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# Stable vector bundles of rank 2 on a 3-dimensional rational scroll

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**Introduction.** Let (X, H) be a couple of a  $P^2$ -bundle over  $P^1$  and a very ample divisor on it. We say that (X, H) is a 3-dimensional rational scroll if the *H*-degree of a fibre is one (Definition (1.2)). In this paper we investigate moduli of some families of stable vector bundles of rank 2 on a 3-dimensional rational scroll.

In §1, we prove a main tool of this paper (Theorem (1.5)). In §2 and §3, particular families are treated. One family forms a projective space (Theorem (2.2)) and another family forms a complement of a dual 3-dimensional rational scroll (Theorem (3.19)).

#### §1. Preliminary.

(1.1) Let k be an algebraically closed field of arbitrary characteristic and X be a  $P^2$ -bundle over  $P^1$  defined over k. There are integers  $a \leq b \leq 0$  such that for the vector bundle  $\mathcal{V} = \mathcal{O}_{P^1}(a) \oplus \mathcal{O}_{P^1}(b) \oplus \mathcal{O}_{P^1}$  on  $P^1$ , X is isomorphic to  $P(\mathcal{V})$ .

Let  $\pi$  be the projection of X to  $P^1$ . Let D be a divisor on X such that  $\pi_*\mathcal{O}_X(D) \simeq \mathcal{C}\mathcal{V}$  and F be a fibre of  $\pi$ . For an integer  $q \ge 1-a$ , the divisor H=D+qF is very ample and the intersection number  $(F \cdot H^2)=1$ .

DEFINITION (1.2). The couple (X, H) is called a 3-dimensional rational scroll.

DEFINITION (1.3). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on a 3-dimensional rational scroll (X, H).  $\mathcal{E}$  is stable if for any invertible subsheaf  $\mathcal{L}$  of  $\mathcal{E}$ , the inequality

$$(C_{\mathrm{1}}(\mathcal{L}) \cdot H^{\mathrm{2}}) \! < \! (C_{\mathrm{1}}(\mathcal{E}) \cdot H^{\mathrm{2}})/2$$

holds.

(1.4) Fix a 3-dimensional rational scroll (X, H) as above and define the integer  $p=(D \cdot H^2)=2q+a+b$ . Note that  $p \ge 2$  because p=(q+a)+(q+b) and  $q\ge 1-a$ . For integers  $\alpha$ , x and y, let  $M(\alpha; x, y)$  be the set of all stable vector bundles of rank 2 on (X, H) with fixed Chern classes  $C_1=-\alpha D+(\alpha p+1)F$  and  $C_2=xD^2+yD\cdot F$ . In this section we prove the following theorem which is a

main tool of this paper.

THEOREM (1.5). If  $\alpha > 0$  and  $x \leq 0$  then for any  $\mathcal{E}$  in  $M(\alpha; x, y)$ , there exist integers  $l \geq 0$  and m such that  $\mathcal{E}(-lD-mF)$  has a nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$  and the following inequalities hold

(1.5.1)  

$$y \ge l(\alpha p+1) - (\alpha+2l)m - b \{l(l+\alpha)+x\}$$

$$\ge l(\alpha p+1) - (\alpha+2l)m$$

$$\ge 2l(l+\alpha)p + l.$$

REMARK (1.6). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a stable vector bundle of rank 2 on X. Then  $\mathcal{E}\otimes\mathcal{L}$  is in  $M(\alpha; x, y)$  for some triple  $(\alpha; x, y)$   $(\alpha>0, x\leq 0)$  and a line bundle  $\mathcal{L}$  if and only if  $(C_1(\mathcal{E})\cdot H^2)$  is odd and  $(\mathcal{\Delta}(\mathcal{E})\cdot F)$  is positive, where  $\mathcal{\Delta}(\mathcal{E})$  is the cycle  $-C_2(\mathcal{E}nd(\mathcal{E}))=C_1(\mathcal{E})^2-4C_2(\mathcal{E})$ .

