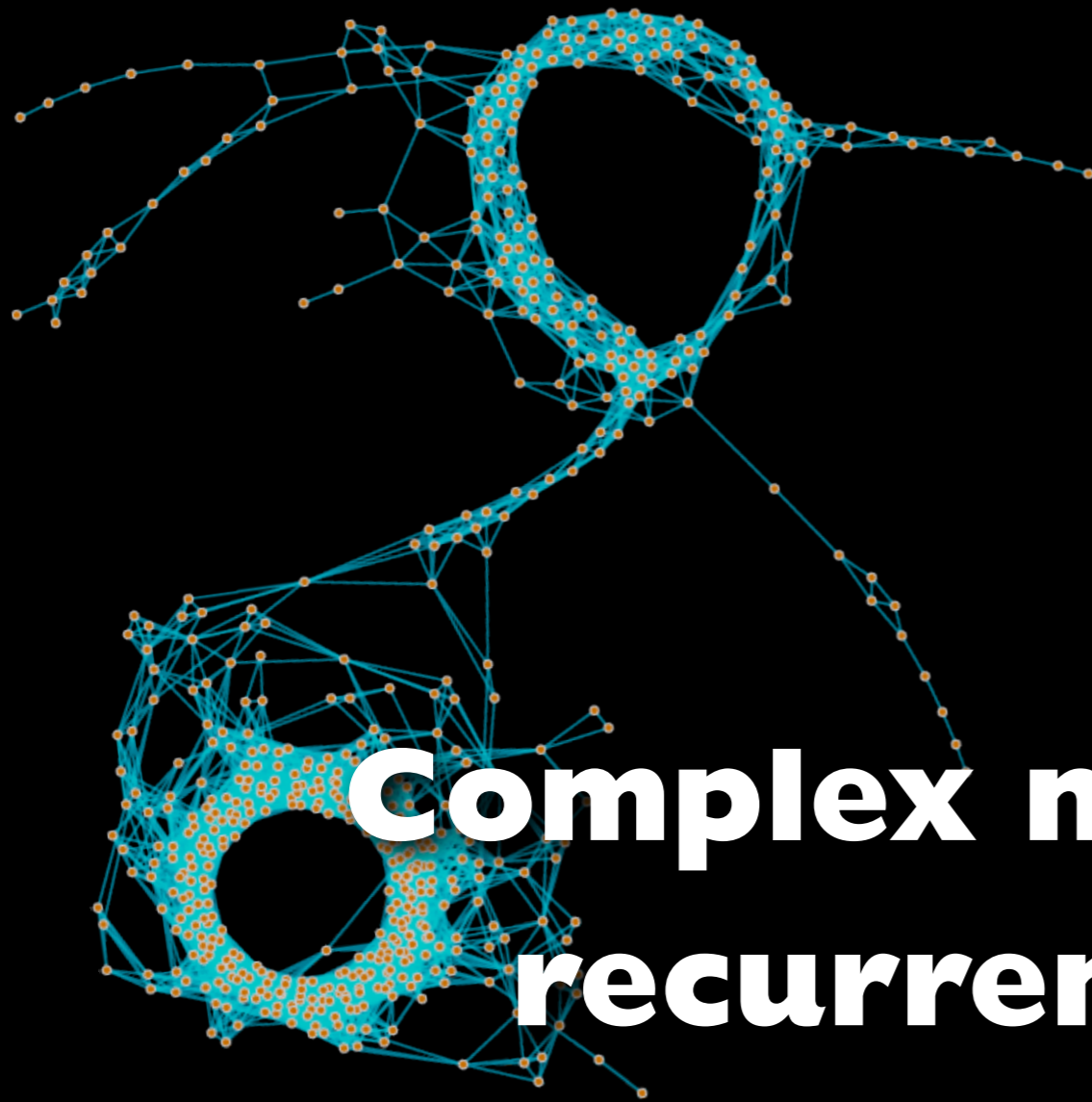




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Complex network analysis of recurrences in phase space

Outline

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- definition, structures, quantification, examples

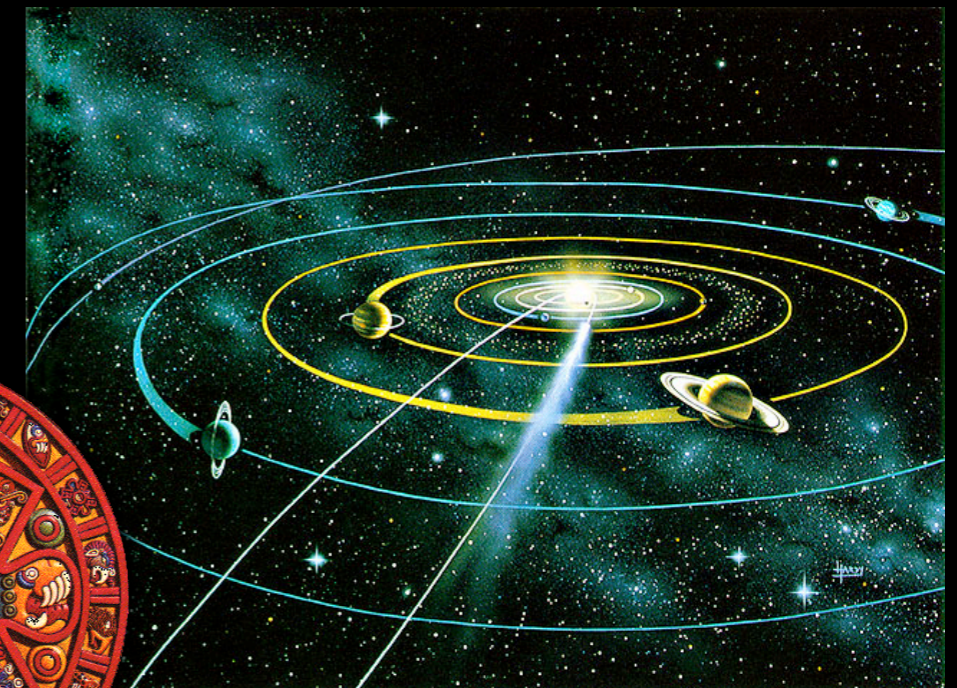
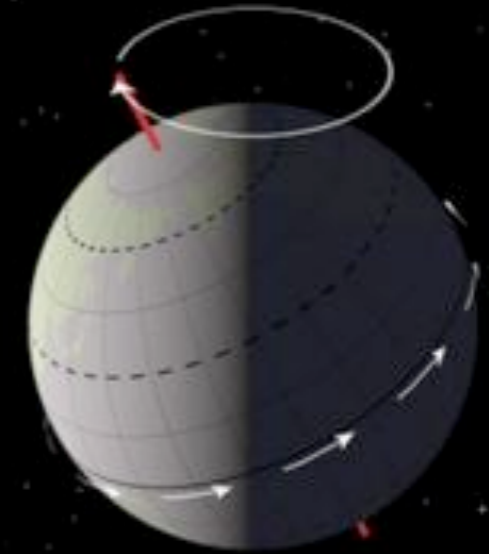
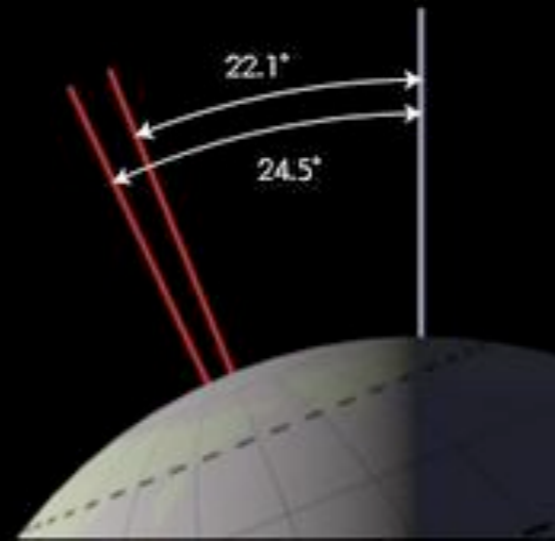
3. Network analysis of recurrences

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Recurrences

Recurrence

- fundamental characteristic of many dynamical systems
- recurrences in real life:
Milankovich cycles, weather after storm, El Niño phenomenon, heart beat after exertion, Maya calendar etc.



Recurrence



- Anaxagoras, approx. 450 BC:
perichoresis: chaotic circular movement

Recurrence

- Poincaré, 1890:

"a system recurs infinitely many times as close as one wishes to its initial state"

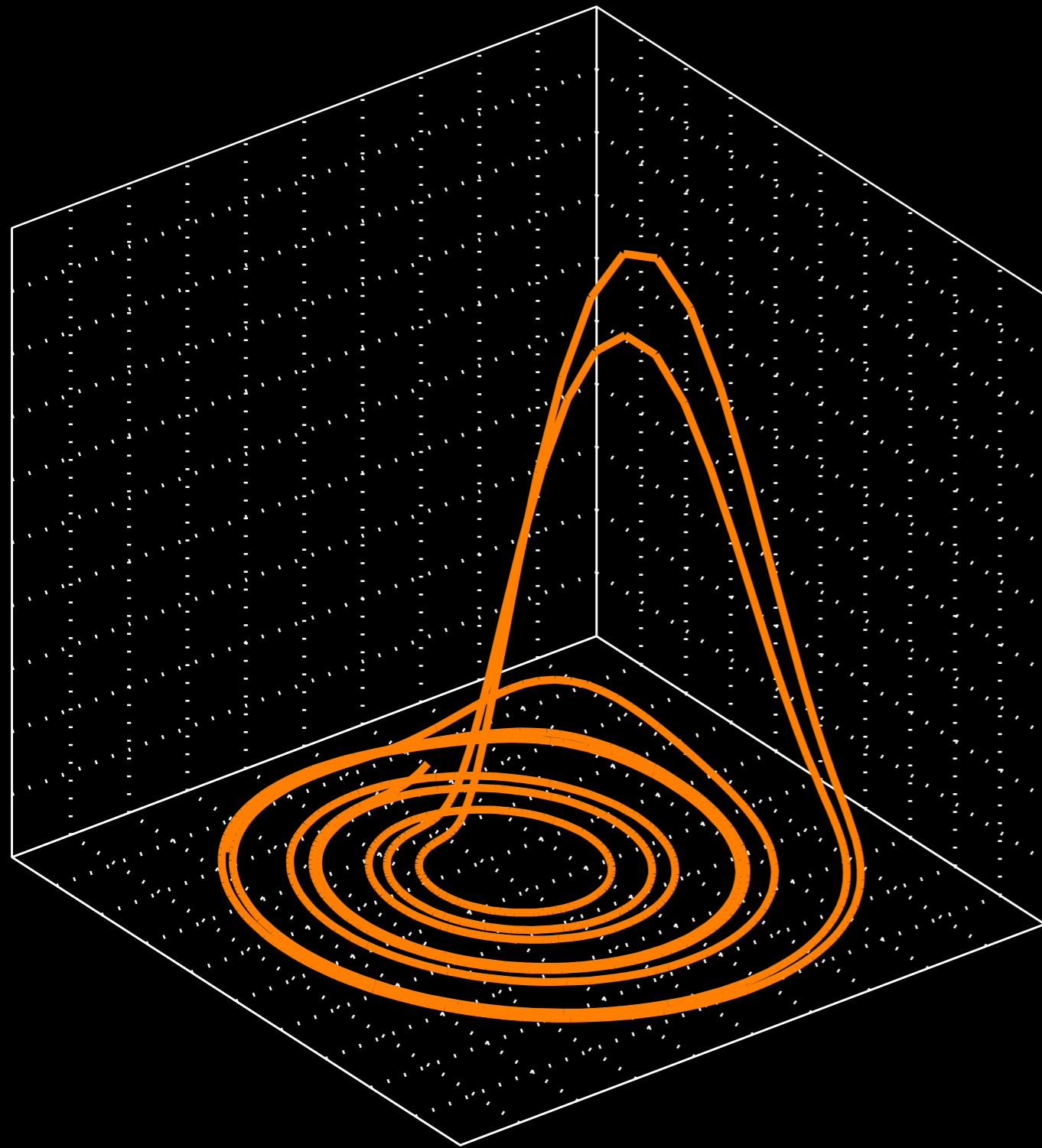


Investigating Recurrence

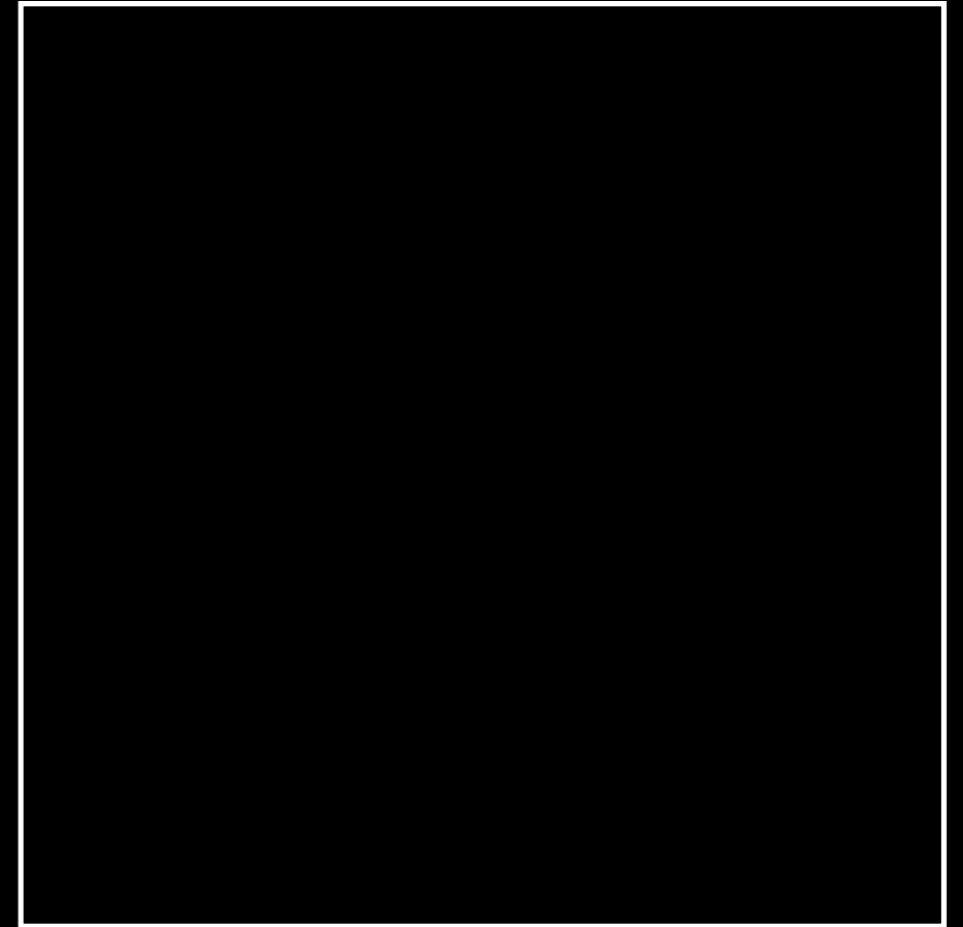
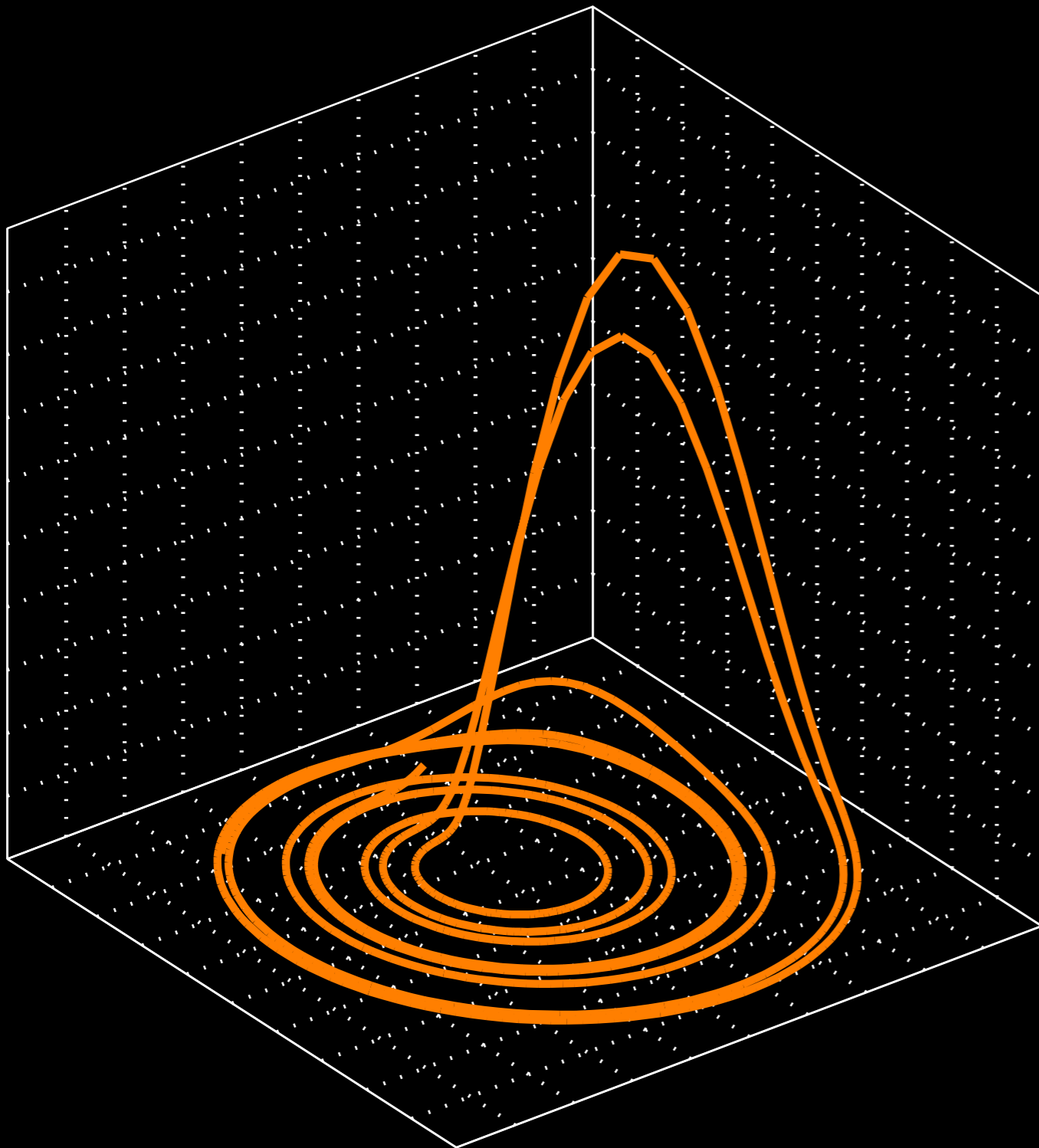
- Poincaré map
- Recurrence time statistics
- First return map
- Recurrence plot
- Network analysis of recurrences

