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$SL(3, \mathbb{R})$

- simple group; trivial center
- exponential is *not* surjective

Proposition:

$$\underbrace{SO(3, \mathbb{R})}_K \times \underbrace{\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & & \\ & b & \\ & & c \end{bmatrix} \middle| \begin{matrix} a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}_{>0} \\ abc = 1 \end{matrix} \right\}}_A \times N(3, \mathbb{R}) \cong_{\text{Man}} SL(3, \mathbb{R})$$

Thus $SL(3, \mathbb{R})$ is diffeomorphic to $\mathbb{R}P^3 \times \mathbb{R}^5$.

Thus

$$\begin{array}{c} \widetilde{SL(3, \mathbb{R})} \\ \downarrow / \mathbb{Z}_2 \\ SL(3, \mathbb{R}) \end{array}$$

subgroups/extensions	quotient
$SO(3, \mathbb{R})$	symmetric space
A	
<u>Heisenberg_group</u> $H(3, \mathbb{R}) = N(3, \mathbb{R})$	
$\widetilde{SL(3, \mathbb{R})}$	$\mathbb{Z}_2$

Current note has 0 direct children and 0 total descendants.

- [squishy](#)
 - SL
 - $SL(3, \mathbb{R})$

And it has 15 siblings.

- [squishy](#)
 - SL
 - $\underline{SL}(\underline{\mathbb{Z}})$.
 - $SL(2)(\mathbb{C})$
 - $PSL(n, \mathbb{C})$
 - $SL(2)(\mathbb{R})$
 - $SL(2)(\mathbb{R}) / SL(2)(\mathbb{Z})$
 - H_q
 - $PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})[2]$
 - $[PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})[2], PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})[2\$]]$
 - $PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})[N]$
 - $SL(3, \mathbb{R})$
 - $SL(2)(\mathbb{Z})$
 - $PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})$
 - Congruent subgroups of $PSL(2)(\mathbb{Z})$
 - $SL(n, \mathbb{Z})$
 - $SL(2)(\mathbb{Z}_2)$