

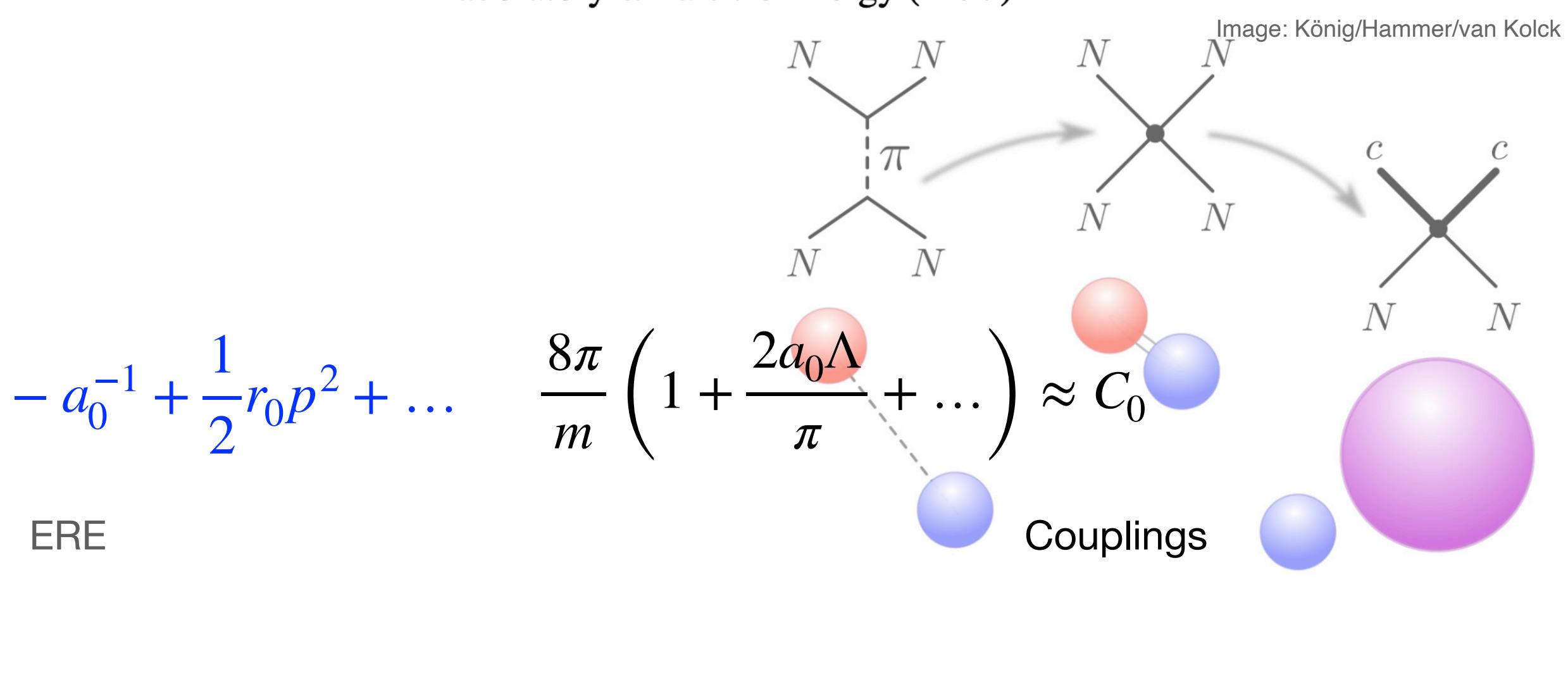
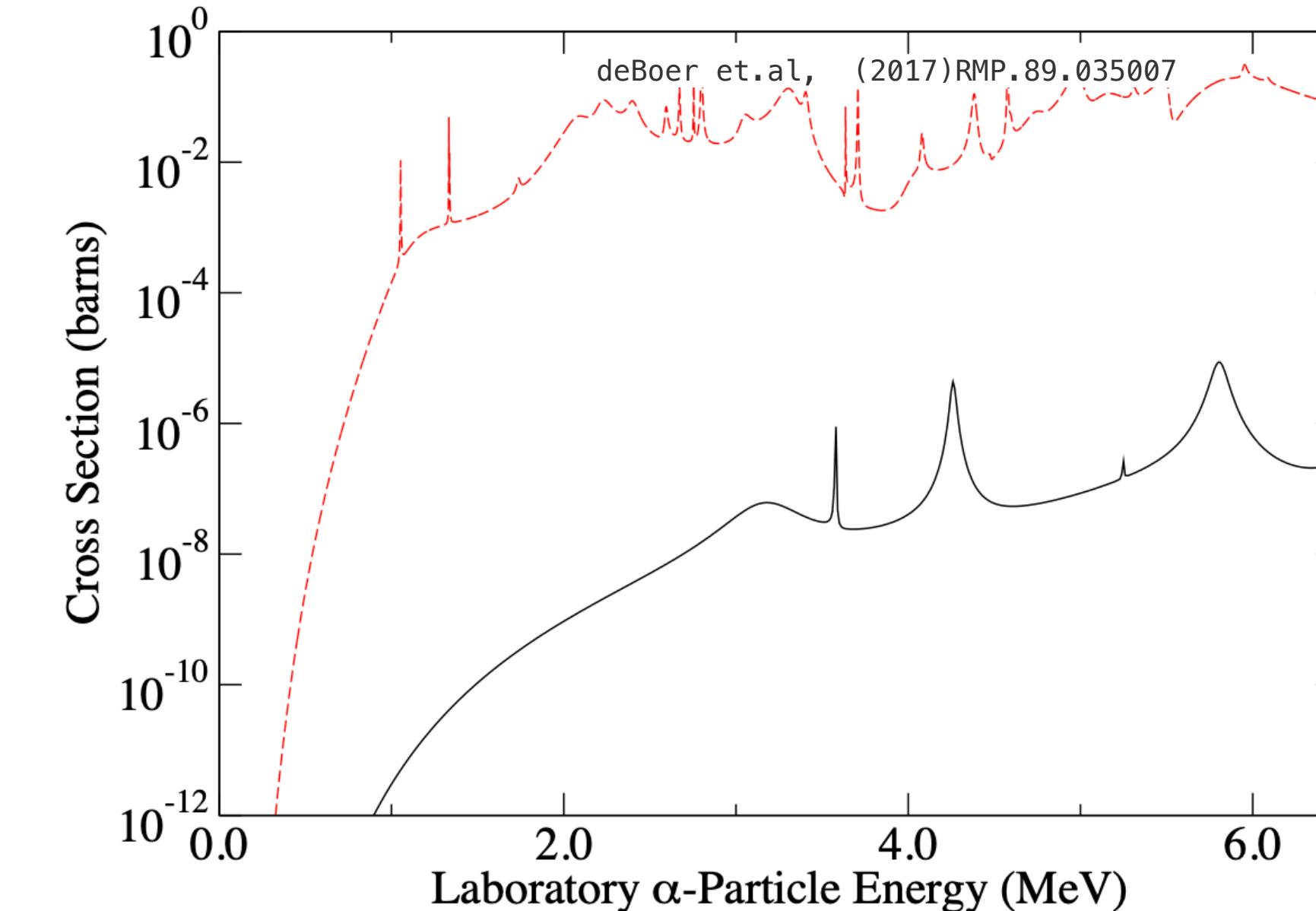
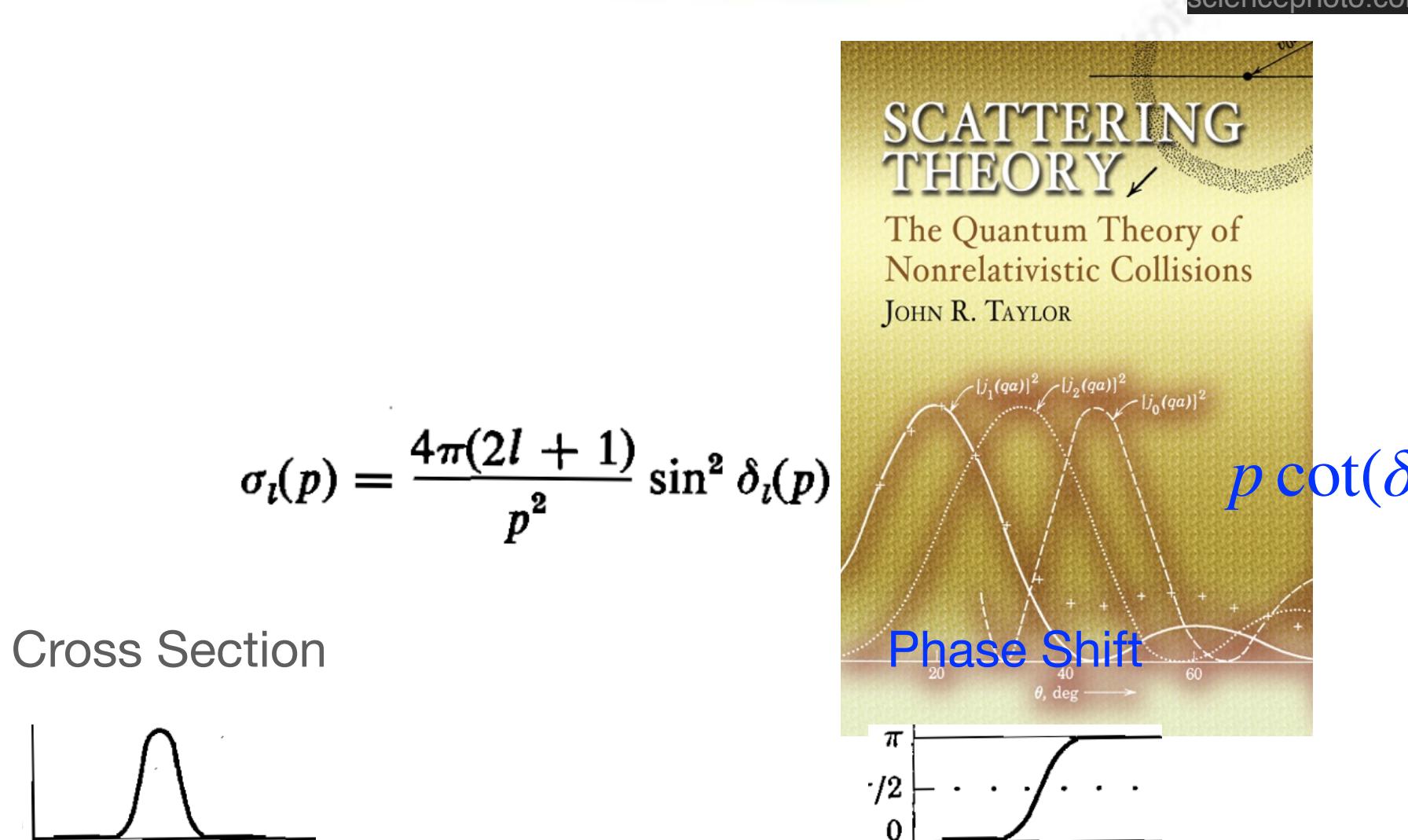
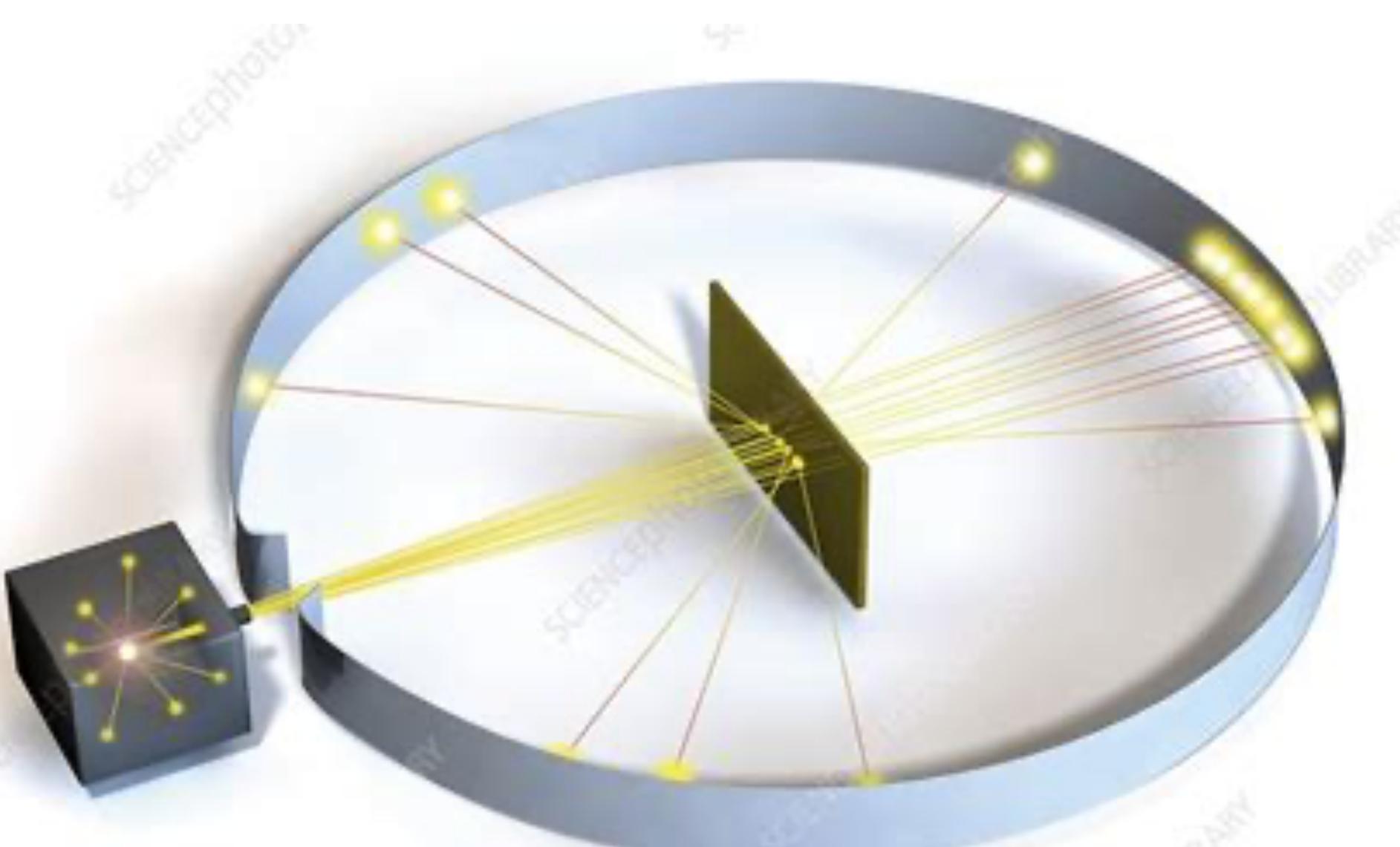
Nucleons in a finite volume

from ground states to the continuum

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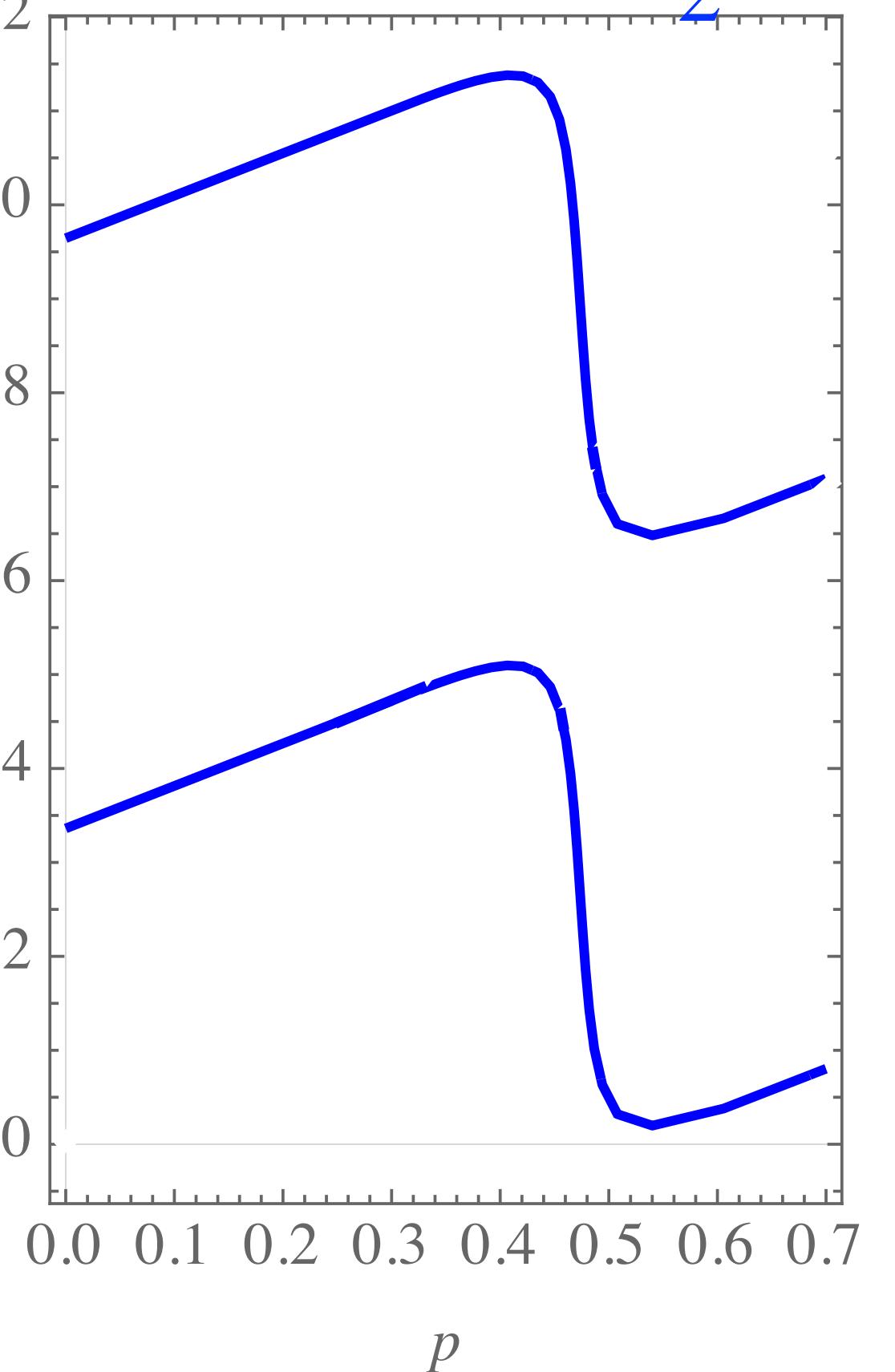
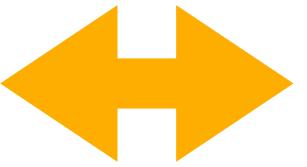
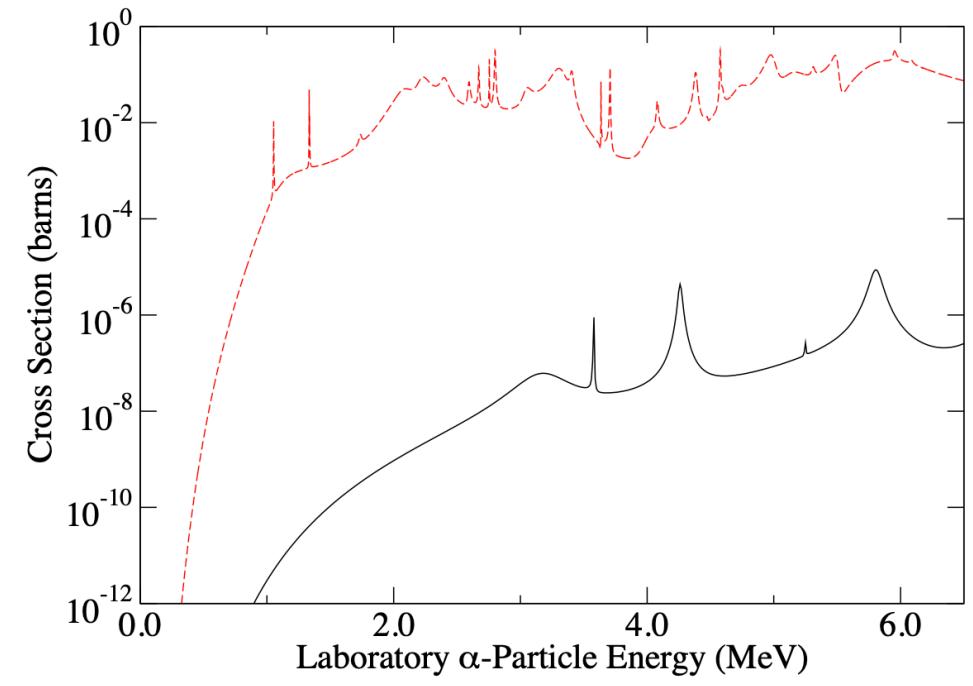
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From Scattering Experiments to EFT



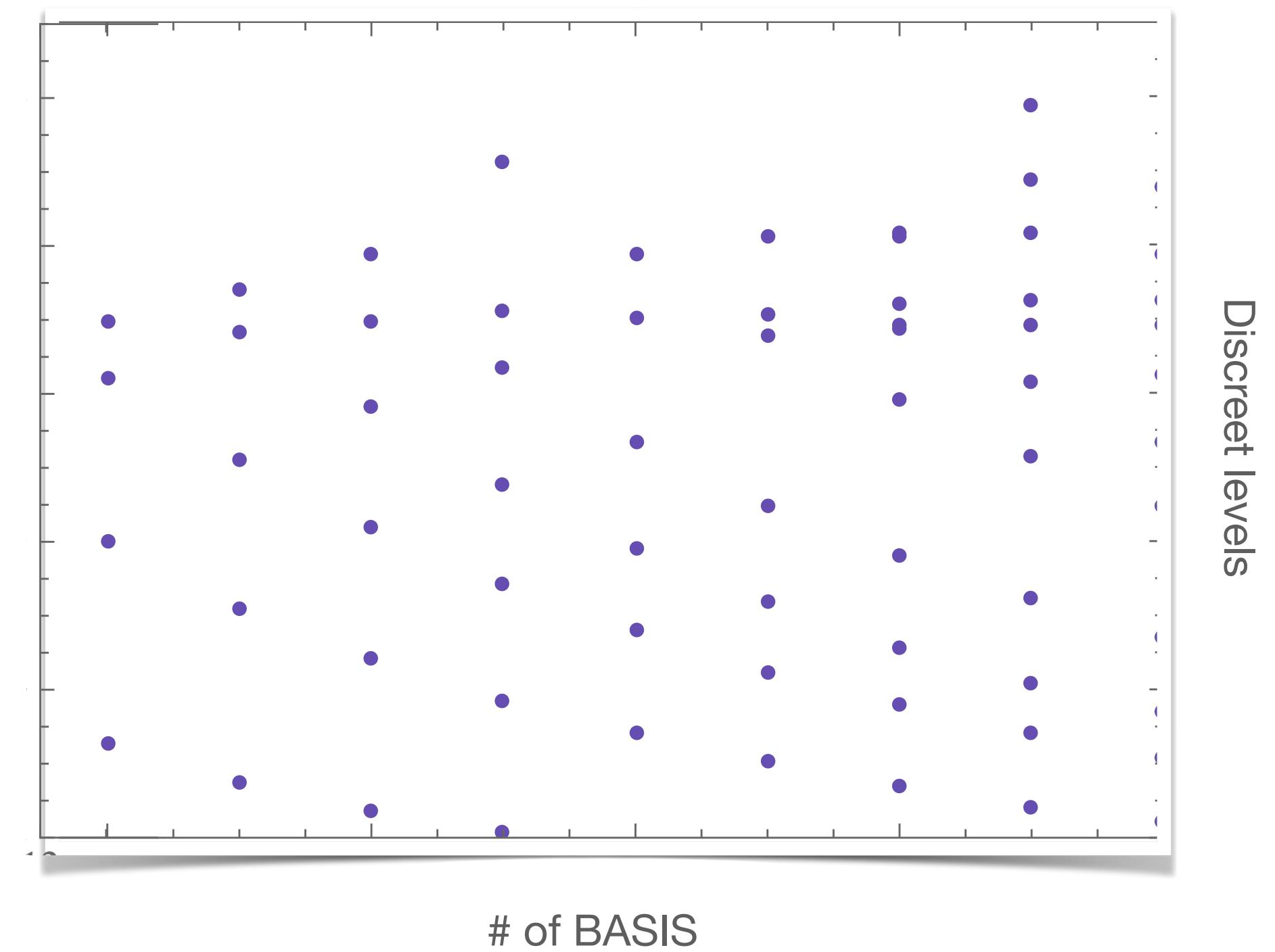
From Theory to Experiments?

