

Rempe model and Denjoy odometer for hedgehogs of complex quadratic polynomials

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$f(z) = \lambda z + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z^3 + \dots$ holomorphic or polynomial

$|\lambda| = e^{2\pi i \alpha}$, $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ irrationally indifferent fixed pt

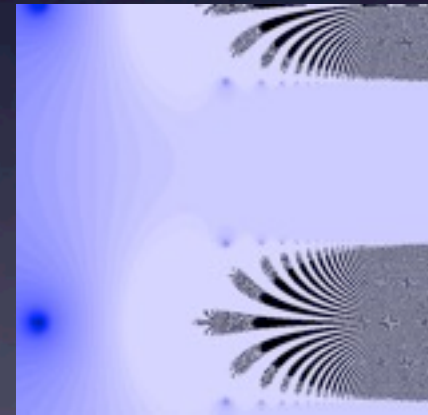
Coexistence of different dynamical behaviors

Rotation-like $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{conjugate to a rotation} \\ \text{NOT conjugate to a rotation} \\ \text{but still moves under the influence of the rotation} \\ \text{hedgehogs defined by Perez Marco} \end{array} \right.$

Chaotic

Similarity to the Julia set of exponential maps

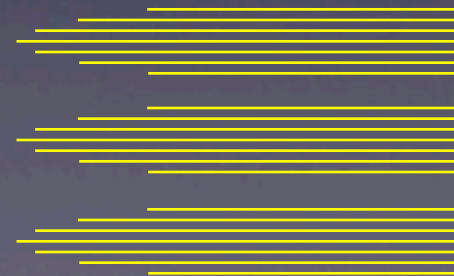
Straight brush model by Rempe



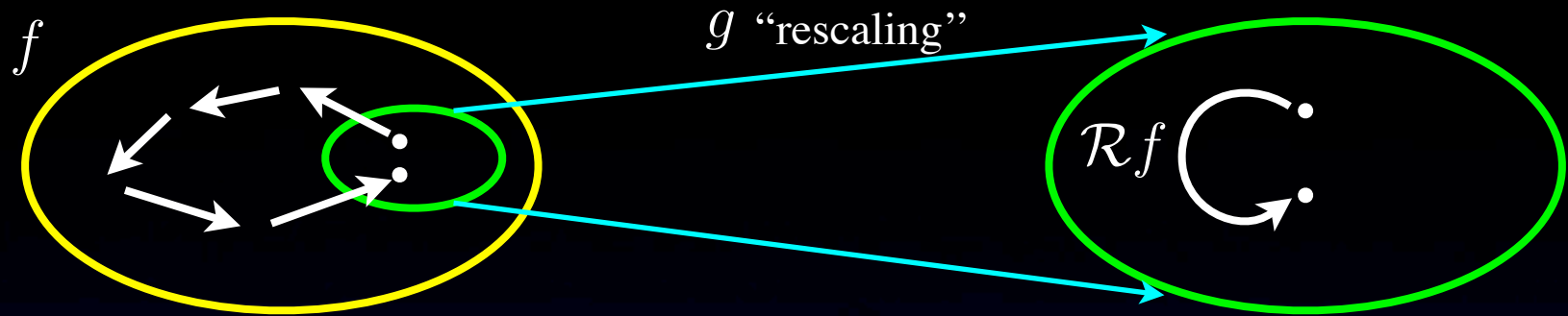
Renormalization for irrat. indiff. fixed pts

Near-parabolic (cylinder) renormalization

Dynamical charts and Denjoy odometer



Return map and renormalization

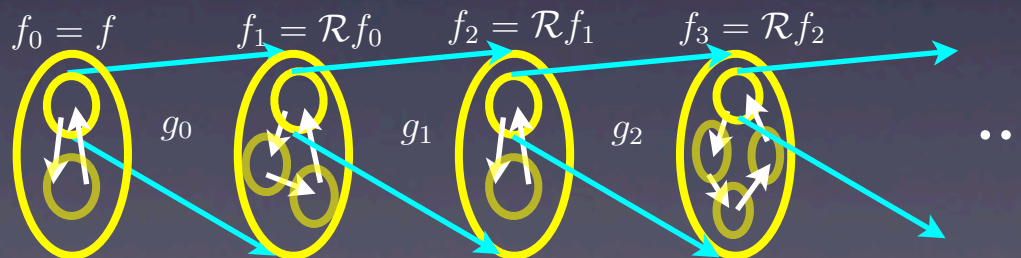


$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}f &= (\text{first return map of } f) \text{ after rescaling} \\ &= g \circ f^k \circ g^{-1} \quad (\text{if return time } \equiv k) \end{aligned}$$

Renormalization

high iterates of f \longleftrightarrow fewer iterates of $\mathcal{R}f$
 fine orbit structure for f \longleftrightarrow large scale orbit structure for $\mathcal{R}f$

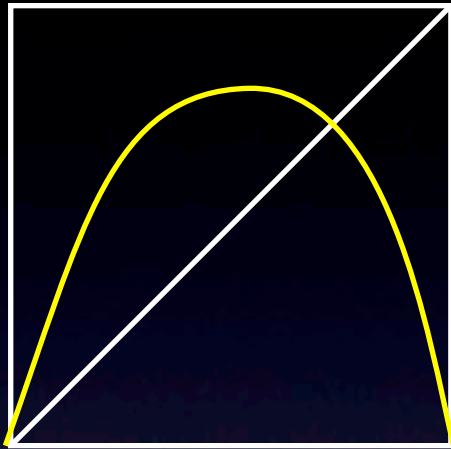
Successive construction of $\mathcal{R}f, \mathcal{R}^2f, \dots$, helps to understand the dynamics of f (orbits, invariant sets, rigidity, bifurcation, ...)



The renormalization $\mathcal{R} : f \mapsto \mathcal{R}f$ can be considered as a meta-dynamics on the space of dynamical systems of certain class.

