

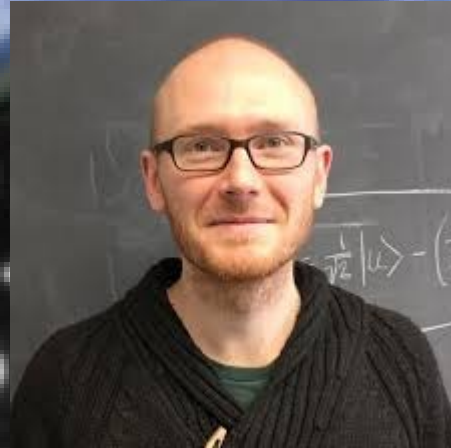
Discussion about applications of holography

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OVERVIEW

BOUNDS AND UNIVERSALITY

CONDENSED MATTER

HYDRODYNAMICS AND BEYOND





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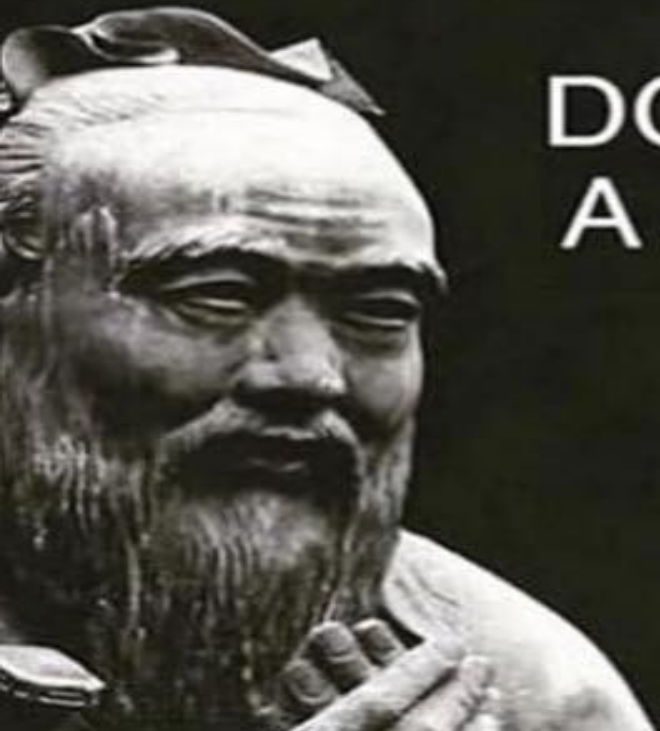
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STUDENTS SPEAK UP !

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A QUESTION IS A FOOL
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THE MAN WHO
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A FOOL FOR LIFE.

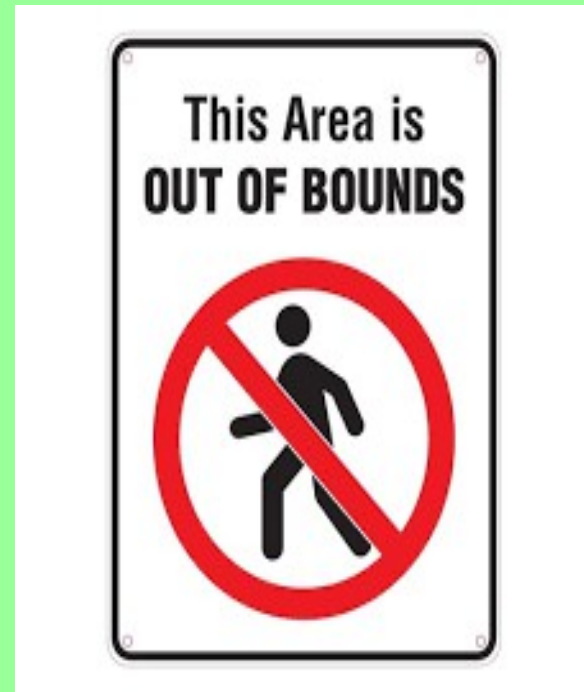
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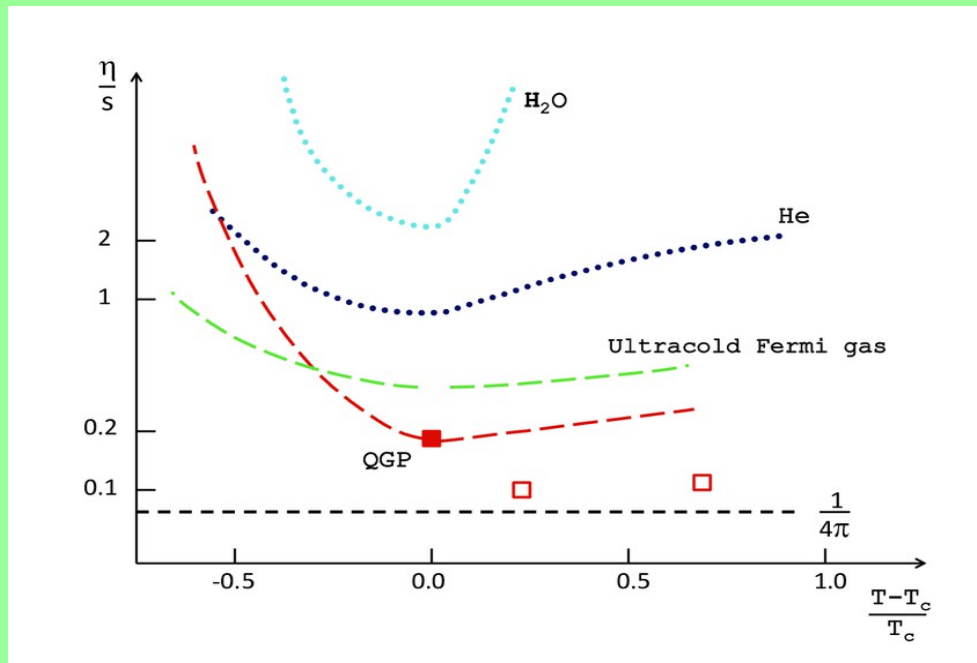
Theme 1



Universality, scalings and bounds



UNIVERSALITY AND BOUNDS



Plenty of violations:

- 1) breaking translations
- 2) breaking isotropy
- 3) magnetic field
- 4) SYK
- 5) viscoelastic fermi liquids
- 6)

1) Is it the correct quantity to bound ? Can experiments detect the violations and what they are actually measuring (momentum diffusion ?)

2) Generalizations ? Similar bounds (sound speed, entropy production, ...) ?

3) What is the meaning of those violations (faster than Planckian ?) ?

$$D \geq v^2 \tau$$

IS THIS BETTER?

1) Who is **v** ? Mike told us is v_B (and it works) but why ?
What about $v = v_{\text{sound}}$?

2) How to put that together with: $D \leq v_{\text{lightcone}}^2 \tau_{eq}$

3) Does it work only for energy diffusion and why?
Does it need an incoherent regime or not?

4) Where does the bound come from actually?
Can we "prove it" ?



τ_{pl} the Planckian time

- 1) Are we satisfied with its definition using the uncertainty principle ?
- 2) Why does it appear at large temperature where the physics is classic ?
And is it linked to other bounds (e.g. speed of sound) ?

