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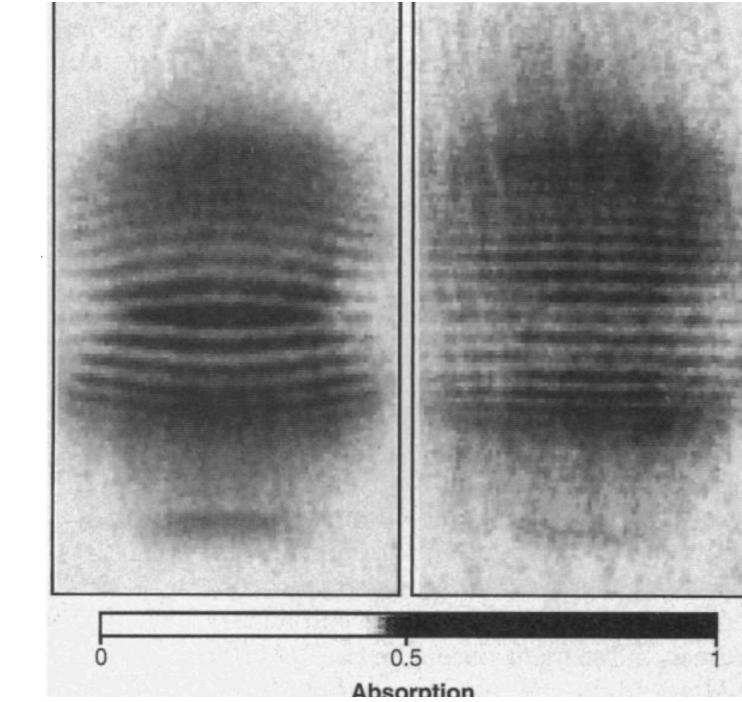
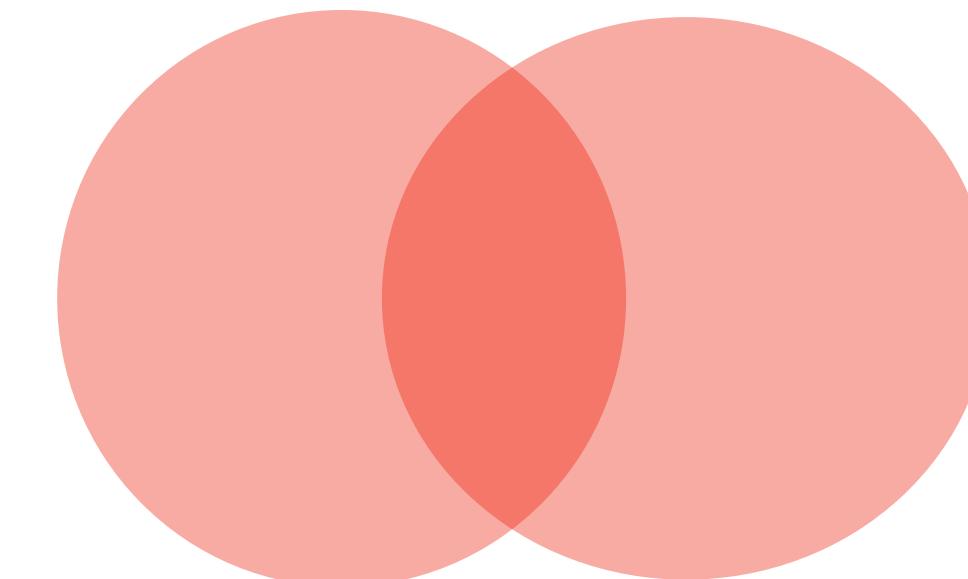
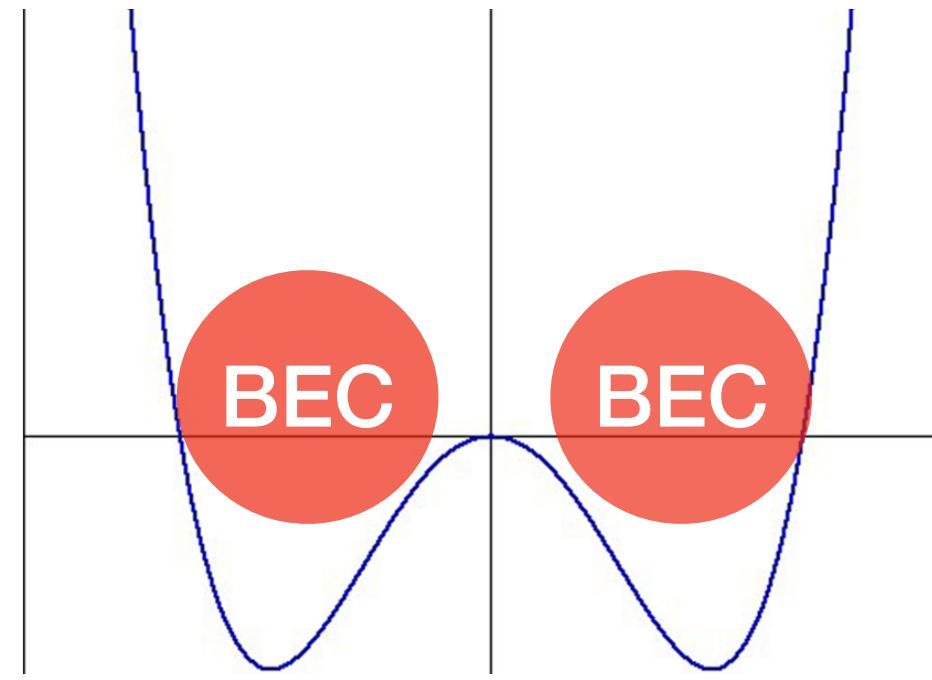
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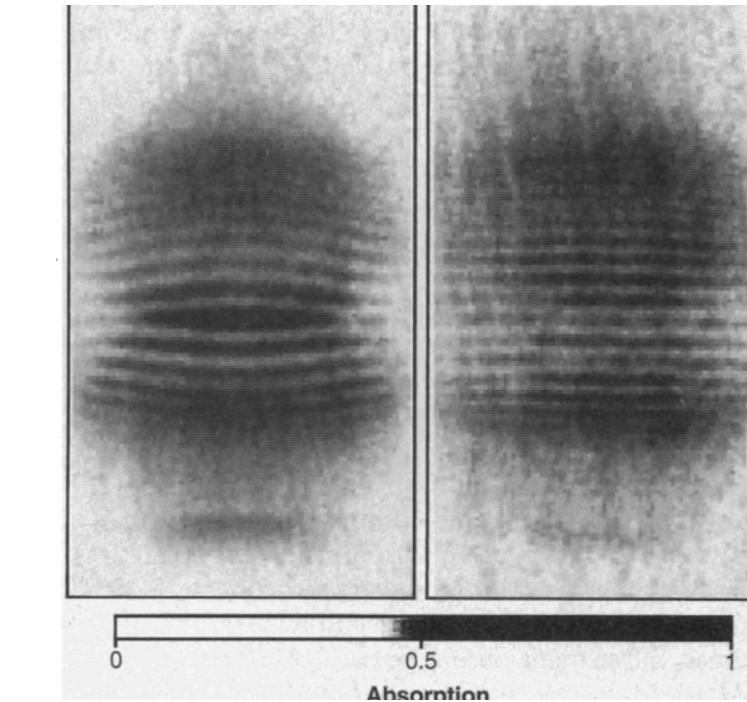
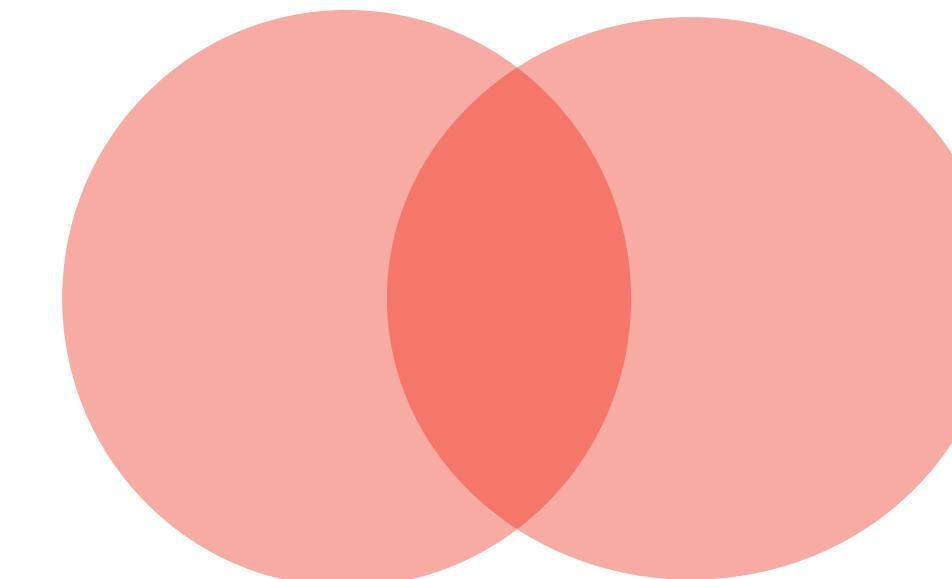
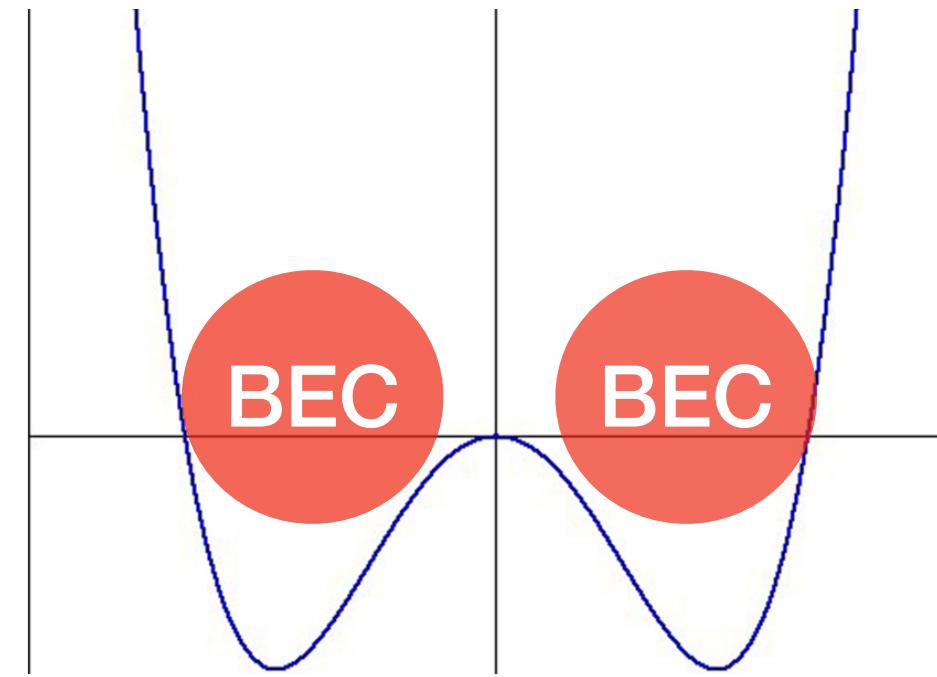


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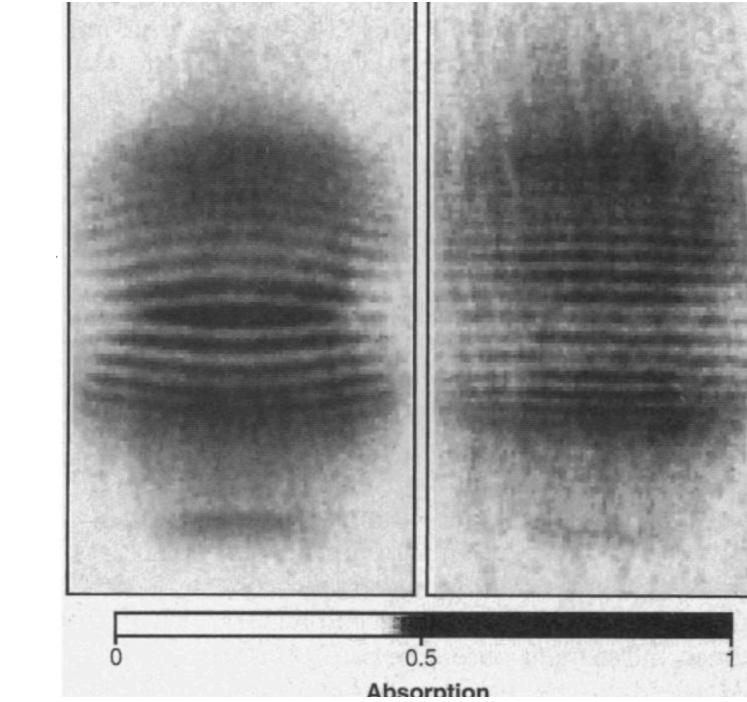
