Rubik 5x5x5 "Professor"

Purchased from Rubik's.com 2006; patented by U. Krell 1986. (plastic, 2.75 inches)

Purchased from Mefferts 2007; uses the Eastsheen mechanism, patented by C. Li, 2000. (tiled plastic, 2.9 inches)

Mefferts "Mini Professor" 2007; uses the Eastsheen mechanism, patented by C. Li, 2000. (plastic, 2.3 inches)

Made by V-Cube 2008; patent application by P. Verdes 2007. (plastic, 2.5 inches)

Further reading:
Meffert's Page, from: http://www.mefferts.com/puzzles/profsol.html
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