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QM/MM approaches in *ab initio* molecular dynamics

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Outline

- Overview of the QM/MM methodology
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Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2013

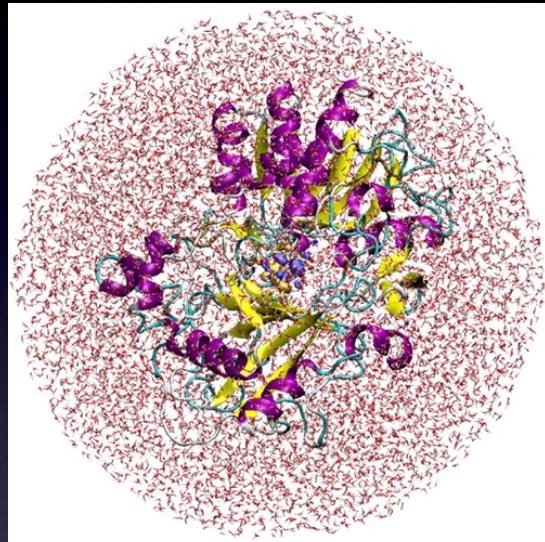
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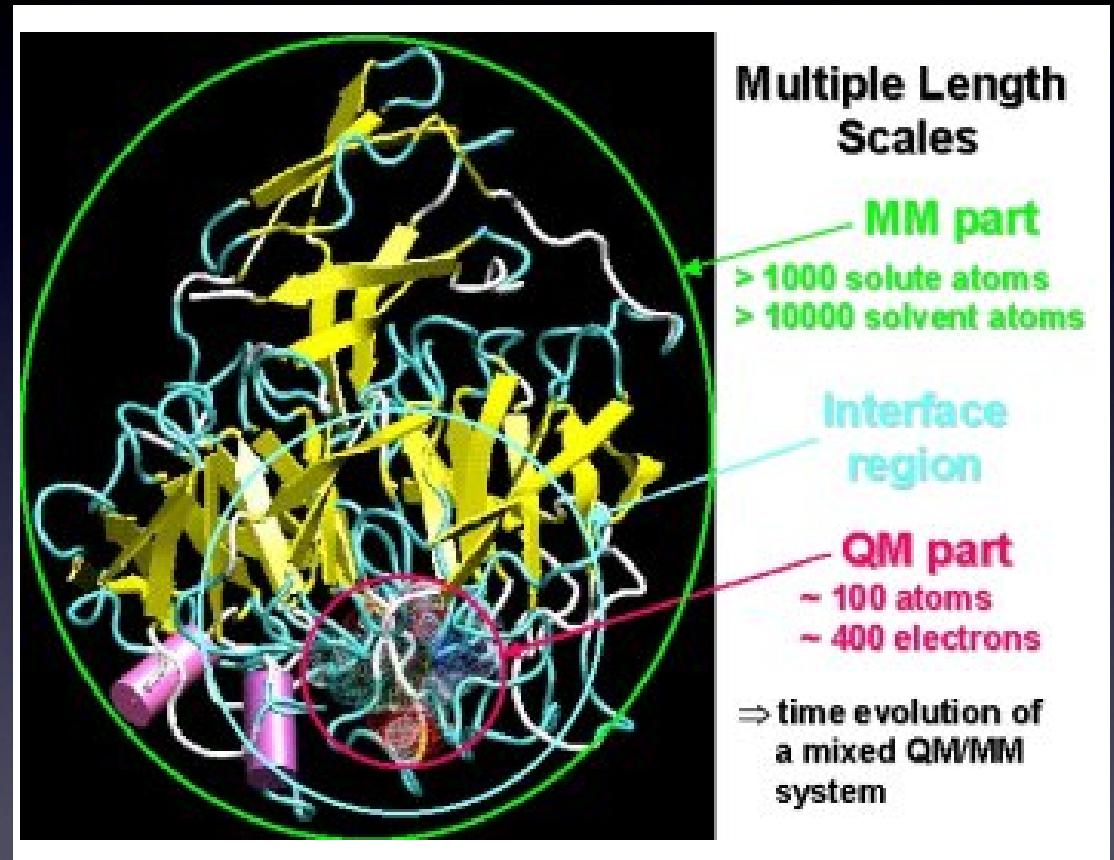
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**Development of Multiscale Models of Complex
Chemical Systems**

Combine QM and MM



full atomistic by
classical FF

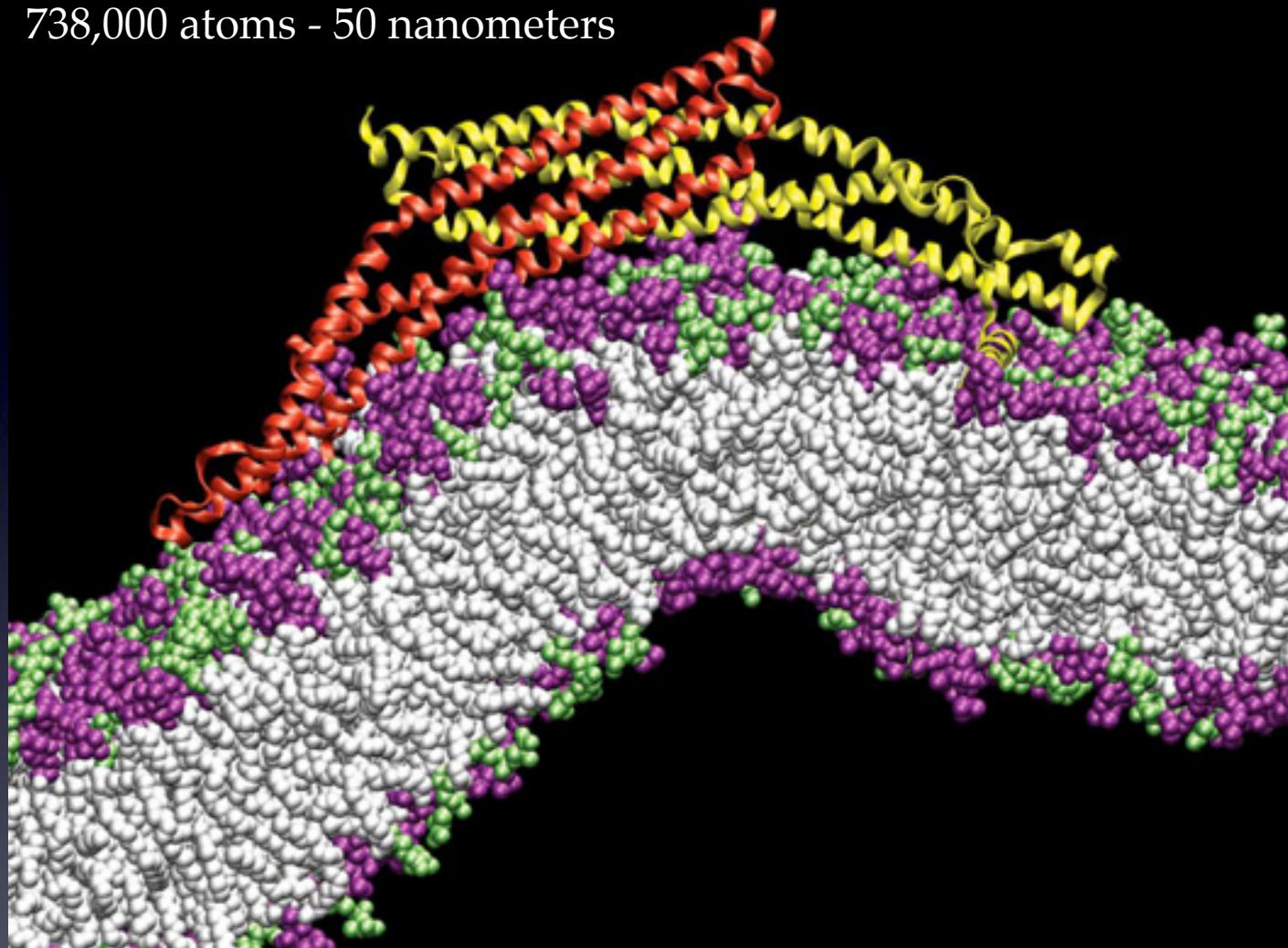


$$V(\mathbf{R}) = V_{\text{QM}}(\mathbf{R}) + V_{\text{MM}}(\mathbf{R}) + V_{\text{int}}(\mathbf{R})$$

Combine QM and MM

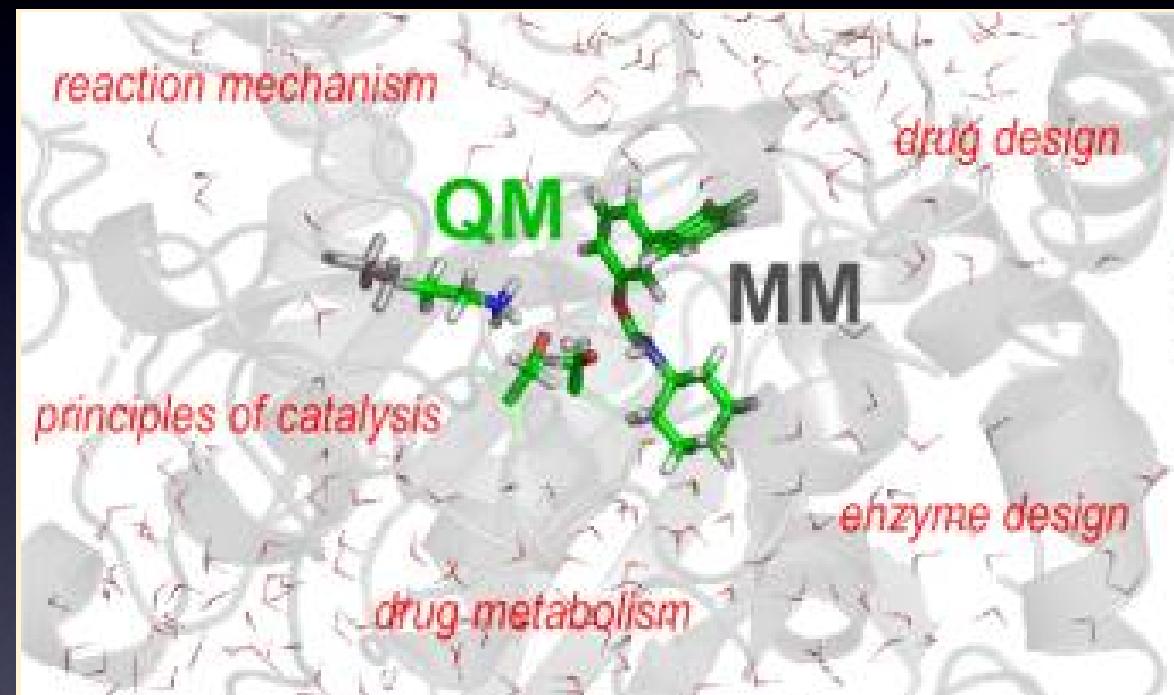
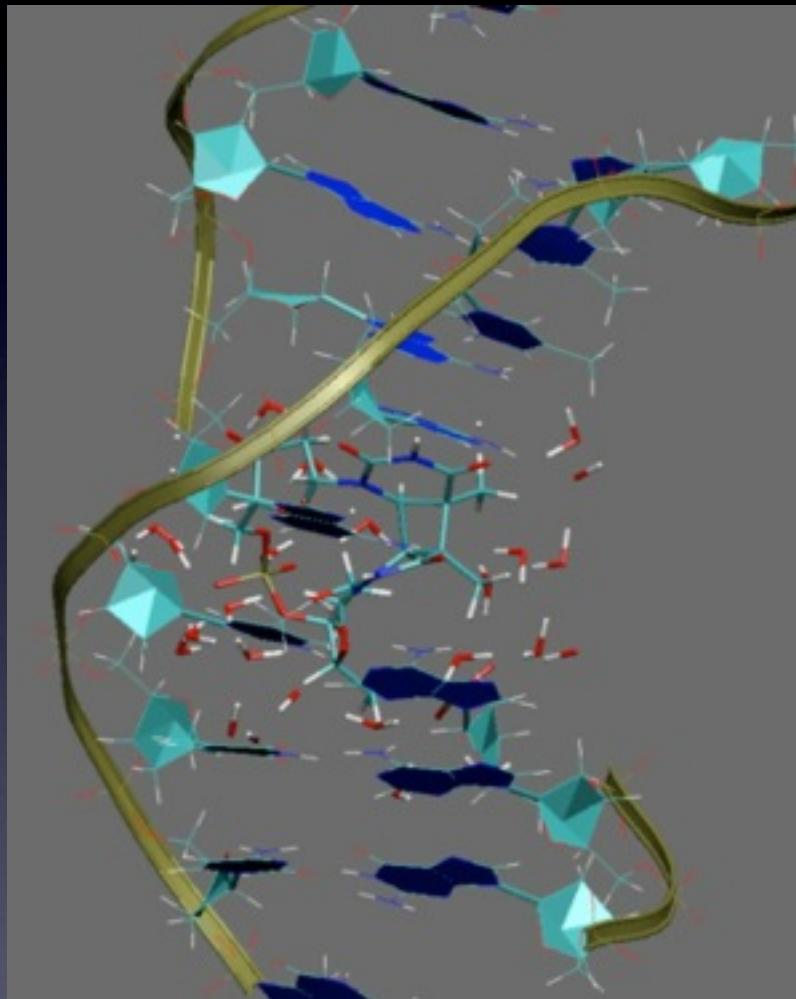
- QM: modelling of electronic rearrangements
- MM: efficient inclusion of wider environment
- Choice of QM method (semi empirical, DFT, QC)
- Choice of the force field
- Partitioning and treatment of the boundary

738,000 atoms - 50 nanometers



Ligand binding affinity in docking
Free energy simulations
Complex biomolecular structures

P.D. Blood and G.A. Voth, *PNAS*, 103, 2006, pp. 15068-15072

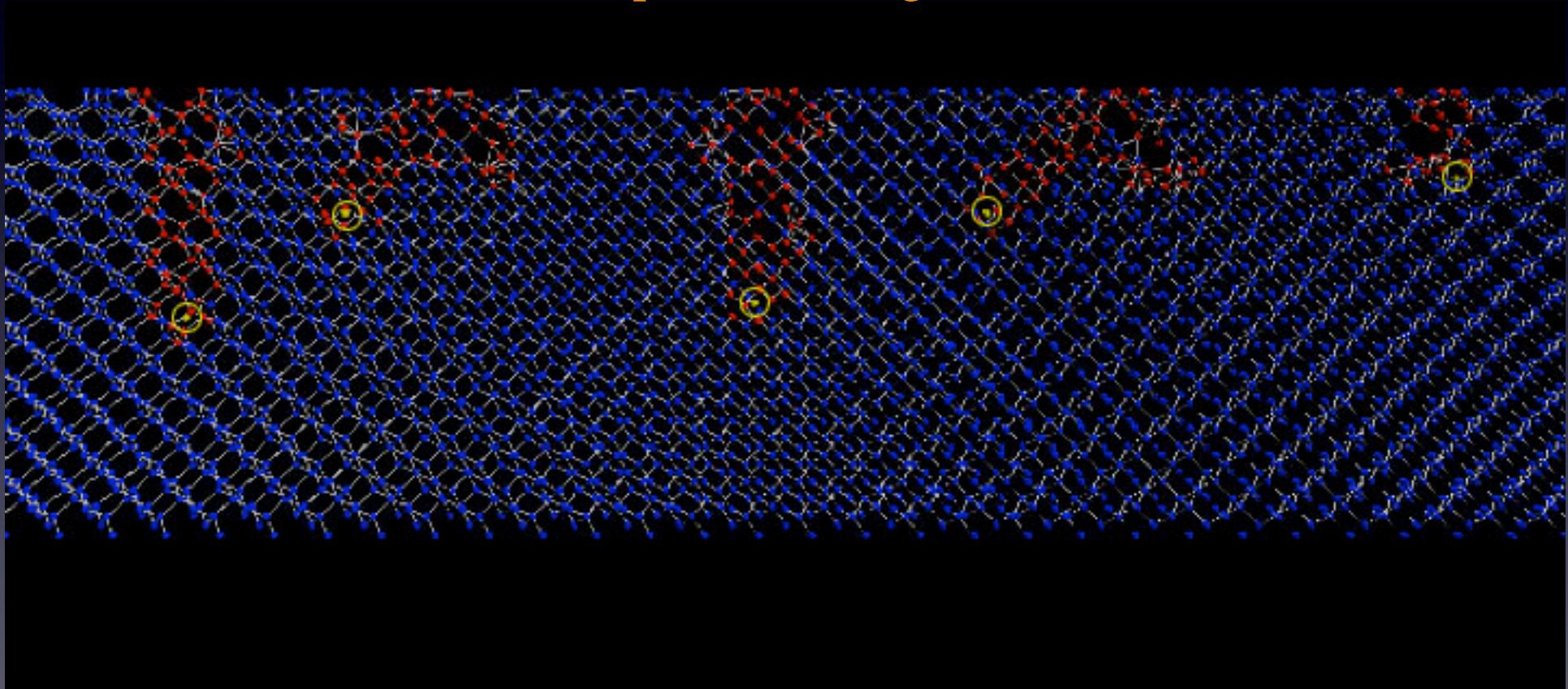


Environment effects on reaction energetics

QMMM: overview

0.11 million atoms

5 QM regions: effects of O implantation into Si
adaptive QM regions



simoX technology

Yoshio Tanaka (AIST) and Aiichiro Nakano (USC)

MM Environment

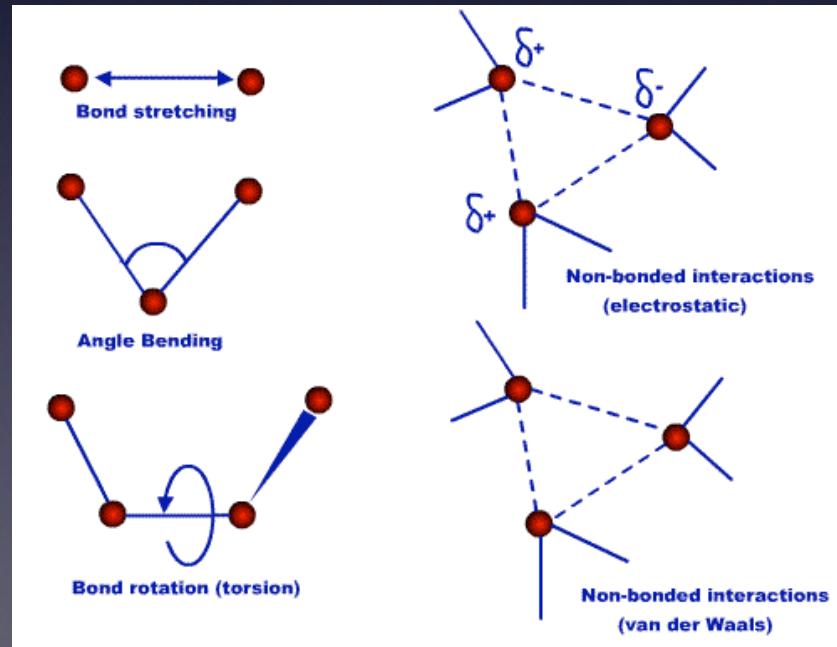
$$\mathcal{U}(\mathbf{R}^N) = \sum_i \mathcal{U}_1(\mathbf{R}_i) + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \mathcal{U}_2(\mathbf{R}_i, \mathbf{R}_j) + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \sum_{k>j} \mathcal{U}_3(\mathbf{R}_i, \mathbf{R}_j, \mathbf{R}_k) + \dots$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{U}(\mathbf{R}^N) &= \sum_{i \in \text{bonds}} \frac{k_i^{(b)}}{2} (l_i - l_{i,0})^2 + \sum_{j \in \text{angles}} \frac{k_j^{(a)}}{2} (\theta_j - \theta_{j,0})^2 \\ &+ \sum_{s \in \text{torsion}} \frac{\mathcal{V}_s}{2} (1 + \cos(n_s \omega - \gamma_s)) \\ &+ \sum_{j > i} \left(4\epsilon_{ij} \left[\left(\frac{\sigma_{ij}}{R_{ij}} \right)^{12} - \left(\frac{\sigma_{ij}}{R_{ij}} \right)^6 \right] + \frac{q_i q_j}{|4\epsilon_0 R_{ij}|} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\boldsymbol{\lambda} : [(k^{(b)}, l_0)^{\text{bon}}; (k^{(a)}, \theta_0)^{\text{ang}}; (\mathcal{V}_s, \gamma_s)^{\text{tor}}; (\epsilon, \sigma)^{\text{pair}}; q^{\text{at}}]$$

Topology

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ATOM HN   H      0.31  !  HN-N
ATOM CA   CT1    0.07  !      |      HB1
ATOM HA   HB     0.09  !      |      /
GROUP                      !  HA-CA--CB-HB2
ATOM CB   CT3    -0.27  !      |      \
ATOM HB1  HA     0.09  !      |      HB3
ATOM HB2  HA     0.09  !      O=C
ATOM HB3  HA     0.09  !      |
GROUP                      !
ATOM C   C      0.51
ATOM O   O     -0.51
BOND CB CA   N   HN   N   CA
BOND C  CA   C  +N   CA HA   CB HB1   CB HB2   CB HB3
DOUBLE O  C
IMPR N -C CA HN   C CA +N O
DONOR HN N
ACCEPTOR O C
IC -C   CA   *N   HN    1.3551 126.4900  180.0000 115.4200  0.9996
IC -C   N    CA   C     1.3551 126.4900  180.0000 114.4400  1.5390
IC N    CA   C   +N    1.4592 114.4400  180.0000 116.8400  1.3558
IC +N   CA   *C   O     1.3558 116.8400  180.0000 122.5200  1.2297
IC CA   C   +N   +CA   1.5390 116.8400  180.0000 126.7700  1.4613
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MM CP2K input

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Subtractive QM/MM

$$E_{\text{total}} = E_{\text{MM,tot}} + E_{\text{QM(QM)}} - E_{\text{MM(QM)}}$$

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- QM density not polarised

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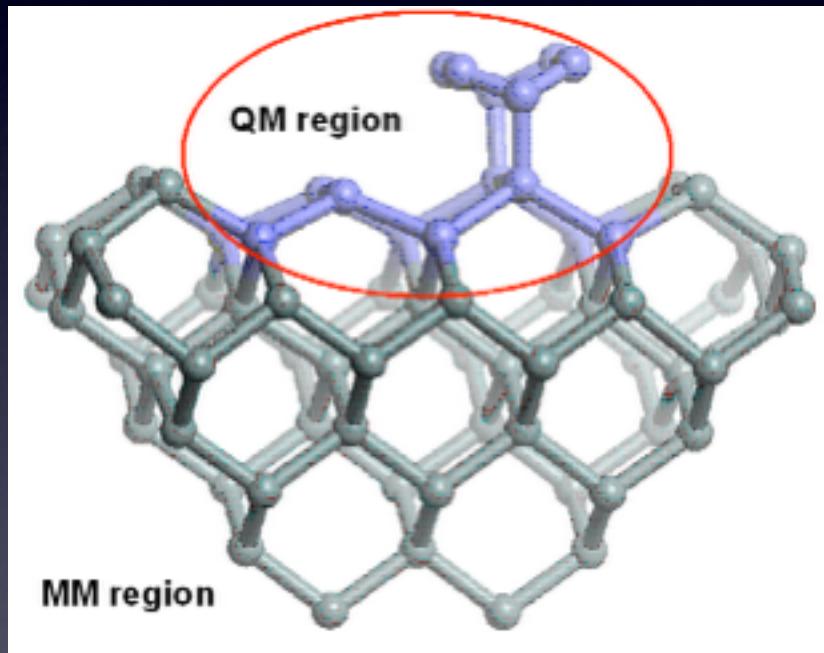
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Additive QM/MM

$$E_{\text{total}} = E_{\text{MM,tot}} + E_{\text{QM(QM)}} + E_{\text{QM/MM}}$$



$$E_{\text{MM(QM)}} = E_{\text{MM(QM)}}^{\text{el}} + E_{\text{MM(QM)}}^{\text{vdw}} + E_{\text{MM(QM)}}^{\text{b}}$$

- Electrostatic coupling is the most involved term
- Mechanical embedding possible
- Linked atom scheme
- vdW might need ad hoc parameterisation

