

Last time

classified finite subgroups of $M(D_n, \mathbb{Z}/n)$

Can we classify all subgroups?

We note $T \overset{\rightarrow}{\subset} M$, $T \cong \mathbb{R}^2$

Subgroups of \mathbb{R} ?

so classifying subgroups of M at least as hard as \mathbb{R}^2
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- \mathbb{Q}
- $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] \cong \mathbb{Q}$ → repeating this to inf gives
 \mathbb{R} is inf dim vs $1/\mathbb{Q}$
- $\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{2}]$

↳ very hard to do... too many.

Thus it's super hard to classify all subgroups of $\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow M$

Reals are weird due to density. We want disc subgrps.

Def | A subgroup L of \mathbb{R} is discrete if $\exists \varepsilon > 0$ so
 $\forall x \in L \setminus \{0\}, |x| > \varepsilon$

Prop | If L is disc subgroup of \mathbb{R} . $L = \{0\}$ or $L = \overline{\mathbb{Z}} \cdot a$ $a \in \mathbb{R}$

Pr | Pick smallest pos elt of L (if $L \neq 0$) and subtract down

Def | A subgroup L of \mathbb{R}^2 is discrete if $\exists \varepsilon > 0$ so
 $\|x\|_1 > \varepsilon \quad \forall x \in L$

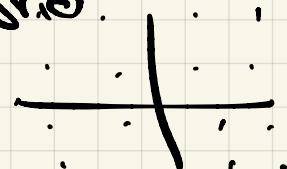
Prop | Let L be disc subgroup of \mathbb{R}^2 . Then one of the following,

1) $L = 0$

2) $L = \mathbb{Z} \cdot v$ for nonzero $v \in \mathbb{R}^2$

3) $L = \mathbb{Z}v + \mathbb{Z}w$ for $v, w \in \mathbb{R}^2$ lin ind $\rightarrow L$ is a lattice

↳ grid.

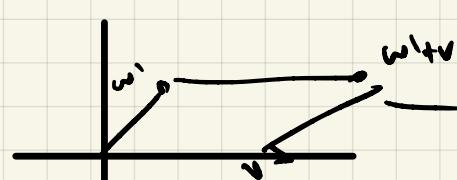


Pr | If $L \subseteq$ line in \mathbb{R}^2 , then it's essentially a subgroup of $\mathbb{R} \Rightarrow$ (a), (b)

Now suppose $\exists v, w \in L$ that are lin ind.

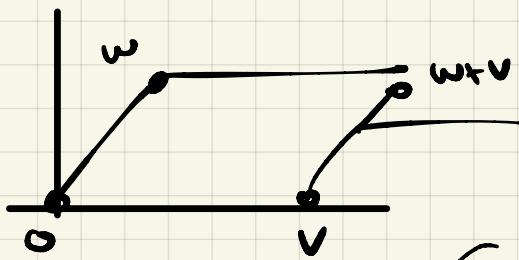
Consider $L \cap R \cdot v$ (disc subgroup of $R \cdot v'$) $\Rightarrow L \cap R \cdot v' = \mathbb{Z} \cdot v$

To pick w consider



only fin many of L in here dict comp-

Let w be the vector in the parallelogram not on $\mathbb{R}v$ but minimal dist to the line $\mathbb{R}v$



no pt on line in the interior
 ↳ points in the interior
 ↳ closer to $\mathbb{R}v \rightarrow$ violates minimality of w
 ↳ only pts on bdy are $O, w, v, w+v$ similarly.

↳ a bit more carefullness needed.

Claim: $L = \mathbb{Z}v + \mathbb{Z}w$. \Rightarrow immediate.

$x \in L$. Hs v, w basis of \mathbb{R}^2 . $x = \alpha v + \beta w$.
 add or subtract disc v or w to make $\alpha, \beta \in (0, 1]$
 $\Rightarrow x$ in parallelogram
 $\Rightarrow x = 0, v, w, v+w$

Def) A subgrp O of M is discrete if

$\exists \epsilon > 0$ so

- If $a \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is non-zero and $ta \in O \Rightarrow \|ta\| > \epsilon$
- If $p \in O$ that is rotated by $\theta \in (-\pi, \pi]$ about some pt. Then $|t\theta| > \epsilon$

Fix a discrete subgroup of G . We assoc to G two assoc grp.

1) $L_G = \{a \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid ta \in G\}$ \rightarrow disc subgroup of \mathbb{R}^2
 $\cong G \cap T$ $\Rightarrow L_G \cong O$ or \mathbb{Z} or \mathbb{Z}^2
 ↳ in this case called wallpaper of G

2) Recall have a homo from $M \mapsto O_2 \cong M/T$
 Define the point grp of $G \mapsto \overline{G}$, to be img of G in O_2

E.g. Let G be the symmetry grp of $\mathbb{Z}e_1 + \mathbb{Z}e_2$

$$L_G = \mathbb{Z}e_1 + \mathbb{Z}e_2 \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2, T = D_4,$$

in general L_G is a free subgroup of G . $G/T \cong \overline{G}$ $T \cap G \cong L_G$
 ↳ first ism then

Prop / \overline{G} is a disc subgroup of O_2 .

Pf) Suppose \overline{G} has a rotation by small θ .
any inner ring of this in G has the form
for P_θ for some a . This is rotation by θ around
some pt (can't be arb small as G not disc)

(or) \overline{G} finite subgroup of O_2

Pf) discrete subset of O_2 is finite

(or) $\overline{G} \cong \mathbb{Z}/n$ or $D_n \rightarrow$ disc classification of
finite subgroup of O_2 earlier

Prop) If $a \in L_a$. $\overline{g \in G} \subset O_2$
 $\overline{g \cdot a \in L_a}$

Pf) say $\overline{g} = P_\theta$. Let $g \in G$ be inv img of quotient map.
 $\Rightarrow g = t_b P_\theta$ for some $t \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$a \in L_a \Rightarrow t_a \in G$

$G \ni gtag^{-1} = t_b P_\theta t_a P_\theta^{-1} t_b^{-1} = t_b t_{P_\theta(a)} t_b^{-1} = t_{P_\theta(a)}$
 \Rightarrow as $t_{P_\theta(a)} \in G \Rightarrow \overline{g}(a) \in L_a$

Eg) Suppose $L_a = \mathbb{Z}e_1 + \mathbb{Z}e_2 \subset \mathbb{R}^2$

\rightarrow says $\overline{G} \rightarrow$ fin subgroup of O^2 that preserves L_a .

$\Rightarrow \overline{G} \leq D_4$