

# BUCHSBAUM CRITERION OF SEGRE PRODUCTS OF BUCHSBAUM MODULES

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The purpose of this paper is to give a survey of a study on the Buchsbaum property of Segre product of Buchsbaum vector bundles on multiprojective spaces based on my talk at the Commutative Algebra Conference 2015, Japan. A base field  $k$  is always an algebraically closed field throughout this paper. Let us begin with Grothendieck's theorem.

**Theorem 1.** *Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}_k^1$  of rank  $r$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}$  is isomorphic to  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_k^1}(a_i)$  for some  $a_i \in \mathbb{Z}$ .*

*Sketch of Proof.* Let us take an integer  $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $\Gamma(\mathcal{E}(\ell)) \neq 0$  and  $\Gamma(\mathcal{E}(\ell - 1)) = 0$ . Then we have an inclusion  $\mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_k^1} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}(\ell)$ , which gives a direct summand.  $\square$

Horrocks [5] has given a generalization of Theorem 1.

**Theorem 2.** *Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n$  of rank  $r$ . Assume that  $\mathcal{E}$  is ACM, that is,  $H_*^i(\mathcal{E}) = \bigoplus_{\ell \in \mathbb{Z}} H^i(\mathbb{P}_k^n, \mathcal{E}(\ell)) = 0$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n - 1$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}$  is isomorphic to  $\bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}(a_i)$  for some  $a_i \in \mathbb{Z}$ .*

*Sketch of Proof.* We will prove by induction on  $n$ . Let us take  $\mathcal{F} = \bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}(a_i)$  by taking integers  $a_i$  from an isomorphism  $\mathcal{E}|_H \cong \bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{O}_H(a_i)$ . Then we have only to take a section of  $\Gamma(\mathcal{F}^\vee \otimes \mathcal{E})$  by using the hypothesis of induction, which gives an isomorphism  $\mathcal{F} \cong \mathcal{E}$ .  $\square$

On the other hand we have another way to prove a splitting criterion of ACM vector bundles on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n$  by the Auslander-Buchsbaum theorem.

**Theorem 3.** *Let  $A$  be a noetherian local ring. Let  $M$  be a finitely generated  $A$ -module with  $\text{proj dim}_A M < \infty$ . Then  $\text{proj dim}_A M + \text{depth}_A M = \text{depth } A$ .*

*Sketch of another proof of Theorem 2.* Let  $\mathcal{E}$  a vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n = \text{Proj } S$ , where  $S = k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ . Then we can take  $\mathcal{E} = \widetilde{M}$ , where  $M$  is a Cohen-Macaulay graded  $S$ -module. Hilbert Syzygy Theorem implies  $\text{proj dim}_S M < \infty$ . By Auslander-Buchsbaum theorem (graded case),  $\text{proj dim}_S M = 0$ , that is,  $M$  is graded free.  $\square$

This observation arises the following question.

**Question 4.** *Find splitting criteria of vector bundles on  $\mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$ .*

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**Facts 5.** Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $X = \mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$ . Then there are cohomological criteria for:

- (1)  $\mathcal{E}$  is a direct sum of  $\mathcal{O}_X$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_X(0, 1)$  and  $\mathcal{O}_X(1, 0)$  twisted by line bundles  $\mathcal{O}_X(\ell, \ell')$ , that is,  $\mathcal{E} \cong (\oplus_{\ell} \mathcal{O}_X(\ell, \ell')) \oplus (\oplus_{\ell'} \mathcal{O}_X(\ell', 1 + \ell')) \oplus (\oplus_{\ell''} \mathcal{O}_X(1 + \ell'', \ell''))$ , see [1].
- (2)  $\mathcal{E}$  is a direct sum of line bundles of the form  $\mathcal{O}_X(\ell_1, \ell_2)$  with  $-r_1 \leq \ell_1 - \ell_2 \leq r_2$ , see [8].
- (3)  $\mathcal{E}$  is a direct sum of line bundles of  $\mathcal{O}_X$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_X(0, 1)$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_X(1, 0)$ ,  $p_1^* \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^m} \otimes p_2^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}^n}^a(a+1)$  and  $p_1^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}^m}^a(a+1) \otimes p_2^* \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}^n}$ , where  $0 \leq a \leq n-1$  twisted by line bundles of the form  $\mathcal{O}_X(\ell, \ell')$ , see [1].

