

Deformations of product-quotient surfaces
and reconstruction of Todorov surfaces via
 \mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein smoothing

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A projective surface S is called a product-quotient surface if \exists finite group G acting faithfully on two smooth curves C_1, C_2 and diagonally on their product, so that S is isomorphic to the minimal resolution of

$$X = C_1 \times C_2 / G$$

X is called a singular product-quotient surface

Recently, Bauer, Catanese, Pignatelli constructed many interesting examples of surfaces of general type with $P_g = 0$ by using product-quotient surfaces.

- Surfaces with $P_g = g = 1$ are constructed by Polizzi & others.
- In this talk, I discuss on (\mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein) deformations on some special singular product-quotient surfaces.

We focus on the case

$$g(C_1) = g(C_2) = 3, \quad G = \mathbb{Z}_4$$

$C_i \xrightarrow{G} \mathbb{P}^1$ simple cyclic \mathbb{Z}_4 -cover

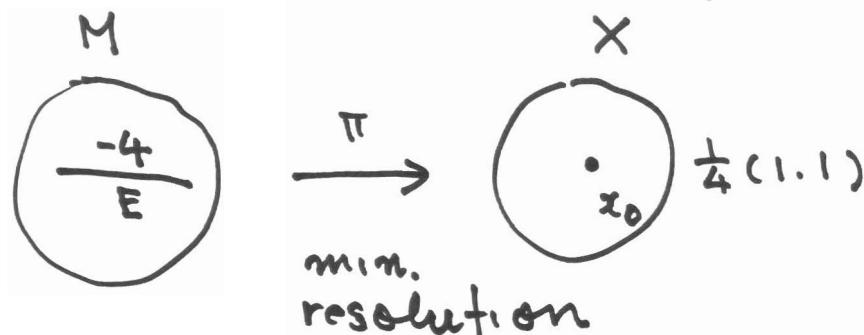
$X = C_1 \times C_2 / G$ contains precisely 16 cyclic quotient

singularities, $\frac{1}{4}(1,1)$ or $\frac{1}{4}(1,3)$

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(Q)-Gorenstein smoothing of $\frac{1}{4}(1,1)$ -singularity

A_3 -singularity



$$K_M = \pi^* K_X - \frac{1}{2}E$$

K_X is not Cartier

but $2K_X$ is Cartier

$2K_X \simeq \Theta_X$ locally

(local index one cover)

$$\text{Spec } \mathbb{C}[[x, y, z]] / (xy - z^2) \xrightarrow{2:1} \hat{\mathcal{O}}_{x, x_0}^{\text{etale except } x_0}$$

$$\text{Spec } \mathbb{C}[[x, y, z, w]] / (xy - z^2 + w) \text{ gives a smoothing}$$

\nearrow acts
 $\mathbb{Z}_2 = \langle \sigma \rangle$

$$\sigma(x, y, z, w) = (\alpha x, \alpha^{-1} y, \alpha z, w) \quad \alpha = -1$$

And it gives a smoothing of $\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{x, x_0}$

" \mathbb{Q} - Gorenstein smoothing"

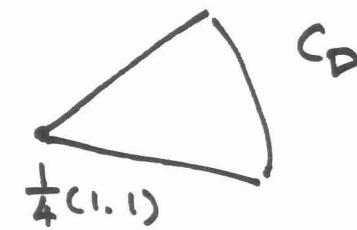
$$V = \nu_2(\mathbb{P}^2) \subset \mathbb{P}^5$$

$$F = \mathbb{P}'(\theta_{(2)} + \theta_{(2)})$$

making cones $C_V, C_F \subset \mathbb{P}^6$

hyperplane section is a cone ^{C_D} of rational curve of deg 4

C_V, C_F give smoothings of C_D



$$K_V^2 = K_{C_D}^2, \text{ but } K_F^2 \neq K_{C_D}^2$$

special cyclic singularities

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$$\frac{1}{r^2 d} (1, dr - 1)$$

$$\gcd(r, d) = 1$$

RDPs

\rightsquigarrow Q-Gorenstein

smoothing

These singularities were observed originally by J. Wahl.