[arXiv:2001.03805](#) [pdf, other] [cond-mat.str-el](#) [hep-th](#) [doi](#) [10.1073/pnas.1910131116](#)

Thermalization and Possible Signatures of Quantum Chaos in Complex Crystalline Materials

Authors: Jiecheng Zhang, Erik D. Kountz, Kamran Behnia, Aharon Kapitulnik

[arXiv:1905.03551](#) [pdf, other] [cond-mat.mtrl-sci](#) [cond-mat.stat-mech](#)

[doi](#) [10.1088/1361-648X/ab2db6](#)

A lower bound to the thermal diffusivity of insulators

Authors: Kamran Behnia, Aharon Kapitulnik

[arXiv:1908.04792](#) [pdf, other] [cond-mat.mtrl-sci](#) [cond-mat.stat-mech](#)

On the Planckian bound for heat diffusion in insulators

Authors: Connie H. Mousatov, Sean A. Hartnoll



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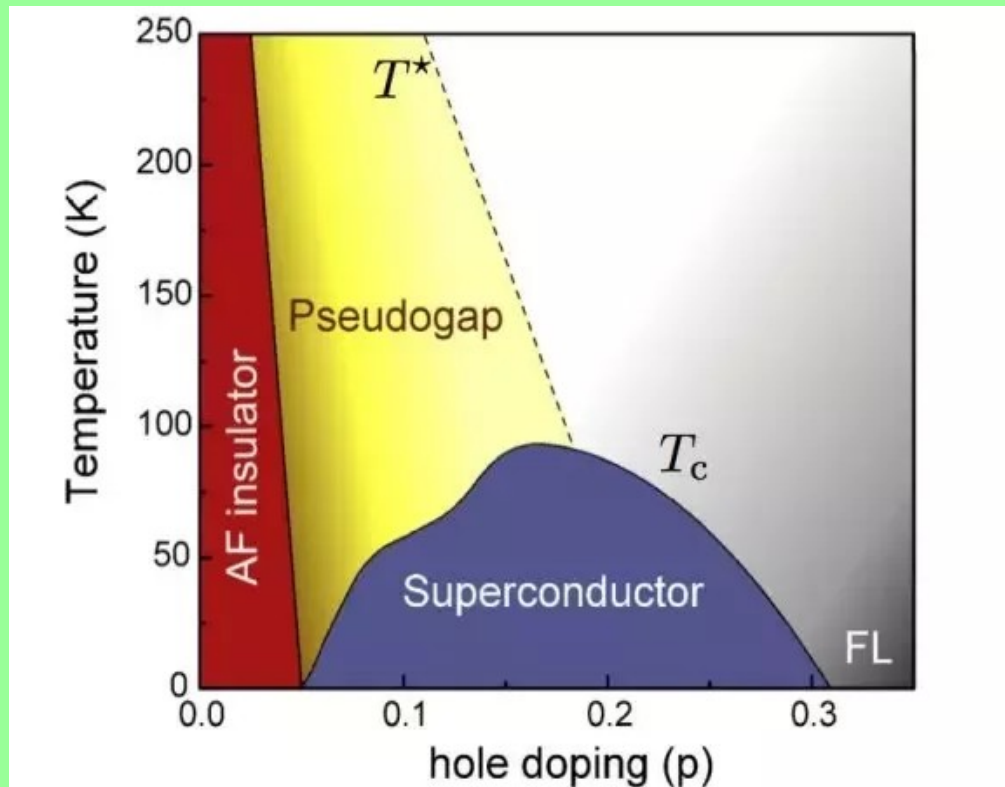
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be Shy.**

Theme 2



Applications to

- [Condensed Matter](#) (cond-mat new, recent, search)



a.k.a. we put this picture
in every talk but
what did we learn
about it
from holography ?

physicsworld Magazine | Late

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What do strange metals and black holes have in common?

23 Jun 2015 Hamish Johnston

Physics Today 65, 6, 68 (2012); <https://doi.org/10.1063/PT.3.1616>

quick study

From black holes to strange metals

Hong Liu

String theory relates gravity to the physics of a novel phase of matter observed above the superconducting transition temperature.

Hong Liu is an associate professor of physics at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Cambridge.

Ever since the end of the Stone Age, metals have fascinated humankind and have been vital in the development of civilization. More recently, physicists have been fascinated by a new class of "strange" metals, discovered two decades ago, whose exotic properties challenge fundamental notions of

tures than ordinary metals—as high as 165 K. Theorists have proposed many ingenious ways to understand the physical origin of superconductivity in cuprates and their high transition temperatures, but no consensus has been reached and many mysteries remain.

One of the most significant mysteries is the nature of a phase just above the transition temperature. It has thermodynamic and transport properties significantly different from those of an ordinary metal, prompting the name "strange metal" (see panel a of the figure). Strange metals conduct electricity and heat, as ordinary metals do, but photoemission experiments fail to reveal any particle-like excitations. Electronic interactions in the strange metal are so strong that if you add an electron to the system, it will be devoured before it can propagate far enough to show its particle-like properties. In other words, the electrons that make up a strange metal appear to lose their individuality

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Signs of a Stranger, Deeper Side to Nature's Building Blocks

Natalie Wolchover
Senior Writer/Editor

July 1, 2013

STRING THEORY


New findings suggest that beneath the surface of quantum theory lies a vibrant string theory world where some matter corresponds to black holes in higher dimensions.

Home / Physics / General Physics

MARCH 2, 2011

Black holes: a model for superconductors?

by University of Illinois College of Engineering



Home / Physics / Superconductivity

Home / Physics / Quantum Physics

AUGUST 26, 2019 FEATURE

New theory draws connections between Planckian metals and black holes

by Ingrid Fadelli, Phys.org



STRANGE METALS

$$R \sim T \text{ and } \cot \Theta_H \sim T^2$$

arXiv:1406.1659 [pdf, other] [hep-th](#) [cond-mat.str-el](#) [doi](#)

Quantum Critical Transport and the Hall Angle

Authors: Mike Blake, Aristomenis Donos

Nice idea of the two scales (à la Anderson)
by Aristos and Mike but never realized ...

arXiv:1812.01040 [pdf, other] [hep-th](#) [cond-mat.str-el](#) [gr-qc](#) [doi](#) 10.1103/Phys

Anomalous scalings of the cuprate strange metals from nonlinear
electrodynamics

Authors: Sera Cremonini, Anthony Hoover, Li Li, Steven Waskie

Only model working that I know (and only probe limit...)



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- 1) We dont have a single satisfactory model able to reproduce the **scalings of strange metals** ! (do we?)
 - 2) Is just showing linear in T enough ? And is it really Holography the only way to get it ?
 - 3) Did holography really help for strange metals scalings and how / where?
 - 4) **Holographic superconductors**... and then what ?
 - 5) What is the next step ?

Most promising ideas *(my opinion)*

Strong
Momentum
dissipation

arXiv:1405.3651 [pdf, other] cond-mat.str-el hep-th doi
Theory of universal **incoherent** metallic transport
Authors: Sean A. Hartnoll

Weak
Momentum
dissipation

arXiv:1612.04381 [pdf, other] cond-mat.str-el hep-th doi 10.21468/SciPost
Bad Metals from Fluctuating Density Waves
Authors: Luca V. Delacrétaz, Blaise Goutéraux, Sean A. Hartnoll, Anna Karlsson

Contact
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arXiv:1909.07991 [pdf, other] cond-mat.str-el hep-th
A hydrodynamical description for magneto-transport in the strange metal phase of cuprates
Authors: Andrea Amoretti, Martina Meineri, Daniel K. Brattan, Federico Caglieris, Enrico Giannini, Marco Affronte, Christian Hess, Bernd Buechner, Nicodemo Magnoli, Marina Putti

- 1) **Diffusion bound** in the charge sector can be violated, so can it be the responsible of linear in T (à la Hartnoll) ?
- 2) The **pinning proposal** is interesting but how natural/finetuned is it? What is the key ingredient ? (phase relaxation ?)
(Planckian again : $w_{peak} = T$, what about holography ?)
- 3) What is the status of the **hydro/strange metals connection** ?



