

A symbolic-numeric algorithm for genus computation

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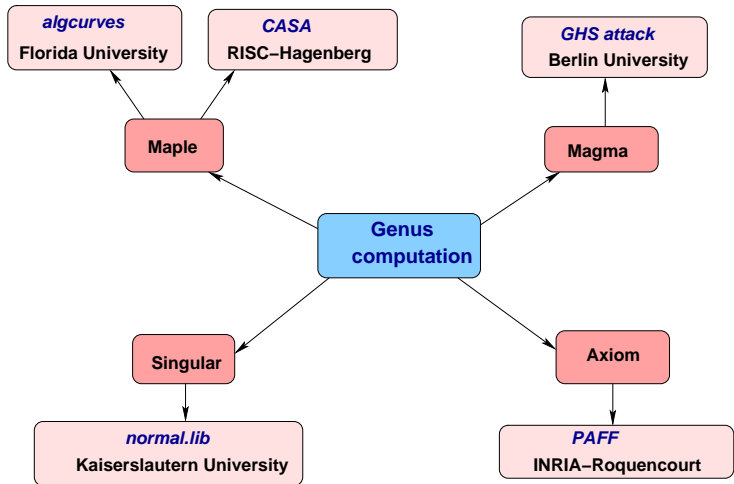
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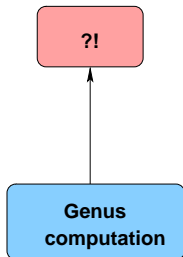
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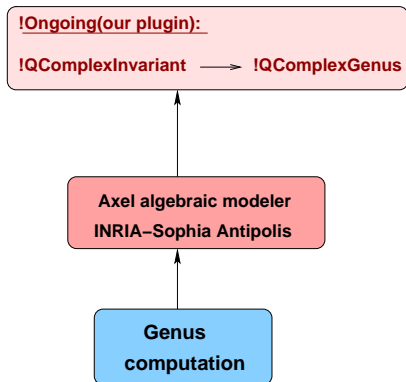


Numeric Algorithms:



Symbolic-Numeric Algorithms:

DK Project: Symbolic-Numeric techniques for genus computation and parametrization (project leader: Prof. Dr. Josef Schicho).



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What?

- **Input:**

- \mathbb{C} field of complex numbers;
- $F \in \mathbb{C}[z, w]$ irreducible with coefficients of **limited accuracy**¹;
- $C = \{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid F(z, w) = 0\} = \{(x, y, u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid F(x + iy, u + iv) = 0\}$ complex algebraic curve (d is the degree, $Sing(C)$ is the set of singularities);

- **Output:**

- **approximate** $genus(C)$ s.t.

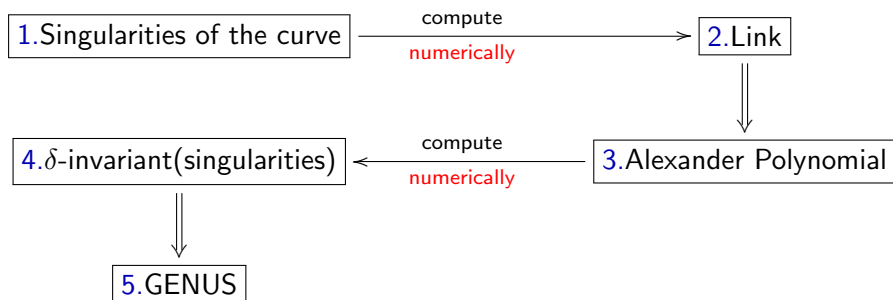
$$genus(C) = \frac{1}{2}(d-1)(d-2) - \sum_{P \in Sing(C)} \delta\text{-invariant}(P);$$

¹For now: symbolic coefficients

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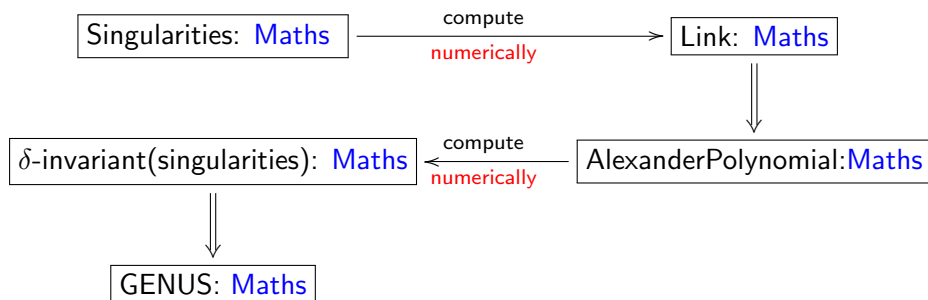
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- Strategy for computing the genus



