

The Einstein-Maxwell Equations

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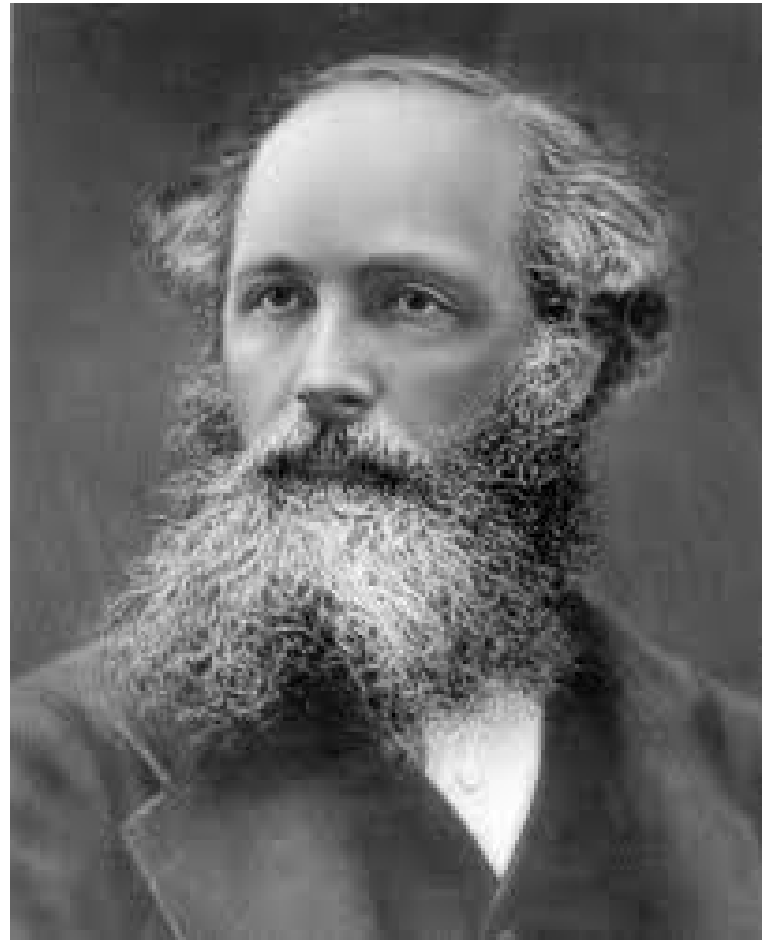
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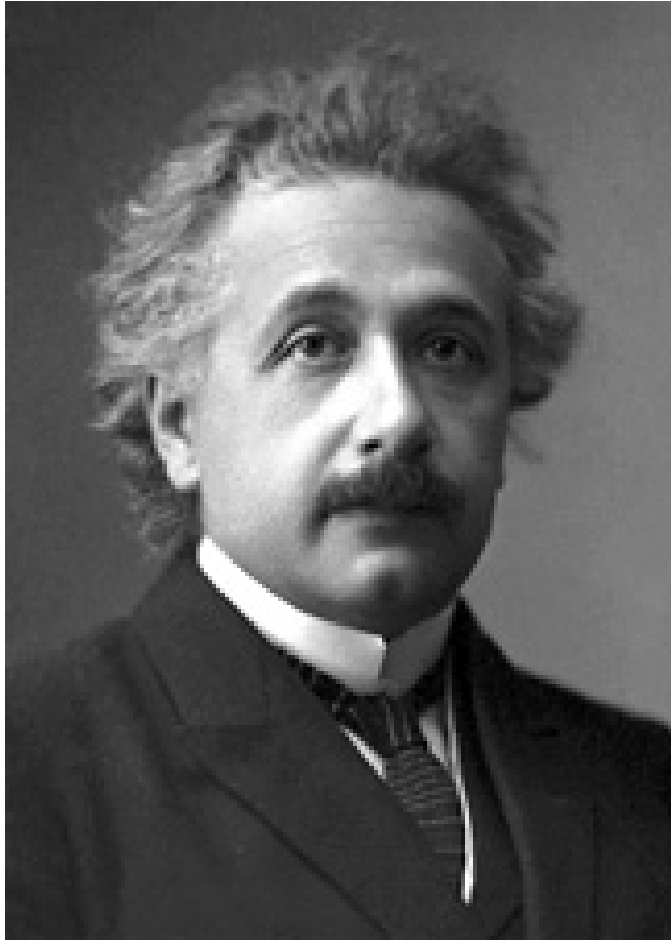
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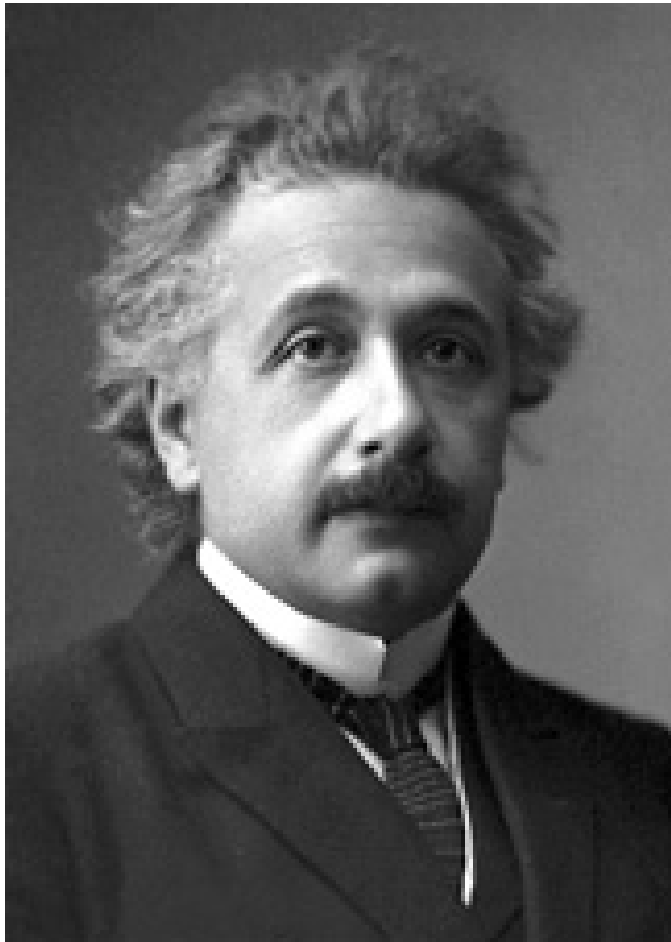
