

Predicting Phase Transitions in Many-Body Physics

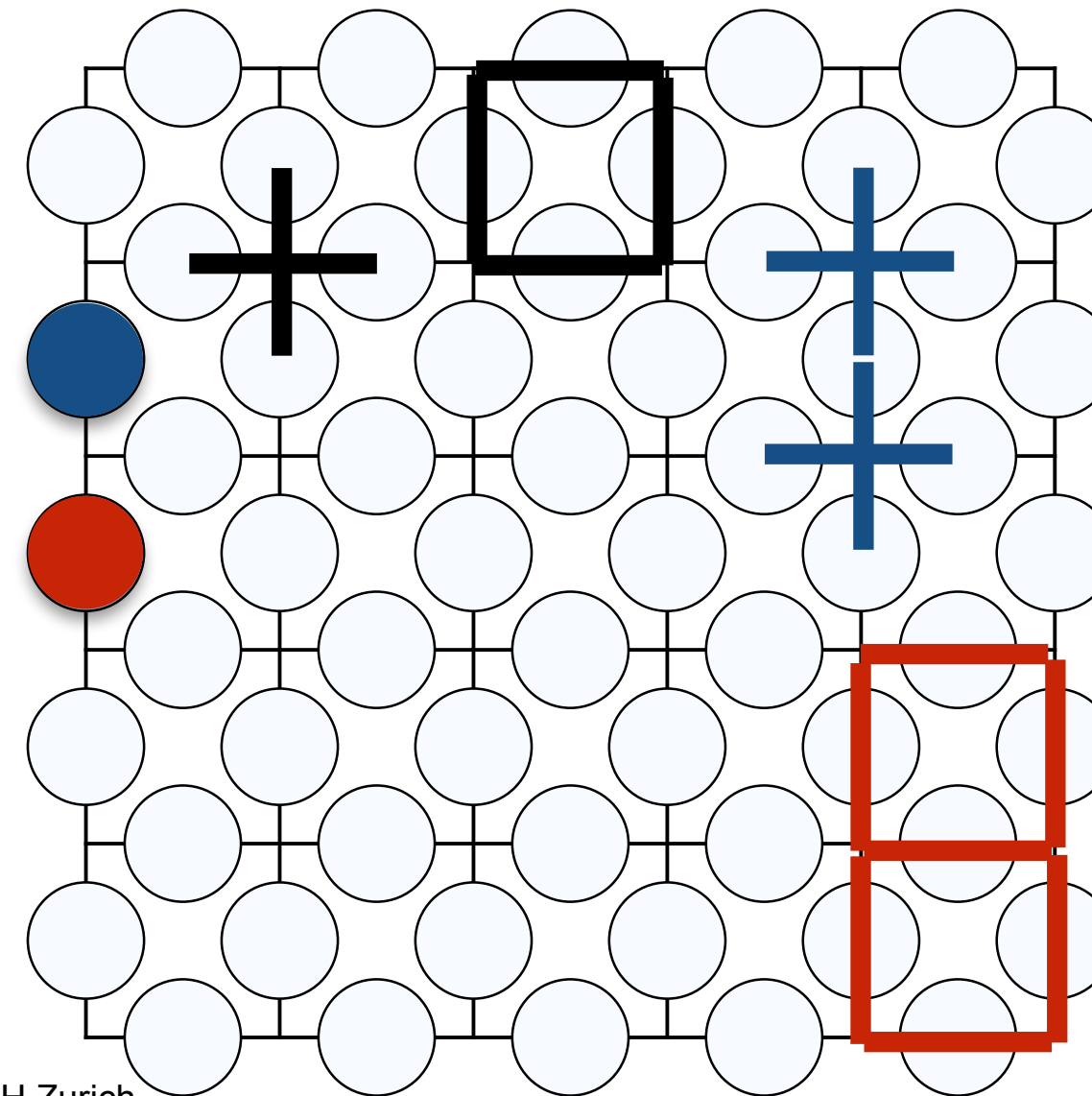
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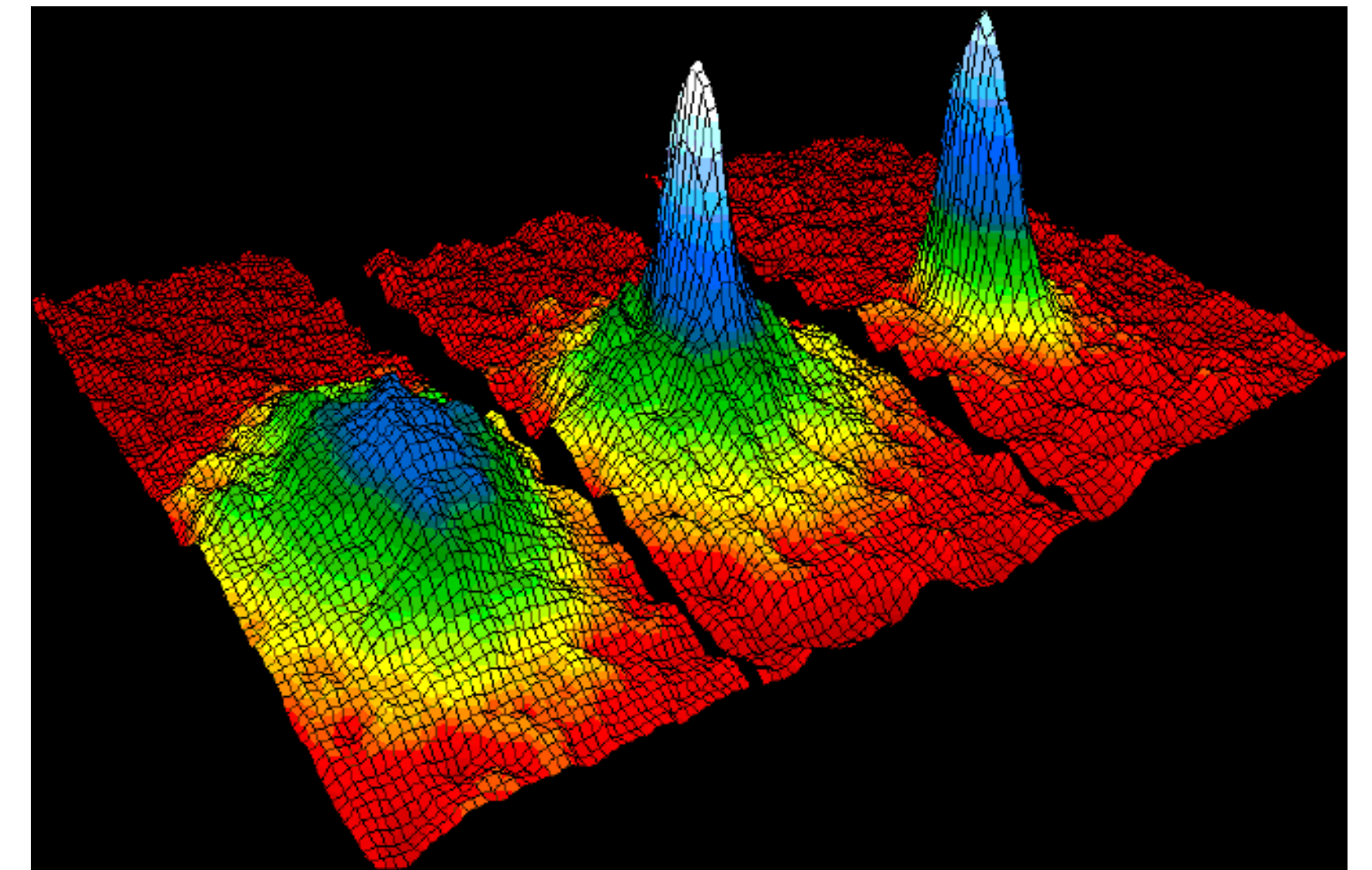
Phase transitions



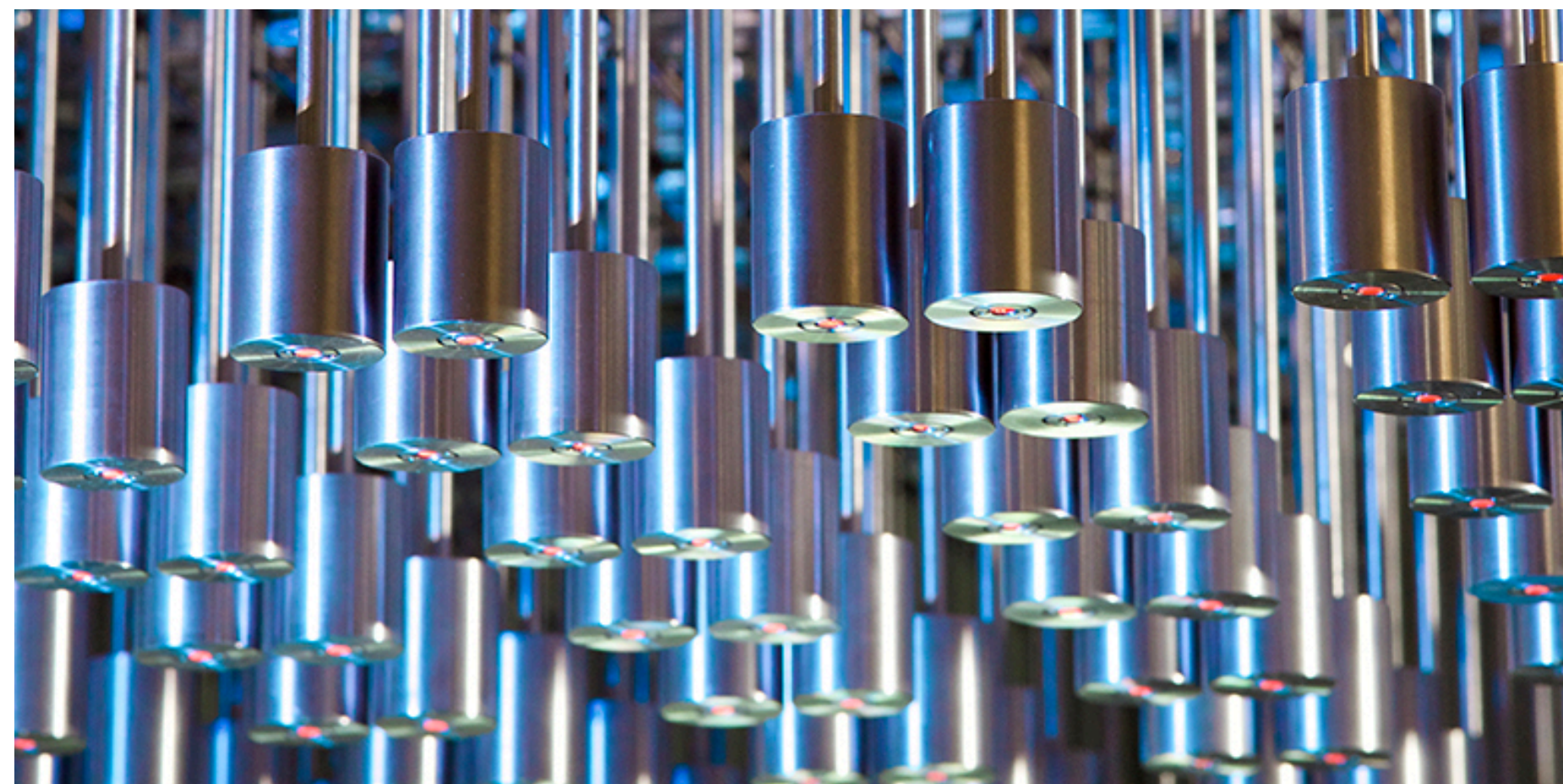
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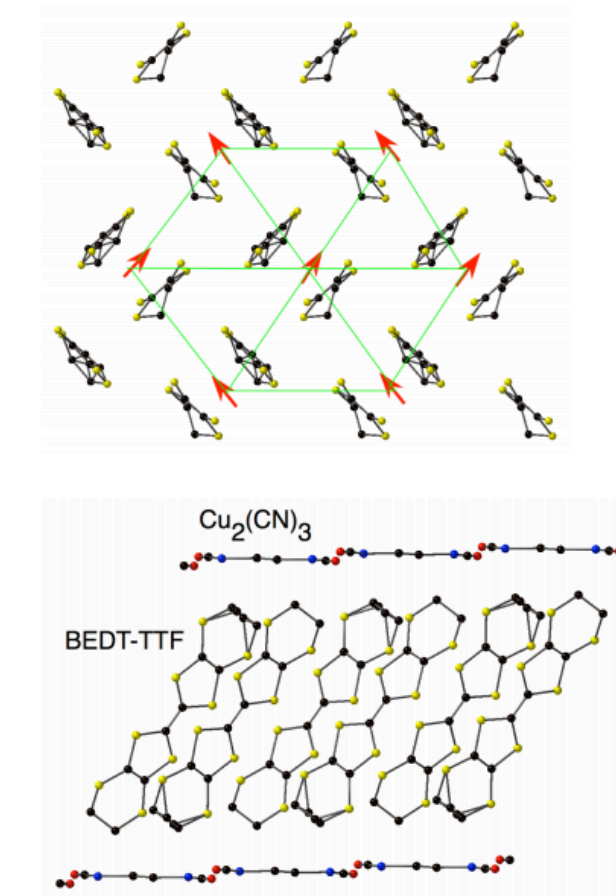
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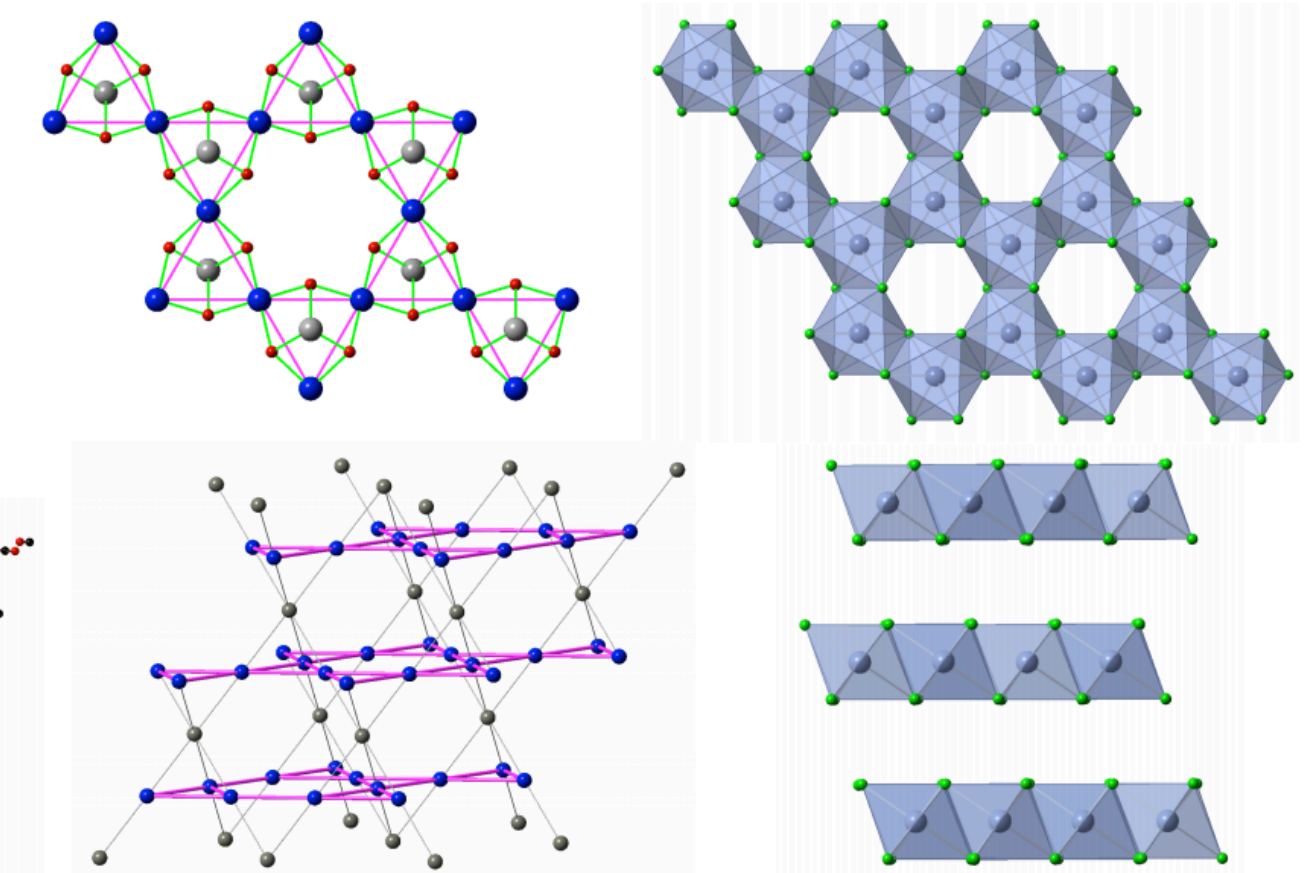
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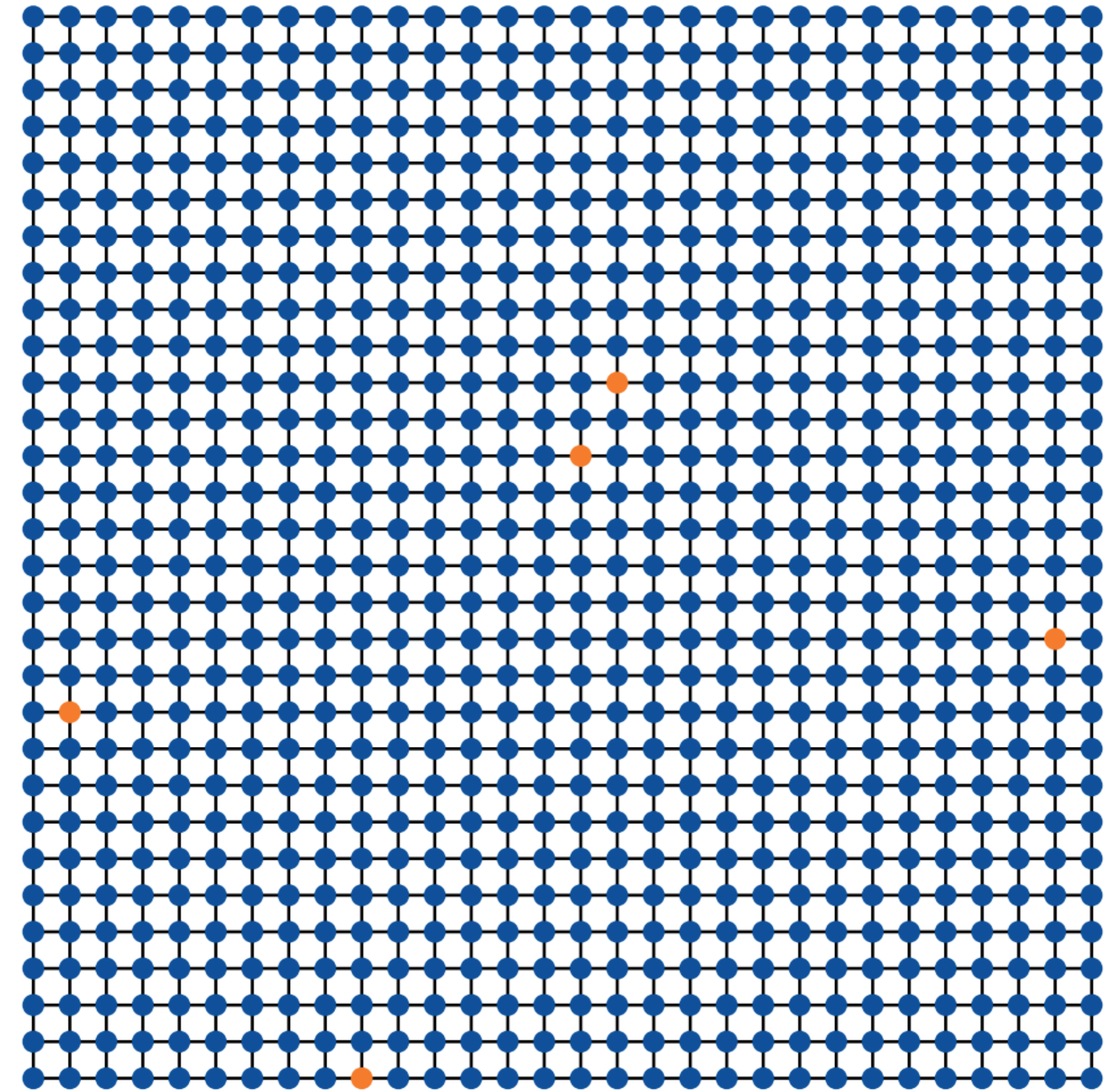