Recurrence Plots

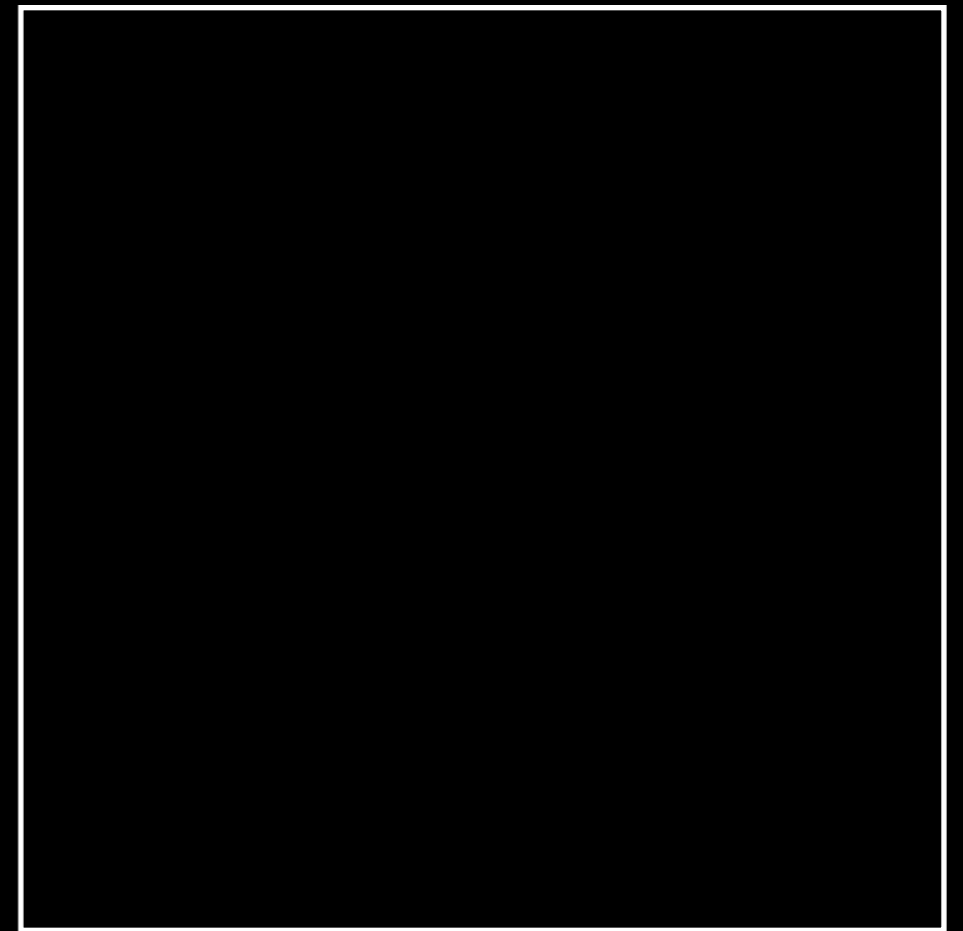
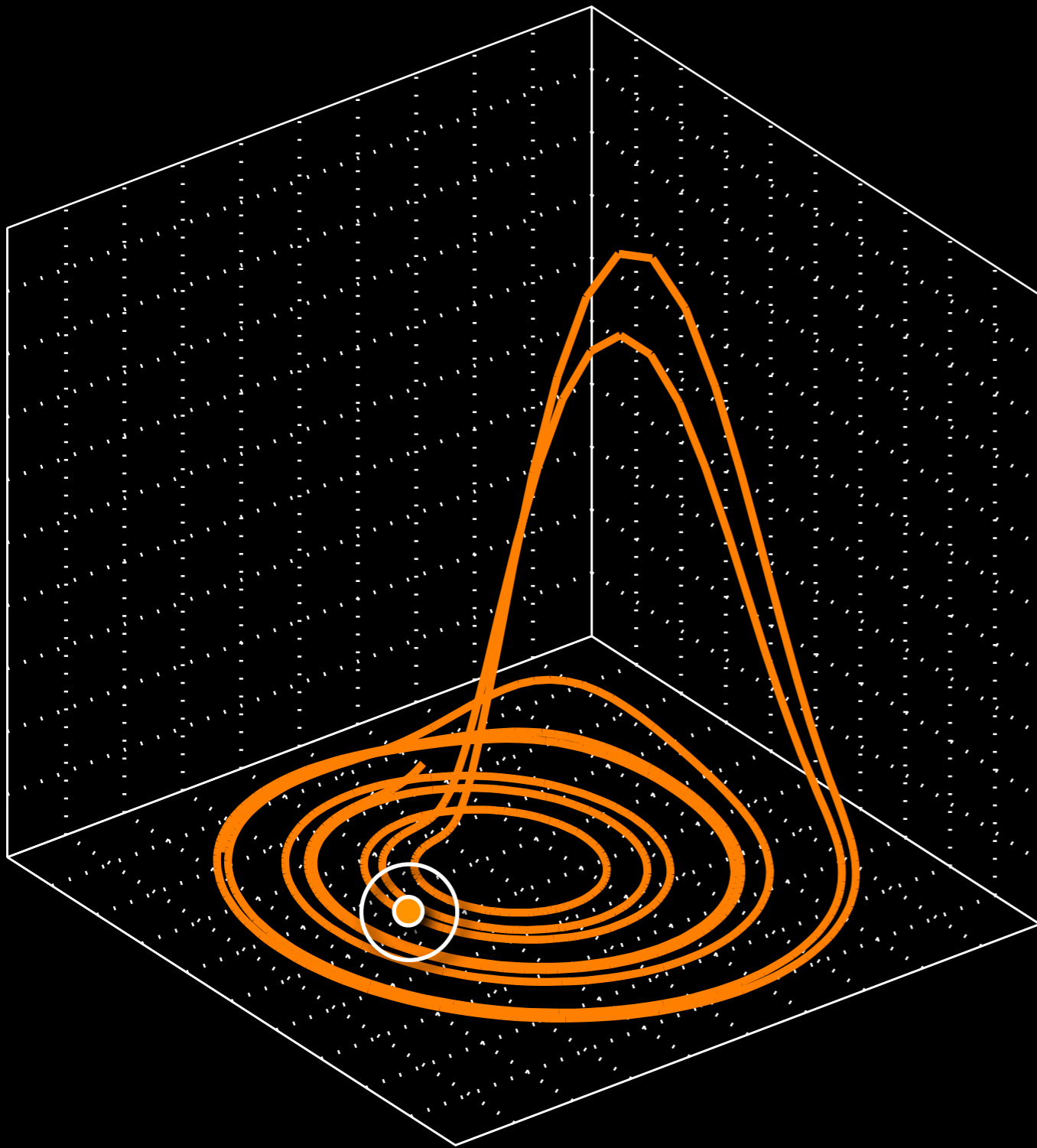
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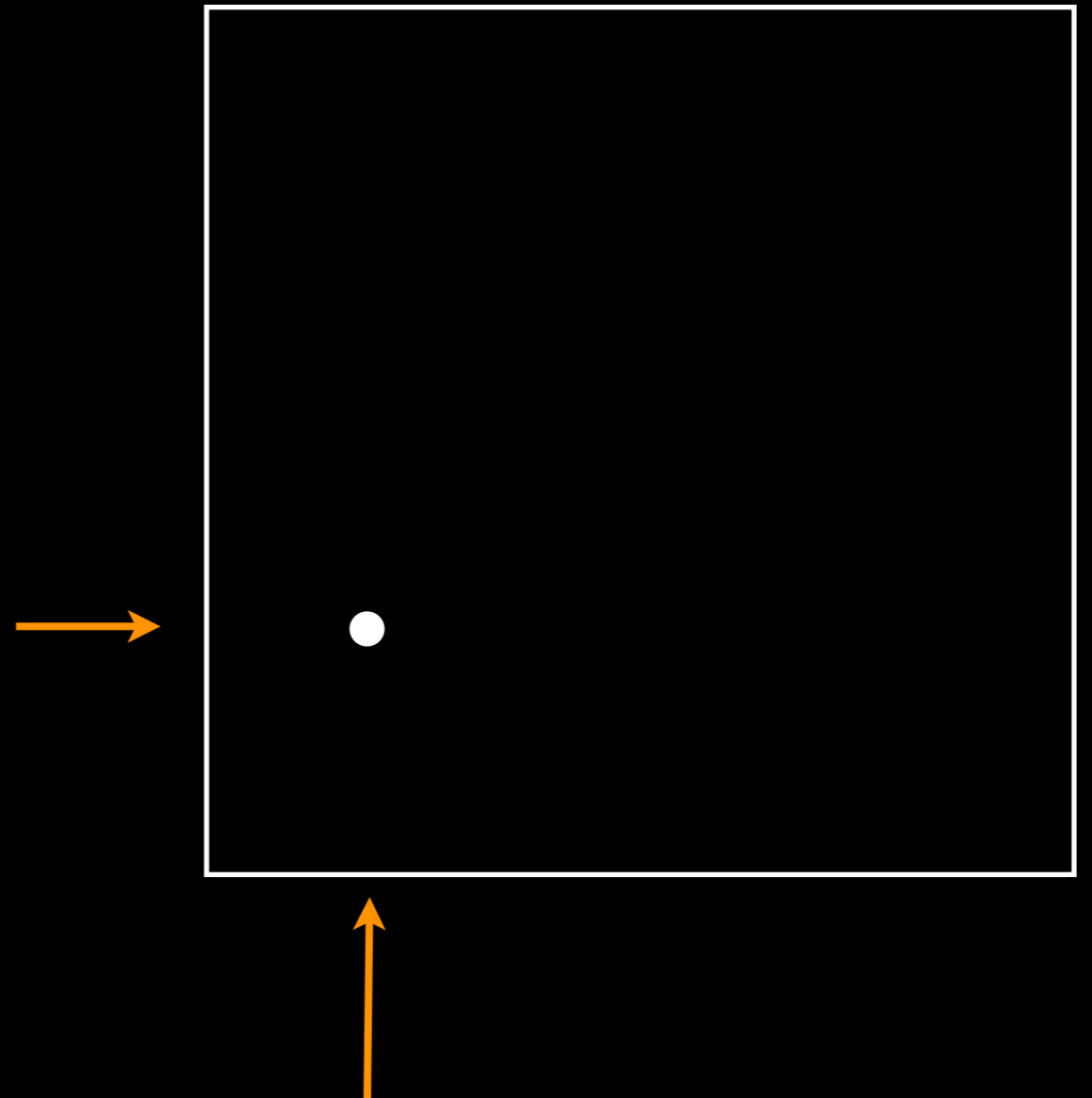
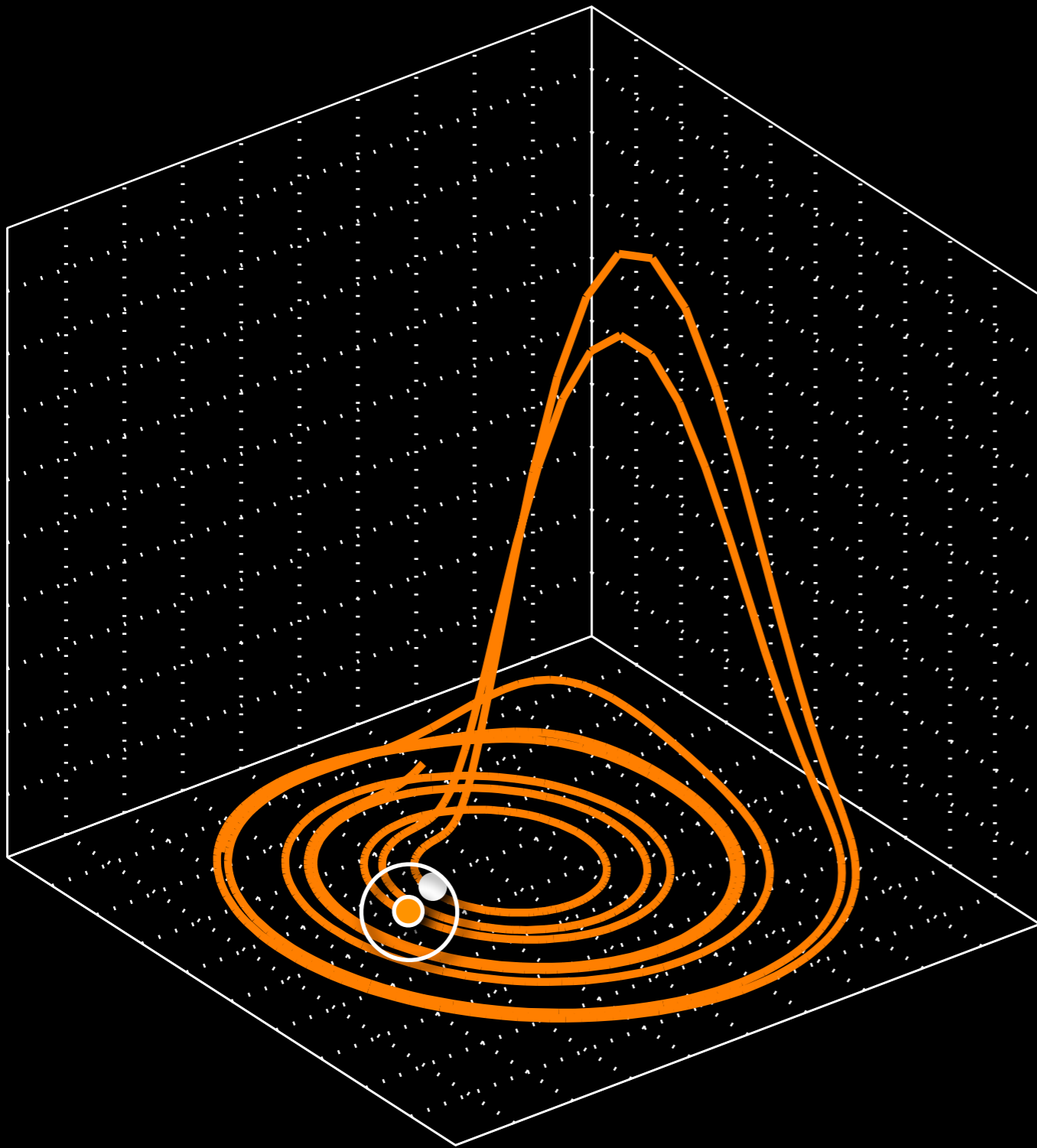
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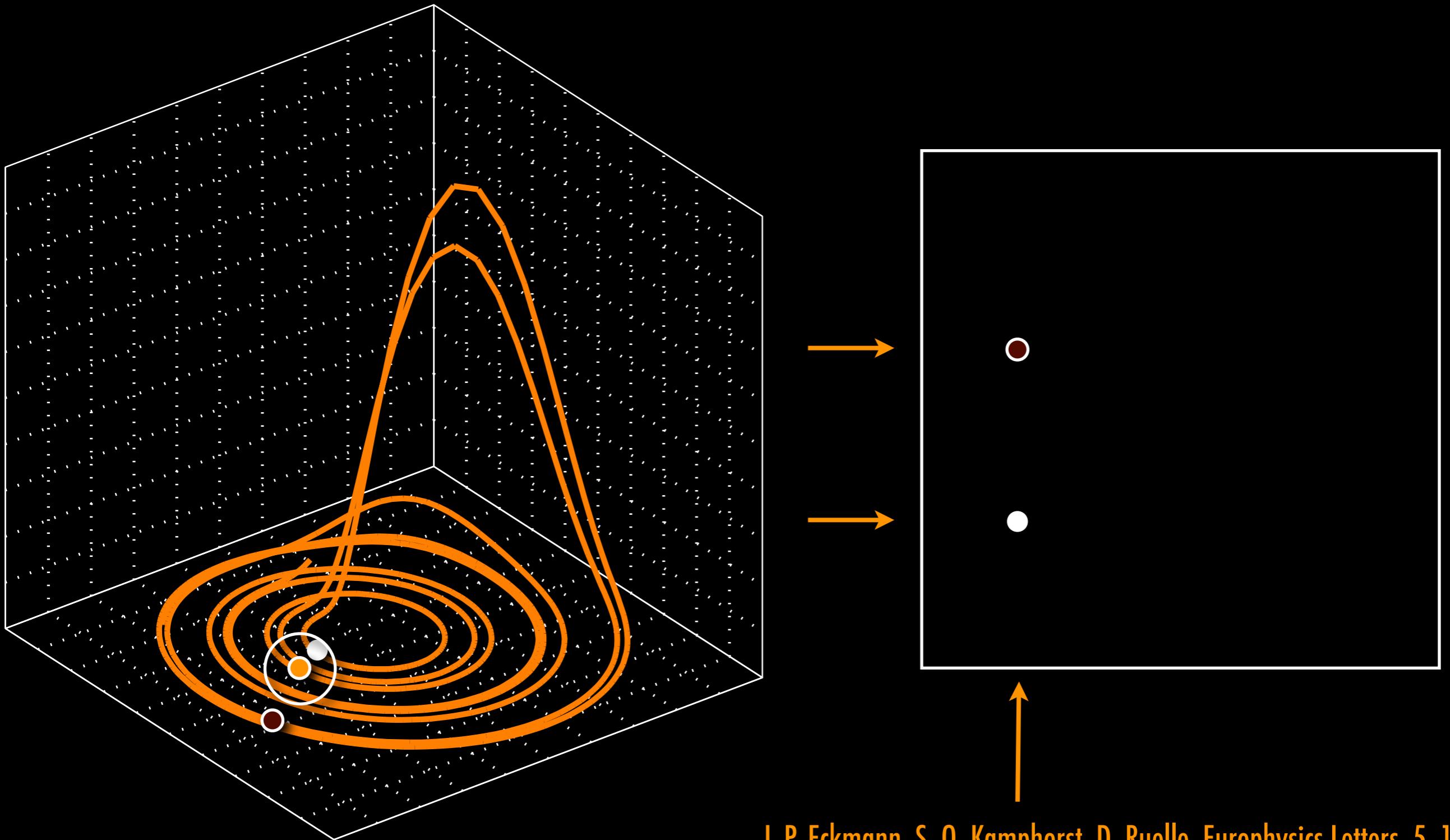
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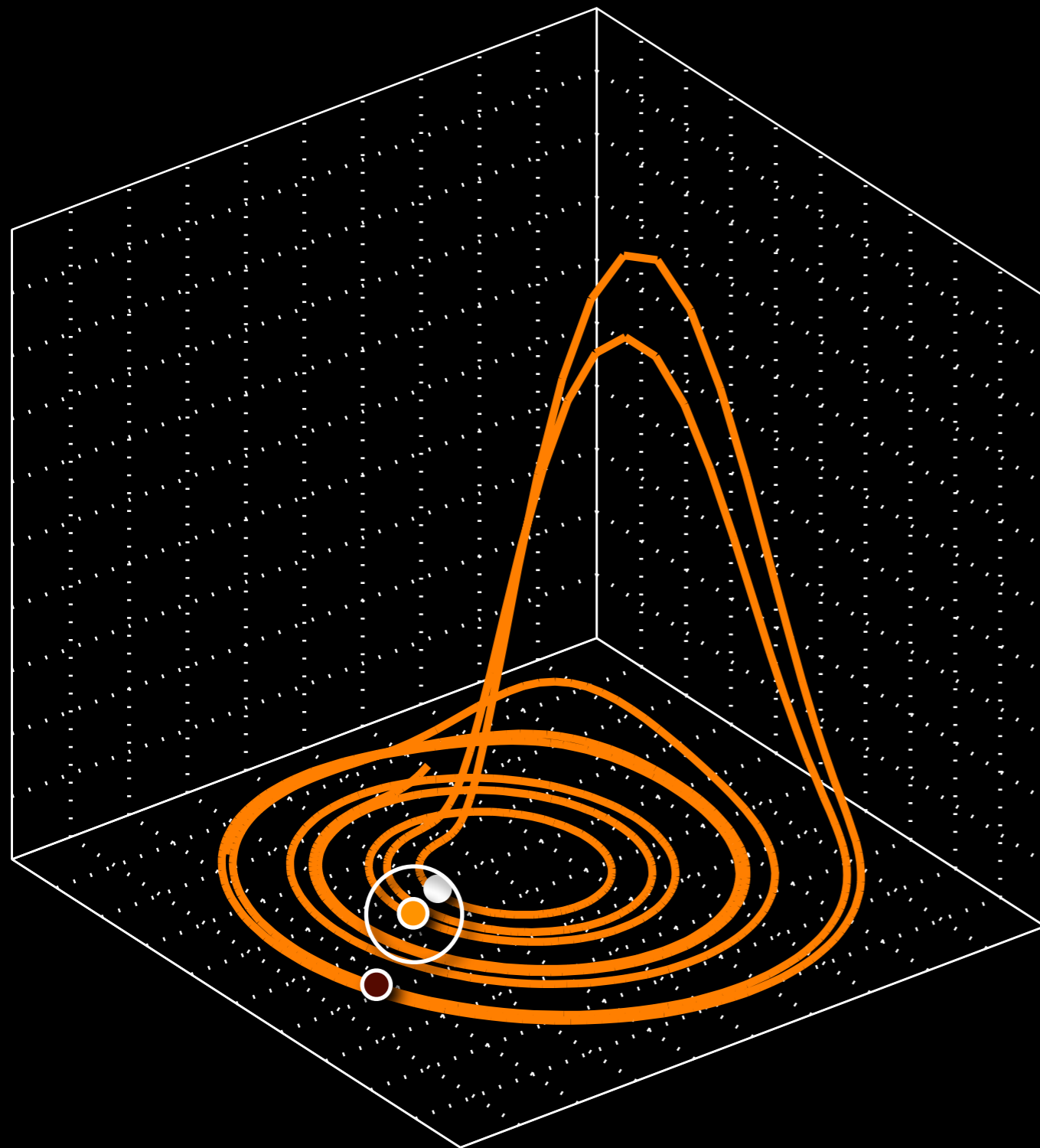


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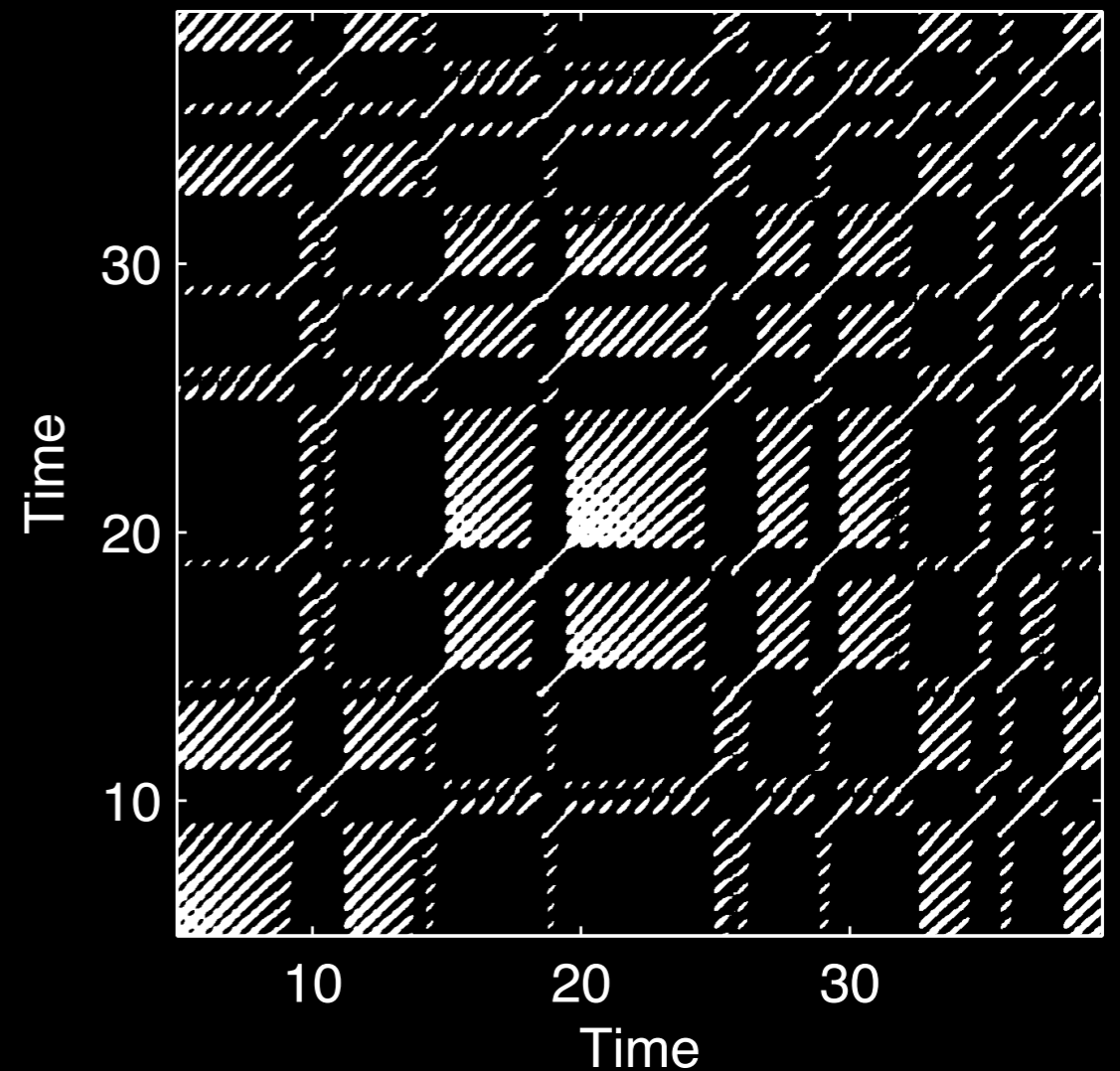


Recurrence Plot

$$\mathbf{R}_{t_1, t_2} = \Theta(\varepsilon - \|\vec{x}(t_1) - \vec{x}(t_2)\|)$$



Euclidean Norm



Recurrence Plot

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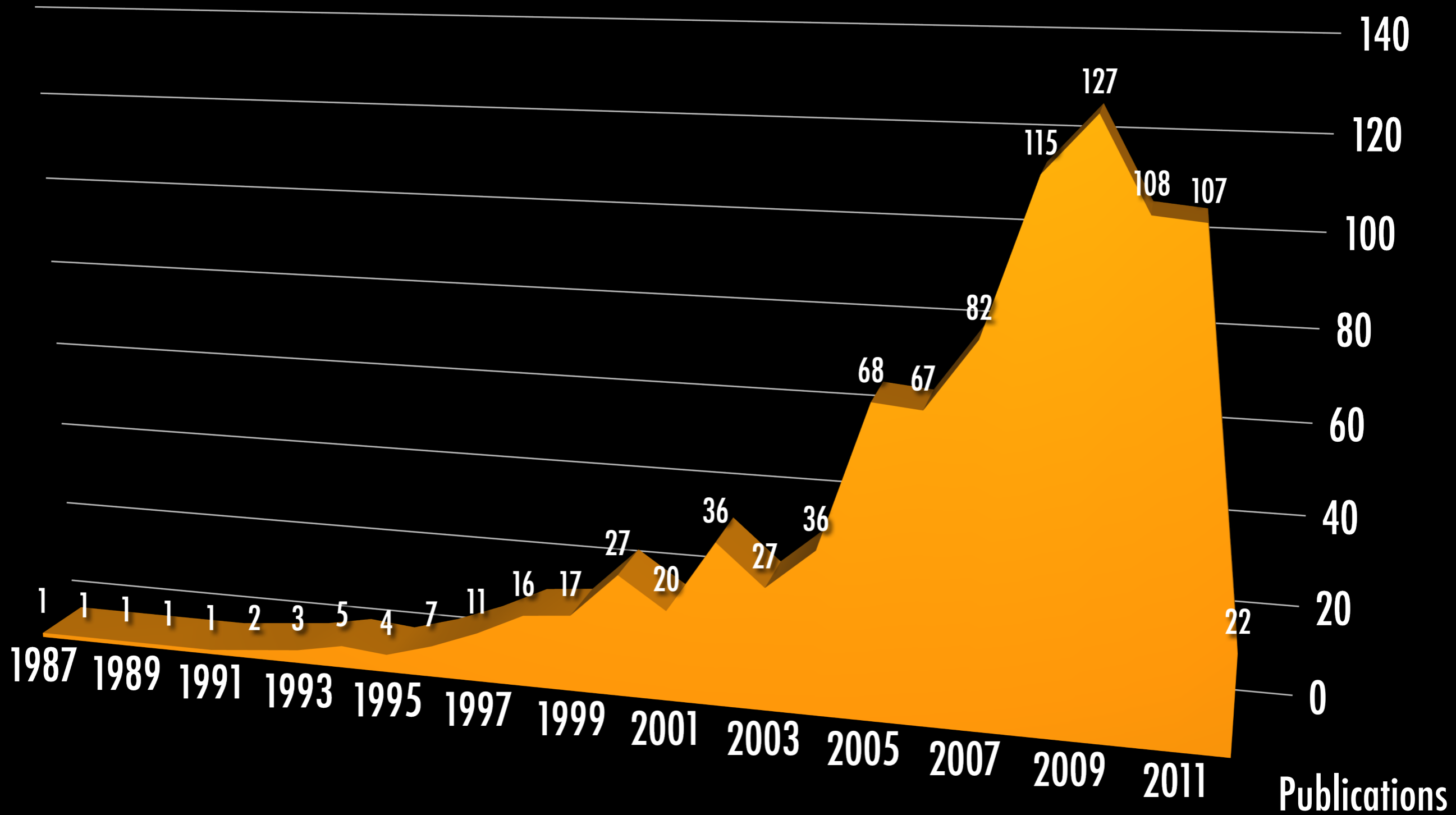
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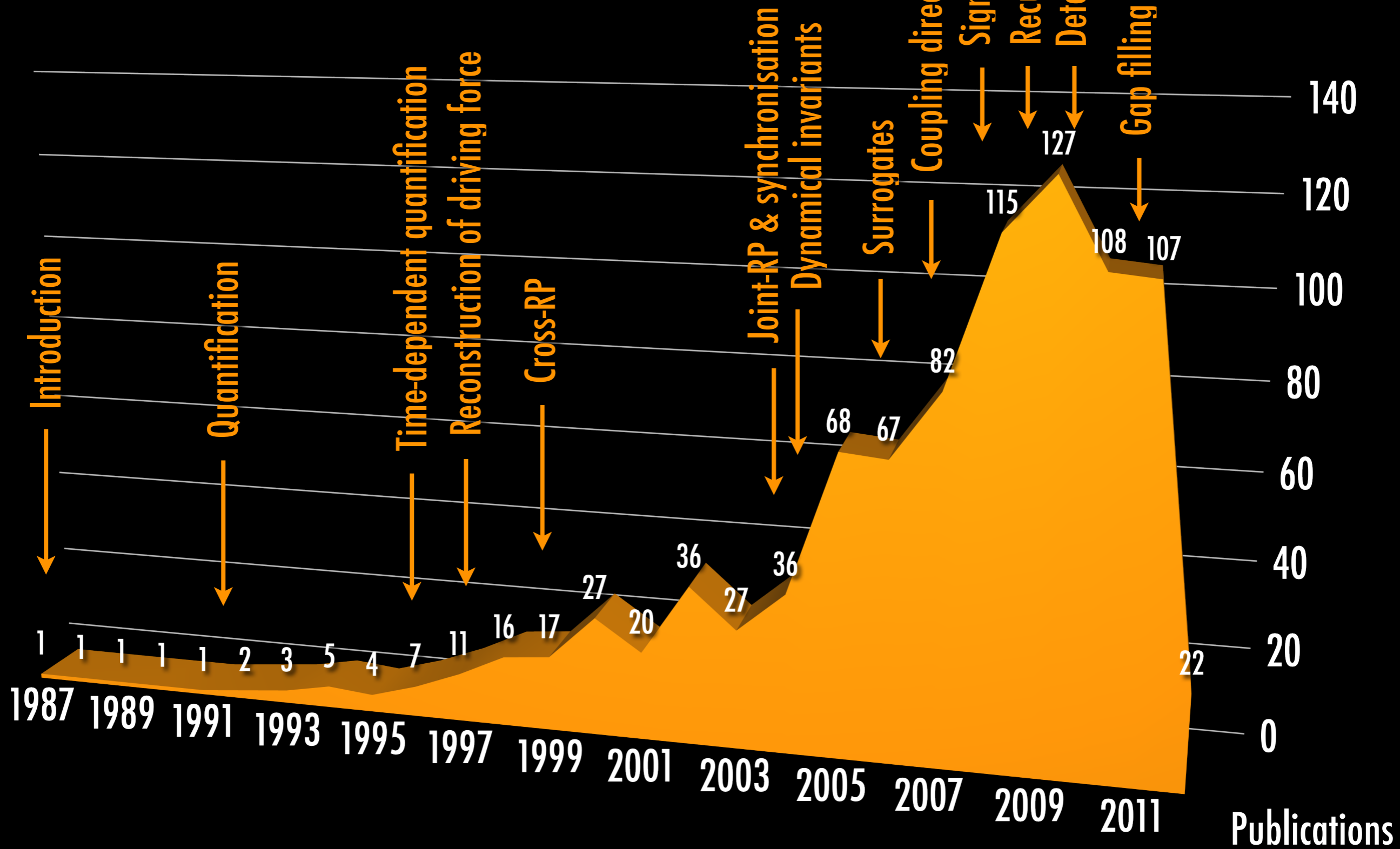
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paper. It is of course rewarding to discover that a small paper has, after a dormant period, led to an active field, with many ramifications we certainly had not anticipated. One can wonder what

Recurrence Plot Publications



Recurrence Plot Publications



Recurrence Plot

- to visualise the phase space trajectory by its recurrences

- recurrence matrix:

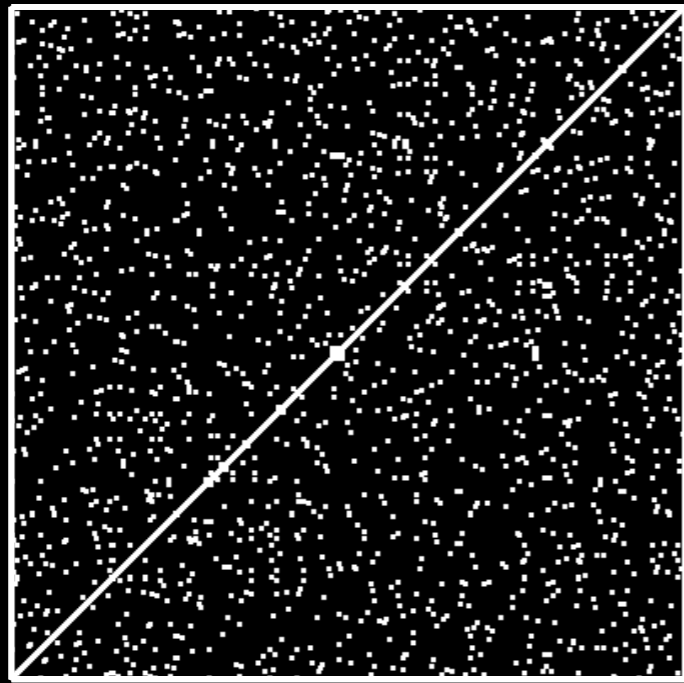
- ▶ binary
- ▶ symmetric

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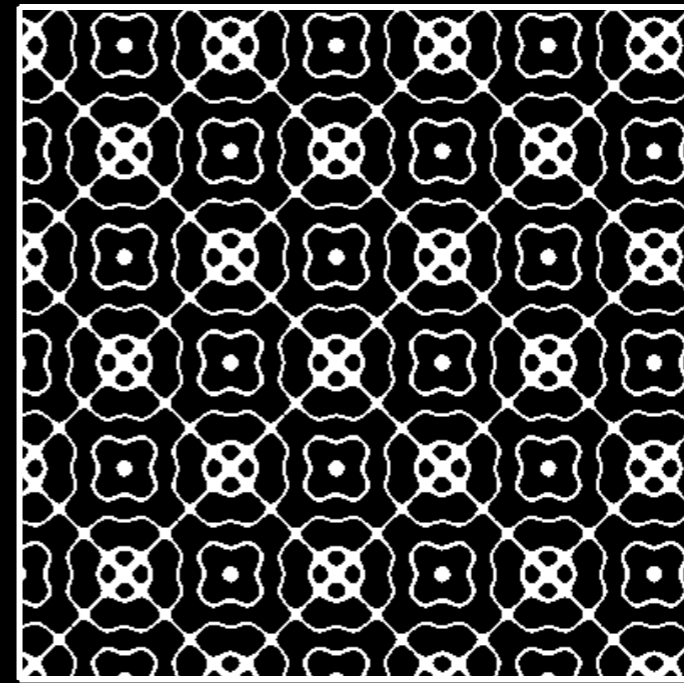
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Recurrence Plot Typology

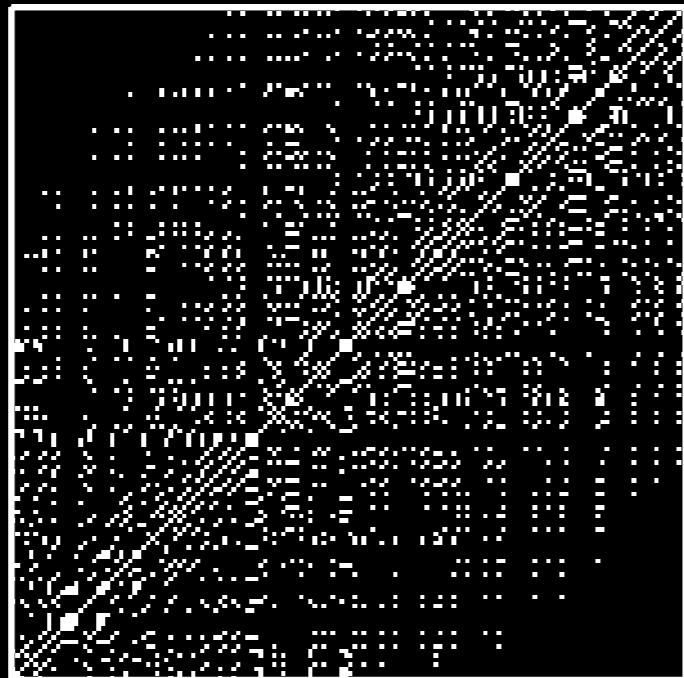
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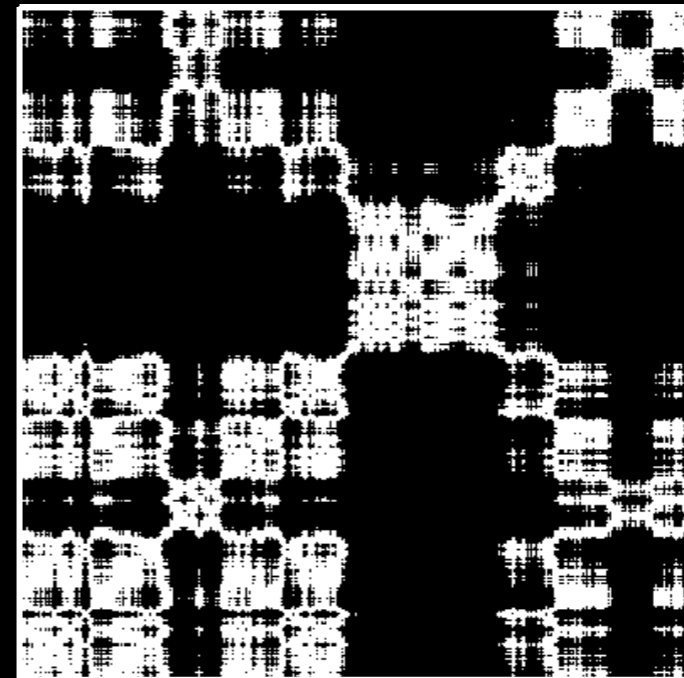
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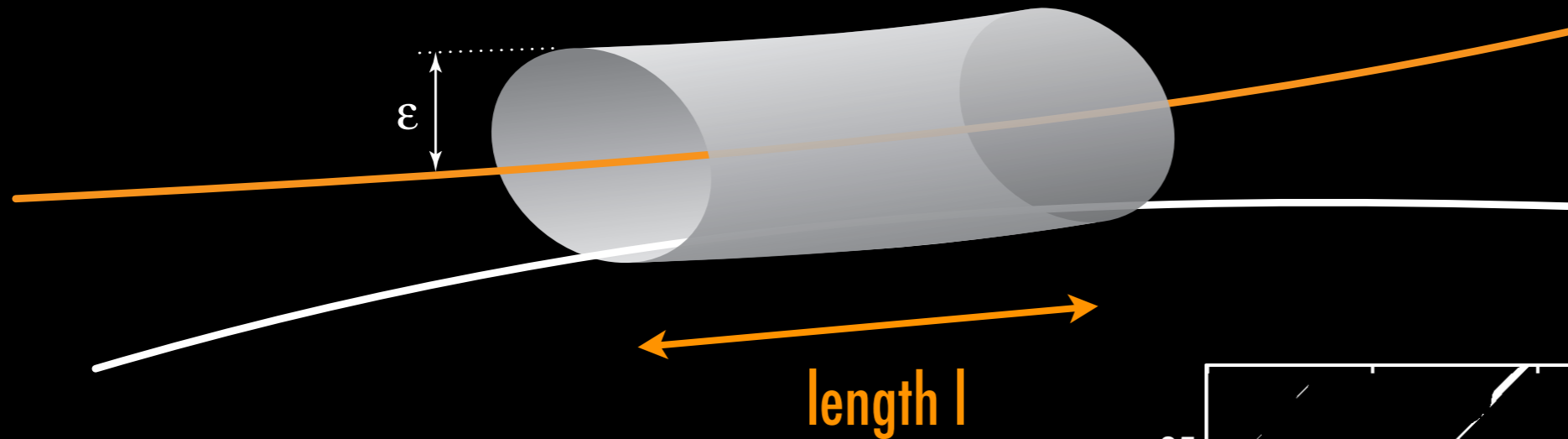
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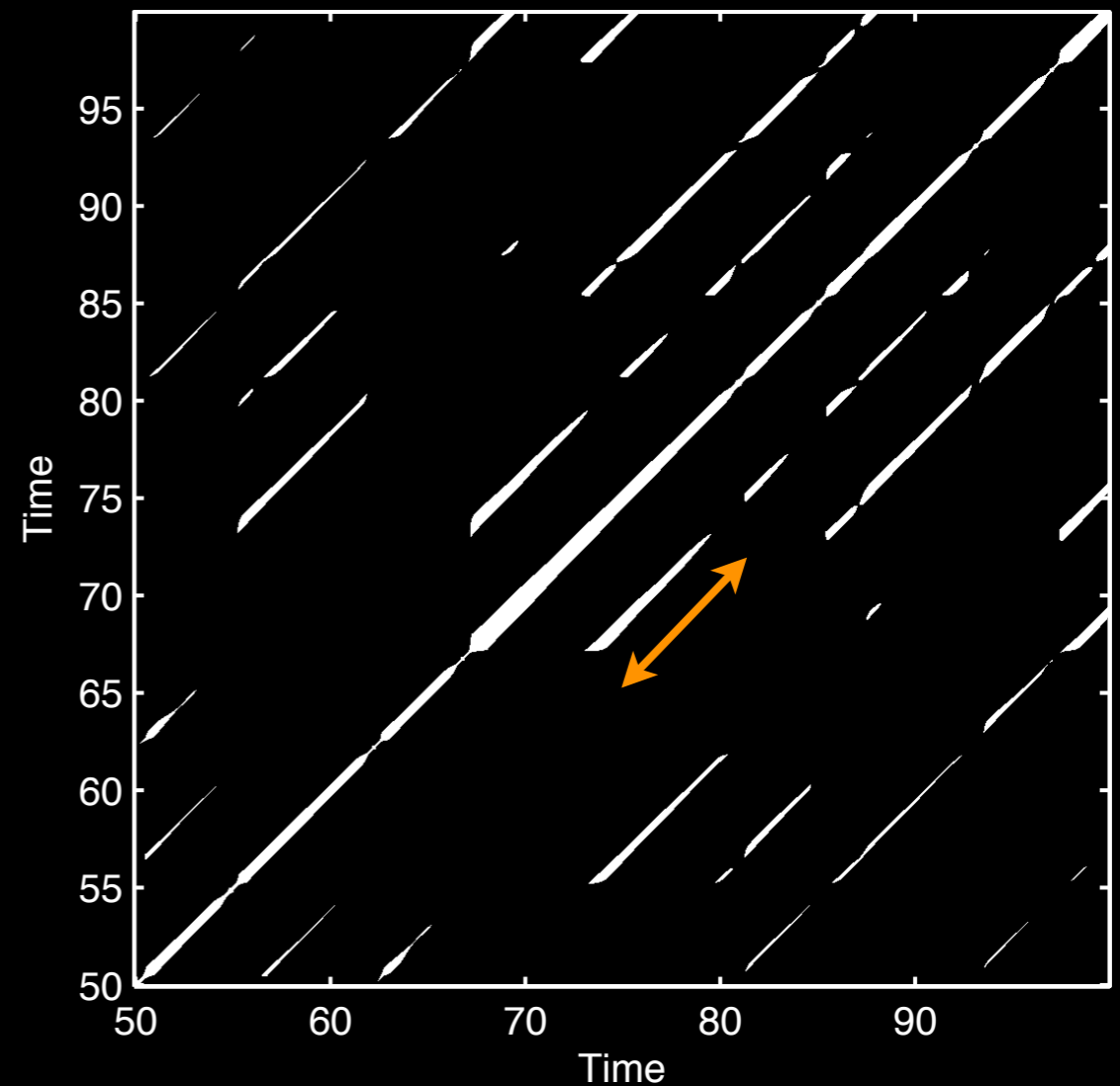
disrupted



Recurrence Quantification



- number of lines of exactly length l
 - ▶ histogram $P(l)$



Recurrence Quantification

- Recurrence rate

$$RR = \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{i,j=1}^N R_{i,j}$$

Probability that any state recurs

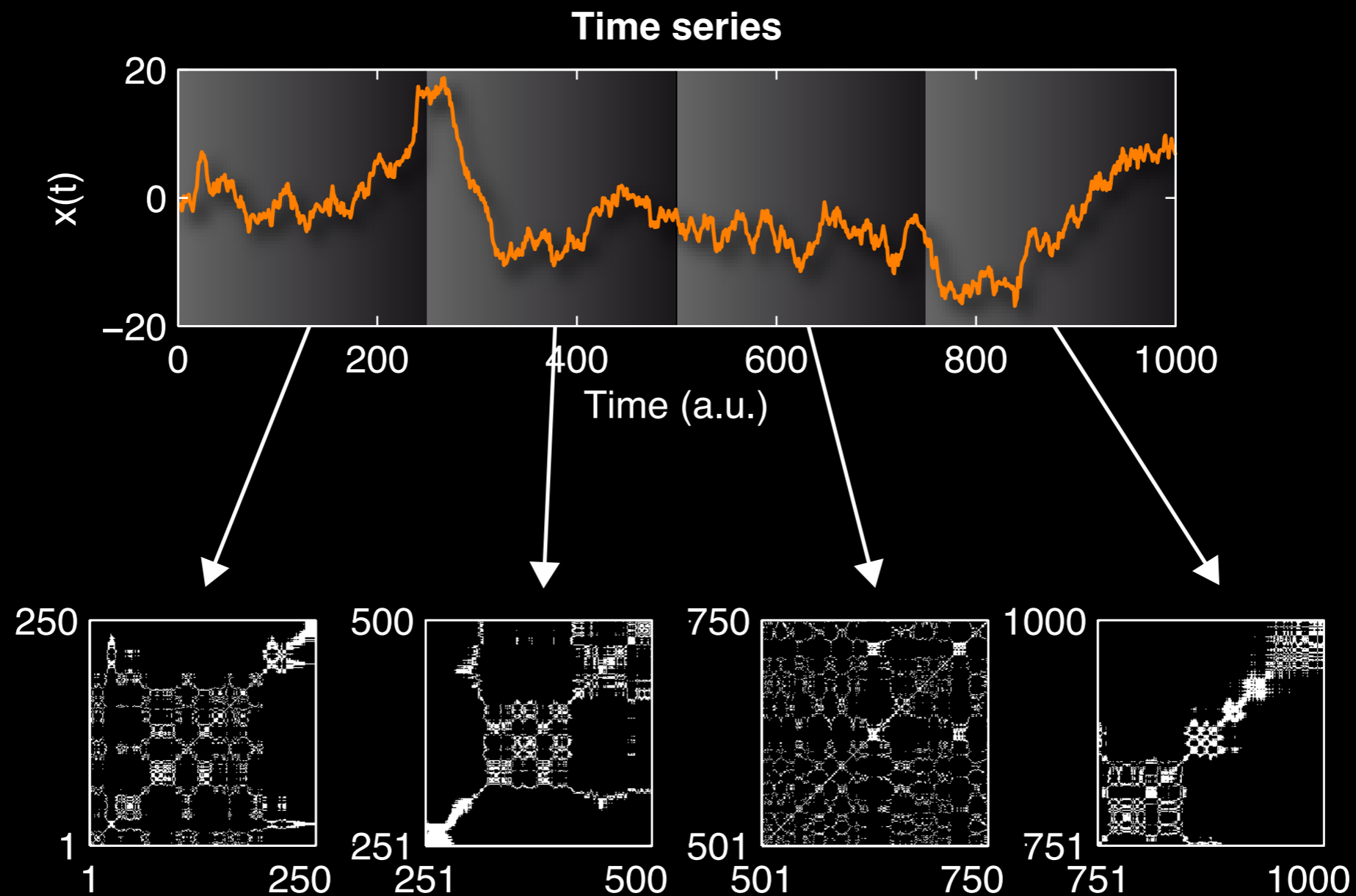
- Determinism

$$DET = \frac{\sum_{l=l_{\min}}^N l P(l)}{\sum_{l=1}^N l P(l)}$$

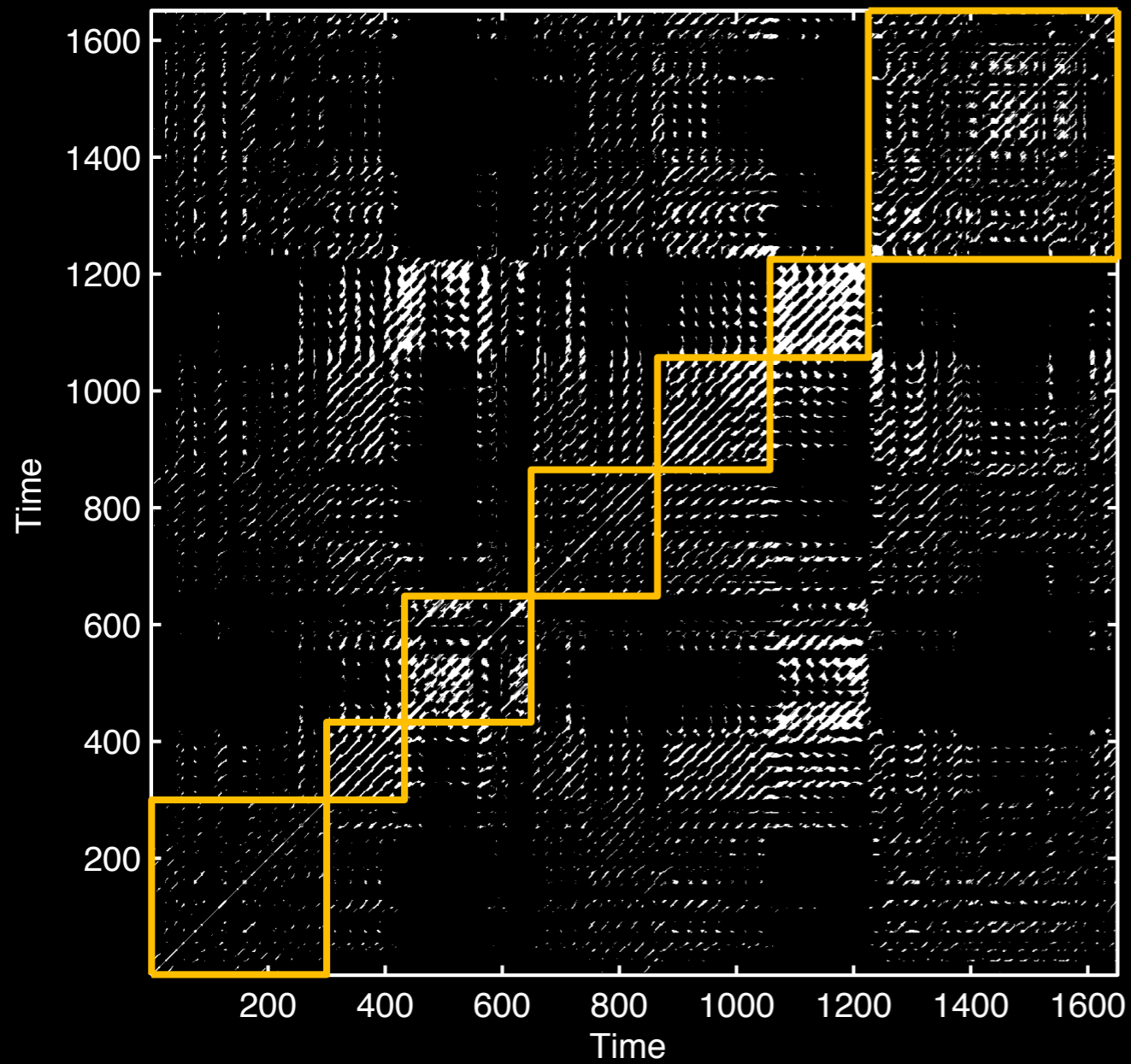
Probability that recurrences further recur

Time Depending Analysis

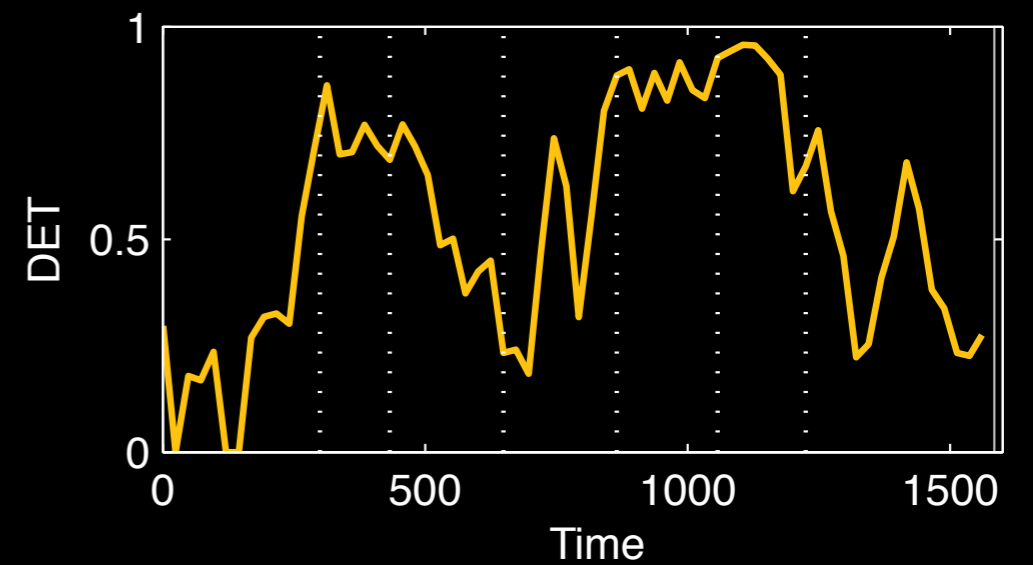
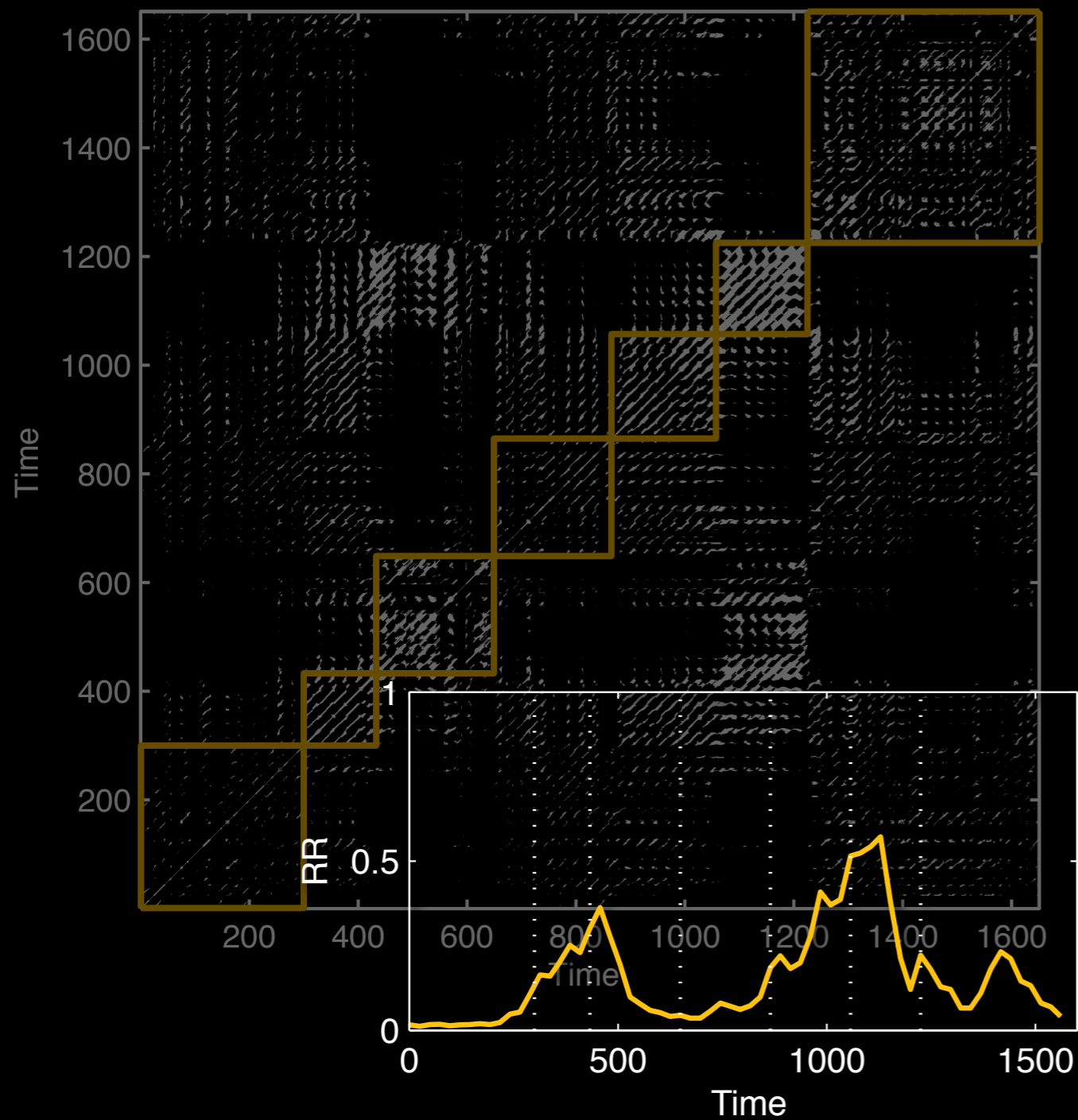
- sliding window: detection of dynamical transitions



