



# Divisorial Ideals in the Power Series Ring $A + XB[[X]]$

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## Abstract

Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains,  $B[[X]]$  be the power series ring over  $B$ , and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$  be a subring of  $B[[X]]$ . In this paper, we give a complete description of  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals (with nonzero trace in  $A$ ) of  $R$ . We show that if  $B$  is a completely integrally closed domain and  $I$  is a fractional divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R$  with nonzero trace over  $A$ , then  $I = u(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]])$  for some  $u \in qf(R)$ ,  $J_2$  an integral divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $B$  and  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$  a nonzero ideal of  $A$ .

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## 1 Introduction

Let  $A$  be an integral domain with quotient field  $K$ . Let  $\mathcal{F}(A)$  be the set of nonzero fractional ideals of  $D$ . For an  $I \in \mathcal{F}(A)$ , set  $I^{-1} = \{x \in K \mid xI \subseteq A\}$ . The mapping on  $\mathcal{F}(A)$  defined by  $I \mapsto I_v = (I^{-1})^{-1}$  is called the  $v$ -operation on  $A$ . A nonzero fractional ideal  $I$  is said to be a  $v$ -ideal or *divisorial* if  $I = I_v$ , and  $I$  is said to be  $v$ -invertible if  $(II^{-1})_v = A$ . For properties of the  $v$ -operation the reader is referred to [8, Section 34]. However, we will be mostly interested in the  $t$ -operation defined on  $\mathcal{F}(A)$  by  $I \mapsto I_t = \cup\{J_v, J \text{ is a nonzero finitely generated fractional subideal of } I\}$ . (For properties of the  $t$ -operation the reader may consult [1]). A fractional ideal  $I$  is called a  $t$ -ideal if  $I = I_t$ . A  $t$ -ideal (respectively,  $v$ -ideal)  $I$  has  $t$ - (respectively,  $v$ -) *finite type* if  $I = J_t$  (respectively,  $I = J_v$ ) for some finitely generated fractional ideal  $J$  of  $A$ . The set of  $v$ -ideals may be a proper subset of the set of  $t$ -ideals. A fractional ideal  $I$  is said to be  $t$ -invertible if  $(II^{-1})_t = A$ . The set  $T(A)$  of  $t$ -invertible fractional  $t$ -ideals of  $A$  is a group under the  $t$ -multiplication  $I \star J := (IJ)_t$ , and the set  $P(A)$  of nonzero

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principal fractional ideals of  $A$  is a subgroup of  $T(A)$ . Following [7], we define the  $t$ -class group of  $A$ , denoted  $Cl_t(A)$ , to be the  $t$ -group of  $t$ -invertible fractional  $t$ -ideals of  $A$  under  $t$ -multiplication modulo its subgroup of principal fractional ideals that is,  $Cl_t(A) = T(A)/P(A)$ . The  $t$ -class group of an integral domain was studied by many authors ([7–11]).

Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains. In [2], the authors study when the natural mapping  $\varphi : Cl_t(A) \rightarrow Cl_t(A + XB[X]); [I] \mapsto [I(A + XB[X])]$  is an isomorphism. They showed that if  $B$  is an integrally closed domain and  $qf(A) \subseteq B$ , then  $Cl_t(A) \cong Cl_t(A + XB[X])$  ([2, Theorem 4.7]). Also, the authors study the form of  $v$ -invertible (respectively,  $t$ -invertible) ideals of the polynomial ring of the form  $A + XB[X]$ . Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is an integrally closed domain and  $A + XB[X]$ . The authors proved that if  $I$  is a fractional divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R$ , then  $I = u(J_1 + XJ_2[X])$  for some  $u \in qf(A + XB[X])$ ,  $J_2$  an integral divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $B$  and  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$  a nonzero ideal of  $A$  ([2, Theorem 2.3]). In this paper, we extend these results to the ring of formal power series of the form  $A + XB[[X]]$ . In particular, we give a relationship between  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals of an integral domain and those of its power series ring of the form  $A + XB[[X]]$ .

Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains,  $B[[X]]$  be the power series ring over  $B$ , and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . In the first part of this paper, we study when the natural mapping

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : Cl_t(A) &\rightarrow Cl_t(R) \\ [I] &\mapsto [(IR)_t] \end{aligned}$$

is an injective homomorphism. We show that if  $B$  is a flat  $A$ -module, then the mapping  $\varphi$  is an injective homomorphism. Also, we prove that the mapping  $\varphi$  is not surjective in general (Remark 2.7). In the second part of this paper, we give a complete description of  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals (with nonzero trace in  $A$ ) of  $A + XB[[X]]$ . First, we show that if  $A \subseteq B$  is an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is completely integrally closed, then for each divisorial ideal  $I$  of  $R = A + XB[[X]]$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ , there exist a divisorial ideal  $J$  of  $B$  and a nonzero ideal  $H \subseteq J$  of  $A$  such that  $I = H + XJ[[X]]$  (Proposition 3.2). Based on the above result, we prove that if  $I$  is a fractional divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ , then  $I = u(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]])$  for some  $u \in qf(R)$ ,  $J_2$  an integral divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $B$  and  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$  a nonzero ideal of  $A$ , where  $B$  satisfies  $\otimes$ .

## 2 The $t$ -Class Group of $A+XB[X]$

Let  $A$  be an integral domain. A fractional ideal  $I$  of  $A$  is said to be  $v$ -invertible (respectively,  $t$ -invertible, invertible) if  $(II^{-1})_v = A$  (respectively,  $(II^{-1})_t = A$ ,  $II^{-1} = A$ ). Following [7], we define the  $t$ -class group of  $A$ , denoted by  $Cl_t(A)$ , to be the group  $T(A)$  of  $t$ -invertible fractional  $t$ -ideals of  $A$  under  $t$ -multiplication (i.e.,  $I \star J := (IJ)_t$ ) modulo its subgroup  $P(A)$  of principal fractional ideals, that is,  $Cl_t(A) = T(A)/P(A)$ . When  $A$  is a Krull domain, then the  $t$ -class group and the

divisor class group coincide. We denote by  $[I]$  the equivalence class of a  $t$ -invertible  $t$ -ideal  $I$  of  $A$ . Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . In this section we show that the natural mapping  $\varphi : Cl_t(A) \rightarrow Cl_t(R); [I] \mapsto [(IR)_t]$  is an injective homomorphism. To prove it, we need the following lemmas.

**Lemma 2.1** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . Let  $F_1$  (respectively,  $F_2$ ) be a fractional ideal of  $A$  (respectively,  $B$ ) such that  $F_1 \subseteq F_2$ . Then  $F_1 + XF_2[[X]]$  is a fractional ideal of  $R$  and*

$$(F_1 + XF_2[[X]])^{-1} = F_1^{-1} \cap F_2^{-1} + XF_2^{-1}[[X]].$$

**Proof** Let  $I = F_1 + XF_2[[X]]$ . Since  $F_1 \subseteq I$ , we obtain  $I^{-1} = R : I \subseteq R : F_1$ , where  $R : F_1 = \{g \in qf(R), gF_1 \subseteq R\}$ . This implies that  $I^{-1} \subseteq K[[X]]$ , where  $K = qf(B)$ . Indeed, let  $u \in I^{-1}$  and  $\alpha \in F_1 \setminus (0)$ . Since  $uF_1 \subseteq R$ ,  $u = \frac{\alpha u}{\alpha} \in \frac{1}{\alpha}R \subseteq K[[X]]$ .

Now we show that  $u \in I^{-1}$  if and only if  $u(0)F_1 \subseteq A$  and  $uF_2[[X]] \subseteq B[[X]]$ .  
 ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Let  $u \in I^{-1}$ . Since  $uI \subseteq R$ , we get  $uF_1 + uXF_2[[X]] \subseteq A + XB[[X]]$ . Chose  $X = 0$ , we obtain  $u(0)F_1 \subseteq A$ . Moreover,  $uF_2[[X]] \subseteq B[[X]]$ .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Assume that  $u(0)F_1 \subseteq A$  and  $uF_2[[X]] \subseteq B[[X]]$ . We prove that  $u \in I^{-1}$ .  
 As  $u \in K[[X]]$ , we can write  $u = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i X^i$ , where  $a_i \in K$ . It is clearly that

$$uI = uF_1 + XuF_2[[X]] \subseteq u(0)F_1 + \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 + XuF_2[[X]].$$

