

On Some Points of a Simple Closed Curve. Part II

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Summary. In the paper we formalize some lemmas needed by the proof of the Jordan Curve Theorem according to [23]. We show basic properties of the upper and the lower approximations of a simple closed curve (as its compactness and connectedness) and some facts about special points of such approximations.

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The notation and terminology used in this paper are introduced in the following papers: [25], [28], [1], [24], [29], [4], [16], [15], [2], [12], [22], [7], [27], [21], [13], [3], [5], [8], [9], [10], [18], [19], [20], [26], [6], [11], [17], and [14].

1. PROPERTIES OF THE APPROXIMATIONS

In this paper C denotes a simple closed curve and i denotes a natural number.

We now state two propositions:

- (1) $(\text{UpperAppr}(C))(i) \subseteq \overline{\text{RightComp}(\text{Cage}(C, 0))}$.
- (2) $(\text{LowerAppr}(C))(i) \subseteq \overline{\text{RightComp}(\text{Cage}(C, 0))}$.

Let C be a simple closed curve. One can verify that $\text{UpperArc}(C)$ is connected and $\text{LowerArc}(C)$ is connected.

We now state two propositions:

- (3) $(\text{UpperAppr}(C))(i)$ is compact and connected.
- (4) $(\text{LowerAppr}(C))(i)$ is compact and connected.

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Let C be a simple closed curve. Observe that $\text{NorthArc}(C)$ is compact and $\text{SouthArc}(C)$ is compact.

2. ON SPECIAL POINTS OF APPROXIMATIONS

One can prove the following propositions:

- (5) $W_{\min}(C) \in \text{NorthArc}(C)$.
- (6) $E_{\max}(C) \in \text{NorthArc}(C)$.
- (7) $W_{\min}(C) \in \text{SouthArc}(C)$.
- (8) $E_{\max}(C) \in \text{SouthArc}(C)$.
- (9) $\text{UMP } C \in \text{NorthArc}(C)$.
- (10) $\text{LMP } C \in \text{SouthArc}(C)$.
- (11) $\text{NorthArc}(C) \subseteq C$.
- (12) $\text{SouthArc}(C) \subseteq C$.
- (13) $\text{LMP } C \in \text{LowerArc}(C)$ and $\text{UMP } C \in \text{UpperArc}(C)$ or $\text{UMP } C \in \text{LowerArc}(C)$ and $\text{LMP } C \in \text{UpperArc}(C)$.

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