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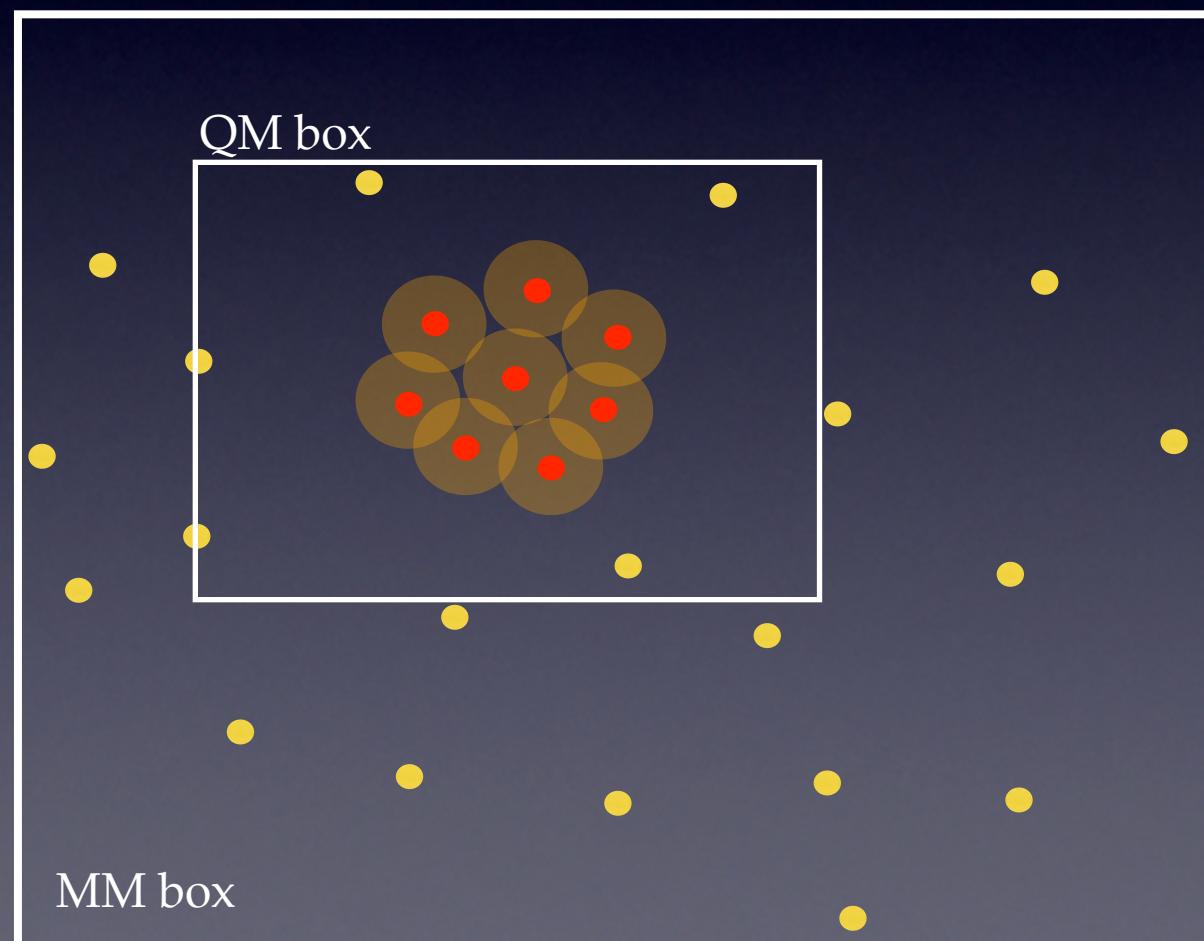
Available Electrostatic Schemes

$$E_{QM/MM} = \int d\vec{r} \rho_{tot}^{QM}(\vec{r}) \cdot V^{MM}(\vec{r})$$

$V^{MM}(\vec{r})$ on the same
cell on which is defined

$$\rho_{tot}^{QM}(\vec{r})$$

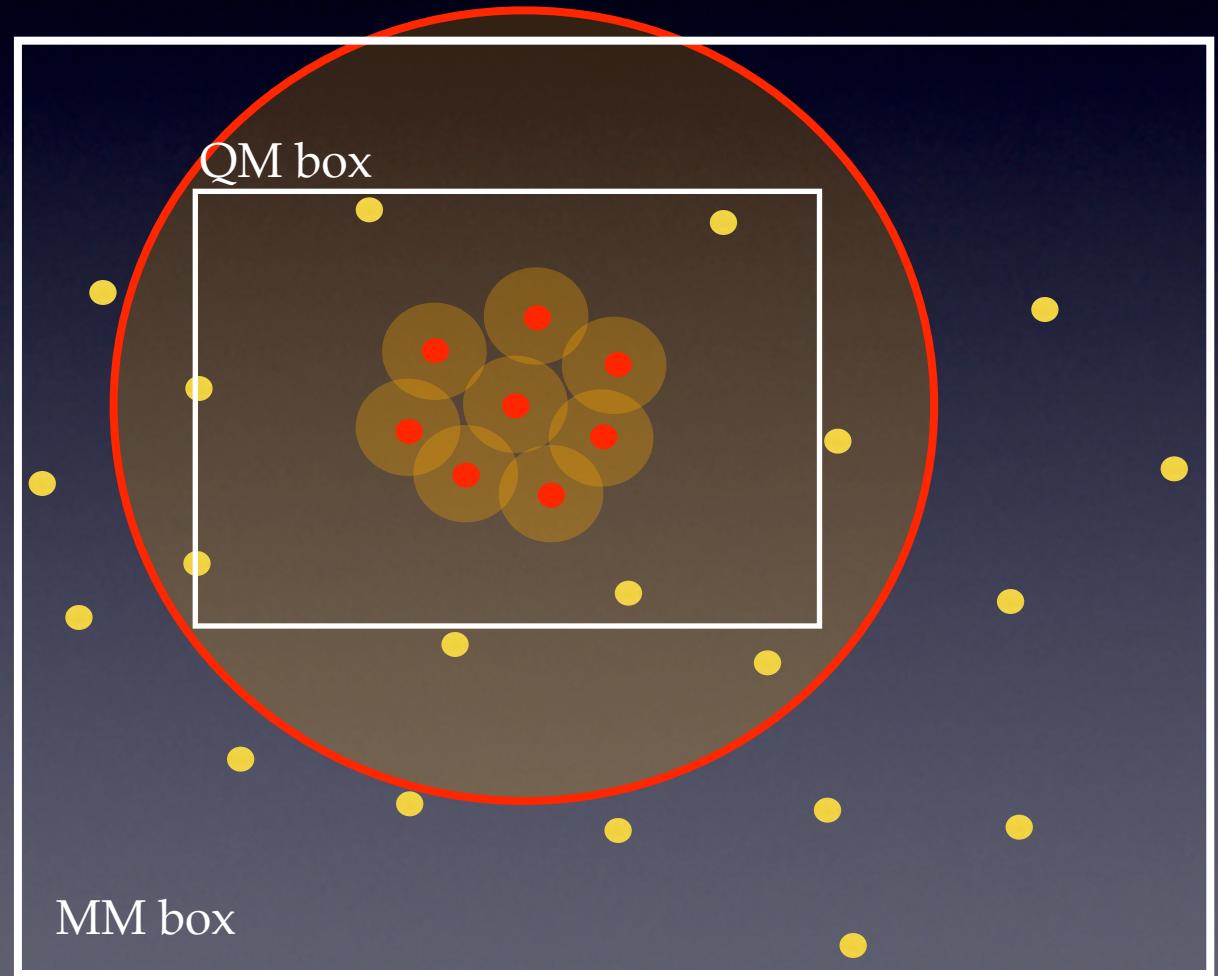
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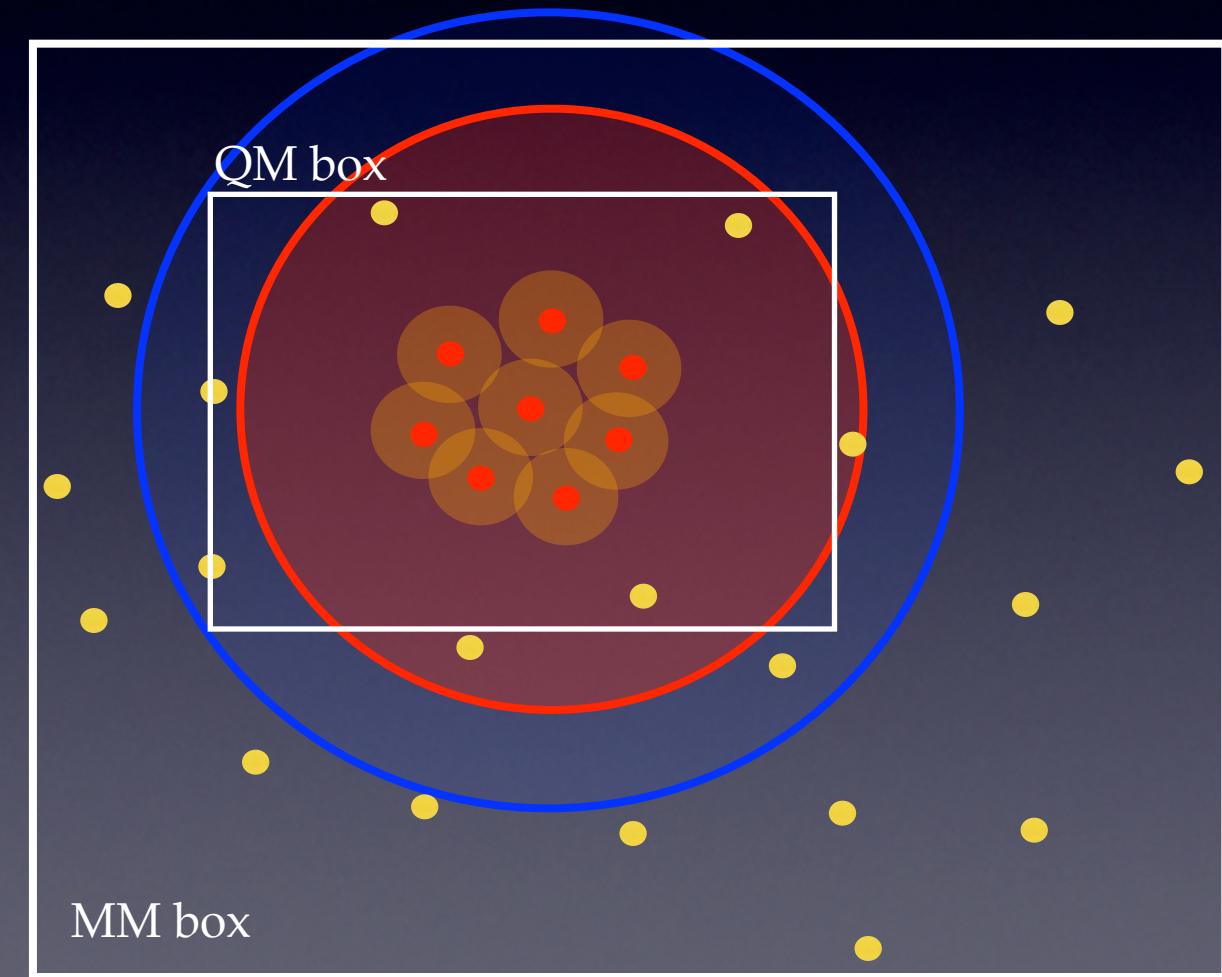
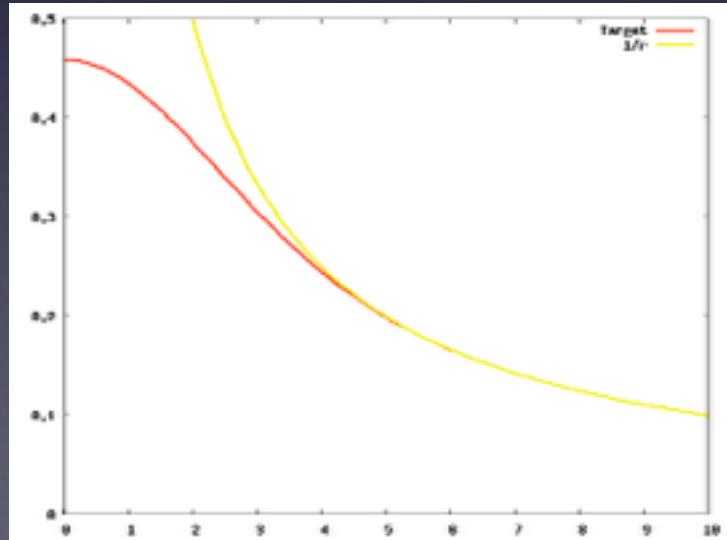
Spherical Cutoff

$$\text{Cost} \approx N_{\text{MM}}^c * P^1$$



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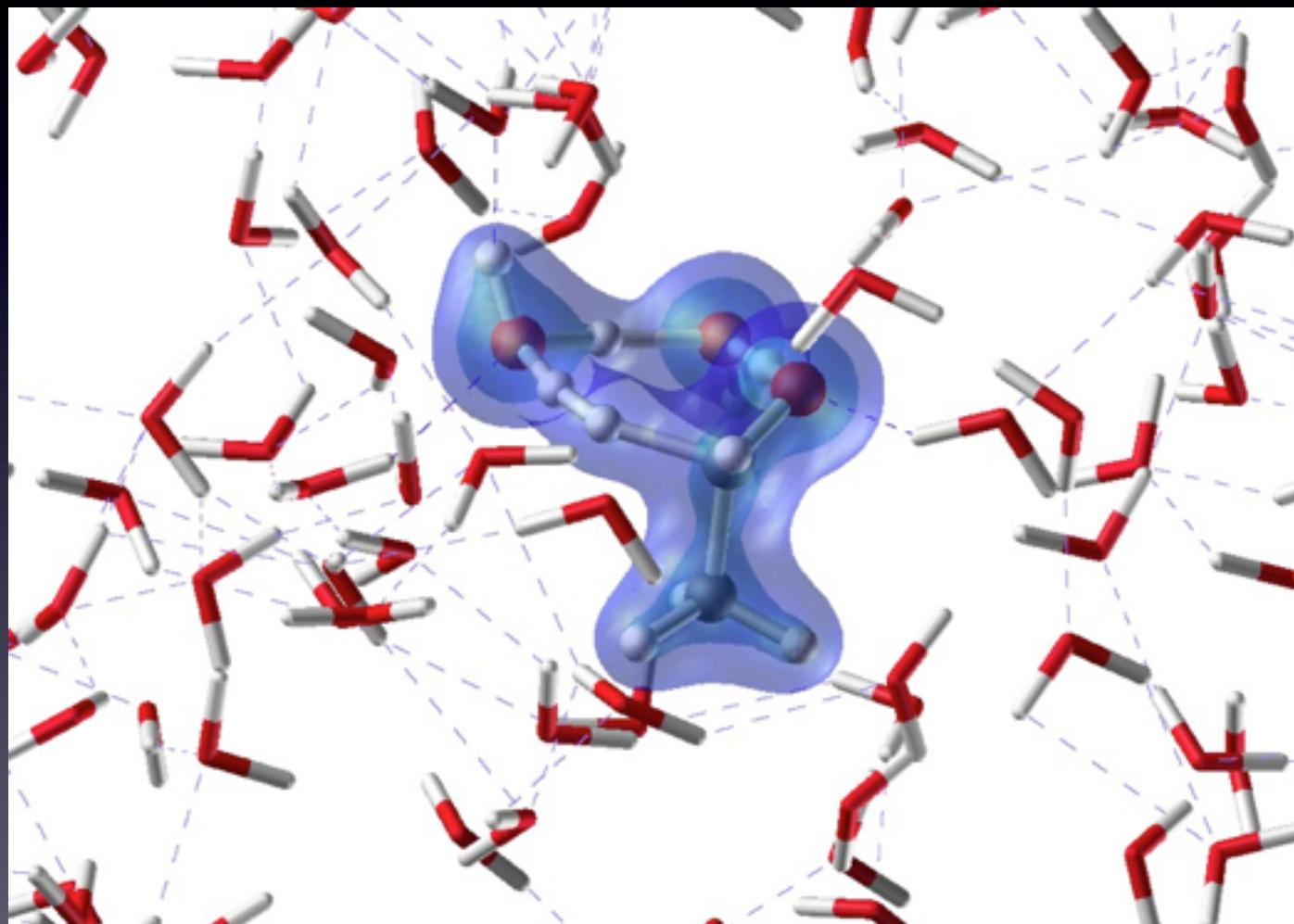
Multi-pole
Expansion



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QM / MM



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$$E_{\text{TOT}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = E_{\text{QM}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}) + E_{\text{MM}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) + E_{\text{QM/MM}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}})$$

$$V_{MM}(\vec{r})$$

$$E_{\text{QM/MM}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = \sum_{\text{MM}} q_{\text{MM}} \int \frac{n(\mathbf{r})}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}|} d\mathbf{r} + \sum_{\text{QM,MM}} u_{\text{vdW}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}})$$

QM / MM

$$H_{QM/MM} = \sum_{\mu\nu}^{occ} P^{\mu\nu} \sum_{MM} \int \phi_\mu(\vec{r}) \cdot \frac{q_{MM}}{|\vec{R}_{MM} - \vec{r}|} \cdot \phi_\nu(\vec{r}) \quad \text{Gaussians}$$

$$H_{QM/MM} = \int V_{MM}(\vec{r}) \tilde{n}(\vec{r}) \quad \text{Plane Waves}$$

Gaussian charge distribution

$$n(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = \left(\frac{r_{c,\text{MM}}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right)^3 e^{-(|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}|/r_{c,\text{MM}})^2}$$

$$v_{\text{MM}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = \frac{\text{Erf}\left(\frac{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}|}{r_{c,\text{MM}}}\right)}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}|}$$

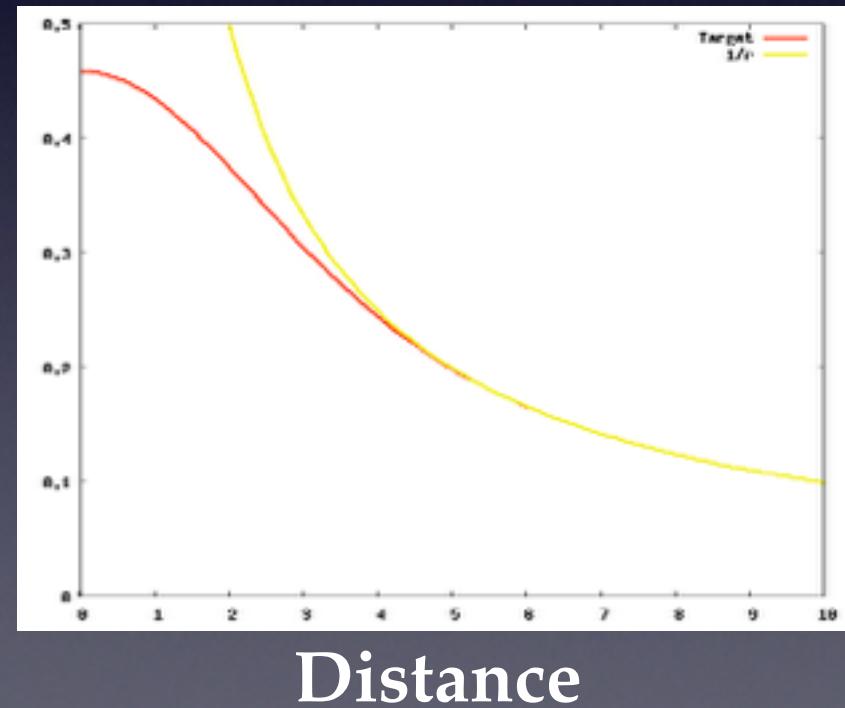
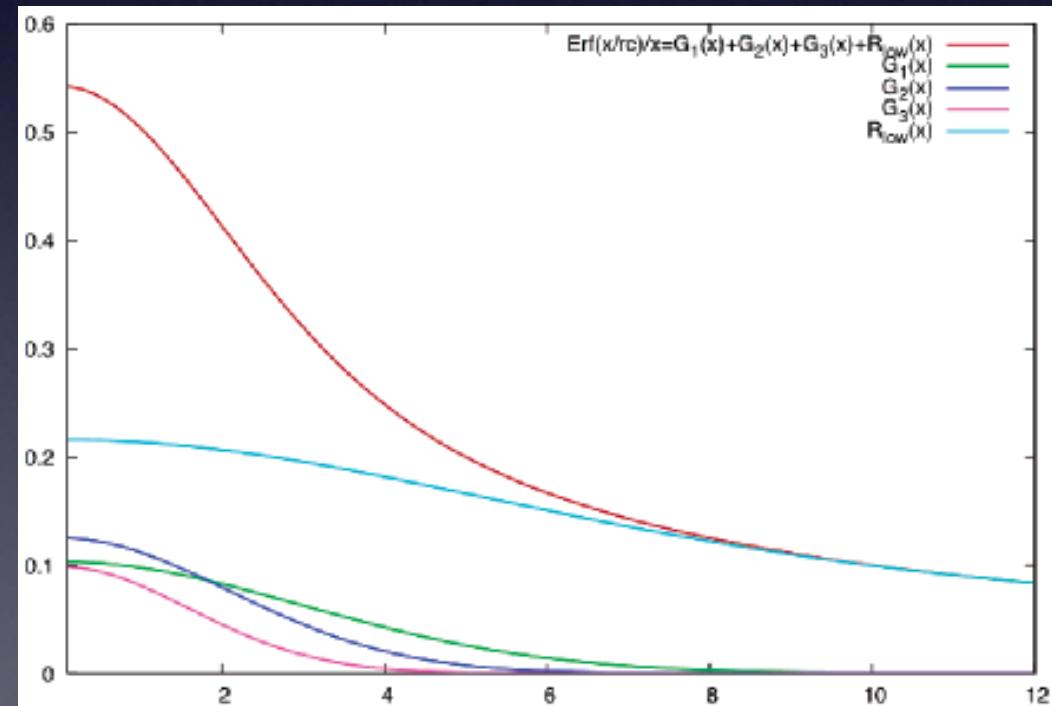
**prevent spill out problem
accelerate calculations of electrostatics**

GEEP

Sum of functions with different cutoffs, derived from the new Gaussian expansion of the electrostatic potential

$$\frac{\text{Erf}\left(\frac{r}{r_c}\right)}{r} = \sum_{N_g} A_g \exp^{-\left(\frac{r}{G_g}\right)^2} + R_{low}(r)$$

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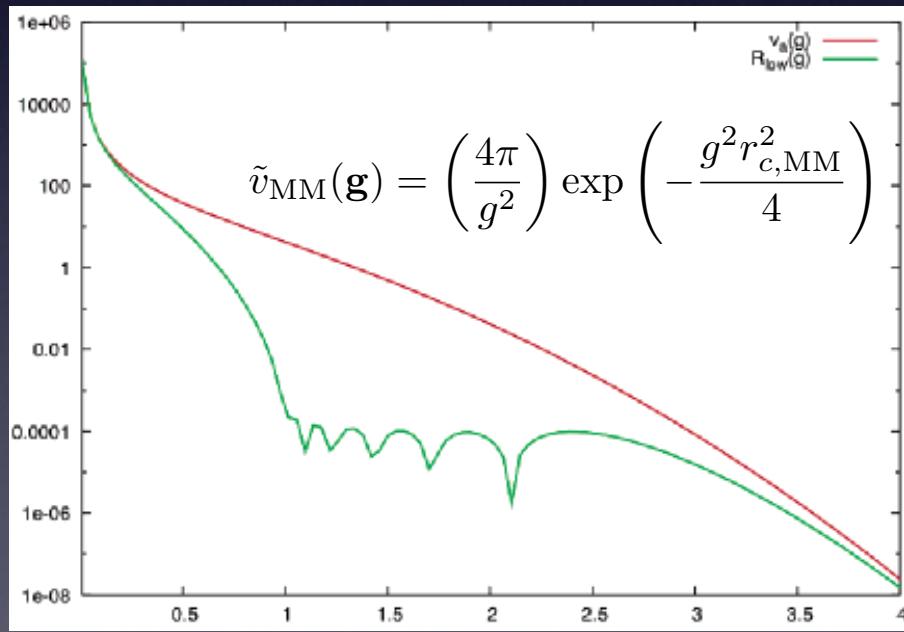


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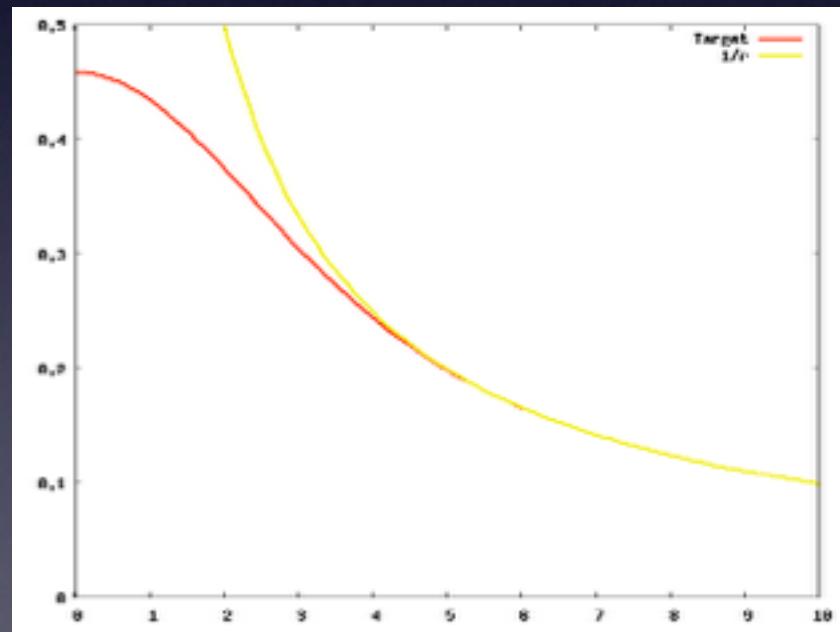
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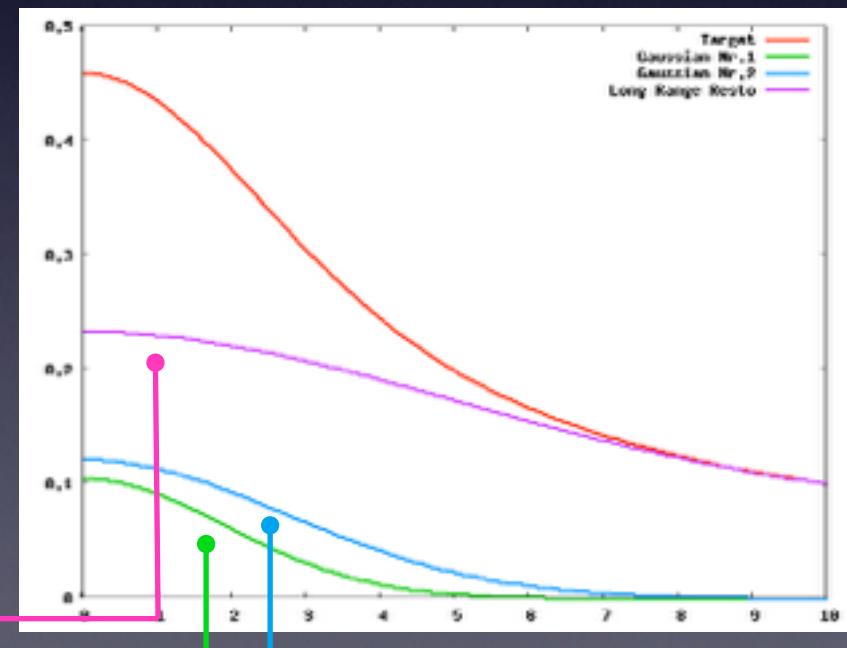
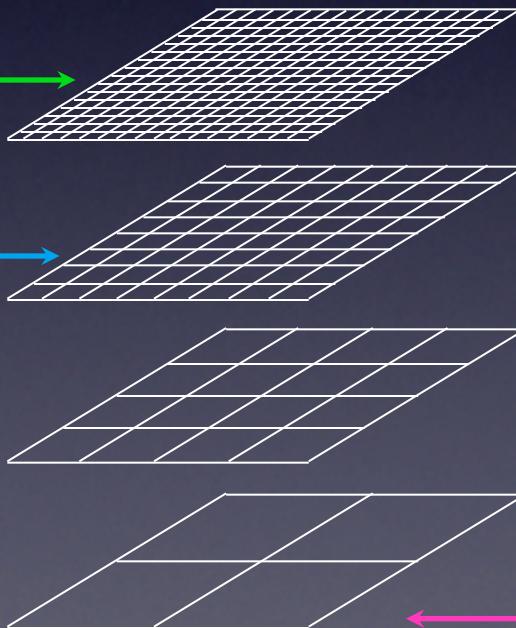
$$\tilde{v}_{MM}(g) = \left(\frac{4\pi}{g^2} \right) \exp \left(-\frac{g^2 r_{c,MM}^2}{4} \right)$$



