### Wythoff construction and $l_1$ -embedding

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## I. Wythoff kaleidoscope construction

W.A. Wythoff (1918) and H.S.M. Coxeter (1935)

#### **Polytopes and their faces**

- A polytope of dimension d is defined as the convex hull of a finite set of points in  $R^d$ .
- A valid inequality on a polytope P is an inequality of the form  $f(x) \ge 0$  on P with f linear. A face of P is the set of points satisfying to f(x) = 0 on P.



A face of dimension 0, 1, d - 2, d - 1 is called, respectively, vertex, edge, ridge and facet.

#### **Face-lattice**

There is a natural inclusion relation between faces, which define a structure of partially ordered set on the set of faces.

- This define a lattice structure, i.e. every face is uniquely defined by the set of vertices, contained in it, or by the set of facets, in which it is contained.
- Given two faces F<sub>i-1</sub> ⊂ F<sub>i+1</sub> of dimension i − 1 and i + 1, there are exactly two faces F of dimension i, such that F<sub>i-1</sub> ⊂ F ⊂ F<sub>i+1</sub>.
   This is a particular case of the Eulerian property satisfied by the lattice:

Nr. faces of even dimension=Nr. faces of odd dimension

#### **Skeleton of polytope**

- The skeleton is defined as the graph formed by vertices, with two vertices adjacent if they form an edge.
- The dual skeleton is defined as the graph formed by facets with two facets adjacent if their intersection is a ridge.

In the case of 3-dimensional polytopes, the skeleton is a planar graph and the dual skeleton is its dual, as a plane graph.

Steinitz's theorem: a graph is the skeleton of a 3-polytope if and only if it is planar and 3-connected.

#### Complexes

We will consider mainly polytopes, but the Wythoff construction depends only on combinatorial information. Also not all properties of face-lattice of polytopes are necessary.

The construction will apply to complexes:

- which are partially ordered sets,
- which have a dimension function associated to its elements.

This concerns, in particular, the tilings of Euclidean *d*-space.

#### Wythoff construction

- Take a (d-1)-dimensional complex  $\mathcal{K}$ .
- A flag is a sequence  $(f_i)$  of faces with

$$f_0 \subset f_1 \subset \cdots \subset f_u$$
.

- The type of a flag is the sequence  $dim(f_i)$ .
- Given a non-empty subset S of  $\{0, \ldots, d-1\}$ , the Wythoff construction is a complex P(S), whose vertex-set is the set of flags with fixed type S.
- The other faces of  $\mathcal{K}(S)$  are expressed in terms of flags of the original complex  $\mathcal{K}$ .

#### Formalism of faces of Withoffian $\mathcal{K}(S)$

- Set  $\Omega = \{ \emptyset \neq V \subset \{0, \dots, d\} \}$  and fix an  $S \in \Omega$ . For two subsets  $U, U' \in \Omega$ , we say that U' blocks U (from S) if, for all  $u \in U$  and  $v \in S$ , there is an  $u' \in U'$  with  $u \leq u' \leq v$  or  $u \geq u' \geq v$ . This defines a binary relation on  $\Omega$  (i.e. on subsets of  $\{0, \dots, d\}$ ), denoted by  $U' \leq U$ .
- Write  $U' \sim U$ , if  $U' \leq U$  and  $U \leq U'$ , and write U' < U if  $U' \leq U$  and  $U \not\leq U'$ .
- Clearly,  $\sim$  is reflexive and transitive, i.e. an equivalence. [U] is equivalence class containing U.
- Minimal elements of equivalence classes are types of faces of  $\mathcal{K}(S)$ ; vertices correspond to type S, edges to "next closest" type S' with S < S', etc.

