

4.3 Poincaré Disk as a Hilbert Plane.

Proposition 4.3.1

Let $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$. If l is a P-line, then $f(l)$ is also a P-line.

proof.

If l is a P-line, then $l = \gamma \cap \mathbb{D}$ where γ is a straight line passing through the origin or a circle perpendicular to \mathbb{T} .

Then there exist a pair of points z and $\frac{1}{\bar{z}}$ on γ .

Let $f(z) = \lambda \frac{z-a}{\bar{a}z-1}$ where $a, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$, $|a| < 1$, $|\lambda| = 1$.

Firstly, by exercise 4.1.4, $f(\gamma)$ is a straight line or a circle on \mathbb{C} .

Furthermore, $\frac{1}{f(z)} = \frac{1}{\lambda \frac{z-a}{\bar{a}z-1}} = \lambda \frac{\bar{a}\bar{z}-1}{z-a}$ and $f\left(\frac{1}{\bar{z}}\right) = \lambda \frac{\frac{1}{\bar{z}}-a}{\frac{a}{\bar{z}}-1} = \lambda \frac{\bar{a}\bar{z}-1}{z-a}$

Therefore, $f(\gamma)$ contains $f(z)$ and $f\left(\frac{1}{\bar{z}}\right) = \frac{1}{f(z)}$ and so $f(\gamma)$ is a straight line passing through the origin or a circle perpendicular to \mathbb{T} .

Note that $f: \mathbb{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$ is bijective, so $f(l) = f(\gamma) \cap \mathbb{D}$ which is a P-line.

Also, if $|z| = 1$, then $|f(z)| = 1$.

Therefore, f maps the two boundary points of l to those of $f(l)$.

Proposition 4.3.2

Let $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$. If l is a P-line and $w \in l$, then there exists (exist exactly two) $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ such that $f(w) = 0$ and $f(l) = \{x+io \in \mathbb{C} : -1 \leq x \leq 1\}$.

proof.

If $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$, then $f(z) = \lambda \frac{z-a}{\bar{a}z-1}$

where $a, \lambda \in \mathbb{C}$, $|a| < 1$, $|\lambda| = 1$.

1) $f(w) = 0 \Leftrightarrow a = w$.

2) Let z_1^* and z_2^* be two boundary points of l .

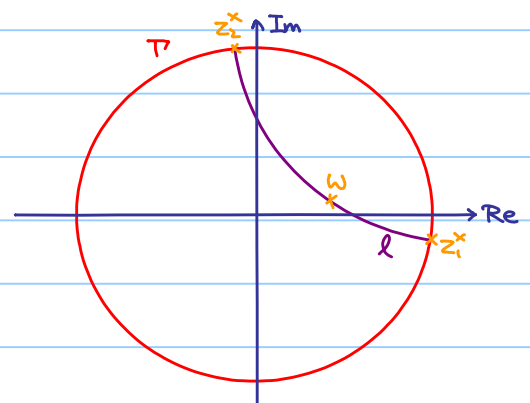
Since $|z_1^*| = |z_2^*| = 1$, by exercise 4.1.3, $\left| \frac{z_1^*-w}{\bar{w}z_1^*-1} \right| = \left| \frac{z_2^*-w}{\bar{w}z_2^*-1} \right| = 1$

If $\lambda_1 = \frac{z_1^*-w}{\bar{w}z_1^*-1}$, $\lambda_2 = \frac{z_2^*-w}{\bar{w}z_2^*-1}$.

Let $\lambda = \bar{\lambda}_1$ (or $\bar{\lambda}_2$), then $f(\lambda_1) = 1$ (or $f(\lambda_2) = 1$).

Furthermore, $f(z) = \frac{\bar{z}_1^*-w}{\bar{w}z_1^*-1} \frac{z-w}{\bar{w}z-1}$ (or $f(z) = \frac{\bar{z}_2^*-w}{\bar{w}z_2^*-1} \frac{z-w}{\bar{w}z-1}$) maps a P-line to a P-line.

