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COSMOLOGICAL CONSTRAINTS ON THE KS AXIVERSE

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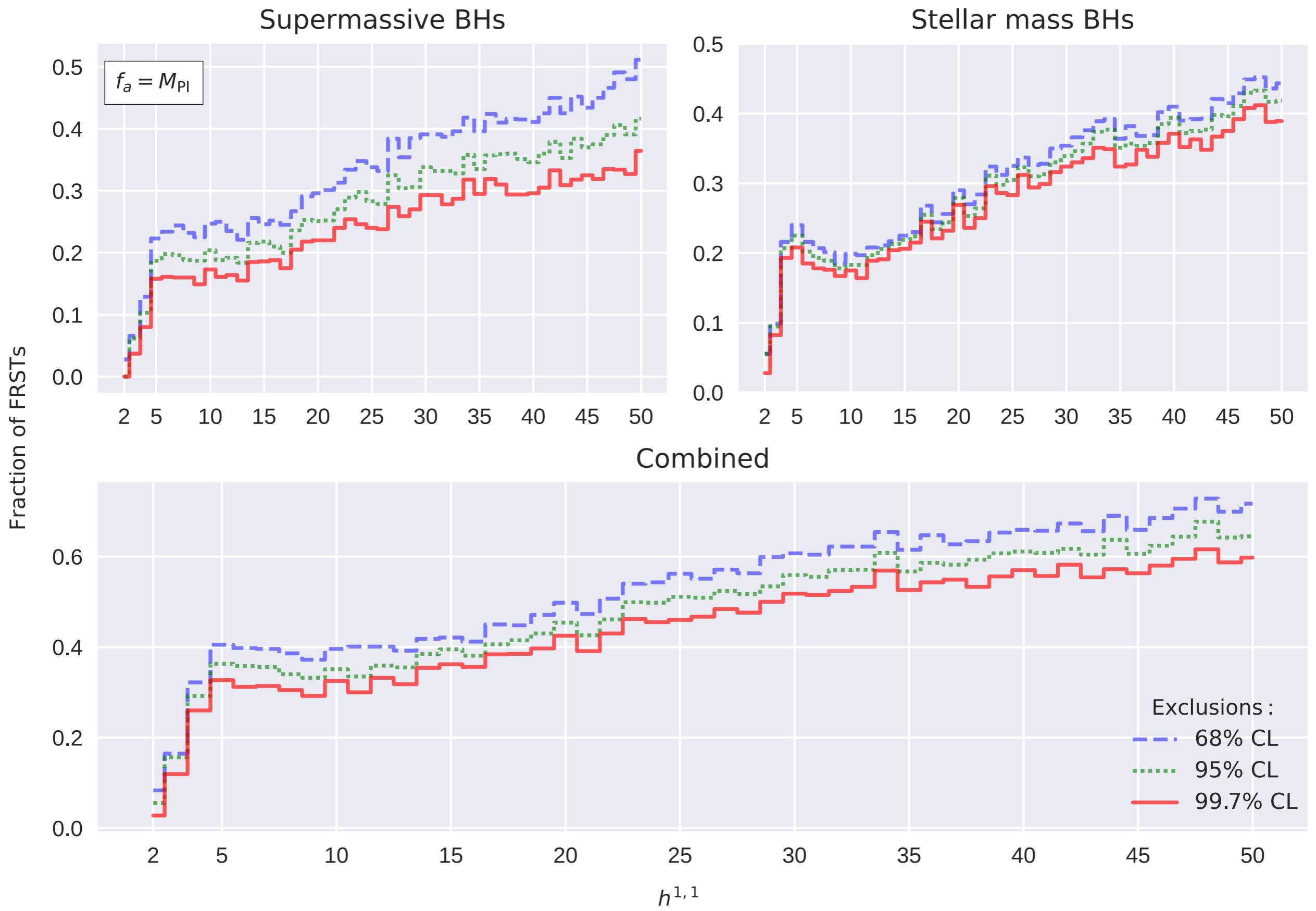
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STRING PHENO SEMINAR SERIES

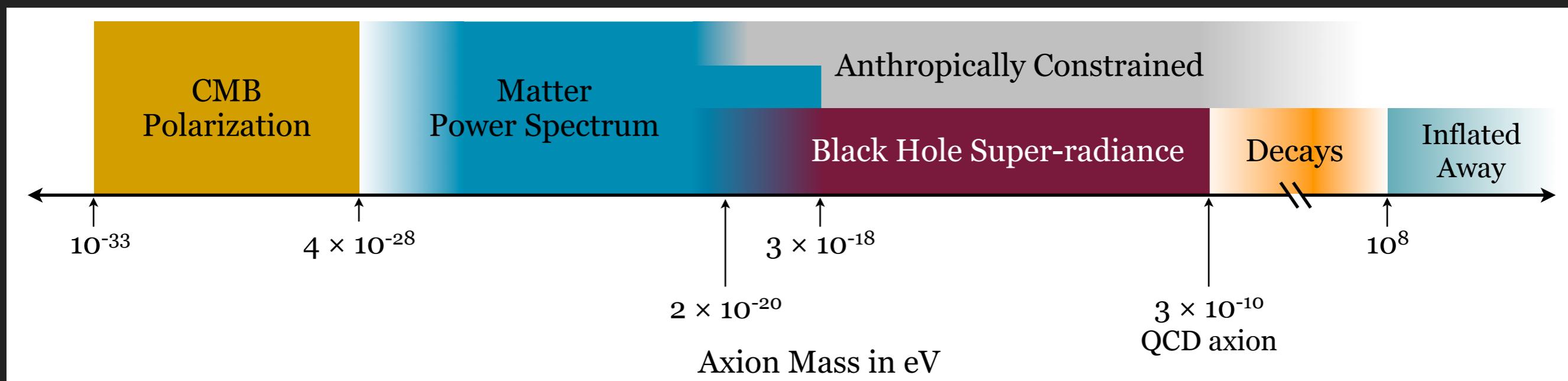
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TAKE HOME MESSAGE: BLACK HOLES MAY CONSTRAIN STRING GEOMETRIES



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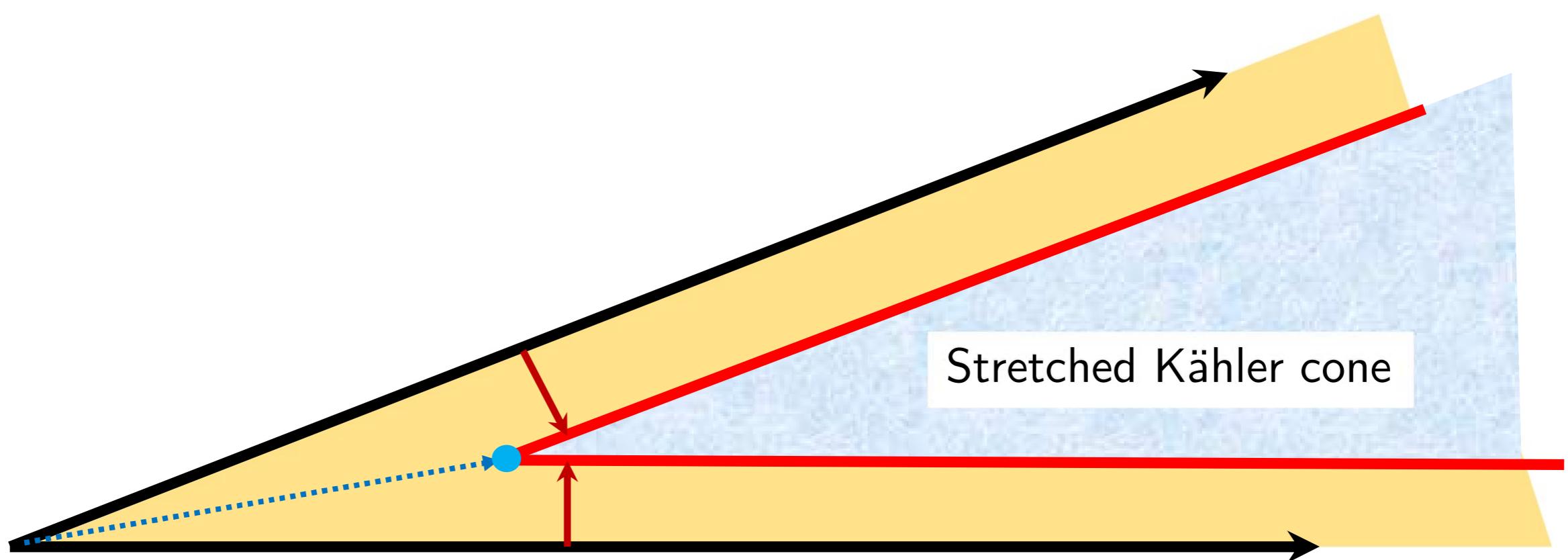


KREUZER-SKARKE AXIVERSE

- ▶ pseudoscalar fields arise as zero KK modes of antisymmetric tensor fields
 - ▶ e.g. in Type IIB, C_0, C_2, C_4 all present
 - ▶ their numbers can be determined topologically
 - ▶ i.e. number of 4-cycles \sim number of KK zero modes from $C_4 \sim h^{1,1}$
 - ▶ number of cycles in \mathcal{M}_6 may be $\mathcal{O}(10^5)$
 - ▶ masses of axions $\propto \exp(-\text{volumes of cycles})$

STRING BACKGROUND

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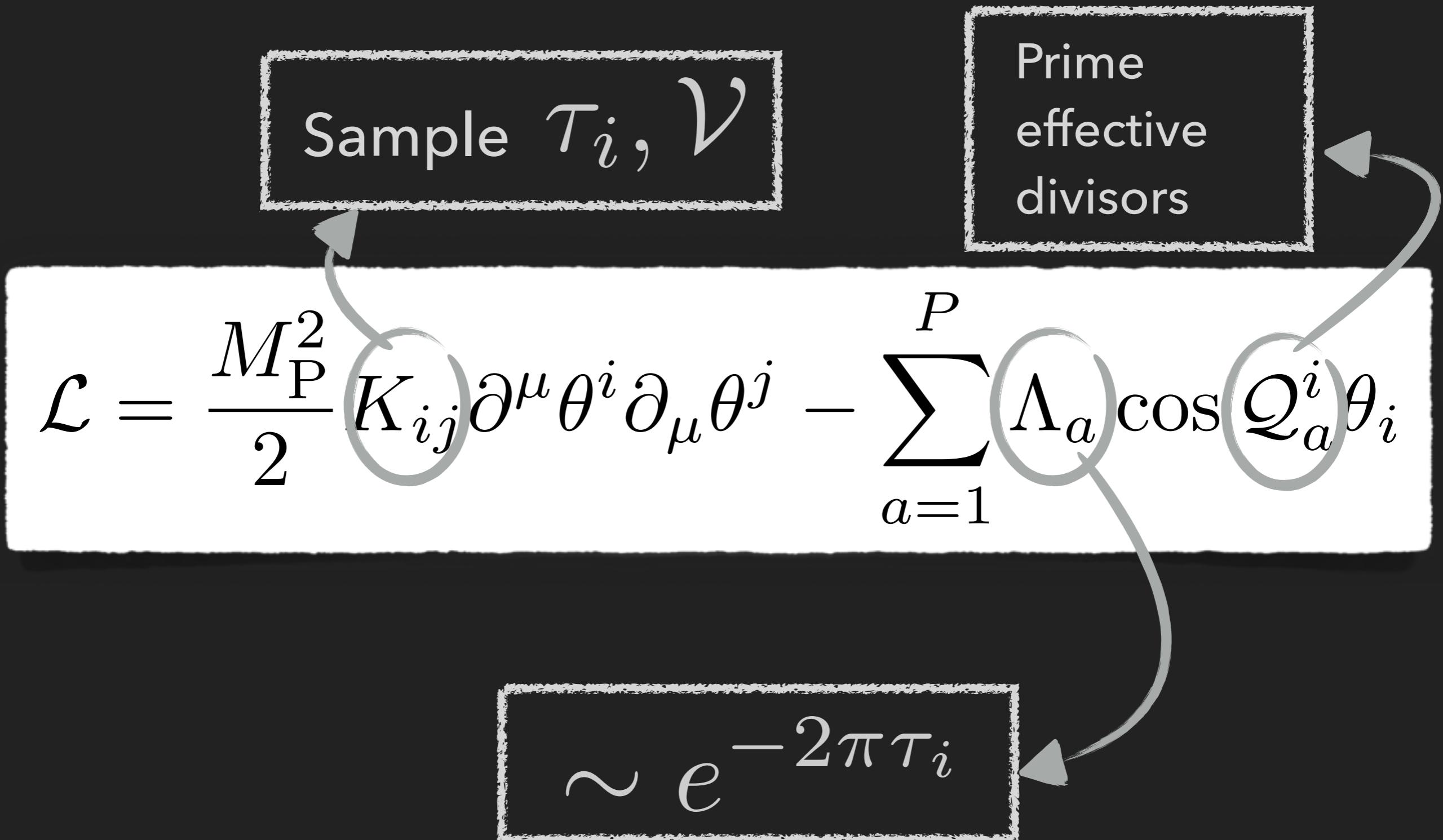
- ▶ Type IIB compactified on a CY3, X