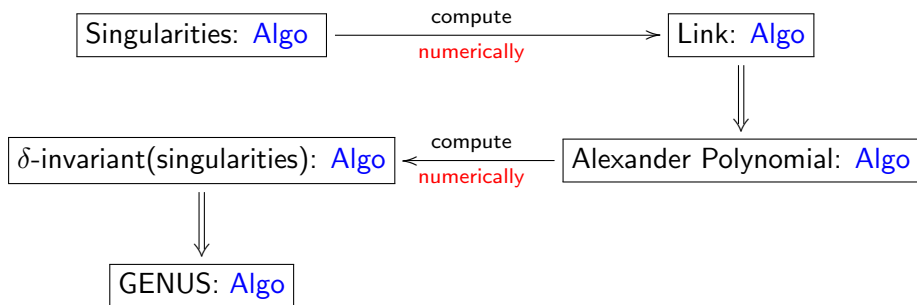
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- Method for computing the genus



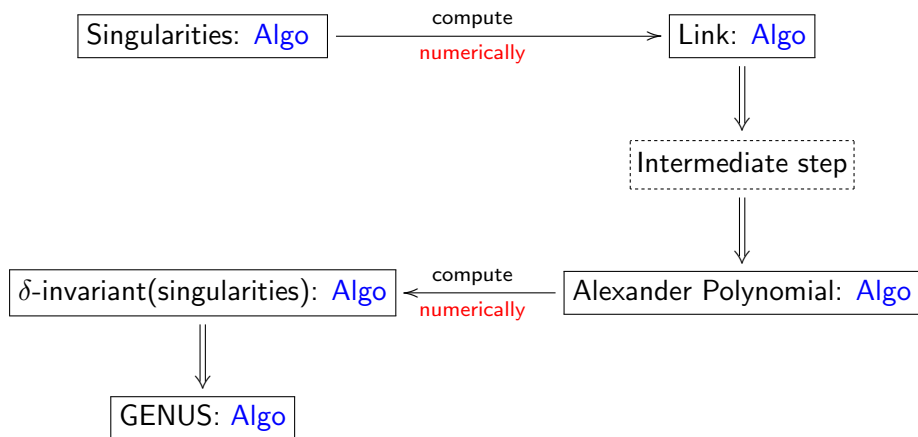
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Solving the problem

Implementation of the algorithm

- *Axel* algebraic geometric modeler ^a
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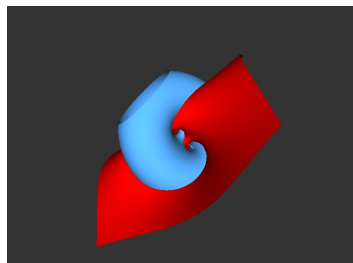


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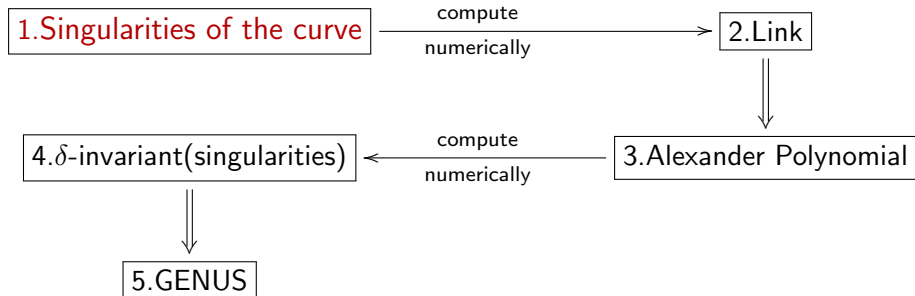
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First



Computing the singularities of the curve

- **Input:**

- $F \in \mathbb{C}[z, w]$
- $C = \{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid F(z, w) = 0\}$

