A New Class of Knots with Property P

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§1. Introduction

It is known that several classes of knots have property P([1], [3], [5], [9]).

In this paper, it will be shown that the special class of knots has property P.

To show the above, 3-dimensional homology spheres constructed by Dehn's method will be considered and it will be shown that they are not 3-dimensional homotopy spheres.

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A singular disk in the 3-sphere S^3 means a map f of an oriented disk \overline{D} into S^3 . For brevity, one may refer to the image $D=f(\overline{D})$ as the singular disk.

Among the singularities that a singular disk may have perhaps the simplest is a *clasping singularity* or just *clasp*. This consists of two mutually disjoint slits \overline{S} and $\overline{\overline{S}}$ that are mapped by f topologically onto an arc S of D. The singular disks to be considered are those that have only simple clasps. Let us call such a disk an *elementary disk*. This is a natural class to consider, since it is known that any singular disk in general position can be deformed, without moving the boundary, into an elementary disk [10].

If D is an elementary disk then a regular neighborhood W of D in S^3 is a handlebody, and its boundary ∂W is an orientable surface of some

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genus g, where g is the same as the number of clasps. Let us call D totally knotted if ∂W is incompressible* in $S^3 - \partial D$.

Let V be a tame solid torus in S³, and a a simple closed curve contained in ∂V and not contractible on ∂V . Let φ be a homeomorphism of a torus $S^1 \times \partial D^2$ onto the torus ∂V which maps $1 \times \partial D^2$, $1 \in S^1$, onto a. By this homeomorphism φ we will get a new 3-dimensional manifold $M \cong (S^3 - \operatorname{int} V) \cup S^1 \times D^2$, identifying $x (\in S^1 \times \partial D^2)$ with $\varphi(x)$.

Let us give a canonical orientation to S^3 and M in such a way that M and S^3 induce the same orientation in S^3 —intV.

Let *m* and *l* be a meridian and a longitude of ∂V respectively. We also denote by *m* and *l* the elements of $\pi_1(\partial V)$ or $\pi_1(S^3 - \operatorname{int} V)$ represented by these curves. Let *a* be a curve on ∂V which, when properly oriented, represents the element $m^{\tau}l^{\nu}$ (τ, γ : integers). Since the manifold *M* will be the homology sphere, τ must be +1 or -1. We may assume, changing the orientation of *a* if necessary, that *a* represents the element ml^{ν} ($\gamma \neq 0$).

In this paper, let us choose only a that is not a meridian, i.e. a does not represent the element m of $\pi_1(\partial V)$.

Then the following main result will be proved.

Theorem I. The knot type k which is equivalent to the boundary of a totally knotted disk with two clasping singularities has property P.

Proving this theorem, it is equivalent to prove the following one. Let M be a homology sphere constructed by the method in the above.

Theorem II. A homology sphere M is not simply connected if the knot type k of the core of V is equivalent to the boundary of a totally knotted disk with two clasping singularities.

§2. Lemma

A normalized Alexander polynomial means the Alexander polynomial [2] with the smallest positive but no negative powers of each

^{*} ∂W is incompressible in $S^3 - \partial D$ means the induced map of natural inclusion of $\pi_1(\partial W)$ into $\pi_1(S^3 - \partial D)$ is a monomorphism.

generator.

By multiplying or diving by some powers of generators, any Alexander polynomial can be changed to a normalized Alexander polynomial.

To prove theorem II, we need the following lemmas.

Lemma 1. I.et G be a finitely presented group which is isomorphic to the non-trivial free product $G_1 * G_2$, and the abelianized groups of G_1 and G_2 be both infinite cyclic groups. If the *i*-th normalized Alexander polynomial of G is not zero, then it is a product of two one variable polynomials.

