Linquan Ma and Karl Schwede* (schwede@math.utah.edu). F-rational mod p implies rational singularities in characteristic zero.

In her dissertation, Karen Smith proved that if a singularity in characteristic zero (say defined over \mathbb{Z}) had the property that its mod p reduction had F-rational singularities for all $p \gg 0$, then the singularity in characteristic zero had rational singularities.

In joint work with Linquan Ma we show that in fact it sufficient for a single mod p reduction to have rational singularities. This relies on recent advances in our understanding of singularities in mixed characteristic. (Received July 17, 2017)