

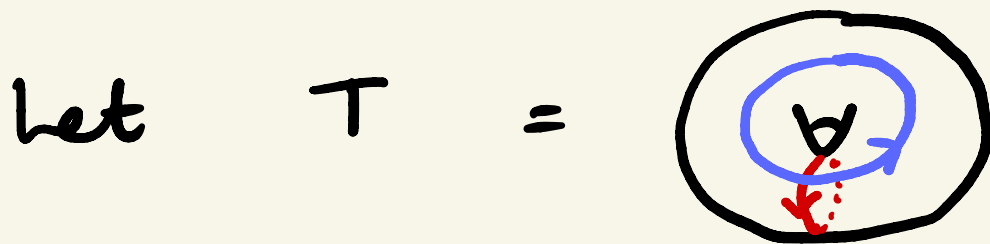
Seifert fibered spaces & L-spaces

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Outline

- basic notions of Dehn fillings
(slopes, $\mathbb{Q}$ -homology sphere/
solid torus...)
- triad (again)
- defining Seifert fibered spaces
(SFS)
- SFS over base surface $\mathbb{RP}^2$
are L-spaces.

Dehn filling -



* let μ and λ be oriented s.c.c.'s
s.t. $\mu \cdot \lambda = -\lambda \cdot \mu = 1$

$[\mu]$ and $[\lambda]$ form a basis for $H_1(T)$
 $\cong \mathbb{Z} \oplus \mathbb{Z}$.

• α, β unoriented s.c.c.'s on T ;

α and β are isotopic $\iff [\alpha] = \pm [\beta] \in H_1(T)$

A slope on T is an isotopy class
of unoriented essential s.c.c.'s on T .

• α is a slope on T

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \pm(p[\mu] + q[\lambda]) \text{ s.t.}$$

p, q are coprime.

$$\{\text{slopes on } T\} \xleftrightarrow{1:1} \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\frac{1}{5}\}$$

The distance $\Delta(\alpha, \beta)$ between two slopes is their minimal geometric intersection number.

$$\text{Let } \alpha = \frac{p}{q} \text{ and } \beta = \frac{r}{s} ,$$

$$\Delta(\alpha, \beta) = \Delta\left(\frac{p}{q}, \frac{r}{s}\right) = |ps - qr|.$$

Let M be a 3-mfd w/ $\partial M \cong T$,
 α be a slope on ∂M

(for some fixed
basis for $H_1(\partial M)$)

Define α -Dehn filling on M , $M(\alpha)$

$$M(\alpha) = M \cup_{\varphi} V$$

where V is a solid torus,
($\cong S^1 \times D^2$)

and $\varphi: \partial V \rightarrow \partial M$

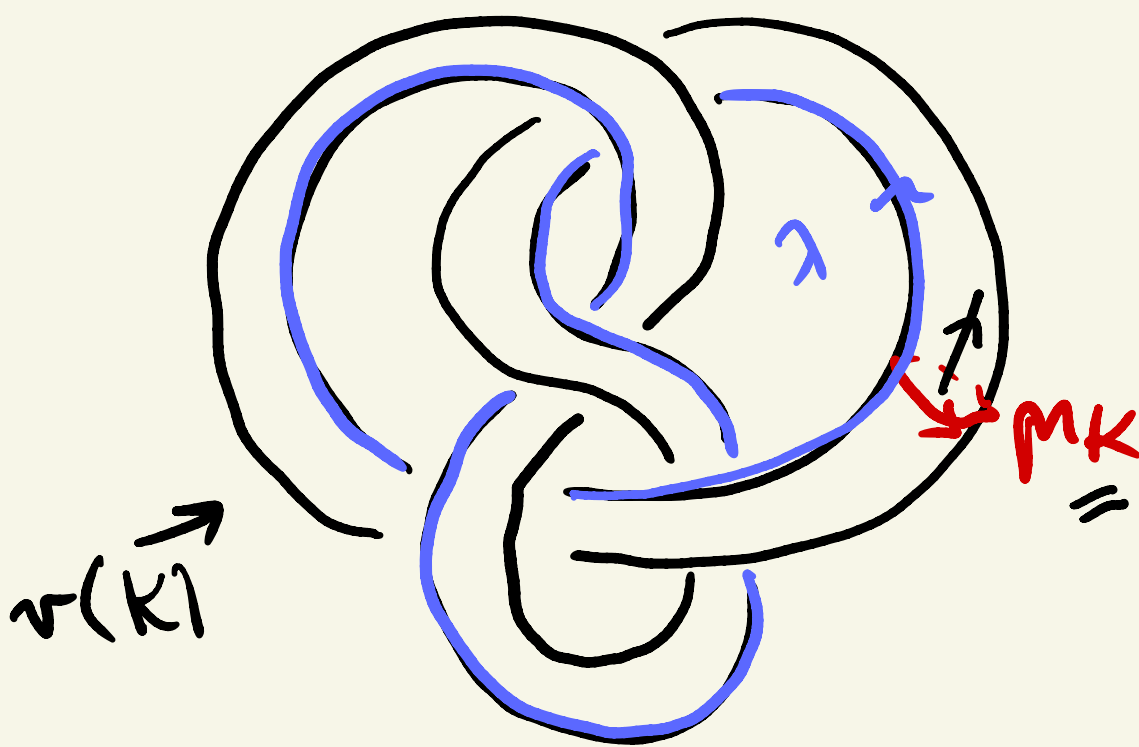
$$\partial(\text{pt} \times D^2) \mapsto \alpha$$

