



Cosmic topology

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- within this model, what is the shape of the Universe?

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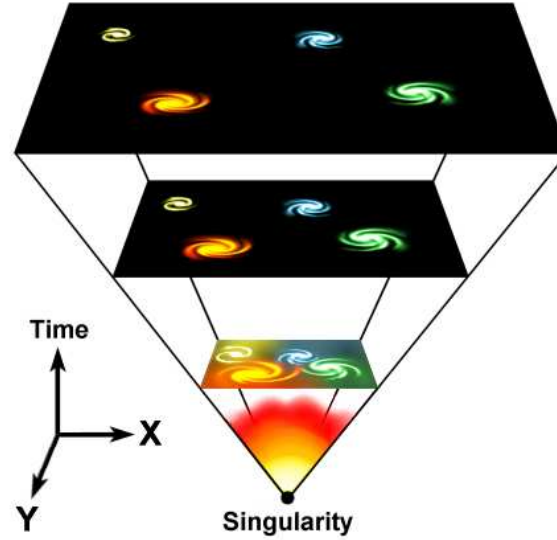
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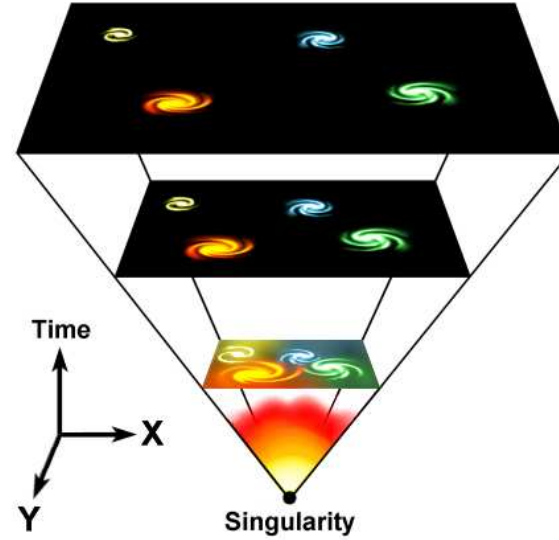
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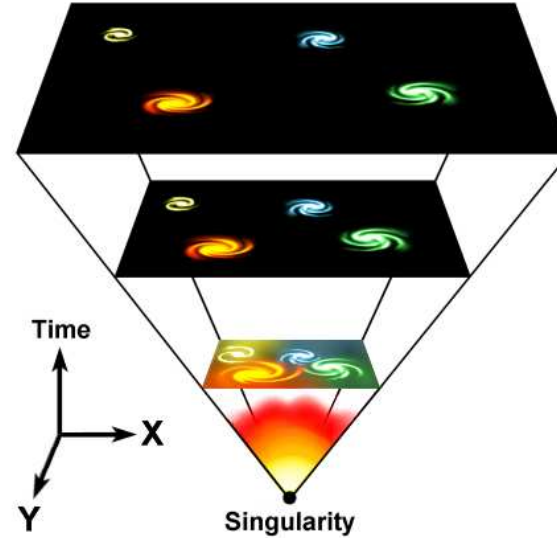
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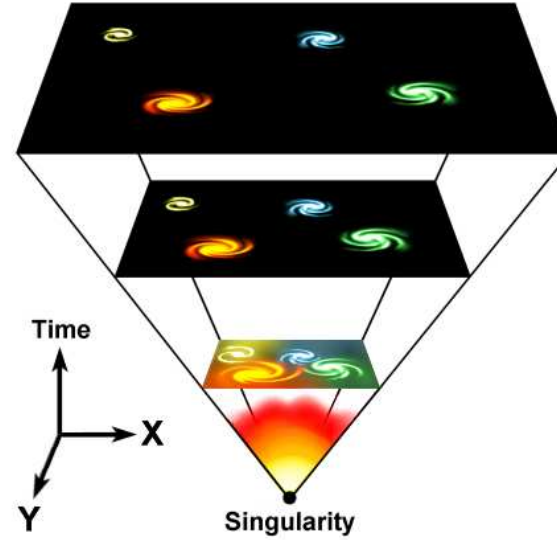


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- spherical coordinates for spatial slice

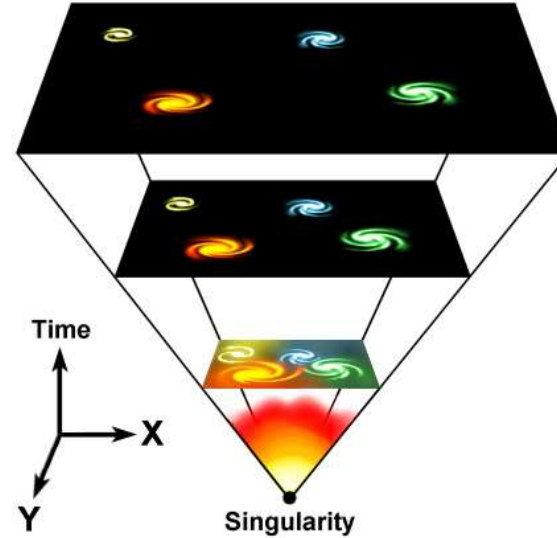
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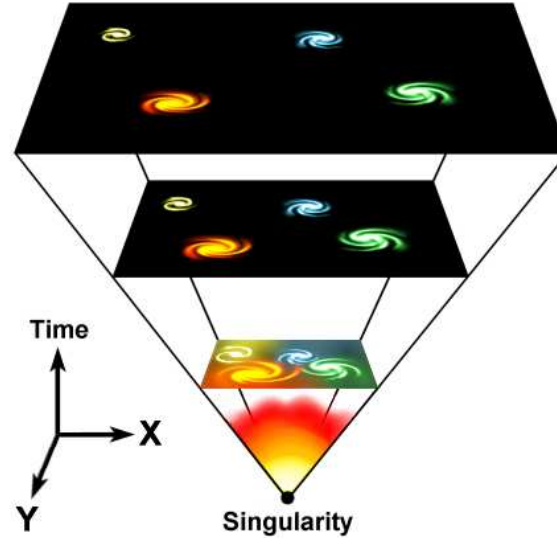


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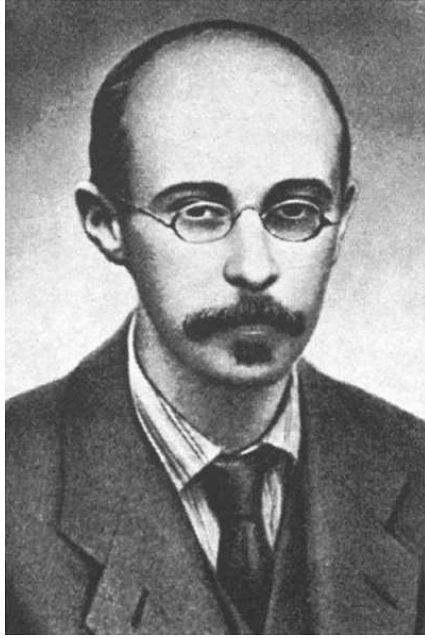
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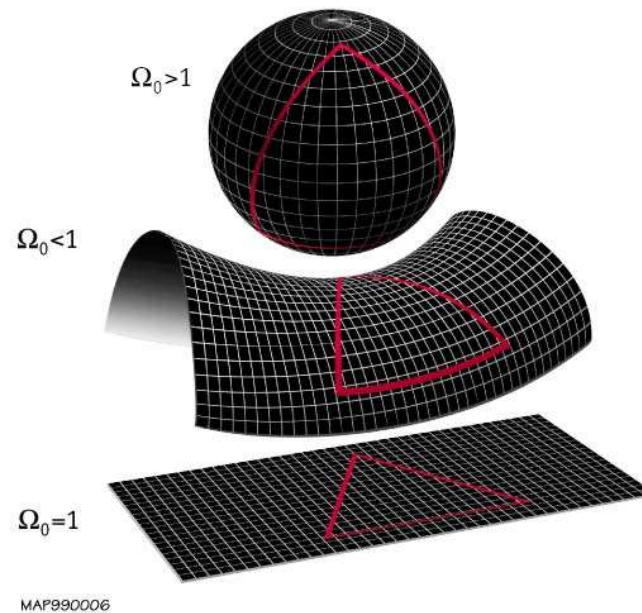
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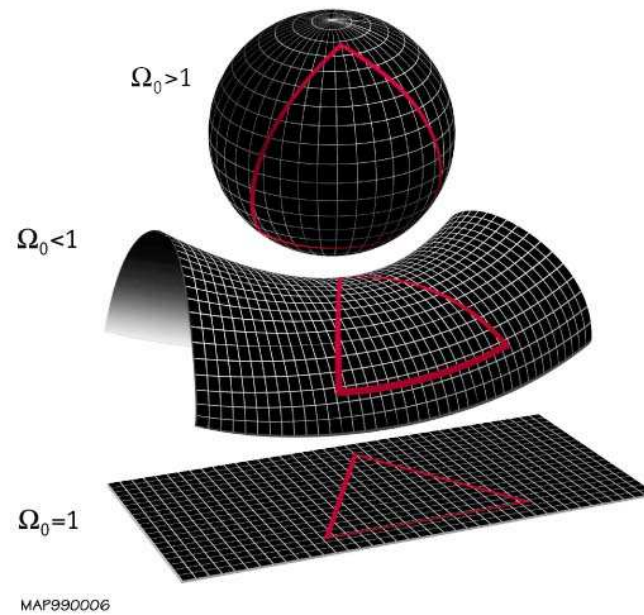
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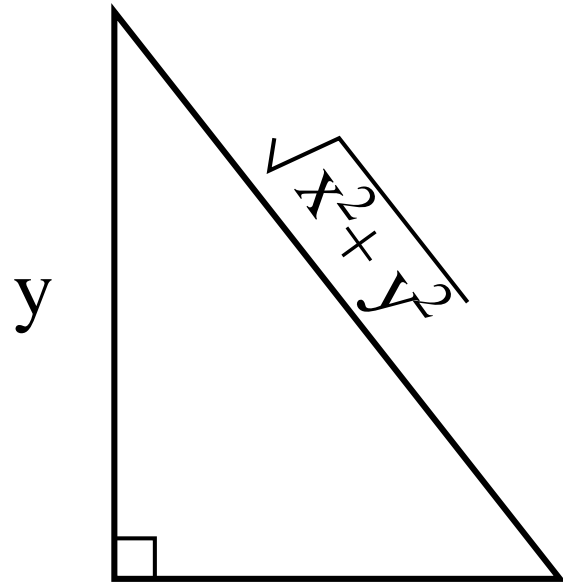


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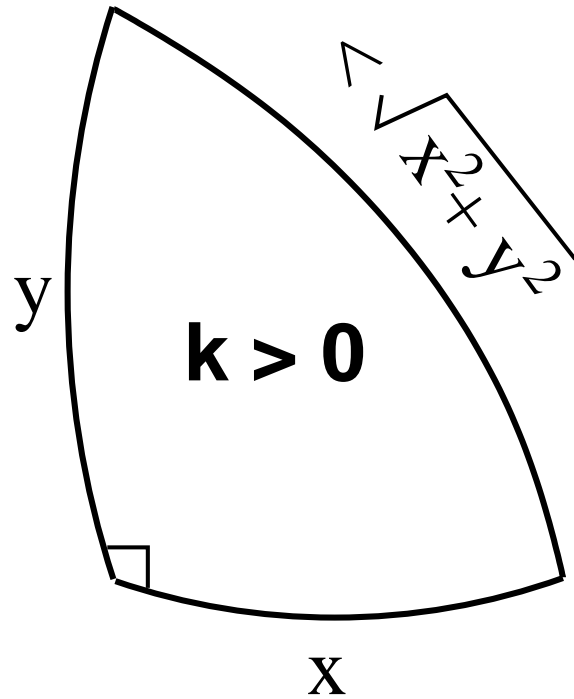


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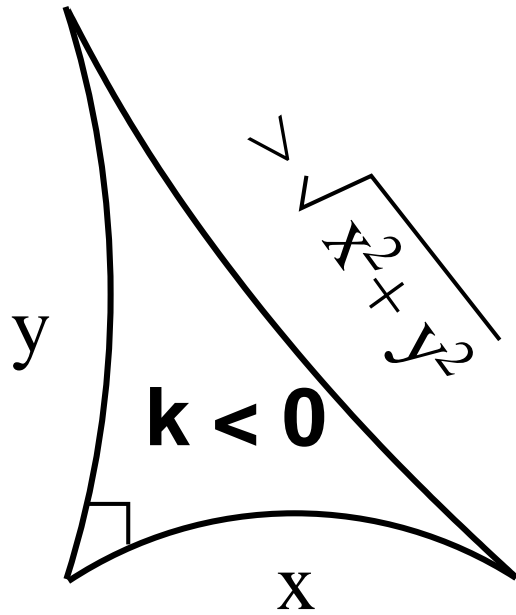
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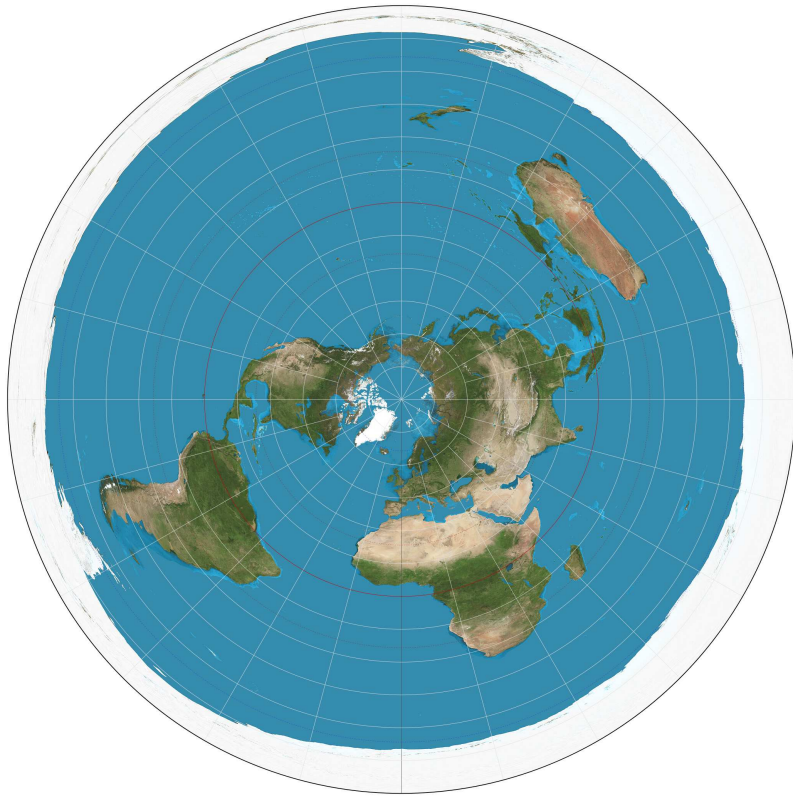
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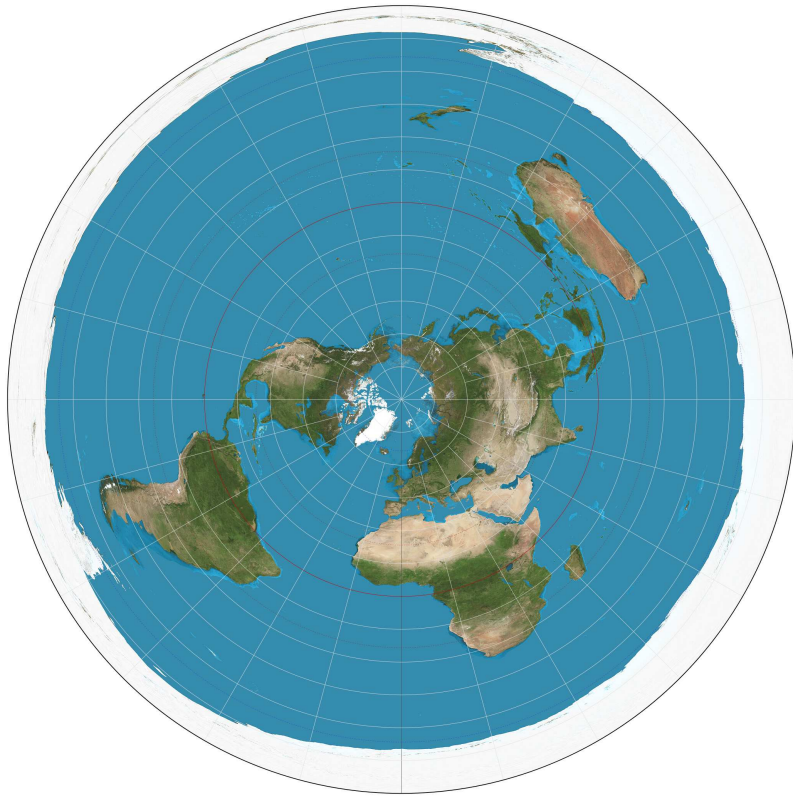


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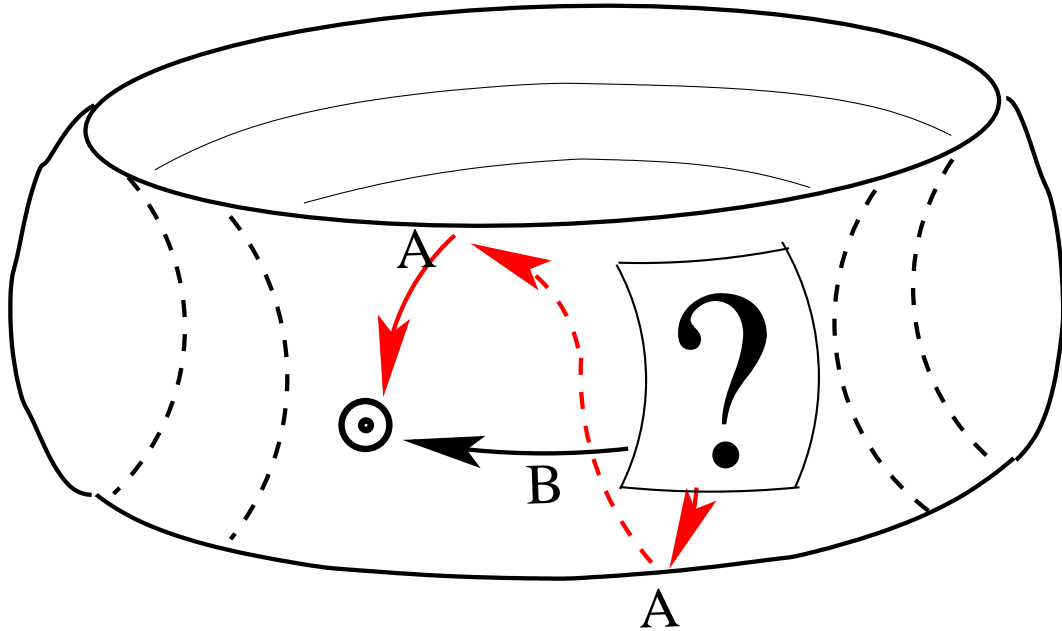
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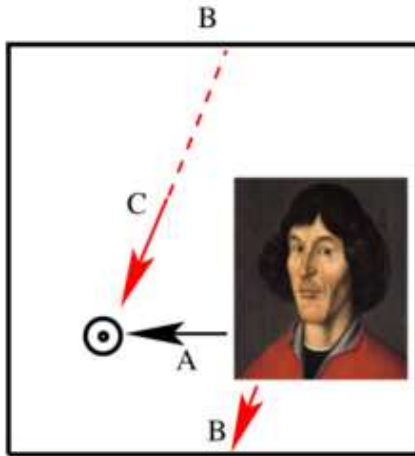


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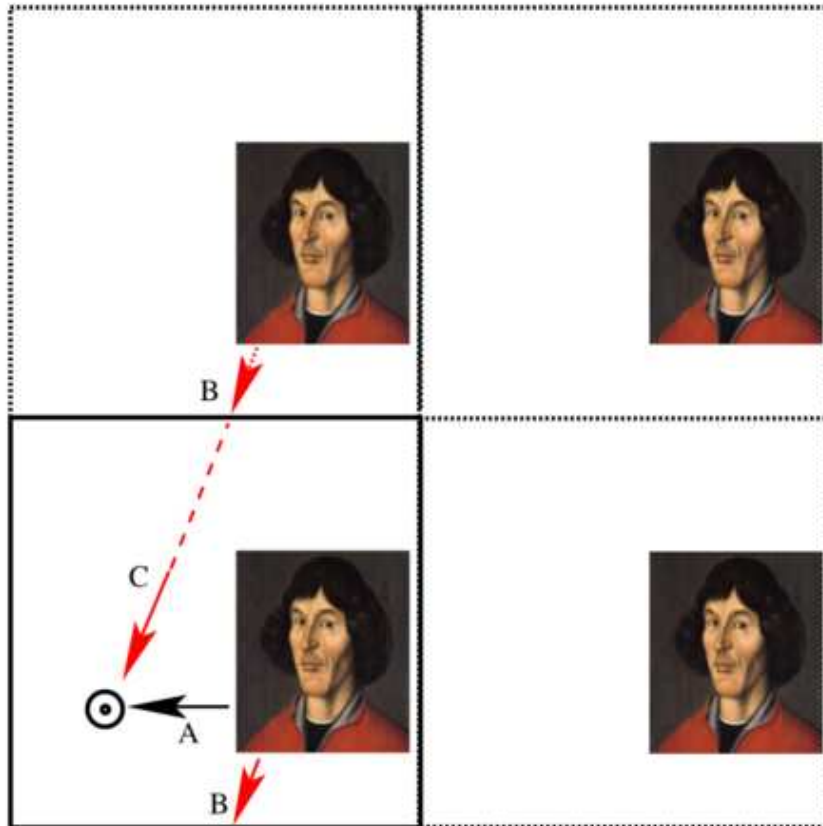


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Topology animations

- animations at <http://www.geom.uiuc.edu/docs/forum/sos>
(2026-03-13: https only, **not** https)
- by the Geometry Center at University of Minnesota, USA (closed since 1998)

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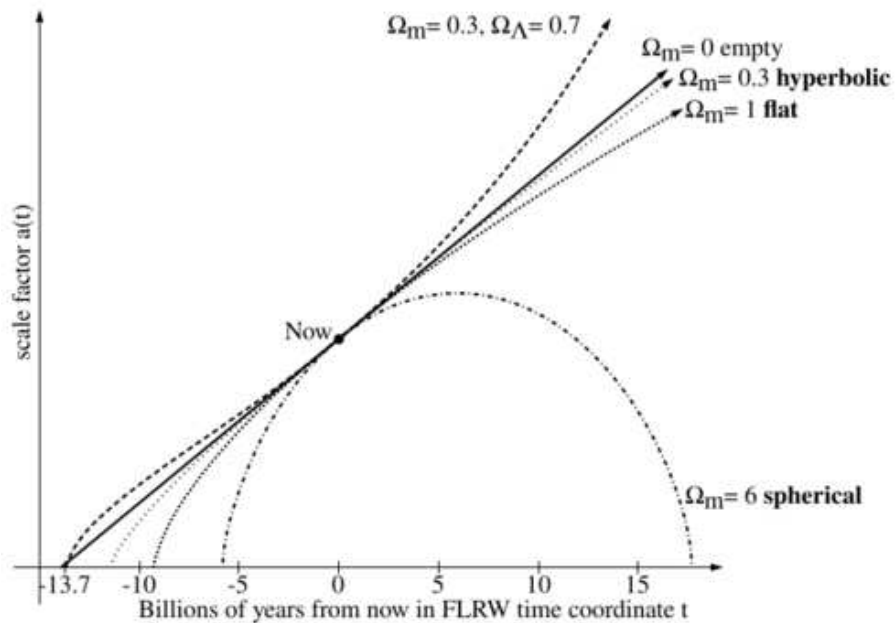
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CMB discovery: McKellar 1941