In [Kollar - Shepherd-Barron], these singularities were studied in the purpose of construction of compact moduli space of surfaces of general type.

"singularity of class T"

Manetti, Hacking \rightsquigarrow Use them to construct compact moduli space of pairs of $\mathbb{P}(1, P^2, c)$

Use them to construct

examples of surfaces to show Def equiv \neq Diff equiv.

[—, Park. Invent. math. 2007]

Develop the method of construction of surfaces of general type/ \mathbb{C} with $Pg=0$, $\pi_1=1$ by using \mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein smoothings of singular rational surfaces.

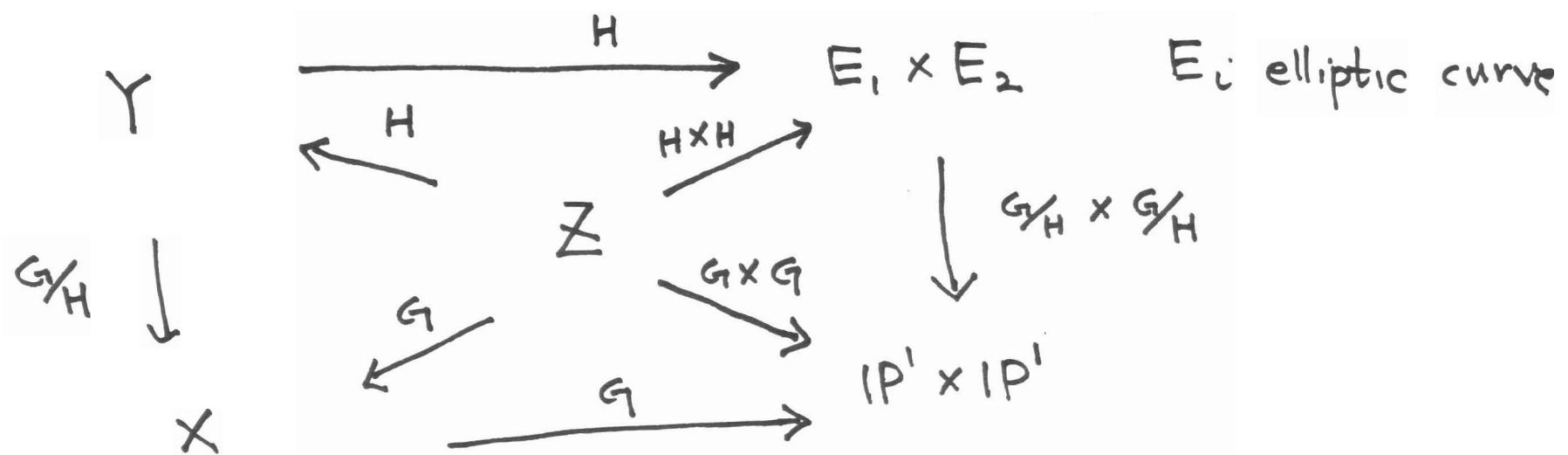
[—, Nakayama math. AG. arXiv 1103.5185]

Develop the method in [—, Park] purely algebraic way.
(characteristic free)

⇒ Possible to construct algebraically simply connected surfaces of general type with $Pg=g=0$, $1 \leq K^2 \leq 4$ in any characteristic.

Let $Z = C_1 \times C_2$

$$G = \mathbb{Z}_4 = \langle 3 \rangle \quad H = \langle 3^2 \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_2$$



$$\begin{array}{l}
 \begin{matrix}
 \min_{\text{resol.}} & S \\
 \downarrow & \\
 X
 \end{matrix} \quad K_S^2 = 8 - b \\
 e(S) = 4 + \frac{15a}{4} + \frac{7b}{4} \\
 f(S) = 0 \\
 P_f(S) = \frac{15a}{48} + \frac{3b}{48} \\
 \text{if } a \times \frac{3}{4} (1, 3) \\
 \text{b} \times \frac{1}{4} (1, 1)
 \end{array}$$

$$A) 16 \times \frac{1}{4}(1, 3)$$

$$B) 16 \times \frac{1}{4}(1, 1)$$

$$C) 8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1, 3), \quad 8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1, 1)$$

