

# Delaunay triangulations of symmetric hyperbolic surfaces

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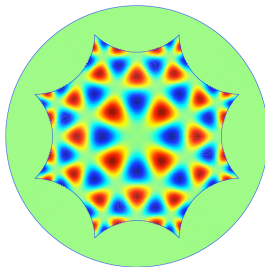
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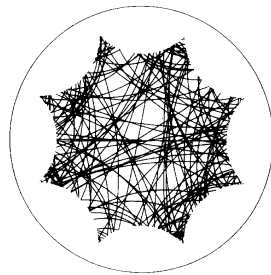
# Motivation



[Sausset, Tarjus, Viot '08]



[Chossat, Faye, Faugeras '11]



[Balazs, Voros '86]

# State of the art

## Closed Euclidean manifolds

- Algorithms 2D [Mazón, Recio '97], 3D [Dolbilin, Huson '97],  $d$ D [Caroli, Teillaud '16]
- Software (square/cubic flat torus) 2D [Kruithof '13], 3D [Caroli, Teillaud '09]

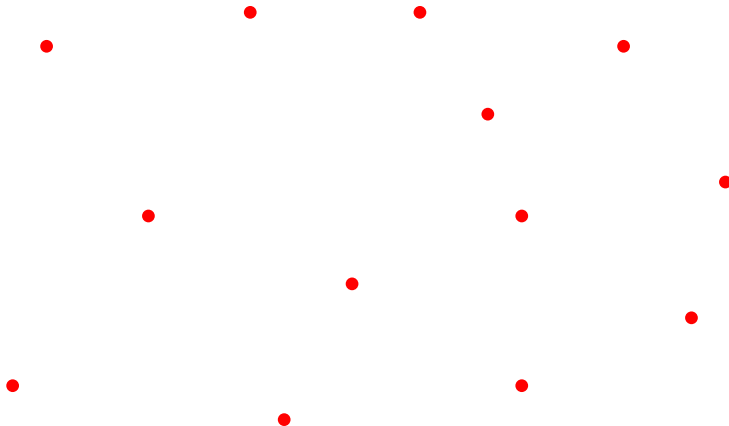


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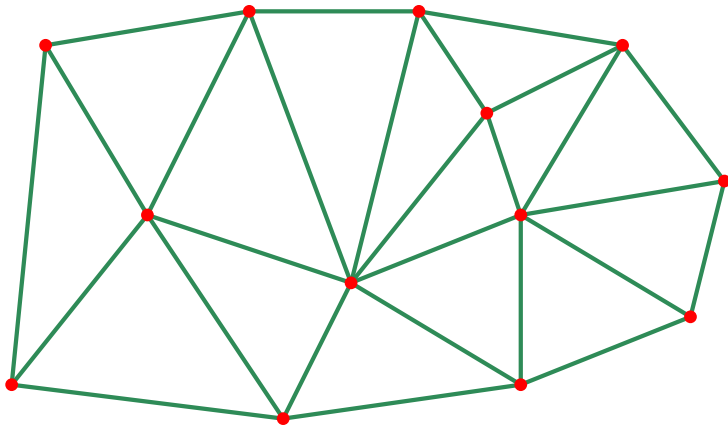
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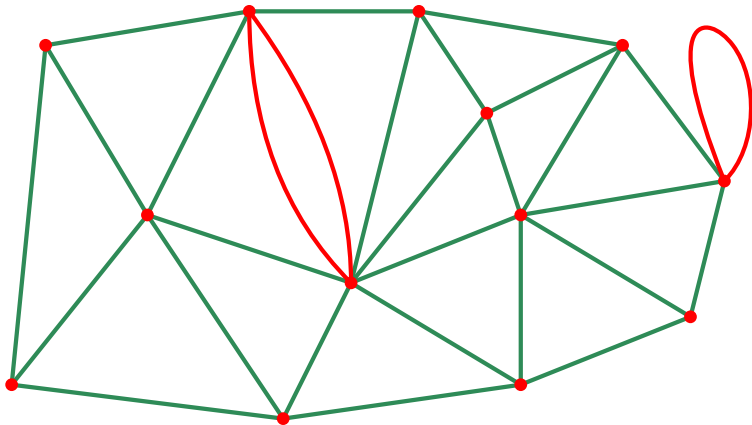


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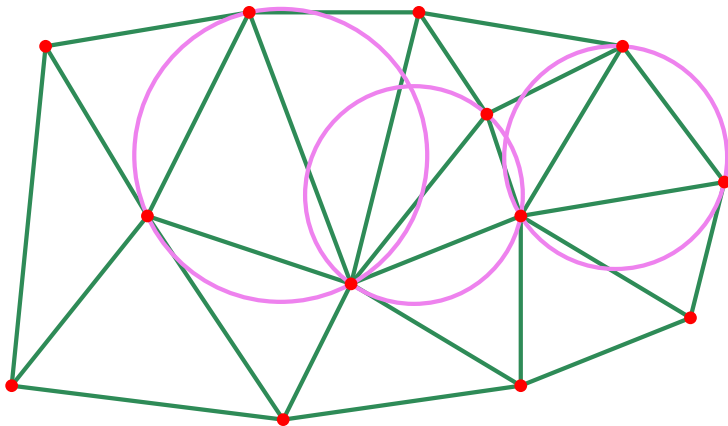


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triangulation = simplicial complex!