PROOF. Assume that  $\mathcal{E} \otimes \mathcal{L}$  is in  $M(\alpha; x, y)$  for some  $\alpha > 0$ ,  $x \leq 0$ , y and a line bundle  $\mathcal{L}$ . Then

$$(C_1(\mathcal{E}) \cdot H^2) = (-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F \cdot H^2) - 2(C_1(\mathcal{L}) \cdot H^2) \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$$

and

$$(\varDelta(\mathcal{E})\cdot F) = (\varDelta(\mathcal{E}\otimes \mathcal{L})\cdot F) = \alpha^2 - 4x > 0.$$

Conversely, assume that  $(C_1(\mathcal{E}) \cdot H^2)$  is odd and  $(\varDelta(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F)$  is positive. Since  $(C_1(\mathcal{E}) \cdot H^2)$  is odd, replacing  $\mathcal{E}$  by  $\mathcal{E} \otimes \mathcal{L}$  for suitable line bundle  $\mathcal{L}$ , we may assume  $C_1(\mathcal{E}) = -D + (p+1)F$  (or -2D + (2p+1)F). If  $C_2(\mathcal{E}) = xD^2 + yD \cdot F$  then  $(\varDelta(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F) = 1 - 4x$  (or 4 - 4x respectively). Therefore we have  $x \leq 0$ .

LEMMA (1.7). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on  $\mathbf{P}^2$ . If  $C_2(\mathcal{E}) \leq 0$  then  $H^0(\mathbf{P}^2, \mathcal{E}) \neq (0)$ .

PROOF. First notice that  $\mathcal{E}$  is not simple since  $\mathcal{\Delta}(\mathcal{E}) = C_1(\mathcal{E})^2 - 4C_2(\mathcal{E}) \ge 0$  ([3] Corollary 4.3.1). Since  $C_1(\mathcal{E}^*) = -C_1(\mathcal{E})$ ,  $C_2(\mathcal{E}^*) = C_2(\mathcal{E})$  and  $\mathcal{E}^* = \mathcal{E}(-C_1(\mathcal{E}))$ , we may assume  $C_1(\mathcal{E}) \le 0$  and  $C_2(\mathcal{E}) \le 0$ . Let *n* be the least integer such that  $H^0(\mathbf{P}^2, \mathcal{E}(n)) \ne (0)$ . We have to show that  $n \le 0$ . Take a nonzero section *s* of  $\mathcal{E}(n)$ . Then the scheme of zeros of *s* represents the second Chern class of  $\mathcal{E}(n)$ . So we see that

$$C_2(\mathcal{E}(n)) = n^2 + nC_1(\mathcal{E}) + C_2(\mathcal{E}) \ge 0.$$

If *n* were positive, we would have  $2n > -C_1(\mathcal{E})$ . Hence  $C_1(\mathcal{E}(n)) = 2n + C_1(\mathcal{E}) > 0$ . This implies, however, that  $\mathcal{E}$  is simple ([5] Proposition (4.1)). This is a contradiction. Thus we have  $n \leq 0$ .

PROPOSITION (1.8). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on X. If  $(C_2(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F) \leq 0$  then there is a line bundle  $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{O}_X(lD + mF)$  such that  $l \geq 0$  and  $\mathcal{E} \otimes \mathcal{L}^*$  has a

nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ .

PROOF. Since  $(C_2(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F) \leq 0$ , by Lemma (1.7) we have  $\pi_* \mathcal{E} \neq 0$ .  $\pi_* \mathcal{E}$  is torsion free because so is  $\mathcal{E}$ . Let  $\mathcal{L}'$  be an invertible subsheaf of  $\pi_* \mathcal{E}$  such that the composition

$$\pi^* \mathcal{L}' \longrightarrow \pi^* \pi_* \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}$$

is not zero. This morphism defines an elements s of  $\operatorname{Hom}(\pi^*\mathcal{L}', \mathcal{E}) = H^0(X, \pi^*\mathcal{L}'^{\sim}\otimes \mathcal{E})$ . Let Y be the scheme of zeros of s. Let A be the maximal effective divisor contained in Y. s is regarded as a section of  $\pi^*\mathcal{L}'^{\sim}\otimes \mathcal{E}(-A)$  and its scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ . Then  $\mathcal{L} = \pi^*\mathcal{L}'\otimes \mathcal{O}_X(A)$  is a desired line bundle.

LEMMA (1.9). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on X with  $C_2(\mathcal{E}) = xD^2 + yD \cdot F$ . If  $\mathcal{E}$  has a nonzero section such that its scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$  then  $x \geq 0$  and  $bx + y \geq 0$ .

PROOF. Let Y be the scheme of zeros of the section. Then Y represents the second Chern class of  $\mathcal{E}$ . The complete linear systems |F| and |D-aF|are base point free. Thus we see that  $(C_2(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F) = x \ge 0$  and  $(C_2(\mathcal{E}) \cdot D - aF)$  $= bx + y \ge 0$ .