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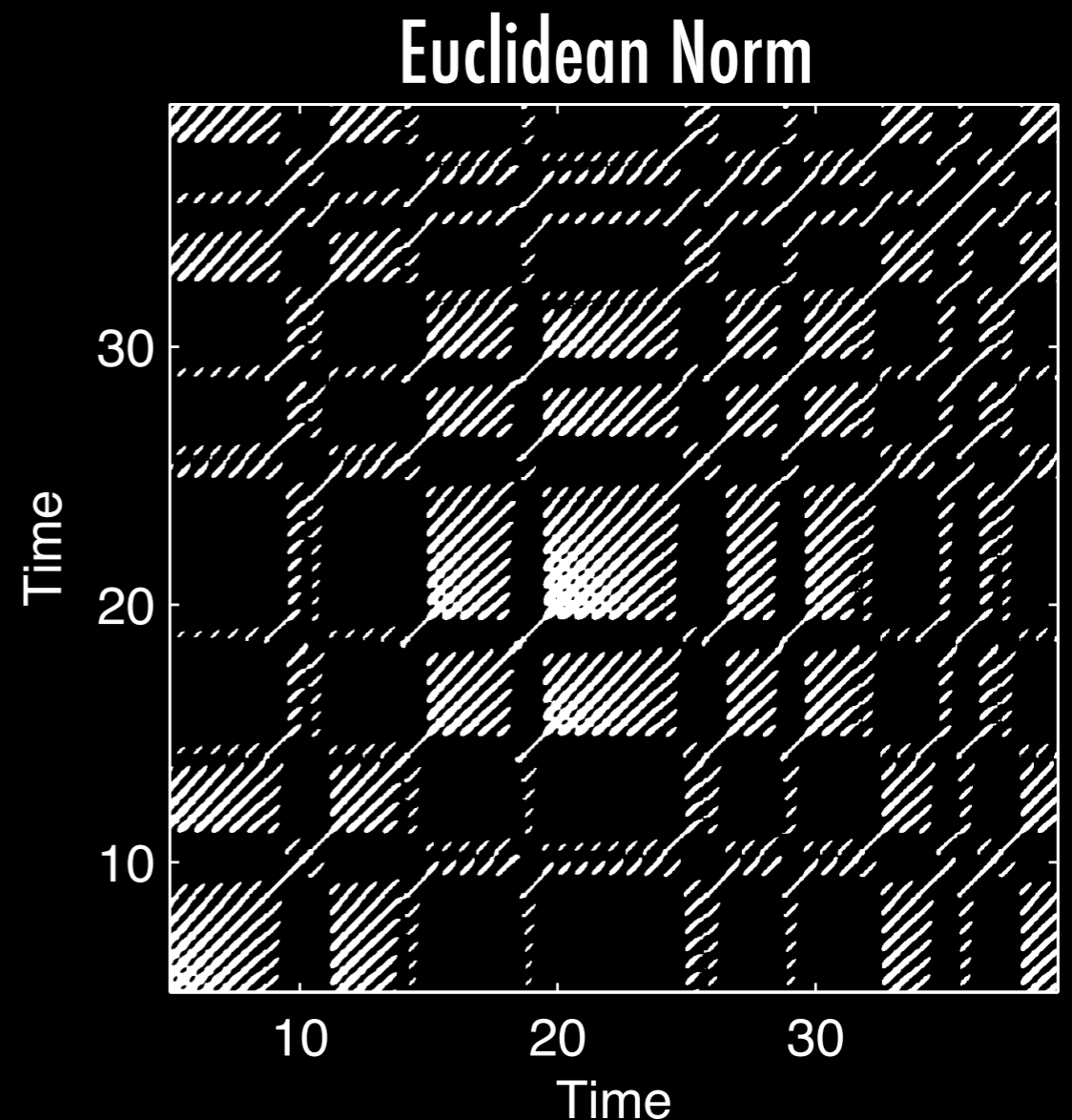


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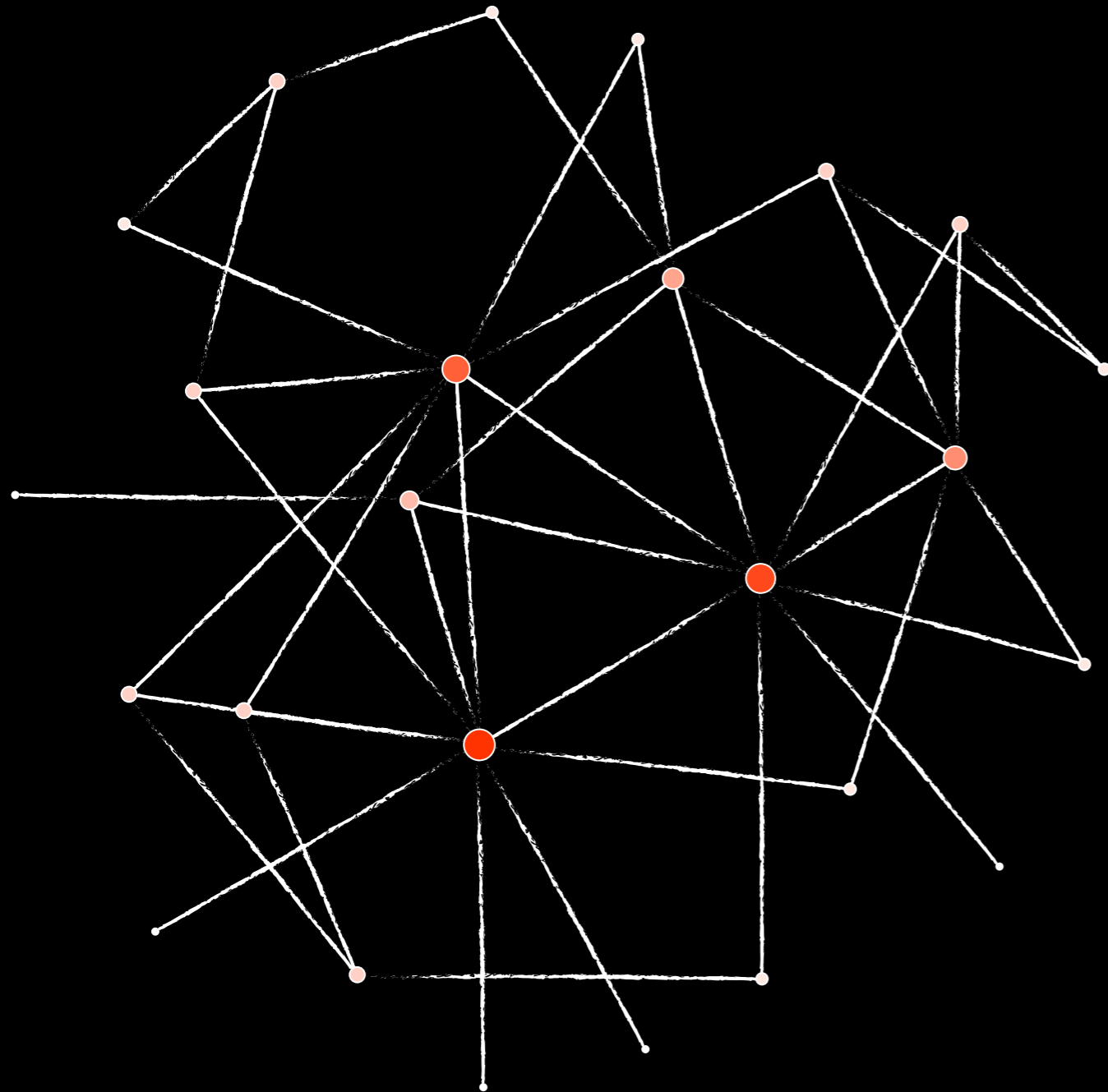
Recurrence Plot

- Transition detection
- Differentiate dynamics
- Finding time scales
- Interrelation detection
- Synchronisation analysis
- Surrogates
- Recurrence time statistics
- etc.



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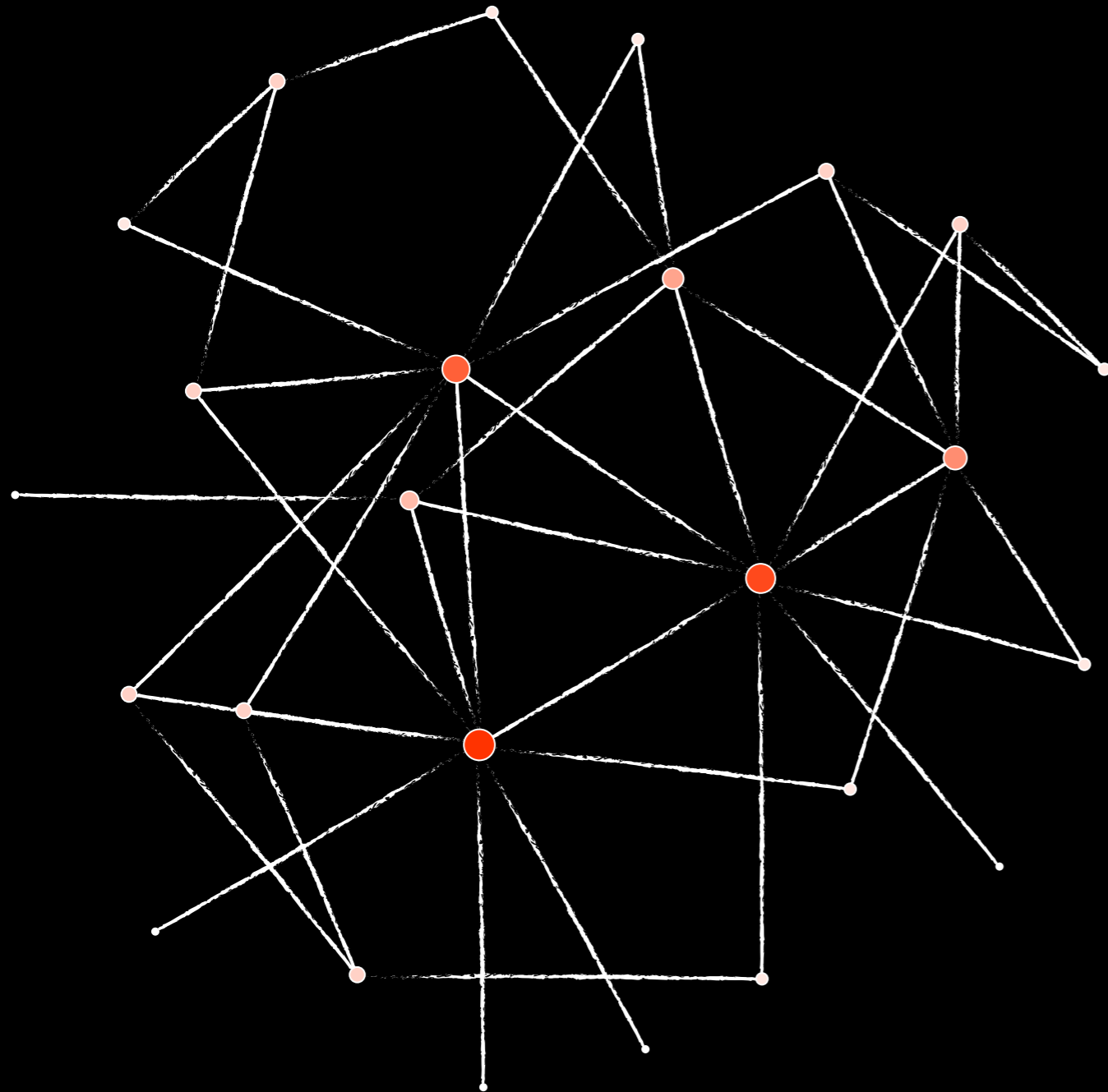
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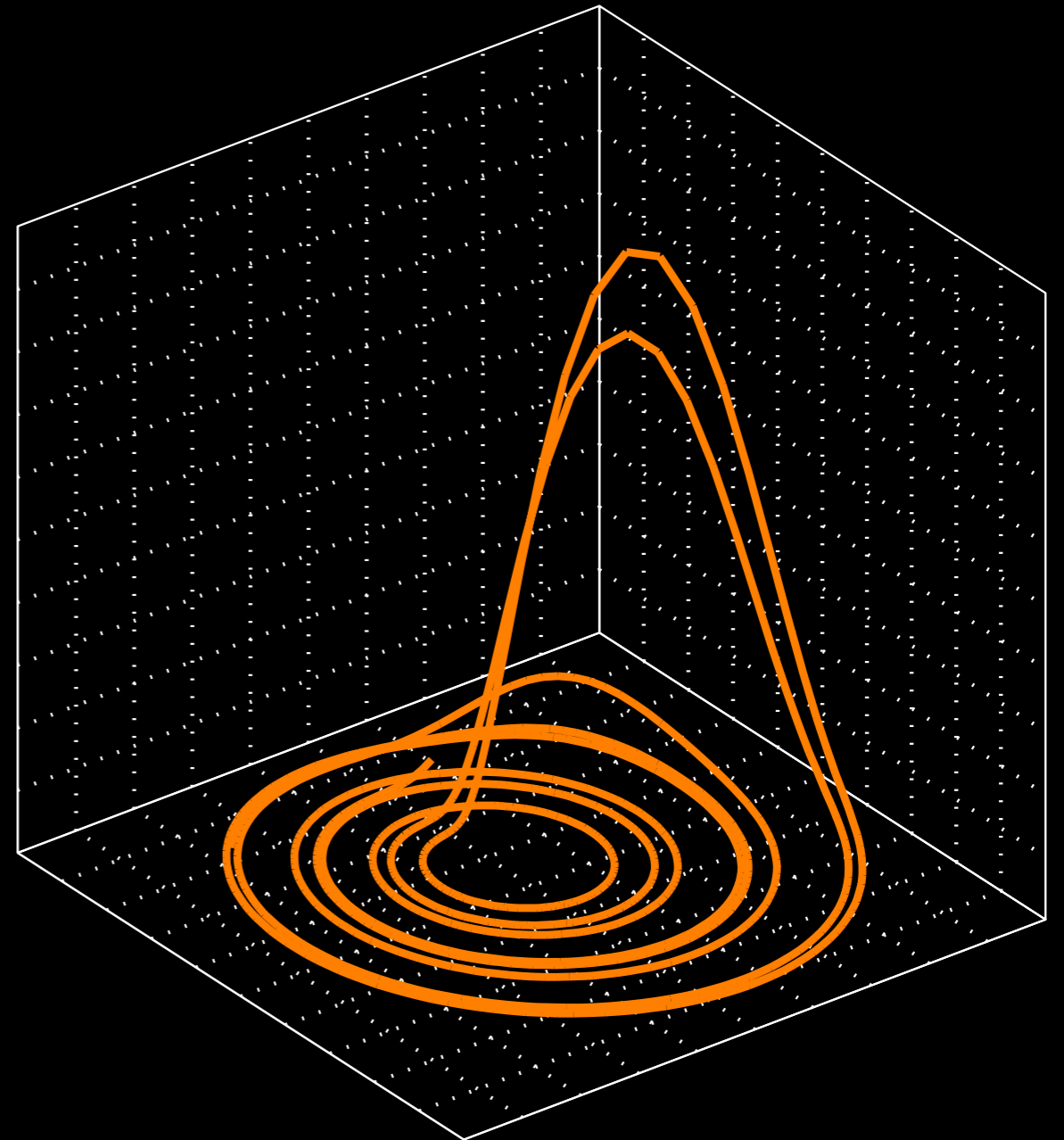
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▶ link matrix: similar to recurrence plot

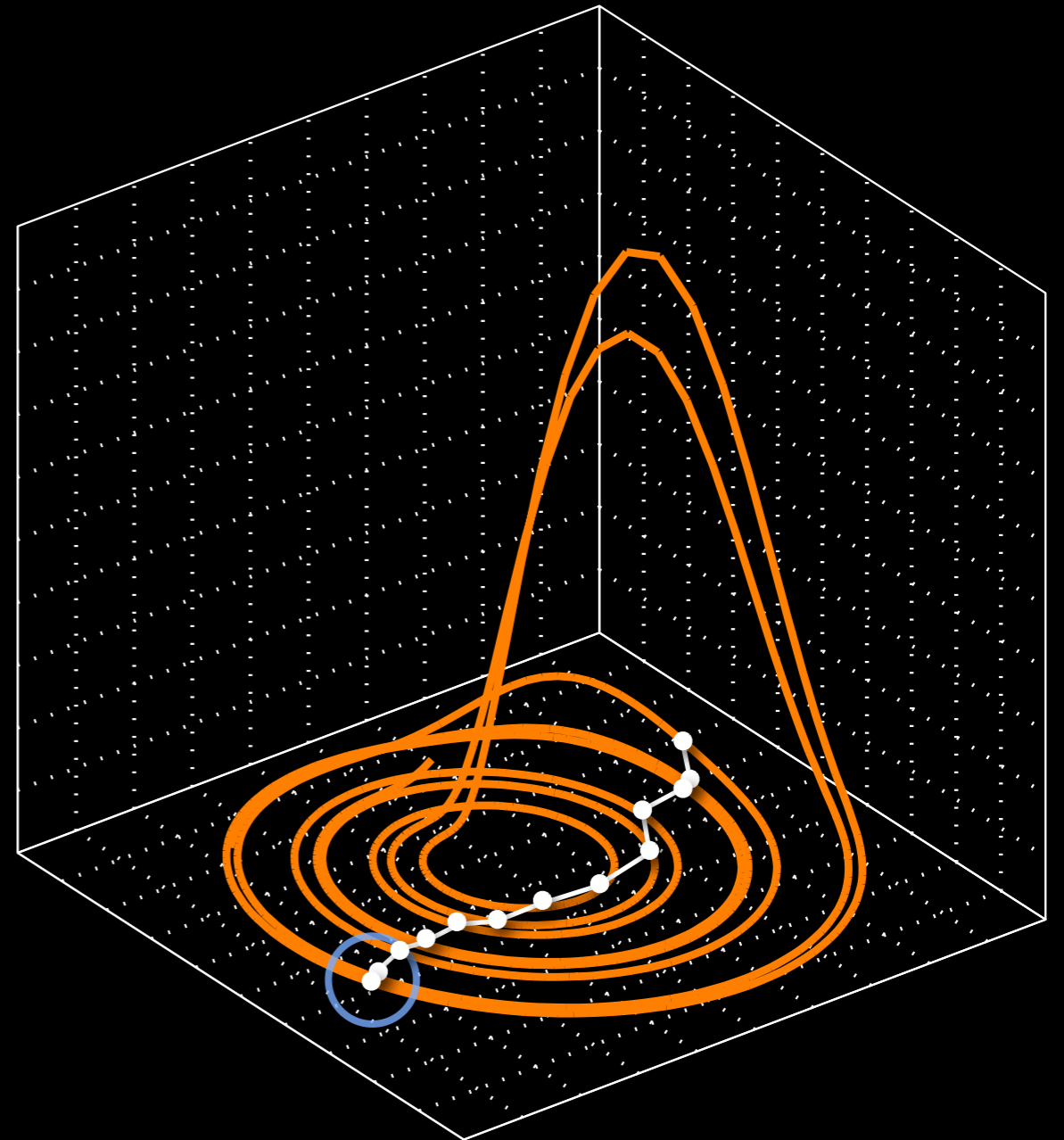
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- Link matrix = recurrence matrix of time series
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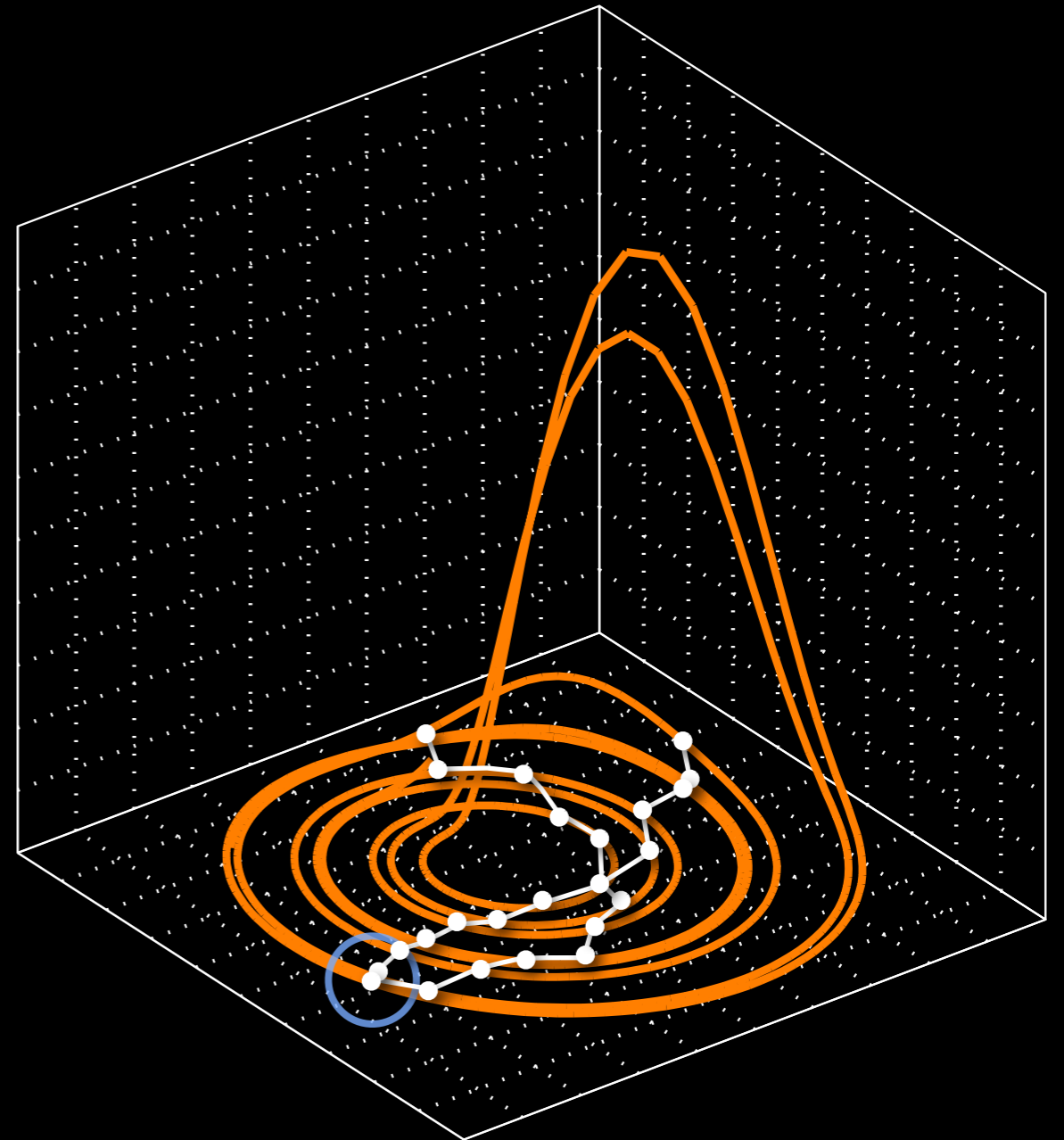
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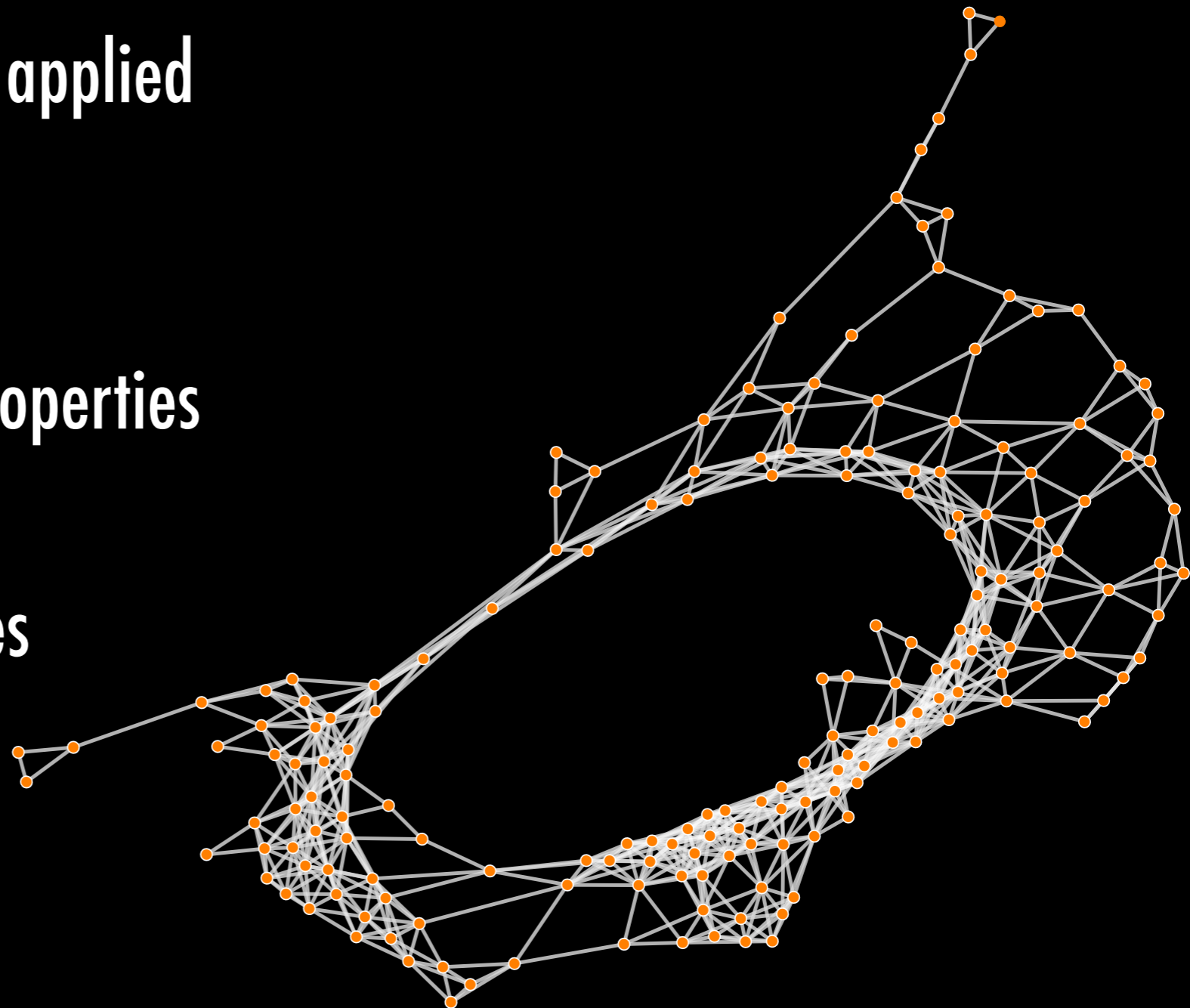
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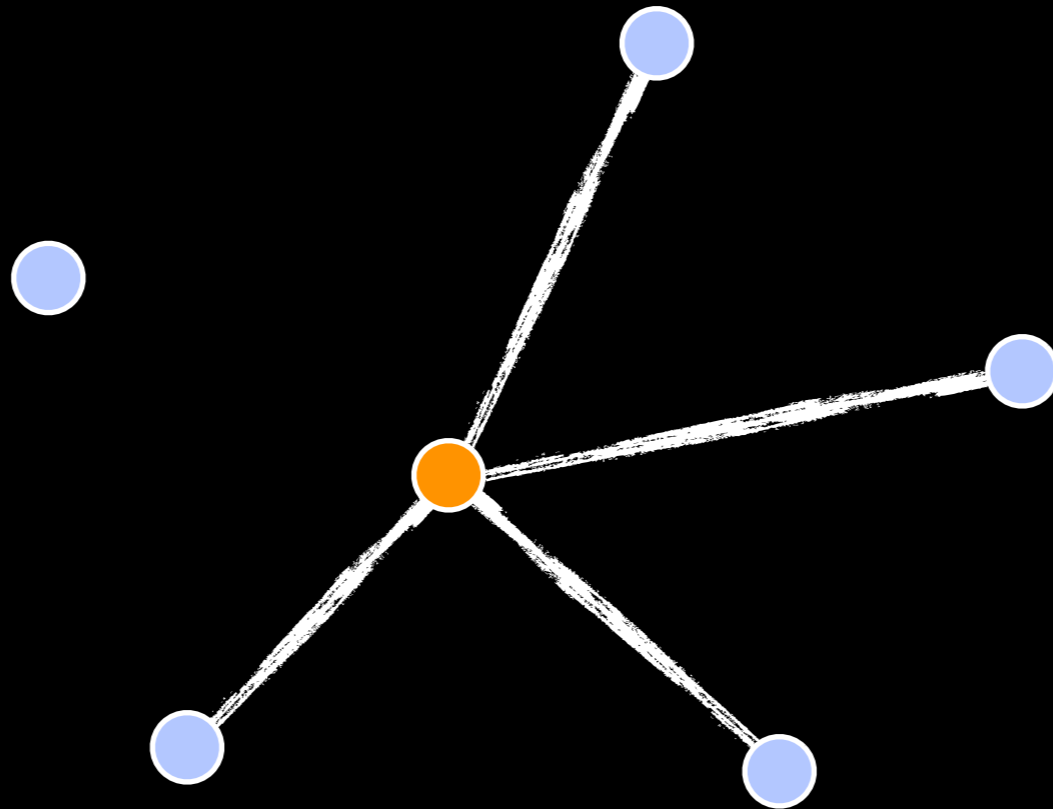
Time Series Analysis using Complex Networks

