological bundles $\{\mathscr{R}_{\rho}\}_{\rho \in \operatorname{Irr} G}$ and the *G*-equivariant morphism

$$\bigoplus_{\rho} \mathcal{R}_{\rho} \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \rho \to \mathbb{C}^{3} \otimes \left(\bigoplus_{\rho} \mathcal{R}_{\rho} \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \rho\right). \tag{4.1}$$

If $\rho_{\rm nat}$ denotes the representation given by $G \subset {\rm GL}(2,\mathbb{C})$, then \mathbb{C}^3 above is $\rho_{\rm nat} \oplus \det \rho_{\rm nat}^*$. Taking the third coordinate of \mathbb{C}^3 in (4.1) we obtain a morphism

$$z_{\rho}: \mathscr{R}_{\rho} \to \mathscr{R}_{\rho \otimes \det \rho_{not}}$$

for each ρ . It is straightforward that the scheme theoretic intersection of the zero loci of z_{ρ} 's is isomorphic to \mathcal{M}_{θ} . Hence \mathcal{M}_{θ} is a closed subscheme of $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3)$. Moreover, we can see that the composite $\mathcal{M}_{\theta} \hookrightarrow \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3) \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ factors through \mathbb{C}^2/G . If θ is generic for G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 , then it is also generic for G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^2 , from which the projectivities of the vertical arrows follow.

Now let us prove the "only if" part.

Proposition 1. If θ is generic, then there is a morphism $Y_{\max} \to \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$ over X.

PROOF. Putting $Y = \mathcal{M}_{\theta}$, we show that $a_i \leq 0$ for all i in (3.1). Embed G into $SL(3,\mathbb{C})$ and consider $U := \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3)$, the moduli space of θ -stable G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 . Here, we may assume that θ is generic for G-constellations on \mathbb{C}^3 by slightly perturbing θ if necessary. Then U is a crepant resolution of \mathbb{C}^3/G containing Y by Lemma 1 and therefore we have

$$K_Y \cong \mathcal{O}_U(Y)|_Y. \tag{4.2}$$

Let z be the coordinate function of \mathbb{C}^3 such that $\mathbb{C}^2 \subset \mathbb{C}^3$ is defined by z = 0. Then z^n is invariant under the action of G where n is the order of G. We claim that the principal divisor (z^n) on U is of the form

$$(z^n) = nY + \sum_{j} \frac{n(m_j - 1)}{m_j} B'_j + \sum_{k} d_k D_k$$
 (4.3)

where $B'_j, D_k \subset U$ are prime divisors such that $B'_j \cap Y = \tau_*^{-1}B_j$ and $D_k \cap Y$ is contained in the exceptional locus of $Y \to \mathbb{C}^2/G$ (or empty). This is saying that there exists an exceptional prime divisor B'_j of $U \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ lying over B_j with $B'_j \cap Y = \tau_*^{-1}B_j$ and that its coefficient in (z^n) is $\frac{n(m_j-1)}{m_j}$. We may check this over the complete local ring $\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G,P}$ at a point $P \in B_j \setminus \{0\}$. Since G_j is the stabilizer subgroup of a point of \mathbb{C}^3 lying over P, there is an isomorphism of complete local rings:

$$\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G,P} \cong \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G_i,[0]}.$$

Let \tilde{B}_j be a line in \mathbb{C}^2 mapped to B_j and take a G_j -invariant linear subspace \tilde{B}_j^{\perp} of \mathbb{C}^3 such that

$$\mathbb{C}^3 = \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_i \times \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_i^{\perp}.$$

Then $G_j \cong \mathbb{Z}/m_j\mathbb{Z}$ is a subgroup of $\{1\} \times \mathrm{SL}(\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_i^{\perp})$ and therefore we have

$$\mathbb{C}^3/G_i \cong \tilde{\mathbf{B}}_i \times (\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_i^{\perp}/G_i),$$

where \tilde{B}_j^{\perp}/G_j is a rational double point of type A_{m_j-1} . Thus we can see that on the crepant resolution

$$U\times_{(\mathbb{C}^3/G)}\operatorname{Spec}\,\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G,P}\to\operatorname{Spec}\,\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G,P}\cong\operatorname{Spec}\,\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\mathbb{C}^3/G_i,[0]},$$

there is a prime divisor \hat{B}'_j with desired properties such that the coefficient of \hat{B}'_i in the divisor (z^{m_j}) is $m_j - 1$. Since m_j divides n, this proves (4.3).

From (4.2) and (4.3), we obtain

$$K_Y + \tau_*^{-1} B \equiv -\sum \frac{d_k}{n} (D_k \cap Y).$$

Here, note that z^n is a regular function and therefore the coefficients in (4.3) are all non-negative. Especially, we have $d_k \ge 0$ for all k. This proves the assertion since $K_X + B \in \text{Pic}(X) \otimes \mathbb{Q} = 0$ in (3.1).

5. Abelian group case

Let $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ be a finite abelian subgroup of order n. As in the previous section, we embed $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ into $SL(3,\mathbb{C})$.

Theorem 5. Conjecture 4 is true if G is abelian.

PROOF. It is sufficient to prove the "if" part by Proposition 1. Let $Y \to X = \mathbb{C}^2/G$ be a resolution which is dominated by Y_{\max} . By Proposition 2 below, there is a projective crepant resolution $U \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ such that $Y \subset U$. Then [CI04] ensures that there is a generic parameter θ such that $U \cong \mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^3)$. Then $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(\mathbb{C}^2)$ is isomorphic to Y by Lemma 1.

Before stating the proposition, we need some notation. We diagonalize G and write

$$g = \operatorname{diag}(\zeta_n^{a_g}, \zeta_n^{b_g})$$

for $g \in G$ where ζ_n is a primitive *n*-th root of unity. Put

$$N_2 := \mathbb{Z}^2 + \sum_{g \in G} \mathbb{Z} \cdot \frac{1}{n} (a_g, b_g),$$

$$N_3 := \mathbb{Z}^3 + \sum_{g \in G} \mathbb{Z} \cdot \frac{1}{n} (a_g, b_g, -a_g - b_g)$$

which are the lattices of one-parameter subgroups for the toric varieties \mathbb{C}^2/G and \mathbb{C}^3/G respectively. The *junior simplex* $\Delta \subset (N_3)_{\mathbb{R}}$ is the triangle with vertices e_1 , e_2 , e_3 where $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ is the basis of \mathbb{Z}^3 with $e_1, e_2 \in \mathbb{Z}^2$. A

crepant resolution U corresponds to a basic triangulation of Δ . For a basic triangulation Σ of Δ , let U_{Σ} be the corresponding crepant resolution.