Moreover,  $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 = (u - u(0))F_1 \subseteq uF_1 + u(0)F_1$ . Then  $uF_1 + u(0)F_1 \subseteq B[[X]]$ , because  $uF_1 \subseteq uF_2 \subseteq B[[X]]$  and  $u(0)F_1 \subseteq A \subseteq B[[X]]$ . This implies that

$\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 \subseteq B[[X]]$ . Now let  $P$  be an element of  $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1$ . Then there exists

an element  $\alpha$  of  $F_1$  such that  $P = X\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^{i-1}\right)\alpha$ . Since  $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 \subseteq B[[X]]$ ,

$\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^{i-1}\right)\alpha \in B[[X]]$ . Thus  $P \in XB[[X]]$ , and so  $\left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 \subseteq XB[[X]]$ . This

shows that

$$\begin{aligned} uI &\subseteq u(0)F_1 + XuF_2[[X]] + \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i\right)F_1 \\ &\subseteq A + XB[[X]] \\ &= R. \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $u \in I^{-1}$ .

Now  $u \in I^{-1}$  if and only if  $u(0)F_1 \subseteq A$  and  $uF_2[[X]] \subseteq B[[X]]$  which equivalent to  $u(0) \in F_1^{-1}$  and  $u \in (F_2[[X]])^{-1}$ . But  $(F_2[[X]])^{-1} = F_2^{-1}[[X]]$ . Hence  $u \in I^{-1}$  if and only if  $u \in F_1^{-1} \cap F_2^{-1} + XF_2^{-1}[[X]]$ .  $\square$

**Example 2.2** Let  $A = \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $B = \mathbb{Z}[i]$  and  $R = \mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . Let  $I = 2\mathbb{Z} + (1 + i)X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . We show that  $I$  is a divisorial ideal of  $R$ , i.e.,  $I_v = I$ .

It is clear that  $I$  is an ideal of  $R$ . Now by Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned} I^{-1} &= \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z} \cap ((1 + i)\mathbb{Z}[i])^{-1} + X((1 + i)\mathbb{Z}[i])^{-1}[[X]] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z} \cap (1 + i)^{-1}\mathbb{Z}[i] + (1 + i)^{-1}X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]. \end{aligned}$$

But if  $x \in \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{Z} \cap \frac{1}{1+i}\mathbb{Z}[i]$ , then  $x = \frac{1}{2}r = \frac{1}{1+i}u$ , with  $r \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $u \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ . This implies that  $(1 + i)r = 2u$ . Write  $u = \alpha + i\beta$ . Then  $2\alpha = r$  and  $2\beta = r$  thus 2 divided  $r$ , and so  $x = \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Hence  $I^{-1} = \mathbb{Z} + X\frac{1-i}{2}\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . Again by Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned} I_v &= (I^{-1})^{-1} \\ &= \mathbb{Z} \cap ((1 + i)^{-1}\mathbb{Z}[i])^{-1} + X((1 + i)^{-1}\mathbb{Z}[i])^{-1}[[X]] \\ &= \mathbb{Z} \cap (1 + i)\mathbb{Z}[i] + (1 + i)X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]] \\ &= 2\mathbb{Z} + (1 + i)X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]] \\ &= I. \end{aligned}$$

This shows that  $I$  is a divisorial ideal of  $R$ .

Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains. Following [3], we say that  $B$  is *t-linked over A*, if for each finitely generated fractional ideal  $I$  of  $A$  with  $I^{-1} = A$ , we have  $(IB)^{-1} = B$ .

**Lemma 2.3** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . If  $B$  is t-linked over  $A$ , then the extension  $A \subseteq R$  is t-linked.*

**Proof** Let  $I$  be a finitely generated fractional ideal of  $A$  such that  $I^{-1} = A$ . Since  $IR \subseteq I + (IB)[[X]]$ , then by Lemma 2.1,

$$I^{-1} \cap (IB)^{-1} + X(IB)^{-1}[[X]] = (I + (IB)[[X]])^{-1} \subseteq (IR)^{-1}.$$

But  $B$  is *t-linked over A*, then  $R = A + XB[[X]] = I^{-1} \cap (IB)^{-1} + X(IB)^{-1}[[X]] \subseteq (IR)^{-1}$ , and hence  $R \subseteq (IR)^{-1}$ .

