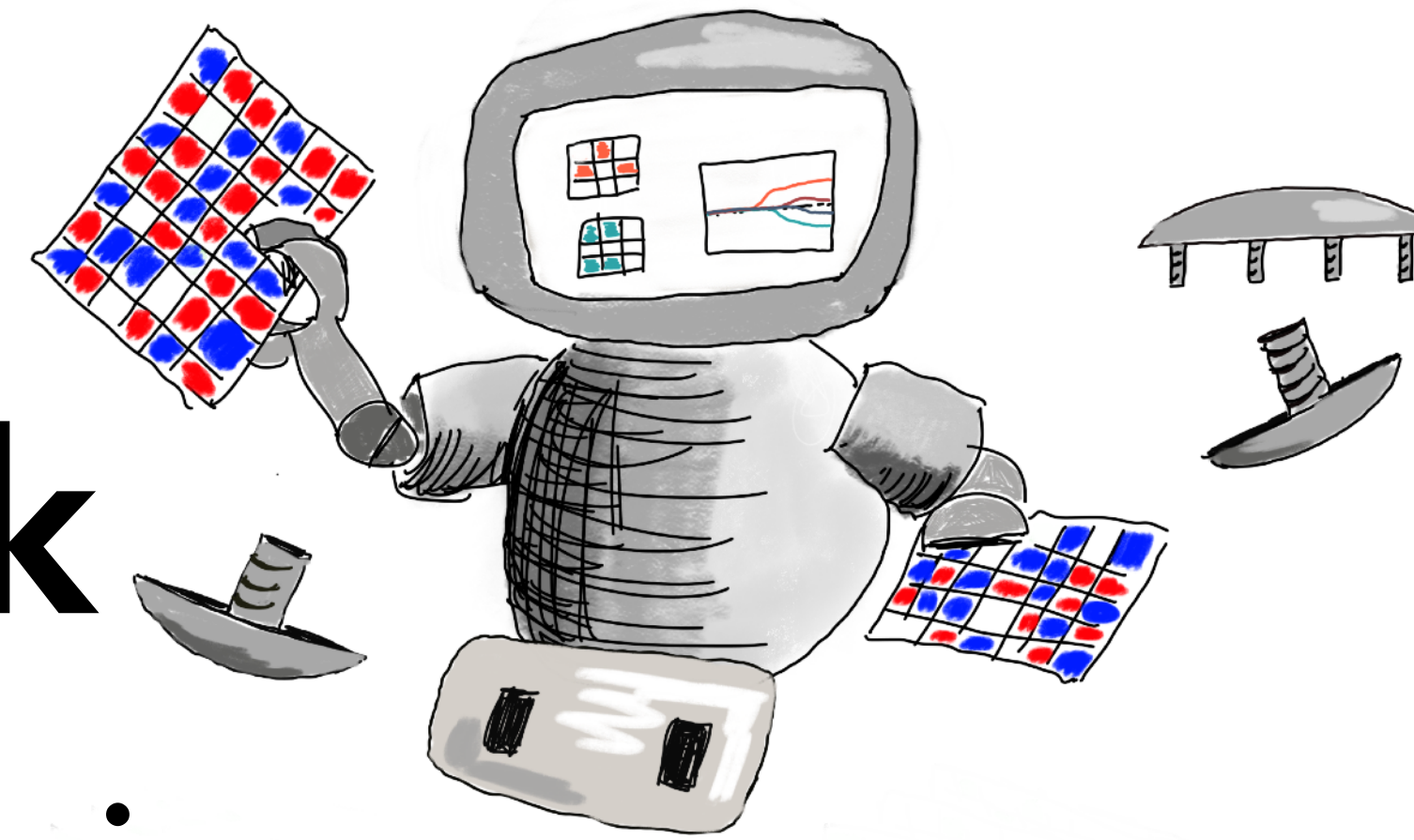




Understanding your network towards interpretability in machine learning applications in many-body physics





Overview: Machine learning for quantum many-body physics

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Recent review: Dawid et al., arXiv:2204.04198

- 1) Phase classification: supervised/unsupervised (+ many different physical systems) & characterizing phases Original work: Carrasquilla & Melko, Nature Physics 13 (2017)
- 2) Interpretability (analysis of bottlenecks, (symbolic) regression, CCNN architecture, Hessian based approach,...) See e.g. Dawid et al., Mach. Learn.: Sci. Technol. 3 (2021)
- 3) Neural network quantum states Review: Torlai & Melko, Annu. Rev. Condens. Matter Phys. (2020)
 - Representation — learning the state
 - Finding ground states/dynamics Original work: Carleo & Troyer, Science 355 (2017)
- 4) Reinforcement learning
 - Quantum error correction/state control
 - Experiment design See e.g. Melnikov et al., PNAS 115 (2017)
 - ...
- 5) Quantum machine learning See e.g. Biamonte et al., Nature 549 (2017)



What problems are we trying to solve

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Some (interesting) model with some tuning parameter

- (quantum) magnetism
- Topological transition
- Non-equilibrium dynamics
- Characterize a quantum system
- ...

Some Input

- Spin configurations
- Expectation values of observables
- Quantum states
- Entanglement spectra
- ...

Some (machine learning) method

- Supervised and unsupervised methods
- Different neural network architectures
- Support vector machines
- ...



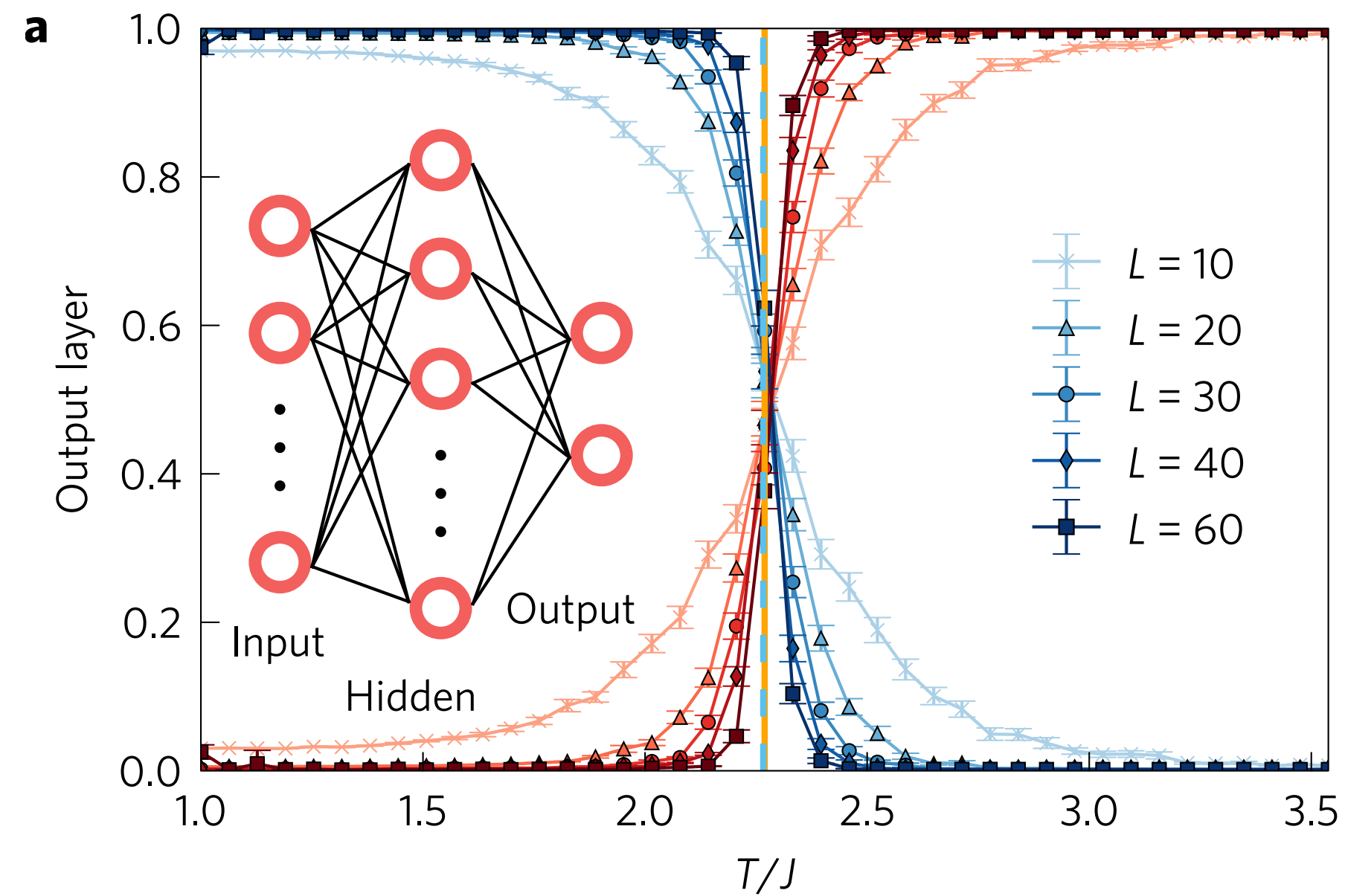
Machine learning phases of matter

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2D Ising model at finite temperature

Input: spin configurations

Method: fully connected neural network

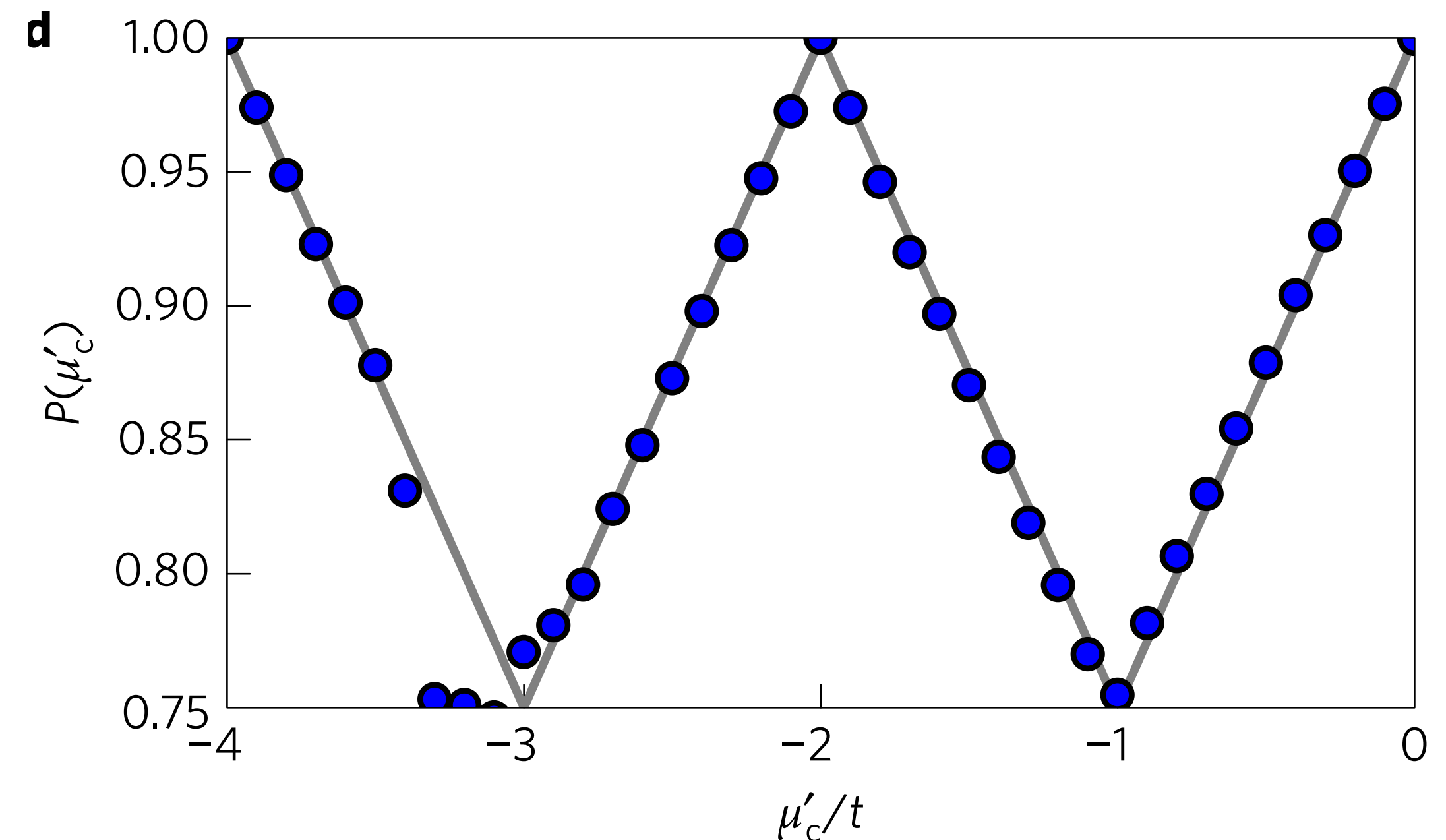


Carrasquilla & Melko, Nature Physics 13 (2017)

1D Kitaev chain

Input: entanglement spectra

Method: learning by confusion (with neural net)



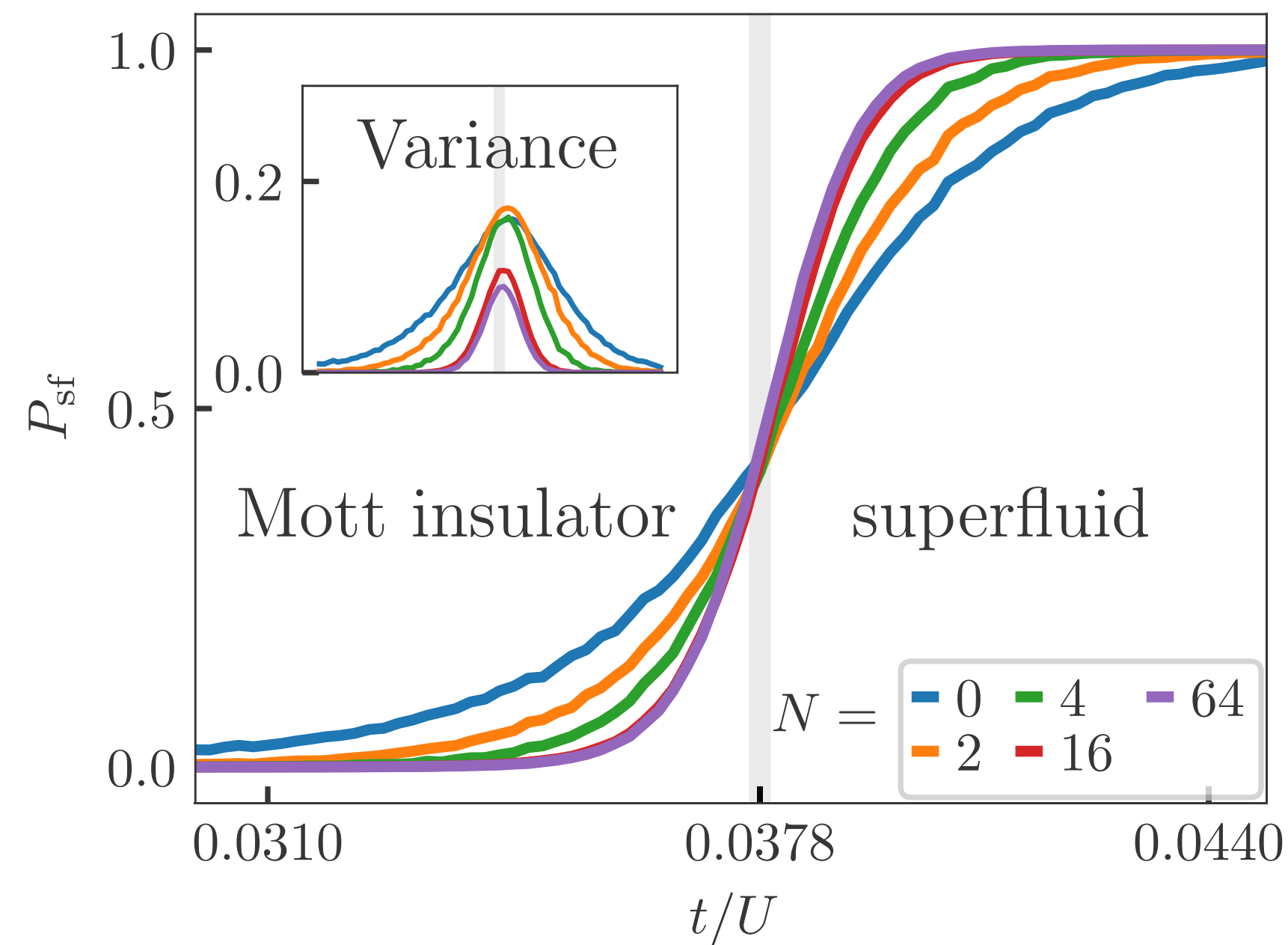
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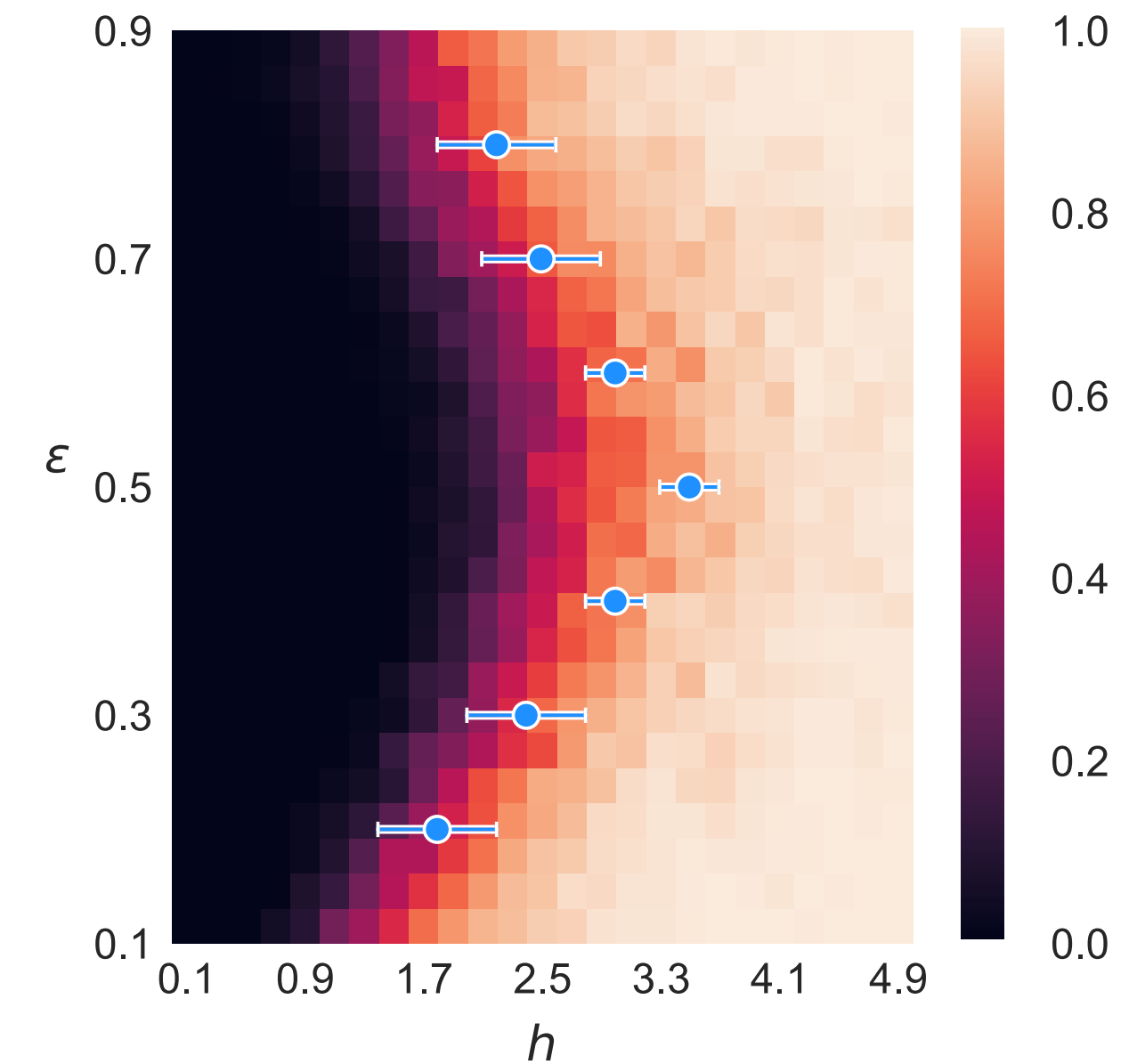
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Mott insulator to superfluid transition
Input: QMC configurations from SSE
Method: convolutional neural network



Dong et al., PRB 99 (2019)

Many-body localization
Input: eigenstates of the Hamiltonian
Method: Adversarial training (two neural nets)



Huembeli et al., PRB 99 (2019)



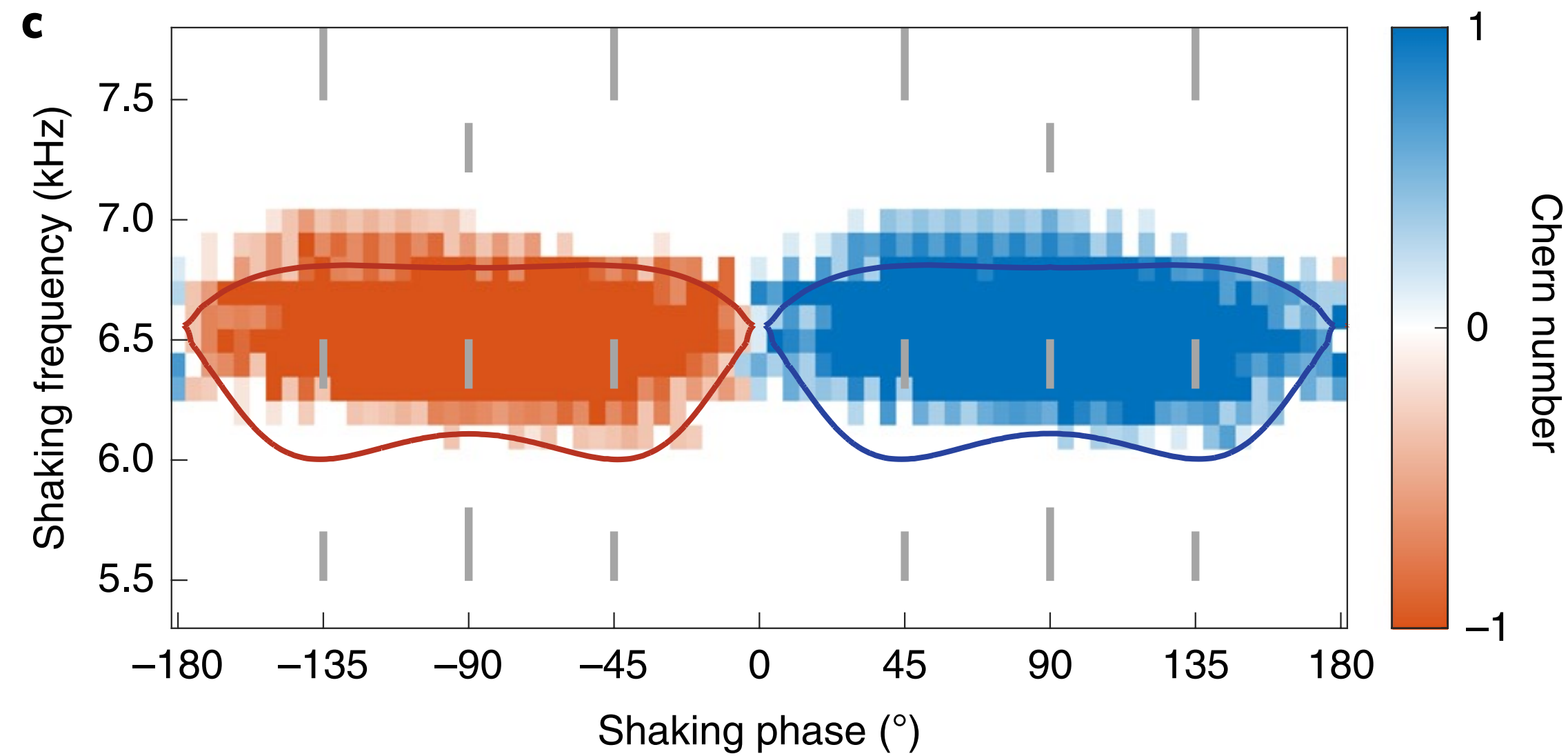
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Topological phase diagram of Haldane model

Input: experimental time of flight images

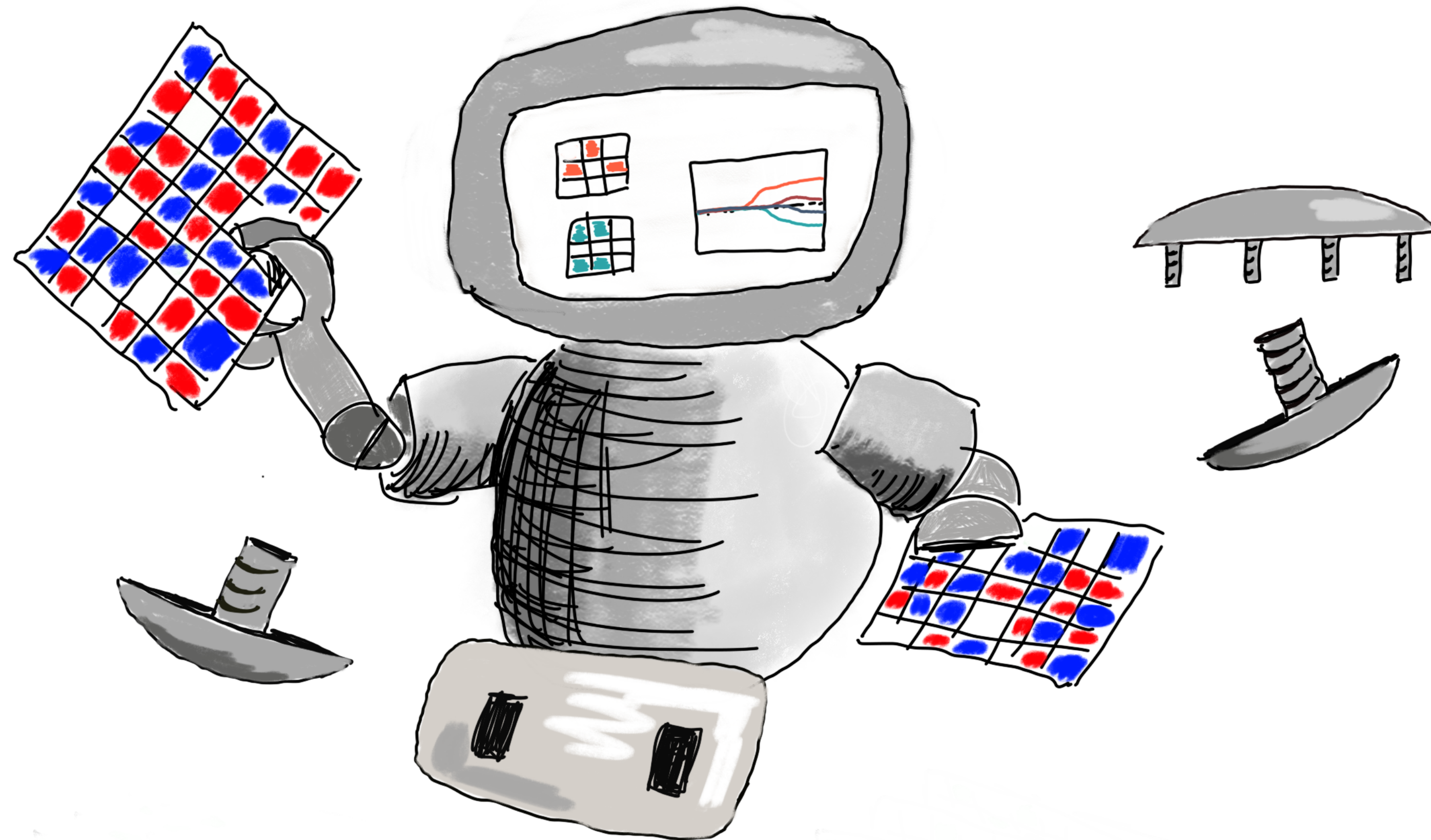
Method: convolutional neural network



Rem et al., Nature Physics 15 (2019)



Interpretability





Different routes to interpretability

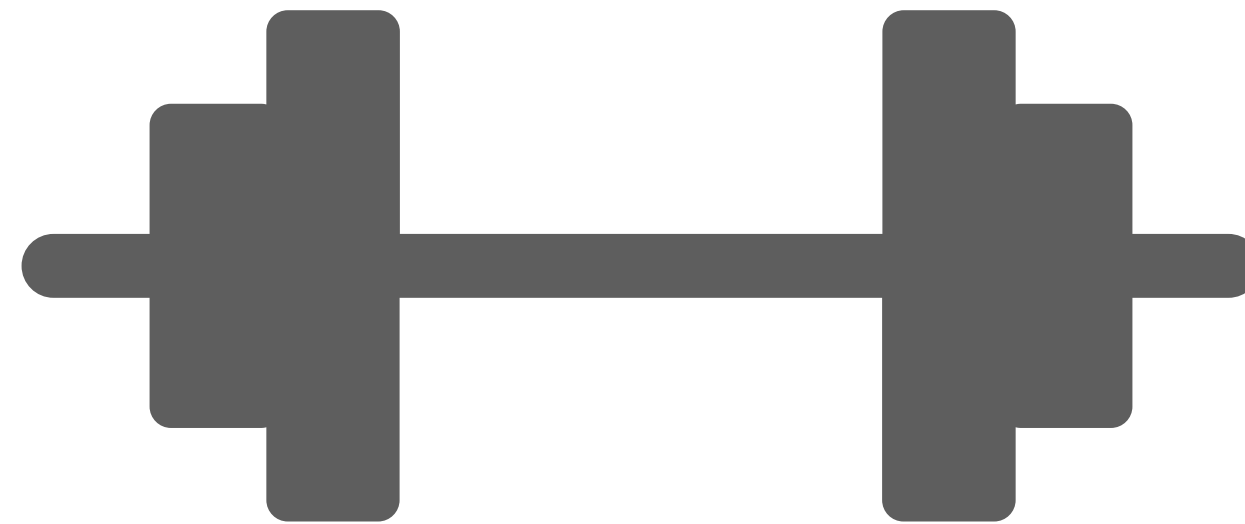
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An incomplete and biased overview

- Directly looking at weights
- Bottleneck based approach
- Support vector machines
- Hessian based approach
- Taylor expansion type approach
- Correlator convolutional neural network