Various Renormalizations

Feigenbaum

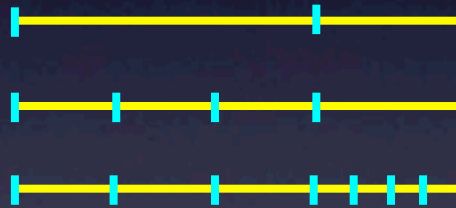
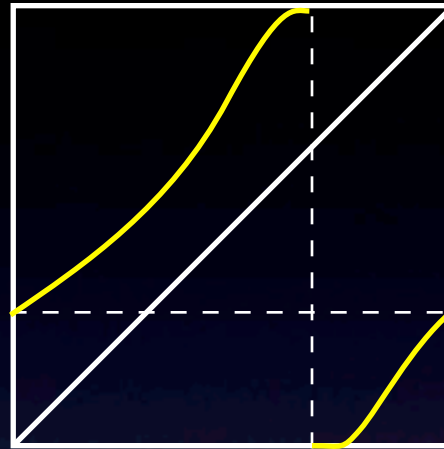


proper subintervals

-> Cantor set

Feigenbaum, Coulet-Tresser,
Lanford, H. Epstein,
Polynomial-like maps:
Douady-Hubbard, Sullivan,
McMullen, Lyubich

Circle map



partition of interval

Rand,
Katznelson-Ornstein, Khanin-Sinai,
de Melo, de Faria, Yampolsky,
A. Epstein-Yamplosky

Sector/Near-parabolic



covering by sector or
croissant-like domains

gluing/identification
needed to define the
renormalization

Yoccoz, Perez-Marco,
Inou-S.

When a priori bounds or convergence of $\mathcal{R}^n f$ are known,
it is easy to derive the properties of the original f .

Need some work to reconstruct f
from $\mathcal{R}^n f$.

Local dynamics of $f(z) = \lambda z + a_2 z^2 + a_3 z^3 + \dots$

up to local analytic conjugacies

Trivial if $0 < |\lambda| < 1$ or $|\lambda| > 1$ (linearizable)

Assume $|\lambda| = 1$, i.e. $\lambda = e^{2\pi i \alpha}$ with $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

Parabolic: $\alpha \in \mathbb{Q}$

Periodic or infinite dimensional moduli (Ecalte-Voronin)

Irrationally indifferent: $\alpha \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$

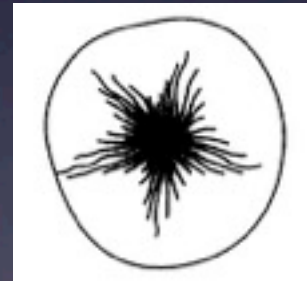
Linearizable (e.g. if α is a Brjuno number)

Siegel disk= maximal domain of linearization

Non-linearizable (e.g. if α very Liouville)

Cremer point

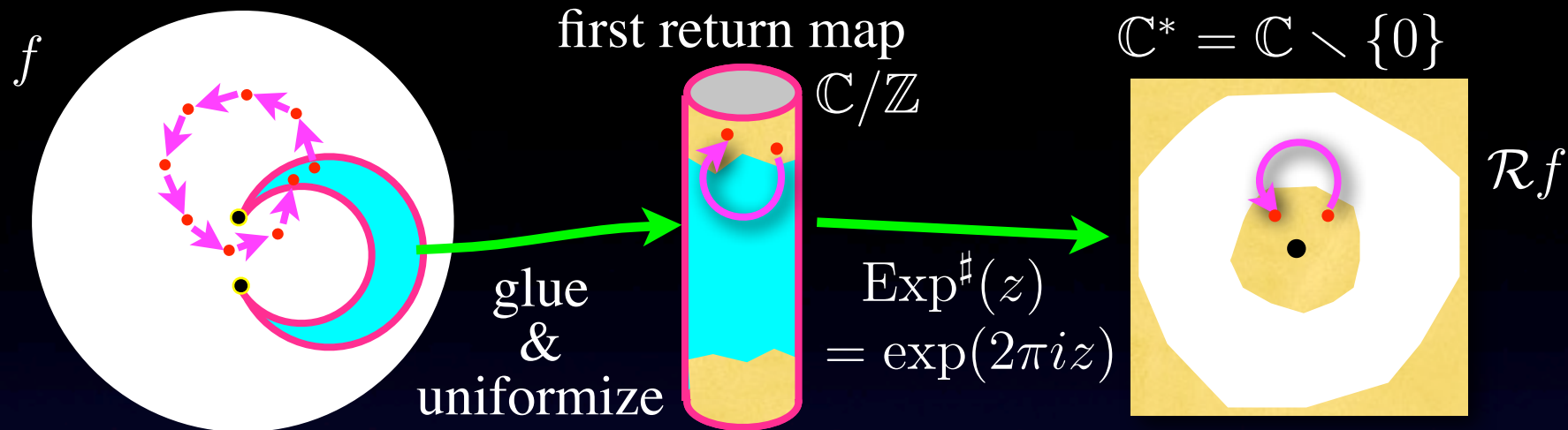
Perez Marco's *hedgehog* (local invariant set)



by Ricardo Perez-

Plan Try to describe the local dynamics near Cremer points for specific cases of quadratic polynomials with *high type* rotation numbers, via *near-parabolic renormalization* and *dynamical charts*. Construct a model for the hedgehog.