- **Output:**

- $Sing(C) = \{(z_0, w_0) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid F(z_0, w_0) = 0, \frac{\delta F}{\delta z}(z_0, w_0) = 0, \frac{\delta F}{\delta w}(z_0, w_0) = 0\}$

Method: \Rightarrow solve overdeterminate system of polynomial equations in \mathbb{C}^2 :

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} F(z_0, w_0) = 0 \\ \frac{\delta F}{\delta z}(z_0, w_0) = 0 \\ \frac{\delta F}{\delta w}(z_0, w_0) = 0 \end{array} \right. , \quad (1)$$

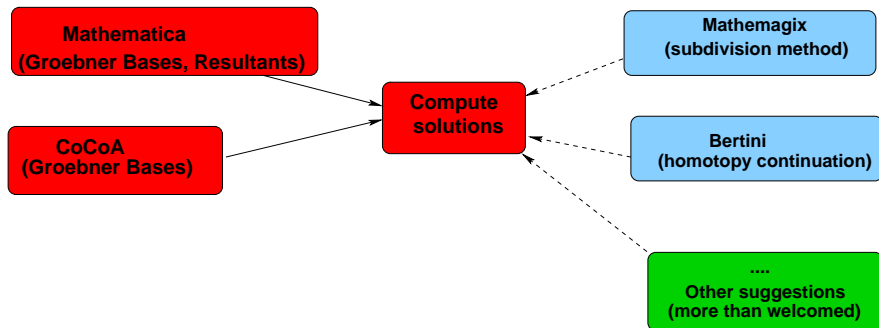
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or in \mathbb{R}^4 : $F(z, w) = F(x + iy, u + iv) = s(x, y, u, v) + it(x, y, u, v)$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} s(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \\ t(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \\ \\ \frac{\delta s}{\delta x}(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \\ \\ \frac{\delta t}{\delta x}(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \\ \\ \frac{\delta s}{\delta u}(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \\ \\ \frac{\delta t}{\delta u}(x_0, y_0, u_0, v_0) = 0 \end{array} \right. , \quad (2)$$

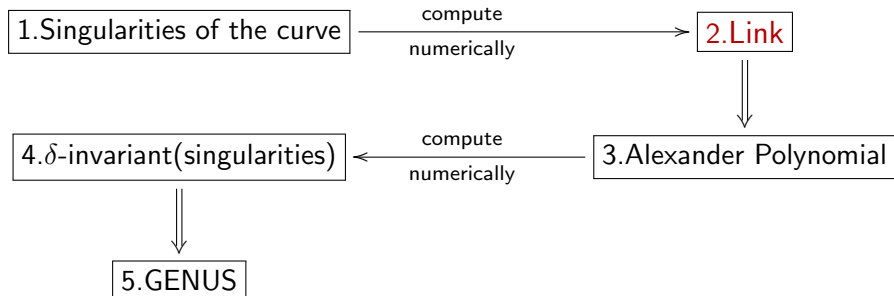
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Using numeric input polynomials



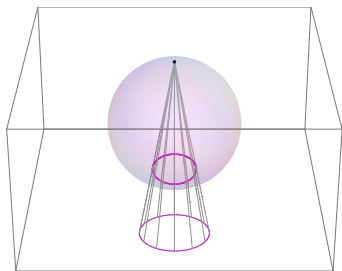
Note: so far an open problem.

Next



Computing the link of the singularity

- Why the link of a singularity?
 - helps in understanding the topology of a complex curve near a singularity;
- How do we compute the link?
 - use stereographic projection;



Computing the link of the singularity

Method (based on Milnor's results)

1. Let $C = \{(x, y, u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid F(x, y, u, v) = 0\}$ s.t. $(0, 0, 0, 0) \in \text{Sing}(C)$

2. Consider $S_{(0, \epsilon)} := S = \{(x, y, u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x^2 + y^2 + u^2 + v^2 = \epsilon^2\}$,
 $X = C \cap S_{(0, \epsilon)} \subset \mathbb{R}^4$

