

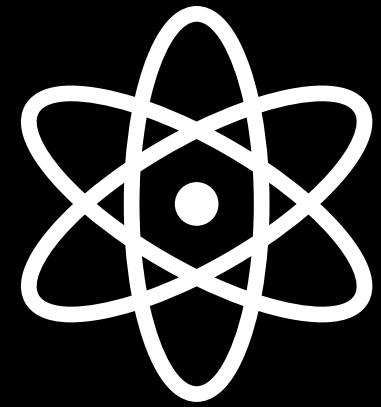
Dark Sector Phase Transitions and Dark Matter Squeezeout

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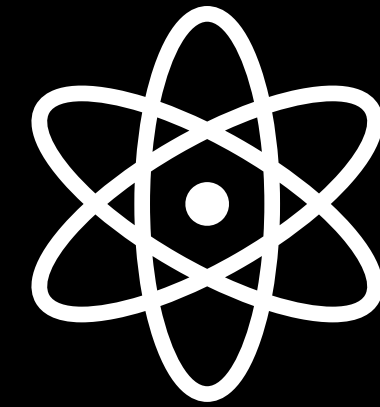
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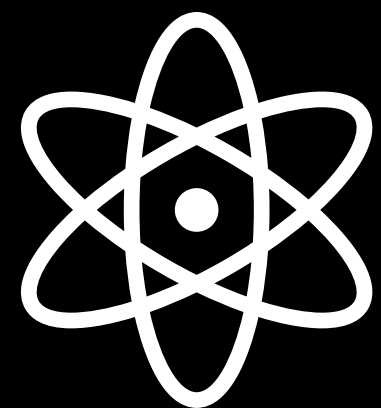
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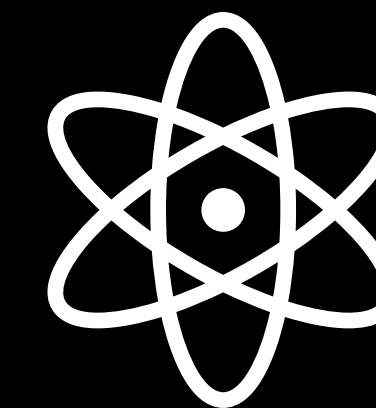


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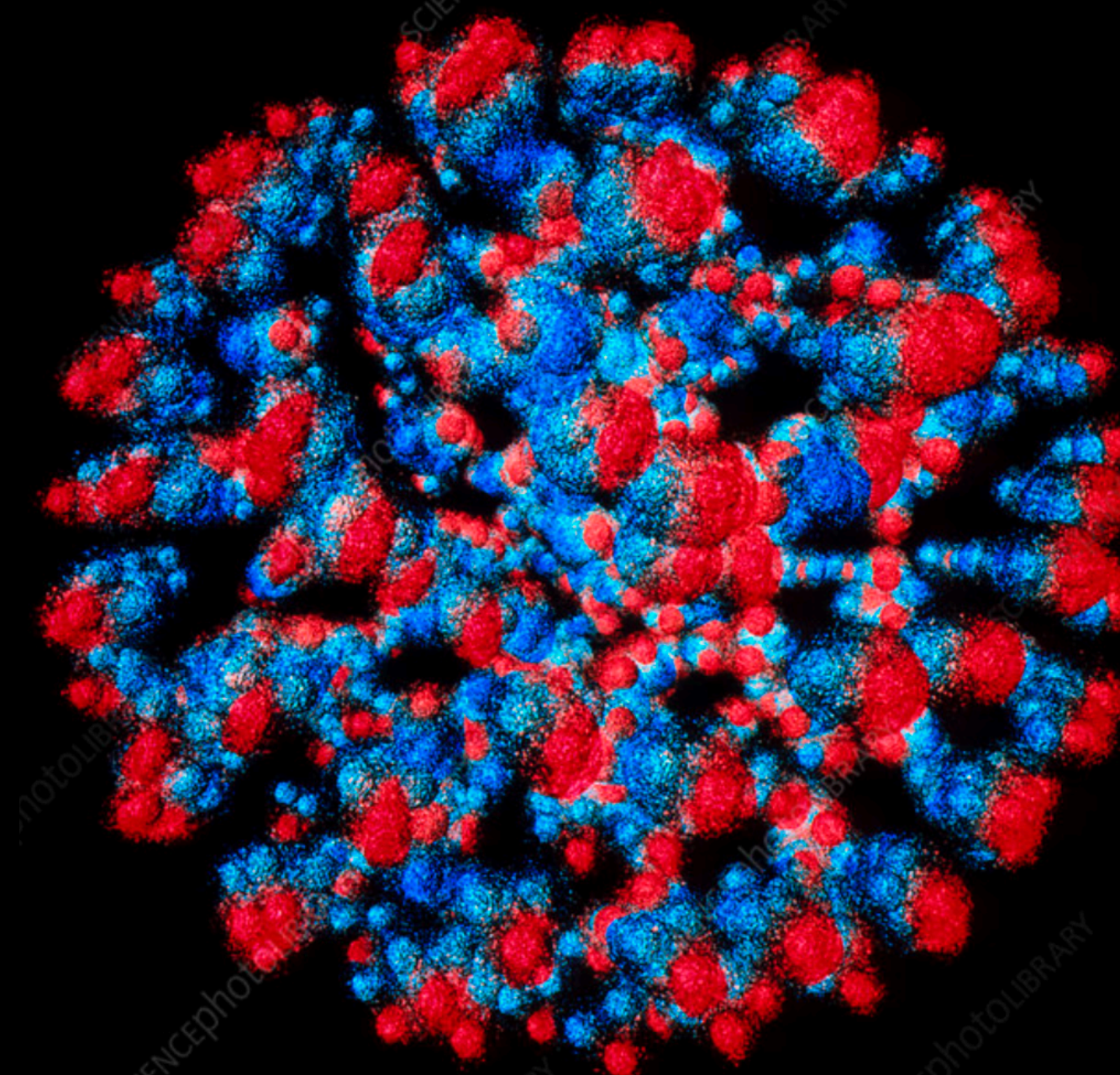




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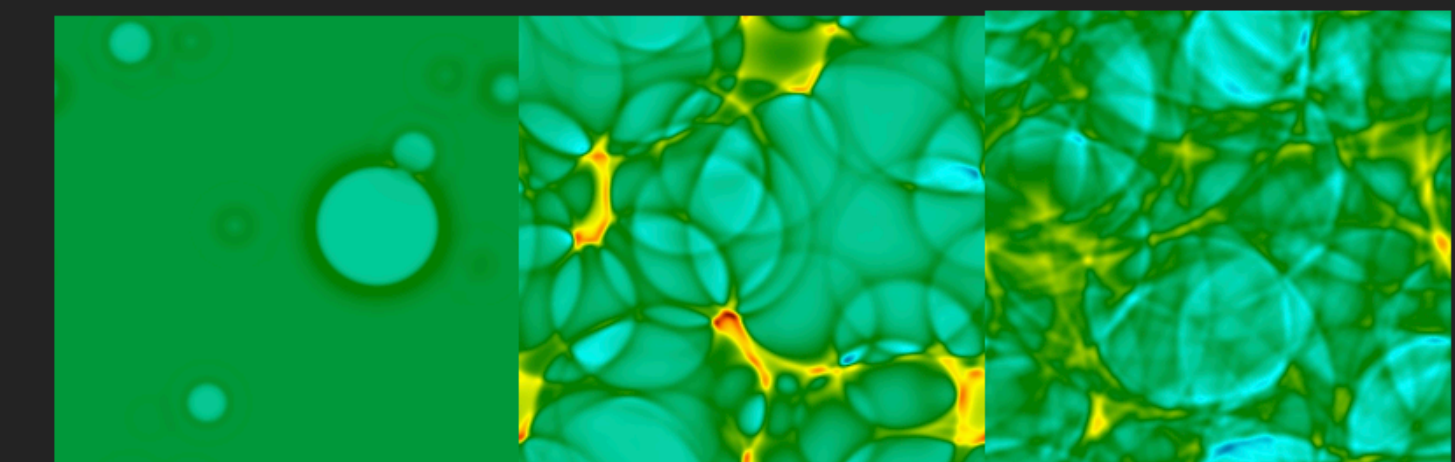
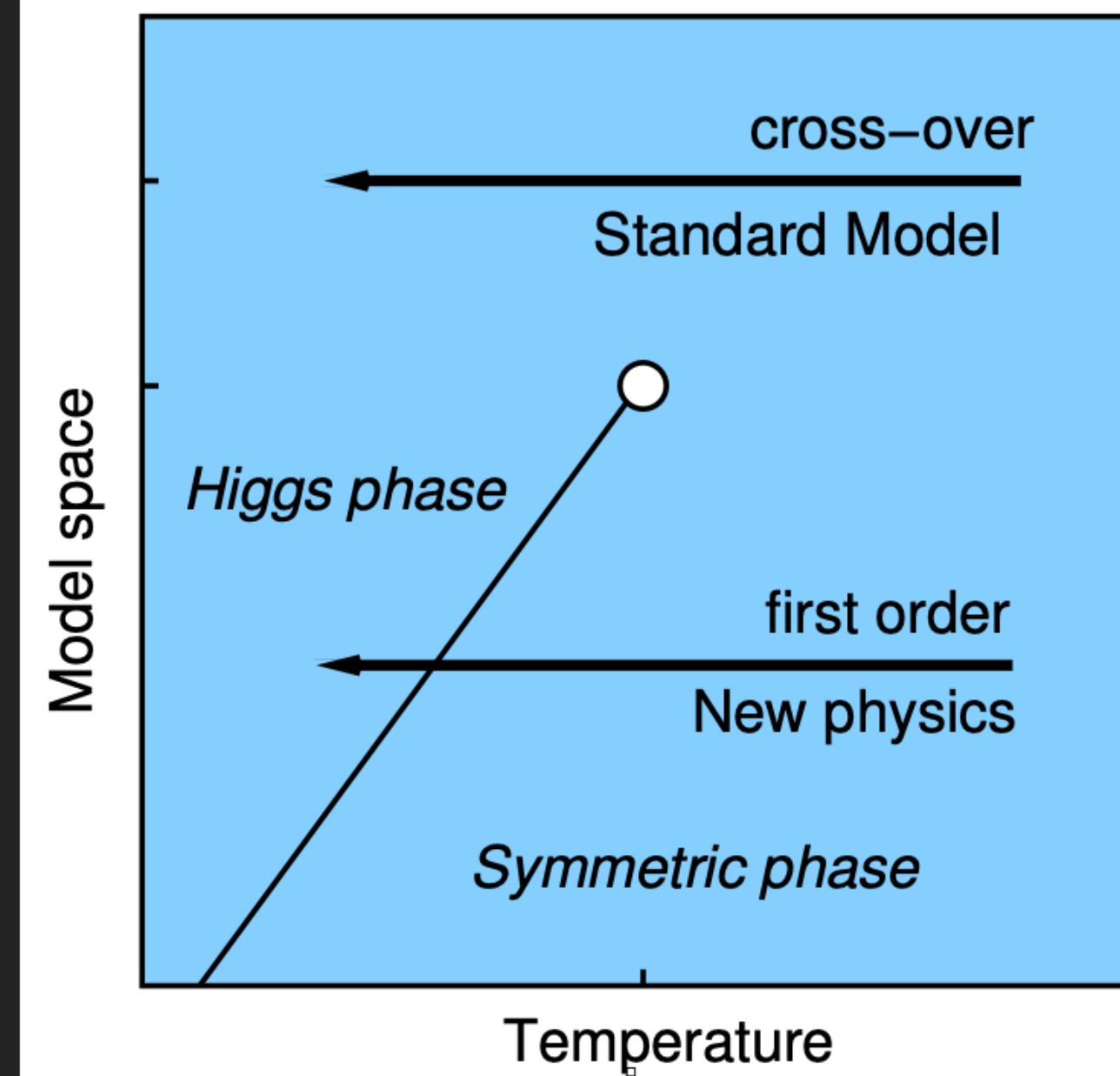
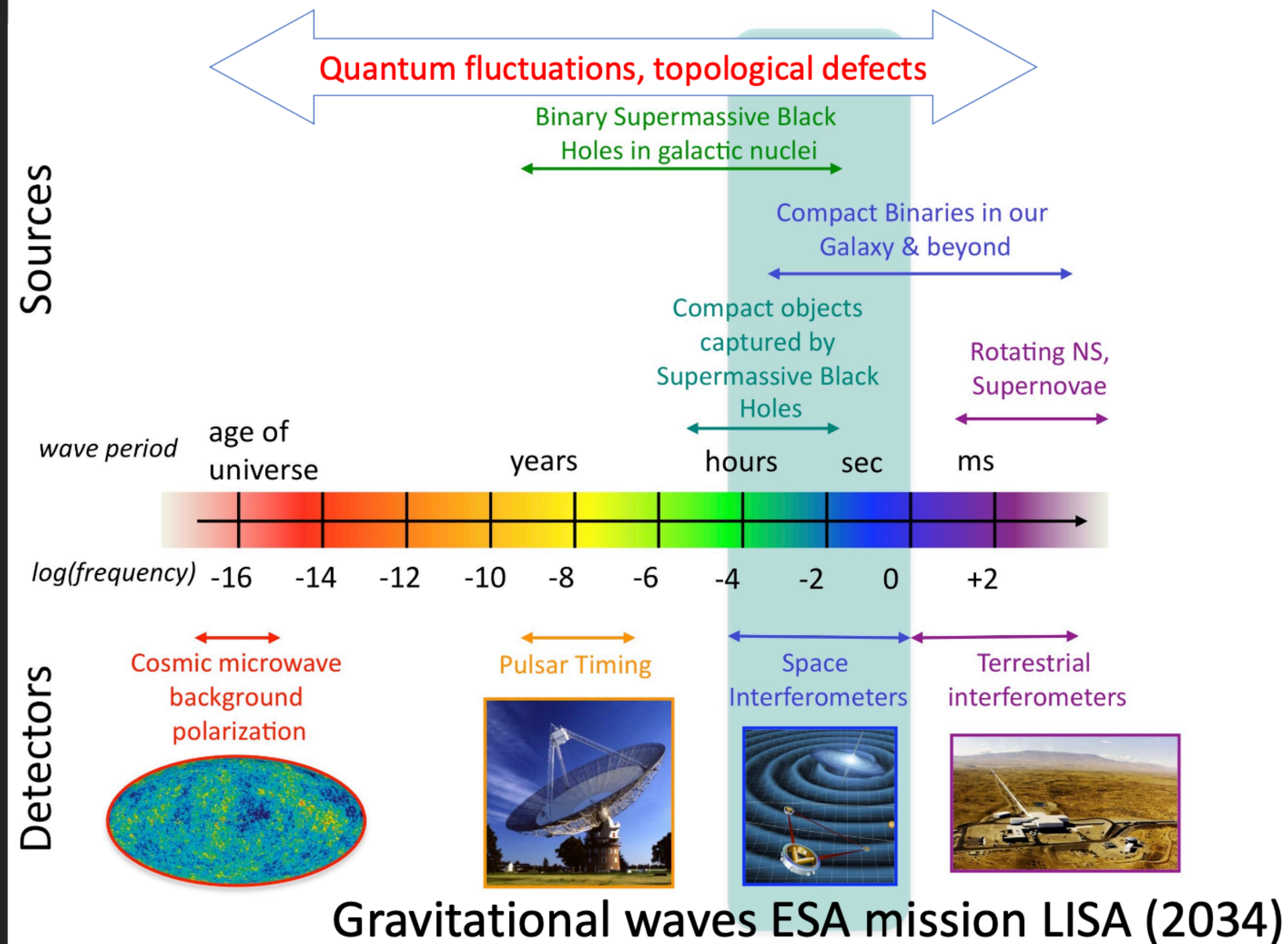
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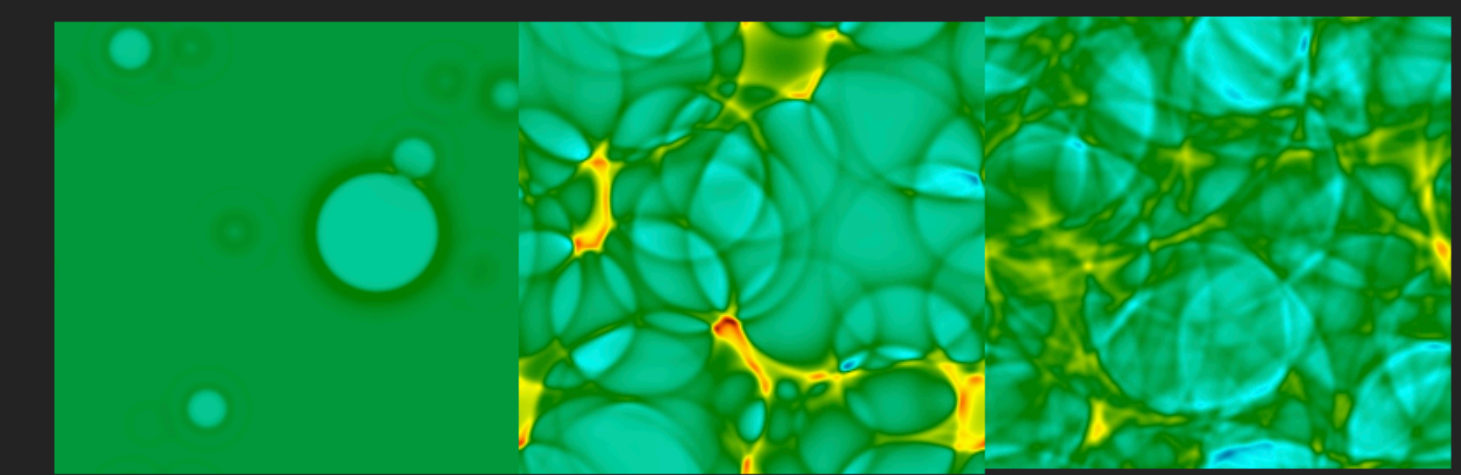
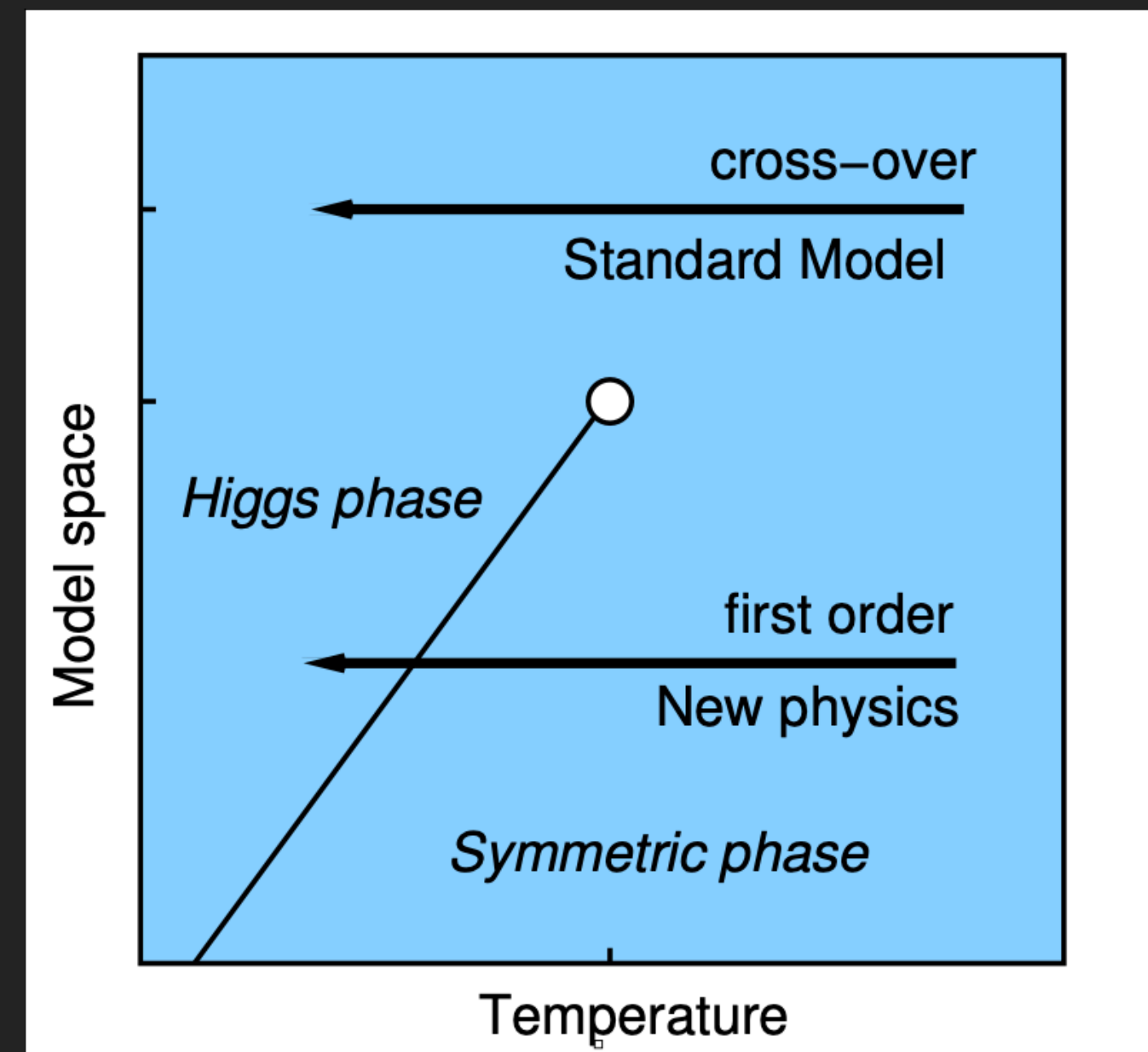
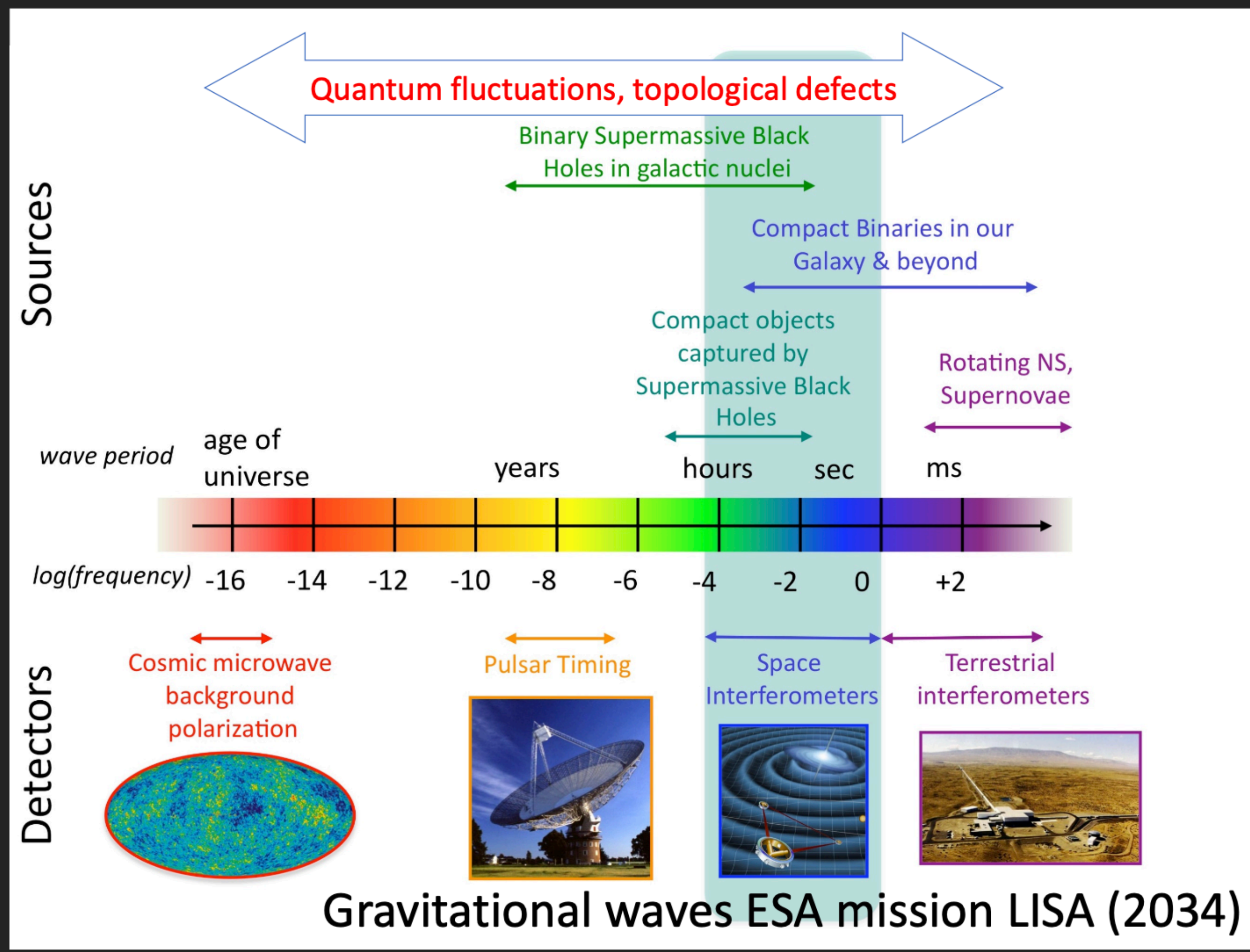


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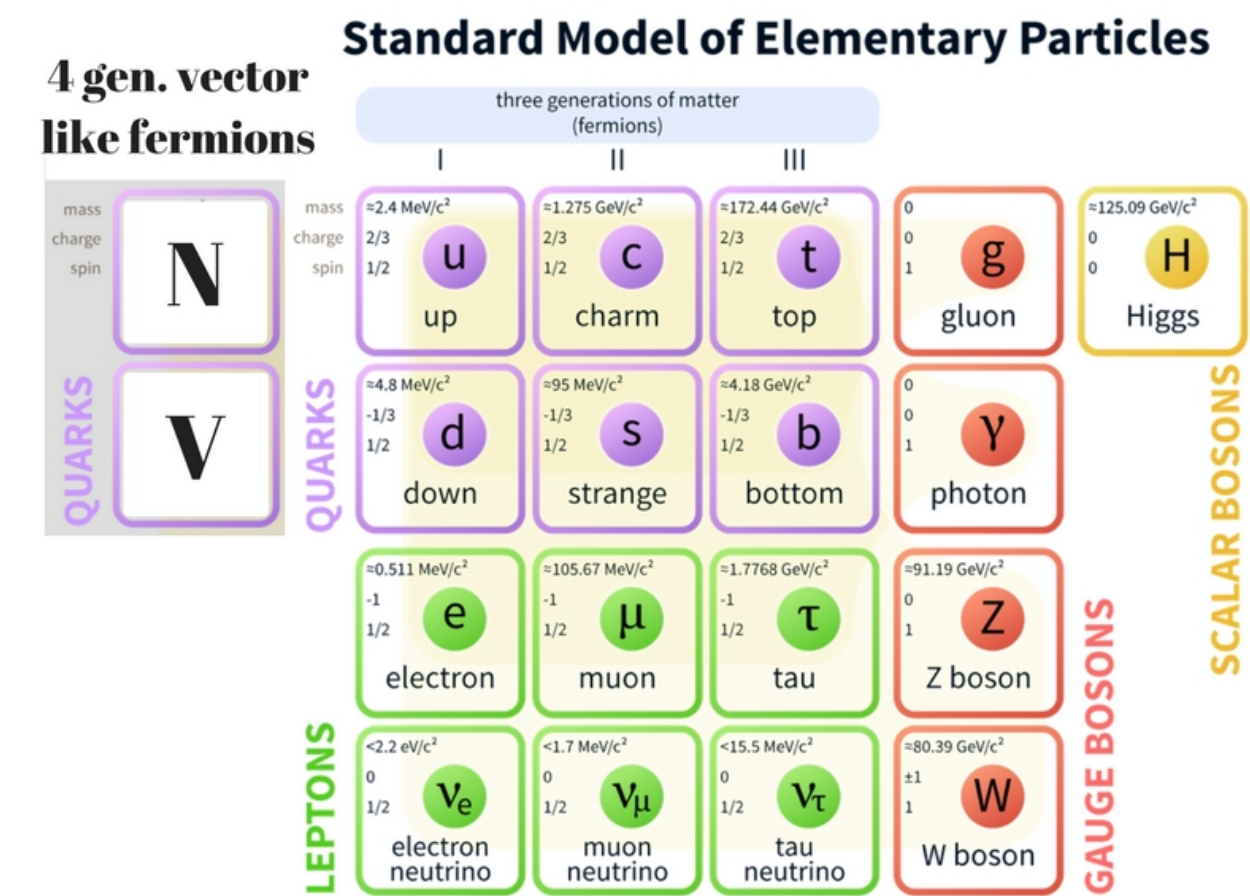
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Confinement and Stable Bound States

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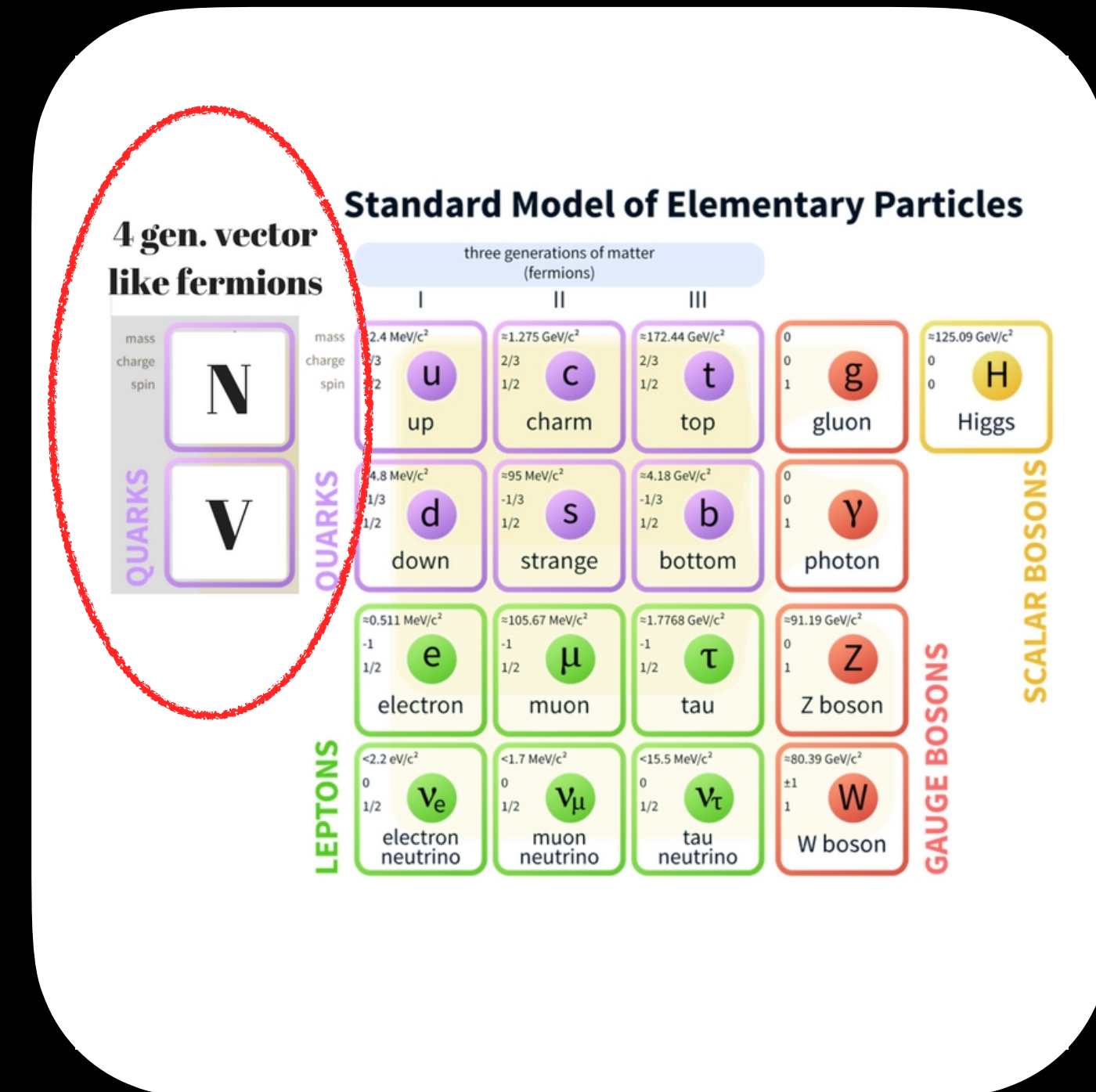


