

III Constructing Spaces

defⁿ: let X be a topological space
 Y a set
 $f: X \rightarrow Y$ a surjective map

set

$$\mathcal{T}_f = \{ U \subset Y \mid f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X \}$$

\mathcal{T}_f is called the quotient topology on Y
 (you can check it is a topology)

Th^m 1: X and Y topological spaces
 $f: X \rightarrow Y$ surjective map
 Then the quotient topology on Y agrees with the given topology on Y iff $(U \text{ open in } Y \Leftrightarrow f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X)$
 (*)

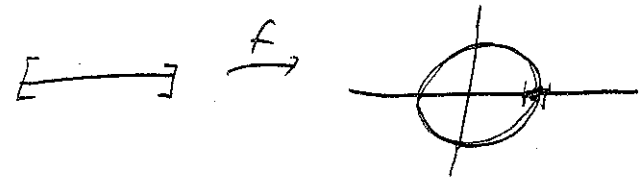
Proof: $(\Rightarrow) U \text{ open in } Y \Leftrightarrow U \in \mathcal{T}_Y \Leftrightarrow U \in \mathcal{T}_f = \mathcal{T}_Y \Leftrightarrow f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X$
 $(\Leftarrow) U \in \mathcal{T}_Y \stackrel{(*)}{\Leftrightarrow} f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X \Leftrightarrow U \in \mathcal{T}_f$

defⁿ: f ^{surjective and} satisfying (*) is called a quotient map (note they are continuous)

lemma 2: $f: X \rightarrow Y$ a continuous map onto Y .
 f takes closed sets to closed sets $\Leftrightarrow f$ takes open sets to open sets $\Rightarrow f$ is a quotient map

Proof: $\stackrel{qst}{\Leftrightarrow}$ should be obvious
 $\Rightarrow U \text{ open in } Y, f \text{ continuous} \Rightarrow f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X$
 if $f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X$ then $U = f(f^{-1}(U))$ is open in Y
 $\therefore (*)$

example: $X = [0, 2\pi]$ $Y = S^1 = \{ (x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1 \}$
 $f: X \rightarrow Y: \theta \mapsto (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$



f is clearly onto Y
 f is continuous since we know $\cos \theta$, and $\sin \theta$ are continuous (+ a homework problem)

we show f takes closed sets to closed sets
 (thus f is a quotient map)

let C be a closed set in X
 want to show $f(C)$ closed

let p be a limit pt of $f(C)$
 since S^1 is 1st countable (since \mathbb{R}^2 is) we know
 there is a sequence of points $p_n \in f(C)$ st. $p_n \rightarrow p$
 (Th^m I.7)

$p_n \in f(C) \Rightarrow \exists x_n \in C$ st. $f(x_n) = p_n$

X compact & C closed $\Rightarrow C$ compact
 $\Rightarrow C$ sequentially cpt (since C & X are 1st countable Th^m II.11 & II.13)

$\Rightarrow \exists$ subsequence x_{n_i} st. $x_{n_i} \rightarrow x$

$\therefore x$ limit pt of C , C closed $\Rightarrow x \in C$

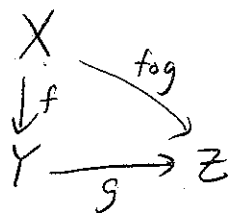
now $f(x_{n_i}) \rightarrow p$ and $f(x_{n_i}) \rightarrow f(x)$
 since Y is Hausdorff $p = f(x)$ (Th^m I.5)

so $p \in f(C)$
 $\therefore f(C)$ closed

note: this example says we can think of S^1 as being a closed interval with the end pts identified. we explore this more later.

