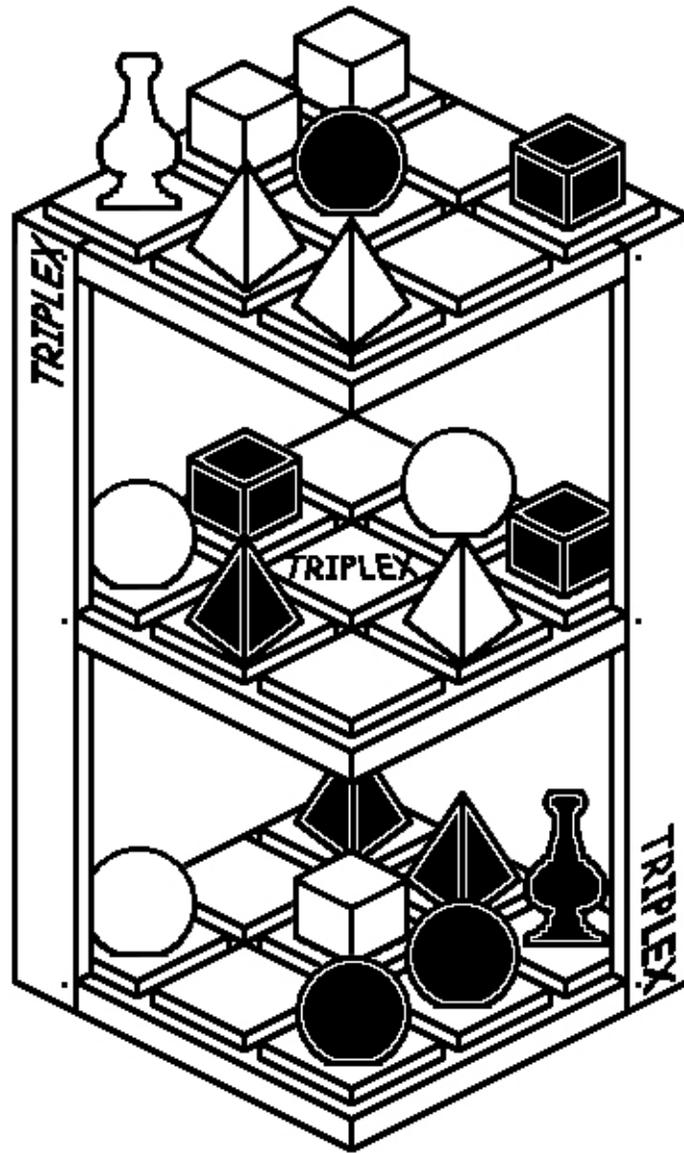


How to play



Tri-Plex Tower

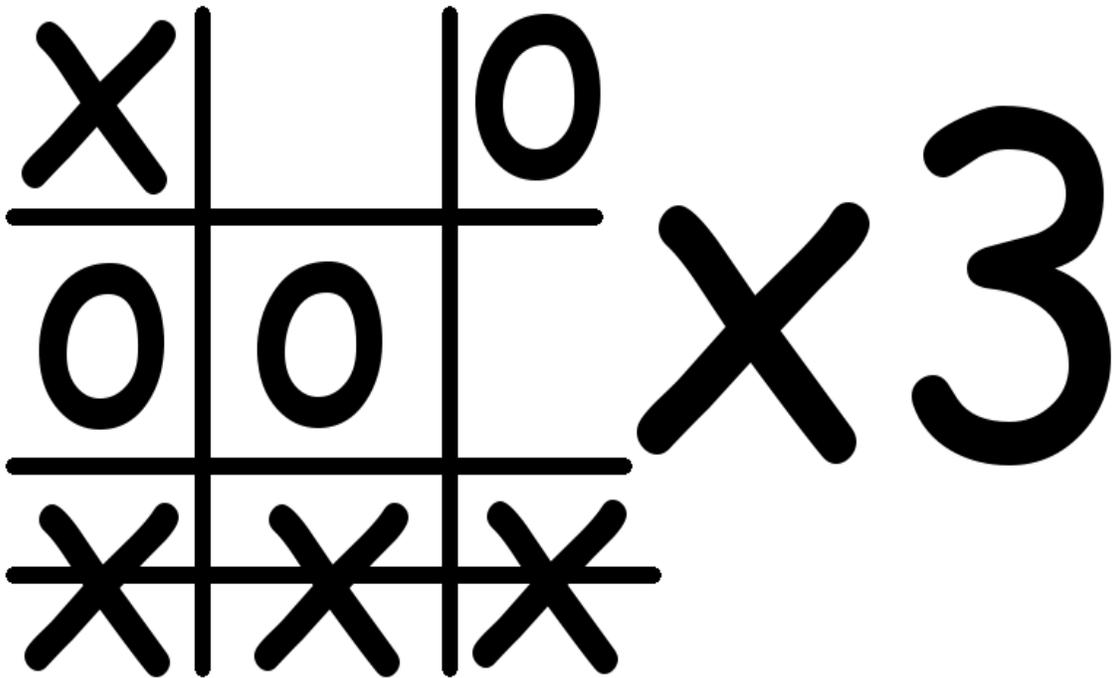
A Quick Note to Start

The best way to learn how to play Tri-Plex is from someone who knows how to play.

