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ON THE WEAK BOUNDED NEGATIVITY CONJECTURE FOR BLOW-UPS OF THE COMPLEX PROJECTIVE PLANE

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In the talk, I will present a new approach toward the proof of the bounded negativity conjecture using the so-called weighted intersection numbers of reduced and irreducible curves. The main result presents an effective lower bound on the weighted self-intersections, which can be formulated as follows.

Let X_s be the blow-up of the complex projective plane along a finite set of mutually distinct s points. Denote by C a reduced and irreducible curve in X_s , and by H the pull-back of a general hyperplane section of the complex projective plane, then one has $C^2 \ge -5/2 \cdot s \cdot (C.H)$.

My talk will be divided into two parts. In the first I will present a general introduction to the subject, emphasizing some open problems. In the second part, I will present a sketch of the proof of the above theorem.

This result comes from a recent joint work with Roberto Laface (Technical University of Munich).





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