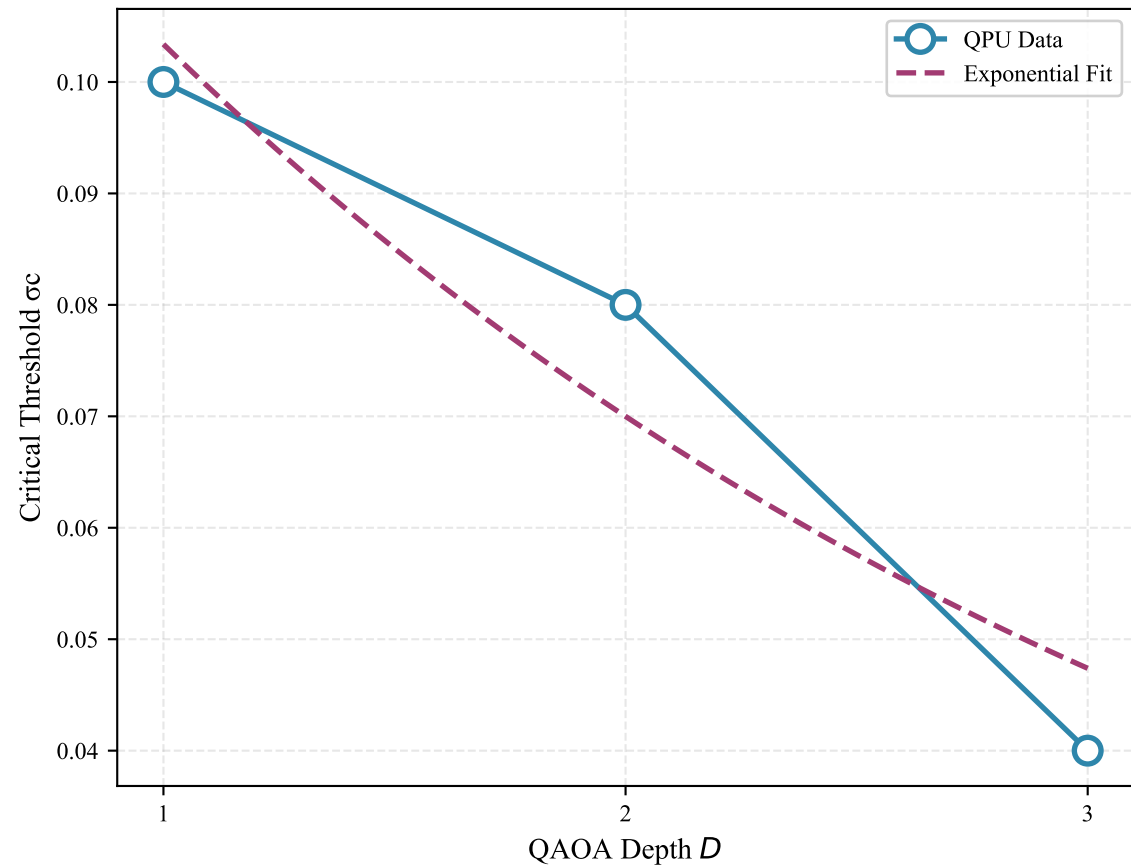


E3a: Depth Scaling (QAOA Triangle)**E3b: Theory Validation**