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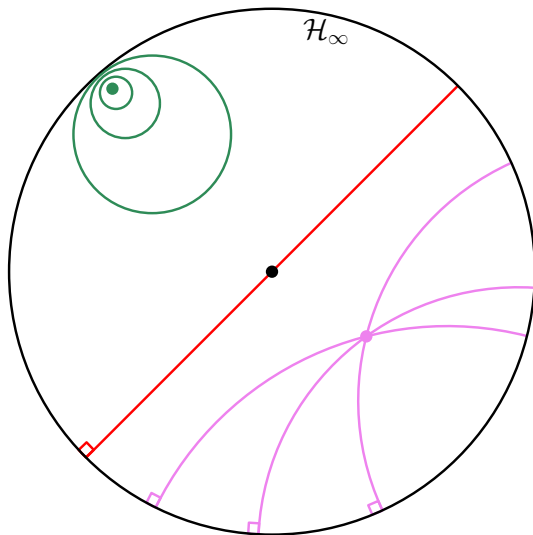




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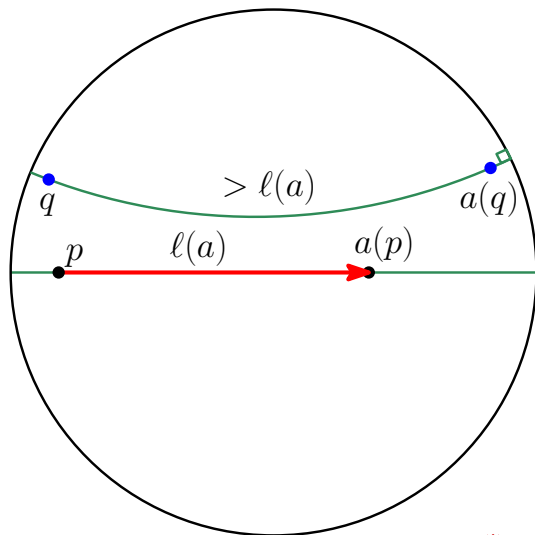
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# Poincaré model of the hyperbolic plane $\mathbb{H}^2$



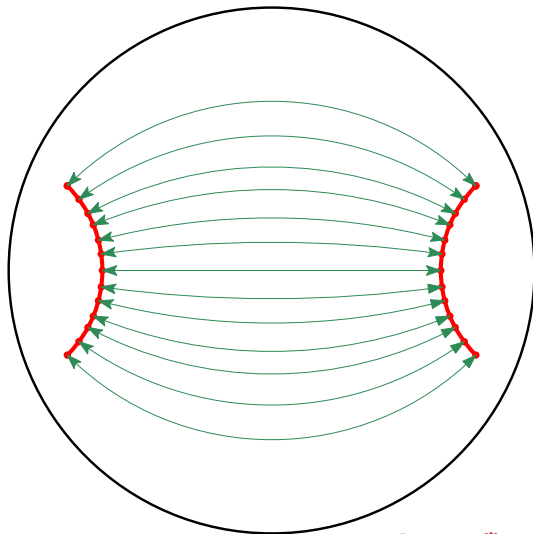
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Special case: axis = diameter



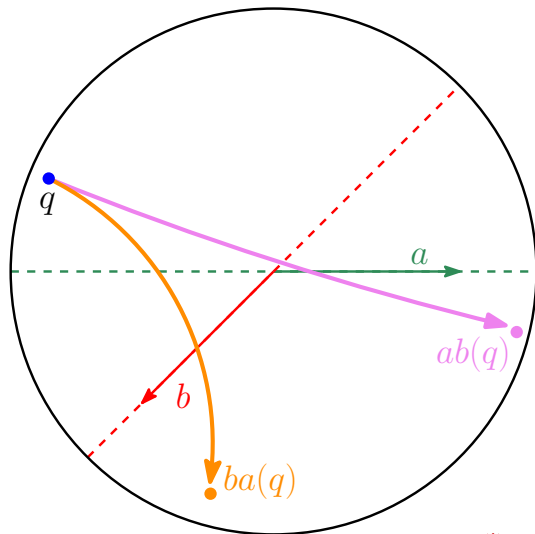
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Side-pairing transformation

