

Lecture 17: Applications of verified hyp str.

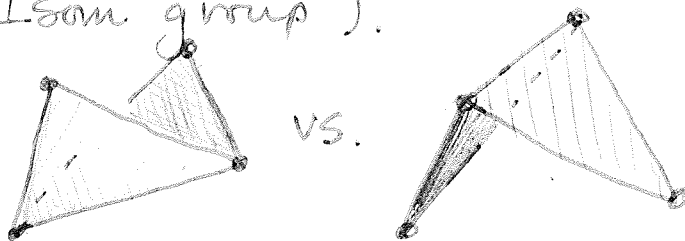
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[Finish Demo?]

Setting: $[Z]$ in $(\mathbb{H}\mathbb{C})^n$ which, by Krawczyk, contains a sol'n to edge and cusp eqns for J with each $\text{Im}(z_i) > 0$.

Applications: Rigorous methods for

A) Finding canon. cellulation (\Rightarrow solve homeo prob, commute Isom group).



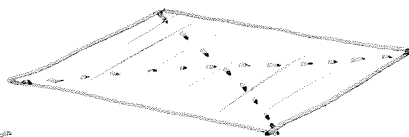
Works well when it is a triangulation

[Hoffmann-Licata-D]. But more general

cells are a problem

since equality in

$\mathbb{H}\mathbb{R}$ is gen. meaningless.



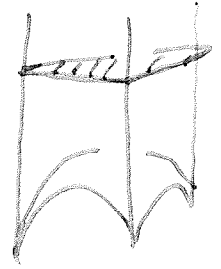
Fallback: exact sol'ns in some # field.

B) Find all non hyperbolic Dehn fillings (assume one cusp).

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Point: have very accurate desc. of T , a cross-section, horotorus, so can find all slopes

where $\frac{\text{len}(\alpha)}{\sqrt{\text{area}(T)}} \leq 7.6$



To get a finite set of slopes to examine.

With T embedded, can also apply

[Gromov-Thurston] If $\text{len}(\alpha) \geq 2\pi$ then $M(\alpha)$ has a metric of neg. curve \Rightarrow hyp.

[Agol-Lackenby] If $\text{len}(\alpha) \geq 6$ then same.

C) Solve the word problem in $\pi_1 M$.

G a gp gen by s_1, \dots, s_n

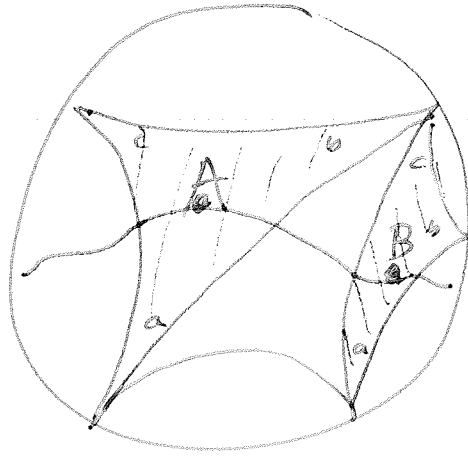
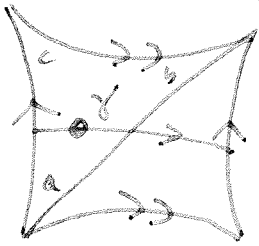
w a word in S :

Q: Is $w = 1$ in G ?

Recall: $M = \mathbb{H}^3 / \rho(\pi_1 M)$ where $\rho: \pi_1 M \rightarrow \text{Isom}^+(\mathbb{H}^3)$

is the holonomy rep'n. [How do find hol reps?]

Compute via the developing map:



$\rho(\gamma)$ takes A to B.

So: If $[Z]$ contains the hyp str for J

then get $\rho: \pi_1 M \rightarrow \text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{C})$ \leftarrow $\det \neq 0$
not clsd under mult.

with caveats: \uparrow really $\text{FreeGrp}(S = (s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n))$

Given $w \in \text{FreeGrp}(S)$ look at $\rho(w)$.

If $I \notin \rho(w)$ then $w \neq 1$ in $\pi_1 M$.

Thm [D] Suppose $\text{tr}(\rho([s_1, s_2]))$ does not contain 2.

If w is a word in S with

$$|\text{tr}^2(\rho(w)) - 4| + |\text{tr}([\rho(s_i), \rho(w)]) - 2| < 1$$

for $i=1,2$, then $w=1$ in $\pi_1 M$.

Easy cor of Jørgensen's inequality: If A, B in $\text{PSL}_2(\mathbb{C})$ generate a discrete nonelementary subgroup, then

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$$|\operatorname{tr}^2(A) - 4| + |\operatorname{tr}([A, B]) - 2| \geq 1.$$

Nonelementary: limit set is at most 2 pts.

If Γ is discrete, ^{torsion free} the element gps are ($\neq 1$)

a) cyclic gp of parabolics $\Gamma = \langle z \mapsto z+1 \rangle$

b) \mathbb{Z}^2 gp of parab $\Gamma = \left\langle \begin{array}{l} z \mapsto z+1 \\ z \mapsto z+\tau \end{array} \right\rangle$

c) cyclic gp of hyp $\Gamma = \langle z \mapsto \lambda z \rangle \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0, 1\}$.

Moral: For disc. nonelem gp, if A is close to I then B is not and neither is $[A, B]$.