

Knitting pattern with three components

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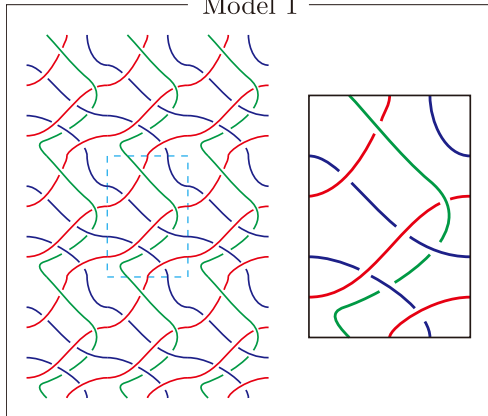
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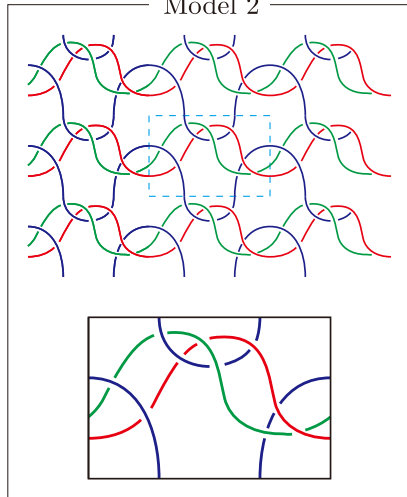
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Motivation

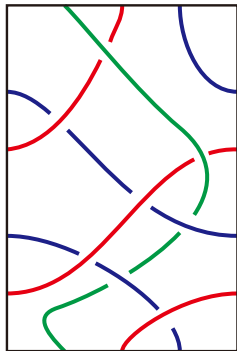
Model 1



Model 2



Today's talk



- Definitions of knitting and its pattern
- Equivalence of them
- Mathematical model of knitting patterns obtained from model 1
- Classification of how green string is entangled in mathematical model

$\mathcal{R} = \langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle$: basis of \mathbb{R}^2

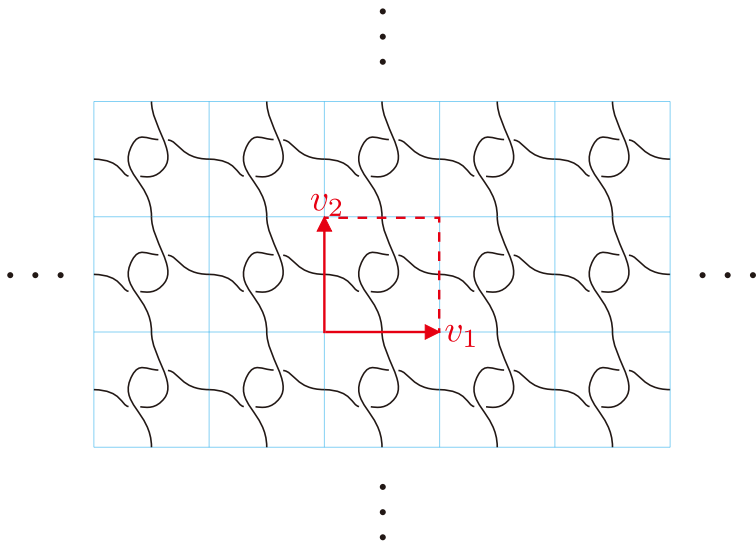
$\forall u = (p, q) \in \mathbb{Z}^2, \forall \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2, \Phi^{\mathcal{R}}(u, \mathbf{x}) = \varphi_u(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x} + p\mathbf{v}_1 + q\mathbf{v}_2$
 $\Rightarrow \Phi^{\mathcal{R}} : \mathbb{Z}^2\text{-action}.$

Definition (Knitting [Kawauchi])

\tilde{K} : quadrivalent graph which are embedded in \mathbb{R}^2 and has height information at each of the vertices(crossing points).