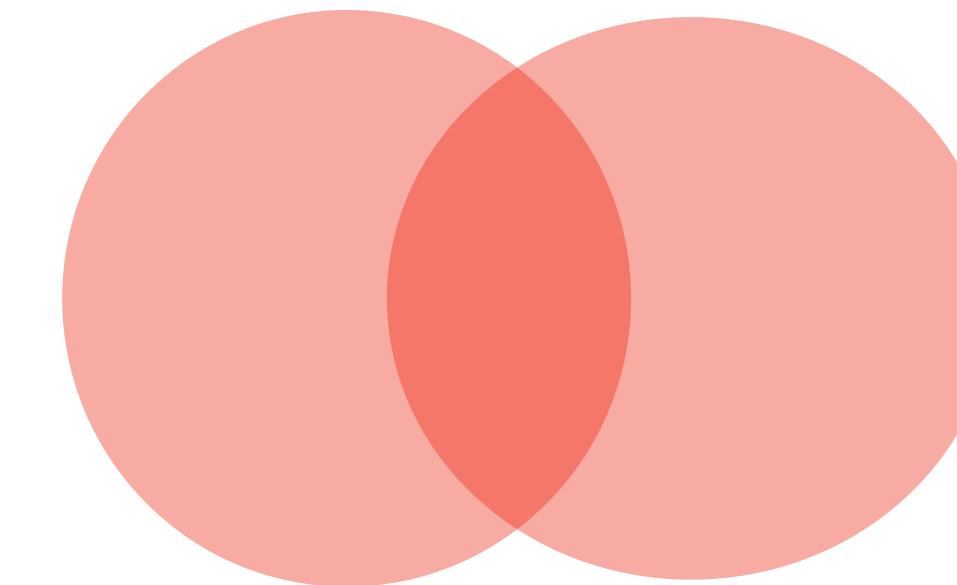
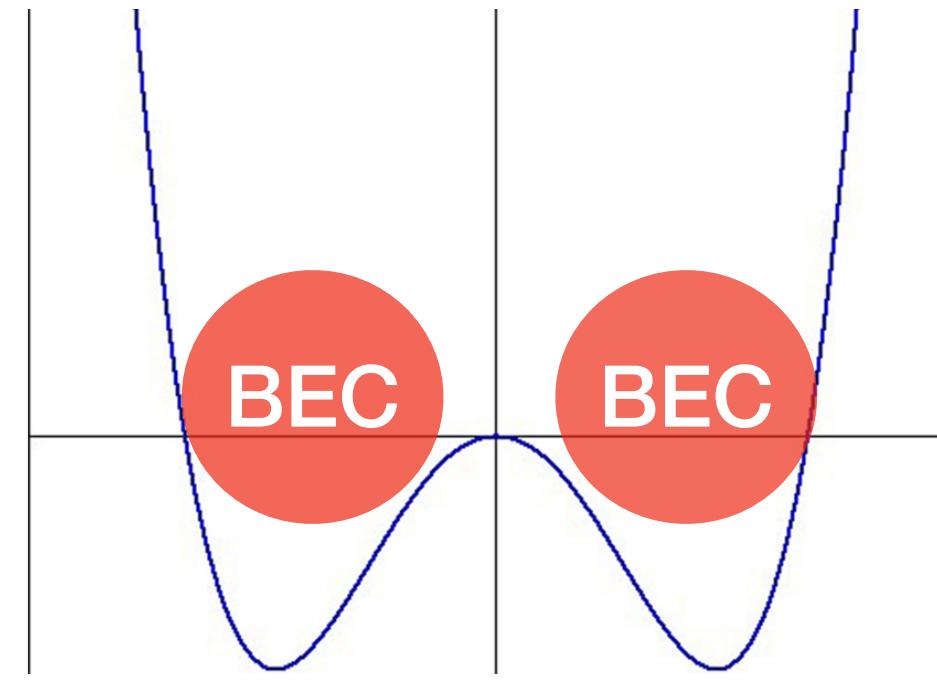
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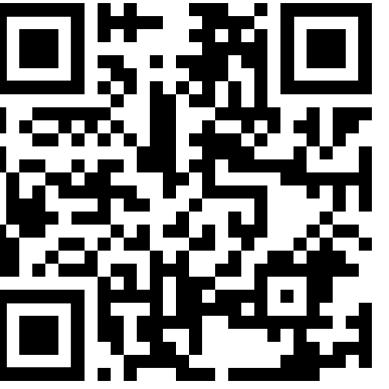


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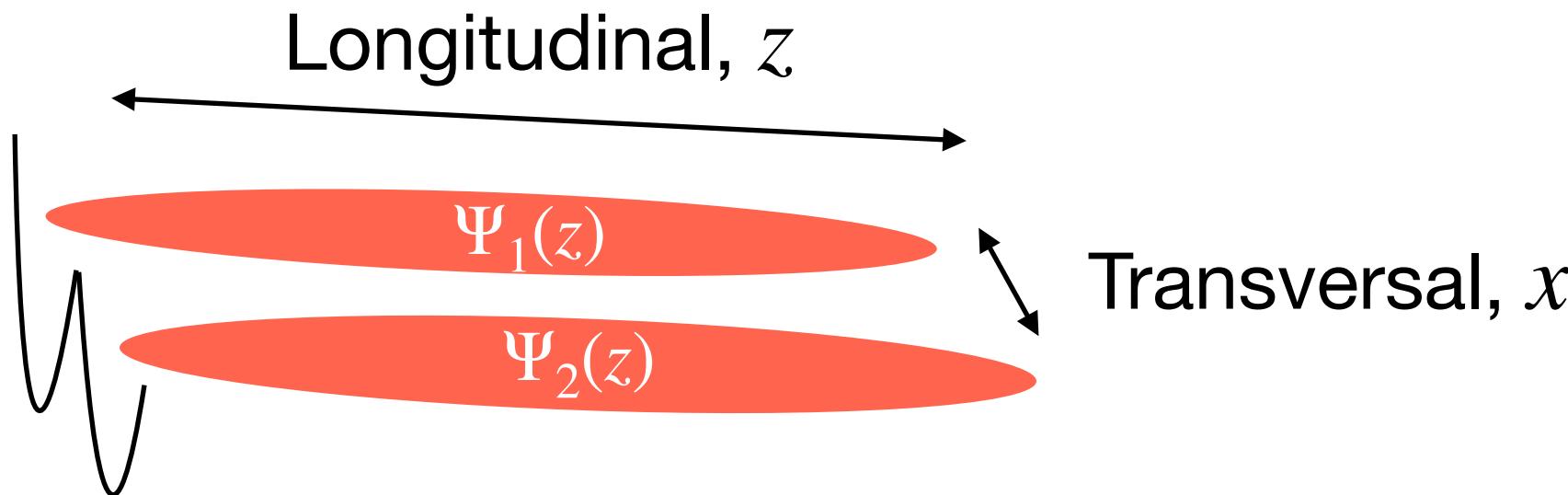
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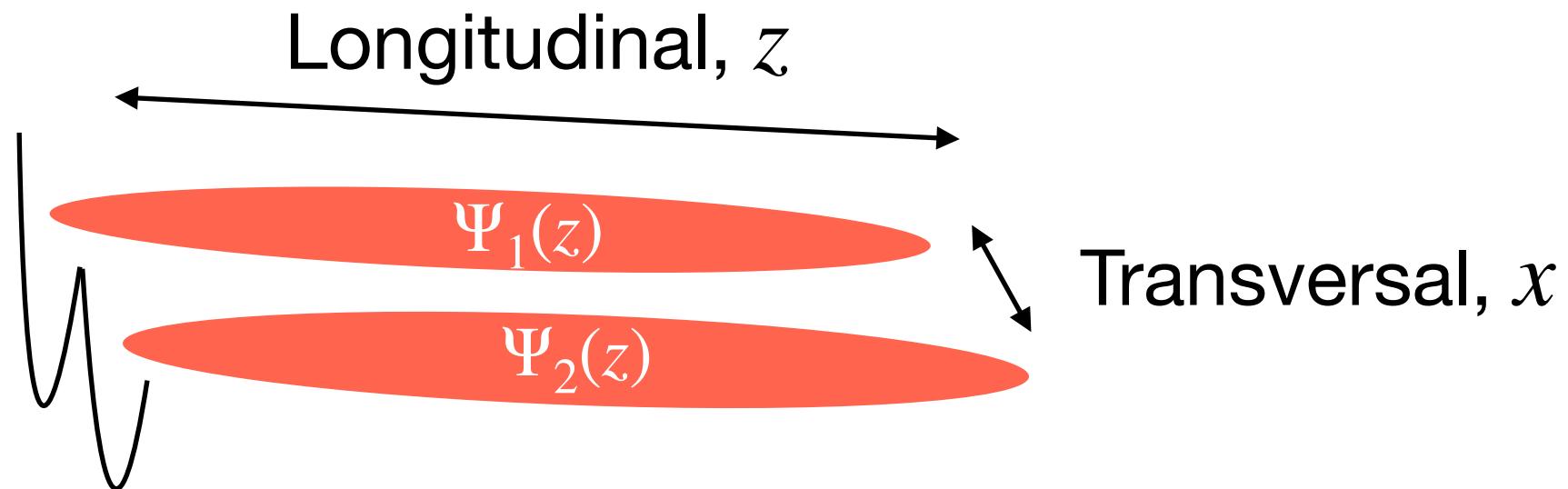