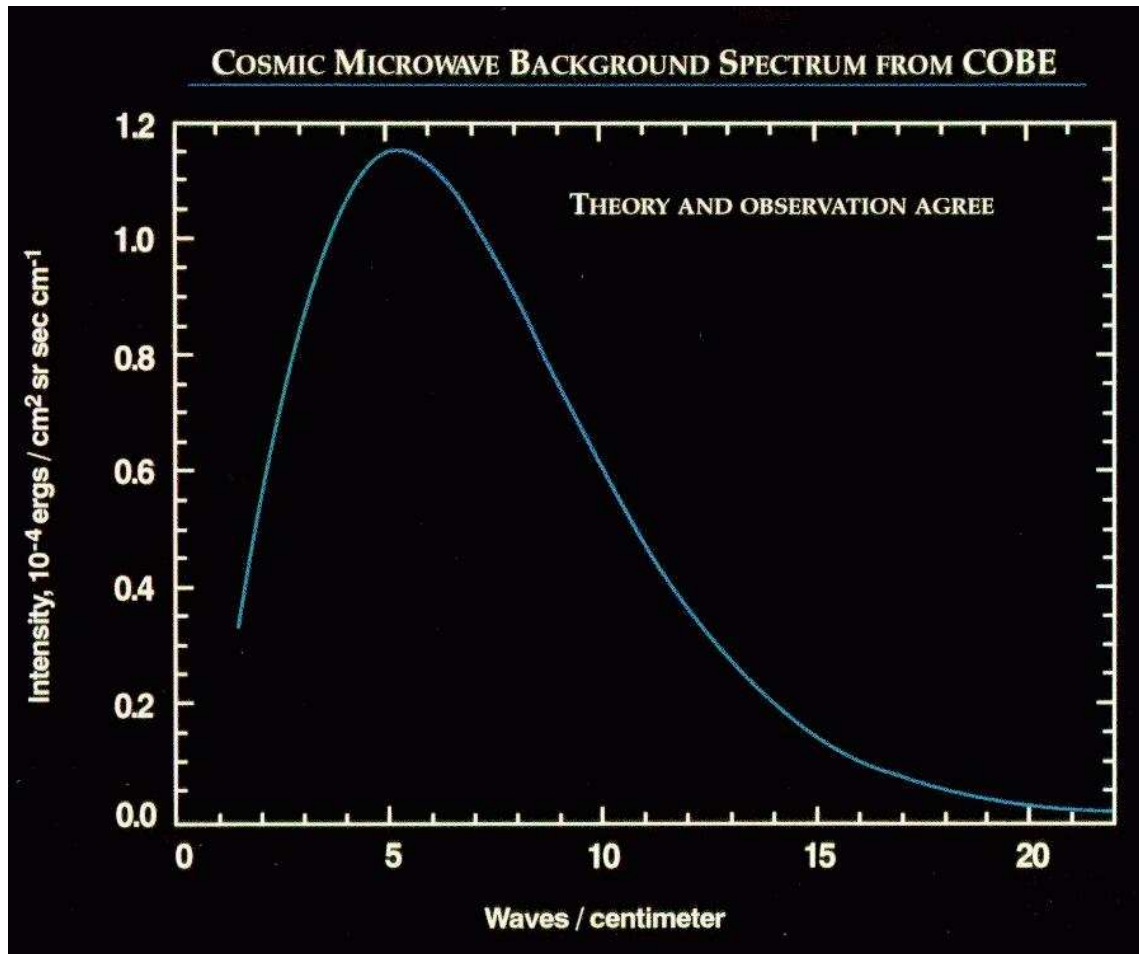
- $T \approx 2.3$ K — Andrew McKellar (1941; [ADS:1941PDAO....7..251M](#))
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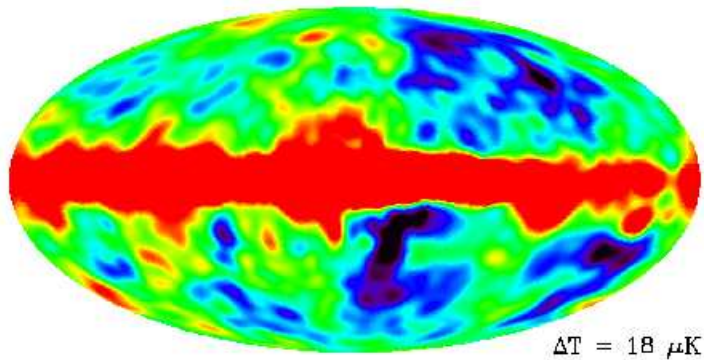
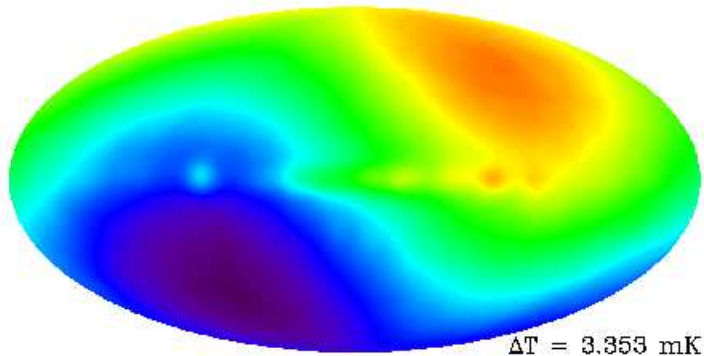
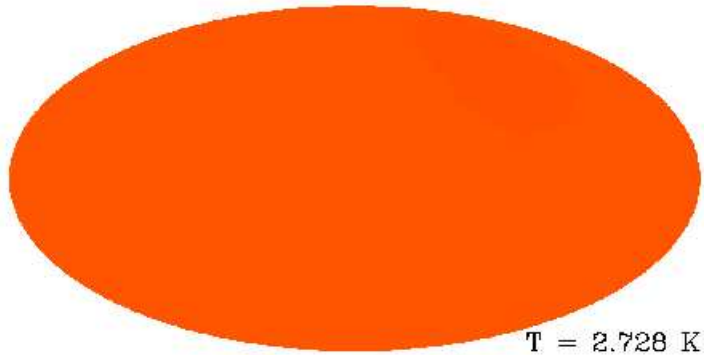
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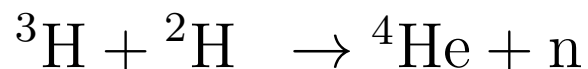
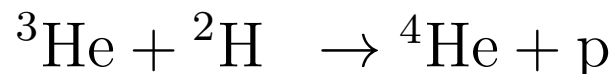
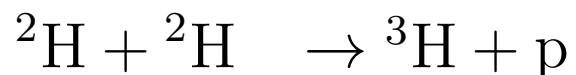
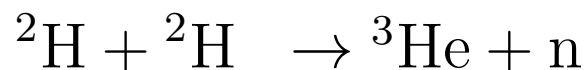
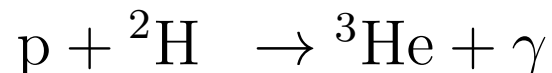
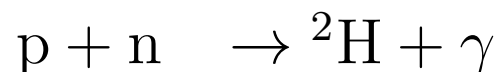
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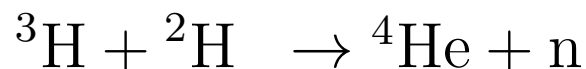
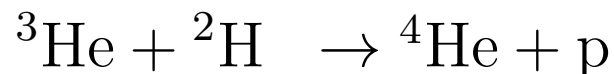
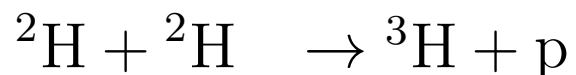
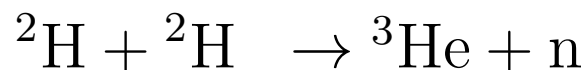
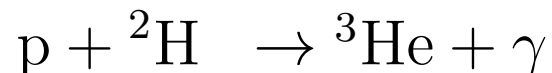
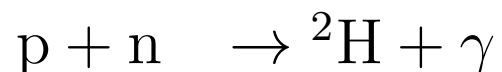
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- $q = \frac{\Omega_m}{2} - \Omega_\Lambda$ acceleration equation
- if $\Lambda = 0$ and $\Omega_m > 0$ then $\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} < 0$, i.e. $q > 0$

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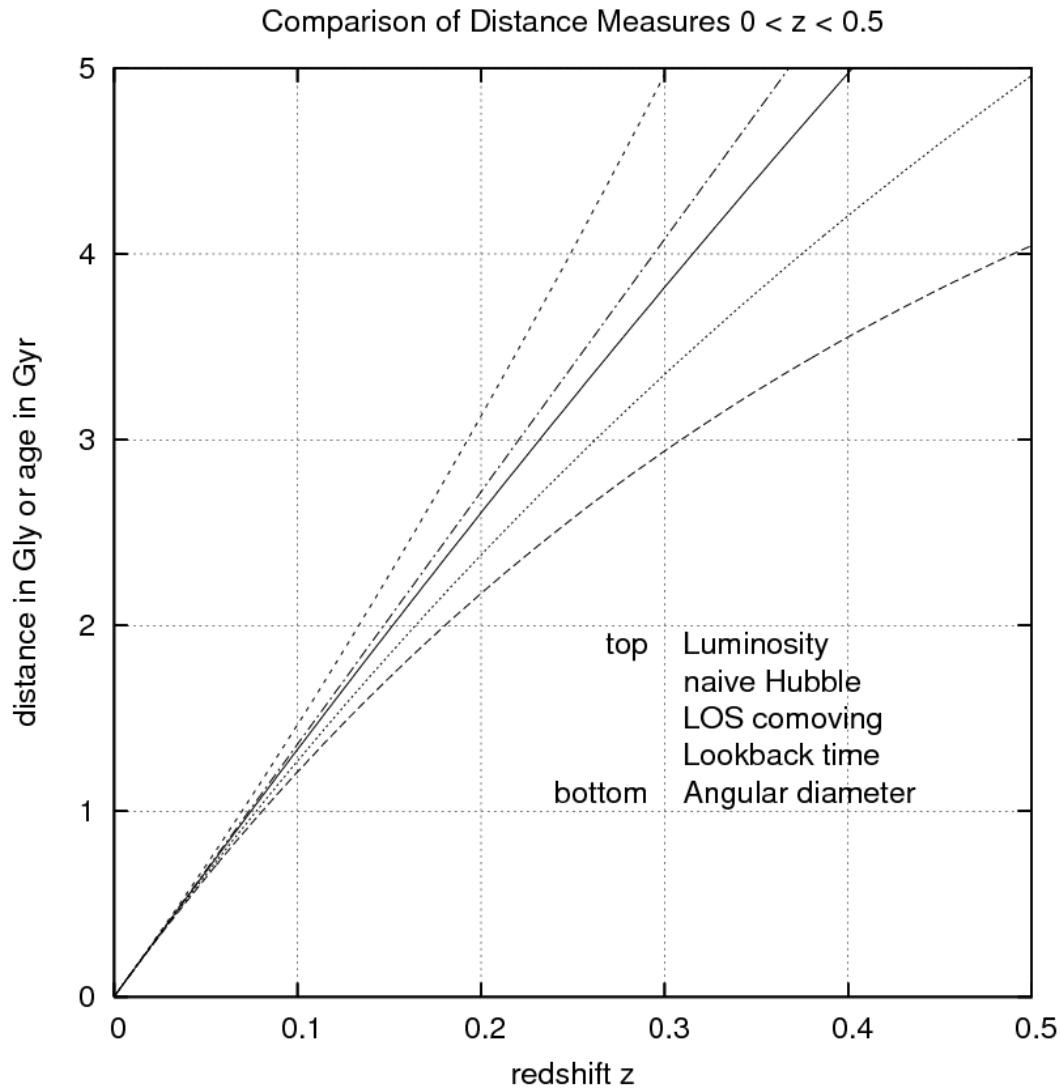
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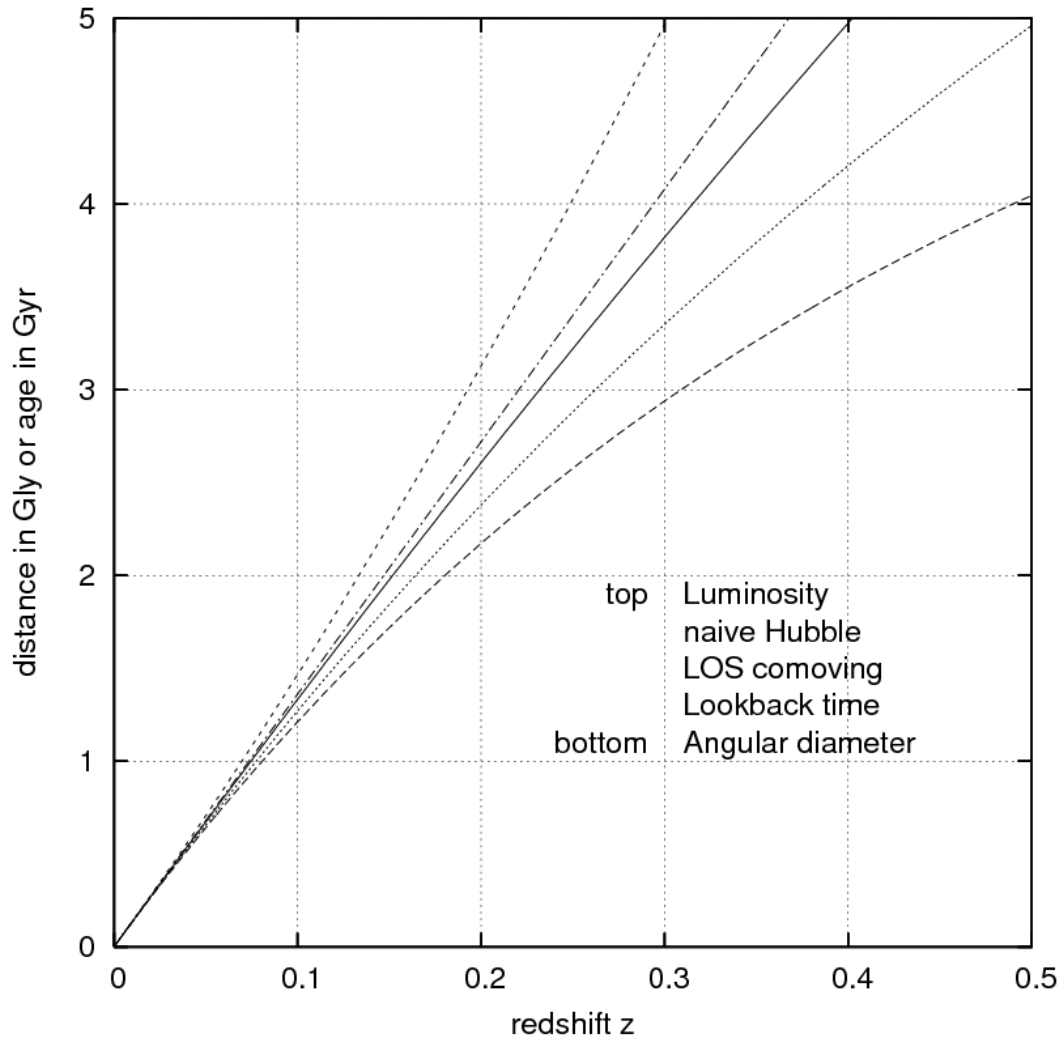
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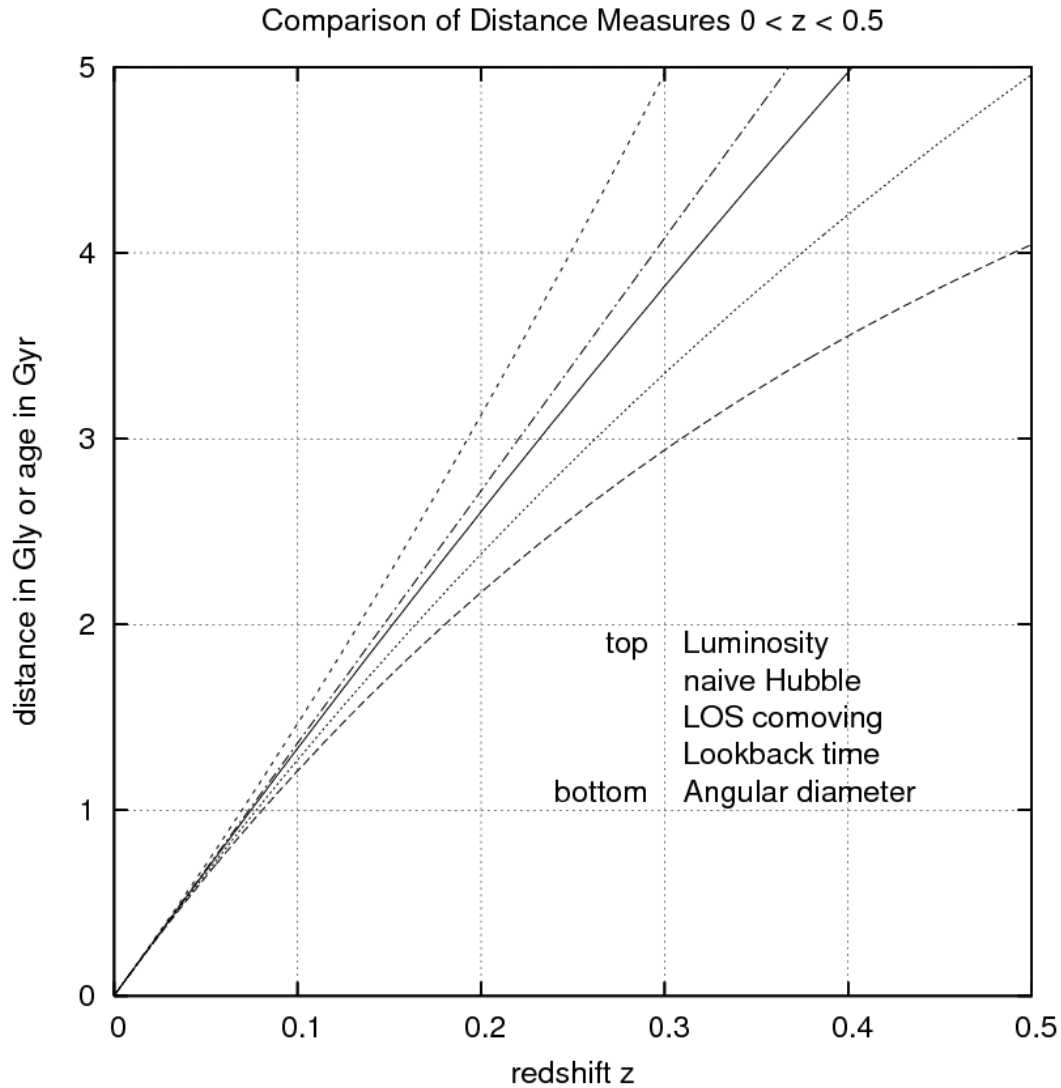
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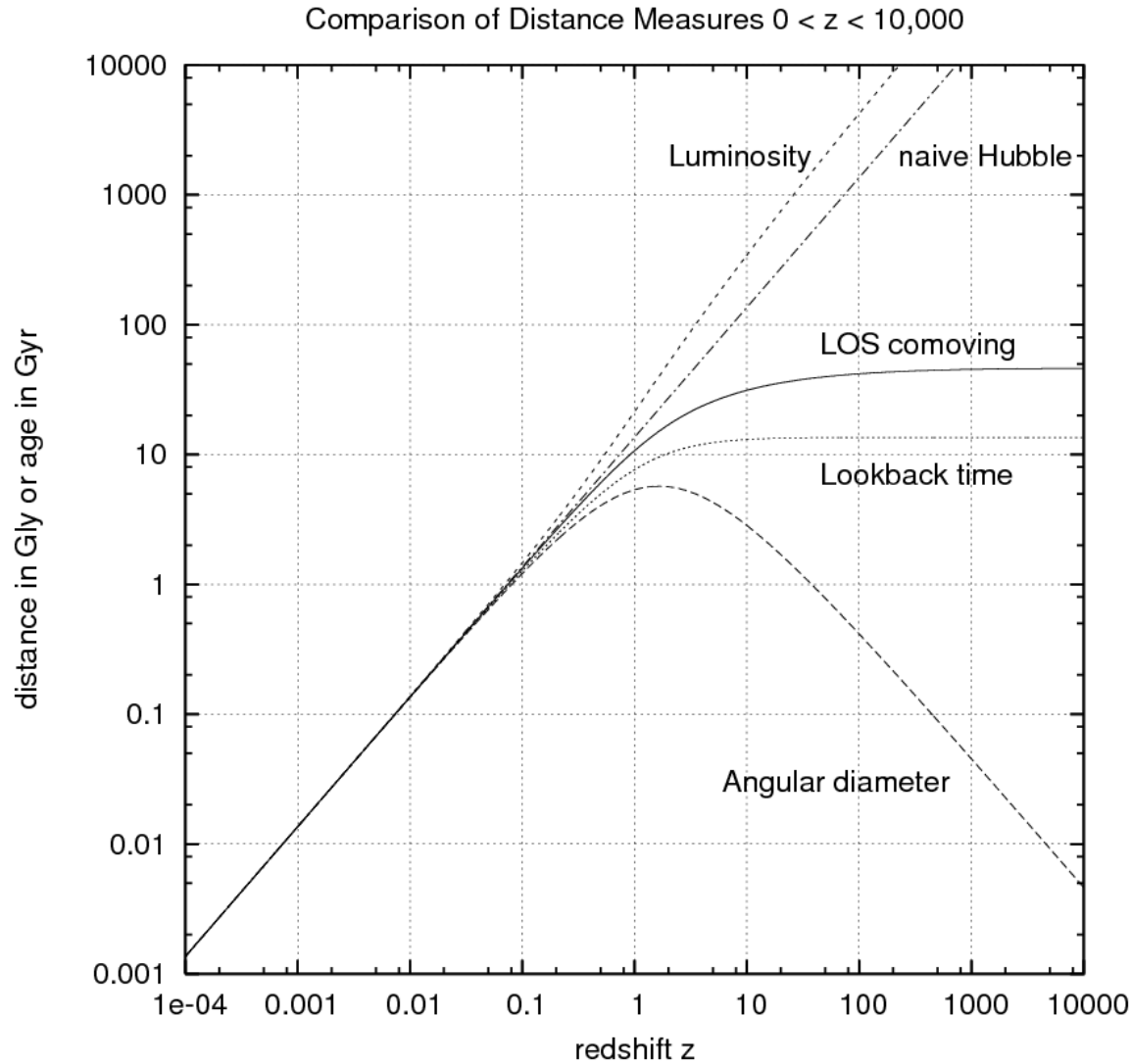
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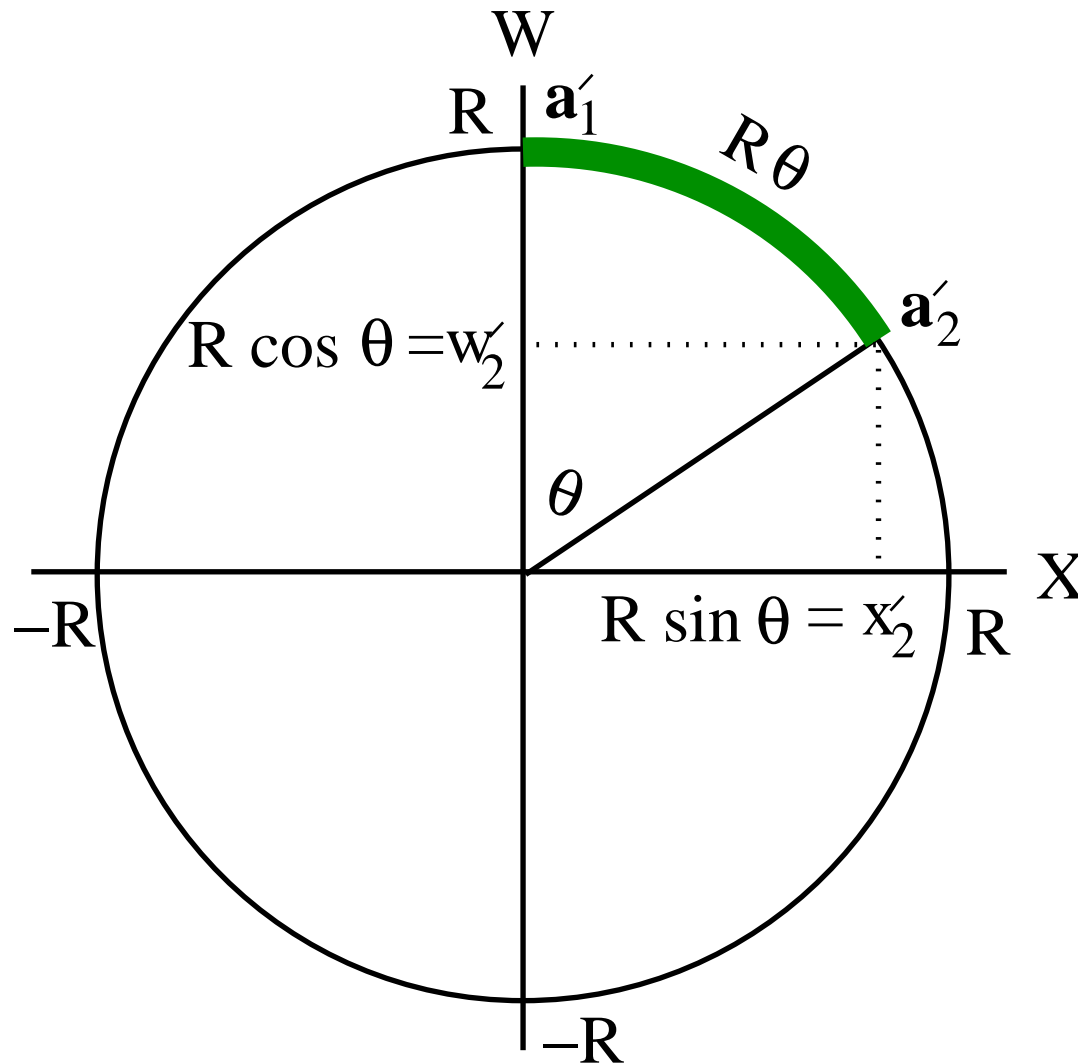
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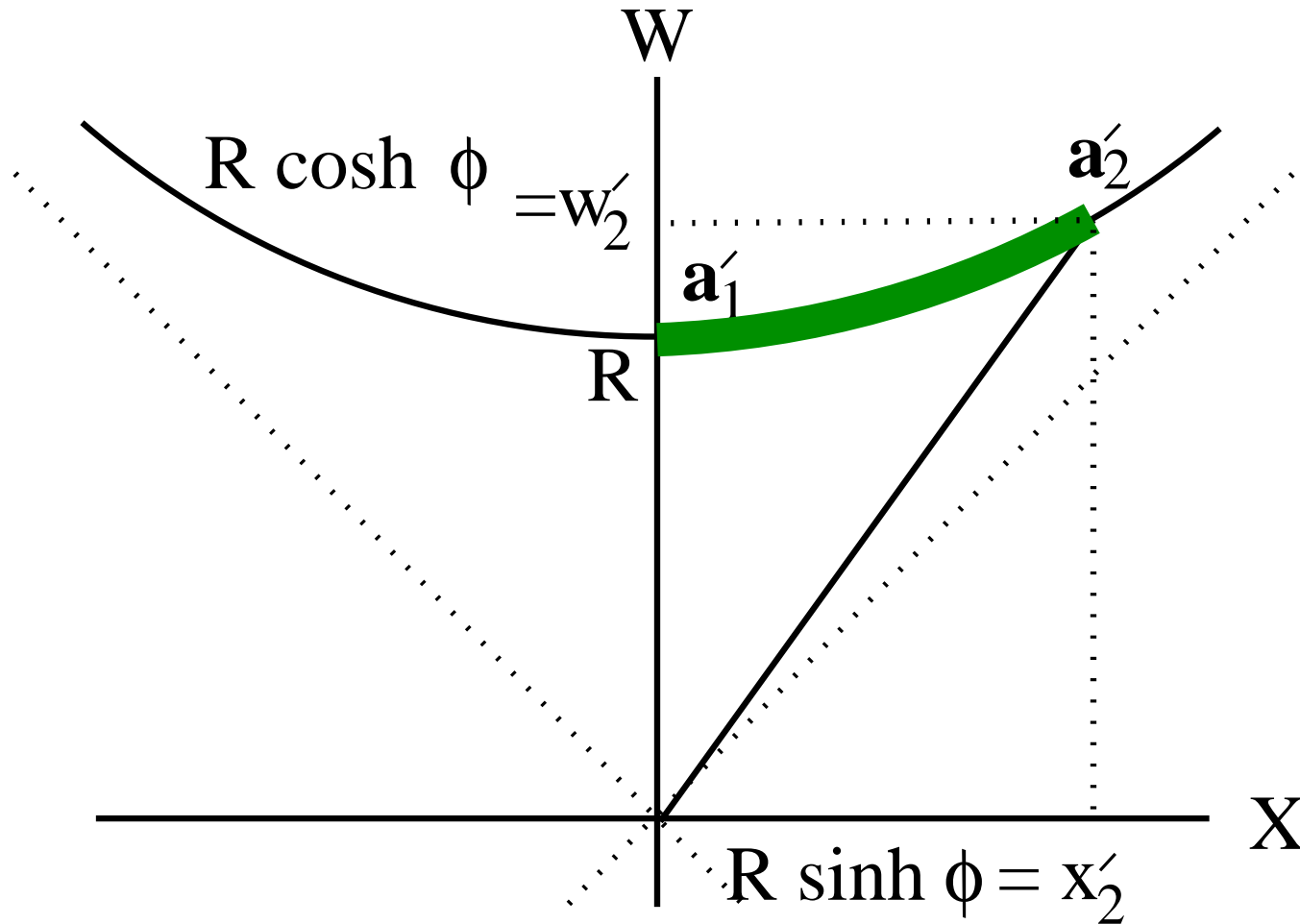


