

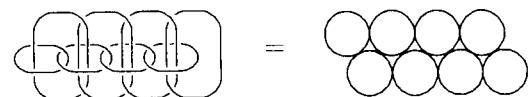
Grapes



"The  $E_8$ -manifold, singular fibers and handle decompositions" by R. Kirby and P. Melvin  
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(a) Seifert surface  $F_{3,5}$



(b) Branched cover  $C_2$  as a bunch of grapes

Figure 1.3

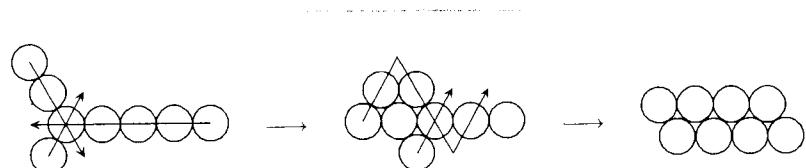


Figure 1.7: slippin' an' a slidin'

type	graph	framed link	monodromy
I <sub>1</sub>	$\infty$		$V$
I <sub>n</sub> ( $n \geq 2$ )	$\zeta$		$V^n$
II	$\langle$		$UV$
III	$\times$		$UVU$
IV	$*$		$(UV)^2$

Table 1: Singular fibers of type I–IV

type	weighted tree	grapes	monodromy
I <sub>0</sub> <sup>*</sup>			$(UV)^3 = -I$
I <sub>n</sub> <sup>* (<math>n &gt; 0</math>)</sup>			$(UV)^3 V^n = -V^n$
II <sup>*</sup>			$(UV)^5 = (UV)^{-1}$
III <sup>*</sup>			$(UV)^4 U = (UVU)^{-1}$
IV <sup>*</sup>			$(UV)^4 = (UVUV)^{-1}$

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