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- 1) Are the **homogeneous lattices** useful ?
And for what ?
 - 2) What is the difference between hardcore numerical lattices and the homogeneous ones (commensurability?)? Which are the limits of the two?
 - 3) What is the role/meaning of the **global symmetries** if any? And what is the **mysterious phase relaxation**?
 - 4) Are the homogeneous lattices problematic ?
Instability/meta-stability ?
(I dont know a single model with SSB which is stable both thermodynamically and dynamically)



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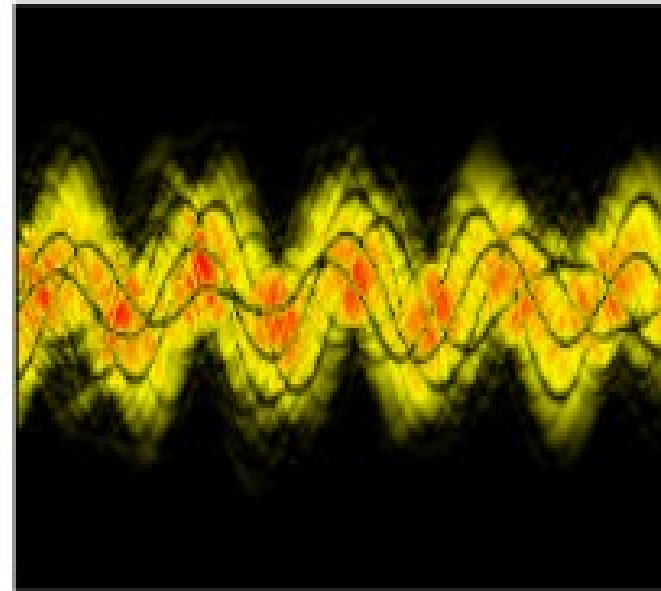
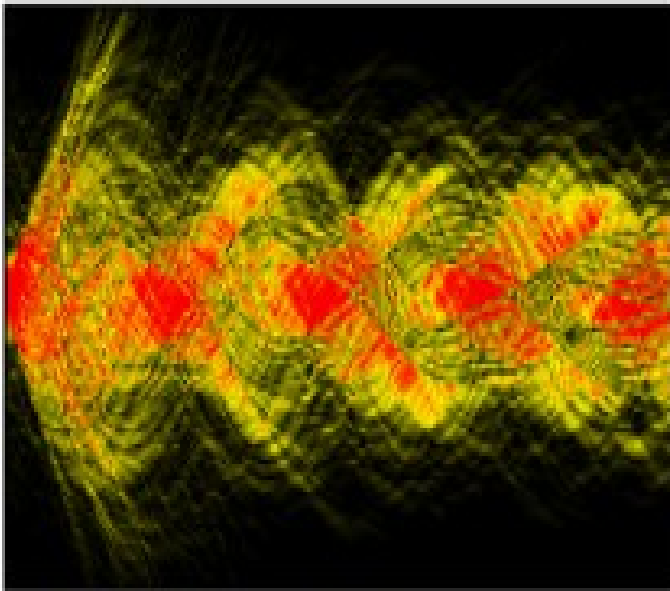


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Theme 3



Hydrodynamics, Chaos and Out-of-equilibrium physics

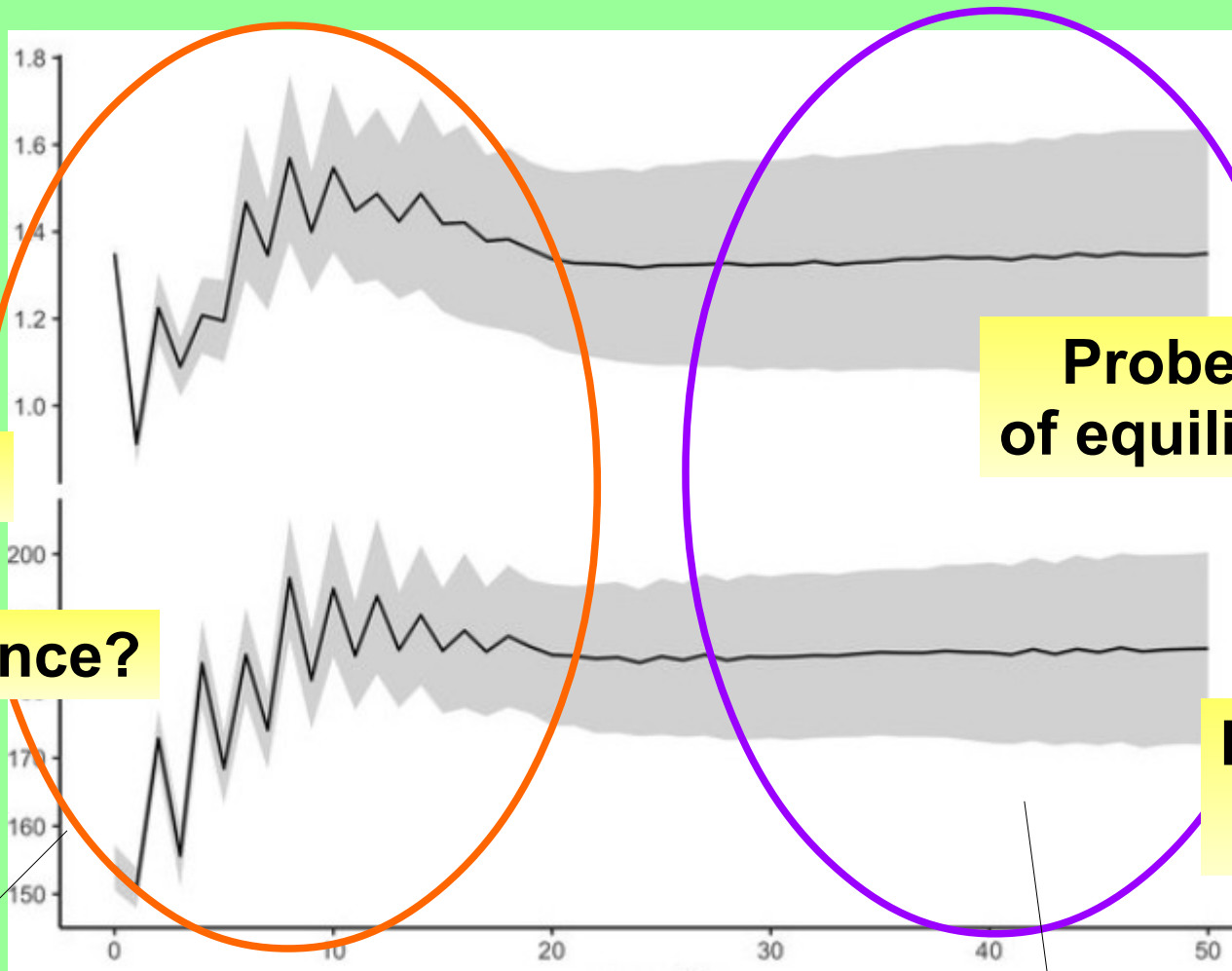


HYDRO and CHAOS (it is really a chaos)

- 1) Why we can get "quantum chaos" with hydro ?
Clash of time scales! **Chaos** (early time) vs **hydro** (late time) !
Is that really quantum chaos (cf. level statistics etc)?
- 2) Is there anything in **electron hydrodynamics** which is theoretically fundamental ? (the theory was from the 60's)
Is it just an experimental and materials science development or is there anything new? How holography can help?
- 3) **Pole skipping** is widely observed but what is the meaning of those points ? Why is it so general ?



OUT OF EQUILIBRIUM MY (biased) SUMMARY



Attractors?

Probes out
of equilibrium?

Resurgence?

