

Retraction: “Quasi-projectivity of moduli spaces of polarized varieties”

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In his article [1] János Kollár has published a counterexample to the main result Theorem 1 of the paper [2].

The critical point is that in general the positive curvature current of the singular hermitian metric on the constructed holomorphic line bundle does not have vanishing Lelong numbers (cf. Theorem 4 and Theorem 5) as claimed. Consequently the quasi-projectivity criterion of the paper cannot be applied.

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