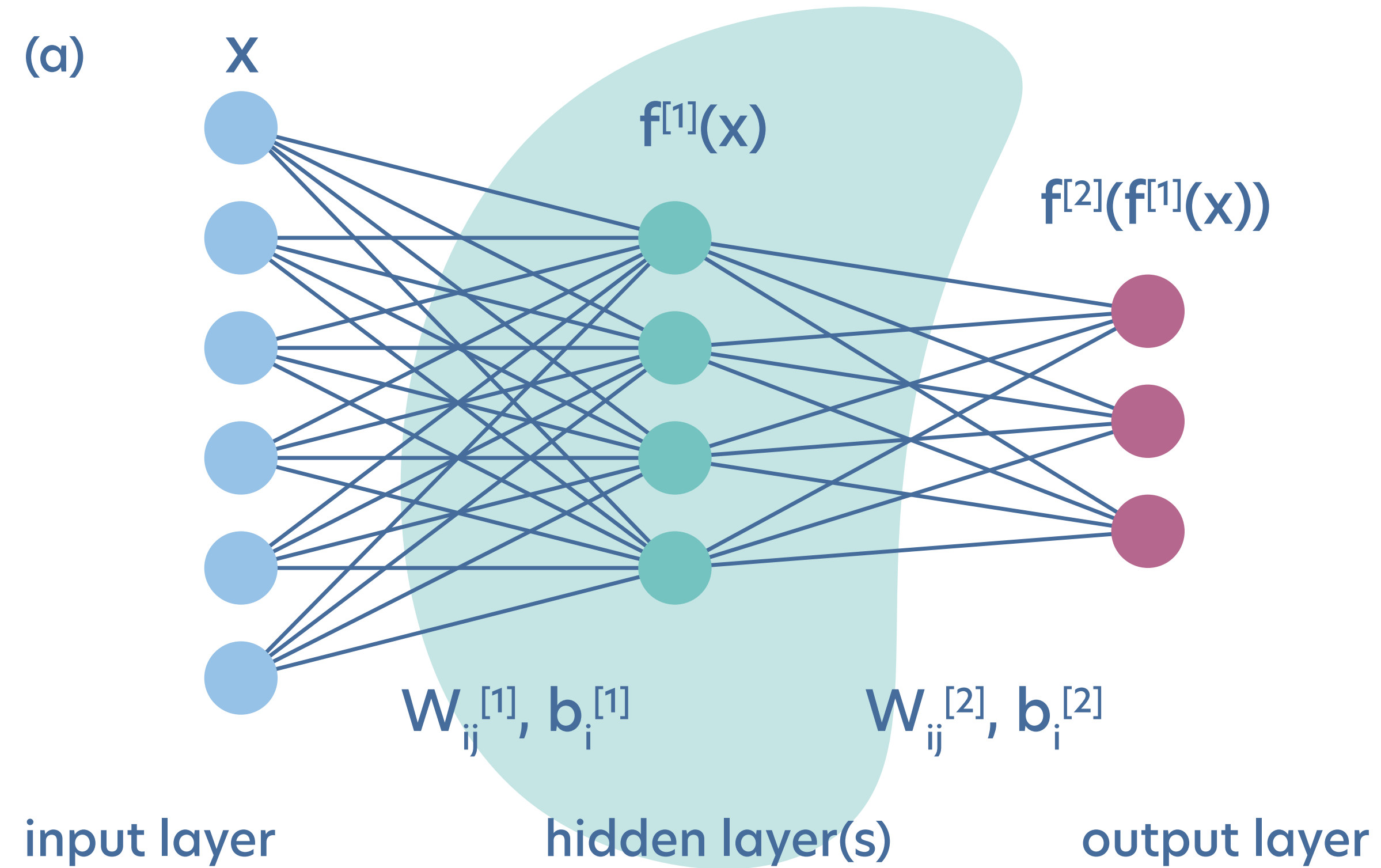


Looking at weights





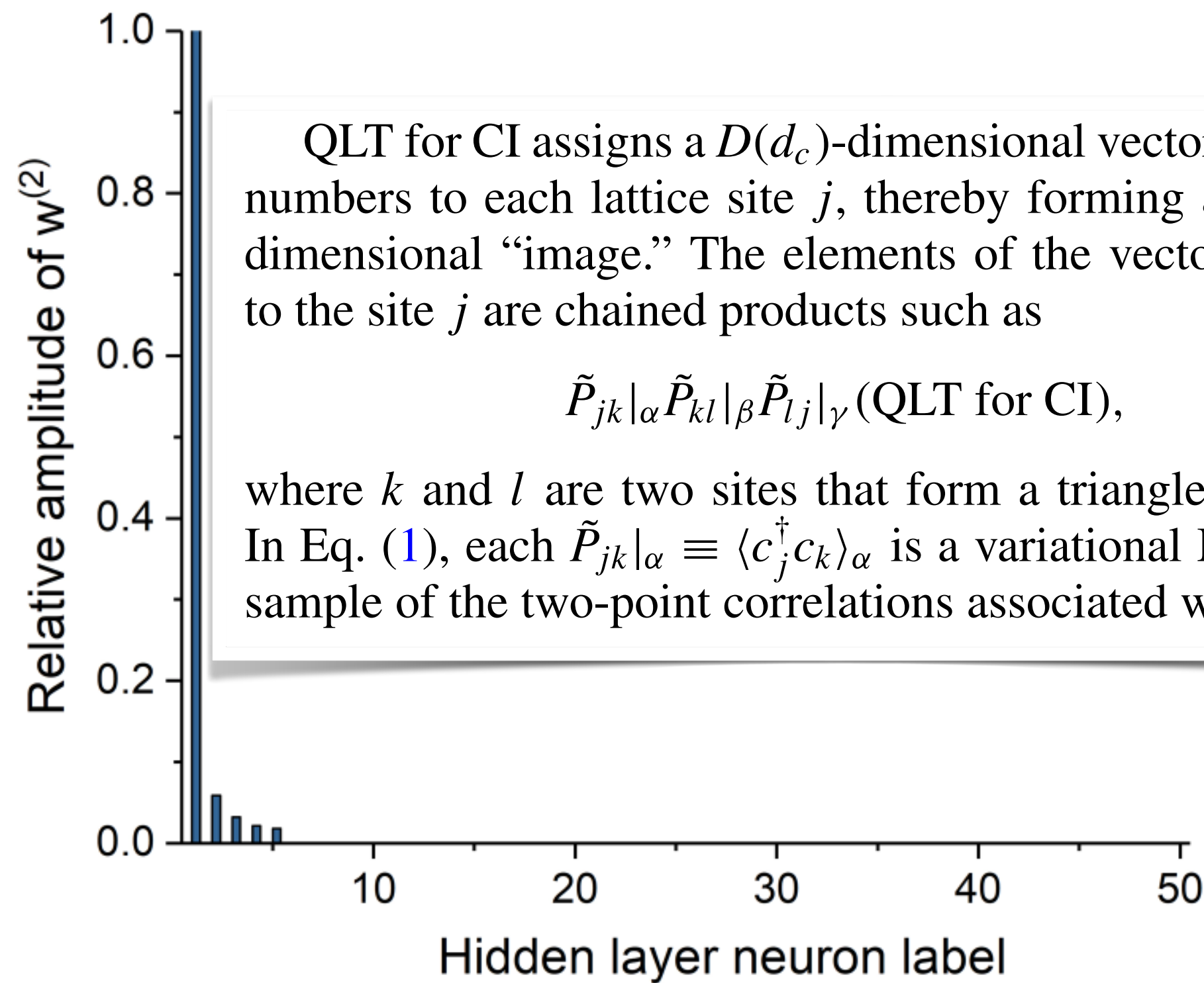
Looking at weights





Analyzing network weights

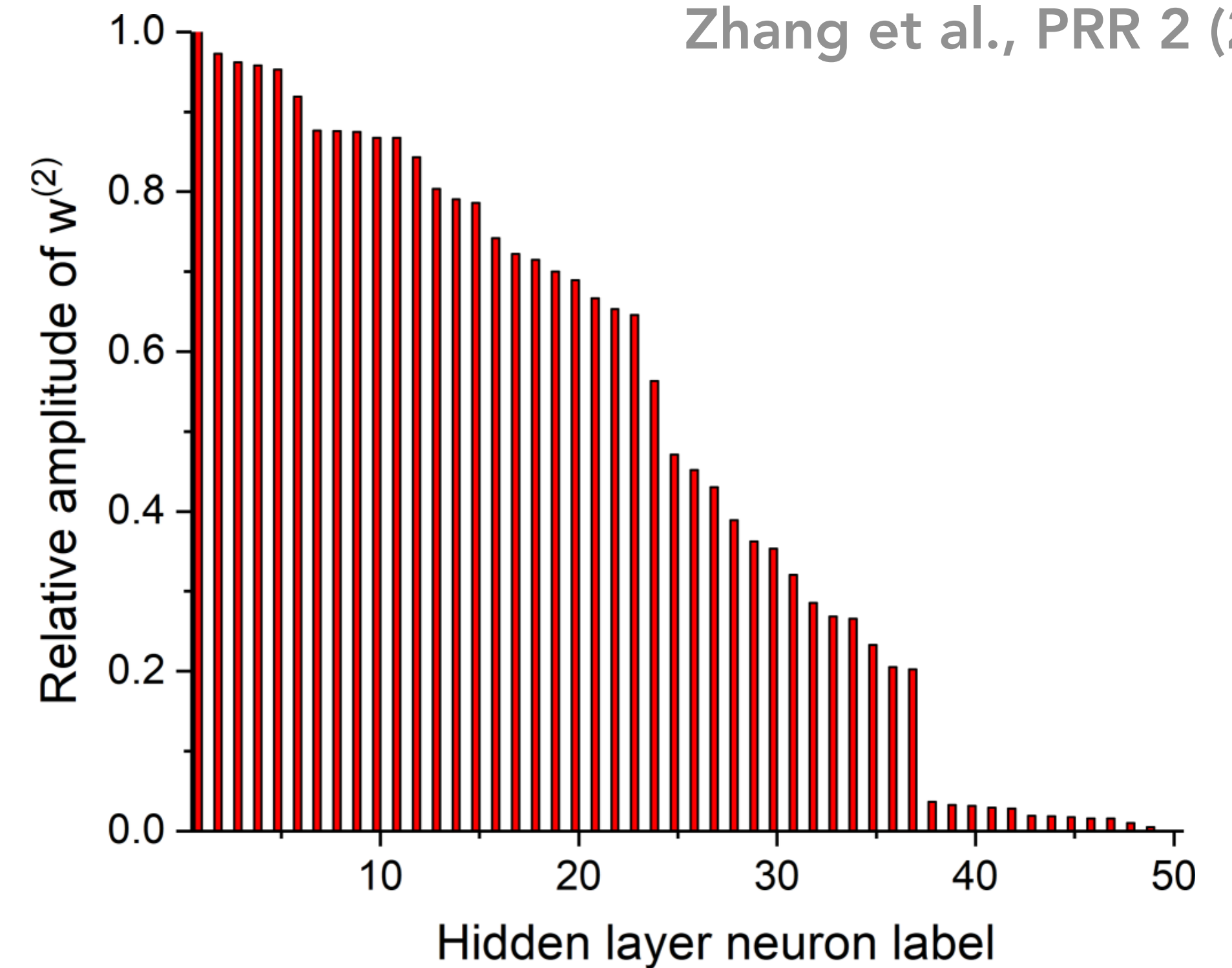
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QLT for CI assigns a $D(d_c)$ -dimensional vector of complex numbers to each lattice site j , thereby forming a quasi-two-dimensional “image.” The elements of the vector associated to the site j are chained products such as

$$\tilde{P}_{jk|\alpha} \tilde{P}_{kl|\beta} \tilde{P}_{lj|\gamma} \text{ (QLT for CI)}, \quad (1)$$

where k and l are two sites that form a triangle with site j . In Eq. (1), each $\tilde{P}_{jk|\alpha} \equiv \langle c_j^\dagger c_k \rangle_\alpha$ is a variational Monte Carlo sample of the two-point correlations associated with sites j, k



Zhang et al., PRR 2 (2020)

=> Introduce non-linearities in input to regain linear dependence

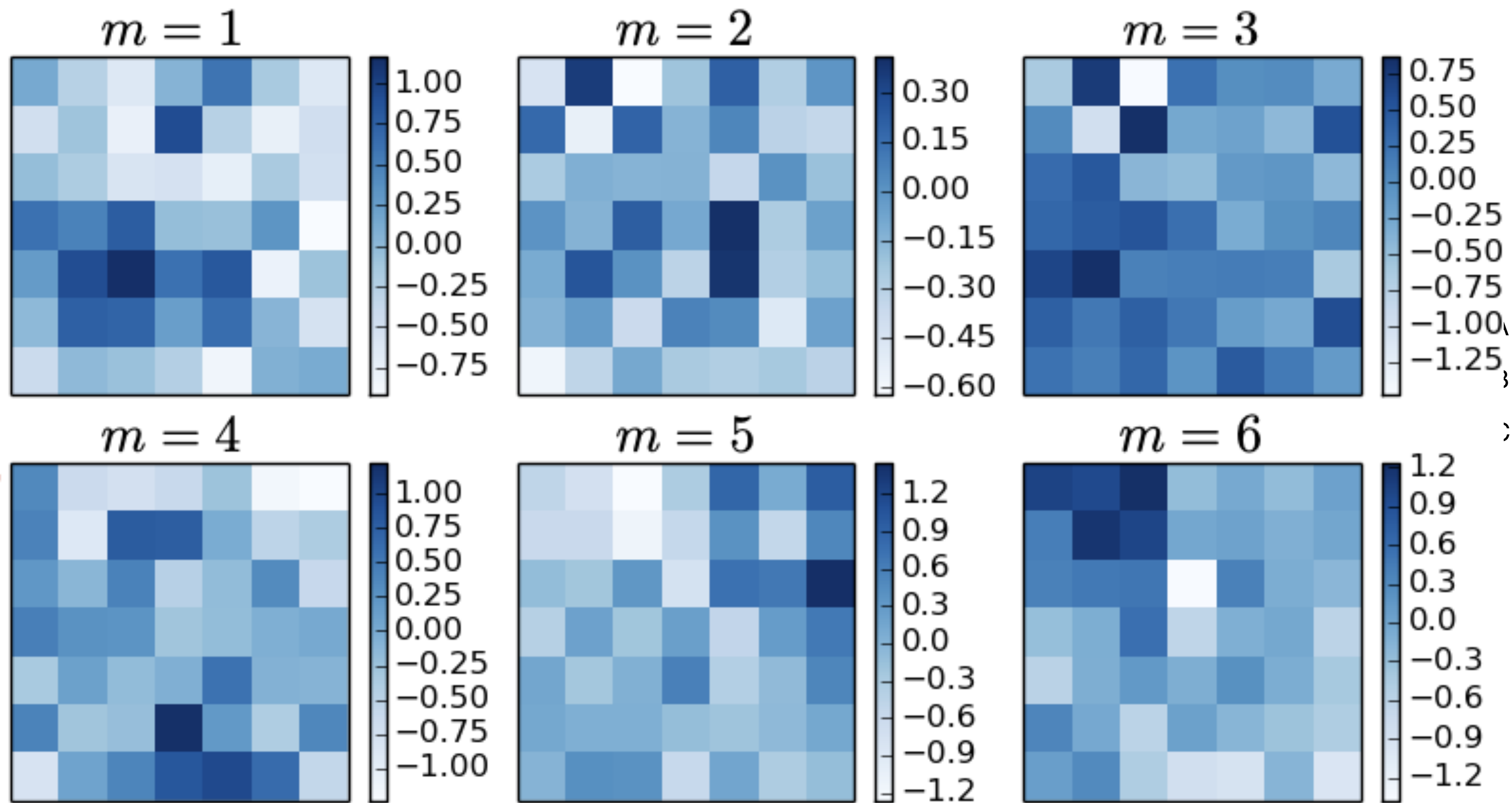
Problem: pre-processing of input data, need a priori physical insights for feature selection



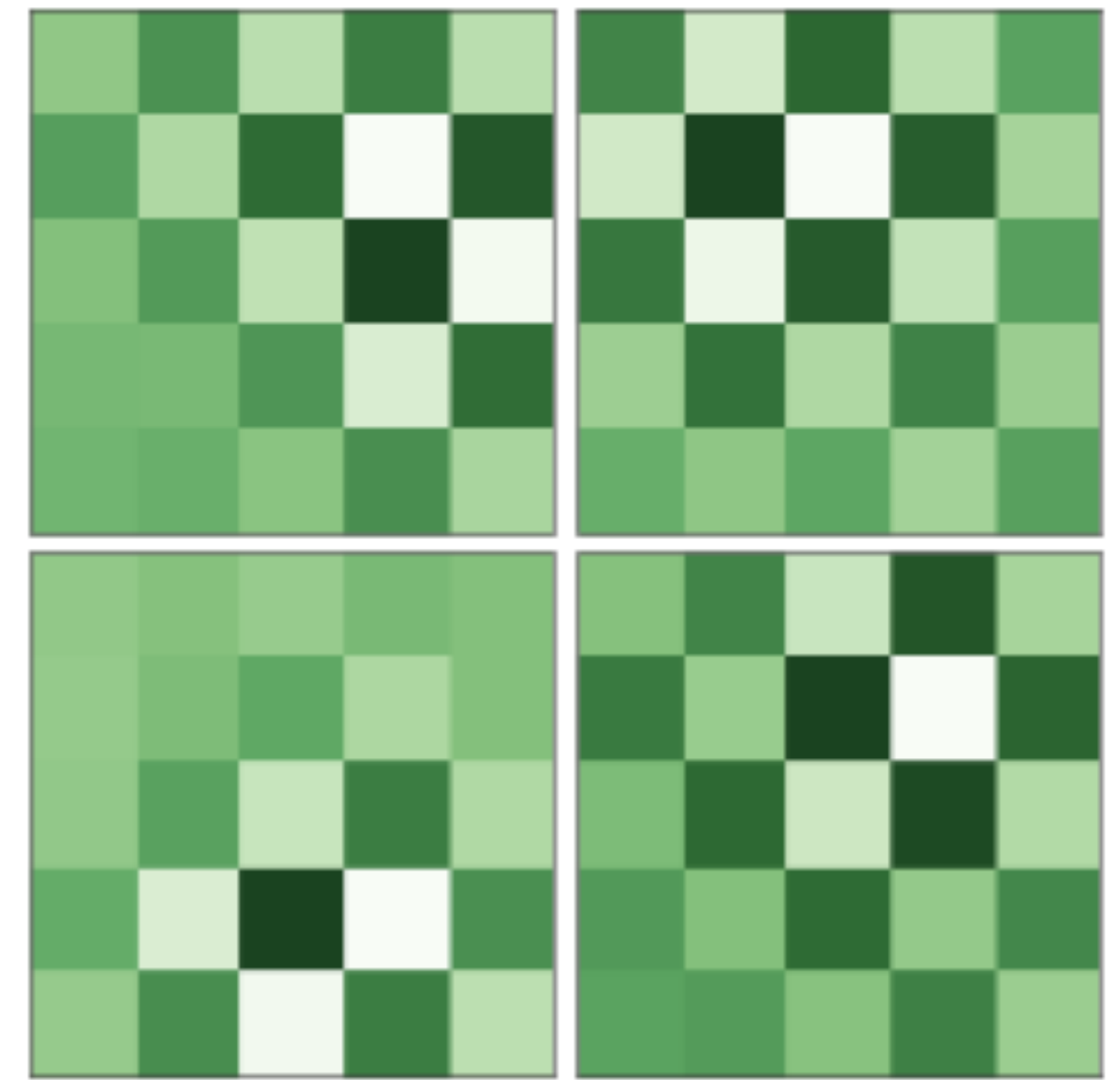
Convolutional neural networks: looking at filters

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2D Fermi-Hubbard @ finite doping: charge configurations



2D Fermi-Hubbard @ half filling: spin configurations at high vs low temperature

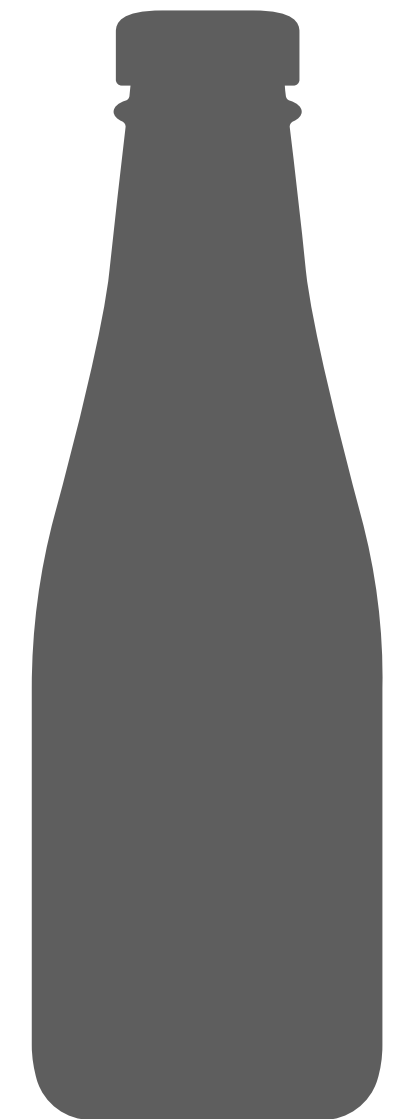


Khatami et al., PRA 102 (2020)

Problem: non-linearities introduce correlations which cannot be visualized this way



Bottleneck based approach

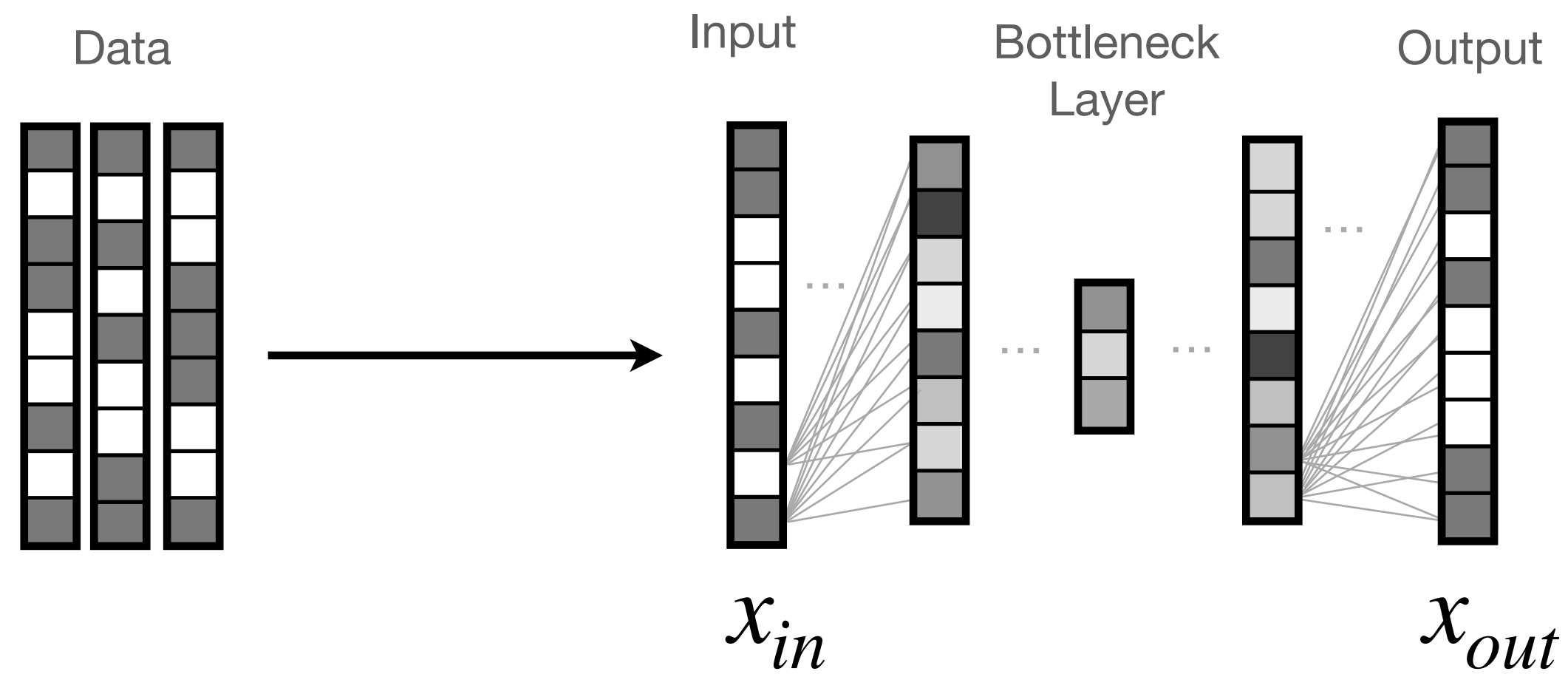




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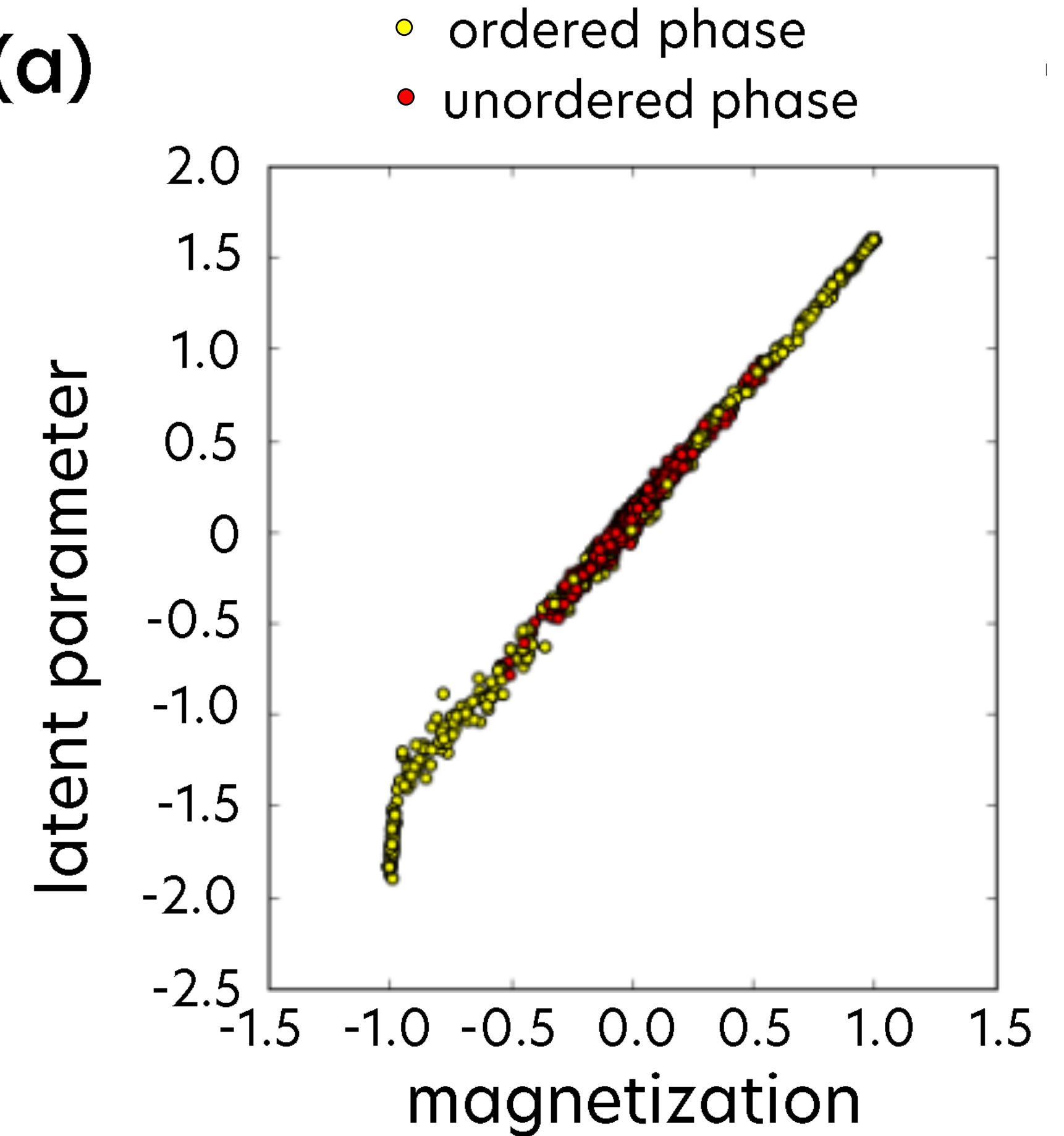
spin configurations of 2D Ising model



$$L(x_{in}, x_{out}) = |x_{in} - x_{out}|^2$$

problem: assumes that we already know which dependence to look for \rightarrow we can only compare it against the quantities or features we suspect to be important.

(a)



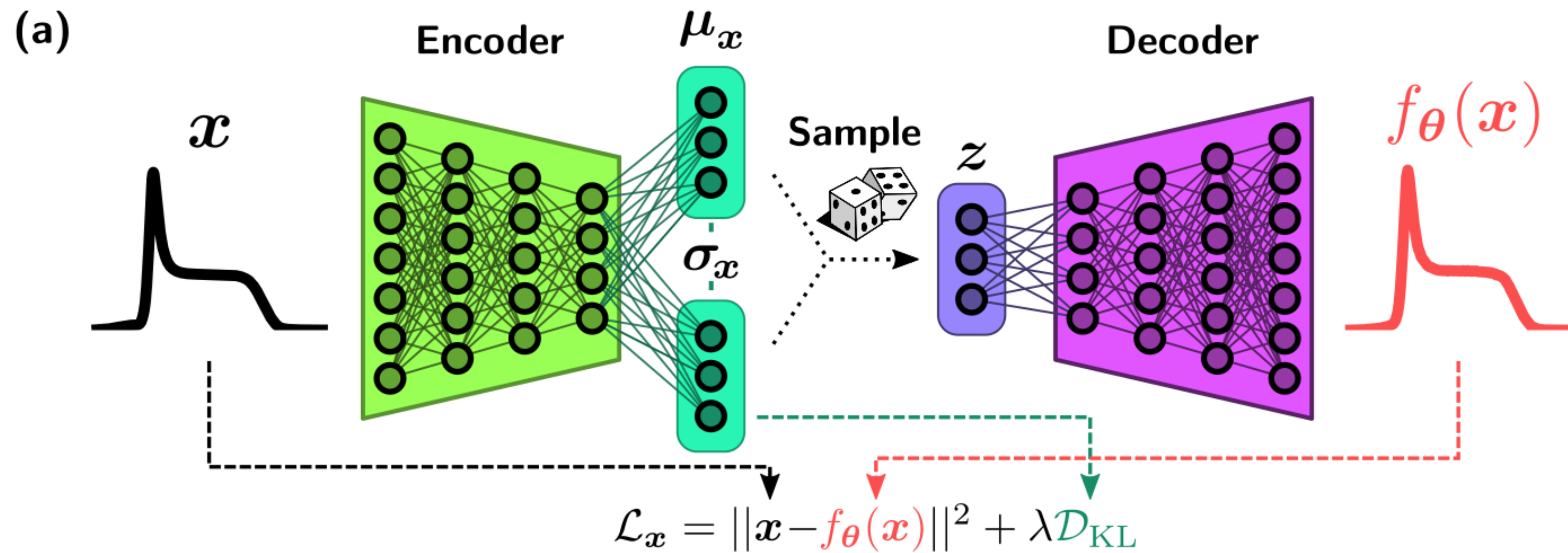
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One possibility: symbolic regression on the latent space



Goal: Functional form to relate physical input parameters to latent vector z



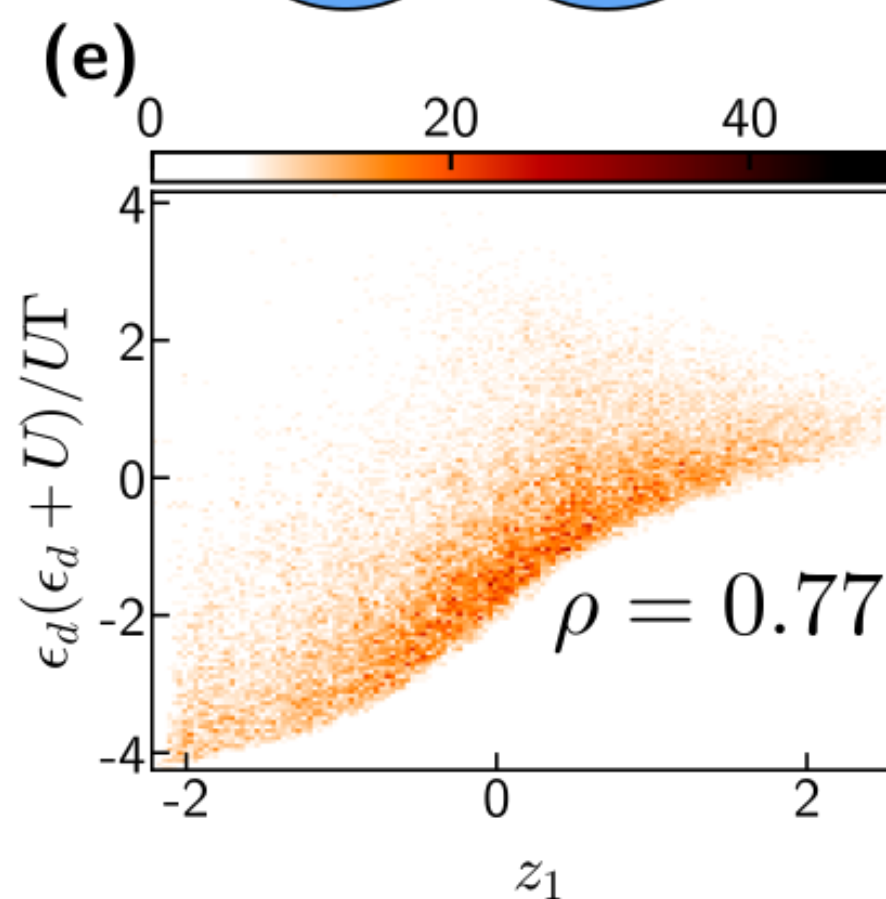
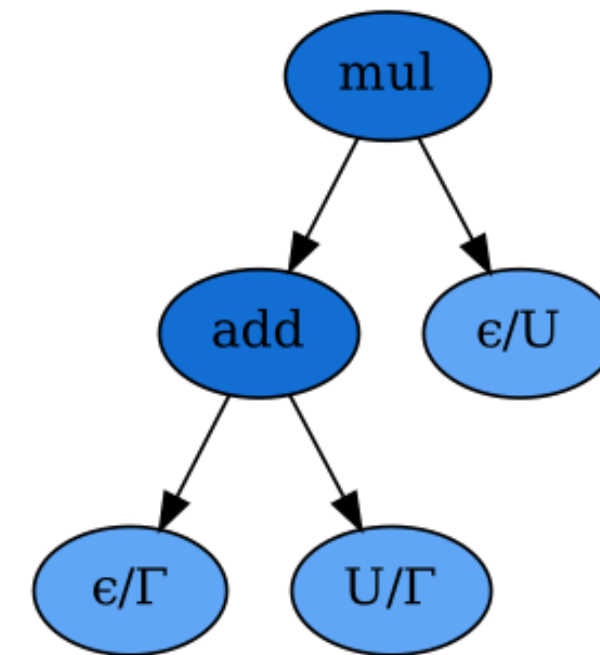
Symbolic regression

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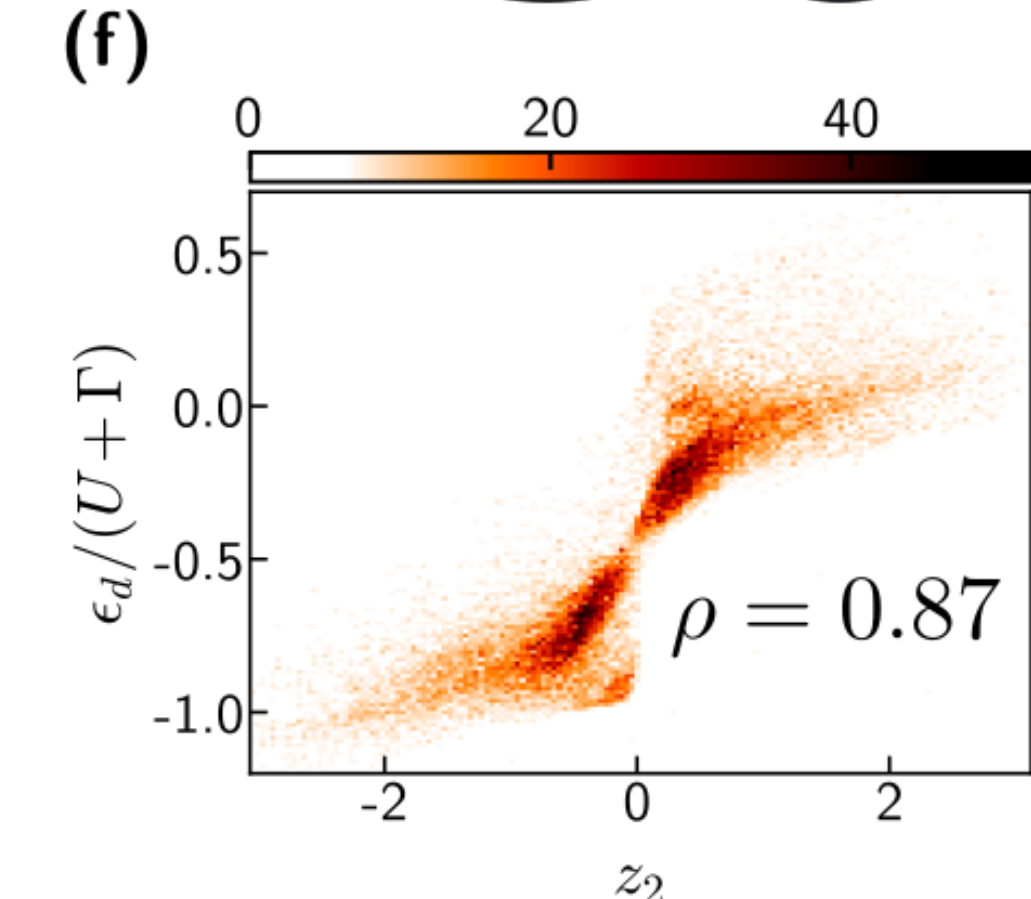
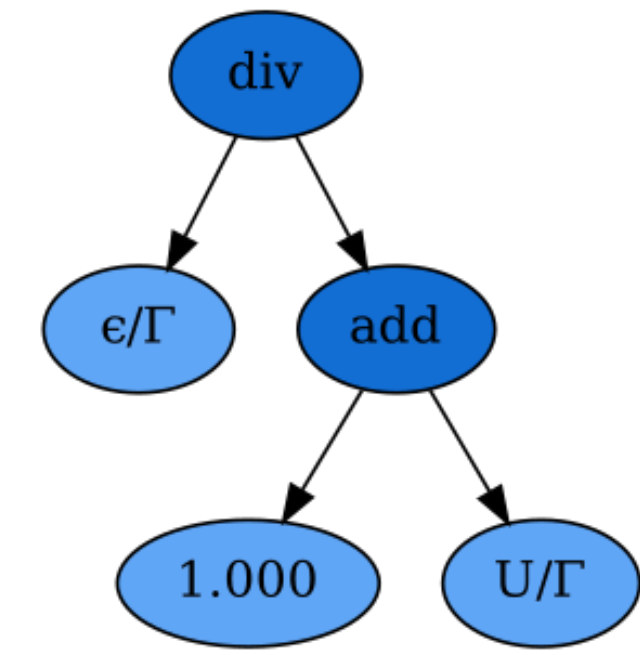
One possibility: symbolic regression on the latent space

- Here: one-particle Anderson impurity model spectral functions
- Use genetic algorithm to obtain functional form

(c) $f_1^* = \frac{\epsilon_d(\epsilon_d+U)}{U\Gamma}$



(d) $f_2^* = \frac{\epsilon_d}{U+\Gamma}$



Miles et al., PRB 104 (2021)