Th^m 3: given $f: X \rightarrow Y$ a quotient map then a map
 $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ is continuous
 iff
 $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$ is continuous

Proof: (\Rightarrow) we know composition of continuous maps is continuous
 (\Leftarrow) U open in $Z \Rightarrow (g \circ f)^{-1}(U) = f^{-1}(g^{-1}(U))$ open in X
 $\Rightarrow g^{-1}(U)$ open in Y (q -topology)
 $\therefore g$ is continuous



- note:
- 1) any continuous map $X \rightarrow Z$ that sends all the points $f^{-1}(y)$ to the same pt in Z induces a continuous map $Y \rightarrow Z$
 - 2) any continuous map $Y \rightarrow Z$ induces a continuous map $g \circ f : X \rightarrow Z$
- so we can understand continuous maps on Y by just looking at X

example: $[0, 2\pi] \xrightarrow{f} S^1$

think of continuous maps on S^1 or just continuous maps on $[0, 2\pi]$ that take 0 & 2π to the same pt!

defⁿ: X a topological space
 a decomposition \mathcal{D} of X is a collection of disjoint subsets of X whose union is all of X
 define a topology on \mathcal{D} by saying
 $\mathcal{Q} \subset \mathcal{D}$ is open $\iff \bigcup_{S \in \mathcal{Q}} S$ open in X
 with this topology \mathcal{D} is called a quotient space or decomposition space of X .

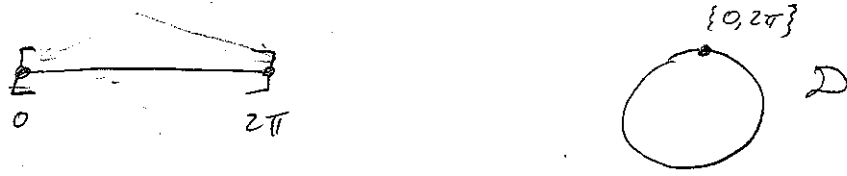
there is a natural ^{surjective} map $p: X \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ that takes $x \in X$ to the set $S \in \mathcal{D}$ containing x

lemma 4: the topology on \mathcal{D} is the quotient topology induced on \mathcal{D} via the map $p: X \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$

Proof: exercise.

Remark: you should think of the space \mathcal{D} or X with the sets in \mathcal{D} crushed to points

example: $X = [0, 2\pi]$ $D = \{ \{x\} \mid x \in (0, 2\pi) \} \cup \{0, 2\pi\}$



Th^m 5 $f: X \rightarrow Z$ be a surjective continuous map.
 $D = \{ f^{-1}(z) \mid z \in Z \}$
 give D the quotient topology, $p: X \rightarrow D$ the natural map
 f induces a continuous bijection $g: D \rightarrow Z$
 g is a homeomorphism iff f is a quotient map.

Proof: clearly g is a bijection
 $g \circ p = f$ is continuous so Th^m 3 \Rightarrow g is continuous
 if f is a quotient map then let $U \in D$ be open set
 so $p^{-1}(U)$ open
 $p^{-1}(U) = f^{-1}(g(U))$
 $\therefore g(U)$ open since f q-map
 $\therefore g$ a homeo.
 if g a homeo then U open in $Z \Leftrightarrow g^{-1}(U)$ open in D
 $\Leftrightarrow p^{-1}(g^{-1}(U))$ open in X
 $\Leftrightarrow f^{-1}(U)$ open in X
 $\therefore f$ a q-map

Cor 5: $f: X \rightarrow Z$ and D as above. if X is T_2 & Z Hausdorff then $g: D \rightarrow Z$ is homeo

example: $f: [0, 2\pi] \rightarrow S^1$
 $\theta \mapsto (\cos \theta, \sin \theta)$

D in example above is $\{ f^{-1}(p) \mid p \in S^1 \}$
 we know f a q-map so D is homeo to S^1

this makes precise the idea S^1 is $[0, 2\pi]$ with endpoints identified.

