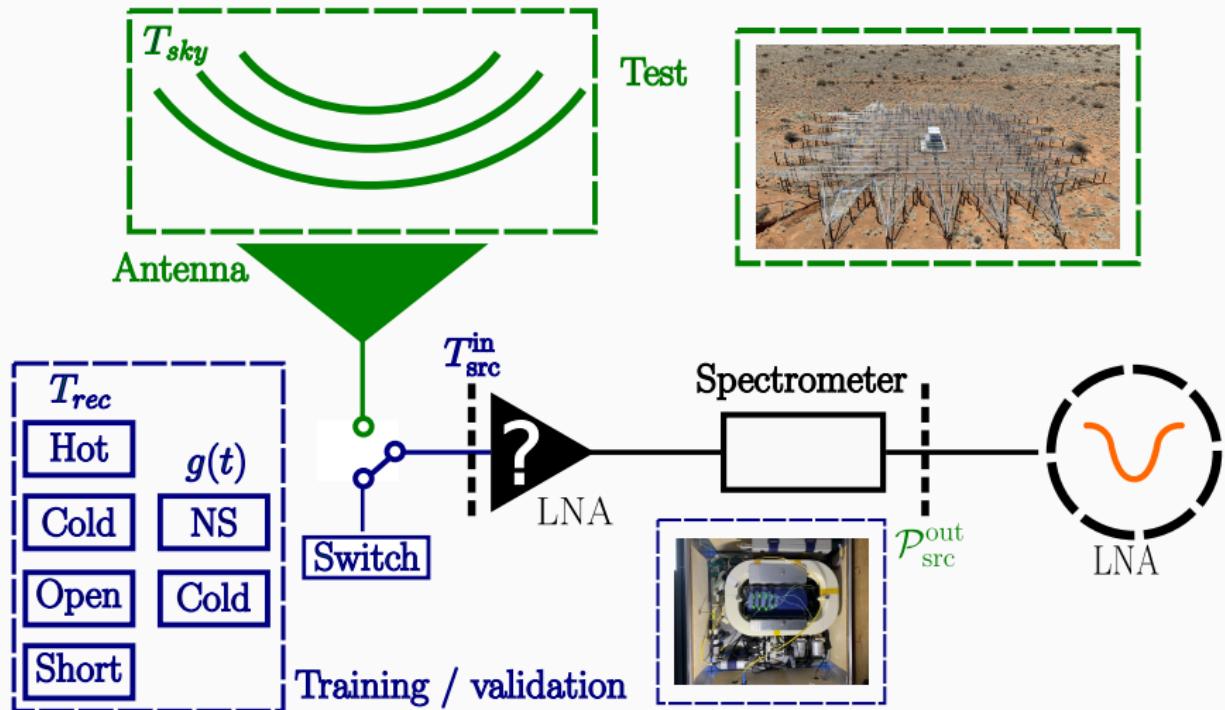
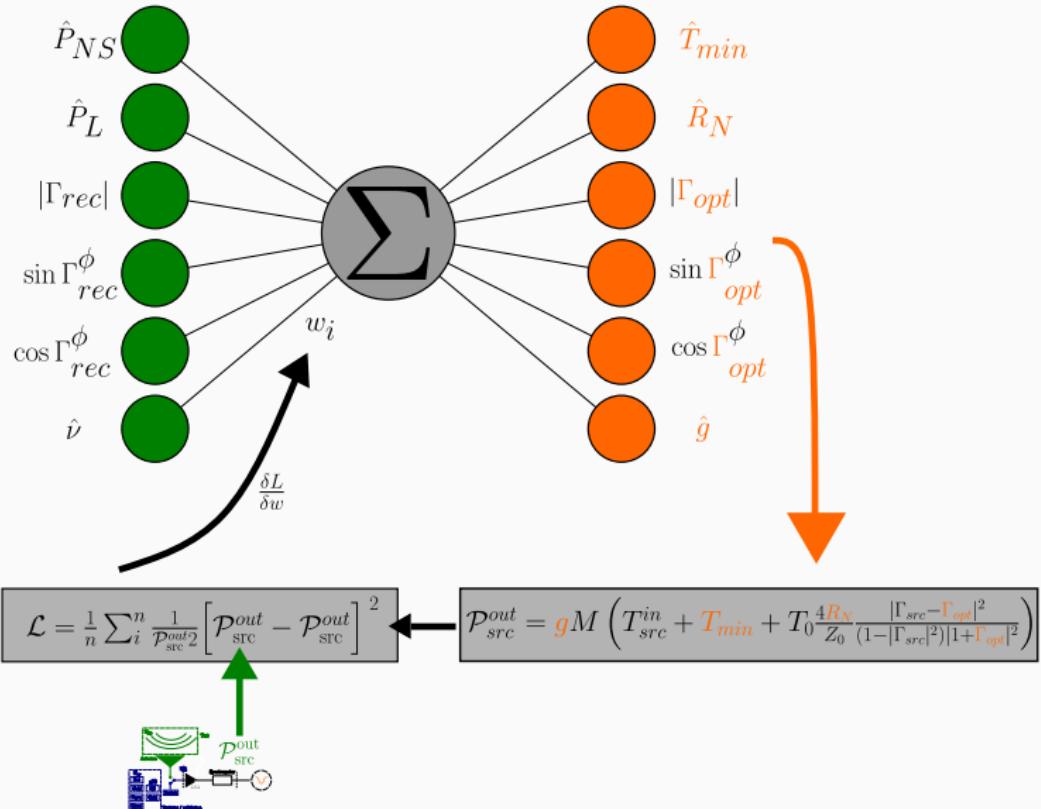


