



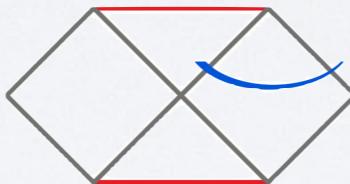
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# MULTI-DOMAIN SPECTRAL METHOD FOR SELF-FORCE CALCULATIONS



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## Numerical systematic errors

Boundary conditions: impose asymptotic conditions ensuring the energy propagates into the black hole and out to the wave zone

PROBLEM: physical space has unbounded domain  $r_* \in (-\infty, +\infty)$

USUAL SOLUTION: approximate BC at finite radius  $r_* = \pm r_*^{\text{BC}}$

ALTERNATIVE: Compact hyperboloidal slides  $\sigma \in [0, 1]$

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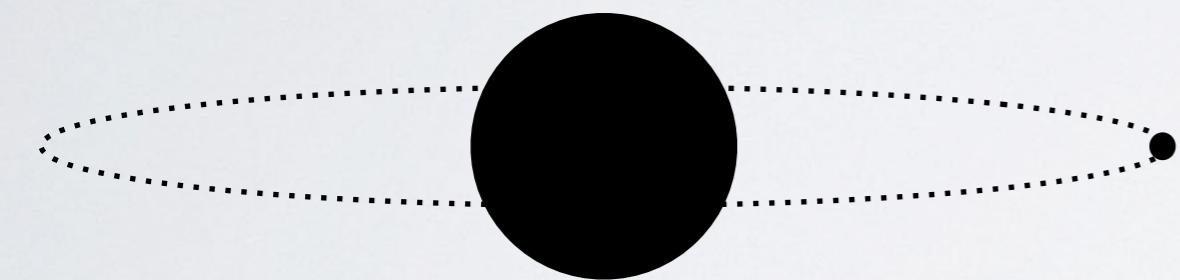
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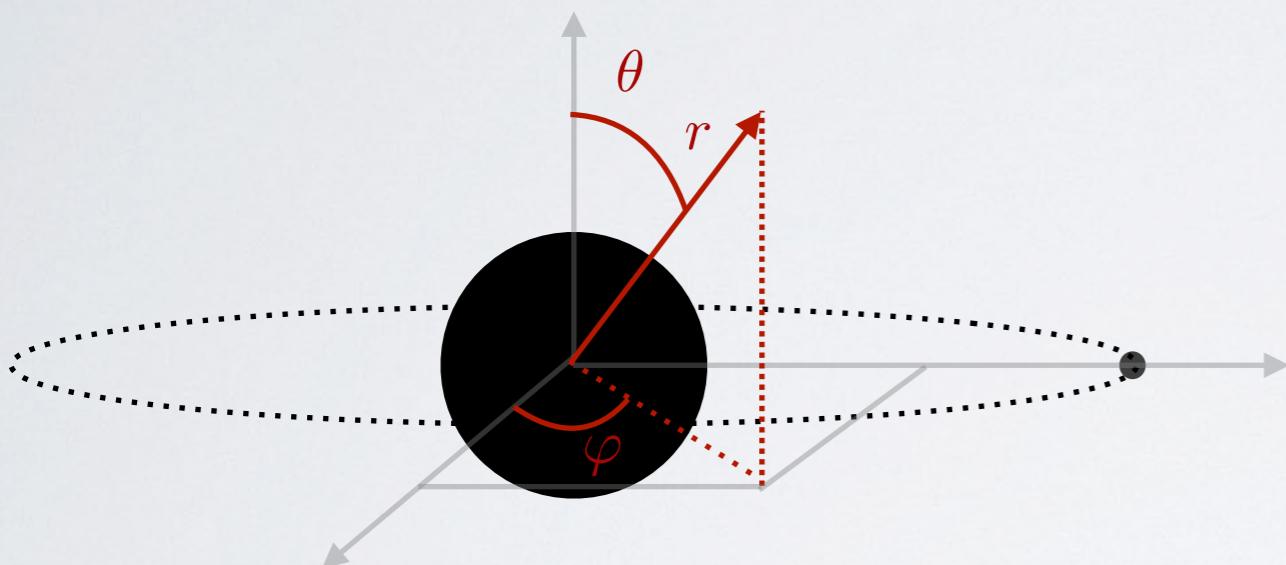
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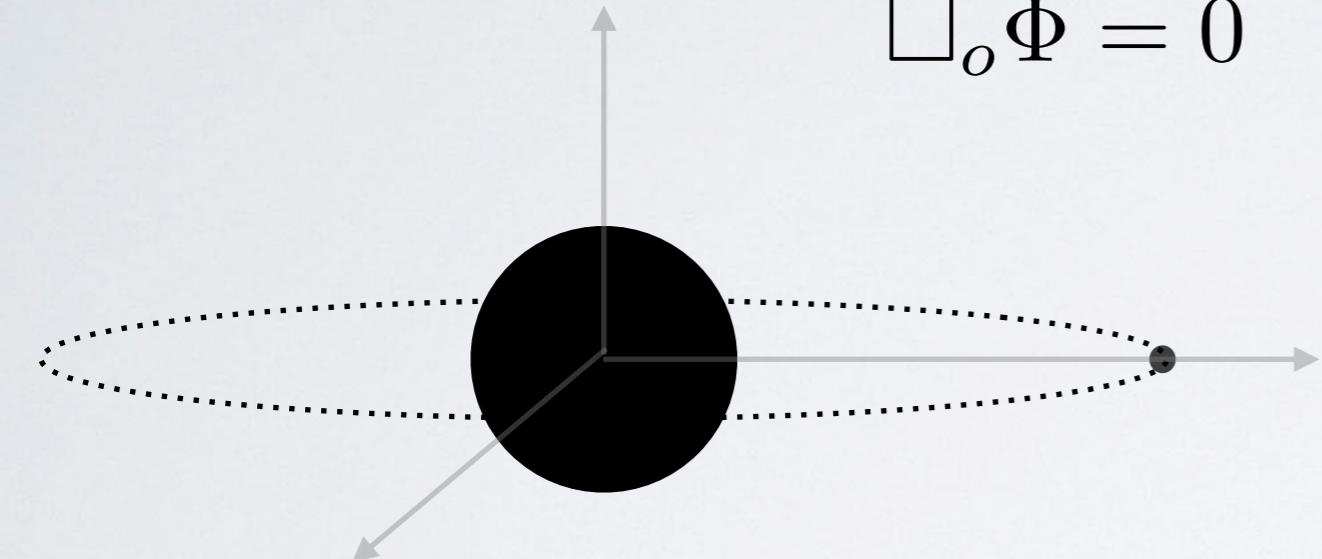
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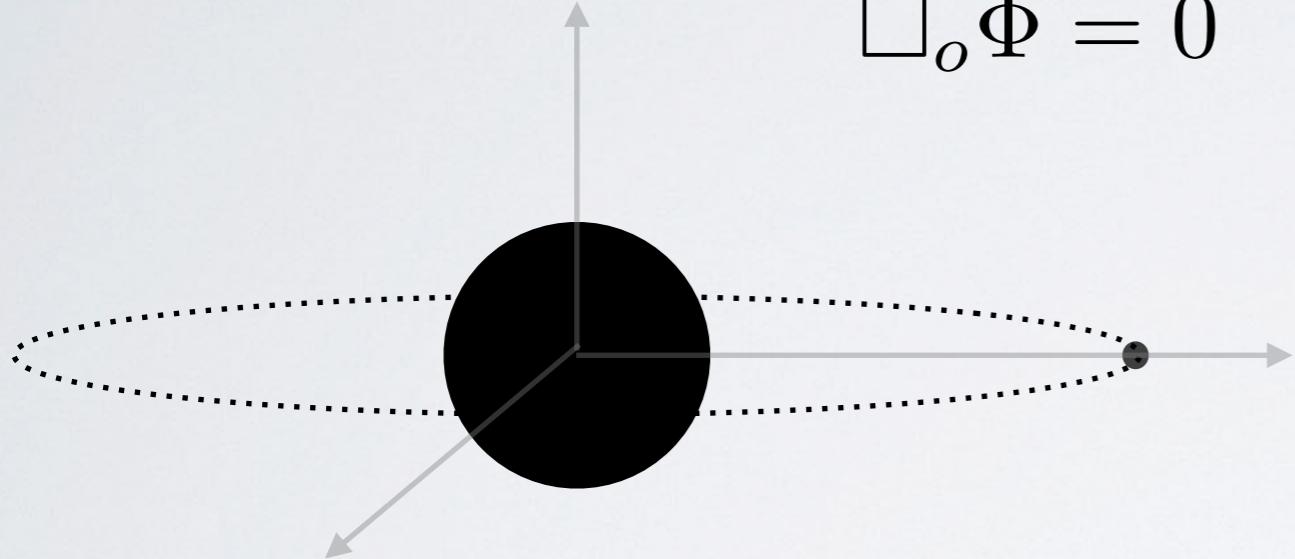
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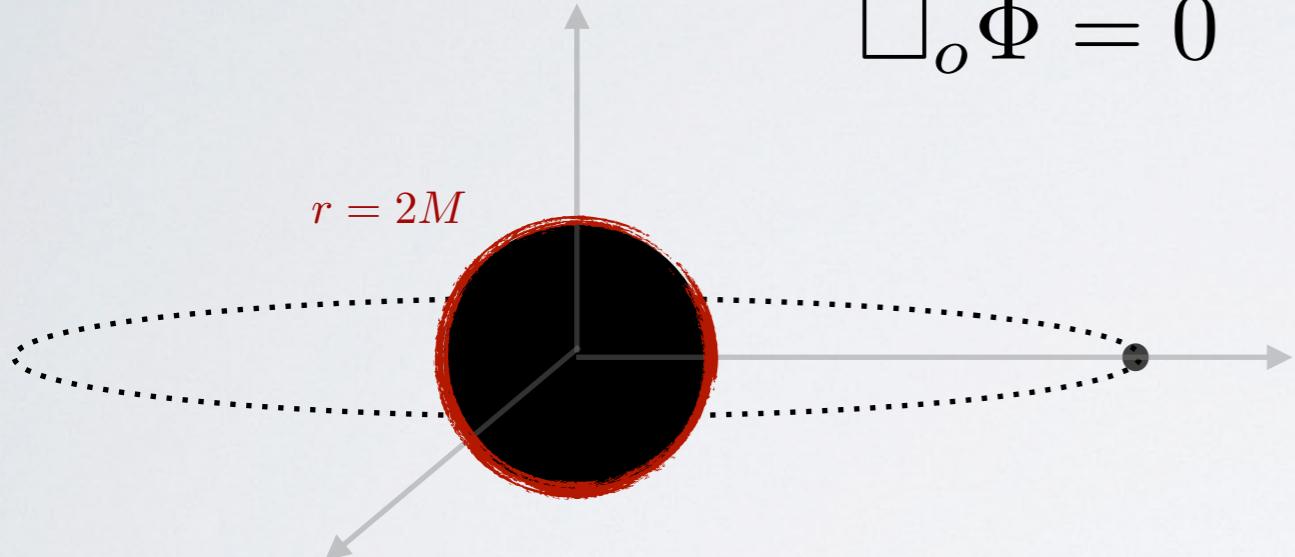
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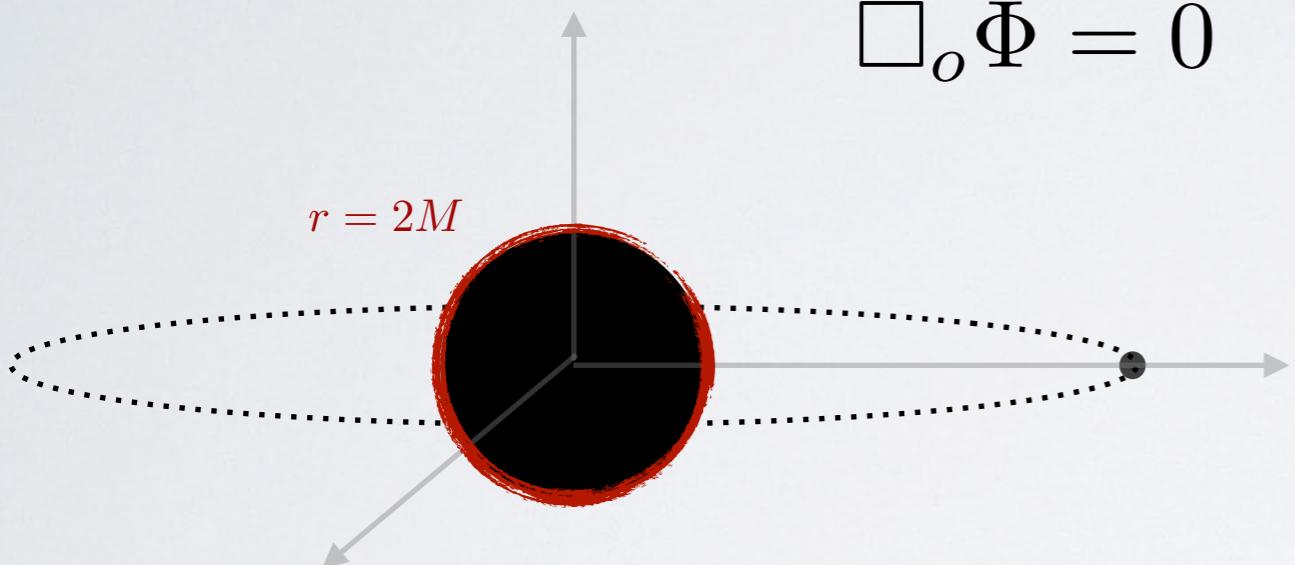
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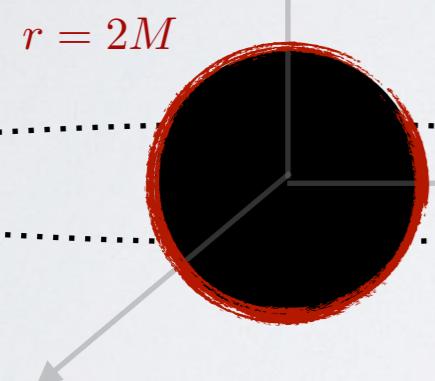
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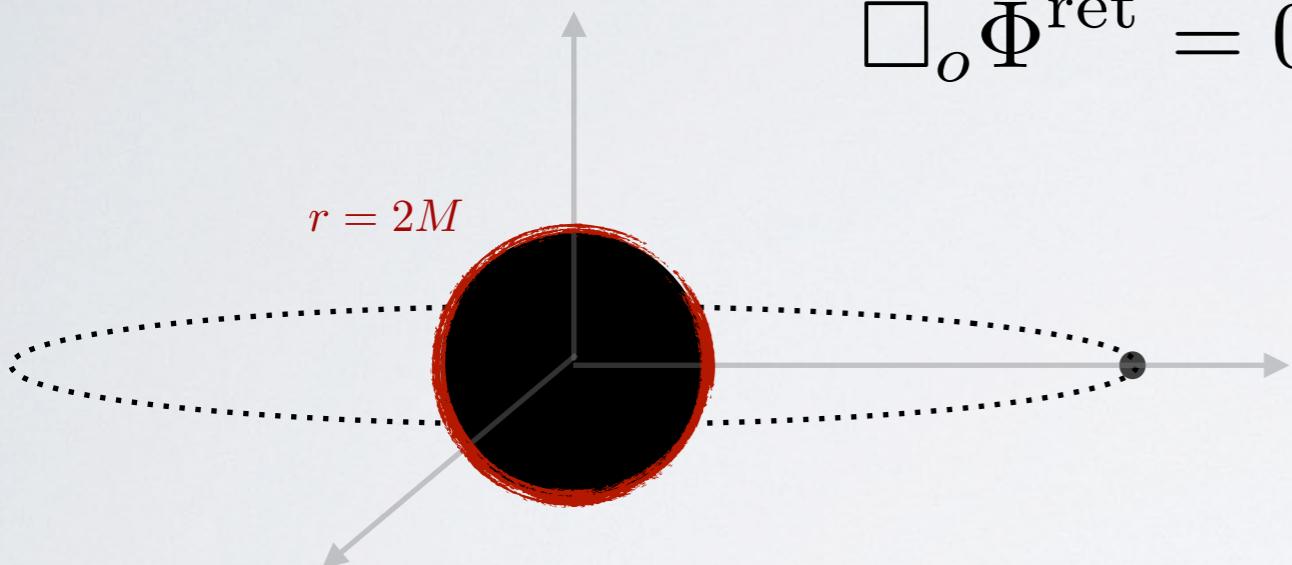
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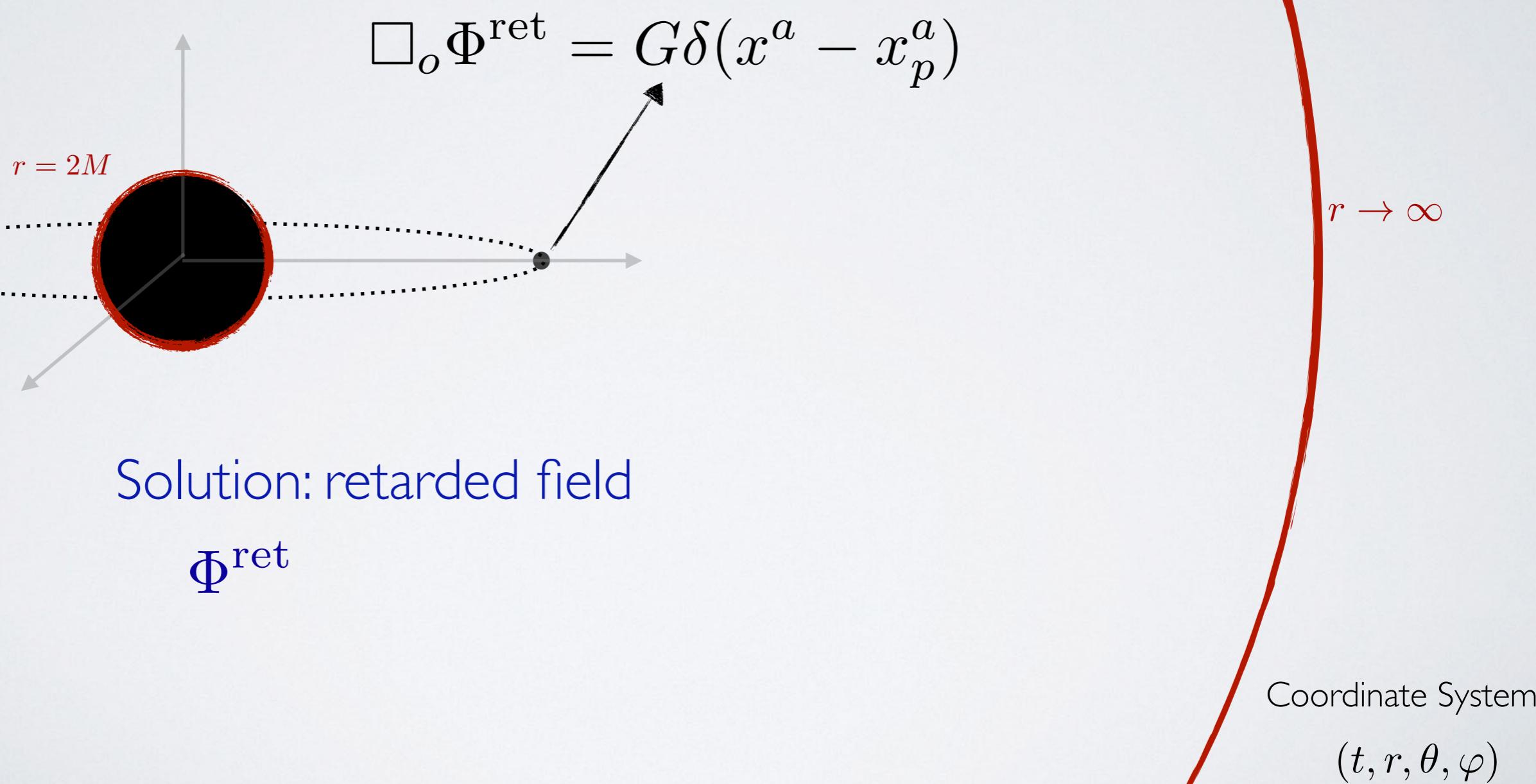
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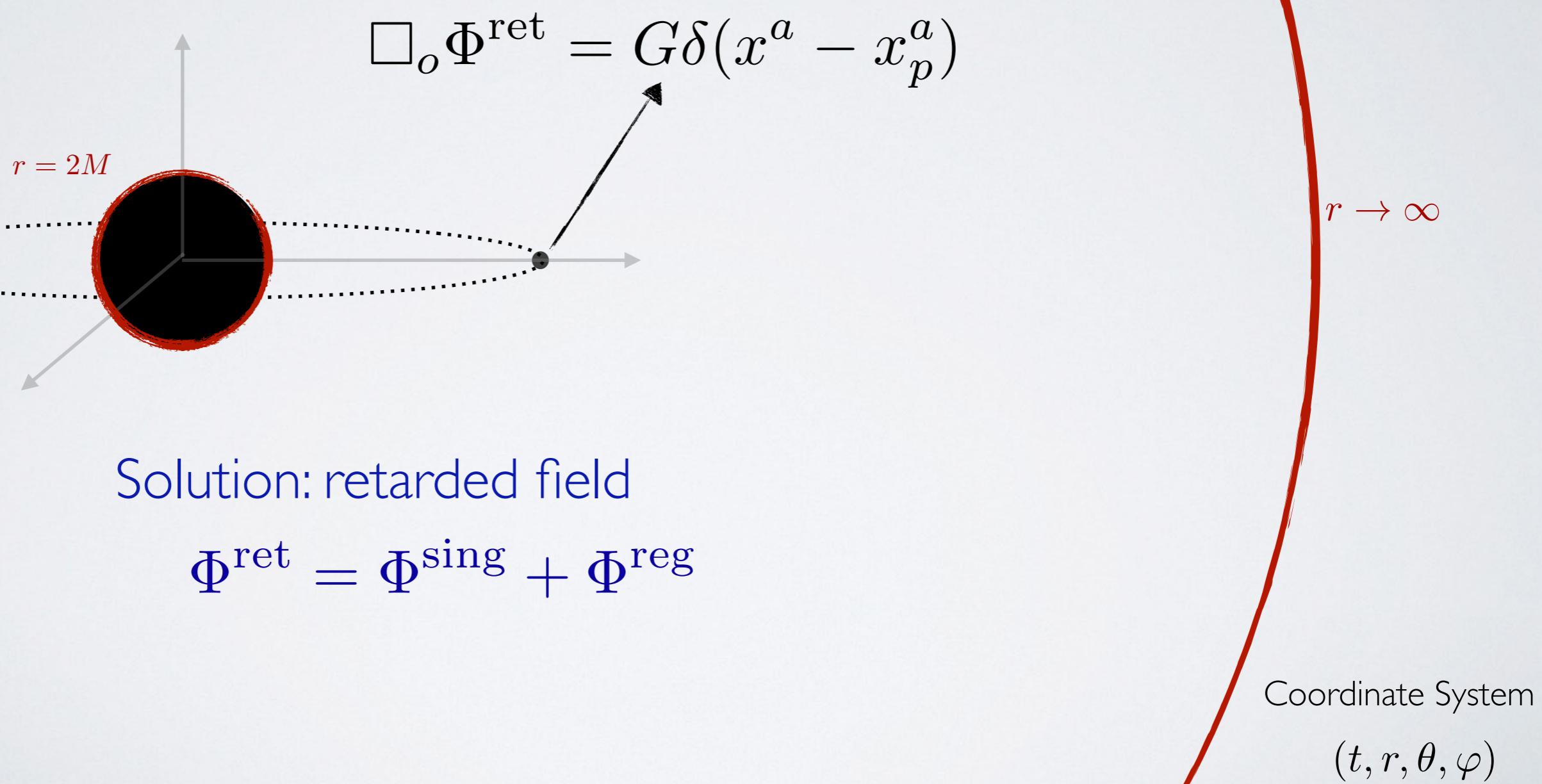
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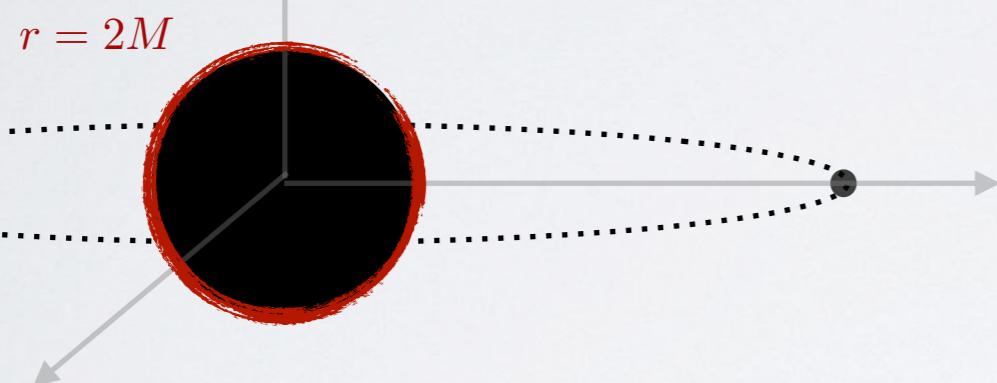


