

## ON THE BRAIDS FOR $10_5$ KNOT

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**Abstract:** A presentation of the 4-string braid is studied for  $10_5$  knot. Braids structure plays very important role in Knots Theory and Word problem..Braid structure connection can be found with knot and its word. In view of this structure, we obtained braids for  $10_5$  knot and we gave Artin and Garside presentations.

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## 10<sub>5</sub> DÜĞÜMÜNÜN ÖRGÜSÜ ÜZERİNE

**Özet:**  $10_5$  düğümünün 4 bileşenli örgü temsili elde edildi. Örgü kavramı oldukça önemli bir rol oynar. Kelime ve Düğüm arasında ilişki örgü yoluyla bulunabilir.Bu makalede  $10_5$  düğümünün örgü temsili bulunarak Artin ve Garside gerenleri hesaplanmıştır.

**Anahtar keimeler:** Örgü, Pozitif kelime, Örgülerin Temsilleri

### 1. Introduction

The word problem in  $B_n$  was solved by Artin in [3]. Conjugacy problem in  $B_n$  was also posed in[3]. Moreover, its importance for the problem of recognizing knots and links algorithmically was noted. However it took 43 years before progres was made. A somewhat different question is the shortest word problem to find a representative of the word class which has shortest length in the Artin generators. Using Garside and Thurston and Birman's using new generator's will be able to solve the word problem.Starting with Braids structure. On the top and base of a cube,  $B$ , mark out  $n$  points,  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  ve  $A'_1, A'_2, \dots, A'_n$  respectively. These points may be arbitrarily placed, however we shall express them in terms of specific coordinates.

Firstly, the coordinates for  $B$  in  $R^3$  are,

$$B = \{(x, y, z) \mid 0 \leq x, y, z \leq 1\}$$

Let us choose  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, A'_1, A'_2, \dots, A'_n$  as follows,

$$A_1 = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{n+1}, 1\right) \cdots A_n = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{n}{n+1}, 1\right)$$

$$A'_1 = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{n+1}, 1\right) \cdots A'_n = \left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{n}{n+1}, 0\right)$$

By the construction each  $A'_i$  is directly below the corresponding  $A_i$  Figure 1. Now join the  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n, A'_1, A'_2, \dots, A'_n$  by means of  $n$  curves in  $B$ . As usual, they are joined in a such a way that these curves (including the end points) do not mutually intersect each other. We will call these polygonal arcs strings.

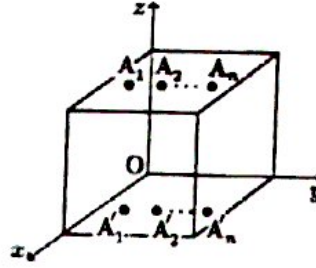


Figure 1

Suppose that we divide the cube into two parts by an arbitrary plane  $E$  that is parallel to base of the cube  $B$ . Then, if  $E$  intersects each strings at one and only one point, we say that these  $n$  string in  $B$  are an  $n$ -braid.

Suppose that  $B_n$  is the set of all  $n$ -braids (to be more precise all the equivalence class of these braids).

A fundamental result on the braid group  $B_n$  is that it has only the following two type of relations called the fundamental relations:

$$(1) \sigma_i \sigma_j = \sigma_j \sigma_i \quad (|i - j| \geq 2)$$

$$(2) \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i = \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1} \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 2).$$

Collecting together the various relations we have discussed so far we may write  $B_n$  in terms of its generators  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_{n-1}$  and the these fundemantal relations,

$$B_n = \left( \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_{n-1} \mid \sigma_i \sigma_j = \sigma_j \sigma_i \mid i - j \geq 2 \right) \\ \left( \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i = \sigma_{i+1} \sigma_i \sigma_{i+1} \mid i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 2 \right)$$

where the right hand side is said to be a presentation of  $B_n$  (Artin generators).

In Garside generators, i.e., positive braids, i.e., braids which are positive powers of the generators. Garside introduced the fundemantal braid  $\Delta$ :

$$\Delta = (\delta_1 \delta_2 \cdots \delta_{n-1})(\delta_1 \delta_2 \cdots \delta_{n-2}) \cdots (\delta_1 \delta_2) \delta_1. \quad (1)$$

He showed that every element  $W \in B_n$  can be represented algorithmically by a word  $W$  of the form  $\Delta^r P$ , where  $r$  is an integer and  $P$  is a positive word, and  $r$  is maximal for all such representations [2].

