

# NON-COMMUTATIVE CREPANT RESOLUTIONS OF A SPECIAL FAMILY OF STABLE SET RINGS

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This talk is based on [7]. Let  $R$  be a Gorenstein normal domain. For a reflexive  $R$ -module  $M \neq 0$ , we set  $E = \text{End}_R(M)$  and denote the global dimension of  $E$  by  $\text{gldim } E$ . We call  $E$  a *non-commutative crepant resolution* (NCCR, for short) of  $R$  if  $E$  is a maximal Cohen-Macaulay (MCM, for short)  $R$ -module with  $\text{gldim } E < \infty$ . Moreover, we say that an NCCR  $E$  is *splitting* if  $M$  is a finite direct sum of rank one reflexive  $R$ -modules. A splitting NCCR is also called “toric NCCR” when  $R$  is a toric ring. The existence of NCCRs of toric rings is the one of the most well-studied problems.

Recently, conic divisorial ideals, which are a certain class of divisorial ideals (rank one reflexive modules) defined on toric rings, and their applications are well studied (see e.g., [2, 3], and so on). Let  $R = \mathbb{k}[C \cap \mathbb{Z}^d]$  be the toric ring of a strongly convex rational polyhedral cone  $C \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ , where  $\mathbb{k}$  is an algebraically closed field of characteristic 0. It is known that up to isomorphism the conic divisorial ideals of  $R$  are exactly the direct summands of  $R^{1/k}$  for  $k \gg 0$  ([3, Proposition 3.6], [9, Proposition 3.2.3]), where  $R^{1/k} = \mathbb{k}[C \cap (1/k\mathbb{Z})^d]$  is regarded as an  $R$ -module. In addition, conic divisorial ideals of  $R$  are MCM  $R$ -modules. Since conic divisorial ideals of a toric ring  $R$  are rank one reflexive MCM  $R$ -modules, the endomorphism ring  $E$  of the finite direct sum of some of them is a toric NCCR if  $E$  is an MCM  $R$ -module and  $\text{gldim } E < \infty$ .

It is known that the following toric rings have toric NCCRs:

- Gorenstein toric rings whose divisor class groups are  $\mathbb{Z}$  ([12]);
- Gorenstein Hibi rings whose divisor class groups are  $\mathbb{Z}^2$  ([8]);
- 3-dimensional Gorenstein toric rings ([1, 6, 11]);
- Segre products of polynomial rings ([5]);
- Gorenstein edge rings of complete multipartite graphs ([4]).

On the other hand, there is an example of a Gorenstein toric ring which have no toric NCCRs ([10, Example 9.1]). Therefore, it is interesting to ask when a Gorenstein toric ring has a toric NCCR.

In this talk, we give an NCCR of a special family of stable set rings, which are toric rings arising from graphs.

Let  $G$  be a simple graph on the vertex set  $V(G) = [d] := \{1, \dots, d\}$  with the edge set  $E(G)$ . We say that  $S \subset V(G)$  is a *stable set* (resp. a *clique*) if  $\{v, w\} \notin E(G)$  (resp.  $\{v, w\} \in E(G)$ ) for any distinct vertices  $v, w \in S$ . Note that the empty set and each singleton are regarded as stable sets.

We define the *stable set ring* of  $G$  over  $\mathbb{k}$  by setting

$$\mathbb{k}[\text{Stab}_G] = \mathbb{k}[(\prod_{i \in S} t_i)t_0 : S \text{ is a stable set of } G].$$

The stable set ring of  $G$  can be described as the toric ring arising from a rational polyhedral cone if  $G$  is perfect.

For an integer  $n \geq 3$  and positive integers  $r_1, \dots, r_n$ , let  $G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}$  be the graph on the vertex set  $V(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}) = [2d]$  with the edge set  $E(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}) = \bigcup_{i=0}^n \{\{v, u\} : v, u \in Q_i\}$ ,

where  $d = \sum_{k=1}^n r_k$ ,  $Q_0 = \{d+1, \dots, 2d\}$  and for  $i \in [n]$ , we let

$$Q_i^+ = \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} r_k + 1, \dots, \sum_{k=1}^i r_k \right\}, \quad Q_i^- = \left\{ d + \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} r_k + 1, \dots, d + \sum_{k=1}^i r_k \right\} \text{ and } Q_i = Q_i^+ \cup (Q_0 \setminus Q_i^-).$$

Note that  $Q_i^+ = Q_i \setminus Q_0$  and  $Q_i^- = Q_0 \setminus Q_i$ . Moreover, we set

$$\mathcal{C}(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}) = \{(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : -r_i \leq z_i \leq r_i \text{ for } i \in [n]\}.$$

The graph  $G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}$  has the following properties.

- Proposition 1.** (i) *The maximal cliques of  $G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}$  are precisely  $Q_0, Q_1, \dots, Q_n$ .*  
(ii) *A subset  $S \subset V(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n})$  is a maximal stable set of  $G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}$  if and only if  $S = \{v_i, v'_i\}$  or  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  for some  $i \in [n]$ ,  $v_i \in Q_i^+$  and  $v'_i \in Q_i^-$ .*  
(iii) *The graph  $G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}$  is chordal, and hence it is perfect.*  
(iv) *The stable set ring  $\mathbb{k}[\text{Stab}_{G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}}]$  is Gorenstein, and its divisor class group is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ .*  
(v) *Each point in  $\mathcal{C}(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n$  one-to-one corresponds to the conic divisorial ideal of  $\mathbb{k}[\text{Stab}_{G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}}]$*

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $R = \mathbb{k}[\text{Stab}_{G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}}]$  and*

$$\mathcal{L} = \{(z_1, \dots, z_n) \in \mathbb{Z}^n : 0 \leq z_i \leq r_i \text{ for } i \in [n]\} \subset \mathcal{C}(G_{r_1, \dots, r_n}) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n.$$

*Moreover, let  $M_{\mathcal{L}}$  be the direct sum of the conic divisorial ideals corresponding to the elements of  $\mathcal{L}$ . Then,  $E = \text{End}_R(M_{\mathcal{L}})$  is an NCCR of  $R$ . In particular,  $R$  has a toric NCCR.*

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