Extra Dimensions

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Large Hadron Collider

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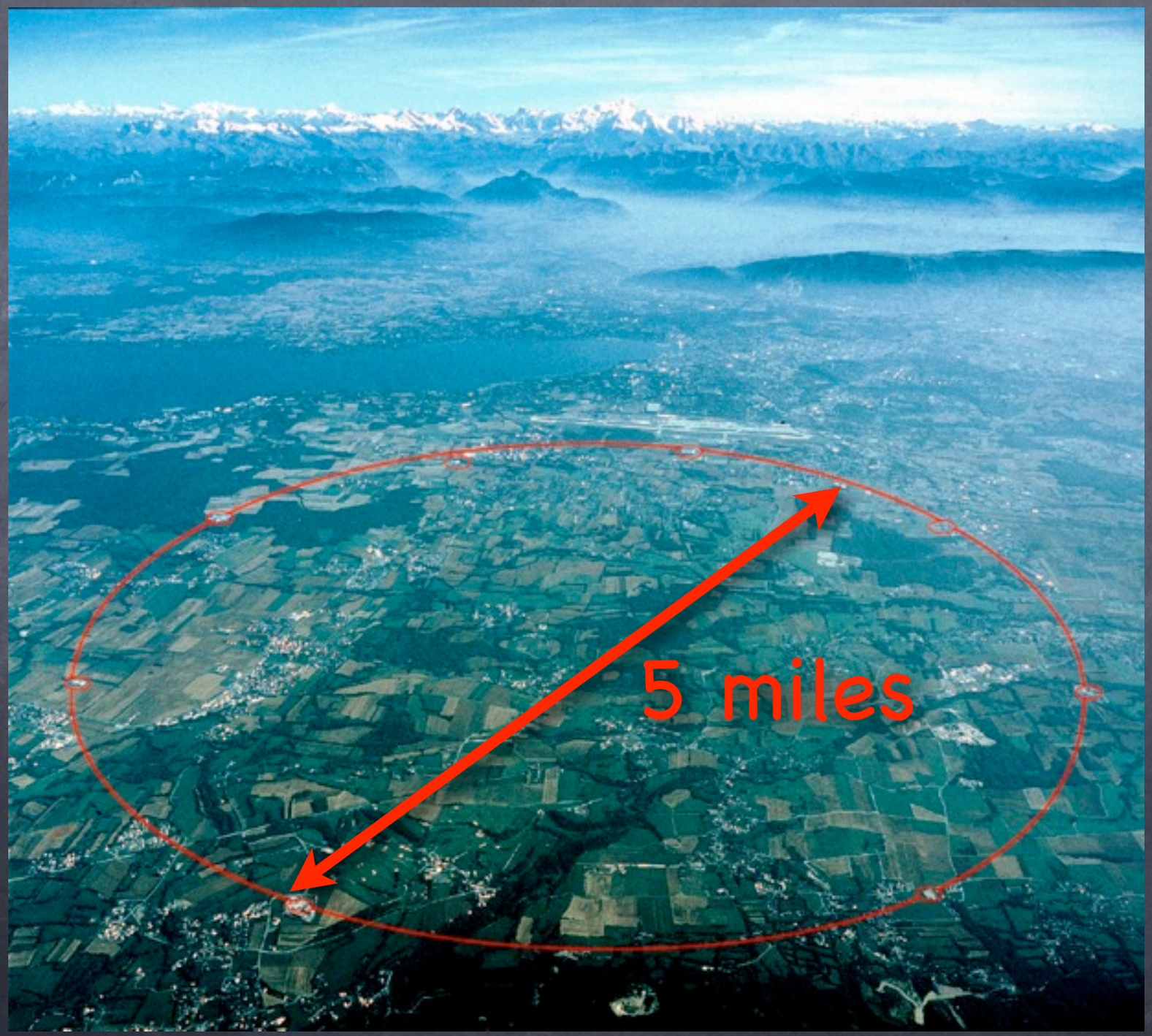

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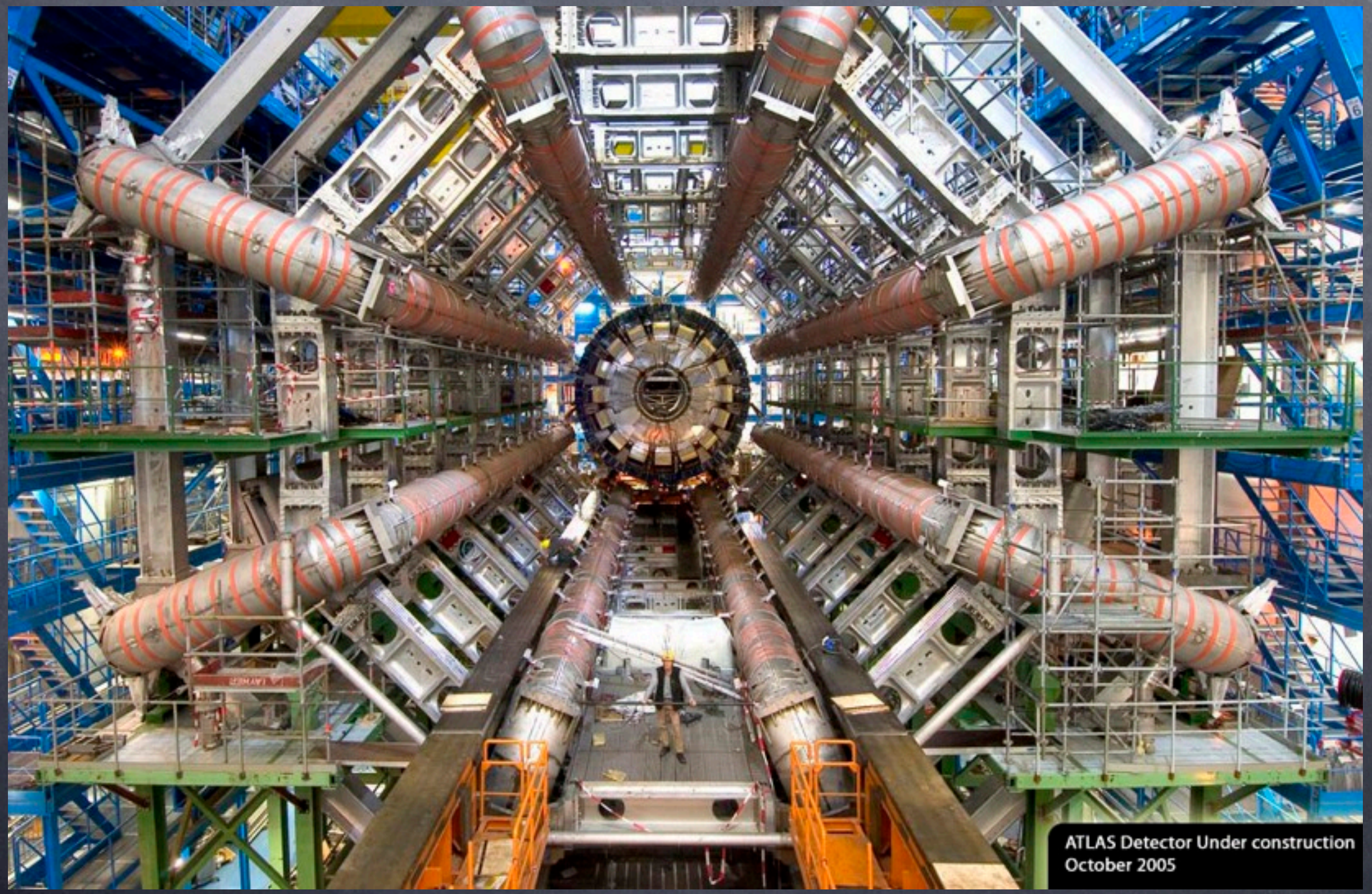

