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In this note one computes the cohomology of the normal bundle N_X (and its twists) to any abelian surface X in $\mathbb{P}^4(\mathbb{C})$ and one shows that N_X is simple. As a by-product we reobtain the results of Decker about the smoothness of the irreducible component of the moduli scheme $M(-1,4)$ of rank 2 stable vector bundles on \mathbb{P}^4 with $c_1=-1, c_2=4$, along the orbit of the Horrocks-Mumford bundle by the action of $SL_5(\mathbb{C})$ (cf. [2], [3]).

As is very well known, an algebraic torus of dimension 1 can be embedded in \mathbb{P}^2 . By a result of A. Van de Ven, an algebraic torus of dimension $n \geq 3$ cannot be embedded in $\mathbb{P}^{2n}(\mathbb{C})$, while, for $n=2$, Horrocks and Mumford showed in [6] that there are certain abelian surfaces which can be embedded in \mathbb{P}^4 and that there is a vector bundle E of rank 2 on \mathbb{P}^4 such that any abelian surface in \mathbb{P}^4 is projectively equivalent to the zero set of a section of E . Thus, we assume $X=V(s) = \text{"zero set of a section } s \in \Gamma(E) \text{"}$ and we have an exact sequence :

$$(*) \quad 0 \longrightarrow 0 \longrightarrow E \longrightarrow I_X(5) \longrightarrow 0$$

We recall briefly, after [6] the construction of the vector bundle E , which is invariant to the action of $N_H < SL_5(\mathbb{C})$, N_H being the normalizer of the Heisenberg group H of order 5. Namely, take $V = \text{Map}(Z_5, \mathbb{C})$, $\xi = \exp(2\pi i/5)$ and $\sigma, \tau \in SL_5(\mathbb{C})$ given in $\text{Aut}_{\mathbb{C}}(V)$ by $(\sigma x)(k) = x(k+1)$, $(\tau x)(k) = \xi^k x(k)$, for $x \in V, k \in Z_5$; then H is the group generated by σ, τ and it is realised as an extension

$$1 \longrightarrow \mu_5 \longrightarrow H \longrightarrow Z_5 \times Z_5 \longrightarrow 1$$

where μ_5 is the group of 5th roots of 1. One shows that N_H is a

semidirect product $H \rtimes \text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_5)$. Let θ be the generator of the Galois group of $\mathbb{Q}(\xi)$ over \mathbb{Q} , which acts on H by $\theta(\xi) = \xi^2$ and take $V_1 = \theta^1 V$ (namely the action of H which is the composition $H \xrightarrow{\theta^i} H \rightarrow \text{Aut}(V)$). Observe that $\theta^2 = \text{"taking duals"}$. Then $V = V_0, V_1, V_2, V_3$ together with the 25 representations of the abelian group $\mathbb{Z}_5 \times \mathbb{Z}_5$ are all the irreducible representations of H ; in fact V_i are also irreducible representations of N_H . Considering \mathbb{P}^4 as the space of lines in V , H acts naturally on $\mathcal{O}(1)$ and $\Gamma(\mathcal{O}(1)) = V^* = V_2$. The exterior algebra $\bigwedge^\bullet(\mathcal{O}(1) \otimes V)$, together with the multiplication by the element $\partial \in \Gamma(\mathcal{O}(1) \otimes V) \simeq \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{C}}(V, V)$ which correspond to id_V , gives the Koszul complex \mathcal{K}^\bullet :

$$0 \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(1) \otimes V \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(2) \otimes \bigwedge^2 V \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(3) \otimes \bigwedge^3 V \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(4) \otimes \bigwedge^4 V \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(5) \otimes \bigwedge^5 V \rightarrow 0.$$

