

Complex crystallographic groups II

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§ 0. Introduction.

Let $E(n)$ be the complex motion group acting on the n -dimensional complex euclidean space $X \cong \mathbb{C}^n$. A complex crystallographic group is, by definition, a discrete subgroup of $E(n)$ with compact quotient. In a previous paper [6], we studied general properties of the quotient varieties and determined all the two dimensional crystallographic reflection groups.

In this paper, we treat two dimensional complex crystallographic group Γ such that the quotient variety $M = X/\Gamma$ is biholomorphic to the two dimensional projective space \mathbb{P}^2 . We list up all such groups (Theorem 1). Generators and fundamental relations are obtained (Theorem 2). Let ϕ denote the natural mapping: $X \rightarrow M$. The coordinate representation of ϕ , the branching locus D and the ramification indices of ϕ on D are determined (Theorem 3). We explicitly give the representation $h: \pi_1(M-D) \rightarrow \Gamma$ and the kernel of h (Theorem 4).

§ 1. Notations and definitions.

The unitary group of size 2 is denoted by $U(2)$. For $A \in U(2)$ and $a \in \mathbb{C}^2$, $(A|a) \in E(2)$ denotes the transformation: $x \rightarrow Ax + a$. For a two dimensional complex crystallographic group Γ ,

$$L := \{a; (1|a) \in \Gamma\}$$

and

$$G := \{A; (A|a) \in \Gamma\}$$

are called the lattice and the point group of Γ , respectively. If Γ has the representation $\{(A|a); A \in G, a \in L\}$, then we call Γ the semidirect product $G \ltimes L$ of the lattice and the point group.

DEFINITION. Imprimitve reflection group $G(m, p, 2) \subset U(2)$ is the group generated by

$$\begin{pmatrix} & 1 \\ 1 & \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} & \theta \\ \theta^{-1} & \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} \theta^p & \\ & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \theta = \exp \frac{2\pi\sqrt{-1}}{m}.$$

DEFINITION. An element $g \in E(2)$ is called a reflection if g is of finite order, $g \neq \text{identity}$ and keeps a line $H(g) \subset X$ pointwise fixed.

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