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Where is the minimal 5d pure supergravity?

The five dimensional pure supergravity with 8 supercharges contains no dilaton making its string theory realization hard to get.

I will be discussing previous attempts to realize the theory through non geometric constructions and provide reasons why this approach will fail. Additionally, I will discuss properties of the mysterious theory to assess its potential consistency as a quantum theory of gravity, perhaps outside the string landscape.

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