

The Reflections On Hyperboloidal Model of Hyperbolic Plane H^2

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ABSTRACT

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ÖZET

Bu dcalışmanın amacı,[13] de verilen H-dođru boyunca, yansıma tanımlamak ve bu yansımanın bazı geometrik zelliklerini elde etmektir.

1. Introduction. The high point of the prehistory of the model H^2 is Lambert's idea of an "imaginer sphere " in 1766. "Hyperbolic geometry" introduced by Klein in 1871.The parametrization of H^2 is used as Weiestrass coordinates by Killing [8],[9].Meanwhile,in 1881,that parametrization is named "hyperbolic coordinates "

by Poincarè [11]. The conformal disc model of hyperbolic space and the quadratic geometries on arbitrary quadratic surfaces in 3-space are developed by Poincarè[12].Some unpublished works of Poincarè in 1880 related to H^2 are discussed by Gans [3]. H^2 is studied by Minkowski [10], Sommer-

feld [14], Varičak [18] in special relativity without mentioning hyperboloidal model. In [6], hyperboloidal model is studied by Jansen. Recently, H^2 appeared in Reynold's paper [13]. Kinematics of H^2 is studied by Garnier [4], Frank [2], Tölke [17] and the other many authors.

Tits has proved [15],[16] every finitely generated Coxeter groups can be represented as a group of projective maps generated by reflections and acting discretely in some domain of projective space. An algebraic description of all representations of this form has been obtained by Vinberg [20], [21]. Among the non-Euclidean Coxeter groups hyperbolic ones has also been studied using projective sphere by Vinberg [22].

The purpose of the present paper is to define two types of reflections on H^2 and to obtain some geometric results. We can summarize some important properties as following:

(i) The product of two reflections along H^1 is a translation along H^1 through twice the H-distance between their reflecting lines. One clearly see that this is an analogue of well-known proposition " The product of two Euclidean reflections is a rotation through twice the angle between their reflecting lines " .

(ii) The product of two reflections along H^1 is a translation through the difference areas of two hyperbolic sectors which are one vertex origin and the other vertices on H^1 .

(iii) In H^2 , the order of subgroups generated by two reflections along H^1 is infinite.

(iv) Reflection along any H-line is determined uniquely by reflection along H^1

2. Minkowski 3-Space and Hyperboloidal Model In this section, we give some definitions and the lemma due to [13].

Let V be real vector spaces with three dimensional and q be the real valued function on it such that

$$q : V \rightarrow R,$$

$$q(x) = q\left(\sum_{i=0}^2 x_i e_i\right) \\ = -x_0^2 + x_1^2 + x_2^2$$

for some basis $\{e_0, e_1, e_2\}$ of V . Then, the Minkowski 3-space is denoted by $M^3 = (V, q)$.

The set $H^2 = \{x \in M^3 \mid q(x) = -1, x_0 > 0\}$ is called hyperboloidal model of hyperbolic plane. The elements of H^2 are called H-points when considered in H^2 . We consider them as either points or vectors when considered in M^3 . The H-lines are defined being all nonempty intersections of H^2 with two dimensional subspaces of M^3 . Each pair of distinct H-points A and B lie on a unique H-line, namely the intersection of H^2 with the plane OAB of M^3 two distinct H-lines have one or zero H-points in common according to the line of intersection of the planes of M^3 in which they lie intersects H^2 or not. The complement of each H-line in H^2 consist of two H-half plane which are called its sides. From now on, we get $M^2 = sp\{e_0, e_1\}$, $H^1 = M^2 \cap H^2$. Let A, B be two elements of H^1 such that $A = x_0 e_0 + x_1 e_1$, $B = y_0 e_0 + y_1 e_1$, $x_1 < y_1$ and F be one to one smooth mapping of the interval $x_1 \leq t \leq y_1$, then the distance A and B is defined by

$$d_{H^1}(A, B) = \int_{x_1}^{y_1} \sqrt{q(F'(t))} dt \\ = \text{arcsh} y_1 - \text{arcsh} x_1$$

The parametrization of H^1 by H-length is

$$h(s) = \cosh s e_0 + \sinh s e_1, -\infty < s < +\infty \quad (1)$$

The isometries of M^3 is expressed, in terms of matrices, $O_1(3)$. We denote G, G_1, G_0 the subgroups of $O_1(3)$ such that fix H^2, H^1 and e_0 respectively. Then we see that

$$g = L_s E_1^i E_2^j, 0 \leq i, j \leq 1, g \in G_1 \quad (2)$$

and

$$g = R_\theta E_2^j, 0 \leq j \leq 1, g \in G_0 \quad (3)$$

where

$$E_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, E_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$L_s = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh s & \sinh s & 0 \\ \sinh s & \cosh s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, R_\theta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

By (2) and (3), we have $G_1 \cap G_0 = \langle E_1, E_2 \rangle$.

