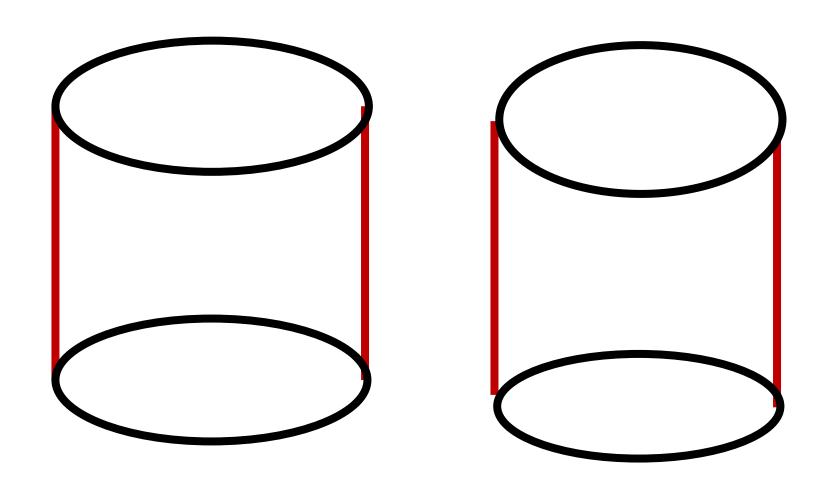
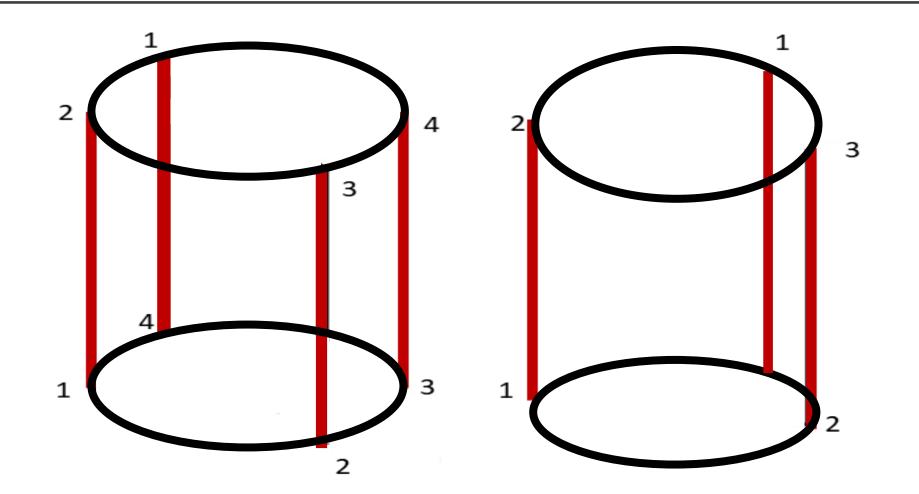
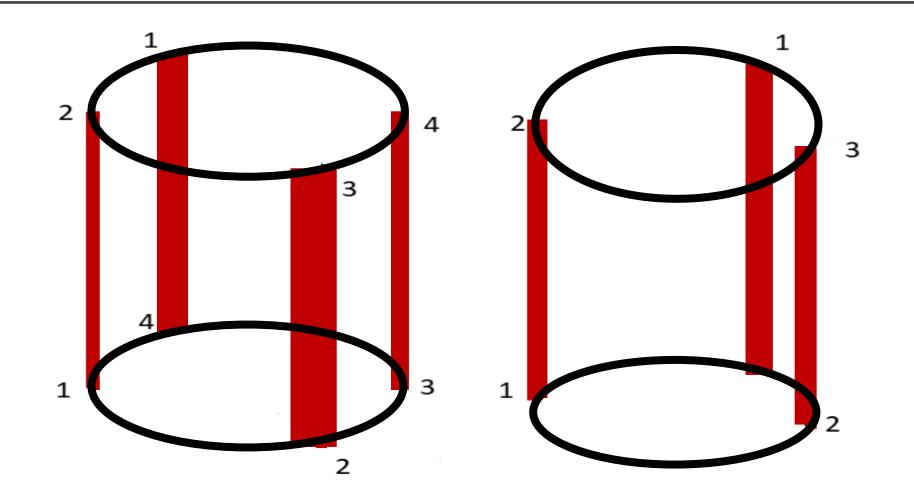
Classifying 2-Stratifolds with Finite Fundamental Group

