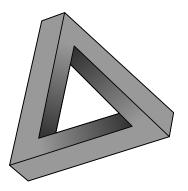
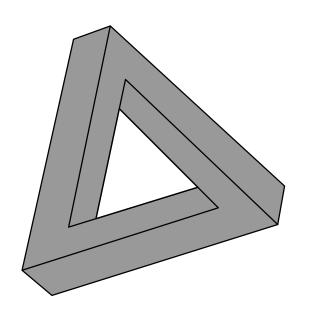
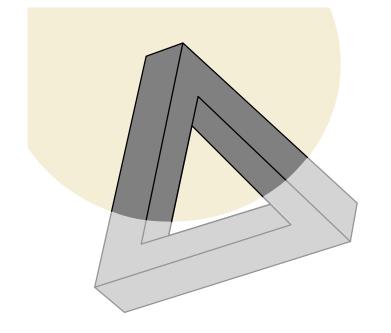
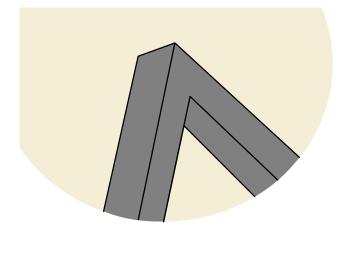
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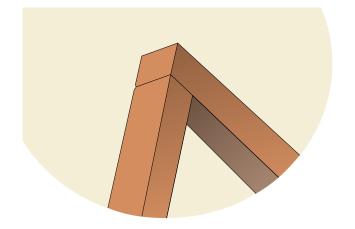
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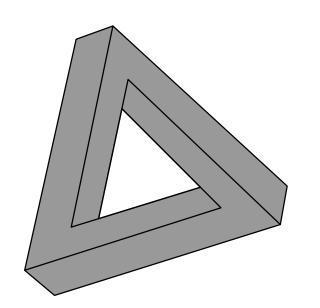