3. For $P \in S \setminus C$ take $f : S \setminus \{P\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$, $f(x, y, u, v) = (\frac{x}{\epsilon - v}, \frac{y}{\epsilon - v}, \frac{u}{\epsilon - v})$,
 $f^{-1} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow S \setminus \{P\}$

$$f^{-1}(a, b, c) = \left(\frac{2a\epsilon}{1+a^2+b^2+c^2}, \frac{2b\epsilon}{1+a^2+b^2+c^2}, \frac{2c\epsilon}{1+a^2+b^2+c^2}, \frac{\epsilon(a^2+b^2+c^2-1)}{1+a^2+b^2+c^2} \right)$$

4. Compute $f(X) = \{(a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid F(\dots) = 0\} \Leftrightarrow$
 $f(X) = \{(a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \text{Re}F(\dots) = 0, \text{Im}F(\dots) = 0\}$ and
 B for $f(X) = \{(a, b, c) \in B \subset \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \text{Re}F(\dots) = 0, \text{Im}F(\dots) = 0\}$

For small ϵ , $f(X)$ is a link

Note: A link is a closed loop in \mathbb{R}^3 that does not intersect itself.

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Why Axel?

It computes numerically the topology of implicit curves in \mathbb{R}^3

- For $C^4 = \{(z, w) \in \mathbb{C}^2 \mid z^3 - w^2 = 0\} \subset \mathbb{R}^4$ get
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- compute $\text{Graph}(C) = \langle \mathcal{V}, \mathcal{E} \rangle$ with
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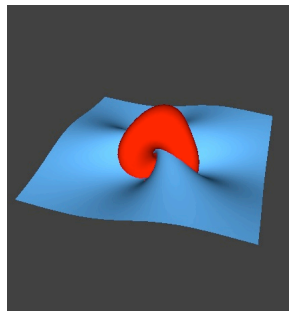


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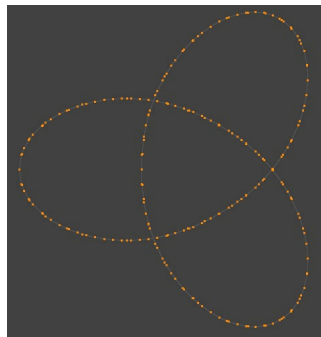


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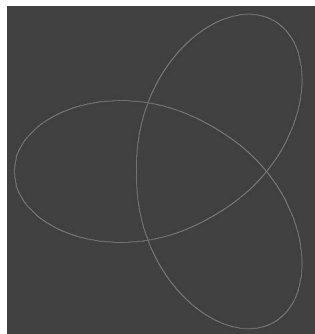


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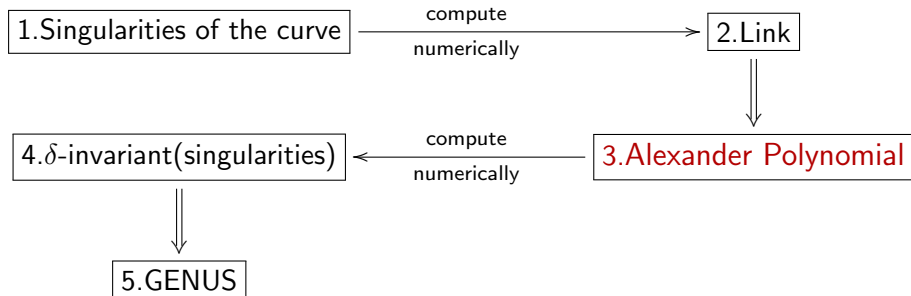
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Preliminaries

A double point of a projection is called a **crossing point**.

A **diagram** is the image under regular projection, together with the information on each crossing telling which branch goes over and which under.

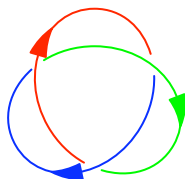
An **arc** is the part of a diagram between two undercrossings.

A crossing is:

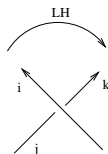
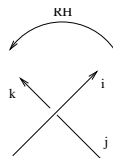
-**righthanded** if the underpass traffic goes from right to left.

-**lefthanded** if the underpass traffic goes from left to right.