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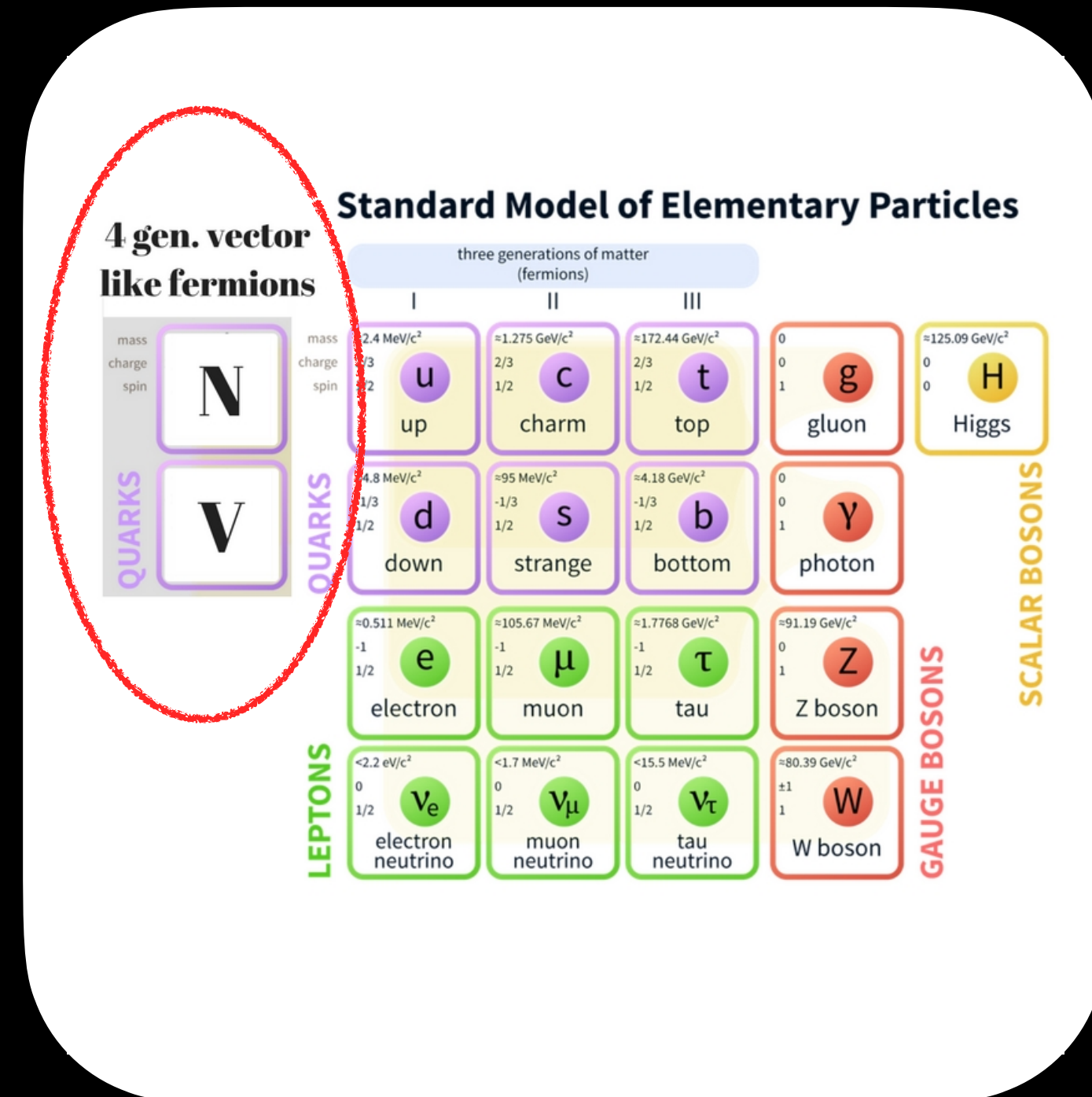
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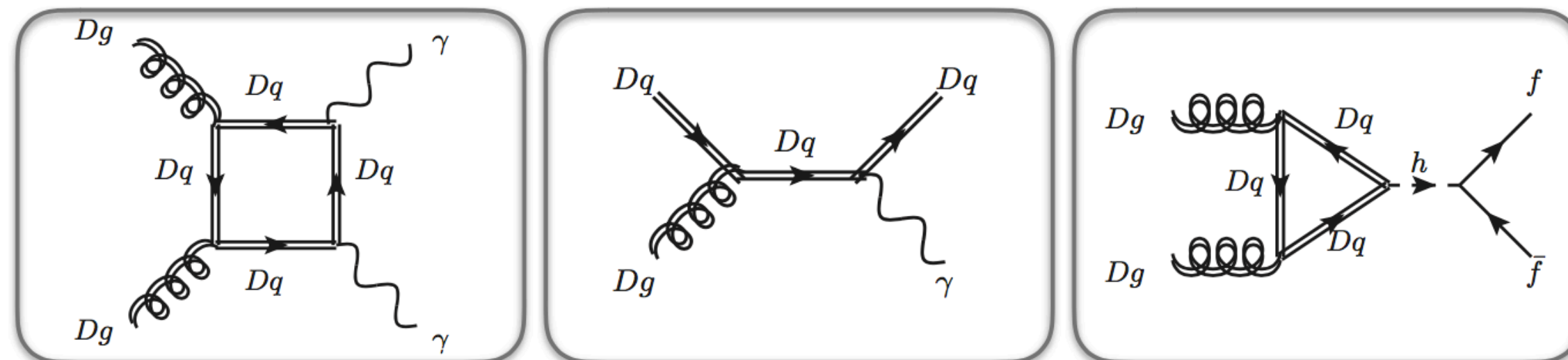
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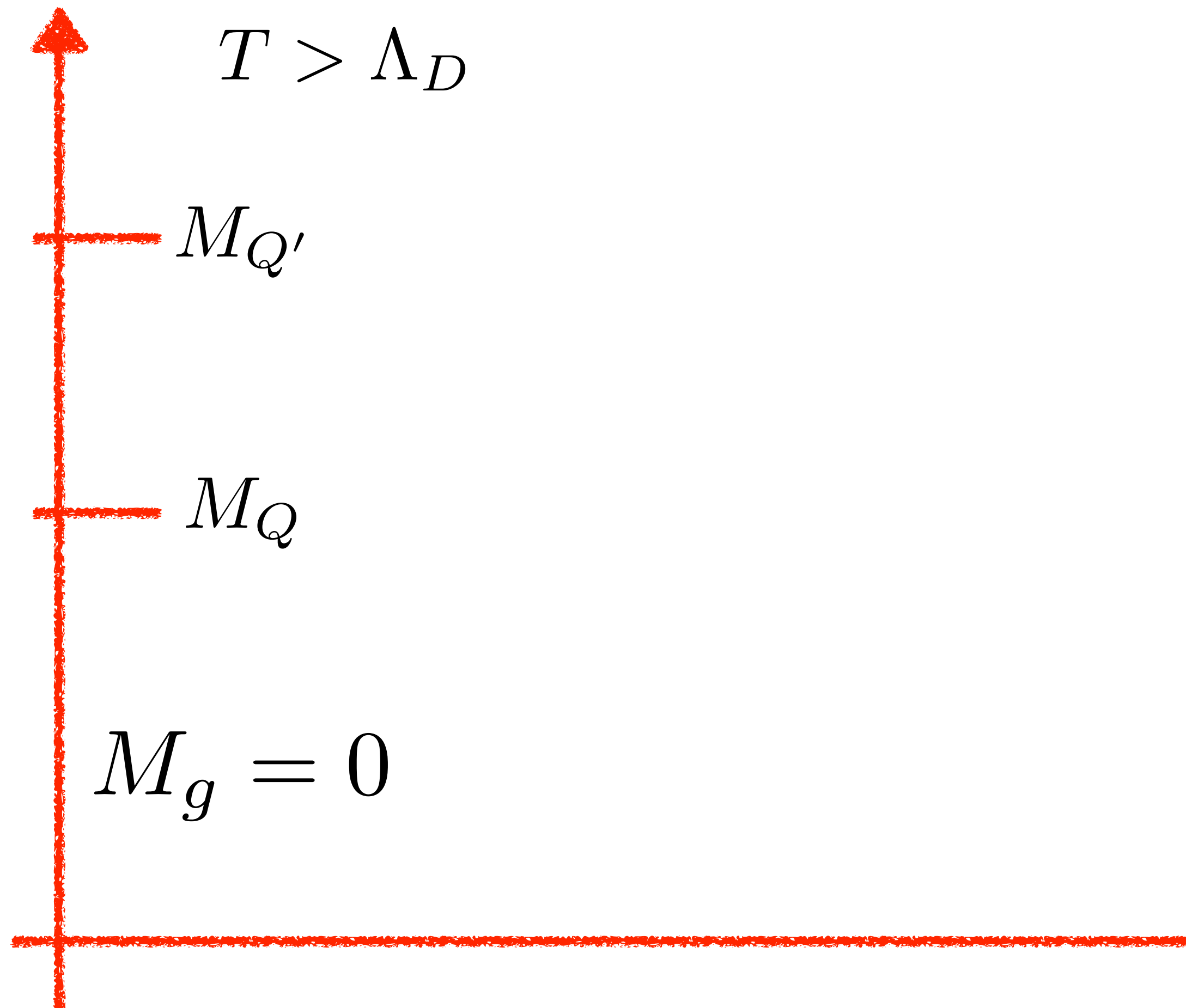
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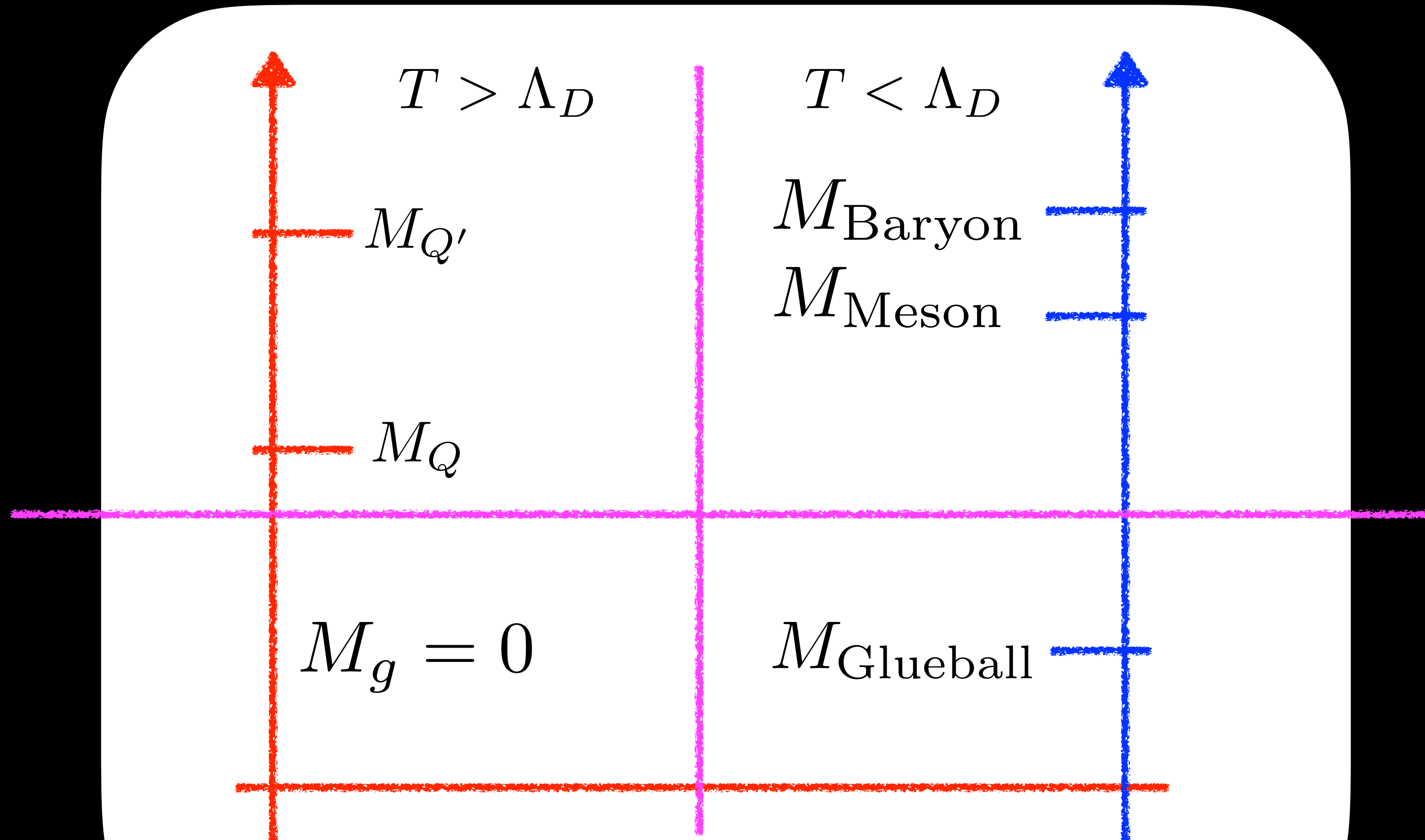


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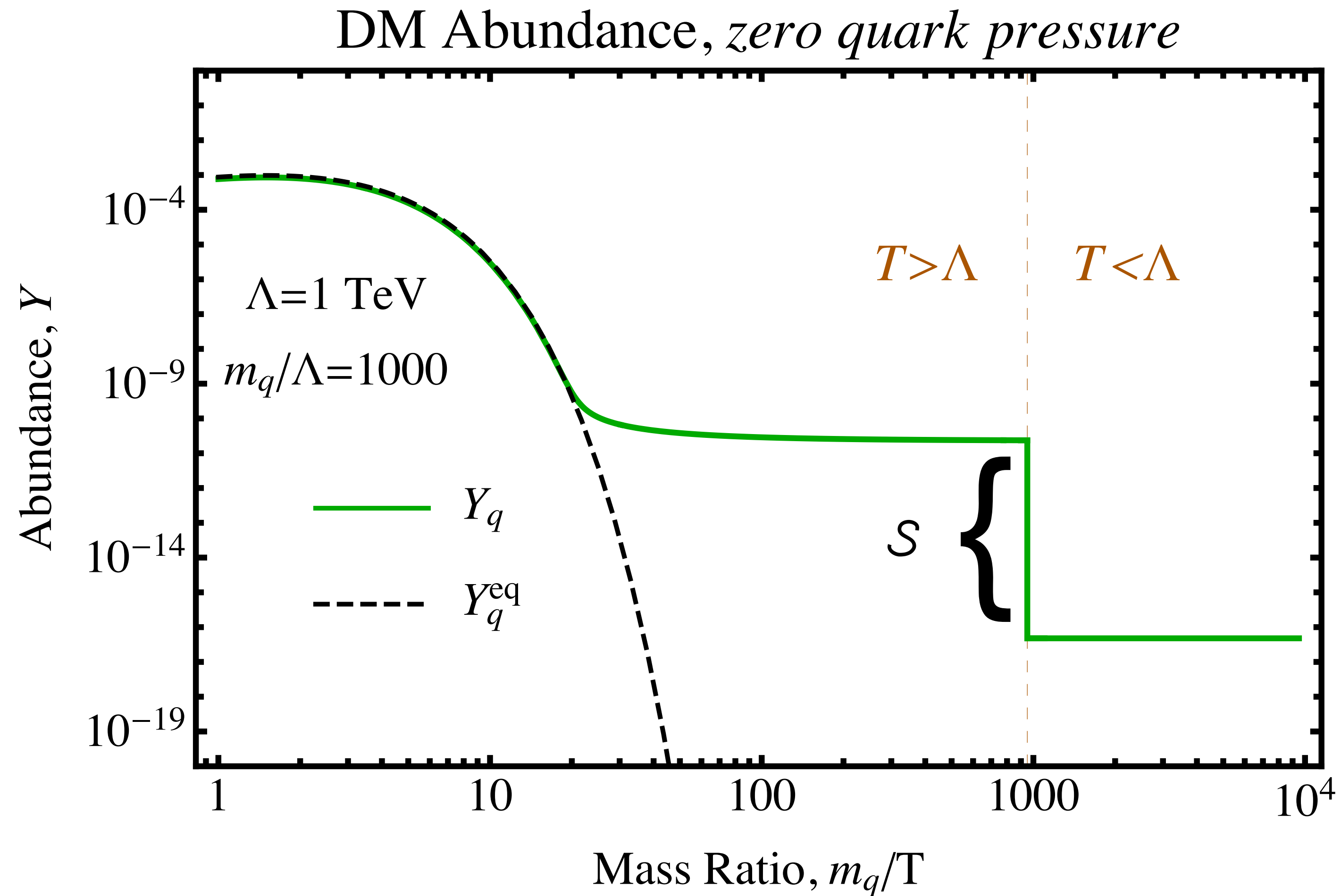
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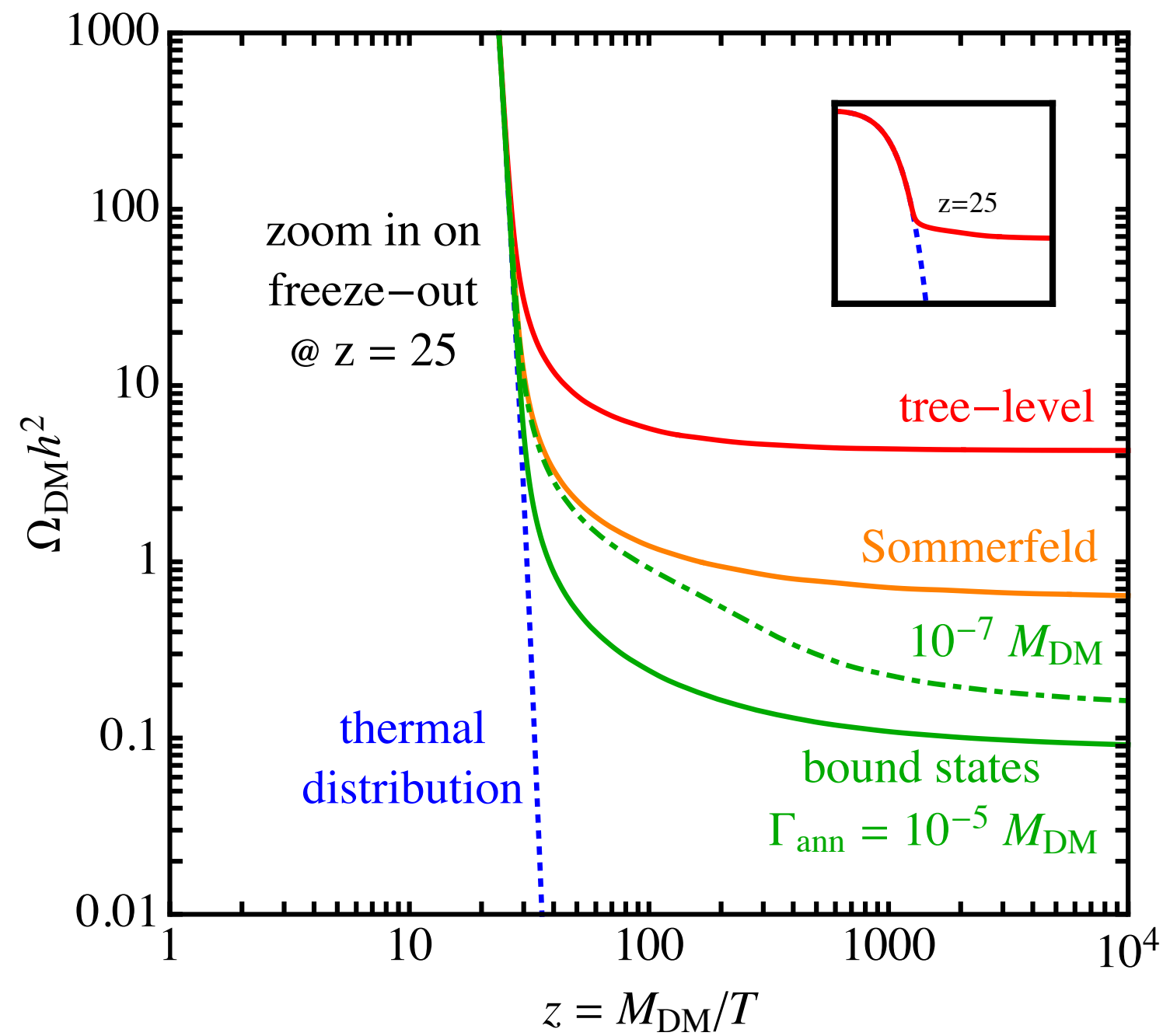
Pure Yang-Mills Phase Transition

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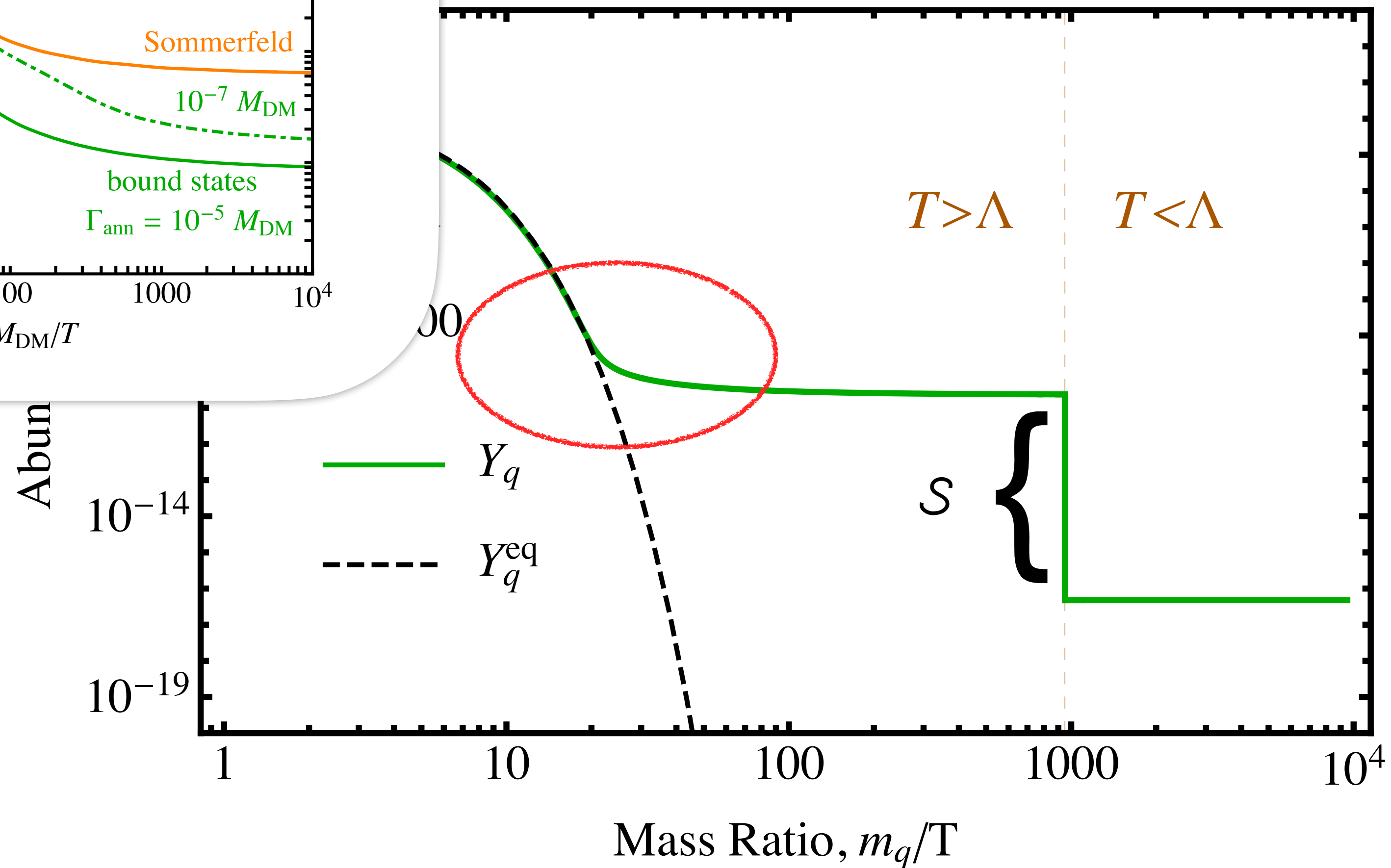
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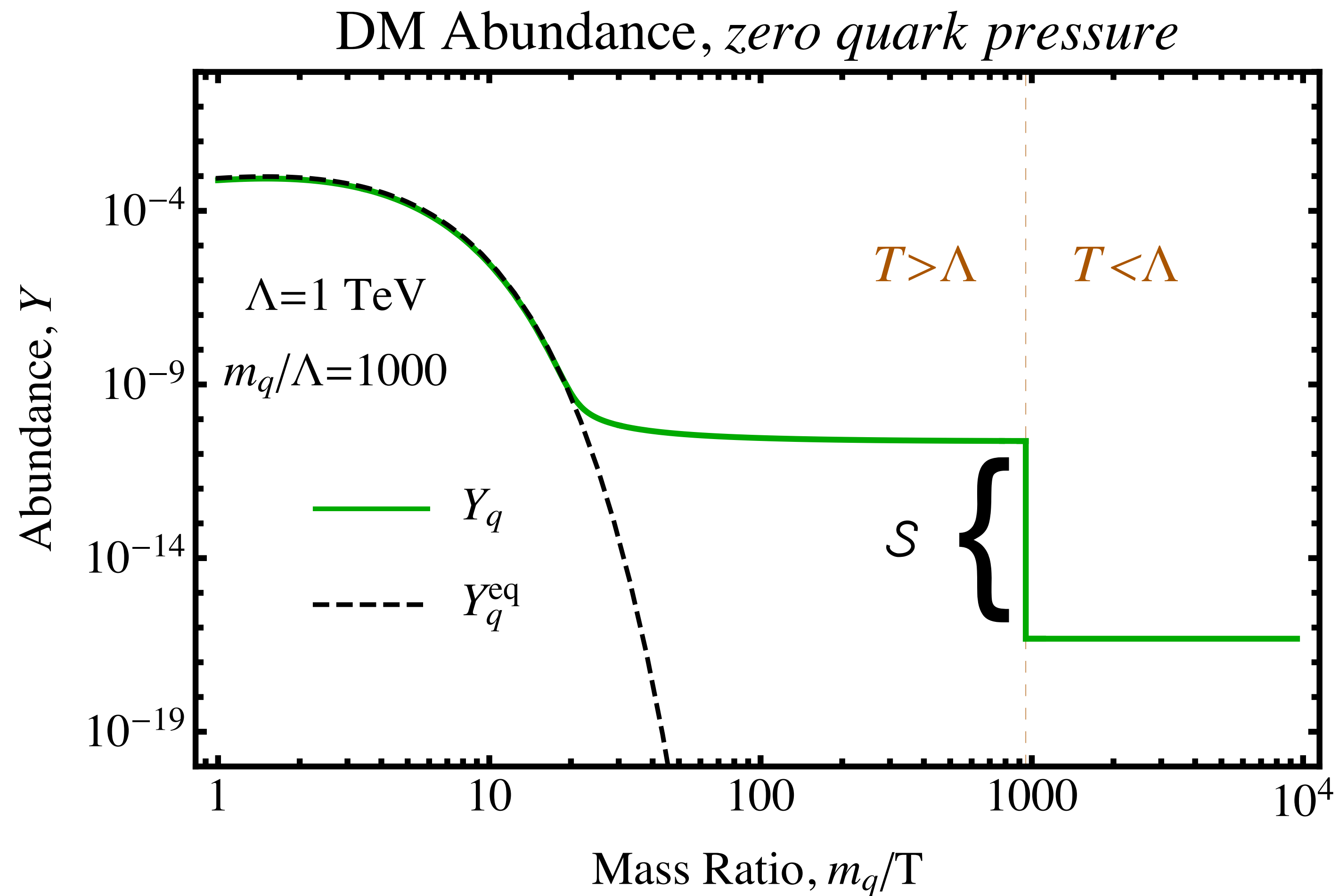
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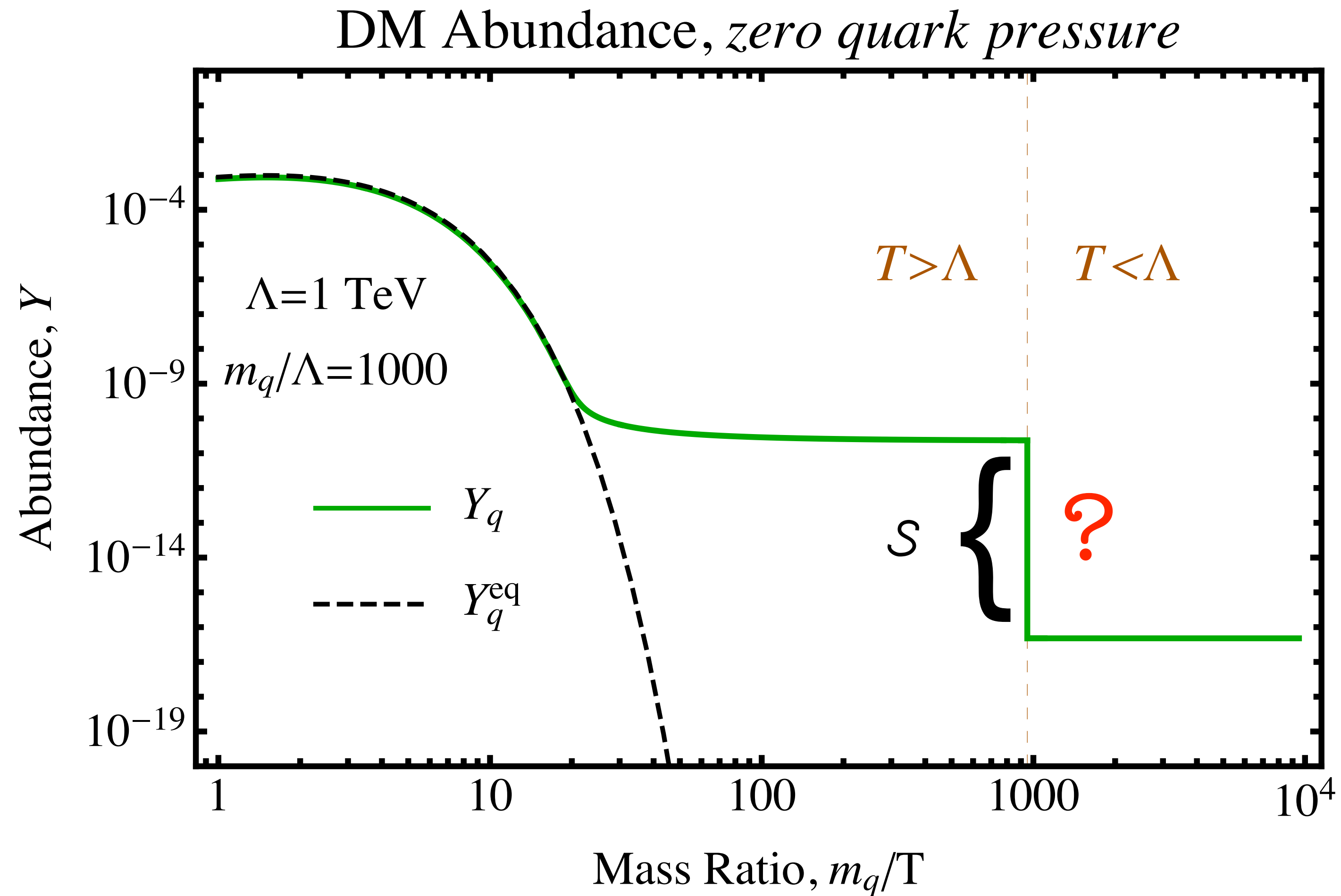
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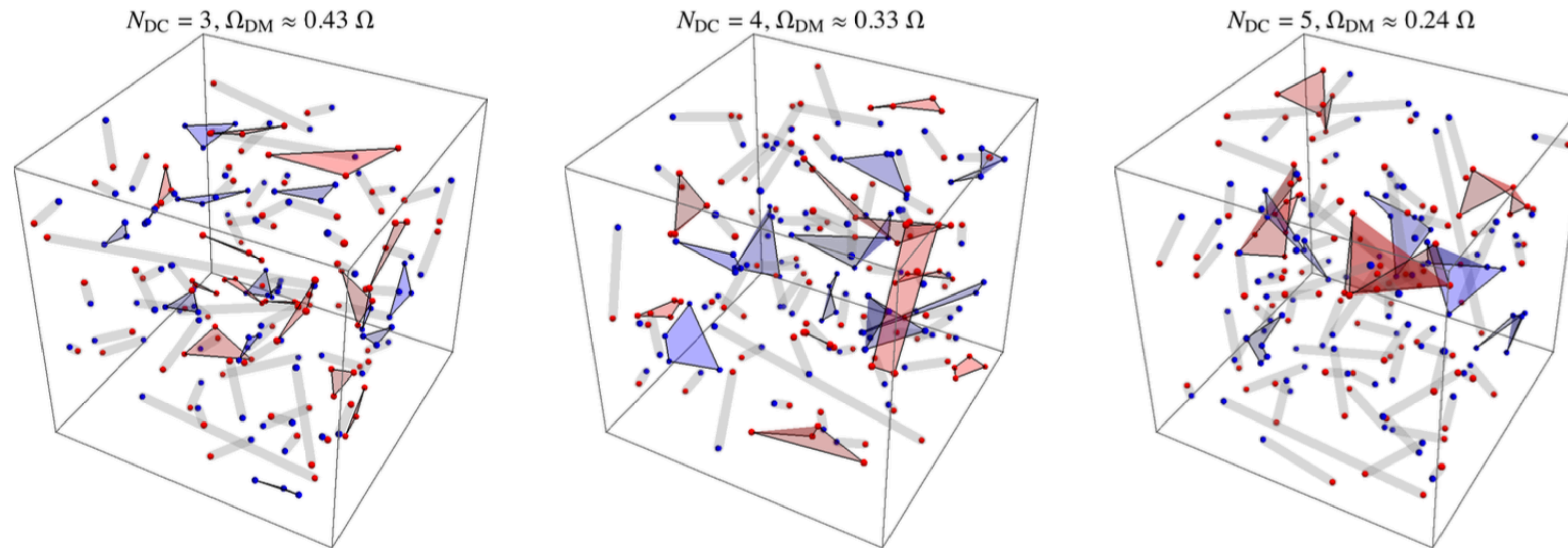


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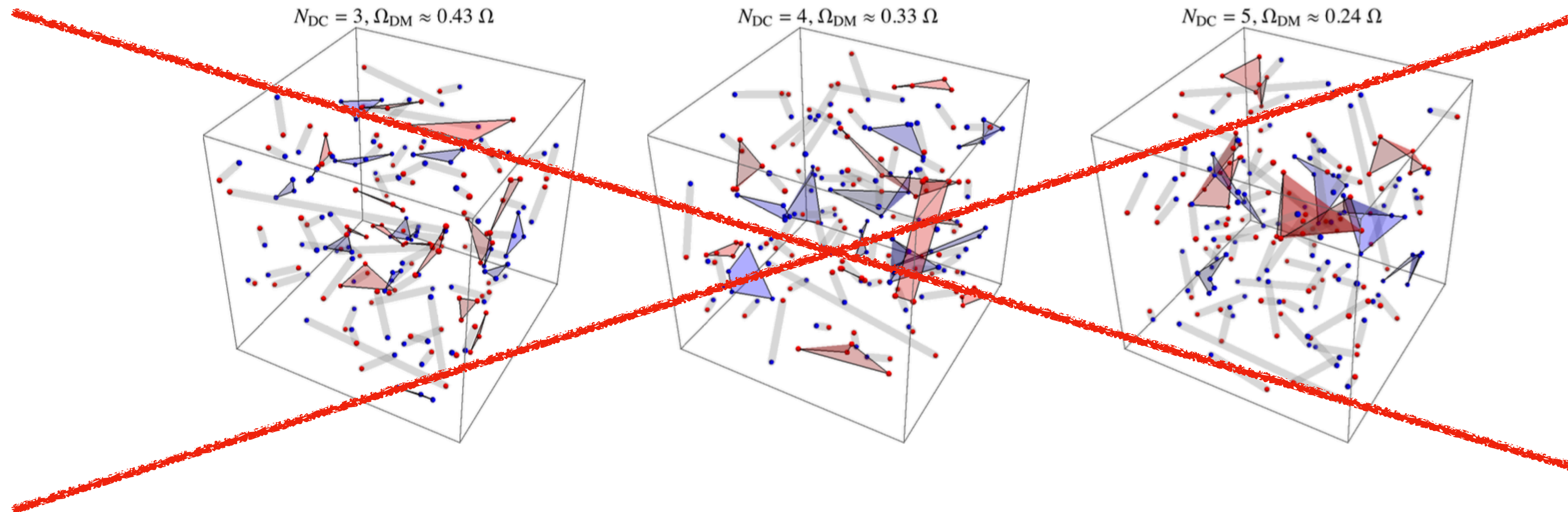
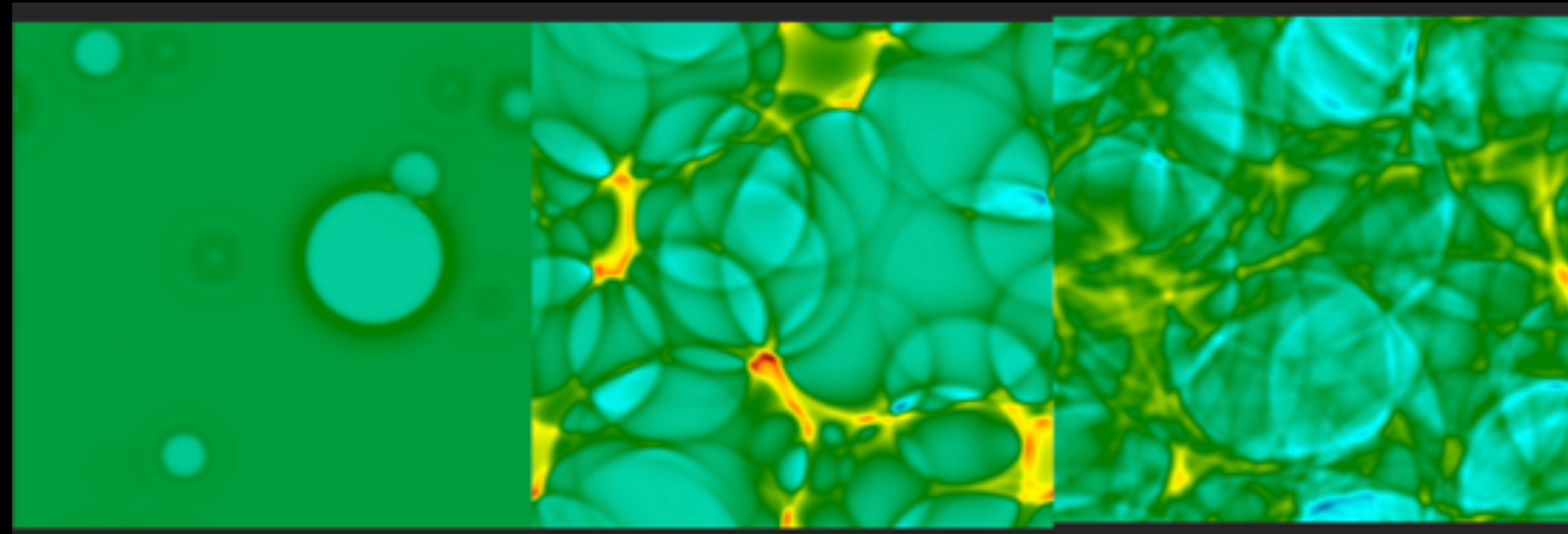


