

Topology of the Lyubich-Minsky Laminations for Quadratic Maps: Deformation and Rigidity (3rd lecture)

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Abstract of Today's Talk

◇ Rational map: $f : \overline{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{C}}$, $\deg f \geq 2$

$f \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$
holo. dynam.

Kleinian Group

$\Gamma \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$
holo. group action

Poincare Extension

$\Gamma \curvearrowright \mathbb{H}^3$
**isometric gr. action
 properly discontinuous**

Quotient by the Action

$M = \mathbb{H}^3 / \Gamma$
**hyperbolic 3-manifold
 /orbifold**

\mathbb{C} -Lamination

$\hat{f} \curvearrowright A_f$
cyclic group action

Extension in the "universal setting"

\mathbb{H}^3 -Lamination

$\hat{f} \curvearrowright \mathcal{H}_f$
**leafwise isometric gr. action
 properly discontinuous**

Quotient by the Action

Quotient Lamination

$\mathcal{M}_f = \mathcal{H}_f / \hat{f}$
hyp. 3-orbifold lamination

Abstract of Today's Talk

$$\Gamma \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$$

Fuchsian group

$$f(z) = z^2 \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$$

Symmetric quadratic map

Deformation

$$\Gamma' \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$$

**Quasi-Fuchsian group
(on a Bers slice)**

Deformation

$$f_c(z) = z^2 + c \curvearrowright \overline{\mathbb{C}}$$

**Quadratic map
(on the Mandelbrot set)**

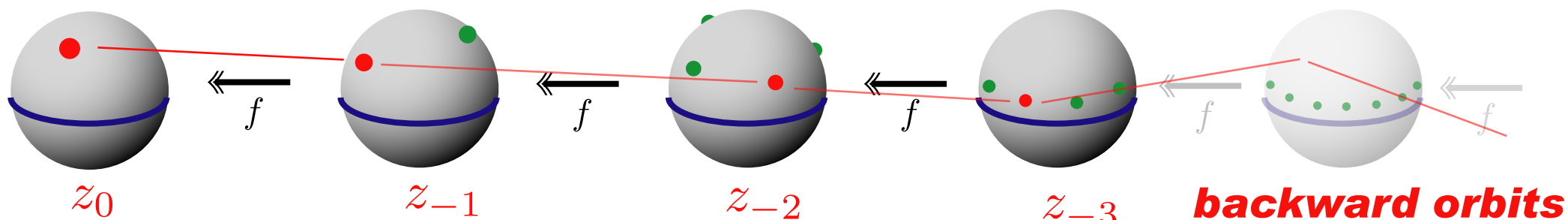
- ◆ We will compare them in terms of the quotient manifold $M = \mathbb{H}^3 / \Gamma$ and the quotient lamination $\mathcal{M}_f = \mathcal{H}_f / \hat{f}$.



***LM Hyperbolic 3-Laminations:
Construction
(in the universal setting)***

Recall: Natural Extension

◇ Rational map: $f : \overline{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{C}}$, $\deg f \geq 2$



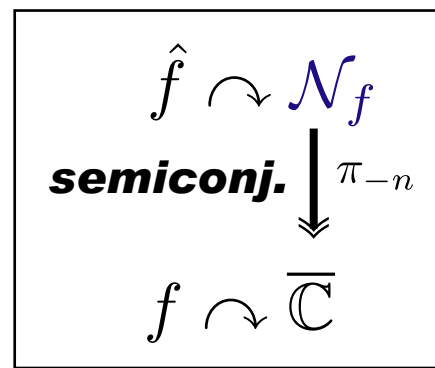
◇ Inverse limit: $\varprojlim (\overline{\mathbb{C}}, f) = \left\{ \hat{z} = (z_0, z_{-1}, \dots) : \begin{array}{l} z_0 \in \overline{\mathbb{C}}, \\ f z_{-n} = z_{-n+1} \end{array} \right\}$
 $\subset \overline{\mathbb{C}} \times \overline{\mathbb{C}} \times \dots$ **natural extension**

◇ Natural lifted action: $\hat{f} \curvearrowright \mathcal{N}_f = \varprojlim (\overline{\mathbb{C}}, f)$

right shift $\hat{f} \hat{z} := (f z_0, f z_{-1}, \dots) = (f z_0, z_0, \dots)$

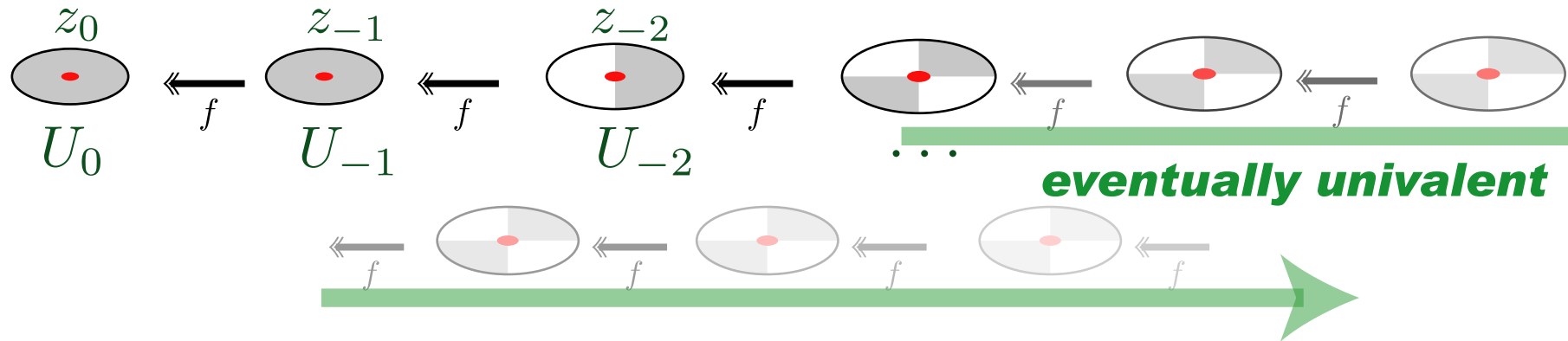
left shift $\hat{f}^{-1} \hat{z} := (z_{-1}, z_{-2}, \dots)$

projection $\pi_{-n}(\hat{z}) := z_{-n}$



Recall: Regular Part

- ◆ **Definition:** A backward orbit $\hat{z} = (z_0, z_{-1}, \dots)$ is *regular* if there exists a nbd. U_0 of z_0 st