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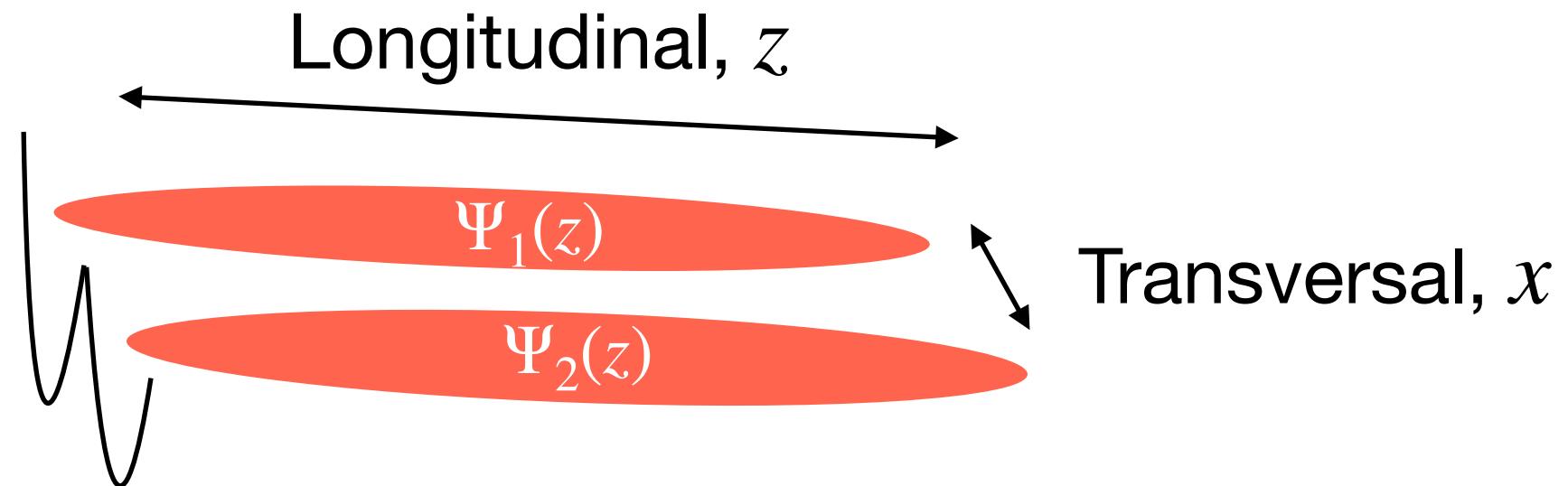
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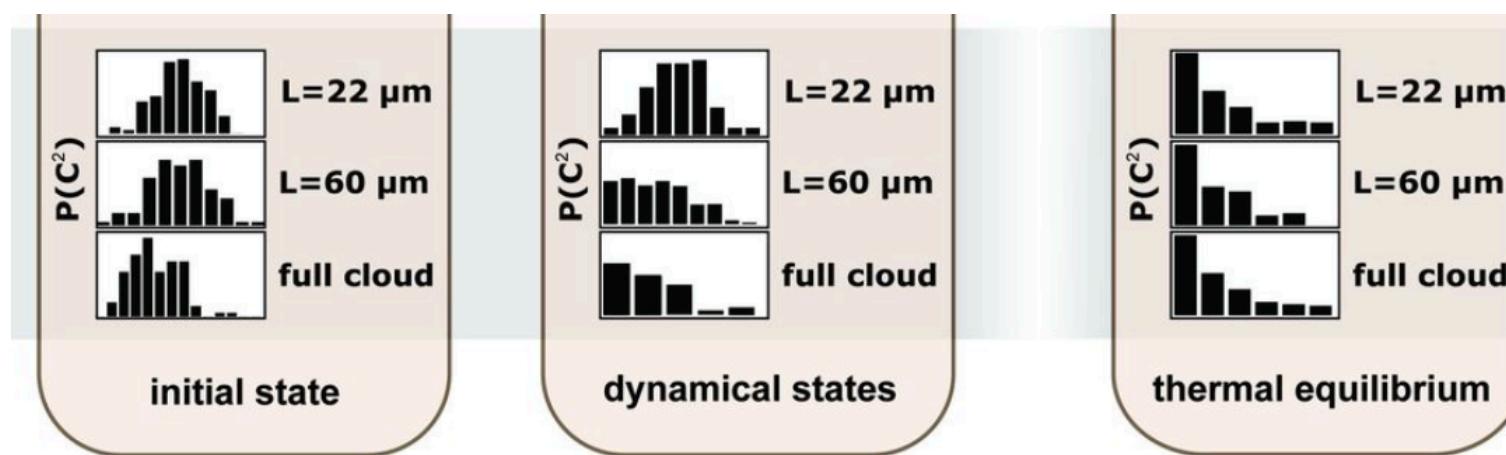
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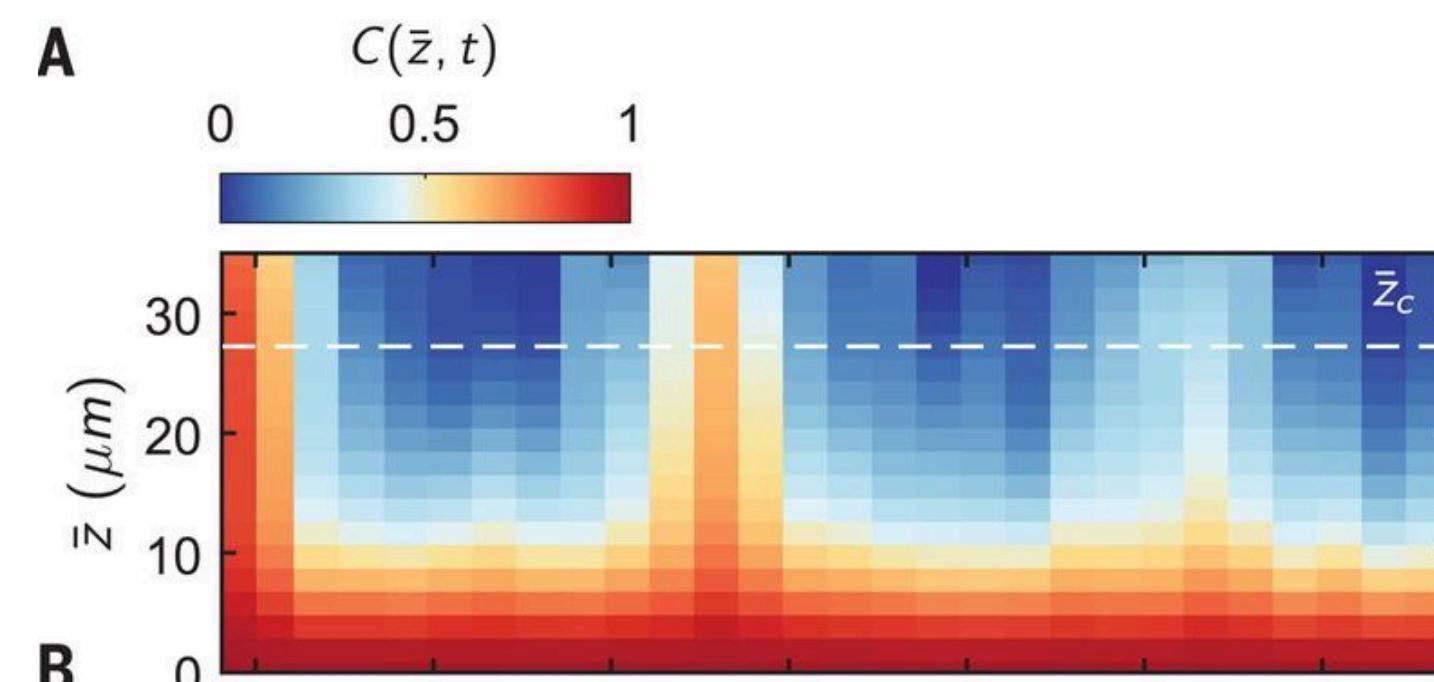
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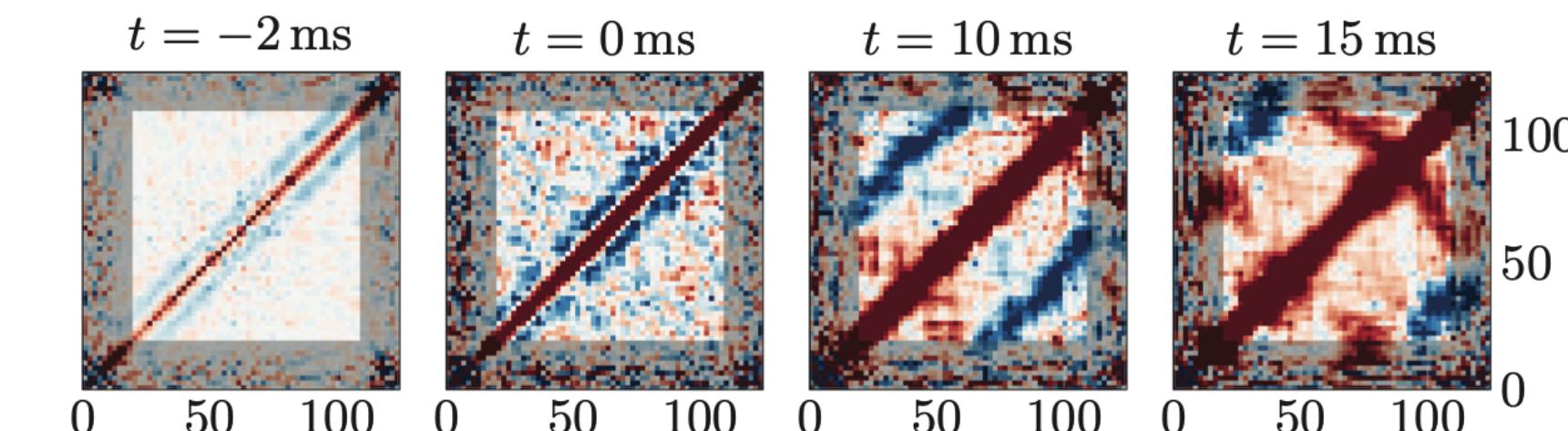
