

**Problem 0.1.** Write down explicit  $2 \times 2$  matrices that are generators for a Fuchsian group uniformizing the Wiman surfaces of Type I and Type II from the exercises from week 3.

*Proof.* We will construct the transformation as a composition of complex conjugation, followed by rotation and then inversion.

Firstly, we wish to find the point of inversion:  $\alpha = ae^{i\theta}$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{L}{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2n}\right)} &= \frac{a}{\sin\left(\frac{(n+1)\pi}{2n}\right)}, \quad a^2 = 1 + L^2 \\ \Rightarrow a &= \sqrt{\frac{\sin^2\left(\frac{(n+1)\pi}{2n}\right)}{\sin^2\left(\frac{(n+1)\pi}{2n}\right) - \sin^2\left(\frac{\pi}{2n}\right)}} \end{aligned} \quad (\Omega)$$

And clearly  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2n}$ . Now the inversion at  $\alpha$  is given by

$$\rho(z) = \frac{\alpha\bar{z} - 1}{\bar{z} - \bar{\alpha}}$$

so all together we get the hyperbolic translation to be

$$T(z) = \rho\left(e^{-\frac{(n-1)\pi i}{n}} \bar{z}\right) = \frac{\alpha e^{\frac{(n-1)\pi i}{n}} \bar{z} - 1}{e^{\frac{(n-1)\pi i}{n}} \bar{z} - \bar{\alpha}} = \frac{ae^{\frac{\pi i}{2n}} e^{\frac{(n-1)\pi i}{n}} \bar{z} - 1}{e^{\frac{(n-1)\pi i}{n}} \bar{z} - ae^{-\frac{i\pi}{2n}}} = \frac{-a\bar{z} - e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}}{-e^{\frac{-i\pi}{2n}} \bar{z} - a}$$

Hence

$$M(T) = \begin{pmatrix} a & e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}} \\ e^{-\frac{i\pi}{2n}} & a \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $T_j = e^{\frac{(j-1)i\pi}{n}} T \left( e^{-\frac{(j-1)i\pi}{n}} \right)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} M(T_j) &= \begin{pmatrix} e^{\frac{(j-1)i\pi}{n}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}} \\ e^{-\frac{i\pi}{2n}} & a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-\frac{(j-1)i\pi}{n}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} a & e^{\frac{(2j-1)i\pi}{2n}} \\ e^{-\frac{(2j-1)i\pi}{2n}} & a \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

So  $\Gamma_n = \langle T_1, \dots, T_n \rangle$  is a Fuchsian group, and we have  $W_{2n} \approx \mathbb{D}/\Gamma_n$ .  $\square$

Let  $T(z) = \frac{az+b}{cz+d}$ .

Let  $f: H \rightarrow D$  be the map  $z \mapsto \frac{z-i}{z+i}$  and let  $f^{-1}(z) = -\frac{i(1+z)}{z-1}$  be the inverse. It is indeed easy to check that  $f^{-1}$  takes  $\partial D$  to  $\mathbb{R} \cup \{\infty\}$ . Now  $T(z) = z$  if and only if  $cz^2 + (d-a)z - b = 0$ . We want the fixed points to be  $f^{-1}\left(e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}\right) = -\frac{i(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1}$  and  $f^{-1}\left(e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}\right) = -\frac{i(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1}$  (which lie in  $\mathbb{R}$ ), so we have the equation

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \left(z + \frac{i(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1}\right) \left(z + \frac{i(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1}\right) \\ &= z^2 + i \left[ \frac{(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1} + \frac{(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1} \right] z - \frac{(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1} \frac{(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1} \\ &= z^2 + i \left[ \frac{(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1} + \frac{(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1} \right] z - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Now, we must choose  $a, b, c, d$  suitably so that  $ad - bc = 1$ . Now we have the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} ad &= 1 + b^2 \\ d - a &= bi \left[ \frac{(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1} + \frac{(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Denote the right hand side of the last equation by  $bC$ .

$$a^2 C = 2 \implies a = \sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}$$

$$d = C + \sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}$$

Hence

$$a = \sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}, \quad d = C + \sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}$$

Hence we have

$$T(z) = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}z + 1}{z + C \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{C}}}, \text{ where } C = i \left[ \frac{(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1} + \frac{(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1} \right]$$

Put in a different way, if we let  $r_1 = f^{-1}\left(e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}\right) = -\frac{i(1+e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}}-1}$  and  $r_2 = f^{-1}\left(e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}\right) = -\frac{i(1+e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}})}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}}-1}$ , then  $r_1 + r_2 = -C$ , so

$$T(z) = \frac{\sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}}z + 1}{z\sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2}, \quad G = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} & 1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

To convert it to a transformation of the unit disk instead, we have

$$S(z) = f \circ T \circ f^{-1}(z)$$

so since  $M(T) = G$ ,  $M(f) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}$  and  $M(f^{-1}) = \begin{pmatrix} -i & -i \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} M(S) &= M(f)M(T)M(f^{-1}) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} & 1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -i & -i \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) & -i(r_1 + r_2) - 2 \\ -i(r_1 + r_2) + 2 & -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Now all of the other side pairings  $S_2, \dots, S_n$  are obtained by conjugation with rotations:

$$\begin{aligned} M(S_i) &= \begin{pmatrix} e^{\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) & -i(r_1 + r_2) - 2 \\ -i(r_1 + r_2) + 2 & -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) & e^{\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} [-i(r_1 + r_2) - 2] \\ e^{-\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} [-i(r_1 + r_2) + 2] & -i \left( 2 \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right) \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the other side pairing translations are given by  $T_2, T_3, \dots, T_n$  where

$$T_i(z) = f^{-1} \left( e^{\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} T \left( e^{-\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} f(z) \right) \right)$$

and since the association  $GL(2, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \text{Homeo}(\mathbb{C}^*)$  is a group homomorphism, it suffices to look at the associated matrices. Now  $M(T) = G$ ,  $M(f) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}$  and  $M(f^{-1}) = \begin{pmatrix} -i & -i \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ , so

$$M(T_i) = \begin{pmatrix} -i & -i \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} & e^{\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} \\ 1 & e^{\frac{(i-1)\pi i}{n}} \left[ \sqrt{-\frac{2}{r_1+r_2}} - r_1 - r_2 \right] \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}$$

where again  $r_1 = f^{-1} \left( e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}} \right) = -\frac{i \left( 1 + e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}} \right)}{e^{\frac{i\pi}{2n}} - 1}$  and  $r_2 = f^{-1} \left( e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}} \right) = -\frac{i \left( 1 + e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}} \right)}{e^{\frac{(2n+1)i\pi}{2n}} - 1}$ . Then  $\Gamma_n = \langle T_1, \dots, T_n \rangle$  is a Fuchsian group such that  $\mathbb{H}/\Gamma_n \approx W_{2n}$ .