

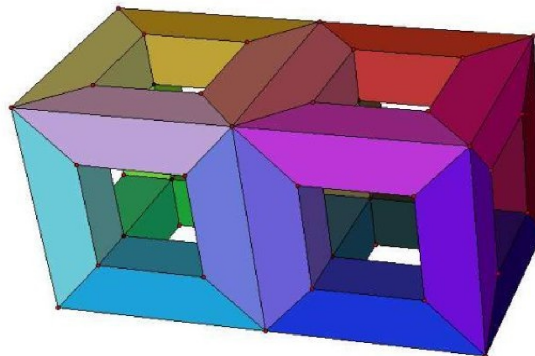
Differential Geometry I – Homework 09

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1. Exercise

(10 points)

- 1.) Sketch¹ two nonisomorphic examples of a closed simplicial surface with 20 triangles and 12 vertices which are both not the icosahedron. Why are your examples nonisomorphic?
- 2.) How many edges does a simplicial double torus with 1200 vertices have got?
- 3.) Consider properties of quadrangulated surfaces.
 - a) Let Q be a closed quadrangulated surfaces (such as the example shown in the next part of the exercise). Show that the Euler formula $\chi(Q) = |V| - |E| + |F|$ still holds.
 - b) Consider the following quadrangulated surface T :



Determine the number of vertices v , the number of edges e , the number of faces f and the Euler characteristic $\chi(T)$. Further, determine its genus $g(T)$.

- 4.) Give three examples for simplicial surfaces (probably with boundary) having the same Euler characteristic but which are not simplicially isomorphic². Justify your choice.

¹Think of an appropriate representation.

²I.e., they are not isomorphic as simplicial complexes.

2. Exercise

(3 points)

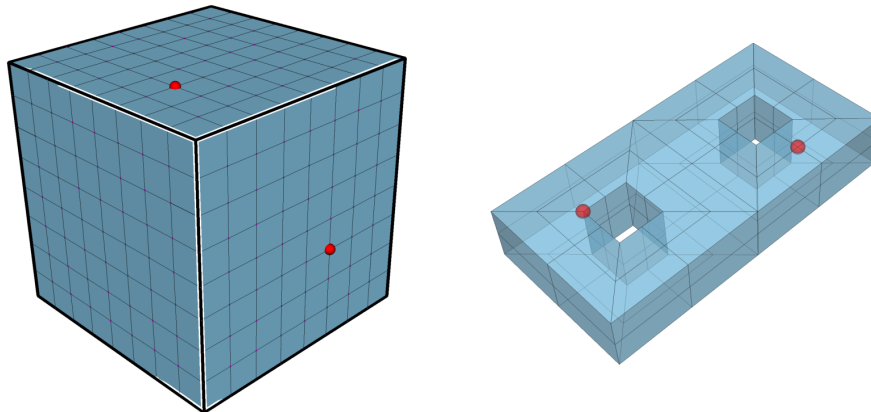
Let p be an inner point of a simplicial regular³ surface S .

- 1.) Determine the number of triangles incident to p such that the discrete Gauss curvature K in p is equal to $\frac{2\pi}{3}$, 0 , or $-\frac{2\pi}{3}$ resp. Illustrate your results.
- 2.) Determine the number of triangles incident to p such that $K(p) = 42\pi$ resp. $K(p) = -42\pi$.
- 3.) Determine the discrete Gauss curvature for the surface depicted in Exercise 1, 3.), b).

3. Exercise

(3 points)

- 1.) For the cube shown below (left image) find and sketch two straightest discrete geodesics connecting the two highlighted points, one of them being a shortest, the other one not being a shortest geodesic. Justify your solution.
- 2.) Consider the quadrangulated surface of genus 2 (right image). Find and sketch three straightest geodesics connecting the two highlighted points.



Total: 16

³All triangles are equilateral triangles.