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- Experimental results on **prethermalization, recurrences, quantum field simulation**, etc.



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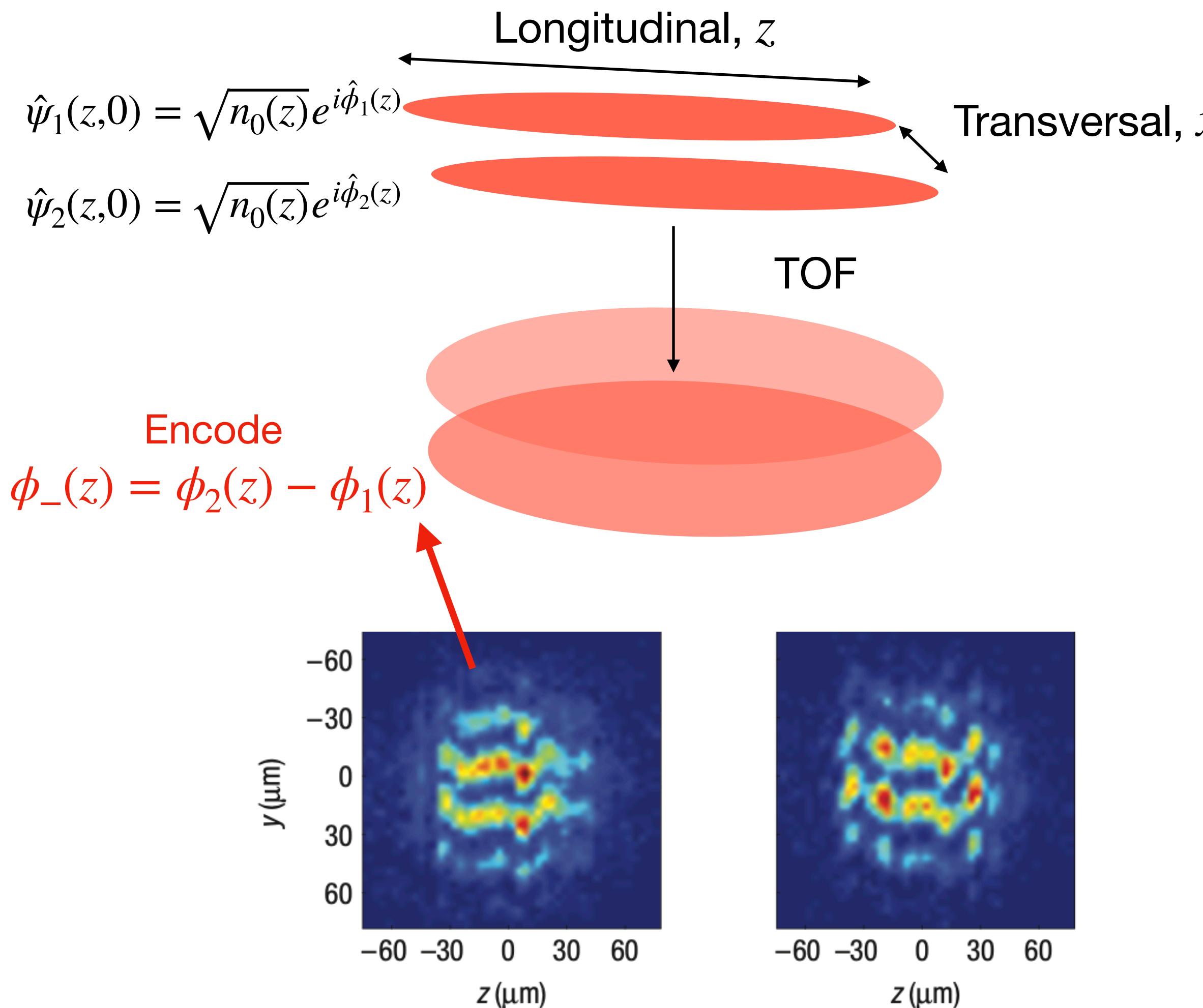


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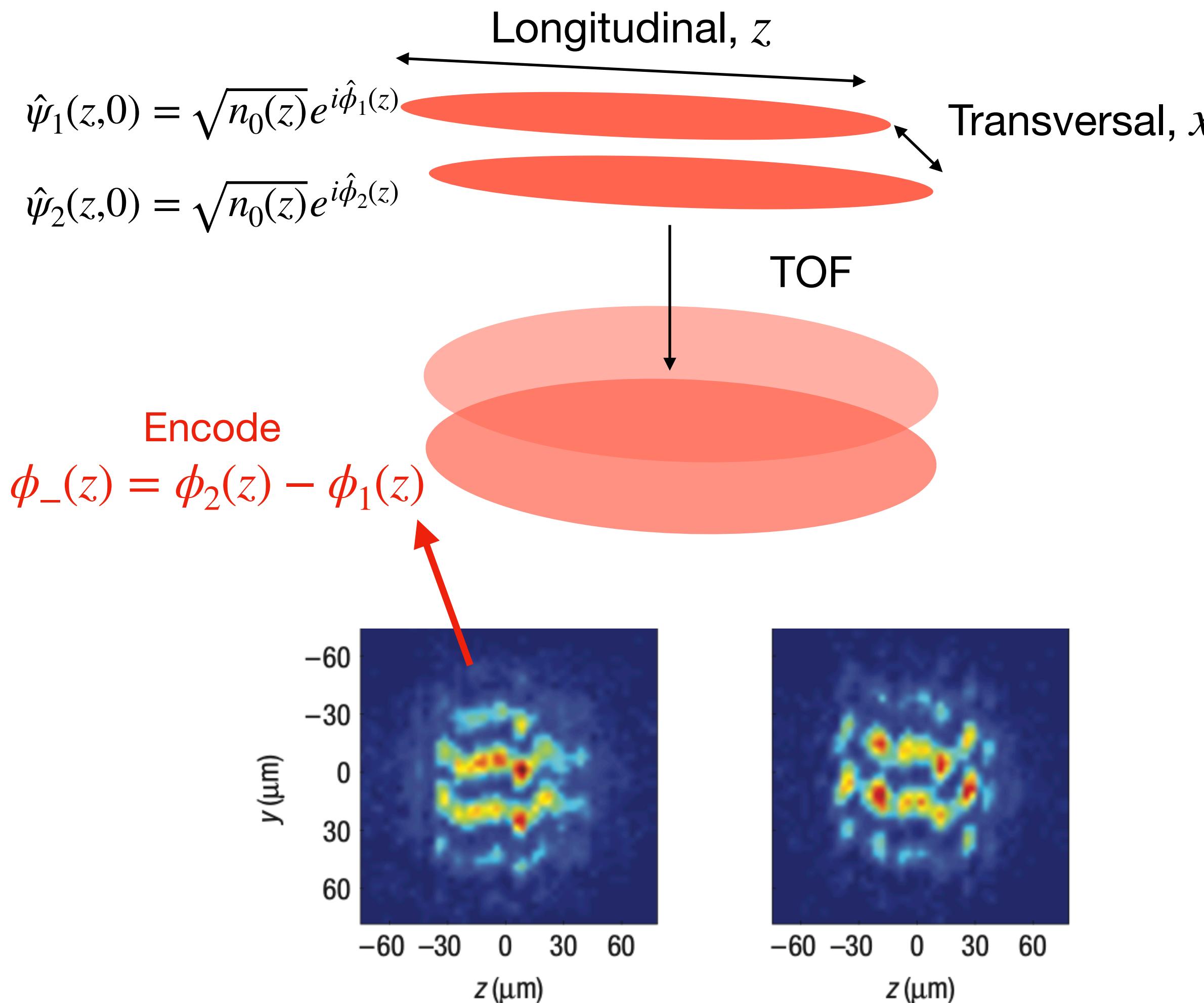
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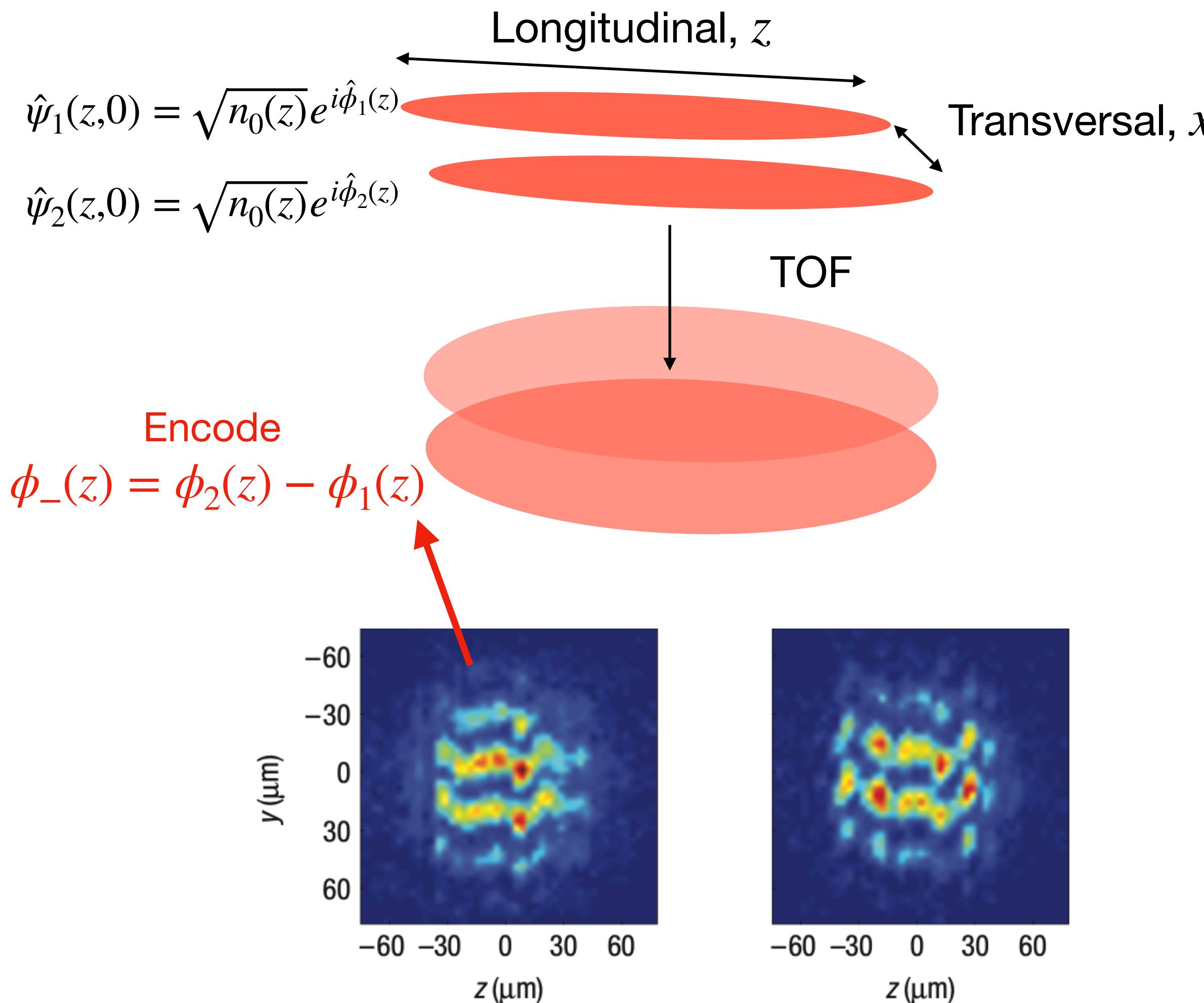
