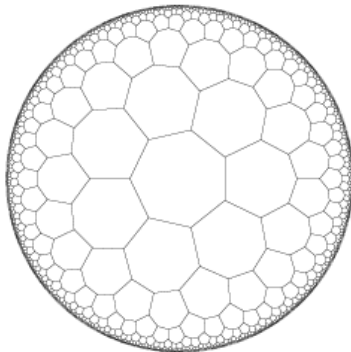


# Critical behavior of spin lattice models on negatively curved surfaces

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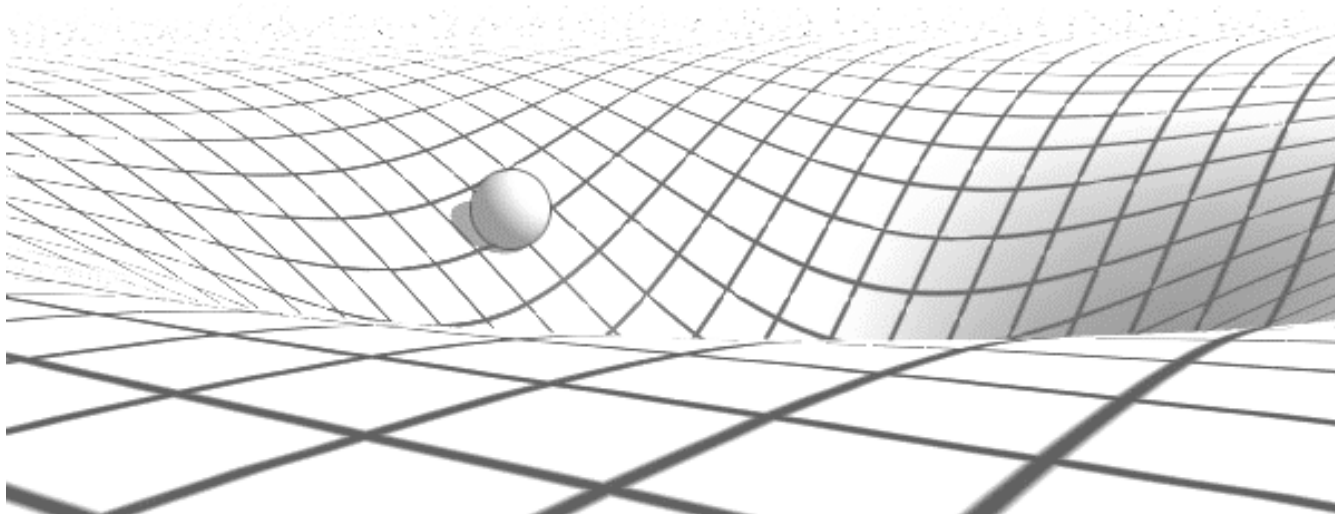
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# 0. Motivation

“Physics on a curved surface”



The main concern:

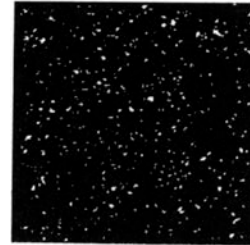
- Effects of **surface curvature** on **critical properties** of an embedded physical system

# 0'. Outline

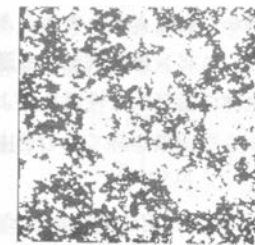
- Our main concern:

- Whether a change in **geometric symmetry** (e.g., **curvature**) of the underlying surface gives rise to a change in its **critical behavior**?

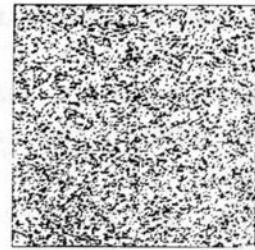
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$$T = T_C$$

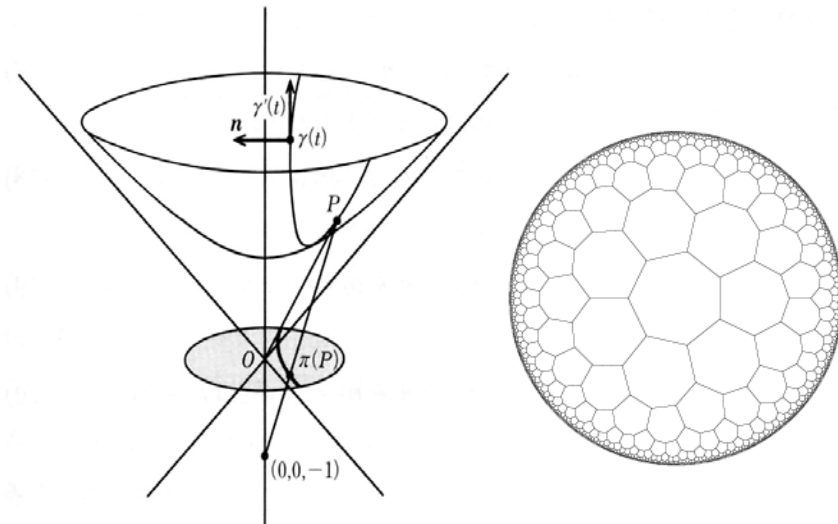


$$T > T_C$$



- Model & Method:

- Regular **heptagonal** spin lattice models (Ising & XY) assigned on the surface with **constant negative curvature**
- Monte-Carlo simulations & Finite-size scaling



- Main findings:

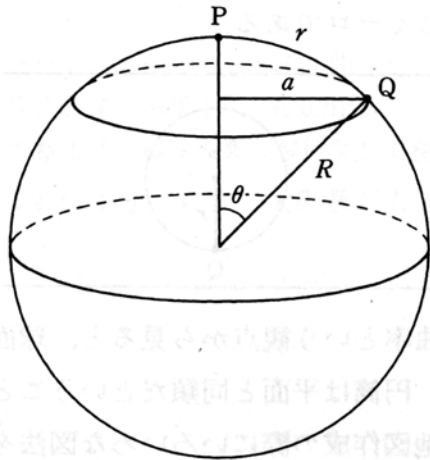
- (1) **Critical exponents** of the **Ising model** take distinct values from those for the planar cases.
- (2) Curvature-induced frustration in the **XY model** results in the **zero-temperature glass transition**.