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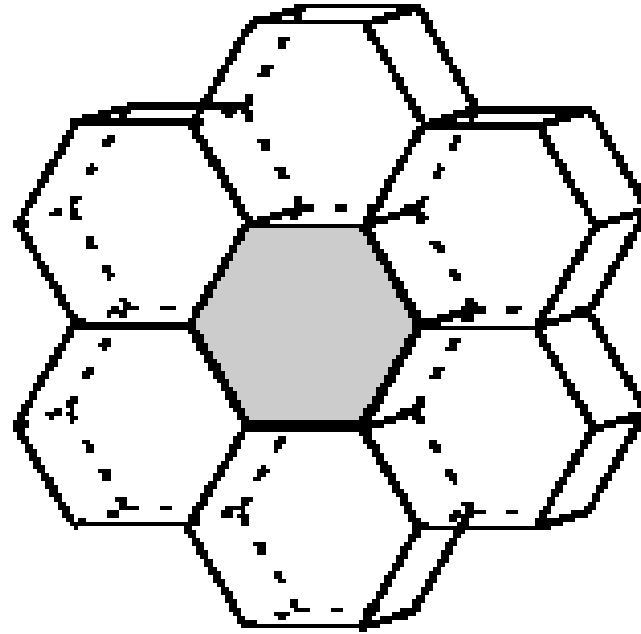
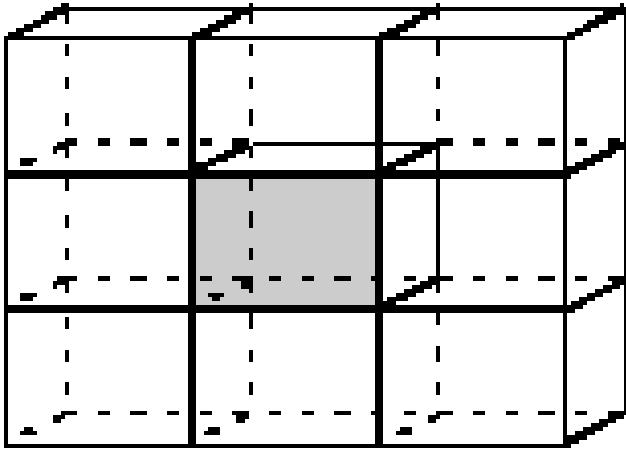
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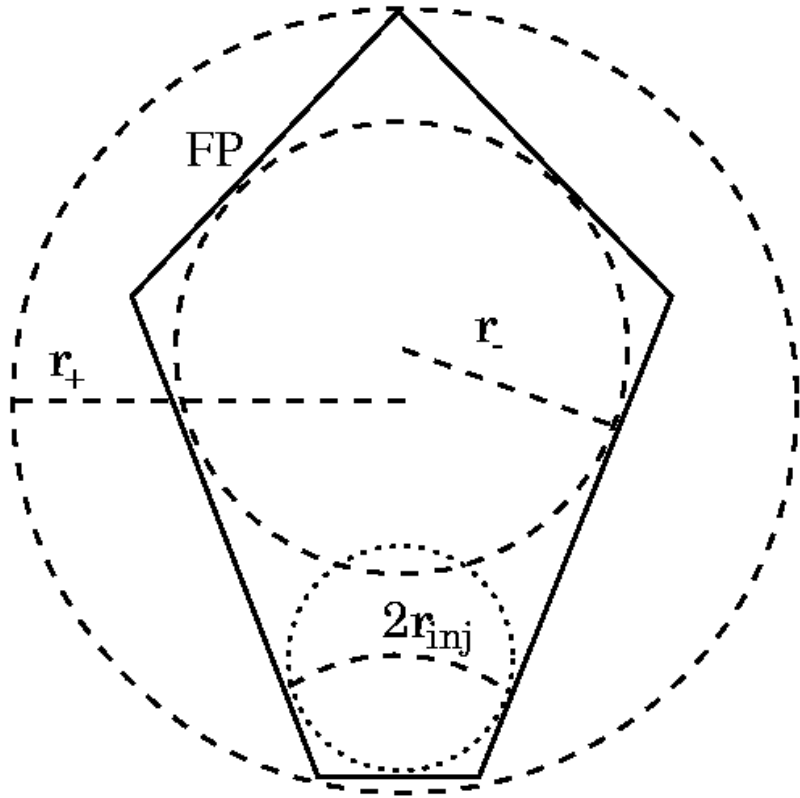
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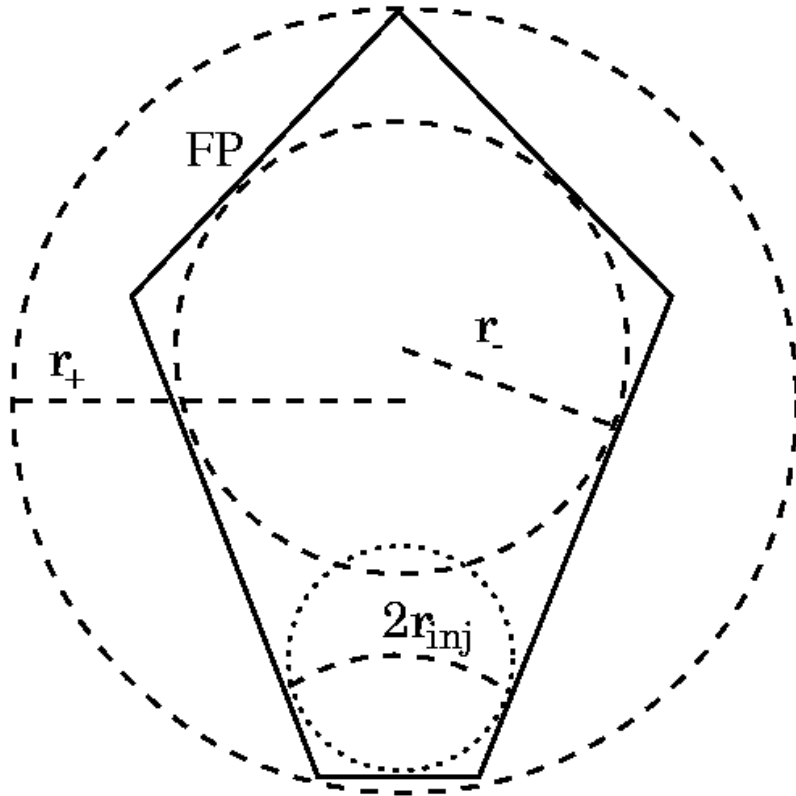
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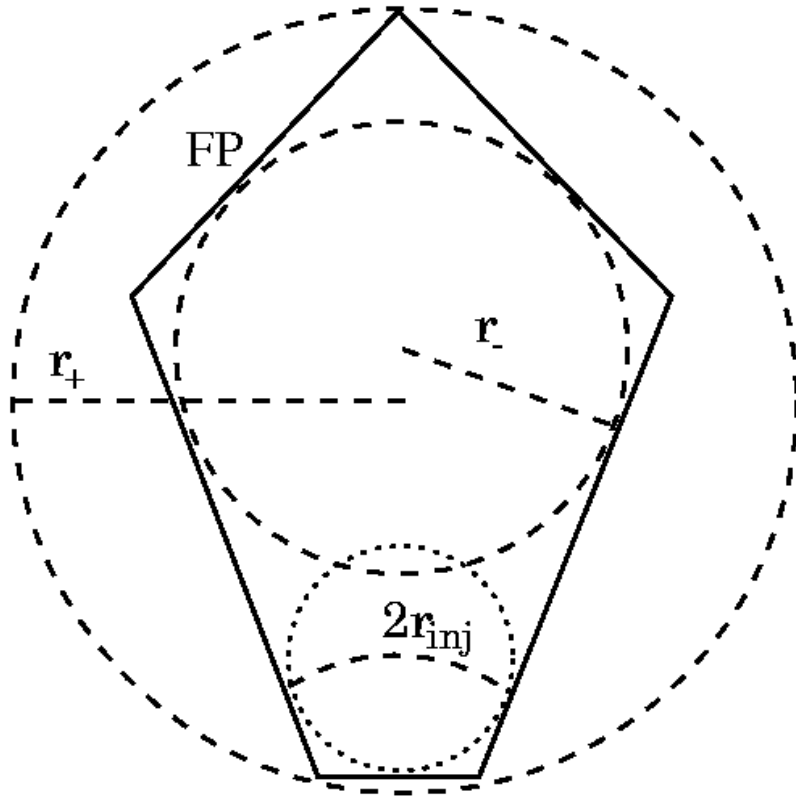
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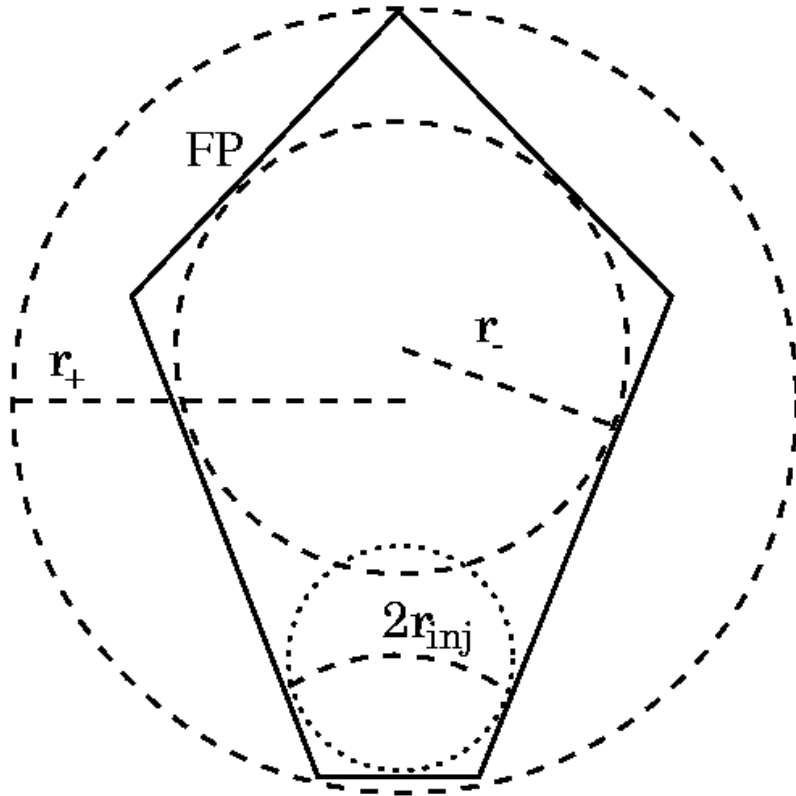
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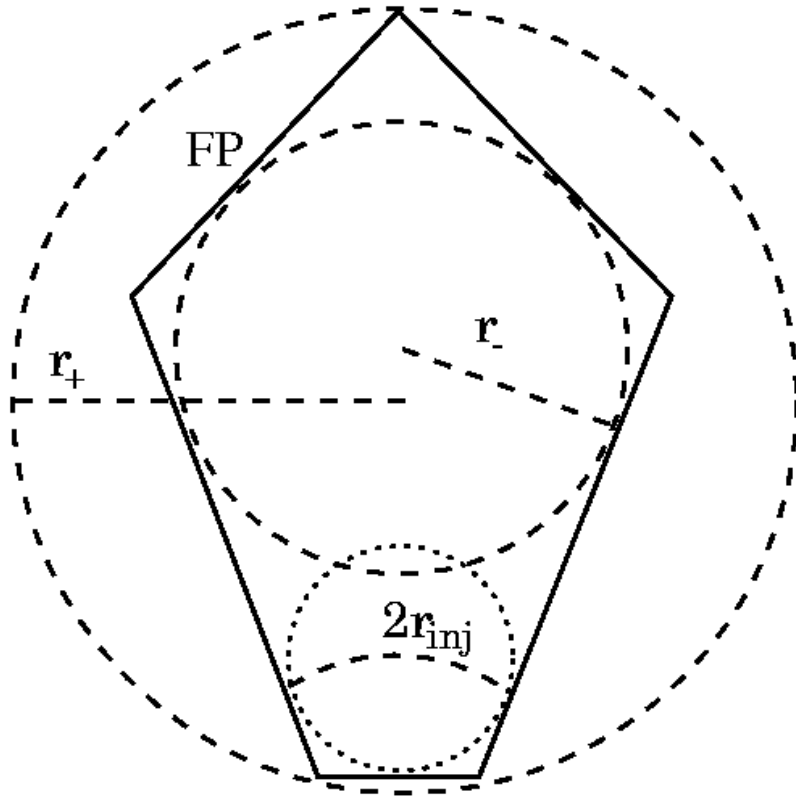
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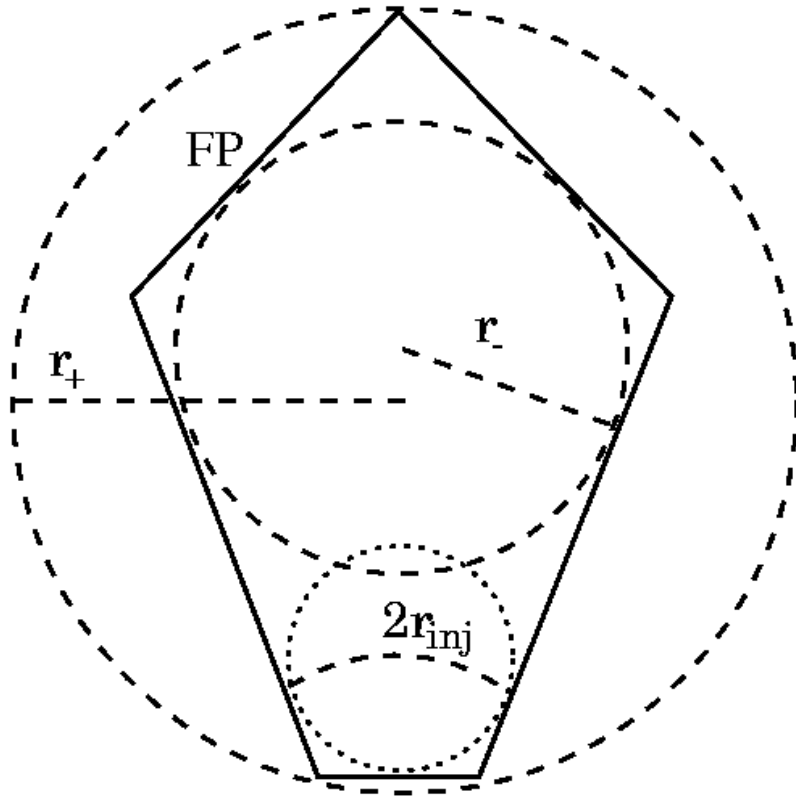
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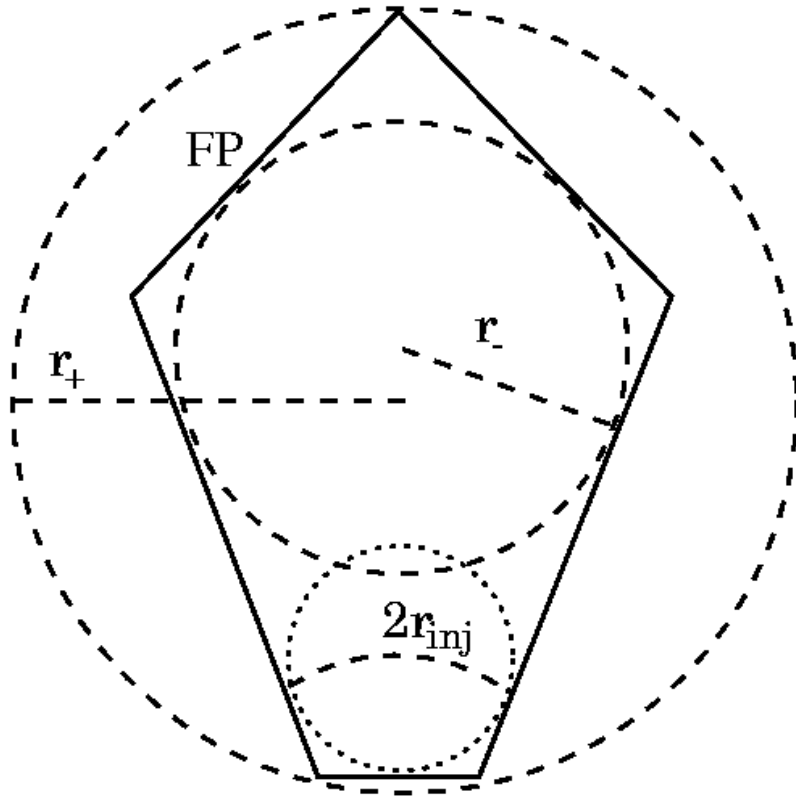
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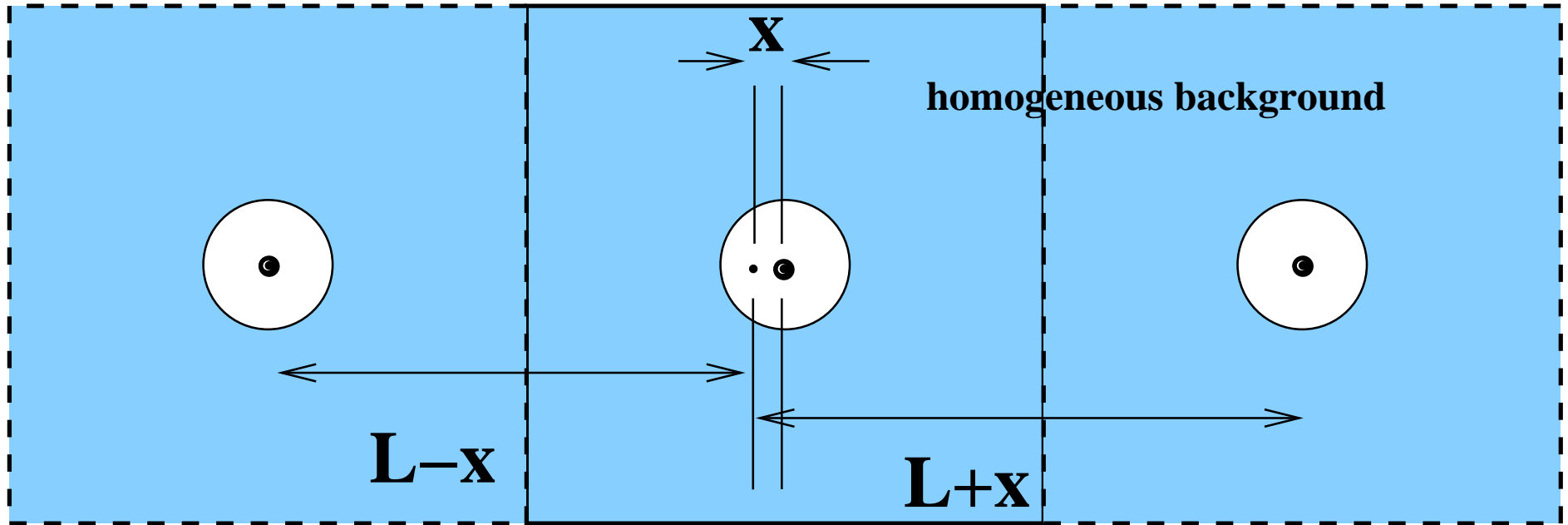
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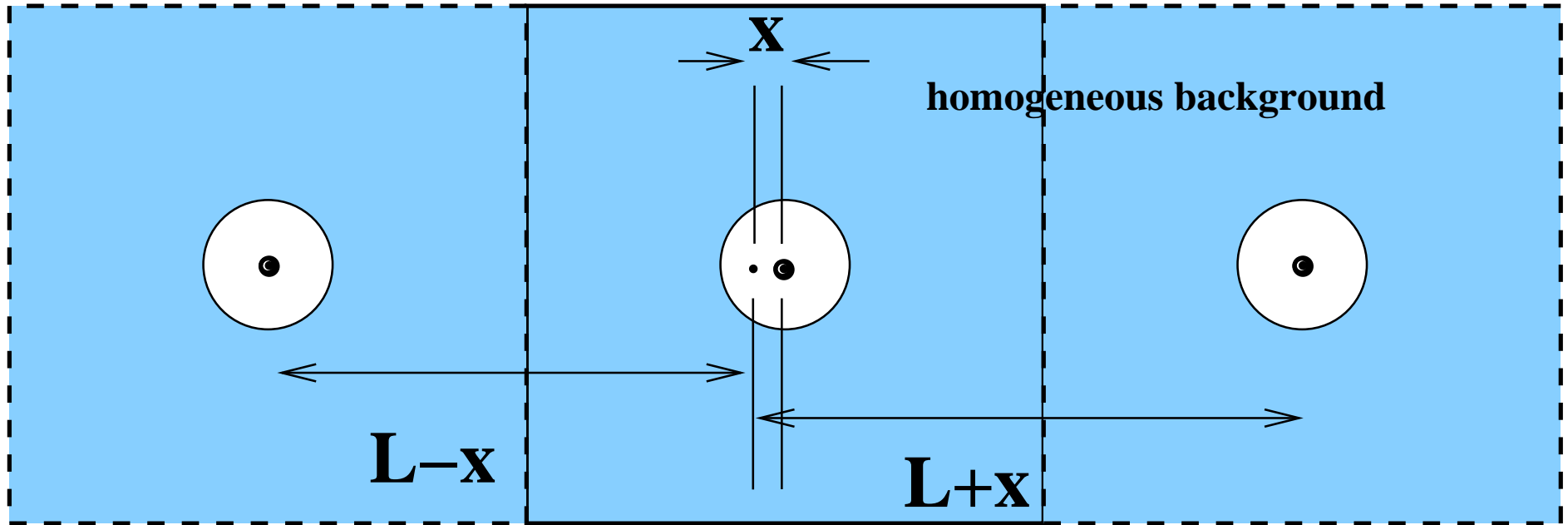
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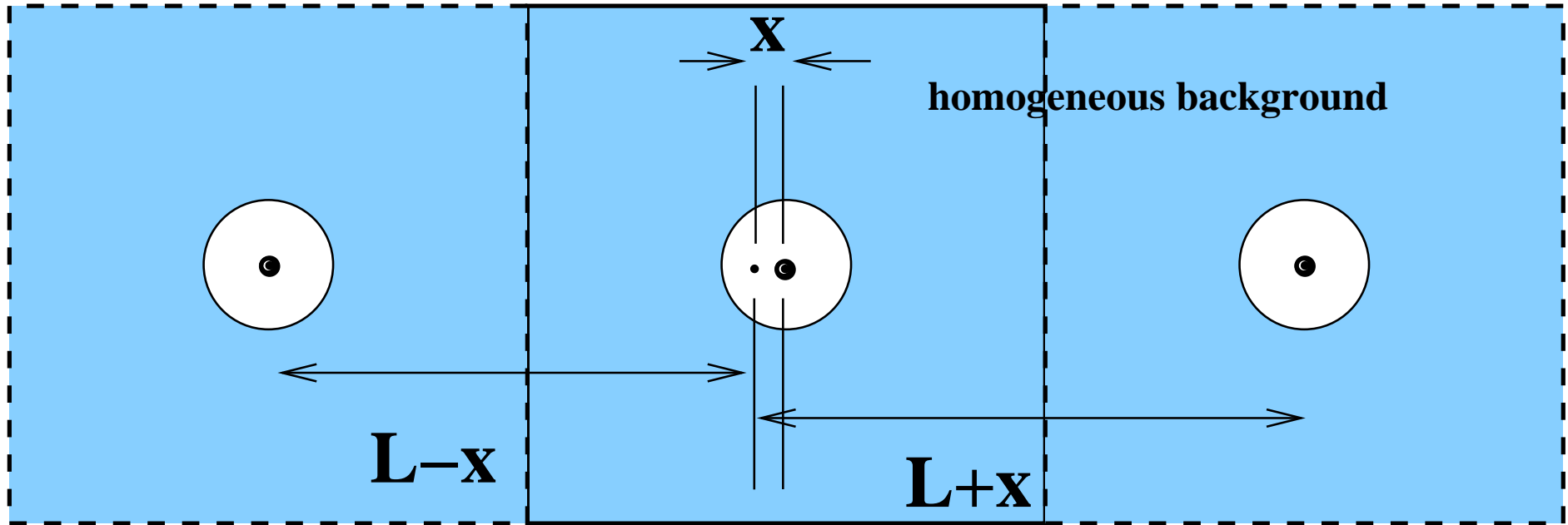