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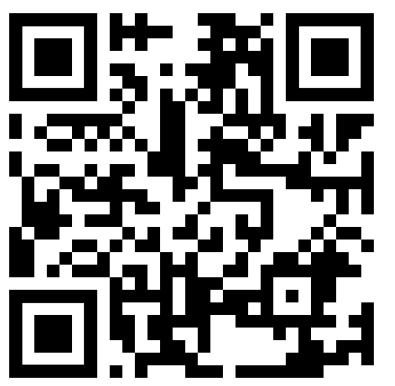
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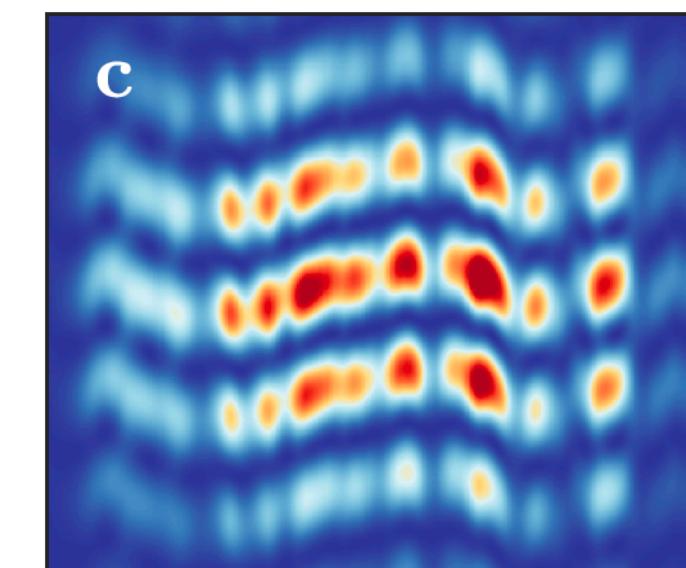
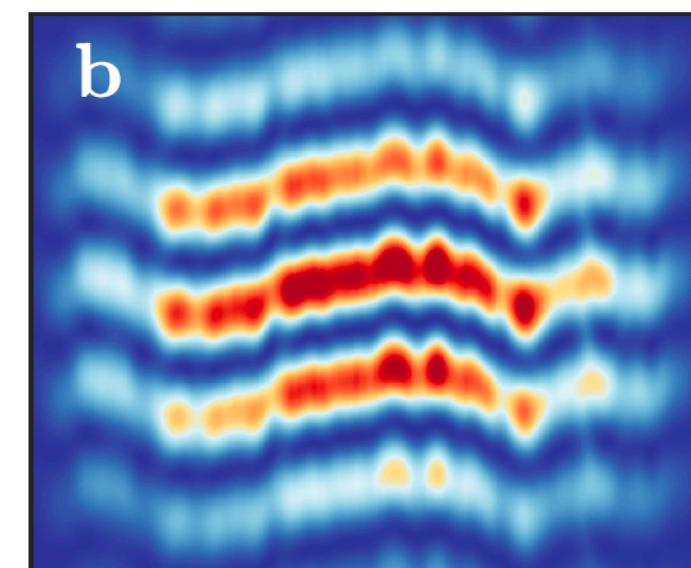
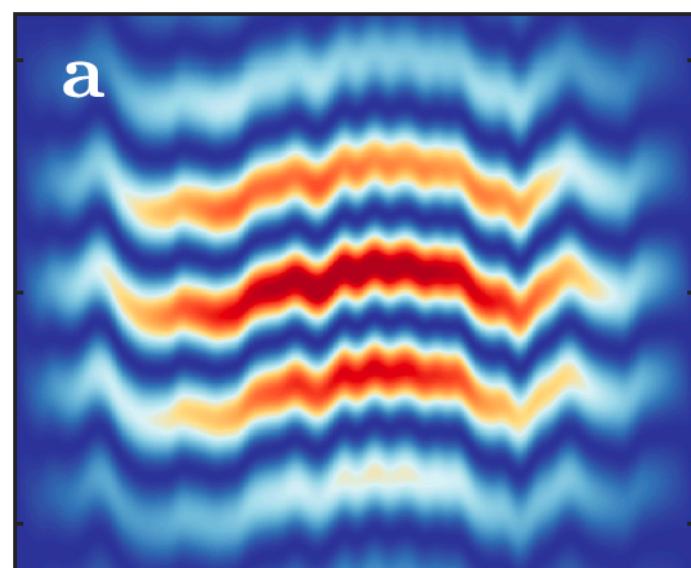
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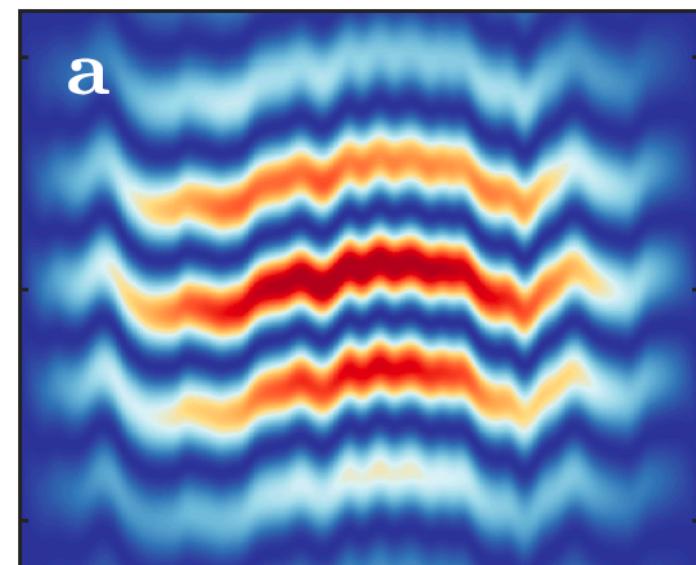


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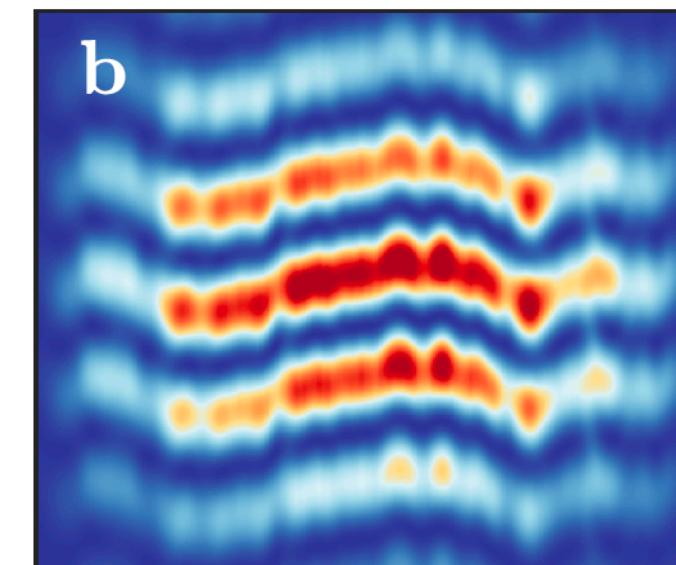