- Complex network measures applied to recurrence plot
 - ▶ measures of complexity explaining topological properties of complex systems
 - ▶ local and global measures
- „recurrence network“

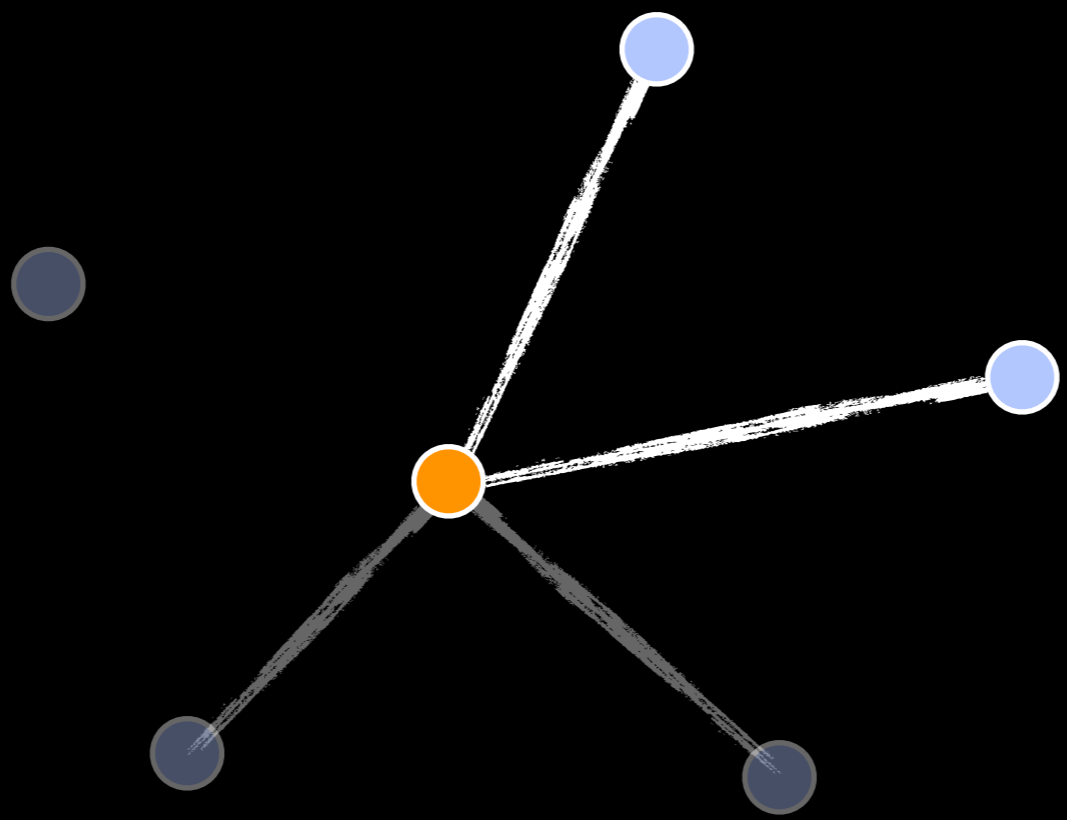


Scale	Network measure	Phase space
Local	link density	global recurrence rate
	degree centrality	local recurrence rate
Intermediate	clustering coefficient	invariant objects, local dimension
	local degree anomaly	local heterogeneity of phase space density
	assortativity	continuity of phase space density
	matching index	twinness
Global	average path length	mean phase space separation
	network diameter	phase space diameter
	closeness centrality	local centeredness in phase space
	betweenness centrality	local attractor fractionation
	global transitivity/ clustering	regular dynamics
	motif distribution	dynamical classification

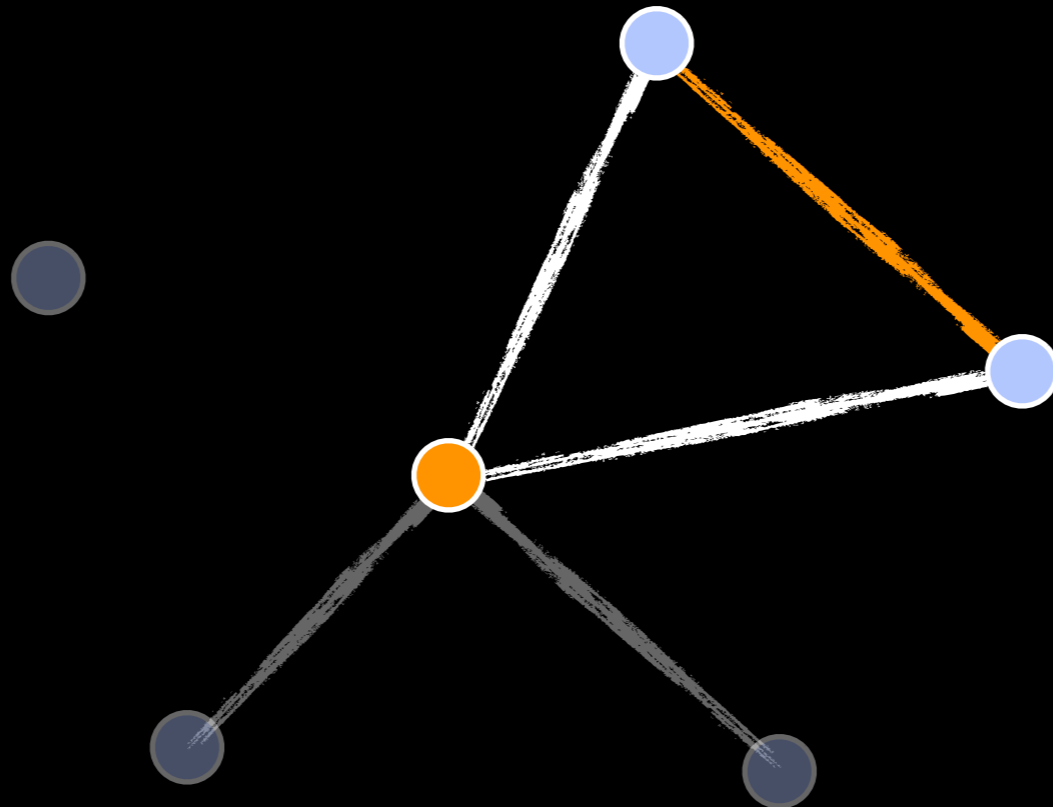
Clustering Coefficient



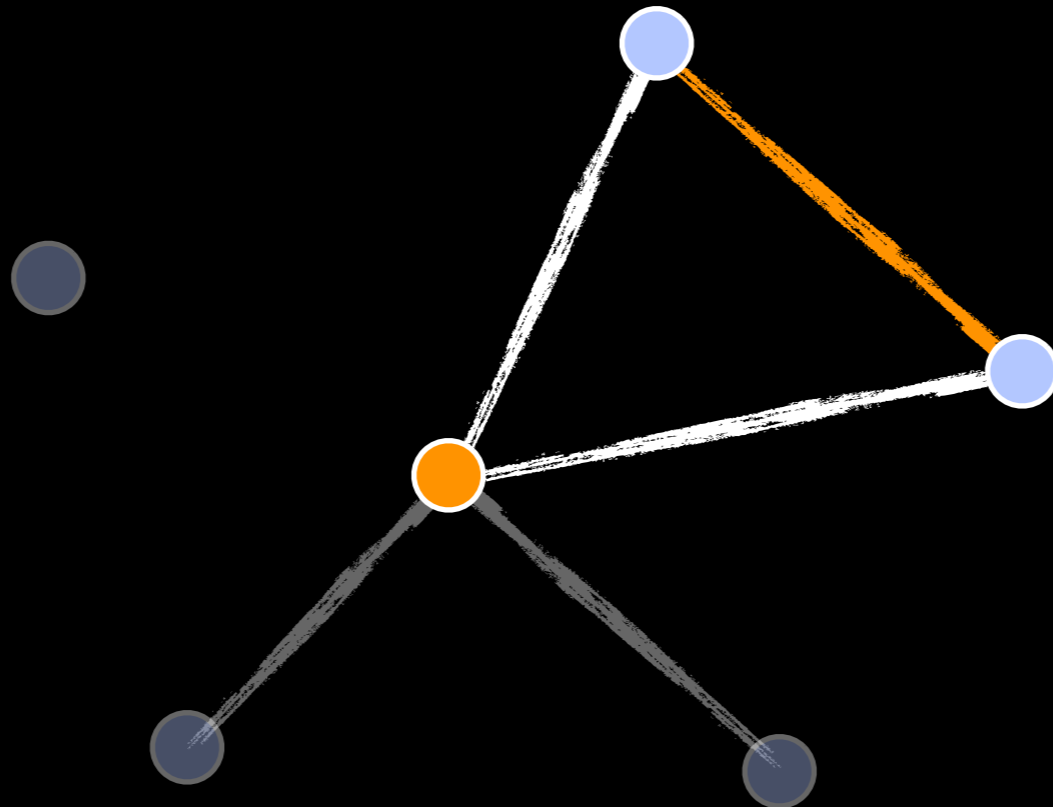
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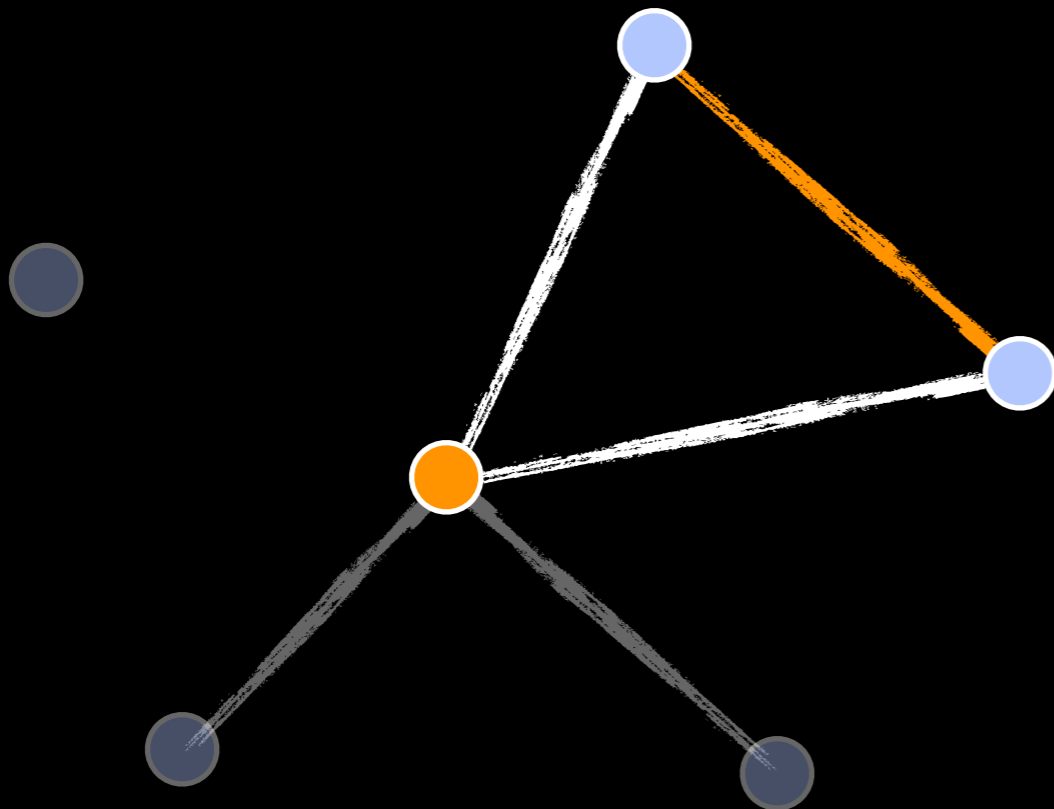


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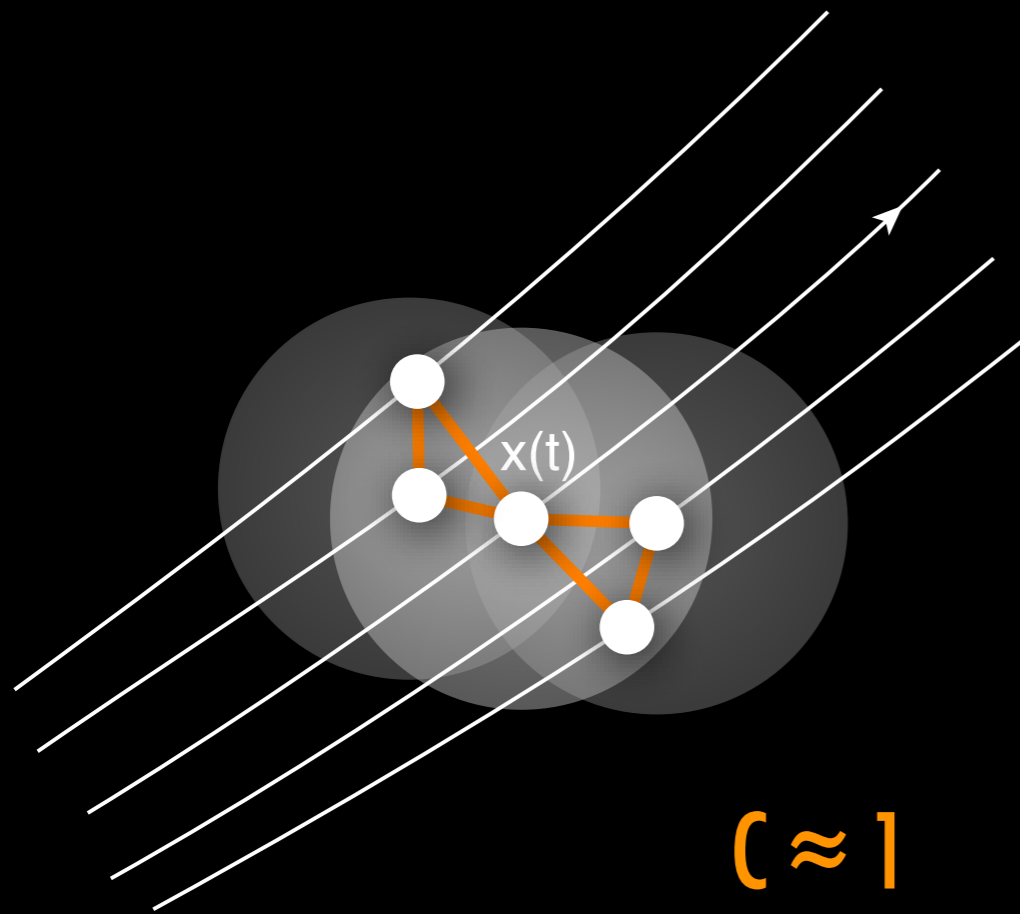


$$C_v = \frac{\sum_{i,j} A_{v,i} A_{i,j} A_{j,v}}{k_v(k_v - 1)}$$

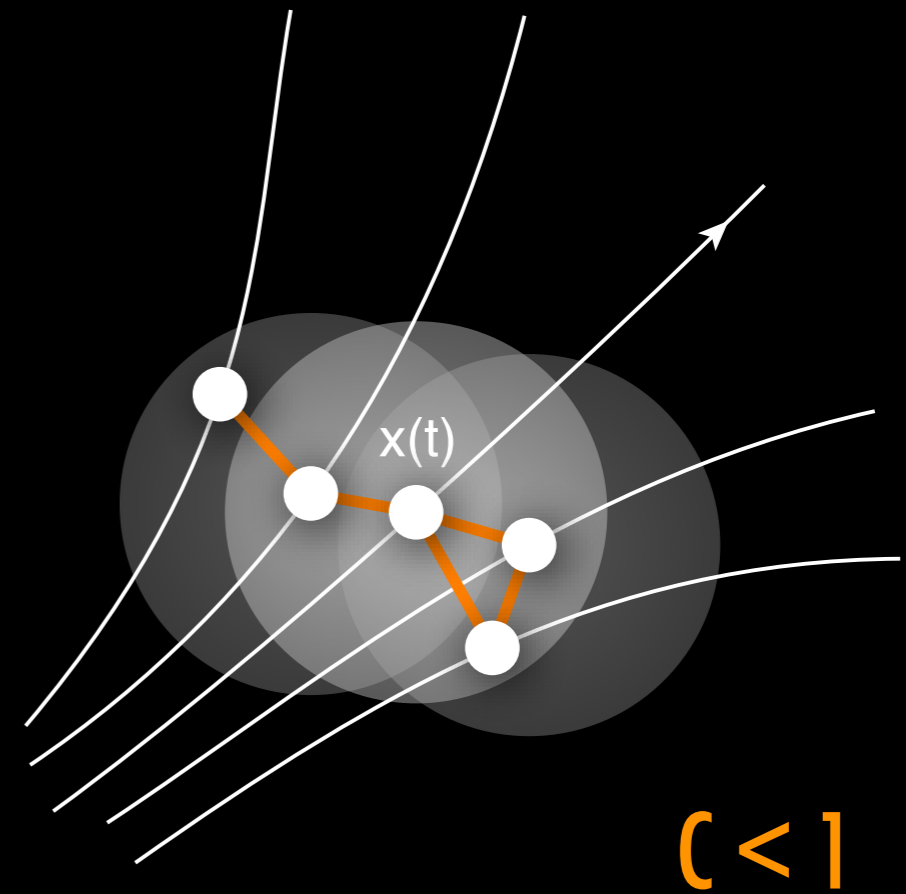
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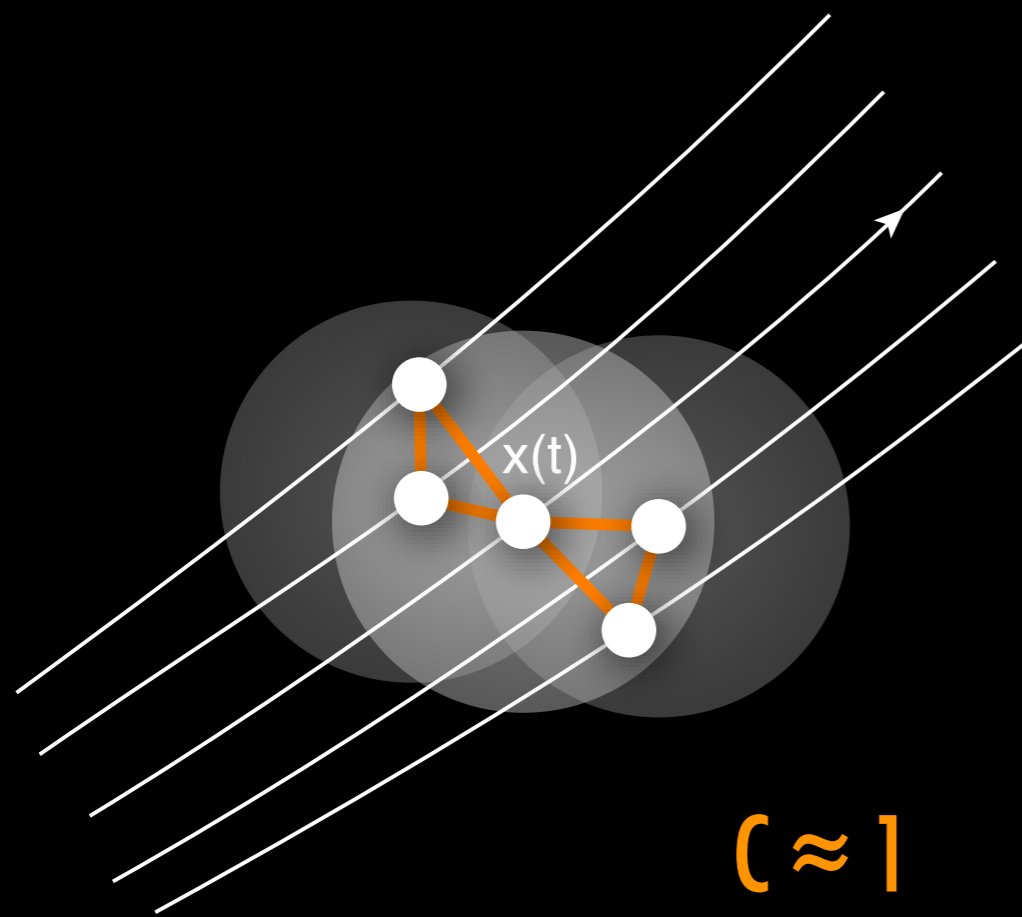


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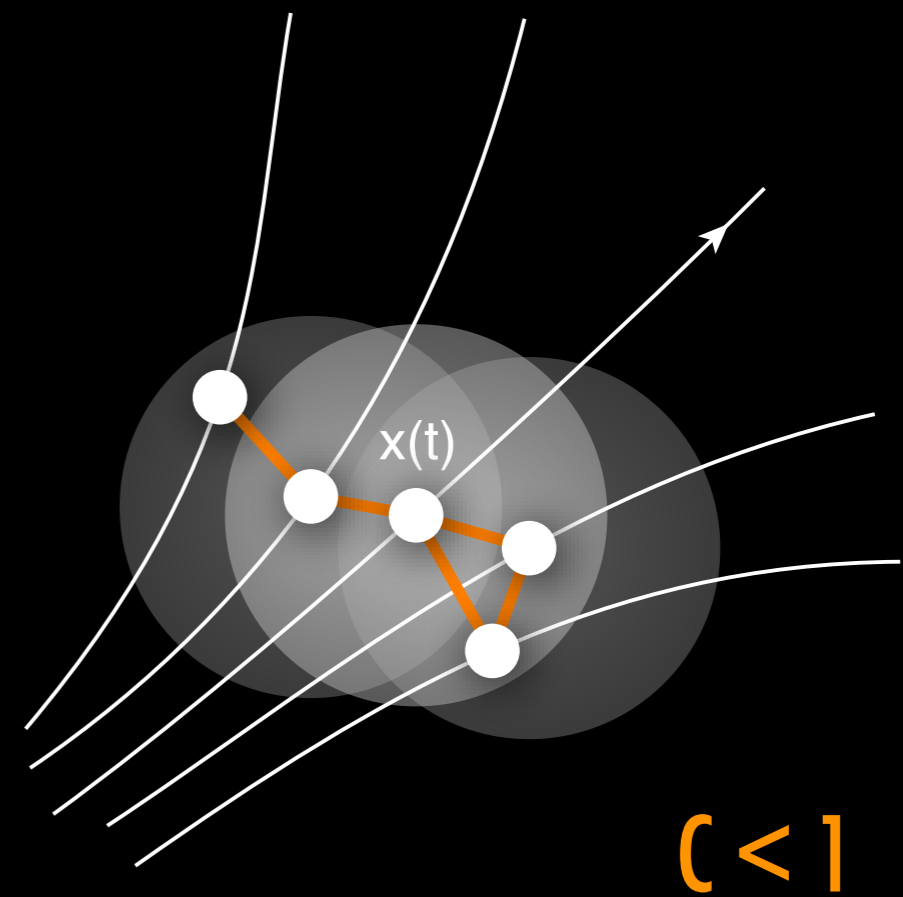