G -cover

$$X \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \times_{\mathbb{Q}} \mathbb{P}^1$$

$G = \mathbb{Z}_4$ -cover is determined by the following data.

$$4L_{x_1} = D_1 + 3D_3$$

$$2L_{x_2} = D_1 + D_3$$

$$4L_{x_3} = 3D_1 + D_3$$

$\begin{matrix} x_0, x_1, x_2, x_3 \in \hat{G} \\ \text{trivial character} \end{matrix}$

D_1, D_3 branch divisors

A) $L_{x_1} \in |\Theta_Q(1,1)|$, $L_{x_2} \in |\Theta_Q(2,2)|$, $L_{x_3} \in |\Theta_Q(3,3)|$

$D_1 \in |\Theta_Q(4,4)|$ $D_3 = \Theta_Q$

'simple \mathbb{Z}_4 -cover'

B) $L_{x_1} \in |\Theta_Q(1,3)|$, $L_{x_2} \in |\Theta_Q(2,2)|$, $L_{x_3} \in |\Theta_Q(3,1)|$

$D_1 \in |\Theta_Q(4,0)|$, $D_3 \in |\Theta_Q(0,4)|$

C) $L_{x_1}, L_{x_2}, L_{x_3}$, $D_1, D_3 \in |\Theta_Q(2,2)|$

Understand

$$0 \rightarrow H^1(\Theta_X) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(\Omega_X^1, \Theta_X) \rightarrow \tau_X^1 \xrightarrow{\text{ob}} H^2(\Theta_X)$$

$H^0(\text{Ext}^1(\Omega_X^1, \Theta_X))$

$$\text{ob}^* : H^2(\Theta_X)^* \rightarrow (\mathcal{T}_X^1)^*$$

$$H^0(\Omega_Z^1 \otimes \Omega_Z^2)^G$$

$$(P_* \Omega_Z^1)^G / \Omega_X^1$$

$$P : Z \rightarrow X$$

$$\bigoplus_{\chi \in \widehat{G}} \left[(H^0(g_{1,*} \omega_{C_1})^\chi \otimes H^0(g_{2,*} \omega_{C_2}^{-2})^\chi) \oplus (H^0(g_{1,*} \omega_{C_1}^{-2})^\chi \otimes H^0(g_{2,*} \omega_{C_1})^\chi) \right]$$

case A
case B
 χ^{-1}

$$A) [H^0(\omega_1 \otimes M_1^2) \otimes H^0(\omega_{1|P_1}^2(B_2) \otimes M_2^2) \oplus [H^0(\omega_{1|P_1}^2(B_1) \otimes M_1^2) \otimes H^0(\omega_{1|P_1} \otimes M_2^2)]]$$

$$M_1 = \Theta_{1|P_1}(1) \quad B_1 = \Theta_{1|P_1}(4)$$

$$h^2(\Theta_X) = 6$$

$$B) h^2(\Theta_X) = 14$$

C) $h^2(\Theta_X) \neq 0$ by using different method

A) By an explicit local computation

ob^* is injective in A)

$\Rightarrow \text{ob}$ is surjective

'RDPs'

$(P_* \Omega_Z^1)^G / \Omega_X^1$
 loc generated by
 $x^i y^{i+1} dx - y^i x^{i+1} dy$ for $i=0,1,2$.
 [Cataneo]

$$0 \rightarrow H^1(\Theta_X) \rightarrow \text{Ext}^1(\Omega_X^1, \Theta_X) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{42} \rightarrow 0$$

\mathbb{C}^2

$$H^1(\Theta_S) \cong H^1(\Theta_X) \oplus \mathbb{C}^{48}$$

$$H^2(\Theta_S) \cong H^2(\Theta_X)$$

$$h^1(\Theta_S) - h^2(\Theta_S) = 10\chi(\Theta_S) - 2K_S^2 = 44$$

$$\therefore h^1(\Theta_S) = 50$$

$\therefore \dim_{[x]} E S \text{Def}(x) = 2$ By varying $B_i \subset \mathbb{P}^1$ one obtains 2-dim'l deformation.

