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faculties of art and design, which usually do not include mathematical ideas in their curriculum (except other than basic geometry). Designers<sub> *and especially industrial designers, are educated in the</sub>* academyacademia to innovate new products and features. They are driven by this objective to push their boundaries with the help of other scientific domains, including materials engineering (especially mockups in 3<del>d</del>-3D printing**)**, artificial intelligence, mechanics, and other fields. From my point of view, mathematics has a variety of tools (algebra, topology, etc.) that are just waiting for the right open--minded designer to be appliedapply them; algebra, topology, etc.. Theoretical mMathematical theoretical tools may can be considered not only by for patterns in the finishing process of a given product but also in the initial steps of planning a product. In some  $\theta$ f the cases, questions such as ``Is it possible to define a product **\$**X**\$** with properties **\$**Y**\$?**'' can be answered in the planning process by using mathematical justifications, as have been described in **\cite{**bridges2023:413**}**.

In tThis proposition, weal will focus on both the symbiotic relationship between mathematics and design<sub>7</sub> and how the tools of each of these distinct fields can  $pre$ vide-lead to scientific innovations  $\overline{t}$  the other.

% Yet, as our recent studies show, visualizing math concepts, such as theorems, can open the world of math to undergraduates and make them more open to adopting its many powerful tools.

% Conversely, visualizing elements not typically associated with math, such as music and art, can be used as a strategy to attract undergraduates in such fields to explore mathematical approaches. I here propose to validate this concept by demonstrating how utilizing math-based visualization can make math more accessible to non-math students and especially design students. My vision is to propose and establish a field  $\overline{f}$  In a similar way to mathematical- physics<sub> $\tau$ </sub> and mathematical- biology  $\tau$ thecalled \emph{mathematical- design} field and show how important it is that intermediate math will beis a part of the curriculum in different st courses  $ef$ -on art and design.

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% I believe that exposing students in non-math disciplines to mathvisualization approaches can help them develop an interest in other, nonquantitative mathematics, such as topology and algebra. Moreover, even the average candidate for a mathematics undergraduate degree does not really know what to expect from the track, and I believe that if the average candidate knew what the field had to offer, these departments would become much more attractive. This could be achieved by implementing multidisciplinary tools, such as 3D visualisation and industrial tools, that can enliven mathematical conceptual ideas.

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### **\section{**Objectives and significance**}**

The main objective of this project is to connect mathematics, art, and design. We will show how mathematics with computational tools can define innovation in design and art, and more surprisingly, how design concepts can inspire to definethe development of new mathematical ideas. In this  $s$ itionproposal, the focus is oin the following three topics:

\begin{enumerate}<br>\item\textbf{Aim 1: Classify **\item \textbf{**Aim 1: Classifying and definingDefinition and classification of songs as three-dimensional (3D) objects **(**Aim 1**)}**. Can a given song in Western music be modeled as a collection of curves  $or_{\tau}$  surfaces, or even be defined as a tangible object? If they indeed can be modeled in a pure mathematical fashion, can we sort songs by using equivalence relations? This research involves music, industrial design, differential geometry, algebra, and topology.