Multigrid Framework

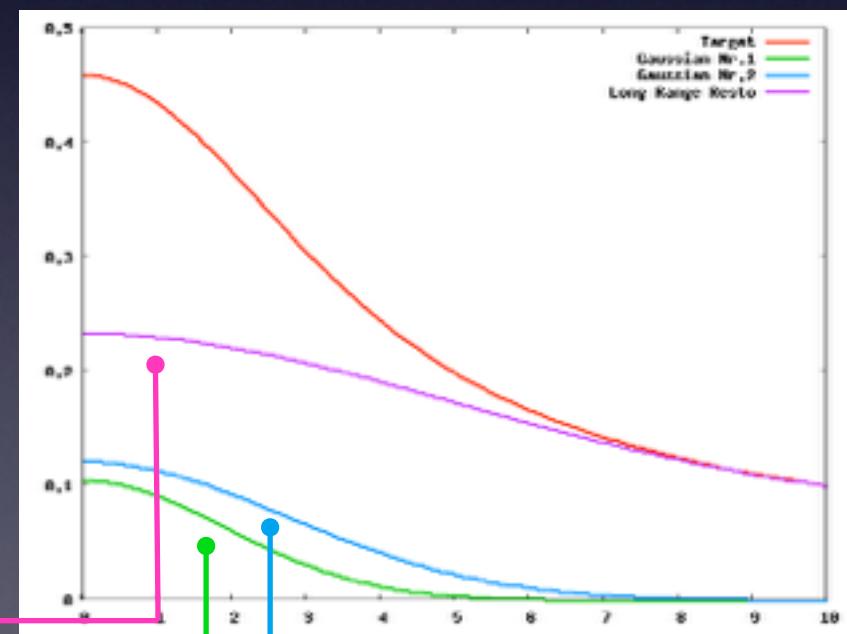
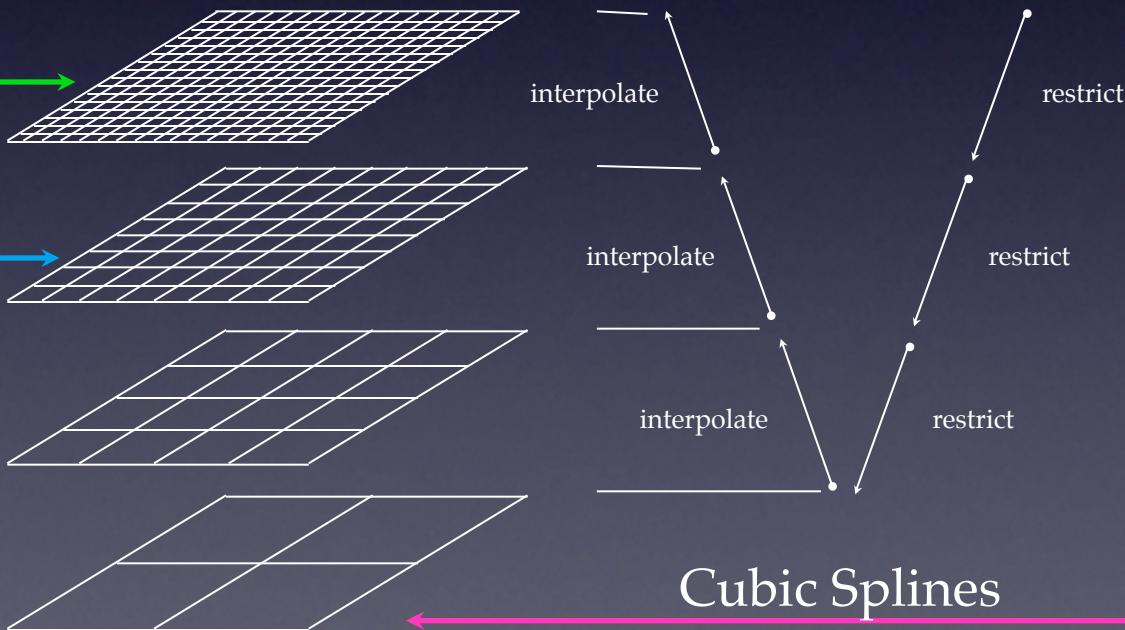
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$$N_{i+1} = 8N_i$$



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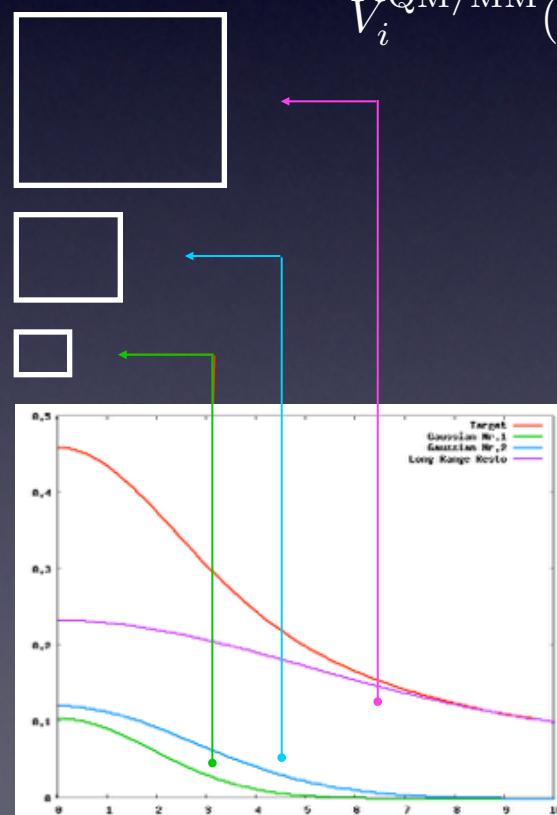
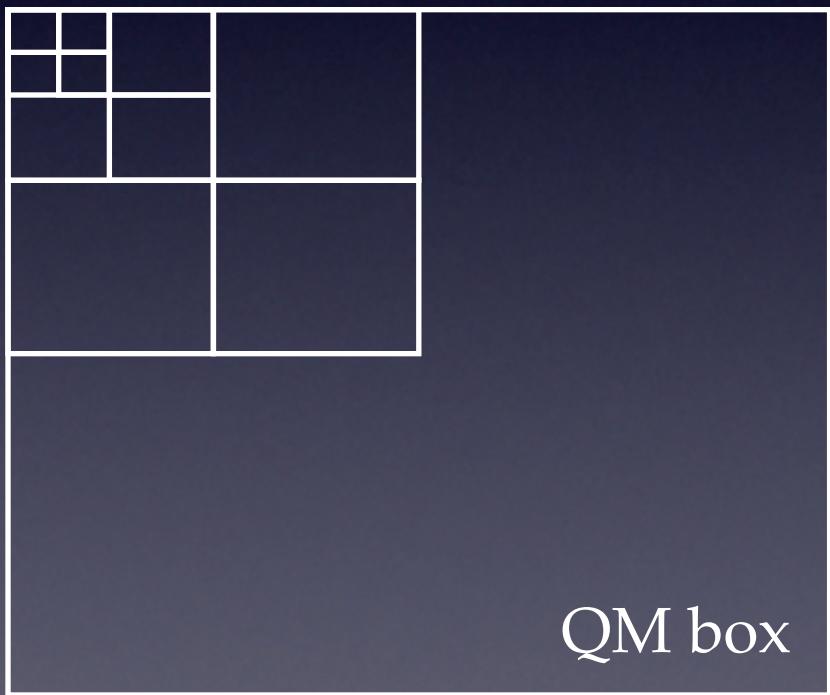
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Collocation in the QM Box

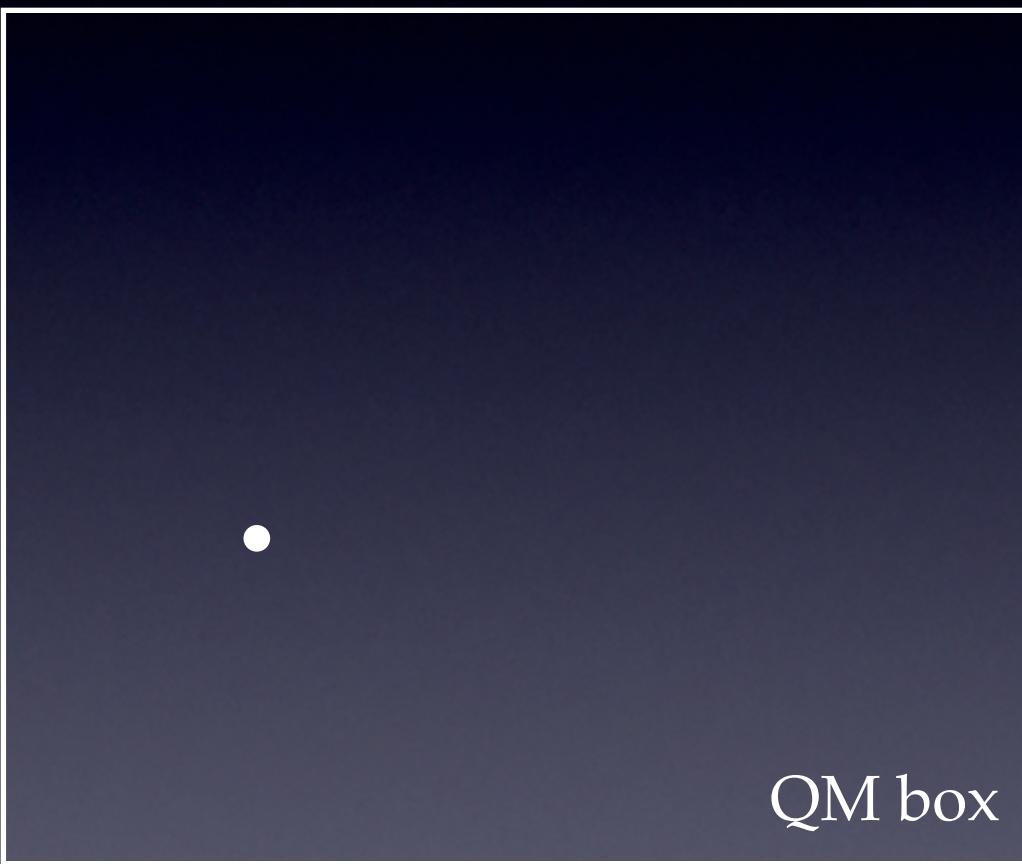
$$E_{\text{QM/MM}}(\mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = \int n(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{QM}}) V^{\text{QM/MM}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) d\mathbf{r}$$

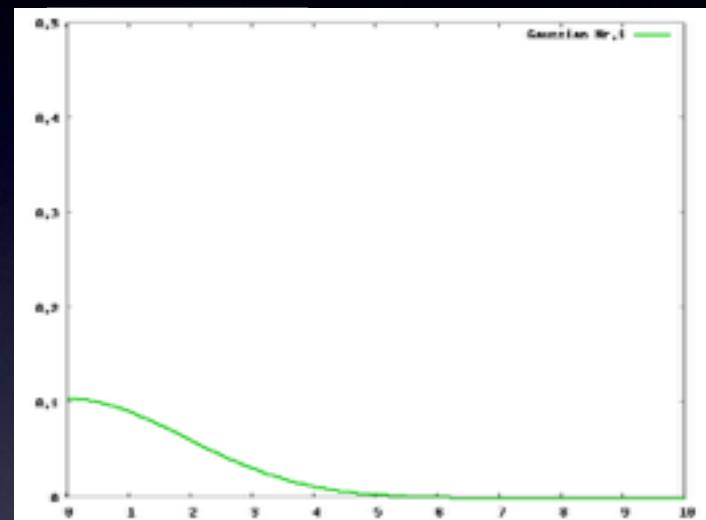
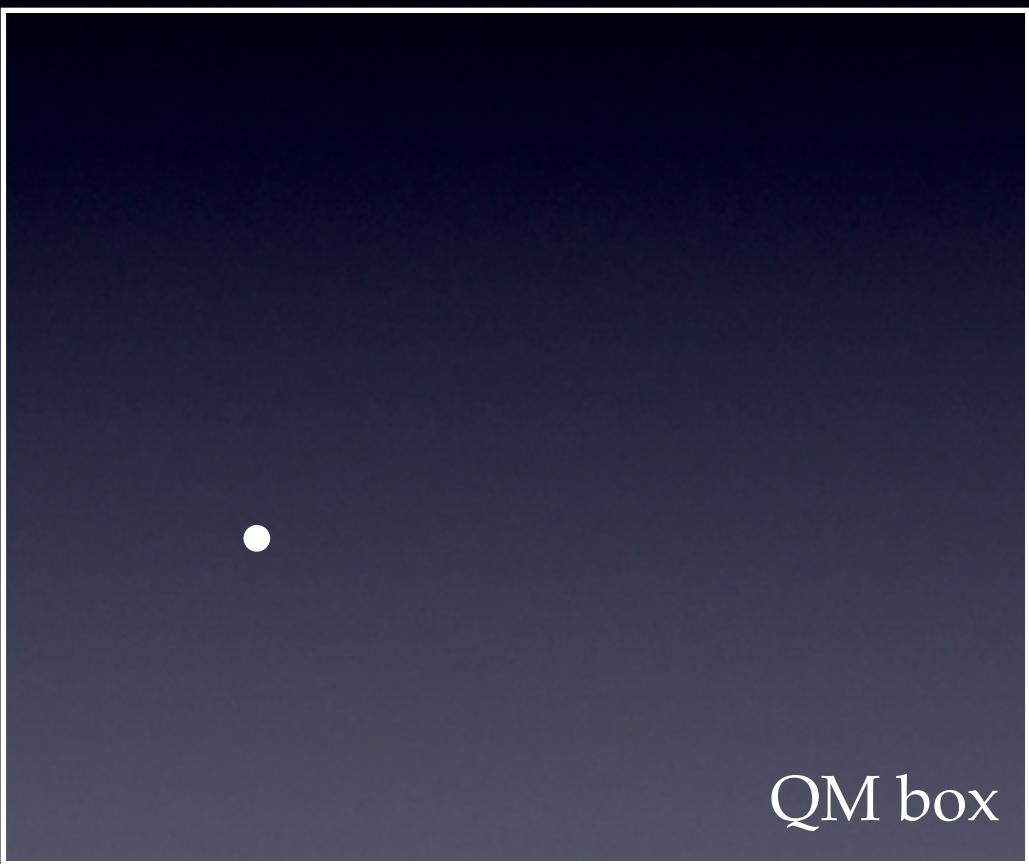
potential on the finest QM grid

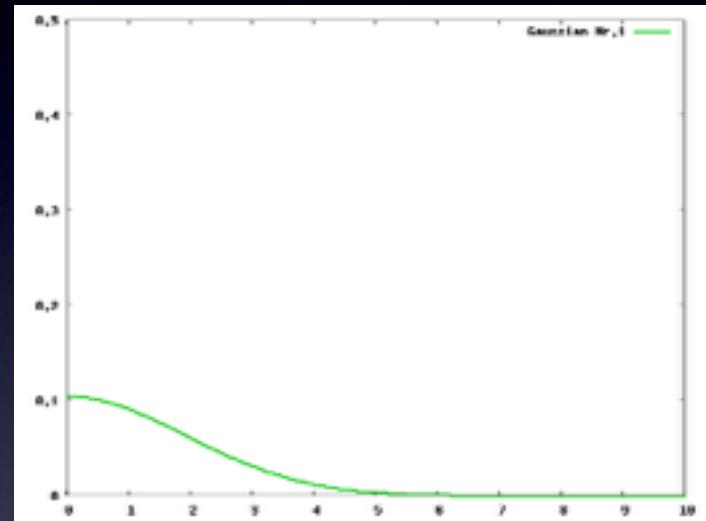
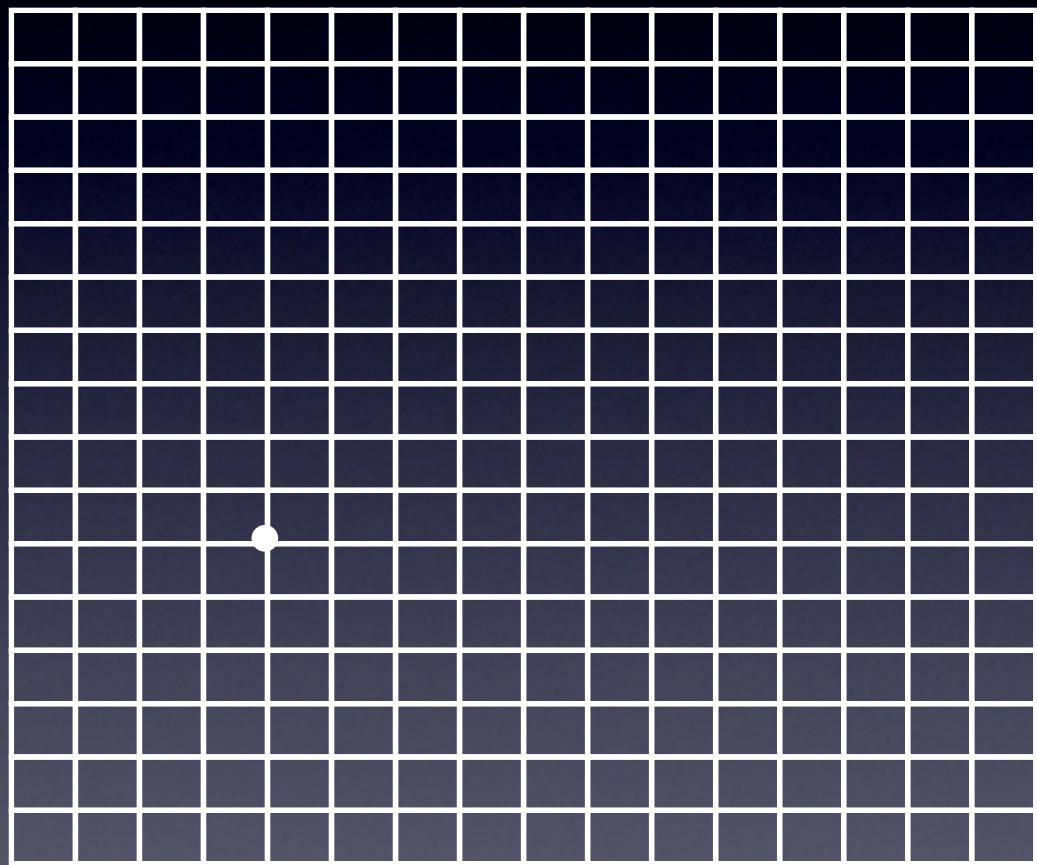


optimal
grid levels

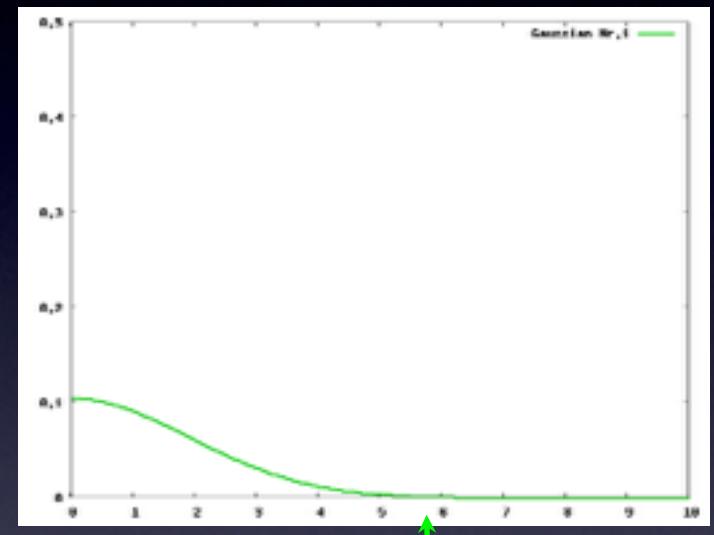
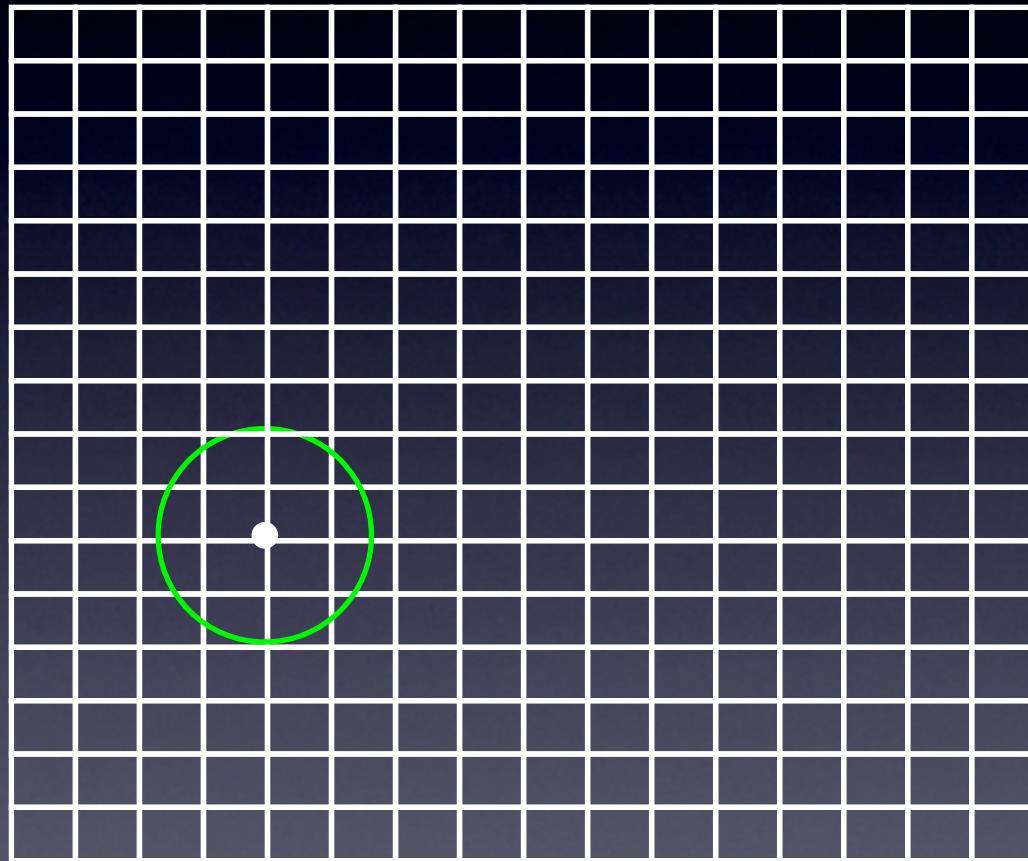
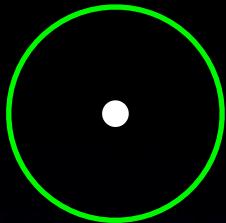
60-80% of time



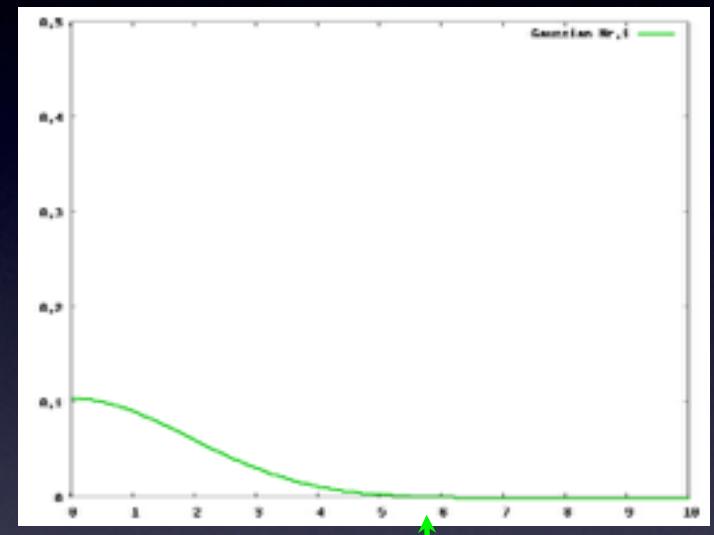
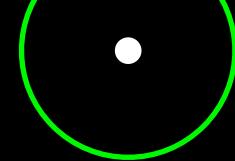
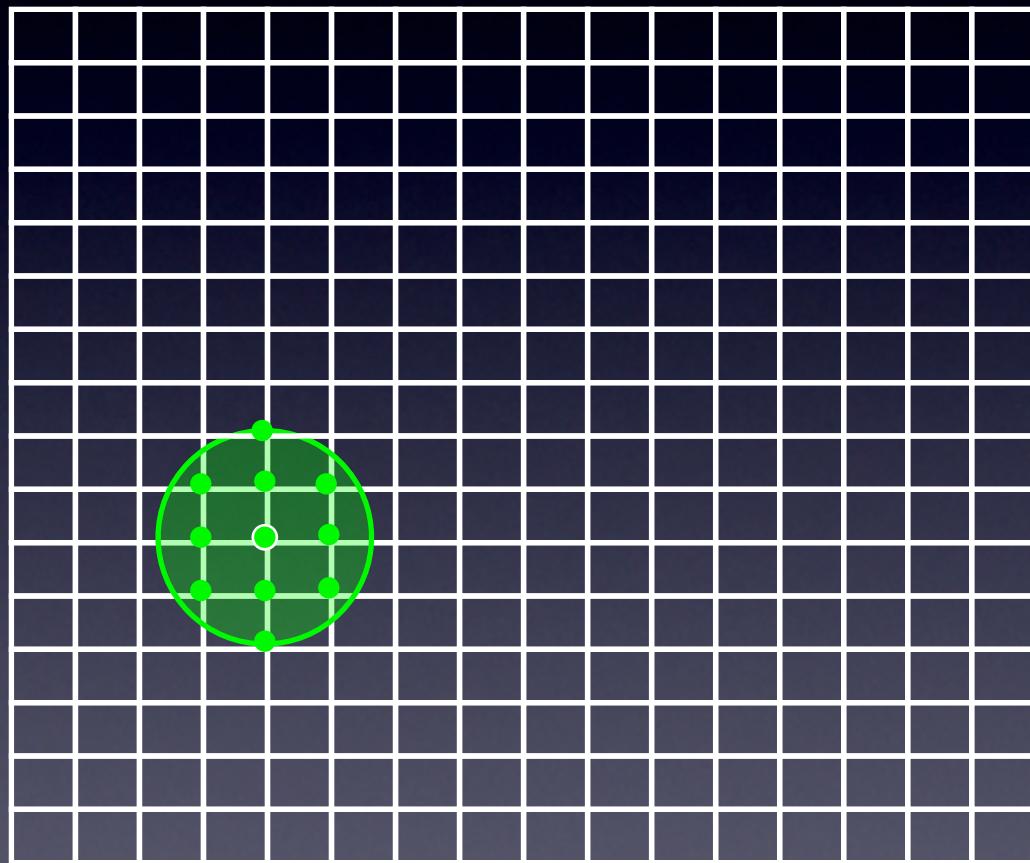
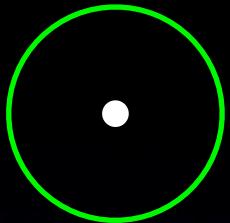