- ▶ Geometric data $\theta_i := \int_{D_i} C_4$

- ▶ $\tau_i := \frac{1}{2} \int_{D_i} J \wedge J \Rightarrow T_i := \tau_i + i\theta_i$

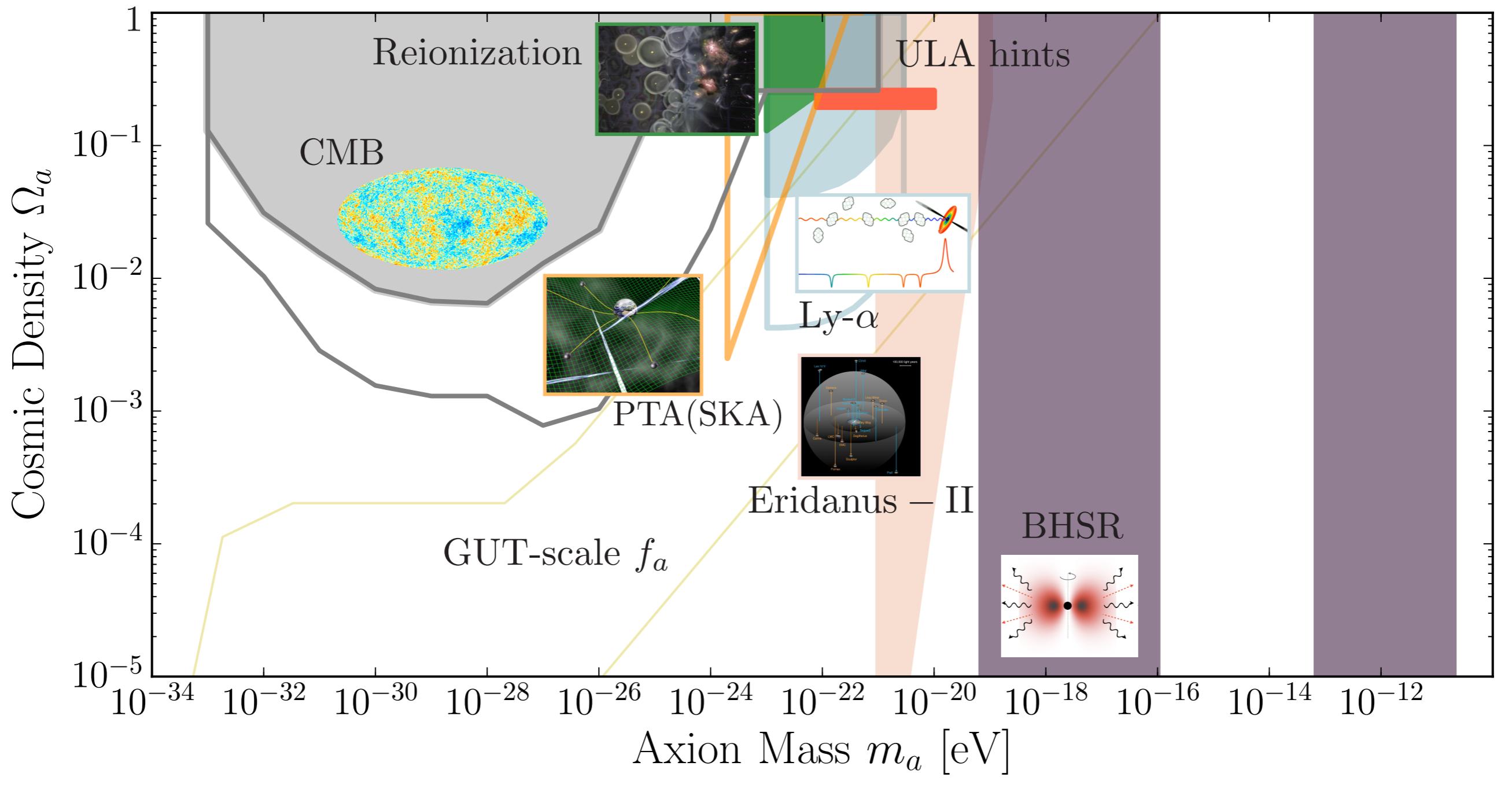
- ▶ $\mathcal{V} = \frac{1}{6} \int_X J \wedge J \wedge J \Rightarrow \mathcal{K} = -2 \log \mathcal{V} \Rightarrow K_{ij} = \partial_i \partial_j \mathcal{K}$

STRING BACKGROUND



BLACK HOLE SUPERRADIANCE

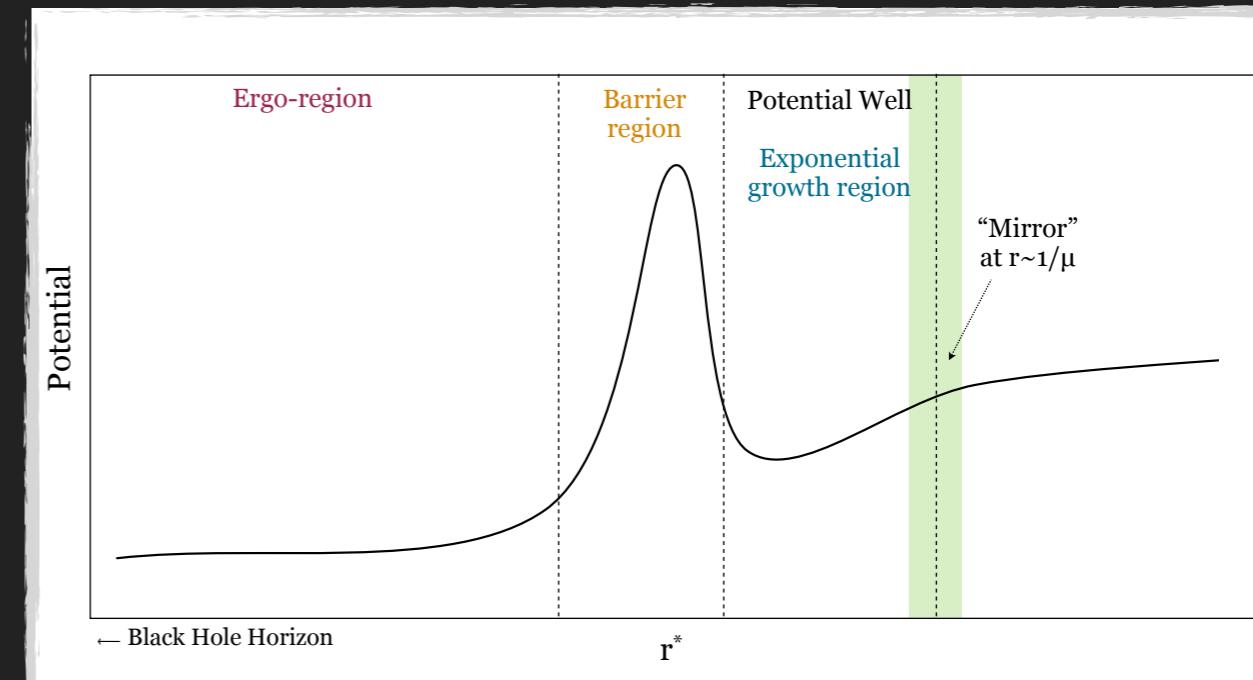
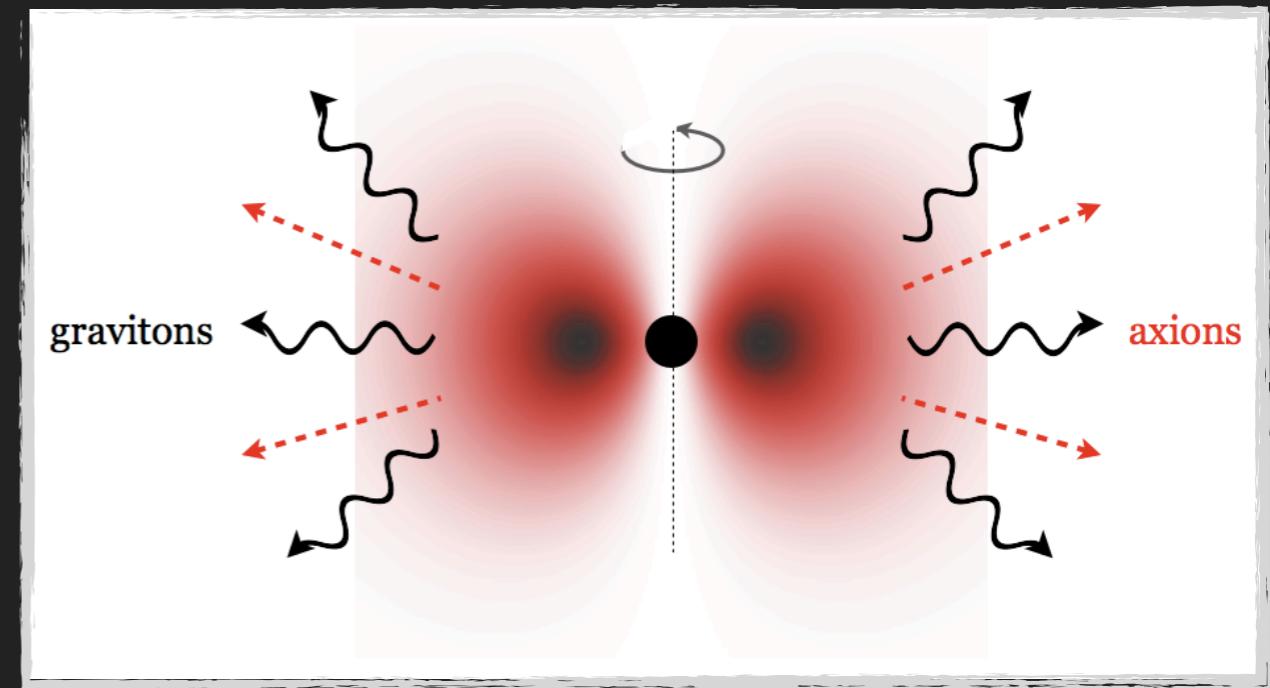
BHSR EXCLUSIONS