If  $\mathcal{E} \cong \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}(\ell)$ ,  $\mathcal{E}$  is ACM. If  $\mathcal{E} \cong \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^i(\ell)$ ,  $\mathcal{E}$  is Buchsbaum. Now we are going to study the Buchsbaum case for splitting criteria by giving the definition and basic properties of Buchsbaum modules, see [10].

**Definition 6.** Let  $(R, \mathfrak{m})$  be a Noetherian local ring. A finitely generated  $R$ -module  $M$  is a Buchsbaum module if  $\text{length}_R(M/\mathfrak{q}M) - e(\mathfrak{q}; M)$  is independent of the choice of a parameter ideal  $\mathfrak{q}$  for  $M$ .

**Definition 7.** Let  $R = k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$  be a polynomial ring over  $k$  with standard grading and  $\mathfrak{m} = R_+$ . A finitely generated graded  $R$ -module  $M$  is called a graded Buchsbaum module if  $M_{\mathfrak{m}}$  is a Buchsbaum  $R_{\mathfrak{m}}$ -module.

**Proposition 8.** Let  $R = k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$  be a polynomial ring over  $k$  with standard grading and  $\mathfrak{m} = R_+$ . Let  $M$  be a finitely generated graded  $R$ -module of  $\dim M = d + 1$ . The following conditions are equivalent:

- (1)  $M$  is a graded Buchsbaum  $R$ -module.
- (2) For any homogeneous (linear) system of parameters  $z_0, \dots, z_d$  of  $R$ -module  $M$ ,  $[(z_0, \dots, z_{i-1})M : z_i] = [(z_0, \dots, z_{i-1})M : \mathfrak{m}]$  holds for  $i = 0, \dots, d$ .
- (3) For any homogeneous (linear) system of parameters  $z_0, \dots, z_d$  of  $R$ -module  $M$ ,  $\mathfrak{m}H_{\mathfrak{m}}^i(M/(z_j, \dots, z_d)M) = 0$  holds for  $j = 0, \dots, d + 1$  and  $0 \leq i \leq j - 1$ .
- (4) Canonical maps  $\text{Ext}_R^i(k, M) \rightarrow H_{\mathfrak{m}}^i(M)$  are surjective for  $0 \leq i \leq d$ .

For vector bundles we use the following definition.

**Definition 9.** Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n$ .

- (1)  $\mathcal{E}$  is called ACM if  $H_*^i(\mathcal{E}) = 0$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n - 1$ .
- (2)  $\mathcal{E}$  is called Buchsbaum if for any  $r$ -plane with  $1 \leq r \leq n$  we have  $\mathfrak{m}H_*^i(\mathcal{E}|_L) = 0$  for  $i = 1, \dots, r - 1$ .
- (3)  $\mathcal{E}$  is called quasi-Buchsbaum if  $\mathfrak{m}H_*^i(\mathcal{E}) = 0$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n - 1$ .

Let us state surprising results on the structure of Buchsbaum bundles, which has been proved by Goto [3] and Chang [2] in different ways.

**Theorem 10.** Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a Buchsbaum vector bundle on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}$  is isomorphic to a direct sum of vector bundles of the form  $\Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^i(\ell)$ .

In order to generalize to vector bundles on multiprojective space, we will study the following questions.

**Question 11.** Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $X = \mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$ . When is  $\mathcal{E}$  isomorphic to a direct sum of vector bundles of the form  $p_1^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^m}^i(a) \otimes p_2^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^j(b)$ ?

**Question 12.** Let  $\mathcal{E} = p_1^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^m}^i(a) \otimes p_2^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^j(b)$  on  $X = \mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$ .

- (1) When is  $\mathcal{E}$  ACM?
- (2) When is  $\mathcal{E}$  Buchsbaum?
- (3) When is  $\mathcal{E}$  quasi-Buchsbaum?

