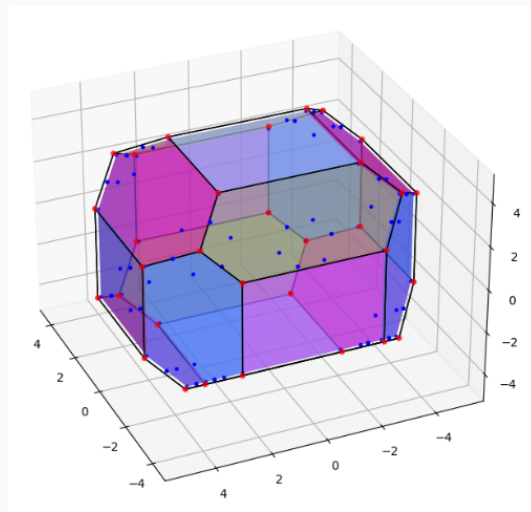


Why the Thurston Metric is (Not) like L^∞

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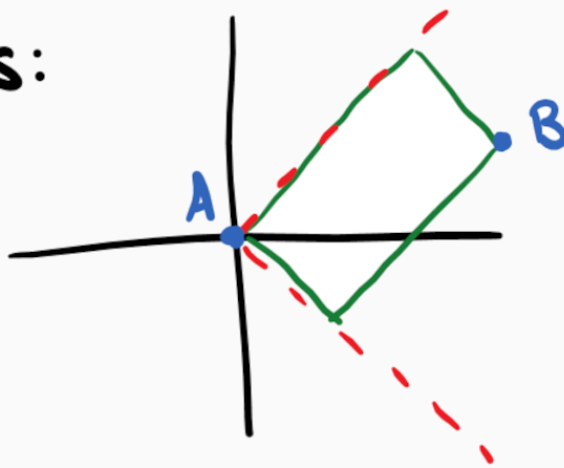
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Properties of L^∞

L^∞ metric on \mathbb{R}^2

$$d((x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2)) = \max(|x_1 - y_1|, |y_1 - y_2|)$$

Geodesics:



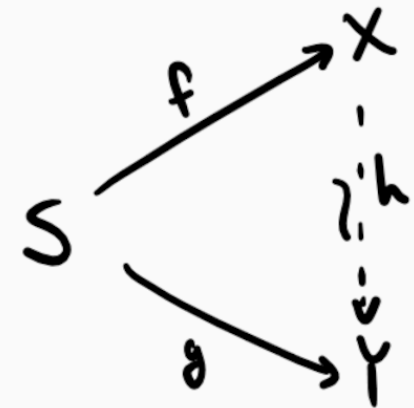
- Sometimes Unique
- Can get far apart
- In a cone defined by unique geodesics

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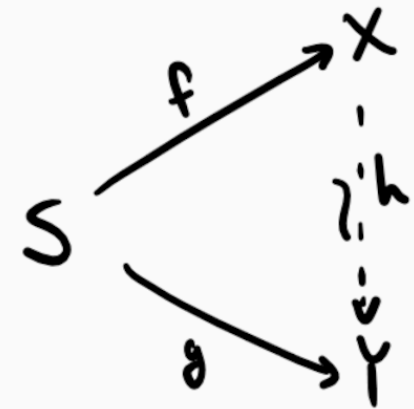


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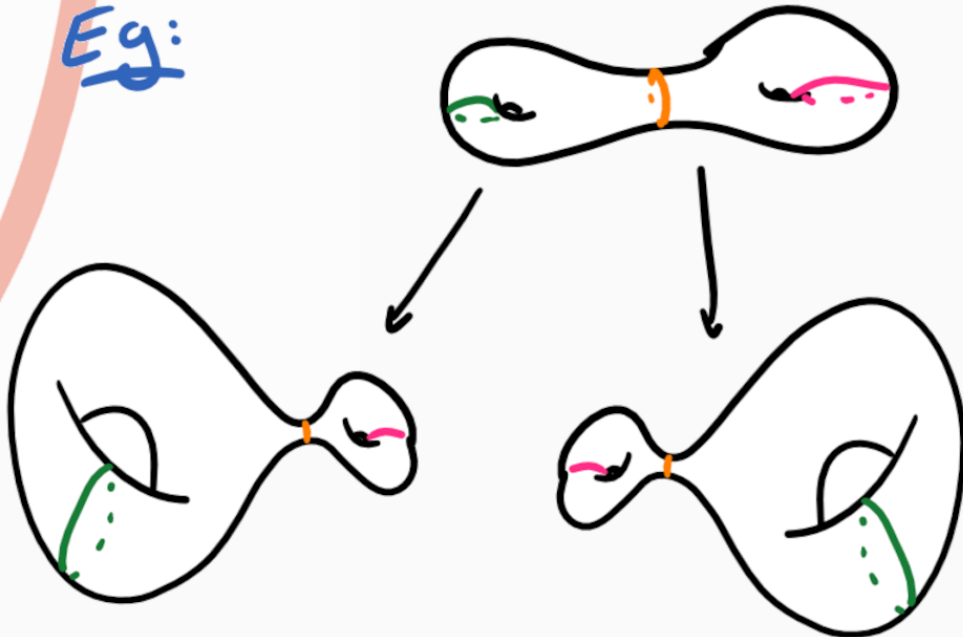
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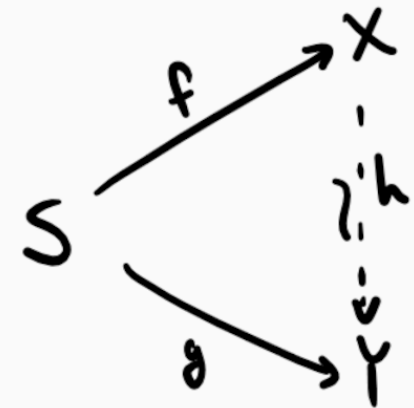


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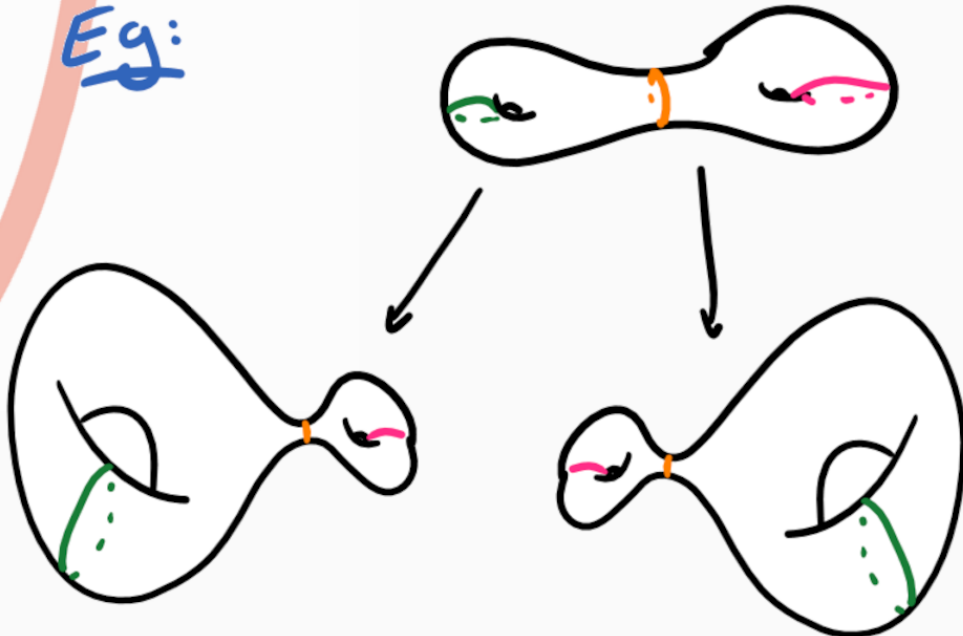
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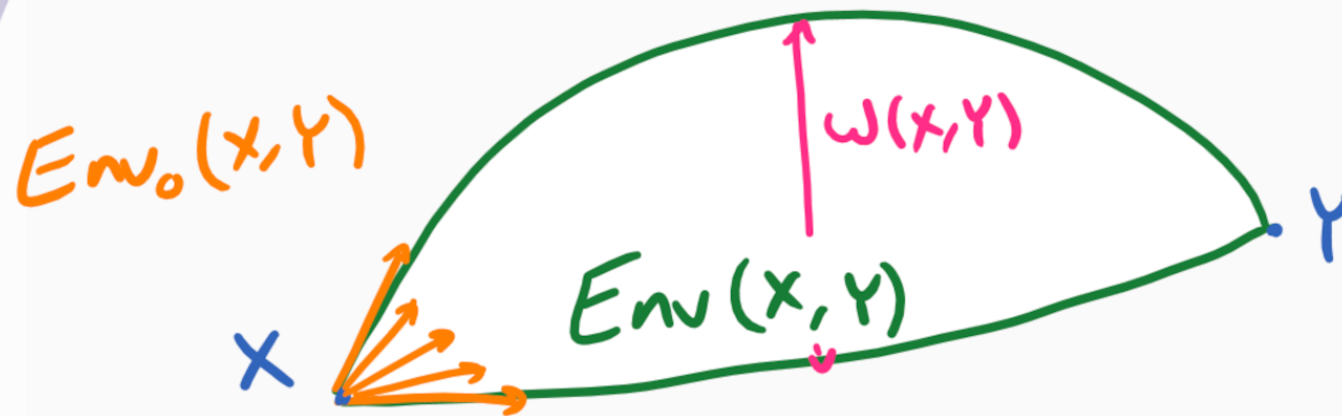
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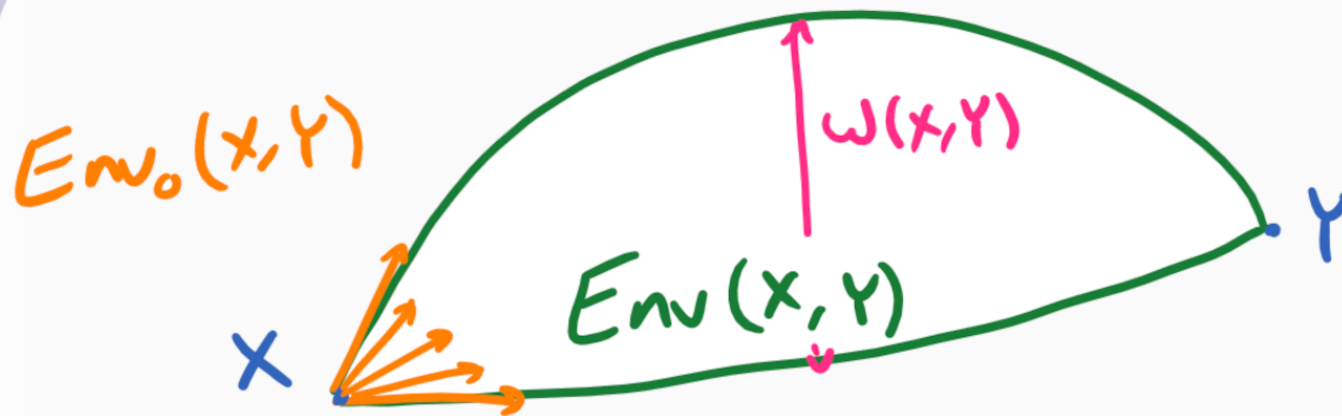


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Thu (Dumas, Lenzhen, Rafi, Tao '19)