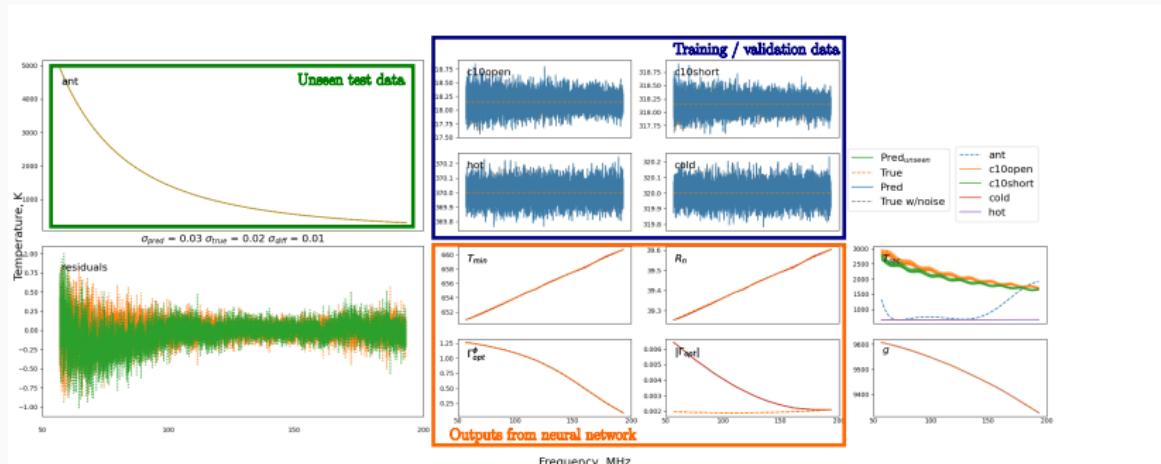
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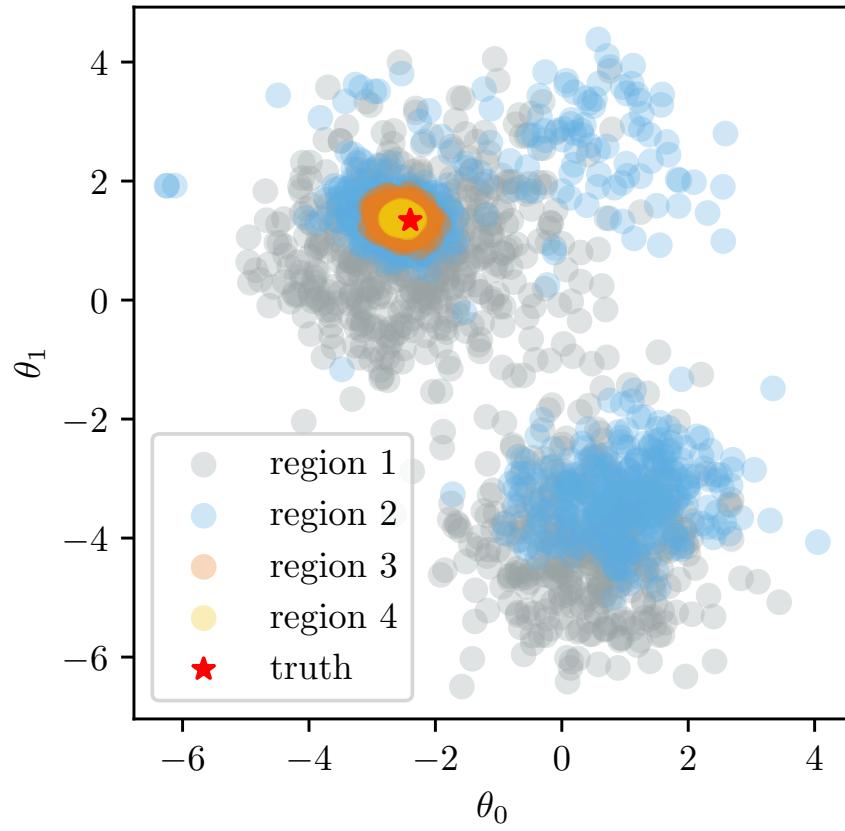


We propose a Physics based AI framework for precise radiometer calibration in global 21cm cosmology. These experiments aim to study the formation of the first stars and galaxies by detecting the faint 21-cm radio emission from neutral hydrogen. This global or sky-averaged signal is predicted to be five orders of magnitude dimmer than the foregrounds. Therefore, detection of the signal requires precise calibration of the instrument receiver, which non-trivially amplifies the signals detected by the antenna. Classical approaches are challenging to apply in this high precision regime, causing a major bottleneck in all such experiments. Unlike other methods, our receiver calibration approach is expected to be agnostic to in-field variations in temperature and environment and furthermore does not rely on assumptions that certain critical components are impedance matched. For the first time, we propose the use of machine learning for calibration of global 21-cm experiments.