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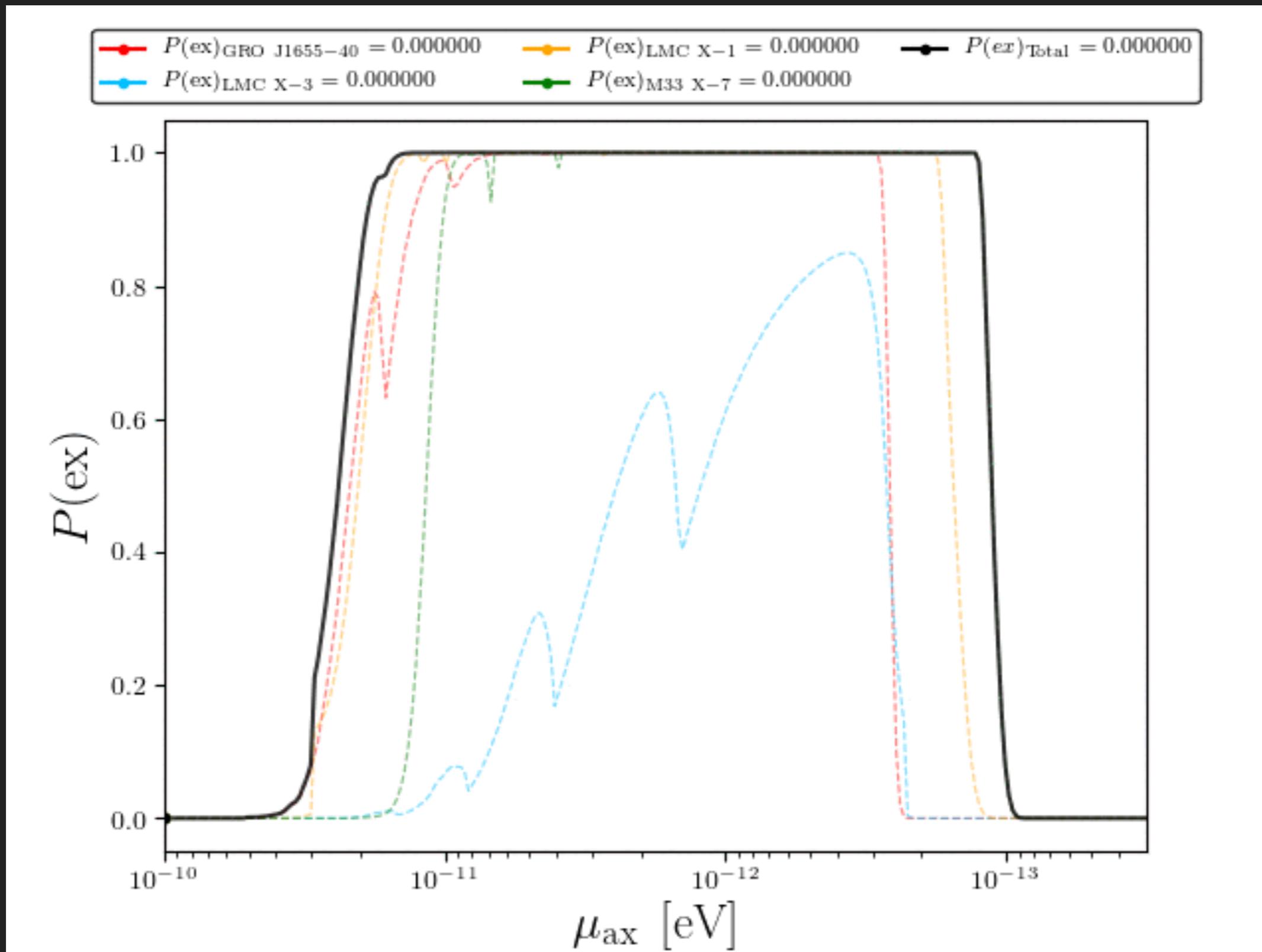
- ▶ spinning BHs (Kerr) drag matter in *ergoregion* to corotate with BH
- ▶ ∂_t Killing vector becomes spacelike
- ▶ instability efficiency determined by:
 - ▶ M_{BH}
 - ▶ m_a
- ▶ superradiance only when:

$$0 < \omega_a \lesssim \omega_+$$



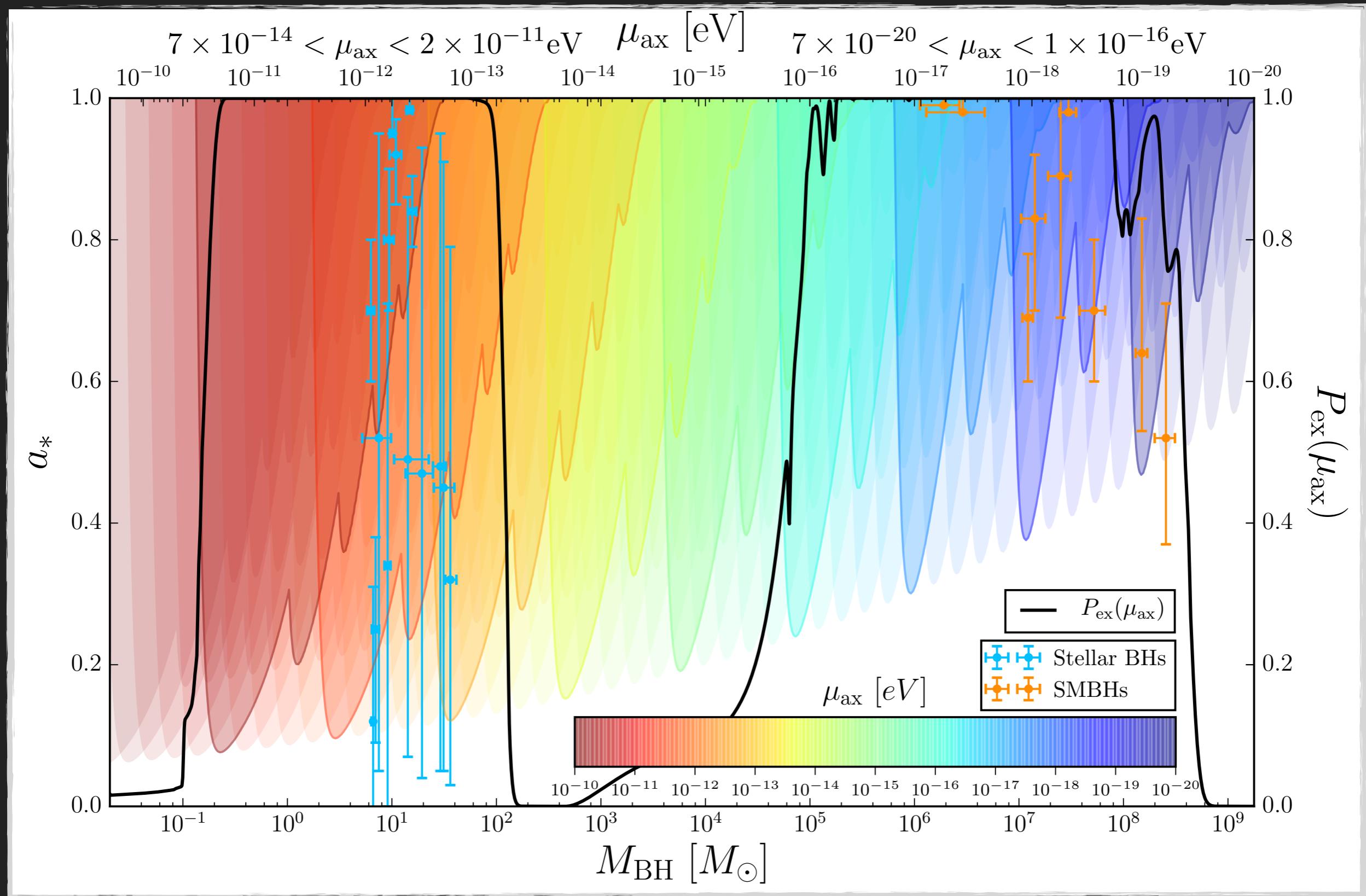
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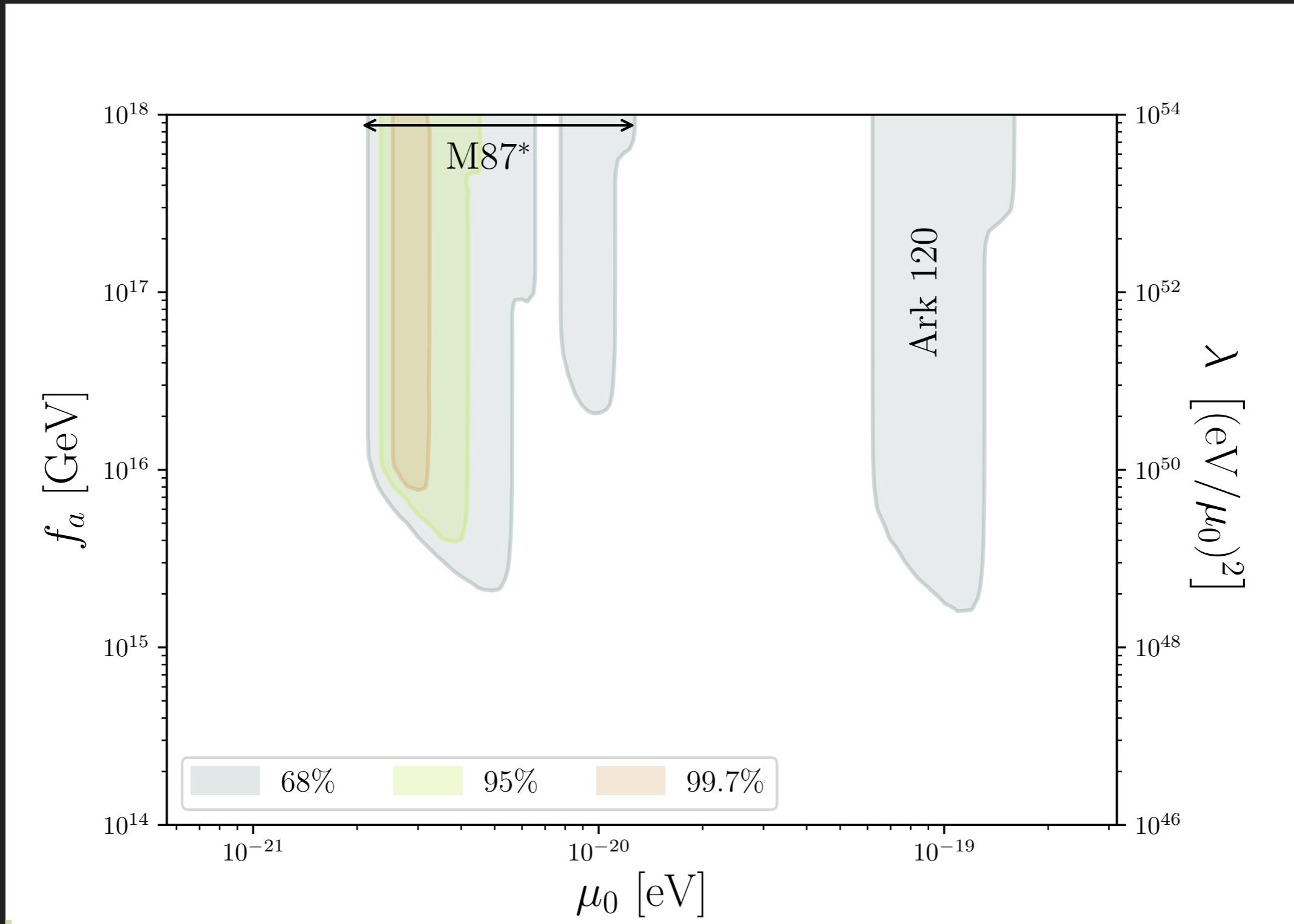
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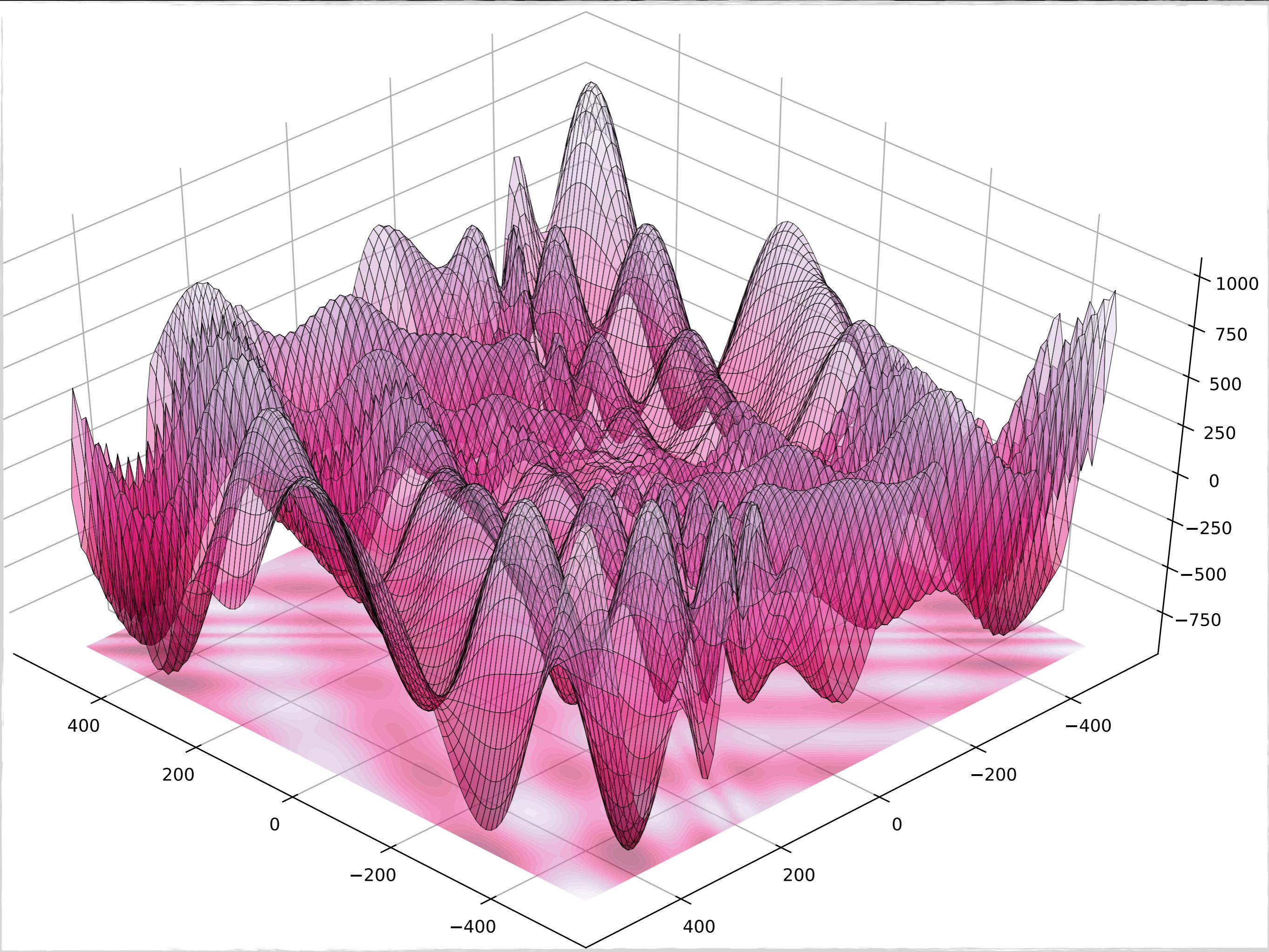