However, the only P-line passing through the origin with 1 as endpoint is $\{x+io \in \mathbb{C} : -1 \leq x \leq 1\}$, so $f(l) = \{x+io \in \mathbb{C} : -1 \leq x \leq 1\}$.



Corollary 4.3.1

Let l_1 and l_2 are P-lines on \mathbb{D} and let $w_1 \in l_1$ and $w_2 \in l_2$.

Then there exists (exist exactly two) $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ such that $f(w_1) = w_2$ and $f(l_1) = l_2$.

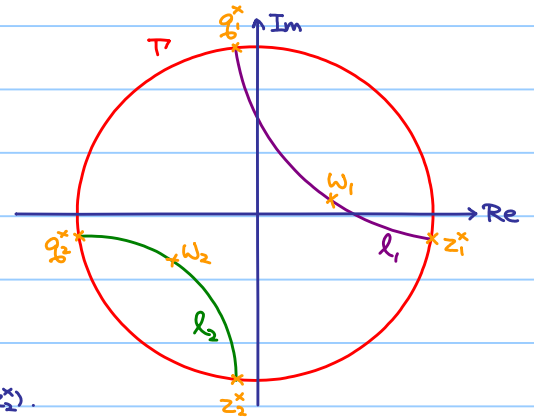
proof:

Let $f_1, f_2 \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ such that $f_1(w_1) = f_2(w_2) = 0$ and

$f_1(z_1^*)$ (or $f_1(q_1^*)$) = 1 and $f_2(z_2^*)$ (or $f_2(q_2^*)$) = 1.

Then, the result follows by taking

$$f(z) = (f_2^{-1} \circ f_1)(z) = f_2^{-1}(f_1(z)).$$



Remark: f is uniquely determined if we know $f(z_1^*)$ or $f(z_2^*)$.

We are going to define the notion of point, line, betweenness, congruence for line segments and angles of the Poincaré Disk model.

Definition 4.3.1

Let $\mathbb{D} = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$.

If $p \in \mathbb{D}$, then p is said to be a point (or a P-point) on \mathbb{D} .

Let γ be a straight line on \mathbb{C} passing through the origin or a circle perpendicular to the unit circle T , then $l = \gamma \cap \mathbb{D}$ is said to be a line (or a P-line) on \mathbb{D} .

Proposition 4.3.3

Poincaré Disk model satisfies axioms of incidences (I1)-(I3)

Definition 4.3.2

Let l be any P-line in \mathbb{D} . Then, l is given by $\gamma : (0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$.

Let $A = \gamma(t_1)$, $B = \gamma(t_2)$, $C = \gamma(t_3)$ be distinct points on l .

We define $A * B * C$ if $t_1 < t_2 < t_3$ or $t_1 > t_2 > t_3$.

Proposition 4.3.2

Poincaré Disk model satisfies axioms of betweenness (B1)-(B4)

Exercises 4.3.1

Let l be a P-line which is the diameter (without endpoints) of T .

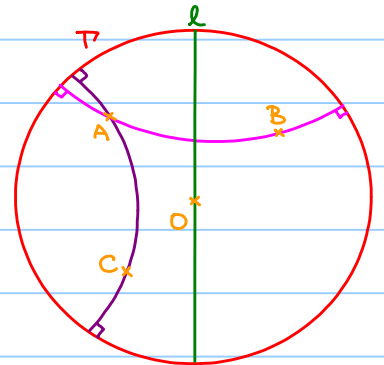
Then l separates D into two disjoint subsets. Show that

(i) A, B lie on different subsets

\Leftrightarrow the P-line segment AB intersects l exactly once.

(ii) A, C lie on the same subsets

\Leftrightarrow the P-line passing through AC does not intersect l .