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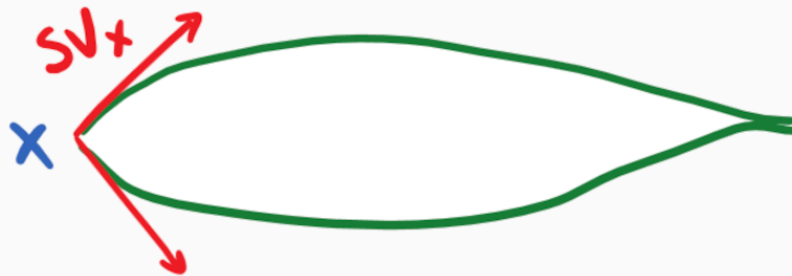
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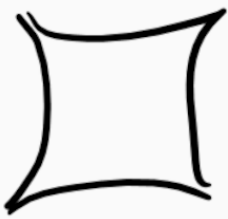
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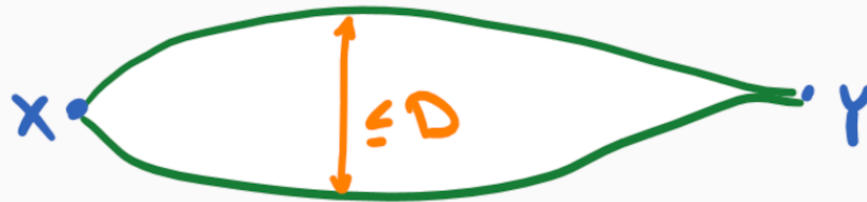
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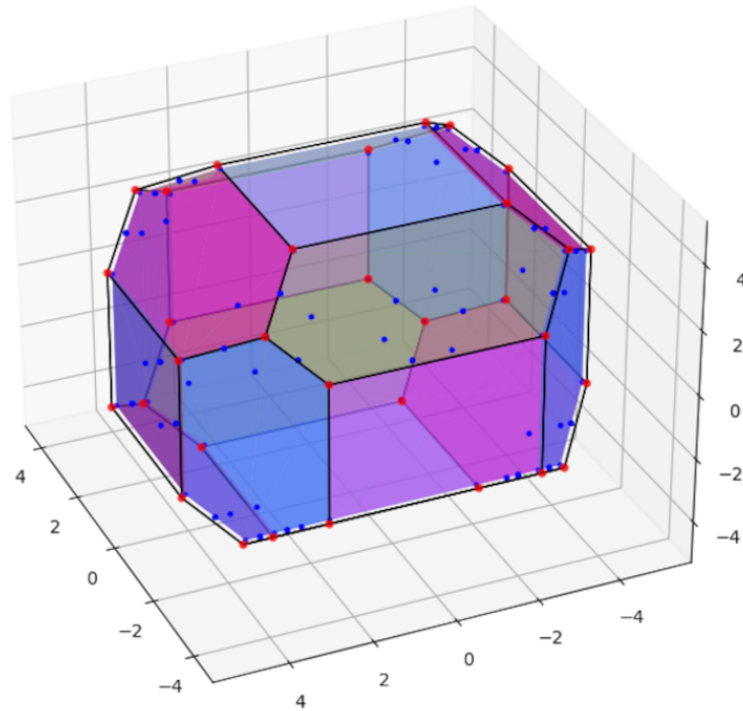
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Hopes and Dreams



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Boundaries at Infinity

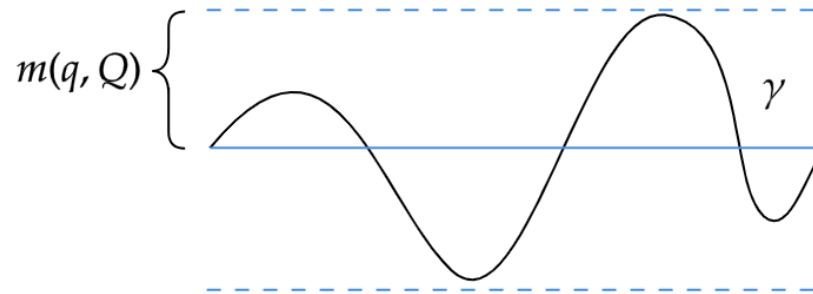
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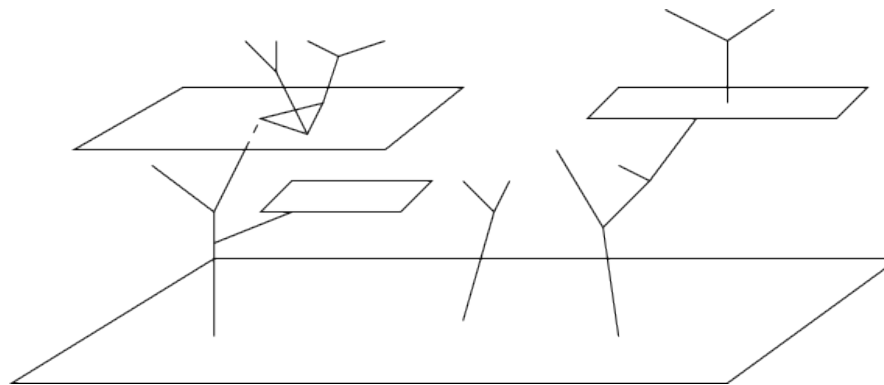
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Morse: invariant under quasi-isometry



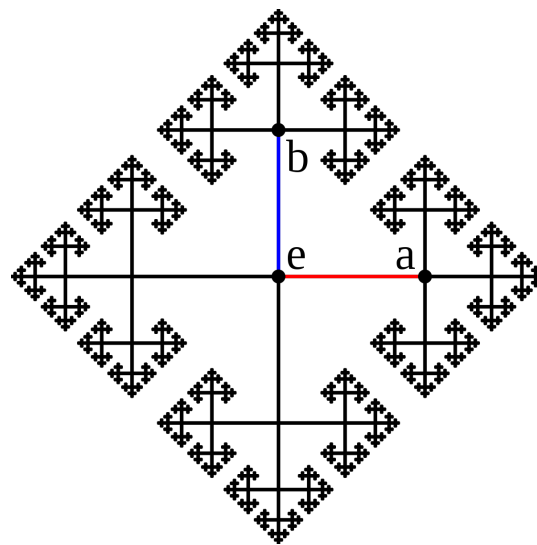
Sublinear: random walks converge to the sublinearly Morse boundary



The Gromov Boundary

Definition

The Gromov boundary of a hyperbolic metric space X is the set $\partial X = \{[\gamma] \mid \gamma \text{ is a geodesic ray}\}$.



The topology is generated by the following open neighbourhoods around $[\gamma]$:

$$U([\gamma], r) = \left\{ [\gamma'] \mid \liminf_{s,t \rightarrow \infty} (\gamma(s), \gamma'(t))_o \geq r \right\}.$$

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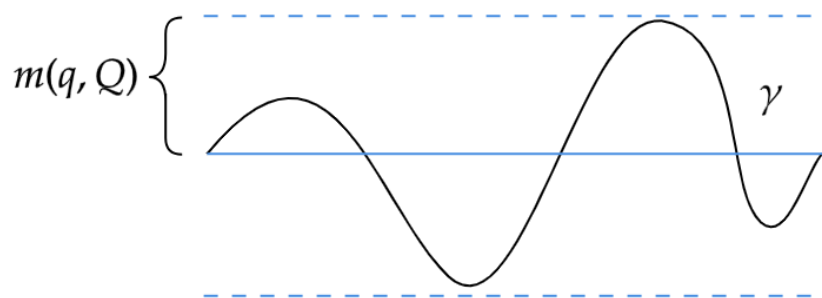
Theorem

Let X_1, X_2 be hyperbolic metric spaces, and let $f : X_1 \rightarrow X_2$ be a quasi-isometry. Then f induces a homeomorphism on the Gromov boundaries ∂X_1 and ∂X_2 .

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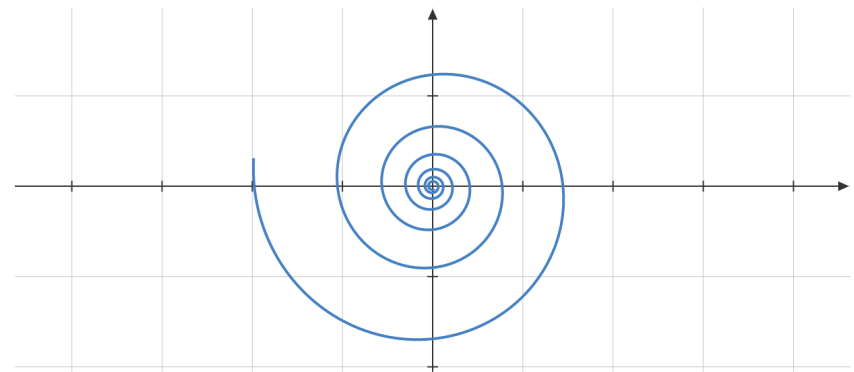
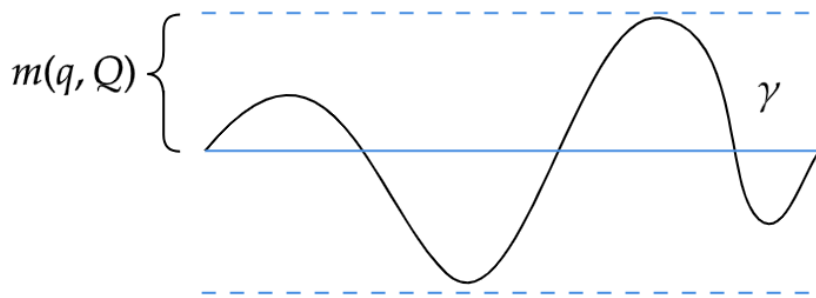
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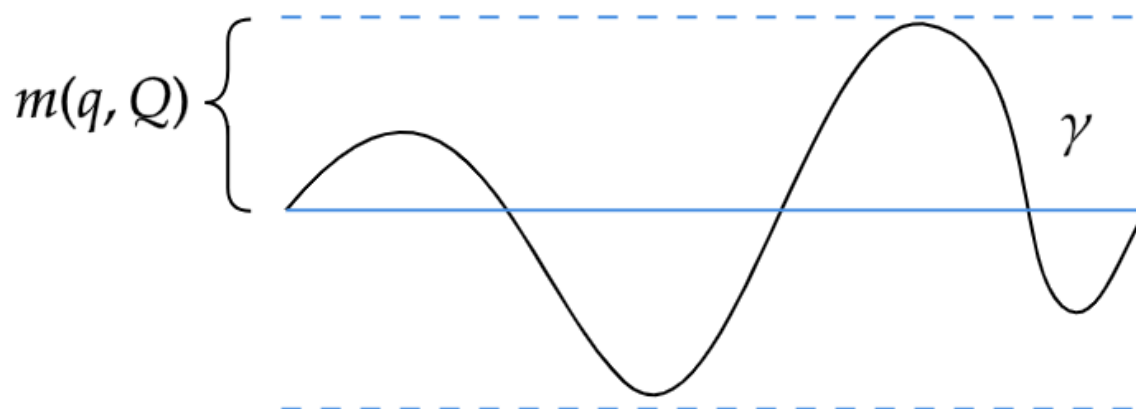
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Definition (Cashen-Mackay, Charney-Sultan, Cordes)

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Random Walks

Theorem (Kaimanovich)

In a hyperbolic group G , almost all sample paths $\{x_n\}$ of the random walk (G, μ) converge to a (random) point in the Gromov boundary.

