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Jonguk Yang* (jonguk.yang@stonybrook.edu). *Dynamics of Irreducible Polynomials with an Attracting Point.*

Let f be a polynomial (of any degree) with an attracting periodic point. Suppose that f is irreducible—that is, f has a connected Julia set, and the dynamics of f is not the product of gluing together two or more simpler polynomials. For such f , we provide an explicit model of the Julia set which is homeomorphic to it if and only if the Julia set is locally connected. We then state a local connectivity result for the Julia set in the case when the critical points for f have non-persistently recurrent combinatorics. (Received January 12, 2019)