Proof. Let an $m_1 \times n_1$ -matrix A_1 and an $m_2 \times n_2$ -matrix A_2 be Alexander matrices of G_1 and G_2 , respectively. Then an Alexander matrix A of the free product G of G_1 and G_2 is the $(m_1+m_2) \times (n_1+n_2)$ matrix $\begin{pmatrix} A_1 & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 \end{pmatrix}$. Let g_1 and g_2 be generators of the Abelianized group Z of G_1 and G_2 , respectively. For any integer t, the t-th polynomials are defined for each G_1 and G_2 . They are one variable polynomials including the case that the polynomial, is "1" or "0" after normalization, i. e. the t-th polynomial of G_1 is $\Delta^{(t)}(g_1) = \sum_{\substack{i \ge 0 \\ j \ge 0}} a_i g_1^i$, and the t-th polynomial of G_2 is $\Delta^{(t)}(g_2) = \sum_{\substack{i \ge 0 \\ j \ge 0}} b_j g_2^j$.

 $\begin{array}{cccc} n_1 & n_2 & \text{Let us consider } \iota\text{-th polynomial of } A. \text{ By the} \\ A \sim \left(\begin{array}{c|c} A_1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & A_2 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{c} m_1 & \text{definition, this is the g.c.d. of determinants of all} \\ m_2 & (n_1 + n_2 - \iota) \times (n_1 + n_2 - \iota) \text{ submatrices of the matrix} \\ A. \text{ These submatrices are of the form } \left(\begin{array}{c|c} B_1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & B_2 \end{array} \right), \end{array}$

wehre B_1 is an $(n_1-\mu)\times(n_1-\mu)$ submatrix of A_1 , and B_2 is an $(n_2-\iota+\mu)\times(n_2-\iota+\mu)$ submatrix of A_2 . The determinant of this form is the product of det B_1 and det B_2 . Fixing the number ι and μ , consider all the $(n_1-\mu)\times(n_1-\mu)$ submatrices of A_1 , and the $(n_2-\iota+\mu)\times(n_2-\iota+\mu)$ submatrices of A_2 . Let $p(g_1)$ be the g.c.d. of determinants of the above $(n_1-\mu)\times(n_1-\mu)$ submatrices of A_1 . By the definition, $p(g_1)$ is the μ -th polynomial of A_1 , and $q(g_2)$, similarly defined, is the $(\iota-\mu)$ -th polynomial of A_2 . The product $p(g_1)\cdot q(g_2)$ is the g.c.d. of all the determinants of the form $(\det B_1)\cdot(\det B_2)$, since no determinant of any submatrix of A_1 can

have any factor in common with the determinant of any submatrix of A_2 . Since μ ranges over 0, 1, ..., ι , the ι -th polynomial of A is the g.c.d. of $\Delta^{(0)}(g_1) \times \Delta^{(\iota)}(g_2)$, $\Delta^{(1)}(g_1) \cdot \Delta^{(\iota-1)}(g_2)$, ..., $\Delta^{(\mu)}(g_1) \cdot \Delta^{(\iota-\mu)}(g_2)$, ..., $\Delta^{(\iota)}(g_1) \times \Delta^{(0)}(g_2)$. In general $\Delta^{(t)}$ is divisible by $\Delta^{(t+1)}$. So $\Delta^{(0)}$, ..., $\Delta^{(\iota-1)}$ are divisible by $\Delta^{(\iota)}$. Since g_1 and g_2 are different variables, $\Delta^{(\mu)}(g_1)$ and $\Delta^{(\mu')}(g_2)$ can have no common factor other than a constant, and since G_1 and G_2 are abelianized to infinite cyclic groups, neither $\Delta^{(\mu)}(g_1)$ nor $\Delta^{(\mu')}(g_2)$ can have any constant factor other than 1. Thus the g.c.d. of the above products, i.e. the ι -th polynomial of A, is just the product $\Delta^{(\iota-\iota'')}(g_1) \cdot \Delta^{(\iota-\iota')}(g_2)$, where ι' and ι'' are the smallest number among that the $(\iota \cdot \iota'')$ -th and $(\iota \cdot \iota')$ -th Alexander polynomials of G_1 and G_2 are non-zero.

Corollary to Lemma 1. Under the same conditions in Lemma 1, the ι -th normalized Alexander polynomial of G has non-zero constant term.

Proof. It is almost trivial.