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CMS Detector

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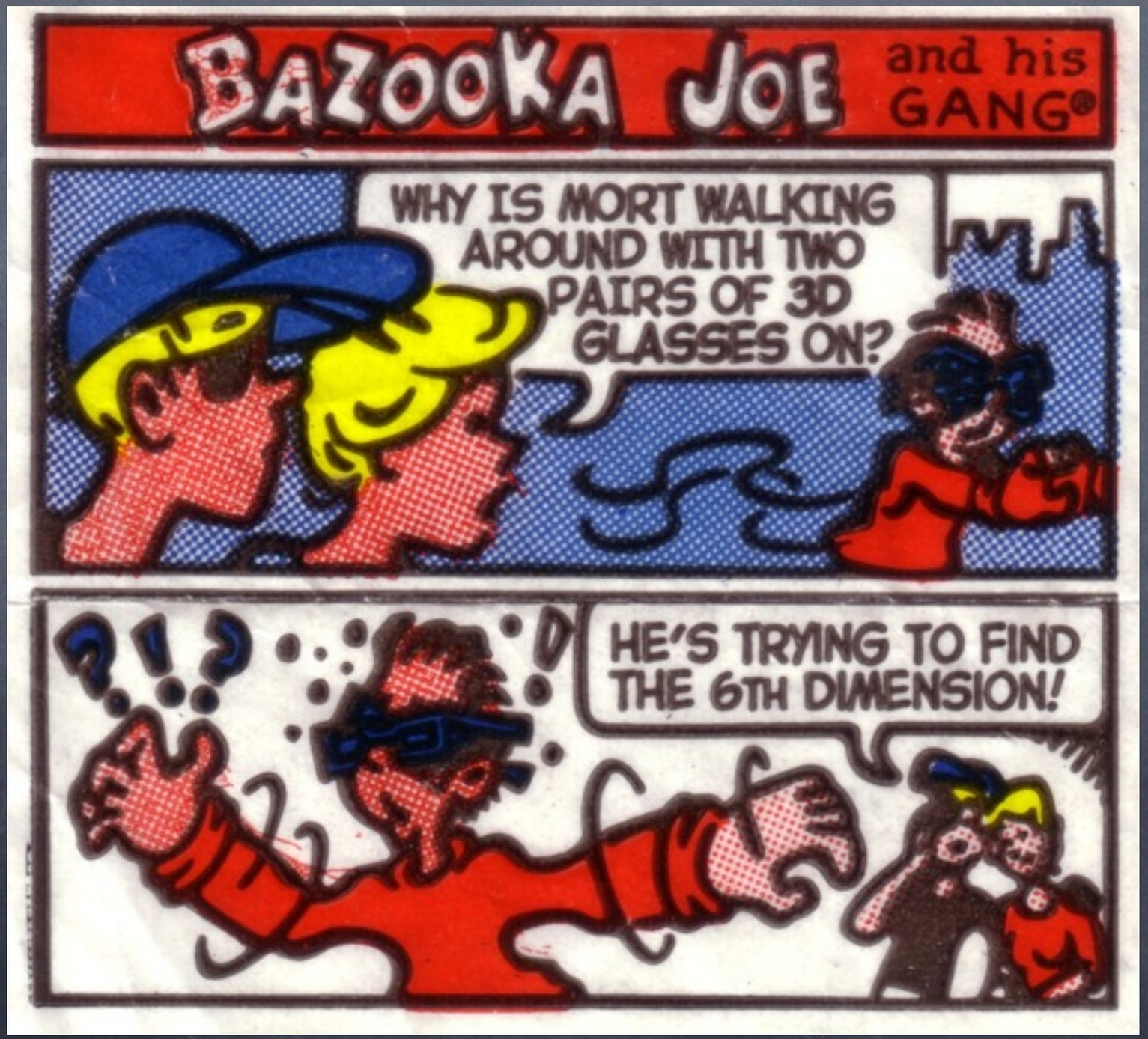

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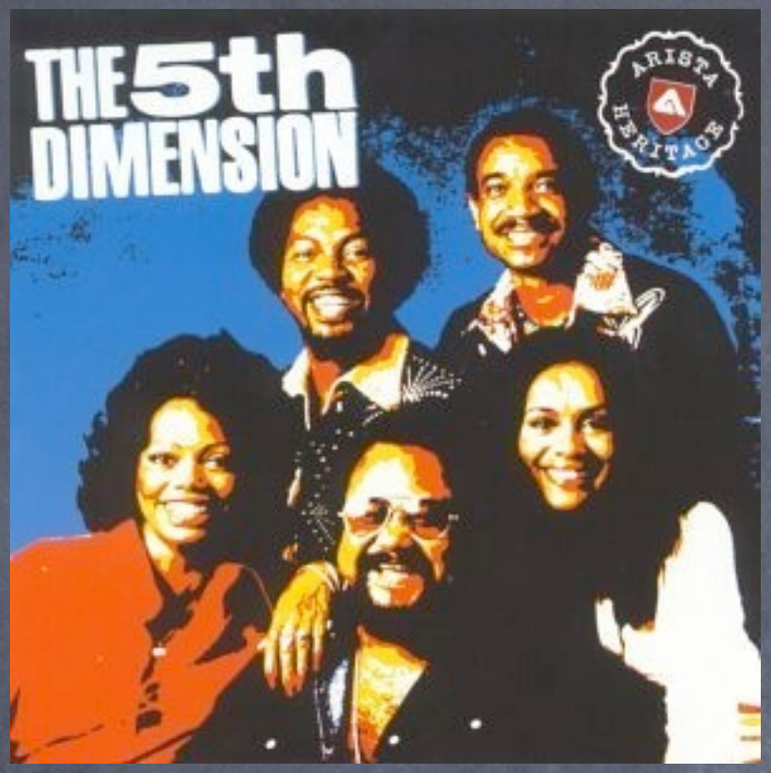