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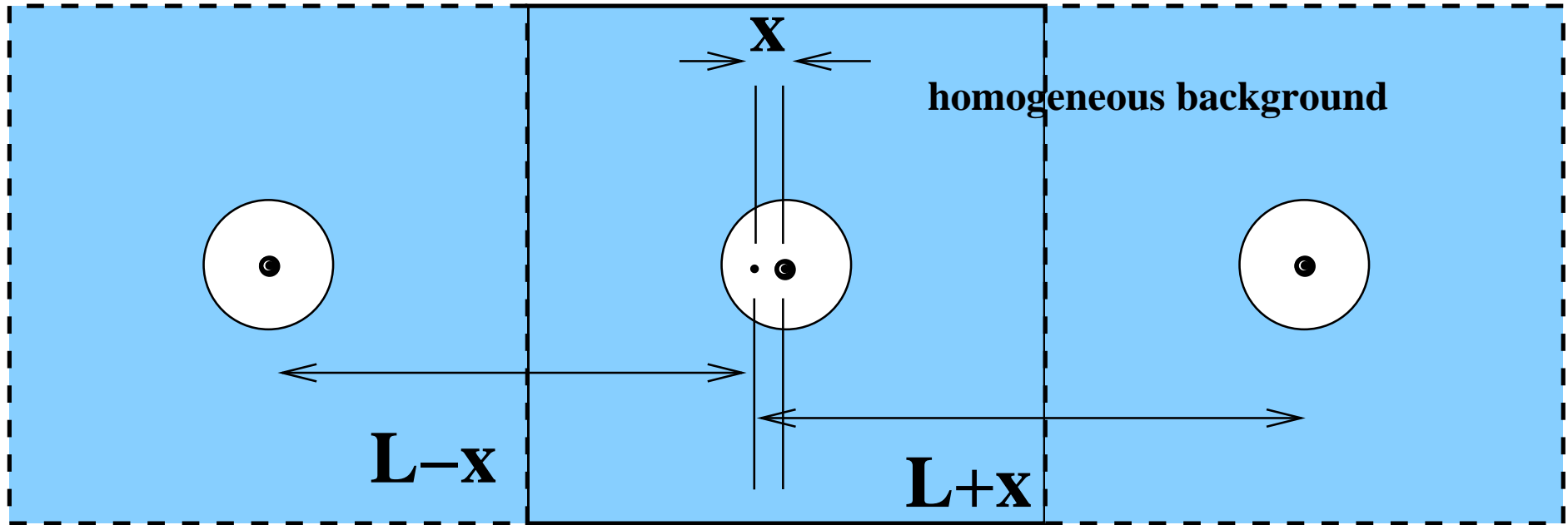
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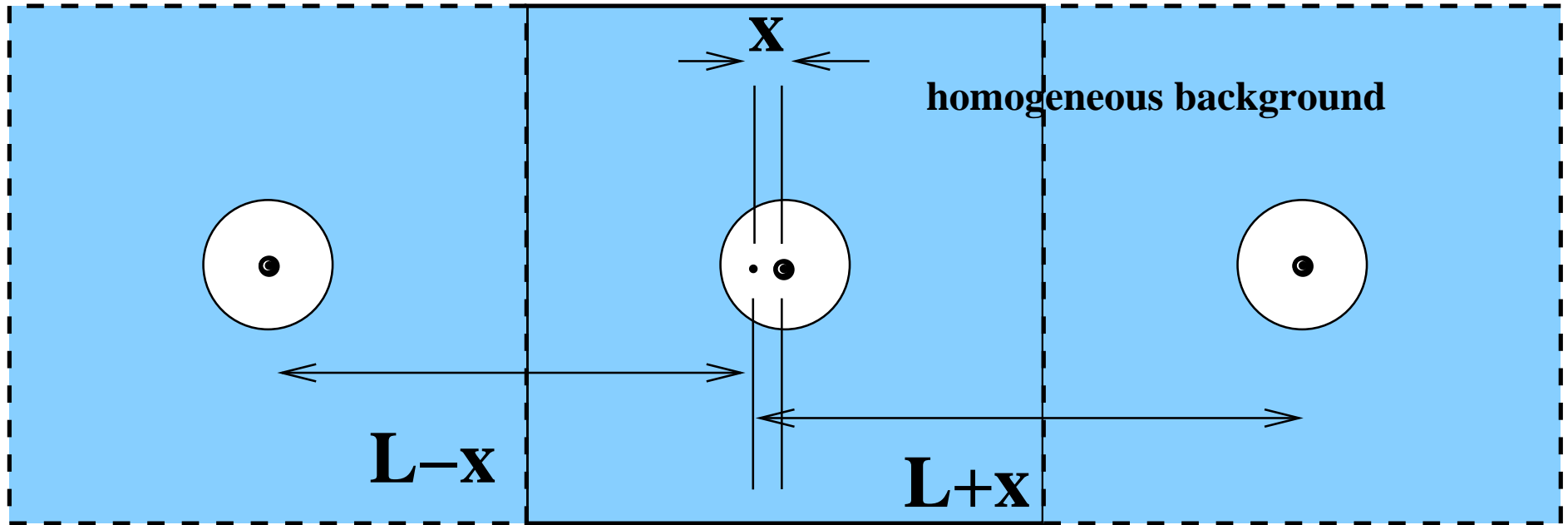


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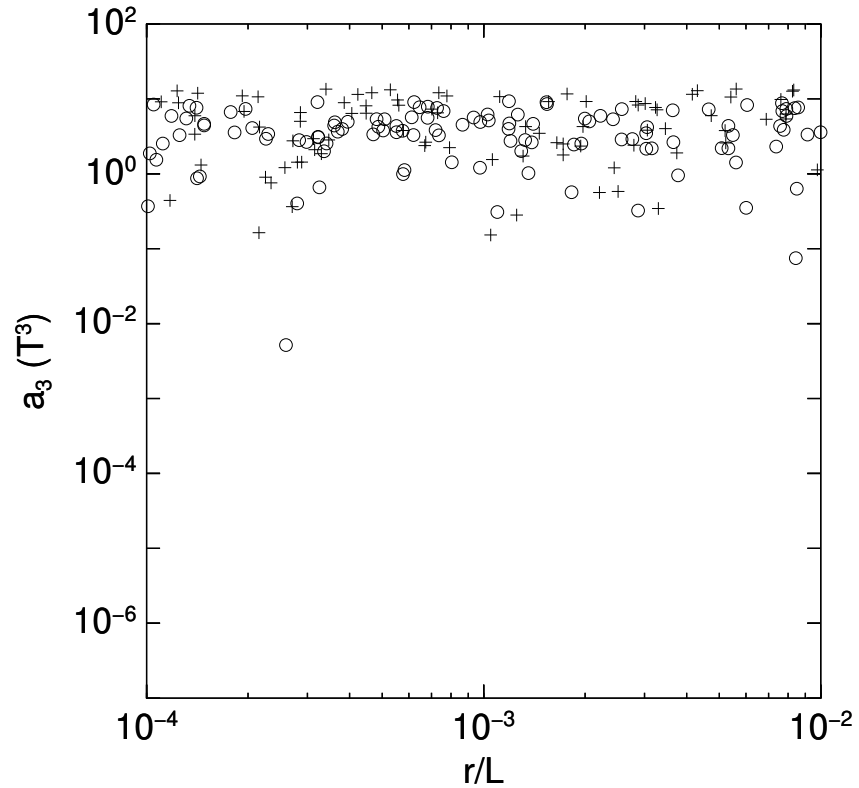
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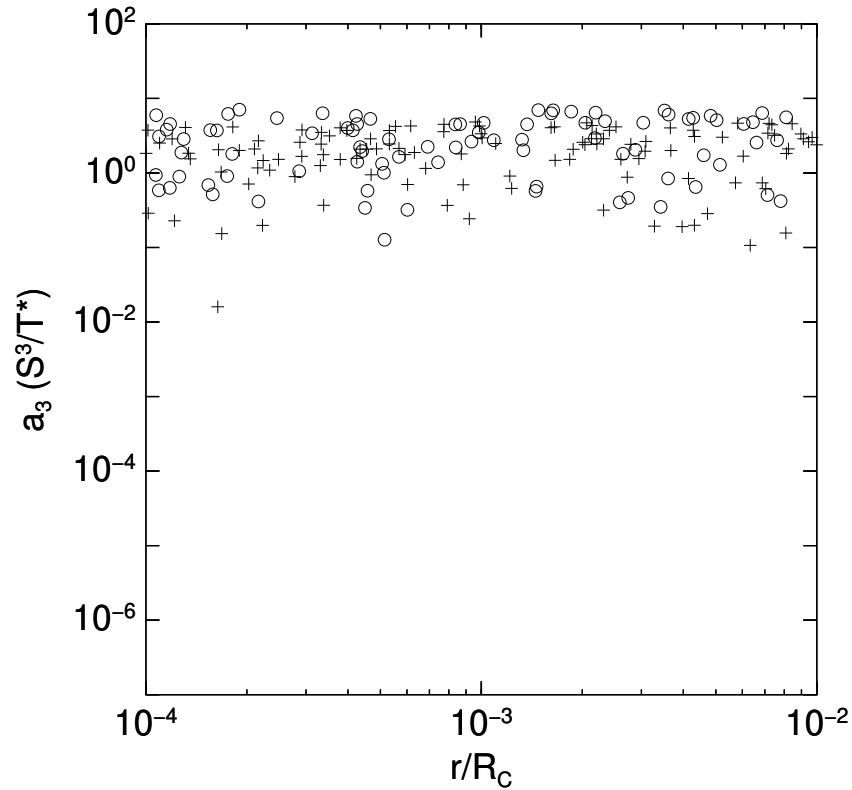
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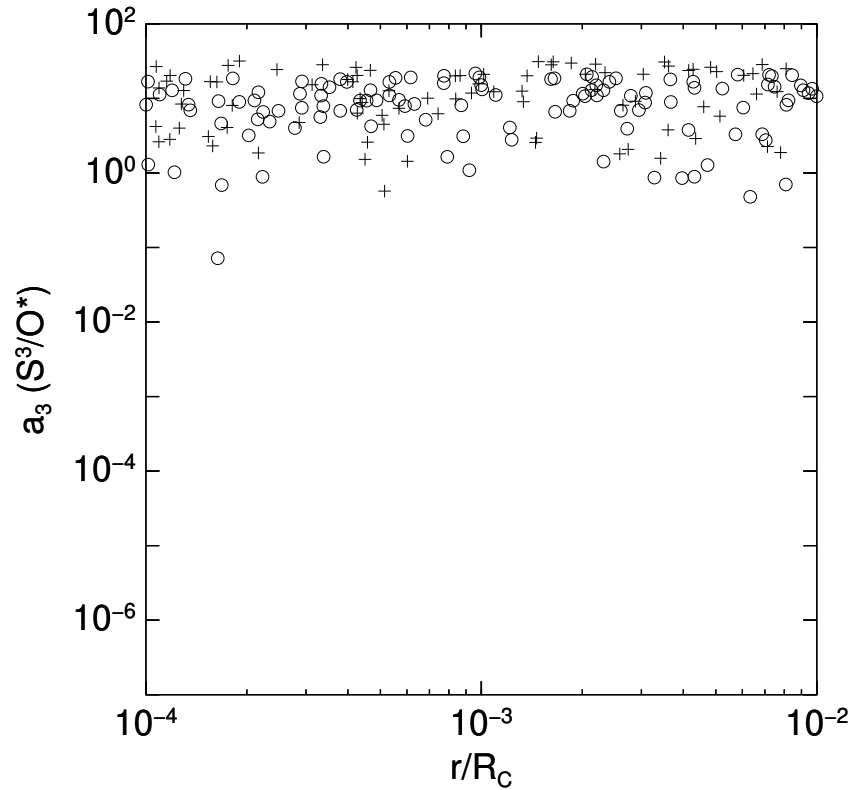
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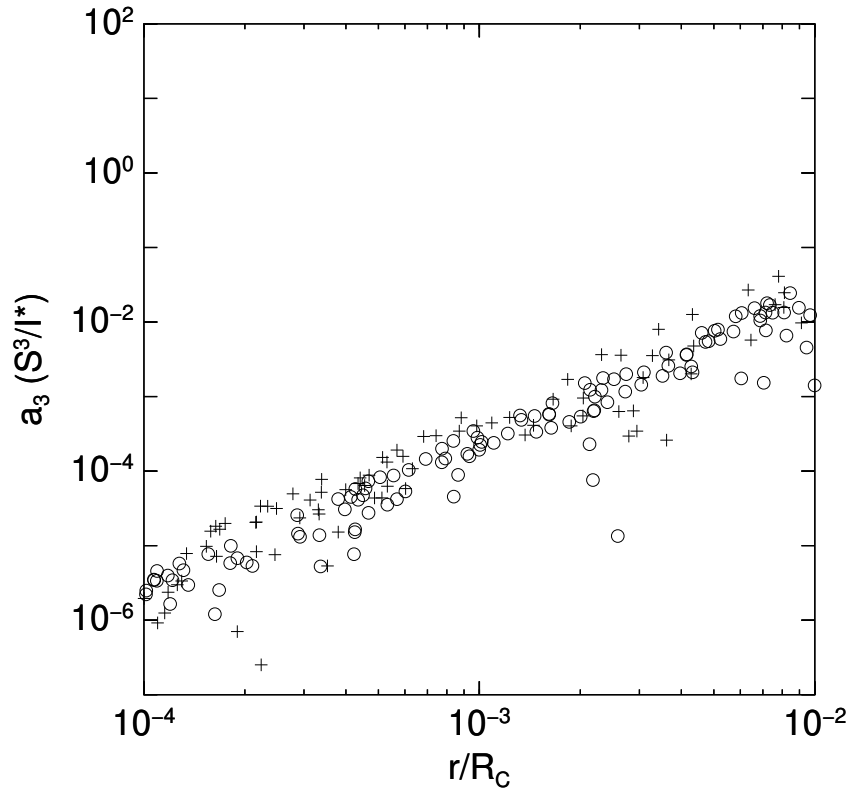
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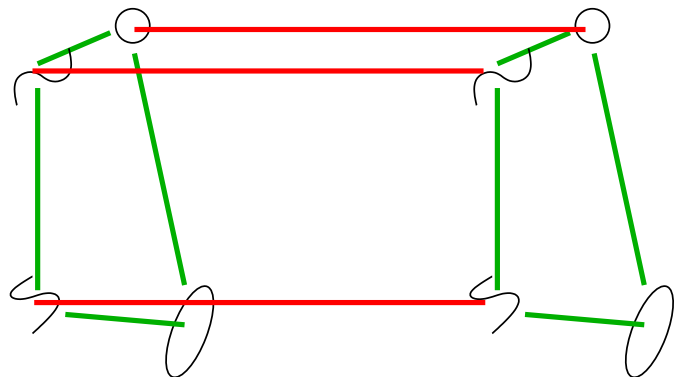
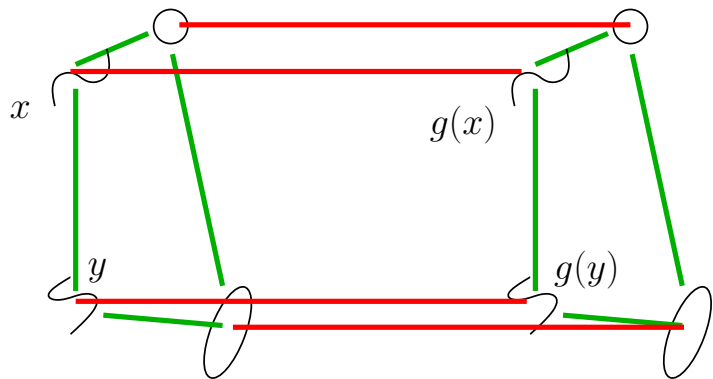
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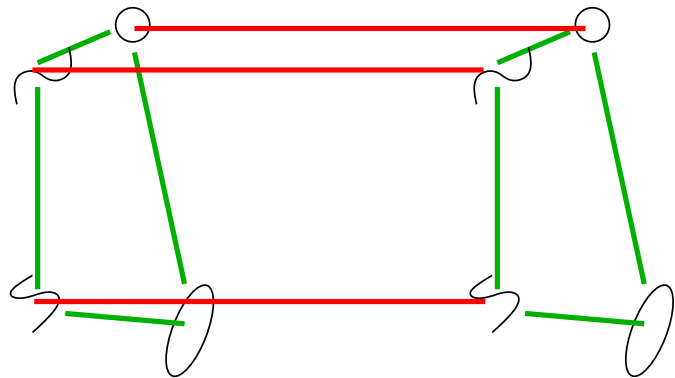
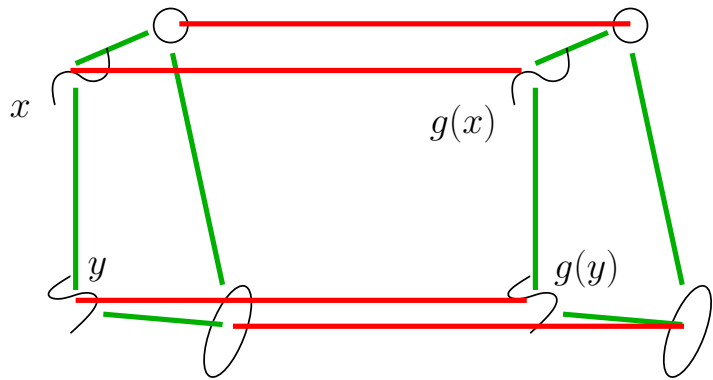
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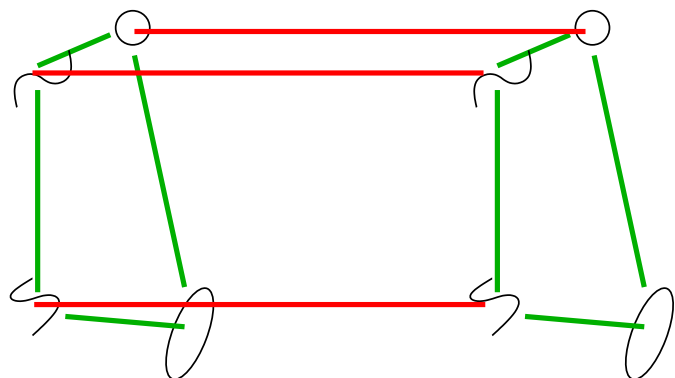
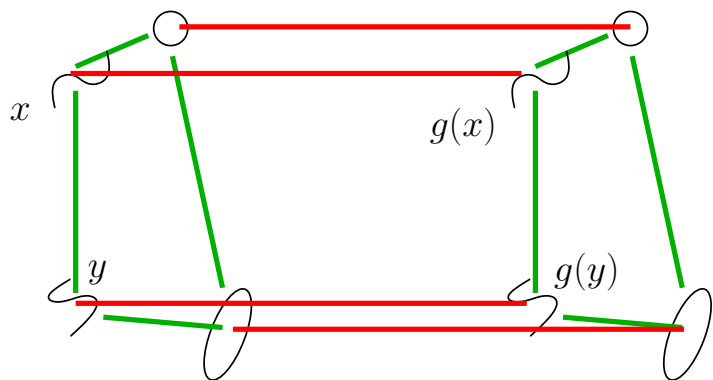


