

1. The quotients  $\Gamma \backslash \mathbb{H}$  as  $\mathbb{C}$ -manifolds,  $\Gamma \subset SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  subgroup.

Def. For  $\Gamma \subset SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ , subgroup,  $Y(\Gamma) := \Gamma \backslash \mathbb{H}$ ,  $\text{quot}: \mathbb{H} \rightarrow Y(\Gamma)$  the quotient map, in (Sets).

Topology: give  $Y(\Gamma)$  the quotient topology, i.e.,  $U \subset Y(\Gamma)$  open  $\Leftrightarrow$   $\text{quot}^{-1}U \subset \mathbb{H}$  is open. Then  $\text{quot}: \mathbb{H} \rightarrow Y(\Gamma)$  is a quotient in (Top).

$\mathbb{C}$ -manifold: for  $U \subset Y(\Gamma)$  open:  $\mathbb{H}$   
 $\mathcal{O}_{Y(\Gamma)}(U) := \{ f: U \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \mid f \circ \text{quot}: \text{quot}^{-1}U \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ is holomorphic} \}.$

Claim  $(Y(\Gamma), \mathcal{O}_{Y(\Gamma)})$  is locally isom. to  $(D, \mathcal{O}_D)$ ,  $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid |z| < 1\}$ .

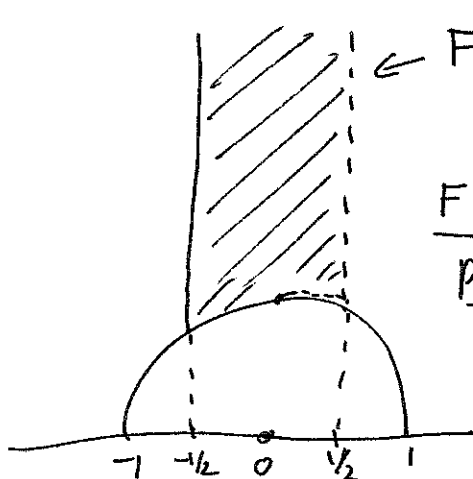
To show this, we need "local coordinates", at all points of  $Y(\Gamma)$ .

Recipe for local coordinates. Let  $\tau \in \mathbb{H}$ . Let  $z: \mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ ,  $\tau \mapsto \tau$ .  
 (standard global coordinate on  $\mathbb{H}$ ).

Put:  $z_\tau := \prod_{\gamma \in \Gamma_\tau / (\pm 1) \cap \Gamma_\tau} \gamma^*(z - \tau)$ ,  $e_\tau := \#(\Gamma_\tau / (\pm 1) \cap \Gamma_\tau)$ . (finite)

Then  $v_\tau(\tau) = e_\tau$ ,  $\exists t_\tau \in \mathcal{O}_{\mathbb{H}, \tau}$  with  $t_\tau^{e_\tau} = z_\tau$ ,  $v_\tau(t_\tau) = 1$ .  
 $\Gamma_\tau / (\Gamma_\tau \cap \pm 1) = \mathcal{N}_{e_\tau}$ , multiplies  $t_\tau$  by root of 1.

To get the required open subsets on which  $z_\tau$  is a local coordinate we study the standard fundamental domain for  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .



$$F = \left\{ \tau \in \mathbb{H} \mid |\tau| \geq 1, -\frac{1}{2} \leq \text{Re}(\tau) < \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

$$|\tau| = 1 \Rightarrow \text{Re}(\tau) \leq 0$$

F is a fund. domain for  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \backslash \mathbb{H}$ .