# 1. Negatively curved surfaces

**Gaussian curvature:**  $K = \lim_{r \rightarrow 0} \frac{3[2\pi r - \ell(r)]}{\pi r^3}$

determines the intrinsic geometry of a curved surfaces.

ex.) Spherical surface



The length of a closed contour:

$$\begin{aligned}\ell(r) &= 2\pi a = 2\pi R \sin(r/R) \\ &= 2\pi r - 2\pi \frac{r^3}{3!R^2} + \dots\end{aligned}$$

The Gaussian curvature of the sphere:

$$K = \frac{1}{R^2} > 0$$

Classes of curved surfaces:

Positively curved surface:  $K > 0$

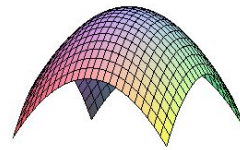
Flat plane :  $K = 0$

Negatively curved surface:  $K < 0$

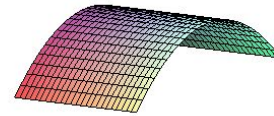


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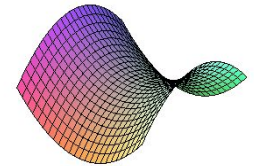
$K>0$



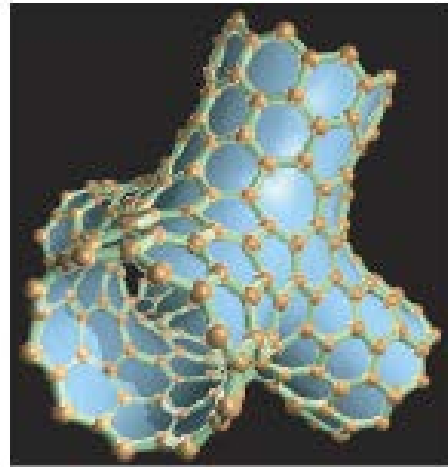
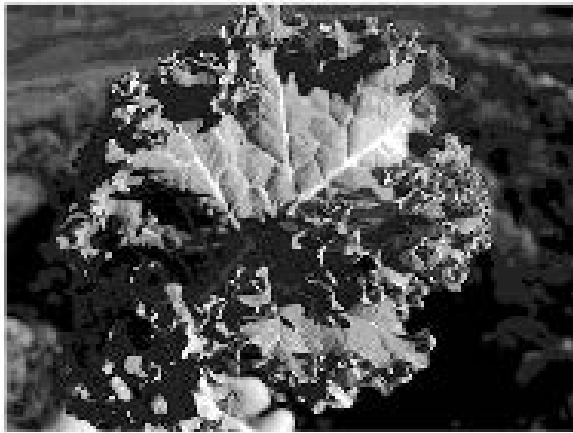
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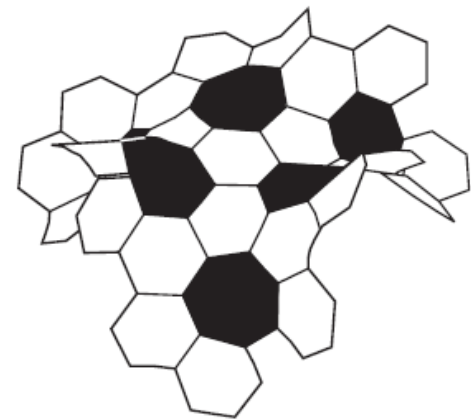
Physical examples:



[Left] Photo courtesy of C. Gunn (2004)

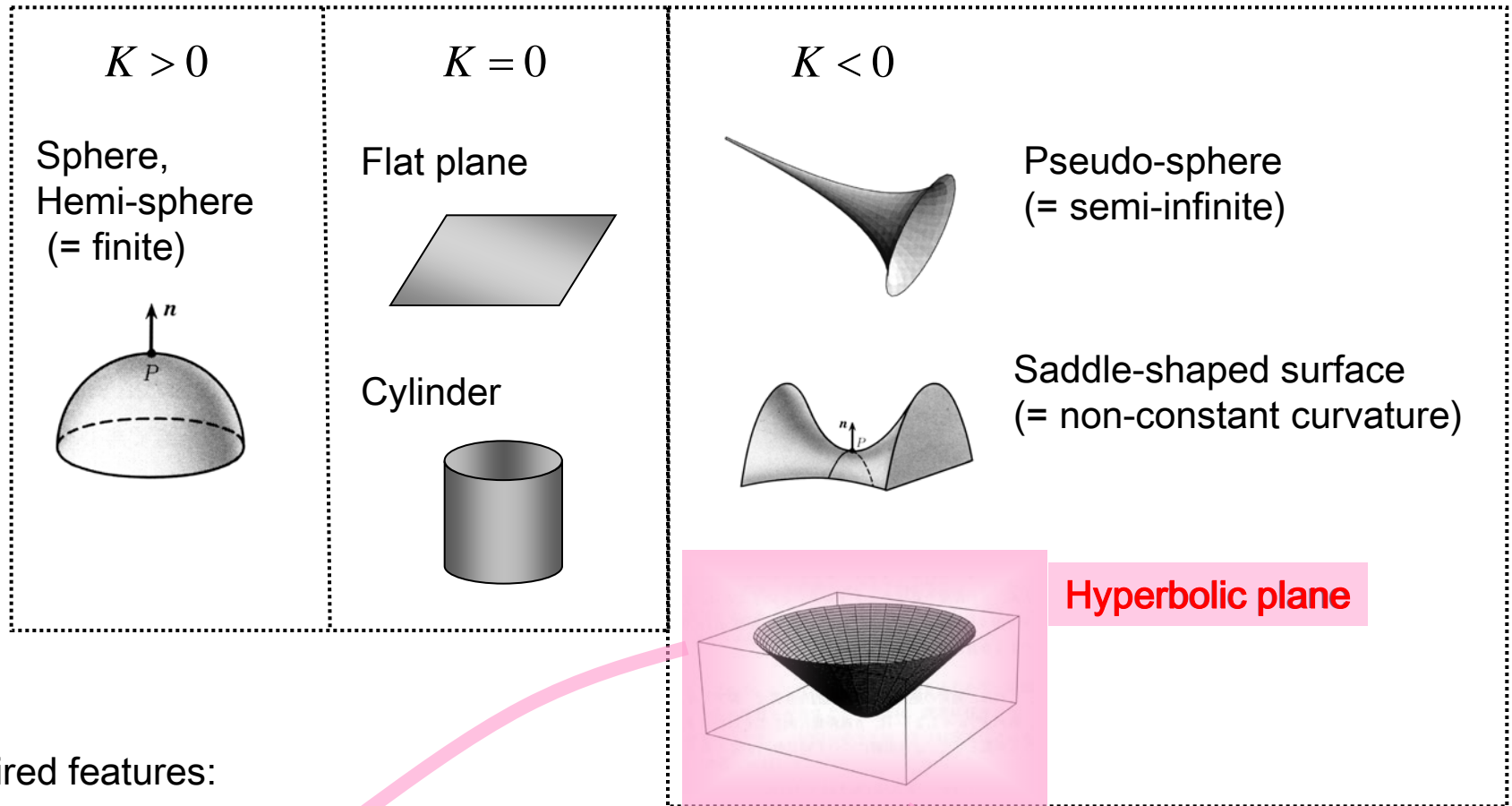
[Center] Image courtesy of N. Park (2003, APS)