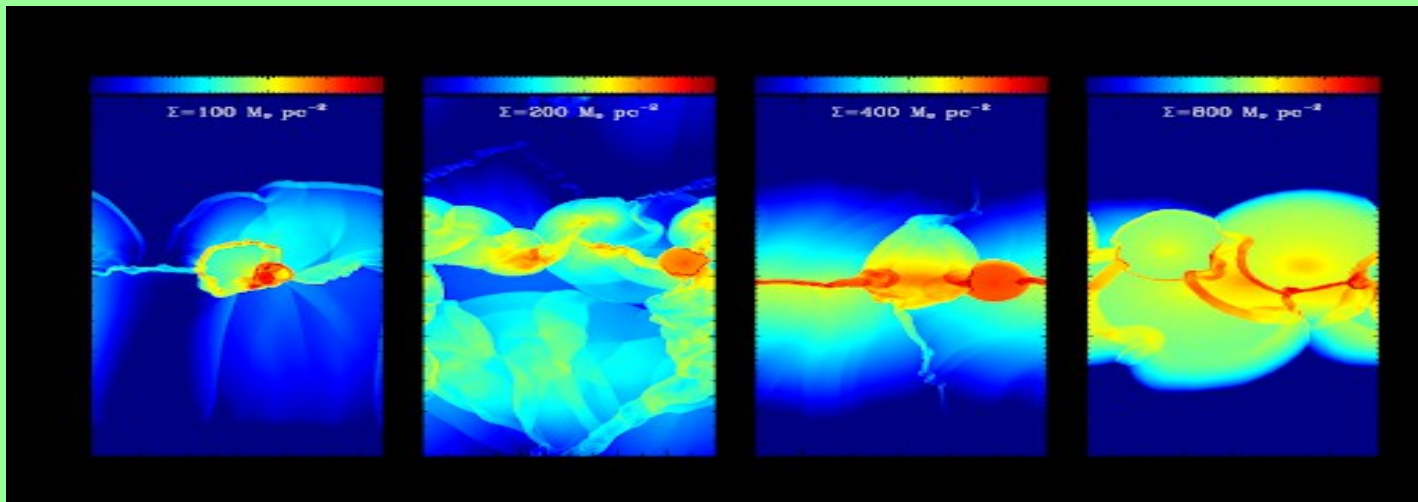
Black holes
dynamics ?

I am super power with the numerics,
Fancy plots but i dont understand
anything

Late time goes like the QNMs...
Didnt I know it already ?



1) What do we learn from these **out-of-equilibrium** setups?
(the only thing I hear every time is that the relaxation time is very fast...)



2) Anything interesting/universal before late times ?

3) Can we understand why it is “too” fast
(people even say instantaneous) ?

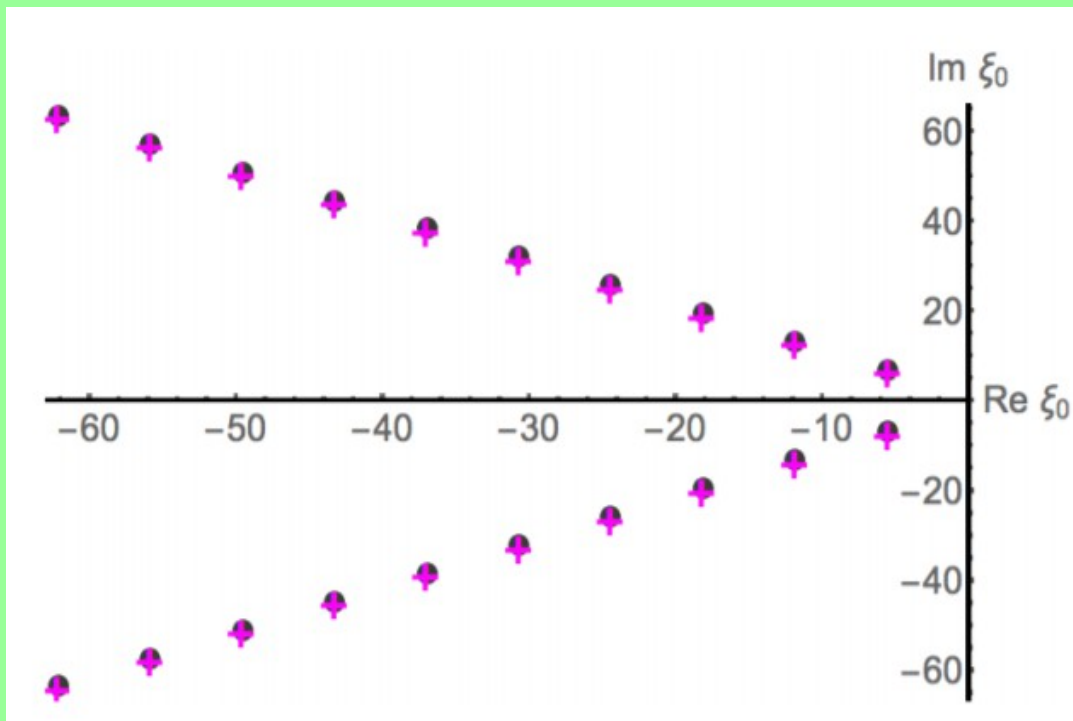
HYDRODYNAMICS

1) Standard answer: “**asymptotic series with zero radius of convergence**”
VS

Saso-Pavel-Andrei-Petar “**you need to use some complex analysis**”

2) **Resummation** of hydro: we resum it and we can obtain all higher QNMs and even instabilities etc...

What does that mean? **Does hydro know too much ?**



BEYOND HYDRODYNAMICS

1) Holography for **open quantum systems** ?

[arXiv:2004.02888](#) [pdf, other] [hep-th](#) [cond-mat.stat-mech](#) [gr-qc](#) [quant-ph](#)

Open quantum systems and Schwinger-Keldysh holograms

Authors: Chandan Jana, R. Loganayagam, Mukund Rangamani

2) **Anomalies and topologies in hydro...** where we at? Universality beyond hydro ?

[arXiv:2005.02850](#) [pdf, other] [hep-th](#) [cond-mat.other](#)

Topological hydrodynamic modes and holography

Authors: Yan Liu, Ya-Wen Sun

BIG QUESTIONS



1) What is the most important open question for holography ?

2) What do you expect to be the next big result of holography ?



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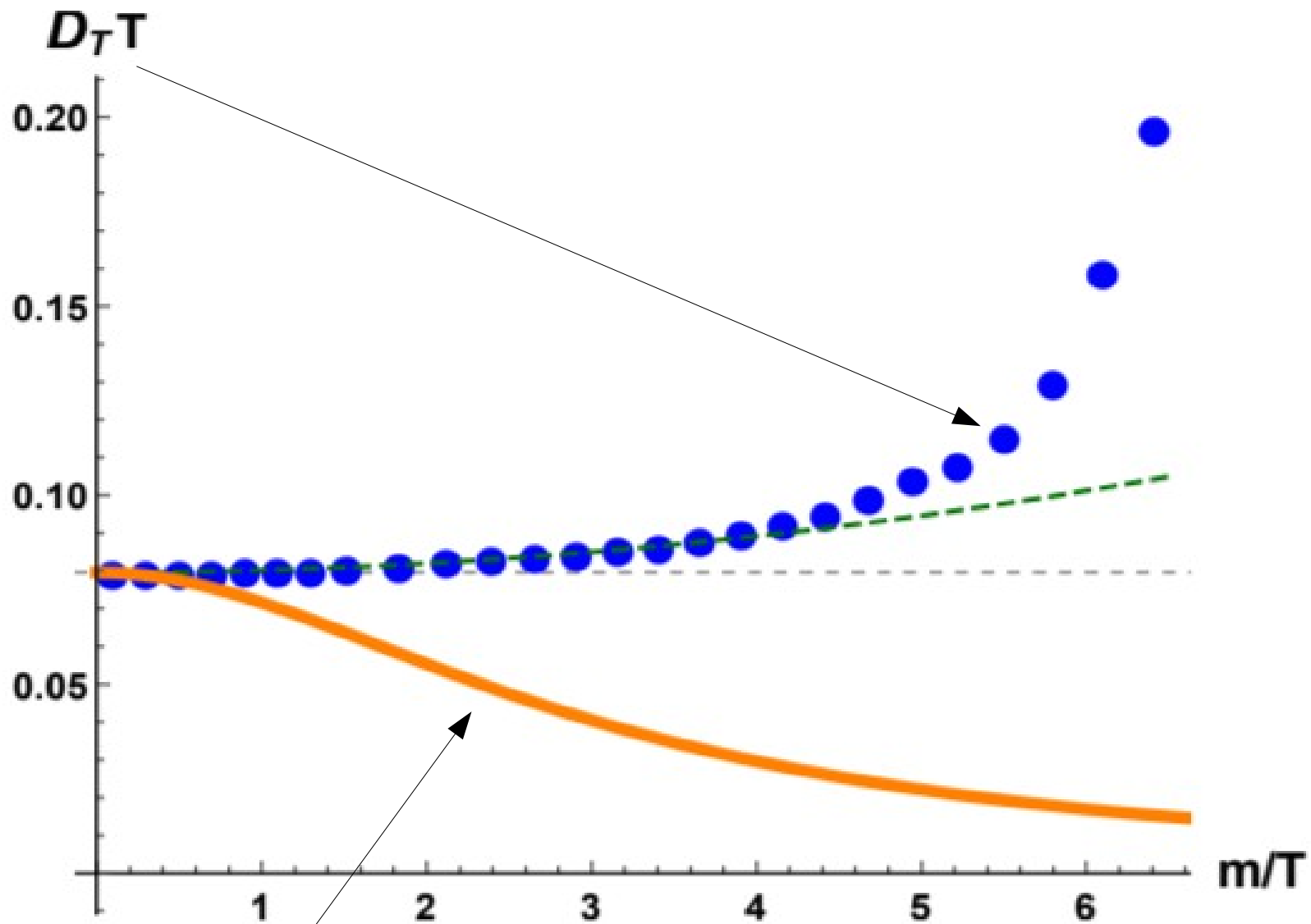