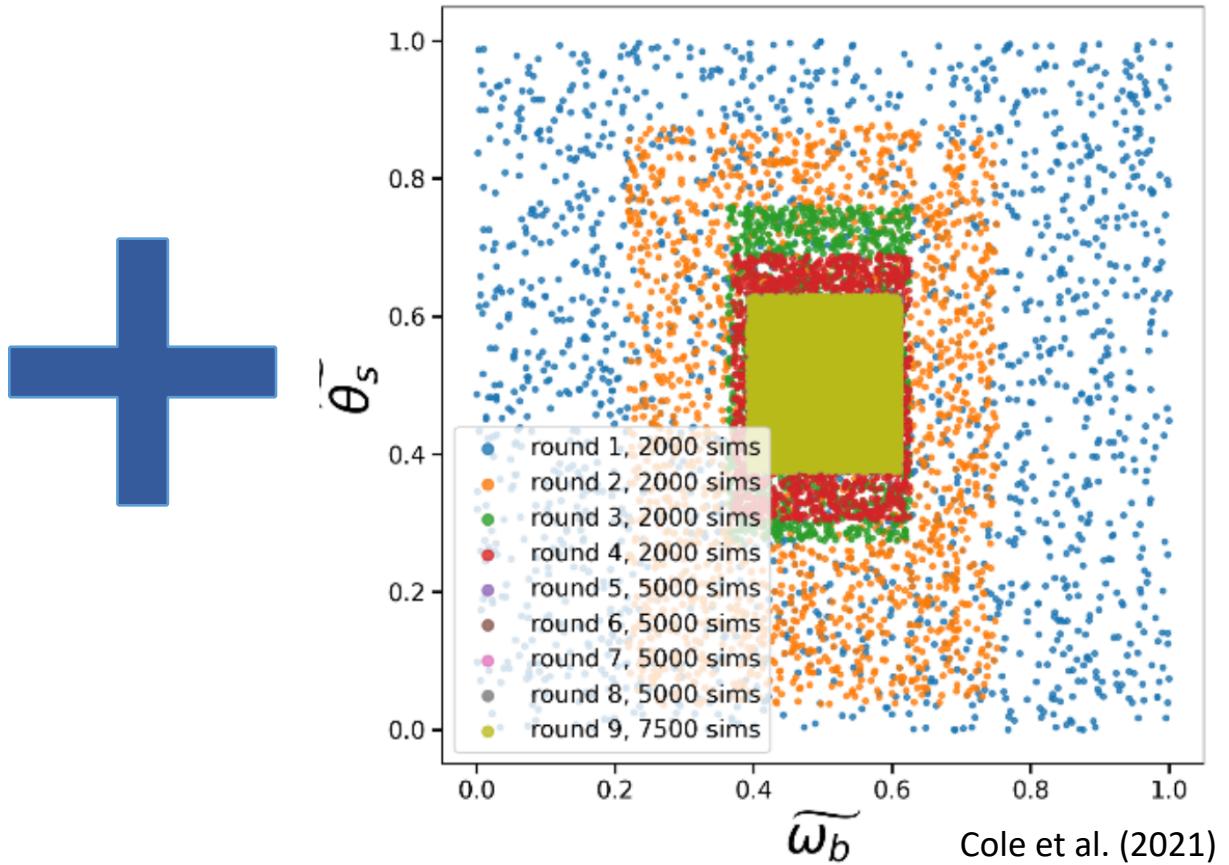


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Nested sampling



SBI (with NRE)

