

# Speedcubing

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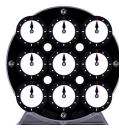


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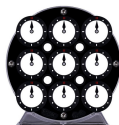
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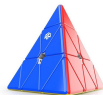
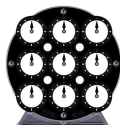
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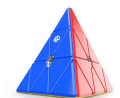
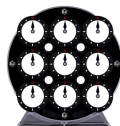
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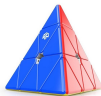
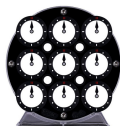
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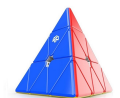
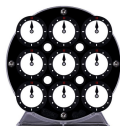
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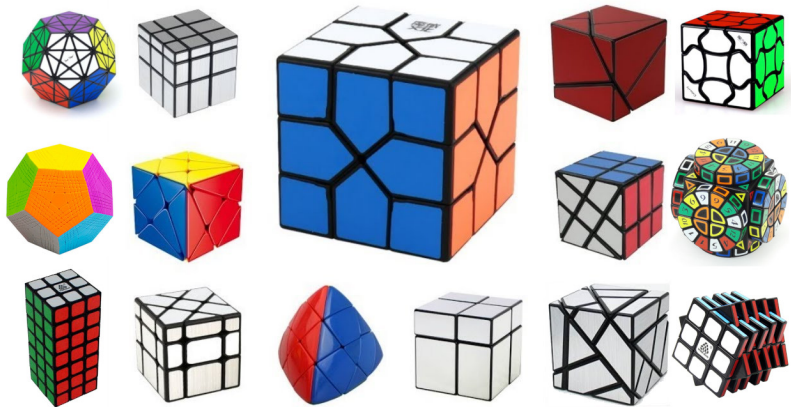


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## non WCA puzzles





# Cube-Shops

- ▶ Fabitasia
- ▶ Cubeshop Schweiz
- ▶ Cubeless
- ▶ EuroCubes
- ▶ Cubicle
- ▶ Speedcubeshop

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