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Triangular algebras vs. tensor algebras

In 1959 Kadison and Singer defined an operator algebra T to be triangular if $T \cap T^*$ is abelian. The tensor algebra of a C^* -correspondence over a commutative C^* -algebra is then triangular, which begs the question whether all triangular algebras are tensor algebras. We will look at this question in the case of triangular UHF algebras.