(1.10) PROOF OF THEOREM (1.5). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be as in Theorem (1.5). Then we have  $(C_2(\mathcal{E}) \cdot F) = x \leq 0$ . By Proposition (1.8) there are integers  $l \geq 0$  and m such that  $\mathcal{E}(-lD-mF)$  has a nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ . The section makes the line bundle  $\mathcal{O}_X(lD+mF)$  a subsheaf of  $\mathcal{E}$  and then by the stability we have

$$(lD+mF\cdot H^2)=lp+m<(C_1(\mathcal{E})\cdot H^2)/2=1/2.$$

Hence  $lp+m \leq 0$ . The second Chern class of  $\mathcal{E}(-lD-mF)$  is

$$\{l(l+\alpha)+x\} D^2 + \{y+(\alpha+2l)m-l(\alpha p+1)\} D \cdot F.$$

By Lemma (1.9) we have  $l(l+\alpha)+x \ge 0$  and

$$b\{l(l+\alpha)+x\}+y+(\alpha+2l)m-l(\alpha p+1)\geq 0.$$

Using the inequality  $lp+m \leq 0$ , we get

$$y \ge l(\alpha p+1) - (\alpha+2l)m - b \{l(l+\alpha)+x\}$$
$$\ge l(\alpha p+1) - (\alpha+2l)m$$
$$\ge 2l(l+\alpha)p + l.$$

#### § 2. The moduli of $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$ .

In this section, we investigate the moduli of  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$ .

PROPOSITION (2.1). Let  $\alpha$  be a positive integer and  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on X with  $C_1(\mathcal{E}) = -\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F$  and  $C_2(\mathcal{E}) = 0$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}$  is stable if and only if  $\mathcal{E}$  is obtained from a non-trivial extension

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

**PROOF.** If  $\mathcal{E}$  is in  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$  then (1.5.1) says that

$$0 \ge l(\alpha p+1) - (\alpha+2l)m$$
$$\ge 2l(l+\alpha)p+l.$$

Therefore l=m=0. Hence  $\mathcal{E}$  has a nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ . Since  $C_2(\mathcal{E})=0$ , the section makes  $\mathcal{O}_X$  a line subbundle of  $\mathcal{E}$ . Thus we get an extension;

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

This is non-trivial because  $\mathcal{E}$  is stable.

Conversely, assume that there is a non-trivial extension

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

Since  $(C_1(\mathcal{E}) \cdot H^2) = 1$ , we have to show that for every invertible subsheaf  $\mathcal{L}$  of  $\mathcal{E}$ ,  $(C_1(\mathcal{L}) \cdot H^2) \leq 0$  holds. If contrary there were an invertible subsheaf  $\mathcal{L}$  of  $\mathcal{E}$  such that  $(C_1(\mathcal{L}) \cdot H^2) \geq 1$  then  $\mathcal{L}$  would not be contained in  $\mathcal{O}_X$ . Therefore the composition

$$\mathcal{L} \longrightarrow \mathcal{C} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{X}}(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F)$$

is not zero. Comparing *H*-degrees, we see that the morphism  $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}_{X}(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F)$  is an isomorphism. This is a contradiction.

THEOREM (2.2). The moduli of  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$  is the projective space  $P(H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(\alpha D - (\alpha p + 1)F))^*)$  and has a universal family.

**PROOF.** Denote by  $\mathcal{M}$  the line bundle  $\mathcal{O}_X(-\alpha D + (\alpha p + 1)F)$  and W the cohomology group  $H^1(X, \mathcal{M})$ . For  $\mathcal{E}$  in  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$ , taking a choice of a non-trivial extension

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{M} \longrightarrow 0$$

is equivalent to taking a choice of a nonzero element of  $H^0(X, \mathcal{E}) \simeq k$ . So the set  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$  is parametrized by the projective space  $P = P(W^{\check{}})$ . Let  $\rho$  and  $\sigma$  be the projections  $X \times P \to X$  and  $X \times P \to P$ . A universal quotient morphism

 $W^* \otimes \mathcal{O}_P \to \mathcal{O}_P(1)$  defines an element  $\xi$  of  $H^0(P, W \otimes \mathcal{O}_P(1)) \simeq H^1(X \times P, \rho^* \mathcal{M}^* \otimes \sigma^* \mathcal{O}_P(1))$ .  $\xi$  provides us with an extension

$$(2.2.1) 0 \longrightarrow \sigma^* \mathcal{O}_P(1) \longrightarrow \tilde{\mathcal{E}} \longrightarrow \rho^* \mathcal{M} \longrightarrow 0.$$