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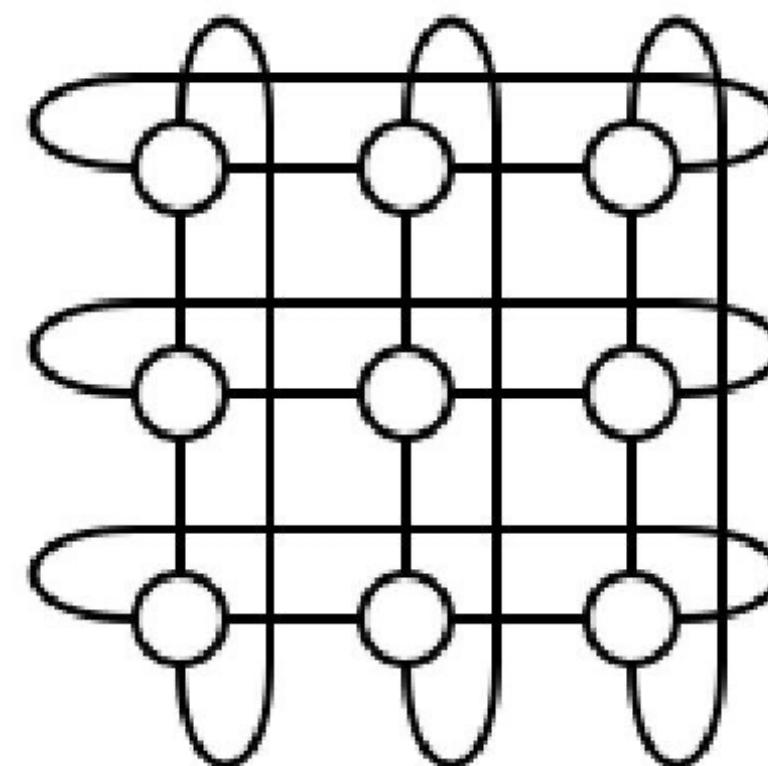
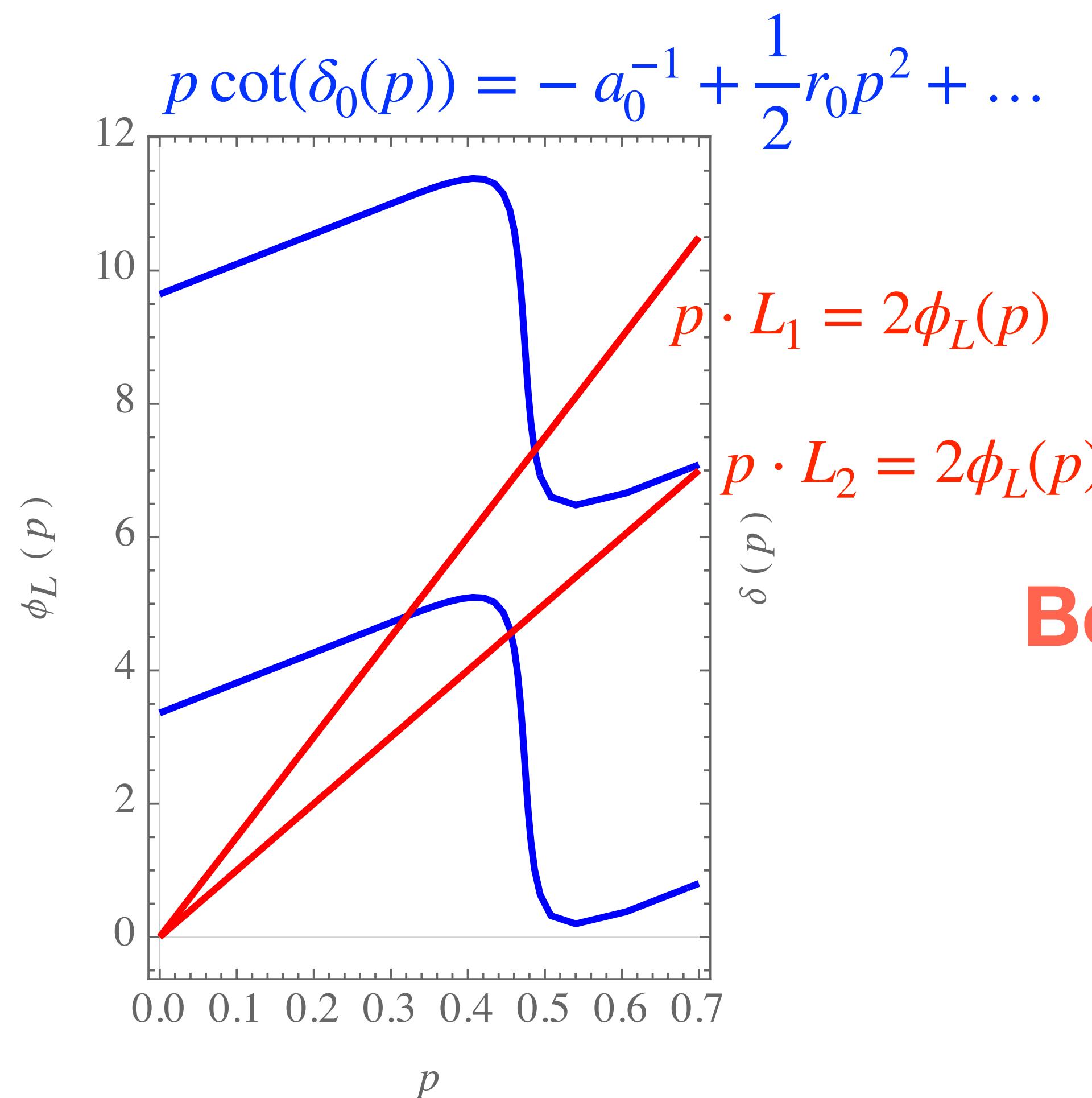


$$H =$$

$$\sum_{pq} K_{pq} a_p^\dagger a_q + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{pqrs} V_{pqrs} a_p^\dagger a_q^\dagger a_s a_r$$

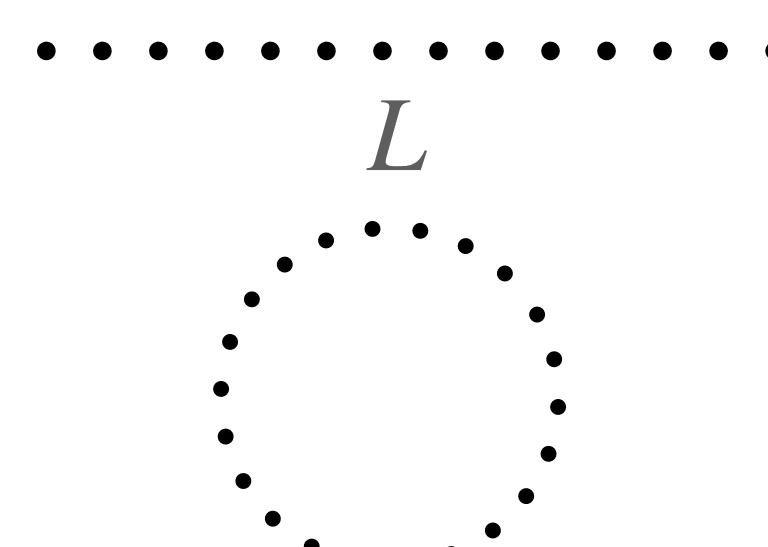


Analytical tools: Finite Volume effects

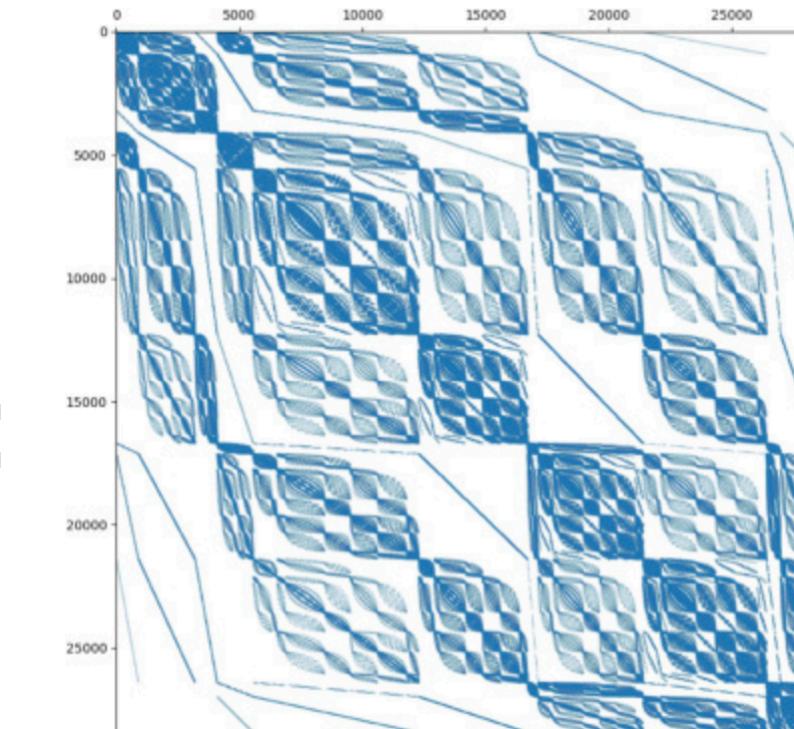


Boundary Condition!

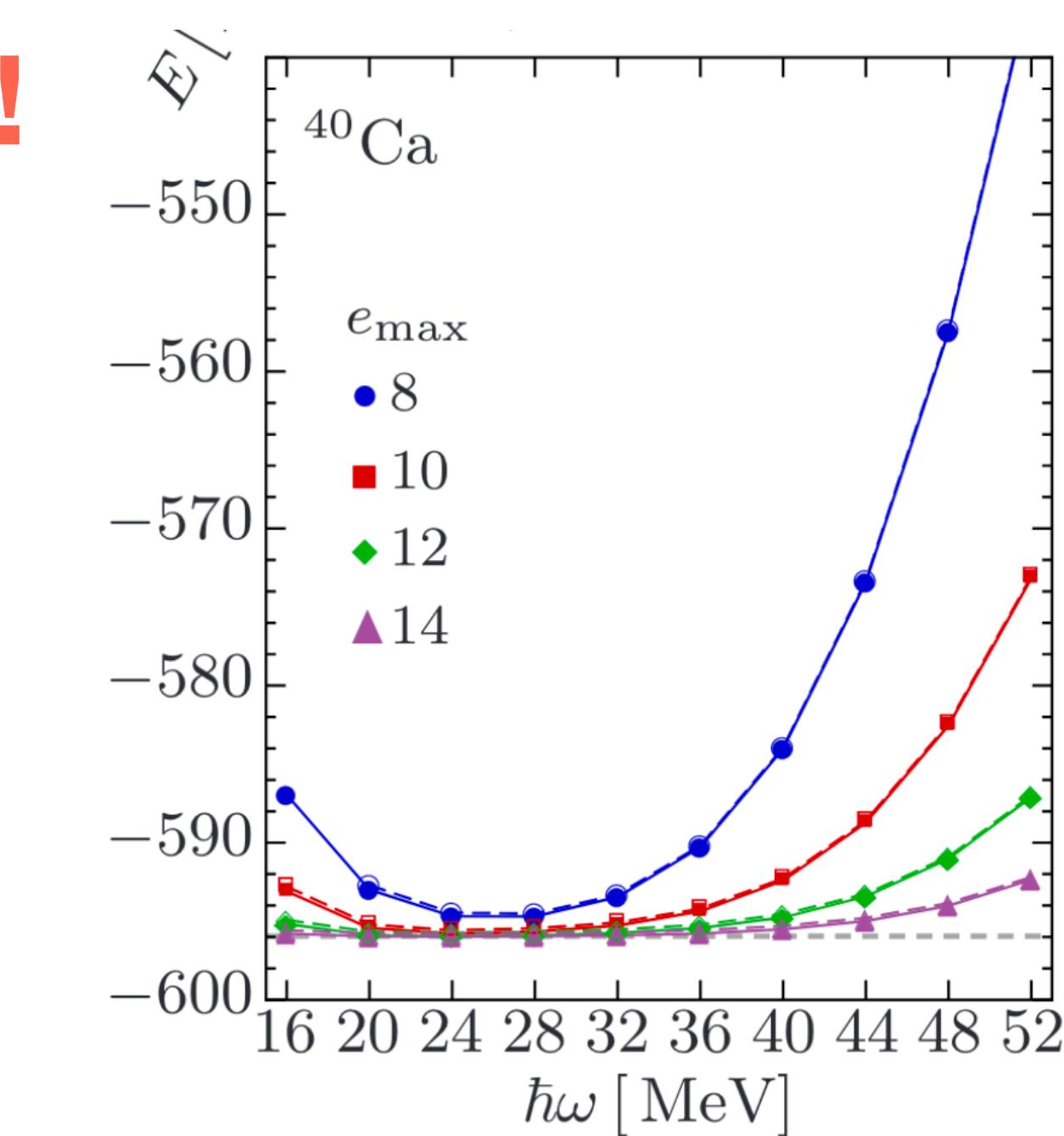
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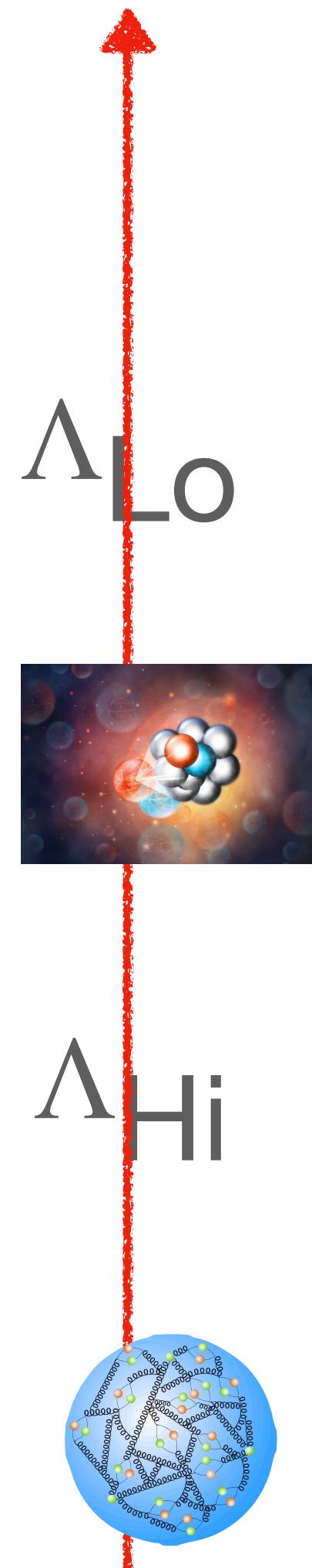
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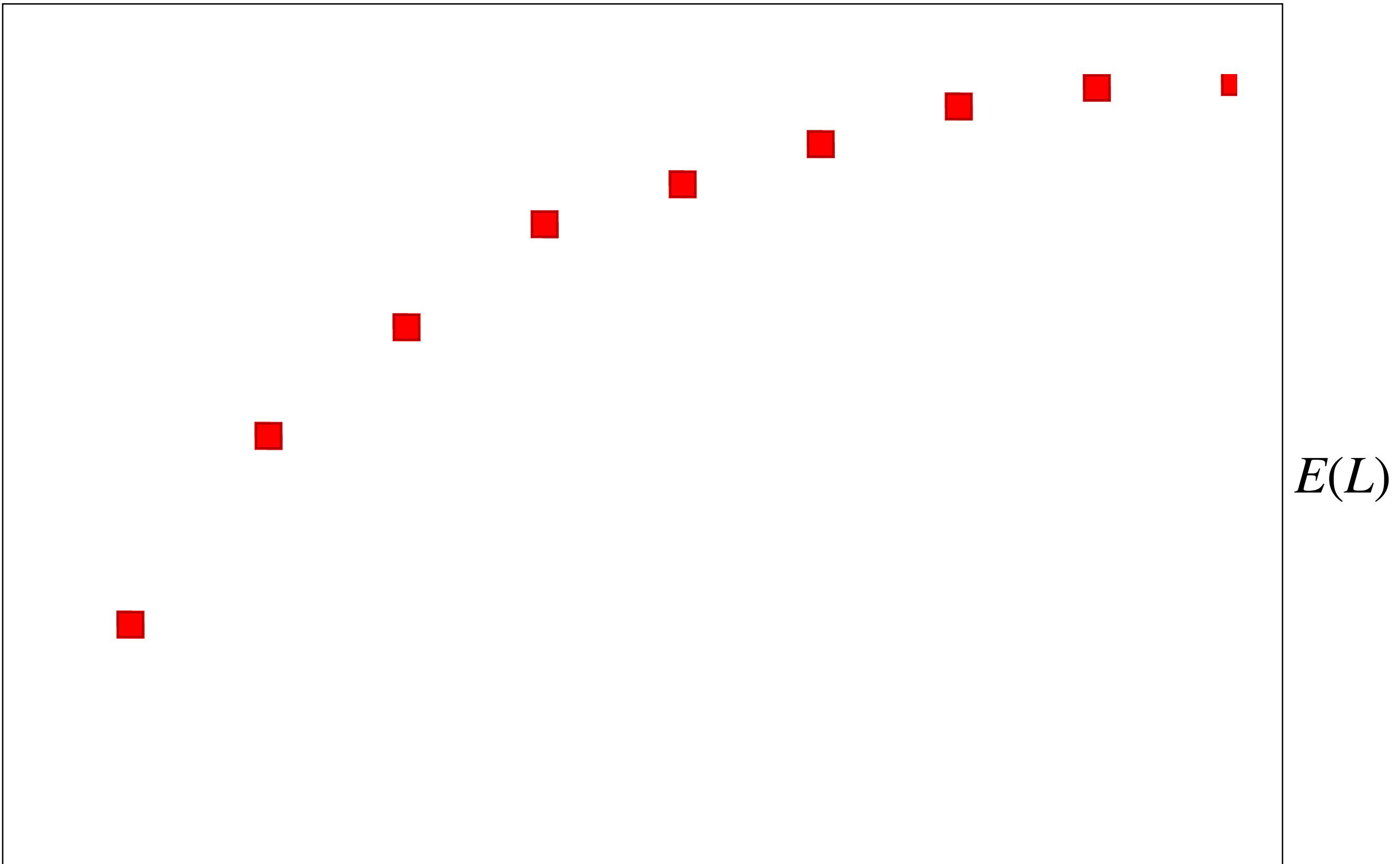
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$$\mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{i}\delta_0(p)}=S_0(p)\propto \frac{C_0^2}{ip-\kappa}-\frac{1}{a_0^*}+\frac{1}{2}r_0^*(ip-\kappa)^2+\ldots$$

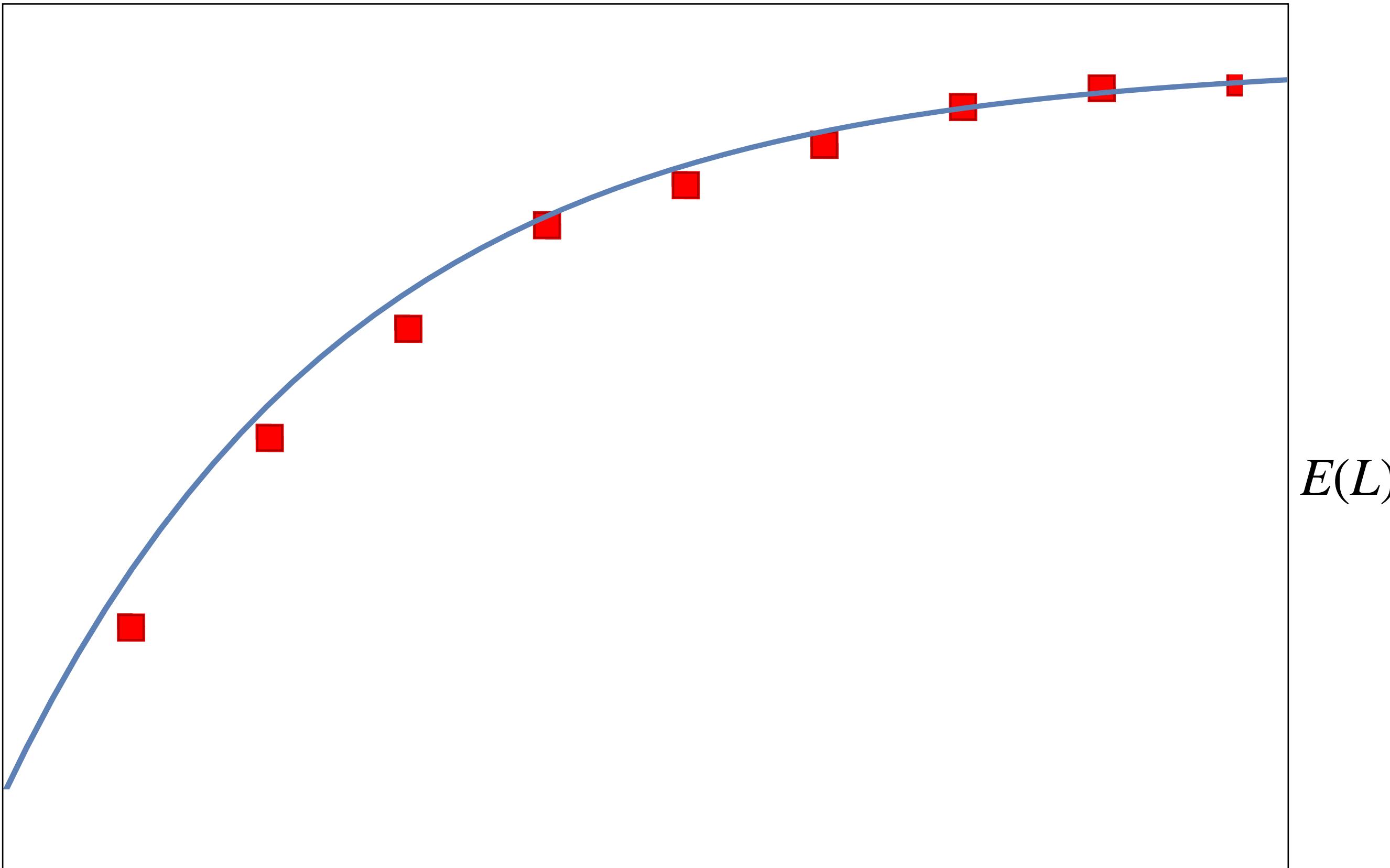
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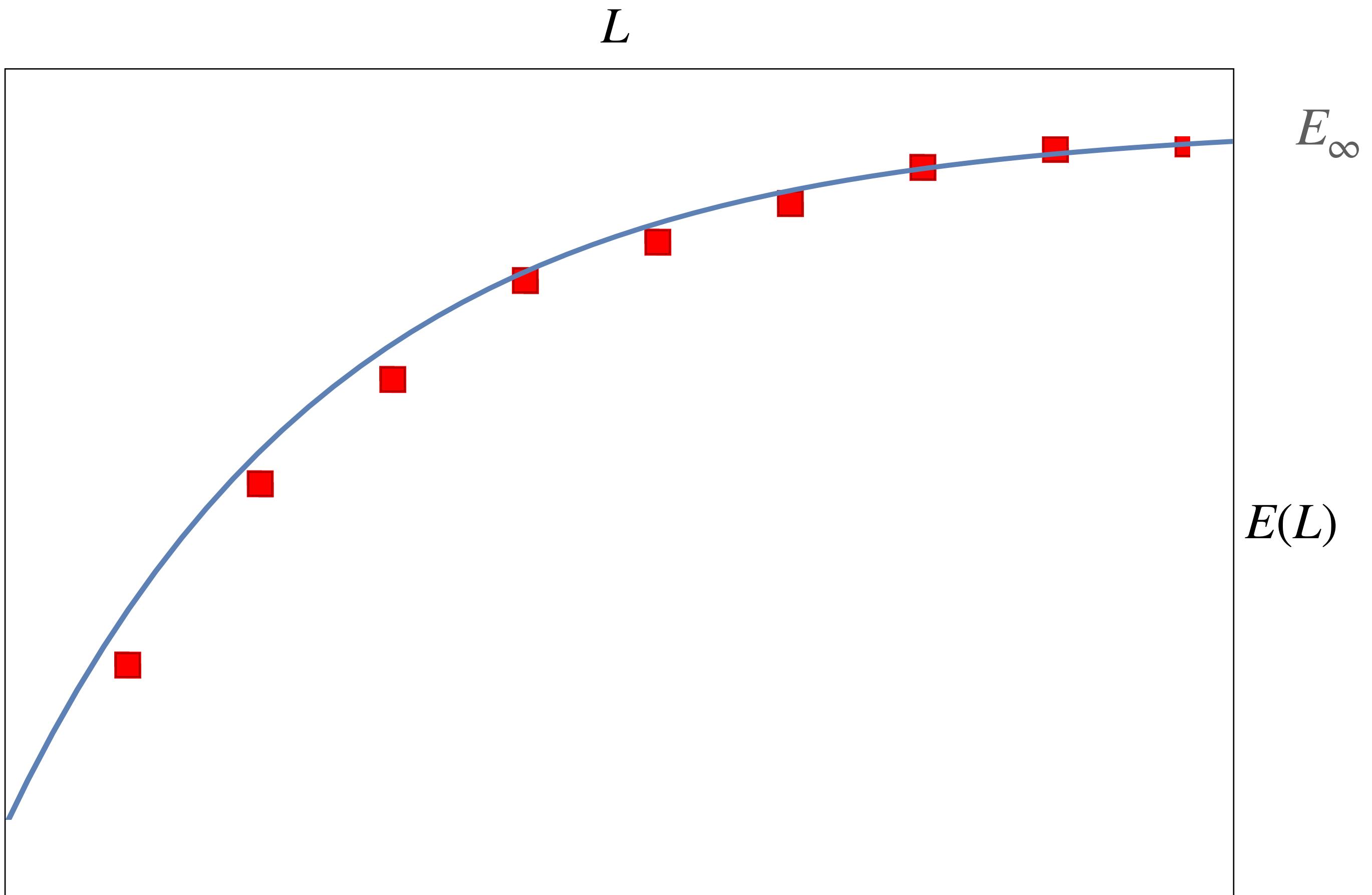