$\tilde{K} \subset \mathbb{R}^2$: **knitting** $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \tilde{K}$ is preserved by \mathbb{Z}^2 -action $\Phi^{\mathcal{R}}$
(i.e., $\exists \mathcal{R} = \langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle$: basis of \mathbb{R}^2 s.t. $\forall u \in \mathbb{Z}^2, \varphi_u(\tilde{K}) = \tilde{K}$ and φ_u preserves height information at each of the crossing points).

Knitting



Equivalence of knitting

Definition

$\mathcal{R}, \mathcal{R}'$: basis of \mathbb{R}^2 , $\Phi^{\mathcal{R}}, \Phi^{\mathcal{R}'}$: \mathbb{Z}^2 -actions

Diffeomorphism $\tilde{g} : (\Phi^{\mathcal{R}}, \Phi^{\mathcal{R}'})$ -equivalent

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{\tilde{g}} & \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \varphi_u \downarrow & \circlearrowright & \downarrow \varphi'_u \\ \mathbb{R}^2 & \xrightarrow{\tilde{g}} & \mathbb{R}^2 \end{array}$$

Definition (Equivalence of knittings)

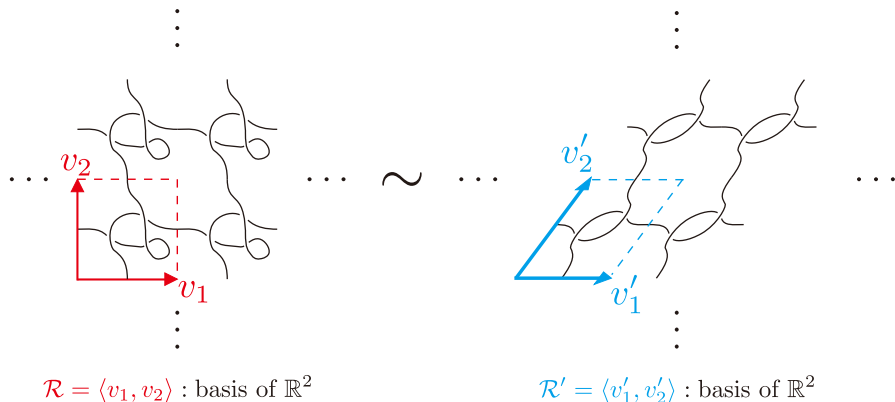
\tilde{K}, \tilde{K}' : knitting

\tilde{K} and \tilde{K}' are equivalent ($\tilde{K} \sim \tilde{K}'$)

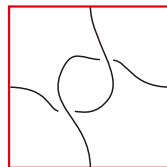
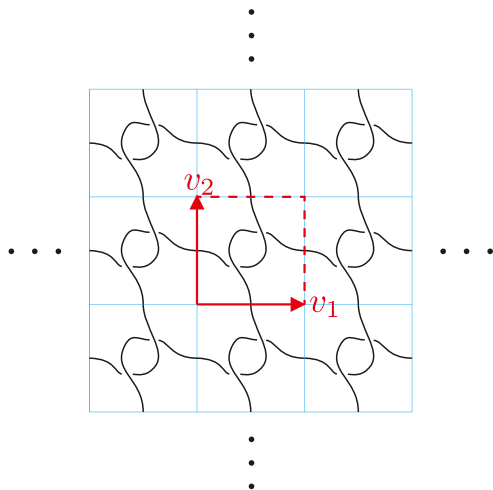
$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists \tilde{g} : (\Phi^{\mathcal{R}}, \Phi^{\mathcal{R}'})$ -equivalent diffeo.

s.t. $\tilde{g}(\tilde{K}) \rightsquigarrow \tilde{K}' : \mathbb{Z}^2$ -equivalent Reidemeister moves.

Example



Knitting pattern



Knitting pattern

Knitting

Knitting pattern

Definition (Knitting pattern)

$Q \subset \mathbb{R}^2$: closed set, $\text{int}Q$: connected, $\overline{(\text{int}Q)} = Q$

Q : **fundamental region** of \tilde{K}

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff}$ The following conditions are satisfied.