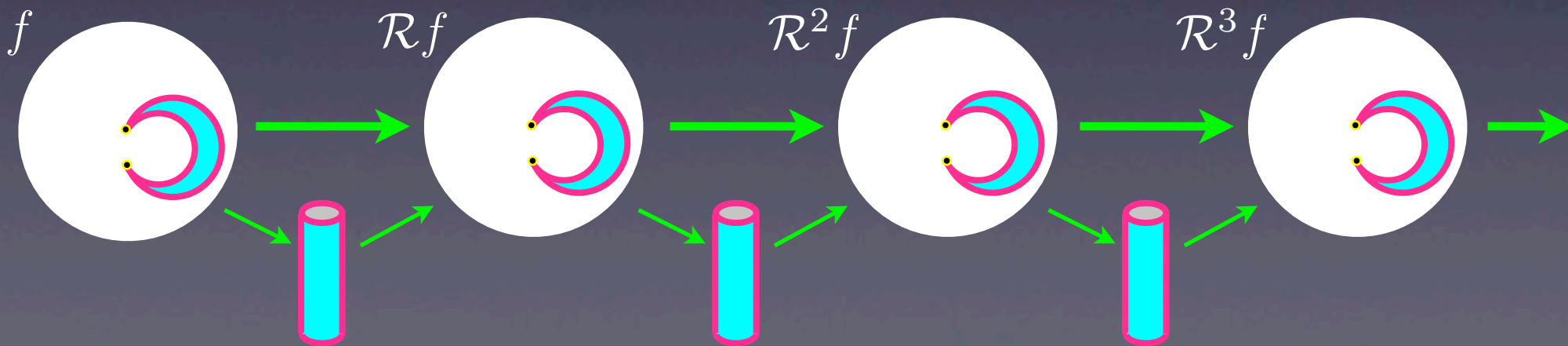
Cylinder/Near-parabolic renormalization



Hypothesis: \exists another fixed pt σ near 0, \exists croissant-shaped fundamental region, quotient is isomorphic to \mathbb{C}/\mathbb{Z}

$\mathcal{R}f$ can be defined when $f(z) = e^{2\pi i\alpha}z + \dots$ is a small perturbation of $z + a_2z^2 + \dots$ ($a_2 \neq 0$) and $|\arg \alpha| < \pi/4$.

If $\mathcal{R}f, \mathcal{R}^2f, \mathcal{R}^3f, \dots$ can be defined, ...



More on the construction of $\mathcal{R}f$

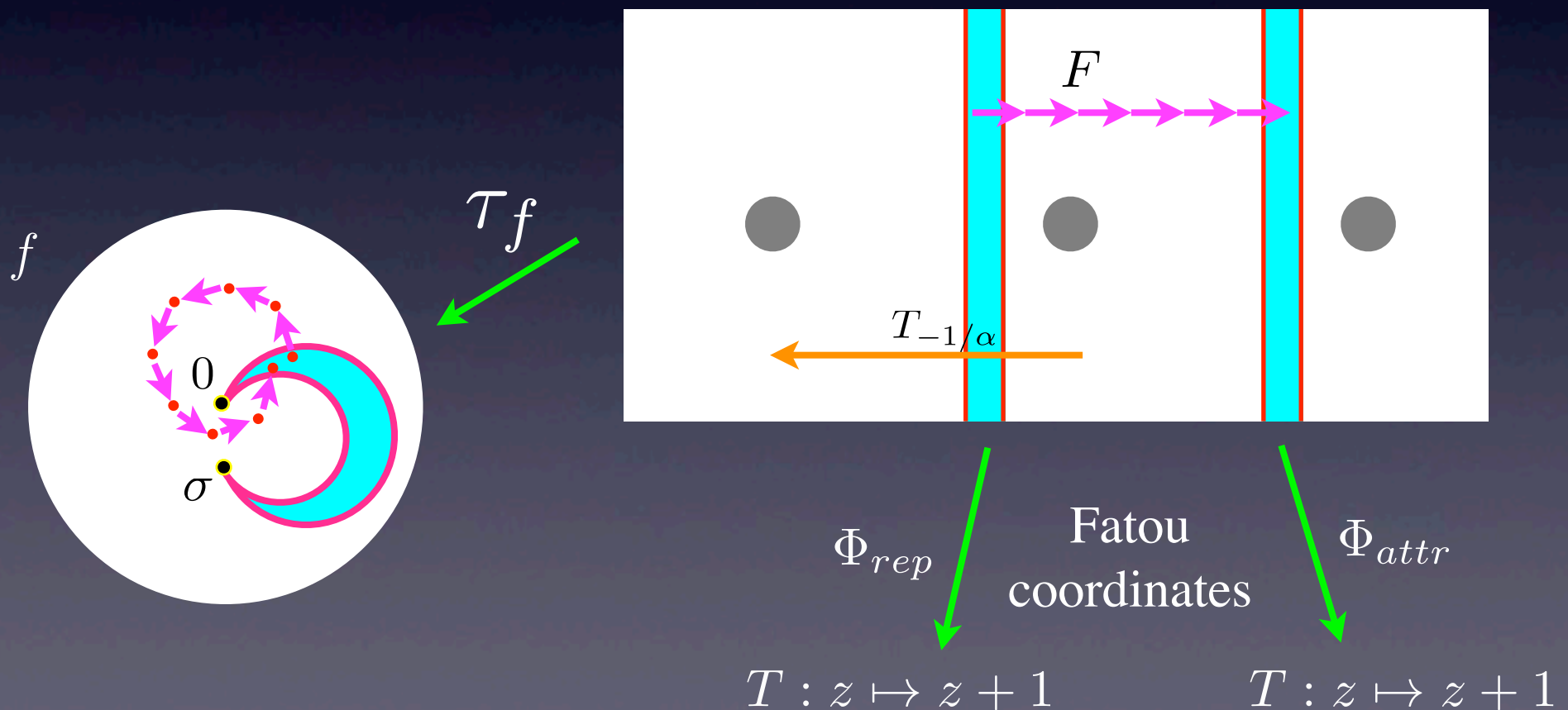
Suppose $f(z) = e^{2\pi i\alpha} z + a_2 z^2 + O(z^2)$ has another fixed pt σ near 0.
 $\neq 0$

Define the pre-Fatou coordinate w by $z = \tau_f(w) = \frac{\sigma}{1 - e^{-2\pi i\alpha w}}$,

