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Lee A Jenkins* (lee.jenkins25@uga.edu), 200 D.W. Brooks Drive, Boyd Graduate Studies Research Center, Athens, GA 30602, and **Daniel K Nakano**. *The Nilpotent Cone for Classical Lie Superalgebras*.

In this talk, the speaker will discuss an analogue of the nilpotent cone, \mathcal{N} , for a classical Lie superalgebra, \mathfrak{g} , that generalizes the definition for the nilpotent cone for semisimple Lie algebras. For a classical simple Lie superalgebra, $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{g}_{\bar{0}} \oplus \mathfrak{g}_{\bar{1}}$ with Lie $G_{\bar{0}} = \mathfrak{g}_{\bar{0}}$, we will show that there are finitely many $G_{\bar{0}}$ -orbits on \mathcal{N} . It will also be shown that the Duflo-Serganova commuting variety, \mathcal{X} , is contained in \mathcal{N} for any classical simple Lie superalgebra. Consequently, the finiteness result we discuss generalizes and extends the work of Duflo-Serganova on the commuting variety. (Received August 31, 2020)