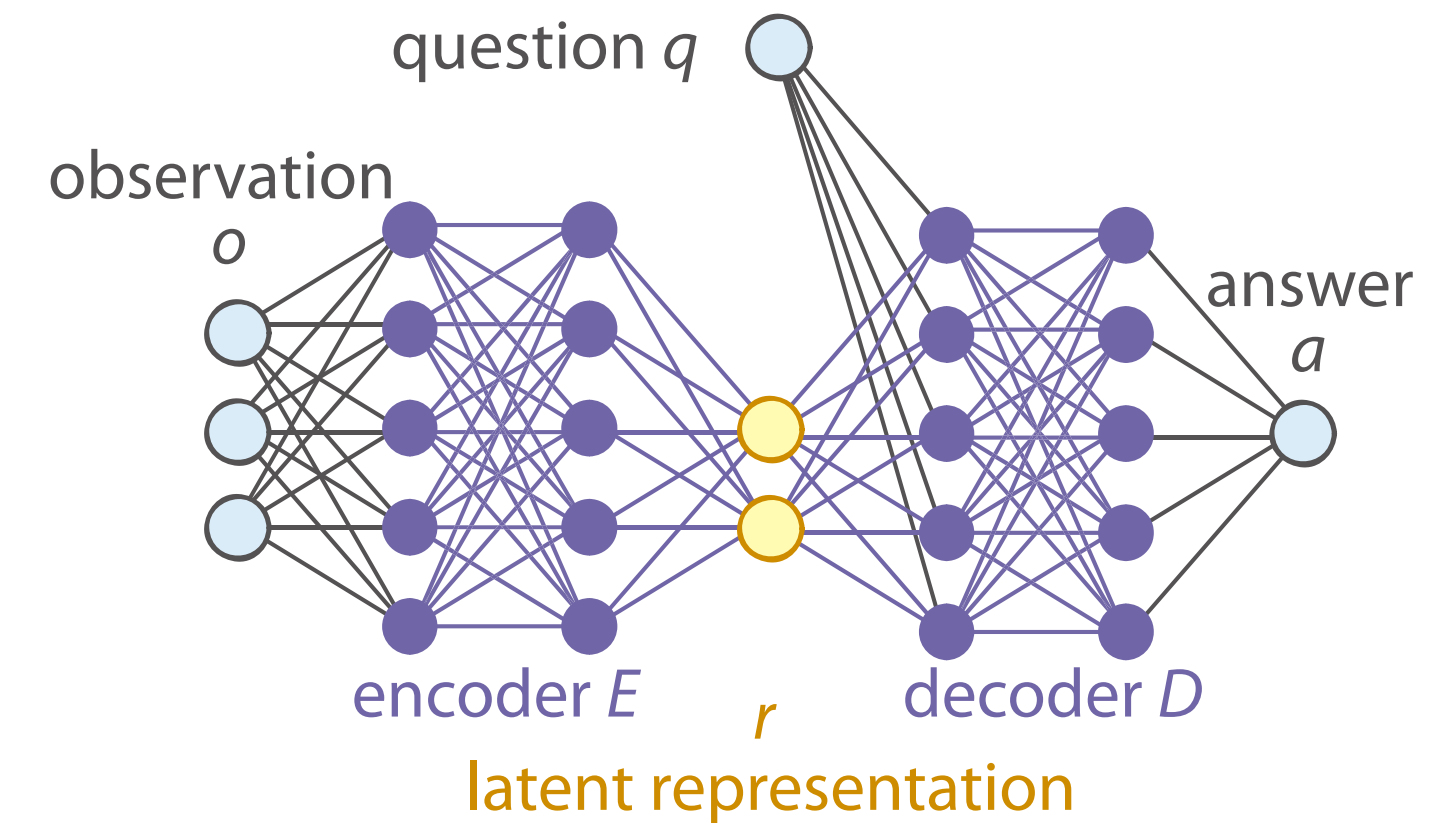
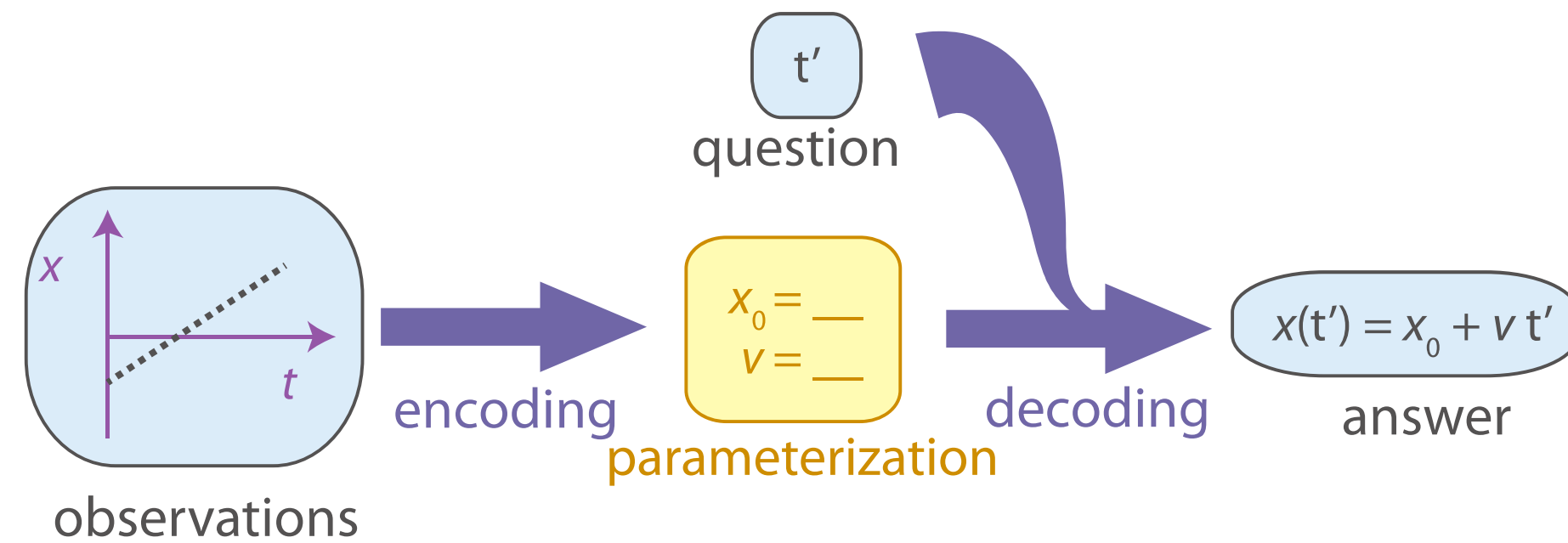
More on symbolic regression (using neural nets):
Feynman AI: Udrescu & Tegmark, Sci. Adv. 6 (2020)



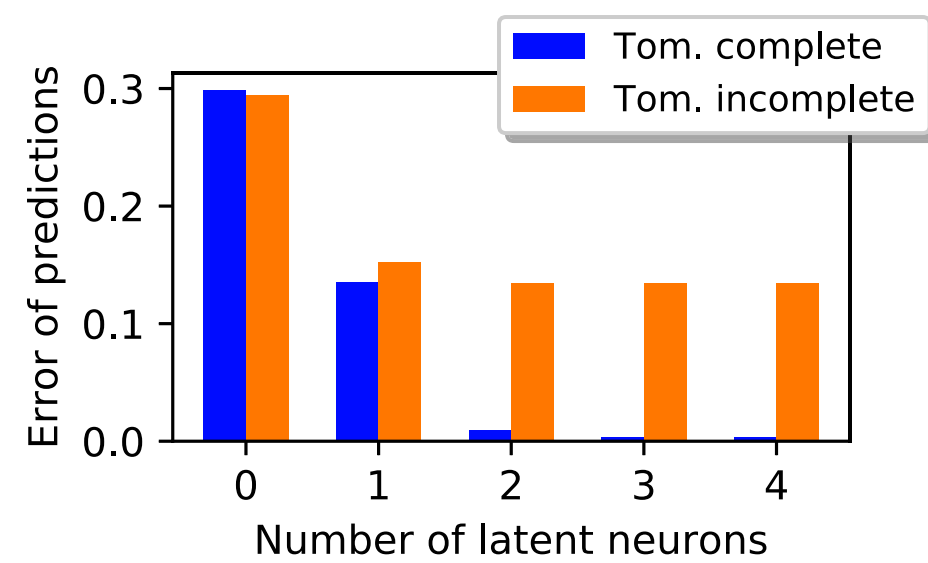
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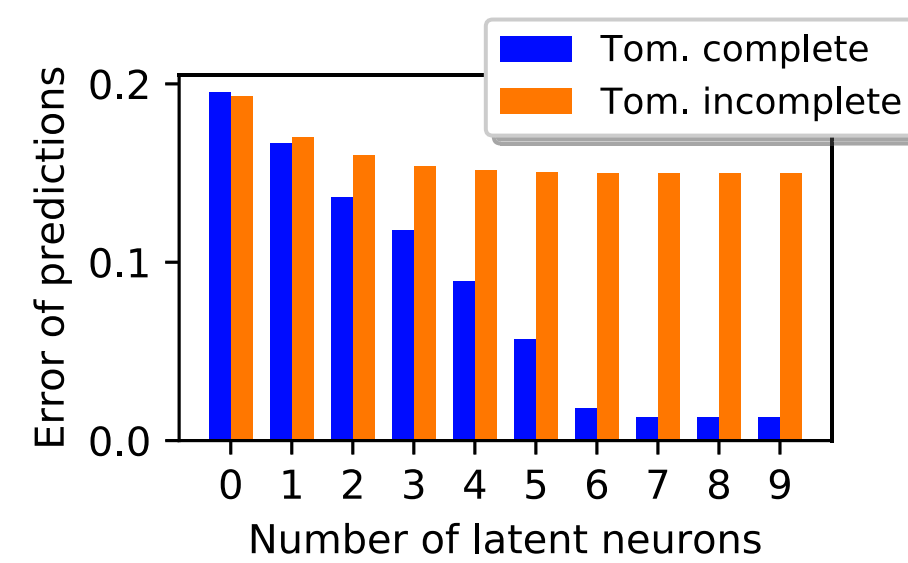
Training using question neuron: Input: observations, question, correct answer



Quantum state tomography

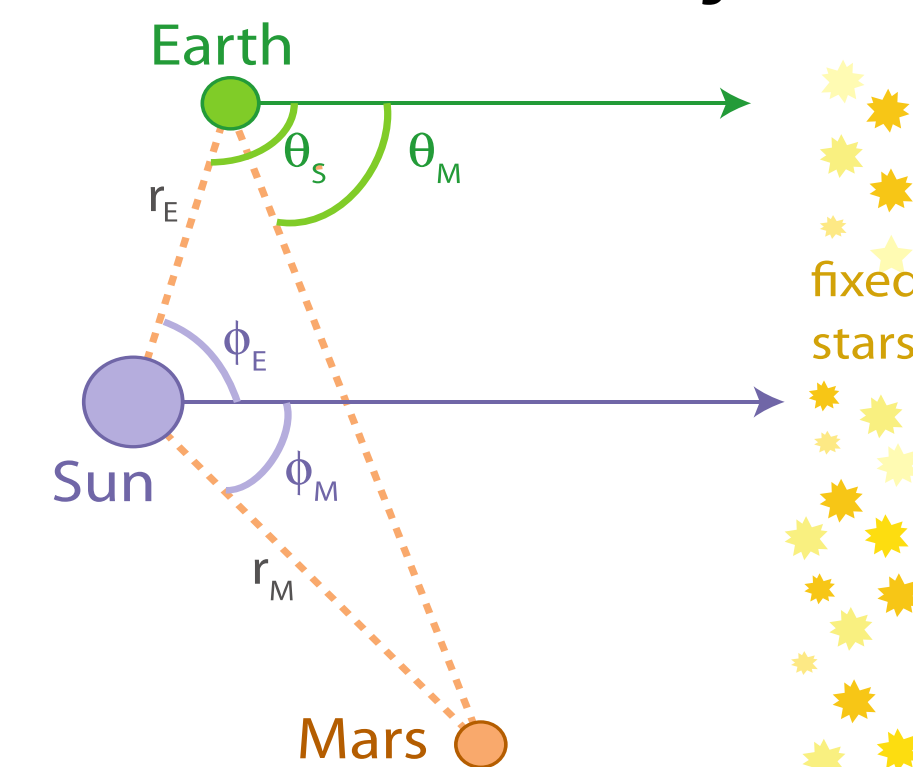


(a) One qubit



(b) Two qubits

Heliocentric solar system

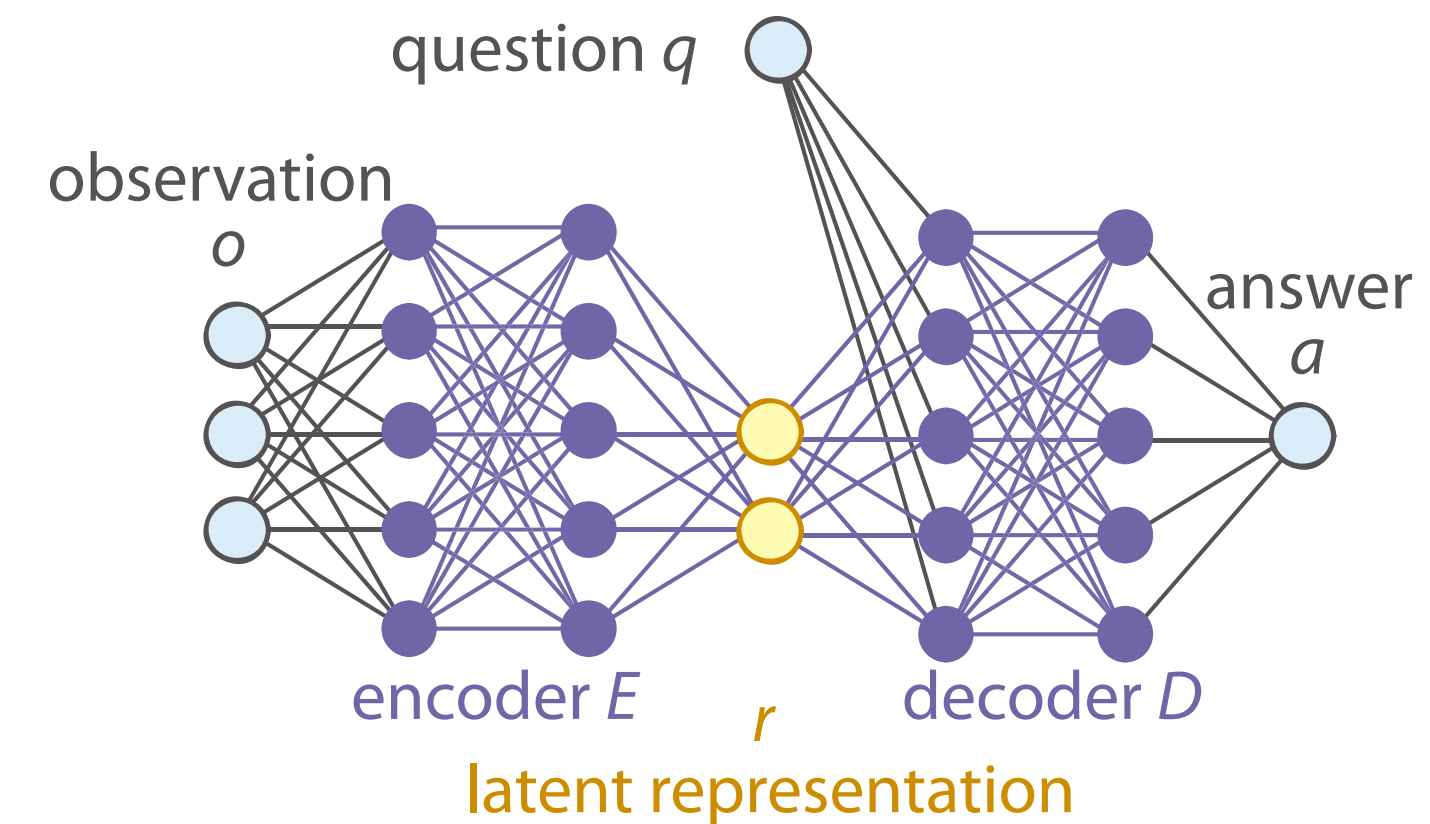
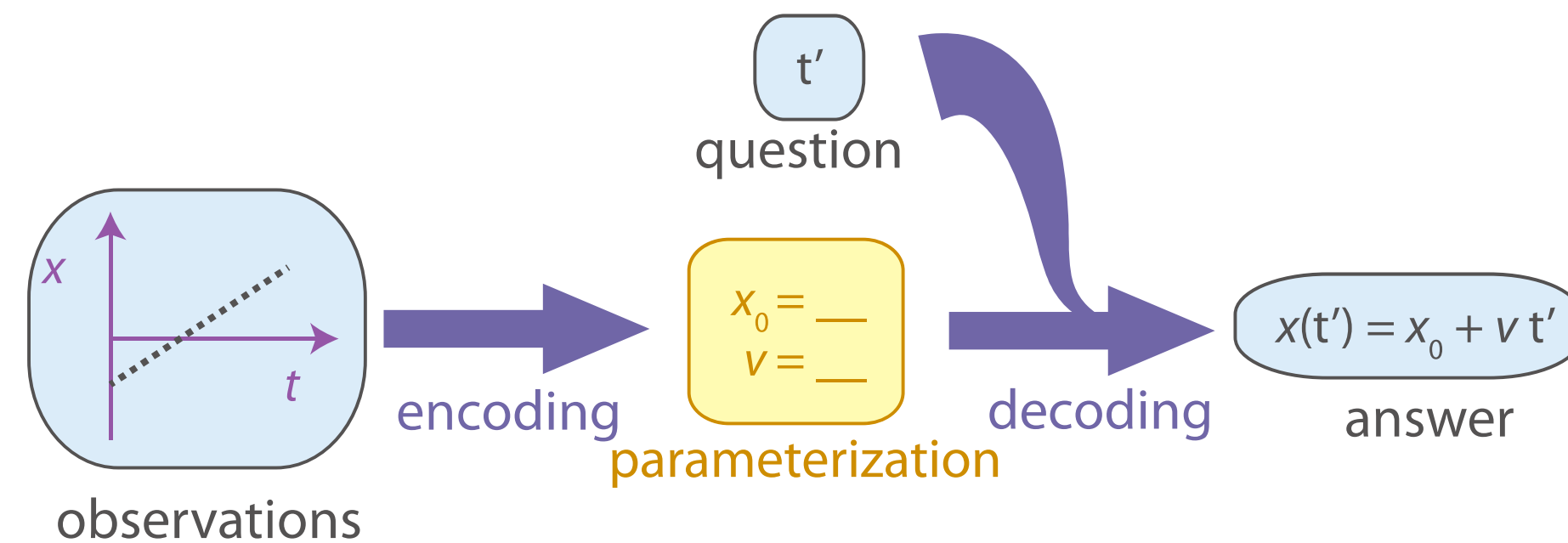




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Training using question neuron: Input: observations, question, correct answer



- all useful data stored in representation in compact form
- Comparison to hypothesis possible (if hypothesis exists)
- insights possible from the number of required parameters
- insights from change in the representation when manually changing the input, and the change in output when manually changing the representation

Iten et al., PRL 124 (2020);

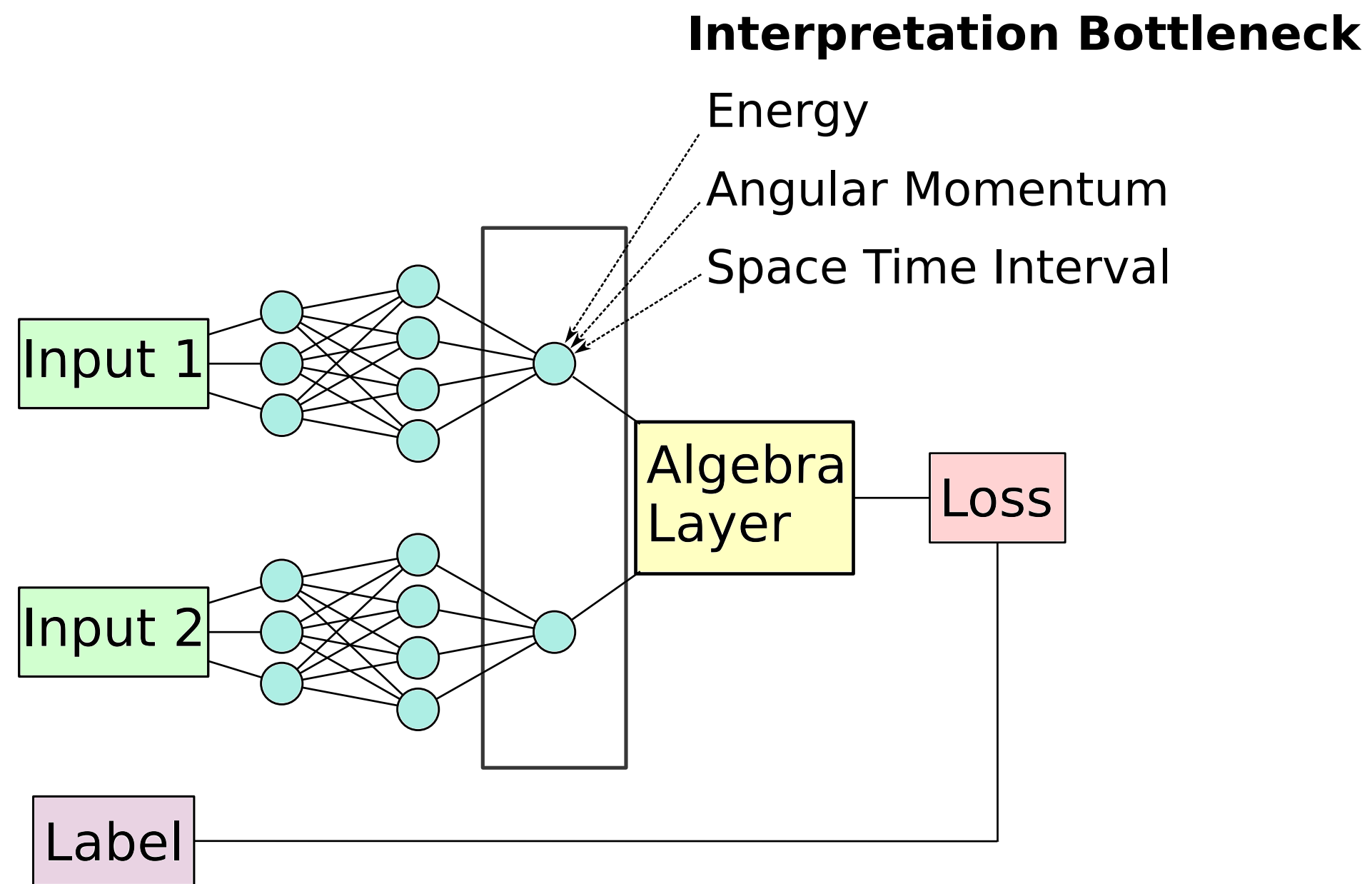
review on AI physicists: Wu & Tegmark, PRE 100 (2019)



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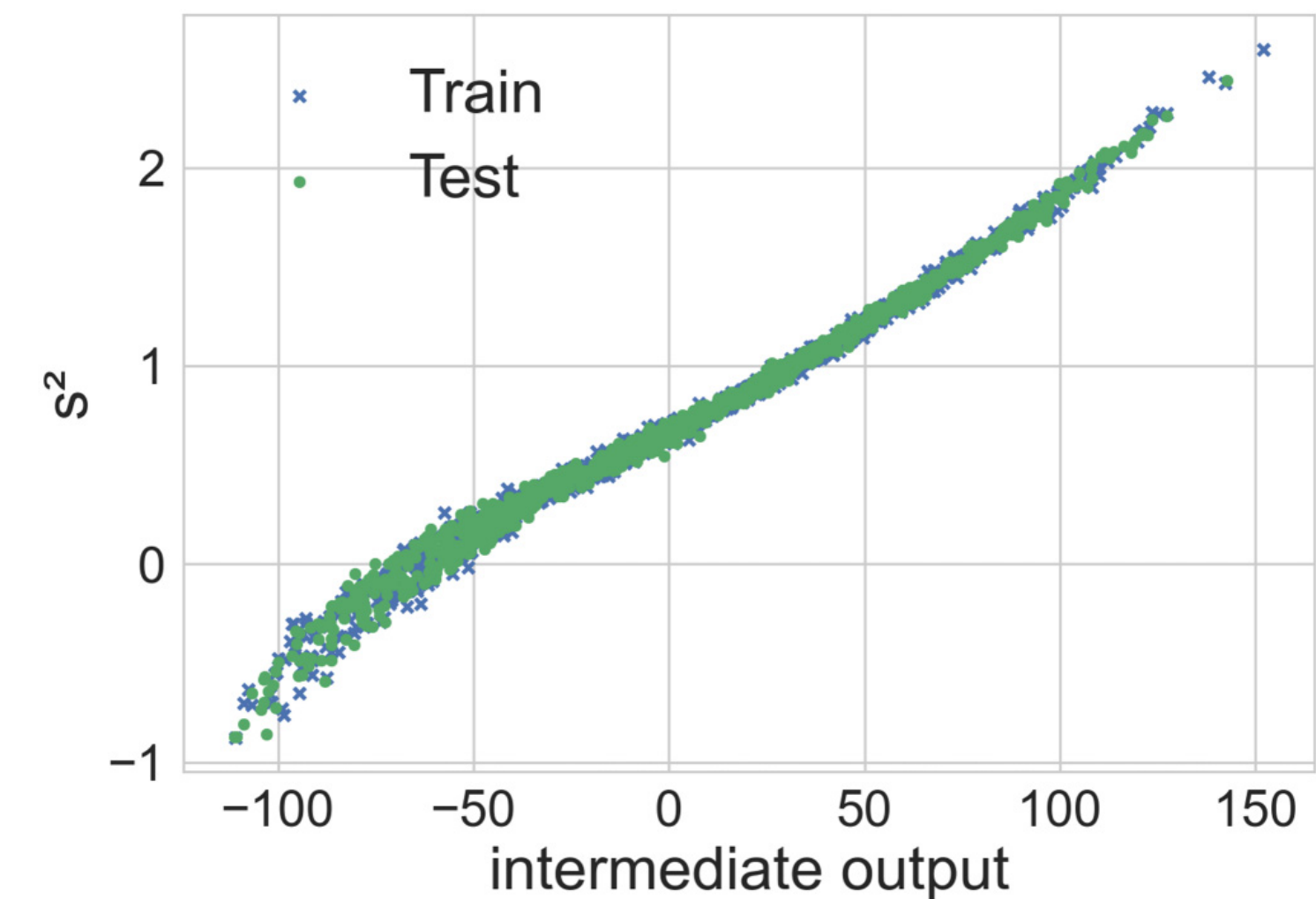
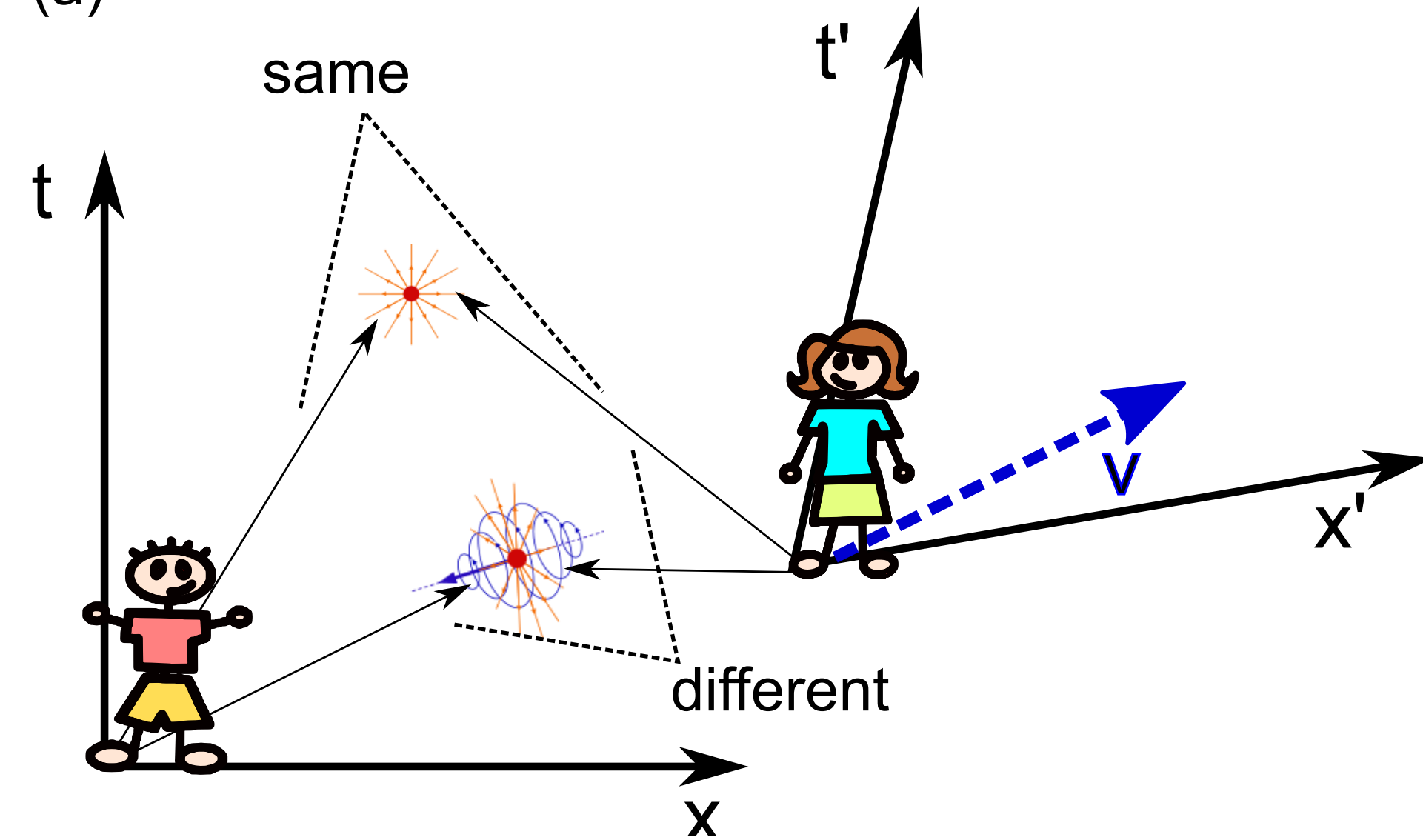
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Siamese neural network: classify same vs different



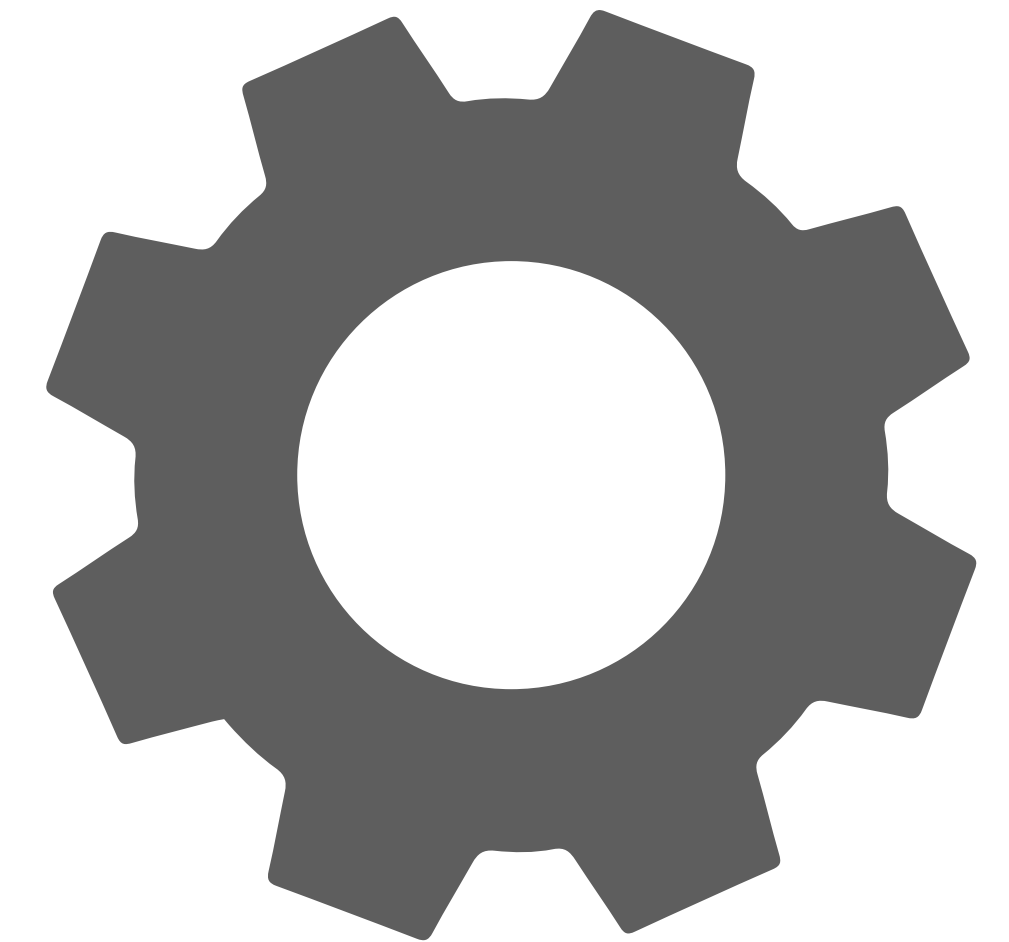
Polynomial regression on bottleneck layer

(a)





Support vector machines

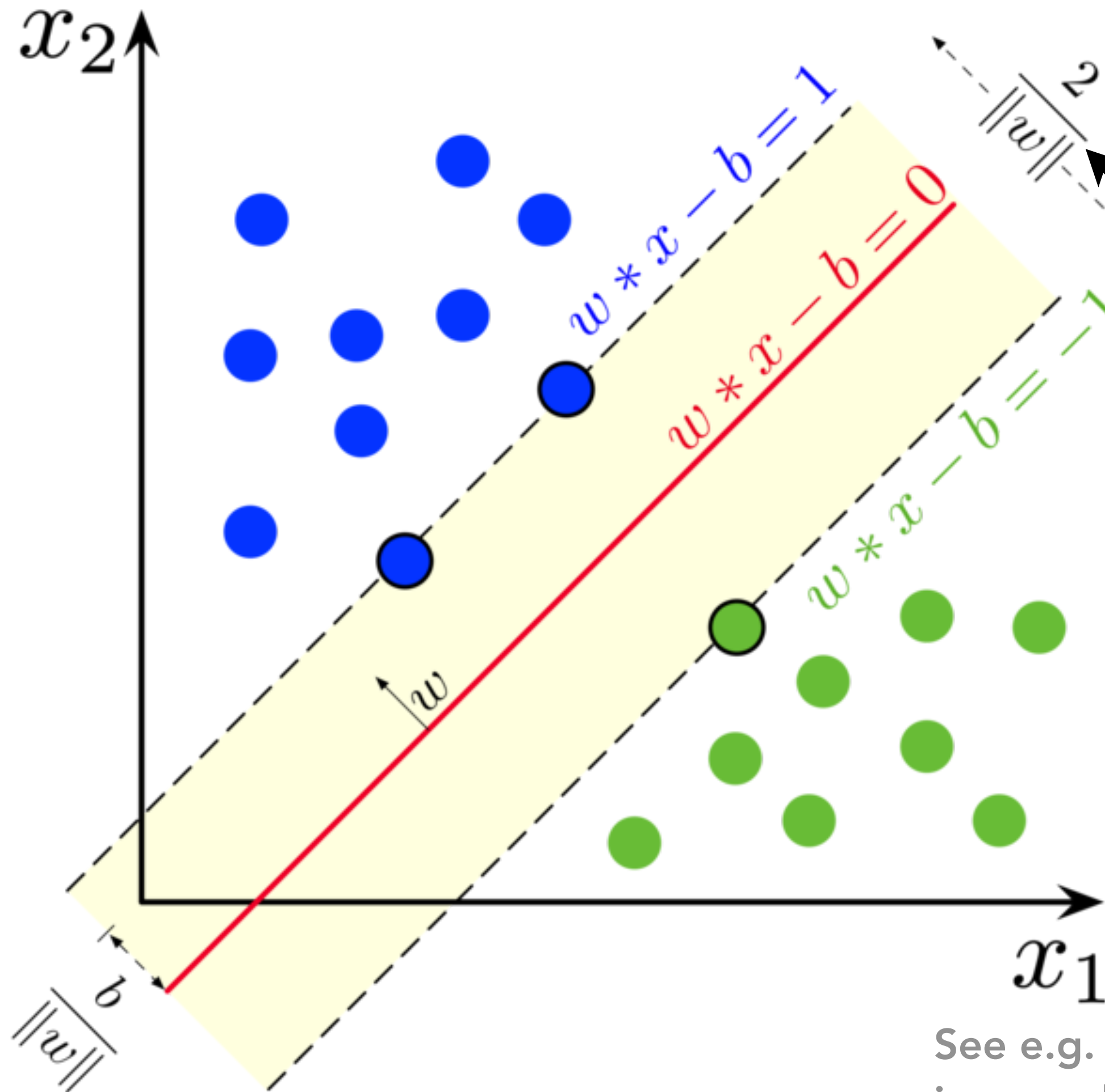




Support vector machines

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Want to minimize (optimization with constraints: maximize margin while classifying correctly):



$$L = \frac{1}{2} \|\theta\|^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i [y_i (\theta^T x_i + \theta_0) - 1]$$