The Tree of Flats

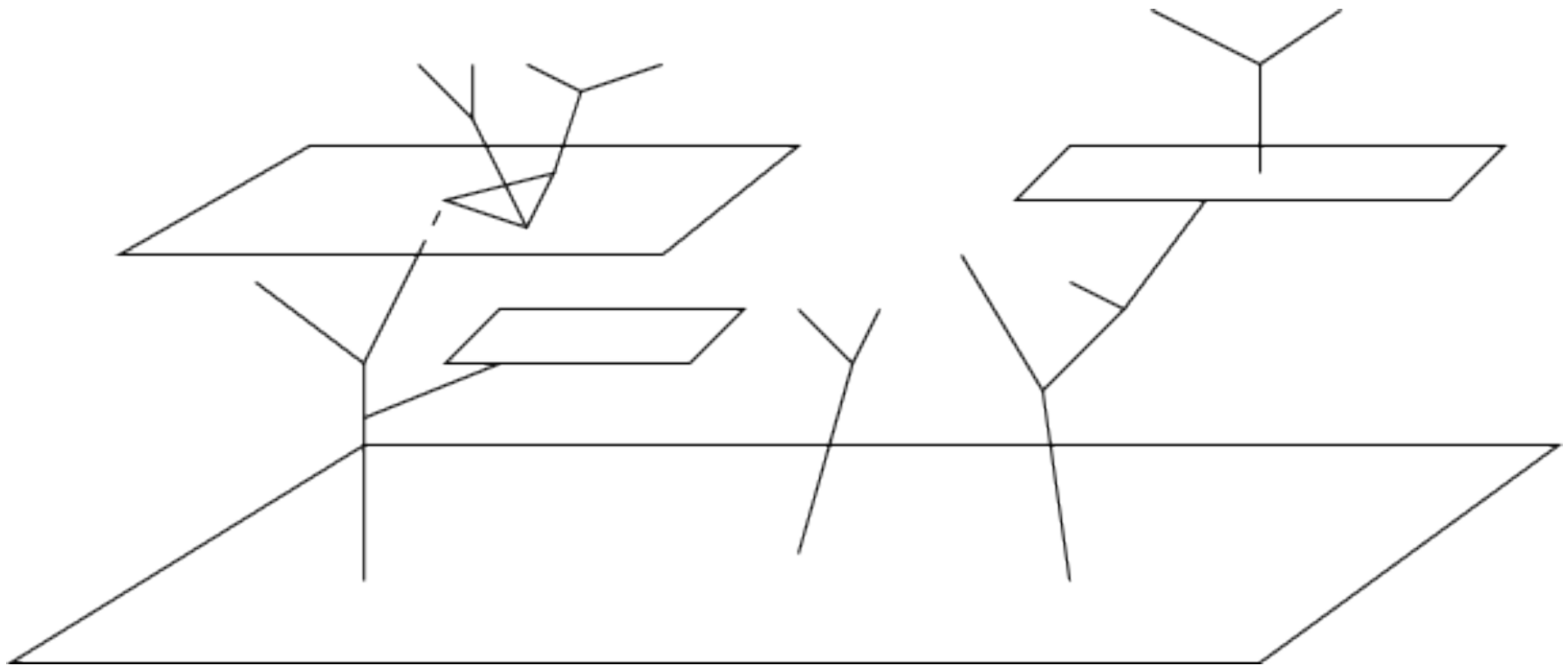
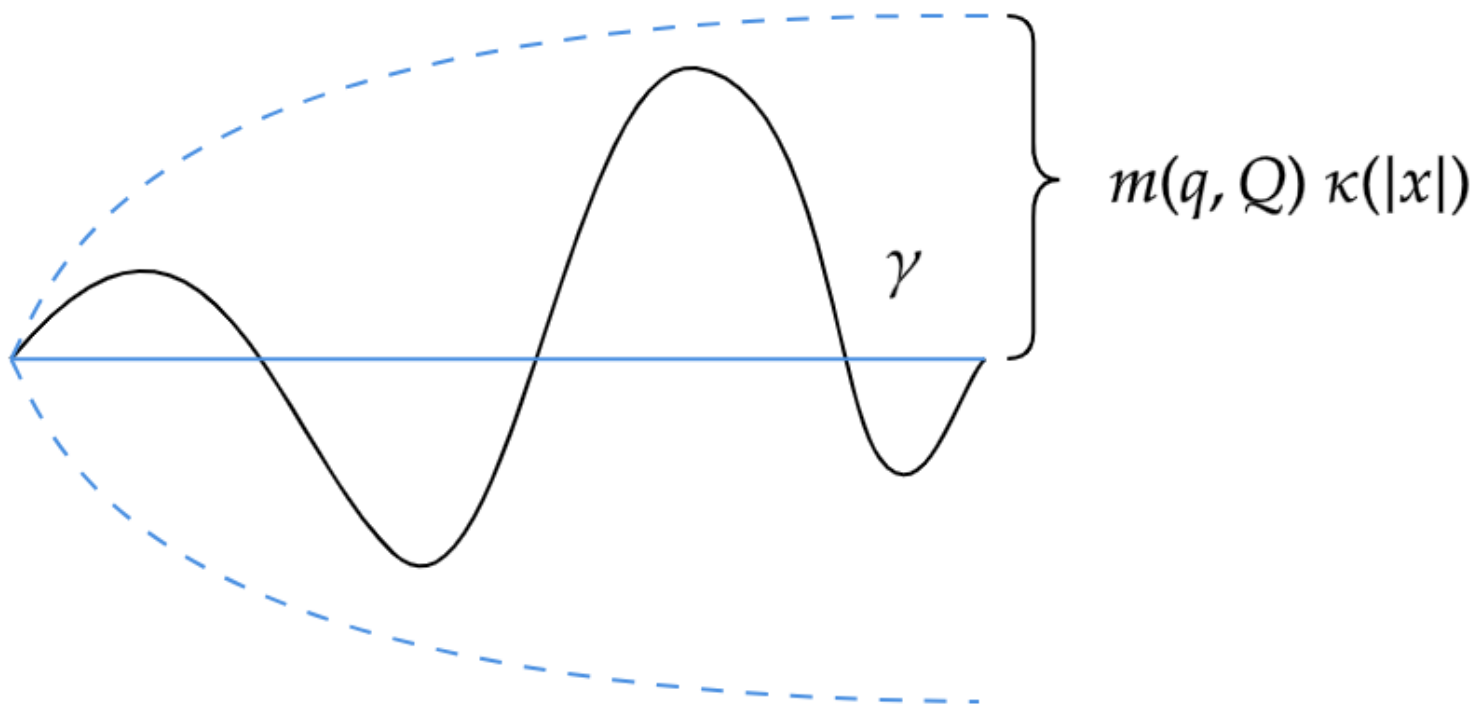


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Definition (Qing-Rafi-Tiozzo)

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Theorem (H.)

The sublinearly Morse boundary contains the Morse boundary as a topological subspace.

Summary: Boundaries

	Gromov Boundary	Morse Boundary	Sublinearly Morse Boundary
Compact	✓	✗	✗
Metrizable	✓	✓	✓
Invariant Under Quasi-Isometries	✓	✓	✓
Random Walk Converges	✓	✗	✓

Disk Configuration Spaces and Representation Stability

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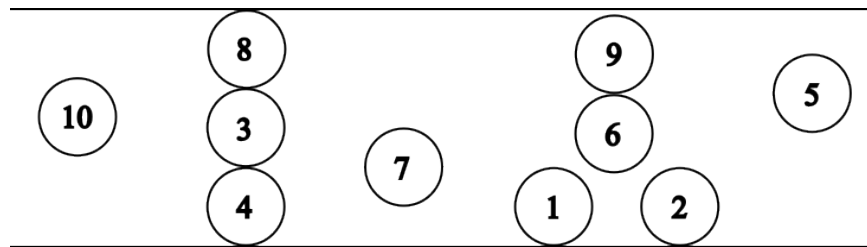
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- Easiest interesting example: $\text{conf}(n, w)$ the ordered configuration space of n open unit-diameter disks in the infinite Euclidean strip of width w



A point in $\text{conf}(10, 3)$

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Theorem (Church–Ellenberg–Farb 12, Miller–Wilson 19)

If X is a non-compact connected finite type manifold of dimension at least 2, then, for $n > 2k$, the decomposition of $H_k(F_n(X); \mathbb{Q})$ into a direct sum of irreducible S_n -representations is determined by the decomposition of $H_k(F_m(X); \mathbb{Q})$ into a direct sum of irreducible S_m -representations for every $m \leq 2k$.

- This is *representation stability*

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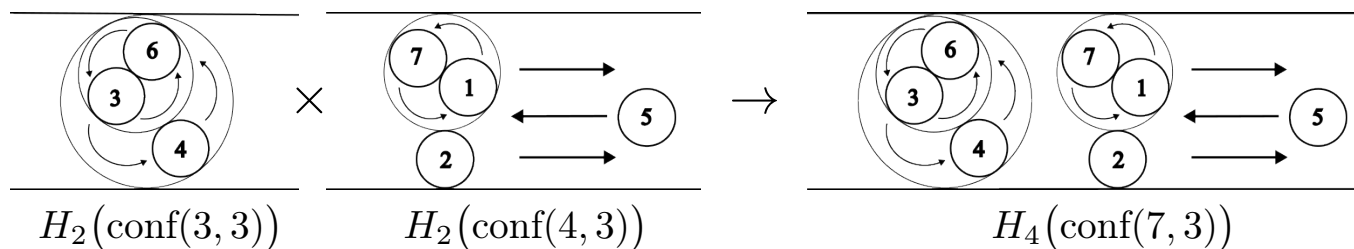
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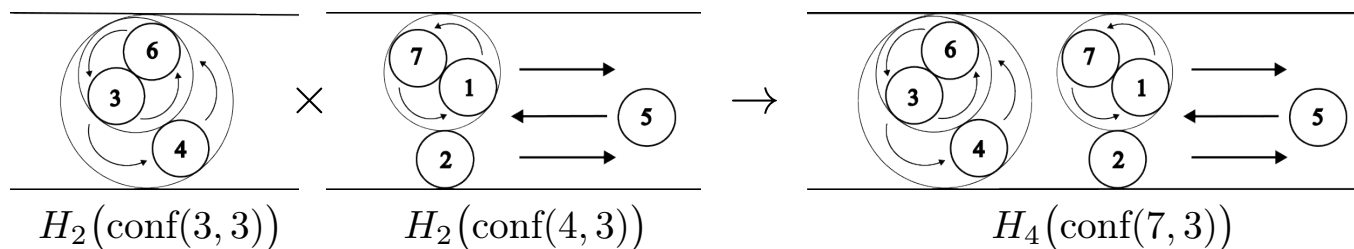
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The Legendrian Unknot in a tight contact 3-manifold.

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Eliashberg-Fraser Theorem.

Theorem (Eliashberg-Fraser)

Two Legendrian unknots in a tight contact 3-manifold (M, ξ) are Legendrian isotopic iff they have the same tb and Rot . Even more, every Legendrian unknot is obtained by the unique Legendrian unknot $L^{(0, -1)}$ with $Rot = 0$ and $tb = -1$ by a finite sequence of stabilizations.

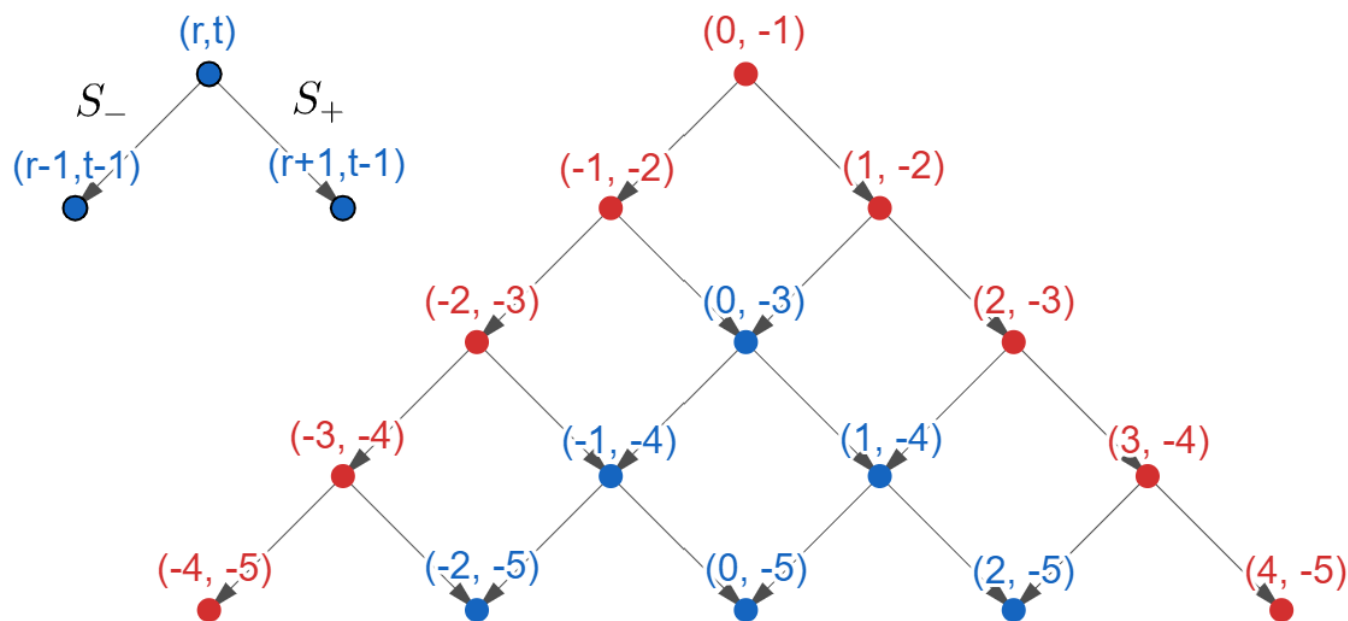


Figure: Eliashberg-Fraser Tartaglia Triangle.