If a teacher is not available to you, then this booklet will help you begin to understand the basic ideas of how to play Tri-Plex.

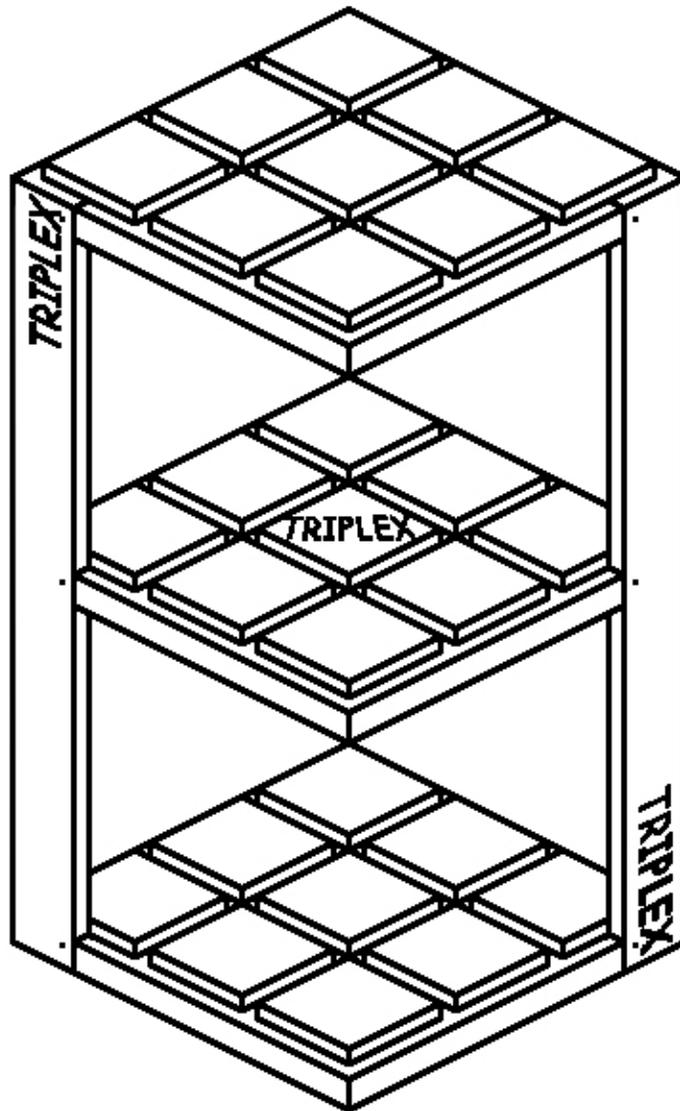
What is Tri-Plex?

