Subject: The 30-Cell Puzzle

Posted by henryseg on Sun, 07 Oct 2012 10:04:41 GMT

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This is a new puzzle, designed/discovered by Saul Schleimer and myself. It is based on the 120-cell, one of the 4-dimensional regular polytopes, the analogues of the 3-dimensional regular polyhedra (the cube, tetrahedron, octahedron and so on). The goal is to assemble the 5 identical pieces shown in the first picture into the ring-like structure shown in the others. Each of the five pieces is made from six dodecahedral cells, giving the puzzle its name.

Shapeways shop YouTube video

Cheers.

Henry

File Attachments

1) 30-cell_puzzlemontage.jpg, downloaded 120 times

Subject: Re: The 30-Cell Puzzle

Posted by Magic on Sun, 14 Oct 2012 08:29:15 GMT

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4-D puzzles... Brillant!