①
$$\bigcup_{u=(p,q) \in \mathbb{Z}^2} \varphi_u(Q) = \mathbb{R}^2$$

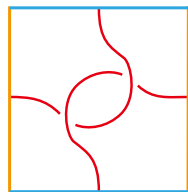
②
$$\varphi_u(\text{int}Q) \cap \varphi_{u'}(\text{int}Q) = \emptyset \quad (u \neq u')$$

We assume $Q \cong I \times I$.

Then we call the tangle diagram $K = \tilde{K} \cap Q$ a **knitting pattern**.

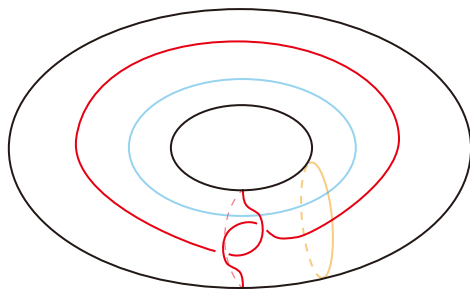
Link diagram on T^2

We can obtain a link diagram on T^2 from a knitting pattern.



K

Identify
the opposite sides

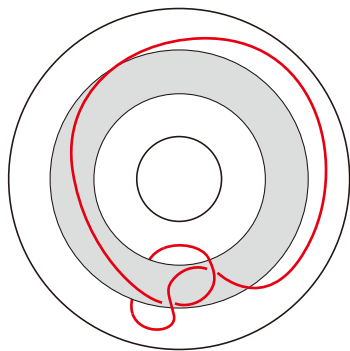


K_T

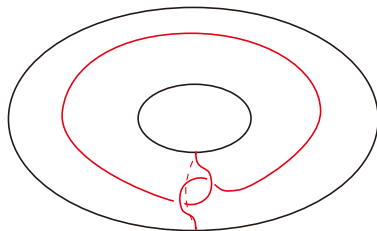
Link diagram on T^2

$$\hat{T} = T^2 \times I$$

$$\text{pr} : \hat{T} \rightarrow T^2 \times \{0\}$$



Link in \hat{T}



Link diagram on T^2

Equivalence of knitting pattern

Definition (TR-equivalent)

K_T, K'_T : link diagrams on T^2 obtained from knitting patterns K, K' .

K_T and K'_T are **TR-equivalent** ($K_T \sim_{TR} K'_T$)

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists g : \text{orientation preserving diffeomorphism}$

s.t. $g(K_T) \rightsquigarrow K'_T$: Reidemeister moves on T^2 .

Definition

Knitting patterns K and K' are **equivalent** ($K \sim K'$).

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} K_T \sim_{TR} K'_T$.

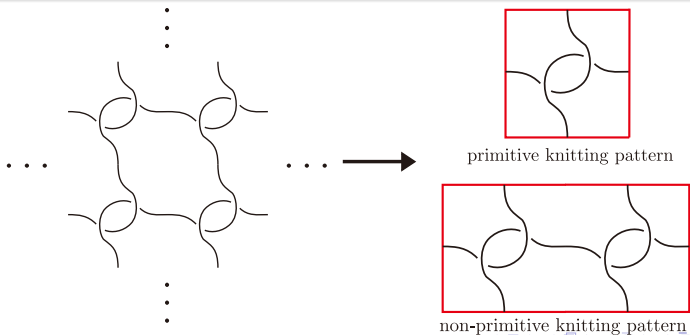
Primitive knitting pattern

Definition

\tilde{K} : knitting, Q : fundamental region of \tilde{K}

K : knitting pattern obtained from \tilde{K}

K : **primitive** $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff}$ The area of Q is minimum among all of knitting patterns of \tilde{K} .



