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Xiao Xiao* (xiao@math.binghamton.edu), Department of Mathematical Sciences, Library North 2200, Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY 13902. *Some new results on invariants of F -crystals.*

Let k be an algebraically closed field of characteristic $p > 0$. Let X be a projective smooth variety over k . The n -th crystalline cohomology of X is a pair (M, F) where M is a finitely generated $W(k)$ -module and F is a Frobenius linear endomorphism of M . The crystalline cohomology contains more information than the usual Betti cohomology thanks to the extra Frobenius linear endomorphism F . When M is free, the pair (M, F) is called an F -crystal. Vasiu proved (2006) that for each F -crystal (M, F) there exists a smallest non-negative integer n such that (M, F) is determined by its F -truncation of level n (roughly speaking by the pair $(M/p^n M, F)$). Therefore to classify these objects, we can follow the following two steps: (i) Fix a Hodge polygon and a Newton polygon, compute the n number of the resulting family of F -crystals over k ; (ii) classify the F -truncation of (M, F) of level s for all $0 < s < n + 1$. Step (ii) is easier than classifying F -crystals directly especially when s is small. In this talk, I will give an estimate of the n number in the most general case and actually compute it in some special cases, e.g. F -crystals of K3 surfaces type, and when rank of M is 2. Applications to K3 surfaces over k will be mentioned. (Received June 11, 2010)