Corollary 4.3.2

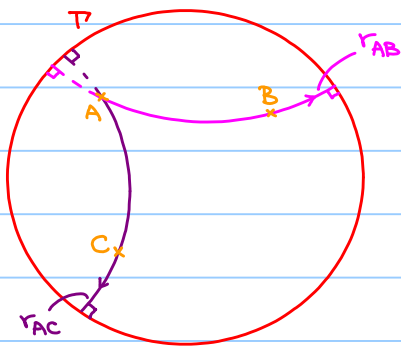
Let r_1 and r_2 be P-rays on D originating at w_1 and w_2 respectively.

Then there exists unique $f \in \text{Aut}(D)$ such that $f(w_1) = w_2$ and $f(r_1) = r_2$.

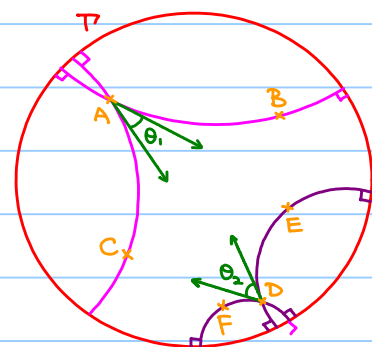
Definition 4.3.2

Let AB and CD be P-line segments. We define $AB \cong CD$ if $d(A, B) = d(C, D)$.

Let $\angle BAC$ and $\angle EDF$ be P-angles. We define $\angle BAC \cong \angle EDF$ if $\theta_1 = \theta_2$.



$\angle BAC = r_{AB} \cup r_{AC}$



Proposition 4.3.3

Poincaré Disk model satisfies axioms of congruence for line segments and angles (C1)-(C6).

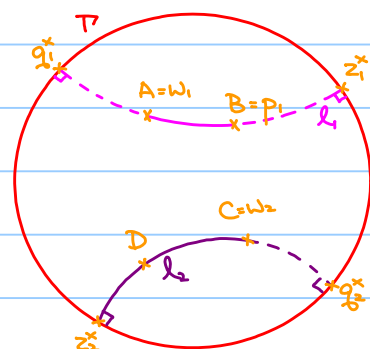
(C1):

There exists unique $f \in \text{Aut}(D)$ such that

$f(w_1) = w_2$ and $f(z_1) = z_2$.

Then, let $D = f(p_1)$, and

we have $d(A, B) = d(w_1, p_1) = d(f(w_1), f(p_1)) = d(C, D)$



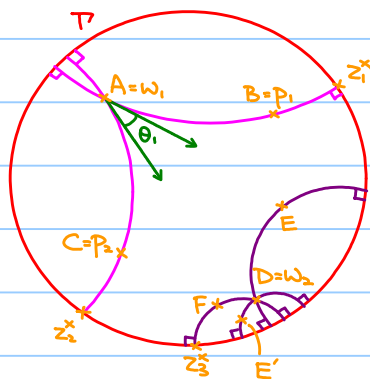
(C4):

There exists unique $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ such that

$$f(w_1) = w_2 \text{ and } f(z_1) = z_2 \text{ (or } f(z_2) = z_1)$$

$$\text{Let } E = f(p_2) \text{ (or } E = f(p_1))$$

Then $\angle BAC \cong \angle EDF$.



Theorem 4.3.1

Poincaré Disk model is a Hilbert plane.

Example 4.3.1

a) Find the equation of P-line

passing through $A = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $B = \frac{i}{2}$

It is the intersection of \mathbb{D} and the

circle passing through $A = -\frac{1}{2}$, $B = \frac{i}{2}$

and $A' = -2$.

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{17}{8}, \text{ for } x^2 + y^2 < 1.$$

b) Find the P-angle $\angle OAB$.