**Lemma 1:** The word  $\Delta^\#$  in  $S_n$  has the following properties:

- (i) For each word  $V \in S_n$ ,  $\Delta^\# V = \widehat{V} \Delta^\#$ .
- (ii) For each  $j$  ( $1 \leq j \leq n-1$ ),  $D(\Delta^\#)$  contains a word with initial letter  $s_j$  and word with final letter  $s_j$  [6].

From now on the semigroup  $S_n$  will be identified with its image  $e(S_n)$  in  $B_n$ .

**Lemma 2:** For each  $j$  ( $1 \leq j \leq n-1$ ), there is a positive word  $X_j$  such that

$\sigma_j^{-1} = \Delta^{-1} X_j$ . Also,  $\Delta \sigma_j^{-1} = \sigma_{n-j}^{-1} \Delta$  (which, together with Lemma 1, implies that  $\Delta^{-1} V = \widehat{V} \Delta^{-1}$  for every braid word  $V$ ) [6].

**Theorem 1** (Garside Solution to the Word Problem in  $B_n$ ): If  $\beta \in B_n$  then  $\beta$  is represented by unique word of the form  $\Delta^m \overline{P}$ , where the integers  $m$  and the positive word  $\overline{P}$  are computed from any representative  $\sigma_{\mu_1}^{\varepsilon_1} \cdots \sigma_{\mu_r}^{\varepsilon_r}$  of the word  $\beta$  in the following manner:

- (i) List the positive word  $X_1, \dots, X_{n-1}$  whose existence is established by Lemma 1.
- (ii) Replace every letter  $\sigma_{\mu_i}^{-1}$  which occurs in the braid word  $\sigma_{\mu_1}^{\varepsilon_1} \cdots \sigma_{\mu_r}^{\varepsilon_r}$  by  $\Delta^{-1} X_{\mu_i}$ .
- (iii) Using the property  $\Delta^{-1} V = \widehat{V} \Delta^{-1}$  (Lemma 2) collect all  $\Delta^{-1}$ 's introduced in (ii) at the left, so that  $\beta$  is represented by a word of the form  $\Delta^k P_0$ , where  $P_0$  is positive. Note that  $k \leq 0$ .
- (iv) Construct  $D(P_0)$
- (v) In  $D(P_0)$ , choose a word  $\Delta^h P$  such that  $h$  maximal. Let  $m = h + k$   
(Note that  $h \geq 0$ )
- (vi) Construct  $D(P)$ . Let  $\overline{P}$  be base of  $D(P)$ .

**Proof:** See [6].

Now, let  $\alpha$  be a braid and let us connect by a set of parallel arcs that lie outside the square, the points  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  on the top of a rectangular diagram of a braid  $\alpha$  to the points  $A'_1, A'_2, \dots, A'_n$  respectively, on the bottom of the same diagram. Then in a natural way we form regular diagram of knot or link from a braid. A knot that has been created in this way is said to be a knot,  $K$ , created from the braid  $\alpha$ .

**Theorem 2** (Alexander's Theorem): Given arbitrary (oriented) knot (or link), then it is equivalent (with orientation) to a knot (or link) that has been formed from a braid [1].

**Proof:** Let  $D$  be an oriented regular diagram of a knot  $K$ . Firstly cut the  $D$  at a point (not a crossing point)  $P_0$ , and then pull the loose ends apart so that we now have a (1,1) tangle. Figure 2.

We shall show that we can change this tangle into a braid  $\alpha$ . The knot, in a sense induced as described previously from the braid, is equivalent to  $K$ . If the tangle  $T$  has  $m$  local maxima, then it also has  $m$  local minima. In the case  $m = 0$ ,  $T$  is a 1-braid and so no proof is required.