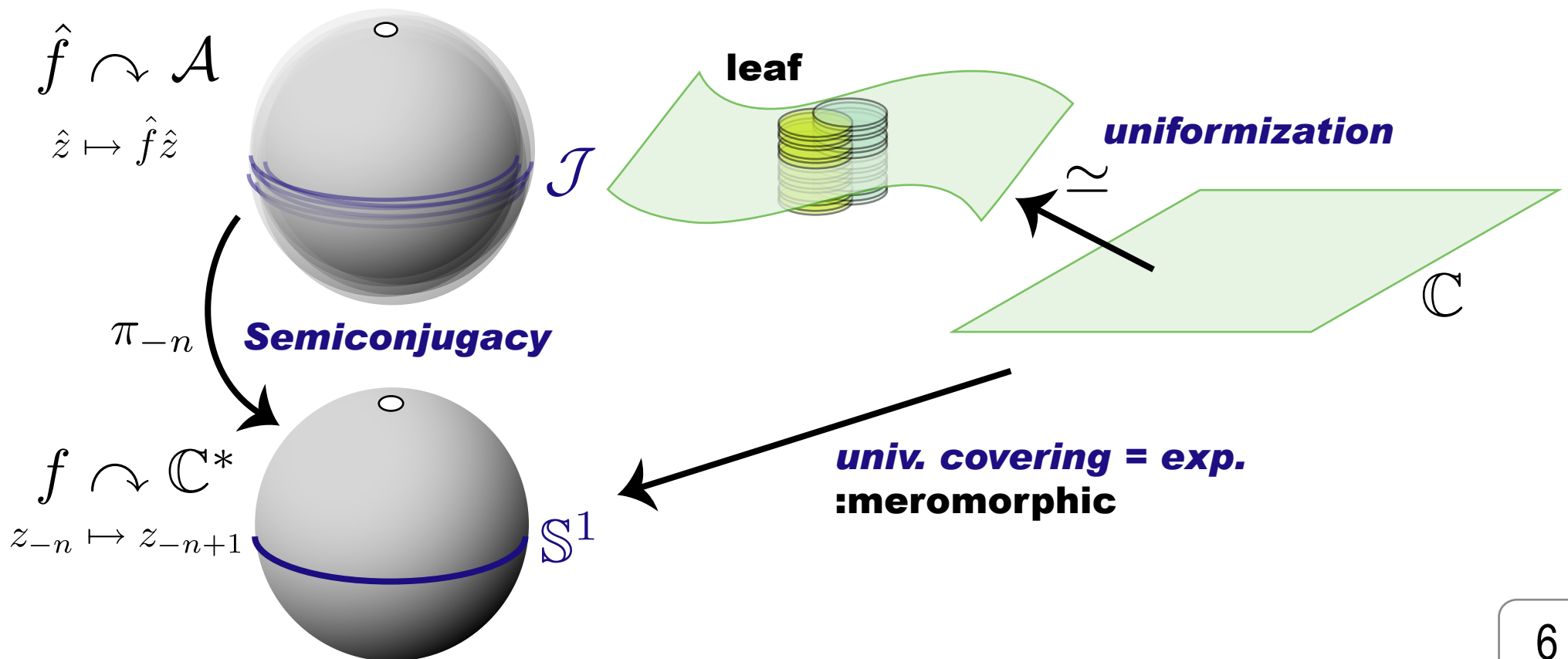
- ◆ **Definition:** The set of regular backward orbits in $\mathcal{N}_f = \varprojlim(\overline{\mathbb{C}}, f)$ is called the *regular part* \mathcal{R}_f .

- ◆ **Fact 1:** The regular part \mathcal{R}_f is a "rough" Riem. surf. lamin.
- Fact 2:** The leaves are $\simeq \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{D}$, or annuli (only Herman rings). In particular, any leaf $\simeq \mathbb{C}$ is dense in \mathcal{N}_f .
- Fact 3:** The action $f \curvearrowright \mathcal{R}_f$ is a leafwise conformal homeo.

Recall: Affine Part (C-lamination)

- ◆ **Definition:** The affine part \mathcal{A}_f is the union of leaves $\simeq \mathbb{C}$.
"C-lamination"
- ◆ **Ex:** When $fz = z^2$, we have

$$\mathcal{R}_f = \mathcal{N}_f - \{\hat{0}, \hat{\infty}\} = \varprojlim(\mathbb{C}^*, f) = \mathcal{A}_f$$



Embedding to the Universal Setting

◆ **Note: This part is a brief summary of what I explained with a black board.**

1. We want to embed \mathcal{A}_f^n (n of the “natural” extension) to a “universal” space.
2. Fix $\hat{z} \in \mathcal{A}_f^n$. Then $\exists L = L(\hat{z})$ a leaf containing \hat{z} .
3. $\exists \phi : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow L$, a uniformization with $\phi(0) = \hat{z}$.
4. Set $\psi_{-n} := \pi_{-n} \circ \phi : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \overline{\mathbb{C}}$, a family of meromorphic functions with
$$f \circ \psi_{-n} = \psi_{-n+1} \implies f \circ \psi_{-n}(0) = \psi_{-n+1}(0) \iff fz_{-n} = z_{-n+1}.$$
5. Let \mathcal{U} be the space of non-constant meromorphic functions on \mathbb{C} (with topology given by the uniform convergence on the compact sets).
6. Then our rational map f acts on \mathcal{U} by post-composition $f : \psi \mapsto f \circ \psi$.
7. Set $\hat{\mathcal{U}} = \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{U} \times \dots$. Now $\hat{z} \in \mathcal{A}_f^n$ determines an element $\hat{\psi} = (\psi_0, \psi_{-1}, \dots) \in \hat{\mathcal{U}}$ with $\hat{\psi}(0) = (z_0, z_{-1}, \dots) \in \mathcal{A}_f^n$.
8. But such a $\hat{\psi}$ is not unique: If $\delta_\lambda(w) = \lambda w$ ($\lambda \neq 0$), $\hat{\psi} \circ \delta_\lambda$ has the same property.
9. An equivalent relation in $\hat{\mathcal{U}} : \hat{\psi} \sim_{\mathcal{A}} \hat{\psi}'$ iff there exists $\lambda \neq 0$ and $\hat{\psi} = \hat{\psi}' \circ \delta_\lambda$.
10. Now we have an embedding map $\iota : \hat{z} \mapsto [\hat{\psi}] \in \hat{\mathcal{U}} / \sim_{\mathcal{A}}$.
11. Set $\mathcal{A}_f := \overline{\iota(\mathcal{A}_f^n)} \subset \hat{\mathcal{U}} / \sim_{\mathcal{A}}$. This is the **Lyubich-Minsky \mathbb{C} -lamination**.