#### **Example: the case** $S = \{0, 1\}$ , vertices



### One type of vertices for $Cube(\{0,1\})$ : $\{0,1\}$ (i.e. type S).

#### **Example: the case** $S = \{0, 1\}$ , edges



Two types of edges for  $Cube(\{0,1\})$ :  $\{1\}$  and  $\{0,2\}$ 

#### **Example: the case** $S = \{0, 1\}$ , faces



Two types of faces for  $Cube(\{0,1\})$ :  $\{0\}$  and  $\{2\}$ 

#### 2-dimensional complexes

- 2-dimensional Eulerian complexes are identified with plane graphs.
- If  $\mathcal{M}$  is a plane graph

set S	plane graph $\mathcal{M}(S)$
{0}	original map $\mathcal{M}(S)$
$\{0, 1\}$	truncated $\mathcal{M}$
$\{0, 1, 2\}$	truncated $Med(\mathcal{M})$
$\{0, 2\}$	$\mathrm{Med}(\mathrm{Med}(\mathcal{M}))$
$\{1, 2\}$	truncated $\mathcal{M}^*$
{1}	$\operatorname{Med}(\mathcal{M})$
{2}	$\mathcal{M}^*$

 $Cube({1})=Med(Cube) = Cuboctahedron$ 











 $Cube(\{0,2\}) = Med(Cuboctahedron) = Rhombicuboctahedron$ 





#### **Properties of Wythoff construction**

If  $\mathcal{K}$  is a (d-1)-dimensional complex, then:

- $\mathcal{K}(\{d-1\}) = \mathcal{K}^*$  (dual complex).
- $\mathcal{K}(\{1\})$  is median complex.
- $\mathcal{K}(V) = \mathcal{K}^*(d V)$ , where  $d V = \{d v | v \in V\}$ .
- $\mathcal{K}$  admits at most different  $2^d 1$  Wythoff constructions.
- if  $\mathcal{K}$  is self-dual, then it admits at most different  $2^{d-1} + 2^{\lceil \frac{d-2}{2} \rceil} 1$  Wythoff constructions.
- 𝔅 ({0,..., d − 1}) is called order complex. Its skeleton is bipartite and the vertices are full flags. Edges are full flags minus some face. Flags with *i* faces correspond to faces of dim. *d* − *i*.

#### I. $l_1$ -embedding

#### **Hypercube and Half-cube**

- The Hamming distance d(x, y) between two points  $x, y \in \{0, 1\}^m$  is  $d(x, y) = |\{1 \le i \le m : x_i \ne y_i\}|$ = $|N_x \Delta N_y|$  (where  $N_x$  denotes  $\{1 \le i \le m : x_i = 1\}$ ), i.e. the size of symmetric difference of  $N_x$  and  $N_y$ .
- The hypercube  $H_m$  is the graph with vertex-set  $\{0,1\}^m$ and with two vertices adjacent if d(x,y) = 1. The distance d is the path-distance on  $H_m$ .
- The half-cube  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$  is the graph with vertex-set

$$\{x \in \{0,1\}^m : \sum_i x_i \text{ is even}\}$$

and with two vertices adjacent if d(x, y) = 2. The distance *d* is twice the path-distance on  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$ .

#### **Scale embedding into hypercubes**

• A scale  $\lambda$  embedding of a graph G into hypercube  $H_m$  is a vertex mapping  $\phi: G \to \{0, 1\}^m$ , such that

 $d(\phi(x),\phi(y)) = \lambda d_G(x,y)$ 

with  $d_G$  being the path-distance between x and y.

• An isometric embedding of a graph G into a graph G' is a mapping  $\phi: G \to G'$ , such that

$$d_{G'}(\phi(x),\phi(y)) = d_G(x,y) .$$

Scale 1 embedding is hypercube embedding, scale 2 embedding is half-cube embedding.

#### **Examples of half-cube embeddings**





#### Johnson and *l*<sub>1</sub>-embedding

- the Johnson graph J(m, s) is the graph formed by all subsets of size s of  $\{1, \ldots, m\}$  with two subsets S and T adjacent if  $|S\Delta T| = 2$ .
- $H_m$  embeds in J(2m,m), which embeds in  $\frac{1}{2}H_{2m}$ .
- A metric d is  $l_1$ -embeddable if it embeds isometrically into the metric space  $l_1^k$  for some dimension k.
- A graph is  $l_1$ -embeddable if and only if it is scale embeddable (Assouad-Deza). The scale is 1 or even.