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Understanding the Phase Transition



Effectively Pure Yang-Mills PT

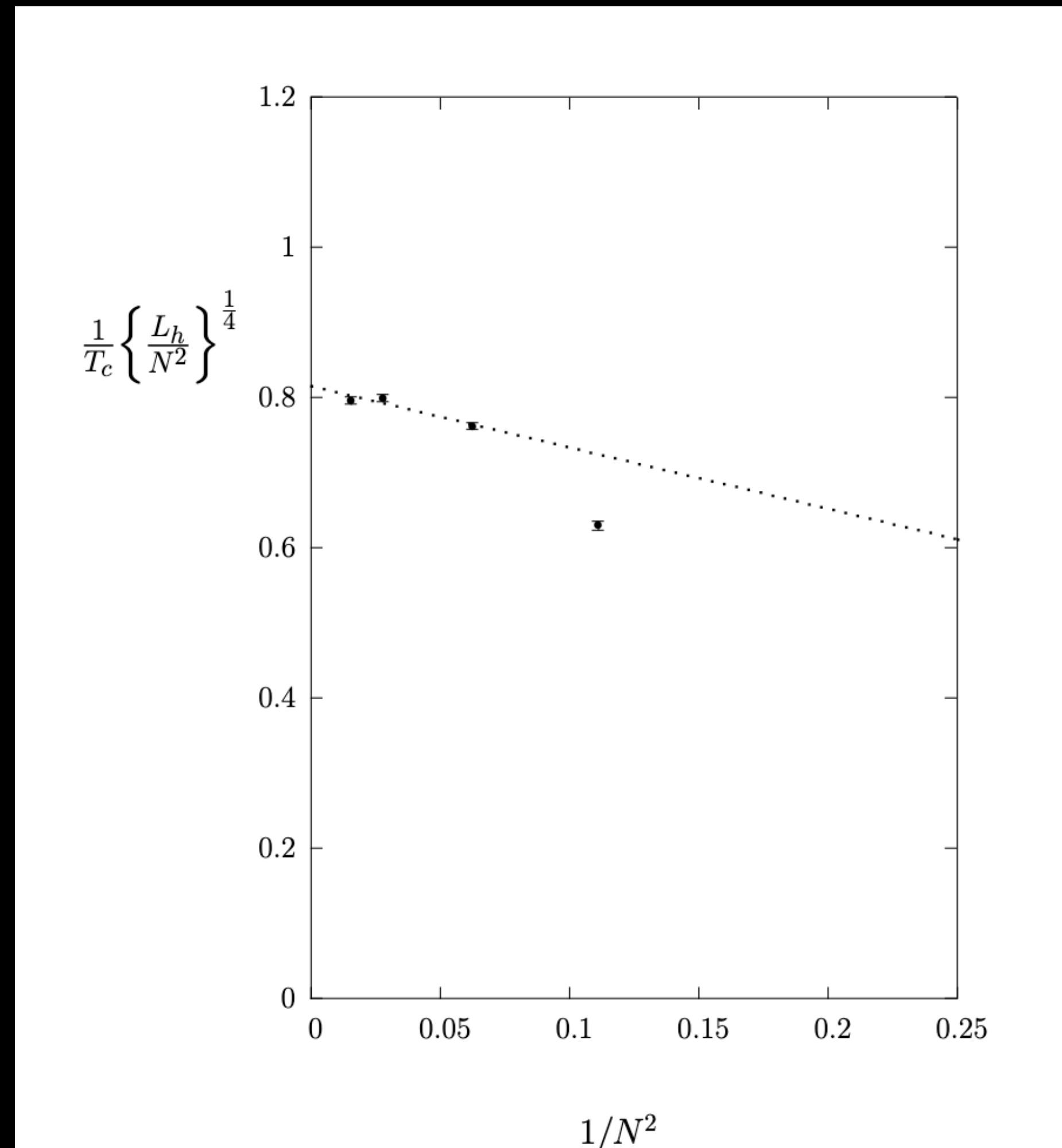
Lattice Data SU(3) :

- Latent Heat

$$L = 1.413 T_c^4$$

- Surface tension

$$\sigma = 0.02 T_c^3$$



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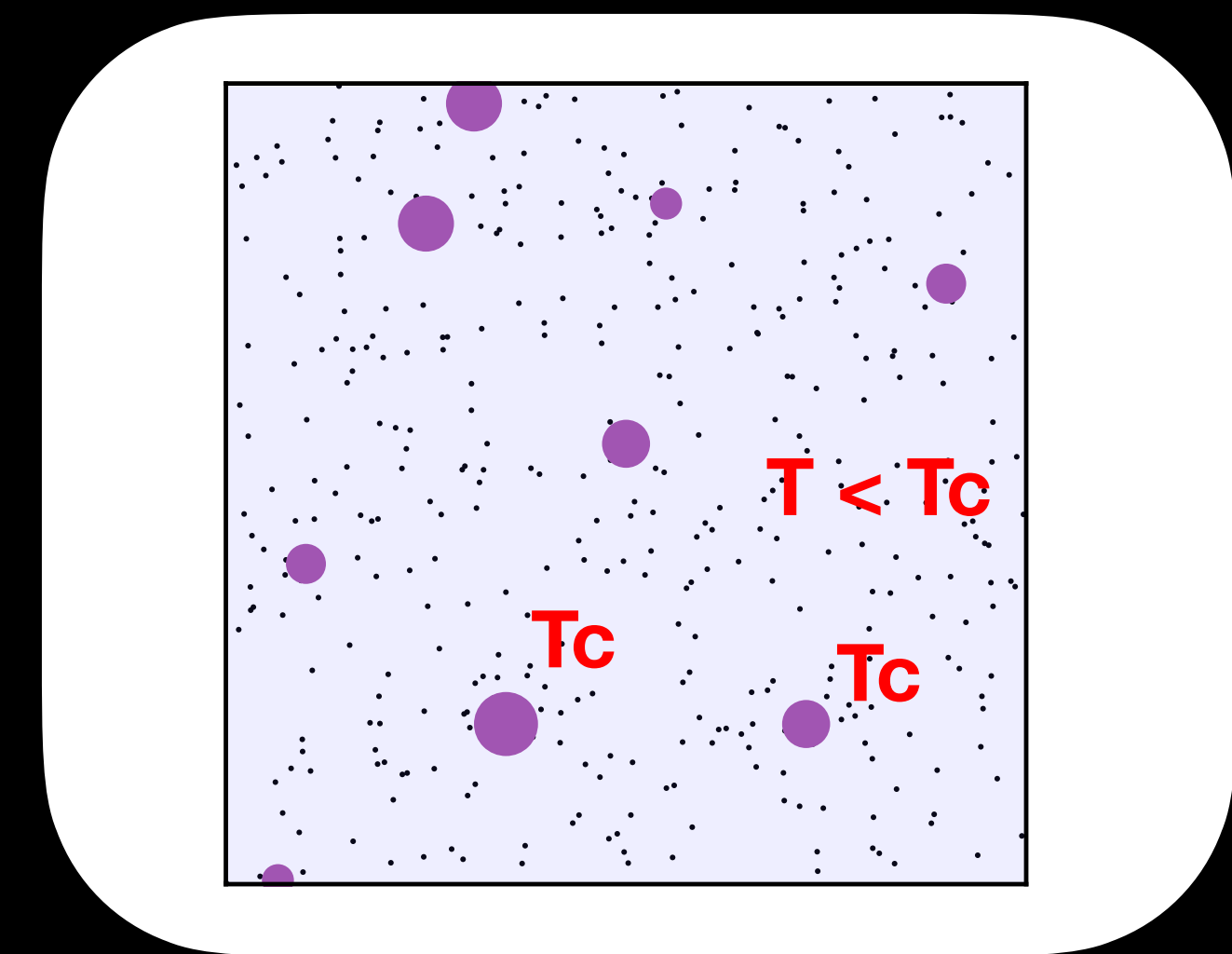
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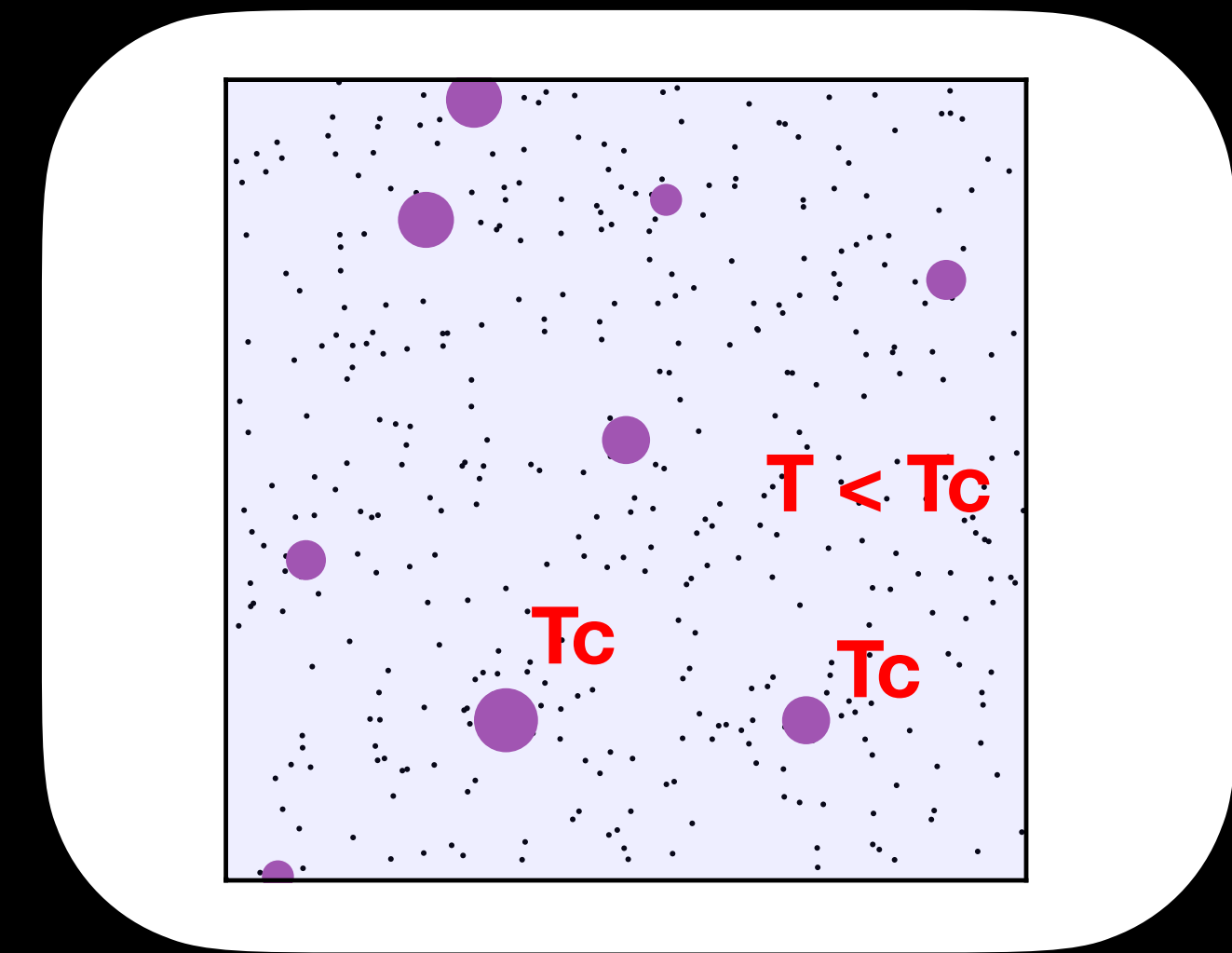
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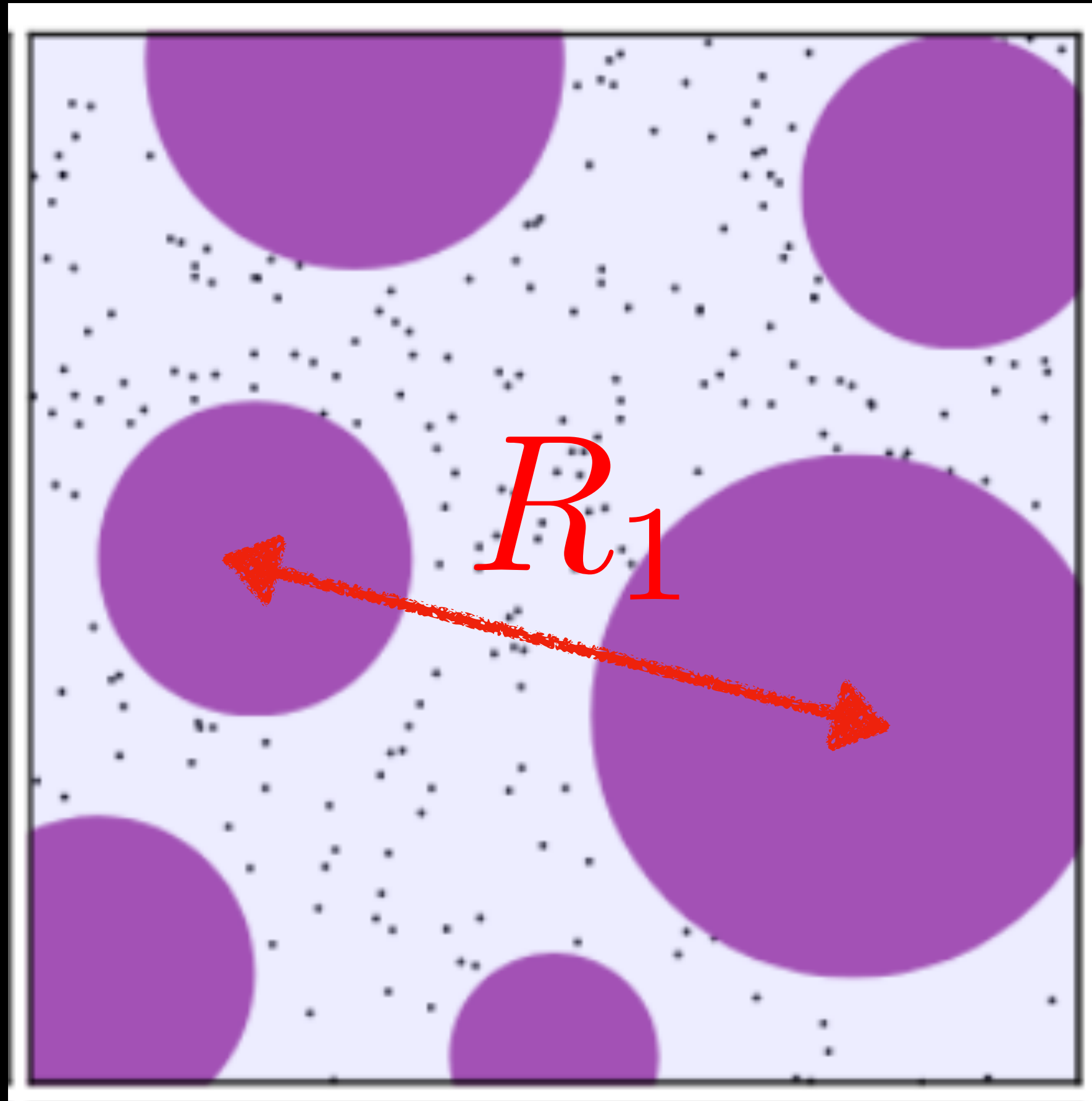
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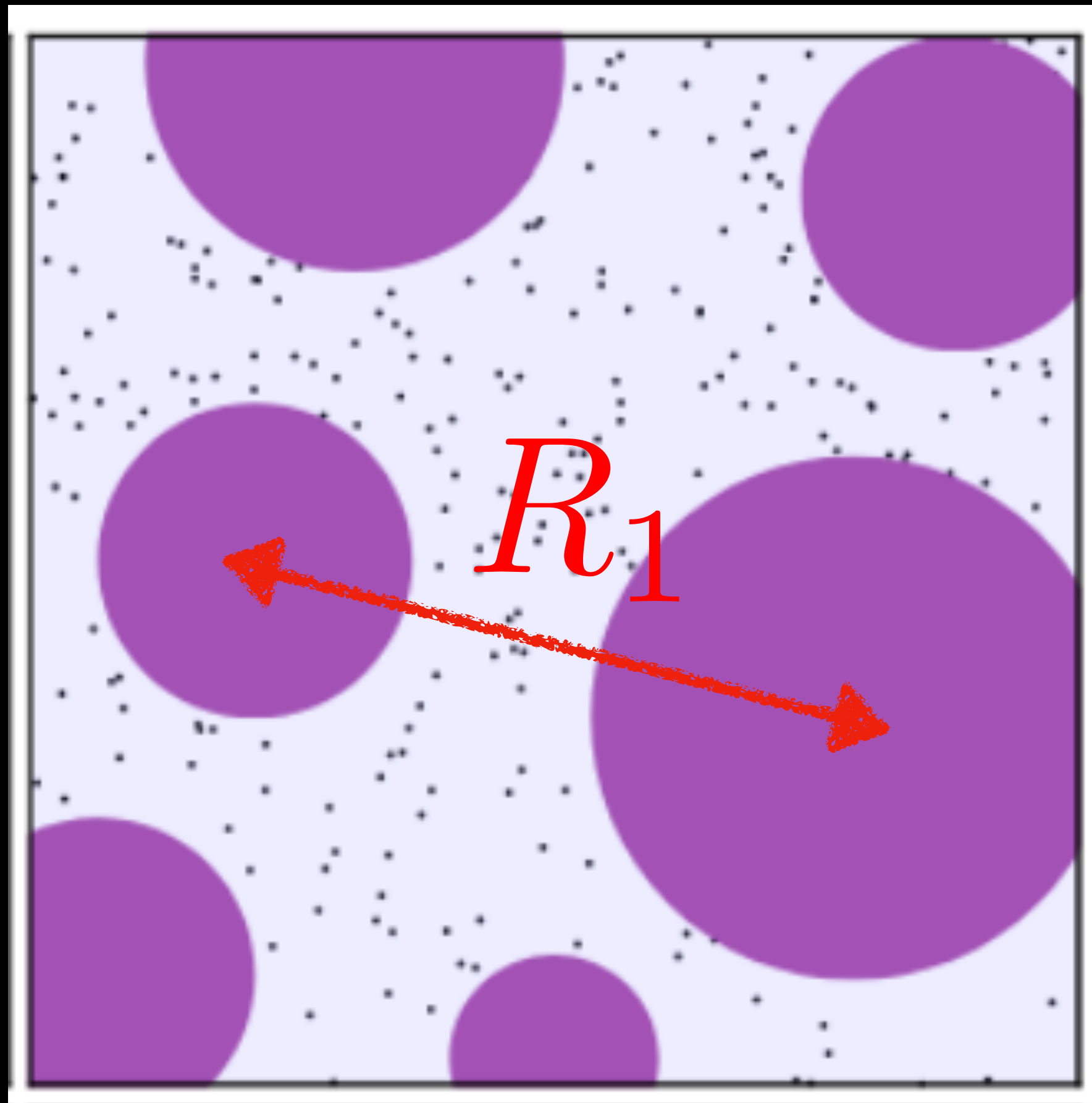
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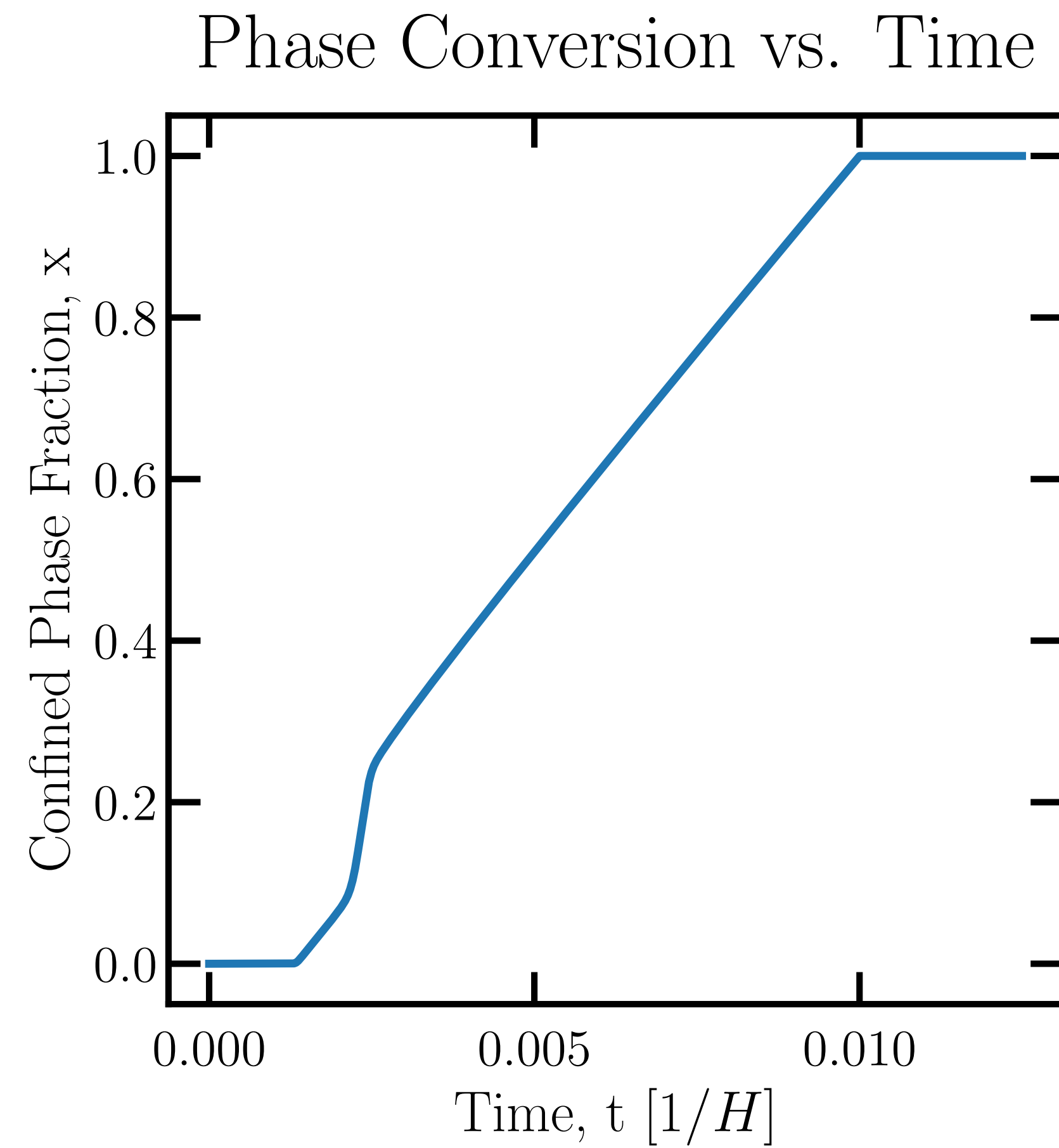
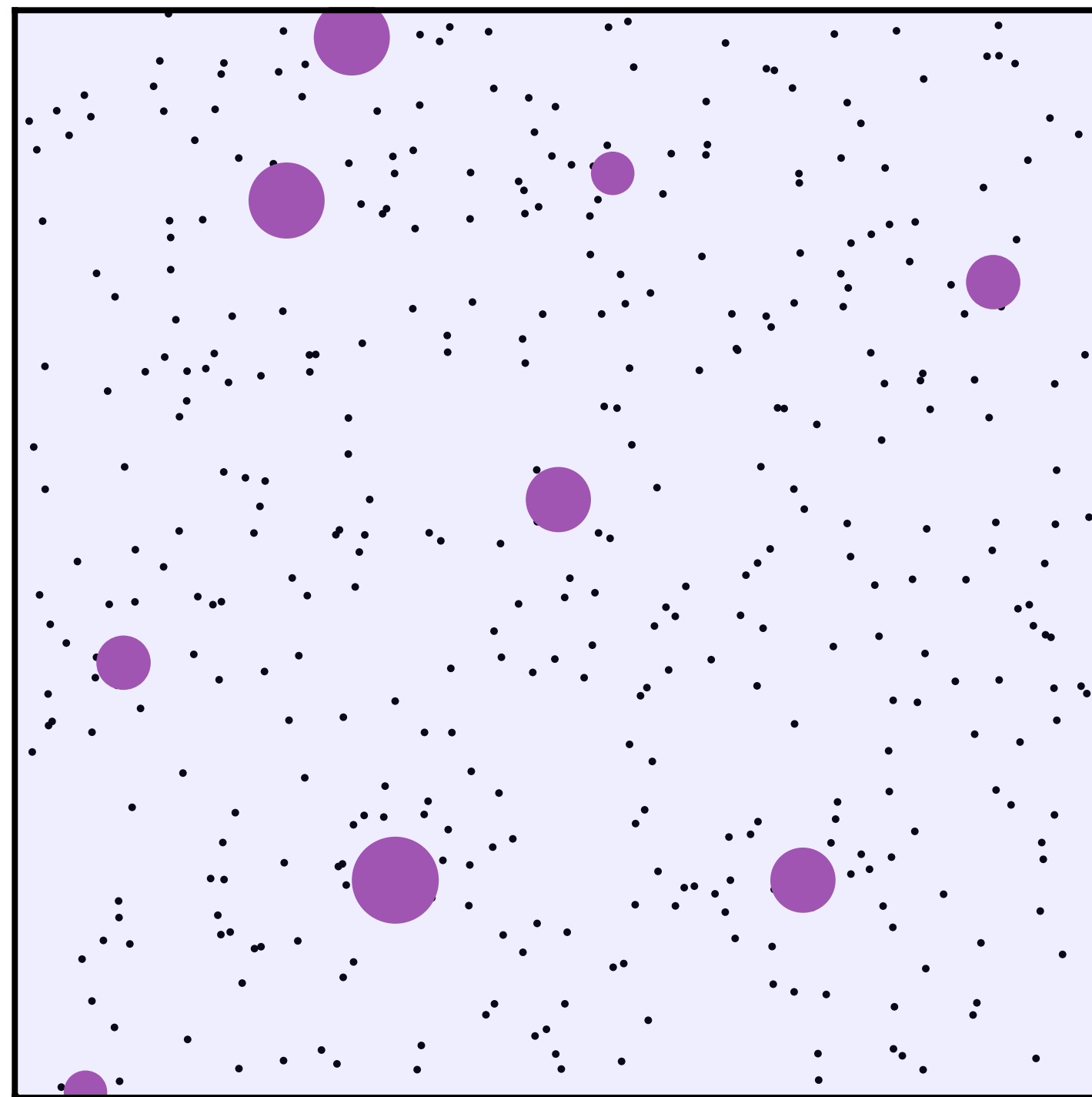
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$$R_1 \approx \left(\frac{M_{\text{Pl}}}{10^4 T_c} \right)^{2/3} \frac{1}{T_c}$$

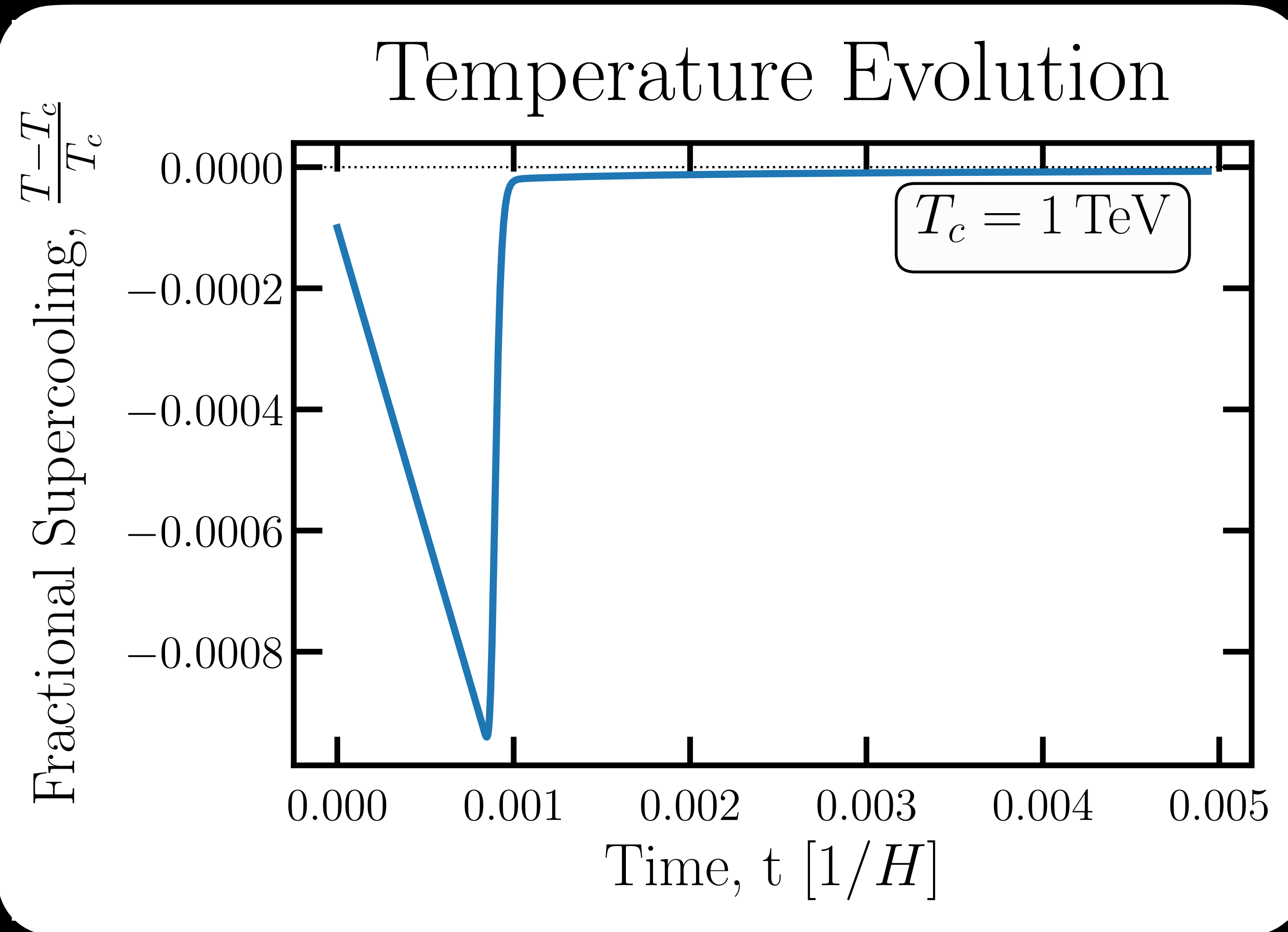
$$v_{\text{wall}} \leq 10^{-3}$$

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Simulating the Phase Transition I