Can we understand critical behaviour in condensed matter just via analysis of measured data?

Simple Example: Ising Model

$$H = -J \sum_{\langle i,j \rangle} \sigma_i \sigma_j$$

temperature-driven phase transition:
ferromagnetic \rightarrow paramagnetic phase

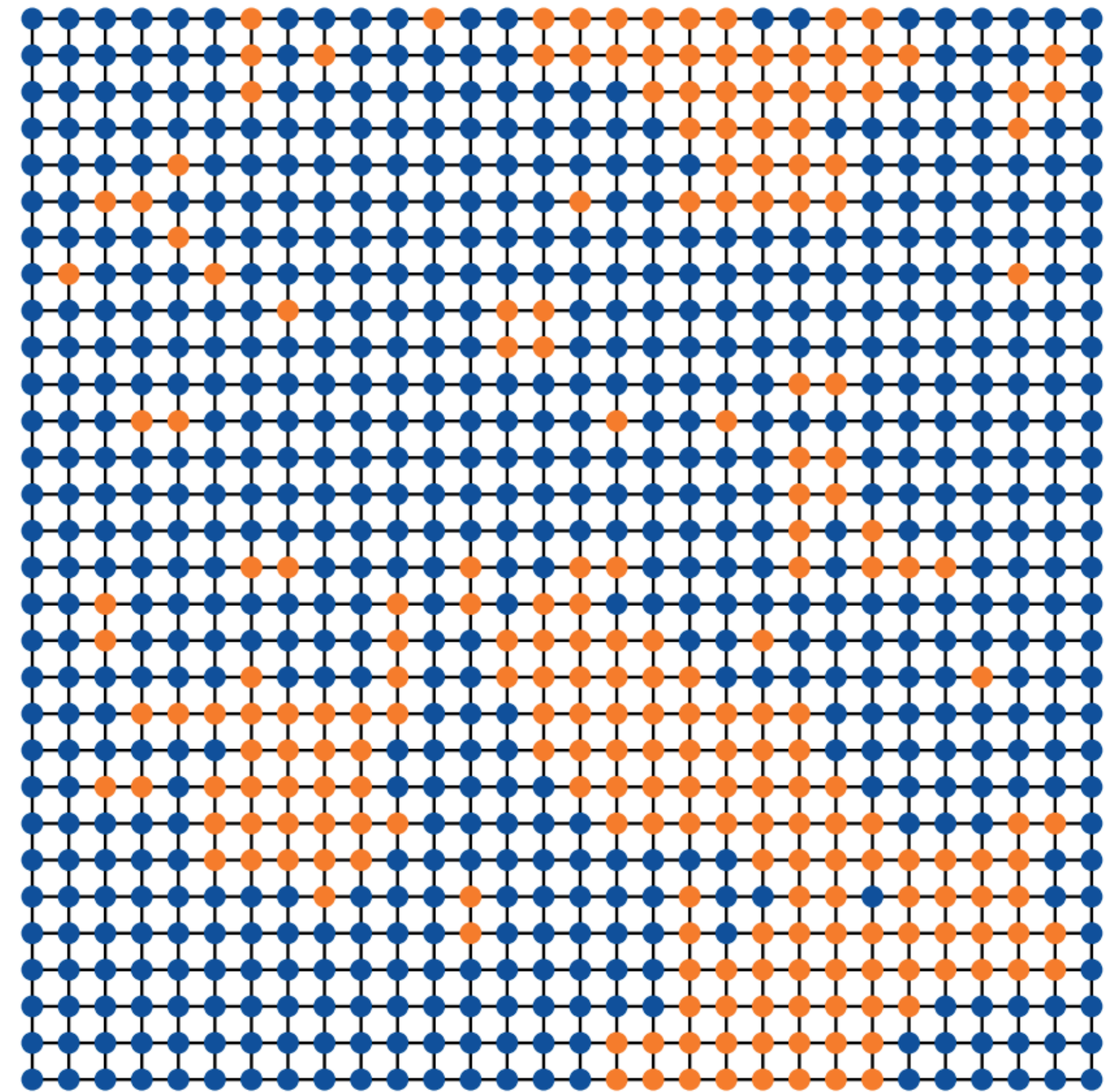


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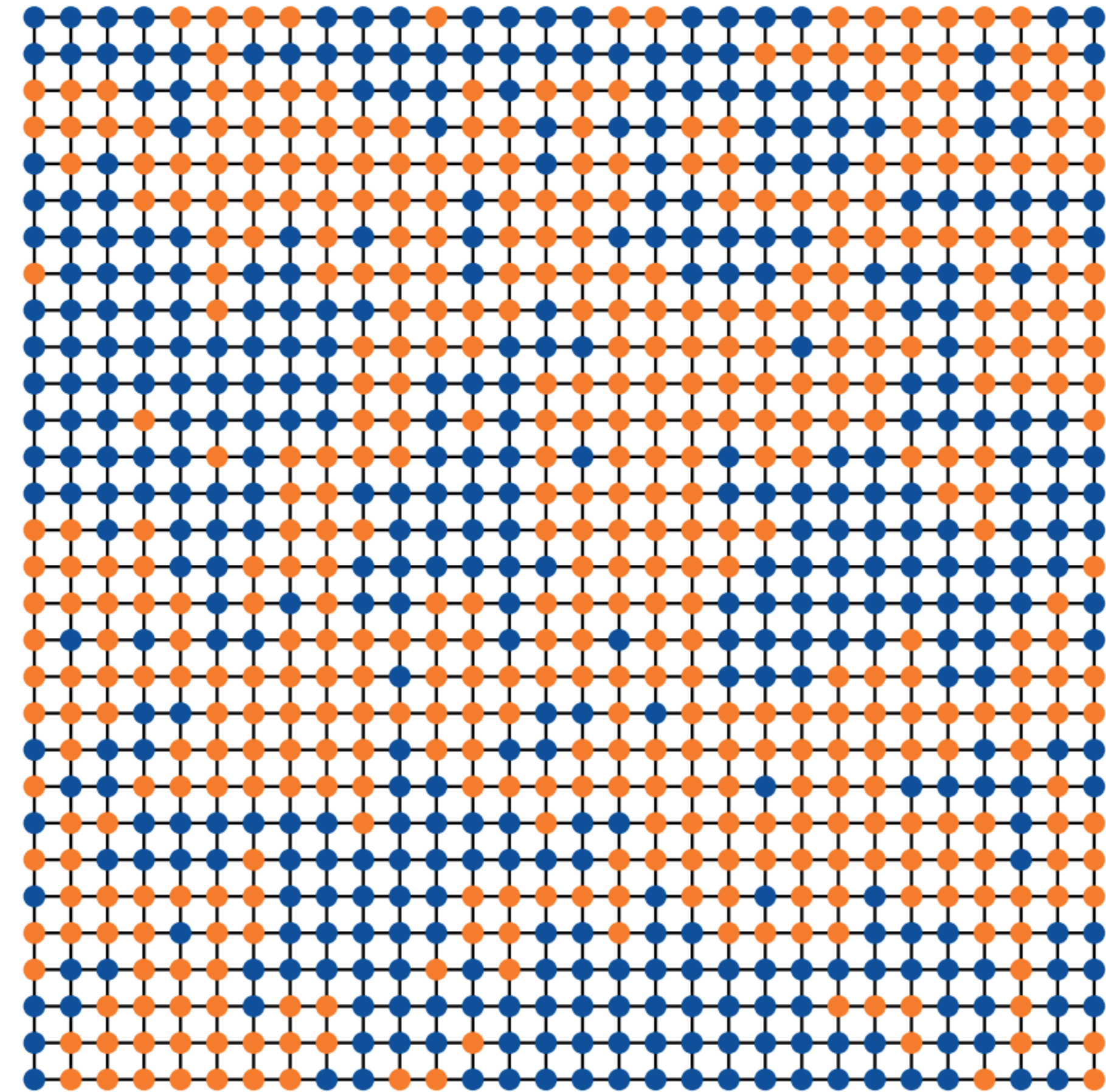


$T=2.32$

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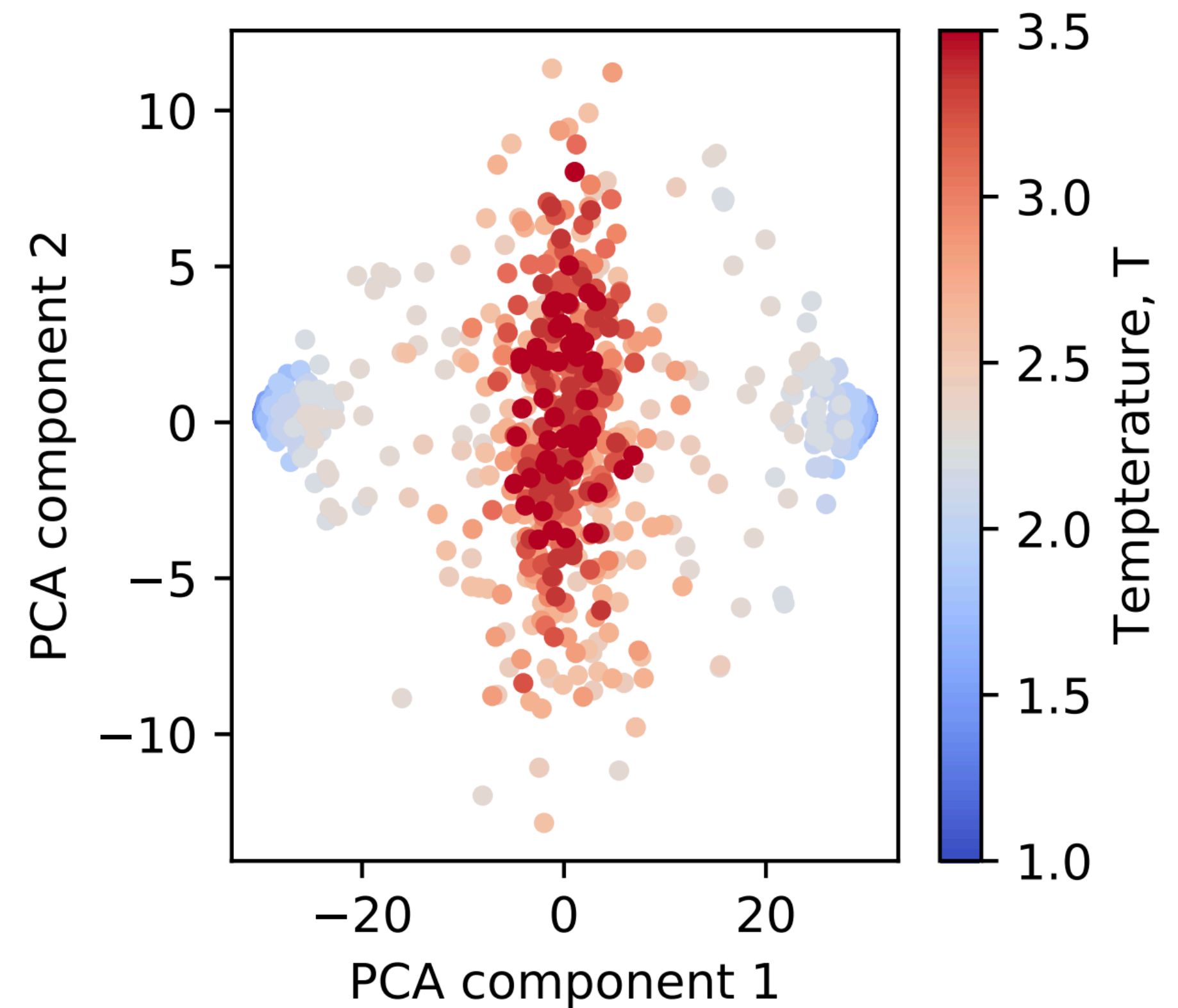
$T=3.37$

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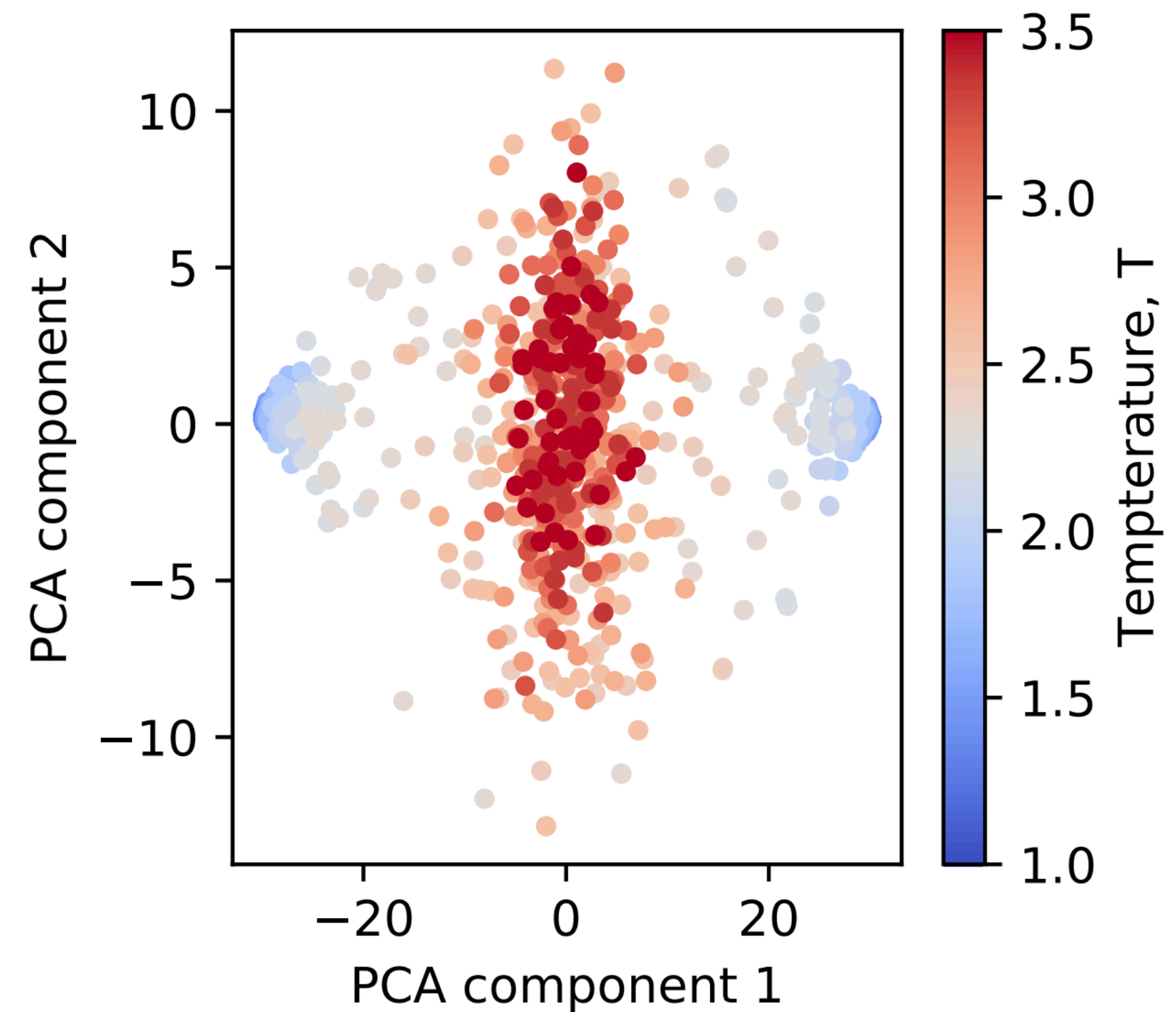


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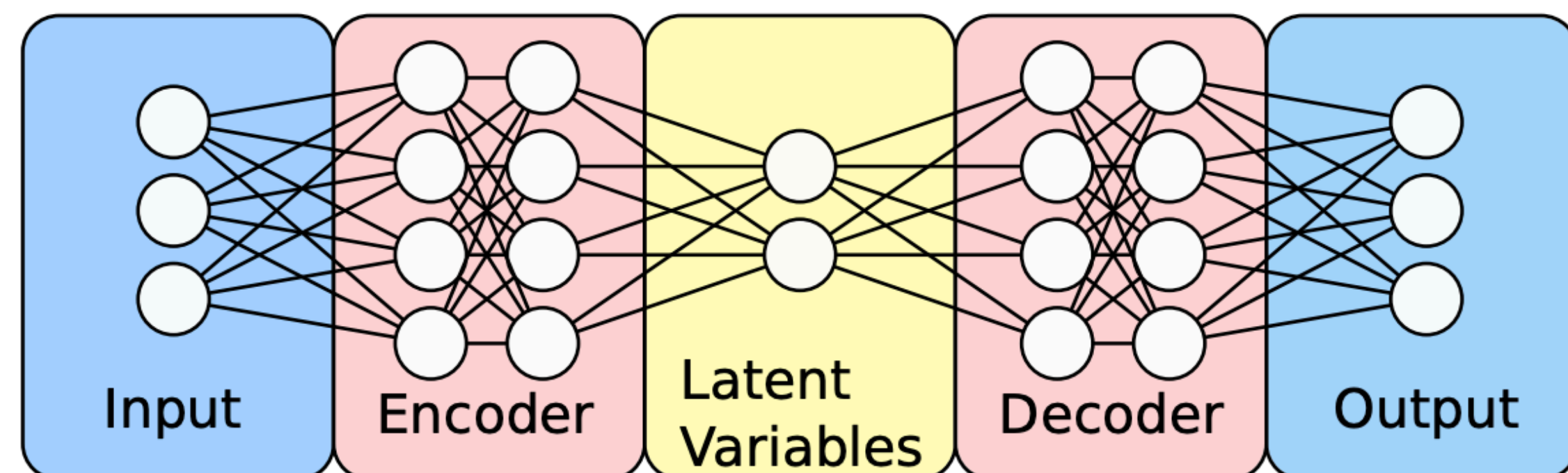


Harder models: Confusion schemes, VAEs, RL ...