Consider the natural projection

$$p_{12}: N_3 \to N_2$$

and put $\Delta' := p_{12}(\Delta) \cong \Delta$. Let $e_i' \in (\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0})e_i \cap N_2$ be the primitive vector and write $e_i = m_i e_i'$ for i = 1, 2. If $B_i \subset \mathbb{C}^2/G$ denote the divisor corresponding to e_i' , then

$$B := \frac{m_1 - 1}{m_1} B_1 + \frac{m_2 - 1}{m_2} B_2$$

is the boundary divisor for the quotient \mathbb{C}^2/G . A resolution Y of \mathbb{C}^2/G is given by choosing primitive vectors v_0, v_1, \ldots, v_s of $(\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0})^2 \cap N_2$ such that $v_0 = e'_1, v_s = e'_2$ and $\{v_{i-1}, v_i\}$ is a basis of N_2 for $i = 1, \ldots, s$. If E_i denotes the exceptional divisor corresponding to v_i for $i = 1, \ldots, s - 1$, then the discrepancy a_i of E_i for the pair (X, B) is $\alpha_i + \beta_i - 1$ where $v_i = (\alpha_i, \beta_i)$. Therefore, Y is dominated by the maximal resolution Y_{\max} of (X, B) if and only if all of v_1, \ldots, v_{s-1} are in Δ' .

Let $G_{(1,0)} \subset G$ be the stabilizer subgroup of $(1,0) \in \mathbb{C}^2 = \mathbb{C}^2 \times \{0\} \subset \mathbb{C}^3$. Then $G_{(1,0)}$ acts on $\{1\} \times \mathbb{C}^2 \cong \mathbb{C}^2$ as a subgroup of SL(2) and the quotient $(\{1\} \times \mathbb{C}^2)/G_{(1,0)}$ is a closed subvariety of \mathbb{C}^3/G . Let

$$W \to (\{1\} \times \mathbb{C}^2)/G_{(1,0)}$$

be the minimal resolution. Notice that W is contained in any crepant resolution U of \mathbb{C}^3/G since $(\{1\} \times \mathbb{C}^2)/G_{(1,0)} \subset \mathbb{C}^3/G$ is transversal to the one-dimensional stratum $(\mathbb{C}^\times \times \{(0,0)\})/G$. Now we prove the following proposition. The surjectivity of the ample cones will be used in the proof of the main theorem.

PROPOSITION 2. Let $Y \to \mathbb{C}^2/G$ be a resolution dominated by Y_{max} . Then there is a projective crepant resolution $U = U_{\Sigma} \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ containing Y such that the restriction map $\text{Amp}(U) \to \text{Amp}(W)$ of the ample cones is surjective.

PROOF. Since Y is dominated by Y_{\max} , it is defined by primitive vectors $v_0, v_1, \ldots, v_s \in \Delta' \cap N_2$. Let $w_i \in \Delta \cap N_3$ be the unique lift of v_i . For a basic triangulation Σ of Δ , $U = U_{\Sigma}$ contains Y if and only if the points connected to e_3 in Σ are exactly w_0, \ldots, w_s .

We prove the assertion by the induction on the order |G| of G. If |G| = 1, then there is nothing to prove. We consider the number

$$v := \#(\{w_0, \dots, w_{s-1}\} \setminus \{e_1\}) \ge 0.$$

If v = 0, then s must be 1 and $w_0 = e_1$ is a primitive vector. Especially, $\{e_1, v_1\}$ is a basis of N_2 . In this case, Δ has a unique basic triangulation Σ and $U_{\Sigma} \cong W \times \mathbb{C}$. Hence the restriction map $\mathrm{Amp}(U_{\Sigma}) \to \mathrm{Amp}(W)$ is an isomorphism.

Suppose v > 0. Let $w \in \{w_0, \dots, w_{s-1}\} \setminus \{e_1\}$ be a point such that the coefficient of e_3 in w is the smallest. Then w determines a star subdivision of $\Delta: \Delta = \bigcup_{i=1}^3 \Delta_i$ where $\Delta_1, \Delta_2, \Delta_3$ are the triangles $we_2e_3, we_1e_3, we_1e_2$ respectively. Note that either Δ_2 or Δ_3 may be degenerate, in which case we simply ignore the degenerate one in the sequel. This subdivision of Δ , which is denoted by Σ_0 , determines a projective crepant birational morphism $U_{\Sigma_0} \rightarrow$ \mathbb{C}^3/G where U_{Σ_0} is a toric variety with at most Gorenstein quotient singularities. The choice of w implies that w_0, \ldots, w_s are in $\Delta_1 \cup \Delta_2$. Hence by the induction hypothesis, there are basic triangulations Σ_1 and Σ_2 of Δ_1 and Δ_2 respectively, which satisfy the following conditions: in $\Sigma_1 \cup \Sigma_2$, the vertices connected to e_3 are exactly w_0, \ldots, w_s , the map $Amp(U_{\Sigma_1}) \to Amp(W)$ is surjective and $Amp(U_{\Sigma_2})$ is non-empty. We choose an arbitrary basic triangulation Σ_3 of Δ_3 with non-empty Amp (U_{Σ_3}) . Combining the triangulations Σ_1 , Σ_2 and Σ_3 together, we obtain a basic triangulation of Δ such that $U_{\Sigma} \supset Y$. Since $\Delta = \bigcup_{i=1}^{3} \Delta_i$ is a star subdivision, we see that $U_{\Sigma} \to U_{\Sigma_0}$ is a projective morphism and the map $Amp(U_{\Sigma}) \to Amp(U_{\Sigma_1})$ is surjective. Therefore, the morphism $U_{\Sigma} \to \mathbb{C}^3/G$ is also projective and $Amp(U_{\Sigma}) \to$ Amp(W) is surjective.

6. G-constellations on a variety

In the case of G-constellations for non-abelian $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$, we shall use the iterated construction of moduli spaces for a normal subgroup of G as in [IINdC13]. In order to do so, we have to consider G-constellations on a variety, rather than an affine space. Especially, the space of stability parameters will be larger than the affine case in general.

Suppose U is a quasi projective variety of finite type over $\mathbb C$ and G is a finite group acting on U. Let $\operatorname{coh}^G(U)$ be the abelian category of G-equivariant coherent sheaves on U and $\operatorname{coh}^G_{\operatorname{cpt}}(U)$ its subcategory consisting of sheaves whose supports are proper over $\mathbb C$. The corresponding Grothendieck groups are denoted by $K(\operatorname{coh}^G(U))$ and $K(\operatorname{coh}^G_{\operatorname{cpt}}(U))$ respectively. We also consider the perfect derived category $\operatorname{Perf}^G(U)$ of G-equivariant perfect complexes and its Grothendieck group $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))$. For $\alpha \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))$ and $\beta \in K(\operatorname{coh}^G_{\operatorname{cpt}}(U))$, we write

$$\chi(\alpha, \beta) := \sum_{i} (-1)^{i} \dim \operatorname{Ext}_{\mathcal{O}_{U}}^{i}(\alpha, \beta)^{G}. \tag{6.1}$$

Let $\operatorname{coh}_{0-\operatorname{dim}}^G(U)$ be the subcategory of $\operatorname{coh}_{\operatorname{cpt}}^G(U)$ consisting of sheaves with 0-dimensional support. We define the stability condition of objects in $\operatorname{coh}_{0-\operatorname{dim}}^G(U)$.