[Right] **Hyperbolic soccer-ball**



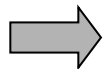
# 1. Negatively curved surfaces

Classification of curved surfaces:



Desired features:

- (1) an **infinitely-extended** surface;
- (2) possessing a **constant (non-zero) curvature**.



... in order to extract purely **curvature effects** on critical properties of an embedded system.

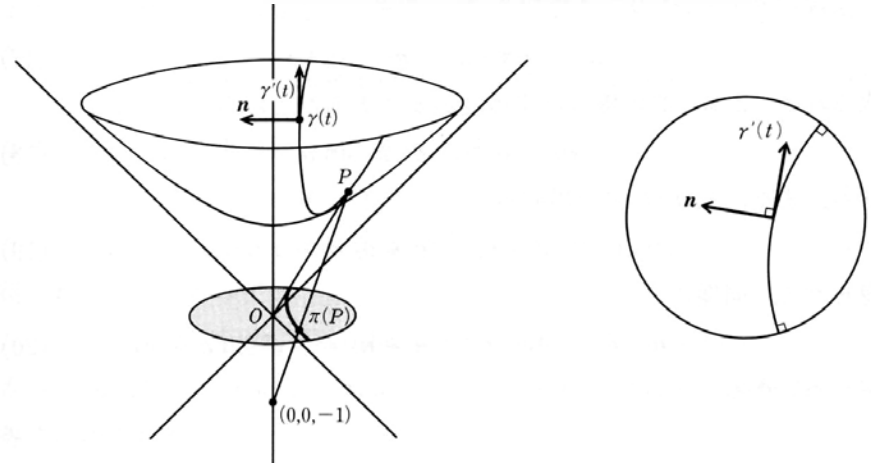
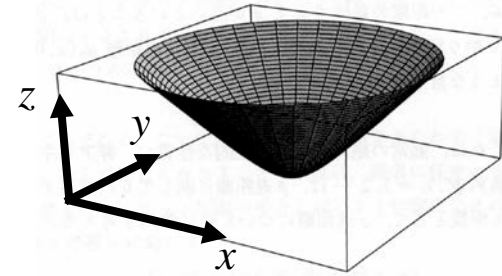
# 1. Negatively curved surfaces

## Hyperbolic plane

= the locus of points in the **Minkowskian** space whose squared distance from the origin are equal to **-1**

The infinitesimal distance:  
 $ds^2 = dx^2 + dy^2 - dz^2$

The Gaussian curvature:  
 $K = -1$  (staying constant)



### Advantages :

- a simply-connected **infinite** surface
- having a **constant negative** Gaussian curvature
- **infinitely many** regular lattices are possible
- being expressed by the **Poincaré-disk** representation.

➔ The current issues:

- (1) To build **regular spin lattices** on the hyperbolic plane
- (2) To study the **critical properties** of the system

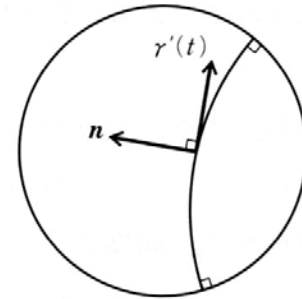
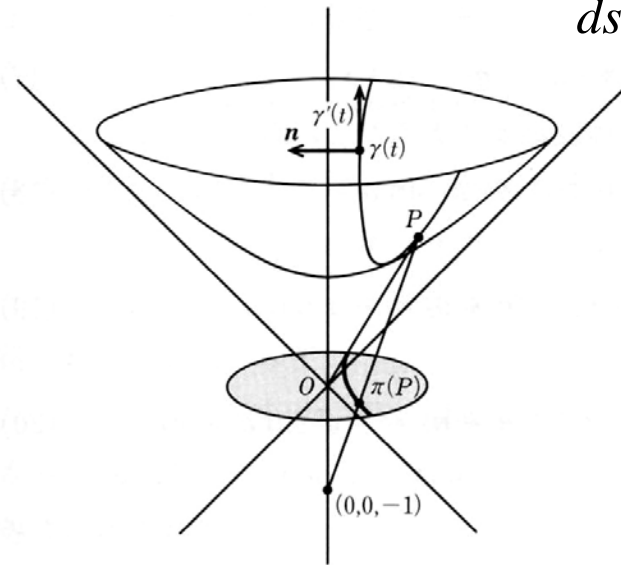