#### **Further examples**



twisted Rhombicuboctahedron is not 5-gonal

#### Hypermetric inequality

• If  $b \in \mathbb{Z}^{n+1}$  and  $\sum_{i=0}^{n} b_i = 1$ , then the hypermetric inequality is

$$H(b)d = \sum_{0 \le i < j \le n} b_i b_j d(i, j) \le 0 .$$

- If a metric admits a scale  $\lambda$  embedding, then the hypermetric inequality is always satisfied (Deza).
- If b = (1, 1, -1, 0, ..., 0), then H(b) is triangular inequality

$$d(x,y) \le d(x,z) + d(z,y) \; .$$

• If  $b = (1, 1, 1, -1, -1, 0, \dots, 0)$ , then H(b) is called the 5-gonal inequality.

#### **Embedding of graphs**

- The problem of testing scale λ embedding for general metric spaces is NP-hard (Karzanov).
- Theorem(Jukovic-Avis): a graph G embeds into  $H_m$  if and only if:
  - G is bipartite and
  - $d_G$  satisfies the 5-gonal inequality.
- In particular, testing embedding of a graph G into  $H_m$  is polynomial.
- The problem of testing scale 2 embedding of graphs into  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$  is also polynomial problem (Deza-Shpectorov).

# III. $l_1$ -embedding of

Wythoff construction

#### **Regular (convex) polytopes**

A regular polytope is a polytope, whose symmetry group acts transitively on its set of flags. The list consists of:

regular polytope	group
regular polygon $P_n$	$I_2(n)$
Icosahedron and Dodecahedron	$H_3$
120-cell and 600-cell	$H_4$
24-cell	$F_4$
$\gamma_n$ (hypercube) and $\beta_n$ (cross-polytope)	$B_n$
$\alpha_n$ (simplex)	$A_n = Sym(n+1)$

There are 3 regular tilings of Euclidean plane:  $44 = \delta_2$ , 36 and 63, and an infinity of regular tilings pq of hyperbolic plane. Here pq is shortened notation for  $(p^q)$ .

Columns and rows indicate vertex figures and facets, resp. Blue are elliptic (spheric), red are parabolic (Euclidean).  $Å_{\frac{3}{4}}^{\frac{3}{4}}$ 

	2	3	4	5	6	7	m	$\infty$
2	22	23	24	25	26	27	<b>2</b> m	$2\infty$
3	32	$lpha_3$	$eta_3$	lco	36	37	3m	$3\infty$
4	42	$\gamma_3$	$\delta_2$	45	46	47	4m	$4\infty$
5	52	Do	54	55	56	57	5m	$5\infty$
6	62	63	64	65	66	67	6m	$6\infty$
7	72	73	74	75	76	77	7m	$7\infty$
m	m2	m3	m4	m5	m6	m7	mm	$m\infty$
$\infty$	$\infty 2$	$\infty 3$	$\infty 4$	$\infty 5$	$\infty 6$	$\infty 7$	$\infty m$	$\infty\infty$

All above tilings embed, since it holds:

- Hyperbolic tiling pq (i.e.  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} < \frac{1}{2}$ ) embeds (for  $q ≤ \infty$ )
   into  $\frac{1}{2}Z^{\infty}$  if p is odd and into  $Z^{\infty}$  if p is even or  $\infty$ .
- Euclidean (parabolic, i.e.  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{2}$ )  $2\infty$  and  $\infty 2$  embed into  $H_1$  and  $Z^1$ , resp. Spheric (elliptic, i.e.  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} > \frac{1}{2}$ ) 2membeds into  $H_1$  for any m, spheric m2 embeds into  $H_{\frac{m}{2}}$ and  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$  for m even and odd, respectively.
- $\delta_2 = Z^2$ ,  $\gamma_3 = H_3$ ,  $\beta_3 = J(4, 2)$ ,  $\alpha_2 = J(4, 1)$ ; Icosahedron 35 and Dodecahedron 53 embed into  $\frac{1}{2}H_6$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}H_{10}$ , respectively. 63 and 36 embed into  $Z^3$  and  $\frac{1}{2}Z^3$ , respectively.