The image of ∂ in $\mathcal{O}(k) \otimes \bigwedge^k V$ is $\bigwedge^{k-1} \mathcal{T}$, where \mathcal{T} is the tangent bundle to \mathbb{P}^4 , and the symmetric pairing $\mathcal{K}^1 \otimes \mathcal{K}^{5-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(5)$ given by the exterior product induces the natural pairing $\bigwedge^1 \mathcal{T} \otimes \bigwedge^{4-1} \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(5)$ compatible with the action of $\text{SL}_5(\mathbb{C})$. Further, one shows that $W := \text{Hom}_H(V_1, \bigwedge^2 V)$ is an irreducible representation of $N_H/H \simeq \text{SL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_5)$; W is unimodular of degree 2, so that it has an invariant skew symmetric pairing, unique up to a factor. Using this pairing and maps from the Koszul complex, one builds a self-dual monad:

$$\mathcal{O}(2) \otimes V_1 \xrightarrow{p} \bigwedge^2 \mathcal{T} \otimes W \xrightarrow{q} \mathcal{O}(3) \otimes V_3$$

(i.e. p is an injection of vector bundles, $q \simeq p^*(5)$ and $qp = 0$). The bundle $E := \ker(q)/\text{im}(p)$ is the Horrocks-Mumford bundle (see also [1], [7] for the explicit description, without representation theory, of the maps p, q). In [6] it is computed also the cohomology of $E(n)$, using the symmetries of E . One shows that $\Gamma(E)$ generates E and then that a general section in $\Gamma(E)$ has smooth zero set. Then it must be an abelian surface.

As $\Gamma(E)$ is an irreducible N_H -module of degree 4, the algebraic tori $X=V(s)$ are not invariant by the action of N_H . In order to compute the cohomology of the normal bundle N_X (and of its twists $N_X(n)$) to $X=V(s)$ it is convenient to use the group $G < N_H$ generated by H and the element in $SL_5(C)$ denoted ι in [6], which extends to V the reflection map $x \rightarrow (-x)$ on X . In $\text{Aut}(V)$ ι is given by $(\iota x)(k) = x(-k)$ and its image $\bar{\iota}$ in $SL_2(Z_5)$ is $(-\text{identity})$. Then G is a semidirect product $G \cong H \rtimes Z_2$ and we shall write $(\alpha, m, n) \iota^k$ ($\alpha \in \mu_5, m, n \in Z_5, k=0,1$) for $\varepsilon^{2mn} \sigma^m \tau^n \iota^k$.

It is a standard exercise to compute the character table of G

The character table of G

$\{\alpha\}$	$C_{m,n}$	C_α	
1	1	1	I
$5\theta^1(\alpha)$	0	$\theta^1(\alpha)$	V_1
1	1	-1	S
2	$\varepsilon^{sn+tm} + \varepsilon^{-sn-tm}$	0	$Z_{s,t}$
$5\theta^1(\alpha)$	0	$-\theta^1(\alpha)$	$V_1^\#$

where $\{\alpha\}$ is the class containing only the central element $\alpha \in \mu_5$.
 $C_{m,n} = \{(\alpha, m, n), (\alpha, -m, -n) \mid \alpha \in \mu_5\}$ (hence $\#C_{m,n} = 10$ and there are 12 different $C_{m,n}$) and $C_\alpha = \{(\alpha, m, n) \iota \mid m, n \in Z_5\}$ (hence $\#C = 25$ and there are 5 classes C_α).

We shall denote by Z the direct sum of all twelve $Z_{s,t}$ and we have the following formulae:

$$\begin{aligned}
 V_1 \otimes V_1 &= 3V_{1+1} \oplus 2V_{1+1}^\#, \quad V_1 \otimes V_{1+1} = 3V_{1+3} \oplus 2V_{1+3}^\#, \quad V_1 \otimes V_{1+2} = I \oplus Z \\
 V_1 \otimes S &= V_1^\#, \quad V_1 \otimes Z = 12V_1 \oplus 12V_1^\# \\
 S \otimes S &= I, \quad S \otimes Z = Z \\
 Z \otimes Z &= 12I \oplus 12S \oplus 23Z
 \end{aligned}$$

which can be established easily from the character table. We need also :

$$\wedge^2 V = 2V_1^\# , \quad \wedge^3 V = 2V_3^\# , \quad \wedge^4 V = V_2 .$$

The symmetric power representations will be computed by the well-known formula :

$$S^i V = S^{i-1} V \otimes \wedge^1 V - S^{i-2} V \otimes \wedge^2 V + S^{i-3} V \otimes \wedge^3 V - S^{i-4} V \otimes \wedge^4 V + S^{i-5} V .$$

For instance: $S^0 V = I, S^1 V = V, S^2 V = 3V_1, S^3 V = 5V_3 \oplus 2V_3^\#, S^4 V = 10V_2 \oplus 4V_2^\#, S^5 V = 6I \oplus 5Z, S^6 V = 26V \oplus 16V^\#, S^7 V = 38V_1 \oplus 28V_1^\#,$ etc.