The ACM and quasi-Buchsbaum property is described in terms of cohomologies of  $\mathcal{E}$ . It is an easy calculation by the Künneth formula. From now on we will study the Buchsbaum property of  $\mathcal{E}$ . The following is our main result coming from Theorem 18. The rest of the paper gives an outline of the proof. The details will be written in [9].

**Theorem 13.** On the Segre product  $\mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$  let us take a vector bundle  $\mathcal{E} = p_1^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^m}^i(a) \otimes p_2^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^j(b)$  for  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and  $1 \leq j \leq n$ , where  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  are projections.

- (1) In case either  $(i, j) = (m, n)$ , or  $i < m$  and  $j < n$ ,  $\mathcal{E}$  is Buchsbaum if and only if  $-n + j - i - 1 \leq b - a \leq m + j - i + 1$ .
- (2) In case  $i < m$  and  $j = n$ ,  $\mathcal{E}$  is Buchsbaum if and only if  $-i \leq b - a \leq m - i + n + 1$ .

**Remark 14.** Let  $R$  and  $S$  be the polynomial rings over a field  $k$ . Let  $M$  be a Buchsbaum  $R$ -module with depth  $M \geq 2$ . Let  $N$  be a Buchsbaum  $S$ -module with depth  $N \geq 2$ . Cohomological data  $\dim_k[H_{\mathfrak{m}}^i(M)]_\ell$  and  $\dim_k[H_{\mathfrak{m}}^i(N)]_\ell$  give structure of direct sums of syzygies over appropriate polynomial subrings  $R' \subseteq R$  and  $S' \subseteq S$ . Then the Cohen-Macaulay and Buchsbaum property of the Segre product  $M \# N$  of  $M$  and  $N$  are described in terms of the data by the Theorem 13.

Now let us describe spectral sequence theory for Buchsbaum modules according to [6, 7].

Let  $R = k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$  be the polynomial ring over  $\bar{k} = k$ . Let  $M$  be a finitely generated graded  $R$ -module of depth  $M \geq 2$ . Let  $0 \rightarrow M \rightarrow I^\bullet$  be the minimal injective resolution of  $M$  in the category of graded  $R$ -modules, constructed as in [4]. We set  $I^i = {}'I^i \oplus {}''I^i$ , where  $\text{Ass}_R({}'I^i) = \{\mathfrak{m}\}$  and  $\mathfrak{m} \notin \text{Ass}_R({}''I^i)$ . Let us put  $\bar{I}^\bullet = (0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} {}''I^\bullet[-1])$ . Then  $\bar{I}^\bullet \cong \mathbb{R}\Gamma_{\mathfrak{m}}(M)$ . Let  $K_\bullet$  be a Koszul complex  $K_\bullet((x_0, \dots, x_n); R)$ . Let us consider a double complex  $B^{\bullet\bullet} = \text{Hom}_R(K_\bullet, \bar{I}^\bullet)$ , that is,  $B^{p,q} = \text{Hom}_R(K_p, \bar{I}^q)$ . Take filtrations  ${}'F_t(B^{\bullet\bullet}) = \sum_{p \geq t} B^{p,q}$  and  ${}''F_t(B^{\bullet\bullet}) = \sum_{q \geq t} B^{p,q}$ . The filtrations  ${}'F_t$  and  ${}''F_t$  give spectral sequences  $\{{}'F_r^{p,q}\}$  and  $\{{}''F_r^{p,q}\}$  respectively:

$$\begin{cases} {}'F_1^{p,q} = \text{Ker } d''^{p,q} / \text{Im } d''^{p,q-1} \Rightarrow \\ {}''F_1^{p,q} = \text{Ker } d'{}^{p,q} / \text{Im } d'{}^{p-1,q} \Rightarrow \end{cases} H^{p+q}(B^{\bullet\bullet}).$$

Note that  $'F_1^{p,q} \cong \text{Hom}_R(K_p, H_m^q(M))$  and  $''F_1^{p,0} \cong \text{Ext}_R^p(k, M)$  and  $''F_1^{p,q} = 0$  for  $q \neq 0$ .