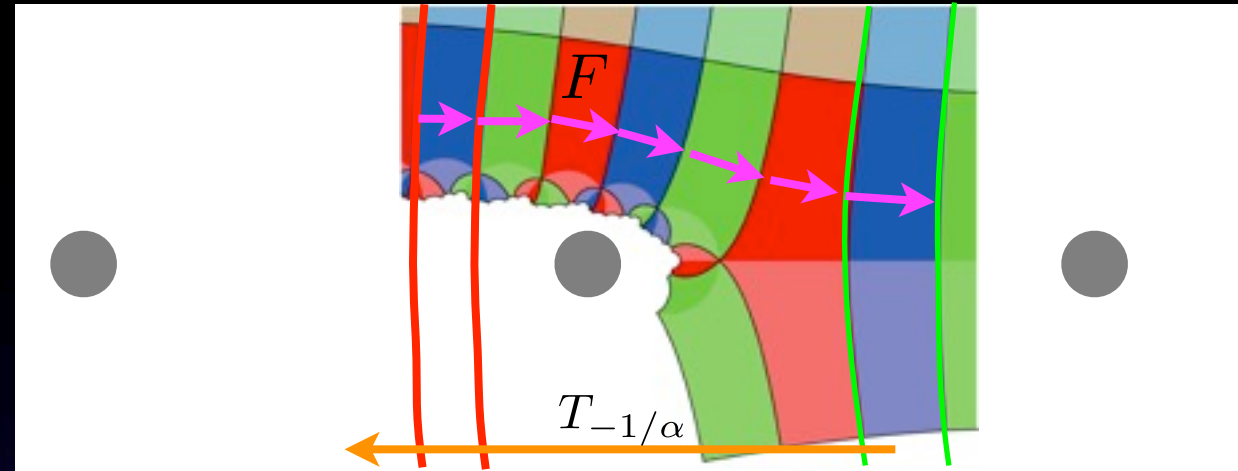
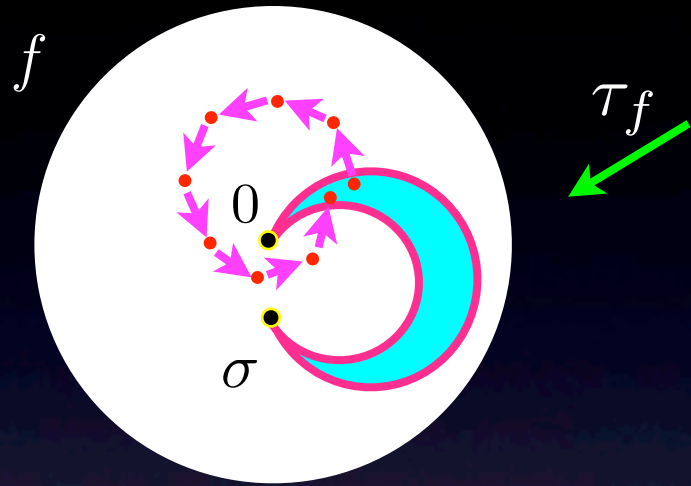
which is the universal covering of $\widehat{\mathbb{C}} \setminus \{0, \sigma\}$ with the deck transf.

$T_{-1/\alpha} : z \mapsto z - \frac{1}{\alpha}$.

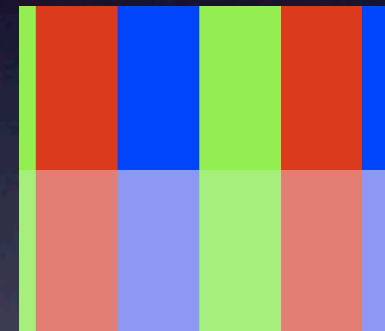
The dynamics lifts to $F(w)$ which is close to $w + 1$ outside $\cup_{n \in \mathbb{Z}} B_R$.



If f is from a certain class of maps containing $e^{2\pi i\alpha}z + z^2$, then ...

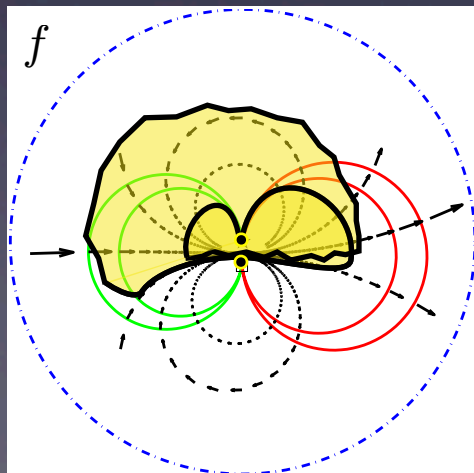


$$\Phi_{rep} \quad T : z \mapsto z + 1$$

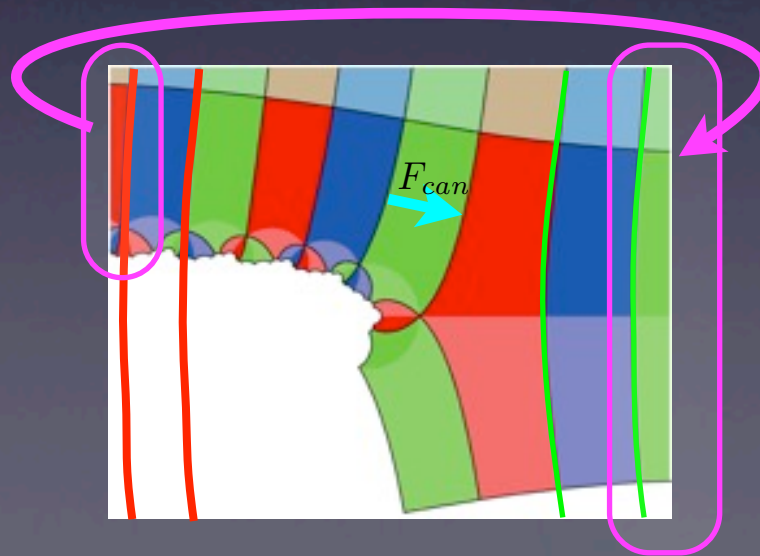


A Consequence from Inou-S. Theorem:
 f and $\mathcal{R}^n f$ admit a “canonical representation”.