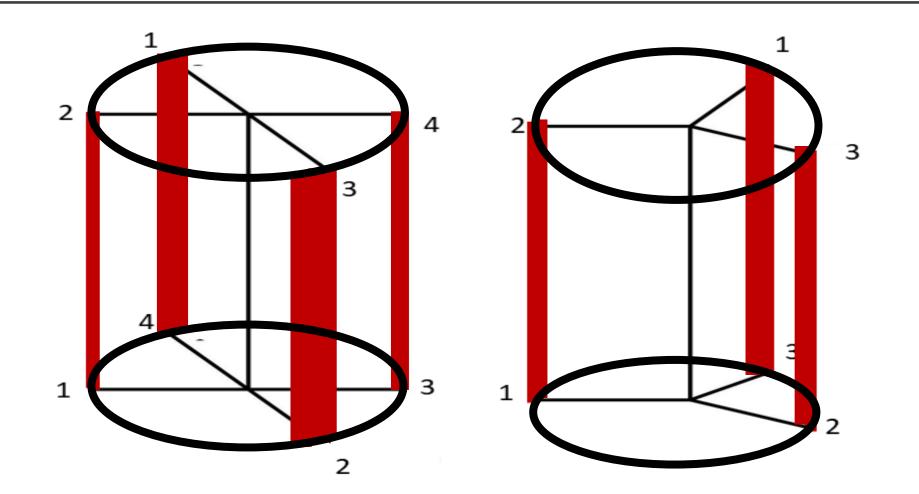


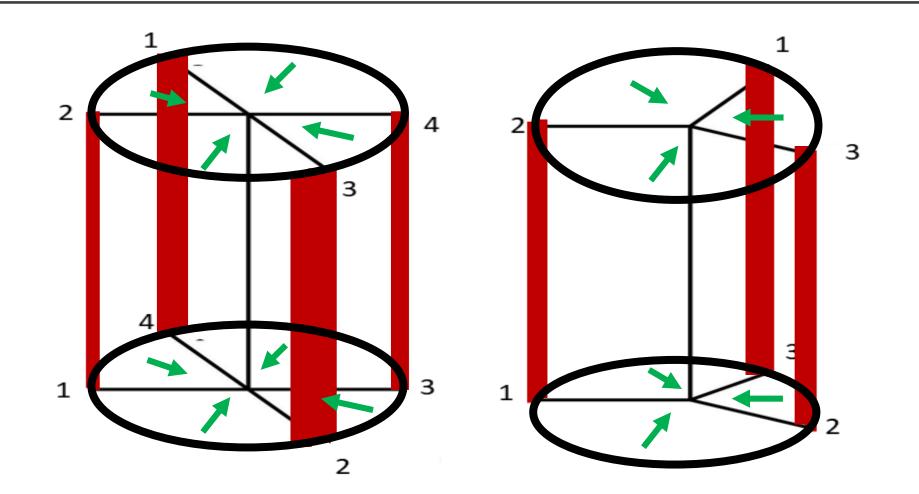
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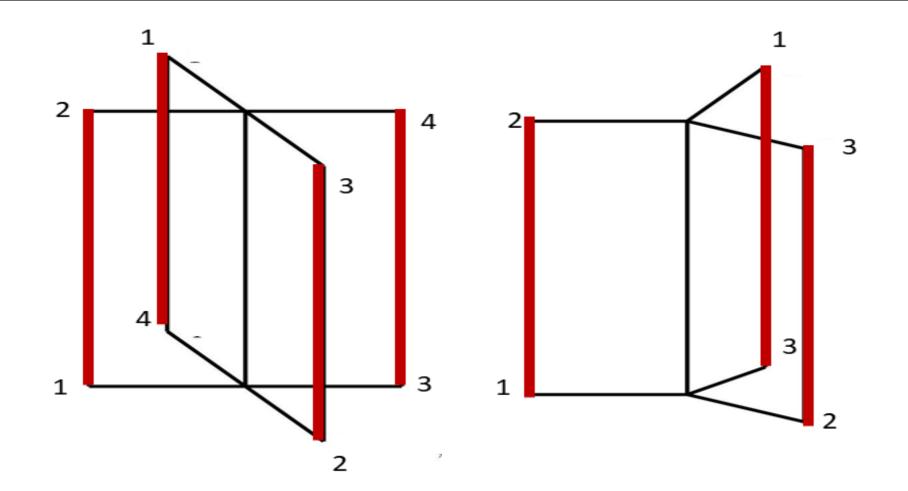