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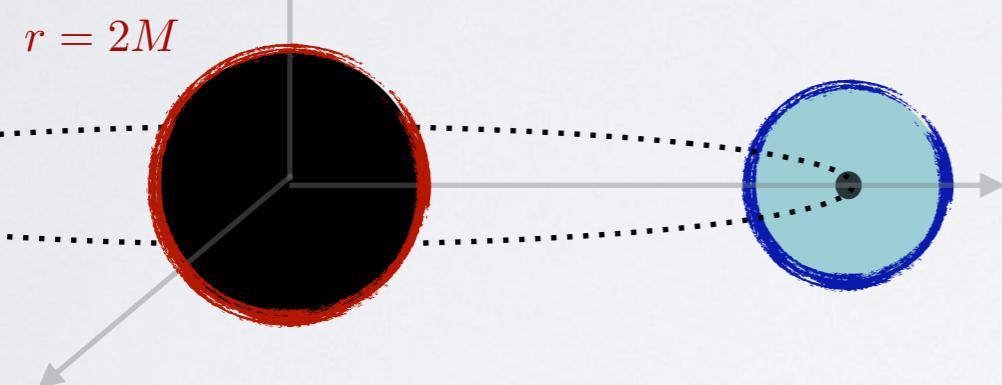
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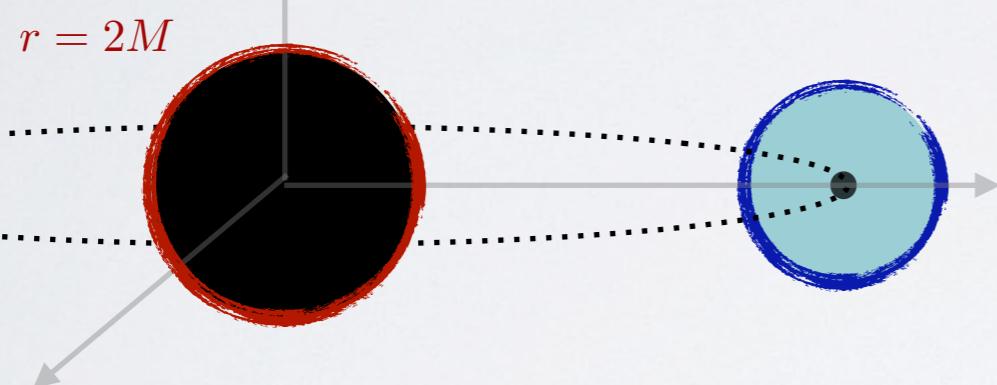
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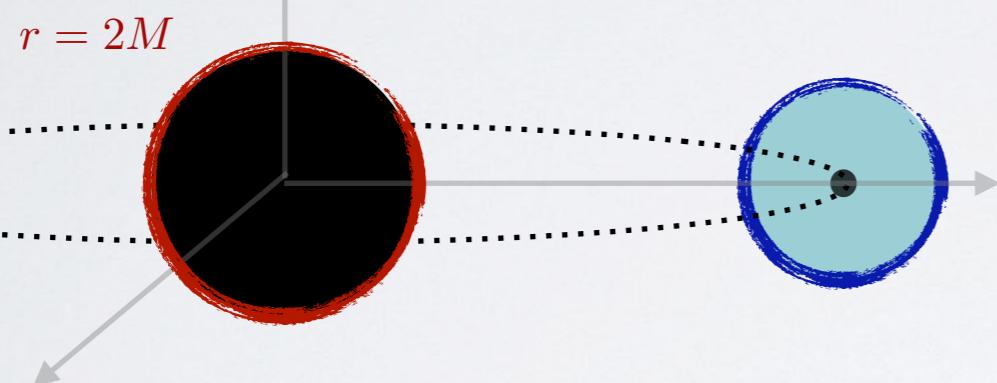
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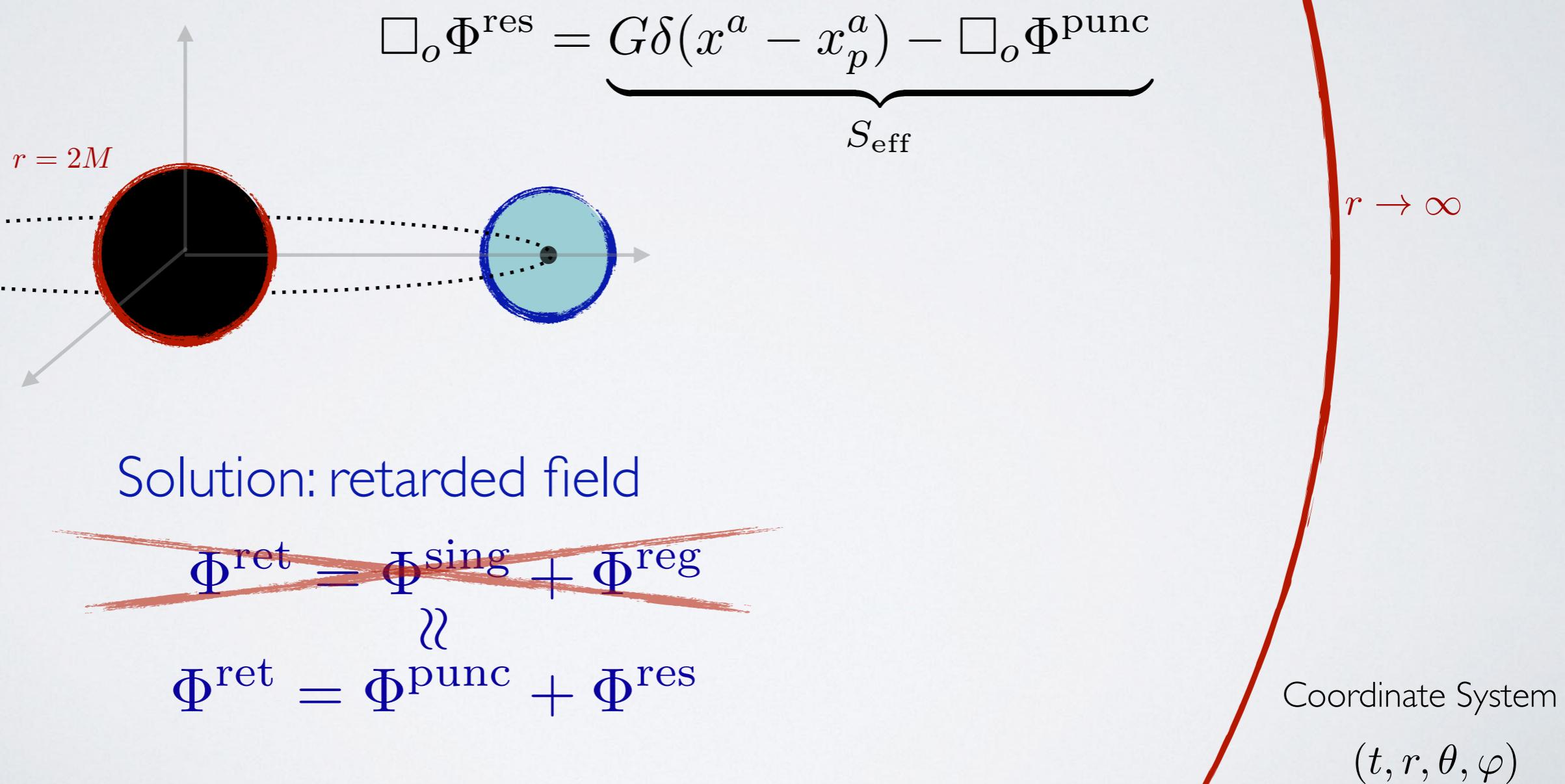
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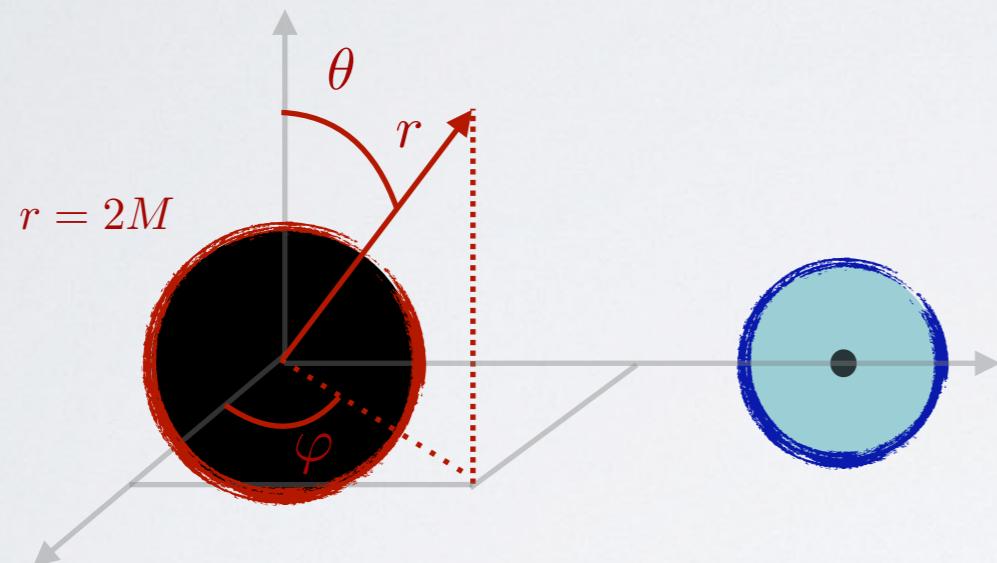
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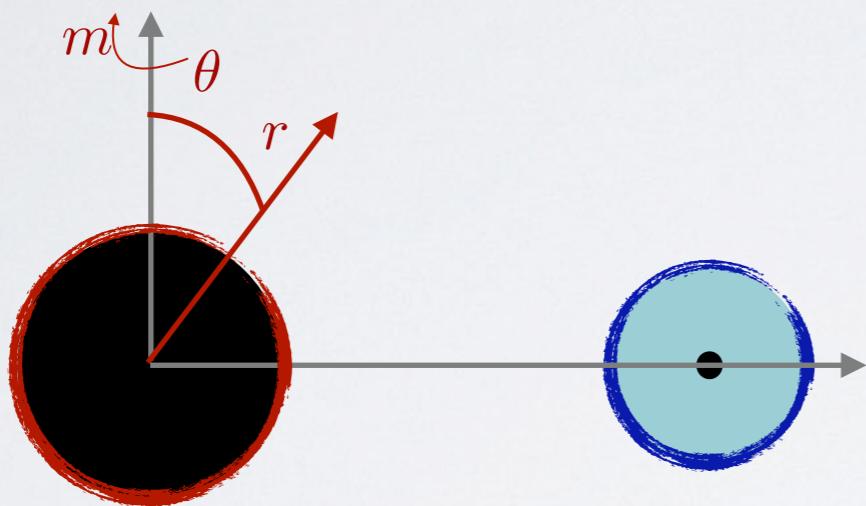
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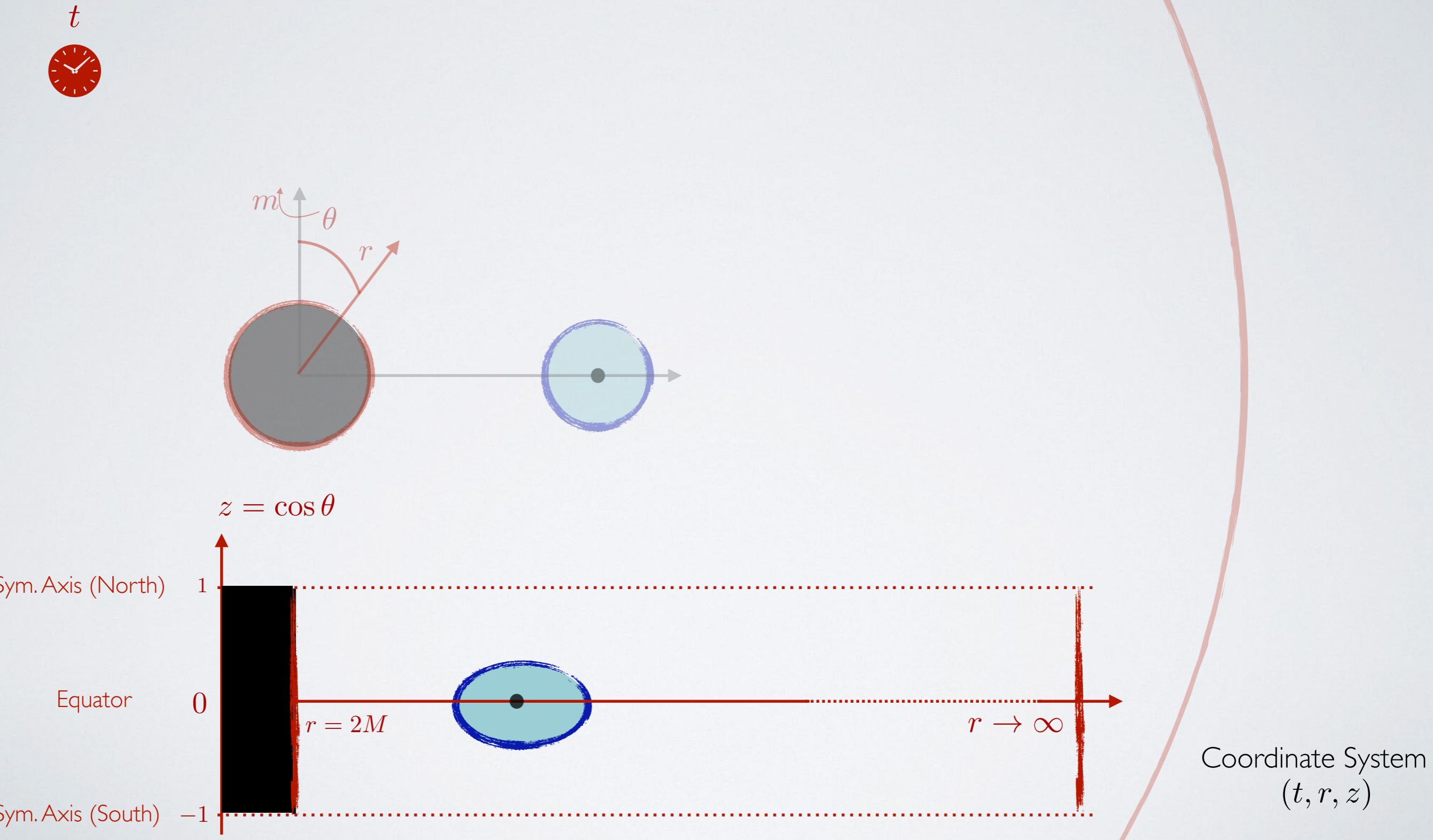