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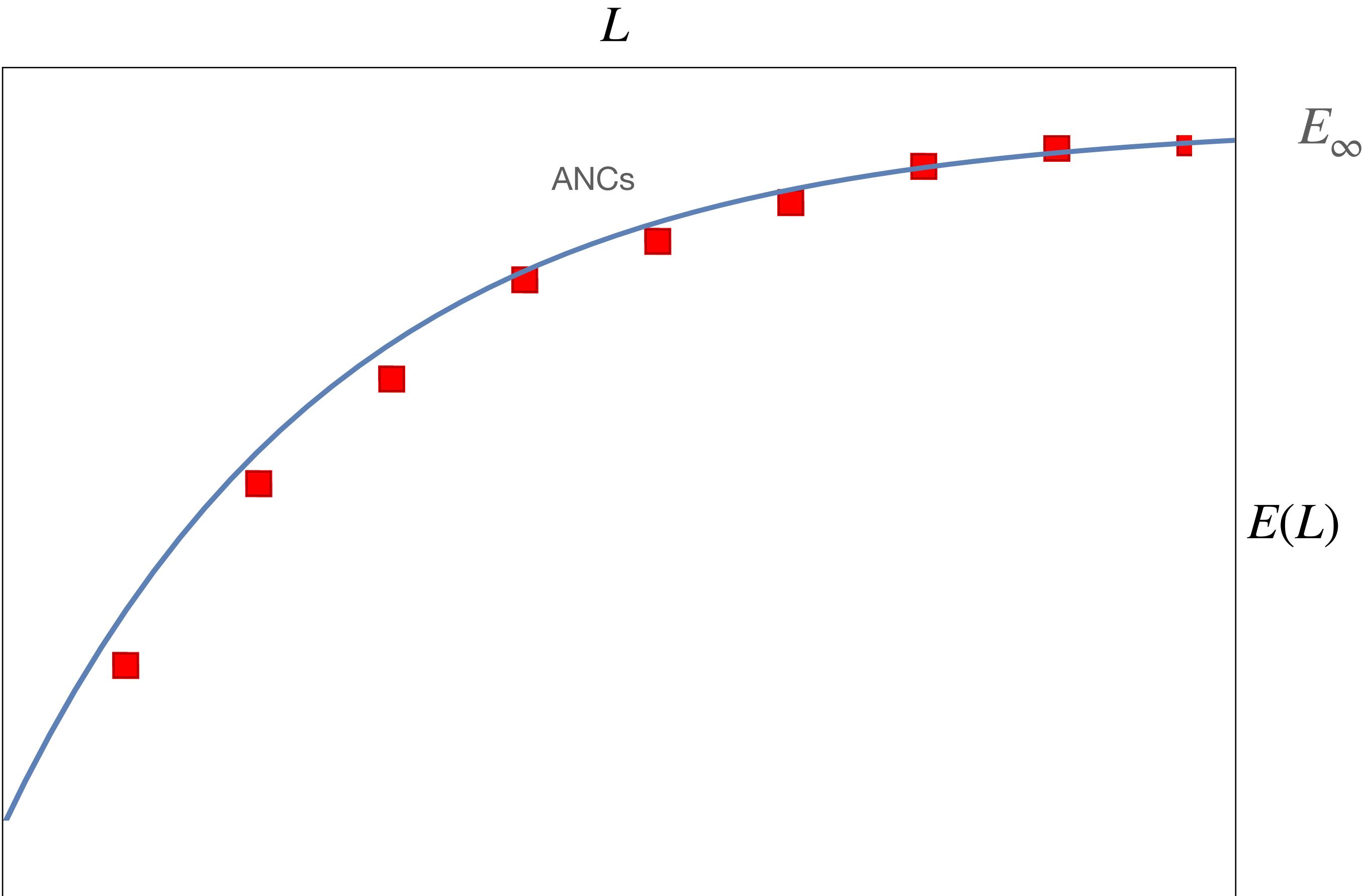
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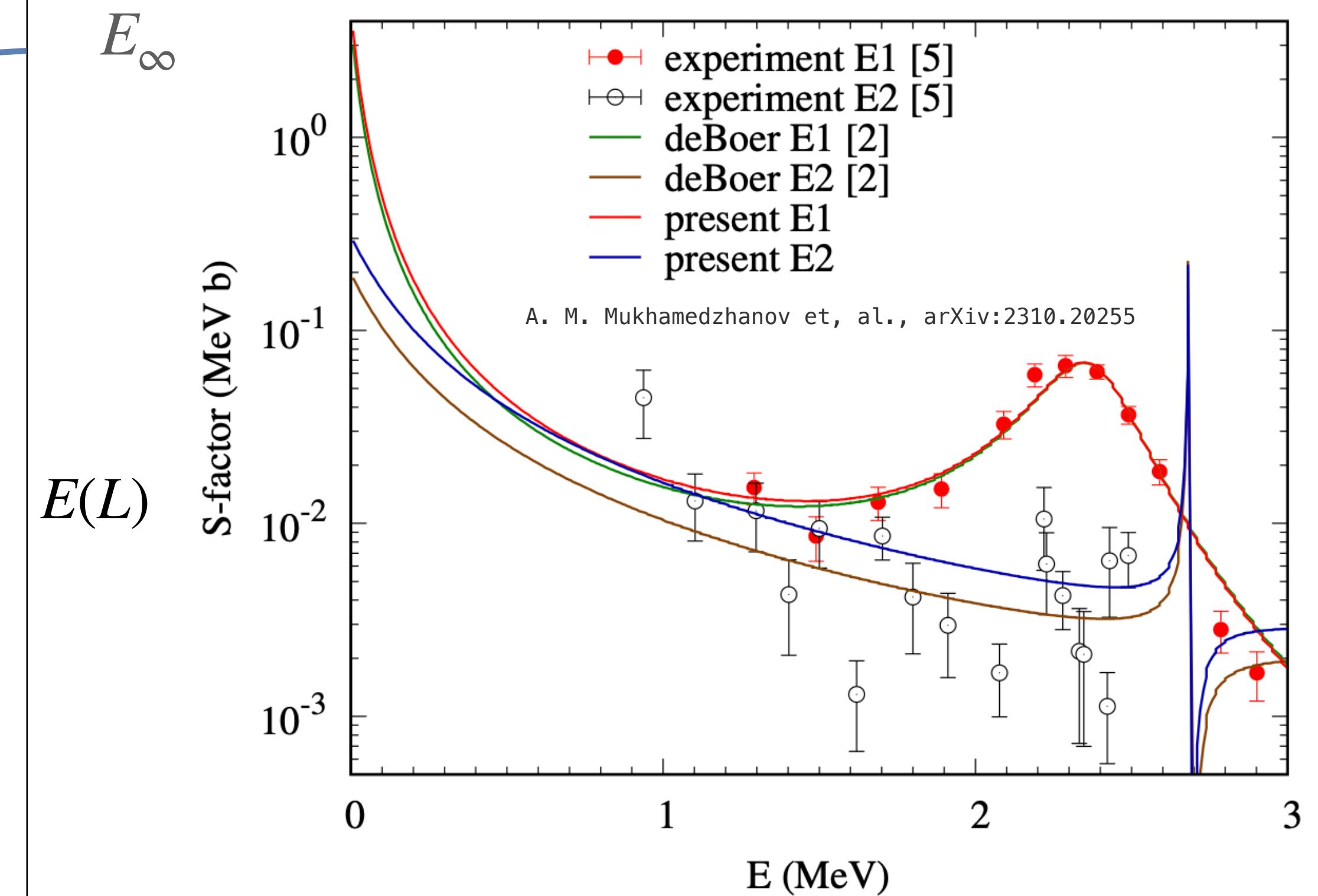
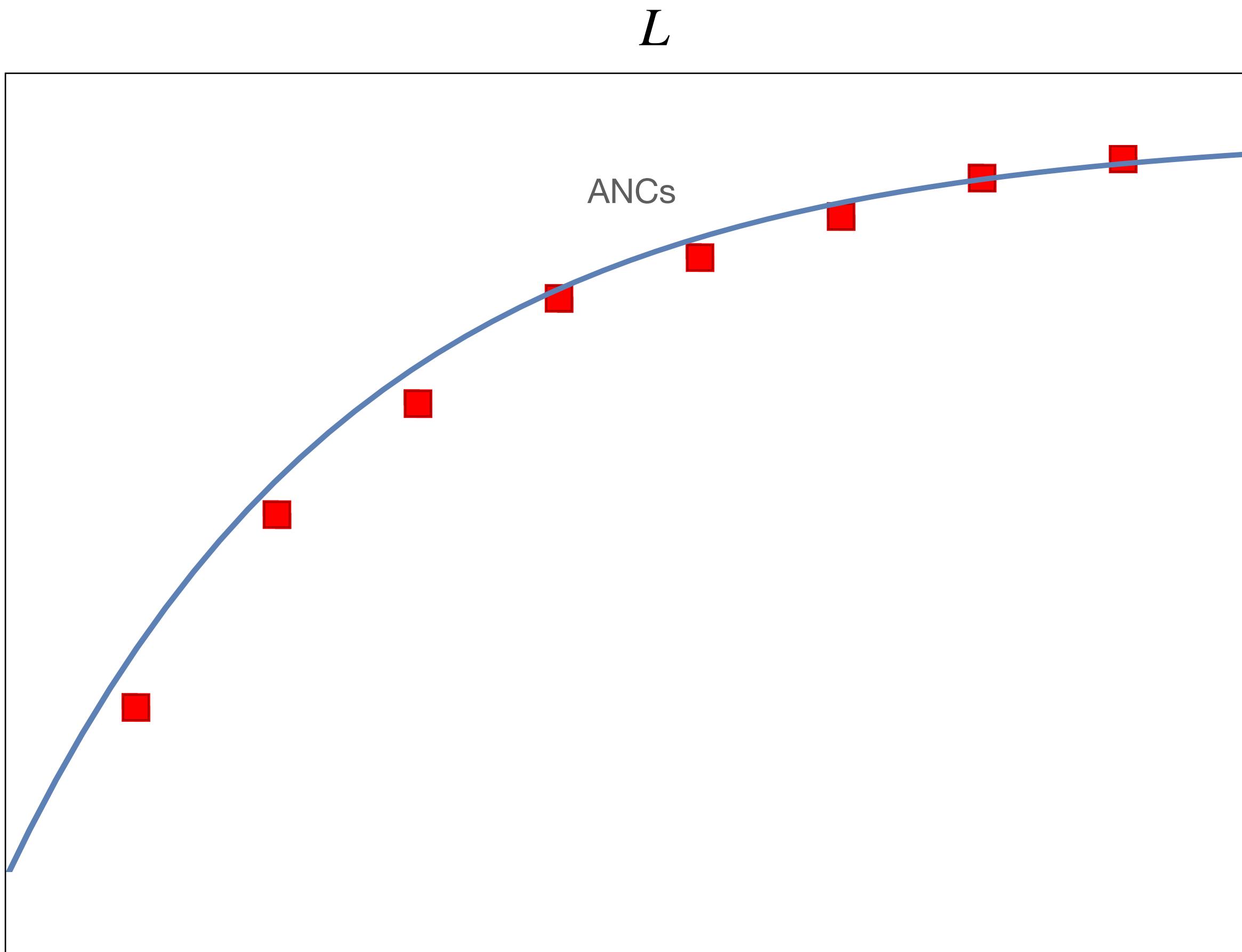
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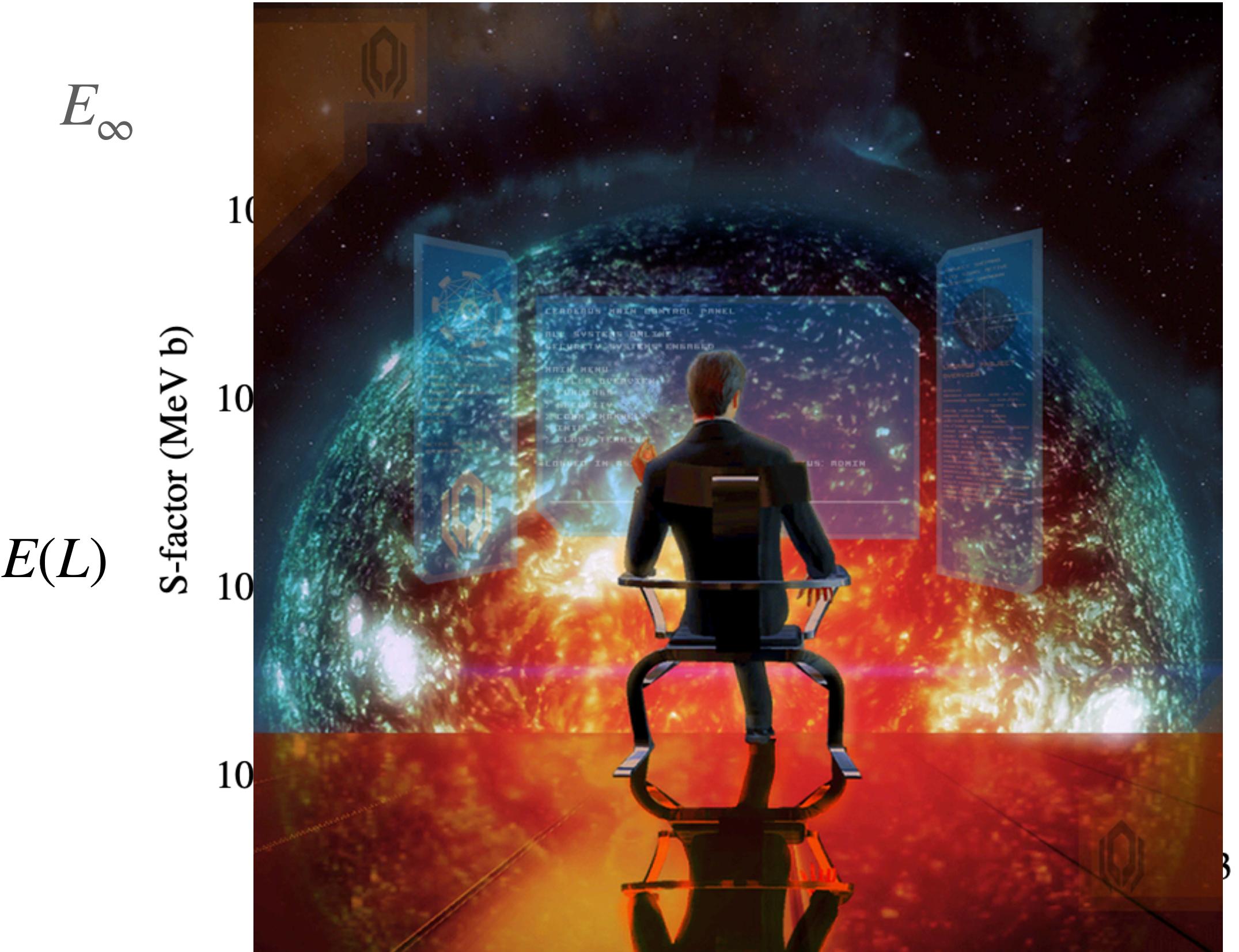
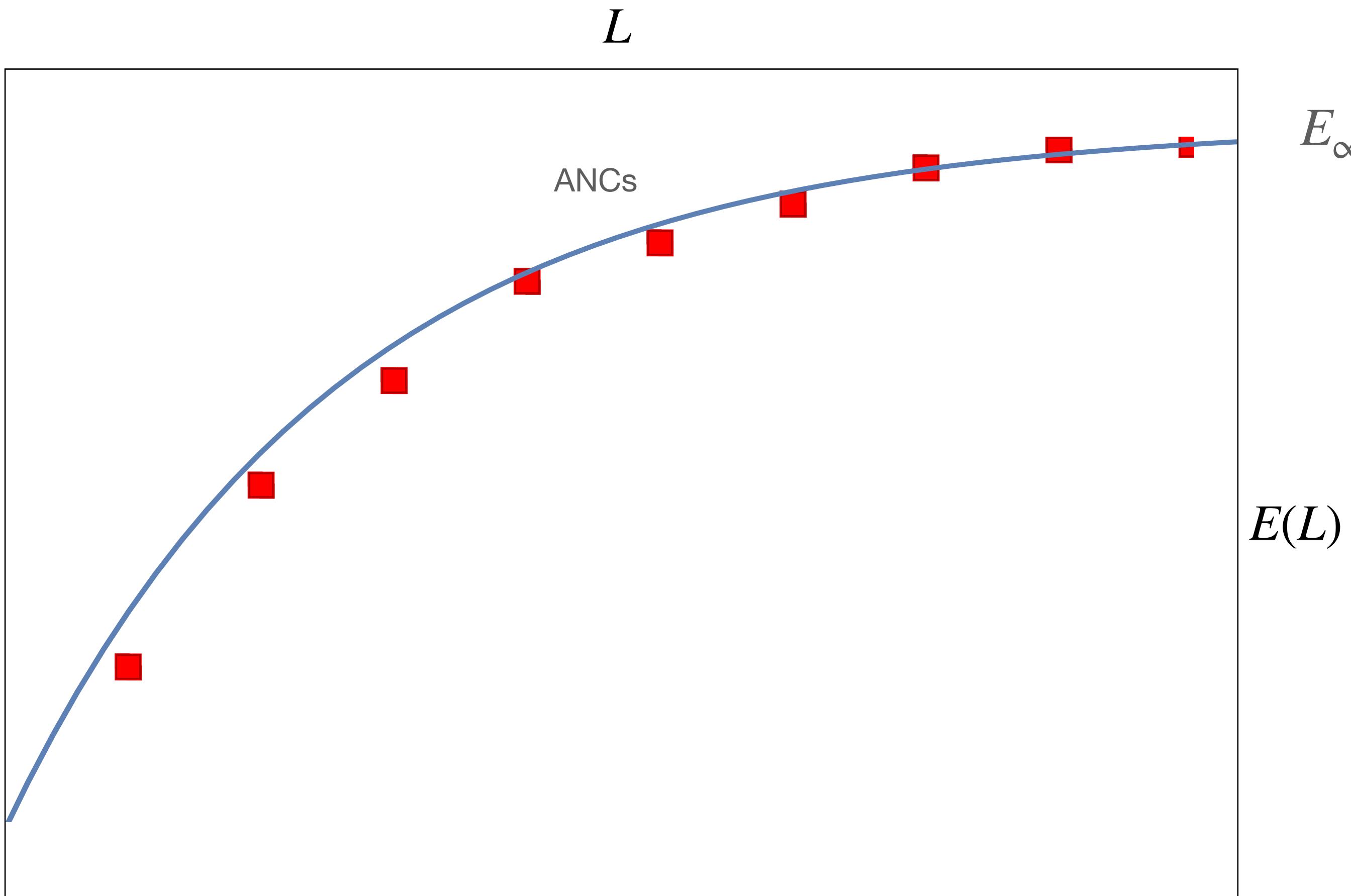
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Summary: Why Finite Volume?

- Consequence of lattice regularization

Discrete levels of spectra do not reproduce scattering info

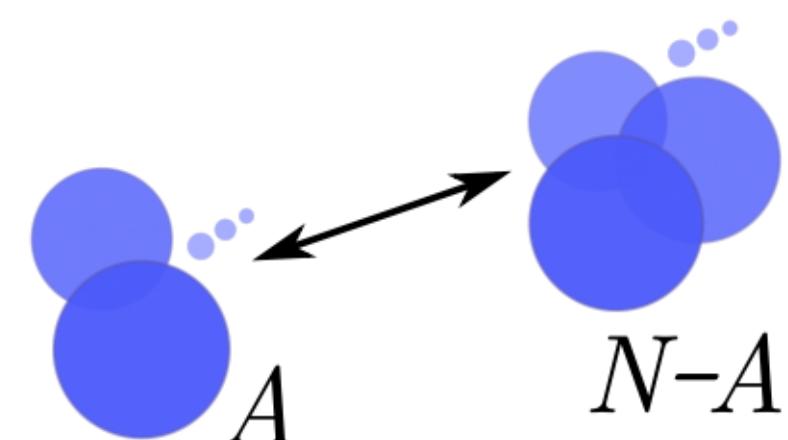
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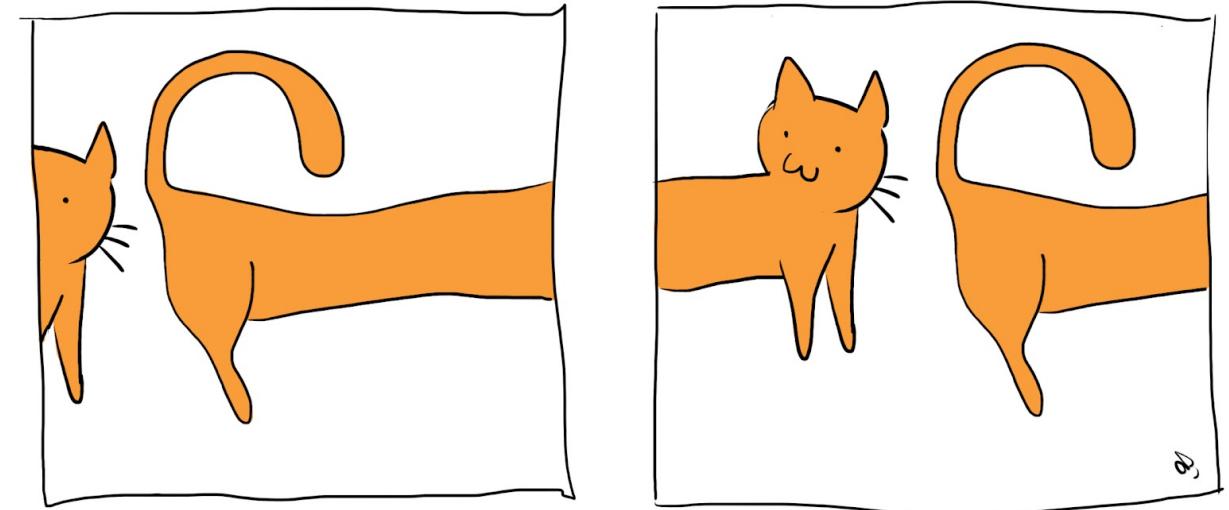
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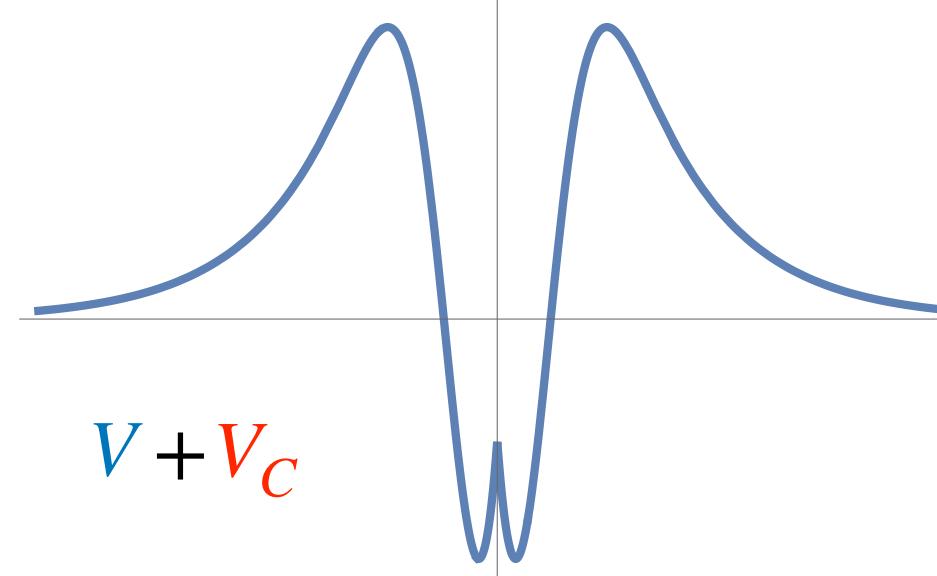


Assumption: Interactions are Short-Ranged

Our setup

HY, S. König, D. Lee, PRL, 131, 212 502 (2023)

We are considering a non-relativistic system **short-range interactions** + **repulsive Coulomb interactions**



$$H = -\frac{1}{2\mu} \nabla^2 + V + V_C$$

$$V_L(x) = \sum_n V(x + nL)$$

$$H_L = -\frac{1}{2\mu} \nabla^2 + V_L + V_{C,\{L\}}$$

With COM frame coordinates:

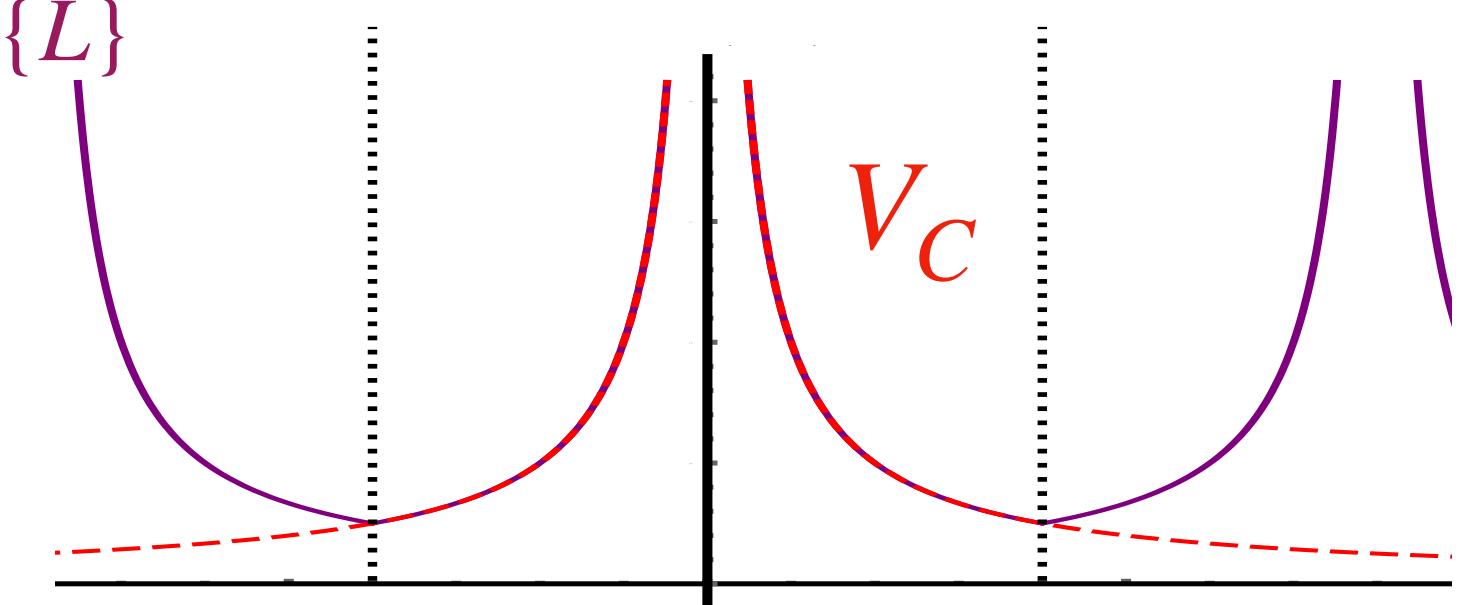
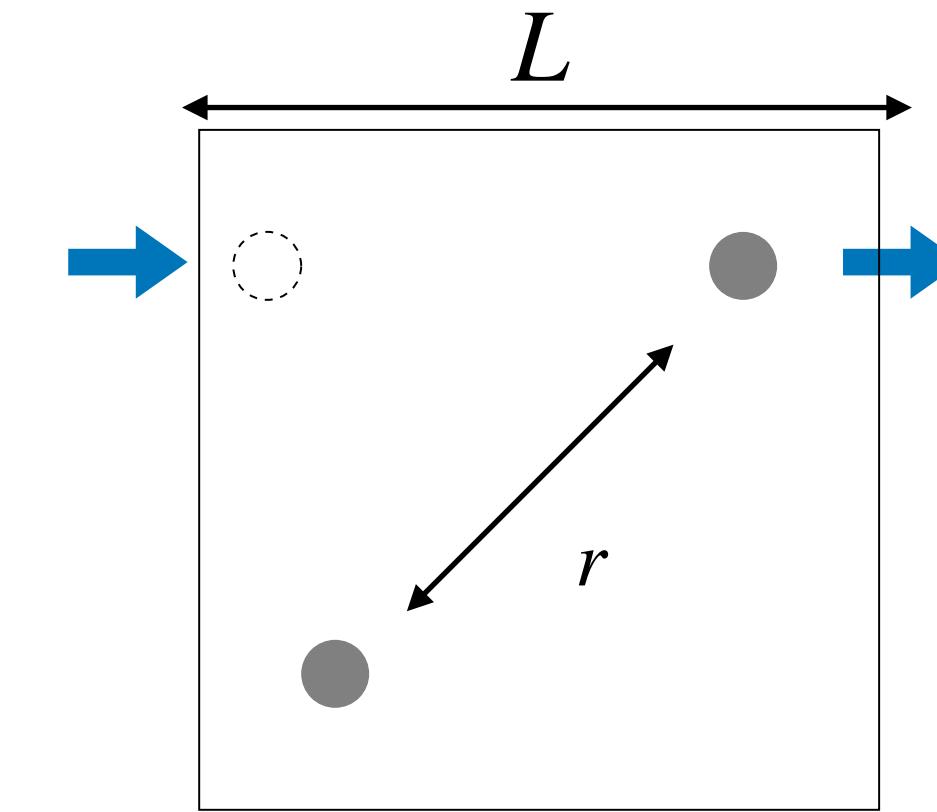
$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2$$

$$V_C(r) = \frac{\gamma}{2\mu r}, \quad \gamma = 2\mu\alpha Z_1 Z_2 > 0$$

$$\psi_\infty(r) \rightarrow \frac{C_0}{\sqrt{4\pi r}} W_{-\bar{\eta}, 1/2}(2\kappa r)$$