DEFINITION 4. Fix a class $\xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))$. An object $E \in \operatorname{coh}_{0-\operatorname{dim}}^G(U)$ is said to be ξ -stable (or ξ -semistable) if $\chi(\xi,E)=0$ and if for every non-trivial G-equivariant subsheaf F of E, $\chi(\xi,[F])>0$ (or $\chi(\xi,[F])\geq 0$).

In the case where $U = \mathbb{C}^N$ is an affine space with a linear *G*-action, $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U)) = K(\operatorname{coh}^G(U))$ is isomorphic to (the dual of) the representation ring R(G) and the definition coincides with the (\mathbb{Z} -valued) one in §2.1.

We have a well-defined function rank : $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U)) \to \mathbb{Z}$ which extends the rank of a locally free sheaf. Put

$$K(\operatorname{Perf}^{G}(U))^{0} := \{ \xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^{G}(U)) \mid \operatorname{rank} \xi = 0 \}.$$

DEFINITION 5. A *G-constellation* on *U* is a *G*-equivariant coherent sheaf *E* on *U* with finite support such that $H^0(E)$ is isomorphic to the regular representation of *G* as a representation of *G* and $\chi(\xi, E) = 0$ for any $\xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0$.

For any $\xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0$, we can discuss the ξ -(semi)stabilities of G-constellations on U according to Definition 4. Since the multiplication by a positive integer does not change the stability condition, we may replace $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0$ by $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0_0$.

Remark 1. In general, there may exist an object E supported on several fixed points such that $H^0(E) \cong R(G)$ but $\chi(\xi, E) \neq 0$ for some $\xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0$. Definition 5 excludes such cases.

REMARK 2. If U is smooth, then $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))$ coincides with $K(\operatorname{coh}^G(U))$ and we write $K(\operatorname{coh}^G(U))^0$ instead of $K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0$.

Now we define the moduli functors of G-constellations:

DEFINITION 6. Fix a class $\xi \in K(\operatorname{Perf}^G(U))^0_{\mathbb{Q}}$. Then the moduli functor for the ξ -stable G-constellations on U is defined to be the functor

 $S \mapsto \{ \text{flat families of } \xi \text{-stable } G \text{-constellations parameterized by } S \} / \sim$ for a locally noetherian scheme S over \mathbb{C} where $E_S \sim F_S$ for flat families E_S and F_S means that there is a line bundle L on S such that $E_S \cong F_S \otimes L$.

Remark 3. We show the existence of the moduli scheme in a very special case in Theorem 6. We do not discuss the existence problem in a general case in this paper.

7. Iterated construction of moduli spaces

In this section, let V denote either \mathbb{C}^2 or \mathbb{C}^3 and consider a finite subgroup $G \subset \mathrm{GL}(V)$ with a normal subgroup N of G such that $N \subset \mathrm{SL}(V)$. Let

$$\theta^N: R(N) \to \mathbb{Z}$$

be a generic stability parameter for N-constellations on V, which is fixed by the conjugate action of G on R(N). Put $Y_N = \mathcal{M}_{\theta^N}(V)$ and $\overline{G} = G/N$. Since $N \subset SL(V)$ and dim $V \leq 3$, there is an equivalence

$$\Phi: D^b(\operatorname{coh}^{\bar{G}}(Y_N)) \cong D^b(\operatorname{coh}^G(V)) \tag{7.1}$$

as in [IU15, Theorem 4.1] defined by

$$\Phi(-) = \mathbb{R}(p_V)_*((p_{Y_N})^*(-) \otimes \mathscr{U})$$

where p_V , p_{Y_N} are the projections of $Y_N \times V$ and \mathscr{U} is the universal family of N-constellations.

Lemma 2. Let $\mathscr E$ be a $\overline G$ -equivariant coherent sheaf on Y_N with finite support. Then $\mathscr E$ is a $\overline G$ -constellation on Y_N if and only if $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ is a G-constellation on V. In this case, $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ is θ^N -semistable.

PROOF. By the definition of Φ , we can see that $\Phi(\mathscr{E})$ is a 0-dimensional sheaf. Since Φ is an equivalence, we have $\chi(\xi,\mathscr{E})=\chi(\Phi(\xi),\Phi(\mathscr{E}))$. Moreover, we can see rank $\xi=\operatorname{rank}\Phi(\xi)$ for any $\xi\in K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$. Therefore, if \mathscr{E} is a \overline{G} -constellation, $\chi(\xi,\Phi(\mathscr{E}))=0$ for any $\xi\in K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$. This implies that $H^0(\Phi(\mathscr{E}))$ is a multiple of the regular representation $\mathbb{C}[G]$. If we regard \mathscr{E} as an object of $\operatorname{coh}(Y_N)$, it is an Artinian sheaf of length $|\overline{G}|$ and therefore $\Phi(\mathscr{E})$ as an object of $\operatorname{coh}^N(V)$ has a filtration of length $|\overline{G}|$ whose factors are θ^N -stable N-constellations. Therefore, $\Phi(\mathscr{E})$ is θ^N -semistable and $H^0(\Phi(\mathscr{E}))$ as a representation of N is the direct sum of $|\overline{G}|$ copies of the regular representation of N. This implies that $H^0(\Phi(\mathscr{E})) \cong \mathbb{C}[G]$ and therefore $\Phi(\mathscr{E})$ is a G-constellation. The converse is proved in the same way.

The following lemma follows from the arguments in [BKR01, §8]:

LEMMA 3. Let E be an N-equivariant coherent sheaf on V with finite support such that $H^0(E)$ is isomorphic to $\mathbb{C}[N]^{\oplus s}$ for some integer s>0 as a $\mathbb{C}[N]$ -module. If E is θ^N -stable, then we have s=1, i.e., E is an N-constellation.

We compose θ^N with the restriction map $R(G) \to R(N)$ and regard it as a stability parameter for G-constellations as in [IINdC13, §2.2].

LEMMA 4. Let E be a G-equivariant coherent sheaf on V with finite support such that $H^0(E) \cong \mathbb{Z}[G]^{\oplus s}$ for some s. If E is θ^N -semistable in $\operatorname{coh}^G(V)$, then it is also θ^N -semistable in $\operatorname{coh}^N(V)$.

