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Title: Covers and simple closed curves

Abstract:

There has been a lot of recent work studying representations of the mapping class group of a surface obtained from finite covers of the surface. I will discuss this, and in particular discuss some recent work of mine with Malestein on how these interact with simple closed curves on the surface.