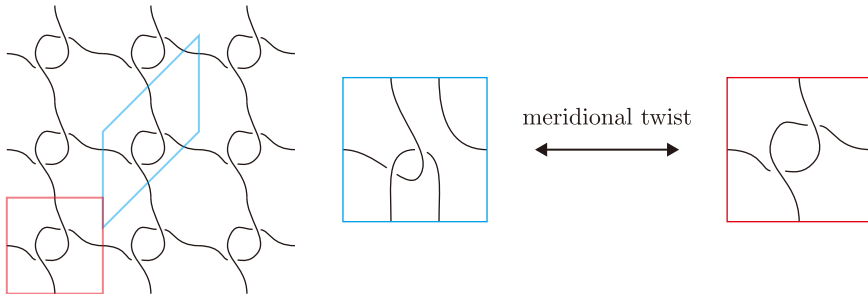
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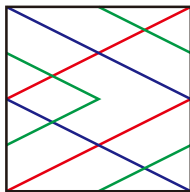
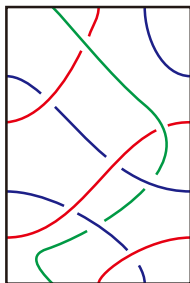
\tilde{K}, \tilde{K}' : knittings

K, K' : primitive knitting patterns obtained from \tilde{K} and \tilde{K}' .

Then, $\tilde{K} \sim \tilde{K}' \Leftrightarrow K \sim K'$



From now, we consider model 1.



Properties of model 1

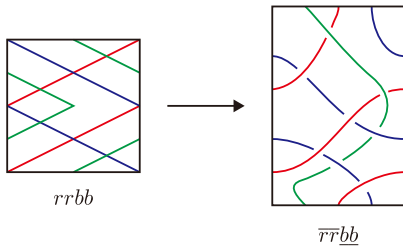
- Consisting of three components and these are essential simple loops on T^2 .
- A red string passes over a blue string.
- A green string passes through the complement areas of other strings once.

Step 1 Consider the “slope” for an essential simple component of knitting pattern (Loops in model 1 have slope $\frac{1}{2}$, $-\frac{1}{2}$ and ∞).

Step 2 Classify link projections on T^2 by “word”.

Step 3 We get link diagrams on T^2 from link projections obtained in step 2.

In the end, we give the classification of the case $n = 2$. (Theorem 3)



Slope for a component of a knitting pattern

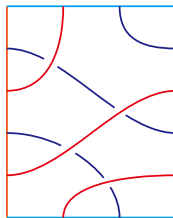
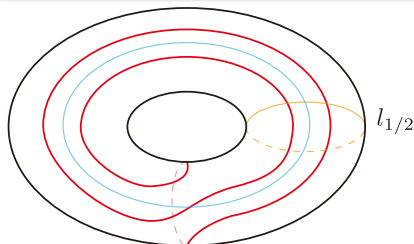
We consider knitting \tilde{K} consisting only of components which are homeomorphic to \mathbb{R} and these components induce essential simple loops on T^2 .

Definition (Slope for a knitting pattern)

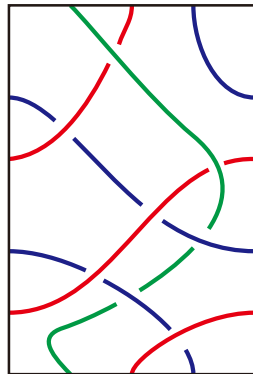
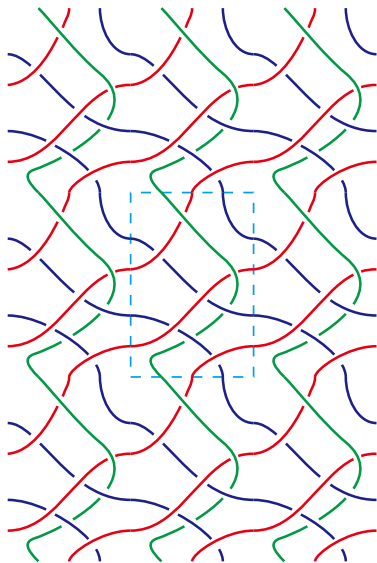
l : essential simple loop on T^2

l has slope $\frac{q}{p}$ ($p \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$, $q \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\gcd(p, q) = 1$)

Then, a component l in knitting pattern has slope $\frac{q}{p}$ ($l = l_{q/p}$).