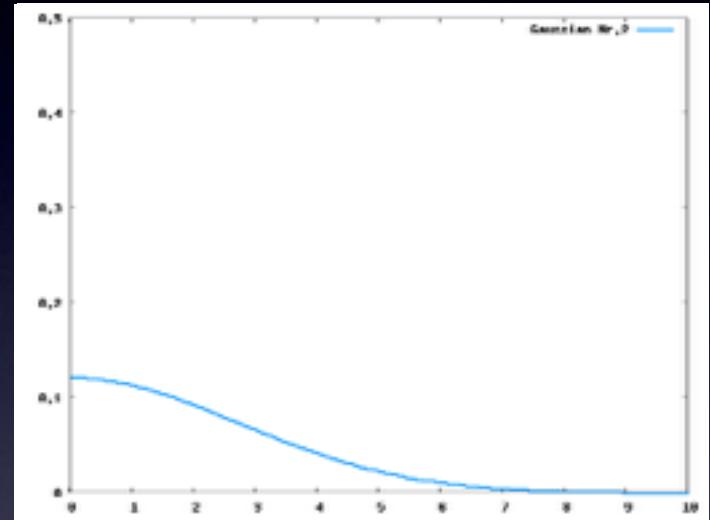
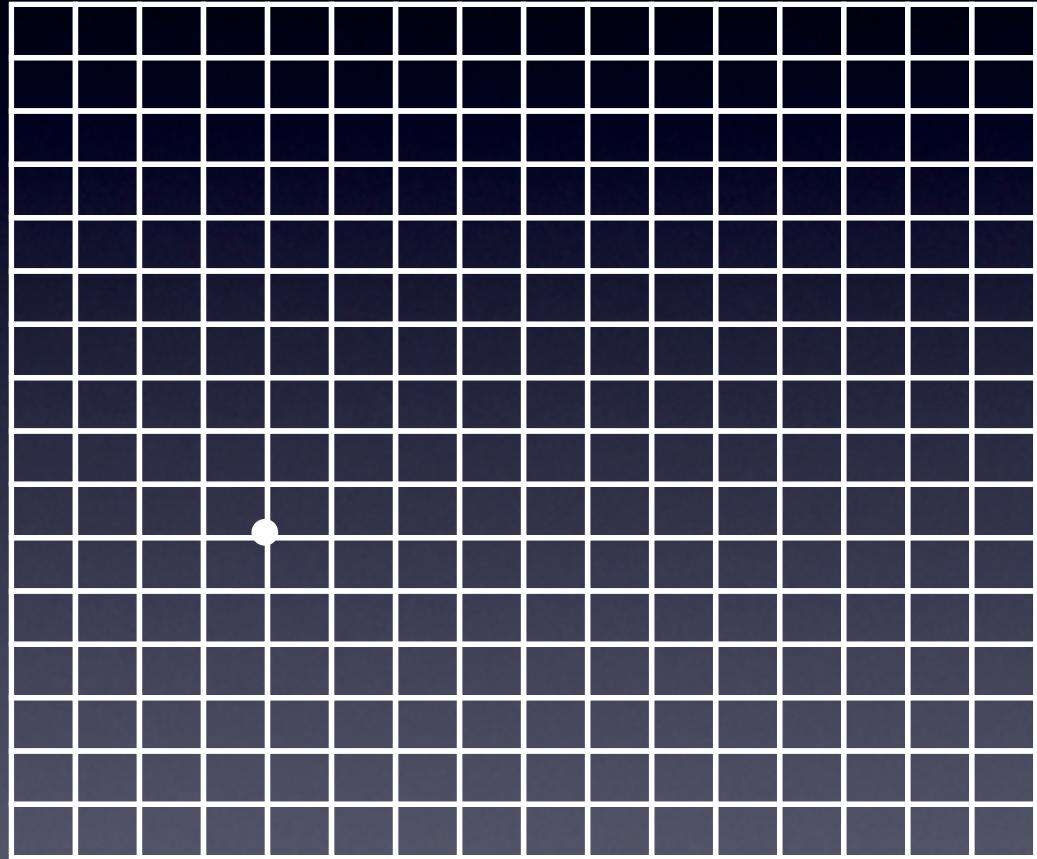
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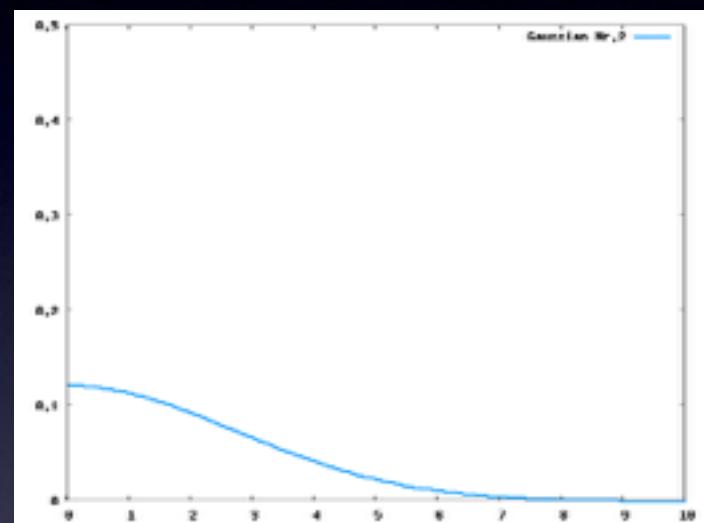
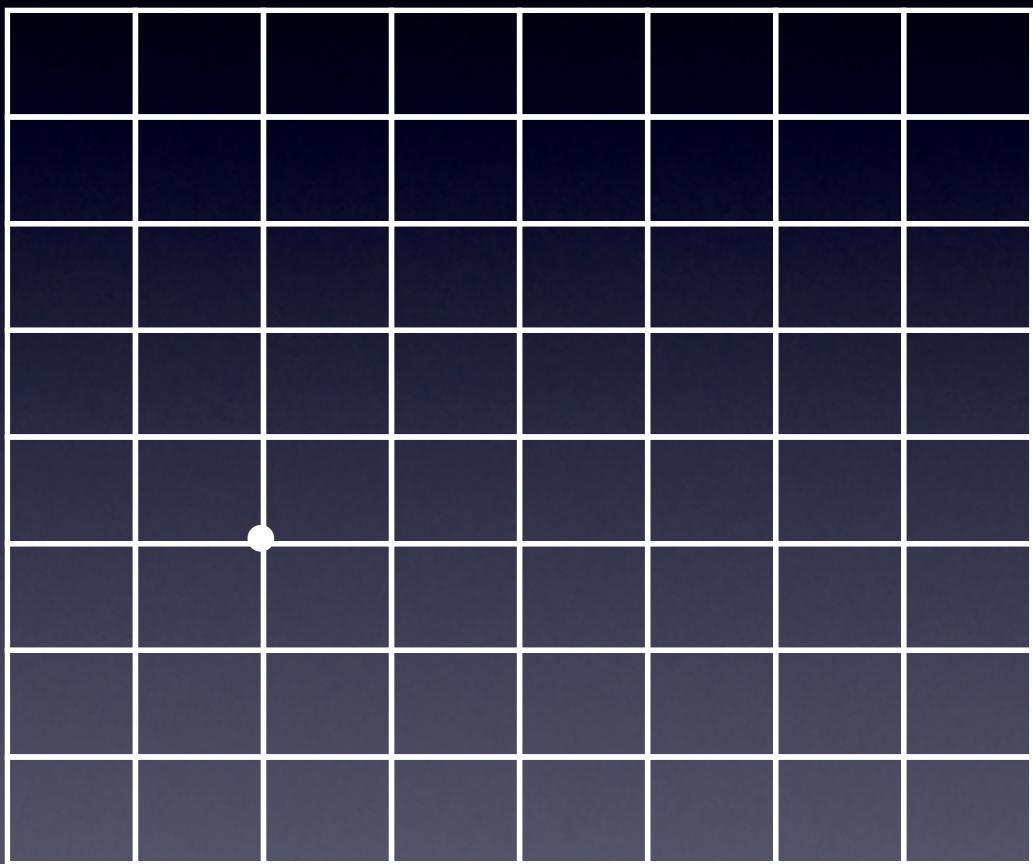
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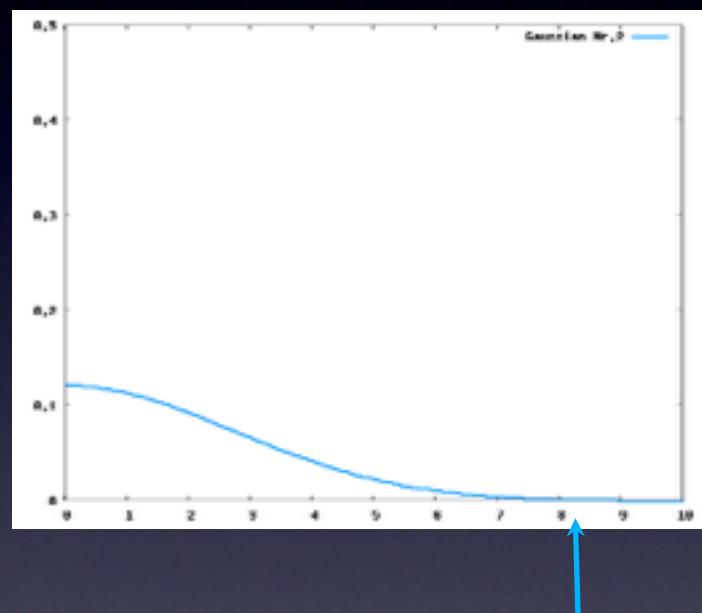
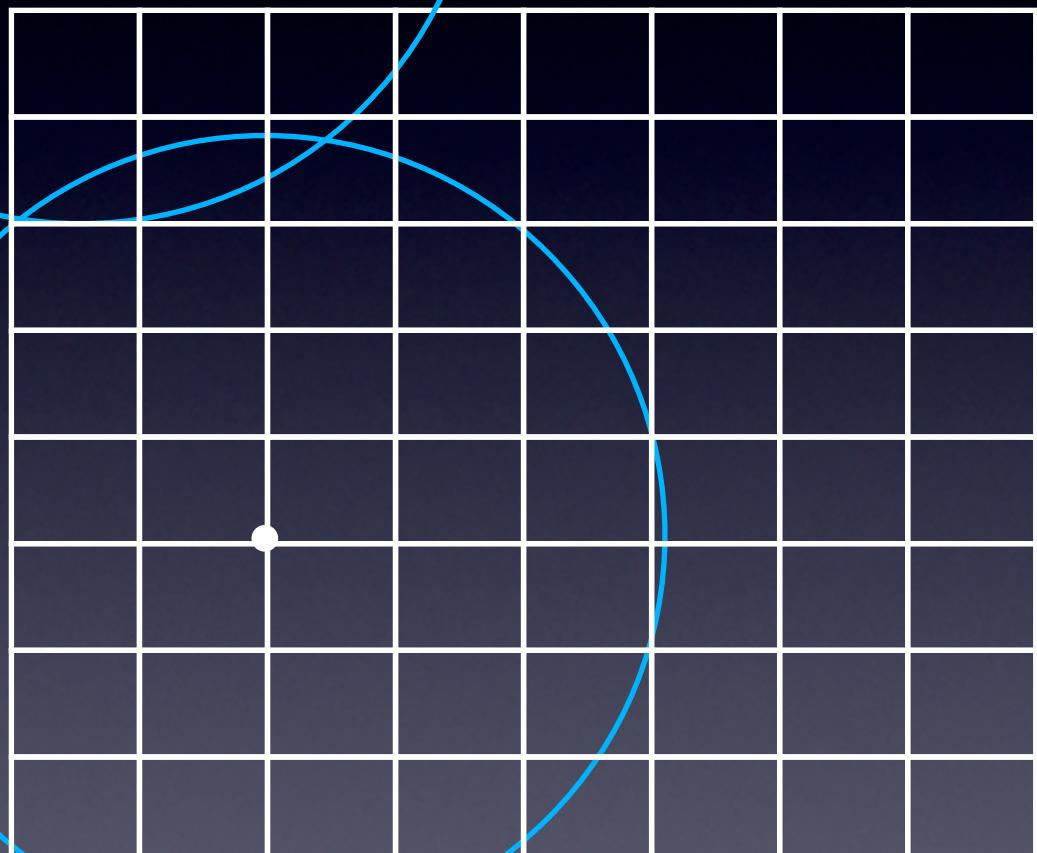


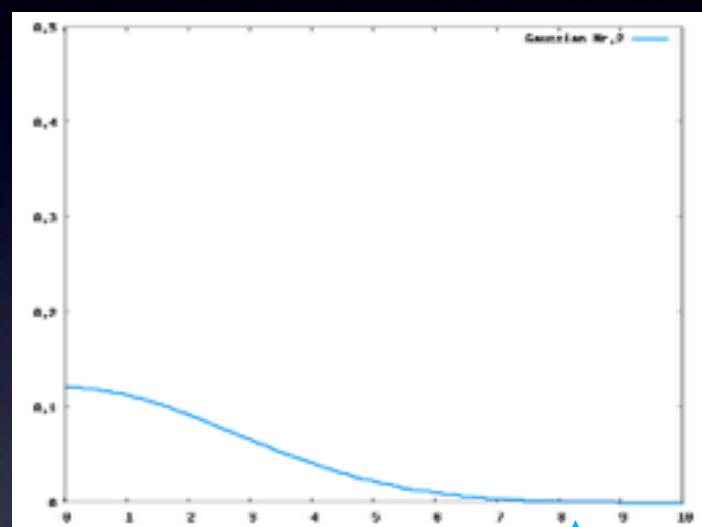
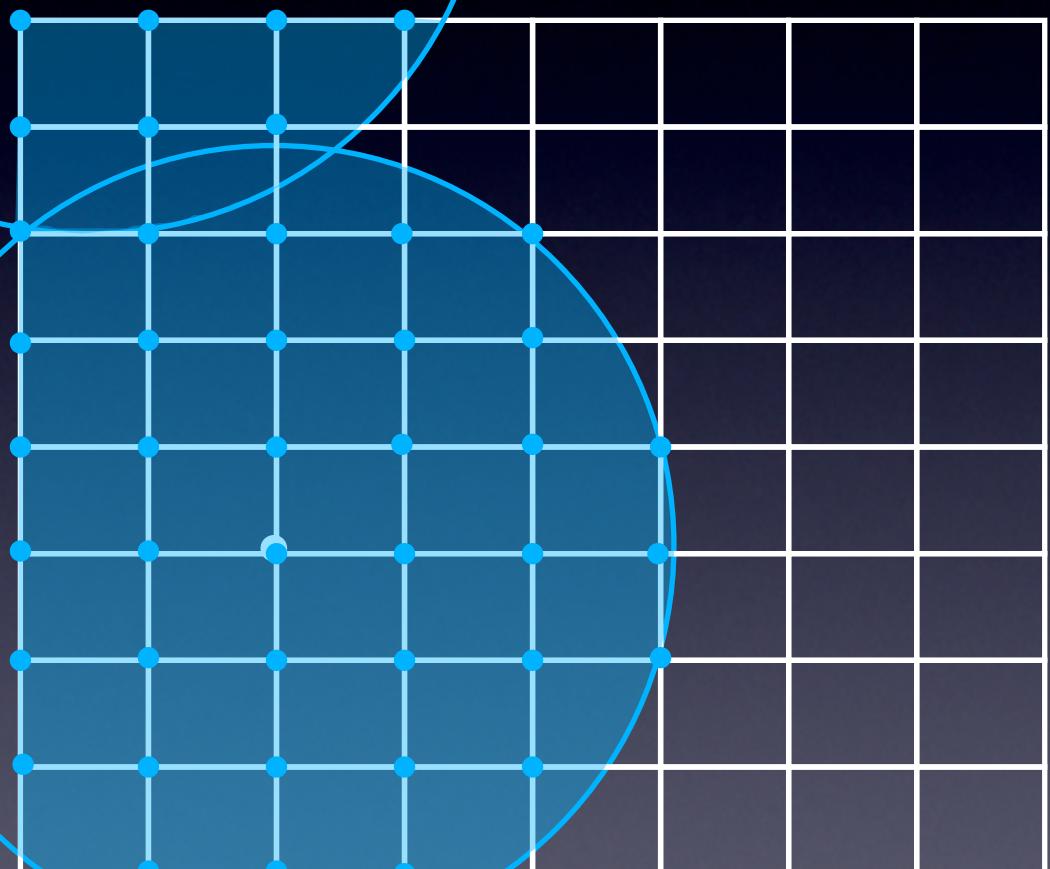
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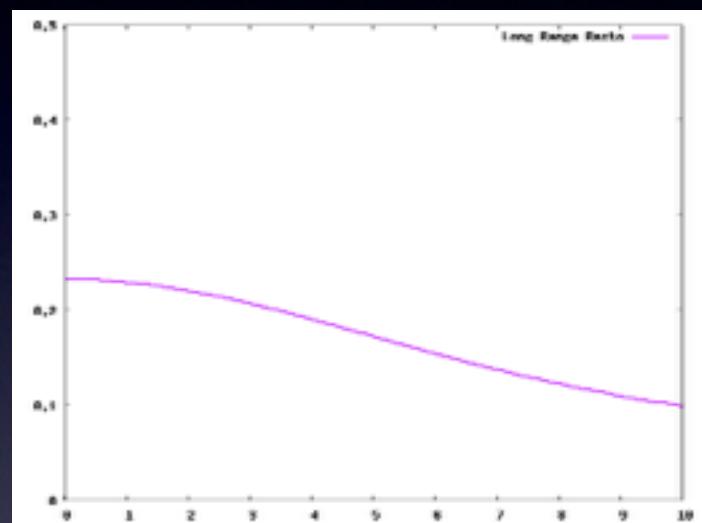
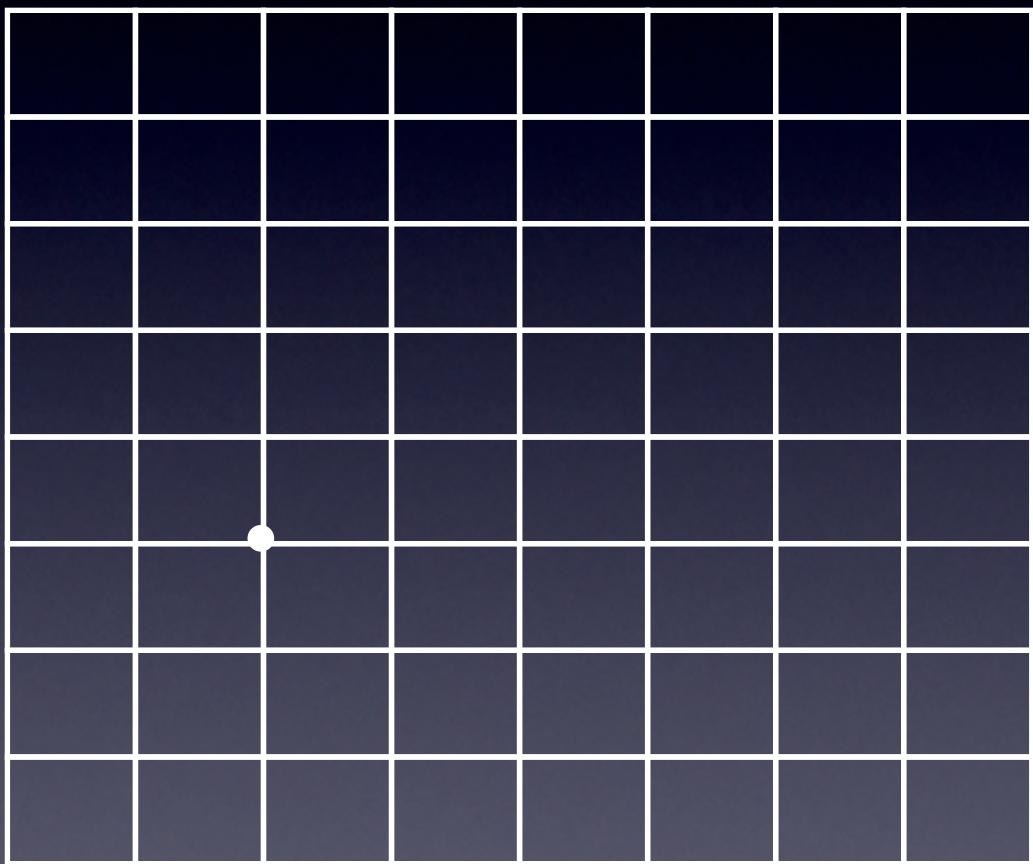


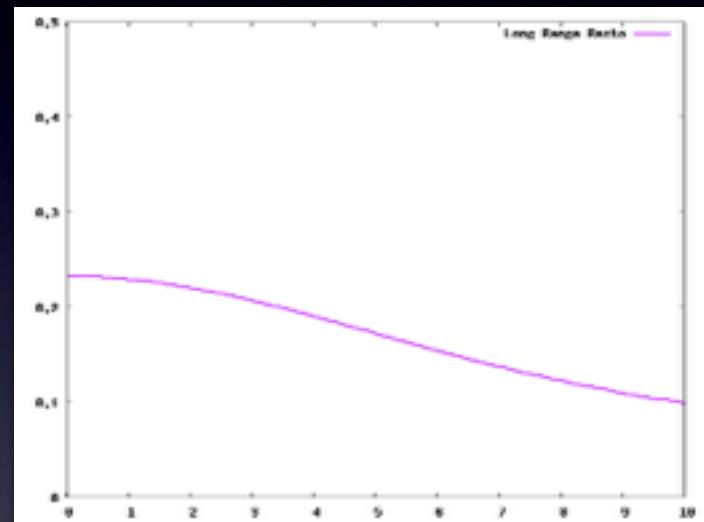
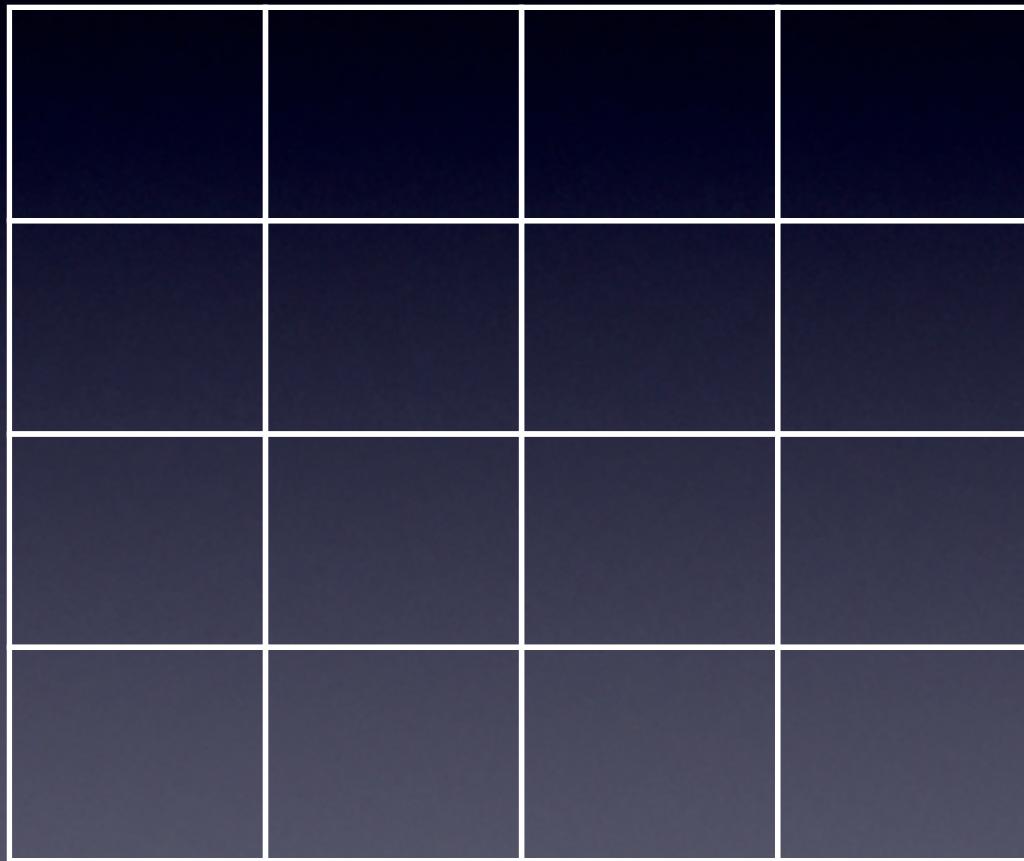
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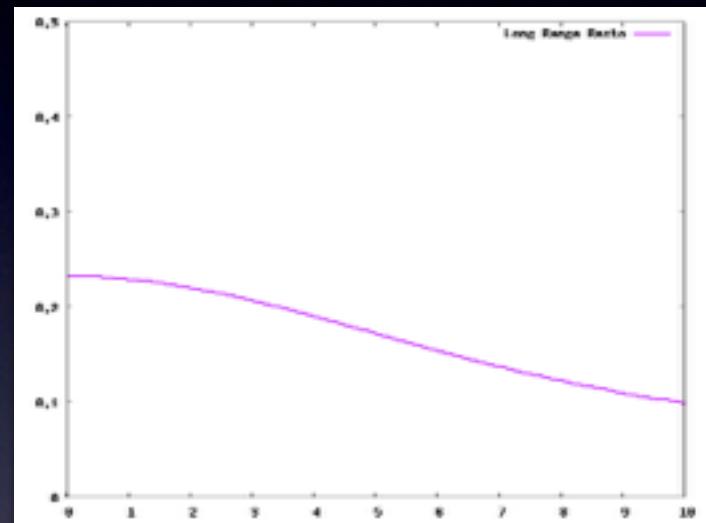
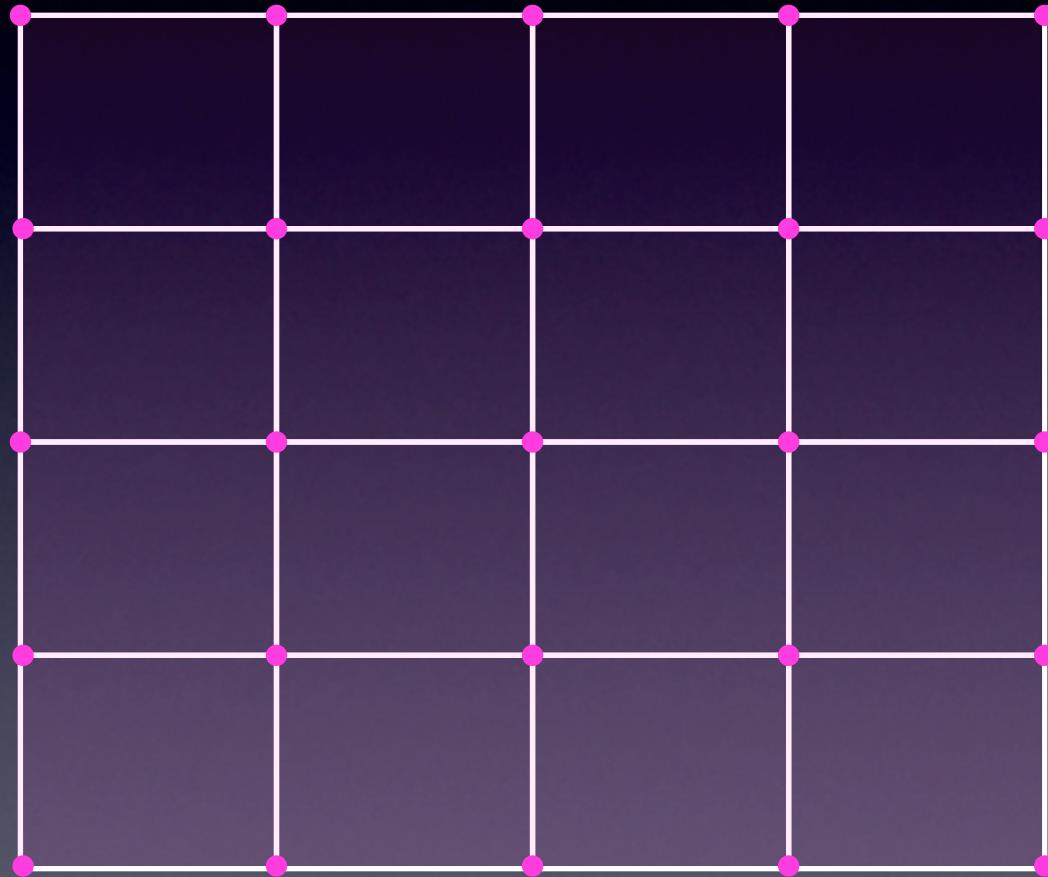