Simulating the Phase Transition II

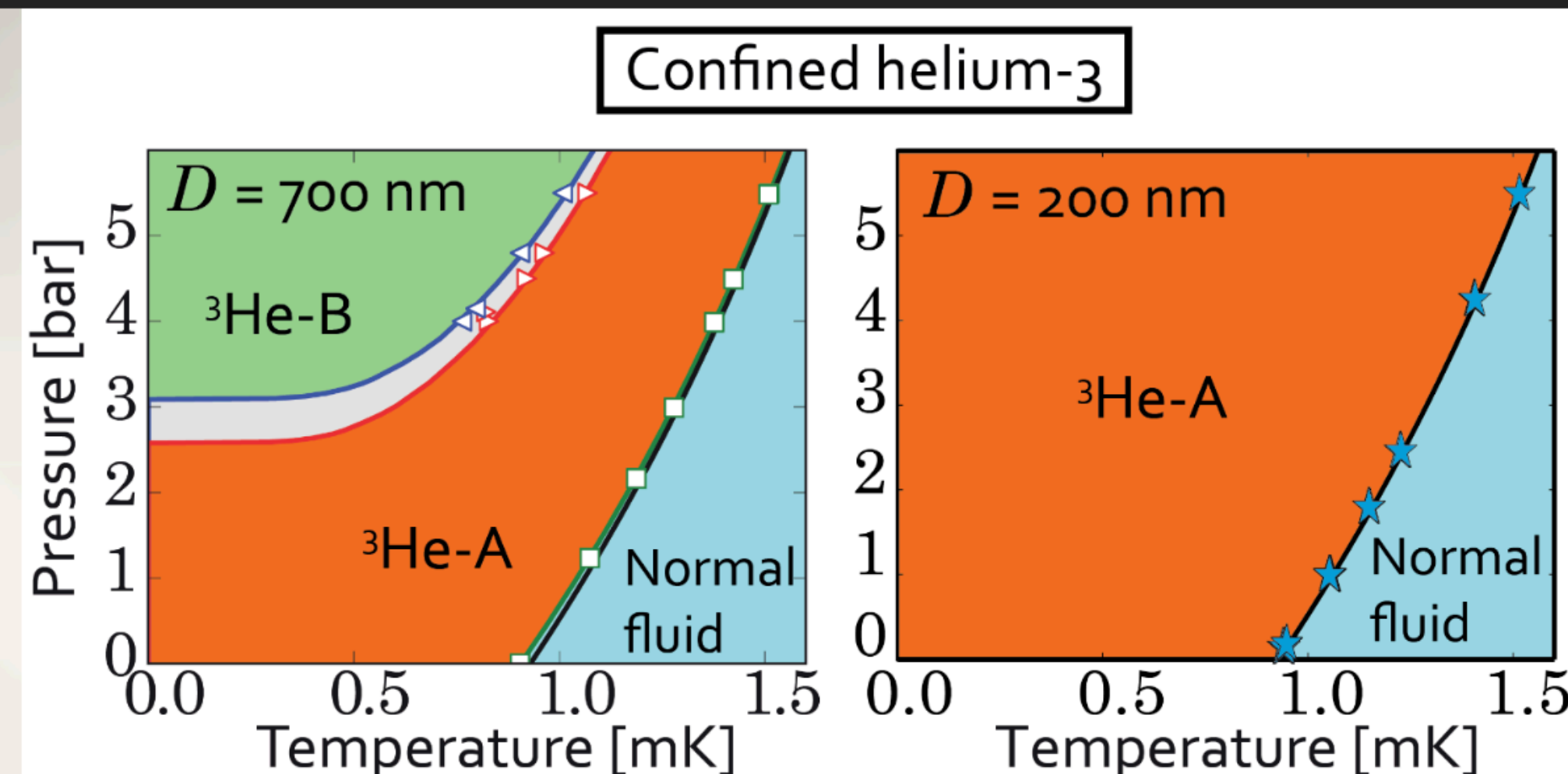
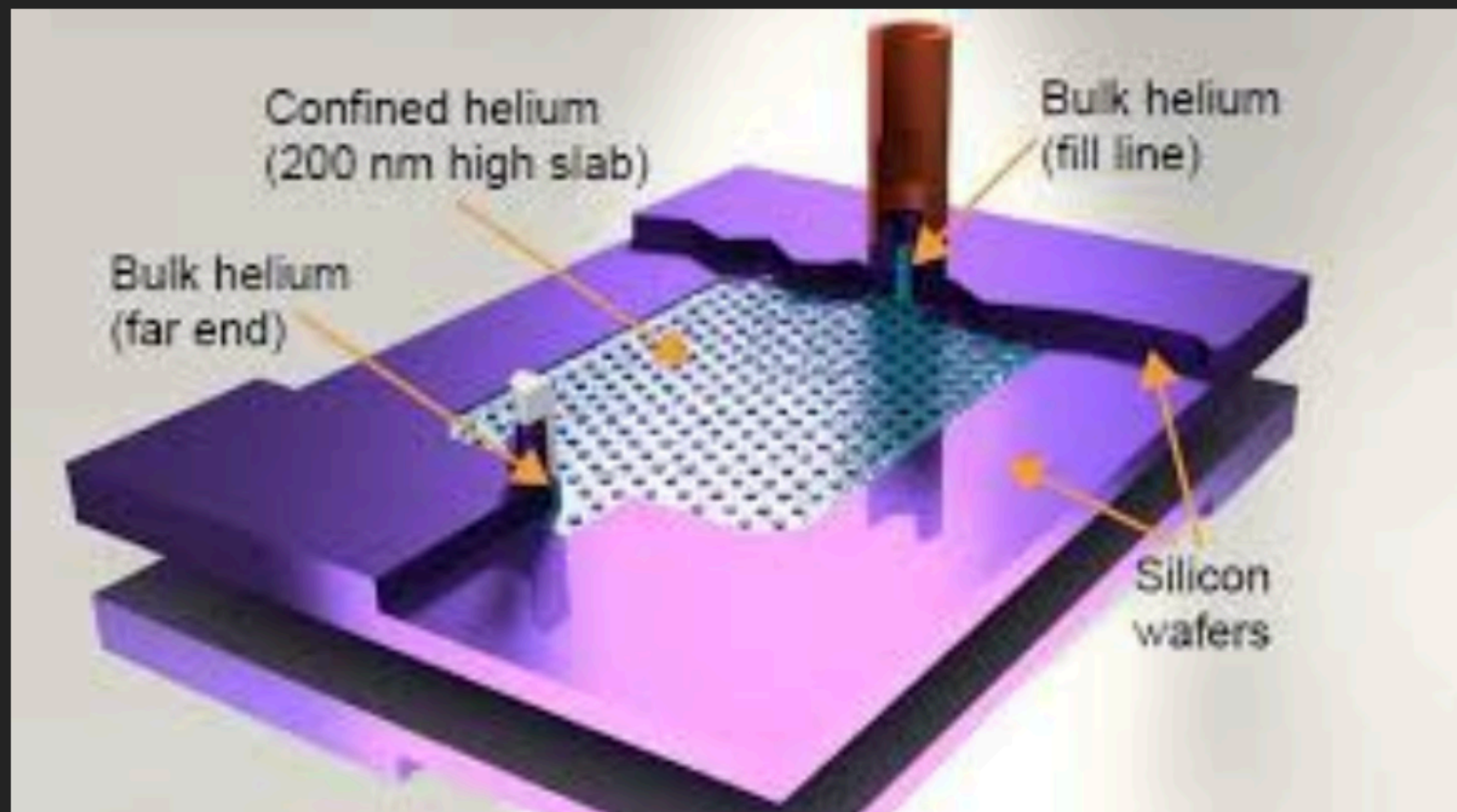


Phase Transitions in the lab: QUEST-DMC

WP2: Phase transitions in extreme matter

Prof Mark Hindmarsh

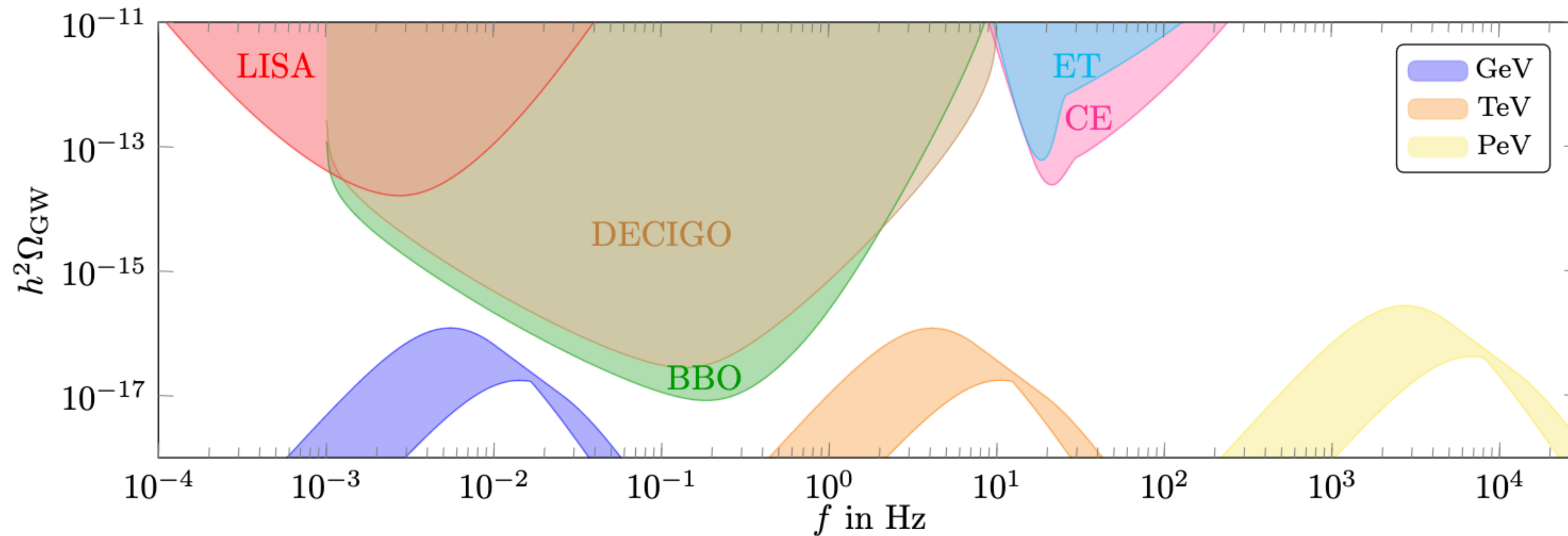
- Engineer phase transitions between superfluid ^3He phases of distinct symmetry (a bulk bubble away from walls, under nanoscale confinement)
- Quantum sensors to probe the nucleation and dynamics of transition, control the free energy landscape with tuning parameters.



Phase Diagram of the Topological Superfluid ^3He Confined in a Nanoscale Slab Geometry

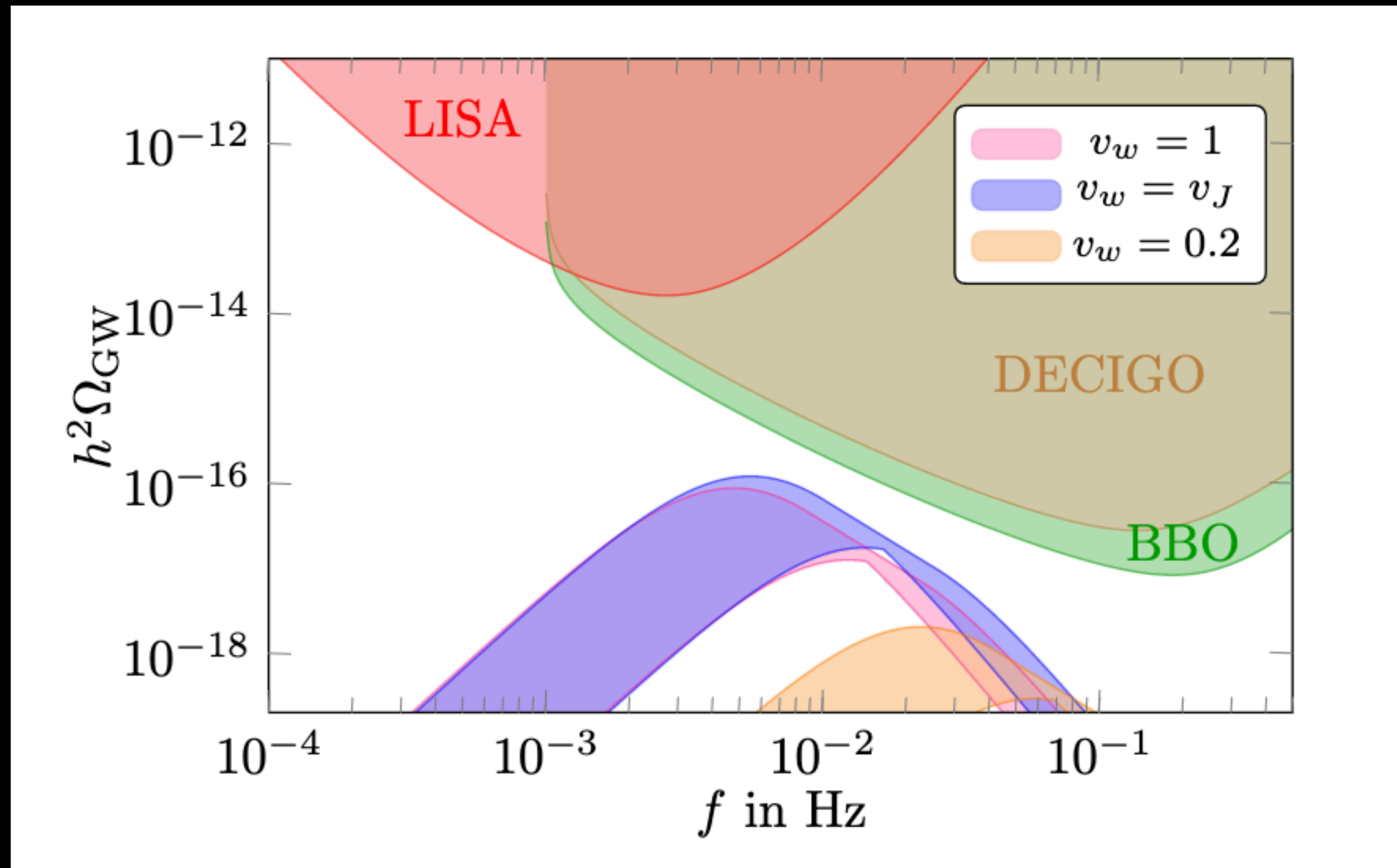
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Gravitational Wave Sensitivity Scale



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Gravitational Wave Sensitivity Wall Velocity

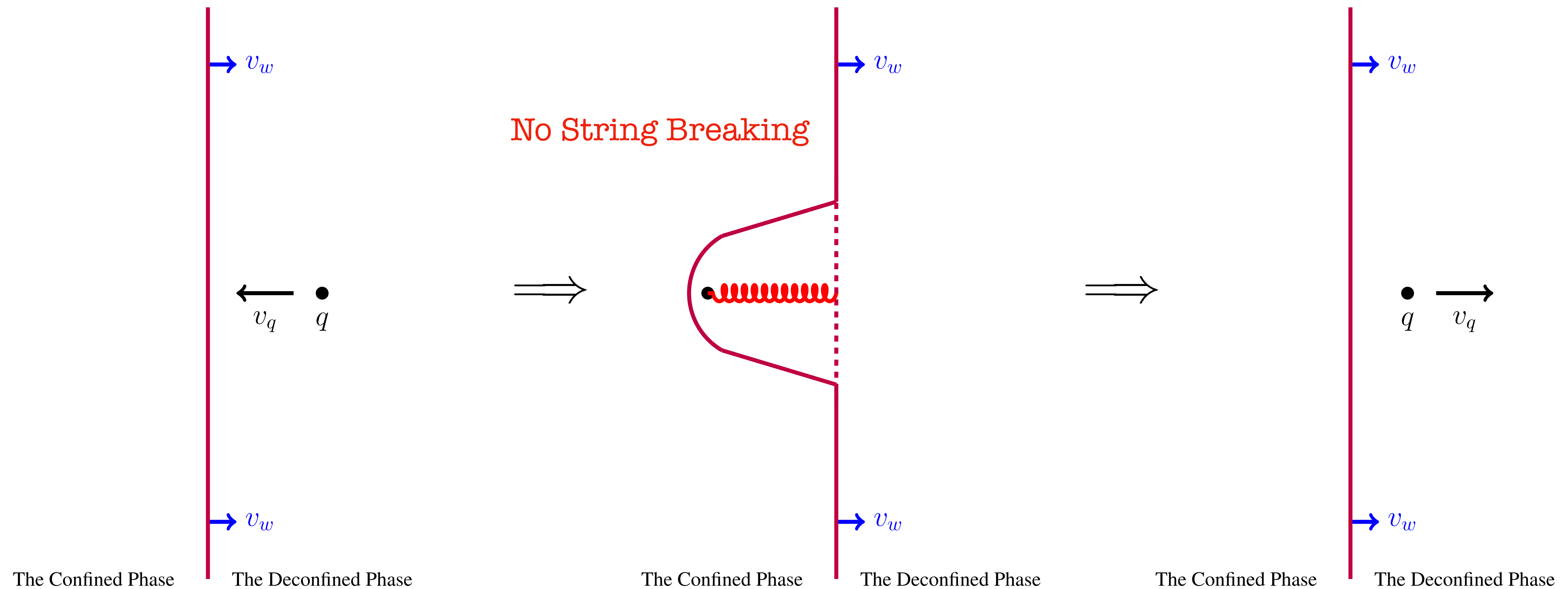


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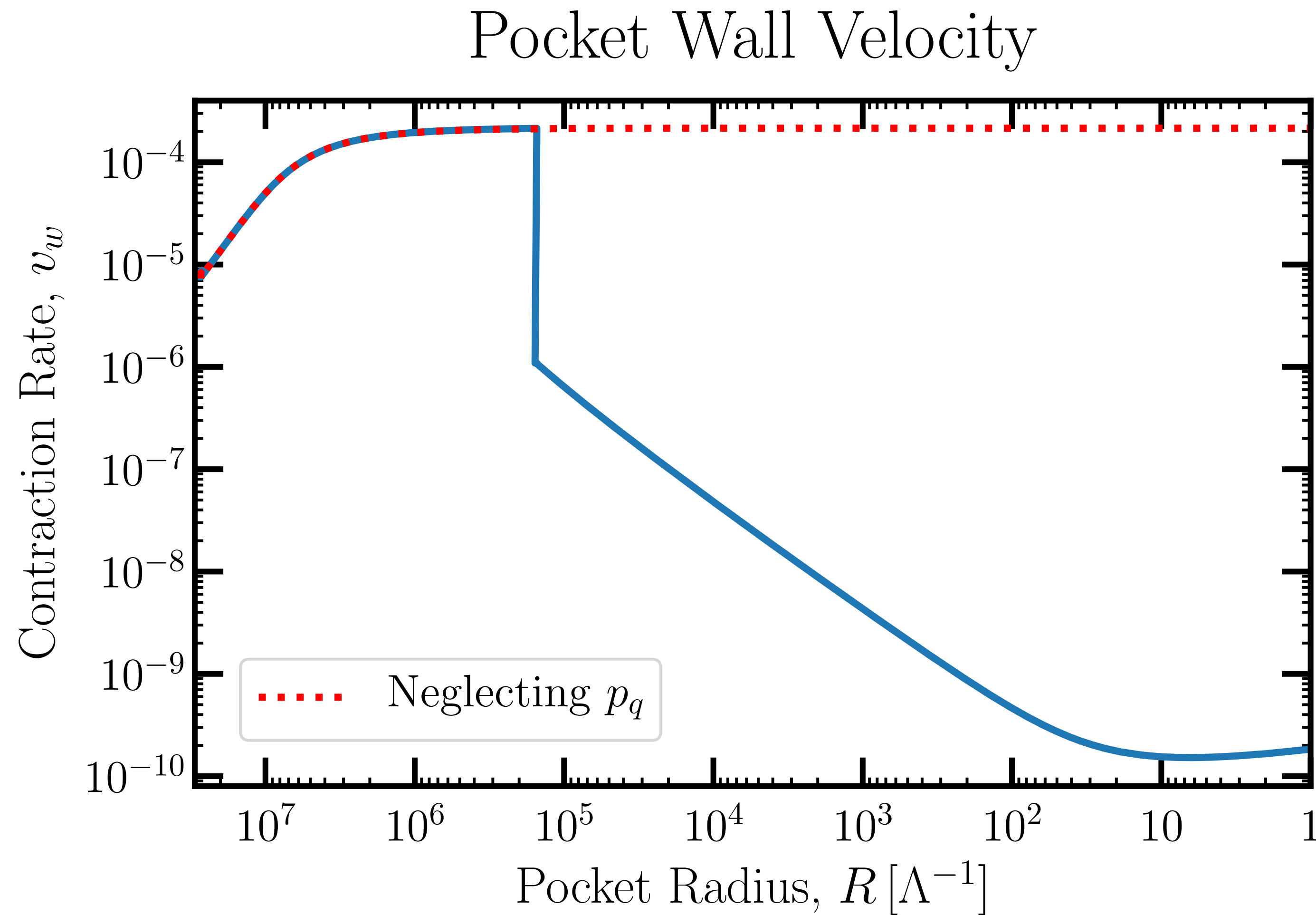
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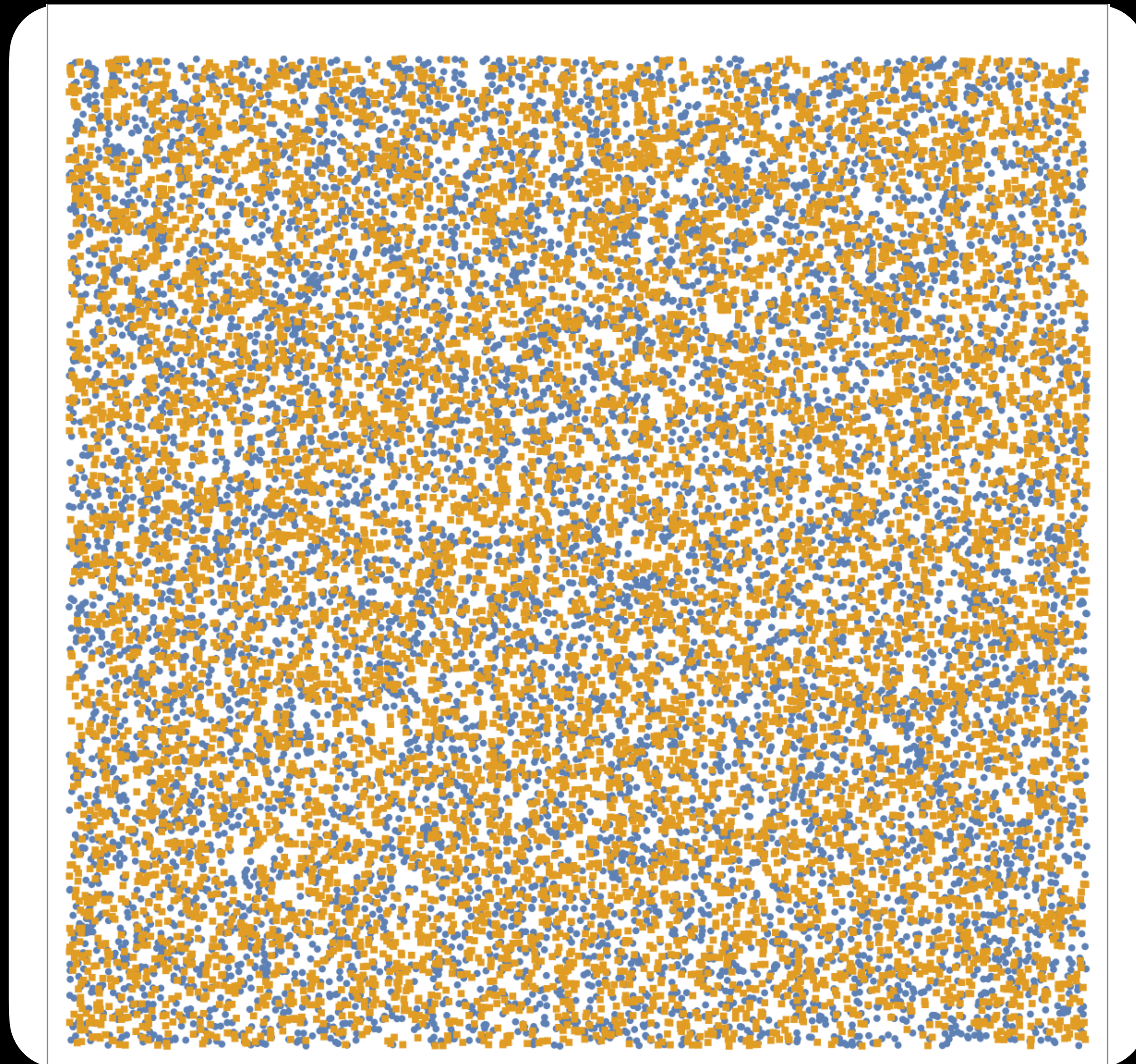
Bubble Wall Reflection



Simulating the Phase Transition III

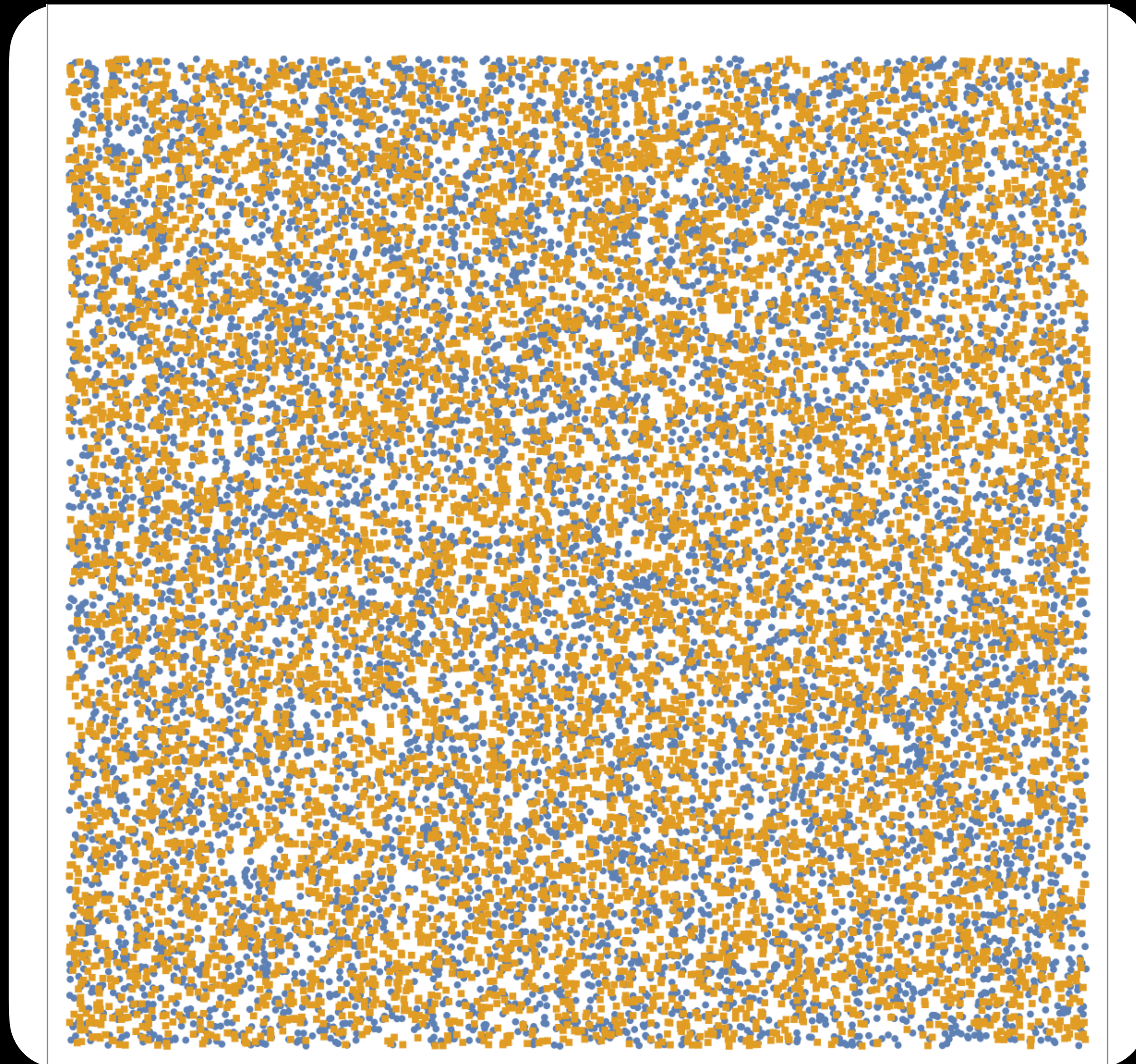


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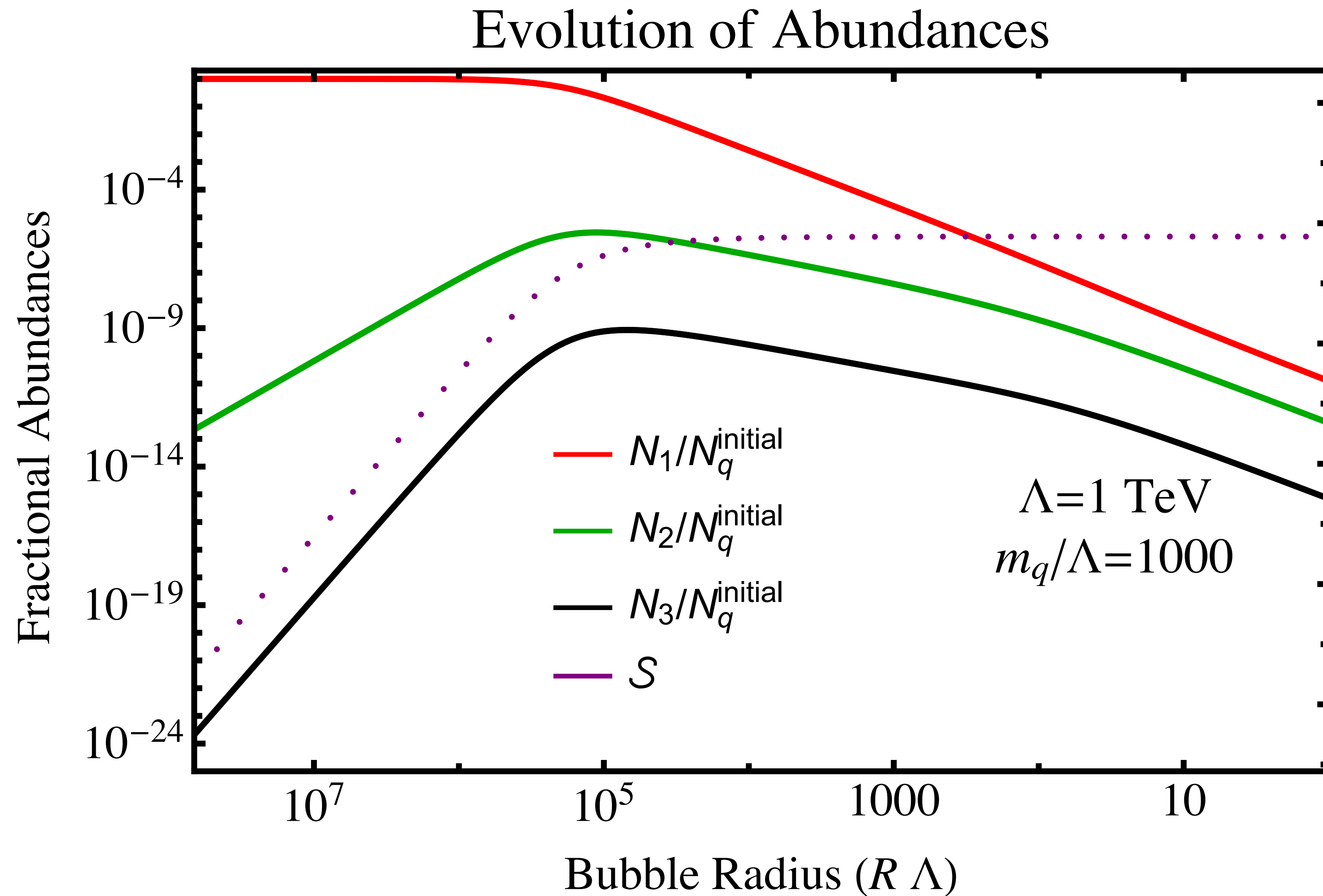
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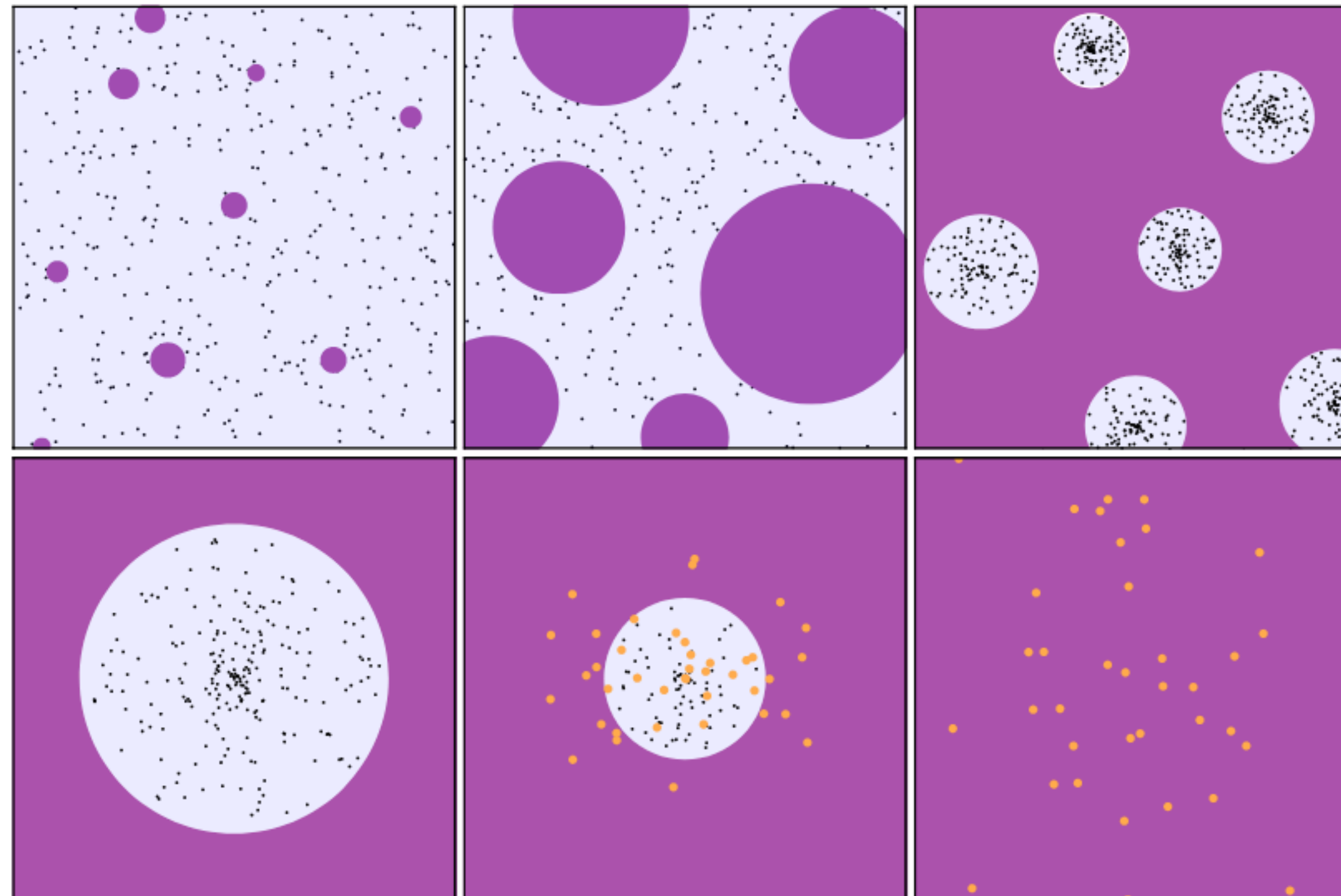


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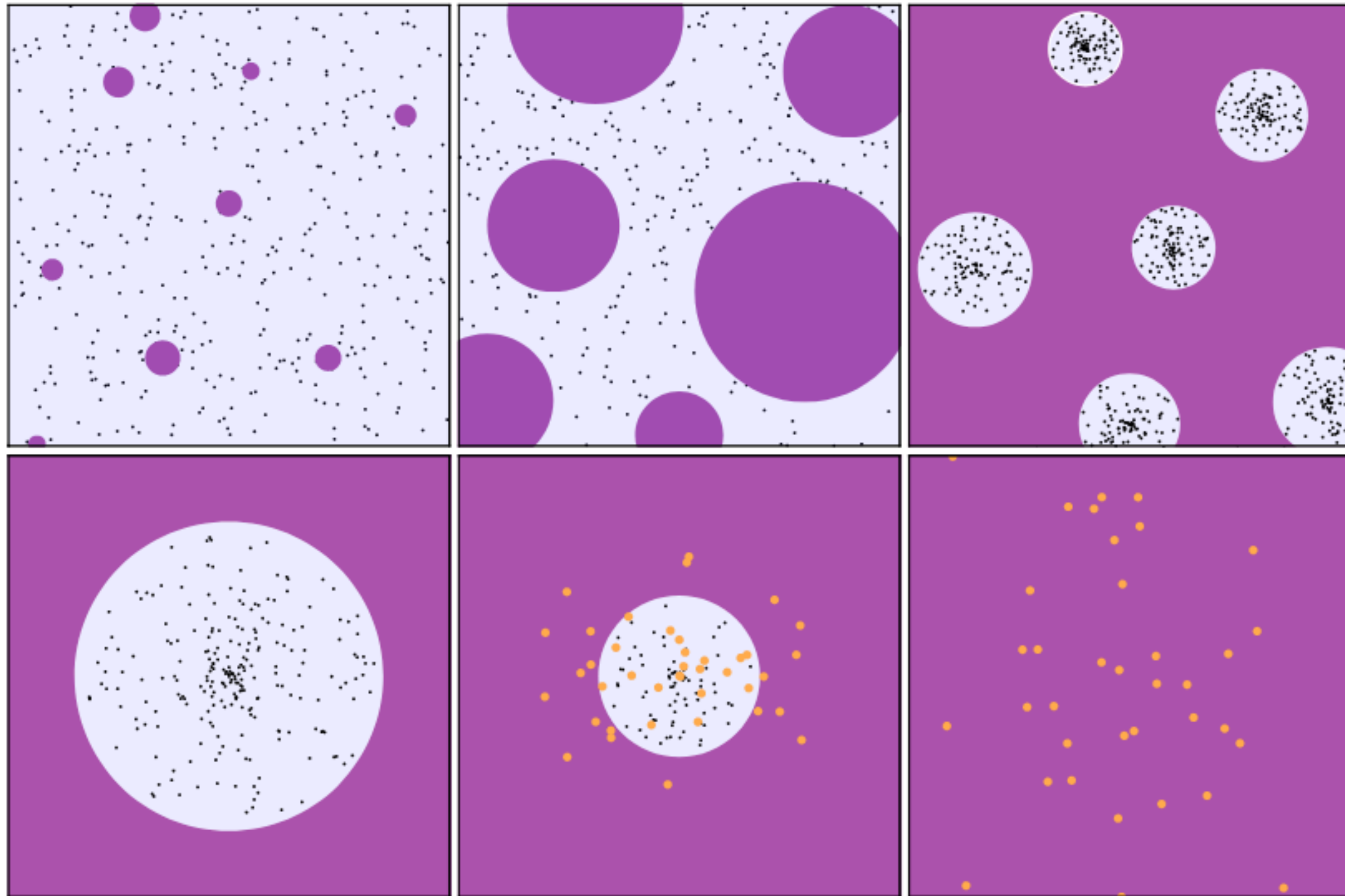