Remarks:

• To say $\alpha = \frac{p}{q} \in \mathbb{Q} \cup \{\frac{1}{0}\}$,
you need to specify / fix a basis
for $H_1(\partial M_0)$.

e.g. knot exterior $X_K := S^3 \setminus (v(K))$
(in S^3)

↓
regular
nebd of
 K



$$S^3_{p/q}(K) = X_K(p/q)$$

$H_1(\partial X_K)$ is gen. by $[\mu_K]$ & $[\lambda]$
↓
Seifert
framing
i.e.
bands
a Seifert
surface.

Let M be a $\mathbb{Q}$ -homology solid torus,
 i.e. $\partial M \cong T$ & $H_*(M; \mathbb{Q}) \cong H_*(S^1 \times \mathbb{D}^2; \mathbb{Q})$.
 (i.e. $H_1(M) \cong \mathbb{Z} \oplus H$)
↓
finite abelian group

Let $i_* : H_1(\partial M; \mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow H_1(M; \mathbb{Q})$ be
 the homomorphism induced by the inclusion
 map $i : \partial M \hookrightarrow M$.

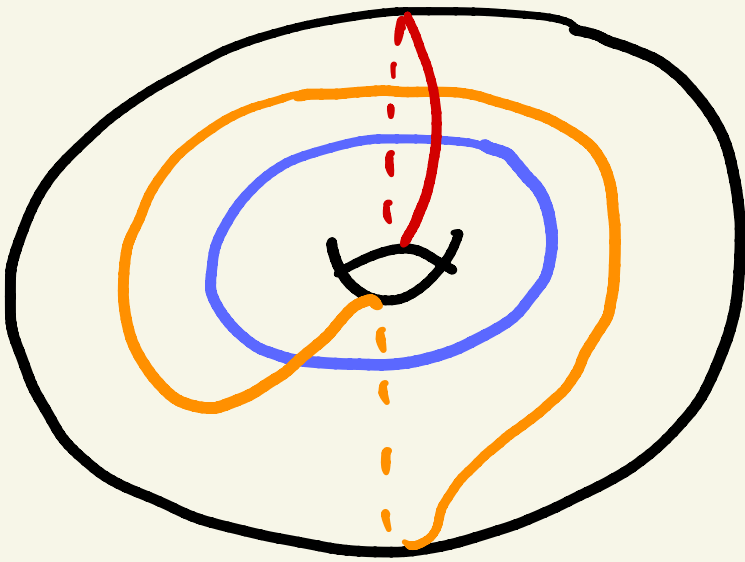
Then there exists a unique slope on
 ∂M called the rational longitude λ_M
 s.t. $i_*([\lambda_M])$ is zero.

Remark: λ_M is the unique slope s.t.
 $H_2(M(\lambda_M)) \neq 0$.

Triad

Let M be a 3-mfd with $\partial M \cong T$,
✕ α, β and γ be slopes on ∂M

s.t. $\Delta(\alpha, \beta) = \Delta(\beta, \gamma) = \Delta(\gamma, \alpha) = 1$.



Then (α, β, γ) are said to be
a triad of slopes.