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{17}{8}$$

Differentiate both sides with respect to x :

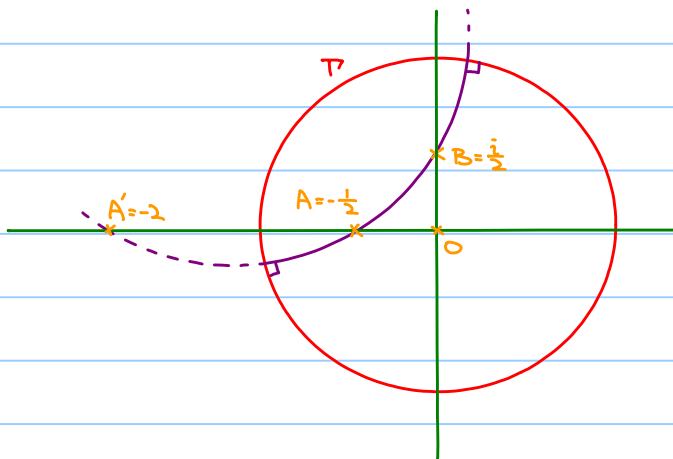
$$2\left(x + \frac{5}{4}\right) + 2\left(y - \frac{5}{4}\right) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{4x+5}{4y-5}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{(x,y)=(-\frac{1}{2}, 0)} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$\text{P-angle } \angle OAB = \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{7} \approx 23.1^\circ < 45^\circ$$

Remark: Sum of interior P-angles of P-triangle $\triangle OAB < 180^\circ$.



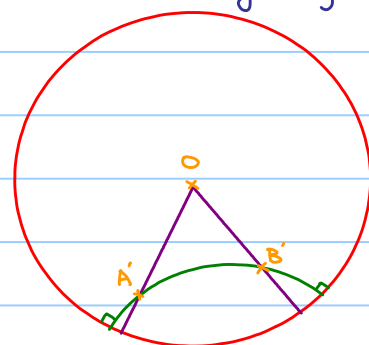
For a general P-triangle $\triangle ABC$, by choosing a suitable $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$, the images of A, B, C under f are A', B' and O' , then we have

$$\text{P-angle } \angle ACB = \text{P-angle } \angle A'O'B' = \angle A'O'B'$$

$$\text{P-angle } \angle BAC = \text{P-angle } \angle B'A'O' < \angle B'A'O'$$

$$\text{P-angle } \angle CBA = \text{P-angle } \angle O'B'A' < \angle O'B'A'$$

\therefore Sum of interior P-angles of P-triangle $\triangle OAB < 180^\circ$.



Let $A, C \in \mathbb{D}$ and let γ be the circle with center C and radius CA .

What does γ look like?

Let $B \in \gamma$. By choosing a suitable $f \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$, the images of A, B, C under f are A', B' and 0 , then we have $d(B', 0) = d(B, C) = d(A, C) = d(A', 0)$.

Therefore $f(\gamma)$ is just the ordinary circle with center 0 and radius OA' on \mathbb{D} .

However $\gamma = f^{-1}(f(\gamma))$ and $f^{-1} \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$ which maps a circle on \mathbb{D} to another circle on \mathbb{D} .

As a result, we have the following proposition:

Proposition 4.3.4

γ is a P-circle on \mathbb{D} if and only if γ is an ordinary circle on \mathbb{D} .

Example 4.3.2

Let $C = \frac{1}{2}$, $A = \frac{i}{2}$.

a) Find $d(A, C)$.

b) Find the equation of the circle γ center C and radius CA .

$$\text{Let } f(z) = \frac{z - \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}z - 1} = \frac{2z - 1}{z - 2}$$

a) $f(\frac{1}{2}) = 0$ and $f(\frac{i}{2}) = \frac{10}{17} - \frac{6}{17}i$, $|f(\frac{i}{2})| = \frac{2}{17}\sqrt{34}$.