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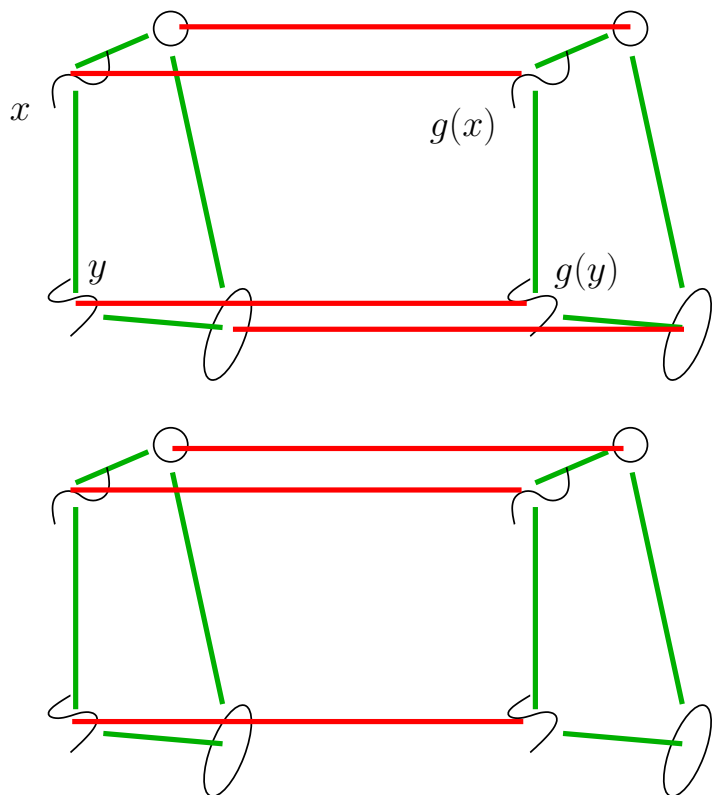
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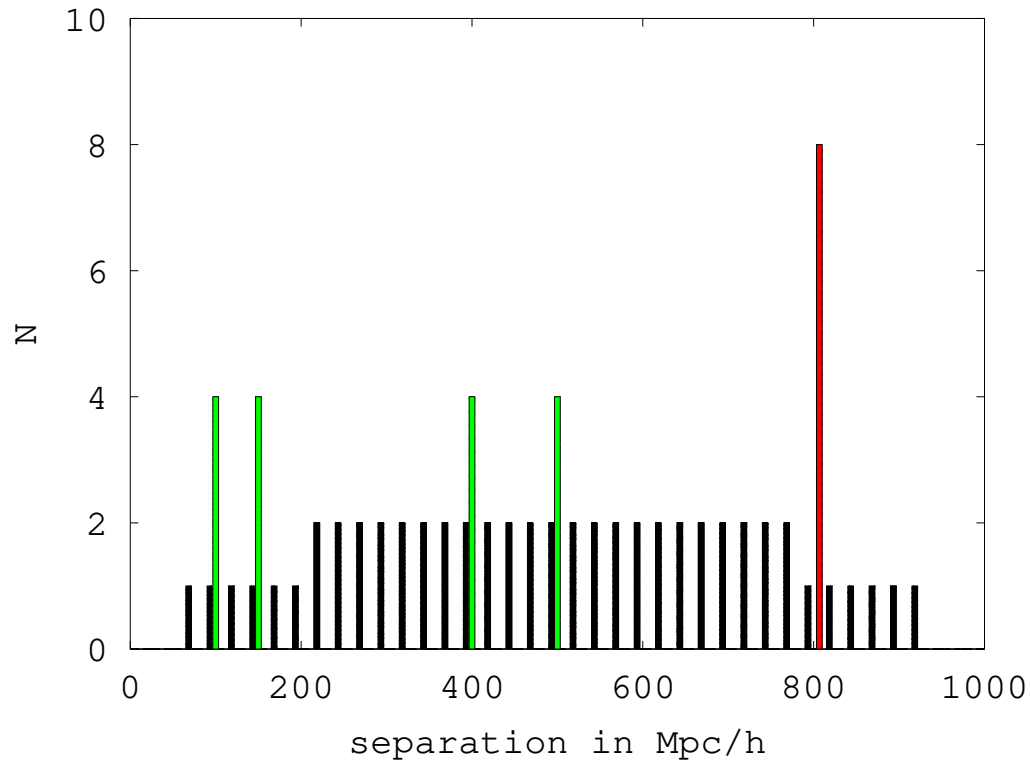


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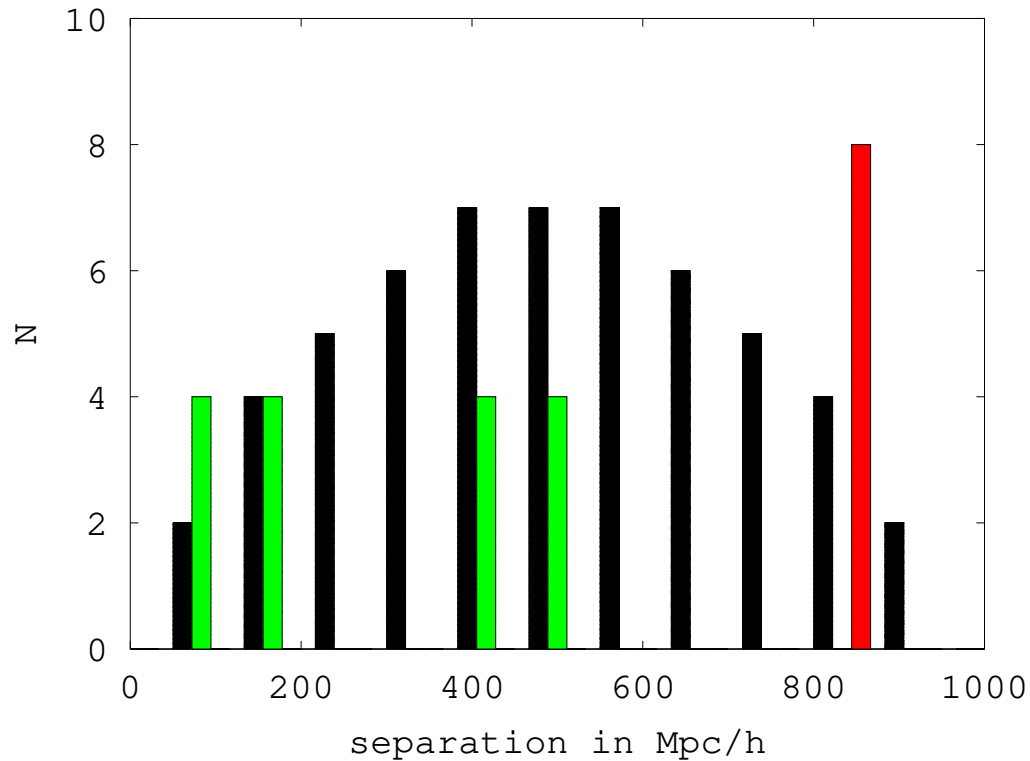


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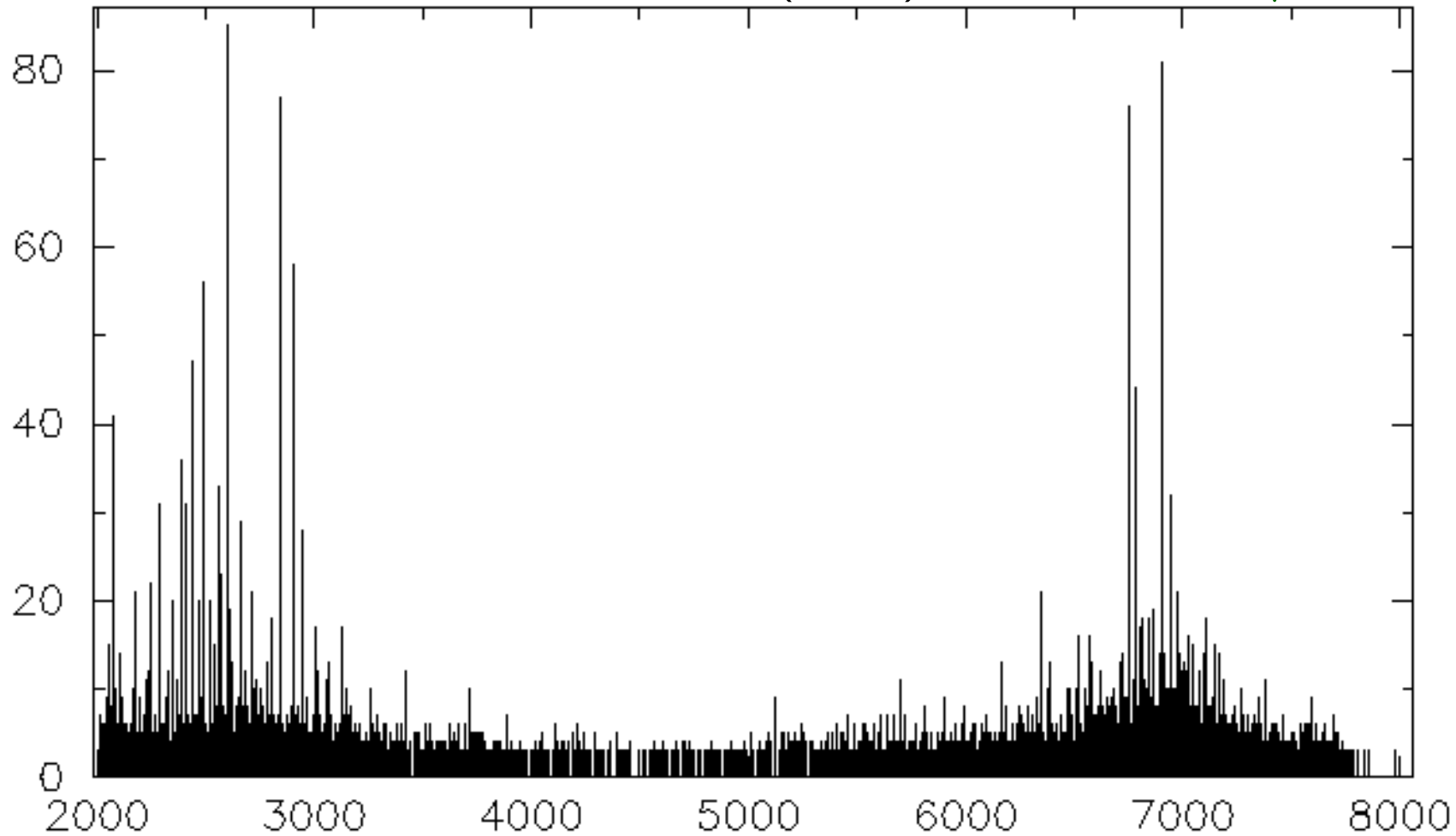
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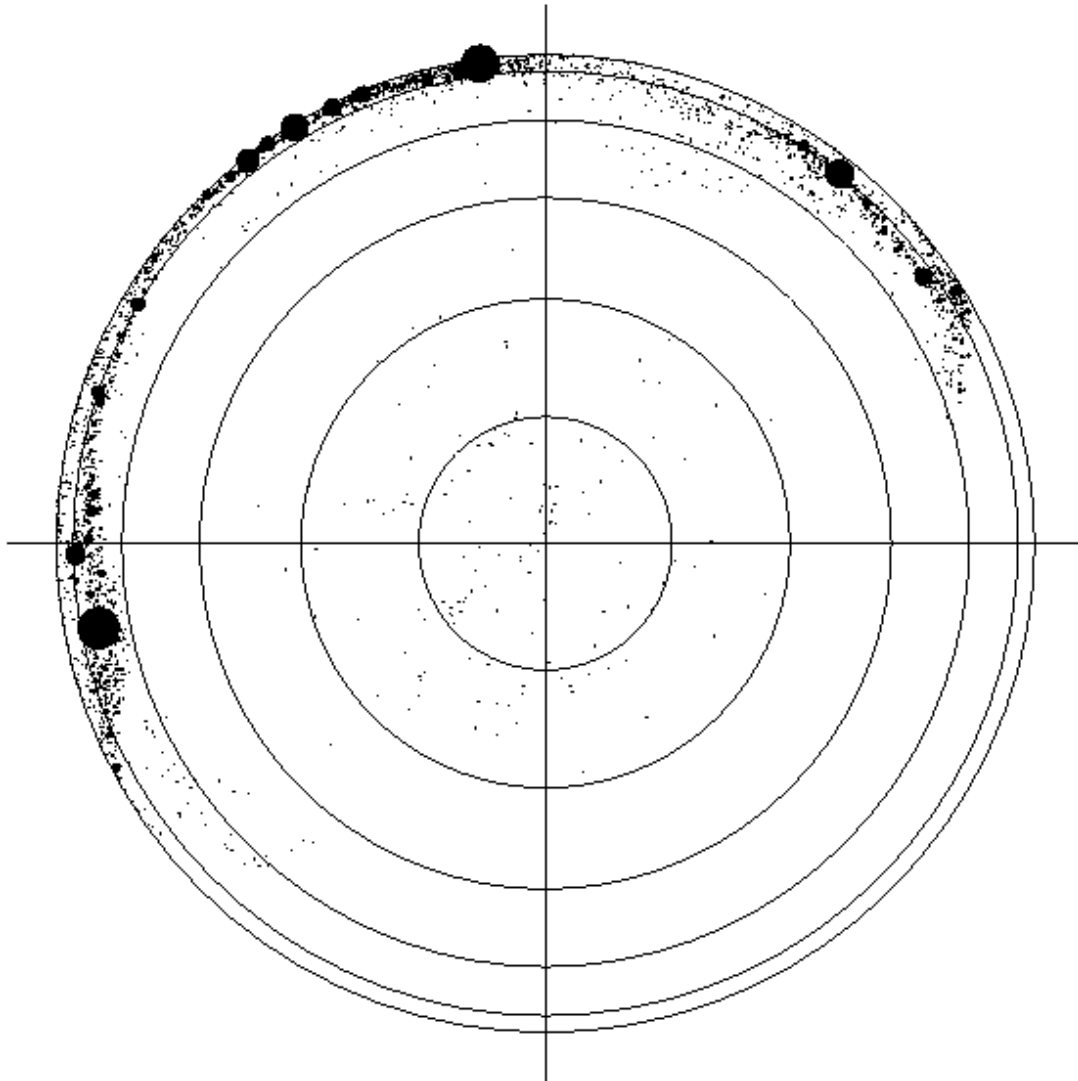
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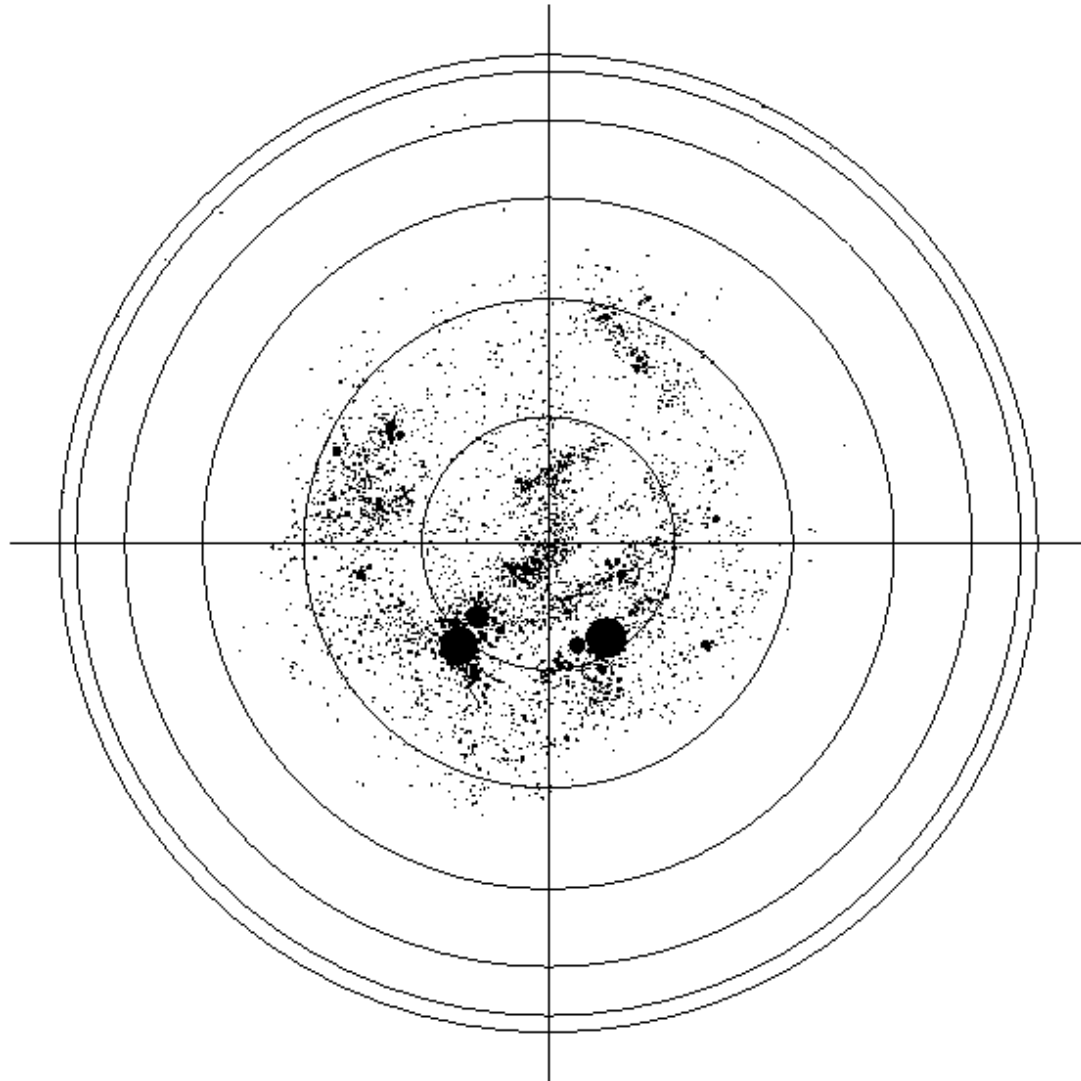
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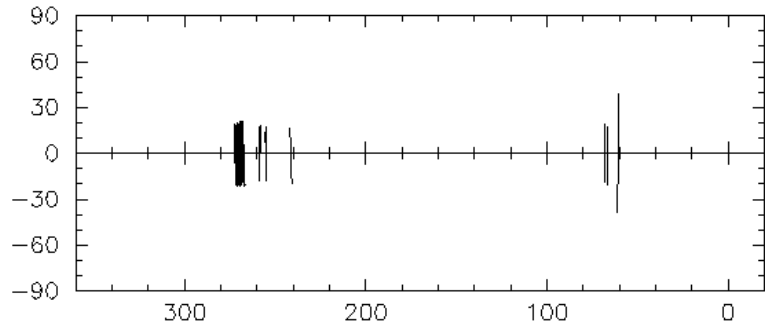
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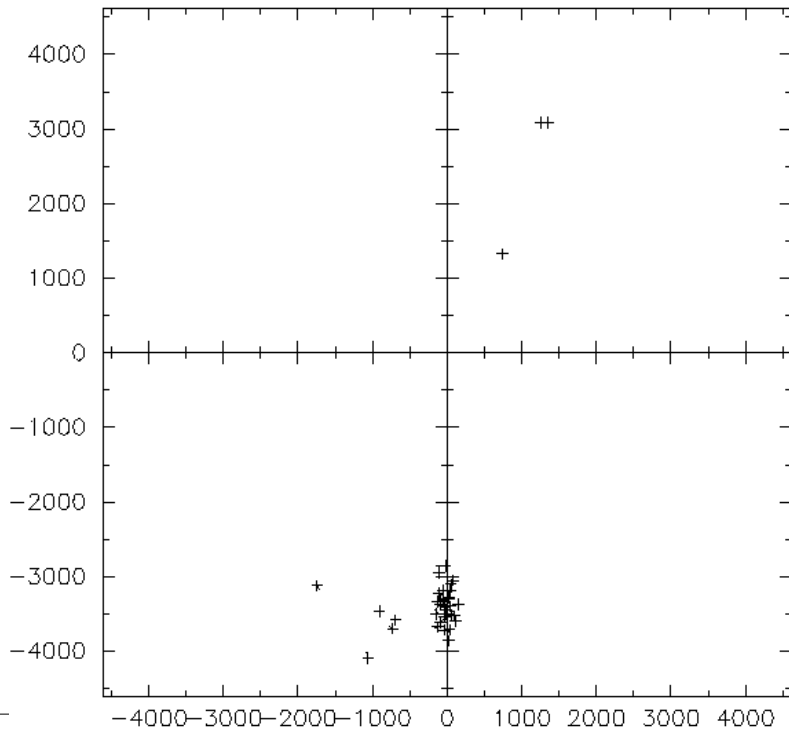


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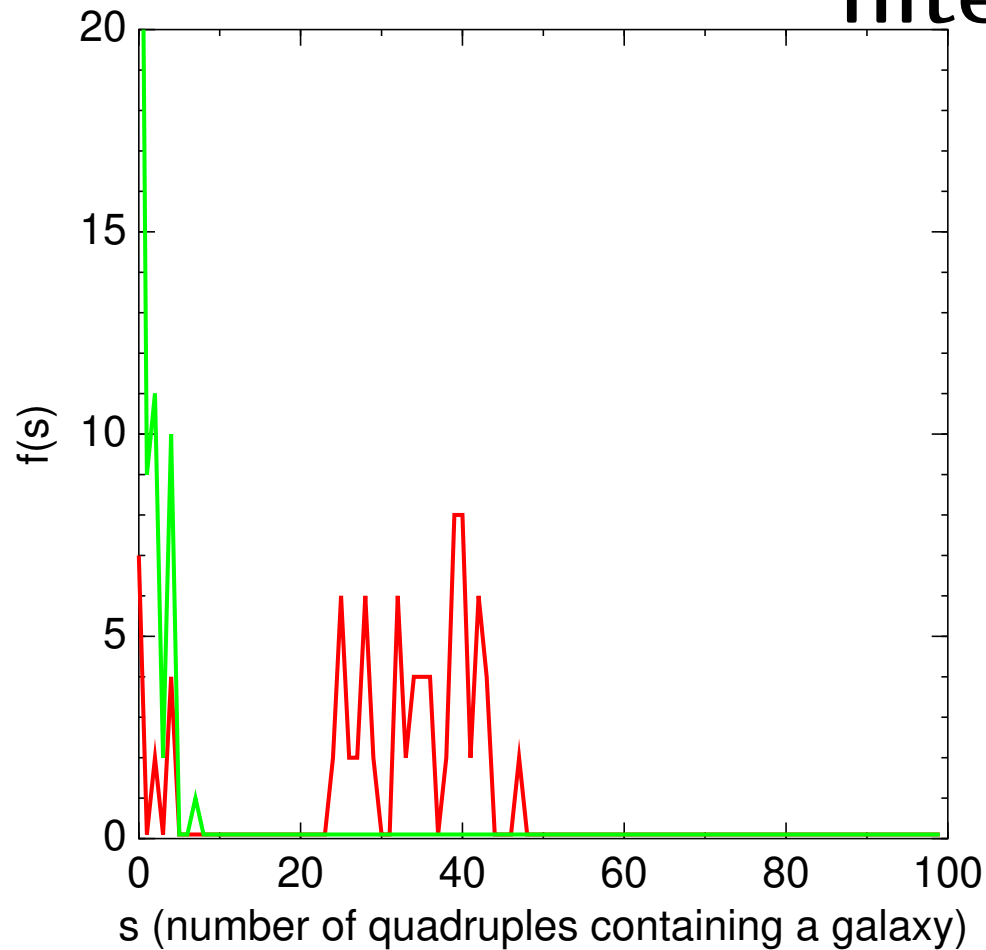
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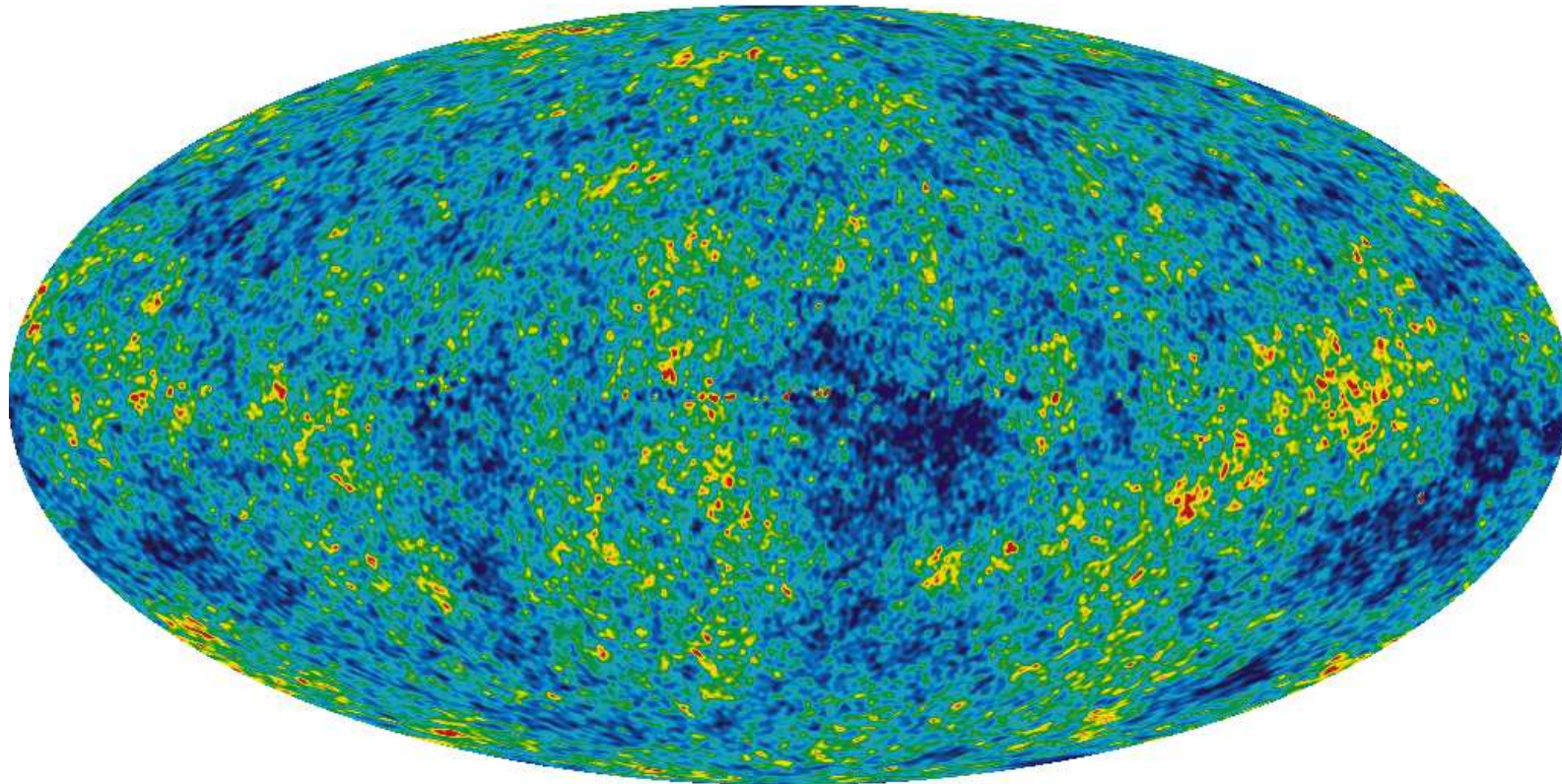


