

Pre-class Warm-up!!!

Are any of the following spaces homeomorphic?



- No two of them are homeomorphic
- Precisely two are homeomorphic ✓ $A \cong C$
- Two are homeomorphic and the other two are homeomorphic
- A is homeomorphic, but B, C and D are not.

Another question: Let S^1 denote the unit circle in $\mathbb{R}^2$. Consider the torus $T = S^1 \times S^1$ contained in $\mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2 = \mathbb{R}^4$.

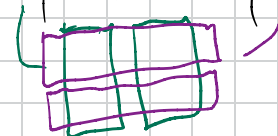
Do you think the complement of T in $\mathbb{R}^4$ is connected?

$T =$ without the inside.

$$\mathbb{R}_a^2 = S_a^1 \sqcup K_a \quad \mathbb{R}_b^2 = S_b^1 \sqcup K_b$$

$$\mathbb{R}^4 = S_a^1 \times S_b^1 \sqcup K_a \times \mathbb{R}_b^2 \sqcup \mathbb{R}_a^2 \times K_b$$

2 pieces 2 pieces



The four pieces overlap as shown, and each piece is connected.

Compact surfaces

Surfaces are 2-dimensional manifolds (without boundary).

Examples:

a. The torus $T = S^1 \times S^1 \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Proposition. Products of manifolds are manifolds.

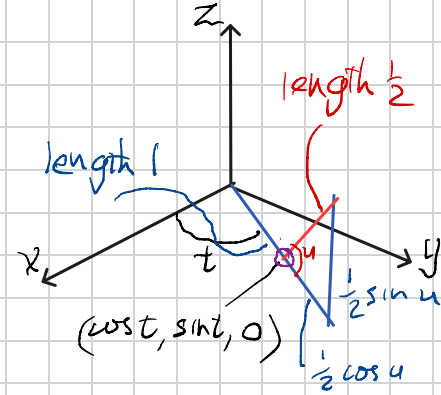
Proof. A product of Hausdorff spaces is Hausdorff. If $(x, y) \in M \times N$, $x \in U_x \subseteq M$, $y \in V_y \subseteq N$ are open nbd's homeomorphic to open balls, then $(x, y) \in U_x \times V_y$ is an open nbd of $M \times N$, homeom. to an open ball. $\square$

b. Also $T = \text{torus} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Which description of the torus do you like best?

a. $S^1 \times S^1$ b. The subset of $\mathbb{R}^3$

c. The identification space $a b a^{-1} b^{-1}$?



$$T = \left\{ \left(\left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos u\right) \cos t, \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos u\right) \sin t, \frac{1}{2} \sin u \right) \mid t, u \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

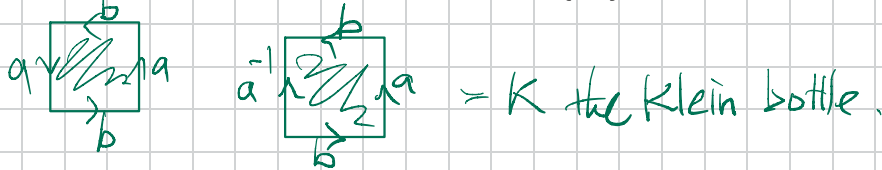
c. $a b a^{-1} b^{-1} = a b a^{-1} b^{-1}$

Convention: read round the circle counterclockwise, + arrows go counterclockwise.

Best. c 8 a 2 b 0

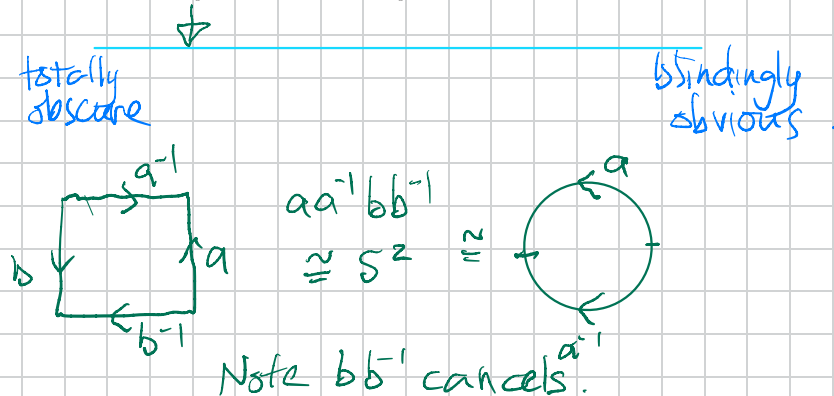
Identification spaces again

We have seen $abab$ and $aba^{-1}b$.

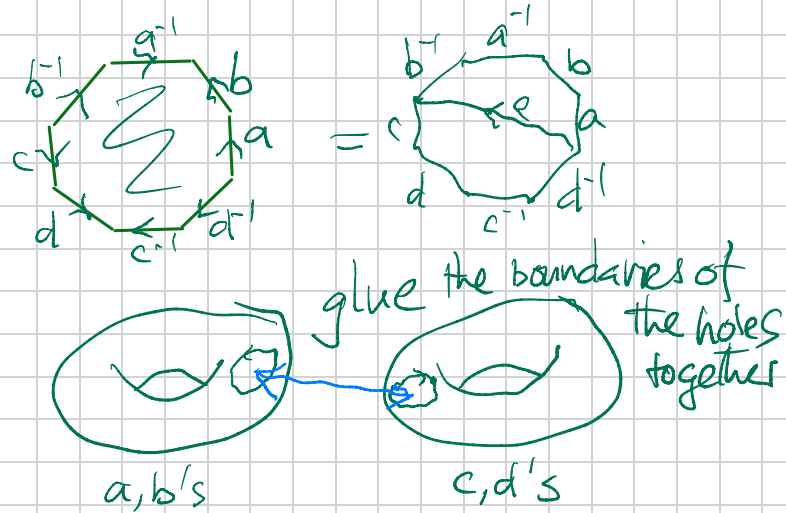


$\mathbb{RP}^2$ the projective plane

These are compact 2-manifolds = compact surfaces.
Is it obvious that the corners have neighborhoods homeomorphic to an open disk?



What about $aba^{-1}b^{-1}cdc^{-1}d^{-1}$?



toget: a double torus

= 2-sphere with 2 handles.

Theorem. (See page 77 of the book) The only compact 1-manifold is S^1 .

The connected sum of two surfaces

Page 79 of Kosniowski's book. We will not do things 'rigorously' in the sense of the book.

Given two surfaces M and N remove a small open disk from each and identify M -open disk and N -open disk along the remaining boundaries of the disks. We get the connected sum $M \# N$.

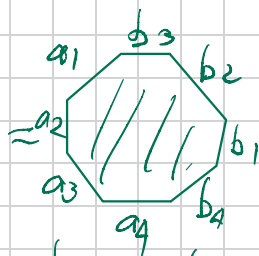
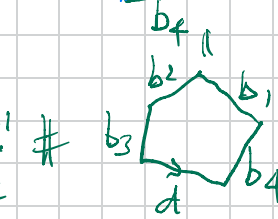
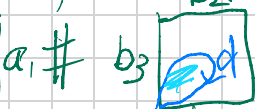


missing identify the blue circles.

The double torus $aba^{-1}b^{-1}cdc^{-1}d^{-1}$ is the connected sum of two tori: $T \# T$.

We have seen by example that if we take the connected sum of

Two identification polygons



We get another polygon where the words describing the edges are juxtaposed.

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 \# b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4 \\ = a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4 \\ \cong a_1 a_2 a_3 a_4 b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem. If M is a surface then $S^2 \# M$ is homeomorphic to M .