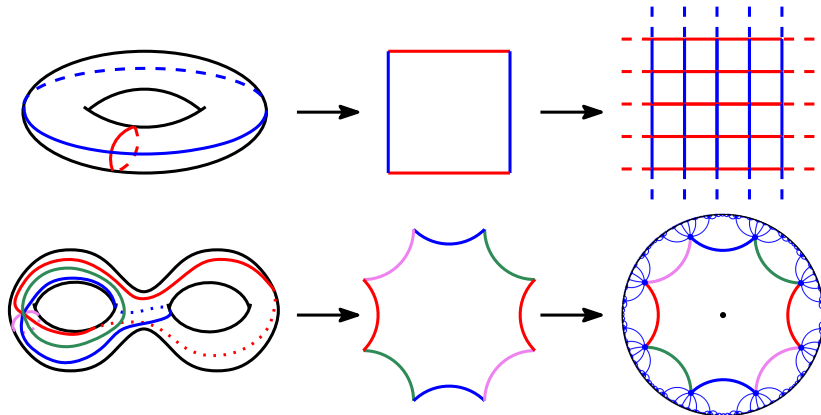


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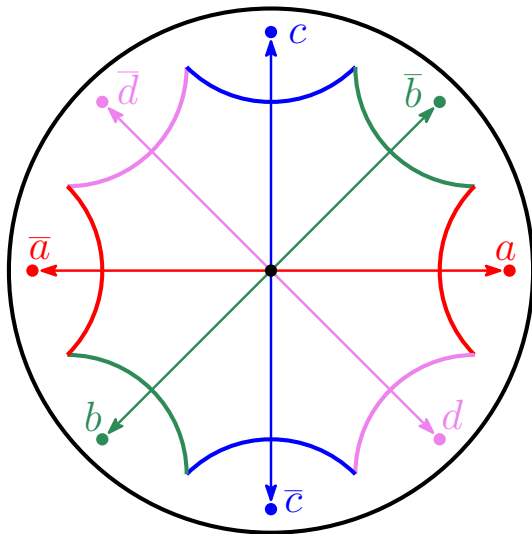
**Non-commutative!**



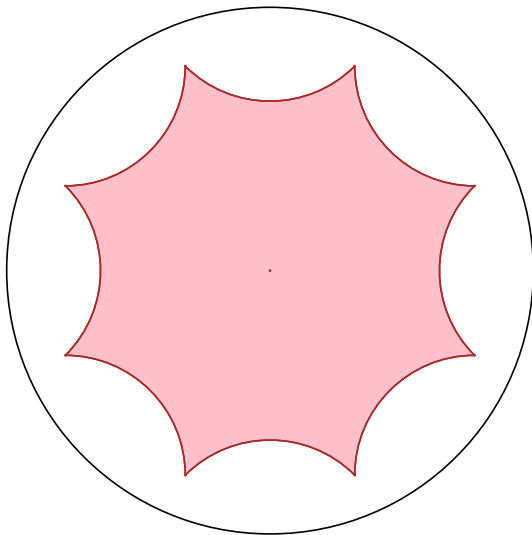
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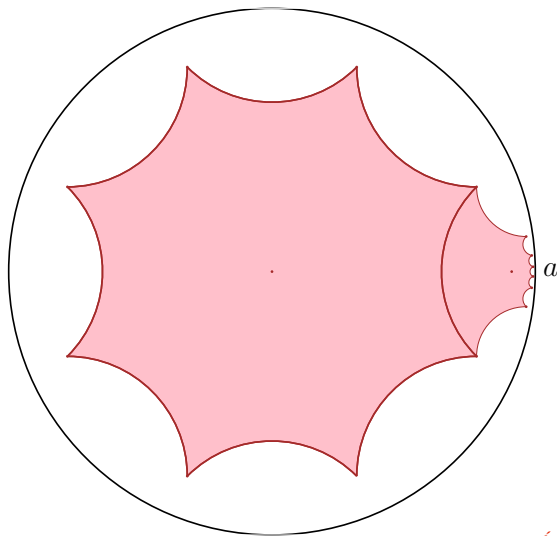


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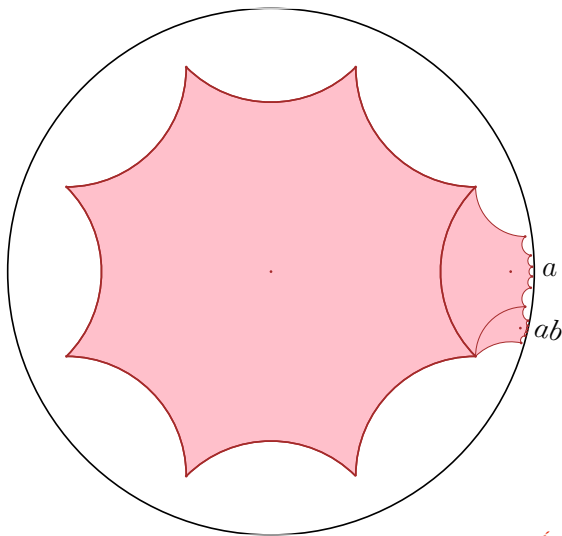