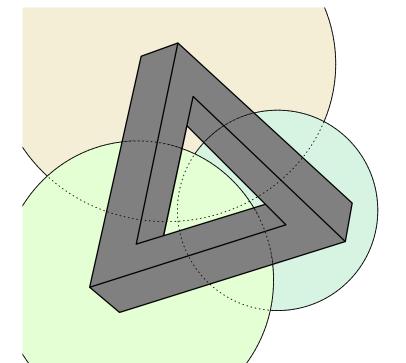


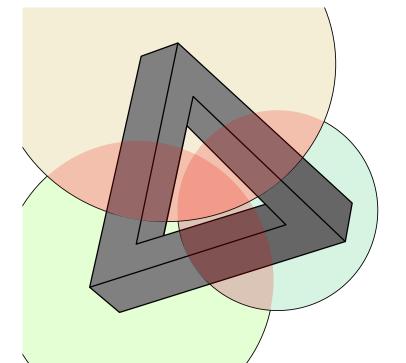


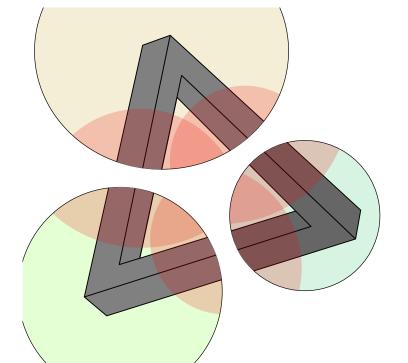


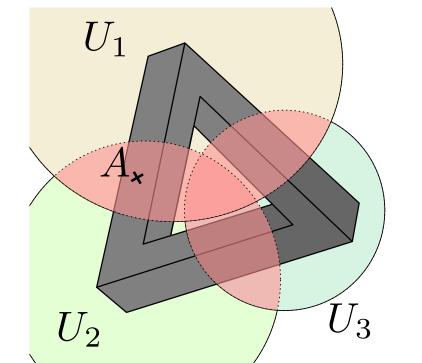


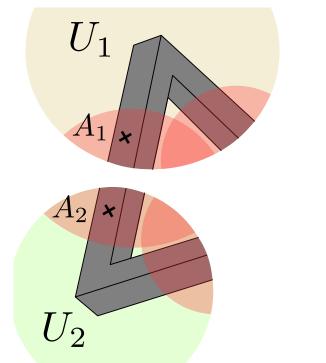


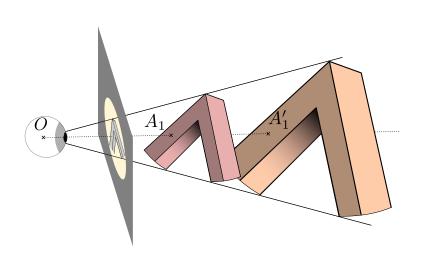


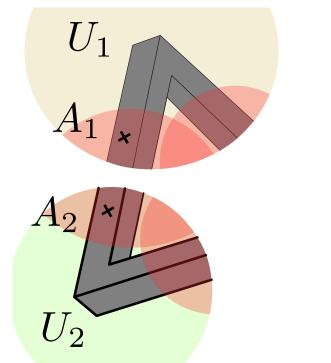






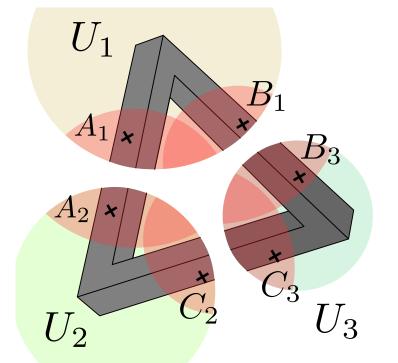






 $d_{12} = rac{ ext{distance du point représenté par } A_1 ext{ à l'observateur}}{ ext{distance du point représenté par } A_2 ext{ à l'observateur}}$ 

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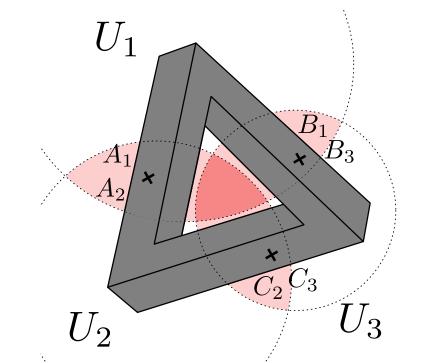
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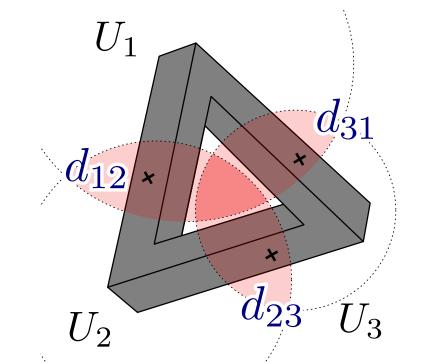
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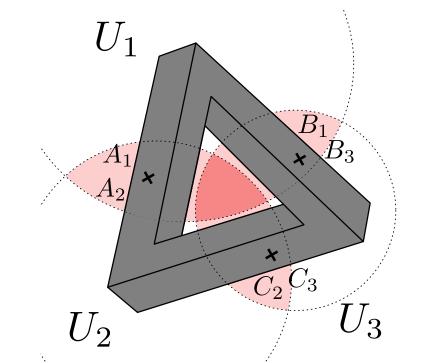
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Les  $d_{ij}$  forment un cocycle.

Que ce passe-t-il si on multiplie toutes les dimensions de l'objet 1 par  $\lambda_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{+*}$  ainsi que sa distance à l'observateur?



$$d_{12}\mapsto$$

 $d_{23}\mapsto$ 

 $d_{31}\mapsto$ 

 $d_{12} \mapsto \lambda_1 d_{12}$ 

 $d_{31} \mapsto$ 

 $d_{23} \mapsto$ 

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 $d_{31}\mapsto \frac{d_{31}}{\lambda_1}$ 

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on dit alors que les  $d_{ij}$  forment un **cobord**.

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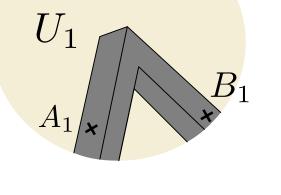
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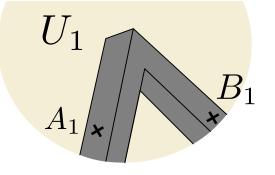
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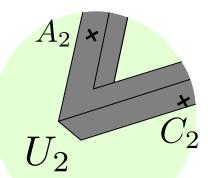




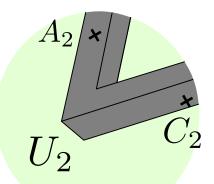
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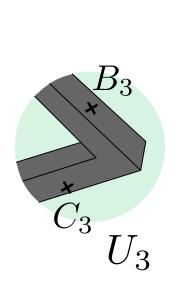
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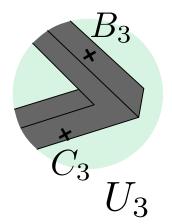
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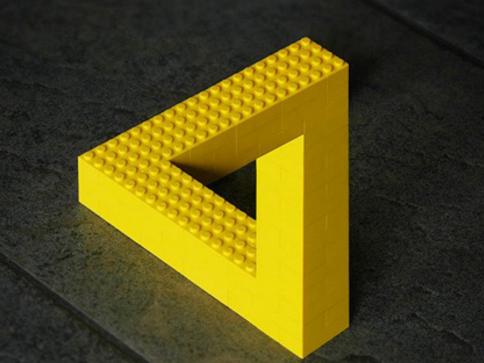
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Le triangle de Penrose n'existe pas.



► Roger Penrose, *On the Cohomology of Impossible Figures*.

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