If the matrix representation of the parametrization (1) is $\tilde{h}(r)$, then

$$R_\theta \tilde{h}(r) = \tilde{H}(r, \theta)$$

and

$$H(s, \theta) = \cosh s e_0 + \sinh s \cos \theta e_1 + \sinh s \sin \theta e_2, -\infty < s < +\infty \quad (4)$$

(4) is the parametrization of H^2 and

$$L_r \vec{H}(s, 0) = \vec{H}(s + r, 0). \quad (5)$$

The matrix L_r is called the matrix of H-translation along H^1 [1],[13]. Since the matrix L_r plays a role of Euclidean rotation in the motions of M^2 , it is also called Minkowskian rotation [19]. Since $R_\theta \vec{H}(s, \phi) = \vec{H}(s, \phi + \theta)$, R_θ is considered as a matrix of rotation about e_0 . The H-distance between A and B in H^2 is given by

$$d_H(A, B) = \operatorname{arcosh}(-p(A, B)) \quad (6)$$

where

$$p(x, y) = \frac{1}{2}[q(x + y) - q(x) - q(y)]$$

The H- angle $\angle BAC$ is $\vec{AB} \cup \vec{AC}$ where $\vec{AB} \neq \vec{AC}$. Its measure $m(\angle BAC)$ is defined as follows: Let V, W be the vectors in M^3 tangent to \vec{AB}, \vec{AC} respectively at A such that $q(V) = q(W) = 1$, then

$$m(\angle BAC) = \arccos(p(V, W)). \quad (7)$$

LEMMA 2.1 Let $l_j, \vec{AB} \neq \vec{AC}$ be H-line, $A_j \vec{B}_j$ a ray on $l_j, 1 \leq j \leq 2$ and S_j a side of l_j . Then there exists exactly one $T \in G$ such that $T(A_1) = A_2, T(l_1) = l_2, T(A_1 \vec{B}_1) = A_2 \vec{B}_2$ and $T(S_1) = S_2$.

Proof. It follows from Theorem 8 [13] ■

3. Reflections along H^1 Now, we define a reflection along H^1 . Since it is analogue of the half turn in Euclidean Kinematics [1], It may be called half translation along H^1 in H^2 .

Let t, \dot{t}, \ddot{t} be lines which are tangent to H^1 at $h(s_0)$ in (1), passing through O and parallel to \dot{t} , passing through x and parallel to \ddot{t} , respectively. Let ℓ be the line passing through O , $h(s_0)$ and \mathcal{H} be the intersection point of ℓ, \ddot{t} . If $\tilde{S}_{h(s_0)}(x)$ is a point such that it has distance $\sqrt{q(h-x)}$ to x and on different side with x with respect to ℓ in \mathcal{H} which is a plane determined by ℓ, x , then

$$\tilde{S}_{h(s_0)}(x) = x - 2p(x, h(s_0))\dot{h}(s_0)$$

or

$$S_{h(s_0)} = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh 2s_0 & -\sinh 2s_0 & 0 \\ \sinh 2s_0 & -\cosh 2s_0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (8)$$

The above matrix $S_{h(s_0)}$ is called *reflection matrix along H^1* . From now on, we mean dot derivative of .

THEOREM 3.1 Let $S_{h(s)}, S_{h(t)}$ be two reflection along H^1 and $\lambda \in R, g \in O_1(3)$. Then

$$(i) S_{h(s)}^2 = I_3,$$

$$(ii) S_{h(s)} S_{h(t)} S_{h(s)} = S_{h(t)} h(t),$$

$$(iii) \det S_{h(s)} = -1,$$

$$(iv) S_{\lambda h(s)} = S_{h(s)},$$

$$(v) S_{h(s)} \in G_1,$$

$$(vi) g S_{h(s)} g^{-1} = S_{gh(s)},$$

$$(vii) S_{h(s)}(\dot{h}(t)) = h(2s - t),$$

$$(viii) S_{h(s)}(\dot{h}(t)) = -\dot{h}(2s - t)$$

Proof. (i),(ii),(iii),(iv),(vi) are the same as Semi-Euclidean reflections and may be seen in [7].(v) is evident by (3) and $S_{h(s)} = L_{2s}E_1$.(vii),(viii) are obtained by matrix calculation ■

THEOREM 3.2 The product of two reflections along H^1 is a translation along H^1 through twice the H-distance between their reflecting lines.

Proof.It is obvious by definition of reflection along H^1 and translation along H^1 ■

Then we have the following result.

COROLLARY.3.3 Let A_1, A_2 be areas of hyperbolic sectors in M^3 which are one vertex origin and the other vertices on H^1 ,then the product of two reflections along H^1 is a translation through the $A_2 - A_1$.