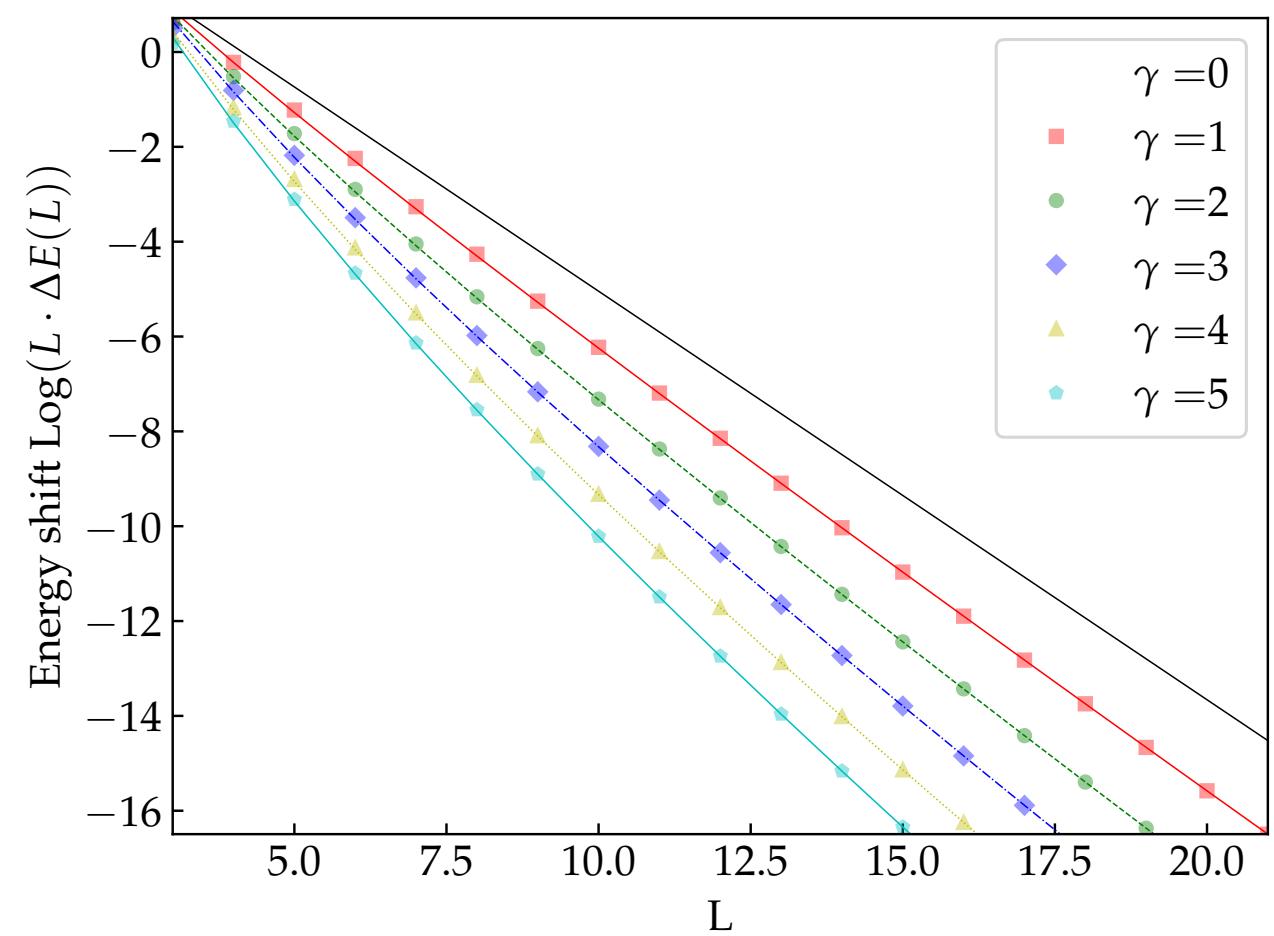
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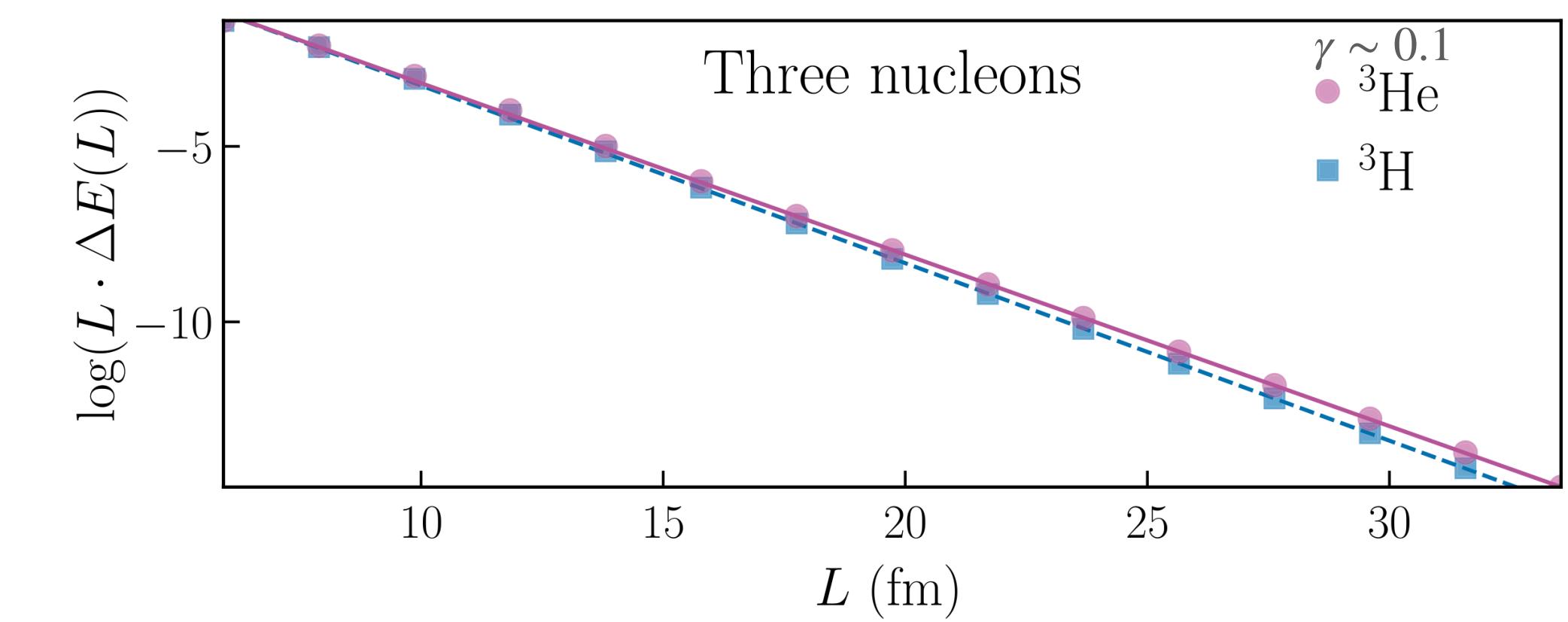


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Main result



γ	Finite-volume fit			Continuum result	
	κ_∞	C_0	L range	κ_∞	C_0
1.0	0.8610(3)	5.039(2)	17–28	0.861	5.049
2.0	0.8607(3)	11.71(4)	15–26	0.860	11.79
3.0	0.8605(7)	29.95(20)	14–24	0.859	30.31
4.0	0.8604(1)	83.14(10)	14–22	0.858	84.76
5.0	0.8604(2)	247.9(5)	14–18	0.857	255.4



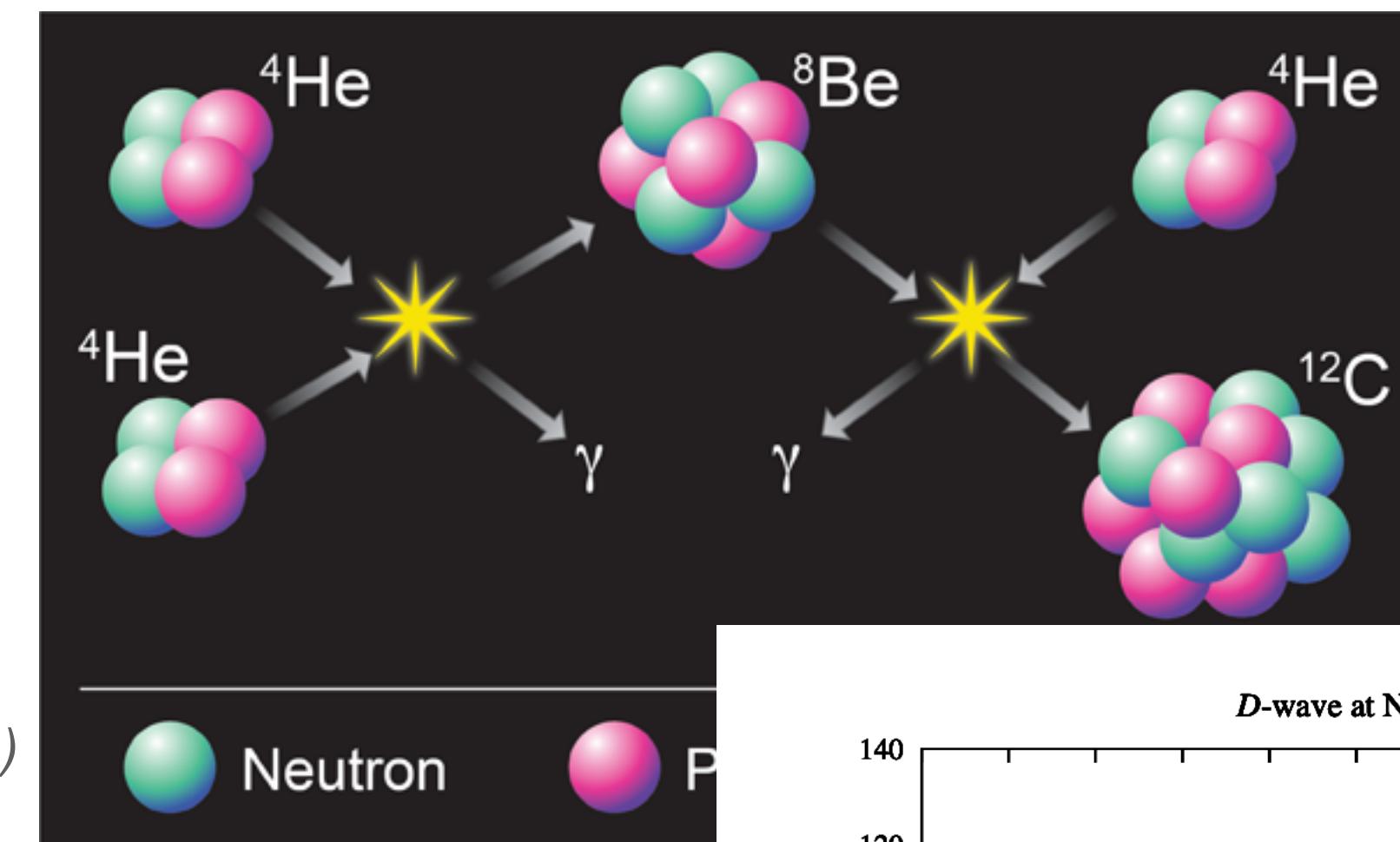
$$\Delta E(L) = -\frac{3C_0^2}{\mu L} \left[W_{-\bar{\eta}, \frac{1}{2}}(\kappa L) \right]^2 + \Delta \tilde{E}(L) + \Delta \tilde{E}'(L) + \mathcal{O}(e^{-\sqrt{2}\kappa L})$$

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Milestones of NLEFT

- First ab initio Calculation of ^{12}C Holye state

E. Epelbaum, et. al. PRL 106 192501 (2011)



- First ab initio alpha - alpha scattering

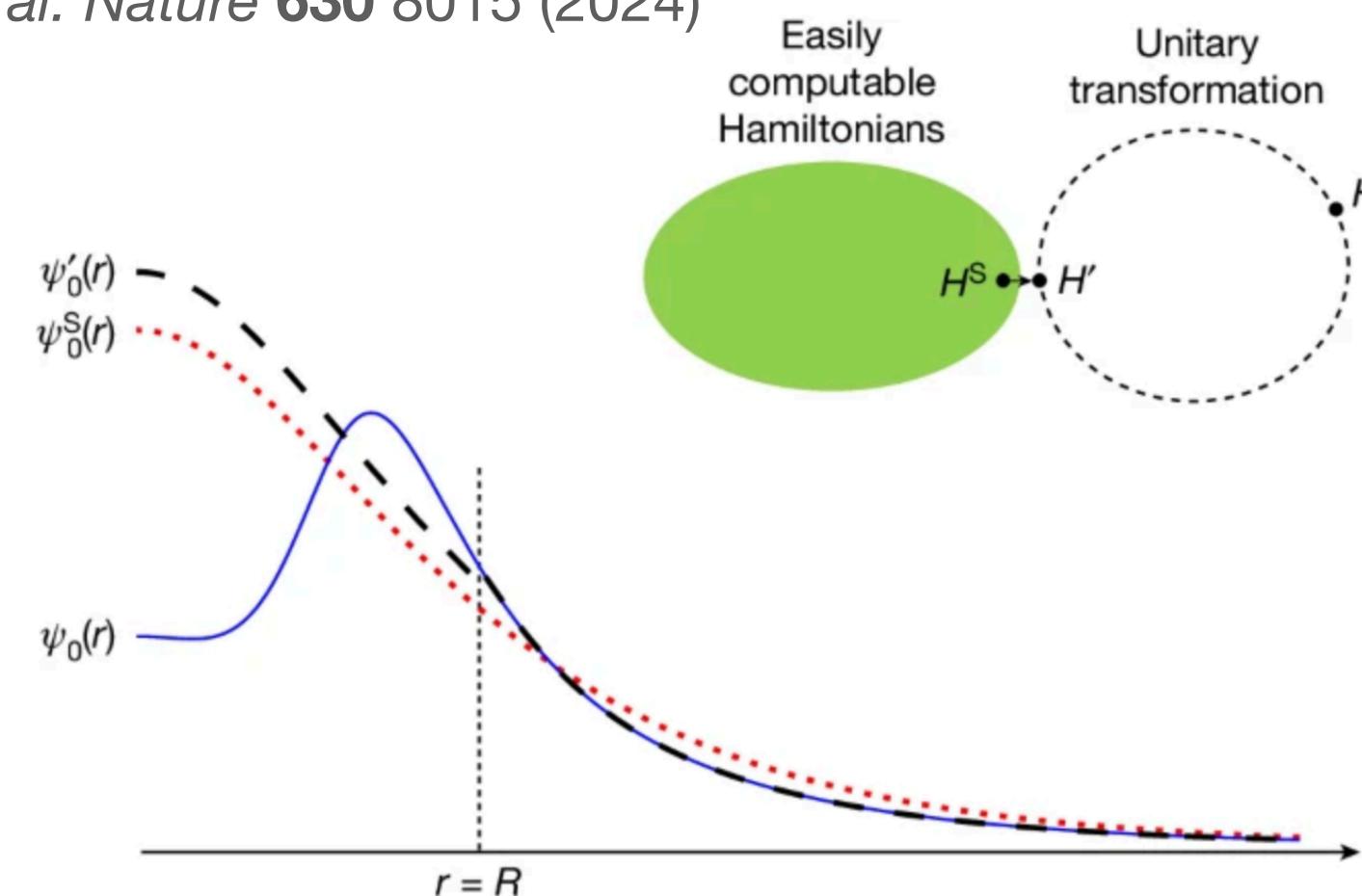
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- Accessing correlated densities

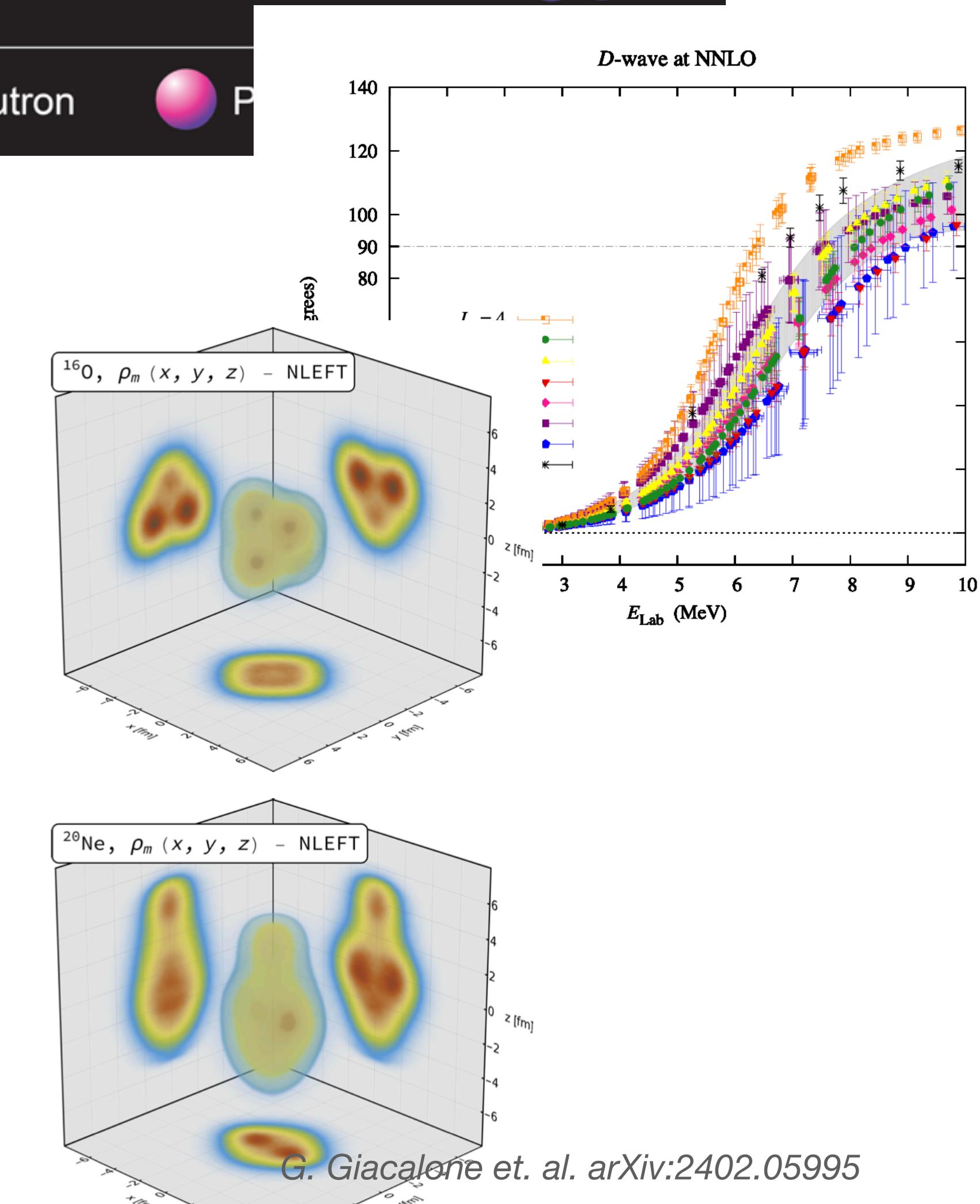
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- Now: Free from sign problem
(Wave function matching + SU(4) invariant interaction)

S. Elhatisari, et. al. Nature 630 8015 (2024)



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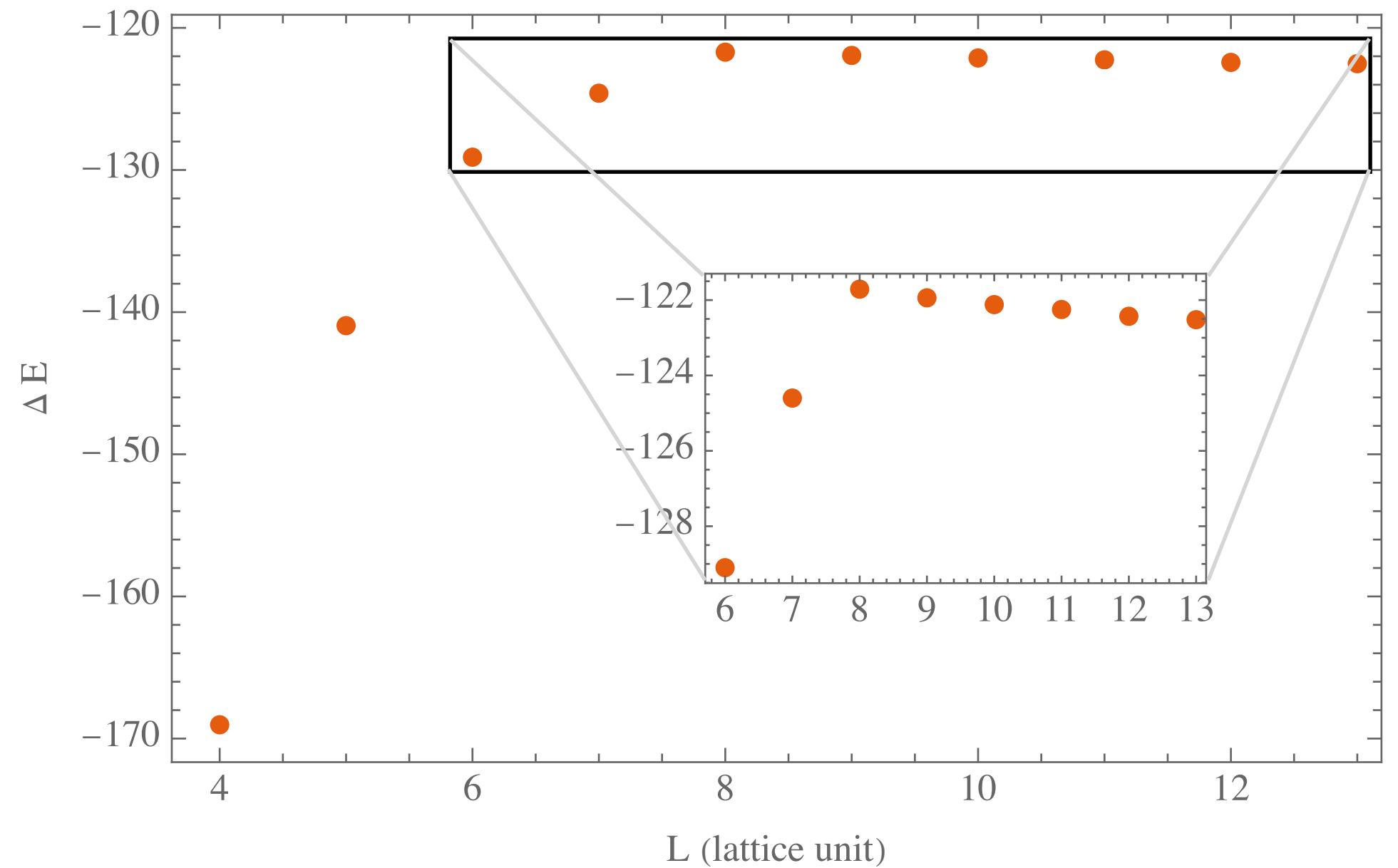