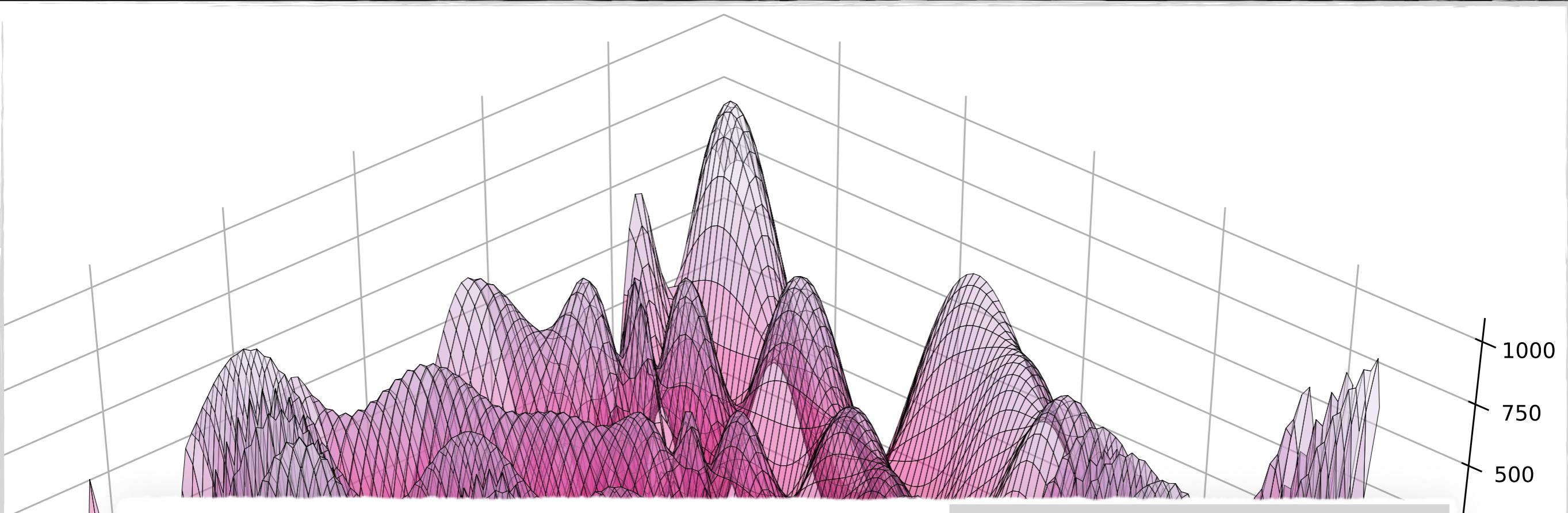
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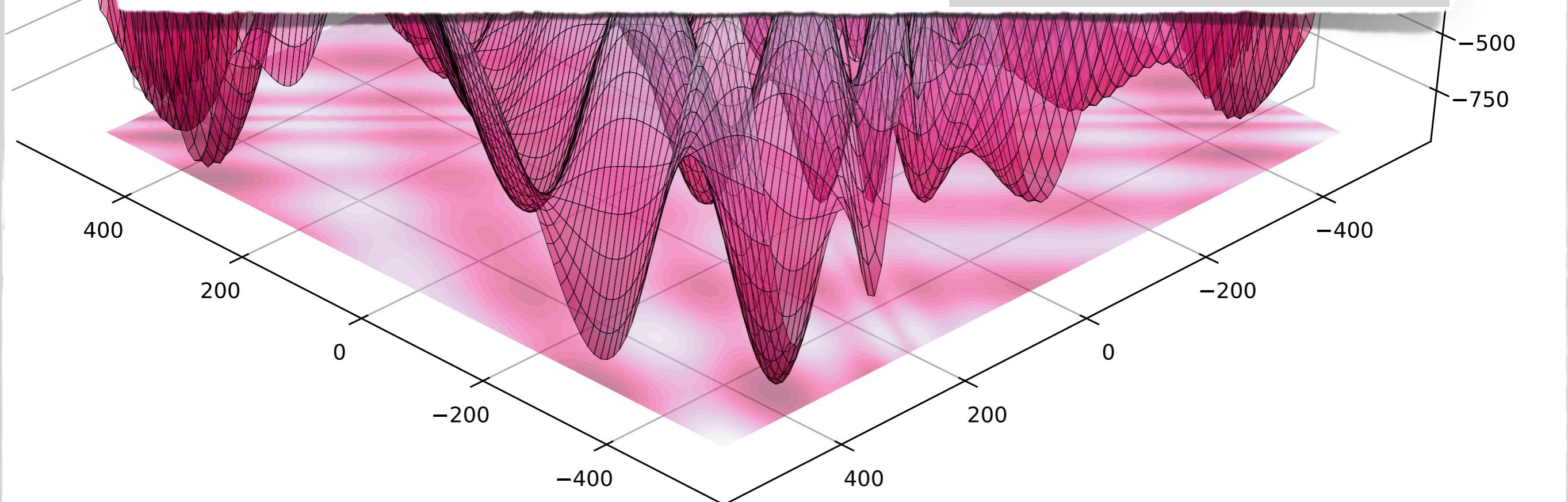


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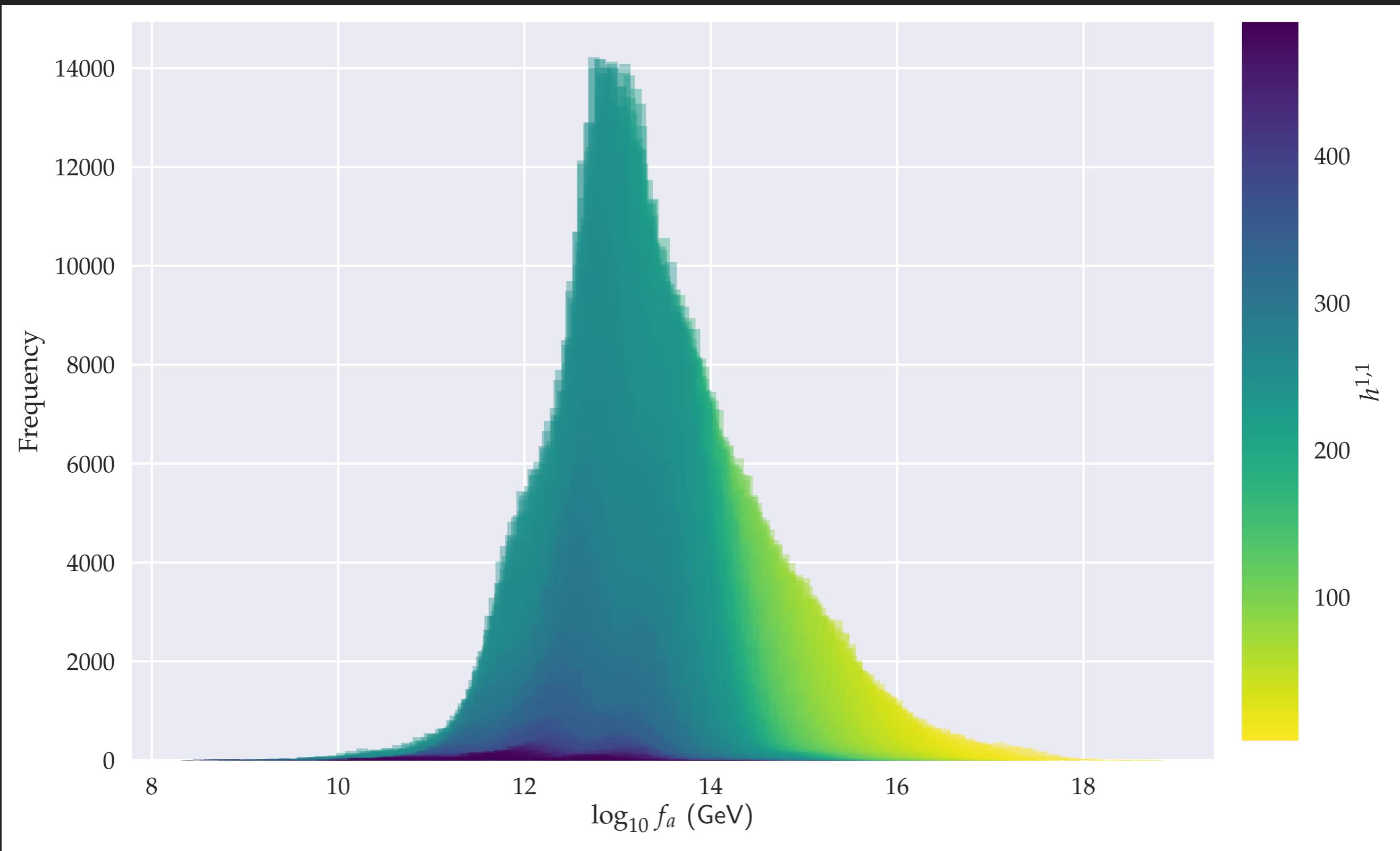