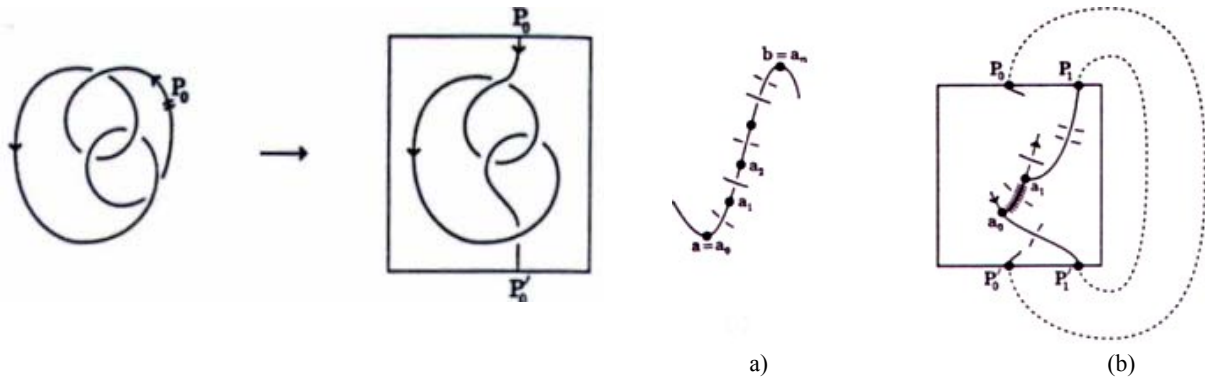


Figure 2

Figure 3

So suppose that  $m > 0$ , then there exists an arc  $ab$  in  $T$ , which we may say “is rising upwards”, connecting a local minimum  $a$  to a local maximum  $b$ . Figure 3.

Further we may assume that  $ab$  intersects with the other parts of the tangle at  $n$  places. Let us now mark  $n+1$  points on  $ab$ , i.e.,  $a = a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n = b$ , such that the arc  $a_i a_{i+1}$  intersects only one part of the tangle, see Figure 3(b). Next replace the arc  $a_0 a_1$  by the much larger arc  $a_0 P'_1 P_1 a_1$ . The large arc  $P_1 P'_1$  lies outside the tangle  $T$ , and the arcs  $a_0 P'_1$  and  $a_1 P_1$  are selected in such a way that if  $a_0 a_1$  passes over (or under) the other segment, then they also pass over (or under) all the other segments. The result of the above manipulations is a  $(2,2)$  tangle. Figure 3(b).

It follows immediately that the oriented knot obtained by joining (outside the square) the four endpoints of this  $(2,2)$  tangle by curves is equivalent to original knot. By using the same methods as above, with regard to the arcs  $a_1 a_2, a_2 a_3, \dots, a_{n-1} a_n$  we will eventually form a  $(n+1, n+1)$  tangle  $T$  that does not have a local minimum and maximum at  $a$  and  $b$  respectively, and further has at most  $m-1$  local maxima and minima. Continuing this procedure, we shall finally create a tangle that has no local maxima and minima. This tangle is our required braid.

Now, we will find braids for  $10_5$  knots. Regular diagrams of  $10_5$  given in Figure 2.



Figure 4

Then Theorem 2 is applied for the knot. Then we get 4-braids for this knot. 4 braid is given in Figure 5.

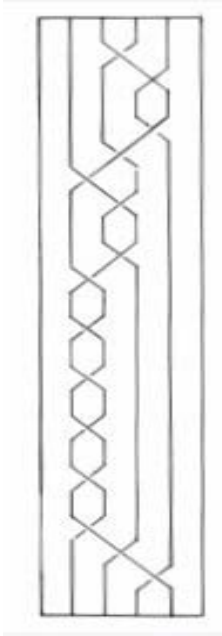


Figure 5

From Figure 5 ,we write  $\beta = \alpha_2^{-1} \alpha_3^2 \alpha_2^{-1} \alpha_1^{-1} \alpha_2^2 \alpha_1^{-6} \alpha_2^{-1} \alpha_3^{-1}$  (Artin Presentation).At the same time, we will write the Garside generators for this braid. We apply Theorem 1 to  $\beta$  braid which we get it from Figure 3. Then we write:

$$D(P) = \{A\sigma_3 AC\sigma_2^2 (BC)^6 A(\sigma_2\sigma_3\sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_1)\}$$

where,

$$A = \sigma_1\sigma_3\sigma_2\sigma_1\sigma_3, B = \sigma_3\sigma_2\sigma_1\sigma_3\sigma_2, C = \sigma_1\sigma_2\sigma_3\sigma_1\sigma_2.$$

These equations are the representation of 10<sub>5</sub> knots (Garside Rep.).

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