2-Stratifold

A closed 2-stratifold **X** is a 2-complex where

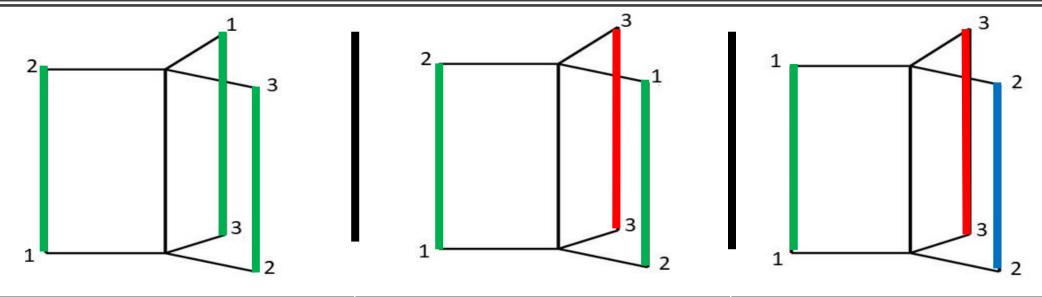
- X contains a collection S of finitely many s.c.c, such that X-S is a compact surface,
- and a neighborhood of each component in S
 consists of more than 2 sheets.

Branch Neighborhoods

A simple closed curve in **S**

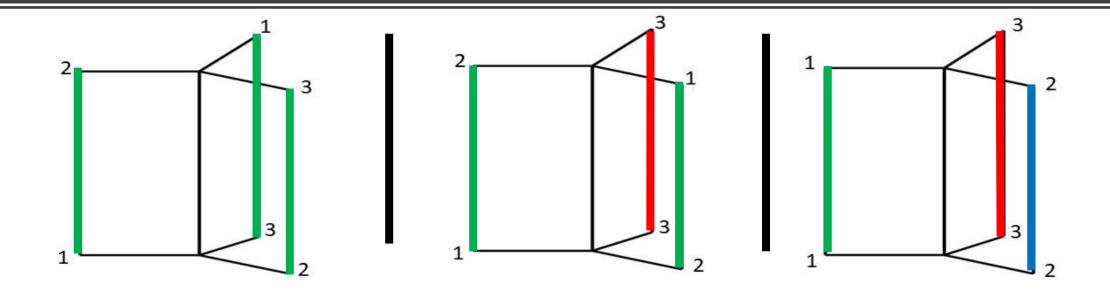
- is called a branch curve (or singular curve)
- and a regular neighborhood of a branch curve is called a branch neighborhood.

Trivalent Branch Neighborhoods

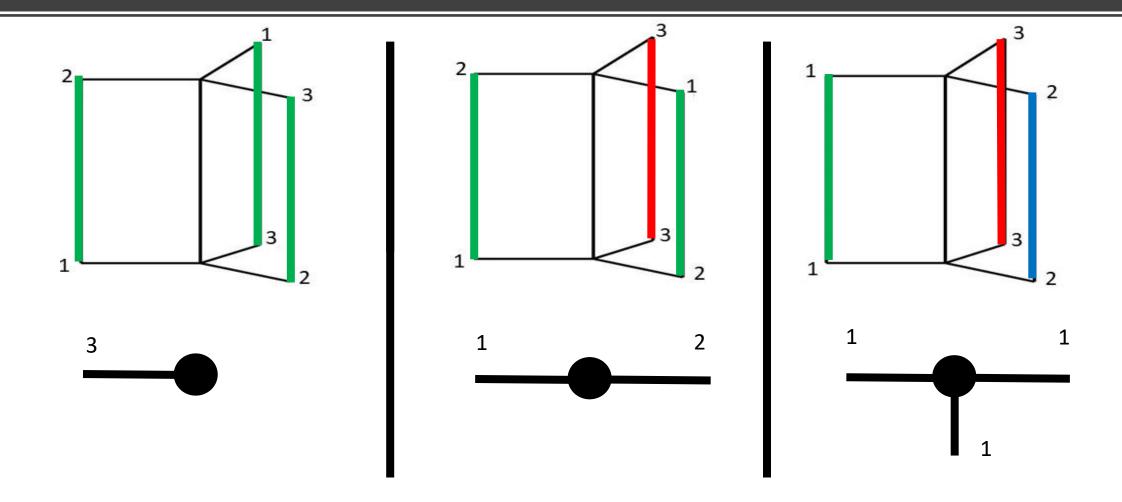


Gluing Action : (123)	Gluing Action: (12)(3)	Gluing Action: (1)(2)(3)
Boundary Components: 1	Boundary Components : 2	Boundary Components: 3
Boundary Words : 3a	Boundary Words : 2a, a	Boundary Words: a, a, a

