

Last Time $x = (1, 0)$ in S^1

$\omega_n : [0, 1] \rightarrow S^1$ def by

$\omega_n(s) = (\cos(2\pi ns), \sin(2\pi ns))$ for all n in \mathbb{Z}

Thm $\Phi : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \pi_1(S^1, x)$ def by $\Phi(n) = [\omega_n]$
is an isomorphism

we proved Φ is a homomorphism using some
auxiliary maps [which ones?]:

- $p : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow S^1$ def by
$$p(x) = (\cos(2\pi x), \sin(2\pi x))$$
- $\omega_{\{a, b\}} : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
$$\omega_{\{a, b\}}(s) = (1 - s)a + sb$$
for any a, b in \mathbb{Z}

if $b - a = n$, then $\omega_n = p \circ \omega_{\{a, b\}}$

Claim Φ is bijective

Assumptions (to be postponed till later)

- 1) for any path $\gamma : [0, 1] \rightarrow S^1$ and a in \mathbb{R} s.t.
 $p(a) = \gamma(0)$,
there is a unique $\Gamma : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.
 $\Gamma(0) = a$ and $\gamma = p \circ \Gamma$,
which we will call a lift of γ to \mathbb{R}
- 2) for any path homotopy $h : [0, 1]^2 \rightarrow S^1$ s.t.
 $h(-, 0) = \gamma$, and lift Γ of γ ,
there is a path homotopy $H : [0, 1]^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t.
 $H(-, 0) = \Gamma$ and $h = p \circ H$

Conditional Pf of Claim

Φ is surjective:

pick an elt of $\pi_1(S^1, x)$, where $x = (1, 0)$

it must be $[\gamma]$ for some loop γ based at x

note that $p^{-1}(x) = Z \subset R$

pick a in Z

by 1), get a lift Γ of γ to R starting at a

let $b = \Gamma(1)$

then we also need $p(b) = \gamma(1) = x$

so we also need b in $p^{-1}(x) = Z$

so Γ is a path in R from a to b

so get a path-homotopy from Γ to $\omega_{\{a, b\}}$

so get a path-homotopy from γ to $\omega_{\{b - a\}}$

Φ is injective:

enough to show that $[\omega_m] = [\omega_n]$ implies

$$m = n$$

pick path homotopy h from ω_m to ω_n

recall that $\omega_{\{0, m\}}$ lifts ω_m

by 2), get path homotopy $H : [0, 1]^2 \rightarrow R$ s.t.

$$H(-, 0) = \omega_{\{0, m\}} \text{ and } h = p \circ H$$

let $\Gamma = H(-, 1)$

as H is a path homotopy, must have

$$\Gamma(0) = \omega_{\{0, m\}}(0) = 0,$$

$$\Gamma(1) = \omega_{\{0, m\}}(1) = m$$

but Γ is also a lift of ω_n to R starting at 0

and $\omega_{\{0, n\}}$ is another such lift

so by the uniqueness in 1), need $\Gamma = \omega_n$

so $m = \Gamma(1) = n \quad \square$

[what can we do with the iso $\pi_1(S^1, x) = \mathbb{Z}$?]

recall that if G, K are groups, so is $G \times K$
under a coordinate-wise law

Lem for any x in X and y in Y , there is an iso

$\pi_1(X \times Y, (x, y))$ to $\pi_1(X, x) \times \pi_1(Y, y)$

[what is the map?]

Pf send $[\gamma]$ mapsto $([p \circ \gamma], [q \circ \gamma])$
where $p : X \times Y$ to X and $q : X \times Y$ to Y
are the projections

we define the (surface) torus to be $T = S^1 \times S^1$

Cor $\pi_1(T, (x, y)) = \mathbb{Z}^2$ for any x, y in S^1

Cor the torus and the 2-sphere are
not homeomorphic

now consider $Y = \mathbb{R}^2 - \{(0, 0)\}$ and $x = (1, 0)$
what is $\pi_1(Y, x)$?

π_1 still iso to $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$

but Y is not homeomorphic to S^1 [why?]

so it is possible for non-homeomorphic spaces
to have isomorphic fundamental groups

however, Y is still similar in shape to S^1
[to quantify that:]

(Munkres §55, 58) let X, Y be top spaces

recall: cts maps $f_0, f_1 : X$ to Y are homotopic iff
there is a cts $h : X \times [0, 1]$ to Y s.t.

$$h(-, 0) = f_0,$$

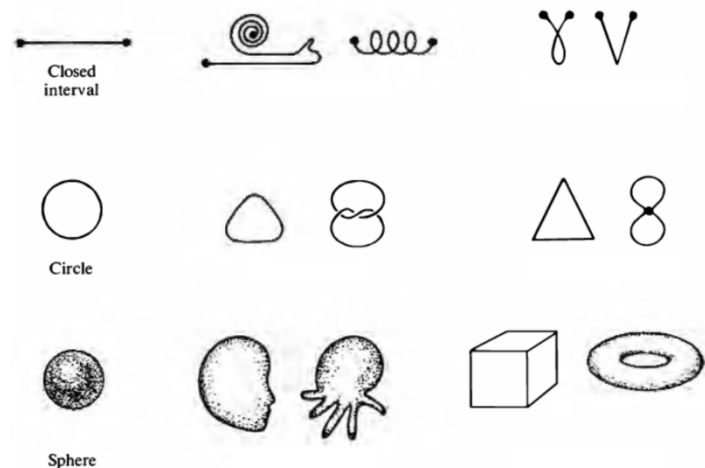
$$h(-, 1) = f_1$$

Df a homotopy equivalence btw X and Y
consists of maps $f : X$ to Y and $g : Y$ to X
s.t. $g \circ f$ is homotopic to id_X
 $f \circ g$ is homotopic to id_Y

often, we abuse language by saying f or g alone
is the homotopy equivalence

we write $X \sim Y$ iff there is a homotopy equivalence
btw them

then \sim is an equivalence relation on top spaces
so when $X \sim Y$,
we also say X and Y are homotopy equivalent



Ex let $Y = \mathbb{R}^2 - \{(0, 0)\}$
we claim that the inclusion $f : S^1 \rightarrow Y$
is (half of) a homotopy equivalence

first we need to give $g : Y \rightarrow S^1$: [what works?]
take the radial projection

$$g(v) = v/|v| \quad \text{where } |(x, y)| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

now $g \circ f = \text{id}_{S^1}$ on the nose, while $f \circ g = g$
so just need a homotopy btw g and id_Y : easier

Df in general, if $s : X \rightarrow Y$ and $r : Y \rightarrow X$
satisfy $r \circ s = \text{id}_X$
then s is called a section to r
 r is called a retract [!] to s

in this case, s_* is inj and r_* is surj [PS6, #7]
more generally:

Lem if $\phi : G \rightarrow G'$ and $\psi : G' \rightarrow G$ are maps
s.t. $\psi \circ \phi$ is bijective
then ϕ is inj and ψ is surj

Thm if $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is a homotopy equivalence
then $f_* : \pi_1(X, x) \rightarrow \pi_1(Y, f(x))$ is
an iso for any x in X

Next Time proof of this thm