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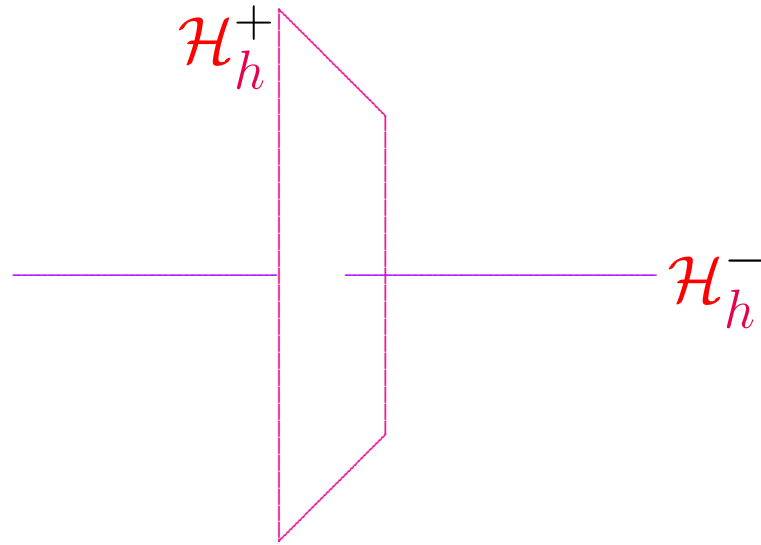
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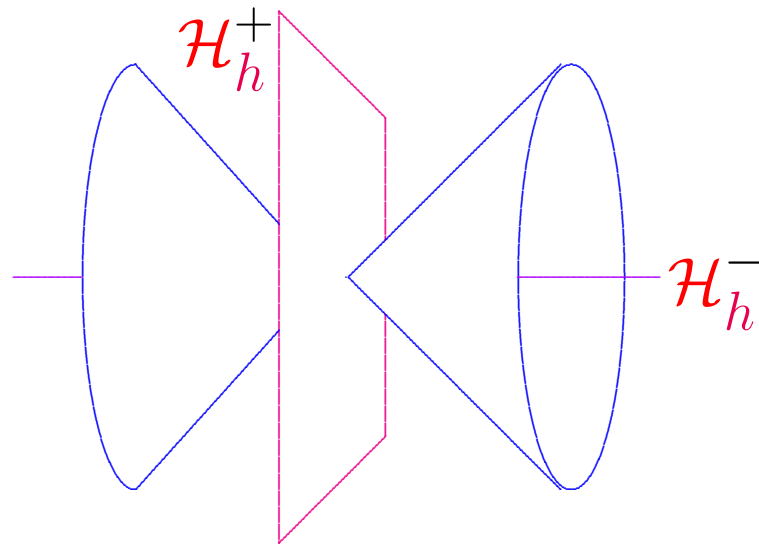
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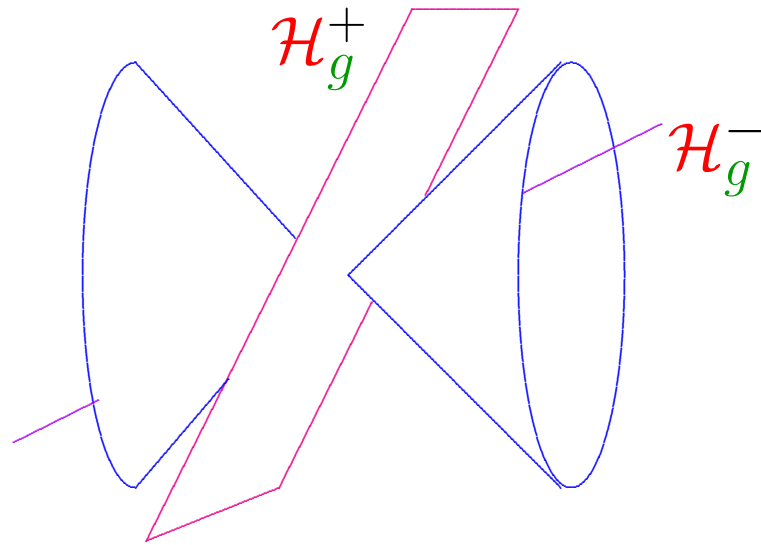