PROOF. Let $\eta: R(N) \to \mathbb{Z}$ be a group homomorphism such that $\eta(\rho) > 0$ for any irreducible representation ρ of N. We further suppose η is invariant under the conjugate action of G. Then,

$$Z(E):=\theta^N(H^0(E))+\sqrt{-1}\eta(H^0(E))$$

defines a G-invariant Bridgeland stability condition [Bri07, Example 5.5] (see also [BCZ17, Lemma 7.1.3]) on $\operatorname{coh}^N(V)_0$, the category of N-equivariant coherent sheaves on V with 0-dimensional support. As in [BCZ17, Lemma 7.1.5], the equality $\theta^N(H^0(E)) = 0$ implies that E is θ^N -semistable if and only if it is semistable with respect to Z. Assume E is not θ^N -semistable and let $F \subset E$ be the first step of the Harder-Narasimhan filtration of E in $\operatorname{coh}^N(E)$ with respect to E. Then the uniqueness of the HN filtration and the E-invariance of E imply that E is invariant under the E-action. This means that E is a subsheaf of E in $\operatorname{coh}^G(V)$, which contradicts the θ^N -semistability of E in $\operatorname{coh}^G(V)$.

PROPOSITION 3. The functor Φ induces a bijection from the set of \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N to the set of θ^N -semistable G-constellations on V.

PROOF. If $\mathscr E$ is a $\overline G$ -constellation on Y_N , then $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ is a θ^N -semistable G-constellation by Lemma 2. Conversely, suppose E is a θ^N -semistable G-constellation on V. By Lemma 2, it suffices to show that $\Phi^{-1}(E)$ lies in $\operatorname{coh}^{\overline G}(Y_N)$ and has a 0-dimensional support. For this purpose, we may regard Φ as an equivalence $D^b(\operatorname{coh} Y_N) \cong D^b(\operatorname{coh}^N(V))$. By Lemma 4, E is θ^N -semistable as a sheaf in $\operatorname{coh}^N(V)$ and therefore has a filtration whose factors are θ^N -stable N-constellations by Lemma 3. Then, $\Phi^{-1}(E)$ as an object in $D^b(\operatorname{coh}(Y_N))$ is a sheaf with a filtration whose factors are skyscraper sheaves. This is what we needed.

Let

$$\varphi: K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))^0_{\mathbb{Q}} \stackrel{\sim}{\to} K(\cosh^G(V))^0_{\mathbb{Q}} \cong \Theta$$

be the isomorphism induced by Φ . The following theorem generalizes [IINdC13, Theorem 2.6].

Theorem 6. Let $\theta^N: R(N) \to \mathbb{Z}$ be a generic stability condition for N-constellations fixed by the conjugate action of G and $\xi \in K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))^0$ be a stability parameter for \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N .

- (1) There exists a scheme $\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N)$ representing the moduli functor for ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N .
- (2) If we put

$$\theta := m\theta^N + \varphi(\xi)$$

for $m \gg 0$, then $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(V)$ is isomorphic to the moduli space $\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N)$ of ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N .

PROOF. What we prove is that $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(V)$ in (2) represents the moduli functor in (1). We choose m so that

$$m > \sum_{\rho \in \operatorname{Irr}(G)} |(\varphi(\xi))(\rho)| \operatorname{dim} \rho.$$

Then for any subsheaf F of a G-constellation, we have $|(\varphi(\xi))(F)| < m$.

Let $\mathscr E$ be a ξ -stable $\overline G$ -constellation on Y_N . Then $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ is a θ^N -semistable G-constellation by Proposition 3. Therefore, a subsheaf F of $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ satisfies $\theta^N(F) \geq 0$. If $\theta^N(F) > 0$, then we have $\theta(F) > 0$ by our choice of m. If $\theta^N(F) = 0$, then there is a subsheaf $\mathscr F$ of $\mathscr E$ such that $F = \Phi(\mathscr F)$ as in [IINdC13, Lemma 2.6]. Then we obtain $\theta(F) = \chi(\xi,\mathscr F) > 0$ by the ξ -stability of $\mathscr E$. Thus $\Phi(\mathscr E)$ is θ -stable.

Conversely, suppose E is a θ -stable G-constellation on V. Then it is θ^N -semistable by our choice of m and therefore $\mathscr{E} := \Phi^{-1}(E)$ is a \overline{G} -constellation by Proposition 3. For a subsheaf $\mathscr{F} \subset \mathscr{E}$, $F := \Phi(\mathscr{F})$ has a filtration as an object of $\operatorname{coh}^N(V)$ whose factors are N-constellations. Therefore F satisfies $\theta^N(F) = 0$ and hence we obtain $\chi(\xi, \mathscr{F}) = \theta(F) > 0$, which proves the ξ -stability of \mathscr{F} .

Thus we have a bijection between ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations and θ -stable G-constellations. To establish an isomorphism $\mathcal{M}_{\theta}(V) \cong \mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N)$, we show that for any locally noetherian scheme S over \mathbb{C} , this bijection can be extended to a bijection between flat families of ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations and flat families of θ -stable G-constellations parameterized by S. Let \mathscr{U} be the universal N-constellation on $Y_N \times V$ and \mathscr{U}_S be the pull back of \mathscr{U} to $Y_N \times V \times S$. Then we can define a functor

$$\Phi_S: D^b(\cosh^{\overline{G}} Y_N \times S) \to D^b(\cosh^G V \times S)$$

by

$$\varPhi_S(-) = \mathbb{R}(p_{V\times S})_*(\mathscr{U}_S \otimes p_{Y_N\times S}^*(-))$$

whose quasi-inverse is given by

$$\varPhi_{\mathcal{S}}^{-1}(-) = ((p_{Y_N \times \mathcal{S}})_*(\mathscr{U}_{\mathcal{S}}^{\vee}[\dim V] \overset{\mathbb{L}}{\otimes} p_{V \times \mathcal{S}}^*(-))^N.$$

Suppose \mathscr{E}_S is a flat family of ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N parameterized by S. Then, for any geometric point s of S, we have $\Phi_S(\mathscr{E}_S) \otimes \mathscr{O}_s \cong \Phi(\mathscr{E}_s)$ as in [Bri99, Lemma 4.1], which is a θ -stable G-constellation on V. Hence the argument in [Bri99, Proposition 4.2] implies that $\Phi_S(\mathscr{E}_S)$ is actually a flat family of G-constellations on V. Conversely, if E_S is a flat family of θ -stable G-constellations, the same argument shows that $\Phi_S^{-1}(E_S)$ is a flat family of ξ -stable S-constellations on S-constellations of S-constellations on S-constel

8. The case $G \ni -I$

In this section, put $V=\mathbb{C}^2$ and assume that $G\subset \operatorname{GL}(V)$ contains -I, where I is the identity matrix. We put $N:=\langle -I\rangle\subset G$ and $\overline{G}:=G/N$. Let θ^N be any generic stability parameter for N-constellations (which is automatically fixed by the conjugate action of G since N is central) and let $Y_N=\mathcal{M}_{\theta^N}(V)$ be the moduli space of N-constellations on V, on which \overline{G} acts naturally. Since Y_N is a crepant resolution of the A_1 singularity V/N, the maximal resolution of $(Y_N/\overline{G},B_N)$ coincides with the maximal resolution of (X,B), where B_N is the boundary divisor on Y_N determined by the ramification of $Y_N \to Y_N/\overline{G}$.