Unsupervised learning of phase transitions: From principal component analysis to variational autoencoders

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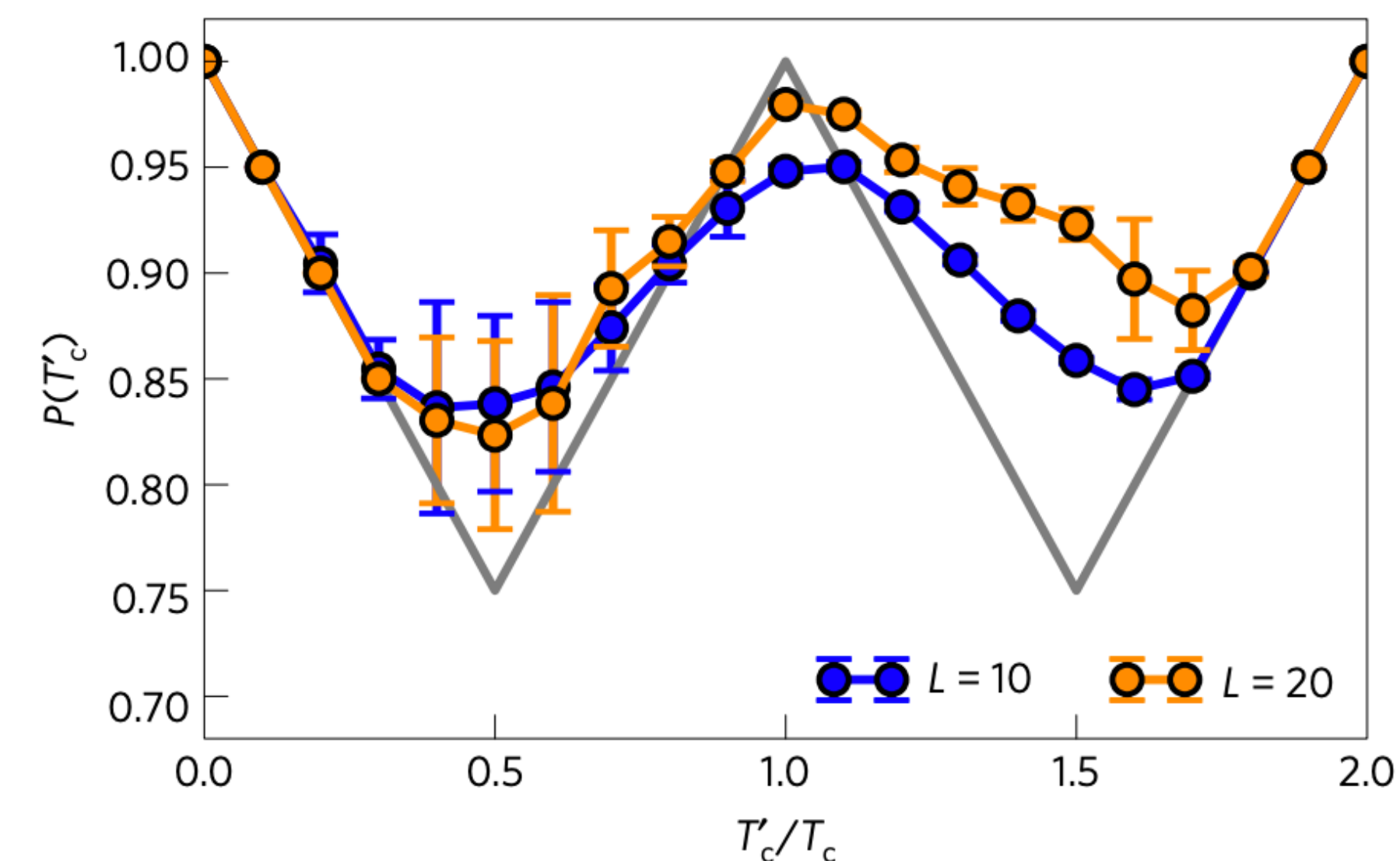
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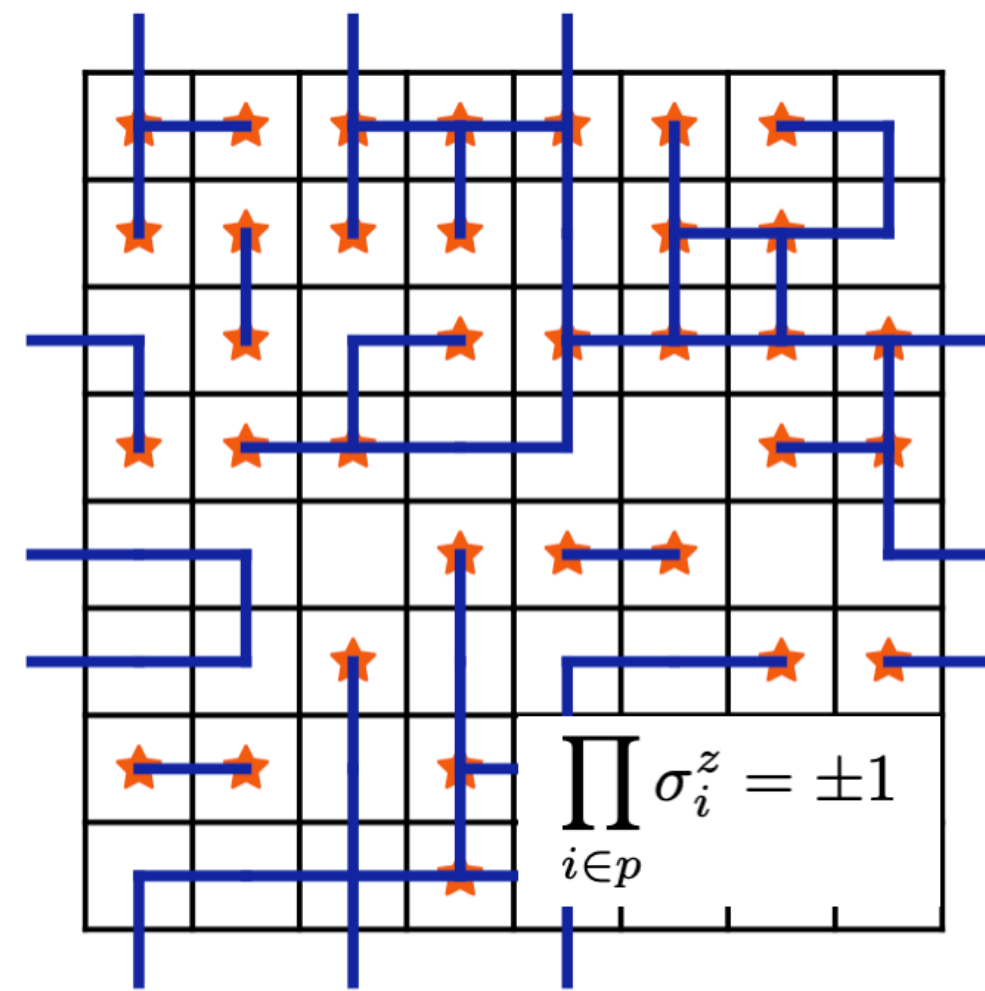
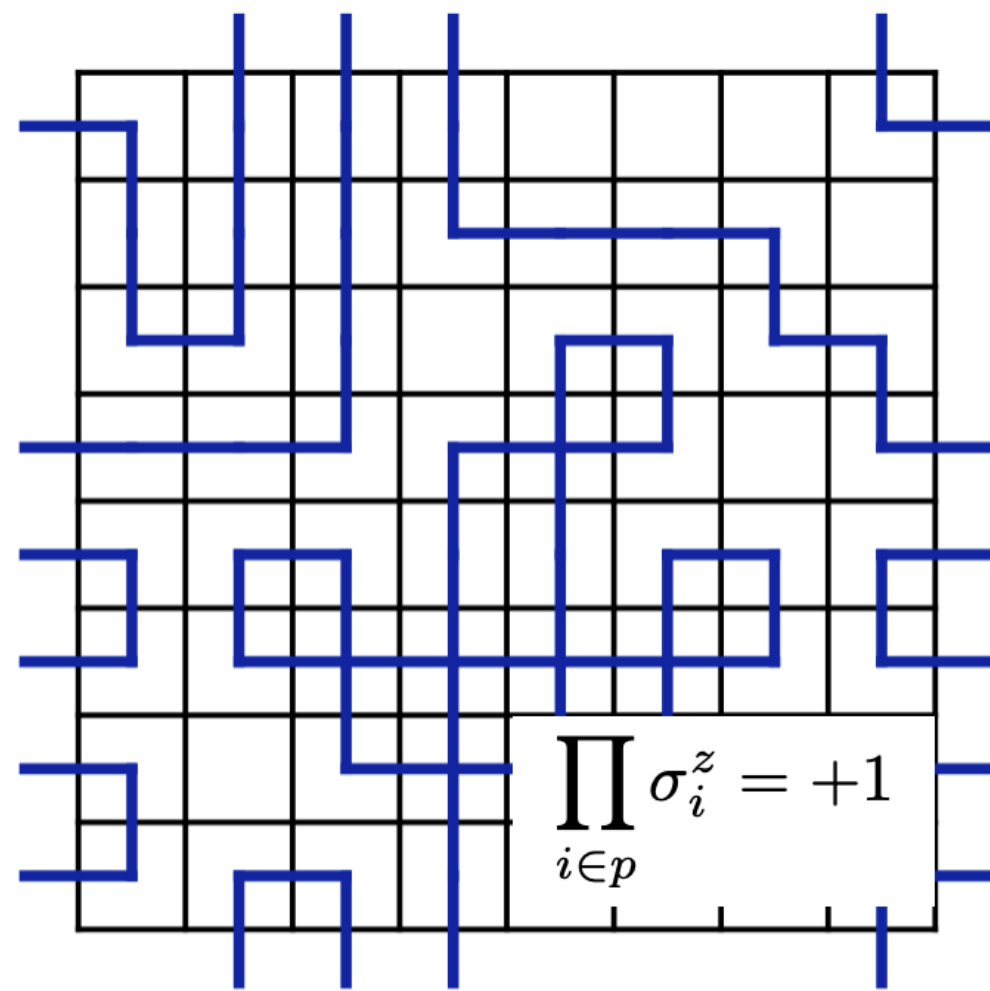
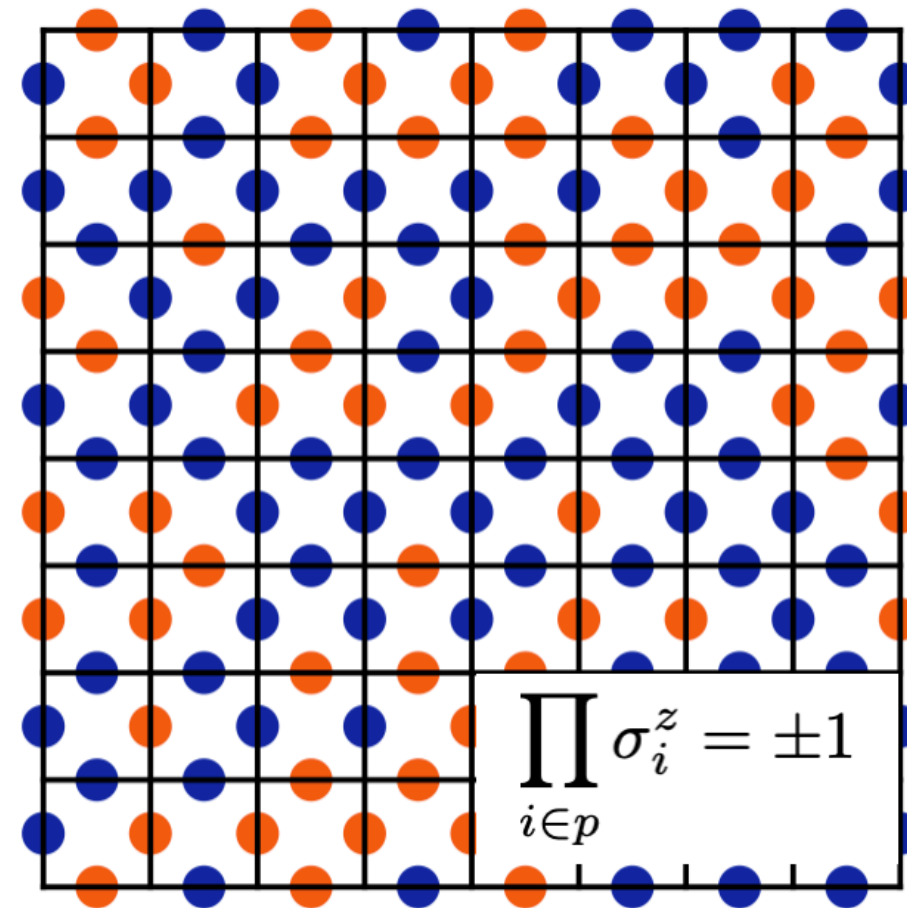
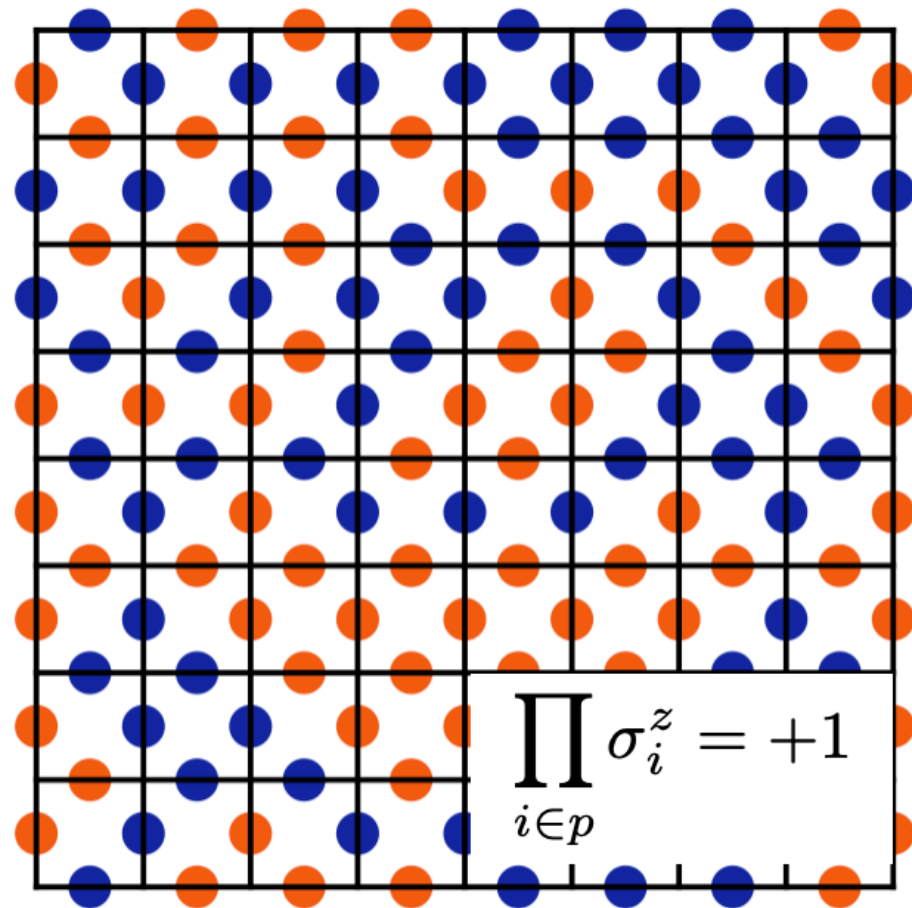
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Learning phase transitions by confusion