$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu\phi_i\partial^\mu\phi_j - \frac{1}{2}\phi_i\mathcal{M}_{ij}\phi_j - \frac{1}{4!}\lambda_{ijkl}\phi_i\phi_j\phi_k\phi_l$$



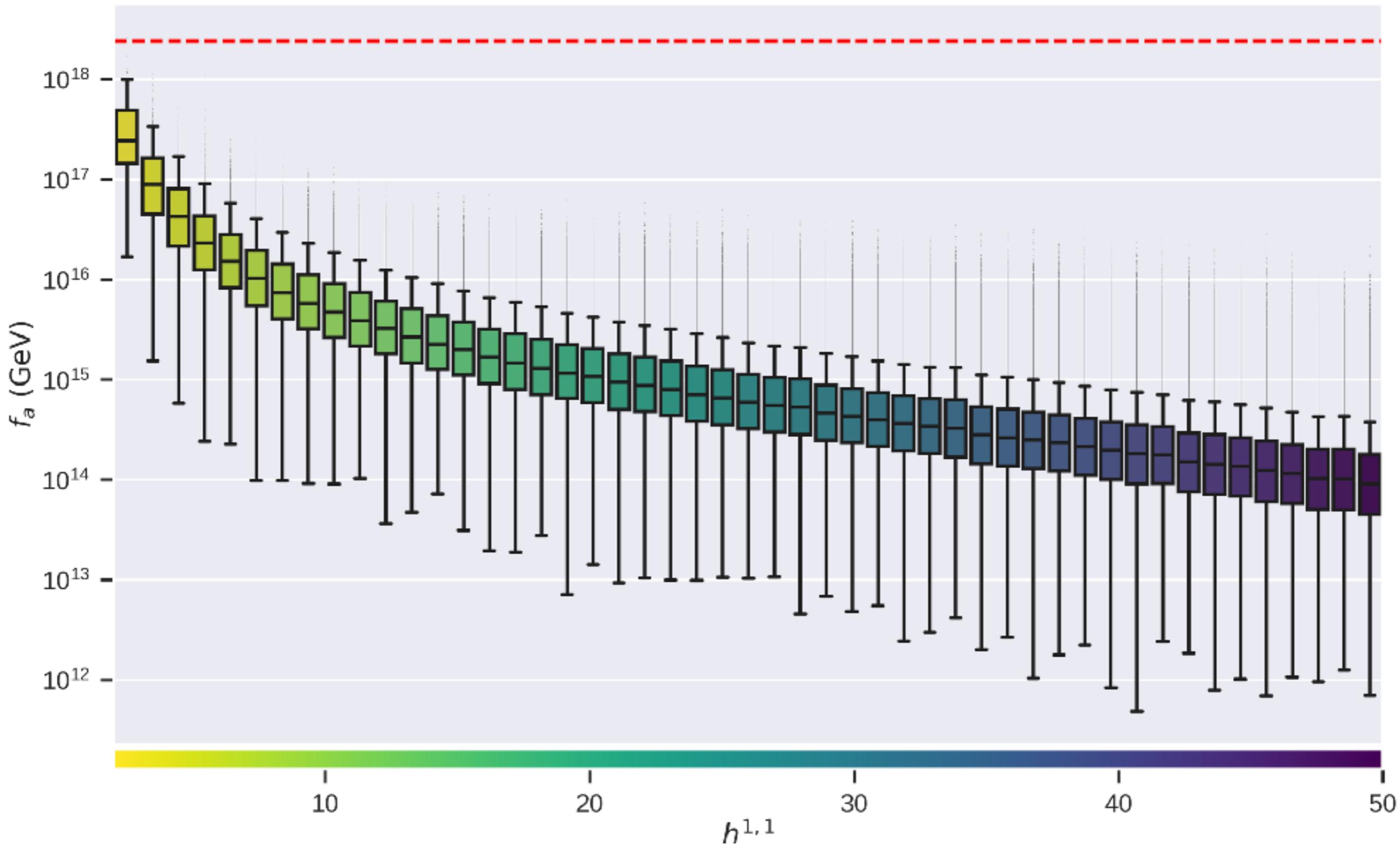
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MULTIAXION POTENTIALS — PATH TO CONSTRAINTS

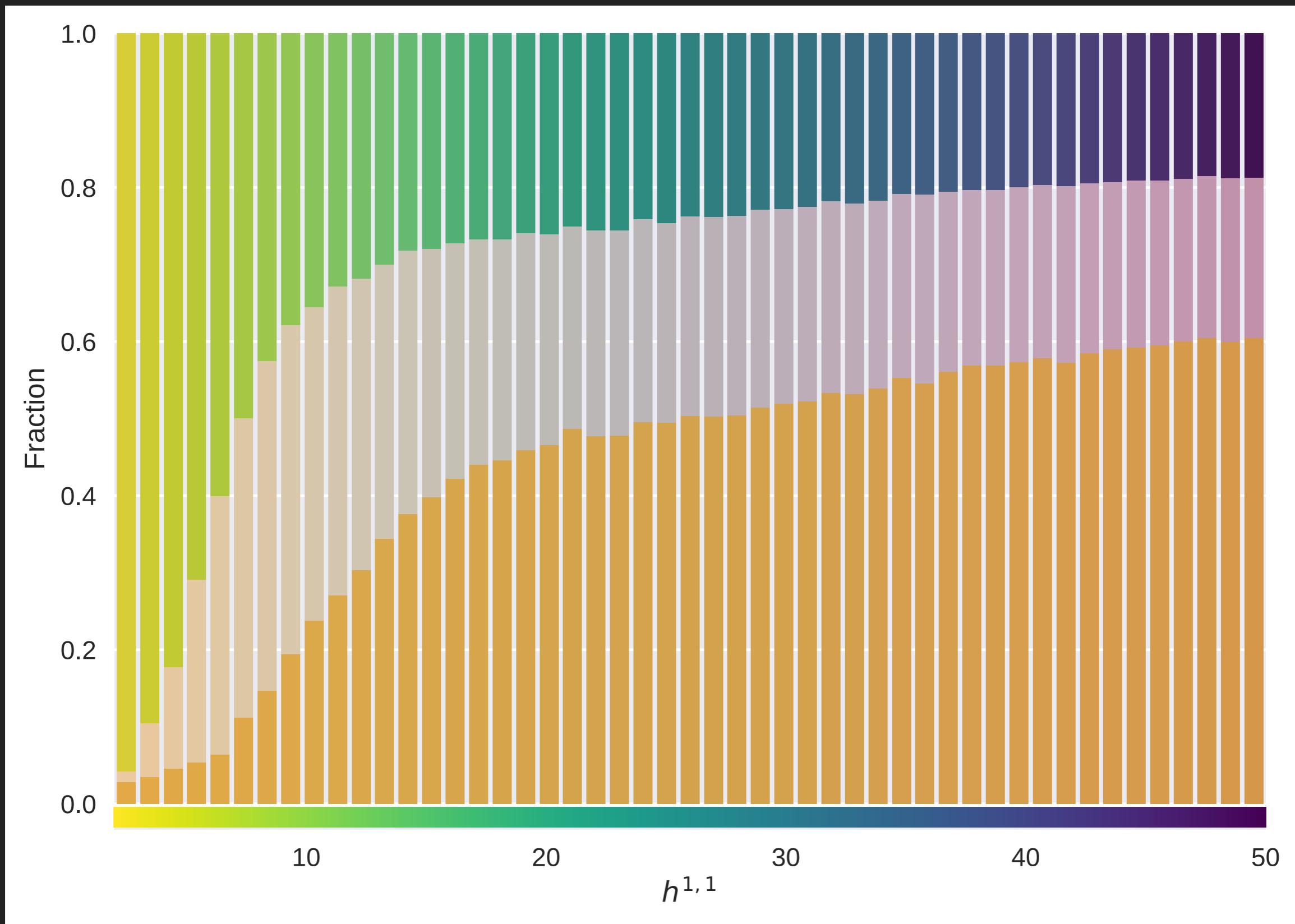
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- ▶ KS axiverse data:
 - ▶ disparate scales in potentials – volume hierarchies
 - ▶ flat directions – extremely light axions
 - ▶ decreasing decay constants with more ALPs
 - ▶ potentials have many cosine terms – $P \gg N$
 - ▶ some CPU hours later...