THEOREM 3.4 Let $S_{h(s)}, S_{h(t)}$ be two reflection along H^1 .Then

$$(i) S_{h(s)} L_{2t} = S_{\dot{\alpha}(s-t)}$$

$$(ii) L_{2t} S_{h(s)} = S_{h(s+t)}$$

$$(iii) S_{h(s)} L_t S_{h(s)} = L_{-t}$$

$$(iv) (S_{h(s)} S_{h(t)})^p = S_{h(ps)} S_{h(pt)}, p \in R$$

Proof.It follows from Theorem 3.2 and $L_t L_s = L_{s+t}$ ■

Now we can say that the product of a translation and a reflection along H^1 is another reflection along H^1 .

COROLLARY 3.5 Let $S_{h(s)}, S_{h(t)}$ be two reflection along H^1 .Then

$$(S_{h(s)}S_{h(t)})^m = L_{2m(s-t)}, m \in R$$

Proof.It can be seen from Theorem 3.2 and the definition of translation along H^1 .

THEOREM 3.6 If we take $l_1 = H^1$ in Lemma 2.1,then reflection along any H-line is determined uniquely by reflection along H^1 .

Proof. By Lemma 2.1,there is a unique $g \in G$ such that $g(H^1) = H$.By (iv) of Theorem 3.1, $gS_{h(s)}g^{-1} = S_{gh(s)}$. The proof is complete ■

4.Reflections Along the s- Curves In this section we give another reflections in H^2 .This kind of reflections in H^2 are obtained by the curve $s=\text{constant}$ in (4). Therefore,we call such reflections as *reflections along the s- curves* .

If we take $\alpha(\theta) = \cosh s e_0 + \sinh s \cos \theta e_1 + \sinh s \sin \theta e_2$ for $s=\text{constant}$,then, we have

$$\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}}(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos 2\theta & \sin 2\theta \\ 0 & \sin 2\theta & -\cos 2\theta \end{pmatrix} \tag{9}$$

We call the reflection matrix along the s- curves to (9).

THEOREM 4.1 Let $\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)}, \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_2)}$ be two reflections along the s-curves .Then

- (i) $\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)}^2 = I_3$,
- (ii) $\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)}\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_2)}\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)} = \overline{S}_{\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)}(\dot{\alpha}(\theta_2))}$,
- (iii) $\det \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)} = -1$,

$$(iv) \overline{S}_{\lambda \dot{\alpha}(\theta)} = \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)}, \lambda \in R,$$

$$(v) \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)} \in G_0$$

$$(vi) g \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)} g^{-1} = \overline{S}_{g \dot{\alpha}(\theta)}, g \in O_1(3),$$

$$(vii) \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)} \dot{\alpha}(\theta_2) = -\dot{\alpha}(2\theta_1 - \theta_2)$$

$$(viii) \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)}(\alpha(\theta_2)) = \alpha(2\theta_1 - \theta_2)$$

Proof. (i),(ii),(iii),(iv),(vi) is same with Euclidean reflections which is seen in [5].(v) is evident by (9) and $\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)} = R_{2\theta} E_2$.the others are followed by matrix calculations ■

THEOREM 4.2 Let $\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)}, \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_2)}$ be two reflections along the s - curves . Then

$$\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_1)} \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta_2)} = R_{2(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}$$

Proof.It follows from (9) ■

THEOREM 4.3

$$(S_{h(s)} \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)})^m = I_3 \text{ if and only if } s = 0 \text{ and } \theta = \frac{m-2}{2m} \pi .$$

Proof.If $(S_{h(s)} \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)})^m = I_3$, using matrix calculations ,we see that s must be zero. Since

$$S_{h(0)} \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)} = R_{\pi-2\theta}$$

we find

$$(S_{h(0)} \overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\theta)})^m = R_{m(\pi-2\theta)} \tag{10}$$

By (10), we see that θ must be $\frac{m-2}{2m}\pi$. Reverse of theorem is evident.

COROLLARY 4.4 (i) If m is even integer, then,

$$(S_{h(0)}\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\pi/m)})^m = I_3$$

(ii) If m is odd integer, then

$$(S_{h(0)}\overline{S}_{\dot{\alpha}(\pi/2m)})^m = I_3$$

Proof. It is evident by Theorem 4.3 ■

COROLLARY 4.5

(i) The order of the product any two reflections along H^1 is infinite

(ii) The order of the product any reflection along the s - curves $s \neq 0$ with $S_{h(0)}$ is an integer if $\theta = \pi/m$ or $\theta = \pi/2m$ where m is order of product.

(iii) The order of the product any two reflections along the s - curves is an integer if $\theta_2 = \theta_1 + \pi/m$ where m is order of product.

Proof. It follows from Theorem.3.3, Corollary 4.4 and Theorem 4.2 ■

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