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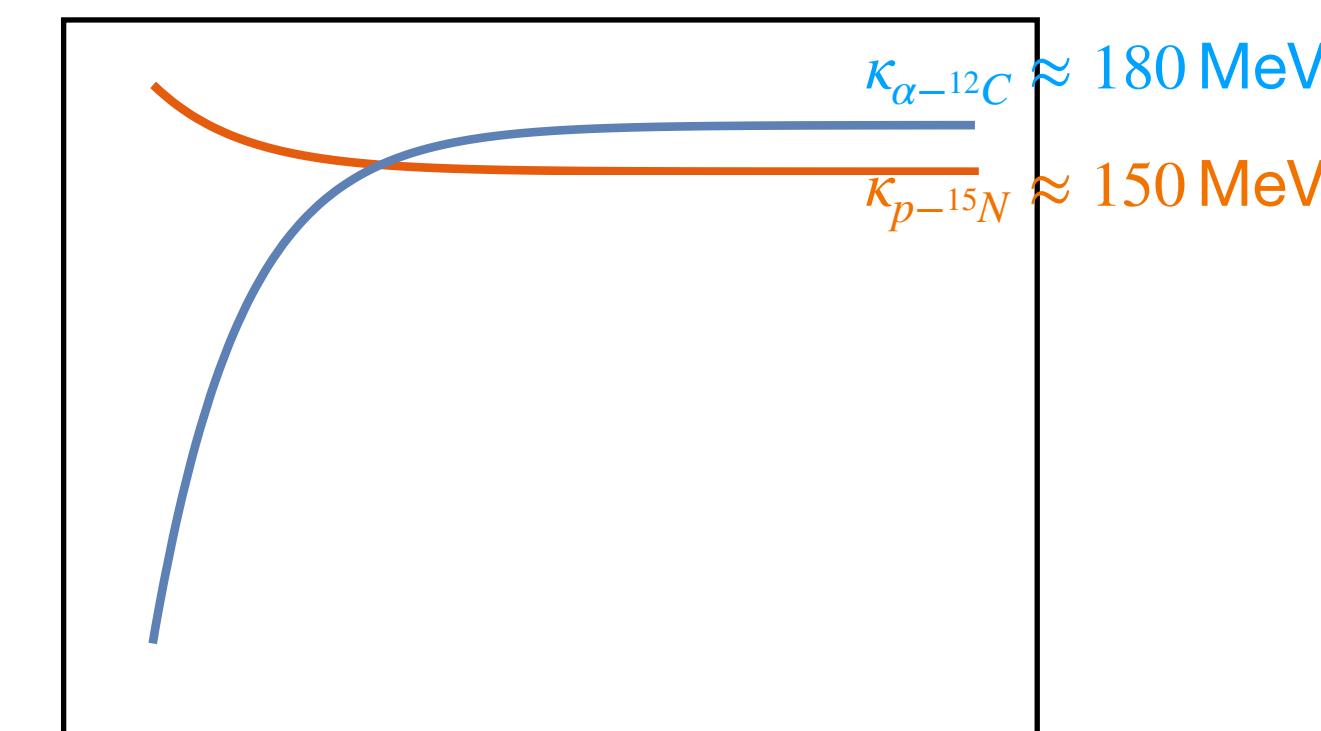
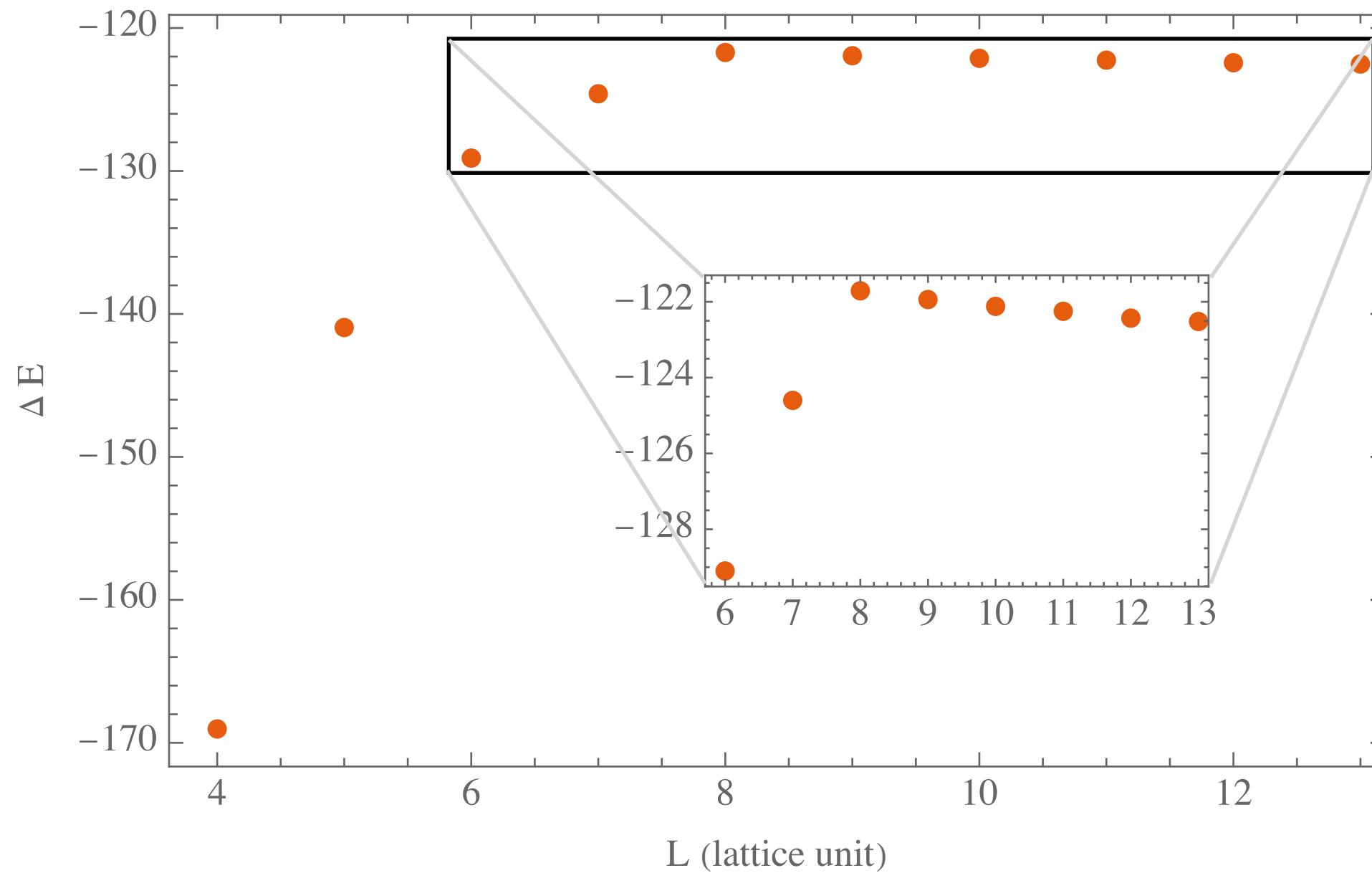
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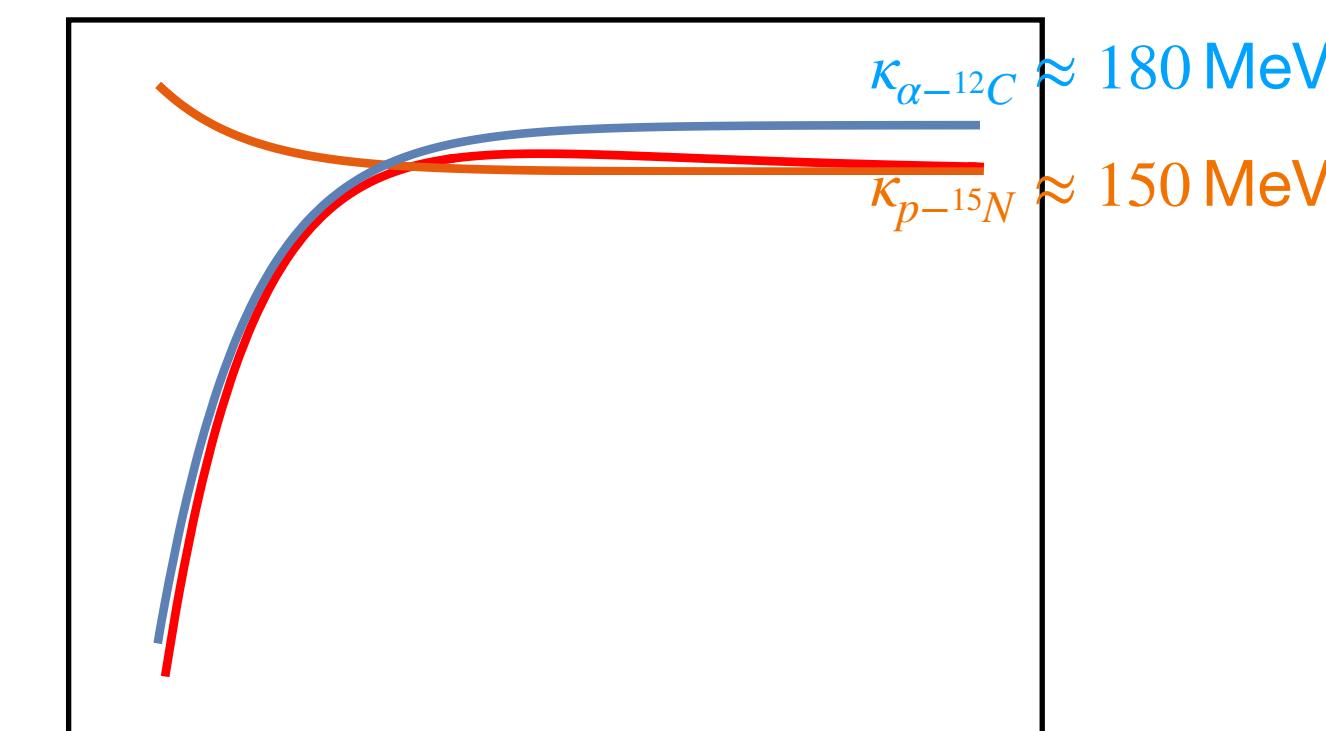
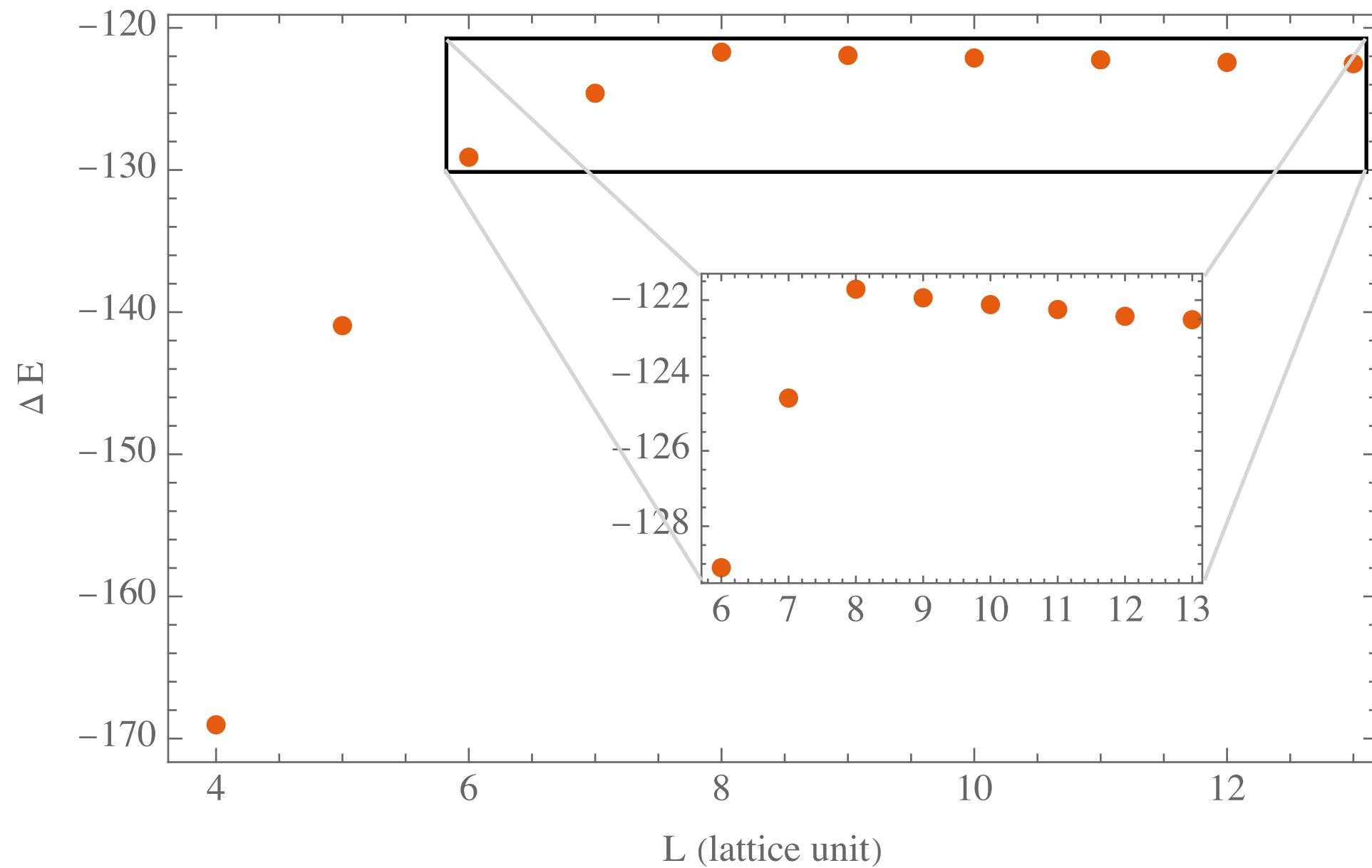
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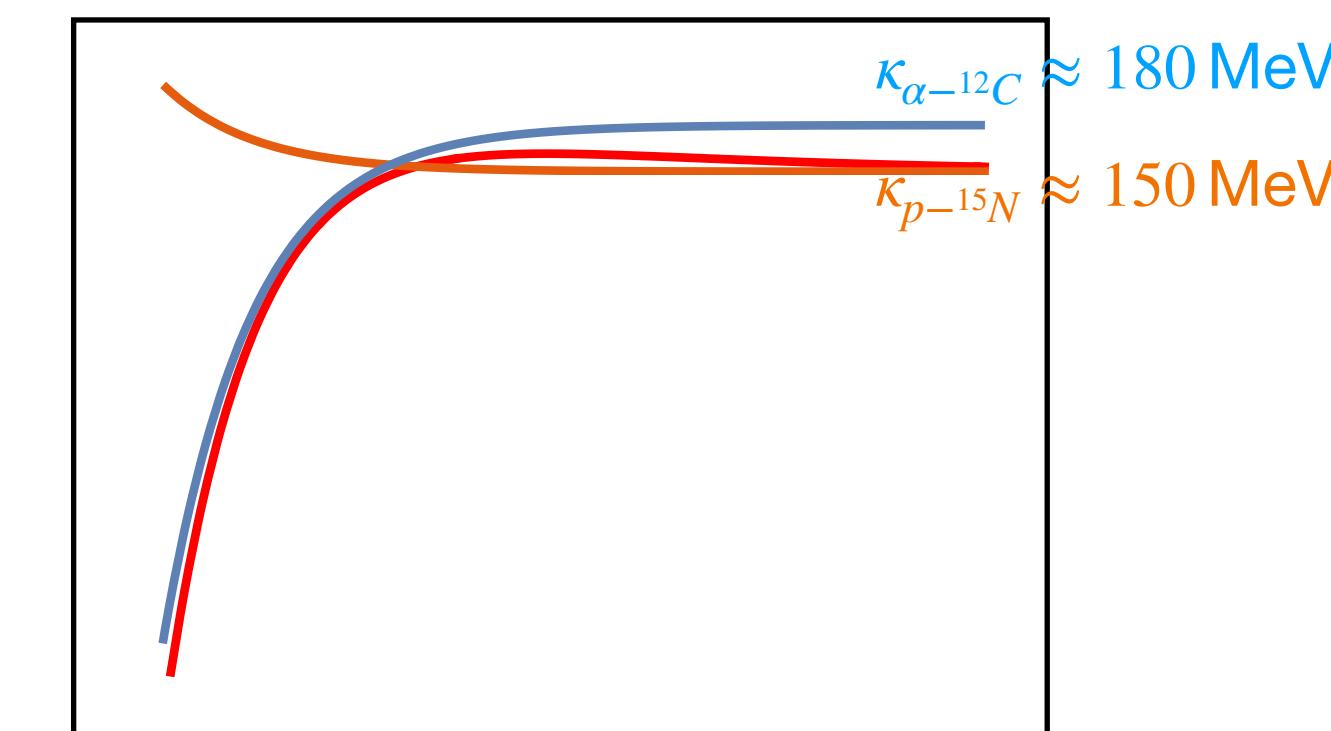
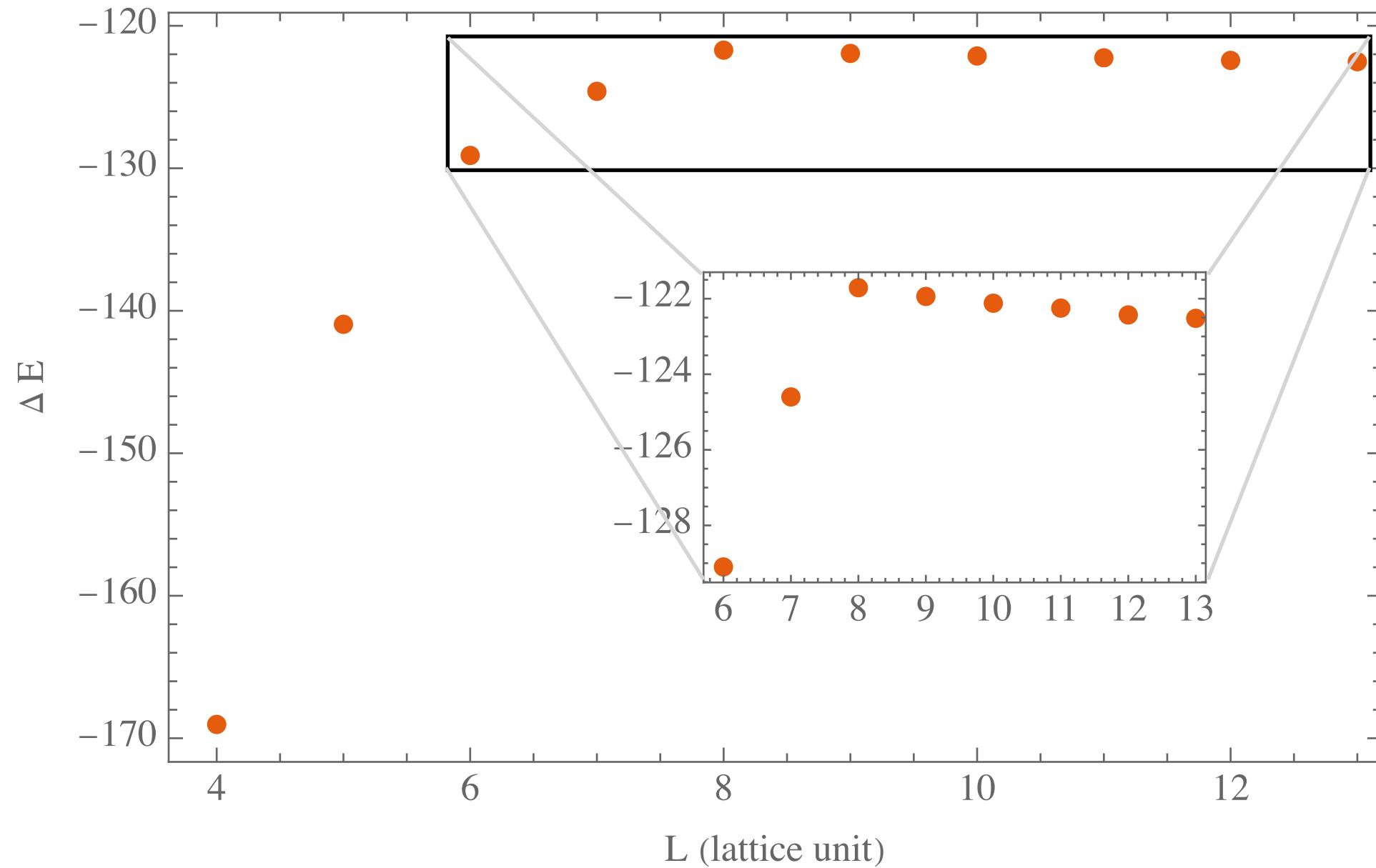
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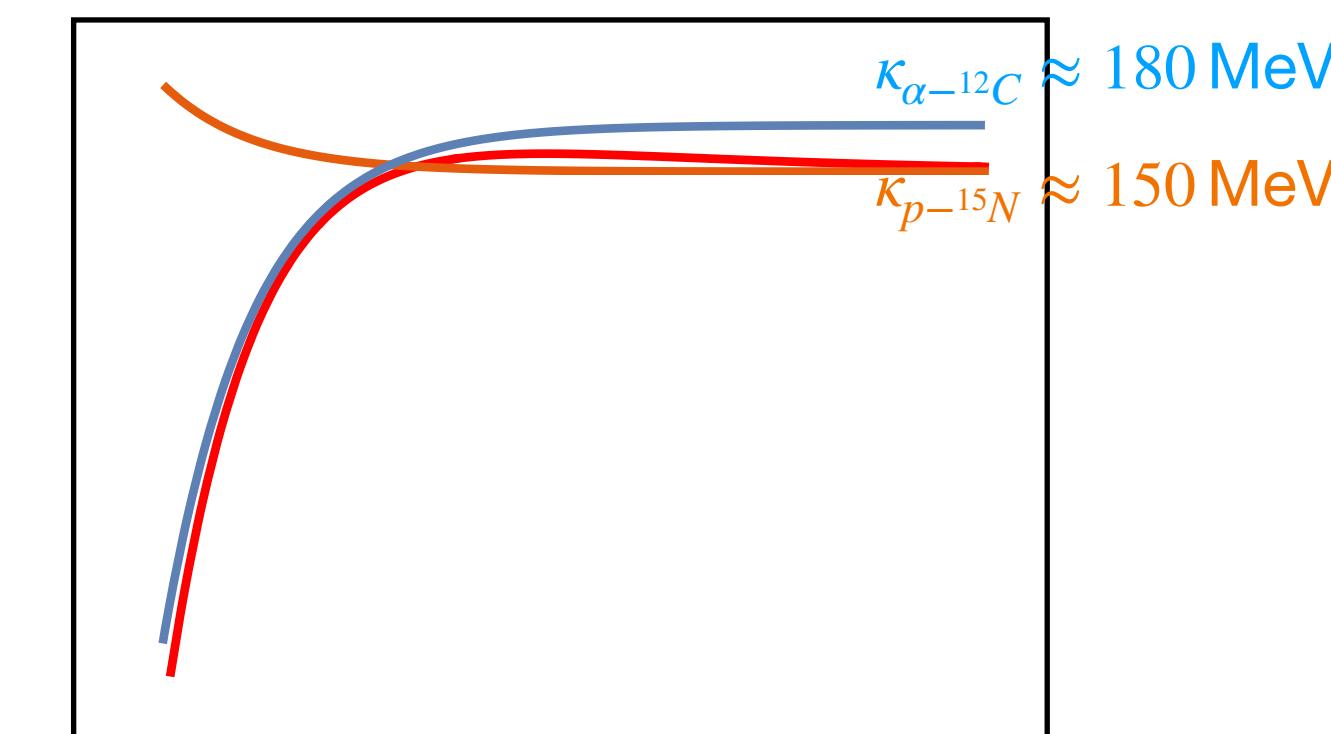
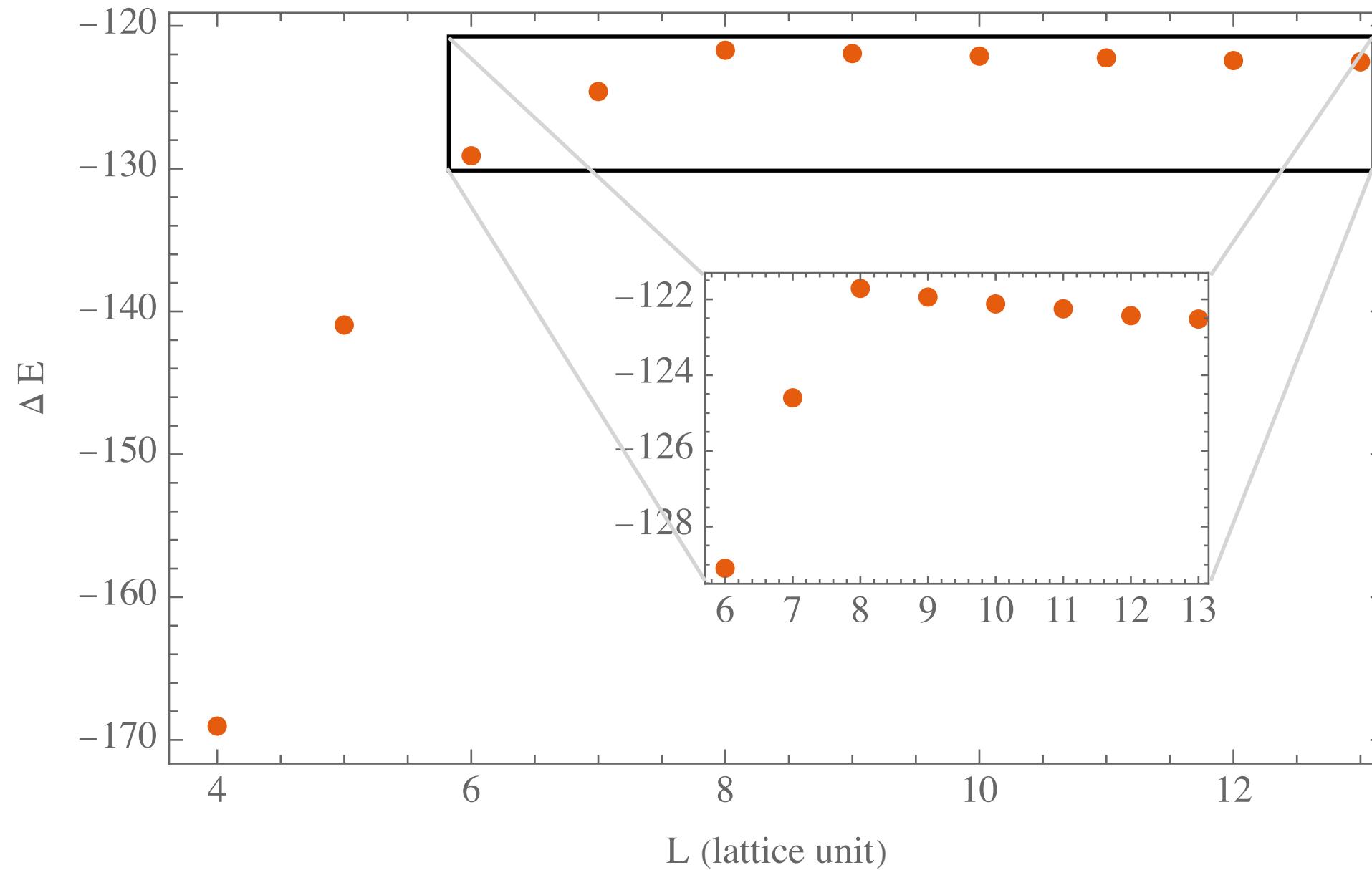
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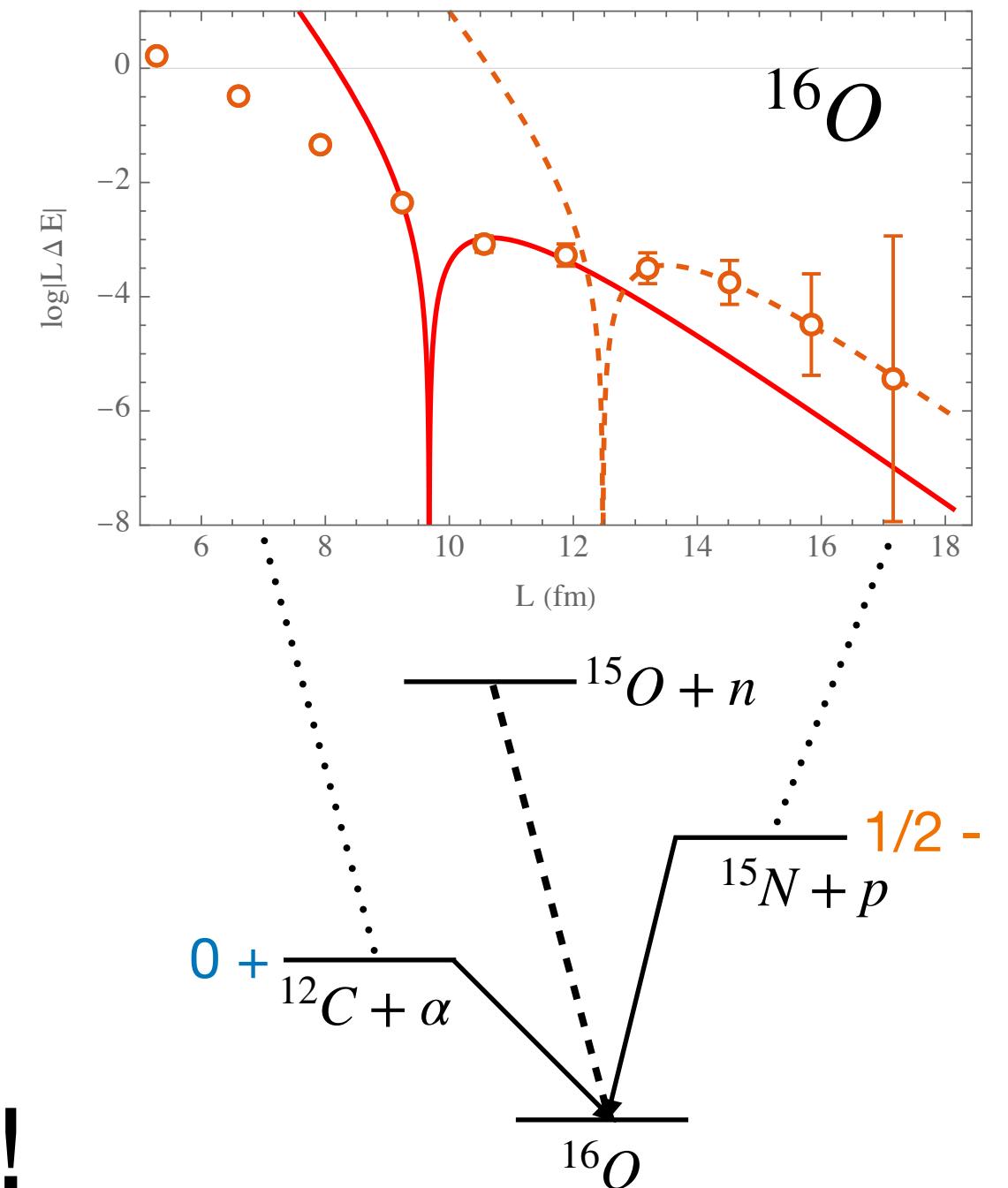
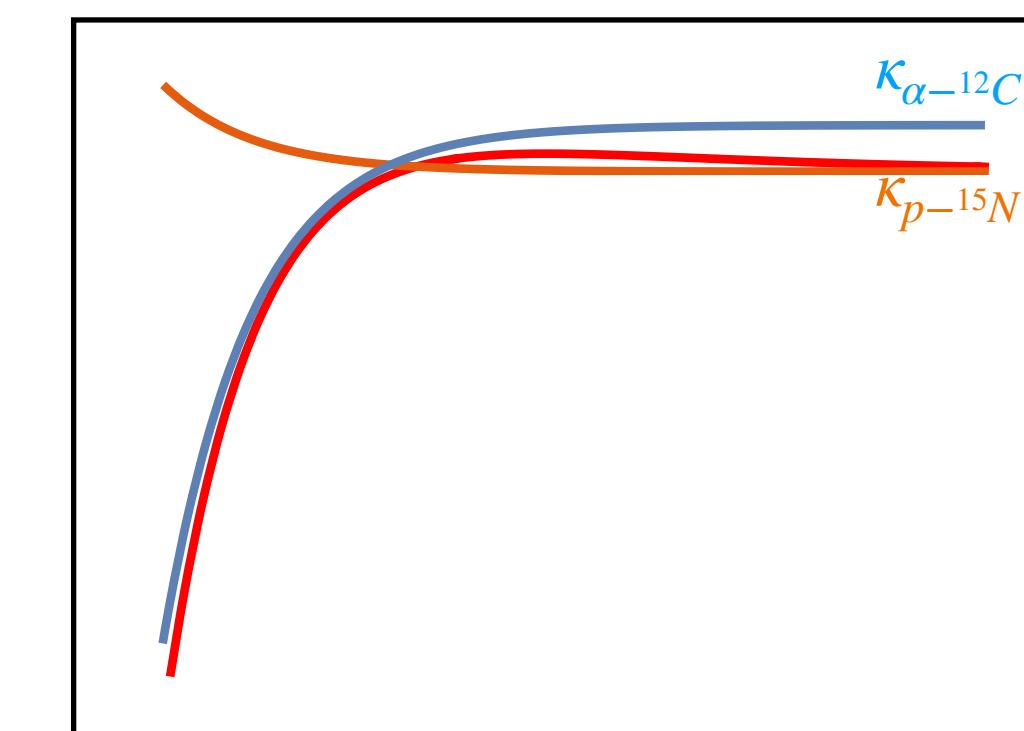
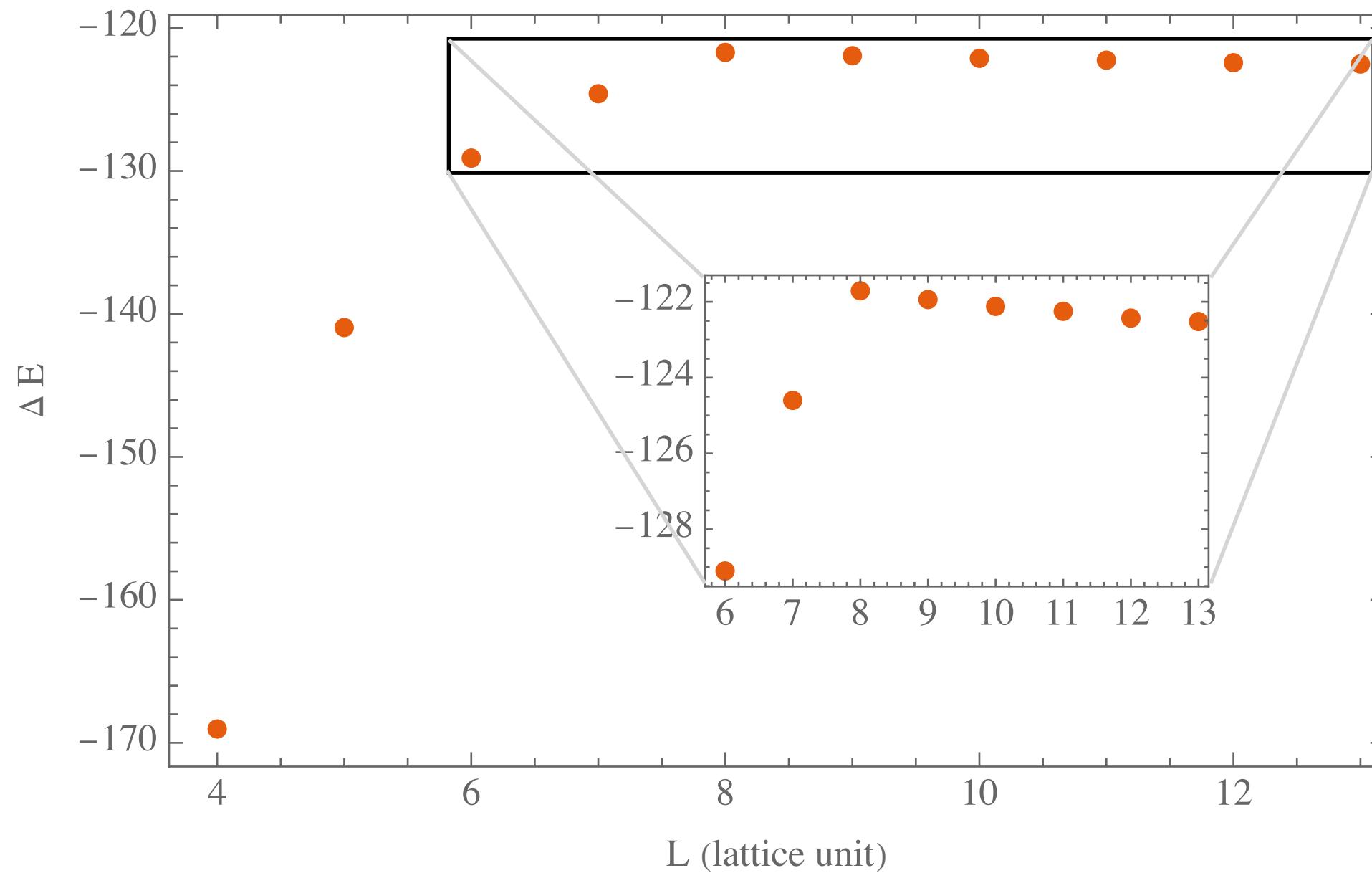