$\Delta (M(\alpha), M(\beta), M(\gamma))$ forms
a triad of 3-manifolds

For some cyclic order,

$$|H_1(M(\gamma))| = |H_1(M(\alpha))| + |H_1(M(\beta))| \quad *_1$$

e.g. For α, β s.t. $\Delta(\alpha, \beta)$, $\alpha + \beta$.
 $(\alpha, \beta, \alpha + \beta)$ is a triad.

$\Rightarrow$ they fit in a surgery exact triangle

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \hat{H}F(M(\beta)) \quad *_2 \\ & \nearrow & \downarrow \\ \hat{H}F(M(\alpha)) & & \hat{H}F(M(\gamma)) \\ & \nwarrow & \end{array}$$

By rank nullity and exactness in $\ast_1, \ast_2$ we immediately obtain the following.

Proposition 1: If M admits a triad $(\alpha, \beta, \alpha + \beta)$ s.t. $M(\alpha)$ and $M(\beta)$ are L -spaces, $M(\alpha + \beta)$ is an L -space as well.

Inducting on the length of a continued fraction of $p/q \in \mathbb{Q}$ with $p, q \geq 0$ and p and q coprime, we get

Proposition 2: ——— (as above).

Then for all coprime pairs $p, q \geq 0$, $M(p\alpha + q\beta)$ is an L -space.

Corollary: If $S_r^3(K)$ is an L -space for some $r \in \mathbb{Q}_{\geq 0}$, then $S_s^3(K)$ is an L -space as well for all $s \geq r$.

Seifert fibered spaces

We'll define the Seifert manifolds as Dehn fillings of trivial bundles over surfaces with boundary.

possibly
nonoriented

Let N be the unique $\nearrow$ bundle $F_0 \times S^1$,
oriented
& $T_1, \dots, T_n$ be the components of ∂N .

$\Rightarrow$ fix a basis s_i, f_i for $H_1(T_i)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \nwarrow & \searrow \\ & F_0 \times \{pt\} & \{pt\} \times S^1 \\ & & \hat{(\partial F_0)}: \end{array}$$

Definition: A Seifert manifold is any

3-mfd M

$$M = N\left(\frac{p_1}{q_1}, \dots, \frac{p_k}{q_k}\right) \text{ with } k \leq n$$

and $p_i \neq 0$.

Let F be F_0 with k boundary comp.s capped,
(base surface)

then we denote M as

$$M := F\left(\frac{p_1}{q_1}, \dots, \frac{p_k}{q_k}\right).$$

Remarks:

- may orient f_i s.t. $p_i \geq 1$
- $D^2(P/q)$ is a solid torus.
- $S^2(P/q)$ is the lens space $L(q, p)$ (S^3 as a lens sp)
- $S^2(P_1/q_1, P_2/q_2)$ is also a lens space
- $\frac{p_i}{q_i} = \frac{1}{0} \leftarrow$ just ignore this.
- $k \geq 2$, $\left(\frac{p_i}{q_i}, \frac{p_j}{q_j}\right) \mapsto \left(\frac{p_i}{q_i + p_j}, \frac{p_j}{q_j - p_i}\right)$
 twisting along an annulus
- $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow$ ignore that too!

- M is a QHS³ if $F = S^2$ or $\mathbb{R}P^2$.
 $[\pi_1(M) \twoheadrightarrow \pi_1(F)]$

[Spoiler: The case $F = S^2$ will be done]
 by Allie on November 12!

$$\underline{F = \mathbb{R}P^2}$$

$$M = \mathbb{R}P^2(a_1, \dots, a_n)$$

we'll induct on n .

Base case $n=1$:

↙ Möbius band

$$M = \mathbb{R}P^2(a) = (\mathcal{M} \tilde{\times} S^1)(a)$$

(see last two pages)

$$= \mathbb{D}^2(\frac{2}{1}, \frac{2}{1})(a)$$

$$= S^2(\frac{2}{1}^+, \frac{2}{1}^-, a) \quad \text{"prism mfd"} \quad \cap$$

$\hookrightarrow P/Q$

$S^2(\frac{2}{1-2}, \frac{2}{1+2}, p/q)$ elliptic mfd
 $\overset{\text{sl}}{S^2}(-2, \frac{2}{3}, p/q)$ (spherical)
 $\hookrightarrow \pi_1$ finite

Thm (Q2-S2): Elliptic mfd's are L-spaces

Induction hypothesis:

$(*) \mathbb{RP}^2(a_1, \dots, a_r)$ $r < n$
 $\hookrightarrow$ is an L-space.

note:

$$- \mathbb{RP}^2(\underbrace{a_1, \dots, a_r}_{r+1}, \underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_k) = \mathbb{RP}^2(\underbrace{a'_1, \dots, a'_r}_r)$$

$$M = \mathbb{RP}^2(a_1, \dots, a_n).$$

let N be the 3-mfd obtained by

$$N = \mathcal{U}(a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}).$$

$$\Rightarrow M = N(a_{n-1})$$

$$* \quad N(\underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{section}}}{S_n}) = \mathbb{RP}^2(a_1, \dots, a_{n-1})$$

is an L-space by (*)

* N is a $\mathbb{Q}$ -homology solid torus.

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} H_1(N(\lambda n)) \neq 0 \\ \text{but } H_2(N(f_n)) \neq 0 \end{array} \right\} \lambda n = f_n.$$

$$N(\underset{\text{section}}{S_n + f_n}) = N(1) = \mathbb{RP}^2(a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}, 1)$$

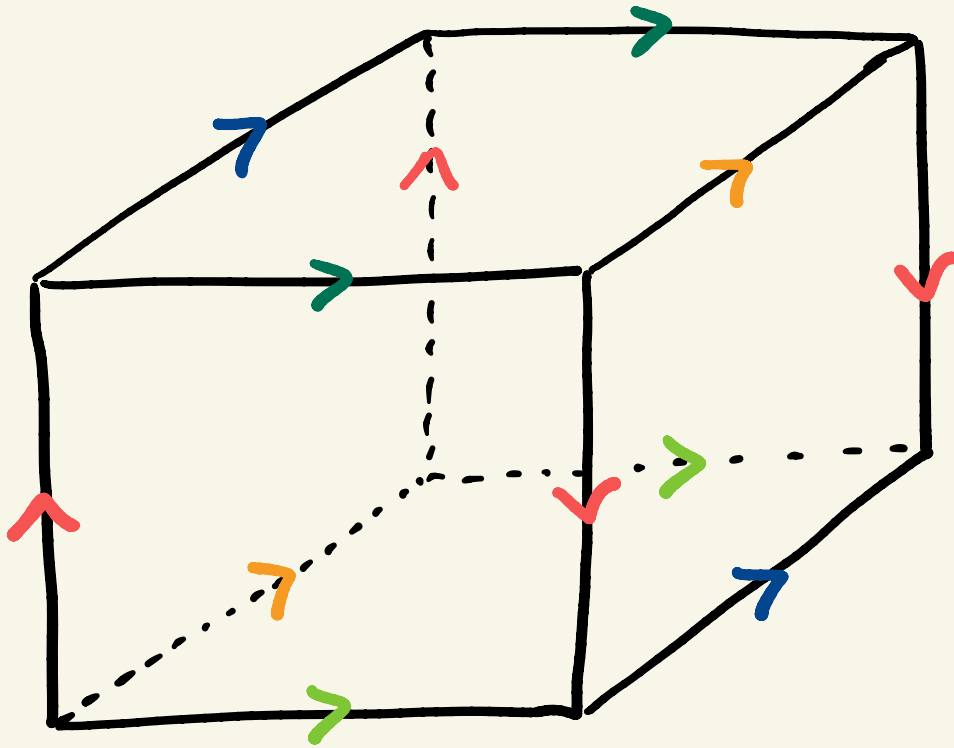
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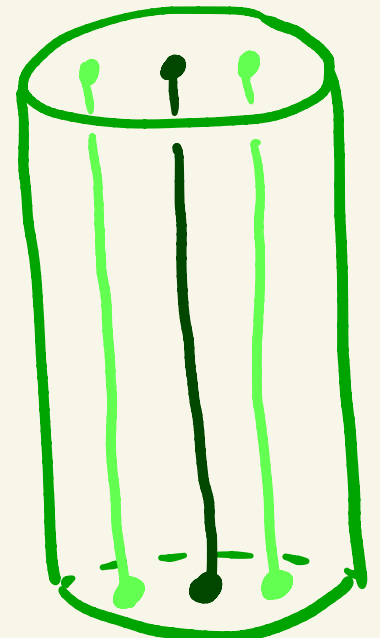
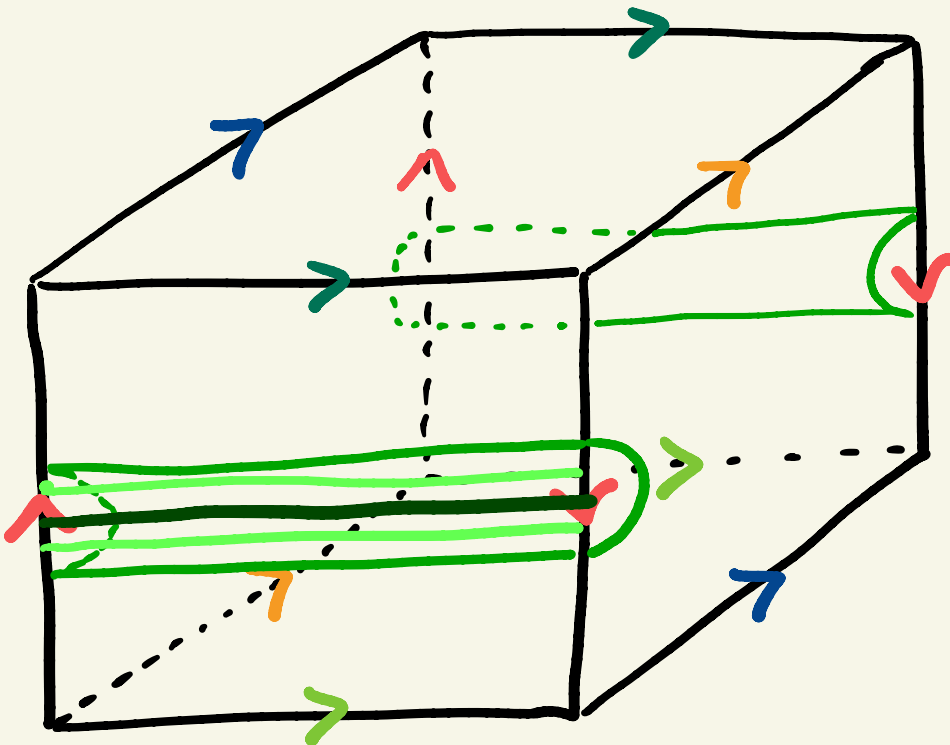
By Proposition 2,