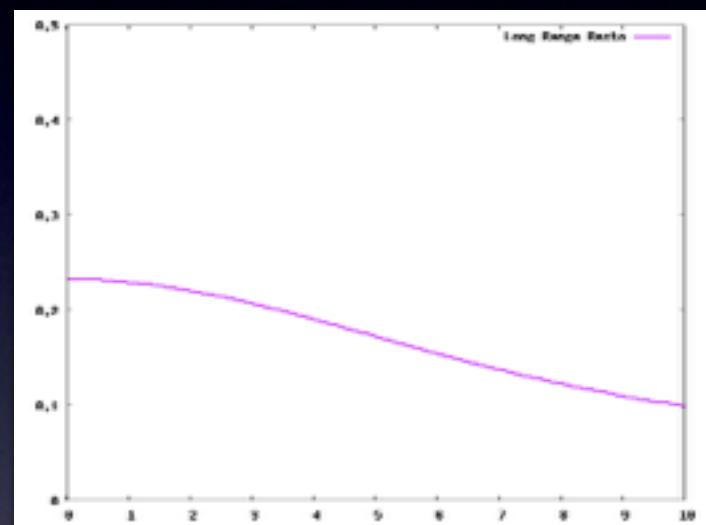
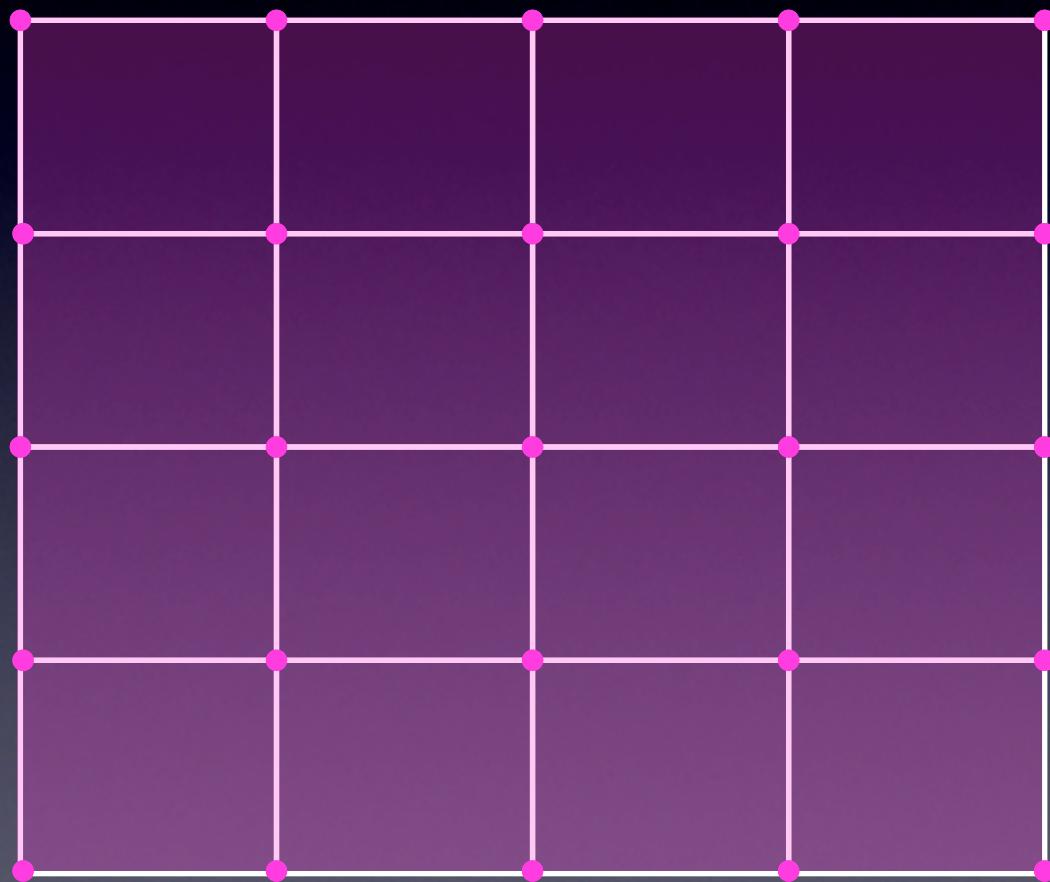


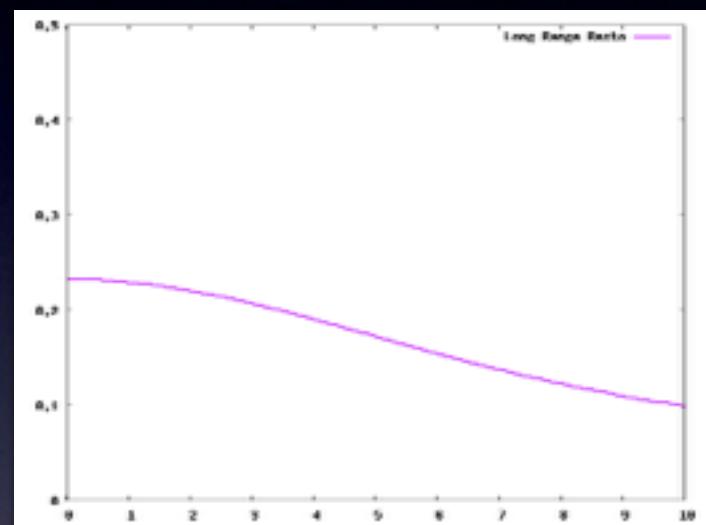
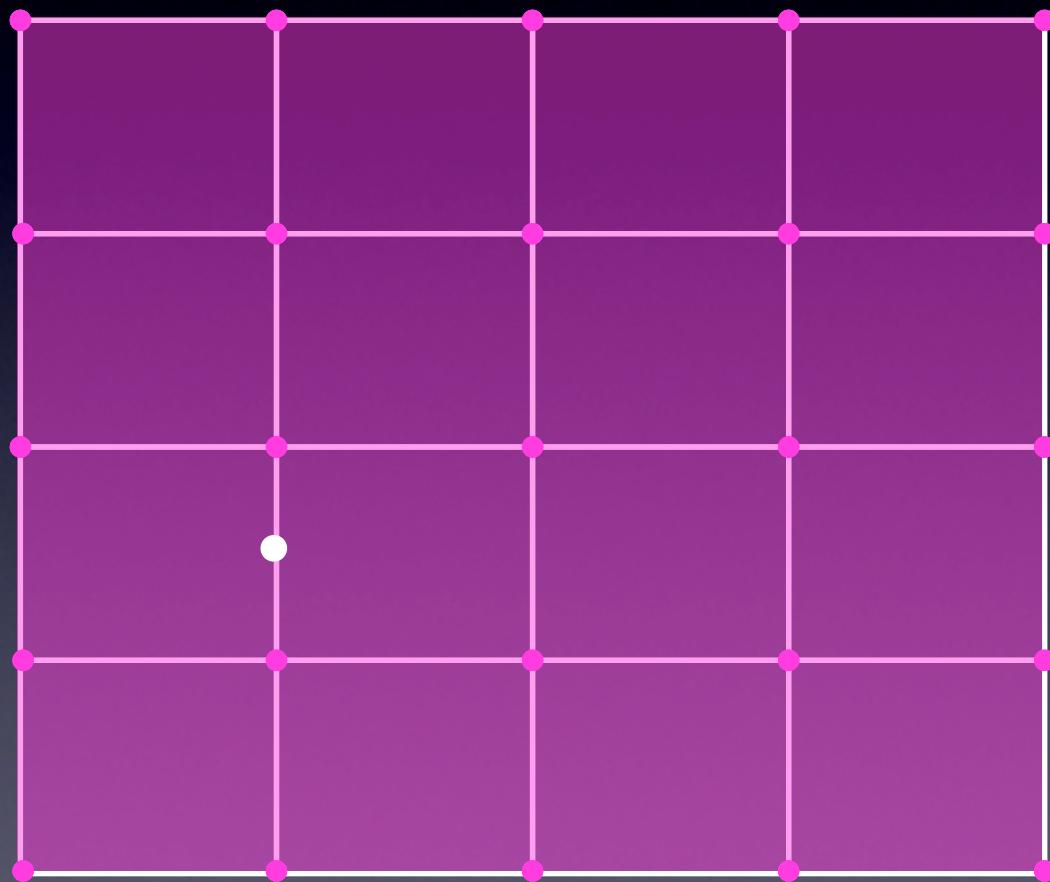


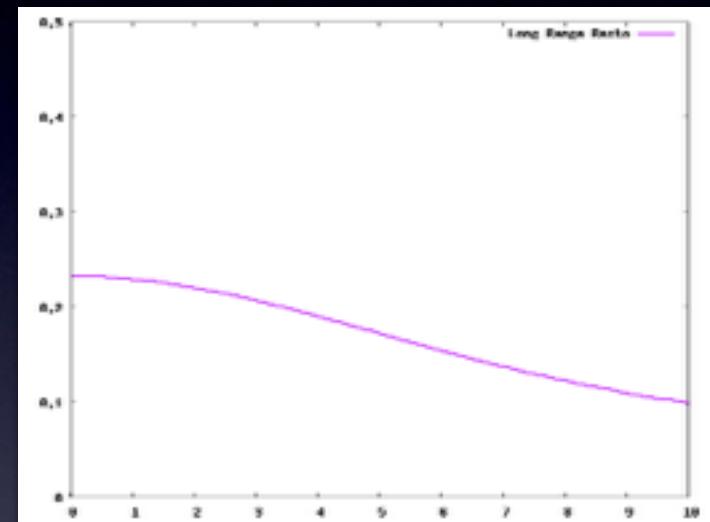
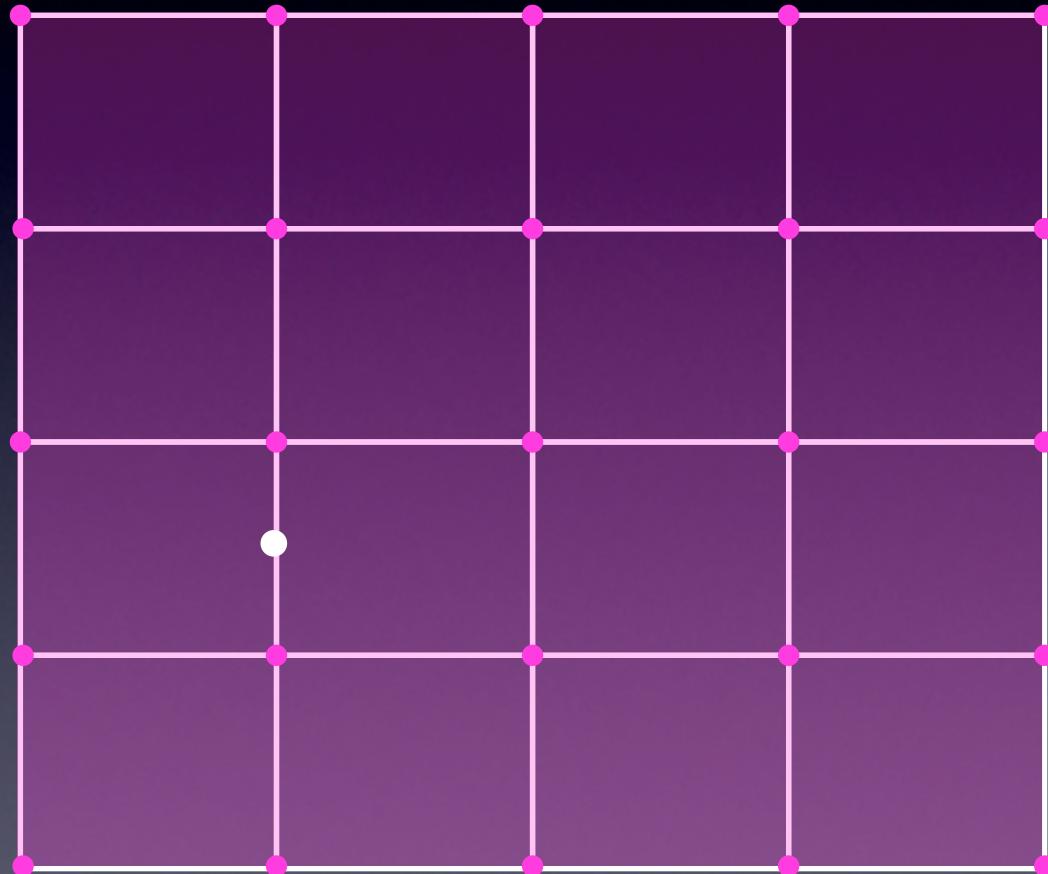




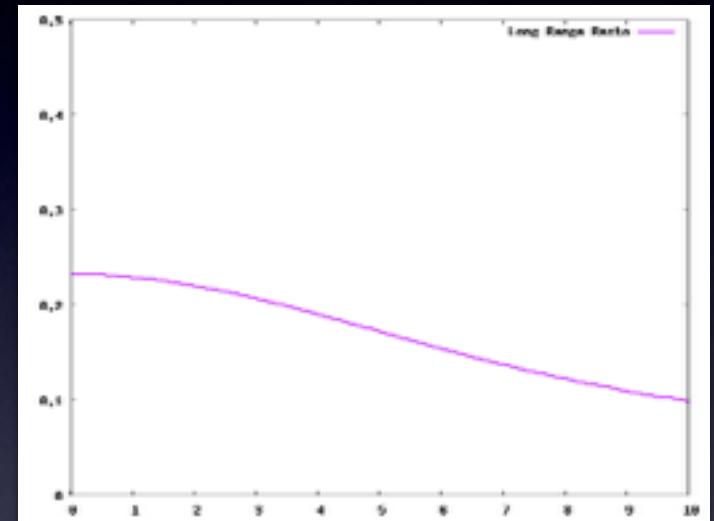
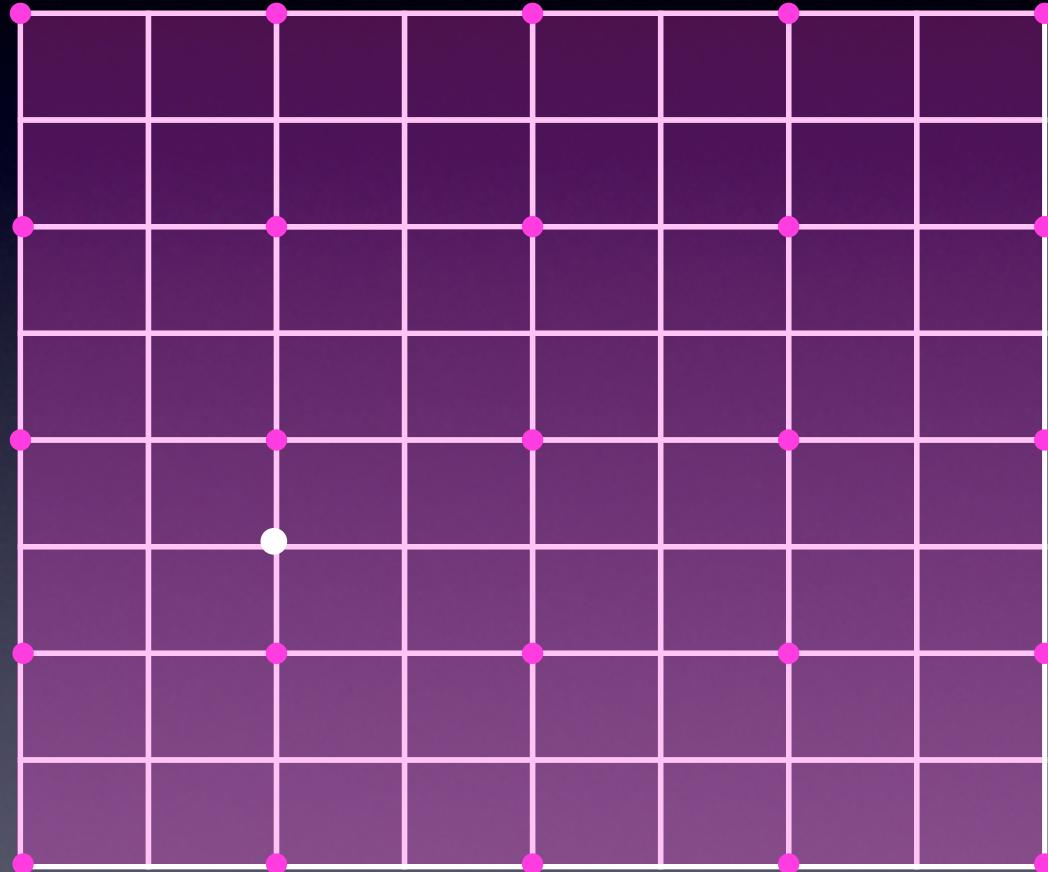






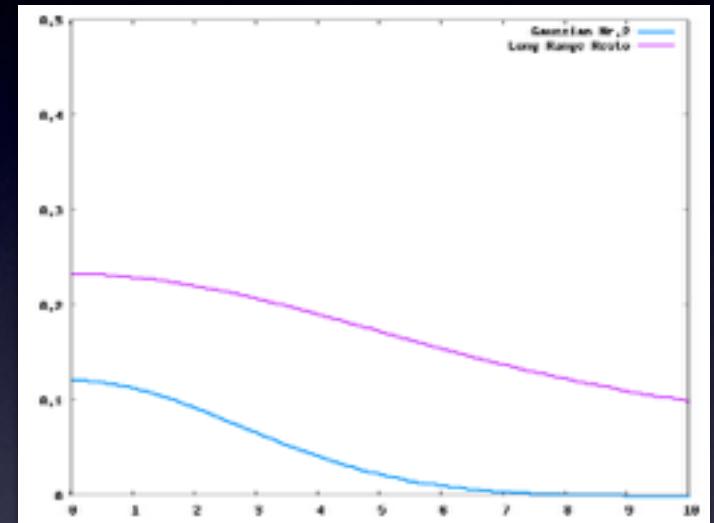
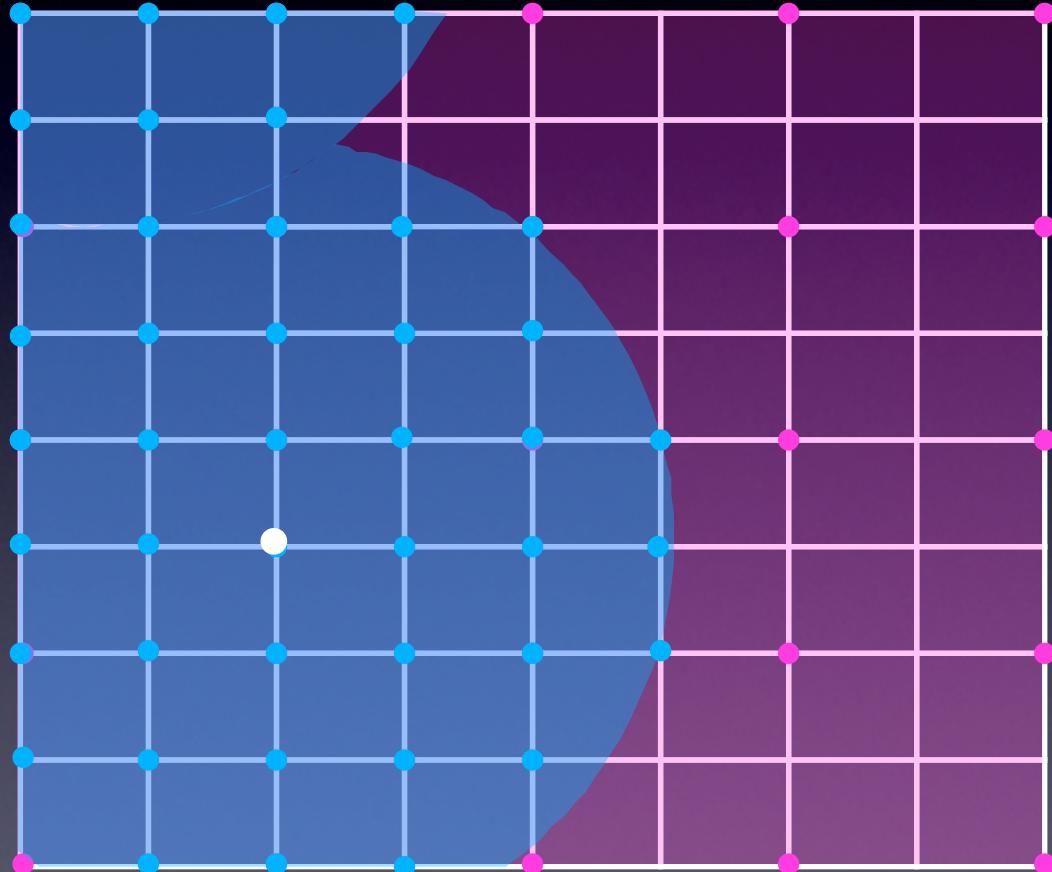


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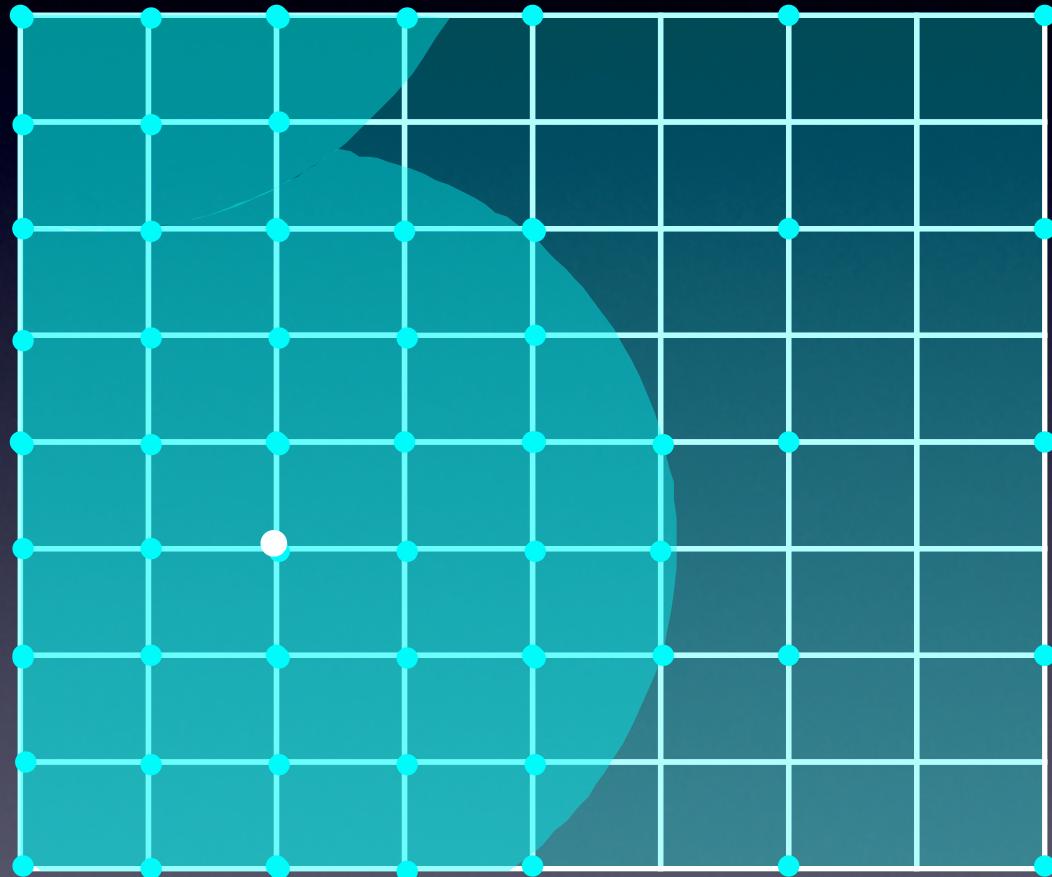
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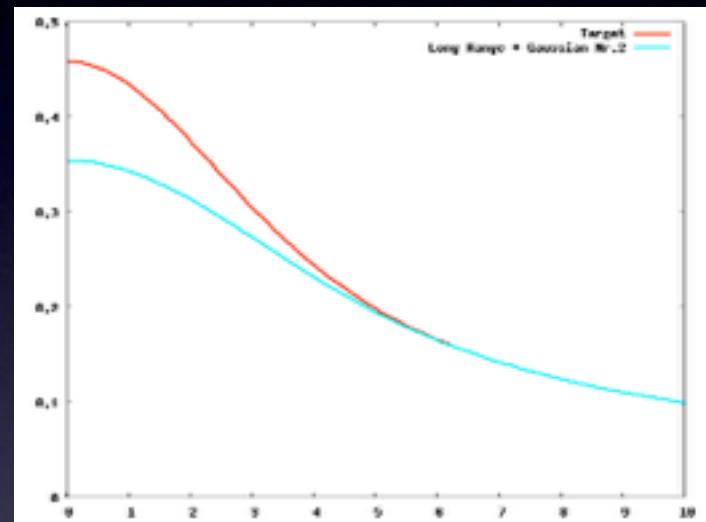


