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We recall several results of zero divisor graphs of commutative rings. We then examine the preservation of diameter and girth of the zero divisor graph of direct products of commutative rings. (Received June 10, 2005)