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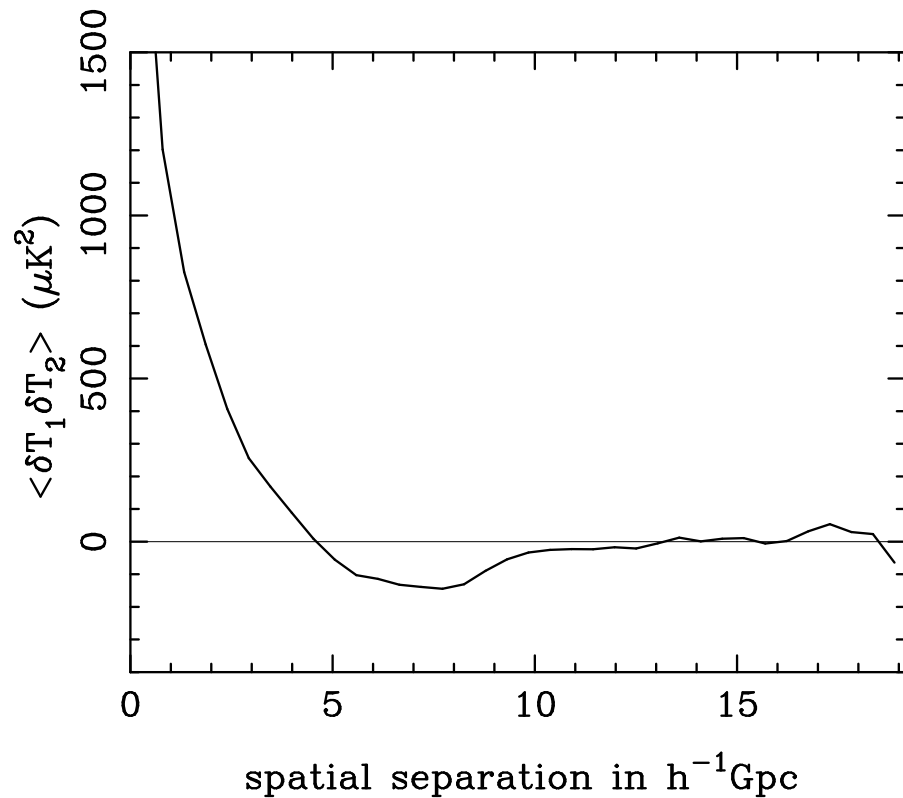
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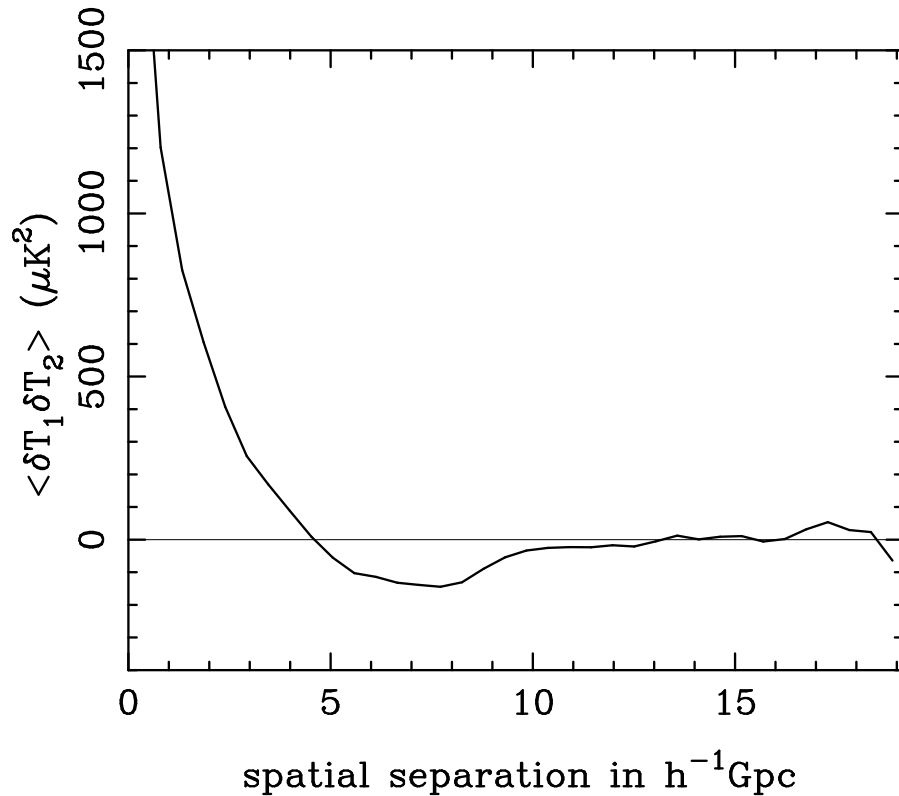
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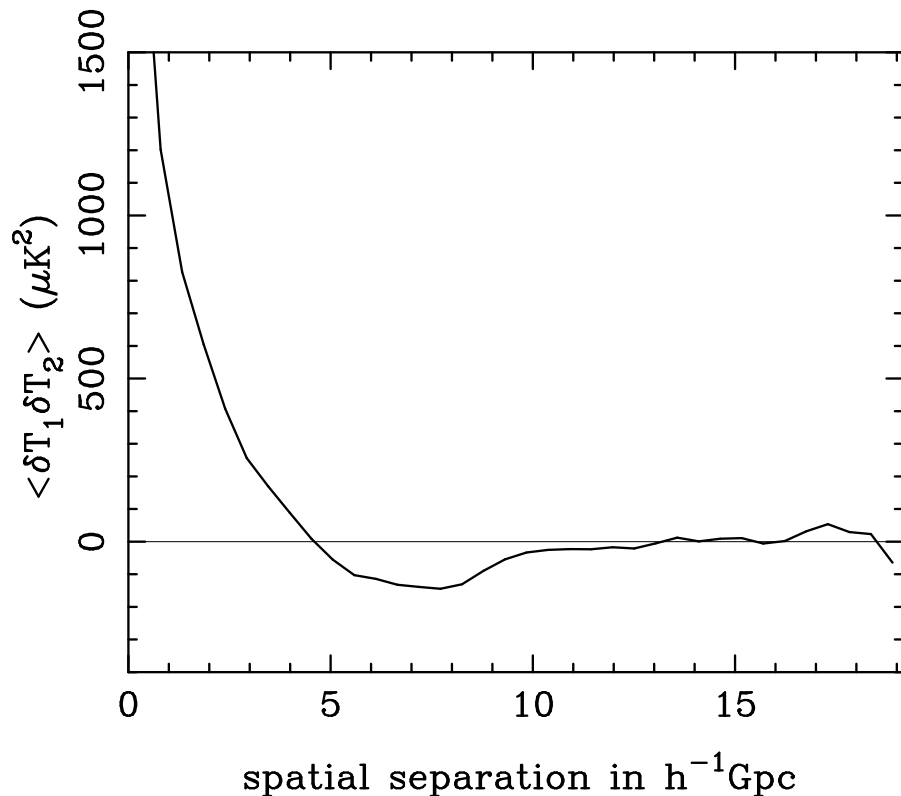
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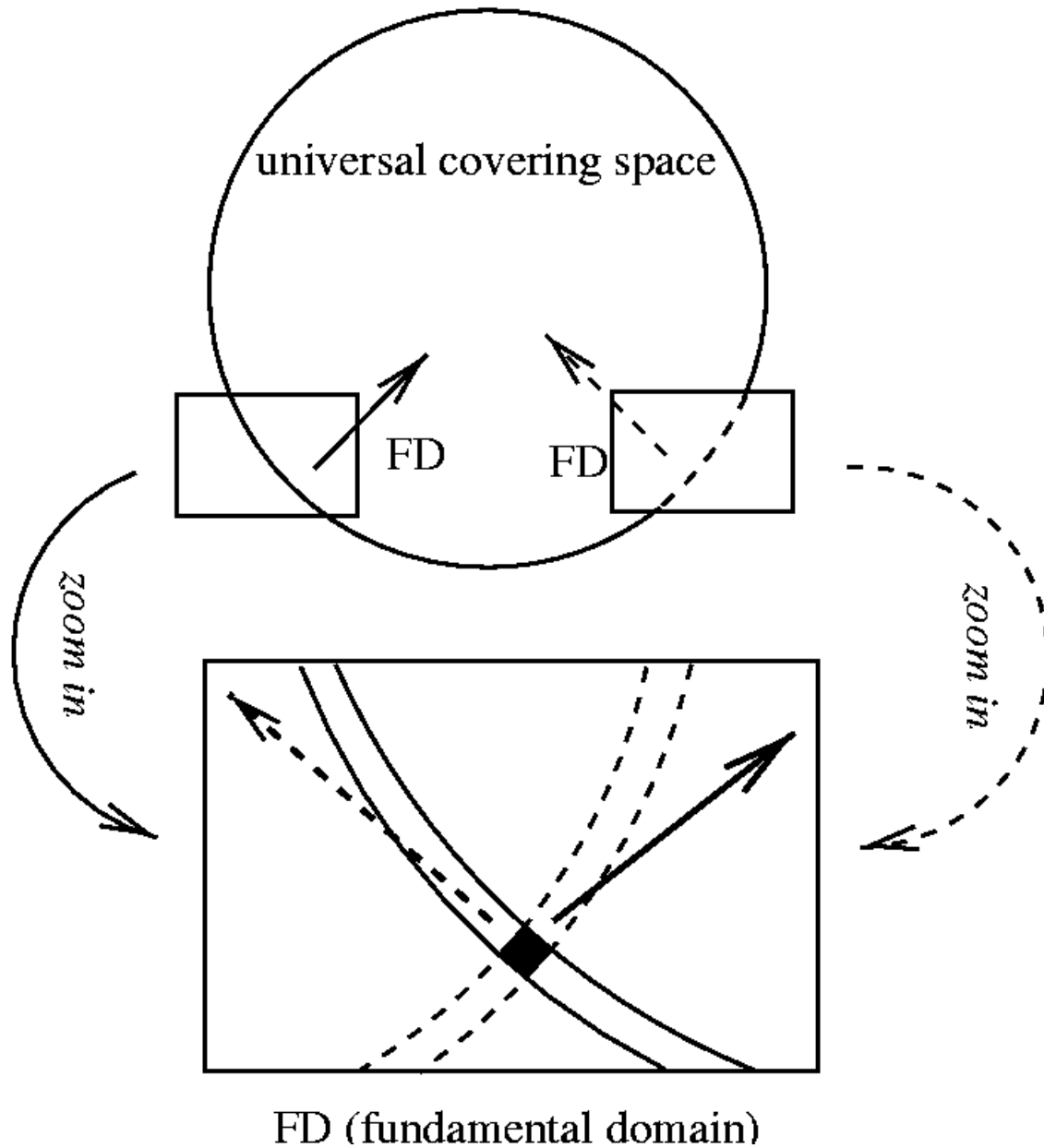
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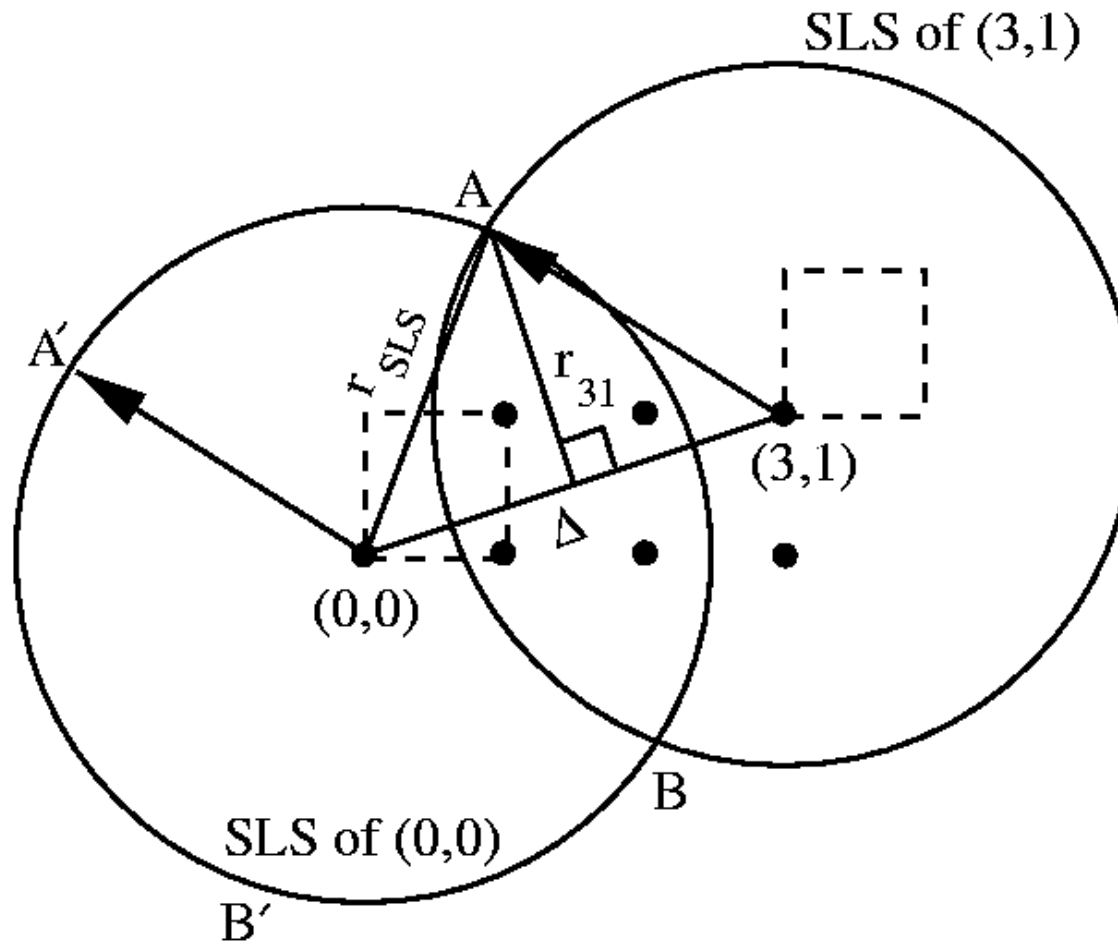
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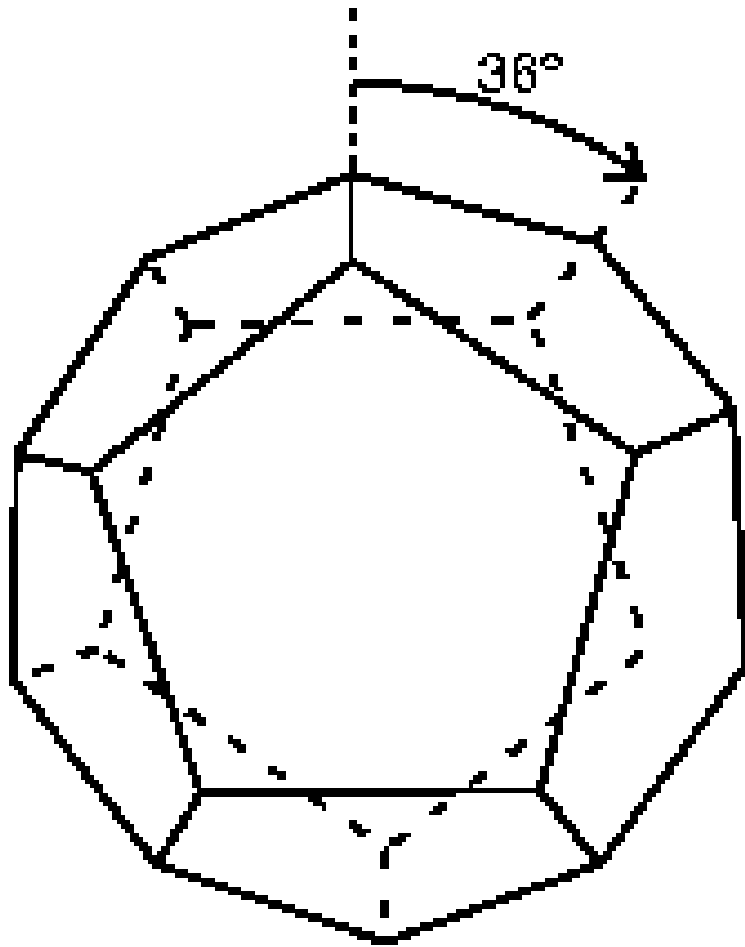
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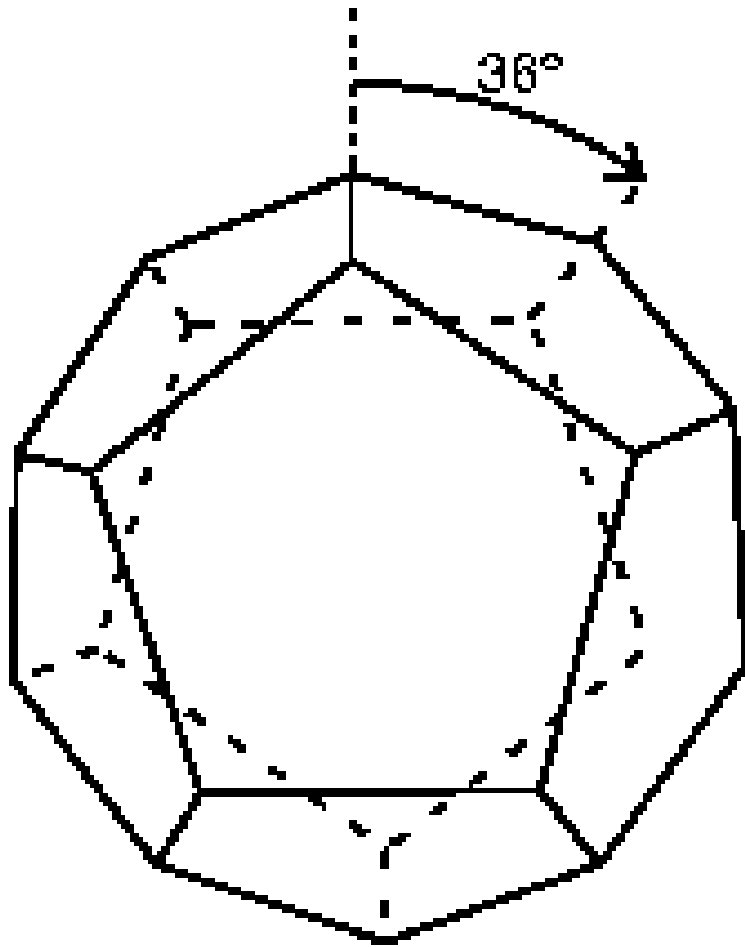