Now we will show that  $(IR)^{-1} \subseteq R$ . Let  $u$  be an element of  $(IR)^{-1}$ . It is easy to prove that  $u \in L + XK[[X]]$ , where  $L = qf(A)$  and  $K = qf(B)$ . Put  $u = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i X^i \in L + XK[[X]]$ , and let  $\alpha \in I$ . Since  $\alpha u = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (\alpha a_i) X^i \in R$ ,  $\alpha a_0 \in A$ , and hence  $a_0 \in I^{-1}$ . Moreover, if  $r \in IB$ , then  $urX \in u(IR) \subseteq R$ . This implies that for each  $i \geq 1$ ,  $ra_i \in B$ . Therefore for each  $i \geq 1$ ,  $a_i \in (IB)^{-1}$ . Hence  $u \in I^{-1} + X(IB)^{-1}[[X]] = A + XB[[X]] = R$  since  $B$  is *t-linked over A*. Hence  $(IR)^{-1} = R$ .  $\square$

**Proposition 2.4** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is  $t$ -linked over  $A$ . Then the mapping*

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : Cl_t(A) &\rightarrow Cl_t(R) \\ [I] &\mapsto [(IR)_t] \end{aligned}$$

*is an homomorphism.*

**Proof** Follows from Lemma 2.3 and [3, Theorem 2.2]. □

Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains and  $I$  a finitely generated ideal of  $A$ . It well known that  $I.A[[X]] = (IA)[[X]] = I[[X]]$ . Using the same proof we can prove that  $I.B[[X]] = (IB)[[X]]$ .

**Lemma 2.5** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is a flat  $A$ -module,  $I$  an ideal of  $A$  and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . We assume that  $I$  and  $I^{-1}$  are  $v$ -ideals of finite type. Then  $(IR)_v = I + X(IB)[[X]]$ .*

**Proof** Since  $I$  and  $I^{-1}$  are  $v$ -ideals of finite type,  $I = J_v$  and  $I^{-1} = L_v$  for some finitely generated ideals  $J$  and  $L$  of  $A$ . Since  $JR = J + X(JB)[[X]]$ , by Lemma 2.1,

$$\begin{aligned} (JR)^{-1} &= (J + X(JB)[[X]])^{-1} \\ &= J^{-1} \cap (JB)^{-1} + X(JB)^{-1}[[X]] \\ &= J^{-1} \cap J^{-1}B + X(J^{-1}B)[[X]] \\ &= J^{-1}, \end{aligned}$$

where the third equality follows from the fact that  $B$  is a flat  $A$ -module. Again apply Lemma 2.1,  $(JR)_v = J_v \cap (J^{-1}B)^{-1} + X(J^{-1}B)^{-1}[[X]]$ . Since  $L_v = I^{-1} = J^{-1}$ ,

$$(J^{-1}B)^{-1} = (L_vB)^{-1} = (LB)^{-1} = L^{-1}B = J_vB,$$

where the second equality follow from the proof of [5, Proposition 2.2]. So

$$\begin{aligned} (JR)_v &= J_v \cap (J_vB) + X(J_vB)[[X]] \\ &= J_v + X(J_vB)[[X]] \\ &= I + X(IB)[[X]]. \end{aligned}$$

This implies that  $I + X(IB)[[X]] \subseteq (IR)_v$ . Now, using Lemma 2.1, we can prove that

$$(I + X(IB)[[X]])_v = I + X(IB)[[X]].$$

This shows that  $(IR)_v \subseteq I + X(IB)[[X]]$ , and hence  $(IR)_v = I + X(IB)[[X]]$ . □

We are now ready to prove the main result of this section.

**Theorem 2.6** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is a flat  $A$ -module. Then the mapping*

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi : Cl_t(A) &\rightarrow Cl_t(R) \\ [I] &\mapsto [(IR)_t] \end{aligned}$$

is an injective homomorphism.

**Proof** Since  $B$  is a flat  $A$ -module,  $B$  is  $t$ -linked over  $A$ . So by Proposition 2.4, the mapping  $\varphi$  is an homomorphism. We show that  $\varphi$  is injective. Let  $I$  be a  $t$ -invertible  $t$ -ideal of  $A$  such that  $(IR)_t$  is a principal ideal of  $R$ . We will prove that  $I$  is principal. Since  $(IR)_t$  is principal,  $(IR)_t = fR$  for some  $f \in (IR)_t$ .

