

ORIGAMI-SCHOTTKY GROUPS

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ABSTRACT. A Kleinian group K , with region of discontinuity Ω , is an origami-Schottky group if (i) it contains a Schottky group Γ as a finite index subgroup and (ii) Ω/K is an orbifold of genus one with exactly one conical point. In this paper, we provide a geometrical structural picture of origami-Schottky groups in terms of the Klein-Maskit combination theorems. Examples of Hurwitz translation surfaces in terms of Schottky groups are provided.

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§1. intro.

Origami : (X, G) : surf. X w/ embedded, finite graph G

↑ ↓ eq.

'square-tiling'

- $X \setminus G$ consists of squares
- edges : bicoloured (horiz./vert.)
- each face is bdd by h^+, v^+, h^-, v^-

$\eta : X \rightarrow S^1 \times S^1$: top cov. of areas. : branched over 1 pt. $\rho \in S^1 \times S^1$

put a str.

$\underline{\eta} : S^1 \rightarrow E$: cov. of d. R.S.

Origami pair

very interesting case
combinatorial object which is centered in study of origamis.

origami is regular if η : regular br. cov. ($\Leftrightarrow \text{Gal } \eta \cong G = \pi_1(S) : \text{monodromy grp}$)
when $g \geq 2$.

$\Delta \pi_1(E) \cong F_2$.

Ricci-Hurwitz formula asserts $|G| \leq 4(g-1)$,

when " $=$ " holds, such an origami is called a Hurwitz translation surface.

Q in terms of Fuchsian groups.

for (S, η) : genus $g \geq 2$.

$E^* = E \setminus \{p\}$ is uniformed by H w/ Fuchsian grp

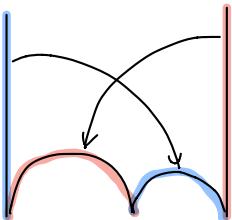
$$F(r, \alpha) = \left\langle A(z) = \frac{r(z+1)}{z+\alpha}, \quad B(z) = \frac{r-z}{z+1-r-\alpha} \right\rangle \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} r & r \\ 1 & \alpha \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & r \\ 1 & 1-r-\alpha \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(r > 0, \alpha > 1)$$

$$(r > 1?)$$

which type?

$$\cong \pi_1(E)$$



\leftarrow jwst of this form...

(so A, B should be of hyp-type?)

?

at least. Fuchsian grp of E belongs to
some sort of 2-parametered family: $\mathcal{F}[r,\alpha]$.

$E \cong \mathbb{H}/\mathcal{F}[r,\alpha] \Leftrightarrow S \cong \mathbb{H}/H$ for some $H \subset \mathcal{F}[r,\alpha]$: subgroup of index $\text{deg } h$.

η : regular $\Leftrightarrow H \triangleleft \mathcal{F}[r,\alpha]$

The lowest regular, planar coverings of closed R.S. of genus g

are provided by Schottky grps of rank g. (Maskit, 1988)

\rightarrow Q. description of origami pairs in terms of Schottky grps?

Then $\eta: \widehat{\mathbb{S}} \xrightarrow{\text{planar}} S: \text{reg cov}$
 $\text{Gal } \eta$ is a lowest planar regular cover of S
 $\Leftrightarrow \text{Gal } \eta$ is a Schottky grp.

Recall a Kleinian group is a discrete subgroup $K \subset PSL(2, \mathbb{C})$

$=$ has the Möbius-trans. action on $\widehat{\mathbb{C}}$, which is naturally extended to a one on \mathbb{H}^3 .
 $K_0 = \{ r(\zeta) \mid \zeta \in K \}$ ramificates in $\partial \mathbb{H}^3 = \widehat{\mathbb{C}}$. the set $\Lambda = \{ \text{ramif.pt of } K_0 \} \subset \widehat{\mathbb{C}}$: limit set of K
 $\Omega := \widehat{\mathbb{C}} \setminus \Lambda$: region of discontinuity of K

- $\Lambda \subset \widehat{\mathbb{C}}$: closed set
- $\Lambda = \{ \text{fixed pts of } r \in K; \begin{array}{l} \text{loxodromic} \\ \text{parabolic} \end{array} \text{ (order } \infty \text{)} \}$.
- Λ, Ω is K-invariant
- K acts prop. discontinuously on Ω
- Λ is minimum K-inv. & Ω is maximum w.r.t. discontinuity in $\widehat{\mathbb{C}}$.