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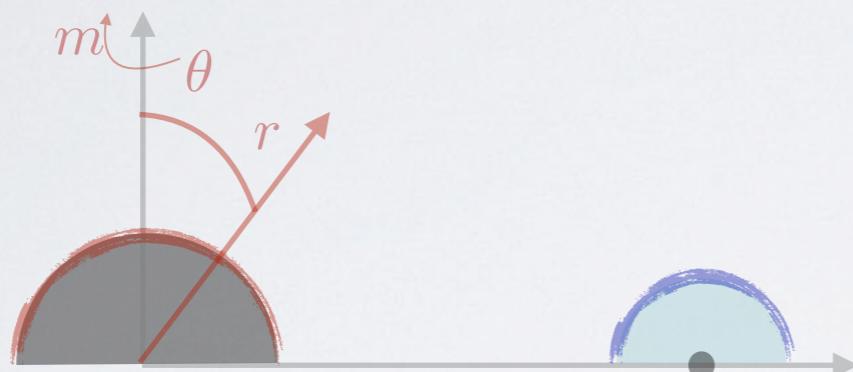
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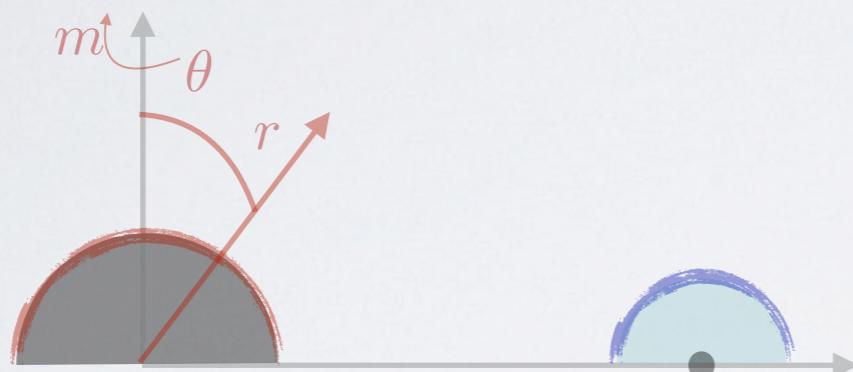
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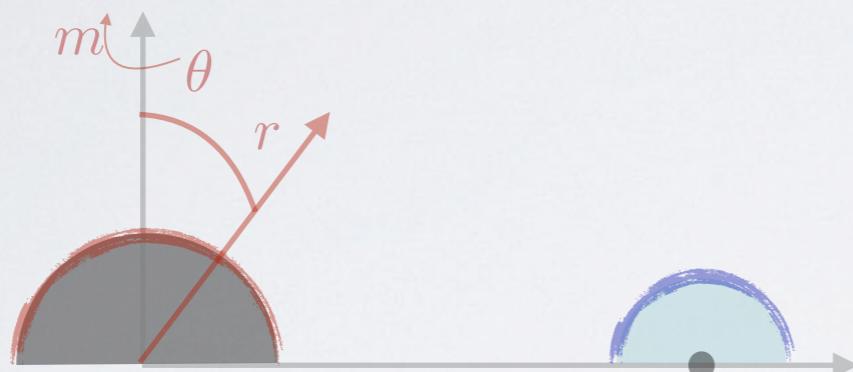
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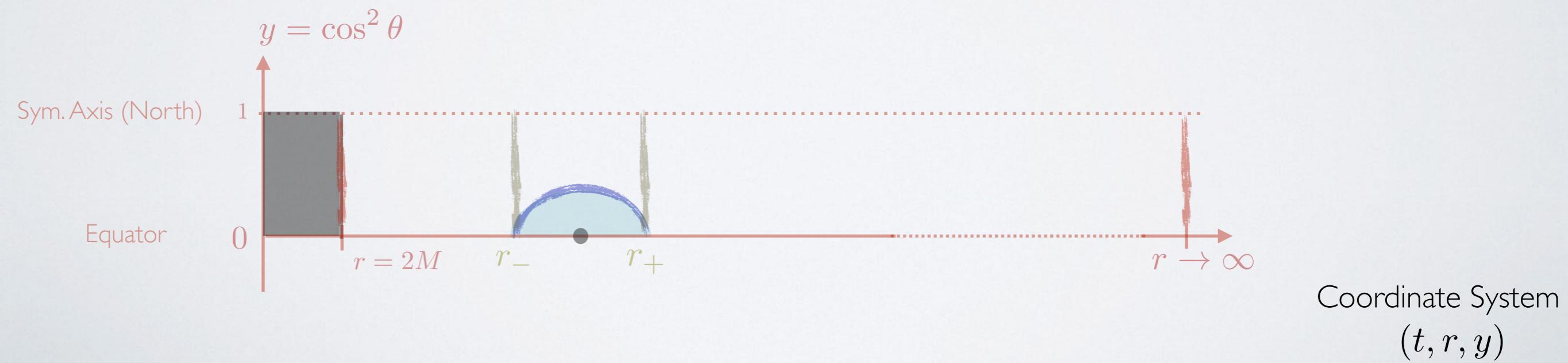
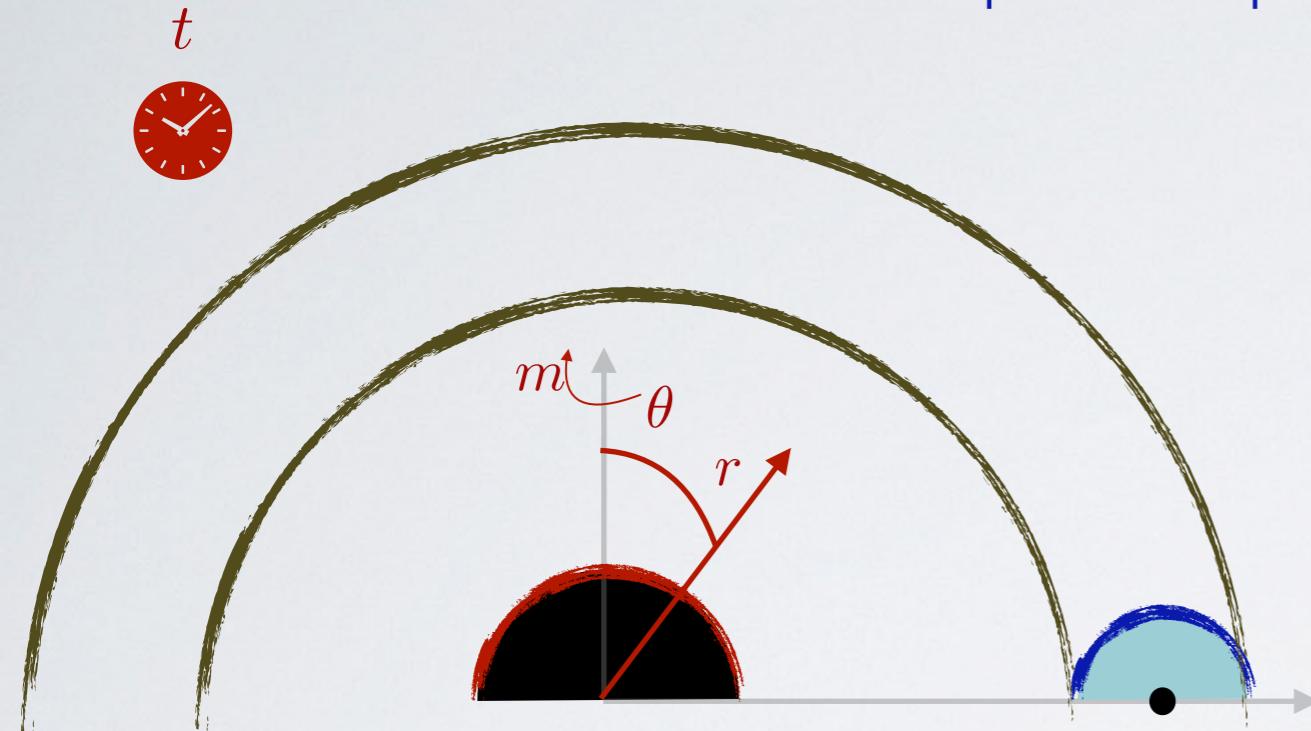
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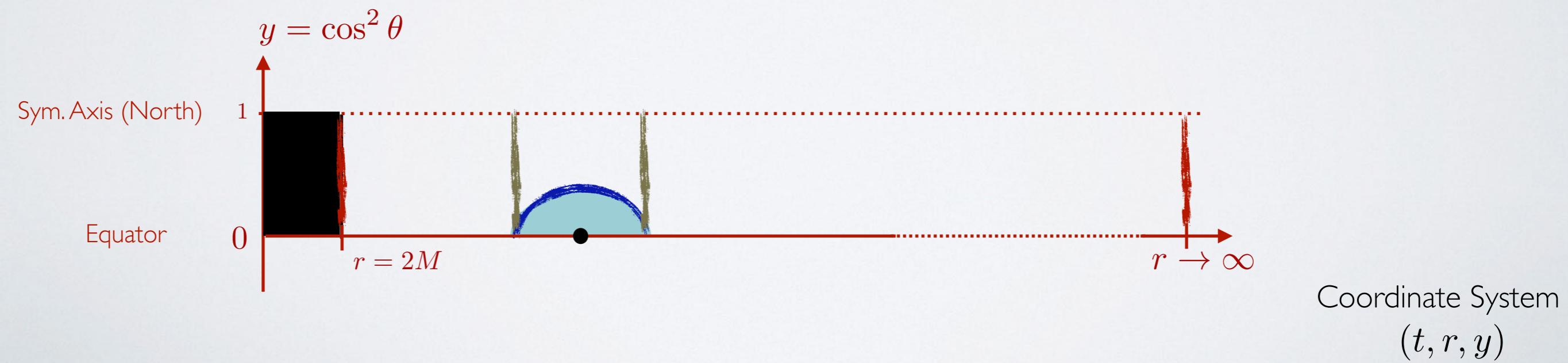
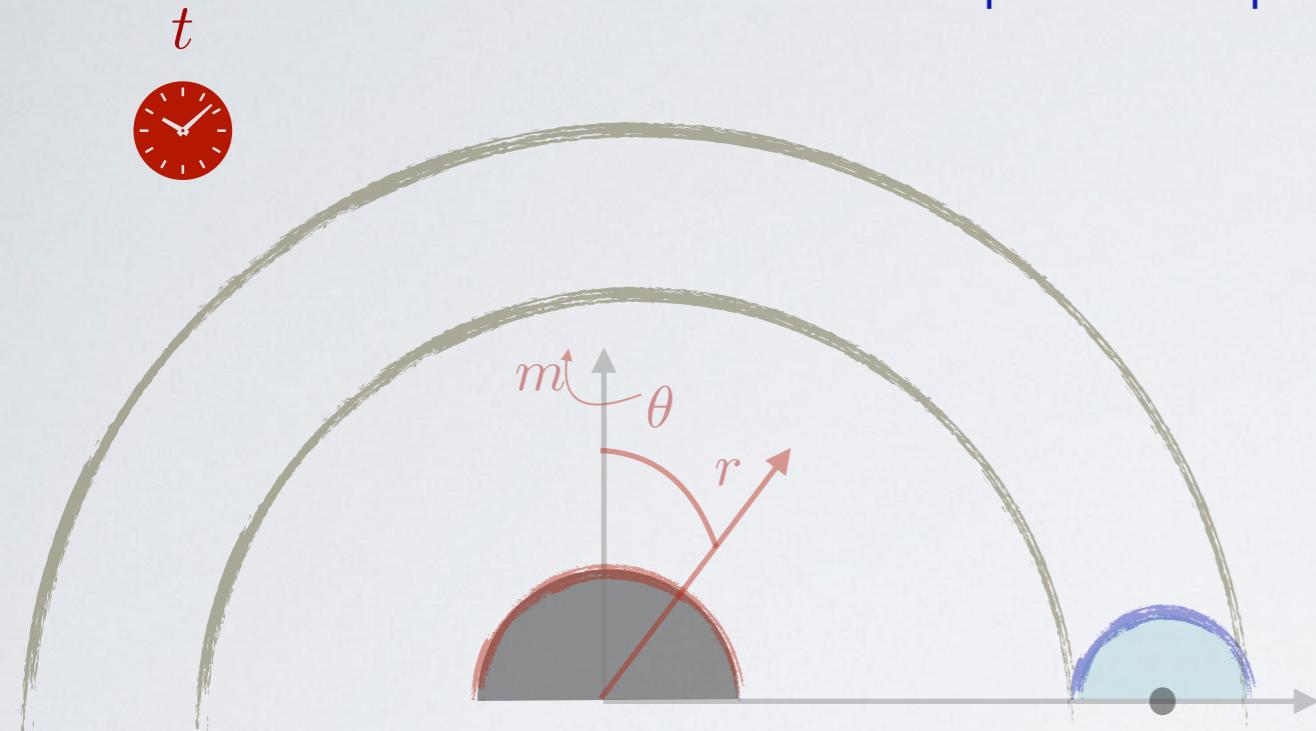


