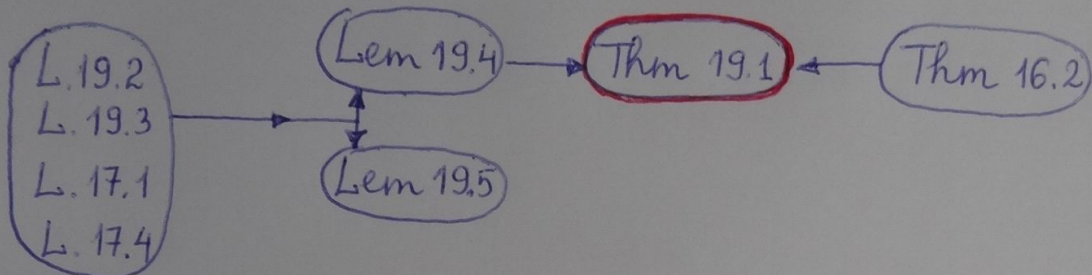


Thm 19.1 The law $X^n = 1$ holds in the group $G(\infty) = B(\mathcal{A}, n)$ and if $|\mathcal{A}| > 1$, $n > 10^{10}$ odd, then $G(\infty)$ is infinite.



Lem. 19.4. A reduced diagram Δ of rank $i+1$ is an A -map.

Δ is a diagram over $G(i+1) = \langle \mathcal{A} \mid \mathcal{X}_1^n \cup \dots \cup \mathcal{X}_{i+1}^n \rangle$,

$$\tilde{\mathcal{X}}_{i+1} = \{w \in F(\mathcal{A}) \mid |w| = i+1,$$

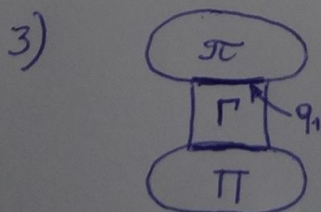
$$w \neq B^k \quad (1 \leq k < n), B \in \mathcal{X}_1 \cup \dots \cup \mathcal{X}_i, G(i)$$

$$w \neq w' \quad \text{if } |w'| < |w| \quad \left. \vphantom{w \neq w'} \right\} G(i)$$

$\mathcal{X}_{i+1} \subseteq \tilde{\mathcal{X}}_{i+1}$ is a maximal subset with the property:
if $A \neq B \in \mathcal{X}_{i+1}$, then $A \neq B^{\pm 1}$.
 $G(i)$

Def A map Δ is called an A -map if

- 1) For each cell Π of rank j we have $|\partial\Pi| \geq n \cdot j$
- 2) For any subpath $q \subseteq \partial\Pi$, where $rk(\Pi) = j$, we have:
If $|q| \leq \max\{j, 2\}$, then q is geodesic.

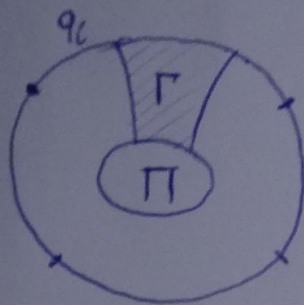


~~$$If (\pi, \Gamma, \Pi)$$~~

If $(\Pi, \Gamma, \pi) \geq \epsilon$, then $|q| < (1+\gamma) \cdot rk(\Pi)$

Theorem 16.2

Let Δ be an **A-map** of non-zero rank with $1 \leq l \leq 4$ sections of $\partial\Delta$. Then there exists an \mathbb{R} -cell $\Pi \subseteq \Delta$ and a contiguity submap Γ of Π to a section q_i of $\partial\Delta$, s.t.



$$\text{rk}(\Gamma) = 0 \text{ and } (\Pi, \Gamma, q) \geq \varepsilon.$$

Thm. 19.1.

The law $X^n = 1$ holds in the group $G(\infty) = B(A, n)$ and if $|A| > 1$, $n > 10^{10}$ odd, then $G(\infty)$ is infinite.