- a Schottky grp is a Kleinian grp $\Gamma = \langle r_1, \dots, r_g \rangle$ where $g \geq 2$, r_j is a loxodromic Möbius trans.
which maps \mathbb{C}_{zj-1} & its interior $\rightarrow \mathbb{C}_{zj}$ & its exterior
- a Schottky grp is purely loxodromic, a free grp of rank g where $C_i \sim C_{zj}$: disjoint circle in $\widehat{\mathbb{C}}$.
- $\Lambda(\Gamma)$ is a Cantor set (or Jordan curve)
- finitely generated, purely loxodromic, free Kleinian grp is a Schottky grp. (\leftarrow Maskit 1967.)

Def an origami pair (S, η) is of Schottky type if $\exists (K: \text{Kleinian grp} > \Gamma: \text{Schottky grp} : \text{finite index})$

such that $S \cong \Omega_K$, $E \cong \Omega_K$, η is given by $K > \Gamma$.

where Ω is the region of discontinuity of K. (also of Γ .)

K is an origami-Schottky grp of type n if $\stackrel{\circ}{(S, \eta)}$: origami of degree n

s.t. Schottky type where K is as in above def.

Hidalgo (1994) & Reni, Zimmerman (1995)

$\xrightarrow{\text{follows}}$ origami-Schottky grps of any type exist.

Reni "Origami-Schottky" does NOT imply being Schottky.

* Main result.

Theorem 1. Let $n \geq 2$ be an integer.

PSL(2, C)

(1) If K is an origami-Schottky group of type n , then (up to conjugation by a suitable Möbius transformation) one of the following holds.

(a) The group K is constructed from the Klein-Maskit combination theorems as an HNN-extension of the dihedral group

$$D_n = \langle A(z) = e^{2\pi i/n}z, B(z) = 1/z \rangle$$

by a cyclic group $\langle T \rangle$, where T is a loxodromic transformation conjugating B into AB .

(b) $n = 2$ and K can be constructed from the Klein-Maskit combination theorems as an HNN-extension of the alternating group

$$\mathcal{A}_4 = \langle A(z) = i(1-z)/(z+1), B(z) = -z \rangle$$

by a cyclic group $\langle T \rangle$, where T is a loxodromic transformation commuting with A .

(2) Every Kleinian group constructed as in (1) above is an origami-Schottky group of type n .

Remark 2. If K is as in (a) of part (1) in Theorem 1, then (since $A = [T, B] = TBT^{-1}B$) we have the presentation $K = \langle B, T : B^2 = [T, B]^n = ([T, B]B)^2 = 1 \rangle$.

def $G = \langle S | R \rangle$, $\alpha: H \rightarrow K$: isomorphism b/w $H, K < G$.
 gen system relation

(G. Higman,

B. Neumann,

H. Neumann, 1949)

$G *_{\alpha} := \langle S, t | R, t h t^{-1} = \alpha(h) \quad \forall h \in H \rangle$ ($t \notin S$: new symbol referring in G)

is called the HNN-extension of G relative to α .

→ should be viewed in parallel w/ amalgamated products.

Thm (Klein, 1883) G_1, G_2 : Kleinian grps w/ certain conditions

$$\Rightarrow \text{Kleinian grp. } \langle G_1, G_2 \rangle \cong G_1 * G_2$$

The (Maskit, 1965) G_1, G_2 : Kleinian grps H : common subgroup of G_1, G_2 $\psi_i: H \hookrightarrow G_i$: embed.

$$\boxed{\text{Conditions for fund. sets}} \Rightarrow \langle G_1, G_2 \rangle \stackrel{\text{claim}}{=} \underline{G_1 * G_2 / H} : \text{Kleinian grp}$$

free product w/ the relation $\{\psi_1(h)\psi_2(h^{-1})\} = 1_{G_1 * G_2}$ $\forall h \in H$

amalgamated free product version of Klein's thm

{ (1994)

Maskit gave HNN-extension version, too.

Q HNN-extension of D_n (A_4) by $\langle T \rangle$?

$$= \langle D_n, T \rangle \stackrel{\text{Maskit}}{=} D_n * \underline{T}$$

conjugation isomorphism

(Maskit, 1994)

Theorem II (the second combination theorem). Let J_1 and J_2 be geometrically finite subgroups of the Kleinian group, G_0 . Assume the following.

