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Theoretical and numerical results regarding the probability of knotting and linking for self-avoiding polygons in the simple cubic lattice,  $\mathbb{Z}^3$ , and sublattices known as tubes or prisms will be reviewed. Some recent progress on theoretical questions regarding the probability of knotting and linking for polygons and sets of polygons in tubes will be presented. (Received August 29, 2006)