

## Sierpiński Carpets and relatively hyperbolic groups

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**Resumo:** The topology of a Bowditch boundary of a relatively hyperbolic group (with respect to a set of parabolic subgroups) has its importance, not only as an invariant for the group, but as a way to encode algebraic information about it, such as decompositions of the group as graphs of groups or if the group is a group of isometries of a manifold, for example. We present some examples of topological spaces that can appear as boundaries of relatively hyperbolic groups.

Whyburn showed that if we take a 2-sphere and remove an infinite collection of open disks satisfying some properties, then we get the 1-dimensional Sierpiński Carpet. After that, Cannon generalized it for  $n$ -dimensional Sierpiński Carpets. Recently, Tshishiku and Walsh gave another characterization of the Sierpiński Carpet: if we take a 2-sphere, remove a countable dense set and replace each point by a circle, then we get a 1-dimensional Sierpiński Carpet. We generalized their result for a  $n$ -dimensional Sierpiński Carpet. Then, we are able to show that some groups have a Bowditch boundary homeomorphic to the  $n$ -dimensional Sierpiński Carpet.

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