3D Extention and Taking Quotient

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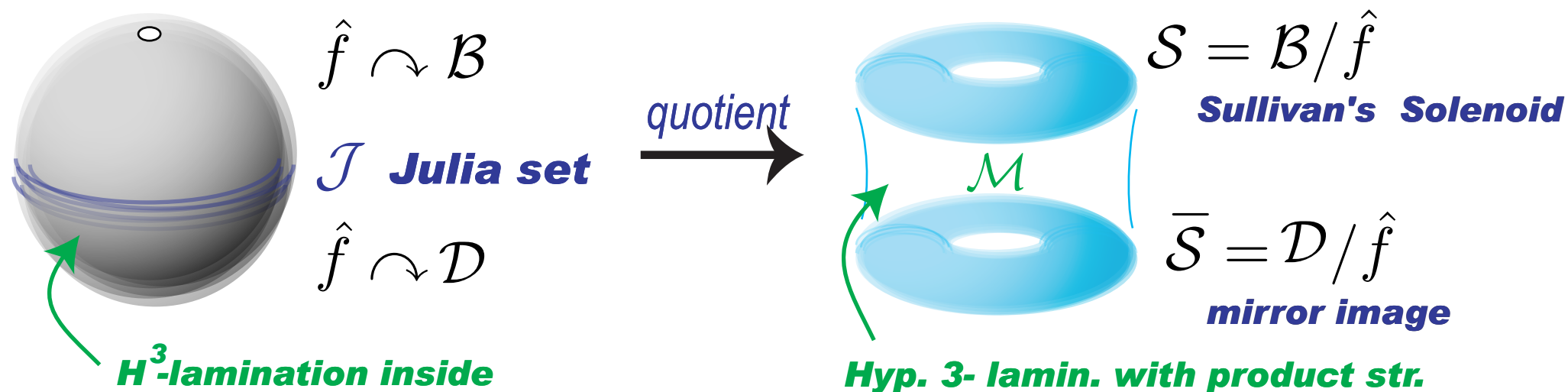
- 12 A leaf \mathcal{A}_f containing $\iota(\hat{z}) = [\hat{\psi}]$ is $\hat{L}(\hat{z}) := \{[\hat{\psi} \circ T_a] : T_a(w) = w + a, a \in \mathbb{C}\}$.
- 13 To have 3-dimensional extension of this leaf, we consider the following equivalent relation:
 $\hat{\psi} \sim_{\mathcal{H}} \hat{\psi}' \iff \exists \epsilon \text{ with } |\epsilon| = 1 \text{ and } \hat{\psi} = \hat{\psi}' \circ \delta_\epsilon.$
- 14 The meaning of this equivalent relation is the following: For given $\hat{\psi} \in \hat{\mathcal{U}}$, we consider a family of pre-composition by an affine map $w \mapsto a + \lambda w$. i.e., $\{\hat{\psi} \circ T_a \circ \delta_\lambda : (a, \lambda) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C}^*\}$. The equivalent relation $\sim_{\mathcal{A}}$ kills the effect of $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}^*$, and the remaining freedom $a \in \mathbb{C}$ gives the \mathbb{C} -leaves in $\hat{\mathcal{U}}/\sim_{\mathcal{A}}$. Similarly, $\sim_{\mathcal{H}}$ kills the effect of $\epsilon \in S^1$, and the remaining freedom $(a, |\lambda|) \in \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{R}_+$ gives the \mathbb{H}^3 -leaves in $\hat{\mathcal{U}}/\sim_{\mathcal{H}}$.
- 15 Now we have a natural projection $\text{pr} : \hat{\mathcal{U}}/\sim_{\mathcal{H}} \rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{U}}/\sim_{\mathcal{A}}$ like a projection from \mathbb{H}^3 over \mathbb{C} . The **Lyubich-Minsky \mathbb{H}^3 -lamination** is $\mathcal{H}_f := \text{pr}^{-1}(\mathcal{A}_f)$.
- 16 $\hat{\mathcal{U}}$ admits a homeomorphic action $\hat{f} \curvearrowright \hat{\mathcal{U}}$ by $\hat{f} : (\psi_{-n})_{n \geq 0} \mapsto (f\psi_{-n})_{n \geq 0}$. \mathcal{H}_f has an induced action $\hat{f} \curvearrowright \mathcal{H}_f$ and this is properly discontinuous. We set $\mathcal{M}_f := \mathcal{H}_f/\hat{f}$. This is **the quotient lamination**.
- 17 The \mathbb{C} -lamination \mathcal{A}_f supports the Fatou-Julia decomposition $\mathcal{A}_f = \mathcal{F}_f \sqcup \mathcal{J}_f$ that comes from the Fatou-Julia decomposition $\bar{\mathbb{C}} = F_f \sqcup J_f$. Now $\hat{f} \curvearrowright \mathcal{F}_f$ is also properly discontinuous so the quotient $\partial\mathcal{M}_f := \mathcal{F}_f/\hat{f}$ forms a Riemann surface lamination. This lamination is called the **conformal boundary** of \mathcal{M}_f .
- 18 We call the union $\overline{\mathcal{M}_f} := \mathcal{M}_f \sqcup \partial\mathcal{M}_f$ the **Kleinian lamination**, after "Kleinian manifolds" for hyperbolic 3-manifolds.