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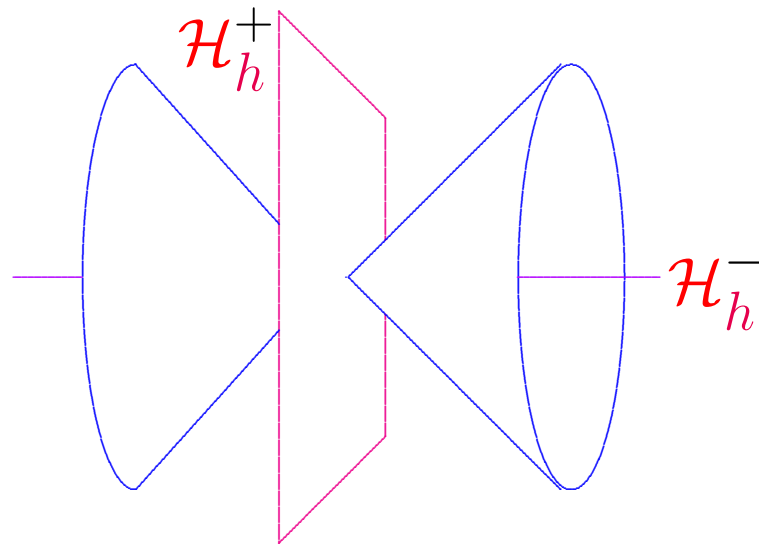
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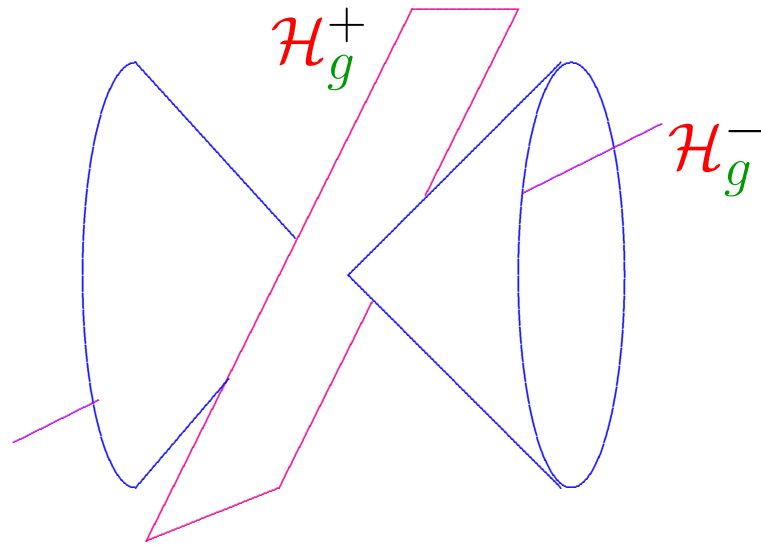
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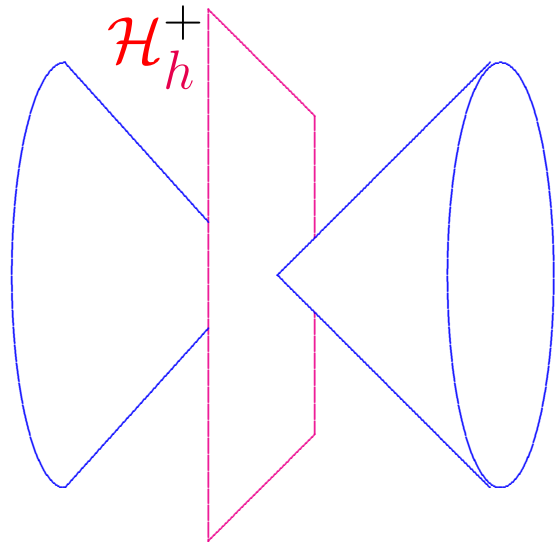
