William Heinzer and Youngsu Kim* (kim455@purdue.edu), University of California, Riverside, and Matthew Toeniskoetter. Blowing up finitely supported complete ideals in a regular local ring.

Let R be a regular local ring and I a finitely supported R-ideal. We investigate singularities of $Proj \overline{R[It]}$, where $\overline{R[It]}$ denotes the integral closure of the Rees algebra R[It]. We are able to prove that for a local ring S on $Proj \overline{R[It]}$, if S is a UFD, then S is regular. This is a generalization of a result of Lipman and Huneke-Sally in dimension 2. Furthermore, we show that if $Proj \overline{R[It]}$ is locally factorial, then it is the non-singular model obtained by a finite number of blowups at the non-singular closed points that correspond to the base points of I. In particular, if $Proj \overline{R[It]}$ is locally factorial, then it is non-singular. (Received September 03, 2014)