$$\theta_f$$



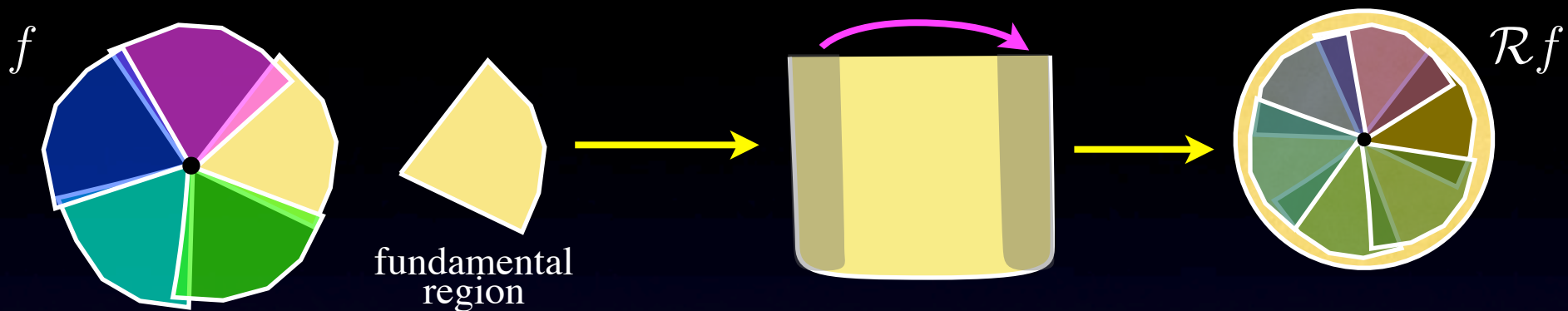
\approx



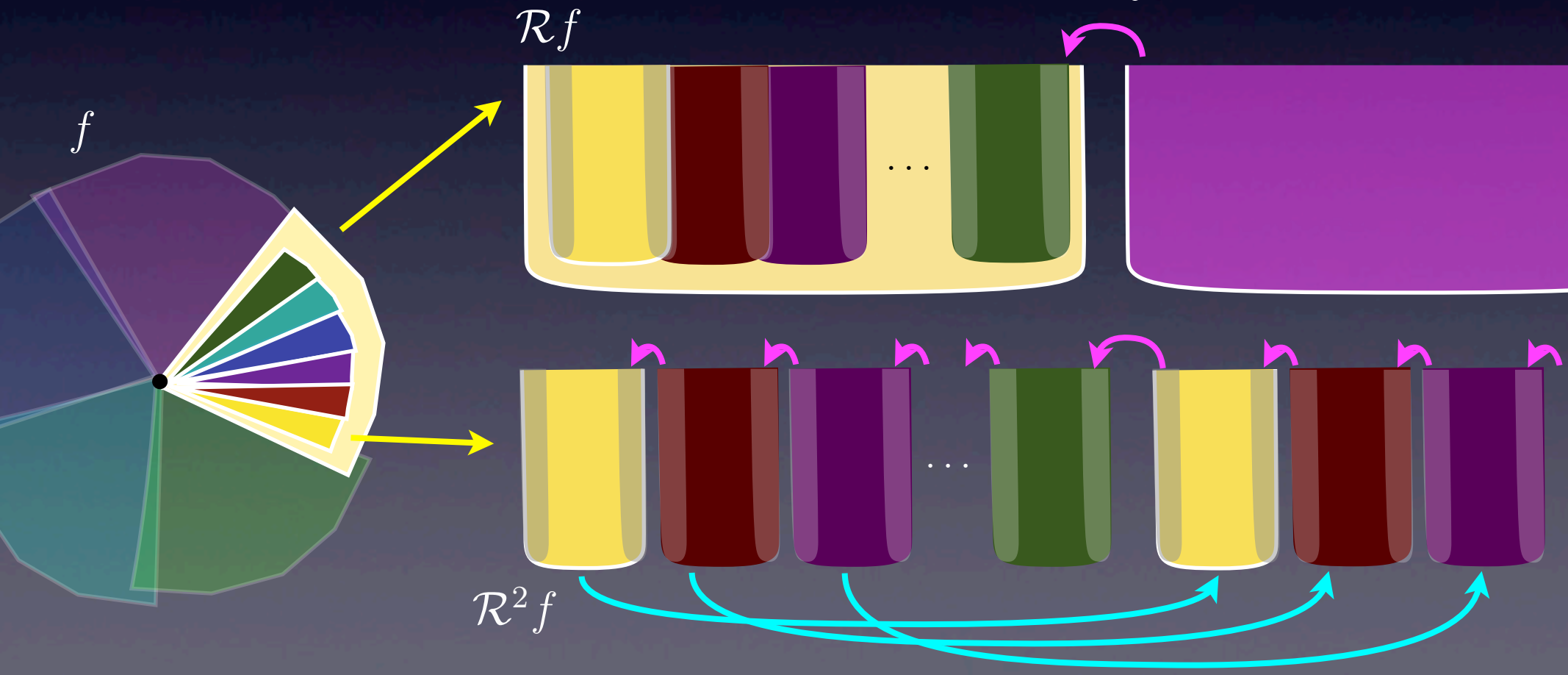
F_{can} is a *canonical* map on the *universal* pattern, NOT depending on f . Difference comes from the gluing θ_f .