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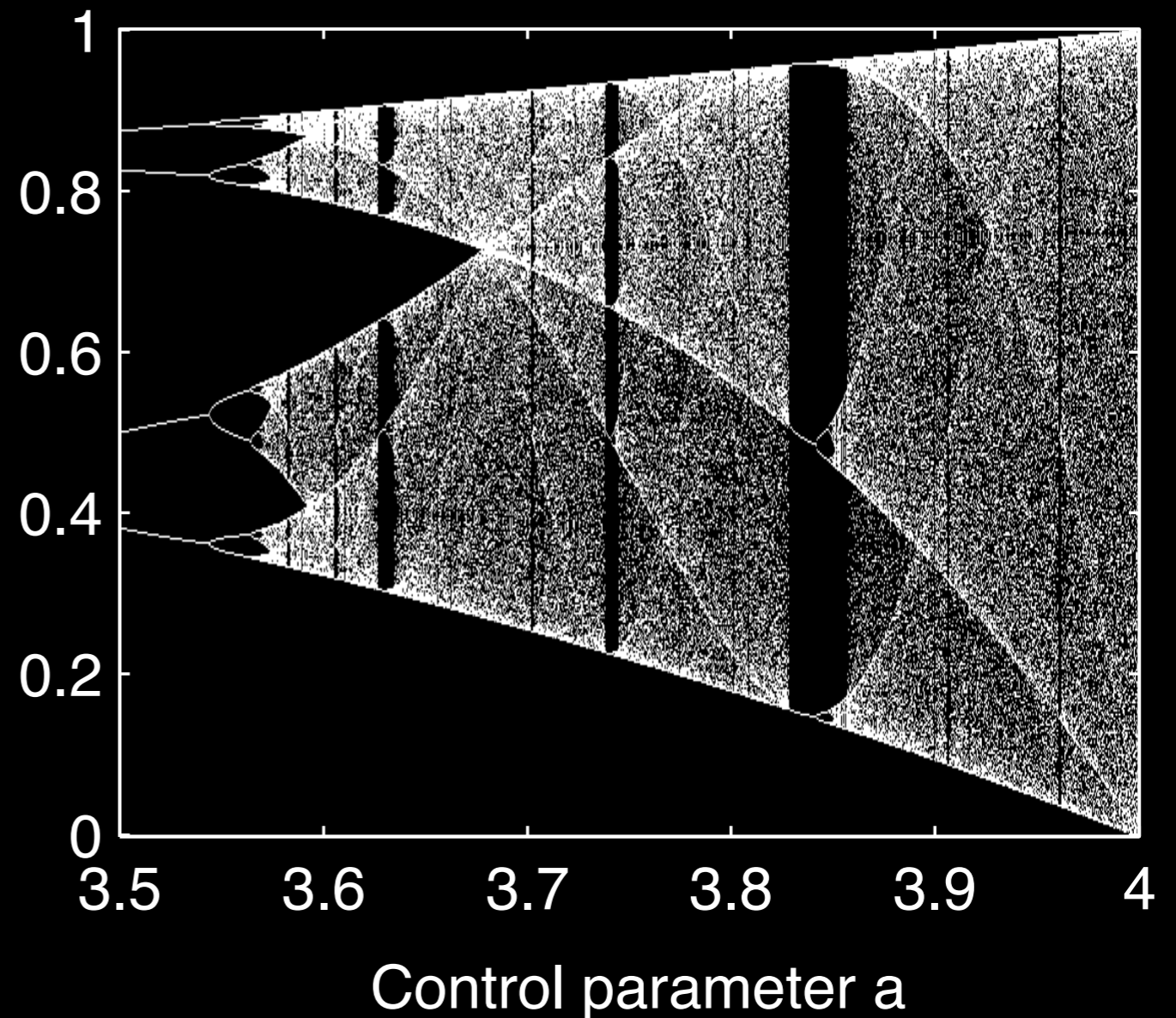


► clustering coefficient: regularity of dynamics, system dimension

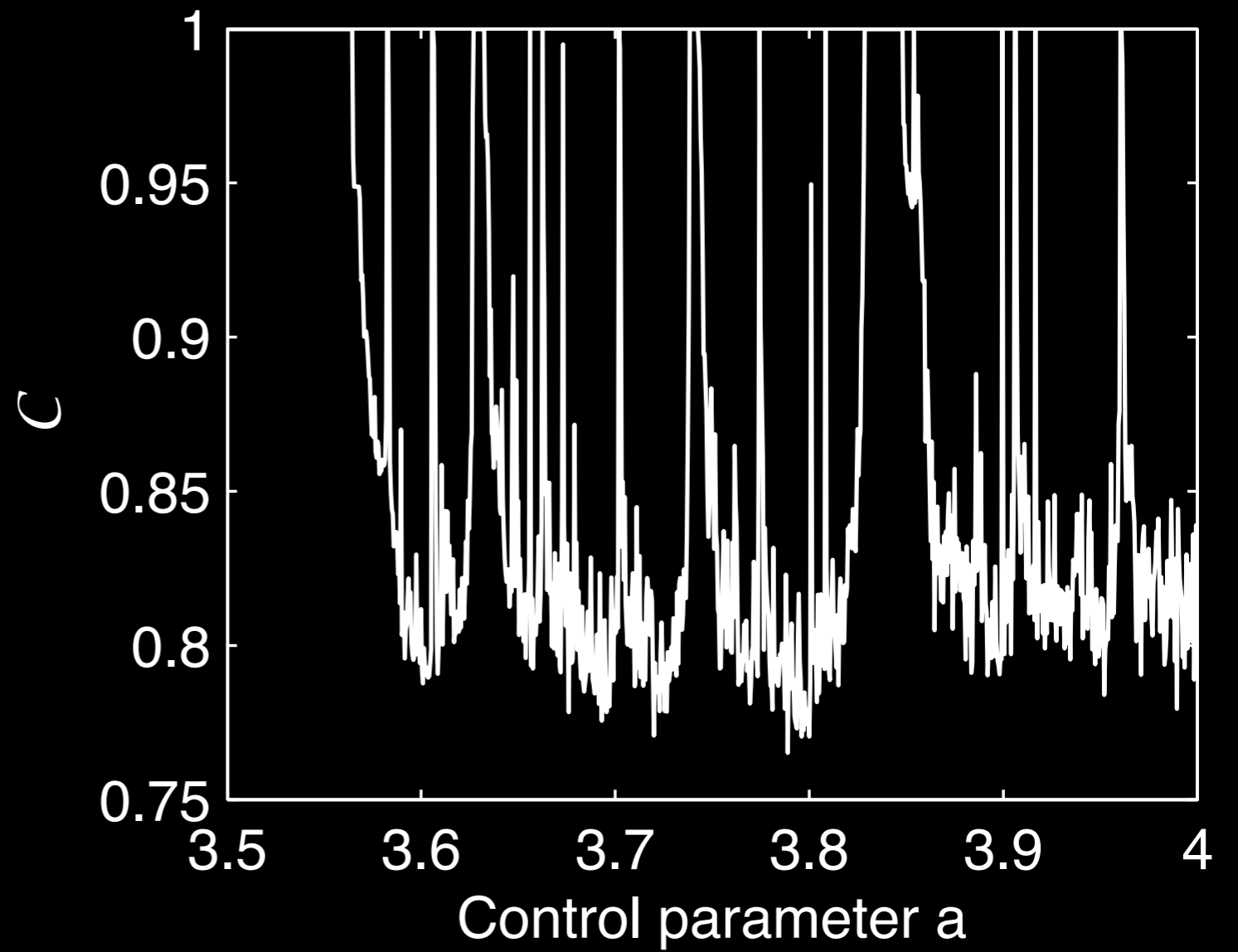
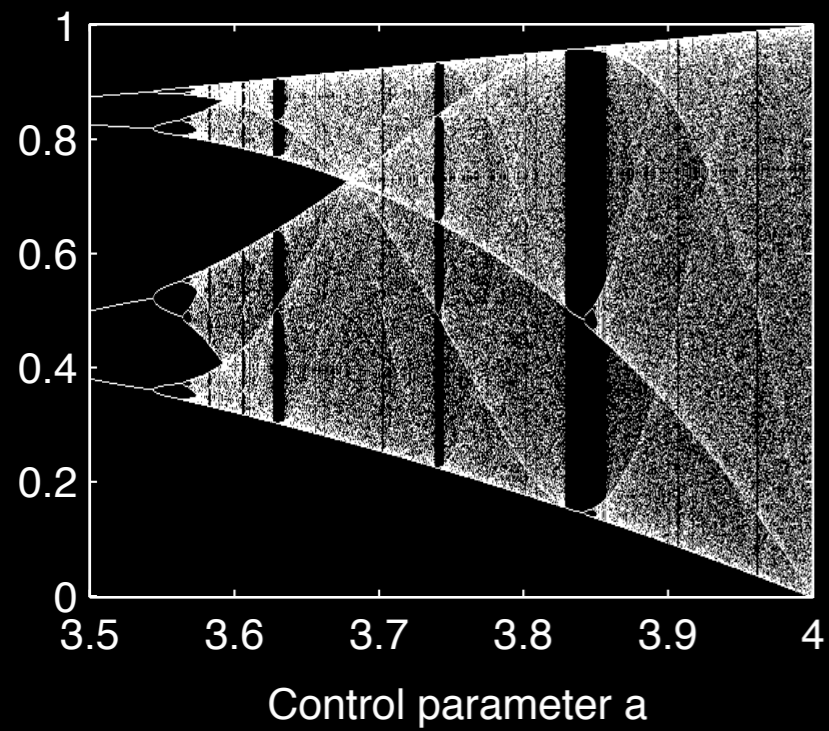
Example: Logistic Map

- Logistic map:

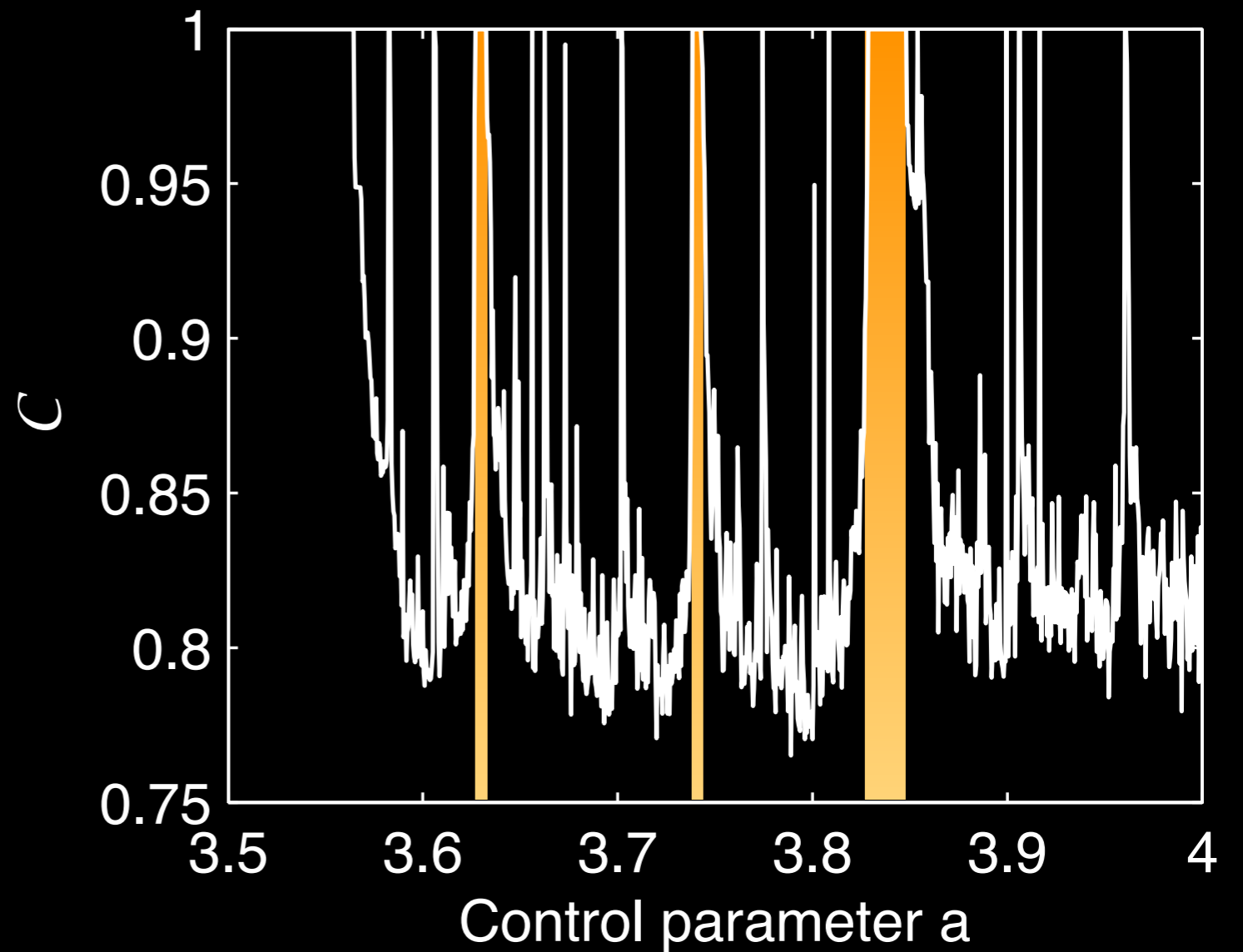
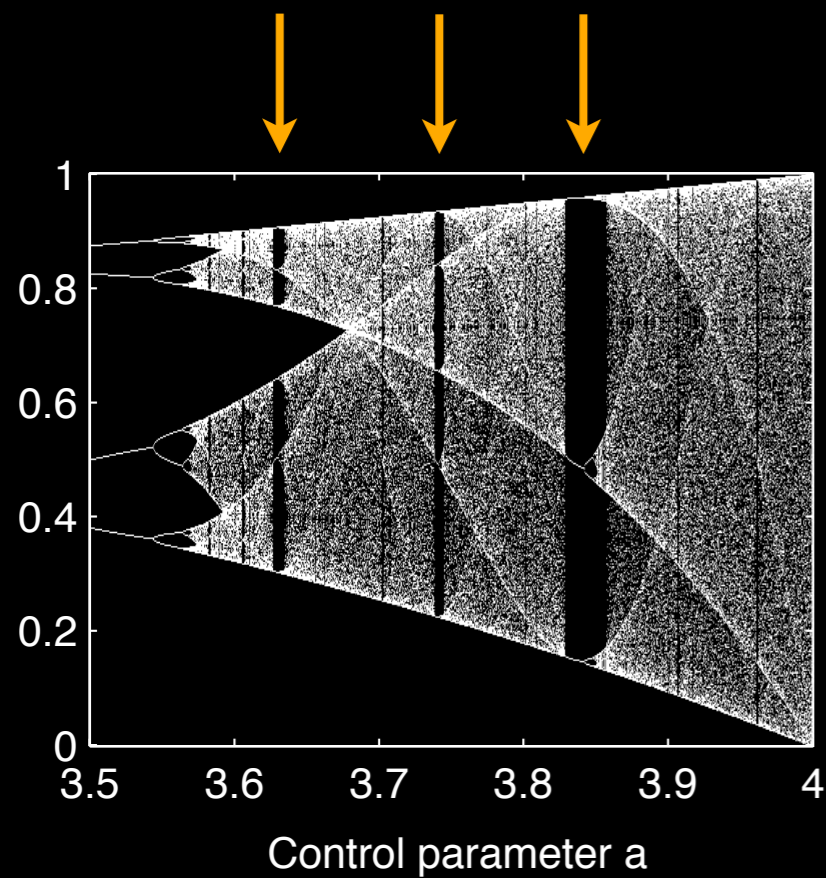
$$x_{i+1} = a x_i (1 - x_i)$$



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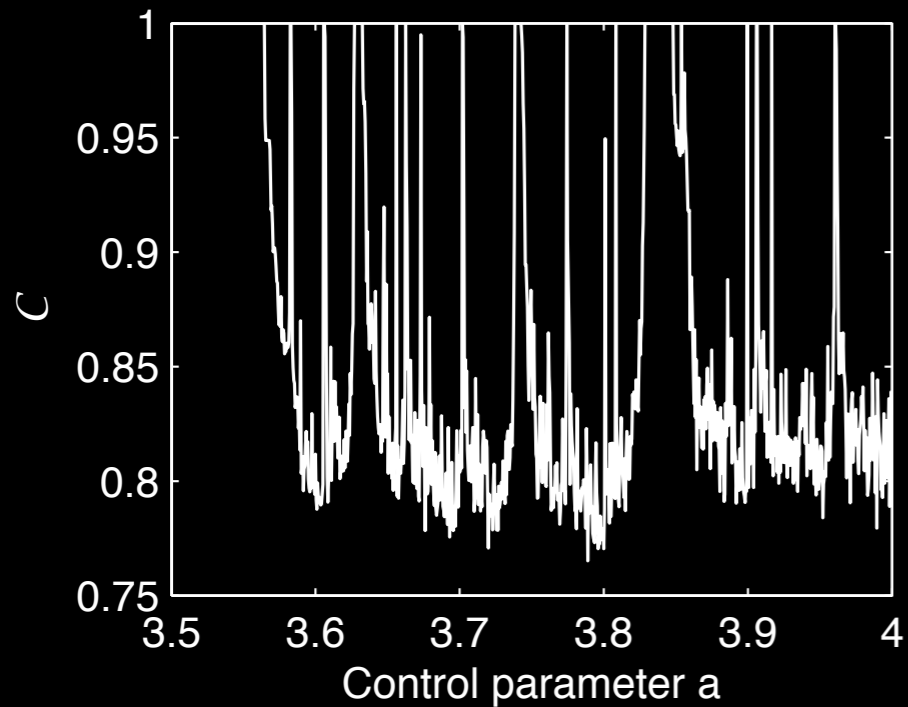
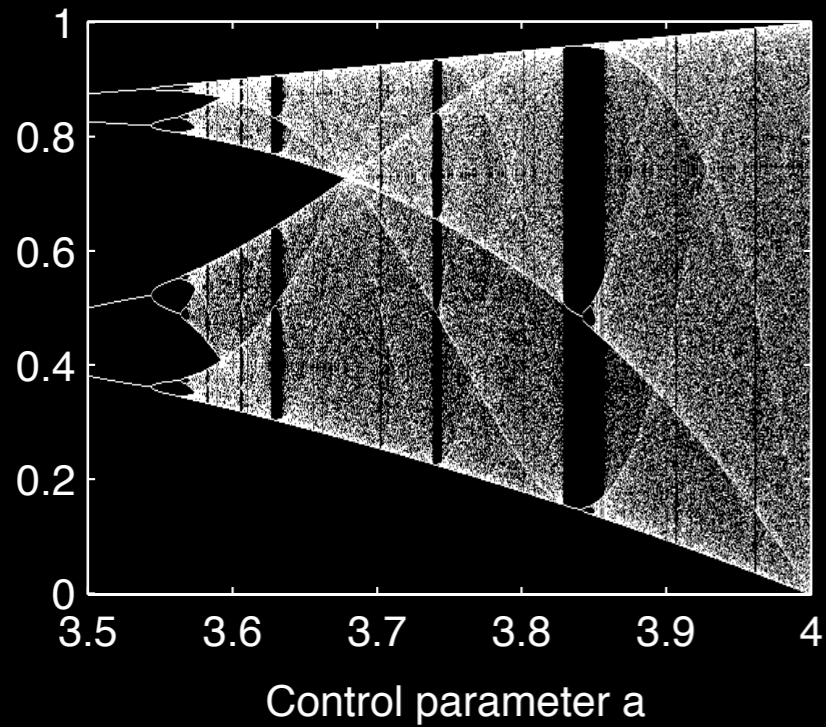


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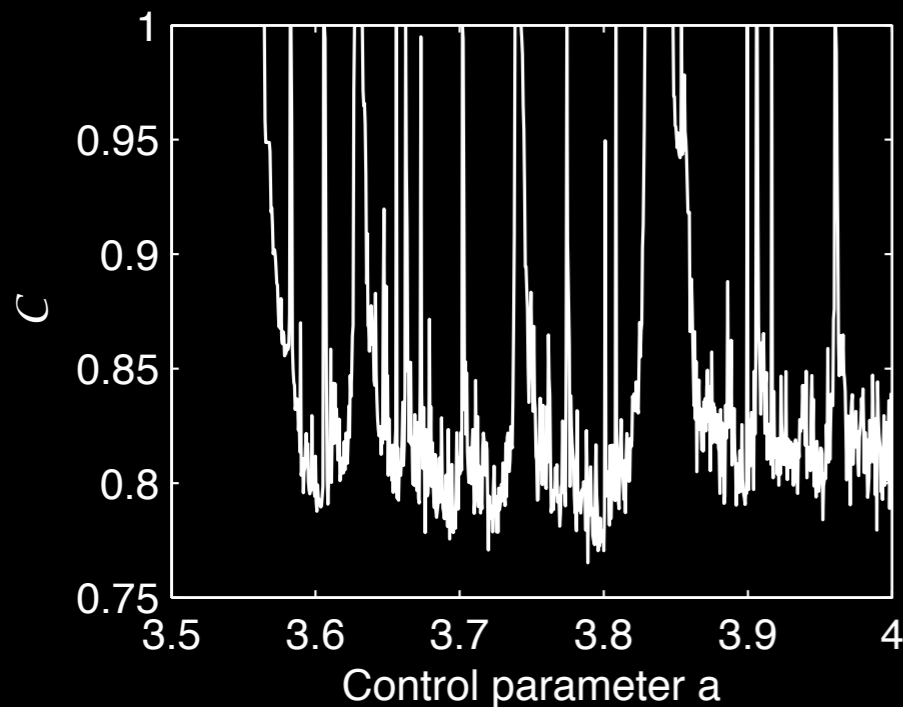
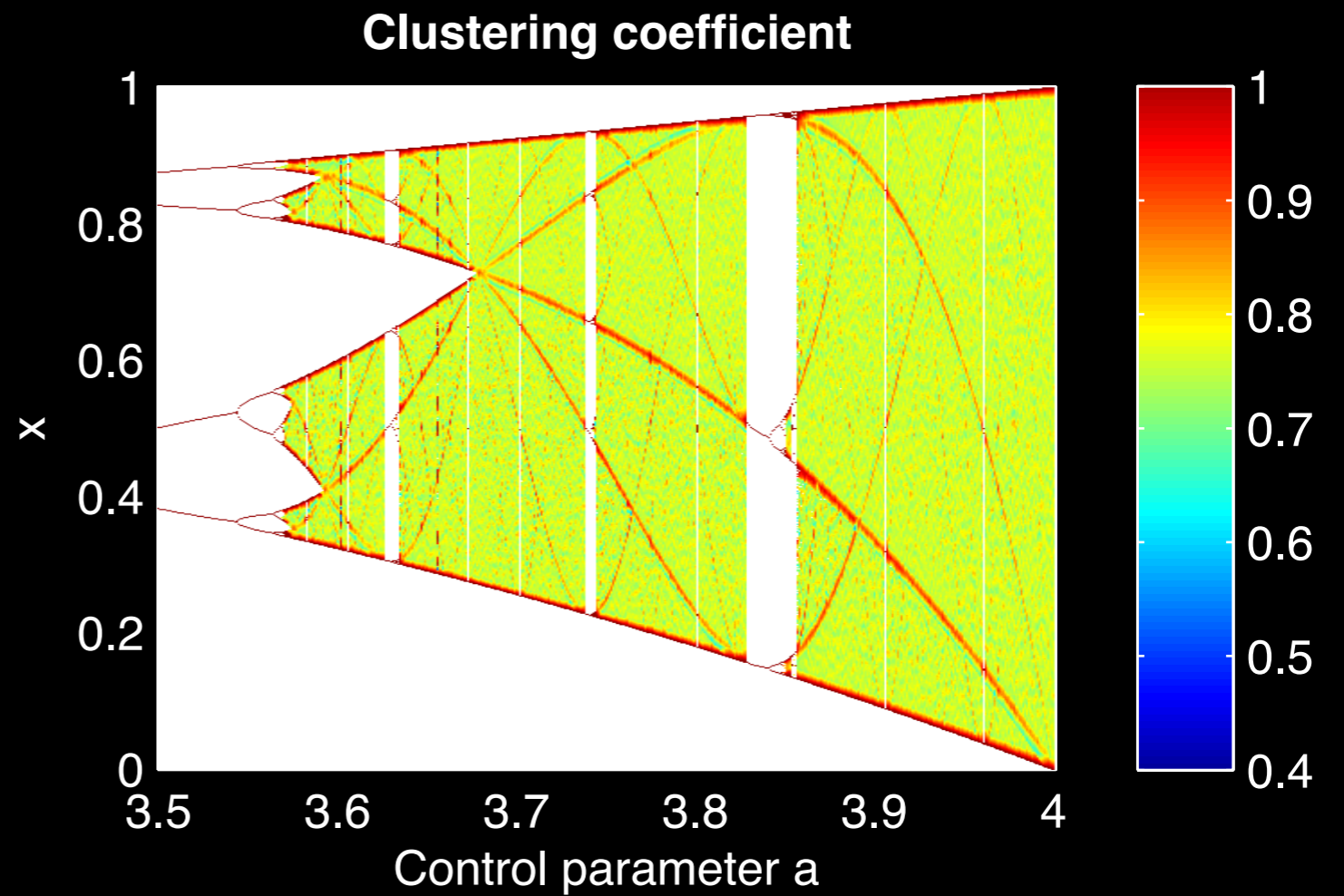
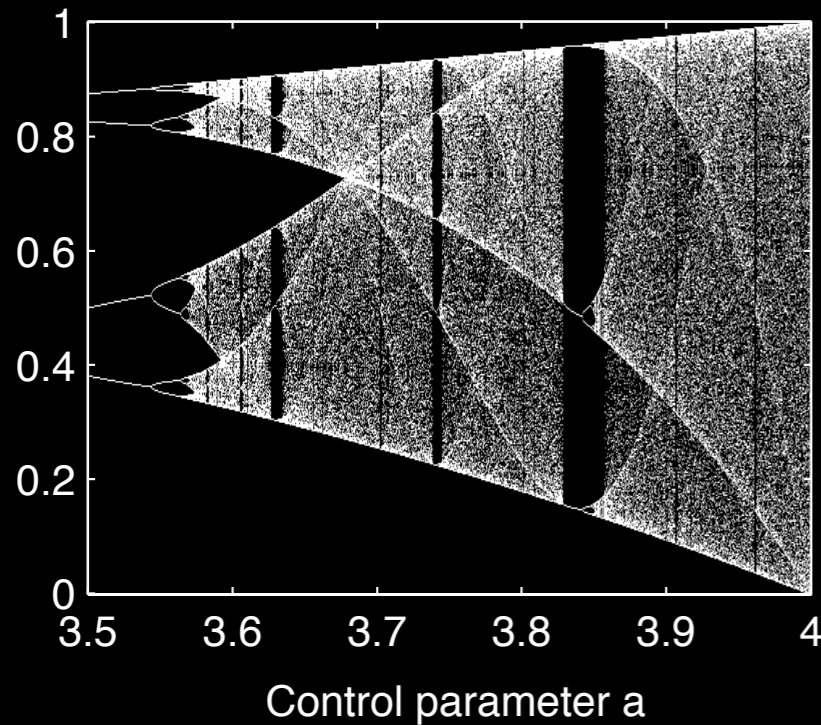