	$lpha_3$	$\gamma_3$	$eta_3$	Do	lco	$\delta_2$	63	36
$lpha_3$	$lpha_4*$		$eta_4*$		600-			336
$eta_3$		24-				344		
$\gamma_3$	$\gamma_4*$		$\delta_3*$		435*			436*
lco				353				
Do	120-		534		535			536
$\delta_2$		443*				444*		
36							363	
63	633*		634*		635*			636*

All emb. ones with  $d \ge 3$  are, besides  $\alpha_{d+1}$  and  $\beta_{d+1}$ : all bipartite ones (i.e. with cell  $\gamma_d$ ,  $\delta_{d-1}$  or 63):  $\gamma_{d+1}$ ,  $\delta_d$  and 8, 2, 1 hyperbolic tilings with d = 4, 5, 6. Last 11 embed into  $Z^{\infty}$ .

	$lpha_4$	$\gamma_4$	$eta_4$	24-	120-	600-	$\delta_3$
$lpha_4$	$lpha_5*$		$eta_5*$			3335	
$eta_4$				$De(D_4)$			
$\gamma_4$	$\gamma_5*$		$\delta_4*$			4335*	
24-		$Vo(D_4)$					3434
600-							
120-	5333		5334			5335	
$\delta_3$				4343*			

Tilings 4335 and (non-compact) 4343 of hyperbolic 5-space embed into  $Z^{\infty}$ .

	$lpha_5$	$\gamma_5$	$eta_5$	$Vo(D_4)$	$De(D_4)$	$\delta_4$
$lpha_5$	$\alpha_6*$		$\beta_6*$			
$\beta_5$					33343	
$\gamma_5$	$\gamma_6*$		$\delta_{5*}$			
$De(D_4)$				33433		
$Vo(D_4)$		34333				34334
$\delta_4$					43343*	

Four infinite series  $\delta_d$ ,  $\gamma_d$ ,  $\alpha_d$  and  $\beta_d$  embed into  $Z^d$ ,  $H_d$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}H_{d+1}$  and (with scale 2t for  $t = \lceil \frac{d}{4} \rceil$ )  $H_{4t}$ , respectively. Existence of Hadamard matrices and finite projective planes have equivalents in terms of variety of embed. of  $\beta_d$  and  $\alpha_d$ .

#### **Archimedean polytopes**

- ▲ An Archimedean *d*-polytope is a *d*-polytope, whose symmetry group acts transitively on its set of vertices and whose facets are Archimedean (d-1)-polytopes.
- They are classified in dimension 3 (Kepler: 5 (regular)+ 13 + Prisms + AntiPrisms) and 4 (Conway and Guy).
- If  $\mathcal{K}$  is a regular polytope, then  $\mathcal{K}(S)$  is an Archimedean polytope.

We also will consider Wythoffians  $\mathcal{K}(\mathcal{S})$ , where  $\mathcal{K}$  is an infinite regular polytope, i.e. a regular tiling of Euclidean plane, 3-space, etc.

#### **Embeddable Arch. Wythoffians for** d = 3

Embeddable Wythoffi an	n	embedding
Tetrahedron= $\alpha_3(\{0\}) = \alpha_3(\{2\})$	4	$= J(4,1); = \frac{1}{2}H_3$
Octahedron= $\beta_3(\{0\}) = \alpha_3(\{1\})$	6	= J(4,2)
Cube = $\beta_3(\{2\}) = \beta_3(\{0\})^*$	8	$=H_3$
$lcosahedron = Ico(\{0\})$	12	$\frac{1}{2}H_6$
Dodecahedron= $Ico(\{2\})$	20	$\frac{1}{2}H_{10}$
tr Cuboctahedron= $\beta_3(\{0,1,2\})$	48	$H_9$
tr lcosidodecahedron= $Ico(\{0, 1, 2\})$	120	$H_{15}$
Rhombicuboctahedron= $\beta_3(\{0,2\})$	24	J(10,5)
Rhombicosidodecahedron= $Ico(\{0,2\})$	60	$\frac{1}{2}H_{16}$
(tr Tetrahedron)* = $\alpha_3(\{0,1\})^* = \alpha_3(\{1,2\})^*$	8	$\frac{1}{2}H_7$