Inverse margin
(want to maximize margin)

Lagrange multipliers ($\alpha_i \neq 0$ for support vectors)

$$\alpha_i [y_i (\theta^T x_i + \theta_0) - 1] = 0 \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, n.$$

Dual formulation:

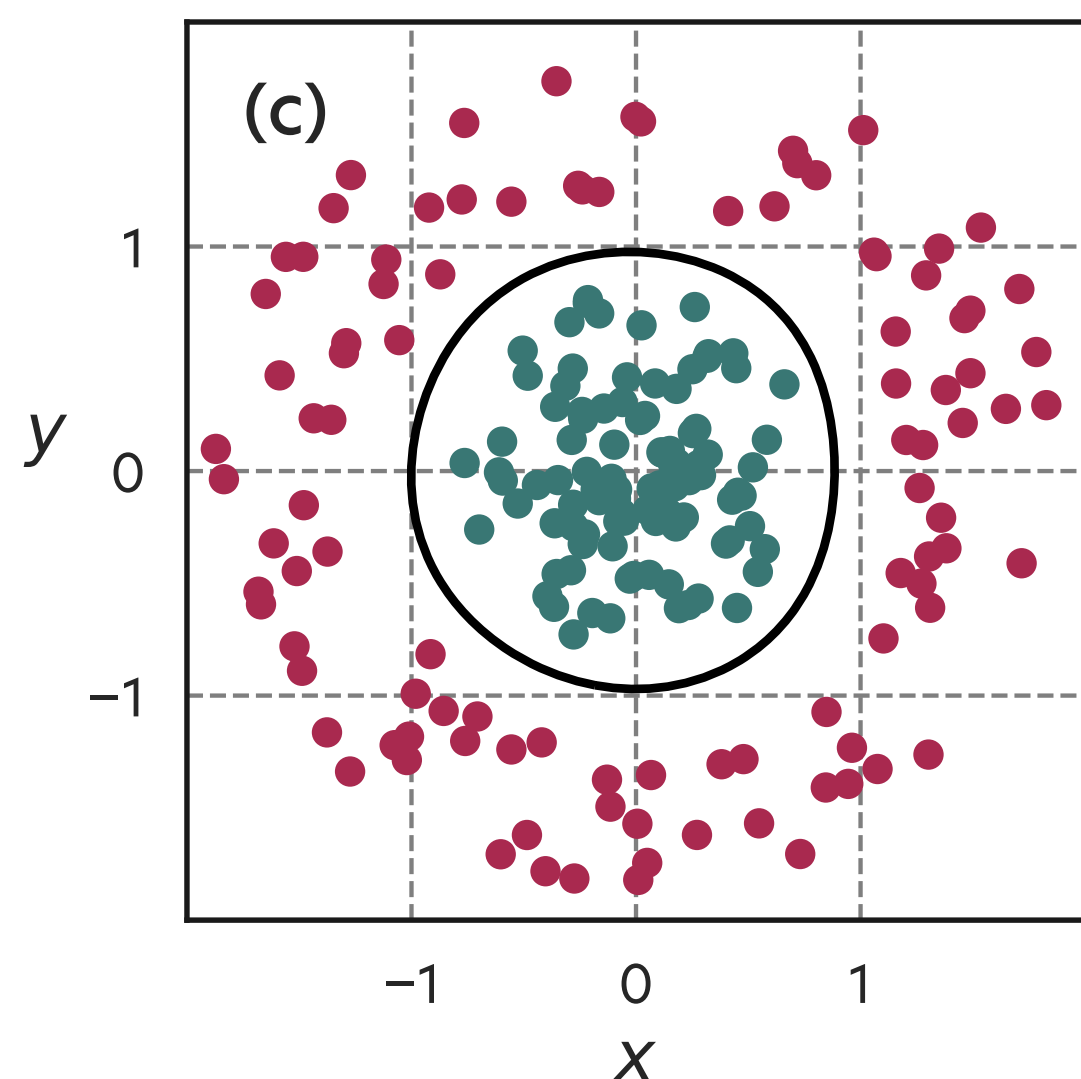
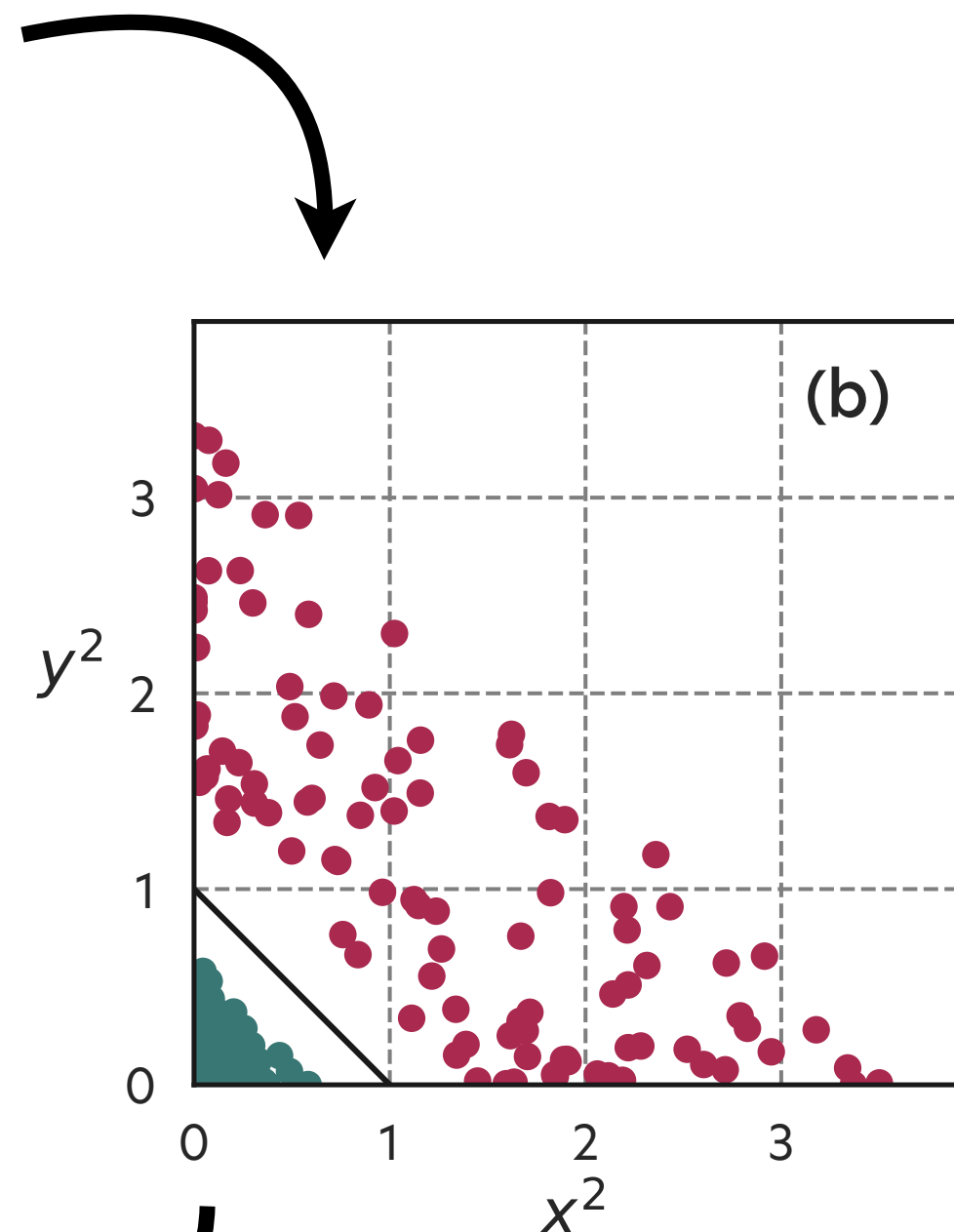
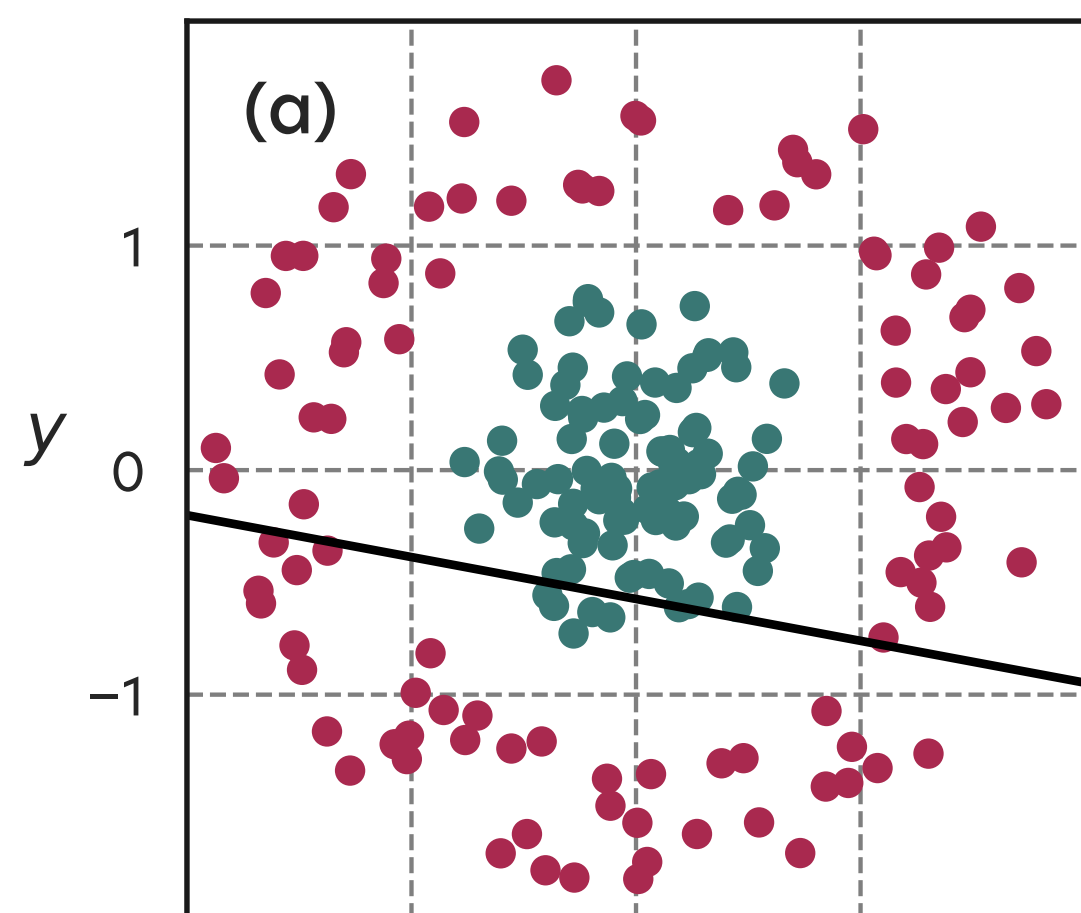
$$L_D = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \alpha_j y_i y_j x_i^T x_j \quad \text{subject to } \alpha_i \geq 0.$$

See e.g. Murphy, Machine Learning: A Probabilistic Perspective (MIT Press, Cambridge, 2012) in many-body physics: Ponte & Melko, PRB 96 (2017); review: Dawid et al., arXiv:2204.04198



Support vector machines

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Want to optimize:

$$L_D = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \alpha_j y_i y_j \mathbf{x}_i^T \mathbf{x}_j \quad \text{subject to } \alpha_i \geq 0.$$

Introducing a feature map (Kernel trick):

$$L_D = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_i \alpha_j y_i y_j \langle \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i), \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j) \rangle$$

$$\phi(x_1, x_2) = (x_1, x_2, x_1^2 + x_2^2)$$

$$K(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} + ||\mathbf{x}'||^2 ||\mathbf{y}'||^2$$

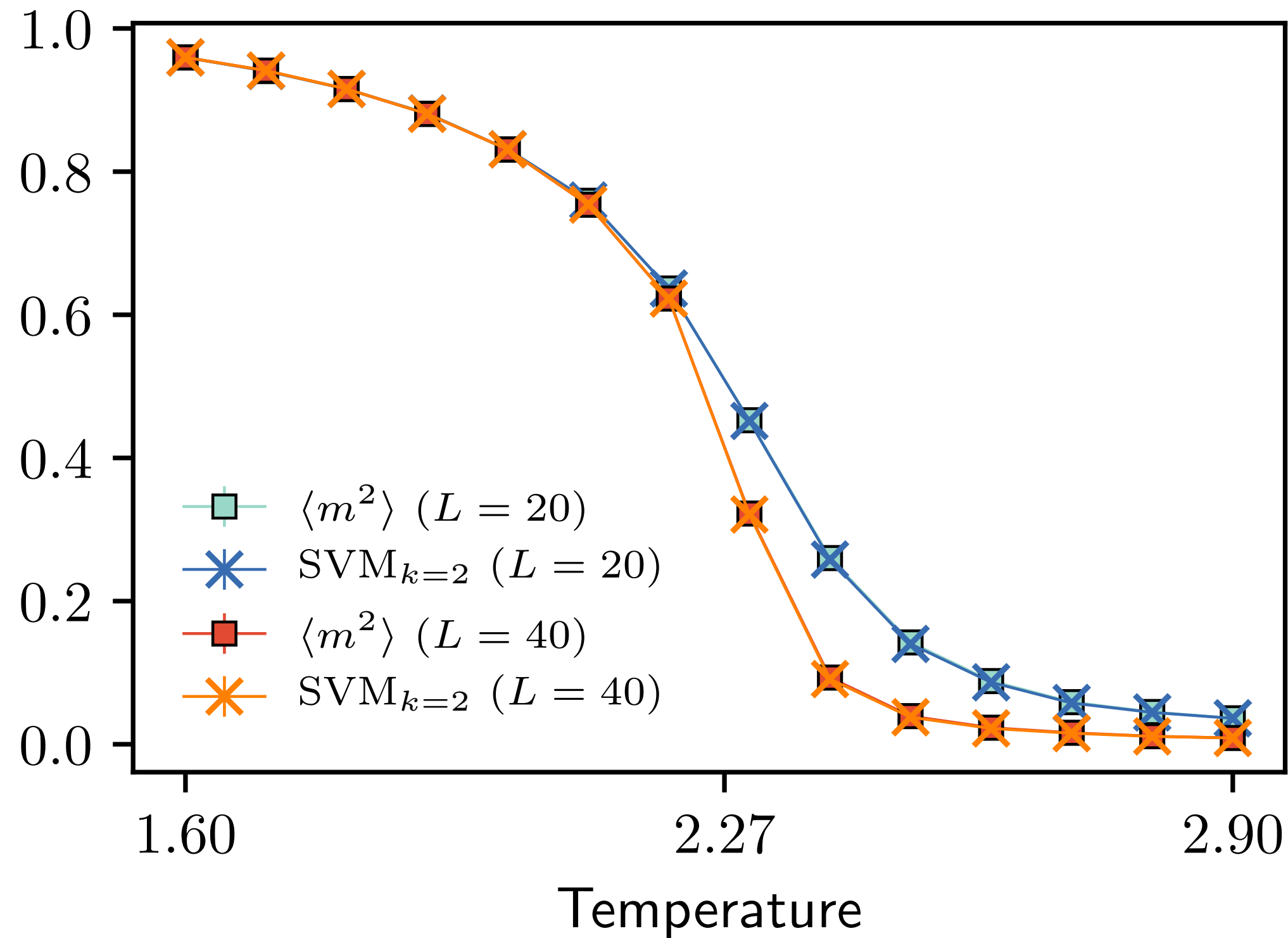
More applications: Greitemann et al., PRB 99 (2019); Liu et al., PRR 3 (2021), ...

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SVM: example

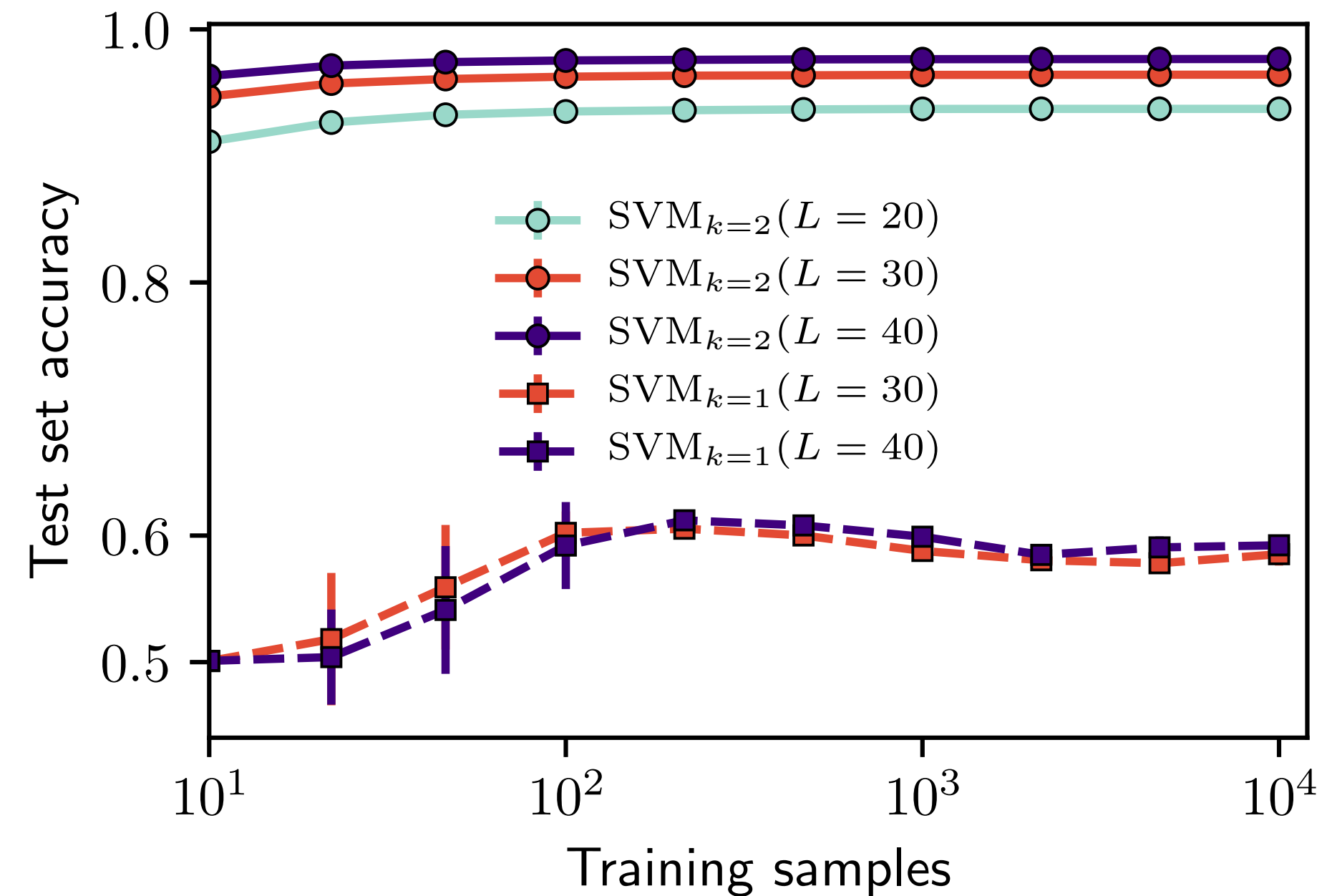
SVM decision function vs squared magnetization



Ponte & Melko, PRB 96 (2017)

Spin configurations 2D Ising model

Polynomial kernel $K(\sigma, \sigma') = (\sigma \cdot \sigma')^k$



Linear decision boundary ($k=1$) not enough to distinguish FM ($m=\pm 1$) and paramagnet ($m=0$)



Hessian-based approach



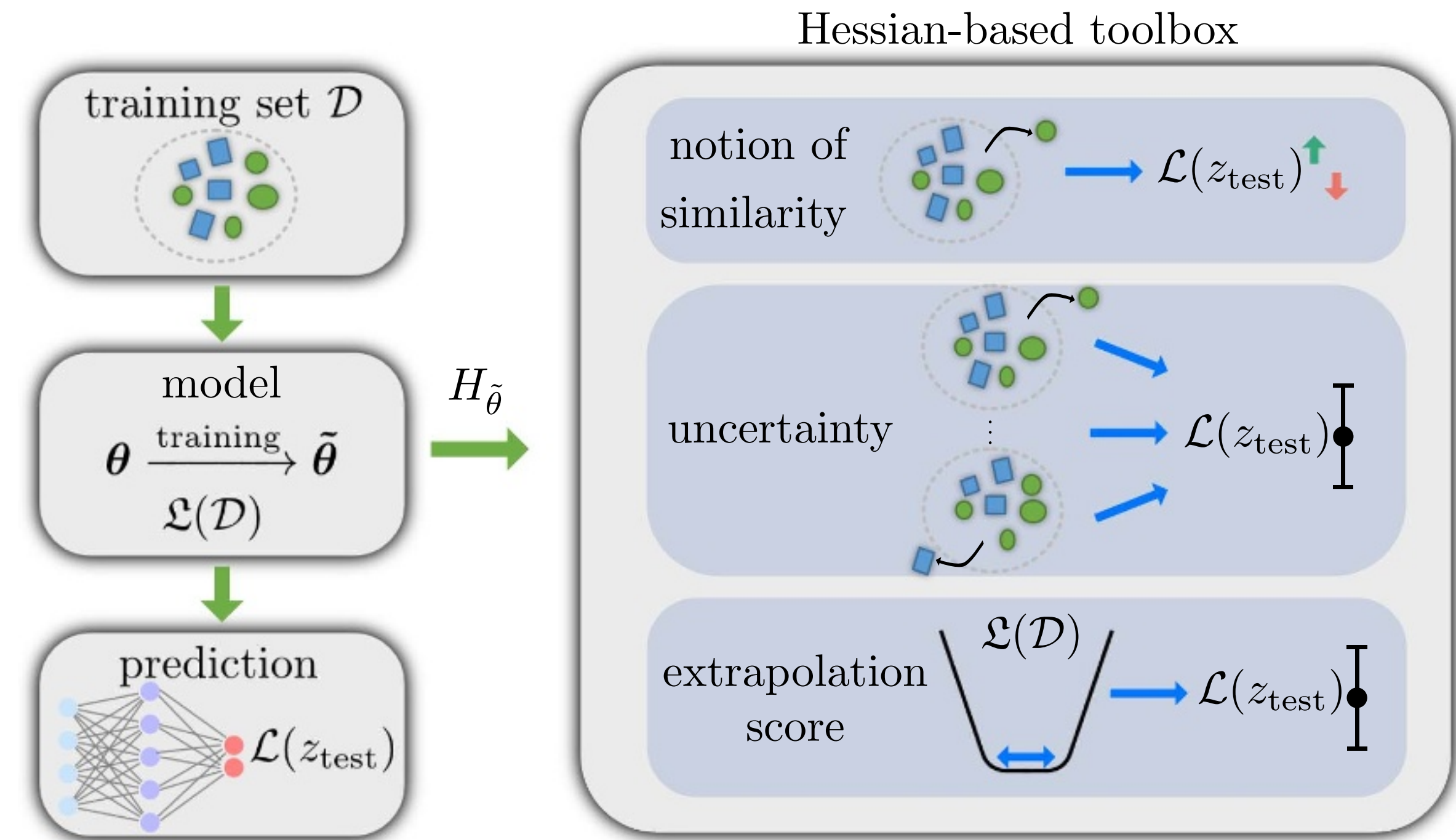


Hessian-based approach

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- Independent of ML architecture
- Look at curvature around minimum of the training loss $(H_{\tilde{\theta}})_{ij} = \partial_{\theta_i \theta_j}^2 \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{D}, \theta) \Big|_{\theta = \tilde{\theta}}$

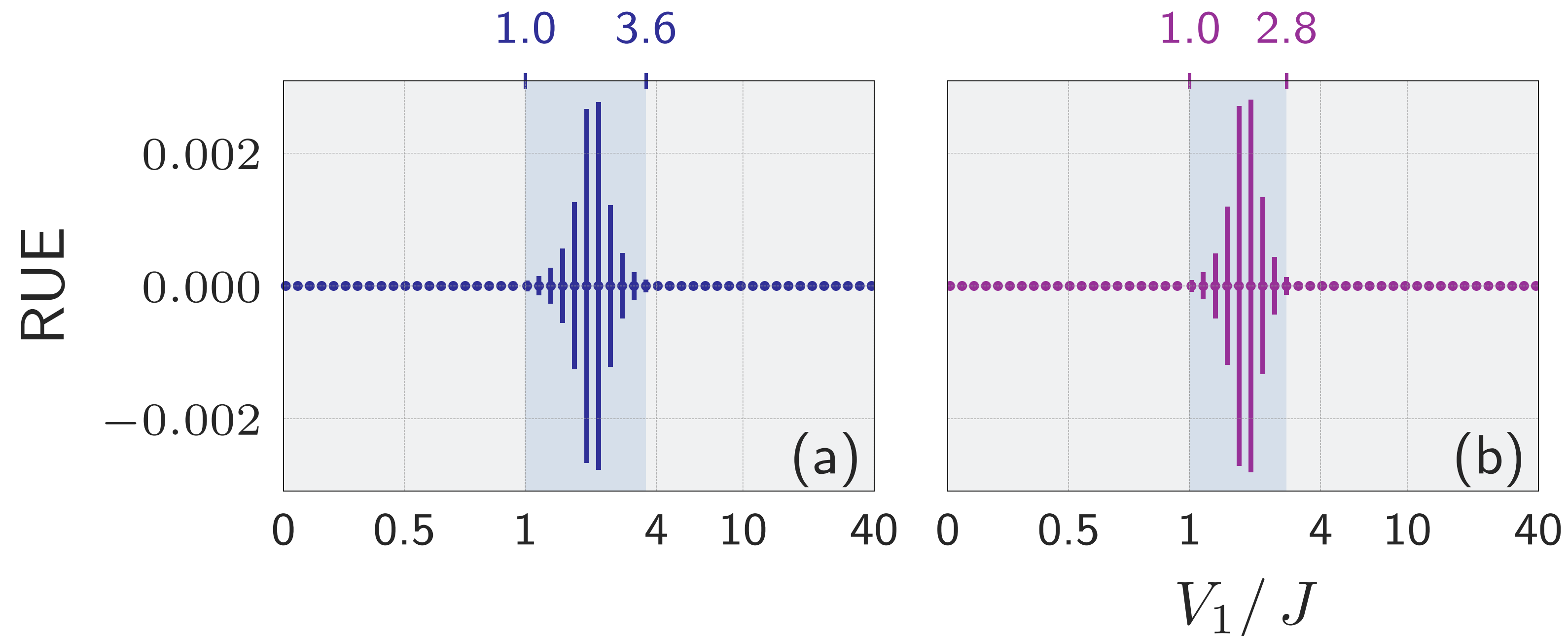
- **Influence function:** indicates which training points are influential for a chosen (test) prediction. Analysis of the most influential examples can reveal the characteristics which impacts the machine learning predictions.
- **Resampling uncertainty estimation:** check whether there are training samples similar to test sample & how big/small errors are on this training data
- **Extrapolation:** explore flat basin around minimum, make predictions for the same test point, calculate variance of the test loss





Hessian-based approach

Phase transition less/more sharp for $L=12/14$



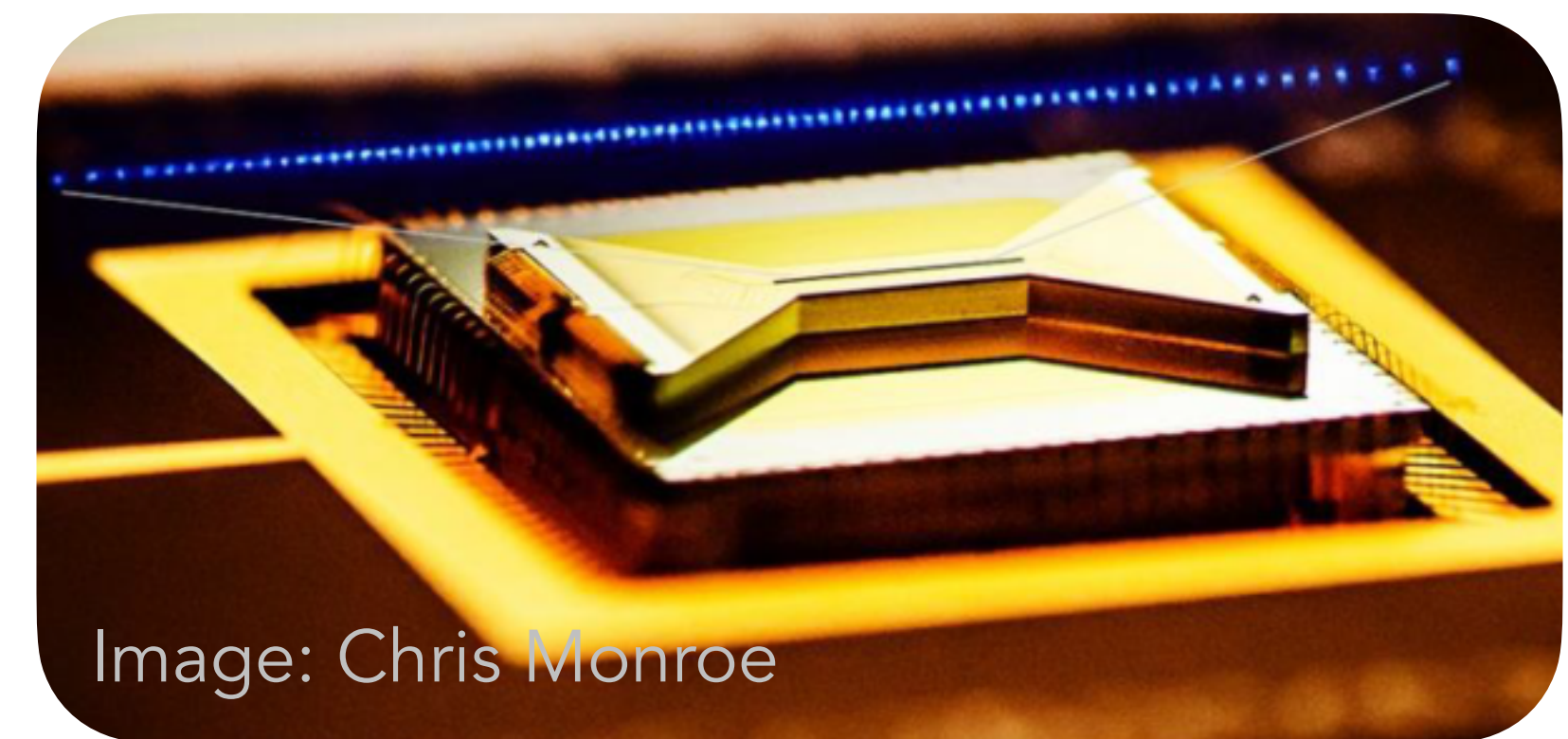
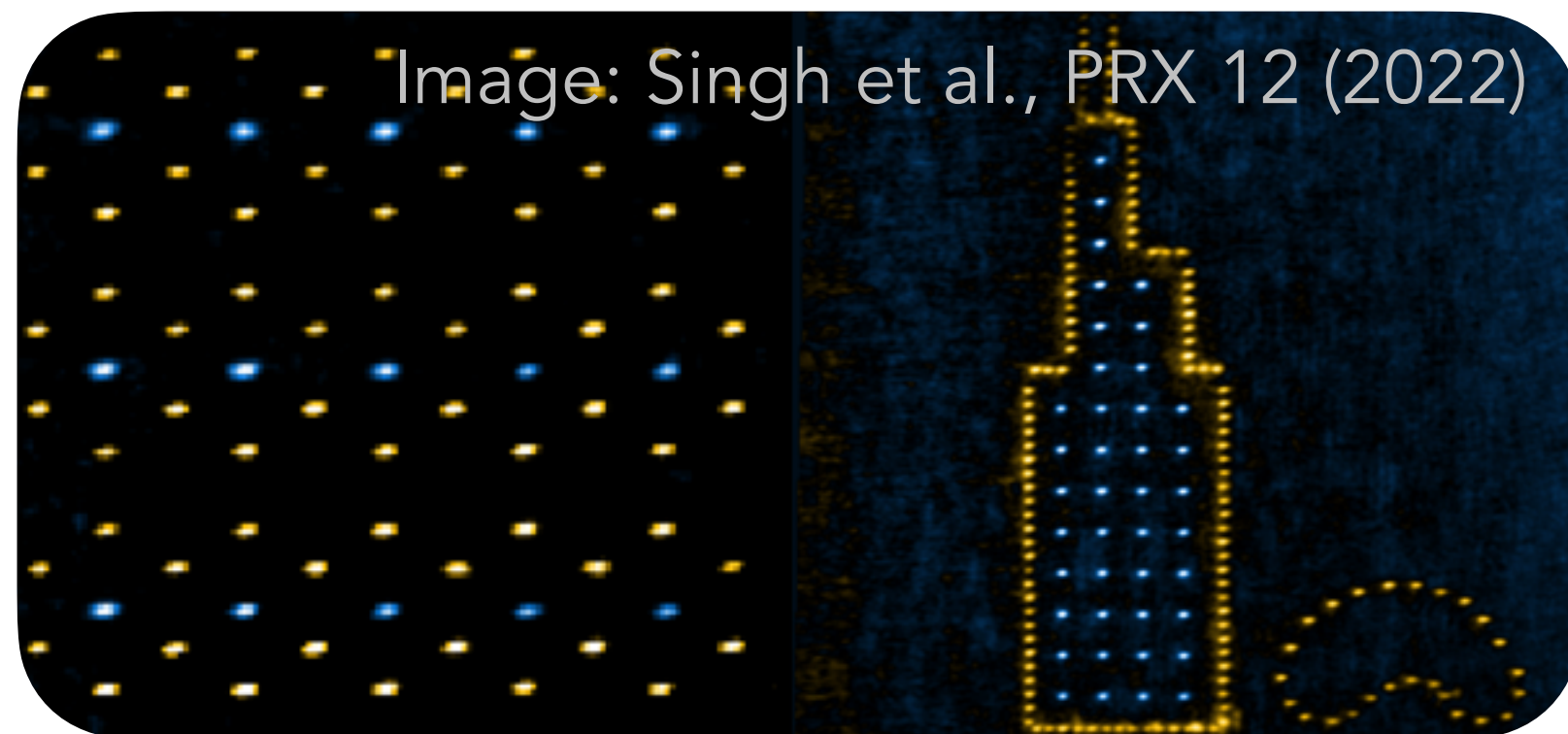
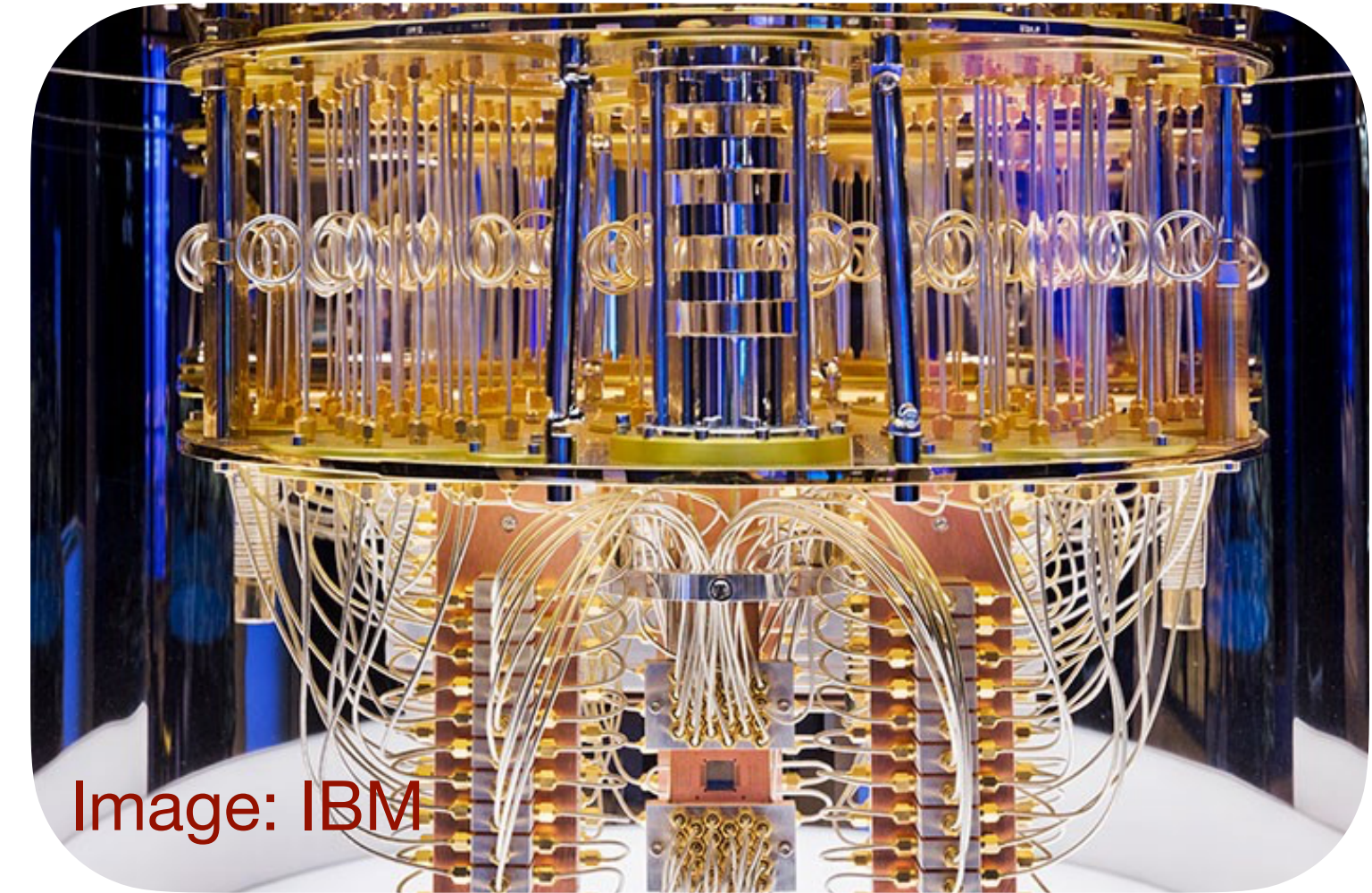
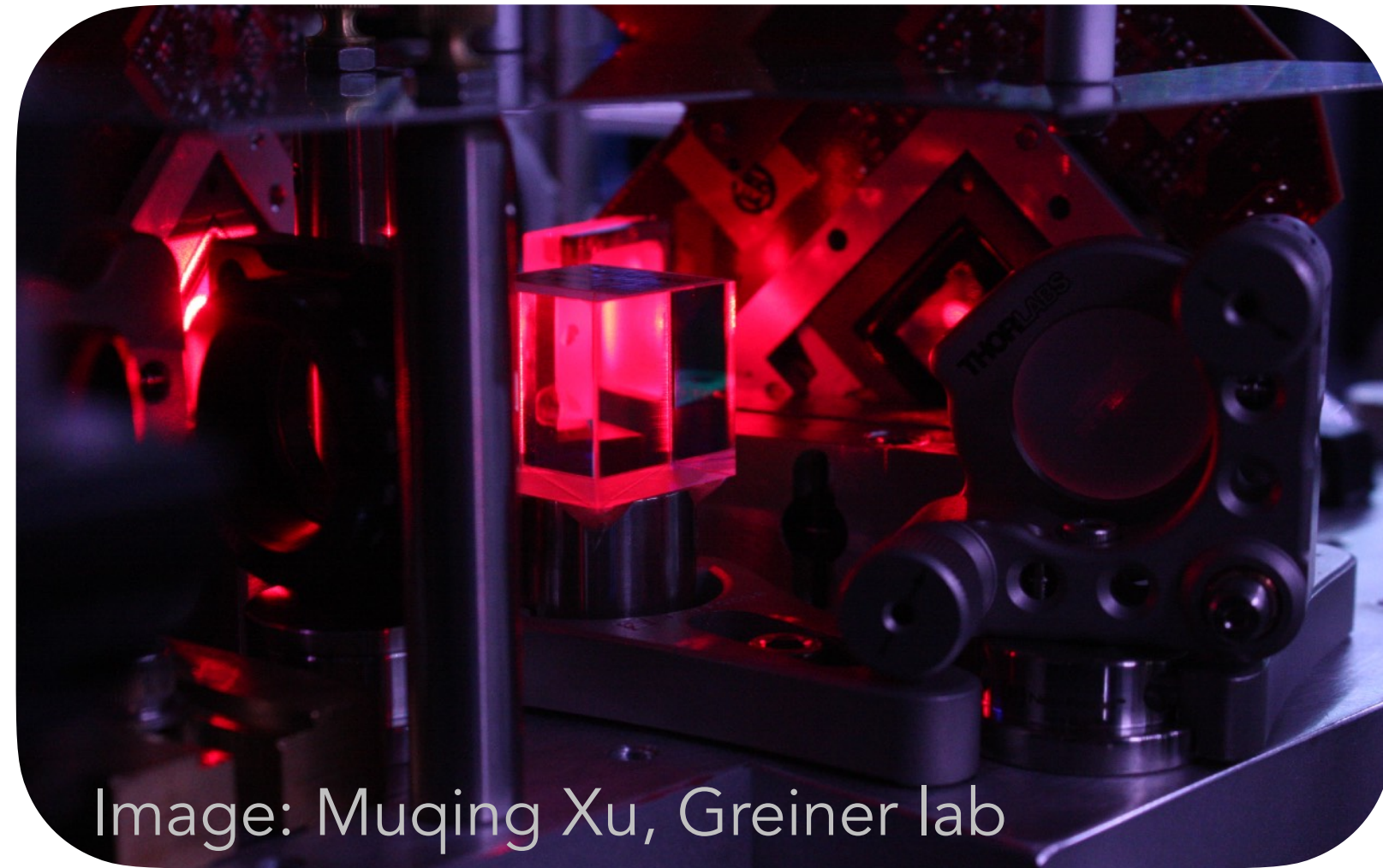