We claim that  $\tilde{\mathcal{E}}$  is a universal family of  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$ . Assume that there are a k-scheme T and a vector bundle  $\mathcal{R}$  on  $X \times T$  such that for every closed point t of  $T, \mathcal{R}_t = \mathcal{R} \otimes k(t)$  is in  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$ . Let  $\rho'$  and  $\sigma'$  be the projections  $X \times T \to X$  and  $X \times T \to T$ . Since  $H^1(X, \mathcal{R}_t) = 0$  for all  $t \in T, \sigma'_*(\mathcal{R})$  is locally free ([1] EGA III, 7.7 and 7.8). By this and Proposition (2.1),  $\sigma'^* \sigma'_* \mathcal{R}$  is a line subbundle of  $\mathcal{R}$  and the cokernel of  $\sigma'^* \sigma'_* \mathcal{R} \to \mathcal{R}$  is isomorphic to the line bundle  $\sigma'^* \mathcal{L} \otimes \rho'^* \mathcal{M}$  for a line bundle  $\mathcal{L}$  on T. Put  $\mathcal{Q} = \mathcal{L}^* \otimes \sigma'_* \mathcal{R}$ . Then there is an extension

$$(2.2.2) 0 \longrightarrow \sigma'^* \mathcal{G} \longrightarrow \mathcal{R} \otimes \sigma'^* \mathcal{L}^* \longrightarrow \rho'^* \mathcal{M} \longrightarrow 0.$$

This corresponds to an element of  $H^1(X \times T, \rho'^* \mathcal{M}^{\check{}} \otimes \sigma'^* \mathcal{G}) \simeq H^0(T, W \otimes \mathcal{G})$  which can be regarded as a morphism  $W^{\check{}} \otimes \mathcal{O}_T \rightarrow \mathcal{G}$ . By Proposition (2.1), this is surjective at every closed point of T therefore actually surjective by Nakayama's lemma. By the universality of P there is a morphism  $g: T \rightarrow P$  such that  $\mathcal{G} \simeq g^* \mathcal{O}_P(1)$  and the pull back of the extension (2.2.1) by the morphism  $id \times g$ is equivalent to (2.2.2). Thus we get  $\mathcal{R} \otimes \sigma'^* \mathcal{L}^{\check{}} \simeq (id \times g)^* \tilde{\mathcal{E}}$ . This shows that P is the fine moduli space of  $M(\alpha; 0, 0)$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{E}}$  is a universal family.

#### § 3. The moduli of M(1; 0, 1).

In this section, we investigate the moduli of M(1; 0, 1).

**PROPOSITION** (3.1). If  $\mathcal{E}$  is in M(1; 0, 1) then there is a non-trivial extension

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{X}} \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{X}}(-D + (p+3)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

PROOF. In this case, (1.5.1) says that

$$1 \ge l(p+1) - (1+2l)m$$
$$\ge 2l(l+1)p + l.$$

From these we deduce that l=0 and m=0 or m=-1. Assume m=0.  $\mathcal{E}$  has a nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ . Let Y be the scheme of zeros of the section. There is an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{J}_Y \otimes \det \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow 0,$$

where  $\mathcal{G}_Y$  is the sheaf of ideals of Y in X. Since  $C_2(\mathcal{C}) = D \cdot F$ , Y is a line in a fibre of  $\pi$ . Denote by  $\mathcal{M}_{Y/X}$  the normal bundle of Y in X then  $\mathcal{C} \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y \simeq \mathcal{M}_{Y/X}$  ([4] Chapter II, 5.1). On one hand, we have that  $\det \mathcal{C} \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y \simeq \mathcal{O}_Y(-1)$ . On the

other hand, det  $\mathcal{N}_{Y/X}$  is obviously isomorphic to  $\mathcal{O}_Y(1)$ . Thus we see that this is not the case. We have, therefore, that m=-1 and hence  $\mathcal{E}(F)$  has a nonzero section whose scheme of zeros has codimension  $\geq 2$ . Since  $C_2(\mathcal{E}(F))=0$ , the section gives rise to a line subbundle  $\mathcal{O}_X$  of  $\mathcal{E}(F)$  and we get an extension;

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D + (p+3)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

This extension is not trivial because of the stability of  $\mathcal{E}$ .

**PROPOSITION** (3.2). Let  $\mathcal{E}$  be a vector bundle of rank 2 on X. Then the following conditions are equivalent to each other.

(1) There is a non-trivial extension

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D + (p+3)F) \longrightarrow 0$$

and  $\mathcal{E}$  is not stable.