Proof

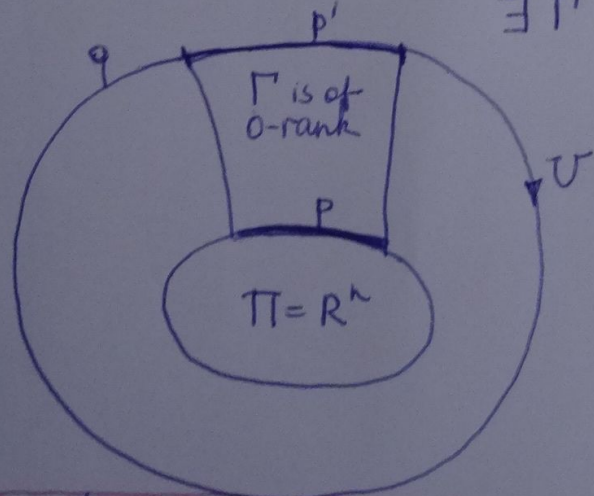
Suppose $1 \neq U \in F(A)$ is a cyclically reduced word, s.t. $U = 1$ in $G(\infty)$. Then $\exists \kappa$, s.t. $U = 1$ in $G(\kappa)$.

Then there exists a diagram Δ over $G(\kappa)$ with $\varphi(\partial\Delta) = U$.

By 19.4., Δ is an **A-map**



By Thm. 16.2. $\exists \Pi = R^n$
 $\exists \Gamma$ as above



Since $(\Pi, \Gamma, q) \geq \varepsilon$,
 $|p| \geq \varepsilon \cdot |\partial\Pi| = \varepsilon \cdot n \cdot |R| \geq 15|R|$

$\Rightarrow p$ contains 13 times R .

$p' = p$ contains R^{13} .
 $F(A)$

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If V, W are two G -aperiodic words in $F(A)$, then $V \neq W$ in $G(\infty)$.

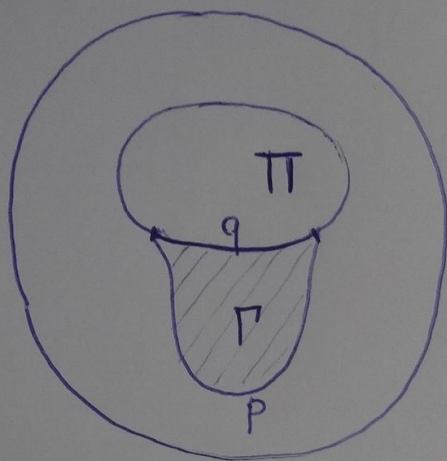
Proof Otherwise $\exists \kappa: VW^{-1} = 1$ in $G(\kappa)$ for some κ . $\Rightarrow V \cdot (W^{-1})^{-1} = 1$ in $G(\kappa) \Rightarrow V$ or W contains R^6 .

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Lem 19.4 A reduced diagram Δ of rank $i+1$ is an A-map

Proof 1) is clear.

2)



$$\text{rk}(\Pi) = j \leq i+1, \quad q \subseteq \partial\Pi, \\ |q| \leq \max(j, 2).$$

Suppose $|p| < |q|$

Case 1 $\Pi \not\subseteq \Gamma$.

Then, by induction, Γ is an A-map.

Subcase 1 Suppose $|q| \leq 2$.

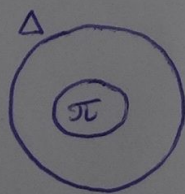
$$\text{Then } |\partial\Gamma| = |q| + |p| \leq 2 + 1 = 3$$

$$\xrightarrow{C.17.1} \text{rk}(\Gamma) = 0.$$

Cor. 17.1

If a circular A-map Δ contains an R-cell π , then

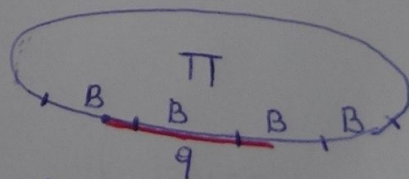
$$|\partial\Delta| > \bar{\beta} |\partial\pi|$$



In our situation, for any R-cell $\pi \subseteq \Gamma$, we have

$$3 = |\partial\Gamma| > \bar{\beta} |\partial\pi| = \bar{\beta} \cdot \text{rk}(\pi) \cdot n \Rightarrow \text{rk}(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow \text{rk}(\Gamma) = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(p) = \varphi(q) \xleftarrow{\text{cyclically reduced}} \text{F(A)} \\ |p| < |q|$$

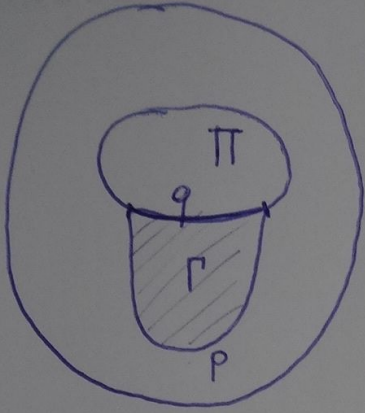


each B is cyclically reduced

A contradiction.