► **periodic windows**

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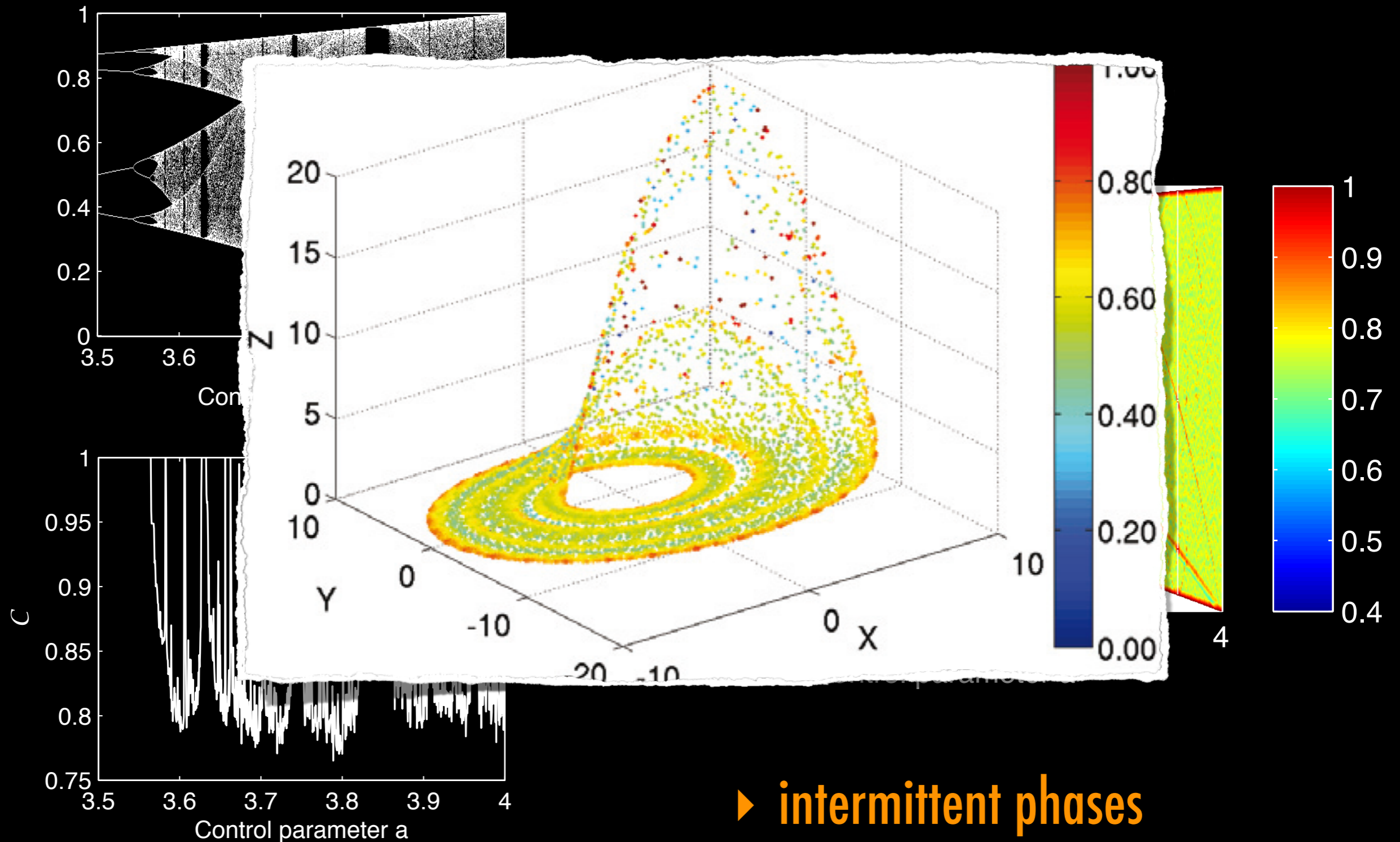


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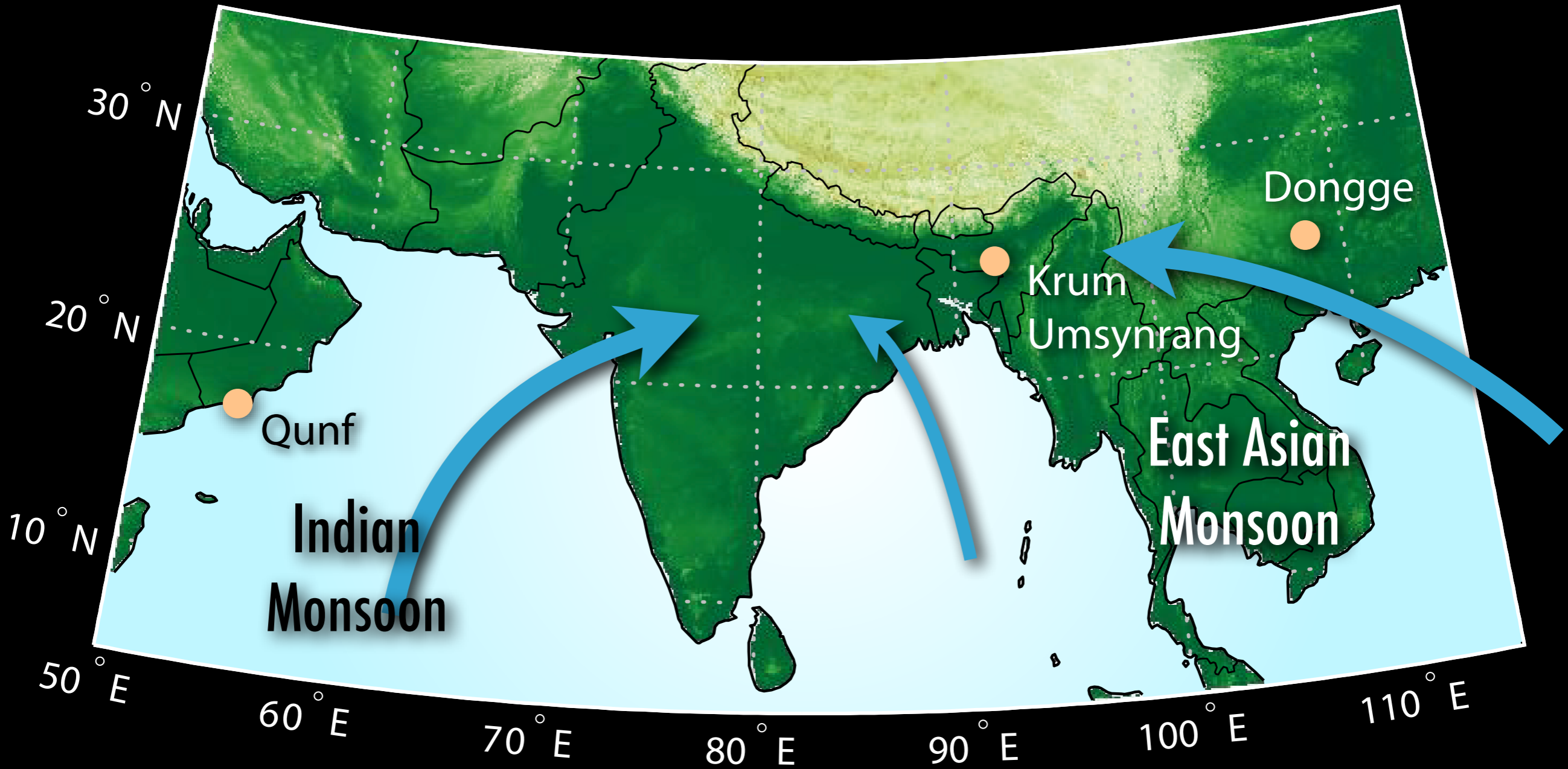


► **intermittent phases**

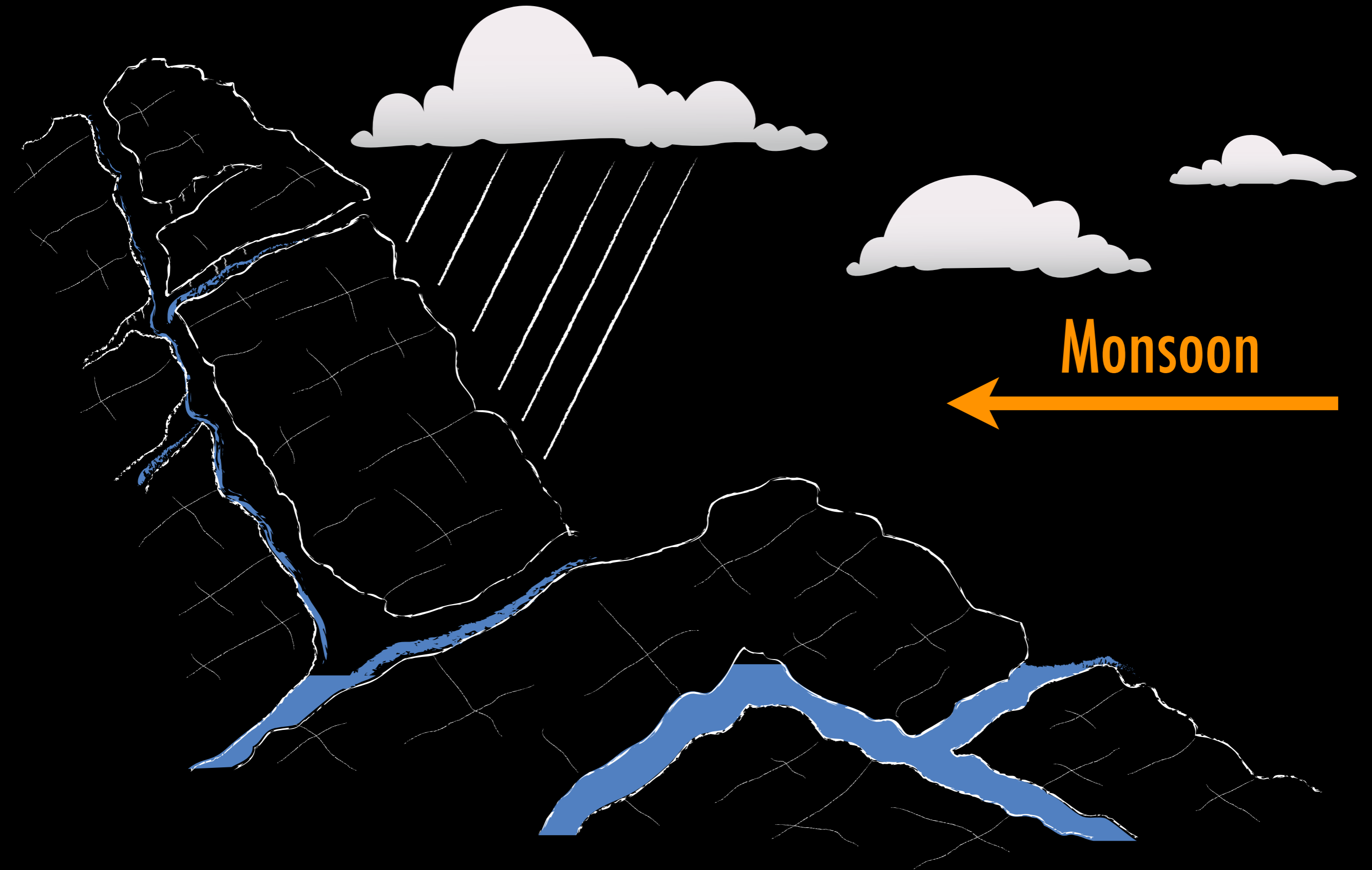
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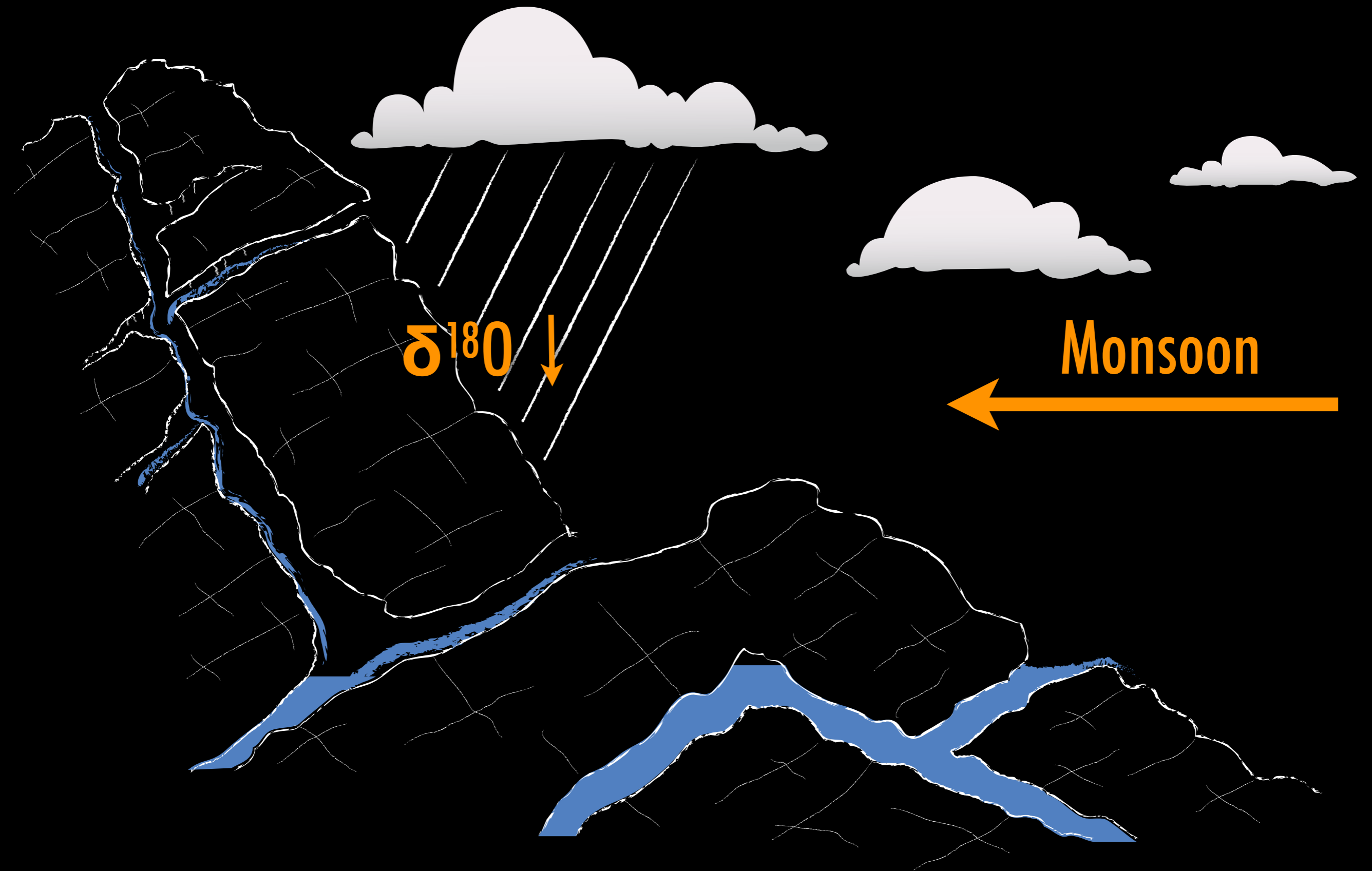
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Monsoon