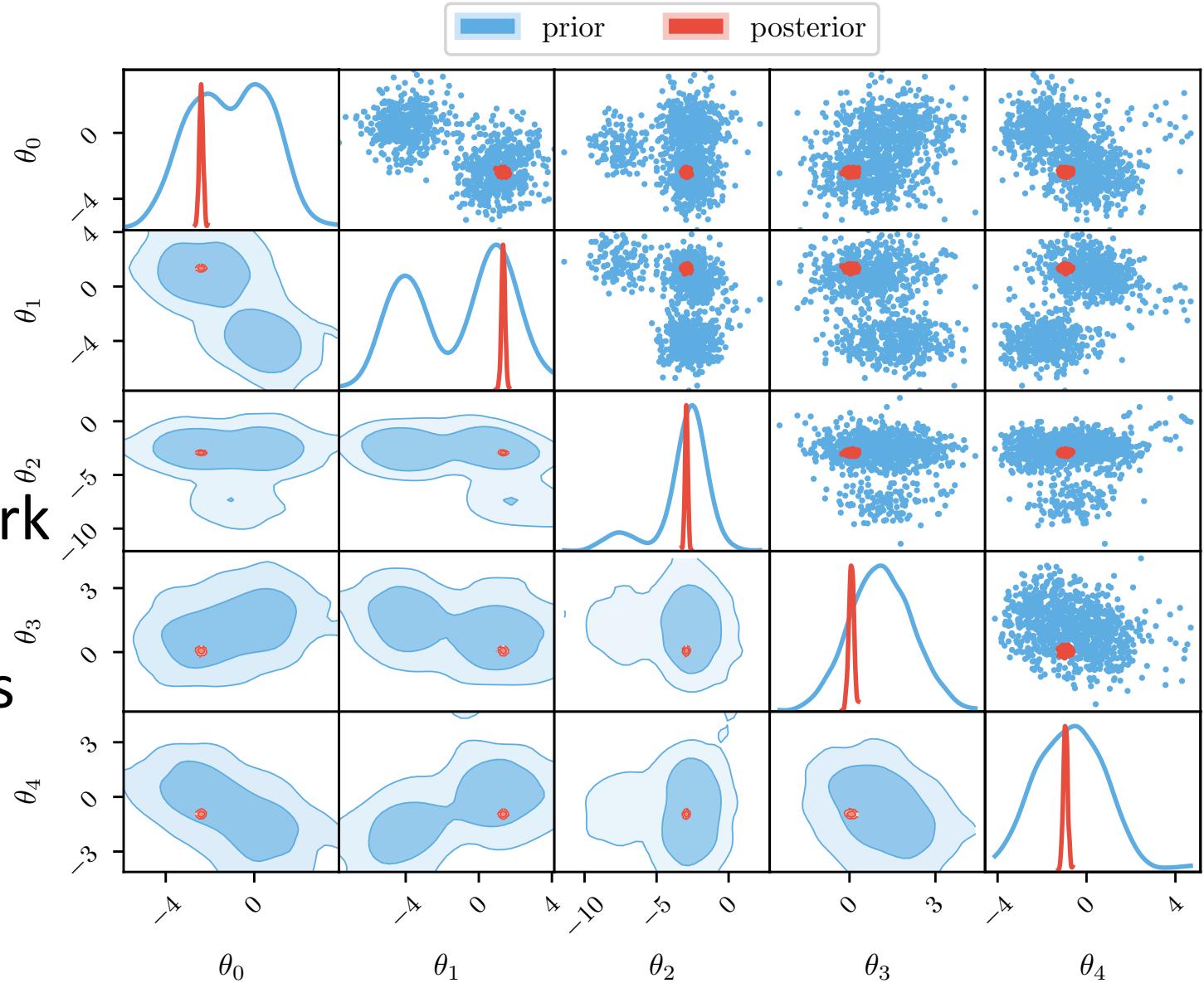


# PolySwyft



Merging NS and SBI into  
a general Bayesian framework

Accurate posterior estimates  
without a likelihood !



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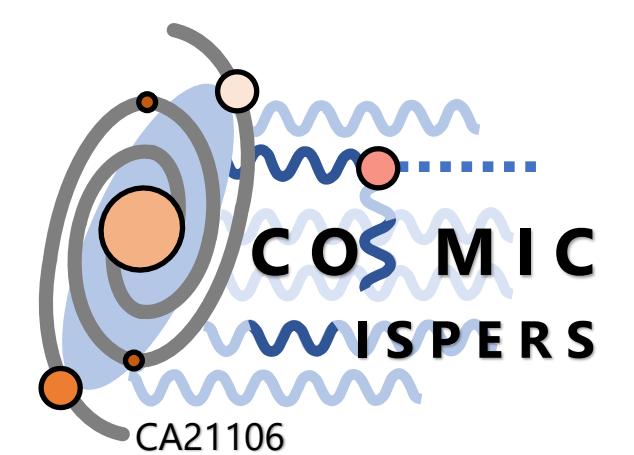
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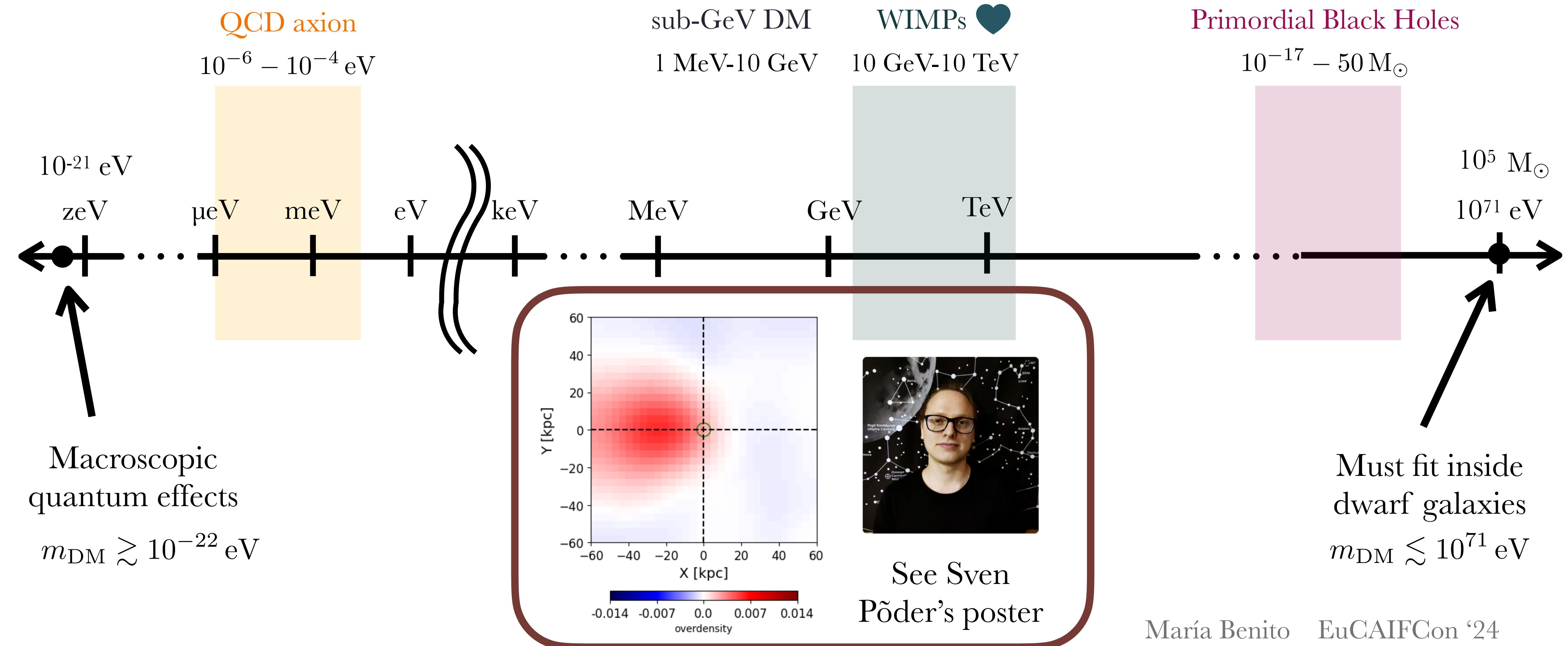