(A) For $m = 1, 2$, there is a J_m -invariant closed topological disc B_m , with boundary loop W_m ; there is a set of rimpoints Θ_m given on W_m ; and there is a Möbius transformation, f , mapping the exterior of B_1 onto the interior of B_2 , so that (B_1, B_2) is jointly f -simple (i.e., (B_m, Θ_m) is a (J_m, G_0) -simple disc; if there is an $x \in B_1 \cap g(B_2)$, for some $g \in G_0$, then either $x \in \Lambda(J_1) \cap g(\Lambda(J_2))$, or $x \in \Theta_1 \cap g(\Theta_2)$; f conjugates J_1 onto J_2 ; and $f(\Theta_1) = \Theta_2$).

(B) Every cyclic stabilizer is parabolic.

(C) $A = \widehat{\mathbb{C}} - (B_1 \cup B_2) \neq \emptyset$.

Let D_0 be a coordinated fundamental set for G_0 ; let D be the corresponding adjusted set; let A_0 be the complement of the union of the G_0 -translates of $(B_1 \cup B_2)$; and let $G = \langle G_0, f \rangle$. Then

(i) $G = G_0 *_f$ (i.e., G is the HNN-extension of G_0 by the element f conjugating the subgroup J_1 onto the subgroup J_2).

(ii) G is discrete.

(iii) Every element of G that is not a conjugate of an element of G_0 , and is not a conjugate of a cyclic stabilizer, is loxodromic.

(iv) W_1 is precisely embedded, and (W_1, Θ_1) is a (J_1, G) -swirl; it is strong if and only if B_1 and B_2 are both strong simple discs.

(viii) D is a fundamental set for G .

(ix) A_0 is precisely invariant under G_0 . Let $A_0^* = \overline{A}_0 \cap \Omega(G_0)$; then $\Omega/G = A_0^*/G_0$, where the two possibly disconnected and possibly empty boundaries, $(W_1 \cap \Omega(G))/J_1$ and $(W_2 \cap \Omega(G))/J_2$ are identified by f .

(x) G is geometrically finite if and only if G_0 is geometrically finite.

(xi) Assume that G_0 is geometrically finite, and that $W_1 \cap \Omega(J_1)$ is smooth. Then there is a spanning disc Q_m for W_m , where (Q_1, Q_2) is precisely invariant under (J_1, J_2) , and $f(Q_1) = Q_2$. Further, \mathbb{H}^3/G can be described as follows. Let A_0^3 be the region in \mathbb{H}^3 , bounded by the translates of $Q_1 \cup Q_2$, whose Euclidean boundary is A_0 . Then \mathbb{H}^3/G is A_0^3/G_0 , where the two boundaries, Q_1/J_1 and Q_2/J_2 , are identified by f .

(xii) G is analytically finite if and only if G_0 is analytically finite.

(xiii) If G is analytically finite, then

$$\text{area}(G) = \text{area}(G_0) - \text{area}(J_1) = \text{area}(G_0) - \text{area}(J_2).$$

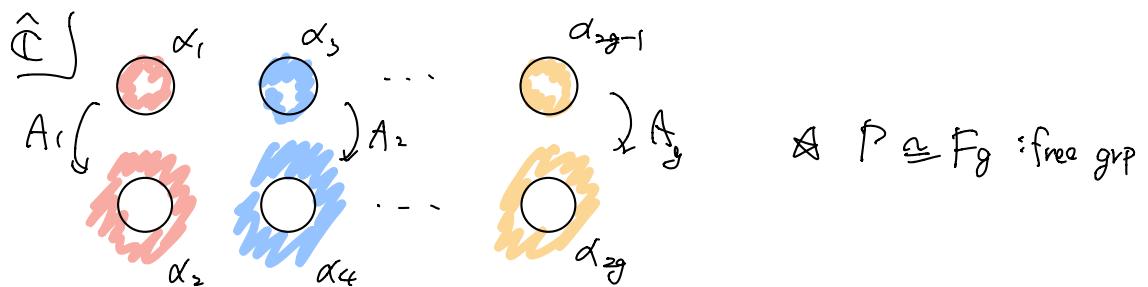
$$G_0 = D_n(A_4), \quad f = T^* : \langle A \rangle \mapsto \langle AB \rangle$$

§ 2. Preliminaries

- Kleinian grp : discrete subgroup of $PSL(2, \mathbb{C})$: Möbius trans. grp. : denote K
- region of discontinuity : maximal set in $\hat{\mathbb{C}}$ on which given grp acts properly discontinuously : denote $\Omega = \Omega(K)$
- if $\Gamma < K$: finite index inclusion b/w Kleinian grps
 \Rightarrow both has the same region of discontinuity.
- A function grp is a pair (K, Δ) where K is a finitely generated Kleinian grp
and $\Delta \subset \Omega$ is a K -inv component finite type (finite area)

a Schottky group of rank $g \geq 1$ is a Kleinian grp : denote Γ

generated by loxodromic trans. $A_1 \sim A_g$ where



It is well known that

(i) $\Omega(\Gamma)$ is connected $\xrightarrow{\text{in p.}} (\Gamma, \Omega)$ is a fct. grp.