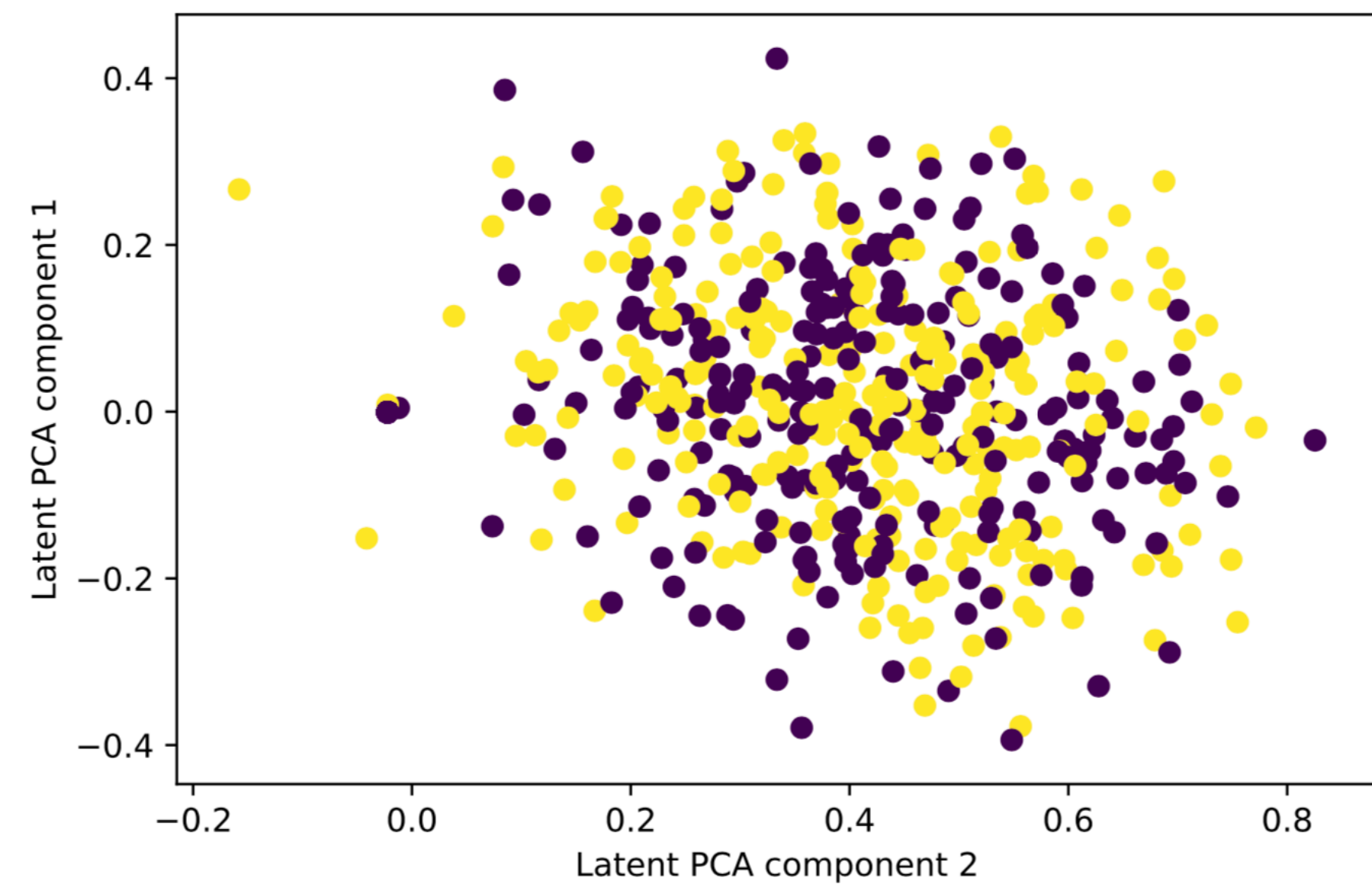
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Tricky example: Ising Gauge Theory



$$H_{IGT} = -J \sum_p \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$



Supervised learning

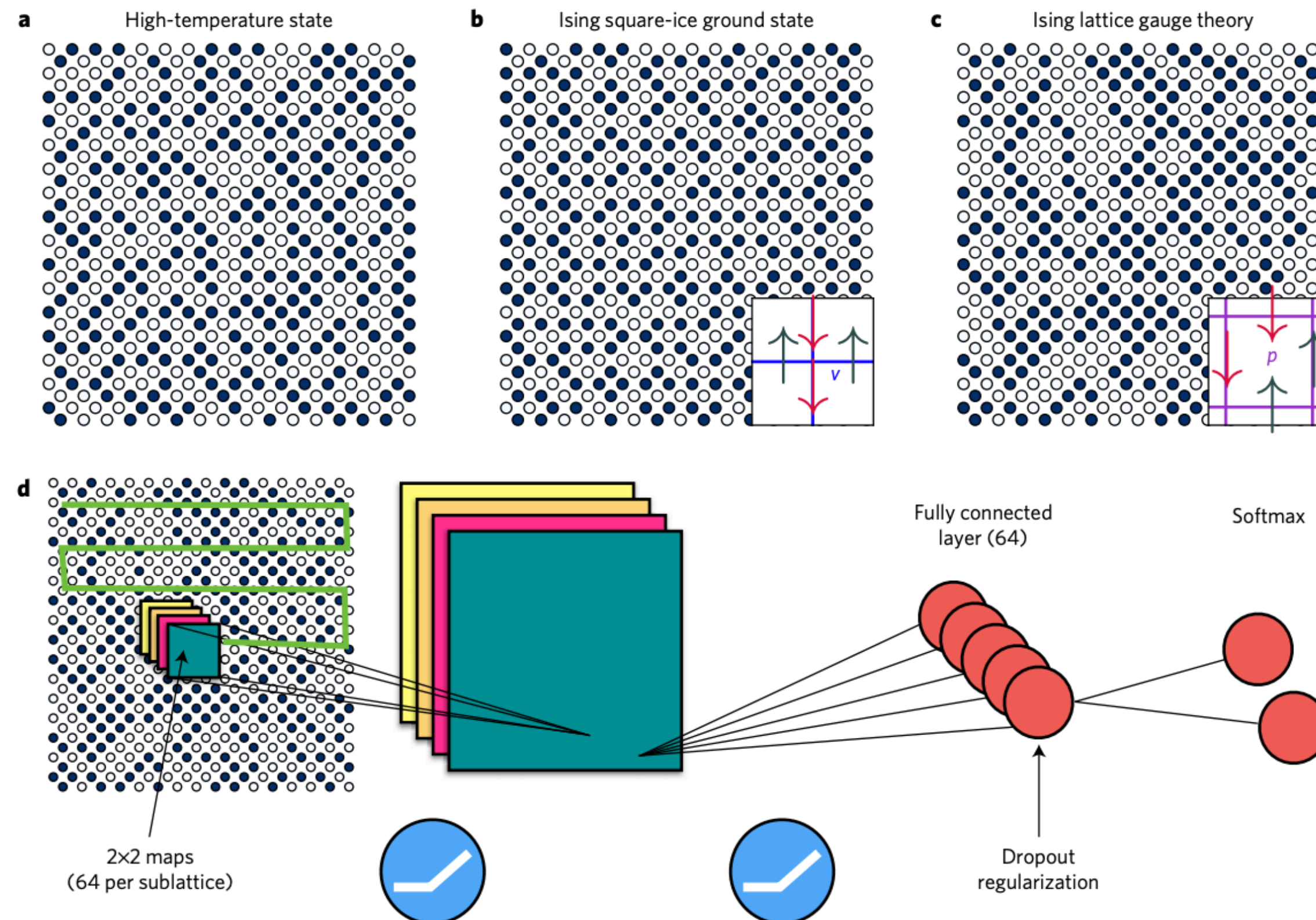
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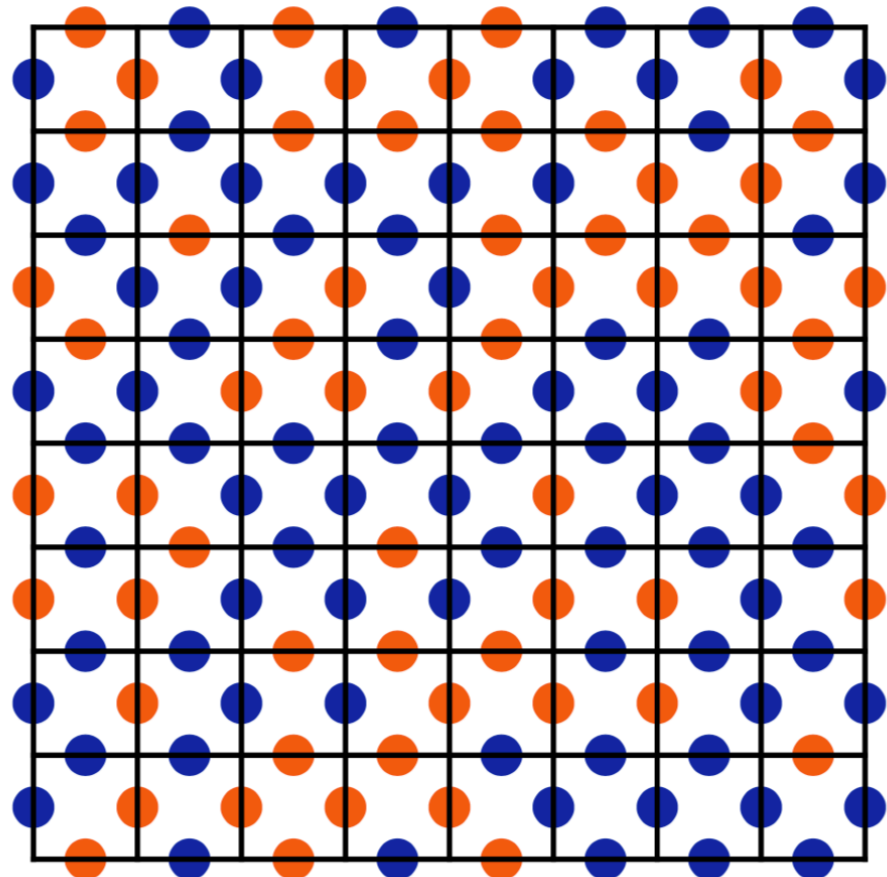
Machine learning phases of matter

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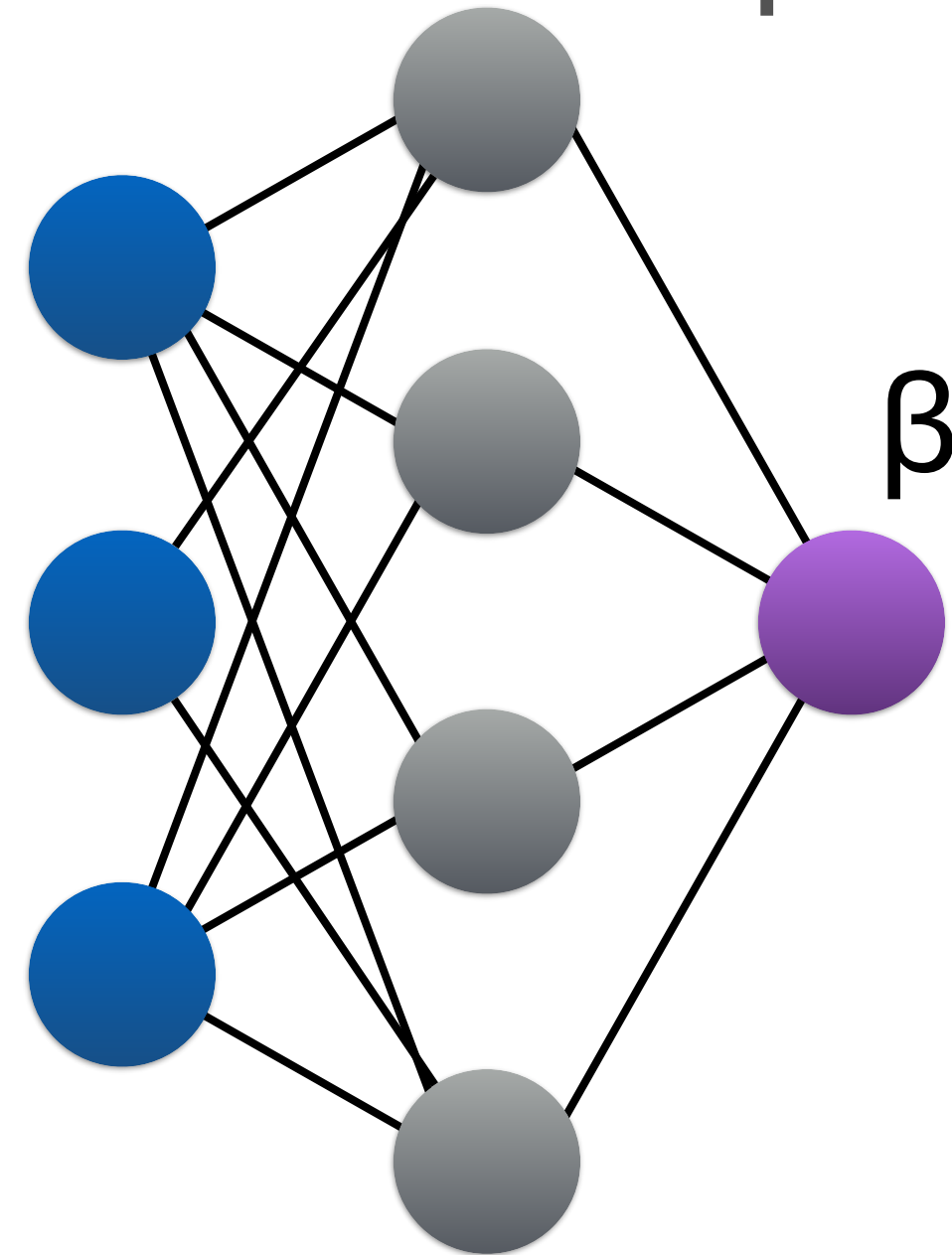


Our method

Train on
configurational
data



Learn to predict
inverse
temperature



1. Pick continuous parameter(s) of the system
2. Pick an observable of the system
3. Train a neural network to predict parameters given observables
4. Apply the model on a set of new data
5. Around a phase transition the network predictions will diverge

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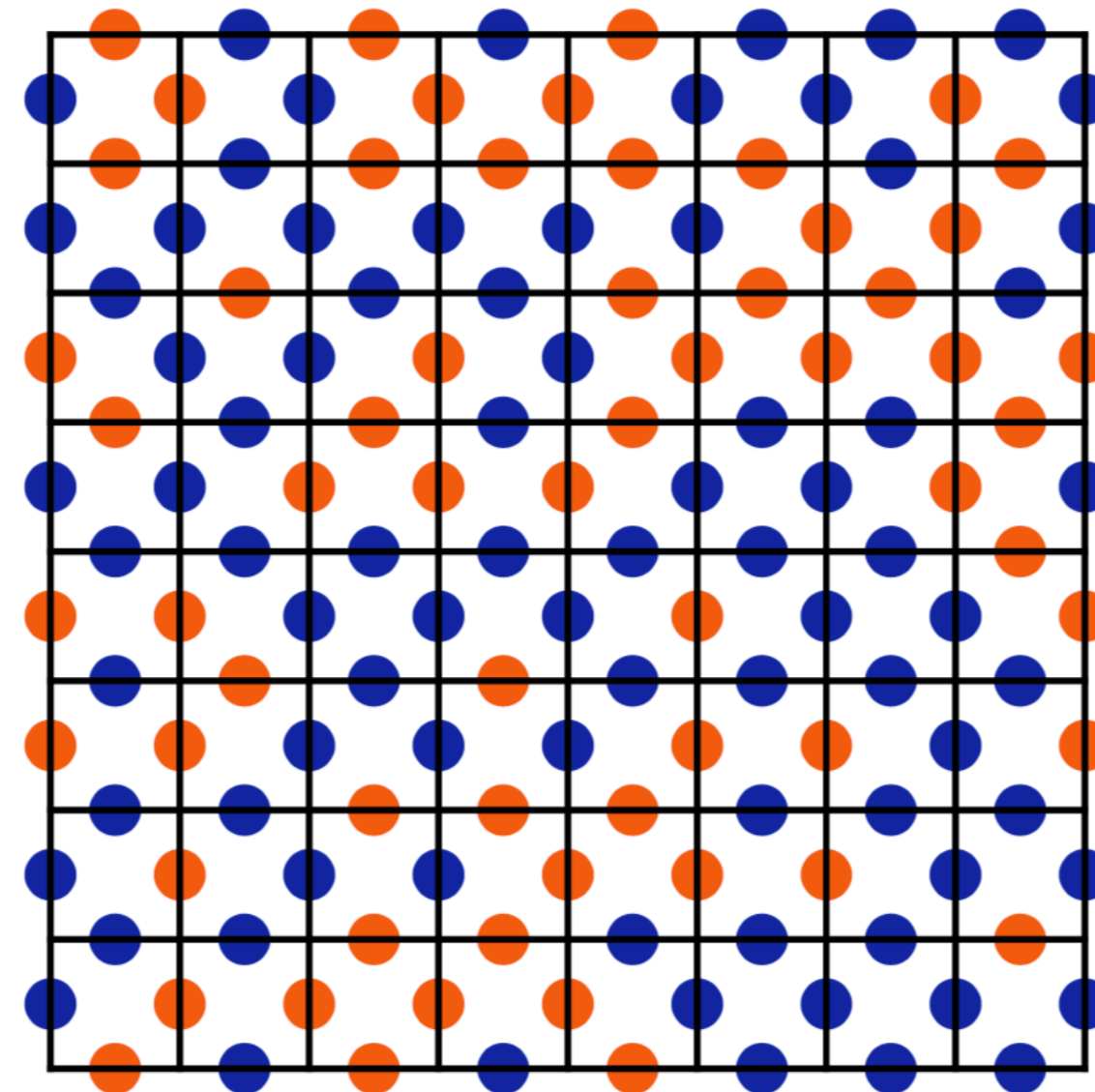
Inverse temperature:

$$\beta = \frac{1}{T}$$

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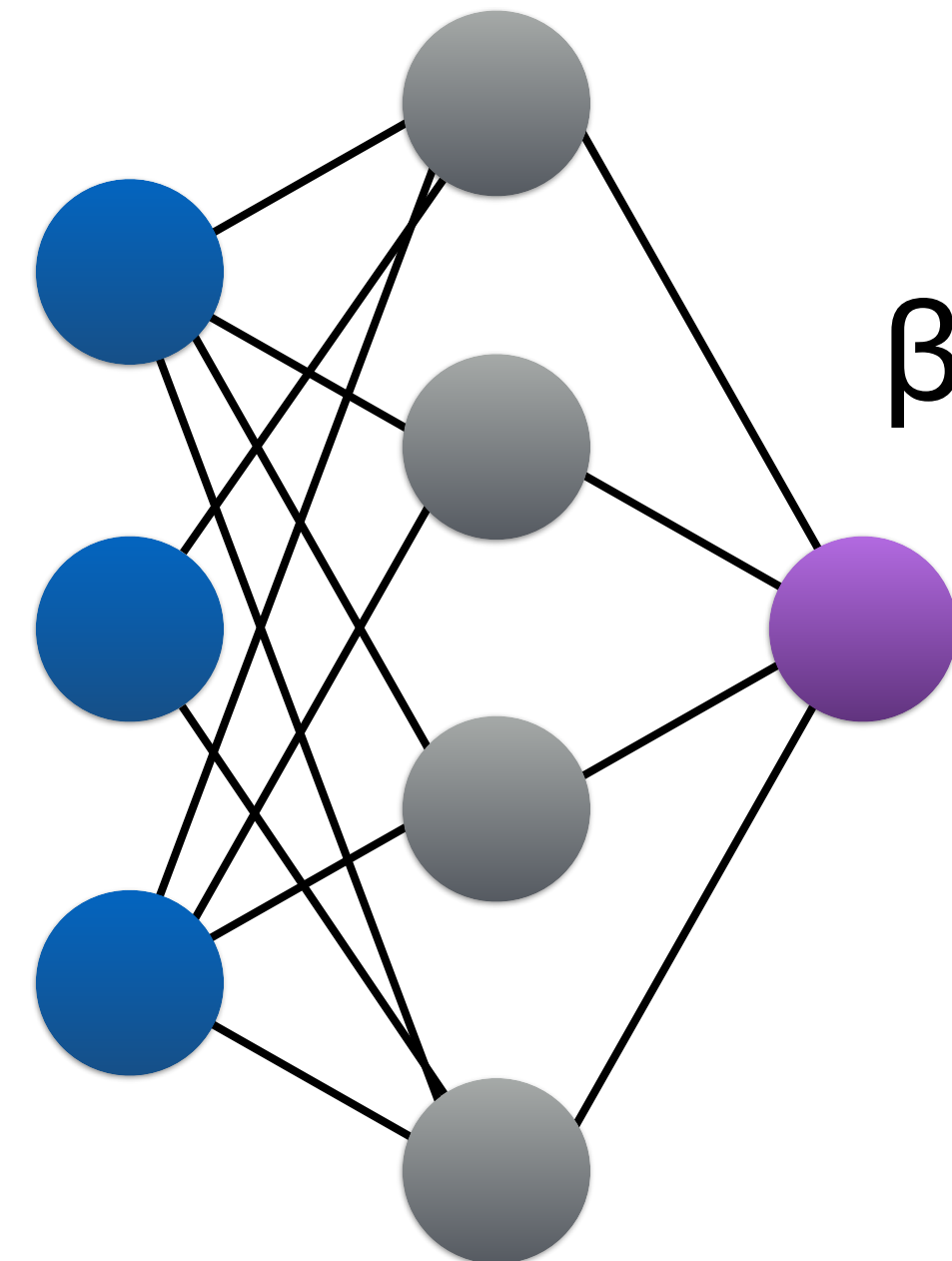
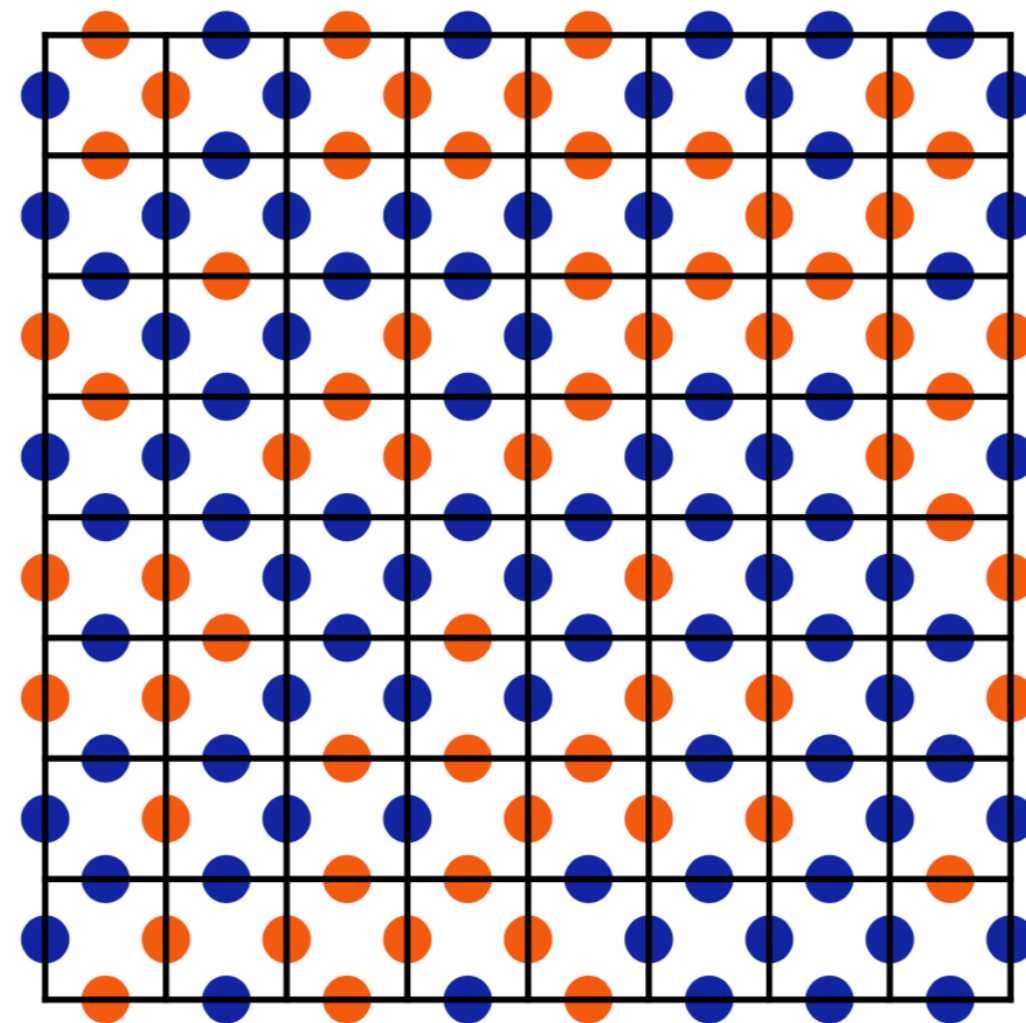
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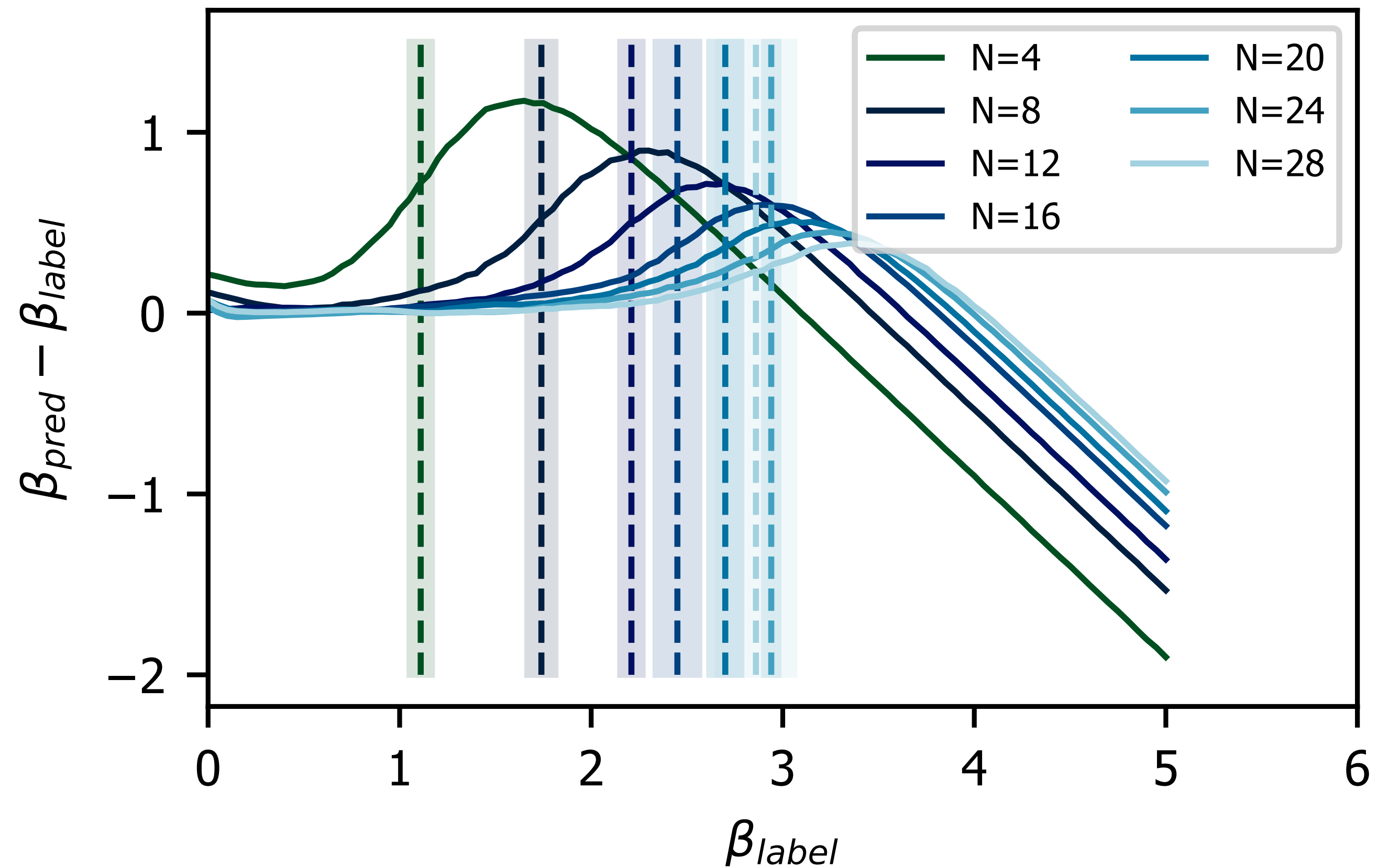
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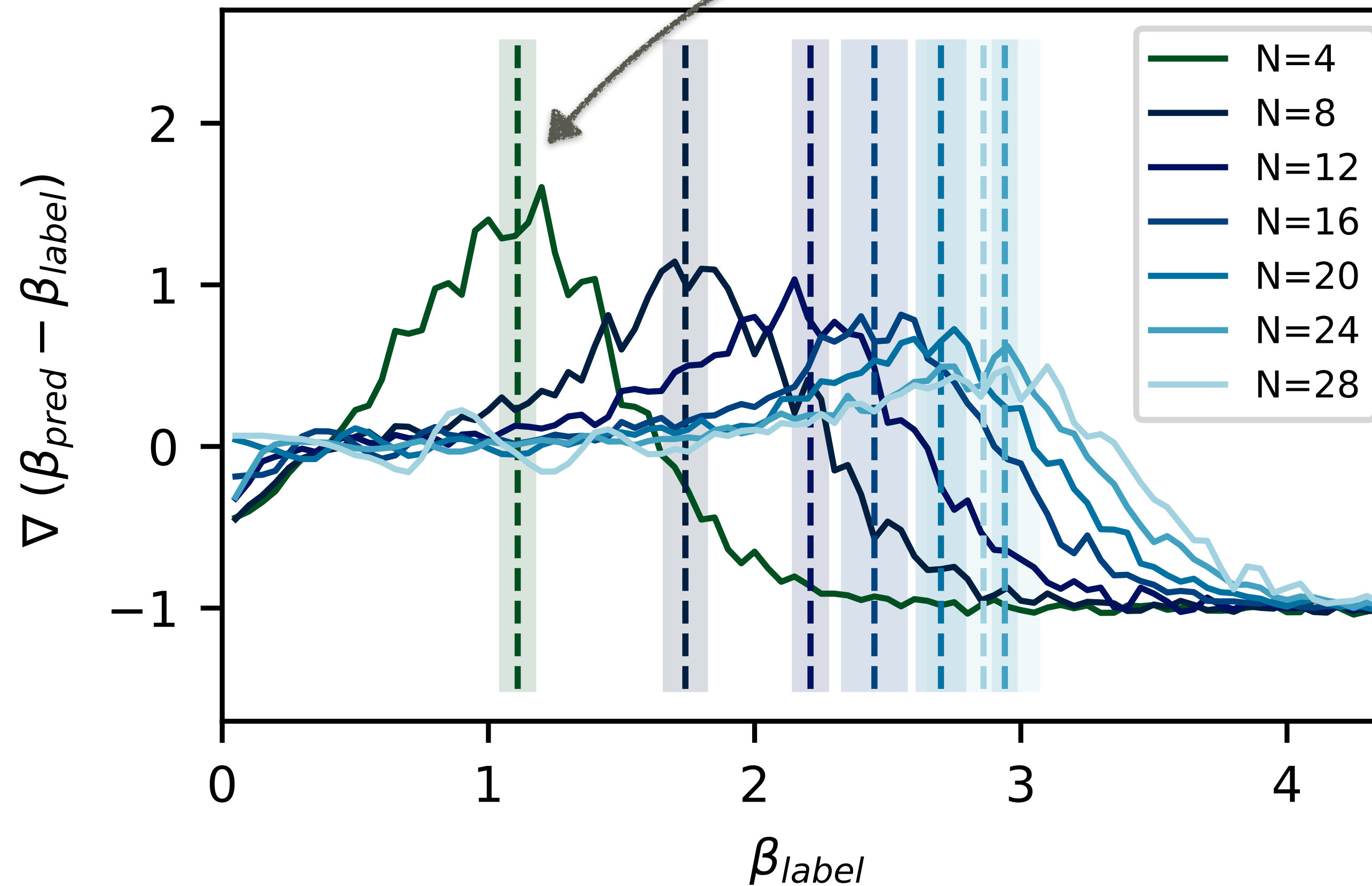
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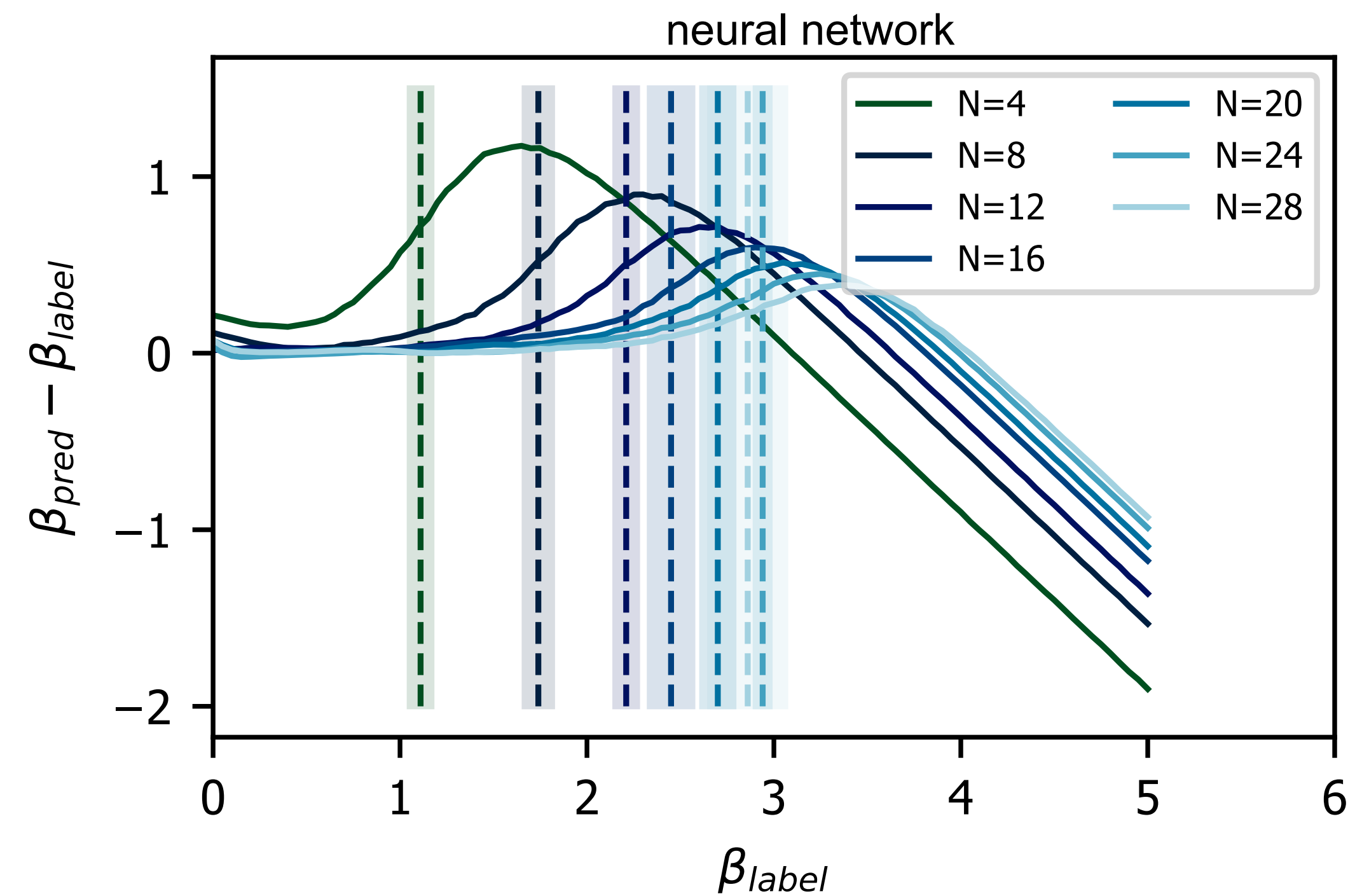
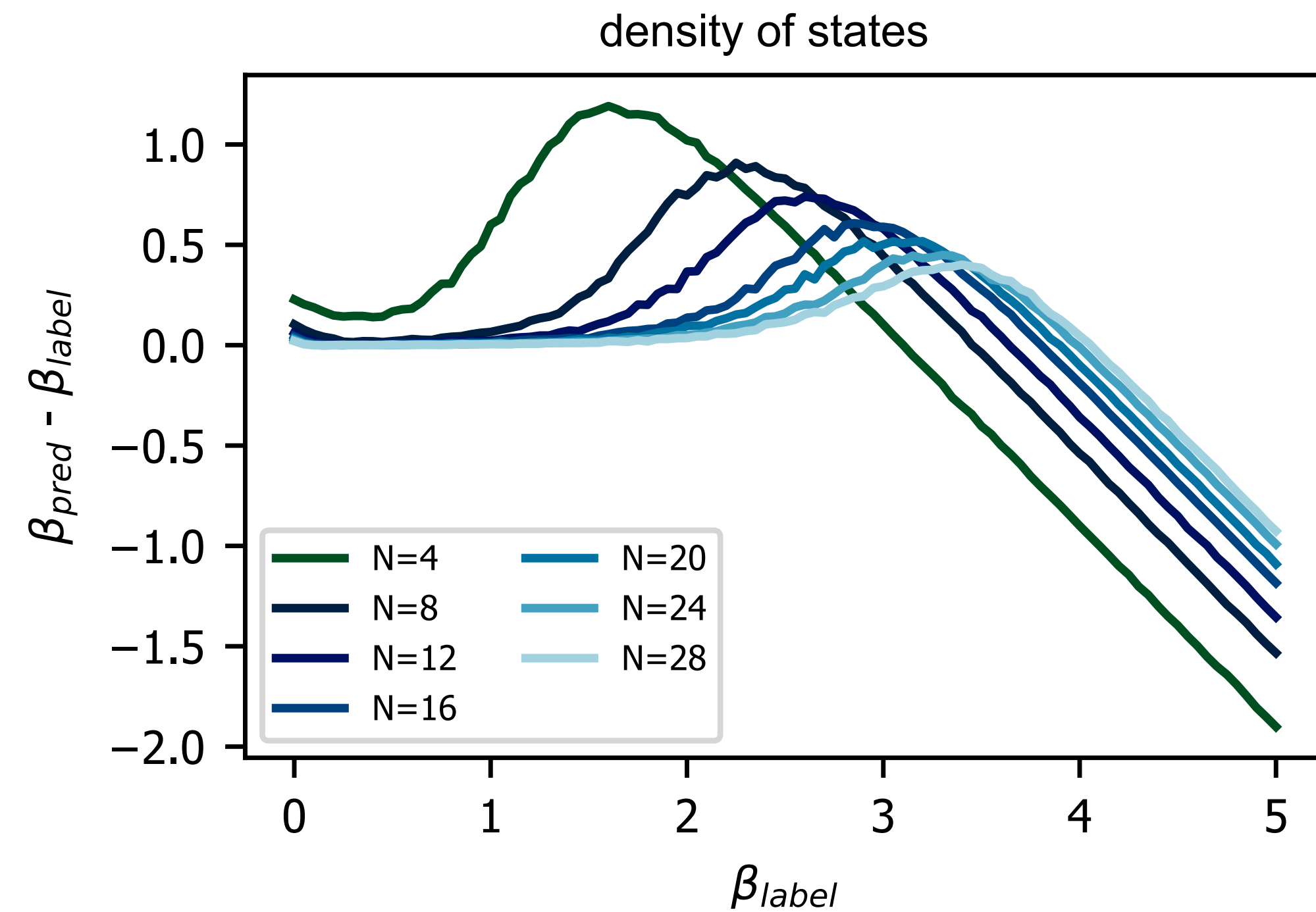
5. Look at derivative of the predictions