Then the groups of cohomology of $E(n)$, as G -modules, are given by the following table, as we can see restricting to G the results of [6] :

Table of $H^1(E(n))$

n	H^0	H^1	H^2	H^3	H^4
$-n$ ($n \geq 11$)	0	0	0	0	$\theta^2 A_{n-10}$
-10	0	0	0	2S	4I
-9	0	0	0	$2V_2^\#$	0
-8	0	0	0	$2V_3^\#$	0
-7	0	0	0	V_1	0
-6	0	0	0	0	0
-5	0	0	2S	0	0
-4	0	0	0	0	0
-3	0	V_3	0	0	0
-2	0	$2V_1^\#$	0	0	0
-1	0	$2V^\#$	0	0	0
0	4I	2S	0	0	0
n ($n \geq 1$)	A_n	0	0	0	0

where $A_n = S^n V_2 \otimes 2S - S^{n+1} V_2 \otimes 2V^\# + S^{n+2} V_2 \otimes 3V_1 - S^{n+3} V_2 \otimes V_3 .$

In particular, $\dim H^0(E(n)) = \frac{(n+4)(n+6)(n^2+10n+1)}{12}$.

From here and the exact sequence (*), using also the duality on X , we have the cohomology of $I_X(n)$ and $O_X(n)$:

For $n \geq 6$ $H^3(I_X(-n)) = S^n V - \theta^2 A_{n-5} + S^{n-5} V$, $H^4(I_X(-n)) = S^{n-5} V$
 $H^3(I_X(-5)) = 3I \oplus 2S \oplus 5Z$, $H^4(I_X(-5)) = I$, $H^3(I_X(-4)) = 10V_2 \oplus 6V_2^\#$,
 $H^3(I_X(-3)) = 5V_3 \oplus 4V_3^\#$, $H^3(I_X(-2)) = 4V_1$, $H^3(I_X(-1)) = V$,
 $H^2(I_X) = 2S$, $H^3(I_X) = I$, $H^1(I_X(2)) = V_3$, $H^2(I_X(3)) = 2V_1^\#$, $H^2(I_X(4)) = 2V^\#$,
 $H^0(I_X(5)) = 3I$, $H^1(I_X(5)) = 2S$, $H^0(I_X(n)) = A_{n-5} - S^{n-5} V_2$, for $n \geq 6$. All the other groups vanish.

The cohomology of $O_X(n)$ is known from general results (cf. [8]), but as G -modules we obtain:

$H^0(O_X) = I$, $H^1(O_X) = 2S$, $H^2(O_X) = I$, $H^0(O_X(1)) = V_2$, $H^0(O_X(2)) = 4V_3$,
 $H^0(O_X(3)) = 5V_1 \oplus 4V_1^\#$, $H^0(O_X(4)) = 10V \oplus 6V^\#$, $H^0(O_X(5)) = 3I \oplus 2S \oplus 5Z$,
and for $n \geq 6$: $H^0(O_X(n)) = S^n V_2 - A_{n-5} + S^{n-5} V_2$.

Then $H^2(O_X(-n))$ are G -dual to $H^0(O_X(n))$ and $H^1(O_X(n)) = 0$ for $n \neq 0$.

Note that $H^0(O_X(n))$ contains:

for $n=5k$ only components I, S, Z

for $n=5k+1$ only $V_2, V_2^\#$

for $n=5k+2$ only $V_3, V_3^\#$

for $n=5k+3$ only $V_1, V_1^\#$

for $n=5k+4$ only $V, V^\#$.