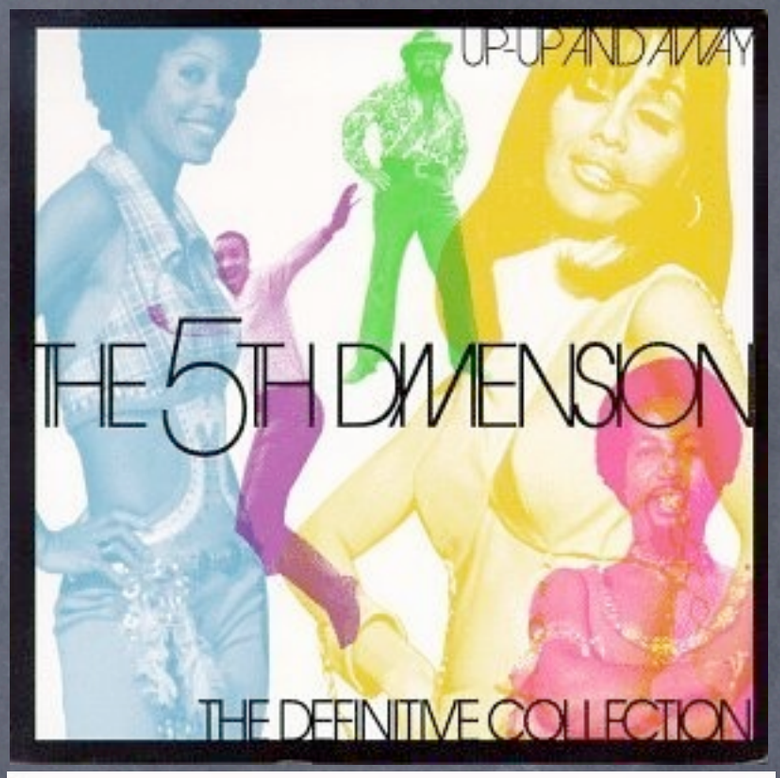

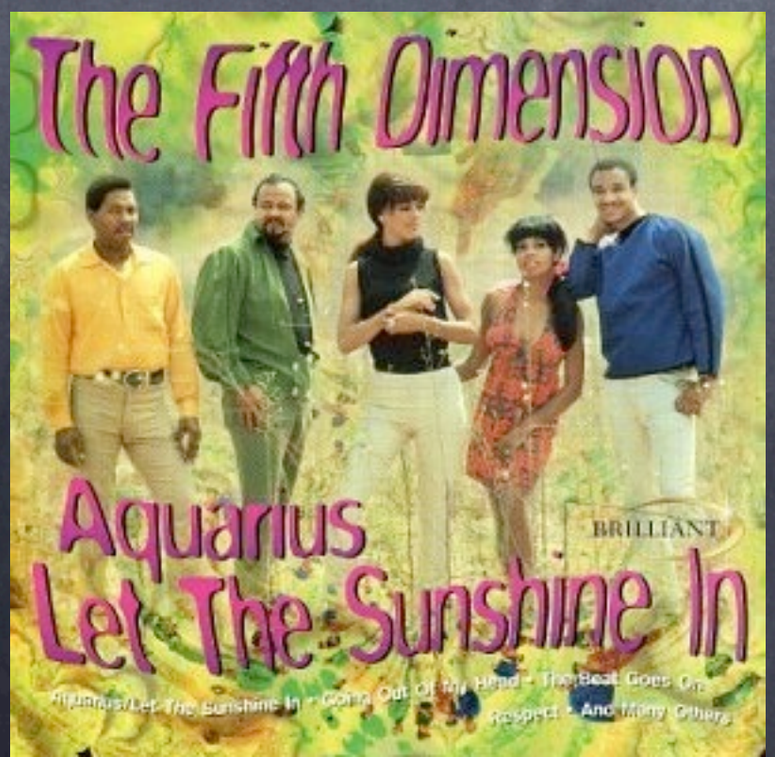

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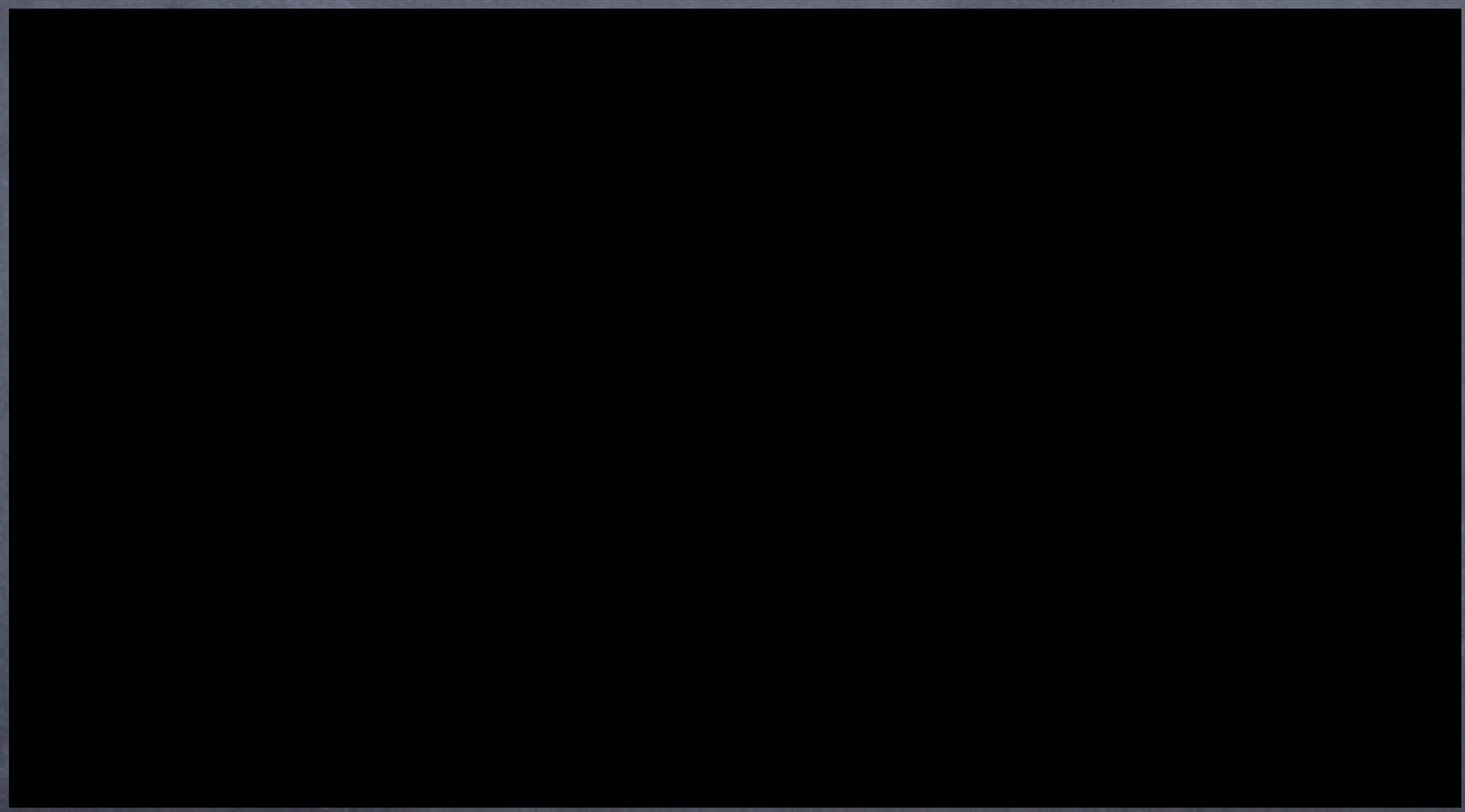