$$d(A, C) = d(\frac{i}{2}, \frac{1}{2}) = d(f(\frac{i}{2}), f(\frac{1}{2})) = d(\frac{10}{17} - \frac{6}{17}i, 0) = \ln \frac{1 + |f(\frac{i}{2})|}{1 - |f(\frac{i}{2})|} = \ln \frac{17 + 2\sqrt{34}}{17 - 2\sqrt{34}}$$

b) Equation of $f(\gamma)$: $x^2 + y^2 = |f(\frac{i}{2})|^2 = \frac{8}{17}$

Let $z = x + iy$, $w = u + iv$ and $z = f(w)$.

$$x + iy = \frac{2(u + iv) - 1}{(u + iv) - 2}$$

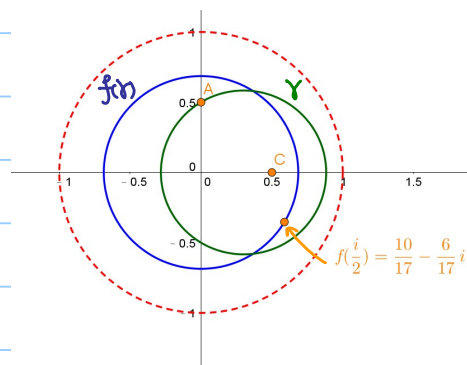
$$= \frac{(2u - 1) + i(2v)}{(u - 2) + iv}$$

$$= \frac{2u^2 + 2v^2 - 5u + 2}{(u - 2)^2 + v^2} + \frac{-3v}{(u - 2)^2 + v^2}i$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{8}{17} \Rightarrow 17(2u^2 + 2v^2 - 5u + 2)^2 + 17(-3v)^2 = 8[(u - 2)^2 + v^2]^2$$

$$60[(u - 2)^2 + v^2][(u - \frac{3}{10})^2 + v^2 - \frac{34}{100}] = 0$$

$$(u - \frac{3}{10})^2 + v^2 = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{10}$$



4.4 Trigonometry

Goal: Study the relation between sides and angles of a P-triangle.

Definition 4.4.1

Hyperbolic cosine function : $\cosh(x) = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$

Hyperbolic sine function : $\sinh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$

Hyperbolic tangent function : $\tanh(x) = \frac{\sinh(x)}{\cosh(x)} = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$

Exercise 4.4.1

Prove the following identities :

1) $\frac{d}{dx} \sinh x = \cosh x$

2) $\frac{d}{dx} \cosh x = \sinh x$

3) $\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$

4) $\sinh 2x = 2 \cosh x \sinh x$

5) $\cosh 2x = \cosh^2 x + \sinh^2 x = 2 \cosh^2 x - 1 = 2 \sinh^2 x + 1$

6) $\sinh(x+y) = \sinh x \cosh y + \cosh x \sinh y$

7) $\cosh(x+y) = \cosh x \cosh y + \sinh x \sinh y$

8) $\tanh(x+y) = \frac{\tanh x + \tanh y}{1 + \tanh x \tanh y}$

9) Let $t = \tanh\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$

$$\sinh x = \frac{2t}{1-t^2} \quad \cosh x = \frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2} \quad \tanh x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$$

Let $y = \tanh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

Then $y = \frac{e^{2x} - 1}{e^{2x} + 1}$,

$$e^{2x} = \frac{1+y}{1-y}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1+y}{1-y}$$

$$\therefore \tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1+x}{1-x}$$

Exercise 4.4.2

Show that $\cosh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1})$ and $\sinh^{-1} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$

With the above, let $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{D}$ and $f(z) = \frac{z-z_1}{z-z_2} \in \text{Aut}(\mathbb{D})$. Then,

$$d(z_1, z_2) = d(f(z_1), f(z_2)) = d(0, f(z_2)) = \ln \frac{1+|f(z_2)|}{1-|f(z_2)|} = 2 \tanh^{-1} \left| \frac{z_2-z_1}{z_2-z_1-1} \right|$$

Theorem 4.4.1 (Cosine Rule for Hyperbolic Triangle)

$$\sinh(b) \sinh(c) \cos A = \cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)$$

proof:

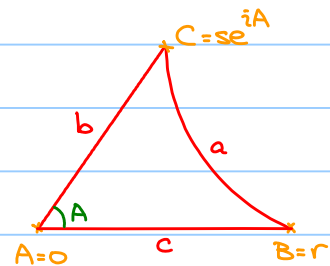
Only need to consider the following special case:

$$s = \tanh\left(\frac{b}{2}\right)$$

$$r = \tanh\left(\frac{c}{2}\right)$$

$$\tanh\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) = \left| \frac{se^{iA} - r}{rse^{iA} - 1} \right|$$

$$\tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) = \frac{se^{iA} - r}{rse^{iA} - 1} \cdot \frac{se^{-iA} - r}{rse^{-iA} - 1} = \frac{r^2 + s^2 - 2rs \cos A}{r^2 s^2 + 1 - 2rs \cos A}$$



$$(r^2 s^2 + 1) \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) - 2rs \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right) \cos A = r^2 + s^2 - 2rs \cos A$$

$$2rs(1 - \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)) \cos A = r^2 + s^2 - (r^2 s^2 + 1) \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)$$

$$4rs(1 - \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)) \cos A = 2r^2 + 2s^2 - 2(r^2 s^2 + 1) \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)$$

$$= (r^2 s^2 + r^2 + s^2 + 1)(1 - \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)) - (r^2 s^2 - r^2 - s^2 + 1)(1 + \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right))$$

$$= (1+r^2)(1+s^2)(1 - \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)) - (1-r^2)(1-s^2)(1 + \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right))$$

$$\frac{2r}{1-r^2} \cdot \frac{2s}{1-s^2} \cdot \cos A = \frac{(1+r^2)(1+s^2)}{(1-r^2)(1-s^2)} - \frac{1 + \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)}{1 - \tanh^2\left(\frac{a}{2}\right)}$$

$$\sinh(b) \sinh(c) \cos A = \cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)$$

In particular, if $A = \frac{\pi}{2}$,

$$\cosh(b) \cosh(c) = \cosh(a) \quad (\text{Pythagoras' Theorem for Hyperbolic Triangle})$$

By cosine rule again,

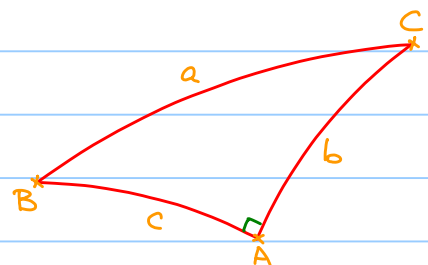
$$\sinh(a) \sinh(c) \cos B = \cosh(a) \cosh(c) - \cosh(b)$$

$$= \cosh(a) \cosh(c) - \frac{\cosh(a)}{\cosh(c)} \quad (\because \cosh(b) \cosh(c) = \cosh(a))$$

$$= \frac{\cosh(a) \sinh^2(c)}{\cosh(c)}$$

$$\cos B = \frac{\tanh(c)}{\tanh(a)}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \cos C = \frac{\tanh(b)}{\tanh(a)}$$



Theorem 4.4.2 (Cosine Rule for Hyperbolic Triangle)

$$\frac{\sin A}{\sinh(a)} = \frac{\sin B}{\sinh(b)} = \frac{\sin C}{\sinh(c)}$$

proof:

$$\sinh(b) \sinh(c) \cos A = \cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)$$

$$\sinh^2(b) \sinh^2(c) \cos^2 A = [\cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)]^2$$

