- 1. Cubulate $\langle a, b, c \mid a^2 b^2 c^2 b a c \rangle$.
- 2. Find an inifinite NPC cube complex with two embedded hyperplanes.
- 3. Find an infinite NPC cube complex with one hyperplane.
- 4. Find the link of vertex in a product of two
 - (a) trees
 - (b) CAT(0) cube complexes.
- 5. (\star) Show that a CAT(0) cube complex is a product of two trees if and only if the link of each vertex is a complete bipartite graph.
- 6. Show that the Salvetti complex is nonpositively curved.
- 7. Are the hyperplanes in the Salvetti complex the Salvetti complexes? If so, what is the corresponding graph?
- 8. $(\star\star)$ Show that a finitely generated torsion-group cannot act on a finite dimensional CAT(0) cube complex without a global fixed point.
- 9. Let α, β, γ be ultrafilters and let

 $med(\alpha,\beta,\gamma) = (\alpha \cup \beta) \cap (\alpha \cup \gamma) \cap (\beta \cup \gamma) = (\alpha \cap \beta) \cup (\alpha \cap \gamma) \cup (\beta \cap \gamma).$

Show that $med(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ is an ultrafilter.

- 10. Let $[\alpha, \beta] = \{\gamma \mid med(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \gamma\}$. Show that when α, β are vertices of X then $[\alpha, \beta]$ consists of the vertices of X which lie on 1-skeleton geodesics between α and β .
- 11. (*) Show that when X is of dimension n then $[\alpha, \beta]$ embeds in \mathbb{E}^n .
- 12. Describe the cube complex corresponding to the space with walls (three families of parallel lines on the plane):



- 13. Let α be a (self-intersecting) geodesic closed curve on a closed surface of genus $g \geq 2$. Show that there exists a bound on the number of lifts of α to \mathbb{H}^2 that pairwise intersect.
- 14. Show that H is separable if and only if for every $g \in G H$ there exists a finite group F and a homomorphism $\phi : G \to F$ such that $\phi(g) \notin \phi(H)$.
- 15. Show that $\mathcal{B} = \{\text{cosets of finite index subgroups}\}\$ is a basis for a topology (called *profinite topology*).
- 16. Show that H is separable if and only if H is closed in the profinite topology.
- 17. If G is residually finite and H is a virtual retract then H is separable.
- 18. Let $f: X \to Y$ be a local isometry of cube complexes. Show that if Y is NPC then so is X. Show that $f_*: \pi_1 X \to \pi_1 Y$ is injective.
- 19. Hallucinate about the canonical completion and retraction.