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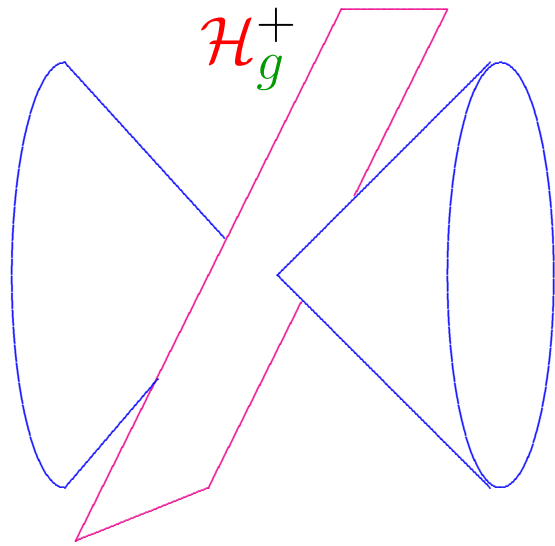
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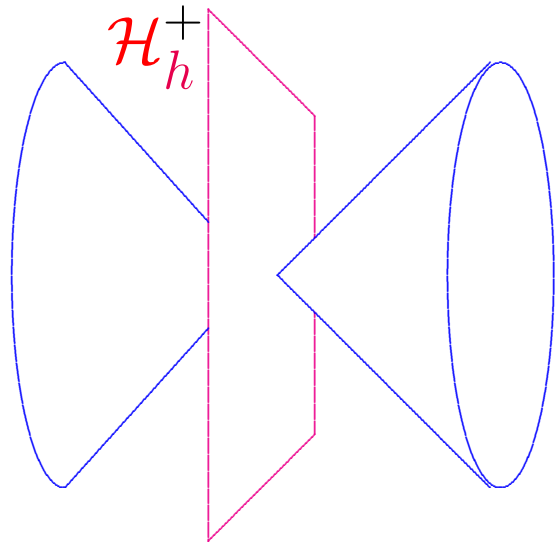
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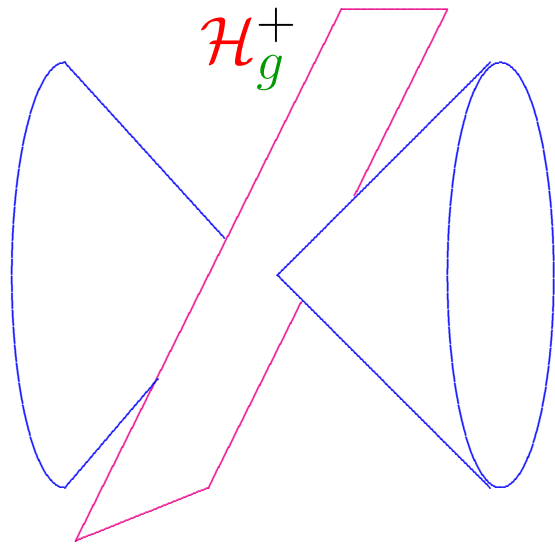