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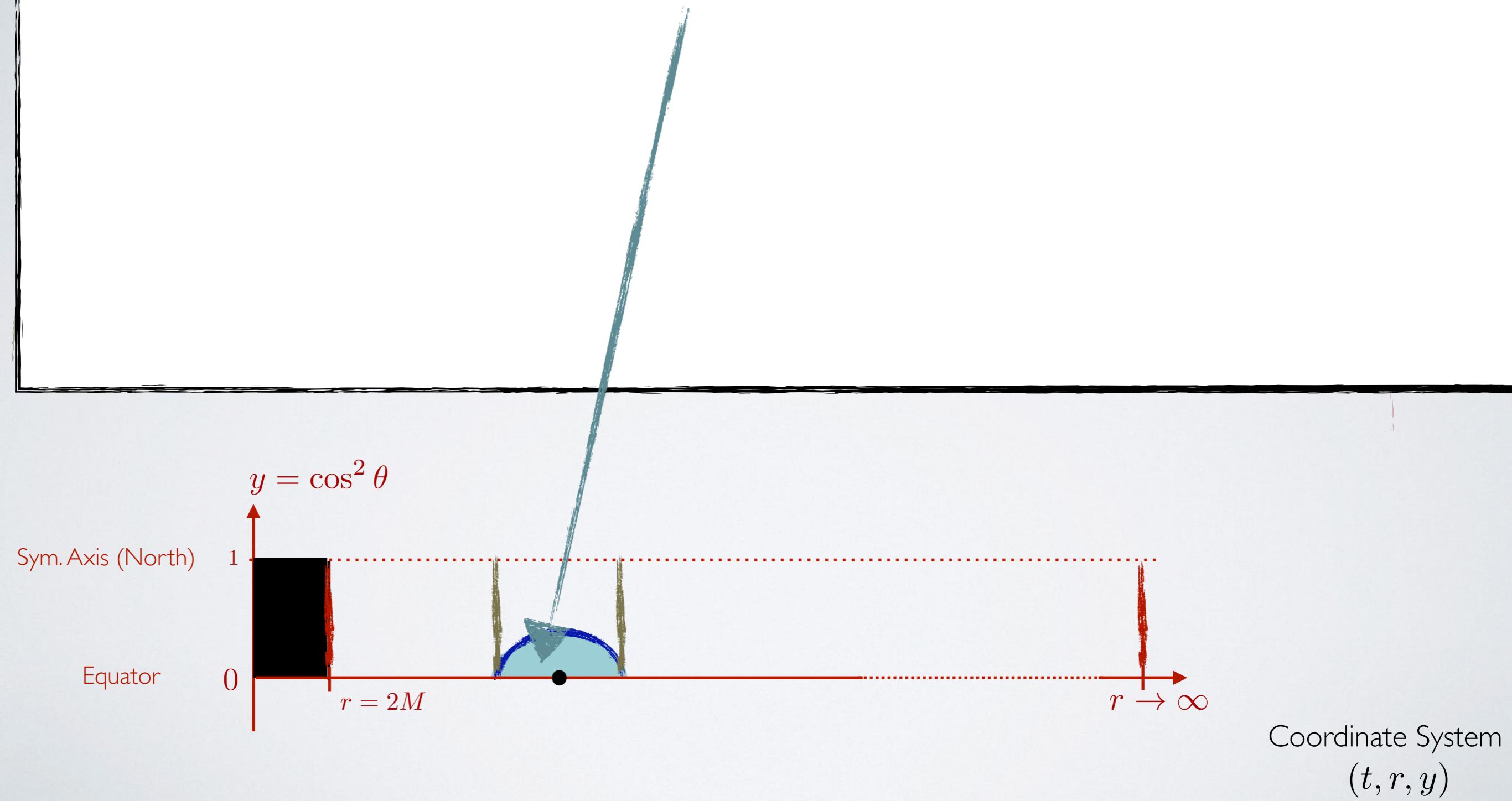
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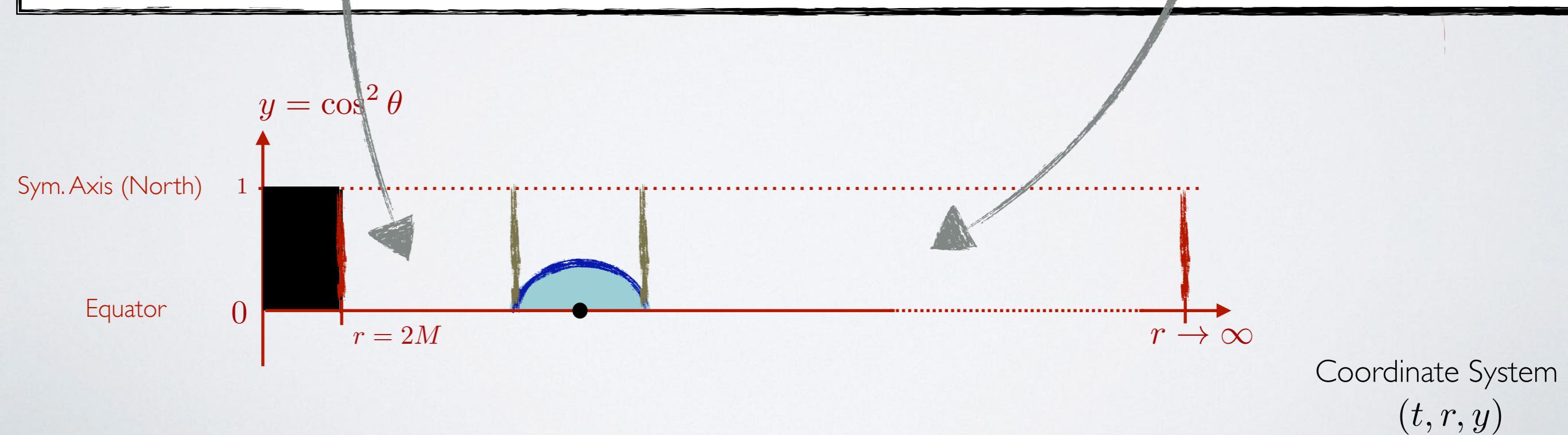
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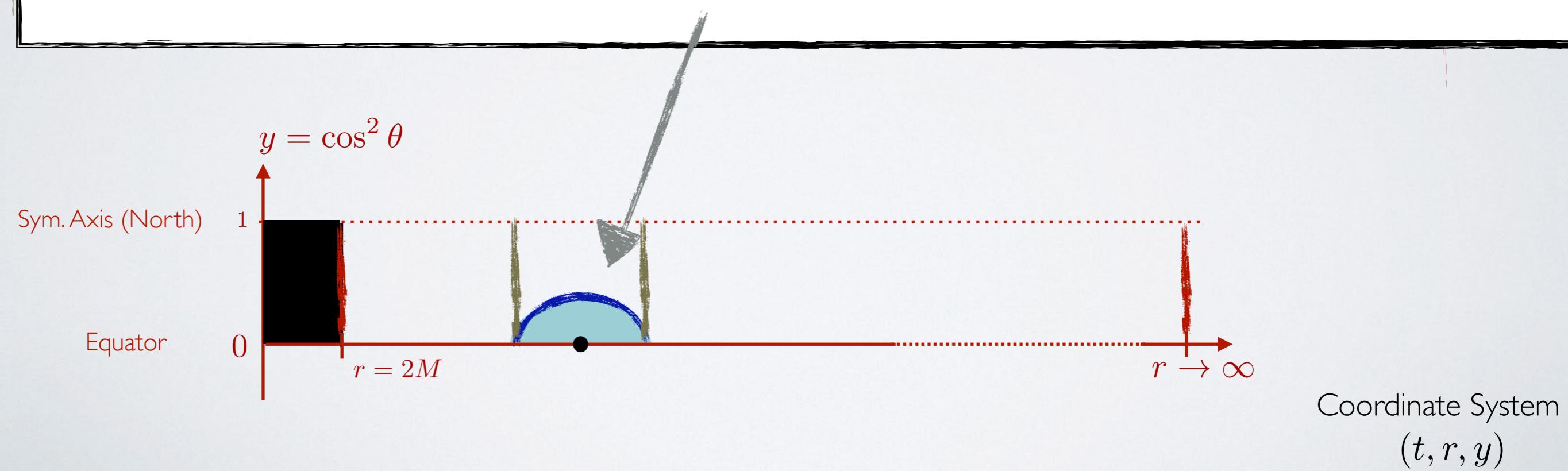
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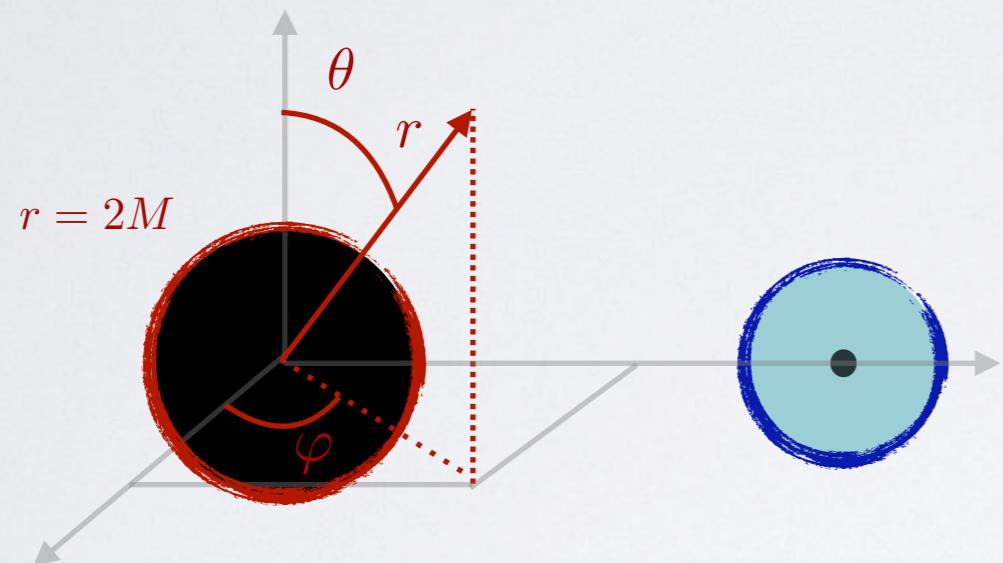
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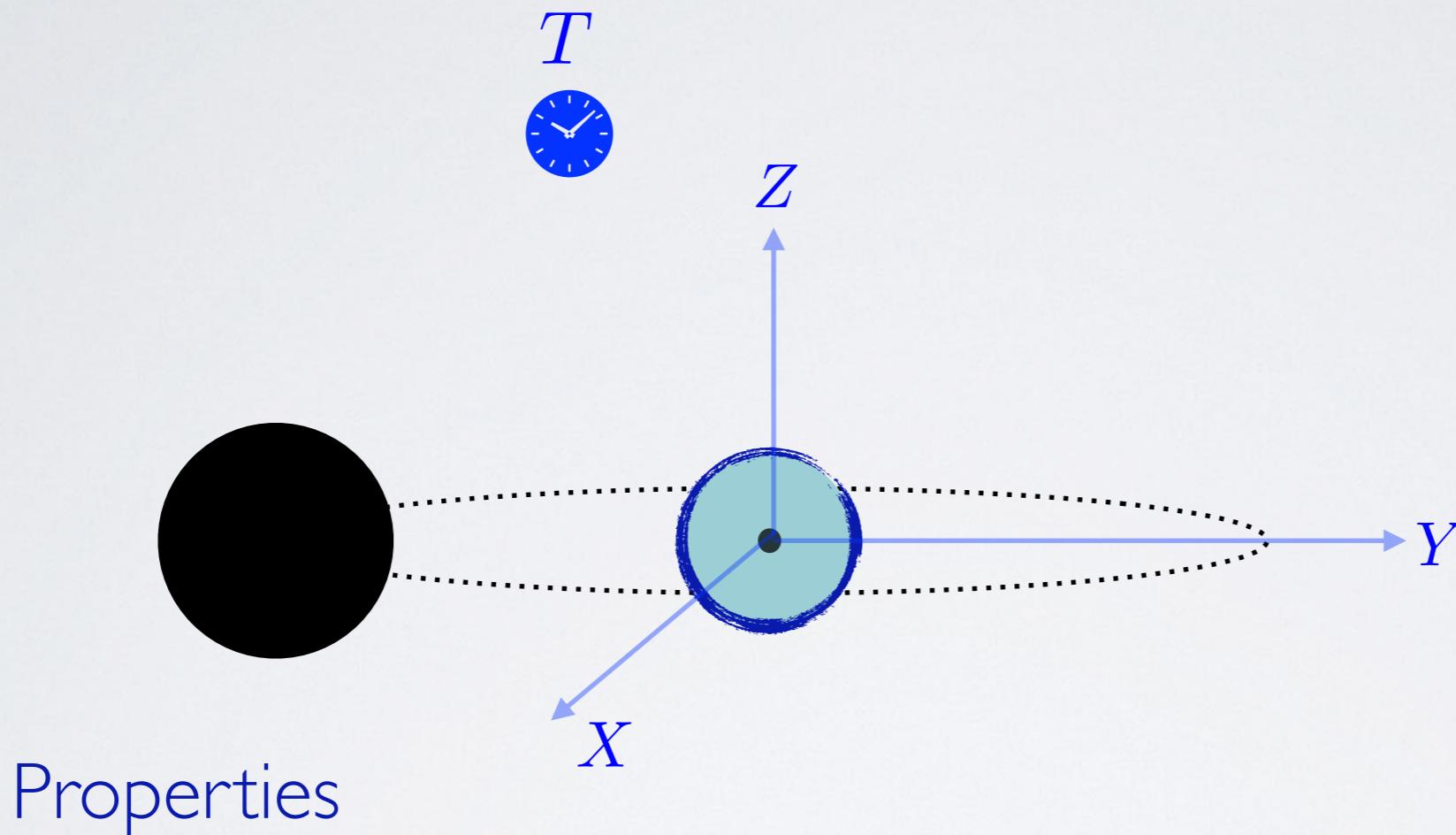