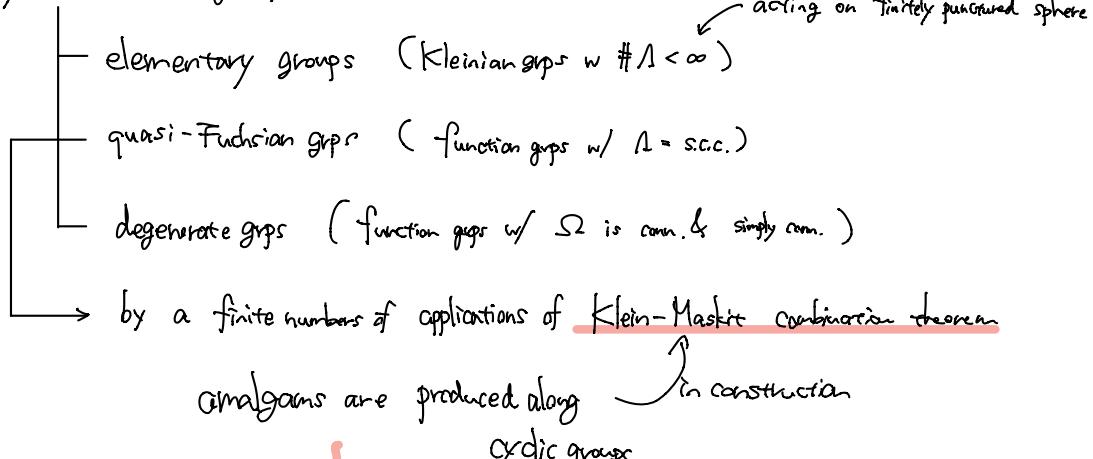
(ii) $S = \Omega/\Gamma$ (the surface uniformized by Γ) is a closed R.S. of genus g .

Thm (retrospection thm, Kiebe (1910?, Bers 1975))

every closed Riemann surface of genus g is uniformized by a Schottky grp of rank g .

• Maskit's decomposition thm states that

every function group can be constructed from



② as a consequence of decomposition results:

(Mostly) Schottky grp's are purely loxodromic, geom.-finite fct. groups w/ totally disconn limit set.

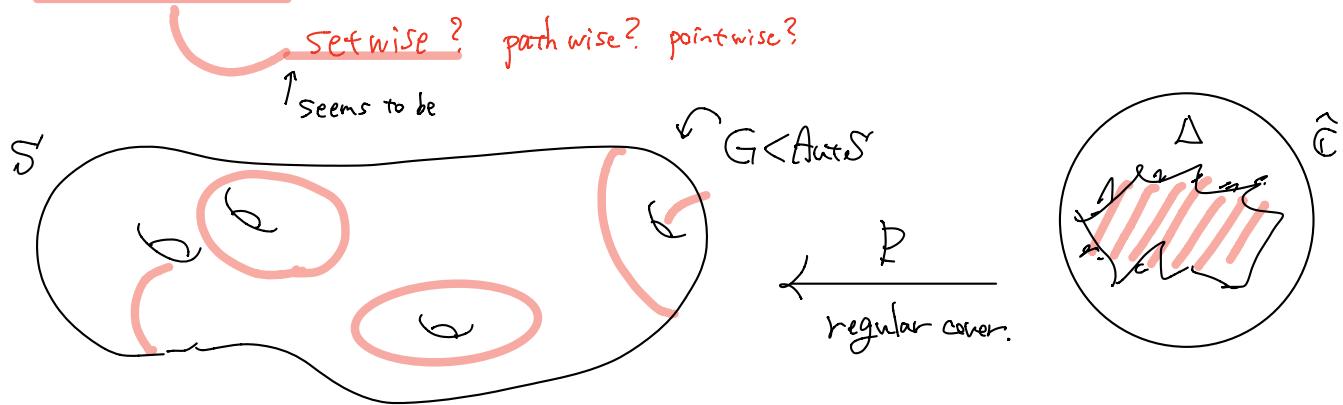
in particular K in Thm 1 are exms of geom.-finite fct. groups w/ totally disconn limit set

$\xrightarrow{\text{so, }} P < K$: finite index, torsion free is a Schottky grp.