Let C be the exceptional curve of $Y_N \to V/N$. Then the equivalence (7.1) restricts to the equivalence

$$\Phi: D^b(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\bar{G}}(Y_N)) \cong D^b(\operatorname{coh}_0^G(V))$$
(8.1)

of full subcategories consisting of objects supported by the subsets $C \subset Y_N$ and $\{0\} \subset V$ respectively. Consider the Grothendieck groups of (8.1):

$$K(\operatorname{coh}_{C}^{\overline{G}}(Y_{N})) \cong K(\operatorname{coh}_{0}^{G}(V)), \tag{8.2}$$

where $K(\cosh_0^G(V))$ is isomorphic to the representation ring R(G) of G. Recall that there is a perfect pairing

$$\chi: K(\operatorname{coh}^G(V)) \times K(\operatorname{coh}_0^G(V)) \to \mathbb{Z}$$

defined by (6.1), which is isomorphic to

$$\chi: K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \times K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N)) \to \mathbb{Z}$$

by Φ . Let

$$F_iK(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \subset K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$$

be the subgroup generated by the classes of objects whose supports are at most *i*-dimensional. Then the classes of \overline{G} -constellations on Y_N lie in

 $F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ and for a stability parameter

$$\xi \in K(\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}} \cong K(\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}}^*,$$

the actual stability condition depends only on its image in $F_0K(\cosh_C^{\bar{G}}(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}}^*$. In the next subsection, we investigate the structure of $F_0K(\cosh_C^{\bar{G}}(Y_N))$.

8.1. Structure of $F_0K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))$. In this subsection, we assume that G is not abelian. Notice that G acts on the exceptional curve $C \cong \mathbb{P}(V)$ through the homomorphism

$$G \hookrightarrow \operatorname{GL}(V) \twoheadrightarrow \operatorname{PGL}(V)$$

and let $Z \subset G$ be the kernel of $G \to PGL(V)$. It is the subgroup consisting of scalar matrices in G.

Since G is non-abelian, $G/Z \subset \operatorname{PGL}(V)$ is a polyhedral (or dihedral) group acting on $\mathbb{P}(V)$ which we regard as a (real) 2-sphere. There are three non-free G/Z-orbits in C: the projections of the vertices, edges and faces of the regular polyhedron to the sphere. These orbits are denoted by O_1 , O_2 and O_3 respectively.

For a \overline{G} -orbit $O \subset C$, let $\operatorname{coh}_O^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)$ denote the category of \overline{G} -equivariant coherent sheaves supported on O. Then we have an equivalence

$$\operatorname{coh}_{O}^{\overline{G}}(Y_{N}) \cong \operatorname{coh}_{P}^{\overline{G}_{P}}(Y_{N}) \tag{8.3}$$

where \overline{G}_P is the stabilizer subgroup of a point $P \in O$ and $\operatorname{coh}_P^{\overline{G}_P}(Y_N)$ is the category of \overline{G}_P -equivariant coherent sheaves supported on P. Taking the Grothendieck groups of the both sides, we obtain

$$K(\operatorname{coh}_{O}^{\overline{G}}(Y_{N})) \cong R(\overline{G}_{P})$$
 (8.4)

where $R(\overline{G}_P)$ is the representation ring of \overline{G}_P regarded as an additive group. Let $\overline{G}_k \subset \overline{G}$ be the stabilizer subgroup of a point in O_k , which is an abelian group since $\overline{Z} := Z/N \subset \overline{G}_k$ is central and $\overline{G}_k/\overline{Z}$ is cyclic. We consider the pushforward maps

$$K(\operatorname{coh}_{O_c}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \to F_0 K(\operatorname{coh}_{C}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$$
 (8.5)

for k = 1, 2, 3. By (8.4) for $O = O_k$, these maps are regarded as maps

$$\beta_k: R(\overline{G}_k) \to F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)).$$

Since \overline{Z} is a subgroup of \overline{G}_k , we have the induction maps

$$\alpha_k: R(\overline{Z}) \to R(\overline{G}_k).$$

Define a map $\alpha: R(\overline{Z})^{\oplus 2} \to R(\overline{G}_1) \oplus R(\overline{G}_2) \oplus R(\overline{G}_3)$ by

$$\alpha(a,b) = (\alpha_1(a), -\alpha_2(a) + \alpha_2(b), -\alpha_3(b)).$$

The purpose of this subsection is to prove the following.

PROPOSITION 4. Let \overline{G}_k , β_k , α be as above. Then the following is an exact sequence of additive groups:

$$0 \to R(\overline{Z})^{\oplus 2} \stackrel{\alpha}{\to} R(\overline{G}_1) \oplus R(\overline{G}_2) \oplus R(\overline{G}_3) \stackrel{\beta}{\to} F_0 K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \to 0$$

where $\beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3)$.

The proof of the proposition is divided into three steps below. We first show that β is surjective:

Step 1. The additive group $F_0K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))$ is generated by sheaves supported on $O_1 \cup O_2 \cup O_3$.

PROOF. It is obvious that $F_0K(\cosh_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ is generated by simple objects (objects having no non-trivial subobjects). Moreover, a simple object is supported on a single orbit O and is determined by an irreducible representation of the stabilizer subgroup \overline{G}_P of a point $P \in O$ by (8.3). Therefore, it is sufficient to show that the class in $K(\cosh_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ of a simple object $\mathscr E$ supported on a free G/Z-orbit O_f coincides with the class of some object $\mathscr F$ supported on $O_1 \cup O_2 \cup O_3$. Actually, we prove that for any $k \in \{1,2,3\}$ we can choose such an object $\mathscr F$ supported on O_k . Simple objects supported on the orbit O_f are determined by irreducible representations of the stabilizer subgroup $\overline{Z} \subset \overline{G}$ by (8.3). To describe them, notice that $C = \mathbb P(V)$ carries a G-equivariant line bundle $\mathscr L = \mathscr O_C(1)$ on which an element $\lambda I \in Z$ acts as the fiber-wise scalar multiplication by λ . On $\mathscr L^2$, the G-action is reduced to a \overline{G} -action and the induced actions of \overline{Z} on the fibers of $\mathscr L^0, \mathscr L^2, \ldots, \mathscr L^{2(l-1)}$ are the irreducible representations of the cyclic group \overline{Z} , where l is the order of \overline{Z} . Therefore, the simple objects supported on O_f are

$$\mathscr{L}^0|_{O_f}, \mathscr{L}^2|_{O_f}, \dots, \mathscr{L}^{2(l-1)}|_{O_f}, \tag{8.6}$$

where we regard O_f as a reduced subscheme. Now consider the exact sequences

$$0 \to \mathcal{L}^{2i} \otimes \mathcal{O}_C(-O_f) \to \mathcal{L}^{2i} \to \mathcal{L}^{2i}|_{O_c} \to 0$$

and

$$0 \to \mathcal{L}^{2i} \otimes \mathcal{O}_C(-n_k O_k) \to \mathcal{L}^{2i} \to \mathcal{L}^{2i}|_{n_k O_k} \to 0$$

for any $k \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ where n_k is the order of $\overline{G}_k/\overline{Z}$. If we show $\mathcal{O}_C(-O_f) \cong \mathcal{O}_C(-n_kO_k)$ in $\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)$, then we obtain

$$[\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{\mathcal{O}_{\ell}}] = [\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{n_{\ell}\mathcal{O}_{\ell}}] \tag{8.7}$$

in $K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ for any k as desired.