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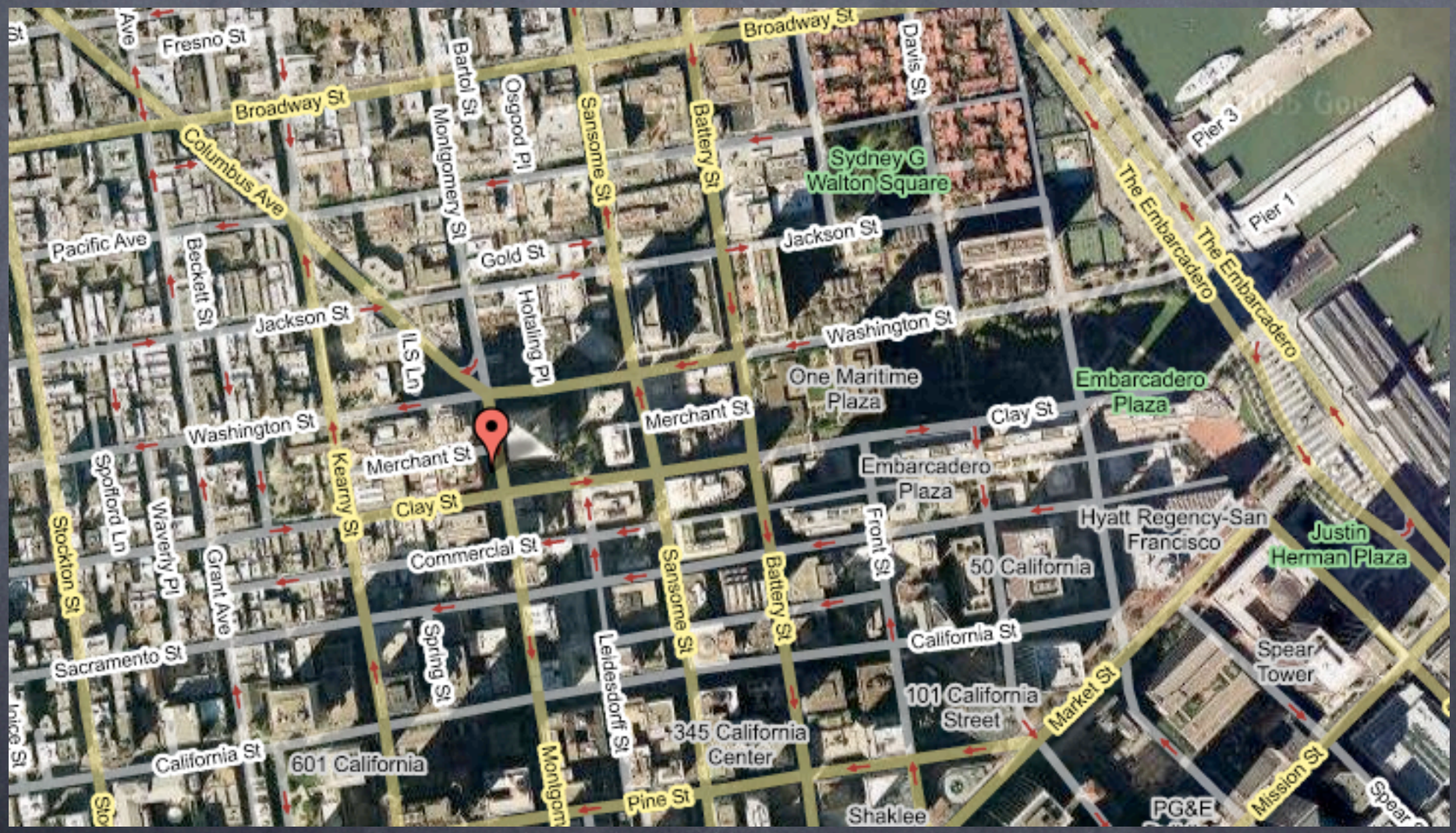

2 Dimensions: Clay and Montgomery

How Many Dimensions?