An Analogy
Bers slice vs. Mandelbrot set

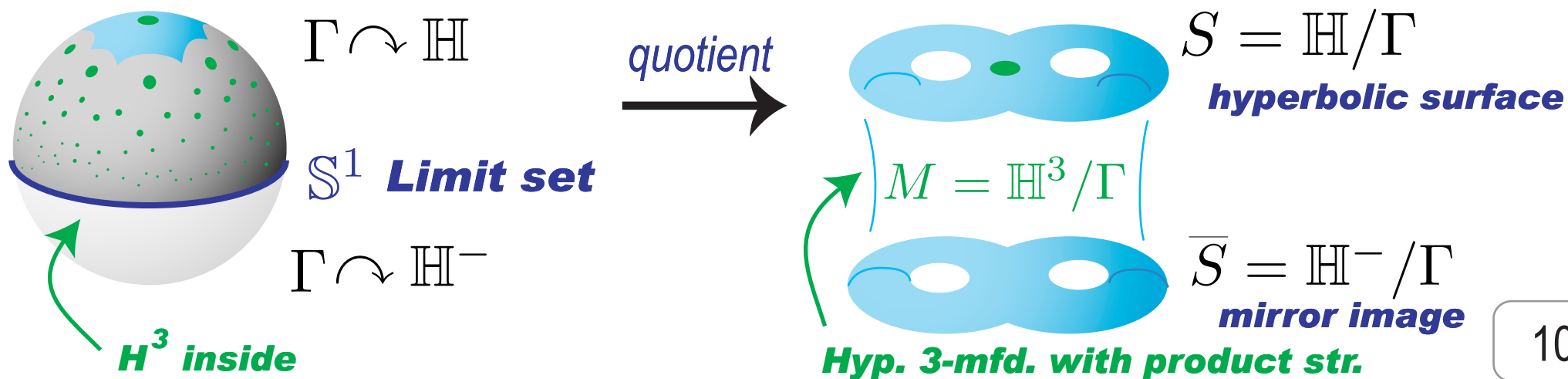


Example of Kleinian Lamination

◆ $fz := z^2 \quad \mathcal{B} = \pi^{-1}(\overline{\mathbb{C}} - \overline{\mathbb{D}}), \quad \mathcal{D} = \pi^{-1}(\mathbb{D}), \quad \mathcal{J} = \pi^{-1}(\mathbb{S}^1)$

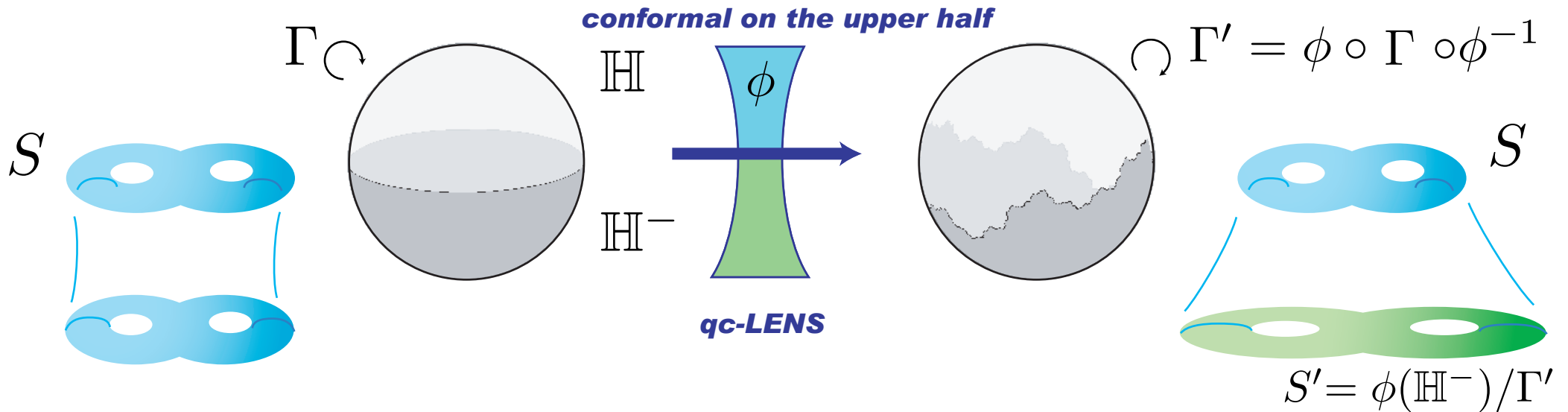


◆ Analogy to Fuchsian group:



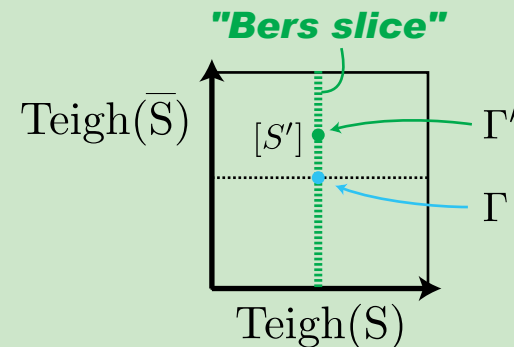
Quasi-Fuchsian deformation

◆ Let us look the action of Γ through a special qc-lens:



◆ **Bers' Theorem:**
 Set $S = H/\Gamma$. Then $\forall [S'] \in \text{Teigh}(\bar{S})$, $\exists! \phi : \bar{\mathbb{C}} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{C}}$ qc