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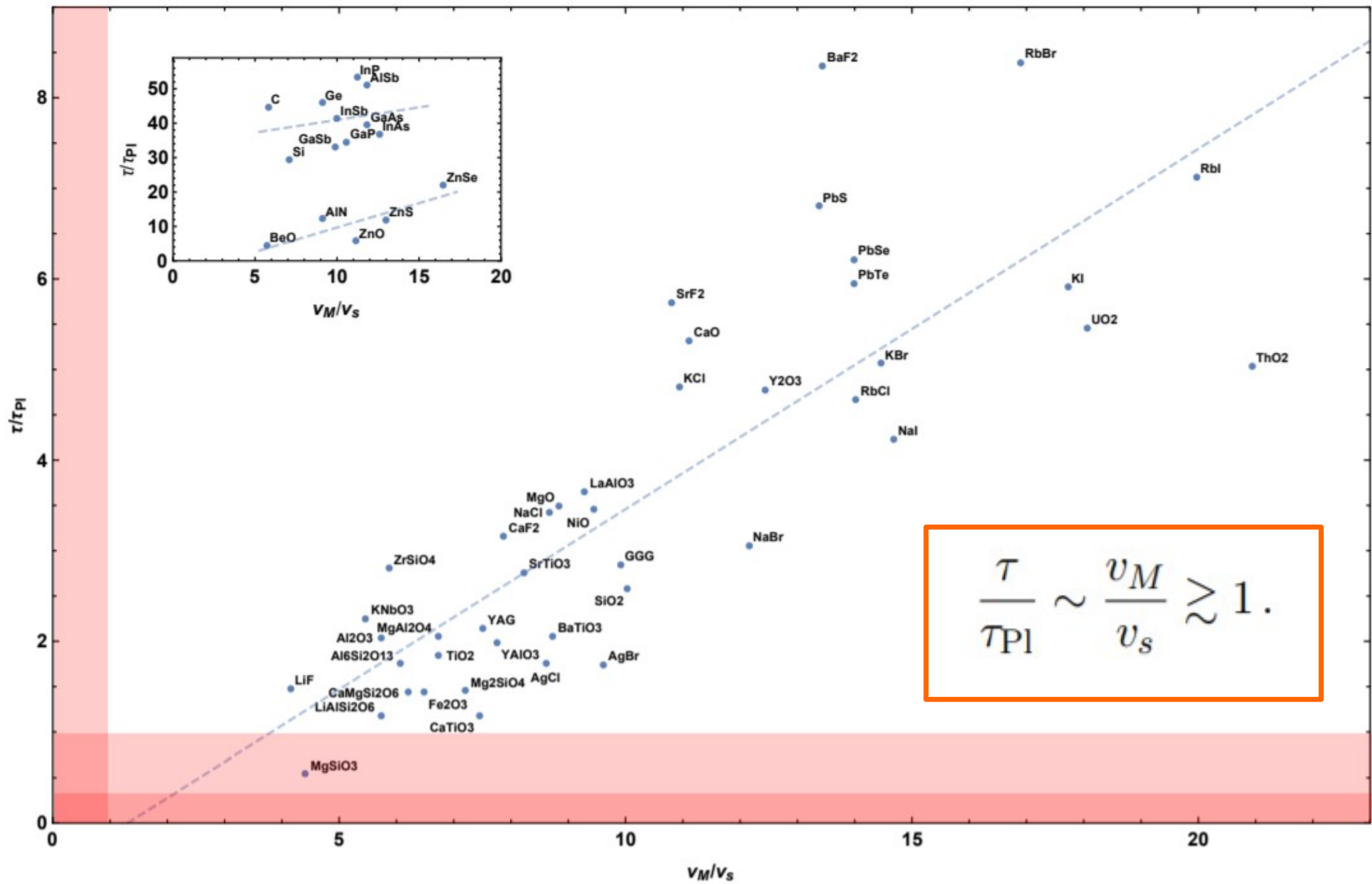