③ MAIN Tool. (Hidalgo, 2005 : conseq. of the Equivariant Loop Theorem (Meeks-Yau, 1980))

Theorem 5. [6] Let (Γ, Δ) be a torsion free function group uniformizing a closed Riemann surface S of genus $g \geq 2$, that is, there is a regular covering $P : \Delta \rightarrow S$ with Γ as covering group. If G is a group of automorphism of S , then it lifts with respect to P if and only if there is a collection \mathcal{F} of pairwise disjoint simple loops on S such that:

- (i) \mathcal{F} defines the regular planar covering $P : \Delta \rightarrow S$; and
- (ii) \mathcal{F} is invariant under the action of G .



Rem 6. (1) In cases of Schottky grp's, $S \setminus \mathcal{F}$ consists of planar surfaces
 (2) by uniformization S has a natural hyp. str. from H.

\mathcal{F} can be assumed to be formed by s.c. geods.

Rem 4 There is a p-adic version of origami's

$$\eta : S \rightarrow E : \text{cov. of "Mumford curve"}/\mathbb{C}_p$$

? ?

p-adic Schottky grp. p-adic Kleinian grp.

(Kramer, 2016) p-adic, regular origami ver. of thm 1 is proved.

(this paper) Complex, ^{not necessarily} regular origami ver. of Kramer's work using Thm 5.

§3. Pf of Thm 1.

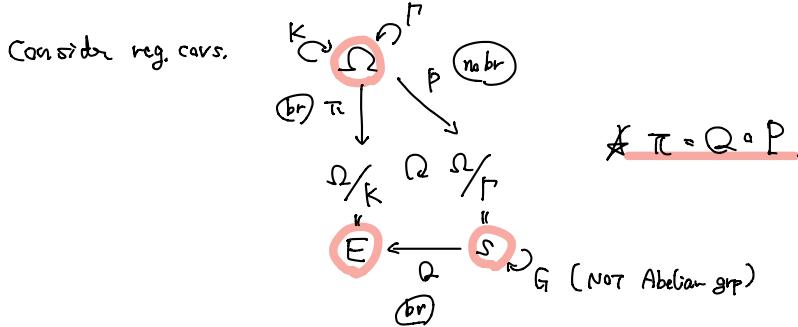
3.1 part (i) K : origami-Schottky grp: type $n \geq 2$.

by def, $E = \mathbb{Q}/K$: orbifold of genus 1 w/ 2 conpts of ord n .

$\exists \Gamma < K$ (finite index): Schottky grp

$$\Leftrightarrow \Omega = \Omega(K) = \Omega(\Gamma).$$

first we may assume $\Gamma \triangleleft K$ (?)
 $\Rightarrow G = \text{Gal } \eta = K/\Gamma$.



$$\forall \omega \in \Omega \quad \forall k \in K.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \pi(\omega) &= \pi(k\omega) \\ \parallel &\parallel \\ Q(p_\omega) &= Q(p_k \omega) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \exists g_k \in G \text{ s.t. } g_k p_\omega = p_{k\omega}$
 $\exists \Phi: K \rightarrow G \text{ defines a hom}$
 $k \mapsto g_k \text{ w/ } p \circ k = \Phi(k) \circ p.$

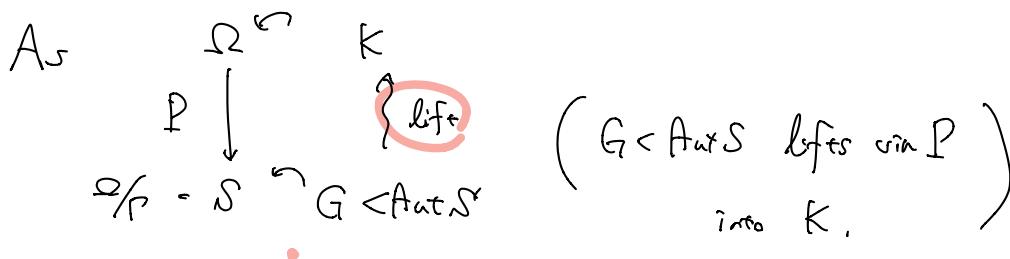
by properties of Deck trans grp,
we can take $\Phi: K \rightarrow G$: hom s.t. .