**\item \textbf{**Aim 2: Gradient topology **(**Aim 2**)}**.

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A qGradient is an important concept in mathematics, and surprisingly, this concept is also well defined from a designer's point of view as a sof gradual change in color-changing **(**which contains the mathematical definition**)** in a given image. **\begin{**figure**}[**htp**] \begin{**center**}** %\hspace\*{-2cm} **\includegraphics[**scale**=**0.2**]{**Figures/tmp.png**} \end{**center**} \vskip** -0.1in **\caption{**A classical visual gradient in a grayscale color space. In tThis case can be considered  $a$ s-to be the fundamental polygon of a cylinder, since the upper side and the lower sides are in the same color direction.**} \label{**fig:basic\_gradient**} \end{**figure**}** \begin{figure}[htp] % \centering % %\vskip -0.8in \includegraphics[width=0.4\textwidth]{Figures/tmp.png}  $\sqrt{\varepsilon}$  /vskip -0.8in % %Images/ % \caption{A gradient which is defined in the gray color space. In this case can be considered as the oriented square of a cylinder.} \hspace\*{2cm} % \vskip -0.1in % \label{fig:cylider} % \end{figure} anlthough this simple design- gradient, as shown in Fig.~**\ref{**fig:basic\_gradient**}**, although it has a geometrical property, it reminds us as  $u$ s-mathematicians of the construction of a cylinder from the respective fundamental polygon, which is obtained by attaching the edges with identical edgescolors. This observation led us to think is itwonder if it is possible to define design-gradients for different topological surfaces **(**toruses, Klein bottles, etc.**)**, and if the answer is yes, can whether we give assign an upper and lower bound to the number of each gradients that exists for each topological surface. This research involves design, topology, combinatorics, and complexity; and all is are influenced by design concepts. **\item \textbf{**Aim 3: Defining dynamical tiling's in industrial design **(**Aim 3**)}**. It turns outhas been shown that algebraic structures can help designers in the planning steps stages to know determine if a dynamical transformation of the components can be obtained,  $\frac{1}{n+1}$  simply by using a respective mechanism which that defines movement between different patterns/arrangements, each of which accomplishes a different goal, as has been introduced in **\cite{**bridges2023:413,Fletcher**}**. It This approach can be applied to folding tables **(**reduction and expansions**)**, lightning systems **(**exposure and hidingconcealment**)**, and moreother design tasks. We<del>I</del> intend to generalize this result not only for planar patterns but also for spherical patterns and especially for geodesic domes. This research involves industrial design **(**three-dimensional3D visualization and mechanicsmmechanism construction**)**, differential geometry, and groups. **\end{**enumerate**}**

%The second part of this proposal aims to use new platforms to engage graduate mathematics in a new way. Mathematics, is usually have a very conservative teaching approach, where the students need to ``train'' enough (homework) to understand the main idea of a given course or subject. To my

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opinion (and I think for most of the students), this kind of learning feels dry and might lead to a superficial understanding. I would like to change this experience to the students by making the course much more playful. If mathematics's could playful as the popular game `minecraft' i do not think we had to convince how import it to solve homework. In [DAVID AND SHAI], a playful game has been constructed: ``The symmetriods'', game, which is simply an arcade game that is based on the original Atari asteroid games that was popular in arcade machines in the late 70s and early 80s. The player chose a surface (torus, Klein bottle or M{\"o}bius strip) and need to decide which symmetry patterns are intruding to the surface. The intruders are defined as the elements which are not homeomorphic the chosen surface. It teach the player classification of surfaces and ideas and group theory. In this proposal we intend to create a game which we hope replace the traditional homework by just playing a game.

#### **\section{**About the lab**}**

 The Lab for Designing Mathematics, which I head, is a multidisciplinary research lab focused on ideas that involve advanced mathematics and design **(**especially industrial design**)**. My team uses diverse tools from various faculties to achieve this aim, from computer science to industrial design. To advance our goal, we collaborate with various departments on campus, such as design **(**first and second degrees**)**, computer science **(**first and second degrees), and applied mathematics<sub>t, and as well as other institutes.</sub>

 The team aims to connect research fields that are traditionally perceived as starkly different, e.g., math  $\frac{and}{ }$  design, including music and art design. We are driven by the belief that our efforts can aid in the dissemination of intermediate mathematics concepts among designers and artists and, of course, help apply non-trivial mathematical ideas not only in traditionally connected fields such as physics or computer-science; , but also in the design fields. LastlyUltimately, I believe it out lab may even instill in the average design/art student an appreciation, or even a passion, for the field of mathematics.

%To fulfil this, we use innovative designs tools and computer visualization, which can show how playful can become fields in mathematics such as algebraic structures, differential geometry and especially topology.

#### %\section{About the research team}

%The research topics below will be accomplished by diverse students of the institute:design students (first and second degree), computer science students (first and second degrees) and applied mathematics students. **\section{**Detailed description of the research**} \subsection{**Aim 1: Classifying and definingDefinition and classification of songs as three-dimensional3D objects **}**

#### **\label{**section:music**}**

In **\cite{**bridges2022:461,math11204398**}**, a framework was proposed for mapping a chorus onto a three-dimensional3D structure by transforming the guitar choruses of Beatles songs into their respective curves **(**with constraints**)**. It focused on exploring the total curvature of the chorus curve, which can define the similarity between different choruses. It also can also help the performer to determine the geometric representation they aim to convey through the number of loops and the direction of the curve. In addition, viewing the curve, as shown in Fig.~**\ref{**fig:Beatles**}**, offers nonprofessional audiences a glimpse into the complexity of composing.