## 2. Hyperbolic lattice

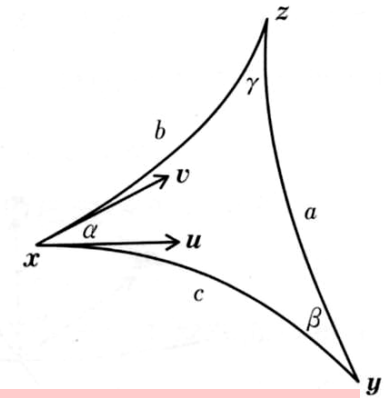
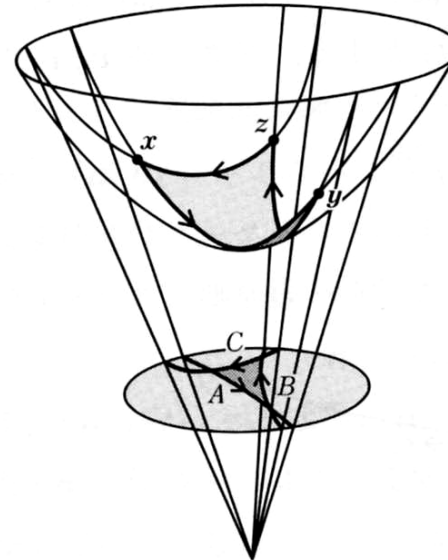
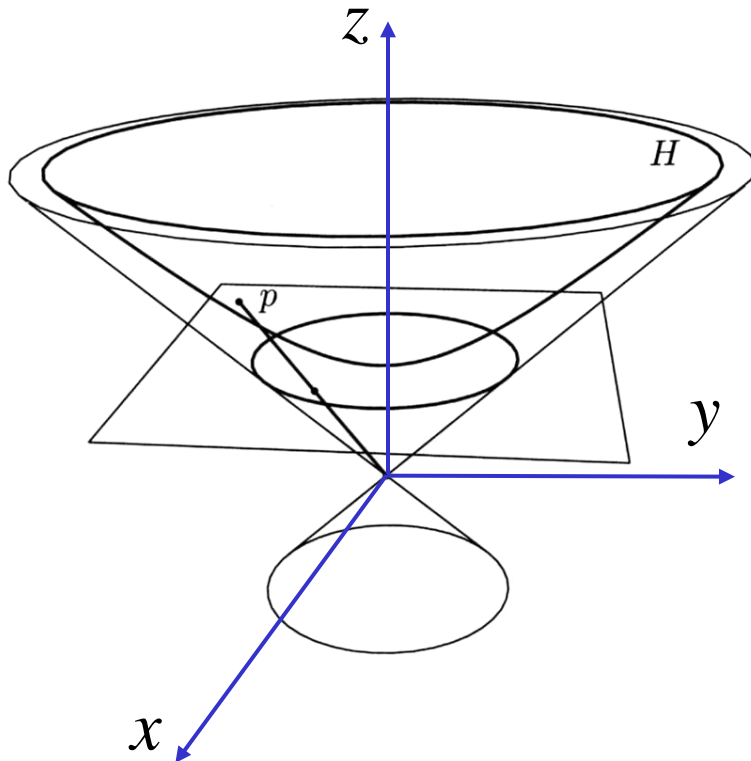
### Poincaré-disk representation

- Projection from a paraboloid embedded in the **3d** Minkowskian space onto a **2d** unit disk

$$ds^2 = dx^2 + dy^2 - dz^2$$



Geodesic



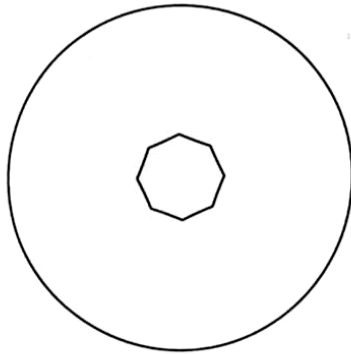
Geodesic triangle



## 2. Hyperbolic lattice

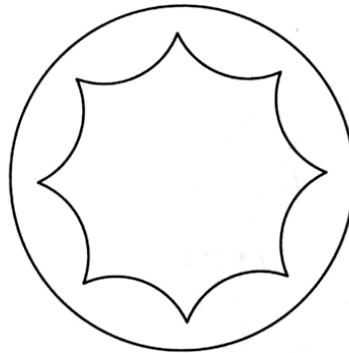
On the hyperbolic plane, **internal angles** of regular polygons are **dependent** on the **side length**.

Regular octagon



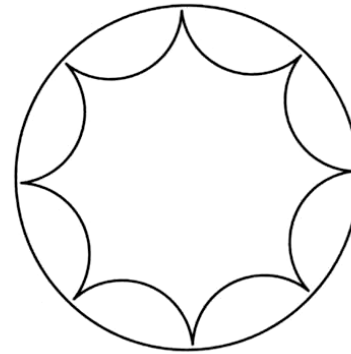
(a)

Regular octagon



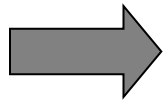
(b)

Regular octagon



(c)

Regular octagon



How can we make regular tessellation of the hyperbolic plane?



