

Topological aperiodicity for product systems of C^* -correspondences

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extends to $*$ -isomorphism $*\text{-Alg}(\pi_1(\mathcal{G})) \cong *\text{-Alg}(\pi_2(\mathcal{G}))$, which in the presence of '**amenability**' is equivalent to $C^*(\pi_1(\mathcal{G})) \cong C^*(\pi_2(\mathcal{G}))$.

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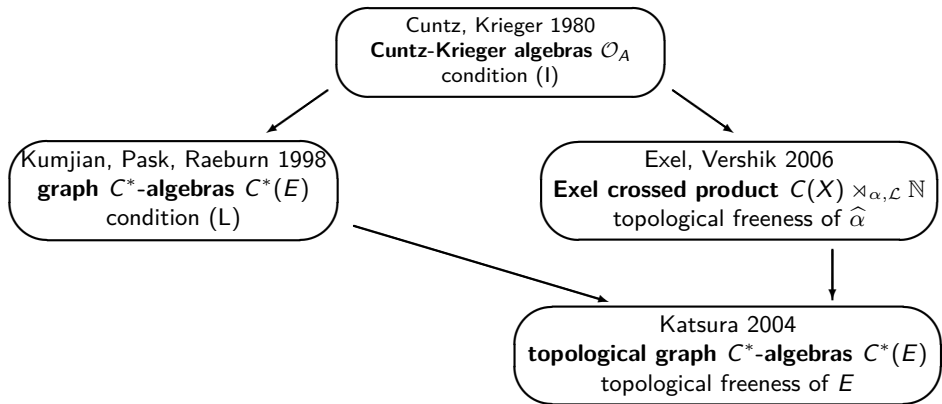
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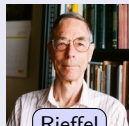
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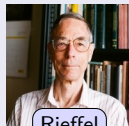
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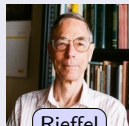
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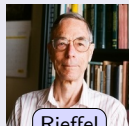
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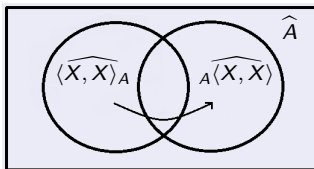
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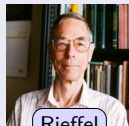


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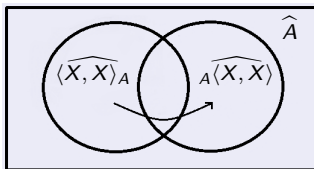
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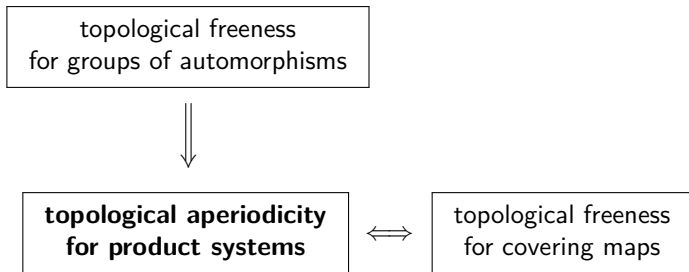
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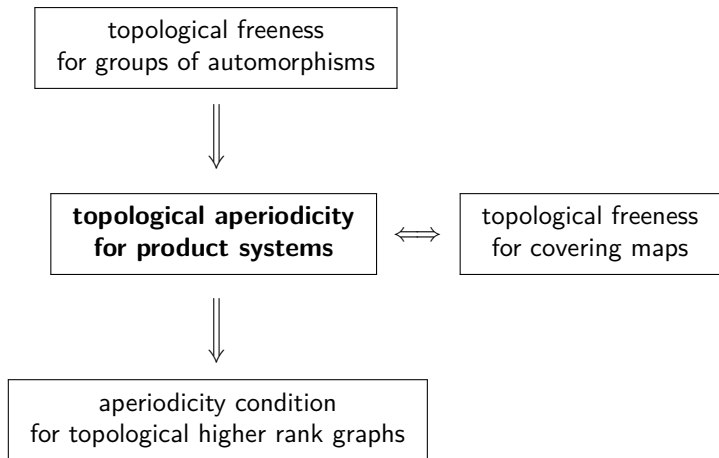
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