Workshop [Knots and Manifolds]

JSPS Bilateral Joint Research Project (DST) 2014, "Knot invariants and geometric manifolds"

Dates: February 7 (Sat) – February 8 (Sun), 2015 Place: Osaka City University, Dept. of Mathematics, Sci. Bldg., E408

Program

February 7 (Sat)

10:00–10:30 Madeti Prabhakar (Indian Institute of Technology Ropar) An unknotting operation using polynomial representation of non-compact knots

10:50–11:20 Taizo Kanenobu (Osaka City University) Oriented Gordian distance of two-component links with up to six crossings

11:40–12:10 Kanako Oshiro (Sophia University) On the minimum number of colors for knots and surface-knots

14:00–14:30 Yoshiro Yaguchi (Gunma National College of Technology) Hurwitz action on tuples of standard generators of a braid group

14:50–15:20 Atsushi Ishii (University of Tsukuba) The skein index and Fox p-colorings

15:50–16:20 Shin'ya Okazaki (OCAMI) Graph for Alexander polynomial of handlebody-knot

16:40–17:10 Discussion

February 8 (Sun)

10:00–10:30 Vikash Siwach (Indian Institute of Technology Ropar) Region unknotting number for 2-bridge knots

10:50–11:20 Kirandeep Kaur (Indian Institute of Technology Ropar) Gauss diagrams for Spatial graphs

11:40–12:10 Takefumi Nosaka (Kyushu University) The Blanchfield pairing of the torus knot

14:00–14:30 Naoko Kamada (Nagoya City University) Invariants of twisted links and virtual links

14:50–15:20 Ayaka Shimizu (Gunma National College of Technology) Describing knots by matrices via warping degree

15:50–16:20 Seonmi Choi (Kyungpook National University) On the connected sum of a knotted surface and a standard real projective plane

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