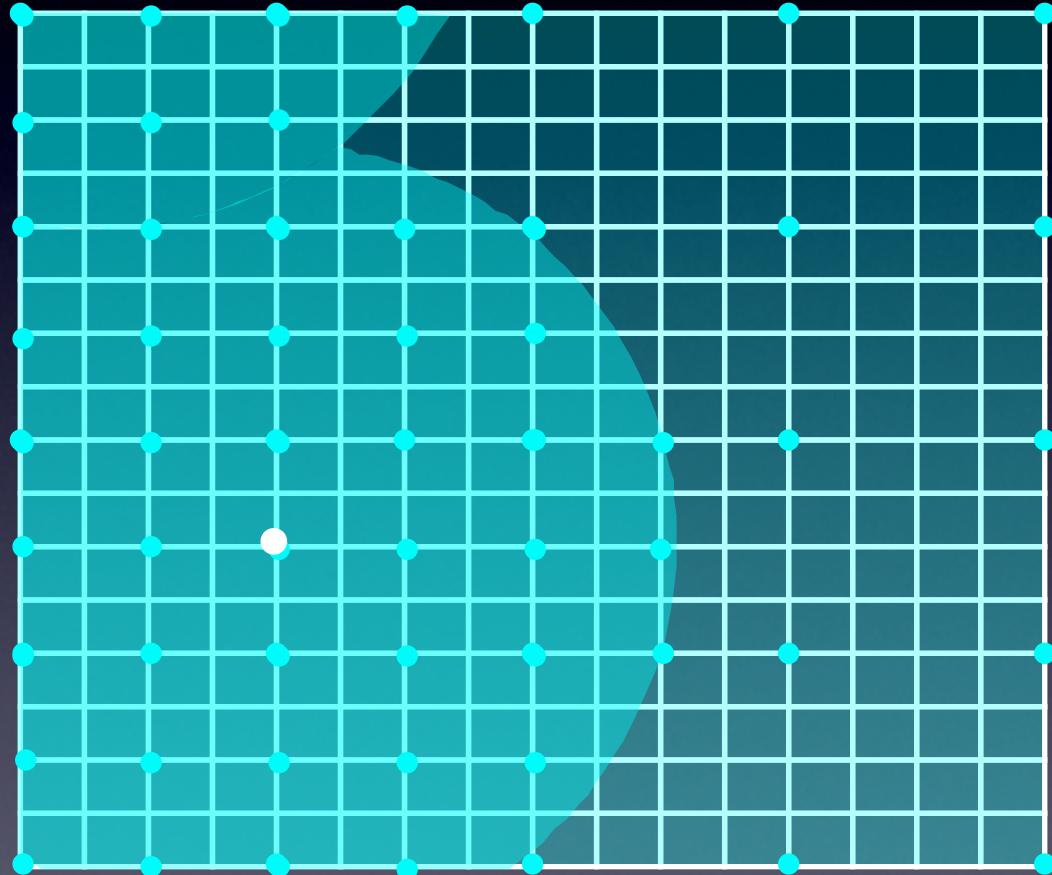
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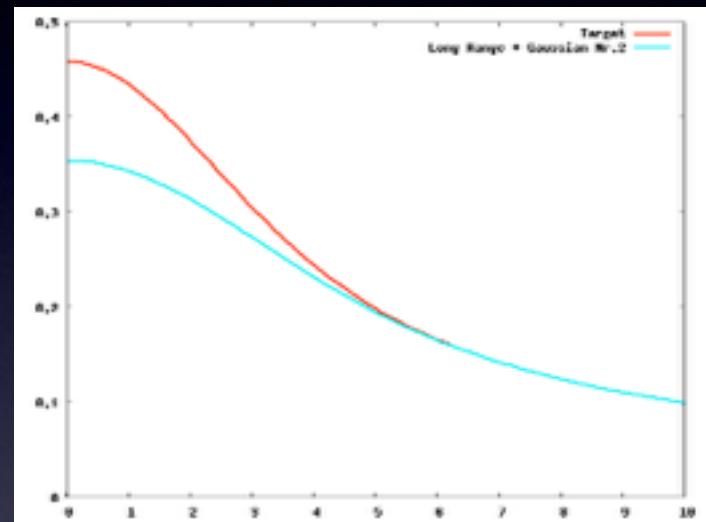


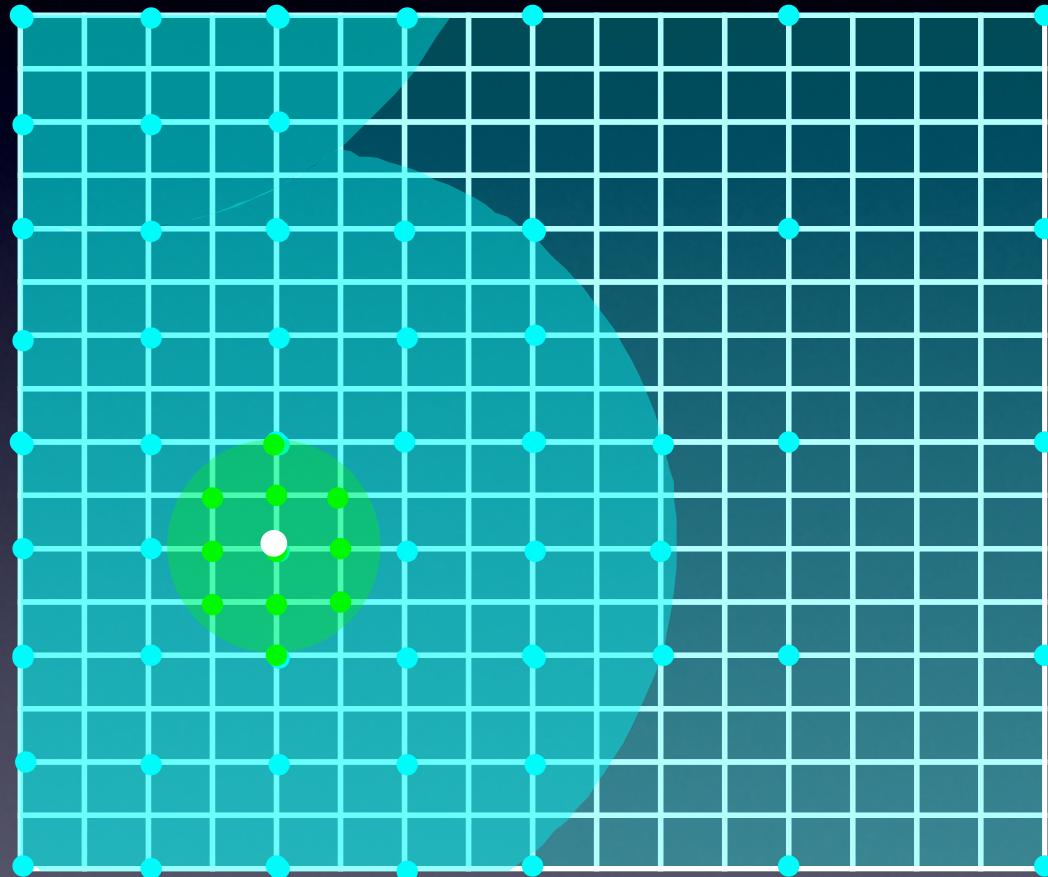
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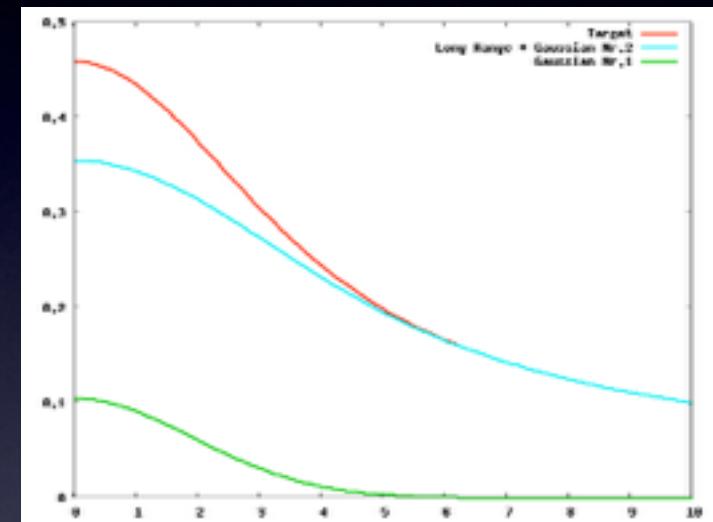


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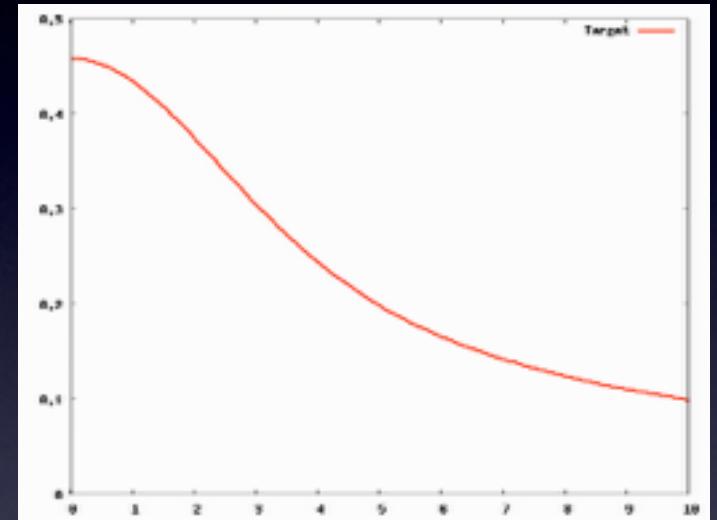
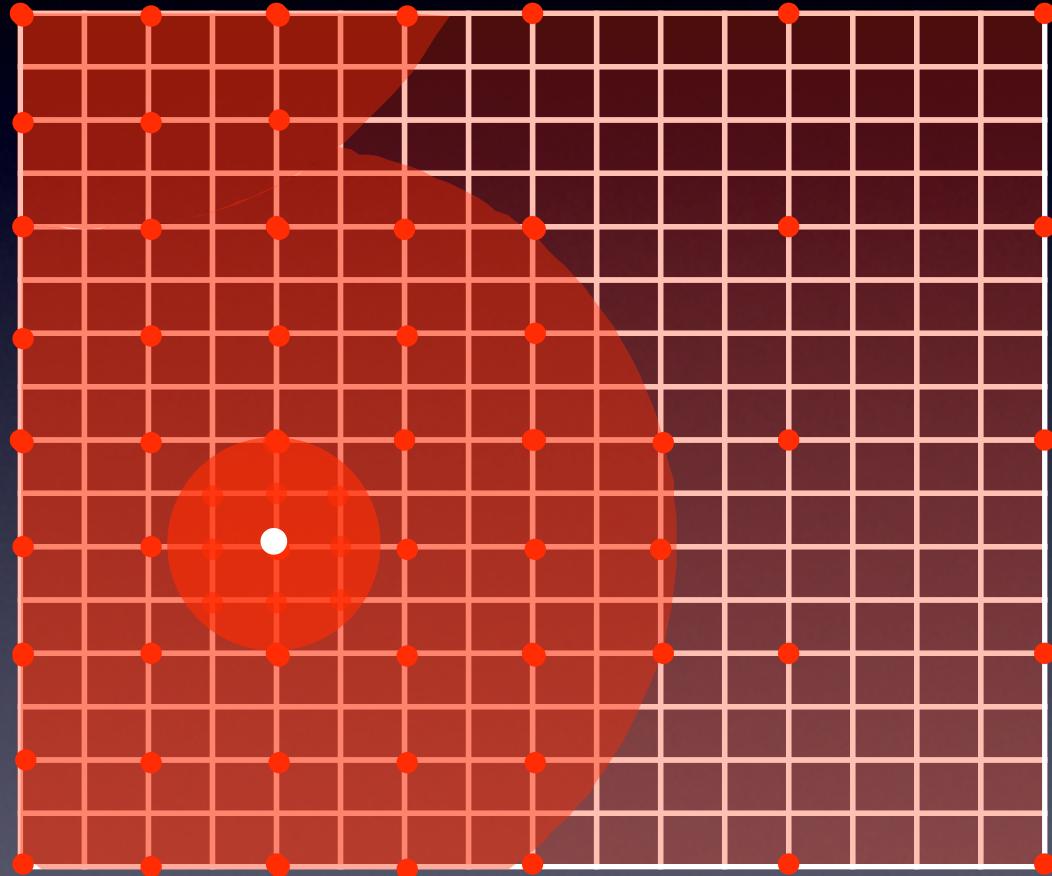




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Electrostatic Potential



interpolation
20-40% of time

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How to handle the electrostatic potential in presence of periodic boundary conditions (PBC)?

Ewald Summation scheme:

$$\begin{aligned} V(\vec{r}) &= \sum_{MM} q_{MM} \frac{1}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}_{MM}|} \\ &= \sum_{MM} q_{MM} \frac{Erf(\vec{r}\kappa) + Erfc(\vec{r}\kappa)}{|\vec{r} - \vec{r}_{MM}|} \\ &= V_{rec}(\vec{r}) + V_{real}(\vec{r}) \end{aligned}$$

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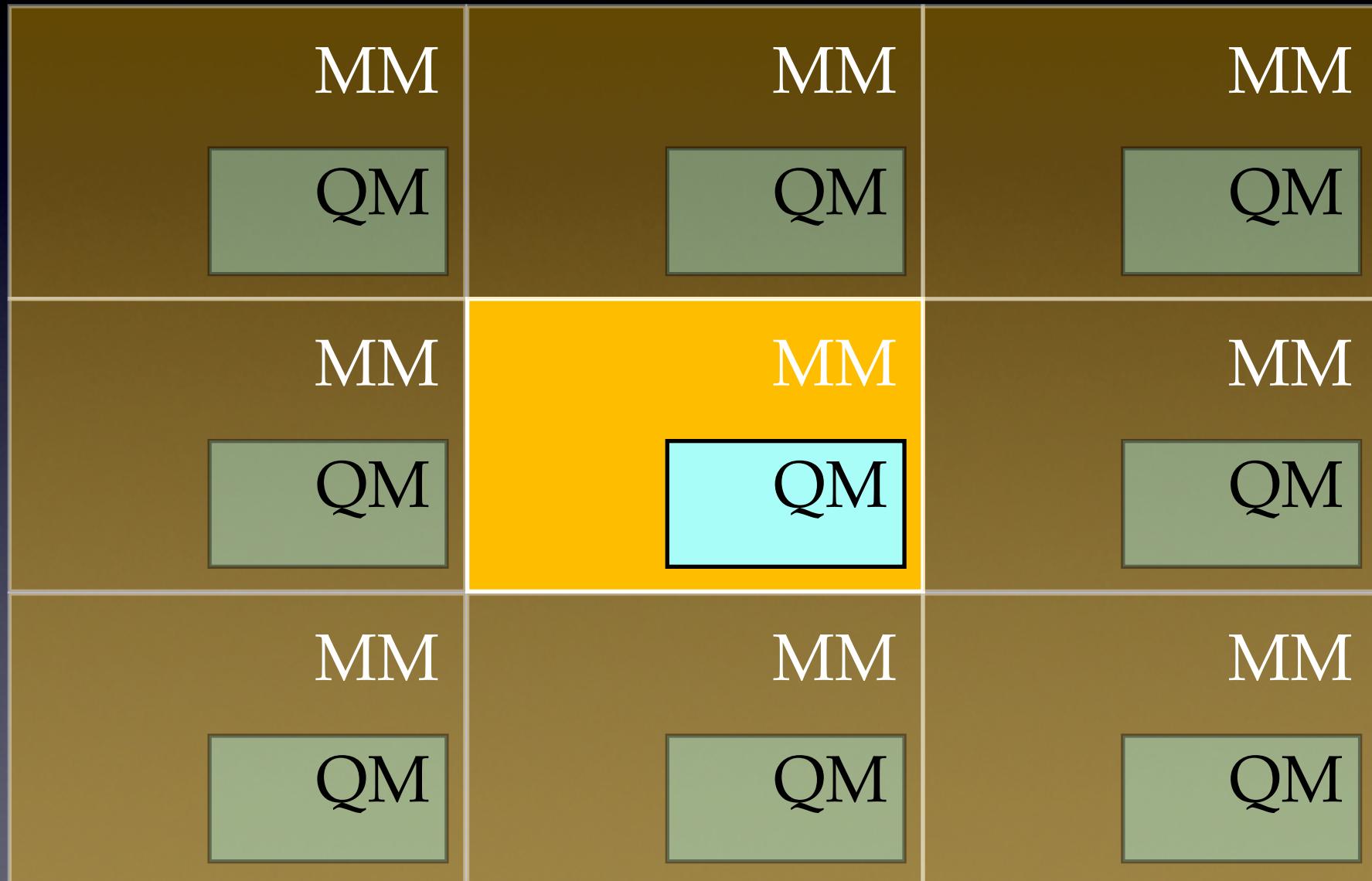
$$V_{rec}(\vec{r}) = \frac{4\pi}{\Omega} \sum_{\vec{k} \neq 0} \frac{e^{-\frac{|\vec{k}|^2}{4\kappa}}}{|\vec{k}|^2} \cdot \sum_{MM} q_{MM} e^{-i\vec{k} \cdot \vec{r}}$$

Reciprocal space

$$V_{real}(\vec{r}) = \sum_{MM} \sum_{\vec{n}} q_{MM} \frac{Erfc(\kappa * |\vec{r} + \vec{n}|)}{|\vec{r} + \vec{n}|}$$

Real space

QM/MM fully periodic



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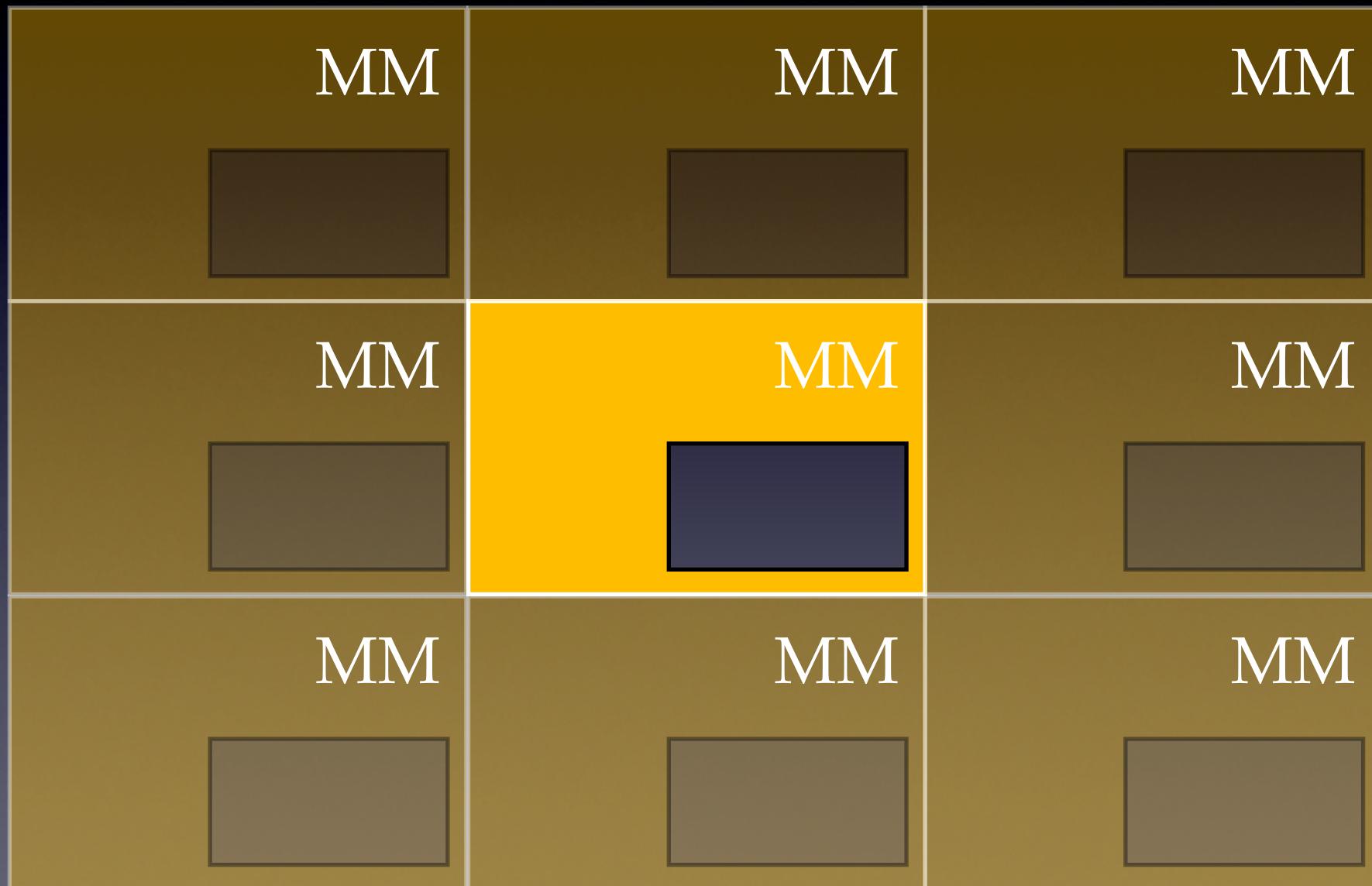
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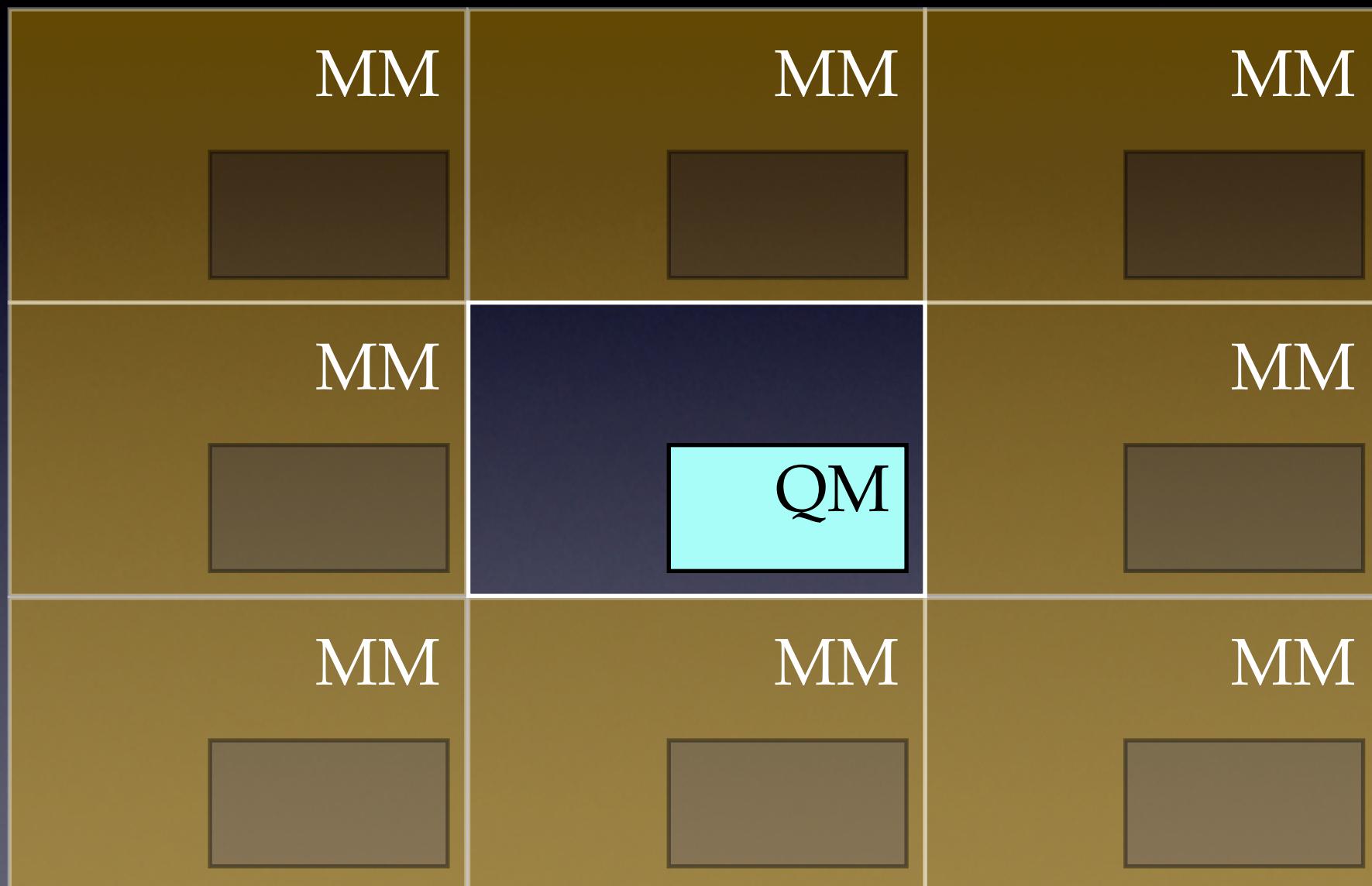
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GEEP with PBC

