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An extension of Szemerédi's Regularity Lemma for hypergraphs, was proved in 2005 by Gowers and independently by Rödl, Schacht, Skokan, and Nagle. More recently, Tao gave another proof for the lemma. A special case, the Removal Lemma is an important corollary of the Hypergraph Regularity Lemma. The following statement follows from the Removal Lemma:

For any $c > 0$ real and $k > 1$ integer, there is a $c' > 0$, such that if a k -uniform hypergraph on n vertices contains at least cn^k pairwise edge-disjoint cliques then it contains many, at least $c'n^{k+1}$, cliques.

The Removal Lemma is a powerful tool. In this talk we will review a few applications of the lemma. In particular we shall see that the statement above implies the multidimensional Szemerédi Theorem.