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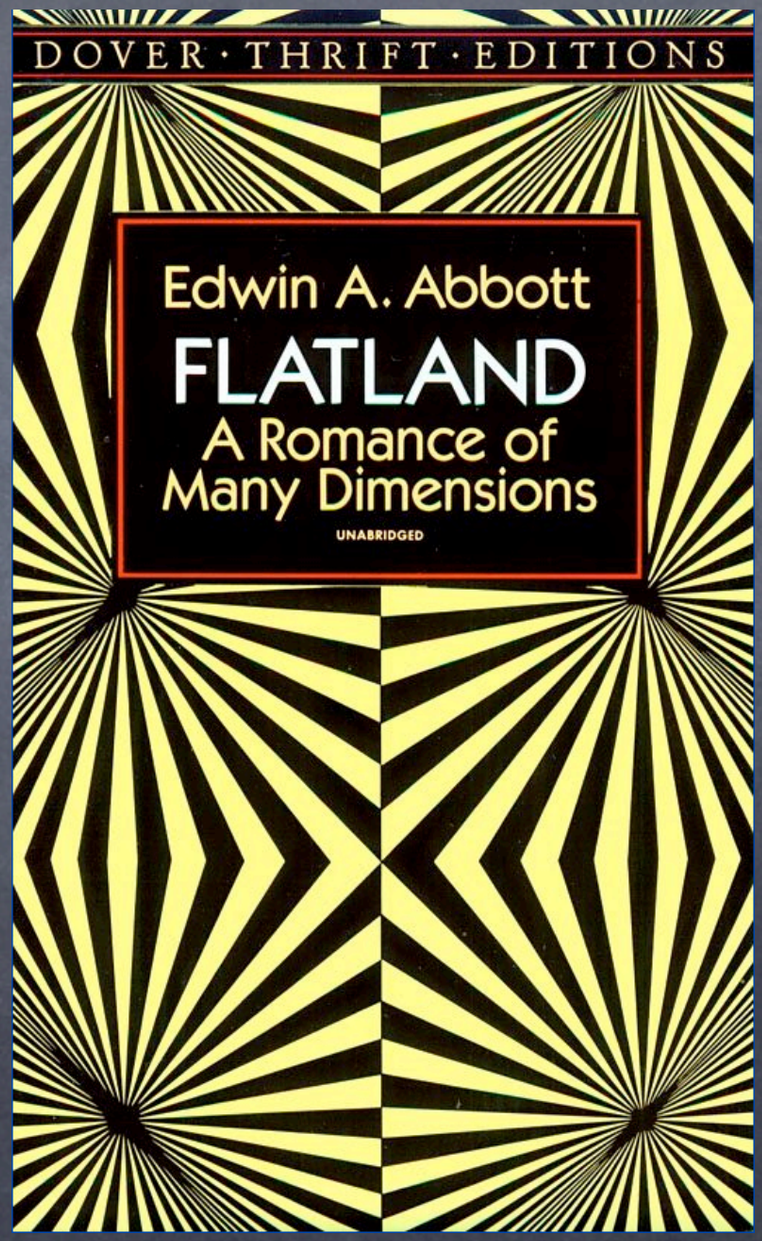
3rd Dimension: 43rd Floor