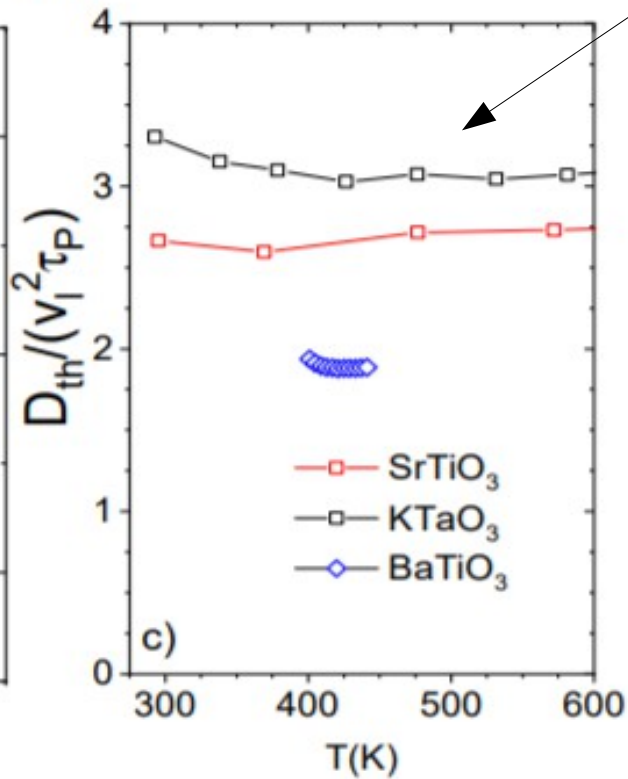
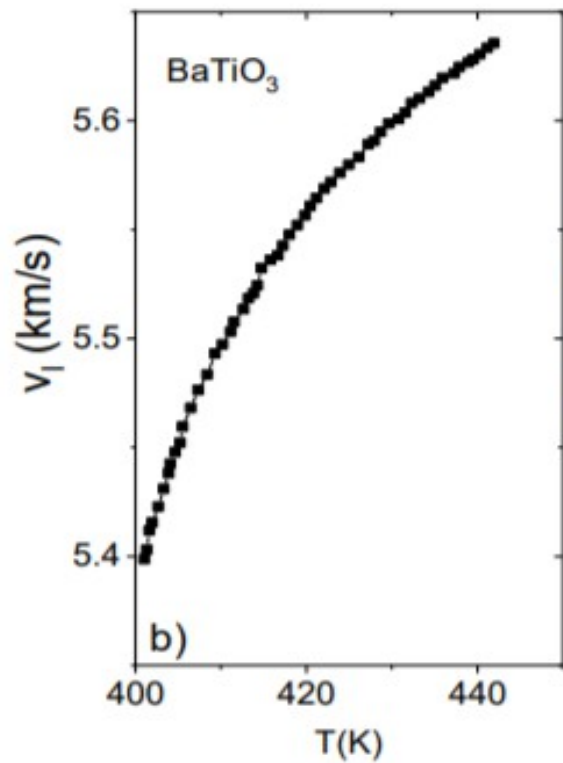
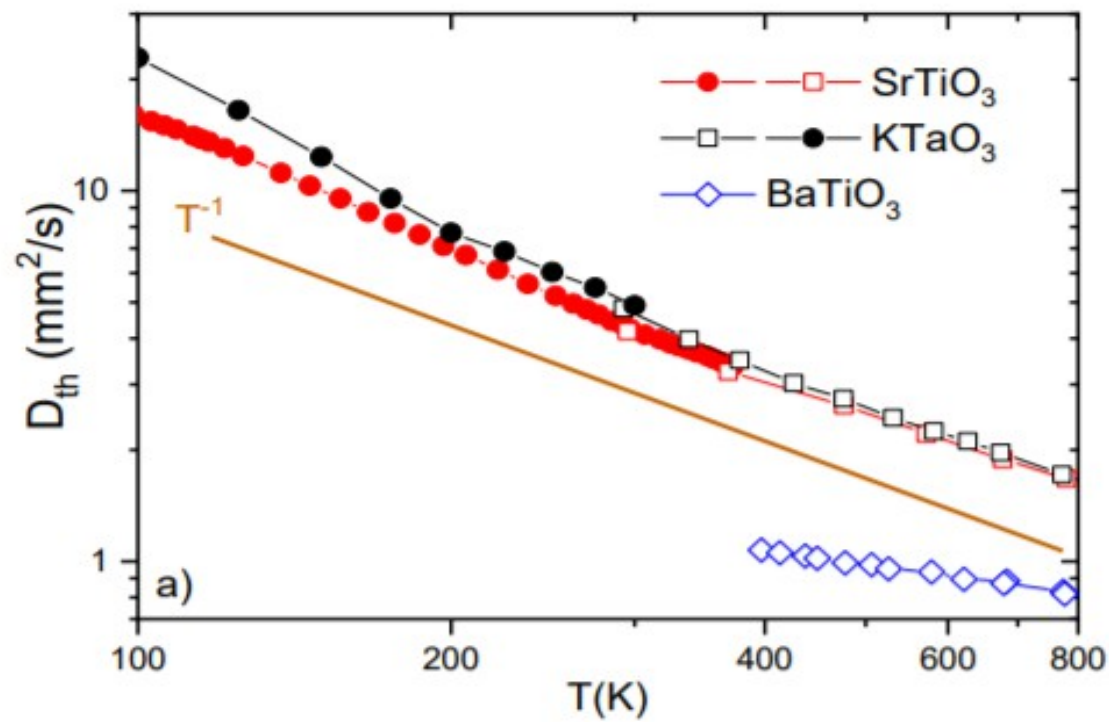
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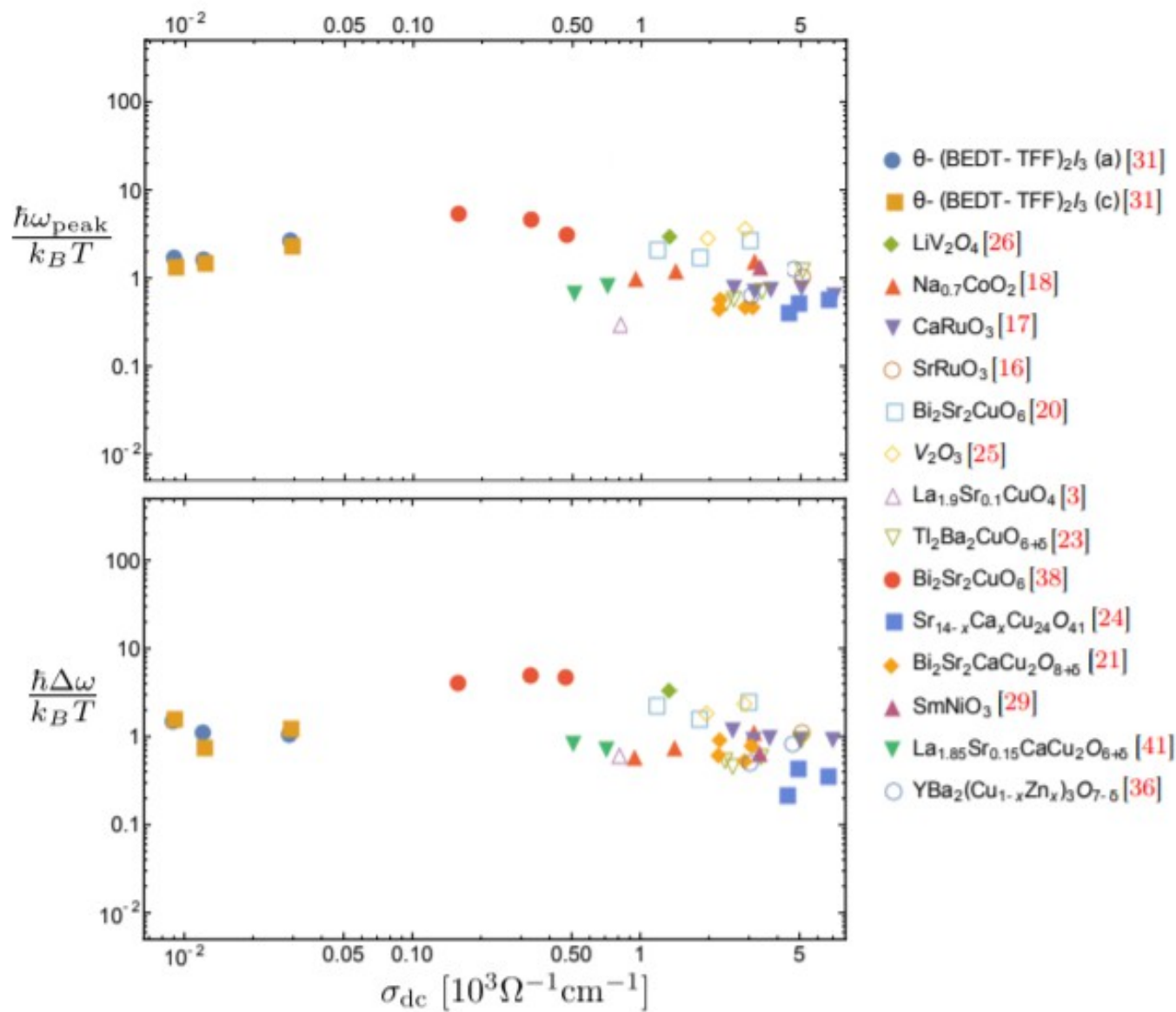
$$\sigma_{DC} = \sigma_{ccs} + \sigma_{diss}$$