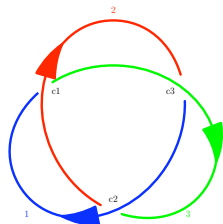
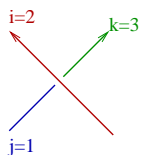
Diagram and arcs



Crossings

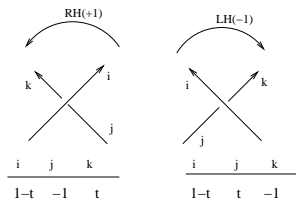


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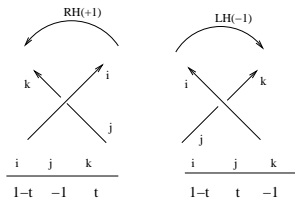
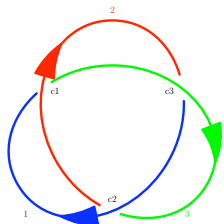
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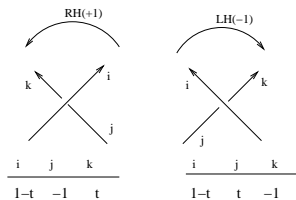
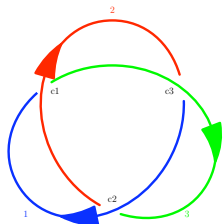
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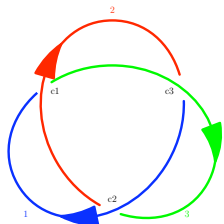
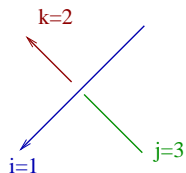
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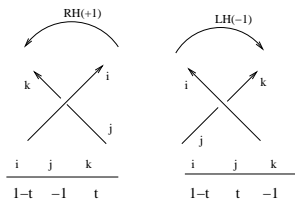


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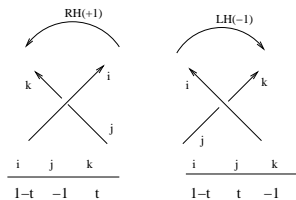
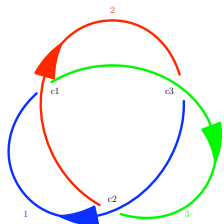
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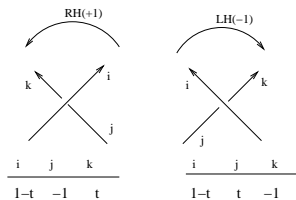
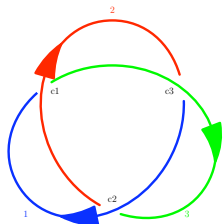
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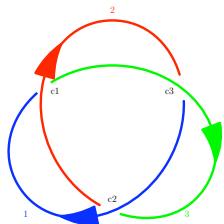
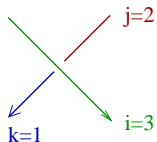
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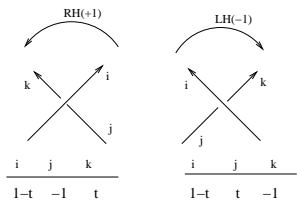


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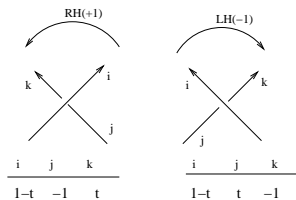
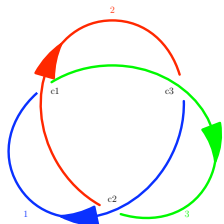
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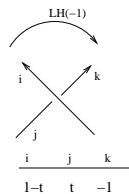
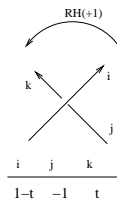
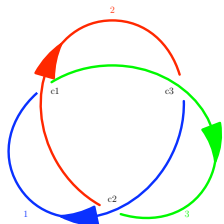
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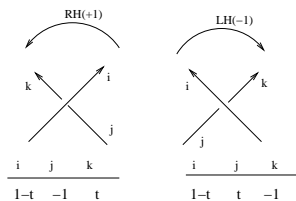
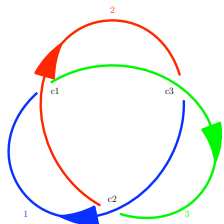
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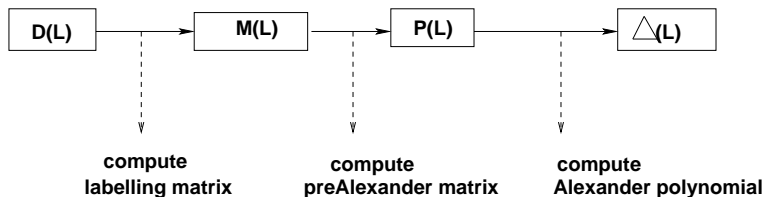
$$\det(P(L)) = -t^2 + t - 1$$