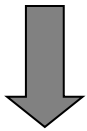
Establishing the spin lattice model on the curved surface

## 2. Hyperbolic lattice

Rotating the triangle "ABC" around the point "A"

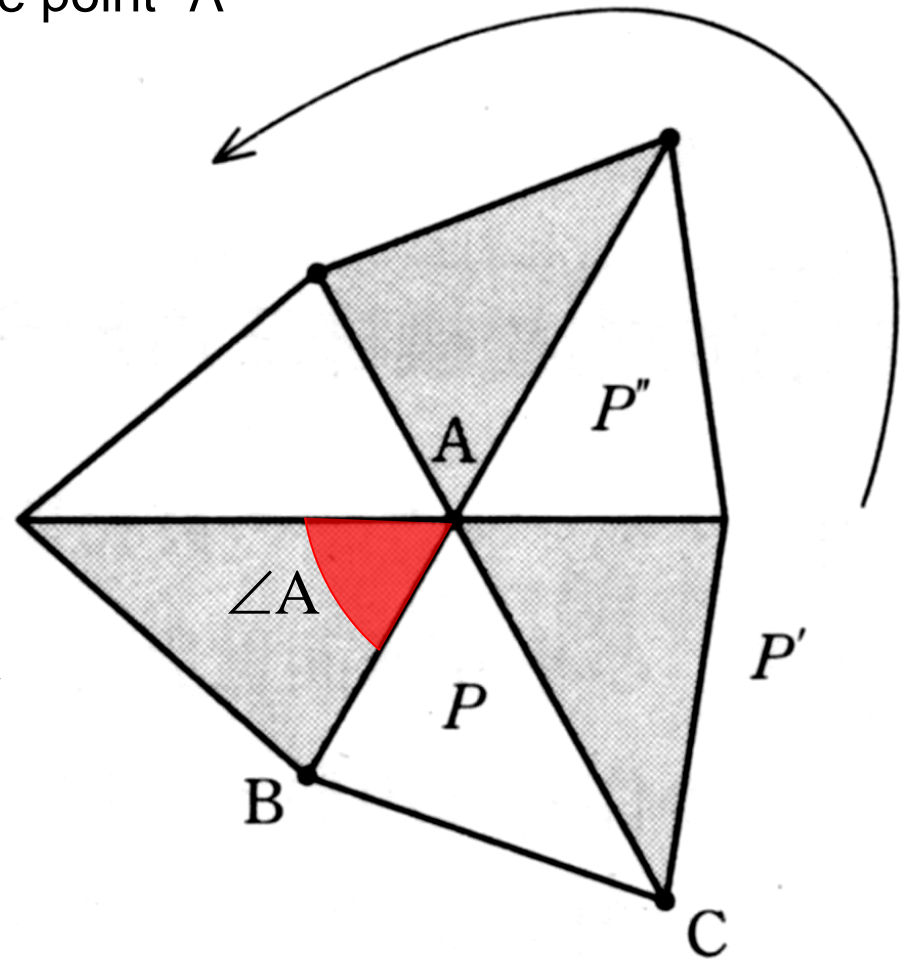
Necessary condition:

$$\rightarrow 2a\angle A = 2\pi$$

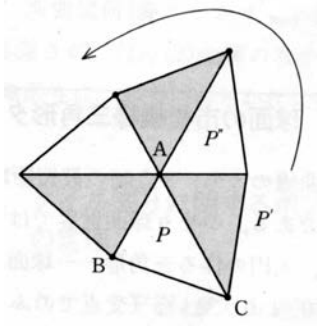


Suppose that the condition holds for all three points: A, B, C; that is,

$$\begin{cases} 2a\angle A = 2\pi \\ 2b\angle B = 2\pi \\ 2c\angle C = 2\pi \end{cases} \dots \textcircled{1}$$



# 2. Hyperbolic lattice



(1) On a flat plane:

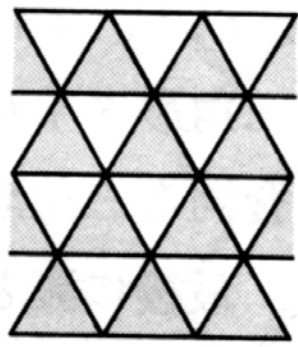
$$\begin{cases} 2a\angle A = 2\pi \\ 2b\angle B = 2\pi \\ 2c\angle C = 2\pi \end{cases} \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C = \pi \dots \textcircled{2}$$

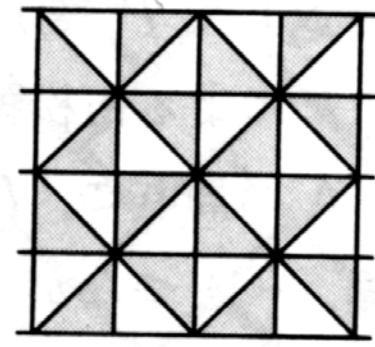
From ① and ②,

$$\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} = 1$$

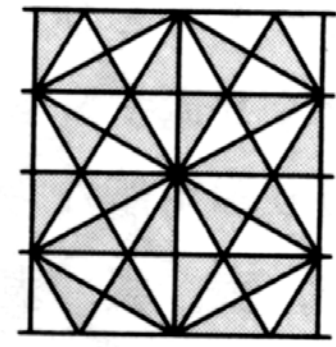
|     | <i>a</i> | <i>b</i> | <i>c</i> |            |
|-----|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| (△) | 3        | 3        | 3        | triangular |
| (□) | 4        | 4        | 2        | square     |
| (⋈) | 6        | 3        | 2        | honeycomb  |



(△)



(□)



(⋈)

## 2. Hyperbolic lattice

(2) On a hyperbolic plane:

$$\begin{cases} 2a\angle A = 2\pi \\ 2b\angle B = 2\pi \\ 2c\angle C = 2\pi \end{cases} \dots \textcircled{1}$$

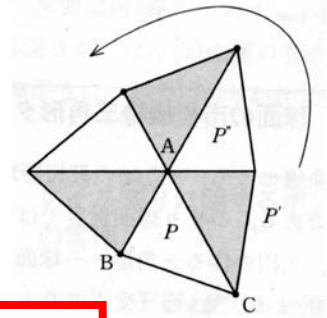
$$\angle A + \angle B + \angle C < \pi$$