The peak coincides with the position of the crossover temperature!



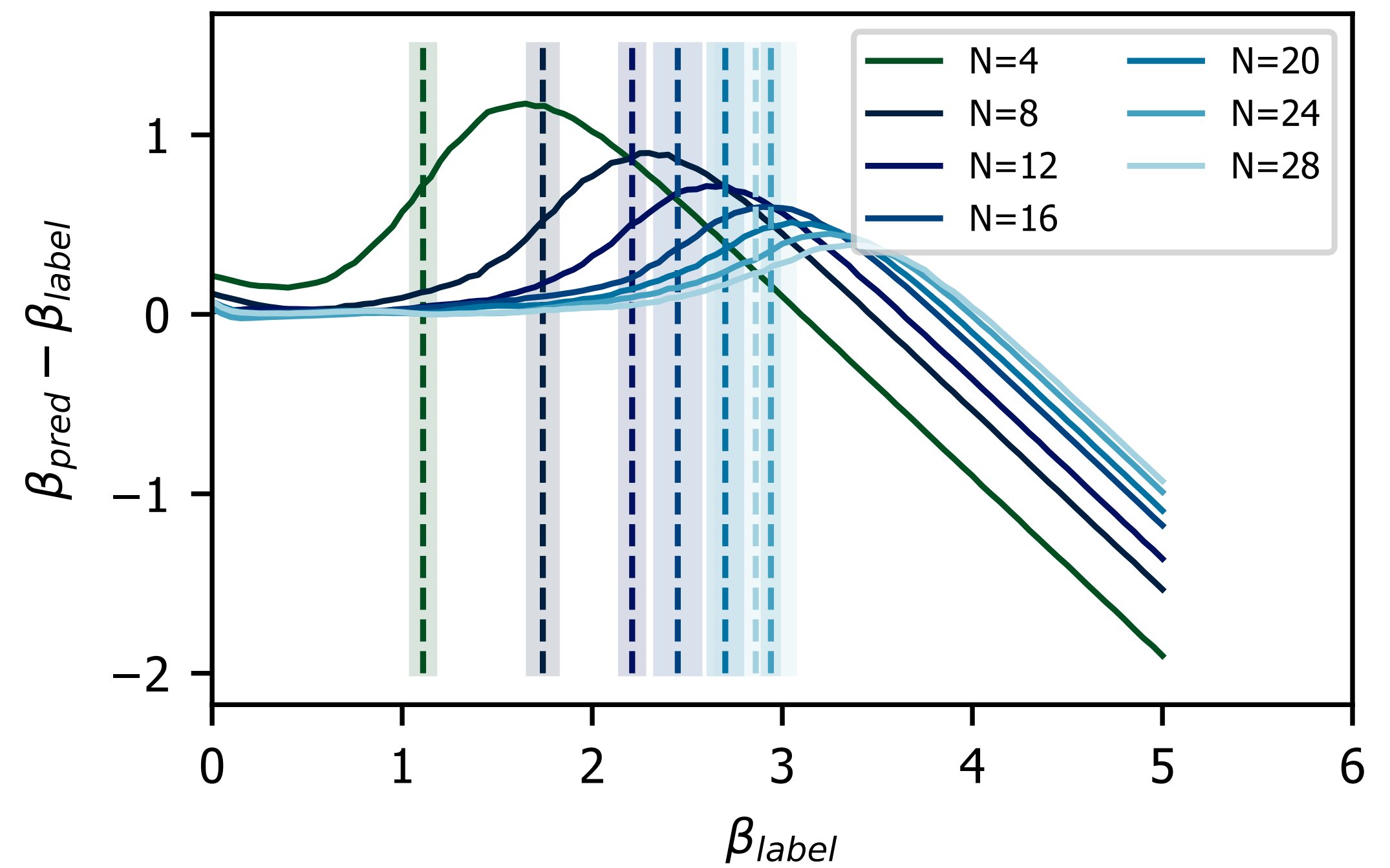
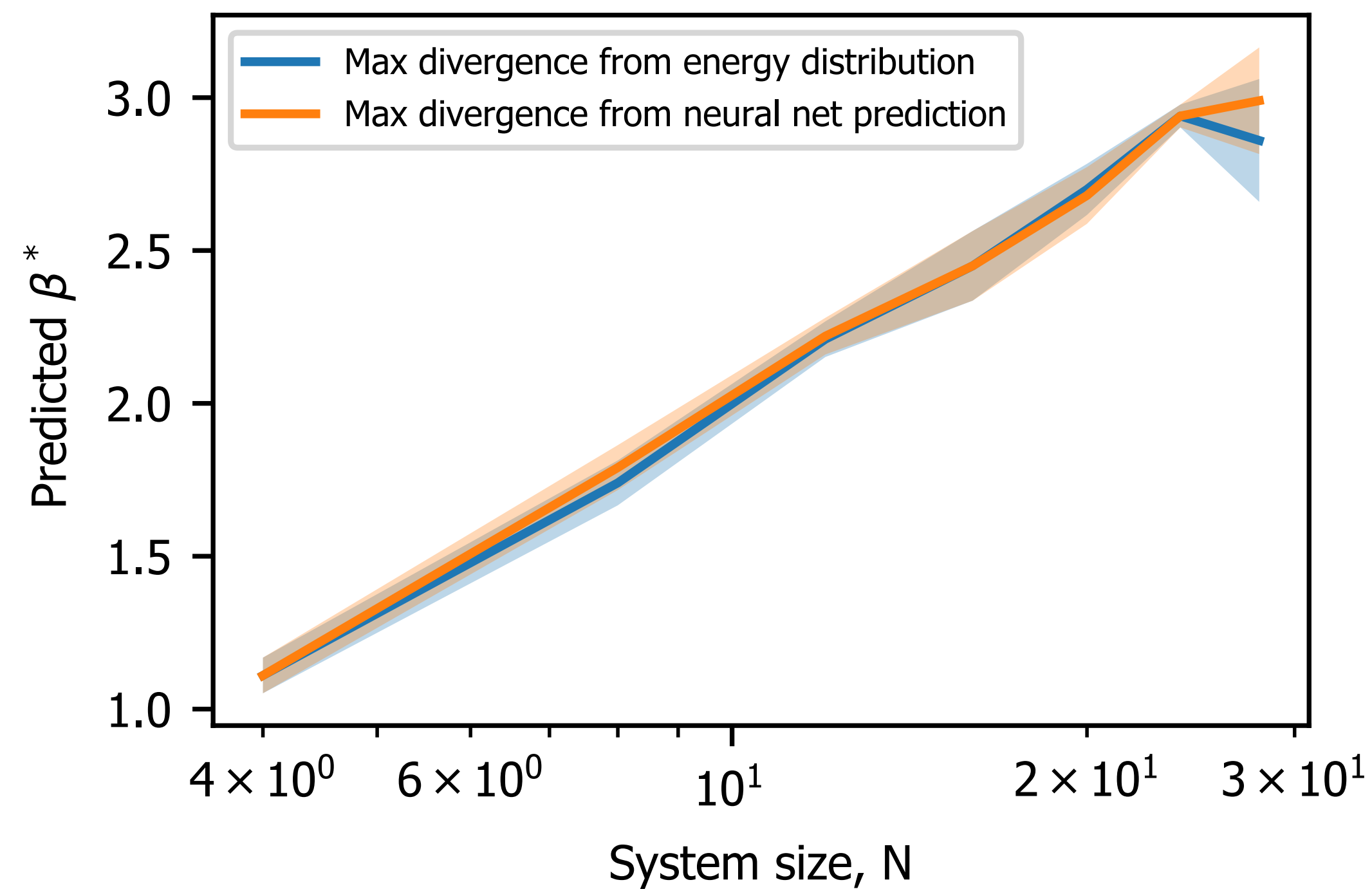
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6. The network is learning the density of states in the provided set of configurations!



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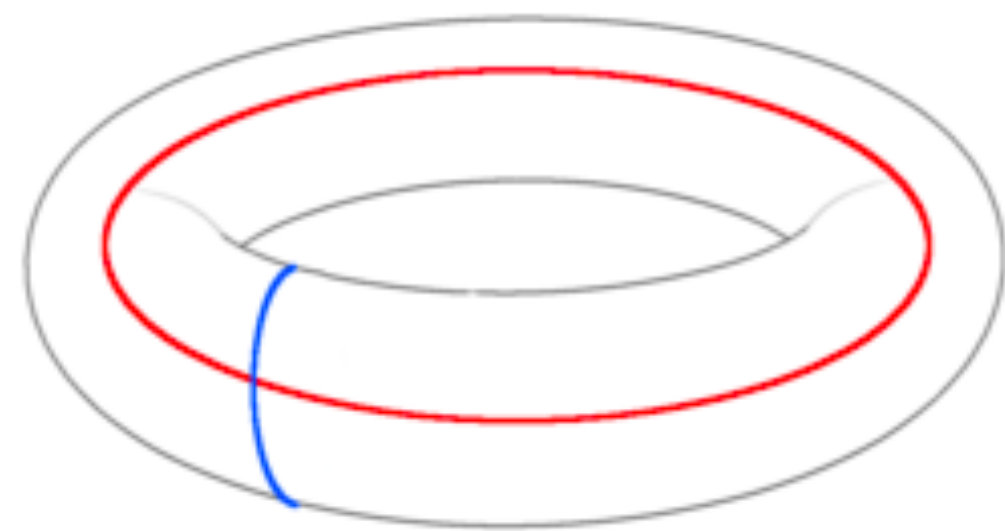
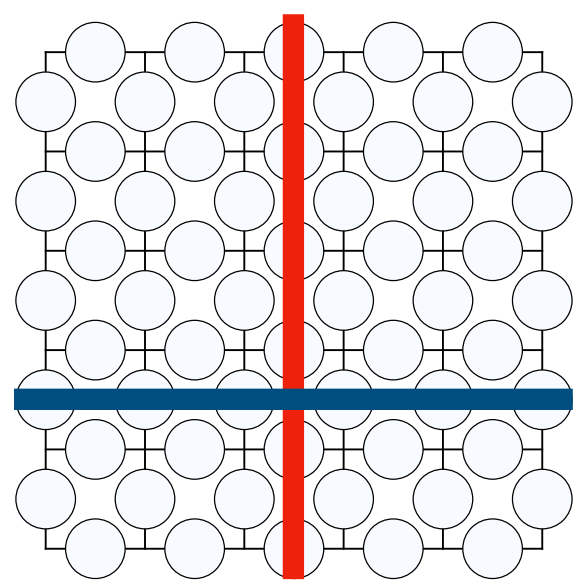
Logarithmic scaling with the system size.



Does this work in quantum setting?

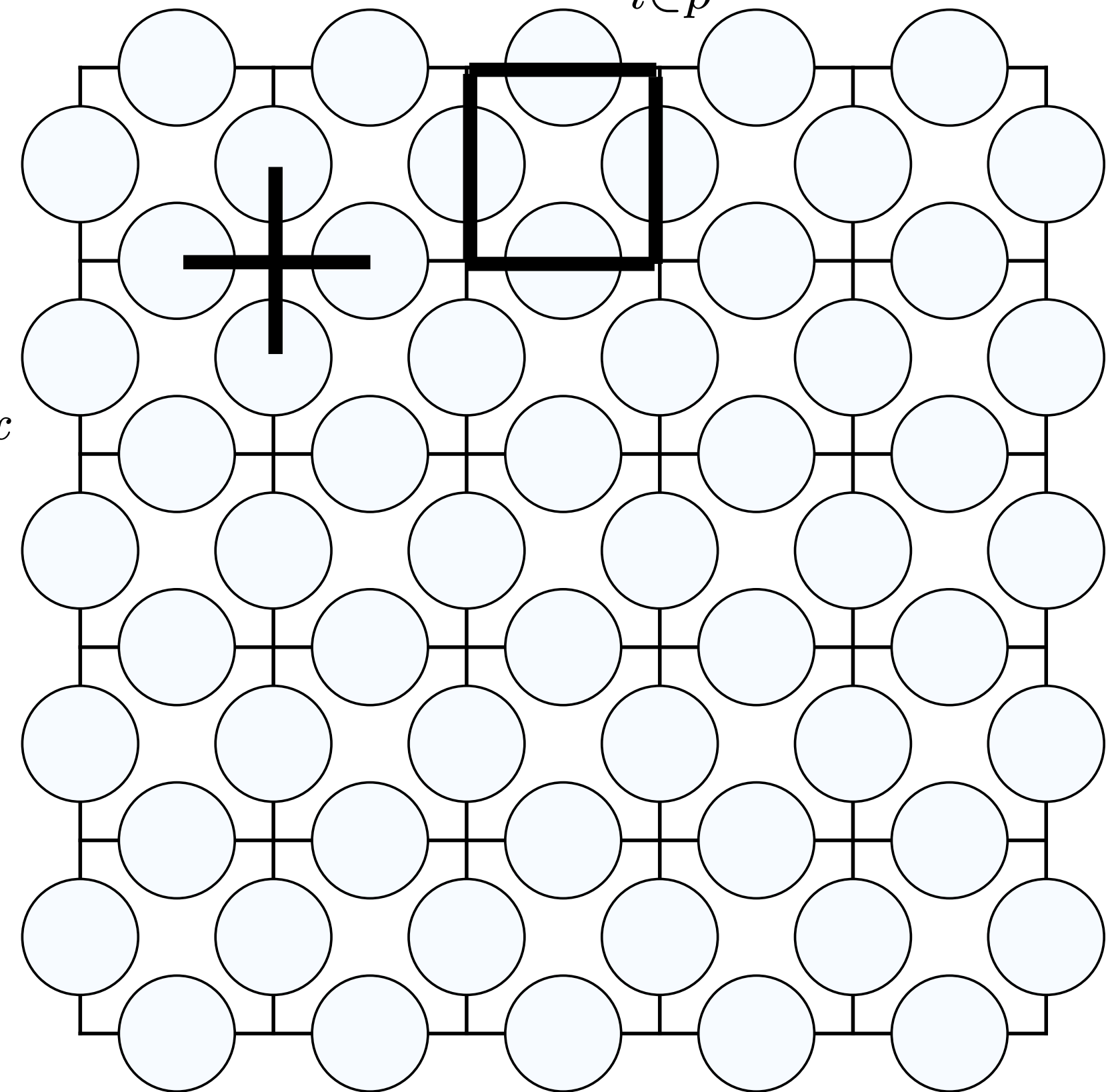
Yes!