$$\Delta(L) := \Delta(t) = \text{Normalise}(\det(P(L))) = t^2 - t + 1$$



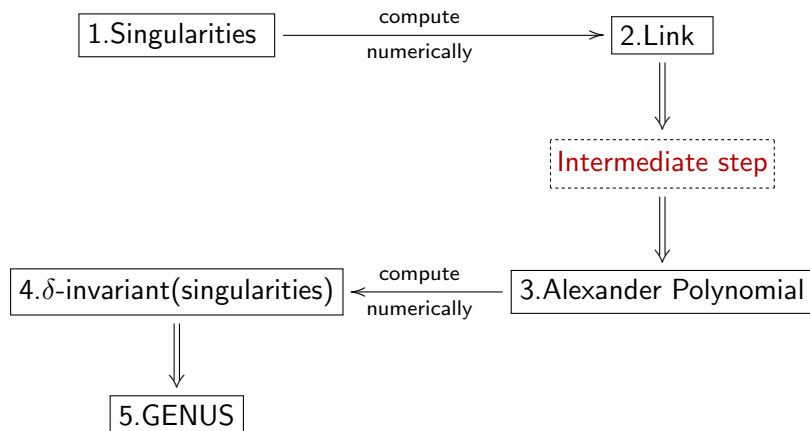
Computing the Alexander polynomial of the link

- **Input:**
 - $L = K_1 \cup \dots \cup K_m$ with n - crossings
 - $D(L)$ - oriented diagram of L
- **Output:**
 - $\Delta_L(t_1, \dots, t_m) \in \mathbb{Z}[t_1^{\pm 1}, \dots, t_m^{\pm 1}]$
- **Method:** consists of several steps

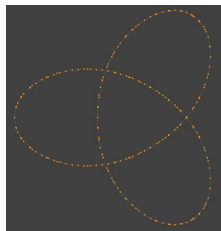


- Need $D(L)$!

Next



Intermediate step



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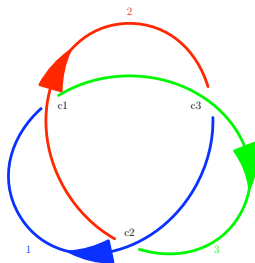
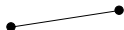
- $G(L) = \langle P, E \rangle$

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 - $p(\text{index}, x, y, z)$

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 - $e(\text{pointS}, \text{pointD})$