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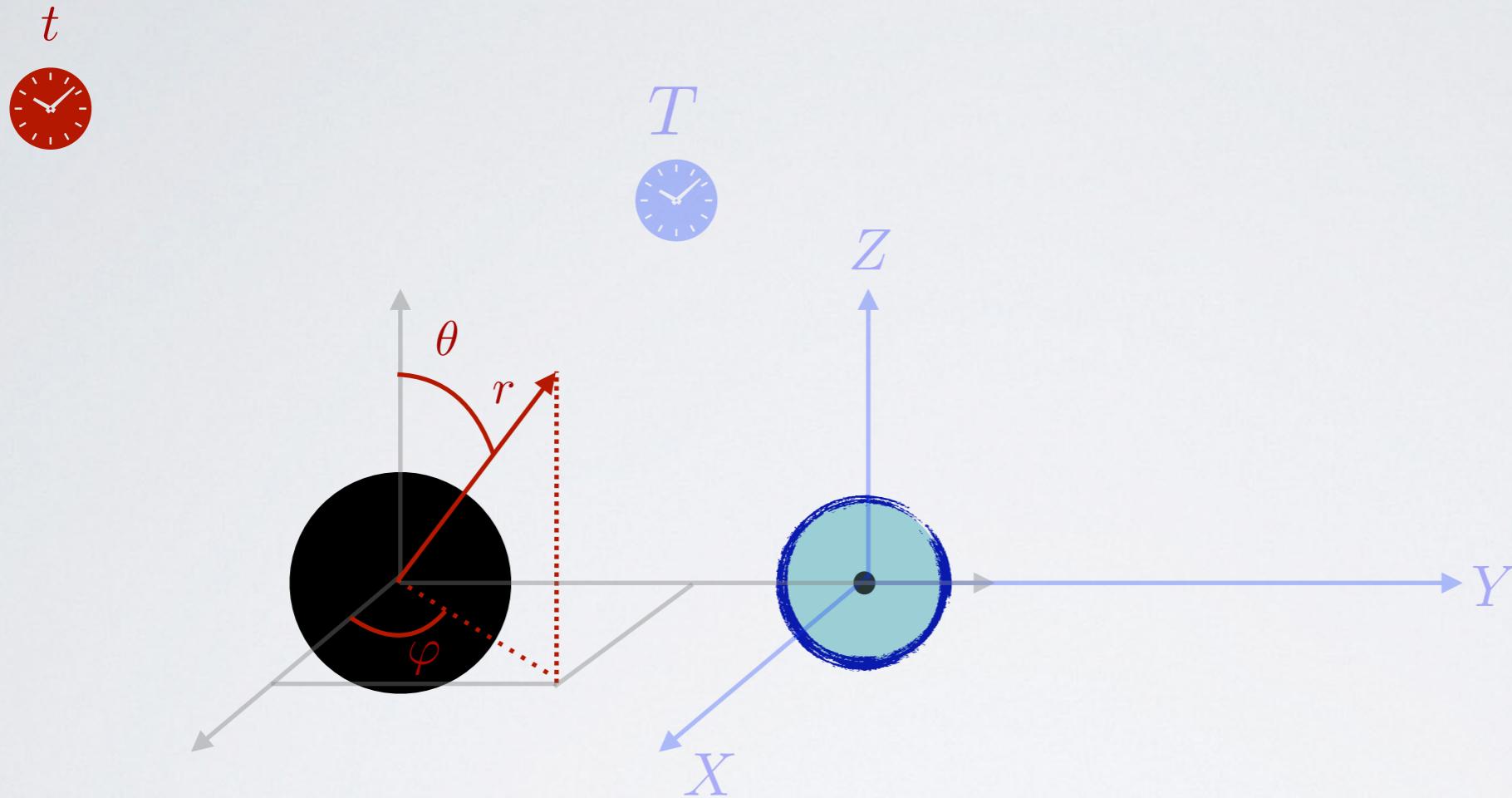
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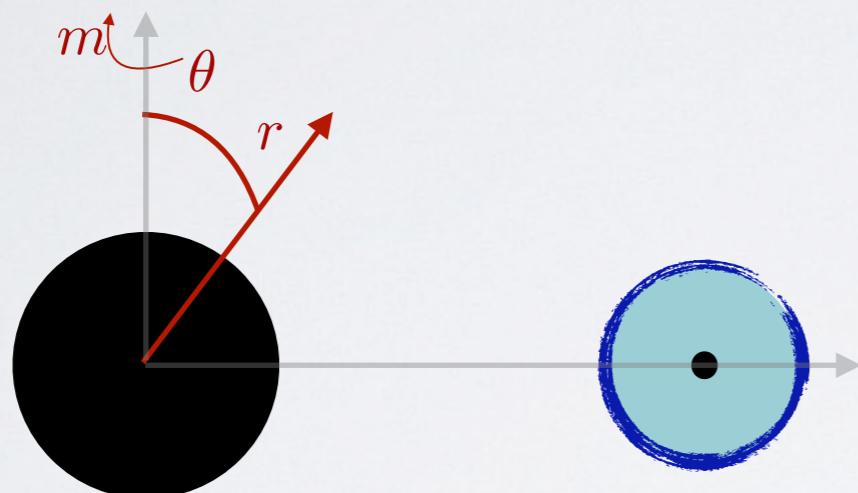
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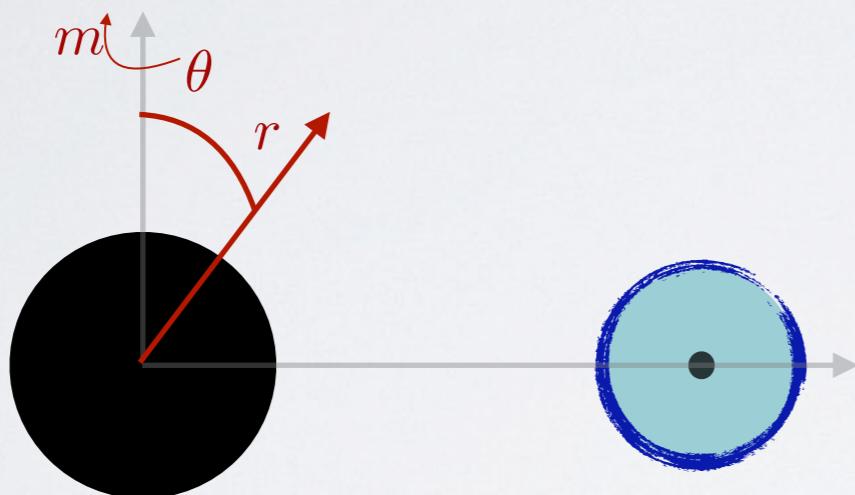
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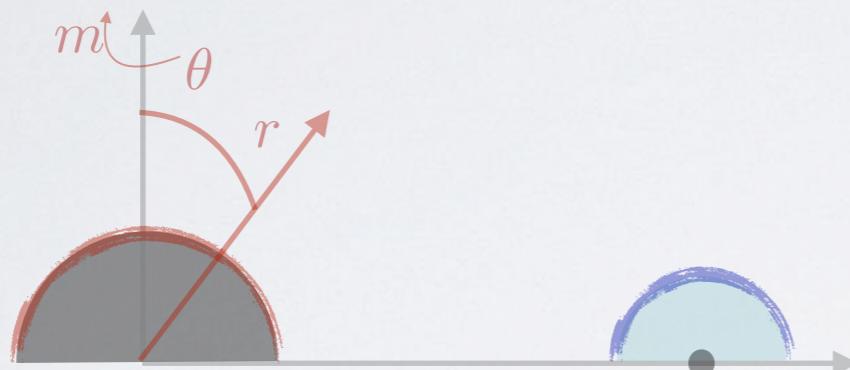
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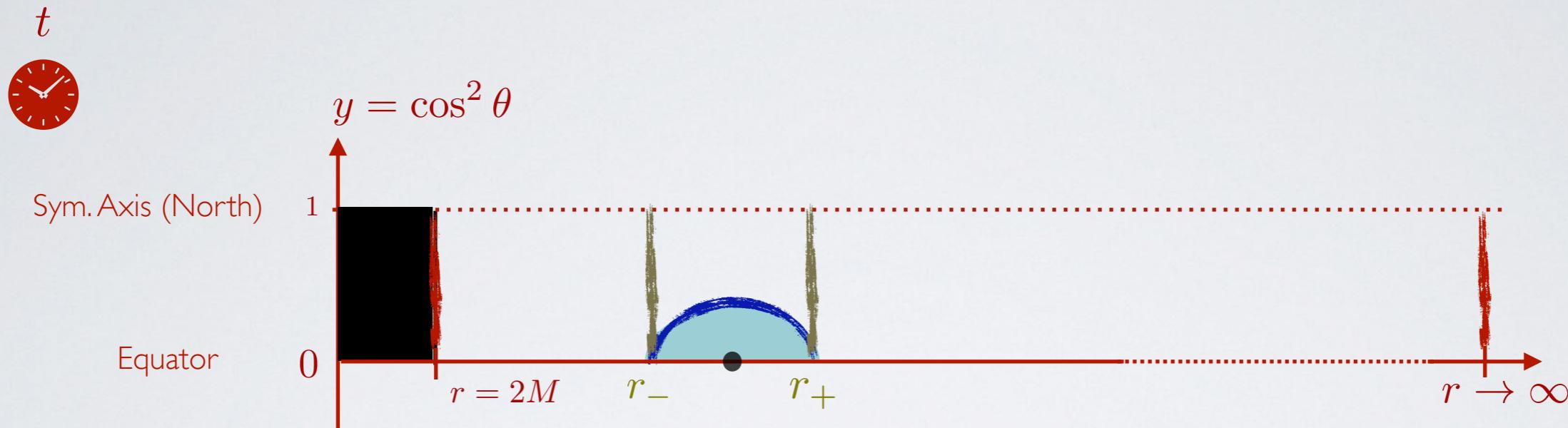
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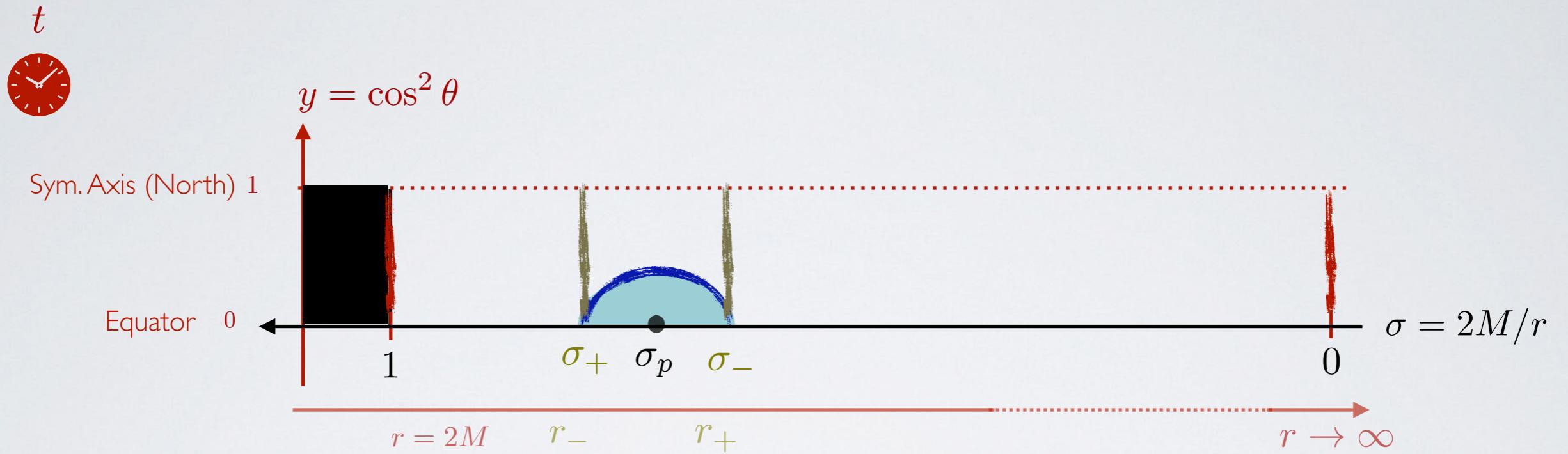


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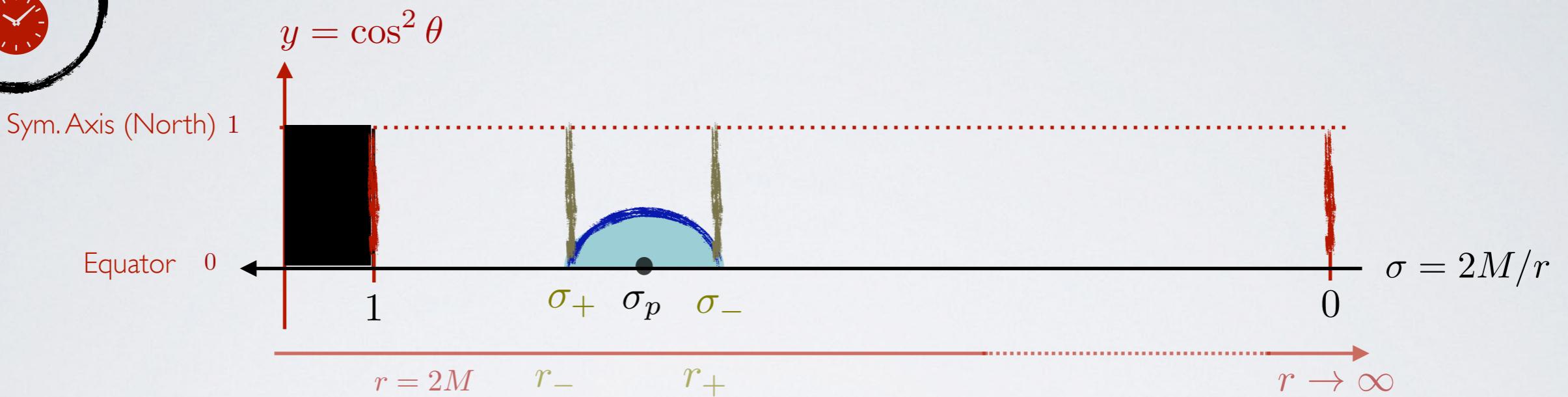