**Case 1:**  $I$  is an integral ideal of  $A$ .

As  $(IR)_t = fR$ , then  $(IR)_v = fR$ . By Lemma 2.5,  $(IR)_v = I + X(IB)[[X]]$ ; so  $I = f(0)A$  is a principal ideal of  $A$ .

**Case 2:**  $I$  is a fractional ideal of  $A$ .

Let  $d \in A \setminus (0)$  such that  $dI \subseteq A$ . Put  $I' = dI$ . Then  $I'$  is an integral  $t$ -invertible  $t$ -ideal of  $A$ . Moreover,  $(I'R)_t = dfR$  is a principal ideal of  $R$ . By case 1,  $I'$  is a principal ideal of  $A$ . So  $I$  is a principal ideal of  $A$ , and hence  $\varphi$  is injective.  $\square$

**Remark 2.7** Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains and let  $\varphi : Cl_t(A) \rightarrow Cl_t(R)$  be the natural mapping. Note that  $\varphi$  is not surjective in general. Indeed, let  $A = \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $B = \mathbb{Z}[i]$  and  $R = \mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . Assume that  $\varphi$  is surjective.

By [6, Chapter 1, Proposition 2],  $\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z} \oplus i\mathbb{Z}$  is a flat  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module; so by Theorem 2.6,  $\varphi$  is an injective homomorphism, and hence  $\varphi$  is an isomorphism. This implies that

$$Cl_t(\mathbb{Z}) \cong Cl_t(\mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]).$$

Since  $\mathbb{Z}$  is a PID (principal ideal domain),  $Cl_t(\mathbb{Z}) = 0$  which implies that  $Cl_t(\mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]) = 0$ . Now we prove that  $Cl_t(\mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]) \neq 0$ , and hence we obtain a contradiction. Let  $I = 2\mathbb{Z} + (1 + i)X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ .

**Claim 1:**  $I$  and  $I^{-1}$  are ideals of  $R$  of  $v$ -finite type.

It is clear that  $(2, (1 + i)X) \subseteq I$ . Conversely, let  $f \in I$ . Then  $f = 2r + X(1 + i)Q$ , for some  $r \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $Q \in \mathbb{Z}[i][[X]] = \mathbb{Z} + i\mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . So there exist  $s, t \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $h \in \mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$  such that  $f = 2r + X(1 + i)(s + it + Xh) = 2(r - tX) + (1 + i)X(s + t + Xh) \in (2, (1 + i)X)$ . Hence  $I = (2, (1 + i)X)$ . Now, by Example 2.2,  $I^{-1} = \mathbb{Z} + X\frac{1-i}{2}\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . In the same way, we can show that  $I^{-1} = (1, \frac{1-i}{2}X)$ .

**Claim 2:**  $I$  is a  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R$ .

Note that

$$II^{-1} = (1, \frac{1-i}{2}X)(2, (1 + i)X) = (2, (1 + i)X, (1 - i)X, X^2).$$

Let  $u \in \text{qf}(R)$  such that  $(2, (1 + i)X, (1 - i)X, X^2) \subseteq uR$ . Since  $2 \in (2, (1 + i)X, (1 - i)X, X^2) \subseteq uR$ , then  $u = \frac{2}{f}$ , with  $f \in R$  and  $X^2 \in (2, (1 + i)X, (1 - i)X, X^2) \subseteq uR = \frac{2}{f}R$ . Thus  $X^2f = 2g$ , for some  $g = a_0 + a_1X + \dots + a_nX^n \in R$ . This implies that  $a_0 = a_1 = 0$ , and so  $g = X^2h$ , where  $h = (a_2 + \dots + a_nX^{n-2}) \in \mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]$ . Then  $f(0) = 2h(0) \in \mathbb{Z}$ . But  $\mathbb{Z}[i] = \mathbb{Z} + i\mathbb{Z}$ , then  $h(0) = s + it \in \mathbb{Z} + i\mathbb{Z}$ . Since  $2h(0) \in \mathbb{Z}$ , then  $h(0) \in \mathbb{Z}$ , and so  $1 = uh \in uR$ . Thus