Now, denote by T the restriction to X of the tangent bundle of \mathbb{P}^4 , by N the normal bundle of X in \mathbb{P}^4 . Observing that the tangent bundle of X is $O_X \otimes 2S$, we have the exact sequences:

$$(1) \quad 0 \rightarrow O_X \rightarrow O_X(1) \otimes V \rightarrow T \rightarrow 0$$

$$(2) \quad 0 \rightarrow O_X \otimes 2S \rightarrow T \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$$

From the exact sequences (1) $\otimes O_X(n)$ and (2) $\otimes O_X(n)$ we obtain, for $n \geq 1$: $H^0(T(n)) = H^0(O_X(n+1)) \otimes V - H^0(O_X(n))$, $H^1(T(n)) = 0$, $H^2(T(n)) = 0$ and then $H^0(N(n)) = H^0(T(n)) - H^0(O_X(n)) \otimes 2S$,

$H^1(N(n))=0, H^2(N(n))=0$. By duality on X we have $H^0(N(-n))=0$,
 $H^1(N(-n))=0, H^2(N(-n))=H^2(H^0(O_X(n-5)))$, for $n \geq 6$.

The exact sequence of cohomology of (1) gives :
 $H^0(T)=2S \oplus Z, H^1(T)=I, H^2(T)=0$; from (2) we obtain the exact
sequence :

(A) $0 \rightarrow 2S \rightarrow 2S \oplus Z \rightarrow H^0(N) \rightarrow 4I \rightarrow I \rightarrow H^1(N) \rightarrow 2S \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow H^2(N) \rightarrow 0$
so that $H^2(N)=0$, and by duality $H^0(N(-5))=0$. We have also the
following inequalities, whose meaning is evident :

$$3I \oplus Z \leq H^0(N) \leq 4I \oplus Z, \quad 2S \leq H^1(N) \leq I \oplus 2S.$$

To decide the "I-content" we proceed as follows : consider the
exact sequence $(*) \otimes E(-5)$:

$$0 \rightarrow E(-5) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} I_X \otimes E \rightarrow 0$$

where $\mathcal{L} = E \otimes E^\vee = E \otimes E(-5)$ is the bundle of local endomorphisms
of E . From here, knowing that E is simple (because it is stable), we
obtain the exact sequence of cohomology :

(B) $0 \rightarrow H^1(\mathcal{L}) \rightarrow H^1(I_X \otimes E) \rightarrow 2S \rightarrow H^2(\mathcal{L}) \rightarrow H^2(I_X \otimes E) \rightarrow 0$
and from the exact sequence

$$0 \rightarrow I_X \otimes E \rightarrow E \rightarrow N \rightarrow 0$$

we obtain :

$$(C) \quad 0 \rightarrow I \rightarrow 4I \rightarrow H^0(N) \rightarrow H^1(I_X \otimes E) \rightarrow 2S \rightarrow H^1(N) \rightarrow H^2(I_X \otimes E) \rightarrow 0$$

Recall now that, for a vector bundle F given by a monad

$$A \xrightarrow{a} B \xrightarrow{b} C \quad \text{we have } H^2(\text{Coker } d) \simeq \text{coker}(d), \text{ where } d: \text{Hom}(A, B) \oplus \text{Hom}(B, C) \rightarrow$$

$\rightarrow \text{Hom}(A, C)$ is defined by $d(u, v) = bu + va$, if certain groups of coho-
mology vanish (cf. [7], lemma 4.1.7). Since we are in the conditions
of this lemma (easy to verify!), $H^2(\mathcal{L})$ is a quotient of

$\text{Hom}(O(2) \otimes V_1, O(3) \otimes V_3) \simeq V_3 \otimes V_3 \otimes V_2$, and it is an N_H -module, d
being compatible with the action of N_H . We have, using the table of
tensor products for G -modules $V_3 \otimes V_3 \otimes V_2 = 3I \oplus 2S \oplus 5Z$. In fact it
is not difficult to make the computations over N_H , using [6].