Dynamical charts

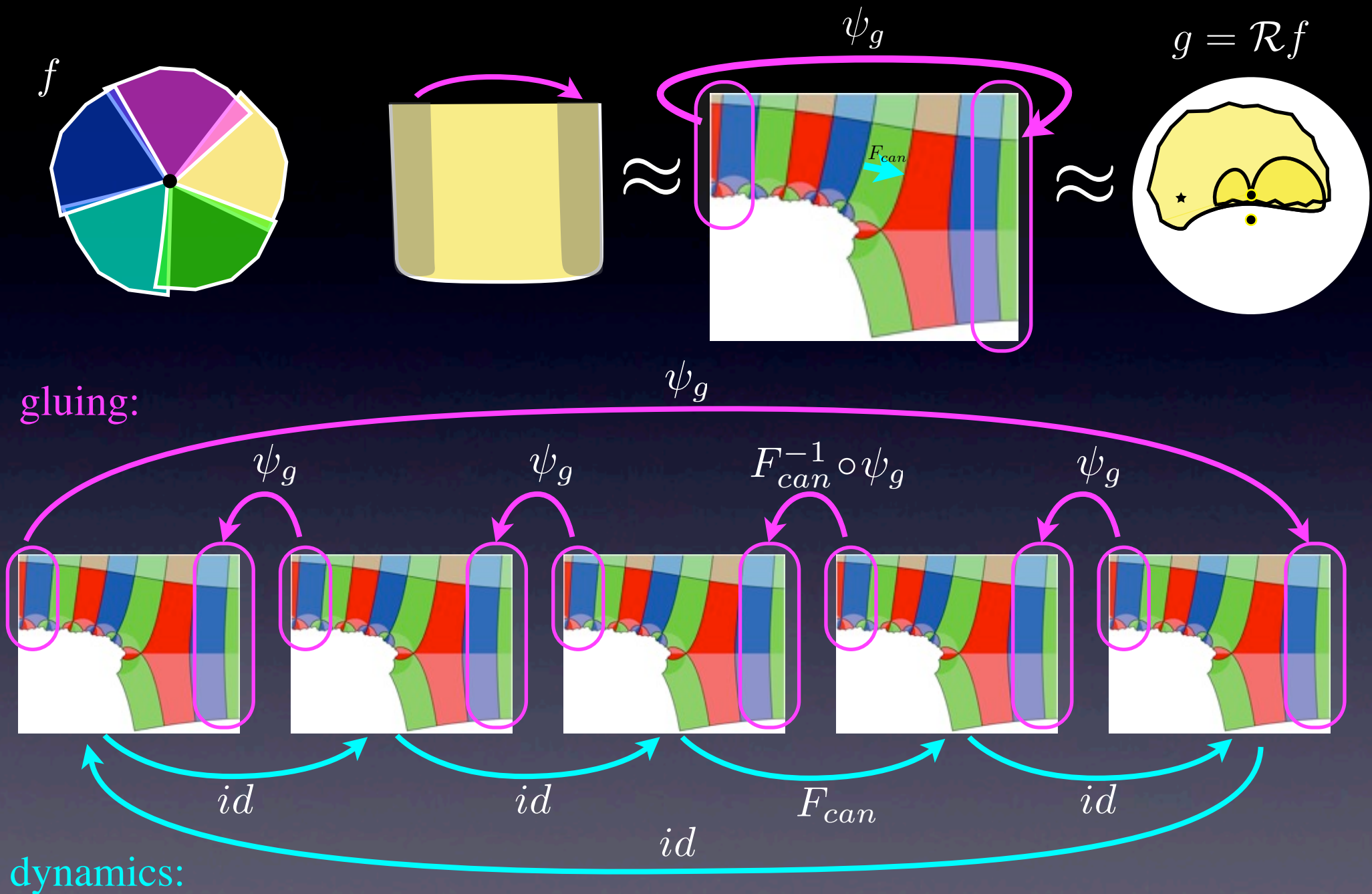
Glue model dynamics on the charts, to define/reconstruct the map



Successive renormalizations = refinements of dynamical charts



Construct 1-st dynamical chart of f from 0-th dynamical chart of $g = \mathcal{R}f$

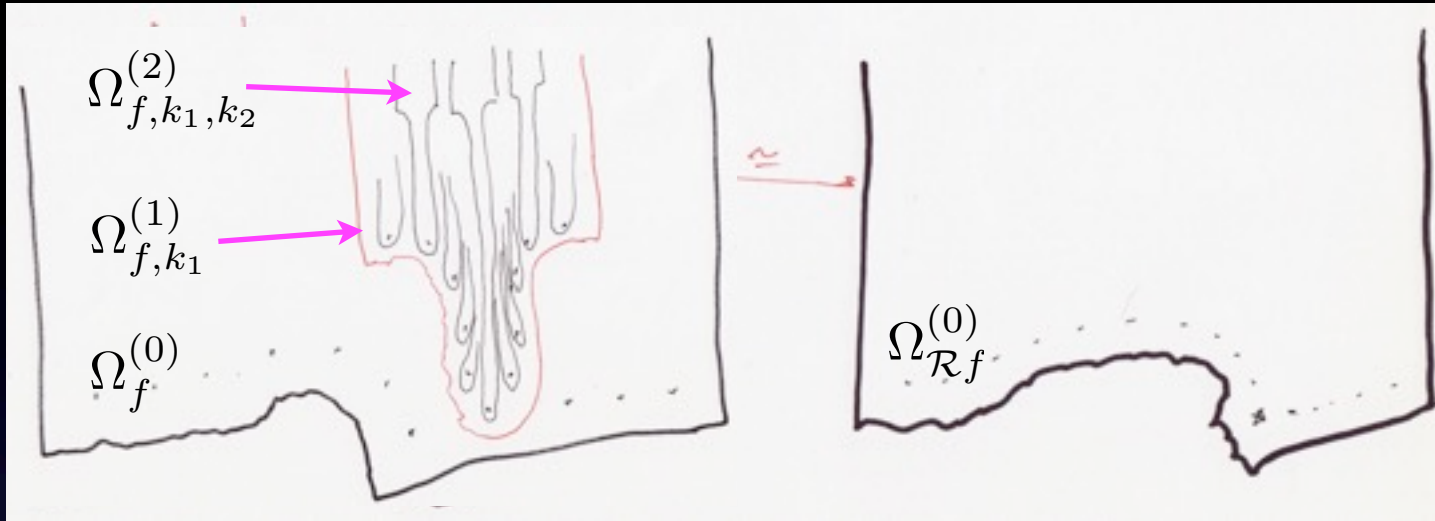
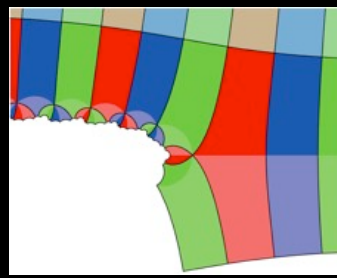