- As Γ has no parab. element
& K is a finite extension of Γ , neither K does.
 $(\forall k \in K \text{ is elliptic or parabolic})$

- As Γ is geom, finite & of finite index in K
 $\Rightarrow S \circ K$ is.

→ consequence of (Hodgson, 1994),

Lemma 7. Let $k \in K$ be an elliptic transformation different from the identity. Then either (i) both of its fixed points belong to Ω or (ii) there is a loxodromic transformation in K commuting with it.



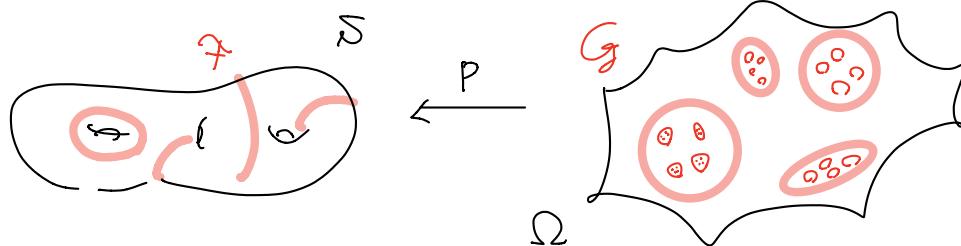
then 5 asserts $\exists \mathcal{F}$: G -invariant collection of s.c.g. in S

such that (i) \mathcal{F} divides S into planar surf.

(ii) $\forall r \in \mathcal{F}$ lifts via P to s.c.g. on Ω .

We may take \mathcal{F} to be minimal in the sense of

(a) G -invariance & (b) planarity of complemental components



ex of G may be produced by P -orbits of the loop family of definition of Schottky grp.

We lift S via P

to G : structure loops.

Q why G : collection of loops?

(can be arcs..?)

character of Schottky sp?
(T, \mathbb{R}^L)

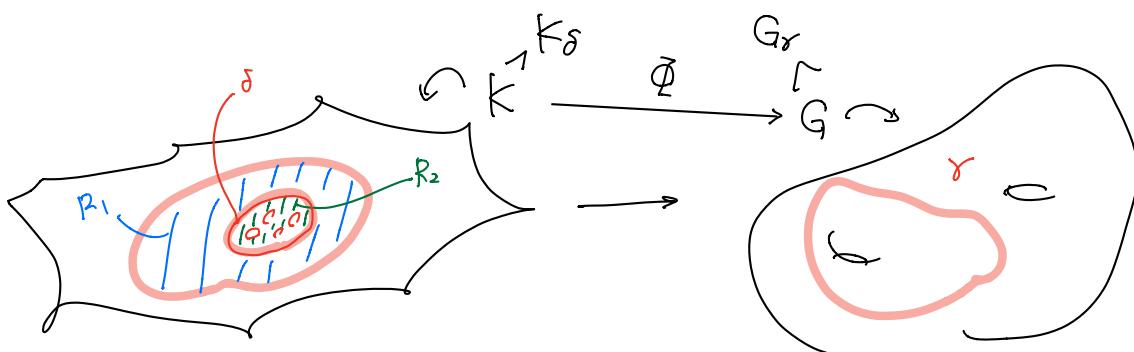
components of $\Omega \setminus G$: structure regions.

We may observe that:

- (1) $\forall \delta \in G$, $r = P(\delta) \in \mathcal{F}$ & $P|_{\delta}: \delta \rightarrow r$ is homeo.
- (2) $\forall F$: str. region. $P|_F: F \rightarrow P(F)$ is homeo.

Lemma 8. If $\delta \in G$, then its K -stabilizer is either trivial or a cyclic group generated by an elliptic transformation keeping invariant each of the two structure regions sharing δ in the boundary.

pf)



$\Rightarrow K_\delta$: finite grp of Möb. trans

we can see that: $\phi|_{K_\delta}: K_\delta \rightarrow G_r$
is isomorphism.

\Rightarrow possibly of K_δ :

triv., $\langle T \rangle$, D_n , A_4 , A_5 , S_4
cyclic, dihedral, alternating, sym

by existence of invariant s.c.g., possibility:

trivial, cyclic, or dihedral.

Let R_1, R_2 : str. region in Ω sharing δ at bdry. $k \in K_\delta \setminus \{\text{id}\}$

\Rightarrow possibility for k : (i) alternating $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$: elliptic element of order 2
(ii) leaving R_1, R_2 invariant: some elliptic element.