$$H = - \sum_s A_s - \sum_p B_p$$



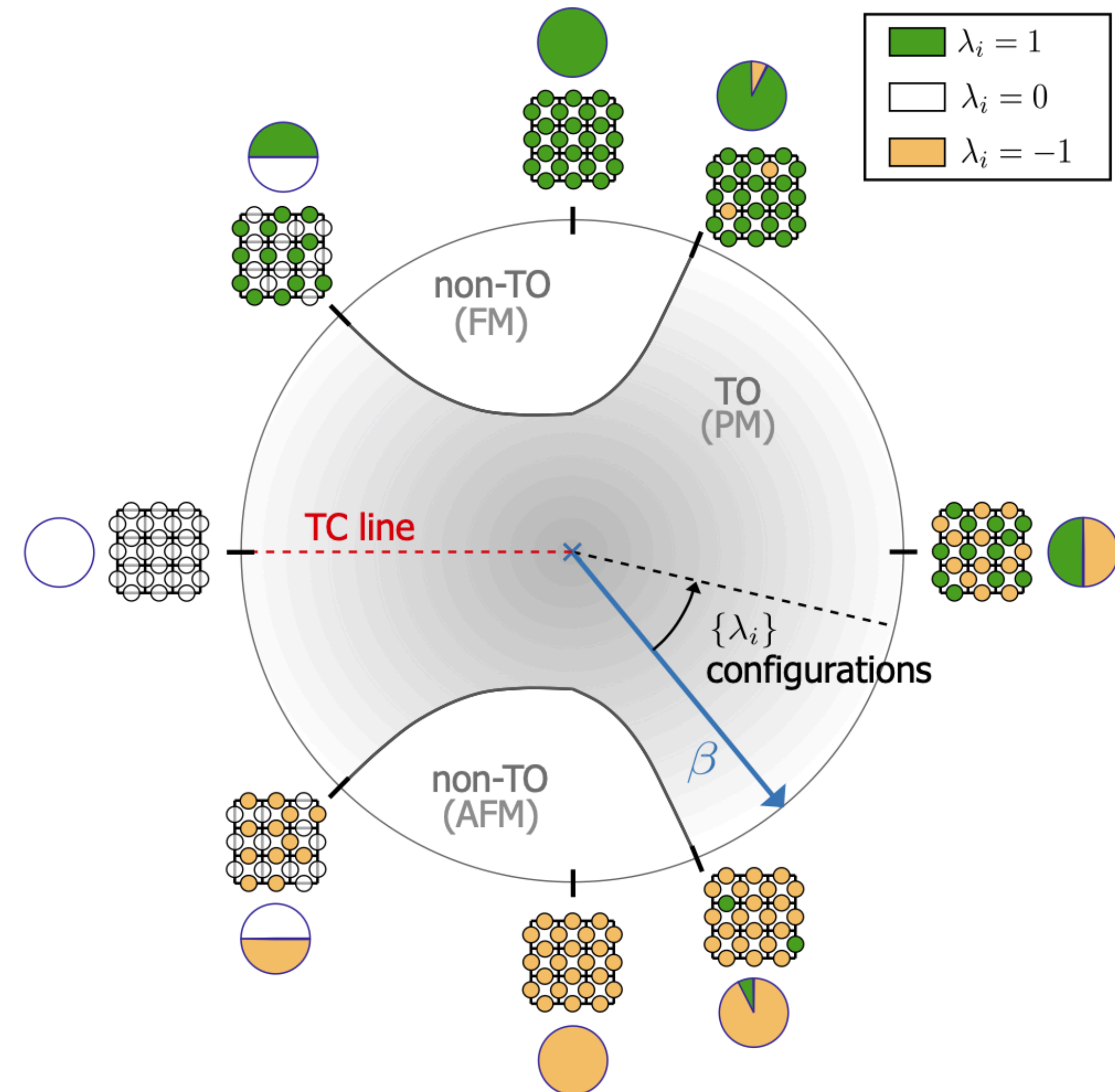
$$A_s = \prod_{i \in s} \sigma_i^x$$

$$B_p = \prod_{i \in p} \sigma_i^z$$



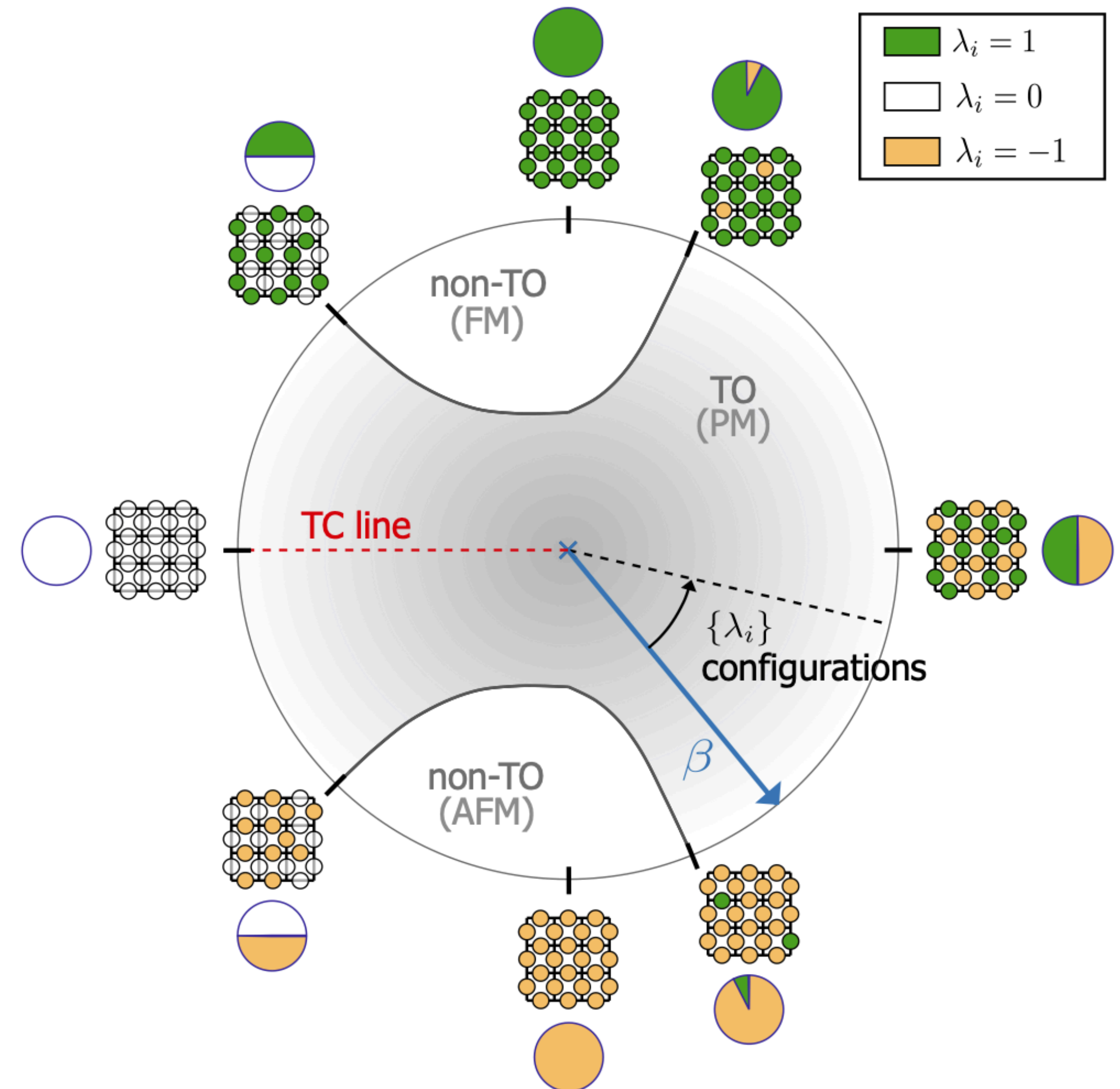
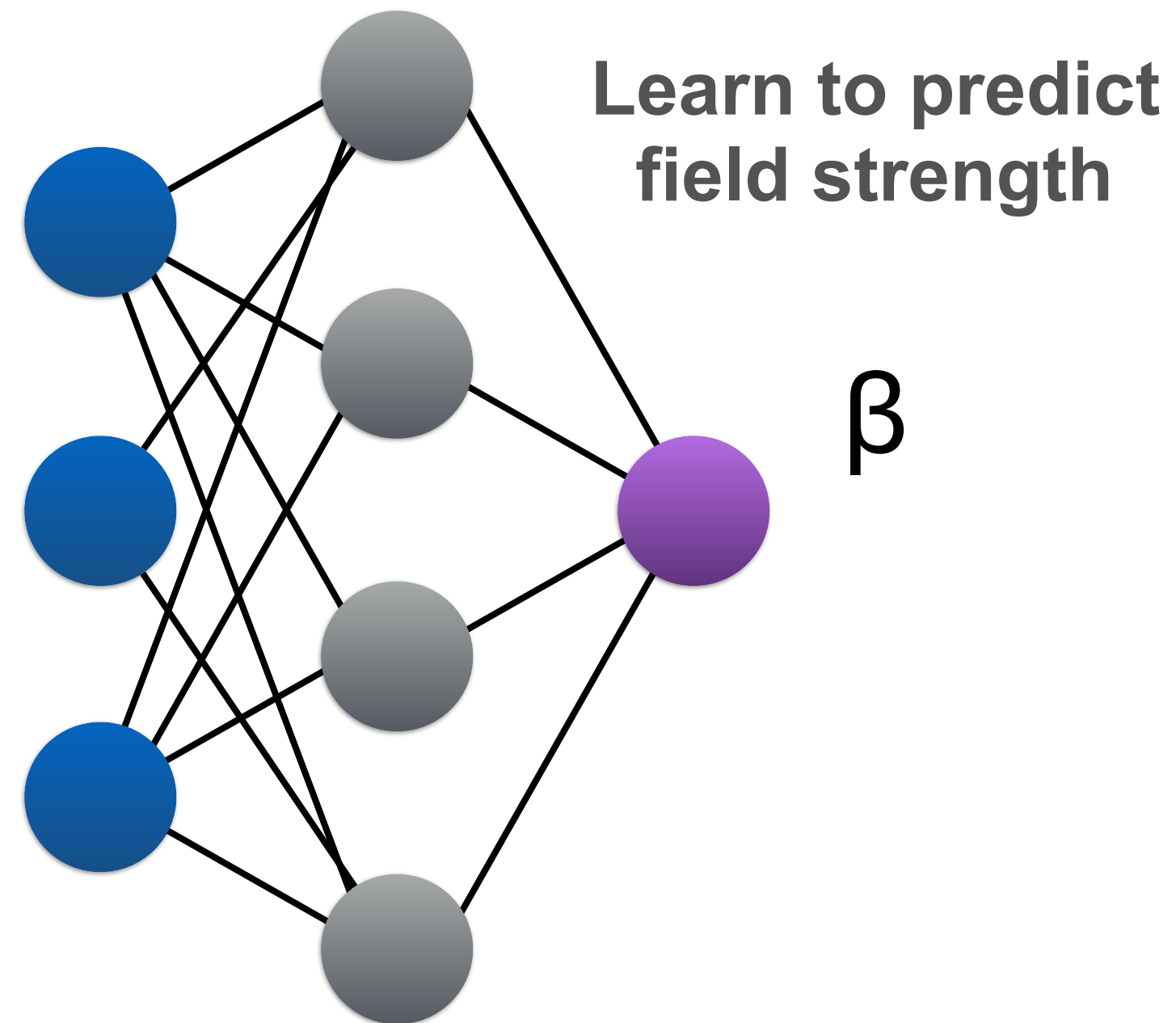
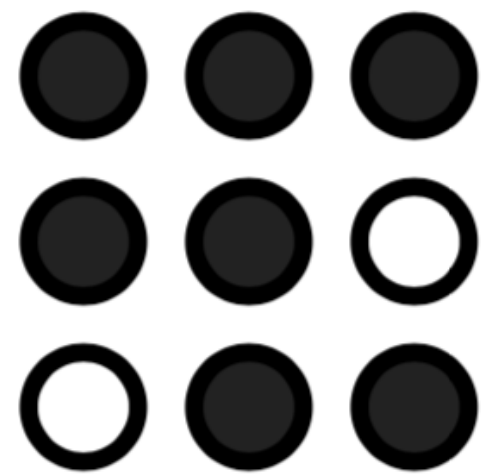
Relevant Problem: Quantum Model with Topological Phase Transition

$$H = \sum_s \left(-A_s + e^{-\sum_{i \in s} \beta_{z,i} \sigma_i^z} \right) - \sum_p B_p$$