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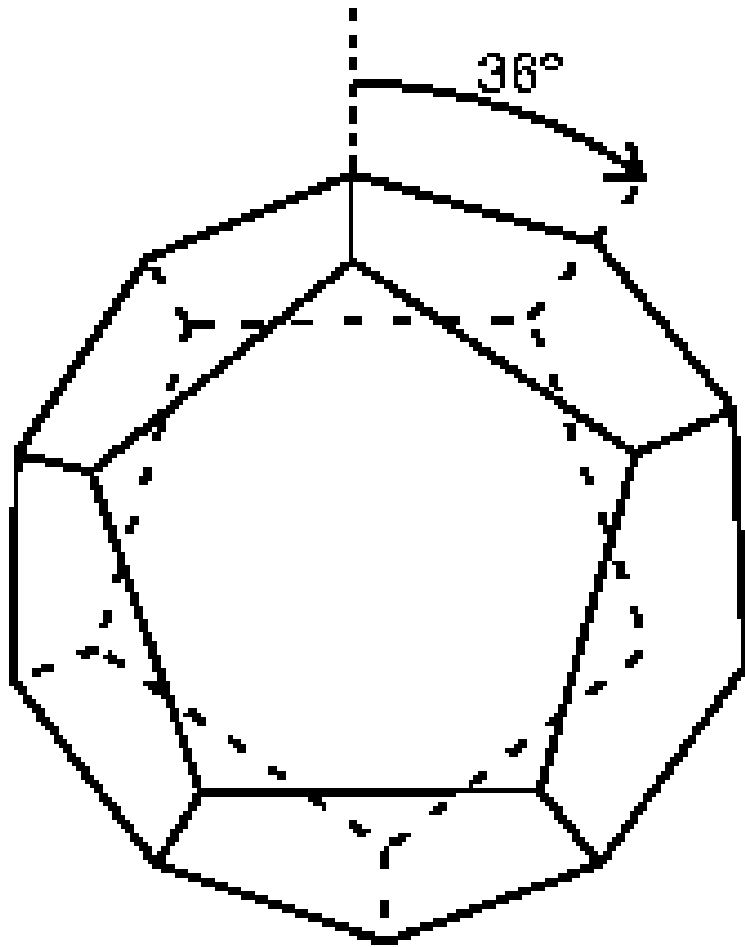
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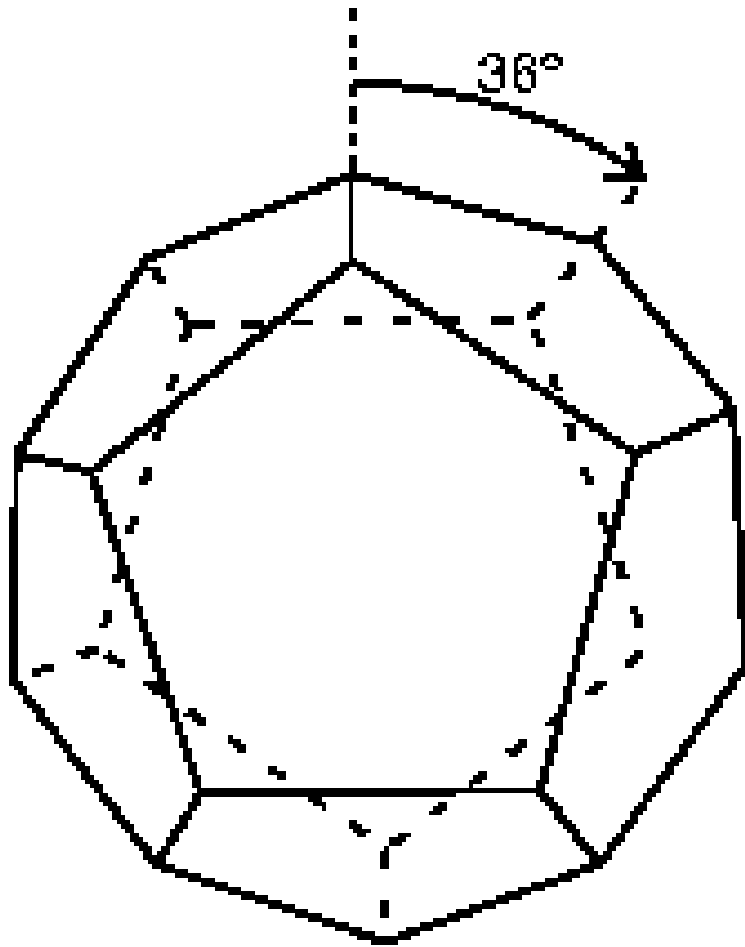
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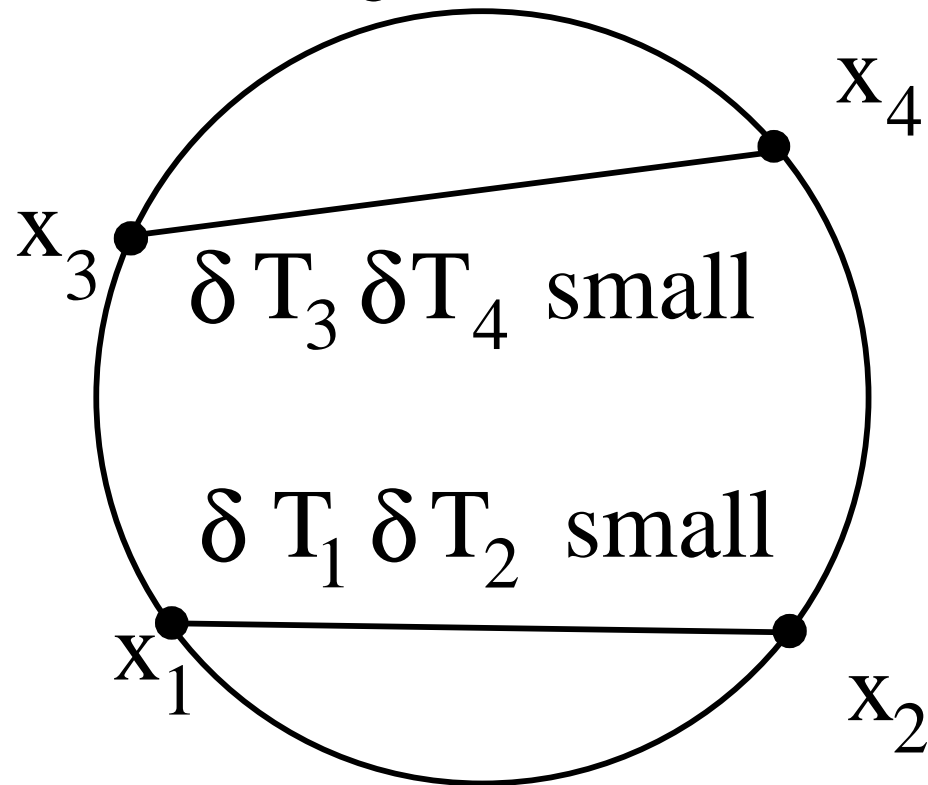
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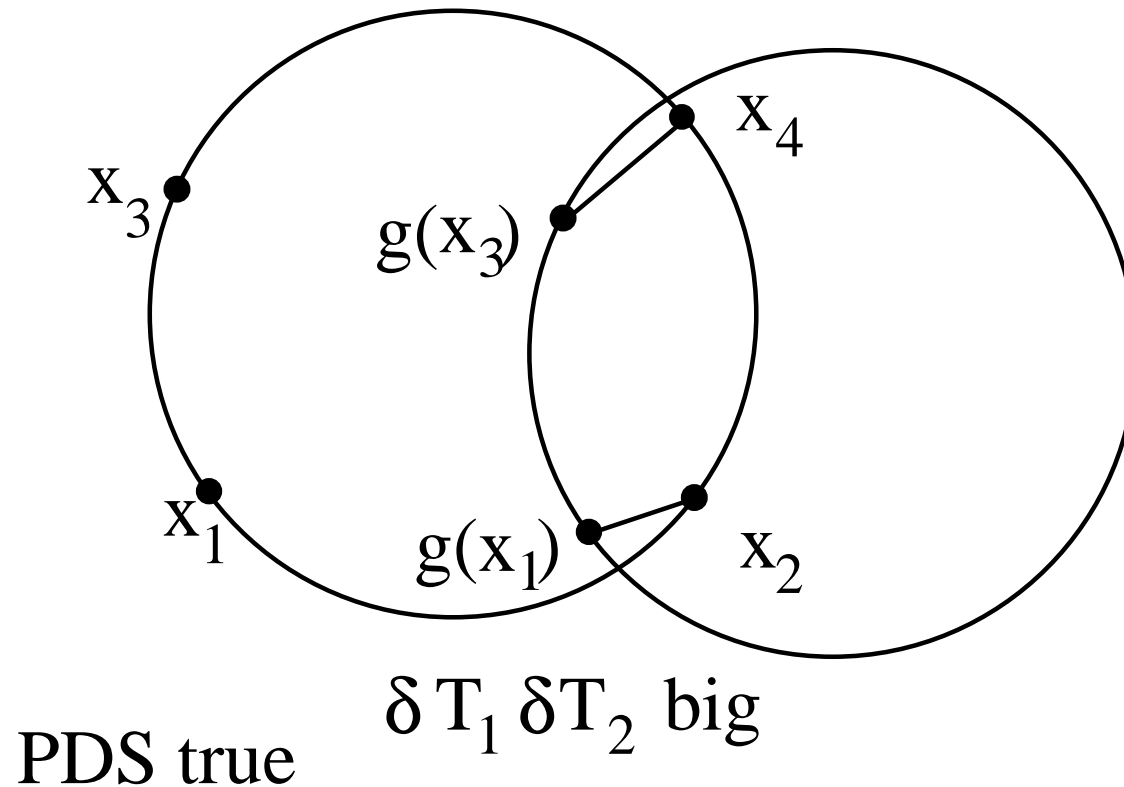


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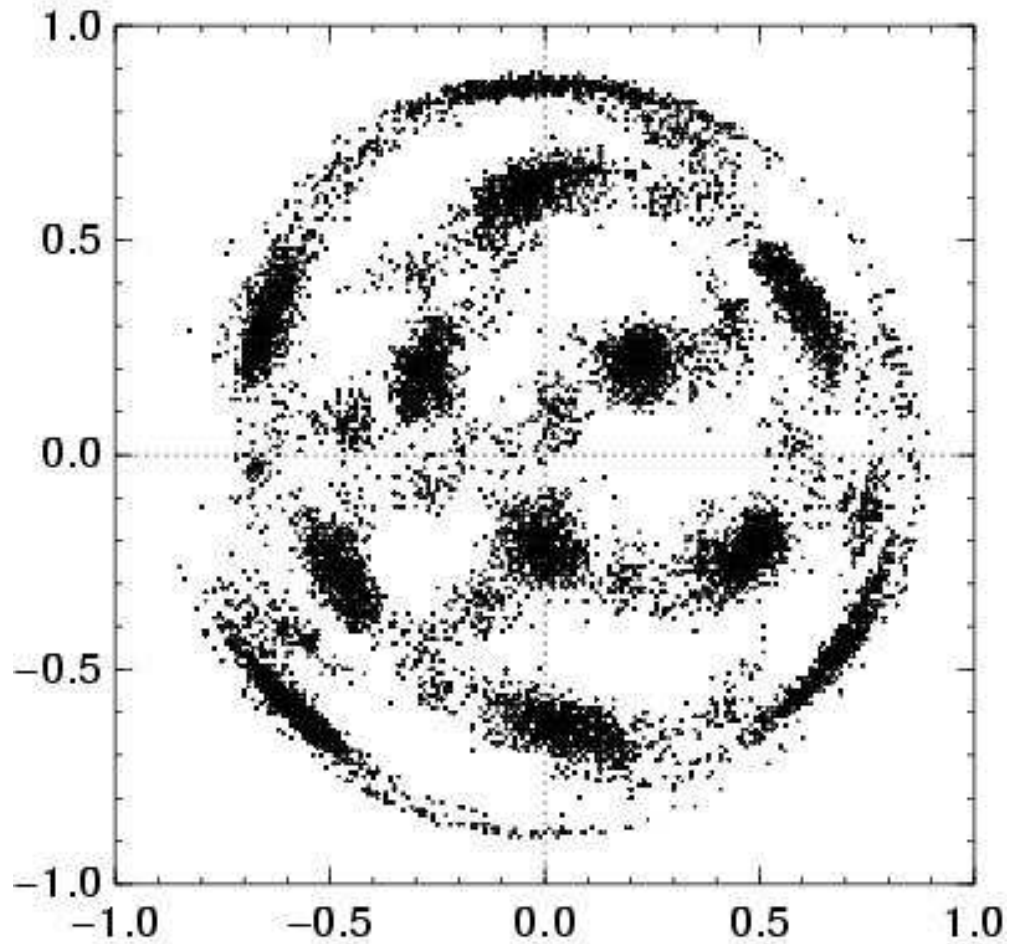
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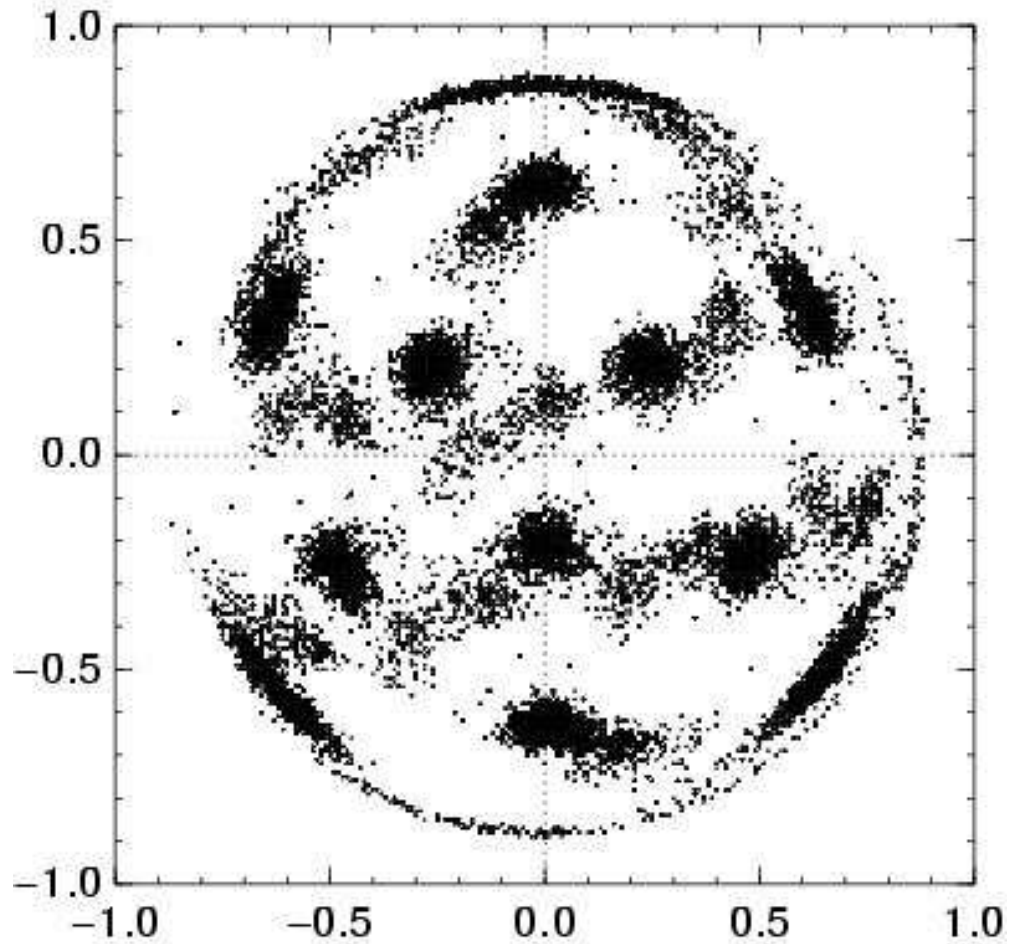
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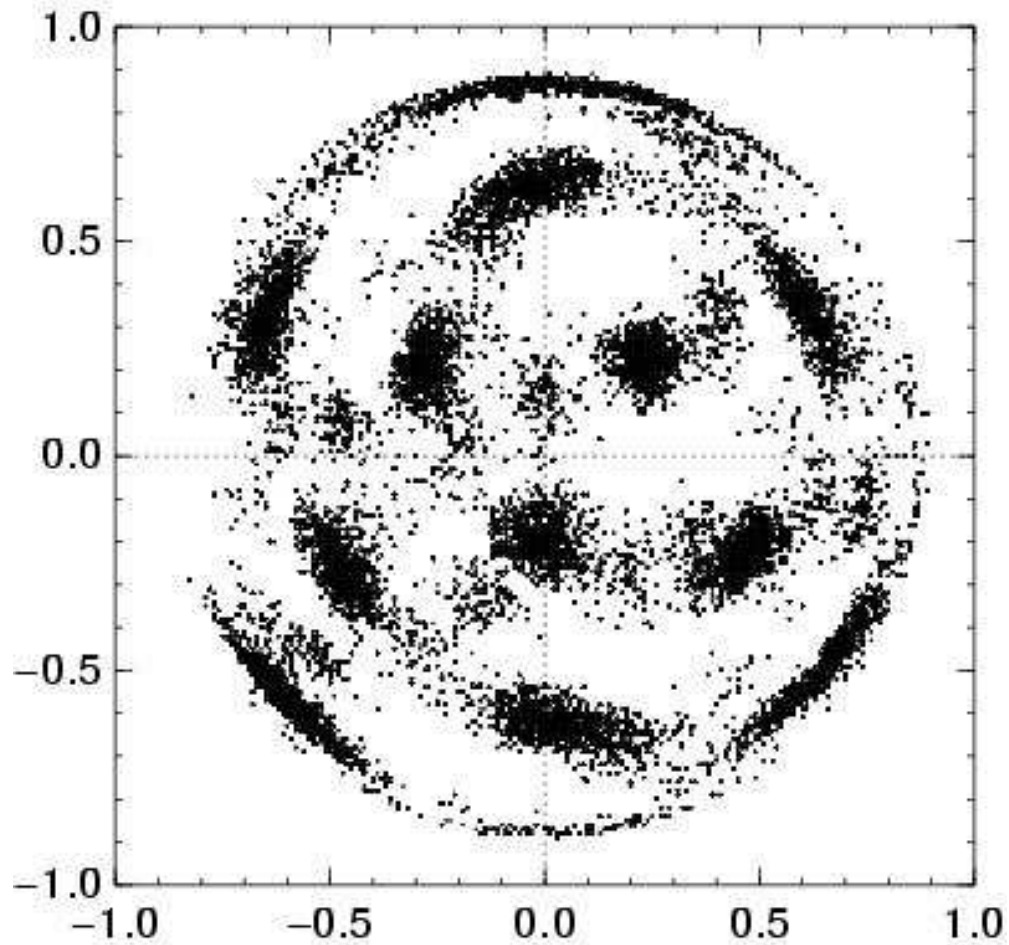
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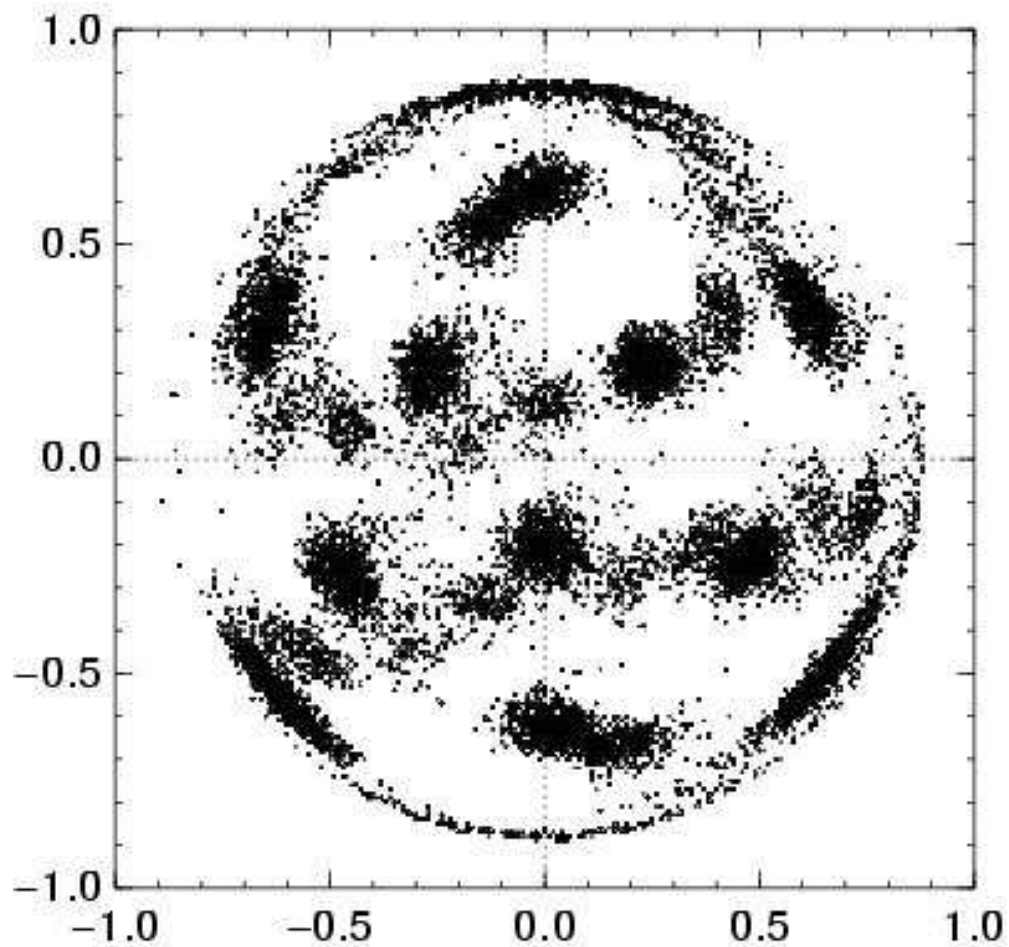
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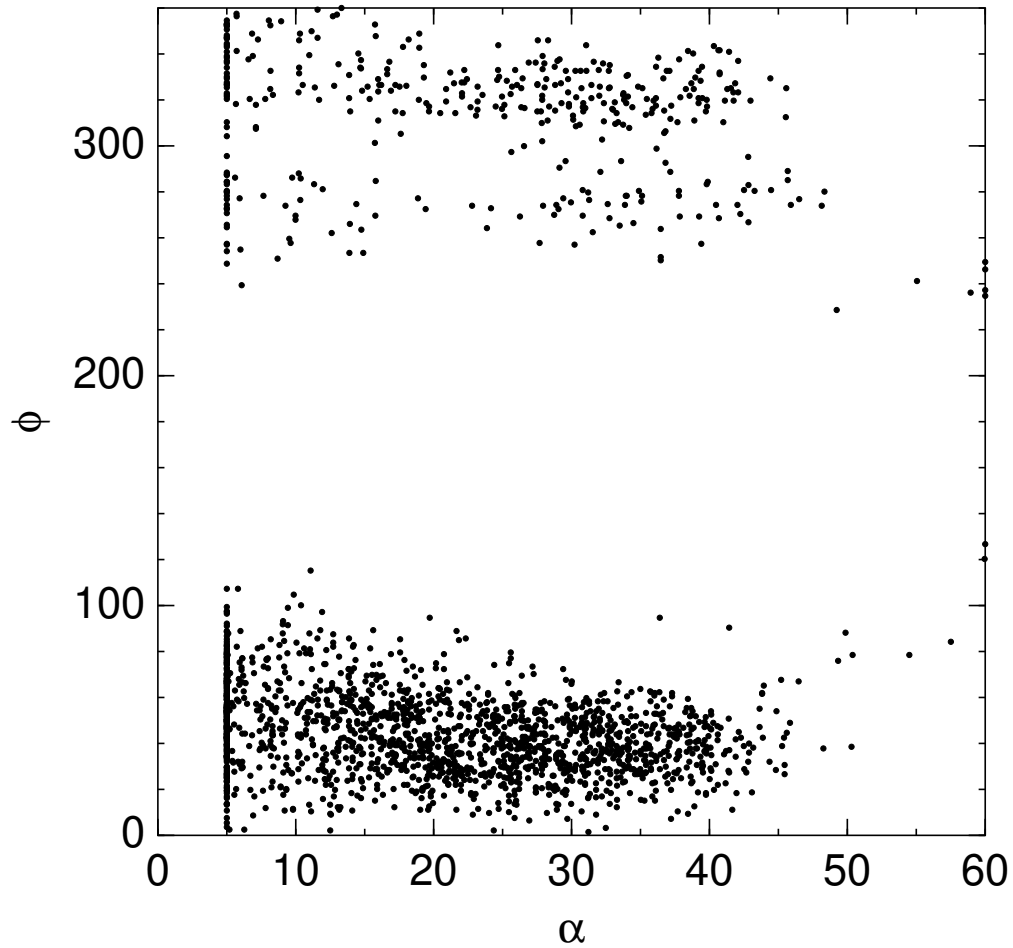
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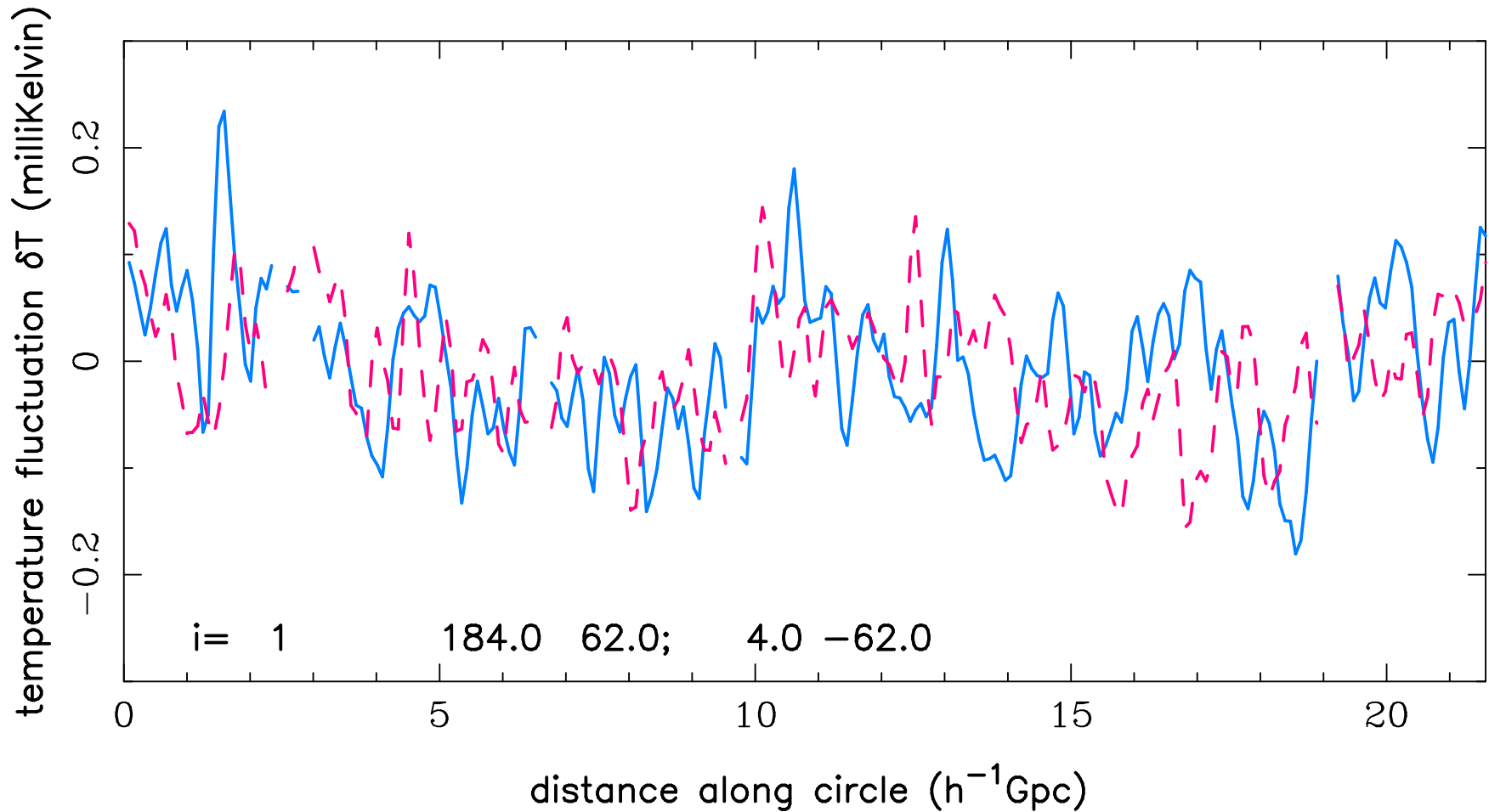