Proof. let  $\tau \in \mathbb{H}$ . Then  $SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cdot \tau =$   
 $= \left\{ z_1/z_2 \mid (z_1, z_2) \text{ is an oriented } \mathbb{Z}\text{-basis of } \mathbb{Z} \cdot 1 + \mathbb{Z} \cdot \tau \right\}$

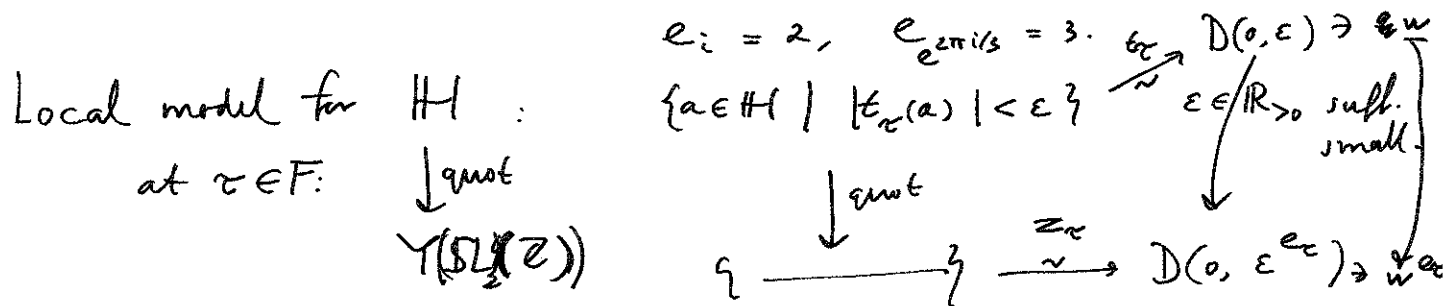
Let  $z_2 \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot 1 + \mathbb{Z} \cdot \tau$  be a shortest non-zero element, and  $(z_1, z_2)$  a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -basis. Then  $|z_1/z_2| \geq 1$ , and, putting  $\tau' := z_1/z_2 \cdot z_2^{-1} \cdot (\mathbb{Z} \cdot 1 + \mathbb{Z} \cdot \tau) = \mathbb{Z} \cdot 1 + \mathbb{Z} \cdot \tau'$ .

Let  $\tau'' := \tau' - n$ , s.t. ~~Re~~  $-1/2 \leq \text{Re}(\tau'') < 1/2$ ; (unique  $n$ ). 2.  
 Then  $|\tau''| \geq 1$ . If  $|\tau''| = 1$ , then  $-\tau''$  is also a shortest element of  $\mathbb{Z} + \mathbb{Z}\tau''$ , and applying our construction above gives  $-1/\tau'' \in F$ .  
 So, we have shown that  $F$  intersects all orbits.

Let us now show that it intersects each orbit exactly once.

See my Trieste notes (Chorneyase, William Stein...), p. 3.

That also gives, for  $\tau \in F$ :  $e_\tau = 1$  if  $\tau \notin \{i, e^{2\pi i/3}\}$



For more details: see Diamond-Shurman, Ch. 2.

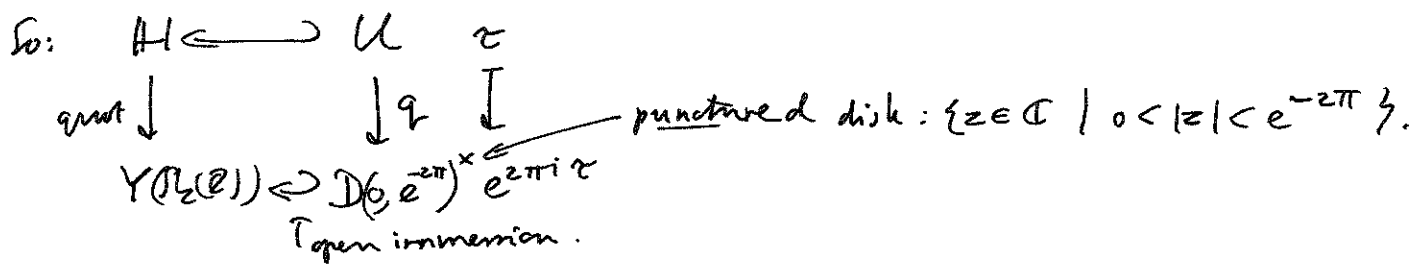
### 3. The compactifications $Y(\Gamma) \hookrightarrow X(\Gamma)$ .