In case (i): $K_\delta = \langle k \rangle = \{\text{id}, k\}$ and $\{\text{fixed pts of } k\} \subset \delta$

$$\begin{cases} \text{or} \\ D = \langle k, l \rangle \end{cases} \quad \dots$$

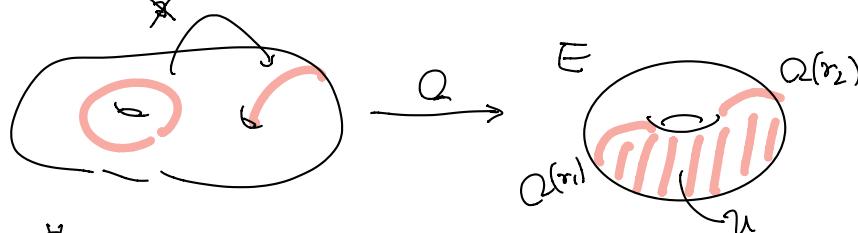
Any way, existence of $k \in K_\delta$ alternating $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$
 E must have two cone pt: contradiction!

So, $K_\delta = \text{trivial or } \langle k \rangle$ where k : ell. element keeping R_1, R_2 invariant. \otimes

Lemma 9. (1) \forall loops in F are G -equivalent ($\Leftrightarrow \forall$ loops in G are K -equivalent)
(2) \forall structure regions are G -equivalent $\xrightarrow{\text{mapped transitively by } K}$

(pf) Show by contradiction:

If it is not the case, then $\exists r_1, r_2 \in F$ such that $Q(r_1), Q(r_2)$ bounds a cylinder.



$\Leftarrow \forall g \in G \quad r_1 \neq g(r_2)$

since $g(r_2) \in F$, $r_1 \cap g(r_2) = \emptyset$

$$\downarrow Q$$

$Q(r_1), Q(r_2)$ are disjoint loops in $E \Rightarrow$ bounds a cyl. $u \subset E$!

$\approx Q(r_1) \& Q(r_2)$ are homot. in $E \setminus \{\text{pt}\}$,

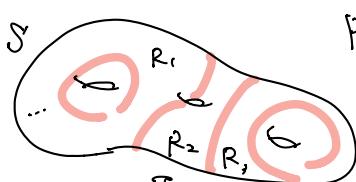
$G_{r_1} \& G_{r_2} : \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{both triv} \\ \text{or} \\ \text{both isomorphic to the same cyclic grp of order } m. \end{array} \right.$

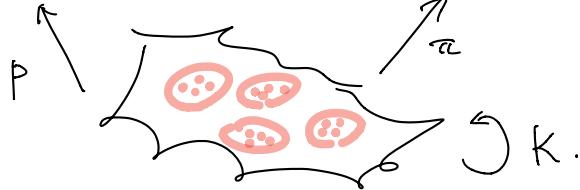
\Rightarrow any component of $Q'(u)$ must be a cylinder (why?)

this contradicts to the fact that no elements in F are homotopic \Rightarrow (1) holds.
(they are s.c.g.)

(2) (1) asserts that $\forall r \in F$ are

projected under Q to the same loop $\alpha \subset E$. (which no cone pt lies on)





\Rightarrow every str. region is mapped under π to the same region $E \setminus \alpha$
 $\Rightarrow K$ -equivalent \otimes

- fix str. region $R \subset \Omega$.

let ∂R consists of str. loops $\delta_1, \delta_2, \dots, \delta_r \in \mathcal{G} \xrightarrow{\pi} \alpha \in E$

K_R : stabilizer of R , K_{δ_j} : stabilizer of δ_j . ($=$ trivial or cyclic by Lemma 8)

by Lemma 9, K_{δ_j} are conjugated by K . (\uparrow is a common property)

Lemma 10 K -stabilizer of any str. loop is a nontrivial cyclic grp. w/ the same isom class.

pf) Assume K_{δ_j} are trivial in above setting.