(2) There are a line Y in a fibre of  $\pi$  and an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D + (p+1)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{G}_Y \longrightarrow 0.$$

**PROOF.** (1)  $\Rightarrow$  (2). Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be an invertible subsheaf of  $\mathcal{E}(F)$  such that

$$(C_1(\mathcal{L}) \cdot H^2) \ge (C_1(\mathcal{E}(F)) \cdot H^2)/2 = 3/2.$$

 $\mathcal{L}$  is not contained in  $\mathcal{O}_X$  so that the composition

$$\mathcal{L} \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{X}(-D + (p+3)F)$$

is a nonzero morphism and not an isomorphism because the extension is non trivial. This shows that if  $\mathcal{L}=\mathcal{O}_X(lD+mF)$  then  $l\leq -1$ ,  $m\leq p+3$  and lp+m=2. We see that l=-1 and m=p+2. Then  $\mathcal{C}(F)\otimes \mathcal{L}^*=\mathcal{C}(D-(p+1)F)$  has a non-zero section whose scheme of zeros Y has codimension  $\geq 2$ . So we have

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(D - (p+1)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(D - (p+1)F) \otimes \mathcal{J}_Y \longrightarrow 0.$$

Since  $C_2(\mathcal{E}(D-(p+1)F))=D\cdot F$ , we see that Y is a line in a fibre of  $\pi$ . Tensoring the above sequence with the line bundle  $\mathcal{O}_X(-D+(p+1)F)$ , we get a desired exact sequence.

(2)  $\Rightarrow$  (1). Tensoring the given exact sequence with the line bundle  $\mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{X}}(F)$ , we have

$$(3.2.1) \qquad 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D+(p+2)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{C}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(F) \otimes \mathcal{J}_Y \longrightarrow 0.$$

Since  $H^{i}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(-D+(p+2)F))=(0)$  (i=0, 1),

$$H^{0}(X, \mathcal{E}(F)) \simeq H^{0}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(F) \otimes \mathcal{G}_{Y}) \simeq k.$$

Let s be a nonzero section of  $\mathcal{E}(F)$  and Z be the scheme of zeros of s. By

(3.2.1), we see that  $H^0(X, \mathcal{E}(F-A)) = (0)$  for any positive divisor A. Hence Z is of codimension  $\geq 2$ . Z must be empty because of  $C_2(\mathcal{E}(F)) = 0$ . Thus we get an exact sequence

$$(3.2.2) 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D+(p+3)F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

If  $\mathcal{E}(F) \simeq \mathcal{O}_X \bigoplus \mathcal{O}_X (-D + (p+3)F)$  then the cokernel of the morphism  $\mathcal{O}_X (-D + (p+2)F) \rightarrow \mathcal{E}(F)$  in (3.2.1) contains the torsion subsheaf  $\mathcal{O}_F(-1)$ . This is impossible and hence (3.2.2) does not split.

REMARK (3.3). Let  $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{O}_X(-D + (p+1)F)$  and Y be a line in a fibre of  $\pi$ , then  $H^1(X, \mathcal{L}) = H^2(X, \mathcal{L}) = (0)$  and det  $\mathcal{N}_{Y/X} \simeq \mathcal{L}^* \otimes \mathcal{O}_Y$ . Hence  $\mathcal{E} \times t^1_{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{G}_Y, L) \simeq \mathcal{O}_Y$ and  $\operatorname{Ext}^1(\mathcal{G}_Y, \mathcal{L}) \simeq H^0(Y, \mathcal{E} \times t^1_{\mathcal{O}_X}(\mathcal{G}_Y, \mathcal{L})) \simeq k$  so that the set of all isomorphism classes of such vector bundles as in Proposition (3.2) is in one to one correspondence with the set of all lines in fibres of  $\pi$  ([2] Remark 1.1.1).

(3.4) Put  $\widetilde{X} = \mathbf{P}(\mathcal{V})$ . Let  $\widetilde{\pi}$  be the projection of  $\widetilde{X}$  to  $\mathbf{P}^1$ ,  $\widetilde{D}$  be a divisor on  $\widetilde{X}$  such that  $\widetilde{\pi}_*\mathcal{O}_{\widetilde{X}}(\widetilde{D}) \simeq V$  and  $\widetilde{F}$  be a fibre of  $\widetilde{\pi}$ . Denote by  $\Omega$  the relative differential sheaf of  $\pi: X \to \mathbf{P}^1$ . There is an exact sequence

$$(3.4.1) 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow (\pi^* C \mathcal{V}^*)(D) \longrightarrow \mathcal{Q}^* \longrightarrow 0.$$