**Proposition 15.** *Under the above conditions the following conditions are equivalent:*

- (1)  $M$  is a graded Buchsbaum  $R$ -module.
- (2)  $d_r^{p,q} : E_r^{p,q} \rightarrow E_r^{p+r, q-r+1}$  is a zero map for all  $p, q$  and  $r$  with  $q \leq d$  and  $r \geq 1$ .
- (3)  $d_r^{0,q} : E_r^{0,q} \rightarrow E_r^{r, q-r+1}$  is a zero map for all  $q$  and  $r$  with  $q \leq d$  and  $r \geq 1$ .

Now we will describe the behaviour of the syzygy modules in the spectral sequence. Syzygy modules are typical Buchsbaum modules.

Let  $R$  be the polynomial ring  $k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$ . Let  $L_i$  be a graded free  $R$ -module  $R(-i)^{\oplus e_i}$  of rank  $e_i = \binom{n}{i}$ ,  $i = 0, \dots, n+1$ . Let us consider the Koszul resolution of a graded  $R$ -module  $k$ :  $0 \rightarrow L_{n+1} \rightarrow L_n \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow L_1 \rightarrow L_0 \rightarrow k \rightarrow 0$ . Let us take  $E_i = \text{Coker}(L_{i+1} \rightarrow L_i)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $E_{n+1} = L_{n+1}$ . Then the  $i$ -th syzygy module  $E_i$  is a Buchsbaum module such as  $H_m^i(E_i) \cong k$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n$ ,  $H_m^q(E_i) = 0$  for  $q \neq i, n+1$  and  $E_i$  is generated by elements of degree  $i$ .

**Lemma 16.** *Under the above notation we have*

- (1)  $\text{Soc } H_m^{n+1}(E_i) = [0 : \mathfrak{m}]_{H_m^{n+1}(E_i)} \cong k(n-i+2)^{\oplus e_i}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n$
- (2)  $\text{Soc } H_m^{n+1}(E_{n+1}) \cong k$
- (3)  $\text{Ext}_R^{i+j}(k, E_i) \cong k(j)^{\oplus e_j}$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n+1$  and  $0 \leq i+j \leq n+1$ , where  $k(j)^{\oplus e_j} = 0$  for  $j < 0$ .

Let us take  $M = E_i$ . Note  $\text{depth}_R E_i = i \geq 2$  and  $\widetilde{M} = \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^{i-1}$  on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n = \text{Proj } R$ . A complex  $\bar{I}^\bullet = (0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{\epsilon} ''I^\bullet[-1])$  gives  $\bar{I}^\bullet \cong \mathbb{R}\Gamma_m(M)$ . Then we have a spectral sequence  $\{E_r^{p,q}\}$  with

$$E_1^{p,q} = \text{Hom}_R(K_p, H_m^q(M)) \Rightarrow H^{p+q}(B^{\bullet\bullet}) = \text{Ext}_R^{p+q}(k, M).$$

**Lemma 17.** *Let  $R$  be the polynomial ring  $k[x_0, \dots, x_n]$  over a field  $k$ . Let  $M$  be the  $i$ -th syzygy module  $E_i$  for  $2 \leq i \leq n$ , that is,  $\Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^{i-1} = \widetilde{M}$  on  $\mathbb{P}_k^n = \text{Proj } R$ . In the spectral sequence  $\{E_r^{p,q}\}$  with  $E_1^{p,q} = \text{Hom}_R(K_p, H_m^q(M)) \Rightarrow H^{p+q}(B^{\bullet\bullet}) \cong \text{Ext}_R^{p+q}(k, M)$ ,*

- $\varphi_i : H^i(B^{\bullet\bullet}) = \text{Ext}_R^i(k, M) \rightarrow E_\infty^{0,i} = E_1^{0,i} = H_m^i(M)$
- $\psi_i : E_{n-i+2}^{0,n+1} = [0 : \mathfrak{m}]_{H_m^{n+1}(M)} \rightarrow E_{n-i+2}^{n-i+2,i} = H_m^i(M)(n-i+2)^{\oplus e_i}$