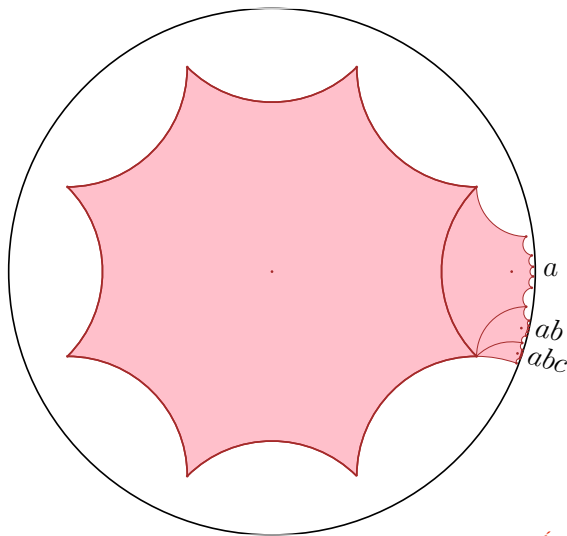
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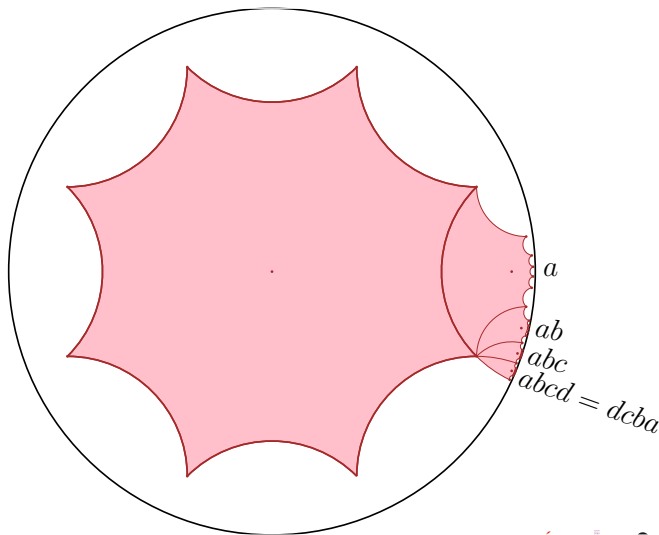
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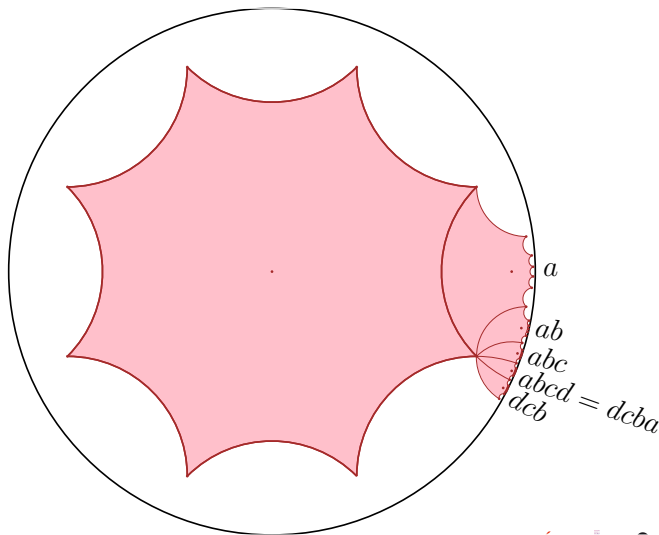
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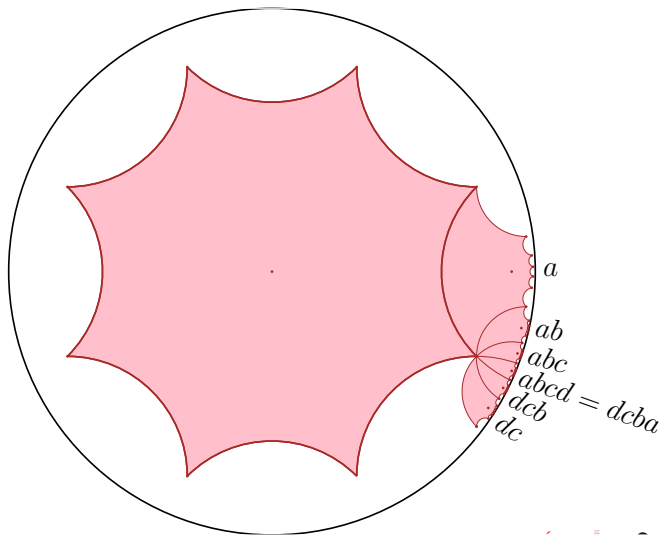
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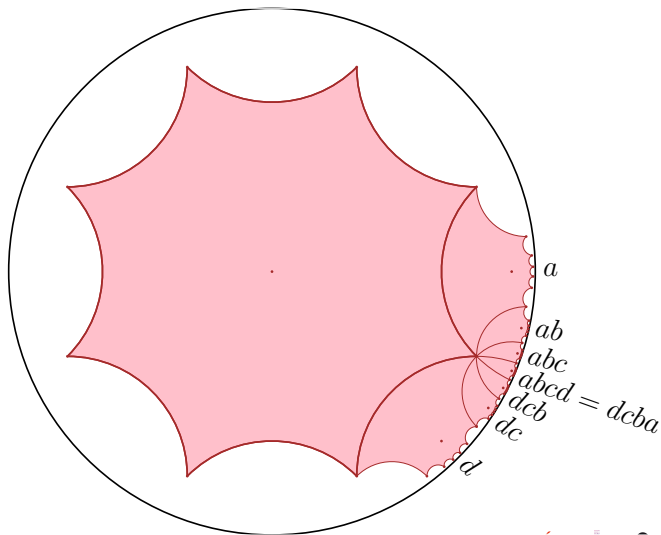
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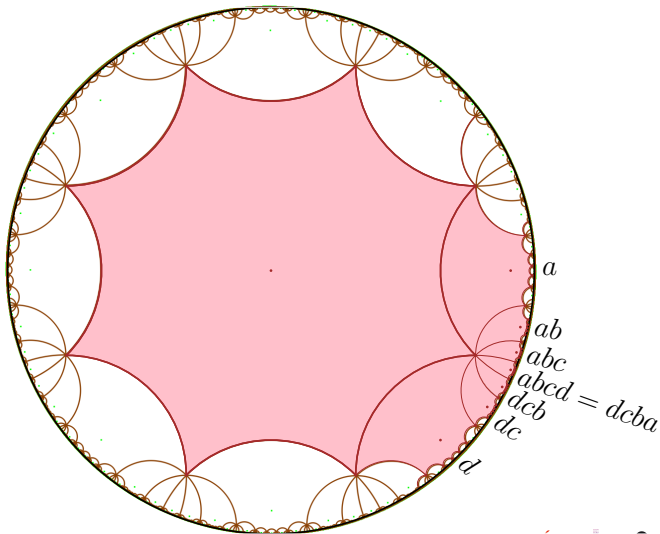
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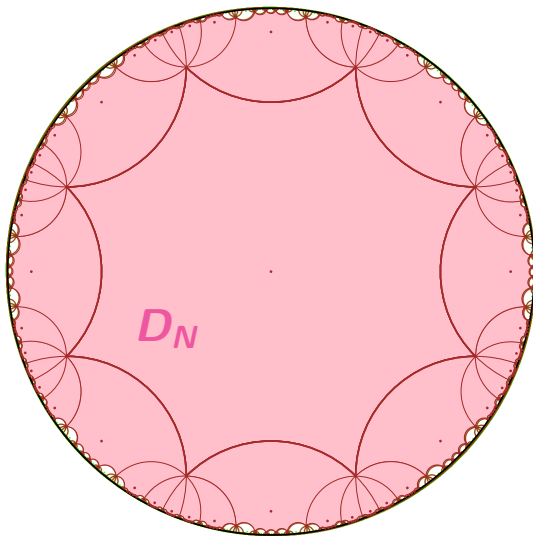