$\dots \textcircled{2}$

From  $\textcircled{1}$  &  $\textcircled{2}$ ,

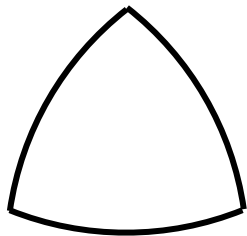
$$\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} < 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (a, b, c) &= (n \geq 7, 3, 2), \\ &(n \geq 5, 4, 2), (n \geq 4, 3, 3) \end{aligned}$$



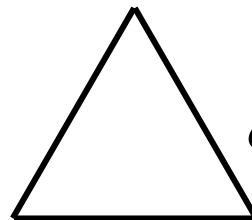
Gauss-Bonne's theorem:  $\sigma(\Delta) = \pi + KS$

$$K > 0$$



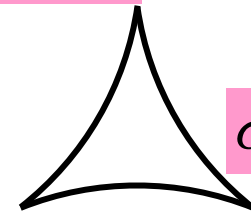
$$\sigma(\Delta) > \pi$$

$$K = 0$$



$$\sigma(\Delta) = \pi$$

$$K < 0$$

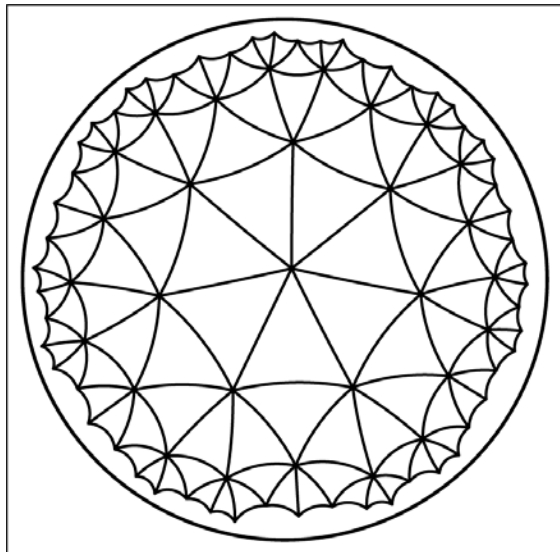


$$\sigma(\Delta) < \pi$$

## 2. Hyperbolic lattice

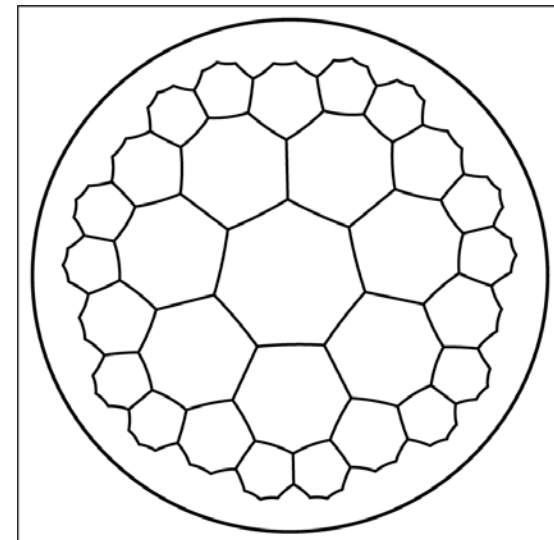
### Triangular

| L | Sites |
|---|-------|
| 5 | 617   |
| 6 | 1625  |
| 7 | 4264  |
| 8 | 11173 |
| 9 | 29261 |



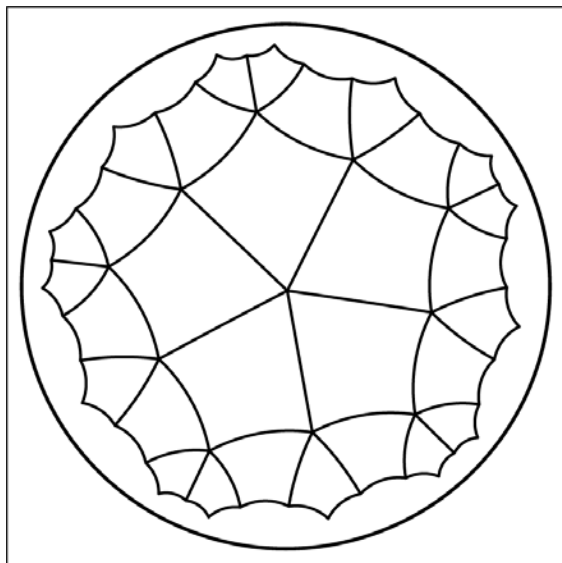
### Heptagonal

| L | Sites |
|---|-------|
| 5 | 847   |
| 6 | 2240  |
| 7 | 5887  |
| 8 | 15435 |
| 9 | 40432 |



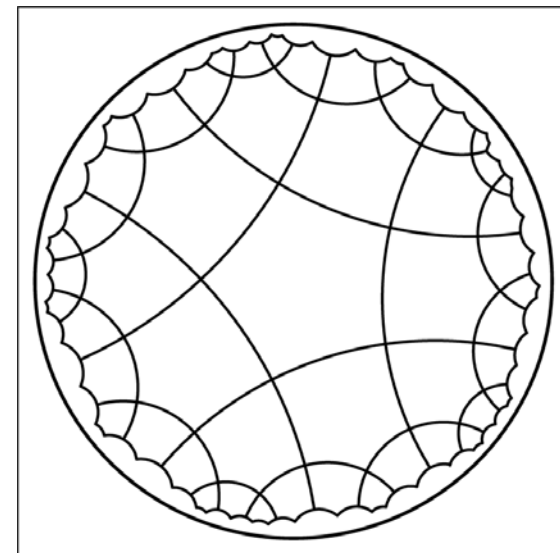
### Square

| L | Sites |
|---|-------|
| 3 | 201   |
| 4 | 761   |
| 5 | 2851  |
| 6 | 10651 |
| 7 | 39761 |