Here, we assume that  $\Gamma \subset SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  is of finite index.

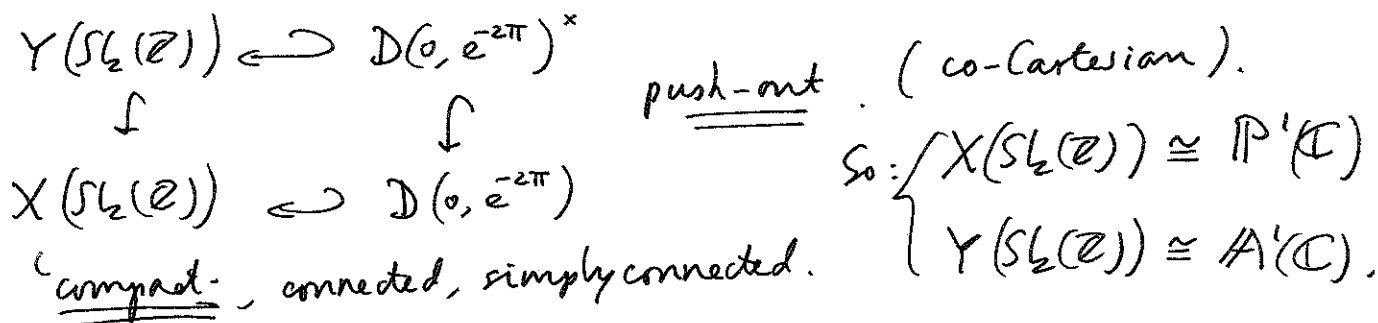
Reference: Trieste, §1.3.

Step 1:  $\Gamma = SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$ . Let  $U = \{\tau \in \mathbb{H} \mid \text{Im}(\tau) > 1\}$ .

Then, for  $\tau, \tau' \in U$ :  $\tau' \in SL_2(\mathbb{Z}) \cdot \tau \iff \tau' \in \tau + \mathbb{Z}$ .



Let  $\bar{F} :=$  closure of  $F$  in  $\mathbb{H}$ . Then  $\bar{F} \cap \{\tau \in \mathbb{H} \mid \text{Im}(\tau) \leq 2\}$  is compact. Hence:  $Y(SL_2(\mathbb{Z})) - D(0, e^{-2\pi})$  is compact.



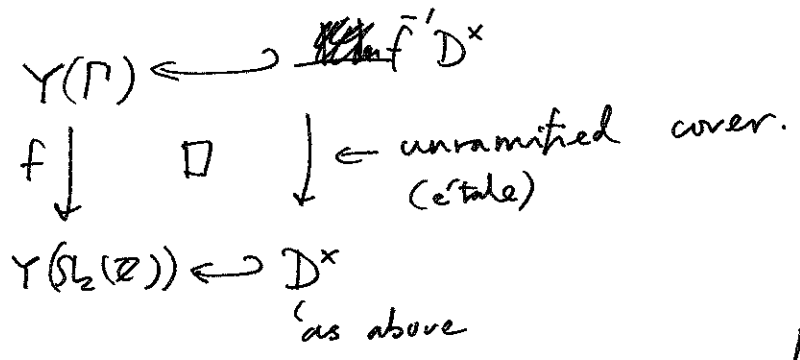
Step 2:  $\Gamma \subset SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  of finite index.

Then take  $\Gamma' \subset \Gamma$  s.t.  $\Gamma' \triangleleft SL_2(\mathbb{Z})$  with finite index.

Then  $Y(\Gamma') \rightarrow Y(\Gamma)$  is quotient for  $\Gamma/\Gamma'$



Hence: all these maps (in Top) are proper: inverse image of compact is compact (equivalently: universally closed).  
*separated & compact*



Hence  $f^{-1}D^x$  is a disjoint union of connected unram. covers of  $D^x$ .

Note:  $\pi_1(D^x) = \mathbb{Z}$ .

Now read Trieste §1.3 completely.