Correlator convolutional neural network



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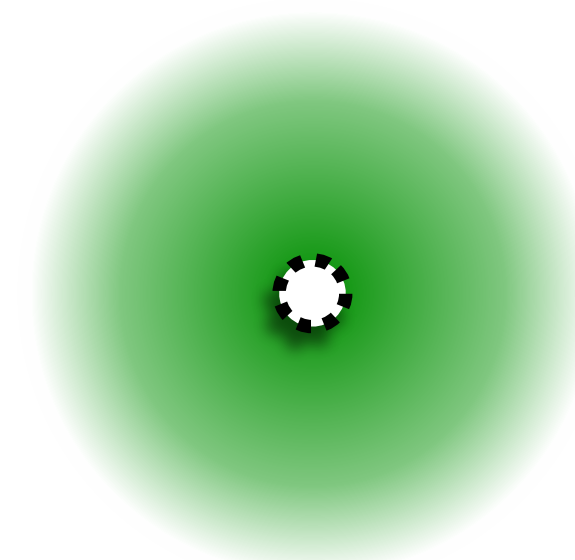


Setting the stage: Projective measurements

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$$|\psi\rangle = \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ | \\ \text{---} \\ \bullet \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \text{---} \\ \bullet \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ \text{---} \\ \bullet \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bullet \\ | \\ \text{---} \\ \bullet \end{array} \right\rangle + \dots$$

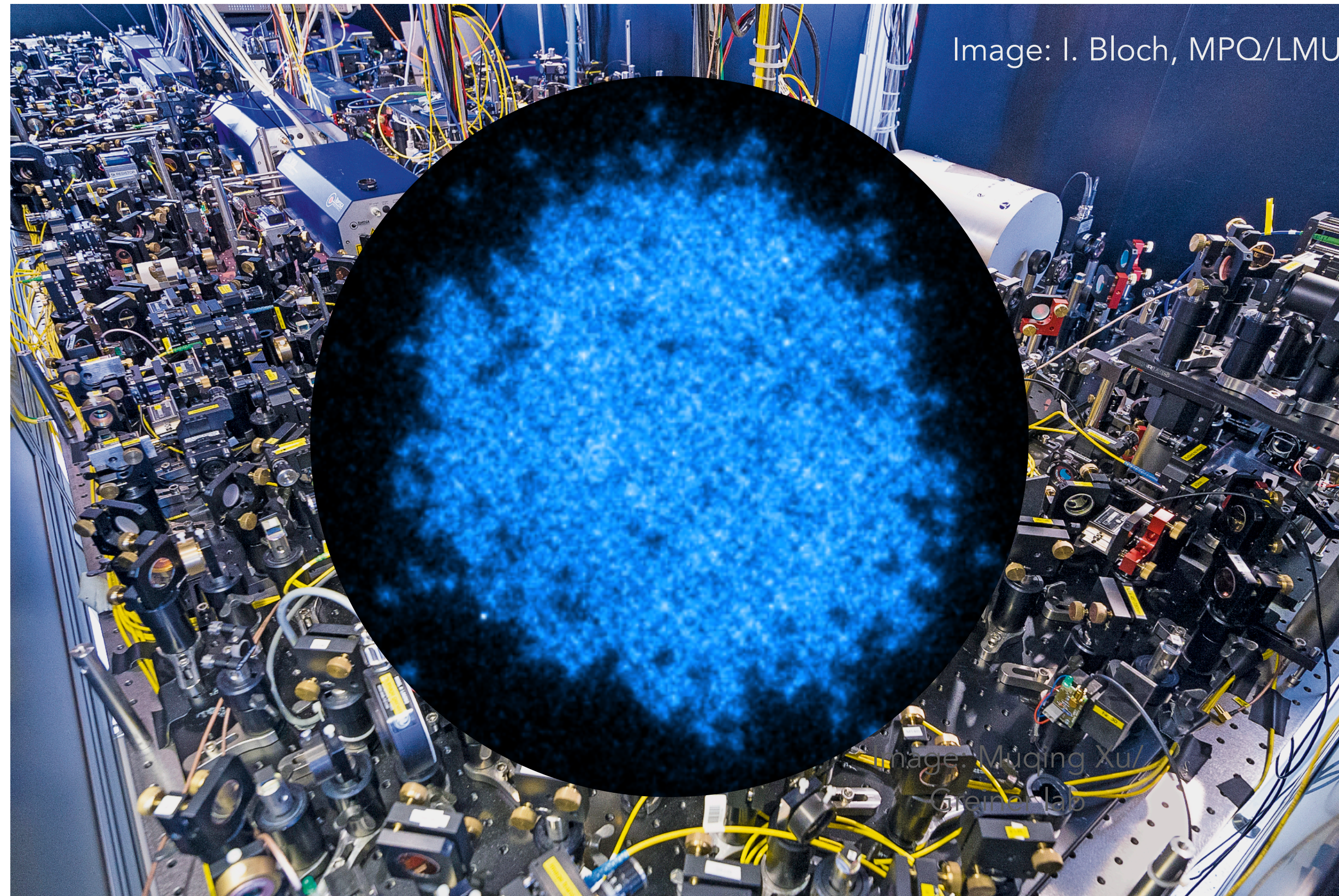
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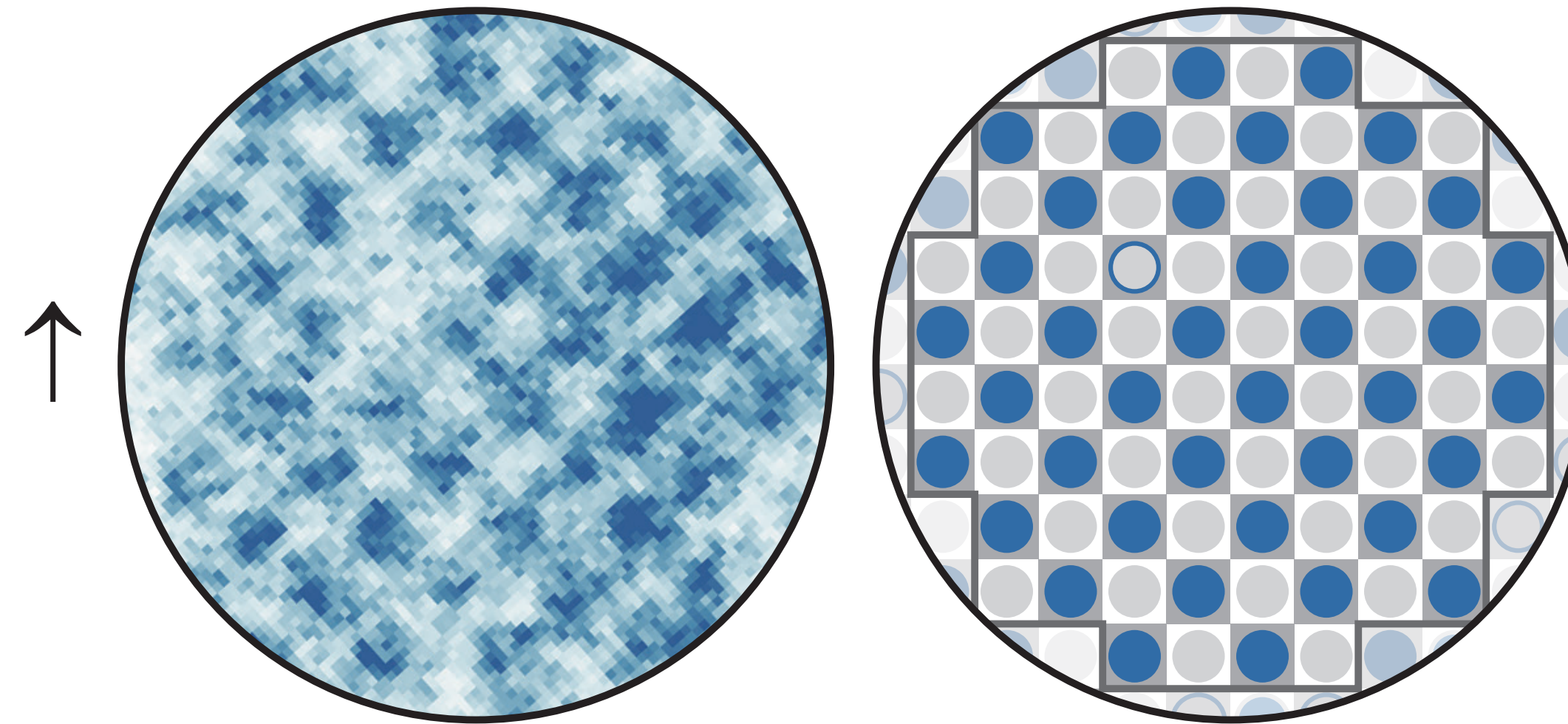
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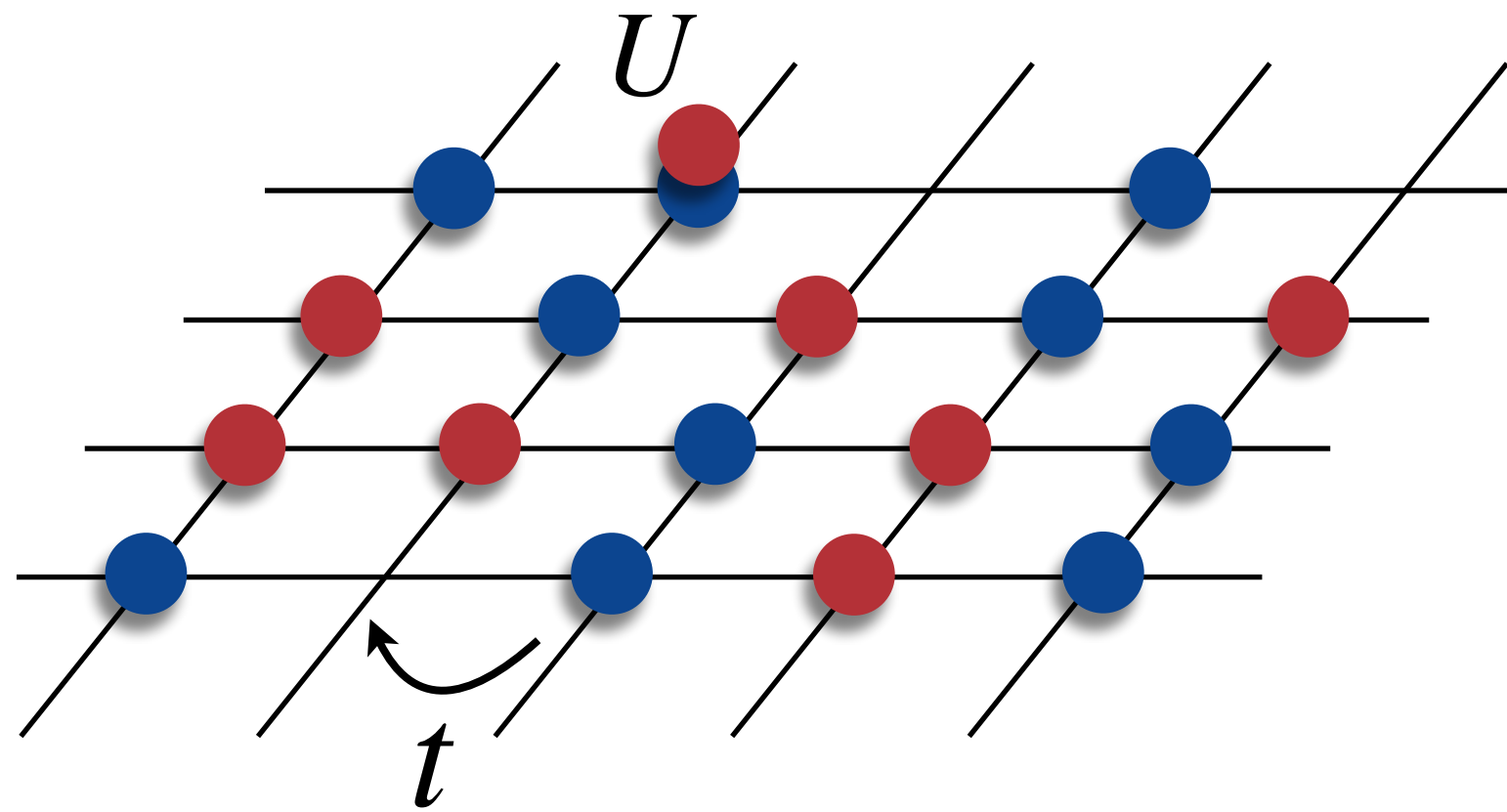
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Setting the stage: Fermi-Hubbard model

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$$\hat{H} = -t \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle, \sigma} \left(\hat{c}_{i,\sigma}^\dagger \hat{c}_{j,\sigma} + h.c. \right) + U \sum_i \hat{n}_{i,\uparrow} \hat{n}_{i,\downarrow}$$

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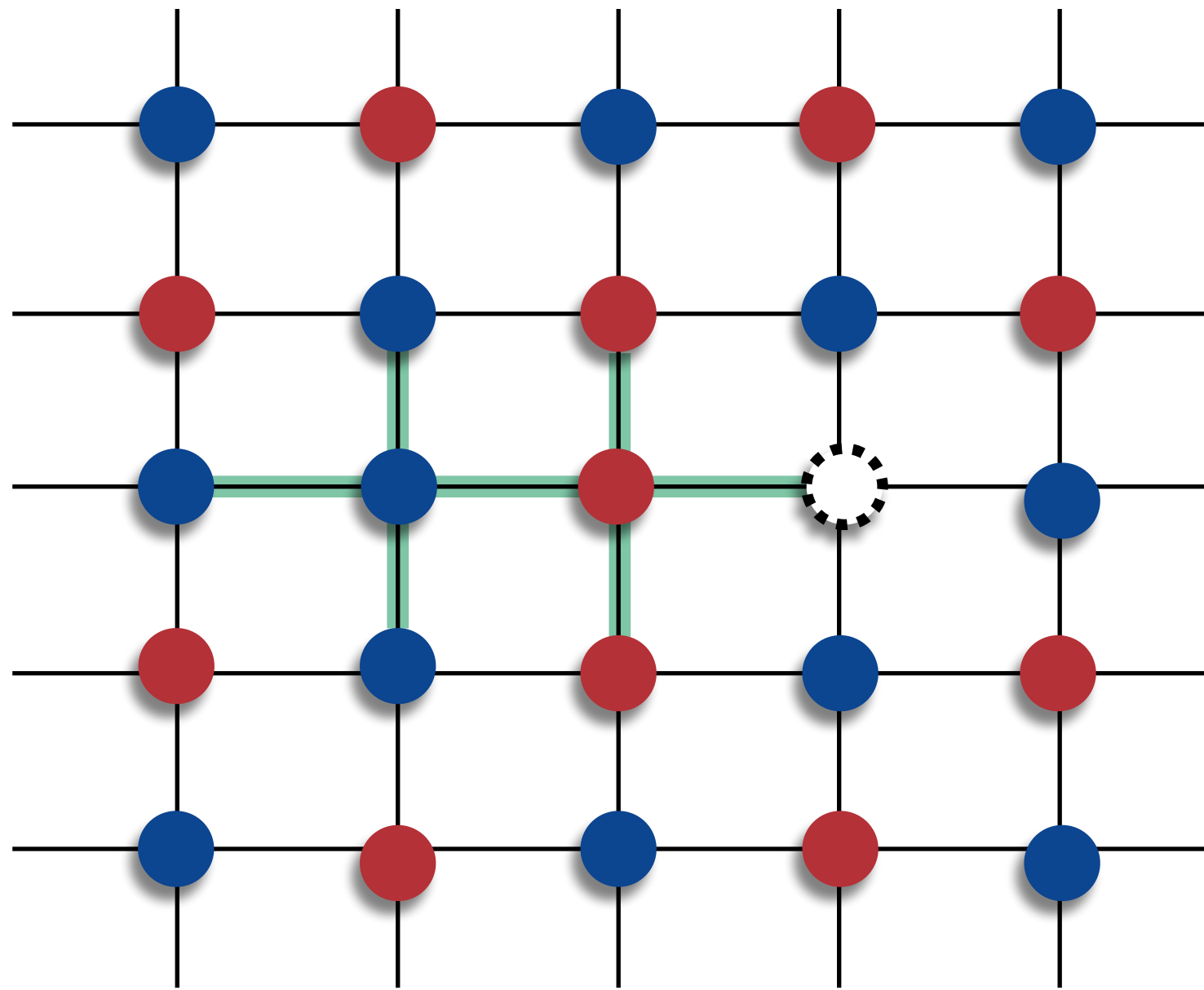
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Setting the stage: Candidate theories

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Geometric string theory



Grusdt et al., PRX 8 (2018), Grusdt et al., PRB 99 (2019),
 Bohrdt et al., NJP 22 (2020)

Early work: Bulaevskii et al., JETP 27 (1968),
 Trugman, PRB 37 (1988), Manousakis, PRB 75 (2007)

Resonating valence bond theory (π -flux theory)

$$|\psi\rangle = \left| \begin{array}{cc} \text{orbital 1} & \text{orbital 2} \\ \text{orbital 3} & \text{orbital 4} \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{cc} \text{orbital 2} & \text{orbital 1} \\ \text{orbital 4} & \text{orbital 3} \end{array} \right\rangle$$

$$+ \left| \begin{array}{cc} \text{orbital 3} & \text{orbital 4} \\ \text{orbital 1} & \text{orbital 2} \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{cc} \text{orbital 4} & \text{orbital 3} \\ \text{orbital 2} & \text{orbital 1} \end{array} \right\rangle$$

$$+ \dots$$

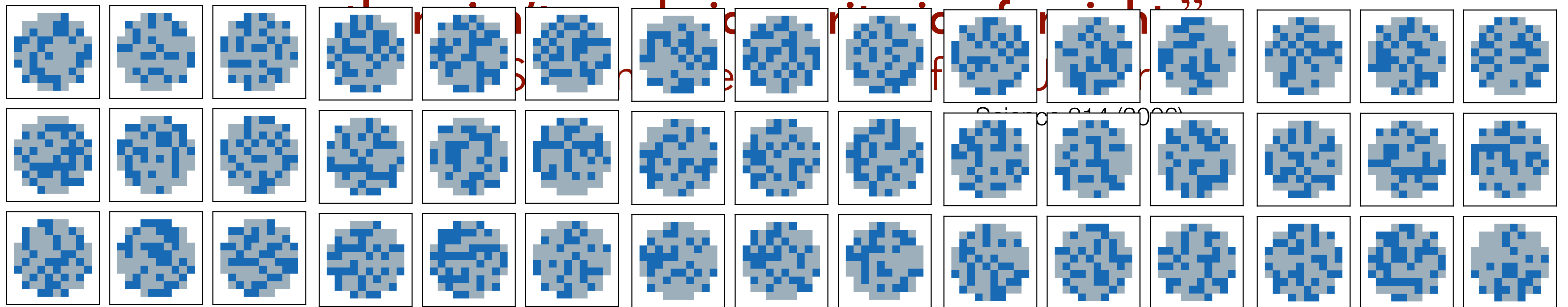
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Setting the stage: snapshots

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“The theoretical problem is so hard that

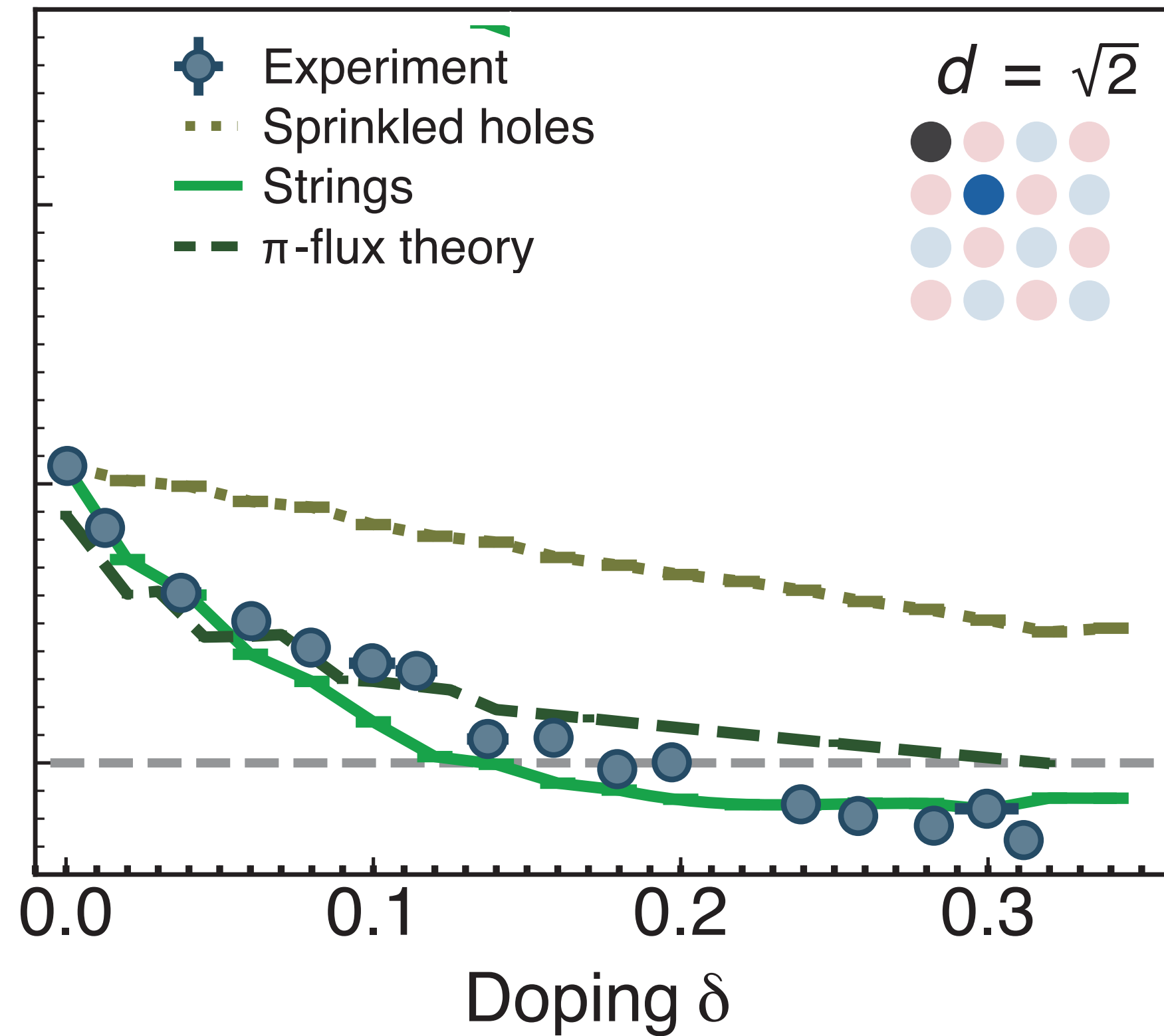


A lot of information about the quantum state is contained in these snapshots!

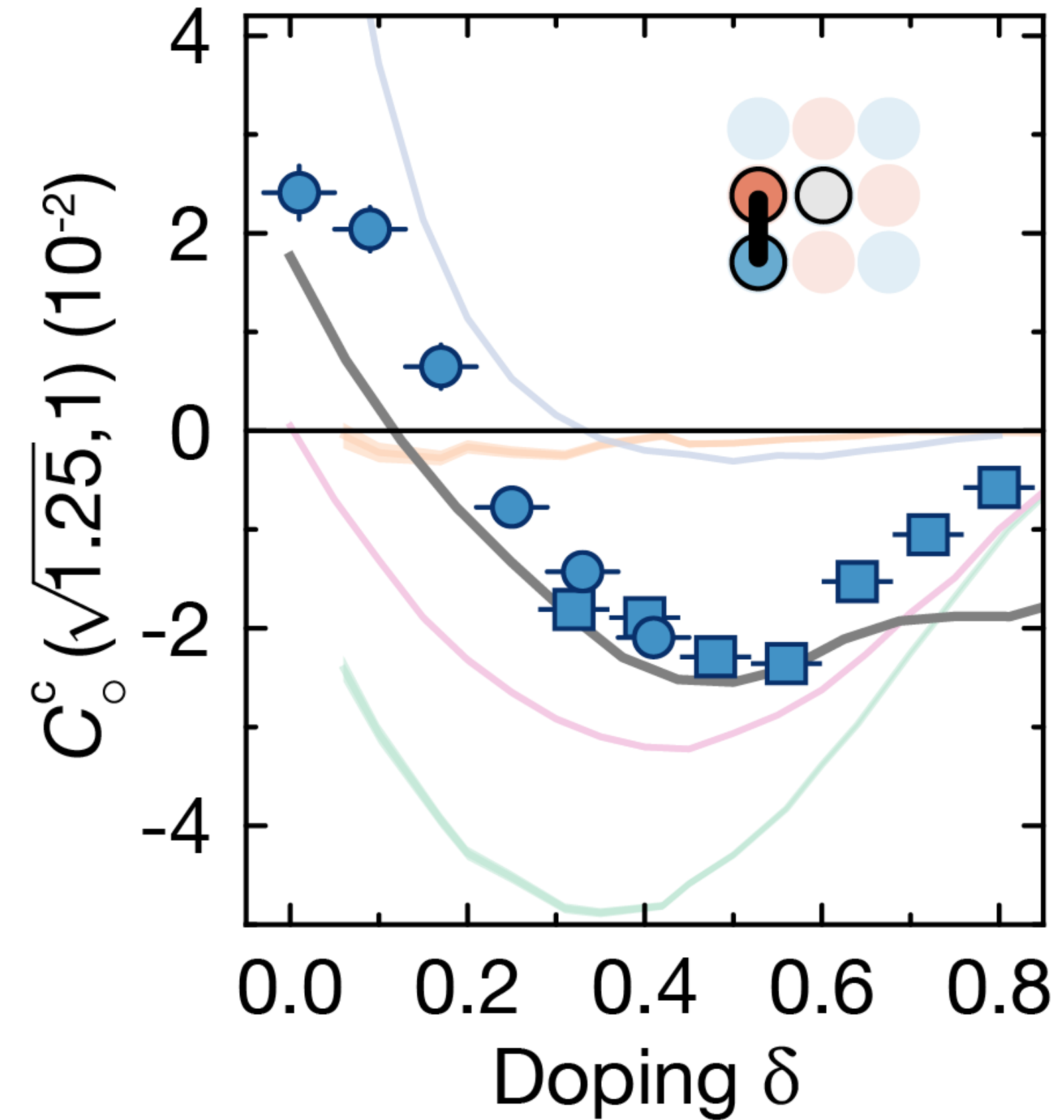


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ED Free uRVB π -flux String



Chiu et al., Science 365, 6450 (2019)

