ADDENDUM

TO "ON THE GENUS PROBLEM OF 3-DIMENSIONAL MANIFOLDS AND THE POINCARÉ CONJECTURE"


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In the very last line of this paper I have mentioned that
"...π1(D′ ∪ D′′) which is a free group by the next proposition".

However the next proposition has been omitted. That one is the following: $D''$ and $D'$ are closed n-disks, so $\pi_1(D'') = \pi_1(D') = 0$,

and therefore by Van Kampen's theorem $\pi_1(D' ∪ D'')$ is a free group

on $n - 1$ generators where $n$ is the number of components of

$D'' \cap D'$. For a more general result the reader is referred to my paper
Liège, 49, 386-389 (1980).

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