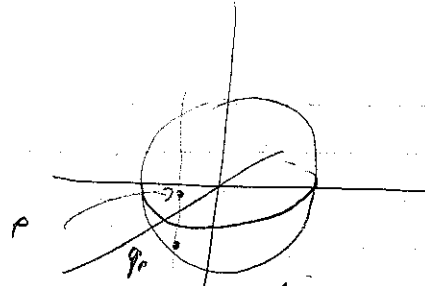
more examples:

i) $X = D_2^2 = \{ (x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \sqrt{x^2+y^2} \leq 2 \}$

$Y = S^2 = \{ (x,y,z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x^2+y^2+z^2 = 1 \}$

we define $f: X \rightarrow Y$

for pts $p \in D_1^2$



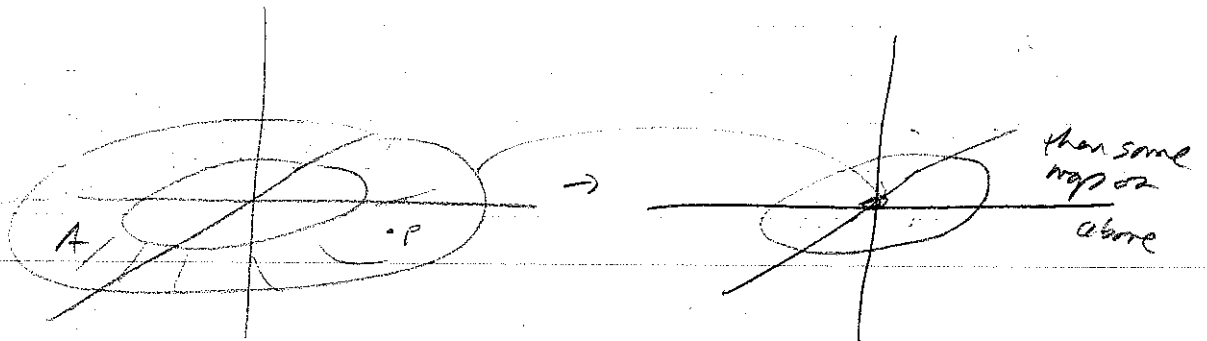
look at vertical line l_p through p
 l_p intersects the southern hemisphere
 in one pt q_p

define $f(p) = q_p$

formula

$$f(x,y) = (x,y, -\sqrt{1-x^2-y^2}) \quad (x,y) \in D_1^2$$

for pts $p \in A_{1,2} = \{(x,y) \mid 1 \leq \sqrt{x^2+y^2} \leq 2\}$



$$(x,y) \mapsto (r,\theta) \mapsto (2-r,\theta) \mapsto (2-r)\cos\theta, (2-r)\sin\theta$$

$$= ((2-\sqrt{x^2+y^2})\cos(\tan^{-1}\frac{y}{x}), (2-\sqrt{x^2+y^2})\sin(\tan^{-1}\frac{y}{x}))$$

$$f(x,y) = \left((2-\sqrt{x^2+y^2})\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}, (2-\sqrt{x^2+y^2})\frac{y}{\sqrt{x^2+y^2}}, \sqrt{1-4-x^2-y^2+4\sqrt{x^2+y^2}} \right)$$

$$\frac{x^2(4+(x^2+y^2)-4\sqrt{x^2+y^2})+y^2(4+(x^2+y^2)-4\sqrt{x^2+y^2})}{x^2+y^2} = 4-4\sqrt{x^2+y^2}+x^2+y^2$$

note: $D_4 = \{x \mid x \in B_2(0)\} \cup \{(x,y) \mid x^2+y^2=4\}$



"so we crush ∂ of disk to north pole."

f is clearly continuous and onto
 f is closed (X cpt so if C closed subset it is also cpt
 $\mapsto \therefore f(C)$ cpt in Y , Y Hausdorff so $f(C)$ closed)

$\therefore f$ a q-map

\therefore induced map $g: D \rightarrow Y$ is homeomorphism

so we can think of S^2 as the disk with ∂ crushed to a pt.