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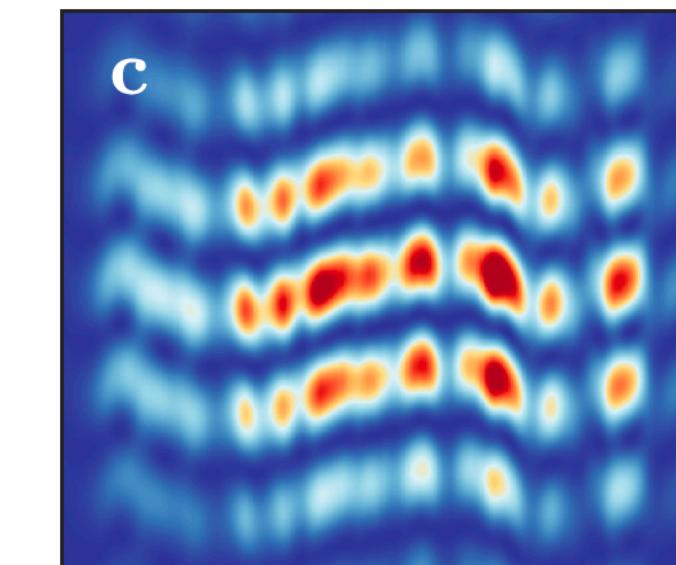
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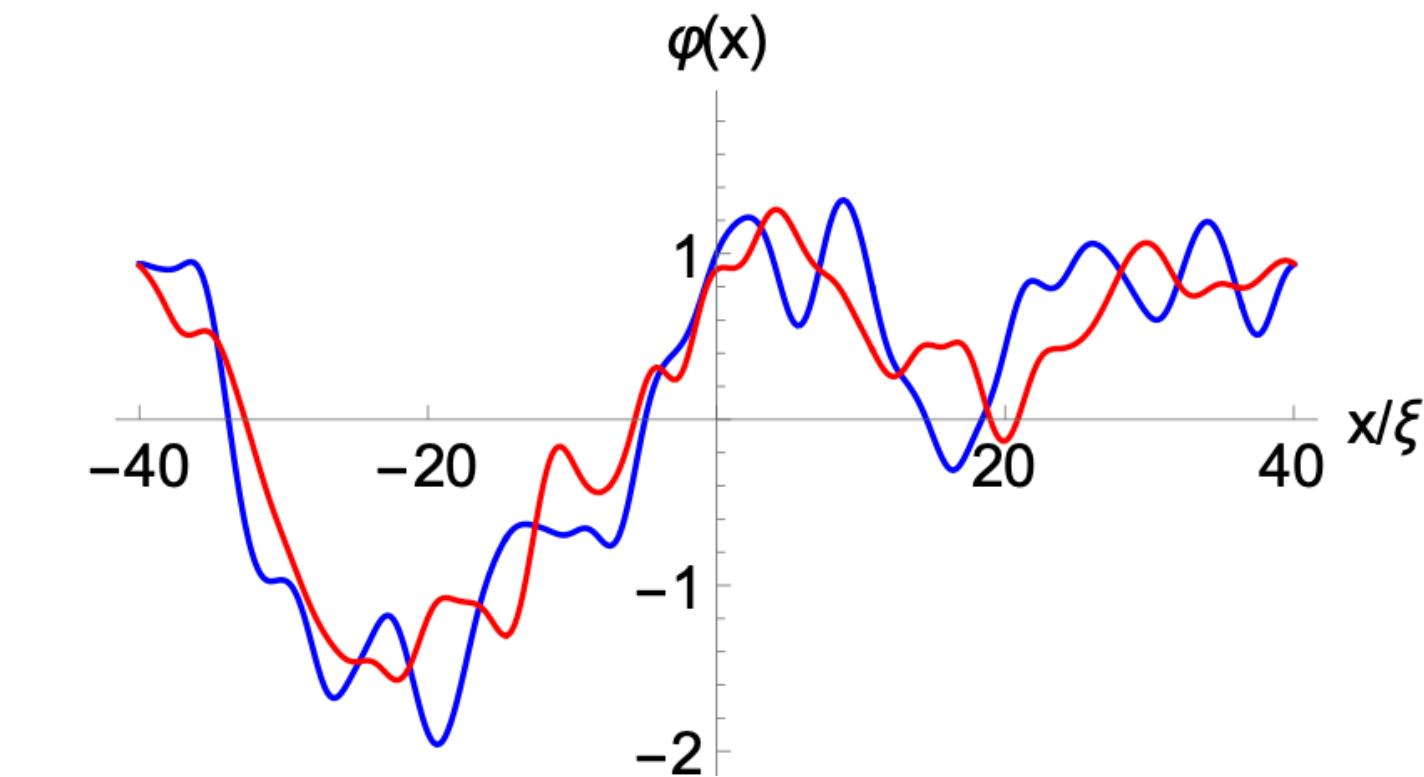
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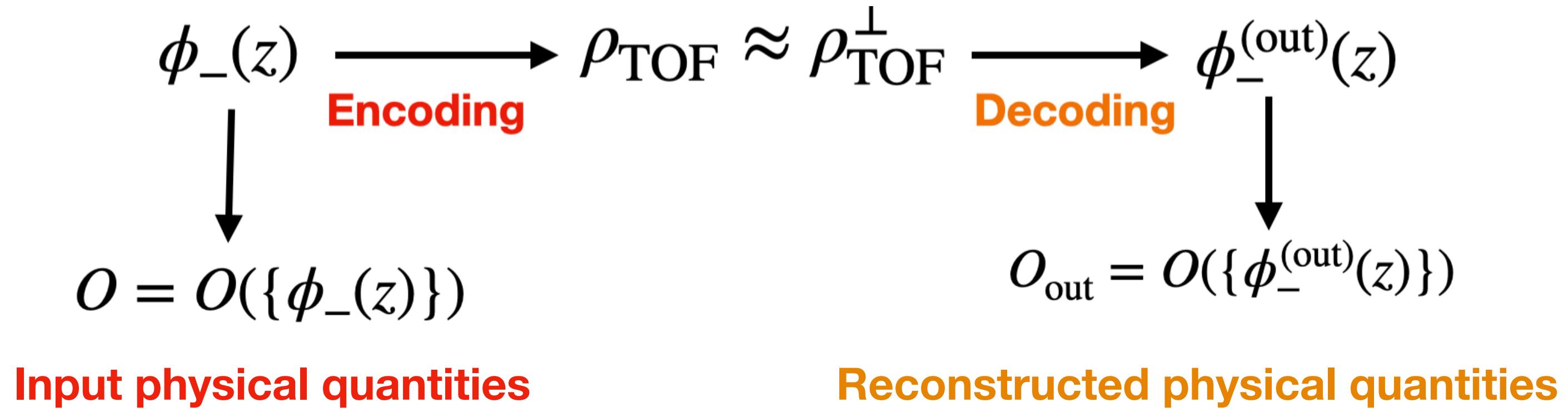
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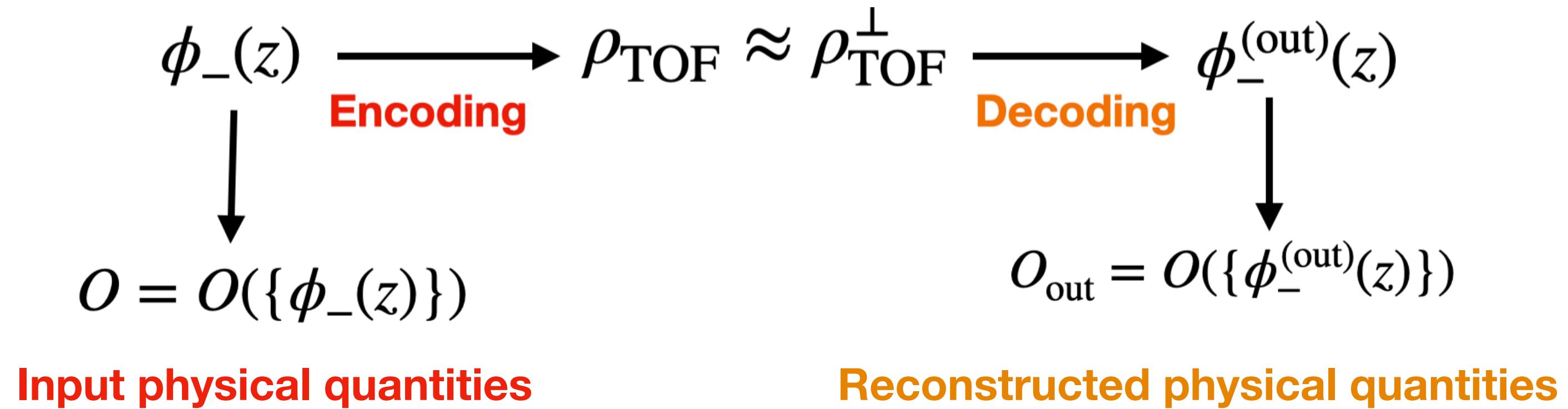