CONSTRAINTS

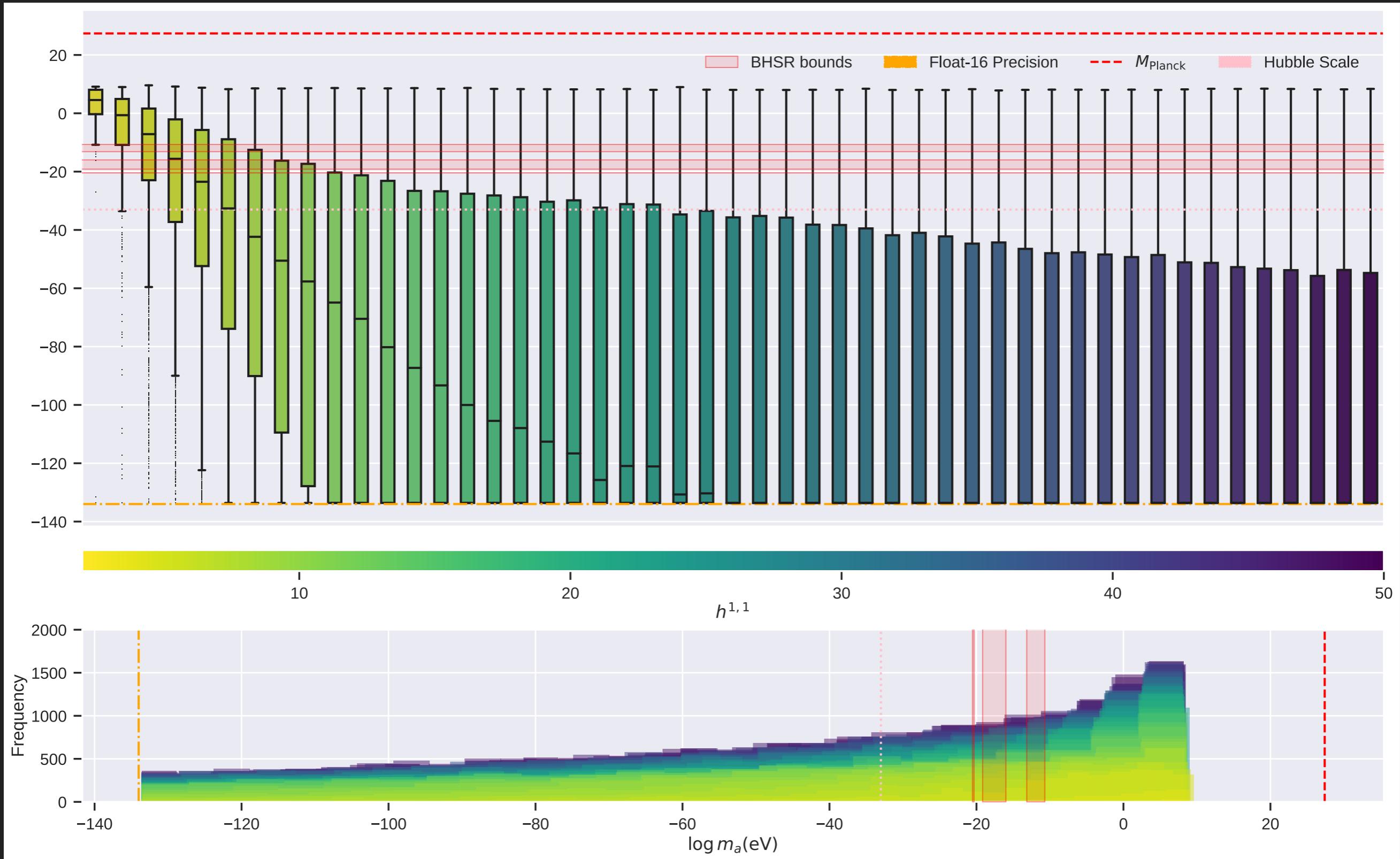
MASS SPECTRA — MASSLESS ALPS

Float-16 Precision Hubble Scale



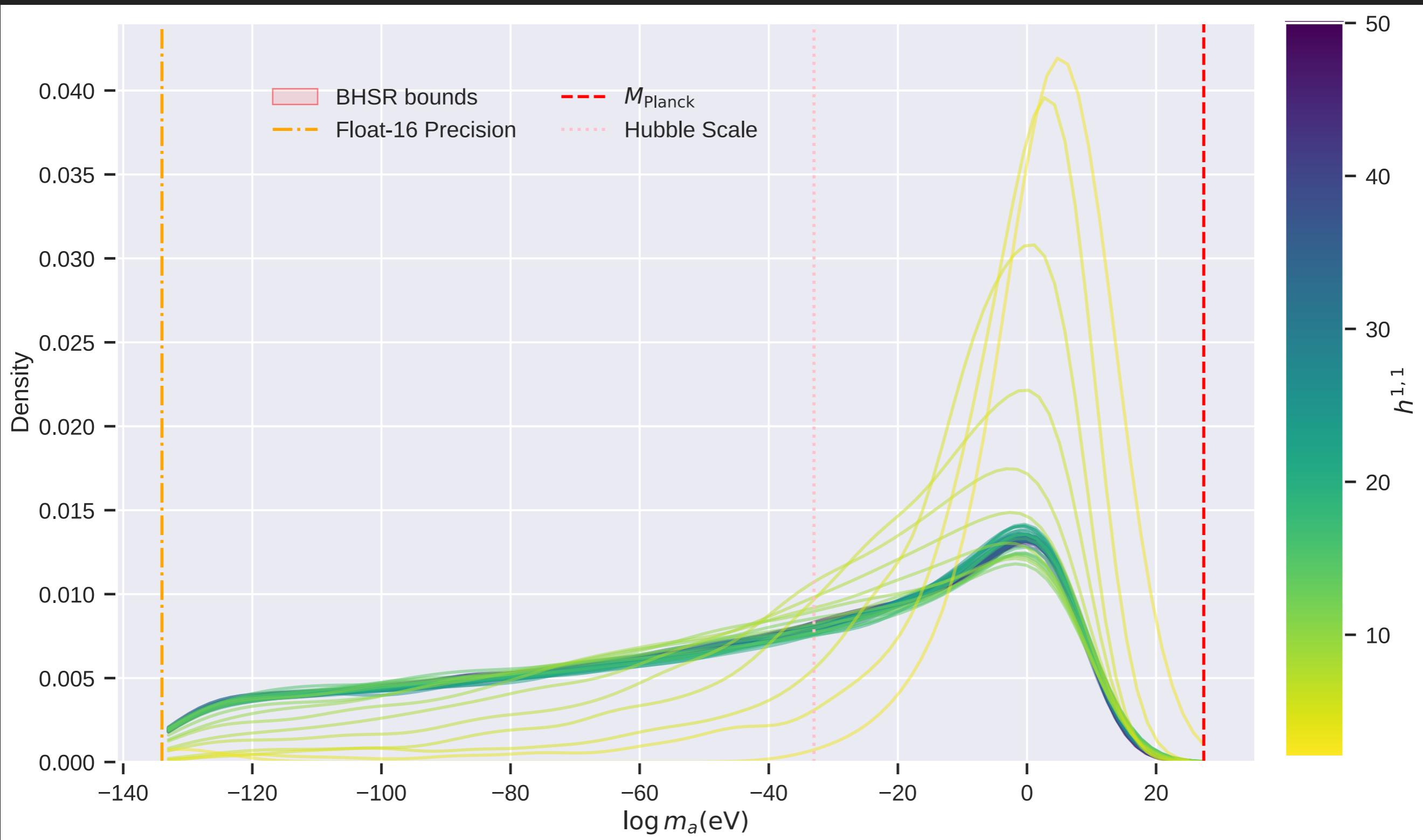
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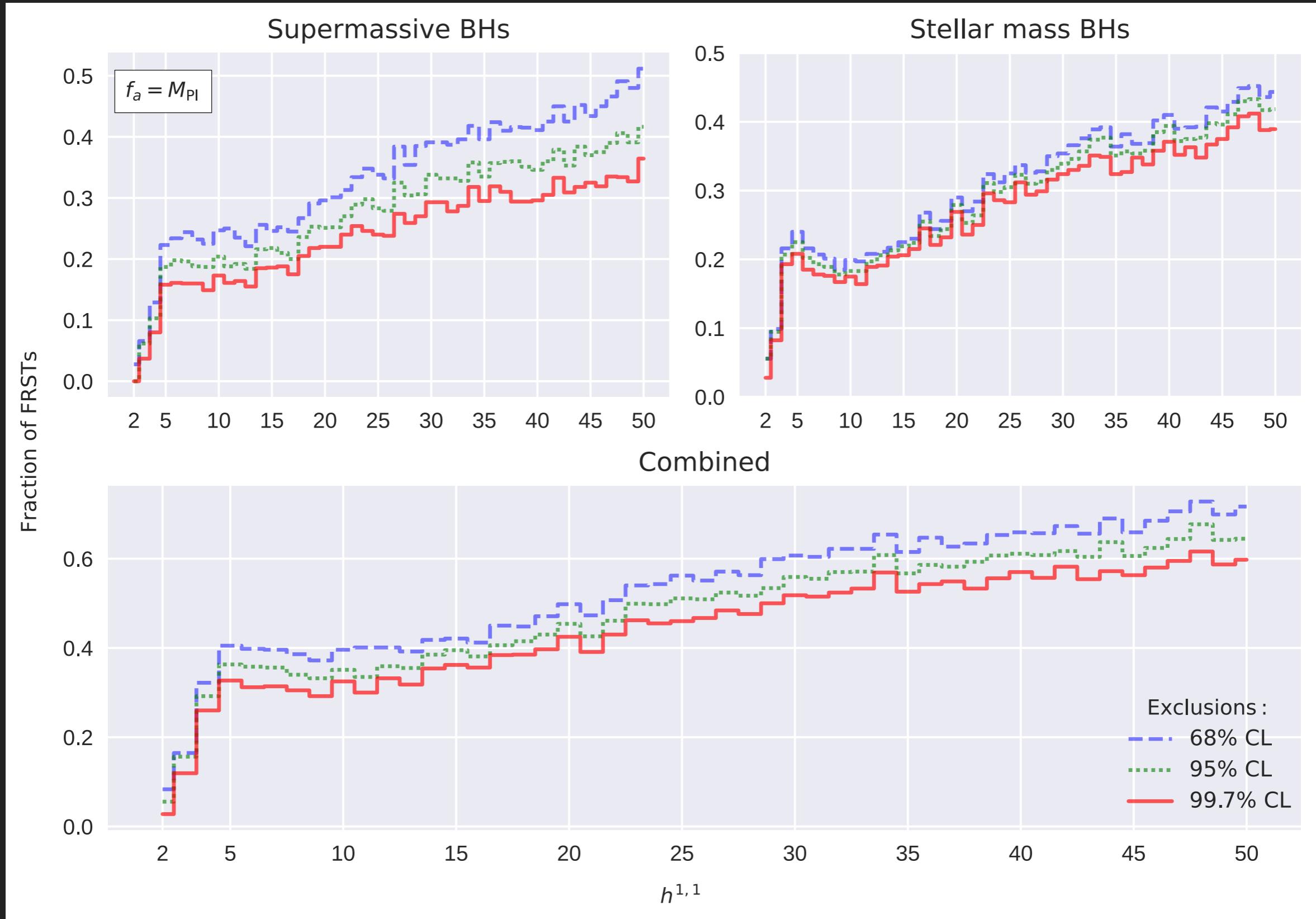
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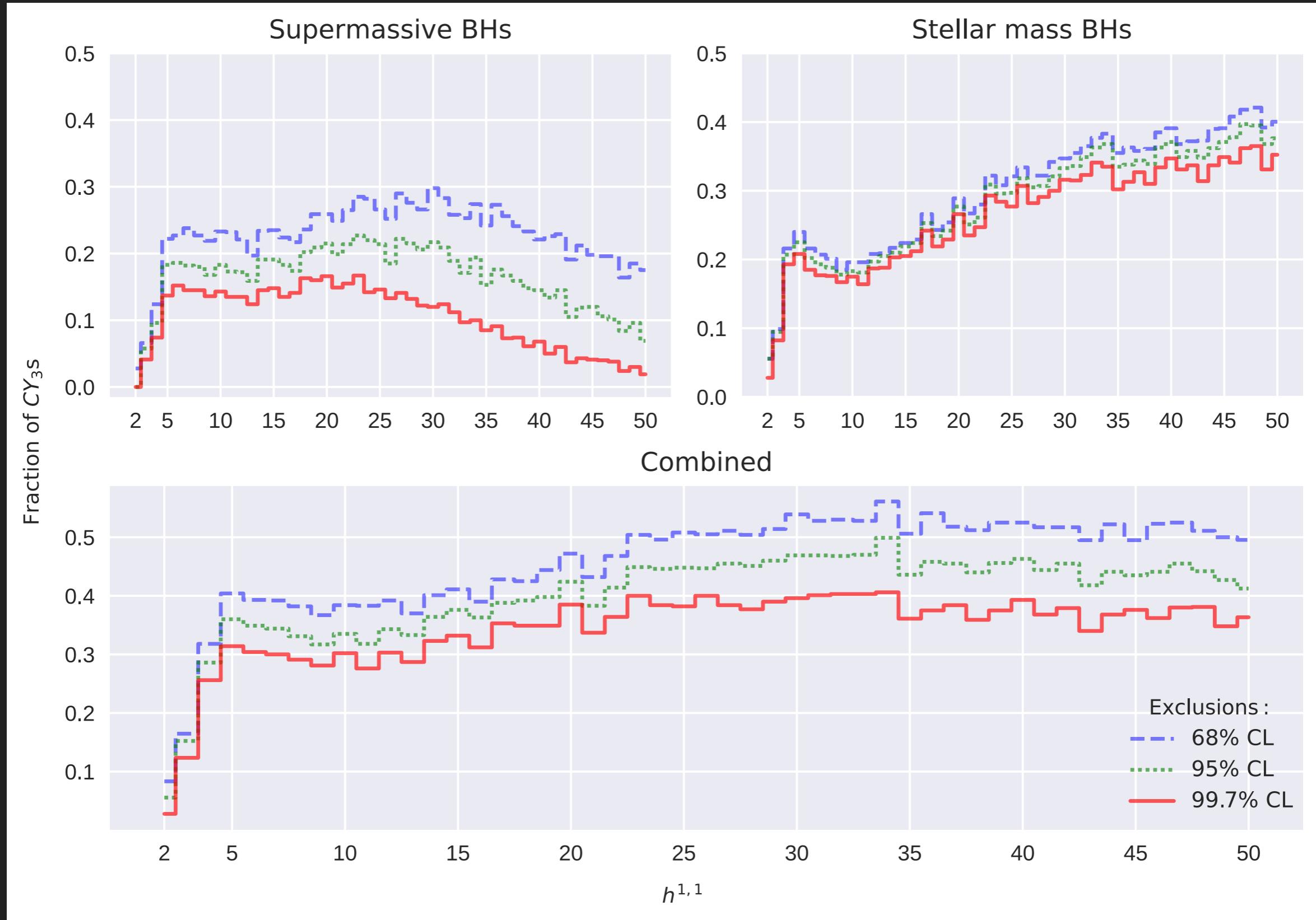
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KS AXIVERSE POTENTIALS — BHSR EXCLUSIONS



