David Fanning wrote:
> Folks,
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> Here is a question for those of you who haven't started
> your FAC celebrating yet.
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> Suppose I have a surface that looks sort of like
> cans of various radii stacked on top of one another.
> Big cans on the bottom and progressively smaller
> cans toward the top. But here is the thing, the
> can tower sort of *lists* to one side, as if it were
> thinking about toppling over.
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> What I would like to do is put this tower back in
> the proper orientation, so that if I looked straight
> down on it from the +Z direction on a line through
> the center of the cans, I would see a sort of bulls-eye
> pattern.

What precisely do you mean by "put this tower back in the proper
orientation"? Do you actually want to modify the tower. If so, what
kinds of modification are permitted, and whjch are prohibited?
Alternatively, are you trying to find a point of view that makes it
look "similar" in some sense to the way it would look if it didn't
list? If so, in what way should the appearance be "similar"?