

Computation of linear subvarieties in the moduli space of translation surfaces and their multi-scale boundary

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A translation surface is a surface endowed with an atlas whose change of charts are translations. Fundamental examples include the flat tori \mathbb{C}/Λ . A translation surface comes with a one-parameter family of linear flows, one for each direction in \mathbb{C} . Translation surfaces naturally appear when considering billiard flows in rational polygons.

The main focus of the talk are the

$GL_2^+(\mathbb{R})$ -action on the moduli space of translation surfaces and the multi-scale compactification of

$GL_2^+(\mathbb{R})$ -orbit closures.

After presenting the relevance of

$GL_2^+(\mathbb{R})$ -orbit closures in the understanding of linear flows, I will describe how these objects are amenable to efficient computations (in the sense of computer programs).

This talk will be based on joint works with Julian R  th, Kai Fu and Bradley Zykoski.

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