$$\theta_H \sim \frac{B}{Q} \sigma_{diss}$$

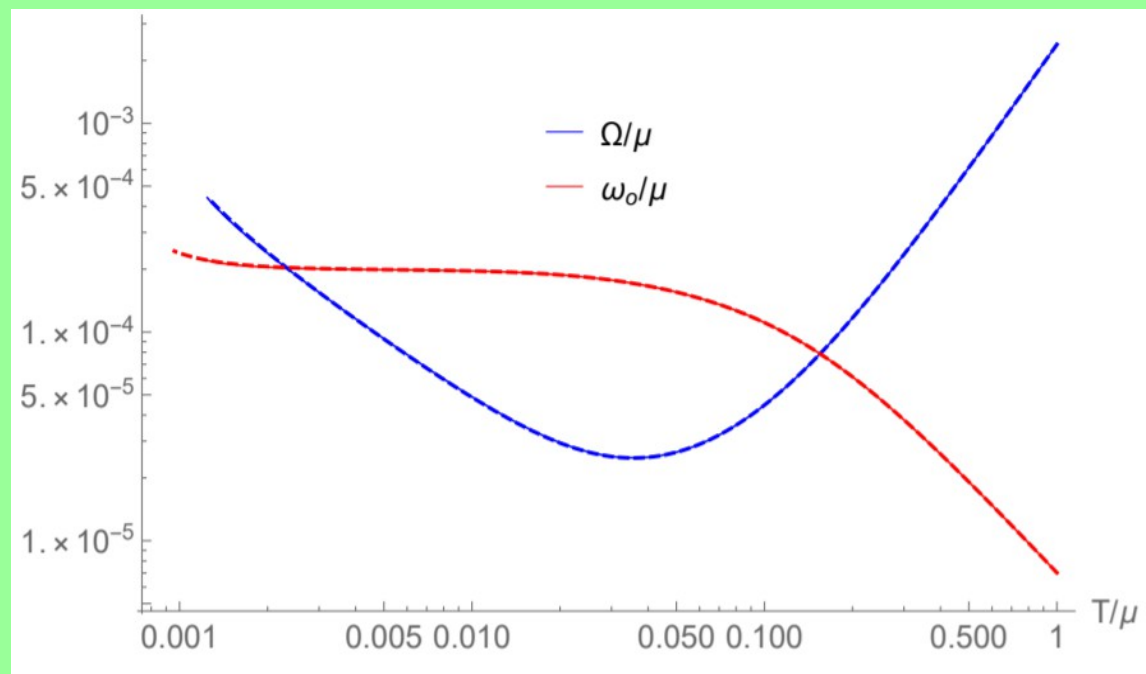
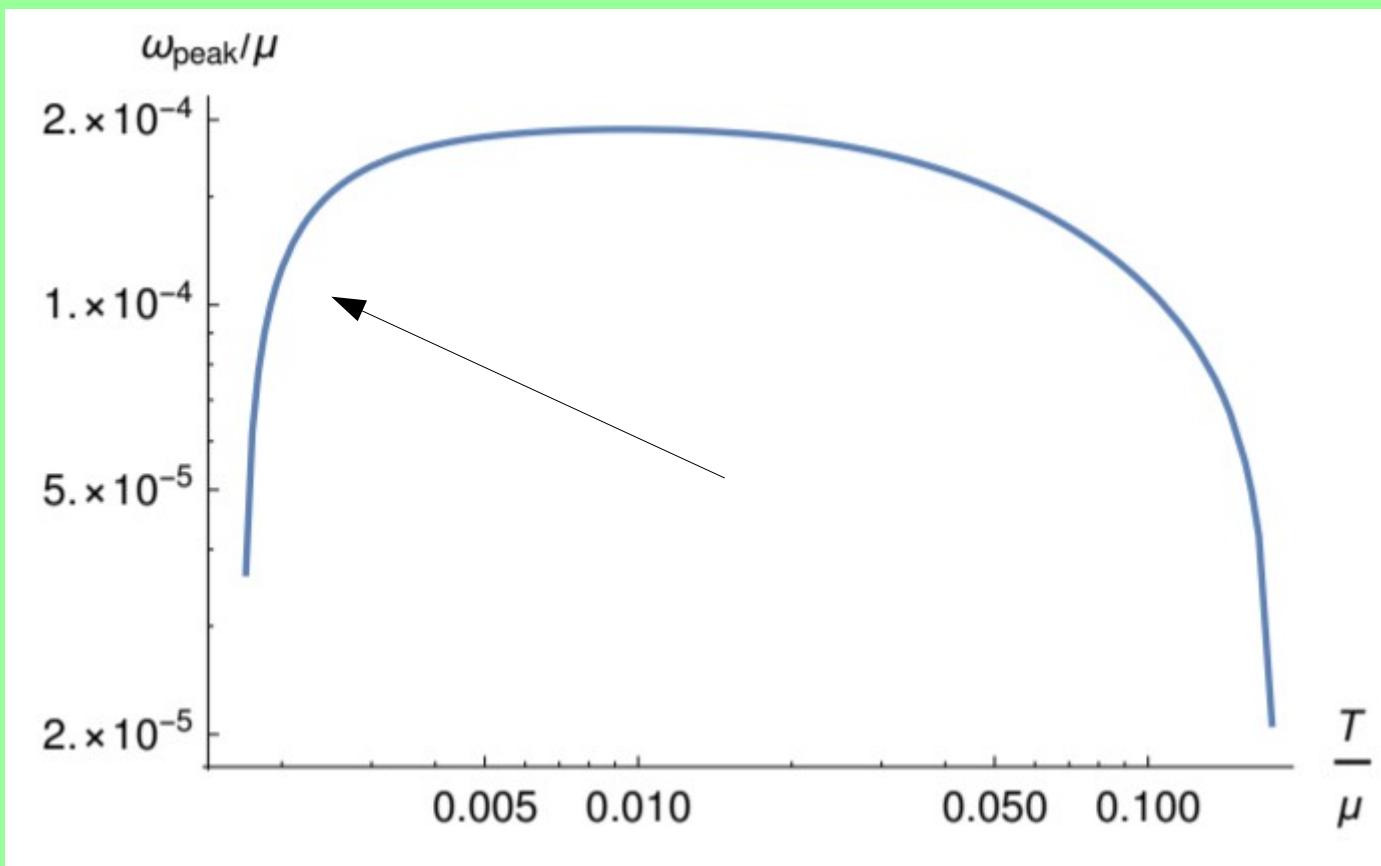
$$S = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} [\mathcal{L}_{\text{Bath}} + \mathcal{L}_{U(1)}], \quad (1)$$