The space of parametrized long Legendrian unknots.

Fix $(p, v) \in \mathbb{S}(\xi)$. Let $\mathbf{Emb}_{(p,v)}(M)$ be the space of embeddings $\gamma : \mathbb{S}^1 \rightarrow M$ of long unknots into M ; i.e. $(\gamma(0), \gamma'(0)) = (p, v)$. Let $\mathbf{Leg}_{(p,v)}^{(r,t)}(M, \xi)$ be the subspace of $\mathbf{Emb}_{(p,v)}(M)$ conformed by Legendrian unknots with $\text{Rot} = r$ and $\text{tb} = t$. Do note that both spaces are connected.

Theorem (F, Martínez-Aguinaga, Presas. 20/21)

If (M, ξ) is tight and $(|r|, t) = (-1 - t, t)$ then the natural inclusion

$$\mathbf{Leg}_{(p,v)}^{(r,t)}(M, \xi) \hookrightarrow \mathbf{Emb}_{(p,v)}(M)$$

is a homotopy equivalence.

Corollary

The space of parametrized Legendrian unknots with $\text{tb} = -1$ in $(\mathbb{S}^3, \xi_{\text{std}})$ is homotopy equivalent to the space of parametrized Legendrian great circles $\mathbf{U}(2)$.

The space of smooth parametrized unknots in \mathbb{S}^3 is homotopy equivalent to the space of parametrized great circles $V_{4,2}$ (Hatcher, Smale Conjecture).

About the proof.

Let $\mathbf{Emb}(\mathbb{D}^2, M)$ be the space of smooth embeddings of disks that are fixed near the boundary bounding a Legendrian unknot with $(\text{Rot}, \text{tb}) = (r, t)$ and $\mathbf{Emb}_{\text{std}}^{(r,t)}(\mathbb{D}^2, (M, \xi))$ be the subspace of convex disks with fixed characteristic foliation (pick your favourite one).

There is a commutative diagram

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Emb}_{\text{std}}^{(r,t)}(\mathbb{D}^2, (M, \xi)) & \longrightarrow & \Omega\mathcal{L}\text{eg}_{(p,v)}^{(r,t)}(M, \xi) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \mathbf{Emb}(\mathbb{D}^2, M) & \longrightarrow & \Omega\mathbf{Emb}_{(p,v)}(M) \end{array}$$

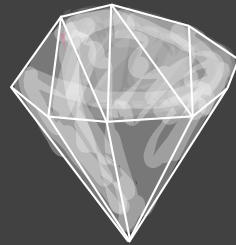
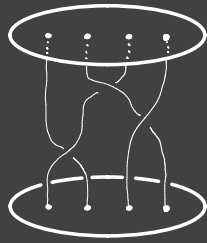
in which the horizontal arrows are h.e.

About the proof.

We are reduced to check that $\mathbf{Emb}_{\text{std}}^{(r,t)}(\mathbb{D}^2, (M, \xi)) \hookrightarrow \mathbf{Emb}(\mathbb{D}^2, M)$ is a h.e.

- The condition on (r, t) that we have imposed imply that the inclusion is **dense**.
- **Locally** (in a tubular neighbourhood of a smooth disk) the problem is solved as a consequence of Eliashberg-Mishachev and Hatcher works.
- To globalize we build a **microfibration** with fiber the space of isotopies joining a smooth disk with a convex one in a tubular neighbourhood of the smooth disk. The fiber is $\neq \emptyset$ because of the density property and contractible. Therefore, we have a fibration with contractible fiber. □

Thanks for listening!



The Burau Representation and Shapes of Polyhedra

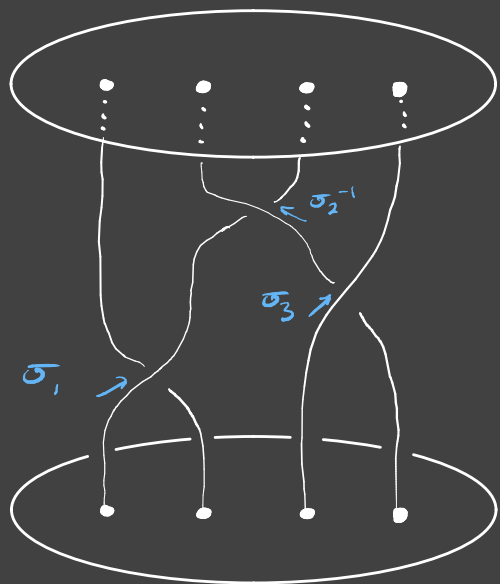
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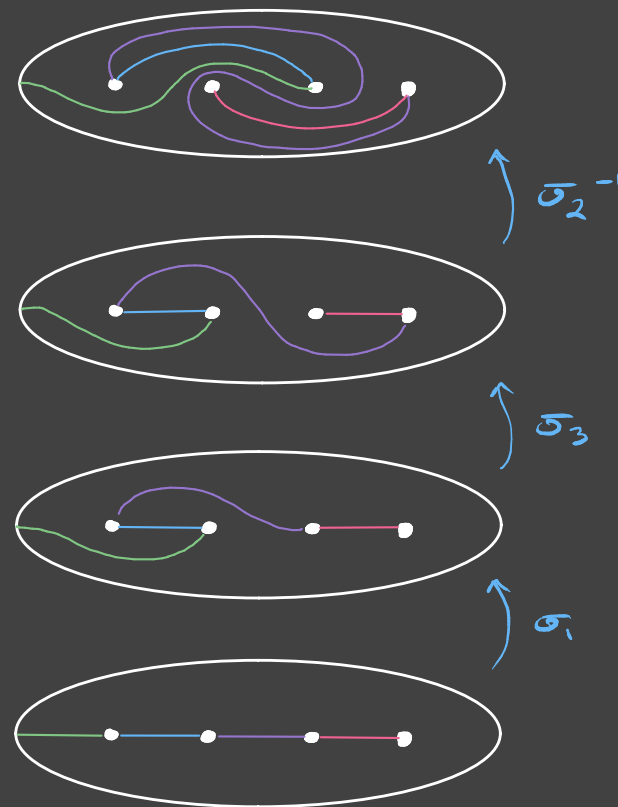
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Braid groups : two perspectives

Braid diagrams



Mapping class groups



Theorem $B_n \cong \text{MCG}(D_n)$

The Burau representation

It's a representation of braid groups

$$\beta_n: B_n \rightarrow GL_{n-1}(\mathbb{Z}[t^{\pm}])$$

via

$$\beta_n(\sigma_i) = I_{i-2} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ t & -t & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \oplus I_{n-i-2}$$