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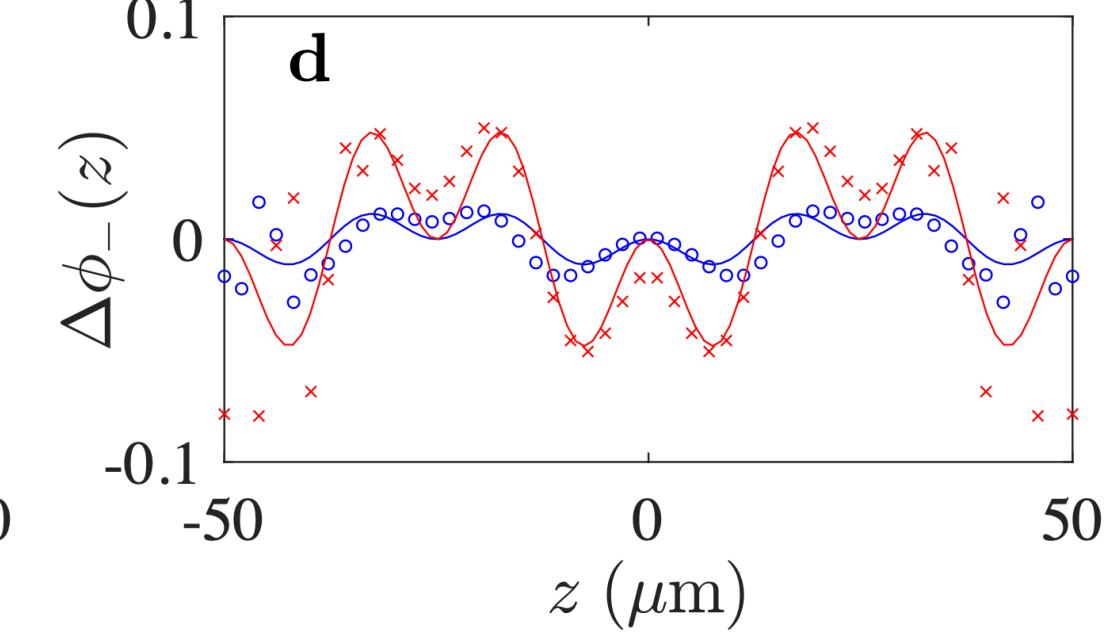
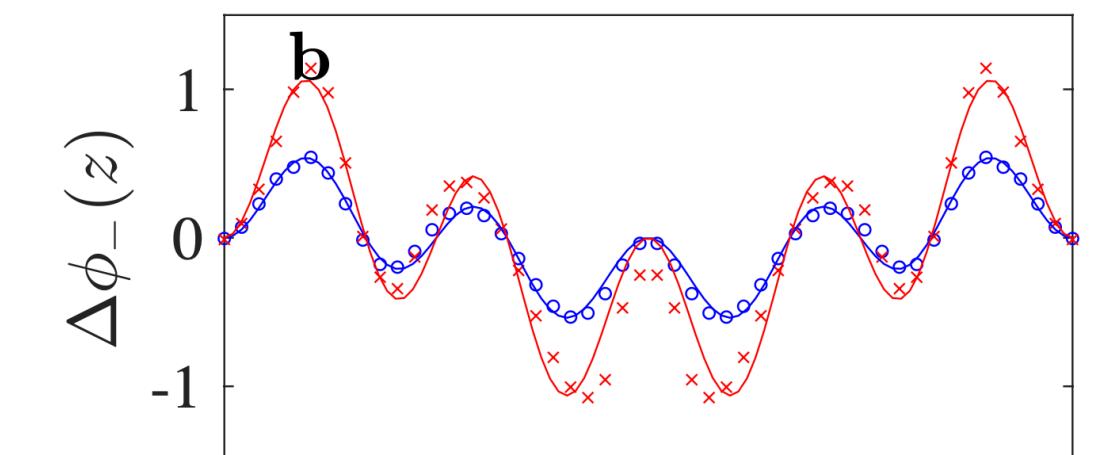
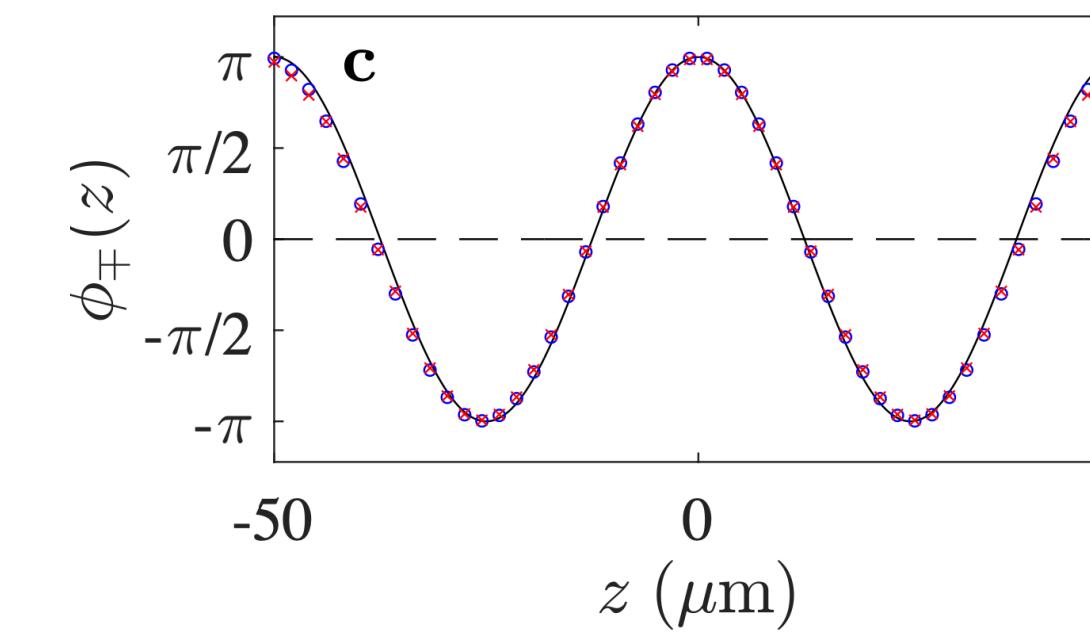
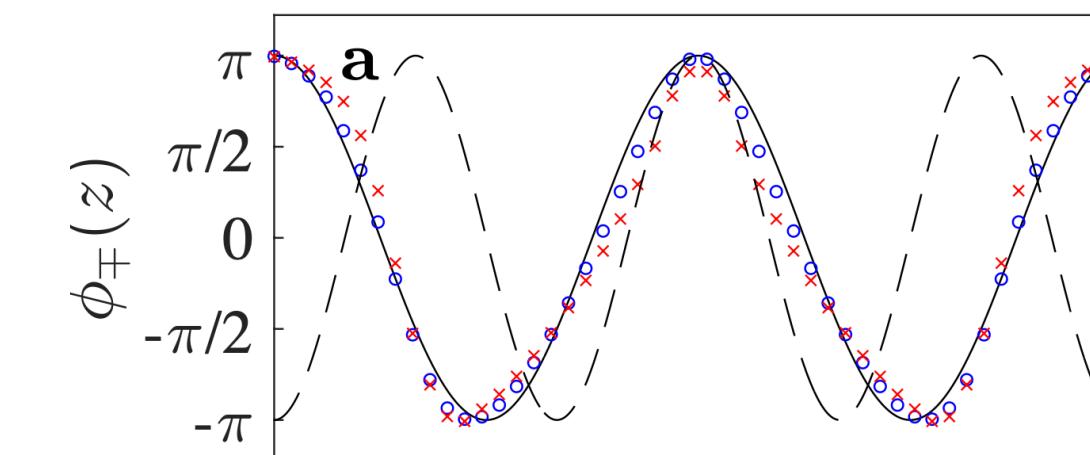
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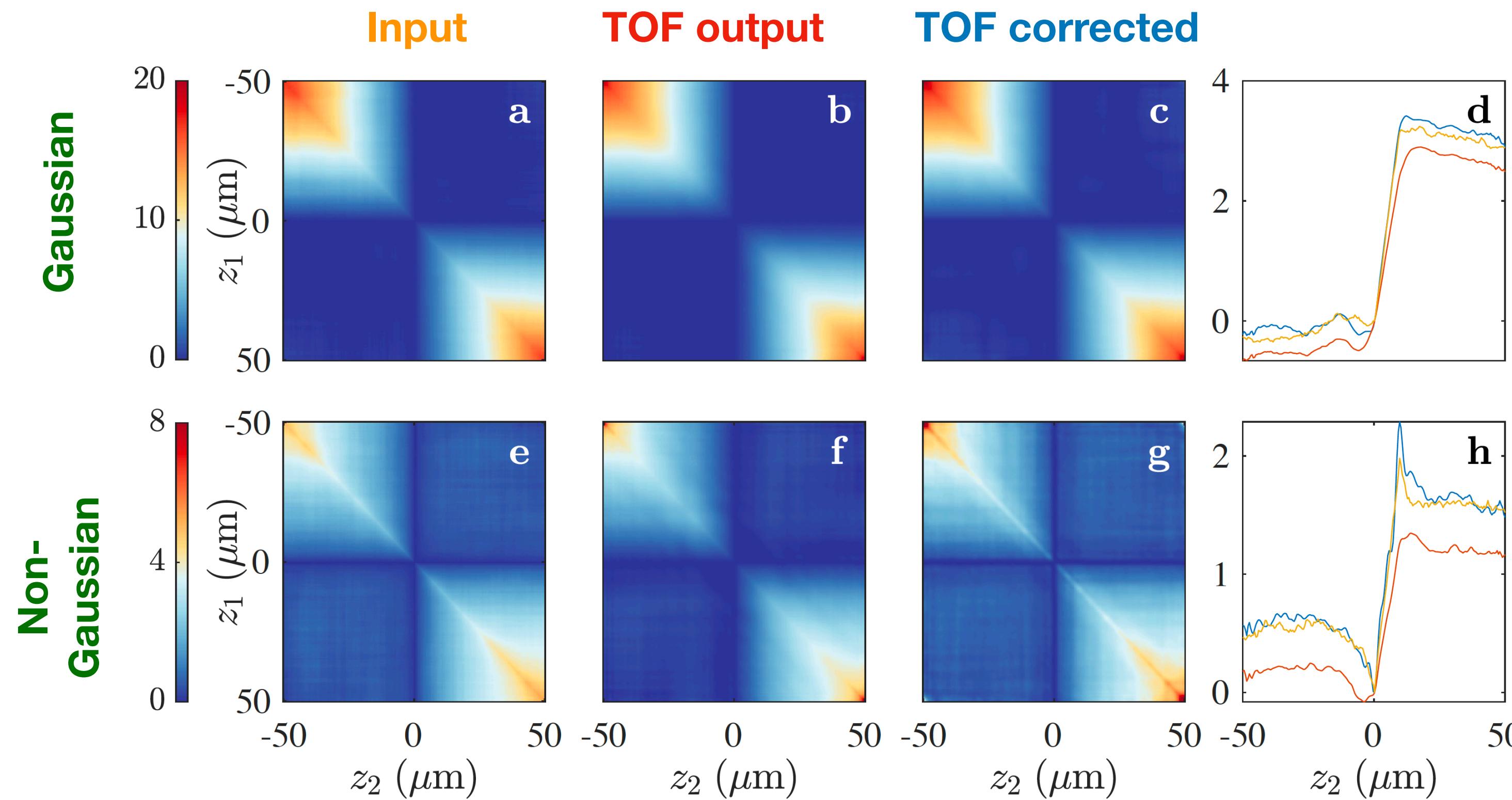
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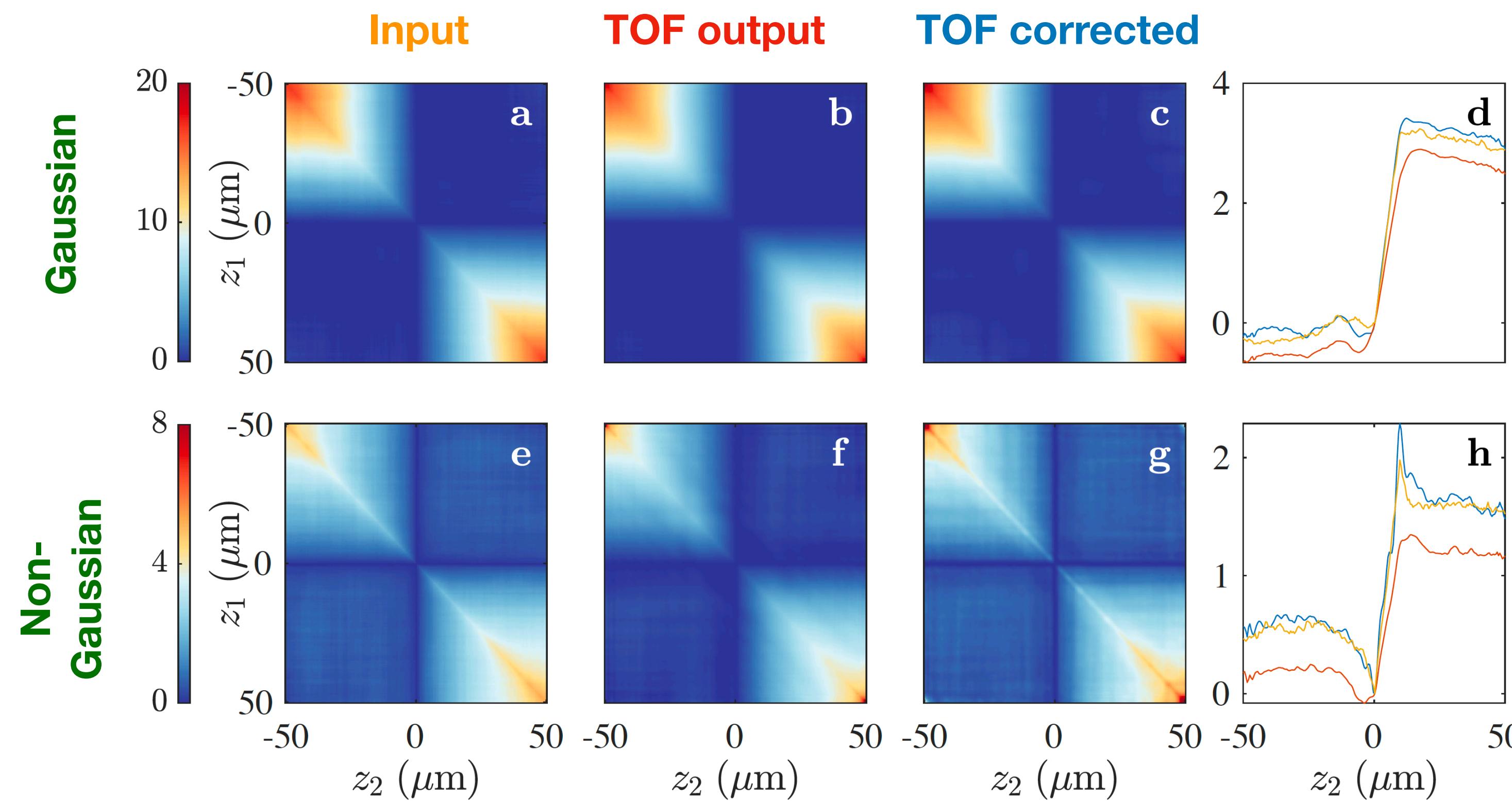