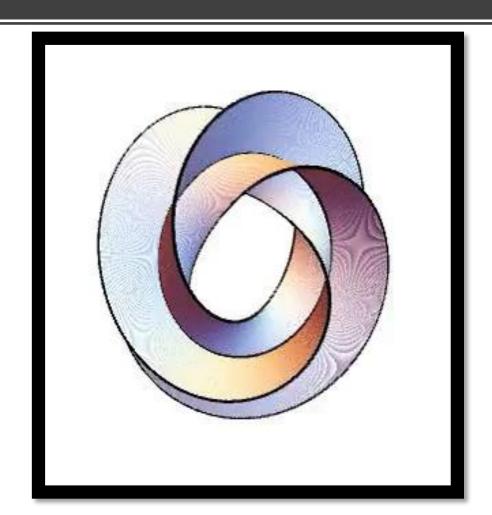
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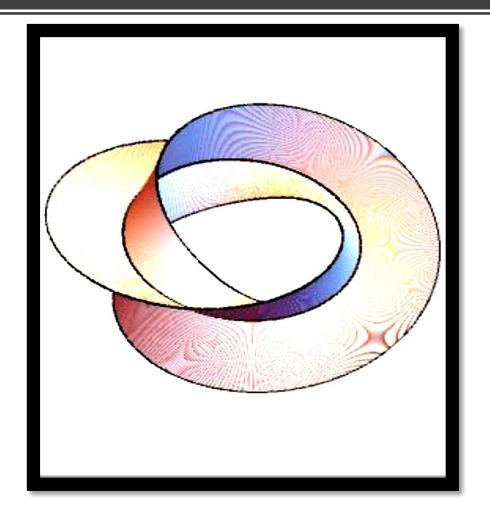


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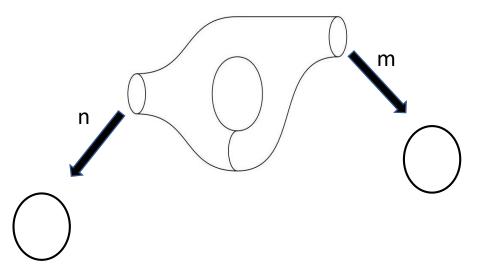


Embeddings of Branch Neighborhoods





Associated Graph





Generators

Generators from Branch curves

$$C, D, E, F, b_1, b_2$$

Generators from Torus

Relations

$$b_1^n = E, b_2^m = F, [C, D]EF = 1$$

Classifying 2-stratifolds

Classification of closed surfaces groups



Classification of closed surfaces

Classification of closed 2-stratifold groups



Classification of closed 2-stratifolds

End Goal

Main Goal. Classify all 2-stratifolds in terms of their labeled graph.

Secondary Goal. An efficient algorithm to decide if a 2-stratifold is of a given type.

Trivalent Classification

2-stratifolds X where at most 3 sheets meet are trivalent.

• Trivalent 2-stratifold with trivial or infinite cyclic fundamental group.

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Trivalent 2-stratifolds with finite fundamental group.

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<u>Trivalent Algorithm</u>

Given a trivalent 2-stratifold it can be determined if

• It is has trivial or infinite cyclic fundamental group.

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• It has finite fundamental group.

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Initial Questions

Question 1. What are the finite 2-stratifolds groups?

Answer 1. Finite Fuchsian Groups.

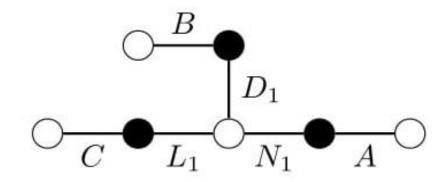
Question 2. What is the graph type of a 2-stratifold with finite fundamental group?

Answer 2. Tree where all white vertices have genus zero and at most one black terminal vertex.

Linear Stratifolds

Finite π_1 Finite Cyclic

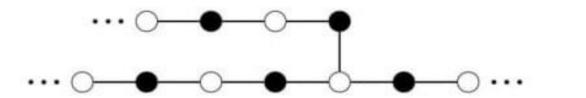
Star Stratifolds

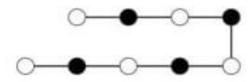


Finite π_1

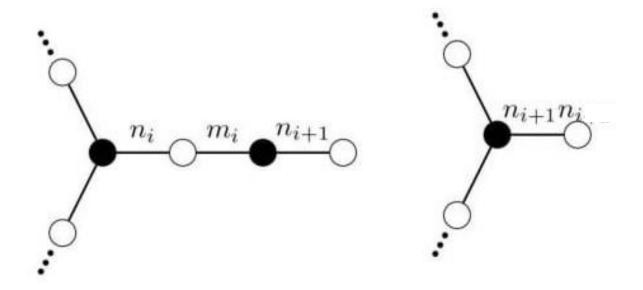
Dihedral, Octahedral, or Dodecahedral

Reducing Graph Type: Pruning





Reducing Graph Type: Absorbing



Models of Trivalent 2-stratifolds

Thanks for listening!