Time is the 4th Dimension

3 Dimensions: 43rd Floor, Clay and Montgomery

4th Dimension: 2:45 pm

Edwin Abbott Abbott



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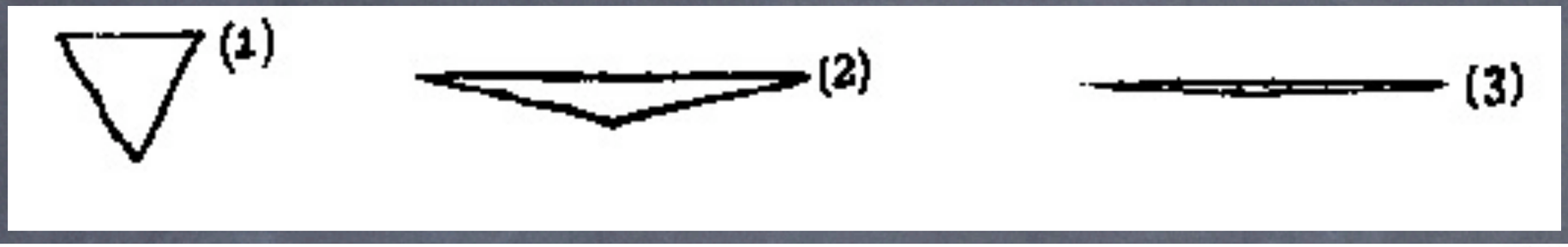
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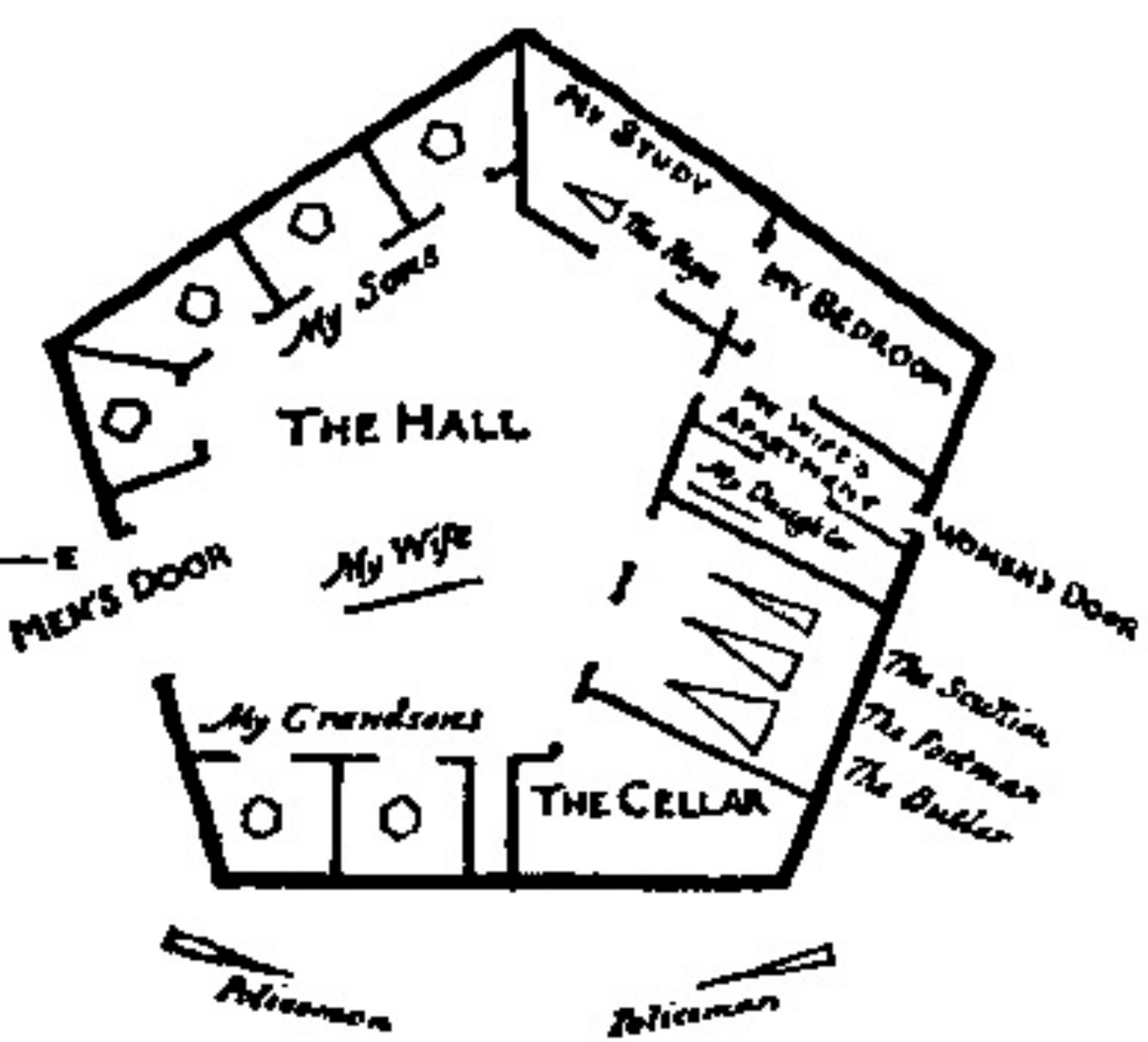
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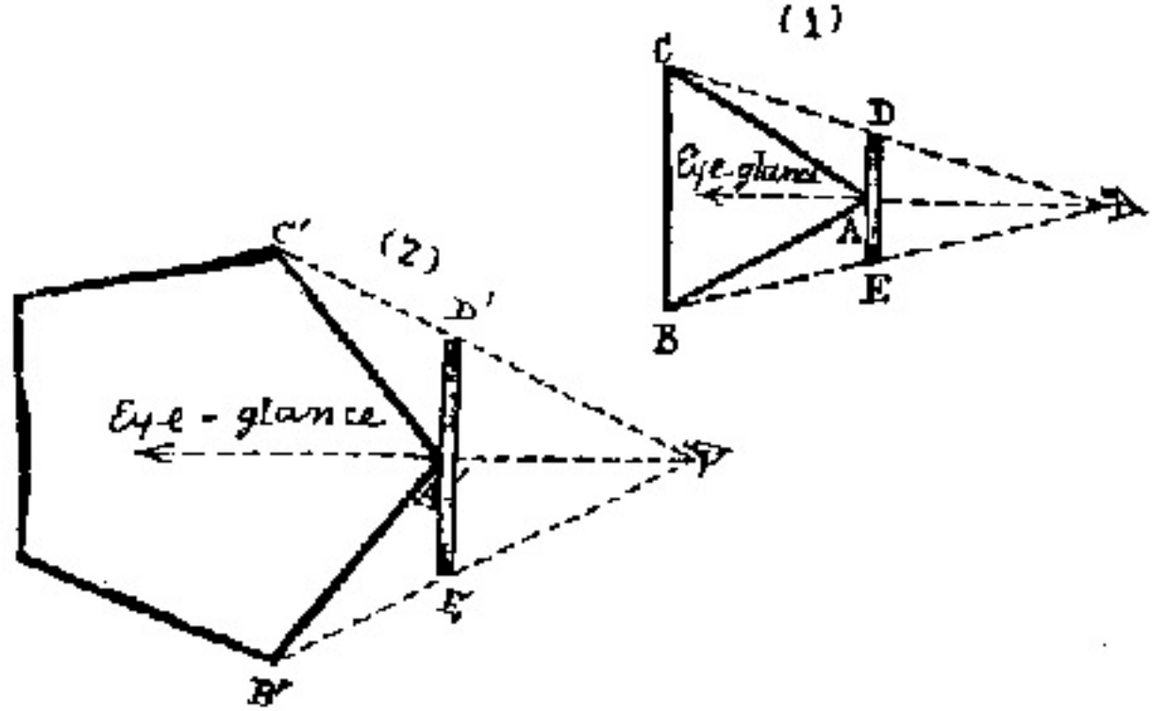
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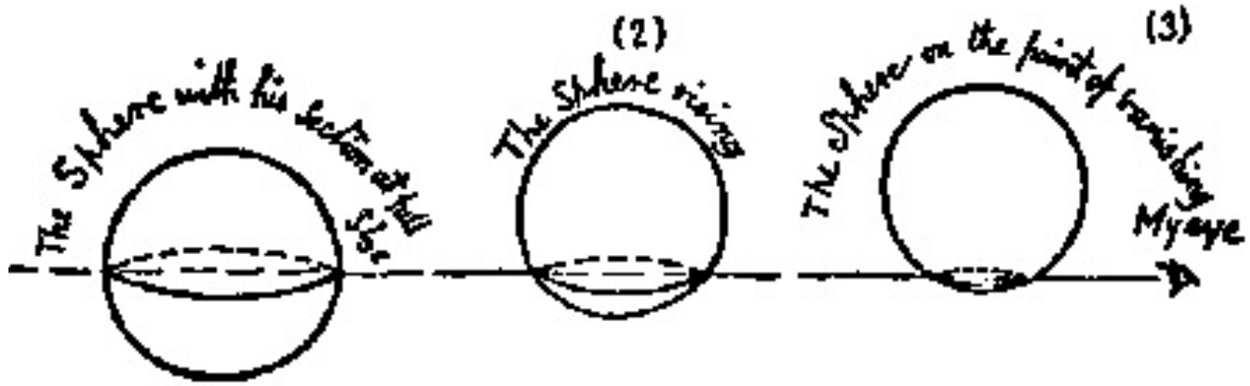
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The Sphere with his bottom at the Sea-Level
The Sphere rising
The Sphere on the point of vanishing from My eye

Lack of Perspective

Lorenzo Lotto

David Hockney

Perspective

Summary of Optical Evidence that Lorenzo Lotto Used a Lens in c.1523

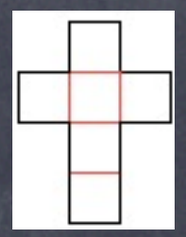
Qualitative

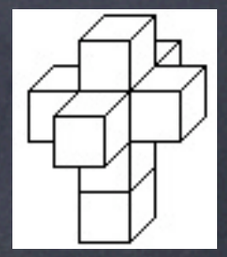
- Octagonal pattern goes out of focus
- Two vanishing points are readily apparent in the octagonal pattern
- Excellent fit of a perspective-corrected octagon to the pattern
- Change to a 2nd vanishing point in the border is apparent at same depth into scene as octagonal pattern goes out of focus

Quantitative

- Focal length of lens calculated as 53.8 cm (from ***magnification*** of painting)
- Diameter of lens calculated as ~2½ cm (from ***depth of field***)
- Magnification decrease of –14.3% calculated where perspective of octagon initially changes (from ***depth of field + focal length***)
- Second magnification decrease of –12.5% calculated where perspective of octagon changes (from ***depth of field + focal length***)
- Change in convergence of 3° calculated for the border pattern (from ***change in magnification upon refocusing + focal length***)