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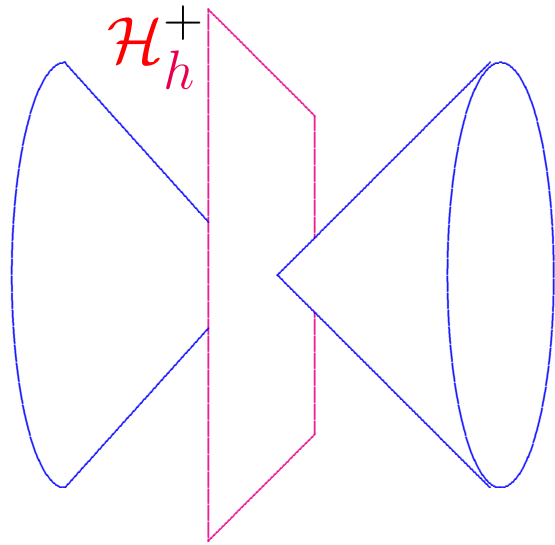
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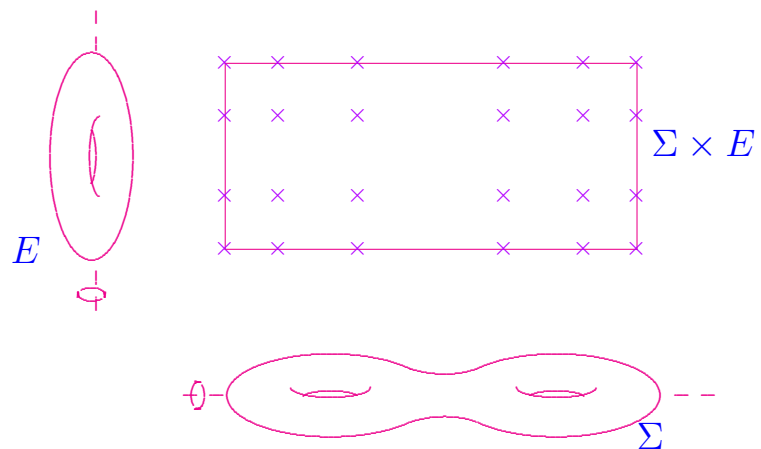
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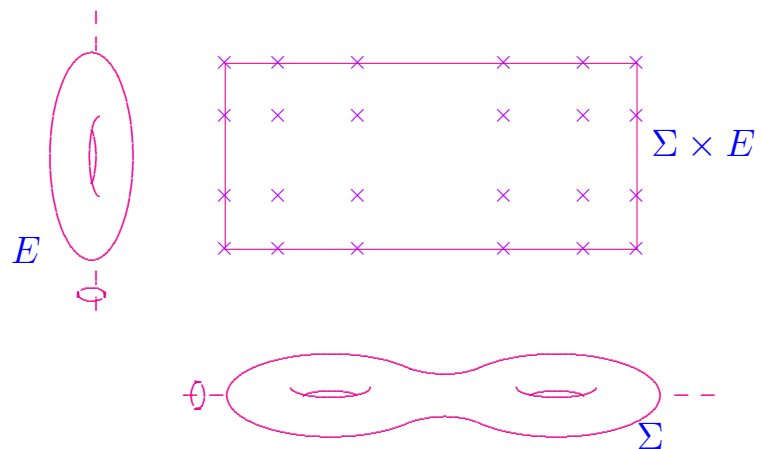