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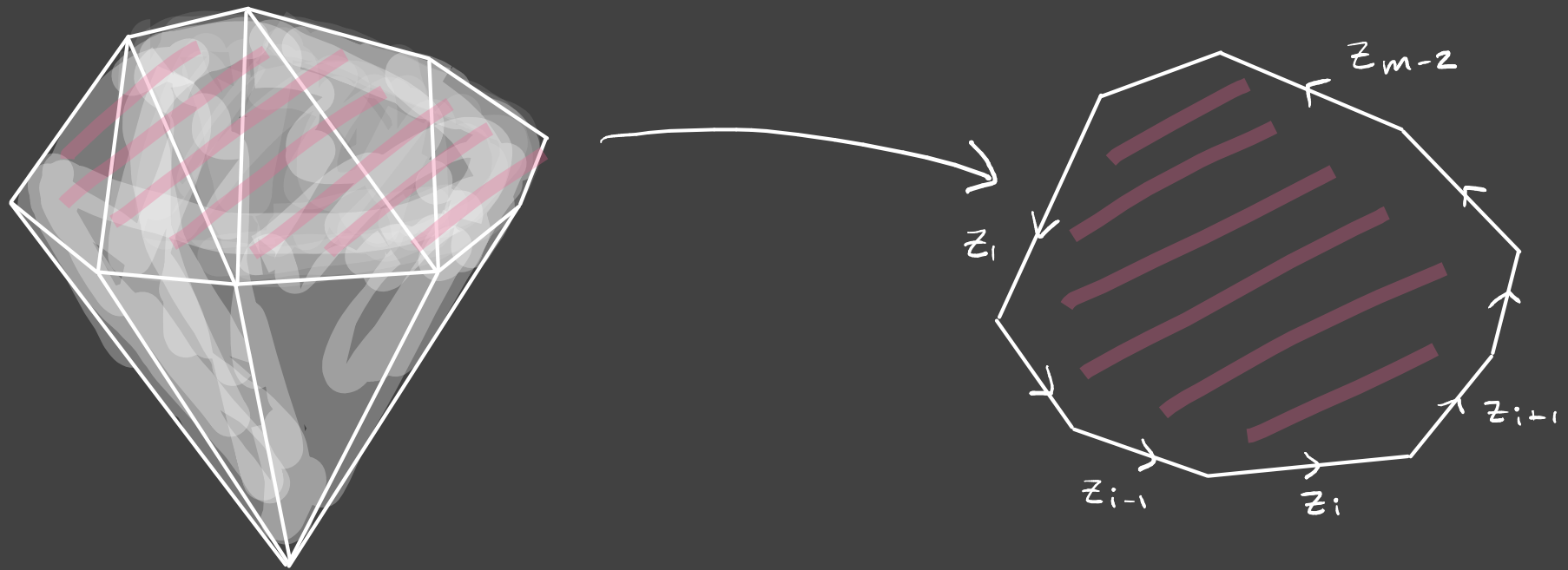
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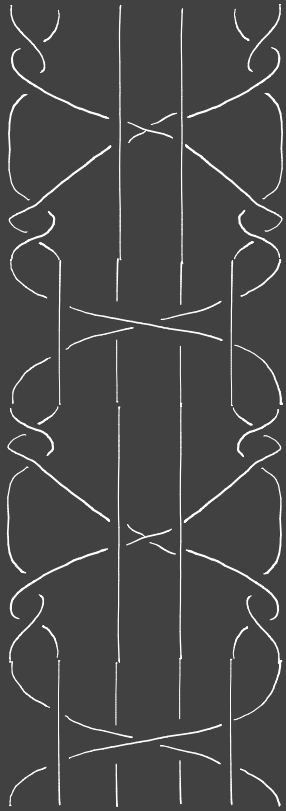
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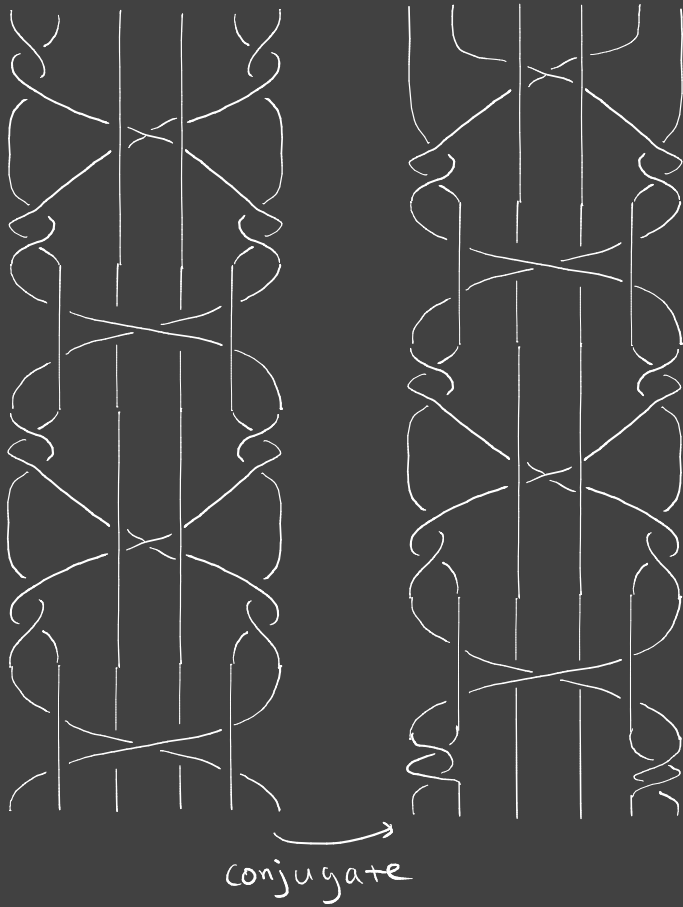
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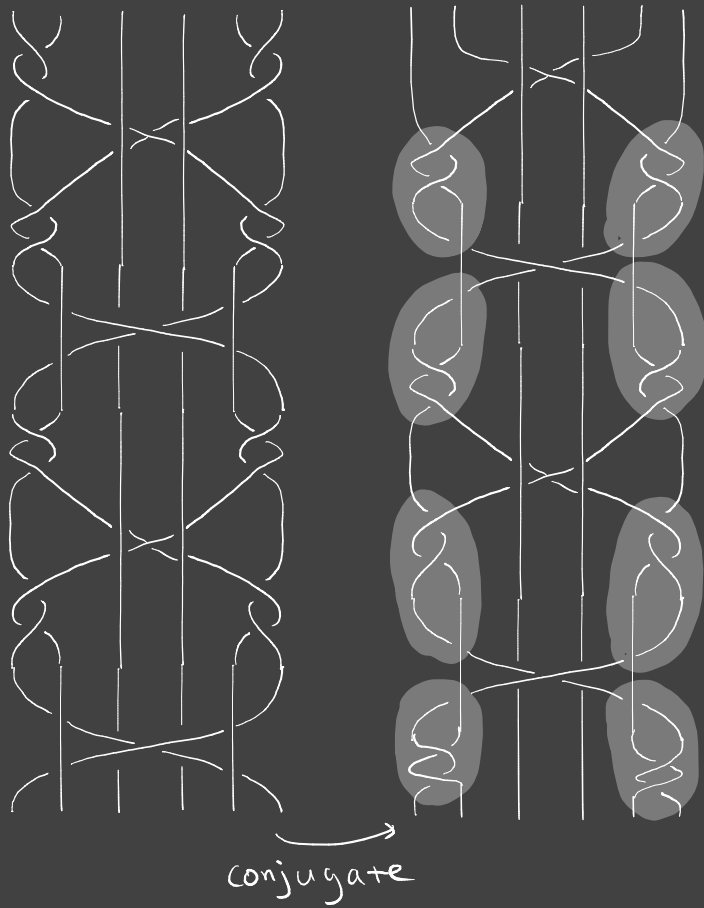
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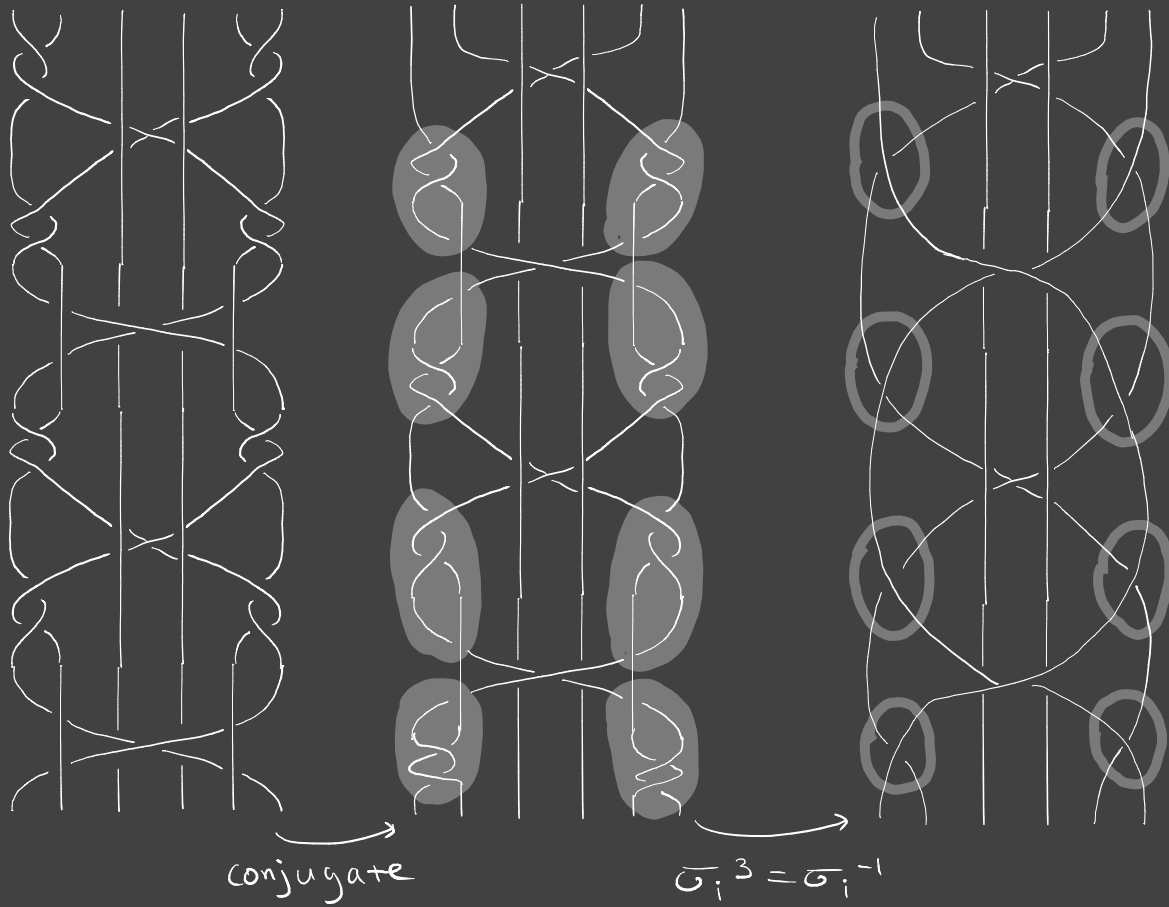
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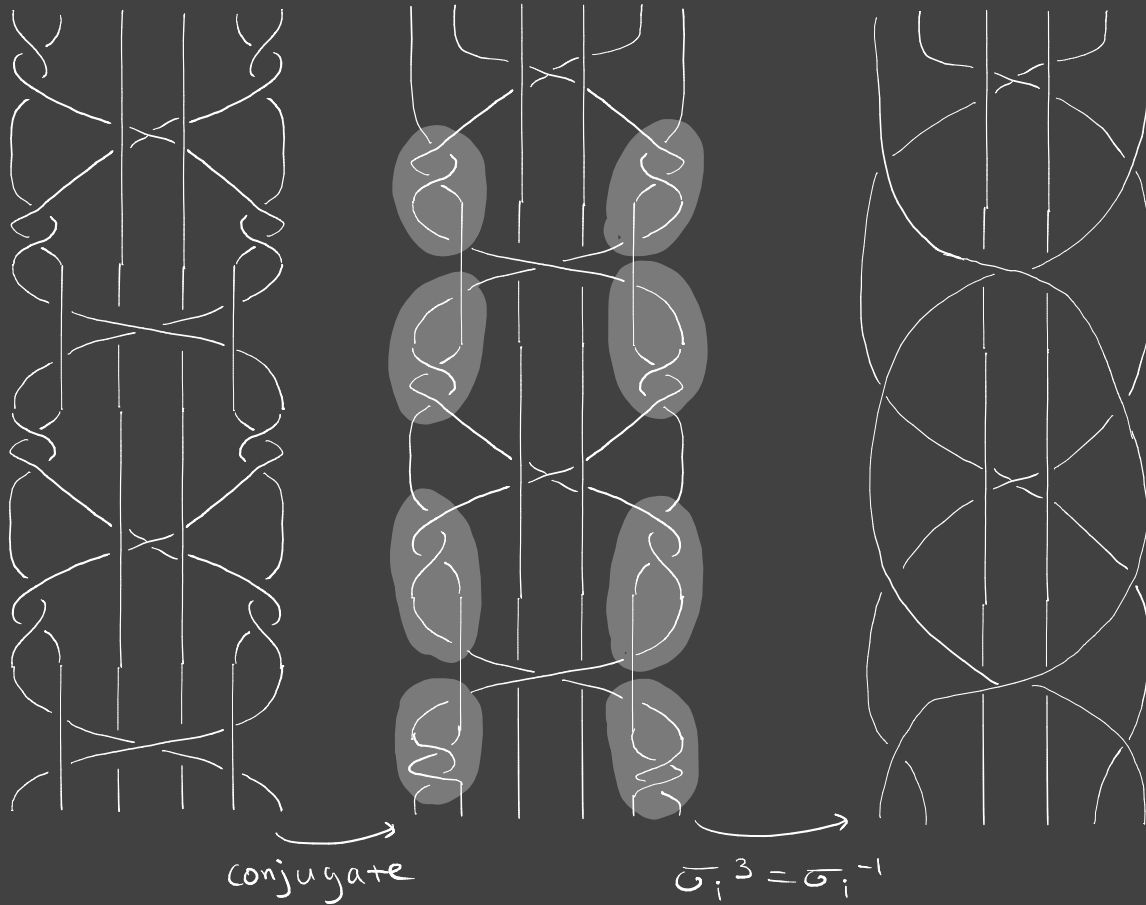
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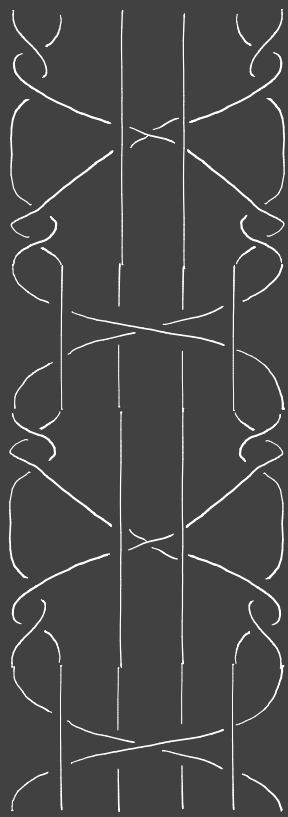
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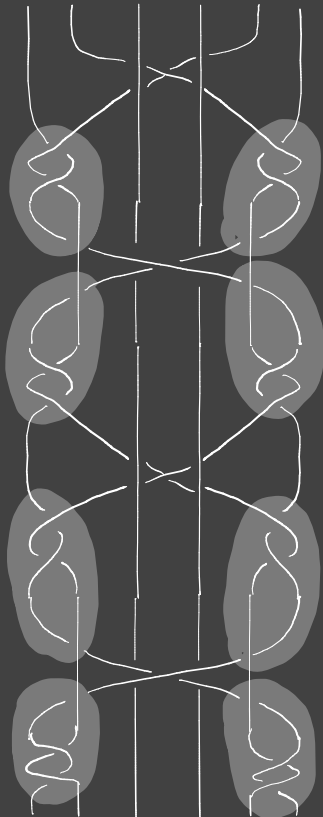