$$(II^{-1})_v = (2, (1 + i)X, (1 - i)X, X^2)_v = R.$$

Using claim 1 and 2, it is easy to prove that  $I$  is a  $t$ -invertible  $t$ -ideal of  $R$ . This implies that  $[I] \in Cl_t(R)$ . Now we show that  $[I] \neq 0$  which equivalent to  $I$  is not a

principal ideal of  $R$ . Assume the contrary that  $I$  is principal. Then  $I = PR$  for some  $P \in R$ . Since  $2 \in I$ ,  $P(0) \neq 0$ . In fact  $P(0) \in \{\pm 1, \pm 2\}$ . Moreover, as  $(1+i)X \in I$ , we obtain  $P(0) \in \{\pm 1\}$  which implies that  $P(0)$  is a unit in  $\mathbb{Z}$ . A routine calculation (by induction) shows that  $P$  is a unit in  $R$ . This implies that  $I = PR = R$ , a contradiction. Then  $[I] \neq 0$ , and hence  $Cl_t(\mathbb{Z} + X\mathbb{Z}[i][[X]]) \neq 0$ .

### 3 $v$ -Invertible $v$ -Ideals of $A+XB[[X]]$

In this section, we investigate a relationship between  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals of an integral domain and those of its power series ring of the form  $A + XB[[X]]$ , where  $A \subseteq B$  is an extension of integral domain. We begin this section by the following proposition.

**Proposition 3.1** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domain,  $J$  an ideal of  $A$  and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ .*

- (1) *If  $(JR)_v = R$ , then  $J_v = A$ .*
- (2) *If  $(JR)_t = R$ , then  $J_t = A$ .*

**Proof**(1). Assume that  $(JR)_v = R$  and let  $u \in \text{qf}(A)$  such that  $J \subseteq uA$ . Then  $JR \subseteq uAR \subseteq uR$  which implies that  $R = (JR)_v \subseteq (uR)_v = uR$ . Thus

$$A \subseteq \bigcap_{u \in \text{qf}(A), J \subseteq uA} Au = J_v.$$

This shows that  $A \subseteq J_v \subseteq A$ , and hence  $J_v = A$ .

- (2). Suppose that  $(JR)_t = R$ . Then

$$R = \bigcup \{(FR)_v, F \subseteq J \text{ of finite type of } A\}.$$

Thus there exists a finitely generated ideal  $F_0$  of  $A$  such that  $F_0 \subseteq J$  and  $1 \in (F_0R)_v$ . This implies that  $R = (F_0R)_v$ . Now, by (1),  $(F_0)_v = A$ ; so

$$A \subseteq \bigcup \{F_v, F \subseteq J \text{ of finite type of } A\} = J_t \subseteq A.$$

Hence  $A = J_t$ .

□

Let  $A$  be an integral domain. According to [12, Theorem 2.11],  $A$  is completely integrally closed if and only if for each  $f, g \in A[[X]]$ ,  $(A_f A_g)_v = (A_{fg})_v$ . Using this result we prove a complete description of  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals (with nonzero trace in  $A$ ) of  $R$ . First we need to prove the following proposition.

**Proposition 3.2** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  completely integrally closed and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . Then for each divisorial ideal  $I$  of  $R$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ , there exist a divisorial ideal  $J$  of  $B$  and a nonzero ideal  $H \subseteq J$  of  $A$  such that  $I = H + XJ[[X]]$ .*

**Proof** Let  $H = I \cap A$  and  $J$  the ideal of  $B$  generated the coefficients of all elements of  $I$ .

It is clear that  $H \subseteq J$  and  $H \subseteq I$ . We show that  $XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq I$ . Let  $f, g \in R, g \neq 0$  such that  $I \subseteq \frac{f}{g}R$ . Let  $0 \neq a \in H$ . Since  $a \in H \subseteq I \subseteq \frac{f}{g}R$ , then there exists an  $r \in R \setminus (0)$  such that  $\frac{a}{r} = \frac{f}{g}$ . Let  $0 \neq h \in I \subseteq \frac{f}{g}R = \frac{a}{r}R$ . Then  $rh \in aR$  which implies that  $rh \in aB[[X]]$ . So  $(A_{rh})_v \subseteq aB$ . By hypothesis  $B$  is a completely integrally closed domain, then  $A_r A_h \subseteq (A_r A_h)_v \subseteq aB$ . This implies that  $rA_h[[X]] \subseteq aB[[X]]$ . Now we show that  $rJ[[X]] \subseteq aB[[X]]$ . Indeed, if  $f \in rJ[[X]]$ , then  $f = rf_1$  for some  $f_1 = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i X^i \in J[[X]]$ . Put  $r = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \beta_i X^i$ . Then  $f = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\sum_{i=0}^n a_i \beta_{n-i}) X^n$ . But