Tri-Plex is simply
3 games of Tic Tac Toe,
all played at once,
on the same board,
with movable pieces.



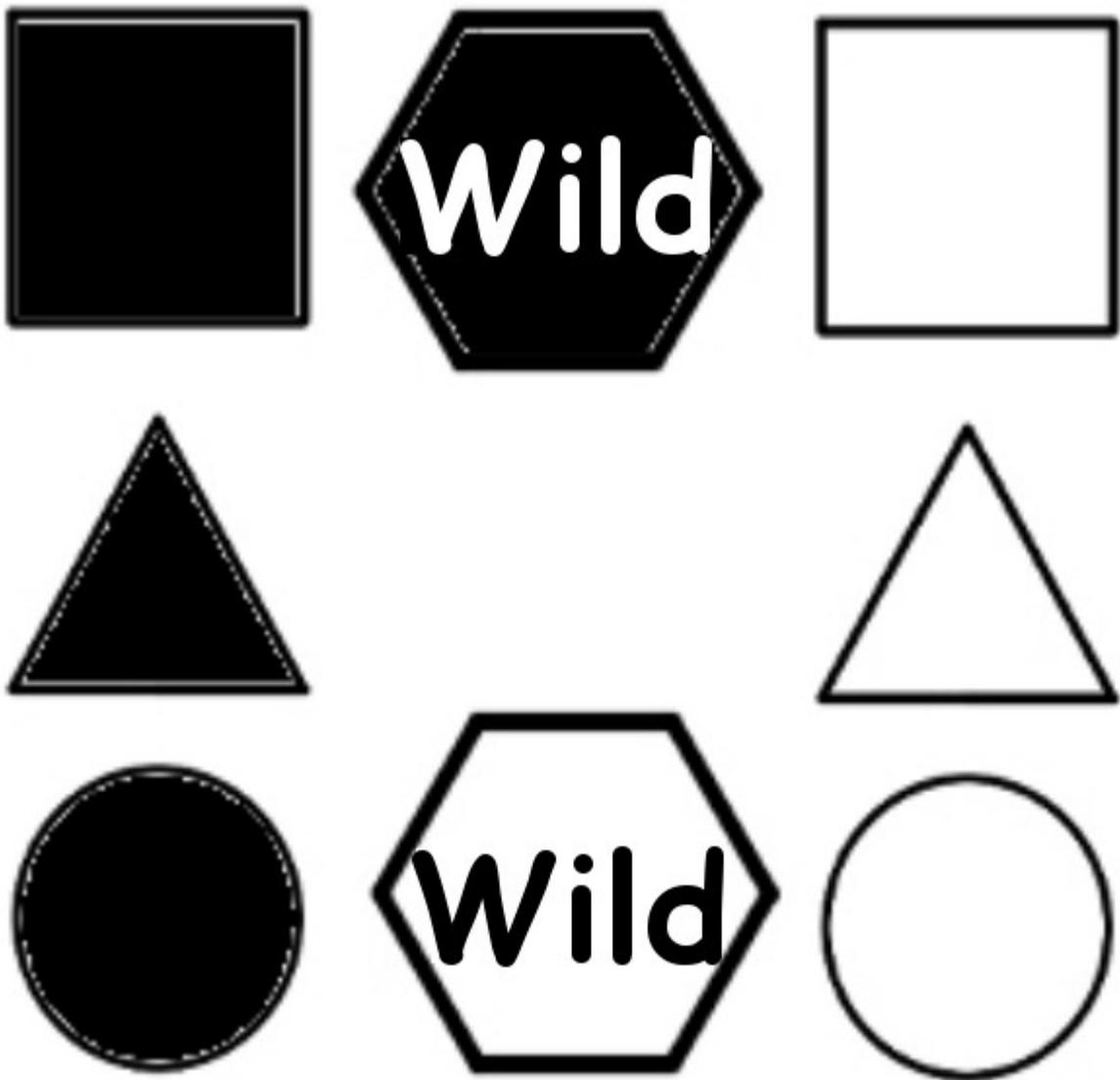
The Tower

This is the Tower board.
It is 3 Tic Tac Toe grids
stacked on top of each other,
creating a 3x3x3 playing area.