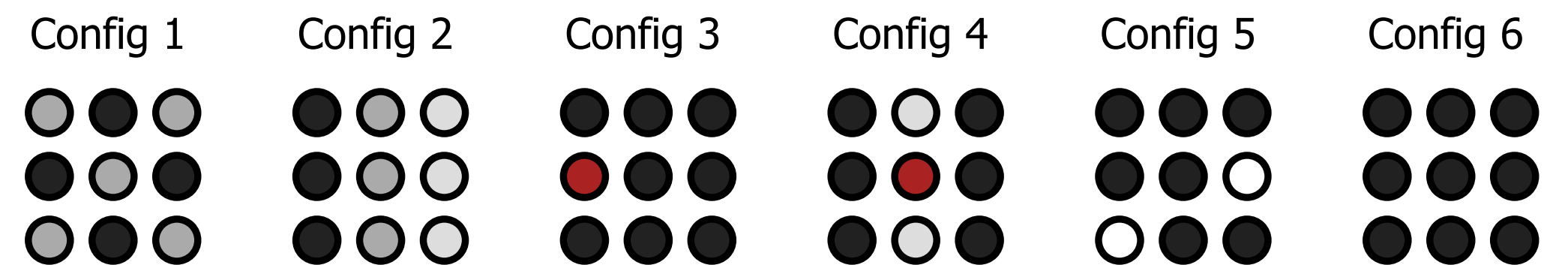
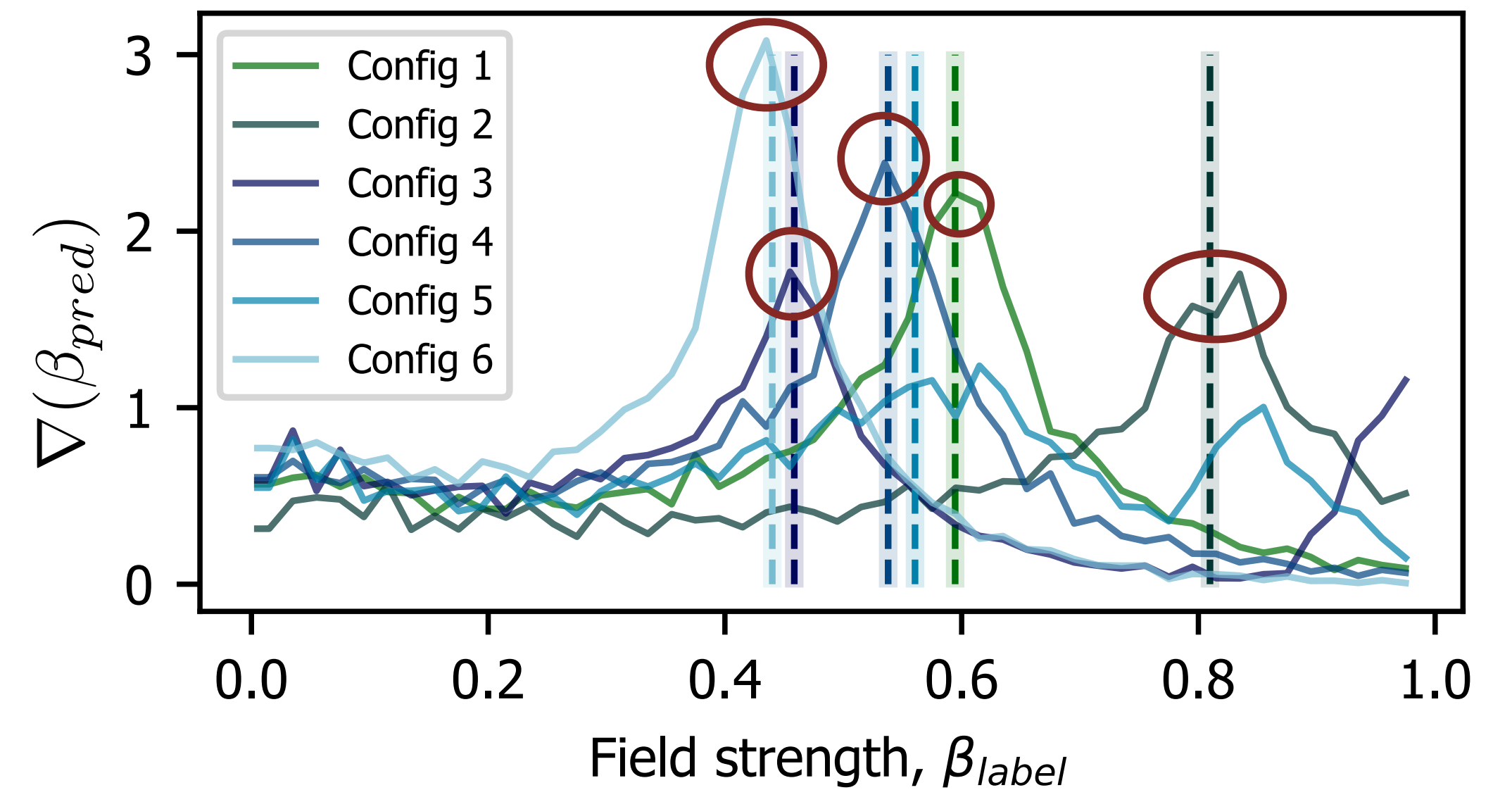
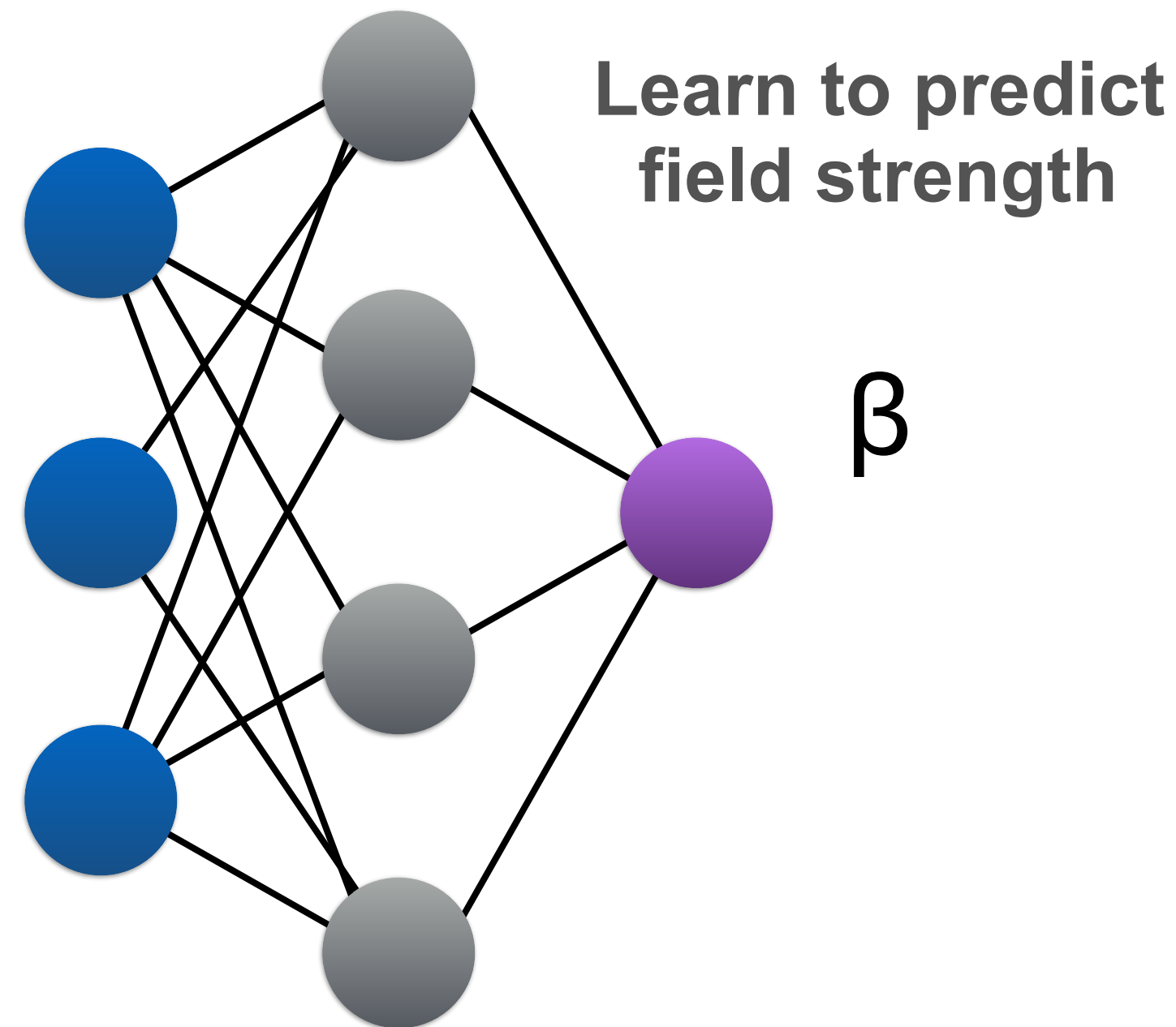
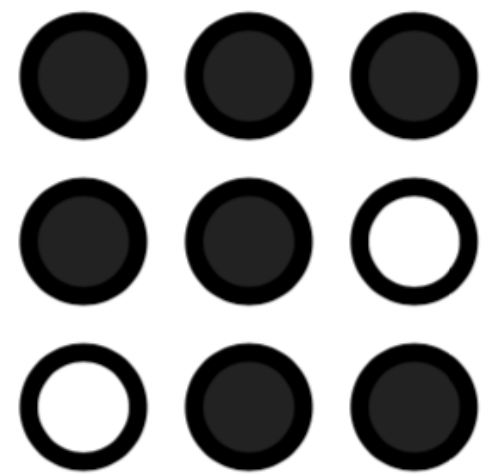
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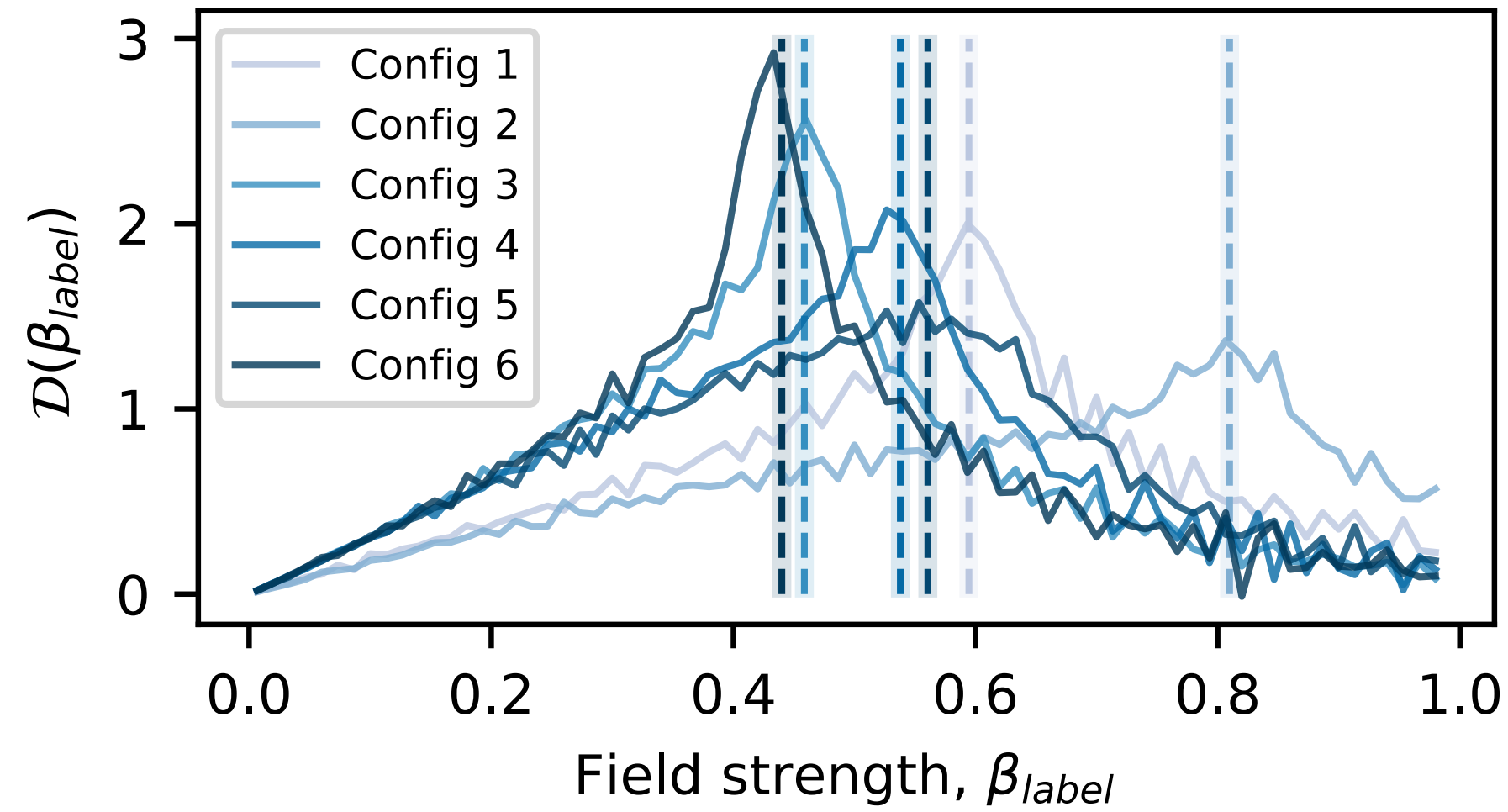
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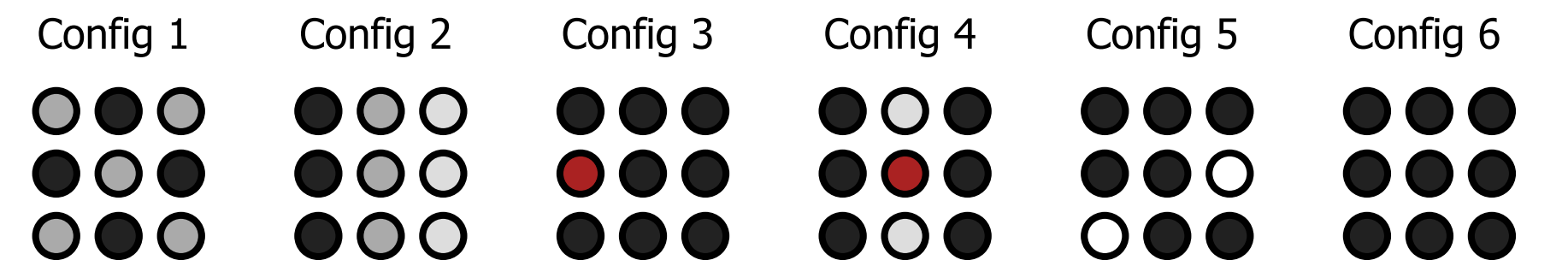
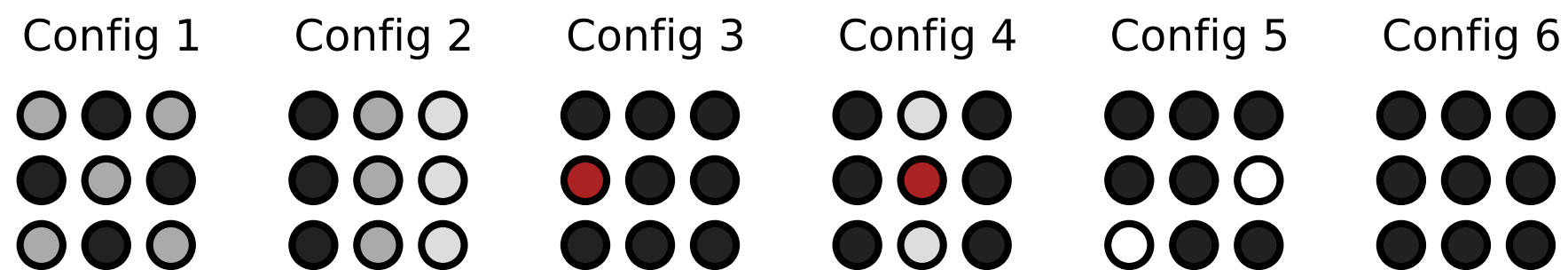
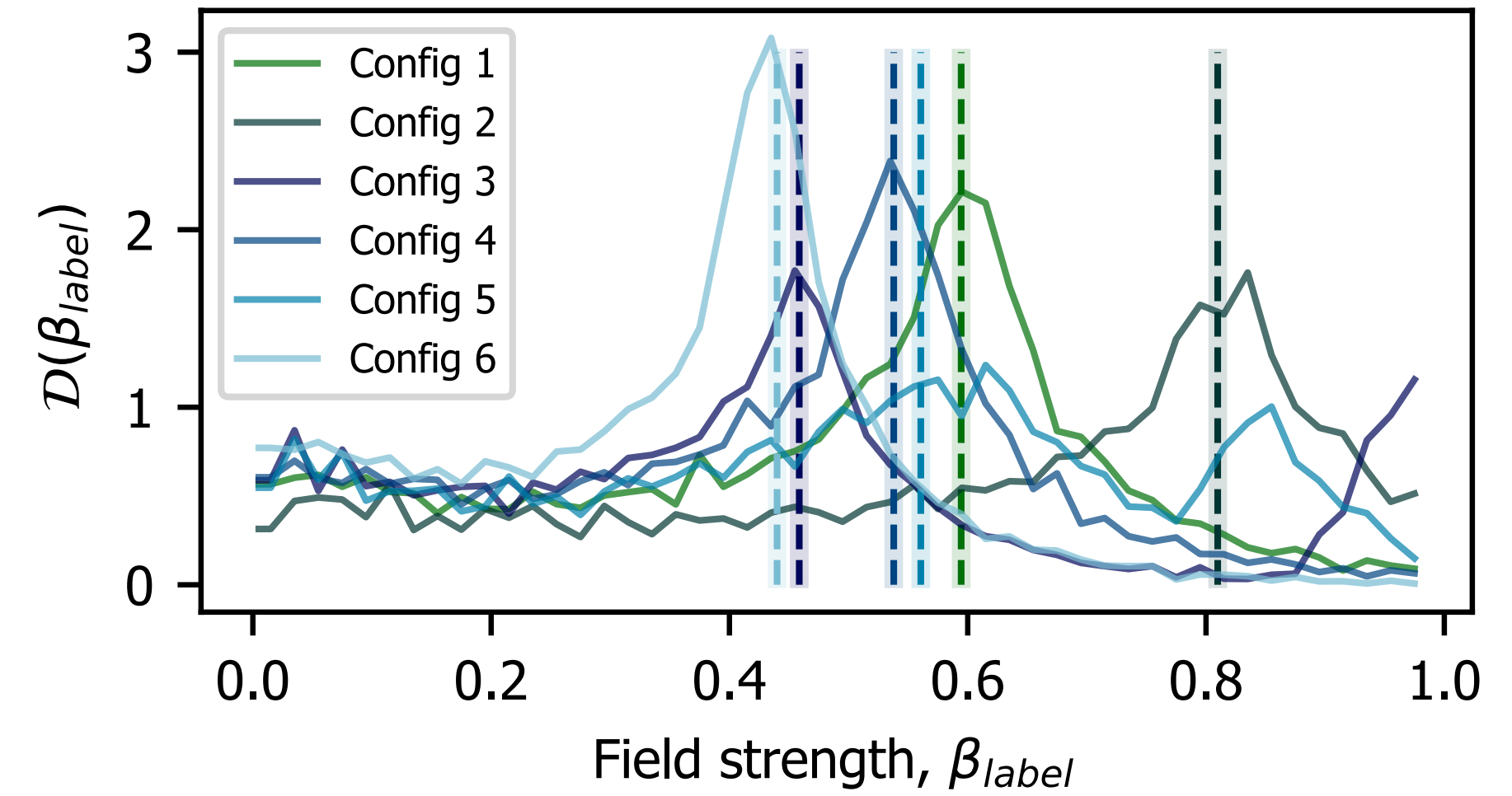


Type of measurement does not matter

$\langle A_s \rangle$



σ_z - projections



“Unsupervised way to determine phase boundaries (even the difficult ones!) from experimentally accessible data.”



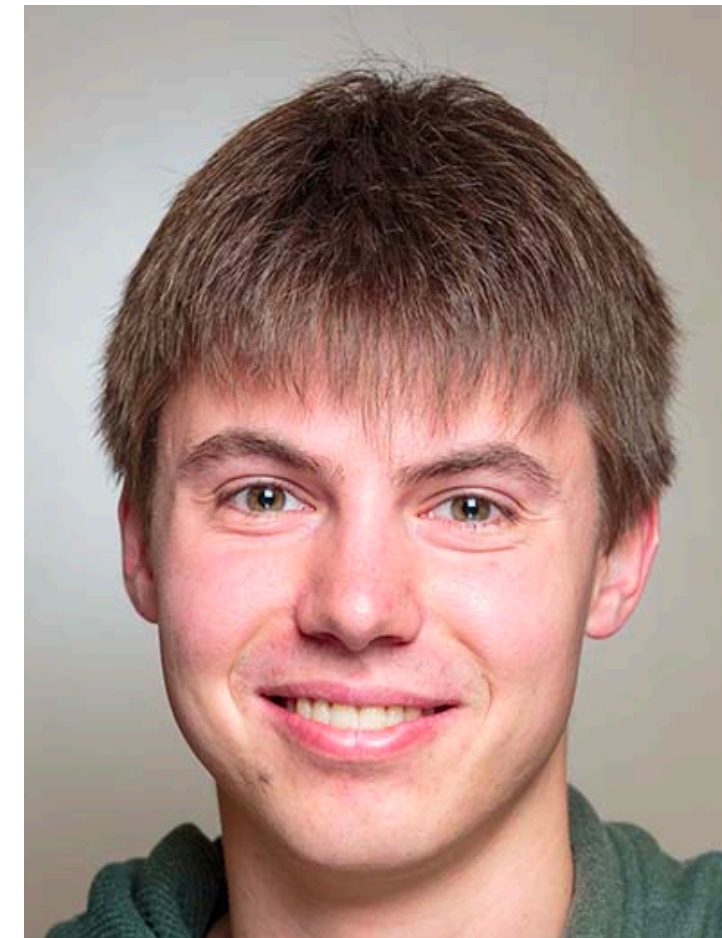
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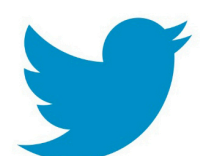


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