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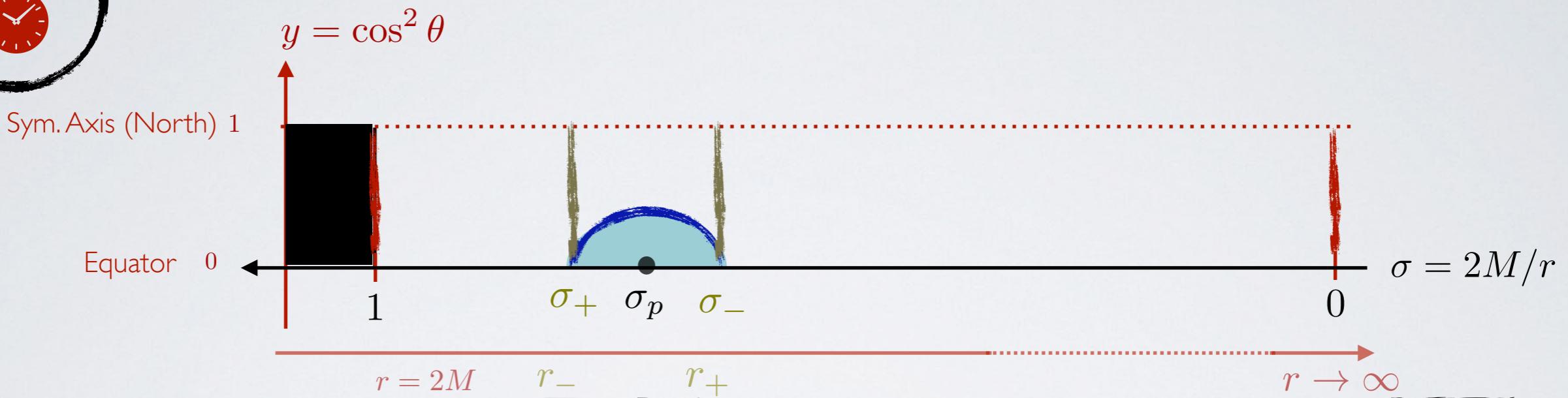
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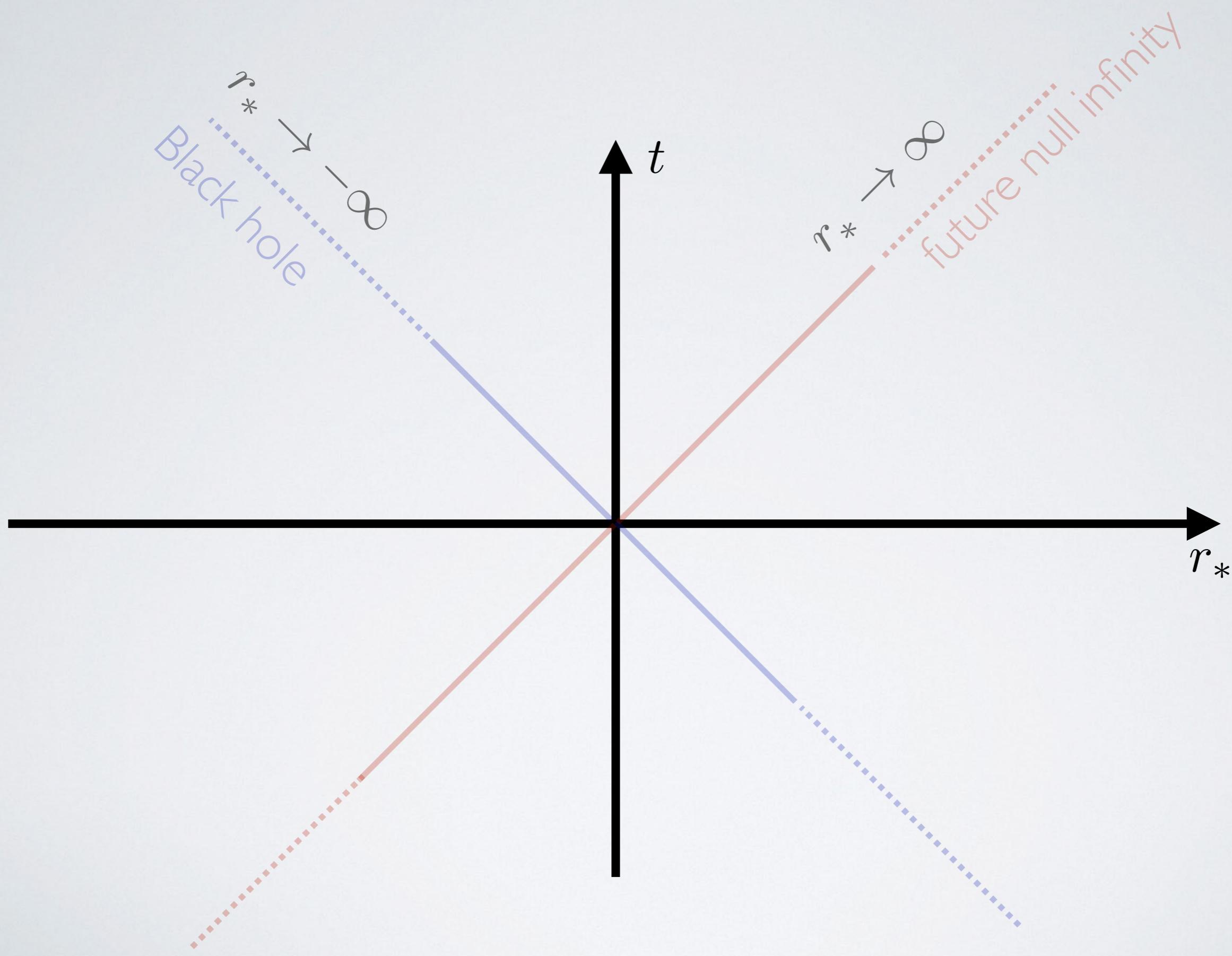
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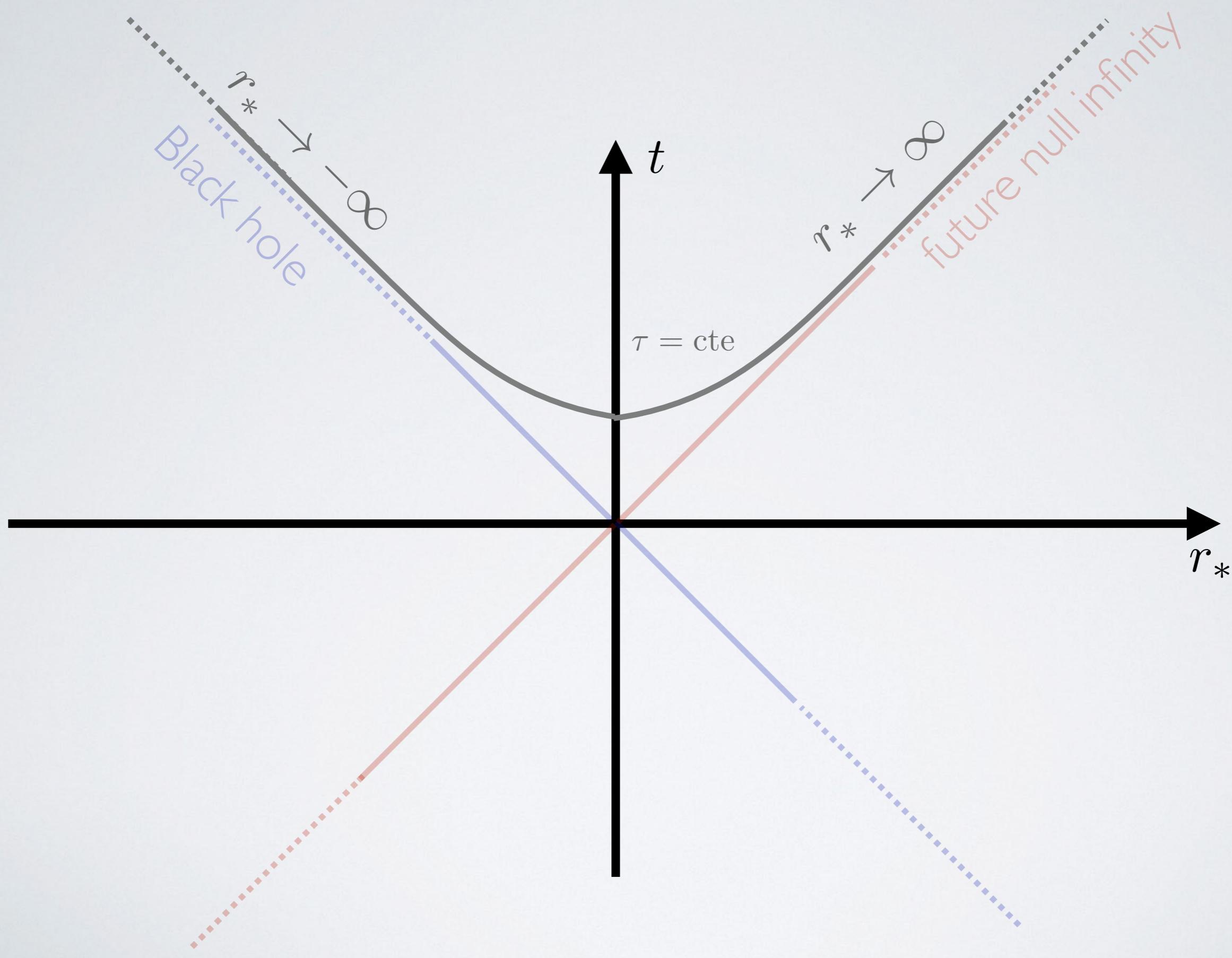
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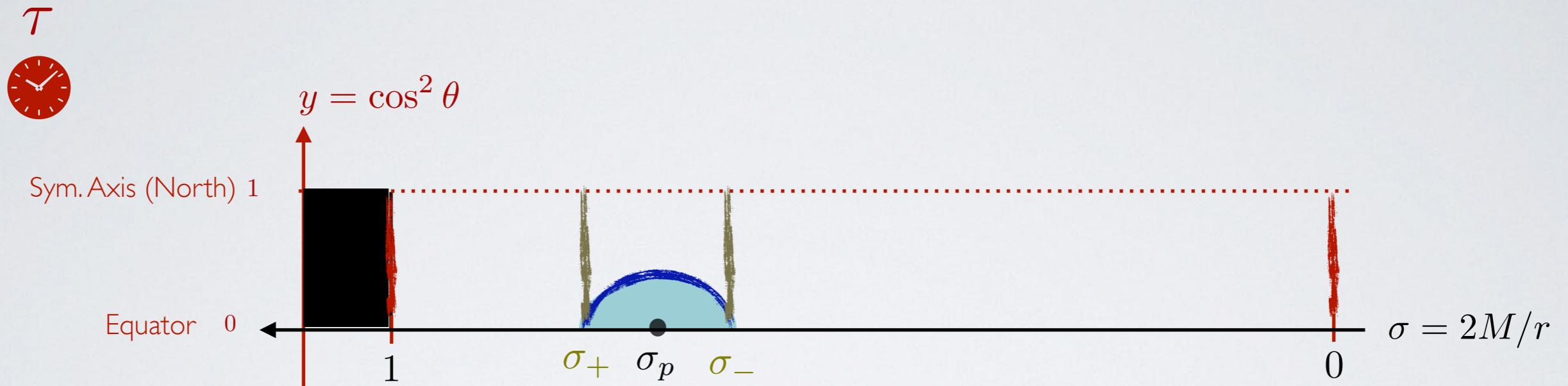
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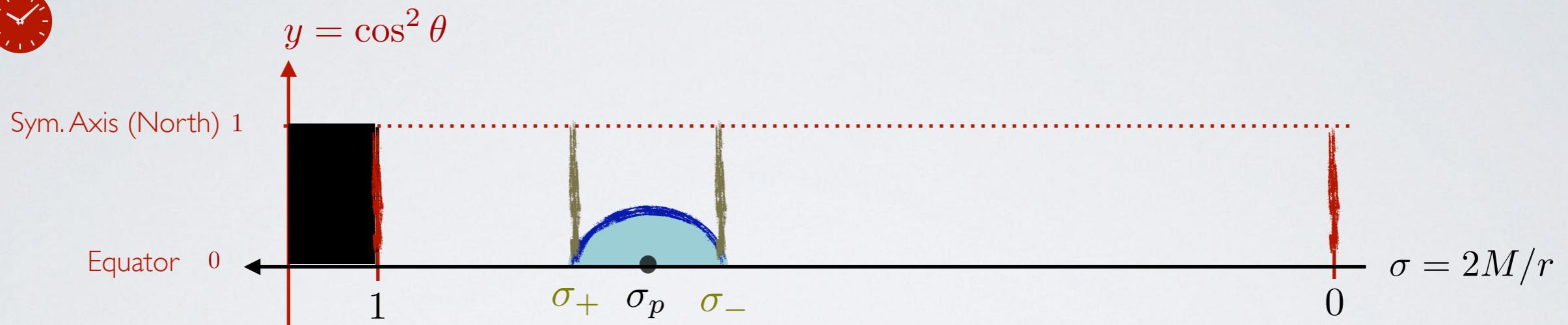
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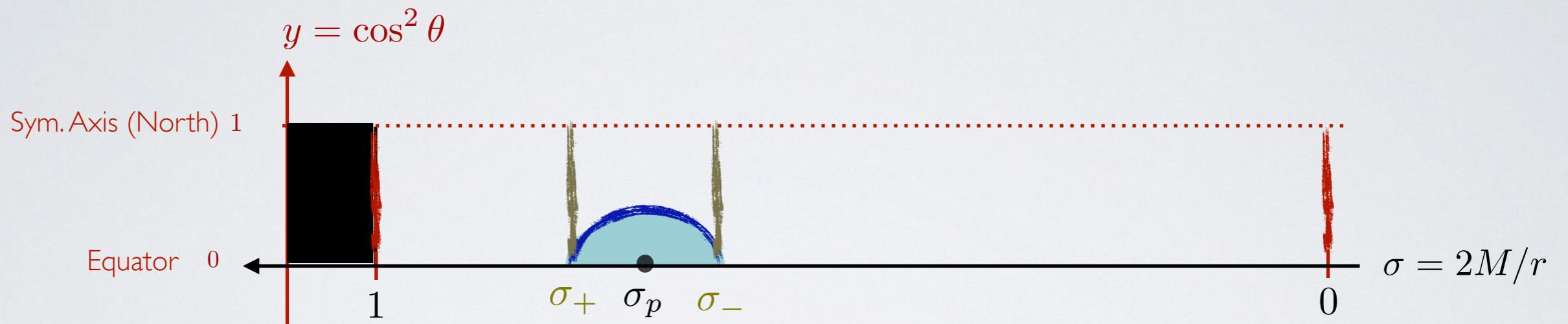


$$\Phi \sim e^{-i\omega_m \tau} \tilde{\phi}_m(\sigma, y)$$

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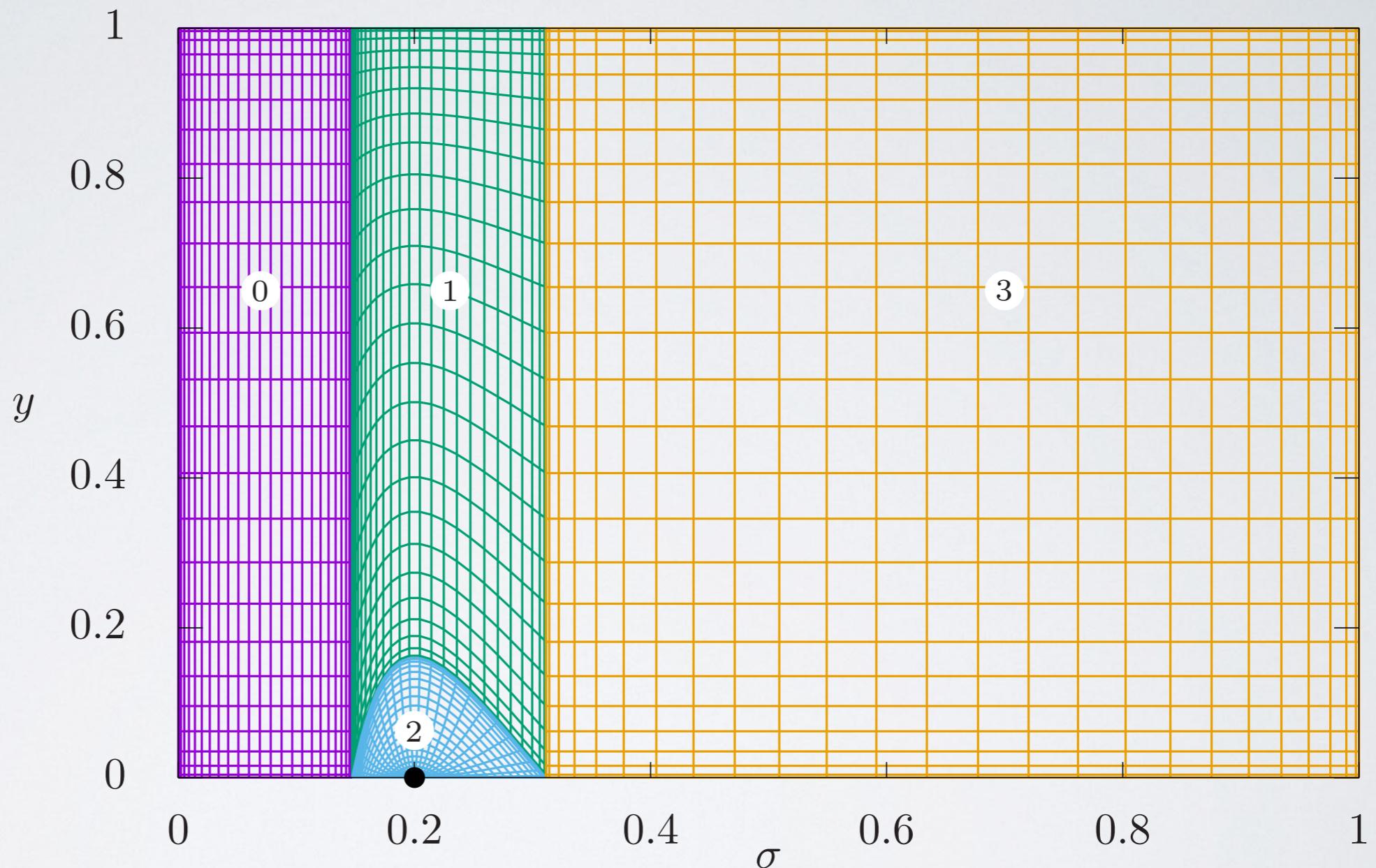
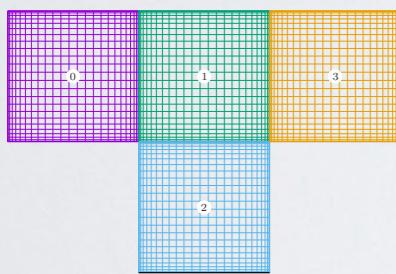