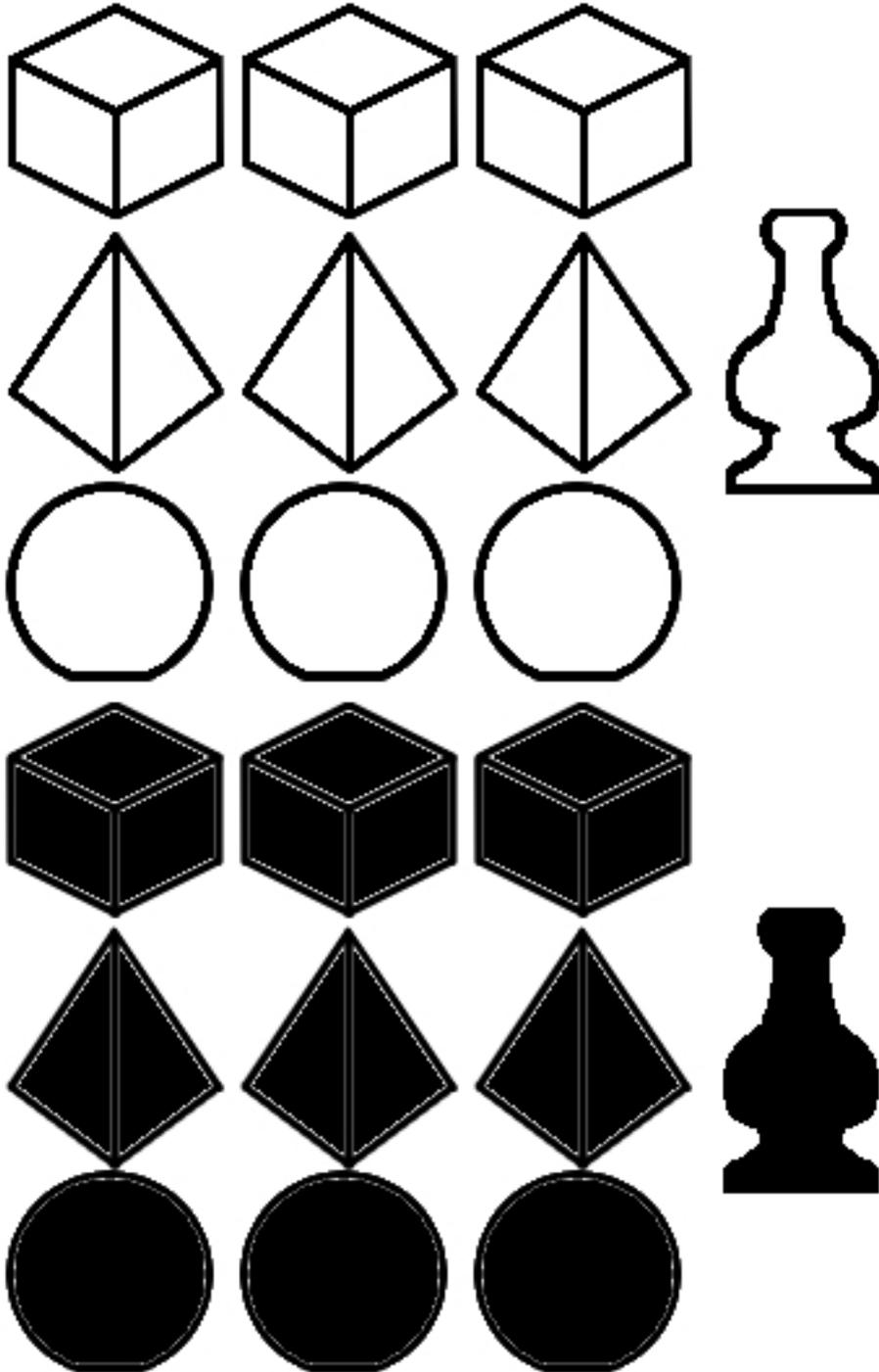
The Sets

There are 2 sets of pieces.
Each set has 4 types of pieces:
Squares, Triangles, Circles
and a Wild Piece.



The Pieces