$$a_i = \sum_{k=0}^{m_i} \alpha_{i,k} t_{i,k} \text{ with } t_{i,k} \in B, \alpha_{i,k} \in A_{f_{i,k}}, \text{ then}$$

$$a_i \beta_{n-i} = \sum_{k=0}^{n_i} \alpha_{i,k} t_{i,k} \beta_{n-i} \in A_r A_{f_{i,k}} \subseteq aB.$$

Which implies that  $rJ[[X]] \subseteq aB[[X]]$ . So

$$r(J[[X]])_v = (rJ[[X]])_v \subseteq (aB[[X]])_v = a(B[[X]])_v = aB[[X]].$$

Since  $(J[[X]])_v = J_v[[X]]$ ,  $rJ_v[[X]] \subseteq aB[[X]]$ . This implies that  $\frac{aX}{r}B[[X]] \subseteq \frac{a}{r}R$ ; so  $\frac{rXJ_v[[X]]}{r} \subseteq \frac{aX}{r}B[[X]] \subseteq \frac{a}{r}R = \frac{f}{g}R$  which implies that  $XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq \frac{f}{g}R$ . Thus

$$XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq \cap_{f,g \in R, I \subseteq \frac{f}{g}R} \frac{f}{g}R = I_v = I,$$

and hence  $H + XJ[[X]] \subseteq H + XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq I$ . Now we will show that  $I \subseteq H + XJ[[X]]$ .

Let  $f \in I$ . Then  $f = a_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i$ , where  $a_0 \in A$  and  $a_i \in B$  for each  $i \geq 1$ .

As  $J = \langle A_f, f \in I \rangle$ , then for each  $i \geq 1, a_i \in J$ ; so

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i = X \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^{i-1} \in XJ[[X]] \subseteq XJ_v[[X]].$$

Since  $XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq I, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i \in I$ . This implies that  $a_0 = f - \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i X^i \in I$ . Thus  $a_0 \in A \cap I = H$ , and hence  $f \in H + XJ[[X]]$ . Now we have

$$H + XJ[[X]] \subseteq H + XJ_v[[X]] \subseteq I \subseteq H + XJ[[X]].$$

Hence  $I = H + XJ[[X]]$  and  $J_v = J$ . □



Our next result give a complete description of  $v$ -invertible  $v$ -ideals of  $A + XB[[X]]$  with nonzero trace in  $A$ .

**Theorem 3.3** *Let  $A \subseteq B$  be an extension of integral domains such that  $B$  is completely integrally closed and  $R = A + XB[[X]]$ . Let  $I$  be a fractional divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ . Then  $I = u(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]])$  for some  $u \in qf(R)$ ,  $J_2$  an integral divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $B$  and  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$  a nonzero ideal of  $A$ .*

**Proof** Since  $I$  is a divisorial ideal of  $R$  and  $B$  is completely integrally closed, by Proposition 3.2,  $I = H + XJ[[X]]$  for some divisorial ideal  $J$  of  $B$  and a nonzero ideal  $H \subseteq J$  of  $A$ . We show that there exists nonzero  $c \in K$  such that  $cH \subseteq A$  and  $cJ \subseteq B$ .

Let  $a \in H$  be a nonzero element. We have  $aI^{-1}$  is a divisorial ideal of  $R$ . Using Lemma 2.1, it is easy to prove that  $aI^{-1} \cap A \neq (0)$ . Then by Proposition 3.2,  $aI^{-1} = H' + XJ'[[X]]$  for some divisorial ideal  $J'$  of  $B$  and a nonzero ideal  $H' \subseteq J'$  of  $A$ .

$$\begin{aligned} aR &= a(II^{-1})_v \\ &= (a(II^{-1}))_v \\ &= (I(aI^{-1}))_v \\ &= ((H + XJ[[X]])(H' + XJ'[[X]]))_v. \end{aligned}$$

So  $(H + XJ[[X]])(H' + XJ'[[X]]) \subseteq aR = aA + aXB[[X]]$ . Then  $HH' \subseteq aA$  and  $JJ' \subseteq aB$ . This implies that  $\frac{1}{a}HH' \subseteq A$  and  $\frac{1}{a}JJ' \subseteq B$ .