By lemma 2.4. ii) in loc.cit. we have $V_2 \otimes V_3 = (\theta W \oplus U) \otimes V_1$, and using the isomorphism $V_1 \otimes V_3 \simeq I \oplus Z$, one obtains $V_3 \otimes V_3 \otimes V_2 \simeq \theta W \oplus U \oplus 5Z$, the decomposition in irreducible representations. The restriction of θW to G is $2S$ and that of U is $3I$.

We show that $H^1(N) = 2S$, hence $H^0(N) = 3I \oplus Z$, $H^2(\mathcal{C}) = \theta W$, $H^1(\mathcal{C}) = Z$. For, if $H^1(N)$ would contain an I then, by (C), $H^2(I_X \otimes E)$ must contain it, hence by (B), $H^2(\mathcal{C})$ must also contain it. But $H^2(\mathcal{C})$ is a N_H -module and as such it should consist of θW , U or Z pieces, so that if, as G -module $H^2(\mathcal{C})$ contains one I it contains U as N_H -module hence $3I$ as G -module, absurd.

Thus we have showed $H^0(N) = 3I \oplus Z$, $H^1(N) = 2S$, $H^2(N) = 0$ and, by duality : $H^0(N(-5)) = 0$, $H^1(N(-5)) = 2S$, $H^2(N(-5)) = 3I \oplus Z$.

Take now the cohomology of $(1) \otimes_{O_X} (-1)$ and $(2) \otimes_{O_X} (-1)$:

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow V \rightarrow H^0(T(-1)) \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 2V \rightarrow H^1(T(-1)) \rightarrow V \rightarrow V \rightarrow H^2(T(-1)) \rightarrow 0 \\ 0 \rightarrow H^0(T(-1)) \rightarrow H^0(N(-1)) \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow H^1(T(-1)) \rightarrow H^1(N(-1)) \rightarrow 2V^\# \rightarrow \\ \rightarrow H^2(T(-1)) \rightarrow H^2(N(-1)) \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $H^2(N(-1))$ is dual to $H^0(N(-4))$ we consider also the cohomology of $(1) \otimes_{O_X} (-4)$, $(2) \otimes_{O_X} (-4)$. One obtains firstly $H^0(T(-4)) = 0$, secondly $H^0(N(-4)) = 0$, and then $H^2(N(-1)) = 0$. Then $H^2(T(-1))$ is a quotient both of V and of $2V^\#$, so that it must be zero. It follows $H^1(T(-1)) = 2V^\#$, $H^0(N(-1)) = V$, $H^1(N(-1)) = 4V^\#$.

Take now the cohomology of (1) , (2) tensored with $O_X(-2)$ and $O_X(-3)$. One obtains $H^0(T(-2)) = 0$, $H^0(N(-2)) = 0$, $H^0(T(-3)) = 0$, $H^0(N(-3)) = 0$ and the exact sequences :

$$\begin{aligned} 0 \rightarrow H^1(T(-2)) \rightarrow H^2(O_X(-2)) \rightarrow H^2(O_X(-1)) \otimes V \rightarrow H^2(T(-2)) \rightarrow 0 \\ 0 \rightarrow H^1(T(-2)) \rightarrow H^1(N(-2)) \rightarrow 8V_1^\# \rightarrow H^2(T(-2)) \rightarrow 0 \\ 0 \rightarrow H^1(T(-3)) \rightarrow 5V_3 \oplus 4V_3^\# \rightarrow 12V_3 \oplus 8V_3^\# \rightarrow H^2(T(-3)) \rightarrow 0 \\ 0 \rightarrow H^1(T(-3)) \rightarrow H^1(N(-3)) \rightarrow 8V_3 \oplus 10V_3^\# \rightarrow H^2(T(-3)) \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

It follows $H^2(T(-2)) = 2V_1^\#$, $H^1(T(-2)) = V_1$, $H^1(N(-2)) = V_1 \oplus 6V_1^\#$. By

duality, $H^1(N(-3)) = V_3 \oplus 6V_3^\#$.