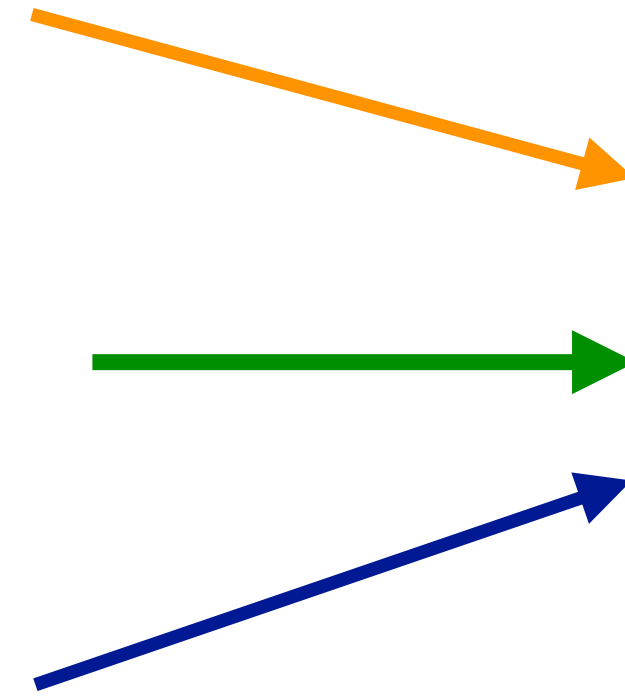
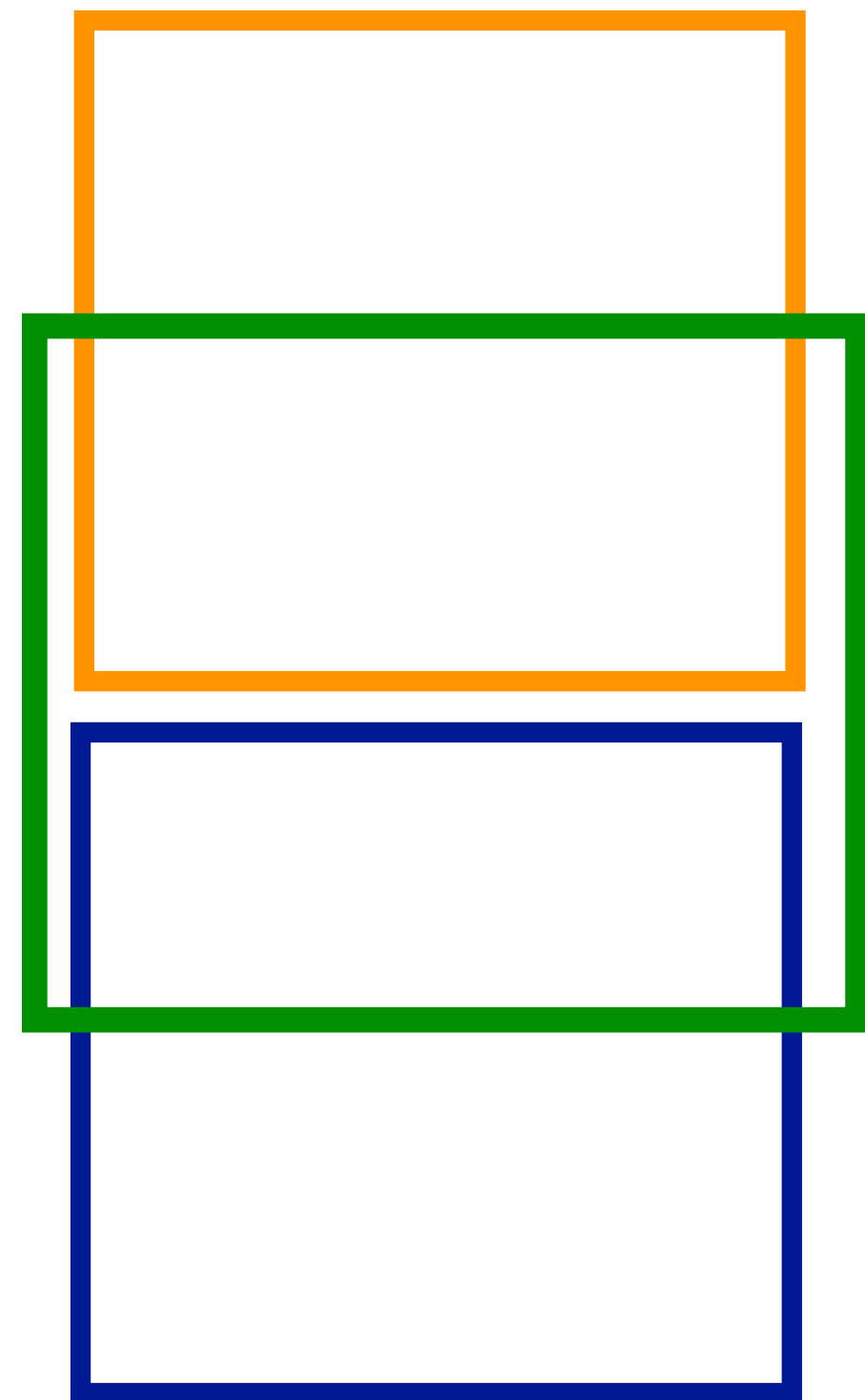
Koepsell et al., Science 374 (2021)



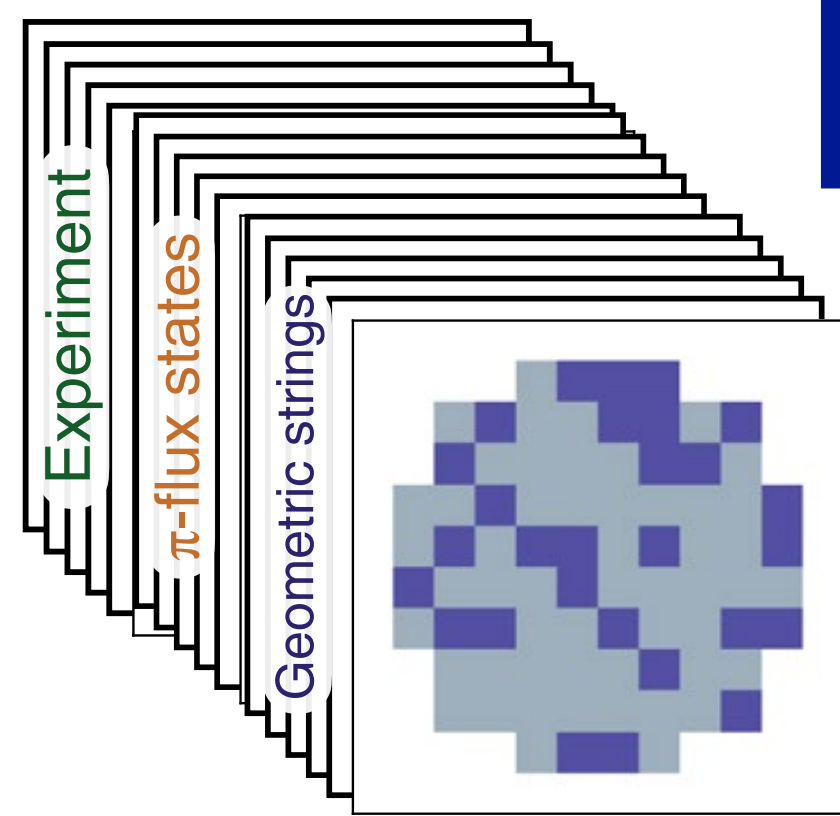
Training a neural network

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Classifying
Training

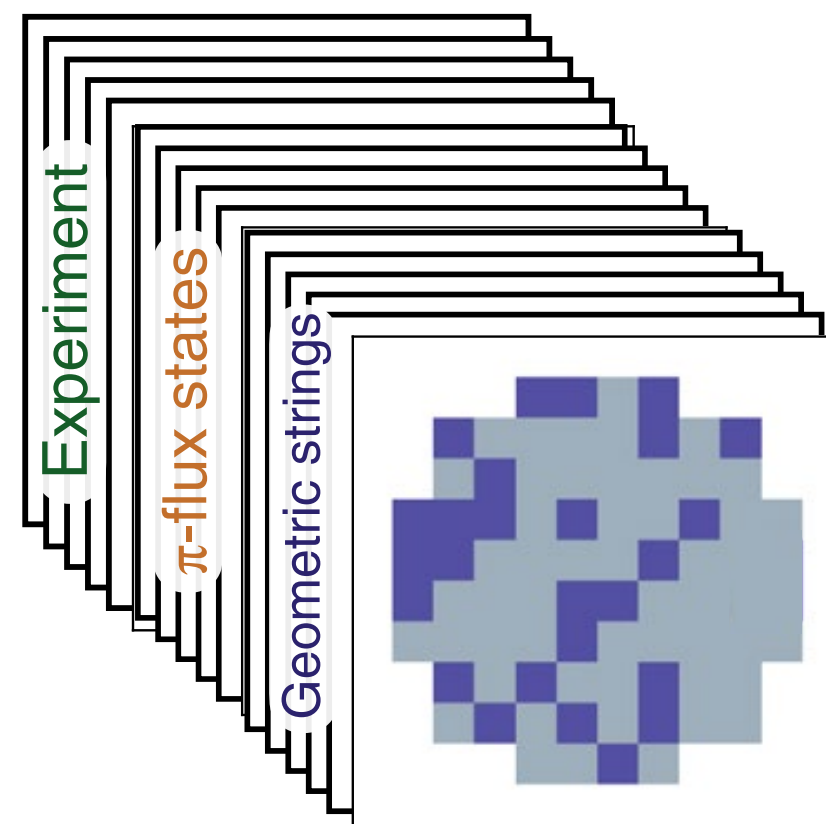


Output

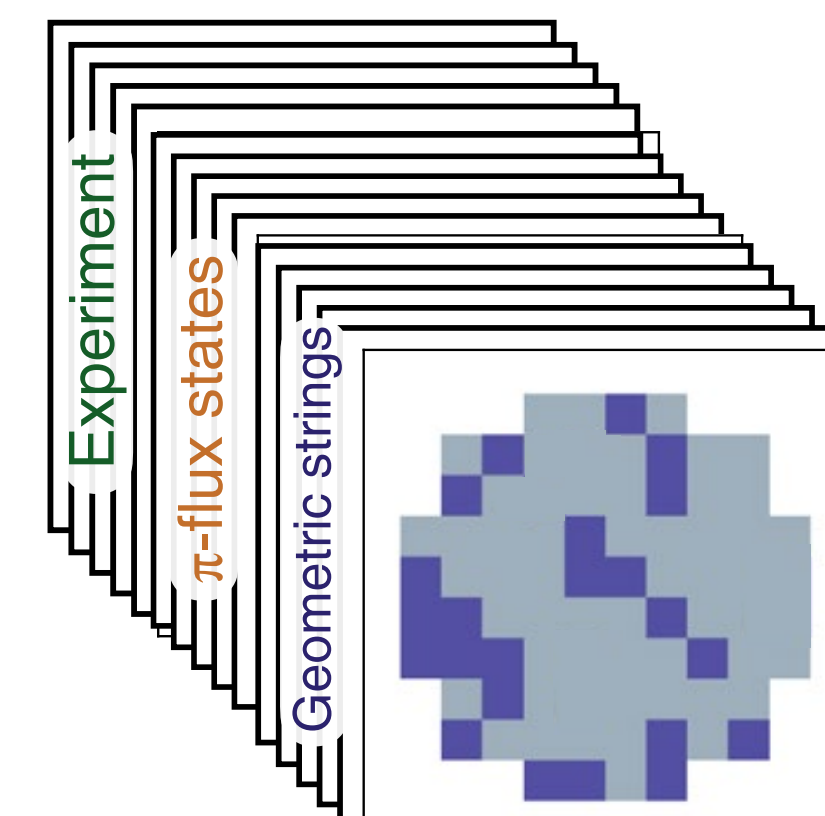


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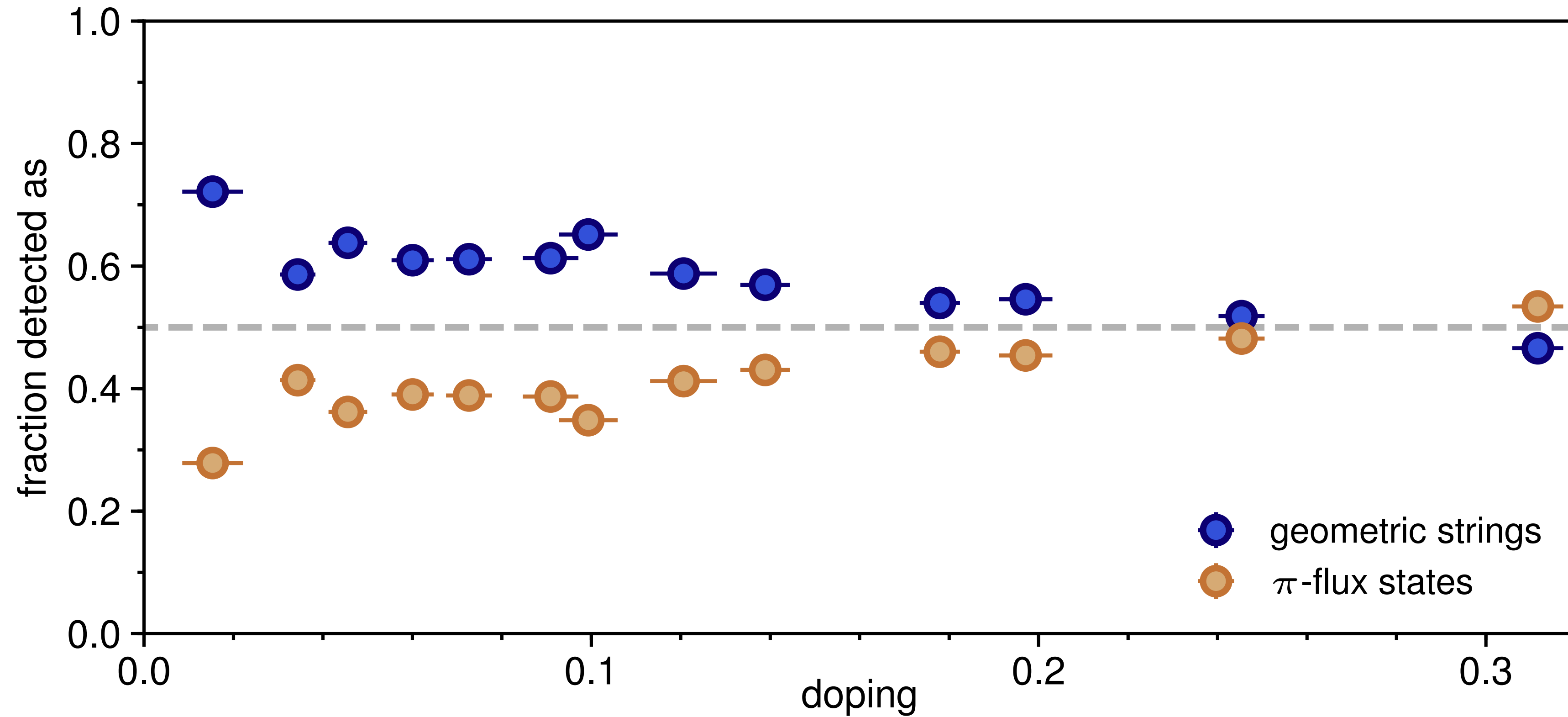


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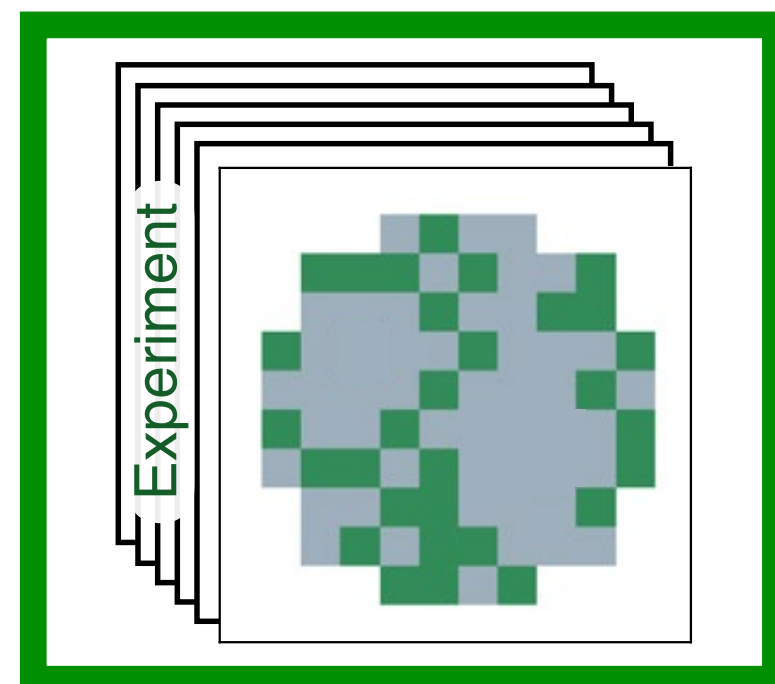


Evaluating experimental data

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Classify



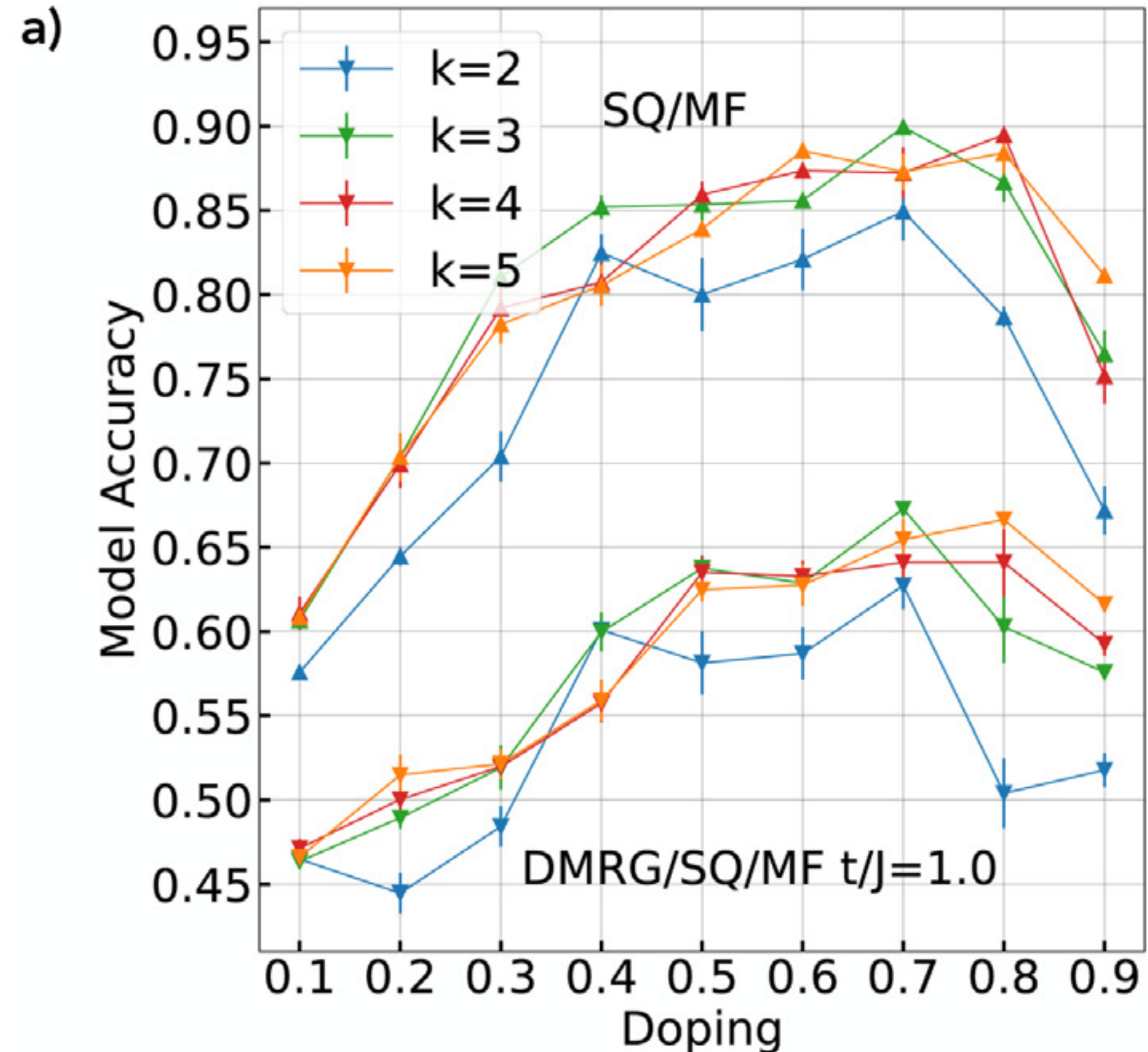
Output



Looking at filters

- Descriptions for the 1D t-J model
- Convolutional neural network: varying the filter size

Problem: many correlation functions possible in given filter (in 2D!)

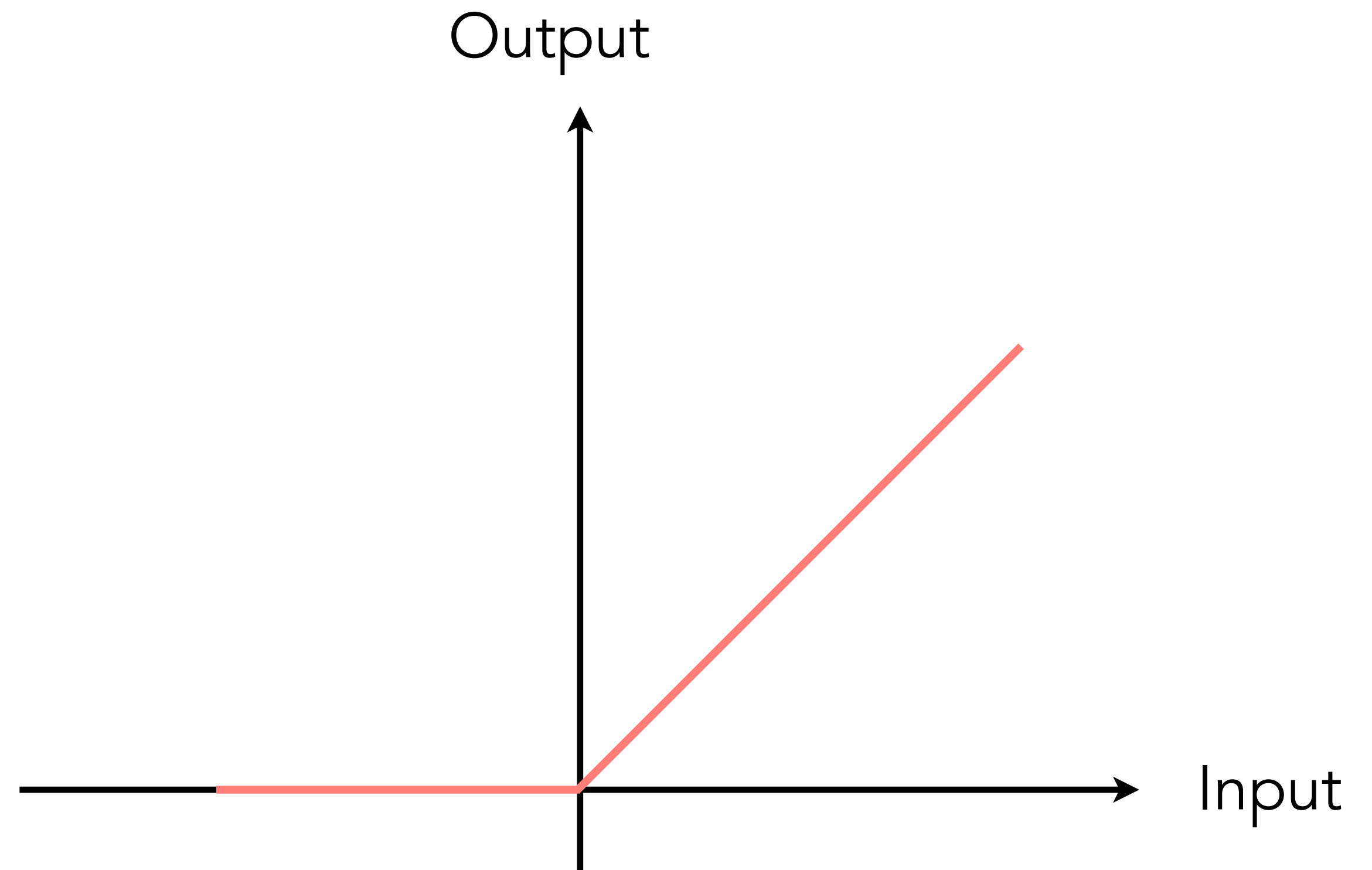




Interpretability?

- Looking at filters difficult:
non-linearity mixes all orders
of correlations
- **Non-linearity necessary:**
otherwise, network corresponds to function
that multiplies the input by a weight matrix and
adds to it an additional bias vector.

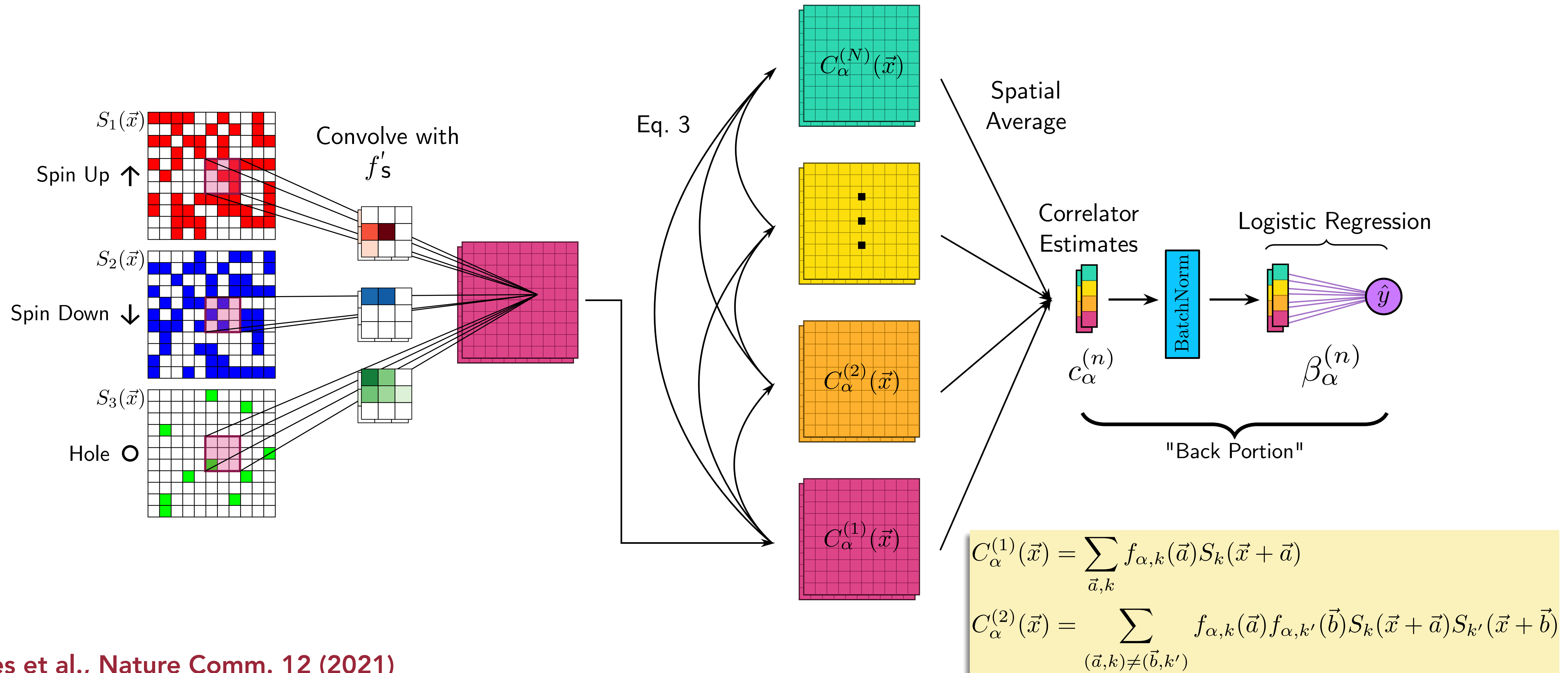
Typical activation function:
rectified linear unit





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Miles et al., Nature Comm. 12 (2021)

See also: Wetzel & Scherzer, PRB 96 (2017)

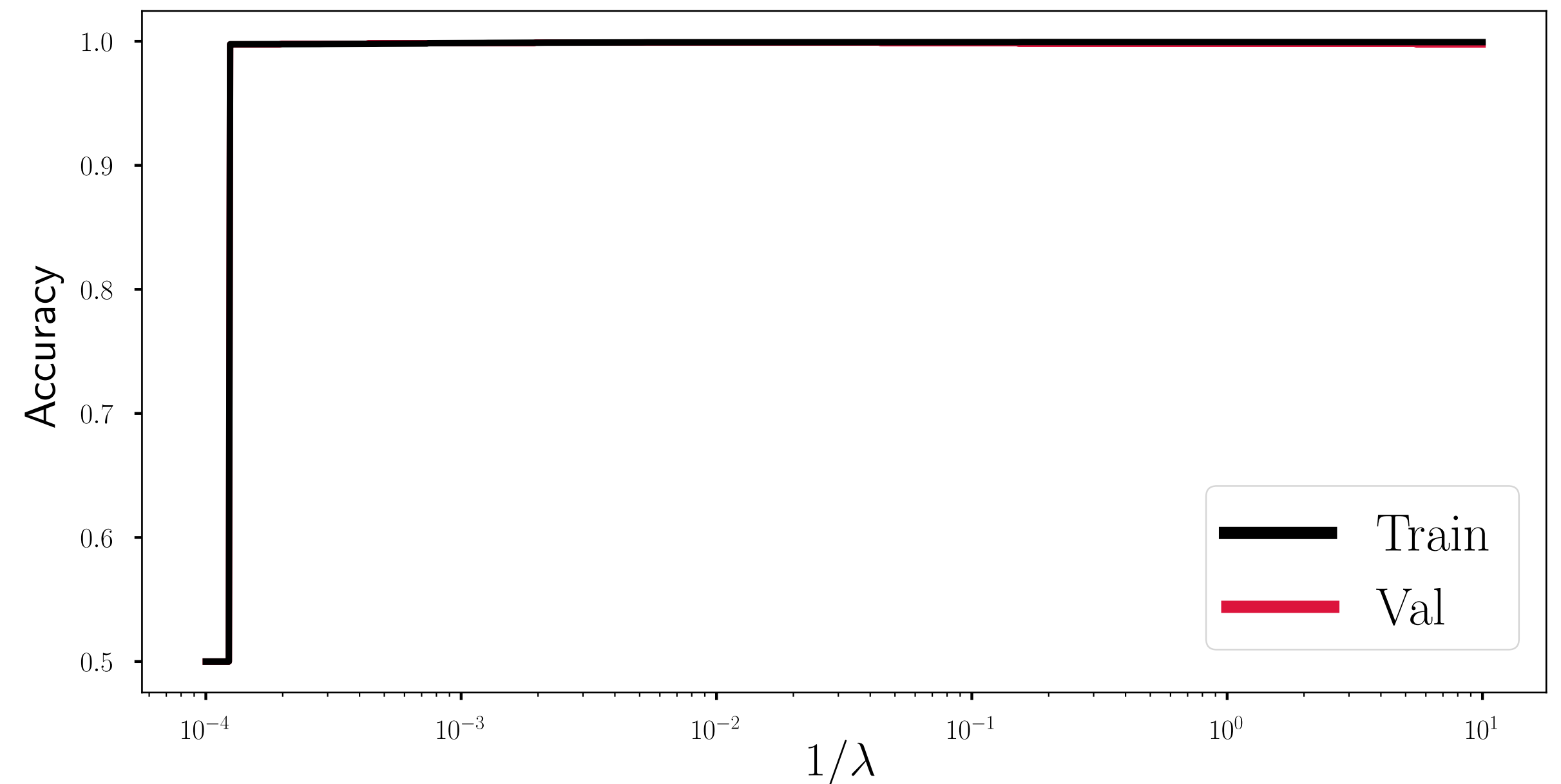
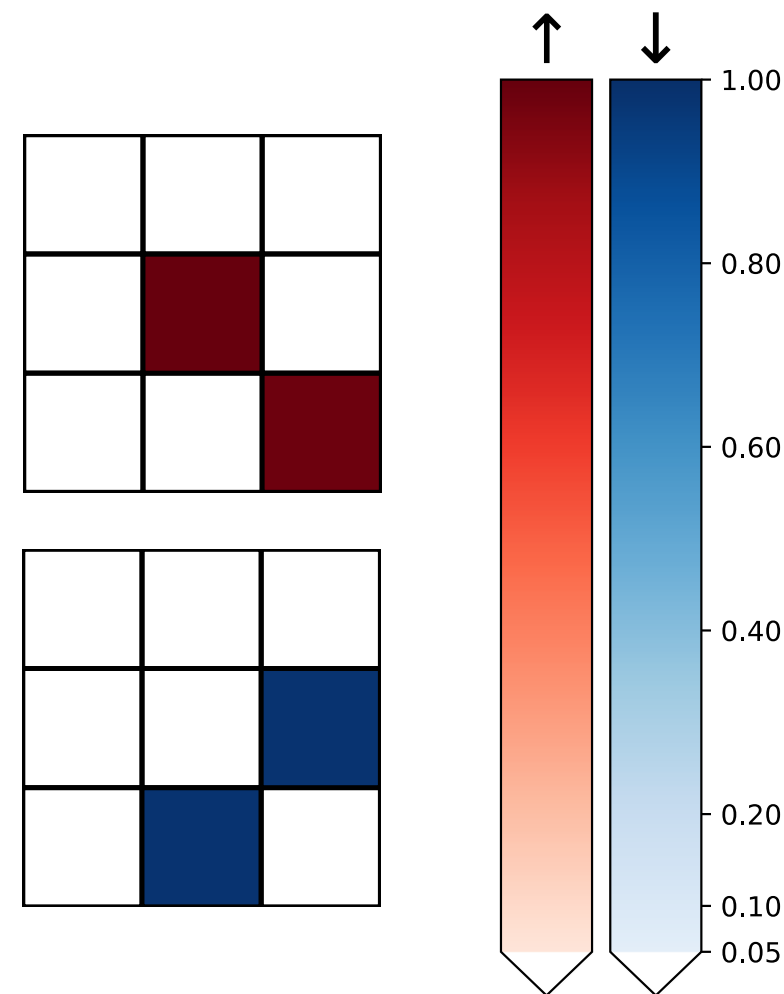
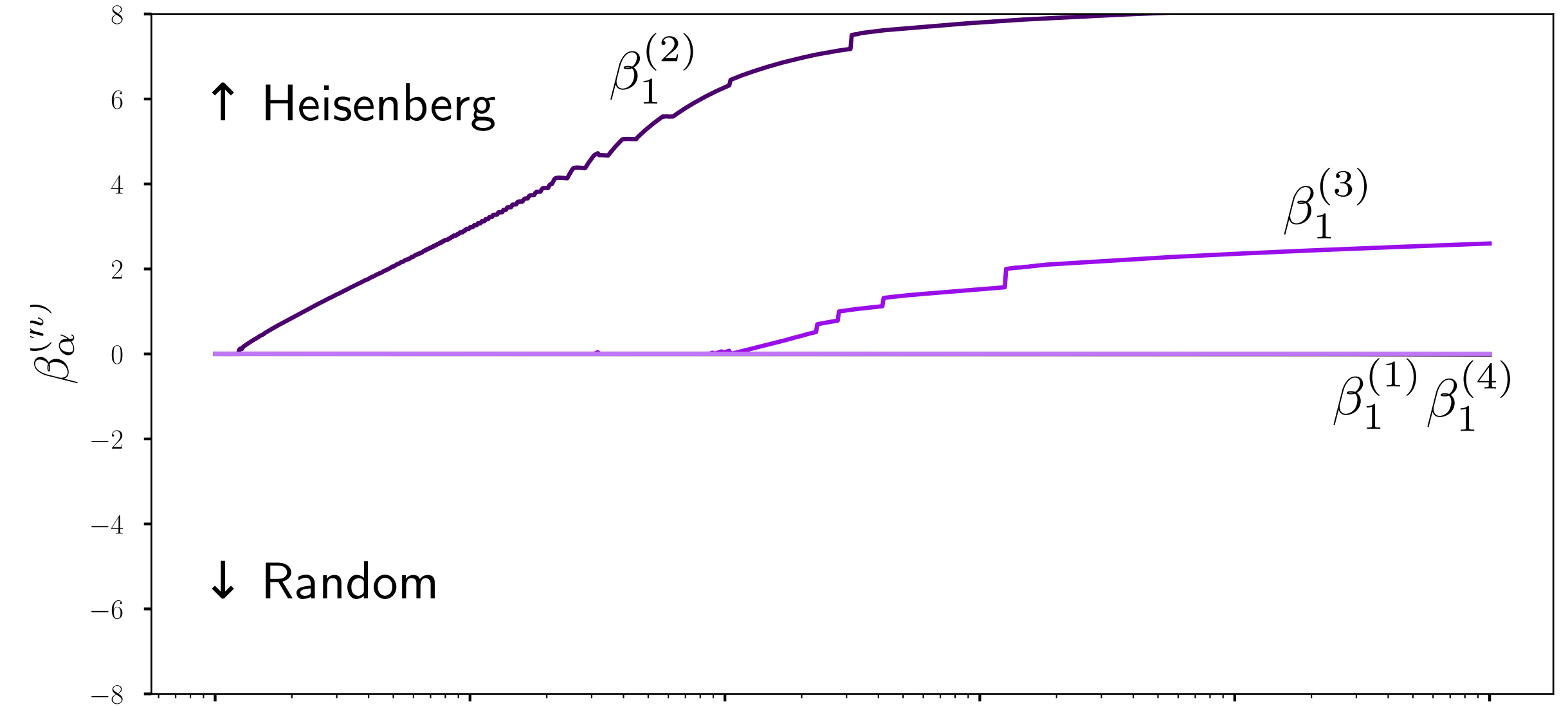


