Let X and Y be varieties over a field k, and let $Z = X \times_k Y$ be their fiber product. In this talk, we consider the question of how singularity and multiplicity theories of Z can be understood from those of X and Y. Specifically, our focus will be on the Castelnuovo-Mumford regularity and depth of symbolic and regular powers of their defining ideals.

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