### Pentagonal

| L | Sites |
|---|-------|
| 4 | 480   |
| 5 | 1805  |
| 6 | 6750  |
| 7 | 25205 |
| 8 | 94080 |



# 3. Ising phase transition

## Spin lattice Model:

- Hamiltonian  $H = -J \sum_{i,j=1}^N \mathbf{s}_i \cdot \mathbf{s}_j \quad (J > 0)$

- Order parameter (Ising)

$$m = \sum_{i=1}^N s_i$$

- The magnetic susceptibility (Ising)

$$\chi = \frac{\langle m^2 \rangle - \langle m \rangle^2}{Nk_B T}$$

## Numerical conditions:

- System sizes

$$10^2 \leq N \leq 10^6 \quad (4 \leq L \leq 12)$$

- Method

- Canonical Monte Carlo simulation
- Cluster-flip algorithm
- Finite-size scaling analyses

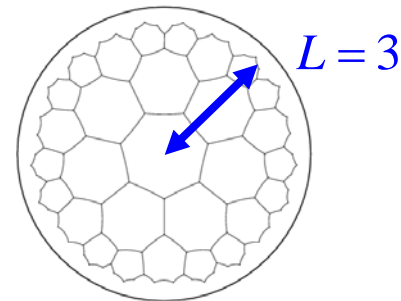
## An infinite variety of regular lattices:

Geometric condition:  $(p-2)(q-2) > 4$

... At each vertex, q regular p-sided polygons assumes to meet.

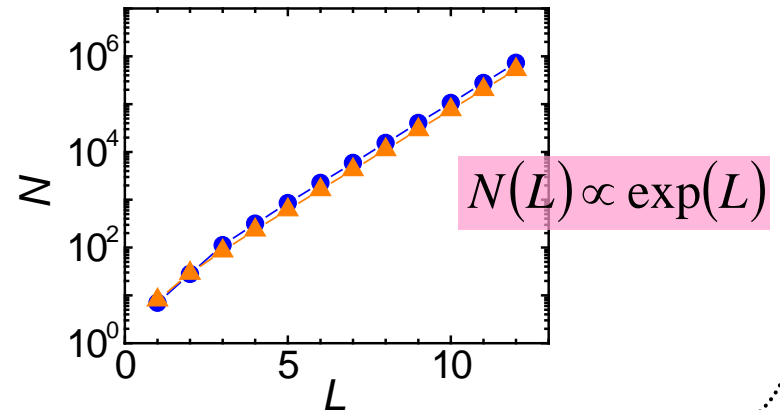
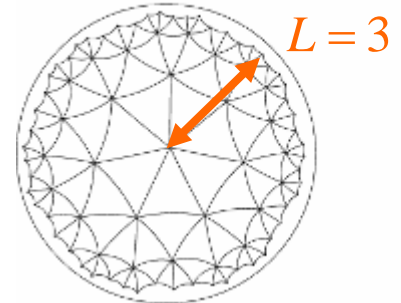
Heptagonal

$$[p, q] = [7, 3]$$



Triangular

$$[p, q] = [3, 7]$$

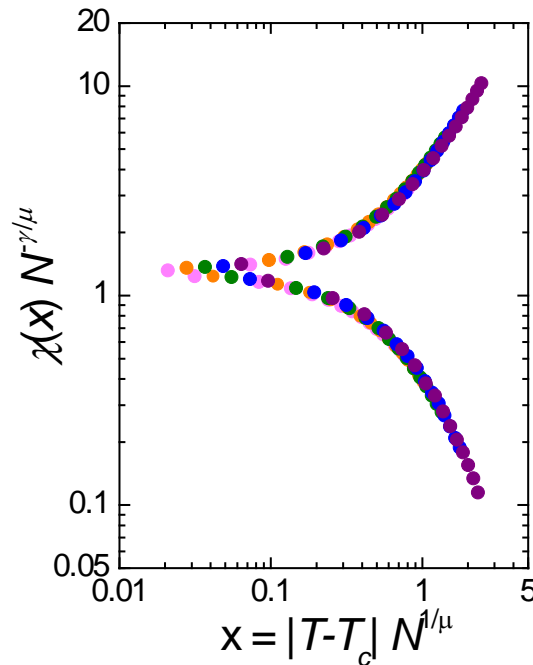
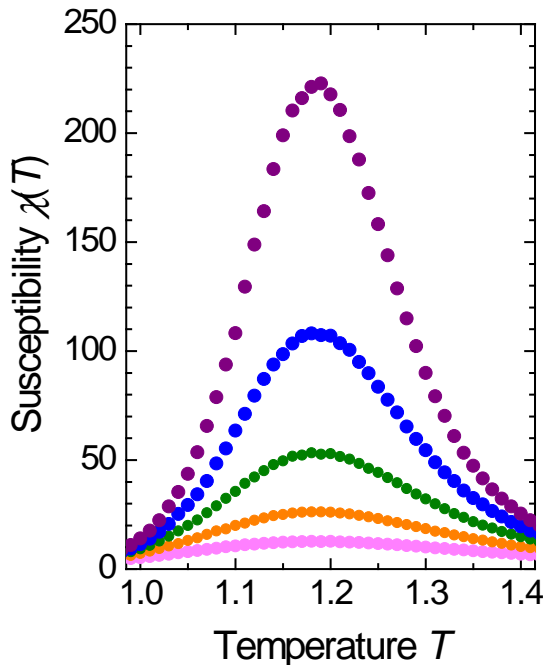
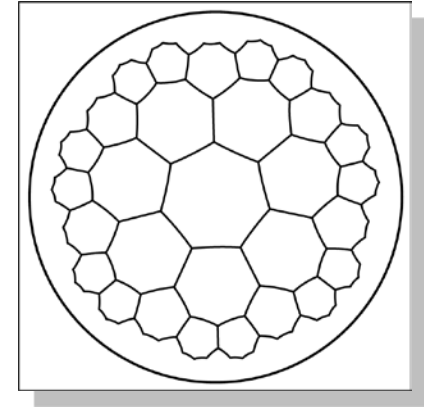