$$\sinh^2(b) \sinh^2(c) (1 - \sin^2 A) = \cosh^2(b) \cosh^2(c) + \cosh^2(a) - 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sinh^2(b) \sinh^2(c) \sin^2 A &= \sinh^2(b) \sinh^2(c) - \cosh^2(b) \cosh^2(c) - \cosh^2(a) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c) \\ &= (\cosh^2(b) - 1)(\cosh^2(c) - 1) - \cosh^2(b) \cosh^2(c) - \cosh^2(a) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c) \\ &= 1 - \cosh^2(a) - \cosh^2(b) - \cosh^2(c) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c) \quad \text{--- (*)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\sin^2 A}{\sinh^2(a)} = \frac{1 - \cosh^2(a) - \cosh^2(b) - \cosh^2(c) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c)}{\sinh^2(a) \sinh^2(b) \sinh^2(c)} = \Delta$$

which is symmetric in a, b, c

$$\therefore \frac{\sin A}{\sinh(a)} = \frac{\sin B}{\sinh(b)} = \frac{\sin C}{\sinh(c)} = \sqrt{\Delta} \quad (\text{Note: } \frac{\sin A}{\sinh(a)}, \frac{\sin B}{\sinh(b)}, \frac{\sin C}{\sinh(c)} > 0)$$

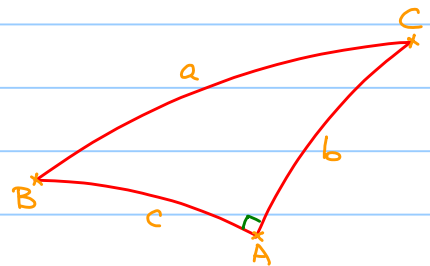
In particular, if $A = \frac{\pi}{2}$,

$$\sin B = \frac{\sinh(b)}{\sinh(a)} \quad \sin C = \frac{\sinh(c)}{\sinh(a)}$$

Recall: $\cos B = \frac{\tanh(c)}{\tanh(a)}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \tan B &= \frac{\sinh(b) \tanh(a)}{\sinh(a) \tanh(c)} \\ &= \frac{\sinh(b) \cosh(a)}{\tanh(c)} \\ &= \frac{\tanh(b)}{\sinh(c)} \quad (\because \cosh(a) = \cosh(b) \cosh(c)) \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, $\tan C = \frac{\tanh(c)}{\sinh(b)}$



Theorem 4.4.3 (Second Cosine Rule for Hyperbolic Triangle)

$$\sin B \sin C \cosh(a) = \cos A + \cos B \cos C$$

proof.

$$\cos A = \frac{\cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)}{\sinh(b) \sinh(c)} \quad \cos B = \frac{\cosh(a) \cosh(c) - \cosh(b)}{\sinh(a) \sinh(c)}$$

$$\cos C = \frac{\cosh(a) \cosh(b) - \cosh(c)}{\sinh(a) \sinh(b)}$$

$$\cos A + \cos B \cos C = \frac{\cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)}{\sinh(b) \sinh(c)} + \frac{\cosh(a) \cosh(c) - \cosh(b)}{\sinh(a) \sinh(c)} \cdot \frac{\cosh(a) \cosh(b) - \cosh(c)}{\sinh(a) \sinh(b)}$$

$$= \frac{\sinh^2(a) [\cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \cosh(a)] + [\cosh(a) \cosh(c) - \cosh(b)] [\cosh(a) \cosh(b) - \cosh(c)]}{\sinh^2(a) \sinh(b) \sinh(c)}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cosh^2(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c) - \sinh^2(a) \cosh(a) - \cosh(a) (\cosh^2(b) + \cosh^2(c))}{\sinh^2(a) \sinh(b) \sinh(c)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - \cosh^2(a) - \cosh^2(b) - \cosh^2(c) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c)}{\sinh^2(a) \sinh(b) \sinh(c)} \cdot \cosh(a)$$

(Note: (*) $\Rightarrow \sinh^2(a) \sinh^2(b) \sin^2 C = 1 - \cosh^2(a) - \cosh^2(b) - \cosh^2(c) + 2 \cosh(a) \cosh(b) \cosh(c)$)

$$= \frac{\sinh(b) \sin^2 C}{\sinh(c)} \cdot \cosh(a)$$

$$= \sin B \sin C \cosh(a)$$