In this project,  $\frac{1}{2}$  we intend to produce and formulate -the following concepts:

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ive Similar to how the curves are obtained in **\cite{math11204398<del>}.</del>**}, an<sup>The</sup> oriented polygonal curve is will be obtained by a sequence of vertices. For each two pair of adjacent vertices, an harmonical distance will be defined. By Using the help of an industrial designer, we will define the physical curve with using changing different materials along between the vertices that which will best represent best the harmonical distance. With this approach, we hope we can not only to hear the song but also feel its respective harmonics. This idea can could be especially important meaningful for those who suppfering suffer from hearing loss.

 **\item** As have been doneWe would like to generalize the chorus-based approach in **\cite**{math11204398} for the chorus, we would like to general this idea for the whole song, i.e., we wish to defining define a curves for the chorus, verses, eteand so on. In this case, we may getcould obtain a knot  $a$ -like curve structure <del>which that</del> we believe can be explored. Lastly, with the help of an industrial designer, we will produce this physical object.

**\item** Generalize We intend to generalize the idea of curves to surfaces, i.e., each song will be approximated as a surface. From a topological point of view, each of these surfaces is determined by properties as the Euler characteristic number, orientability, etc. $_{L}$  and can be produced as a physical object. **\end{**itemize**}**

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%The classification theorem is another theorem which determine when two surfaces are equivalent from a topological point of view. %\begin{theorem} % %Two compact surfaces are homeomorphic if only if they agree in character of orientability and Euler characteristic number %and Euler–Poincar\'e characteristic % %\end{theorem} % The book in\cite{classfication} is dedicated to this theorem and students which study the course in algebraic topology. In \cite{conway2008symmetries}, Conway gave another formulation to this theorem. %\begin{theorem}[The classification theorem for surfaces \cite{conway2008symmetries}] % \label{conway's clasification theorem} % Every surface is topologically equivalent to a ``tidey'' one, obtained from a collection of spheres, by adding handles, holes, cross-caps and crosshandels. %\end{theorem} %

%In a first glance, these two different formulations of surface classification needs a detailed constructive proof. In \cite{shahar} \footnote{This work has been done with a student under my supervision} we showed how by designing a a modular object we can show even to non professional audience that indeed surfaces can be sorted by the criterion's above; and even that surfaces can be equivalent from a topologically point of view. The user can play with the modular object and obtain different surfaces

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which homeomorphic to: sphere klein bottle, M{\"o}bius strip and more, even if the surfaces looks unfamiliar, see Figure (\ref{fig:zip klein2}). %\begin{figure}[htp] %\begin{center} %\hspace\*{-2cm} %\includegraphics[scale=0.3]{klein\_long\_zip.jpg} %\end{center} %\vskip -0.1in %\caption{Zipping to a surface homoeomorphic to a Klein bottle. In the first three images a crosscap is zipped, leaving a gap. Since the short zippers now face each other in opposite directions, one of theme must be flipped to form the handle. In the fourth image the `bottom' short zipper in pulled through the gap in the long zipper to meet the `top' short zipper.} %\label{fig:zip klein2} %\end{figure} % %This modular object shows to diverse students ideas which for some of them will give the spark to enjoy math and a deeper point of view to advanced mathematics. **\subsubsection{**Rationale**}** This project will strives strive---with the help of mathematics and industrial design-design---to transform music into a tangible physical object. Understanding the structure of music typically requires a great deal of study. In this work, with the help of design tools, we will convert music into objects by relying on their respective chords, which that reflect the complexity in a given song by relying on their respective chords. This 3D visualization can offer non-musicians a glance glimpse into how complicated

or simple a piece of music is. We will explore famous songs, especially those in Western music, where the song is generally comprised ofs a verse and chorus. We will show that some songs that sound utterly different can, in fact, be represented by the same object.