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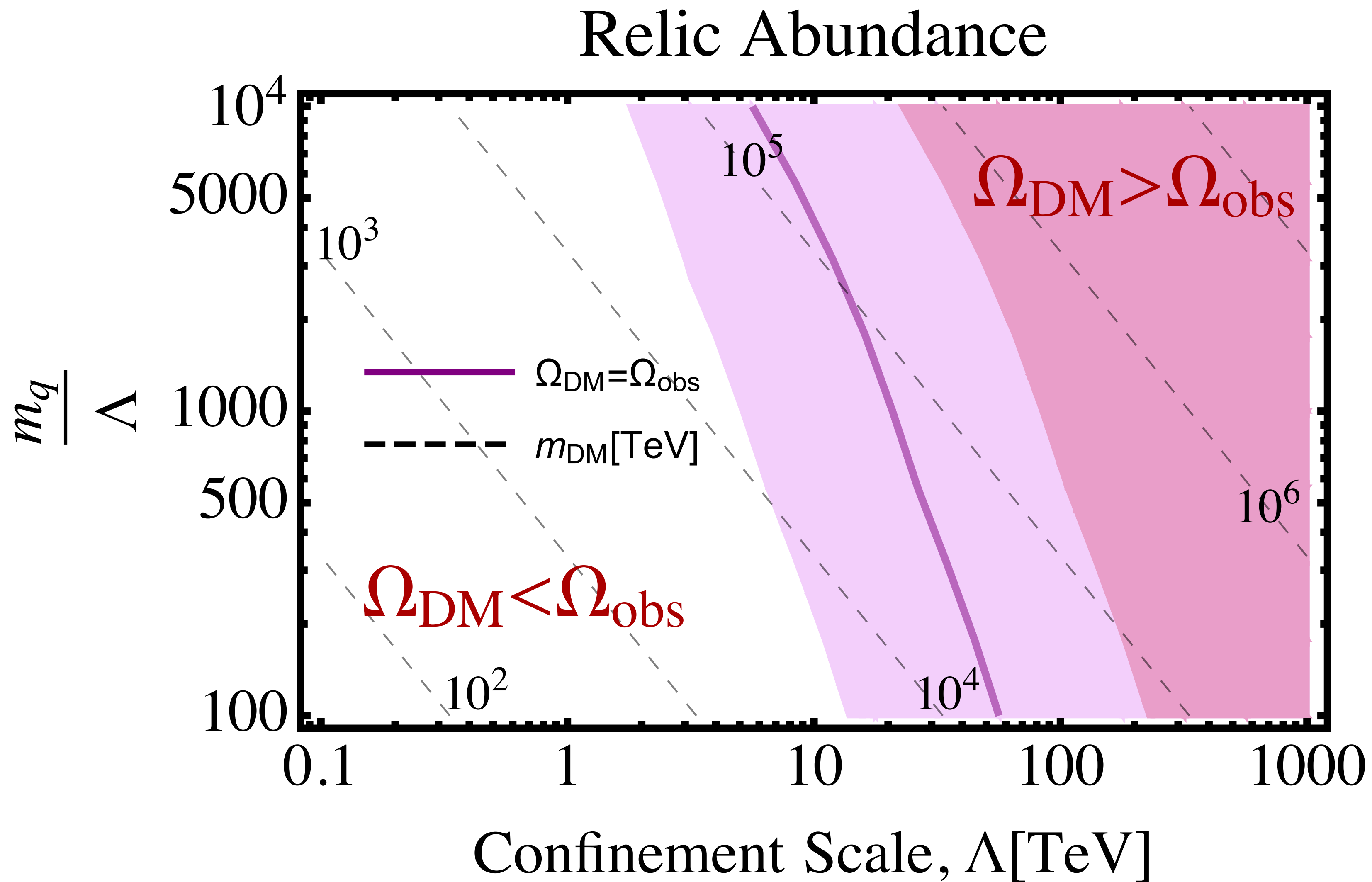
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Minimal Abundance and Asymmetry



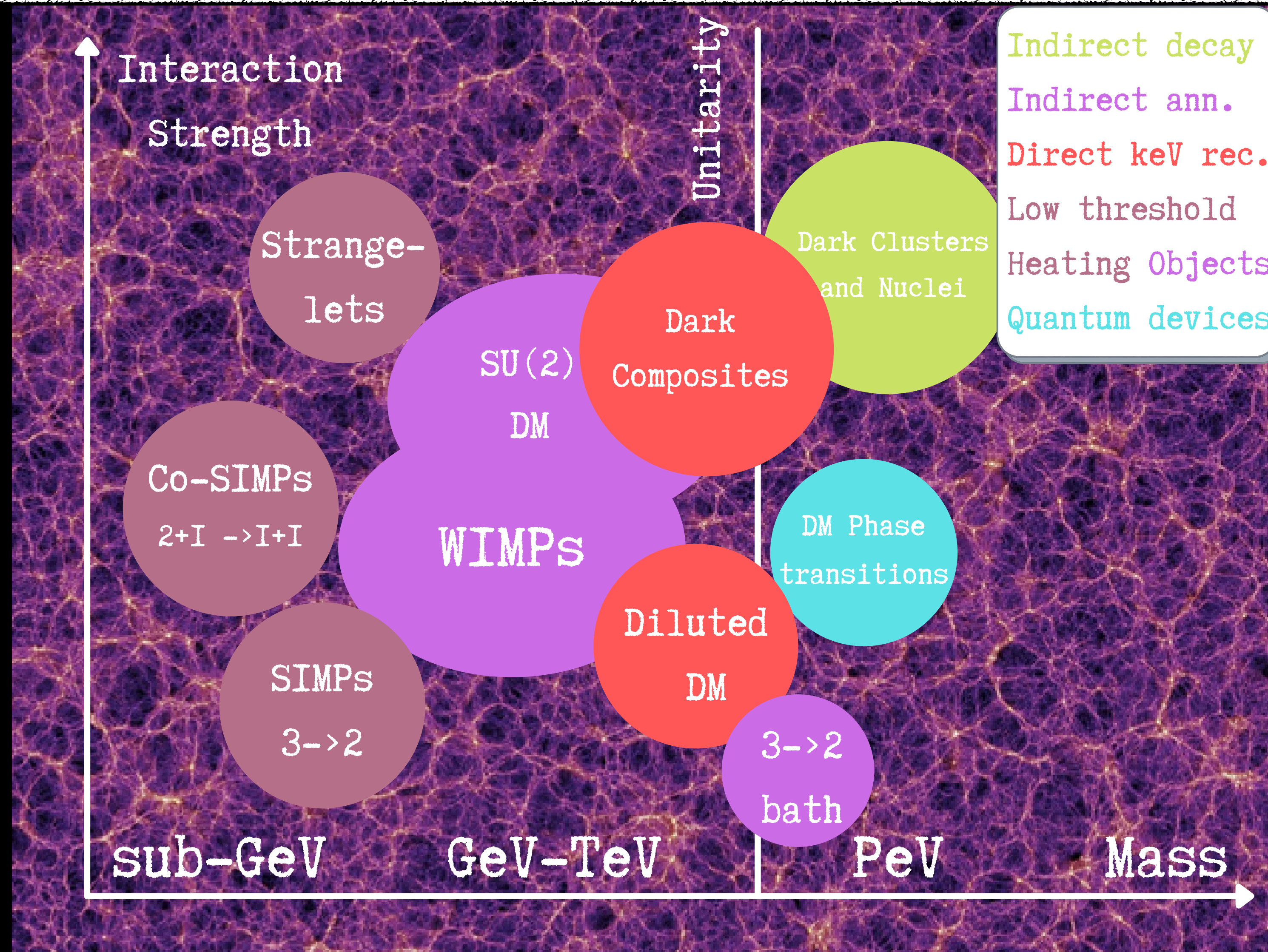
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Result for Relic Abundance



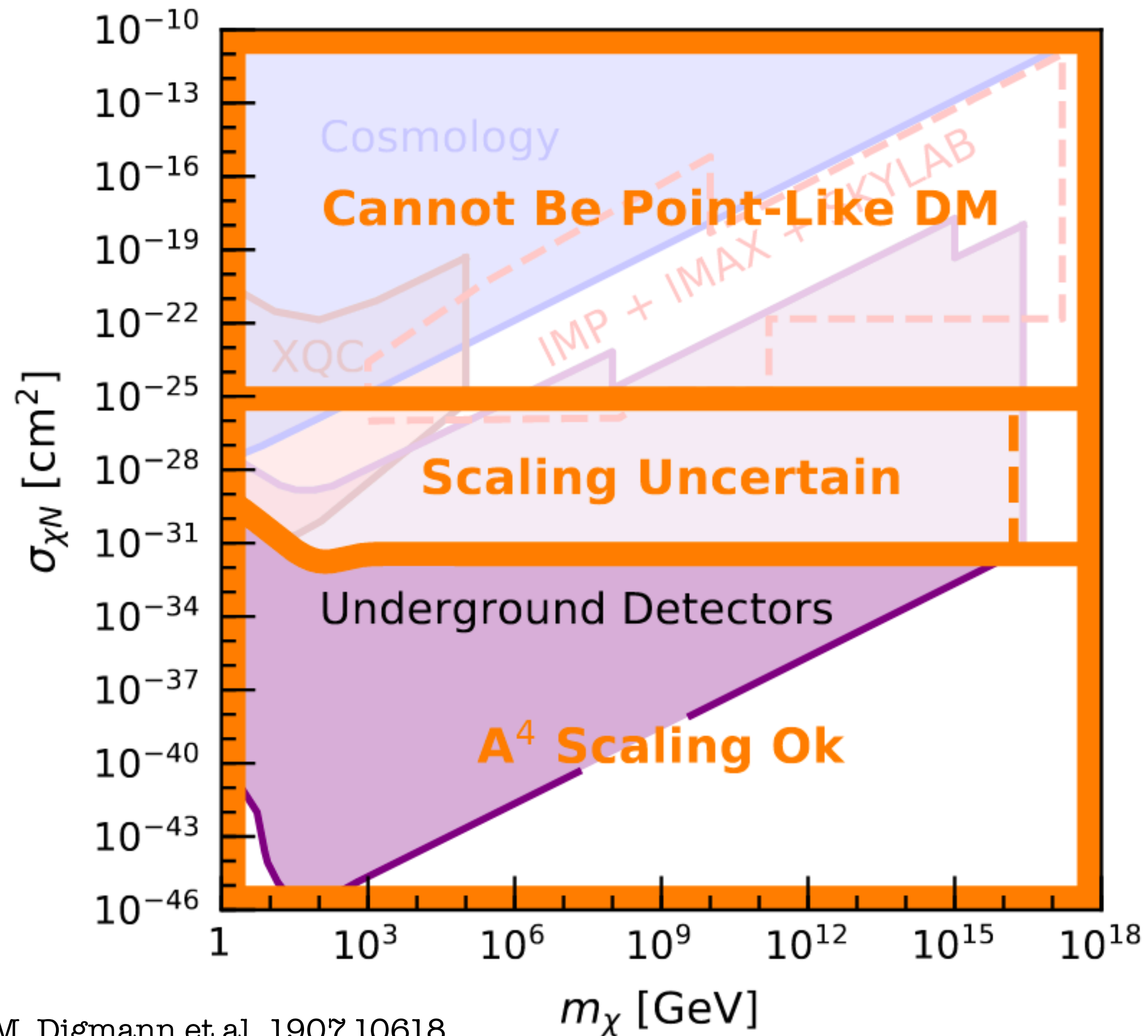
Links to Phenomenology

Dark Matter Production Scenario Space



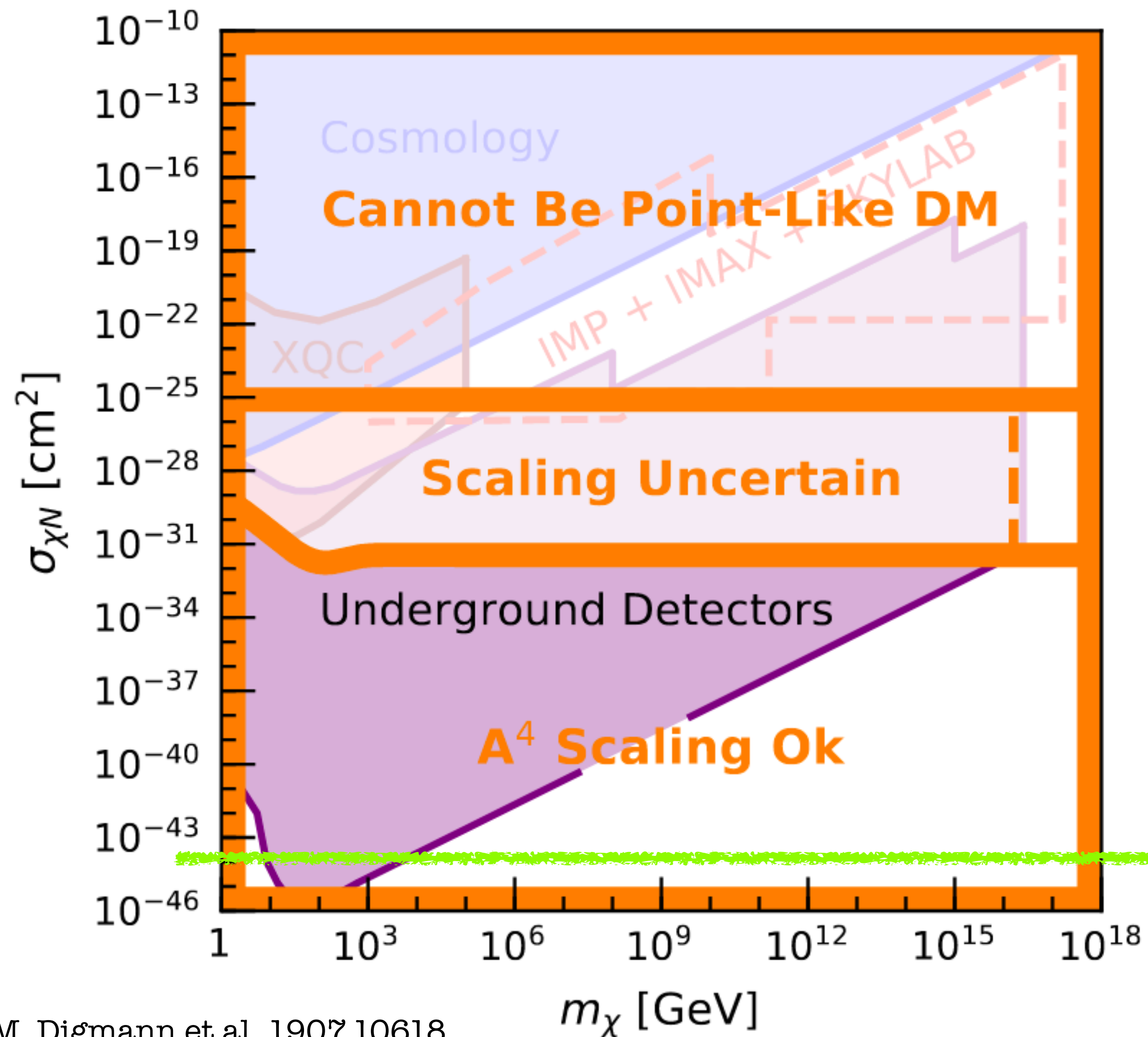
Weakly or Rarely?

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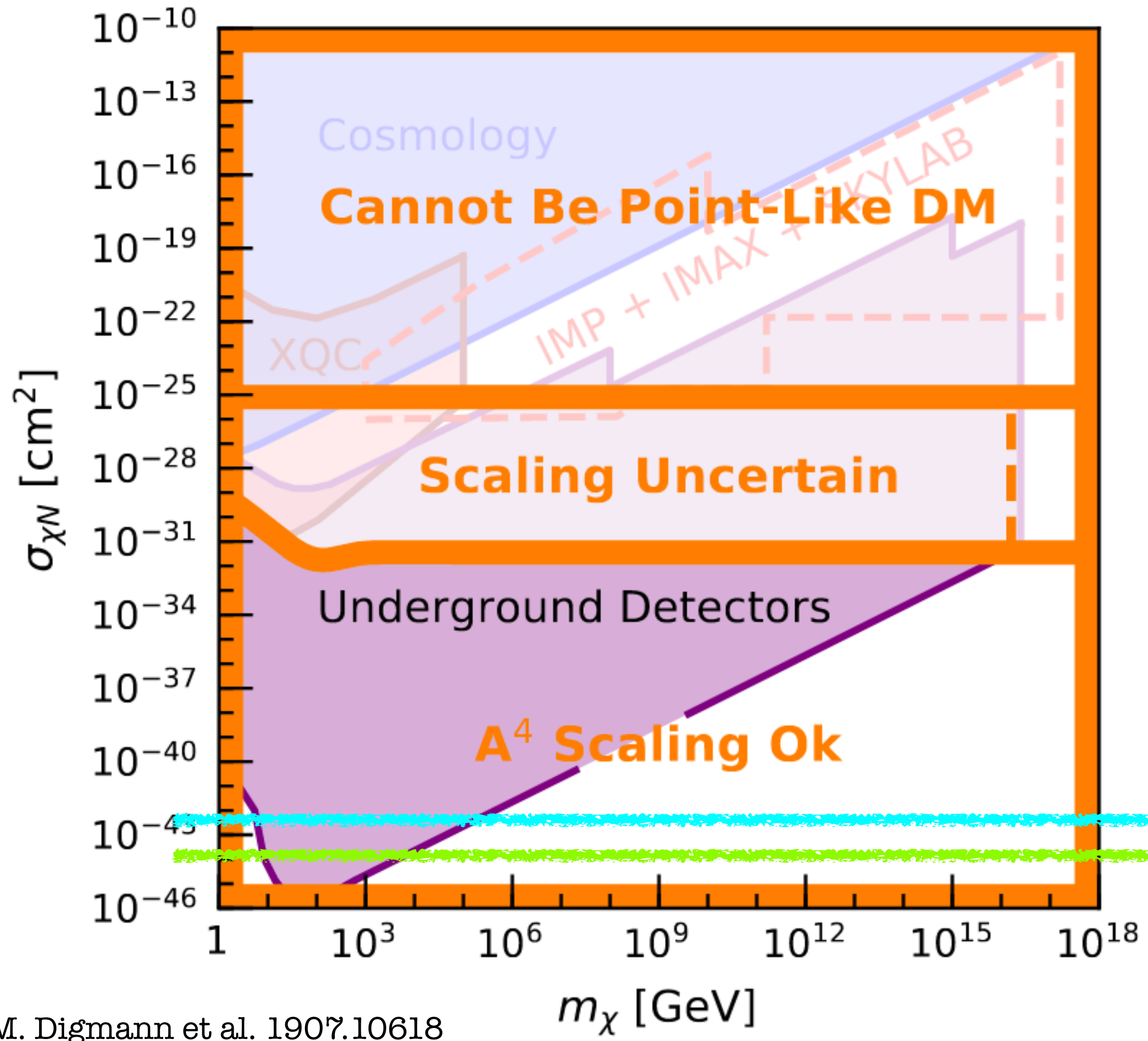
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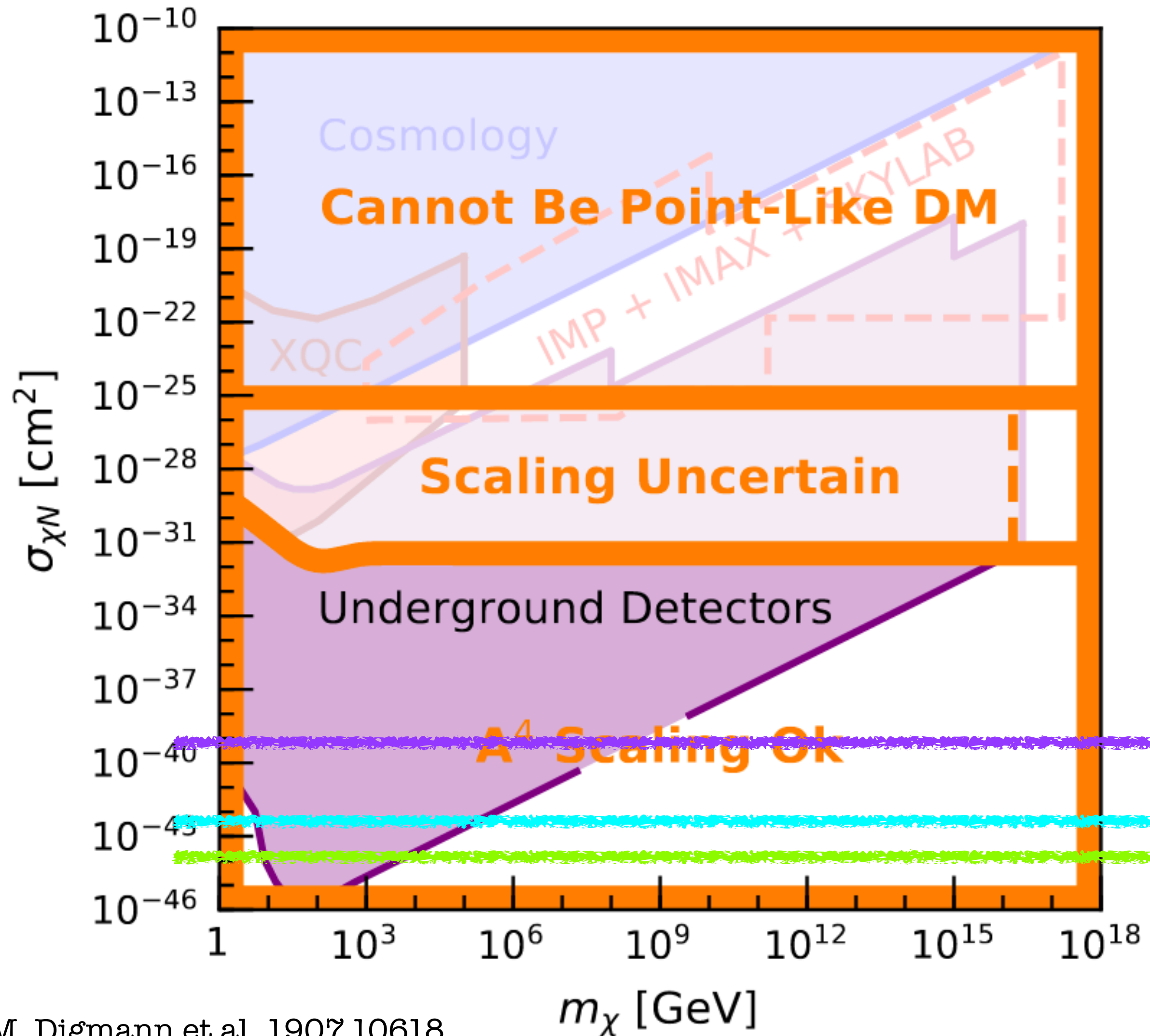
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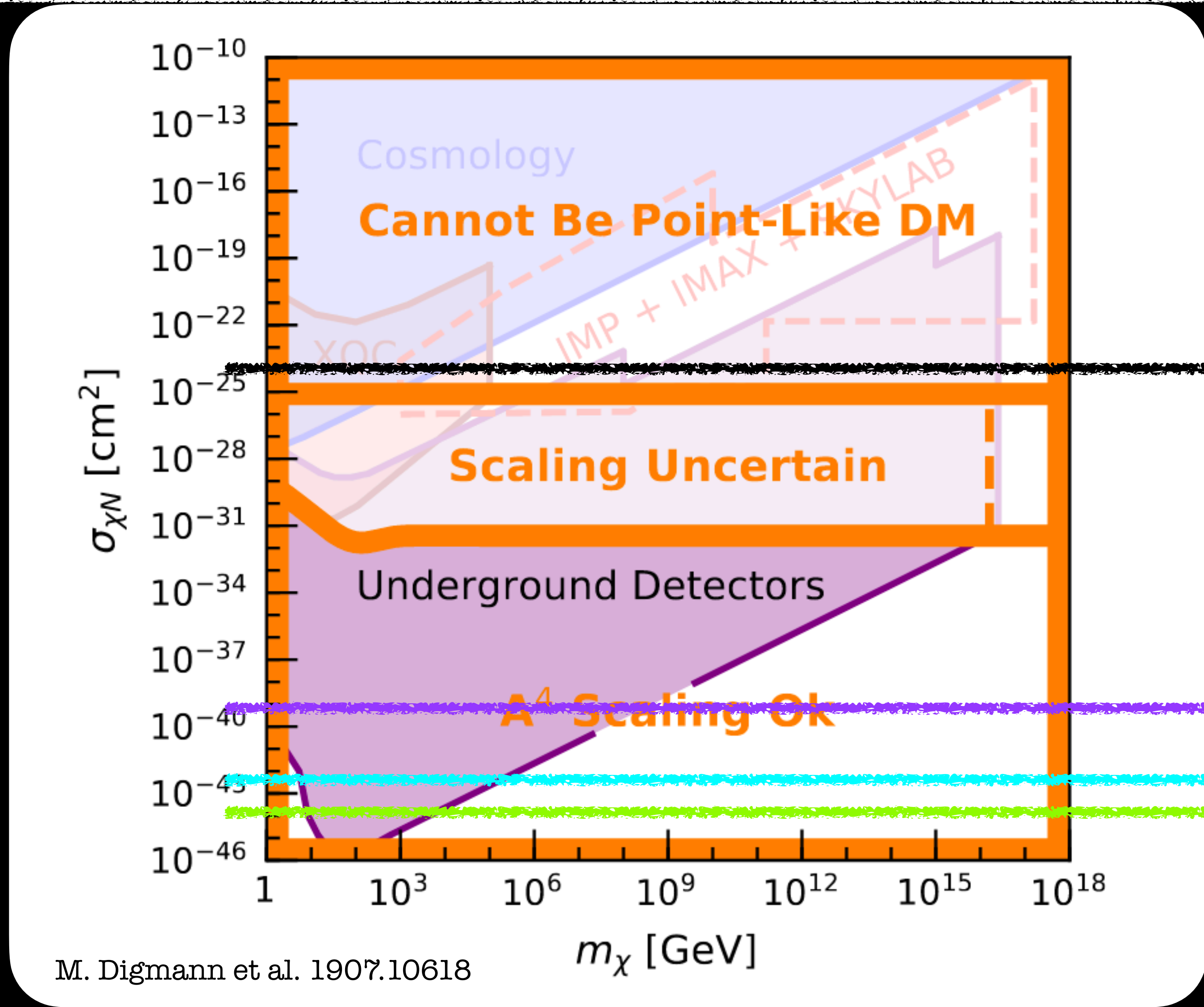
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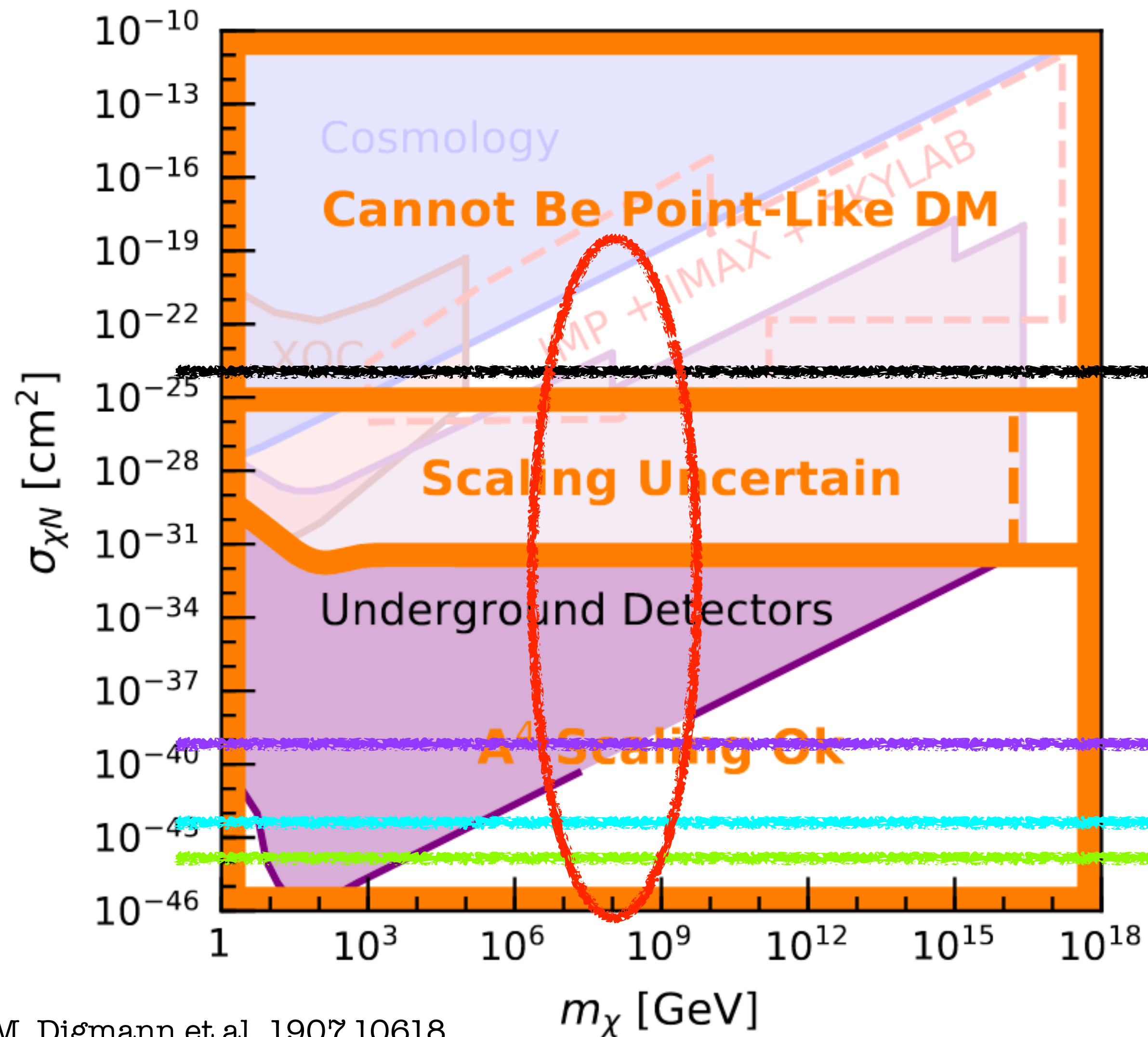
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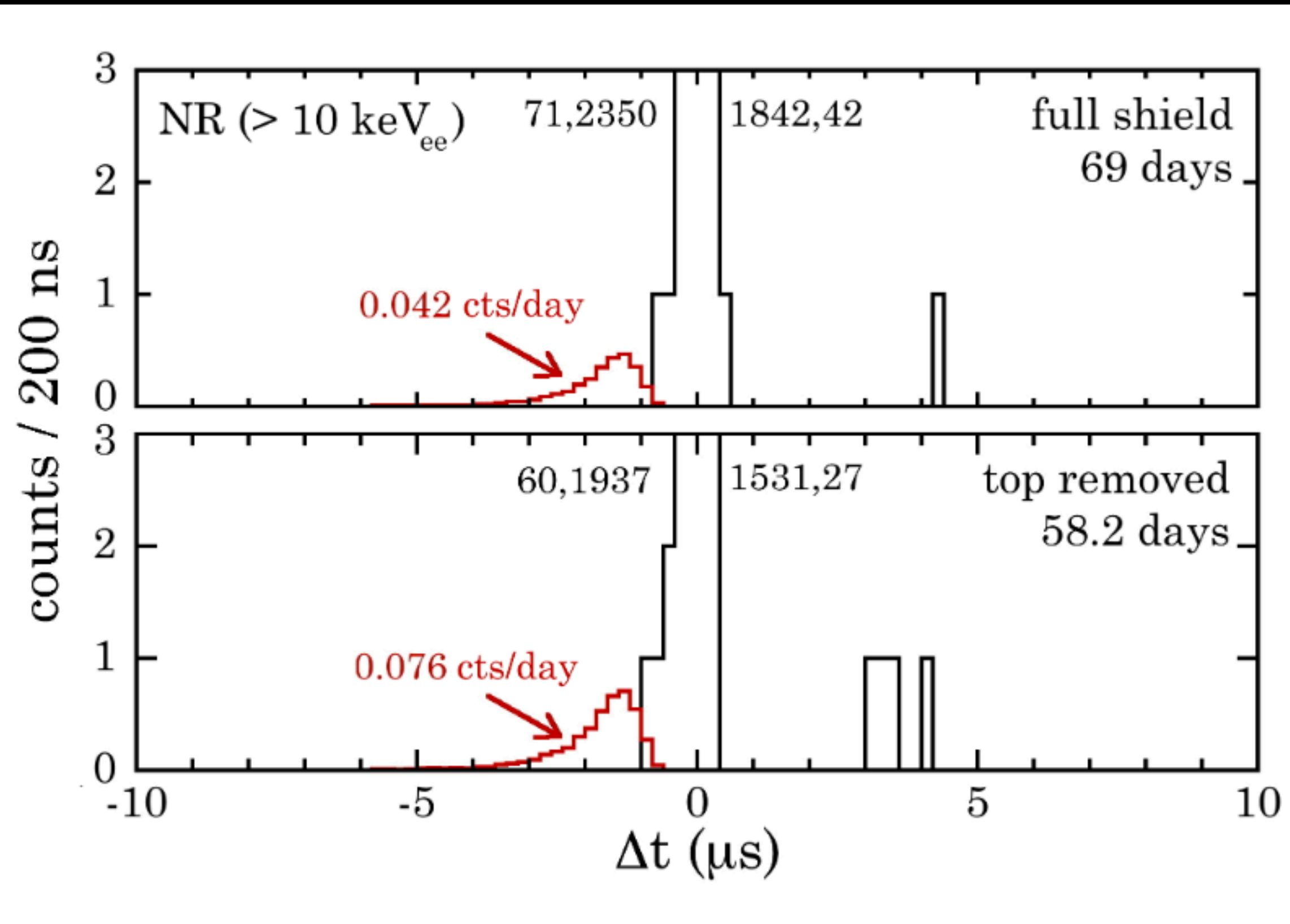
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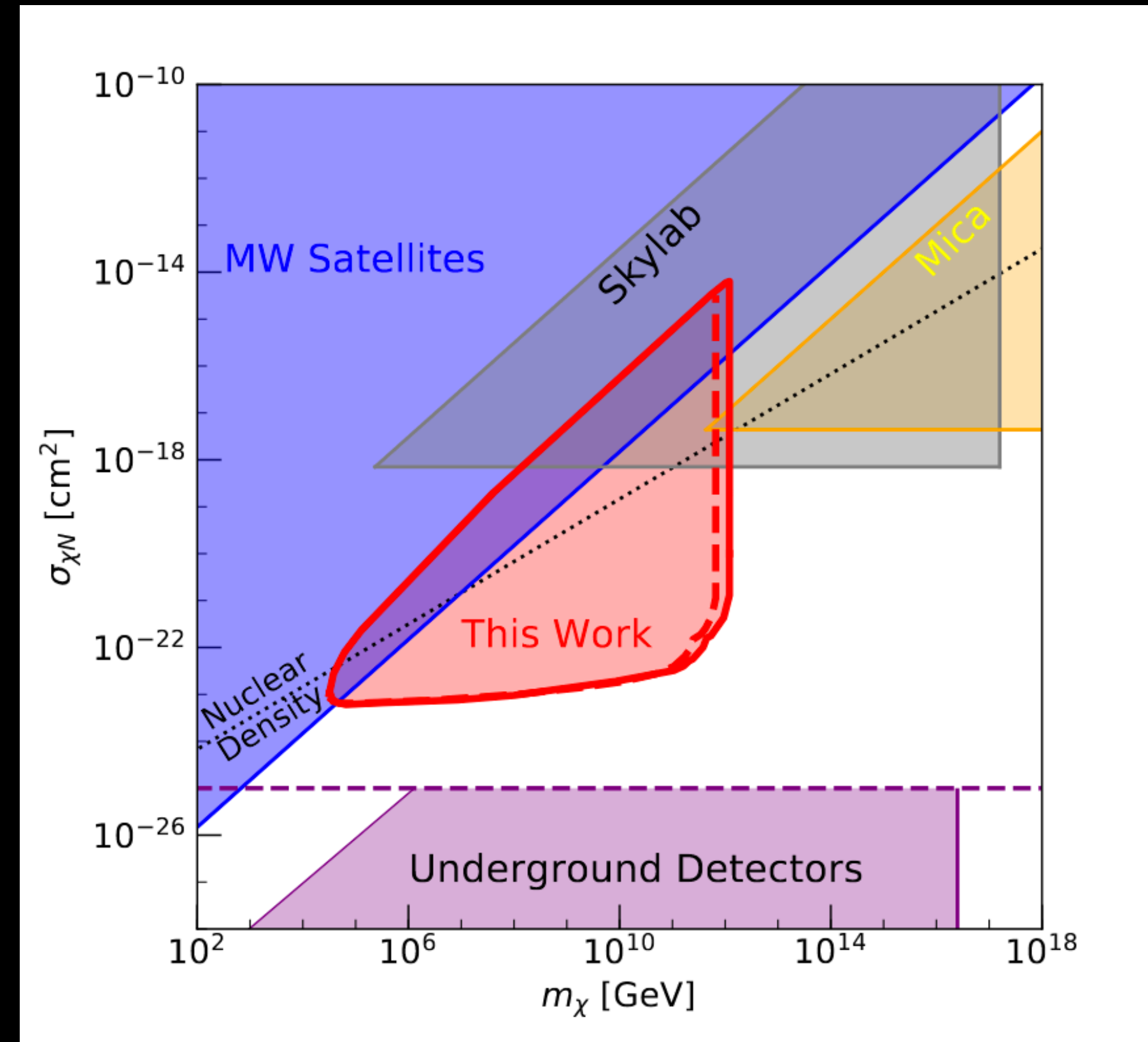
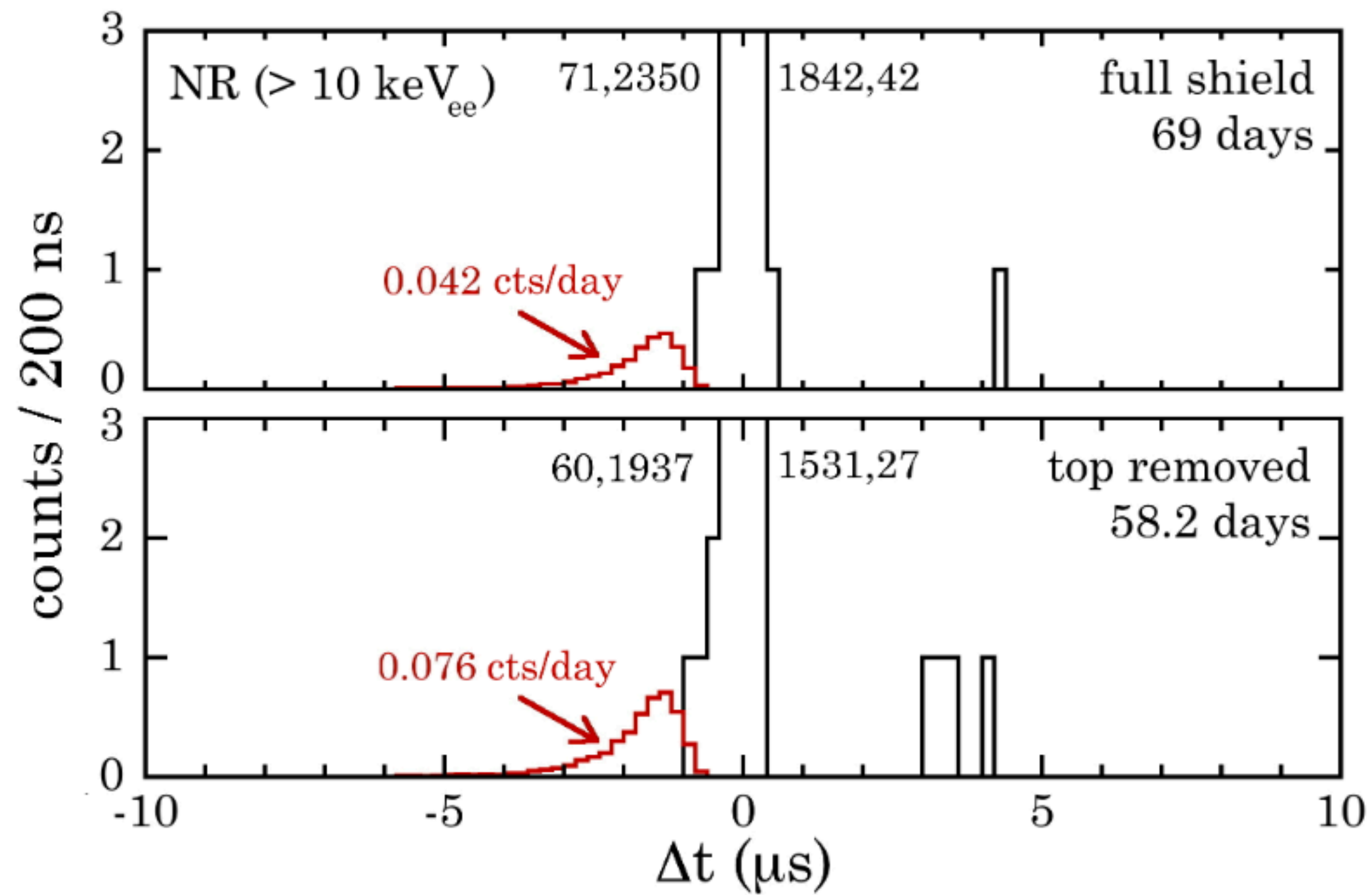
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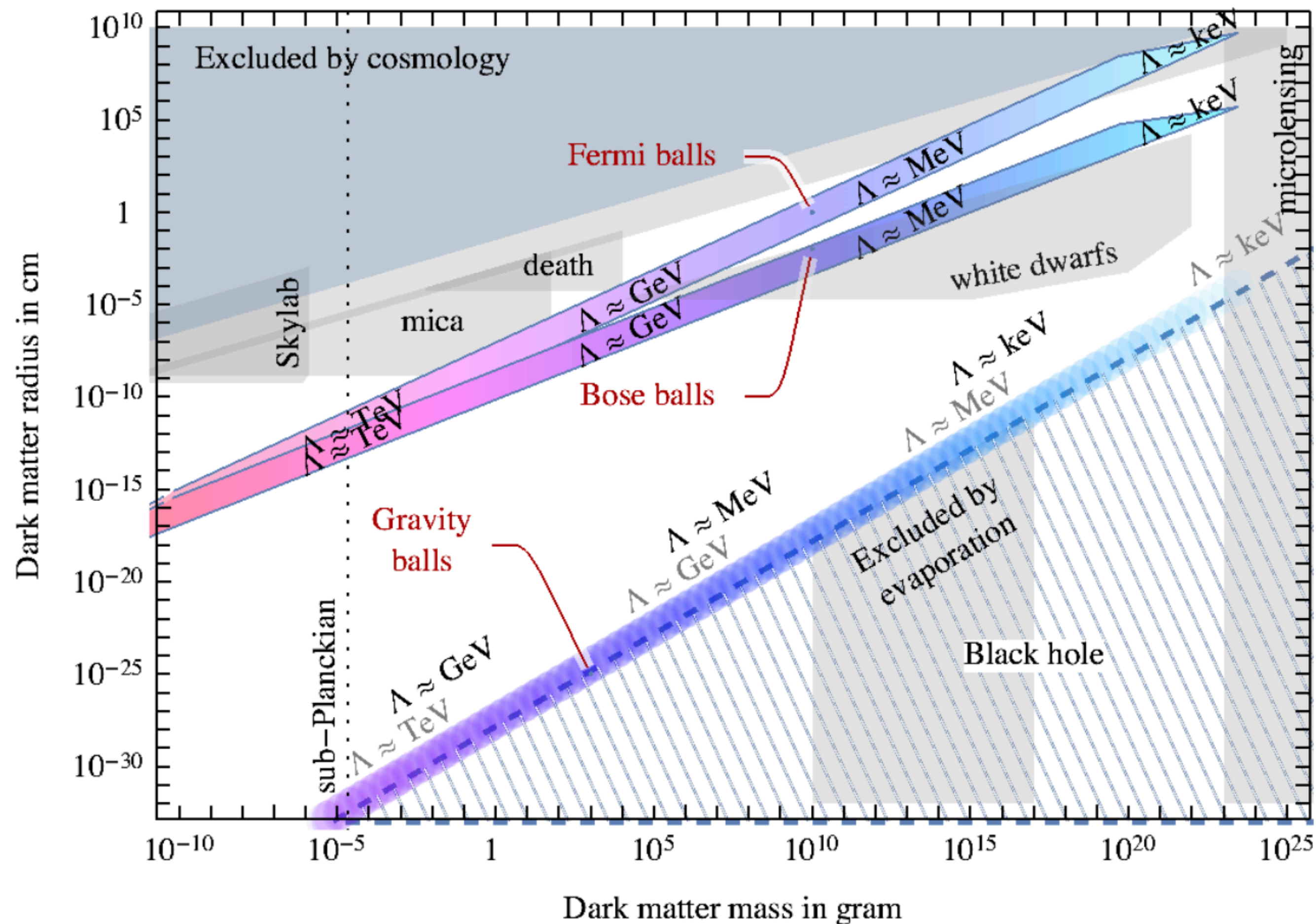