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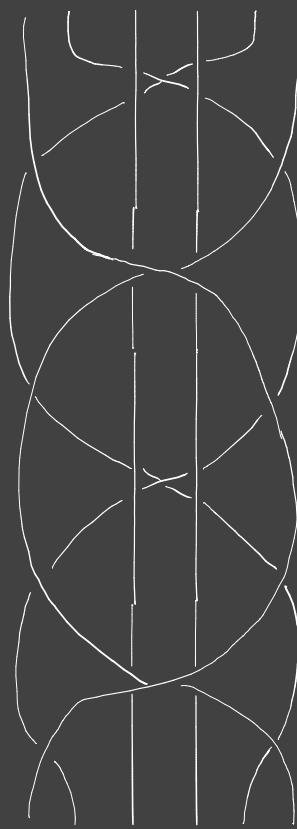
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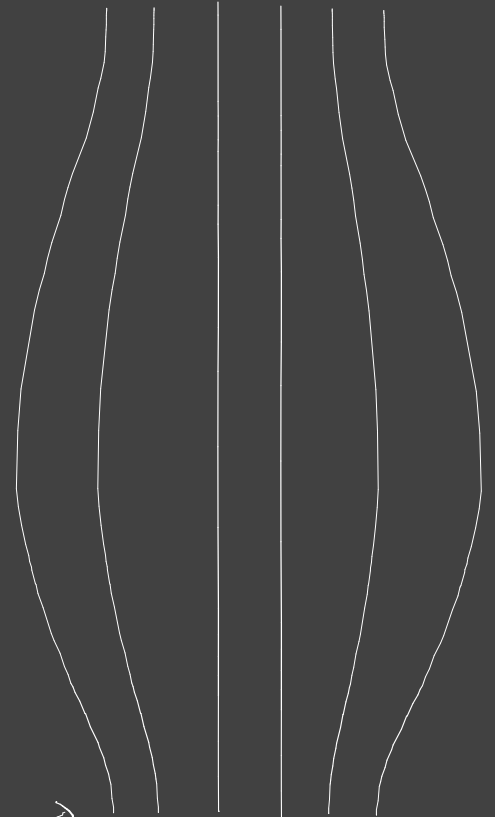
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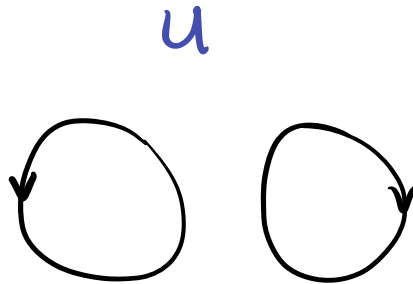
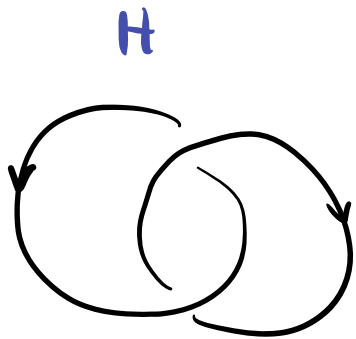
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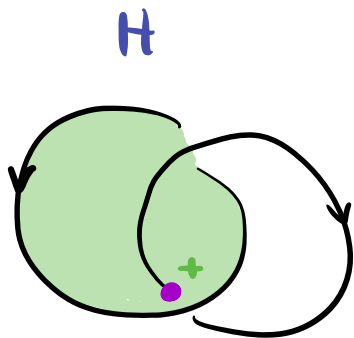


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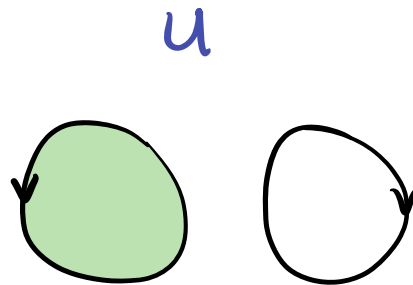
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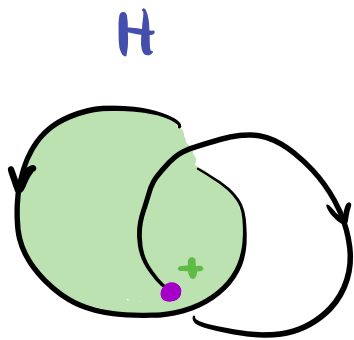
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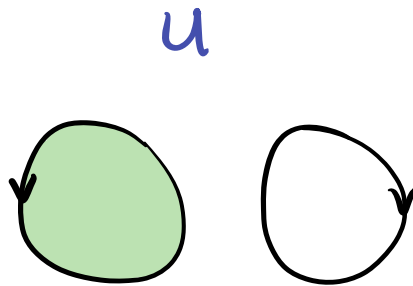
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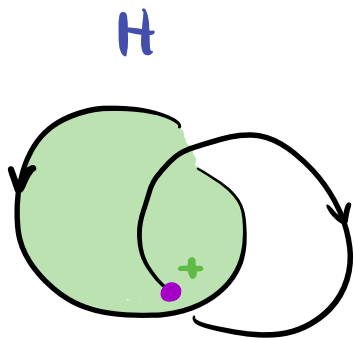
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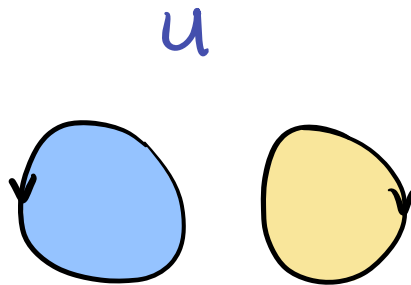
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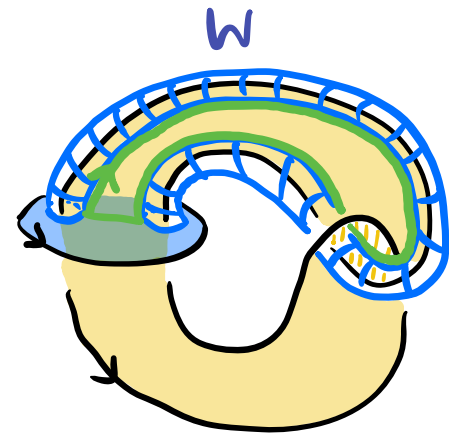


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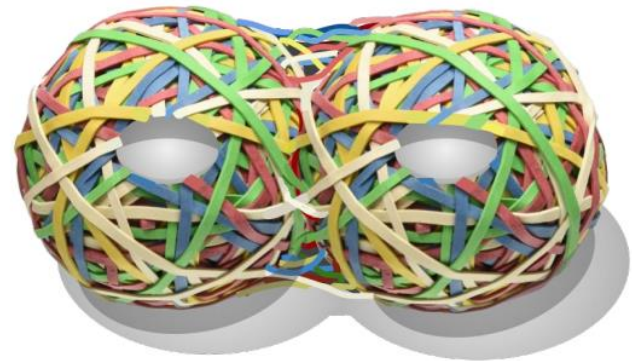
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Automorphisms of the fine 1-curve graph

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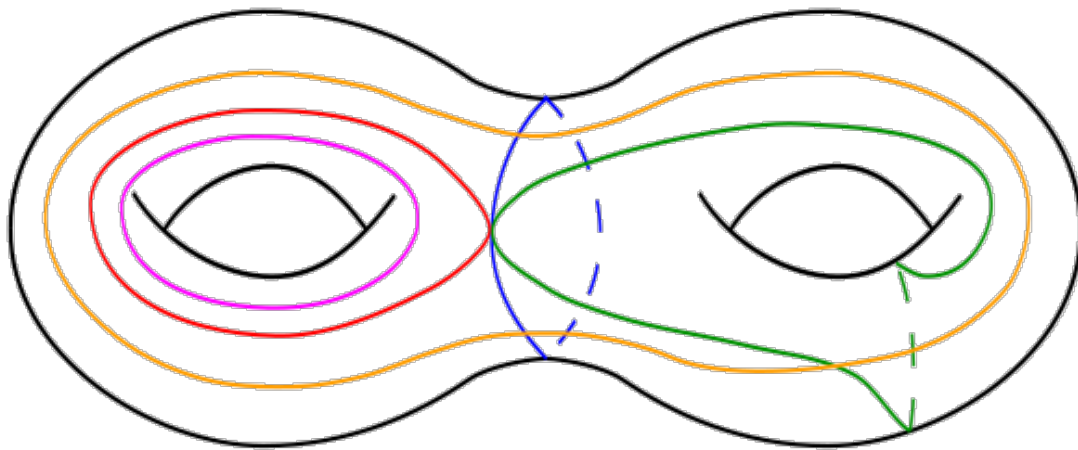
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Surface \leftrightarrow graph

Main Theorem:

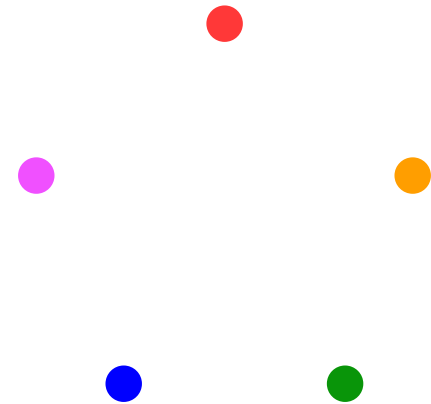
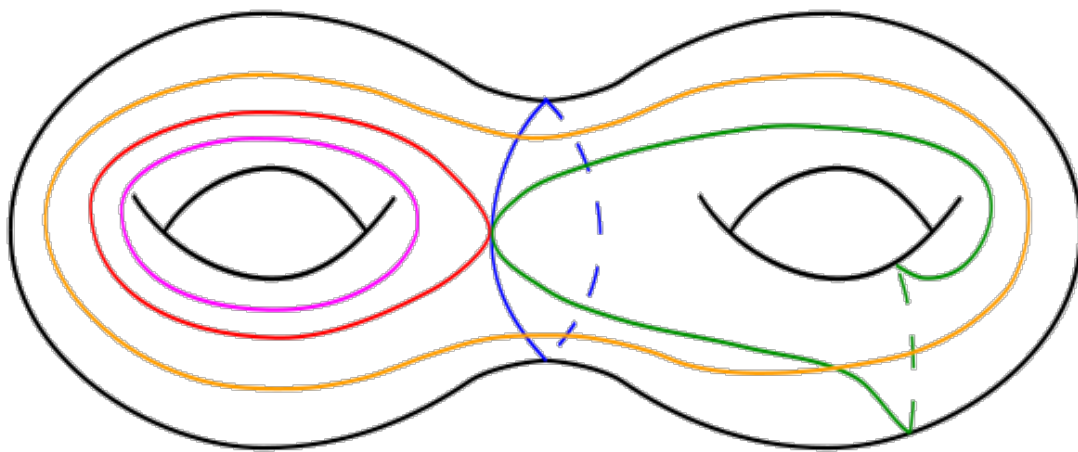
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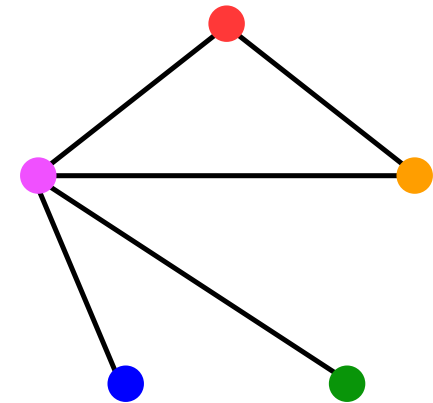
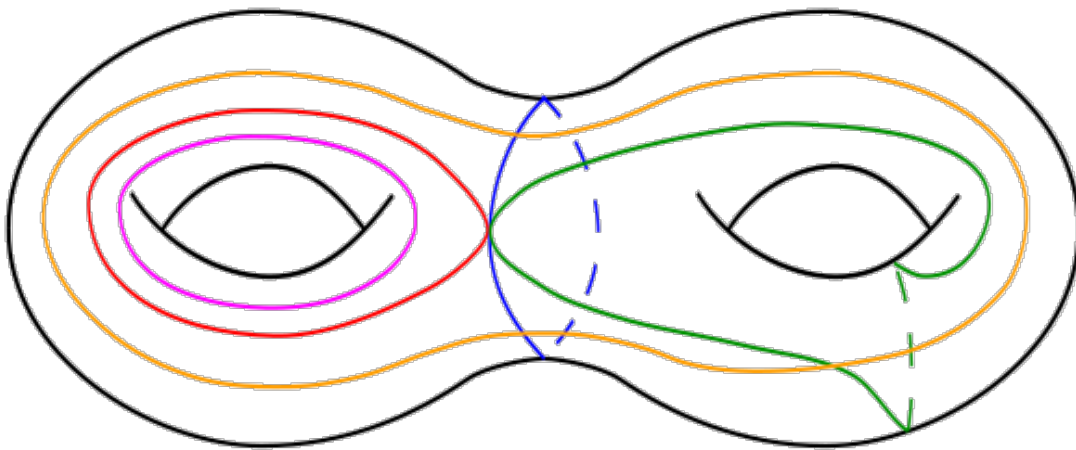
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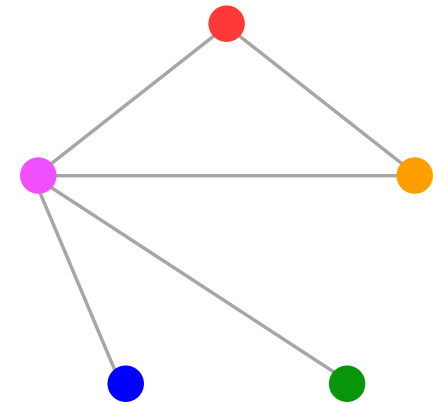
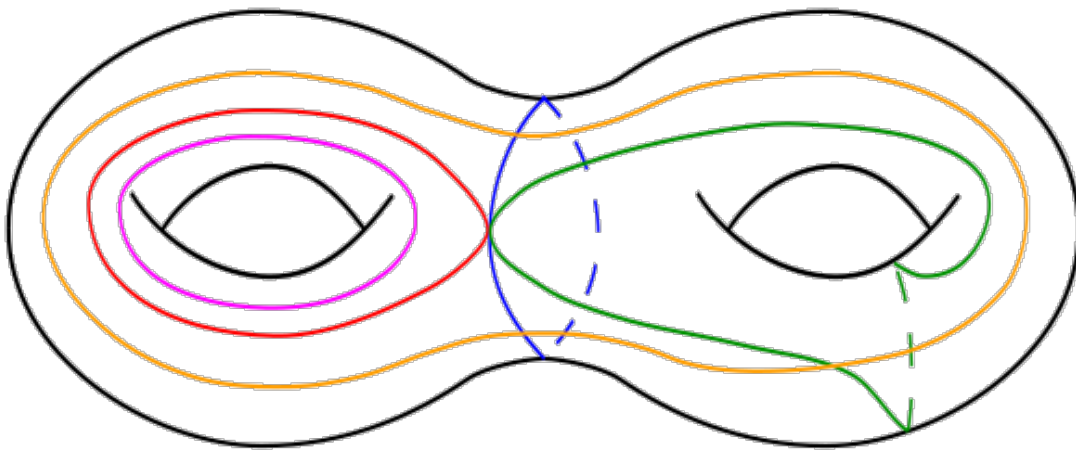


(Bowden-Hensel-Webb)

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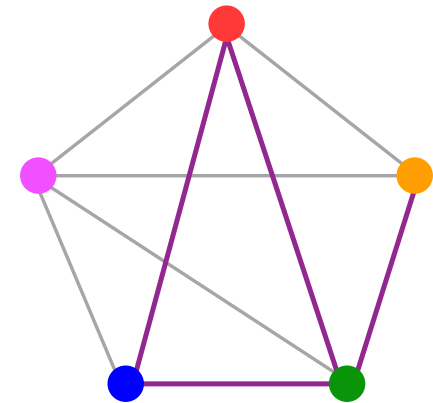
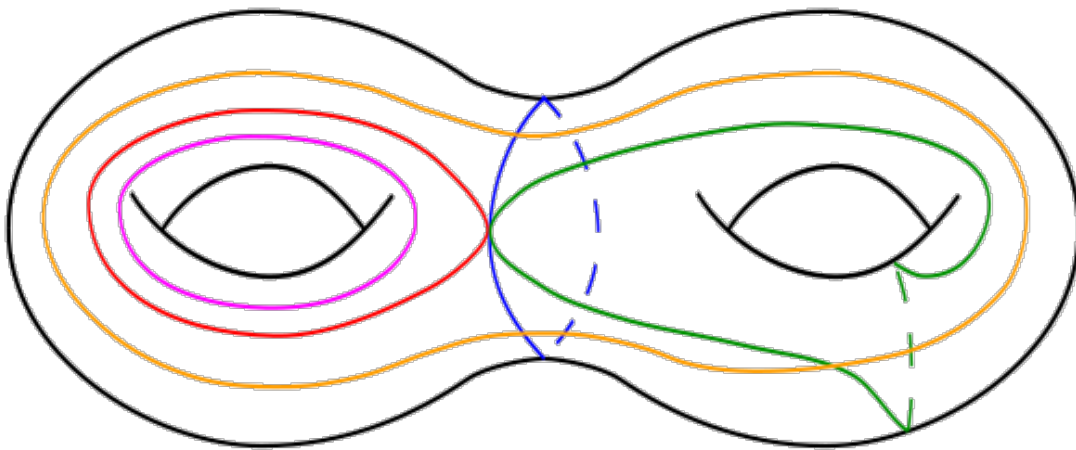
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Main Theorem (Booth-Minahan-S.)

S = closed, oriented surface, genus ≥ 1 .

Then, the natural map

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is an isomorphism.

Similar theorem: Le Roux-Wolff

Proof outline, $g > 1$

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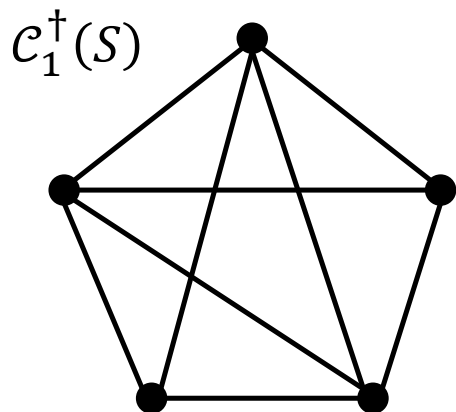
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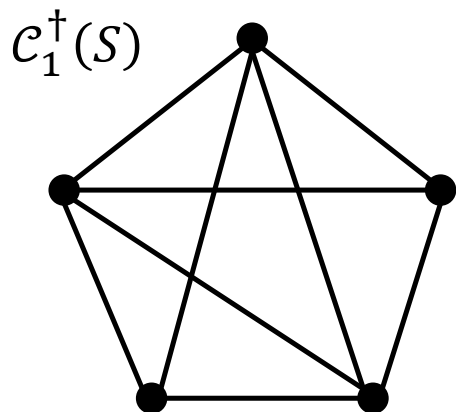
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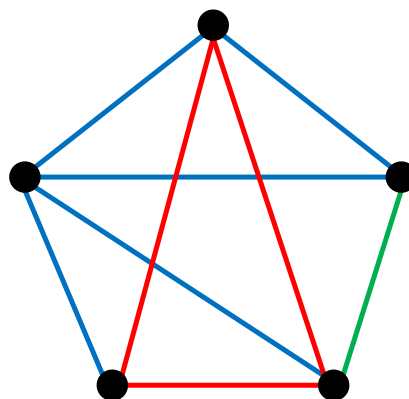
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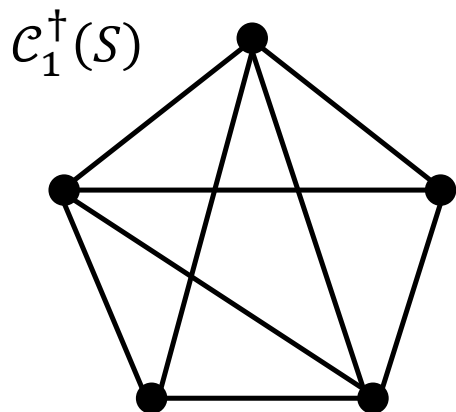
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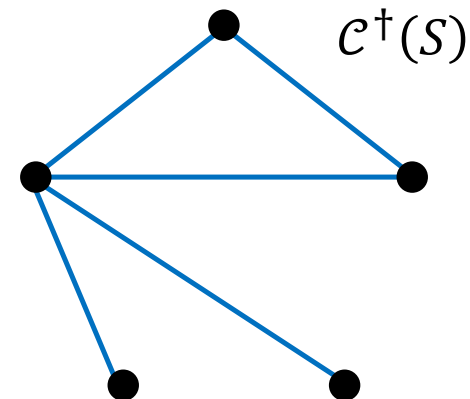
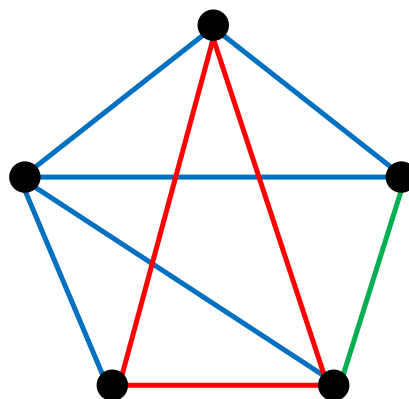
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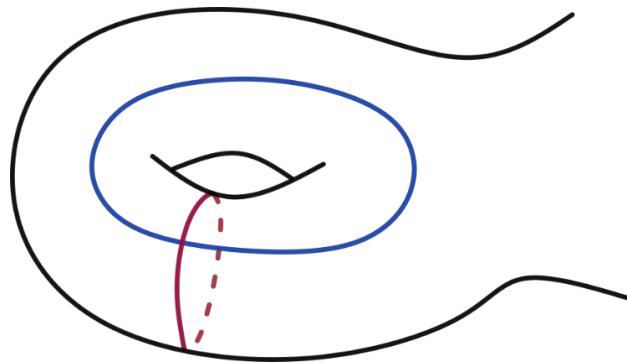
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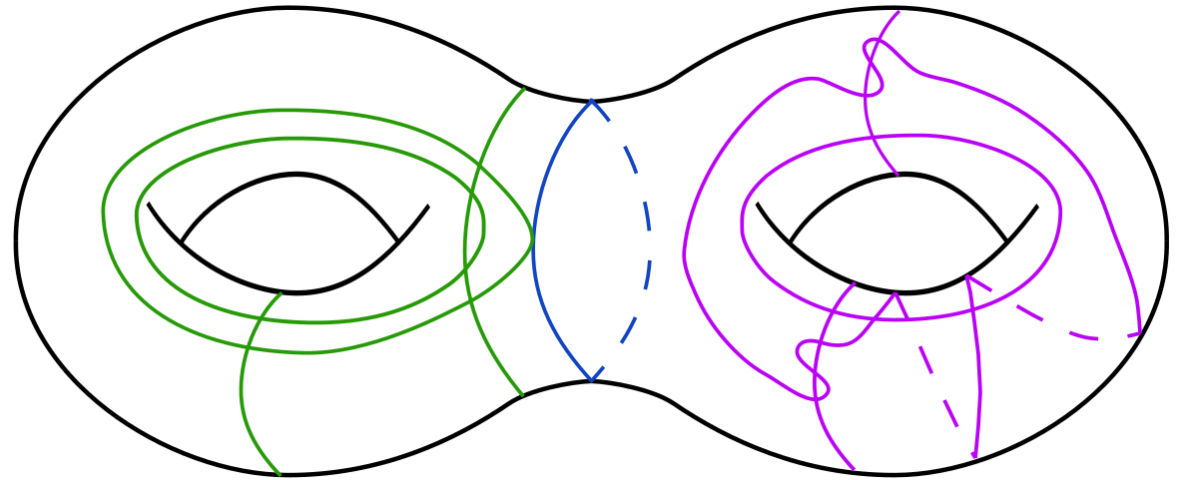


Main idea: look at graph structures surrounding
the pair of curves

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Steps: distinguish...