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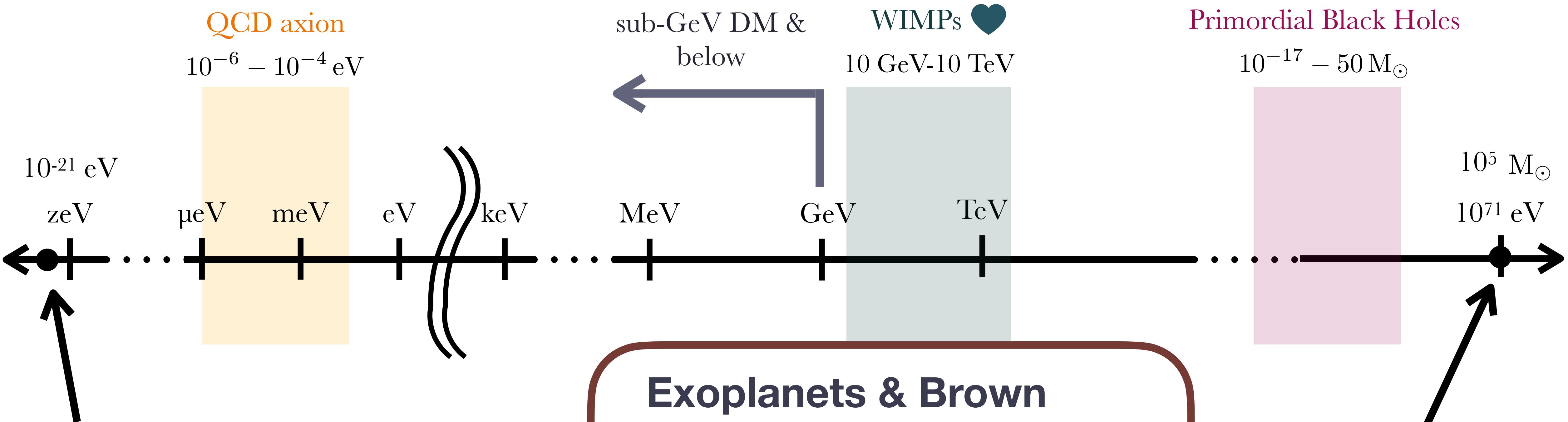


# Dark Matter particle landscape

A large, round hay bale sits prominently in the foreground of a harvested field. The field is covered in dry, golden-brown straw. In the background, two smaller hay bales are visible on a slight incline. The sky above is a clear, pale blue with a few wispy clouds.