#### **\subsubsection{**Work plan**}**

Music can be written as triads **\$(**a,b,c**)\$**. The set of all **\$**24**\$** major and minor triads can be thought of as an abelian group isomorphic to the group **\$\mathbb{**Z**}**\_**{**12**} \times \mathbb{**Z**}**\_**{**2**}\$** . References **\cite{**mdpi,Hook**}** gives a mathematical formulation for triads.

This research will show that **"``**songs**" ''** can be simulated as a collection of curves or surfaces. In this study, the initial input will be songs composed by a sequence of triads **(**without voicing**)**.

% A triad is constructed by \$3\$ notes each can be represented in \$\mathbb{Z}\_{12}\$. It is well known that we can define a musical group of triad in a similar way to the symmetry group. This group is determined by transposition (which shifting the triad), inversion (respective to modulo \$12\$) and retrograde (which is the triad in reverse order).

A song in Western music is defined **(**generally**)** as a chorus and verse, each of which defines a sequence of triads. Each chorus or verse will be considered a closed curve **(**by defining the location of each triad, which can define a closed curve with a respective total curvature**)** or a surface with respective topological properties, such as a Gauss curvature and or geodesic curvature **(**similarly to what was done to the work in **\cite{**PhysRevLett**})**.

From the curves point of view, an approximation to the collection of curves will be given. In addition, this sequence of points can be approximated as a

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surface, and each can be sorted topologically by properties such as Euler characteristic number, orientability, and boundary $\overline{r}$ . Ffor more details about this classification, see **\cite{**shahar**}**.

The result will be the sorting of songs by the equivalence relation of curves or surfaces; all representations will be visualized with the help of industrial designers to represntrepresent best the harmony by using a respective suitable material between adjacent vertices. The team will have need to determine how to exhibit these ideas as an object and to portray to diverse audiences the complexity or simplicity of music.

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 In general, given a triad $t_i$, where $1 \leq i \leq n$, i.e., the chorus 
has $n$ triads. It, this triad can be written as the sequence $t_1,\dots
t_n$, i.e., $t_1 \to t_2, \dots ,t_{n-1} \to t_n$, which defines a polygonal 
curve. In \cite{math11204398}, this chorus polygonal curve has been explored 
by-using the-its total curvature-pIn this proposition, for each chorus which that is defined by a curve, we
will define for each two pair of adjacent chords/vertices a harmonic
distance, as has been described in \cite{tymoczko2010geometry}. With the help 
of an industrial designer, each harmonic distance will be represented by a 
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harmonic distance is ``large'' then the edge will be represented by a rough
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materials, where touching along the object **(**along the curve**)** will lead invoke a feeling of to the chorus feel. We still need to decide what aredetermine

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% Another parameter that can be considered is torsion. In this case, we will say that two songs are equal if their respective total curvature (and torsion) are equal. This needs to be done irrespective of it being a verse or a chorus.

%We start by taking a theoretical sequence in \$\mathbb{Z}\_{12}^{3}\$ which starts in a triad  $$(a,b,c)$$  (root) and accumulated a triad which is inversion or retrograde. This sequence can thought of a curve which it starting point and ending point can define the curve, I can find the right presentation such that the staring point and the inversion to become unified, the modeling can be taken to winding number by determine the curve direction, if the direction is positive it \$+1\$, if its negative its \$-1\$. In a similar way an inversion for a monotonically increasing sequence to the inversion triad of the first triad, can be thought of M{\"o}bius strip. **\subsubsection{**Pitfalls**}**

%\textcolor{red}{add the pitfalls of moving from algebraic structure to definition in topology....solution...there a few methods we can help this problem, in previous works i has a few problems similar to that ...which is solved with... }

**0**  $\text{The results in \textbf{math11204398},\text{ }$  indicate that the aim of defining the feeling of  $t$ he a chorus along  $t$ he a physical curve with the help of an industrial designer is reasonable.

Exploring songs as a collection of curves is challenging. In this case, the main question is what is the importance of the knot?-. Will Moreover, will it give any real insights to musicians or lead to a better understanding  $\overline{t}_{\Theta - in}$ non-professional audiences?