There are 3 of each shape
& 1 Wild piece of both colors.

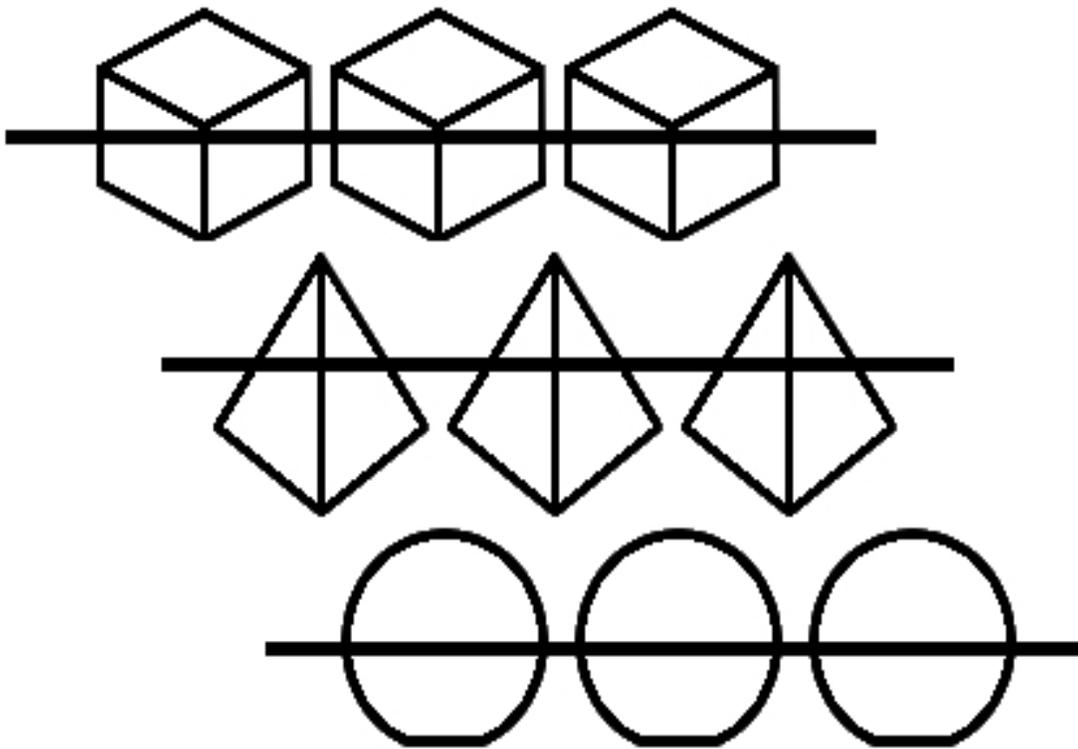


The Goal

The goal is just as simple
as that of Tic Tac Toe:

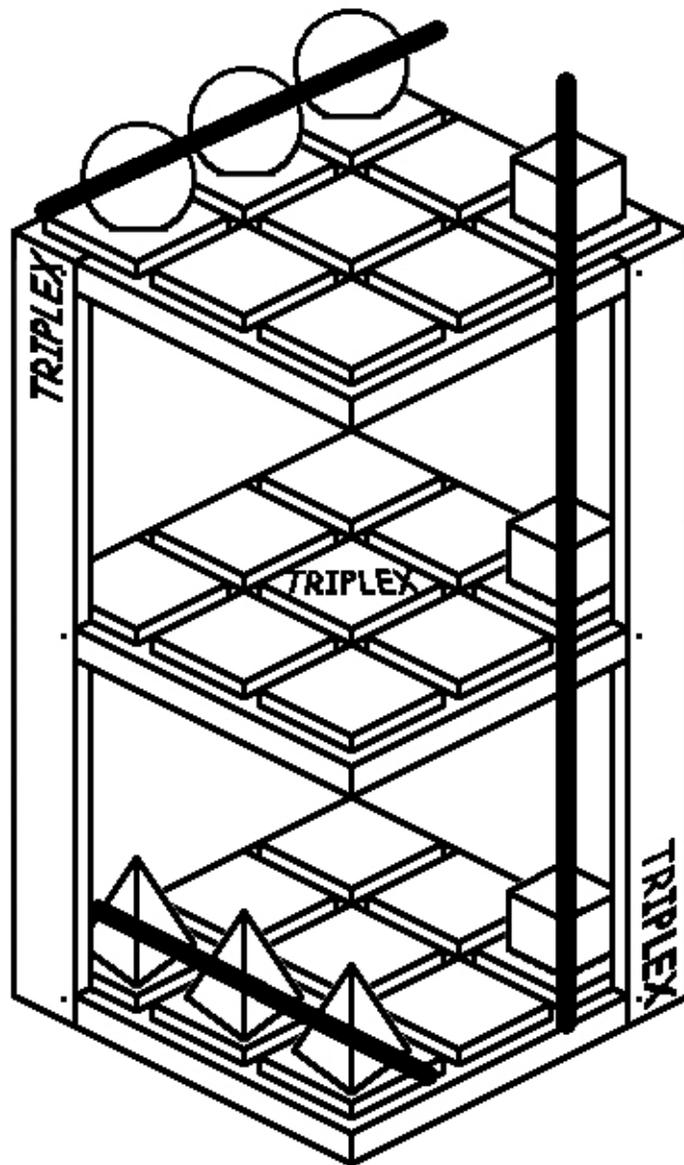
to get 3 in a row.

This is called an alignment.