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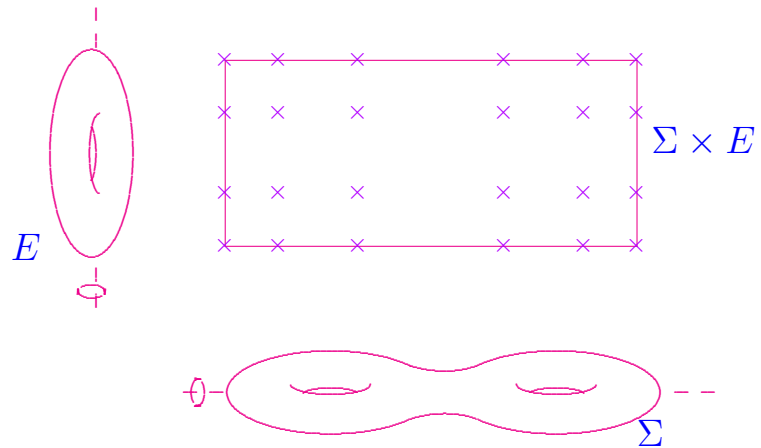


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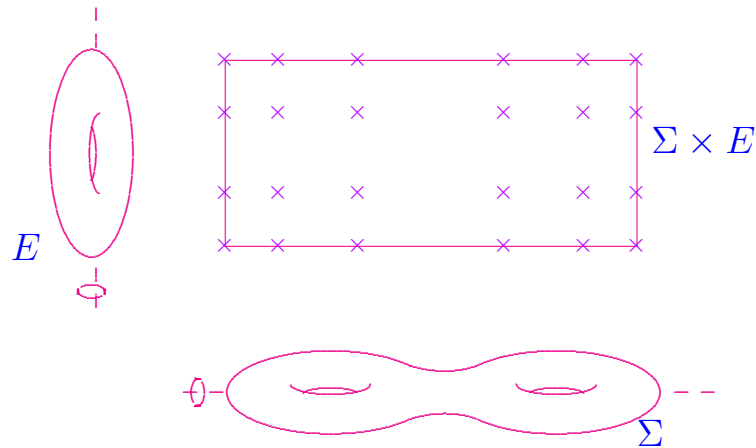
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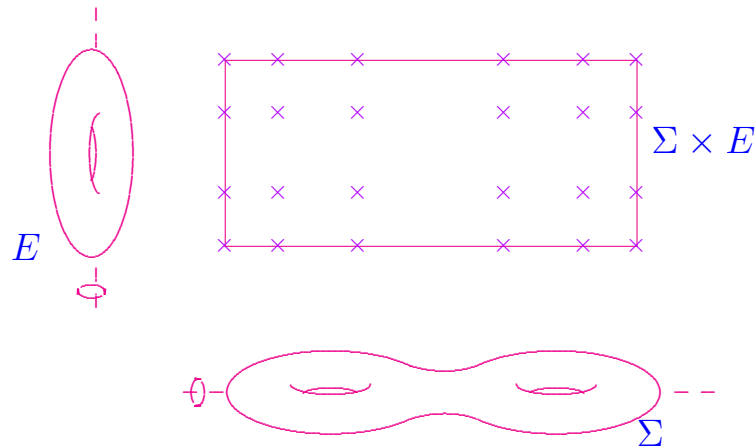