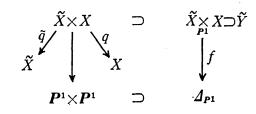
From this we get

$$\begin{split} \widetilde{X}_{\mathbf{P}^1} & \stackrel{\sim}{\to} X \simeq \mathbf{P}((\pi^{* \subset \mathcal{V}^{\bullet}})(D)) \\ & \bigcup_{\mathbf{P}^1} & \bigcup_{\mathbf{P}^1} \\ & \stackrel{\vee}{Y} \simeq \mathbf{P}(\mathcal{Q}^{\bullet}) \\ \end{split}$$

 $\widetilde{X}$  parametrizes all the lines of fibres of  $\pi$  and the morphism

$$\widetilde{Y} \longrightarrow \widetilde{X}_{p_1} \xrightarrow{} X \longrightarrow \widetilde{X}$$

is the universal family of the lines. Now we consider the following diagram



(3.4.2)

where  $\Delta_{P^1}$  is the diagonal of  $P^1 \times P^1$ .

**PROPOSITION** (3.5). Denote by  $\tilde{\mathcal{I}}$  the line bundle

$$\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{\mathbf{X}} \times \mathbf{X}}(-\tilde{\mathbf{X}} \times D + (p+1)\tilde{\mathbf{X}} \times F - \tilde{D} \times X - (p+3)\tilde{F} \times X).$$

Then

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$$\widetilde{\mathcal{I}}^{\vee} \otimes \mathcal{O}_{Y} \simeq \det \mathcal{N}_{\widetilde{Y}/\widetilde{X} \times X}$$

and

 $H^1(\widetilde{X} \times X, \widetilde{\mathcal{L}}) = H^2(\widetilde{X} \times X, \widetilde{\mathcal{L}}) = 0.$ 

PROOF. As a divisor on  $\widetilde{X} \times X$ ,  $\widetilde{X}_{P^1} \times X$  is linearly equivalent to  $\widetilde{X} \times F + \widetilde{F} \times X$ . Thus we have  $\widetilde{X}_{P^1} \times X|_{\overset{\sim}{P}_{P^1}} \times 2f^{-1}(x)$   $(x \in \mathcal{A}_{P^1}(k))$ . By the exact sequence (3.4.1), we see that  $\widetilde{Y}$  is linearly equivalent to  $(\widetilde{D} \times X + \widetilde{X} \times D)|_{\overset{\sim}{X}_{P^1}} \times D|_{\overset{\sim}{P}_{P^1}} \times X$ . Therefore we have

$$\det \mathcal{N}_{\tilde{Y}/\tilde{X}\times X} \simeq \mathcal{N}_{\tilde{Y}/\tilde{X}_{p_1}X} \otimes \mathcal{N}_{\tilde{X}_{p_1}X} X \times X$$
$$\simeq \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{Y}}((\tilde{D}\times X + \tilde{X}\times D)|_{\tilde{Y}} + 2f^{-1}(x)|_{\tilde{Y}})$$
$$\simeq \tilde{\mathcal{I}}^{\bullet} \otimes \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{Y}}.$$

The vanishing of cohomology groups is straightforward.

(3.6) As in Remark (3.3), there is a vector bundle Q on  $\widetilde{X} \times X$  defined by an exact sequence

 $0 \longrightarrow \widetilde{\mathcal{I}} \longrightarrow Q \longrightarrow \mathcal{J}_{\widetilde{Y}} \longrightarrow 0.$ 

By Proposition (3.2) and Remark (3.3), Q is a family of vector bundles on X which parametrizes the set of all the isomorphic classes of such vector bundles as in Proposition (3.2).

**PROPOSITION** (3.7). There is an exact sequence

$$(3.7.1) \qquad 0 \longrightarrow \tilde{q}^* \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{x}}(\tilde{D} + (p+1)\tilde{F}) \longrightarrow Q' \longrightarrow q^* \mathcal{O}_{x}(-D + (p+3)F) \longrightarrow 0$$

on  $\widetilde{X} \times X$ , where  $Q' = Q(\widetilde{X} \times F + \widetilde{D} \times X + (p+2)\widetilde{F} \times X)$ .