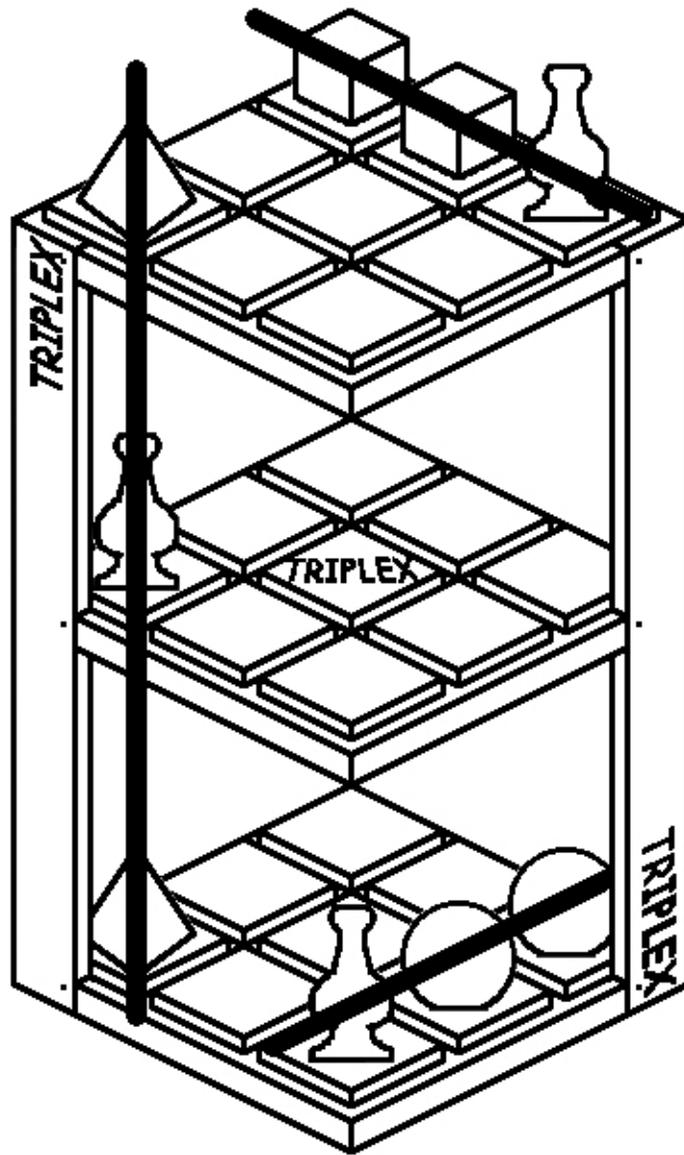


The Catch

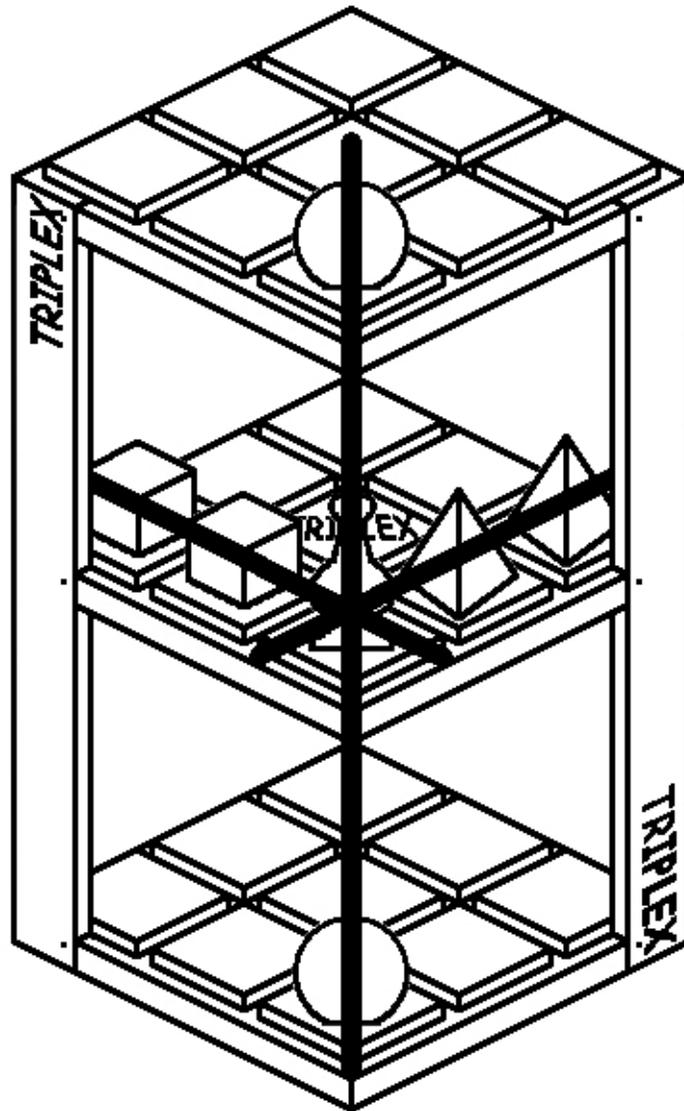
All 3 alignments, 1 of each type of piece, must be made at the same time.