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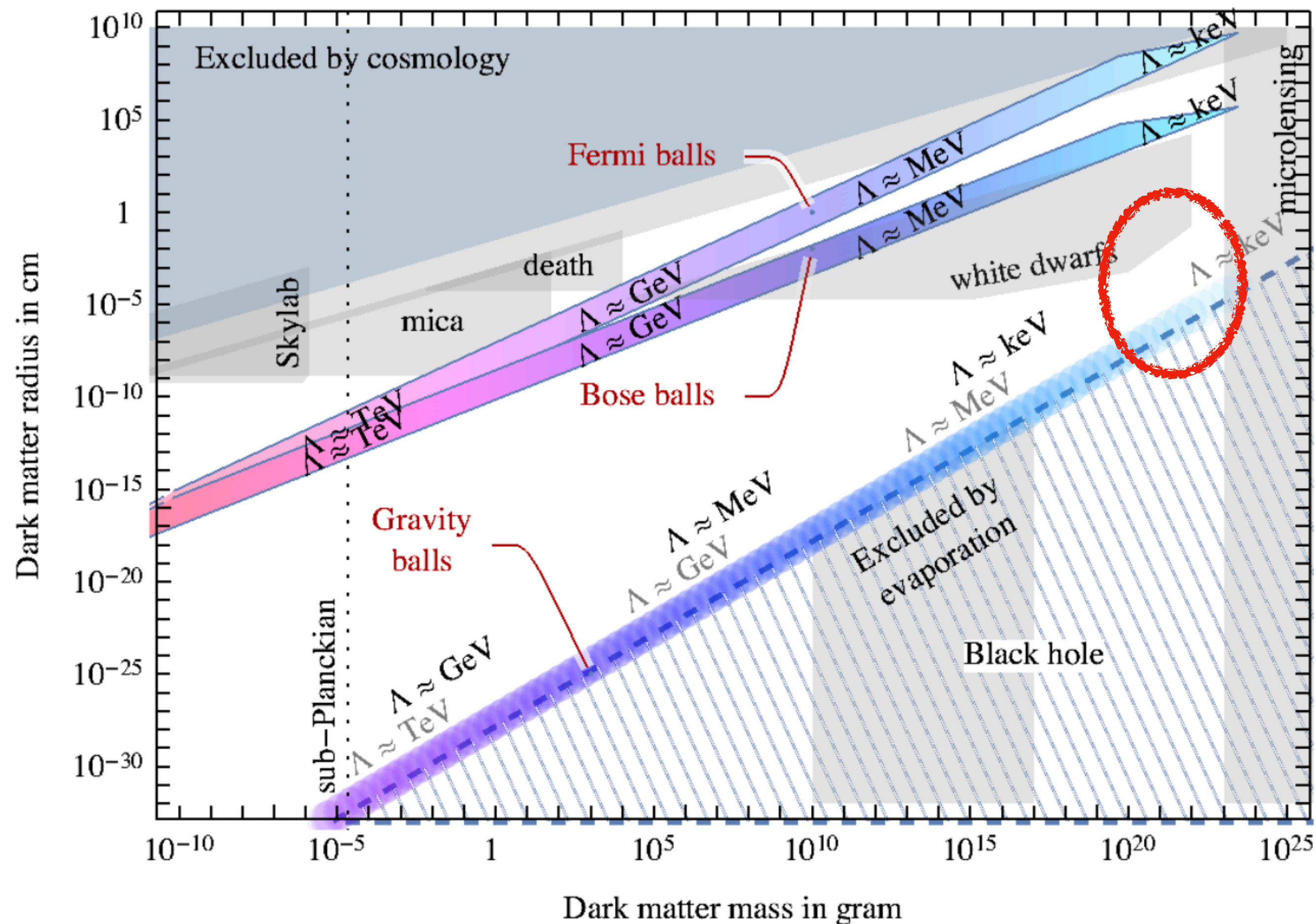
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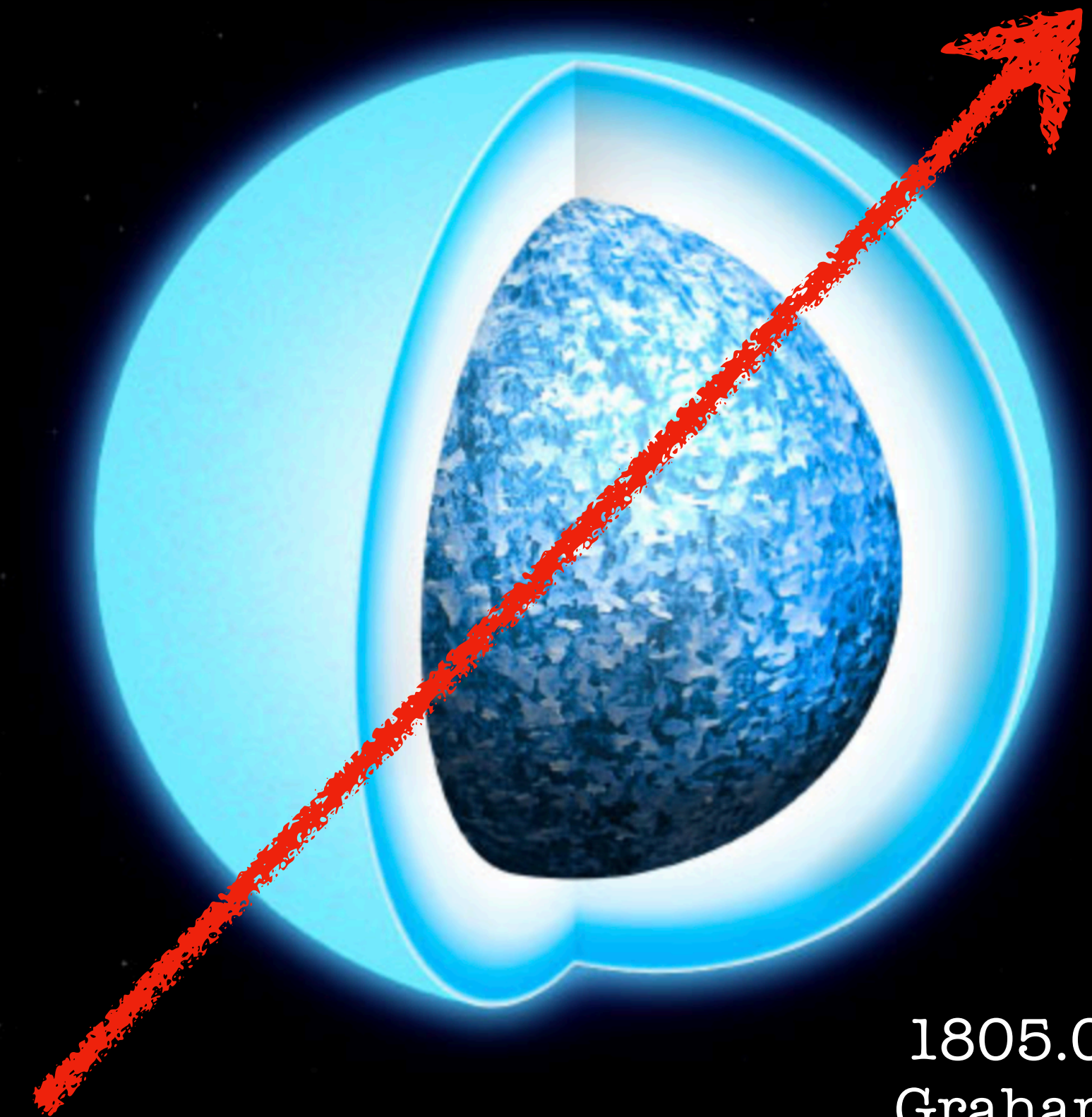


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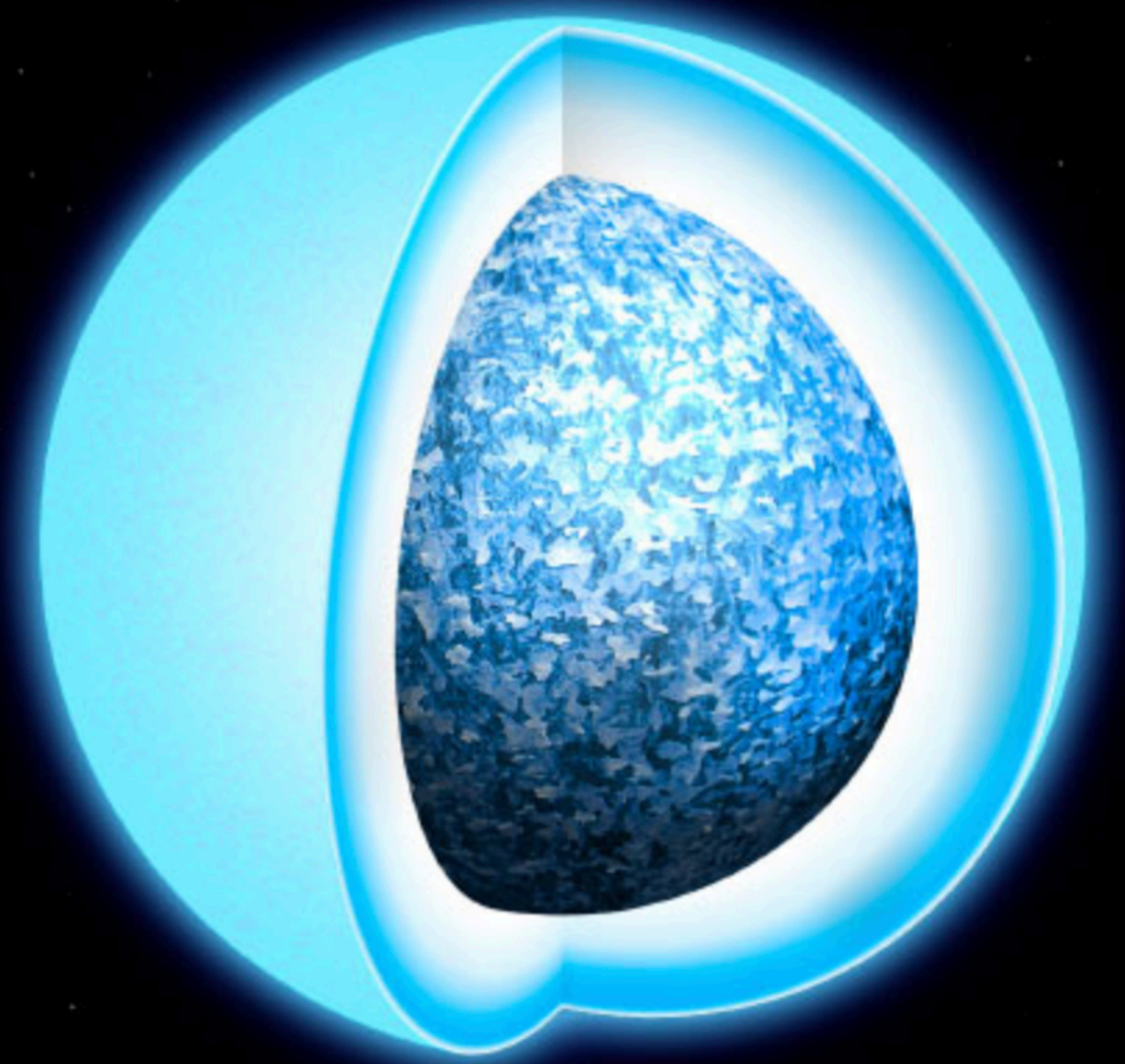
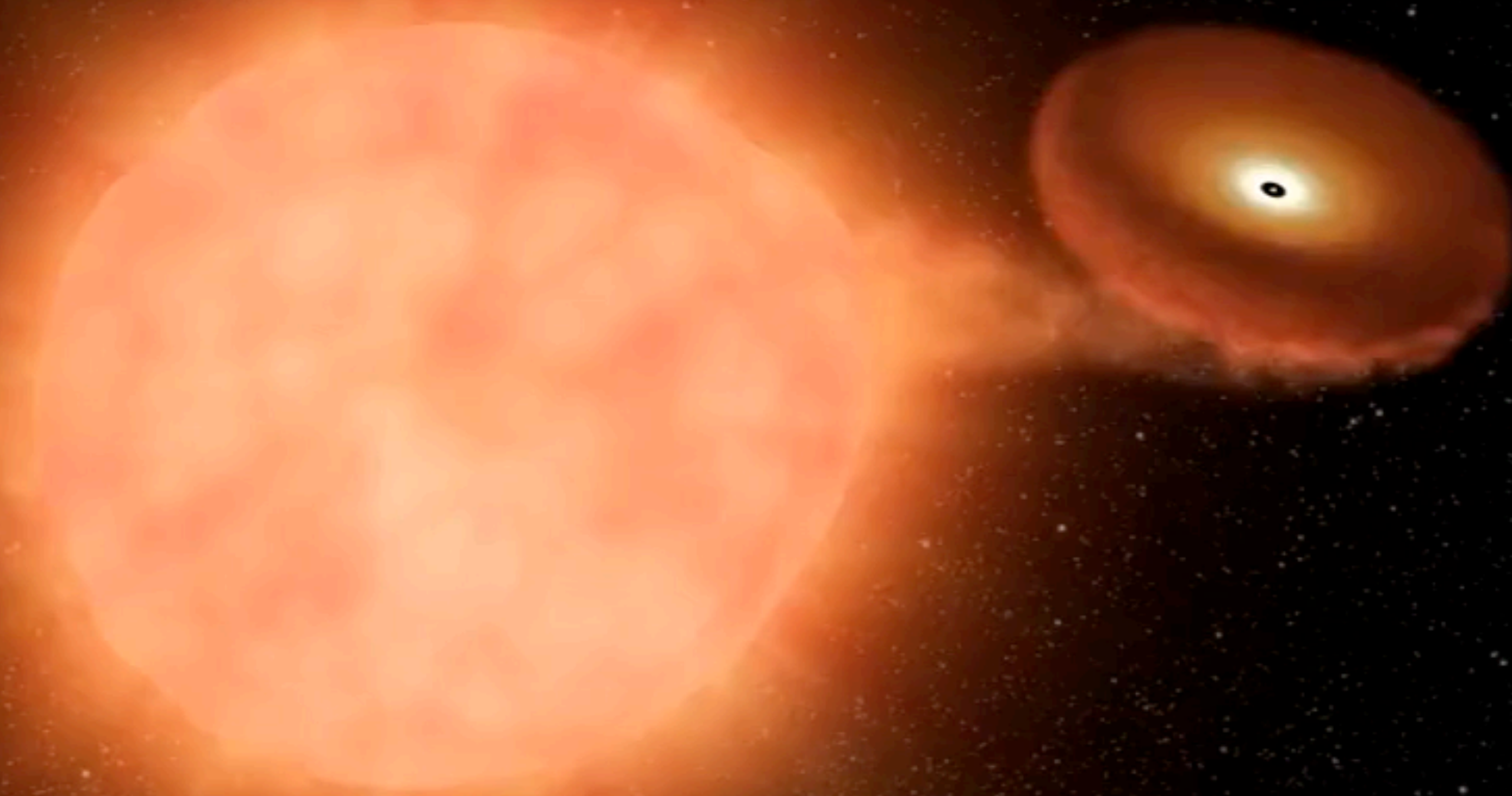
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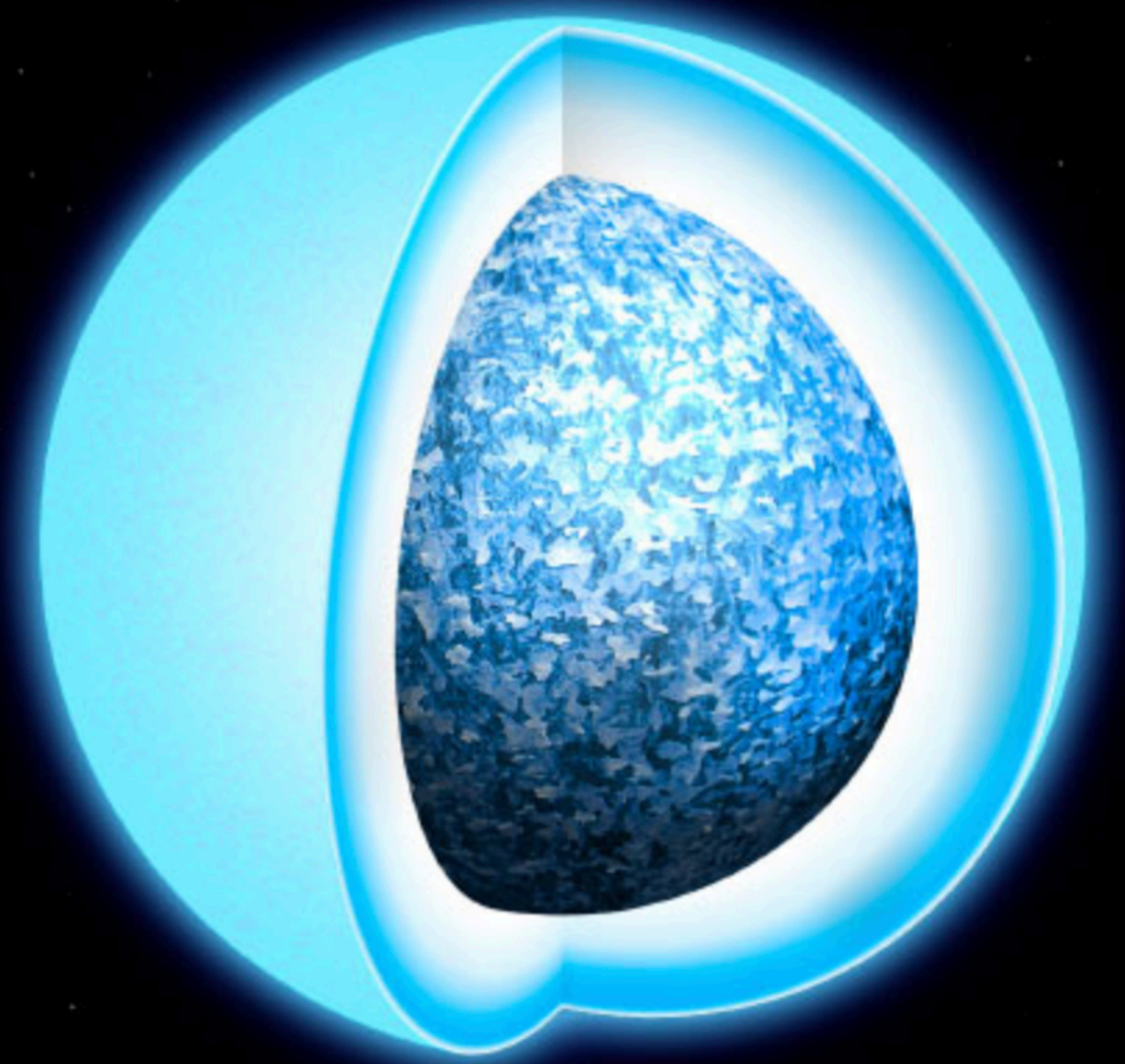
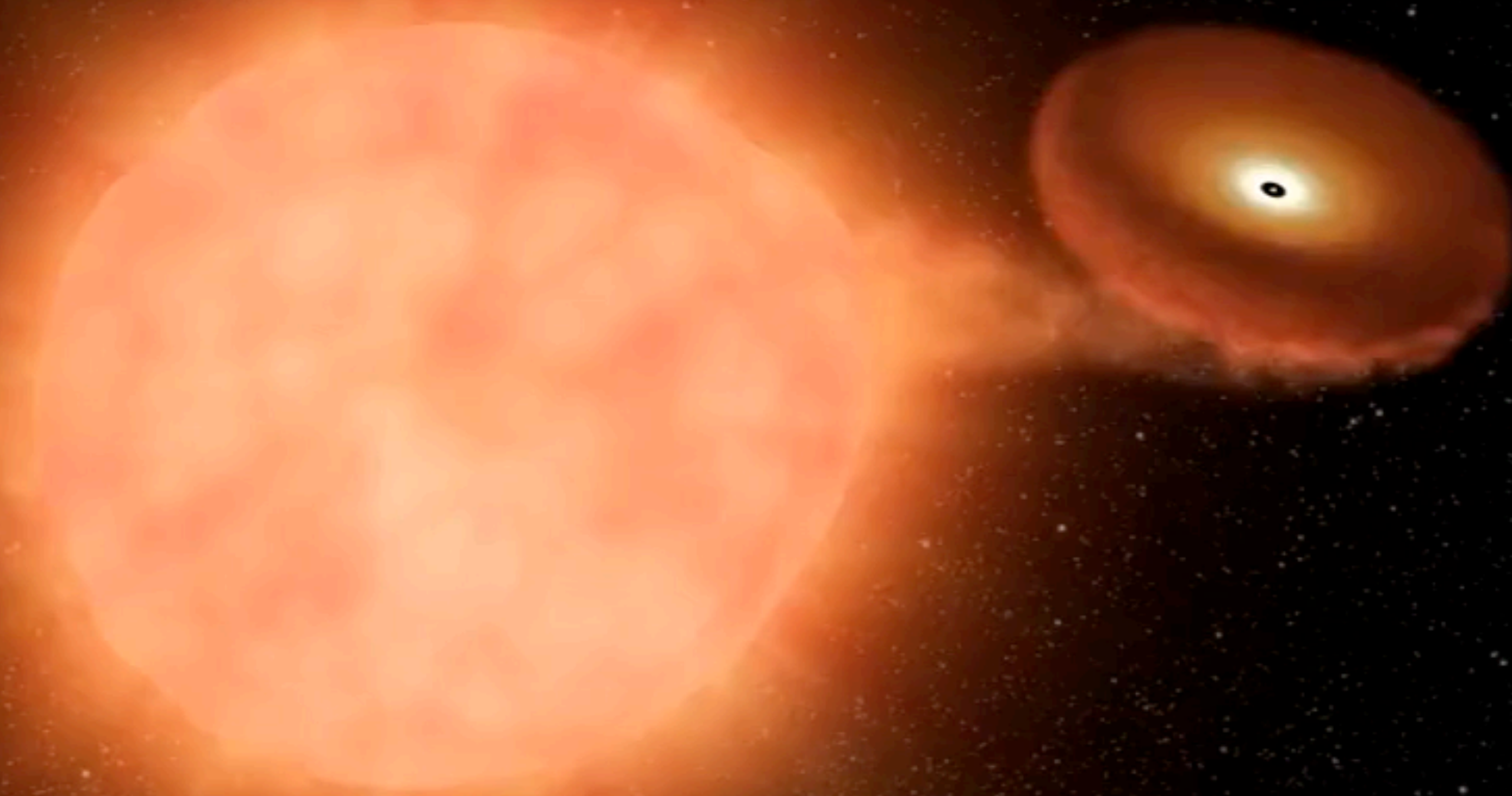
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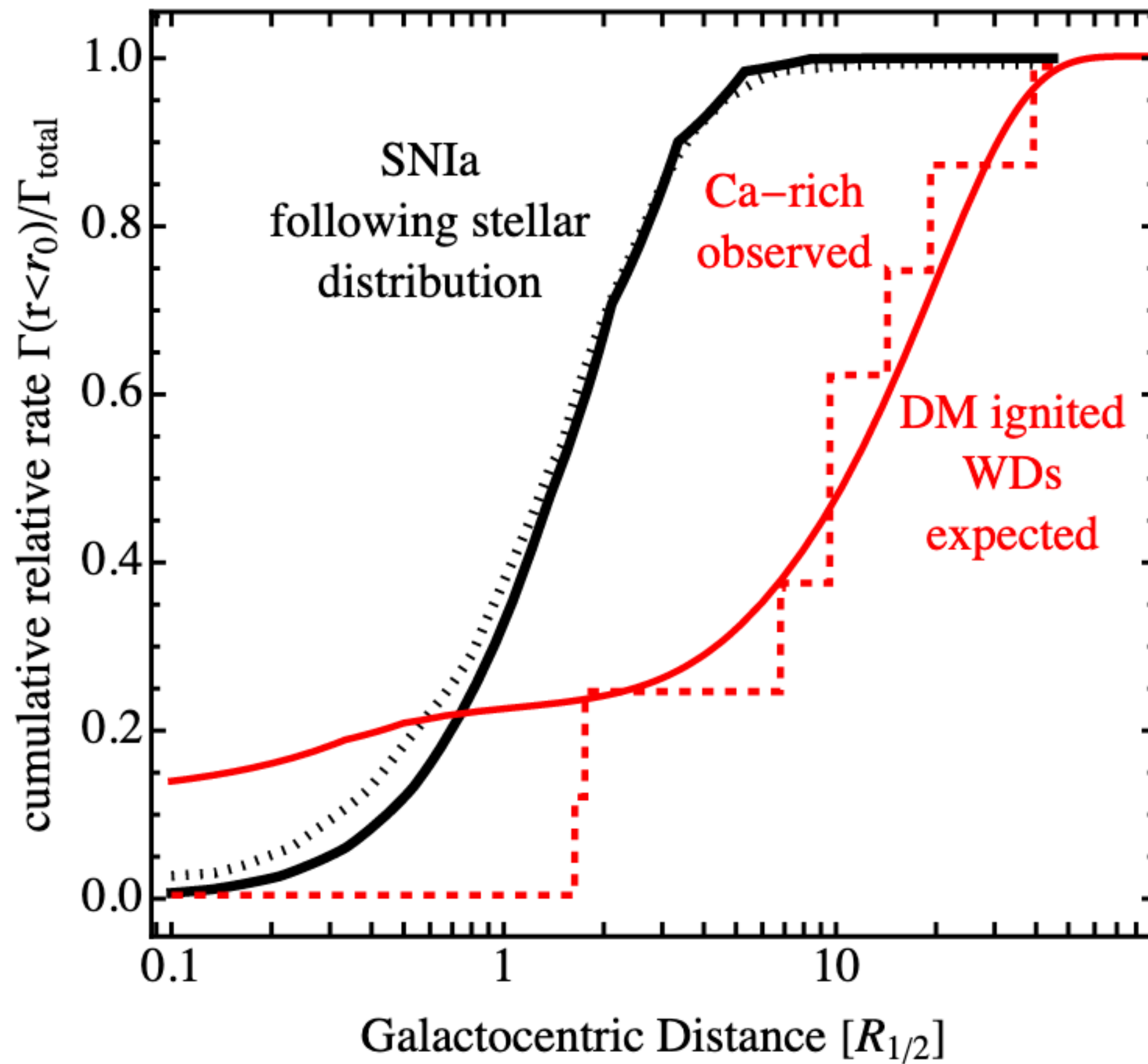
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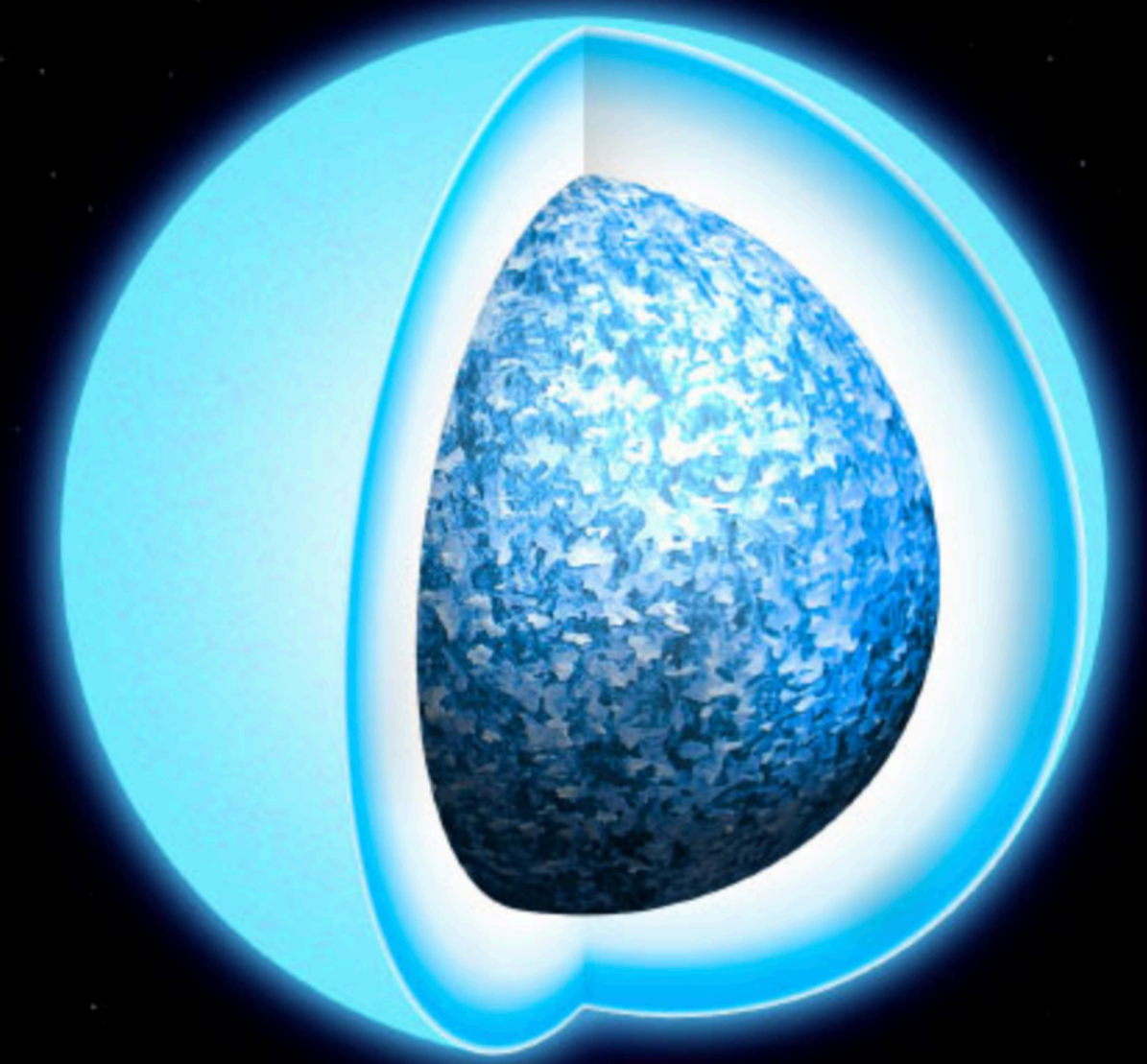