Lemma 2. Let X be an orientable connected 3-manifold with boundary and the boundary ∂X is a closed surface with genus 2. If the homomorphism of $\pi_1(\partial X)$ into $\pi_1(X)$ induced by the natural inclusion map is not a monomorphism, then $\pi_1(X)$ is the free product of two non-trivial groups.

Proof. Since the mapping of $\pi_1(\partial X)$ into $\pi_1(X)$ is not a monomorphism, there exists a disk D is X whose boundary J is a nontrivial closed curve on ∂X . By the Loop Theorem [11] and Dehn's Lemma [7], we can assume that D is nonsingular and J is a simple closed curve.

Let us assume first that J is homologous to zero on ∂X , i.e. that J is separates ∂X into two surfaces T_1 and T_2 with common boundary J; T_1 and T_2 are both surfaces of genus 1.

Let D_1 and D_2 be copies of D in X that have J as common boundary. Along J sew D_1 to T_1 , and D_2 to T_2 . Then we get two tori. Let M_i be the manifold in X bounded by $D_i \cup T_i$, thus M_i is a 3-dimensional manifold whose boundary is a torus in X(i=1, 2). Since the intersection of M_1 and M_2 consists of a nonsingular disk D, by the Van Kampen Theorem, $\pi_1(X)$ is isomorphic to the nontrivial free product $\pi_1(M_1)*\pi_1(M_2)$. To complete the proof, it will be shown that J must be homologous to zero on ∂X . Suppose, to the contrary, that J, suitably oriented, represents an element a of $\pi_1(\partial X)$ that does not lie in the commutator subgroup $[\pi_1(\partial X), \pi_1(\partial X)]$. Then there exists a simple closed curve J' on ∂X that intersects J at just one point. Let β denote the element of $\pi_1(\partial X)$ represented by J' (suitably oriented).

Since $a \neq 1$ and $\beta \neq 1$ it follows from a result of Greendlinger [4] that either $a\beta \bar{a}\beta \neq 1$ or $a = \gamma^m$ and $\beta = \gamma^n$ for some element γ of $\pi_1(\partial X)$ and integers *m* and *n*.

If, in fact, $a=\gamma^m$, $\beta=\gamma^n$ then, since the intersection number $S(a, \beta)=S(J, J')$ is equal to ± 1 , and $S(a, \beta)=S(\gamma^m, \gamma^n)=mnS(\gamma, \gamma)$, it must be that $m=\pm 1$ and $n=\pm 1$. But this means that $a=\beta^{\pm 1}$, and hence that J' can be deformed into J in the complement of J. This contradiction shows that $a\beta\bar{a}\bar{\beta}\neq 1$.

Consequently if N is a regular neighborhood of $J \cup J'$ on ∂X , then its boundary ∂N is not contractible on ∂X . Hence ∂N separates ∂X into two surfaces N and $\partial X - N$, each of genus 1. As shown in the first part of this proof it follows that $\pi_1(X)$ must be the free product of two nontrivisl groups.

Lemma 3. Let X be an orientable connected 3-manifold with boundary, $i: \partial X \rightarrow X$ an inclusion map and $i_*: H_1(\partial X) \rightarrow H_1(X)$ an induced map. Then the rank of the kernel of i_* is exactly half of the rank of $H_1(\partial X)$.

Proof. Let us consider the following exact sequences:

$$\begin{array}{l} 0 \longrightarrow H_3(X, \partial X) \longrightarrow H_2(\partial X) \longrightarrow H_2(X) \\ \longrightarrow H_2(X, \partial X) \longrightarrow H_1(\partial X) \stackrel{i_*}{\longrightarrow} H_1(X) \\ \longrightarrow H_1(X, \partial X) \longrightarrow H_0(\partial X) \longrightarrow H_0(X) \longrightarrow 0. \end{array}$$

Let 2g be the rank of $H_1(\partial X)$, a of $H_0(\partial X)$, b of $H_1(X, \partial X)$ and c of $H_1(X)$.