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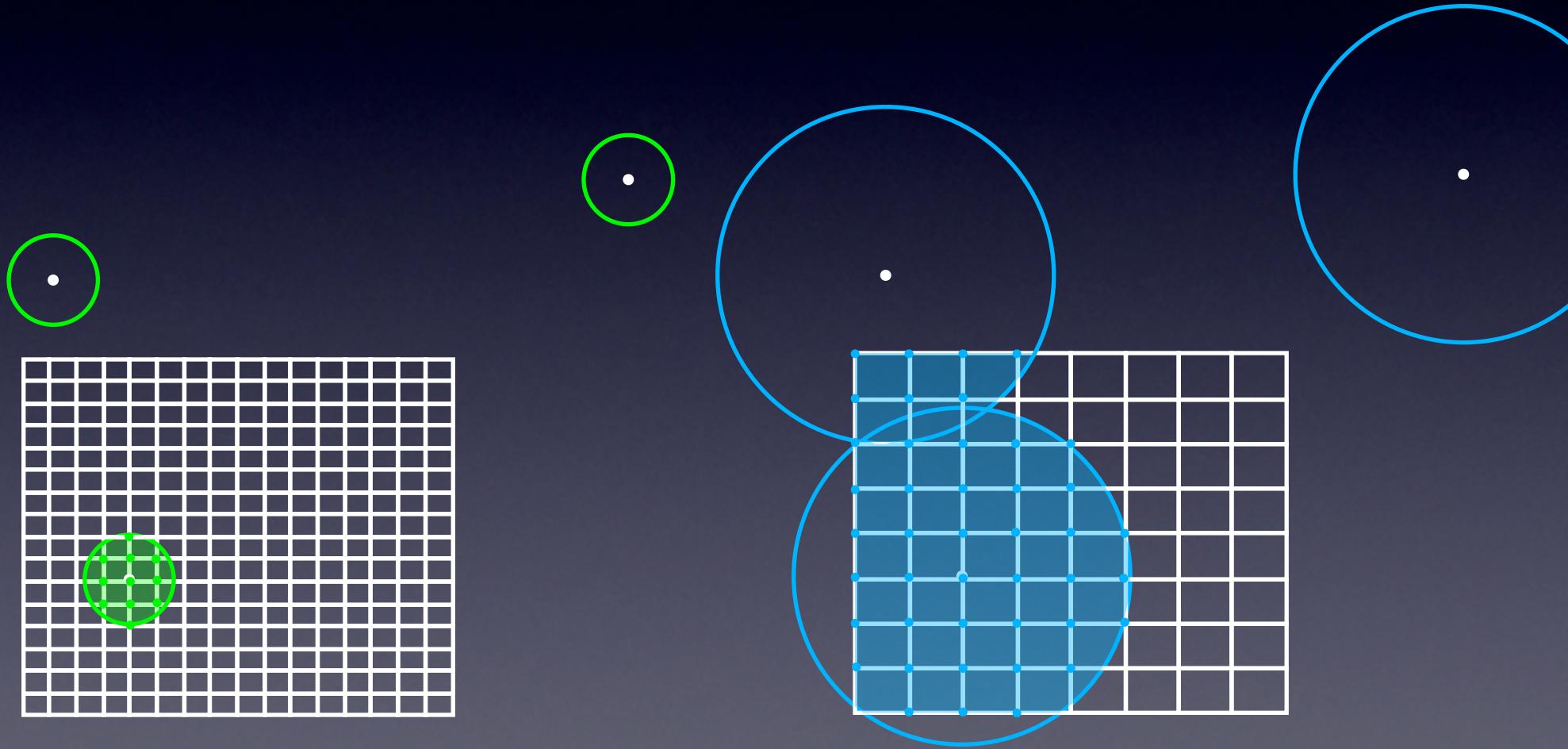
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**smooth
coarsest grid**

QM/MM real space term

$$V_{\text{rs}}^{\text{QM/MM}}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}}) = \sum_{|\mathbf{L}| \leq L_{\text{cut}}} \sum_{\text{MM}} \left[\sum_{N_g} A_g \exp \left(-\frac{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{R}_{\text{MM}} + \mathbf{L}|^2}{G_g^2} \right) \right]$$



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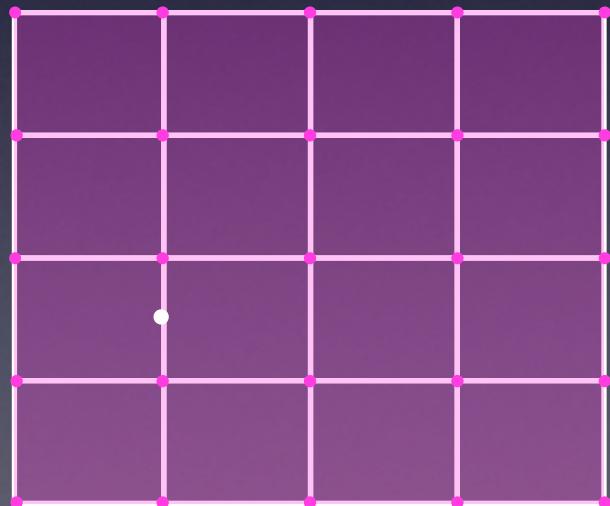


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**low cutoff function
only few k vectors
needed**

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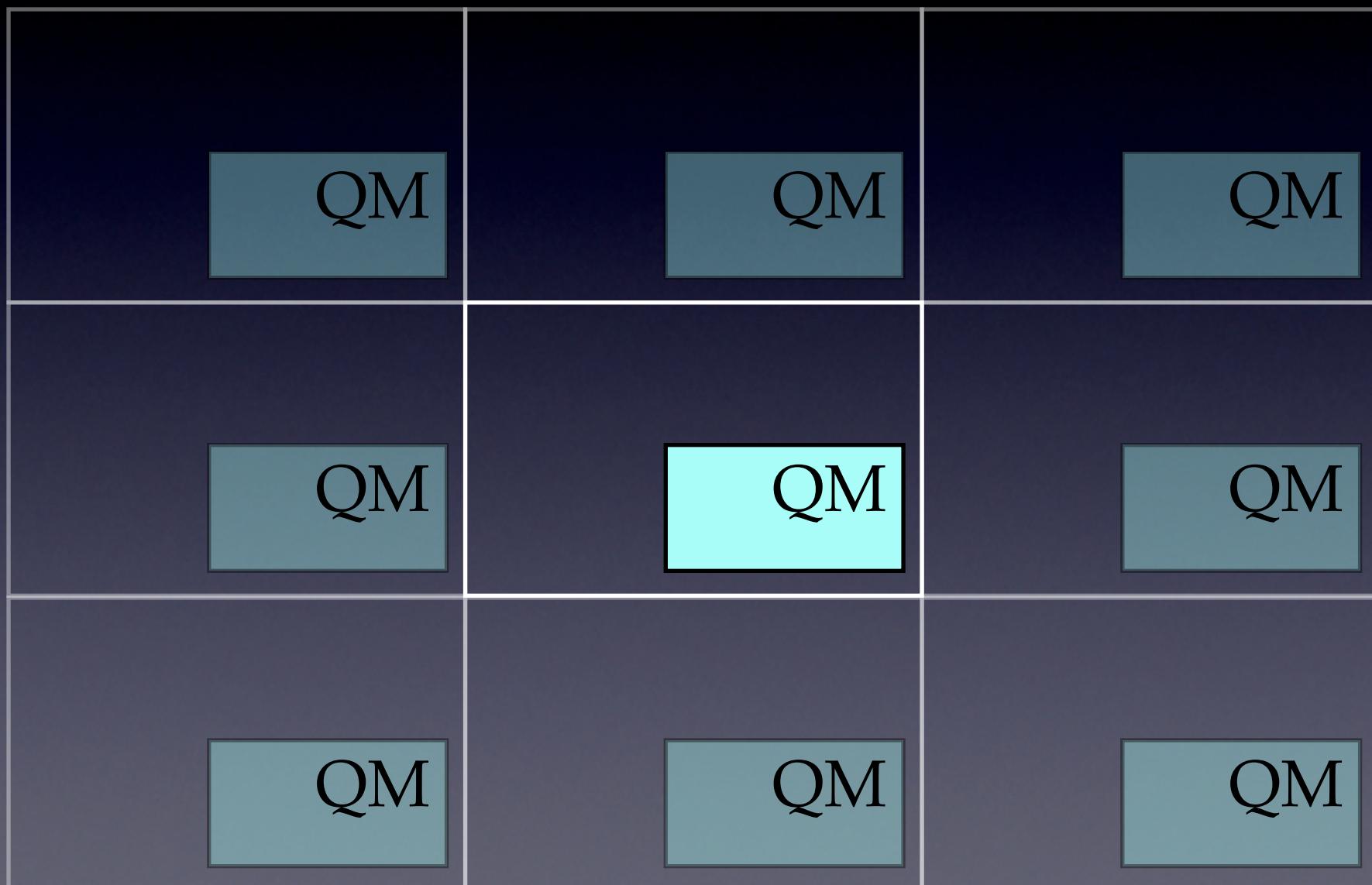
GEEP Summary

- GEEP to speed up the evaluation of a function on a grid
- The speed up factor is $\sim (N_f/N_c)^3 = 2^{3(N_{\text{grid}}-1)}$
- Usually 3-4 grid levels are used corresponding to a speed up of $64-512 \sim 10^2$ times faster than the simple collocation algorithm (Interpolations and Restrictions account for a negligible amount of time)
- Since the residual function is different from zero only for few k vectors, the sum in reciprocal space is restrained to few points.
- Small computational overhead between the fully periodic and non-periodic

Sources of Errors

- Cutoff of grid level appropriate to the cutoff of the mapped Gaussian ($\sim 20\text{-}25$ points per linear direction)
- Error in Cubic Spline interpolation
- Cutoff of the coarse grid level comparable to the cutoff of the long range function.

QM fully periodic



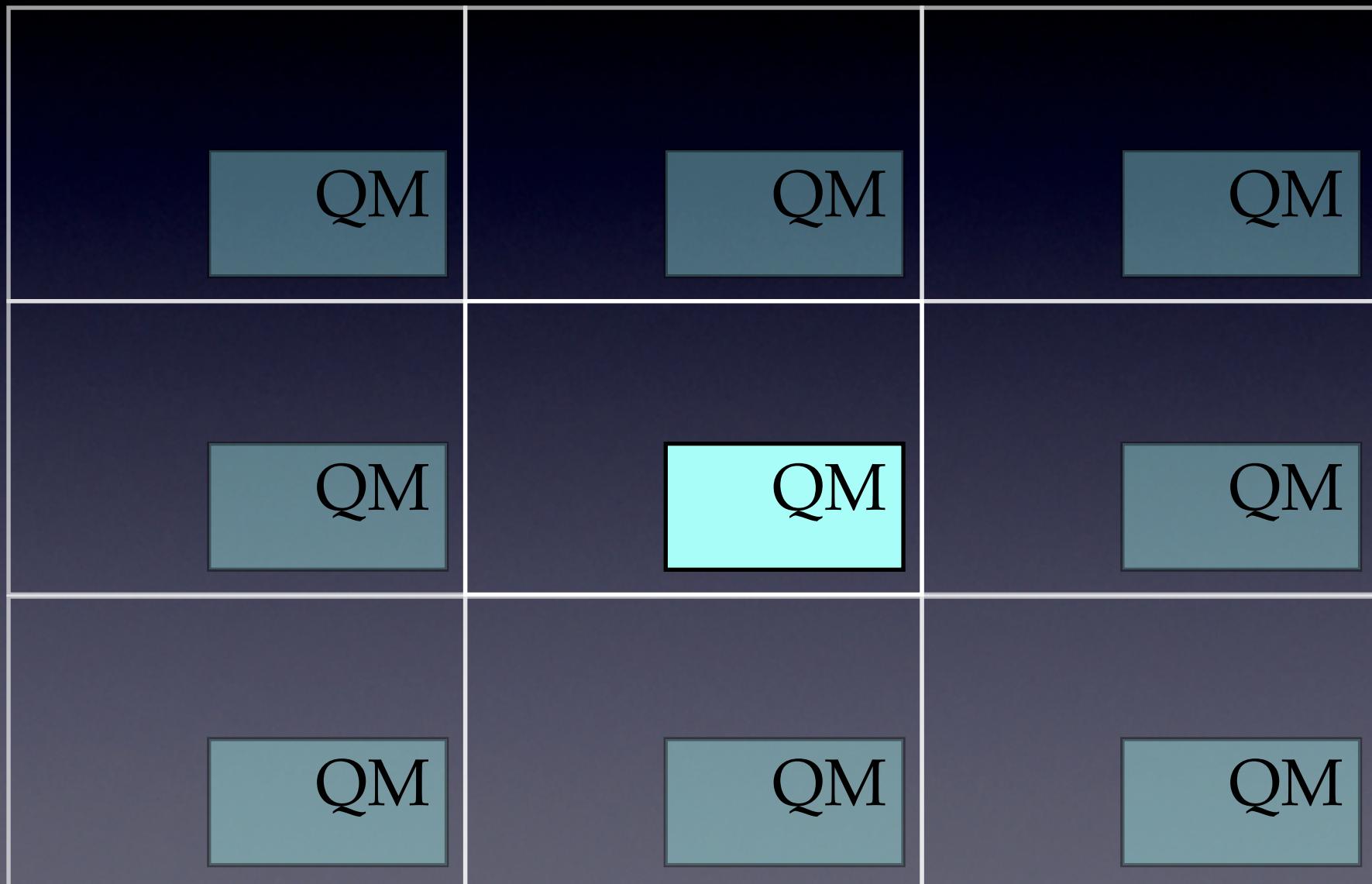
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De-coupling and re-coupling

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Bloechl Scheme

- Density fitting in g-space of the total density

$$\hat{n}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM}) = \sum_{QM} q_{QM} g_{QM}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM})$$

- Reproduce the correct Long-Range electrostatics

$$\Delta Q_l = \left| \int d\mathbf{r} \mathbf{r}^l \mathcal{Y}_l (n(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM}) - \hat{n}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM})) \right|$$

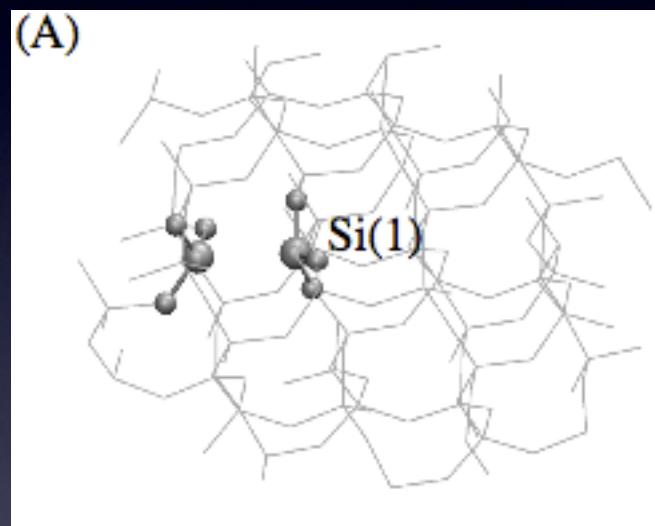
$$\Delta W = \left| \int d\mathbf{r} \mathbf{r}^2 (n(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM}) - \hat{n}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{R}_{QM})) \right|$$

minimise

- Decoupling and Recoupling using these charges

Charged OV

Migration of charged oxygen vacancy defects in silica

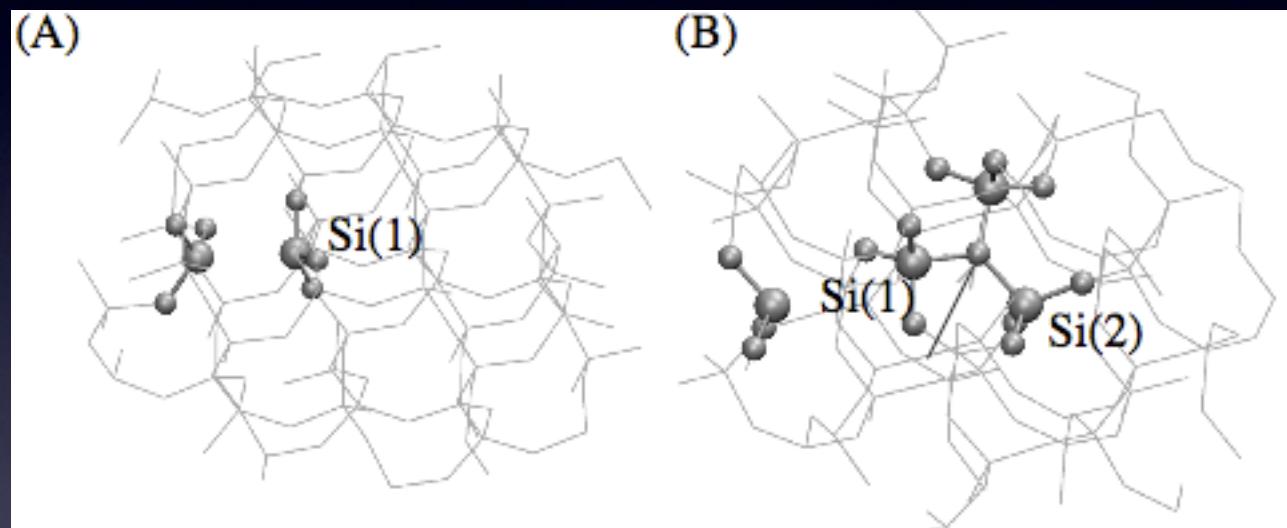


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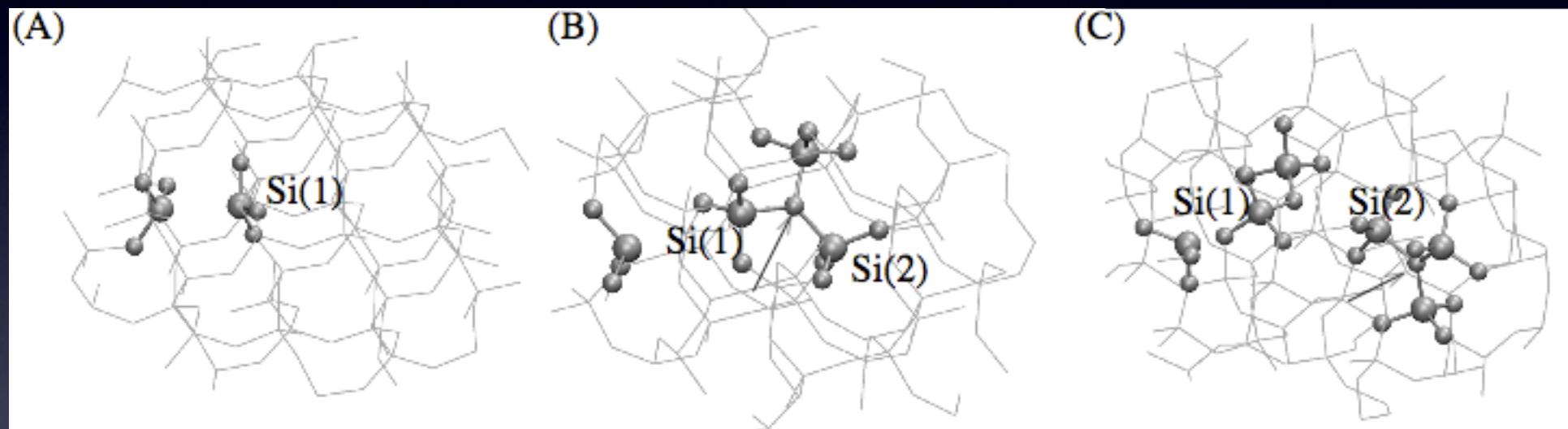
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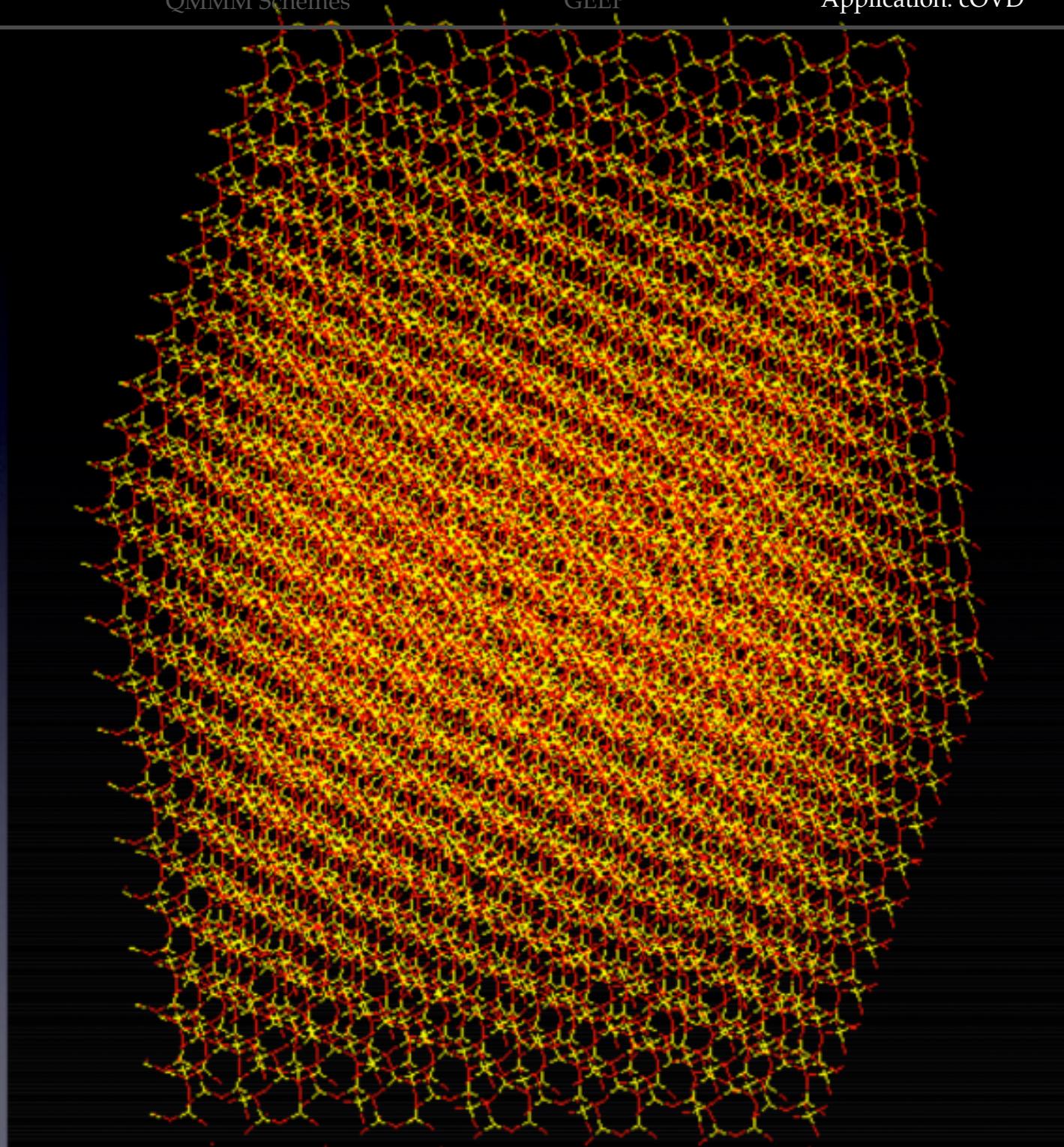


