

Let's begin very simple:

Sphere:

Surface  $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = 1$  in  $ds^2 = dx_1^2 + dx_2^2 + dx_3^2$

is a sphere  $S^2$ : constant positive unit curvature

Symmetry  $SO(3)$  is manifest

Hyperboloid:  $-x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = -1$  in  $ds^2 = -dx_1^2 + dx_2^2 + dx_3^2$

$SO(2,1)$

Now with Time

deSitter<sub>1+1</sub>  $-x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = +1$  in  $ds^2 = -dx_1^2 + dx_2^2 + dx_3^2$

$SO(1,2) \sim SL(2, \mathbb{R})$

Anti-deSitter<sub>1+1</sub>

$-x_1^2 - x_2^2 + x_3^2 = -1$  in  $ds^2 = -dx_1^2 - dx_2^2 + dx_3^2$

$SO(2,1) \sim SL(2, \mathbb{R})$

Sphere  $S^n$  with  $\bar{x}_{n+1} = (x_1, \dots, x_{n+1})$

$\bar{x}_{n+1}^2 = 1$  in  $ds^2 = d\bar{x}_{n+1}^2$

$SO(n)$

## Anti-de Sitter<sub>n</sub>

$$-x_1^2 - x_2^2 + \bar{x}_{n-1}^2 = -1 \quad \text{in} \quad ds^2 = -dx_1^2 - dx_2^2 + d\bar{x}_{n-1}^2$$

$$SO(2, n-1)$$

Coordinates:

$$\underbrace{-x_1^2 - x_2^2}_{\text{polars}} + \underbrace{\bar{x}_{n-1}^2}_{\text{spherical}} = -1 \quad \text{in} \quad ds^2 = -dx_1^2 - dx_2^2 + d\bar{x}_{n-1}^2$$

$$x_1 = \sqrt{r^2 + 1} \cos t \quad \bar{x}_{n-1}^2 = r^2$$

$$x_2 = \sqrt{r^2 + 1} \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow ds^2 = -(r^2 + 1) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{r^2 + 1} + r^2 d\Omega_{n-2}$$

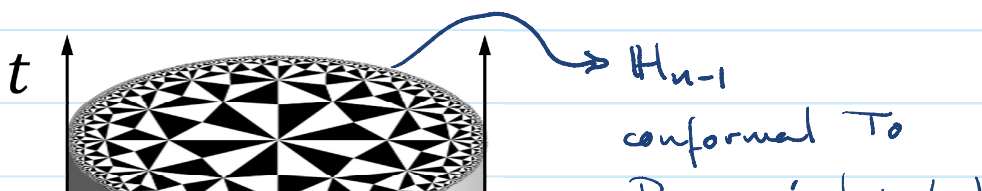
unwrap  $t$ : global covering of AdS

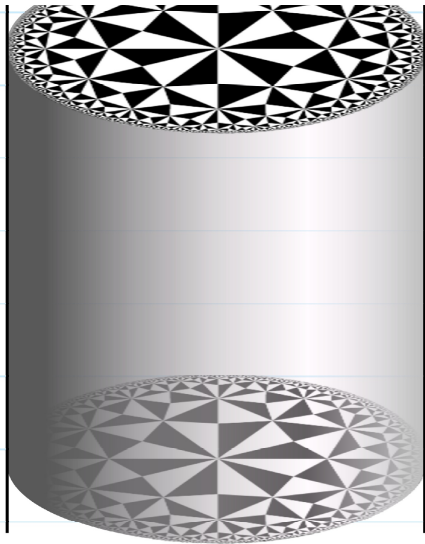
With curvature radius  $L$ :

$$ds^2 = -\left(\frac{r^2}{L^2} + 1\right) dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{\frac{r^2}{L^2} + 1} + r^2 d\Omega_{n-2}$$

Spatial part:

$$ds^2 = -(r^2 + 1) dt^2 + \underbrace{\frac{dr^2}{r^2 + 1} + r^2 d\Omega_{n-1}}_{\text{Hyperboloid } H_{n-1}}$$

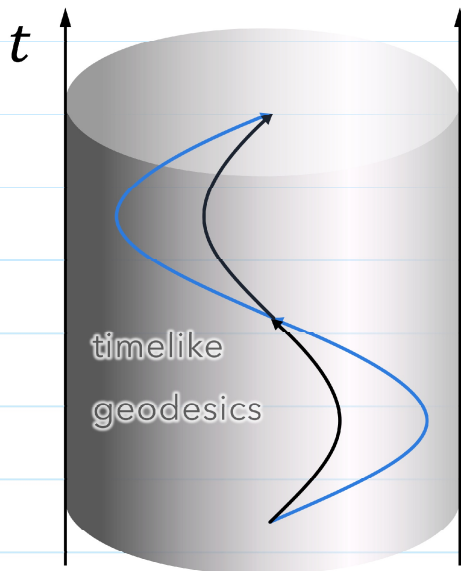
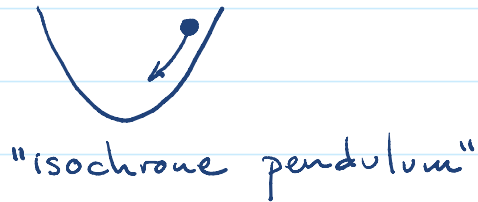




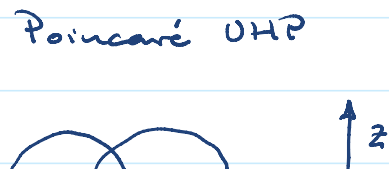
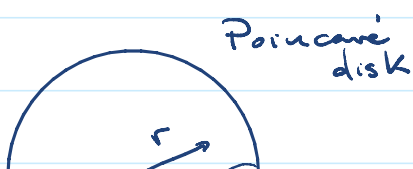
conformal To  
Poincaré disk/sphere

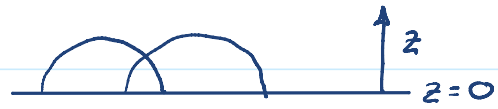
Time:

$$ds^2 = -\underbrace{(r^2+1)}_{\text{gravitational potential}} dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{r^2+1} + r^2 d\Omega_{n-1}$$



Poincaré upper-half plane representation





$$ds^2 = -(r^2+1)dt^2 + \frac{dr^2}{r^2+1} + r^2 d\Omega_{n-2}$$

boundary  $\mathbb{R}_t \times S^{n-2}$   
 $(t, \Omega_{n-2})$

$$ds^2 = \frac{dz^2 - dt^2 + d\bar{x}_{n-2}^2}{z^2} \quad (\text{find the embedding})$$

boundary  $\mathbb{R}_t \times \mathbb{R}^{n-2}$   
 $x^\mu = (t, \bar{x}_{n-2})$

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Minkowski $_{n-1}$

Not a global cover:  
 horizon at  $z=\infty$