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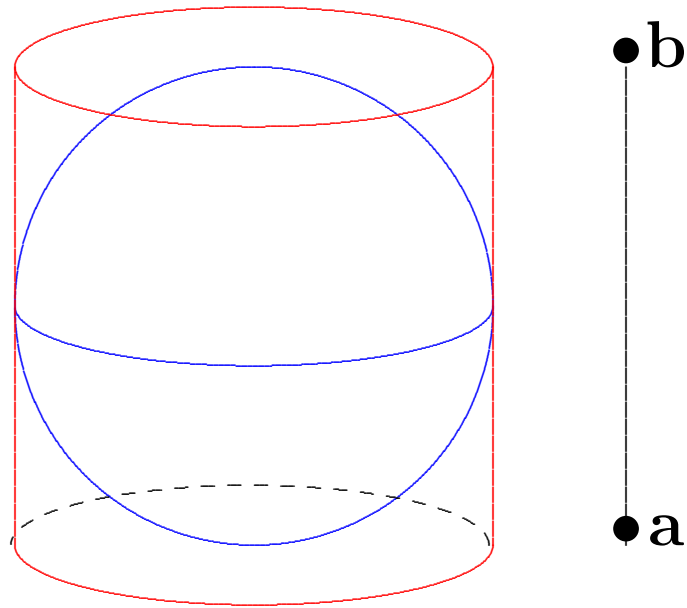
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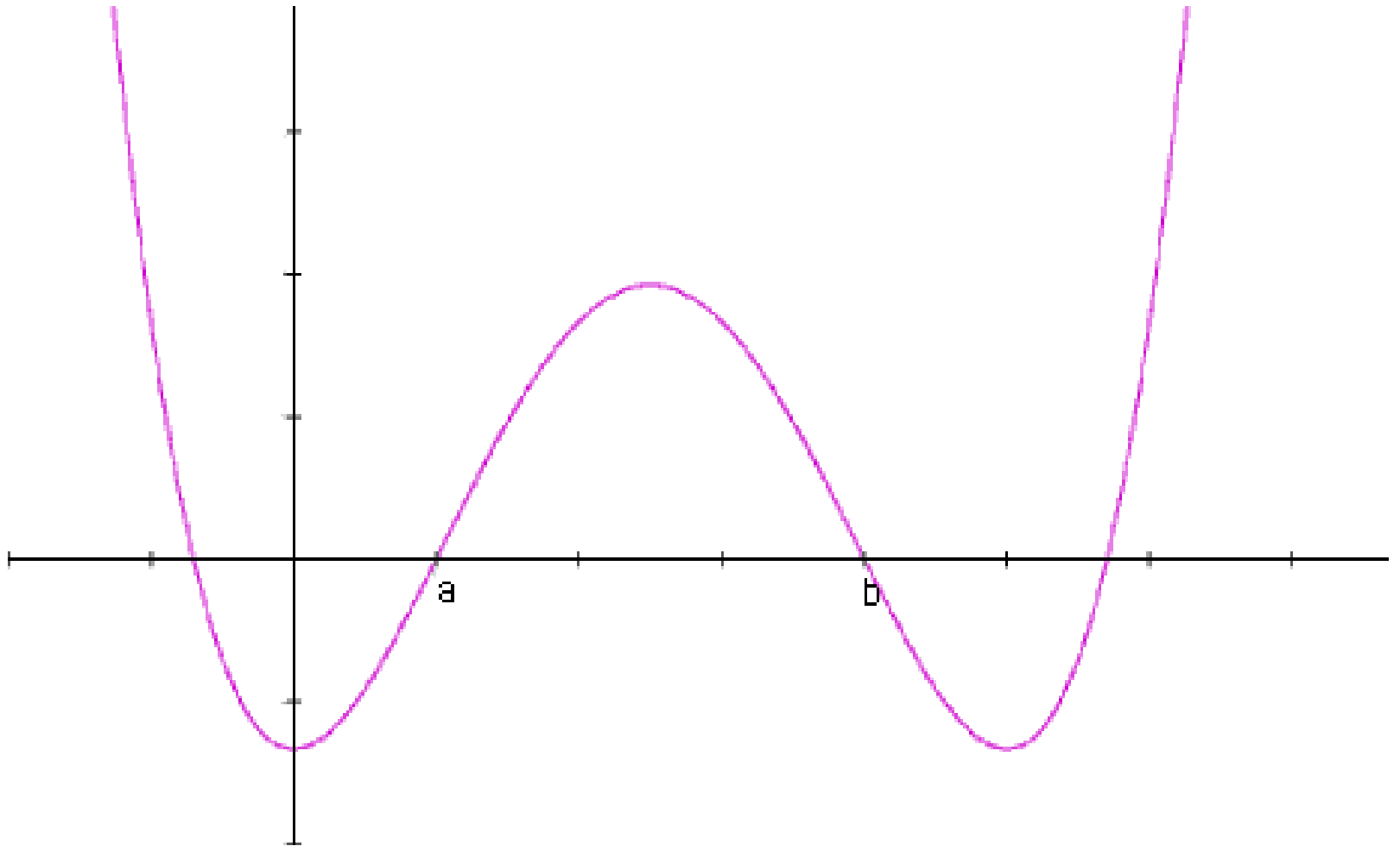
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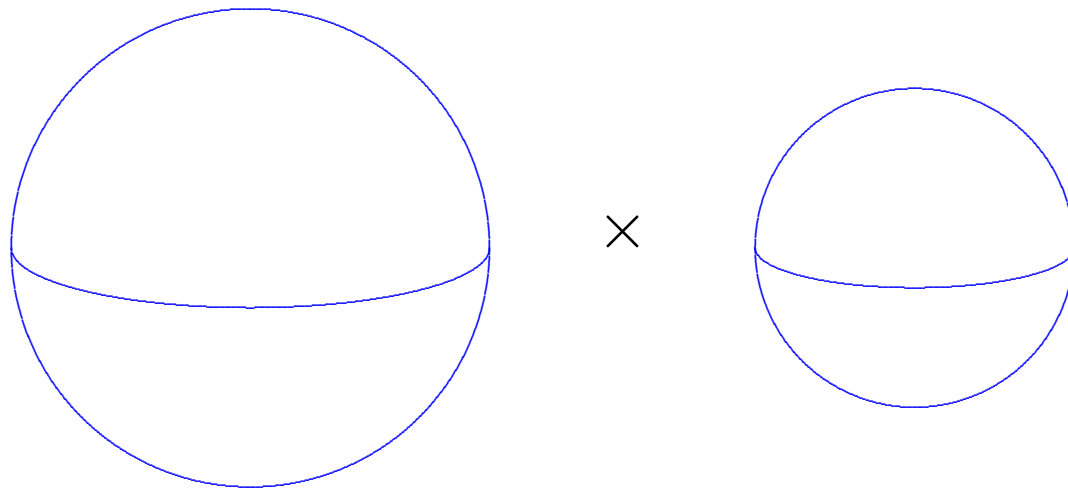