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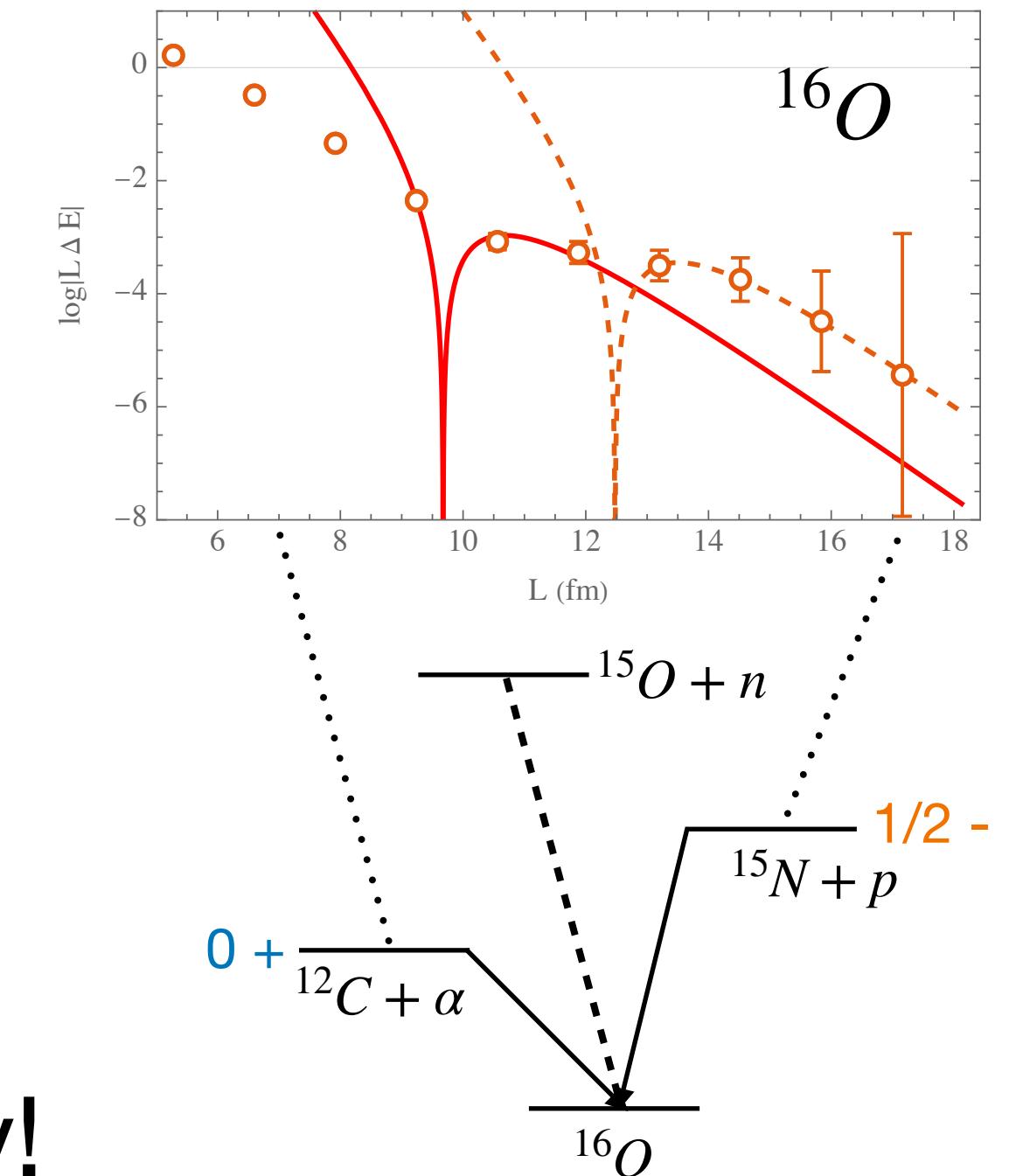
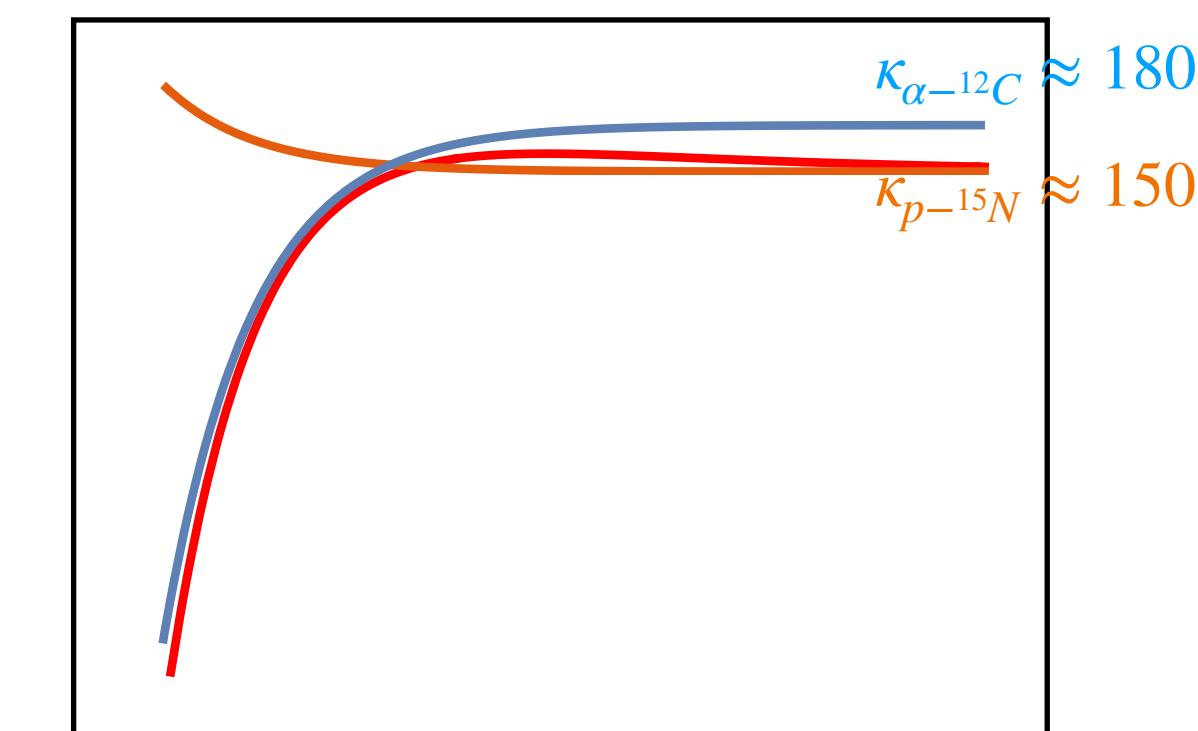
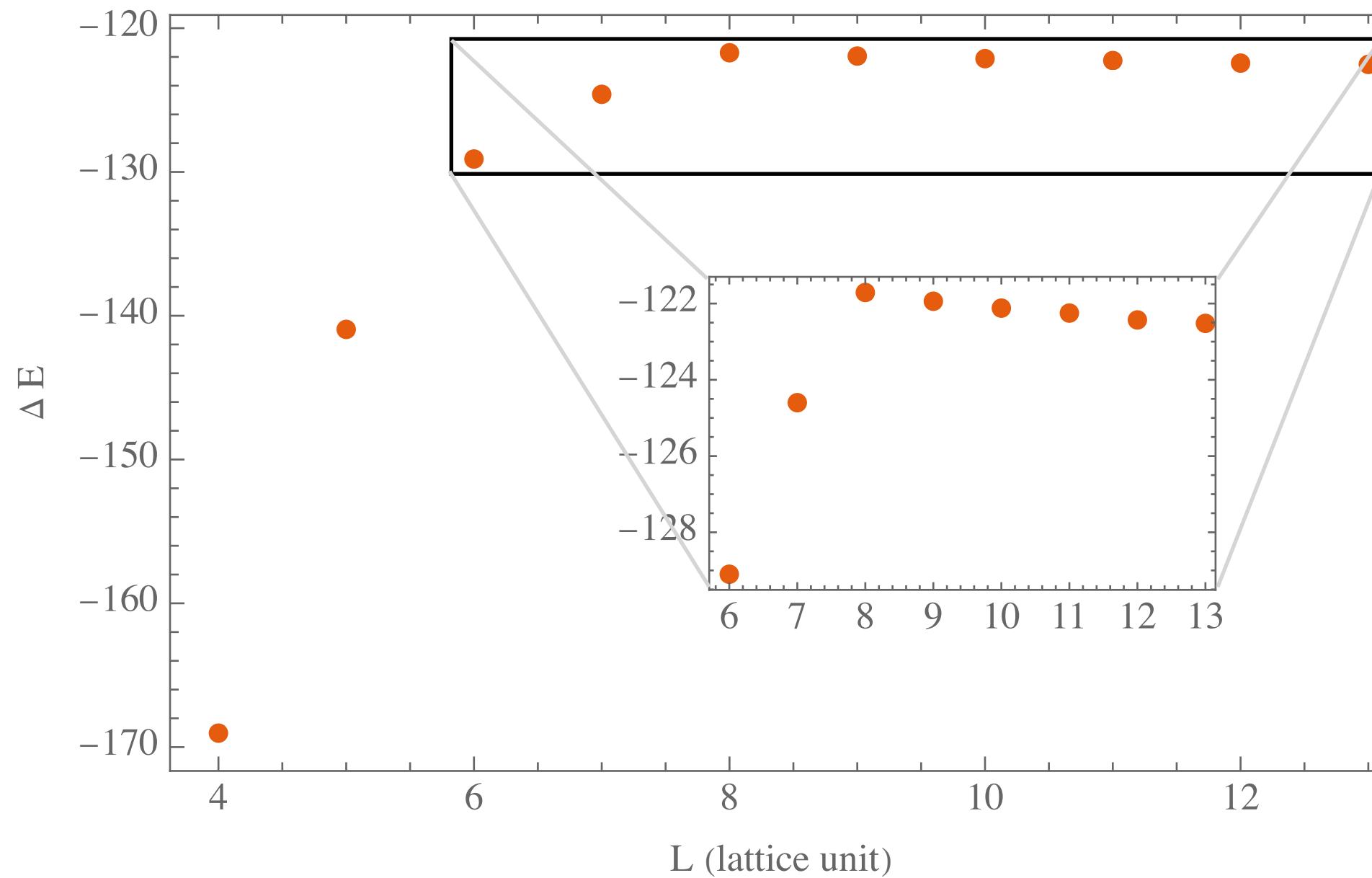