Proposition 1. In the above assumptions, the normal bundle N to $X \subset \mathbb{P}^4$ is simple and its cohomology is given by the following table

n	H^0	H^1	H^2
$-n$ ($n \geq 6$)	0	0	$\theta^2 C_{n-5}$
-5	0	2S	$3I \oplus Z$
-4	0	$4V_2^\#$	V_2
-3	0	$V_3 \oplus 6V_3^\#$	0
-2	0	$V_1 \oplus 6V_1^\#$	0
-1	V	$4V^\#$	0
0	$3I \oplus Z$	2S	0
n ($n \geq 1$)	C_n	0	0

where $C_n = H^0(O_X(n+1)) \otimes V - H^0(O_X(n)) - H^0(O_X(n)) \otimes 2S$

Proof. We have only to show that N is simple. For this, consider (1) and (2) tensored by $N(-5)$:

$$0 \rightarrow N(-5) \rightarrow N(-4) \otimes V \rightarrow T \otimes N(-5) \rightarrow 0$$

$$0 \rightarrow N(-5) \otimes 2S \rightarrow T \otimes N(-5) \rightarrow \mathcal{E}nd(N) \rightarrow 0$$

and take the cohomology. As $H^2(N(-4) \otimes V) = I \oplus Z$ it follows that $H^2(T \otimes N(-5))$ contains at most one I and none S , so that $H^2(\mathcal{E}nd N)$ and its dual $H^0(\mathcal{E}nd N)$ contain precisely one I (N admits at least the multiplication by a scalar as an endomorphism) and no S . But we have

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(T \otimes N(-5)) \rightarrow H^0(\mathcal{E}nd N) \rightarrow 4I \rightarrow \dots$$

$$0 \rightarrow H^0(T \otimes N(-5)) \rightarrow 2S \rightarrow \dots$$

so that it remains $H^0(\mathcal{E}nd N) = I$, $H^2(\mathcal{E}nd N) = I$ and then $H^1(\mathcal{E}nd N) = 8S \oplus 6Z$.

□

Proposition 2. The irreducible component of the moduli space $M(-1,4)$, of stable rank 2 vector bundles on \mathbb{P}^4 with $c_1=-1, c_2=4$, which contains the Horrocks-Mumford bundle E has dimension 24 and is smooth along the orbit of E by $SL_5(\mathbb{C})$. This orbit has also dimension 24.

Proof. The family \mathcal{A} of abelian surfaces in \mathbb{P}^4 has dimension 27, because the moduli space of them has dimension 3 (cf. [6], Theorem 6.1) and only finitely many automorphisms of an abelian variety are restrictions of automorphisms of the ambient projective space (cf. [4], p.326). For an abelian surface Y in \mathcal{A} consider the vector bundles F obtained by the method of Serre, as extensions (cf. [5], [7])

$$0 \longrightarrow 0 \longrightarrow F \longrightarrow I_Y(5) \longrightarrow 0$$

corresponding to elements ξ locally generating $\text{Ext}^1(I_Y(5), 0) \simeq H^0(O_Y)$, and denote by \mathcal{F} this family of vector bundles. In fact \mathcal{F} consists of the orbit of the Horrocks-Mumford bundle by the action of $SL_5(\mathbb{C})$, as any abelian surface in \mathbb{P}^4 is projectively equivalent to the zero set of a section $s \in \Gamma(E)$ and $\text{Ext}^1(I_Y(5), 0) = \mathbb{C}$. We have $h^0(F)=4$ for a F in \mathcal{F} , hence the family \mathcal{F} has dimension = $\dim \mathcal{A} + h^0(O_Y) - h^0(F) = 24$. As $H^1(\mathcal{E}nd(F))$ is naturally isomorphic to the tangent space of the moduli scheme $M(-1,4)$ in the point corresponding to F (cf. [5]) and $h^1(\mathcal{E}nd(F))=24$ for F in \mathcal{F} , it follows that $M(-1,4)$ is smooth of dimension 24 in the points of \mathcal{F} . (Note that we made no distinction between vector bundles with $c_1=-1, c_2=4$ and those with $c_1=5, c_2=10$, when we referred to the moduli spaces, because they differ only by a twist with $O(3)$.)

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