Using $Pg(S) = 5$, & $X \rightarrow Q$ is simple \mathbb{Z}_4 -cover

general deformation of X is c.i. of type (2.4) in \mathbb{P}^4

$\therefore \text{Def}(x)$ is smooth at $[x]$ of dim 44.

$\text{Def}(S)$ is singular at $[S]$

($16 \times A_3$ -cycles of S does not have independent in deform)

Natural deformations [Pardini]

of G -cover $X \rightarrow Q$ is the subvariety X' in $W = \bigoplus_{\substack{\hat{G} \\ \hat{G} \setminus \{x_0\}}} V(L_X^{-1})$
locally defined by

$$\omega_1^2 = \tau_3 \omega_2$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = \tau_3 \omega_3$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_3 = \tau_1 \tau_3 \omega_0$$

$$\omega_2^2 = \tau_1 \tau_3 \omega_0$$

$$\omega_2 \omega_3 = \tau_1 \omega_1$$

$$\omega_3^2 = \tau_1 \omega_2$$

ω_i local coord on $V(L_{X_i}^{-1})$

τ_i local equation D_i

natural deformation parametrized by

$$\bigoplus H^0(\mathcal{O}_Q(D_1) \otimes L_X^{-1})$$

$$x \in \{x_0, x_1, x_2\}$$

A) $H^0(\Theta_Q(4,4)) \oplus H^0(\Theta_Q(3,3)) \oplus H^0(\Theta_Q(2,2)) \cong \mathbb{C}^{50}$

$$\rightarrow z^4 - d_4 = 0$$

$$z^4 - a_1 z^2 - a_3 z^1 - a_4 - d_4 = 0$$



natural deformation gives a smoothing

B) $H^0(\Theta(4,0)) \oplus H^0(\Theta(0,4))$

all natural deformation preserve $16 \times \frac{1}{4}(1,1)$

C) $H^0(\Theta(2,2)) \oplus H^0(\Theta(2,2)) \oplus H^0(\Theta) \oplus H^0(\Theta) \oplus H^0(\Theta)$

natural deformations give a smoothing $8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1,3)$

but preserves $8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1,1)$

B). C)

$$\omega_0 = 1$$

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$$\text{rank} \begin{pmatrix} \tau_3 & \omega_1 & \omega_2 \\ \omega_1 & \omega_2 & \omega_3 \\ \omega_3 & \omega_2 & \tau_1 \end{pmatrix} \leq 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tau_3 & \omega_1 & \omega_2 \\ \omega_1 & \omega_2 + s & \omega_3 \\ \omega_3 & \omega_2 & \tau_1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ gives a } \mathbb{Q}\text{-Gorenstein smoothing}$$

$s \in H^0(L_{x_2})$

More explicit way (geometric & global)

B)

$$Y \longrightarrow E_1 \times E_2 = A$$

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$$X \longrightarrow \mathbb{P}^1 \times \mathbb{P}^1 = Q$$

- $\text{Def}(Y)$ is smooth at $[Y]$ of dim 18
- general deformation Y_t of Y is a double cover $Y_t \rightarrow A_t$ branched over Ξ (4,4)-type

$$Y_t \xrightarrow{i_t} A_t \rightarrow \text{Kum}(A_t)$$

leaving it on Y_t if branching locus is invariant.

the divisors in $|E|$ which are invariant under i_t
form a family of $\dim \frac{1}{2}(\theta^*(\theta_A(E)) + 2 - 1 = 9$

\Rightarrow 12-dim'l $\{Y_t\}$ of deform of Y which admit a
leaving of i_t

$$\begin{array}{ccc} Y_t \xrightarrow{i_t} & & \text{branched over 16 nodes \& } E/i_t \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \\ x_t = Y_t/i_t & \longrightarrow & \text{Kum}(A_t) \end{array}$$

$$P_g(x_t) = 1, \quad g(x_t) = 0, \quad K^2 = 8$$

x_t is a \mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein smoothing of X .