Embeddable Wythoffi an	n	embedding
(tr lcosahedron)* = $Ico(\{0,1\})^*$	32	$\frac{1}{2}H_{10}$
(tr Cube)* = $\beta_3(\{1,2\})$ *	14	J(12,6)
(tr Dodecahedron)* = $Ico(\{1,2\})^*$	32	$\frac{1}{2}H_{26}$
(Cuboctahedron)* = $\beta_3(\{1\})^* = \alpha_3(\{0,2\})^*$	14	$H_4$
$(lcosidodecahedron)^* = Ico({1})^*$	32	$H_6$
tr Octahedron= $\beta_3(\{0,1\}) = \alpha_3(\{0,1,2\})$	24	$H_6$

Remaining semi-regular polyhedra: snub Cube, snub Dodecahedron, *m*-prisms and *m*-antiprisms for any  $m \ge 3$ . They embed into  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$  for m = 9, 15, m + 2, m + 1, resp.

Moreover, for even  $m \ge 4$ , *m*-prism embeds into  $H_{\frac{m+2}{2}}$  and (m-1)-antiprism embeds into  $J(m, \frac{m}{2})$ .

#### **Embeddable Arch. Wythoffians for** d = 4

Embeddable Wythoffi an	n	embedding
$\alpha_4 = \alpha_4(\{0\}) = \alpha_4(\{3\})$	5	= J(5,1)
$\gamma_4 = \beta_4(\{3\}) = \beta_4(\{0\})^*$	16	$=H_4$
$\beta_4 = \beta_4(\{0\})$	8	$=\frac{1}{2}H_4$
$lpha_4(\{0,1,2,3\})$	120	$H_{10}$
$\beta_4(\{0,1,2,3\})$	384	$H_{16}$
$24 - cell(\{0, 1, 2, 3\})$	1152	$H_{20}$
$\beta_4(\{0,1,2\}) = 24 - cell(\{0,1\}) = 24 - cell(\{2,3\})$	192	$H_{12}$
$\alpha_4(\{0,3\})^*$	30	$H_5$
$egin{array}{c} eta_4(\{0,3\}) \end{array}$	64	$rac{1}{2}H_{12}$
$\alpha_4(\{1\}) = \alpha_4(\{2\}) = 1_{21}$	10	= J(5,2)
$\  600 - cell(\{0, 1, 2, 3\})$	14400	$H_{60}$

#### **First general results**

We say that a complex X embeds into  $H_m$  (and denote it by  $X \rightarrow H_m$ ) if its skeleton embeds into hypercube  $H_m$ .

- 1 Trivial:  $\beta_d(\{d-1\}) = \beta_d(\{0\})^* = \gamma_d$  is the hypercube graph  $H_d$ .  $\beta_d(\{0\}) = \beta_d$  embeds in  $H_{4t}$  with scale 2t,  $t = \lceil \frac{d}{4} \rceil$ .
- **2** Easy: if  $k \in \{0, ..., d-1\}$ , then  $\alpha_d(\{k\})$  is J(d+1, k+1).
- 3 Theorem: α<sub>d</sub>({0, d 1})\* is H<sub>d+1</sub> with two antipodal vertices removed. It embeds into H<sub>d+1</sub>.
  It is the zonotopal Voronoi polytope of the root lattice A<sub>d</sub>. Moreover, the tiling Vo(A<sub>d</sub>) embeds into Z<sup>d+1</sup>.