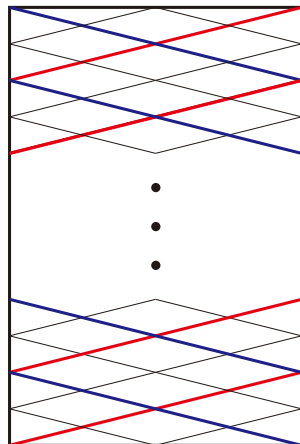
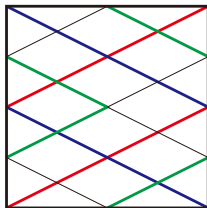
Knitting pattern
consisting of $l_{1/2}, l_{-1/2}$



Mathematical model

Properties of model 1

- Consisting of essential simple loops $l_{1/2}$, $l_{-1/2}$ and l_∞ on T^2 .
- l_∞ passes through the complement areas of $l_{1/2} \cup l_{-1/2}$ once.



G : graph on T^2 dual to

$l_{1/n} \cup l_{-1/n}$.

$l_{q/p}$: essential simple loop on G .

Assumption

$n \in \mathbb{N}$, $p \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$, $q \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\gcd(p, q)=1$

We consider knitting pattern with three components $l_{1/n}$, $l_{-1/n}$ and $l_{q/p}$ on G .

Definition

$p_1, p_2, q_1, q_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\gcd(p_1, q_1)=\gcd(p_2, q_2)=1$

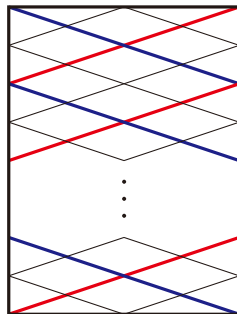
$$\Delta(q_1/p_1, q_2/p_2) = |p_2 q_1 - p_1 q_2|$$

denotes the minimum crossing number
between l_{q_1/p_1} and l_{q_2/p_2} .

Observation

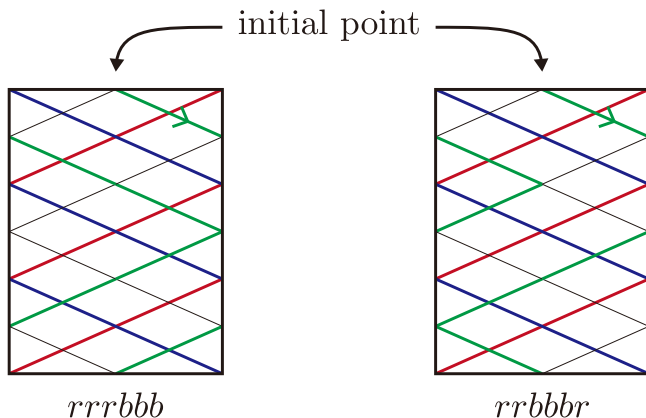
$$c(l_{1/n}, l_{q/p}) = \Delta(1/n, q/p)$$

$$(\text{resp. } c(l_{-1/n}, l_{q/p}) = \Delta(-1/n, q/p))$$



Link projection on T^2

Label the crossing point between $l_{q/p}$ and $l_{1/n}$ as r , and $l_{-1/n}$ as b .
Then, we get a “word” generated by $\{r, b\}$.



Link projection on T^2

Proposition

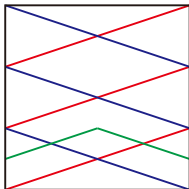
$l_{1/n}, l_{-1/n}$: essential s.c.c. on T^2 with slope $\frac{1}{n}, -\frac{1}{n}$

$l_{q/p}$: essential s.c.c. on T^2 on G

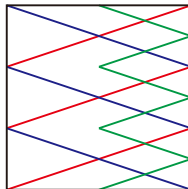
$\#r = c(l_{1/n}, l_{q/p}), \#b = c(l_{-1/n}, l_{q/p})$