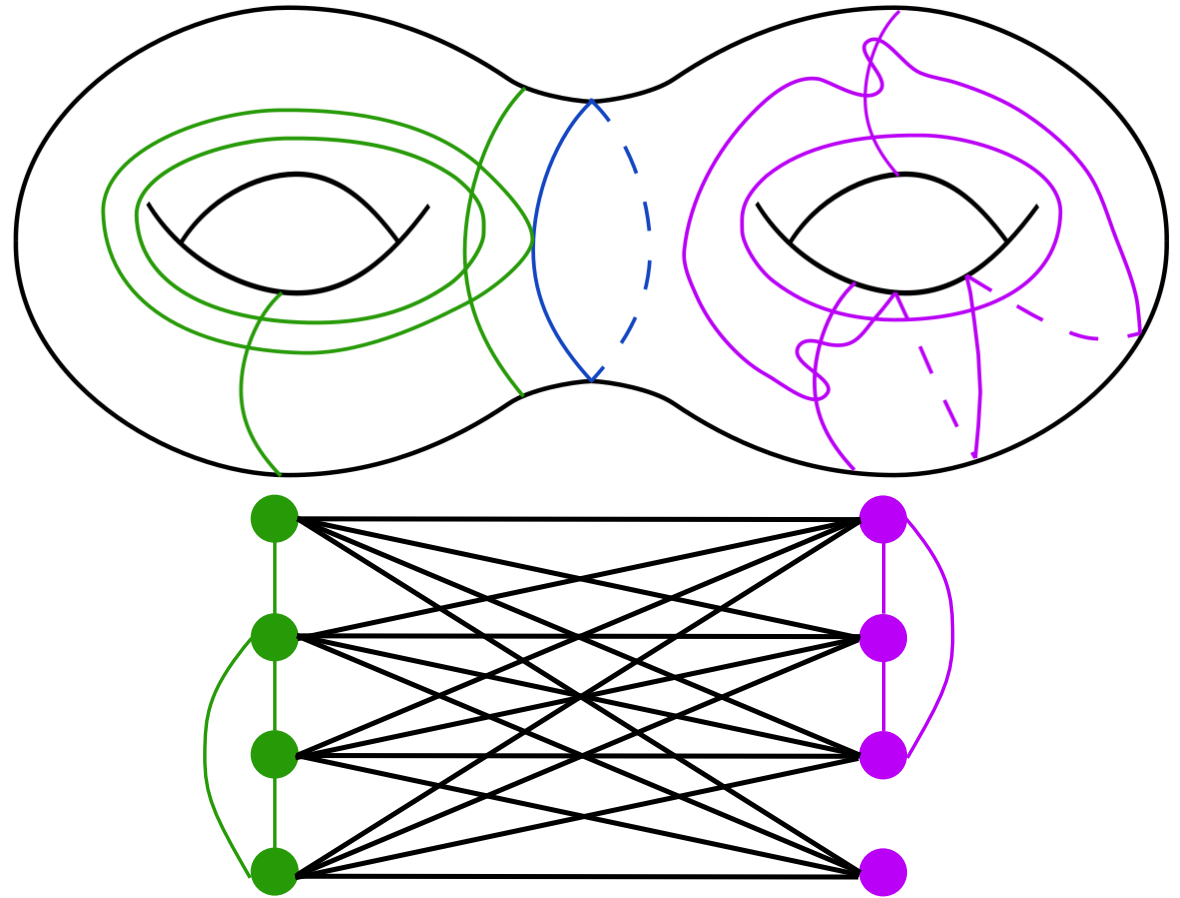
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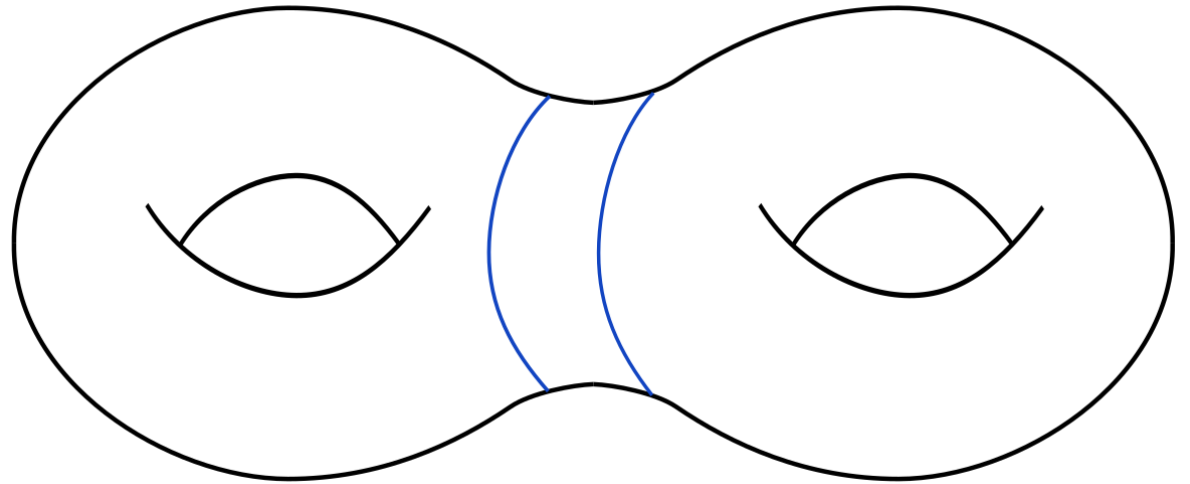
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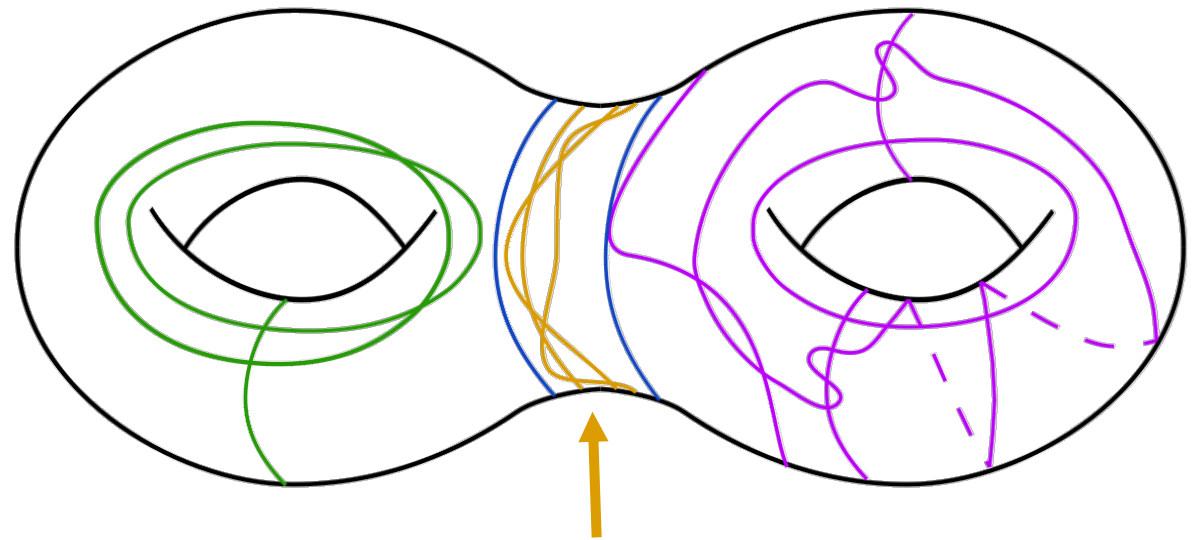
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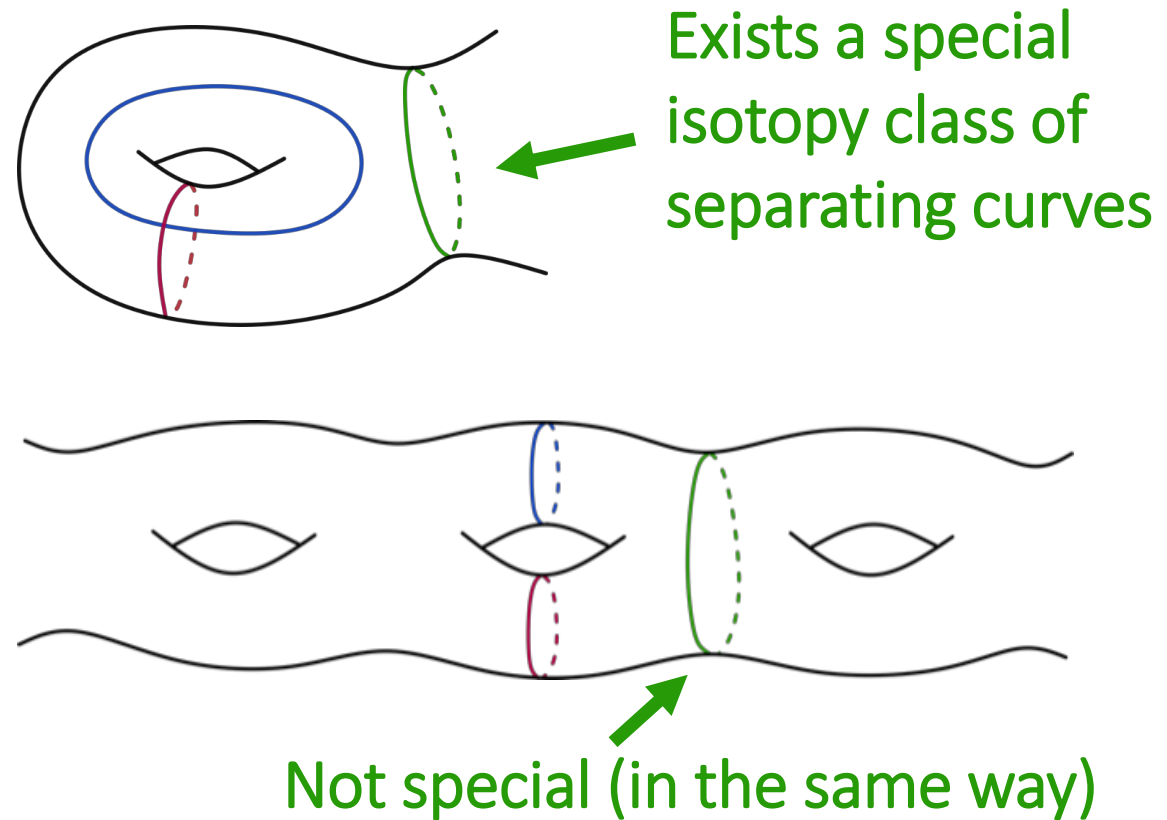


Only separating curves

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2. isotopy classes of separating curves
3. crossing curves



Proof outline, $g > 1$

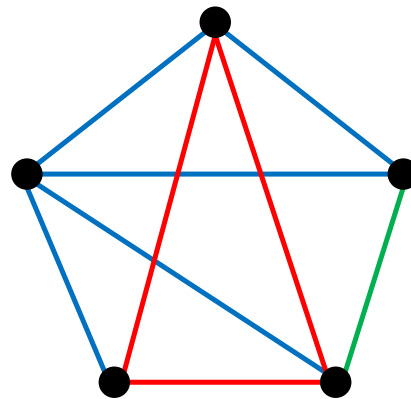
$$\text{Aut}(c_1^\dagger(S)) \rightarrow \text{Aut}(c^\dagger(S)) \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Homeo}(S)$$

Edges:

Disjoint

Touching

✓ Crossing



Thank you!