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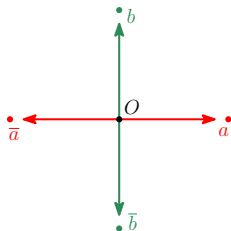




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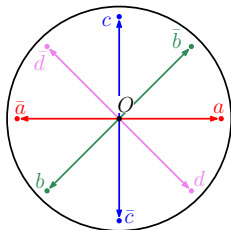


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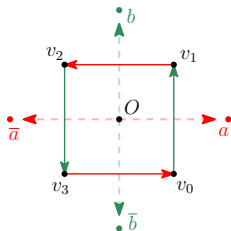
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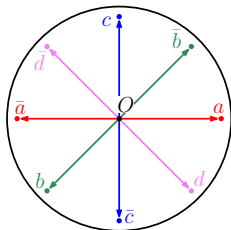
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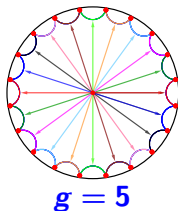
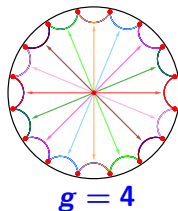
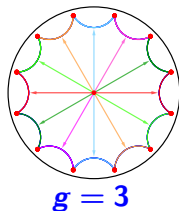
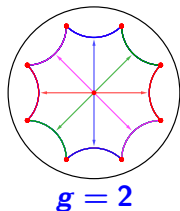
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Symmetric hyperbolic surfaces of genus  $g \geq 2$ 

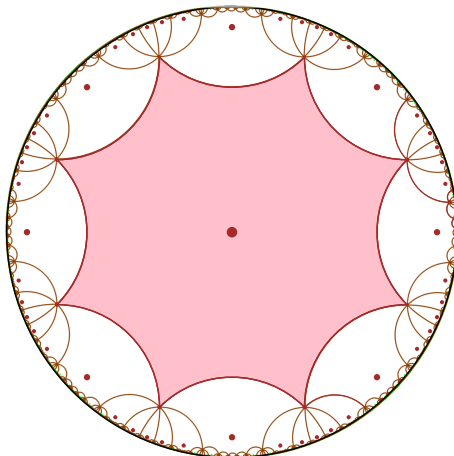
angle sum  $= 2\pi$  for all  $4g$ -gons!