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CONCLUSIONS

CONSTRAINING THE KS AXIVERSE WITH BHSR

- ▶ Generate multiaxion potentials from string data
- ▶ Compute masses *and quartics*
- ▶ Use BHSR bounds to exclude classes of geometries
- ▶ Q: Can the string axiverse be constrained with BHSR?

A: Yes!*

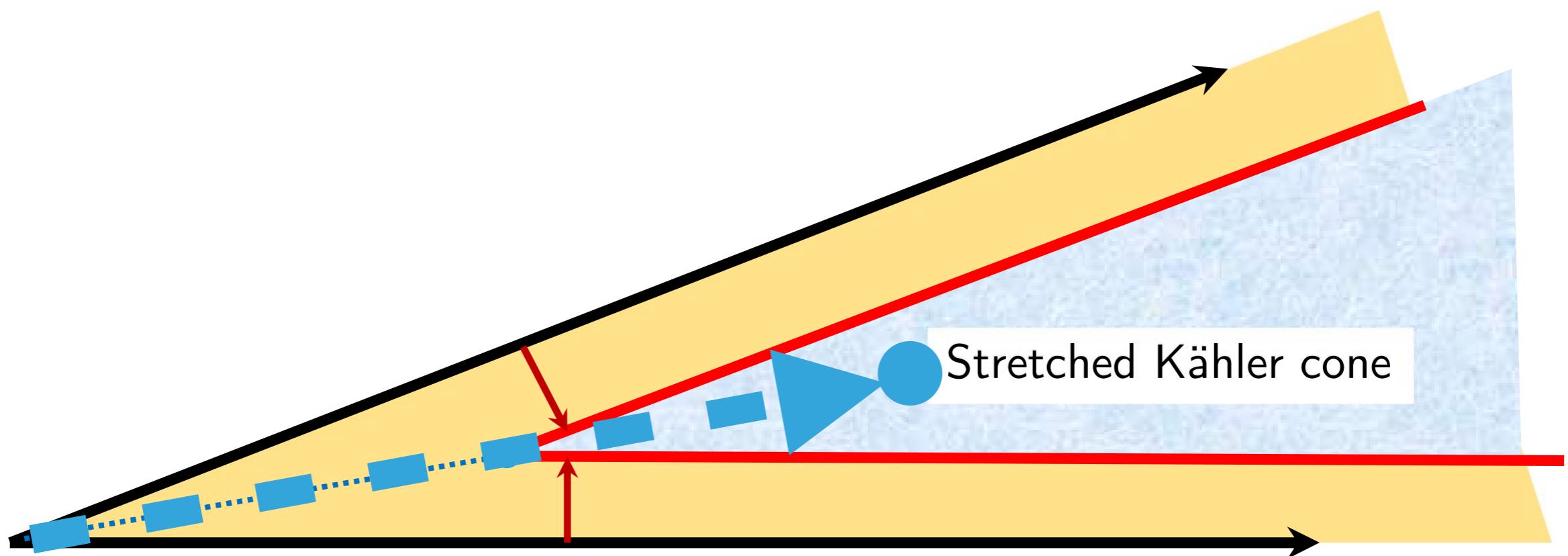
*up to assumed structure of string data

CONSTRAINING THE KS AXIVERSE

- ▶ Consider larger geometries – current optimised code could handle upto $h^{1,1} = 100$ (?)
- ▶ Venture into the Kähler cone?
- ▶ Other physical constraints – pure gravity / massless fields – need to be model independent
- ▶ Use ML to generate distributions of masses and decay constants – use lower $h^{1,1}$ data as training set

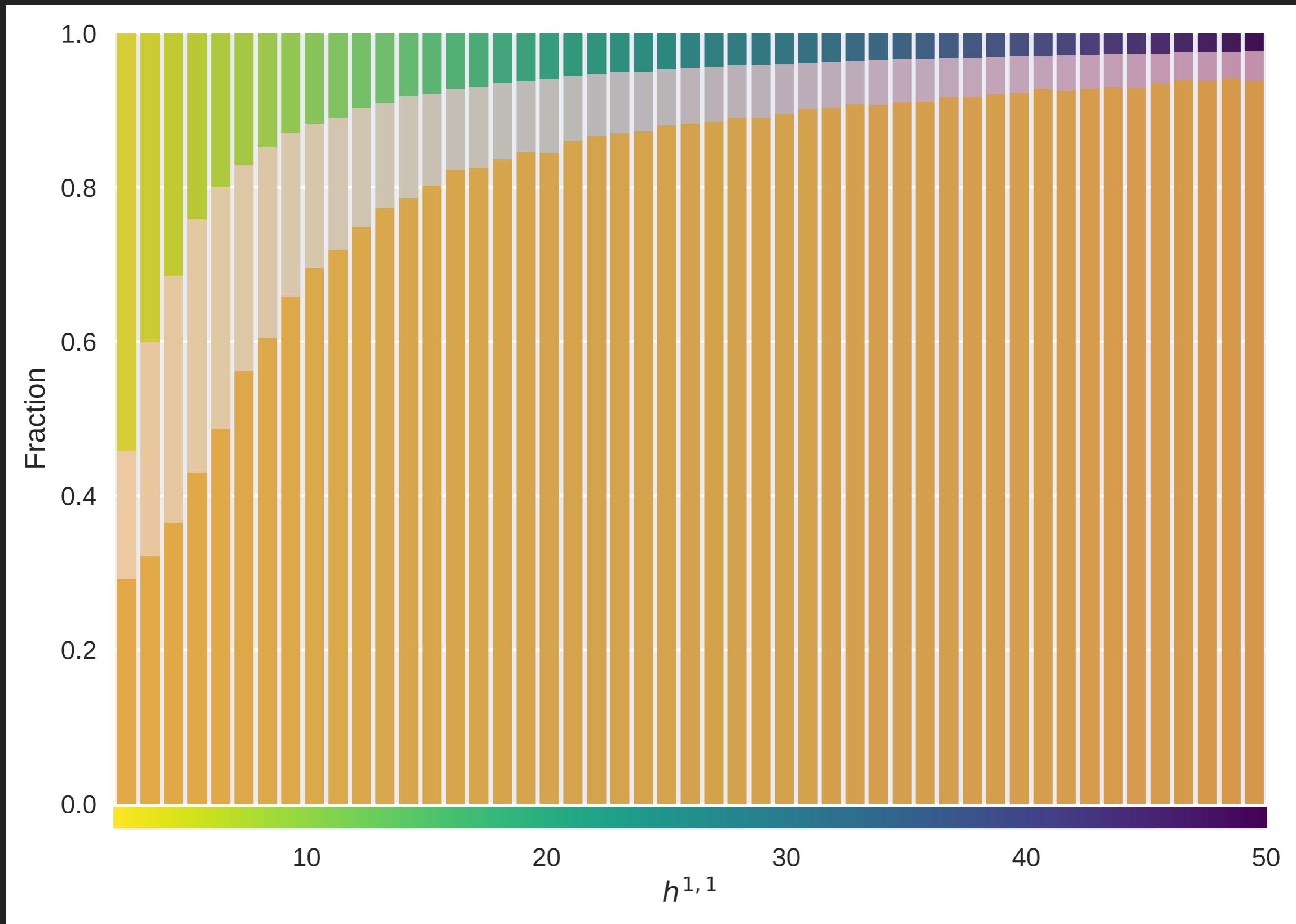
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VENTURING INTO THE KÄHLER CONE