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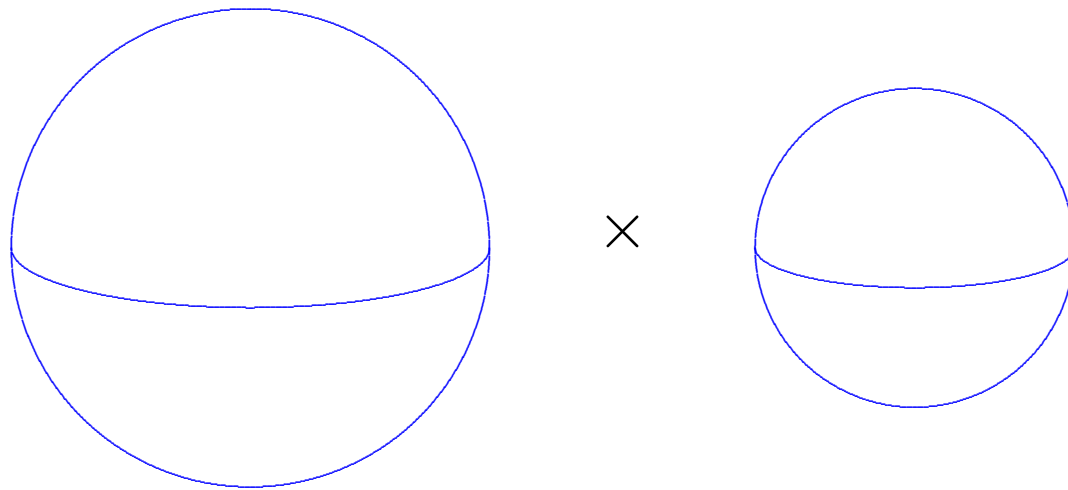
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- Non-Kähler surfaces with $p_g \neq 0$?
- Essentially non-Kähler solutions?
- General 4-manifolds?