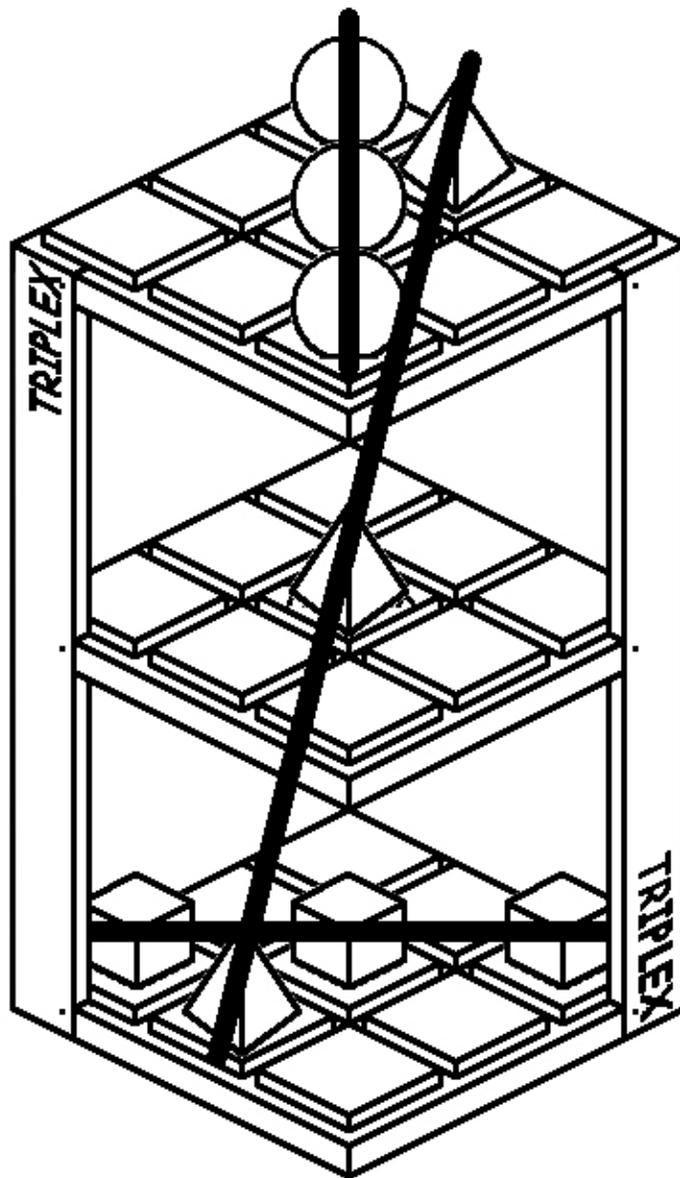
The Wild Piece
may be played
as any type of piece
in any alignment.



The Wild Piece
may also be played
in multiple alignments
at the same time.



The Tower Exception
On the Tower board
Diagonal alignments
are NOT allowed.



Summary

In turns, players play any one of their pieces into any open space. Once all pieces have been played onto the board, they may then be moved from space to any open space. Even if a piece is already part of an alignment, it may be moved and that alignment may be broken (which is the major strategy of the game). Remember that the goal of the game, in the end, is to form all 3 alignments at the same time.

The Goal

To be the first player to form
1 alignment of all 3 types of
pieces at the same time.

3 Rules

1. Players play any 1 of their own pieces into any open space.
2. All pieces must be played onto the board before they may be re-positioned.
3. Players may then move any 1 of their own pieces from where they were played into any open space.

The Wild Piece

May be played as any of
the other 3 types of pieces
in any alignment.

-and-

May be used in multiple
alignments at the same time.

Alignments

Must be announced upon
making and breaking.

-and-

May be broken
in order to reposition
them later in the game.

Etiquette

The last player to play all of their pieces onto the board is to then announce
ALL IN.

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You may spin the board, once **ALL IN** is announced, but only before (never after) you make your play.

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A piece may not be played back into the same space from which it was moved on the previous play.

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