Let  $c \in \frac{1}{a}H'$  be a nonzero element. Then  $J_1 = cH \subseteq \frac{1}{a}HH' \subseteq A$  and  $J_2 = cJ \subseteq B$ . We have  $J_1 \neq (0)$  and  $J_2$  is a divisorial ideal of  $B$ .

Since  $I = H + XJ[[X]]$ , then

$$I = \frac{1}{c}(cH + XcJ[[X]]) = \frac{1}{c}(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]]) = u(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]]),$$

where  $u = \frac{1}{c} \in qf(R)$ . Now we will show that  $J_2$  is  $v$ -invertible. By Lemma 2.1, we have

$$I^{-1} = \frac{1}{u}(J_1^{-1} \cap J_2^{-1} + XJ_2^{-1}[[X]]).$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} II^{-1} &\subseteq J_1(J_1^{-1} \cap J_2^{-1}) + XJ_2(J_2^{-1}[[X]]) \\ &\subseteq J_1J_1^{-1} + X(J_2J_2^{-1})[[X]] \\ &\subseteq A + XB[[X]] \\ &= R. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $I$  is  $v$ -invertible, we get

$$R = (J_1(J_1^{-1} \cap J_2^{-1}) + X(J_2J_2^{-1})[[X]])^{-1}.$$

Again by Lemma 2.1,  $R = (J_1(J_1^{-1} \cap J_2^{-1}))^{-1} \cap (J_2J_2^{-1})^{-1} + X(J_2J_2^{-1})^{-1}[[X]]$ . Then  $B[[X]] = (J_2J_2^{-1})^{-1}[[X]]$ , and this implies that  $B = (J_2J_2^{-1})^{-1}$ . Hence  $J_2$  is  $v$ -invertible. □

Clearly that every Krull domain is completely integrally closed. Using Theorem 3.3, we obtain a new characterization of divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideals of the power series ring of the form  $A + XB[[X]]$ .

**Corollary 3.4** *Let  $I$  be a fractional divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $R = A + XB[[X]]$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ . Assume that  $B$  is a Krull domain. Then  $I = u(J_1 + XJ_2[[X]])$  for some  $u \in qf(R)$ ,  $J_2$  an integral divisorial  $v$ -invertible ideal of  $B$  and  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$  a nonzero ideal of  $A$ .*

Recall from [4] that an integral domain  $A$  is called *formally integrally closed* if  $(A_{fg})_t = (A_f A_g)_t$  for all  $f, g \in A[[X]] \setminus (0)$ . It was shown in [4] that if  $A$  is formally integrally closed, then  $A$  is completely integrally closed, but the converse is false in general ([4, Example 3.2]).

**Proposition 3.5** [4, Proposition 3.6] *Let  $A$  be a formally integrally closed domain. If  $I$  is a finite type  $v$ -ideal of  $A[[X]]$  with  $J \cap A \neq 0$ , then  $I = J[[X]]$  for some  $v$ -ideal  $J$  of  $A$ .*

Note that in [4] Anderson and Kang characterized the  $v$ -ideals of finite type of the power series ring  $A[[X]]$  with nonzero trace in  $A$  in the case when  $A$  is a formally integrally closed domain. Now, using Proposition 3.2, in the particular case when  $A = B$ , we obtain a new approach to characterize the divisorial ideals of the ring  $A[[X]]$  with nonzero trace in  $A$ .

**Proposition 3.6** *Let  $A$  be a completely integrally closed domain and  $I$  a fractional divisorial ideal of  $A[[X]]$  such that  $I \cap A \neq (0)$ . Then  $I = J_1 + XJ_2[[X]]$  for some nonzero ideal  $J_1$  of  $A$  and some divisorial ideal  $J_2$  of  $A$  such that  $J_1 \subseteq J_2$ .*

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