#### **Embedding of Arch. order complexes**

- 4 Theorem:  $\alpha_d(\{0, \ldots, d-1\})$  embeds into  $H_{\binom{d+1}{2}}$ . It is the zonotopal Voronoi polytope (called permutahedron) of the dual root lattice  $A_d^*$ . Moreover,  $Vo(A_d^*)$  embeds into  $Z^{\binom{d+1}{2}}$ .
- **5** Theorem:  $\beta_d(\{0, \ldots, d-1\})$  embeds into  $H_{d^2}$ . It is a zonotope, but not the Voronoi polytope of a lattice.
- 6 Computations: embeddings of the skeletons, of  $24 cell(\{0, 1, 2, 3\})$  into  $H_{20}$  and of  $600 cell(\{0, 1, 2, 3\})$  into  $H_{60}$ , were found by computer.

So (since  $Ico(\{0,1,2\})$  embeds into  $H_{15}$ ), all Arch. order complexes embed into an  $H_m$  (moreover, are zonotopes).

#### **Other Wythoff Arch. embeddings**

- 7 Theorem:  $\beta_d(\{0, \ldots, d-2\})$  embeds into  $H_{d(d-1)}$ . It is a zonotope, but for d > 3 it is not a Voronoi polytope of a lattice.
- 8 Theorem:  $\beta_d(\{0, d-1\})$  is an  $\ell_1$ -graph for all d. But for d > 4, it does not embed into a  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$ , i.e. embeds into an  $H_m$  with some even scale  $\geq 4$ .

**Conjecture:** If  $\Gamma$  is the skeleton of the Wythoffian P(S) or of its dual, where P is a regular polytope, and  $\Gamma$  embeds into a  $\frac{1}{2}H_m$ , then  $\Gamma$  belongs to either above Tables for dimension 3, 4, or to one of 8 above infinite series.

IV. Some extensions of Wythoff construction and embedding

#### **Cayley graph construction**

If a group G is generated by  $g_1, \ldots, g_t$ , then its Cayley graph is the graph with vertex-set G and edge-set

 $(g, gg_i)$  for  $g \in G$  and  $1 \leq i \leq t$ ;

G is vertex-transitive; its path-distance is length of  $xy^{-1}$ .

If *P* is a regular *d*-polytope, then its symmetry group is a Coxeter group with canonical generators  $g_0, \ldots, g_{d-1}$  and its order complex is:

$$P(\{0, \ldots, d-1\}) = Cayley(G, g_0, \ldots, g_{d-1}).$$

Problem: Do Cayley(G, g<sub>0</sub>, ..., g<sub>n-1</sub>) embeds into an H<sub>m</sub> (moreover, a zonotope) for any finite Coxeter group G? We got "yes" for A<sub>n</sub>, B<sub>n</sub>, I<sub>2</sub>(n), F<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>4</sub> (regular polytopes). The problem is open for E<sub>6</sub>, E<sub>7</sub>, E<sub>8</sub>, D<sub>n</sub>.

#### **Embeddings for tilings**

- Z has the natural  $l_1$ -metric d(x,y) = |x y|.
- Is embeddable into  $\infty$ -dimensional hypercube  $H_{|Z|}$  by

 $x \mapsto (\dots, 0, 0, 1, \dots, 1, \dots).$ 

- Any graph (possibly, infinite), which embeds into  $Z^m$ , is embeddable into  $Z^\infty$ .
- The hypermetric (including 5-gonal) inequality is again a necessary condition.
- For skeletons of infinite tilings, we consider (up to a scale) embedding into  $Z^m$ ,  $m \le \infty$ .

There are 3 regular and 8 Archimedean (i.e. semi-regular) tilings of Euclidean plane.