By Poincaré Duality $H_2(\partial X)$ has rank a, $H_2(X)$ has rank b and $H_2(X, \partial X)$ has rank c. Also $H_3(X, \partial X)$ has the same rank 1 as $H_0(X)$. Among the numbers a, b, c, 1 and g, by the exactness, there is an equation

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2g=(c-b+a-1)+(c-b+a-1). Moreover from the exactness, the rank of ker i_* is c-b+a-1; this is just half of the rank of $H_1(\partial X)$, i.e. g=c-b+a-1.

§ 3. Proof of the Theorem

Proof of the Theorem II. Let k be a knot which is equivalent to the boundary of a totally knotted disk E with two clasping singularities, V a regular neighborhood of k and W a regular neighborhood of E in S³. The homology sphere $(S^3\text{-int }V) \cup S^1 \times D^2 \cong (S^3\text{-int }W) \cup ((W\text{-int }V) \cup_{\varphi} S^1 \times D^2)$ will be denoted by M, where φ is a homeomorphism of $S^1 \times \partial D^2$ onto ∂V which maps $1 \times \partial D^2$, $1 \in S^1$, onto a, where a is a simple closed curve on ∂V and not a meridian curve of ∂V .

Since ∂W is incompressible in $S^3 - k$ and $S^3 - \operatorname{int} W \subset S^3 - k$, the map from $\pi_1(\partial W)$ into $G_1 = \pi_1(S^3 - \operatorname{int} W)$ is a monomorphism. To show that $\pi_1(M)$ is not trivial, by the Van Kampen Theorem, it is enough to show that a map from $\pi_1(\partial W) \cong \pi_1(\partial((W - \operatorname{int} V) \cup S^1 \times D^2))$ into $G_2 = \pi_1((W - \operatorname{int} V) \cup S^1 \times D^2)$ is a monomorphism. If both maps from $\pi_1(\partial W)$ into G_1 and G_2 are monomorphisms, then $\pi_1(M)$ is isomorphic to the free product with amalgamation $G_{1\pi_1(\partial W)}G_2$.

Let us consider $G_2 = \pi_1((W - \operatorname{int} V) \cup S^1 \times D^2)$. Let W be a handlebody with two handles, which may be knotted or linked in S^3 . To calculate G_2 , it is enough to consider a handlebody W' in standard position in S^3 ; thus there is an autohomeomorphism of S^3 which maps W onto W', whose two handles are neither knotted nor linked with each other. By this mapping, V is mapped onto $V' \subset W'$ and α is mapped onto $\alpha' \subset \partial V'$. The simple closed curve α' is not a meridian of $\partial V'$.

Let us construct another homeomorphism of W' onto a handlebody W'' as follows: take two meridian cells in W', m_1 and m_2 . Cut W' along these meridian cells and turn the exposed faces a suitable number of times, to untwist V', and sew back together again. Then we get a new solid torus V'' in W''. By this homeomorphism, a' is mapped onto a'' on $\partial V''$. The curve a'' is not a meridian curve of $\partial V''$. With the appropriate orientation a'' represents an element of $\pi_1(\partial V'')$ of the form ml^ν , where m



is represented by a meridian, and l by a longitude of $\partial V''$. Since a''is not a meridian, ν is a non-zero integer. Then the manifold $(W'-\operatorname{int} V') \bigcup_{\substack{\varphi' \\ \varphi'}} S^1 \times D^2$ is homeomorphic to the manifold $(W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\substack{\varphi'' \\ \varphi''}} S^1 \times D^2$, where φ'' is a homeomorphism of $S^1 \times \partial D^2$ onto $\partial V''$ that maps $1 \times \partial D^2$, $1 \in S^1$, onto a''.

Thus the manifold $(W - \operatorname{int} V) \cup S^1 \times D^2$ is seen to be homeomorphic, by the composition of above maps, to the manifold $(W'' - \operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^1 \times D^2$.

Let us assume that the map from $\pi_1(\partial W)$ into $\pi_1((W-\operatorname{int} V) \bigcup_{\varphi}^{\varphi''} S^1 \times D^2)$ is not a monomorphism. Since $(W-\operatorname{int} V) \bigcup_{\varphi} S^1 \times D^2$ is homeomorphic to $(W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi} S^1 \times D^2$ it is equivalent to assume that the map of $\pi_1(\partial(W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi''} S^1 \times D^2)) \cong \pi_1(\partial W'')$ into $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi''} S^1 \times D^2)$ is not a monomorphism.