Then,

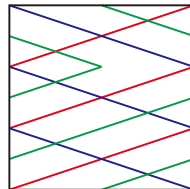
- $\frac{q}{p} = 0 \Rightarrow c = \#r + \#b = 1 + 1 = 2$
- $\frac{q}{p} \neq 0 \Rightarrow c = \#r + \#b = 2n$



$$c = 1 + 1 = 2$$



$$c = 3 + 3 = 6$$



$$c = 2 + 4 = 6$$

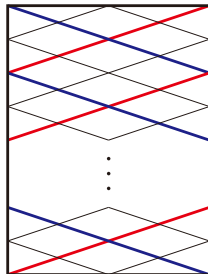
Link projection on T^2

From now, we consider the case $\frac{q}{p} \neq 0$, and we can assume $|q| = 1$.

Remark

$w_{q/p}$: a word induced from $l_{q/p}$

$\#r = \#\{r \in w_{q/p}\}$, $\#b = \#\{b \in w_{q/p}\}$



Proposition

$l_{1/n}, l_{-1/n}$: essential s.c.c. on T^2 with slope $\frac{1}{n}, -\frac{1}{n}$

$l_{q/p}$: essential s.c.c. on T^2 on G

$\#r = c(l_{1/n}, l_{q/p})$, $\#b = c(l_{-1/n}, l_{q/p})$

$$\forall t \in \{0, 1, \dots, 2n\}, (\#r, \#b) = (t, 2n - t) \Leftrightarrow \frac{q}{p} = \frac{1}{n-t}$$

Link projection on T^2

In this slide, we consider link projections on T^2

Definition (Equivalence of word)

Two words with length $2n$ generated by $\{r, b\}$ are **equivalent**

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff}$ Two words are same up to circular permutation.

Definition (Equivalence of link projection on T^2)

Two link projections are **equivalent**

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists$ orientation preserving diffeomorphism of T^2 taking one projection to the other.

Link projection on T^2

Proposition

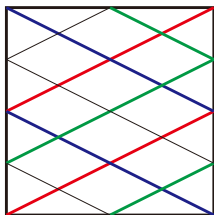
$w = x_1 x_2 \cdots x_{2n}$ ($x_i \in \{r, b\}$) : word

$w' = x'_1 x'_2 \cdots x'_{2n}$ ($x'_i \in \{r, b\}$) : word

K_T, K'_T : link projections on T^2 induced by w and w' .

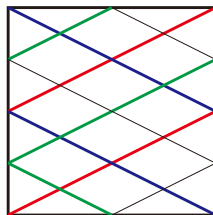
Then,

w and w' are equivalent $\Leftrightarrow K_T$ and K'_T are equivalent

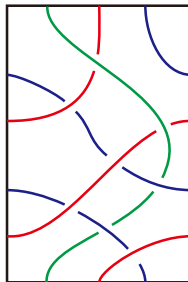
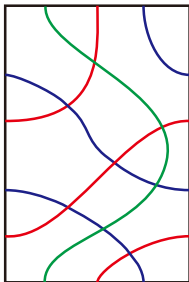
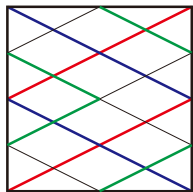


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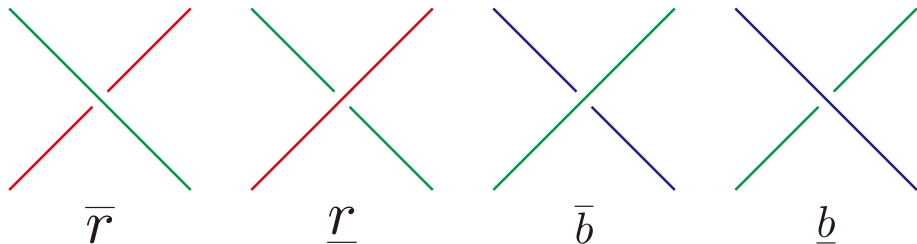
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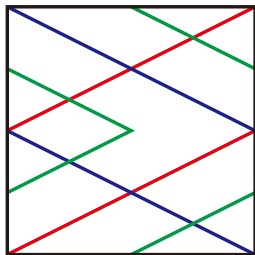
Link diagram on T^2

We consider link diagrams on T^2 with three components $l_{1/n}$, $l_{-1/n}$ and $l_{q/p}$, and $l_{1/n} \geq l_{-1/n}$ (i.e. $l_{1/n}$ passes over $l_{-1/n}$ at all of the crossing points.) holds.