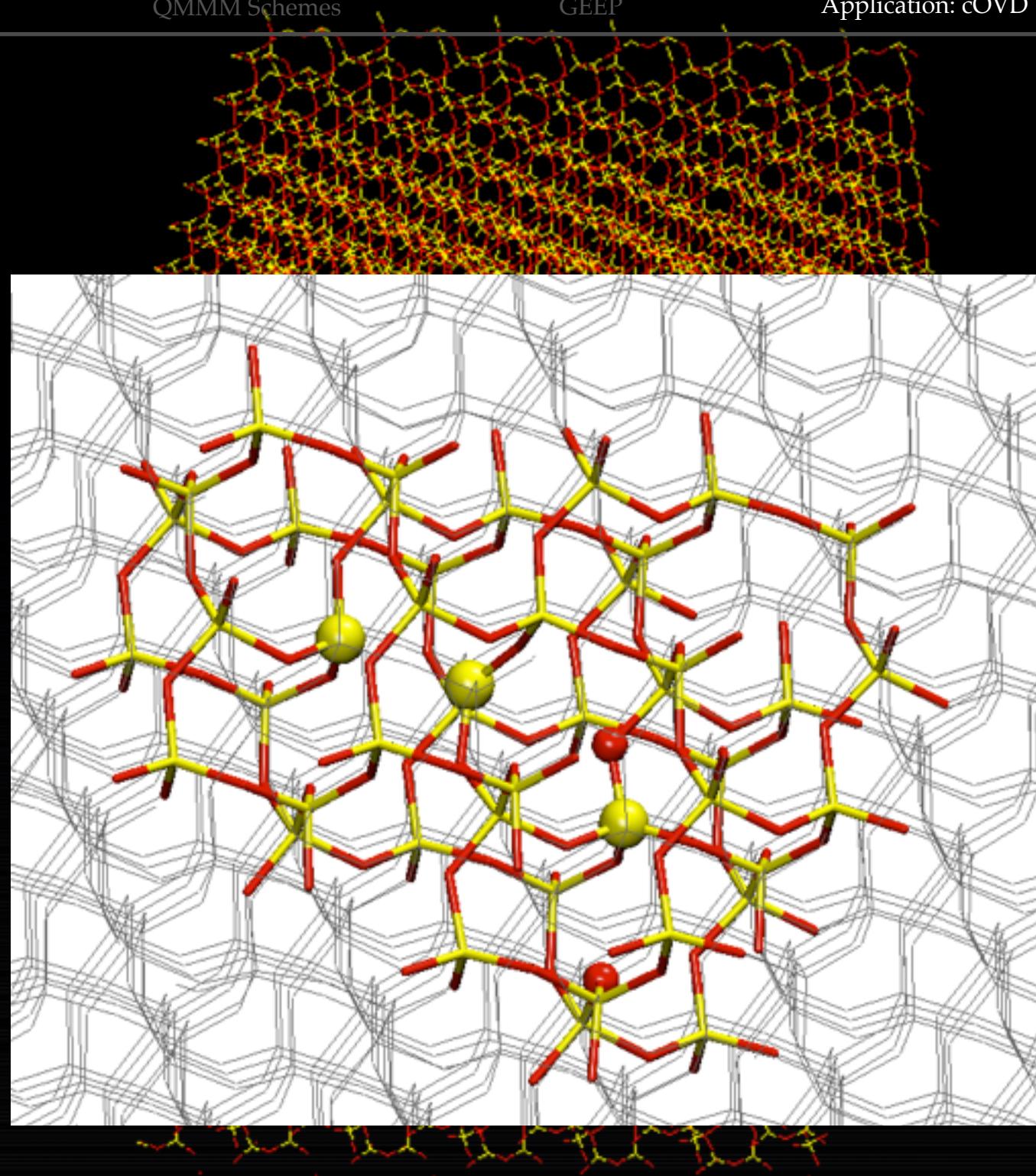
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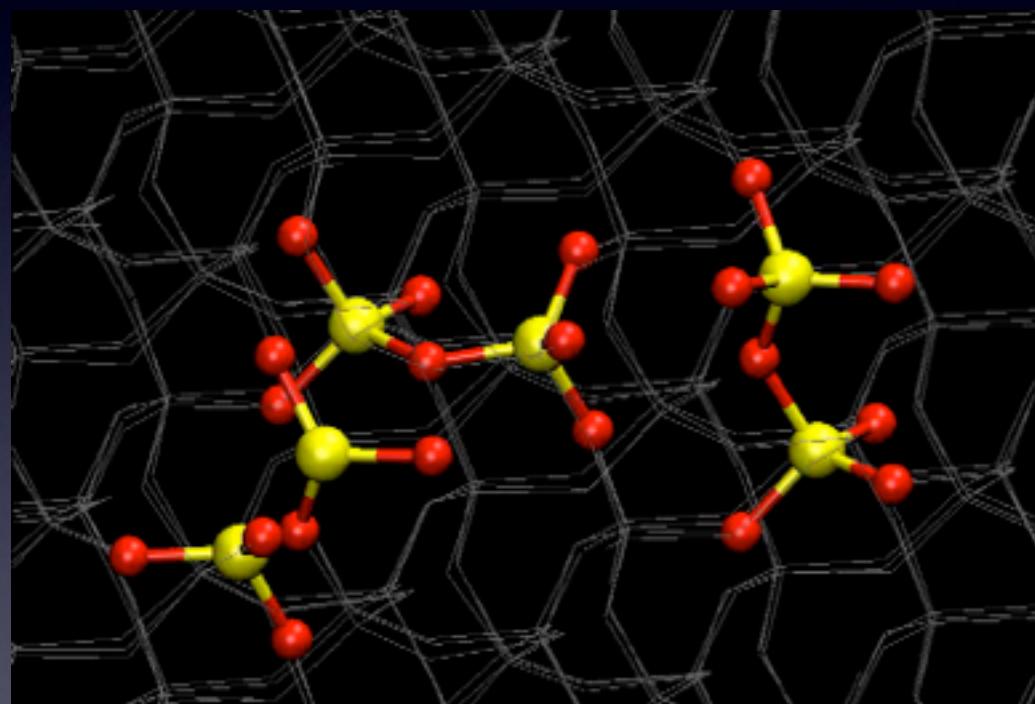
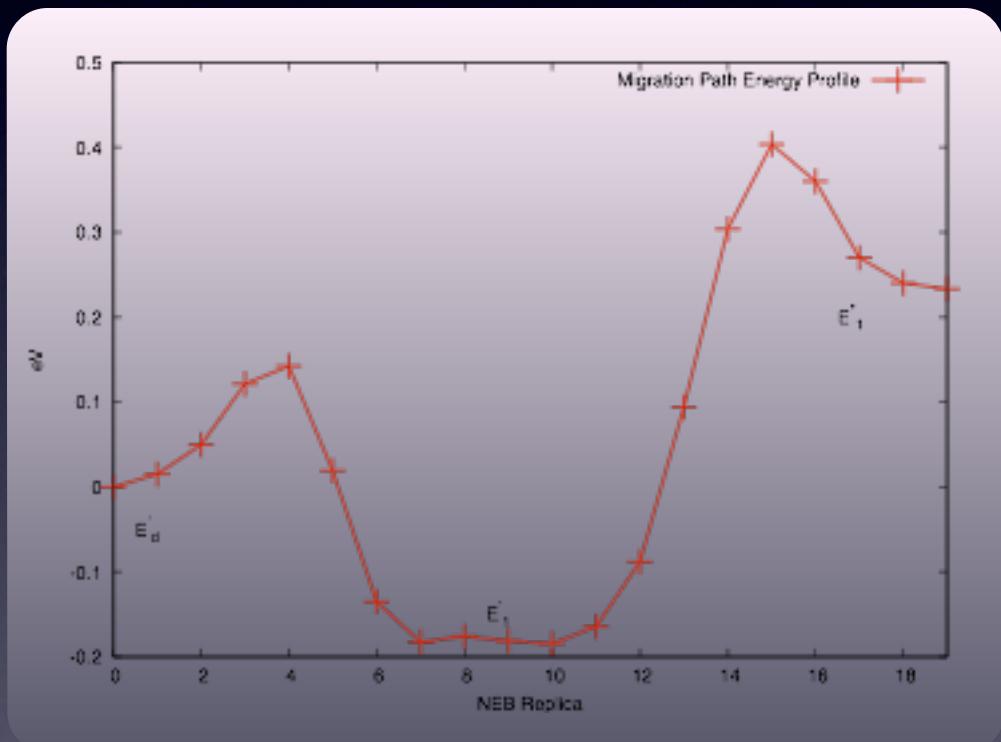
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NEB: Minimum Energy Path



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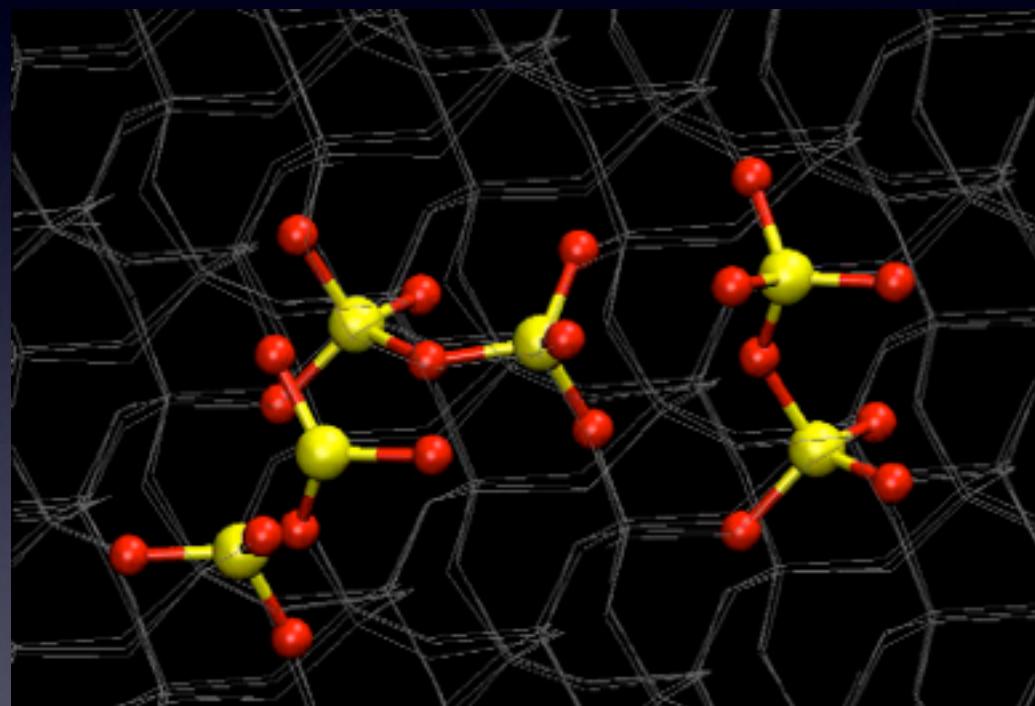
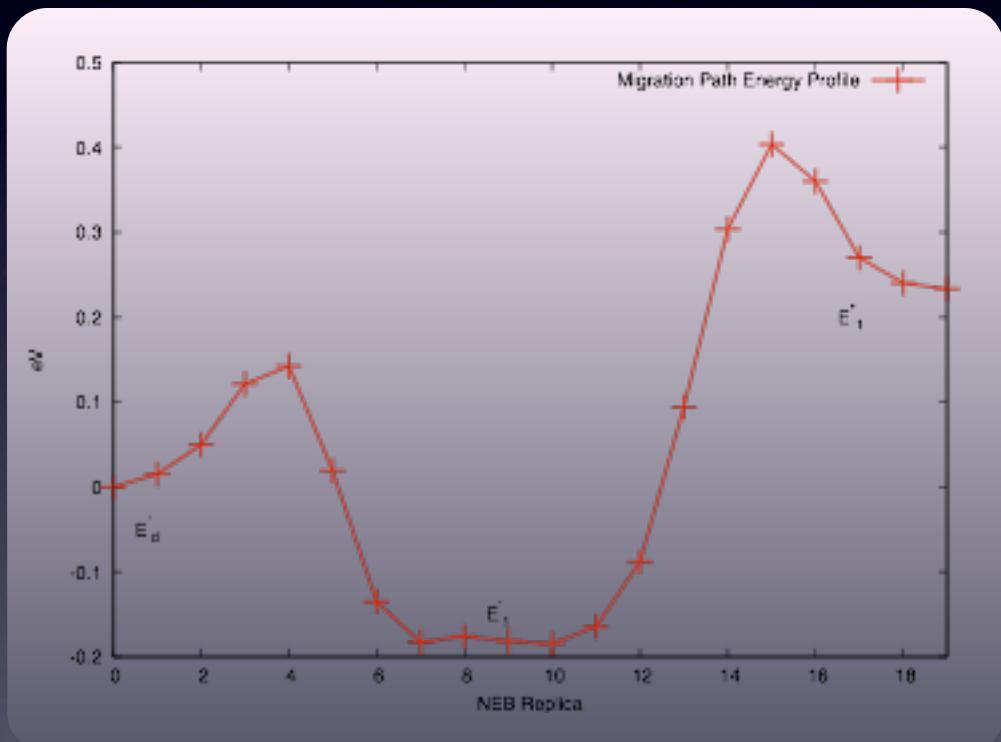
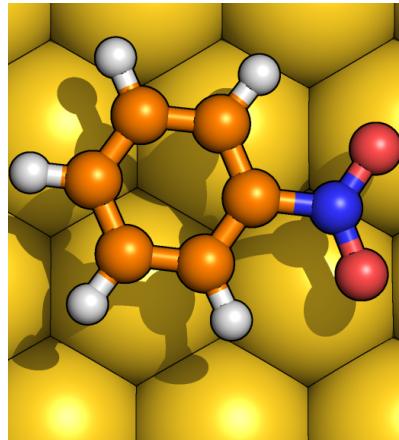


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nitrobenzene/Au(111)



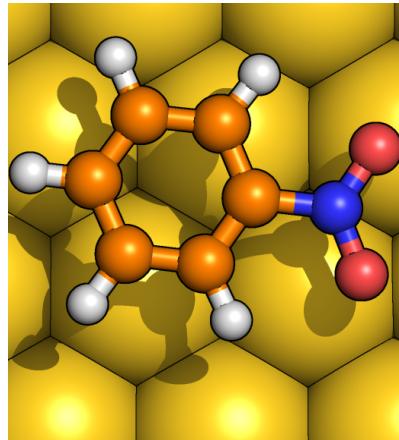
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IC induce polarization, solved selfconsistently

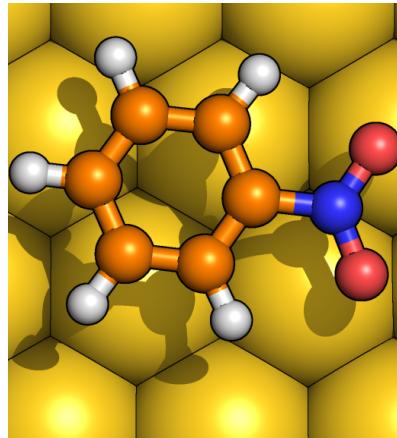
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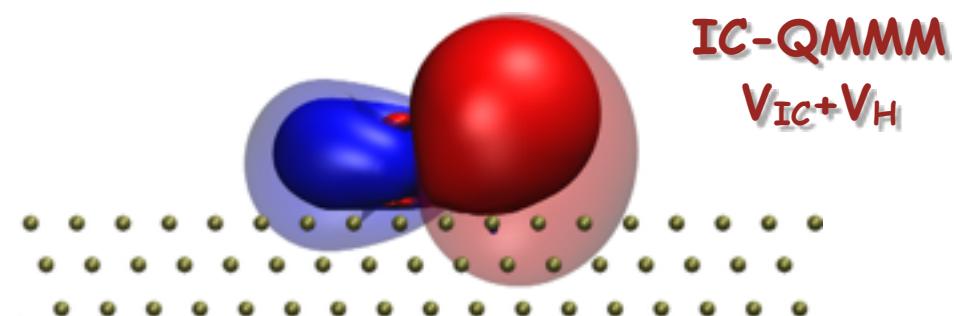
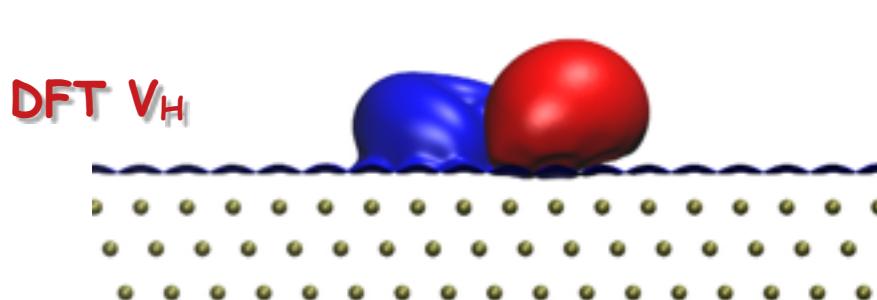
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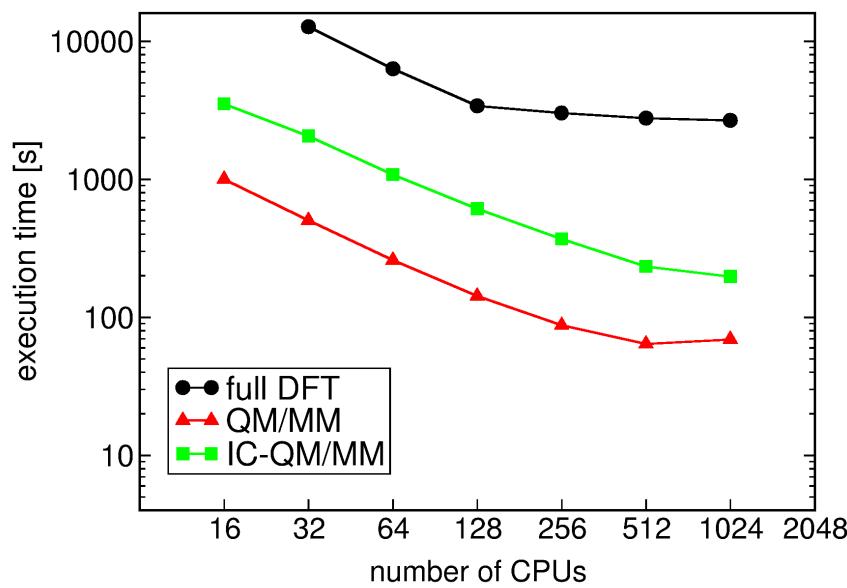
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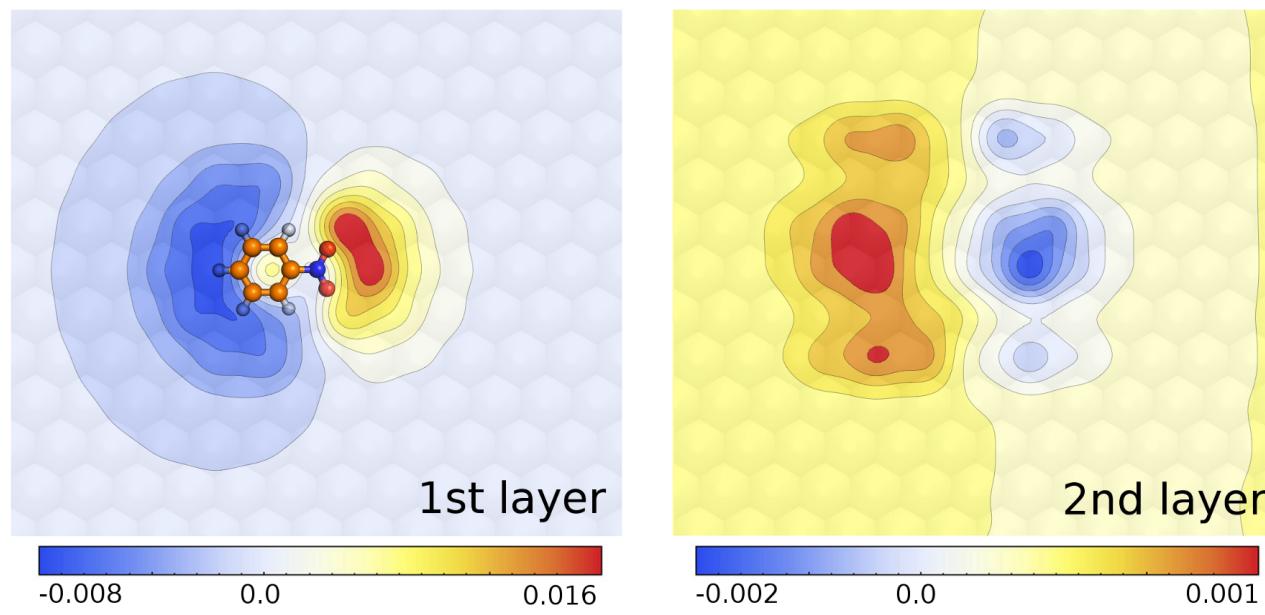


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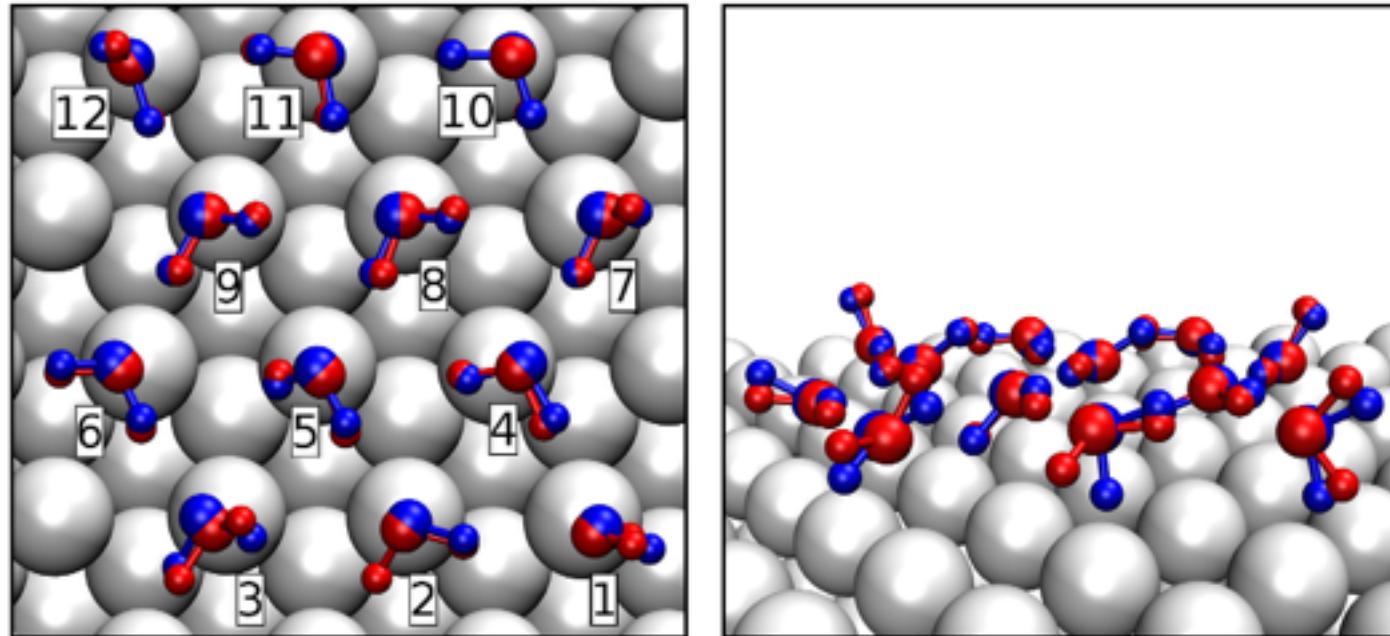
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linear set of eq. (CG iterative scheme)



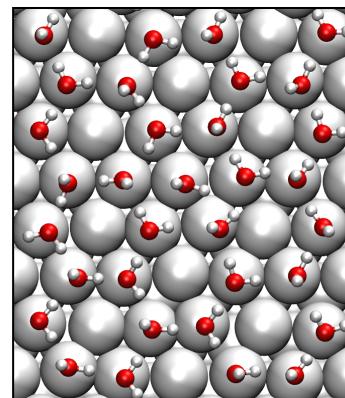
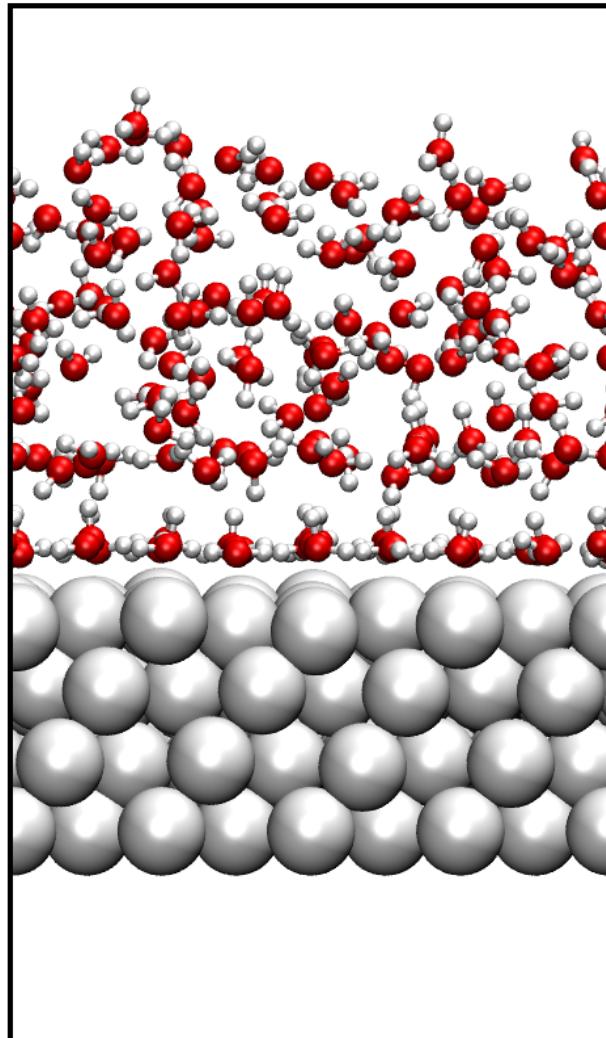
H_2O cluster on Pt(111)

H_2O QM, Pt EAM, H_2O -Pt Siepmann-Sprik + IC

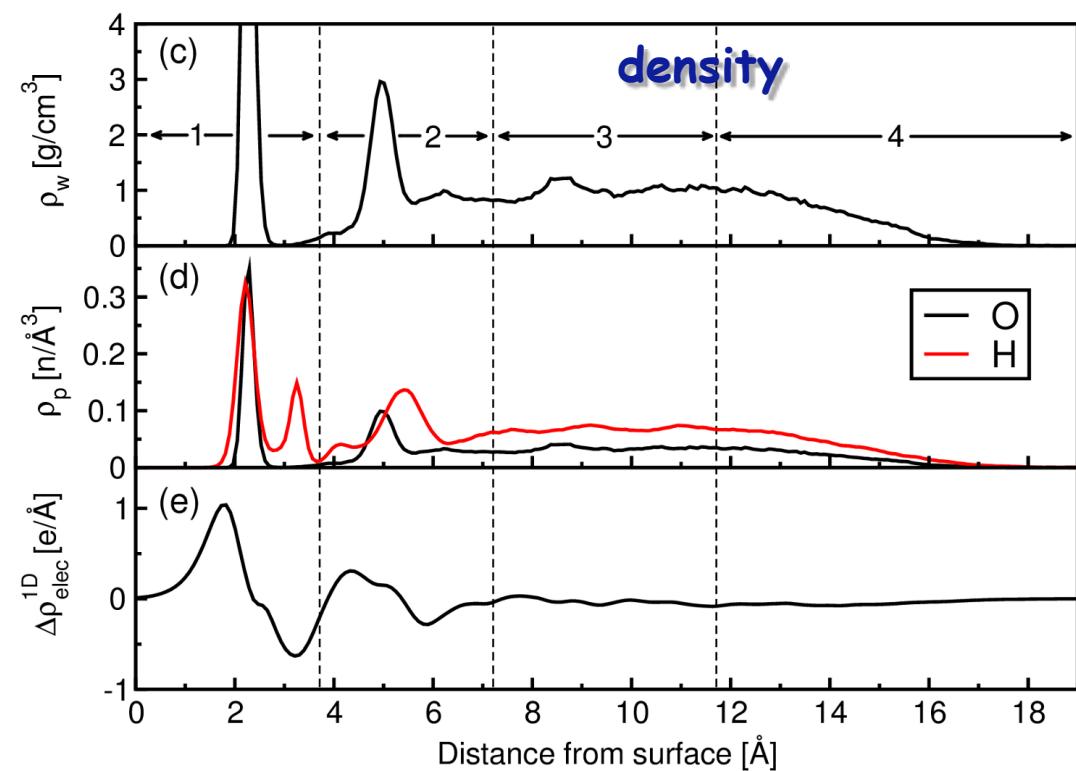


kJ/mol	1 H_2O		2 H_2O			12 H_2O		
	E_{int}	E_{ads}	E_{int}	E_{ads}	$E_{\text{H-bond}}$	E_{int}	E_{ads}	$E_{\text{H-bond}}$
QM/MM	-41.6	-37.3	-40.9	-49.2	-10.6	-36.4	-61.9	-26.0
IC-QM/MM	-44.2	-43.6	-43.7	-52.9	-10.5	-42.8	-66.6	-24.4
full DFT	-44.9	-43.5	-50.6	-56.8	-7.0	-44.2	-63.0	-19.7

Liquid Water at Pt(111)



honeycomb arrangement
70% on-top site occupied



H-bond distribution