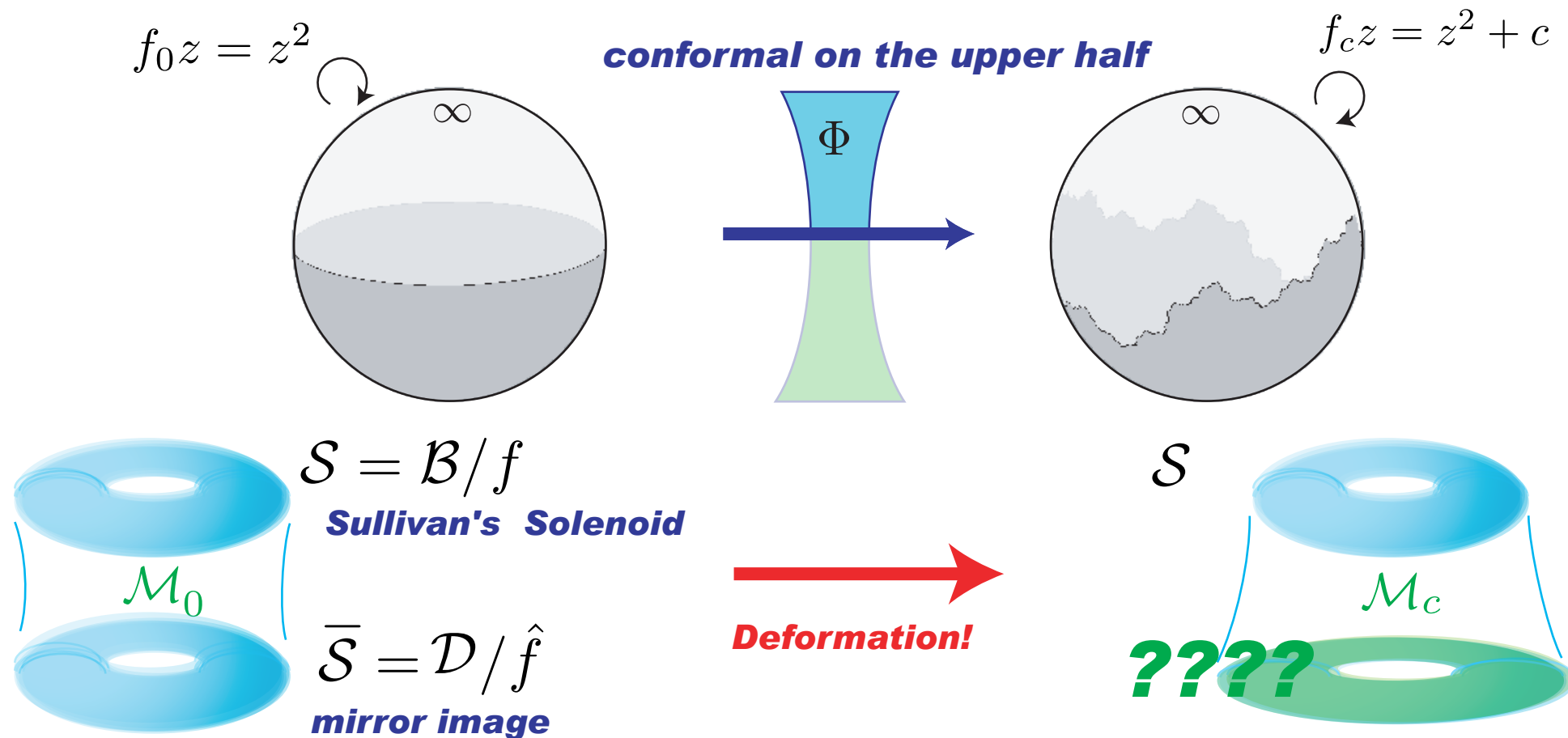
- ϕ fixes $0, 1, \infty$
- $\phi|_{\mathbb{H}}$ is conformal
- $\Gamma' = \phi \circ \Gamma \circ \phi^{-1}$ is Kleinian
- $S = \phi(\mathbb{H})/\Gamma'$ and $S' = \phi(\mathbb{H}^-)/\Gamma'$



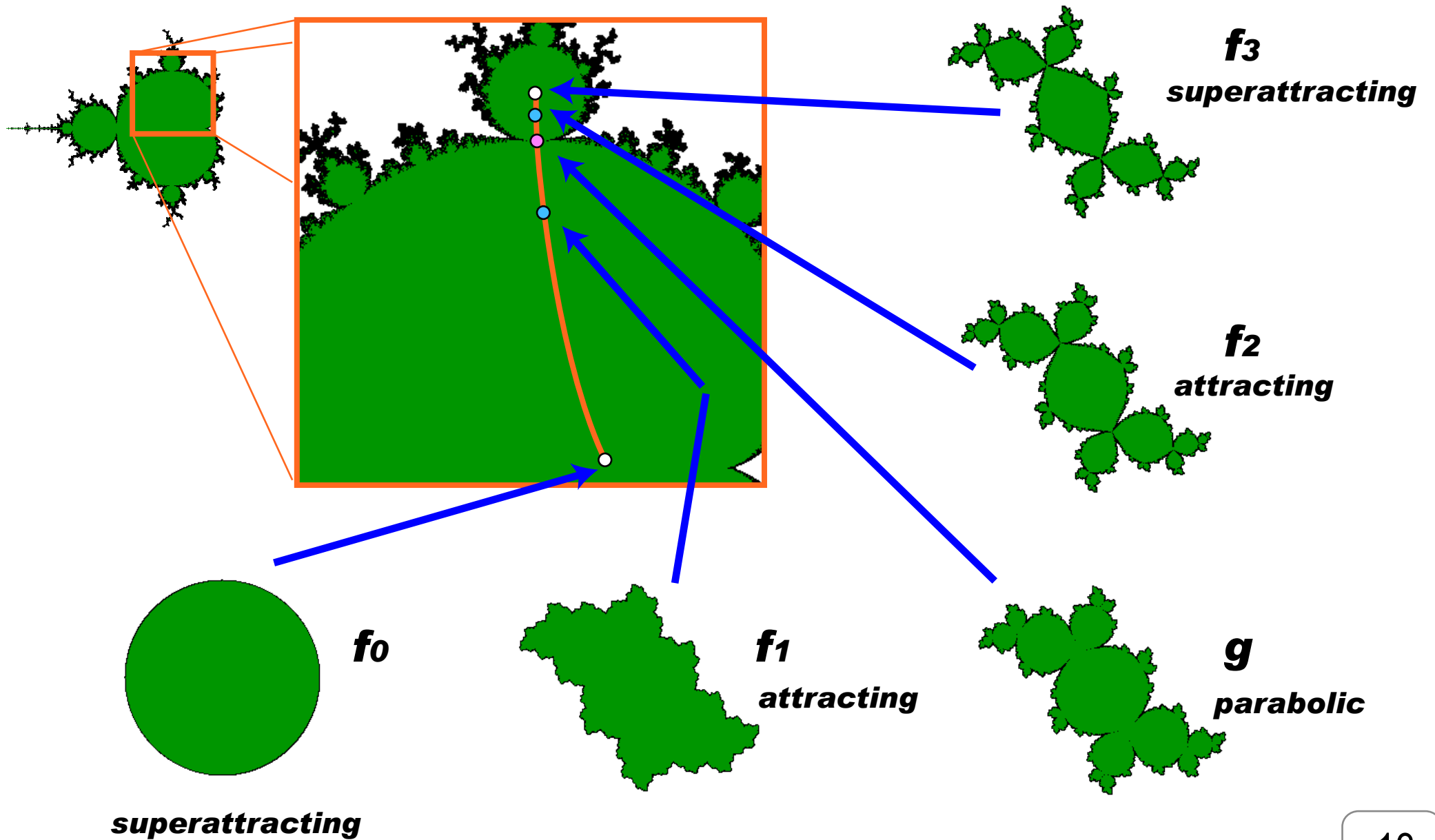
The Mandelbrot Set

◆ The deformation of $f_0 z = z^2$ in the Mandelbrot set \mathbb{M} is similar:

◆ **Fact:** For any $f_c z = z^2 + c$ with $c \in \mathbb{M}$, the dynamics on the basin at infinity is conformally conjugate to that of $f_0 z = z^2$.