Let  $\Gamma_g$ : Fuchsian group with finite presentation similar to Bolza  
 $\rightarrow 2g$  generators, single relation

Symmetric hyperbolic surface:  $\mathbb{M}_g = \mathbb{H}^2 / \Gamma_g$ ,  $g \geq 2$

with natural projection mapping  $\pi_g : \mathbb{H}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{M}_g$

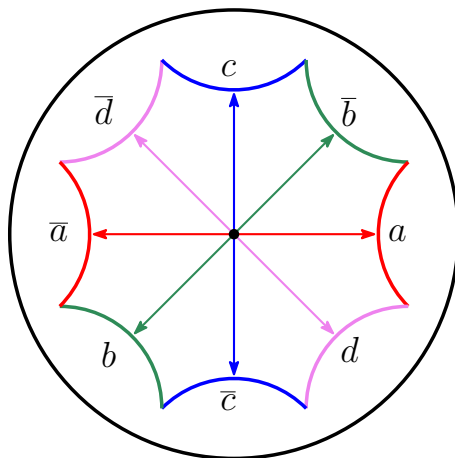
# Dirichlet regions



Voronoi diagram of  $\Gamma_g O$  for  $g = 2$

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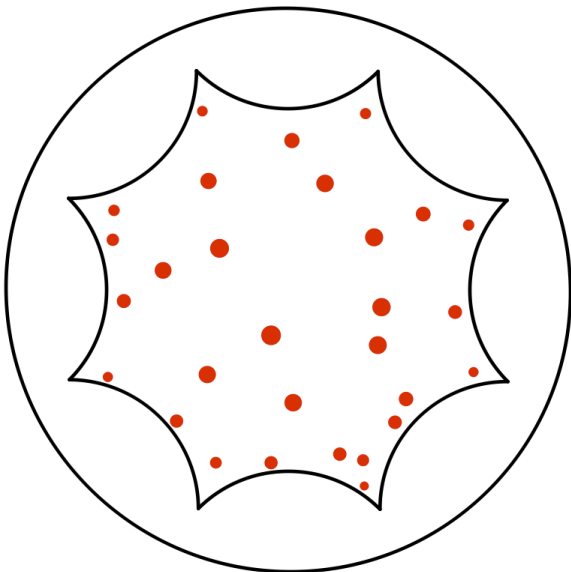
Fundamental domain  $D_g =$  Dirichlet region of  $O$  for  $\Gamma_g$   
 here for  $g = 2$

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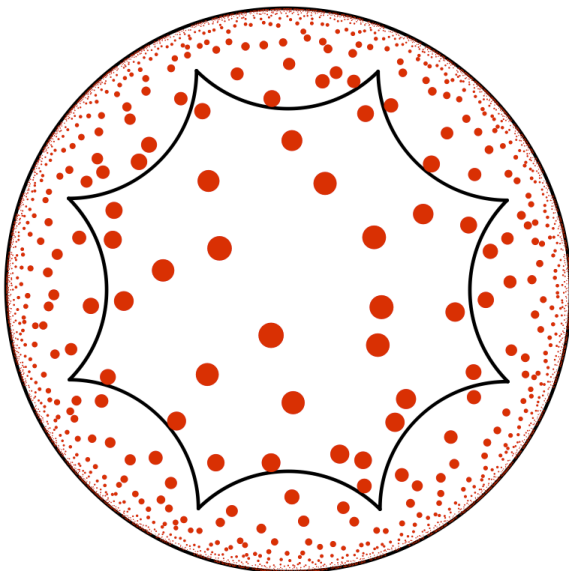
[BTV16]


 $S$  set of points in  $D_g$



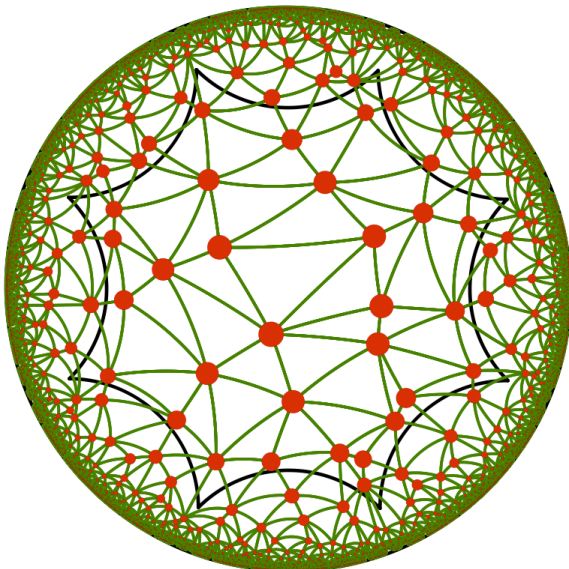
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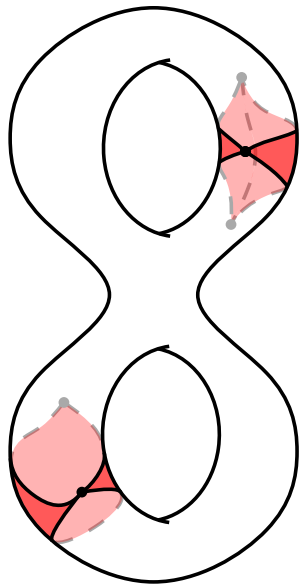
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Delaunay triangulation in  $\mathbb{H}^2$   
 $DT_{\mathbb{H}}(\Gamma_g S)$

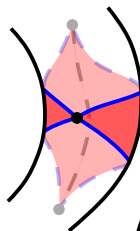
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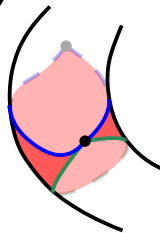