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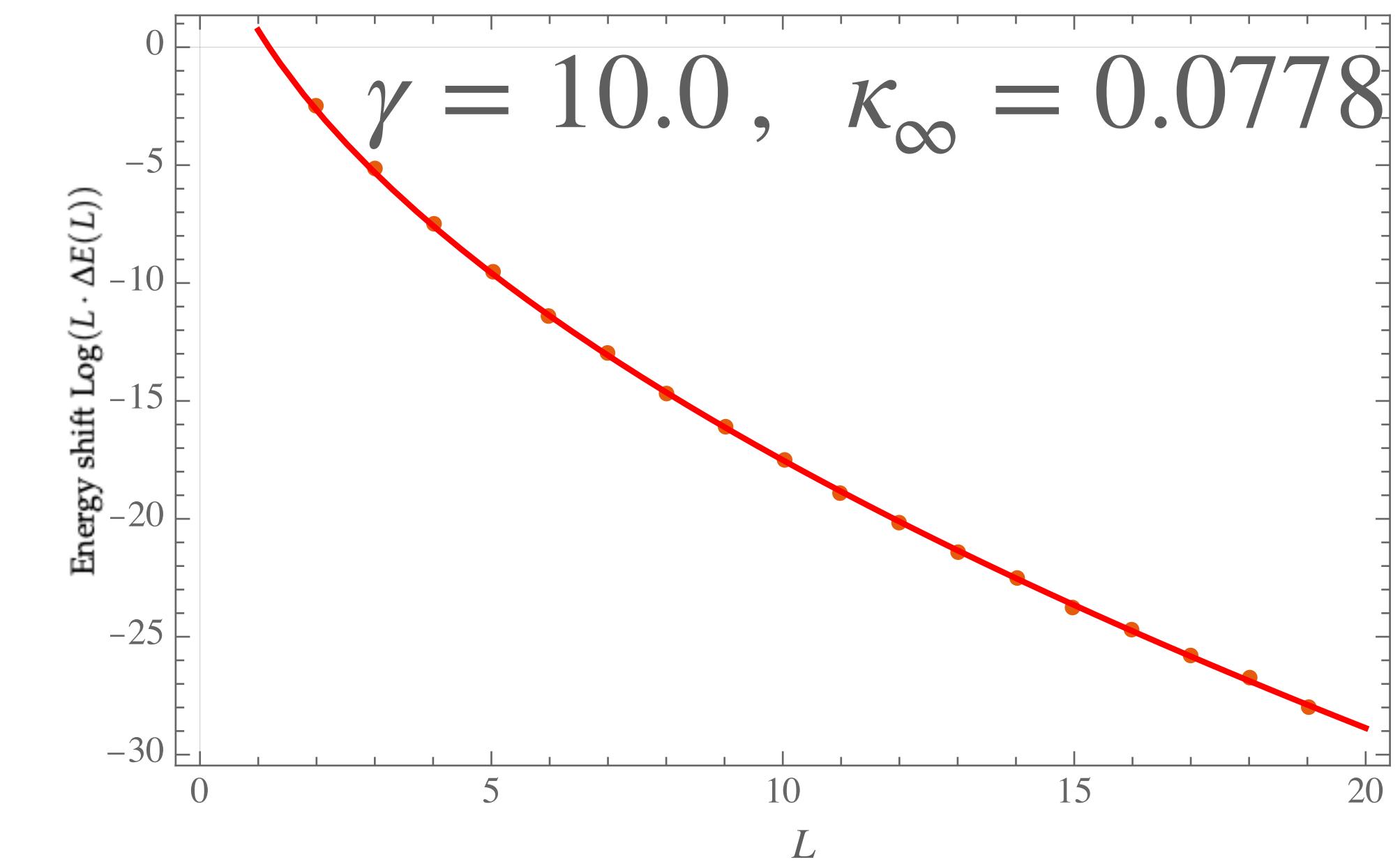
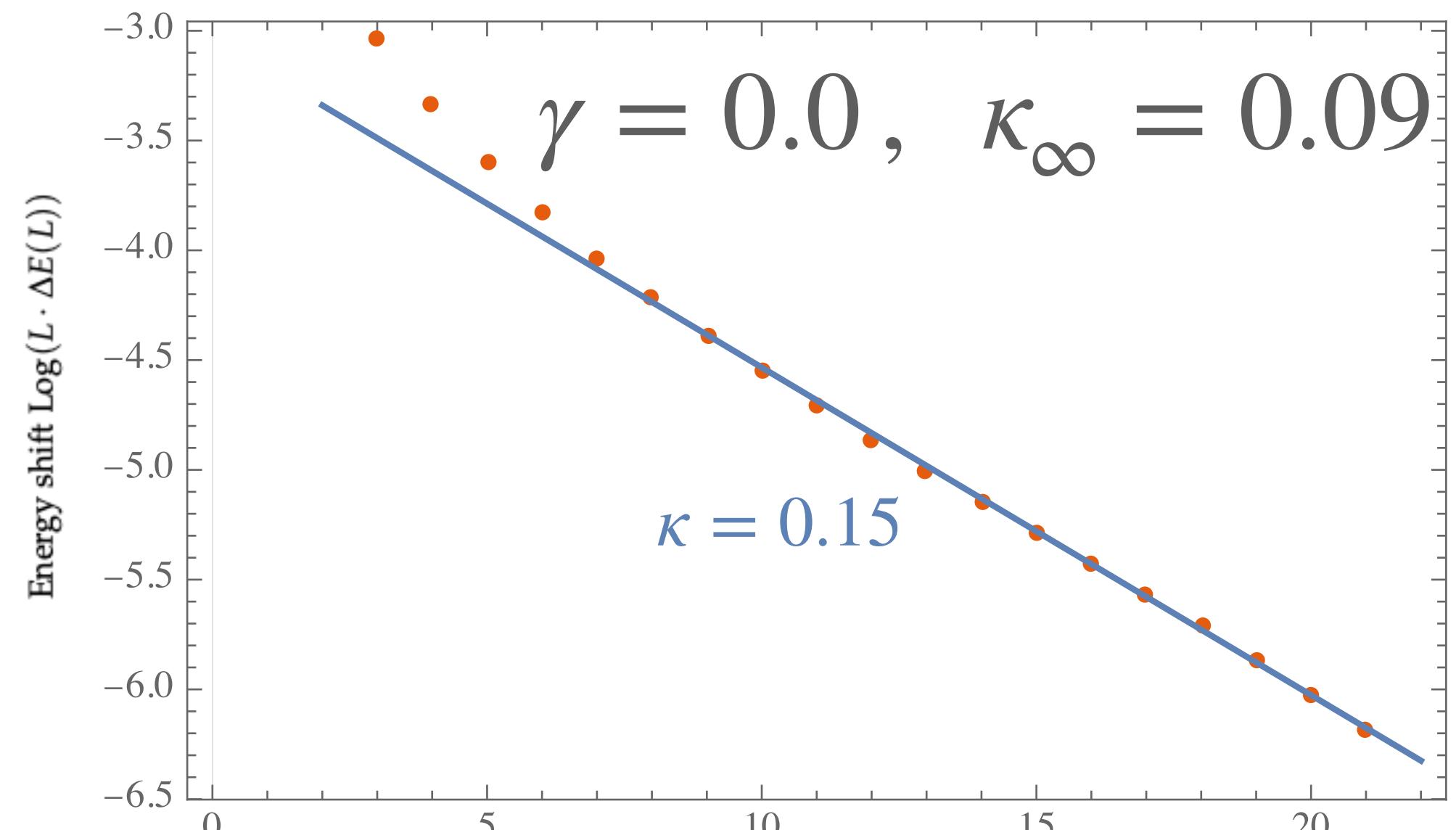
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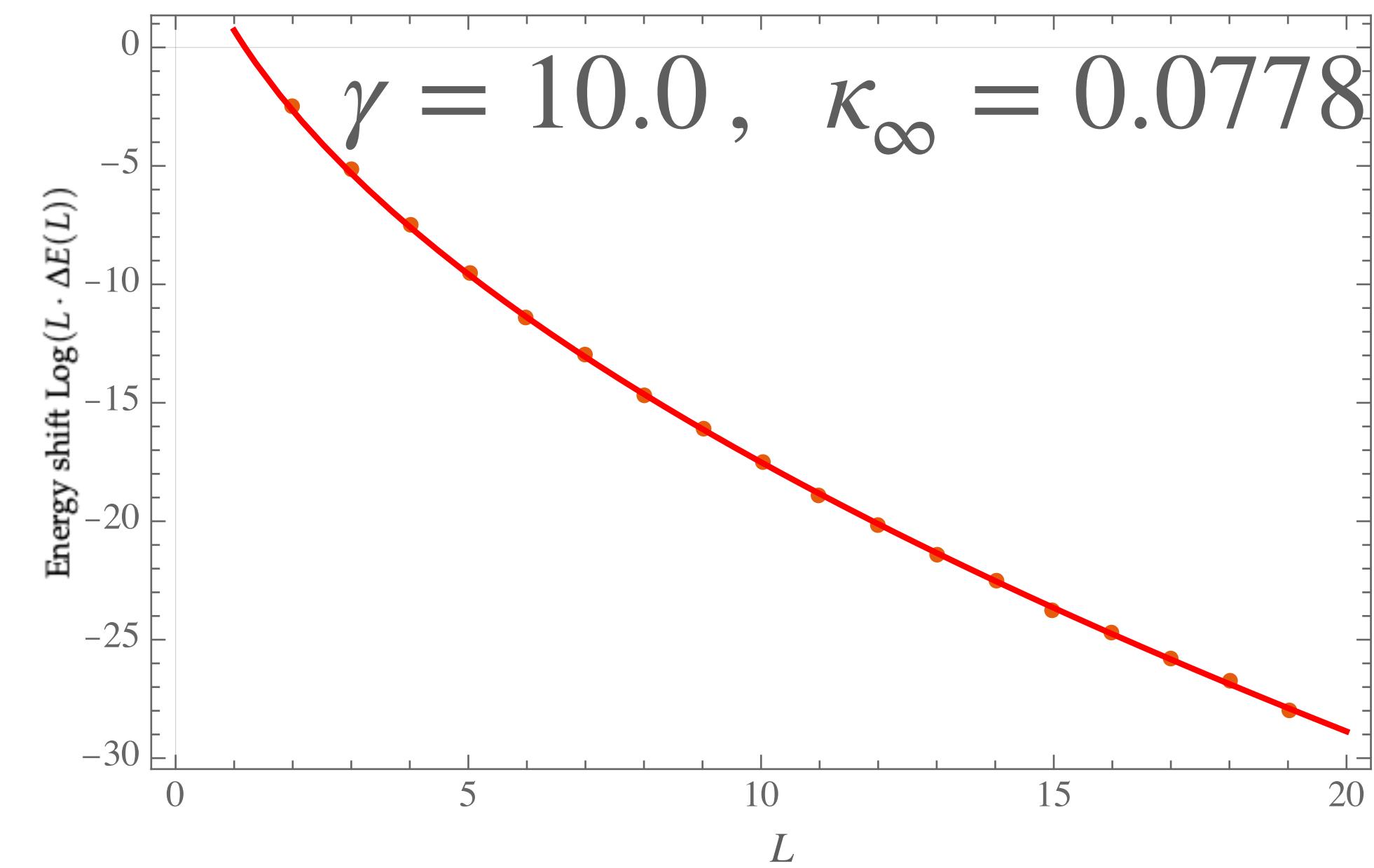
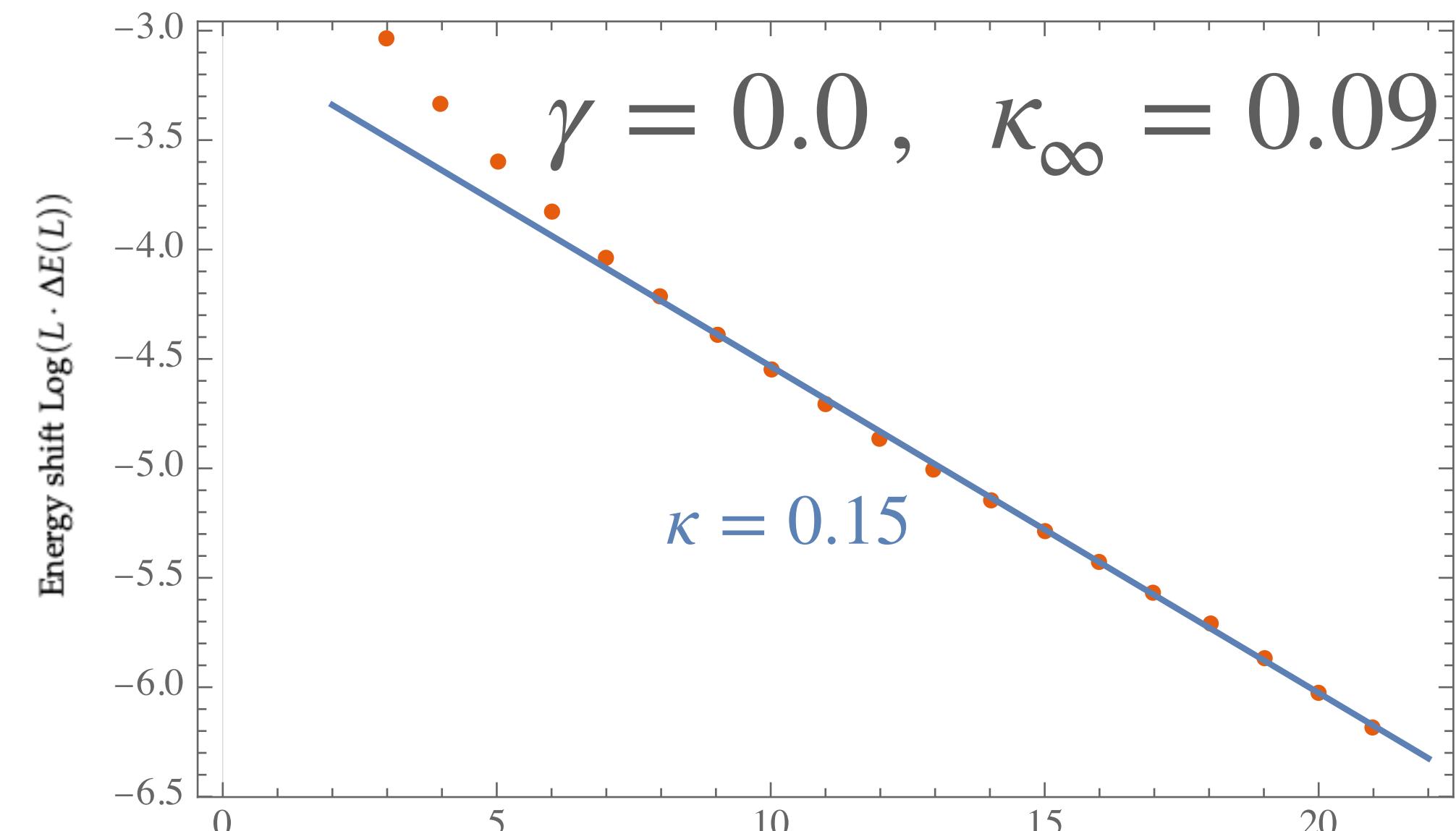
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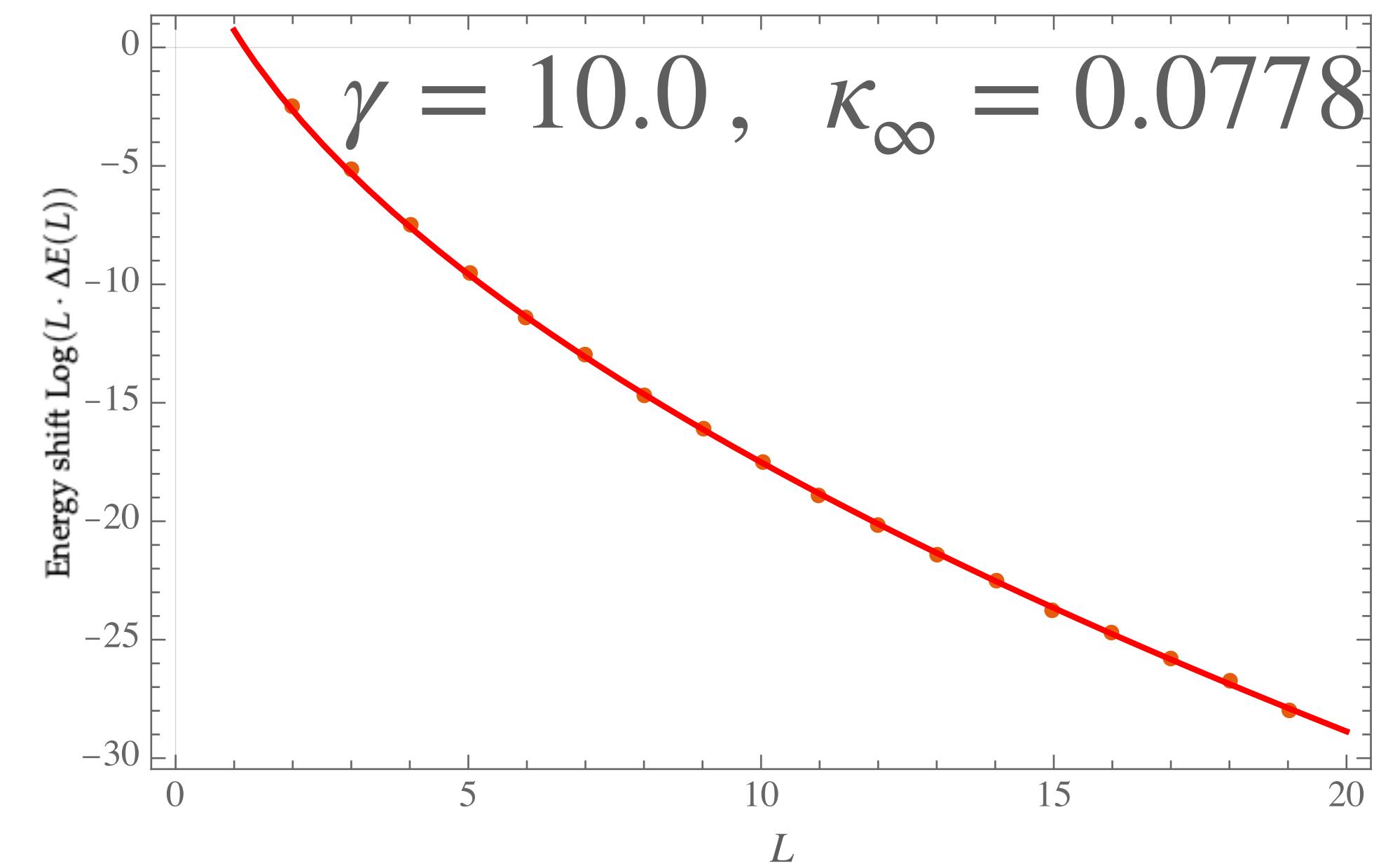
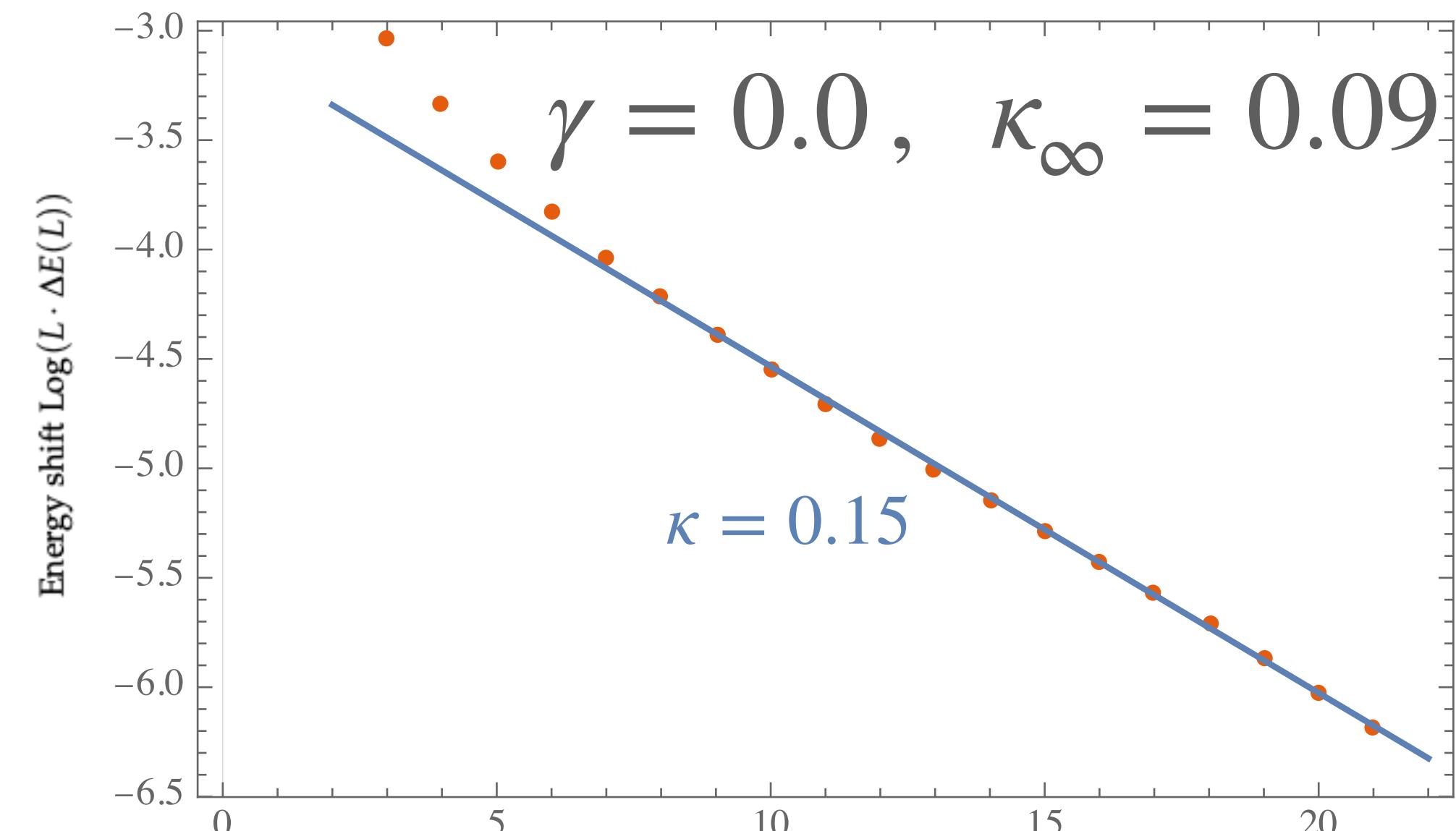
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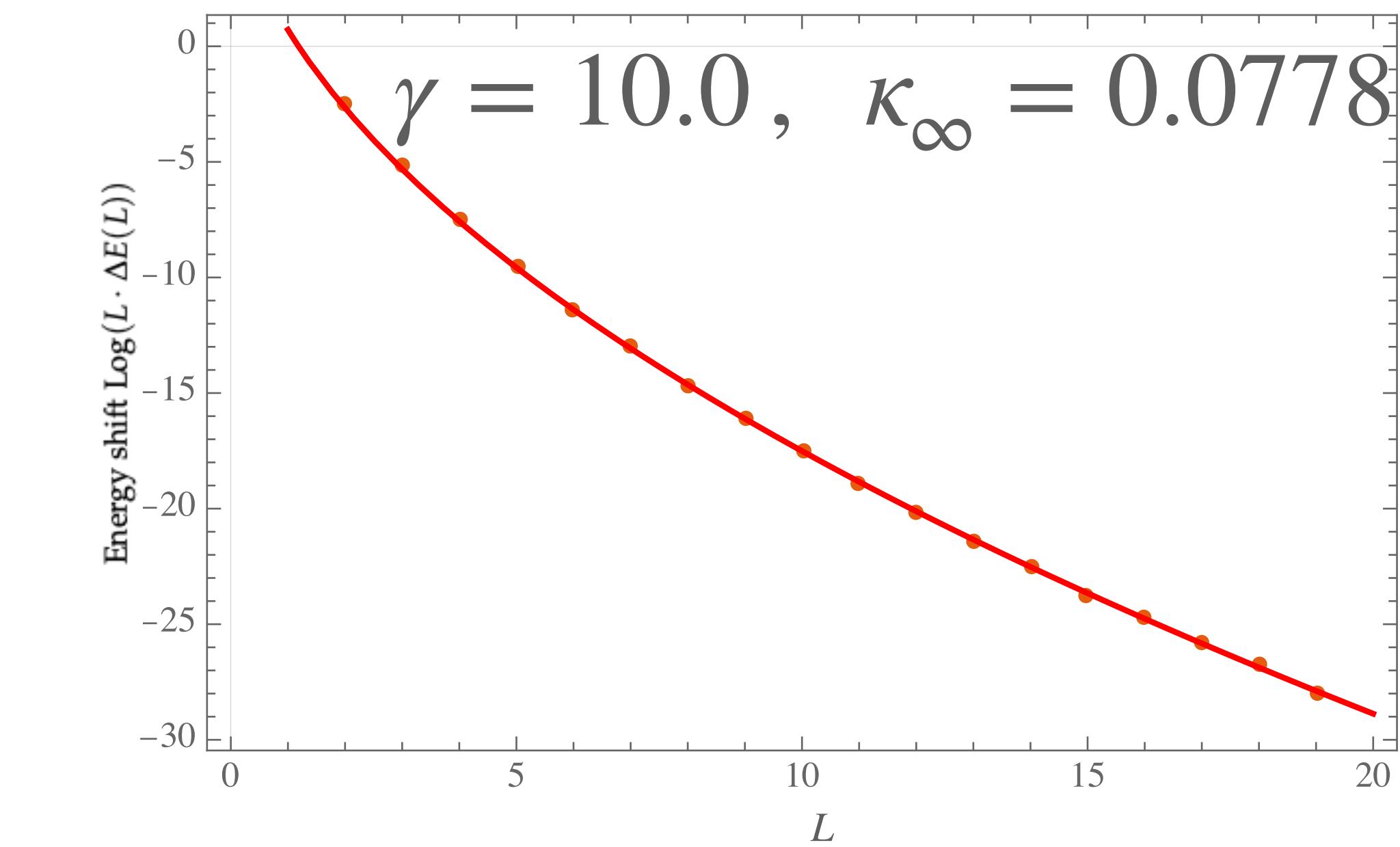
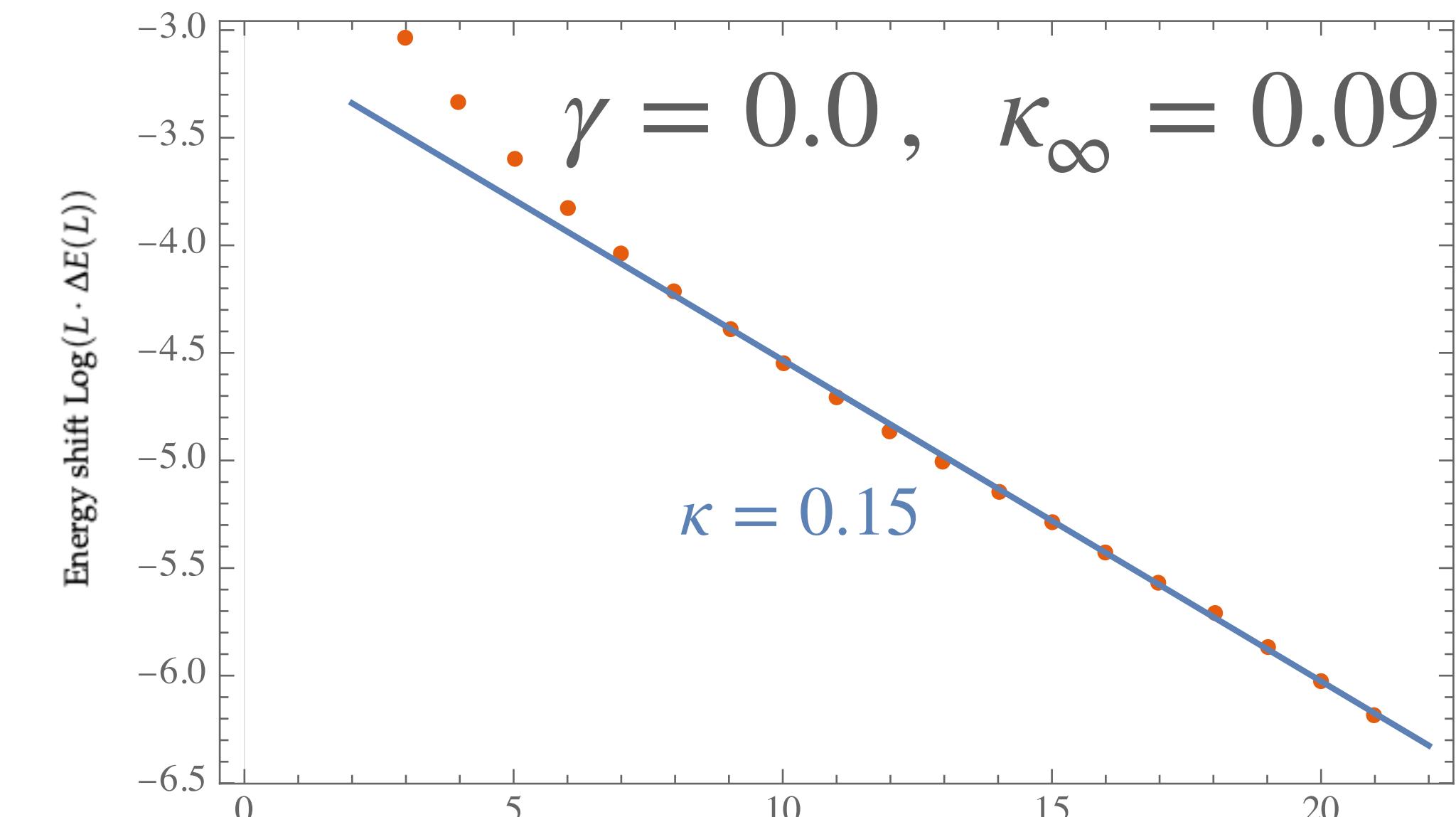
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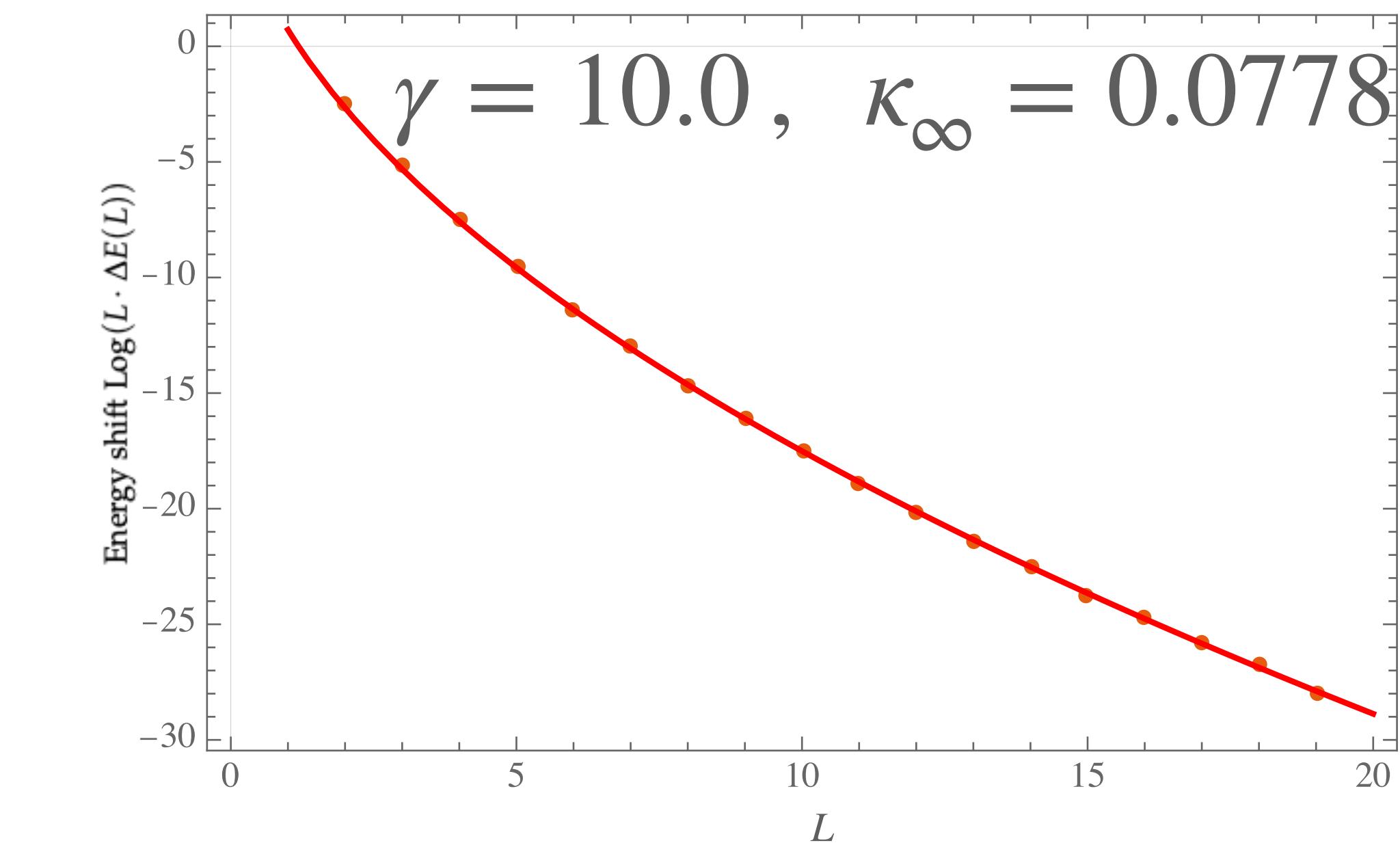
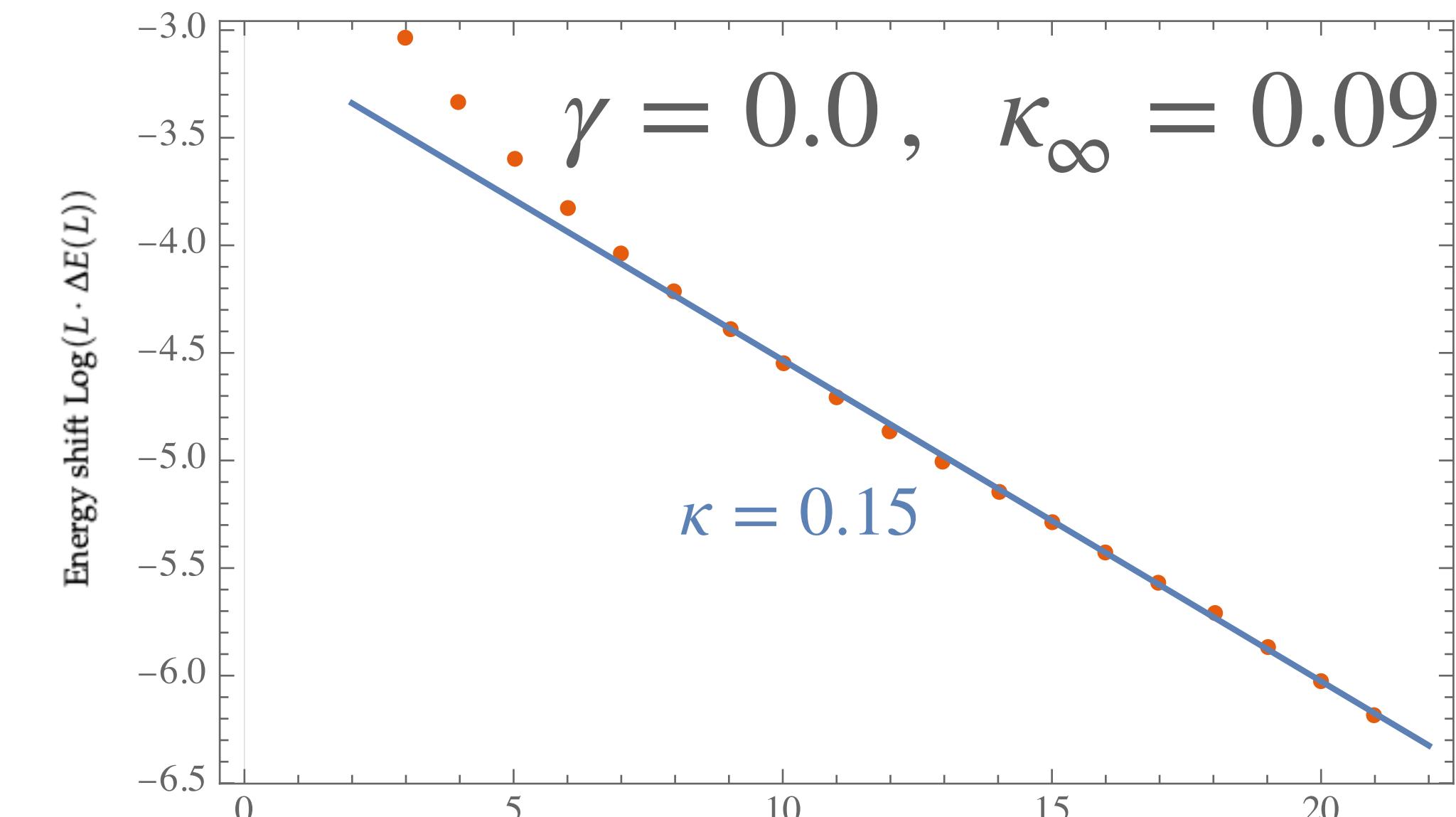