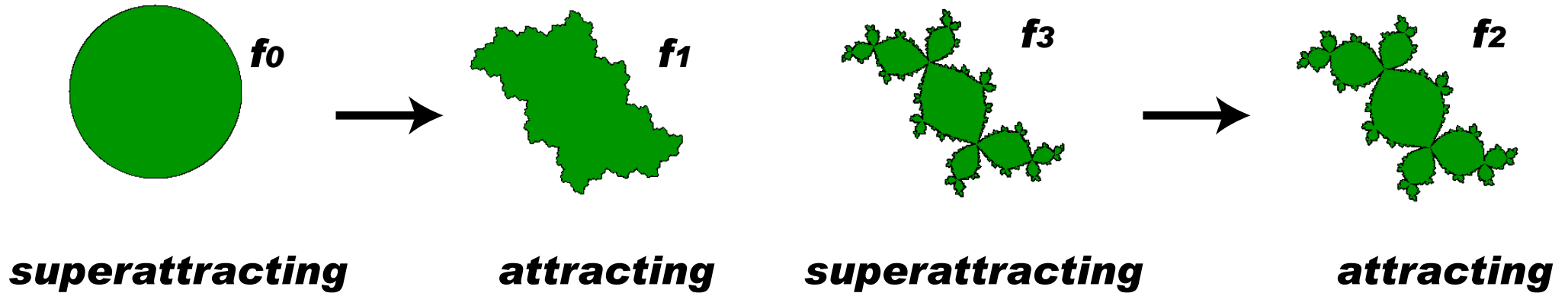


The Rabbits



Superaffracting -- Affracting

- ◆ Dynamics near the Julia sets are stable.

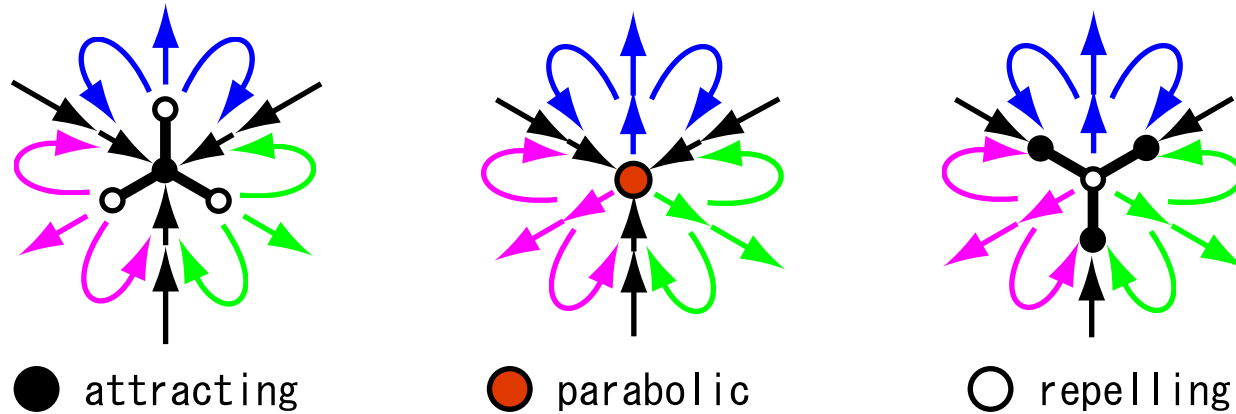


- ◆ **Stable dynamics implies stable topology:**

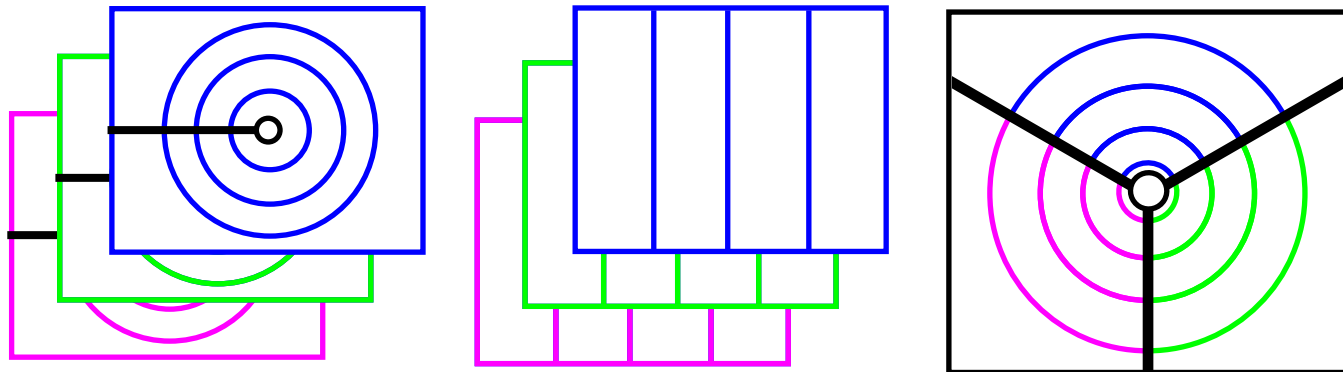
Theorem(K+LM): For small enough perturbation f_ϵ of f , the affine parts \mathcal{A}_f and \mathcal{A}_{f_ϵ} are quasiconformally homeomorphic.

The qc homeo is lifted to the hyperbolic 3-laminations and the Kleinian laminations.