2) In general $D^n = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2 \leq 1\}$

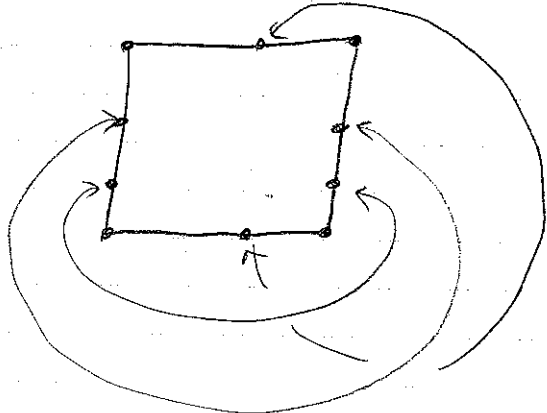
$S^n = \{(x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1} \mid x_1^2 + \dots + x_{n+1}^2 = 1\}$

$D = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mid x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2 < 1\} \cup \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mid x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2 = 1\}$

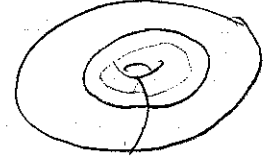
then D homeo to S^n .

3) $X = [0,1] \times [0,1]$

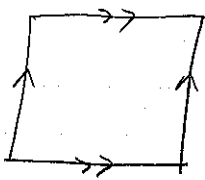
$D = \{(x,y) \mid 0 \leq x < 1, 0 \leq y < 1\} \cup \{(0,y), (1,y)\} \cup \{(x,0), (x,1)\} \cup \{(0,0), (1,1), (0,1), (1,0)\}$



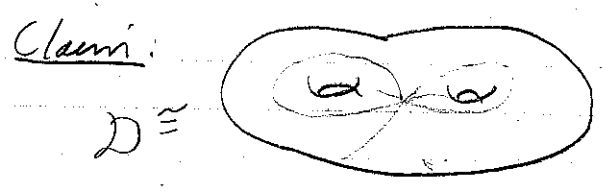
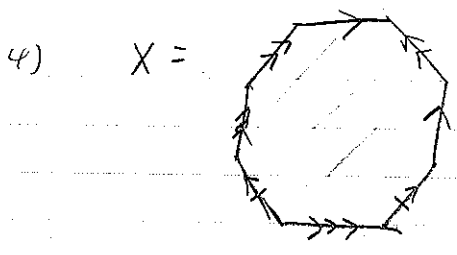
Claim: D homeo to $S^1 \times S^1$ torus



could have said



identify edges with some labels



5) $X = S^3 \subset \mathbb{R}^4 = \mathbb{C}^2$
 \uparrow unit sphere

$$S^3 = \{(z_1, z_2) \mid |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 = 1\}$$

$$S^1 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| = 1\}$$

say 2 pts in S^3 are equivalent if there is a $z \in S^1$
 (z_1, z_2) and $(\tilde{z}_1, \tilde{z}_2)$

$(re^{i\theta_1}, re^{i\theta_2})$
 i.e.

such that $(z_1, z_2) = (z\tilde{z}_1, z\tilde{z}_2)$

let $D =$ equivalence classes (some times this is denoted X/\sim)

Claim: D is homeomorphic to S^2

defⁿ: let $S^{2n+1} \subset \mathbb{C}^{n+1}$ be unit sphere
 let $\mathbb{C}P^n = S^{2n+1}/\sim$ where \sim is as above
 $\mathbb{C}P^n$ is called complex projective space
 map $S^3 \rightarrow S^2$ is called the Hopf map or Hopf fibration