 $\overline{\phantom{a}}$   $\overline{\phantom{a}}$   $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  exploring  $\underline{\phantom{a}}$  chorus as a surface, the  $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  resuly result  $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  will be obtained by using the right triangulation. The result in this case ean could be in contradiction to the results in **\cite{**math11204398**}**.

%connection of the algebraic structure to the curves or surfaces needs to be thoroughly examined. Second, a song can be thought of as a composition of triads, but an average song is composed of a small number of triads. We will have to define an initial data of songs that has enough triads but is still composed of an accessible mathematical point of view.

% To succeed this research, I founded a team which assembled by students from different background: a student in computer science which have a deep

understating in music, a student in applied mathematics which needs to understand the algebraic structure and the import a student in industrial design which realize the song to a curve with a proper the right materials.The team need to be committed to the research for at least one year

#### **\subsubsection{**Expected outcomes and impact**}**

This research should yield a new method for generating a tangible visualization **(**curves or surfaces**)** of songs. It will present to a wide audience why music can be considerably complex and give an idea of how music relates to mathematical ideas such as algebra, geometry, and topology. It can be transformed from a hearing experience to one of touching an object that reflects the music's internal harmony. It can also provide musicians with a tool for portraying the diverse nature of their music and offer avid audiences who are non-not professional musicianss but yet exp audiences a glance glimpse into the complexity of music. LastUltimately, these kinds of tools, with using our technique and the right materials, may one day allow deaf people to enjoy a song, not by hearing it but by feeling it. % \subsubsection{Time table} % This project is just started. I am already **\subsection{**Aim 2: Gradient topology**} \label{**section\_Gradient\_topology**}** In art and design, a gradient is a smooth transition from one color to another. It gives enables the an artist/designer to add a soft feel and uniqueness to their object. It also, has leads to eye-catching and memorable visual designs, while whereas solid colors can be thought of as stiff colors. It Gradients can be applied in cases where the artist trying wishes to transmit shade or light on a given product, create a focal point, etc.or create some other type of effect. $\tau$  Ffor more details about surface classification, see **\cite{**sherin2012design,Topology**}**. It has led us to think **(**mathematicians and designers**)**, **)** to wonder if can we

formulate different gradients for color by using a mathematical rule? Even though usually gradient is usually related to geometry, our approach leaned rests on fundamental polygons in topology, which represent different classes of surfaces classifications **(**toruses, Klein bottles, etc.and so on**)**. Many works studies have been done aboutconsidered SudukuSudoku, which can be related to a visual gradient solution for a given matrix (see **\cite{**davis2006mathematics,suduko2,suduko3**})**. We believe that many ideas and solutions can help us and vice versa, see

**\cite{**davis2006mathematics,suduko2,suduko3**}**. We further believe that this research will shows-demonstrate the importance of involving other fields that mathematicians are not familiar with,  $\int$ in this case design), which will inspires the formulating formulation of new mathematical explorations.

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%In this manuscript, we introduce different multi-coloring symmetrical patterns that are obtained only by a transformation on an initial location matrix. These different patterns are obtained by different algebraic structures, which lead to this symmetries results. First, we generalize a result of \cite{Ian} to RGB and CMYK color formats by the properties of the Quaternion group. Second, we use finite rings to show how it produces a perception of weaving symmetry patterns. Lastly, we use the Quaternion group to produce spherical patterns in the RGB format.

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**\subsubsection{**Rationale**}**

We will define for the first time a language of  $v$ isual gradients, which is influenced by design ideas combined with topology and combinatorics. We will show how to construct different types of visual gradients given a fundamental polygon for different initial states, such as M**\"{**o**}**bius strips or, Klein bottles, etc.. Further, given an initial state of a gradient (which will b defined in Section~**\ref{**sec:gradient\_initial**})**, we will show which topological gradients constructions can be obtained.