By lemma 2, there exist manifolds M_1 and M_2 such that $M_1 \cup M_2 = (W'' - \operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^1 \times D^2$, $M_1 \cap M_2 = \operatorname{nonsingular}$ disk, and both the boundaries ∂M_1 and ∂M_2 are tori; then $\pi_1(M_1 \cup M_2)$ is isomorphic to the nontrivial free product $\pi_1(M_1)*\pi_1(M_2)$. By lemma 3, since M_i is a 3-manifold whose boundary is a torus, $H_1(M_1)$ and $H_1(M_2)$ are not tivial. Since $\pi_1(M_1 \cup M_2)/[\pi_1(M_1 \cup M_2), \pi_1(M_1 \cup M_2)]$ is $Z \times Z$, both $H_1(M_1)$ and $H_1(M_2)$ are infinite cyclic groups. So by Cor. to lemma 1, the ι -th polynomial of the free product $\pi_1(M_1)*\pi_1(M_2)$ must have non-zero constant term.

Let us calculate the polynomial of the group $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi'} S^1 \times D^2)$. To complete the proof it is enough to consider four different cases; that are depending on the order of the inverse images of slits along knot and the intersection number S(k, E) at the end of slit.

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Take the first case.

To consider the group $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^1 \times D^2)$ for this case is equivalent considering the fundamental group of the complement of the graph in Fig. 2 with more relations corresponding to a homeomorphism φ'' of $S^1 \times \partial D^2$ onto $\partial V''$ that maps $1 \times \partial D^2$, $1 \in S^1$, onto a'' representing an element of $\pi_1(\partial V'')$ of the form $ml^\nu(\nu \neq 0)$, where *m* is represented by a meridian, and *l* by a longitude of $\partial V''$.



Let a, x, m, n and s be the generators. From Fig. 3 we will get relations: 1) $\overline{m} a s m = \overline{a} \overline{m} a \overline{n} \overline{a} m a \overline{m} a n \overline{a} m a$ 2) $\overline{a} \overline{m} a n \overline{a} m a = \overline{m} a n \overline{a} m a \overline{n} \overline{a} m$ 3) $\overline{m} x s m = x \overline{n} \overline{x} \overline{m} x n x \overline{n} \overline{x} m x n \overline{x}$ 4) $x \overline{n} \overline{x} m x n \overline{x} = \overline{n} \overline{x} m x n \overline{x} \overline{m} x n$ Let l be a longitude of $\partial V''$; then l is denoted by $l = \not{a} \cdot \not{a} \overline{m} a \overline{n} \overline{a} m \not{a} \cdot \not{a} \cdot \overline{a} \overline{m} a$

 $\times \bar{n} \bar{x} \bar{m} x n \cdot x \cdot \bar{n} \bar{x} m^4.$

Corresponding to the map φ'' , we need one more relation: $ml^{\nu} = l$, i.e. $\pi_1((W'' - \operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^1 \times D^2) \cong \{a, x, m, n, s, l:$

m a s m = ā m a n ā m a m a n ā m a
ā m a n ā m a = m a n ā m a n ā m a
ā m a n ā m a = m a n ā m a n ā m a
m x s m = x n x m x n x n x n x n x
x n x m x n x = n x m x n x m x n x
m l^v = 1
l = m a n ā m ā m ā m a n x m x m x m x m⁴.