# 3. Ising phase transition

Divergence of the Susceptibility at  $T = T_C$  :

$$\begin{cases} \text{Intinite } N : \chi \propto |T - T_C|^{-\gamma} \\ \text{Finite } N : \chi \propto N^{\gamma/\mu} \cdot \chi_0(|T - T_C| N^{1/\mu}) \end{cases}$$

- Correlation volume:  $\xi_V \propto \xi^d \propto |T - T_C|^{-d\nu} = |T - T_C|^{-\mu}$



Results:

$\gamma = 2.28 \pm 0.02$  ~~↔~~  $\gamma_{2D} = 7/4$

$\mu = 3.46 \pm 0.01$  ~~↔~~  $\mu_{2D} = 2$   
( $\nu_{2D} = 1$ )

$T_C = 1.253 \pm 0.001$

Quantitative differences from those of the 2D Ising model



# 3. Ising phase transition

## Persistent boundary-spin effects:

The total number of spins:

$$L \gg 1 \longrightarrow N(L) \propto e^L$$

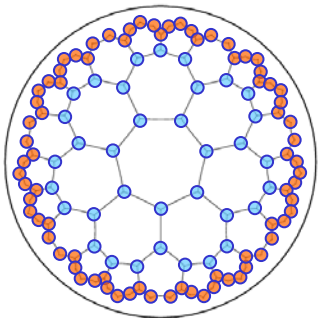
The fraction of boundary spins:

$$\frac{N(L) - N(L-1)}{N(L)} = \frac{N_s(L)}{N(L)} \rightarrow 1 - e^{-1}$$

To evaluate the bulk critical exponents,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Up-date process: } s_i \text{ within } L \\ \text{Summation process: } s_i \text{ within } L_{\text{in}} \left( m = \sum_{L_{\text{in}}} s_i \right) \end{array} \right.$$

Ex.)  $L = L_{\text{in}} + \delta L = 3$



Interior layers:

$$L_{\text{in}} = 2$$

Disregarded layers:

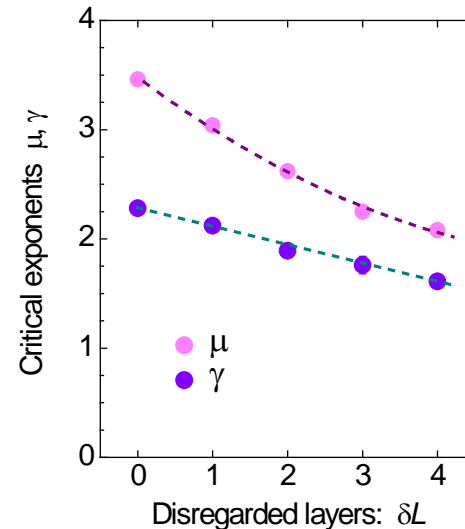
$$\delta L = 1$$

Asymptotic behavior for  $\delta L \gg 1$



**Bulk critical exponents**

(1) Numerical results:  $4 \leq L_{\text{in}} \leq 8$



**Mean-field behavior:**

$$\mu \rightarrow \mu_{\text{MF}} = 2$$

$$\gamma \rightarrow \gamma_{\text{MF}} = 1$$

## 4. Perspective

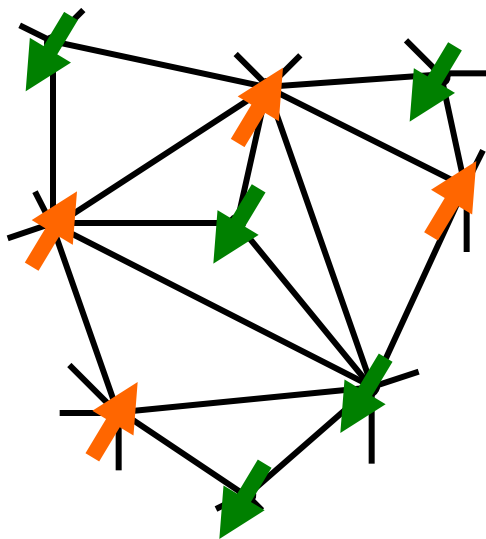
— From Ising models to Quantum gravity —

Continuum limit

Ising models on regular lattices  $\longrightarrow$  Fermions in the flat continuum space(time)

Ising models on random lattices  $\longrightarrow$  Fermions moving in gravitational fields

Random tiling by triangles  
(= Counting up all possible tiling pattern by various triangles)  $\longrightarrow$  Quantum fluctuation of gravity  
(= Counting up all possible local curvature in spacetime)



Ex.) Random lattice on a 2D closed surface



Discrete models of 2D quantum gravity

N. Kawamoto *et al.*, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **68**, 2113 (1992).



Establishing the GUT via discrete lattices

# 5. Summary

- We have numerically studied the critical behavior of the spin model defined on a curved surface with a constant negative curvature.
- **Ising critical exponents** deviate quantitatively from those for the Ising lattice model on a flat plane.

$$\gamma \rightarrow \gamma_{\text{MF}} = 1 \quad \mu \rightarrow \nu_{\text{MF}} d_C = 2 \quad \bar{z} \rightarrow z_{\text{MF}} / d_C = 1/2$$
$$\left( \nu_{\text{MF}} = 1/2 \right) \quad \left( z_{\text{MF}} = 2 \right)$$

- The XY model exhibits **glassy behavior** without disorder.

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- Increasing spin-glass susceptibility at low T
- Increasing relaxation time at low T

- Zero-temperature XY glass transition

- XY spins are not completely frozen out at finite T
- High-energy clusters fluctuate even at low enough T

➔ **Geometric curvature** induces **essential alterations** in **critical properties** of the embedded spin lattice model.