David Hockney, Charles Falco





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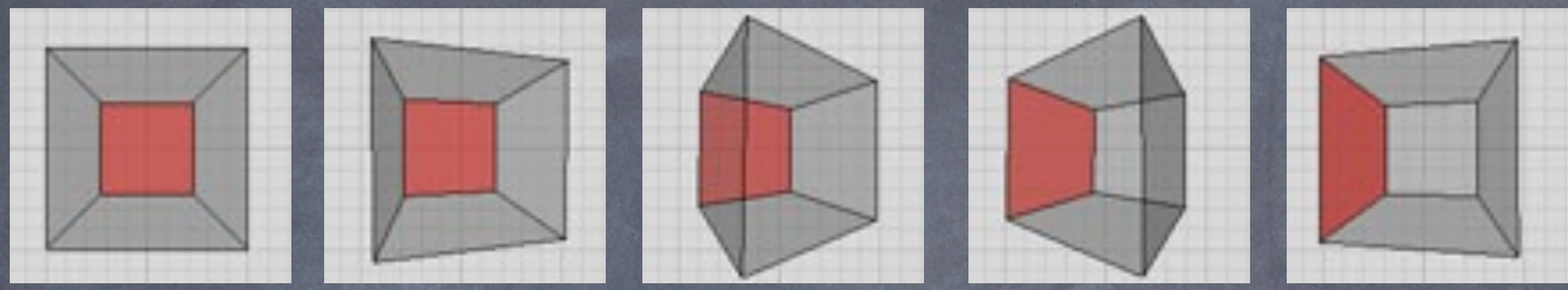

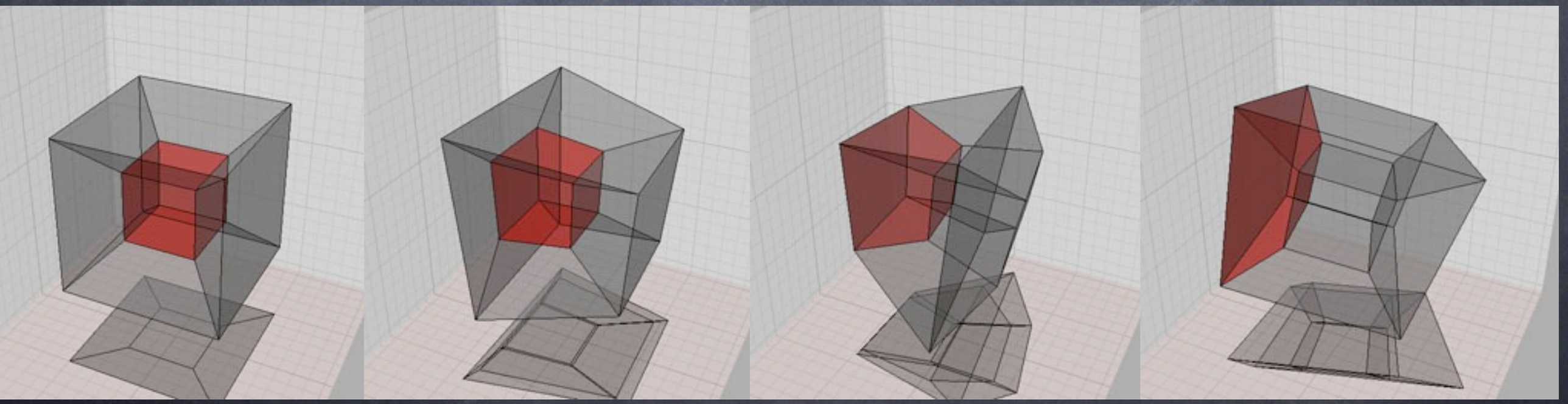

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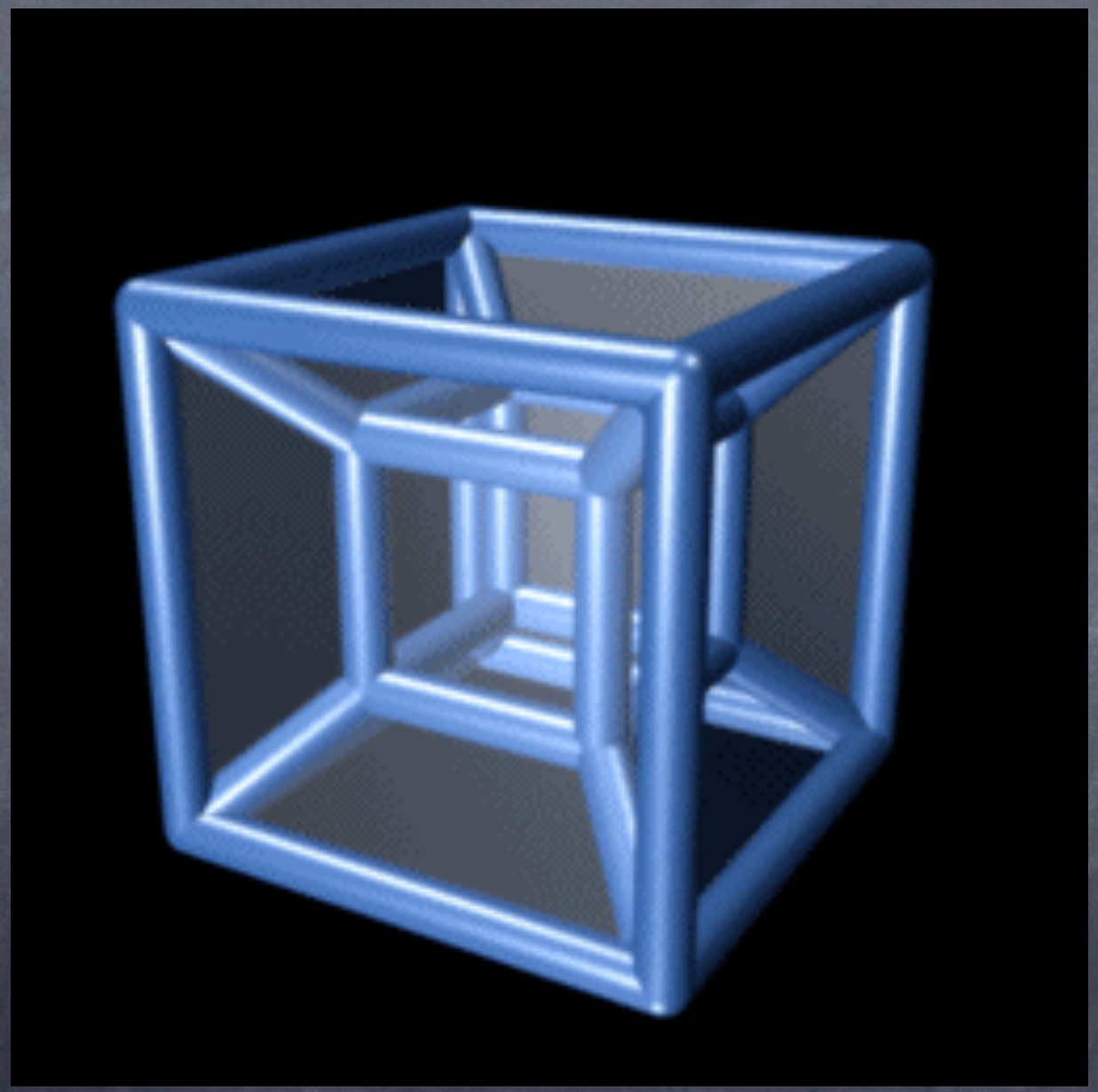