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Once we have defined a good language for gradients, we will be able to define harder questions and obtain deeper results, and our hope is that our point of view will open the door for systematic research in this area, both from in mathematics and design. Lastly, topology has  $a$  lotmuch to offer to art and design, as demonstrated in **\cite{**sequin1,sequin2**}**, **}**; we will show how it can be a real practical tool to for the average designer. **\subsubsection{**Work plan**}** We first need to define a language that connects between-visual gradients and a fundamental polygons. We also need to define a good filter foration for the space of possible initial states, which is identified with using a partial defined matrix. In the next step, we will  $\frac{1}{\text{try}-\text{t0}}$  classify which topological visual gradients could be obtained from each step in the filtrationfiltering. Lastly, the industrial designer in the team will apply our formulation for a given product-which that is homeomorphic to a given surface. **\subsubsection{**Preliminary results**} \label{**sec:gradient\_initial**}** areHere, we present the basic definitions and initial results. **\begin{**definition**}** Given a cell  $$(i,j)$$ \$ in a matrix \$n \times n\$. We we define -eell'itss neighbors as all the cells it borders with horizontally, vertically, or diagonally as **\$**pixel**(**i,j**)\$**, **\$**neighbor**(**pixel**(**i,j**))\$**. **\end{**definition**}** Notice that by this definition, an interior pixel have has eight neighbors, as shown in Fig.~-\ref{fig:neighboors gradient}. **\begin{**figure**}[**htp**] \begin{**center**}** %\hspace\*{-2cm} **\includegraphics[**scale**=**0.2**]{**Figures/Neigboors.png**} \end{**center**} \vskip** -0.1in **\caption{**Cell 1's neigboorsneighbors are indicated in yellow, cell 2's neigboorsneighbors in are blue, and the green cell is a common neigboorneighbor to both.**} \label{**fig:neighboors\_gradient**} \end{**figure**}** In gray-scale, a continuous color scale will is be defined that starts at zero and increasing increases ais a constanstconstant natural number **\$**C**\$**, such that **\$**C**\cdot** n **\leq** 255**\$**; for. eExamples, **\$**0,1,2, **\dots** 255**\$** or, **\$**0,5,10 **\dots**255**\$**. **\begin{**definition**} [**Visual Gradient**]** Given a pixel  $$(i,j)$$  and a continuous color scale..., If for each pixel neighbor **\$\$\|{**pixel**(**i,j**)**-neighbor**(**pixel**(**i,j**))\|}=** 0 **\; \text{**or**} \;**C**\$\$ \end{**definition**}** To explore this connection, we define the following cases: **\begin{**definition**}[**Initial state term for gradients topology**]** An initial state of a gradient is a partially field matrix. **\end{**definition**} \begin{**definition**}** A matrix **\$**n**\times** n**\$** is called a full initial state if all the borders of the matrix are full. It is a Partial partial initiate state if it the borders are only partially given. **\end{**definition**}** For example, see Fig.~\ref{more cylinder grad}. **Commented [K10]:** I recommend this alternative because

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the definitions are for several things (states and gradients), not a well-defined set of cases.