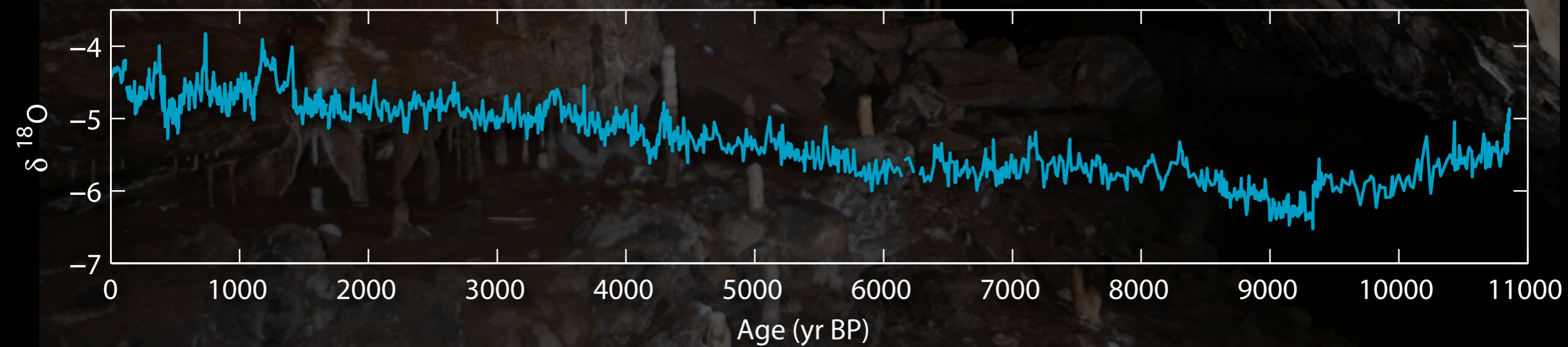
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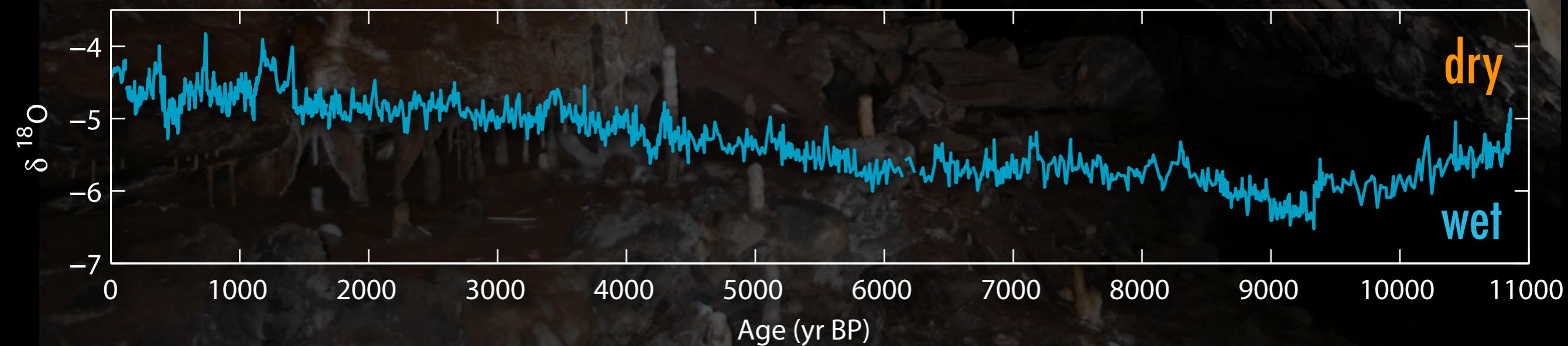
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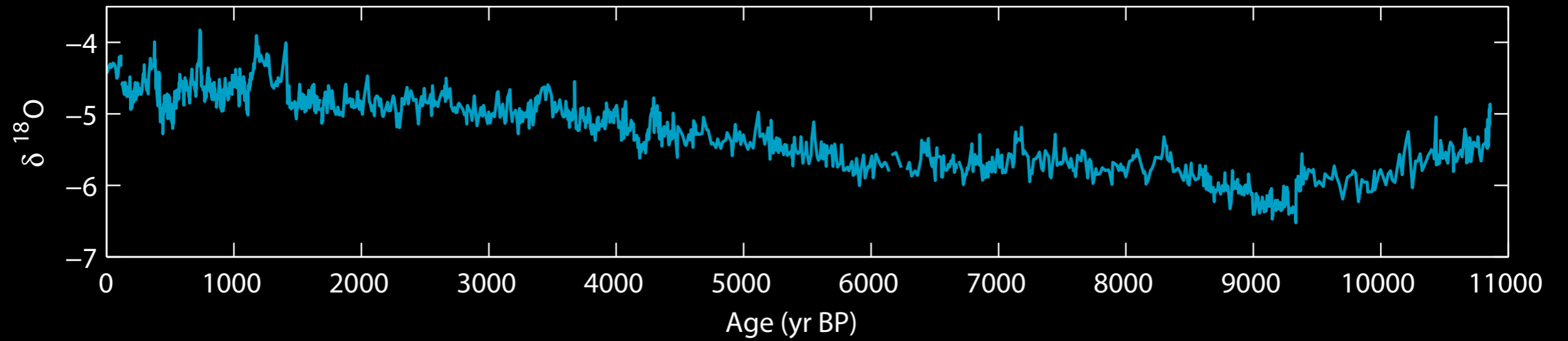
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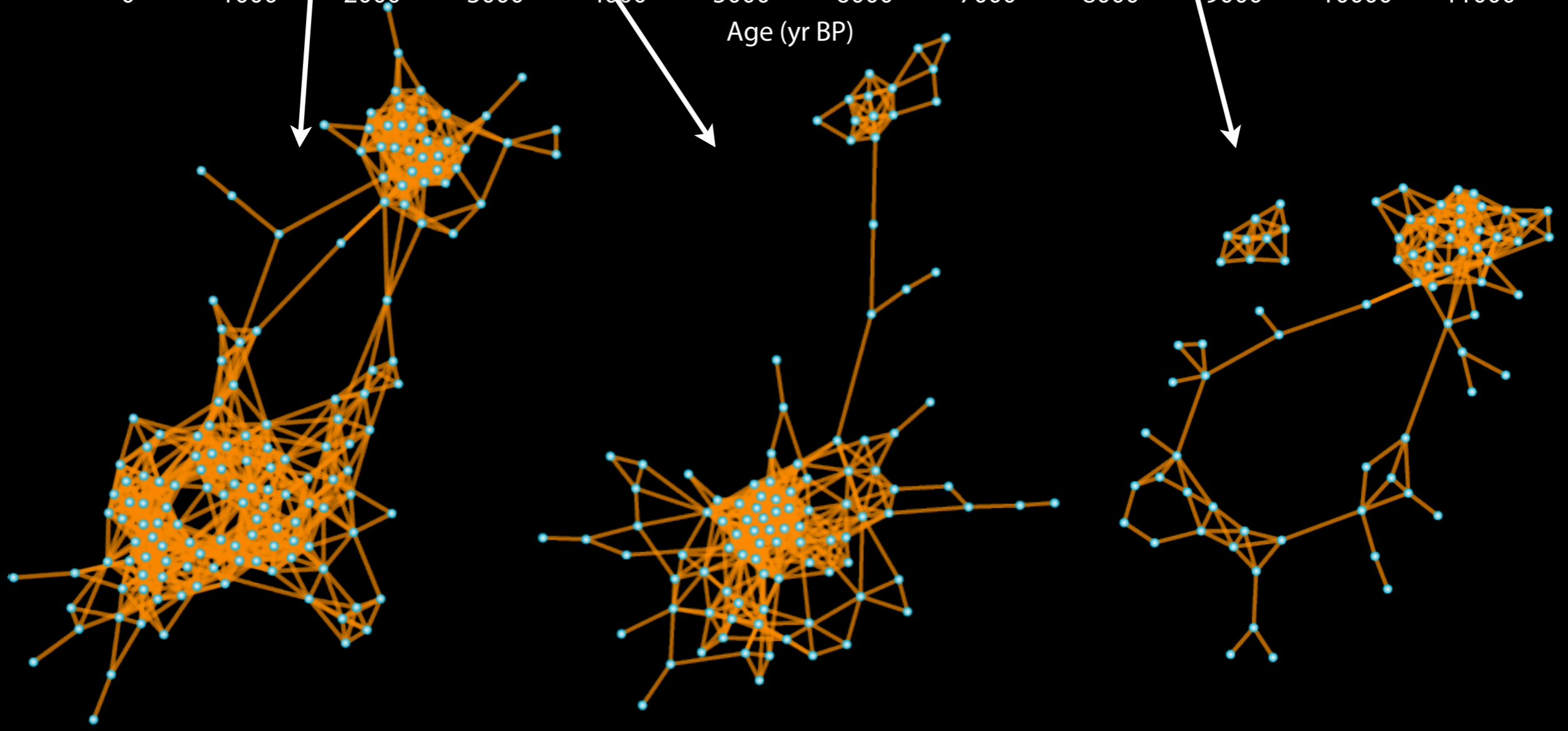
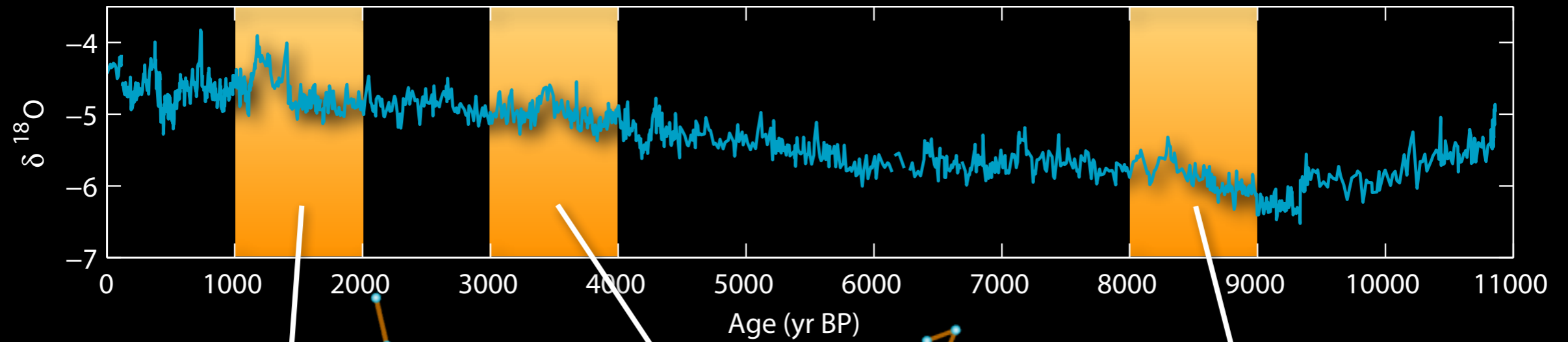
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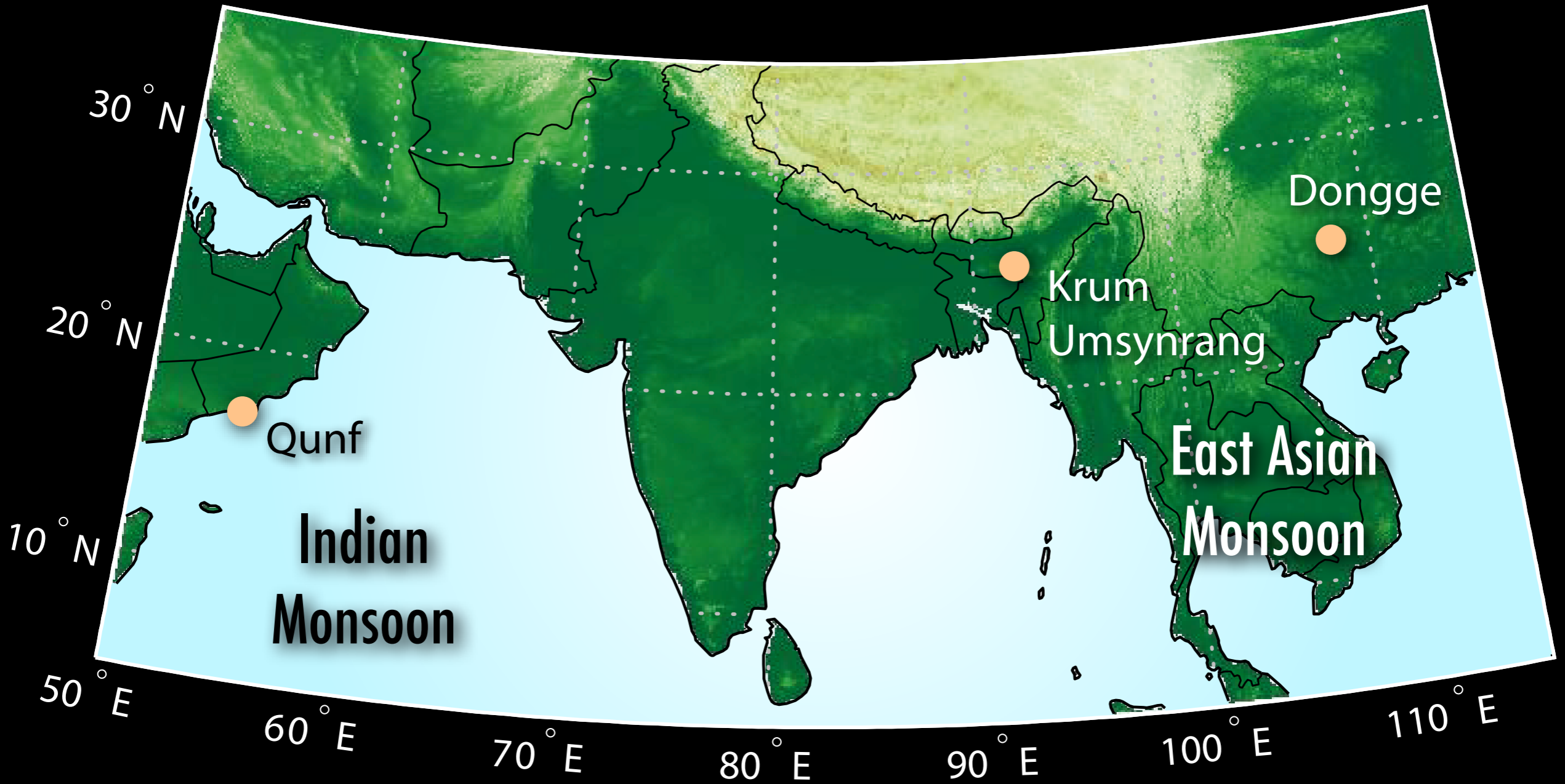
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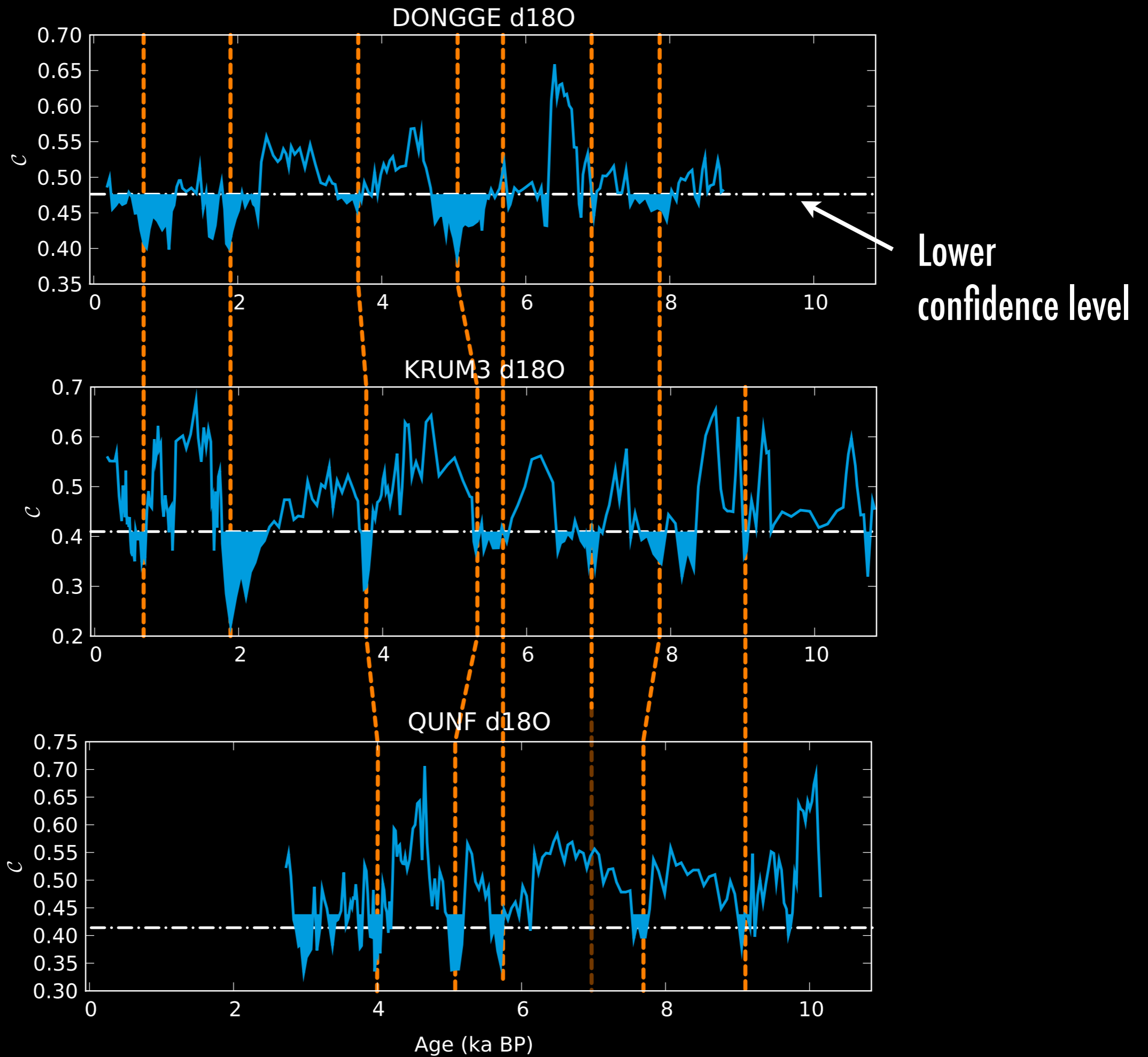
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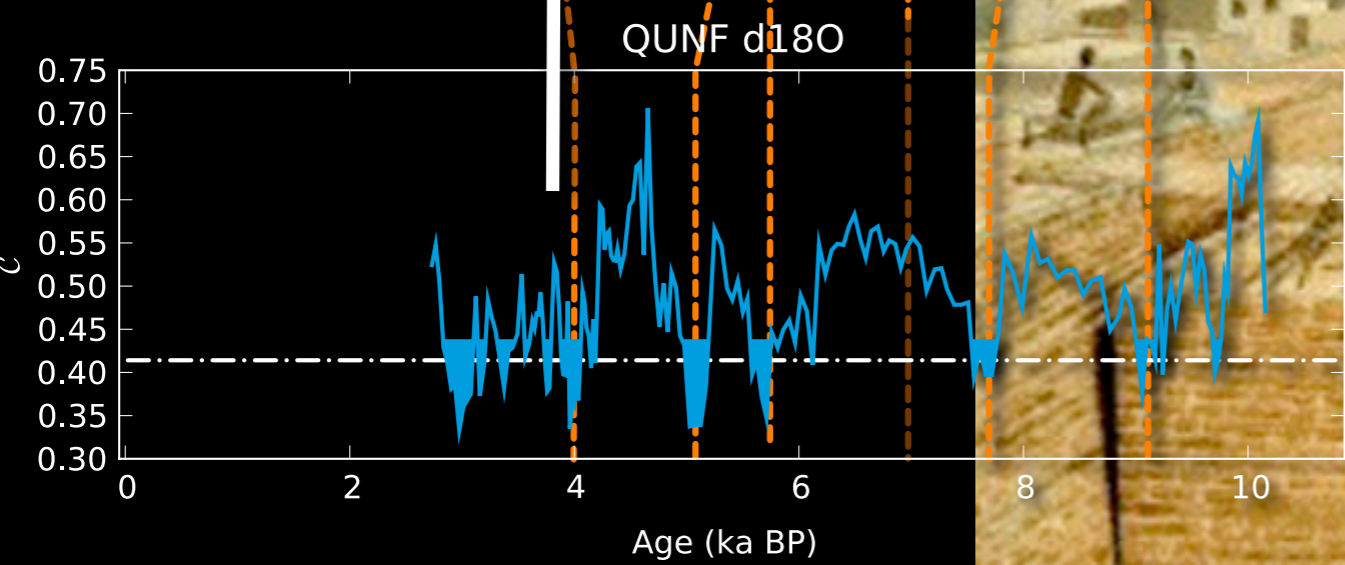
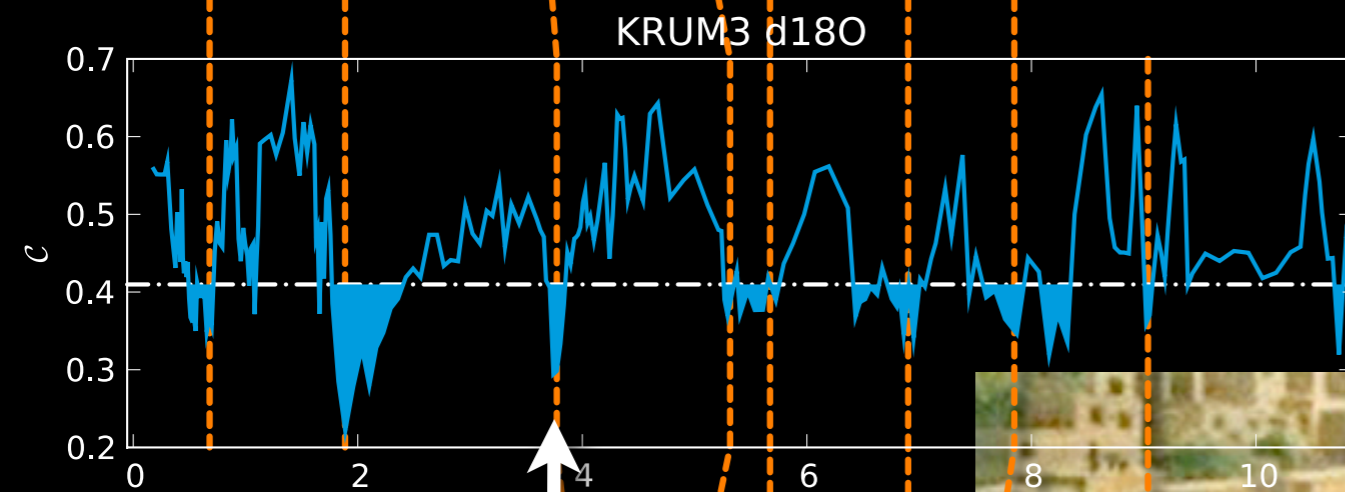
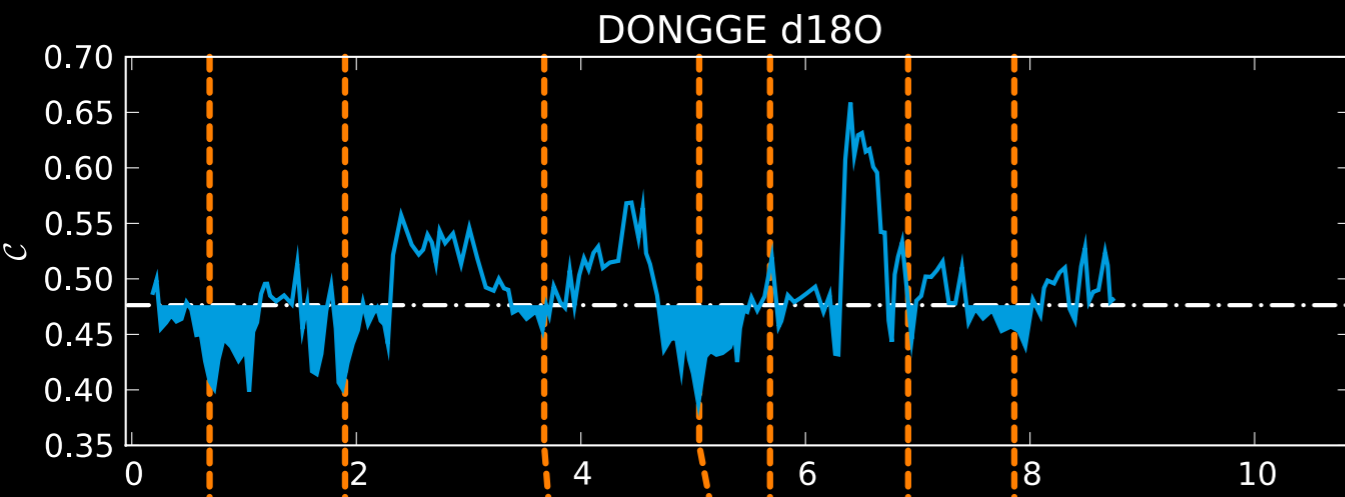


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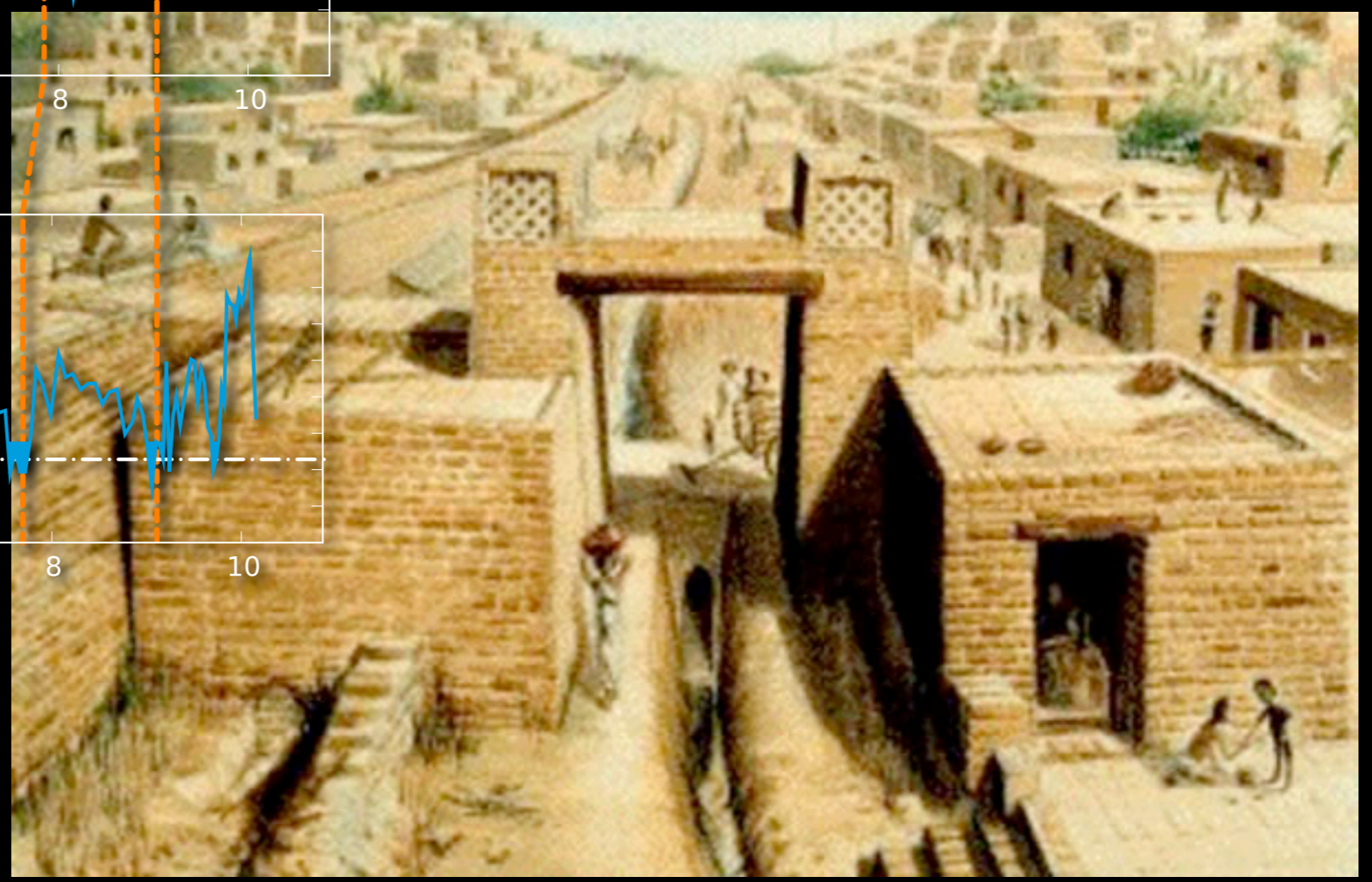
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Age (ka BP)

**3900-3700 yr BP
Harappan culture vanished**

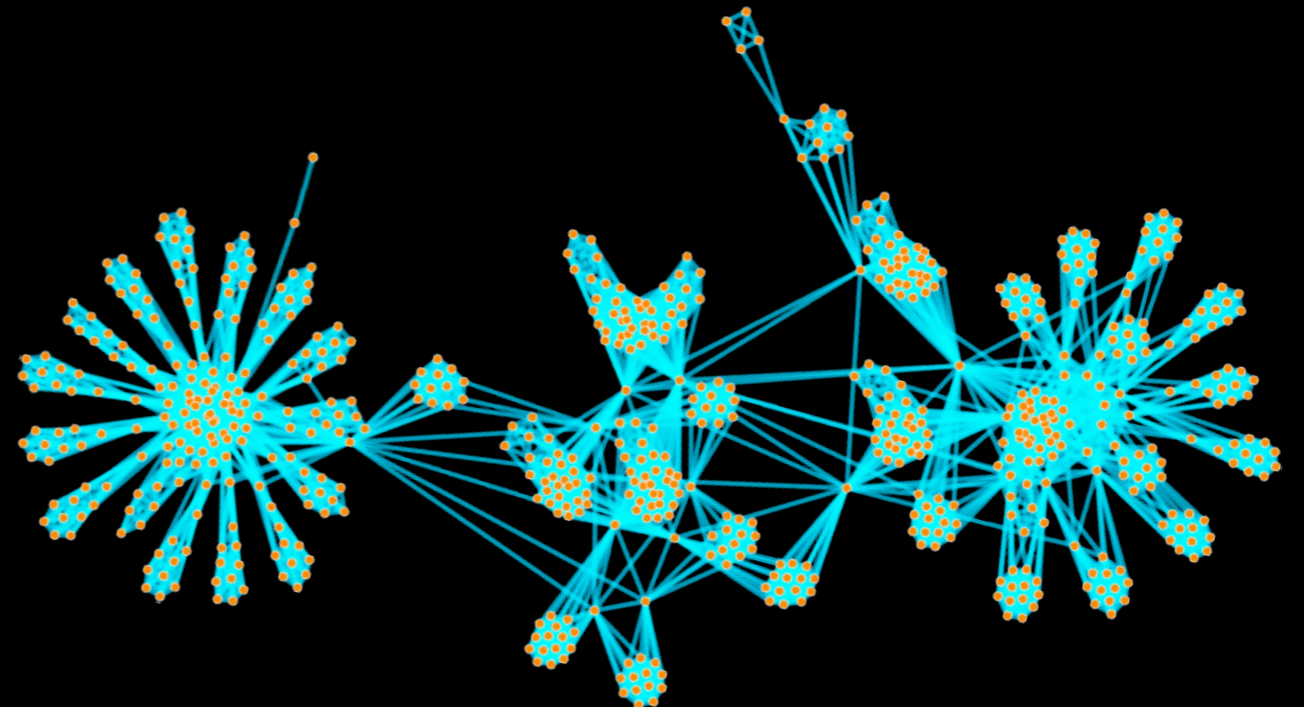
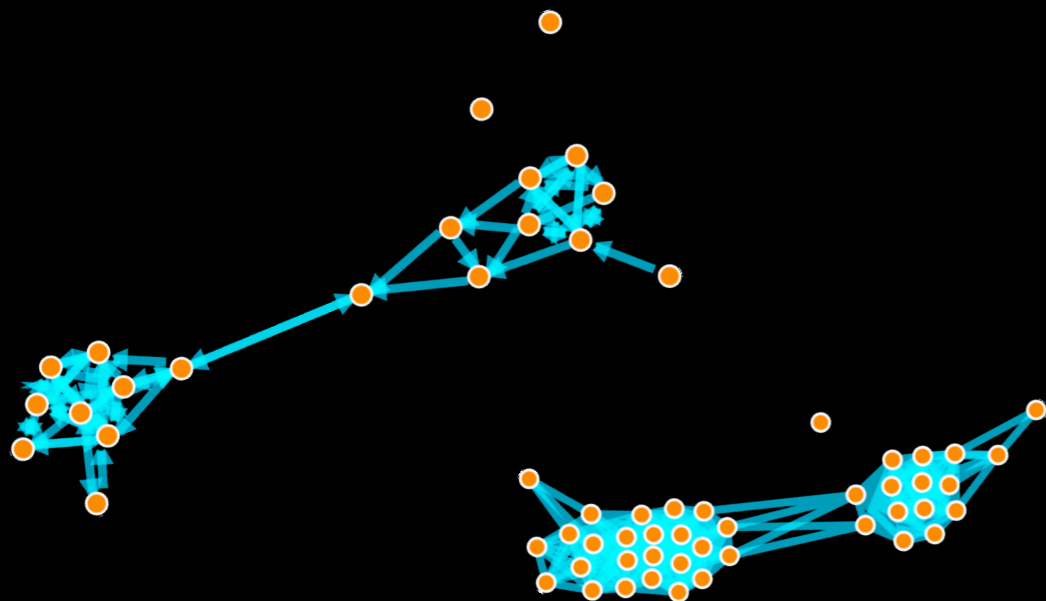
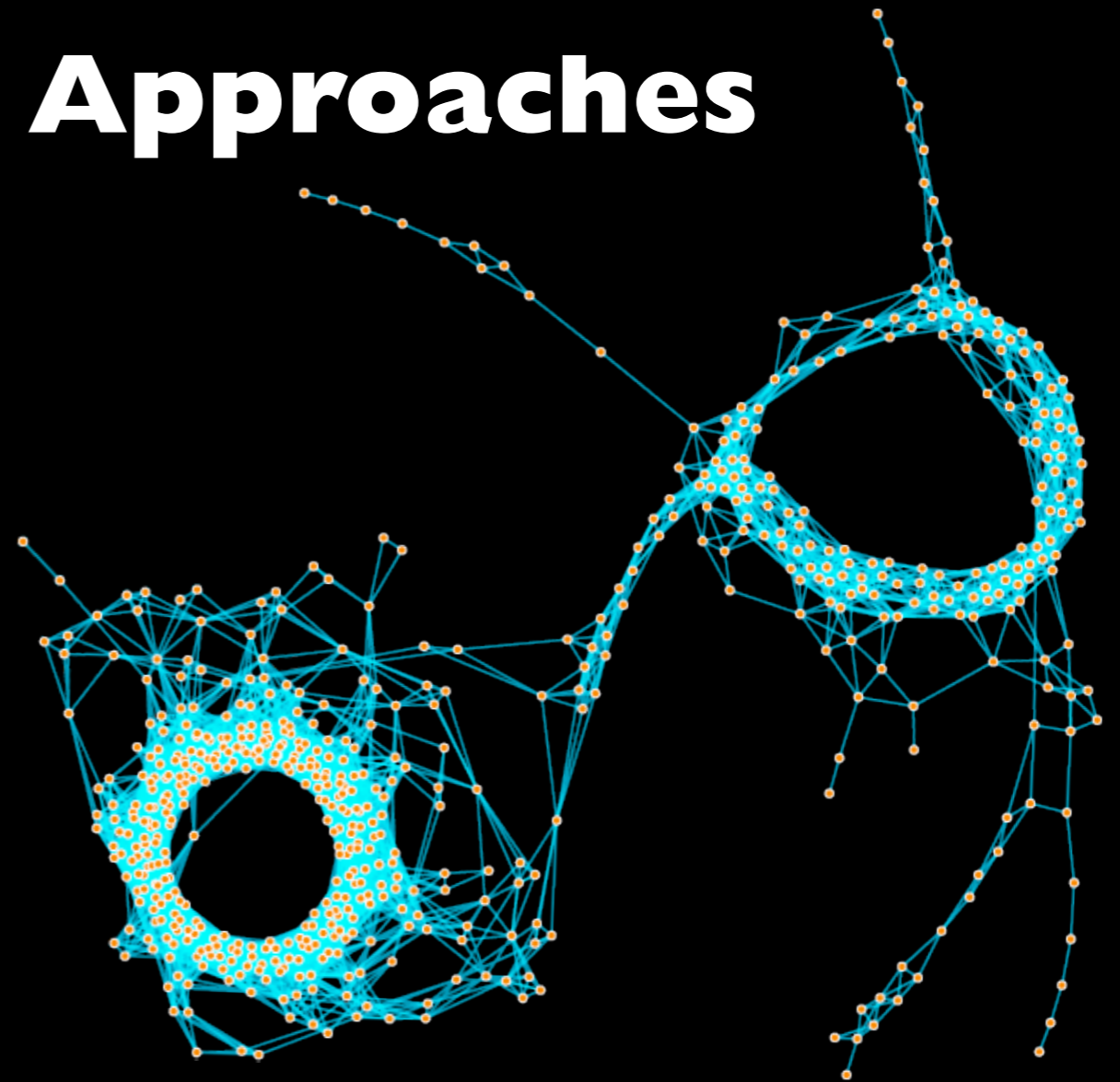


Summary

- **Complex networks from time series**
- **Identification and classification of dynamics (regular – chaotic)**
- **Detection of transitions in dynamics (bifurcations, structural discontinuities)**
- **Complementary analysis to traditional recurrence analysis**

Alternative Approaches

- Visibility graph
- Cycle network
- Correlation network
- Transition network



Key Publications

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