1. well-defined after gluing
2. return map is F_{can} modulo ψ_g
3. this picture embeds into f

Construction of dynamical charts

Ω_f

$\Omega_{\mathcal{R}f}$



f



$\mathcal{R}f$



$$\Omega^{(0)} \supset \Omega_{k_1}^{(1)} \supset \dots \supset \Omega_{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n}^{(n)} \supset \Omega_{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n, k_{n+1}}^{(n+1)} \supset \dots$$

each $\Omega_{k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n}^{(n)}$ is isomorphic to truncated checkerboard pattern $\Omega_{\mathcal{R}^n f}$ they are glued via $\theta_{\mathcal{R}^n f}$

$$\Lambda_f = \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} \bigcup_{(k_1, \dots, k_n) \in A_n} \Omega_{f, k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n}^{(n)} \text{ is an invariant set containing the critical orbit "maximal hedgehog"}$$

Index set A_n and Denjoy odometer

$$A_n \doteq (\mathbb{Z}/k_1\mathbb{Z}) \times \cdots \times (\mathbb{Z}/k_n\mathbb{Z}) \subset \mathbb{Z}^n, \quad \alpha = \pm \frac{1}{k_1 \pm \frac{1}{k_2 \pm \frac{1}{\ddots}}}$$

where $\mathbb{Z}/k_j\mathbb{Z}$ is identified with $\left[-\left[\frac{k_j-1}{2}\right], \left[\frac{k_j}{2}\right]\right] \cap \mathbb{Z} (\subset \mathbb{Z})$

Odometer (adding machine)

$$45678 \rightarrow 45679 \rightarrow 45680 \rightarrow 45681 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow 45699 \rightarrow 45700 \rightarrow 45701 \rightarrow \cdots$$

carry carry

First approximation of the combinatorics $\tilde{r}_{\alpha,n} : (\mathbb{Z}/k_1\mathbb{Z}) \times \cdots \times (\mathbb{Z}/k_n\mathbb{Z}) \curvearrowright$

at each digit, add +1 or -1

carry to the right

carry occurs at 0 not at 9

An irrational rotation is like a broken odometer.

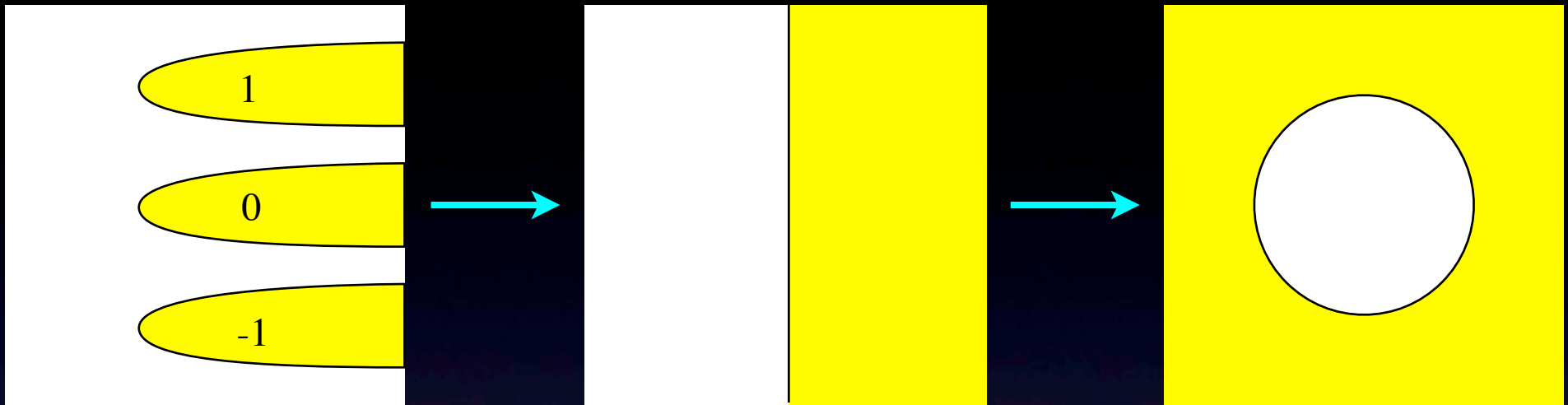
$$45678 \rightarrow 45679 \rightarrow 4567A \rightarrow 45680 \rightarrow 45681 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow 45689 \rightarrow 45700 \rightarrow \cdots$$

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Actual combinatorics $r_{\alpha,n} : A_n \rightarrow A_n$ is modelled after the action of R_α on a partition of S^1 .