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An initial state will be called monotone if the initial values in each row or 
columns defines a strictly monotonic sequence.
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\begin{definition}
Let $X$ be a topological surface. An initial state $A$ will be called an 
initial state of $X$ if the edges of $A$ defines the fundamental rectangle 
of $X$.
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The following definition \frac{1}{w+1}-connects the visual gradient and topology.
\begin{definition}[An iInitial topology topological gradient]
Given a topologocaly surface $X$ with a respective fundamental polygon 
gradient. , aAn initial $X$ state for a gradient matrix $n$, is an initial 
state aligned with the fundamental polygon.
\end{definition}
Now wWe are now ready to define visual gradients as respective topological
surfaces. We \overline{\text{will}}-start with the most intuitive one, a cylinder.
\begin{definition}
A cylinder gradient is a gradient which that is defined by the fundamental
polygon with only two parallel edges in the same direction, i.e., it
represents a cylinder $\forall 1\leq j \leq n: pixel(1,j)=pixel(n,j)$. A 
rotation of this gradient is from of the same type.
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            \subcaption{A mechanism closeup} % Add subcaption text if
desired, or use \subcaption* to suppress (a), (b), etc. labels
            \label{fig:2d}
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\caption{Examples of visual gradients for which the initial state defines a 
topological surface.}
\label{more_cylinder_grad}
\end{figure}
In Figures. - \ref{fig:cylinder 1} and \ref{fig:cylinder 2}, we can see that
the cylinder gradient is not unique, and this made us wonder \divCanwhether we
can give determine an upper and lower bound to the number of gradients that 
can be obtained for a given topological surface?".
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can be considered as the oriented square of a real projective plane.}
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   \vskip -0.1in
% \label{fig:RP}
% \end{figure}
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We will here give a glance glimpse to of the powerful of the language we are trying to formulate. **\begin{**proposition**}** Given a monotonic initial state for a given image **\$**n **\times** n**\$** and **\$**n **\leq** 256**\$**, then **\$**X**\$** must be a sphere. **\end{**proposition**}** We decide to omit the proof, ; for an example for of a sphere gradient, see Fig.~**\ref{**fig:sphere**}**. % \begin{figure}[ht!] % \begin{subfigure}[b]{0.5\linewidth} % \centering % \includegraphics[width=1\linewidth]{side-by-side-1.png} % \caption{} % \label{sbs1} % \vspace{4ex} % \end{subfigure}%% % \begin{subfigure}[b]{0.5\linewidth} % \centering % \includegraphics[width=1\linewidth]{side-by-side-2.png} % \caption{} % \label{sbs2} % \vspace{4ex} % \end{subfigure} % \begin{subfigure}[b]{0.5\linewidth} % \centering % \includegraphics[width=1\linewidth]{side-by-side-3.png} % \caption{} % \label{sbs3} % \end{subfigure}%% % \begin{subfigure}[b]{0.5\linewidth} % \centering % \includegraphics[width=1\linewidth]{side-by-side-5.png} % \caption{} % \label{sbs4} % \end{subfigure} % \caption{Testing Rothko's art works and a given color transformation. In the left side of every sub figure the original art work, in the right side the transformed one.} % \label{side\_by\_side} % \end{figure} **\subsubsection{**Pitfalls**}** This research involves different disciplines, each of which requires a

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**lty**specialism. We may add to the team more researchers from mathematics, computer science, and design to the team to make ensure that progress is obtained. **\subsubsection{**Expected outcomes and impact**}** The expected outcome is a systematic math treatment for the visual gradient. This proposal has many different research outcomes. From the design point of view, understanding the mathematics can help the designer well customize which visual gradient is best to apply in a given product. From the mathematical point of view, our formulation connects fields which su be soare seen as very different from one to another: , e.g., geometry, topology, and combinatorics. In addition, there are hundreds of publications

exploring SudukoSudoku, and we believe that the scientific community in this field will find a lot ofbe strongly interested in our language. Equally important, it will encourage mathematicians to open their mind and learn about diverse fields **(**in our case, the fields of design/ and art**)** that might not seem related to their main research. It may also be considered in the curriculum for undergraduate students in mathematics or design, to show-demonstrate how intermediate mathematics can be applied with the right guidelines.

#### **\subsection{**Aim 3: Dynamical Tilling**} \label{**section\_dynamical\_tilying**}**

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Usually, industrial design innovation is related to materials and 
AIartificial intelligence. When designers deal with mathematics, it usually
relates to the geometric properties of the product, while even though
mathematics has a variety of tools that can be used\div, such as algebra,
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topology, etc. This research shows that innovation can come from unexpected places, such as group theory, which can define a dynamical tiling between with different stages. This topic is essential  $t\text{e}-i\text{f}$  designers are to increase their toolbox not only in the  $f$ inish final steps of defining a pattern but also in the initial steps of planning a product which that have has tilings properties.

We intend to define a geodesic dome which that is obtained by a tilinggroup, which can define a dynamical movement- based on the respective subgroup. We may consider defining a proper mechanism that determines the movement, as has been done in **\cite{**bridges2023:413**}**. As Defined using mathematics, our dynamical tiling is not designed for a specific task. Instead, it is a concept that can be applied to the specific demand of a designer who intends to innovate a product with certain properties, such as reduction and /expansion or, exposure exposing/or hidingconcealing, **\begin{**figure**}[**h!bp**]**

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\caption{Our planar model defines, with using a proper mechanism, a dynamical 
movement between tilings (made from PLA). When it the mechanism reaches the 
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# **\subsubsection{**Work plan**}**

