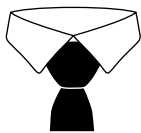
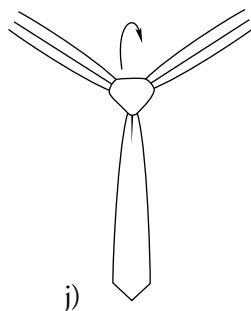
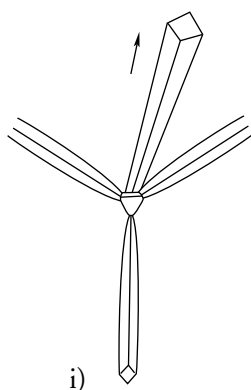
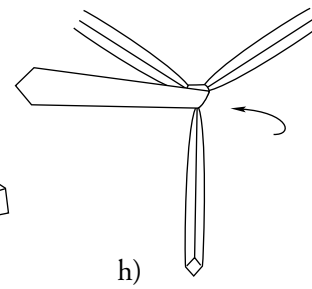
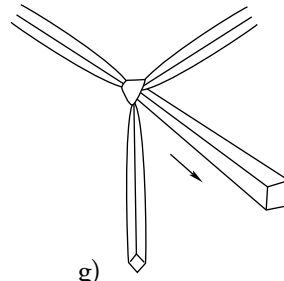
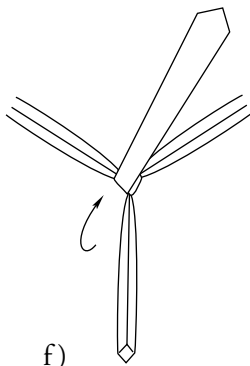
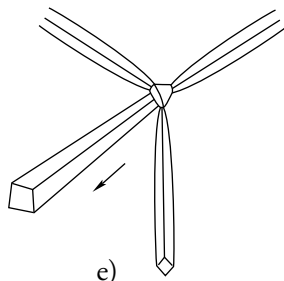
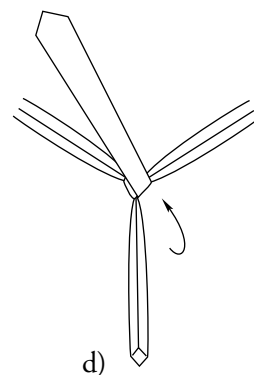
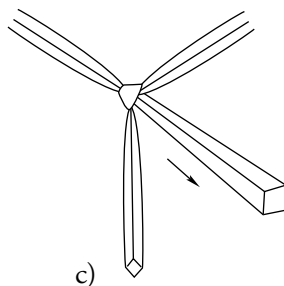
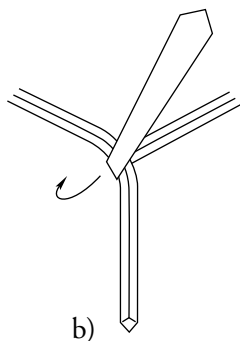
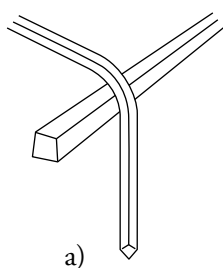
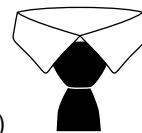


An AFFECTED PROVINCIAL'S SUPPLEMENTAL: *Tie Knots*

✦ No. 9: *The* BALTHUS ✦



(Named after its bored inventor, the artist Balthus. Huge, wide knot that can be described as a DOVORIAN knot with some extra passes. Eats cloth like a fiend! Cutaway collars and long ties made of thin fabrics are just the thing for this leviathan.)



Recommended Book: *The 85 Ways to Tie a Tie: The Science and Aesthetics of Tie Knots* by Thomas Fink and Yong Mao (Fourth Estate Ltd., ISBN: 1841155683)

Whimsy wishes he could say otherwise, but he cannot claim in any way to be the originator of this knot. Nevertheless, he is proud to act as its steward, and hopes you might wear it in good health. Enjoy!