# Dark Matter particle landscape



Macroscopic quantum effects

$$m_{DM} \gtrsim 10^{-22} \text{ eV}$$

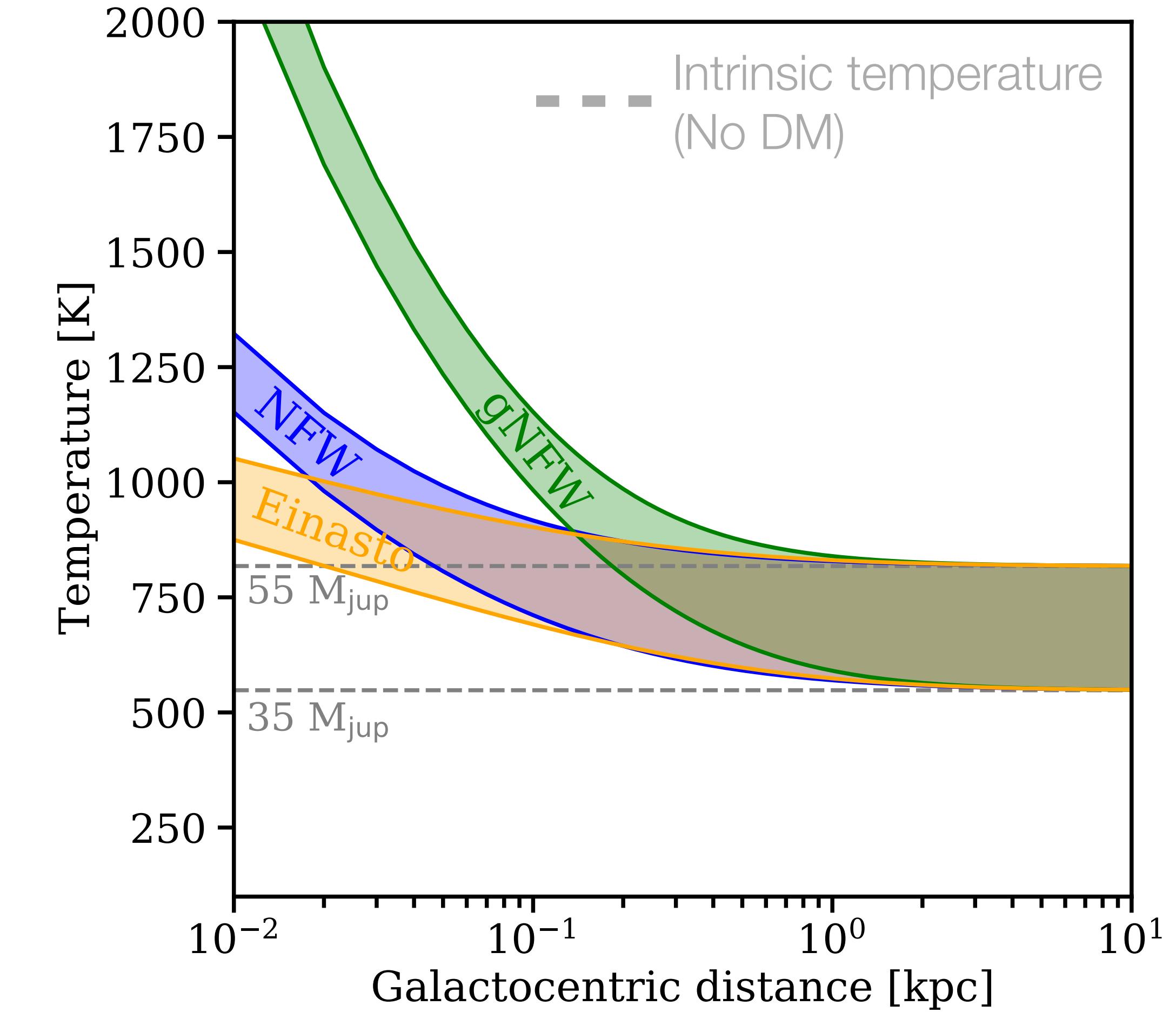
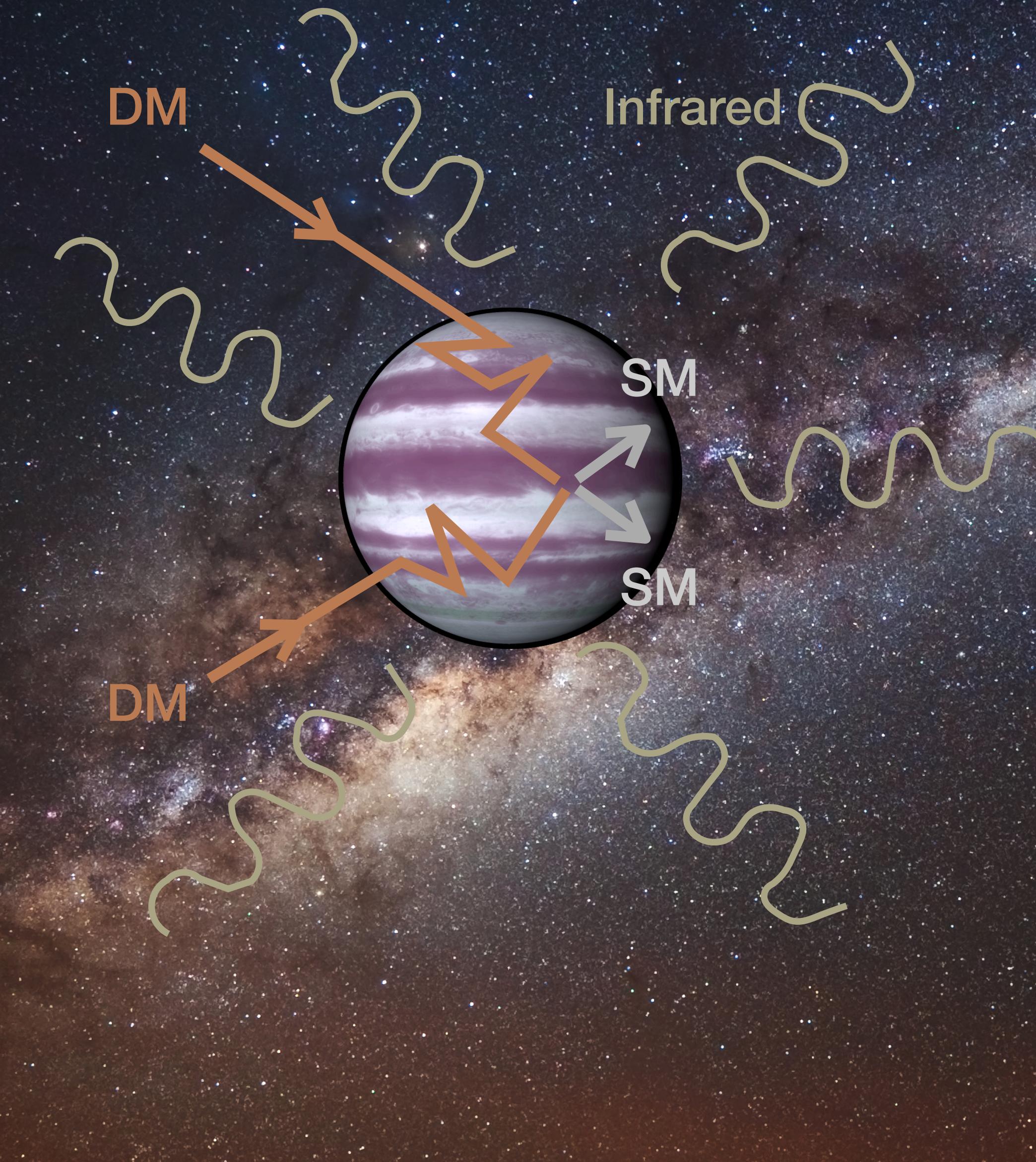
