

# Klee's tiling of $\ell_1(\Gamma)$ . Variations on a theme

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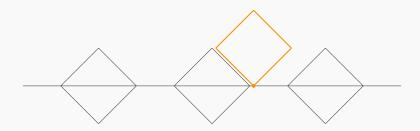
### Klee's tiling



- ▶ Klee (1981). A tiling of  $\ell_1(\mathbb{R})$  with disjoint balls of radius 1.
- Thm. **Klee, Maluta, Zanco (1986). Separable** rotund Banach spaces don't have tilings with balls.
  - ► Klee, Tricot (1987). Nor do separable smooth ones.
  - ▶ De Bernardi, Veselý (2017). LUR Banach spaces don't have tilings by balls.
    - Nor do Fréchet smooth ones.
  - Problem. Can a rotund/smooth Banach space have a tiling with balls?
  - ▶ De Bernardi, Veselý (2017). A tiling of  $\ell_1(\mathbb{R})$  with disjoint LUR (in particular, rotund) bodies.
  - ▶ The set  $\mathcal{D}$  of centers is (2+)-separated and 1-dense.
    - ▶ If  $d \neq h \in \mathcal{D}$ , then ||d h|| > 2.
    - For all  $x \in \mathcal{X}$  there is  $d \in \mathcal{D}$  with  $||x d|| \le 1$ .
  - ▶ In  $\ell_p(\mathbb{R})$  a  $(2^{1/p}+)$ -separated and 1-dense set.

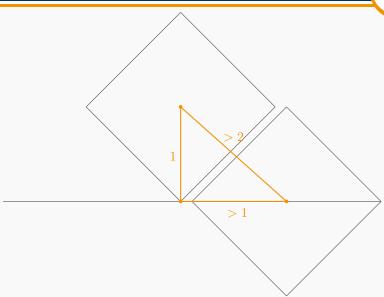
### Klee's proof in one picture





## Klee's proof in one picture The same, just bigger







Klee: In  $\ell_2(\Gamma)$  a  $(\sqrt{2}+)$ -separated and 1-dense set.

#### Theorem (De Bernardi, R., Somaglia)

 $\ell_2(\Gamma)$  contains a  $(\sqrt{2}+)$ -separated and 1-dense **subgroup**.

- ▶ So, there is a symmetric body whose translates tile  $\ell_2(\Gamma)$ .
- ▶ There exists a reflexive Banach space (isomorphic to  $\ell_2(\Gamma)$ ) that is tiled by balls of radius 1.
- ► Fonf, Lindenstrauss (1998). Can a reflexive space be tiled by translates of a convex body?
  - Repeated in Guirao, Montesinos, Zizler (2016) Open problems...
- In every infinite-dimensional Banach space  $\mathcal X$  there is a 1-separated and  $(1+\varepsilon)$ -dense subgroup.
  - Dilworth, Odell, Schlumprecht, Zsák (2008). X separable.

### A disjoint tiling from Badajoz