*are isomorphisms.*

Let  $R = k[x_0, \dots, x_m]$  and  $S = k[y_0, \dots, y_n]$  be the polynomial rings. A Segre product of  $R$  and  $S$  is defined as  $R \# S = \bigoplus_{\ell \in \mathbb{Z}} (R_\ell \otimes_k S_\ell)$ , which is a graded ring.  $\text{Proj } R \# S \cong \text{Proj } R \times \text{Proj } S$ . For a graded  $R$ -module  $M$  and a graded  $S$ -module  $N$ , a Segre product of  $M$  and  $N$  is defined as  $M \# N = \bigoplus_{\ell \in \mathbb{Z}} (M_\ell \otimes_k N_\ell)$ , which is a graded  $(R \# S)$ -module. Let  $I^\bullet$  be the

minimal injective resolution of a graded  $R$ -module  $M$ . Let  $J^\bullet$  be the minimal injective resolution of a graded  $S$ -module  $N$ . We take  $I^i = 'I^i \oplus ''I^i$ , where  $\text{Ass}_R('I^i) = \{\mathfrak{m}\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{m} \notin \text{Ass}_R(''I^i)$  and  $J^i = 'J^i \oplus ''J^i$ , where  $\text{Ass}_R('J^i) = \{\mathfrak{m}\}$ ,  $\mathfrak{m} \notin \text{Ass}_R(''J^i)$ . Then let us put  $\bar{I}^\bullet = (0 \rightarrow M \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} ''I^\bullet[-1])$  and  $\bar{J}^\bullet = (0 \rightarrow N \xrightarrow{\varepsilon} ''J^\bullet[-1])$ . Now we put  $T = R \# S$  and  $\mathfrak{m} = T_+$ . Let us take a complex  $W^\bullet = (0 \rightarrow M \# N \rightarrow (''I^\bullet \# ''J^\bullet)[-1])$ , that is,  $W^\ell = \oplus_{i+j=\ell-1} (''I^i \# ''J^j)$  for  $\ell \geq 1$ . Then we have  $W^\bullet \cong \mathbb{R}\Gamma_{\mathfrak{m}}(M \# N)$ .

Thanks to the construction of a resolution  $W^\bullet$ , we will describe explicitly cycle elements of the cohomology modules of the Segre product, and we will obtain the following result.

**Theorem 18.** *Let  $R = k[x_0, \dots, x_m]$  and  $S = k[y_0, \dots, y_n]$  be the polynomial rings over a field  $k$ . Let  $E_i$  be an  $i$ -th syzygy  $R$ -module for  $2 \leq i \leq m+1$  and  $F_j$  be a  $j$ -th syzygy  $S$ -module for  $2 \leq j \leq n+1$ . Put  $M = E_i(a)$  and  $N = F_j(b)$  for  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ .*

- (1) *In case  $(i, j) = (m+1, n+1)$ ,  $M \# N$  is Buchsbaum if and only if  $\mathfrak{m}(M \# H_{\mathfrak{m}}^{n+1}(N)) = 0$  and  $\mathfrak{m}(H_{\mathfrak{m}}^{m+1}(M) \# N) = 0$ .*
- (2) *In case  $(i, j) \neq (m+1, n+1)$ ,  $M \# N$  is Buchsbaum if and only if  $M \# H_{\mathfrak{m}}^{n+1}(N) = 0$  and  $H_{\mathfrak{m}}^{m+1}(M) \# N = 0$ .*

Finally we end with posing the following problem.

**Problem 19.** *Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle on  $X = \mathbb{P}_k^m \times \mathbb{P}_k^n$ . Give cohomological criteria whether  $\mathcal{E}$  is a direct sum of line bundles of  $p_1^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^m}^i(a) \otimes p_2^* \Omega_{\mathbb{P}_k^n}^j(b)$  with some restriction for  $i, j, a$  and  $b$ .*

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