Finally, we show $\mathcal{O}_C(-O_f) \cong \mathcal{O}_C(-n_kO_k)$. Let $\overline{C} \cong \mathbb{P}^1$ be the quotient of C by the action of G/Z. Then both $\mathcal{O}_C(-O_f)$ and $\mathcal{O}_C(-n_kO_k)$ are the pullbacks of $\mathcal{O}_{\overline{C}}(-1)$ (equipped with the trivial \overline{G} -action) and hence we obtain the isomorphism.

Step 2. $\beta \circ \alpha = 0$.

PROOF. This is equivalent to the equality

$$\beta_1 \circ \alpha_1 = \beta_2 \circ \alpha_2 = \beta_3 \circ \alpha_3$$
.

We recall the isomorphism (8.4) for a free G/Z-orbit $O_f \subset C$:

$$R(\overline{Z}) \cong K(\operatorname{coh}_{O_{\mathfrak{C}}}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)).$$

Then it is sufficient to prove that $\beta_k \circ \alpha_k$ is identified with the pushforward map

$$K(\operatorname{coh}_{O_f}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \to F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)).$$

Recall that $K(\cosh_{O_f}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ has a basis of the form (8.6) and that their images in $K(\cosh_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$ satisfy (8.7). Hence the problem is reduced to showing that the map

$$K(\operatorname{coh}_{O_{\ell}}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) \to K(\operatorname{coh}_{O_{\ell}}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$$

defined by

$$[\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{O_{\mathfrak{c}}}] \mapsto [\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{n_k O_k}]$$

is identified with the induction map α_k . The irreducible representation ρ_i of \overline{Z} corresponding to $[\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{O_f}]$ is defined by sending $[\lambda I] \in \overline{Z}$ to $\lambda^{2i} \in \mathbb{C}^{\times}$. On the other hand, we have

$$[\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{n_k O_k}] = \sum_{i=0}^{n_k-1} [\mathscr{L}^{2i}(-jO_k)|_{O_k}].$$

Here $\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{O_k}$ corresponds to a representation of \overline{G}_k whose restriction to \overline{Z} is ρ_i . Moreover, $\mathscr{O}_C(-jO_k)|_{O_k}$ $(0 \leq j \leq n_k-1)$ correspond to the irreducible representations of the cyclic group $\overline{G}_k/\overline{Z}$. Thus the element of $R(\overline{G}_k)$ corresponding to $[\mathscr{L}^{2i}|_{n_kO_k}]$ is the sum of all the irreducible representations of \overline{G}_k whose restrictions to \overline{Z} are ρ_i . Since \overline{G}_k is an abelian group, this is the induced representation of ρ_i . Thus we obtain $\beta \circ \alpha = 0$.

Step 3. $\ker \beta = \operatorname{Im} \alpha$.

PROOF. Notice that coker α is torsion free, β is surjective and $\beta \circ \alpha = 0$. Therefore it suffices to show

$$\operatorname{rank} F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) = \sum_{k=1}^3 \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{G}_k) - 2 \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{Z}).$$

This follows from the following two equalities:

$$\operatorname{rank} F_0 K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)) = \operatorname{rank} R(G) - \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{Z})$$
(8.8)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{3} \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{G}_k) = \operatorname{rank} R(G) + \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{Z}). \tag{8.9}$$

We first consider (8.8). The isomorphism (8.2) reduces (8.8) to the equality

$$\operatorname{rank} K(\operatorname{coh}_{C}^{\overline{G}}(Y_{N}))/F_{0}K(\operatorname{coh}_{C}^{\overline{G}}(Y_{N})) = \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{Z})$$

and therefore it suffices to show that the classes

$$[\mathcal{O}_C], [\mathcal{L}^2], \dots, [\mathcal{L}^{2(l-1)}] \tag{8.10}$$

form a free basis of the quotient $K(\cosh^{\bar{G}}_{C}(Y_{N}))/F_{0}K(\cosh^{\bar{G}}_{C}(Y_{N}))$ where

$$l := \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{Z}) = |\overline{Z}|.$$

Recall that $\mathscr{L}^2 \cong \omega_C^{-1}$ is a \overline{G} -equivariant line bundle on $C = \mathbb{P}(V)$. Since \overline{Z} acts on C trivially, if we regard \mathscr{L}^2 as an object of $\mathrm{coh}^{\overline{Z}}(C)$, we have

$$\mathcal{L}^{2i} \cong \mathcal{O}_C(2i) \otimes \rho_i \quad \text{in } \cosh^{\overline{Z}}(C) \tag{8.11}$$

where $\bar{\imath}=i \mod l$ and $\rho_0,\rho_1,\dots,\rho_{l-1}$ are the irreducible representations of the cyclic group $\overline{Z}\cong \mathbb{Z}/l\mathbb{Z}$. This implies that (8.10) is linearly independent. To see that (8.10) is a generator, we show that for any object $\mathscr{E}\in \mathrm{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)$ its class $[\mathscr{E}]$ is a linear combination of (8.10) modulo $F_0K(\mathrm{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$. We may assume that \mathscr{E} is a locally free sheaf on C and we use the induction on rank \mathscr{E} . If rank $\mathscr{E}=0$, there is nothing to prove and we may suppose rank $\mathscr{E}>0$. If we regard \mathscr{E} as an object of $\mathrm{coh}^{\overline{Z}}(C)$, it splits as $\mathscr{E}=\bigoplus_i \mathscr{E}_i \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} \rho_i$ with $\mathscr{E}_i \in \mathrm{coh}(C)$. Suppose $\mathscr{E}_i \neq 0$. For any integer m we have

$$\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathscr{O}_{C}}(\mathscr{L}^{2i},\mathscr{E}\otimes\mathscr{L}^{2lm})^{\overline{G}} = H^{0}((\mathscr{E}\otimes\mathscr{L}^{2ml-2i})^{\overline{Z}})^{\overline{G}/\overline{Z}}. \tag{8.12}$$