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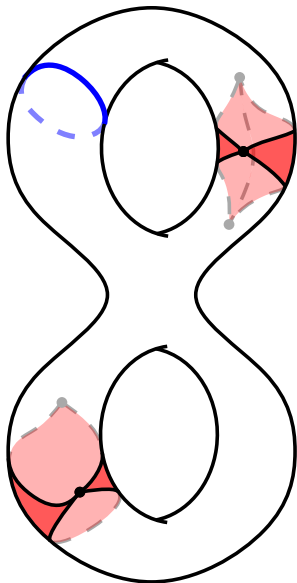
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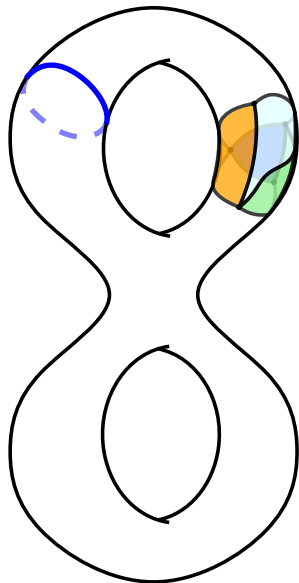
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Systole of a surface = minimum length of a non-contractible loop on the surface

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→ **is a simplicial complex, if**

$$\delta_S < \frac{1}{2} \text{sys}(\mathbb{M}_g), \quad \text{where}$$

$\delta_S$  = diameter of largest disks in  $\mathbb{H}^2$   
not containing any point of  $\Gamma_g S$

$$DT_{\mathbb{M}_g}(S) := \pi_g(DT_{\mathbb{H}}(\Gamma_g S))$$

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Algorithm for computing Delaunay triangulations of  $\mathbb{M}_g$

[BTV16]

- initialize  $DT_{\mathbb{M}_g}$  with a set  $Q_g$  that satisfies the validity condition;
- insert input points  $P$  in the triangulation;
- remove points of  $Q_g$  from the triangulation, **if possible**.

→ condition preserved with insertion of new points

→ diameter of largest empty disks cannot grow

→ final triangulation might contain **dummy points**

→ if input points too few and/or badly distributed

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**Question:** How to choose a unique representative for each *face*?

# Inclusion property

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$$\delta_S < \frac{1}{2} \text{sys}(\mathbb{M}_g).$$

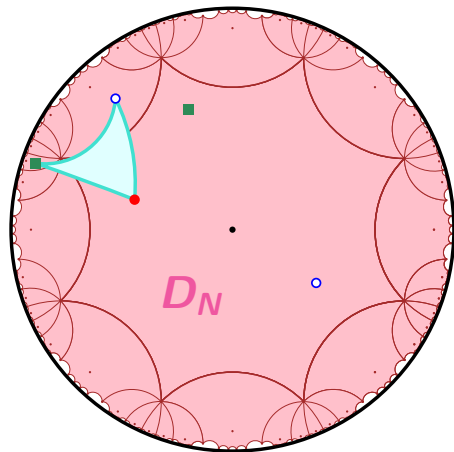
Let  $\sigma$  be a face of  $DT_{\mathbb{H}}(\Gamma_g S)$  with at least one vertex in  $D_g$   
 $\Rightarrow \sigma$  is contained in  $D_N$

Proof:

■ for  $g = 2 \rightarrow$  [IT17]