$$U(p(S_n) + q(S_n + f_n)) \text{ is an L-space. } \square$$

Bonus: $\mathcal{M} \tilde{\times} S^1 \cong \mathbb{D}^2(\frac{2}{1}, \frac{2}{1})$

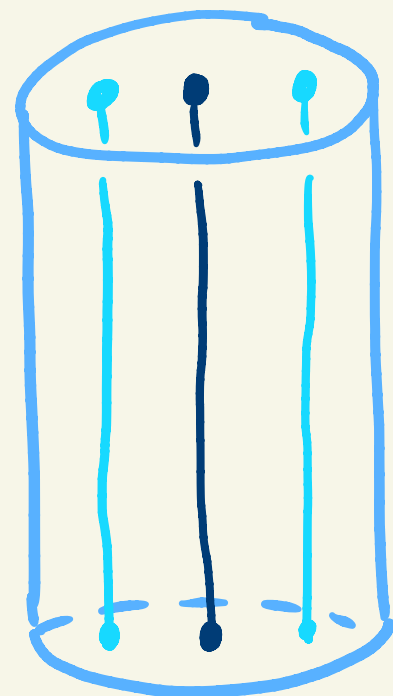
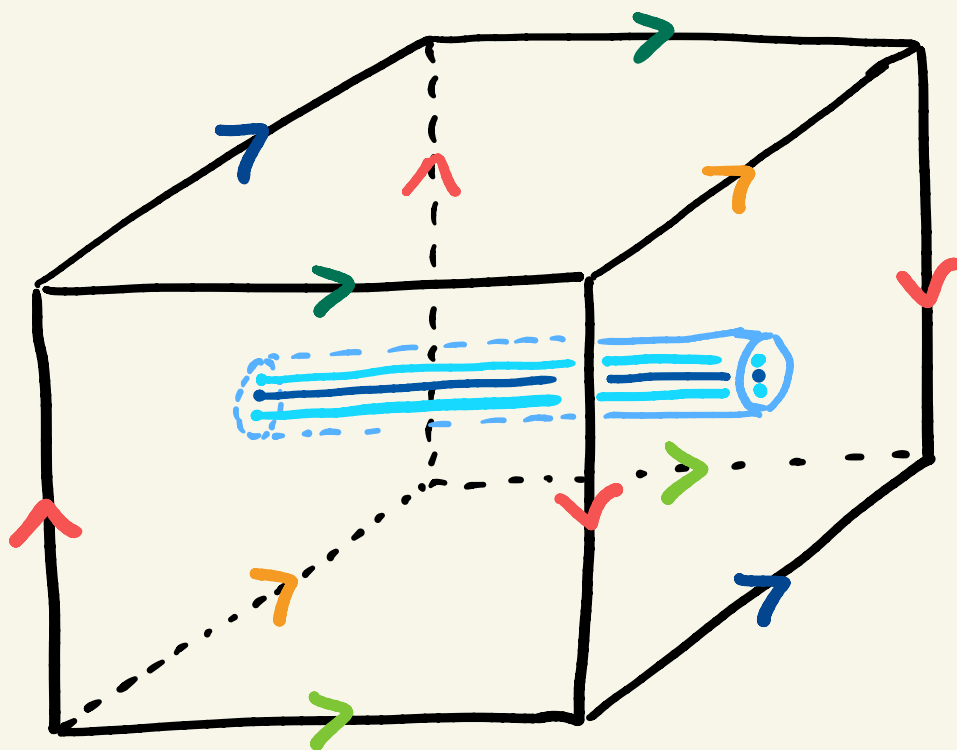