$$\Phi \sim e^{-i\omega_m \tau} \tilde{\phi}_m(\sigma, y)$$

Coordinate System  
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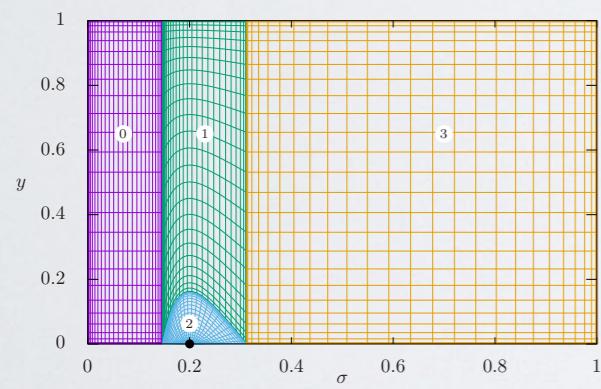
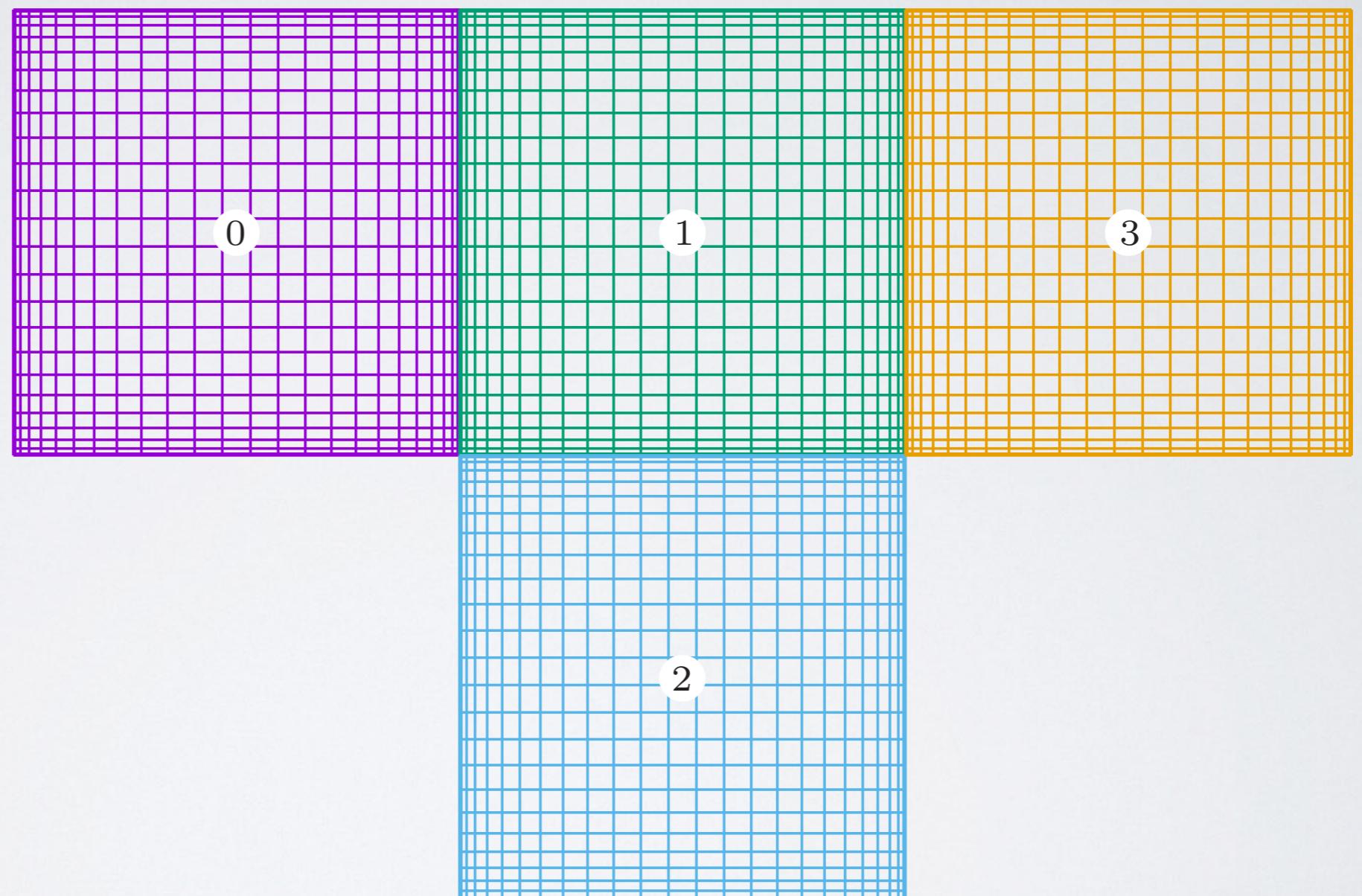
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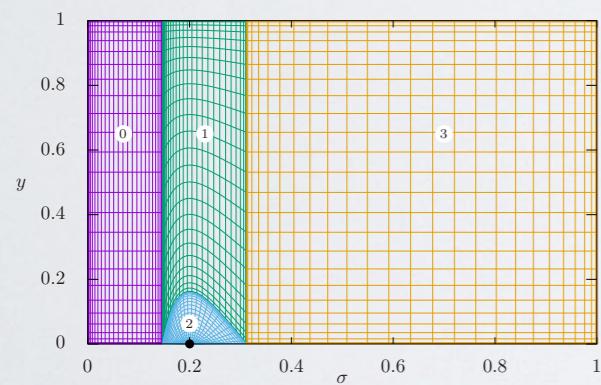
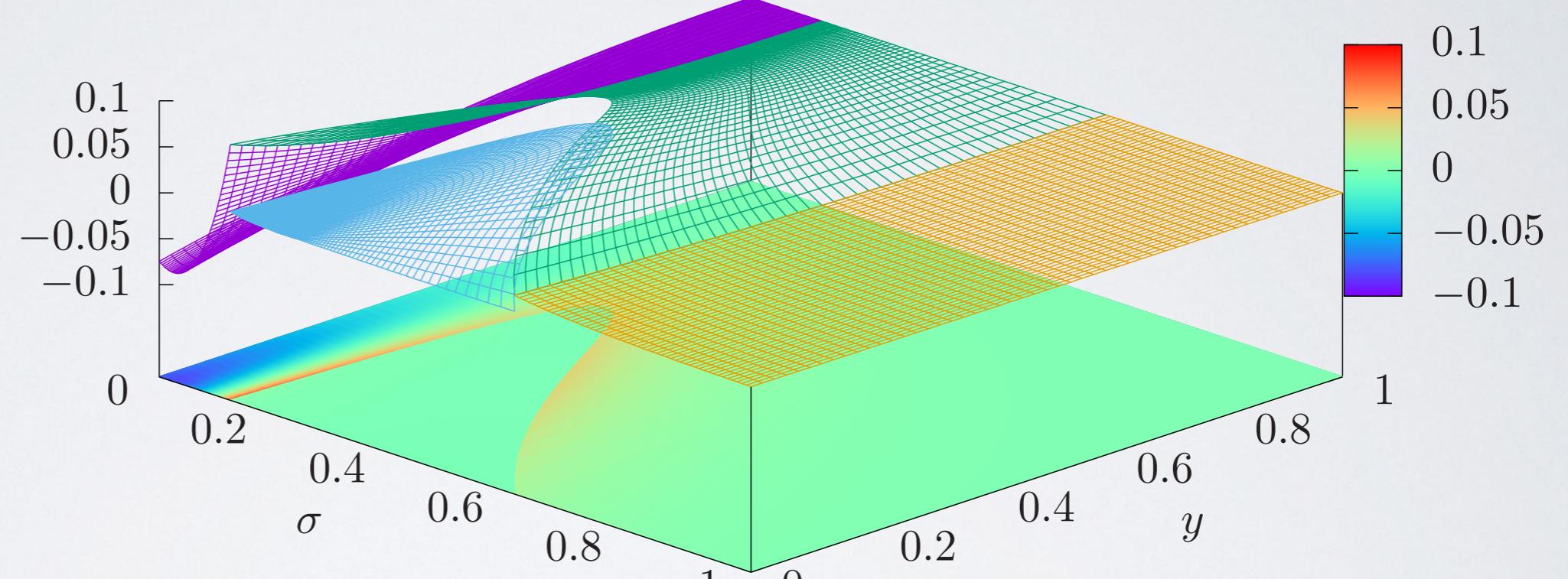
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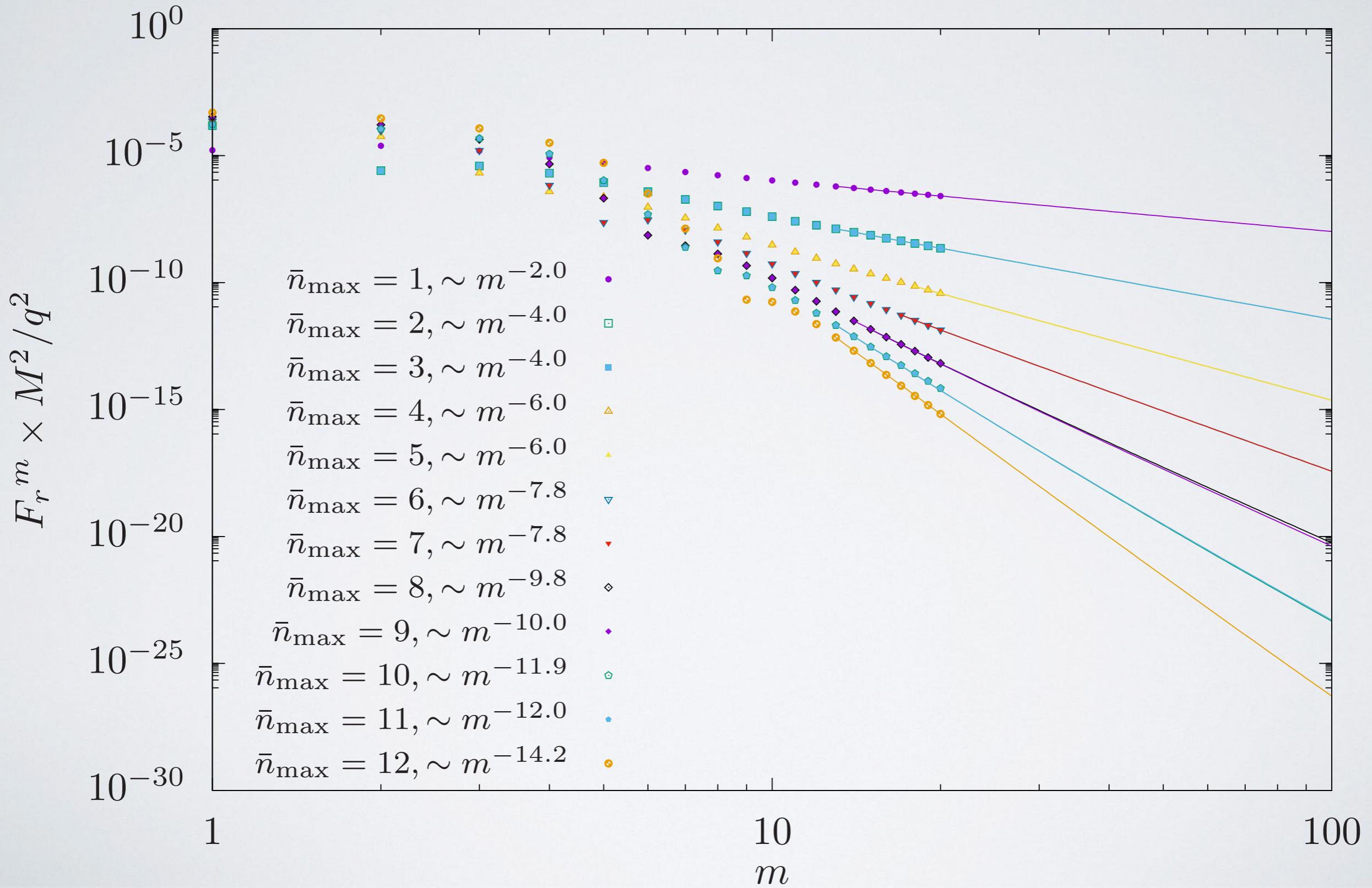
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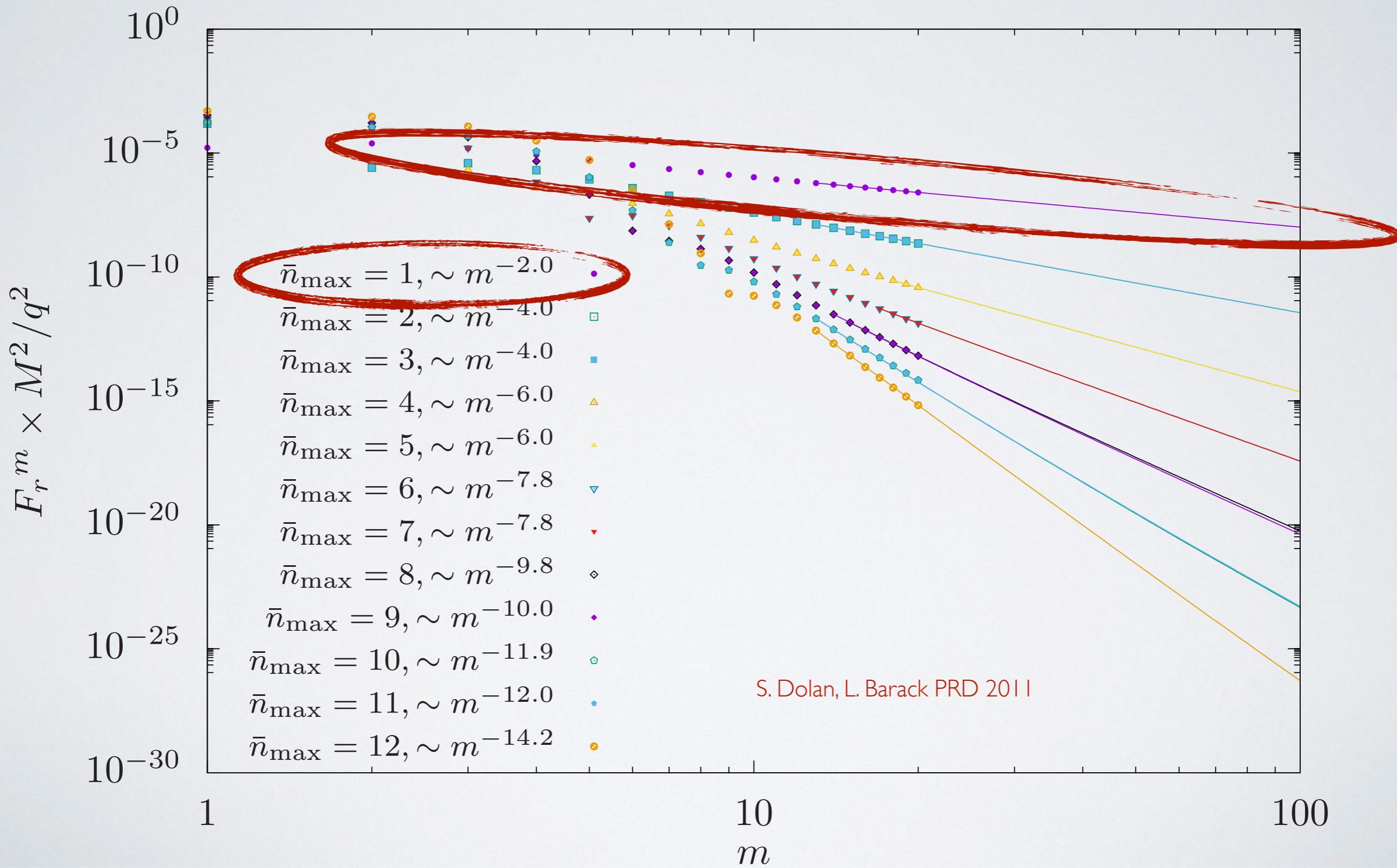
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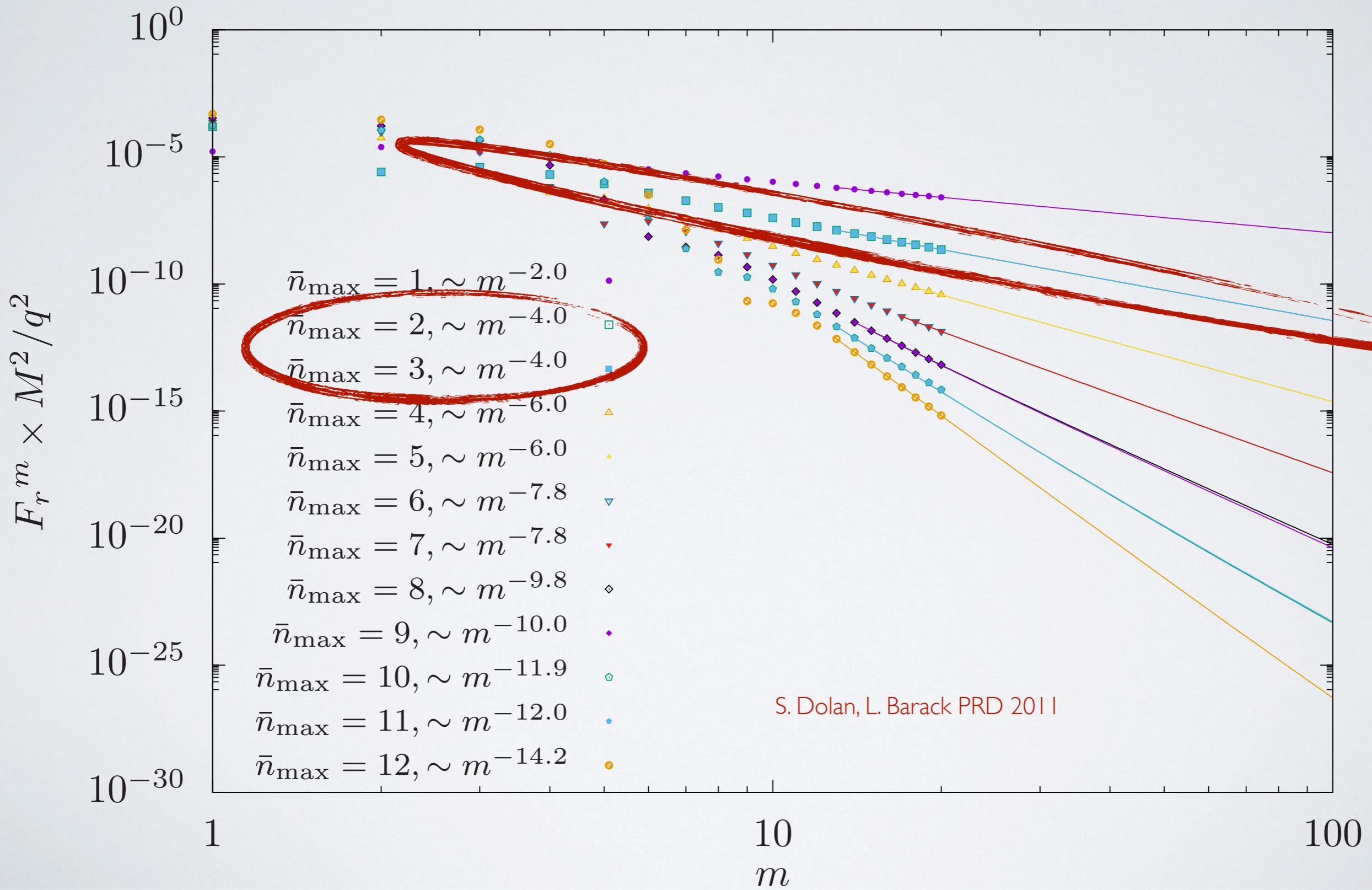
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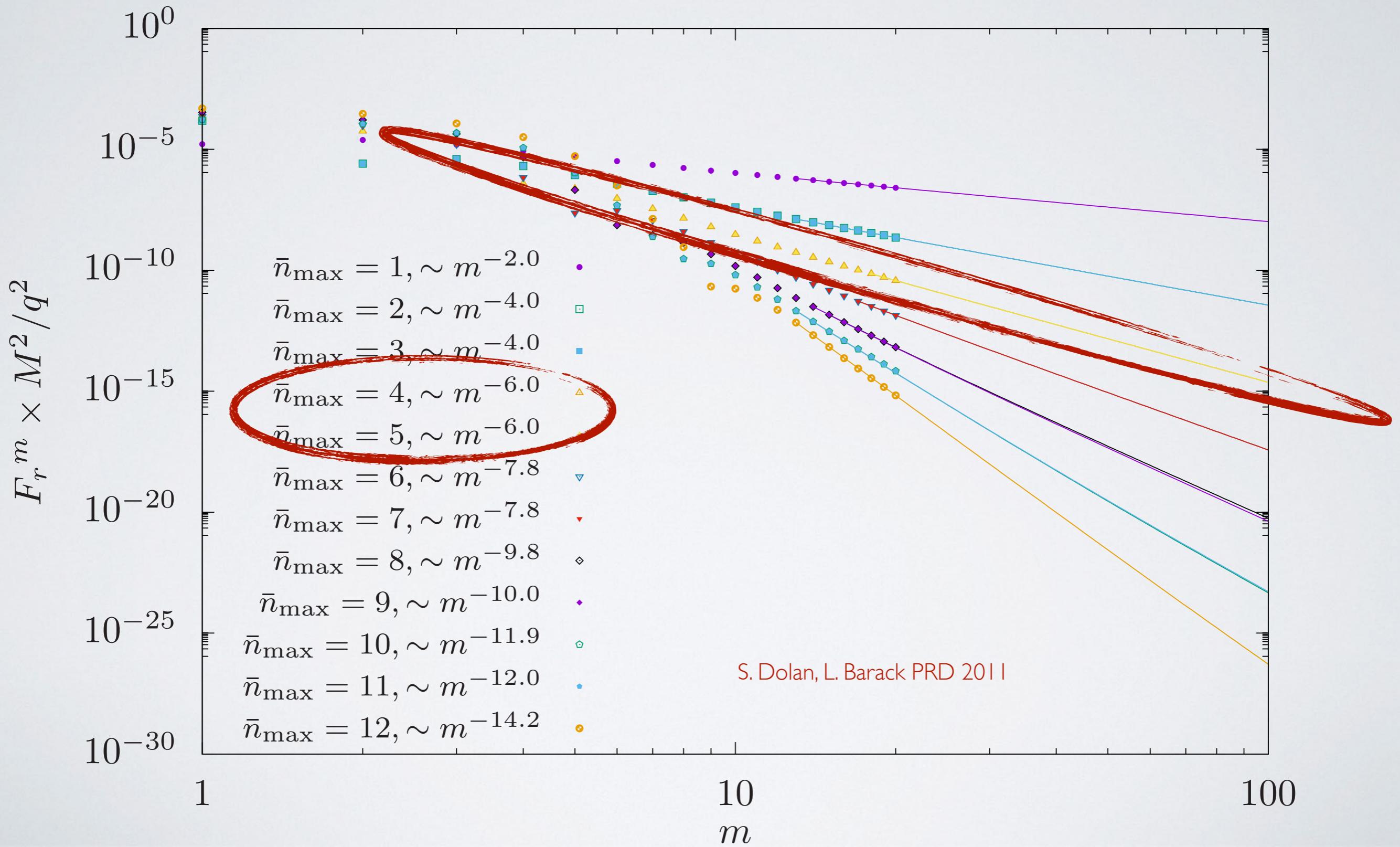
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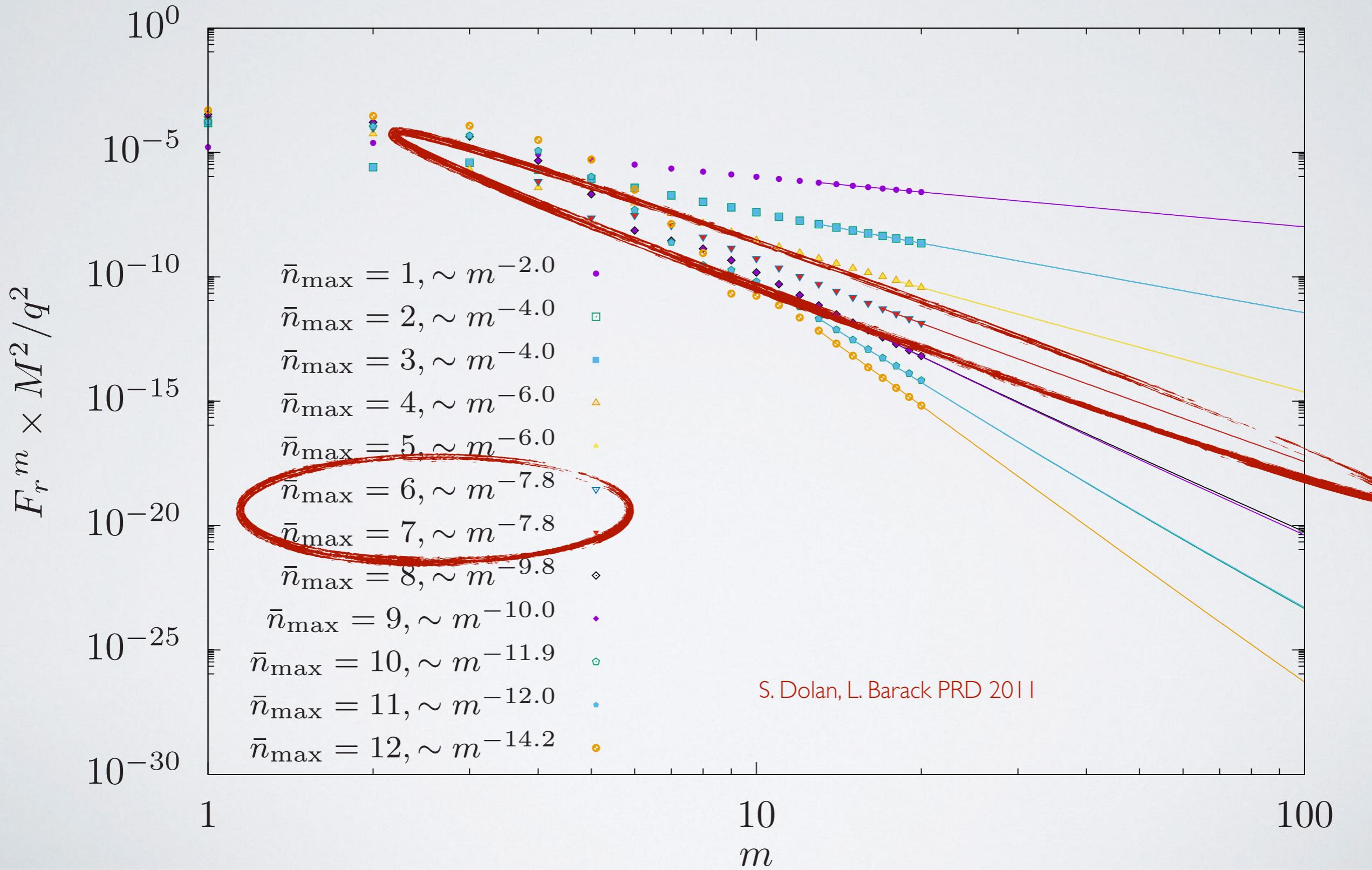
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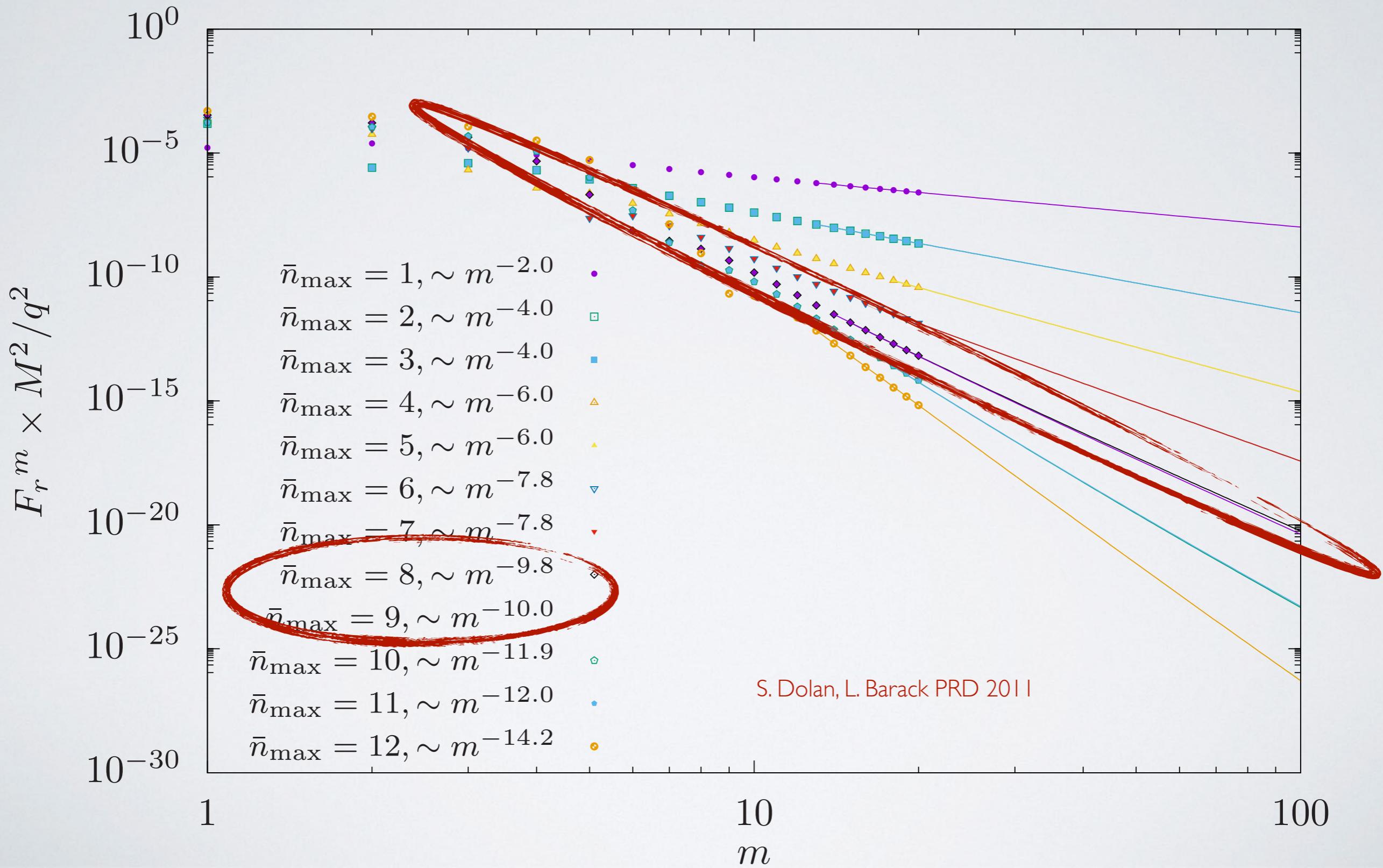
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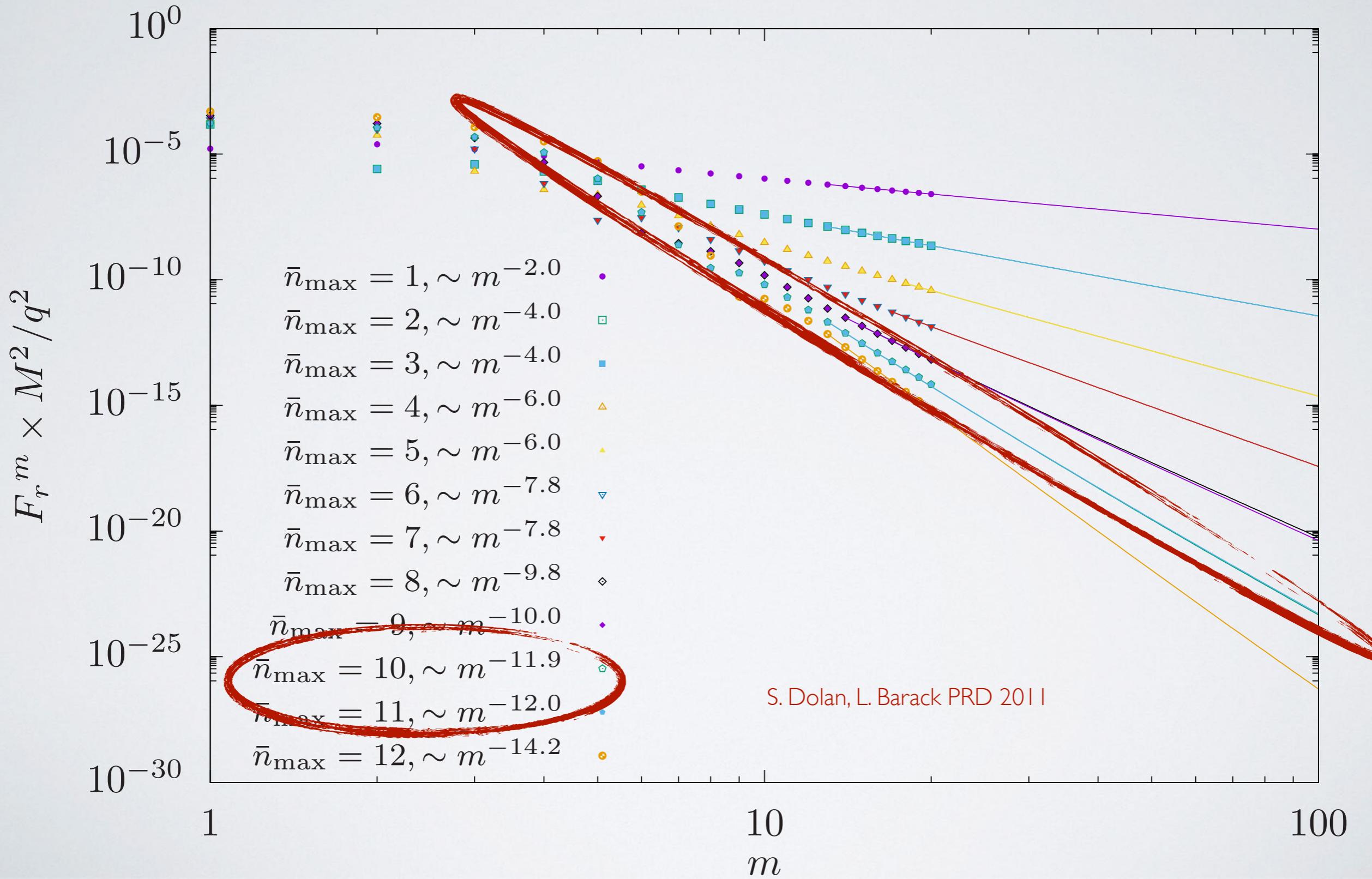
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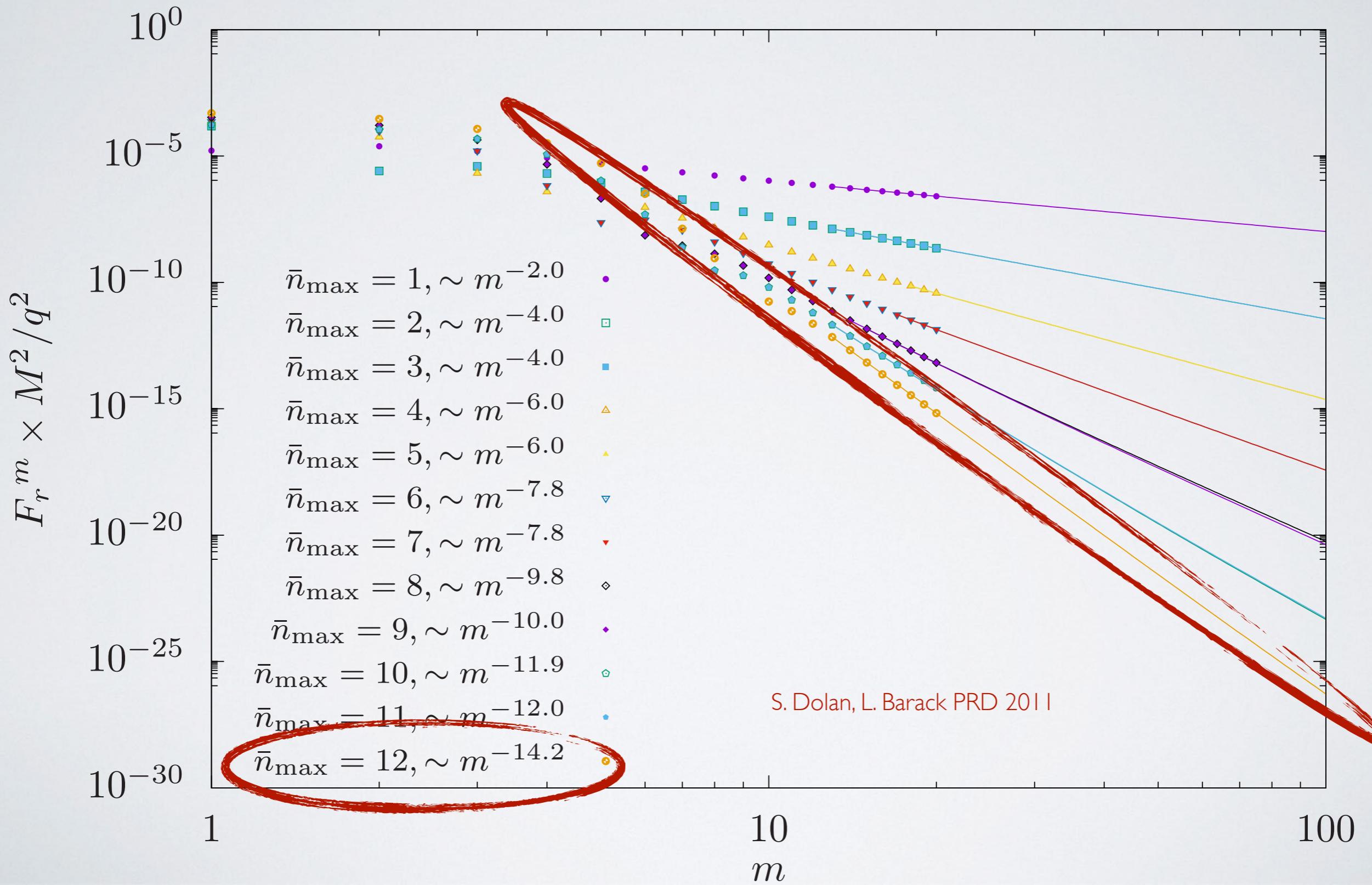
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Elliptic Solver for  
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$$F_r = 1.3784 \times 10^{-5} q^2/M^2 \quad \text{T. Osburn, N. Nishimura PRD 2022}$$

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$$F_r \times 10^5 M^2/q^2$$

$\bar{n}_{\max}$	Numerical ( $m \in [0, 20]$ )	Rel. Error	High- $m$ fit ( $m \in [0, 100]$ )	Rel. Error
1	0.8773923605	$3 \times 10^{-1}$	1.277643667	$7 \times 10^{-2}$
2, 3	1.377054775	$1 \times 10^{-3}$	1.378440334	$6 \times 10^{-6}$
4, 5	1.378435277	$9 \times 10^{-6}$	1.378448291	$2 \times 10^{-8}$
6, 7	1.378447937	$2 \times 10^{-7}$	1.378448259	$7 \times 10^{-10}$
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include gravity case, polish up, system of equations, add to BHPT  
[I need help for that! Volunteers?]

# PERSPECTIVE

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### Phase II:

Problems in Kerr at first order GSF  
Start developing the interface with  
problems at second order GSF