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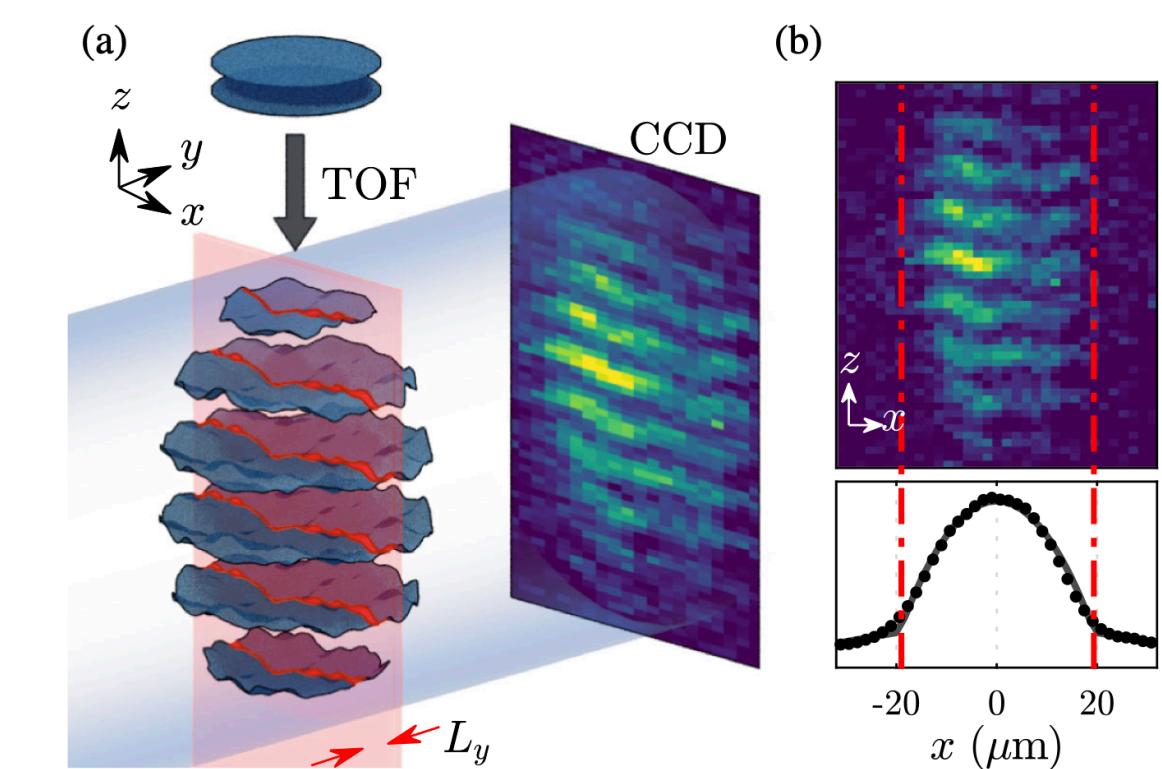


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Outlook

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- Extracting **common phase** from density interference pattern
- **Higher dimension?** 2D matter-wave interference, BKT transition



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Questions & comments are welcome

Thank you!