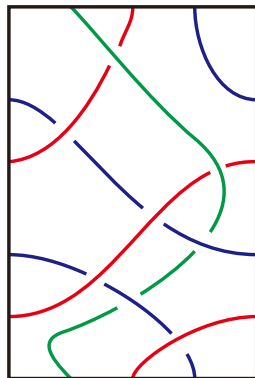
Label the crossing points between $l_{q/p}$ and $l_{1/n} \cup l_{-1/n}$ in the link diagram on T^2 either \bar{r} , \underline{r} , \bar{b} , or \underline{b} .



Example



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$\overline{rr}bb$

Split link diagram

Definition

D : link diagram on T^2 with n components l_1, l_2, \dots, l_n ($n \in \mathbb{N}$)

$l_i \geq l_j$ (resp. $l_i \leq l_j$) ($i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}, i \neq j$)

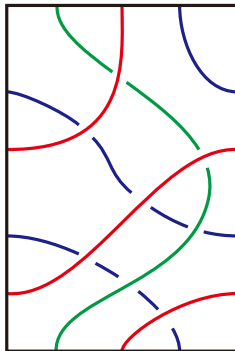
$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} l_i$ passes over (resp. under) l_j at all of the crossing points of l_i and l_j or $l_i \cap l_j = \emptyset$ in D .

D : **split**

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ s.t. $\forall m \in \{1, \dots, k-1, k+1, \dots, n\},$

$$\begin{cases} l_k \geq l_m \\ l_k \leq l_m \end{cases}$$

Example



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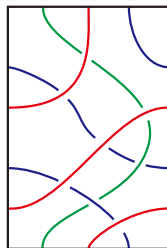
Non split link diagram on T^2

Proposition

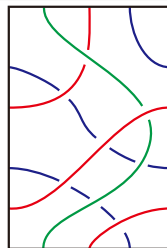
$w = x_1 x_2 \cdots x_{2n}$ ($x_i \in \{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\}$) : word

K_T : link diagram on T^2 induced by w with $l_{1/n} \geq l_{-1/n}$

$$\begin{cases} x_i \in \{\underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\} \\ x_i \in \{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}\} \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow K_T : \text{split}$$



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$\bar{r}\bar{r}\underline{b}\underline{b}$

Definition (RIII-equivalent)

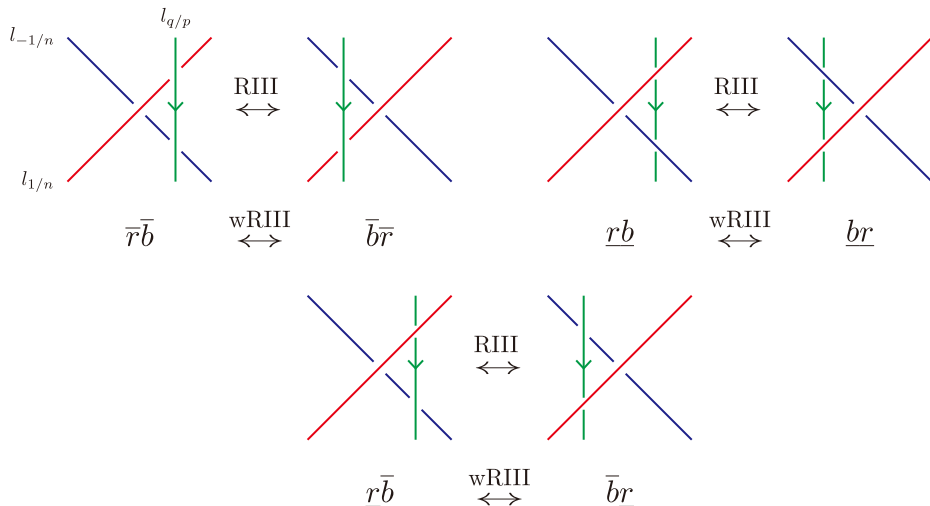
K_T, K'_T : link diagrams on T^2 obtained from knitting patterns K, K' .

