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The Teichmüller space of conformal pentagons

I will discuss about the space of Jordan domains with 5 points marked along their boundary up to conformal equivalence. The Teichmüller metric on this space is complete and uniquely geodesic, yet its balls are not necessarily convex. However, the space is exhausted by compact convex sets. In particular, the convex hull of any finite set is compact. Whether this holds for Teichmüller spaces in general is an open question of H. Masur.