Here, (8.11) shows

$$(\mathscr{E} \otimes \mathscr{L}^{2ml-2i})^{\overline{Z}} \cong \mathscr{E}_i \otimes \mathscr{O}(2ml-2i) \neq 0$$

and the restriction map

$$H^0((\mathscr{E}\otimes\mathscr{L}^{2ml-2i})^{\overline{Z}})\to H^0((\mathscr{E}\otimes\mathscr{L}^{2ml-2i})^{\overline{Z}}|_{O_{\ell}})$$

is surjective for a $\overline{G}/\overline{Z}$ -free orbit $O_f\subset C$ if m is sufficiently large. Since $H^0((\mathscr{E}\otimes\mathscr{L}^{2ml+2i})^{\overline{Z}}|_{O_f})$ is a non-zero multiple of the regular representation of $\overline{G}/\overline{Z}$, its $\overline{G}/\overline{Z}$ -invariant part is non-zero. Therefore, (8.12) is non-zero and hence there is a non-zero homomorphism

$$\alpha: \mathscr{L}^{2i} \hookrightarrow \mathscr{E} \otimes \mathscr{L}^{2lm}$$
.

Now the induction hypothesis shows that coker α is a linear combination of (8.10) modulo $F_0K(\cosh_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$. This shows that the class $[\mathscr{E} \otimes \mathscr{L}^{2lm}]$ is also a linear combination of (8.10) modulo $F_0K(\cosh_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))$. Since we have

$$[\mathscr{E}] - [\mathscr{E} \otimes \mathscr{L}^{2lm}] \in F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_{\mathcal{C}}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)),$$

[\mathscr{E}] is a linear combination of (8.10) modulo $F_0K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))$. Thus (8.10) is a free basis of $K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))/F_0K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}_C(Y_N))$ and therefore we have established (8.8).

Next we prove (8.9). Let $ZL(V) \subset GL(V)$ be the subgroup consisting of the non-zero scalar matrices and consider the multiplication map

$$\mu: \mathbf{ZL}(V) \times \mathbf{SL}(V) \to \mathbf{GL}(V).$$

Then the kernel of μ is a group of order 2 generated by (-I,-I). We put $\tilde{G} = \mu^{-1}(G)$ and let $H \subset \operatorname{SL}(V)$ be the image of \tilde{G} with respect to the second projection. For any element $(z,h) \in \tilde{G}$, denote by $Z_{\tilde{G}}(z,h)$ and $Z_{G}(zh)$ the centralizers of (z,h) in \tilde{G} and zh in G respectively. Then the restriction $\mu: Z_{\tilde{G}}(z,h) \to Z_{G}(zh)$ is a surjective two-to-one map and hence the number of conjugates of (z,h) coincides with the number of conjugates of zh. Therefore, the number of conjugacy classes in \tilde{G} is twice the number of conjugacy classes in G. Thus we obtain

$$\operatorname{rank} R(G) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{rank} R(\tilde{G}).$$

Moreover, since $\tilde{G}/Z \cong H$ and Z is central in \tilde{G} , this can be written as

$$\operatorname{rank} R(G) = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{rank} R(H) \times |Z| = \operatorname{rank} R(H) \times |\overline{Z}|. \tag{8.13}$$

Notice that H acts on V and $\overline{H} := H/N \cong \overline{G}/\overline{Z} \subset \operatorname{PGL}(V)$ acts on $C = \mathbb{P}(V)$. Since H is in $\operatorname{SL}(V)$, the McKay correspondence for the binary polyhedral (or dihedral) group H establishes

$$\sum_{k=1}^{3} |\overline{H}_k| = \text{rank } R(H) + 1$$
 (8.14)

where $\overline{H}_k \subset \overline{H}$ is the stabilizer of a point in O_k (the left hand side of (8.14) is two plus the number of the irreducible exceptional curves in the minimal resolution of V/H, which is also the minimal resolution of Y_N/\overline{H}). Moreover, the isomorphism $\overline{H} \cong \overline{G}/\overline{Z}$ implies

$$|\overline{H}_k| \times |\overline{Z}| = |\overline{G}_k| = \operatorname{rank} R(\overline{G}_k).$$
 (8.15)

Putting the equalities (8.13), (8.14) and (8.15) together, we obtain (8.9).

Corollary 1. The dual module $\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N)),\mathbb{Z})$ is isomorphic to

$$\left\{ (\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3) \in \bigoplus_{k=1}^{3} \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbb{Z}}(R(\overline{G}_k), \mathbb{Z}) \, \middle| \, \theta_1|_{\overline{Z}} = \theta_2|_{\overline{Z}} = \theta_3|_{\overline{Z}} \right\}.$$

8.2. Main theorem.

PROPOSITION 5. Suppose a finite subgroup $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ contains -I and $Y \to Y_N/\overline{G}$ is a resolution dominated by Y_{max} . Then there exists a generic stability parameter $\theta \in \Theta$ such that $\mathcal{M}_{\theta} \cong Y$. Especially, the maximal resolution Y_{max} of $(\mathbb{C}^2/G, B)$ is isomorphic to the moduli space of G-constellations for some generic stability parameter θ .

PROOF. We may assume G is non-abelian by Theorem 5 so we may apply the results of section 8.1. If we show there exists a generic parameter $\xi \in K(\cosh^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))^0_{\mathbb{Q}}$ such that $\mathscr{M}_{\xi}(Y_N) \cong Y$, then the assertion follows from Theorem 6.

Let $P \in C$ be a point. Since \overline{G} acts on $Y_N \times \mathbb{C} = \mathcal{M}_{\theta^N}(V \times \mathbb{C})$ and \overline{Z} fixes (P,0), \overline{Z} acts on the Zariski tangent space $\widetilde{T} := T_{(P,0)}(Y_N \times \mathbb{C}) \cong \mathbb{C}^3$ as a subgroup of $\mathrm{SL}(\widetilde{T})$. Note that as a representation of \overline{Z} , \widetilde{T} is independent of the choice of the point P. Let $T' \subset \widetilde{T}$ be the two-dimensional \overline{Z} -invariant subspace transversal to C; then $\overline{Z} \subset \mathrm{SL}(T')$. Fix a generic stability parameter $\theta^{\overline{Z}} \in R(\overline{Z})_{\mathbb{Q}}^*$ for \overline{Z} -constellations (on \widetilde{T}) satisfying $\theta^{\overline{Z}}(\mathbb{C}[\overline{Z}]) = 0$. Then $W := \mathcal{M}_{\theta\overline{Z}}(T')$ is the minimal resolution of T'/\overline{Z} . The Fourier-Mukai transform

$$\varphi_{o\bar{Z}}^*: R(\overline{Z})_{\mathbb{Q}}^* \cong K(\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{Z}}(T'))_{\mathbb{Q}} \xrightarrow{\sim} K(\operatorname{coh} W)_{\mathbb{Q}}$$

sends $\theta^{\bar{Z}}$ to an element $l_{\theta^{\bar{Z}}}$ of $F^1K(\cosh W)_{\mathbb{Q}}\cong \mathrm{Pic}(W)_{\mathbb{Q}}$ and it lies in the ample cone $\mathrm{Amp}(W)$ as in (2.1). (Notice that here $\dim T'=2$ and $F^2K(\cosh W)=0$.)