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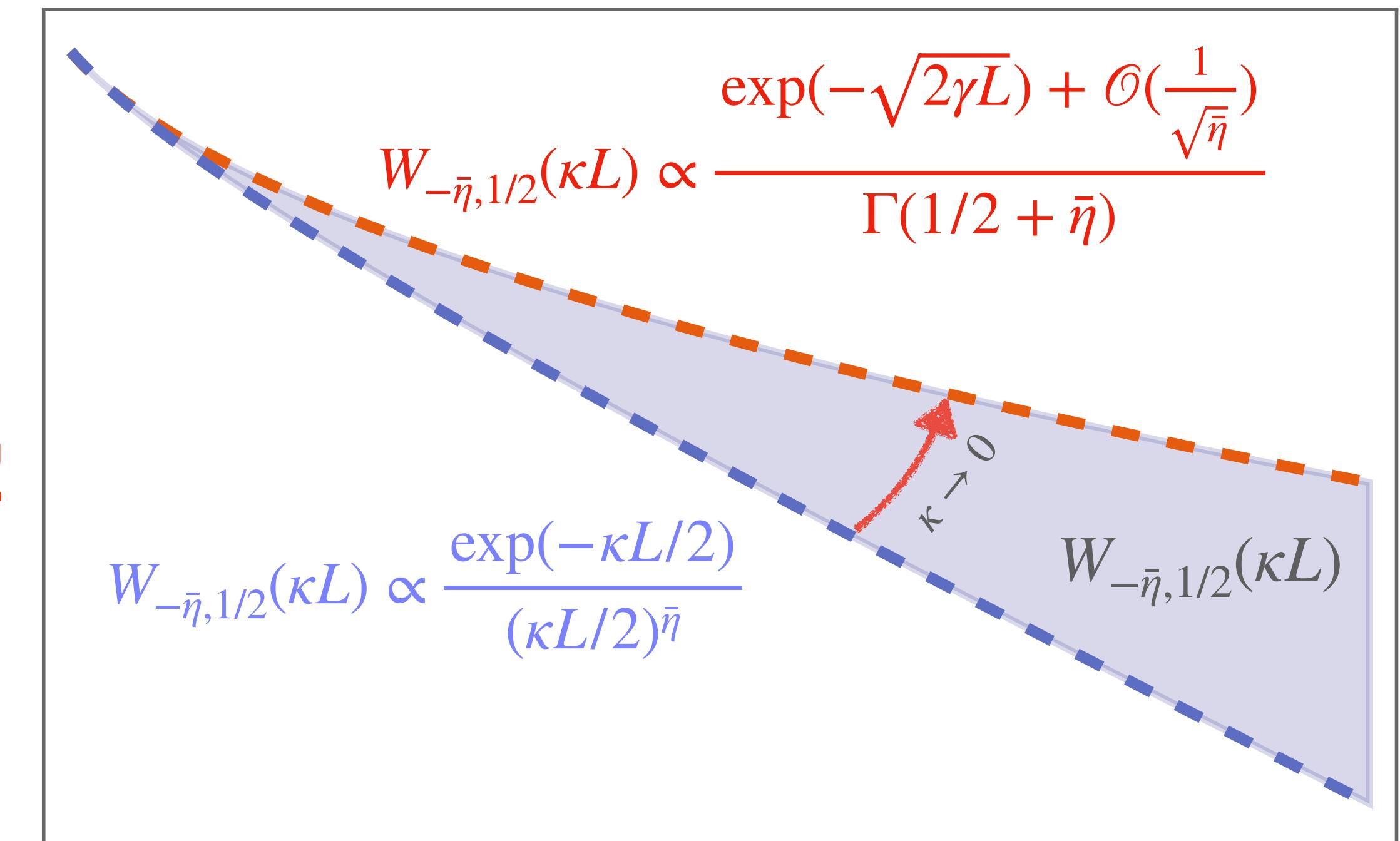
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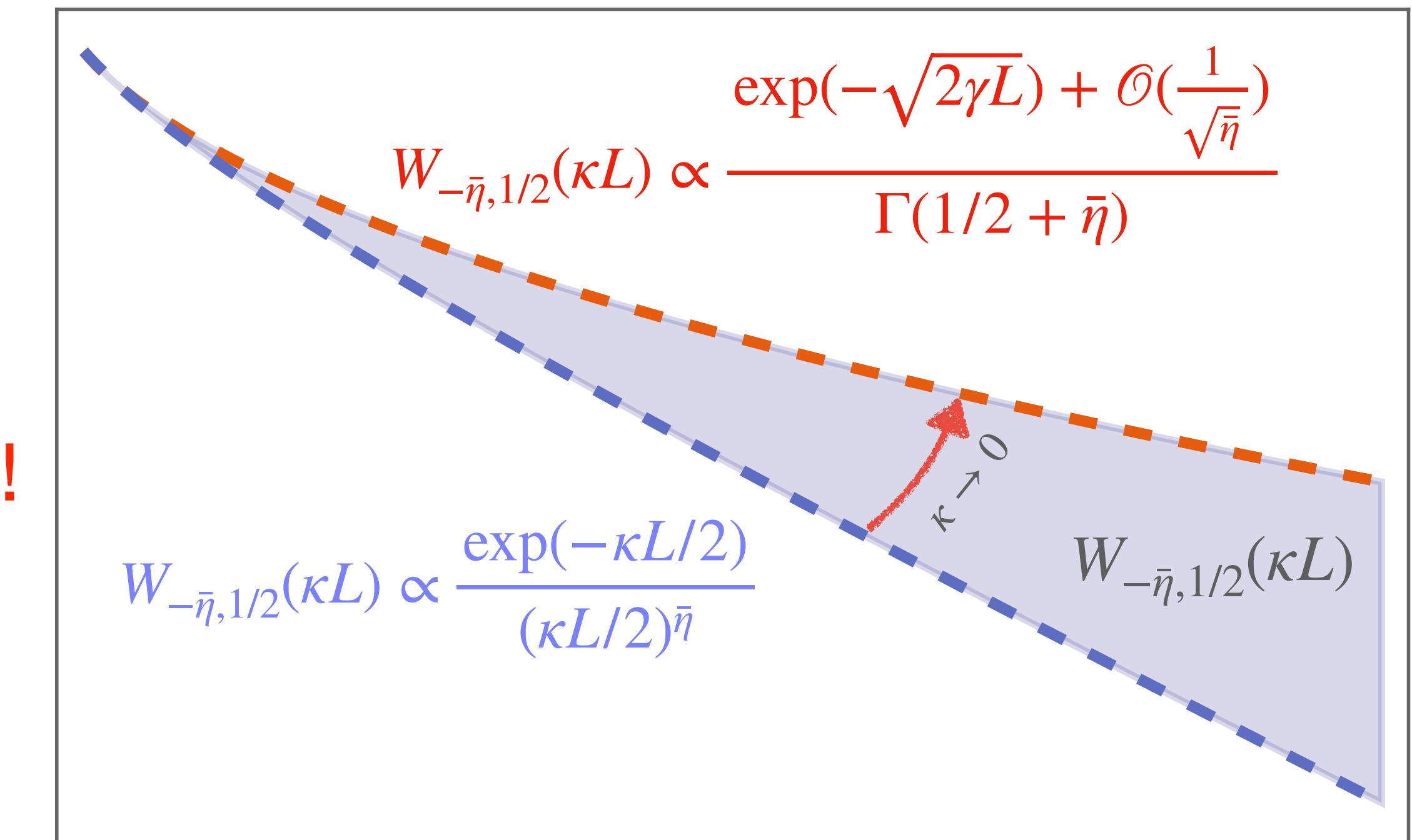
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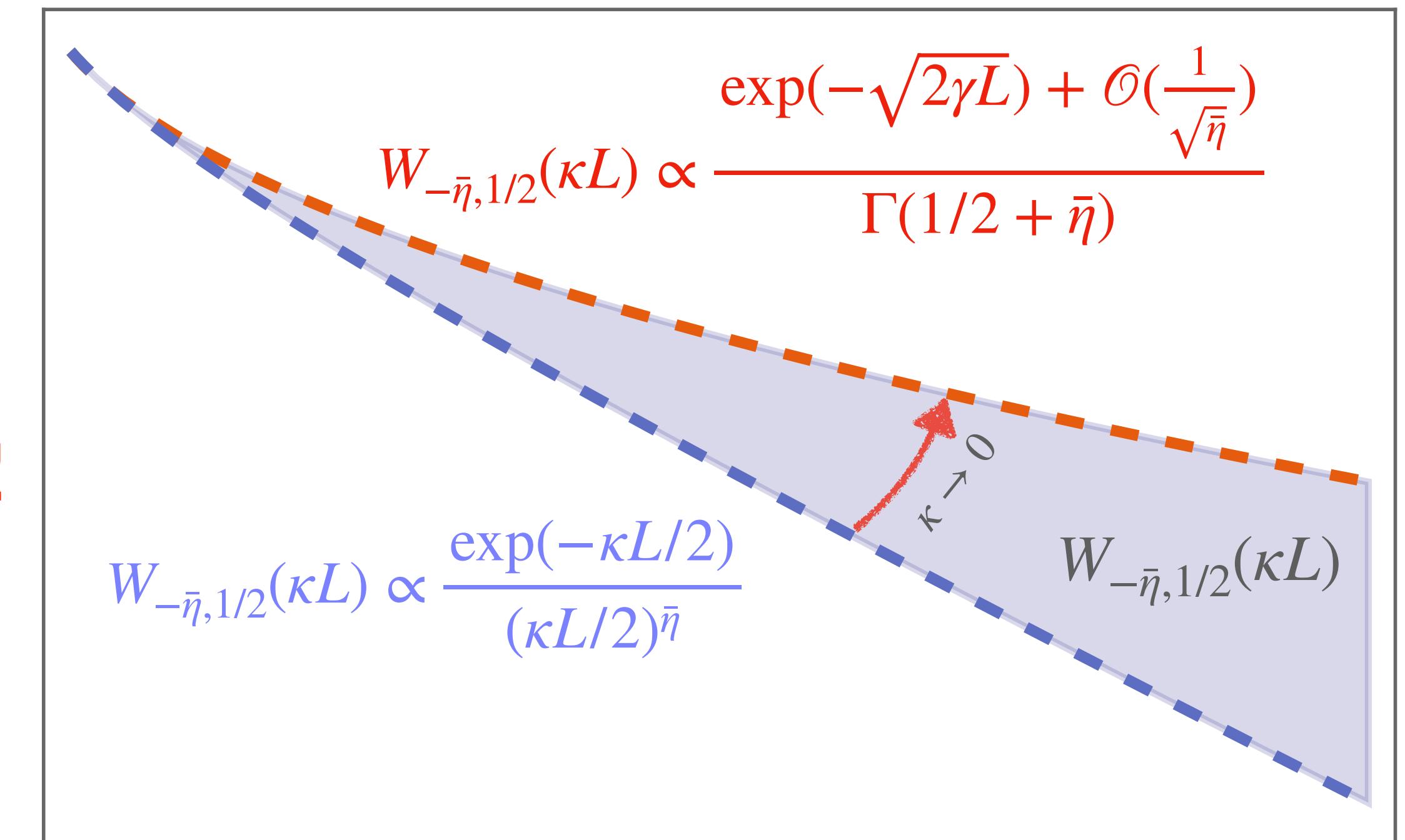
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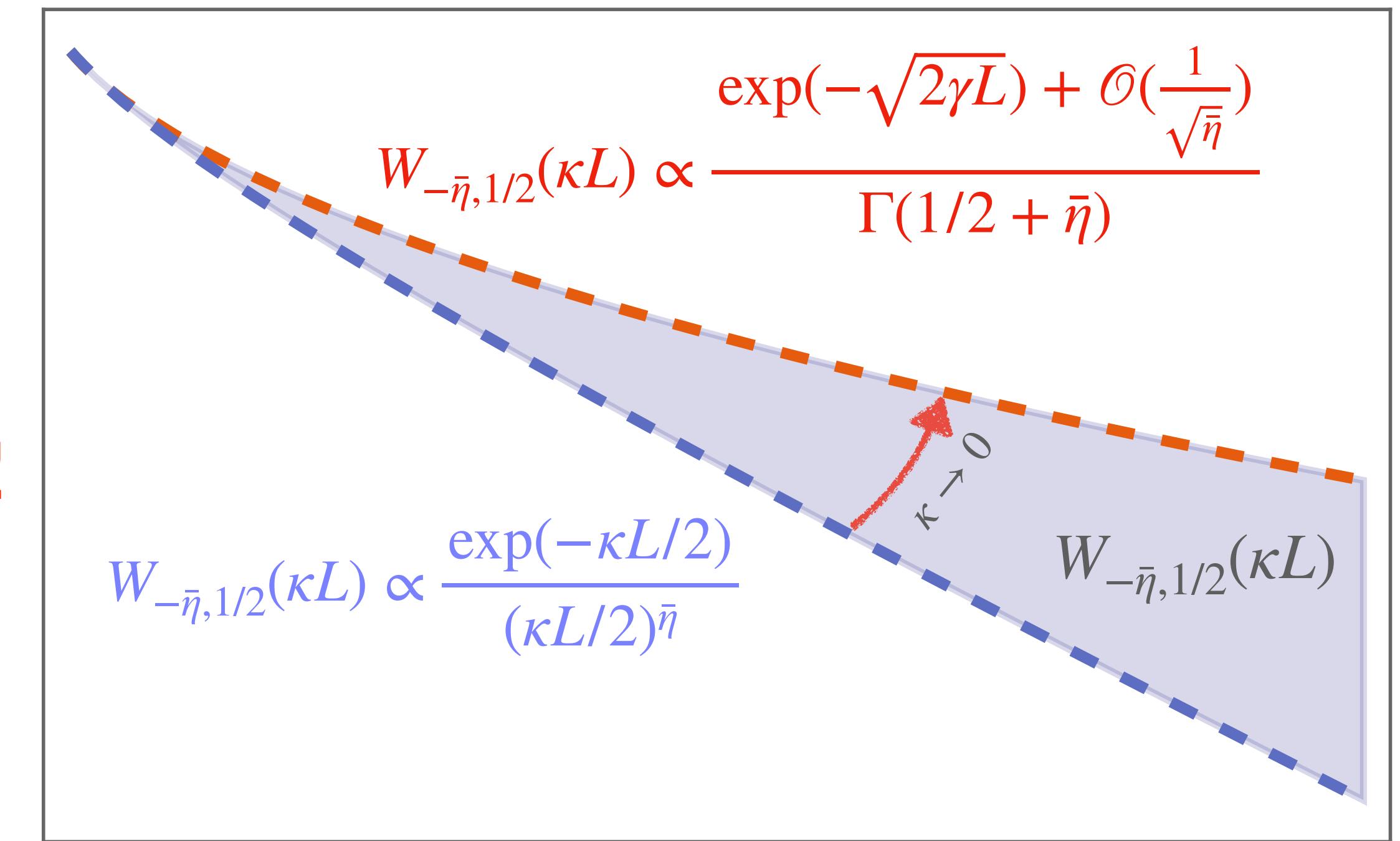
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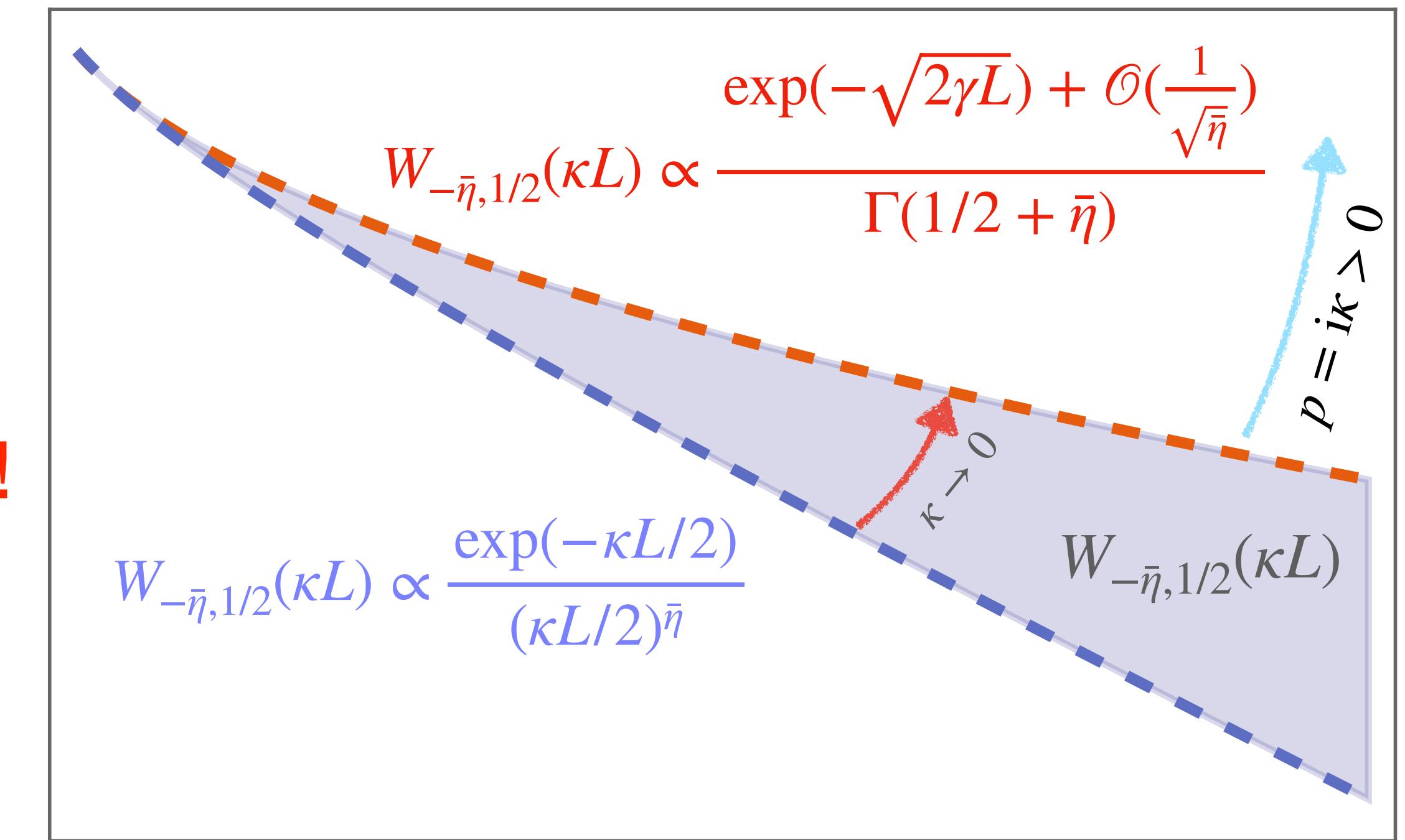
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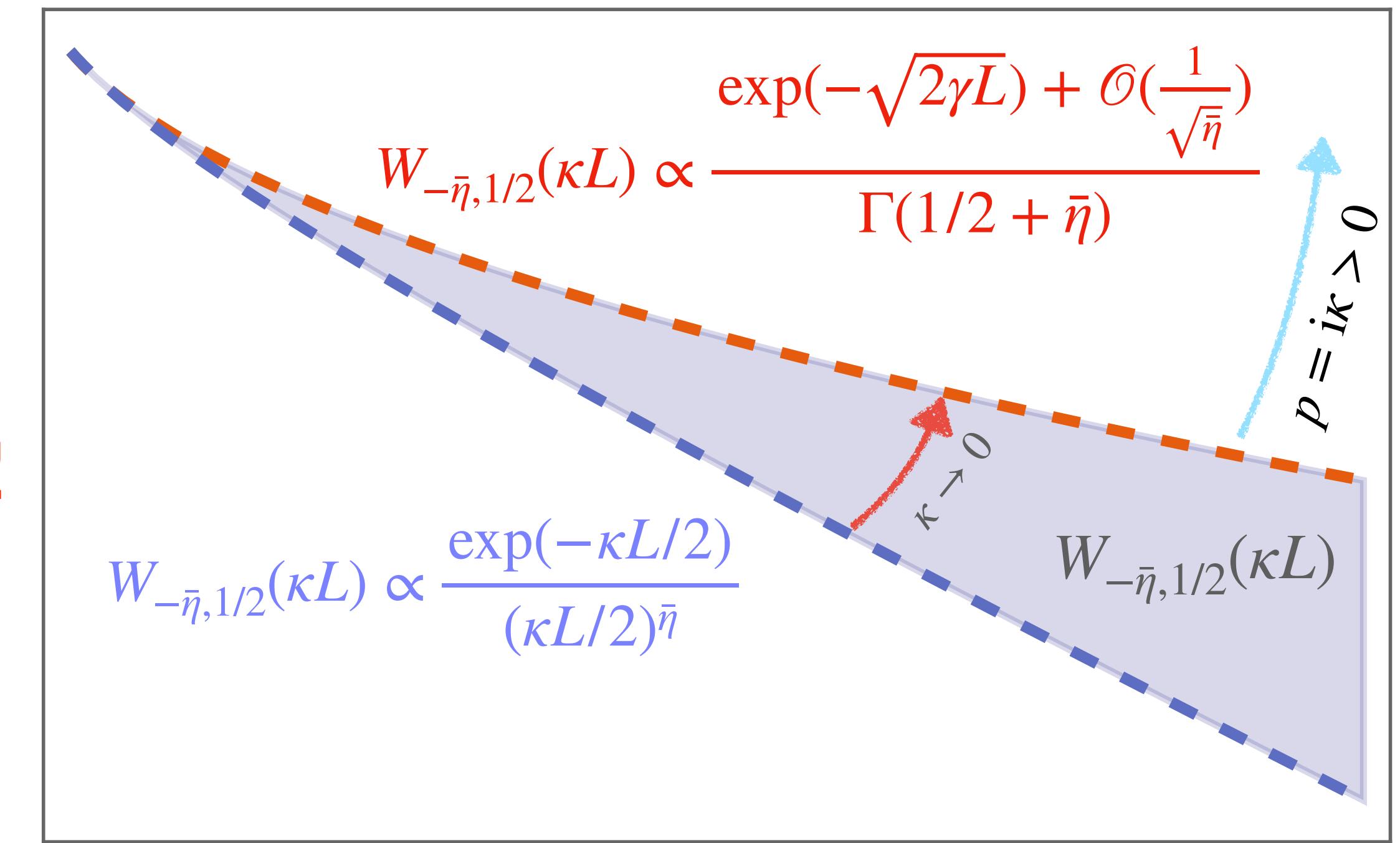
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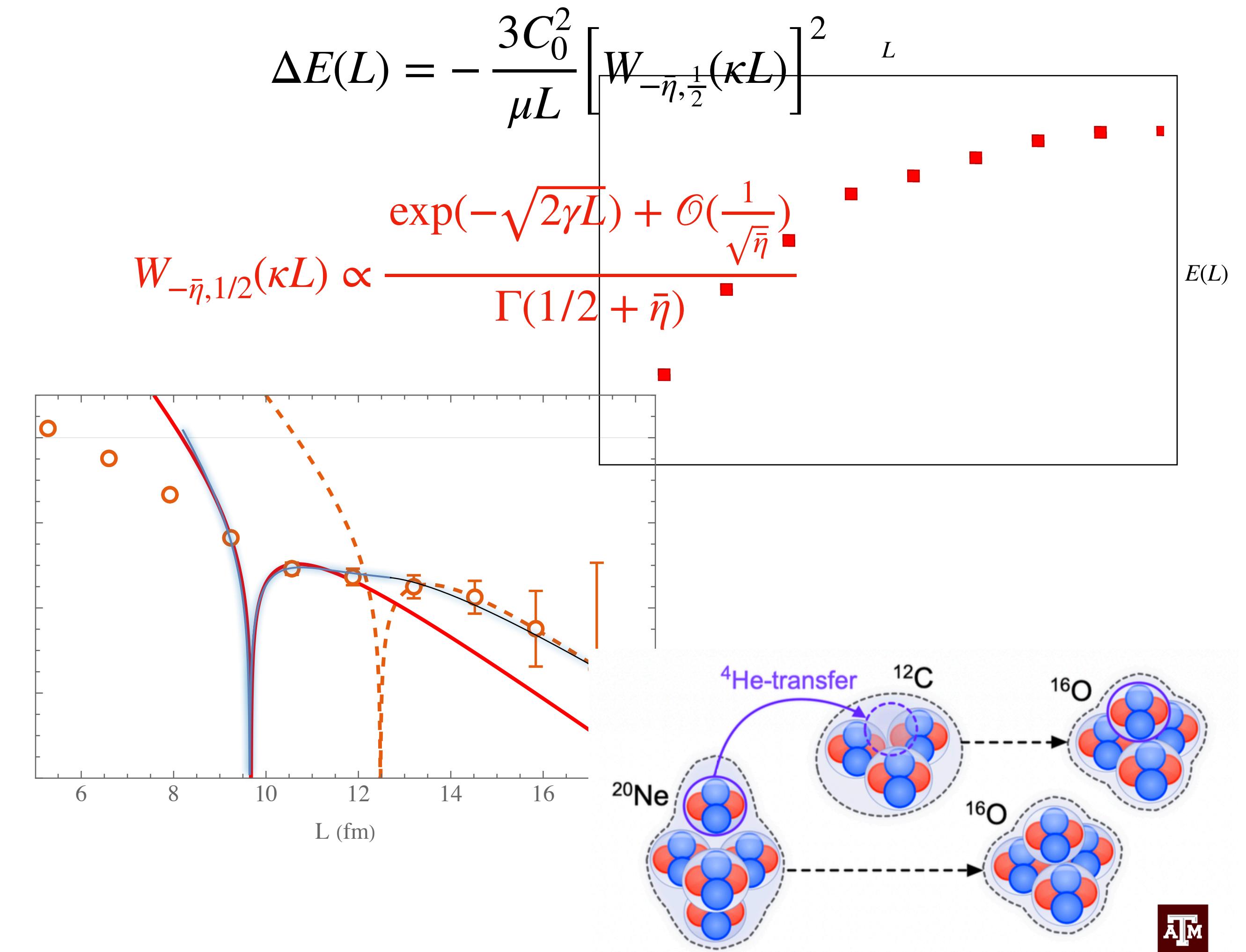
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Wrapping up...

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Thank you!

