

## An Example of a Normal Isolated Singularity with Constant Plurigenera $\delta_m$ Greater than 1

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**Introduction.** The plurigenera  $\delta_m(X, x)$  of normal isolated singularities  $(X, x)$  were defined by Watanabe [4], as analogies of plurigenera  $P_m$  of complex manifolds. Thus  $\delta_m$  have the properties similar to  $P_m$ . For instance, if  $P_m$  are bounded, then  $\delta_m$  are not greater than 1. The plurigenera of two-dimensional normal isolated singularities behave in the same way [1, Corollary 3.2]. However, higher dimensional normal isolated singularities may have the plurigenera  $\delta_m$  greater than 1, although  $\delta_m$  are bounded. The purpose of this paper is to give an example of such a normal isolated singularity.

Let  $f: (\tilde{X}, E) \rightarrow (X, x)$  be a good resolution of an isolated singularity  $(X, x)$ . Namely, each irreducible component  $E_i$  of the exceptional set  $E = E_1 + E_2 + \cdots + E_s$  is a non-singular divisor on  $\tilde{X}$  and  $E$  has only normal crossings as the singularities. We denote by  $C_i$  the divisor  $\sum_{j \neq i} D_{ij}$  ( $= E_i \cdot (E - E_i)$ ) on  $E_i$ , where  $D_{ij}$  is the intersection  $E_i \cdot E_j$  of  $E_i$  and  $E_j$ .

DEFINITION [4, 5].

$$\delta_m(X, x) = \dim\{H^0(X \setminus \{x\}, \mathcal{O}_X(mK_X)) / H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(mK_{\tilde{X}} + (m-1)E))\}.$$

Here we note that the above definition does not depend on the choice of resolutions  $(\tilde{X}, E) \rightarrow (X, x)$  by [2, Theorem 2.1].

**THEOREM.**  $\delta_m = s$  for each positive integer  $m$ , if

$$\dim H^0(E_i, \mathcal{O}(mK_{E_i} + (k-m)[E_i]_{|E_i} + kC_i)) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } k > m > 0 \\ 1 & \text{for } k = m > 0, \end{cases}$$

for each  $E_i$  and if

$$H^0(D_{ij}, \mathcal{O}_{D_{ij}}(K_{D_{ij}} + [E - E_i - E_j]_{|D_{ij}})) = 0$$

for each  $(i, j) \in I = \{(i, j) \mid 1 \leq i < j \leq s, E_i \cap E_j \neq \emptyset\}$ .

PROOF. Let  $\mathcal{F}(m, k) = \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(mK_{\tilde{X}} + kE)$  and let  $\mathcal{F}_Z(m, k) = \mathcal{F}(m, k) \otimes \mathcal{O}_Z$  for a subvariety  $Z$  of  $\tilde{X}$ . Then we have the following two exact sequences of sheaves:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}(m, k-1) \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}(m, k) \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}_E(m, k) \longrightarrow 0, \\ 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{F}_E(m, k) \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{1 \leq i \leq s} \mathcal{F}_{E_i}(m, k) \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{(i,j) \in I} \mathcal{F}_{D_{ij}}(m, k) \longrightarrow \dots \end{aligned}$$

Here we note that

$$\mathcal{F}_{E_i}(m, k) \cong \mathcal{O}_{E_i}(mK_{E_i} + (k-m)[E_i]_{|E_i} + kC_i),$$

by the adjunction formula. Hence by the first condition of the theorem,  $H^0(E, \mathcal{F}_E(m, k)) = 0$ , if  $m < k$ . Therefore,

$$H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m)) = H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m+1)) = \dots = H^0(\tilde{X} \setminus E, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(mK_{\tilde{X}})).$$

Thus we have

$$\begin{aligned} \delta_m &= \dim H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m)) / H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m-1)) \\ &\leq \dim H^0(E, \mathcal{F}_E(m, m)) \leq \sum_{i=1}^s \dim H^0(E_i, \mathcal{O}_{E_i}(mK_{E_i} + mC_i)) = s. \end{aligned}$$

Next, we consider the case of  $m = k = 1$ . Note that

$$\mathcal{F}_{D_{ij}}(1, 1) \cong \mathcal{O}_{D_{ij}}(K_{D_{ij}} + [E - E_i - E_j]_{|D_{ij}}).$$

Hence by the second condition of the theorem, we have the isomorphism

$$H^0(E, \mathcal{F}_E(1, 1)) \cong \bigoplus_{1 \leq i \leq s} H^0(E_i, \mathcal{F}_{E_i}(1, 1)).$$

Therefore, for each  $i$ , we can take an element  $s_i$  of  $H^0(E, \mathcal{F}_E(1, 1))$  so that  $s_i$  vanishes on  $E_j$  if  $j \neq i$  and that  $s_i$  does not vanish on  $E_i$ . By Grauert-Riemenschneider's vanishing theorem,  $H^1(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(1, 0)) = 0$ . Hence the map  $H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(K_{\tilde{X}} + E)) \rightarrow H^0(E, \mathcal{F}_E(1, 1))$  is surjective. Let  $\omega_i$  be an element of  $H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(K_{\tilde{X}} + E))$  whose image under the above map is  $s_i$ . Then  $\omega_i$  has poles only along  $E_i$ . Hence the images of  $\omega_1^m, \omega_2^m, \dots$  and  $\omega_s^m$  under the projection  $H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m)) \rightarrow H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m)) / H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{F}(m, m-1))$  are linearly independent. Therefore  $\delta_m = s$ . q.e.d.