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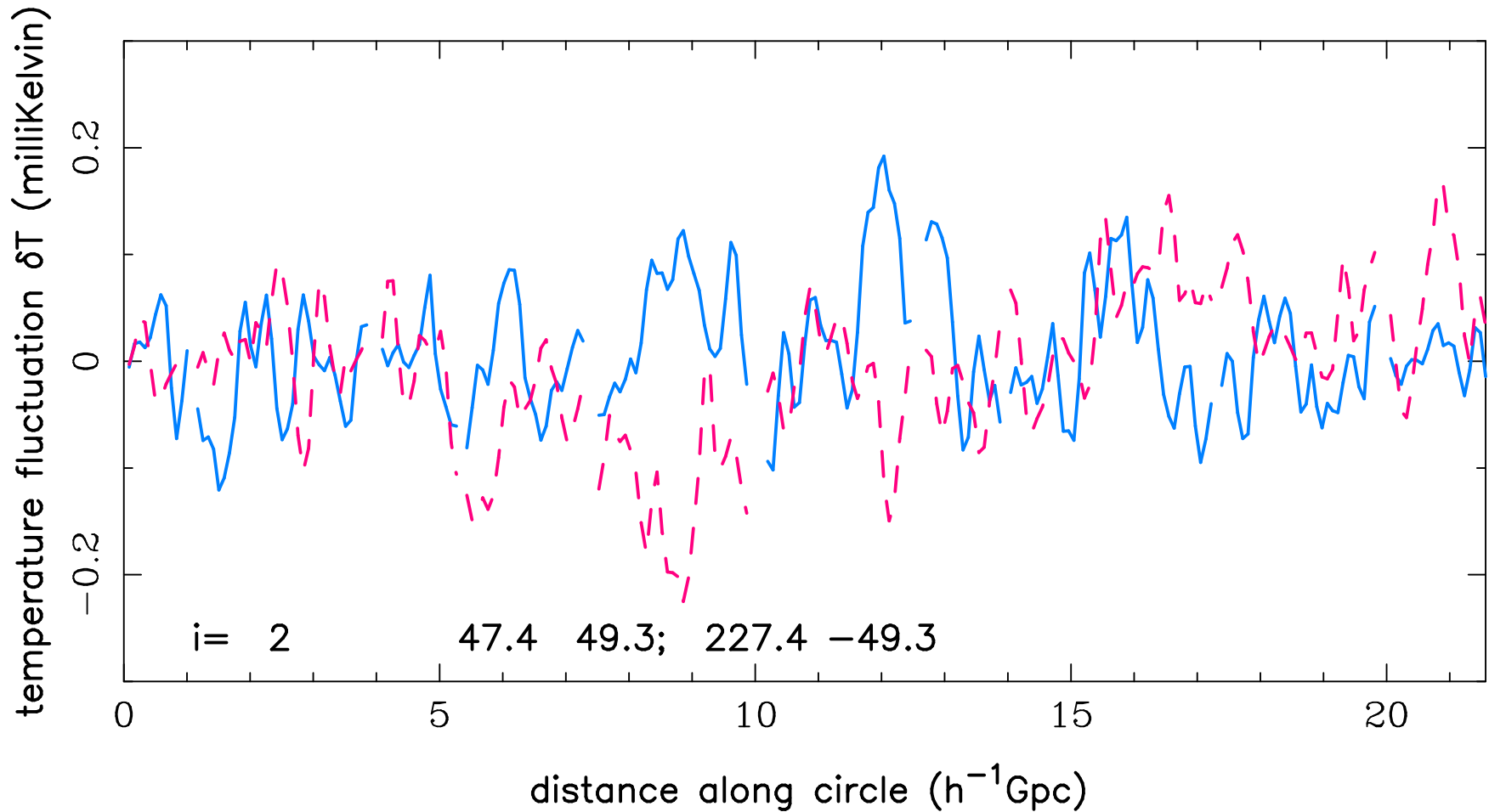
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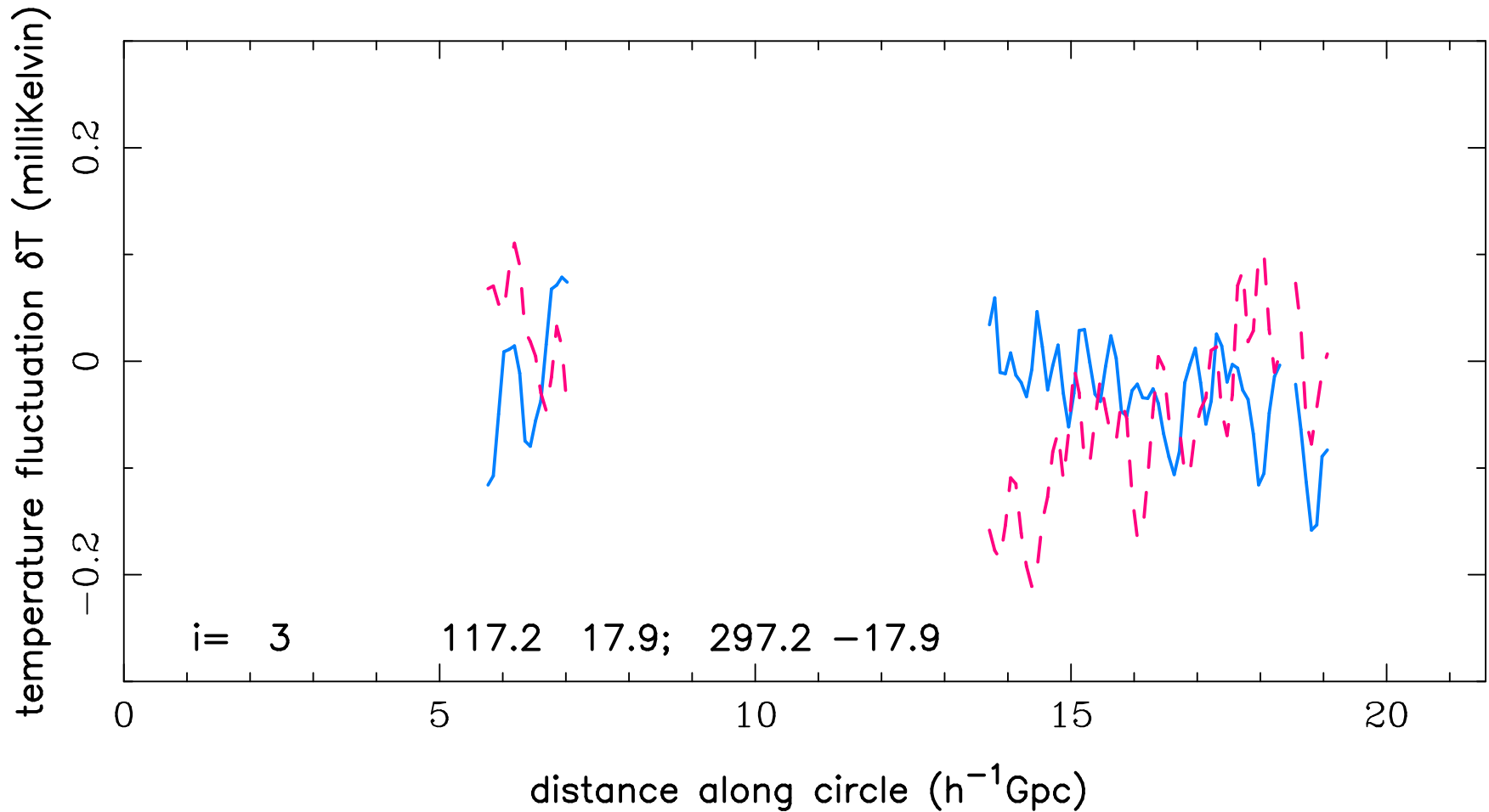
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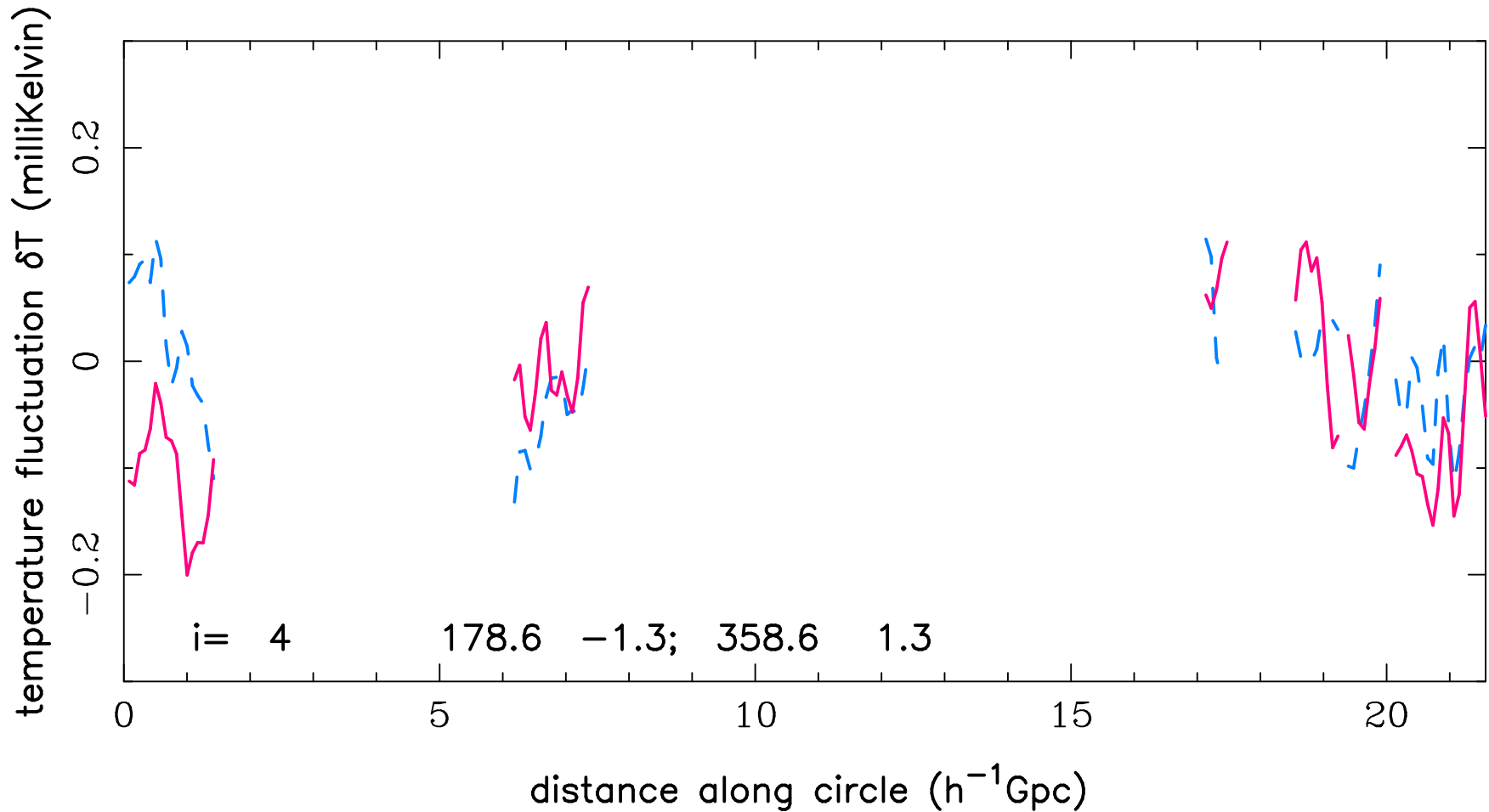
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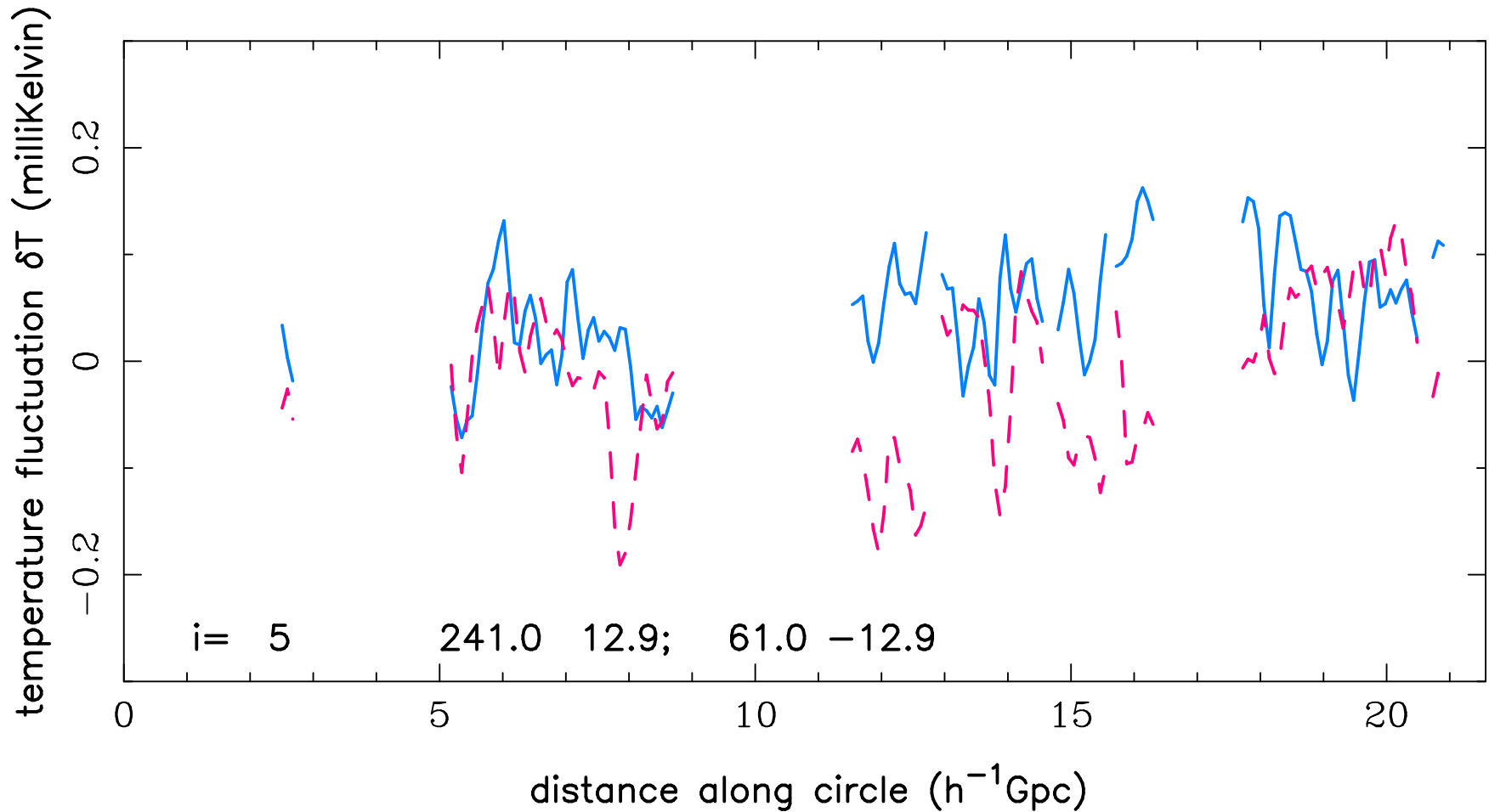
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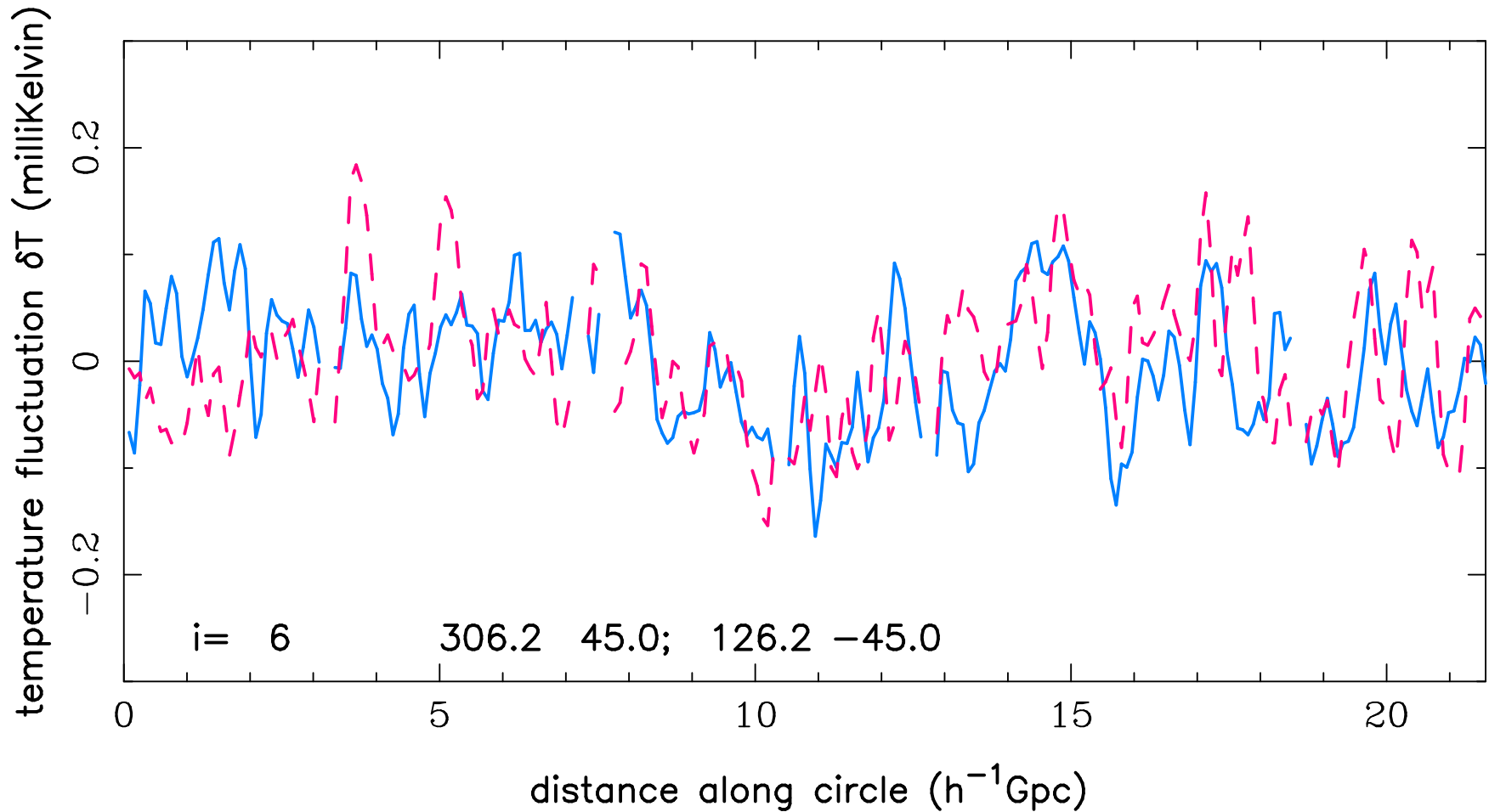
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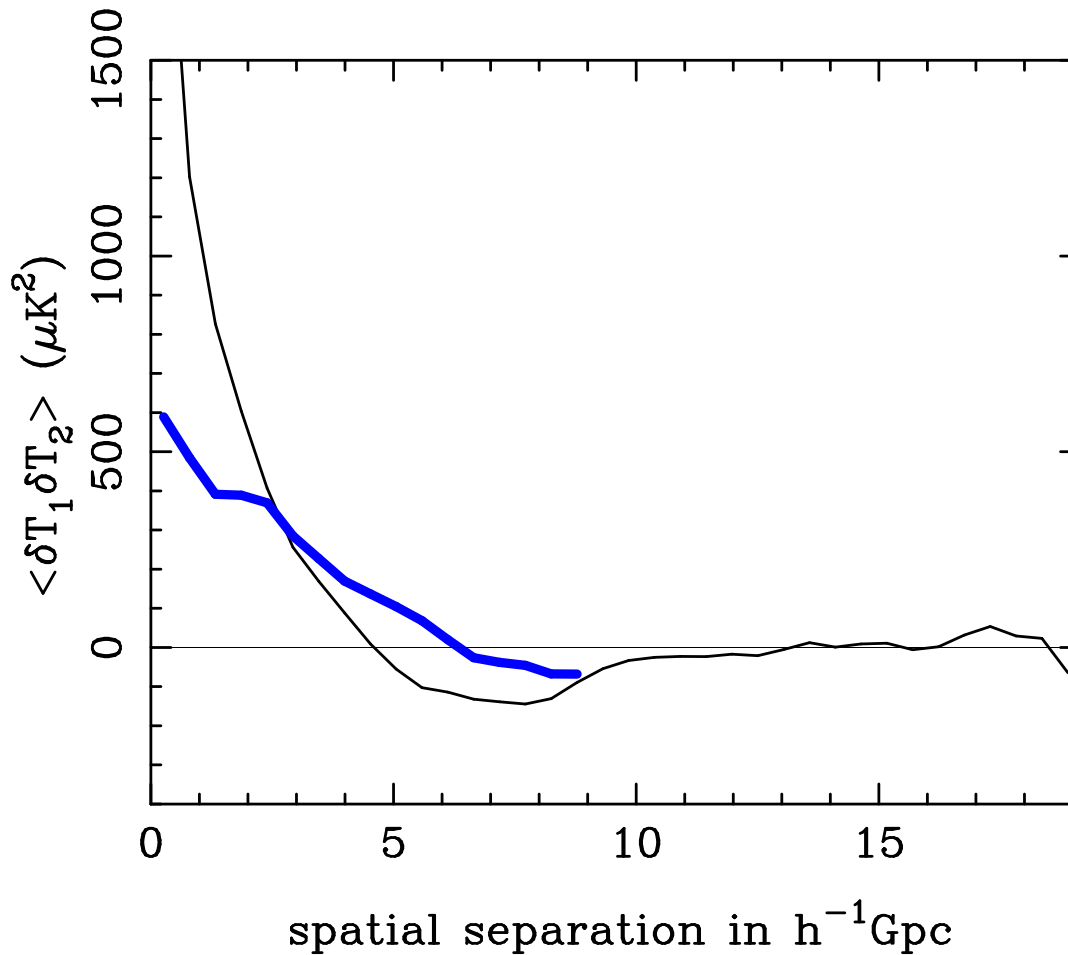


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