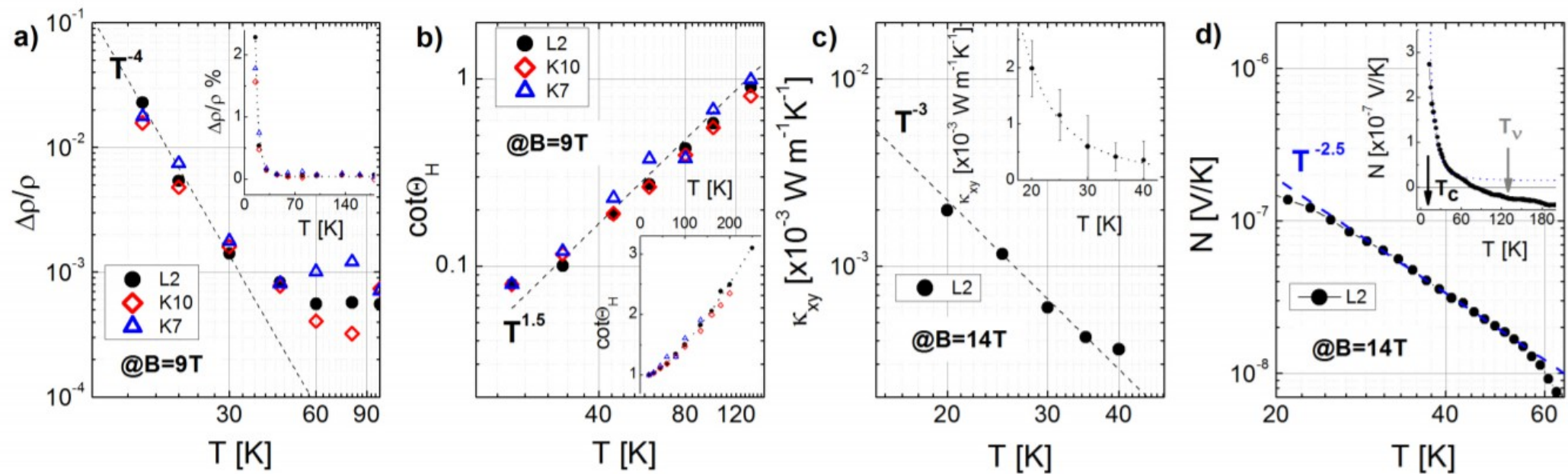
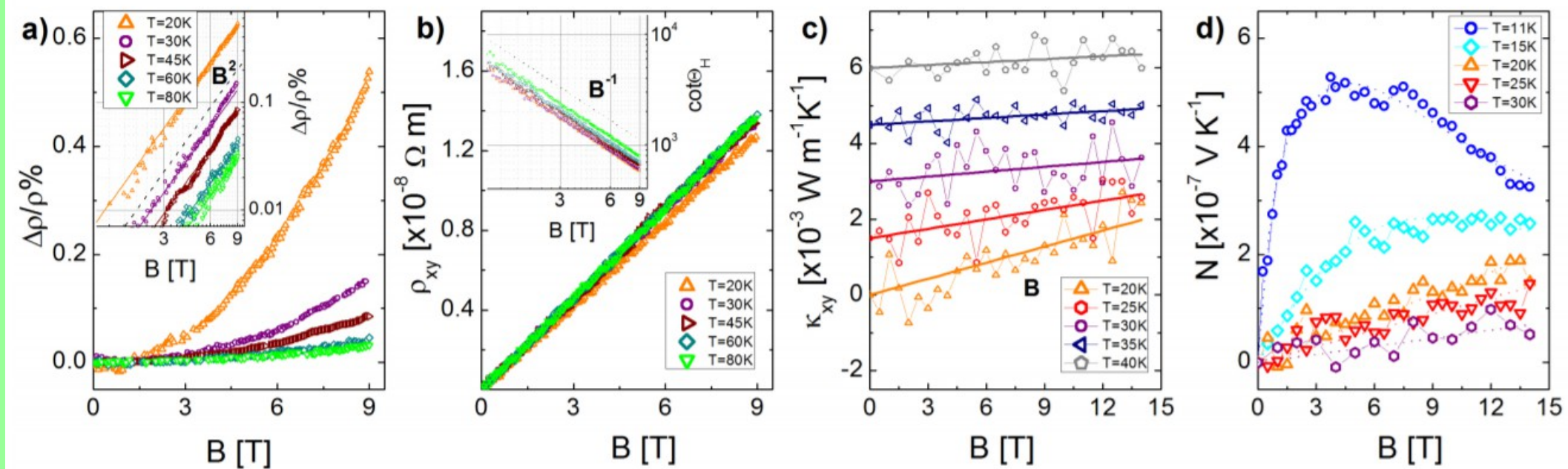
with a bath sector $\mathcal{L}_{\text{Bath}}$ supported, for example, by a neutral scalar ϕ and axionic scalars, and a charge sector $\mathcal{L}_{U(1)}$ describing the dynamics of a $U(1)$ gauge field A_μ . In particular, since we are interested in capturing generic nonlinear electrodynamics effects, the latter will be encoded in the Lagrangian term $\mathcal{L}_{U(1)} = \mathcal{L}(s, p, \phi)$, which is a generic function of the two combinations

$$s = -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}, \quad p = -\frac{1}{8} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} F^{\mu\nu} F^{\rho\sigma}, \quad (2)$$



$$\sigma(\omega) = \sigma_0 + \frac{\rho^2}{\chi_{\pi\pi}} \frac{\Omega - i\omega}{(\Omega - i\omega)(\Gamma - i\omega) + \omega_0^2}$$





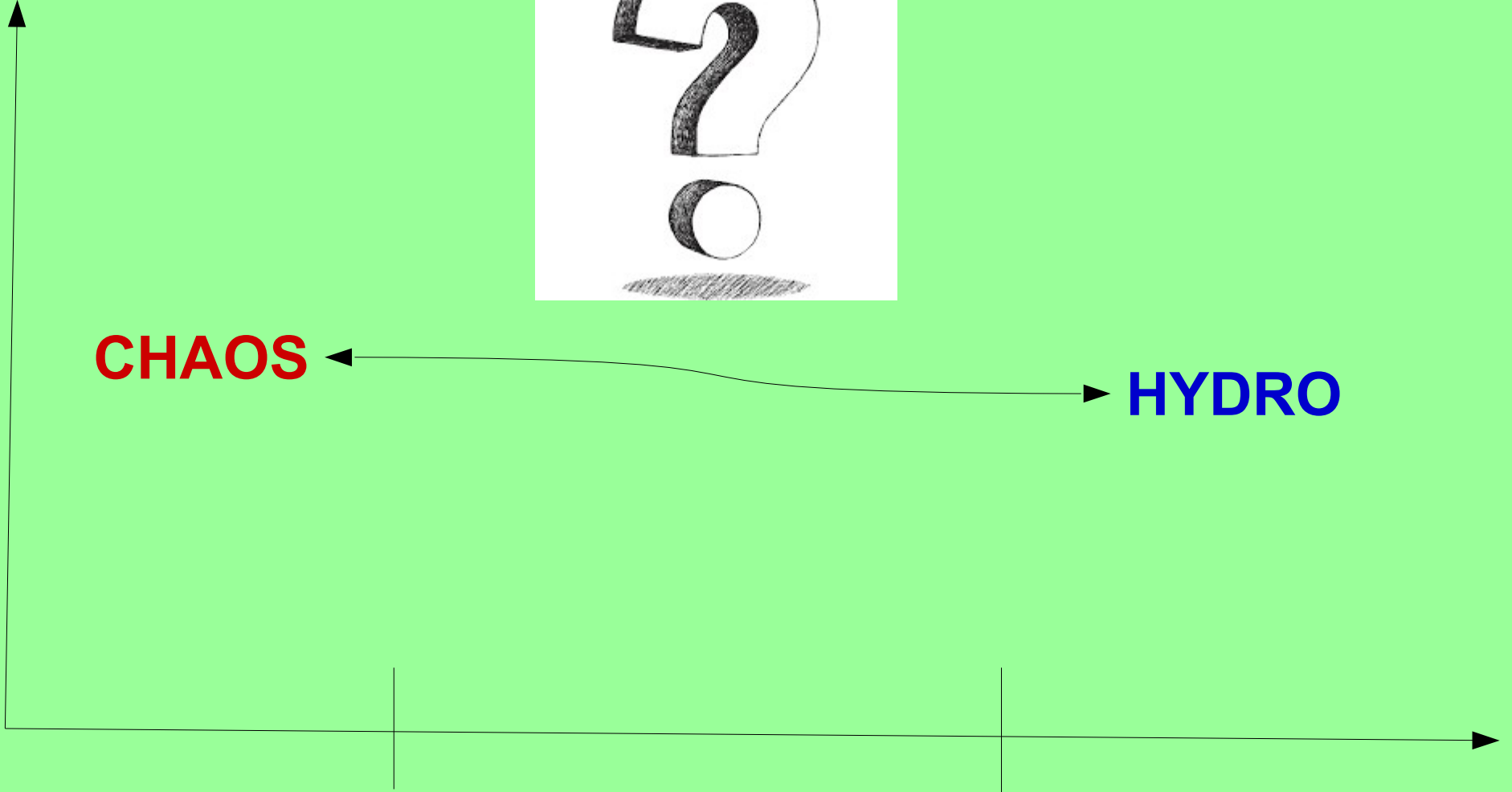


CHAOS

HYDRO



time



MINIMUM OF RESISTANCE IN IMPURITY-FREE CONDUCTORS

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