

# Analytic invariants of a plane branch and their semiroots

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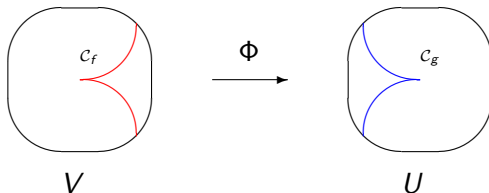
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In what follows we will only consider singular irreducible plane curve that we call a **plane branch**.

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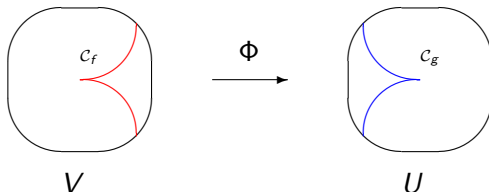
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**Brauer, Burau, Milnor, Zariski**

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