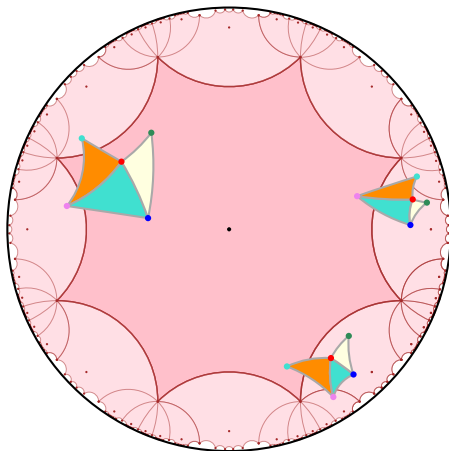
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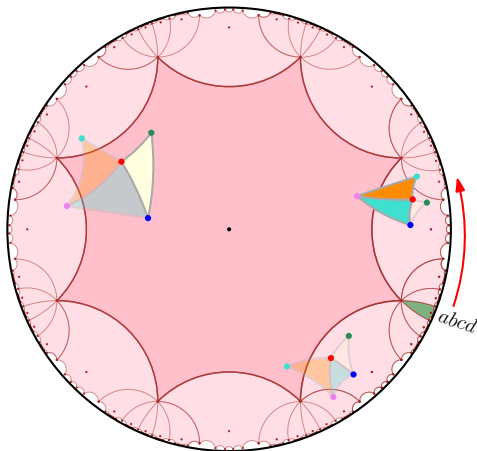
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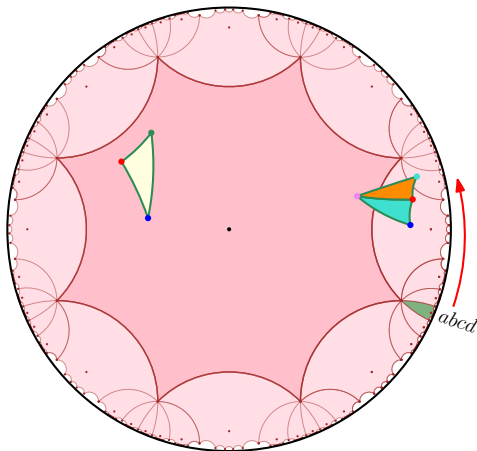
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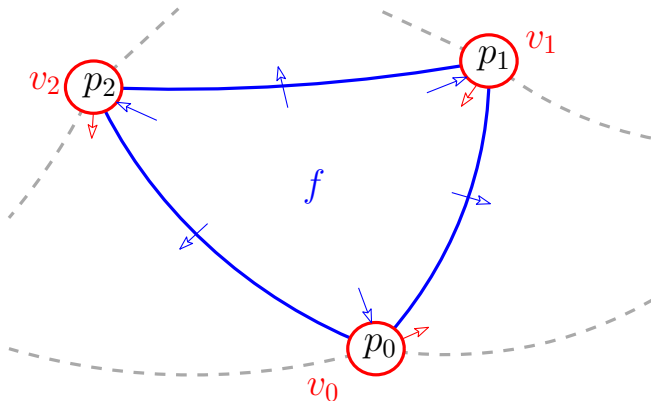
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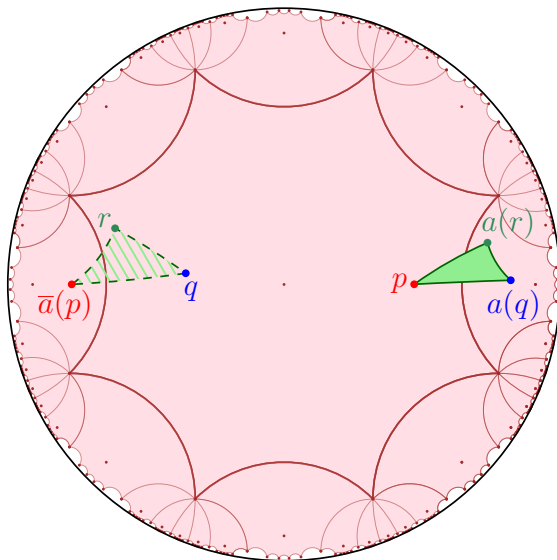


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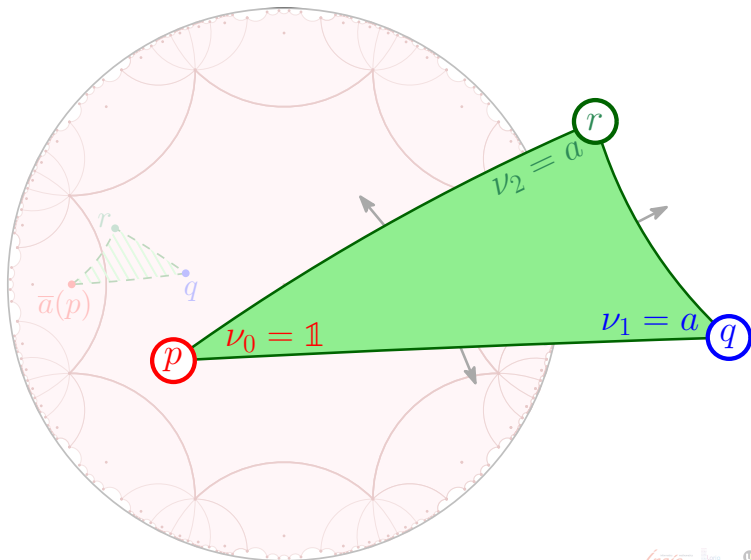




# Canonical representatives can cross the boundary



# CGAL extended triangulation data structure



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[Ebbens, 2018]

$$\text{sys}(\mathbb{M}_g) = 2 \operatorname{arcosh} \left( 1 + 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2g} \right) \right)$$

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# Implementation

Available code:

- triangulations in  $\mathbb{H}^2$  (non-periodic)
  - triangulations of  $\mathbb{M}_2$  (periodic)
  - generate dummy points with different strategies
- } <https://imiordanov.github.io/code>

Todo:

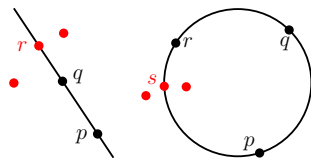
- Put the pieces together

Difficulties:

- Numerical operations with `CORE: :Expr`



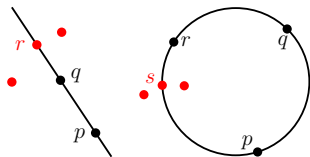
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Hyperbolic translations include *algebraic numbers*:

$$T_k = \begin{bmatrix} \cot(\frac{\pi}{4g}) & \exp(\frac{ik\pi}{2g})\sqrt{\cot^2(\frac{\pi}{4g}) - 1} \\ \exp(-\frac{ik\pi}{2g})\sqrt{\cot^2(\frac{\pi}{4g}) - 1} & \cot(\frac{\pi}{4g}) \end{bmatrix}$$

→ images of rational points have algebraic coordinates!

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*Thank you!*