Since abelianized group of $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi''} S^1 \times D^2)$ is $Z \times Z$, whose generators are represented by a and x, the each entry of the Alexander

matrix is a polynomial with two variables at most. By the free calculus, the Alexander matrix A is equivalent to the following one:

$$A \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1+a & 1-a & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{a}+\bar{x}-4 & a+x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{a}+\bar{x}-4+a+x & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{a}+\bar{x}-4+a+x & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then we get the second polynomial,

$$\Delta^{(2)}(a, x) = (4\nu + 1)ax - \nu(x+a) - \nu(ax^2 + a^2x).$$

For the other three cases, we get similarly:



 $\pi_{1}((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^{1} \times D^{2}) = \begin{cases} a, x, m, n, s, l : \\ \bar{m} a s m = \bar{a} \bar{m} a \bar{n} \bar{a} m a \bar{m} a n \bar{a} m a \\ \bar{a} \bar{m} a n \bar{a} m a = \bar{m} a n \bar{a} m a \bar{n} \bar{a} m \\ \bar{m} x s m = \bar{x} \bar{m} x \bar{n} \bar{x} m x \bar{m} x n \bar{x} m x \\ \bar{x} \bar{m} x n \bar{x} m x = \bar{m} x n \bar{x} m x \bar{n} \bar{x} m \\ ml^{\nu} = 1 \end{cases}$

 $l = m \ a \ \bar{n} \ \bar{a} \ \bar{m} \ \bar{a} \ \bar{m} \ a \ \bar{x} \ m \ x \ \bar{m} \ x \ n \ \bar{x} \ m \}.$

$$A \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1+a & 1-a & 0 & a \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1+x & 1-x & 0 & x \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \nu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{a}-\bar{n} & a-x & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{a} - \bar{x} + a - x & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then, $\Delta^{(2)}(a, x) = \nu(ax^2 - a^2x) + ax + \nu(a - x).$



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 $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \cup S^1 \times D^2) = \{a, x, n, m, s, l: \\ \varphi'' \\ x \ \overline{s} \ m \ s \ \overline{x} \ a \ x \ \overline{s} \ \overline{m} \ s \ \overline{x} = n \ s \ a \ \overline{n}$ $n m \bar{n} x s n \bar{m} \bar{n} = m s x \bar{s} \bar{m}$ $\bar{n} x \bar{s} n m \bar{n} s \bar{x} n = s a \bar{n} \bar{a} \bar{s} \bar{m} n m s a n \bar{a} \bar{s}$ $s a x \overline{s} m s \overline{x} \overline{a} \overline{s} = \overline{m} n m s a n \overline{a} \overline{s} \overline{m} \overline{n} m$ $m l^{\nu} = 1$ $l = \bar{n} s \bar{x} n s a \bar{n} \bar{a} \bar{s} \bar{m} \bar{a} \bar{s} \bar{m} \bar{n} m s a x \bar{s} m^3$

$$A \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & x - ax & -1 + a & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & x & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & ax & -a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \nu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \bar{x} - 3 & \bar{a}\bar{x} + a\bar{x} - \bar{x} + 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & x - 3 + \bar{a} + a - 1 + x & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then $\Delta^{(2)}(a, x) = \nu(a^2x + ax^2) + (1 - 4\nu)ax + \nu(x + a).$

$$\pi_{1}((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup S^{1} \times D^{2}) = \{a, x, m, n, s, l: \\ m a \ s \ \overline{m} = a \ n \ \overline{a} \ m \ a \ \overline{n} \ a \ \overline{n} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{n} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{n} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{m} \ \overline{a} \ \overline{n} \$$

 $l = x \bar{n} a n \bar{a} \bar{m} a \bar{n} \bar{a} n \bar{x} \bar{a} m a \bar{x} \bar{m} x$

 $\times \bar{n} a n \bar{a} m$ }.

$$A \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 0 & 1-x & -1+x & 0 & x \\ 0 & 0 & -\bar{x} & \bar{x} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \nu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\bar{a}+\bar{x}-1+x & 1-a & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & \nu \\ 0 & 0 & -\bar{a}+\bar{x}-a+x & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then $\Delta^{(2)}(a, x) = \nu(a^2x - ax^2) + ax + \nu(x - a).$

In every case, the second normalized polynomial $\Delta^{(2)}$ can not have a constant term.

This is a contradiction, i.e. the first assumption is not true. Then the inclusion map from $\pi_1(\partial W'')$ into $\pi_1((W''-\operatorname{int} V'') \bigcup_{\varphi''} S^1 \times D^2)$ is a monomorphism.

This completes the proof.

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