PROOF. By Proposition (3.2),  $\tilde{q}_*\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F)$  is an invertible sheaf on  $\tilde{X}$  so that  $\tilde{q}^*\tilde{q}_*\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F)$  is a line subbundle of  $\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F)$ . Put  $\mathcal{Q}=\tilde{q}^*\tilde{q}_*\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F)$ . We claim that  $\mathcal{Q} \simeq \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X} \times X}(-\tilde{F} \times X)$ . Since  $\mathcal{Q}$  is a line subbundle of  $\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F)$ , we have  $C_2(\mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F) \otimes \mathcal{Q}^*)=0$ . If  $C_1(\mathcal{Q})=x\tilde{D} \times X+y\tilde{F} \times X$  then

$$\begin{split} C_2(\mathcal{Q}(\widetilde{X} \times F) \otimes \mathcal{G}^*) = & (\widetilde{X} \times F - C_1(\mathcal{G})) \cdot (\widetilde{X} \times F - C_1(\mathcal{G}) + C_1(\mathcal{Q})) + C_2(\mathcal{Q}) \\ = & (x^2 + x)(\widetilde{D}^2) \times X - x(p+3)\widetilde{D} \times F + x\widetilde{D} \times D \\ & -(y+1)(p+3)\widetilde{F} \times F + (y+1)\widetilde{F} \times D \\ & +(2xy+y+x(p+3)+1)(\widetilde{D} \cdot \widetilde{F}) \times X. \end{split}$$

 $C_2(\mathcal{Q}(\widetilde{X} \times F) \otimes \mathcal{G}) = 0$  implies x = 0 and y = -1. So we have  $\mathcal{G} \simeq \mathcal{O}_{\widetilde{X} \times X}(-\widetilde{F} \times X)$ and get an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X} \times X} \longrightarrow \mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F + \tilde{F} \times X) \longrightarrow \det \mathcal{Q}(\tilde{X} \times F + \tilde{F} \times X) \longrightarrow 0.$$

By tensoring this sequence with the line bundle  $\tilde{q}^* \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{x}}(\tilde{D}+(p+1)\tilde{F})$ , the desired exact sequence is obtained.

(3.8) When we regard the exact sequence (3.7.1) as an element of

$$H^{1}(\widetilde{X} \times X, \ \widetilde{q}^{*}\mathcal{O}_{\widetilde{X}}(\widetilde{D} + (p+1)\widetilde{F}) \otimes q^{*}\mathcal{O}_{X}(D - (p+3)F))$$
  
$$\simeq H^{0}(\widetilde{X}, \ H^{1}(X, \ \mathcal{O}_{X}(D - (p+3)F)) \otimes \mathcal{O}_{\widetilde{X}}(\widetilde{D} + (p+1)\widetilde{F})),$$

this defines a morphism

$$\eta : H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+3)F)) \otimes \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(\tilde{D}+(p+1)\tilde{F}).$$

By Proposition (3.2), for any closed point x of  $\tilde{X}$ ,  $\eta(x)$  is a nonzero element of  $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{X}}(D-(p+3)F))$ . This means that  $\eta$  is surjective at any closed point of  $\tilde{X}$ . Therefore  $\eta$  is surjective by Nakayama's lemma and hence it defines a morphism

$$\Psi: \tilde{X} \longrightarrow \boldsymbol{P} = \boldsymbol{P}(H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D - (p+3)F))))$$

such that  $\Psi^* \mathcal{O}_P(1) \simeq \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(\tilde{D} + (p+1)\tilde{F}).$ 

REMARK (3.9). The cohomology groups  $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+3)F))$  and  $H^0(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(\tilde{D}+(p+1)\tilde{F}))$  are dual to each other.

Proof.

$$H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+3)F))$$

$$\simeq H^{1}(\mathbf{P}^{1}, \pi_{*}\mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+3)F))$$

$$\simeq H^{1}(\mathbf{P}^{1}, \mathcal{CV}(-(p+3)))$$

$$\simeq H^{0}(\mathbf{P}^{1}, \mathcal{CV}^{*}(p+1))^{*}$$

$$\simeq H^{0}(\widetilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\widetilde{X}}(\widetilde{D}+(p+1)\widetilde{F}))^{*}$$

(3.10) Let  $\xi$  be a nonzero element of  $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+3)F))$  and  $\mathcal{E}$  be the vector bundle which is defined by the extension

$$(3.10.1) \qquad 0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}(F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_X(-D + (p+3)F)) \longrightarrow 0$$

corresponding to  $\xi$ .

LEMMA (3.11).  $\mathcal{E}$  is not stable if and only if  $H^{0}(X, \mathcal{E}) \neq (0)$ .