fibered solid torus neighborhood 1:



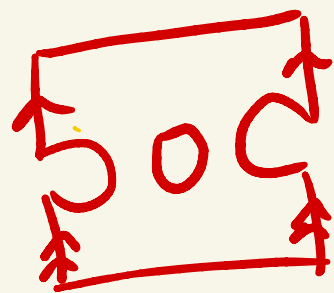
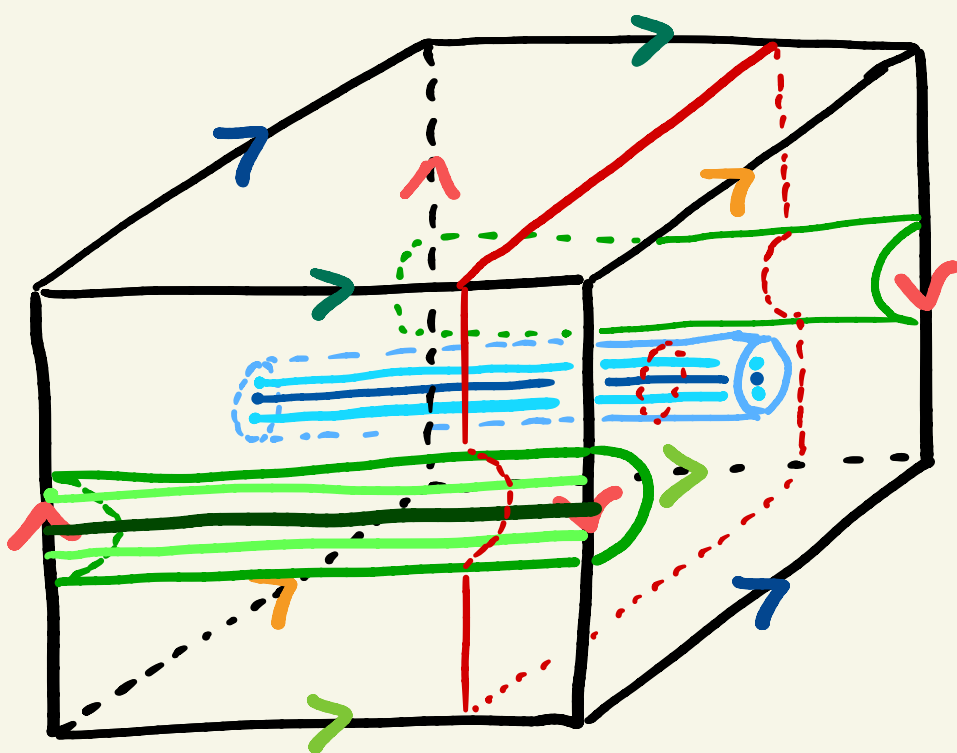
regular fibers
exceptional fiber

fibred solid torus nhood 2:



regular
fibers

exceptional
fiber



pair of pants!
(not a slice of
swiss cheese)

Thank you!