- 6) given • Y, Z topological spaces
 • $A \subset Y$
 • $f: A \rightarrow Z$

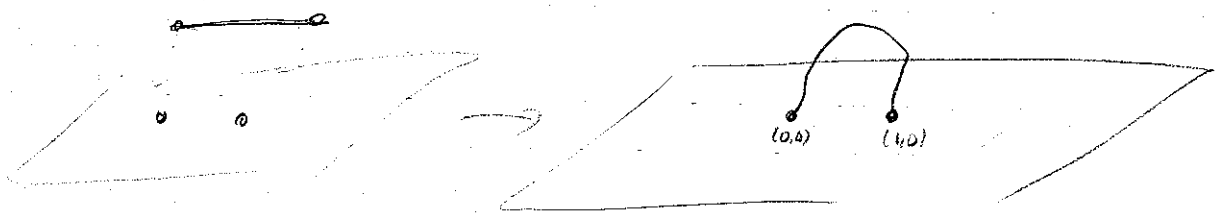
let D be a decomp ^{of $Y \amalg Z$} where only non-trivial elts are

$$\left\{ \{a, f(a)\} \right\}_{a \in A}$$

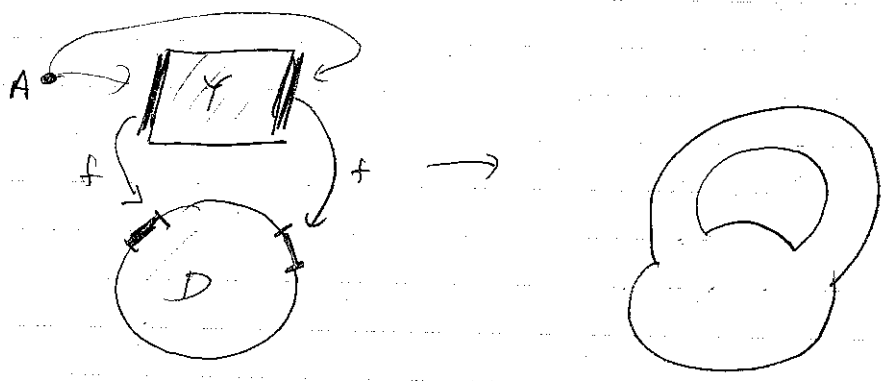
D is the space obtained by "gluing Y to Z along A with f "

denote $Y \cup_A Z$ or $Y \cup_f Z$

eg: a) $Y = [0, 1]$ $Z = \mathbb{R}^2$
 $A = \{0, 1\}$ $f: \{0, 1\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2: \begin{matrix} 0 \mapsto (0, 0) \\ 1 \mapsto (1, 0) \end{matrix}$



b) $Y = [0, 1] \times [0, 1]$ $Z = D^2$
 $A = \{0, 1\} \times [0, 1]$



c) $Y = B^4 = \{ (z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 \leq 1 \}$
 $A = \{ (z_1, z_2) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid |z_1|^2 + |z_2|^2 = 1 \}$

$Z = S^2$ & $f: A \rightarrow S^2$ the Hopf map

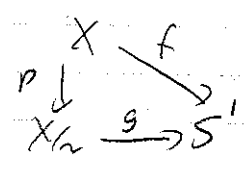
Claim: $Y \cup_f S^2$ homeo $\mathbb{C}P^2$ (Hard)

7) $X = \mathbb{R}$ say x & y are equivalent if $x - y = n$ an integer

Claim X/\sim homeo to S^1

define: $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow S^1 \subset \mathbb{R}^2$
 $x \mapsto (\cos 2\pi x, \sin 2\pi x)$

note: f is continuous, surjective and induces a map $g: X/\sim \rightarrow S^1$



(since $f(x) = f(y)$)
 $\Leftrightarrow \cos 2\pi x = \cos 2\pi y$
 $\quad \sin 2\pi x = \sin 2\pi y$
 $\Leftrightarrow x = y + n$)

so g is continuous, surjective and one-to-one

g will be a homeo iff f is a g -map.

In particular if f is an open map
(you can check f sends small open intervals
to open sets in S' the result then follows
by taking unions)

think of S' or R' curled up like a garden hose.