#### Three regular plane tilings







#### **Eight Archimedean plane tilings**





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 $(4.6.12)=36(\{0,1,2\}) \rightarrow Z^6$ 



 $(3.4.6.4) = 36(\{0,2\}) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}Z^3$ 





Mosaics 36, (3.4.6.4) and (3<sup>3</sup>.4<sup>2</sup>) embed into  $\frac{1}{2}Z^3$ 

#### **Emb. Wythoffians of reg. plane tilings**

Wythoffian	embedding
$\delta_2 = \delta_2(\{0\}) = \delta_2(\{1\}) = \delta_2(\{2\}) = \delta_2(\{0,2\})$	$Z^2$
$36 = 36(\{0\})$	$\frac{1}{2}Z^3$
$63 = 36(\{2\}) = 36(\{0,1\})$	$Z^3$
$(4.8^2) = \delta_2(\{0,1\}) = \delta_2(\{1,2\}) = \delta_2(\{0,1,2\})$	$Z^4$
$(4.6.12) = 36(\{0, 1, 2\})$	$Z^6$
$(3.4.6.4) = 36(\{0,2\})$	$\frac{1}{2}Z^3$
$(3.6.3.6)^* = (36(\{1\}))^*$	$Z^3$
$(3.12^2)^* = (36(\{1,2\}))^*$	$\frac{1}{2}Z^{\infty}$

Other semi-regular plane tilings:  $(3^4.6)$ ,  $(3^3.4^2)$ ,  $(3^2.4.3.4)$ ; see scale 2 embedding of 36, (3.4.6.4) and  $(3^3.4^2)$  into  $Z^3$ .

#### Wythoffians of reg. 3-space tilings

Wythoffi an	Nr.	embbedding?
$\delta_3 = \delta_3(\{0\}) = \delta_3(\{3\}) = \delta_3(\{0,3\})$	1	$Z^3$
$\delta_3(\{1,2\}) = Vo(A_3^*)$	2	$Z^6$
$\delta_3(\{0,1,2\}) = \delta_3(\{1,2,3\})$ =zeolit Linde	16	$Z^9$
$\delta_3(\{0,1,2,3\}) = \text{zeolit } \rho$	9	$Z^9$
$\delta_3(\{1\}) = \delta_3(\{2\}) = De(J - complex)$	8	non 5-gonal
$\delta_3(\{0,1\}) = \delta_3(\{2,3\})$ =boride $CaB_6$	7	non 5-gonal
$\delta_3(\{0,2\}) = \delta_3(\{1,3\})$	18	non 5-gonal
$\delta_3(\{0,1,3\}) = \delta_3(\{0,2,3\})$	23	non 5-gonal

There are 28 vertex-transitive tilings of 3-space by regular and semi-regular polyhedra (Andreini, Johnson, Grunbaum, Deza–Shtogrin).

#### **Exp.: not 5-gonal** $\delta_3(\{0,1\}) = \delta_3(\{2,3\})$



Nr. 7 (of 28), tiled 1:4 by  $\beta_3$  and tr.  $\gamma_3$ ; boride  $CaB_6$ 

#### **Exp.: not 5-gonal** $\delta_3(\{0,2\}) = \delta(\{1,3\})$



Nr. 18 (of 28), tiled 2:1:2 by  $\gamma_3$ , *Cbt* and *Rcbt* 

#### Some Wyth. of reg. $d\text{-space tilings}, d \geq 4$

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$\delta_d = \delta_d(\{0\}) = \delta_d(\{d\}) = \delta_d(\{0,d\})$	$\gamma_d$	$Z^d$
$\delta_d(\{0,1\})$ =tr $\delta_d$	$eta_d$ , tr $\gamma_d$	non 5-gonal
$Vo(D_4) = Vo(D_4)(\{0\})$	24 - cell	non 5-gonal
$Vo(D_4)^* = Vo(D_4)(\{4\})$	$eta_4$	non 5-gonal
$Vo(D_4)(\{1\}) = Med(Vo(D_4))$	$\gamma_4$ , $Med(24 - cell)$	non 5-gonal
$Vo(D_4)(\{0,1\}) = tr Vo(D_4)$	$\gamma_4$ , tr $24-cell$	$Z^{12}$

Conjecture (holds for  $d \leq 3$ ):

 $\delta_d(\{0,\ldots,d\})$  and  $\delta_d(\{0,\ldots,d-1\})$  embed into  $Z^{d^2}$ .

Remind that  $\beta_d(\{0,\ldots,d-1\})$  embeds into  $H_{d^2}$ .