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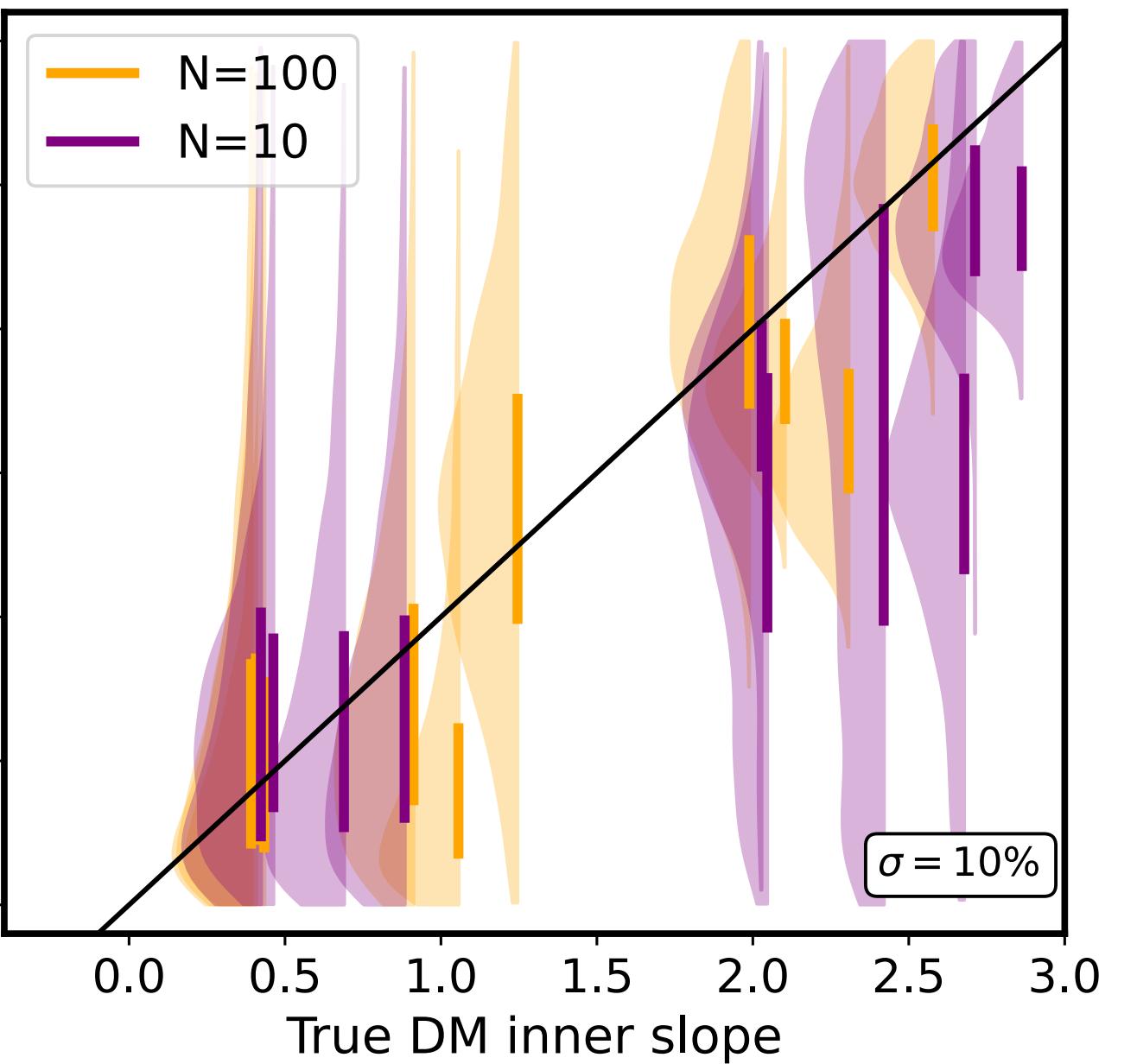
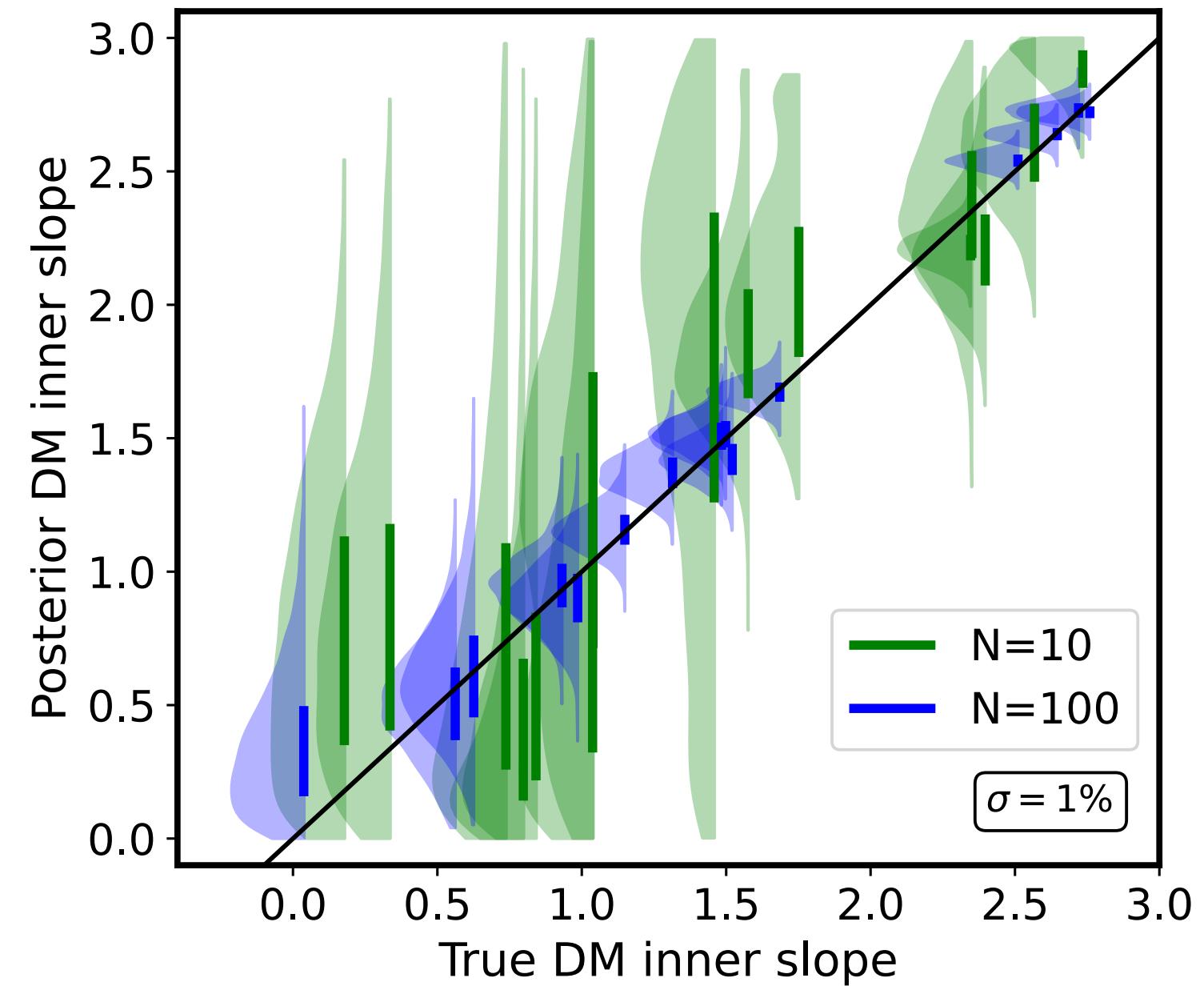
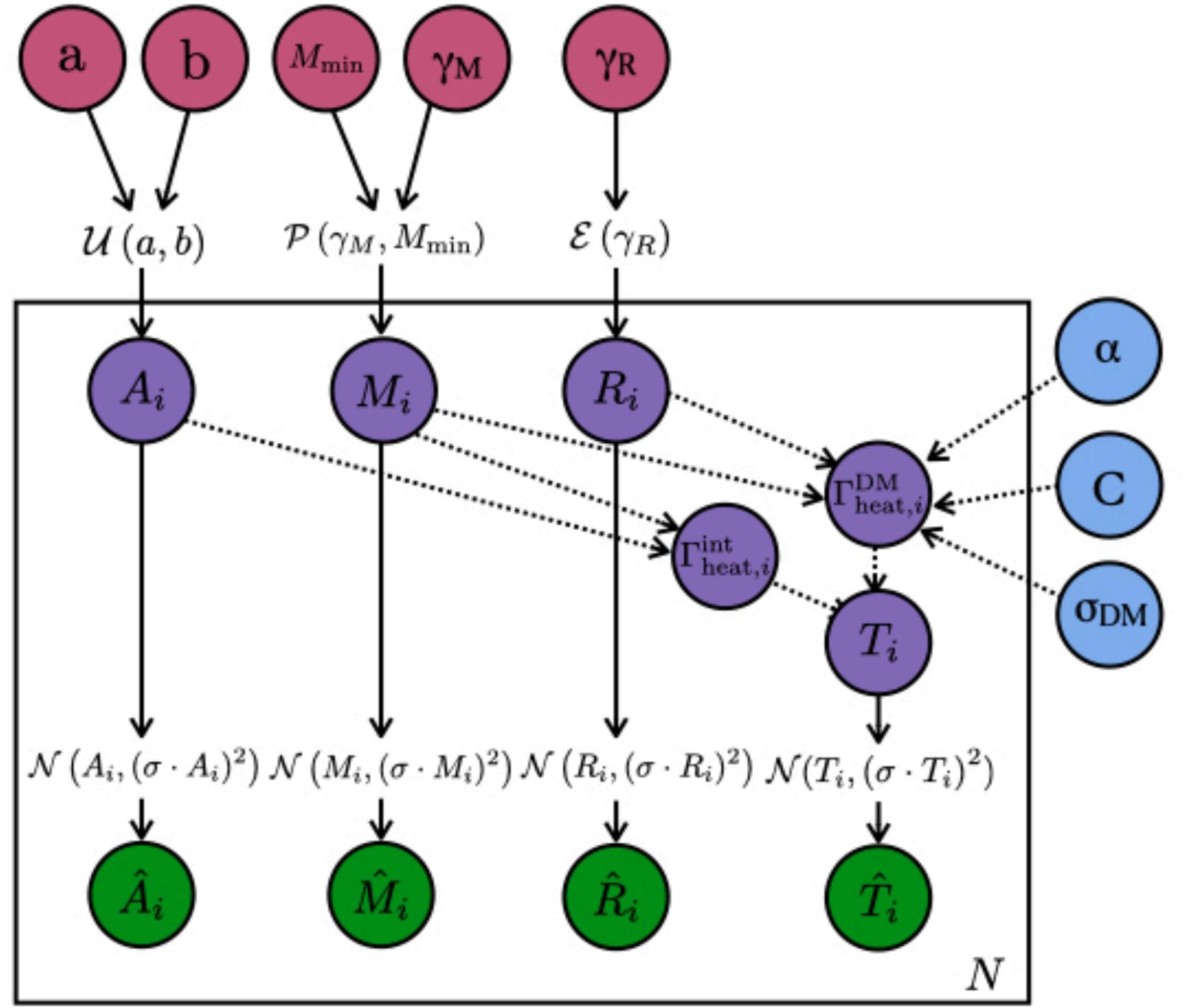
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# Indirect Dark Matter search



# Bayesian Hierarchical Model

Details & results in poster, during coffee break, soon arXiv



Konstantin Karchev & I  
would be happy to discuss  
further