K_T and K'_T are **RIII-equivalent**

$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} \exists g : \text{orientation preserving diffeomorphism}$

s.t. $g(K_T) \rightsquigarrow K'_T$: Reidemeister moves III on T^2 .

Reidemeister move III



Link diagram on T^2

Definition (Equivalence of word)

Two words with length $2n$ generated by $\{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\}$ are **equivalent**
 $\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow}$ Two words are same words up to circular permutation after finite sequence of wRIIs.

Theorem 2

$w = x_1 x_2 \cdots x_{2n}$ ($x_i \in \{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\}$) : word

$w' = x'_1 x'_2 \cdots x'_{2n}$ ($x'_i \in \{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\}$) : word

K_T, K'_T : link diagrams on T^2 induced by w and w' with $l_{1/\text{red}} \geq l_{-1/\text{blue}}$

w and w' are equivalent $\Leftrightarrow K_T$ and K'_T are RIII-equivalent

Algorithm

$n \in \mathbb{N}, t \in \{0, 1, \dots, 2n\}$

How to get knitting pattern consisting of $l_{1/n}$, $l_{-1/n}$ and $l_{1/(n-t)}$.

- 1 Consider words generated by $\{r, b\}$ with $(\#r, \#b) = (t, 2n - t)$ up to cyclic permutation.
- 2 Give high information to words and exclude word consisting of $\{\underline{r}, \bar{b}, \underline{b}\}$ or $\{\bar{r}, \underline{r}, \bar{b}\}$. (Exclude split knitting patterns)
- 3 Consider words up to cyclic permutation after finite sequences of wRIIs.

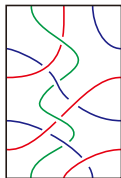
Theorem 3(Classification of the case $n = 2$)

$p \in \{0, 1, 2\}$, $|q| = 1$, $\gcd(p, q)=1$

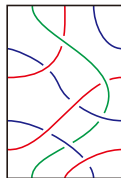
$l_{1/2}$, $l_{-1/2}$, $l_{q/p}$: essential simple loops on T^2 with slope $\frac{1}{2}$, $-\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{q}{p}$

There are nine non split knitting patterns consisting of $l_{1/2}$, $l_{-1/2}$ and $l_{q/p}$.

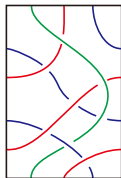
$$\frac{q}{p} = \infty$$



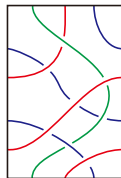
$$\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, \infty\right) [\bar{r} \bar{b} \bar{r} \bar{b}]$$



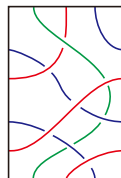
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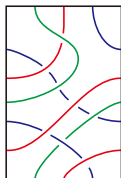


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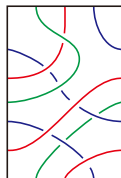


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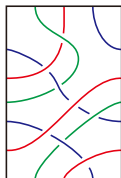
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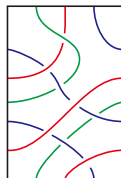
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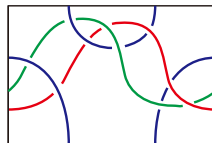
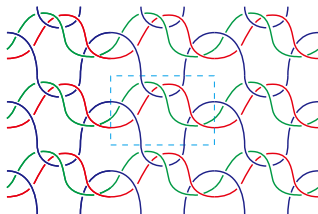
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Future works

- The relation between equivalence of words and equivalence of link diagrams on T^2 up to Reidemeister moves I, II and III.
- Knitting patterns consisting of $l_{n/m}$, $l_{-n/m}$ and $l_{q/p}$.
- Considering model 2.



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