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$rk(\pi) = j \leq i+1, q \in \partial\pi,$
 $|q| \leq \max(j, 2)$

Suppose $|p| < |q|$

Case 1 $\pi \subseteq \Gamma$.

Then, by induction Γ is an A-map.

Subcase 2 Suppose $|q| \leq j$

Then $|\partial\Gamma| = |q| + |p| \leq j + (j-1) < 2j.$

$\xrightarrow{C.17.1} rk(\Gamma) < j.$

Cor. 17.1 If a circular A-map Δ contains an R-cell π , then
 $|\partial\Delta| > \beta \cdot |\partial\pi|$

In our situation, for any R-cell $\pi \subseteq \Gamma$, we have

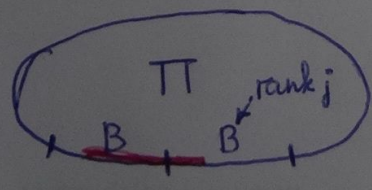
$2j > |\partial\Gamma| > \beta \cdot |\partial\pi| = \beta \cdot rk(\pi) \cdot n$

$\Rightarrow rk(\pi) < \frac{2j}{\beta \cdot n} < j \Rightarrow rk(\Gamma) = \max_{\pi \subseteq \Gamma} rk(\pi) < j.$

$\Rightarrow \varphi(q) = \varphi(p)$
 $\parallel G(j-1) \parallel$
 $|q| > |p|$

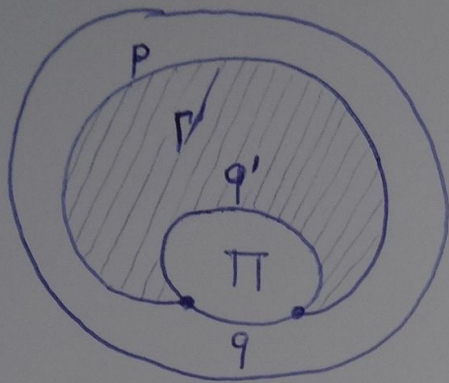
A contradiction;

(Since $|q| \leq j = |B|$, some $qq' \sim B \Rightarrow pq' \sim B$)



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$$\text{rk}(\pi) = j \leq i+1, \quad q \subseteq \partial\pi$$

$$|q| \leq \max(j, 2)$$

Suppose $|p| < |q|$

Case 2 $\pi \not\subseteq \Gamma$

Again, by induction, Γ is an A -map

Remark No cell of Γ is A -compatible with q' , where $\partial\pi = A^n$.
 Otherwise some cell $\pi \subseteq \Gamma$ is A -compatible with π ,
 and Δ were not reduced.

$\xRightarrow{\text{L.9.5}}$ q' is a smooth section of $\partial\Gamma$

Lem 9.5 Let q' be a section of the counter of a reduced diagram Γ of some rank l .

Suppose $\text{Lab}(q')$ is A -periodic, where one of the following holds

- 1) A is simple in rank l
- 2) A is a period of rank $j \leq l$ and Γ has no cells of rank j A -compatible with q .

Then q' is a smooth section of $\partial\Gamma$. (even $|A|$ -smooth)

$\xRightarrow{\text{T.17.1}}$ $\beta \cdot |q'| \leq |p|$. Observe $|q'| \geq |\partial\pi| - |q| \geq |\partial\pi| - j = |\partial\pi| - |A| = |\partial\pi| - \frac{|\partial\pi|}{n}$.

$\Rightarrow |q| \leq j = \frac{|\partial\pi|}{n} \leq \frac{|q'| \cdot \frac{n}{n-1}}{n} = \frac{|q'|}{(n-1)} \leq \frac{\beta}{(n-1)} \cdot |p| < |p| \Rightarrow q$ is geodesic.

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