

HOMOGENEOUS VECTOR BUNDLES ON  
QUADRIC HYPERSURFACES

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**Abstract:** Fix integers  $n, s$  such that  $n \geq 2$  and  $-1 \leq s \leq n - 1$ . Let  $Q_{n,s} \subset \mathbf{P}^{n+1}$  be an  $n$ -dimensional quadric hypersurface such that  $\dim(\text{Sing}(Q_{n,s})) = s$ . Let  $E$  be a vector bundle on  $Q_{n,s}$  such that  $H^1(Q_{n,s}, \text{End}(E)(-1)) = 0$ . Here we use a proof by N. Mohar Kumar to show that  $g^*(E) \cong E$  for all  $g \in \text{Aut}^0(Q_{n,s})$ .

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Here we observe that the proof of [1], Theorem 3, gives the following result.

**Theorem 1.** Fix integers  $n, s$  such that  $n \geq 2$  and  $-1 \leq s \leq n - 1$ . Let  $Q_{n,s} \subset \mathbf{P}^{n+1}$  be an  $n$ -dimensional quadric hypersurface such that  $\dim(\text{Sing}(Q_{n,s})) = s$ . Let  $E$  be a vector bundle on  $Q_{n,s}$  such that  $H^1(Q_{n,s}, \text{End}(E)(-1)) = 0$ . Then  $g^*(E) \cong E$  for all  $g \in \text{Aut}^0(Q_{n,s})$ .

*Proof.* Take a general hyperplane  $M \subset \mathbf{P}^{n+1}$  such that  $\text{Sing}(Q_{n,s}) \subset M$ . Thus  $M \cap Q_{n,s}$  is an  $(n - 1)$ -dimensional quadric with  $s$ -dimensional singular locus. Set  $G := \{g \in \text{Aut}^0(Q_{n,s}) : g(P) = P \text{ for all } P \in M \cap Q_{n,s}\}$ .  $G$  acts transitively on  $Q_{n,s} \setminus Q_{n,s} \cap M$ . This observation is sufficient to copy the proof of [1], Theorem 3, and prove Theorem 1.  $\square$

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