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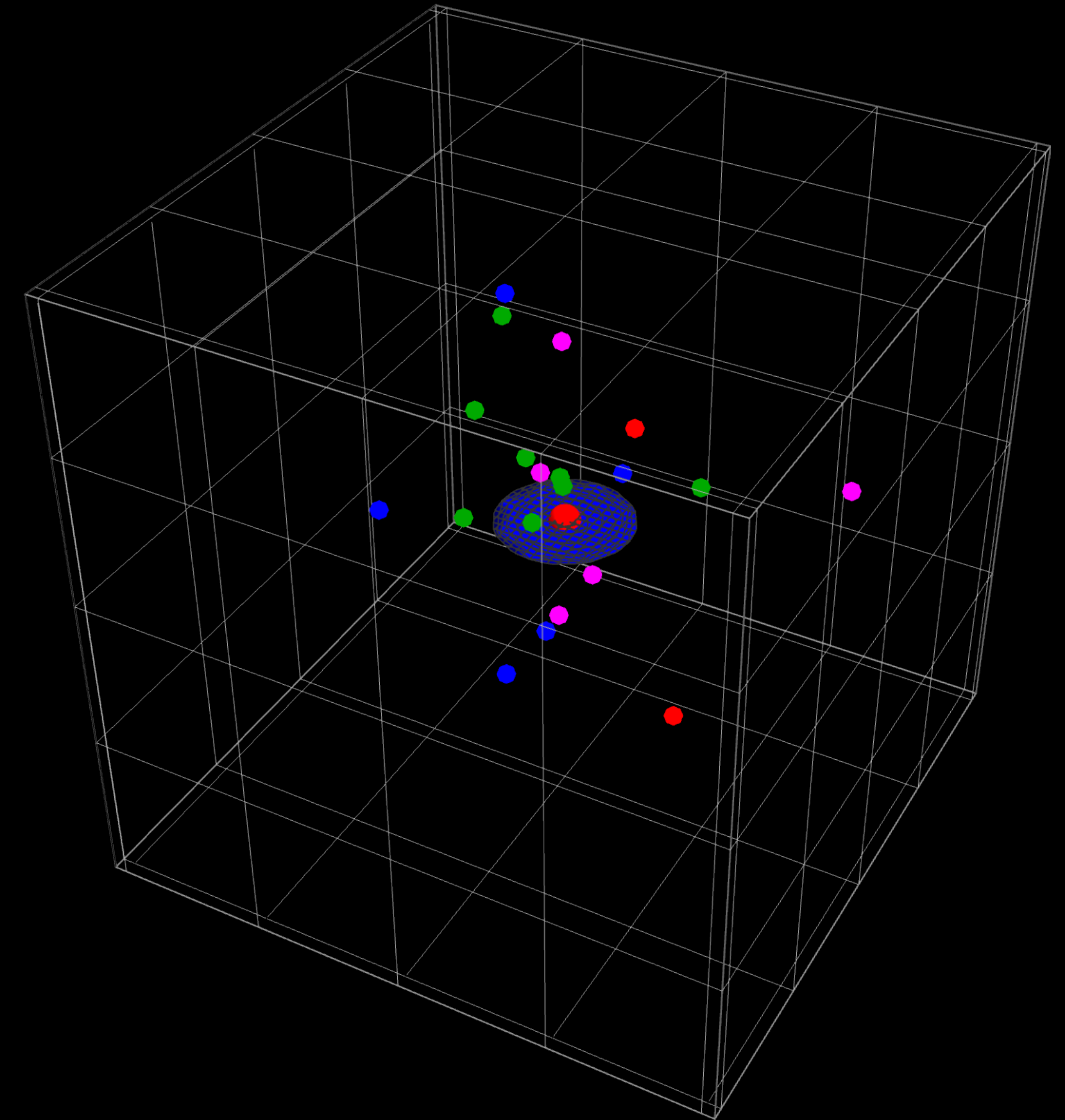
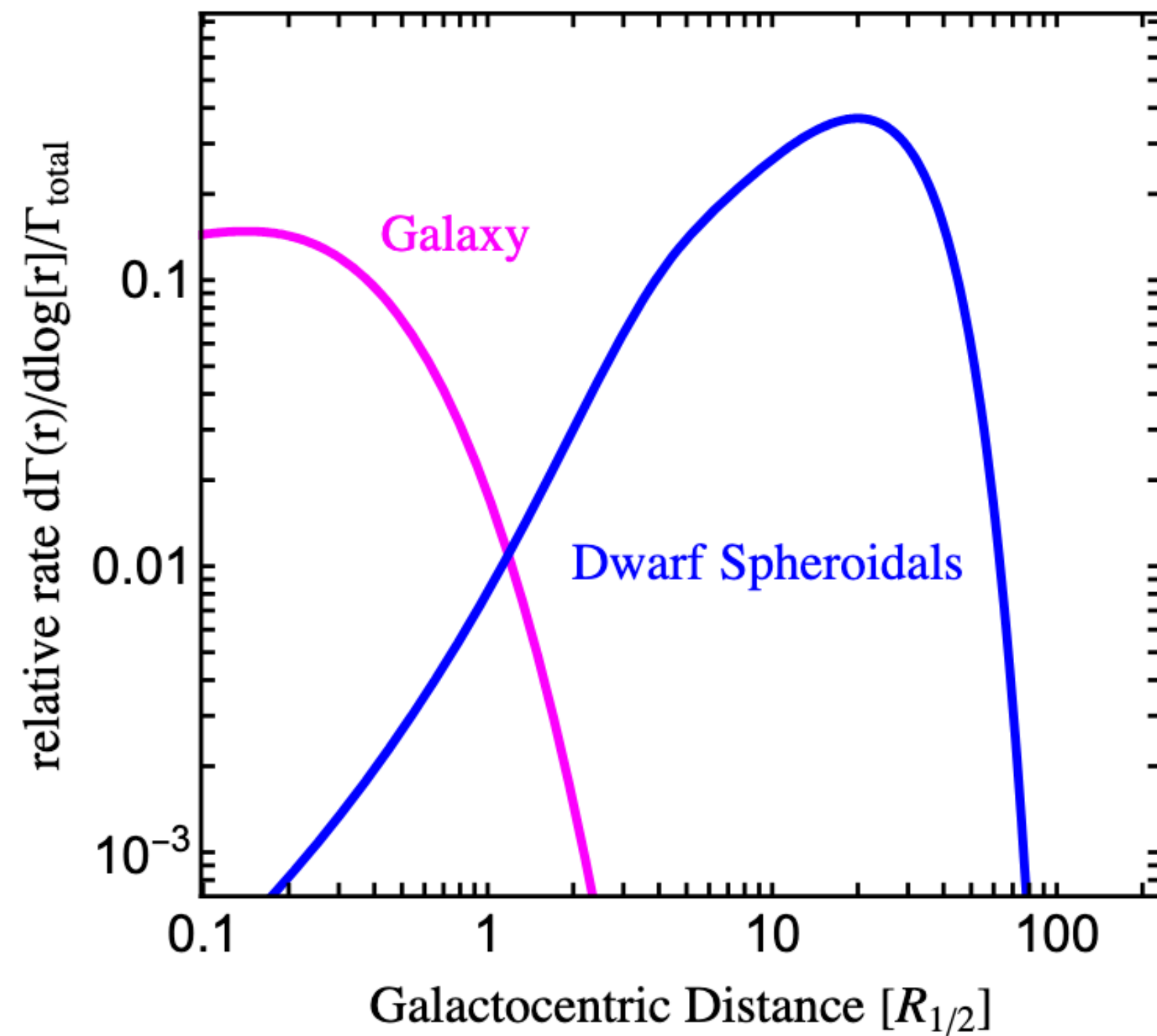
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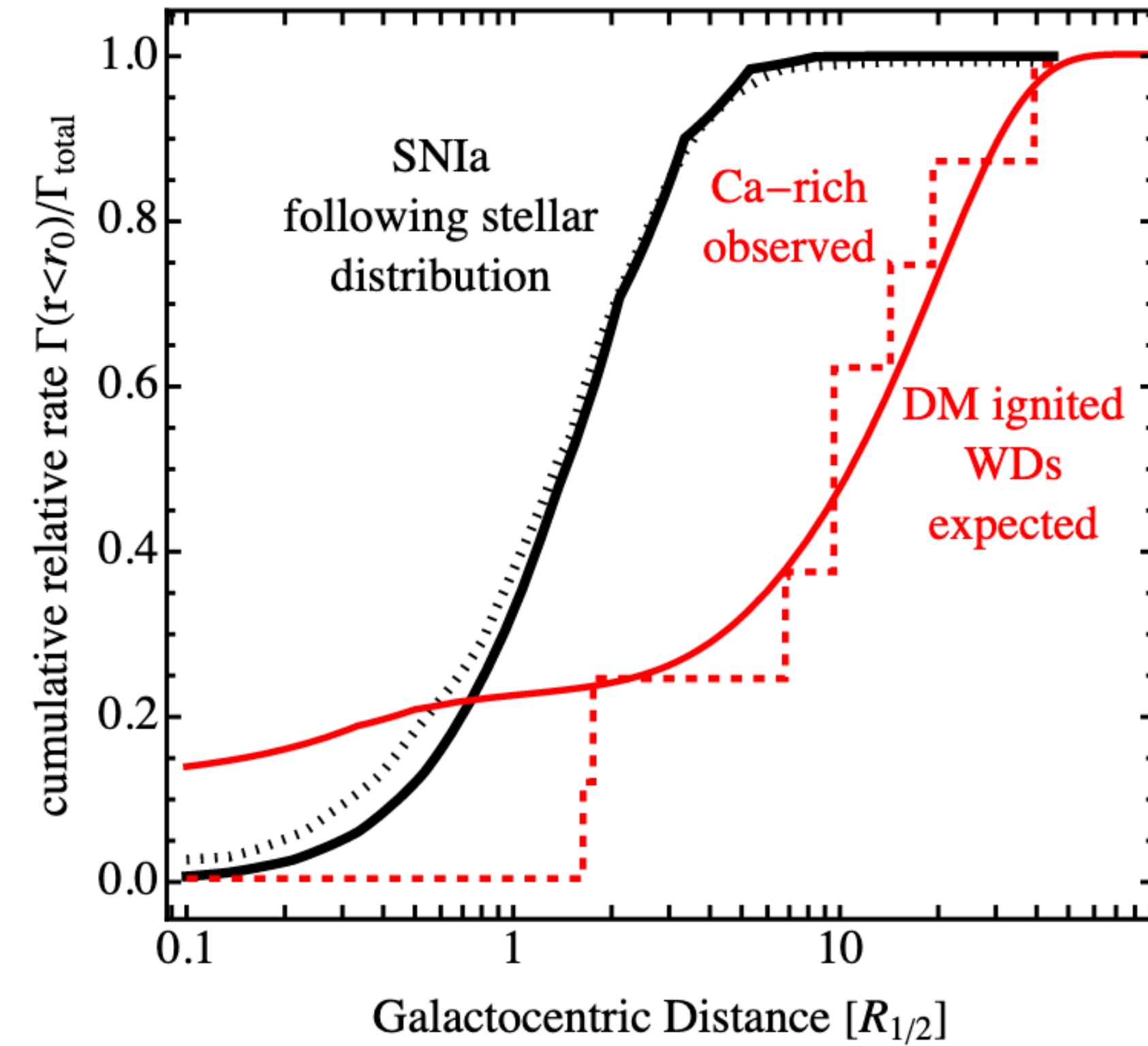
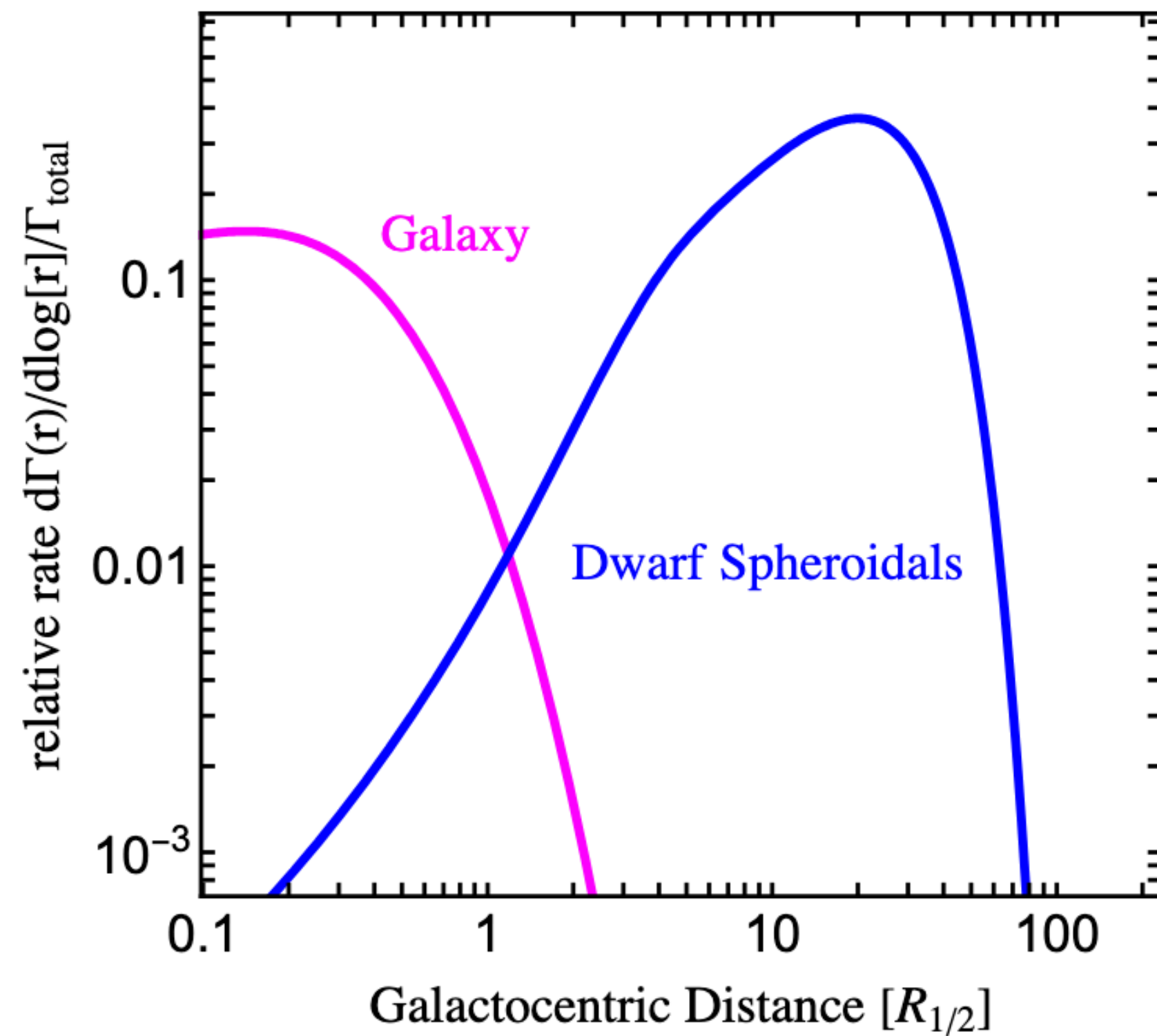
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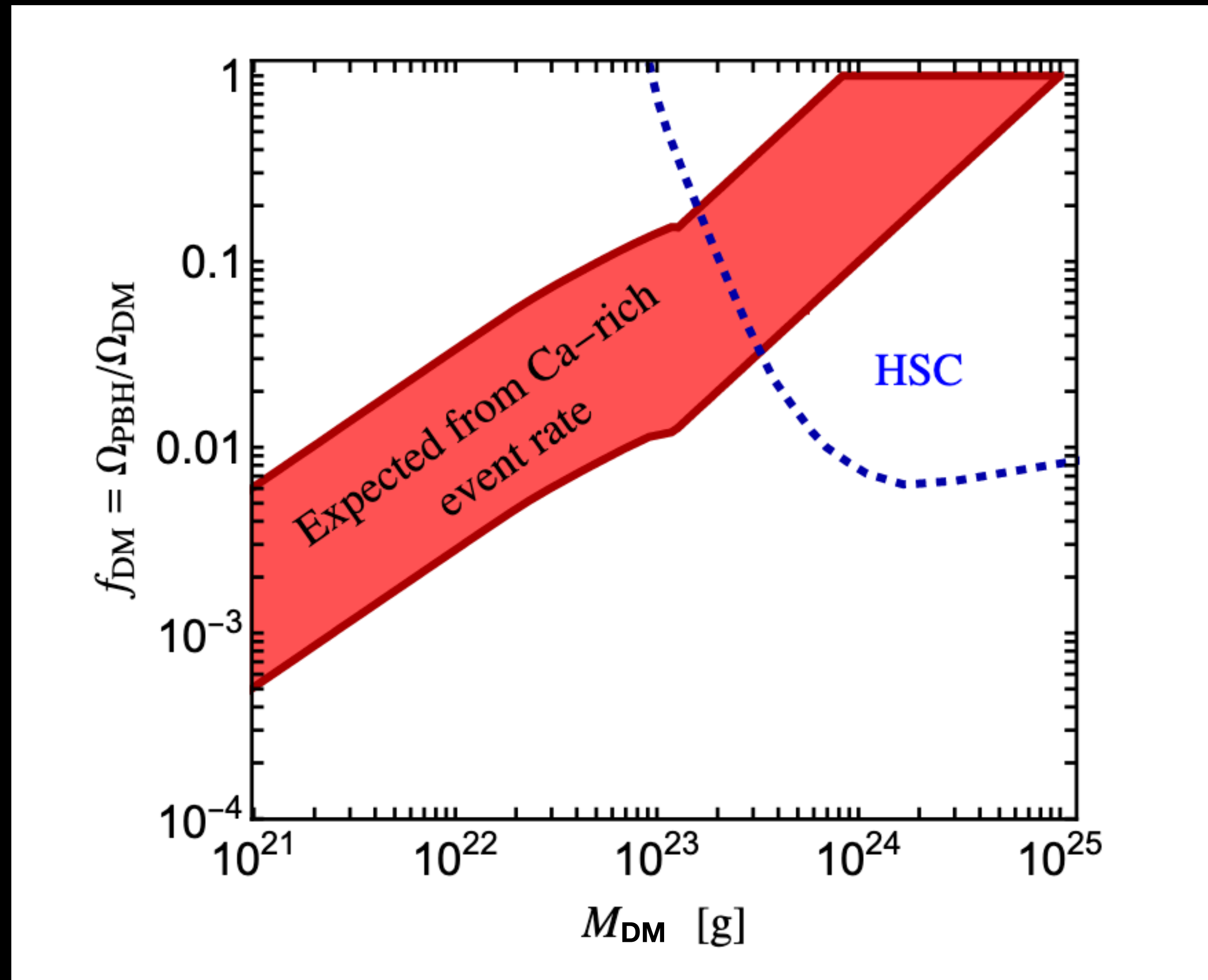
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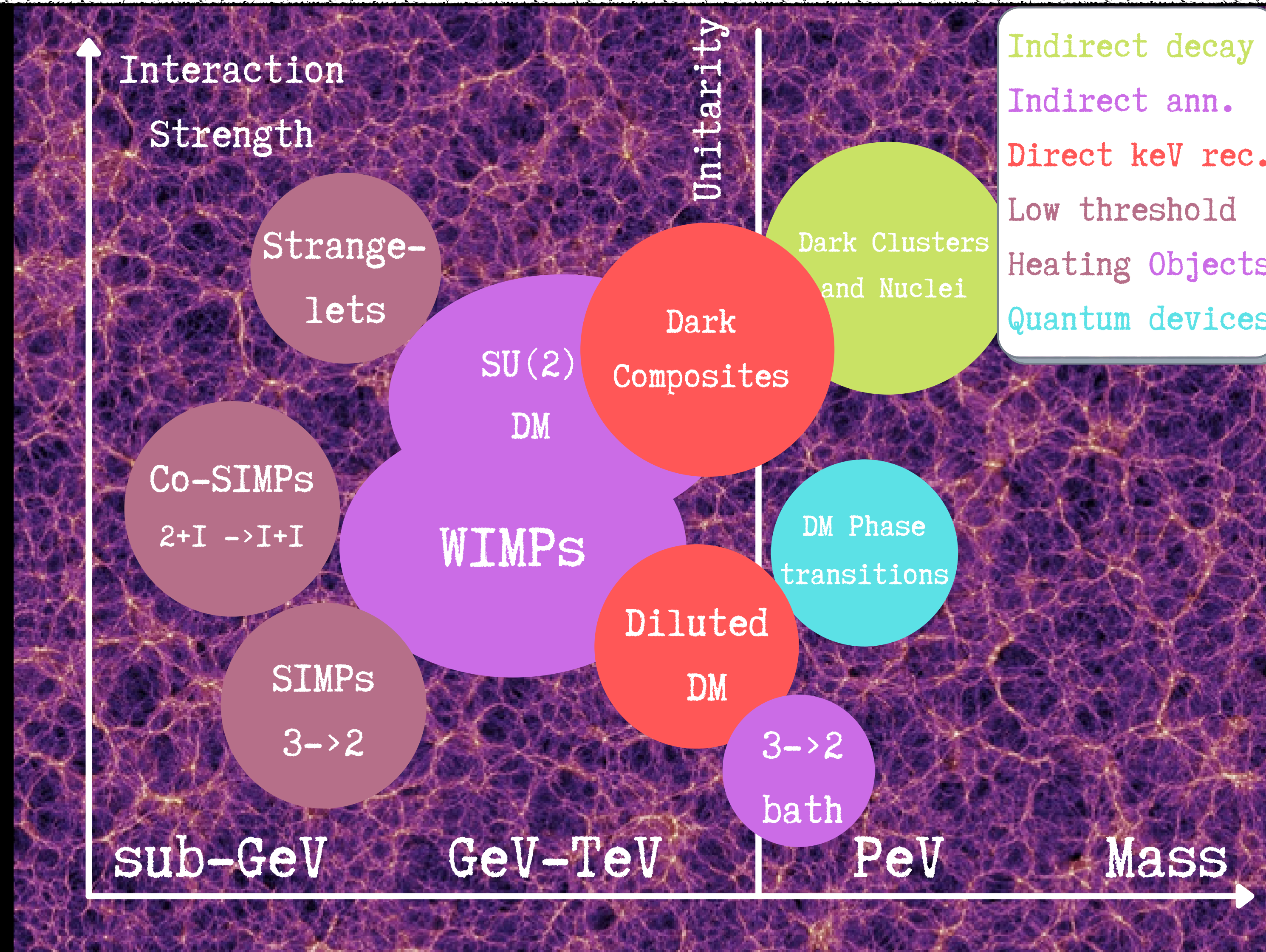
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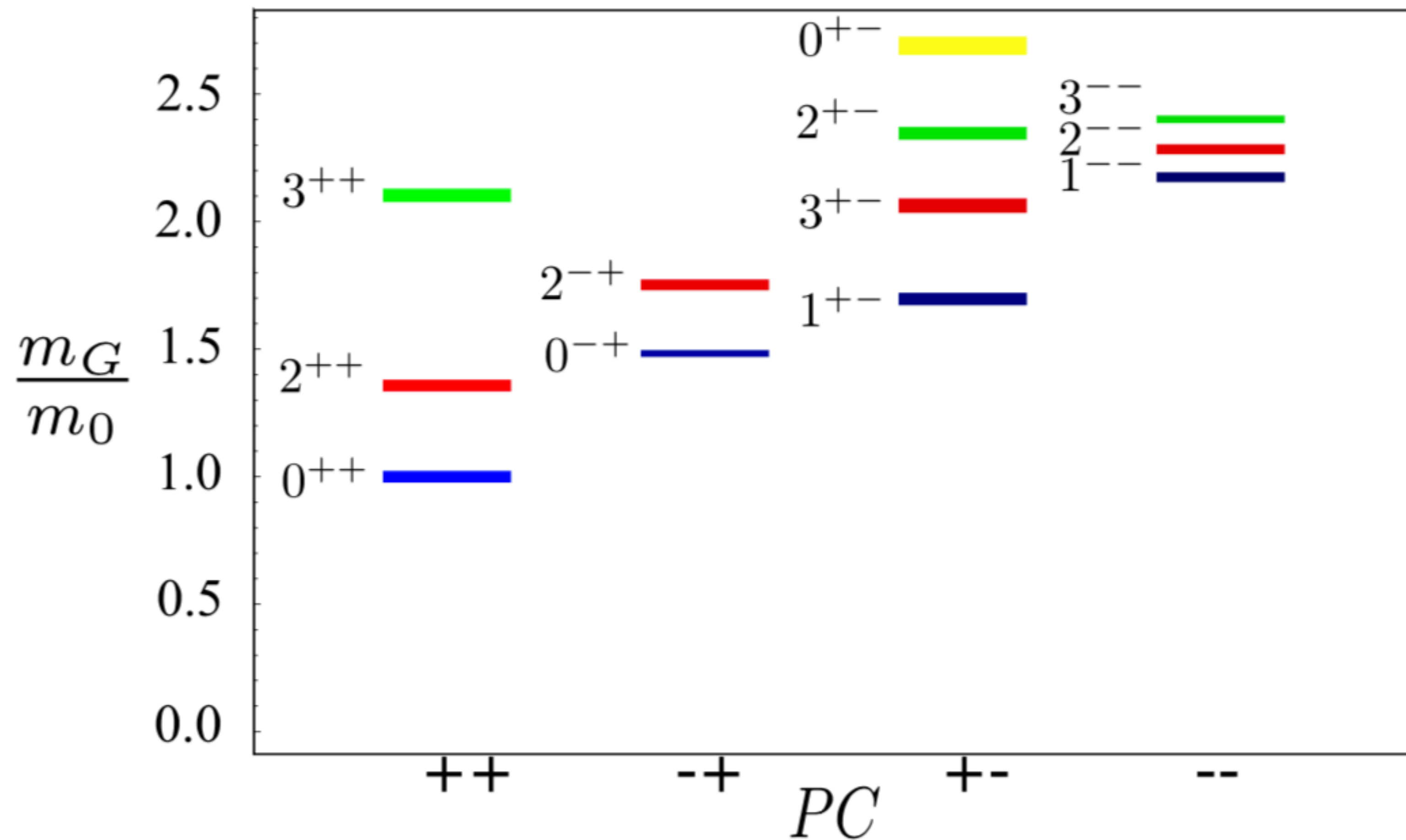
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BackUp