In the following, we construct an example of a normal isolated singularity with a resolution satisfying the conditions of the theorem,

using torus embeddings. See [3], for the notation. Let  $N$  be a free  $\mathbf{Z}$ -module of rank 3 and let  $\{n_1, n_2, n_3\}$  be a basis of  $N$ . Let  $\Sigma = \{\text{faces of } \sigma_i \mid i=1 \text{ through } 6\}$ , where

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_1 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_1 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(2n_2 - n_3), \\ \sigma_2 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_1 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3, \\ \sigma_3 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_1 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_2 + 2n_3), \\ \sigma_4 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(2n_2 - n_3) + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_1 + n_2 + n_3), \\ \sigma_5 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_1 + n_2 + n_3) \text{ and} \\ \sigma_6 &= \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_1 + n_2 + n_3) + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_2 + 2n_3). \end{aligned}$$

Let  $B, F_1$  and  $F_2$  be the closures in  $T_N \text{emb}(\Sigma)$  of  $\text{orb}(\mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3)$ ,  $\text{orb}(\mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_2)$  and  $\text{orb}(\mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_3)$ , respectively. Then  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are compact submanifolds in the complex manifold  $T_N \text{emb}(\Sigma)$  intersecting along  $B$ . Let

$$\begin{aligned} A = \{ \text{faces of } \lambda = & \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}n_1 + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_2 + 2n_3) \\ & + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(-n_1 + n_2 + n_3) + \mathbf{R}_{\geq 0}(2n_2 - n_3) \}. \end{aligned}$$

Then  $T_N \text{emb}(A)$  has the isolated singularity  $\text{orb}(\lambda)$  and  $(N, \Sigma)$  is a sub-division of  $(N, A)$ . Hence we have the holomorphic map  $h: T_N \text{emb}(\Sigma) \rightarrow T_N \text{emb}(A)$ . Here we note that  $h$  is a resolution of the singularity  $\text{orb}(\lambda)$  and  $h^{-1}(\text{orb}(\lambda)) = F_1 + F_2$ . Let  $L_1 = T_N \text{emb}(\{\text{faces of } \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_4 \text{ and } \sigma_5\})$  and let  $L_2 = T_N \text{emb}(\{\text{faces of } \sigma_2, \sigma_3, \sigma_5 \text{ and } \sigma_6\})$ . Then  $L_1$  (resp.  $L_2$ ) is an open set of  $T_N \text{emb}(\Sigma)$  and has the structure of the total space of a line bundle such that  $F_1$  (resp.  $F_2$ ) is the 0-section and that  $F_2 \cap L_1$  (resp.  $F_1 \cap L_2$ ) consists of fibers over  $B$ . Hence we can take open neighborhoods  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  of  $F_1$  and  $F_2$ , respectively, and the holomorphic smooth projections  $p_i: W_i \rightarrow F_i$  so that  $p_i|_{F_i} = \text{id}$  and that  $p_1(F_2 \cap W_1) = p_2(F_1 \cap W_2) = B$ . Here we may assume that  $W_1 \cap W_2$  is connected and simply connected, because  $B$  is a non singular rational curve. Since  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  are Hirzebruch surfaces of degree 1 with  $(B|_{F_i})^2 = -1$ , we have a birational holomorphic map  $q_i: F_i \rightarrow P^2$  to a projective plane, contracting  $B$  to a point  $z_i$ . Take a non-singular curve  $C_i$  of degree 6 in  $P^2$  which does not pass through  $z_i$ . Then the double covering  $E_i$  of  $F_i$  ramifying along  $q_i^{-1}(C_i)$  is birational to a  $K3$  surface. Here we may assume that

$$(p_1^{-1} \circ q_1^{-1})(C_1) \cap W_2 = (p_2^{-1} \circ q_2^{-1})(C_2) \cap W_1 = \emptyset,$$

taking  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  small enough. Let  $\tilde{X}_i = W_i \times_{F_i} E_i$ . Then  $\tilde{X}_i$  is a complex manifold containing the compact submanifold  $E_i$  and the projection

$f_i: \tilde{X}_i \rightarrow W_i$  is the double covering map ramifying along  $(p_i^{-1} \circ q_i^{-1})(C_i)$ . Moreover,  $f_i^{-1}(W_1 \cap W_2)$  consists of two connected components  $R_i$  and  $T_i$  each of which is isomorphic to  $W_1 \cap W_2$ . We obtain a complex manifold  $\tilde{X}$  patching up  $\tilde{X}_1$  and  $\tilde{X}_2$  as follows: We identify the points  $x_1 \in R_1$  (resp.  $T_1$ ) and  $x_2 \in R_2$  (resp.  $T_2$ ) if and only if  $f_1(x_1) = f_2(x_2)$ . Then we have a finite proper holomorphic map  $f: \tilde{X} \rightarrow W = W_1 \cup W_2$  of degree 2 such that  $f(x) = f_i(x)$ , if  $x \in \tilde{X}_i$ . Since  $F = F_1 + F_2$  is contractible to a point,  $E := f^{-1}(F) (= E_1 + E_2)$  is also contractible to a point. It is easy to verify that  $(\tilde{X}, E)$  satisfies the condition of the theorem. Therefore, we obtain an isolated singularity  $(X, x)$  with  $\delta_m = 2$ , for each positive integer  $m$ . Moreover, for any positive integer  $r$ , we can obtain an isolated singularity with  $\delta_m = 2r$  for each positive integer  $m$ , taking an  $r$ -sheeted unramified covering of  $\tilde{X}$  and then contracting the inverse image of  $E$ .

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