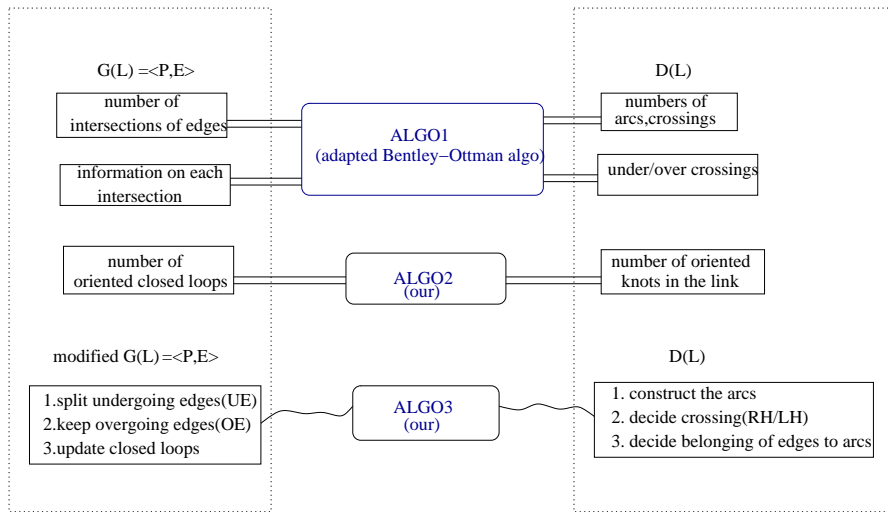
$D(L)$

→ number of arcs, crossings

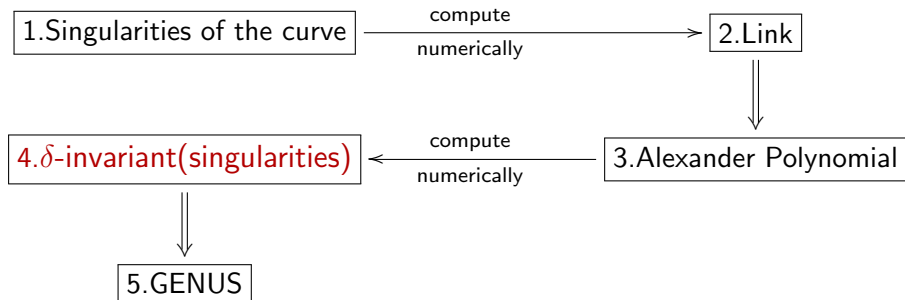
→ type of crossings (under, over)

→ number of knots in the link(orientation)

Intermediate step

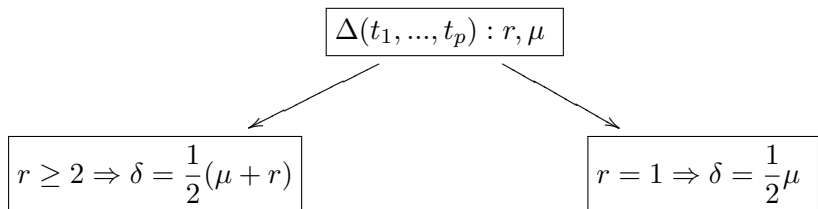


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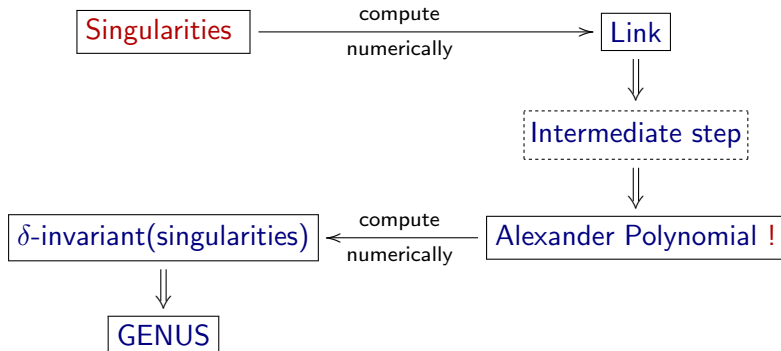
Computing the δ -invariant of the singularity

- Input:
 - $C \subset \mathbb{C}^2$ complex algebraic curve;
 - $z \in \text{Singularities}(C)$;
 - $\Delta(t_1, \dots, t_p)$ - Alexander polynomial of z ;
 - $r =$ number of variables in Δ (branches of C through z);
 - $\mu =$ degree of Δ (multiplicity of z);
- Output:
 - $\delta_z > 0$ s.t. δ_z measures the number of double points of C at z .
- Method (based on Milnor's research)



Summary

- Present work: for symbolic coefficients

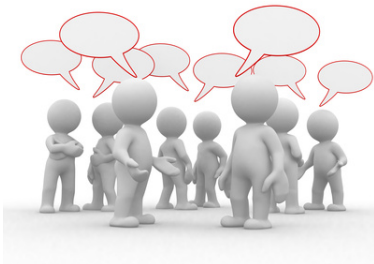


- Future work: tests for algorithm with numeric coefficients

- ① Motivation
- ② Describing the problem
What?
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How?
- ④ Current results
- ⑤ Conclusion and future work

Conclusion

- first results (methods and algorithms) were presented;
- **Future work:**
 - deeper introspection into some mathematical aspects (i.e. numeric computation);
 - complete implementation of the algorithm;
 - correctness proof for the algorithm;
 - analysis of the algorithm.



Thank you for your attention.
Questions?