Remark

Fix abelian surface A and the embedding $\text{Kum}(A) \hookrightarrow \mathbb{P}^3$
 choice of the deformation parameter $s \in H^0(L_{X_2})$
 corresponds to the choice of $\bar{\Phi} \in |\Theta_{\mathbb{P}^3}(2)|$

By [Todorov], there is a $\bar{\Phi}_k \in |\Theta_{\mathbb{P}^3}(2)|$ which contains
 exactly k ($0 \leq k \leq 6$) of the nodes of $\text{Kum}(A)$

Pull back in A of $D_k := \text{Kum}(A) \cap \bar{\Phi}_k$ is a polarization of
 type $(4, 4)$ which contains exactly k of the nodes.

Partial \mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein smoothing X whose general fiber X_t
 is isom to the double cover $\text{Kum}(A)$ branched over D_k
 and $16-k$ nodes of $\text{Kum}(A)$.

Its minimal resolution of sing of X_t is a Todorov surface
 with $P_g = 1$, $g = 0$, $K^2 = 8-k$ ($0 \leq k \leq 6$).

c) natural deformations of X

$$\omega_0 = 1$$

$$\omega_1^2 = (g_3 + d_2 \omega_2 + d_3 \omega_3) \omega_2$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_2 = (g_3 + d_2 \omega_2 + d_3 \omega_3) \omega_3$$

$$\omega_1 \omega_3 = (g_1 + c_1 \omega_1 + c_2 \omega_2) (g_3 + d_2 \omega_2 + d_3 \omega_3)$$

$$\omega_2^2 = (g_1 + c_1 \omega_1 + c_2 \omega_2) (g_3 + d_2 \omega_2 + d_3 \omega_3)$$

$$\omega_2 \omega_3 = (g_1 + c_1 \omega_1 + c_2 \omega_2) \omega_1$$

$$\omega_3^2 = (g_1 + c_1 \omega_1 + c_2 \omega_2) \omega_2 \quad c_i, d_i \in H^0(\Theta) = \mathbb{C}$$

For a general choice of the parameters $\bar{X} \rightarrow Q$ is not a Galois cover.

Natural deformations \bar{X} of X which keep the G -action is parameterized by $H^0(\Theta_{Q(2,2)}) \oplus H^0(\Theta_{Q(2,2)})$

$$\text{i.e } c_1 = c_2 = d_2 = d_3 = 0$$

$\bar{X} \rightarrow Q$ factors onto $\bar{X} \xrightarrow[2:1]{} K \xrightarrow[2:1]{P} Q$
 K_3 surface with $8 \times A_1$ -singularities

$P: K \rightarrow Q$ branched over

$$D_{G,x_1} + D_{G,x_3}$$

$$\text{Let } \bar{D}_{G,x_2} = P^* D_{G,x_2}$$

$$2\bar{D}_{G,x_i} = P^* D_{G,x_i} \text{ for } i=1,3$$

$$D_{G,x_2} = D_{G,x_i} \Rightarrow \bar{D}_{G,x_2} = \bar{D}_{G,x_1} + \bar{D}_{G,x_3}$$

- Double cover \tilde{X} of K branched over \bar{D}_{G,x_2} is deformation equiv. to \bar{X} .
- \tilde{X} can be realized as the bideouble cover of Q branched over D_{G,x_1} , D_{G,x_3} and D_{G,x_2}

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & X & \xleftarrow{\sim} & \bar{X} & \\
 & 8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1.3) & & & \\
 & 8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1.1) & \downarrow & & \\
 & & \nearrow & \sim & \\
 & & & \sim & 8 \times \frac{1}{4}(1.1) \\
 & & & & (\sim \xrightarrow{\mathbb{Z}_2^{\oplus 2}} Q) \\
 & & & \nearrow & \\
 & \sim & & & Q\text{-Gorenstein smoothing} \\
 & & & & \text{by deforming } D_{G, \beta_2} \\
 & & & & \text{to a general divisor of} \\
 & & & & \text{b.r. degree (2, 2)} \\
 & & & & \\
 & & & &
 \end{array}$$

Remark

By using partial \mathbb{Q} -Gorenstein smoothing \tilde{X} and minimal resolution, one can construct surfaces of general type with $P_g = 3$, $g = 0$, $K^2 = \alpha$ ($2 \leq \alpha \leq 8$)