Take a point P_k in the orbit O_k for each $k \in \{1,2,3\}$. We consider the tangent spaces $\tilde{T}_k := T_{(P_k,0)}(Y_N \times \mathbb{C})$ and $T_k = T_{P_k}(Y_N)$. Let R_k denote the complete local ring of T_k/\overline{G}_k at [0] which is isomorphic to the complete local

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ring of Y_N/\overline{G} at $[P_k]$:

$$R_k := \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{T_k/\overline{G}_k, [0]} \cong \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{Y_N/\overline{G}, [P_k]}.$$

By this isomorphism, there is a resolution

$$Y_k \to T_k/\overline{G}_k$$

with an isomorphism

$$Y_k \times_{(T_k/\overline{G}_k)} \operatorname{Spec} R_k \cong Y \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} \operatorname{Spec} R_k$$
 (8.16)

over Spec R_k . Since \overline{G}_k is abelian, we can apply Proposition 2 where the first factor of $T_k \cong \mathbb{C}^2$ is $T_{P_k}(C)$ (so that (1,0) lies in $T_{P_k}(C)$ and $G_{(1,0)} = \overline{Z}$) and obtain a projective crepant resolution

$$U_{\Sigma_k} o ilde{T}_k/\overline{G}_k$$

such that $Y_k \subset U_{\Sigma_k}$ and that the restriction map $\operatorname{Amp}(U_{\Sigma_k}) \to \operatorname{Amp}(W)$ is surjective. Choose a class $l_k \in \operatorname{Amp}(U_{\Sigma_k})$ which is mapped to $l_{\theta^{\overline{Z}}} \in \operatorname{Amp}(W)$ for each k. Then by Theorem 2 we can find a generic stability parameter θ_k for \overline{G}_k -constellations on \widetilde{T}_k such that $\mathscr{M}_{\theta_k}(\widetilde{T}_k) \cong U_{\Sigma_k}$ and the class of $\varphi_{\theta_k}^*(\theta_k)$ in $\operatorname{Pic}(U_{\Sigma_k})_{\mathbb{Q}}$ coincides with l_k . Since $[\varphi_{\theta_k}^*(\theta_k)] = l_k$ and l_k restricts to $l_{\theta^{\overline{Z}}}$, θ_k restricts to $\theta^{\overline{Z}}$ on $R(\overline{Z})$. Then Corollary 1 shows that $(\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3)$ determines an element of $F_0K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}}^*$. Lift it to an element $\xi \in K(\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}} \cong K(\operatorname{coh}_C^{\overline{G}}(Y_N))_{\mathbb{Q}}^*$. Since the restriction of ξ to $K(\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}}(O_k))_{\mathbb{Q}} \cong R(\overline{G}_k)_{\mathbb{Q}}^*$ is θ_k which is of rank 0, we have rank $\xi = 0$ and we can consider the moduli space $\mathscr{M}_{\xi}(Y_N)$.

We claim that there is an isomorphism

$$\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N) \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} \operatorname{Spec} R_k \cong \mathcal{M}_{\theta_k}(T_k) \times_{(T_k/\overline{G}_k)} \operatorname{Spec} R_k$$
 (8.17)

over Spec R_k . For any locally noetherian scheme S over Spec R_k , an S-valued point of the left hand side of (8.17) is given by a flat family of ξ -stable \overline{G} -constellations on Y_k parameterized by S, which is an object of $\mathrm{coh}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} S)$. Similarly, an S-valued point of the right hand side of (8.17) is given by a flat family of θ_k -stable \overline{G}_k -constellations on T_k parameterized by S, which is an object of $\mathrm{coh}^{\overline{G}_k}(T_k \times_{(T_k/\overline{G}_k)} S)$.

Notice that

$$Y_N \times_{(Y_N/\bar{G})} S \cong (Y_N \times_{(Y_N/\bar{G})} \operatorname{Spec} R_k) \times_{(\operatorname{Spec} R_k)} S$$

$$\cong \left(\coprod_{Q \in O_k} \operatorname{Spec} \hat{\theta}_{Y_N, Q} \right) \times_{(\operatorname{Spec} R_k)} S$$

$$\supset \operatorname{Spec} \hat{\theta}_{Y_N, P_k} \times_{(\operatorname{Spec} R_k)} S$$

$$\cong \operatorname{Spec} \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{T_k,0} \times_{(\operatorname{Spec} R_k)} S$$
$$\cong T_k \times_{(T_k/\bar{G}_k)} S$$

which induces an equivalence

$$\operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}}(Y_N \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} S) \cong \operatorname{coh}^{\overline{G}_k}(T_k \times_{(T_k/\overline{G}_k)} S)$$

(this is almost the same as (8.3)). This equivalence gives a bijection between S-valued points of the both sides of (8.17) and we obtain (8.17).

Our choice of θ_k implies $\mathcal{M}_{\theta_k}(T_k) \cong Y_k$ and hence (8.16) and (8.17) yield an isomorphism

$$\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N) \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} \operatorname{Spec} R_k \cong Y \times_{(Y_N/\overline{G})} \operatorname{Spec} R_k.$$

over Spec R_k . Since $\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N)$ and Y are both isomorphic to Y_N/\overline{G} except over the points $[P_1]$, $[P_2]$, and $[P_3]$, we obtain $\mathcal{M}_{\xi}(Y_N) \cong Y$.

Recall that we say $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ is *small* if G acts freely on $\mathbb{C}^2 \setminus \{0\}$. The following lemma follows from the classification of small subgroups of $GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ but we give a proof for the reader's sake.

LEMMA 5. If a finite small subgroup $G \subset GL(2, \mathbb{C})$ is non-abelian, then it contains -I as a unique element of order 2.

PROOF. If G is non-abelian, then its image $G' \subset \operatorname{PGL}(2,\mathbb{C})$ is also non-abelian and therefore it is either a dihedral or a polyhedral group. Especially, the orders |G'| and |G| are even. Then G contains an element of order 2. If it is not -I, then it fixes a line in \mathbb{C}^2 , contradicting the smallness of G.

THEOREM 7. If $G \subset GL(2,\mathbb{C})$ is a finite small subgroup, then Conjecture 4 is true.

PROOF. The abelian case follows from Theorem 5. Otherwise, G contains -I by the above lemma. Moreover, the minimal resolution of V/G factors through Y_N/\overline{G} ; see [Bri68]. Then the assertion follows from Proposition 5.

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