Helsinki Analysis Seminar, 2014-09-08 Tanran Zhang, Tohoku University Abstract

UNIFORMISATION AND DESCRIPTION OF A ONCE PUNCTURED ANNULUS

The Uniformisation Theorem shows that the universal covering space \widetilde{X} of a hyperbolic Riemann surface X is homeomorphic, by a conformal map \mathfrak{m} , to the unit disk \mathbb{D} , or, equivalently, the upper half-plane \mathbb{H} , and then the fundamental group $\Pi_1(X)$ has a representation as a group G of conformal homeomorphisms of $\mathfrak{m}(\widetilde{X})$. Hempel and Smith studied the hyperbolic Riemann surface model of the twice punctured disk $\mathbb{D} \setminus \{p_1, p_2\}$ in 1980s. They estimated the hyperbolic density on it near one puncture and considered the coalescing of the two punctures. Later on Beardon gave five different ways to uniformize $\mathbb{D} \setminus \{p_1, p_2\}$ in 2012. In this talk, we extend his work to the once punctured annulus $A := \{z : 1/R < |z| < R\} \setminus \{a\}, R > 1, 1/R < a < R$. We provide several parameter pairs to uniformize and characterize A. These parameter pairs are divided into two classes, which describe the the hyperbolic and complex structures of A, respectively. We give explicit formulas about the relation between the two structures of A. Several degenerating cases are also treated. In these cases, A is degenerating to the thrice punctured Riemann sphere, a twice punctured disk, the once punctured unit disk, or an annulus. This presentation is based on [Zh].

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