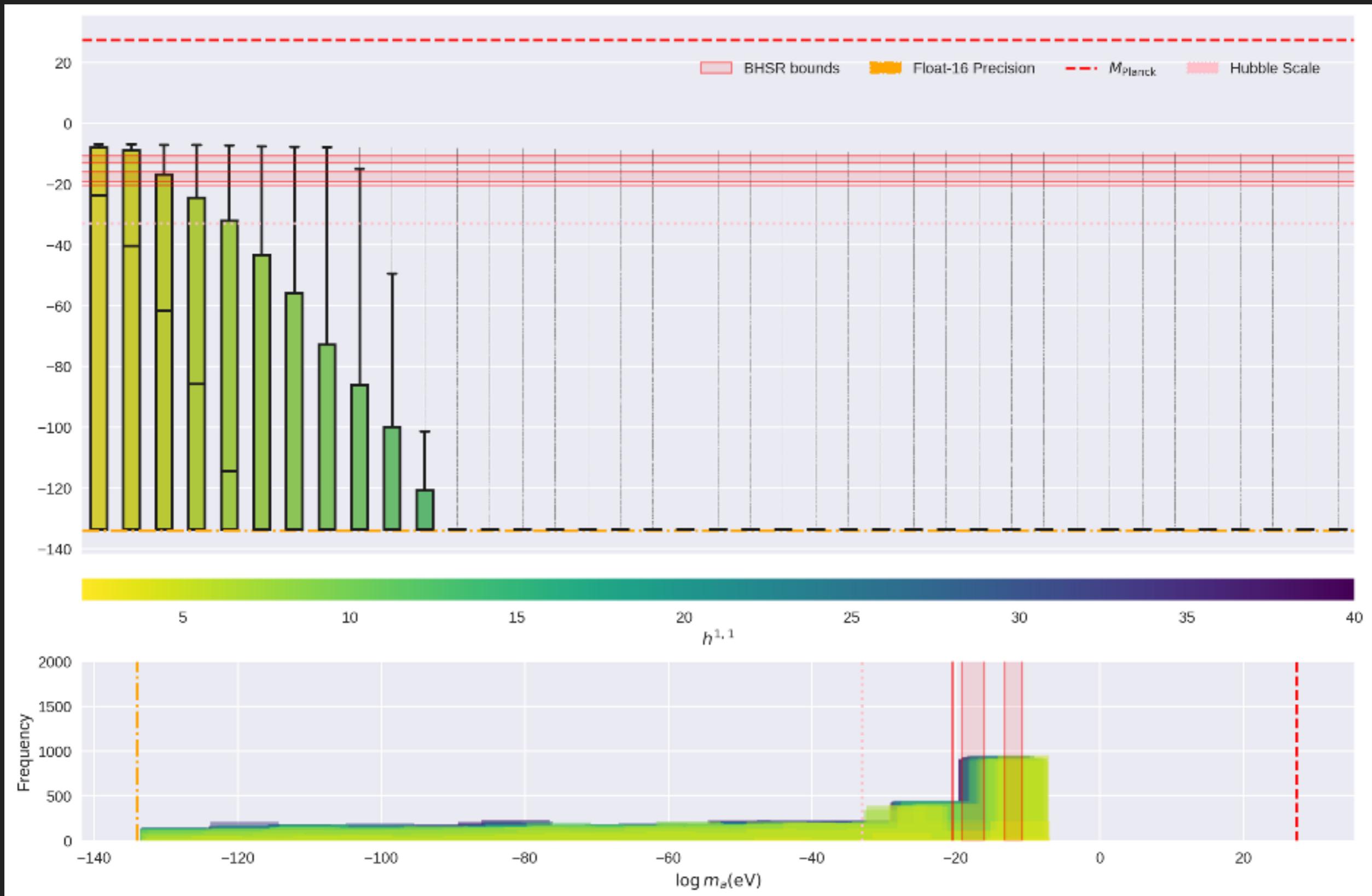
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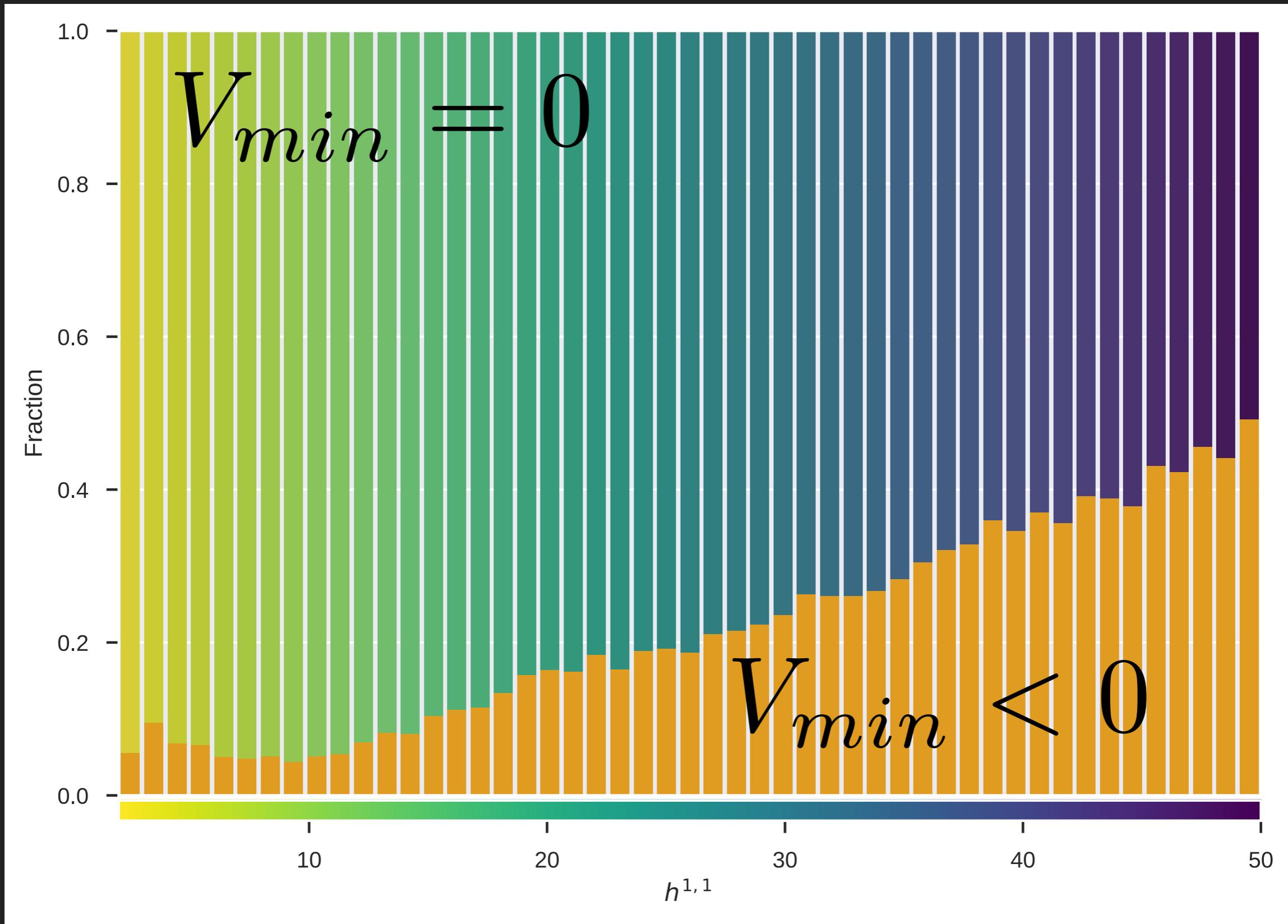


BACKUP

VENTURING INTO THE KÄHLER CONE



MINIMA



BLACK HOLES

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Object	Method	Mass (M_{BH})	Spin (a_*)	Mass CL	Spin CL	Ref.
Stellar						
		$[M_{\odot}]$				
GW150914 (Primary)	EOBNR+IMRPhenom	$36.2^{+5.2}_{-3.8}$	$0.32^{+0.47}_{-0.29}$	90%	90%	[68]
GW150914 (Secondary)	EOBNR+IMRPhenom	$29.1^{+3.7}_{-4.4}$	$0.48^{+0.47}_{-0.43}$	90%	90%	[68]
GW151226 (Primary)	EOBNR+IMRPhenom	$14.2^{+8.3}_{-3.7}$	$0.49^{+0.37}_{-0.42}$	90%	90%	[68]
GW151226 (Secondary)	EOBNR+IMRPhenom	$7.5^{+2.3}_{-2.3}$	$0.52^{+0.43}_{-0.47}$	90%	90%	[68]
GW170104 (Primary)	Eff+Full precession	$31.2^{+8.4}_{-6.0}$	$0.45^{+0.46}_{-0.40}$	90%	90%	[78]
GW170104 (Secondary)	Eff+Full precession	$19.4^{+5.3}_{-5.9}$	$0.47^{+0.46}_{-0.43}$	90%	90%	[78]
Cygnus X-1	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$14.8^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$	≥ 0.983	1σ	3σ	[79] / [80]
XTE J1550-564	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$9.10^{+0.61}_{-0.61}$	$0.34^{+0.37}_{-0.34}$	1σ	90%	[81] / [82]
A 0620-00	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$6.61^{+0.25}_{-0.25}$	$0.12^{+0.19}_{-0.19}$	1σ	1σ	[83] / [84]
4U 1543-475	Continuum (KERRBB)	$9.4^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$	$0.8^{+0.1}_{-0.1}$	1σ	1σ	[85] / [86]
GRO J1655-40	Continuum (KERRBB)	$6.30^{+0.50}_{-0.50}$	$0.7^{+0.10}_{-0.10}$	95%	1σ	[87] / [88]
GRS 1915+105	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$10.1^{+0.6}_{-0.6}$	≥ 0.95	1σ	1σ	[89] / [90]
LMC X-1	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$10.91^{+1.41}_{-1.41}$	$0.92^{+0.05}_{-0.07}$	1σ	1σ	[91] / [92]
LMC X-3	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$6.98^{+0.56}_{-0.56}$	$0.25^{+0.13}_{-0.16}$	1σ	1σ	[93] / [94]
M33 X-7	Continuum (KERRBB2)	$15.65^{+1.45}_{-1.45}$	$0.84^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	1σ	1σ	[95] / [96]
Supermassive						
		$\times 10^6 [M_{\odot}]$				
Mrk 335	Reflection (Suzaku)	$14.20^{+3.70}_{-3.70}$	$0.83^{+0.09}_{-0.13}$	1σ	90%	[97] / [98]
Fairall 9	Reflection (Suzaku)	$255.0^{+56.0}_{-56.0}$	$0.52^{+0.19}_{-0.15}$	1σ	90%	[97] / [99]
Mrk 79	Reflection (Suzaku)	$52.40^{+14.40}_{-14.40}$	$0.70^{+0.1}_{-0.1}$	1σ	90%	[97] / [100]
NGC 3783	Reflection (Suzaku)	$29.80^{+5.40}_{-5.40}$	≥ 0.98	1σ	90%	[97] / [101]
MCG-6-30-15	Reflection (Suzaku)	$2.90^{+1.80}_{-1.60}$	≥ 0.98	1σ	90%	[102] / [103]
NGC 7469	Reflection (Suzaku)	$12.20^{+1.40}_{-1.40}$	$0.69^{+0.09}_{-0.09}$	1σ	90%	[97] / [104]
Ark 120	Reflection (Suzaku)	$150.0^{+19.0}_{-19.0}$	$0.64^{+0.19}_{-0.11}$	1σ	90%	[97] / [98]
Mrk 110	Reflection (Suzaku)	$25.10^{+6.10}_{-6.10}$	≥ 0.89	1σ	90%	[97] / [98]
NGC 4051	Reflection (Suzaku)	$1.91^{+0.78}_{-0.78}$	≥ 0.99	1σ	90%	[97] / [105]

CHANGING BASIS

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{2} K_{ij} \partial_\mu \theta^i \partial^\mu \theta^j - \sum_{a=1}^P \Lambda_a \cos Q_a^i \theta_i$$

Canonical basis:

$$\tilde{\phi} = M_{\text{Pl}} \text{diag}\left(\vec{f}_a\right) \mathbf{U} \theta$$

$$\mathbf{U} = \text{eigenvector}(\mathbf{K}) \quad \vec{f}_a = \sqrt{\text{eigenvalue}(\mathbf{K})}$$

Mass eigenbasis:

$$\phi = M_{\text{Pl}} \mathbf{V} \text{diag}\left(\vec{f}_a\right) \mathbf{U} \theta$$

$$\mathbf{V} = \text{eigenvector}(\tilde{\mathcal{M}})$$

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \phi_i \partial^\mu \phi_j - \frac{1}{2} \phi_i \mathcal{M}_{ij} \phi_j - \frac{1}{4!} \lambda_{ijkl} \phi_i \phi_j \phi_k \phi_l$$

SUPERPOTENTIAL

$$W = W_0 + \sum_{\alpha} A_{\alpha} \exp(-2\pi q_{\alpha}^i T_i)$$

Divisor volume

The diagram illustrates the superpotential W as a sum of two parts: W_0 and a sum over α of A_{α} times a complex exponential function of T_i . A blue arrow points from W_0 to the exponential term, and another blue arrow points from the exponential term to A_{α} . A curly brace under the entire sum indicates that the summand is a divisor volume.

AXION POTENTIAL

$$\begin{aligned} V = & -\frac{8\pi}{\mathcal{V}^2} \left[\sum_{\alpha} q_{\alpha}^i \tau_i e^{-2\pi q_{\alpha}^i \tau_i} \cos(2\pi q_{\alpha}^i \theta_i) \right. \\ & + \sum_{\alpha > \alpha'} \left(\pi (K^{-1})_{ij} q_{\alpha}^i q_{\alpha'}^j + (q_{\alpha}^i + q_{\alpha'}^i) \tau_i \right) \\ & \times e^{-2\pi \tau_i (q_{\alpha}^i + q_{\alpha'}^i)} \cos(2\pi \theta_i (q_{\alpha}^i - q_{\alpha'}^i)) \left. \right] \end{aligned}$$