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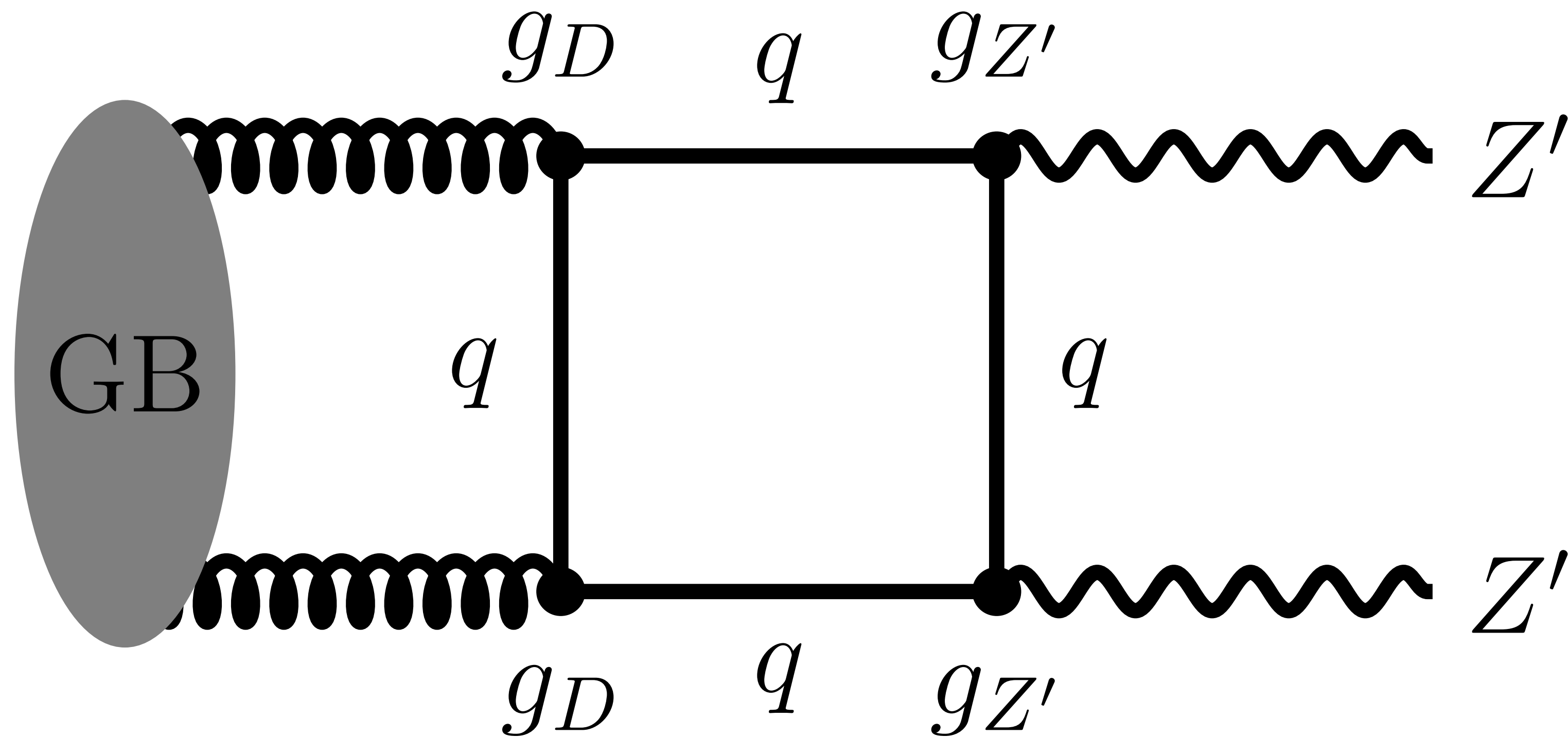
Glueball Decay Channels

| State | $D = 6$ operators | $D = 8$ operators |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
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| 1^{--} | $1^{+-}h(h^*)$ | $0^{\pm+}\gamma, 2^{\pm+}\gamma, ff$ |
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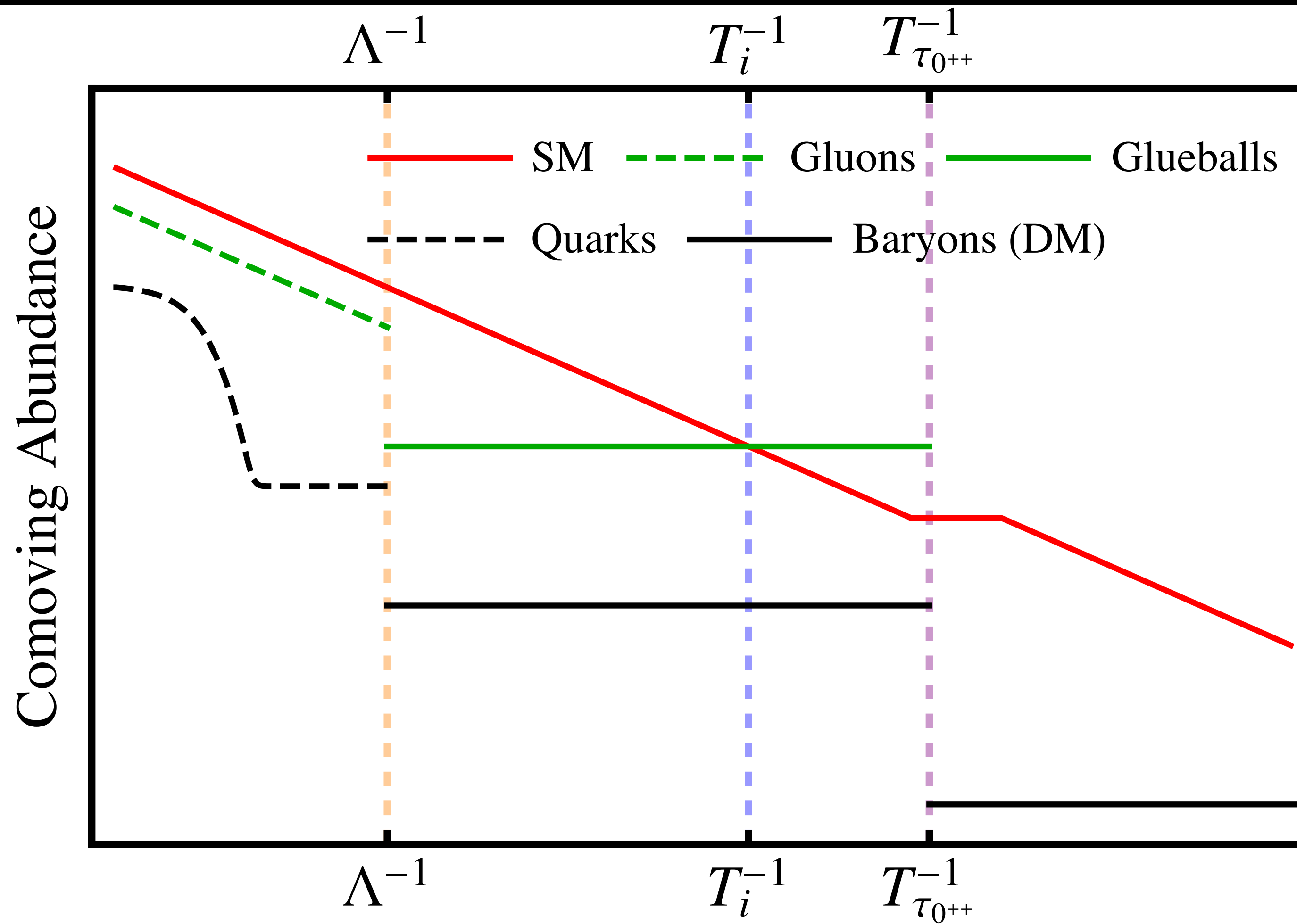
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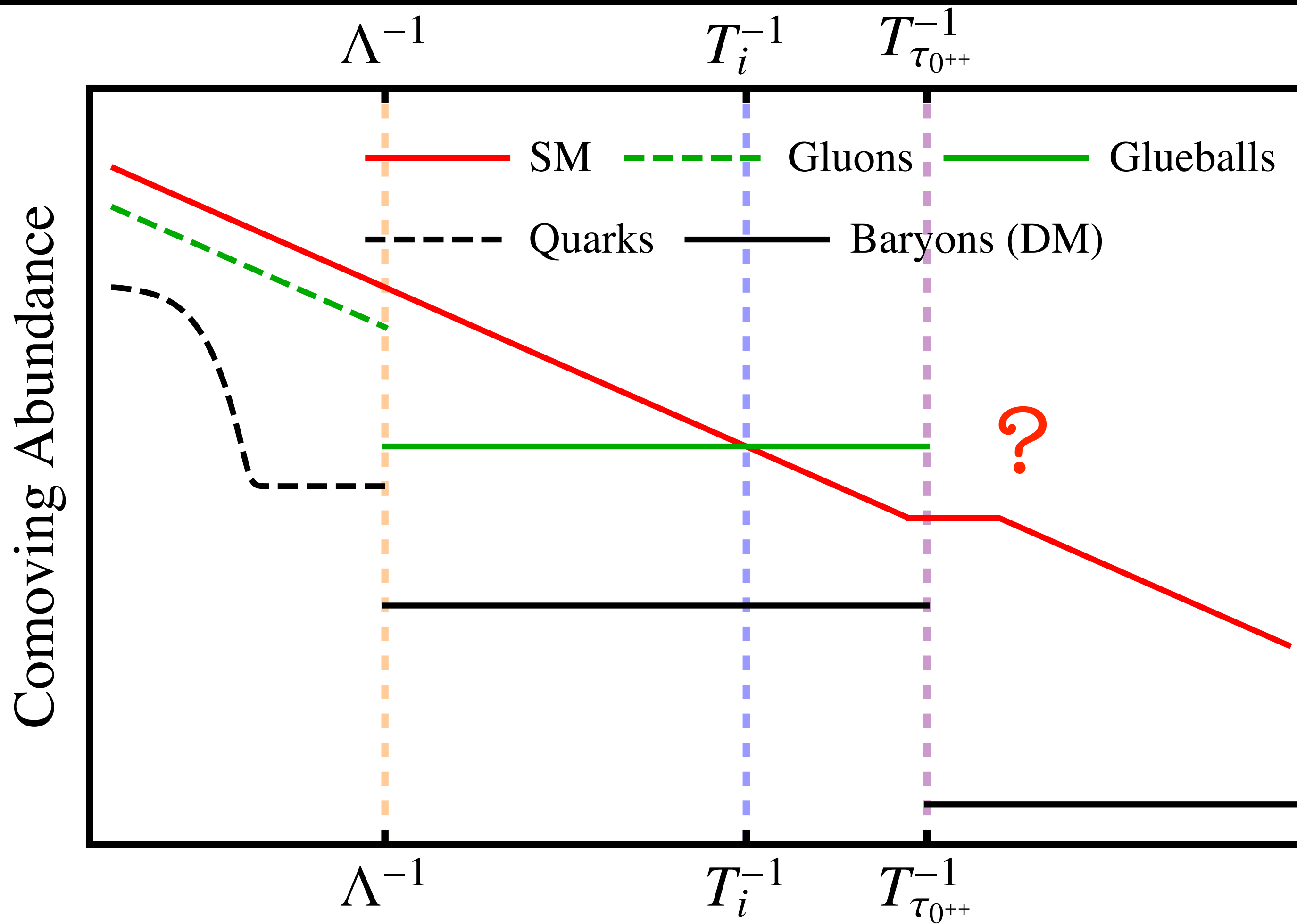
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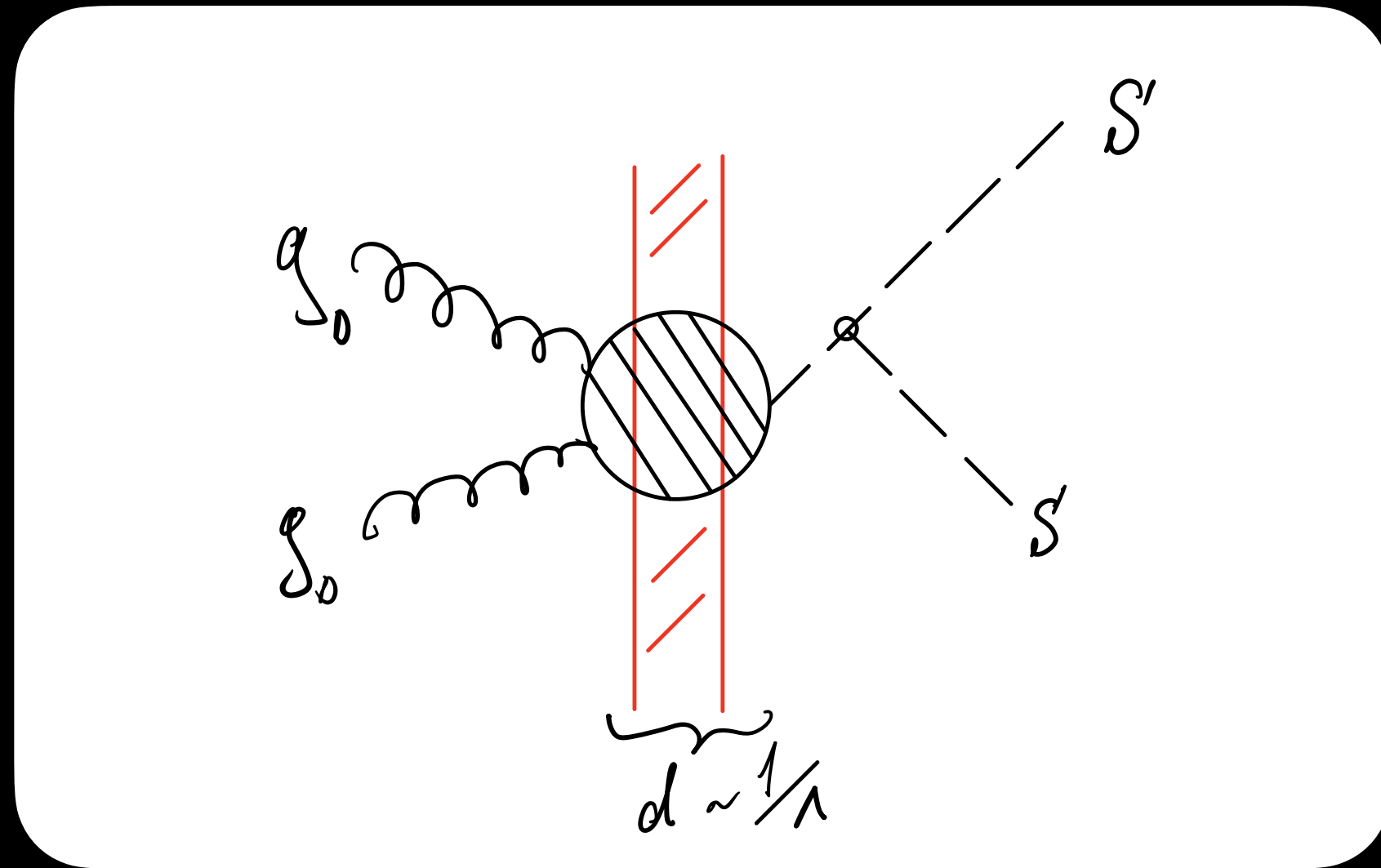
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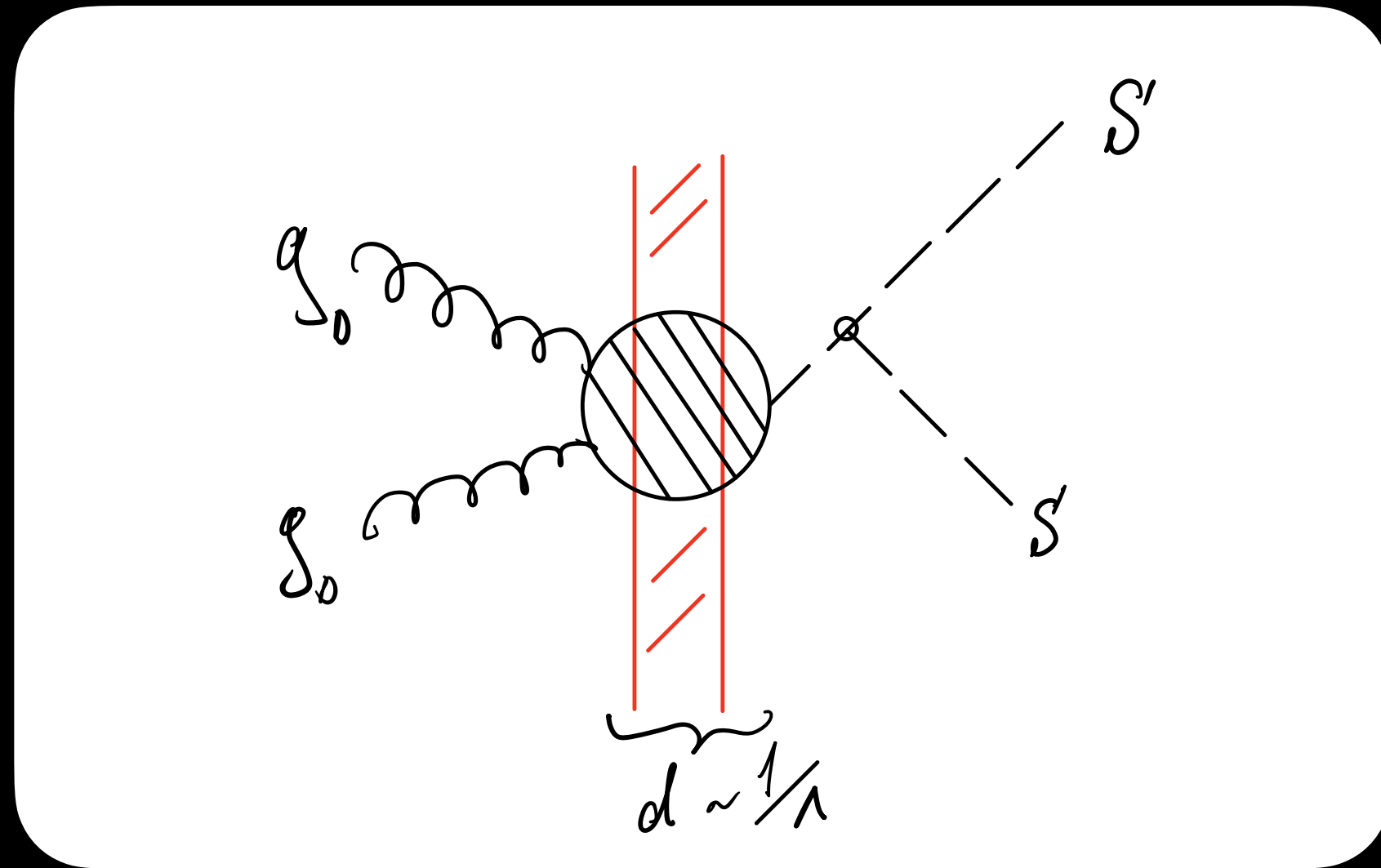
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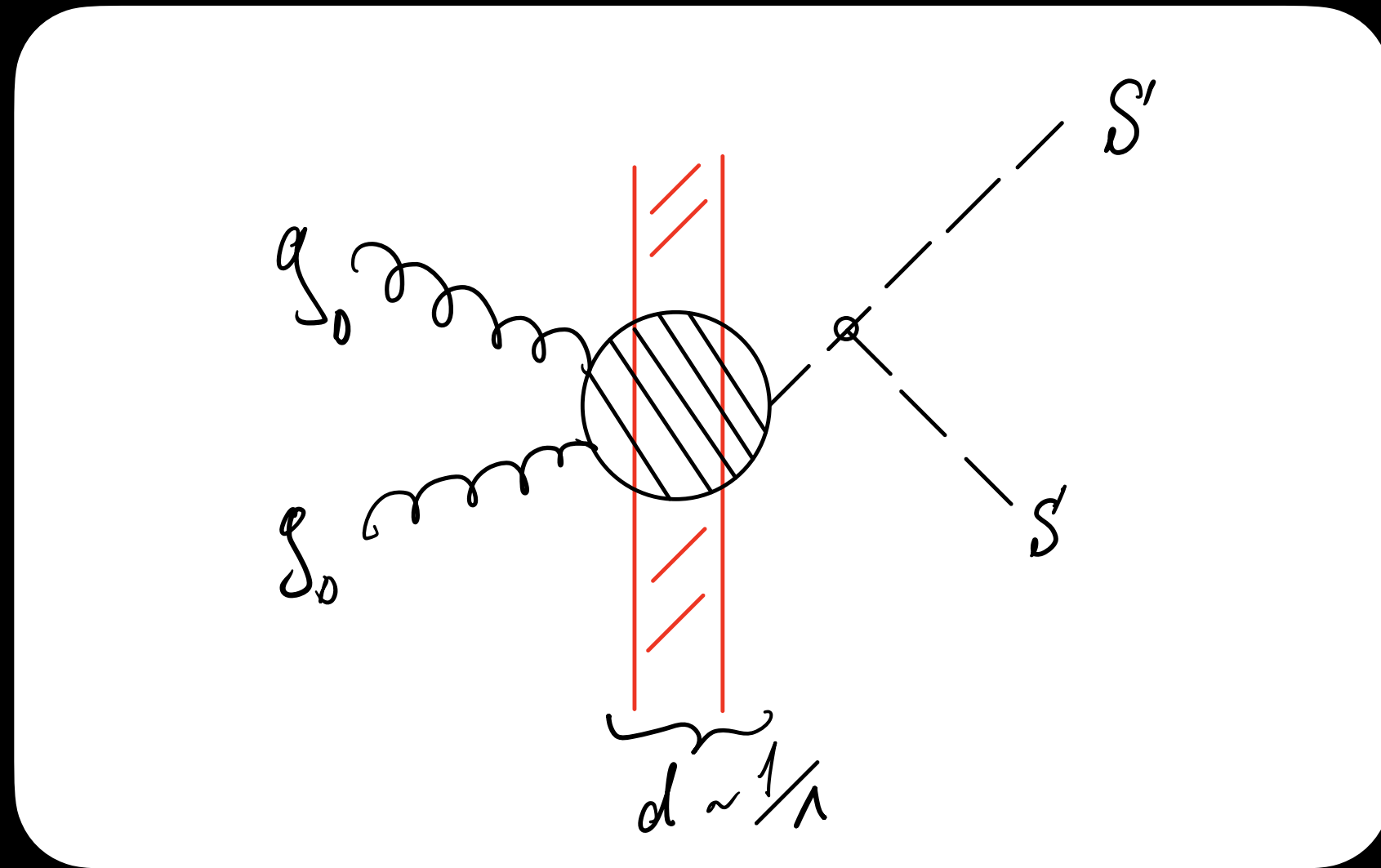


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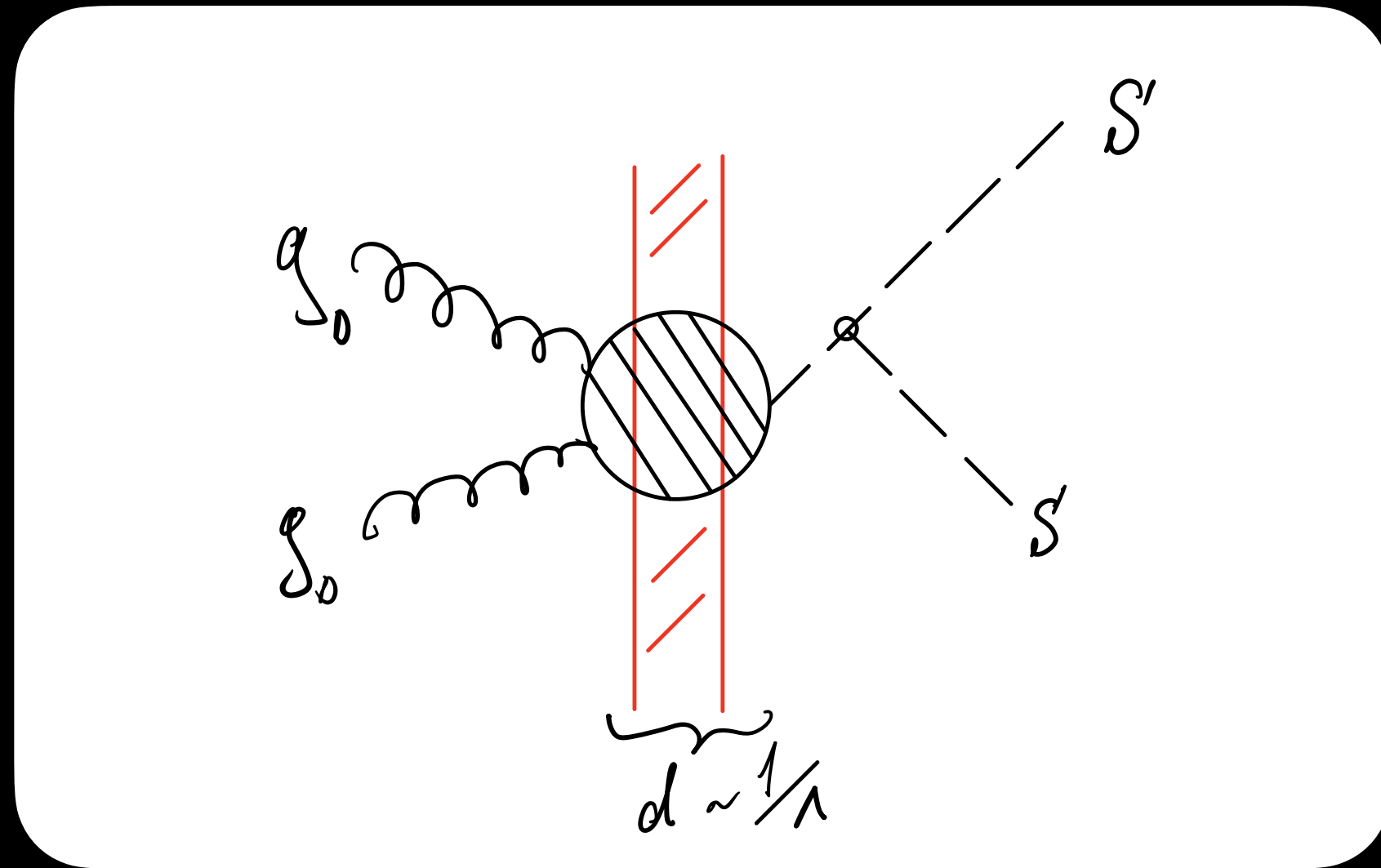
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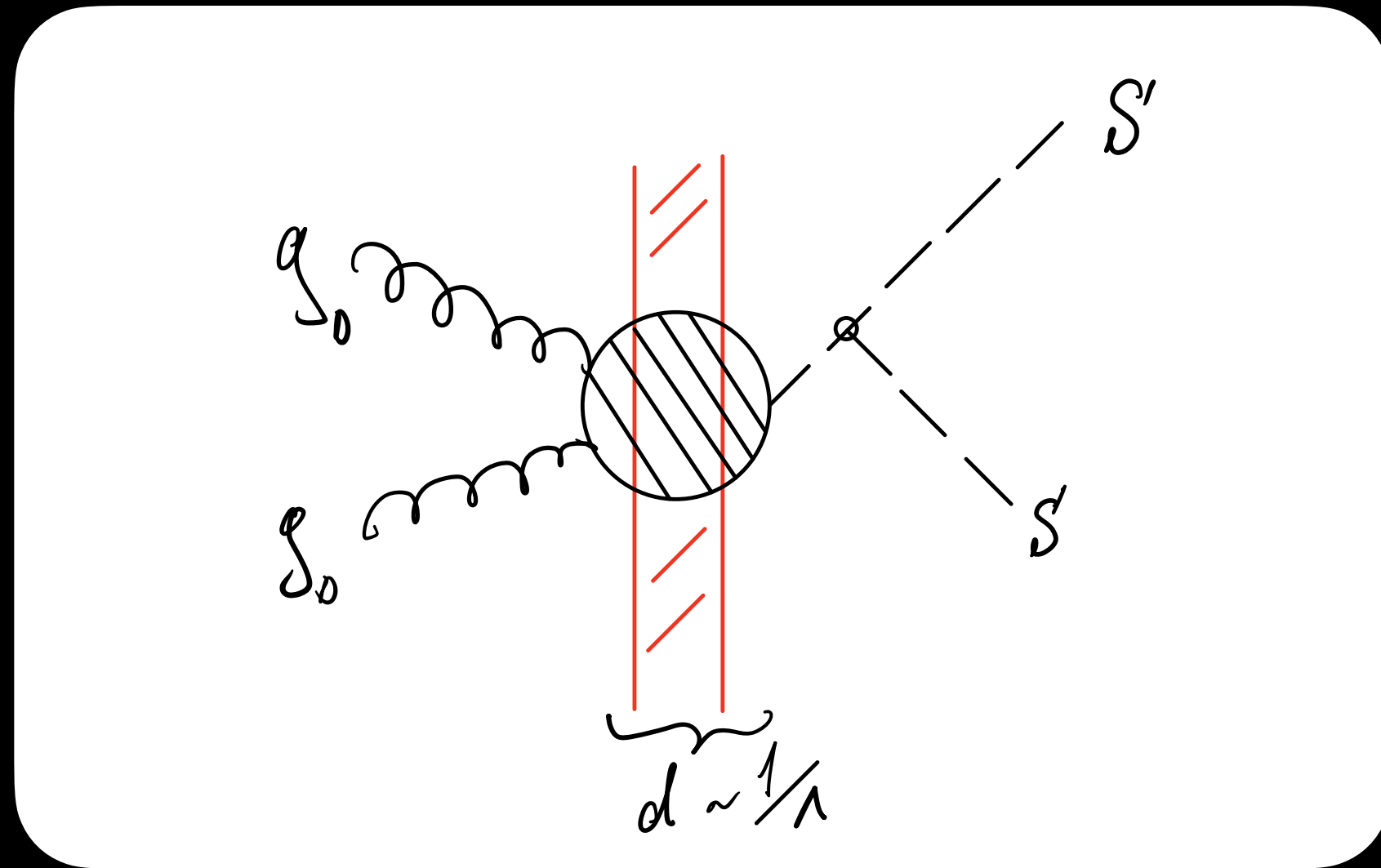
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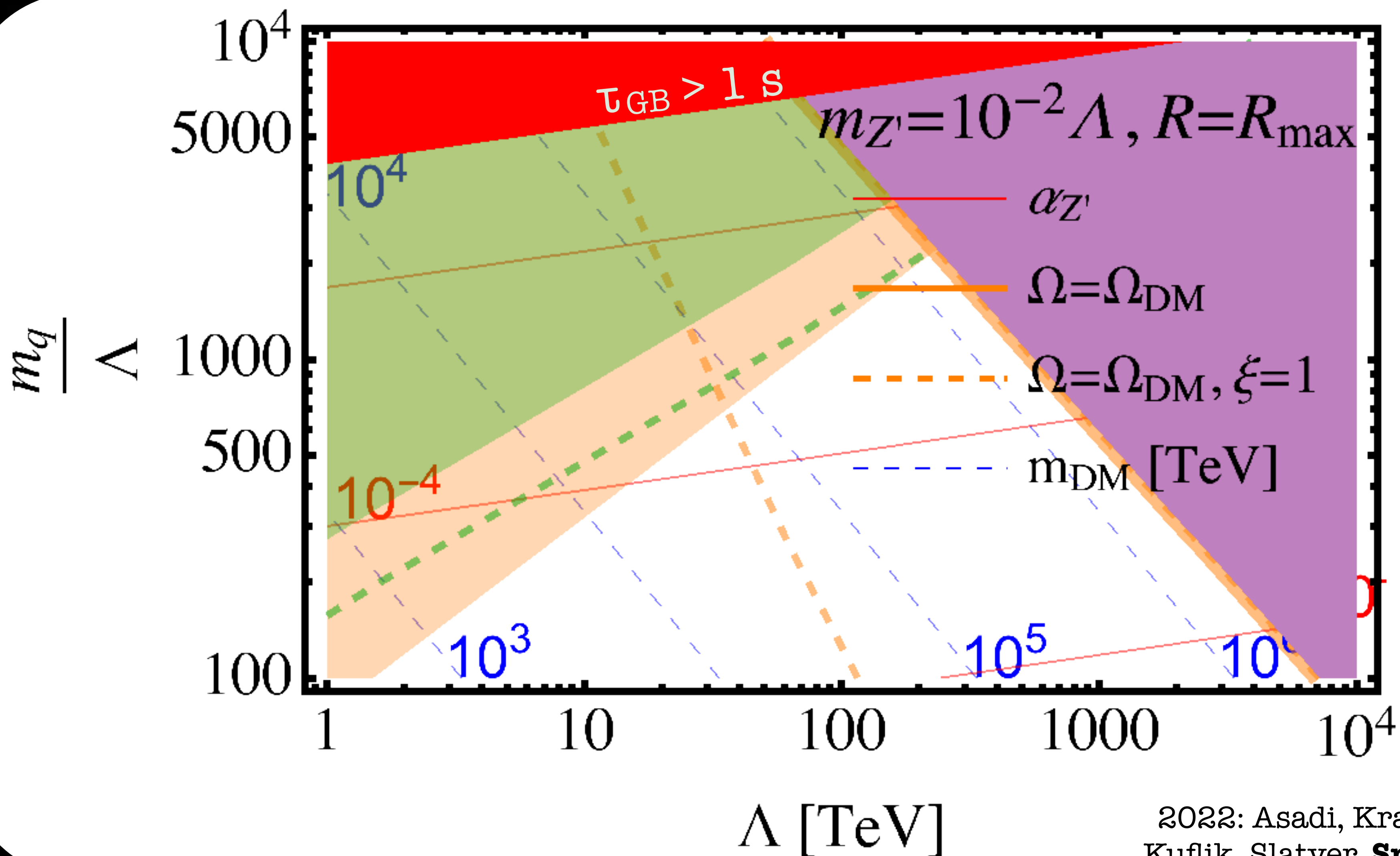
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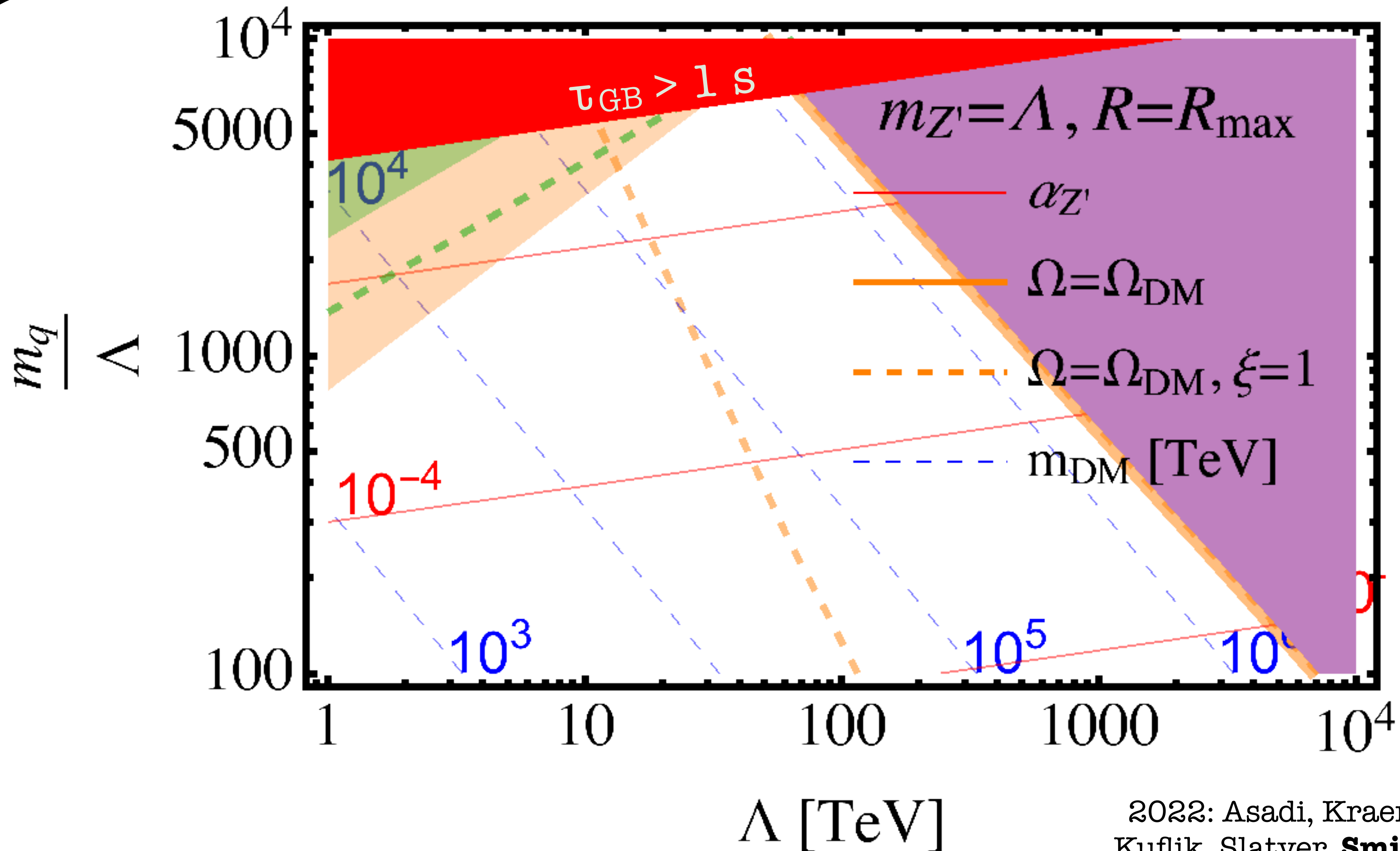
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