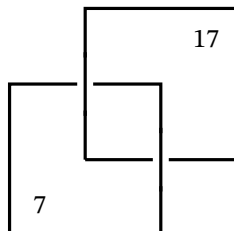


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linking number  $\text{lk}_2(7, 17) = 1$

Arithmetic topology is about similarities between the ring of integers of a number field and 3-manifolds. Some similarities you should keep in mind:

**Sphere**  $X = S^3$

**Knot**  $k : S^1 \hookrightarrow X$

**Tubular neighbourhood**  $V_k$  of  $k$

**Boundary torus**  $\partial V_k$

$1 \rightarrow I_k \rightarrow \pi_1(\partial V_k) \rightarrow \pi_1(V_k) \rightarrow 1$ ,  
the **meridian**  $\alpha$  generates  $I_k$ , the **lon-  
gitude**  $\beta$  generates  $\pi_1(V_k)$  and relation  
 $[\alpha, \beta] = 1$

**Knot complement**  $X_k = X \setminus k$

**Knot group**  $\pi_1(X_k)$

**Cyclic cover**  $h_\infty : X_k^\infty \rightarrow X_k$  and  
 $\text{Gal}(X_k^\infty/X_k) \simeq \mathbb{Z}$

**Integers**  $X = \text{Spec}(\mathbb{Z})$

**Finite prime**  $p : \text{Spec}(\mathbb{F}_p) \hookrightarrow X$

**$p$ -adic integers**  $V_p = \text{Spec}(\mathbb{Z}_p)$

**$p$ -adic numbers**  $\text{Spec}(\mathbb{Q}_p)$

$1 \rightarrow I_p \rightarrow \pi_1(\text{Spec}(\mathbb{F}_p)) \rightarrow \pi_1(V_p) \rightarrow 1$ ,  
the **monodromy**  $\tau$  generates  $I_p^{\text{tame}}$ , the  
**Frobenius**  $\text{frob}_p$  generates  $\pi_1(V_p)$  and  
relation  $[\tau, \text{frob}_p] = \tau^{1-p}$

**Prime complement**  $X_p = X \setminus p$

**Prime group**  $\pi_1(X_p)$

**Pro- $p$ -cyclic cover**  $h_\infty : X_p^\infty \rightarrow X_p$  and  
 $\text{Gal}(X_p^\infty/X_p) \simeq \mathbb{Z}_p$

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Linking numbers [1, proposition 4.1]. If time permits, combinatorial nature of the Alexander polynomial using Skein relations and example [2].

**Talk 2** (Leonie). Unramified extensions of number fields [1, page 34].  $\pi_1(\kappa(p)), \pi_1^*(\mathbb{F}_p)$  [1, example 2.25, 2.34, 2.39]. Cyclotomic extensions of  $\text{Spec}(\mathbb{Z}) \setminus S$  [1, example 2.46]. Ramification of primes [1, chapter 5.2].

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Legendre symbols as an analogue of modulo 2 linking numbers [1, proposition 4.4].

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Alexander polynomial and homology groups [1, theorem 9.8, equation 11.1]. Asymptotic formula [1, theorem 11.4].

**Talk 4** (Jaro). Complete differential modules and their representation matrices [1, definition 9.10, theorem 9.14, corollary 9.15]. Complete Alexander module, ideal [1, example 9.16]. Iwasawa module, arithmetic Alexander polynomial, and Iwasawa polynomial [1, theorem 9.17, example 9.18], [5].

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