**PROOF.** If  $H^0(X, \mathcal{E}^{\bullet}) \neq (0)$ , then  $\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}$  is not stable because of  $(C_1(\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}) \cdot H^2) = -1$ . On the contrary, if  $\mathcal{E}$  is not stable then by Proposition (3.2), there is an exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathbf{X}}(-D + (p+1)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \longrightarrow \mathcal{G}_{\mathbf{Y}} \longrightarrow 0$$

Thus  $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E}(D - (p+1)F)$  contains  $\mathcal{O}_X$ .

(3.12) Taking dual of the exact sequence (3.10.1) and tensoring it with  $\mathcal{O}_X(F)$ , we have

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{X}}(D - (p+2)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{E}^{\bullet} \xrightarrow{t} \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{X}}(F) \longrightarrow 0.$$

If  $H^0(X, \mathcal{E}^{\bullet}) \neq (0)$ , let s be a nonzero section of  $\mathcal{E}^{\bullet}$ , then  $t(s) \neq 0$  because  $H^0(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+2)F))=(0)$ . Now consider the following diagram

where the morphism u is defined by the nonzero section t(s) of  $\mathcal{O}_X(F)$ . Take cohomology groups of the diagram (3.12.1) and then we get

PROPOSITION (3.13).  $\xi$  is contained in kerh. PROOF.  $h(\xi) = h\phi(1) = vu(1) = vt(0) = 0$ .

(3.14) Let x be a closed point of  $P^1$  and  $F_x = \pi^{-1}(x)$ . Consider the exact sequence

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{X}(D - (p+3)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{X}(D - (p+2)F) \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}_{F_{X}}(1) \longrightarrow 0$$

and take cohomology groups. Then we get the exact sequence

$$\begin{array}{l} 0 \longrightarrow H^{0}(F_{x}, \mathcal{O}_{F_{x}}(1)) \\ \longrightarrow H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+3)F)) \xrightarrow{h_{x}} H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+2)F)) \longrightarrow 0 \,. \end{array}$$

Let  $\xi$  be a nonzero element of  $H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+3)F))$  and  $\mathcal{E}$  be the vector bundle defined by  $\xi$  as in (3.10). The converse of Proposition (3.13) holds.

**PROPOSITION** (3.15). If  $\xi$  is contained in kerh<sub>x</sub> for some closed point x of

 $P^1$  then  $\mathcal{E}$  is not stable.

**PROOF.** Standard diagram chasing shows that  $H^0(X, \mathcal{E}^*) \neq (0)$ . By Lemma (3.11),  $\mathcal{E}$  is not stable.

Denote by S the union of ker $h_x$ 's where x runs through all closed points of  $P^1$ .

LEMMA (3.16). The set S is not contained in any proper linear subspace of  $H^{1}(X, \mathcal{O}_{X}(D-(p+3)F))$ .

**PROOF.** Let x be a closed point of  $P^1$  and  $u_x$  be a morphism

 $\mathcal{CV}^{\bullet}(p) \longrightarrow \mathcal{CV}^{\bullet}(p+1)$ 

which vanishes at x. Then the morphisms

 $h_x: H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+3)F)) \longrightarrow H^1(X, \mathcal{O}_X(D-(p+2)F))$ 

and

$$u_x : H^{0}(\mathbf{P}^{1}, \mathcal{O}(p)) \longrightarrow H^{0}(\mathbf{P}^{1}, \mathcal{O}(p+1))$$

are dual to each other. Thus it suffices to prove that the intersection of  $\operatorname{im} u_x$ 's is (0). Let  $x_1, \dots, x_l$  (l=p+2-a) be distinct closed points of  $P^1$ . Then  $\operatorname{im} u_{x_1} \cap \dots \cap \operatorname{im} u_{x_l} = (0)$  because

$$\mathcal{O}(p+1) = \mathcal{O}_{P1}(p+1-a) \oplus \mathcal{O}_{P1}(p+1-b) \oplus \mathcal{O}_{P1}(p+1).$$

The projective version of Lemma (3.16) is available.

**PROPOSITION** (3.17).  $\Psi(\tilde{X})$  is not contained in any hyperplane of **P**.

(3.18) Proposition (3.17) shows that the morphism  $\eta$  in (3.8) induces an injective morphism of global sections. By Remark (3.9),  $\eta$  induces an isomorphism of global sections so that  $\Psi$  is defined by the complete linear system  $|\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(\tilde{D}+(p+1)\tilde{F})|$ . Putting all these above together, an argument similar to the proof of Theorem 2.2 shows the following theorem.

THEOREM (3.19). The moduli on M(1; 0, 1) is the complement of the dual 3-dimensional rational scroll  $(\tilde{X}, \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{X}}(\tilde{D}+(p+1)\tilde{F}))$  and has a universal family.

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