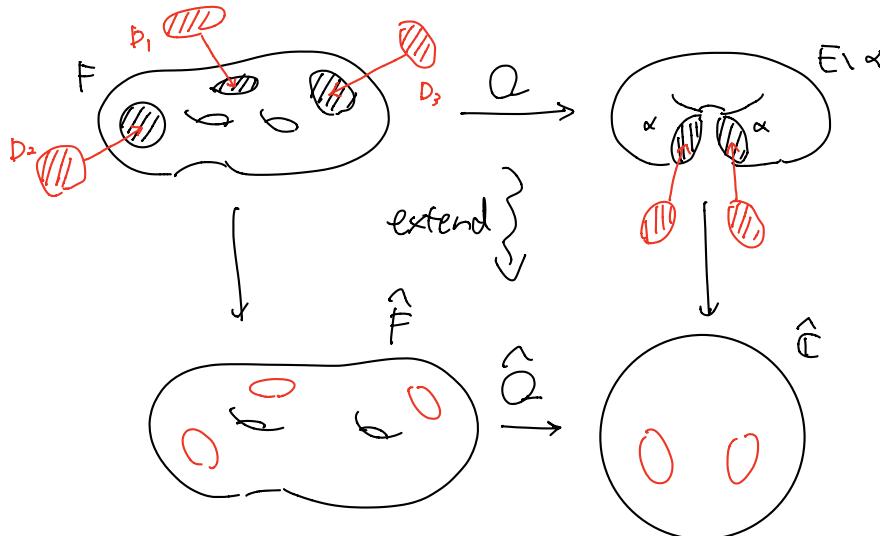
$\Rightarrow K$ -stabilizer G_α of any ref is trivial.

Let F be a component of $\tilde{Q}'(E \setminus \alpha)$

then $F = \overset{\exists}{\underset{\text{closed surf.}}{\tilde{F}}} \cup \underset{\text{disks in } \hat{F}}{\cup D_\lambda}$

We extend $Q|_F : F \rightarrow E \setminus \alpha$: cov. continuously

by adding disks at blies \rightsquigarrow we obtain $\hat{Q} : \hat{F} \rightarrow \hat{C}$



however, it is not possible by Euler characteristics. \otimes

Consequence
of Lemma 10 $K_{\delta_j} = \langle k_j \rangle$ ($k_j \in K \setminus \{\text{id}\}$).

as $K_R \geq \delta_j$. ($\partial R > \delta_j$), K_R : non-trivial.

Lemma 11 K_R cannot be a cyclic grp.

Assume $K_R = \langle V \rangle$. ($V \in \mathbb{K}$: elliptic)

If R/K_R has one cone pt. of order n , it follows that

- $\text{ord } V = n$.

- only one fixed pt of V belongs to R . (the other is far.)

\Rightarrow there is str. loop $\delta_{j_R} \in \mathcal{G}$ on ∂R w/ $K_R = \langle k_{j_R} \rangle$ ($= \langle V \rangle$)

\Rightarrow any other str. loop on ∂R should be stabilized by k_{j_R} .

(conj). in \mathbb{K} to δ_{j_R} .

\Rightarrow $\langle k_j \rangle \triangleleft K$ or ∂R consists of exactly one loop

impossible

\Rightarrow Contradiction \otimes

Lemma 12 Possibility for K_R : D_n or A_4 .

By Len 11, neither K_R : triv nor cyclic.

In the pf of Lemma 8 we observed that

only possibilities we need to rule out are : A_5 & G_4 .

Let $K_R = A_5 = \langle a, b \mid a^5 = b^3 = (ab)^2 = 1 \rangle$

as R/K_R has 1 cone pt, $\partial R = \delta_1 \cup \delta_2$ ($\delta_1, \delta_2 \in \mathcal{G}$)

each one has invariant order

either 2, 3, or 5, but of different order \Rightarrow contradiction to Len 10

The argument for G_4 is similar \otimes

Q For $K_R = D_n$ or A_4 .

(i) $K_R = D_n = \langle a, b \mid a^n = b^2 = (ab)^2 = 1 \rangle$

\Rightarrow We may assume $\partial R = \alpha \cup \beta$ where $\begin{array}{l} k_\alpha \sim b \\ \text{conj} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} k_\beta \sim ab \\ \text{conj} \end{array}$

$$\#\mathcal{G} = r = 2n,$$

" $\langle s_1, s_2, s_3 \mid s_1^2 = s_2^2 = s_3^2 = (s_1s_2)^2 = (s_2s_3)^2 = (s_1s_3)^2 = 1 \rangle$

NOT doubly-generated group

and we may assume $a \sim A$ $b \sim B$ in that 1 upto conj.

$$(2) K_R = A_4 = \langle a, b \mid a^3 = b^2 = (ab)^3 = 1 \rangle$$

\Rightarrow We may assume $\partial R = \alpha \sqcup \beta$ where $K_\alpha \cong \langle a \rangle$ $K_\beta \cong \langle ab \rangle$

$$\#G = r = 8,$$

and we may assume $a \sim A$ $b \sim B$ in that 1 upto conjugacy.

Q Which kinds of Kleinian group can uniformize a torus
& dominate a Schottky-origami covering?