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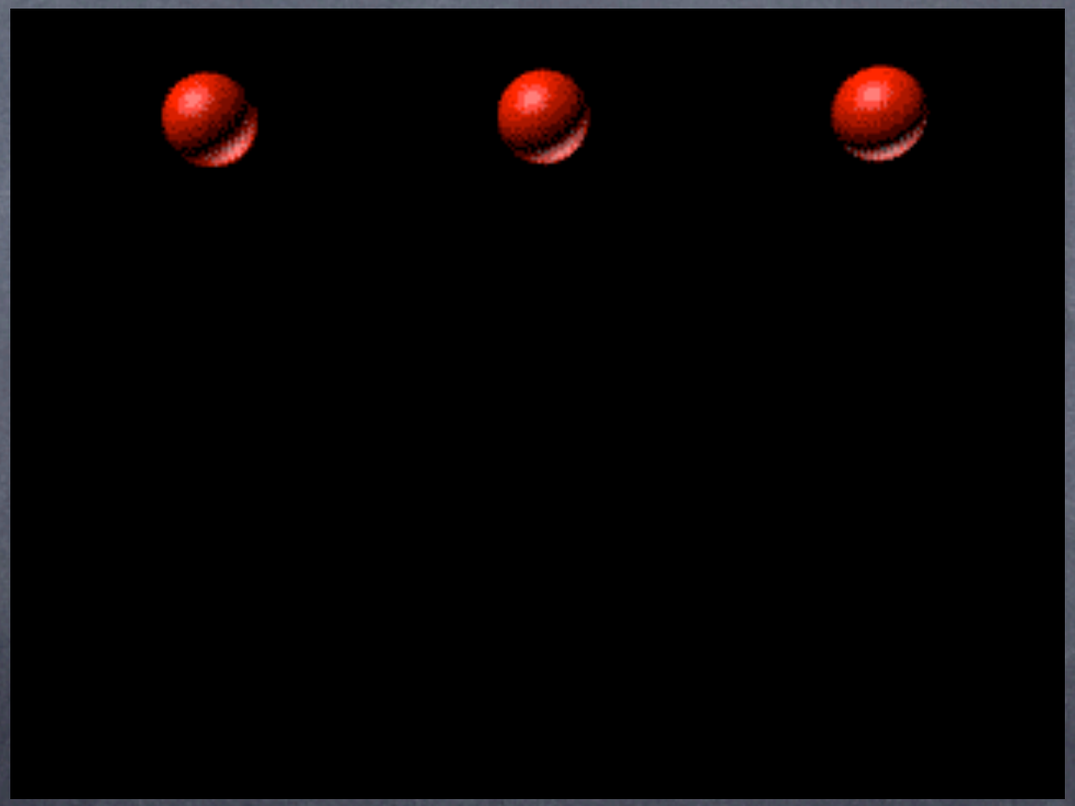

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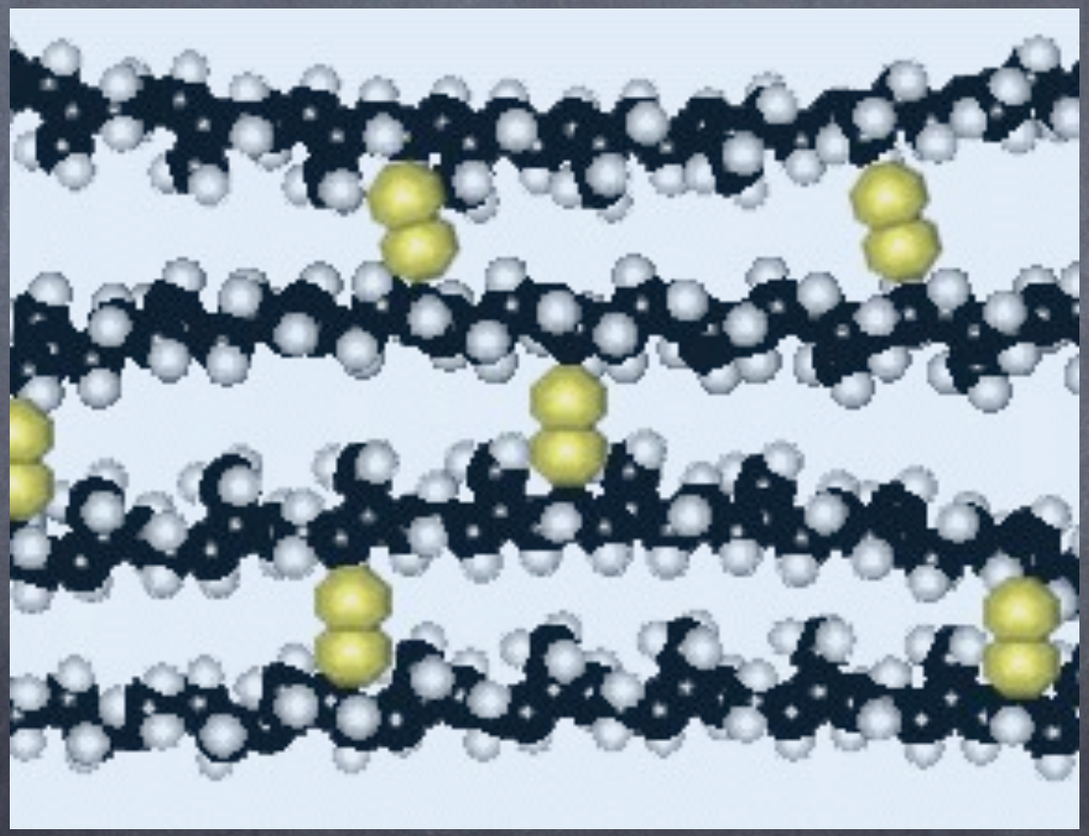
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