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With fixed filters, re-train back portion of the network with loss:

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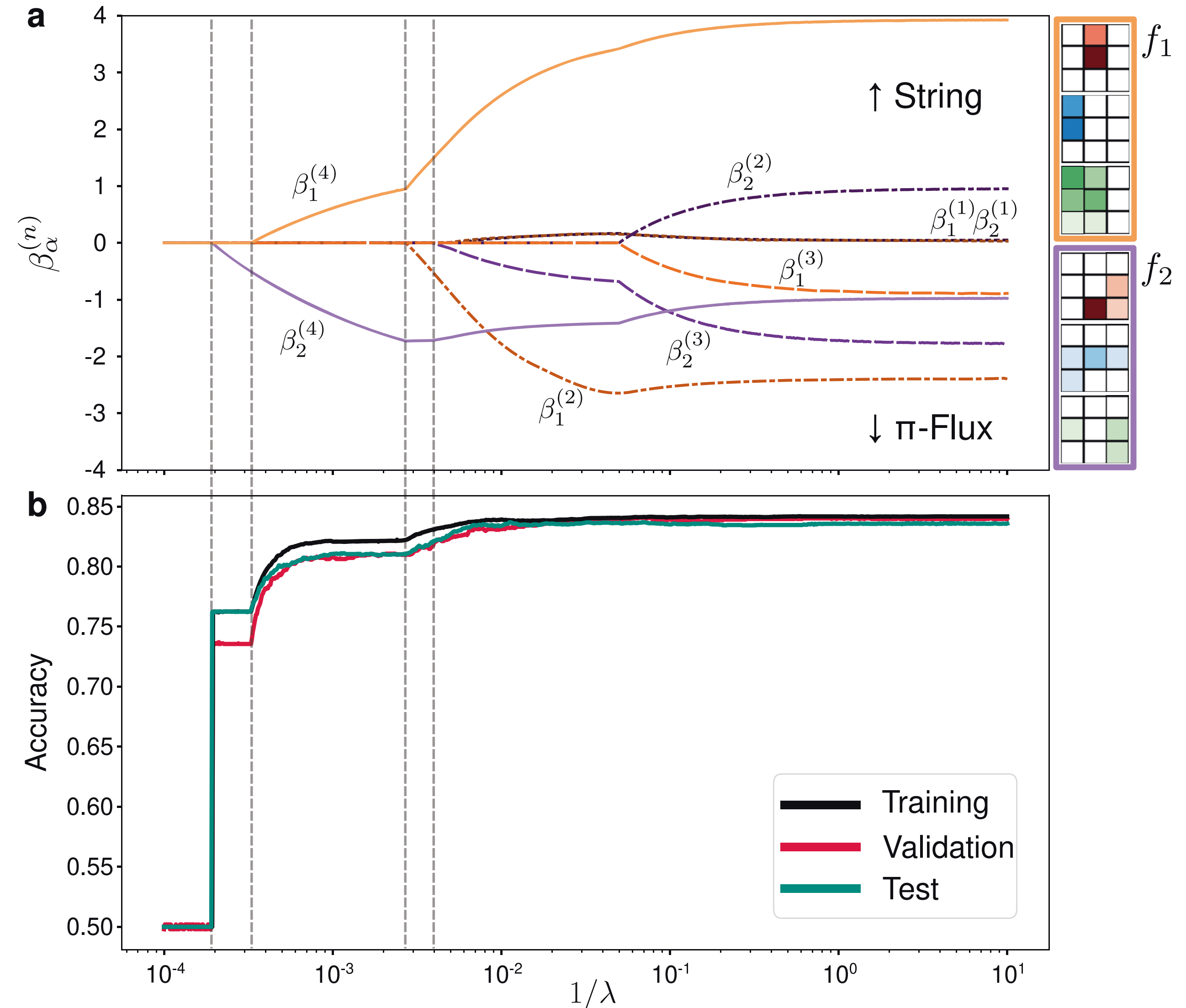


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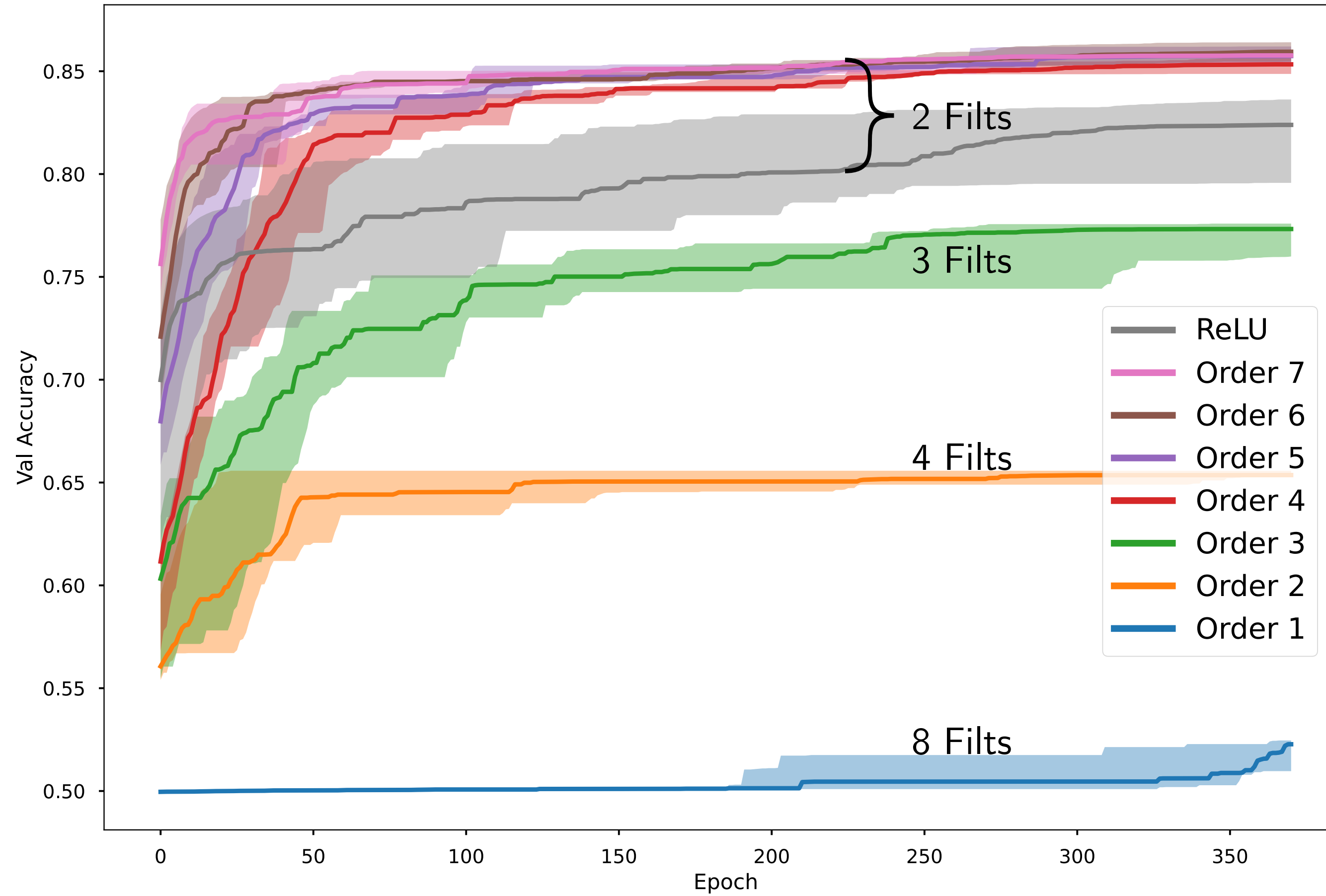
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Higher-order correlations

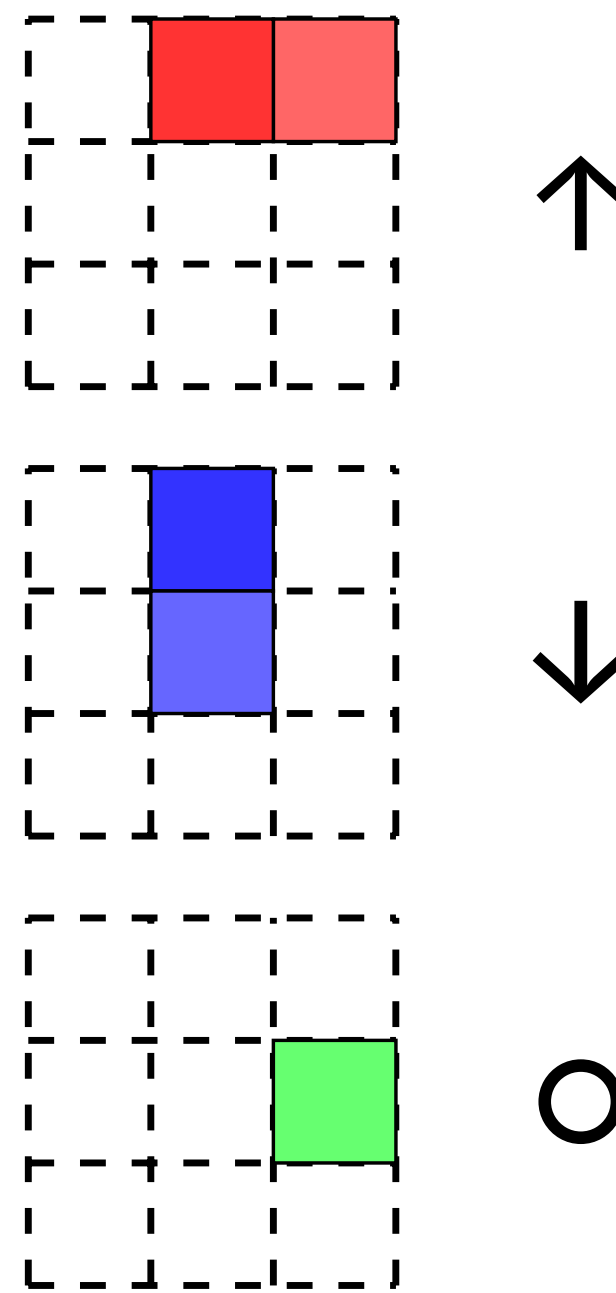
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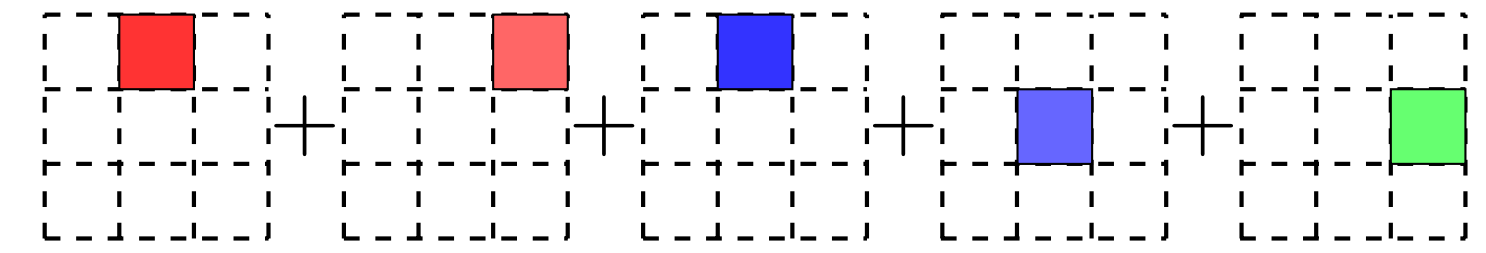


From filter to correlation

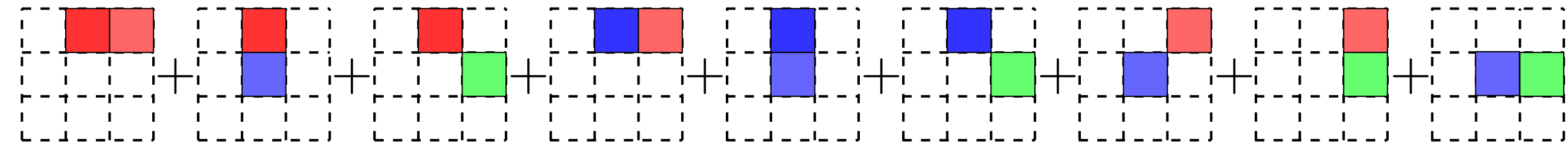
Example Filter



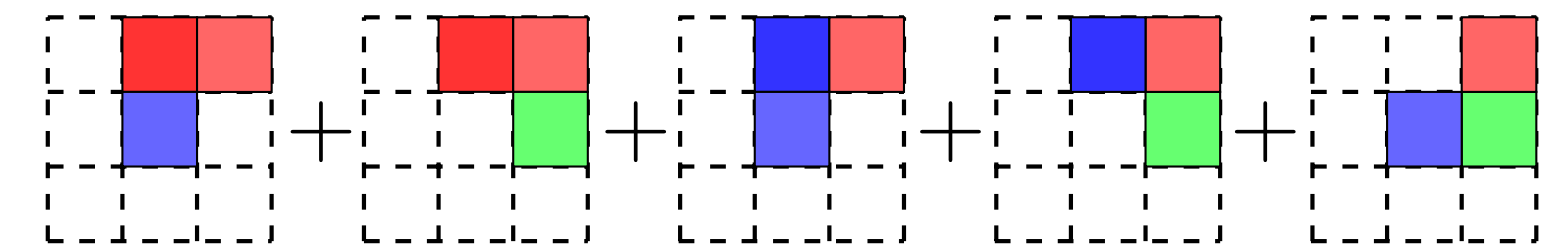
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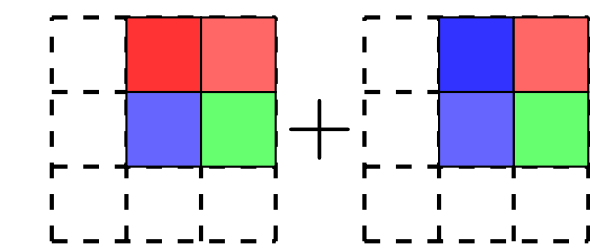
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$$c^{(3)} =$$



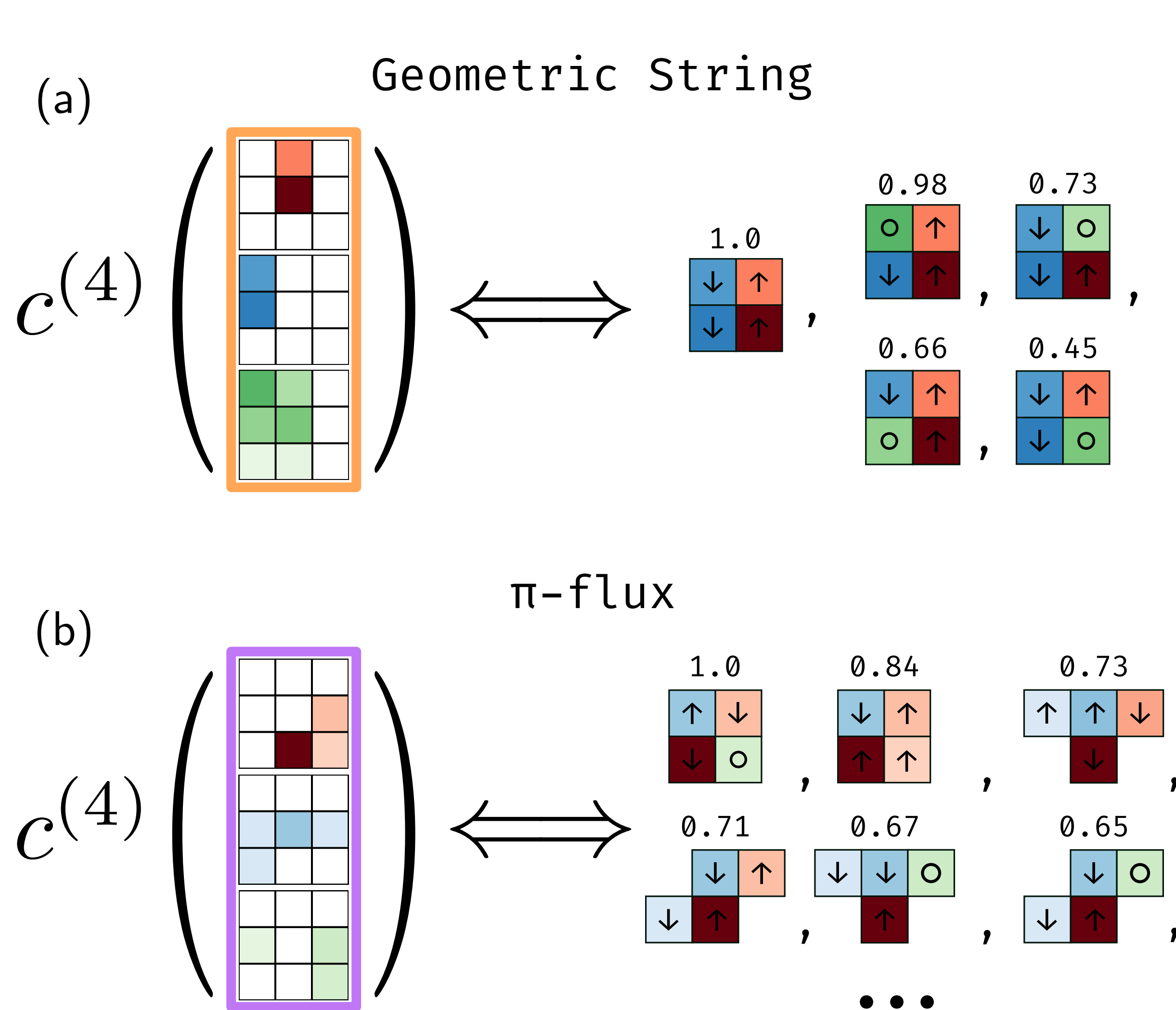
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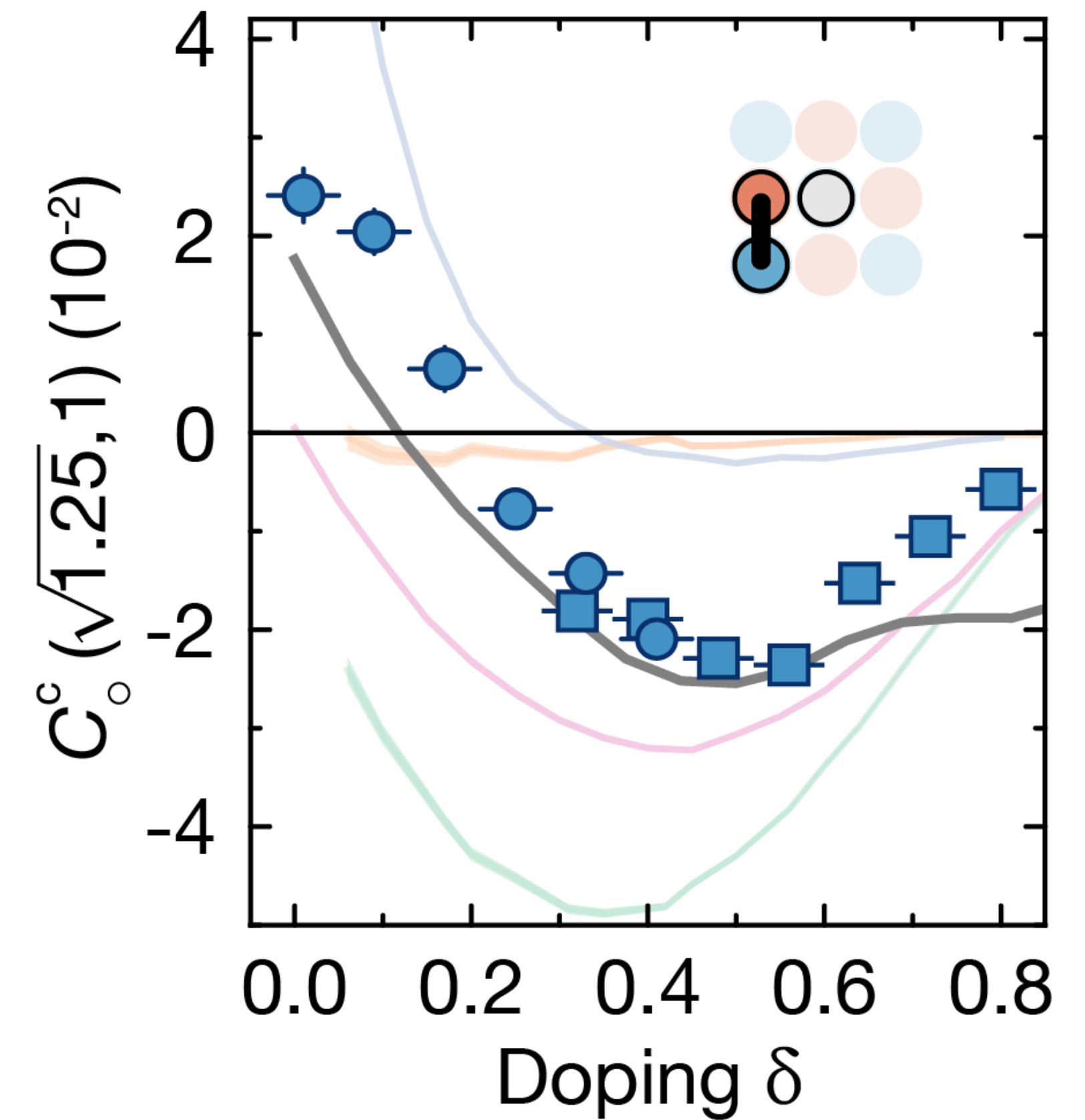


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ED Free uRVB π -flux String



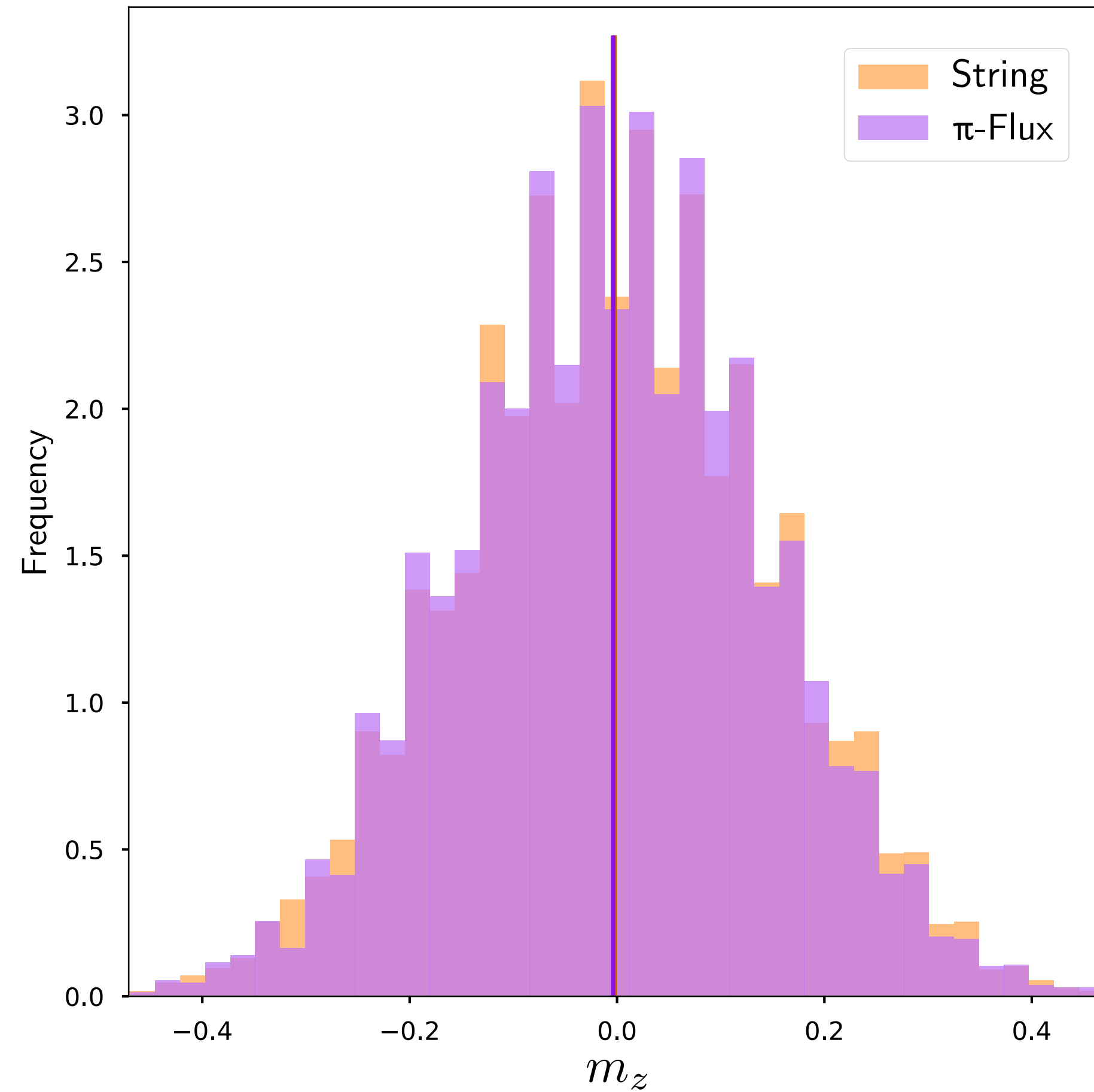
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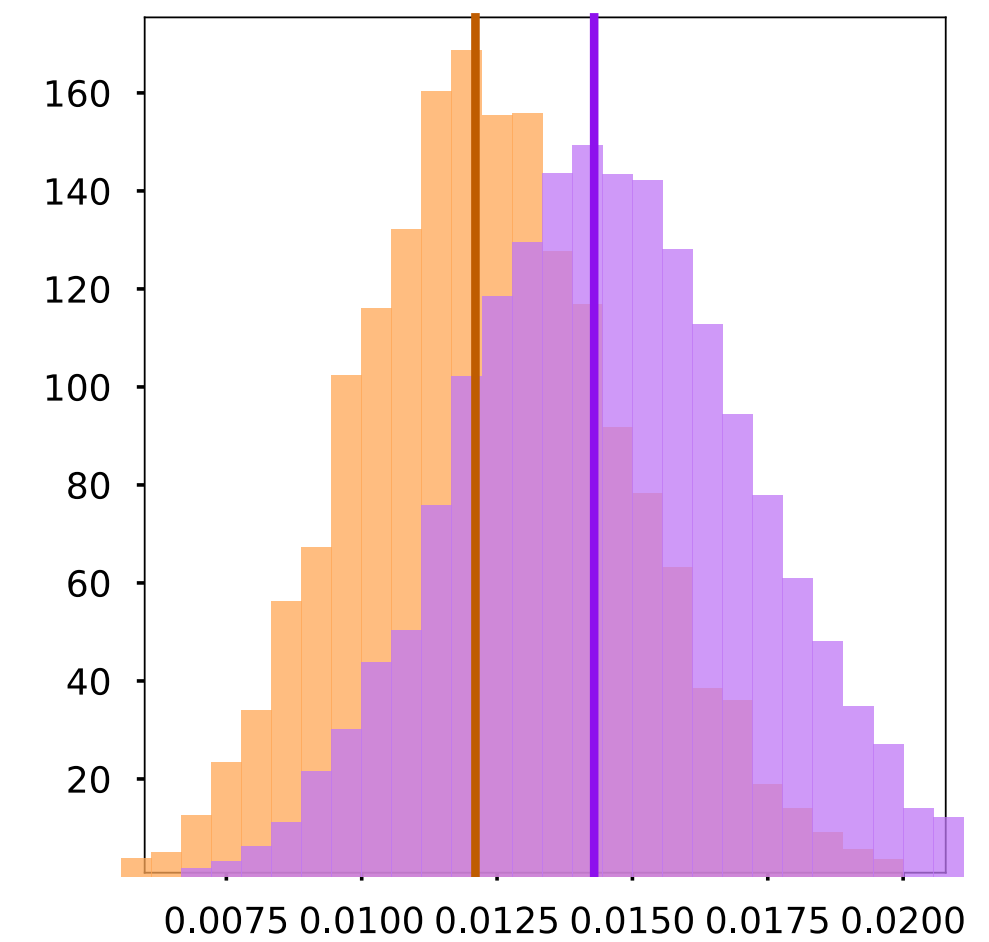
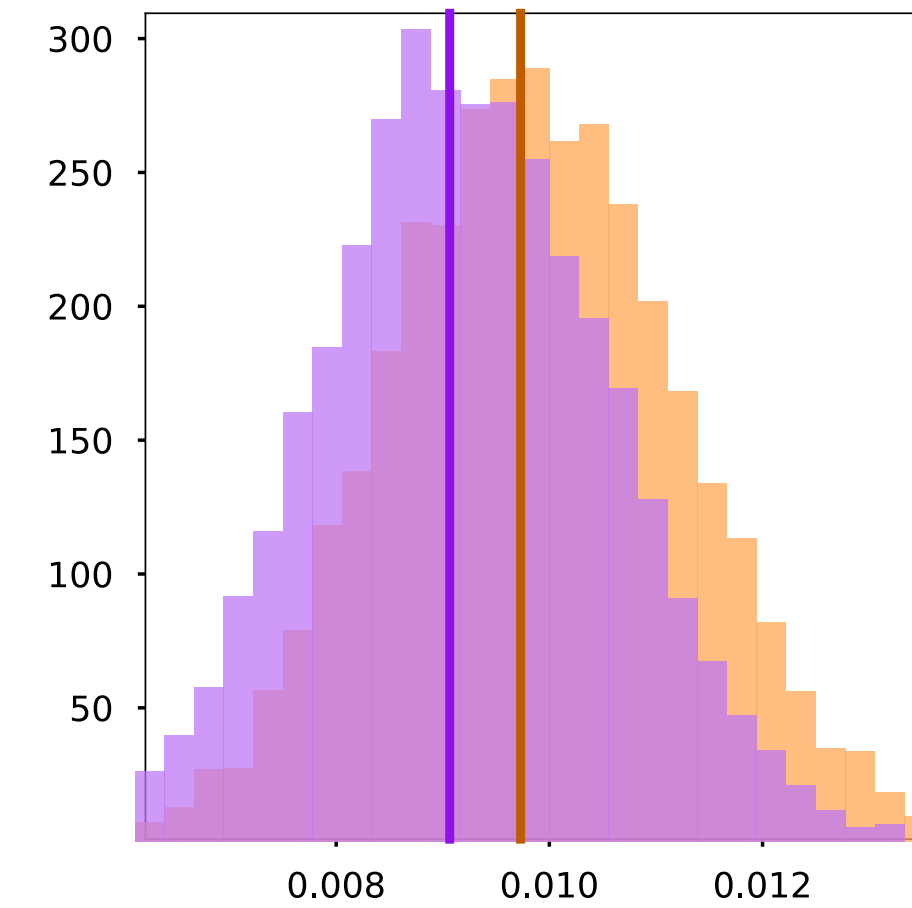
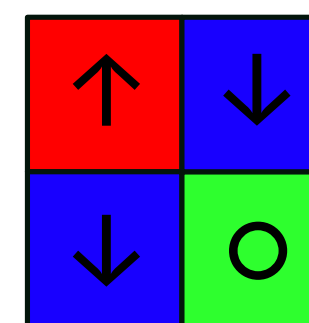
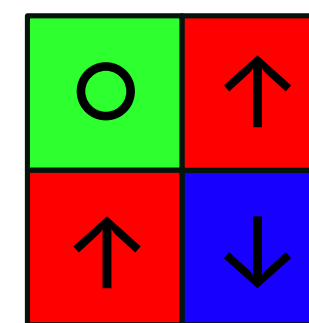
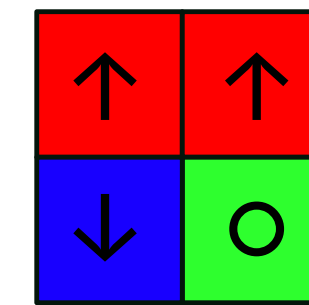
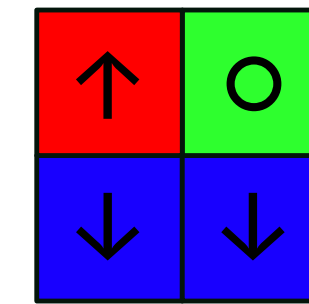


Histograms of pattern occurrence

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(a) Staggered magnetization.