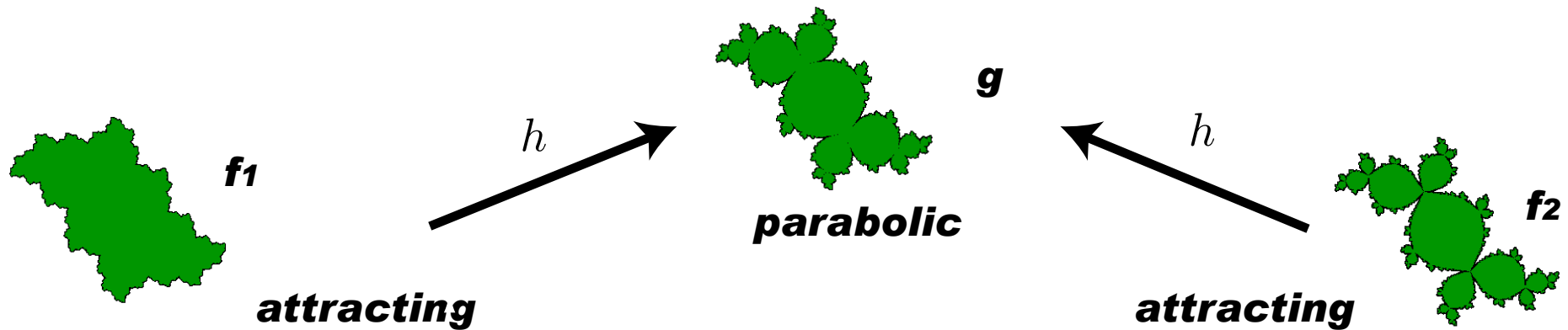
Attracting--Parabolic--Attracting



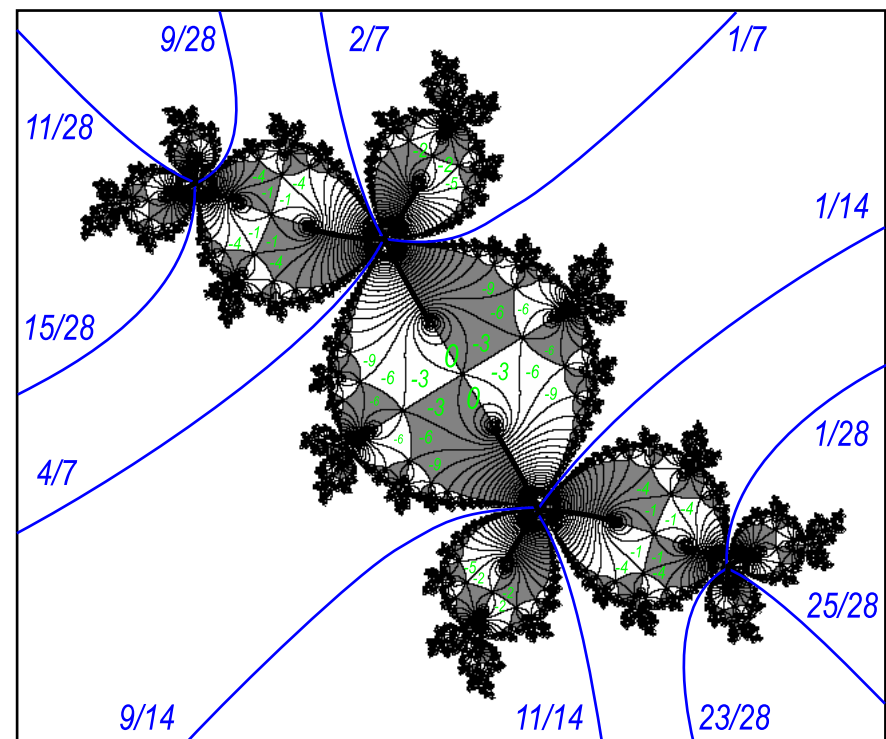
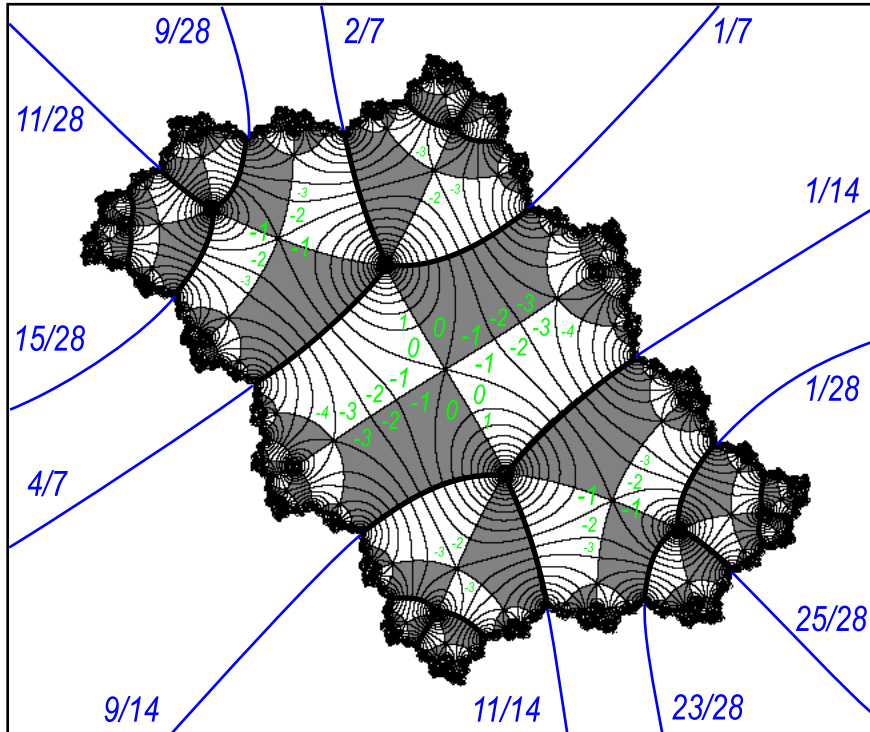
◆ **Topology of the C-lamination changes!**



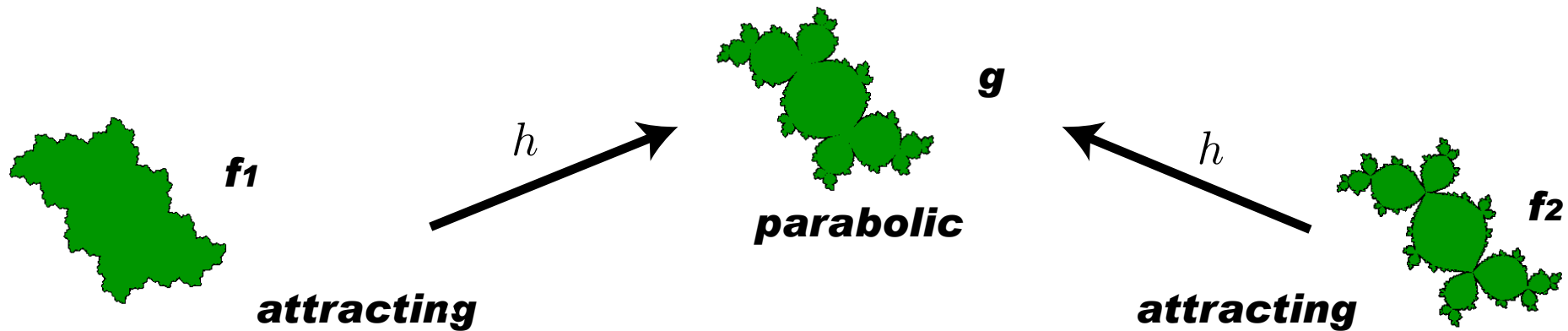
Pinching Semiconj. (downstairs)



◆ We can construct pinching semiconjugacies by using "tessellation".