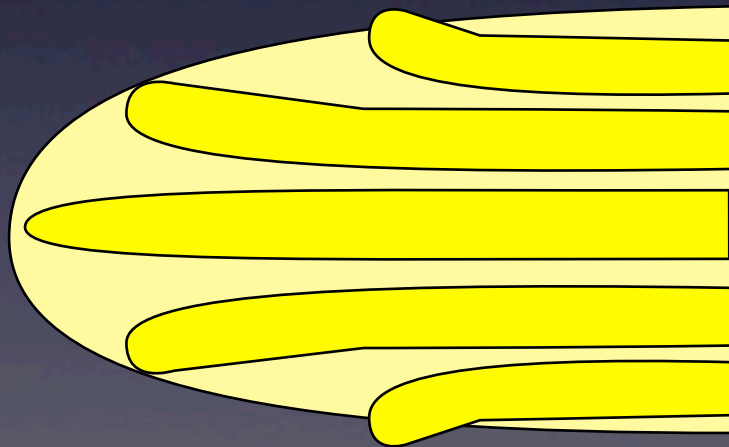
$A_\infty = \varprojlim A_n$ and $r_{\alpha,\infty} : A_\infty \rightarrow A_\infty$ is conjugate to R_α on S^1 .

Case of exponential maps $E_\lambda : z \mapsto \lambda e^z$

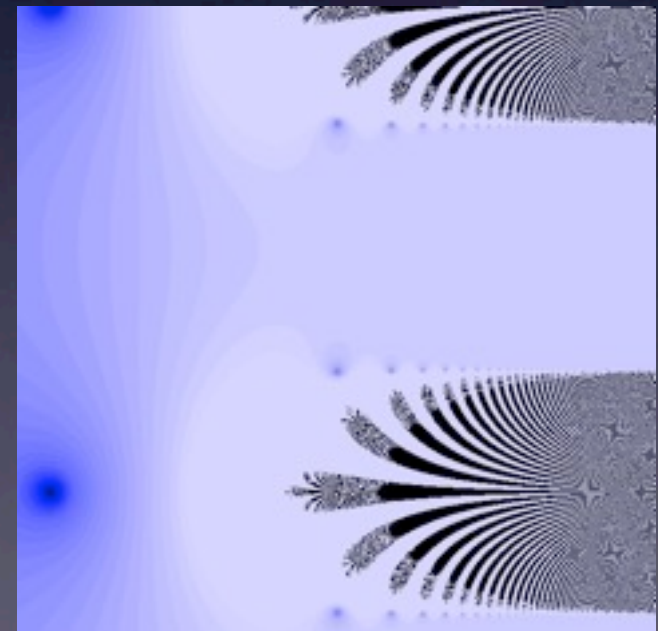


Sub-tracts
indexed by \mathbb{Z}

Tract



indexed by $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$



Cantor bouquet: hairs indexed by $\mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}}$

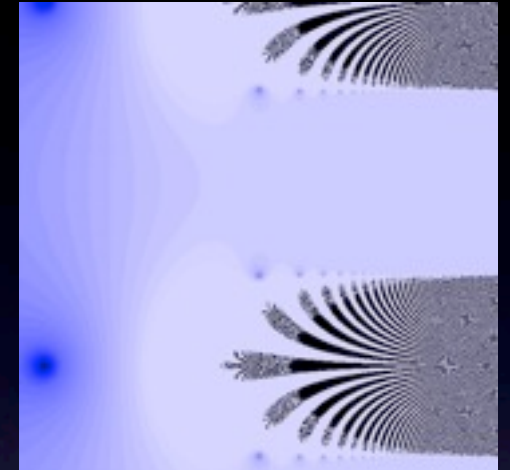
Rempe's straight brush model

Let $g(z) = \lambda e^z$ with $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $0 < \lambda < 1/e$. Then g has an attracting fixed pt.

Itineraries $\underline{s} = (s_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \in \mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}}$ with shift σ

Model map $G : \mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}} \times [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}} \times \mathbb{R}$

$$G(\underline{s}, t) = (\sigma(\underline{s}), e^z - 1 - 2\pi|s_2|)$$



by Lasse Rempe

Straight brush model $\overline{X} = \{(\underline{s}, t) : \forall n \geq 0, \text{proj}_2(G^n(\underline{s}, t)) \geq 0\}$



Theorem (Rempe) $J(g)$ is homeomorphic to \overline{X} and the dynamics g and G are conjugate.

We propose a similar model for the maximal hedgehog of irrat. indiff. fixed pts within our class.

Straight brush (Rempe) model for the hedgehogs

Denjoy odometer $A_\infty(\alpha) = \varprojlim A_n(\alpha) (\subset \mathbb{Z}^{\mathbb{N}})$,

shift $\sigma : A_\infty(\alpha_n) \rightarrow A_\infty(\alpha_{n+1})$, where $\alpha_0 = \alpha$, $\alpha_{n+1} = \text{dist}(\frac{1}{\alpha_n}, \mathbb{Z})$.

Model map $G_n : A_\infty(\alpha_n) \times [0, \infty) \rightarrow A_\infty(\alpha_{n+1}) \times \mathbb{R}$

$$G_n(\underline{s}, t) = \left(\sigma(\underline{s}), \frac{1}{\alpha_n} \log(1 + 2\pi\alpha_n e^t) - |s_2| \right) \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{modeled after} \\ \text{pre-Fatou coordinate} \end{array}$$

Model space

$$\overline{X} = \{(\underline{s}, t) \in A_\infty(\alpha_0) \times [0, \infty) : \forall n \geq 0, \text{proj}_2(G_n \circ \dots \circ G_0(\underline{s}, t)) \geq 0\}$$

Theorem. For a map f to which Inou-S. Theorem applies and irrational number α of high type, the maximal hedgehog is homeomorphic to \overline{X} .

$$\text{Note that } \frac{1}{\alpha} \log(1 + 2\pi\alpha e^t) \sim \begin{cases} 2\pi e^t & (t \ll \log \alpha^{-1}) \\ \alpha^{-1}(t - \log \alpha^{-1} + \text{const}) & (t \gg \log \alpha^{-1}) \end{cases}$$

which is related to Yoccoz' condition \mathcal{H} (for global analytic conjugacy on S^1)