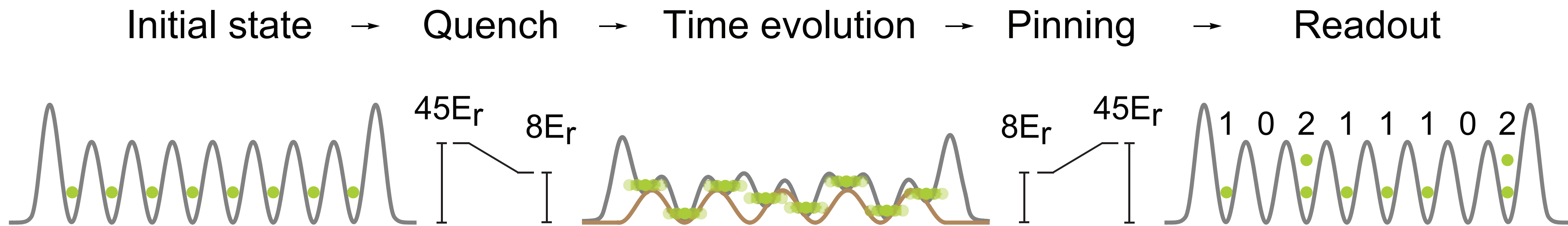


CCNN: Application 2



Non-equilibrium dynamics

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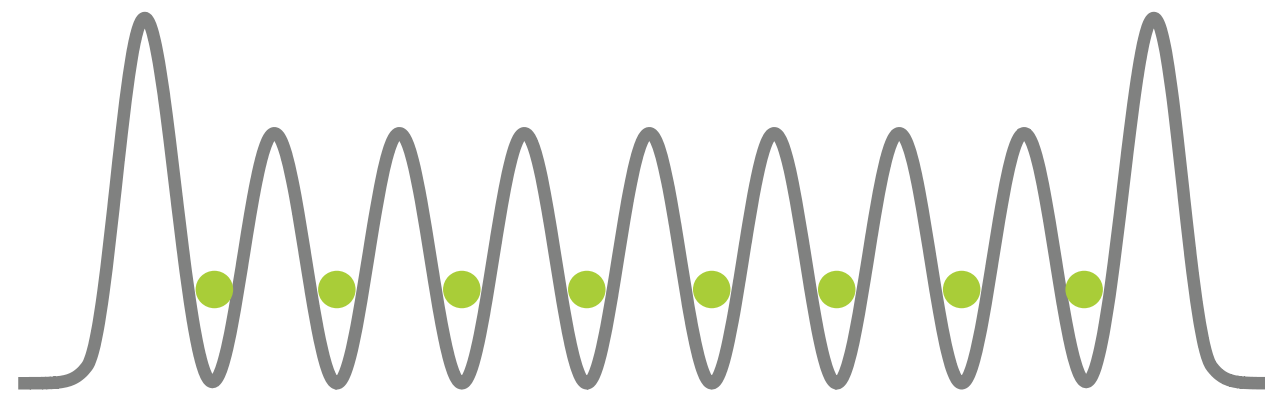




Non-equilibrium dynamics

Initial state:

$$E_i = \langle \psi_0 | \hat{H} | \psi_0 \rangle$$



Thermal density matrix:

$$\hat{\rho}_\beta = \frac{1}{Z} \exp(-\beta_{\text{eff}} \hat{H})$$

$$\beta_{\text{eff}} = 1/T_{\text{eff}}$$

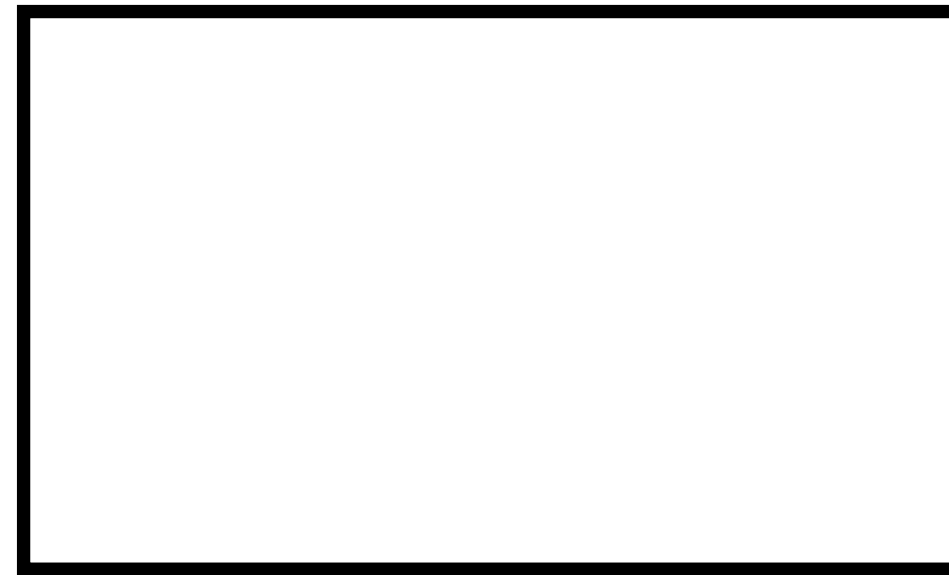
$$E_i = \text{tr} \left(\hat{H} \hat{\rho}_\beta \right)$$



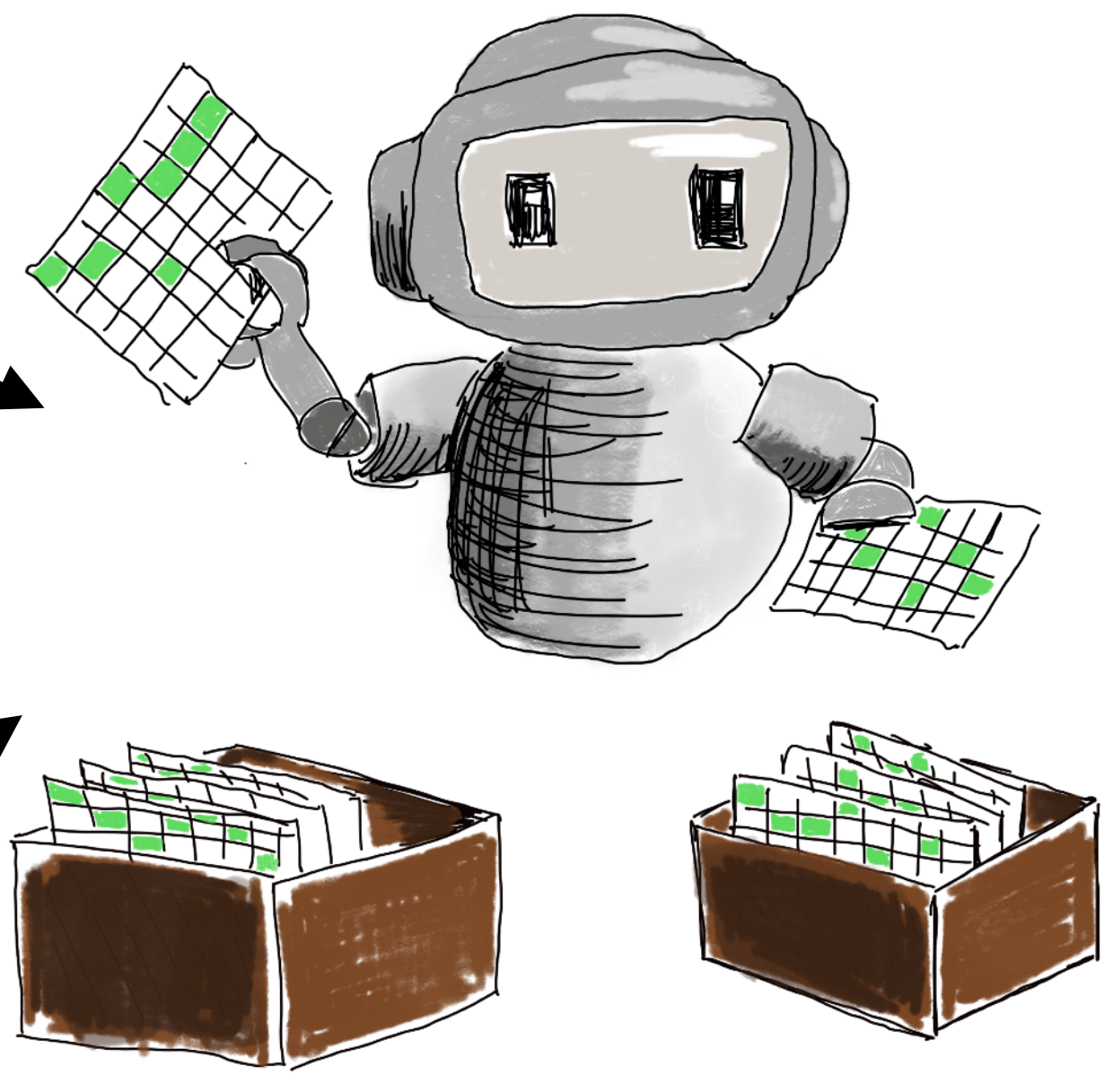
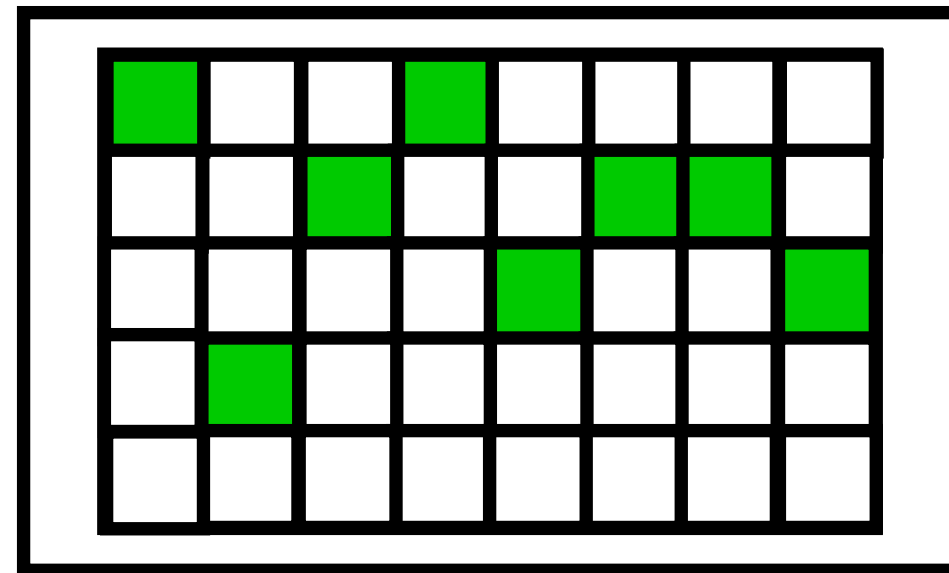
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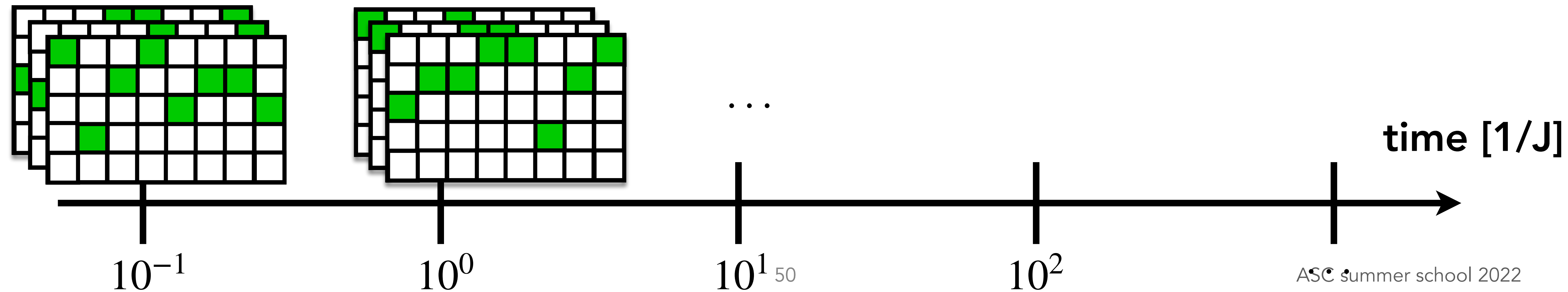
Dynamics



Equilibrium

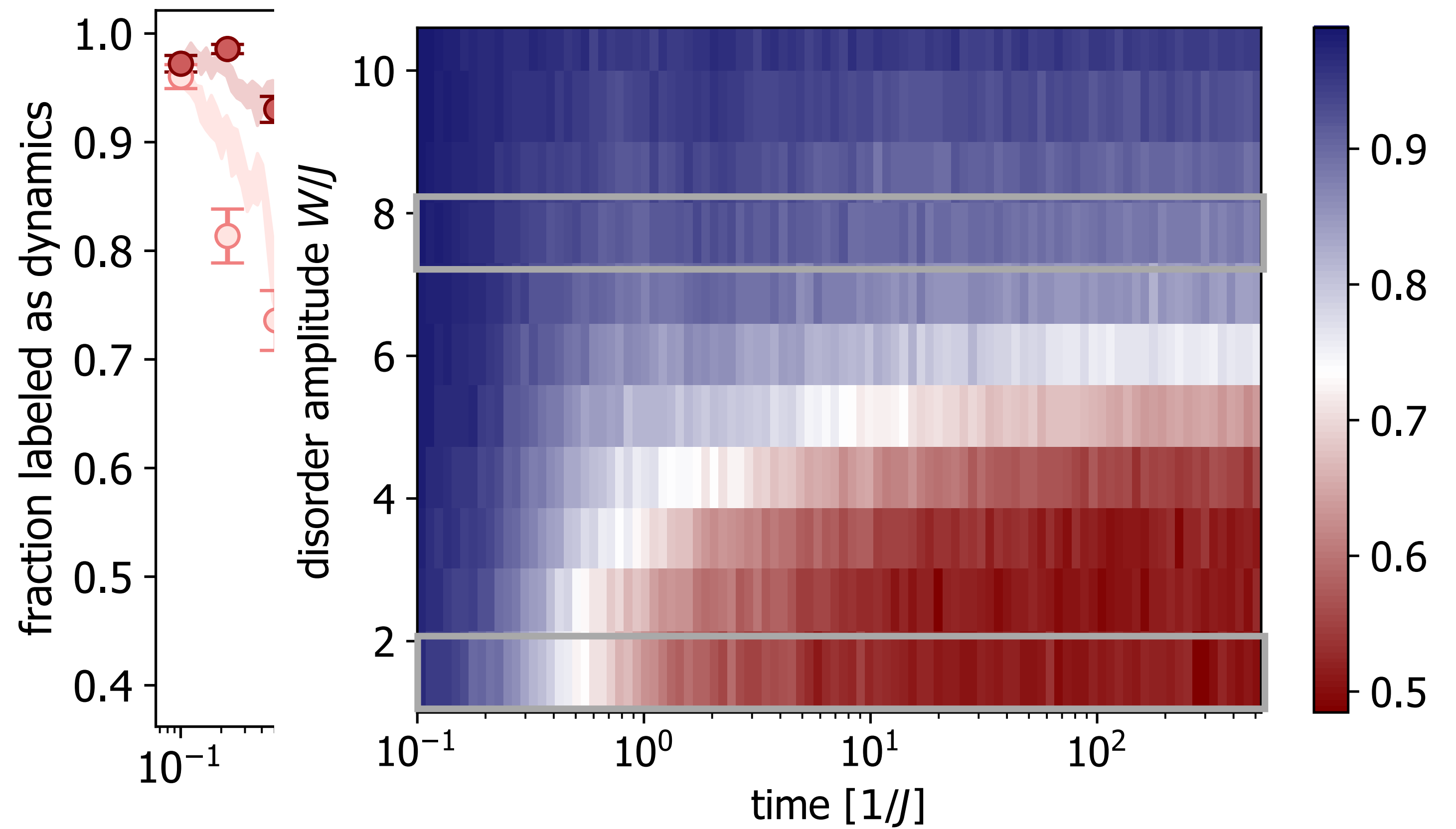


Output





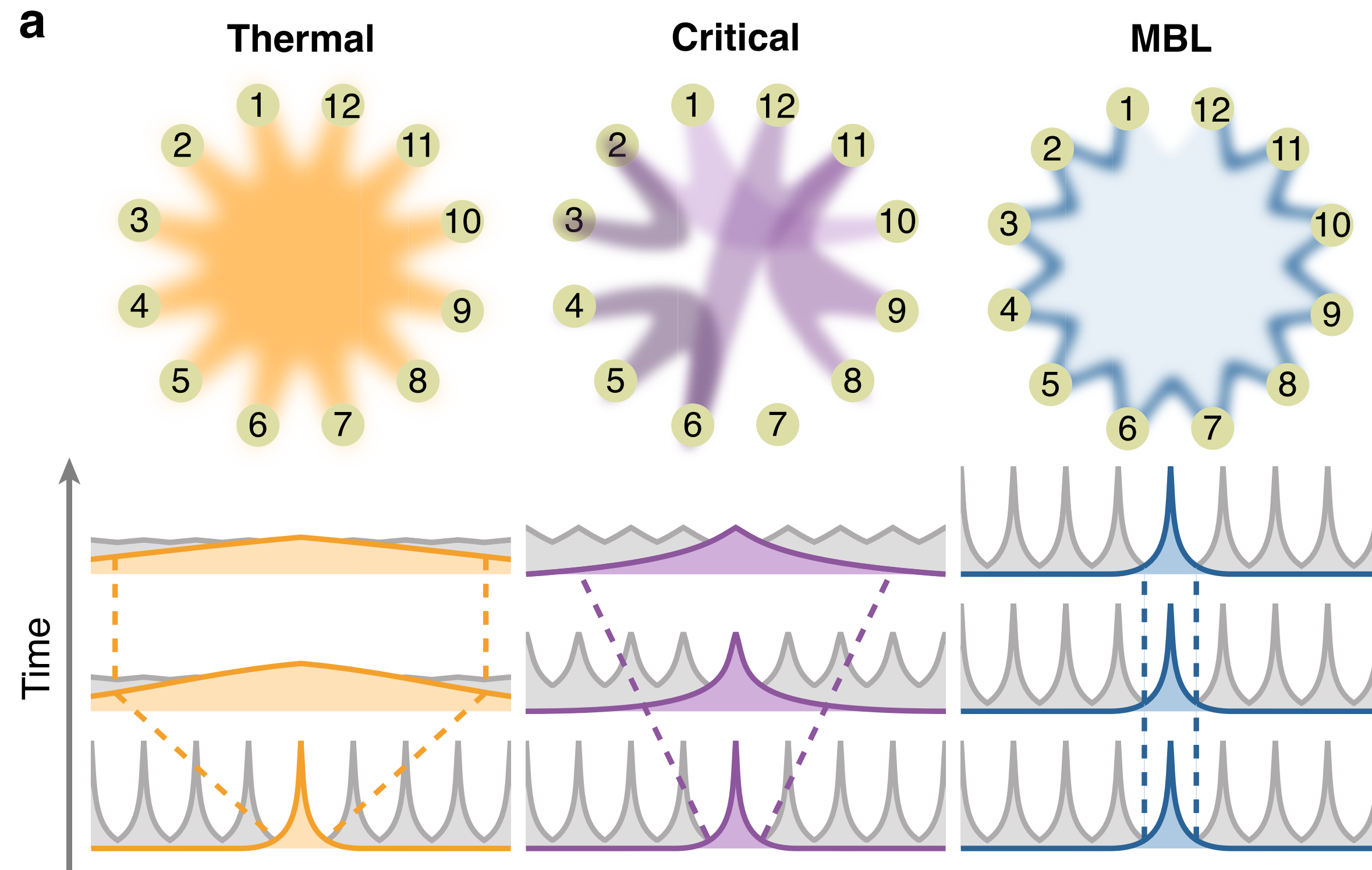
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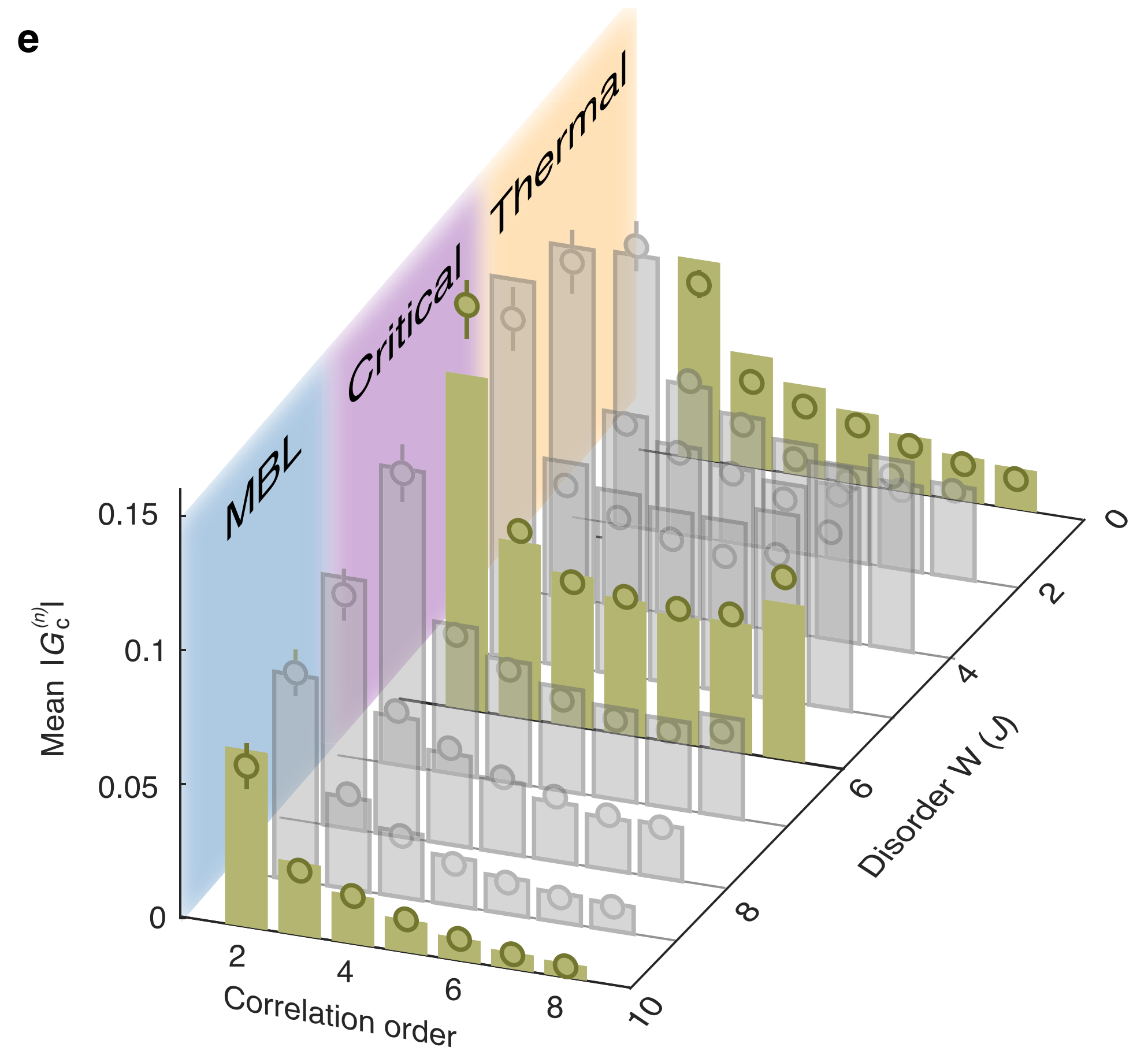


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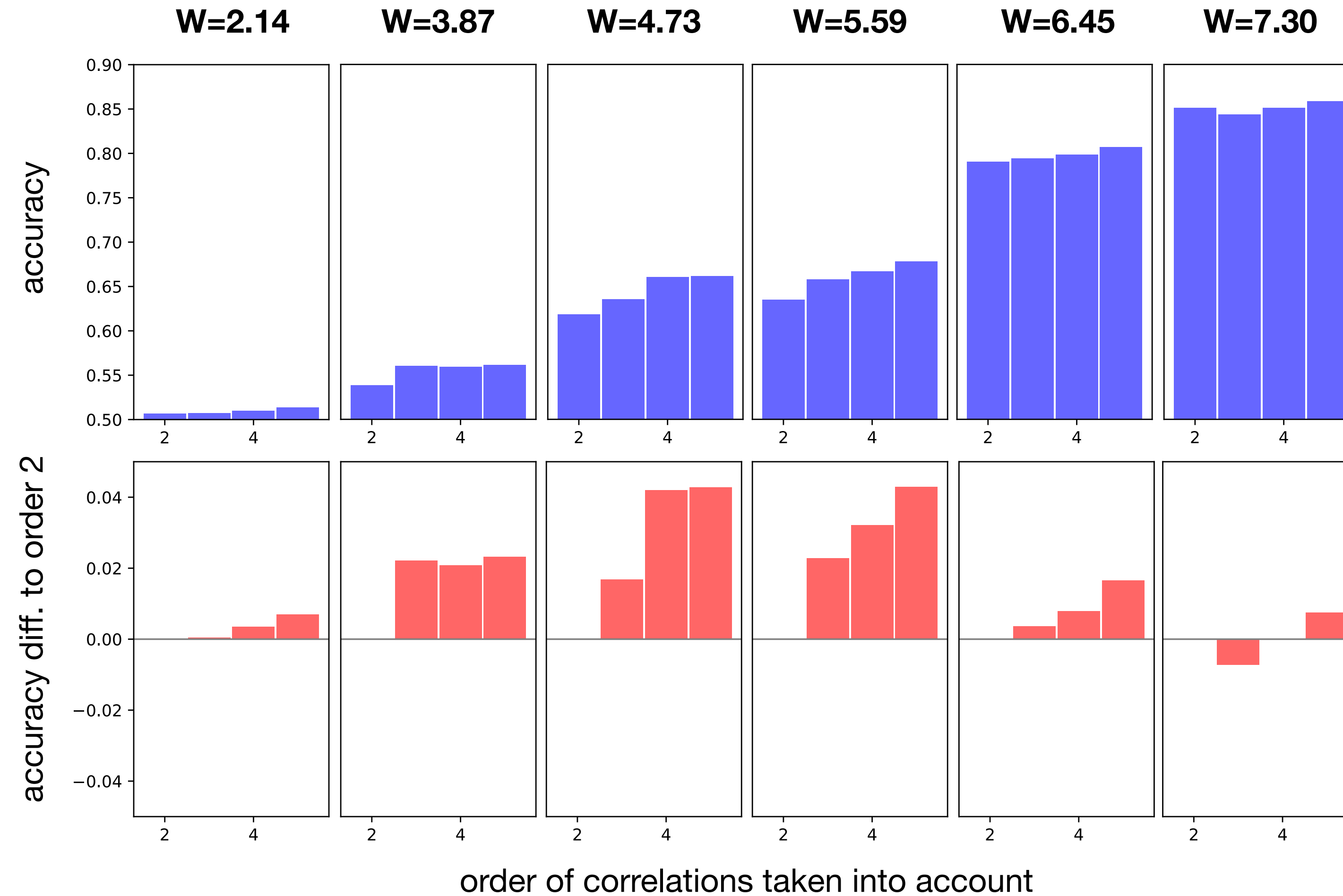


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Non-equilibrium dynamics



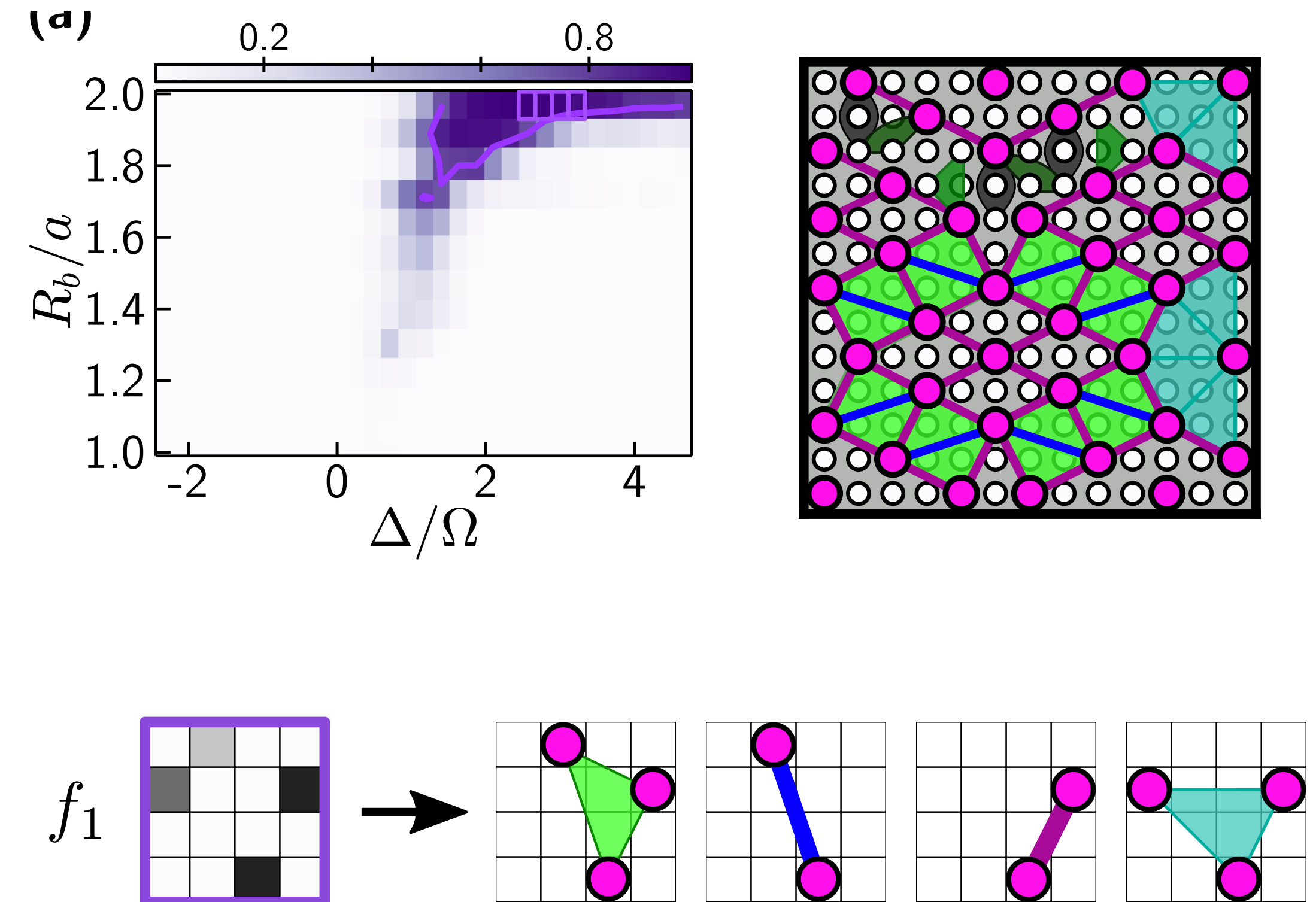
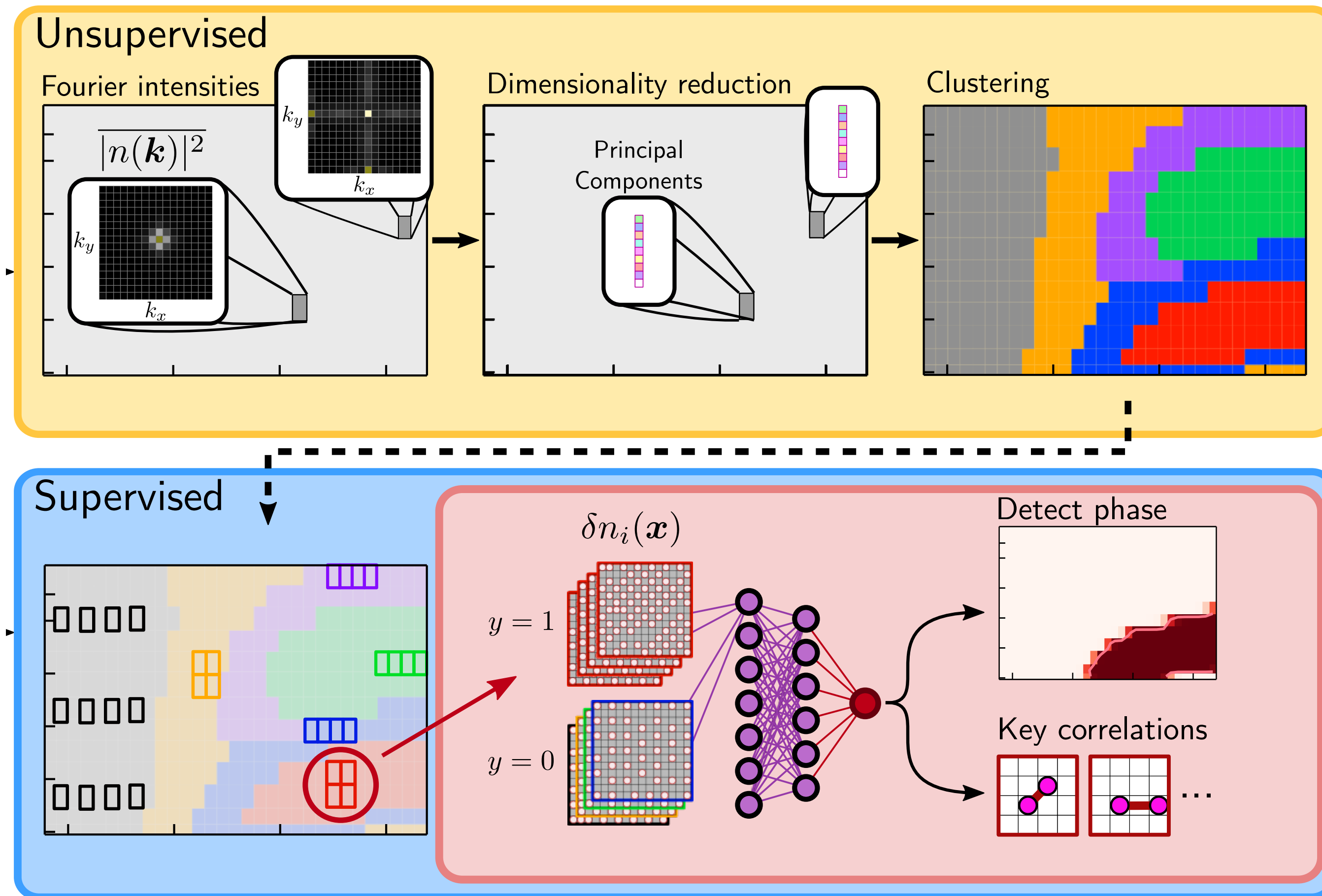


CCNN: Application 3



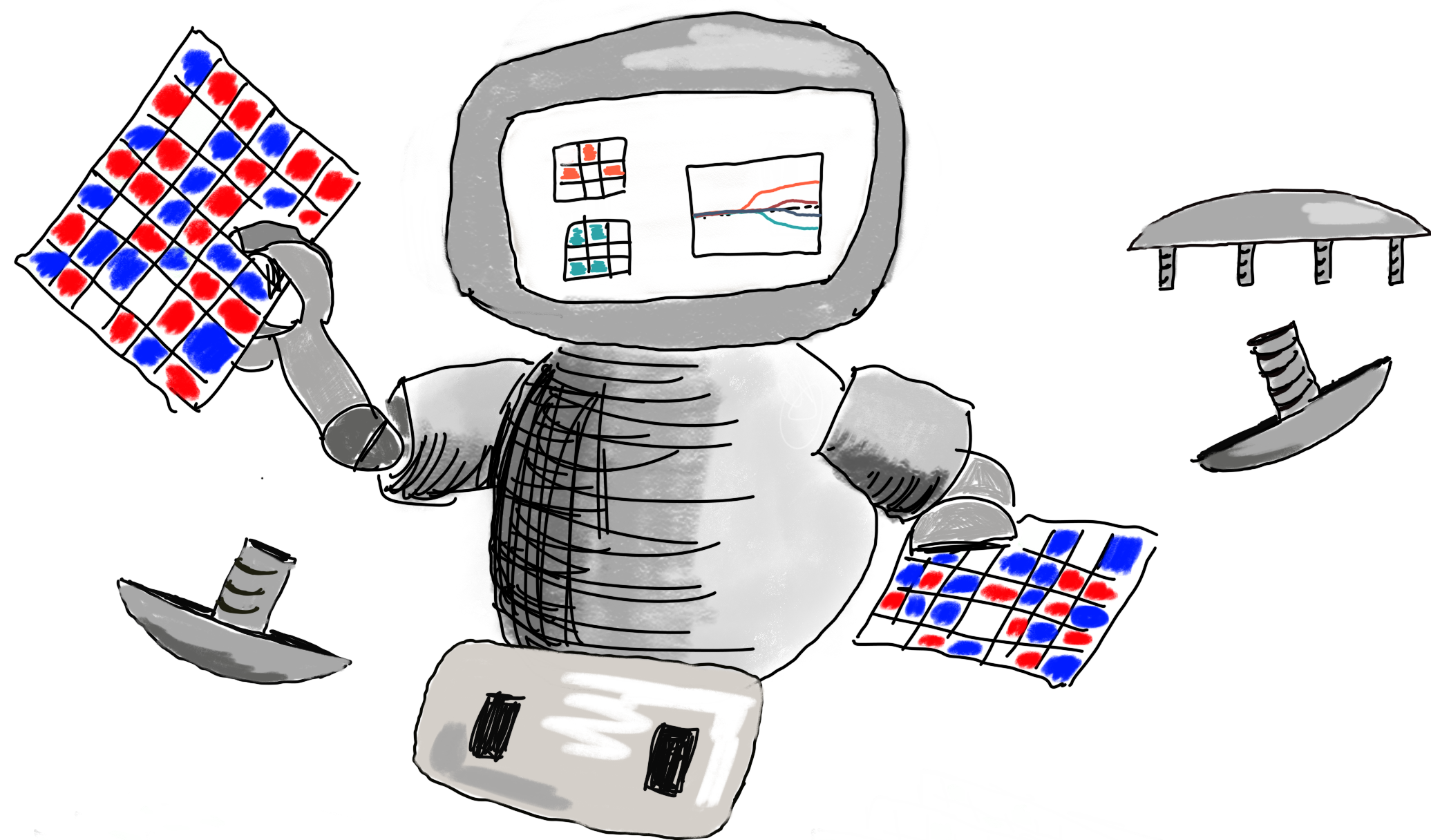
Rydberg system phase diagram

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Bonus slides



CCNN: symmetric convolutions

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