

HOMEWORK SET 3
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1. Construct a complete hyperbolic 3-manifold by gluing up the sides of a regular ideal tetrahedron. The manifold M is called the *Gieseking manifold*. Show that the link of the cusp point of M is a Klein bottle.
2. Suppose that M is an orientable closed hyperbolic 3-manifold. Show that $\pi_1(M)$ does not contain a subgroup isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$. (*Hint*: Maybe you need to show first that any such subgroup would be parabolic.)
3. For any ideal tetrahedron T of \mathbb{H}^3 , show that the dihedral angles at opposite edges are equal to each other.
4. A *horocusp* $V = B/\Gamma$ is the quotient of a horoball $B \subset \mathbb{H}^3$ by a discrete rank-two parabolic subgroup Γ which stabilizes B . (So V is homeomorphic to $T^2 \times [0, +\infty)$.) Show that $\text{Area}_{\mathbb{H}}(\partial V) = \text{Vol}_{\mathbb{H}}(V)$.