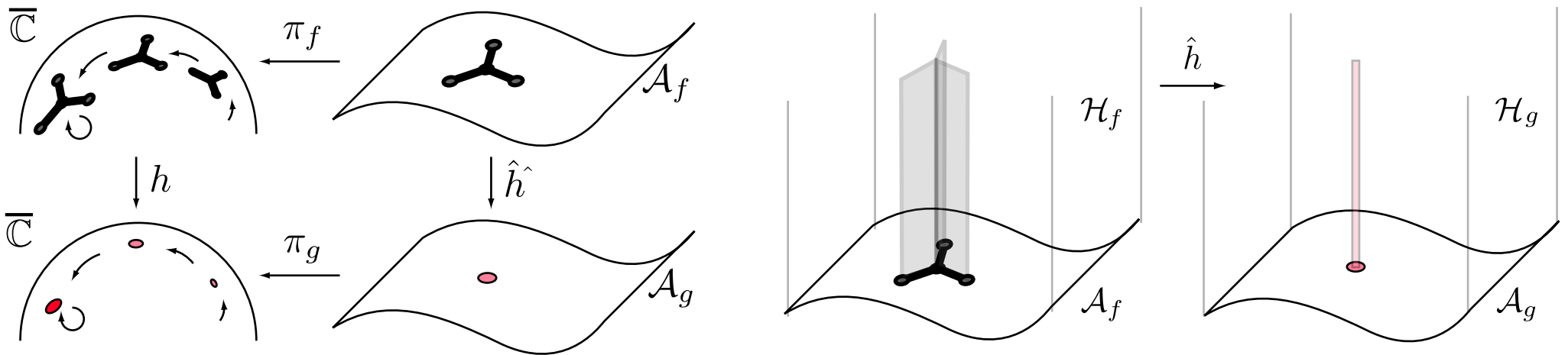


Pinching Semiconj. (upstairs)



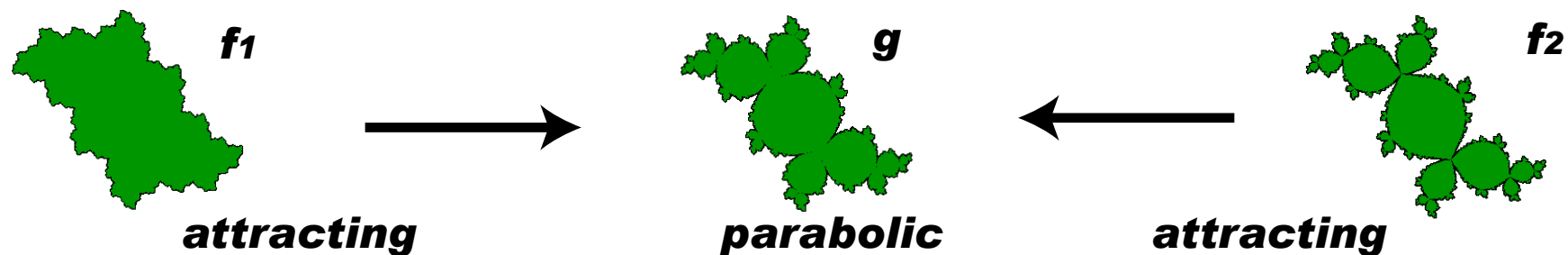
◆ lift to C-lamin

◆ lift to hyp 3-lamin



◆ We can show that their the C and hyp. 3-laminations have different topologies.

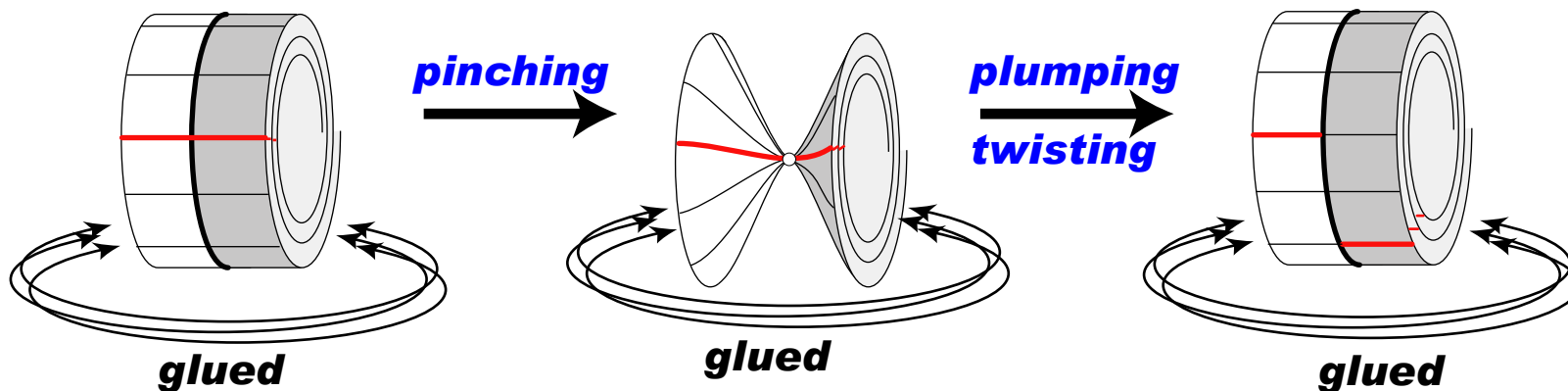
Quotient / Kleinian Laminations



"Fact" (K): For this continuous motion, the leafwise topology of the quotient lamination is preserved.

However, the Kleinian laminations have different topologies each other. The difference can be described by the *combinatorial Dehn-twist* of the lower ends.

A caricature of the lower ends:



Future Program

- **Quotient laminations**
for infinitely renormalizable maps
- **Refining rigidity theorems**
- **Applying the strategy to other dynamics**
 - **In particular for cpx 2-dim. maps**
 - **etc.**