In **\cite{**conway2008symmetries**}**, the signatures of patterns/ and tilings and their respective groups relationships have been defined. In this project, we intend to apply some of these relationships and define a dynamical movement between different stages, not just in on the a plane, but especially but also on spherical surfaces, especially for geodesic domes. The mathematical exploration is based on the relations of spherical patterns **(**which are related to domes**)**, i.e., the respective groups and sub-groups. To obtain the geodesic dome, we first consider a different deforming plane model, as shown in Fig.~**\ref{**fig:dome\_1**}**, which we believe can give us the knowledge of how to define the respective mechanism.

## **\subsubsection{**Preliminary results**}**

In **\cite**{bridges2023:413}, we discussed the relations in among planar patterns, and show how a dynamical movement can be obtained between the hexagonal regular lattice which is defined by reflections, rotation, and translation **(**signature **\$**\*632**\$)**, and its sub-group, which is defined by rotation and translations **(**signature **\$**632**\$)**, as demonstrated in **\cite{**Fletcher**}**.

Before moving to spherical patterns, we first delve into planar patterns, since  $\pm$ -a planar pattern can be considered as-to be a local approximation of the a spherical pattern. We need to decide which planar pattern and relation is best  $\text{to–deformed, not only by–according to mathematics but also in}$ according to the material design.

In Fig.~**\ref{**fig:dome\_1**}**, we are given a local representation of a spherical pattern with the respective signature, . by Using this basic model, we trying **Commented [K14]:** Please also check. I think this should be Fig. 6, not Fig. 7.

attempt to evaluate what is the ``optimal'' movement with the help of the respective groups.

In Fig.~**\ref{**khushbu**}**, planar patterns have been considered byimplemented with various materials are considered. In Fig.~**\ref{**fig:khus\_1**}**, we consider paper and brass fasteners, which is are flexible enough, such that to obtain a deformation can be obtained. We hope believe that it this approach will give us another direction avenue in spherical pattern approximation to exploreto spherical pattern approximation. In Fig.~**\ref{**fig:khus\_2**},** we use laser-cut wood and brass fasteners; which this leads to a -scissor--linkage mechanism for a pentagon and that opens and closes. Since  $\frac{1}{\theta}$  in some  $\frac{1}{\theta}$ spherical patterns, pentagons play a major role,  $wW$ e believe that this kind of experiments can lead to the desired mechanism. In Fig.~**\ref{**fig:khus\_4**}**, we combineing the previous steps,  $we$  and  $try$  attempt to approximate signature **\$**\*532**\$**.

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\caption{Exploring movement, deformation, and mechanism.}
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#### **\subsubsection{**Pitfalls**}**

If we would likeTo develop a the dynamical geodesic dome to be applied tofor real uses applications, the construction needs to be efficient. As anFor example, if the mechanism is inside the dome, the inner side of space inside<br>the dome will be <del>lack of space</del>reduced. the dome will be  $\frac{1}{1}$ 

#### **\subsubsection{**Expected outcomes and impact**}**

This research will givesyield new mathematical tools to for the average industrial designer. The designer will be able to chooses a given pattern in which a movement is required in a physical object  $t\text{e}$  for a given purpose. By Using our mathematical language, the pattern can be transformed into the respective fundamental area, tilying, and signature. Each such pattern of bh (pattern), has a sub-group that will be the a natural candidate for the dynamical movement which is required.

**\section{**Summary**}**

In this project, I seek to find a symbiotic relationship between design and mathematics-in th In Section~**\ref{**section:music**},** I describe how industrial design by based on mathematical foundations helps to give a tangible feel and visual look to

to music. Section~**\ref{**section\_Gradient\_topology**}** shows presents how design-based definitions can help  $t_{\Theta}$  formulate new ideas in mathematics. Finally, Section~**\ref{**section\_dynamical\_tilying**}** shows discusses how abstract algebriacalgebraic ideas can be adapted to industrial design.

% music, design (especially industrial) can be merged with math as a means to show diverse audiencees the relevance of mathematics to their field and that it indeed can be tangible and applied in exciting ways in their field, with the help of modern design and computer software tools.

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